

# Current Mode PWM Controller

## FEATURES

- Automatic Feed Forward Compensation
- Programmable Pulse-by-Pulse Current Limiting
- Automatic Symmetry Correction in Push-pull Configuration
- Enhanced Load Response Characteristics
- Parallel Operation Capability for Modular Power Systems
- Differential Current Sense Amplifier with Wide Common Mode Range
- Double Pulse Suppression
- 500mA (Peak) Totem-pole Outputs
- $\pm 1\%$  Bandgap Reference
- Under-voltage Lockout
- Soft Start Capability
- Shutdown Terminal
- 500kHz Operation

## DESCRIPTION

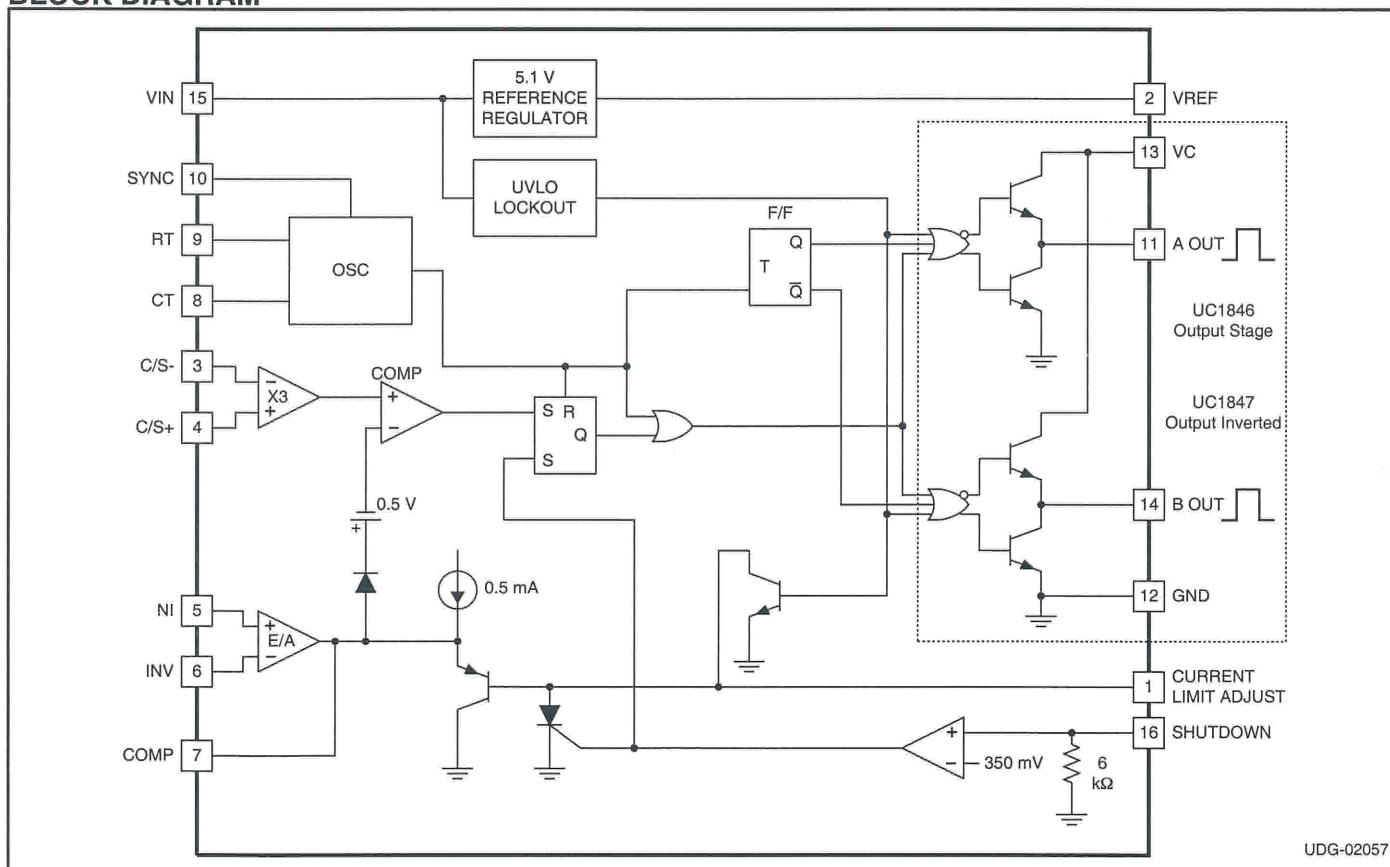
The UC1846/7 family of control ICs provides all of the necessary features to implement fixed frequency, current mode control schemes while maintaining a minimum external parts count. The superior performance of this technique can be measured in improved line regulation, enhanced load response characteristics, and a simpler, easier-to-design control loop. Topological advantages include inherent pulse-by-pulse current limiting capability, automatic symmetry correction for push-pull converters, and the ability to parallel "power modules" while maintaining equal current sharing.

