

Low Noise Power Supply LSI Series for Audio System

# Ultra Low Noise Low Dropout Regulator for Audio System

## **BD37201NUX**

#### **General Description**

BD37201NUX is a low saturation series regulator of low noise (4.72µVrms) which is most suitable to high quality audio system. It operates at 2.7V to 5.5V and capable of supplying a maximum load of 500mA.

BD37201NUX has a high PSRR and good input transient fluctuation characteristic which makes it suitable for the stabilization of DC/DC converter output, and an ideal power supply to high precision analog circuits such as D/A converter (DAC) or Clock generator.

Furthermore, when BD37201NUX is placed in standby mode, the supply current can be as small as  $0\mu A(Typ)$  which can greatly reduce power consumption.

#### **Features**

- Ultra Low Noise, High PSRR
- Stable at 1µF ceramic input and output capacitors
- Standby Mode that is controlled by Enable pin
- Dropout Voltage: 200mV (at 500mA load)
- Under Voltage Lockout Protection, Current Limit and Short Circuit Protection, Thermal Shutdown Protection

#### **Applications**

- High quality audio equipment
- Power supply for D/A converter and Clock generator
- The other application which require low noise

# **Key Specifications**

Input Voltage Range: 2.7V to 5.5V
 Output Voltage Range: 1.0V to 4.5V
 Output Current: 0.5A(Max)
 Output Voltage Noise: 4.72μVrms(10 to 100kHz)
 PSRR: 74dB(100Hz), ≥50dB(1MHz)
 Input Transient Response: ≤5mV(1.0V/μs)
 Standby Current: 0μA(Typ)
 Operating Temperature Range: -40°C to +85°C

Package VSON008X2030 W(Typ) x D(Typ) x H(Max) 2.00mm x 3.00mm x 0.60mm



## **Typical Application Circuit**

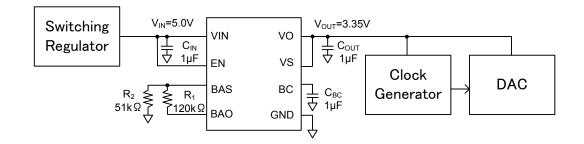


Figure 1. Basic Application Circuit Diagram (V<sub>OUT</sub>=3.35V)

## **Pin Configuration**

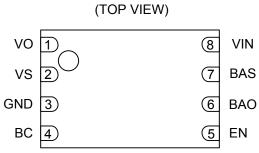


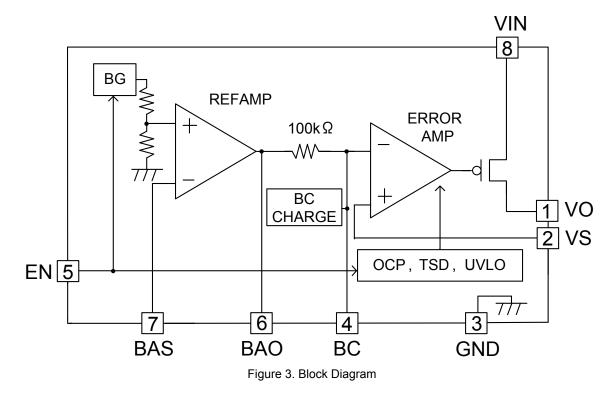
Figure 2. Pin Configuration

## **Pin Description**

Pin No.	Pin Name	Function		
1	VO	Output voltage		
2	VS	Output voltage feedback		
3	GND	Ground		
4	BC	Bypass capacitor pin connected to ground		
5	EN	Enable		
6	BAO	Programmed voltage output		
7	BAS	Programmed voltage feedback		
8	VIN	Input voltage		

(Note) The exposed pad should be connected to GND pattern.

## **Block Diagram**



## **Description of Block**

## 1. Enable

Assuming EN terminal is set to L, the IC can be set to standby state. In standby state, the output is OFF and since it will be in static state, the power consumption can be reduced.

