

# **TPS7A47xxEVM-094 Evaluation Module**

This user's guide describes the functional operation of the TPS7A47xxEVM-094 Evaluation Module (EVM) for use as a design reference and as a general engineering demonstration for the TPS7A47xx low dropout linear (LDO) regulator. Included in this User's Guide are setup instructions, a schematic diagram, layout and thermal guidelines, a bill of materials, and test results.

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## **1 Introduction**

This EVM is designed to help engineers evaluate the operation and performance of the TPS7A47xx linear regulator for possible use in their own circuit application. Notable features of this LDO regulator include thermal and current limit shutdown protection, pin selectable output voltage, low dropout, and low noise ( $\sim 3.5 \mu\text{V} / \sqrt{\text{Hz}}$ ). The EVM contains a single linear regulator in a 5 mm × 5 mm, QFN (RGW), thermally enhanced (PowerPad™) package. This regulator, including external components, is capable of delivering up to 1.0 A to a dynamic load across the full recommended input and output voltage range of the LDO. A multi-pin header with jumpers is provided to enable easy manual selection of the output voltage.

## 2 Setup

This section describes the connectors and headers on the EVM as well as how to properly connect, setup and use the TPS7A47xxEVM-094. See the assembly layer diagram, [Figure 5](#), for the location and orientation of referenced components.

### 2.1 Input/Output Connector-Headers and Jumper Descriptions

- J1  $V_{IN}$  – Positive (+) input power supply voltage test and measurement header
- J2 GND – Ground and measurement header
- J3  $V_{OUT}$  – Regulator output (up to 1 A)
- J4 GND – Ground return from the load (up to 1 A)
- J5 (S+) –  $V_{OUT}$ , Kelvin connection  $V_{OUT}$
- J5 (S–) – GRD, Kelvin connection Ground
- J6 and J7 – Extra GRD connections
- J8 – Enable jumper for external resistor divider
- J9 – Enable jumper for the EVM
- J10 – Header for selecting the appropriate output voltage

**NOTE:** The positive input lead and ground return lead from the input power supply should be twisted and kept as short as possible to minimize EMI and source inductance. Additional bulk capacitance in the form of a Tantalum cap (47  $\mu$ F; 35 V) has been added to the EVM at C1 to counter source inductances that may cause ringing on the load transient waveform during higher current transients. This bulk capacitance should not be necessary in a typical application circuit.

**Output Voltage Set Note:** Set the output voltage by connecting J10 header pins, each assigned to a given voltage level, to ground where  $V_{OUT} = V_{REF} + (\text{Sum of the jumper voltages})$ . J10 header pins are numbered sequentially, odd pins (1, 3, 5...15) ascending leftward of pin 1 on the top row. All odd pins are connected to ground. Each even pin is numbered right to left sequentially (2, 4, 6...16) on the bottom row and each even pin is assigned a unique voltage level. See the pin-to-pin output voltage assignments in [Table 1](#).

**Table 1. J10 Jumper Voltages**

$V_{OUT} = V_{REF}^{(1)} + \text{Sum of Voltage Levels}$		
Voltage Level	Voltage Set Pins	Ground Pins
100 mV	16	15
200 mV	14	13
400 mV	12	11
800 mV	10	9
1.6 V	8	7
3.2 V	6	5
6.4 V	4	3
6.4 V	2	1

<sup>(1)</sup> See the data sheet for  $V_{REF}$  value. Publication: SBVS204

**Example:** Set  $V_{OUT}$  to 3.0 V by connecting a shorting jumper from pin 8 to pin 7.

$$V_{OUT} = V_{REF} + 1.6 \text{ V} = 3.0 \text{ V}$$

### 2.2 Soldering Guidelines

Any solder rework to modify the EVM for the purpose of repair or other application reasons must be performed using a hot-air system to avoid damaging the integrated circuit (IC).

