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USER GUIDE FOR IR3802 EVALUATION BOARD

DESCRIPTION

The IR3802 is a synchronous buck converter, providing a compact, high performance and flexible solution in a small 5mmx6mm Power QFN package.

Key features offered by the IR3802 include programmable soft-start ramp, precision 0.6V reference voltage, thermal protection, fixed 600kHz switching frequency requiring no external component, input under-voltage lockout for proper start-up, and pre-bias start-up.

An output over-current protection function is implemented by sensing the voltage developed across the on-resistance of the synchronous rectifier MOSFET for optimum cost and performance.

This user guide contains the schematic and bill of materials for the IR3802 evaluation board. The guide describes operation and use of the evaluation board itself. Detailed application information for IR3802 is available in the IR3802 data sheet.

BOARD FEATURES

- V_{in} = +12V (13.2V Max)
- V_{out} = +3.3V @ 0-4A
- L = 3.3uH
- C_{in}= 1x10uF (ceramic 1206)
- C_{out}= 1x22uF (ceramic 0805), 1x220uF/6.3V (SP-Cap)



CONNECTIONS and OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

A well regulated +12V input supply should be connected to VIN+ and VIN-. A maximum 4A load should be connected to VOUT+ and VOUT-. The connection diagram is shown in Fig. 1 and inputs and outputs of the board are listed in Table I.

IR3802 has two input supplies, one for biasing (Vcc) and the other as input voltage (Vin). These inputs are connected on the board with a 330 ohm resistor (R13). Separate supplies can be applied to these inputs. Vcc input cannot be connected unless R13 is removed. Vcc input should be a well regulated 5V-12V supply and it would be connected to Vcc+ and Vcc-.

 $\begin{array}{ccc} \textbf{Connection} & \textbf{Signal Name} \\ \textbf{VIN+} & \textbf{V}_{\text{in}} \ (+12 \textbf{V}) \\ \textbf{VIN-} & \textbf{Ground of V}_{\text{in}} \\ \textbf{Vcc+} & \textbf{Optional Vcc input} \\ \textbf{Vcc-} & \textbf{Ground for Optional Vcc input} \\ \textbf{VOUT-} & \textbf{Ground of V}_{\text{out}} \\ \textbf{VOUT+} & \textbf{V}_{\text{out}} \ (+3.3 \textbf{V}) \\ \end{array}$

Table I. Connections

LAYOUT

The PCB is a 4-layer board. All of layers are 2 Oz. copper. The IR3802A SupIRBuck and all of the passive components are mounted on the bottom side of the board. The Inductor, Input and Output Bulk Capacitors are located on the top side of the board.

Power supply decoupling capacitors, the charge-pump capacitor and feedback components are located close to IR3802A. The feedback resistors are connected to the output voltage at the point of regulation and are located close to the SupIRBuck.

To improve efficiency, the circuit board is designed to minimize the length of the on-board power ground current path.



