

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The CM3718C is a low-noise, pulse-width-modulated (PWM), DC-DC step-down converter. It powers logic and transmitters in small wireless systems such as cellular phones, communicating PDAs, and handy-terminals. The device features an internal synchronous rectifier for high efficiency; it requires no external Schottky diode. Excellent noise characteristics and fixed-frequency operation provide easy post-filtering. The CM3718C is ideally suited for Li-lon battery applications. It is also useful for +3V or +5V fixed input applications.

The device operates in one of four modes. Forced PWM mode operates at a fixed frequency regardless of the load. Shutdown mode places the device in standby, reducing quiescent supply current to under 0.1µA.

The CM3718C can deliver over 1.5A. The output voltage can be adjusted from VREF to VIN. The input range is from 2.0V to 5.0V. Other features of the CM3718C include high efficiency, low dropout voltage. It is available in a space-saving 8-pin SOP package.

FEATURES

- Patented Filed #6,452,366
- 1.2MHz switching and synchronization
- ◆ Dynamic output-voltage adjustment from VREF to VIN
- ♦ 1.5A Guaranteed Output Current
- ♦ 95% Efficiency
- No Schottky Diode Required
- ◆ External Soft Start
- 8-pin SOP package.

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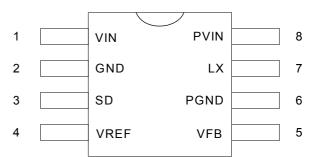
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APPLICATIONS

- Cellular Phone
- ◆ Cordless Phone
- PDAs and Handy-Terminals
- ◆ CPU I/O Supplies
- Notebook Chipset Supplies
- Battery Operated Devices

PIN CONFIGURATION

SOP-8 (S08) Top View





PIN DESCRIPTION

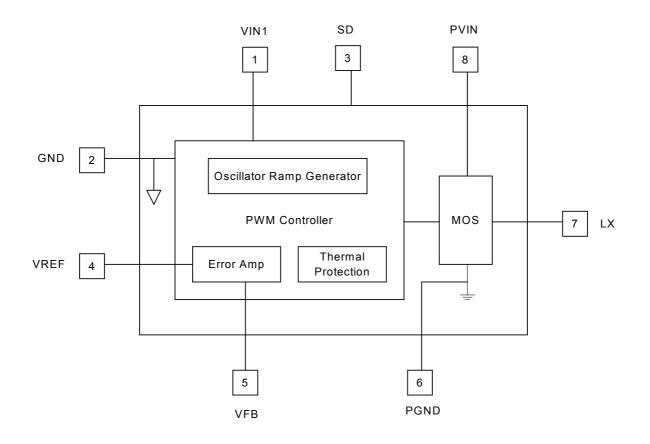
Pin No.	Symbol	Description		Operating Rating				
				Min.	Тур.	Max.	Uni t	
1	VIN	Voltage supply for in	Voltage supply for internal circuits		2.5	5.5	V	
2	GND	Ground for internal r	Ground for internal reference voltage divider					
3	SD	CMOS input level Enable level	Shutdown level	0.75 x VIN		VIN + 0.3	V	
			0		2.0			
4	VREF	V _{OUT} Set Voltage	V _{OUT} Set Voltage			VIN	V	
5	VFB	Feedback node for the V _{OUT}			VREF		V	
6	PGND	Ground for output po	Ground for output power transistors					
7	LX	Inductor connection	Inductor connection to the Drains of the internal power MOSFETs			5.5	V	
8	PVIN	Voltage supply for output power transistors		2	2.5	5.5	V	

ORDERING INFORMATION

Part Number	Temperature Range	Package		
CM3718CIS	-40°C to 85°C	8-Pin SOP (S08)		
CM3718CGIS*	-40°C to 85°C	8-Pin SOP (S08)		

*Note: G : Suffix for Pb Free Product

BLOCK DIAGRAM





ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Absolute maximum ratings are those values beyond which the	Junction Temperature150°C
device could be permanently damaged.	Storage Temperature65°C to 125°C
PVIN/VIN0.3V to 6.0V	Lead Temperature (Soldering, 5 sec) 260°C
Voltage on Any Other Pin GND – 0.3V to VIN + 0.3V	Thermal Dissipation(θ JC)
Output Current, Source or Sink1.5A	

