

Features

- Typical 0.6V Internal Reference Voltage
- Automatic Skip/PWM Mode Operation
- Stable with Low ESR Ceramic Capacitors
- Power-On-Reset Detection on VIN
- Integrated Soft Start and Output Discharge
- Over-Temperature Protection
- Over Voltage Protection
- Under Voltage Protection
- High/ Low Side Current Limit
- Enable/Shutdown Function
- Small SOT-23-5 packages
- Lead Free and Green Devices Available (RoHS compliant)

Applications

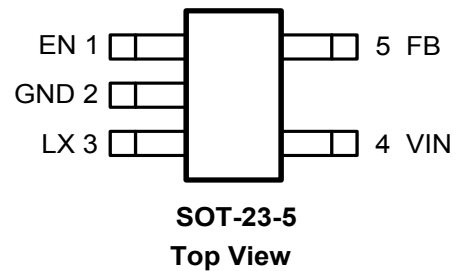
- Notebook Computer & UMPC
- LCD Monitor/TV
- Set-Top Box
- DSL, Switch HUB
- Portable Instrument

General Description

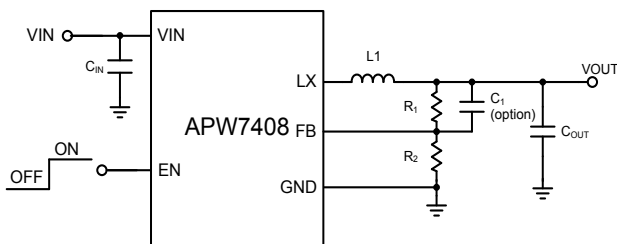
The APW7408 is a 1.3A synchronous buck converter that uses current-mode control scheme to convert wide input voltage of 2.9V to 5.5V to outputs as low as 0.6V while providing excellent output voltage regulation.

The APW7408 operates in Automatic Skip/PWM Mode operation and is also equipped with Power-on-reset, internal soft start and complete protections (under-voltage, over-voltage, over-temperature and current-limit) into a single low cost SOT-23-5 package. The IC also provides output capacitor discharge when it is disabled via the internal low side MOSFET.

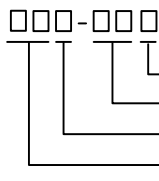
Pin Configuration (Top View)



Simplified Application Circuit



Ordering and Marking Information

APW7408		Package Code B: SOT-23-5 Operating Ambient Temperature Range I: -40 to 85° C Handling Code TR: Tape & Reel Assembly Material G: Halogen and Lead Free Device
APW7408 B:	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">408X</div> X - Date Code	

Note: ANPEC lead-free products contain molding compounds/die attach materials and 100% matte tin plate termination finish; which are fully compliant with RoHS. ANPEC lead-free products meet or exceed the lead-free requirements of IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020D for MSL classification at lead-free peak reflow temperature. ANPEC defines "Green" to mean lead-free (RoHS compliant) and halogen free (Br or Cl does not exceed 900ppm by weight in homogeneous material and total of Br and Cl does not exceed 1500ppm by weight).

Absolute Maximum Ratings (Note 1)

Symbol	Parameter	Rating	Unit
V_{VIN}	VIN to GND	-0.3 ~ 6.5	V
V_{LX}	LX to GND Voltage	< 30ns pulse width	-3 ~ 8
		> 30ns pulse width	-1 ~ VIN+0.3
$V_{I/O}$	FB, EN to GND Voltage	-0.3 ~ 6.5	V
T_J	Junction Temperature	150	°C
T_{STG}	Storage Temperature	-65 ~ 150	°C
T_{SDR}	Maximum Lead Soldering Temperature(10 Seconds)	260	°C

Note 1: Stresses beyond those listed under "absolute maximum ratings" may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under "recommended operating conditions" is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

Thermal Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Typical Value	Unit
θ_{JA}	Junction-to-Ambient Resistance (Note 2)	260	°C/W

Note 2: θ_{JA} is measured with the component mounted on a high effective thermal conductivity test board in free air.

Recommended Operation Conditions (Note 3)

Symbol	Parameter	Range	Unit
V_{IN}	Control and Driver Supply Voltage	2.9 ~ 5.5	V
I_{OUT}	Converter output current	0 ~ 1.3	A
T_A	Ambient Temperature	-40 ~ 85	°C
T_J	Junction Temperature	-40 ~ 125	°C

Note 3: Refer to the typical application circuit.

