



LM5009A 100-V, 150-mA Constant ON-Time Buck Switching Regulator

1 Features

- Operating Input Voltage Range: 6 V to 95 V
- Integrated 100-V, N-Channel Buck Switch
- Internal Start-Up Regulator
- No Loop Compensation Required
- Ultra-Fast Transient Response
- ON Time Varies Inversely With Input Voltage
- Operating Frequency Remains Constant With Varying Line Voltage and Load Current
- Adjustable Output Voltage From 2.5 V
- Highly Efficient Operation
- Precision Internal Reference
- Low Bias Current
- Intelligent Current Limit
- Thermal Shutdown
- 8-Pin VSSOP and 8-Pin WSON (4 mm × 4 mm) Packages

2 Applications

- Non-Isolated Telecommunication Buck Regulator
- Secondary High-Voltage Post Regulator
- 42-V Automotive Systems

3 Description

The LM5009A is a functional variant of the LM5009 COT buck switching regulator. The functional differences of the LM5009A are: The minimum input operating voltage is 6 V, the ON-time equation is slightly different, and the requirement for a minimum load current is removed.

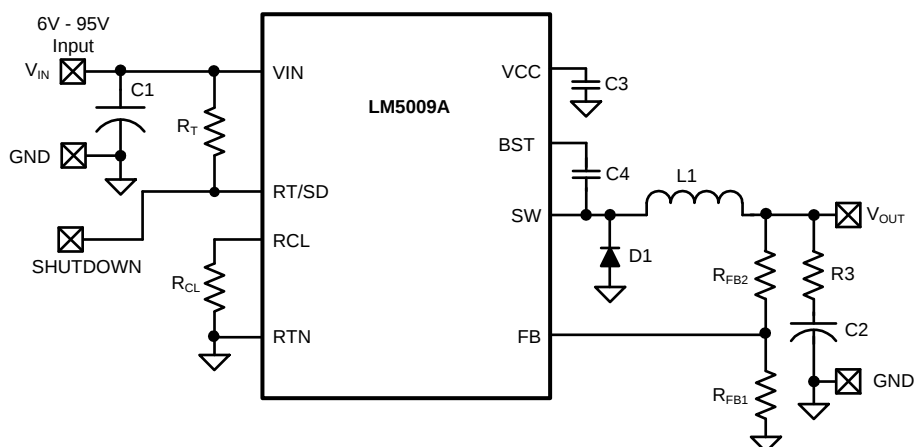
The LM5009A step-down switching regulator features all of the functions required to implement a low cost, efficient, buck bias regulator. This high voltage regulator contains an 100-V N-channel buck switch. The device is easy to implement and is provided in the 8-pin VSSOP and the thermally enhanced 8-pin WSON packages. The regulator is based on a control scheme using an ON time inversely proportional to V_{IN} . This feature allows the operating frequency to remain relatively constant. The control scheme requires no loop compensation. An intelligent current limit is implemented with forced OFF time, which is inversely proportional to V_{OUT} . This scheme ensures short-circuit control while providing minimum foldback. Other features include: thermal shutdown, undervoltage lockout (V_{CC}), gate drive undervoltage lockout, max duty cycle limiter, and a precharge switch.

Device Information⁽¹⁾

PART NUMBER	PACKAGE	BODY SIZE (NOM)
LM5009A	VSSOP (8)	4.00 mm × 4.00 mm
	WSON (8)	4.00 mm × 4.00 mm

(1) For all available packages, see the orderable addendum at the end of the data sheet.

Typical Application, Basic Step-Down Regulator



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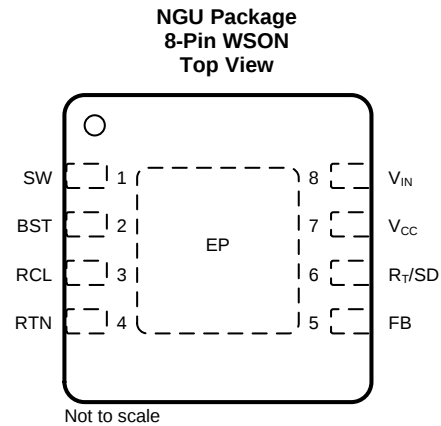
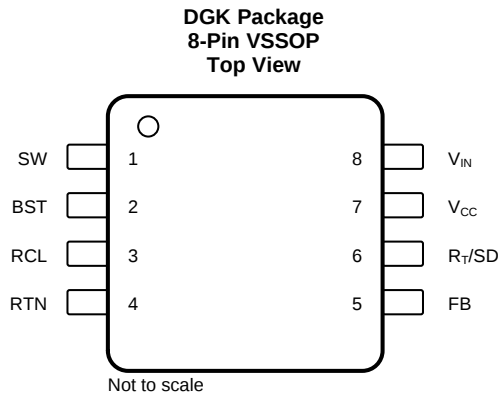
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• Added <i>ESD Ratings</i> table, <i>Feature Description</i> section, <i>Device Functional Modes</i> , <i>Application and Implementation</i> section, <i>Power Supply Recommendations</i> section, <i>Layout</i> section, <i>Device and Documentation Support</i> section, and <i>Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information</i> section	1
• Changed values in the <i>Thermal Information</i> table from 200 to 157.7 (DGK) and from 40 to 42.8 (NGU).....	4

Changes from Revision F (February 2013) to Revision G	Page
• Changed layout of National Semiconductor Data Sheet to TI format	1

5 Pin Configuration and Functions



Pin Functions

PIN		I/O	DESCRIPTION
NAME	NO.		
SW	1	O	Switching node: power switching node. Connect to the output inductor, recirculating diode, and bootstrap capacitor.
BST	2	I	Boost pin (bootstrap capacitor input): an external capacitor is required between the BST and the SW pins. A 0.01-μF ceramic capacitor is recommended. An internal diode charges the capacitor from V _{CC} during each OFF time.
RCL	3	I	Current limit OFF-time set pin: a resistor between this pin and RTN sets the OFF time when current limit is detected. The OFF time is preset to 35 μs if FB = 0 V.
RTN	4	—	Ground pin: ground for the entire circuit.
FB	5	I	Feedback input from regulated output: this pin is connected to the inverting input of the internal regulation comparator. The regulation threshold is 2.5 V.
R _T /SD	6	I	On time set pin: a resistor between this pin and V _{IN} sets the switch on time as a function of V _{IN} . The minimum recommended on time is 400 ns at the maximum input voltage. This pin is used for remote shutdown.
V _{CC}	7	O	Output from the internal high voltage series pass regulator: this regulated voltage provides gate drive power for the internal Buck switch. An internal diode is provided between this pin and the BST pin. A local 0.47-μF decoupling capacitor is required. The series pass regulator is current limited to 9 mA.
V _{IN}	8	I	Input voltage: input operating range of 6 V to 95 V.
EP	—	—	Exposed pad: the exposed pad has no electrical contact. Connect to system ground plane for reduced thermal resistance.

