

GY 1.3MHz Step-Up DC/DC Converter in SC70 and ThinSOT

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FEATURES

- 1.3MHz Switching Frequency
- High Output Voltage: Up to 36V
- 300mA Integrated Switch
- 12V at 70mA from 5V Input
- 5V at 60mA from 3.3V Input
- Wide Input Range: 2.5V to 16V
- Uses Small Surface Mount Components
- Low Shutdown Current: <1µA
- SC70 and Low Profile (1mm) ThinSOTTM Packages

APPLICATIONS

- Digital Cameras
- CCD Bias Supply
- XDSL Power Supply
- TFT-LCD Bias Supply
- Local 5V or 12V Supply
- Medical Diagnostic Equipment
- Battery Backup

DESCRIPTION

The LT®3460 is a general purpose step-up DC/DC converter. The LT3460 switches at 1.3MHz, allowing the use of tiny, low cost and low height capacitors and inductors. The constant frequency results in low, predictable output noise that is easy to filter. The high voltage switch in the LT3460 is rated at 38V, making the device ideal for boost converters up to 36V. The LT3460 can generate 12V at up to 70mA from a 5V supply.

The LT3460 is available in SC70 and ThinSOT packages.

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TYPICAL APPLICATION

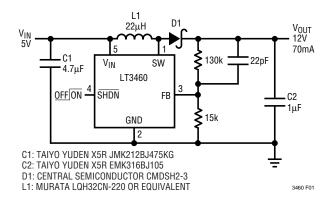
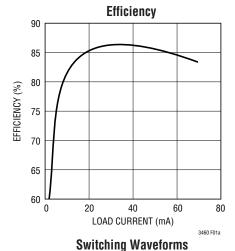


Figure 1. 5V to 12V, 70mA Step-Up DC/DC Converter



V_{SW} 5V/DIV 100mA/DIV 0.2µs/DIV 3460 F01b

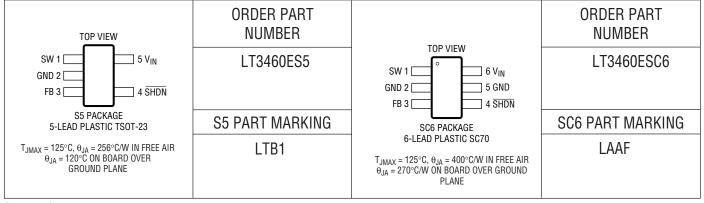
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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (Note 1)

Input Voltage (V _{IN})	Operating Ambient
SW Voltage	Temperature Range (Note 2)40°C to 85°C
FB Voltage 5V	Maximum Junction Temperature125°C
SHDN Voltage 16V	Storage Temperature Range65°C to 150°C
	Lead Temperature (Soldering, 10 sec)300°C

PACKAGE/ORDER INFORMATION



Consult LTC Marketing for parts specified with wider operating temperature ranges.

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS The ullet denotes the specifications which apply over the full operating temperature range, otherwise specifications are at $T_A = 25 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$, $V_{IN} = 3V$, $V_{\overline{SHDN}} = 3V$, unless otherwise noted.

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
Minimum Operating Voltage			2.5			V
Maximum Operating Voltage					16	V
Feedback Voltage		•	1.235 1.225	1.255	1.275 1.280	V
Feedback Line Regulation				0.0015		%/V
FB Pin Bias Current		•	5	25	80	nA
Supply Current	SHDN = 0V			2.0 0.1	3.0 0.5	mA μA
Switching Frequency			1.0	1.3	1.7	MHz
Maximum Duty Cycle			85	90		%
Switch Current Limit			300	420	600	mA
Switch V _{CESAT}	I _{SW} = 250mA			320	450	mV
Switch Leakage Current	V _{SW} = 5V			0.01	1	μА
SHDN Voltage High			1.5			V
SHDN Voltage Low					0.4	V
SHDN Pin Bias Current				40		μΑ

Note 1: Absolute Maximum Ratings are those values beyond which the life of a device may be impaired.

Note 2: The LT3460E is guaranteed to meet specifications from 0° C to 70° C. Specifications over the -40° C to 85° C operating temperature range are assured by design, characterization and correlation with statistical process controls.



PIN FUNCTIONS (ThinSOT/SC70 Packages)

SW (Pin 1/Pin 1): Switch Pin. Connect inductor/diode here. Minimize trace at this pin to reduce EMI.

GND (Pin 2/Pins 2 and 5): Ground Pin. Tie directly to local ground plane.