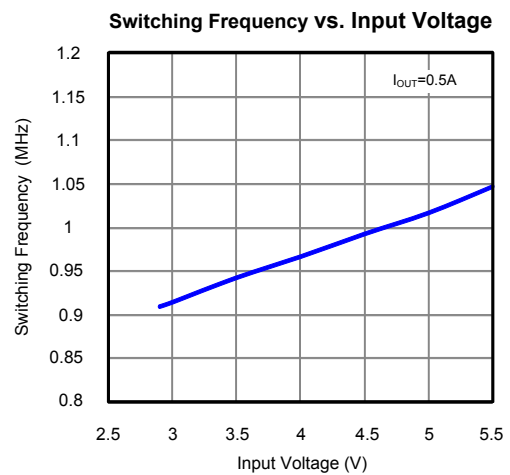
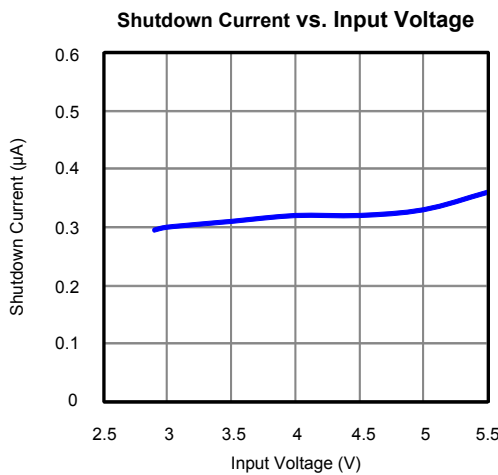
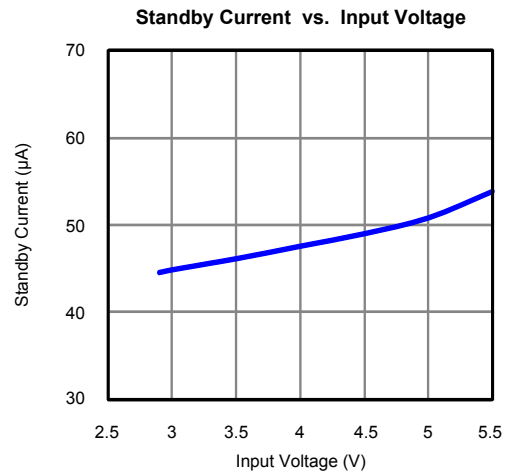
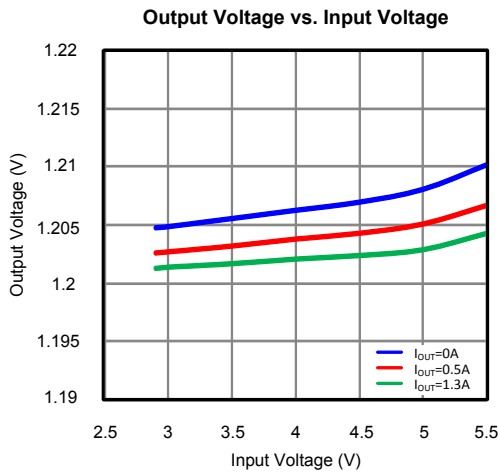
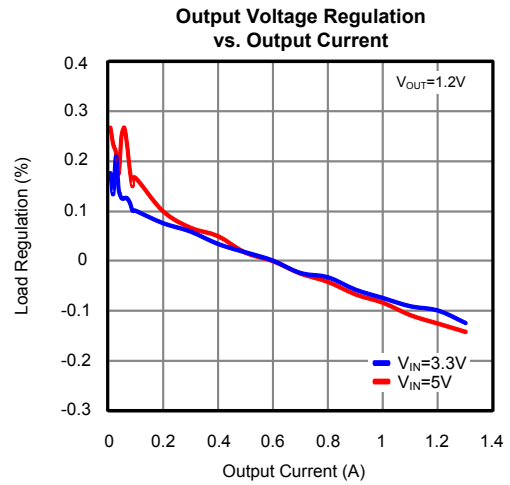
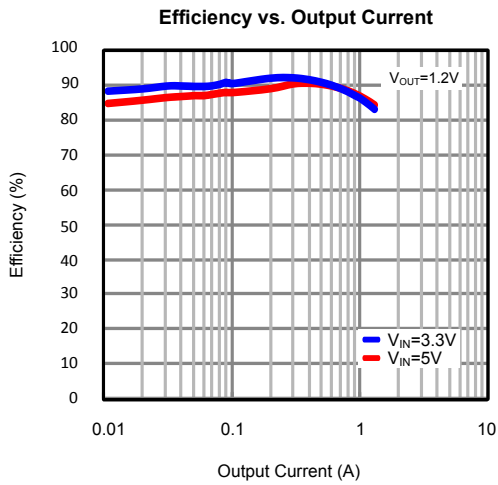
Electrical Characteristics

Unless otherwise specified, these specifications apply over $V_{IN}=5V$. $T_A=25^\circ C$

Symbol	Parameter	Test condition	Specification			Unit
			Min.	Typ.	Max.	
Supply Current						
I_{VIN}	VIN Supply Current	$V_{FB}=0.4V$	-	65	-	μA
I_{SHDN}	VIN Shutdown Supply Current	EN=GND	-	-	1	μA
Power-On-Reset (POR)						
	VIN POR Voltage Threshold	VIN Rising	2.3	2.4	2.5	V
	VIN POR Hysteresis		-	0.2	-	V
EN						
	EN Enable threshold		1.5	-	-	V
	EN shutdown threshold		-	-	0.4	V
Reference Voltage						
Tss	Soft Start time		-	1	-	ms
V_{REF}	Reference Voltage		-	0.6	-	V
		$T_A=25^\circ C$	-1	-	1	%
Oscillator						
F_{OSC}	Oscillator Frequency		850	1000	1150	kHz
	Minimum Controllable on Time		-	70	-	ns
POWER MOSFET						
	High Side MOSFET Resistance	$V_{IN}=5V, I_{LX}=0.5A, T_A=25^\circ C$	-	113	-	m Ω
	Low Side MOSFET Resistance	$V_{IN}=5V, I_{LX}=0.5A, T_A=25^\circ C$	-	95	-	m Ω
	High Side MOSFET Leakage Current		-	-	10	μA
	Low Side MOSFET Leakage Current		-	-	10	μA
PROTECTIONS						
I_{LIM}	High Side MOSFET current-limit	Peak Current		1.95		A
	Over-temperature Trip Point	Guarantee by design	-	160	-	$^\circ C$
	Over-temperature Hysteresis	Guarantee by design	-	50	-	$^\circ C$
	Over Voltage Protection	VOUT Rising	-	125	-	% V_{REF}
	Under Voltage Protection		-	50	-	% V_{REF}
	Low Side Switch Current-Limit	From Drain to Source	-	-1	-	A