6 Specifications

6.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)⁽¹⁾

	MIN	MAX	UNIT
V _{IN} to GND	−0.3	100	V
BST to GND	−0.3	114	V
SW to GND (steady state)		−1	V
BST to V _{CC}		100	V
BST to SW		14	V
V _{CC} to GND		14	V
All other inputs to GND	−0.3	7	V
Storage temperature, T _{stg}	−55	150	°C

- (1) Stresses beyond those listed under *Absolute Maximum Ratings* may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, which do not imply functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under *Recommended Operating Conditions*. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

6.2 ESD Ratings

		VALUE	UNIT
V _(ESD) Electrostatic discharge	Human-body model (HBM), per ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001 ⁽¹⁾	±2000	V
	Charged-device model (CDM), per JEDEC specification JESD22-C101 ⁽²⁾	±750	

- (1) JEDEC document JEP155 states that 500-V HBM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.
(2) JEDEC document JEP157 states that 250-V CDM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

6.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

over operating free-air temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

	MIN	MAX	UNIT
V _{IN} Input voltage	6	95	V
T _J Operating junction temperature	−40	125	°C

6.4 Thermal Information

THERMAL METRIC ⁽¹⁾		LM5009A		UNIT
		DGK (VSSOP)	NGU (WSON)	
		8 PINS	8 PINS	
R _{θJA}	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	157.7	42.8	°C/W
R _{θJC(top)}	Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance	50.2	41.5	°C/W
R _{θJB}	Junction-to-board thermal resistance	77.9	20.1	°C/W
ψ _{JT}	Junction-to-top characterization parameter	4.5	0.4	°C/W
ψ _{JB}	Junction-to-board characterization parameter	76.5	20.2	°C/W
R _{θJC(bot)}	Junction-to-case (bottom) thermal resistance	—	4.5	°C/W

- (1) For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the [Semiconductor and IC Package Thermal Metrics](#) application report.

6.5 Electrical Characteristics

Typical values correspond to $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$. Minimum and maximum limits apply over $T_J = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 125°C for LM5009A. Unless otherwise stated, $V_{IN} = 48\text{ V}$ ⁽¹⁾

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
V_{CC} SUPPLY						
V _{CC} Reg	V _{CC} regulator output ⁽²⁾	$V_{IN} = 48\text{ V}$	6.6	7	7.4	V
	$V_{IN} - V_{CC}$	$6\text{ V} < V_{IN} < 8.5\text{ V}$		100		mV
	V _{CC} bypass threshold	V_{IN} increasing		8.5		V
	V _{CC} bypass hysteresis			300		mV
V _{CC} output impedance		$V_{IN} = 6\text{ V}$		100		Ω
		$V_{IN} = 10\text{ V}$		8.8		Ω
		$V_{IN} = 48\text{ V}$		0.8		Ω
	V _{CC} current limit	$V_{IN} = 48\text{ V}$		9.2		mA
	V _{CC} UVLO	V _{CC} increasing		5.3		V
	V _{CC} UVLO hysteresis			190		mV
	V _{CC} UVLO filter delay			3		μs
	I _{in} operating current	FB = 3 V, $V_{IN} = 48\text{ V}$		550	750	μA
	I _{in} shutdown current	$R_T/SD = 0\text{ V}$		110	176	μA
CURRENT LIMIT						
	Current limit threshold		0.24	0.3	0.36	A
	Current limit response time	I _{switch} overdrive = 0.1 A, time to switch off		350		ns
T _{OFF-1}	OFF-time generator	FB = 0 V, $R_{CL} = 100\text{ K}$		35		μs
T _{OFF-2}	OFF-time generator	FB = 2.3 V, $R_{CL} = 100\text{ K}$		2.56		μs
ON TIME GENERATOR						
T _{ON-1}	ON-time generator	$V_{IN} = 10\text{ V}$, $R_{ON} = 200\text{ K}$	2.15	2.77	3.5	μs
T _{ON-2}	ON-time generator	$V_{IN} = 95\text{ V}$, $R_{ON} = 200\text{ K}$	200	300	420	ns
RT/SD	Remote shutdown threshold	Rising	0.4	0.7	1.05	V
RT/SD _(HYS)	Remote shutdown hysteresis			35		mV
MINIMUM OFF TIME						
	Minimum off timer	FB = 0 V		300		ns
REGULATION AND OV COMPARATORS						
	FB reference threshold	Internal reference, trip point for switch ON	2.445	2.5	2.55	V
	FB overvoltage threshold	Trip point for switch OFF		2.875		V
	FB bias current			100		nA
THERMAL SHUTDOWN						
T _{SD}	Thermal shutdown temperature			165		$^\circ\text{C}$
	Thermal shutdown hysteresis			25		$^\circ\text{C}$

- (1) All minimum and maximum limits are specified by correlating the electrical characteristics to process and temperature variations and applying statistical process control. The junction temperature (T_J in $^\circ\text{C}$) is calculated from the ambient temperature (T_A in $^\circ\text{C}$) and power dissipation (P_D in Watts) as follows: $T_J = T_A + (P_D \cdot R_{\theta JA})$ where $R_{\theta JA}$ (in $^\circ\text{C/W}$) is the package thermal impedance provided in the Thermal Information section.
- (2) The V_{CC} output is intended as a self bias for the internal gate drive power and control circuits. Device thermal limitations limit external loading.

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6.6 Switching Characteristics

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PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Buck switch $R_{DS(ON)}^{(1)}$	$I_{test} = 200\text{ mA}$		2.2	4.6	Ω
Gate drive UVLO	$V_{bst} - V_{sw}$ rising	2.8	3.8	4.8	V
Gate drive UVLO hysteresis			490		mV
Precharge switch voltage	At 1 mA		0.8		V
Precharge switch ON time			150		ns

(1) For devices procured in the 8-pin WSON package, the $R_{ds(on)}$ limits are specified by design characterization data only.

6.7 Typical Characteristics

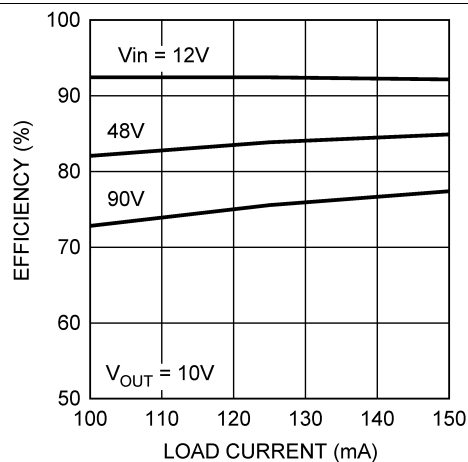


Figure 1. Efficiency vs Load Current and V_{IN}
(Circuit of [Figure 10](#))