### 2.3 Initial Setup and Equipment Interconnect

- Select the desired  $V_{OUT}$  by programming the output voltage according to the instructions listed above in the **Output Voltage Set Note in Section 2.1**.
- Disable the EVM by adding a shorting jumper to J9 from EN (Pin 2) to OFF (Pin3).
- Before connecting the input power supply to the EVM, verify that the output voltage is set to the desired supply voltage (+3 V to +35 V range) and that it is current limited to 2 A. With the input power supply turned off, connect the positive voltage lead (+) from the power supply to  $V_{IN}$  (J1, Pin 1) of the EVM. Next, connect the ground lead (-) from the power supply to GND (J2, Pin 1).
- Connect a 0- to 1-A load between  $V_{OUT}$  (J3, Pin 1) and GND (J4, Pin 1).

## 3 Operation

1. Turn on the input power supply and verify that the output voltage,  $V_{OUT}$ , is near 0 V.
2. Enable the output by reconnecting the jumper on J9 to short the EN (Pin 2) to the ON (Pin 1).
3. Vary the load current and  $V_{IN}$  voltage as necessary for test purposes.

**NOTE:** Power dissipation ( $P_{DISP}$ ) across the TPS7A47xx is dependent on the  $V_{IN}$  to  $V_{OUT}$  voltage drop and the output load current,  $I_{Load}$  ( $P_{DISP} = (V_{IN} - V_{OUT}) \times I_{Load}$ ). If the power dissipation is high, the output voltage may continuously transition on-off-on, due to the shutdown effect of the thermal limit shutdown circuit.

## 4 Test Results

This section provides typical performance waveforms for the EVM, characteristic of this design.

### 4.1 Turn On Characteristic

Figure 1 shows the  $V_{OUT}$  ramp-up waveform at turn-on (ENable) as well as the input surge current into the IN pin of the LDO itself when the LDO starts-up into a fully loaded output.

