

LDO Regulators with Watchdog Timer and Voltage Detector 200 mA Output LDO Regulator for Automotive with WDT and Voltage Detector

BD820F50EFJ-C

General Description

BD820F50EFJ-C is a regulator with a high withstand voltage of 45 V. And it integrates a reset (RESET) that monitors its output and a watchdog timer (WDT). The quiescent current is low while the output current is

200 mA. The reset signal is output when the output of the

regulator falls below 4.2 V (Typ).

The reset delay time and watchdog monitor time can be adjusted by the external capacitor.

Feature

- AEC-Q100 Qualified^(Note 1)
- Qualified for Automotive Applications
- Low ESR Ceramic Capacitors Applicable for Output
- **Low Dropout Voltage: PDMOS Output Transistor**
- Integrated Power On and Under-voltage Reset
- Adjustable Reset Delay Time and Watchdog Time by External Capacitor
- Integrated Over Current Protection (OCP)
- Integrated Thermal Shutdown (TSD)

(Note 1) Grade 1

Key Specifications

- Wide Temperature Range (Tj): -40 °C to +150 °C
- Wide Input Voltage Range: -0.3 V to +45 V
- Low Quiescent Current: 6 µA (Typ)
- Output Current Capability: 200 mA (Max)
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- Output Voltage: 5.0 V (Typ)

Package W (Typ) x D (Typ) x H (Max) HTSOP-J8 4.90 mm x 6.00 mm x 1.00 mm

HTSOP-J8

Applications

- Power Train System
- **Body Control Unit**
- Car Audio System
- Car Navigation System

Typical Application Circuit

External Components Capacitor^(Note 2) : 0.1 µF \leq C_{IN} (Min), 6 µF \leq C_{OUT} (Min), 0.047 µF \leq C_{CT} \leq 10 µF Resistor: 5.1 kΩ (Min) \leq R_{RO}

(Note 2) Electrolytic, tantalum and ceramic capacitors can be used.

〇Product structure : Silicon integrated circuit 〇This product has no designed protection against radioactive rays

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Pin Configurations

Pin Descriptions

(Note 1) If Pin No.2 is shorted to GND, Pin No.2 will be adjacent to Pin No.1 VCC on the board layout.

If adjacent pins are expected to be shorted, please confirm if there is any problem with the actual application.

(Note 2) CLK Input High/Low Level Voltage which is described in WDT and RESET Function of Electrical Characteristics should be supplied to the CLK pin. INH Input High/Low Level Voltage which is also described in WDT and RESET Function of Electrical Characteristics should be supplied to the INH pin. It is not allowed to supply the input state keeping the midpoint potential voltage.

Block Diagram

Description of Blocks

Absolute Maximum Ratings

Caution 1: Operating the IC over the absolute maximum ratings may damage the IC. The damage can either be a short circuit between pins or an open circuit between pins and the internal circuitry. Therefore, it is important to consider circuit protection measures, such as adding a fuse, in case the IC is operated over the absolute maximum ratings.

Caution 2: Should by any chance the maximum junction temperature rating be exceeded the rise in temperature of the chip may result in deterioration of the properties of the chip. In case of exceeding this absolute maximum rating, design a PCB with power dissipation and thermal resistance taken into consideration by increasing board size and copper area so as not to exceed the maximum junction temperature rating.

(Note 1) Do not exceed Tjmax.

Thermal Resistance*(Note 2)*

(Note 2) Based on JESD51-2A(Still-Air), using a BD820F50EFJ-C Chip.

(Note 3) The thermal characterization parameter to report the difference between junction temperature and the temperature at the top center of the outside surface of the component package.

(Note 4) Using a PCB board based on JESD51-3. *(Note 5)* Using a PCB board based on JESD51-5, 7.

(Note 6) This thermal via connects with the copper pattern of all layers.

Operating Conditions

(Note 1) Do not exceed Tjmax.

(Note 2) This voltage is the minimum input voltage that can operate with the maximum output current, e.g.) Io = 200 mA. If the actual required output current is smaller than 200 mA, the minimum input voltage can be also eased as lower. In this case, the dropout voltage should be considered depending on the output current value.

(Note 3) This voltage is the minimum input voltage to be able to start operating an internal circuit of IC. However, in the case of the input voltage becomes lower than "the output voltage + the dropout voltage", the output voltage becomes VCC-ΔVd, because Low dropout regulator can't regulate as of the output voltage which is higher than the input voltage.