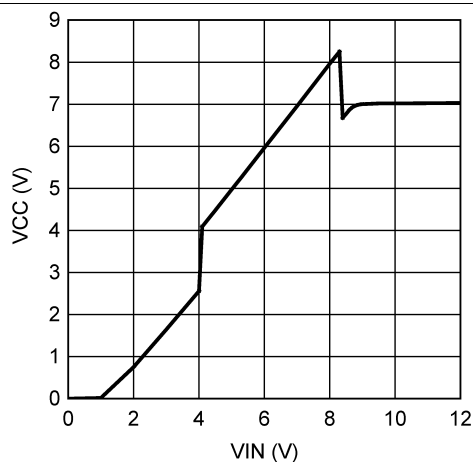


Figure 2. V_{CC} vs V_{IN}

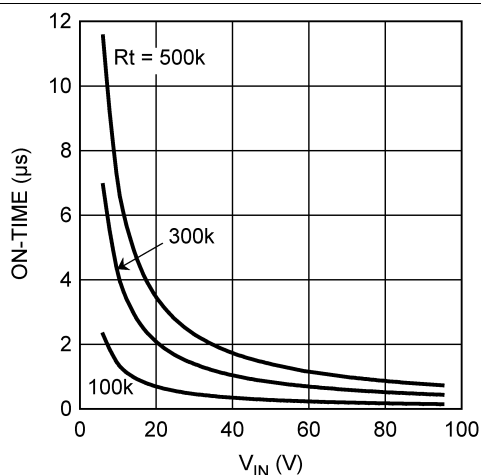


Figure 3. ON Time vs Input Voltage and R_T

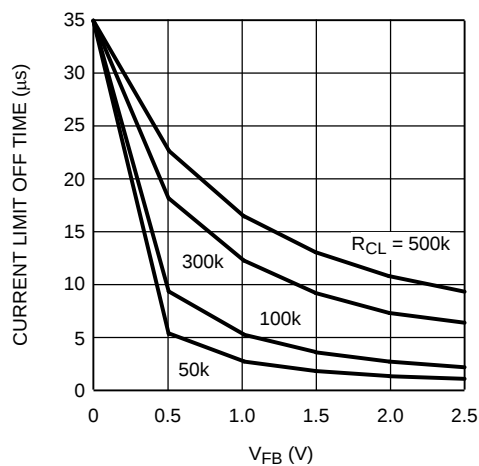


Figure 4. Current Limit OFF Time vs V_{FB} and R_{CL}

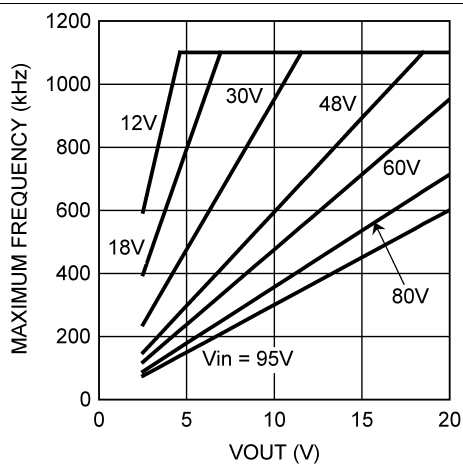


Figure 5. Maximum Frequency vs V_{OUT} and V_{IN}

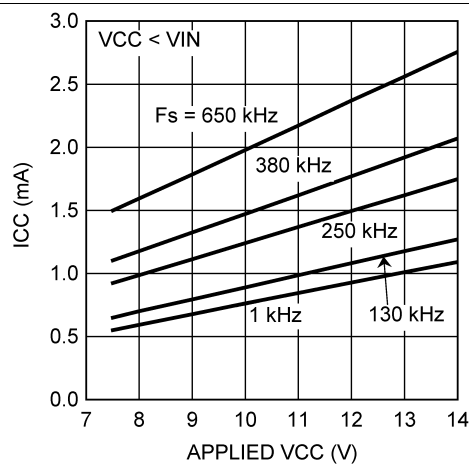


Figure 6. I_{CC} Current vs Applied V_{CC} Voltage

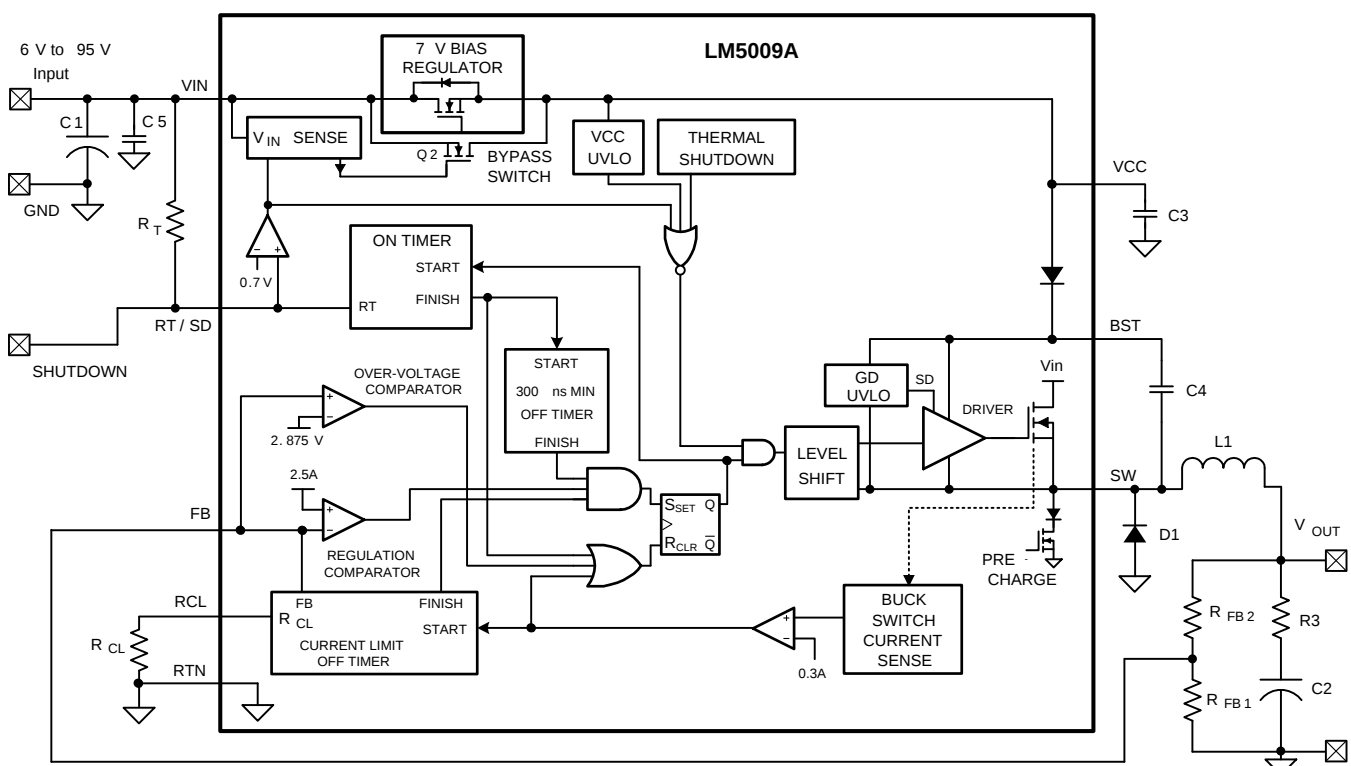
7 Detailed Description

7.1 Overview

The LM5009A device is a step-down switching regulator featuring all of the functions required to implement a low-cost, efficient, buck bias power converter. This high-voltage regulator contains a 100-V, N-channel buck switch, is easy to implement, and is provided in the 8-pin VSSOP and the thermally-enhanced, 8-pin WSON packages. The regulator is based on a control scheme using an ON time inversely proportional to V_{IN} . The control scheme requires no loop compensation. Current limit is implemented with forced OFF time, which is inversely proportional to V_{OUT} . This scheme ensures short circuit control while providing minimum foldback.

The LM5009A is applied in numerous applications to efficiently regulate down higher voltages. This regulator is well suited for 48-V Telecom and the new 42-V Automotive power bus ranges.

7.2 Functional Block Diagram



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7.3 Feature Description

7.3.1 Control Circuit Overview

The LM5009A is a buck DC-DC regulator that uses a control scheme in which the ON time varies inversely with line voltage (V_{IN}). Control is based on a comparator and the ON-time one-shot, with the output voltage feedback (FB) compared to an internal reference (2.5 V). If the FB level is below the reference the buck switch is turned on for a fixed time determined by the line voltage and a programming resistor (R_T). Following the ON period the switch remains off for at least the minimum off-timer period of 300 ns. If FB is still below the reference at that time, the switch turns on again for another ON-time period. This continues until regulation is achieved.

Feature Description (continued)

The LM5009A operates in discontinuous conduction mode at light load currents, and continuous conduction mode at heavy load current. In discontinuous conduction mode, current through the output inductor starts at zero and ramps up to a peak during the ON time, then ramps back to zero before the end of the OFF time. The next ON-time period starts when the voltage at FB falls below the internal reference; until then, the inductor current remains zero. In this mode, the operating frequency is lower than in continuous conduction mode, and varies with load current. Therefore, at light loads the conversion efficiency is maintained, because the switching losses reduce with the reduction in load and frequency. The discontinuous operating frequency is calculated with [Equation 1](#).

$$F = \frac{V_{OUT}^2 \times L \times 1.04 \times 10^{20}}{R_L \times (R_T)^2}$$

where

- R_L = the load resistance (1)

In continuous conduction mode, current flows continuously through the inductor and never ramps down to zero. In this mode the operating frequency is greater than the discontinuous mode frequency and remains relatively constant with load and line variations. The approximate continuous mode operating frequency is calculated with [Equation 2](#).

