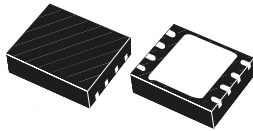


## 1 A ultra low-dropout regulator with reverse current protection



DFN8 (3 x 3 mm)

### Features

- Input voltage range: 2.2 V to 5.5 V
- Ultra low-dropout: 200 mV typ. at 1 A
- NMOS topology
- Very high PSRR: 78 dB @ 100 Hz, 70 dB @ 100 kHz
- Very fast response to load variation
- Stable with 1  $\mu$ F capacitor
- Thermal shutdown
- Current limit
- Adjustable from 1.2 V
- High output voltage accuracy: 1 % typ. (3 % max.)

### Applications

- Post-regulation generic POL
- Portable equipment
- Industrial applications
- Telecom infrastructure

### Description

The **LD59100** is a 1 A LDO regulator designed for use in various environments. Its N-MOS topology allows reduction of the  $R_{\text{dson}}$  of the pass-element, maintaining a very low-dropout voltage even with very low input power supply voltage.

The device features very high PSRR characteristics over a wide frequency band, rendering it suitable for use as a secondary regulator for noise-sensitive applications.

The enable function can be used to further decrease the overall current consumption in shutdown mode.

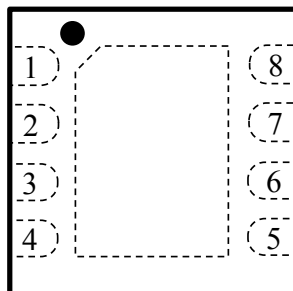
The **LD59100** embeds protection features, such as current limit, thermal shutdown and reverse output current protection.

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## 2 Pin configuration

**Figure 2. Pin connection (top view)**



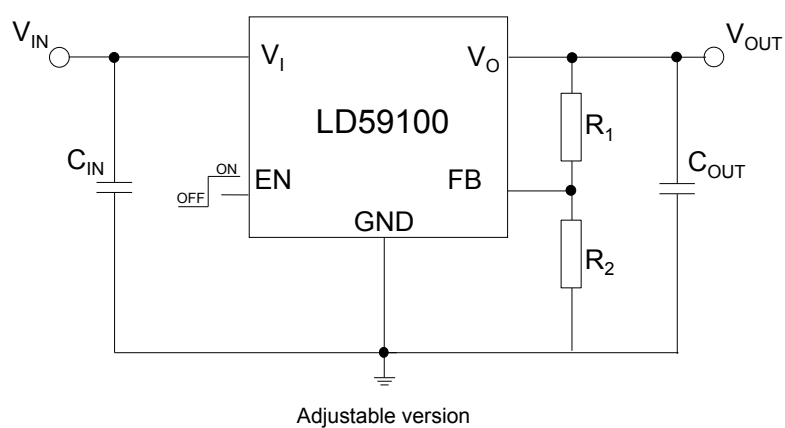
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**Table 1. Adjustable version: pin description**

| Pin      | Symbol | Function                                              |
|----------|--------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| DFN8-3x3 |        |                                                       |
| 1        | OUT    | Regulated output voltage of the LDO                   |
| 3        | FB     | Feedback to set the output voltage                    |
| 4        | GND    | Ground                                                |
| 5        | EN     | Enable pin logic input: Low = shutdown, High = active |
| 2, 6, 7  | NC     | Not connected                                         |
| 8        | IN     | Input pin                                             |
| Tab      | EXP    | Exposed pad. Connect to GND on PCB.                   |

### 3 Typical application

**Figure 3. Typical application circuit for adjustable version**



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## 4 Maximum ratings

**Table 2. Absolute maximum ratings**

| Symbol    | Parameter                   | Value              | Unit |
|-----------|-----------------------------|--------------------|------|
| $V_{IN}$  | DC input voltage            | - 0.3 to 6         | V    |
| $V_{OUT}$ | DC output voltage           | - 0.3 to 5.5       | V    |
| $V_{EN}$  | Enable input voltage        | - 0.3 to 6         | V    |
| $V_{FB}$  | Feedback pin voltage        | - 0.3 to 6         | V    |
| $I_{OUT}$ | Output current              | Internally limited | mA   |
| $P_D$     | Power dissipation           | Internally limited | mW   |
| $T_{ST}$  | Storage temperature range   | - 65 to 150        | °C   |
| $T_{OP}$  | Operating temperature range | - 40 to 125        | °C   |

**Note:** Absolute maximum ratings are those values beyond which damage to the device may occur. Functional operation under these conditions is not implied. All values are referred to GND.

**Table 3. Thermal data**

| Symbol     | Parameter                           | DFN8-3x3 | Unit |
|------------|-------------------------------------|----------|------|
| $R_{thJA}$ | Thermal resistance junction-ambient | 55       | °C/W |
| $R_{thJC}$ | Thermal resistance junction-case    | 10       | °C/W |

**Table 4. Electrostatic discharge**

| Symbol | Parameter            | DFN8-3x3 | Unit |
|--------|----------------------|----------|------|
| HBM    | Human body model     | +/-2     | kV   |
| CDM    | Charged device model | +/-500   | V    |

## 5 Electrical characteristics

$T_A = T_J = -40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+125\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ , typical values refer to  $T_A = +25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ,  $V_{EN} = 2.2\text{ V}$ ,  $V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{OUT} = 10\text{ mA}$ ,  $C_{IN} = C_{OUT} = 1\text{ }\mu\text{F}$ , unless otherwise specified (see note 1).

