# 500 mA, Very Low Dropout Bias Rail CMOS Voltage Regulator

The NCV8135 is a 500 mA VLDO equipped with NMOS pass transistor and a separate bias supply voltage (V<sub>BIAS</sub>). The device provides very stable, accurate output voltage with low noise suitable for space constrained, noise sensitive applications. In order to optimize performance for battery operated portable applications, the NCV8135 features low I<sub>Q</sub> consumption. The NCV8135 is offered in WDFN6 2 mm x 2 mm package, wettable flanks option available for Enhanced Optical Inspection.

## Features

- Input Voltage Range: 0.4 V to 5.5 V
- Bias Voltage Range: 2.5 V to 5.5 V
- Fixed Output Voltage Versions Available
- ±1% Accuracy over Temperature, 0.5% V<sub>OUT</sub> @ 25°C
- Ultra-Low Dropout: Typ. 53 mV at 500 mA
- Very Low Bias Input Current of Typ. 35 μA
- Logic Level Enable Input for ON/OFF Control
- Output Active Discharge Option Available
- Stable with a 10 µF Ceramic Capacitor
- NCV Prefix for Automotive and Other Applications Requiring Unique Site and Control Change Requirements; AEC-Q100 Qualified and PPAP Capable
- These Devices are Pb–Free, Halogen Free/BFR Free and are RoHS Compliant

## **Typical Applications**

- Automotive, Consumer and Industrial Equipment Point of Load Regulation
- Battery-powered Equipment
- Smartphones, Tablets
- Cameras, DVRs, STB and Camcorders

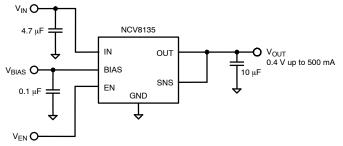


Figure 1. Typical Application Schematic



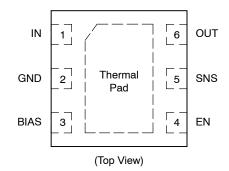
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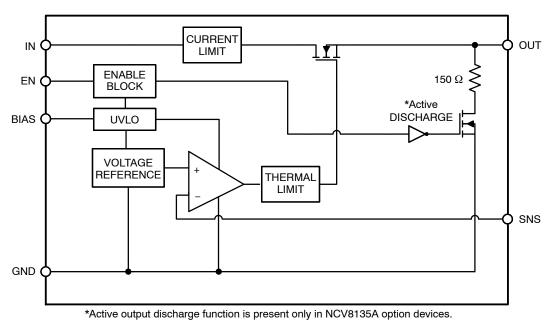


Figure 2. Simplified Schematic Block Diagram

## **PIN FUNCTION DESCRIPTION**

Pin No.	Pin Name	Description
1	VIN	Input Voltage Supply pin
2	GND	Ground pin
3	VBIAS	Bias voltage supply for internal control circuits. This pin is monitored by internal Under-Voltage Lockout Circuit.
4	EN	Enable pin. Driving this pin high enables the regulator. Driving this pin low puts the regulator into shutdown mode.
5	SNS	Output voltage Sensing Input. Connect to Output voltage node on the PCB.
6	VOUT	Regulated Output Voltage pin
Pad	Pad	Should be soldered to the ground plane for increased thermal performance.

## **ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Input Voltage (Note 1)	V <sub>IN</sub>	–0.3 to 6	V
Output Voltage	V <sub>OUT</sub>	–0.3 to (V <sub>IN</sub> +0.3) $\leq$ 6	V
Chip Enable, Bias and SNS Input	$V_{EN,} V_{BIAS,} V_{SNS}$	–0.3 to 6	V
Output Short Circuit Duration	t <sub>SC</sub>	unlimited	s
Maximum Junction Temperature	Т <sub>Ј</sub>	125	°C
Storage Temperature	T <sub>STG</sub>	–55 to 150	°C
ESD Capability, Human Body Model (Note 2)	ESD <sub>HBM</sub>	2000	V
ESD Capability, Machine Model (Note 2)	ESD <sub>MM</sub>	200	V

Stresses exceeding those listed in the Maximum Ratings table may damage the device. If any of these limits are exceeded, device functionality should not be assumed, damage may occur and reliability may be affected.