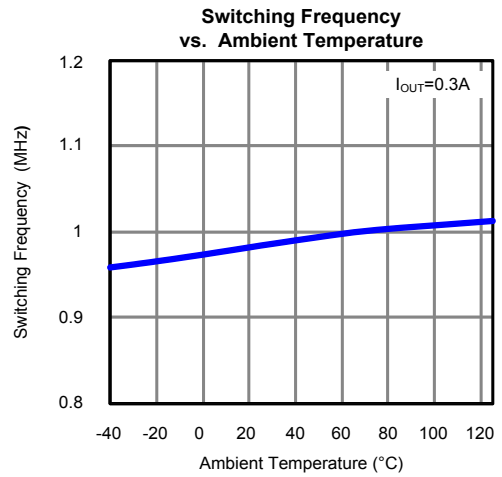
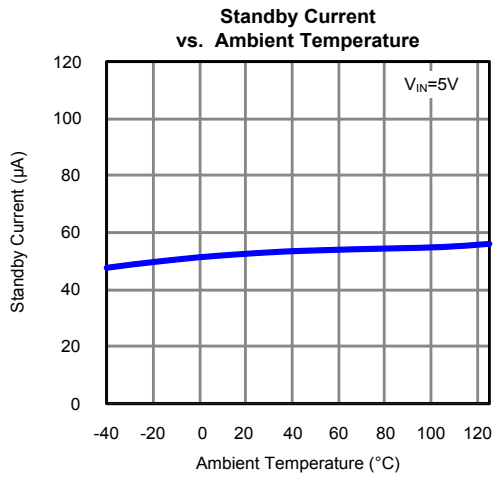
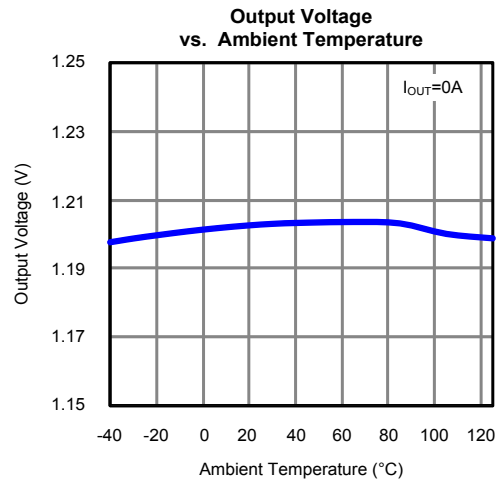
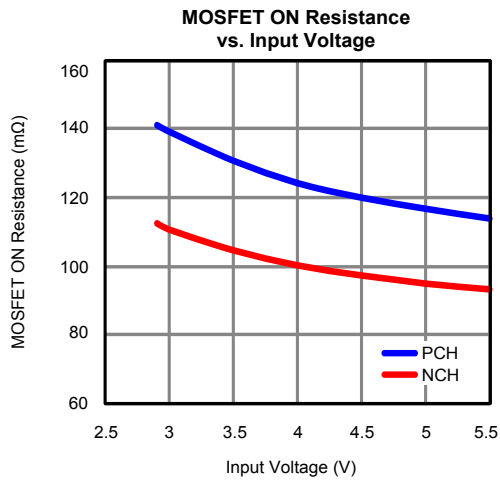
Typical Operating Characteristics

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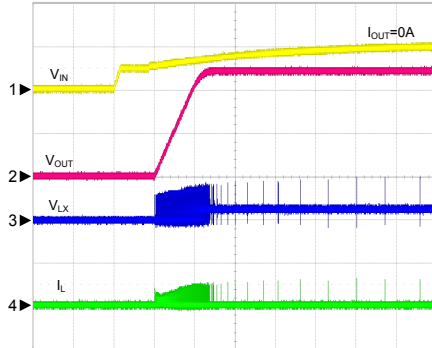
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Operating Waveforms

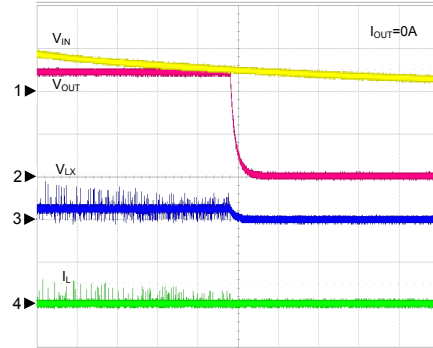
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Start-Up by VIN



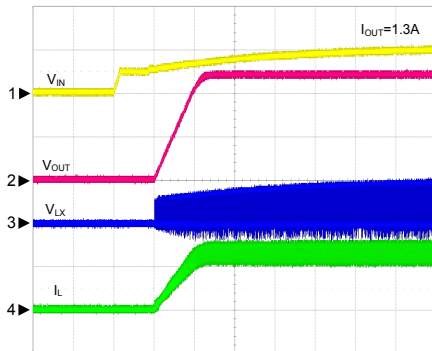
CH1: V_{IN} , 5V/Div, DC
 CH2: V_{OUT} , 500mV/Div, DC
 CH3: V_{Lx} , 5V/Div, DC
 CH4: I_L , 500mA/Div, DC
 TIME: 1ms/Div

Shutdown by VIN



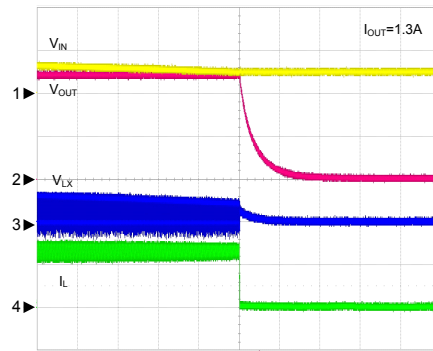
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 TIME: 100ms/Div

Start-Up by VIN



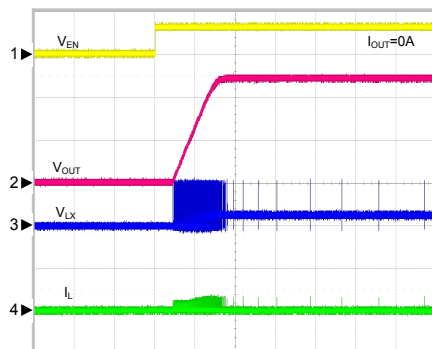
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 TIME: 1ms/Div