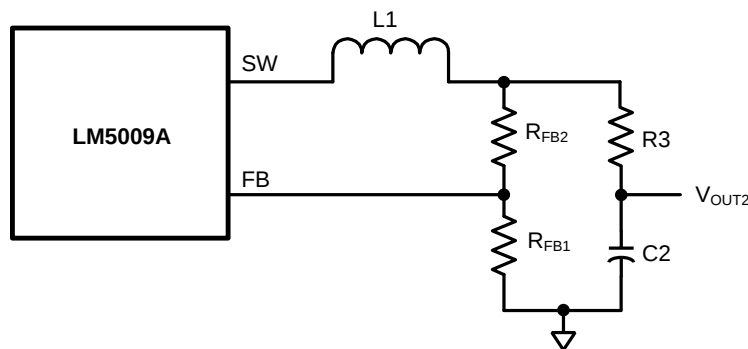
$$F = \frac{V_{OUT}}{1.385 \times 10^{-10} \times R_T} \quad (2)$$

The output voltage (V_{OUT}) is programmed by two external resistors as shown in [Functional Block Diagram](#). The regulation point is calculated with [Equation 3](#).

$$V_{OUT} = 2.5 \times (R_{FB1} + R_{FB2}) / R_{FB1} \quad (3)$$

The LM5009A regulates the output voltage based on ripple voltage at the feedback input, requiring a minimum amount of ESR for the output capacitor C2. A minimum of 25 mV to 50 mV of ripple voltage at the feedback pin (FB) is required for the LM5009A. In cases where the capacitor ESR is too small, additional series resistance may be required (R3 in [Functional Block Diagram](#)).

For applications where lower output voltage ripple is required, the output is taken directly from a low-ESR output capacitor, as shown in [Figure 7](#). However, R3 slightly degrades the load regulation.



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Figure 7. Low Ripple Output Configuration

Feature Description (continued)

7.3.2 Start-Up Regulator (V_{CC})

The high-voltage bias regulator is integrated within the LM5009A. The input pin (V_{IN}) is connected directly to line voltages between 6 V and 95 V, with transient capability to 100 V. Referring to [Functional Block Diagram](#) and [Figure 2](#), when V_{IN} is between 6 V and the bypass threshold (nominally 8.5 V), the bypass switch (Q2) is on, and V_{CC} tracks V_{IN} within 100 mV to 150 mV. The bypass switch on-resistance is approximately 100 Ω , with inherent current limiting at approximately 100 mA. When V_{IN} is above the bypass threshold Q2 is turned off, and V_{CC} is regulated at 7 V. The V_{CC} regulator output current is limited at approximately 9.2 mA. When the LM5009A is shutdown using the R_T/SD pin, the V_{CC} bypass switch is shut off regardless of the voltage at V_{IN} .

When V_{IN} exceeds the bypass threshold, the time required for Q2 to shut off is approximately 2 μ s to 3 μ s. The capacitor at V_{CC} (C3) must be a minimum of 0.47 μ F to prevent the voltage at V_{CC} from rising above the absolute maximum rating in response to a step input applied at V_{IN} . C3 must be placed as close as possible to the V_{CC} and RTN pins. In applications with a relatively high input voltage, power dissipation in the bias regulator is a concern. An auxiliary voltage of between 7.5 V and 14 V is diode connected to the V_{CC} pin to shut off the V_{CC} regulator, thereby reducing internal power dissipation. The current required into the V_{CC} pin is shown in [Figure 6](#). Internally a diode connects V_{CC} to V_{IN} requiring that the auxiliary voltage be less than V_{IN} .

The turnon sequence is shown in [Figure 8](#). During the initial delay (t_1) V_{CC} ramps up at a rate determined by the current limit and C3 while internal circuitry stabilizes. When V_{CC} reaches UVLO (typically 5.3 V) the buck switch is enabled. The inductor current increases to the current limit threshold (I_{LIM}) and during t_2 V_{OUT} increases as the output capacitor charges up. When V_{OUT} reaches the intended voltage, the average inductor current decreases (t_3) to the nominal load current (I_O).

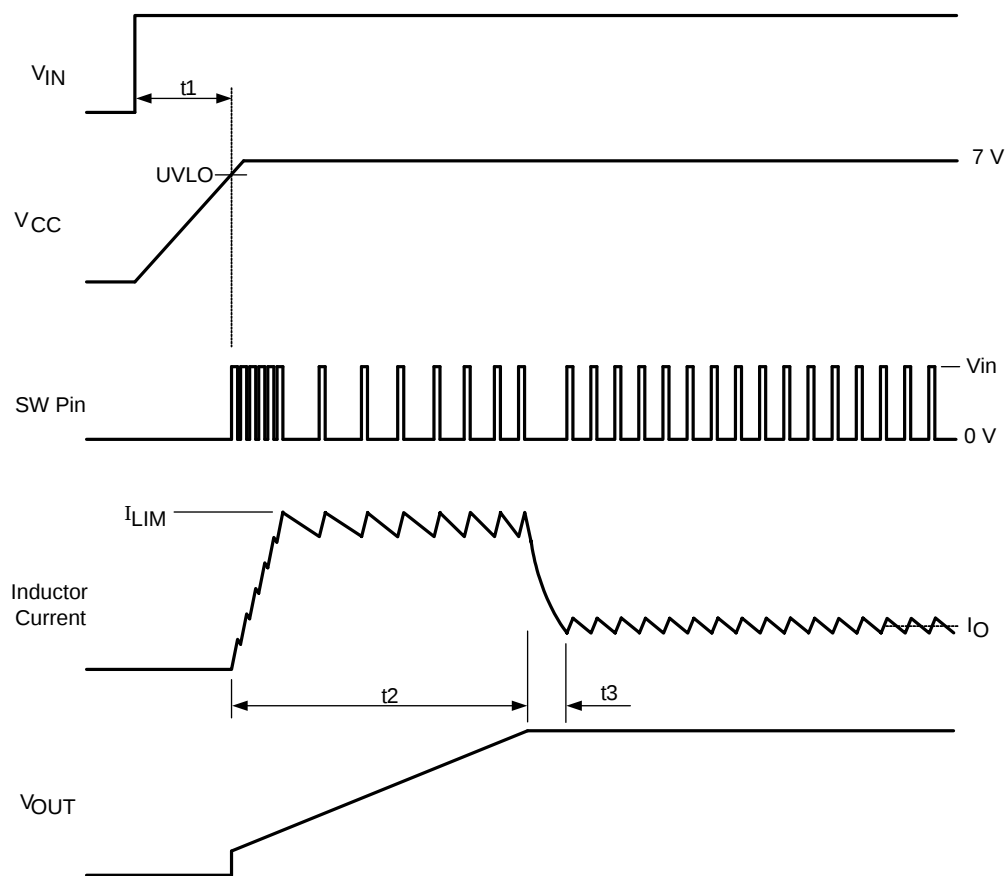


Figure 8. Start-Up Sequence

Feature Description (continued)

7.3.3 Regulation Comparator

The feedback voltage at FB is compared to an internal 2.5-V reference. In normal operation (the output voltage is regulated), an ON-time period is initiated when the voltage at FB falls below 2.5 V. The buck switch stays on for the ON time, causing the FB voltage to rise above 2.5 V. After the ON-time period, the buck switch stays off until the FB voltage again falls below 2.5 V. During start-up, the FB voltage is below 2.5 V at the end of each ON time, resulting in the minimum OFF-time of 300 ns. Bias current at the FB pin is nominally 100 nA.