#### Rising ,Falling, and EN Controlled Timing

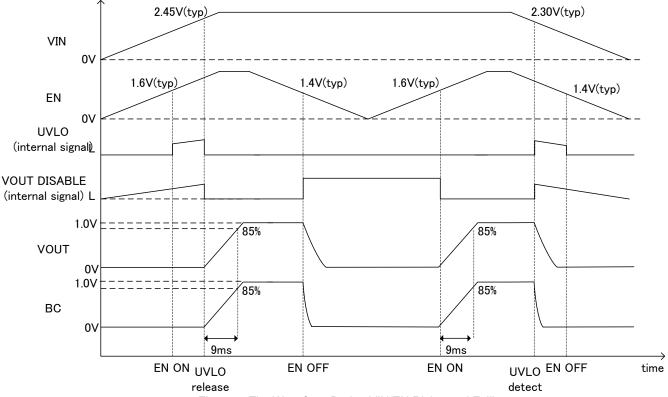


Figure 4. The Waveform During VIN/EN Rising and Falling (When at BC Capacitor 1µF and Output 1V Settings)

It will operate if EN is ON and UVLO (Under Voltage Lockout) is released. In addition, when EN is OFF or UVLO is detected, the regulator operation stops.

The maximum slew rate of input voltage has to be set under 1V/µs.

## 3. Soft Start Function

In BD37201NUX, there exists a function that limits the rising speed of output when EN rises by the capacitor connected to BC due to decrease of inrush current of output. The rising speed depends on the capacitance value connected to BC and on the output programmed voltage. It is about 9ms (Typ) if capacitance is  $1\mu$ F and output programmed voltage is 1V, and almost 30ms (Typ) if output programmed voltage is set to 3.35V.

## 4. REFAMP

REFAMP settle its output voltage through the reference voltage 1.0V (Typ) and external resistors.

#### 5. BC Terminal

Noise at the output voltage of REFAMP will be reduced because of the internal resistor and the external BC capacitor. In addition to it, the external BC capacitor also has a soft start function so the rising speed can be adjusted by this value. The higher value of capacitor will decrease the noise but the softstart time will be longer.

## 6. ERRAMP

The ERRAMP outputs the voltage set in REFAMP at closed gain 1 time. VS terminal must be connected to OUT by all means. In addition, VS terminal can decrease a voltage drop by the pattern resistance on the OUT course by returning the voltage from the supply point.

Absolute Maximum Rating (Ta = 25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Rating	Unit
Power Supply Voltage	V <sub>IN</sub>	-0.3 to +7.0	V
Terminal Voltage (the other PINs)	$V_{PIN}$	-0.3 to +7.0	V
Operating Temperature Range	Topr	-40 to +85	°C
Storage Temperature Range	Tstg	-55 to +150	°C
Junction Temperature	Tjmax	150	°C

Caution: Operating the IC over the absolute maximum ratings may damage the IC. The damage can either be a short circuit between pins or an open circuit between pins and the internal circuitry. Therefore, it is important to consider circuit protection measures, such as adding a fuse, in case the IC is operated over the absolute maximum ratings.

Recommended Operating Conditions (Ta = -40°C to +85°C)

Parameter	Symbol	MIN	TYP	MAX	Unit
Power Supply Voltage	V <sub>IN</sub>	2.7	-	5.5	V
Output Voltage Setting is within a Possible Range	V <sub>OUT</sub>	1.0	-	4.5	V
Output Current	l <sub>OUT</sub>	-	-	0.5 (Note 1)	Α

(Note 1) ASO should not be exceeded.

**Operating Condition** 

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Parameter	Symbol	MIN	TYP	MAX	Unit	Conditions
Input Capacitor	C <sub>IN</sub>	0.47 (Note 2)	1	-	μF	Ceramic capacitors are recommended
Output Capacitor	Соит	0.22 (Note 2)	1	-	μF	Ceramic capacitors are recommended
BC Capacitor	C <sub>BC</sub>	0.01 (Note 2)	1	-	μF	Ceramic capacitors are recommended

(Note 2) Please set the capacity of the condenser not to be less than the minimum in consideration of temperature or DC bias properties.

## The<u>rmal</u> Resistance (Note 3)

Developer	Cumahad	Thermal Res	l lmit	
Parameter	Symbol	1s (Note 5)	2s2p (Note 6)	Unit
VSON008X2030				
Junction to Ambient	$\theta_{JA}$	308.3	69.6	°C/W
Junction to Top Characterization Parameter (Note 4)	$\Psi_{JT}$	43	10	°C/W

(Note 3) Based on JESD51-2A(Still-Air)
(Note 4) The thermal characterization parameter to report the difference between junction temperature and the temperature at the top center of the outside surface of the component package.
(Note 5) Using a PCB board based on JESD51-3.

