

## Features

- Wide operating voltage: 8V ~ 14V
- Output Current up to 6A
- Output voltage ripple: 20mV<sub>PP</sub>
- High Efficiency 94%
- Overcurrent /shortcircuit protection
- Over-temperature protection
- Remote on/off control-positive logic
- High reliability: designed to meet 5 million hour MTBF
- Minimal space on PCB:
  - 22.9 mm x 10.2 mm x 5.6mm or
  - 0.90 in x 0.40 in x 0.22 in
- No derating to +75°C, natural convection
- UL/IEC/EN60950 compliant
- RoHS Compliant available

## Applications

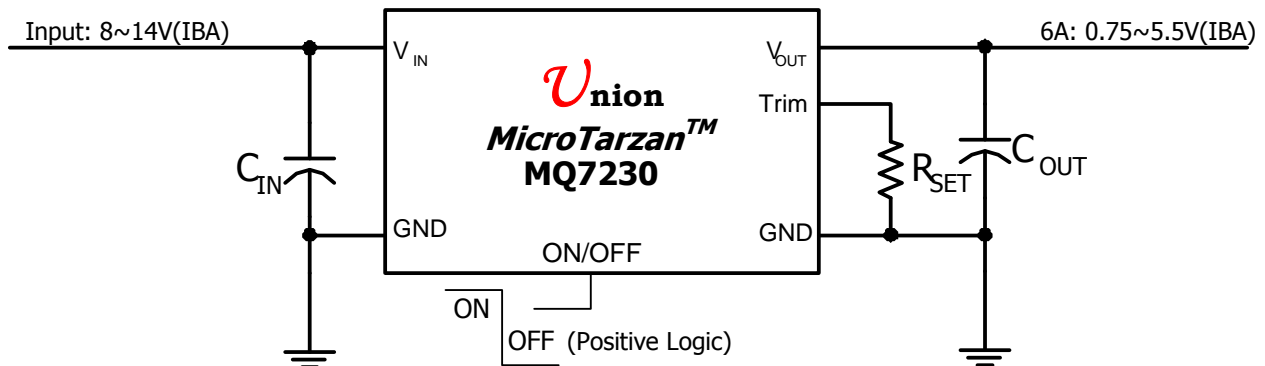
- Workstations, servers
- Desktop computers
- DSP applications
- Distributed power architectures
- Telecommunications equipment
- Data communications equipment
- Wireless communications equipment

## Description

The **MicroTarzan™** MQ7230SIP/IBA Series Power Modules are non-isolated dc-dc converters that operate over a wide input voltage range of 8Vdc to 14Vdc and provide a precisely (2%) regulated dc output with industry standard SMT pin out. Such a module is suitable to application with 10V or 14V power supply bus. The modules have a maximum output current rating of 6A at a typical full-load efficiency over 94%. Standard features include remote on/off with positive logic and remote output voltage trimmable, over-current protection, over-temperature protection.

MQ7230 can load 6A in a very small size. This improves PCB layout and system integration capability

\*\*\*\*\* **Typical Application Circuit** \*\*\*\*\*

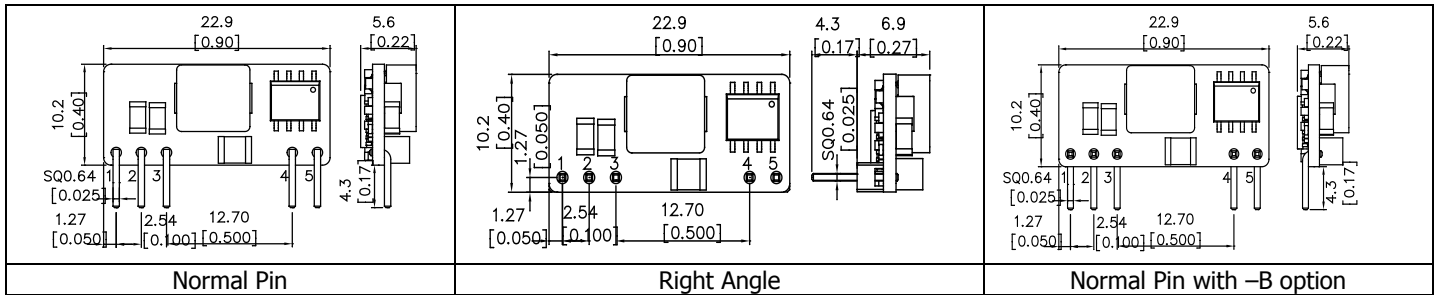


**Performance Specifications** (at TA=+25°C)

Model	Input V <sub>IN</sub> Range (V)	Output				Efficiency (%)
		I <sub>OUT</sub> (A)	Trim Range (V)	Regulation		
				Line (%)	Load (%)	
MQ7230SIP/IBA	8~14	6	0.75V~5V	0.5	0.5	94

**Mechanical Specifications**

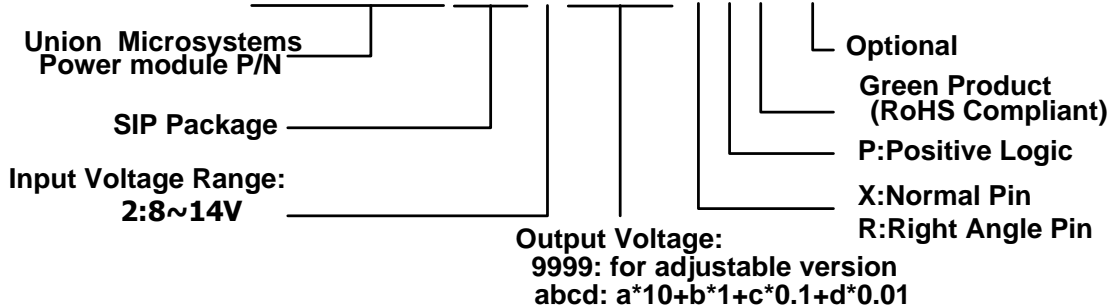
Dimensions are in mm (inches)  
 Tolerances: x.x mm±0.5mm (x.xx in ±0.02 in);  
 x.xx mm±0.25mm (x.xxx in ±0.01 in)



PIN	1	2	3	4	5
DESCRIPTION	V <sub>OUT</sub>	TRIM	GND	V <sub>IN</sub>	ON/OFF

**Ordering Information**

**MQ7230SIP2abcdXPG-B**



For examples:

MQ7230SIP29999XG means MQ7230 in SIP Pin-out, input voltage 8~14V, output voltage 0.75~5.5V, negative logical control, normal pin direction and green product.

MQ7230SIP29999XPG-B means MQ7230 in SIP Pin-out, input voltage 8~14V, output voltage 0.75~5.5V, positive logical control, normal pin with -B option and green product.

MQ7230SIP20150RPG means MQ7230 in SIP Pin-out, input voltage 8~14V, output voltage 1.5V, positive logical control, right angle pin direction and green product.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Note: These are stress ratings. Exposure of devices to any of these conditions may adversely affect long-term reliability. Proper operation under conditions other than those listed in the Performance Specifications Table is not implied.

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Max	Unit
Input Voltage	$V_{IN}$	-0.3	16	V
Storage Temperature	$T_{STG}$	-40	125	°C

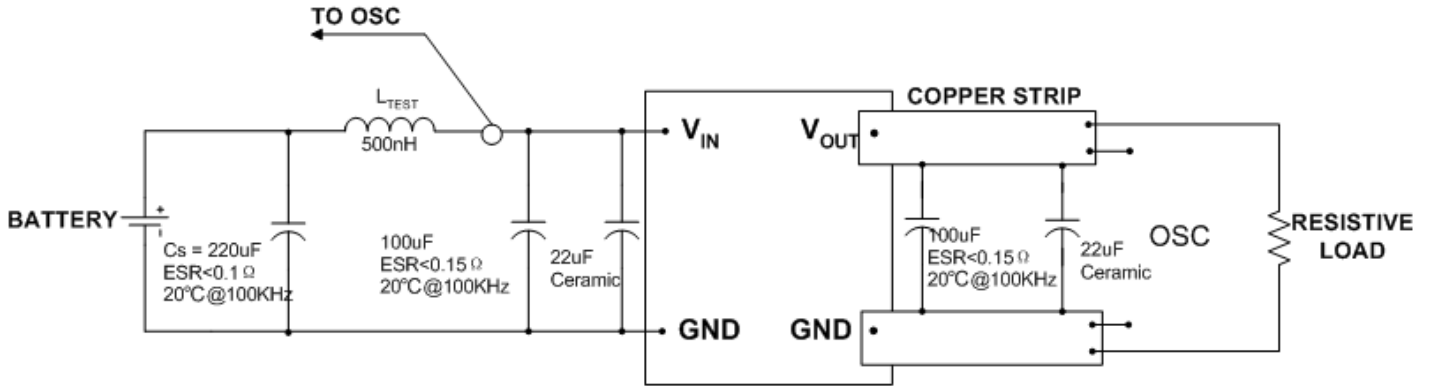
## MQ7230SIP/IBA Electrical Specifications: ( $T_A=+25^\circ\text{C}$ , input voltage 12V, unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Condition	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Input Voltage Range		$V_{IN}$	10		14	V
Output Current		$I_o$	0		6	A
Output Voltage Set point	100% load	$\Delta V_o$	-2		+2	%
Temperature Regulation	$T_A = T_{A.MIN}$ TO $T_{A.MAX}$	-		0.4		% $V_{O.SET}$
Output Trim Range	<b>See Performance Specifications (from page 8-21)</b>					
Line Regulation						
Load Regulation						
Output Ripple and Noise Voltage	<b><math>I_o=5A, 0-20\text{MHz}</math> (Detail Please see Ripple Figures, Page 8-21)</b>					
Transient Response						

## General Specifications

Parameter	Condition	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	
Maximum Capacitive Load	6 resistive load + Aluminum capacitor			6600		$\mu\text{F}$	
	6A resistive load +Sanyo POSCAP			2000			
Overcurrent Protection			6.5		10	A	
Output short-circuit current (average)	All				2	A	
Under Voltage Lockout Trip Level	Rising and falling $V_{IN}$ , 3% hysteresis		7.8	8.0	8.2	V	
Start-up Time	6A resistive load, no external output capacitors			4		mS	
Negative Logic	Logic High	Module OFF	$V_{IH}$	2.5		$V_{IN.MAX}$	V
	Logic Low	Module ON	$V_{IL}$	-0.3		0.4	V
Positive logic	Logic Low	Module OFF	$V_{IL}$	-0.3		1	V
	Logic High	Module ON	$V_{IH}$	$V_{IN}-0.7$		$V_{IN.MAX}$	V
Switching Frequency		$F_o$		300		kHz	
Operating Temperature	Natural convection, no forced air flow (with derating of 0.5W/°C when $T_A \geq +55^\circ\text{C}$ )		-40		85	°C	
Vibration	3 Axes, 5 Min Each	10~55Hz, 0.35mm, 5g					
	3 Axes, 6 Times Each	Peak Deviation 300g, Settling Time 6mS					
MTBF				5,000,000		Hour	

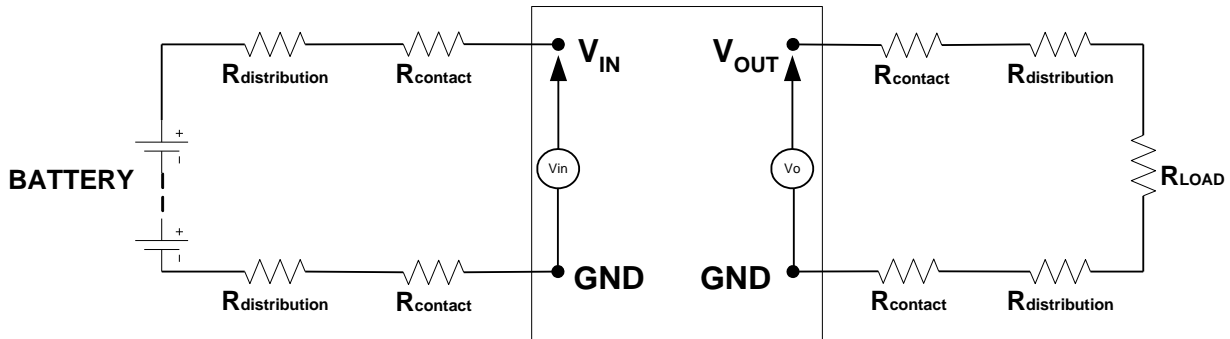
## Test Configurations



Test setup for input noise, output noise and ripple

**Note:**

Output noise is measured with 0.1µ F ceramic capacitor connected at the output. OSC measurement should be made using a BNC socket. Position the load between 50mm and 75mm (2in. and 3in) from the tested module.