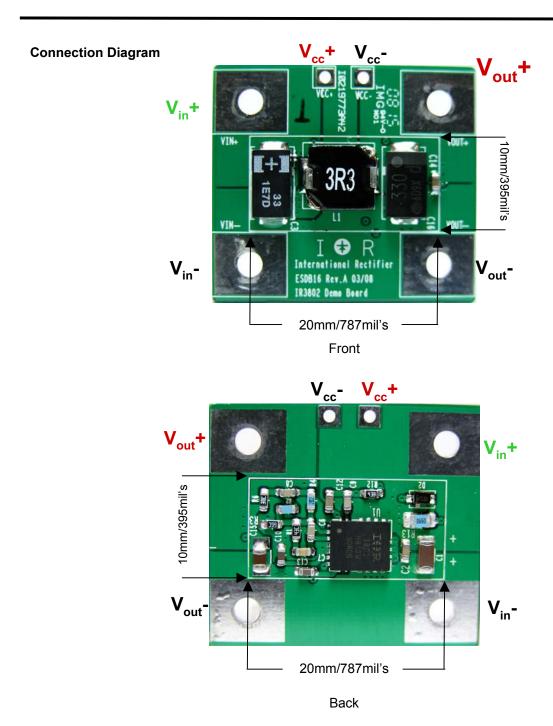


Fig. 1: Connection diagram of IR3802A evaluation board



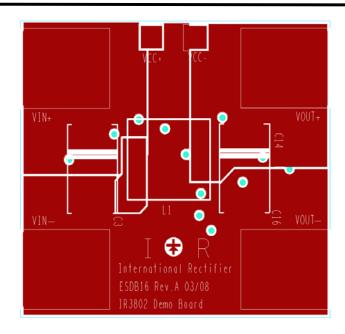


Fig. 2: Board layout, top overlay

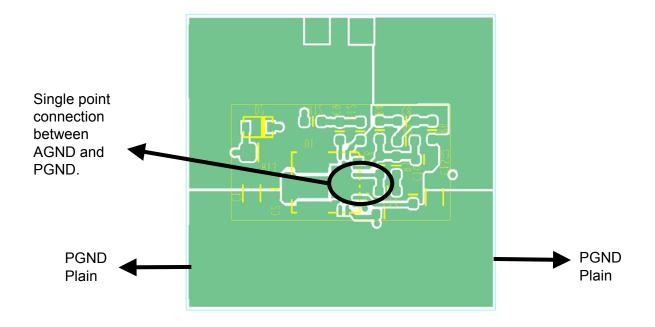


Fig. 3: Board layout, bottom overlay (rear view)

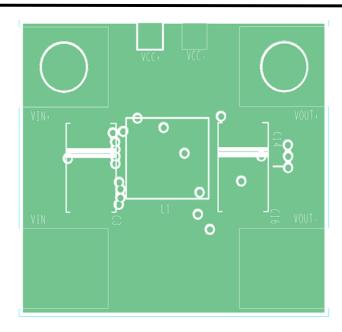


Fig. 4: Board layout, mid-layer I.

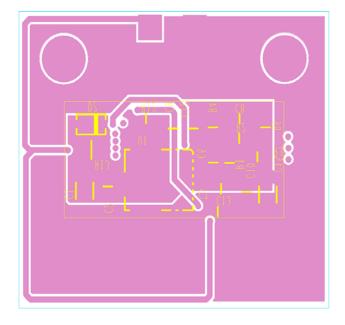


Fig. 5: Board layout, mid-layer II.