**Table 5. Electrical characteristics for LD59100 adjustable**

| Symbol           | Parameter                               | Test condition                                                                                                                       | Min.     | Typ.                | Max.             | Unit                |
|------------------|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| $V_{IN}$         | Operating input voltage                 |                                                                                                                                      | 2.2      |                     | 5.5              | V                   |
| $I_{OUT}$        | Guaranteed output current               |                                                                                                                                      | 0        |                     | 1                | A                   |
| $V_{OUT}$        | Output voltage range                    |                                                                                                                                      | $V_{FB}$ |                     | $5.5 - V_{DROP}$ |                     |
|                  | $V_{OUT}$ accuracy                      | Nominal                                                                                                                              | -1       |                     | 1                | %                   |
|                  |                                         | $V_{IN} = V_{OUT(NOM)} + 0.5\text{ V}$ to $5.5\text{ V}$                                                                             | -3       |                     | 3                | %                   |
|                  |                                         | $I_{OUT} = 0\text{ mA}$ to $1\text{ A}$                                                                                              |          |                     |                  |                     |
| $V_{FB}$         | Internal reference                      |                                                                                                                                      | 1.192    | 1.204               | 1.216            | V                   |
| $I_{FB}$         | Adjustable pin leakage current          |                                                                                                                                      |          | 0.1                 | 0.6              | $\mu\text{A}$       |
| $\Delta V_{OUT}$ | Static line regulation                  | $V_{IN} = V_{OUT(NOM)} + 0.5\text{ V}$ to $5.5\text{ V}$                                                                             |          | 0.005               |                  | %/V                 |
|                  |                                         | $I_{OUT} = 10\text{ mA}$                                                                                                             |          |                     |                  |                     |
| $\Delta V_{OUT}$ | Static load regulation                  | $I_{OUT} = 1\text{ mA}$ to $1\text{ A}$                                                                                              |          | 0.0001              |                  | %/mA                |
| $V_{DROP}$       | Dropout voltage                         | $I_{OUT} = 1\text{ A}$ , $V_{OUT} > 2.4\text{ V}$                                                                                    |          | 200                 | 500              | mV                  |
|                  |                                         | $V_{IN} = V_{OUT(NOM)} - 0.1\text{ V}$                                                                                               |          |                     |                  |                     |
| eN               | Output noise voltage <sup>(1)</sup>     | $f = 10\text{ Hz}$ to $100\text{ kHz}$ , $I_{OUT} = 10\text{ mA}$<br>$C_{OUT} = 10\text{ }\mu\text{F}$                               |          | $27 \times V_{OUT}$ |                  | $\mu\text{V}_{RMS}$ |
| SVR              | Supply voltage rejection <sup>(2)</sup> | $V_{IN} = V_{OUT(NOM)} + 1\text{ V} \pm V_{RIPPLE}$<br>$V_{RIPPLE} = 0.5\text{ V}$ , $I_{OUT} = 10\text{ mA}$<br>$f = 100\text{ Hz}$ |          | 78                  |                  | dB                  |
|                  |                                         | $V_{IN} = V_{OUT(NOM)} + 1\text{ V} \pm V_{RIPPLE}$<br>$V_{RIPPLE} = 0.5\text{ V}$ , $I_{OUT} = 10\text{ mA}$<br>$f = 10\text{ Hz}$  |          | 62                  |                  |                     |
|                  |                                         | $V_{IN} = V_{OUT(NOM)} + 1\text{ V} \pm V_{RIPPLE}$<br>$V_{RIPPLE} = 0.5\text{ V}$ , $I_{OUT} = 10\text{ mA}$<br>$f = 100\text{ Hz}$ |          | 70                  |                  |                     |
|                  |                                         | $V_{IN} = V_{OUT(NOM)} + 1\text{ V} \pm V_{RIPPLE}$<br>$V_{RIPPLE} = 0.5\text{ V}$ , $I_{OUT} = 1\text{ A}$<br>$f = 100\text{ Hz}$   |          | 58                  |                  |                     |
|                  |                                         | $V_{IN} = V_{OUT(NOM)} + 1\text{ V} \pm V_{RIPPLE}$<br>$V_{RIPPLE} = 0.5\text{ V}$ , $I_{OUT} = 1\text{ A}$<br>$f = 10\text{ Hz}$    |          | 37                  |                  |                     |
|                  |                                         |                                                                                                                                      |          |                     |                  |                     |

| Symbol     | Parameter                       | Test condition                                                    | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Unit               |
|------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------|------|------|--------------------|
| $I_Q$      | Quiescent current               | $I_{OUT} = 0 \text{ mA}$                                          |      | 130  |      | $\mu\text{A}$      |
|            |                                 | $I_{OUT} = 10 \text{ mA}$                                         |      | 140  |      |                    |
|            |                                 | $I_{OUT} = 1 \text{ A}$                                           |      | 280  |      |                    |
|            |                                 | $V_{IN}$ Input current in OFF mode                                |      | 0.02 |      |                    |
|            |                                 | $V_{EN} = \text{GND}$                                             |      |      |      |                    |
| $I_{CL}$   | Output current limit            | $V_{OUT} = 0.9 \times V_{OUT(\text{NOM})}$                        | 1.05 | 1.6  | 2.2  | A                  |
| $I_{SC}$   | Short-circuit current           | $R_L = 0$                                                         |      | 450  |      | mA                 |
| $I_{REV}$  | Reverse leakage current         | $V_{EN} < 0.5 \text{ V}, 0 < V_{IN} < V_{OUT}$                    |      | 0.1  |      | $\mu\text{A}$      |
| $V_{EN}$   | Enable input logic low          |                                                                   |      |      | 0.5  | V                  |
|            | Enable input logic high         |                                                                   | 1.7  |      |      |                    |
| $I_{EN}$   | Enable pin input current        | $V_{EN} = V_{IN} = 5.5 \text{ V}$                                 |      | 20   |      | nA                 |
| $T_{SHDN}$ | Thermal shutdown <sup>(2)</sup> |                                                                   |      | 160  |      | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |
|            | Hysteresis <sup>(2)</sup>       |                                                                   |      | 20   |      |                    |
| $T_{STR}$  | Start-up time                   | $V_{OUT} = 3 \text{ V}, R_L = 30 \Omega, C_{OUT} = 1 \mu\text{F}$ |      | 600  |      | $\mu\text{s}$      |

1. Values at below 0 °C are guaranteed by design and/or characterization tested at  $T_A = \sim T_J$ . Low duty cycle pulse techniques are used.