7.3.4 Overvoltage Comparator

The feedback voltage at FB is compared to an internal 2.875-V reference. If the voltage at FB rises above 2.875 V, the ON-time pulse is immediately terminated. This condition can occur if the input voltage or the output load change suddenly. The buck switch does not turn on again until the voltage at FB falls below 2.5 V.

7.3.5 ON-Time Generator and Shutdown

The ON time for the LM5009A is determined by the R_T resistor, and is inversely proportional to the input voltage (V_{IN}). This results in a nearly constant frequency as V_{IN} is varied over the V_{IN} range. The ON-time equation for the LM5009A is calculated with [Equation 4](#).

$$T_{ON} = 1.385 \times 10^{-10} \times R_T / V_{IN} \quad (4)$$

R_T must be selected for a minimum ON time (at maximum V_{IN}) greater than 400 ns, for proper current limit operation. This requirement limits the maximum frequency for each application, depending on V_{IN} and V_{OUT} .

7.3.6 Current Limit

The LM5009A contains an intelligent current limit OFF timer. If the current in the Buck switch exceeds 0.3 A, the present cycle is immediately terminated, and a non-resetable OFF timer is initiated. The length of OFF time is controlled by an external resistor (R_{CL}) and the FB voltage (see [Figure 4](#)). When $FB = 0$ V, a maximum OFF time is required, and the time is preset to 35 μ s. This condition occurs when the output is shorted, and during the initial part of start-up. This amount of time ensures safe short circuit operation up to the maximum input voltage of

95 V. In cases of overload where the FB voltage is above 0 V (not a short circuit), the current limit OFF time is less than 35 μ s. Reducing the OFF time during less severe overloads reduces the amount of foldback, recovery time, and the start-up time. The OFF time is calculated with [Equation 5](#).

$$T_{OFF} = \frac{10^{-5}}{0.285 + \frac{V_{FB}}{(6.35 \times 10^{-6} \times R_{CL})}} \quad (5)$$

The current limit sensing circuit is blanked for the first 50 ns to 70 ns of each ON time, so it is not falsely tripped by the current surge which occurs at turnon. The current surge is required by the recirculating diode (D1) for the turnoff recovery.

7.3.7 N-Channel Buck Switch and Driver

The LM5009A integrates an N-channel Buck switch and associated floating high-voltage gate driver. The gate driver circuit works in conjunction with an external bootstrap capacitor and an internal high voltage diode. A 0.01- μ F ceramic capacitor (C4) connected between the BST pin and SW pin provides the voltage to the driver during the ON time.

During each OFF time, the SW pin is at approximately 0 V, and the bootstrap capacitor charges from V_{CC} through the internal diode. The minimum OFF timer, set to 300 ns, ensures a minimum time each cycle to recharge the bootstrap capacitor.

Feature Description (continued)

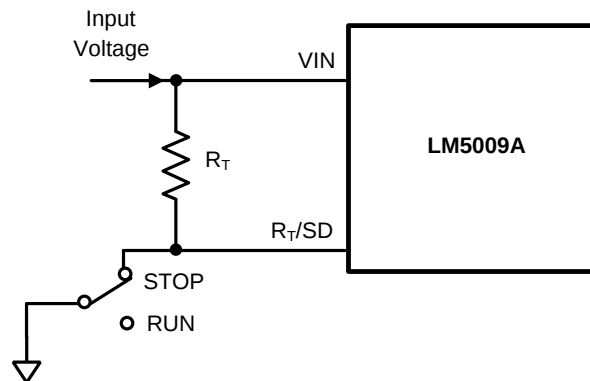
The internal precharge switch at the SW pin is turned on for approximately 150 ns during the minimum OFF-time period, ensuring sufficient voltage exists across the bootstrap capacitor for the ON time. This feature helps prevent operating problems which can occur during very light-load conditions, involving a long OFF time, during which the voltage across the bootstrap capacitor could otherwise reduce below the gate drive UVLO threshold. The precharge switch also helps prevent start-up problems which can occur if the output voltage is precharged prior to turnon. After current limit detection, the precharge switch is turned on for the entire duration of the forced OFF time.

7.3.8 Thermal Protection

The LM5009A must be operated so the junction temperature does not exceed 125°C during normal operation. An internal thermal shutdown circuit is provided to shutdown the LM5009A in the event of a higher than normal junction temperature. When activated, typically at 165°C, the controller is forced into a low power reset state by disabling the buck switch. This feature prevents catastrophic failures from accidental device overheating. When the junction temperature reduces below 140°C, normal operation is resumed (typical hysteresis = 25°C).

7.4 Device Functional Modes

The LM5009A is remotely disabled by taking the R_T/SD pin to ground, as shown in Figure 9. The voltage at the R_T/SD pin is between 1.5 V and 3 V, depending on V_{IN} and the value of the R_T resistor.



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Figure 9. Shutdown Implementation

8 Application and Implementation

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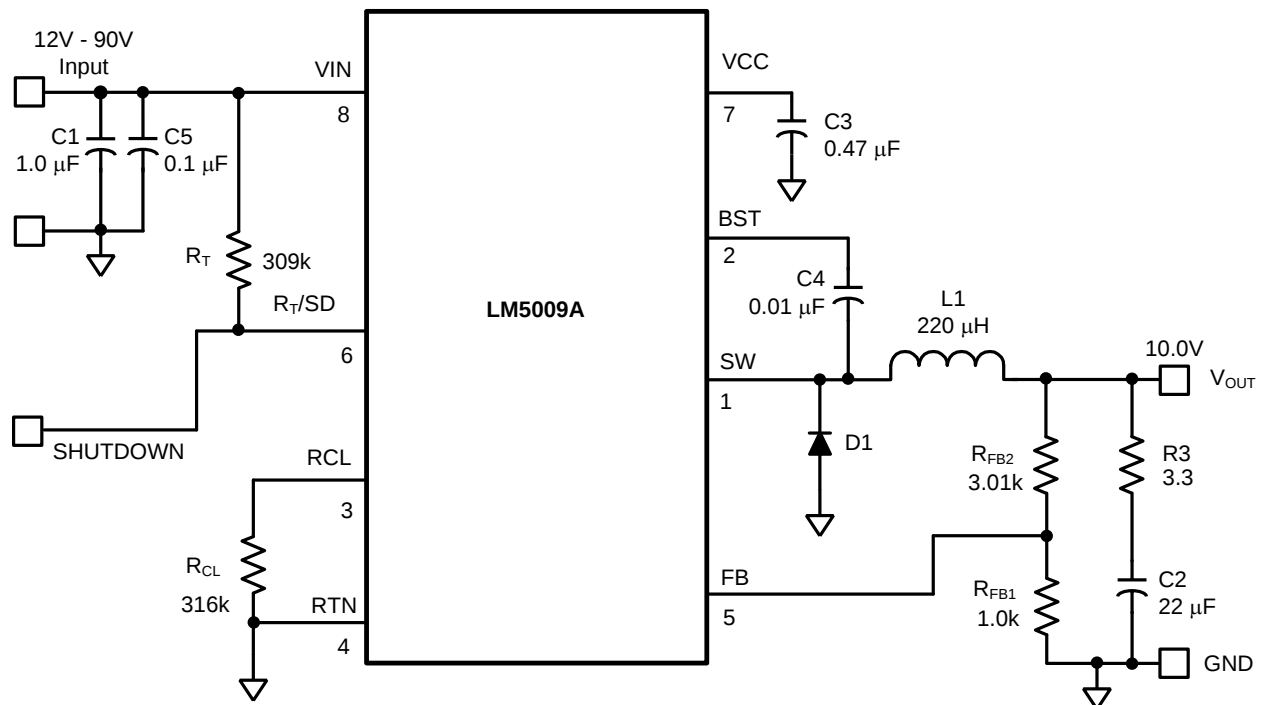
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8.1 Application Information

The LM5009A is a nonsynchronous buck regulator designed to operate over a wide input voltage range and output current. Spreadsheet-based quick-start calculation tools and the on-line WEBENCH® software can be used to create a buck design along with the bill of materials, estimated efficiency, and the complete solution cost.