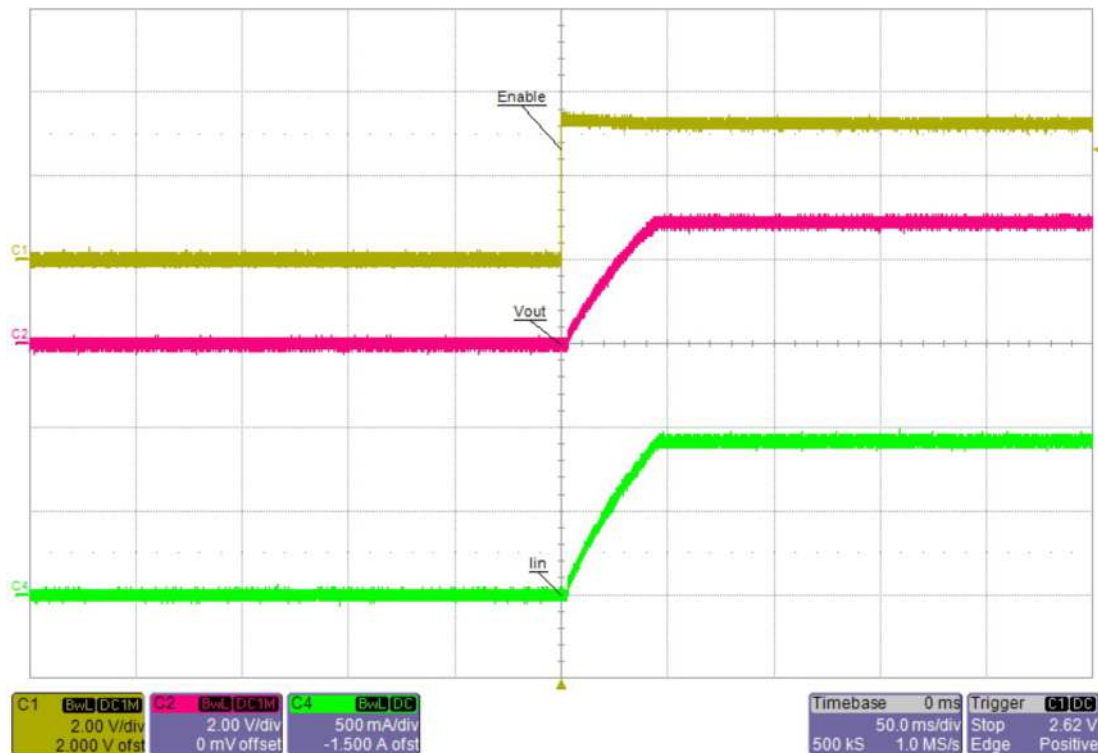


Figure 1. Turn On Sequence

## 4.2 Output Load Transient

Figure 2 shows the  $V_{OUT}$  transient response

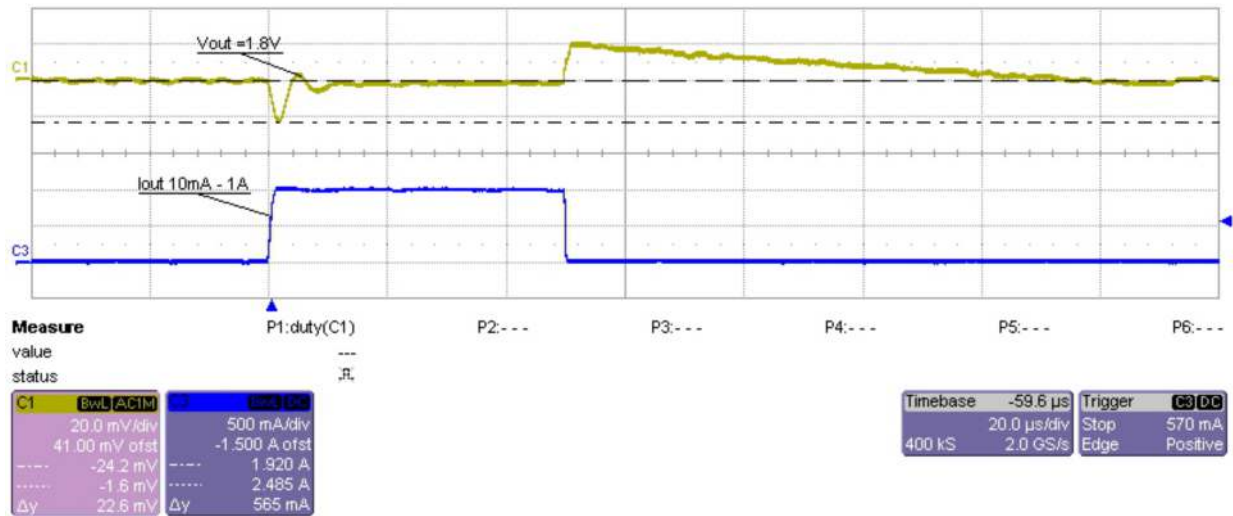


Figure 2. Step Load and Output Voltage Transient Response

## 5 Thermal Guidelines and Layout Recommendations

Thermal management is a key consideration in the design of any dc-dc converter but is especially important for an LDO when the power dissipation is high. Use the equation below to approximate the worst case junction temperature for the application:

$$T_J = T_A + P_d \times \theta_{JA} \tag{1}$$

where  $T_J$  is the junction temperature ( $^{\circ}$ C),  $T_A$  is the ambient temperature ( $^{\circ}$ C),  $P_d$  is the power dissipation in the device (Watts), and  $\theta_{JA}$  is the thermal resistance from junction to ambient ( $^{\circ}$ C/W). The maximum silicon junction temperature should not be allowed to exceed  $125^{\circ}$ C for reliable operation. The layout design must use copper traces and plane areas smartly, as thermal sinks, so as to not allow  $T_J$  to exceed the absolute maximum rating under all load, voltage, and temperature conditions for a given application.

The layout should consider carefully the thermal design of the PCB for optimal performance over temperature. For this EVM, Figure 4 shows that the RGW package footprint employs a square thermal pad, centered under the part, for conducting heat to the copper spreading layers of the PCB. The thermal pad is soldered directly to a pad on the PCB containing a  $5 \times 5$  pattern of 10.mil vias for conducting heat to the bottom side ground plane copper. Approximately  $4.0 \text{ in}^2$  of 2 ounce copper is used on the bottom side of the EVM for dissipating heat generated by the LDO.