Test setup for efficiency

**Note:**

All voltage measurements must be taken at the module's terminals, as shown above. If sockets are needed, Kelvin connections are required at the module terminals to avoid measurement errors due to socket contact resistance.

## Technical Notes

### Input Voltage Range

The MQ7230SIP/IBA Series can be used in a wide variety of applications, esp. most of unregulated 12V intermediate power supply bus system. Its wide input voltage ranges can tolerate worst voltage drop from cheap isolated Brick-type Bus-converter, so it reduces total system cost on power supply.

### Return Current Paths

The MQ7230SIP/IBA Series is non-isolated DC/DC converters. To the extent possible with the intent of minimizing ground loops, input and output return current should be directed through pin GND as short as possible.

### I/O Filtering

All the specifications of the MQ7230SIP/IBA Series are tested and specified without output capacitors. However, certain input capacitors are necessary to improve the power modules' operating conditions and to reduce the ac impedance. For example, under some conditions, the power modules can't normally start up when fully loaded due to the high ac-impedance input source. External input capacitors serve primarily as energy-storage devices. They should be added close to the input pins of the MQ7230SIP/IBA

and selected for bulk capacitance (at appropriate frequencies), low ESR, and high rms-ripple-current ratings. All external capacitors should have appropriate voltage ratings. To reduce the amount of ripple current fed back to the input supply (input reflected-ripple current), an external L-C filter can be added with the inductance as close to the power module as possible.

MQ7230SIP/IBA's output ripple and transient response can be improved with the increasing output capacitance. When using output capacitors, take care that the total output capacitance does not exceed MQ7230SIP/IBA's Maximum Capacitive Load to avoid the module's protection condition in the start-up.

When an external L-C filter is added to reduce ripple on load, for best results, the filter components should be mounted close to the load circuit rather than the power module.

**When testing the relationship between external capacitors and output voltage noise, the oscilloscope's probe should be applied to the module's end directly with scope probe ground less than 10mm in length.**

## Input Fusing

The MQ7230SIP/IBA Series is not internally fused. Certain applications and/or safety agencies may require the installation of fuses at the inputs of power conversion components. The selection of the fuses should conform to the following:

1. The fuse value should be fast-blow 4.5A fuses..
2. Both input traces must be capable of carrying a current of 1.5 times the value of the fuse without opening.

## Safety Considerations

MQ7230SIP/IBA's are non-isolated DC/DC converters. In general, all DC-DC's must be installed in compliance with relevant safety-agency specifications (usually UL/IEC/EN60950). In particular, for a non-isolated converter's output voltage to meet SELV (safety extra low voltage) requirements, its input must be SELV compliant. If the output needs to be ELV (extra low voltage), the input must be ELV.

## ON/OFF Control

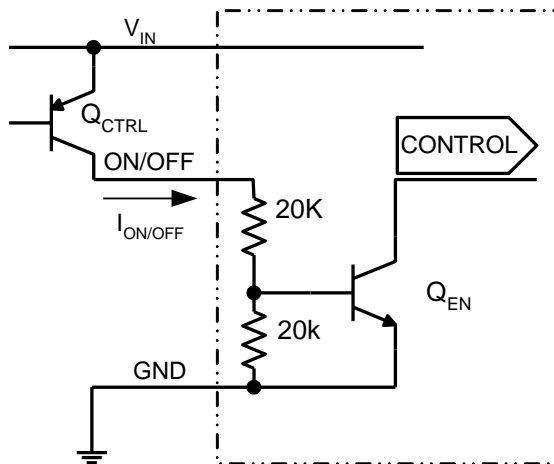


Fig1a. Remote ON/OFF Implementation with pull-up pnp transistor

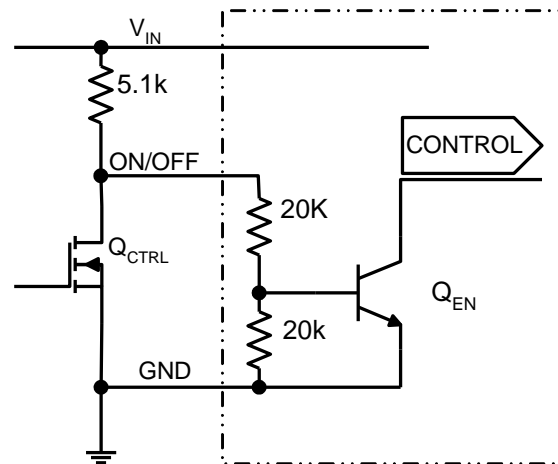


Fig1b, Remote ON/OFF Implementation with Open Collector/Drain transistor

The MQ7230SIP/IBA power modules feature an On/Off pin for remote On/Off operation. If not using the remote On/Off pin, leave the pin open (module will be On). The On/Off pin signal ( $V_{on/off}$ ) is referenced to ground. To switch module on and off using remote On/Off, connect an open collector pnp transistor between the On/Off pin and the VIN pin (See Figure 1a). During a logic-low when the transistor  $Q_{EN}$  inside power module is in the Off state, the power module is ON and the maximum  $V_{on/off}$  of the module is 0.4 V. The maximum allowable leakage current of  $Q_{EN}$  when  $V_{on/off} = 0.4V$  and  $V_{IN} = 5.5V$  is 100uA. During a logic-high when  $Q_{EN}$  is in the active state, the power module is OFF. During this state  $V_{on/off} = 2.5V$  to 5.5V and the maximum  $I_{on/off} = 1mA$ .

Remote On/Off can also be implemented using open collector/ drain logic devices with an external pull-up resistor. Figure1b shows the circuit configuration using this approach. 5.1k (+/- 5%) pull-up resistor is for proper operation of module function over the entire temperature range.

## Output Overvoltage Protection

MQ7230SIP/IBA Series products do not incorporate output overvoltage protection. If the operating circuit requires protection against abnormal output voltage, voltage-limiting circuitry must be provided external to the power module.

## Output Overcurrent Protection (OCP)

MQ7230SIP/IBA incorporates overcurrent and short circuit protection. If the load current exceeds the overcurrent protection setpoint, the MQ7230SIP/IBA's internal overcurrent-protection circuitry immediately turns off the module, which then goes into Hiccup mode. The unit operates normally once the output current is brought back into its specified range. The typical average output current during hiccup is less than 2A.

**Caution:** Be careful never to operate MQ7230SIP/IBA in a “heavy overload” condition that is between the rated output current and the overcurrent protection setpoint. This can cause permanent damage to the components.

## Overtemperature Protection (OTP)

To ensure MQ7230SIP/IBA's reliability and avoid damaging its internal components, MQ7230SIP/IBA incorporates overtemperature protection circuit. When the temperature of the PCB is above 130°C, the overtemperature protection circuit will be enabled and the module will stop working. when the temperature of the temperature-testing component is below about 80°C, the overtemperature protection circuit will release and the module will automatically recover from shutdown. To avoid permanently damaging components, the surface temperature of MQ7230SIP/IBA's power components, esp. of the MOSFET should be ensured below 130°C.

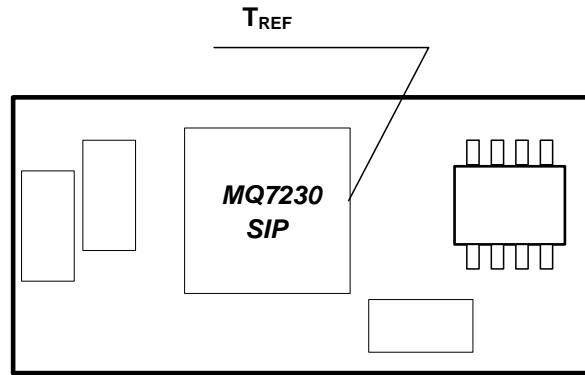


Fig2, Temperature Reference Point

**Note:** The overtemperature protection may be issued when MQ7230SIP/IBA operates in a “heavy overload” condition for a long time. Thus, the air flow should be improved.

## Output Voltage Trimming

MQ7230SIP/IBA's output voltage can be trimmed in certain ranges. Figure 3 shows the circuit used to program output voltage. See Performance Specifications for allowable trim ranges in detail. Also customized products are available.

Trim with external resistor (Fig3), the equation as below:

$$R_{TRIM} = \frac{10500}{V_o - 0.7525} - 1000$$

Resistor values are in Ω; V<sub>O</sub> is desired output voltage.

For examples, to trim output to 1.5V, then

$$R_{TRIM} = \frac{10500}{1.5 - 0.7525} - 1000 = 13046$$

So, R<sub>TRIM</sub> = 13.046kΩ

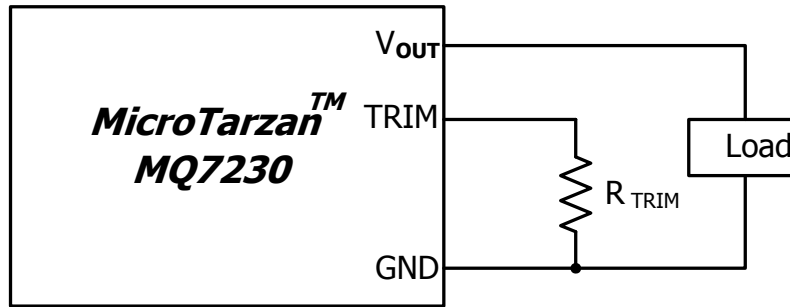


Fig3. Circuit configuration for programming output voltage using external resistor

For most common voltages, the required Trim resistors are as Table 1.

