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BD50GA3WEFJ-E2**



# 300mA Variable / Fixed Output LDO Regulators



## BDxxGA3WEFJ / BDxxGA3WNUX

### ●General Description

BDxxGA3WEFJ / BDxxGA3WNUX series devices are LDO regulators with an output current of 300mA. The output accuracy is  $\pm 1\%$  of the output voltage. Both fixed and variable output voltage devices are available. The output voltage of the variable output voltage device can be varied from 1.5V to 13V using external resistors. Various fixed output voltage devices that do not use external resistors are also available. It can be used for a wide range of digital appliance applications. It has small package types : HTSOP-J8 (4.90mm x 6.00mm x 1.00mm) / VSON008X2030 (2.00mm x 3.00mm x 0.60mm). These devices have built-in over current protection to protect the device when output is shorted, 0 $\mu$ A shutdown mode, and thermal shutdown circuit to protect the device during thermal over-load conditions. These LDO regulators are usable with ceramic capacitors that enable a smaller layout and longer life.

### ●Features

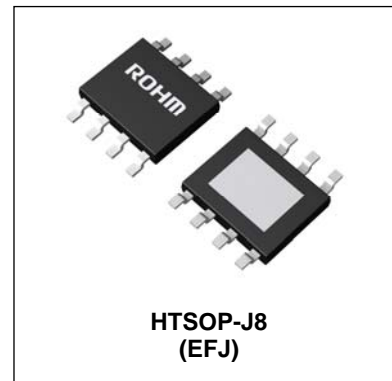
- +/-1% output voltage accuracy
- Built-in Over Current Protection (OCP)
- Built-in Thermal Shut Down circuit (TSD)
- Zero  $\mu$ A shutdown mode

### ●Key Specifications

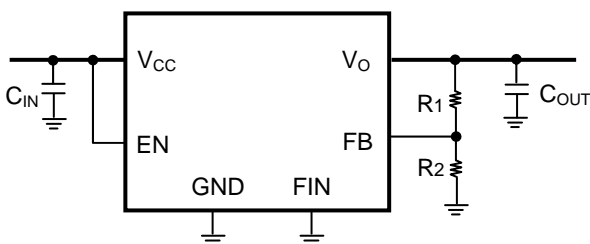
- Input power supply voltage range: 4.5V to 14.0V
- Output voltage range(Variable type): 1.5V to 13.0V
- Output voltage(Fixed type): 1.5V/1.8V/2.5V/3.0V/3.3V  
5.0V/6.0V/7.0V/8.0V/9.0V/10V/12V
- Output current: 0.3A (Max.)
- Shutdown current: 0 $\mu$ A(Typ.)
- Operating temperature range: -25°C to +85°C

### ●Package

	(Typ.)	(Typ.)	(Max.)
HTSOP-J8 (EFJ)	4.90mm	6.00mm	1.00mm
VSON008X2030 (NUX)	2.00mm	3.00mm	0.60mm

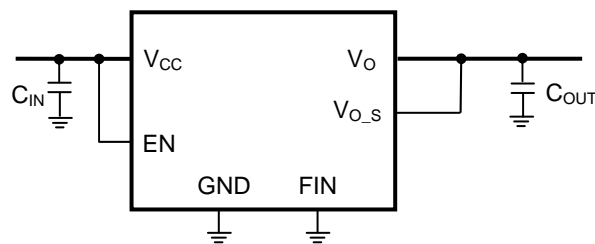


### ●Typical Application Circuit



C<sub>IN</sub>, C<sub>OUT</sub> : Ceramic Capacitor

Output voltage variable type



C<sub>IN</sub>, C<sub>OUT</sub> : Ceramic Capacitor

Output voltage fixed type

○Product structure : Silicon monolithic integrated circuit ○This product is not designed to have protection against radioactive rays.

●Ordering Information

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Part Number	Output voltage	Input voltage range	Output current	Shutdown mode	Package	Packaging and forming specification	
	00:Variable 15:1.5V 18:1.8V 25:2.5V 30:3.0V 33:3.3V 50:5.0V 60:6.0V 70:7.0V 80:8.0V 90:9.0V J0:10.0V J2:12.0V	G:15V	A3:0.3A	"W":Included	EFJ :HTSOP-J8 NUX:VSON008X2030	E2:Emboss tape reel (HTSOP-J8) TR:Emboss tape reel (VSON008X2030)	

●Line up

xx	Output Voltage(V)	Product Name	
00	variable	BD00GA3WEFJ-E2	BD00GA3WNUX-TR
15	1.5	BD15GA3WEFJ-E2	BD15GA3WNUX-TR
18	1.8	BD18GA3WEFJ-E2	BD18GA3WNUX-TR
25	2.5	BD25GA3WEFJ-E2	BD25GA3WNUX-TR
30	3.0	BD30GA3WEFJ-E2	BD30GA3WNUX-TR
33	3.3	BD33GA3WEFJ-E2	BD33GA3WNUX-TR
50	5.0	BD50GA3WEFJ-E2	BD50GA3WNUX-TR
60	6.0	BD60GA3WEFJ-E2	BD60GA3WNUX-TR
70	7.0	BD70GA3WEFJ-E2	BD70GA3WNUX-TR
80	8.0	BD80GA3WEFJ-E2	BD80GA3WNUX-TR
90	9.0	BD90GA3WEFJ-E2	BD90GA3WNUX-TR
J0	10.0	BDJ0GA3WEFJ-E2	BDJ0GA3WNUX-TR
J2	12.0	BDJ2GA3WEFJ-E2	BDJ2GA3WNUX-TR

●Block Diagram

BD00GA3WEFJ / BD00GA3WNUX (Variable output voltage type)

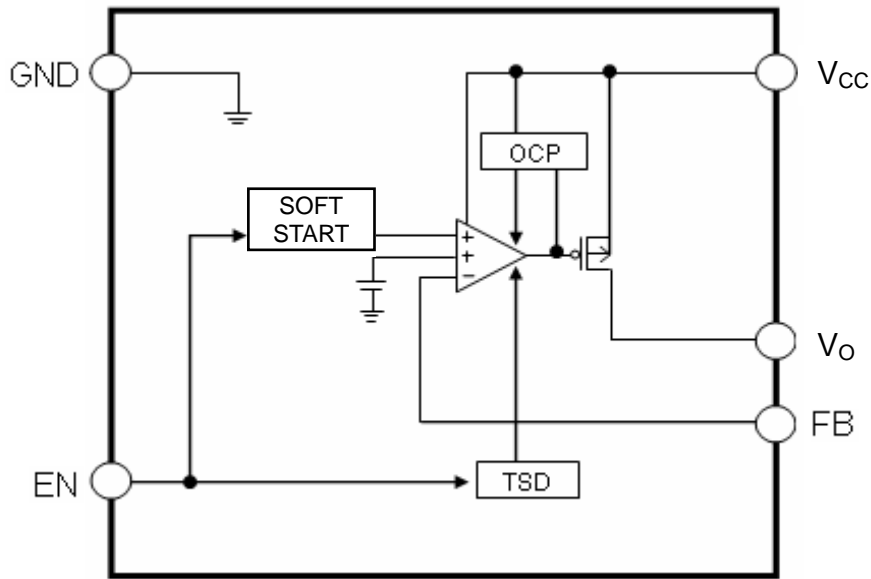
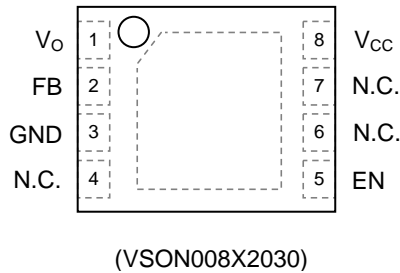
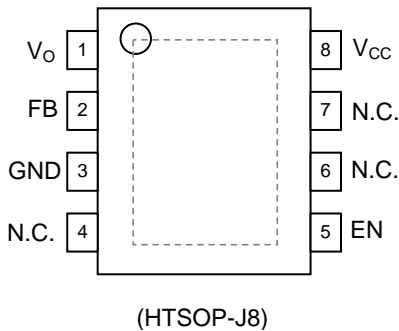


Figure 1. Block Diagram

●Pin Configuration (TOP VIEW)



●Pin Description

Pin No.	Pin name	Pin Function
1	Vo	Output pin
2	FB	Feedback pin
3	GND	GND pin
4	N.C.	No Connect (Connect to GND or leave OPEN)
5	EN	Enable pin
6	N.C.	No Connect (Connect to GND or leave OPEN)
7	N.C.	No Connect (Connect to GND or leave OPEN)
8	Vcc	Input pin
Reverse	FIN	Substrate(Connect to GND)

●Block Diagram

BDxxGA3WEFJ / BDxxGA3WNUX (Fixed output voltage type)