2. Guaranteed by design, not tested in production.

## 6 Application information

### 6.1 Output voltage setting for adjustable version

In the adjustable version, the output voltage can be set from 1.204 V ( $V_{FB}$ ) up to the input voltage minus the voltage drop across the pass transistor (dropout voltage), by connecting a resistor divider between the FB pin and the output, thereby implementing remote voltage sensing. With reference to the typical circuit shown in Figure 4. Line regulation vs. temperature ( $V_{IN} = 2.5$  to 5.5 V,  $V_{OUT} = V_{FB}$ ,  $I_{OUT} = 10$  mA), the resistor divider can be designed by using the following equation:

**Equation 1**

$$V_{OUT} = V_{FB} (1 + R_1/R_2), \text{ with } V_{FB} = 1.204 \text{ V typ.} \quad (1)$$

It is recommended to use resistors with values in the range of 10 k $\Omega$  to 100 k $\Omega$ . Lower values can also be suitable, but will result in an increase in current consumption.

The following table shows an example of  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$  choices, among standard 1% resistors, to obtain the most common output voltages.

**Table 6. Resistor divider settings for common output voltages**

| $V_{OUT}$          | $R_1$           | $R_2$           |
|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1.204 ( $V_{FB}$ ) | Short           | Open            |
| 1.5                | 23.2 k $\Omega$ | 95.3 k $\Omega$ |
| 1.8                | 28.0 k $\Omega$ | 56.2 k $\Omega$ |
| 2.5                | 39.2 k $\Omega$ | 36.5 k $\Omega$ |
| 2.8                | 44.2 k $\Omega$ | 33.2 k $\Omega$ |
| 3                  | 46.4 k $\Omega$ | 30.9 k $\Omega$ |
| 3.3                | 52.3 k $\Omega$ | 30.1 k $\Omega$ |

### 6.2 Input and output capacitors

#### Input capacitor

An input capacitor with a minimum value of 1  $\mu$ F must be located as close as possible to the input pin of the device and returned to a clean analog ground. A good quality, low-ESR ceramic capacitor is recommended. This capacitor helps to ensure stability of the control loop, reduces the effects of inductive sources and improves ripple rejection. A capacitance value larger than 1  $\mu$ F can be used in the case of fast load transients in the application.

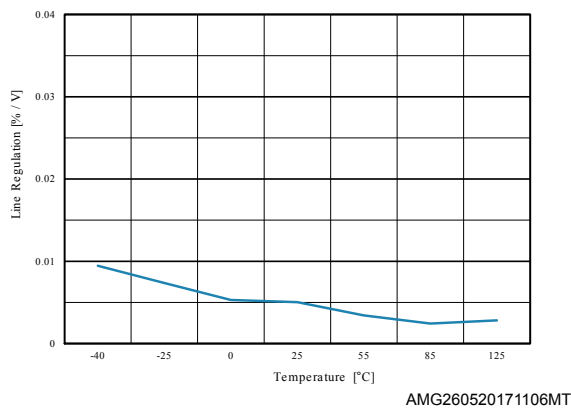
#### Output capacitor

The LD59100 requires a capacitor connected to its output, to keep the control loop stable and reduce the risk of ringing and oscillations. The control loop is designed to be stable with any good quality ceramic capacitor (such as X5R/X7R types) with a minimum value of 1  $\mu$ F and equivalent series resistance in the 5 m $\Omega$  to 1  $\Omega$  range. It is important to highlight that the output capacitor must maintain its capacitance and ESR in the stable region over the full operating temperature, load and input voltage ranges, to assure stability. Therefore, capacitance and ESR variations must be taken into account in the design phase to ensure the device works in the expected stability region. There is no maximum limit to the output capacitance, provided that the above conditions are respected.

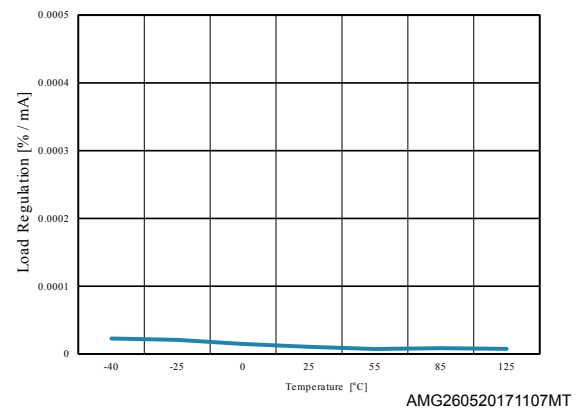
## 7 Typical characteristics

$C_{IN} = C_{OUT} = 1 \mu F$ ,  $V_{EN} = V_{IN} = 2.5 V$ ,  $V_{OUT} = V_{FB}$ ,  $T_J = 25^\circ C$ , unless otherwise specified.