Refer to ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS and APPLICATION INFORMATION for Safe Operating Area.
 This device series incorporates ESD protection (except OUT pin) and is tested by the following methods:

ESD Human Body Model tested per AEC-Q100-002 ESD Machine Model tested per AEC-Q100-003

Latchup Current Maximum Rating ± 100 mA per AEC-Q100-004.

## **THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Thermal Characteristics, WDFN6 2 mm x 2 mm Thermal Resistance, Junction-to-Air (Note 3)	$R_{ hetaJA}$	97	°C/W

3. This data was derived by thermal simulations based on the JEDEC JESD51 series standards methodology. Only a single device mounted at the center of a high K (2s2p) 3 in x 3 in multilayer board with 1-ounce internal planes and 1-ounce copper on top and bottom. Top copper layer has a dedicated 25 sq mm copper area.

<b>ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS</b> $-40^{\circ}C \le T_J \le 125^{\circ}C$ ; $V_{BIAS} = 2.7 \text{ V or } (V_{OUT} + 1.6 \text{ V})$ , whichever is greater, $V_{IN} = V_{OUT}(NOM) + 1.6 \text{ V}$
0.3 V, I <sub>OUT</sub> = 1 mA, V <sub>EN</sub> = 1 V, C <sub>IN</sub> = 4.7 μF, C <sub>OUT</sub> = 10 μF, C <sub>BIAS</sub> = 1 μF, unless otherwise noted. Typical values are at T <sub>J</sub> = +25°C.
Min/Max values are for $-40^{\circ}C \le T_J \le 125^{\circ}C$ unless otherwise noted. (Note 4)

