AP65355FN-EVM

650kHz, 18V, 3A, PGOOD, COT, DCM/CCM Synchronous DC/DC Buck Converter in U-DFN3x3-10

Description

The AP65355 is an adaptive on-time mode synchronous buck converter providing high efficiency, excellent transient response and high DC output accuracy for low-voltage regulation in digital TV and monitor.

The constant-on-time control scheme handles wide input/output voltage ratios and provides low external component count. The internal proprietary circuit enables the device to adopt both low equivalent series resistance (ESR) output capacitors, such as SP-CAP or POSCAP and ultra-low ESR ceramic capacitors.

The adaptive on-time control supports seamless transition between continuous conduction mode (CCM) at higher load conditions and discontinuous conduction mode (DCM) at lighter load conditions.

DCM allows AP65355 to maintain high efficiency at light load conditions. The AP65355 also features power good, programmable soft-start, UVLO, OTP, OVP and OCP to protect the circuit.

This IC is available in U-DFN3x3-10 package.

- Gaming Consoles
- Flat Screen TV Sets and Monitors
- Set Top Boxes
- Distributed Power Systems
- Green Electronics
- Home Audio
- Consumer Electronics
- Network Systems
- FPGA, DSP and ASIC Supplies

Performance Spec of AP65355FN-EVM (Rev1)

Parameter	Conditions	Performance Value
Input Voltage	Range 4.5V to 18V	12V
Output Current		3A
Output Voltage		1.05V
Transient Response	Peak-to-peak Deviation Load step from 0A to 3A	40mV$_{P-P}$
Switching Frequency		650kHz
Efficiency		87% @VOUT=3.3V

Figure 1. Evaluation Board (Rev1)

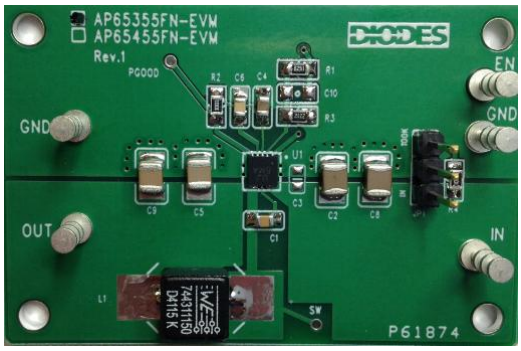


Figure 2. Load Transient 0 to 3A

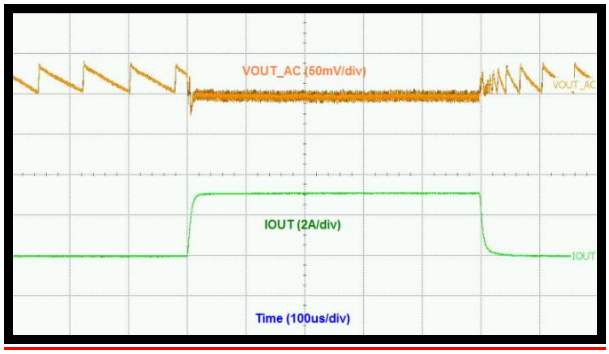


Figure 3. Efficiency

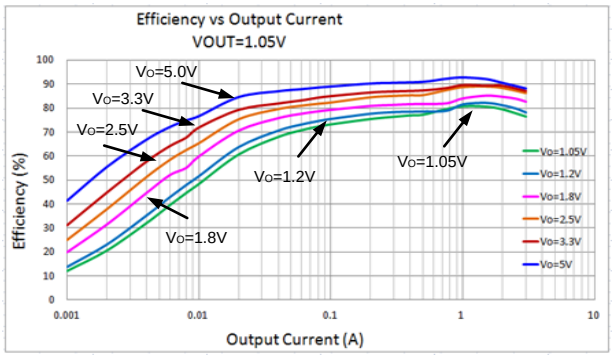
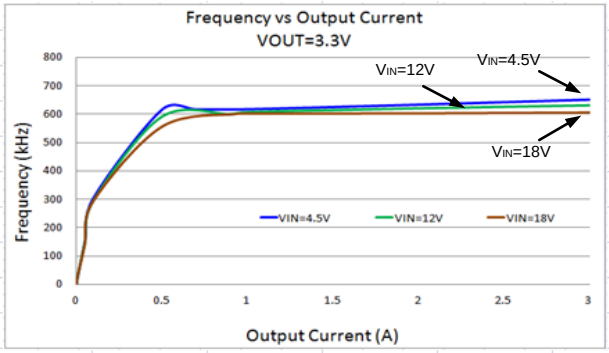
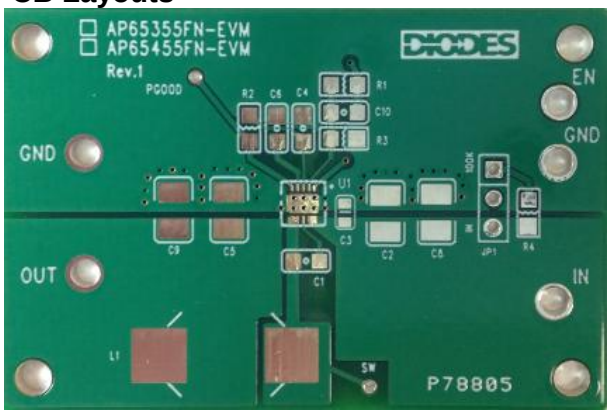


