

Automotive 1.0A Variable Output LDO Regulator

BDxxHC0MEFJ-M BDxxHC0VEFJ-M

General Description

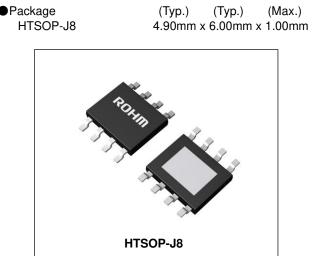
BDxxHC0MEFJ-M BDxxHC0VEFJ-M is a LDO regulator with output current 1.0A. The output accuracy is ±1% of output voltage. With external resistance, it is available to set the output voltage at random (from 1.5V to 7.0V). It has package type: HTSOP-J8. Over current protection (for protecting the IC destruction by output short circuit), circuit current ON/OFF switch (for setting the circuit 0µA at shutdown mode), and thermal shutdown circuit (for protecting IC from heat destruction by over load condition) are all built in. It is usable for ceramic capacitor and enables to improve smaller set and long-life.

Features

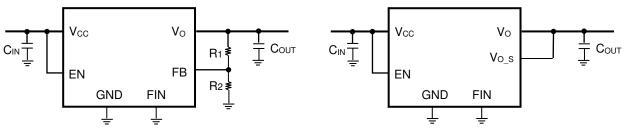
- High accuracy reference voltage circuit
- Built-in Over Current Protection circuit (OCP)
- Built-in Thermal Shut Down circuit (TSD)
- With shut down switch
- AEC-Q100 Qualified

Key Specifications

- Input power supply voltage range: 4.5V to 8.0V
- Output voltage range(Variable type): 1.5V to 7.0V
- Output voltage(Fixed type): 1.5V/1.8V/2.5V/3.0V/3.3V
- 5.0V/6.0V/7.0V 1.0A (Max.)
- Output current:
- Shutdown current: 0µA(Typ.)
- -40°C to +105°C Operating temperature range:



Typical Application Circuit



CIN, COUT : Ceramic Capacitor



OProduct structure : Silicon monolithic integrated circuit OThis product is not designed protection against radioactive rays.

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(Note1) For the purpose of improving production efficiency, Production Line A and B have a multi-line configuration. Electric characteristics noted in Datasheet does not differ between Production Line A and B. Production Line B is recommended for new product.

Block Diagram

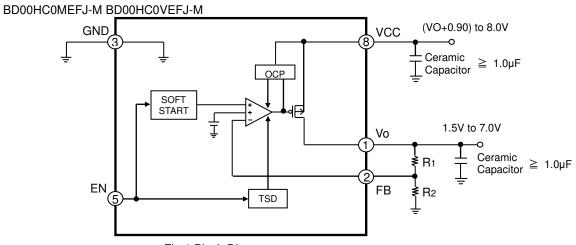


Fig.1 Block Diagram

BDxxHC0MEFJ-M BDxxHC0VEFJ-M (Fixed type)

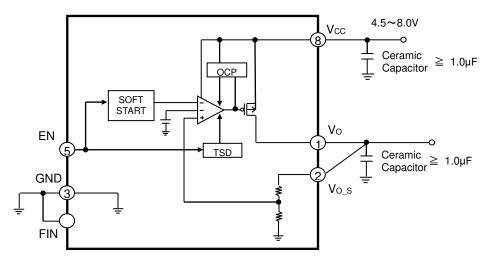
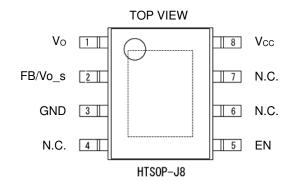


Fig.2 Block Diagram (Fixed type)

Pin Configuration



Pin Description

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

●Absolute Maximum Ratings (Ta=25°C)

Para	meter	Symbol	Limits	Unit
Power supply voltage		Vcc	10.0 * ¹	V
EN voltage		VEN	10.0	V
Power dissipation	HTSOP-J8	Pd*2	2110 ^{*2}	mW
Operating Temperatur	re Range	Topr	-40 to +105	°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 each increase in Ta of 1°C over 25°C. (when mounted on a board 70mm × 70mm × 1.6mm glass-epoxy board, two layer)

● Recommended Operating Ratings (Ta=25°C)