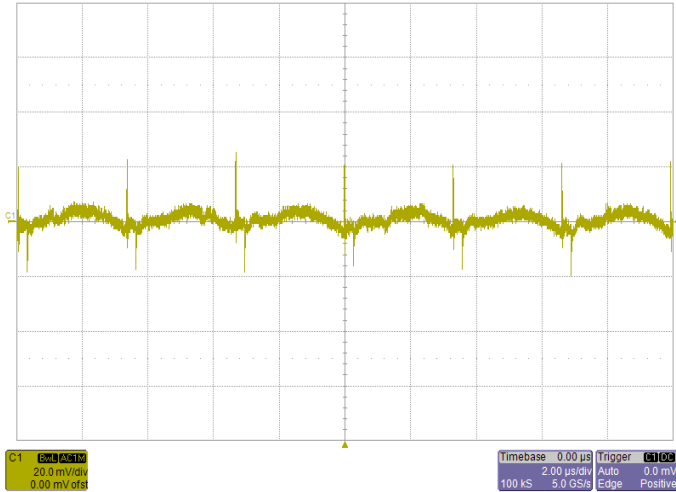
**Table 1, the required trim resistors  $R_{TRIM}$  for most common voltages**

Desired Voltages (V)	$R_{TRIM}$ (k $\Omega$ )
0.7525	Open
1.2	22.46
1.5	13.05
1.8	9.024
2.5	5.009
3.3	3.122
5.0	1.472

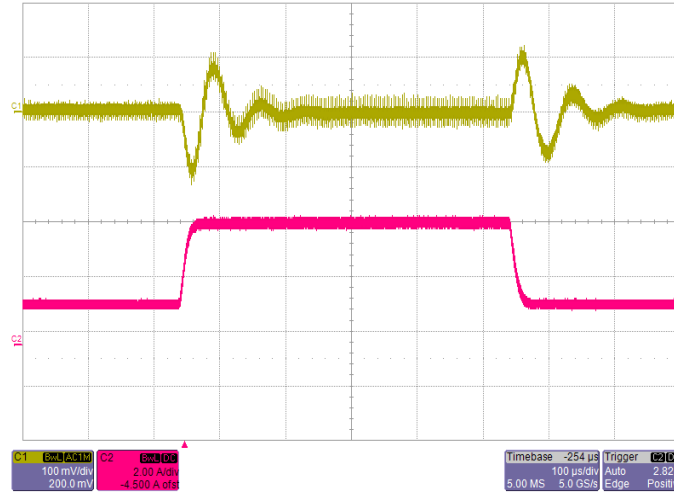
Typical Characteristics – output adjusted to 0.75V

General conditions:

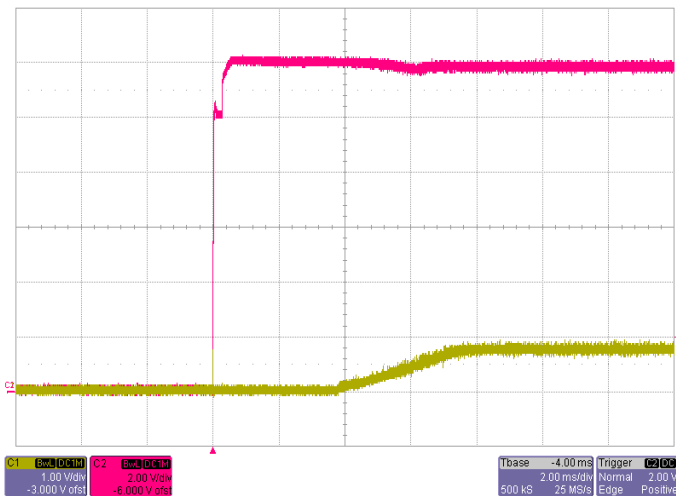
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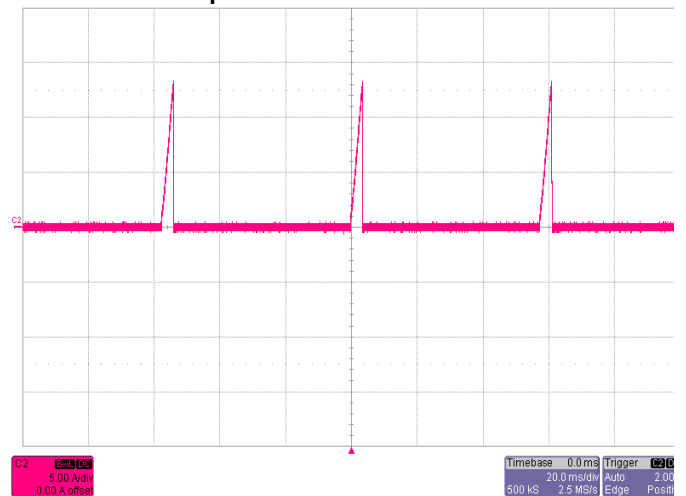
Noise  $V_{IN}=12V$ ,  $I_O=6A$ , 5~20MHz Bandwidth



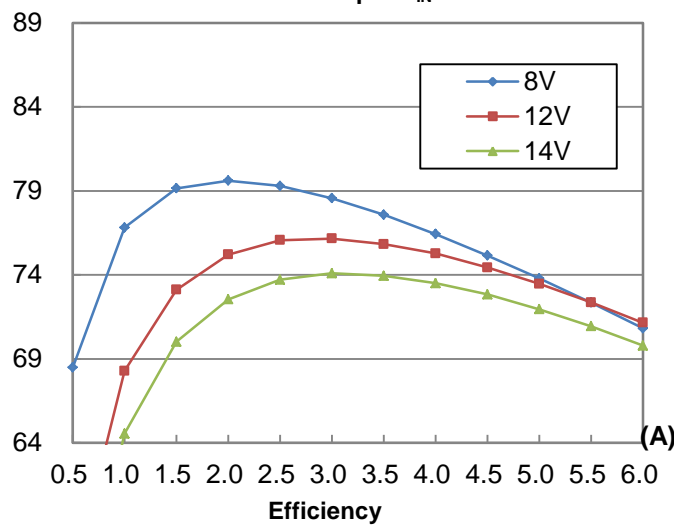
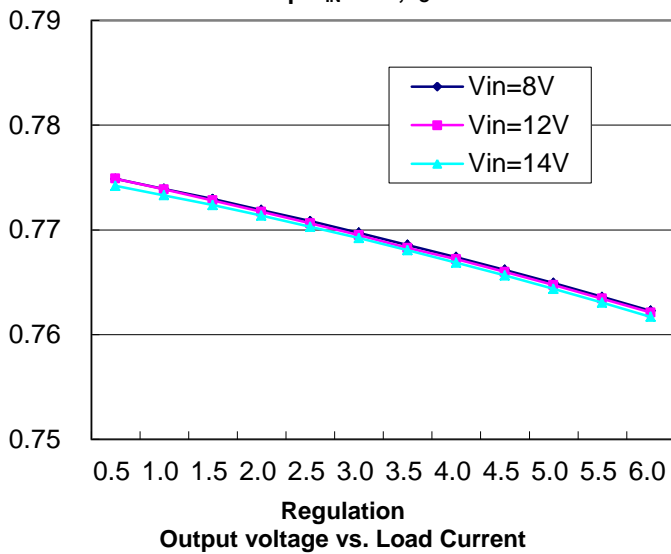
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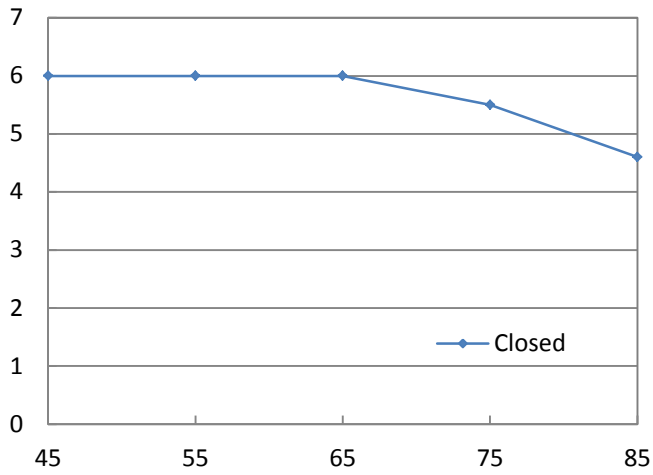
Start-up  $V_{IN}=12V$ ,  $I_O=6A$



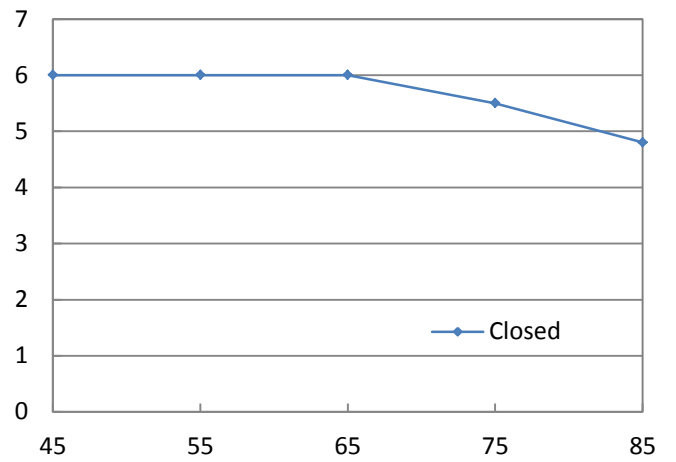
Short-Circuit Output  $V_{IN}=12V$







Output Current Derating  
(Load Current vs. Ambient Temperature),  $V_{IN}=12V$

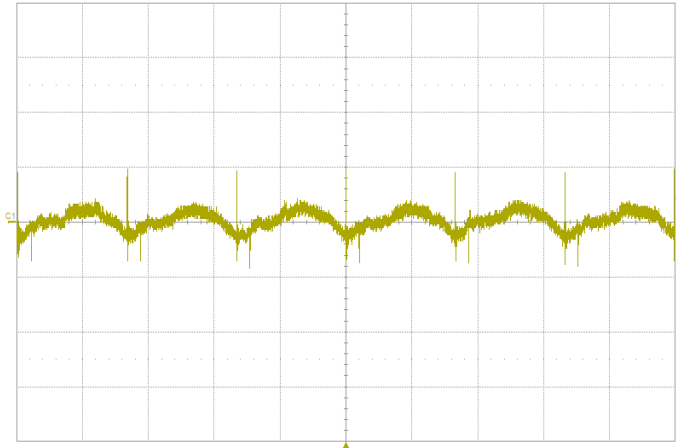


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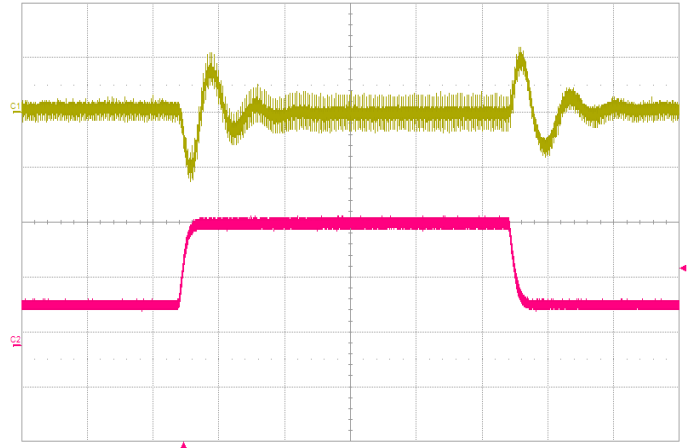
Typical Characteristics – output adjusted to 1.2V