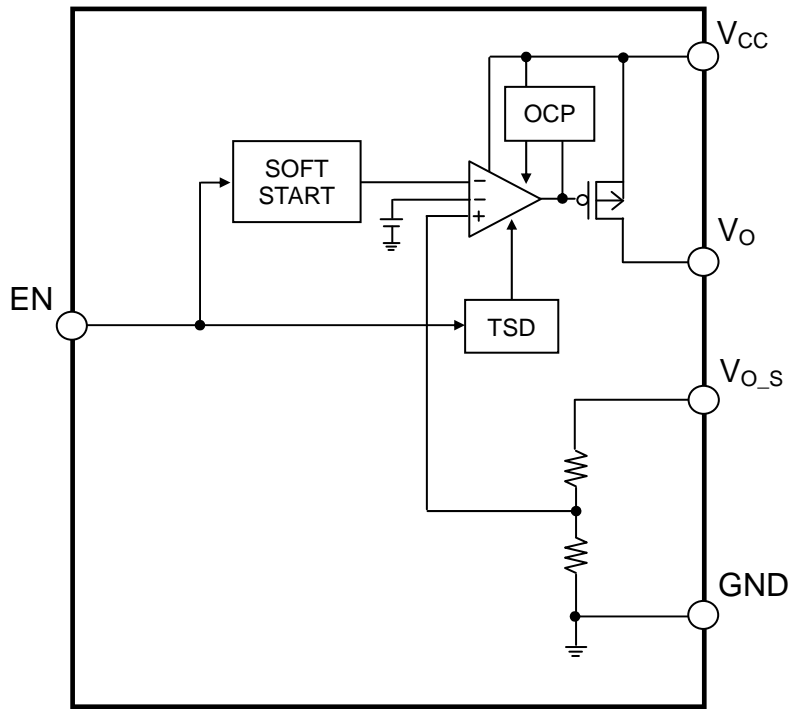
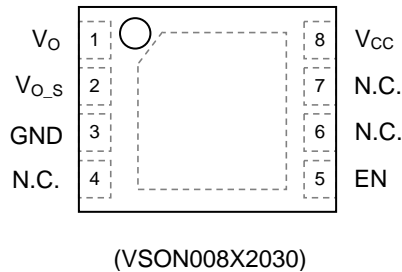
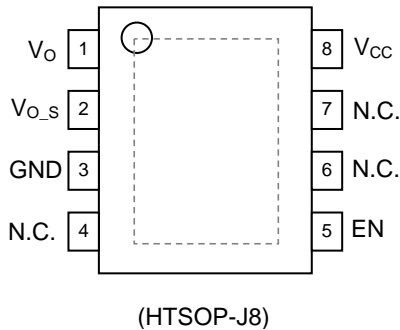


Figure 2. Block Diagram

●Pin Configuration (TOP VIEW)



●Pin Description

Pin No.	Pin name	Pin Function
1	V <sub>O</sub>	Output pin
2	V <sub>O_s</sub>	Output voltage monitor pin
3	GND	GND pin
4	N.C.	No Connect (Connect to GND or leave OPEN)
5	EN	Enable pin
6	N.C.	No Connect (Connect to GND or leave OPEN)
7	N.C.	No Connect (Connect to GND or leave OPEN)
8	V <sub>CC</sub>	Input pin
Reverse	FIN	Substrate(Connect to GND)

## ● Absolute Maximum Ratings (Ta=25°C)

Parameter		Symbol	Ratings	Unit
Power supply voltage		V <sub>CC</sub>	15.0 * <sup>1</sup>	V
EN voltage		V <sub>EN</sub>	15.0	V
Power dissipation	HTSOP-J8	Pd <sup>*2</sup>	2110 <sup>*2</sup>	mW
	VSON008X2030	Pd <sup>*3</sup>	1700 <sup>*3</sup>	
Operating Temperature Range		Topr	-25 to +85	°C
Storage Temperature Range		Tstg	-55 to +150	°C
Junction Temperature		Tjmax	+150	°C

\*1 Not to exceed Pd

\*2 Reduced by 16.9mW/°C for temperature above 25°C. (When mounted on a two-layer glass epoxy board with 70mm × 70mm × 1.6mm dimension)

\*3 Reduced by 13.6mW/°C for temperature above 25°C. (When mounted on a four-layer glass epoxy board with 114.3mm × 76.2mm × 1.6mm dimension)

## ● Recommended Operating Range (Ta=25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings		Unit
		Min.	Max.	
Input power supply voltage	V <sub>CC</sub>	4.5	14.0	V
EN voltage	V <sub>EN</sub>	0.0	14.0	V
Output voltage setting range	V <sub>O</sub>	1.5	13.0	V
Output current	I <sub>O</sub>	0.0	0.3	A

● Electrical Characteristics (Unless otherwise specified, Ta=25°C, EN=3V, V<sub>CC</sub>=6V, R<sub>1</sub>=43kΩ, R<sub>2</sub>=8.2kΩ)

Parameter	Symbol	Limits			Unit	Conditions
		Min.	Typ.	Max.		
Circuit current at shutdown mode	I <sub>SD</sub>	-	0	5	μA	V <sub>EN</sub> =0V, OFF mode
Bias current	I <sub>CC</sub>	-	600	900	μA	
Line regulation	Reg.I	-1	-	1	%	V <sub>CC</sub> =(V <sub>O</sub> +0.9V)→14.0V
Load regulation	Reg I <sub>O</sub>	-1.5	-	1.5	%	I <sub>O</sub> =0→0.3A
Minimum dropout voltage1	V <sub>CO1</sub>	-	0.15	0.30	V	V <sub>CC</sub> =5V, I <sub>O</sub> =100mA
Minimum dropout voltage2	V <sub>CO2</sub>	-	0.30	0.60	V	V <sub>CC</sub> =5V, I <sub>O</sub> =200mA
Minimum dropout voltage3	V <sub>CO3</sub>	-	0.45	0.90	V	V <sub>CC</sub> =5V, I <sub>O</sub> =300mA
Output reference voltage(Variable type)	V <sub>FB</sub>	0.792	0.800	0.808	V	I <sub>O</sub> =0A
Output voltage(Fixed type)	V <sub>O</sub>	V <sub>O</sub> × 0.99	V <sub>O</sub>	V <sub>O</sub> × 1.01	V	I <sub>O</sub> =0A
EN Low voltage	V <sub>EN</sub> (Low)	0	-	0.8	V	
EN High voltage	V <sub>EN</sub> (High)	2.4	-	14.0	V	
EN bias current	I <sub>EN</sub>	1	3	9	μA	

● Typical Performance Curves

(Unless otherwise specified, Ta=25°C, EN=3V, VCC=6V, R1=43kΩ, R2=8.2kΩ)