Layer Number of Measurement Board	Material	Board Size
Single FR-4		114.3mm x 76.2mm x 1.57mmt
Тор		
Copper Pattern	Thickness	
Footprints and Traces	70µm	

(Note 6) Using a PCB board based on JESD51-5, 7

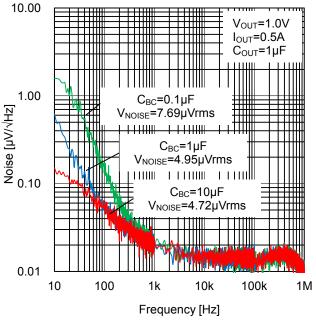
Layer Number of	Material	Board Size		Thermal V	'ia (Note 7)
Measurement Board	Material	Board Size		Pitch	Diameter
4 Layers	FR-4	114.3mm x 76.2mm	x 1.6mmt	1.20mm Ф0.30m	
Тор		2 Internal Layers		Botto	om
Copper Pattern	Thickness	Copper Pattern Thickness		Copper Pattern	Thickness
Footprints and Traces	70µm	74.2mm (Square)	35µm	74.2mm (Square	e) 70µm

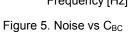
(Note 7) This thermal via connects with the copper pattern of all layers.

**Electrical Characteristics** (Unless otherwise specified,  $V_{IN}$ =  $V_{OUT}$ +1.0V or 2.7V **whichever** is greater  $V_{OUT}$ =1.0V Ta=25°C  $C_{OUT}$ =1 $\mu$ F  $C_{BC}$ =1 $\mu$ F  $I_{OUT}$ =5mA  $V_{IN}$ = $V_{EN}$ )

Parameter	Symbol	MIN	TYP	MAX	Unit	Conditions
Circuit Current	Icc	-	1.33	2.3	mA	-
Standby Current	I <sub>STB</sub>	-	0.0	1.0	μA	V <sub>IN</sub> =5.5V
Reference Voltage	$V_{REF}$	0.99	1.00	1.01	V	BAS Voltage
Line Regulation	D <sub>VI</sub>	-	1	20	mV	V <sub>IN</sub> = 2.7V to 5.5V
Load Regulation	D <sub>VL</sub>	-	3	20	mV	I <sub>OUT</sub> = 0mA to 500mA
Dropout Voltage	V <sub>SAT</sub>	-	0.2	0.5	V	I <sub>OUT</sub> = 500mA
PSRR 1kHz	PSRR <sub>1kHz</sub>	-	90	-	dB	f= 1kHz
PSRR 1MHz	PSRR <sub>1MHz</sub>	-	55	-	dB	f= 1MHz, C <sub>OUT</sub> =47μF
Output Noise Voltage	V <sub>NOISE</sub>	-	4.7	-	μVrms	BW= 10Hz to 100kHz, $C_{BC}$ =10 $\mu$ F, $I_{OUT}$ = 500mA
Output Current Capability	I <sub>OCP</sub>	500	-	-	mA	-
UVLO Detect Voltage	$V_{UVLOH}$	2.10	2.30	2.50	V	-
UVLO Release Voltage	V <sub>UVLOL</sub>	2.25	2.45	2.65	V	-
EN Detecting Voltage Range	V <sub>THENH</sub>	2.20	-	$V_{IN}$	V	-
EN Release Voltage Range	V <sub>THENL</sub>	0.00	-	0.60	V	-
EN Input Current	I <sub>EN</sub>	-	1.23	2.10	μA	V <sub>EN</sub> = 3V

Application Information (Unless otherwise specified, VIN= VOUT+1.0V or 2.7V whichever is greater VOUT=1.0V Ta=25°C  $C_{OUT}=1\mu F C_{BC}=1\mu F I_{OUT}=5mA)$ 