8.2 Typical Application

The final circuit is shown in [Figure 10](#). The circuit was tested, and the resulting performance is shown in [Figure 11](#) and [Figure 12](#).



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Figure 10. LM5009A Example Circuit

8.2.1 Design Requirements

A guide for determining the component values is illustrated with a design example. See [Functional Block Diagram](#) and the Bill of Materials listed in [Table 2](#).

Table 1. Design Parameters

PARAMETER	VALUE
Input voltage range	12 V to 90 V
Output voltage	10 V
Load current range	100 mA to 150 mA

8.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure

Table 2. Bill of Materials

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	PART NUMBER	VALUE
C1	Ceramic capacitor	TDK C4532X7R2A105M	1 μ F, 100 V
C2	Ceramic capacitor	TDK C4532X7R1E226M	22 μ F, 25 V
C3	Ceramic capacitor	Kemet C1206C474K5RAC	0.47 μ F, 50 V
C4	Ceramic capacitor	Kemet C1206C103K5RAC	0.01 μ F, 50 V
C5	Ceramic capacitor	TDK C3216X7R2A104M	0.1 μ F, 100 V
D1	Schottky power diode	Diodes Inc. DFSL1100	100 V, 1 A
L1	Power inductor	COILTRONICS DR125-221-R or TDK SLF10145T-221MR65	220 μ H
R _{FB2}	Resistor	Vishay CRCW12063011F	3.01 k Ω
R _{FB1}	Resistor	Vishay CRCW12061001F	1 k Ω
R3	Resistor	Vishay CRCW12063R30F	3.3 Ω
R _T	Resistor	Vishay CRCW12063093F	309 k Ω
R _{CL}	Resistor	Vishay CRCW12063163F	316 k Ω
U1	Switching regulator	Texas Instruments LM5009A	—

8.2.2.1 R_{FB1} and R_{FB2}

$$V_{OUT} = V_{FB} \times (R_{FB1} + R_{FB2}) / R_{FB1} \quad (6)$$

Because $V_{FB} = 2.5$ V, the ratio of R_{FB2} to R_{FB1} calculates as 3:1. Standard values of 3.01 k Ω and 1 k Ω are chosen. Other values could be used as long as the 3:1 ratio is maintained.

8.2.2.2 F_s and R_T

The recommended operating frequency range for the LM5009A is 50 kHz to 1.1 MHz. Unless the application requires a specific frequency, the choice of frequency is generally a compromise, because it affects the size of L1 and C2, and the switching losses. The maximum allowed frequency, based on a minimum ON time of 400 ns, is calculated with [Equation 7](#).

$$F_{MAX} = V_{OUT} / (V_{INMAX} \times 400 \text{ ns}) \quad (7)$$

For this exercise, $F_{MAX} = 277$ kHz. From [Equation 2](#), R_T calculates to 260 k Ω . A standard value, 309-k Ω resistor is used to allow for tolerances in [Equation 2](#), resulting in a frequency of 234 kHz.

8.2.2.3 L1

The main parameter affected by the inductor is the output current ripple amplitude. The choice of inductor value therefore depends on both the minimum and maximum load currents, keeping in mind that the maximum ripple current occurs at maximum V_{IN} .

8.2.2.3.1 Minimum Load Current

To maintain continuous conduction at minimum I_O (100 mA), the ripple amplitude (I_{OR}) must be less than 200 mA peak-to-peak so the lower peak of the waveform does not reach zero. L1 is calculated using [Equation 8](#).

$$L1 = \frac{V_{OUT} \times (V_{IN} - V_{OUT})}{I_{OR} \times F_s \times V_{IN}} \quad (8)$$

At $V_{IN} = 90$ V, L1(min) calculates to 190 μ H. The next larger standard value (220 μ H) is chosen and with this value I_{OR} calculates to 173 mA peak-to-peak at $V_{IN} = 90$ V, and 32 mA peak-to-peak at $V_{IN} = 12$ V.

8.2.2.3.2 Maximum Load Current

At a load current of 150 mA, the peak of the ripple waveform must not reach the minimum value of the LM5009A's current limit threshold (240 mA). Therefore, the ripple amplitude must be less than 180 mA peak-to-peak, which is already satisfied in the above calculation. With $L1 = 220 \mu\text{H}$, at maximum V_{IN} and I_{O} , the peak of the ripple is 236 mA. While $L1$ must carry this peak current without saturating or exceeding the temperature rating, it also must be capable of carrying the maximum value of the LM5009A's current limit threshold (360 mA) without saturating, because the current limit is reached during startup.

The DC resistance of the inductor must be as low as possible to minimize the power loss.

8.2.2.4 C3

The capacitor on the V_{CC} output provides not only noise filtering and stability, but the primary purpose is to prevent false triggering of the V_{CC} UVLO at the buck switch on and off transitions. $C3$ must be no smaller than $0.47 \mu\text{F}$.

8.2.2.5 C2 and R3

When selecting the output filter capacitor $C2$, the items to consider are ripple voltage due to the ESR, ripple voltage due to the capacitance, and the nature of the load.

8.2.2.6 ESR and R3

A low ESR for $C2$ is generally desirable so as to minimize power losses and heating within the capacitor. However, the regulator requires a minimum amount of ripple voltage at the feedback input for proper loop operation. For the LM5009A, the minimum ripple required at pin 5 is 25 mV peak-to-peak, requiring a minimum ripple at V_{OUT} of 100 mV. Because the minimum ripple current (at minimum V_{IN}) is 32 mA peak-to-peak, the minimum ESR required at V_{OUT} is $100 \text{ mV} / 32 \text{ mA} = 3.12 \Omega$. Because quality capacitors for SMPS applications have an ESR considerably less than this, $R3$ is inserted as shown in [Functional Block Diagram](#). $R3$'s value, along with $C2$'s ESR, must result in at least 25 mV peak-to-peak ripple at pin 5. Generally, $R3$ is 0.5Ω to 4Ω .

8.2.2.7 C2

$C2$ must generally be no smaller than $3.3 \mu\text{F}$. Typically, the value is $10 \mu\text{F}$ to $20 \mu\text{F}$ with the optimum value determined by the load. If the load current is fairly constant, a small value suffices for $C2$. If the load current includes significant transients, a larger value is necessary. For each application, experimentation is required to determine the optimum values for $R3$ and $C2$.

8.2.2.8 R_{CL}

When current limit is detected, the minimum OFF-time set by this resistor must be greater than the maximum normal OFF time, which occurs at maximum input voltage. Using [Equation 4](#), the minimum ON time is 476 ns, yielding an OFF time of $3.8 \mu\text{s}$ (at 234 kHz). Due to the 25% tolerance on the ON time, the OFF-time tolerance is also 25%, yielding a maximum OFF time of $4.75 \mu\text{s}$. Allowing for the response time of the current limit detection circuit (350 ns) increases the maximum OFF time to $5.1 \mu\text{s}$. This is increased an additional 25% to $6.4 \mu\text{s}$ to allow for the tolerances of [Equation 5](#). Using [Equation 5](#), R_{CL} calculates to $310 \text{ k}\Omega$ at $V_{\text{FB}} = 2.5 \text{ V}$. A standard value $316\text{-k}\Omega$ resistor is used.