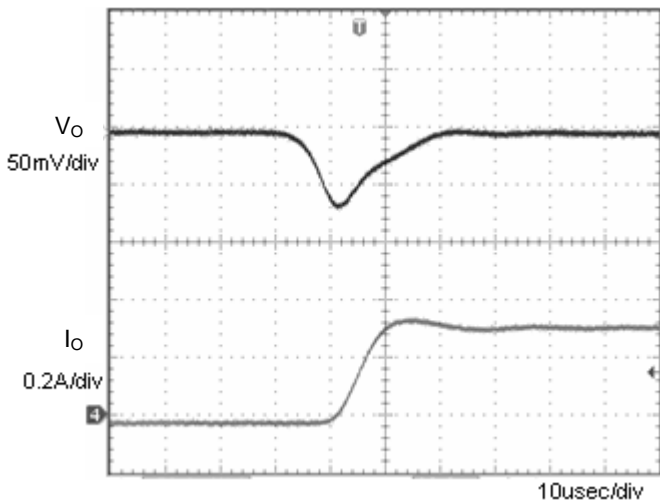


Figure 3.  
Transient Response  
(0→0.3A)  
Co=1µF

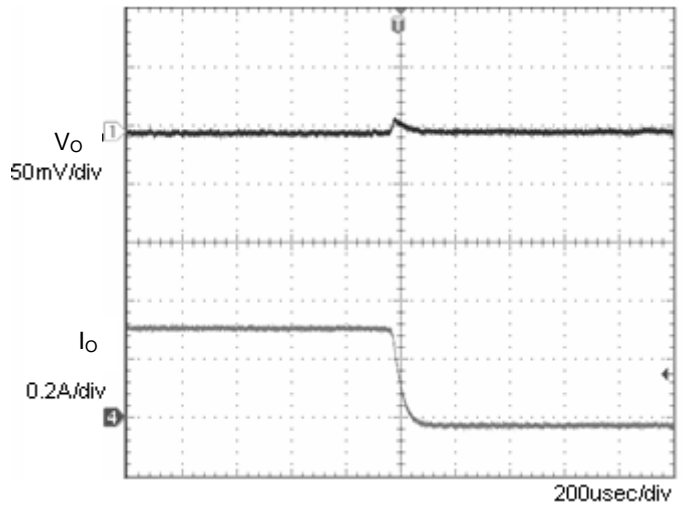


Figure 4.  
Transient Response  
(0.3→0A)  
Co=1µF

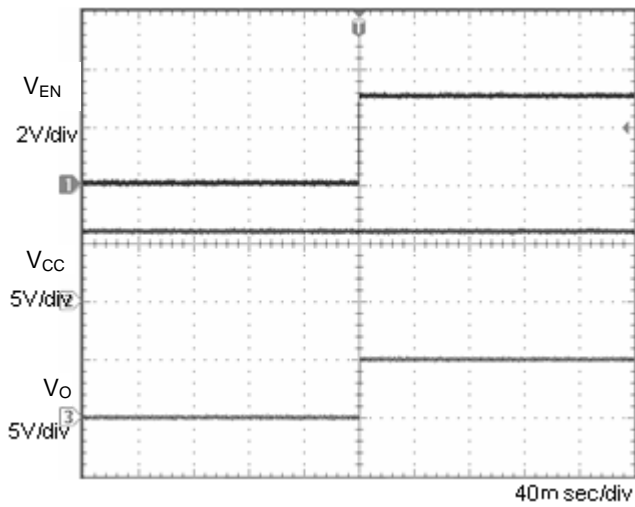


Figure 5.  
Input sequence 1  
Co=1µF

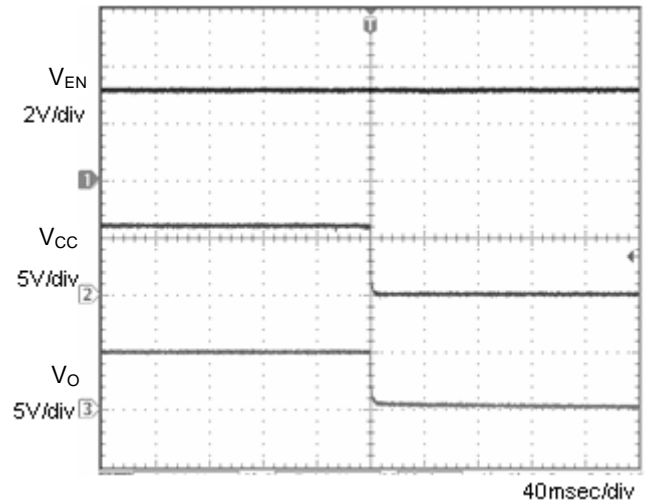


Figure 6.  
OFF sequence 1  
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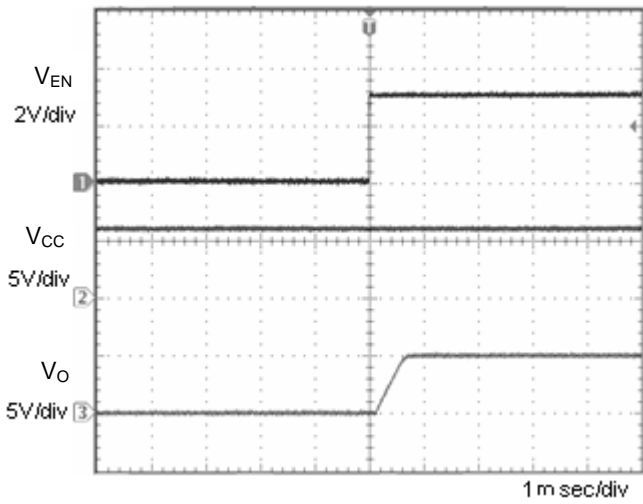


Figure 7.  
Input sequence 2  
 $C_o=1\mu F$

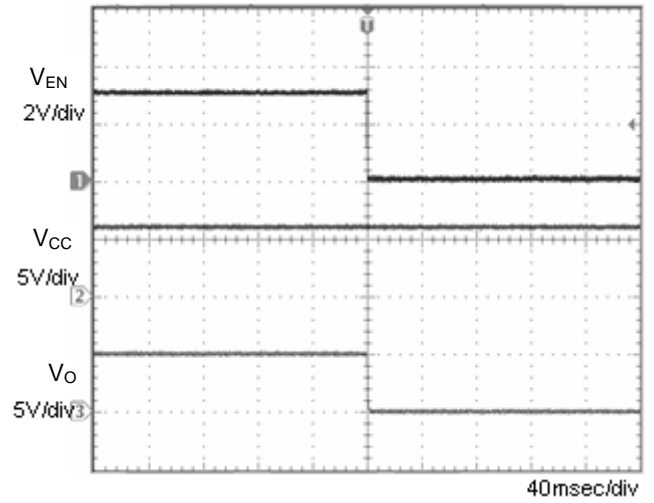


Figure 8.  
OFF sequence 2  
 $C_o=1\mu F$

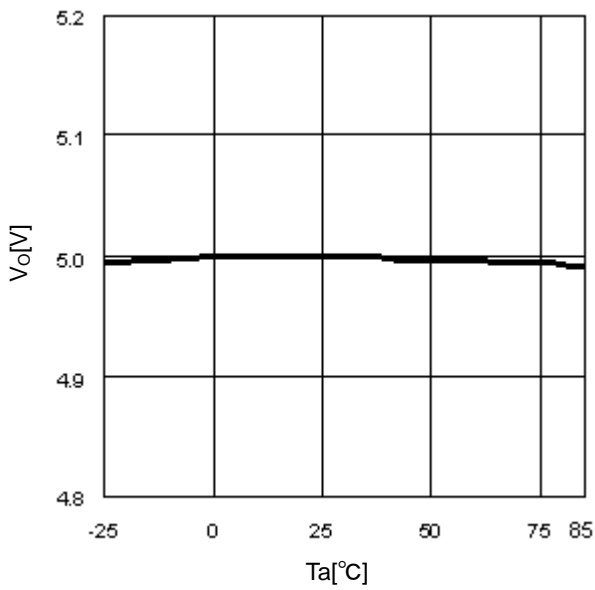


Figure 9.  
 $T_a-V_O$  ( $I_o=0mA$ )

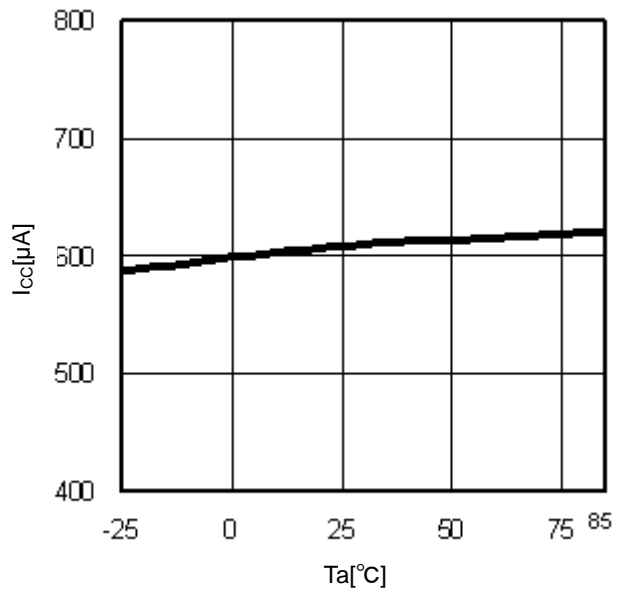


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 $T_a-I_{CC}$

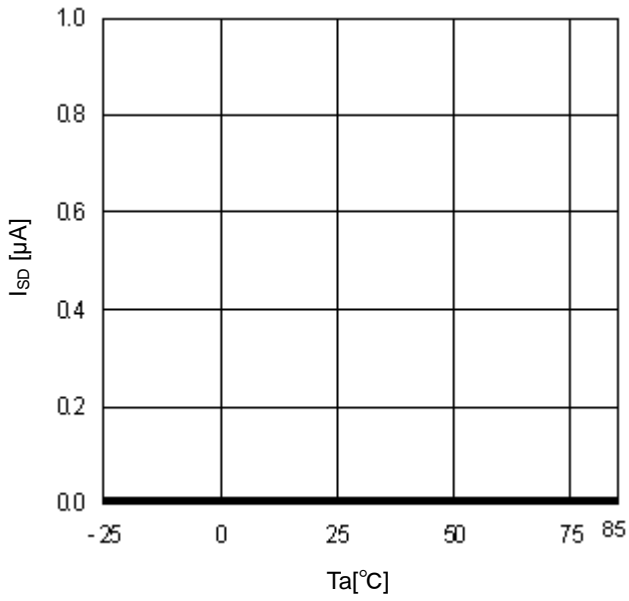


Figure 11.  
 $T_a$ - $I_{SD}$   
 ( $V_{EN}=0V$ )

