

17-V 1.5-A SYNCHRONOUS STEP-DOWN CONVERTER

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FEATURES

- Qualified for Automotive Applications
- AEC-Q100 Qualified With the Following Results:
 - Device Temperature Grade 1: –40°C to 125°C Ambient Operating Temperature Range
 - Device HBM ESD Classification Level H2
 - Device CDM ESD Classification Level C3B
- High-Efficiency Synchronous Step-Down Converter With up to 95% Efficiency
- 3.1-V to 17-V Operating Input Voltage Range
- Adjustable Output Voltage Range From 1.2 V to 16 V
- Synchronizable to External Clock Signal up to 1.4 MHz
- Up to 1.5-A Output Current
- High Efficiency Over a Wide Load Current Range Due to PFM/PWM Operation Mode
- 100% Maximum Duty Cycle for Lowest Dropout
- 20-μA Quiescent Current (Typical)
- Overtemperature and Overcurrent Protected
- Available in 16 Pin QFN Package

DESCRIPTION/ORDERING INFORMATION

The TPS62110 is a low-noise synchronous step-down dc-dc converter that is ideally suited for systems powered from a 2-cell Li-ion battery or from a 12-V or 15-V rail.

The TPS62110 is a synchronous PWM converter with integrated N-channel and P-channel power MOSFET switches. Synchronous rectification is used to increase efficiency and to reduce external component count. To achieve highest efficiency over a wide load current range, the converter enters a power-saving, pulse-frequency modulation (PFM) mode at light load currents. Operating frequency is typically 1 MHz, allowing the use of small inductor and capacitor values. The device can be synchronized to an external clock signal in the range of 0.8 MHz to 1.4 MHz. For low noise operation, the converter can be operated in PWM-only mode. In the shutdown mode, the current consumption is reduced to less than 2 μA. The TPS62110 is available in the 16-pin (RSA) QFN package and operates over a free-air temperature range of –40°C to 125°C.

ORDERING INFORMATION⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

T _A	ORDERABLE PART NUMBER	TOP-SIDE MARKING
–40°C to 125°C	TPS62110QRSARQ1	TPS62110Q

(1) For the most current package and ordering information, see the Package Option Addendum at the end of this document, or see the TI web site at www.ti.com.

(2) Package drawings, thermal data, and symbolization are available at www.ti.com/packaging.



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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS⁽¹⁾

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

PARAMETER		VALUE
V _{CC}	Supply voltage at VIN, VINA	–0.3 V to 20 V
V _I	Voltage at SW	–0.3 V to V _I
	Voltage at EN, SYNC, LBO, PG	–0.3 V to 20 V
	Voltage at LBI, FB	–0.3 V to 7 V
I _O	Output current at SW	2400 mA
T _J	Maximum junction temperature	150°C
T _{stg}	Storage temperature	–65°C to 150°C
ESD ratings	Human body model (HBM) AEC-Q100 Classification Level H2	2 kV
	Charged device model (CDM) AEC-Q100 Classification Level C3B	750 V

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

DISSIPATION RATINGS⁽¹⁾

PACKAGE	T _A ≤ 25°C POWER RATING	DERATING FACTOR ABOVE T _A = 25°C	T _A = 70°C POWER RATING	T _A = 85°C POWER RATING
RSA	2.5 W	25 mW/°C	1.375 W	1 W

- (1) Based on a thermal resistance of 40 K/W soldered onto a high K board.

RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS

		MIN	MAX	UNIT
V _{CC}	Supply voltage at VIN, VINA	3.1	17	V
	Maximum voltage at power-good, LBO, EN, SYNC		17	V
T _J	Operating junction temperature	–40	125	°C

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

 $V_I = 12\text{ V}$, $V_O = 3.3\text{ V}$, $I_O = 600\text{ mA}$, $EN = V_I$, $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 125°C (unless otherwise noted)

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
SUPPLY CURRENT						
V _I	Input voltage range ⁽¹⁾		3.1		17	V
I _(Q)	Operating quiescent current	I _O = 0 mA, SYNC = GND, V _I = 7.2 V, T _A = 25°C ⁽²⁾		20		μA
		I _O = 0 mA, SYNC = GND, V _I = 17 V ⁽²⁾		23	29	
I _(SD)	Shutdown current	EN = GND		1.5	5	μA
		EN = GND, T _A = 25°C, V _I = 7.2 V		1.5	3	
ENABLE						
V _{IH}	EN high-level input voltage		1.3			V
V _{IL}	EN low-level input voltage				0.3	V
	EN trip-point hysteresis			170		mV
I _{IKG}	EN input leakage current	EN = GND or V _I , V _I = 17 V		0.01	0.2	μA
I _(EN)	EN input current	0.6 V ≤ V _(EN) ≤ 4 V		10		μA
V _(UVLO)	Undervoltage lockout threshold	Input voltage falling	2.8	3	3.1	V
	Undervoltage lockout hysteresis			250		mV
POWER SWITCH						
r _{DS(ON)}	P-channel MOSFET on-resistance	V _I ≥ 5.4 V, I _O = 350 mA		165	250	mΩ
		V _I = 3.5 V, I _O = 200 mA		340		
		V _I = 3 V, I _O = 100 mA		490		
	P-channel MOSFET leakage current	V _{DS} = 17 V		0.1	1	μA
	P-channel MOSFET current limit	V _I = 7.2 V, V _O = 3.3 V		2400		mA
r _{DS(ON)}	N-channel MOSFET on-resistance	V _I ≥ 5.4 V, I _O = 350 mA		145	200	mΩ
		V _I = 3.5 V, I _O = 200 mA		170		
		V _I = 3 V, I _O = 100 mA		200		
	N-channel MOSFET leakage current	V _{DS} = 17 V		0.1	3	μA
POWER GOOD OUTPUT, LBI, LBO						
V _(PG)	Power good trip voltage			V _O – 1.6%		V
	Power good delay time	V _O ramping positive		50		μs
		V _O ramping negative		200		
V _{OL}	PG, LBO output low voltage	V _(FB) = 1.1 × V _O nominal, I _{OL} = 1 mA			0.3	V
I _{OL}	PG, LBO sink current			1		mA
	PG, LBO output leakage current	V _(FB) = V _O nominal		0.01	0.25	μA
	Minimum supply voltage for valid power good, LBI, LBO signal			3		V
V _{LBI}	Low battery input trip voltage	Input voltage falling		1.256		V
I _{LBI}	LBI input leakage current			10	100	nA
	Low battery input trip-point accuracy			1.5		%
V _{LBI,HYS}	Low battery input hysteresis			25		mV

(1) Not production tested

(2) Device is not switching.

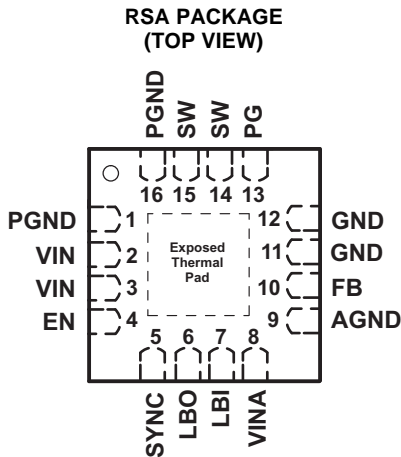
ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued)
 $V_I = 12\text{ V}$, $V_O = 3.3\text{ V}$, $I_O = 600\text{ mA}$, $EN = V_I$, $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 125°C (unless otherwise noted)

PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
OSCILLATOR						
f_S	Oscillator frequency		900	1000	1100	kHz
$f_{(\text{SYNC})}$	Synchronization range	CMOS-logic clock signal on SYNC pin	800		1400	kHz
V_{IH}	SYNC high-level input voltage		1.5			V
V_{IL}	SYNC low-level input voltage				0.3	V
I_{lkg}	SYNC input leakage current	SYNC = GND or VIN		0.01	0.2	μA
	SYNC trip-point hysteresis			170		mV
	SYNC input current	$0.6\text{ V} \leq V_{(\text{SYNC})} \leq 4\text{ V}$		10	20	μA
	Duty cycle of external clock signal		30		90	%
OUTPUT						
V_O	Adjustable output voltage range		1.153		16	V
V_{FB}	Feedback voltage			1.153		V
	FB leakage current			10	100	nA
	Feedback voltage tolerance ⁽³⁾	$V_I = 3.1\text{ V}$ to 17 V , $0\text{ mA} < I_O < 1500\text{ mA}$ ⁽⁴⁾	85°C	–2	2	%
			105°C	–2.8	2.8	
			125°C	–6	6	
I_O	Maximum output current	$V_I \geq 3\text{ V}$ (once undervoltage lockout voltage exceeded)		100		mA
		$V_I \geq 3.5\text{ V}$		500		
		$V_I \geq 4.3\text{ V}$		1200		
		$V_I \geq 6\text{ V}$		1500		
η	Efficiency	$V_I = 7.2\text{ V}$, $V_O = 3.3\text{ V}$, $I_O = 600\text{ mA}$		92		%
		$V_I = 12\text{ V}$, $V_O = 5\text{ V}$, $I_O = 600\text{ mA}$				
	Duty cycle range for main switches	at 1 MHz	10		100	%
	Minimum t_{on} time for main switch			100		ns
	Shutdown temperature			145		°C
	Start-up time	$I_O = 800\text{ mA}$, $V_I = 12\text{ V}$, $V_O = 3.3\text{ V}$		1		ms

(3) Not production tested

(4) The maximum output current depends on the input voltage. See the *maximum output current* for further restrictions on the minimum input voltage.

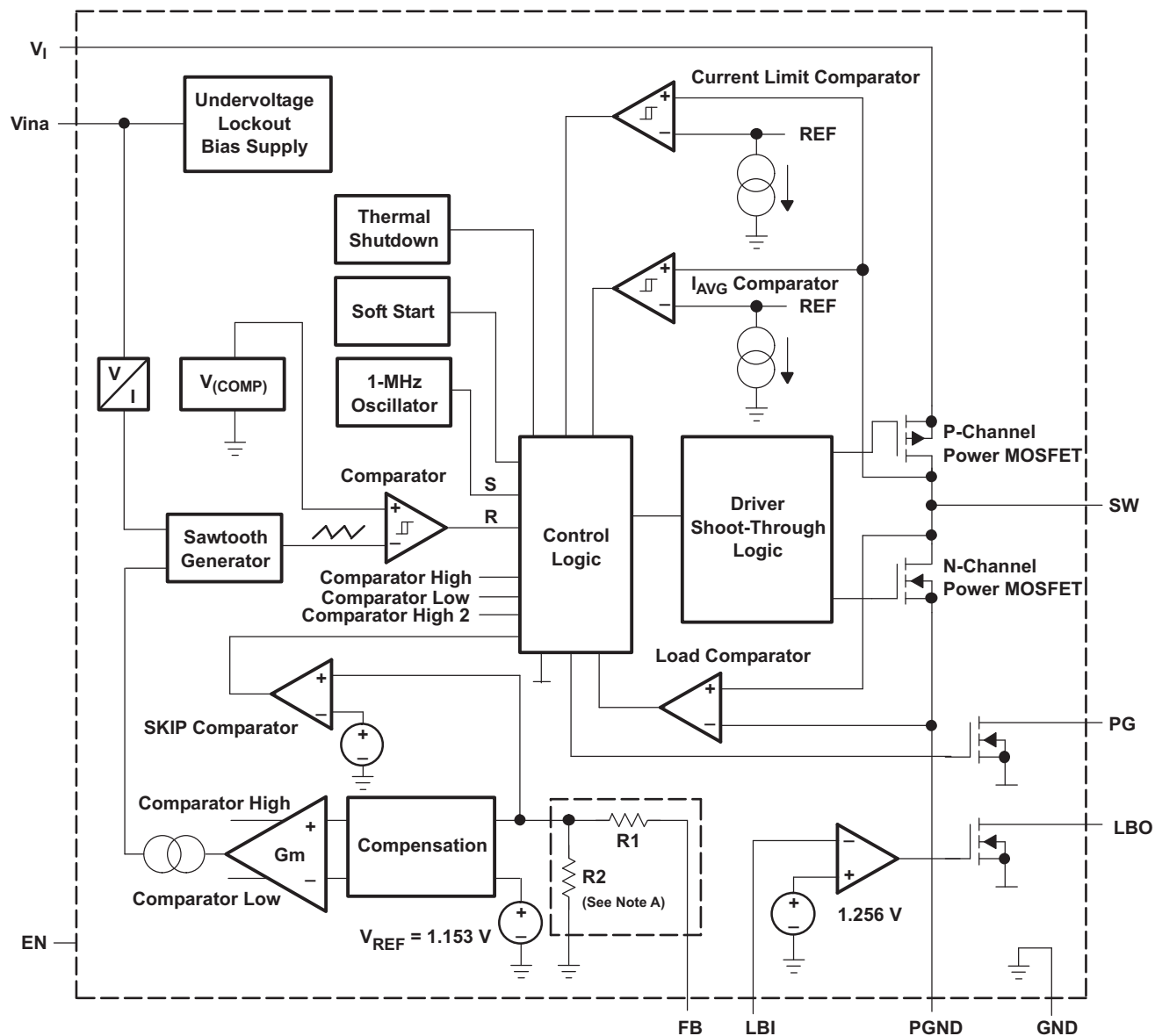
DEVICE INFORMATION



TERMINAL FUNCTIONS

TERMINAL		I/O	DESCRIPTION
NAME	NO.		
EN	4	I	Enable. A logic high enables the converter; logic low forces the device into shutdown mode reducing the supply current to less than 2 μ A.
FB	10	I	An external resistive divider is connected to this pin to set the output voltage.
LBO	6	O	Open-drain low-battery output. This pin is pulled low if LBI is below its threshold.
GND	11, 12	I	Ground
LBI	7	I	Low-battery input
SW	14, 15	O	Connect the inductor to this pin. This pin is the switch pin and connected to the drain of the internal power MOSFETS.
PG	13	O	Power good comparator output. This is an open-drain output. A pullup resistor should be connected between PG and VOUT. The output goes active high when the output voltage is greater than 98.4% of the nominal value.
PGND	1, 16	I	Power ground. Connect all power grounds to this pin.
AGND	9	I	Analog ground, connect to GND and PGND
SYNC	5	I	Input for synchronization to external clock signal. Synchronizes the converter switching frequency to an external clock signal with CMOS level: SYNC = HIGH: Low-noise mode enabled, fixed frequency PWM operation is forced SYNC = LOW (GND): Power save mode enabled, PFM/PWM mode enabled
VIN	2, 3	I	Supply voltage input (power stage)
VINA	8	I	Supply voltage input (support circuits)
Thermal pad			Connect to AGND

FUNCTIONAL BLOCK DIAGRAM



- A. For the adjustable version (TPS62110), the internal feedback divider is disabled and the FB pin is directly connected to the internal GM amplifier.

TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Table of Graphs

			FIGURE
Efficiency	vs	Output current (1.8 V)	1, 2
Efficiency	vs	Output current (1.5 V)	3, 4
Switching frequency	vs	Input voltage	5
Quiescent current	vs	Input voltage	16

Graphs with $V_O = 1.8\text{ V}$ were taken using the circuit according to [Figure 10](#).