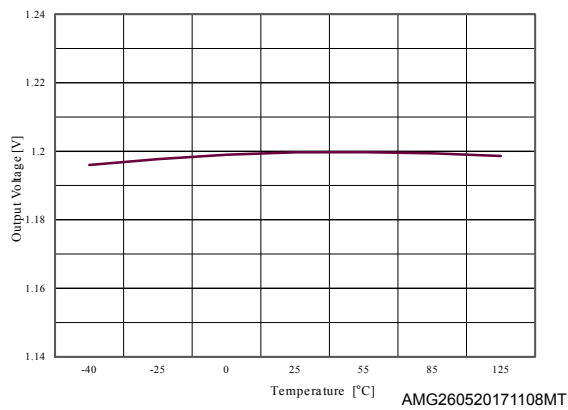
**Figure 4. Line regulation vs. temperature ( $V_{IN} = 2.5$  to  $5.5 V$ ,  $V_{OUT} = V_{FB}$ ,  $I_{OUT} = 10 mA$ )**



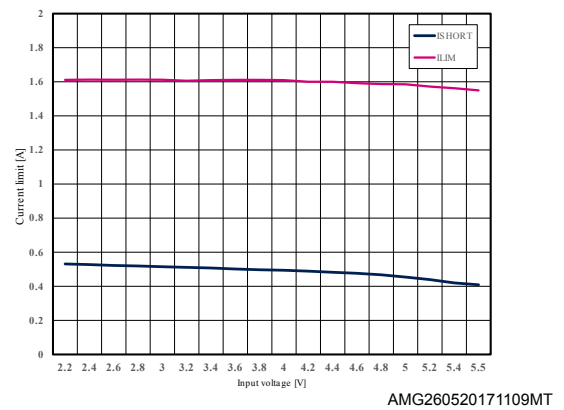
**Figure 5. Load regulation vs. temperature ( $V_{IN} = 2.5 V$ ,  $V_{OUT} = V_{FB}$ )**

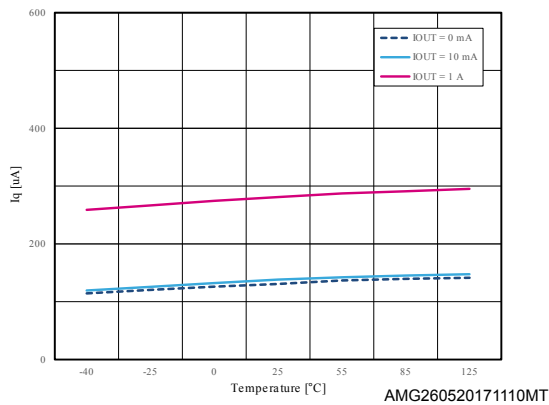
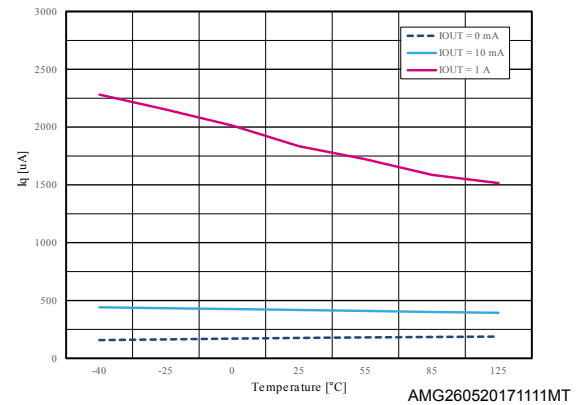
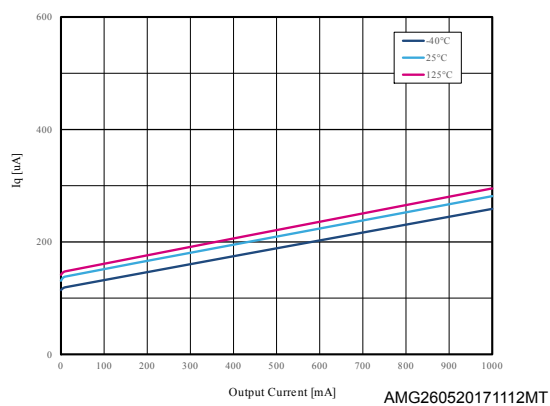
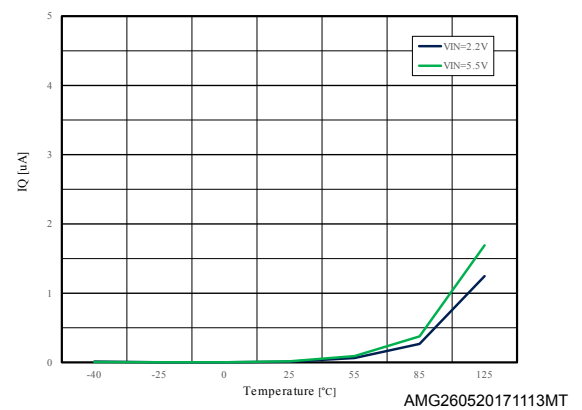
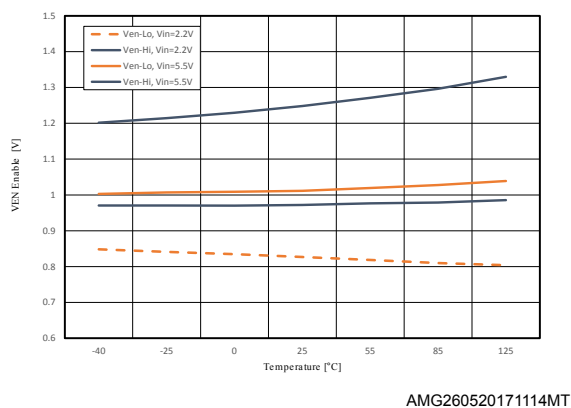
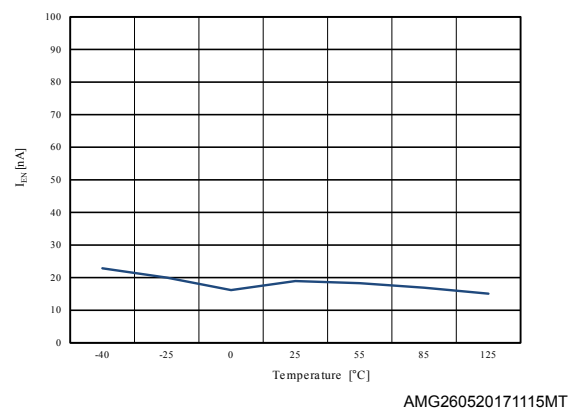