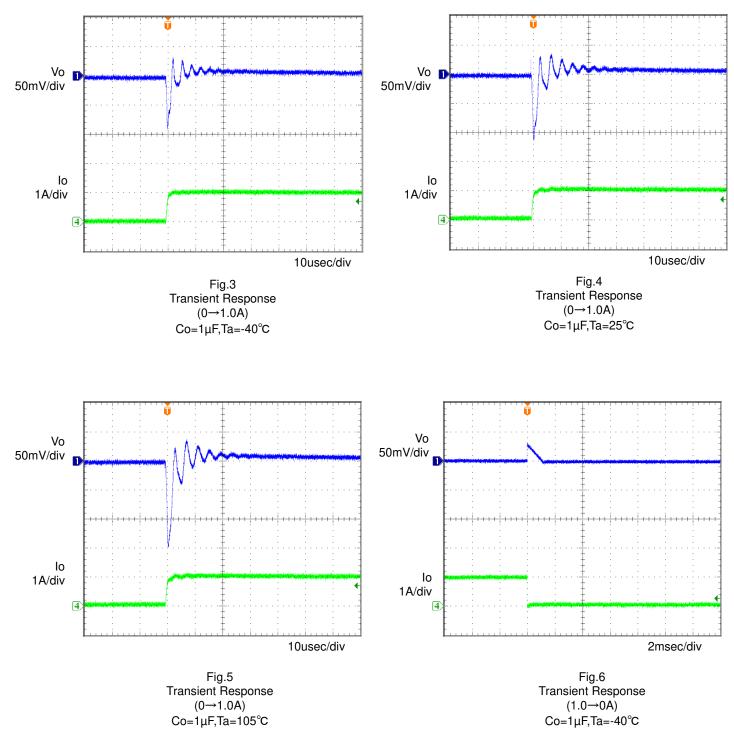
Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Unit
Input power supply voltage	Vcc	4.5	8.0	V
EN voltage	V _{EN}	0.0	8.0	V
Output voltage setting range	Vo	1.5	7.0	V
Output current	lo	0.0	1.0	Α

