## WD3124DA

## 1000mA Buck/Boost <br> Charge Pump Flash LED Driver

## Description

The WD3124DA is a current-regulated charge pump ideal for powering high brightness LEDs for camera flash applications. The charge pump can be set to regulate two current levels for FLASH and TORCH modes.

The WD3124DA automatically switches modes between step-up and step-down ensuring that LED current does not depend on the forward voltage. It switches at 2.2 MHz , allowing the use of tiny components. The supply voltage ranges from 2.7 V to 5.5 V and is ideally suited for all applications powered by a single LI-Ion battery cell or three to four NiCd, NiMH , or Alkaline battery cells.

The WD3124DA also features a very low shutdown current, an automatic soft-start mode to limit inrush current, as well as over current, over voltage and over-Thermal shutdown control.

A low current sense reference voltage ( 50 mV ) allows the use of small 0603 current sensing resistors.

The WD3124DA is available in Green DFN3×3-10L package and is specified over an ambient temperature range of $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

## Features

- Output Current up to 1000 mA
- Up to 95\% Efficiency in Torch Mode
- Adjustable FLASH Mode Current
- Automatic Buck/Boost Mode Switchover
- Wide Input Voltage Range: 2.7V to 5.5 V
- Minimum External Components: No Inductors
- High Frequency Operation: 2.2 MHz
- Low 50mV Reference for Low Loss Sensing
- PWM Dimming Control
- Automatic Soft Start Limits Inrush Current
- Low Ripple and EMI

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DFN3x3-10L


Pin configuration (Top view)


WD3124DA

3124DA = Device code
Y = Year code
W = Week code
Marking

Order Information

| Device | WD3124DA-10/TR |
| :---: | :---: |
| Function | With timeout |
| Package | DFN3x3-10L |
| Shipping | 3000/Reel\&Tape |

## Applications

- Cellphones
- PADs


## Pin configuration (Top view)



## Pin descriptions

| Symbol | DFN3x3-10L | Descriptions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| VIN | 1 | Input voltage for the charge pump. Decouple with $4.7 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ or $10 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ ceramic capacitor close to the pins of the IC. |
| C1 | 2 | Positive input for the external flying capacitor. Connect a ceramic $1 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ capacitor close to the pins of the IC. |
| C2 | 3 | Negative input for the external flying capacitor. Connect a ceramic $1 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ capacitor close to the pins of the IC. |
| FLASH | 4 | Logic input to toggle operation between FLASH and TORCH mode. In TORCH mode FB is regulated to the internal 50 mV reference. In FLASH mode FB reference voltage can be adjusted by changing the resistor from $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ pin to ground. Choose the external current sense resistor ( $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SENSE }}$ ) based on desired current in TORCH mode and Flash mode. |
| EN | 5 | Shutdown control input. Connect to VIN for normal operation, connect to ground for shutdown. For normal operation, suggest connecting to VIN only after the VIN has settled if the VIN ramping up is slow. |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ | 6 | Connect a resistor from this pin to ground. When in FLASH mode (FLASH = High) this resistor sets the current regulation point according to the following: $\mathrm{VFB}=\left(1.26 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{SET}}\right) \times 10.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ |
| FB | 7 | Feedback input for the current control loop. Connect directly to the current sense resistor. |
| SGND | 8 | Internal ground pin. Control circuitry returns current to this pin. |
| PGND | 9 | Power ground pin. Flying capacitor current returns through this pin. |
| VOUT | 10 | Charge Pump Output Voltage. Decouple with an external capacitor. At least $1 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ is recommended. If Higher value capacitor is used, output ripple is smaller. |

Typical applications


Figure1. Single LED flash circuit @ 850mA flash current


Figure 2. Multiple LED flash circuit @1000mA flash current

## Block diagram



## Absolute maximum ratings

| Parameter | Symbol | Value | Unit |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| VIN,VOUT pin voltage range | V | $-0.3 \sim 6$ | V |
| EN, FB pin voltage range | - | $-0.3 \sim 5.5$ | V |
| Output Current Pulse(Flash) | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {O(Flash) }}$ | 1.5 | A |
| Output Current Continuous(Torch) | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {O(Torch) }}$ | 0.4 | A |
| Power Dissipation (Note 1) |  | 3 | W |
| Junction to Ambient Thermal Resistance (Note 1) | $\mathrm{R}_{\text {өJA }}$ | 57 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ |
| Junction temperature | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}}$ | 150 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Lead temperature(Soldering, 10s) | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{L}}$ | 260 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Operating ambient temperature | Topr | $-40 \sim 85$ | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage temperature | Tstg | $-55 \sim 150$ | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| ESD Ratings | HBM | 8000 | V |
|  | MM | 400 | V |

These are stress ratings only. Stresses exceeding the range specified under "Absolute Maximum Ratings" may cause substantial damage to the device. Functional operation of this device at other conditions beyond those listed in the specification is not implied and prolonged exposure to extreme conditions may affect device reliability.