Protection circuitry includes built-in under-voltage lockout and programmable current limit in addition to soft start capability. A shutdown function is also available which can initiate either a complete shutdown with automatic restart or latch the supply off.

Other features include fully latched operation, double pulse suppression, deadline adjust capability, and a  $\pm 1\%$  trimmed bandgap reference.

The UC1846 features low outputs in the OFF state, while the UC1847 features high outputs in the OFF state.

## BLOCK DIAGRAM



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## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (Note 1)

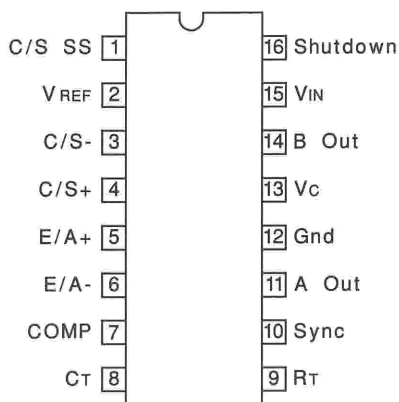
Supply Voltage (Pin 15)	+40V
Collector Supply Voltage (Pin 13)	+40V
Output Current, Source or Sink (Pins 11, 14)	500mA
Analog Inputs (Pins 3, 4, 5, 6, 16)	-0.3V to $V_{IN}$
Reference Output Current (Pin 2)	-30mA
Sync Output Current (Pin 10)	-5mA
Error Amplifier Output Current (Pin 7)	-5mA
Soft Start Sink Current (Pin 1)	50mA
Oscillator Charging Current (Pin 9)	5mA
Power Dissipation at $T_A=25^{\circ}\text{C}$	1000mW
Power Dissipation at $T_c=25^{\circ}\text{C}$	2000mW
Storage Temperature Range	-65°C to +150°C
Lead Temperature (soldering, 10 seconds)	+300°C

Note 1. All voltages are with respect to Ground, Pin 13. Currents are positive into, negative out of the specified terminal. Consult Packaging Section of Databook for thermal limitations and considerations of packages. Pin numbers refer to DIL and SOIC packages only.

## CONNECTION DIAGRAMS

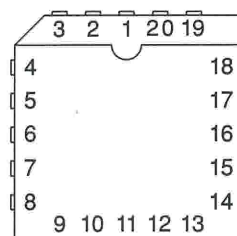
### DIL-16, SOIC-16 (TOP VIEW)

J or N Package, DW Package



### PLCC-20, LCC-20 (TOP VIEW)

Q, L Packages



PACKAGE PIN FUNCTION	
FUNCTION	PIN
N/C	1
C/L SS	2
V <sub>REF</sub>	3
C/S-	4
C/S+	5
N/C	6
E/A+	7
E/A-	8
Comp	9
C <sub>T</sub>	10
N/C	11
R <sub>T</sub>	12
Sync	13
A Out	14
Gnd	15
N/C	16
V <sub>c</sub>	17
B Out	18
V <sub>IN</sub>	19
Shutdown	20

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** (Unless otherwise stated, these specifications apply for  $T_A=-55^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+125^{\circ}\text{C}$  for UC1846/7;  $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$  for the UC2846/7; and  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+70^{\circ}\text{C}$  for the UC3846/7;  $V_{IN}=15\text{V}$ ,  $R_T=10\text{k}$ ,  $C_T=4.7\text{nF}$ ,  $T_A=T_J$ .)

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	UC1846/UC1847 UC2846/UC2847			UC3846/UC3847			UNITS
		MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	
Reference Section								
Output Voltage	T <sub>J</sub> =25°C, I <sub>O</sub> =1mA	5.05	5.10	5.15	5.00	5.10	5.20	V
Line Regulation	V <sub>IN</sub> =8V to 40V		5	20		5	20	mV
Load Regulation	I <sub>L</sub> =1mA to 10mA		3	15		3	15	mV
Temperature Stability	Over Operating Range, (Note 2)		0.4			0.4		mV/°C
Total Output Variation	Line, Load, and Temperature (Note 2)	5.00		5.20	4.95		5.25	V
Output Noise Voltage	10Hz ≤ f ≤ 10kHz, T <sub>J</sub> =25°C (Note 2)		100			100		μV
Long Term Stability	T <sub>J</sub> =125°C, 1000 Hrs. (Note 2)		5			5		mV
Short Circuit Output Current	V <sub>REF</sub> =0V	-10	-45		-10	-45		mA

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (cont.)** (Unless otherwise stated, these specifications apply for  $T_A = -55^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+125^{\circ}\text{C}$  for UC1846/7;  $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$  for the UC2846/7; and  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+70^{\circ}\text{C}$  for the UC3846/7;  $V_{IN} = 15\text{V}$ ,  $R_T = 10\text{k}$ ,  $C_T = 4.7\text{nF}$ ,  $T_A = T_J$ .)