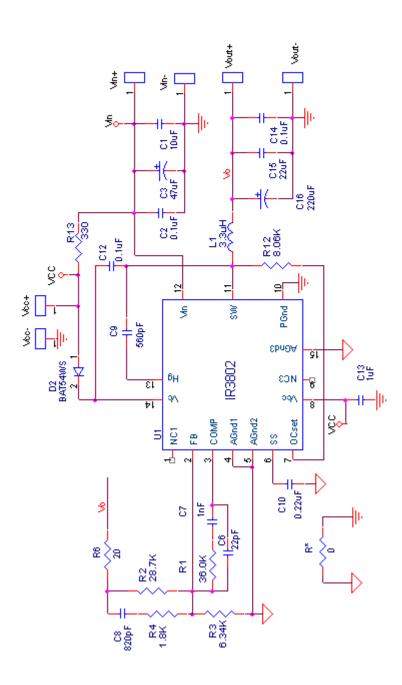


Fig. 6: Schematic of the IR3802 evaluation board





Bill of Materials

| Item Number | Overtites | Part Reference | Value | Description | Manufacturer | Part Number |
|----------------|-----------|----------------|---------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
| | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | B1 | | ESDB016,Rev A, PCB | International Rectifier | ESDB016,Rev A |
| 2 | 1 | C1 | 10uF | Ceramic,16V,1206,X7R,10% | TDK Corporation | C3216X7R1C106K |
| 3 | 3 | C2 C12 C14 | 0.1uF | Ceramic,25V,0603,X7R,10% | Panasonic - ECG | ECJ-1VB1E104K |
| 4 | 1 | C3 | 47uF | Poscap,16V,D2,Polomer-Aluminum | Sanyo | 16TQC47M |
| 5 | 1 | C6 | 22pF | Ceramic,50V,0603,NPO,5% | Panasonic - ECG | ECJ-1VC1H220J |
| 6 | 1 | C7 | 1000pF | Ceramic,50V,0603,C0G,10% | Kemet | C0603C102J5GACTU |
| 7 | 1 | C8 | 820pF | Ceramic,50V,0603,X7R,10% | Murata | GRM188R71H821KA01D |
| 8 | 1 | C9 | 560pF | Ceramic,50V,0603,X7R,10% | Murata | GRM188R71H561KA01D |
| 9 | 1 | C10 | 0.22uF | Ceramic,10V,0603,X5R,10% | Panasonic - ECG | ECJ-1VB1A224K |
| 10 | 1 | C13 | 1uF | Ceramic,16V,0603,X5R,10% | Panasonic - ECG | ECJ-BVB1C105K |
| 11 | 1 | C15 | 22uF | Ceramic,6.3V,0805,X5R,20% | TDK | C2012X5R0J226M |
| 12 | 1 | C16 | 220uF | SP-Cap,4.0V,D4,Polymer-Aluminum | Panasonic | EEFUE0G221XE |
| 13 | 1 | D2 | BAT54WS | Diode,Schotky,40V,SOD323,200mA | International Rectifier | BAT54WS |
| 14 | 1 | L1 | 3.3uH | SMT-Inductor,18mOhms,7.5x7.5mm,20% | ACT | STS704-3R3M |
| 15 | 1 | R1 | 36.0K | Thick-film,0603,1/10W,1% | Panasonic - ECG | ERJ-3EKF3602V |
| 16 | 1 | R2 | 28.7K | Thick-film,0603,1/10W,1% | Rohm | MCR03EZPFX2872 |
| 17 | 1 | R3 | 6.34K | Thick-film,0603,1/10W,1% | Rohm | MCR03EZPFX6341 |
| 18 | 1 | R4 | 1.8K | Thick-film,0603,1/10W,1% | Rohm | MCR03EZPFX1801 |
| 19 | 1 | R6 | 20 | Thick-film,0603,1/10 W,1% | Vishey/Dale | CRCW060320R0FKEA |
| 20 | 1 | R12 | 8.06K | Thick-film,0603,1/10 W,1% | Rohm | MCR03EZPFX8061 |
| 21 | 1 | R13 | 330 | Thick-film,0805,1/8W,1% | Rohm | MCR10EZPF3300 |
| 22 | 1 | U1 | IR3802 | IR3802, Controller,PQFN,5x6mm | International Rectifier | IR3802 |



TYPICAL OPERATING WAVEFORMS

Vin=12.0V, Vcc = 6.3V, Vo=3.3V, Io=0-4A, Room Temperature, No Air Flow

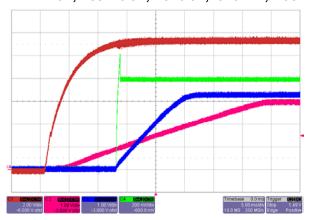


Fig. 7: Start up at 4A Load $Ch_1:V_{in}$, $Ch_2:V_{SS}$, $Ch_3:V_{out}$, $Ch_4:I_{out}$

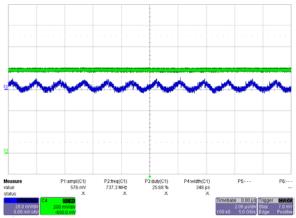


Fig. 9: Output Voltage Ripple, 4A load Ch₁: V_{out}, Ch₄: I_{out}

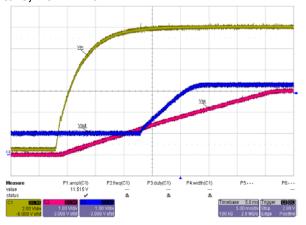


Fig. 8: Pre-Bias Start up, 0A Load Ch₁:V_{in}, Ch₂:V_{SS}, Ch₃:V_{out}

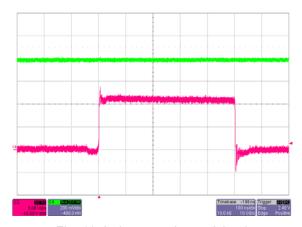


Fig. 10: Inductor node at 4A load Ch₁:LX, Ch₄:I_{out}

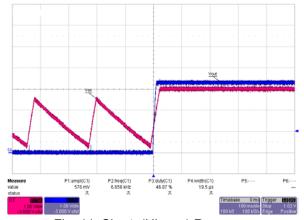
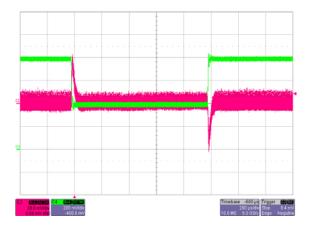
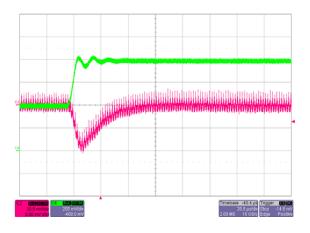