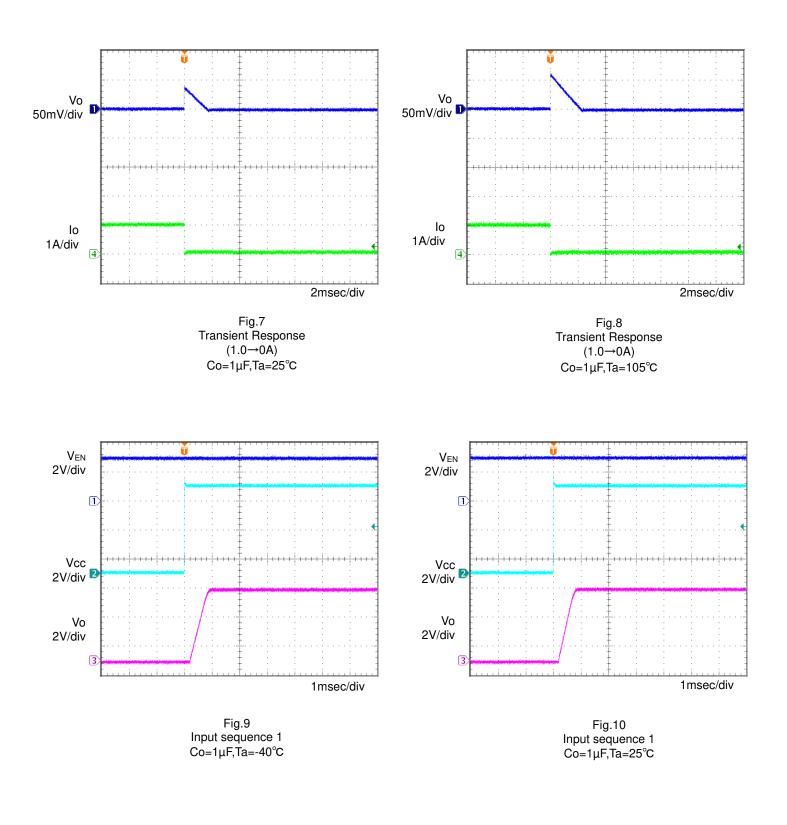
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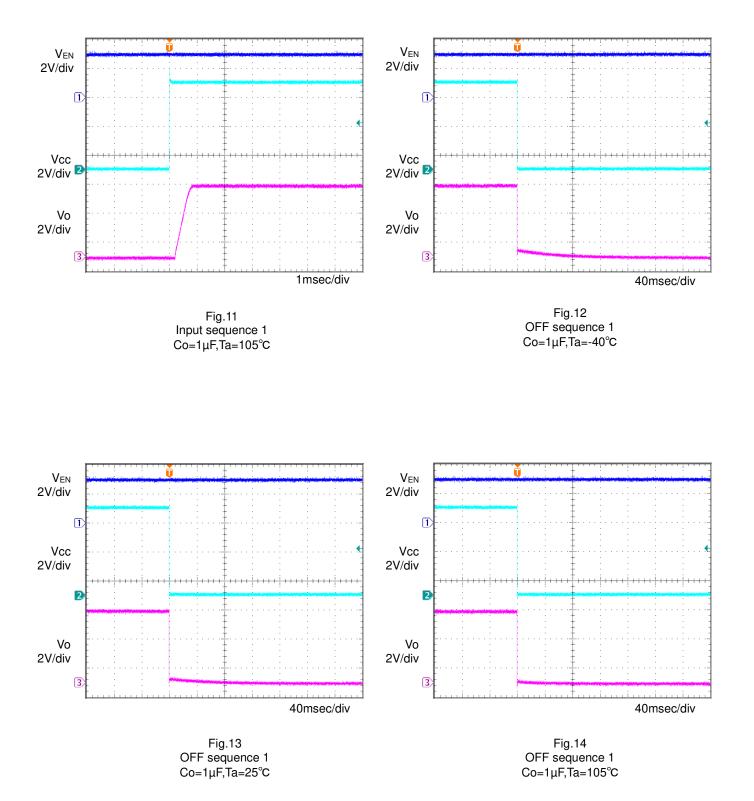
Parameter	Symbol	Temp	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit	Conditions
Circuit current at shutdown	las.	25°C	-	0	5		
mode	Isd	-40~105°C	-	-	5	μA	V _{EN} =0V, OFF mode
Dice ourrent	1	25°C	-	600	900		
Bias current	lcc	-40~105°C	-	-	1200	μA	
Line regulation	Bog I	25°C	-	25	50	mV	V _{CC} =(Vo+0.9V)→8.0V
Line regulation	Reg.I	-40~105°C	-	-	50	ΠV	Vcc =(V0+0.9V)→0.0V
Lood regulation	Degla	25°C	-	25	75	m\/	
Load regulation	Reg Io	-40~105°C	-	-	75	mV	l₀=0→1.0A
Minimum dronout Voltago	Mar	25°C	-	0.6	0.9	V	
Minimum dropout Voltage	Vco	-40~105°C	-	-	1.2		Vcc=5V, Io=1.0A
Output reference voltage		25°C	0.792	0.800	0.808	V	0
(Variable type)	Vfb	-40~105°C	0.776	-	0.824	V	lo=0mA
Output voltage (Fixed type)		25°C	$V_{\rm O} \times 0.99$	Vo	$V_{\rm O} imes 1.01$	v	L. 0m A
Output voltage(Fixed type)	Vo	-40~105°C	Vo×0.97	Vo	Vo × 1.03	v	lo=0mA
		25°C	0	-	0.8	v	
EN Low voltage	VEN(Low)	-40~105°C	0	-	0.8	V	
	V (Limb)	25°C	2.4	-	8.0	v	
EN High voltage	$V_{EN}(High)$	-40~105°C	2.4	-	8.0	V	
		25°C	1	3	9		
EN Bias current	I _{EN}	-40~105°C	-	-	9	μA	