Electrical Characteristics

For All Function

Unless otherwise specified, Tj = -40 °C to +150 °C, V_{cc} = 13.5 V, l_o = 0 mA, the typical value is defined at Tj = +25 °C

LDO Function

Electrical Characteristics - continued

Reset, WDT Function

(Note 1) t_D, t_{WH}, and t_{WL} can be adjustable by changing the CT pin capacitance value. (0.047 μF to 10 μF available)

tɒ [s] = 0.2 x C_{CT} [F] x 10⁶ The accuracy of adjustment: Typical value+35 %+1 ms, -40 %
t_{wн} [s] = 0.4 x C_{CT} [F] x 10⁶ The accuracy of adjustment: Typical value±40 %
t_{w∟} [s] = 0.1 x C_{CT} [F] x 10⁶ The accur

The capacitance which is lower than or equal to 0.047 µF can be also used for C_{CT} , if wider deviation of t_D can be accepted because of an effect by internal delay.

In addition, the deviation of the external component, (e.g.) capacitance, DC bias, and temperature characteristic, is not considered in these formula.

Unless otherwise specified, V_{CC} = 13.5 V, I_O = 0 mA, V_{INH} = 5V

Figure 1. Circuit Current vs Supply Voltage Figure 2. Circuit Current vs Supply Voltage

Figure 3. Circuit Current vs Junction Temperature Figure 4. Circuit Current vs Output Current

Typical Performance Curves – continued

Unless otherwise specified, V_{CC} = 13.5 V, I_O = 0 mA, V_{INH} = 5V

Figure 5. Output Voltage vs Supply Voltage Figure 6. Output Voltage vs Supply Voltage

Figure 7. Output Voltage vs Junction Temperature Figure 8. Output Voltage vs Output Current

Typical Performance Curves – continued

Unless otherwise specified, V_{CC} = 13.5 V, I_O = 0 mA, V_{INH} = 5V

Figure 9. Drop Voltage vs Output Current $(V_{CC} = 4.75 V)$

Figure 11. Output Voltage vs Junction Temperature

Unless otherwise specified, V_{CC} = V_O = 5 V, I_O = 0 mA, V_{INH} = 5 V, C_{CT} = 0.1 µF, R_{RO} = 5.1 kΩ

Figure 14. Reset Voltage vs Junction Temperature Figure 15. CT Current vs Junction Temperature

 $(lc_{T_c}: V_{CT} = 0.20 V, V_{INH} = Open$ I_{CT_D} : V_{CT} = 1.00 V, V_{INH} = Open)

Unless otherwise specified, $V_{CC} = V_0 = 5 V$, $I_0 = 0$ mA, $C_{CT} = 0.1 \mu F$, $R_{RO} = 5.1 \kappa \Omega$

Figure 16. CT Voltage vs Junction Temperature Figure 17. Delay Time vs Junction Temperature

Figure 18. Delay Time vs CT Capacitance Figure 19. WDT Time vs Junction Temperature

Typical Performance Curves – continued

Unless otherwise specified, V_{CC} = V_O = 5V, I_O = 0 mA, C_{CT} = 0.1 µF, R_{RO} = 5.1 kΩ

Figure 20. WDT Monitor Time vs CT Capacitance Figure 21. Delay Time vs CT Capacitance

Figure 22. CLK Input Current vs CLK Voltage Figure 23. INH Input Current vs INH Voltage

Unless otherwise specified, V_{CC} = V_O = 5V, I_O = 0 mA, C_{CT} = 0.1 µF, R_{RO} = 5.1 kΩ

Figure 24. RO Current vs RO Voltage

Measurement Circuit for Typical Performance Curves

Measurement Setup for Figure 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 11

Measurement Setup for Figure 4

Measurement Setup for Figure 8

Measurement Setup for Figure 9

Measurement Setup for Figure 10

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Measurement Setup for Figure 19, 20, 21

Measurement Setup for Figure 23

Measurement Setup for Figure 24

Timing Chart

Figure 25. Timing Chart 1

This page shows the detail of the RESET and Watchdog Timer operation. (Without CLK signal input)