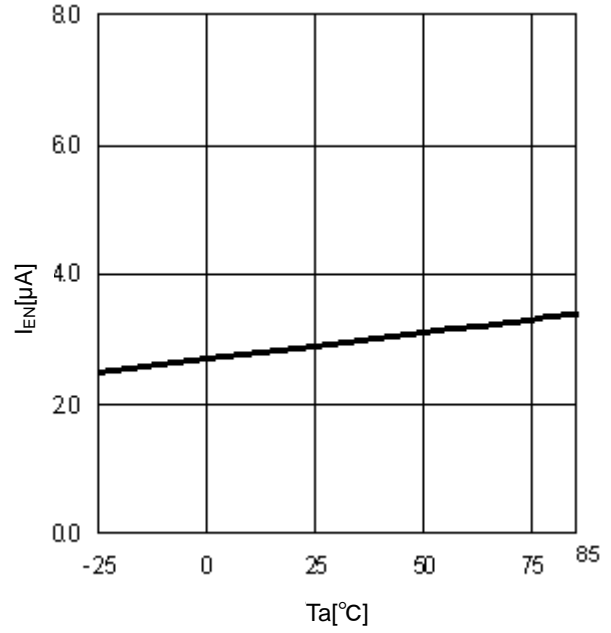


Figure 12.  
 $T_a$ - $I_{EN}$

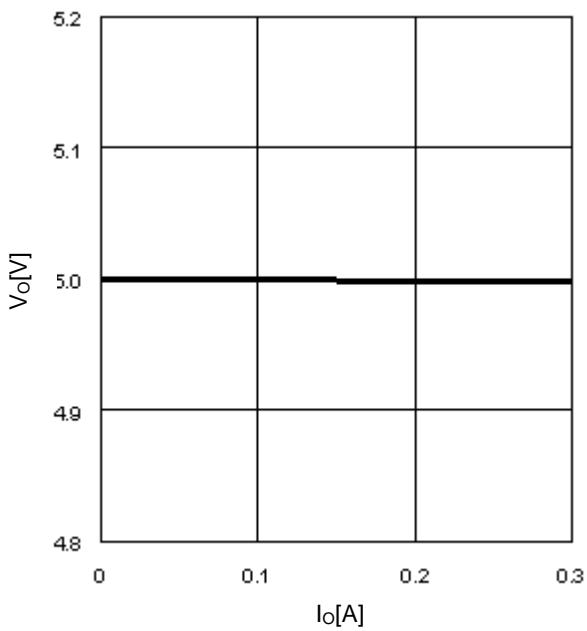


Figure 13.  
 $I_O$ - $V_O$

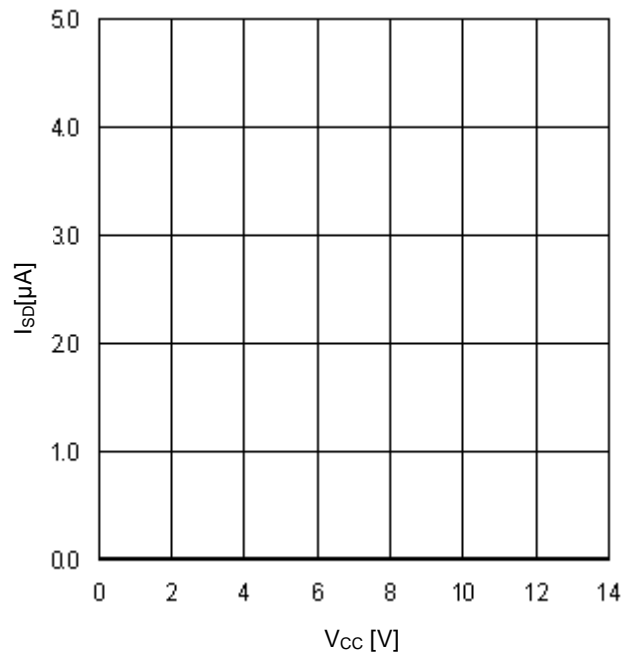


Figure 14.  
 $V_{CC}$ - $I_{SD}$   
 ( $V_{EN}=0V$ )

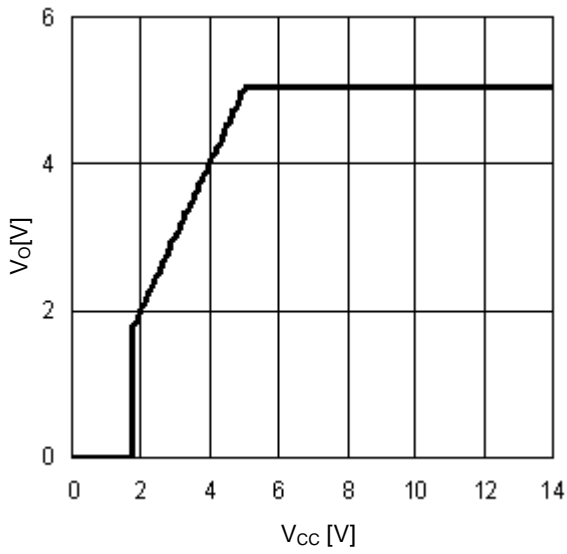


Figure 15.  
 $V_{CC}-V_O$  ( $I_O=0\text{mA}$ )

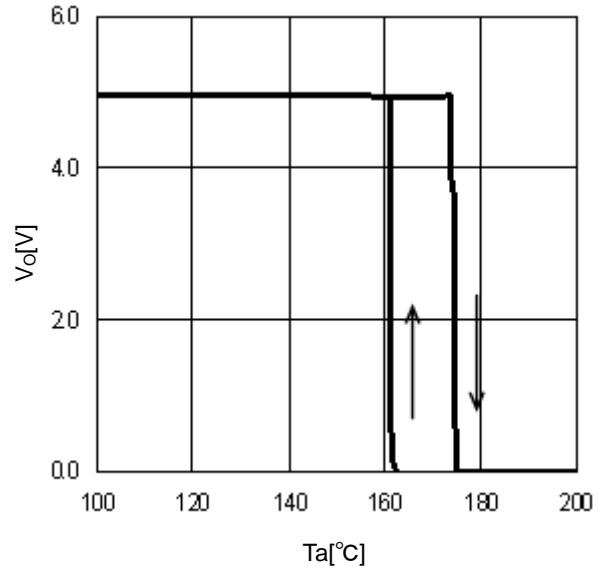


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TSD ( $I_O=0\text{mA}$ )

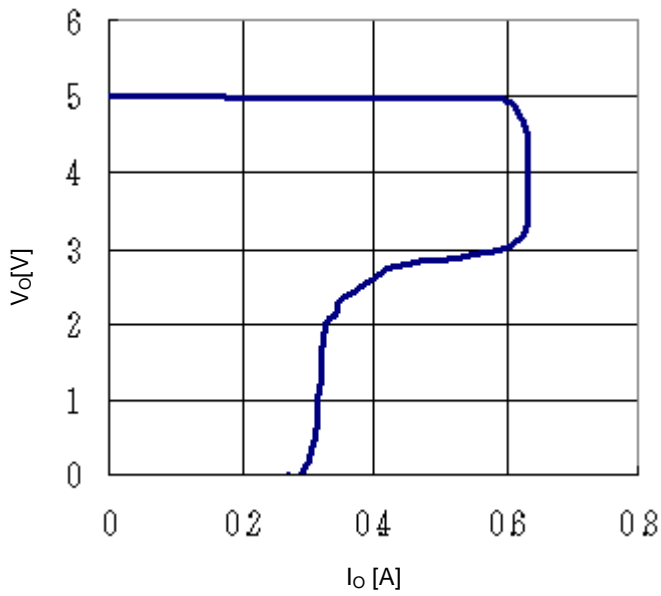


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OCP

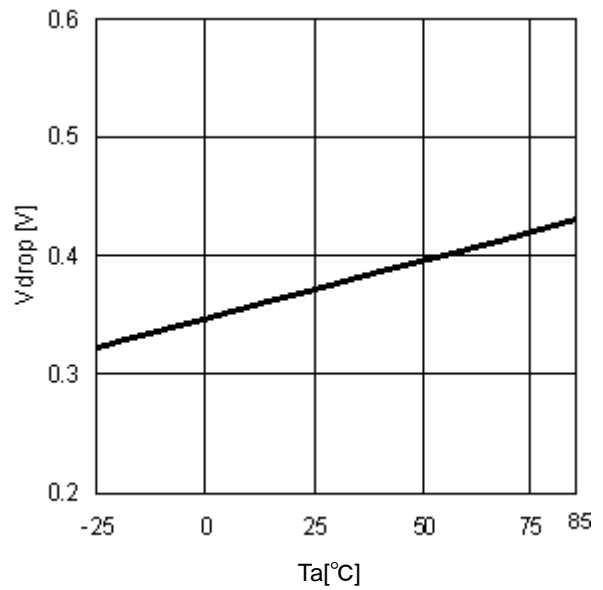


Figure 18.  
Minimum dropout Voltage1  
( $V_{CC}=5\text{V}$ ,  $I_O=0.3\text{A}$ )

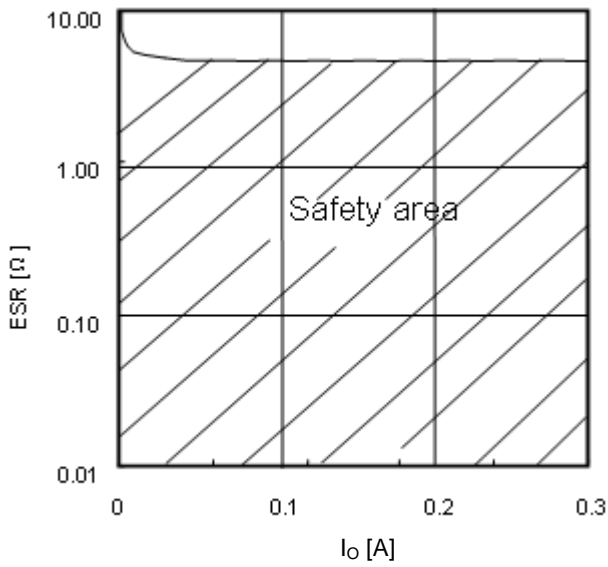


Figure 19.  
ESR-Io characteristics

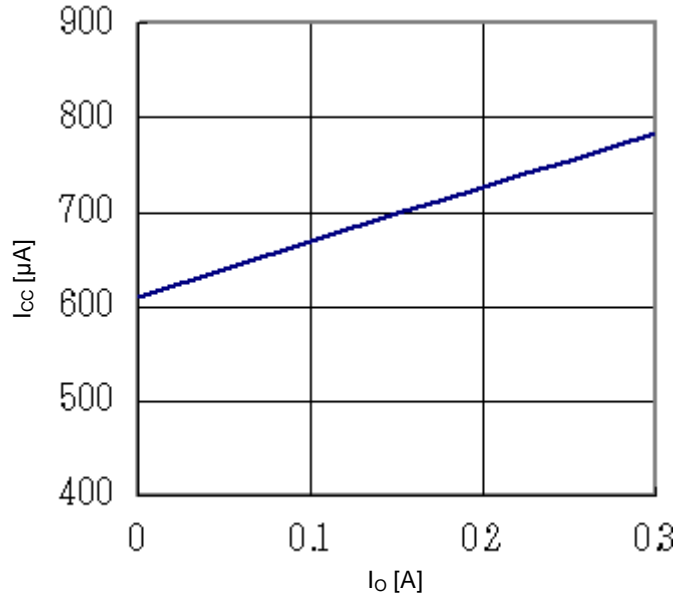


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Io-Icc

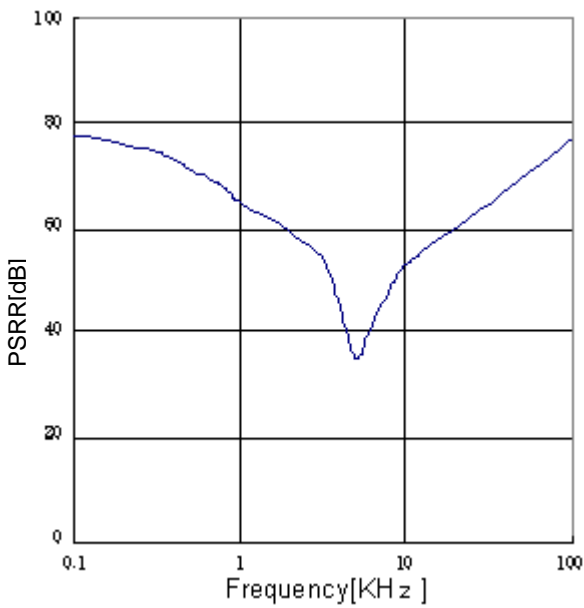


Figure 21.  
PSRR (Io=0mA)