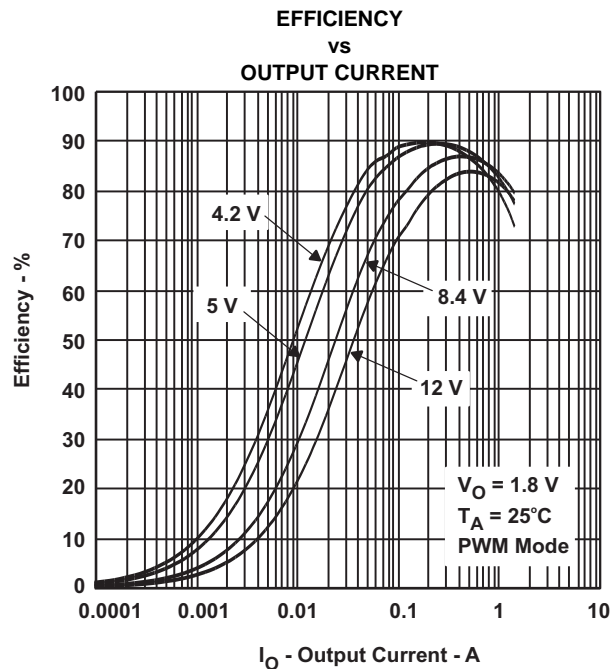


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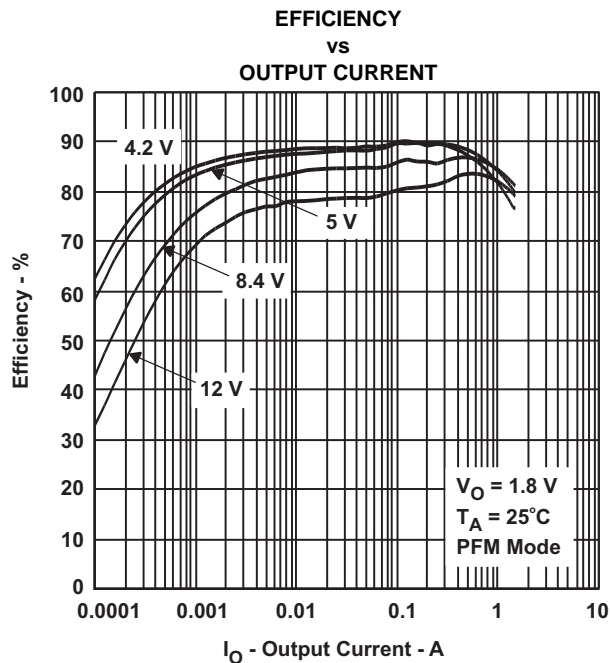


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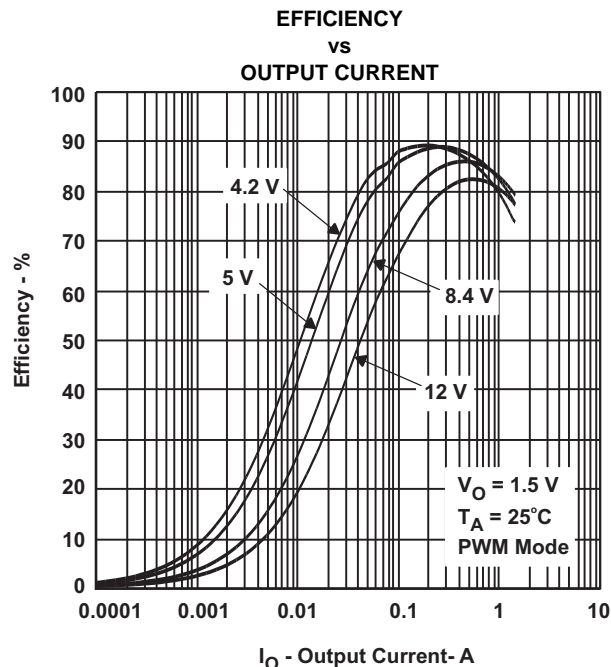


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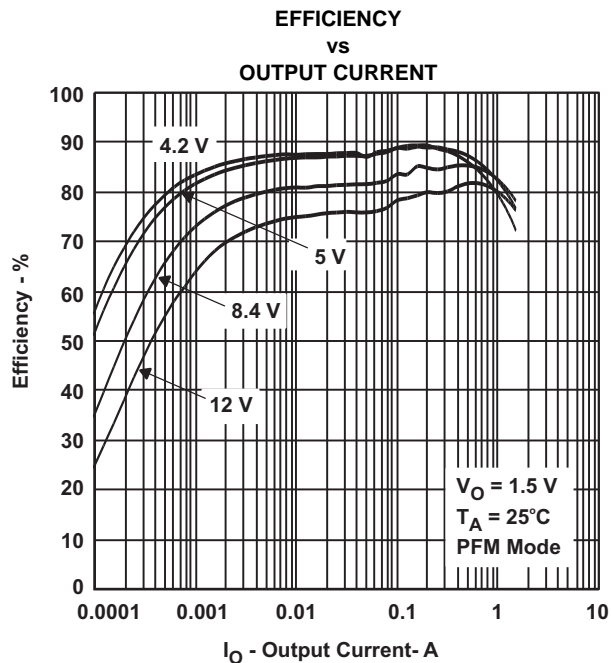


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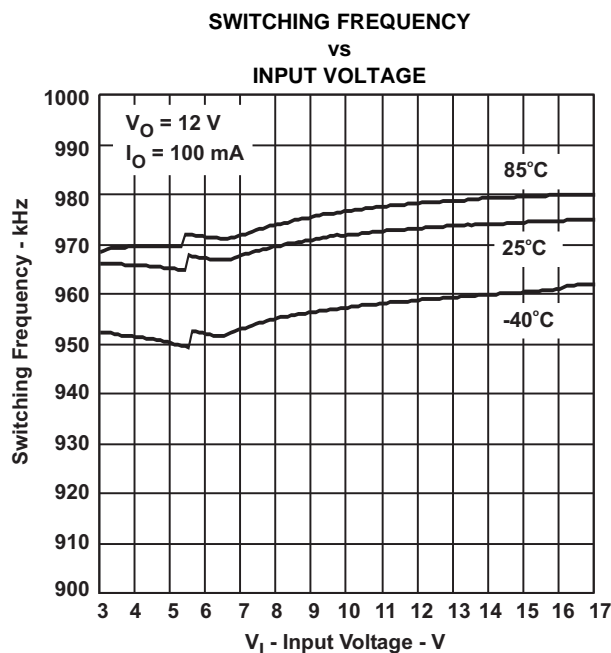


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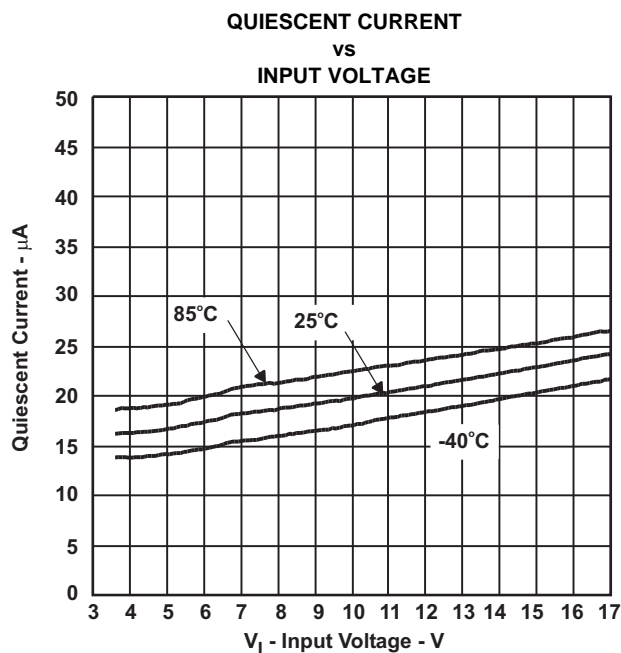


Figure 6.

The graphs were generated using the EVM with the setup according to [Figure 7](#) unless otherwise noted. The output voltage divider was adjusted according to [Table 4](#).