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	UC1846/UC1847 UC2846/UC2847			UC3846/UC3847			UNITS
		MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	
Oscillator Section								
Initial Accuracy	T <sub>J</sub> =25°C	39	43	47	39	43	47	kHz
Voltage Stability	V <sub>IN</sub> =8V to 40V		-1	2		-1	2	%
Temperature Stability	Over Operating Range (Note 2)		-1			-1		%
Sync Output High Level		3.9	4.35		3.9	4.35		V
Sync Output Low Level			2.3	2.5		2.3	2.5	V
Sync Input High Level	Pin 8=0V	3.9			3.9			V
Sync Input Low Level	Pin 8=0V			2.5			2.5	V
Sync Input Current	Sync Voltage=3.9V, Pin 8=0V		1.3	1.5		1.3	1.5	mA
Error Amp Section								
Input Offset Voltage			0.5	5		0.5	10	mV
Input Bias Current			-0.6	-1		-0.6	-2	μA
Input Offset Current			40	250		40	250	nA
Common Mode Range	V <sub>IN</sub> =8V to 40V	0		V <sub>IN</sub> -2V	0		V <sub>IN</sub> -2V	V
Open Loop Voltage Gain	ΔV <sub>O</sub> =1.2 to 3V, V <sub>CM</sub> =2V	80	105		80	105		dB
Unity Gain Bandwidth	T <sub>J</sub> =25°C (Note 2)	0.7	1.0		0.7	1.0		MHz
CMRR	V <sub>CM</sub> =0V to 38V, V <sub>IN</sub> =40V	75	100		75	100		dB
PSRR	V <sub>IN</sub> =8V to 40V	80	105		80	105		dB
Output Sink Current	V <sub>ID</sub> =-15mV to -5V, V <sub>PIN 7</sub> =1.2V	2	6		2	6		mA
Output Source Current	V <sub>ID</sub> =15mV to 5V, V <sub>PIN 7</sub> =2.5V	-0.4	-0.5		-0.4	-0.5		mA
High Level Output Voltage	R <sub>L</sub> =(Pin 7) 15kΩ	4.3	4.6		4.3	4.6		V
Low Level Output Voltage			0.7	1		0.7	1	V
Current Sense Amplifier Section								
Amplifier Gain	V <sub>PIN 3</sub> =0V, Pin 1 Open (Notes 3 & 4)	2.5	2.75	3.0	2.5	2.75	3.0	V
Maximum Differential Input Signal (V <sub>PIN 4</sub> -V <sub>PIN 3</sub> )	Pin 1 Open (Note 3) R <sub>L</sub> (Pin 7)=15kW	1.1	1.2		1.1	1.2		V
Input Offset Voltage	V <sub>PIN 1</sub> =0.5V, Pin 7 Open (Note 3)		5	25		5	25	mV
CMRR	V <sub>CM</sub> =1V to 12V	60	83		60	83		dB
PSRR	V <sub>IN</sub> =8V to 40V	60	84		60	84		dB
Input Bias Current	V <sub>PIN 1</sub> =0.5V, Pin 7 Open (Note 3)		-2.5	-10		-2.5	-10	μA
Input Offset Current	V <sub>PIN 1</sub> =0.5V, Pin 7 Open (Note 3)		0.08	1		0.08	1	μA
Input Common Mode Range		0		V <sub>IN</sub> -3	0		V <sub>IN</sub> -3	V
Delay to Outputs	T <sub>J</sub> =25°C, (Note 2)		200	500		200	500	ns
Current Limit Adjust Section								
Current Limit Offset	V <sub>PIN 3</sub> =0V, V <sub>PIN 4</sub> =0V, Pin 7 Open (Note 3)	0.45	0.5	0.55	0.45	0.5	0.55	V
Input Bias Current	V <sub>PIN 5</sub> =V <sub>REF</sub> , V <sub>PIN 6</sub> =0V		-10	-30		-10	-30	μA
Shutdown Terminal Section								
Threshold Voltage		250	350	400	250	350	400	mV
Input Voltage Range		0		V <sub>IN</sub>	0		V <sub>IN</sub>	V
Minimum Latching Current (I <sub>PIN 1</sub> )	(Note 6)	3.0	1.5		3.0	1.5		mA



Output deadtime is determined by the external capacitor,  $C_T$ , according to the formula:  $\tau_d (\mu s) = 145 C_T (\mu f) \left( \frac{I_D}{I_D - \frac{3.6}{RT (k\Omega)}} \right)$ .