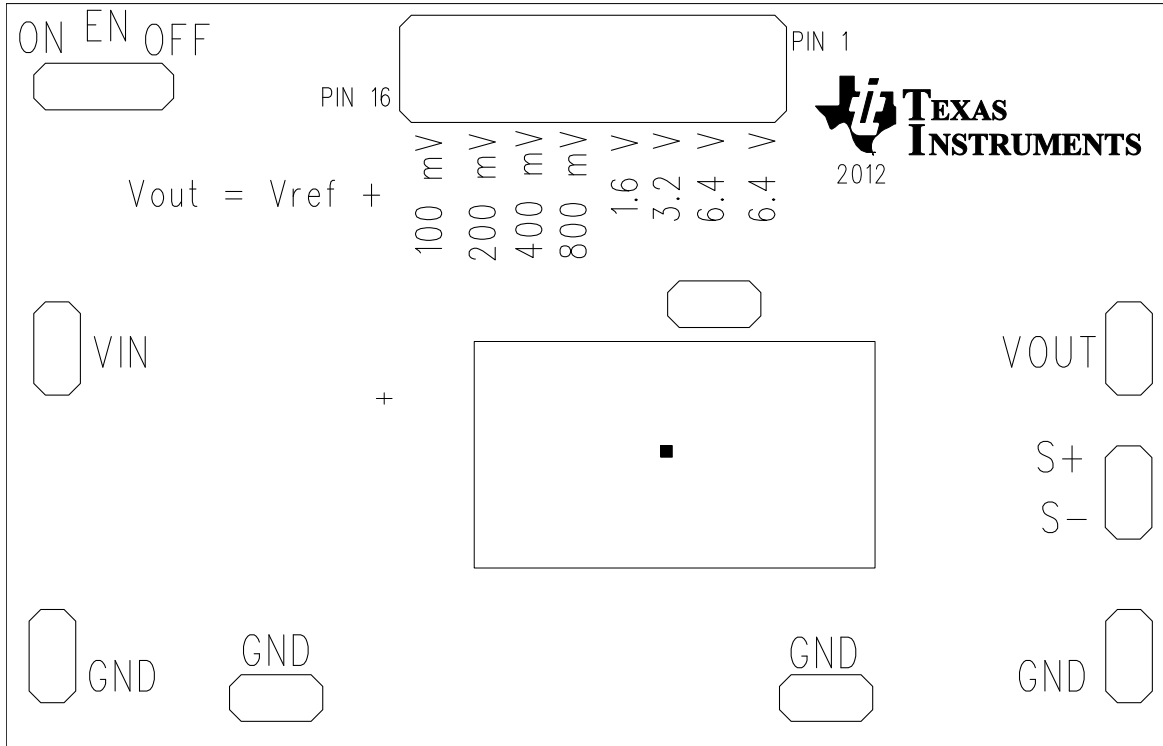
Table 2 relies on thermal resistance information from the thermal information table of the TPS7A47xx data sheet for comparison with the approximate thermal resistance,  $\theta_{JA}$ , calculated for this EVM layout to show the variation in junction-ambient thermal resistances for varying copper areas. The High-K thermal resistance,  $\theta_{JA}$ , is determined using a standard JEDEC high-k (2s2p) board having dimensions of  $3 \text{ in} \times 3 \text{ in}$  with two 1-ounce internal power and ground planes and one 2-ounce copper bottom plane for spreading/sinking heat from the IC component.