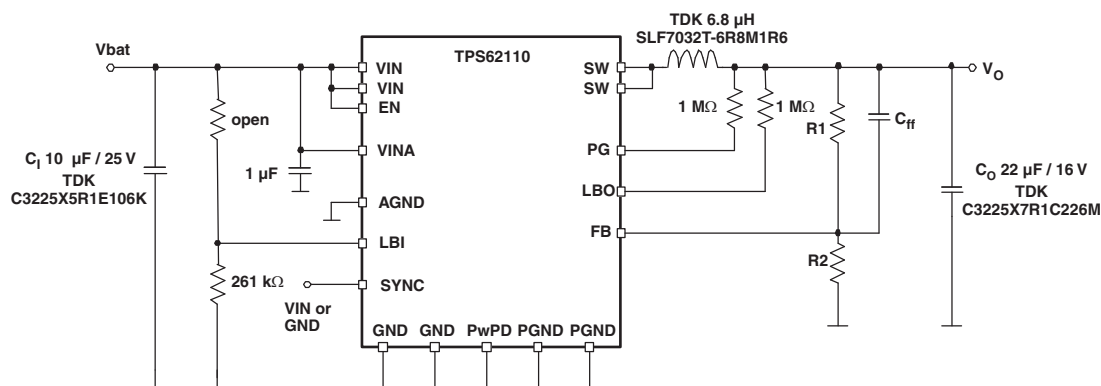


Figure 7. Test Setup

DETAILED DESCRIPTION

OPERATION

The TPS62110 is a synchronous step-down converter that operates with a 1-MHz fixed frequency pulse width modulation (PWM) at moderate-to-heavy load currents and enters the power save mode at light load current.

During PWM operation, the converter uses a unique fast response voltage mode control scheme with input voltage feed-forward. Good line and load regulation is achieved with the use of small input and output ceramic capacitors. At the beginning of each clock cycle initiated by the clock signal (S), the P-channel MOSFET switch is turned on, and the inductor current ramps up until the comparator trips and the control logic turns the switch off. The switch is turned off by the current limit comparator if the current limit of the P-channel switch is exceeded. After the dead time prevents current shoot through, the N-channel MOSFET rectifier is turned on, and the inductor current ramps down. The next cycle is initiated by the clock signal turning off the N-channel rectifier, and turning on the P-channel switch.

The error amplifier as well as the input voltage determines the rise time of the sawtooth generator. Therefore, any change in input voltage or output voltage directly controls the duty cycle of the converter giving a very good line and load transient regulation.

CONSTANT FREQUENCY MODE OPERATION (SYNC = HIGH)

In constant frequency mode, the output voltage is regulated by varying the duty cycle of the PWM signal in the range of 100% to 10%. Connecting the SYNC pin to a voltage greater than 1.5 V forces the converter to operate permanently in the PWM mode even at light or no-load currents. The advantage is that the converter operates with a fixed switching frequency that allows simple filtering of the switching frequency for noise-sensitive applications. In this mode, the efficiency is lower compared to the power save mode during light loads. The N-MOSFET of the devices stay on even when the current into the output drops to zero. This prevents the device from going into discontinuous mode, and the device transfers unused energy back to the input. Therefore, there is no ringing at the output, which usually occurs in discontinuous mode. The duty cycle range in constant frequency mode is 100% to 10%.

It is possible to switch from forced PWM mode to the power save mode during operation by pulling the SYNC pin LOW. The flexible configuration of the SYNC pin during operation of the device allows efficient power management by adjusting the operation of the TPS62110 to the specific system requirements.

POWER SAVE MODE OPERATION (SYNC = LOW)

As the load current decreases, the converter enters the power save mode operation. During power save mode, the converter operates with reduced switching frequency in pulse frequency modulation (PFM), and with a minimum quiescent current to maintain high efficiency. Whenever the average output current goes below the skip threshold, the converter enters the power save mode. The average current depends on the input voltage. It is about 200 mA at low input voltages and up to 400 mA with maximum input voltage. The average output current must be below the threshold for at least 32 clock cycles to enter the power save mode. During the power save mode, the output voltage is monitored with a comparator and the output voltage is regulated in to a typical value between the nominal output voltage and 0.8% above the nominal output voltage. When the output voltage falls below the nominal output voltage, the P-channel switch turns on. The P-channel switch is turned off as the peak switch current is reached. The N-channel rectifier is turned on, and the inductor current ramps down. As the inductor current approaches zero, the N-channel rectifier is turned off and the switch is turned on starting the next pulse. When the output voltage can not be reached with a single pulse, the device continues to switch with its normal operating frequency until the comparator detects the output voltage to be 0.8% above the nominal output voltage. This control method reduces the quiescent current to 20 μ A (typical), and reduces the switching frequency to a minimum that achieves the highest converter efficiency.

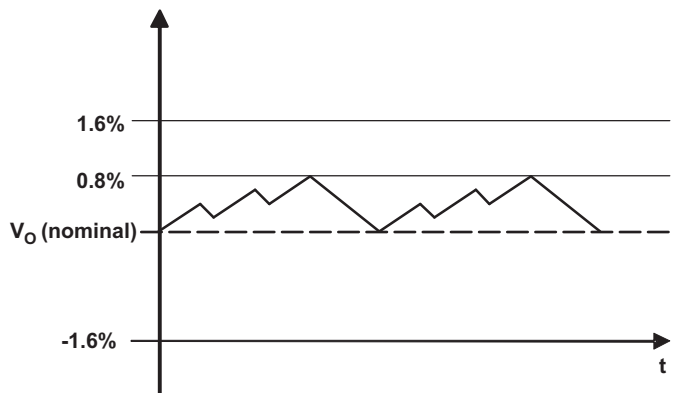


Figure 8. Power Save Mode Output Voltage Thresholds

The typical PFM (SKIP) current threshold for the TPS62110 is given by:

$$I_{SKIP} \approx \frac{V_I}{25 \Omega} \quad (1)$$

Equation 1 is valid for input voltages up to 7 V. For higher voltages, the skip current threshold is not increased further. The converter enters the fixed frequency PWM mode as soon as the output voltage falls below $V_O - 1.6\%$ (nominal).

SOFT START

The TPS62110 has an internal soft-start circuit that limits the inrush current during start-up. This prevents possible voltage drops of the input voltage when a battery or a high-impedance power source is connected to the input of the TPS62110.

The soft start is implemented as a digital circuit increasing the switch current in steps of 300 mA, 600 mA, 1200 mA. The typical switch current limit is 2.4 A. Therefore, the start-up time depends on the output capacitor and load current. Typical start-up time with a 22 μ F output capacitor and 800-mA load current is 1 ms.

100% DUTY CYCLE LOW DROPOUT OPERATION

The TPS62110 offers the lowest possible input to output voltage difference while still maintaining operation with the use of the 100% duty cycle mode. In this mode, the P-channel switch is constantly turned on. This is particularly useful in battery-powered applications to achieve the longest operation time, taking full advantage of the whole battery voltage range. The minimum input voltage to maintain regulation depends on the load current and output voltage, and is calculated as:

$$V_{I \min} = V_{O \max} + I_{O \max} \cdot (r_{DS(on) \max} + R_{(L)}) \quad (2)$$

with:

$I_{O \max}$ = maximum output current plus inductor ripple current

$r_{DS(on) \max}$ = maximum P-channel switch $r_{DS(on)}$

$R_{(L)}$ = dc resistance of the inductor

$V_{O \max}$ = nominal output voltage plus maximum output voltage tolerance

ENABLE

Logic low on EN forces the TPS62110 into shutdown. In shutdown, the power switch, drivers, voltage reference, oscillator, and all other functions are turned off. The supply current is reduced to less than 2 μA in the shutdown mode. When the device is in thermal shutdown, the bandgap is forced to be switched on even if the device is set into shutdown by pulling EN to GND.

If an output voltage is present when the device is disabled, which could be due to an external voltage source or a super capacitor, the reverse leakage current is specified under electrical characteristics. Pulling the enable pin high starts up the TPS62110 with the soft start. If the EN pin is connected to any voltage other than V_I or GND, an increased leakage current of typically 10 μA and up to 20 μA can occur.

UNDERVOLTAGE LOCKOUT

The undervoltage lockout circuit prevents the device from misoperation at low-input voltages. It prevents the converter from turning on the switch or rectifier MOSFET under undefined conditions. The minimum input voltage to start up the TPS62110 is 3.4 V (worst case). The device shuts down at 2.8 V minimum.