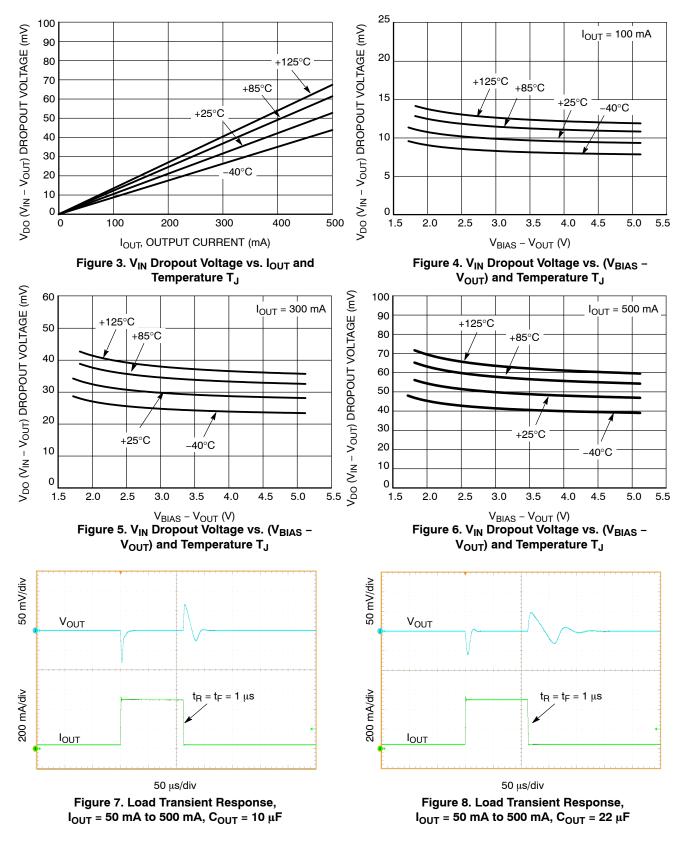
Parameter	Test Conditions	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
Operating Input Voltage Range		V <sub>IN</sub>	V <sub>OUT</sub> + V <sub>DO</sub>		5.5	V
Operating Bias Voltage Range		V <sub>BIAS</sub>	(V <sub>OUT</sub> + 1.50) ≥ 2.5		5.5	V
Undervoltage Lock-out	V <sub>BIAS</sub> Rising Hysteresis	UVLO		1.6 0.2		V
Output Voltage Accuracy		V <sub>OUT</sub>		±0.5		%
Output Voltage Accuracy	$\begin{array}{l} -40^{\circ}C \leq T_{J} \leq 125^{\circ}C, \ V_{OUT(NOM)} + 0.3 \ V \leq V_{IN} \\ \leq V_{OUT(NOM)} + 1.0 \ V, \ 2.7 \ V \ or \ (V_{OUT(NOM)} + \\ 1.6 \ V), \ whichever \ is \ greater < V_{BIAS} < 5.5 \ V, \\ 1 \ mA < I_{OUT} < 500 \ mA \end{array}$	V <sub>OUT</sub>	-1.0		+1.0	%
V <sub>IN</sub> Line Regulation	$V_{OUT(NOM)} + 0.3 \text{ V} \le V_{IN} \le 5.0 \text{ V}$	Line <sub>Reg</sub>		0.01		%/V
V <sub>BIAS</sub> Line Regulation	2.7 V or (V <sub>OUT(NOM)</sub> + 1.6 V), whichever is greater < V <sub>BIAS</sub> < 5.5 V	Line <sub>Reg</sub>		0.01		%/V
Load Regulation	I <sub>OUT</sub> = 1 mA to 500 mA	Load <sub>Reg</sub>		0.5		mV
V <sub>IN</sub> Dropout Voltage	I <sub>OUT</sub> = 500 mA (Note 5)	V <sub>DO</sub>		53	100	mV
V <sub>BIAS</sub> Dropout Voltage	$I_{OUT}$ = 500 mA, $V_{IN}$ = $V_{BIAS}$ (Notes 5, 6)	V <sub>DO</sub>		1.1	1.5	V
Output Current Limit	V <sub>OUT</sub> = 90% V <sub>OUT(NOM)</sub>	I <sub>CL</sub>	600	820	1200	mA
SNS Pin Operating Current		I <sub>SNS</sub>		0.01	0.5	μΑ
Bias Pin Quiescent Current	V <sub>BIAS</sub> = 2.7 V, I <sub>OUT</sub> = 0 mA	I <sub>BIASQ</sub>		35	55	μΑ
Bias Pin Disable Current	$V_{EN} \le 0.4 \text{ V}$	I <sub>BIAS(DIS)</sub>		0.2	1	μA
Vinput Pin Disable Current	$V_{EN} \le 0.4 V$	I <sub>VIN(DIS)</sub>		0.01	1	μΑ
EN Pin Threshold Voltage	EN Input Voltage "H"	V <sub>EN(H)</sub>	0.9			V
	EN Input Voltage "L"	V <sub>EN(L)</sub>			0.4	
EN Pull Down Current	V <sub>EN</sub> = 5.5 V	I <sub>EN</sub>		0.3	1	μΑ
Turn–On Time	$ \begin{array}{l} \mbox{From assertion of } V_{EN} \mbox{ to } V_{OUT} = \\ 98\% \ V_{OUT(NOM)} & V_{OUT(NOM)} = 0.4 \ V \\ V_{OUT(NOM)} = 1.2 \ V \end{array} $	t <sub>ON</sub>		150 275		μs
Power Supply Rejection Ratio		PSRR(V <sub>IN</sub> )		73		dB
	$ \begin{array}{l} V_{BIAS} \text{ to } V_{OUT}, \text{ f} = 1 \text{ kHz}, \text{ I}_{OUT} = 10 \text{ mA}, \\ V_{IN} \geq V_{OUT} + 0.5 \text{ V}, \text{ V}_{OUT(NOM)} = 0.4 \text{ V} \end{array} $	PSRR(V <sub>BIAS</sub> )		90		dB
Output Noise Voltage	$\label{eq:VIN} \begin{array}{l} V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 0.5 \text{ V, } f = 10 \text{ Hz to } 100 \text{ kHz} \\ V_{OUT(NOM)} = 0.4 \text{ V} \\ V_{OUT(NOM)} = 1.2 \text{ V} \end{array}$	V <sub>N</sub>		28.7 40.3		μV <sub>RMS</sub>
Thermal Shutdown	Temperature increasing			160		°C
Threshold	Temperature decreasing			140		
Output Discharge Pull-Down	$V_{EN}$ $\leq$ 0.4 V, $V_{OUT}$ = 0.5 V, NCV8135A options only	R <sub>DISCH</sub>		150		Ω