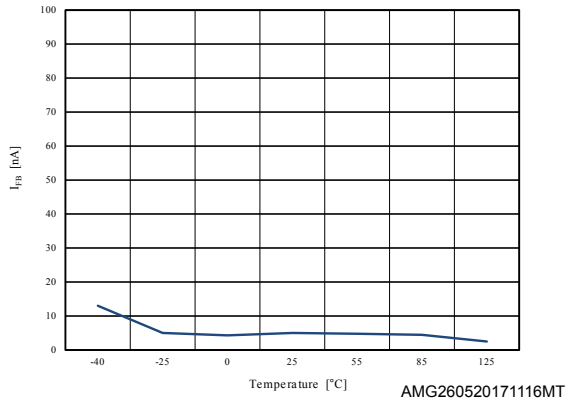
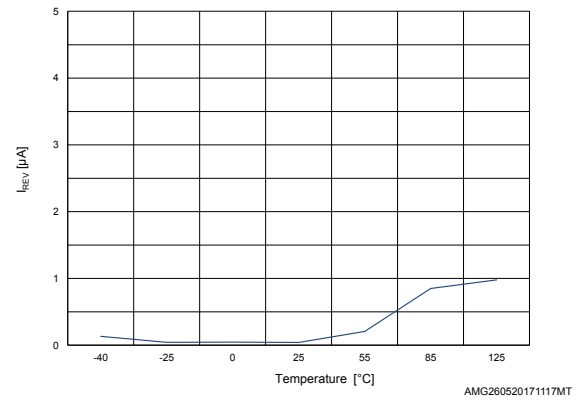
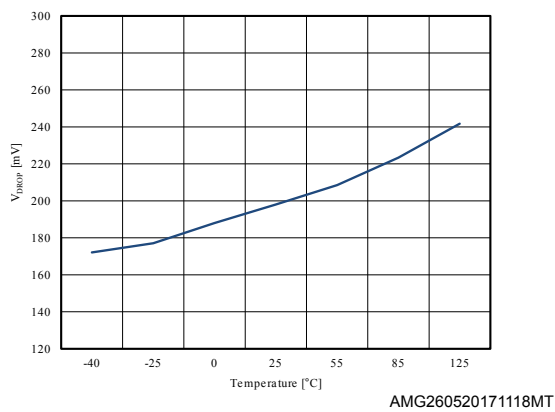
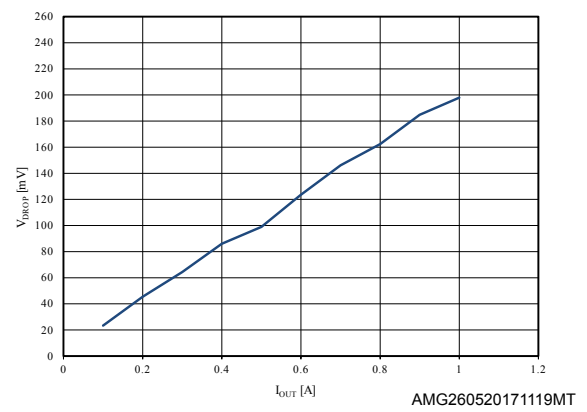
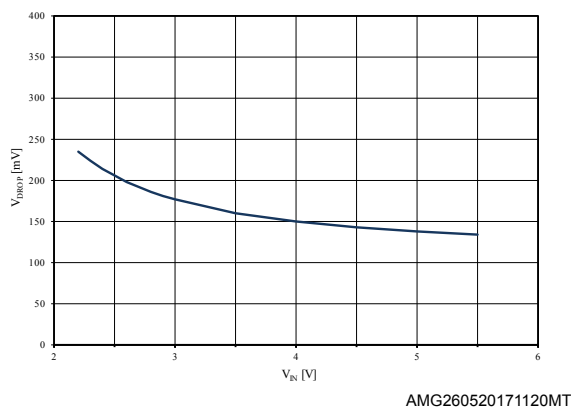
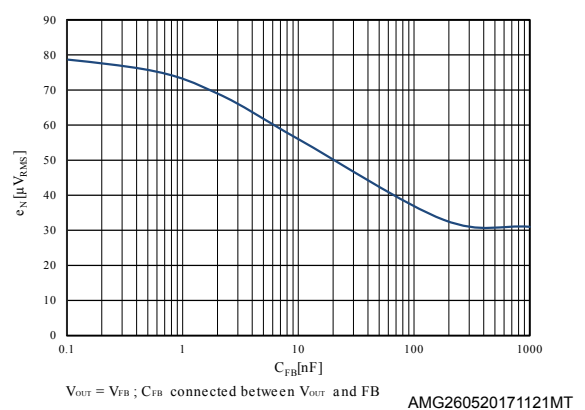
**Figure 6. Reference voltage vs. temperature**