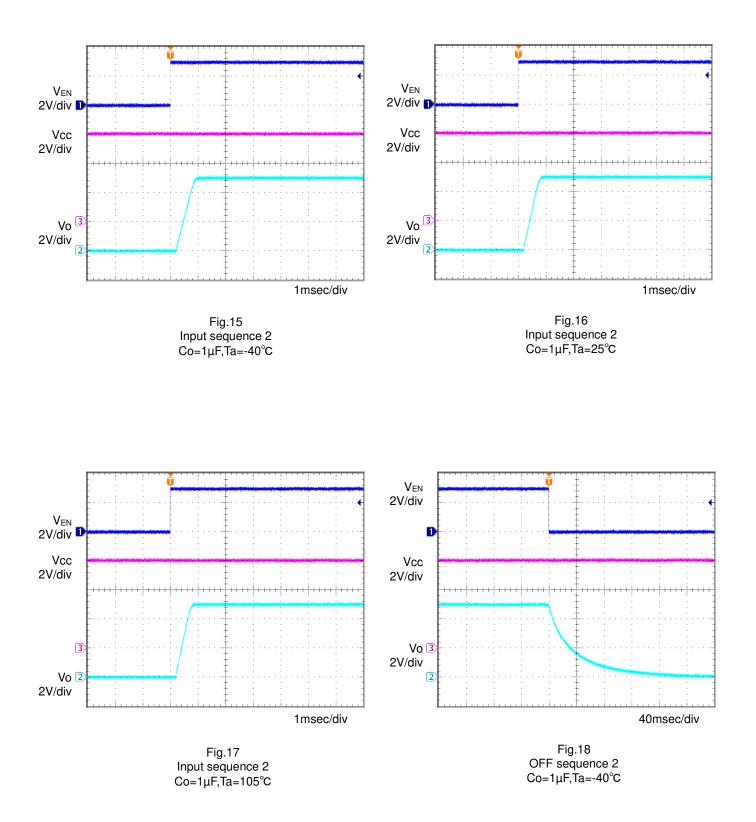
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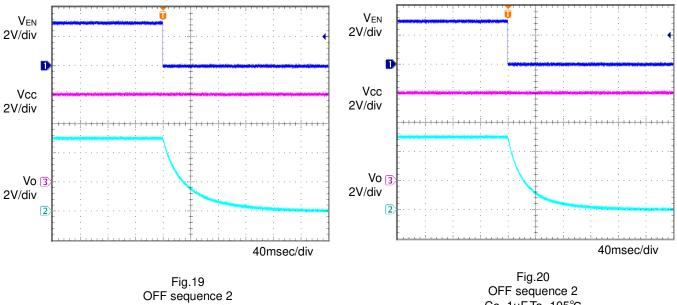
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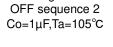








Co=1µF,Ta=25°C



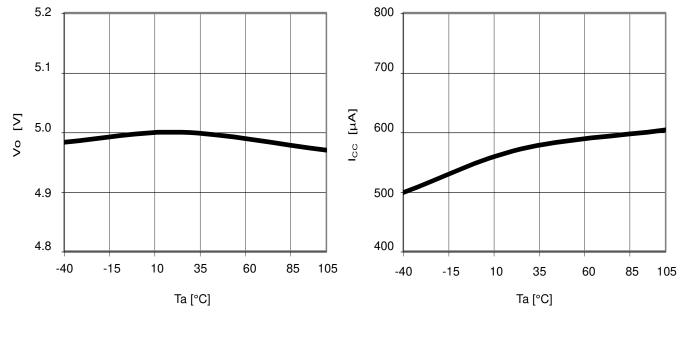
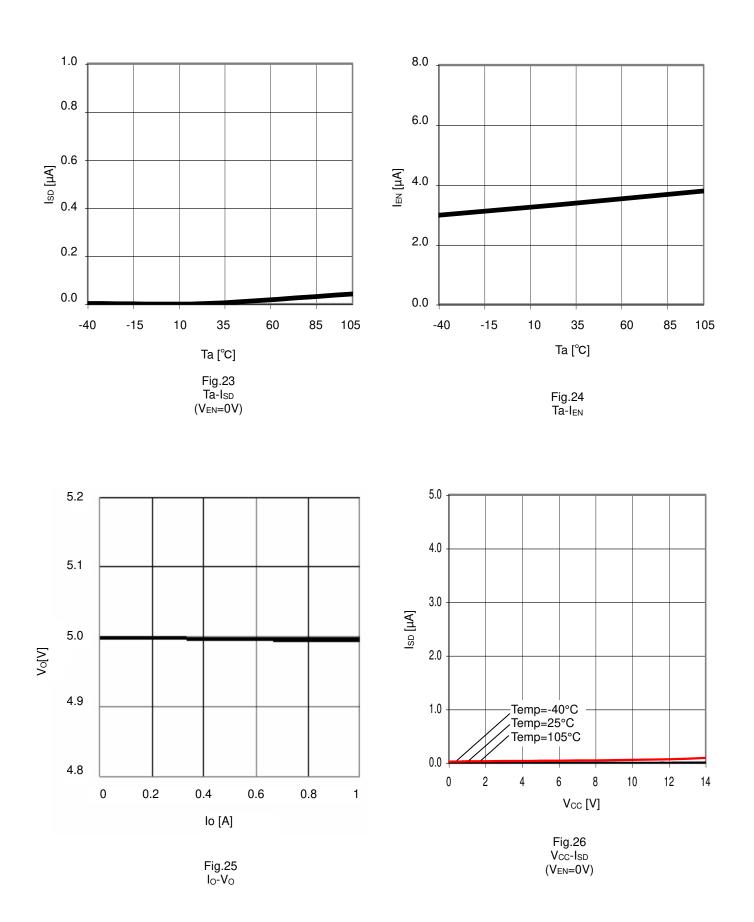


