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# Buck Pulse Width Modulator Stepdown Voltage Regulator

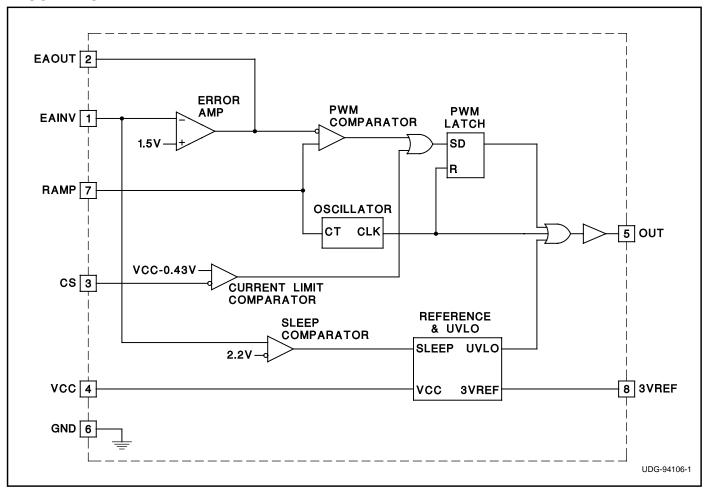
#### **FEATURES**

- Simple Single Inductor Buck PWM Stepdown Voltage Regulation
- Drives External PMOS Switch
- Contains UVLO Circuit
- Includes Pulse-by-Pulse Current Limit
- Low 50μA Sleep Mode Current

### DESCRIPTION

The UC3573 is a Buck pulse width modulator which steps down and regulates a positive input voltage. The chip is optimized for use in a single inductor buck switching converter employing an external PMOS switch. The block diagram consists of a precision reference, an error amplifier configured for voltage mode operation, an oscillator, a PWM comparator with latching logic, and a 0.5A peak gate driver. The UC3573 includes an undervoltage lockout circuit to insure sufficient input supply voltage is present before any switching activity can occur, and a pulse-by-pulse current limit. Input current can be sensed and limited to a user determined maximum value. In addition, a sleep comparator interfaces to the UVLO circuit which turns the chip off when the input voltage is below the UVLO threshold. This reduces the supply current to only  $50\mu A$ , making the UC3573 ideal for battery powered applications.

### **BLOCK DIAGRAM**

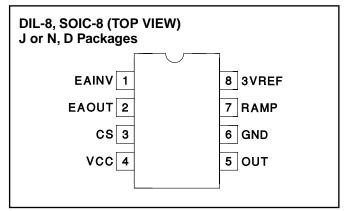


# **ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

| VCC35V                                       |
|--|
| EAINV0.6V to VCC                             |
| EAOUT······25mA                              |
| RAMP   |
| CS   |
| OUT  |
| 3VREF  |
| Storage Temperature –65°C to +150°C          |
| Junction Temperature                         |
| _ead Temperature (Soldering, 10 sec.) +300°C |

Currents are positive into, negative out of the specified terminal. Consult Packaging Section of Databook for thermal limitations and considerations of packages.

# **CONNECTION DIAGRAMS**



**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS:** Unless otherwise specified, these parameters apply for  $T_A = -55^{\circ}\text{C}$  to +125°C for the UC1573, -40°C to +85°C for the UC2573, and 0°C to +70°C for the UC3573, VCC = 5V, CT = 680pF,  $T_A = T_J$ .