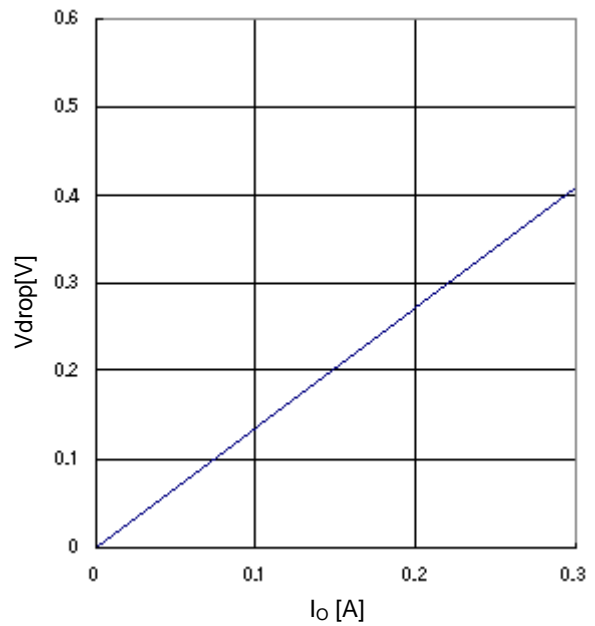


Figure 22.  
Minimum dropout Voltage 2  
(Vcc=4.5V、Ta=25°C)

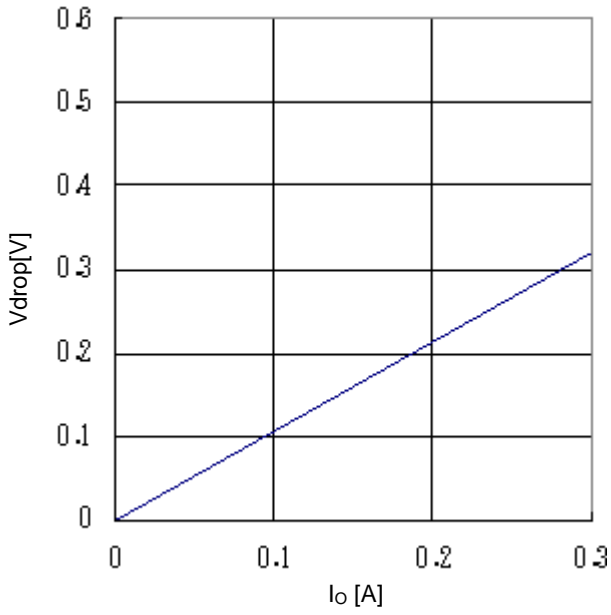


Figure 23.  
Minimum dropout Voltage 3  
( $V_{CC}=6V$ ,  $T_a=25^{\circ}C$ )

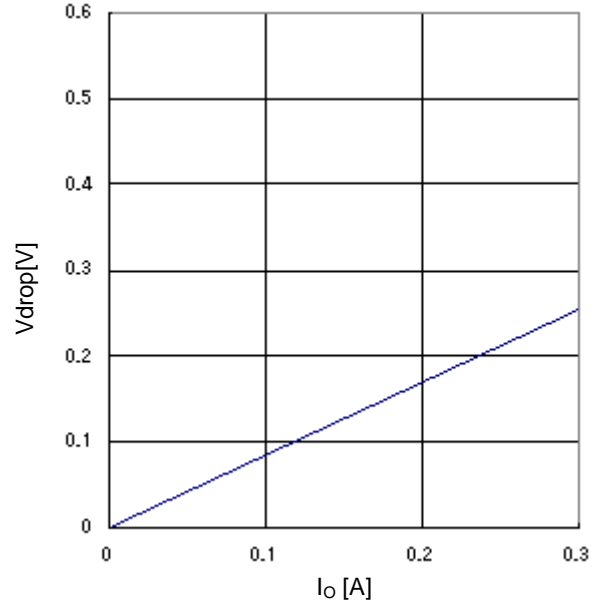


Figure 24.  
Minimum dropout Voltage 4  
( $V_{CC}=8V$ ,  $T_a=25^{\circ}C$ )

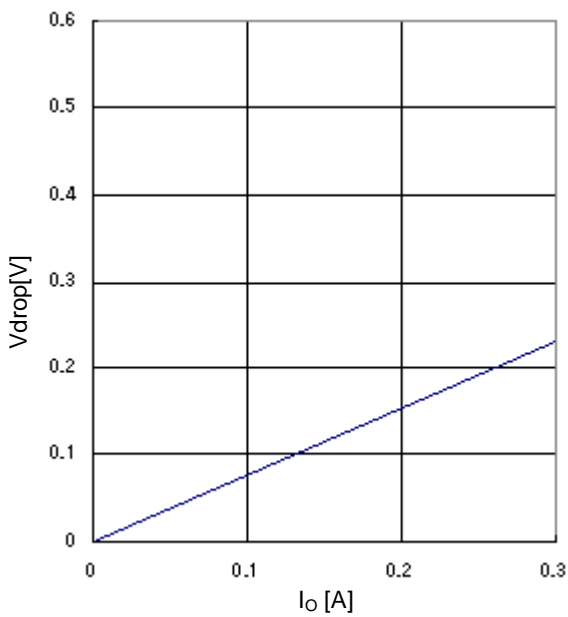


Figure 25.  
Minimum dropout Voltage 5  
( $V_{CC}=10V$ ,  $T_a=25^{\circ}C$ )

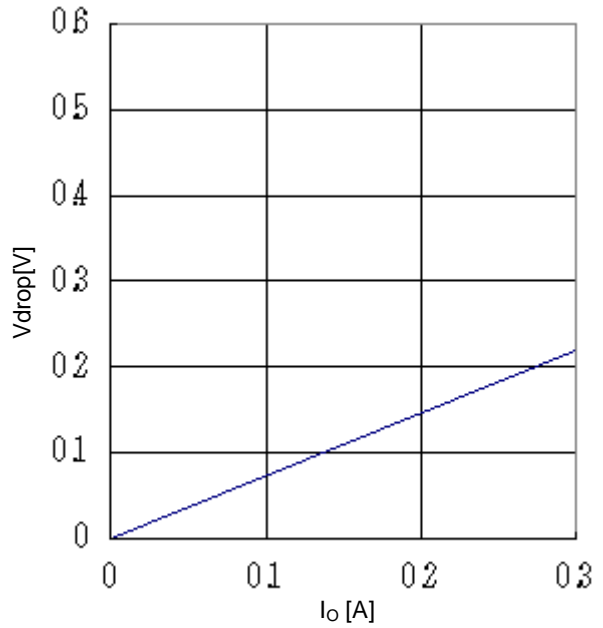
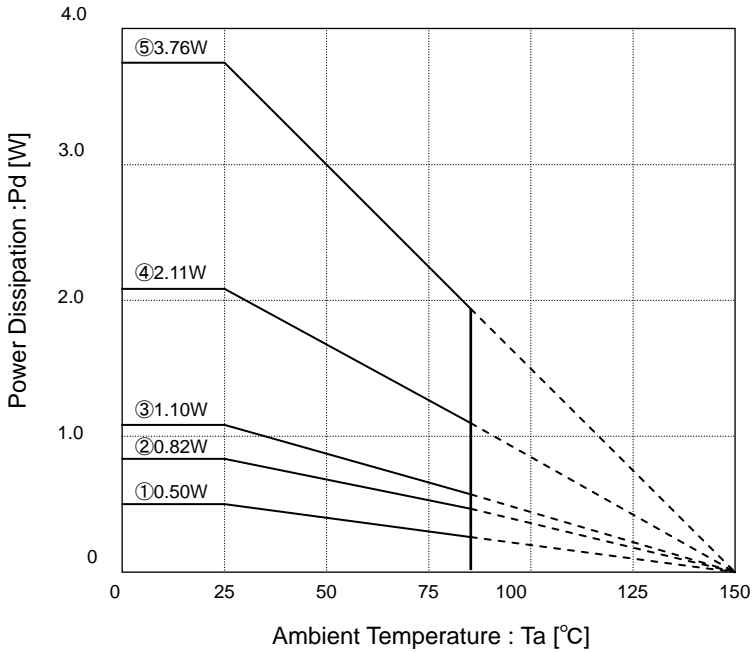