Fig.21 Ta-Vo (lo=0mA)

Fig.22 Ta-Icc



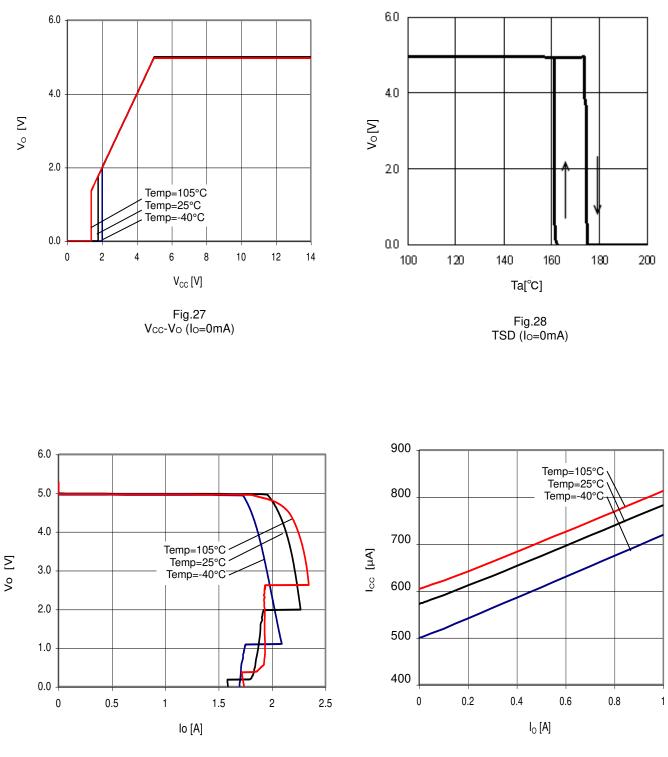
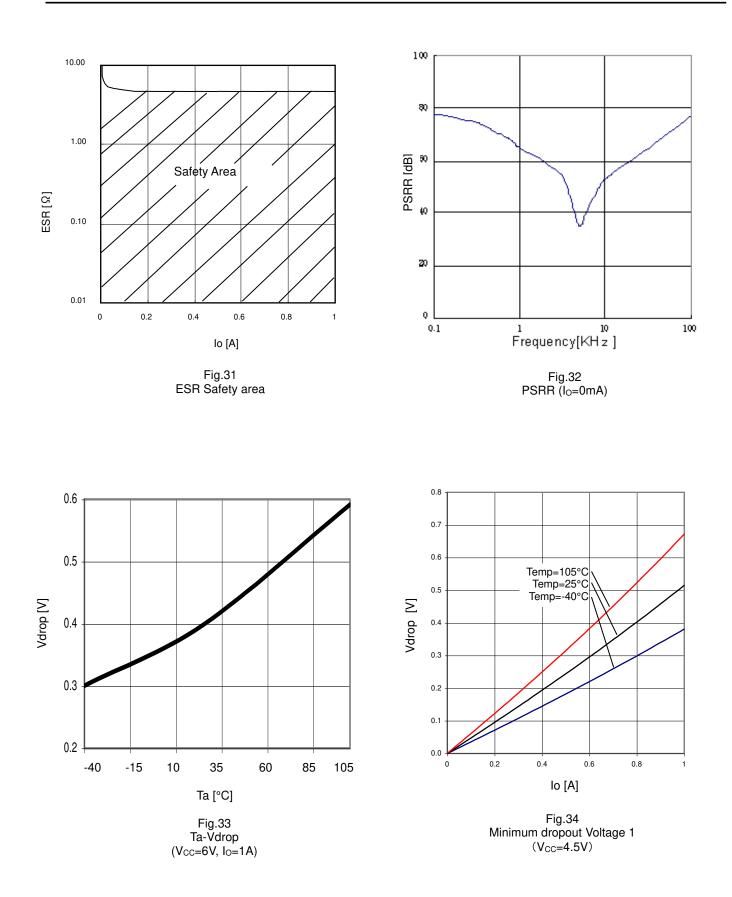
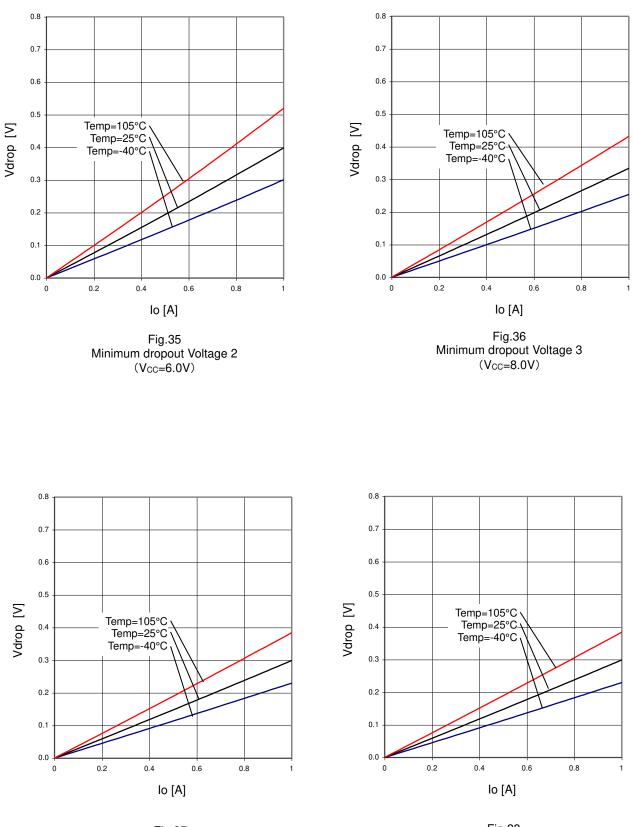
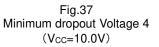