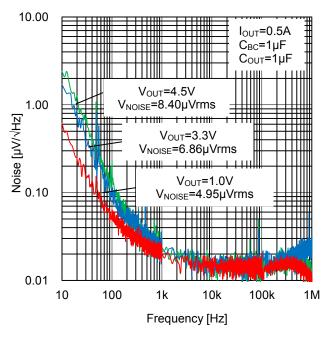


Figure 6. Noise vs V<sub>OUT</sub>

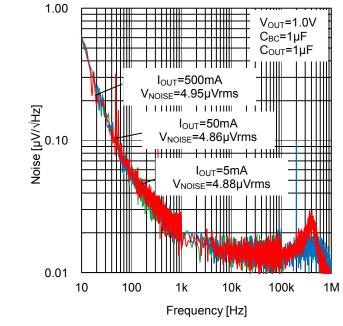
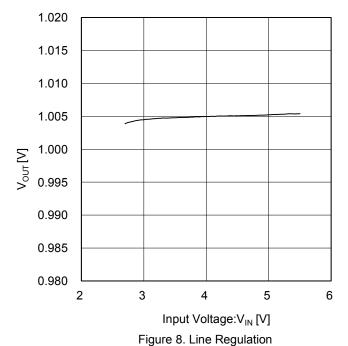
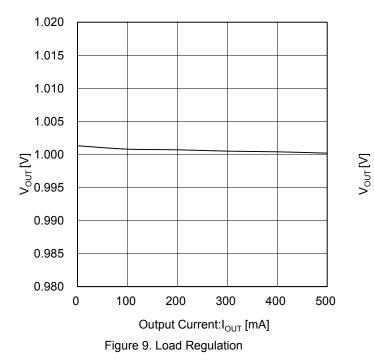
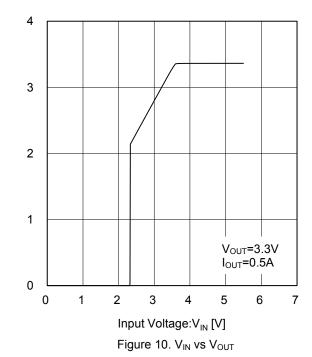


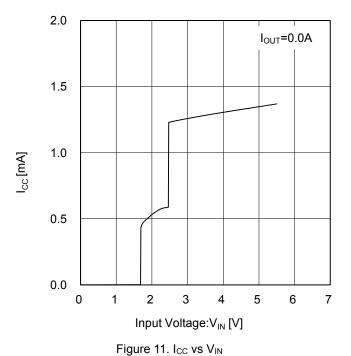
Figure 7. Noise vs I<sub>OUT</sub>



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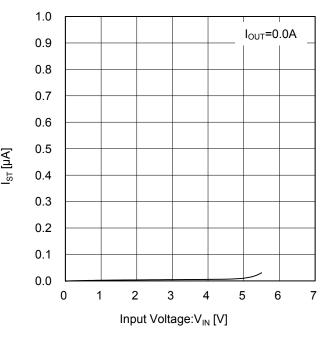
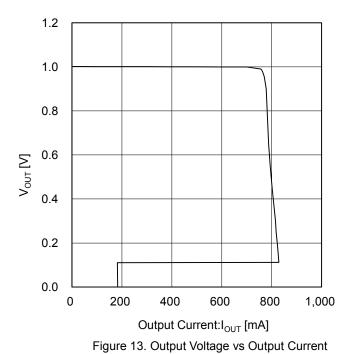


Figure 12. Stand by Current vs  $V_{\text{IN}}$ 



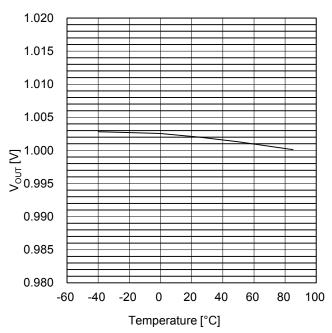
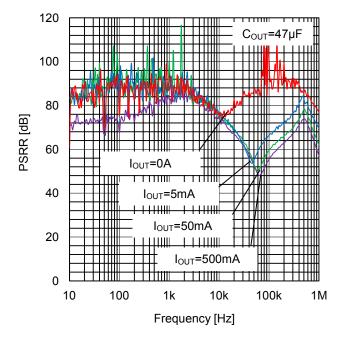
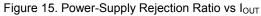


Figure 14. Output Voltage vs Temperature





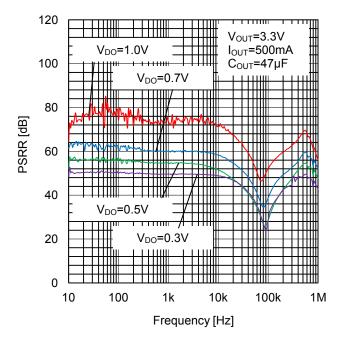
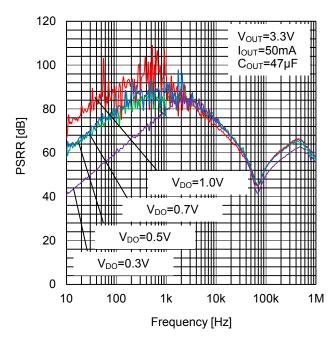
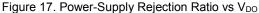