Figure 26.  
Minimum dropout Voltage 6  
( $V_{CC}=12V$ ,  $T_a=25^{\circ}C$ )

●Power Dissipation

◎HTSOP-J8



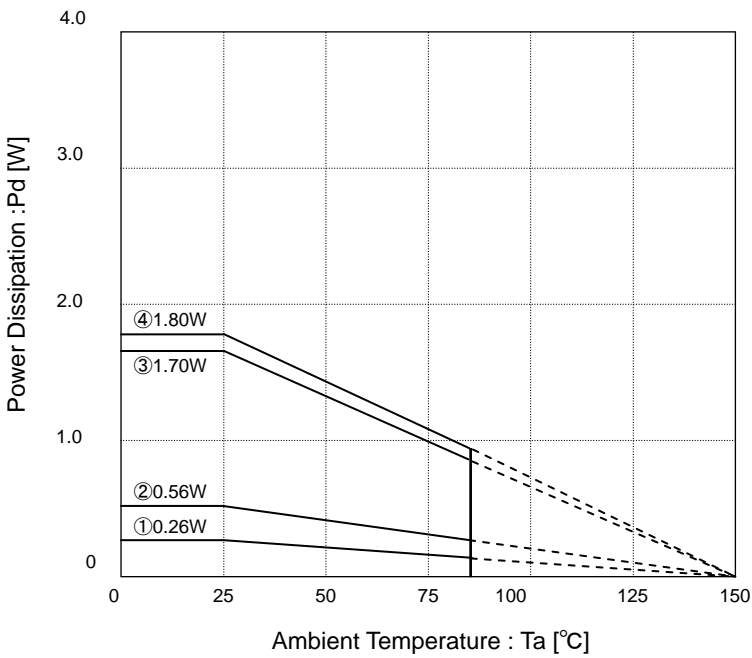
Measurement condition: mounted on a ROHM board,

Substrate size: 70mm × 70mm × 1.6mm  
(Substrate with thermal via)

- Solder the thermal pad to Ground

- ① IC only  
 $\theta_{j-a}=249.5^{\circ}\text{C/W}$
- ② 1-layer (copper foil are : 0mm × 0mm)  
 $\theta_{j-a}=153.2^{\circ}\text{C/W}$
- ③ 2-layer (copper foil are : 15mm × 15mm)  
 $\theta_{j-a}=113.6^{\circ}\text{C/W}$
- ④ 2-layer (copper foil are : 70mm × 70mm)  
 $\theta_{j-a}=59.2^{\circ}\text{C/W}$
- ⑤ 4-layer (copper foil are : 70mm × 70mm)  
 $\theta_{j-a}=33.3^{\circ}\text{C/W}$

◎VSON008X2030



Measurement condition: mounted on a ROHM board,

Substrate size: 114.3mm × 76.2mm × 1.6 mm

- Solder the thermal pad to Ground

- ① IC only  
 $\theta_{j-a}=480.8^{\circ}\text{C/W}$
- ② 1-layer (copper foil are : 0mm<sup>2</sup>)  
 $\theta_{j-a}=223.2^{\circ}\text{C/W}$
- ③ 4-layer (2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> layer copper foil are : 5655mm<sup>2</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> layer copper foil are : thermal land)  
 $\theta_{j-a}=73.5^{\circ}\text{C/W}$
- ④ 4-layer (2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> layer copper foil are : 5655mm<sup>2</sup>)  
 $\theta_{j-a}=69.4^{\circ}\text{C/W}$

Thermal design should ensure operation within the following conditions. Note that the temperatures listed are the allowed temperature limits and thermal design should allow sufficient margin beyond these limits.

1. Ambient temperature  $T_a$  can be not higher than 85°C.
2. Chip junction temperature ( $T_j$ ) can be not higher than 150°C.

Chip junction temperature can be determined as follows:

Calculation based on ambient temperature ( $T_a$ )

$$T_j = T_a + \theta_{j-a} \times W$$

<Reference values>

$\theta_{j-a}$ : HTSOP-J8

- 153.2°C/W 1-layer substrate (copper foil density 0mm × 0mm)
- 113.6°C/W 2-layer substrate (copper foil density 15mm × 15mm)
- 59.2°C/W 2-layer substrate (copper foil density 70mm × 70mm)
- 33.3°C/W 4-layer substrate (copper foil density 70mm × 70mm)
- Substrate size: 70mm × 70mm × 1.6mm (Substrate with thermal via)

$\theta_{j-a}$ : VSON008X2030

- 223.2°C/W 1-layer substrate (copper foil density 0mm<sup>2</sup>)
- 73.5°C/W 4-layer substrate (2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> layer copper foil density 5655mm<sup>2</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> layer copper foil : thermal land)
- 69.4°C/W 4-layer substrate (2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> layer copper foil density 5655mm<sup>2</sup>)
- Substrate size: 114.3mm × 76.2mm × 1.6mm

Most of the heat loss that occurs in the BDxxGA3WEFJ / BDxxGA3WNUX series is generated from the output Pch FET. Power loss is determined by the voltage drop across  $V_{CC}-V_O$  and the output current. Be sure to confirm the system's input and output voltages, as well as the output current conditions in relation to the power dissipation characteristics of the  $V_{CC}$  and  $V_O$  in the design. Bearing in mind that the power dissipation may vary substantially depending on the PCB employed, it is important to consider PCB size based on thermal design and power dissipation characteristics of the chip with the PCB.

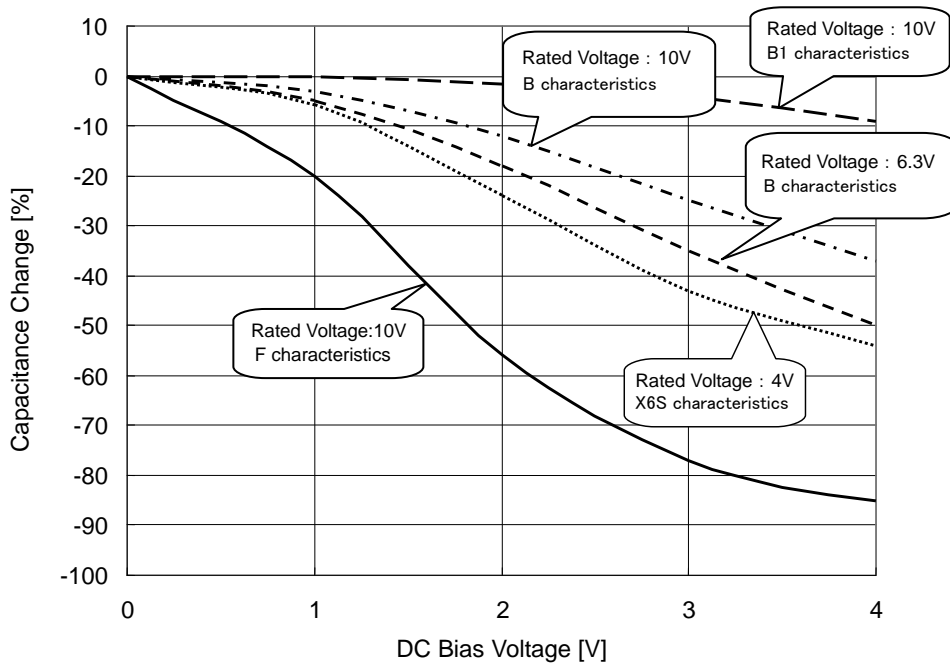
$$\text{Power consumption [W]} = \{ \text{Input voltage (} V_{CC} \text{) - Output voltage (} V_O \text{)} \} \times I_O(\text{Ave})$$

Example: Where  $V_{CC}=5.0V$ ,  $V_O=3.3V$ ,  $I_O(\text{Ave}) = 0.1A$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Power consumption [W]} &= \{ 5.0V - 3.3V \} \times 0.1A \\ &= 0.17W \end{aligned}$$

● **Input and Output Capacitor**

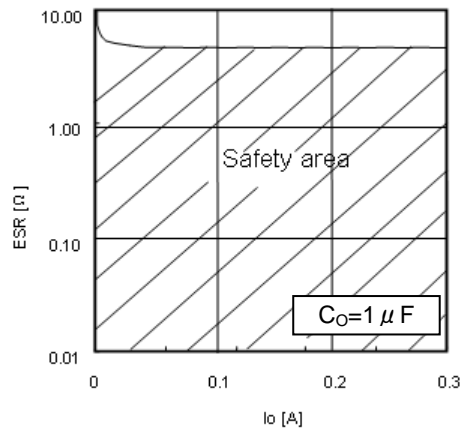
It is recommended that a capacitor (over 1 $\mu$ F) is placed near pins between the input pin and GND as well as the output pin and GND. A capacitor, between input pin and GND, is valid when the power supply impedance is high or trace is long. Also, as for the capacitor between the output pin and GND, the greater the capacitance, the more sustainable the line regulation will be and the capacitor will make improvements of characteristics depending on the load. However, please check the actual functionality of this part by mounting it on a board for the actual application. Ceramic capacitors usually have different, thermal and equivalent series resistance characteristics, and moreover capacitance decreases gradually in use. For additional details, please check with the manufacturer, and select the best ceramic capacitor for your application.