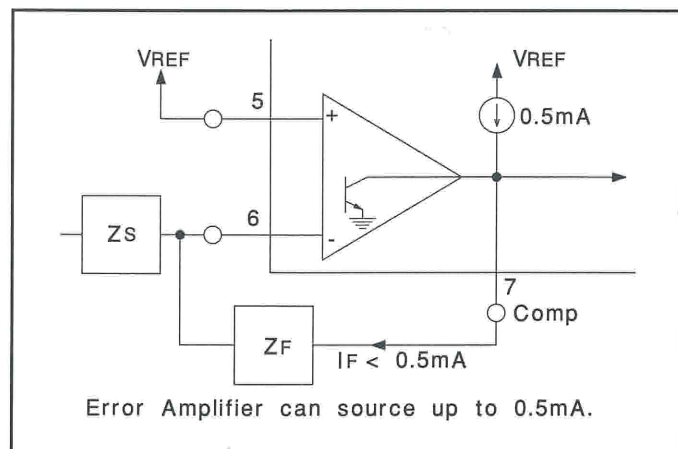
$I_D$  = Oscillator discharge current at 25°C is typically 7.5.

For large values of  $RT$ :  $\tau_d (\mu s) \approx 145 C_T (\mu f)$ .

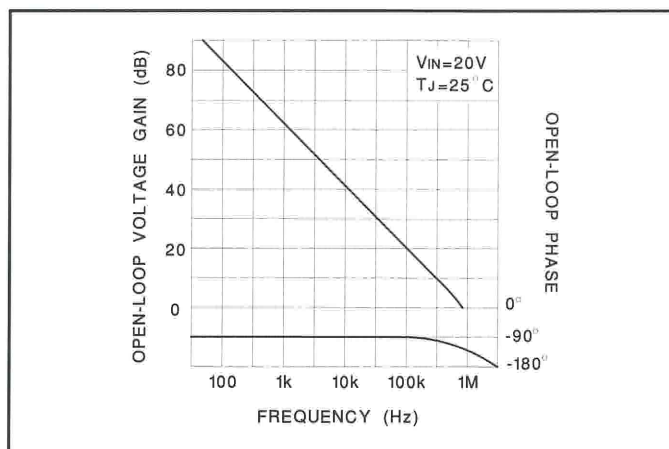
Oscillator frequency is approximated by the formula:  $f_T (kHz) \approx \frac{2.2}{RT (k\Omega) \cdot C_T (\mu f)}$ .

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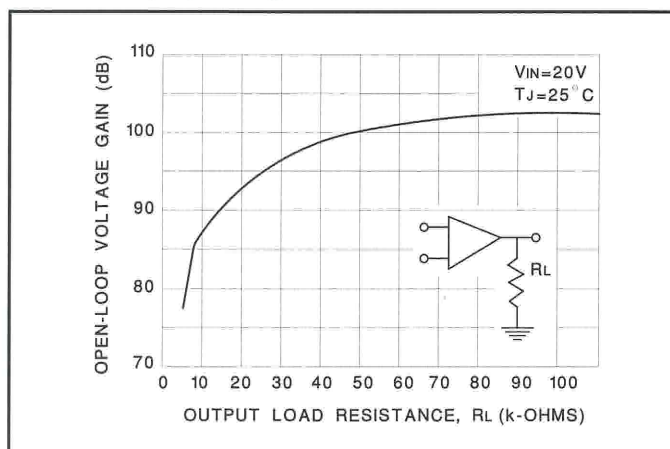
Error Amp Output Configuration