SYNCHRONIZATION

If no clock signal is applied, the converter operates with a typical switching frequency of 1 MHz. It is possible to synchronize the converter to an external clock within a frequency range from 0.8 MHz to 1.4 MHz. The device automatically detects the rising edge of the first clock and synchronizes immediately to the external clock. If the clock signal is stopped, the converter automatically switches back to the internal clock and continues operation. The switch over is initiated if no rising edge on the SYNC pin is detected for a duration of four clock cycles. Therefore, the maximum delay time can be 6.25 μs if the internal clock has its minimum frequency of 800 kHz.

If the device is synchronized to an external clock, the power save mode is disabled, and the devices stay in forced PWM mode.

Connecting the SYNC pin to the GND pin enables the power save mode. The converter operates in the PWM mode at moderate-to-heavy loads, and in the PFM mode during light loads, which maintains high efficiency over a wide load current range.

POWER GOOD COMPARATOR

The power good (PG) comparator has an open-drain output capable of sinking 1 mA (typical). The PG is active only when the device is enabled (EN = high). When the device is disabled (EN = low), the PG pin is pulled to GND.

The PG output is valid only after a 250- μs delay when the device is enabled, and the supply voltage is greater than the undervoltage lockout $V_{(UVLO)}$. PG is low during the first 250 μs after shutdown and in shutdown.

The PG pin becomes active high when the output voltage exceeds 98.4% (typical) of its nominal value. Leave the PG pin unconnected when not used.

LOW-BATTERY DETECTOR

The low-battery output (LBO) is an open-drain type which goes low when the voltage at the low-battery input (LBI) falls below the trip point of 1.256 V $\pm 1.5\%$. The voltage at which the low-battery warning is issued can be adjusted with a resistive divider as shown in [Figure 9](#). The sum of resistors ($R1 + R2$) as well as the sum of ($R5 + R6$) is recommended to be in the 100 k Ω to 1 M Ω range for high efficiency at low output current. An external pullup resistor can be connected to OUT, or any other voltage rail in the voltage range of 0 V to 16 V. During start-up, the LBO output signal is invalid for the first 500 μs . LBO is high impedance when the device is disabled. If the low-battery comparator function is not used, connect LBI to ground. The low-battery detector is disabled when the device is disabled.

The logic level of the LBO pin is not defined for the first 500 μs after EN is pulled high.

When the LBI is used to supervise the battery voltage and shut down the TPS62111 at low-input voltages, the battery voltage rises when the current drops to zero. The implemented hysteresis on the LBI pin may not be sufficient for all types of batteries. [Figure 9](#) shows how an additional external hysteresis can be implemented.

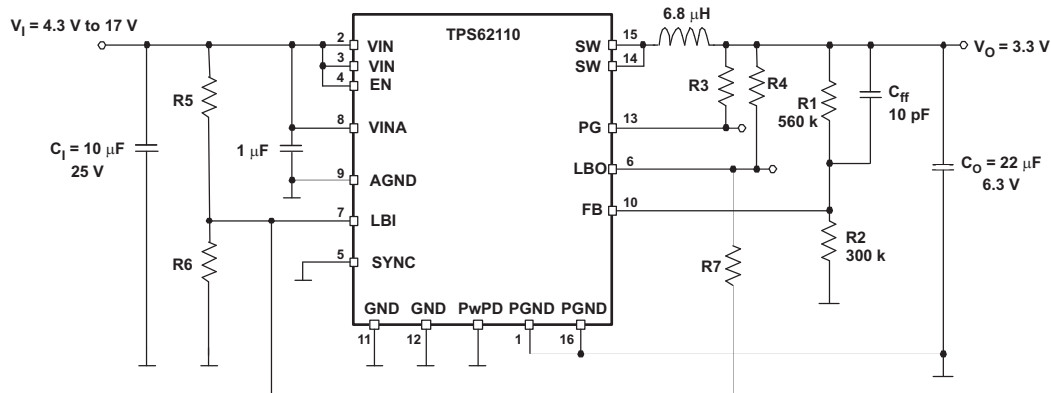


Figure 9. LBI With Increased Hysteresis

NO LOAD OPERATION

When the converter operates in the forced PWM mode and there is no load connected to the output, the converter regulates the output voltage by allowing the inductor current to reverse for a short time.

THEORY OF OPERATION AND DESIGN PROCEDURE

Table 1. List of Inductors

MANUFACTURER ⁽¹⁾	TYPE	INDUCTANCE	DC RESISTANCE	SATURATION CURRENT
Coilcraft	MSS6132-682	6.8 μH	65 mΩ (max)	1.5 A
Epcos	B82462G4682M	6.8 μH	50 mΩ (max)	1.5 A
Sumida	CDRH5D28-6R2	6.2 μH	33 mΩ (typ)	1.8 A
TDK	SLF6028T-6R8M1R5	6.8 μH	35 mΩ (typ)	1.5 A
	SLF7032T-6R8M1R6	6.8 μH	41 mΩ (typ)	1.6 A
Würth	7447789006	6.8 μH	44 mΩ (typ)	2.75 A
	7447779006	6.8 μH	33 mΩ (typ)	3.3 A
	744053006	6.2 μH	45 mΩ (typ)	1.8 A

(1) The manufacturer's part numbers are used for test purposes only.

Inductor Selection

The control loop of the TPS62110 requires a certain value for the output inductor and the output capacitor for stable operation. As long as the nominal value of $L \times C \geq 6.2 \mu\text{H} \times 22 \mu\text{F}$, the control loop has enough phase margin and the device is stable. Reducing the inductor value without increasing the output capacitor (or vice versa) may cause stability problems. There are applications where it may be useful to increase the value of the output capacitor, e.g., for a low transient output voltage change. From a stability point of view, the inductor value could be decreased to keep the $L \times C$ product constant. However, there are drawbacks if the inductor value is decreased. A low inductor value causes a high inductor ripple current and therefore reduces the maximum dc output current. [Table 2](#) gives the advantages and disadvantages when designing the inductor and output capacitor.

Table 2. Advantages and Disadvantages When Designing the Inductor and Output Capacitor

	INFLUENCE ON STABILITY	ADVANTAGE	DISADVANTAGE
Increase C _{out} (>22 µF)	Uncritical	Less output voltage ripple Less output voltage overshoot / undershoot during load transient	None
Decrease C _{out} (<22 µF)	Critical Increase inductor value >6.8 µH also	None	Higher output voltage ripple High output voltage overshoot / undershoot during load transient Less gain and phase margin
Increase L (>6.8 µH)	Uncritical	Less inductor current ripple Higher dc output current possible if operated close to the current limit	More energy stored in the inductor → higher voltage overshoot during load transient Smaller current rise → higher voltage undershoot during load transient → do not decrease the value of Cout due to these effects
Decrease L (<6.8 µH)	Critical Increase output capacitor value > 22 µF also	Small voltage overshoot / undershoot during load transient	High inductor current ripple especially at high input voltage and low output voltage

As it is shown in [Table 2](#), the inductor value can be increased to higher values. For good performance, the peak-to-peak inductor current ripple should be less than 30% of the maximum dc output current. Especially at input voltages above 12 V, it makes sense to increase the inductor value to keep the inductor current ripple low. In such applications, the inductor value can be increased to 10 µH or 22 µH. Values above 22 µH should be avoided to keep the voltage overshoot during load transient in an acceptable range.

After choosing the inductor value, two additional inductor parameters should be considered:

1. current rating of the inductor
2. dc resistance

The dc resistance of the inductance directly influences the efficiency of the converter. Therefore, an inductor with lowest dc resistance should be selected for highest efficiency. To avoid saturation of the inductor, the inductor should be rated at least for the maximum output current plus the inductor ripple current which is calculated as:

$$\Delta I_L = V_O \times \frac{1 - \frac{V_O}{V_I}}{L \times f} \quad I_{L \text{ max}} = I_{O \text{ max}} + \frac{\Delta I_L}{2} \quad (3)$$

Where:

f = Switching frequency (1000 kHz typical)

L = Inductor value

ΔI_L = Peak-to-peak inductor ripple current

I_L(max) = Maximum inductor current

The highest inductor current occurs at maximum V_I. A more conservative approach is to select the inductor current rating just for the maximum switch current of the TPS62110, which is 2.4 A (typically). See [Table 1](#) for recommended inductors.