Ceramic capacitor capacity – DC bias characteristics  
(Characteristics example)

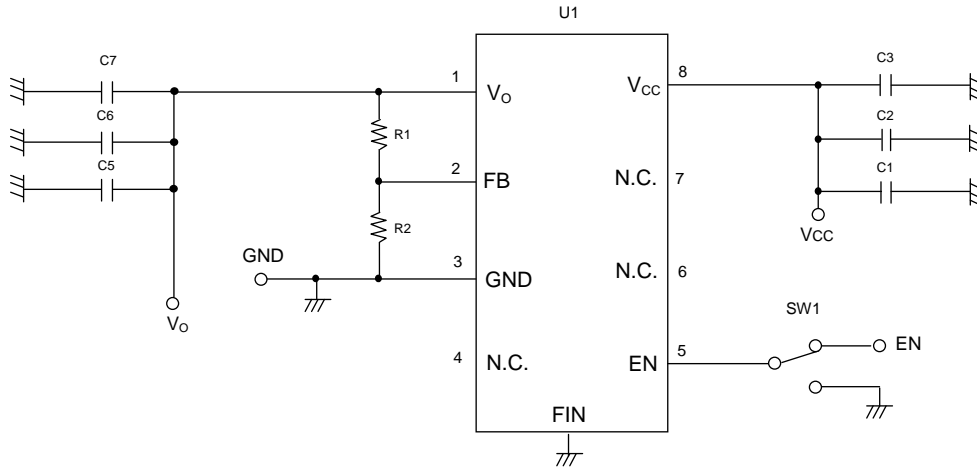
● **Equivalent Series Resistance ESR (Output Capacitor)**

To prevent oscillations, please attach a capacitor between  $V_O$  and GND. Capacitors usually have ESR (Equivalent Series Resistance). Operation will be stable in the ESR- $I_O$  range shown to the right. Ceramic, tantalum and electrolytic Capacitors have different ESR values, so please ensure that you are using a capacitor that operates in the stable operating region shown on the right. Finally, please evaluate in the actual application.



ESR –  $I_O$  characteristics

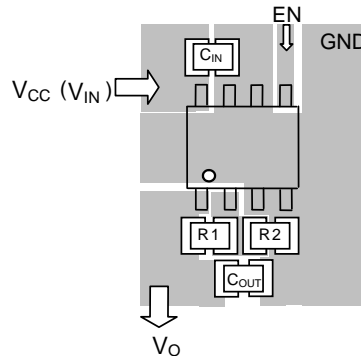
●Evaluation Board Circuit



●Evaluation Board Parts List

Designation	Value	Part No.	Company	Designation	Value	Part No.	Company
R1	43kΩ	MCR01PZPZF4302	ROHM	C4	-	-	-
R2	8.2kΩ	MCR01PZPZF8201	ROHM	C5	1μF	CM105B105K16A	KYOCERA
R3	-	-	-	C6	-	-	-
R4	-	-	-	C7	-	-	-
R5	-	-	-	C8	-	-	-
R6	-	-	-	C9	-	-	-
C1	1μF	CM105B105K16A	KYOCERA	C10	-	-	-
C2	-	-	-	U1	-	BDxxGA3WEFJ / BDxxGA3WNUX	ROHM
C3	-	-	-	U2	-	-	-

●Board Layout



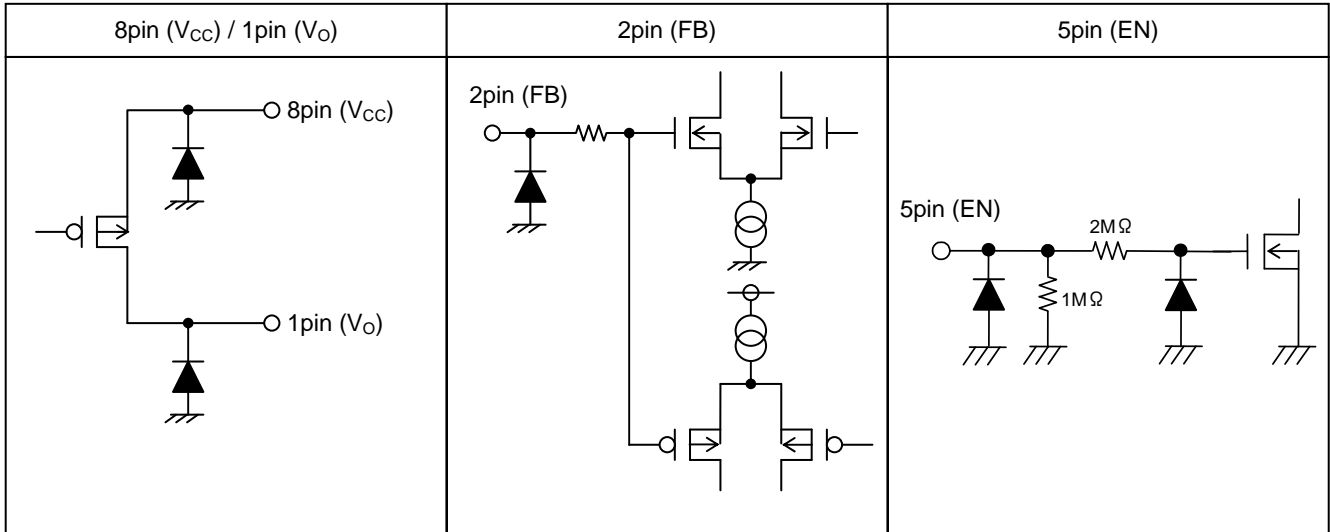
PCB layout considerations:

- Input capacitor C<sub>IN</sub> connected to V<sub>CC</sub> (V<sub>IN</sub>) should be placed as close to V<sub>CC</sub>(V<sub>IN</sub>) pin as possible. Output capacitor C<sub>OUT</sub> also should be placed as close to IC pin as possible. In case the part is connected to inner layer GND plane, please use several through holes.
- FB pin has comparatively high impedance and can be affected by noise, so stray capacitance should be as small as possible. Please take care of this during layout.
- Please make GND pattern wide enough to handle thermal dissipation.
- For output voltage setting (BD00GA3WEFJ / BD00GA3WNUX)  
Output voltage can be set by FB pin voltage (0.800V typ.) and external resistance R1, R2.

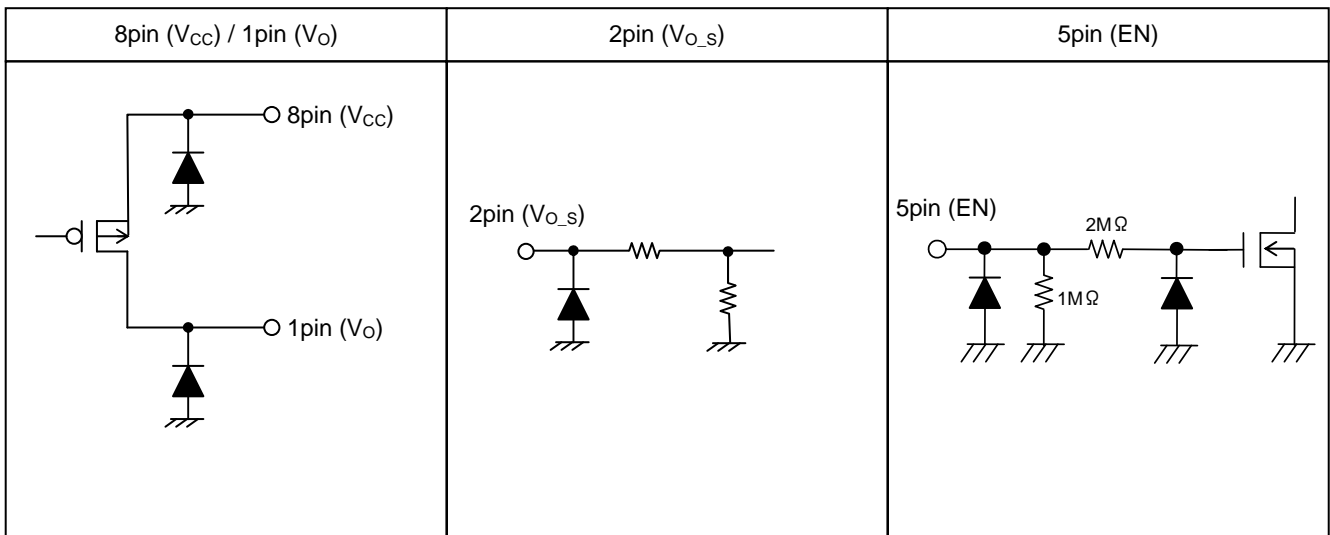
$$V_O = V_{FB} \times \frac{R1+R2}{R2}$$

(The use of resistors with R1+R2=1k to 90kΩ is recommended)

● I/O Equivalent Circuits (Variable type : BD00GA3WEFJ / BD00GA3WNUX)



● I/O Equivalent Circuits (Fixed type : BDxxGA3WEFJ / BDxxGA3WNUX)



### ●Operational Notes

- (1) Absolute maximum ratings  
An excess in the absolute maximum ratings, such as supply voltage, temperature range of operating conditions, etc., can break down the device, thus making it impossible to identify the damage mode, such as a short circuit or an open circuit. If there is any possibility of exposure over the rated values, please consider adding circuit protection devices such as fuses.
- (2) Connecting the power supply connector backward  
Connecting of the power supply in reverse polarity can damage the IC. Take precautions when connecting the power supply lines. An external direction diode can be added.
- (3) Power supply lines  
Design the PCB layout pattern to provide low impedance GND and supply lines. To obtain a low noise ground and supply line, separate the ground section and supply lines of the digital and analog blocks. Furthermore, for all power supply terminals to ICs, connect a capacitor between the power supply and GND terminal. When using electrolytic capacitors in a circuit, note that capacitance values are reduced at low temperatures and over time.
- (4) GND voltage  
The potential of the GND pin must be minimum potential under all operating conditions.
- (5) Thermal design  
Use a thermal design that allows for a sufficient margin in light of the power dissipation (Pd) in actual operating conditions.
- (6) Inter-pin shorts and mounting errors  
Use caution when positioning the IC for mounting on printed circuit boards. The IC may be damaged if there is any connection error or if pins are shorted together.
- (7) Actions in strong electromagnetic field  
Use caution when using the IC in the presence of a strong electromagnetic field as doing so may cause the IC to malfunction.
- (8) ASO  
When using the IC, set the output transistor so that it does not exceed absolute maximum ratings or ASO.
- (9) Thermal shutdown circuit  
The IC incorporates a built-in thermal shutdown circuit (TSD circuit). The thermal shutdown circuit (TSD circuit) is designed only to shut the IC off to prevent thermal runaway. It is not designed to protect the IC or guarantee its operation. Do not continue to use the IC after operating this circuit or use the IC in an environment where the operation of this circuit is assumed.