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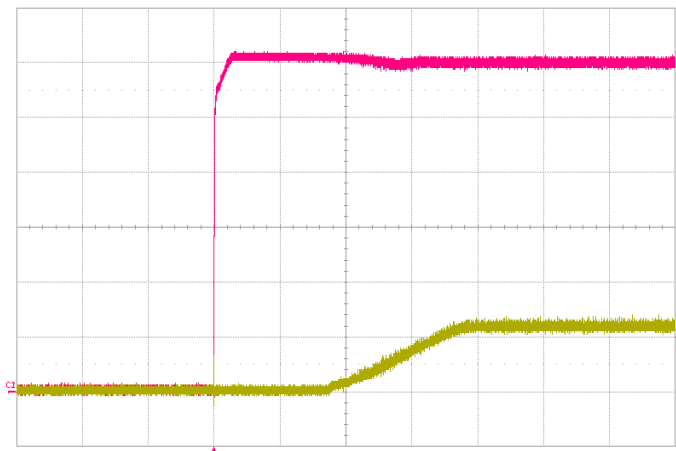
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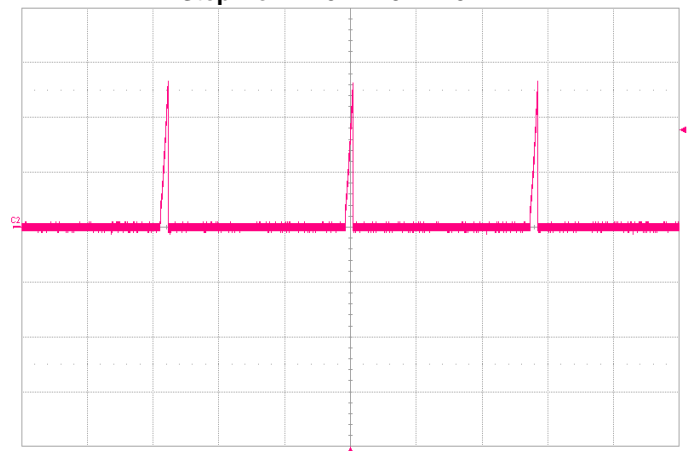
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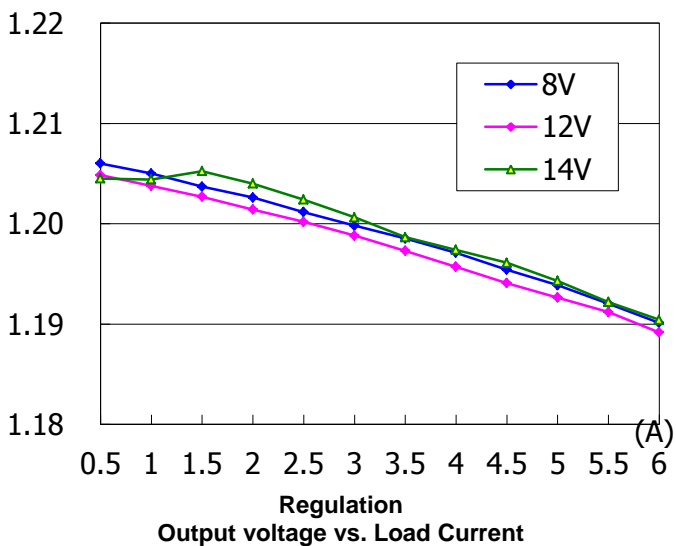
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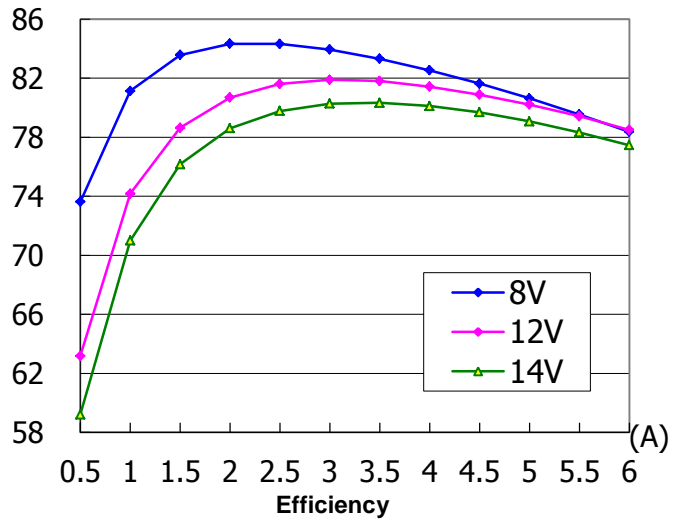
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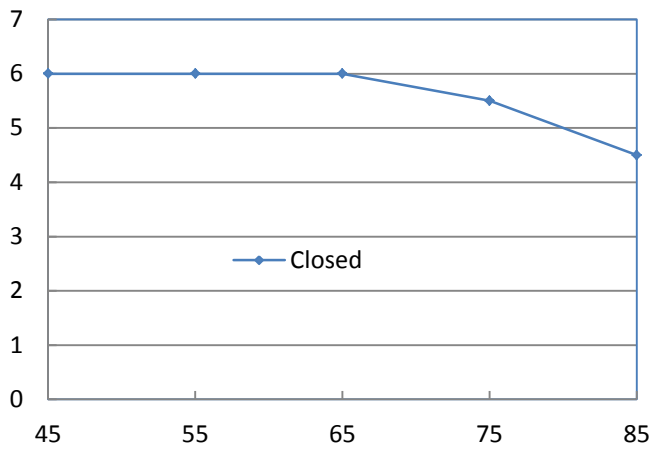
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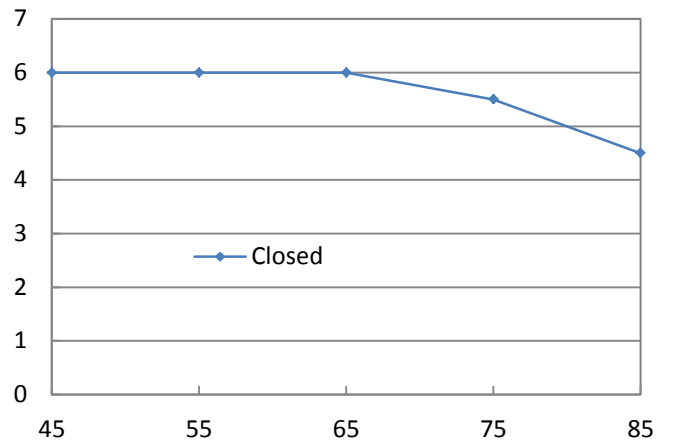
Output voltage vs. Load Current



Efficiency



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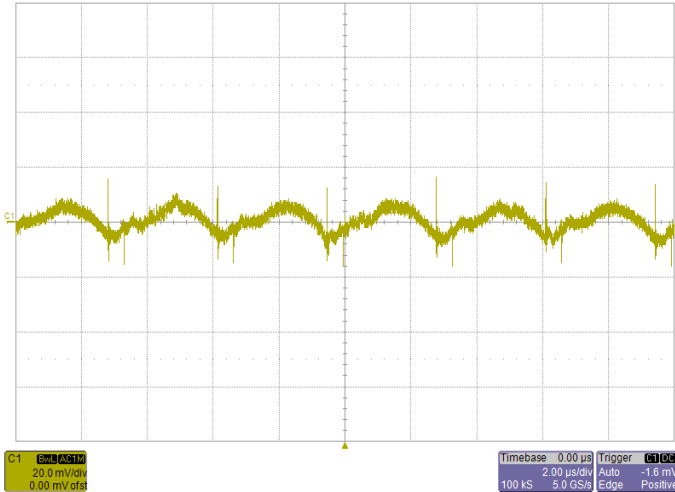


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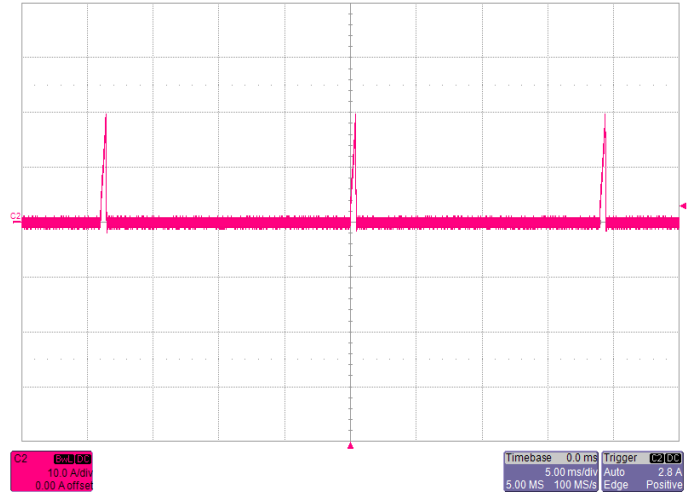
Typical Characteristics – output adjusted to 1.5V

