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LP2951

Adjustable Micro-Power Voltage Regulator

Features

- Adjustable or Fixed 5 V Output Voltage
- Low Quiescent Current
- Low Dropout Voltage
- Low Temperature Coefficient
- Tight Line and Load Regulation
- Guaranteed 100 mA Output Current
- Internal Short Current and Thermal Limit
- Error Signals of Output Dropout
- External Shut Down

Description

The LP2951 is an adjustable micro-power voltage regulator suitable for battery-powered systems. This regulator has various functions such as alarm that warns of a low output voltage often due to falling batteries on the input, the external shutdown enables the regulator to be switched on and off, current and temperature limiting.

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Applications

- Automotive Electronics
- Voltage Reference

Ordering Information

| Part Number | Operating Temperature Range | Top Mark | Package | Packing Method |
|-------------|-----------------------------|----------|---------|----------------|
| LP2951CM | -40°C to +125°C | LP2951CM | SOIC 8L | Rail |
| LP2951CMX | -40°C to +125°C | LP2951CM | SOIC 8L | Tape and Reel |

Block Diagram

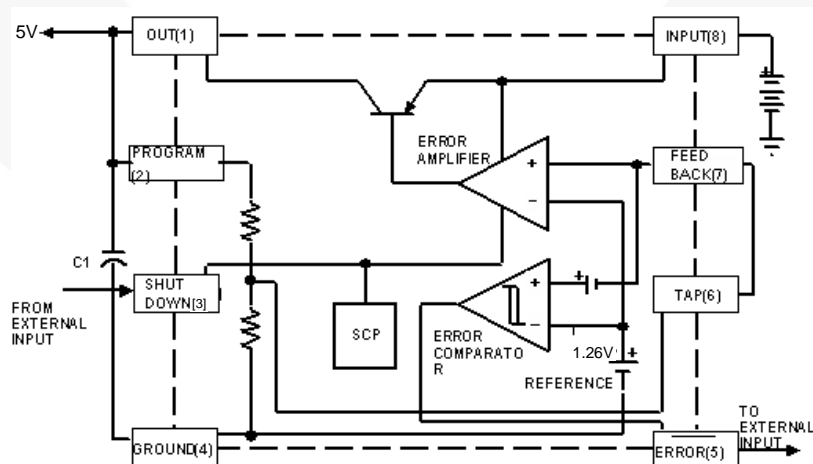


Figure 1. Block Diagram

Absolute Maximum Ratings

Stresses exceeding the absolute maximum ratings may damage the device. The device may not function or be operable above the recommended operating conditions and stressing the parts to these levels is not recommended. In addition, extended exposure to stresses above the recommended operating conditions may affect device reliability. The absolute maximum ratings are stress ratings only. Values are at $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted.

| Symbol | Parameter | Value | Unit |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
| V_{IN} | Input Supply Voltage | -0.3 to 30.0 | V |
| P_D | Power Dissipation | Internally Limited | W |
| $R_{\theta JA}$ | Thermal Resistance Junction-to-Air | 127.5 | $^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$ |
| T_{STG} | Storage Temperature Range | -65 to 150 | $^\circ\text{C}$ |
| T_{OPR} | Operating Junction Temperature Range | -40 to 125 | $^\circ\text{C}$ |

Electrical Characteristics

FEEDBACK (Pin 7) tied to TAP (Pin 6), V_{OUT} (Pin 1) tied to PROGRAM (Pin 2). Values are at $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$, unless otherwise specified.

| Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Unit |
|----------------------------|---|---|-------|-------|-------|-----------------------|
| V_{OUT} | Fixed Output Voltage | $I_L = 50\text{ mA}$ | 4.9 | 5.0 | 5.1 | V |
| ALL VOLTAGE OPTIONS | | | | | | |
| $\Delta V/\Delta T$ | Output Voltage Temperature Coefficient ⁽¹⁾ | | | 50 | | ppm/ $^\circ\text{C}$ |
| ΔV | Line Regulation ⁽²⁾ | $(V_O + 1)\text{ V} \leq V_{IN} \leq 28\text{ V}$, $I_L = 50\text{ mA}$ | | | 0.4 | % |
| ΔV | Load Regulation ⁽²⁾ | $100\text{ }\mu\text{A} \leq I_L \leq 100\text{ mA}$ | | | 0.3 | % |
| V_D | Dropout Voltage | $I_L = 100\text{ }\mu\text{A}$ | | | 150 | mV |
| | | $I_L = 100\text{ mA}$ | | | 600 | |
| I_G | Ground Current | $I_L = 100\text{ }\mu\text{A}$ | | | 140 | μA |
| | | $I_L = 100\text{ mA}$ | | | 7 | mA |
| I_{CL} | Current Limit | $V_O = 0\text{ V}$ | 110 | 165 | 220 | mA |
| V_{REF} | Reference Voltage | $V_{IN} = (V_O + 1)\text{ V}$, $I_L = 100\text{ }\mu\text{A}$ | 1.235 | 1.260 | 1.285 | V |
| | | ⁽³⁾ | 1.225 | 1.260 | 1.295 | |
| I_{FB} | Feedback Bias Current | | | 20 | | nA |
| ERROR COMPARATOR | | | | | | |
| V_{OL} | Output Low Voltage | $V_{IN} = (V_O - 0.5)\text{ V}$, $I_{OL} = 400\text{ }\mu\text{A}$ | | 150 | 400 | mV |
| V_{TH} | High Threshold Voltage ⁽⁴⁾ | | 25 | 60 | | mV |
| V_{TL} | Low Threshold Voltage ⁽⁴⁾ | | | 75 | 140 | mV |
| V_{HYS} | Hysteresis ⁽⁴⁾ | | | 15 | | mV |
| SHUTDOWN INPUT | | | | | | |
| V_{SD} | Shutdown Threshold Range | ⁽⁵⁾ | 0.6 | 1.3 | 2.0 | V |
| I_{SD} | Shutdown Input Current | $V_{SD} = 2.4\text{ V}$ | | 30 | 100 | μA |
| | | $V_{SD} = 28\text{ V}$ | | 450 | 750 | |

Notes:

- Output or reference voltage temperature coefficient is defined as the worst-case voltage change divided by the total temperature range.
- Regulation is measured at constant junction temperature, using pulse testing with a low duty cycle.
- $V_{REF} \leq V_{OUT} \leq (V_{IN} - 1\text{ V})$, $2.5\text{ V} \leq V_{IN} \leq 28\text{ V}$, $100\text{ }\mu\text{A} \leq I_L \leq 100\text{ mA}$, $T_A \leq T_{AMAX}$.
- Threshold and hysteresis are expressed in terms of voltage differential at the feedback terminal below the normal reference. To express these thresholds in terms of output voltage change, multiply by the error amplifier gain
 $= V_O / V_{REF} = (R_1 + R_2) / R_2$.
- $V_{shutdown} \leq 0.6\text{ V}$, $V_{OUT} = \text{ON}$, $V_{shutdown} \geq 2.0\text{ V}$, $V_{OUT} = \text{OFF}$.

Typical Performance Characteristics

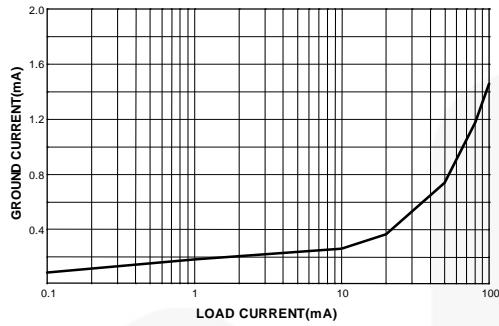


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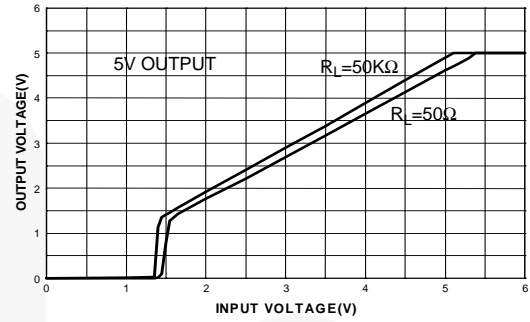