Note 1: Surface mounted on FR-4 Board using 1 square inch pad size, dual side, 1oz copper

## Electronics Characteristics

(Full $=-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}=3.6 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{IN}}=4.7 \mathrm{uF}, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{F}}=\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{OUT}}=1 \mathrm{uF}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{EN}}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}$, typical values at $+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, unless otherwise noted)

| Parameter | Symbol | Conditions | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Input Voltage Range | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}$ |  | 2.7 |  | 5.5 | V |
| Quiescent Current | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{Q}}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}=2.7 \mathrm{~V}-5.5 \mathrm{~V} \text { FLASH=GND, } \\ & 1 \mathrm{X} \text { Mode } \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{LOAD}}=100 \mathrm{uA} \end{aligned}$ |  | 0.3 |  | mA |
|  | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{Q}}$ | FLASH = High, $2 \times$ mode |  | 2 |  | mA |
| Shutdown Supply Current | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {SHDN }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{EN}}=0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V}_{\text {IN }}=5.5 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 1 | uA |
| Feedback referenceVoltage | $V_{\text {FB }}$ | FLASH $=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}, \mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}=68 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ | 175 | 190 | 205 | mV |
|  |  | FLASH = GND | 45 | 50 | 55 | mV |
| FB Pin Current | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {FB }}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{FB}}=0.3 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | 1 | uA |
| Oscillator Frequency | $\mathrm{f}_{\text {OSC }}$ |  |  | 2.2 |  | MHz |
| Charge Pump Equivalent <br> Resistance ( $1 \times$ mode) |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}=3.6 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 0.5 | 0.7 | $\Omega$ |
| Charge Pump Equivalent Resistance ( $2 \times$ mode) |  |  |  | 3 |  | $\Omega$ |
| EN, FLASH Logic Low | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {EN,FLASH H }}$ |  |  |  | 0.4 | V |
| EN, FLASH Logic High | $V_{\text {EN,FLASHL }}$ |  | 1.3 |  |  | V |
| EN, FLASH Pin Current | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {EN,FLASH }}$ |  |  |  | 1 | uA |
| V ${ }_{\text {OUt }}$ Turn-on Time |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}=3.6 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{FB}$ within $90 \%$ of regulation |  | 250 |  | us |
| Thermal Shutdown Temperature | $\mathrm{T}_{\text {SHDN }}$ |  |  | 150 |  | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Maximum Flash ON time |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}=3.6 \mathrm{~V}$ | 0.8 | 1.2 | 1.6 | s |

Typical Characteristics $\left(\mathrm{Ta}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{IN}}=4.7 \mathrm{uF}, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{OUT}}=4.7 \mathrm{uF}, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{F}}=1 \mathrm{uF}\right.$, unless otherwise noted)

Ripple 1X Flash 1000mA


Ripple 2X Flash 1000 mA


Startup 1000 mA Flash


Time(80us/div)

Ripple 1X Torch 250mA


Ripple 2X Torch 250mA


Startup 250mA Torch


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Efficiency vs. Input Voltage


Battery Current vs. Input Voltage


Torch in 1X to Flash in 2X Mode


Output Current vs. Input Voltage


## Operation Information

The WD3124DA is a charge pump regulator designed for converting a Li-lon battery voltage of 2.7 V to 4.2 V to drive a white LED used in digital still camera Flash and Torch applications. Flash mode of WD3124DA is usually used with a pulse about 1.2 seconds to generate a high intensity Flash. Torch of WD3124DA can be used continuously at a lower output current than Flash and is often used for several seconds in a digital still camera "movie" mode.

The WD3124DA also has two modes of operation to control the output current: the 1 X mode and 2 X mode. Operation begins after the enable pin EN receives a logic high, and then WD3124DA goes through a soft-start mode designed to reduce inrush current. The WD3124DA starts in the 1X mode, which acts like a linear regulator to control the output current by continuously monitoring the feedback pin FB. In 1X mode, as FB pin is below the regulation point, the WD3124DA automatically switches to the 2X mode. The WD3124DA remains in the 2 X mode until one of four things happens:

1) The enable pin EN has been toggled.
2) The Flash pin has changed from high to low.
3) VIN is cycled or VIN recovers
4) A thermal fault occurs.

The 2 X mode is the charge pump mode where the output can be pumped as high as two times the input voltage, provided the output does not exceed the maximum voltage for the WD3124DA, which is internally limited to about 5.5 V . In the 2 X mode, as in the 1X mode, the output current is regulated by the voltage at the FB pin.