Product parametric performance is indicated in the Electrical Characteristics for the listed test conditions, unless otherwise noted. Product performance may not be indicated by the Electrical Characteristics if operated under different conditions.

Performance guaranteed over the indicated operating temperature range by design and/or characterization. Production tested at T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C. Low duty cycle pulse techniques are used during the testing to maintain the junction temperature as close to ambient as possible.
 Dropout voltage is characterized when V<sub>OUT</sub> falls 3% below V<sub>OUT(NOM)</sub>.
 For output voltages below 0.9 V, V<sub>BIAS</sub> dropout voltage does not apply due to a minimum Bias operating voltage of 2.5 V.

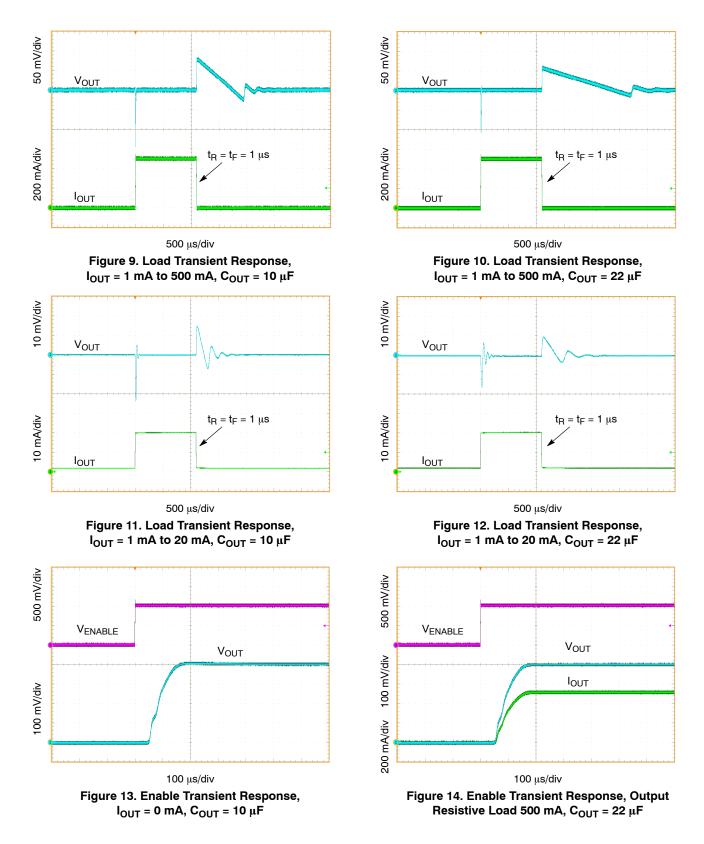
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At  $T_J = +25^{\circ}$ C,  $V_{IN} = V_{OUT(NOM)} + 0.3$  V,  $V_{BIAS} = 2.7$  V,  $V_{EN} = 1.0$  V,  $V_{OUT(NOM)} = 0.4$  V,  $I_{OUT} = 500$  mA,  $C_{IN} = 1 \mu$ F,  $C_{BIAS} = 0.1 \mu$ F, and  $C_{OUT} = 10 \mu$ F (effective capacitance value), unless otherwise noted.