- (1) Watchdog Timer (WDT) and RESET of BD820F50EFJ-C starts operating when the output voltage becomes higher than RESET detection voltage (V_{RT}) + RESET detection hysteresis (V_{RHY}), i.e. the reset state caused by low output is removed. When it starts, CT voltage rises up by charging the internal constant current to the external capacitor, C_{CT} . If CT voltage reaches to high side threshold voltage, V_{CHH} , RO outputs H state. The voltage level of H state is defined by the pull-up voltage via resistor at the RO pin. This time period described in Timing Chart as (1) is called Delay Time L→H (t_D).
- (2) When V_{CT} reaches V_{CTH} , the constant current state of CT is switched from charging to dis-charging. After that, if the electron charged in C $c\tau$ is dis-charged and then V $c\tau$ reaches to low side threshold voltage, V $c\tau$ L, RO outputs L state. This time period described in Timing Chart as (2) is called WDT Monitor Time (twH).
- (3) After (2), when V_{CT} reaches V_{CTL} , the constant current state of CT is switched again from dis-charging to charging. Then, if the electron charged to C $_{CT}$ and V $_{CT}$ reaches V $_{CTH}$ again, RO outputs H state. This time period described in Timing Chart as (3) is called WDT Reset Time (twL).
- (4) When VO voltage changes in the range $V_O > V_{RT}$, RESET function judges the state as not abnormal because VO voltage is still higher than the threshold voltage of RESET Detection Voltage, so RO keeps H state.
- (5) If VO voltage changes across the threshold voltage of V_{RT} , the constant current state of CT is forced to be changed as dis-charging in order to dis-charge the electron at C_{CT}. Whichever either H or L of RO state, it happens independently. RESET function judges the state as abnormal because VO voltage is lower than RESET Detection Voltage, and then RO outputs L state.

VCC ON/OFF - Continued

- (6) If the time period of changing VO voltage in (5) condition is too short, and if CT voltage cannot reach to V c_{TL} at once before going back VO voltage to across $V_{\text{RT}} + V_{\text{RHY}}$, the forced CT dis-charging state is canceled and turns back the state of (1) or (3). This short glitch time is about 100 μs at the condition CT capacitance is 0.1 μF. The current of forced CT discharging is defined by the internal pull-down resistor which is typically 500 Ω, so the glitch time has a dependency on the CT capacitance and V_{CT} voltage at when VO comes back higher than V_{RT} + V_{RHY}. Therefore, in this case, there is a possibility that Delay Time L→H (t_D) becomes shorter depending on the situation of V_{CT} voltage. In order to avoid this abnormal operation which becomes shorter Delay Time L→H (t_D), if there is a possibility to change VO voltage rapidly in very short time, consider to ease the condition which causes the problem depending on the transient input changes or load current changes. For example, to limit VO voltage changes caused by fast transient of the load current, the bigger and proper output capacitor should be implemented. The limitation of the input transient changes slower than 100 μs helps to decrease the transient VO voltage changes.
- (7) When RO outputs L, and V_{CT} also becomes L state which is lower than V_{CT} via after (5) operation, and then, if VO voltage becomes higher than V_{RT} + V_{RHY} , WDT and RESET function restarts operating continuously as following transition, $(1) \rightarrow (2) \rightarrow (3) \rightarrow (2) \rightarrow (3) \rightarrow \ldots$
- (8) When VO voltage becomes lower than VRT and then falls to low, the constant current of CT keeps its state of dis-charging in order to make CT voltage completely low. In this case, RO can keep L output state until VO voltage becomes lower than or equal to 1 V (V_{OPR}), i.e. during the condition that $V_{\text{OPR}} < V_0 < V_{\text{RT}}$.

Each period time of t_D , twh and twl can be adjusted by CT capacitance, C_{CT} .

It can be calculated by following formulas.

$$
t_D[s] \approx \frac{V_{CTH}[V] \times C_{CT}[F]}{I_{CT_C}[A]}
$$

$$
t_{WH}[s] \approx \frac{|V_{CTH} - V_{CTL}|[V] \times C_{CT}[F]}{I_{CT_D}[A]}
$$

$$
t_{WL}[s] \approx \frac{|V_{CTL} - V_{CTH}|[V] \times C_{CT}[F]}{I_{CT_C}[A]}
$$

However, the calculated value using these formulas is just a rough estimation. Therefore the value for the CT capacitance shall be designed by the ratio calculation compared the actual value to the value at the condition of $C_{CT} = 0.1 \, \mu F$ described in the Electrical Characteristics – Reset, WDT Function.

Timing Chart - Continued

CLK ON/OFF

A WDT behavior on the CLK inputs is described here.

CLK inputs is acceptable only while RO outputs H, i.e. during twH, for BD820F50EFJ-C. When RO outputs L, i.e. during twl, to and so on, CLK inputs is not allowed.