| PARAMETER                               | TEST CONDITIONS                             | MIN   | TYP   | MAX   | UNITS |
|---|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Reference Section                       | ,   | •     |       |       |       |
| 3VREF                                   |   | 2.94  | 3     | 3.06  | V     |
| Line Regulation                         | VCC = 4.75 to 30V                           |       | 1     | 10    | mV    |
| Load Regulation                         | I <sub>3VREF</sub> = 0 to -5mA              |       | 1     | 10    | mV    |
| Oscillator Section                      |   | •     |       |       | _     |
| Frequency                               | V <sub>CC</sub> = 5V, 30V                   | 85    | 100   | 115   | kHz   |
| Error Amp Section                       |   | •     |       |       |       |
| EAINV                                   | EAOUT = 2V                                  | 1.45  | 1.5   | 1.55  | V     |
| I <sub>EAINV</sub>                      | EAOUT = 2V                                  |       | -0.2  | -1    | μΑ    |
| AVOL                                    | EAOUT = 0.5V to 3V                          | 65    | 90    |       | dB    |
| EAOUT High                              | EAINV = 1.4V                                | 3.6   | 4     | 4.4   | V     |
| EAOUT Low                               | EAINV = 1.6V                                |       | 0.1   | 0.2   | V     |
| I <sub>EAOUT</sub>                      | EAINV = 1.4V, EAOUT = 2V                    | -350  | -500  |       | μА    |
|   | EAINV = 1.6V, EAOUT = 2V                    | 7     | 20    |       | mA    |
| Unity Gain Bandwidth                    | T <sub>J</sub> = 25°C, F = 10kHz            | 0.6   | 1     |       | MHz   |
| <b>Current Sense Comparator Section</b> |   |       |       |       |       |
| Threshold (referred to VCC)             |   | -0.39 | -0.43 | -0.47 | V     |
| Input Bias Current                      | CS = VCC                                    |       | 150   | 800   | nA    |
| CS Propagation Delay                    |   |       | 400   |       | ns    |
| <b>Gate Drive Output Section</b>        |   |       |       |       |       |
| OUT High Saturation                     | $I_{OUT} = 0$                               |       | 0     | 0.3   | V     |
|   | $I_{OUT} = -10$ mA                          |       | 0.7   | 1.5   | V     |
|   | $I_{OUT} = -100$ mA                         |       | 1.5   | 2.5   | V     |
| OUT Low Saturation                      | $I_{OUT} = 10mA$                            |       | 0.1   | 0.4   | V     |
|   | $I_{OUT} = 100$ mA                          |       | 1.5   | 2.2   | V     |
| Rise Time                               | $T_J = 25$ °C, $C_{LOAD} = 1$ nF + 3.3 Ohms |       | 30    | 80    | ns    |
| Fall Time                               | $T_J = 25$ °C, $C_{LOAD} = 1$ nF + 3.3 Ohms |       | 30    | 80    | ns    |
| Pulse Width Modulator Section           |   |       |       |       |       |
| Maximum Duty Cycle                      | EAINV = 1.4V                                |       | 92    | 96    | %     |
| Minimum Duty Cycle                      | EAINV = 1.6V                                |       |       | 0     | %     |
| Modulator Gain                          | EAOUT = 1.5V to 2.5V                        | 25    | 35    | 45    | %/V   |
| Undervoltage Lockout Section            |   |       |       |       |       |
| Start Threshold                         |   | 3.5   | 4.2   | 4.5   | V     |
| Hysteresis                              |   | 100   | 200   | 300   | mV    |
|   |   |       |       |       |       |

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| PARAMETER              | TEST CONDITIONS       | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS |
|------------------------|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Sleep Mode Section     |                       |     |     |     |       |
| Threshold              |                       | 1.8 | 2.2 | 2.6 | V     |
| Supply Current Section |                       |     |     |     |       |
| I <sub>VCC</sub>       | VCC = 30V             |     | 9   | 12  | mA    |
| lvcc                   | VCC = 30V, EAINV = 3V |     | 50  | 150 | А     |

### **PIN DESCRIPTIONS**

**3VREF:** Precision 3V reference. Bypass with 100nF capacitor.

**CS**: Peak current limit sense pin. Senses the current across a current sense resistor placed between VCC and source of the PMOS Buck switch. OUT will be held high (PMOS buck switch off) if VCC – CS exceeds 0.4V.

**EAINV**: Inverting input to error amplifier. VOUT sense feedback connected to this pin. The non-inverting input of the error amplifier is internally connected to:

$$\frac{3VREF}{2}$$
 Volts.

Connecting the EAINV pin to an external voltage greater than 2.6V commands the chip to go into a low current sleep mode.

**EAOUT**: Output of error amplifier. Use EAOUT and EAINV for loop compensation components.

GND: Circuit Ground.

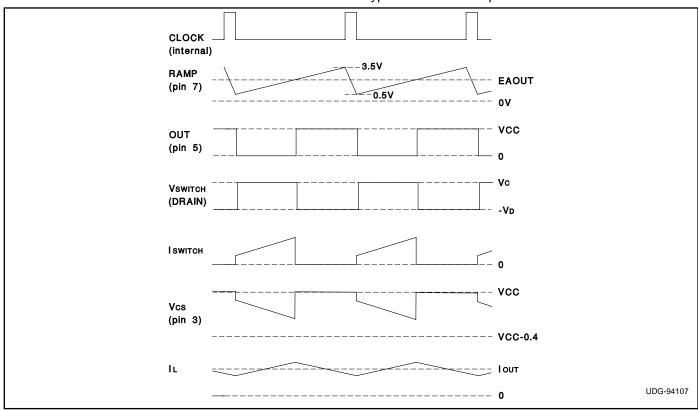
**OUT**: Gate drive for external PMOS switch connected between VCC and the flyback inductor. OUT drives the gate of the PMOS switch between VCC and GND.