Fig.29 OCP

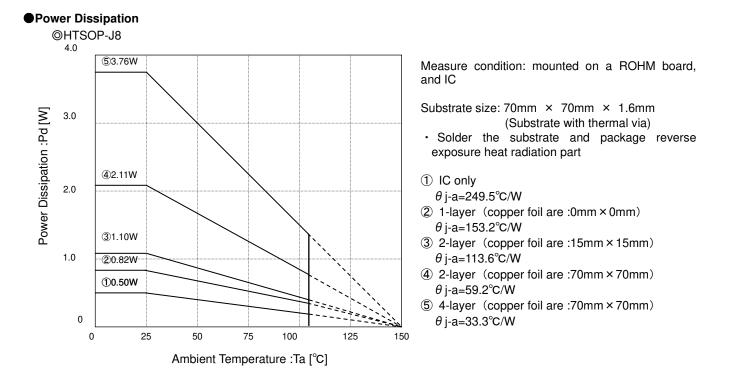
Fig.30 Io-Icc







 $\begin{array}{c} Fig.38\\ Minimum \ dropout \ Voltage \ 5\\ (V_{CC}{=}12.0V) \end{array}$



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

- 1. Ambient temperature Ta can be no higher than 105°C.
- 2. Chip junction temperature (Tj) can be no higher than 150°C.

Chip junction temperature can be determined as follows:

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Calculation based on ambient temperature (Ta)
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T_j=Ta+\theta j-a \times W
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<Reference values>

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θ 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)
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Most of the heat loss that occurs in the BDxxHC0MEFJ-M BDxxHC0VEFJ-M is generated from the output Pch FET. Power loss is determined by the total V_{CC} -V₀ voltage and output current. Be sure to confirm the system input and output voltage and the output current conditions in relation to the heat dissipation characteristics of the V_{CC} and V_0 in the design. Bearing in mind that heat dissipation may vary substantially depending on the substrate employed (due to the power package incorporated in the BDxxHC0MEFJ-M BDxxHC0VEFJ-M make certain to factor conditions such as substrate size into the thermal design.

