

LTM4602 20V, 6A Step-Down µModule Regulator

## DESCRIPTION

Demonstration circuit DC1084A-A features the LTM<sup>®</sup>4602, the high efficiency, high density step-down  $\mu$ Module<sup>®</sup> regulator. The input voltage range is from 5V to 20V. The output voltage is jumper programmable from 0.6V to 5V, refer to the step-down ratio curve in the LTM4602 data sheet. The rated load current is 6A, while derating is necessary for certain V<sub>IN</sub>, V<sub>OUT</sub> and thermal conditions.

The LTM4602 data sheet must be read in conjunction with this demo manual prior to working on or modifying demo circuit DC1084A-A.

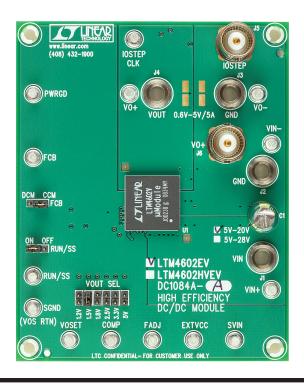
# Design files for this circuit board are available at http://www.linear.com/demo

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## PERFORMANCE SUMMARY (T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C)

| PARAMETER                         | CONDITION   | VALUE                            |  |
|-----------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|--|
| Input Voltage Range               |   | 4.5V to 20V                      |  |
| Output Voltage V <sub>OUT</sub>   | Jumper Selectable (Open for 0.6V)   | 1.2V, 1.5V, 1.8V, 2.5V, 3.3V, 5V |  |
| Maximum Continuous Output Current | Derating is Necessary for Certain $V_{\text{IN}},V_{\text{OUT}}$ and Thermal Conditions | 6A DC                            |  |
| Default Operating Frequency       |   | 800kHz                           |  |

## **BOARD PHOTO**





## **QUICK START PROCEDURE**

Demonstration circuit DC1084A-A is an easy way to evaluate the performance of the LTM4602EV. Please refer to Figure 1 for proper measurement equipment setup and follow the procedure below:

1. Place jumpers in the following positions for a typical 1.5V<sub>OUT</sub> application:

| FCB | RUN/SS | VOUT SEL |
|-----|--------|----------|
| CCM | ON     | 1.5V     |

- 2. With power off, preset the load to OA and  $V_{IN}$  supply to be less than 20V. Connect the input power supply, load, optional 5V bias supply and meters as shown in Figure 1. The optional 5V bias supply must be off anytime the supply to VIN is turned off.
- 3. Turn on the power at the input. The output voltage should be 1.5V  $\pm 2\%$ .

- 4. Once the proper output voltage is established, adjust the load within the operating range and observe the output voltage regulation, ripple voltage, efficiency and other parameters. Output ripple should be measured at J6 with a BNC cable.
- For optional load transient test, apply adjustable pulse signal between IOSTEP CLK and GND pins. Pulse amplitude sets the current step. The pulse signal should have very small duty cycle (<15%) to limit the thermal stress on the transient load circuit. The output transient current can be monitored at BNC connector J5 (10mV/A).

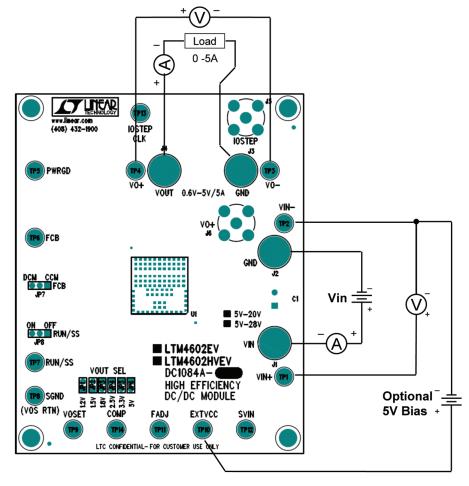


Figure 1. Test Setup of DC1084A-A (EXTV<sub>CC</sub> Bias Supply is Optional)



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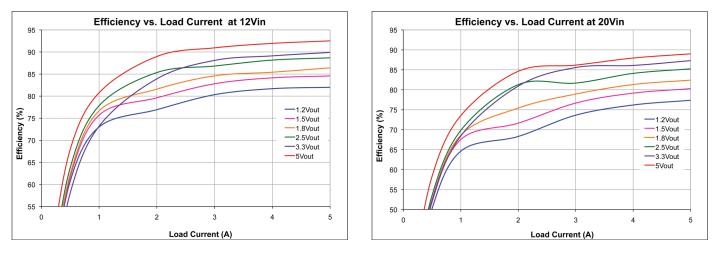
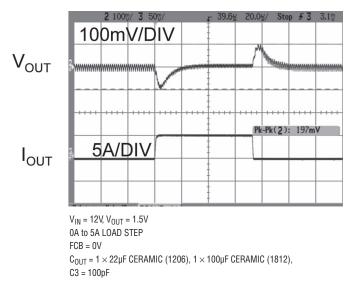


Figure 2. Measured Supply Efficiency with Different V<sub>IN</sub> and V<sub>OUT</sub> (FADJ Open: 1.2V<sub>OUT</sub> to 2.5V<sub>OUT</sub>, FADJ = 15k $\Omega$ : 3.3V<sub>OUT</sub> to 5V<sub>OUT</sub>)