FB (**Pin 3/Pin 3**): Feedback Pin. Reference voltage is 1.255V. Connect resistor divider tap here. Minimize trace area at FB. Set V_{OUT} according to $V_{OUT} = 1.255V$ (1 + R1/R2).

SHDN (**Pin 4/Pin 4**): Shutdown Pin. Tie to 1.5V or higher to enable device; 0.4V or less to disable device. Also functions as soft-start. Use RC filter (47k, 47nF typ) as shown in Figure 2.

V_{IN} (**Pin 5/Pin 6**): Input Supply Pin. Must be locally bypassed.

BLOCK DIAGRAM

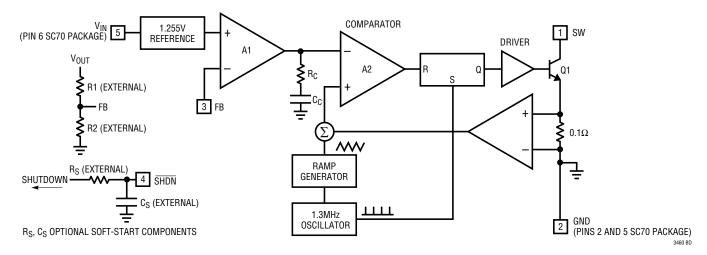


Figure 2. Block Diagram

OPERATION

The LT3460 uses a constant frequency, current mode control scheme to provide excellent line and load regulation. Operation can be best understood by referring to the block diagram in Figure 2. At the start of each oscillator cycle, the SR latch is set, which turns on the power switch Q1. A voltage proportional to the switch current is added to a stabilizing ramp and the resulting sum is fed into the positive terminal of the PWM comparator A2. When this voltage exceeds the level at the negative input of A2, the SR

latch is reset turning off the power switch. The level at the negative input of A2 is set by the error amplifier A1, and is simply an amplified version of the difference between the feedback voltage and the reference voltage of 1.255V. In this manner, the error amplifier sets the correct peak current level to keep the output in regulation. If the error amplifier's output increases, more current is delivered to the output; if it decreases, less current is delivered.



OPERATION

Layout Hints

The high speed operation of the LT3460 demands careful attention to board layout. You will not get advertised

performance with careless layout. Figure 3 shows the recommended component placement.

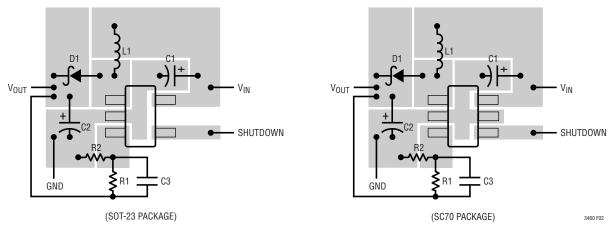
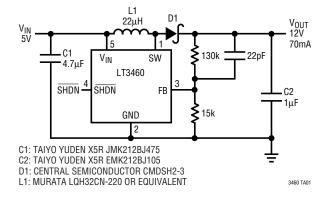


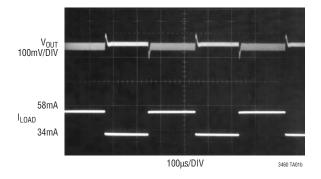
Figure 3. Suggested Layout

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

5V to 12V Step-Up Converter



Load Step Response

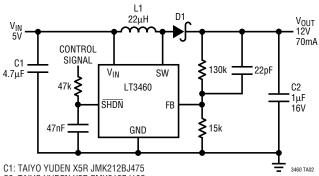


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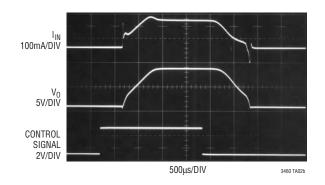
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5V to 12V with Soft-Start Circuit

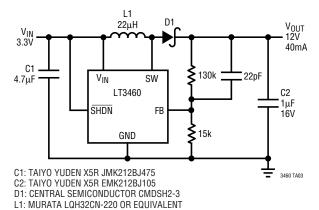


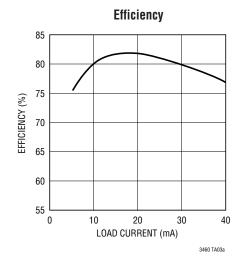
- C2: TAIYO YUDEN X5R EMK212BJ105
- D1: CENTRAL SEMICONDUCTOR CMDSH2-3
- L1: MURATA LQH32CN-220 OR EQUIVALENT