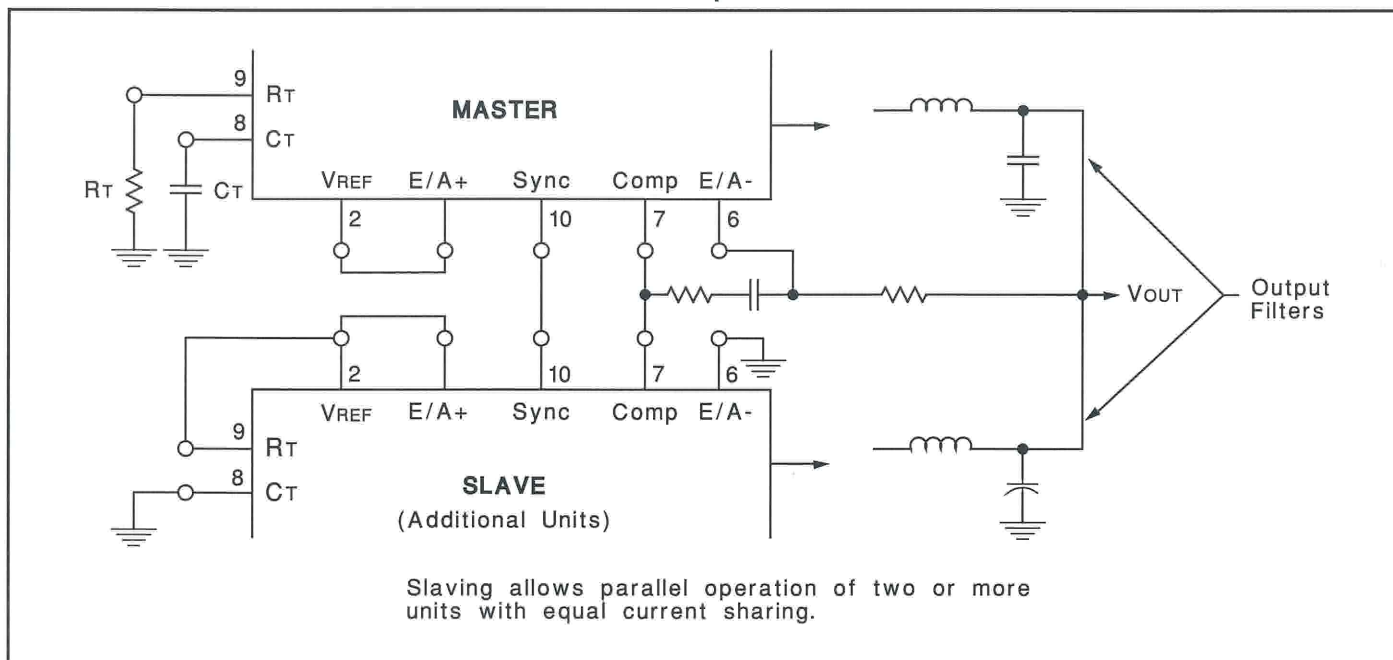
Error Amp Gain and Phase vs Frequency



Error Amp Open-Logic D.C. Gain vs Load Resistance

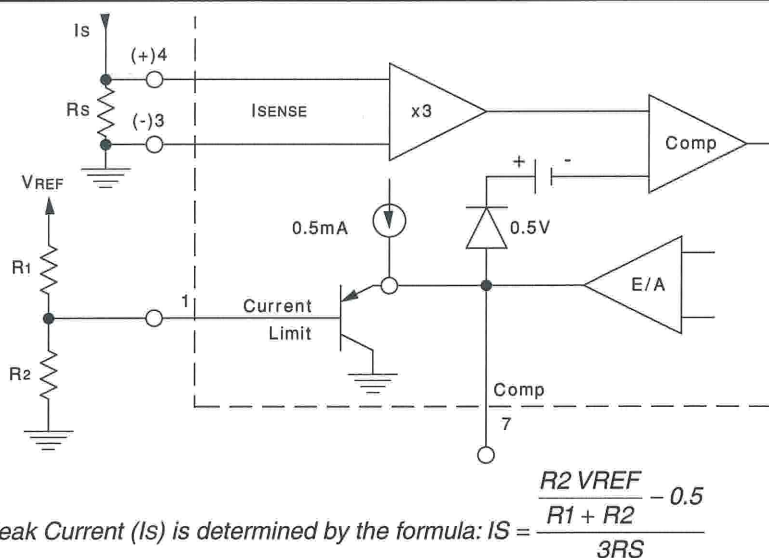


Parallel Operation

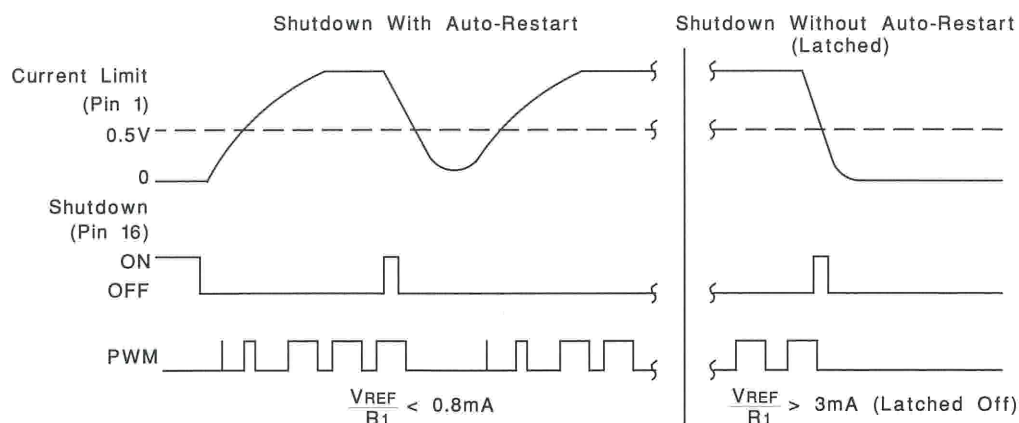
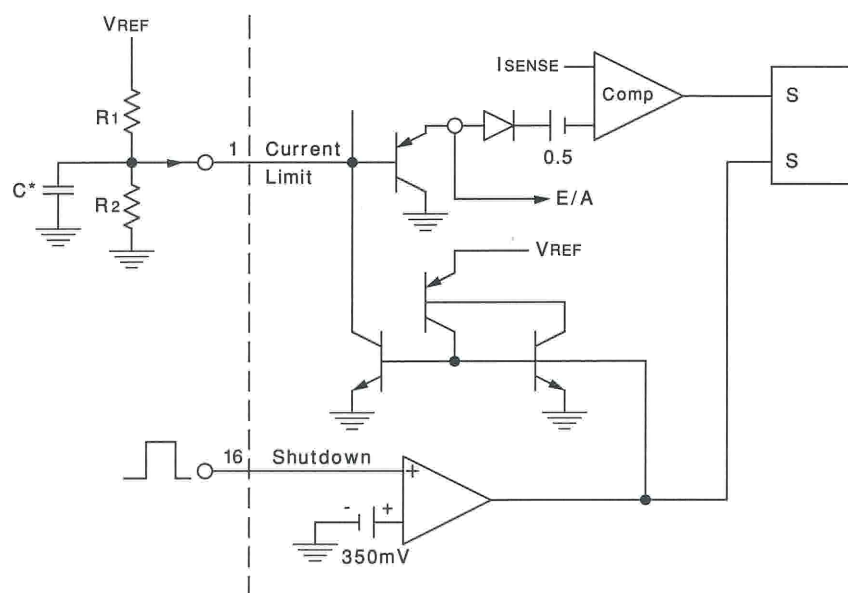