Fig. 11: Short (Hiccup) Recovery $Ch_1:V_{SS}$, $Ch_2:V_{out}$



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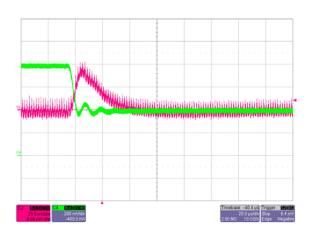


Fig. 12: Transient Response, 2A to 4A step $Ch_1:V_{out}, Ch_4:I_{out}$



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Fig. 13: Bode Plot at 4A load shows a bandwidth of 32+kHz and phase margin of 52+degrees



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Efficiency for IR3802 at 12.0Vin, 3.3Vout and R13 = 330

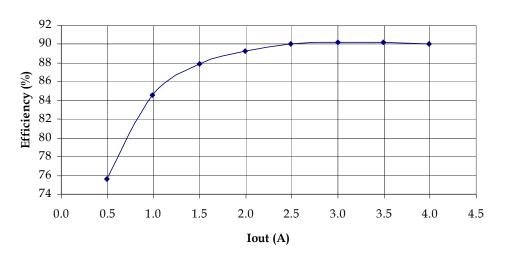


Fig.14: Efficiency versus load current

Power Loss for IR3802 at 12.0Vin, 3.3Vout, and R13 = 330

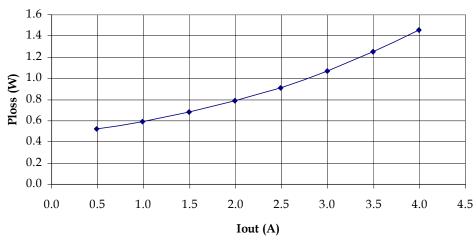


Fig.15: Power loss versus load current



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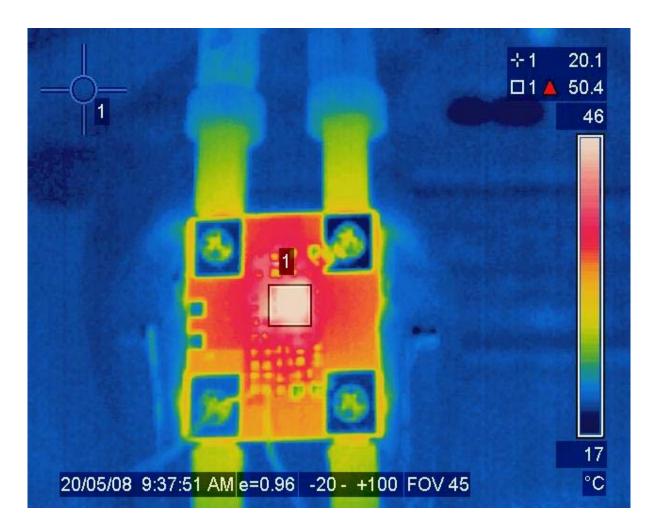


Fig. 16: Thermal Image at 4A load at 50.4° C Test point (square) 1 is IR3802

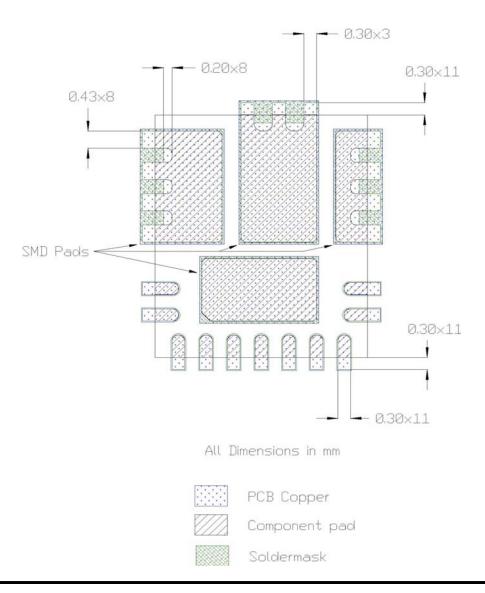


PCB Metal and Components Placement

The lead lands (the 11 IC pins) width should be equal to the nominal part lead width. The minimum lead to lead spacing should be \geq 0.2mm to minimize shorting.

Lead land length should be equal to the maximum part lead length + 0.3 mm outboard extension. The outboard extension ensures a large and inspectable toe fillet.