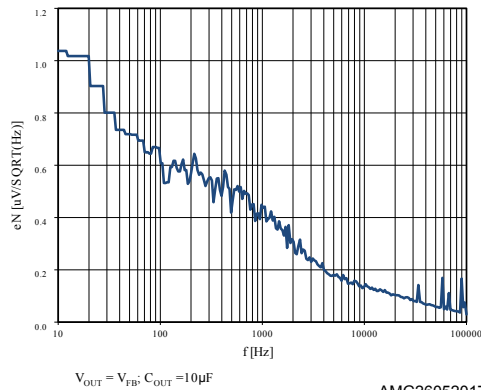


**Figure 7. Current limit vs. input voltage**

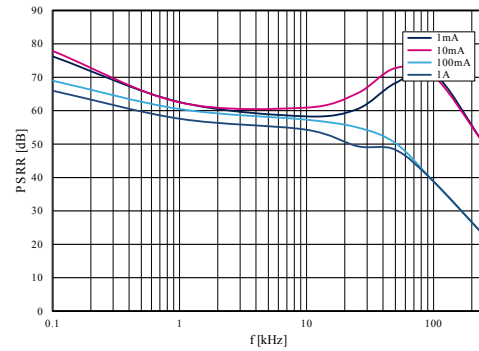


**Figure 8. Quiescent current vs. temperature ( $V_{IN} = 2.2\text{ V}$ )**

**Figure 9. Quiescent current vs. temperature ( $V_{IN} = 5.5\text{ V}$ )**

**Figure 10. Quiescent current vs. output current**

**Figure 11. Off-state current vs. temperature**

**Figure 12. Enable thresholds vs. temperature**

**Figure 13. Enable pin current vs. temperature**


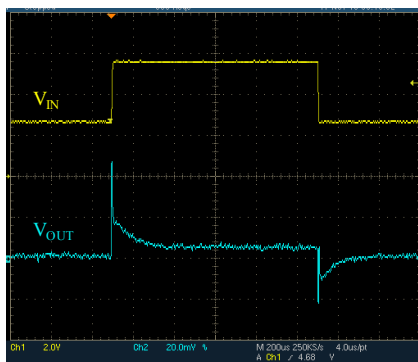
**Figure 14. Feedback pin current vs. temperature**

**Figure 15. Reverse current vs. temperature**

**Figure 16. Dropout voltage vs. temperature**

**Figure 17. Dropout voltage vs. output current**

**Figure 18. Dropout voltage vs. input voltage**

**Figure 19.  $R_{MS}$  noise vs.  $C_{FB}$** 


**Figure 20. Noise spectral density**


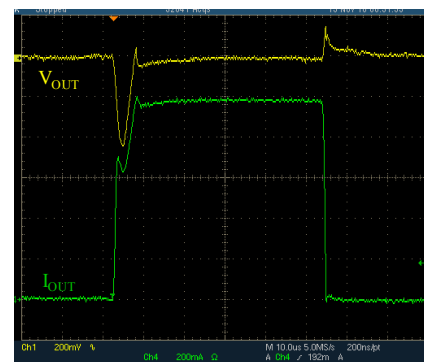
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**Figure 21. PSRR vs. frequency**


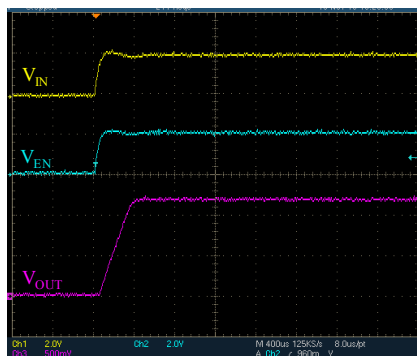
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**Figure 22. Line transient**

 $V_{IN}$  from 2.5V to 5.5V,  $I_{OUT} = 10mA$ ,  $t_r = t_f = 5\mu s$ ,  $C_{IN} = C_{OUT} = 1\mu F$ 

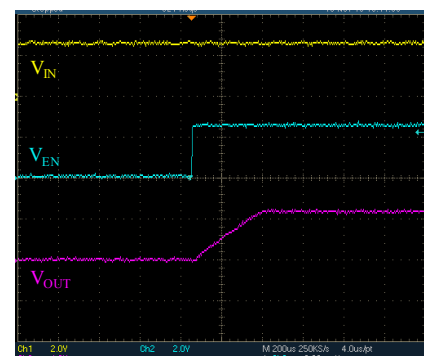
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**Figure 23. Load transient**

 $V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1V$ ,  $I_{OUT}$  from 10mA to 1A,  $t_r = t_f = 5\mu s$ ,  $C_{IN} = C_{OUT} = 1\mu F$ 

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**Figure 24. Startup waveform**

 $V_{IN} = V_{EN}$  from 0 to 2.5V,  $I_{OUT} = 10mA$ ,  $t_r = 5\mu s$ ,  $C_{IN} = C_{OUT} = 1\mu F$ 

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**Figure 25. Enable transient**

 $V_{IN} = 2.5V$ ,  $V_{EN}$  from 0 to 2.5V,  $I_{OUT} = 10mA$ ,  $t_r = 5\mu s$ ,  $C_{IN} = C_{OUT} = 1\mu F$ 