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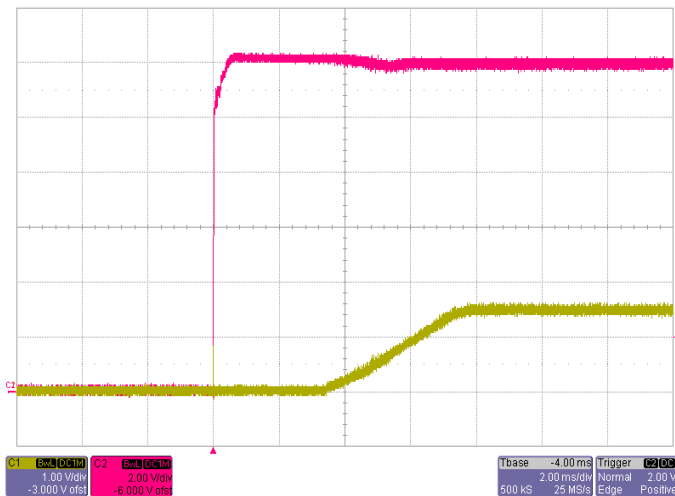
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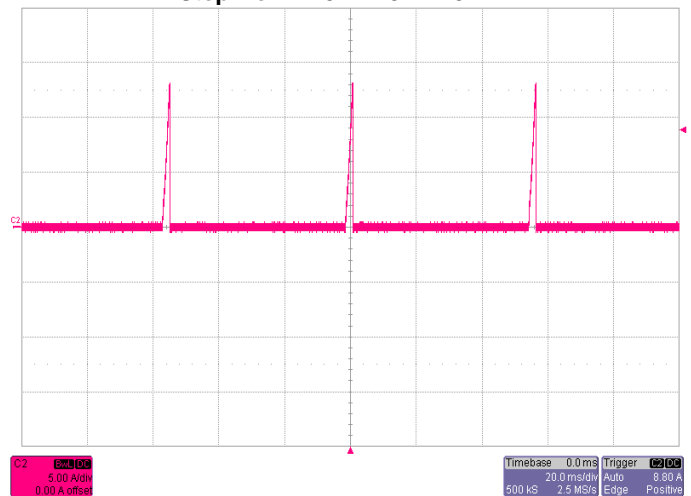
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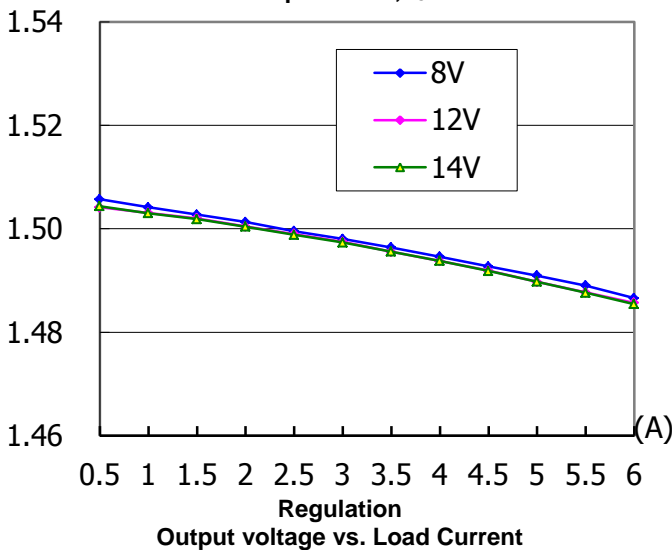
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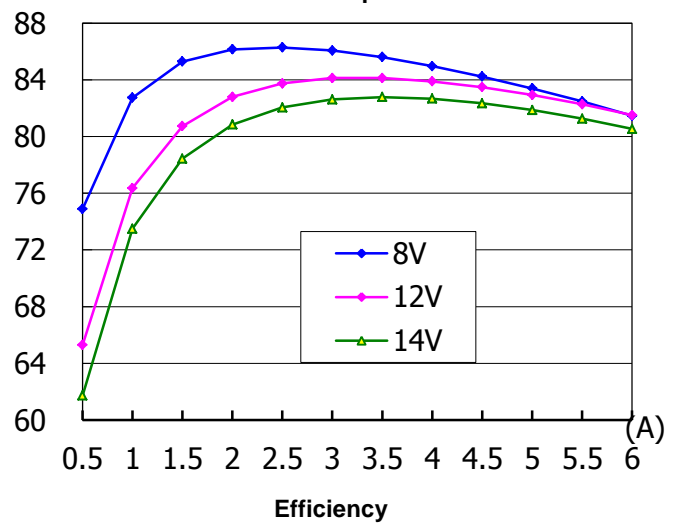
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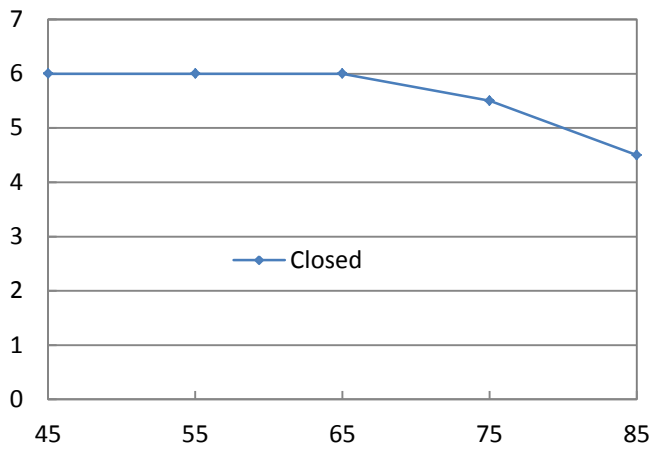
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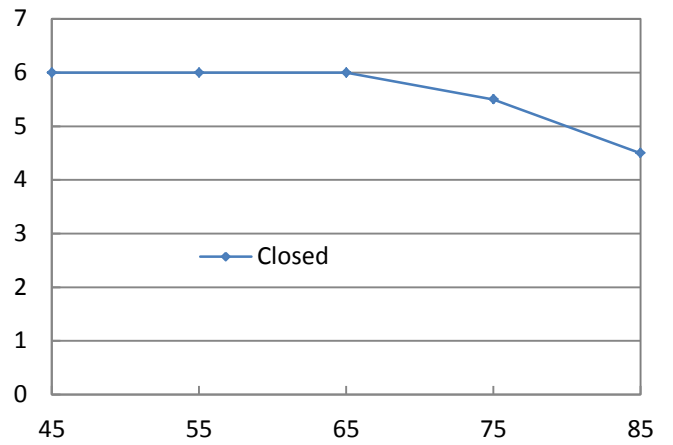
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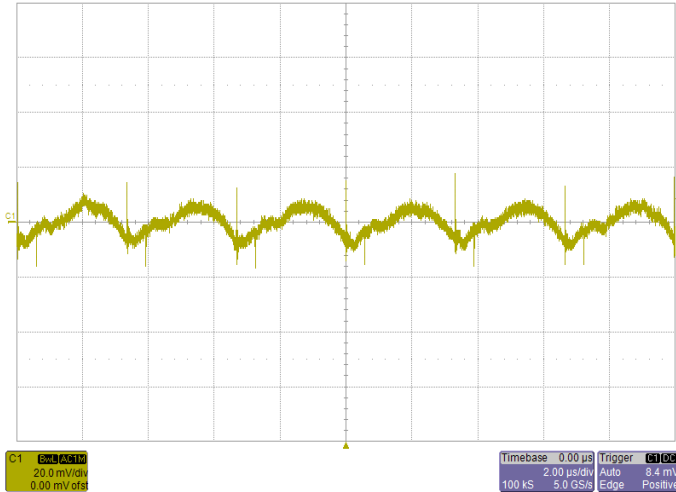


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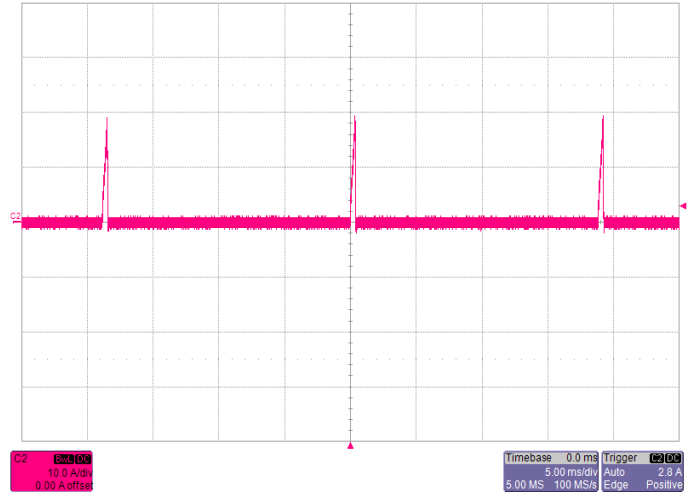
Typical Characteristics – output adjusted to 1.8V

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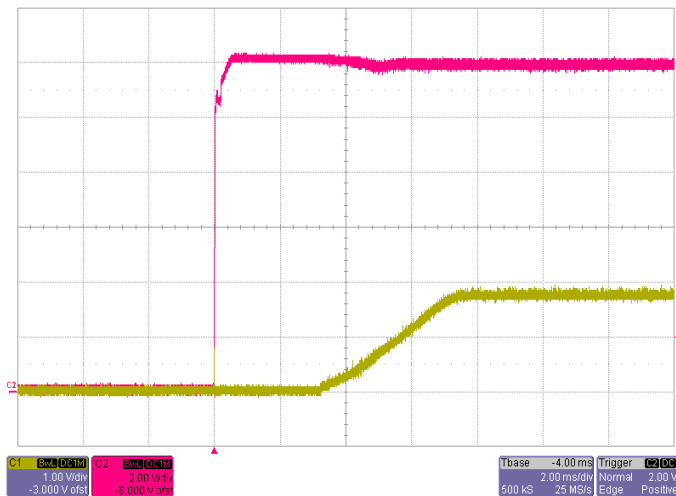
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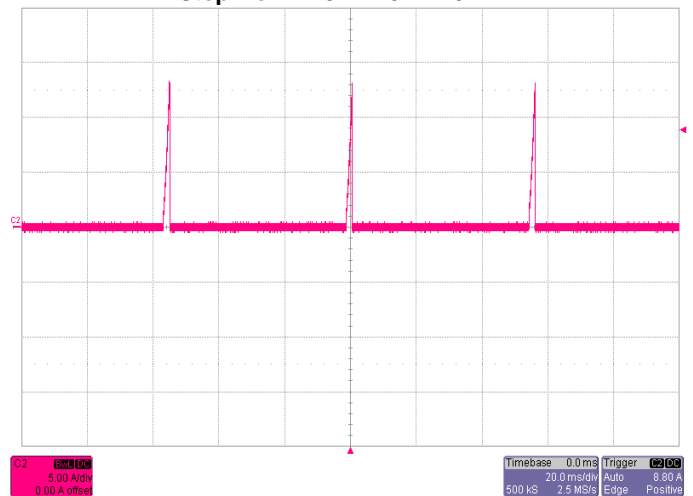
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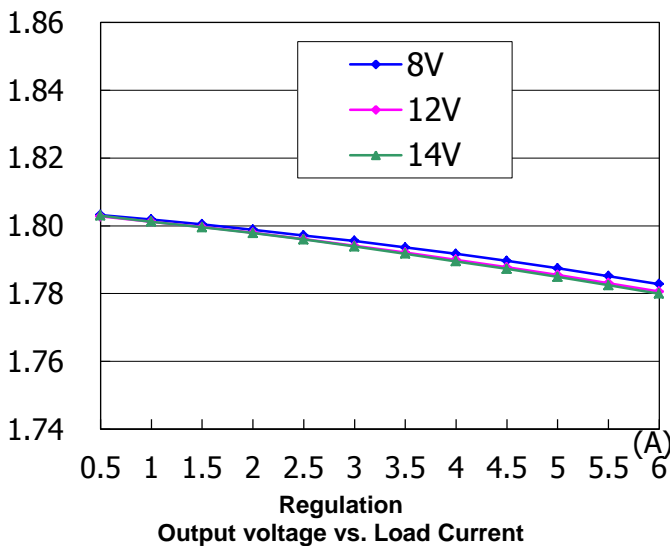
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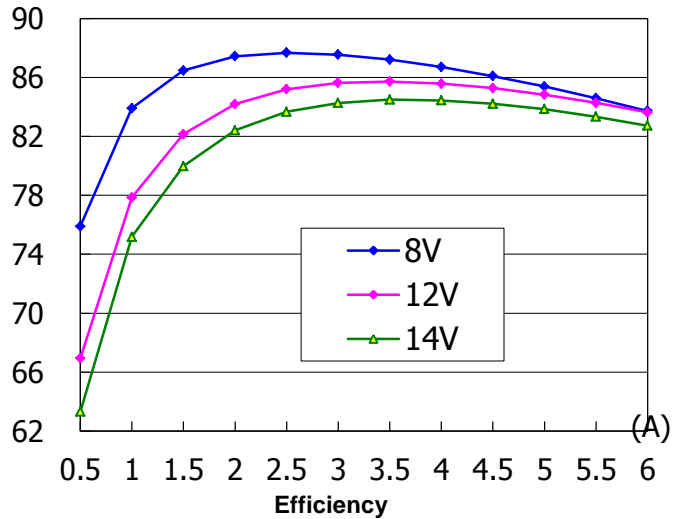
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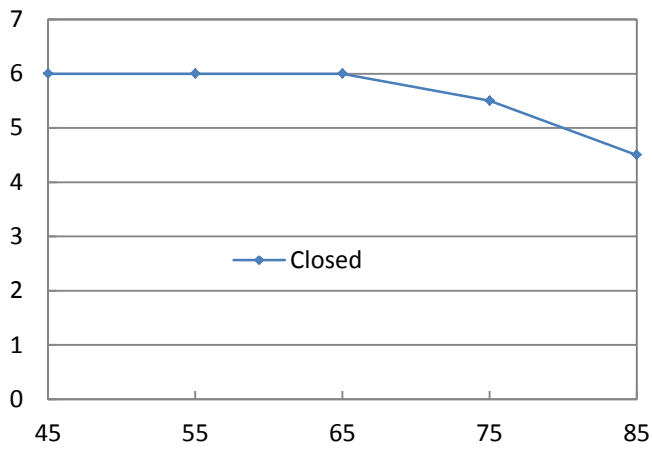
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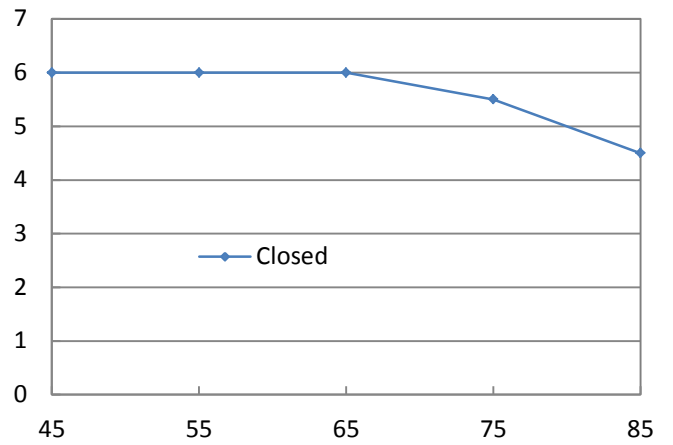
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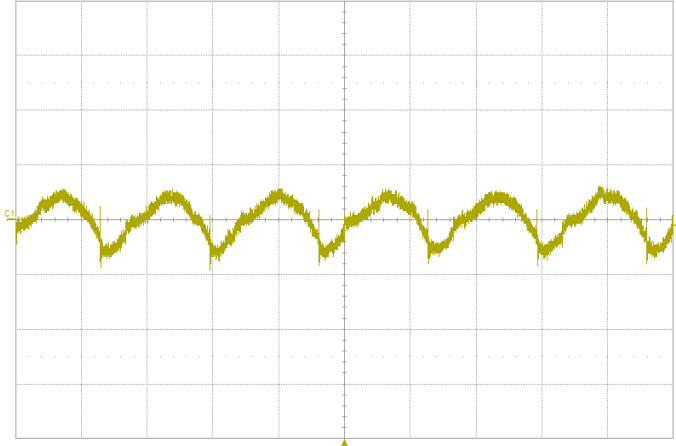