Figure 3. Dropout Characteristics

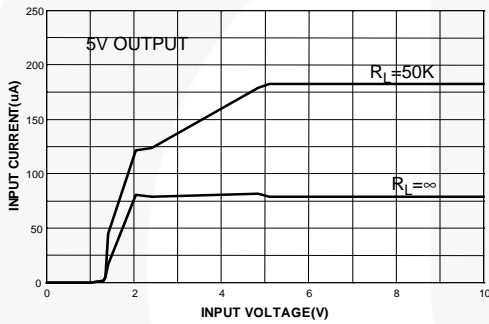


Figure 4. Input Current

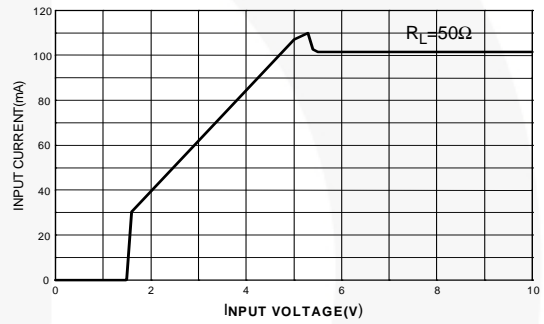


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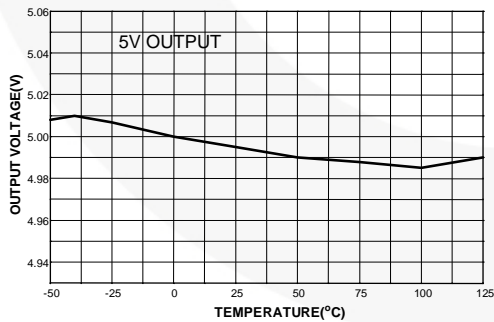


Figure 6. Output Voltage vs. Temperature

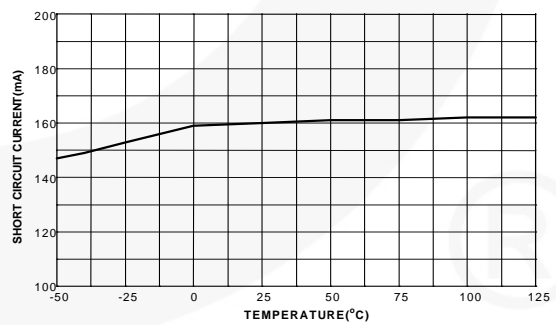


Figure 7. Short-Circuit Current

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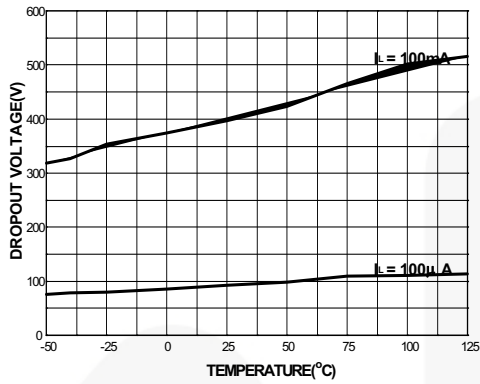