Shutdown by VIN



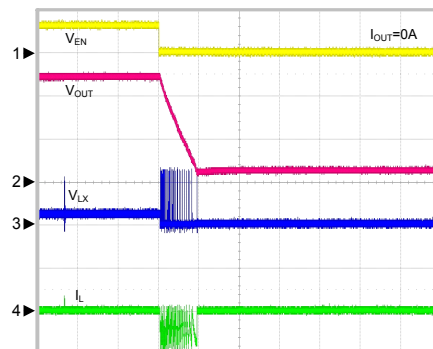
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 CH4: I_L , 1A/Div, DC
 TIME: 100μs/Div

Start-Up by Enable



CH1: V_{EN} , 5V/Div, DC
 CH2: V_{OUT} , 500mV/Div, DC
 CH3: V_{Lx} , 5V/Div, DC
 CH4: I_L , 1A/Div, DC
 TIME: 1ms/Div

Shutdown by Enable

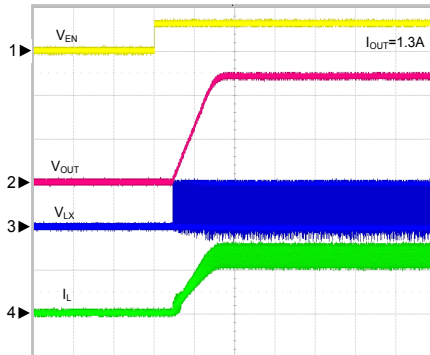


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Operating Waveforms (Cont.)

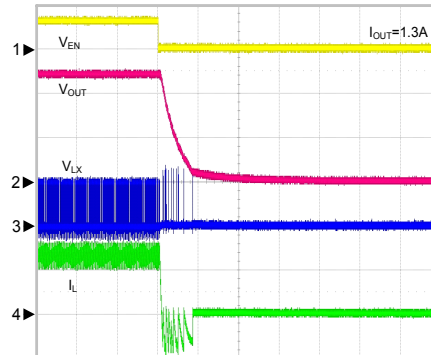
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Start-Up by Enable



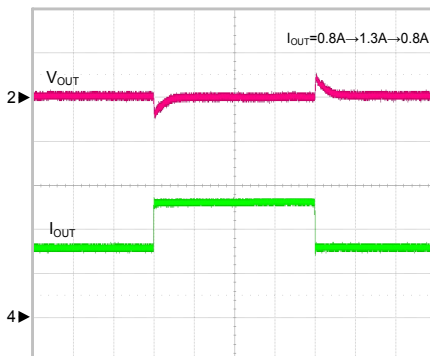
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 TIME: 1ms/Div

Shutdown by Enable



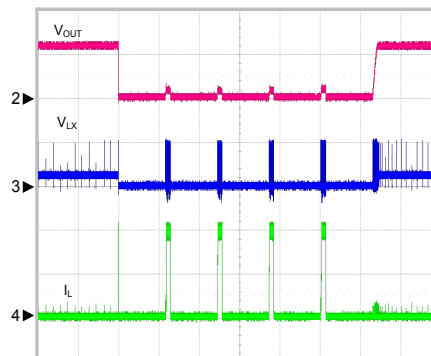
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 CH2: V_{OUT} , 500mV/Div, DC
 CH3: V_{LX} , 5V/Div, DC
 CH4: I_L , 1A/Div, DC
 TIME: 50 μ s/Div

Load Transient



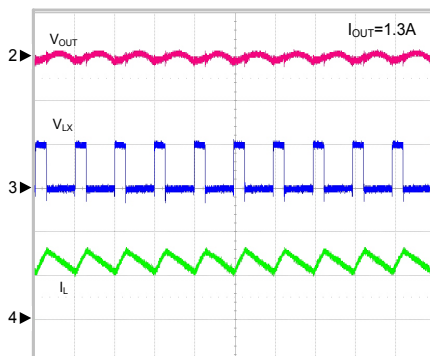
CH2: V_{OUT} , 50mV/Div, DC, $V_{OFFSET}=1.1V$
 CH4: I_{OUT} , 500mA/Div, DC
 TIME: 50 μ s/Div

Short Circuit Protection



CH2: V_{OUT} , 1V/Div, DC
 CH3: V_{LX} , 5V/Div, DC
 CH4: I_L , 1A/Div, DC
 TIME: 10ms/Div