OPERATING CONDITIONS

Temperature Range	40°C to 85°C
PVIN Operating Range	2.0V to 4.0V

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (Unless otherwise stated, these specifications apply T_A=25°C; VIN=+3.3V and PVIN=+3.3V) maximum ratings are stress ratings only and functional device operation is not implied. (Note 1)

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Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
SWITCHING	REGULATOR					
V_{REF}	Adjustable Output Voltage		VREF		VIN	V
fsw	Switching Frequency	CM3718C		1.2		MHz
I _{OUT(RMS)}	Maximum Output RMS Current	CM3718C			1.5	Α
I _{OUT(PEAK)}	Maximum Output Peak Current	CM3718C			3	Α
MOSFETs						
RDS _(ON)	Drain to Source on-State Resistance	PVIN=5V		250		$m\Omega$
SUPPLY						
I _{VIN}	Quiescent Current	VFB = 1.4V		220		μА
		LC unconnected				
		VFB = 1.4V		500		
I _{PVIN}		LC unconnected		500		μA



FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

The CM3718C step-down, pulse-width-modulated (PWM), DC-DC converter has an adjustable output range from VREF to the input voltage (VIN). An internal synchronous rectifier improves efficiency and eliminates an external Schottky diode. Fixed-frequency operation enables easy post-filtering, thereby providing excellent noise characteristics. As a result, the CM3718C is an ideal choice for many small wireless systems.

VREF

The reference voltage could be ranged from 1.1V to VIN.

OUPUTS

The output voltage pins (LX) are tied to the RF power amp, via an external inductor. Output voltage is determined by the VREF inputs.

INPUTS

The input voltage reference pin, VREF determine the output voltages (LX). If a specific voltage is forced at the VREF pin, the output voltage follows the voltage at the VREF pin.

OTHER SUPPLY VOLTAGES

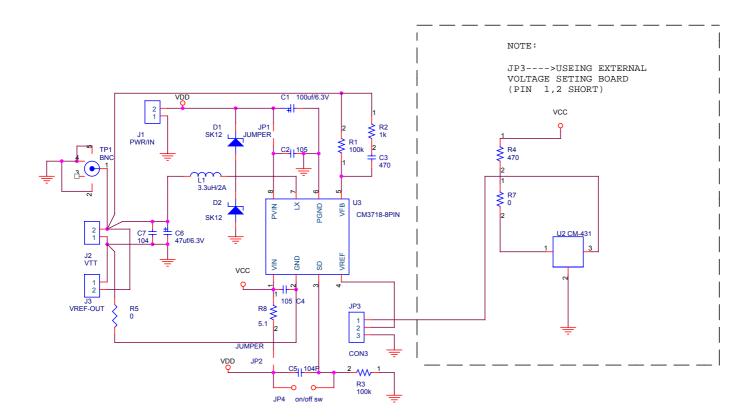
Several inputs are provided for the supply voltages: PVIN and VIN.

The PVIN provide the power supply to the power MOSFETs. VIN provides the voltage supply to the logic section and internal error amplifiers.

FEEDBACK

The VFB pin is an input that can be used for closed loop compensation. This input is derived from the voltage output. AGND pin is a contact node of internal resistor divider for remote sense.

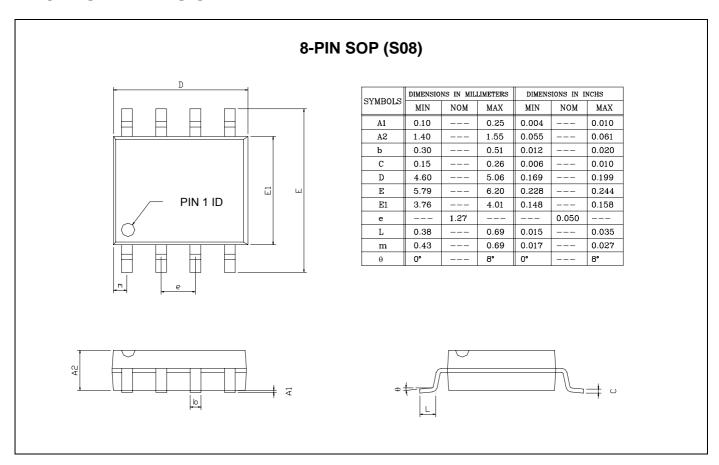
APPLICATION CIRCUIT





1.5A Low-Noise PWM Step-Down Regulator

PACKAGE DIMENSION





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