8.2.2.9 D1

The important parameters are reverse recovery time and forward voltage. The reverse recovery time determines how long the reverse current surge lasts each time the buck switch is turned on. The forward voltage drop is significant in the event the output is short-circuited as it is only this diode's voltage which forces the inductor current to reduce during the forced OFF time. For this reason, a higher voltage is better, although that affects efficiency. A good choice is a Schottky power diode, such as the DFSL1100. The reverse voltage rating of $D1$ must be at least as great as the maximum V_{IN} , and the current rating must be greater than the maximum current limit threshold (360 mA).

8.2.2.10 C1

C1 supplies most of the switch current during the ON time, and limit the voltage ripple at V_{IN} , on the assumption that the voltage source feeding V_{IN} has an output impedance greater than zero. At maximum load current, when the buck switch turns on, the current into pin 8 suddenly increases to the lower peak of the output current waveform, ramp up to the peak value, then drop to zero at turnoff. The average input current during this ON time is the load current (150 mA). For a worst-case calculation, C1 must supply this average load current during the maximum ON time. To keep the input voltage ripple to less than 2 V (for this exercise), C1 is calculated with Equation 9.

$$C1 = \frac{I \times t_{ON}}{\Delta V} = \frac{0.15A \times 3.57 \mu s}{2.0V} = 0.268 \mu F \quad (9)$$

Quality ceramic capacitors in this value have a low ESR, which adds only a few millivolts to the ripple. It is the capacitance which is dominant in this case. To allow for the capacitor's tolerance, temperature effects, and voltage effects, a 1- μ F, 100-V X7R capacitor is used.

8.2.2.11 C4

The recommended value for C4 is 0.01 μ F, as this is appropriate in the majority of applications. A high-quality ceramic capacitor, with low ESR is recommended as C4 supplies the surge current to charge the buck switch gate at turnon. A low ESR also ensures a quick recharge during each OFF time. At minimum V_{IN} , when the ON time is at maximum, it is possible during start-up that C4 does not fully re-charge during each 300 ns OFF time. The circuit is not able to complete the start-up, and achieve output regulation. This can occur when the frequency is intended to be low (for example, $R_T = 500$ K). In this case, C4 must be increased so it can maintain sufficient voltage across the buck switch driver during each ON time.

8.2.2.12 C5

This capacitor helps avoid supply voltage transients and ringing due to long lead inductance at V_{IN} . TI recommends placing a low-ESR, 0.1- μ F ceramic chip capacitor close to the LM5009A.

8.2.2.13 Ripple Configuration

The LM5009A uses a constant-ON-time (COT) control scheme where the ON time is terminated by a one-shot and the OFF time is terminated by the feedback voltage (V_{FB}) falling below the reference voltage. Therefore, for stable operation, the feedback voltage must decrease monotonically in phase with the inductor current during the OFF time. Furthermore, this change in feedback voltage (V_{FB}) during OFF time must be large enough to dominate any noise present at the feedback node.

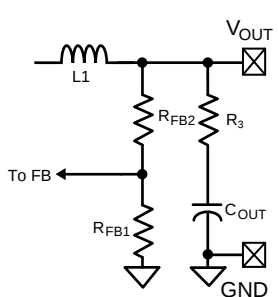
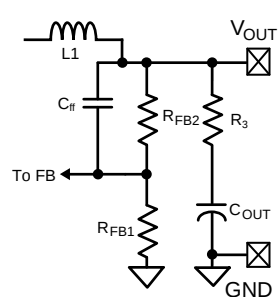
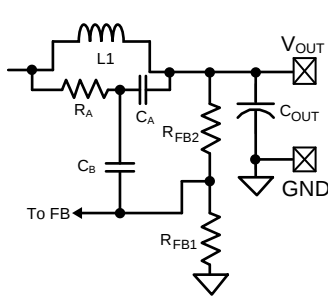
Table 3 presents three different methods for generating appropriate voltage ripple at the feedback node. Type 1 and type 2 ripple circuits couple the ripple from the output of the converter to the feedback node (FB). The output voltage ripple has two components:

1. Capacitive ripple caused by the inductor current ripple charging or discharging the output capacitor.
2. Resistive ripple caused by the inductor current ripple flowing through the ESR of the output capacitor and $R3$.

The capacitive ripple is out of phase with the inductor current. As a result, the capacitive ripple does not decrease monotonically during the OFF time. The resistive ripple is in phase with the inductor current and decreases monotonically during the OFF time. The resistive ripple must exceed the capacitive ripple at output (V_{OUT}) for stable operation. If this condition is not satisfied, then unstable switching behavior is observed in COT converters with multiple ON-time bursts in close succession followed by a long OFF time.

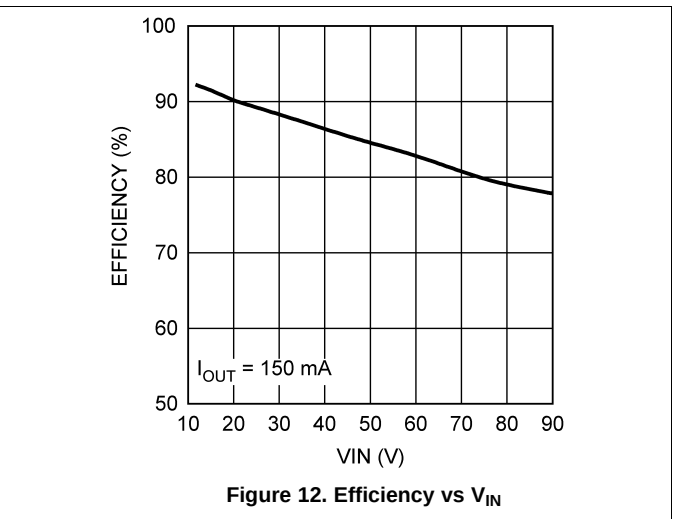
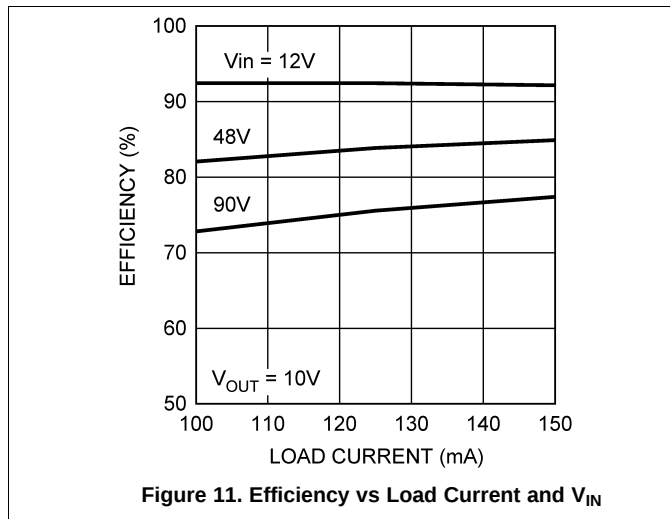
The type 3 ripple method uses a ripple injection circuit with R_A , C_A , and the switch node (SW) voltage to generate a triangular ramp. This triangular ramp is then ac-coupled into the feedback node (FB) using the capacitor C_B . This circuit is suited for applications where low output voltage ripple is imperative because this circuit does not use the output voltage ripple.