- (1) While RO outputs H, if the input of a rising edge to the CLK pin is not supplied, a dis-charge state at CT kept. If this state continues until V CT reaches V CT , then the output of RO switches from H to L. This state is Timeout Failure that WDT does not detect the rising edge of CLK inputs during the period defined by C_{CT} capacitance.
- (2) While RO outputs H, if the rising edge supplies to the CLK pin, WDT detects this rising edge and then it changes the dis-charging state at CT to a charging state. Then V_{CT} reaches to V_{CTH} by charging constant current to C_{CT} , CT state changes back to the dis-charging. RO can keep H output if CLK signal inputs with constant timing that CT state is the dis-charging as described (2).
- (3) While RO outputs L, even if the rising edge supplies to the CLK pin, WDT does not detect the edge.
- (4) The pulse width of CLK inputs, i.e. t_{PCLK}, must be always longer than or equal to 3 us. Otherwise there is a possibility that CLK pulse cannot change CT state.

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Timing Chart - Continued

A disabled WDT behavior on the INH inputs is described here.

INH function expects to use for writing to Micro Computer while stopping WDT function in the factory, so it is not designed to use RESET function with activating INH in the normal operation. Therefore, it cannot use for the normal operation with the limitation of WDT function, i.e. only using the function of LDO + RESET.

- (1) If the H input(around V_O voltage) supplies to the INH pin, the CT pin is pulled up to the VO pin voltage internally. Since V_{CT} is maintained at higher voltage than or equal to V_{CTL}, it means WDT does not operate during the condition that V_{RT} < V_O, so RO can keep H output state.
- (2) The charged electron of C_{CT} is dis-charged by CT Discharge Current($\vert_{CT,D}$) when the INH pin is supplied L input or it keeps open. Even if the rising edge supplies to the CLK pin while the condition that V_{CT} > V_{CH} , WDT does not detect this edge.
- (3) WDT detects the rising edge during the condition that V_{CTH} > V_{CT} > V_{CTL} .
- (4) While CT charging state, even if the H input supplies to INH, WDT is designed not to detect it. WDT only detects the INH signal while CT state is the dis-charging.
- (5) If the electron charged to C_{CT} and V_{CT} reaches V_{CTH} while maintaining the INH pin at H, and if the constant current state of CT is switched from charging to dis-charging, WDT detects the INH signal. The CT pin is pulled up to the VO pin voltage same as (1), then RO can keep H output state.

Timing Chart - Continued

Figure 28. Timing Chart 4

- (1) If the VO pin voltage changes across the threshold voltage of VRT, while CT is pulled up to the VO pin voltage by INH signal, the constant current state of CT is forced to be changed as dis-charging in order to dis-charge the electron at C_{CT} . The RESET function judges the state as abnormal because VO voltage is lower than RESET detection voltage, therefore RO outputs L state.
- (2) RESET and WDT starts operating when the output voltage becomes higher than $V_{\text{RT}} + V_{\text{RHY}}$, after RO output and the CT pin voltage become L by behavior of (1). If the electron charged to C_{CT} and V_{CT} reaches V_{CTH}, RO outputs H state. This (2) is t_D.
- (3) As same as described in Timing Chart 1 (6), if the time period of changing VO voltage in (2) condition is too short, and if CT voltage cannot reach to V_{CTL} at once before going back VO voltage to across V_{RT}+V_{RHY}, the forced CT dis-charging state is canceled and turns back the state of (2). In this case, there is a possibility that t_D becomes shorter. This abnormal operation should be taken care when INH function uses for writing to Micro Computer while stopping WDT function in the factory.
- (4) If the INH pin is supplied L input or it keeps open, the constant current state of CT changes from dis-charging to charging, WDT and RESET function operates continuously as following transition, twL \rightarrow twH \rightarrow twH \rightarrow twL….

Application and Implementation

Notice: The following information is given as a reference or hint for the application and the implementation. Therefore it does not guarantee its operation on the specific function, accuracy or external components in the application. In the application, it shall be designed with sufficient margin by enough understanding about characteristics of the external components, e.g. capacitor, and also by appropriate verification in the actual operating conditions.

Selection of External Components

Input Pin Capacitor

If the battery is placed far from the regulator or the impedance of the input-side is high, higher capacitance is required for the input capacitor in order to prevent the voltage-drop at the input line. The input capacitor and its capacitance should be selected depending on the line impedance which is between the input pin and the smoothing filter circuit of the power supply. Therefore the proper capacitance value which is selected by the consideration of the input impedance is different each application. Generally, the capacitor with capacitance value of 0.1 µF (Min) with good high frequency characteristic is recommended for this regulator.

In addition, to prevent an influence to the regulator's characteristic from the deviation or the variation of the external capacitor's characteristic, all input capacitors mentioned above is recommended to have a good DC bias characteristic and a temperature characteristic, e.g. approximately ±15 %, with being satisfied high absolute maximum voltage rating based on EIA standard. This capacitor must be placed close to the input pin and it's better to be mounted on the same board side of the regulator.