Figure 8. Dropout Voltage

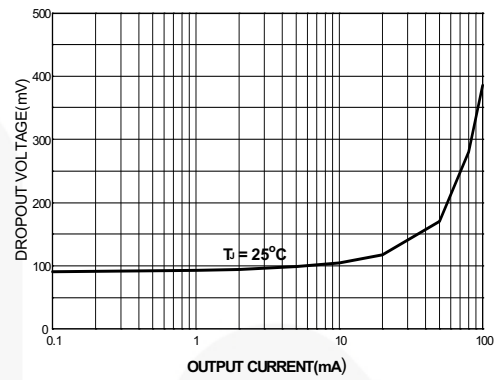
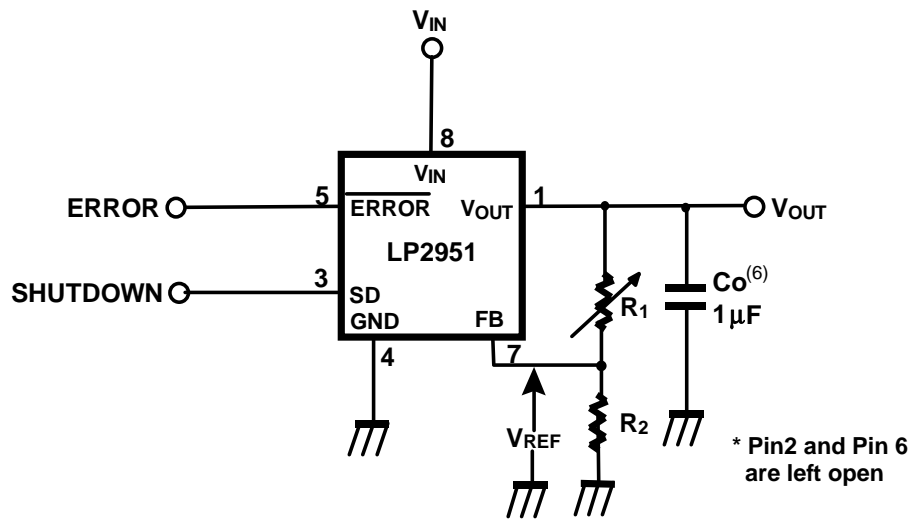


Figure 9. Dropout Voltage

Typical Application



$$V_O = V_{REF} (1 + R_1 / R_2) + I_{FB} R_1$$

Figure 10. Adjustable Regulator

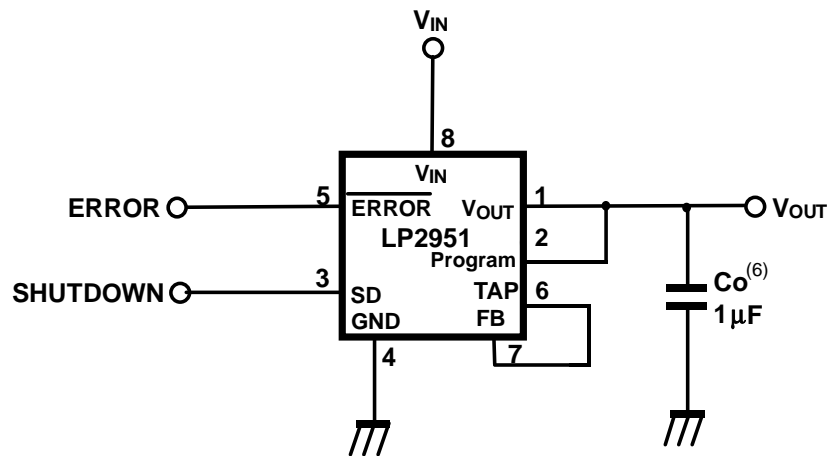
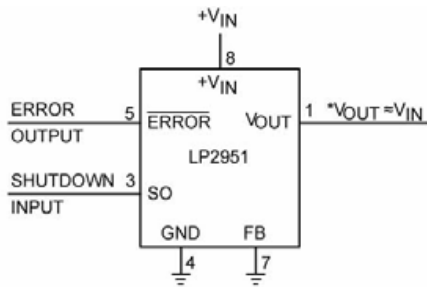


Figure 11. Fixed Output 5 V

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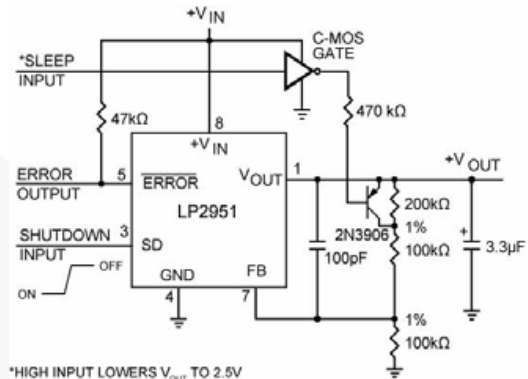
6. C_O is required between the output and ground for stability at output voltages of 5 V or more. Since I_{FB} is controlled to less than 40 nA, the error associated with this term is negligible in most applications. At lower output voltage, more capacitance is required. without this capacitance the part oscillates.

Typical Application (Continued)



*MINIMUM INPUT-OUTPUT VOLTAGE RANGES FROM 40mV TO 400mV, DEPENDING ON LOAD CURRENT. CURRENT LIMIT IS TYPICALLY 160mA.