OUTPUT CAPACITOR SELECTION

A 22 µF (typical) output capacitor is needed with a 6.8 µH inductor. For an output voltage greater than 5 V, a 33 µF (minimum) output capacitor is required for stability. For best performance, a low ESR ceramic output capacitor is needed.

The RMS ripple current is calculated as:

$$I_{RMS}(C_O) = V_O \times \frac{1 - \frac{V_O}{V_I}}{L \times f} \times \frac{1}{2 \times \sqrt{3}} \quad (4)$$

The overall output ripple voltage is the sum of the voltage spike caused by the output capacitor ESR plus the voltage ripple caused by charge and discharging the output capacitor:

$$\Delta V_O = V_O \times \frac{1 - \frac{V_O}{V_I}}{L \times f} \times \left(\frac{1}{8 \times C_O \times f} + R_{ESR} \right) \quad (5)$$

Where the highest output voltage ripple occurs at the highest input voltage V_I .

INPUT CAPACITOR SELECTION

The nature of the buck converter is a pulsating input current; therefore, a low ESR input capacitor is required for best input voltage filtering, and minimizing the interference with other circuits caused by high input voltage spikes. The input capacitor should have a minimum value of 10 μ F and can be increased without any limit for better input voltage filtering. The input capacitor should be rated for the maximum input ripple current calculated as:

$$I_{RMS} = I_{O \text{ max}} \times \sqrt{\frac{V_O}{V_I} \times \left(1 - \frac{V_O}{V_I} \right)} \quad (6)$$

The worst-case RMS ripple current occurs at $D = 0.5$ and is calculated as: $I_{RMS} = I_O/2$. Ceramic capacitors show a good performance because of their low ESR value, and they are less sensitive against voltage transients compared to tantalum capacitors. Place the input capacitor as close as possible to the input pin of the IC for best performance

FEEDFORWARD CAPACITOR SELECTION

The feedforward capacitor (C_{ff}) is needed to compensate for parasitic capacitance from the feedback pin to GND. Typically, a value of 4.7 pF to 22 pF is needed for an output voltage divider with a equivalent resistance (R_1 in parallel with R_2) in the 150 k Ω range. The value can be chosen based on best transient performance and lowest output voltage ripple in PFM mode.

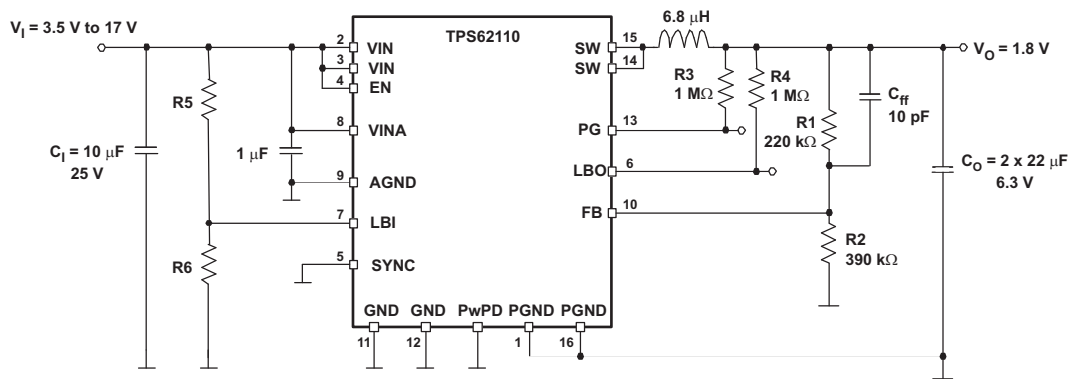
RECOMMENDED CAPACITORS

It is recommended that only X5R or X7R ceramic capacitors be used as input/output capacitors. Ceramic capacitors show a dc-bias effect. This effect reduces the effective capacitance when a dc-bias voltage is applied across a ceramic capacitor, as on the output and input capacitor of a dc/dc converter. The effect may lead to a significant capacitance drop especially for high input/output voltages and small capacitor packages. See the manufacturer's data sheet about the performance with a dc bias voltage applied. It may be necessary to choose a higher voltage rating or nominal capacitance value to get the required value at the operating point. The capacitors listed in [Table 3](#) have been tested with the TPS62110 with good performance.

Table 3. List of Capacitors

MANUFACTURER	PART NUMBER	SIZE	VOLTAGE	CAPACITANCE	TYPE
Taiyo Yuden	TMK316BJ106KL	1206	25 V	10 μ F	Ceramic
	EMK325BJ226KM	1210	16 V	22 μ F	
TDK	C3225X5R1E106M	1210	25 V	10 μ F	Ceramic
	C3225X7R1C226M		16 V	22 μ F	
	C3216X5R1E106MT	1206	25 V	10 μ F	

APPLICATION INFORMATION



- A. For an output voltage lower than 2.5 V, an output capacitor of 33 μF or greater is recommended to improve load transient.

Figure 10. Standard Connection

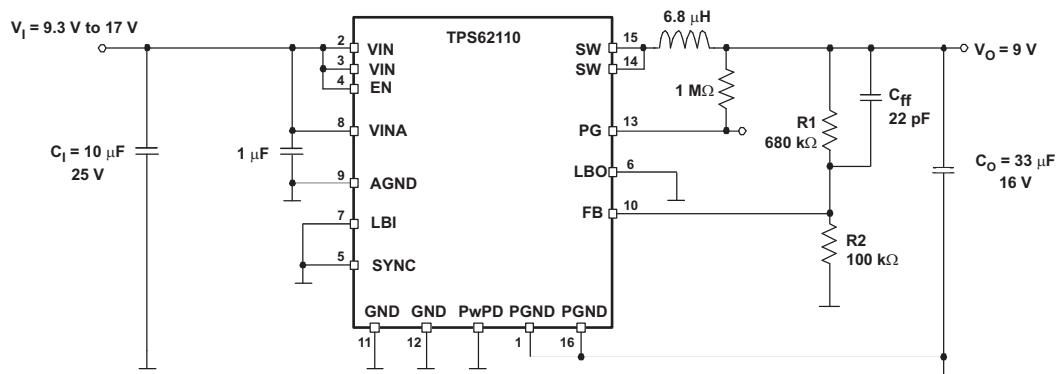
$$V_O = V_{FB} \times \frac{R_1 + R_2}{R_2} \quad R_1 = R_2 \times \left(\frac{V_O}{V_{FB}} \right) - R_2$$

(7)

$$V_{FB} = 1.153 \text{ V}$$

Table 4. Recommended Resistors

OUTPUT VOLTAGE	R1	R2	NOMINAL VOLTAGE	TYPICAL C _{ff}
9 V	680 kΩ	100 kΩ	8.993 V	22 pF
5 V	510 kΩ	150 kΩ	5.073 V	10 pF
3.3 V	560 kΩ	300 kΩ	3.305 V	10 pF
2.5 V	390 kΩ	330 kΩ	2.515 V	10 pF
1.8 V	220 kΩ	390 kΩ	1.803 V	10 pF
1.5 V	100 kΩ	330 kΩ	1.502 V	10 pF



- A. For an output voltage greater than 5 V, an output capacitor of 33 μF minimum is required for stability.

Figure 11. Application With 9-V Output

REVISION HISTORY

Changes from Original (February, 2010) to Revision A	Page
• Added AEC-Q100 info to Features	1
• Removed package column in ordering information table	1
• Added ESD ratings info to Abs Max table	2
• Added three rows to feedback voltage tolerance for 85°C, 105°C, and 125°C and updated min and max values	4

PACKAGING INFORMATION

Orderable part number	Status (1)	Material type (2)	Package Pins	Package qty Carrier	RoHS (3)	Lead finish/ Ball material (4)	MSL rating/ Peak reflow (5)	Op temp (°C)	Part marking (6)
TPS62110QRSARQ1	Active	Production	QFN (RSA) 16	3000 LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 125	TPS 62110Q
TPS62110QRSARQ1.B	Active	Production	QFN (RSA) 16	3000 LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 125	TPS 62110Q

⁽¹⁾ **Status:** For more details on status, see our [product life cycle](#).