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## Pulse by Pulse Current Limiting



## Soft Start and Shutdown /Restart Functions

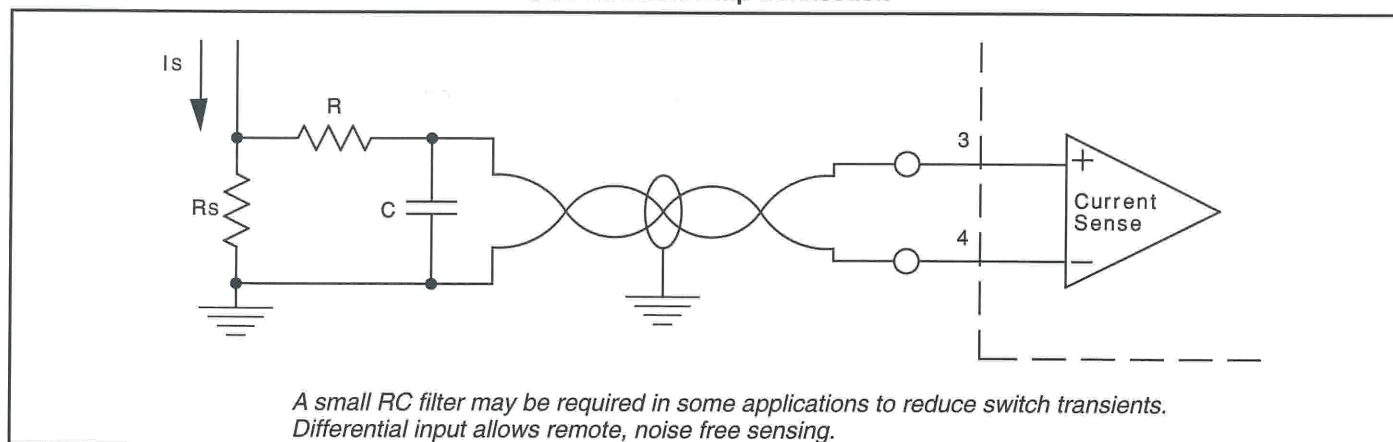


If  $\frac{V_{REF}}{R_1} < 0.8\text{mA}$ , the shutdown latch will commute when  $I_{SS} = 0.8\text{mA}$  and a restart cycle will be initiated.