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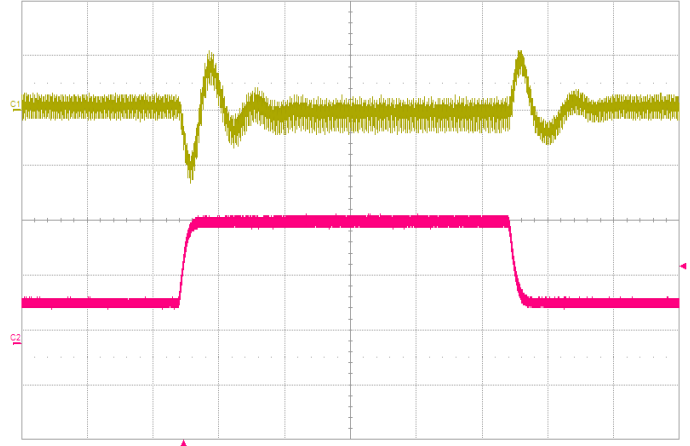
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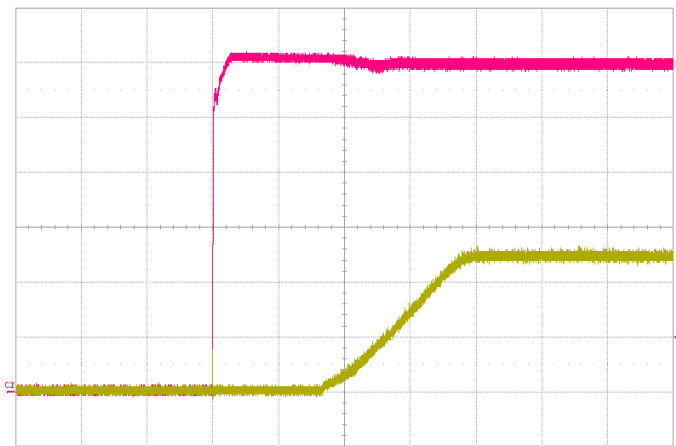
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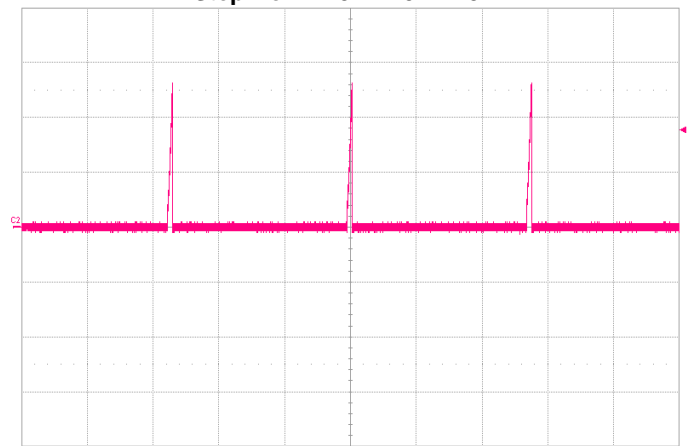
Noise  $V_{IN}=12V$ ,  $I_O=6A$ , 5~20MHz Bandwidth



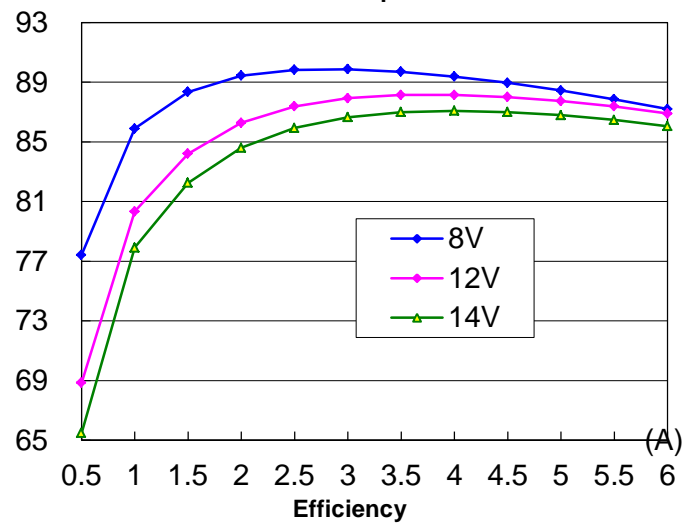
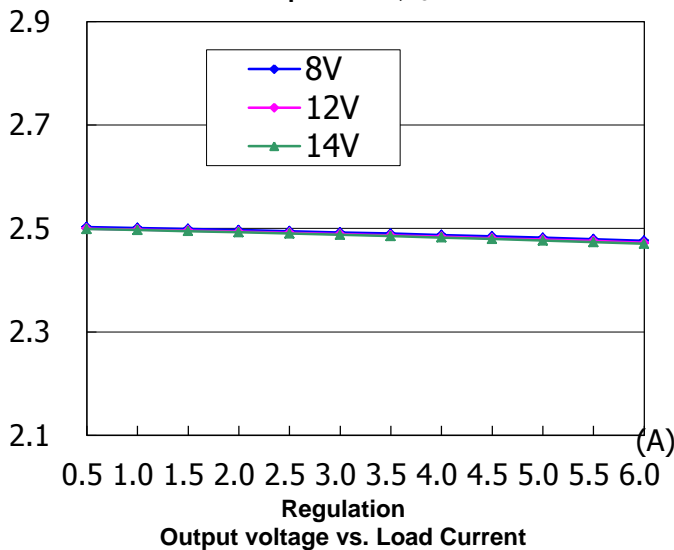
Transient Response  $V_{IN}=12V$ , Step from 1.5A~4.5A~1.5A



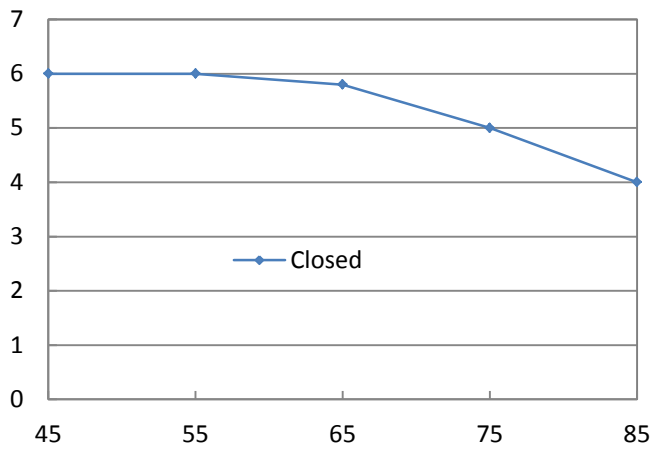
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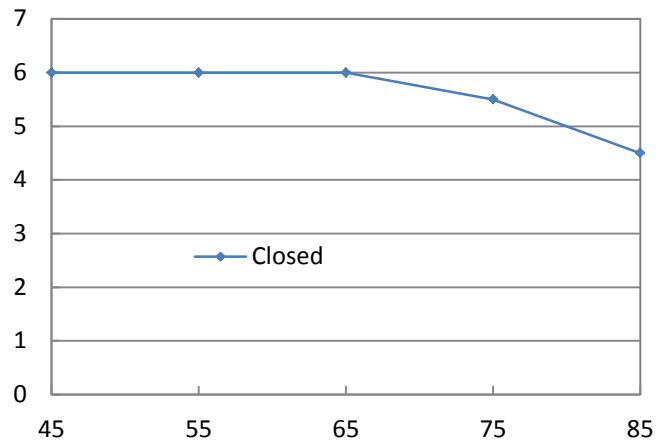
Short-Circuit Output  $V_{IN}=12V$