Table 2. Thermal Resistance,  $\theta_{JA}$ , and Maximum Power Dissipation

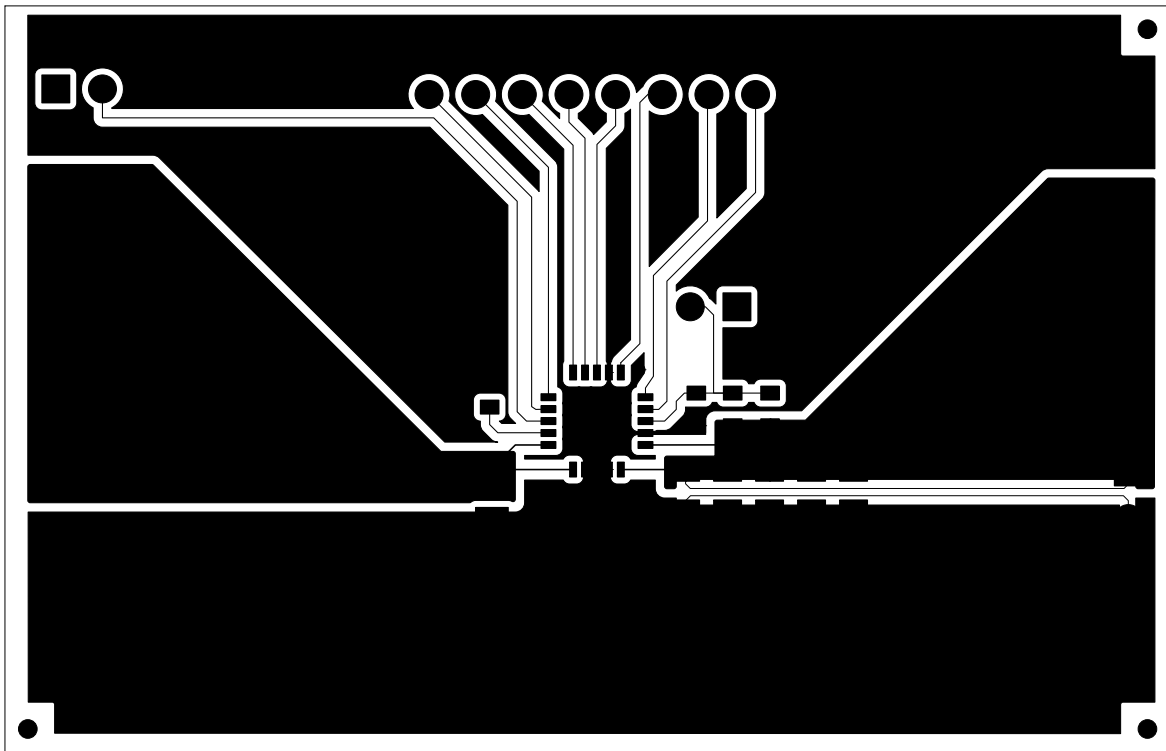
Board	Package	$\theta_{JA}$	Max Dissipation without Derating ( $T_A = 25^{\circ}$ C)	Max Dissipation without Derating ( $T_A = 70^{\circ}$ C)
High-K	RGW	$30.5^{\circ}$ C/W	3.27 W	1.8 W
TPS7A47xxEVM-094	RGW	$21^{\circ}$ C/W	4.76 W	2.6 W

The thermal resistance for the TPS7A47xxEVM-094 is the measured value for this particular layout scheme. The maximum power dissipation is proportional to the volume of copper volume connected to the package.