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

Example) Where V_{CC}=5.0V, V_O=3.3V, I_O(Ave) = 0.1A, Power consumption[W] = $\{5.0V - 3.3V\} \times 0.1A$

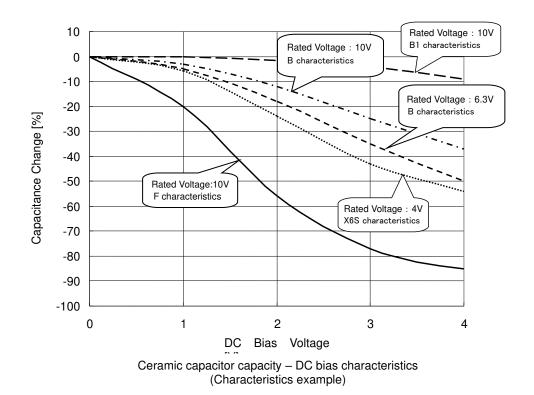
=0.17W

Input-to-Output Capacitor

It is recommended that a capacitor is placed nearby pin between Input pin and GND, output pin and GND.

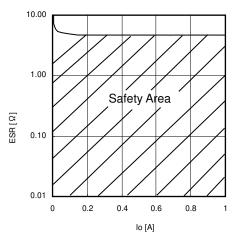
A capacitor, between input pin and GND, is valid when the power supply impedance is high or drawing is long. Also as for a capacitor, between output pin and GND, the greater the capacity, more sustainable the line regulation and it makes improvement of characteristics by load change. However, please check by mounted on a board for the actual application. Ceramic capacitor usually has difference, thermal characteristics and series bias characteristics, and moreover capacity decreases gradually by using conditions.

For more detail, please be sure to inquire the manufacturer, and select the best ceramic capacitor.



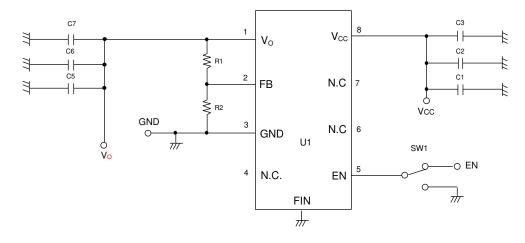
• Equivalent Series Resistance ESR (ceramic capacitor etc.)

Please attach an anti-oscillation capacitor between V_0 and GND. Capacitor usually has ESR(Equivalent Series Resistance), and operates stable in ESR-I₀ range, showed right. Generally, ESR of ceramic, tantalum and electronic capacitor etc. is different for each, so please be sure to check a capacitor which is going to use, and use it inside the stable operating region, showed right. Then, please evaluate for the actual application.



ESR - Io characteristics

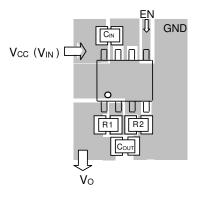
•Evaluation Board Circuit



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	CM105X7R105K16AB	KYOCERA
R3	-	-	-	C6			
R4	-	-	-	C7	-	-	-
R5	-	-	-	C8	-	-	-
R6	-	-	-	C9	-	-	-
C1	1μF	CM105B105K16A	KYOCERA	C10	-	-	-
C2	-	-		U1	-	BD00HC0MEFJ-M BD00HC0VEFJ-M	ROHM
C3	-	-		U2	-	-	-

Board Layout



- · Input capacitor C_{IN} of V_{CC} (V_{IN}) should be placed very close to $V_{CC}(V_{IN})$ pin as possible, and used broad wiring pattern. Output capacitor C_{OUT} also should be placed close to IC pin as possible. In case connected to inner layer GND plane, please use several through hole.
- FB pin has comparatively high impedance, and is apt to be effected by noise, so floating capacity should be minimum as possible. Please be careful in wiring drawing
- Please take GND pattern space widely, and design layout to be able to increase radiation efficiency.
- For output voltage setting

Output voltage can be set by FB pin voltage (0.800V typ.) and external resistance R1, R2.