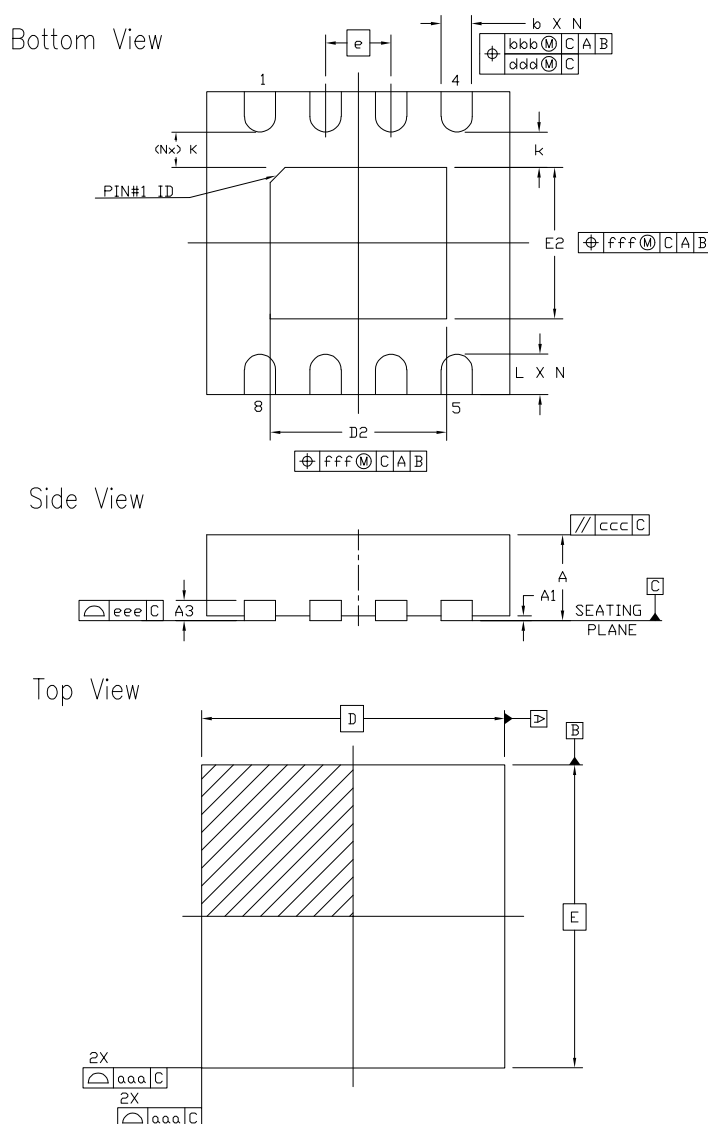
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## 8 Package information

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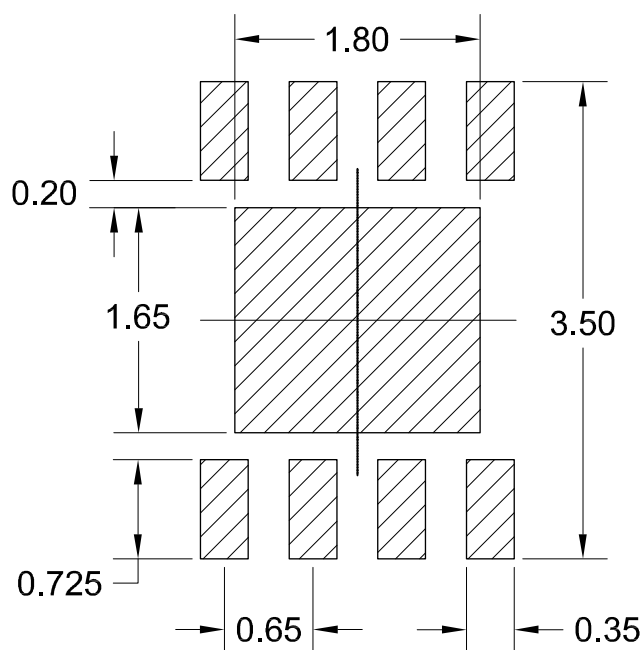
### 8.1 DFN8 (3 x 3 mm) package information

**Figure 26. DFN8 (3 x 3 mm) package outline**



**Table 7. DFN8 (3 x 3 mm) mechanical data**

| Dim. | mm        |      |      |
|------|-----------|------|------|
|      | Min.      | Typ. | Max. |
| A    | 0.80      | 0.85 | 0.90 |
| A1   | 0.00      | -    | 0.05 |
| A3   | 0.20 REF. |      |      |
| b    | 0.28      | 0.31 | 0.34 |
| D    | 3.00 BSC  |      |      |
| D2   | 1.70      | 1.75 | 1.80 |
| e    | 0.65 BSC  |      |      |
| E    | 3.00 BSC  |      |      |
| E2   | 1.45      | 1.50 | 1.55 |
| L    | 0.35      | 0.40 | 0.45 |
| k    | 0.20      |      |      |
| N    | 8         |      |      |