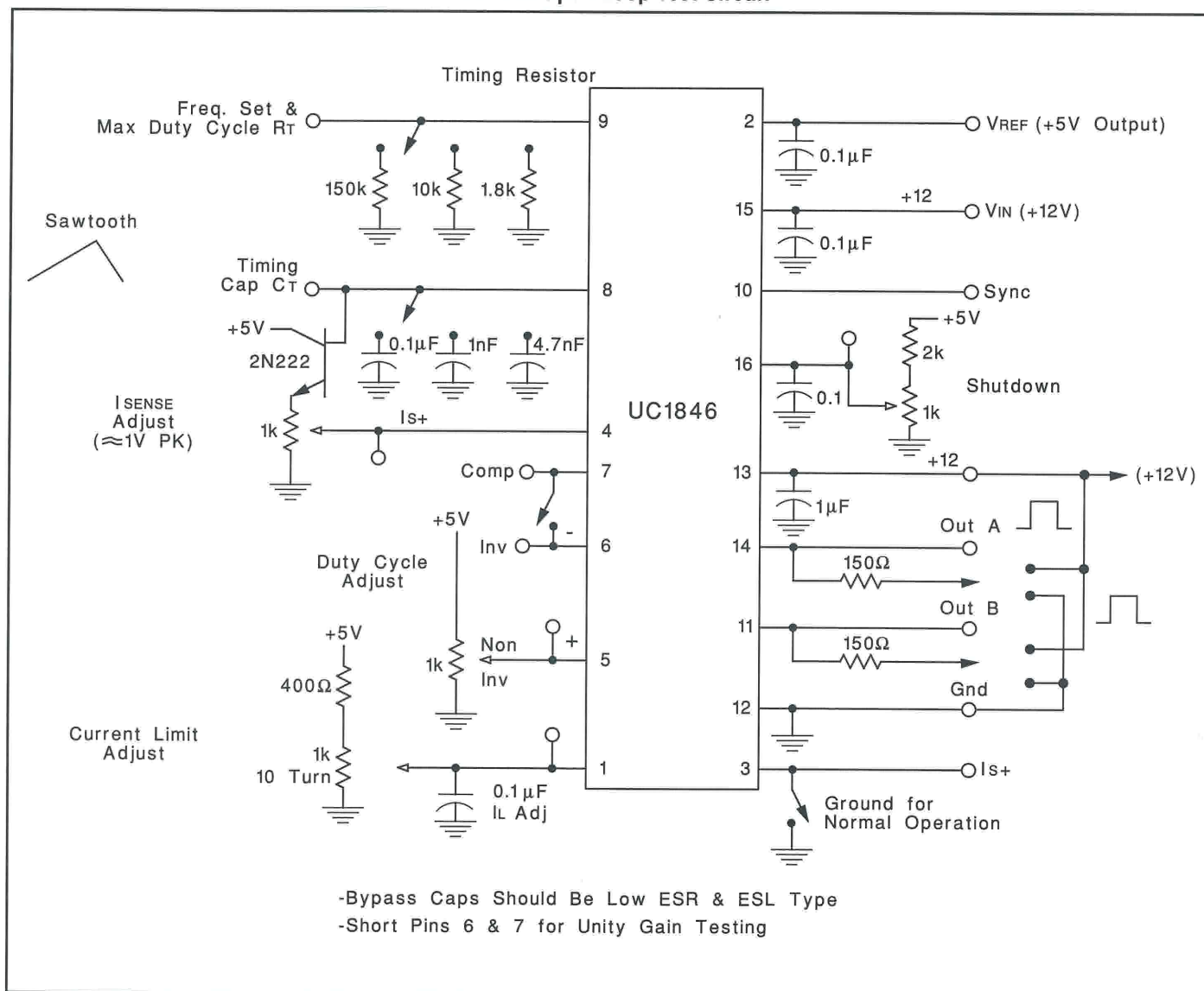
If  $\frac{V_{REF}}{R_1} > 3\text{mA}$ , the device will latch off until power is recycled.

# APPLICATIONS DATA (cont.)

## Current Sense Amp Connection



## UC1846 Open Loop Test Circuit



## REVISION HISTORY

SLUS352A to SLUS352B July 2010:

- 1) Updated block diagram, page 1.
- 2) Added peak and vally voltages to the Oscillator Circuit, page 4.