In the Torch mode, (Flash = "GND") the Flash pin is set to logic low and the WD3124DA FB pin regulates to typical 50 mV output:

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V_{F B}=50 \mathrm{mV} \text { (Torch Mode) }
$$

When in Flash mode, (Flash = "High"), the FB regulation voltage is set by the resistor $R_{\text {SET }}$ connected between the $R_{\text {SET }}$ pin and SGND and the equation:

$$
\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{FB}}=\left(1.26 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{SET}}\right) \times 10.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega \text { (Flash Mode) }
$$

The output current is then set in either Flash or Torch mode by the equation:

$$
\mathrm{I}_{\text {OUT }}=\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{FB}} / R_{\text {SENSE }}
$$

Typical values of $R_{\text {SET }}$ are $68 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ to $150 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ for a range of VFB $=205 \mathrm{mV}$ to 93 mV in Flash mode

## Application Information

## Flash timeout protection

Due to the high currents typically available in Flash mode, it is necessary to protect the white LED from damage if left on too long. The WD3124DA has a timeout in Flash mode of approximately 1.2 seconds after which it will go into torch mode. Operation will not begin again in Flash mode until the Enable pin or Flash pin have been set Low and then High again.

## Over Temperature Protection

When the temperature of WD3124DA rises above $150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, the over temperature protection circuitry turns off the output switches to prevent damage to the device. If the temperature drops back down below $135^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, the part automatically recovers and executes a soft start cycle.

## Over Voltage Protection

The WD3124DA has over voltage protection. If the output voltage rises above the 5.5 V threshold, the over voltage protection shuts off all of the output switches to prevent the output voltage from rising further. When the output decreases below 5.3V, the device resumes normal operation.

## Over Current Protection

The over current protection circuitry monitors the average current out of the $\mathrm{V}_{\text {OUT }}$ pin. If the average output current exceeds approximately 1.5 Amp , then the over current protection circuitry shuts off the output switches to protect the chip.

## Brightness Control Using PWM

Dimming control can be achieved by applying a PWM control signal to the EN pin. The brightness of the white LEDs is controlled by increasing and decreasing the duty cycle of the PWM signal. While the operating frequency range of the PWM control is from 60 Hz to 700 Hz , the recommended maximum brightness frequency range of the PWM signal is
from 60 Hz to 200 Hz . A repetition rate of at least 60 Hz is required to prevent flicker.

## Component Selection

The WD3124DA charge pump circuit requires 3 capacitors (recommended values): $4.7 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ input, $4.7 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ output and $1 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ flying capacitors. For the input capacitor, a larger value of $10 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ will help reduce input voltage ripple for applications sensitive to ripple on the battery voltage. All the capacitors should be surface mount ceramic for low lead inductance necessary at the 2.2 MHz switching frequency of the WD3124DA and to obtain low ESR, which improves bypassing on the input and output and improves output voltage drive by reducing output resistance. Ceramic capacitors with X5R or X7R temperature grade are recommended for most applications. A selection of recommended capacitors included in below table:

| Part Number | Capacitance <br> /voltage | CapacitorSize <br> /Type <br> /Thickness | ESR <br> @100 <br> K |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| C1005X5R01105M | 1uF/6.3V | 0402/X5R/0.5mm | 0.03 |
| C1608X5R0J475K | 4.7uF/6.3V | 0603/X5R/0.9mm | 0.02 |
| C2012X5R0J106M | 10uF/6.3V | 0805/X5R/1.35mm | 0.02 |
| GRM155R60J105KE19B | 1uF/6.3V | 0402/X5R/0.55mm | 0.03 |
| GRM188R60J475KE19 | 4.7uF/6.3V | 0603/X5R/0.9mm | 0.02 |
| GRM21BR60J106KE19L | 10uF/6.3V | 0805/X5R/1.35mm | 0.02 |

The input and output capacitors should be located as close to the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{IN}}$ and $\mathrm{V}_{\text {OUT }}$ pins as possible to obtain best bypassing, and the returns should be connected directly to the PGND pin or to the thermal pad ground located under the WD3124DA. The flying capacitor should be located as close to the C1 and C2 pins as possible. To obtain lower output ripple, the $\mathrm{C}_{\text {Out }}$ value can be increased from $1 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ to $2.2 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ or $4.7 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ with a corresponding decrease in output ripple. For output currents of 500 mA to 1000 mA , the recommended $\mathrm{C}_{F}$ flying capacitor value of $1 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ should be used.

## Resistor Selection

The sense resistor $R_{\text {SENSE }}$ is determined by the value needed in the Torch mode for the desired output current by the equation:
$R_{\text {SENSE }}=V_{F B} / I_{\text {OUT }}$ where $V_{F B}=50 \mathrm{mV}$ (Torch Mode).

Once the $R_{\text {SENSE }}$ resistor has been selected for Torch mode, the $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{FB}}$ voltage can be selected for Flash mode using the following equation:
$V_{F B}=I_{\text {OUT }} \times R_{\text {SENSE }}$ (Flash Mode) where $I_{\text {OUT }}$ is for Flash Mode.