Output Pin Capacitor

The output capacitor is mandatory for the regulator in order to realize stable operation. The output capacitor with capacitance value ≥ 6 µF (Min) and ESR up to 5 Ω (Max) must be required between the output pin and the GND pin. A proper selection of appropriate both the capacitance value and ESR for the output capacitor can improve the transient behavior of the regulator and can also keep the stability with better regulation loop. The correlation of the output capacitance value and ESR is shown in the graph on the next page as the output capacitor's capacitance value and the stability region for ESR. As described in this graph, this regulator is designed to be stable with ceramic capacitors as of MLCC, with the capacitance value from 6 μF to 1000 μF and with ESR value within almost 0 Ω to 5 Ω. The frequency range of ESR can be generally considered as within about 10 kHz to 100 kHz.

Note that the provided the stable area of the capacitance value and ESR in the graph is obtained under a specific set of conditions which is based on the measurement result in single IC on our board with a resistive load. In the actual environment, the stability is affected by wire impedance on the board, input power supply impedance and also loads impedance, therefore please note that a careful evaluation of the actual application, the actual usage environment and the actual conditions should be done to confirm the actual stability of the system.

Generally, in the transient event which is caused by the input voltage fluctuation or the load fluctuation beyond the gain bandwidth of the regulation loop, the transient response ability of the regulator depends on the capacitance value of the output capacitor. Basically the capacitance value of ≥ 6 µF (Min) for the output capacitor is recommended as shown in the table on Output Capacitance Cout, ESR Available Area, however using bigger capacitance value can be expected to improve better the transient response ability in a high frequency. Various types of capacitors can be used for this high capacity of the output capacitor which includes electrolytic capacitor, electro-conductive polymer capacitor and tantalum capacitor. Noted that, depending on the type of capacitors, its characteristics which is ESR (\leq 5 Ω) absolute value range, a temperature dependency of capacitance value and increased ESR at cold temperature needs to be taken into consideration.

In addition, the same consideration should be taken as the input pin capacitor, to prevent an influence to the regulator's characteristic from the deviation or the variation of the external capacitor's characteristic, all output capacitors mentioned above is recommended to have a good DC bias characteristic and a temperature characteristic, e.g. approximately ±15 %, with being satisfied high absolute maximum voltage rating based on EIA standard. This capacitor must be placed close to the output pin and it's better to be mounted on the same board side of the regulator.

Application and Implementation - continued

Application and Implementation – continued

Typical Application and Layout Example

(Note 1) If the influence of the impedance at the power supply line cannot be ignored, the input capacitance value should be adjusted.

Application and Implementation - continued

Surge Voltage Protection for Linear Regulators

The following shows some helpful Tips to protect ICs from possible inputting surge voltage which exceeds absolute maximum ratings.

Positive surge to the input

If there is any potential risk that positive surges higher than absolute maximum ratings, (e.g.) 45 V, is applied to the input, a Zener Diode should be inserted between the VCC and the GND to protect the device as shown in Figure 29.

Figure 29. Surges Higher than 45 V is Applied to the Input

Negative surge to the input

If there is any potential risk that negative surges below the absolute maximum ratings, (e.g.) -0.3 V, is applied to the input, a Schottky Diode should be inserted between the VCC and the GND to protect the device as shown in Figure 30.

Figure 30. Surges Lower than -0.3 V is Applied to the Input

Reverse Voltage Protection for Linear Regulators

A linear regulator which is one of the integrated circuit (IC) operates normally in the condition that higher input voltage is always supplied than the output voltage. However, there is a possibility to happen the abnormal situation in specific conditions which is the output voltage becomes higher than the input voltage. A reverse polarity connection between the input and the output might be occurred or a certain inductor component can also cause a polarity reverse conditions. If the countermeasure is not implemented, it may cause damage to the IC. The following shows some helpful Tips to protect ICs from the reverse voltage occasion.

Protection Against Reverse Input /Output Voltage

In the case that MOS FET is used for the pass transistor, a parasitic body diode between the drain-source generally exists. If the output voltage becomes higher than the input voltage, and then if the voltage difference exceeds V_F of the body diode, a reverse current flows as from the output to the input through the body diode as shown in Figure 31. The current flows in the parasitic body diode is not limited in the protection circuit because it is the parasitic element, therefore too much reverse current may cause damage to degrade or destroy the semiconductor elements of the regulator.