Figure 4. Frequency vs Output Current



PCB Layouts



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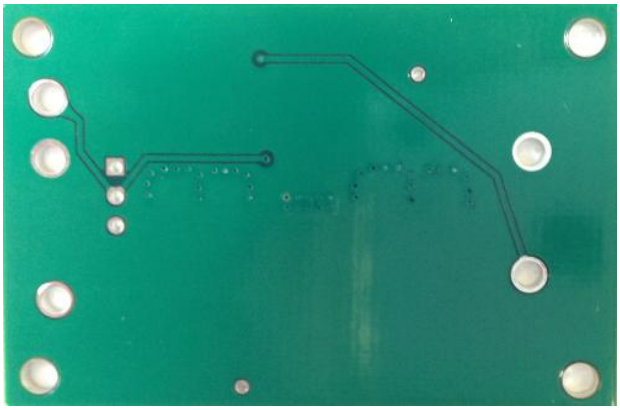

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Quick Start Guide

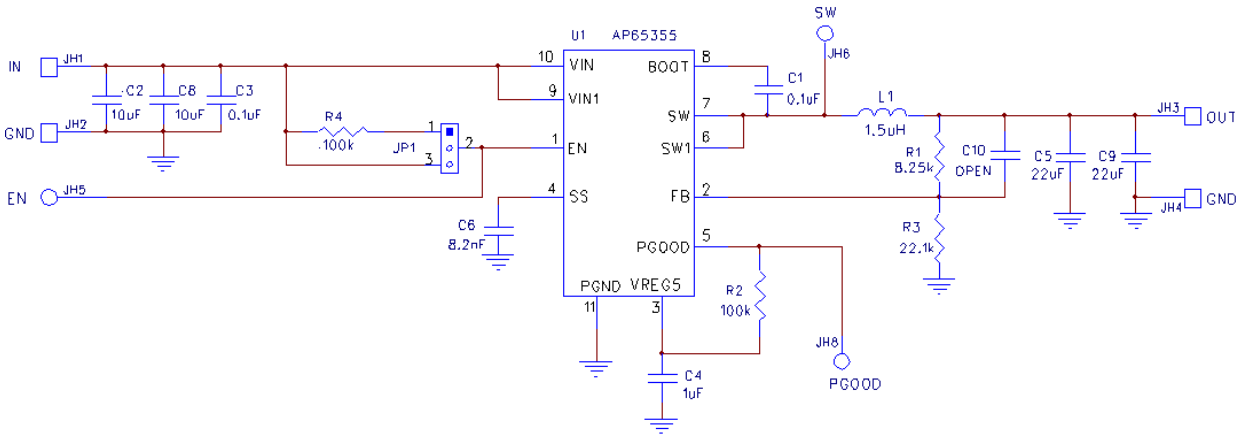
The AP65355FN-EVM has a simple layout and allows access to the appropriate signals through test points. To evaluate the performance of the AP65355, follow the procedure below:

1. Connect a power supply to the input terminals V_{IN} and GND. Set V_{IN} to 12V.
2. Connect the positive terminal of the electronic load to V_{OUT} and negative terminal to GND.
3. For JP1 header option, EN is a positive voltage that can be safely connected either through a 100KΩ pull-up to V_{IN} or directly to maximum V_{IN} (up to 18V) for automatic start-up. No supply input is required for EN.
4. The evaluation board should now power up with a 1.05V output voltage.
5. Check for the proper output voltage of 1.05V (±1%) at the output terminals V_{OUT} and GND. Measurement can also be done with a multimeter with the positive and negative leads between V_{OUT} and GND.
6. Set the load to 3A through the electronic load. Check for the stable operation of the SW signal on the oscilloscope. Measure the switching frequency.

Measurement/Performance Guidelines:

1) When measuring the output voltage ripple, maintain the shortest possible ground lengths on the oscilloscope probe. Long ground leads can erroneously inject high frequency noise into the measured ripple.
2) For efficiency measurements, connect an ammeter in series with the input supply to measure the input current. Connect an electronic load to the output for output current.

EVALUATION BOARD SCHEMATIC



BILL OF MATERIALS

Ref	Value	Description	Qty	Size	Vendor Name	Manufacturer PN
C1	0.1uF	Ceramic Capacitor, 25V, X7R, 10%	1	SM0805	AVX	08055C104KAT2A
C2, C8	10uF	Ceramic Capacitor, 25V, X5R, 10%	2	1210	Murata	GRM32DR61E106KA12L
C4	1uF	Ceramic Capacitor, 16V, X7R, 10%	1	0805	Kemet	C0805C105K4RACTU
C5, C9	22uF	Ceramic Capacitor, 25V, X5R, 10%	2	1210	AVX	12103D226KAT2A
C6	8.2nF	Ceramic Capacitor, 16V, X7R, 10%	1	0805	AVX	0805YC822KAT2A
L1	1.5uH	Inductor, 10A, 12mmWx12mmLx6mmH	1	SMD	Wurth	744311150
R1	8.25K	Resistor, 1%	1	0805	Panasonic	ERJ-6ENF8251V
R3	22.1K	Resistor, 1%	1	0805	Panasonic	ERJ-6ENF2212V
R4	100K	Resistor, 1%	1	0805	Panasonic	ERJ-6ENF1003V
T1	1598	Terminal Turret Triple 0.094" L (Test Points)	5		Keystone circuit	1598-2
JP1	1x3	PCB Header, Straight 40 POS, 1x3	1	Through-Hole	EM	2340-6111TG
U1		DC/DC converter	1	DFN3030-10	Diodes Inc	AP65355FN

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