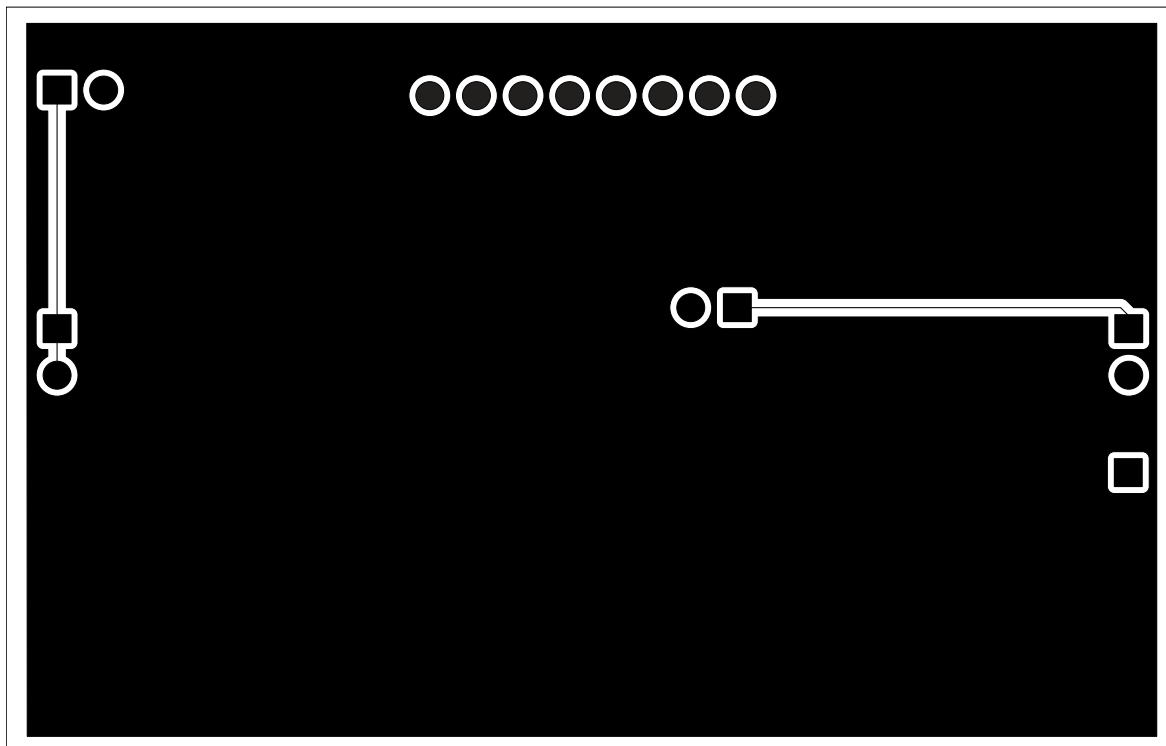
## 6 Board Layout



**Figure 3. Assembly Layer**



**Figure 4. Top Layer Routing**



**Figure 5. Bottom Layer Routing**

## 7 Schematic and Bill of Materials

### 7.1 Schematic

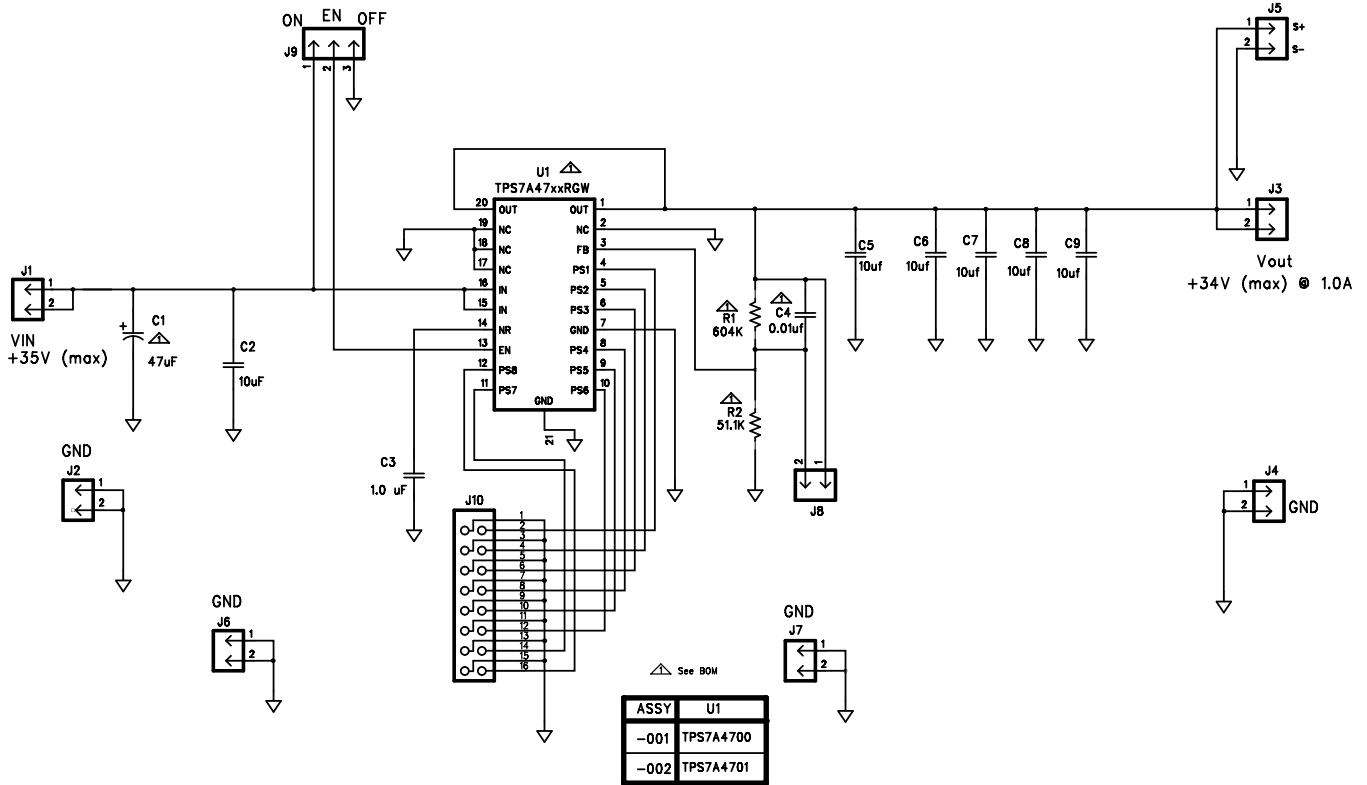


Figure 6. TPS7A47xxEVM-094 Schematic

## 7.2 Bill of Materials

**Table 3. TPS7A47xxEVM-094 Bill of Materials**

-001	-002						
CO UNT	COUN T	RefDes	Value	Description	Size	Part Number	MFR
0	0	C1	47uF	Capacitor, Tantalum, 35V, X5R, 20%	7343	TAJE476M035 RNJ	AVX
1	1	C2	10uF	Capacitor, Ceramic, 50V, X5R, 10%	1206	C3216X5R1H1 06K	TDK
1	1	C3	1.0 uF	Capacitor, Ceramic, 50V, X5R,10%	0603	C1608X5R1H1 05K080AB	TDK
0	1	C4	0.01uF	Capacitor, Ceramic, 25V, X7R,10%	0603	GRM188R71E 103KA01D	Murata
5	5	C5-9	10uf	Capacitor, Ceramic, 35V, X5R,10%	0805	C2012X5R1V1 06K085AC	TDK
8	8	J1- J8	PEC02SAAN	Header, Male 2-pin, 100mil spacing	0.100 inch x 2	PEC02SAAN	Sullins
1	1	J9	PEC03SAAN	Header, Male 3-pin, 100mil spacing	0.100 inch x 3	PEC03SAAN	Sullins
1	1	J10	PEC08DAAN	Header, Male 2 x 8 pin, 100mil spacing	0.100 inch X 2 X 8	PEC08DAAN	Sullins
0	1	R1	604K	Resistor, Chip, 1/10W, 1%	0603	CRCW060360 4KFKEA	Vishay-Dale
0	1	R2	51.1K	Resistor, Chip, 1/10W, 1%	0603	CRCW060351 K1FKEA	Vishay-Dale