**PACKAGING INFORMATION**

Orderable Device	Status (1)	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	Package Qty	Eco Plan (2)	Lead/Ball Finish	MSL Peak Temp (3)	Op Temp (°C)	Device Marking (4/5)	Samples
5962-86806012A	ACTIVE	LCCC	FK	20	1	TBD	POST-PLATE	N / A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962- 86806012A UC1846L/ 883B	<a href="#">Samples</a>
5962-8680601EA	ACTIVE	CDIP	J	16	1	TBD	A42	N / A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962-8680601EA UC1846J/883B	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC1846J	ACTIVE	CDIP	J	16	1	TBD	A42	N / A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	UC1846J	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC1846J/80257	OBSOLETE	CDIP	J	16		TBD	Call TI	Call TI	-55 to 125		
UC1846J/80364	OBSOLETE	CDIP	J	16		TBD	Call TI	Call TI	-55 to 125		
UC1846J/80619	OBSOLETE	CDIP	J	16		TBD	Call TI	Call TI	-55 to 125		
UC1846J883B	ACTIVE	CDIP	J	16	1	TBD	A42	N / A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962-8680601EA UC1846J/883B	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC1846L883B	ACTIVE	LCCC	FK	20	1	TBD	POST-PLATE	N / A for Pkg Type	-55 to 125	5962- 86806012A UC1846L/ 883B	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC1847J	OBSOLETE	CDIP	J	16		TBD	Call TI	Call TI	-55 to 125		
UC1847J883B	OBSOLETE	CDIP	J	16		TBD	Call TI	Call TI	-55 to 125		
UC1847L	OBSOLETE	LCCC	FK	20		TBD	Call TI	Call TI	-55 to 125		
UC1847L883B	OBSOLETE	LCCC	FK	20		TBD	Call TI	Call TI	-55 to 125		
UC2846DW	ACTIVE	SOIC	DW	16	40	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	UC2846DW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC2846DWG4	ACTIVE	SOIC	DW	16	40	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	UC2846DW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC2846DWTR	ACTIVE	SOIC	DW	16	2000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	UC2846DW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC2846DWTR/81265	OBSOLETE	SOIC	DW	16		TBD	Call TI	Call TI			
UC2846DWTR/81265G4	OBSOLETE	SOIC	DW	16		TBD	Call TI	Call TI			
UC2846DWTRG4	ACTIVE	SOIC	DW	16	2000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	UC2846DW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC2846J	ACTIVE	CDIP	J	16	1	TBD	A42	N / A for Pkg Type	-40 to 85	UC2846J	<a href="#">Samples</a>

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UC2846N	ACTIVE	PDIP	N	16	25	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	N / A for Pkg Type	-40 to 85	UC2846N	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC2846NG4	ACTIVE	PDIP	N	16	25	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	N / A for Pkg Type	-40 to 85	UC2846N	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC2846QTR	ACTIVE	PLCC	FN	20	1000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU SN	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	UC2846Q	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC2846QTRG3	ACTIVE	PLCC	FN	20	1000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU SN	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	UC2846Q	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC2847DW	ACTIVE	SOIC	DW	16	40	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	UC2847DW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC2847DWG4	ACTIVE	SOIC	DW	16	40	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	UC2847DW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC2847N	ACTIVE	PDIP	N	16	25	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	N / A for Pkg Type	-40 to 85	UC2847N	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC2847NG4	ACTIVE	PDIP	N	16	25	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	N / A for Pkg Type	-40 to 85	UC2847N	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC3846DW	ACTIVE	SOIC	DW	16	40	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	0 to 70	UC3846DW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC3846DWG4	ACTIVE	SOIC	DW	16	40	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	0 to 70	UC3846DW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC3846DWTR	ACTIVE	SOIC	DW	16	2000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	0 to 70	UC3846DW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC3846DWTRG4	ACTIVE	SOIC	DW	16	2000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	0 to 70	UC3846DW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC3846J	ACTIVE	CDIP	J	16	1	TBD	A42	N / A for Pkg Type	0 to 70	UC3846J	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC3846N	ACTIVE	PDIP	N	16	25	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	N / A for Pkg Type	0 to 70	UC3846N	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC3846NG4	ACTIVE	PDIP	N	16	25	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	N / A for Pkg Type	0 to 70	UC3846N	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC3846Q	ACTIVE	PLCC	FN	20	46	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU SN	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	0 to 70	UC3846Q	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC3846QG3	ACTIVE	PLCC	FN	20	46	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU SN	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	0 to 70	UC3846Q	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC3846QTR	ACTIVE	PLCC	FN	20	1000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU SN	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	0 to 70	UC3846Q	<a href="#">Samples</a>

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UC3847DW	ACTIVE	SOIC	DW	16	40	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	0 to 70	UC3847DW	<a href="#">Samples</a>
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UC3847J	OBSOLETE	CDIP	J	16		TBD	Call TI	Call TI	0 to 70		
UC3847N	ACTIVE	PDIP	N	16	25	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	N / A for Pkg Type	0 to 70	UC3847N	<a href="#">Samples</a>
UC3847NG4	ACTIVE	PDIP	N	16	25	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	CU NIPDAU	N / A for Pkg Type	0 to 70	UC3847N	<a href="#">Samples</a>

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- Space: [UC1846-SP](#), [UC1846-SP](#)

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- Space - Radiation tolerant, ceramic packaging and qualified for use in Space-based application

**TAPE AND REEL INFORMATION**


\*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Reel Diameter (mm)	Reel Width W1 (mm)	A0 (mm)	B0 (mm)	K0 (mm)	P1 (mm)	W (mm)	Pin1 Quadrant
UC2846DWTR	SOIC	DW	16	2000	330.0	16.4	10.75	10.7	2.7	12.0	16.0	Q1



## TAPE AND REEL BOX DIMENSIONS



\*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Length (mm)	Width (mm)	Height (mm)
UC2846DWTR	SOIC	DW	16	2000	367.0	367.0	38.0

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