Figure 16. Power-Supply Rejection Ratio vs V<sub>DO</sub>





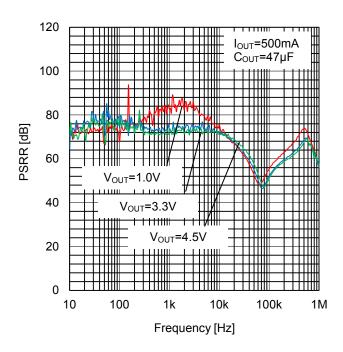


Figure 18. Power-Supply Rejection Ratio vs  $V_{\text{OUT}}$ 

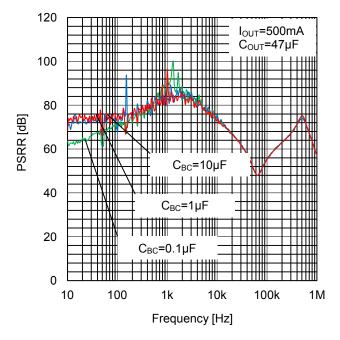


Figure 19. Power-Supply Rejection Ratio vs C<sub>BC</sub>

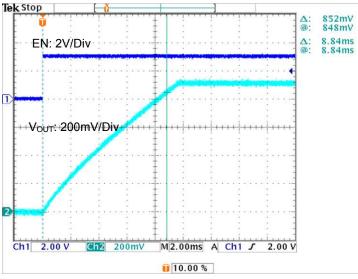


Figure 20. Soft Start

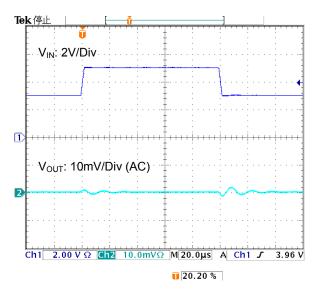


Figure 21. Line Transient (I<sub>OUT</sub>=500mA Slew Rate=1V/µs)

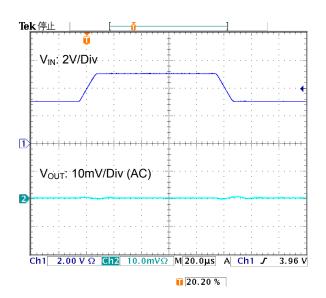


Figure 22. Line Transient (I<sub>OUT</sub>=500mA Slew Rate=0.2V/µs)

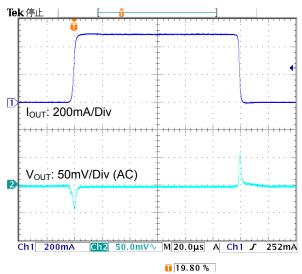
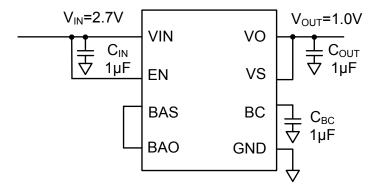


Figure 21. Load Transient (I<sub>OUT</sub>=0mA to 500mA)

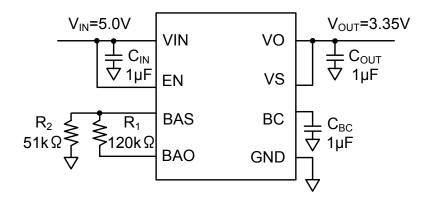
#### 1. Application Examples



(Note) This application example is just one case. Actual setting will be decided after a thorough evaluation and verification.

Parts	Maker	Value	Parts
Cin	Murata	1μF	GCM188R71E105KA49
Соит	Murata	1μF	GCM188R71E105KA49
Свс	Murata	1μF	GCM188R71E105KA49

Figure 24. Application Circuit 1 (V<sub>OUT</sub>=1.0V)



(Note) This application example is just one case. Actual setting will be decided after a thorough evaluation and verification.

Parts	Maker	Value	Part Number
R <sub>1</sub>	ROHM	120kΩ	MCR03EZPD
R <sub>2</sub>	ROHM	51kΩ	MCR03EZPD
Cin	Murata	1μF	GCM188R71E105KA49
Соит	Murata	1μF	GCM188R71E105KA49
Свс	Murata	1μF	GCM188R71E105KA49

Figure 25. Application Circuit 2 (V<sub>OUT</sub>=3.35V)