Figure 31. Reverse Current Path in a MOS Linear Regulator

Protection Against Reverse Input/Output Voltage – continued

An effective solution for this problem is to implement an external bypass diode in order to prevent the reverse current flow inside the IC as shown in Figure 32. Note that the bypass diode must be turned on prior to the internal body diode of the IC. This external bypass diode should be chosen as being lower forward voltage V_F than the internal body diode. It should to be selected a diode which has a rated reverse voltage greater than the IC's input maximum voltage and also which has a rated forward current greater than the anticipated reverse current in the actual application.

Figure 32. Bypass Diode for Reverse Current Diversion

A Schottky barrier diode which has a characteristic of low forward voltage (V_F) can meet to the requirement for the external diode to protect the IC from the reverse current, however it also has a characteristic that the leakage $(|_R\rangle$ caused by the reverse voltage is bigger than other diodes. Therefore, it should be taken into the consideration to choose it because if the leak current is large, it may cause increase of the current consumption simply, or raise of the output voltage in the light-load current condition. The IR characteristic of Schottky diode has positive temperature characteristic, which the details shall be checked with the datasheet of the products, and the careful confirmation of behavior in the actual application is mandatory.

Even in the condition when the input/output voltage is inverted, if the VCC pin can be open as shown in Figure 33, or if the VCC pin can become high-impedance condition as designed in the system, it cannot damage or degrade the parasitic element. It's because a reverse current via the pass transistor becomes extremely low. In this case, therefore, the protection external diode is not necessary.

Figure 33. Open V_{cc}

Protection Against Input Reverse Voltage

When the input of the IC is connected to the power supply, accidentally if plus and minus are routed in reverse, or if there is a possibility that the input may become lower than the GND pin, a large current passes via the internal electrostatic breakdown prevention diode between the input pin and the GND pin as shown in Figure 34, thus it may cause to destroy the IC.

An implementation of a Schottky barrier diode or a rectifier diode connected in series to the power supply line as shown in Figure 35 is the simplest solution to prevent this problem. However, it increases a power loss calculated as $V_F \times I_{\text{CC}}$, and it also causes the voltage drop as a forward voltage V_F at the power supply line to the input of the IC.

Generally since the Schottky barrier diode has lower VF, so it contributes to rather smaller power loss than rectifier diodes. If IC has load currents, the required input current to the IC is also bigger. In this case, this external diode generates heat more, therefore it should be taken into the consideration of a selection for diode with enough margin in power dissipation. On the other hands, in the reverse connection condition, a reverse current passes this diode, however, it can be negligible because its small amount.

Figure 34. Current Path in Reverse Input Connection Figure 35. Protection against Reverse Polarity 1

Protection Against Input Reverse Voltage - continued

Figure 36 shows a circuit in which a P-channel MOSFET is connected in series to the power. The body diode (parasitic element) is located in the drain-source junction area of the MOSFET. The drop voltage in a forward connection is calculated from the On state resistance of the MOSFET and the output current Io. Therefore, it is smaller than the drop voltage by the diode as shown in Figure 35 and results in less of a power loss. No current flows in a reverse connection where the MOSFET remains off in Figure 36.

If the gate-source voltage exceeds maximum rating of MOSFET gate-source junction with derating curve in consideration, reduce the gate-source junction voltage by connecting resistor voltage divider as shown in Figure 37.

Figure 36. Protection against Reverse Polarity 2 Figure 37. Protection against Reverse Polarity 3

Protection Against Reverse Output Voltage when Output Connect to an Inductor

If the output load is inductive, electrical energy accumulated in the inductive load is released to the ground at the moment that the output voltage is turned off. IC integrates ESD protection diodes between the IC output and ground pins, which a large current may flows in such condition finally resulting on destruction of the IC. To prevent this situation, connect a Schottky barrier diode in parallel to the diode as shown in Figure 38.

Further, if a long wire is in use for the connection between the output pin of the IC and the load, confirm that the negative voltage is not generated at the VO pin when the output voltage is turned off by observation of the waveform on an oscilloscope, since it is possible that the load becomes inductive. An additional diode is required for a motor load that is affected by its counter electromotive force, as it produces an electrical current in a similar way.