Next, the $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ resistor can be selected for Flash mode using the following equation:

$$
R_{\mathrm{SET}}=(1.26 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{VFB}) \times 10.2 \mathrm{k} \Omega \text { (Flash Mode) }
$$

For an example of 200 mA Torch mode and 600 mA Flash mode, the values $R_{\text {SENSE }}=0.25 \Omega, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{FB}}=$ 150 mV (Flash, Mode), and $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}=86.6 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ are calculated. The power, obtained in the Flash mode
would be:

$$
P_{\text {FLASH }}=V_{F B} \times I_{\mathrm{OUT}}=150 \mathrm{mV} \times 600 \mathrm{~mA}=90 \mathrm{~mW}
$$

The typical 0603 surface mount resistor is rated $1 / 10$, Watt continuous power and $1 / 5$ Watt pulsed power, more than enough for this application. For other applications, the $P_{\text {FLASH }}$ power can be calculated and resistor size selected. The $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SENSE }}$ resistor is recommended to be size 0603 for most applications. The range of typical resistor values and sizes are shown in below table:

Reference R $_{\text {SET }}$ Resistor:

| Part Reference | Value$(\Omega)$ | Tolerance | Package Size | Flash Current (mA) @ $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SENSE }}=$ |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | $0.22 \Omega$ | $0.27 \Omega$ | $0.33 \Omega$ | $0.39 \Omega$ | $0.47 \Omega$ |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ | 62k | 5\% | 0402 | 940 | 766 | 627 | 530 | 440 |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ | 68K | 5\% | 0402 | 859 | 700 | 572 | 484 | 402 |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ | 75K | 5\% | 0402 | 778 | 634 | 518 | 438 | 363 |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ | 82K | 5\% | 0402 | 712 | 580 | 474 | 401 | 333 |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ | 91K | 5\% | 0402 | 640 | 522 | 427 | 361 | 300 |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ | 100K | 5\% | 0402 | 584 | 476 | 389 | 329 | 273 |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ | 120K | 5\% | 0402 | 486 | 396 | 324 | 274 | 227 |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ | 140K | 5\% | 0402 | 416 | 340 | 278 | 235 | 195 |
| $\mathrm{R}_{\text {SET }}$ | 150K | 5\% | 0402 | 389 | 317 | 259 | 219 | 182 |

## Reference R $_{\text {SENSE }}$ Resistor:

| Part Reference | Value $(\Omega)$ | Tolerance | Package Size | Torch Current (mA) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $R_{\text {SENSE }}$ | 0.22 | $5 \%$ | 0603 | 227 |
| $R_{\text {SENSE }}$ | 0.27 | $5 \%$ | 0603 | 185 |
| $R_{\text {SENSE }}$ | 0.33 | $5 \%$ | 0603 | 151 |
| $R_{\text {SENSE }}$ | 0.39 | $5 \%$ | 0603 | 128 |
| $R_{\text {SENSE }}$ | 0.47 | $5 \%$ | 0603 | 106 |

## EVALUATION BOARD LAYOUT



## Printed Circuit Board Layout Recommendations

Follow the PCB layout guidelines for optimal performance:

1. Place the flying capacitor CF as close to the chip as possible as possible; otherwise $2 x$ mode performance will be compromised. Also keep analog components away from this capacitor.
2. Place input and output decoupling capacitors as close to the chip as possible to reduce switching noise and output ripple.
3. The power traces, consisting of the VIN/GND trace, the VOUT trace and the WLED trace should be kept short and wide. Also minimize the feedback loop area (consisting of WLED/FB) small.
4. Connect the exposed pad to the GND plane to achieve the best power dissipation.

## Package outline dimensions

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TOP VIEW

SIDE VIEW



BOTTOM VIEW


RECOMMENDED LAND PATTERN (Unit:mm)

| SYMBOL | Dimensions In mm |  | Dimensions In Inches |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Min | Max | Min | Max |
| A | 0.700 | 0.800 | 0.028 | 0.031 |
| A1 | 0.000 | 0.050 | 0.000 | 0.002 |
| A2 | 0.203REF |  | 0.008REF |  |
| D | 2.900 | 3.100 | 0.114 | 0.122 |
| D1 | 2.300 | 2.500 | 0.091 | 0.098 |
| E | 2.900 | 3.100 | 0.114 | 0.112 |
| E1 | 1.600 | 1.800 | 0.063 | 0.071 |
| k | 0.200MIN |  | 0.008 MIN |  |
| b | 0.180 | 0.300 | 0.007 | 0.012 |
| e | 0.500TPY |  | 0.020TYP |  |
| L | 0.300 | 0.500 | 0.012 | 0.020 |