## 2. Selection of Components Externally Connected

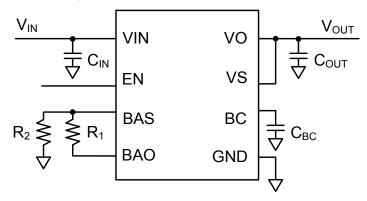


Figure 26. External Components Connection

#### (1) Output Voltage Setting

To set output voltage, connect resistance of  $R_1$  between BAO-BAS and connect resistance of  $R_2$  in between BAS-GND. The value of  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  is set that  $R_1 + R_2$  becomes more than  $100k\Omega$ . In addition, the resistance for voltage setting is recommended the one that is less than 1% accuracy. In the case of 1V setting, please short BAS with BAO.

$$V_{OUT} = V_{BAS} \times \frac{R_1 + R_2}{R_2}$$
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$$V_{BAS} = 1.0V (Typ)$$

#### (2) Output Capacitor Cour

Output capacitor should be selected more than 0.22µF considering about the voltage modulation, thermal characteristics, and distribution of the value. Installation of capacitor in the position near the pin in between output terminal and GND is recommended. In addition, the rated voltage of condenser shall be set with enough margin with respect to output voltage of rated voltage of condenser.

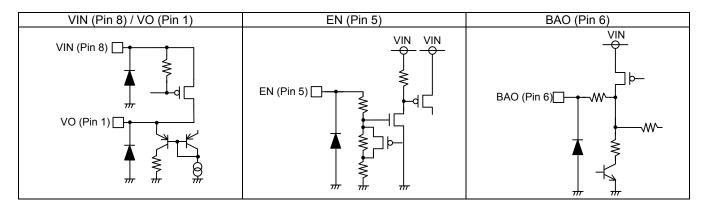
#### (3) Input Capacitor CIN

Installation of input capacitor in the position close to the pin in between input terminal and GND is recommended also. The capacitor between input terminal and GND takes effect when power supply impedance increases.

#### (4) Filter Capacitor C<sub>BC</sub>

Filter capacitor  $C_{BC}$  and built-in resistance formed a low pass filter that reduces the noise that appears in output voltage. In addition, the filter capacitor  $C_{BC}$  also has a soft start function because it limits the rush current of output when it starts. By changing this capacitance value, the rising speed during start up can be changed. The soft start time with 1V setting of  $V_{OUT}$  and  $1\mu F$  of  $C_{BC}$  is 9ms (Typ). Select the capacity of  $0.01\mu F$  to  $10\mu F$  as an aim. Recommended value is  $1\mu F$ .

## I/O Equivalence Circuits



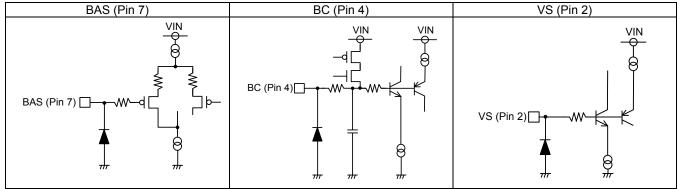
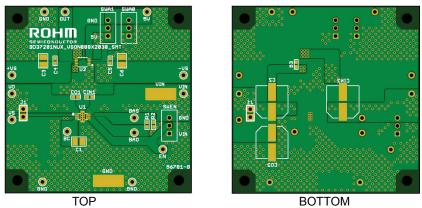


Figure 27. I/O Equivalence Circuits

## **PCB** Layout example



(board size 60mm x 60mm, board thickness 16mm, material FR-4)

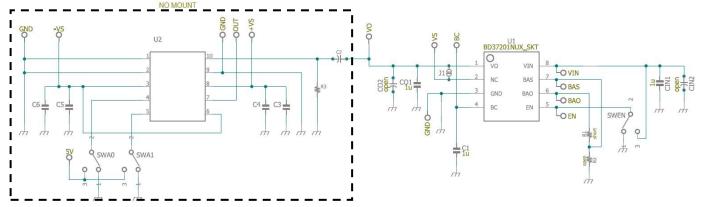


Figure 28. Circuit diagram of evaluation board

(Note) This PCB Layout example includes the test pattern also. This IC position is U1.

## **Operational Notes**

#### 1. Reverse Connection of Power Supply

Connecting the power supply in reverse polarity can damage the IC. Take precautions against reverse polarity when connecting the power supply, such as mounting an external diode between the power supply and the IC's power supply terminals.

## 2. Power Supply Lines

Design the PCB layout pattern to provide low impedance supply lines. Separate the ground and supply lines of the digital and analog blocks to prevent noise in the ground and supply lines of the digital block from affecting the analog block. Furthermore, connect a capacitor to ground at all power supply pins. Consider the effect of temperature and aging on the capacitance value when using electrolytic capacitors.

