

NXP GreenChip 45 W adapter solution

A smart solution for worlds first truly portable power adapter that is as cool as it looks

Offering peak efficiency near 94% and standby power consumption below 30 mW with the output in full regulation, this compact, lightweight solution enables ultra-small 45 W adapters that stay cool by exceeding new regulatory efficiency requirements.

KEY FEATURES

- ▶ Two-chip combination for highest possible efficiency
 - TEA1836 GreenChip AC/DC controller
 - TEA1892 Synchronous Rectification controller
- ▶ Very high efficiency near 94%
- Low standby power consumption (< 30 mW) while output in full regulation
- ▶ Casing temperature under full load: < 55 °C
- Integrated active X-cap discharge function
- Low supply current during normal operation (600 μA typ)

APPLICATIONS

 Adapters and power supplies for notebooks, ultrabooks, settop boxes, etc. New energy regulations, like those from the U. S. Department of Energy, Energy Star, and the European Code of Conduct, have created the need for a new generation of power-supply ICs with a feature set and smart power-management modes that reflect the needs of more advanced systems like highefficiency notebook adapters.

The NXP TEA1836 GreenChip, an AC/DC controller, and the NXP TEA1892, a Synchronous Rectification controller, combine to offer a more efficient power supply with lower standby power losses.

Tight integration and a limited number of external / standard components make it possible to create a 45 W charger that is about half the size of the average candy bar, and only slightly larger than the 10 W chargers typically used for smartphones.



Exceeding the average Energy Star efficiency of 93%, allow the components inside the casing to be well within thermal limits despite the small form factor. The casing temperature remains under 55 °C, even under full load. The adapter uses a low start-up current and requires only 600 μ A of current during normal operation. Also, the adapter features a very low standby power (less than 30 mW) while the output is still in full regulation at the intended output voltage. The no-load standby power at 230 V_{AC} is about 26 mW and at 115 V_{AC} is roughly 21 mW. For added efficiency, the TEA1892 is compatible with MOSFETs that have a low R_{DScon} rating, and that helps limit conduction losses.

The increased power density of the TEA1836/TEA1892 combination opens up new applications, allowing integration of power adapters and battery chargers into the wall plug itself.







Thermal performance of 45 W adapter (TEA1836 + TEA1892)



www.nxp.com

© 2014 NXP Semiconductors N.V.

All rights reserved. Reproduction in whole or in part is prohibited without the prior written consent of the copyright owner. The information presented in this document does not form part of any quotation or contract, is believed to be accurate and reliable and may be changed without notice. No liability will be accepted by the publisher for any consequence of its use. Publication thereof does not convey nor imply any license under patent- or other industrial or intellectual property rights.

Date of release: April 2014 Document order number: 9397 750 17560 Printed in the Netherlands