**RAMP**: Oscillator and ramp for pulse width modulator. Frequency is set by a capacitor to GND by the equation

$$F = \frac{1}{15k C_{RAMP}}$$

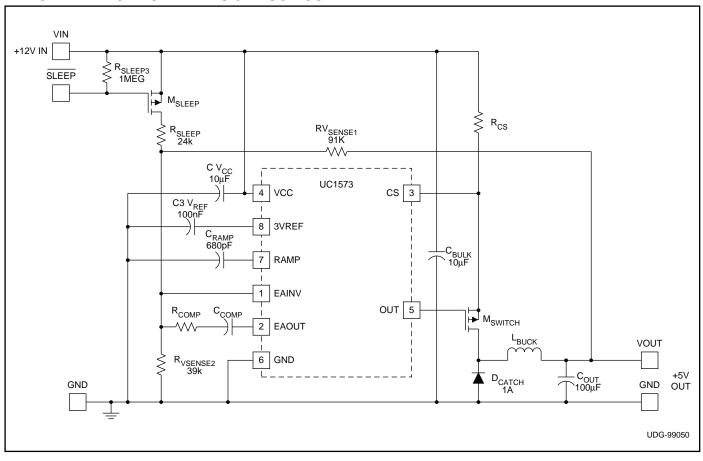
Recommended operating frequency range is 10kHz to 200kHz.

**VCC**: Input voltage supply to chip. Range is 4.75V to 30V. Bypass with a 1 F capacitor.



Typical Waveforms.

# **TYPICAL APPLICATION: 12V TO 5V BUCK CONVERTER**









### **PACKAGING INFORMATION**

| Orderable Device | Status <sup>(1)</sup> | Package<br>Type | Package<br>Drawing | Pins | Package<br>Qty | e Eco Plan <sup>(2)</sup> | Lead/Ball Finish | MSL Peak Temp (3)  |
|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------|----------------|---------------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| UC1573J          | OBSOLETE              | CDIP            | J                  | 8    |                | TBD                       | Call TI          | Call TI            |
| UC2573D          | ACTIVE                | SOIC            | D                  | 8    | 75             | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | Level-1-260C-UNLIM |
| UC2573DG4        | ACTIVE                | SOIC            | D                  | 8    | 75             | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | Level-1-260C-UNLIM |
| UC2573DTR        | ACTIVE                | SOIC            | D                  | 8    | 2500           | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | Level-1-260C-UNLIM |
| UC2573DTRG4      | ACTIVE                | SOIC            | D                  | 8    | 2500           | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | Level-1-260C-UNLIM |
| UC2573N          | ACTIVE                | PDIP            | Р                  | 8    | 50             | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | N / A for Pkg Type |
| UC2573NG4        | ACTIVE                | PDIP            | Р                  | 8    | 50             | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | N / A for Pkg Type |
| UC3573D          | ACTIVE                | SOIC            | D                  | 8    | 75             | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | Level-1-260C-UNLIM |
| UC3573DG4        | ACTIVE                | SOIC            | D                  | 8    | 75             | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | Level-1-260C-UNLIM |
| UC3573DTR        | ACTIVE                | SOIC            | D                  | 8    | 2500           | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | Level-1-260C-UNLIM |
| UC3573DTRG4      | ACTIVE                | SOIC            | D                  | 8    | 2500           | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | Level-1-260C-UNLIM |
| UC3573N          | ACTIVE                | PDIP            | Р                  | 8    | 50             | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | N / A for Pkg Type |
| UC3573NG4        | ACTIVE                | PDIP            | Р                  | 8    | 50             | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br)   | CU NIPDAU        | N / A for Pkg Type |

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|    | Dimension designed to accommodate the component width     |
|----|---|
| B0 | Dimension designed to accommodate the component length    |
| K0 | Dimension designed to accommodate the component thickness |
| W  | Overall width of the carrier tape                         |
| P1 | Pitch between successive cavity centers                   |

QUADRANT ASSIGNMENTS FOR PIN 1 ORIENTATION IN TAPE



#### \*All dimensions are nominal

| Device    | Package<br>Type | Package<br>Drawing |   |      | Reel<br>Diameter<br>(mm) | Reel<br>Width<br>W1 (mm) | A0 (mm) | B0 (mm) | K0 (mm) | P1<br>(mm) | W<br>(mm) | Pin1<br>Quadrant |
|-----------|-----------------|--------------------|---|------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------|---------|---------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| UC2573DTR | SOIC            | D                  | 8 | 2500 | 330.0                    | 12.4                     | 6.4     | 5.2     | 2.1     | 8.0        | 12.0      | Q1               |
| UC3573DTR | SOIC            | D                  | 8 | 2500 | 330.0                    | 12.4                     | 6.4     | 5.2     | 2.1     | 8.0        | 12.0      | Q1               |





#### \*All dimensions are nominal

| Device    | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | SPQ  | Length (mm) | Width (mm) | Height (mm) |
|-----------|--------------|-----------------|------|------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| UC2573DTR | SOIC         | D               | 8    | 2500 | 346.0       | 346.0      | 29.0        |
| UC3573DTR | SOIC         | D               | 8    | 2500 | 346.0       | 346.0      | 29.0        |

# D (R-PDSO-G8)

# PLASTIC SMALL-OUTLINE PACKAGE



NOTES:

- A. All linear dimensions are in inches (millimeters).
- B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
- Body length does not include mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs. Mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs shall not exceed .006 (0,15) per end.
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- E. Reference JEDEC MS-012 variation AA.



# P (R-PDIP-T8)

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