Input Current and Output Voltage



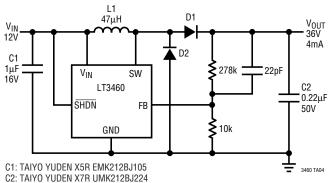
3.3V to 12V Step-Up Converter





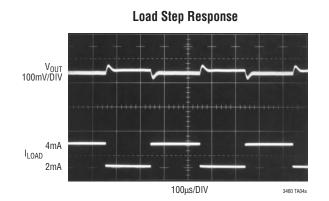
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12V to 36V Step-Up Converter

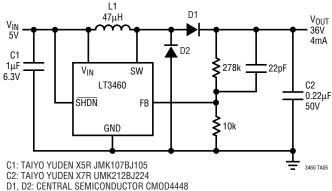


D1, D2: CENTRAL SEMICONDUCTOR CMOD4448

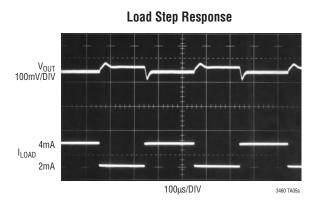
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5V to 36V Step-Up Converter



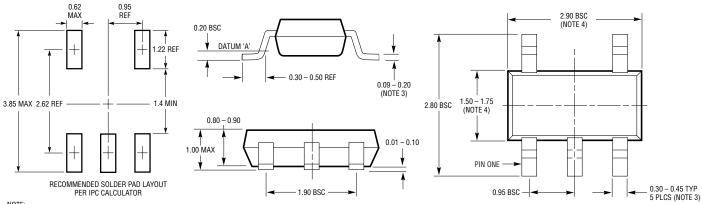
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PACKAGE DESCRIPTION

S5 Package 5-Lead Plastic TSOT-23

(Reference LTC DWG # 05-08-1635)



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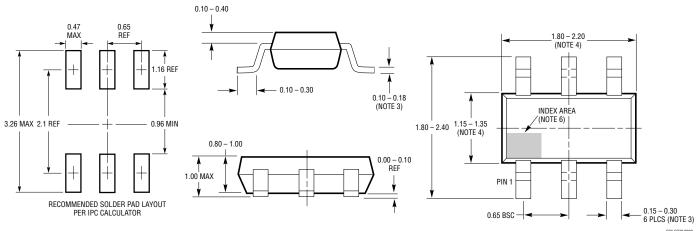
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SC6 Package 6-Lead Plastic SC70

(Reference LTC DWG # 05-08-1638)

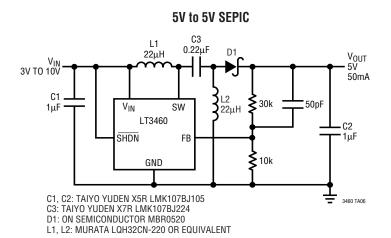


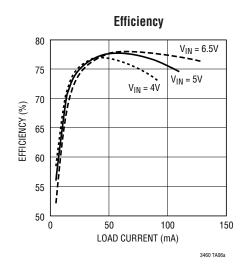
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 6. DETAILS OF THE PIN 1 INDENTIFIER ARE OPTIONAL,
 BUT MUST BE LOCATED WITHIN THE INDEX AREA
 7. EIAJ PACKAGE REFERENCE IS EIAJ SC-70



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RELATED PARTS

PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	COMMENTS
LT1615/LT1615-1	Constant Off-Time, Step-Up DC/DC Converter	350mA Switch, V _{OUT} to 36V, I _Q = 20μA, ThinSOT Package
LT1944/LT1944-1	Dual Off-Time, Step-Up DC/DC Converter	350mA Switch ×2, V _{OUT} to 36V, I _Q = 20μA, MS10 Package
LTC3400/LTC3400B	1.2MHz, Synchronous Step-Up DC/DC Converter	600mA Switch, V _{IN} : 0.85V to 5V, I _Q = 19µA, ThinSOT Package
LTC3401	3MHz, Synchronous Step-Up DC/DC Converter	1A Switch, V _{IN} : 0.5V to 5V, I _Q = 38μA, MS10 Package
LTC3402	3MHz, Synchronous Step-Up DC/DC Converter	2A Switch, V _{IN} : 0.5V to 5V, I _Q = 38μA, MS10 Package
LT3464	Micropower Step-Up DC/DC Converter	85mA Switch, Contains Diode and Output Disconnect PNP, $I_Q = 25\mu A$