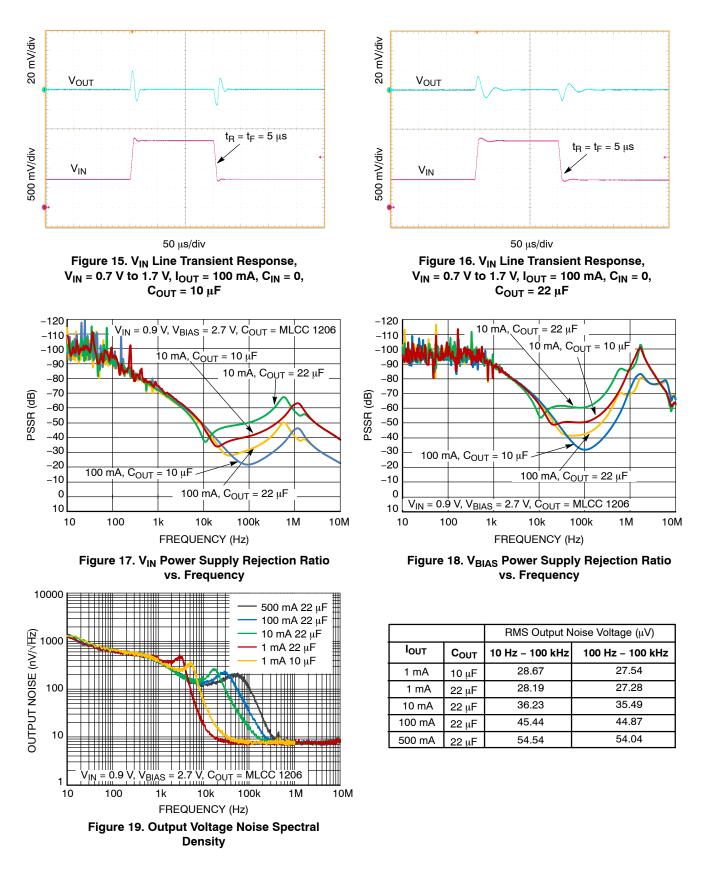
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#### APPLICATIONS INFORMATION

The NCV8135 dual-rail very low dropout voltage regulator is using NMOS pass transistor for output voltage regulation from  $V_{IN}$  voltage. All the low current internal control circuitry is powered from the  $V_{BIAS}$  voltage.

The use of an NMOS pass transistor offers several advantages in applications. Unlike PMOS topology devices, the output capacitor has reduced impact on loop stability. Vin to Vout operating voltage difference can be very low compared with standard PMOS regulators in very low Vin applications.

When enabled from Enable (EN) input, the NCV8135 offers smooth monotonic start-up. The controlled voltage rising limits the inrush current.

The Enable (EN) input is equipped with internal hysteresis.

#### **Dropout Voltage**

Because of two power supply inputs  $V_{IN}$  and  $V_{BIAS}$  and one  $V_{OUT}$  regulator output, there are two Dropout voltages specified.

The first, the  $V_{IN}$  Dropout voltage is the voltage difference ( $V_{IN} - V_{OUT}$ ) when  $V_{OUT}$  starts to decrease by percent specified in the Electrical Characteristics table.  $V_{BIAS}$  is high enough; specific value is published in the Electrical Characteristics table.

The second,  $V_{BIAS}$  dropout voltage is the voltage difference ( $V_{BIAS} - V_{OUT}$ ) when  $V_{IN}$  and  $V_{BIAS}$  pins are joined together and  $V_{OUT}$  starts to decrease.