Figure 38. Current Path in Inductive Load (Output: Off)

Power Dissipation

Figure 39. HTSOP-J8 Package Data

IC mounted on ROHM standard board based on JEDEC. ① : 1 - layer PCB (Copper foil area on the reverse side of PCB: 0 mm x 0 mm) Board material: FR4 Board size: 114.3 mm x 76.2 mm x 1.57 mmt Mount condition: PCB and exposed pad are soldered. Top copper foil: ROHM recommended footprint + wiring to measure, 2 oz. copper. ② : 4 - layer PCB

(2 inner layers and Copper foil area on the reverse side of PCB: 74.2 mm x 74.2 mm) Board material: FR4

Board size: 114.3 mm x 76.2 mm x 1.60 mmt Mount condition: PCB and exposed pad are soldered. Top copper foil: ROHM recommended footprint + wiring to measure, 2 oz. copper. 2 inner layers copper foil area of PCB: 74.2 mm x 74.2 mm, 1 oz. copper. Copper foil area on the reverse side of PCB: 74.2 mm x 74.2 mm, 2 oz. copper.

Condition $\textcircled{1}$: θ_{JA} = 130 °C/W, Ψ_{JT} (top center) = 15 °C/W Condition \hat{Q} : θ_{JA} = 34 °C/W, Ψ_{JT} (top center) = 7 °C/W

Thermal Design

This product exposes a frame on the back side of the package for thermal efficiency improvement.

Within this IC, the power consumption is decided by the dropout voltage condition, the load current and the circuit current. The power dissipation changes by ambient temperature. Refer to power dissipation curves illustrated in Figure 39 when using the IC in an environment of $Ta \ge 25$ °C. Even if the ambient temperature Ta is at 25 °C, depending on the input voltage and the load current, chip junction temperature can be very high. Consider the design to be Tj \leq Tjmax = 150 °C in all possible operating temperature range.

Should by any condition the maximum junction temperature Tjmax = 150 °C rating be exceeded by the temperature increase of the chip, it may result in deterioration of the properties of the chip. The thermal impedance in this specification is based on recommended PCB and measurement condition by JEDEC standard. Because this value may be different from actual use environment, caution is required. Verify the application and allow sufficient margins in the thermal design by using the following formula to calculate the junction temperature Tj.

Tj can be calculated by either of the two following methods.

1. The following method is used to calculate the junction temperature Tj by ambient temperature.

 $Tj = Ta + P_C \times \theta_{IA}$ [°C]

where

- Tj is Junction Temperature
- Ta is Ambient Temperature
- P_C is Power Consumption
- $\theta_{\text{I}A}$ is Thermal Impedance (Junction to Ambient)
- 2. The following method is also used to calculate the junction temperature Tj by top center of case's (mold) temperature. $Tj = T_T + P_C \times \Psi_{JT}$ [°C]

where

- Tj is Junction Temperature
- T_T is Top Center of Case's (mold) Temperature
- P_C is Power Consumption
- Ψ_{IT} is Thermal Impedance (Junction to Top Center of Case)

The following method is used to calculate the power consumption Pc (W).

$$
Pc = (V_{cc} - V_o) \times I_o + V_{cc} \times I_{cc} [W]
$$

where

- P_C is Power Consumption
- V_{CC} is Supply Voltage
- V_O is Output Voltage
- $I₀$ is Load Current
- I_{CC} is Circuit Current

Calculation Example

If V_{CC} = 13.5 V, V_O = 5.0 V, I_O = 100 mA, I_{CC} = 6 μA, the power consumption P_C can be calculated as follows:

 $P_c = (V_{cc} - V_o) \times I_o + V_{cc} \times I_{cc}$ $=$ (13.5V – 5.0 V) \times 100 mA + 13.5 V \times 6 μ A $= 0.85 W$

At the ambient temperature Tamax = 85°C, the thermal impedance (Junction to Ambient) θ_{JA} = 34.0 °C/W(4-layer PCB)

 $Tj = Tamar + P_C \times \theta_{IA}$ $= 85 °C + 0.85 W \times 34.0 °C/W$ $= 113.9$ °C

When operating the IC, the top center of case's (mold) temperature $T_T = 108 \degree C$, $\Psi_{JT} = 7 \degree C/W(4$ -layer PCB)

 $Tj = T_T + P_C \times \Psi_{JT}$ $= 108 °C + 0.85 W \times 7 °C/W$ $= 113.95 °C$

If margin is not secured by the calculation mentioned above, it is recommended to expand the copper foil area of the board, increasing the layer and thermal via between thermal land pad for optimum thermal performance.

I/O Equivalence Circuit*(Note 1)*

(Note 1) Resistance value is Typical.

Operational Notes

1. Reverse Connection of Power Supply

Connecting the power supply in reverse polarity can damage the IC. Take precautions against reverse polarity when connecting the power supply, such as mounting an external diode between the power supply and the IC's power supply pins.

2. Power Supply Lines

Design the PCB layout pattern to provide low impedance supply lines. Furthermore, connect a capacitor to ground at all power supply pins. Consider the effect of temperature and aging on the capacitance value when using electrolytic capacitors.