	TSD ON Temperature[°C] (typ.)	Hysteresis Temperature [°C] (typ.)
BDxxGA3WEFJ / BDxxGA3WNUX	175	15

- (10) Testing on application boards  
When testing the IC on an application board, connecting a capacitor to a pin with low impedance subjects the IC to stress. Always discharge capacitors after each process or step. Always turn the IC's power supply off before connecting it to or removing it from a jig or fixture during the inspection process. Ground the IC during assembly steps as an antistatic measure. Use similar precaution when transporting or storing the IC.

## (11) Regarding input pin of the IC

This monolithic IC contains P+ isolation and P substrate layers between adjacent elements in order to keep them isolated.

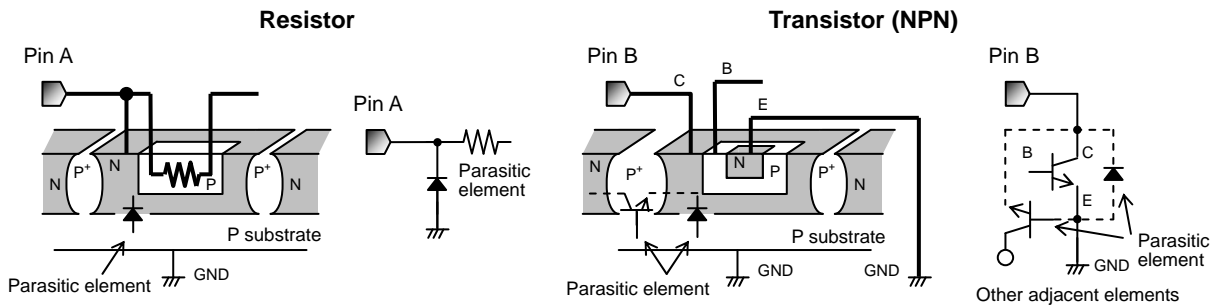
P-N junctions are formed at the intersection of these P layers with the N layers of other elements, creating a parasitic diode or transistor. For example, the relation between each potential is as follows:

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 can occur inevitable in the structure of the IC.

The operation of parasitic diodes can result in mutual interference among circuits, operational faults, or physical damage. Accordingly, methods by which parasitic diodes operate, such as applying a voltage that is lower than the GND(P substrate) voltage to an input pin, should not be used.

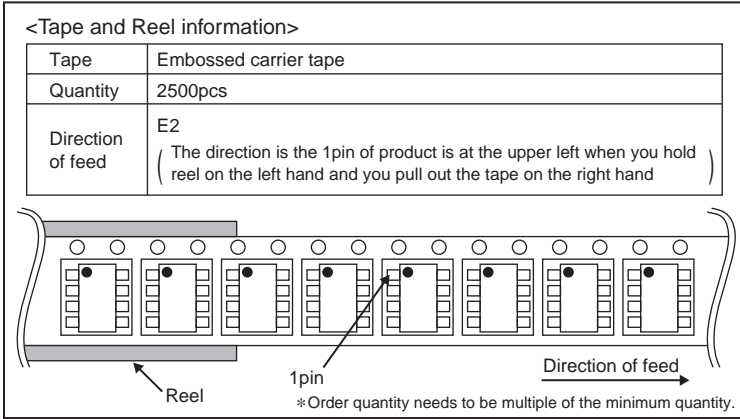
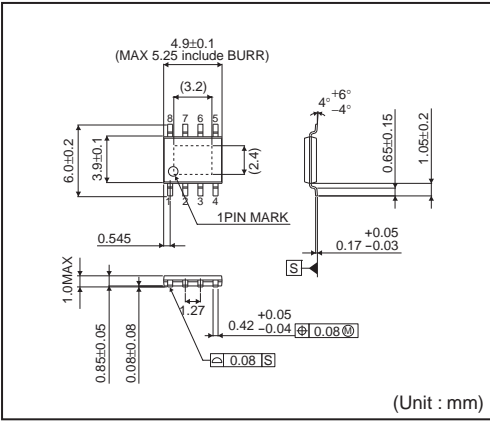


## (12) Ground Wiring Pattern.

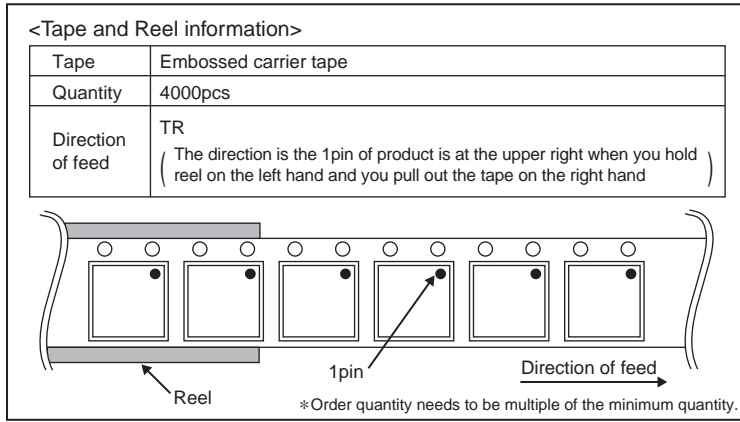
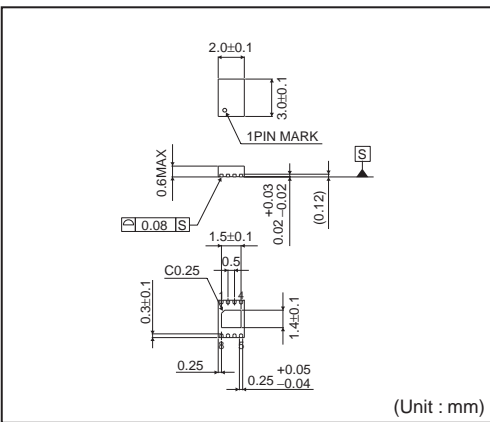
When using both small-signal and large-current ground traces, the two ground traces should be routed separately but connected to a single ground at the reference point of the application board to avoid fluctuations in the small-signal ground caused by large currents. Also ensure that the ground traces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

●Physical Dimension Tape and Reel Information

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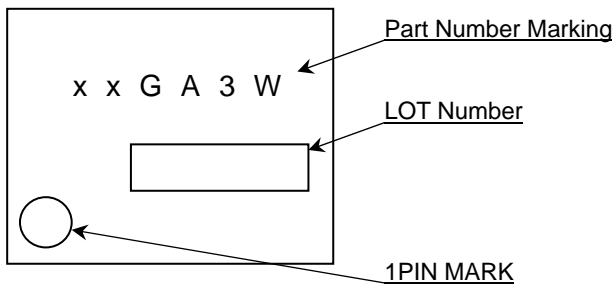


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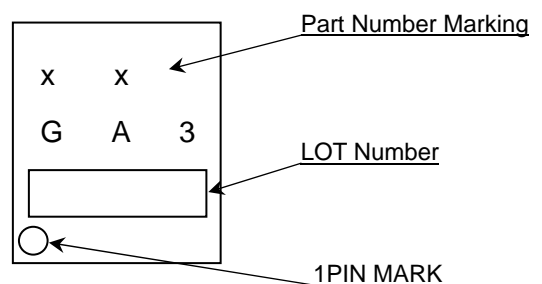


●Marking Diagram

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xx	Product Name	
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18	BD18GA3WEFJ	BD18GA3WNUX
25	BD25GA3WEFJ	BD25GA3WNUX
30	BD30GA3WEFJ	BD30GA3WNUX
33	BD33GA3WEFJ	BD33GA3WNUX
50	BD50GA3WEFJ	BD50GA3WNUX
60	BD60GA3WEFJ	BD60GA3WNUX
70	BD70GA3WEFJ	BD70GA3WNUX
80	BD80GA3WEFJ	BD80GA3WNUX
90	BD90GA3WEFJ	BD90GA3WNUX
J0	BDJ0GA3WEFJ	BDJ0GA3WNUX
J2	BDJ2GA3WEFJ	BDJ2GA3WNUX

## ●Revision History

Date	Revision	Changes
20.July.2012	001	New Release
03.Dec.2012	002	Improvement English translation and added Package Lineup
17.Jan.2013	003	The description was modified.
17.May.2013	004	Added BDxxGA3WNUX series

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