Steady State

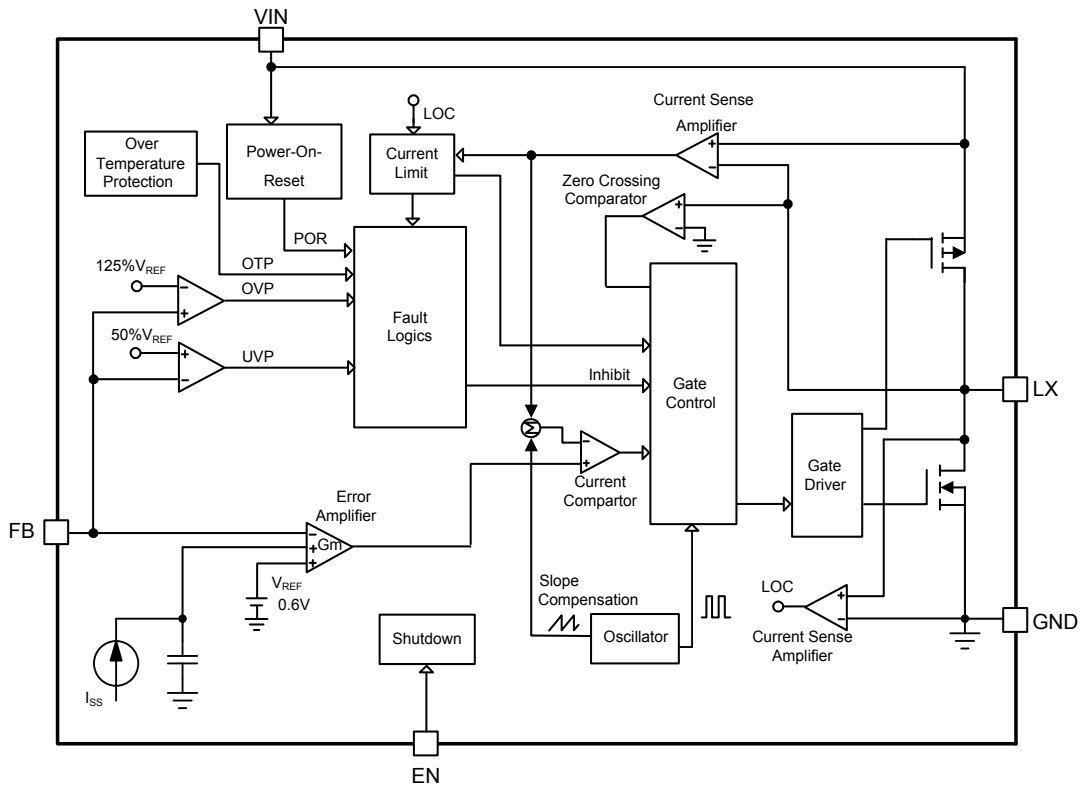


CH2: V_{OUT} , 10mV/Div, DC, $V_{OFFSET}=1.17V$
 CH3: V_{LX} , 5V/Div, DC
 CH4: I_L , 1A/Div, DC
 TIME: 1 μ s/Div

Pin Descriptions

PIN		FUNCTION
NO.	NAME	
1	EN	Enable Input Pin. Drive EN high to turn the converter on and drive it low to turn it off. The EN pin cannot be left floating.
2	GND	IC Ground Pin. This pin must be connected directly to the ground plane of the PCB.
3	LX	Power Switching Output. This pin is the junction of the high side power MOSFET and the low side power MOSFET. Connect this pin to the output inductor.
4	VIN	Power Input Pin. VIN supplies the power to the buck converter and the the internal control circuitry.
5	FB	Output Feedback Pin. FB Pin senses the output voltage and regulates it. Connect the resistor divider from the output through FB to the ground to set the output voltage.

Block Diagram



Typical Application Circuit

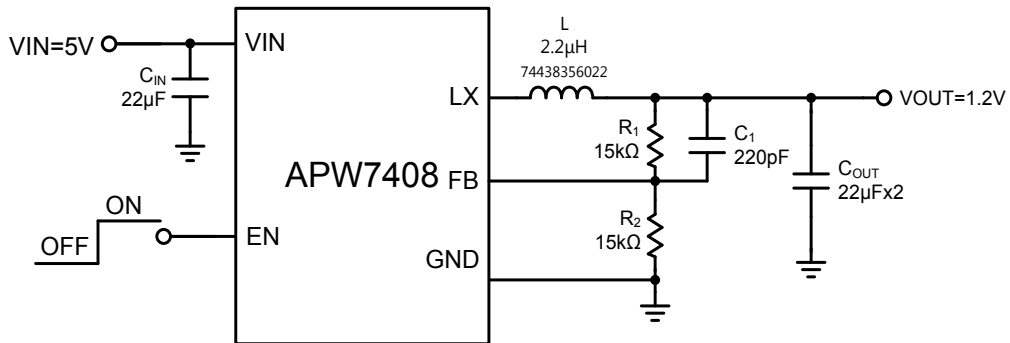


Figure 1. VOUT=1.2V

Components Selection for Different Output Voltage

VIN (V)	VOUT (V)	IOUT (A)	CIN (F)	L (H)	COUT (F)	R _{TOP} (Ω)	R _{BOT} (Ω)	C _{FB} (F)
5	1.2	0 ~ 1.3A	22µ × 1	2.2µ	22µ × 2	15k (1%)	15k (1%)	220p
5	1.8	0 ~ 1.3A	22µ × 1	3.3µ	22µ × 2	30k (1%)	15k (1%)	180p
5	3.3	0 ~ 1.3A	22µ × 1	3.3µ	22µ × 2	68k (1%)	15k (1%)	100p

Function Descriptions

VIN Power-On-Reset (POR)

The IC continuously monitors the voltage on the VIN pin. The soft start is activated when the VIN voltage and the EN voltage are above their respective POR thresholds. VIN POR is used to protect the IC from erroneous operation with insufficient VIN voltage. VIN POR also has hysteresis to resist ripple on the VIN voltage.

Over-Temperature Protection (OTP)

The IC features over-temperature protection to monitor junction temperature and prevent damage to the chip when operating at extremely high temperatures.

When the junction temperature exceeds the OTP threshold, the IC will be turned off to lower the junction temperature. The OTP circuit has hysteresis that allows the IC to restart when the junction temperature is below the OTP low threshold temperature.

Current-Limit Protection and Hiccup

The IC monitors the current through the high-side power MOSFET to limit the peak inductor current to prevent IC from being damaged in the event of an overload or short circuit.

When the current limit protection is activated, the output current will be limited and the output voltage will drop. When the output voltage drops below the UVP threshold, UVP is triggered and the converter enters hiccup mode.

In hiccup mode, the converter will restart periodically. This protection mode is especially useful when the output is shorted to ground. The average short-circuit current is greatly reduced to alleviate thermal issues and protect the IC. Once the over current condition is removed, the IC will exit the hiccup mode.