3. Ground Voltage

Ensure that no pins are at a voltage below that of the ground pin at any time, even during transient condition.

4. Ground Wiring Pattern

When using both small-signal and large-current ground traces, the two ground traces should be routed separately but connected to a single ground at the reference point of the application board to avoid fluctuations in the small-signal ground caused by large currents. Also ensure that the ground traces of external components do not cause variations on the ground voltage. The ground lines must be as short and thick as possible to reduce line impedance.

5. Recommended Operating Conditions

The function and operation of the IC are guaranteed within the range specified by the recommended operating conditions. The characteristic values are guaranteed only under the conditions of each item specified by the electrical characteristics.

6. Inrush Current

When power is first supplied to the IC, it is possible that the internal logic may be unstable and inrush current may flow instantaneously due to the internal powering sequence and delays, especially if the IC has more than one power supply. Therefore, give special consideration to power coupling capacitance, power wiring, width of ground wiring, and routing of connections.

7. Thermal Consideration

The power dissipation under actual operating conditions should be taken into consideration and a sufficient margin should be allowed in the thermal design. On the reverse side of the package this product has an exposed heat pad for improving the heat dissipation. The amount of heat generation depends on the voltage difference between the input and output, load current, and bias current. Therefore, when actually using the chip, ensure that the generated heat does not exceed the Pd rating. If Junction temperature is over Tjmax (=150 °C), IC characteristics may be worse due to rising chip temperature. Heat resistance in specification is measurement under PCB condition and environment recommended in JEDEC. Ensure that heat resistance in specification is different from actual environment.

8. Testing on Application Boards

When testing the IC on an application board, connecting a capacitor directly to a low-impedance output pin may subject the IC to stress. Always discharge capacitors completely after each process or step. The IC's power supply should always be turned off completely before connecting or removing it from the test setup during the inspection process. To prevent damage from static discharge, ground the IC during assembly and use similar precautions during transport and storage.

9. Inter-pin Short and Mounting Errors

Ensure that the direction and position are correct when mounting the IC on the PCB. Incorrect mounting may result in damaging the IC. Avoid nearby pins being shorted to each other especially to ground, power supply and output pin. Inter-pin shorts could be due to many reasons such as metal particles, water droplets (in very humid environment) and unintentional solder bridge deposited in between pins during assembly to name a few.

10. Unused Input Pins

Input pins of an IC are often connected to the gate of a MOS transistor. The gate has extremely high impedance and extremely low capacitance. If left unconnected, the electric field from the outside can easily charge it. The small charge acquired in this way is enough to produce a significant effect on the conduction through the transistor and cause unexpected operation of the IC. So unless otherwise specified, unused input pins should be connected to the power supply or ground line.

Operational Notes – continued

11. Regarding the Input Pin of the IC

This monolithic IC contains P+ isolation and P substrate layers between adjacent elements in order to keep them isolated. P-N junctions are formed at the intersection of the P layers with the N layers of other elements, creating a parasitic diode or transistor. For example (refer to figure below):

When GND > Pin A and GND > Pin B, the P-N junction operates as a parasitic diode. When GND > Pin B, the P-N junction operates as a parasitic transistor.

Parasitic diodes inevitably occur in the structure of the IC. The operation of parasitic diodes can result in mutual interference among circuits, operational faults, or physical damage. Therefore, conditions that cause these diodes to operate, such as applying a voltage lower than the GND voltage to an input pin (and thus to the P substrate) should be avoided.

Figure 40. Example of IC Structure

12. Ceramic Capacitor

When using a ceramic capacitor, determine a capacitance value considering the change of capacitance with temperature and the decrease in nominal capacitance due to DC bias and others.

13. Thermal Shutdown Circuit (TSD)

This IC has a built-in thermal shutdown circuit that prevents heat damage to the IC. Normal operation should always be within the IC's maximum junction temperature rating. If however the rating is exceeded for a continued period, the junction temperature (Tj) will rise which will activate the TSD circuit that will turn OFF power output pins. When the Tj falls below the TSD threshold, the circuits are automatically restored to normal operation. Note that the TSD circuit operates in a situation that exceeds the absolute maximum ratings and therefore, under no circumstances, should the TSD circuit be used in a set design or for any purpose other than protecting the IC from heat damage.

14. Over Current Protection Circuit (OCP)

This IC incorporates an integrated overcurrent protection circuit that is activated when the load is shorted. This protection circuit is effective in preventing damage due to sudden and unexpected incidents. However, the IC should not be used in applications characterized by continuous operation or transitioning of the protection circuit.

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