**Figure 27. DFN8 (3 x 3 mm) recommended footprint**


## 8.2 DFN8 (3 x 3 mm) packing information

Figure 28. DFN8 (3 x 3 mm) tape outline

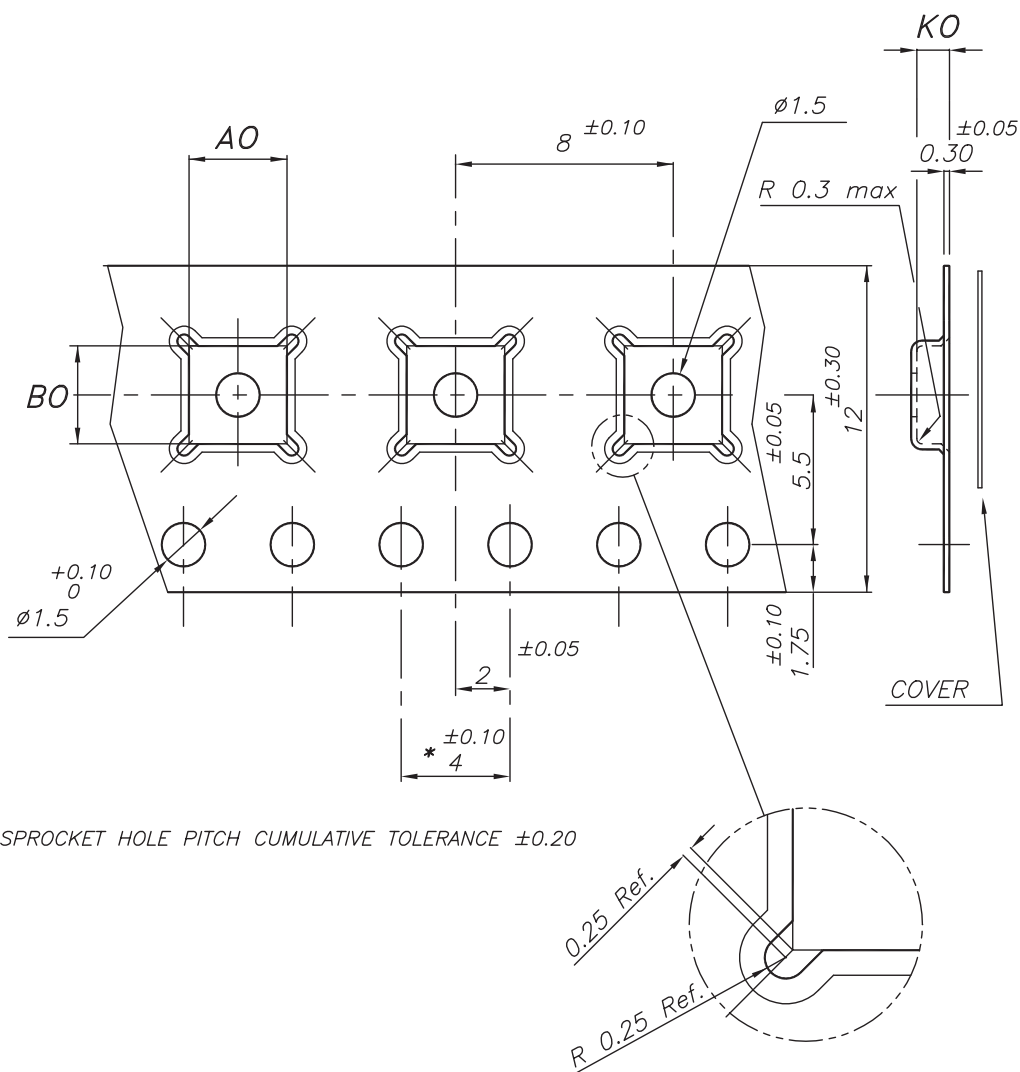
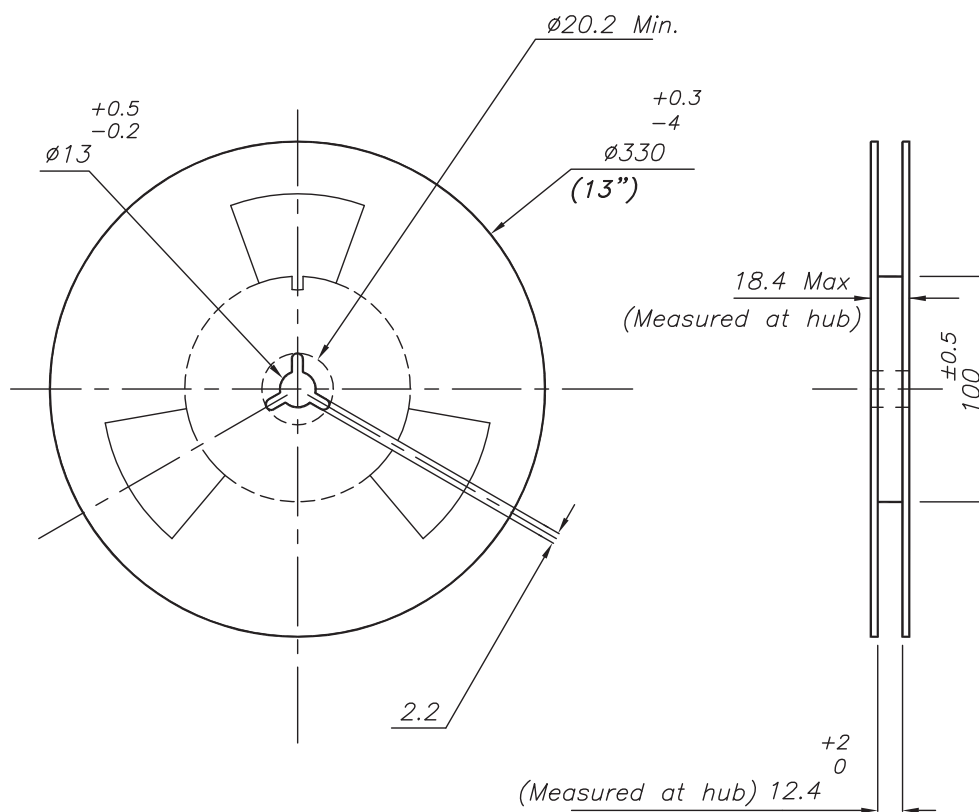


Table 8. DFN8 (3 x 3 mm) tape mechanical data

| Dim. | mm              |
|------|-----------------|
|      | Value           |
| Ao   | 3.30 $\pm 0.10$ |
| Bo   | 3.30 $\pm 0.10$ |
| Ko   | 1.10 $\pm 0.10$ |

**Figure 29. DFN8 (3 x 3 mm) reel outline**


## 9 Ordering information

**Table 9. Order codes**

| DFN8-3x3   |         | Output voltage |
|------------|---------|----------------|
| Order code | Marking |                |
| LD59100PUR | 5910    | Adjustable     |

## Revision history

**Table 10. Document revision history**

| Date        | Revision | Changes                                                            |
|-------------|----------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 06-Sep-2017 | 1        | Initial release                                                    |
| 21-Nov-2018 | 2        | Updated <a href="#">Figure 15. Reverse current vs. temperature</a> |

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