Output Current Derating  
(Load Current vs. Ambient Temperature), VIN=12V

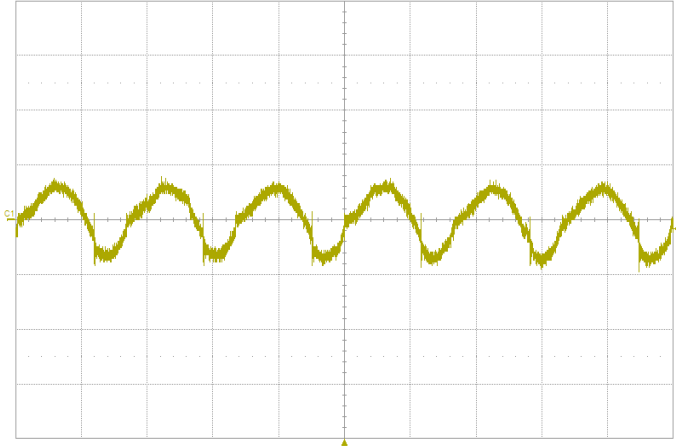


Output Current Derating  
(Load Current vs. Ambient Temperature), VIN=9V

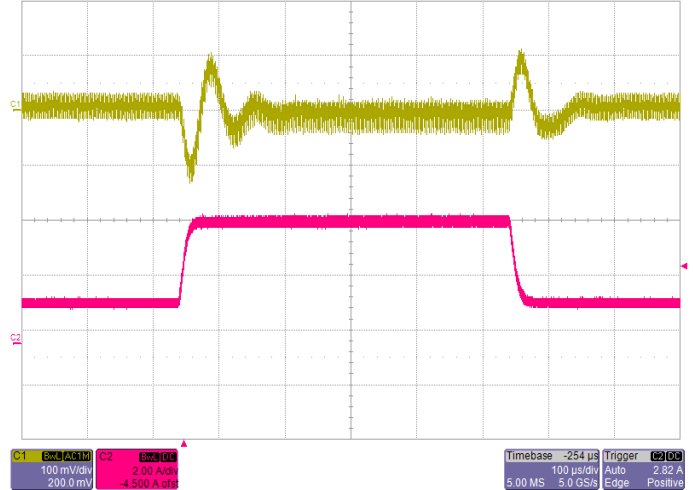
Typical Characteristics – output adjusted to 3.3V

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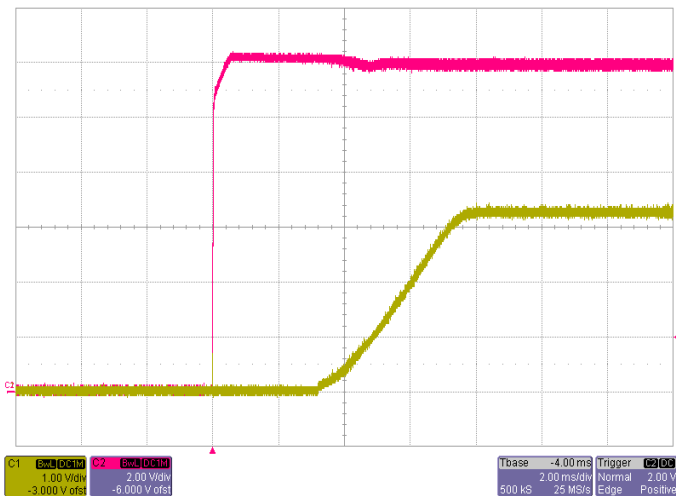
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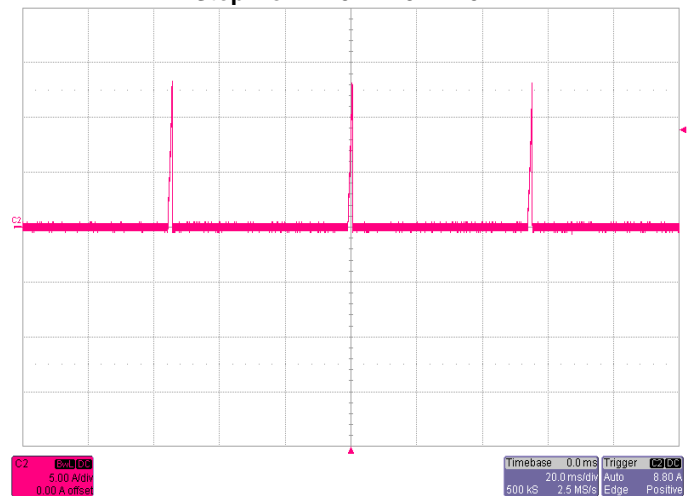
Noise  $V_{IN}=12V$ ,  $I_O=6A$ , 5~20MHz Bandwidth



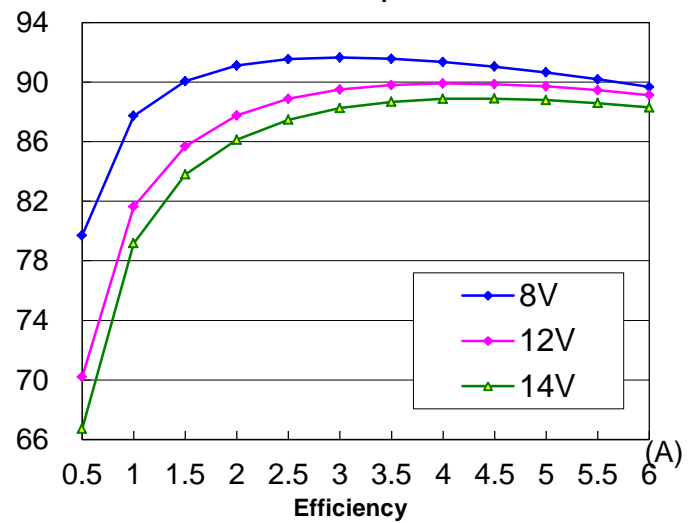
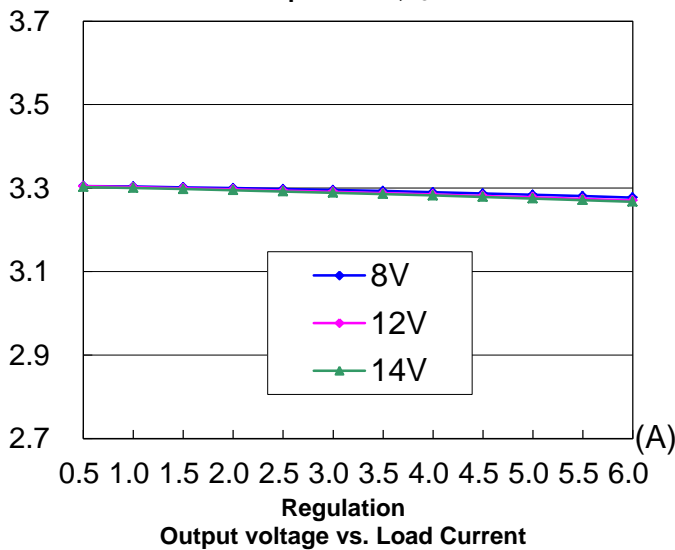
Transient Response  $V_{IN}=12V$ , Step from 1.5A~4.5A~1.5A

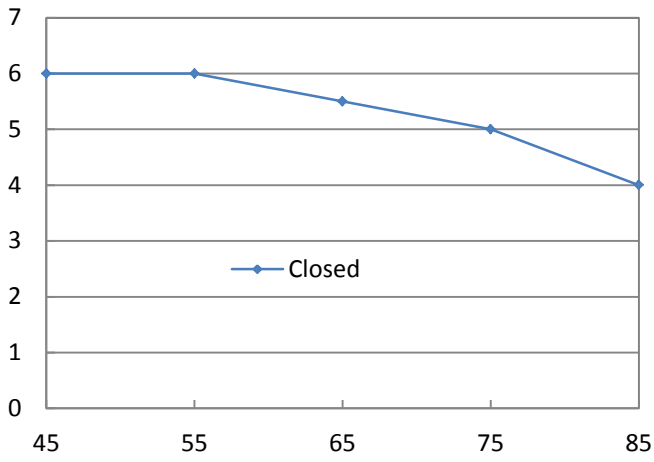


Start-up  $V_{IN}=12V$ ,  $I_O=6A$

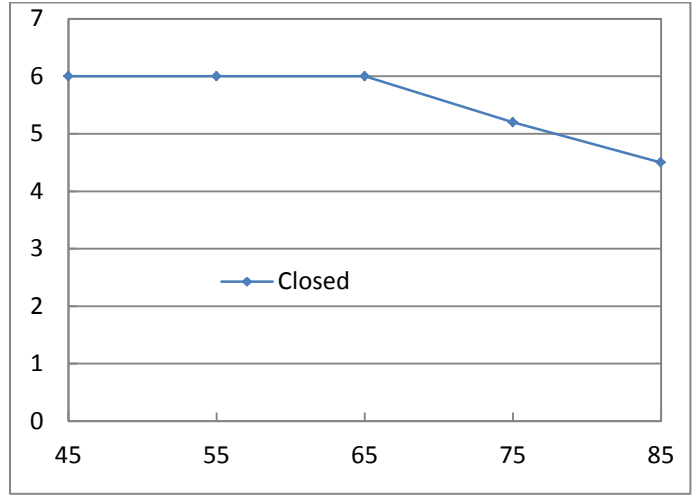


Short-Circuit Output  $V_{IN}=12V$





Output Current Derating  
(Load Current vs. Ambient Temperature),  $V_{IN}=12V$

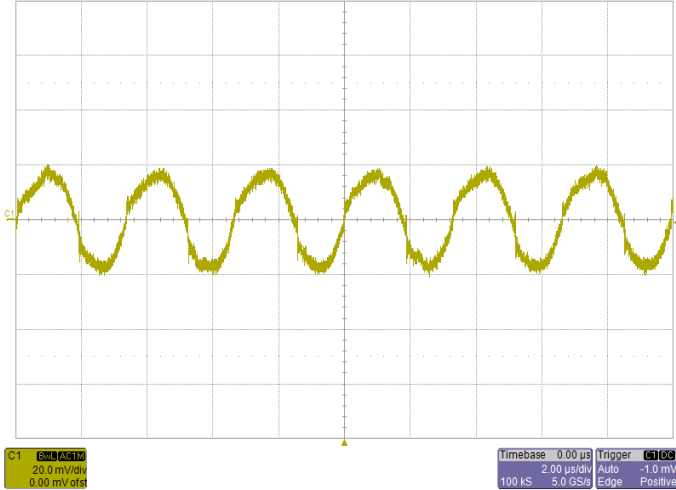


Output Current Derating  
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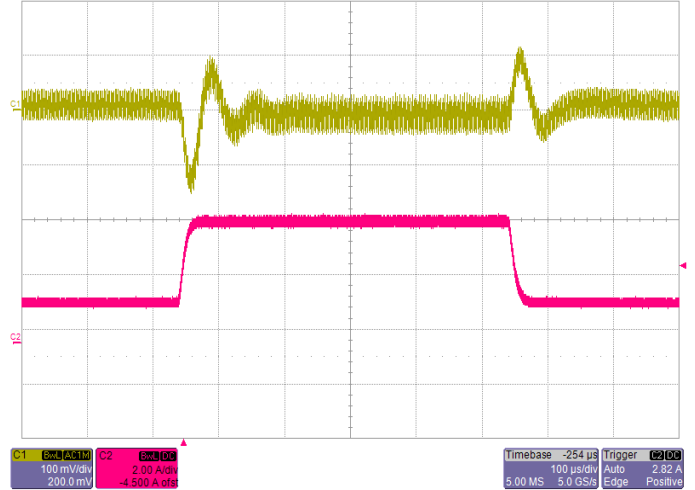
Typical Characteristics – output adjusted to 5.0V