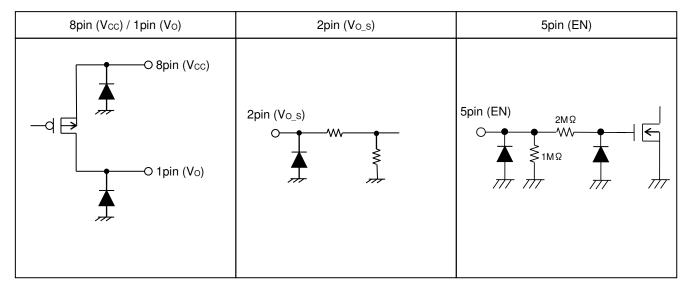
$$V_{O} = V_{FB} \times \frac{R1 + R2}{R2}$$

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

●I/O Equivalent Circuits (Output Voltage Vairable type)

8pin (V _{CC}) / 1pin (V _O)	2pin (FB)	5pin (EN)	
O 8pin (V _{cc})	2pin (FB)	5pin (EN) $2M\Omega$ M M M M M M M M	

●I/O Equivalent Circuits (Output Voltage Fixed type)



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 devices, thus making impossible to identify breaking mode, such as a short circuit or an open circuit. If any over rated values will expect to exceed the absolute maximum ratings, 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 IC. Take precautions when connecting the power supply lines. An external direction diode can be added.

(3). Power supply lines

Design 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 the GND terminal. When applying electrolytic capacitors in the circuit, not that capacitance characteristic values are reduced at low temperatures.

(4). GND voltage

The potential of GND pin must be minimum potential in 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.)
BDxxHC0MEFJ-M	175	15
BDxxHC0VEFJ-M		

(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.

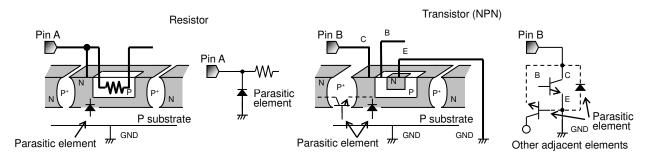
P-N junctions are formed at the intersection of these P layers with the N layers of other elements, creating a parasitic diode or transistor. For example, the relation between each potential is as follows:

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 GND patterns, it is recommended to isolate the two ground patterns, placing a single ground point at the ground potential of application so that the pattern wiring resistance and voltage variations caused by large currents do not cause variations in the small signal ground voltage. Be careful not to change the GND wiring pattern of any external components, either.

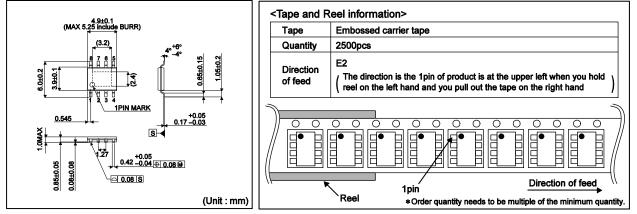
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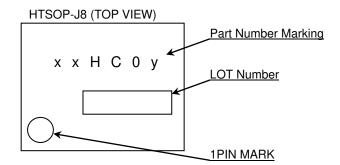
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Physical Dimension Tape and Reel Information

HTSOP-J8



Marking Diagram



Part Number Marking	Part Number		
00HC0M	BD00HC0MEFJ-ME2		
15HC0M	BD15HC0MEFJ-ME2		
18HC0M	BD18HC0MEFJ-ME2		
25HC0M	BD25HC0MEFJ-ME2		
30HC0M	BD30HC0MEFJ-ME2		
33HC0M	BD33HC0MEFJ-ME2		
50HC0M	BD50HC0MEFJ-ME2		
60HC0M	BD60HC0MEFJ-ME2		
70HC0M	BD70HC0MEFJ-ME2		
00HC0V	BD00HC0VEFJ-ME2		
15HC0V	BD15HC0VEFJ-ME2		
18HC0V	BD18HC0VEFJ-ME2		
25HC0V	BD25HC0VEFJ-ME2		
30HC0V	BD30HC0VEFJ-ME2		
33HC0V	BD33HC0VEFJ-ME2		
50HC0V	BD50HC0VEFJ-ME2		
60HC0V	BD60HC0VEFJ-ME2		
70HC0V	BD70HC0VEFJ-ME2		

Revision History

Date	Revision	Changes
31.Aug.2012	001	New Release
11.Oct.2021	002	Add BDxxHC0VEFJ-M Series

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CLASSIV	CLASSII	CLASSⅢ	CLASSII

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