Over-Voltage Protection

The IC monitors the output voltage through the FB pin to implement the OVP function. When the FB voltage exceeds the OVP high threshold voltage, OVP will be triggered and the IC will be turned off until the FB voltage is lower than the OVP low threshold voltage. At this time, the OVP will be disabled and the IC will resume normal operation.

Soft-Start

The IC has a built-in soft-start function that controls the rise time of the output voltage during start-up to reduce input current surges and prevent output overshoot.

The soft start function will be enabled when any condition that can initiate an output start-up, such as VIN power to the IC or toggle the EN pin, and when the converter is restarted from the OTP and hiccup mode.

Output Discharge

When the EN signal is used to turn off the converter, the IC initiates a discharge process to cause the output voltage to drop rapidly. During output discharge, the high-side MOSFET will be turned off and the low-side MOSFET will be turned on to allow the output capacitor to discharge through the low side MOSFET until the discharge current reaches the low side MOSFET current limit, at which point the low-side MOSFET will be turned off. When the discharge current returns to zero, the low-side MOSFET will be turned on again. Until the FB voltage drops below 0.1V, the discharge process will end and the IC will be turned off.

Enable and Shutdown

The IC provides the EN pin, which is a digital input that turns the converter on or off. Drive EN high to turn the converter on and drive it low to turn it off.

Application Information

Layout Consideration

For all switching power supplies, the layout is an important step in the design; especially at high peak currents and switching frequencies. If the layout is not carefully done, the regulator might show noise problems and duty cycle jitter.

1. The VIN input capacitor should be placed close to the VIN and PGND pins. Connecting the capacitor and VIN/PGND pins with short and wide trace without any via holes for good input voltage filtering. The distance between VIN / PGND to capacitor less than 2mm respectively is recommended.

2. Place the inductor as close as possible to the LX pin to minimize noise coupling into other circuits.

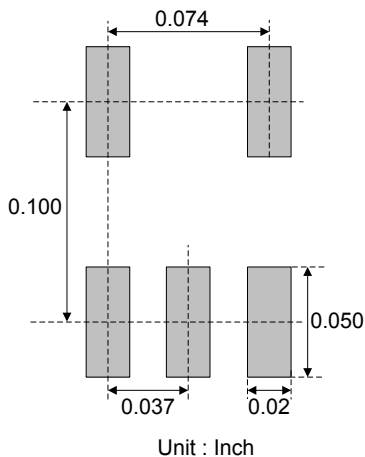
3. The ground of the output capacitor and input capacitor and the PGND of the IC should be as close as possible.

4. Place the feedback resistor divider as close as possible to the FB pin to minimize FB high impedance trace. In addition, the FB pin trace cannot be routed close to the switching signal.

5. For better heat dissipation, it is strongly recommended to enlarge the thermal pad area as much as possible and place a large ground plane on each PCB layer below the thermal pad position, and place as many vias as possible from the top layer to the bottom layer on the thermal pad and around the ground plane.

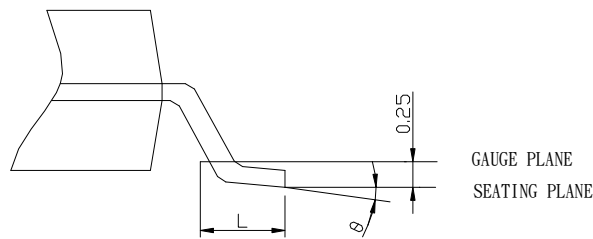
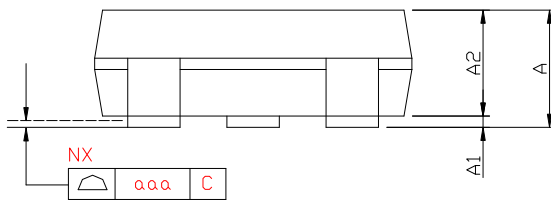
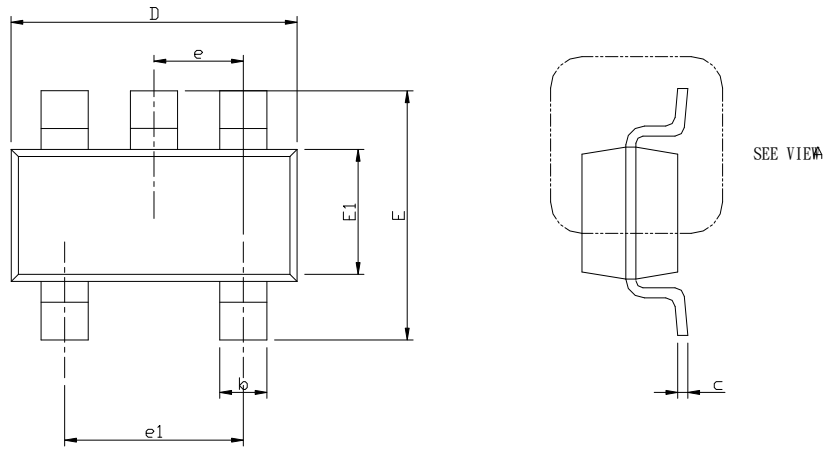
6. It is recommended to place the input capacitor, output capacitor and inductor on top layer, and use a large power GND plane to connect the ground of the input capacitor, the ground of the output capacitor, and the PGND of the IC.