Figure 12. Wide Input Voltage Range Current Limiter



*HIGH INPUT LOWERS V_{OUT} TO 2.5V

Figure 13. 5 V Regulator with 2.5 V Sleep Function

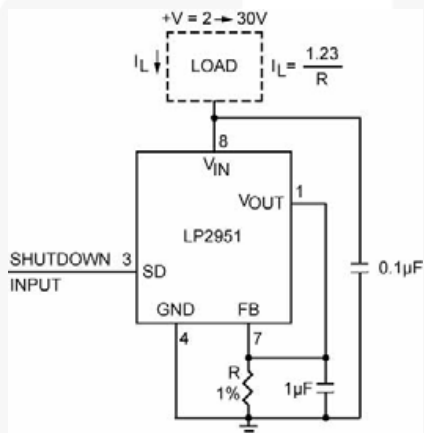
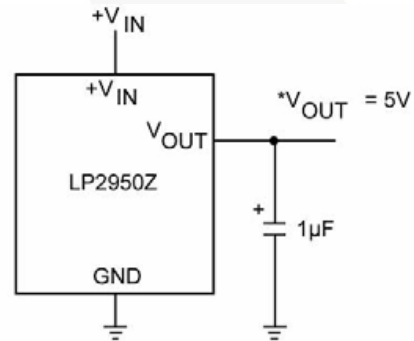


Figure 14. Low Drift Current Source



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Figure 15. 5 V Current Limiter

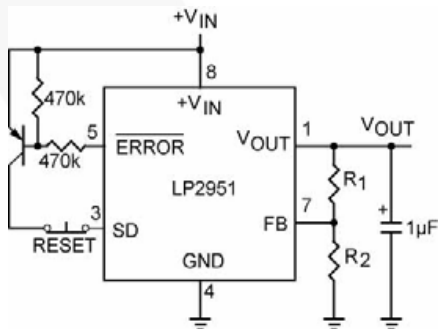


Figure 16. Latch Off When Error Flag Occurs

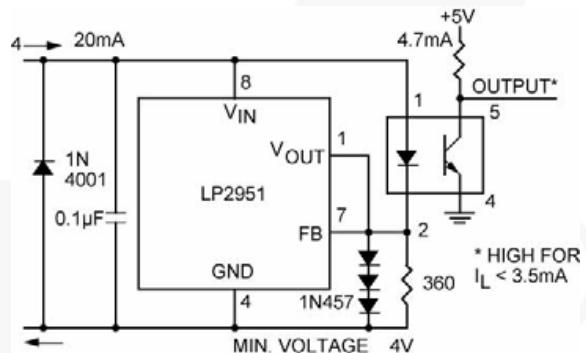
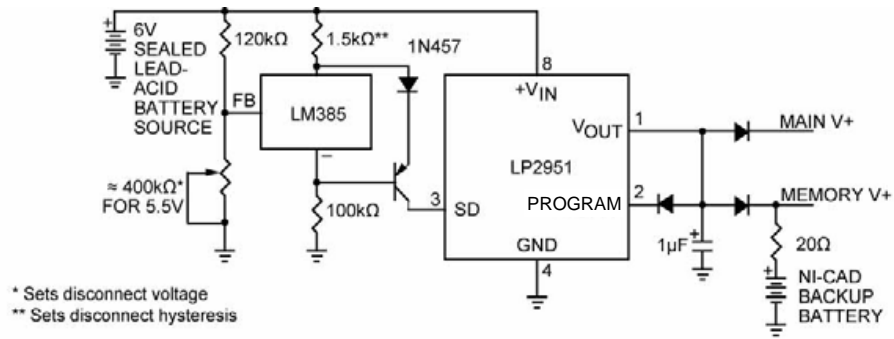


Figure 17. Open Circuit Detector for 4 mA to 20 mA Current Loop

Typical Application (Continued)



For values shown, Regulator shuts down when $V_{IN} < 5.5\text{ V}$ and turns on again at 6.0 V . Current drain in disconnected mode is $150\mu\text{A}$.

Figure 18. Low Battery Disconnect



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