The pad lands (the 4 big pads other than the 11 IC pins) length and width should be equal to maximum part pad length and width. However, the minimum metal to metal spacing should be no less than 0.17mm for 2 oz. Copper; no less than 0.1mm for 1 oz. Copper and no less than 0.23mm for 3 oz. Copper.



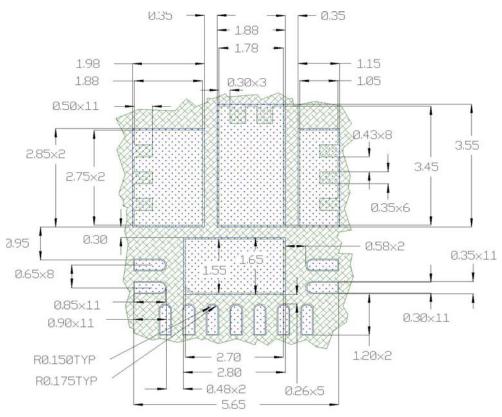


Solder Resist

It is recommended that the lead lands are Non Solder Mask Defined (NSMD). The solder resist should be pulled away from the metal lead lands by a minimum of 0.025mm to ensure NSMD pads.

The land pad should be Solder Mask Defined (SMD), with a minimum overlap of the solder resist onto the copper of 0.05mm to accommodate solder resist mis-alignment.

Ensure that the solder resist in between the lead lands and the pad land is ≥ 0.15 mm due to the high aspect ratio of the solder resist strip separating the lead lands from the pad land.



All Dimensions in mm

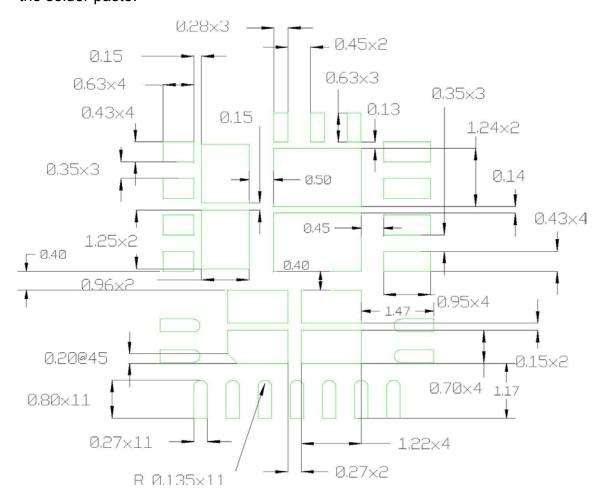
PCB Copper PCB Solder Resist

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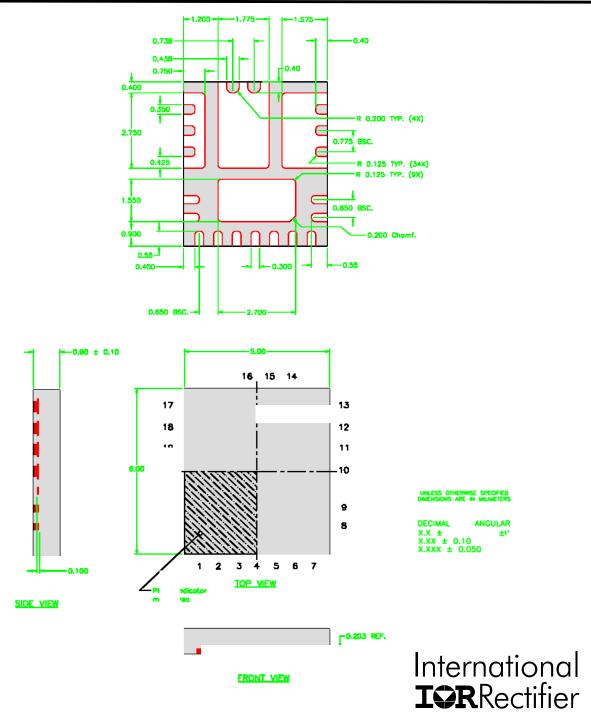
Stencil Design

- The Stencil apertures for the lead lands should be approximately 80% of the area
 of the lead lads. Reducing the amount of solder deposited will minimize the
 occurrences of lead shorts. If too much solder is deposited on the center pad the
 part will float and the lead lands will be open.
- The maximum length and width of the land pad stencil aperture should be equal to the solder resist opening minus an annular 0.2mm pull back to decrease the incidence of shorting the center land to the lead lands when the part is pushed into the solder paste.



Stencil Aperture All Dimensions in mm





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