⁽²⁾ **Material type:** When designated, preproduction parts are prototypes/experimental devices, and are not yet approved or released for full production. Testing and final process, including without limitation quality assurance, reliability performance testing, and/or process qualification, may not yet be complete, and this item is subject to further changes or possible discontinuation. If available for ordering, purchases will be subject to an additional waiver at checkout, and are intended for early internal evaluation purposes only. These items are sold without warranties of any kind.

⁽³⁾ **RoHS values:** Yes, No, RoHS Exempt. See the [TI RoHS Statement](#) for additional information and value definition.

⁽⁴⁾ **Lead finish/Ball material:** Parts may have multiple material finish options. Finish options are separated by a vertical ruled line. Lead finish/Ball material values may wrap to two lines if the finish value exceeds the maximum column width.

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⁽⁶⁾ **Part marking:** There may be an additional marking, which relates to the logo, the lot trace code information, or the environmental category of the part.

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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
TPS62110QRSARQ1	QFN	RSA	16	3000	330.0	12.4	4.25	4.25	1.15	8.0	12.0	Q2

TAPE AND REEL BOX DIMENSIONS



*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Length (mm)	Width (mm)	Height (mm)
TPS62110QRSARQ1	QFN	RSA	16	3000	353.0	353.0	32.0

GENERIC PACKAGE VIEW

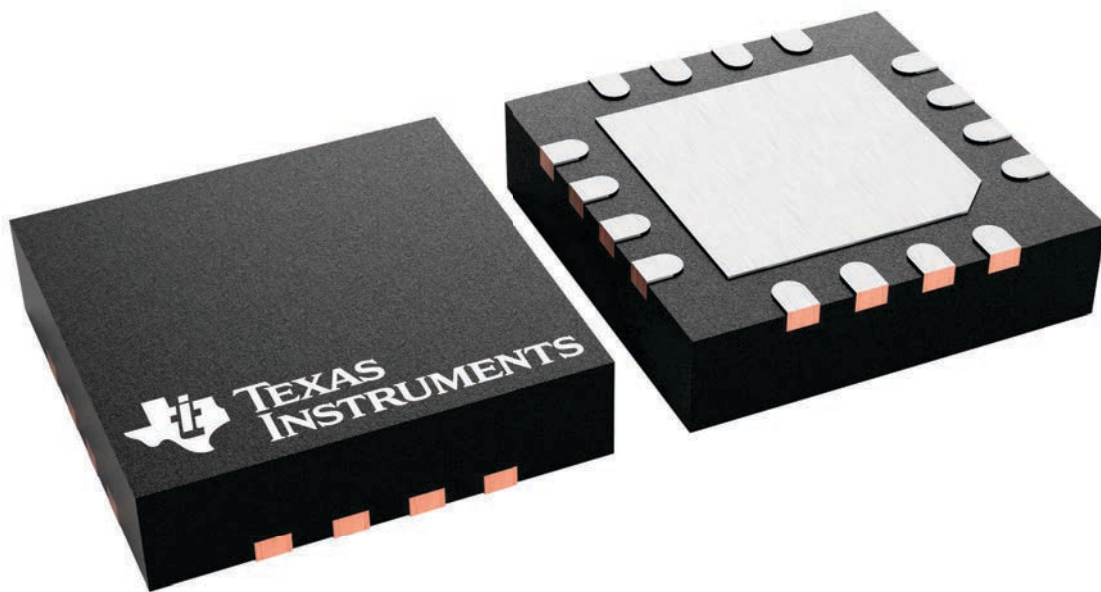
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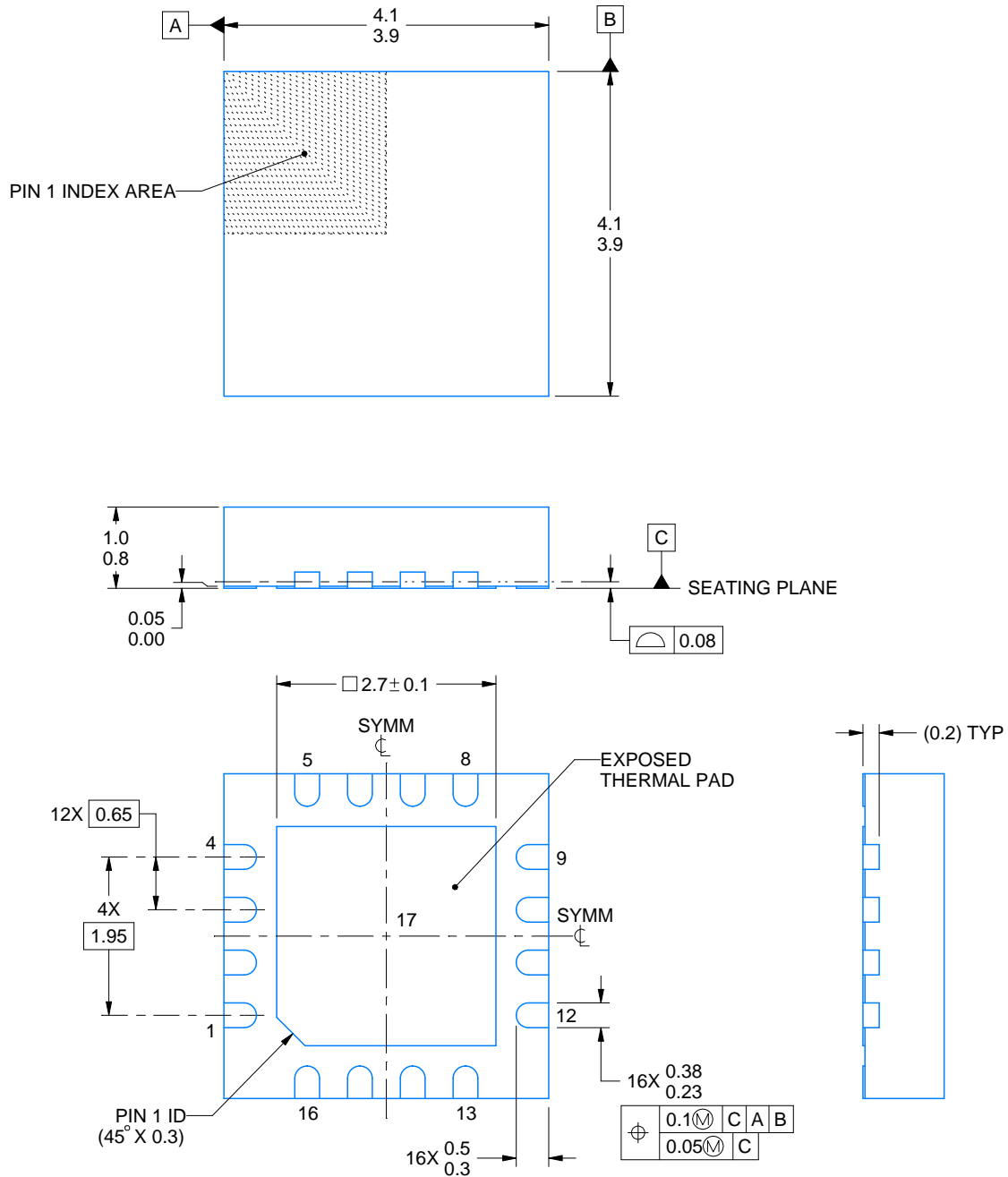
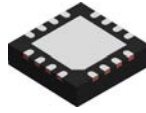
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Refer to the product data sheet for package details.