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## **PARTS LIST**

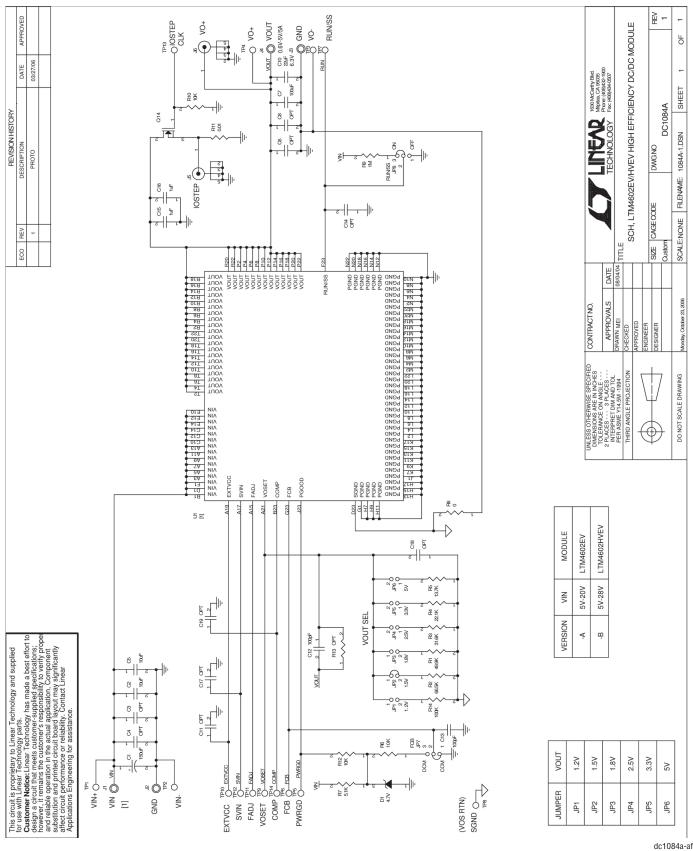
| ITEM     | QTY       | REFERENCE             | PART DESCRIPTION                    | MANUFACTURER/PART NUMBER                 |
|----------|-----------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Required | l Circuit | Components            |                                     |  |
| 1        | 1         | C1                    | CAP, 150µF 20% 35V ALUM             | SANYO 35MV150WXV (Now SUNCON 35MV150WXV) |
| 2        | 2         | C5, C2                | CAP, 1206 10µF 20% 35V X5R          | TAIYO YUDEN GMK316 BJ106ML-T             |
| 3        | 1         | C10                   | CAP, 1206 22µF 20% 6.3V X5R         | AVX 12066D266MAT2A                       |
| 4        | 1         | C7                    | CAP, 1812 100µF 20% 6.3V X5R        | TDK C4532X5R0J107MZ                      |
| 5        | 1         | C12                   | CAP, 0603 100pF 10% 50V X7R         | AVX 06035C101KAT1A                       |
| 6        | 1         | R2                    | RES, 0603 66.5k 1% 1/10W            | AAC CR16-6652FM                          |
| 7        | 1         | R8                    | RES, 0603 0Ω JUMPER                 | ACC CJ06-000M                            |
| 8        | 1         | U1                    | IC, LTM4602EV                       | LINEAR TECH. LTM4602EV                   |
| Addition | al Demo   | Board Circuit Compone | nts                                 |  |
| 1        | 0         | C4, C3                | CAP, 1206 OPTION                    | TAIYO YUDEN EMK316BJ475ML-T OPTION       |
| 2        | 0         | C8                    | CAP, 1812 100µF 20% 6.3V X5R OPTION | TDK C4532X5R0J107MZ OPTION               |
| 3        | 0         | C6                    | CAP, 1812 OPTION                    | TAIYO YUDEN JMK432BJ107MU-T OPTION       |
| 4        | 0         | C11, C14, C18, C19    | CAP, 0603 OPTION                    | OPTION                                   |
| 5        | 1         | C13                   | CAP, 0603 100pF 10% 50V NPO         | AVX 06035A101KAT                         |
| 6        | 2         | C15,C16               | CAP, 0603 1µF 20% 10V X5R           | TAIYO YUDEN LMK107BJ105MA-T              |
| 7        | 0         | C17                   | CAP, 0805 1µF 20% 16V X5R OPTION    | TAIYO YUDEN EMK212BJ105MG-T OPTION       |
| 8        | 1         | D1                    | DIODE, ZENER 4.7V                   | DIODES INC. BZX84C4V7                    |
| 9        | 1         | Q14                   | XSTR, SUD50N03-10CP MOSFET          | SILICONIX SUD50N03-10CP                  |
| 10       | 1         | R1                    | RES, 0603 49.9k 1% 1/10W            | AAC CR16-4992FM                          |
| 11       | 1         | R3                    | RES, 0603 31.6k 1% 1/10W            | AAC CR16-3162FM                          |
| 12       | 1         | R4                    | RES, 0603 22.1k 1% 1/10W            | AAC CR16-2212FM                          |
| 13       | 1         | R5                    | RES, 0603 13.7k 1% 1/10W            | AAC CR16-1372FM                          |
| 14       | 3         | R6, R10, R12          | RES, 0603 10k 5% 1/10W              | VISHAY CRCE060310K0JNEA                  |
| 15       | 1         | R7                    | RES, 0603 5.1k 5% 1/10W             | AAC CR16-512JM                           |
| 16       | 1         | R9                    | RES, 0603 1M 5% 1/16W               | AAC CR16-105JM                           |
| 17       | 1         | R11                   | RES, 2512 0.01Ω 5% 1W               | IRC LRF2512-01-R010-J                    |
| 18       | 0         | R13                   | RES, 0603 OPTION                    | OPTION                                   |
| 19       | 1         | R14                   | RES, 0603 100k 1% 1/10W             | AAC CR16-1003FM                          |





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### **SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM**



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