Table 3. Ripple Configuration

TYPE 1	TYPE 2	TYPE 3
Lowest cost	Reduced ripple	Minimum ripple
		
$R_3 \geq \frac{25 \text{ mV} \times V_O}{V_{REF} \times \Delta I_{L1, \min}} \quad (10)$	$C_{ff} \geq \frac{5}{F_{SW} \times (R_{FB2} \parallel R_{FB1})}$ $R_3 \geq \frac{25 \text{ mV}}{\Delta I_{L1, \min}} \quad (11)$	$R_A C_A \leq \frac{(V_{IN, \min} - V_O) \times T_{ON}(@ V_{IN, \min})}{25 \text{ mV}} \quad (12)$

See [AN-1481 Controlling Output Ripple and Achieving ESR Independence in Constant On-Time \(COT\) Regulator Designs](#) (SNVA166) for more details on each ripple generation method.

8.2.3 Application Curves



9 Power Supply Recommendations

The LM5009A is designed to operate with an input power supply capable of supplying a voltage range from 6 V to 95 V. The input power supply must be well regulated and capable of supplying sufficient current to the regulator during peak load operation. Also, like in all applications, the power-supply source impedance must be small compared to the module input impedance to maintain the stability of the converter.

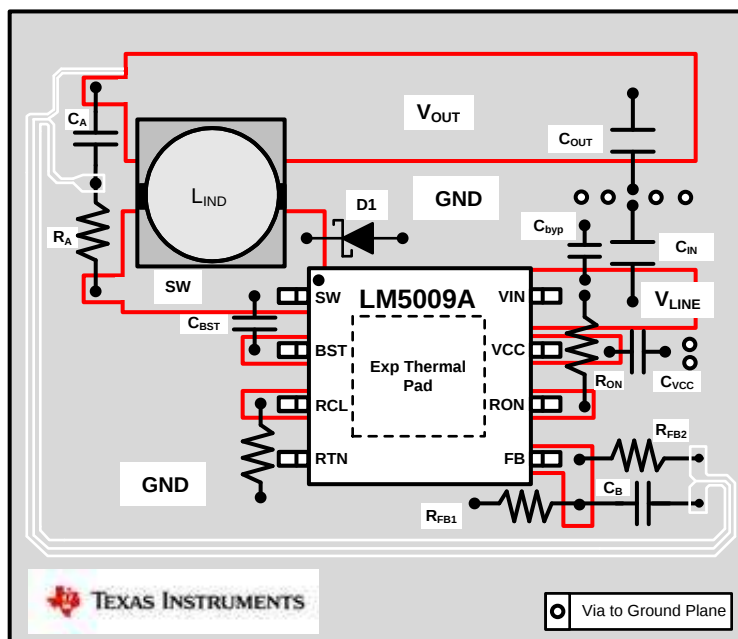
10 Layout

10.1 Layout Guidelines

The LM5009A regulation and overvoltage comparators are very fast, and as such respond to short duration noise pulses. Therefore, layout considerations are critical for optimum performance. The components at pins 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 must be as physically close as possible to the IC, thereby minimizing noise pickup in the PC tracks. The current loop formed by D1, L1, and C2 must be as small as possible. The ground connection from D1 to C1 must be as short and direct as possible.

If the internal dissipation of the LM5009A produces excessive junction temperatures during normal operation, good use of the PCB ground plane can help to dissipate heat. The exposed pad on the bottom of the 8-pin WSON package is soldered to a ground plane on the PCB, and that plane must extend out from beneath the IC to help dissipate the heat. Additionally, the use of wide PCB traces, where possible, can also help conduct heat away from the IC. Judicious positioning of the PCB within the end product, along with use of any available air flow (forced or natural convection) can help reduce the junction temperatures.

10.2 Layout Example



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Figure 13. LM5009A Buck Layout Example With the WSON Package

11 Device and Documentation Support

11.1 Documentation Support

11.1.1 Related Documentation

For related documentation see the following:

[AN-1481 Controlling Output Ripple and Achieving ESR Independence in Constant On-Time \(COT\) Regulator Designs](#) (SNVA166)

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11.6 Glossary

[SLYZ022](#) — *TI Glossary*.

This glossary lists and explains terms, acronyms, and definitions.

12 Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information

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Orderable Device	Status (1)	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	Package Qty	Eco Plan (2)	Lead/Ball Finish (6)	MSL Peak Temp (3)	Op Temp (°C)	Device Marking (4/5)	Samples
LM5009AMM/NOPB	ACTIVE	VSSOP	DGK	8	1000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	SN	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 125	SLLA	Samples
LM5009AMMX/NOPB	ACTIVE	VSSOP	DGK	8	3500	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	SN	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 125	SLLA	Samples
LM5009ASD/NOPB	ACTIVE	WSO	NGU	8	1000	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	SN	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 125	5009ASD	Samples
LM5009ASDX/NOPB	ACTIVE	WSO	NGU	8	4500	Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)	SN	Level-1-260C-UNLIM	-40 to 125	5009ASD	Samples

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LM5009AMM/NOPB	VSSOP	DGK	8	1000	178.0	12.4	5.3	3.4	1.4	8.0	12.0	Q1
LM5009AMMX/NOPB	VSSOP	DGK	8	3500	330.0	12.4	5.3	3.4	1.4	8.0	12.0	Q1
LM5009ASD/NOPB	WSO	NGU	8	1000	178.0	12.4	4.3	4.3	1.3	8.0	12.0	Q1
LM5009ASDX/NOPB	WSO	NGU	8	4500	330.0	12.4	4.3	4.3	1.3	8.0	12.0	Q1

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LM5009AMM/NOPB	VSSOP	DGK	8	1000	210.0	185.0	35.0
LM5009AMMX/NOPB	VSSOP	DGK	8	3500	367.0	367.0	35.0
LM5009ASD/NOPB	WSO	NGU	8	1000	210.0	185.0	35.0
LM5009ASDX/NOPB	WSO	NGU	8	4500	367.0	367.0	35.0

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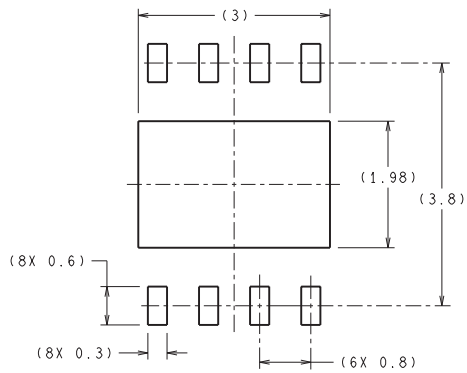
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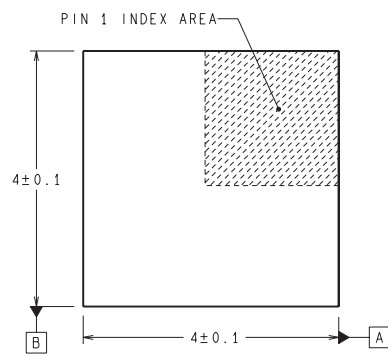


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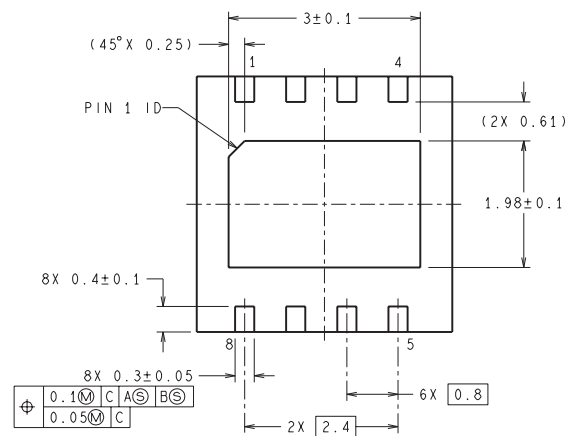
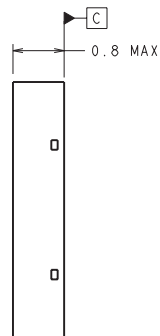
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