Recommended Minimum Footprint (Top View)



Package Information

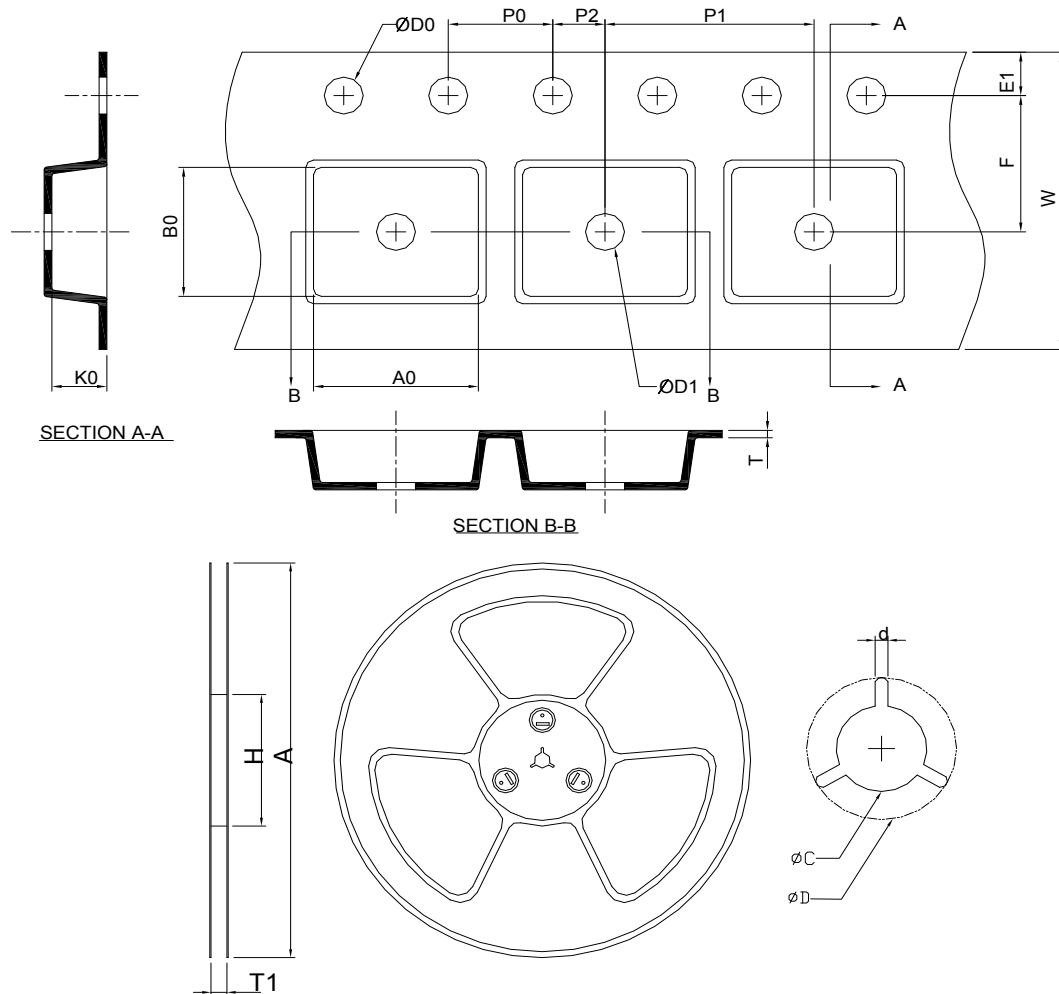
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VIEW A

SYMBOL	SOT-23-5					
	MILLIMETERS			INCHES		
	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.
A	1.00	1.16	1.45	0.039	0.046	0.057
A1	0.00	0.05	0.15	0.000	0.002	0.006
A2	0.90	1.10	1.30	0.035	0.043	0.051
b	0.30	0.38	0.50	0.012	0.015	0.020
c	0.08	0.17	0.22	0.003	0.007	0.009
D	2.70	2.93	3.10	0.106	0.115	0.122
E	2.60	2.83	3.00	0.102	0.111	0.118
E1	1.40	1.60	1.80	0.055	0.063	0.071
e	0.95 BSC			0.037 BSC		
e1	1.90 BSC			0.075 BSC		
L	0.30	0.45	0.60	0.012	0.018	0.024
θ	0°	4°	8°	0°	4°	8°
aaa	0.10			0.004		

Carrier Tape & Reel Dimensions



Application	A	H	T1	C	d	D	W	E1	F
SOT 23-5	178.0±2.00	50 MIN.	8.4+2.00 -0.00	13.0+0.50 -0.20	1.5 MIN.	20.2 MIN.	8.0±0.30	1.75±0.10	3.5±0.05
	P0	P1	P2	D0	D1	T	A0	B0	K0
	4.0±0.10	4.0±0.10	2.0±0.05	1.5+0.10 -0.00	1.0 MIN.	0.6+0.00 -0.40	3.20±0.20	3.10±0.20	1.50±0.20

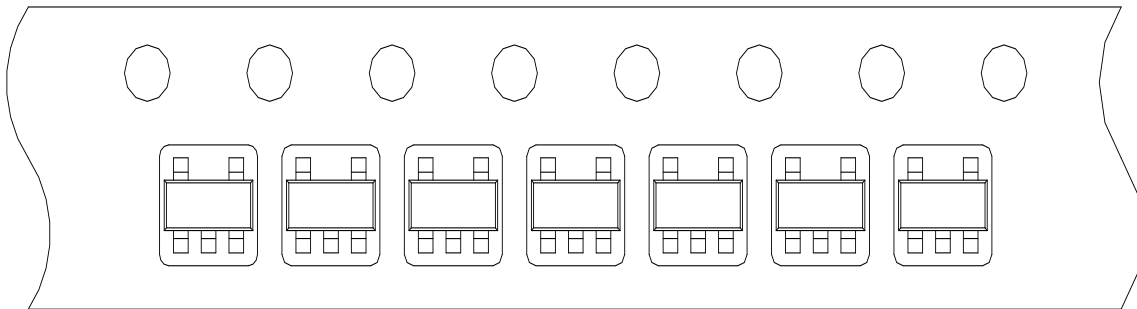
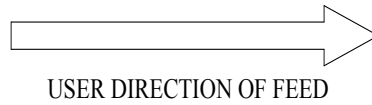
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Devices Per Unit