#### 3. Ground Voltage

Ensure that no pins are at a voltage below that of the ground pin at any time, even during transient condition.

#### 4. Ground Wiring Pattern

When using both small-signal and large-current ground traces, the two ground traces should be routed separately but connected to a single ground at the reference point of the application board to avoid fluctuations in the small-signal ground caused by large currents. Also ensure that the ground traces of external components do not cause variations on the ground voltage. The ground lines must be as short and thick as possible to reduce line impedance.

#### 5. Thermal Consideration

Should by any chance the power dissipation rating be exceeded, the rise in temperature of the chip may result in deterioration of the properties of the chip. The absolute maximum rating of the Pd stated in this specification is when the IC is mounted on a 70mm x 70mm x 1.6mm glass epoxy board. In case of exceeding this absolute maximum rating, increase the board size and copper area to prevent exceeding the Pd rating.

#### 6. Recommended Operating Conditions

These conditions represent a range within which the expected characteristics of the IC can be approximately obtained. The electrical characteristics are guaranteed under the conditions of each parameter.

#### 7. Inrush Current

When power is first supplied to the IC, it is possible that the internal logic may be unstable and inrush current may flow instantaneously due to the internal powering sequence and delays, especially if the IC has more than one power supply. Therefore, give special consideration to power coupling capacitance, power wiring, width of ground wiring, and routing of connections.

#### 8. Operation Under Strong Electromagnetic Field

Operating the IC in the presence of a strong electromagnetic field may cause the IC to malfunction.

#### 9. Testing on Application Boards

When testing the IC on an application board, connecting a capacitor directly to a low-impedance output pin may subject the IC to stress. Always discharge capacitors completely after each process or step. The IC's power supply should always be turned OFF completely before connecting or removing it from the test setup during the inspection process. To prevent damage from static discharge, ground the IC during assembly and use similar precautions during transport and storage.

## 10. Inter-pin Short and Mounting Errors

Ensure that the direction and position are correct when mounting the IC on the PCB. Incorrect mounting may result in damaging the IC. Avoid nearby pins being shorted to each other especially to ground, power supply and output pin. Inter-pin shorts could be due to many reasons such as metal particles, water droplets (in very humid environment) and unintentional solder bridge deposited in between pins during assembly to name a few.

#### 11. Unused Input Terminals

Input terminals of an IC are often connected to the gate of a MOS transistor. The gate has extremely high impedance and extremely low capacitance. If left unconnected, the electric field from the outside can easily charge it. The small charge acquired in this way is enough to produce a significant effect on the conduction through the transistor and cause unexpected operation of the IC. So unless otherwise specified, unused input terminals should be connected to the power supply or ground line.

#### Operational Notes - continued

#### 12. Regarding Input Pins of the IC

This monolithic IC contains P+ isolation and P substrate layers between adjacent elements in order to keep them isolated. P-N junctions are formed at the intersection of the P layers with the N layers of other elements, creating a parasitic diode or transistor. For example (refer to figure below):

When GND > Pin A and GND > Pin B, the P-N junction operates as a parasitic diode.

When GND > Pin B, the P-N junction operates as a parasitic transistor.

Parasitic diodes inevitably occur in the structure of the IC. The operation of parasitic diodes can result in mutual interference among circuits, operational faults, or physical damage. Therefore, conditions that cause these diodes to operate, such as applying a voltage lower than the GND voltage to an input pin (and thus to the P substrate) should be avoided.

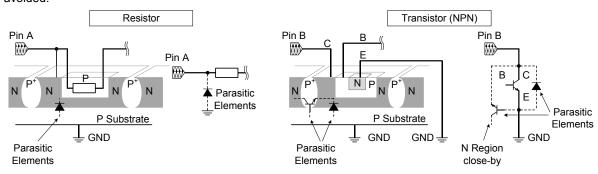


Figure 29. Example of Monolithic IC Structure

#### 13. Ceramic Capacitor

When using a ceramic capacitor, determine the dielectric constant considering the change of capacitance with temperature and the decrease in nominal capacitance due to DC bias and others.

#### 14. Area of Safe Operation (ASO)

Operate the IC such that the output voltage, output current, and power dissipation are all within the Area of Safe Operation (ASO).