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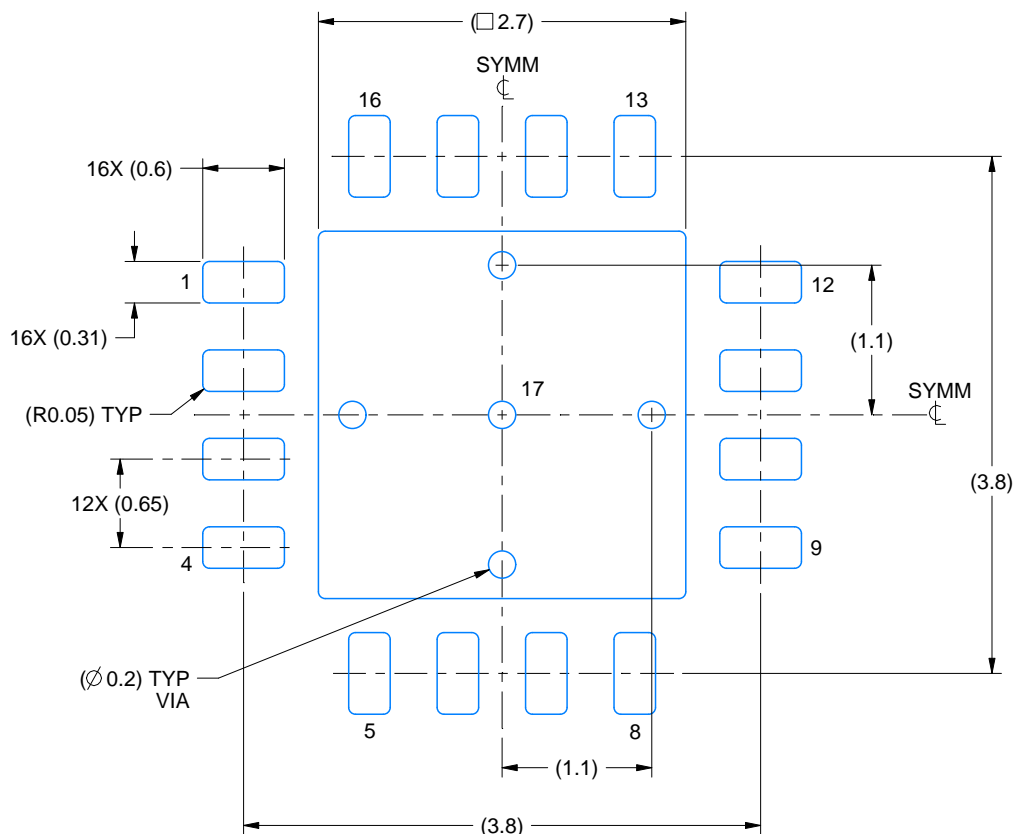
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EXAMPLE BOARD LAYOUT

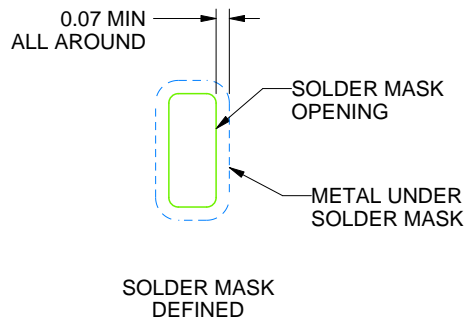
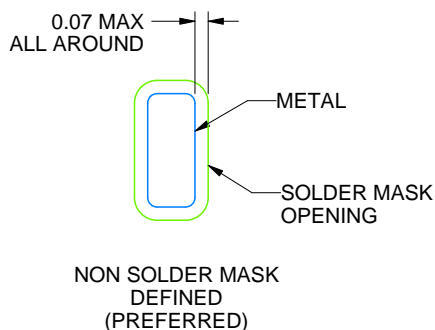
RSA0016B

VQFN - 1 mm max height

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LAND PATTERN EXAMPLE
EXPOSED METAL SHOWN
SCALE:18X



SOLDER MASK DETAILS

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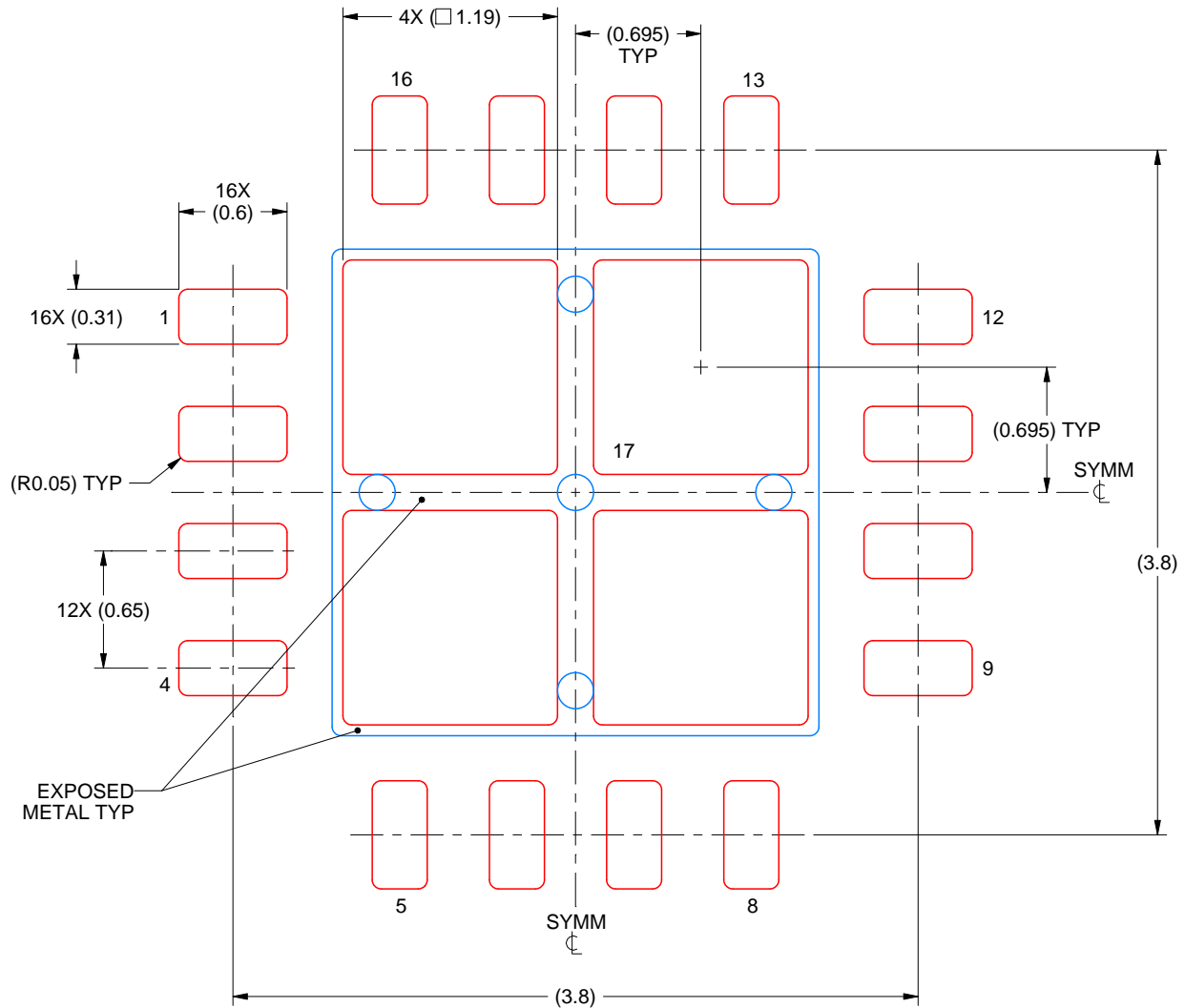
5. This package is designed to be soldered to a thermal pad on the board. For more information, see Texas Instruments literature number SLUA271 (www.ti.com/lit/sluea271).
6. Vias are optional depending on application, refer to device data sheet. If any vias are implemented, refer to their locations shown on this view. It is recommended that vias under paste be filled, plugged or tented.

EXAMPLE STENCIL DESIGN

RSA0016B

VQFN - 1 mm max height

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SOLDER PASTE EXAMPLE
 BASED ON 0.125 mm THICK STENCIL

EXPOSED PAD
 77% PRINTED SOLDER COVERAGE BY AREA
 SCALE:25X

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7. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and rounded corners may offer better paste release. IPC-7525 may have alternate design recommendations.

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