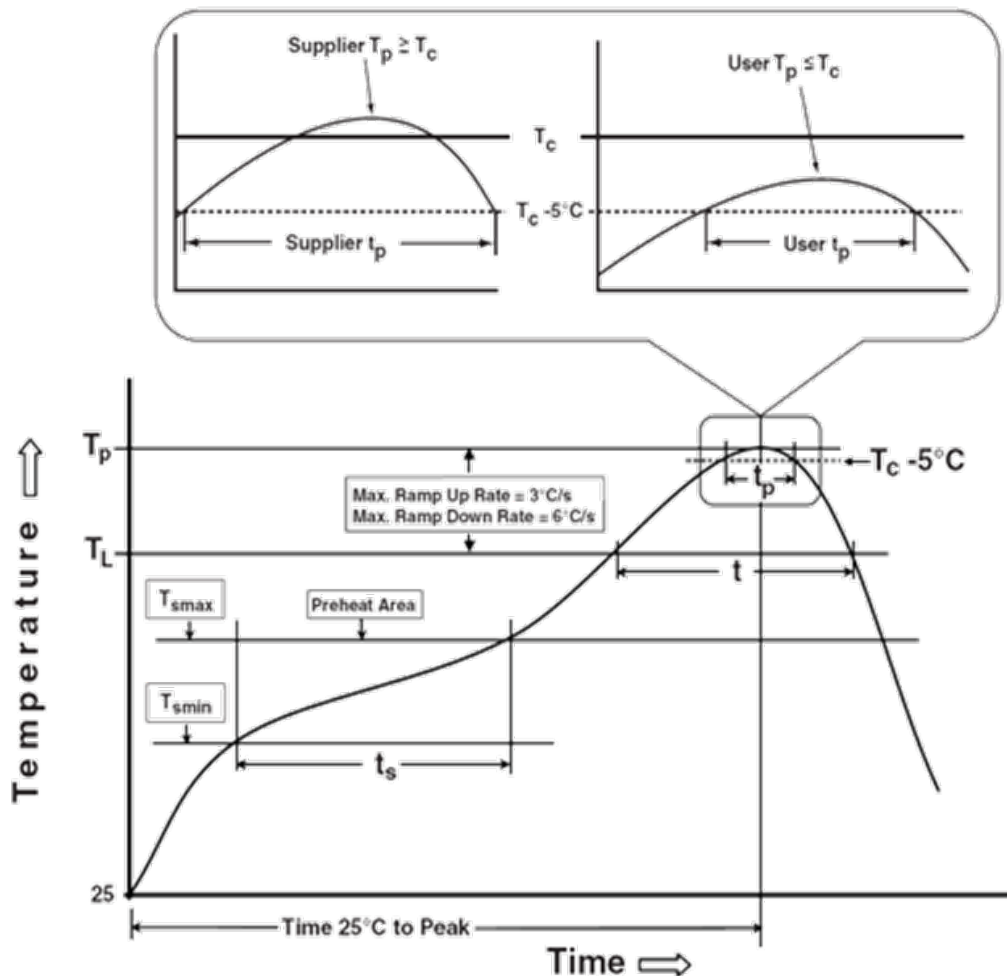
Package type	Packing	Quantity
SOT-23-5	Tape & Reel	3000

Taping Direction Information

SOT-23-5



Classification Profile



Classification Reflow Profiles

Profile Feature	Sn-Pb Eutectic Assembly	Pb-Free Assembly
Preheat & Soak		
Temperature min (T_{smin})	100 °C	150 °C
Temperature max (T_{smax})	150 °C	200 °C
Time (T_{smin} to T_{smax}) (t_s)	60-120 seconds	60-120 seconds
Average ramp-up rate (T_{smax} to T_p)	3 °C/second max.	3°C/second max.
Liquidous temperature (T_L)	183 °C	217 °C
Time at liquidous (t_L)	60-150 seconds	60-150 seconds
Peak package body Temperature (T_p)*	See Classification Temp in table 1	See Classification Temp in table 2
Time (t_p)** within 5°C of the specified classification temperature (T_c)	20** seconds	30** seconds
Average ramp-down rate (T_p to T_{smax})	6 °C/second max.	6 °C/second max.
Time 25°C to peak temperature	6 minutes max.	8 minutes max.
* Tolerance for peak profile Temperature (T_p) is defined as a supplier minimum and a user maximum.		
** Tolerance for time at peak profile temperature (t_p) is defined as a supplier minimum and a user maximum.		

Table 1. SnPb Eutectic Process – Classification Temperatures (T_c)

Package Thickness	Volume mm ³	Volume mm ³
	<350	≥350
<2.5 mm	235 °C	220 °C
≥2.5 mm	220 °C	220 °C

Table 2. Pb-free Process – Classification Temperatures (T_c)

Package Thickness	Volume mm ³	Volume mm ³	Volume mm ³
	<350	350-2000	>2000
<1.6 mm	260 °C	260 °C	260 °C
1.6 mm – 2.5 mm	260 °C	250 °C	245 °C
≥2.5 mm	250 °C	245 °C	245 °C

Reliability Test Program

Test item	Method	Description
SOLDERABILITY	JESD-22, B102	5 Sec, 245°C
HOLT	JESD-22, A108	1000 Hrs, Bias @ $T_j=125^\circ\text{C}$
PCT	JESD-22, A102	168 Hrs, 100%RH, 2atm, 121°C
TCT	JESD-22, A104	500 Cycles, -65°C~150°C
HBM	MIL-STD-883-3015.7	VHBM ≥ 2KV
MM	JESD-22, A115	VMM ≥ 200V
Latch-Up	JESD 78	10ms, $1_{tr} \geq 100\text{mA}$

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