#### 15. Thermal Shutdown Circuit (TSD)

This IC has a built-in thermal shutdown circuit that prevents heat damage to the IC. Normal operation should always be within the IC's power dissipation rating. If however the rating is exceeded for a continued period, the junction temperature (Tj) will rise which will activate the TSD circuit that will turn OFF all output pins. When the Tj falls below the TSD threshold, the circuits are automatically restored to normal operation.

Note that the TSD circuit operates in a situation that exceeds the absolute maximum ratings and therefore, under no circumstances, should the TSD circuit be used in a set design or for any purpose other than protecting the IC from heat damage.

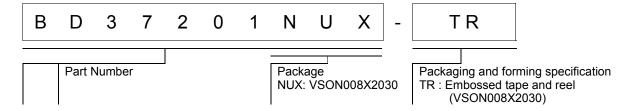
## 16. Over Current Protection Circuit (OCP)

This IC has a built-in over current protection circuit that activates when the output is accidentally shorted. However, it is strongly advised not to subject the IC to prolonged shorting of the output.

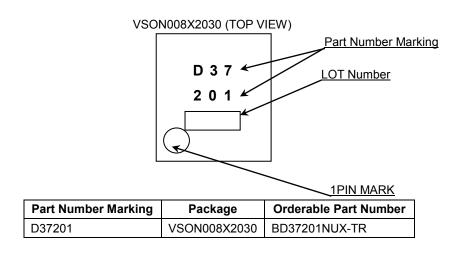
#### 17. Light Disturbance

In a device where a portion of silicon is exposed to light such as in a WL-CSP, IC characteristics may be affected due to photoelectric effect. For this reason, it is recommended to come up with countermeasures that will prevent the chip from being exposed to light.

## **Ordering Information**

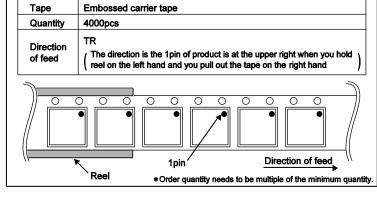


## **Marking Diagram**



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**BD37201NUX Datasheet Physical Dimension Tape and Reel Information** Package Name VSON008X2030  $2.0\pm0.1$ 1PIN MARK 6MAX 07 12) □ 0. 08 S (0) 1.  $5\pm0.1$ CO. 25 ΨΨ  $3\pm0.$ 0  $\mathsf{n}$  $0.25_{\,-0.04}^{\,+0.05}$ 0.25 (UNIT:mm) PKG: VSON008X2030 Drawing No. EX187-5001 <Tape and Reel information> Tape Embossed carrier tape 4000pcs Quantity Direction



**Datasheet** 

## **Revision History**

Date	Revision	Changes
18.Apr.2016	001	New Release

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(Note1) Medical Equipment Classification of the Specific Applications

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CLASSⅢ	CL ACCIII	CLASS II b	CL ACCIII
CLASSIV	CLASSⅢ	CLASSⅢ	CLASSⅢ

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  - [e] Use of our Products in proximity to heat-producing components, plastic cords, or other flammable items
  - [f] Sealing or coating our Products with resin or other coating materials
  - [g] Use of our Products without cleaning residue of flux (even if you use no-clean type fluxes, cleaning residue of flux is recommended); or Washing our Products by using water or water-soluble cleaning agents for cleaning residue after soldering
  - [h] Use of the Products in places subject to dew condensation
- 4. The Products are not subject to radiation-proof design.
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- 6. In particular, if a transient load (a large amount of load applied in a short period of time, such as pulse. is applied, confirmation of performance characteristics after on-board mounting is strongly recommended. Avoid applying power exceeding normal rated power; exceeding the power rating under steady-state loading condition may negatively affect product performance and reliability.
- 7. De-rate Power Dissipation depending on ambient temperature. When used in sealed area, confirm that it is the use in the range that does not exceed the maximum junction temperature.
- 8. Confirm that operation temperature is within the specified range described in the product specification.
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#### Precaution for Mounting / Circuit board design

- 1. When a highly active halogenous (chlorine, bromine, etc.) flux is used, the residue of flux may negatively affect product performance and reliability.
- 2. In principle, the reflow soldering method must be used on a surface-mount products, the flow soldering method must be used on a through hole mount products. If the flow soldering method is preferred on a surface-mount products, please consult with the ROHM representative in advance.

For details, please refer to ROHM Mounting specification

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  - [d] the Products are exposed to high Electrostatic
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- 3. Store / transport cartons in the correct direction, which is indicated on a carton with a symbol. Otherwise bent leads may occur due to excessive stress applied when dropping of a carton.
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