#### Input and Output Capacitors

The device is designed to be stable for ceramic output capacitors with Effective capacitance in the range from 10  $\mu$ F to 22  $\mu$ F. The device is also stable with multiple capacitors in parallel, having the total effective capacitance in the specified range.

In applications where no low input supplies impedance available (PCB inductance in  $V_{IN}$  and/or  $V_{BIAS}$  inputs as example), the recommended  $C_{IN} = 1 \,\mu\text{F}$  and  $C_{BIAS} = 0.1 \,\mu\text{F}$ or greater. Ceramic capacitors are recommended. For the best performance all the capacitors should be connected to

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the NCV8135 respective pins directly in the device PCB copper layer, not through vias having not negligible impedance.

When using small ceramic capacitor, their capacitance is not constant but varies with applied DC biasing voltage, temperature and tolerance. The effective capacitance can be much lower than their nominal capacitance value, most importantly in negative temperatures and higher LDO output voltages. That is why the recommended Output capacitor capacitance value is specified as Effective value in the specific application conditions.

#### **Enable Operation**

The enable pin will turn the regulator on or off. The threshold limits are covered in the electrical characteristics table in this data sheet. To get the full functionality of soft-start, it is recommended to turn on the  $V_{IN}$  and  $V_{BIAS}$  supply voltages first and activate the Enable pin no sooner than when  $V_{IN}$  and  $V_{BIAS}$  are on their nominal levels. If the enable function is not to be used then the pin should be connected to  $V_{IN}$  or  $V_{BIAS}$ .

#### **Current Limitation**

The internal Current Limitation circuitry allows the device to supply the full nominal current and surges but protects the device against Current Overload or Short.

#### **Thermal Protection**

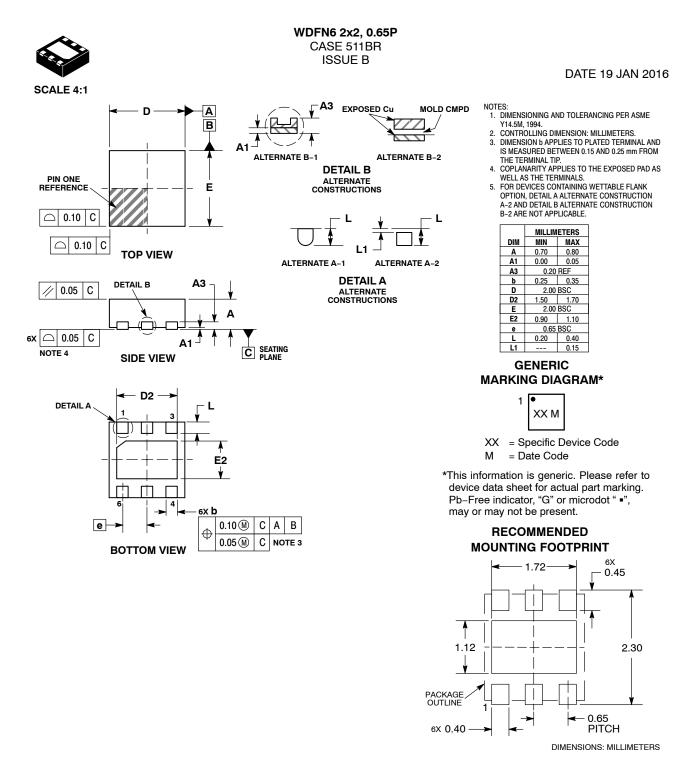
Internal thermal shutdown (TSD) circuitry is provided to protect the integrated circuit in the event that the maximum junction temperature is exceeded. When TSD activated, the regulator output turns off. When cooling down under the low temperature threshold, device output is activated again. This TSD feature is provided to prevent failures from accidental overheating.

Activation of the thermal protection circuit indicates excessive power dissipation or inadequate heatsinking. For reliable operation, junction temperature should be limited to +125°C maximum.

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