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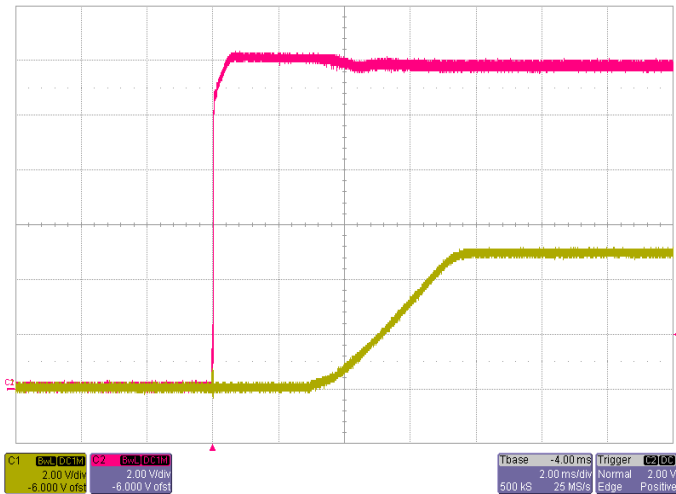
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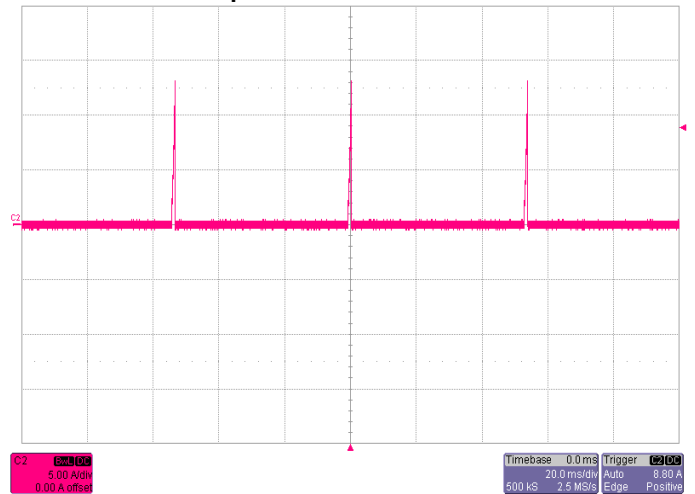
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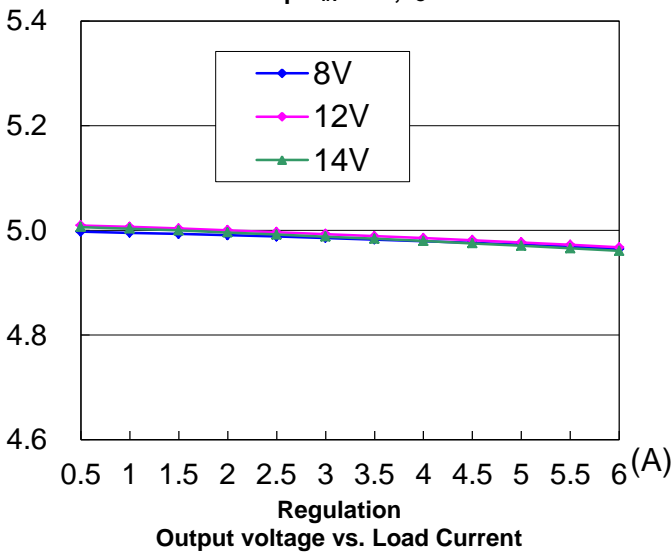
Transient Response  $V_{IN}=12V$ ,  
Step from 1.5A~4.5A~1.5A



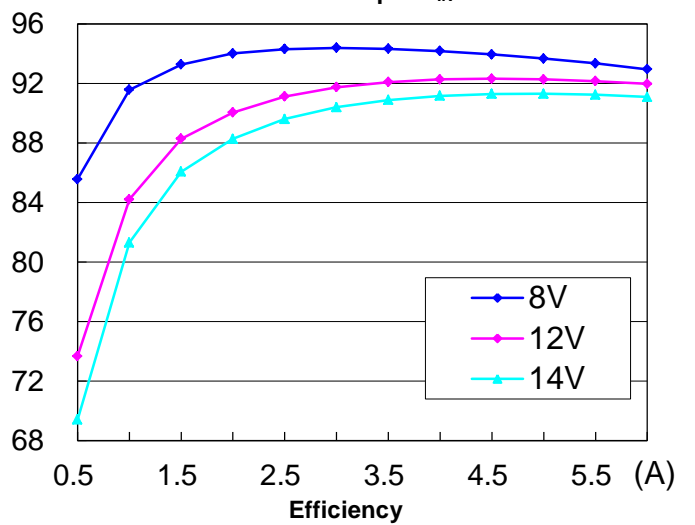
Start-up  $V_{IN}=12V$ ,  $I_O=6A$



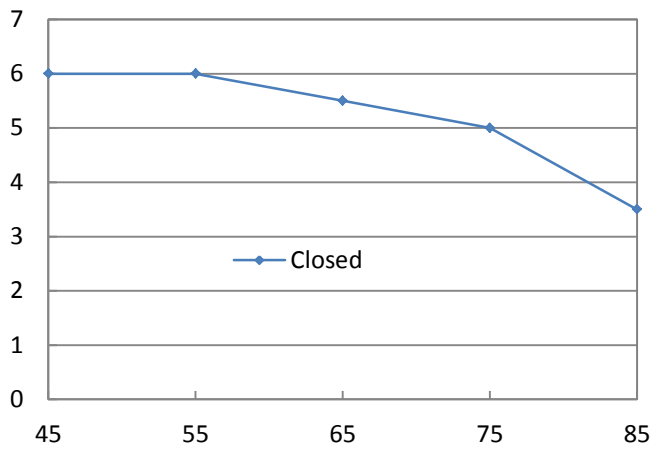
Short-Circuit Output  $V_{IN}=12V$



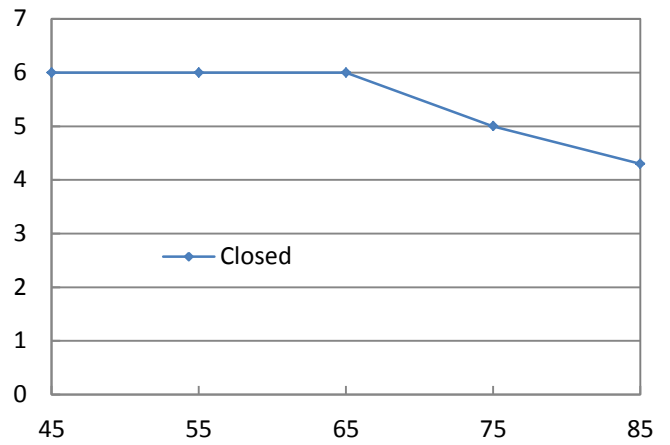
Output voltage vs. Load Current



Efficiency



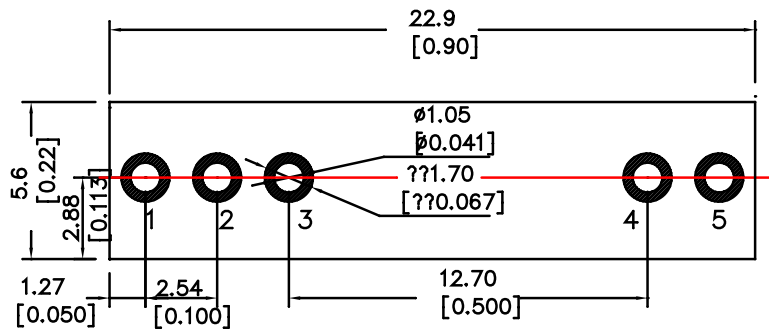
Output Current Derating  
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Output Current Derating  
(Load Current vs. Ambient Temperature),  $V_{IN}=9V$

### Recommended Hole Pattern

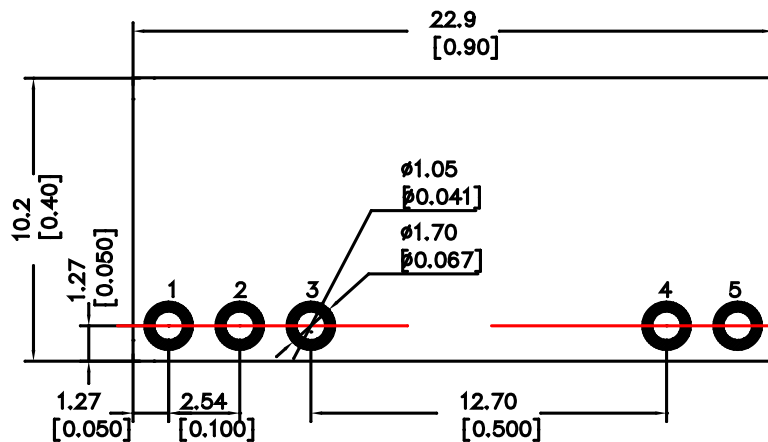
Dimensions are in millimeters (inches)  
 Tolerances: x.x mm±0.5mm (x.xx in ±0.02 in);  
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Component-side footprint

### Recommended Pattern for "-R" suffix

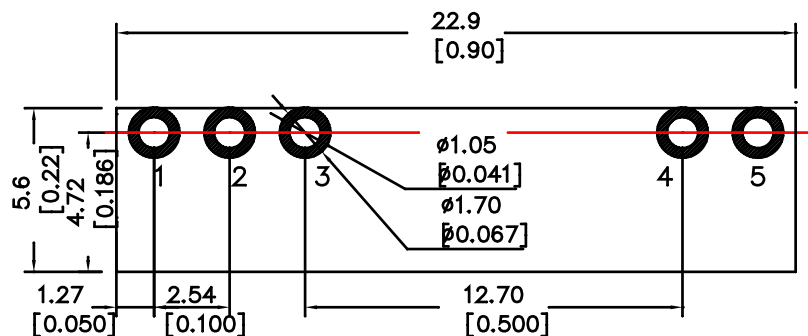
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 x.xx mm±0.25mm (x.xxx in ±0.01 in)



Component-side footprint

### Recommended Pattern for "-B" suffix

Dimensions are in millimeters (inches)  
 Tolerances: x.x mm±0.5mm (x.xx in ±0.02 in);  
 x.xx mm±0.25mm (x.xxx in ±0.01 in)



Component-side footprint

Application Notes