1	0	U1	TPS7A4700RGW	IC, Low Noise Power Solution For High Performance Signal Chain Applications	QFN-20	TPS7A4700R GW	TI
0	1	U1	TPS7A4701RGW	IC, Low Noise Power Solution For High Performance Signal Chain Applications	QFN-20	TPS7A4701R GW	TI
5	5			Shunt, Black	100-mil	929950-00	3M
1	1	--	PCB	PCB, 1.60 In x 2.50 In x 0.062 In	1.6 x 2.5 x0.062 in.	PWR094	Any
1		--		Label (See note 5)	1.25 x 0.25 inch	THT-13-457-10	Brady
		Notes:	1. These assemblies are ESD sensitive, ESD precautions shall be observed.				
			2. These assemblies must be clean and free from flux and all contaminants. Do not use no clean flux.				
			3. These assemblies must comply with workmanship standards IPC-A-610 Class 2.				
			4. Ref designators marked with an asterisk (***) cannot be substituted. All other components can be substituted with equivalent MFG's components.				
			5. Install label in silkscreened box after final wash. Text shall be 8 pt font. Text shall be per Table 1.				
		<b>Table 1</b>					
		<b>Assembly Number</b>	<b>Text</b>				
		PWR094-001	TPS7A4700EVM-094				
		PWR094-002	TPS7A4701EVM-094				



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- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

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