



# EVL28167-A-Q-00A

## 3A, 22V, Synchronous Buck-Boost Converter with I<sup>2</sup>C Interface for Power Delivery Evaluation Board

### DESCRIPTION

The EVL28167-A-Q-00A is an evaluation board for the MP28167-A, a high-efficiency, synchronous buck-boost converter with four integrated power switches and an I<sup>2</sup>C interface. The device can regulate output voltages across a wide input voltage supply range (2.8V to 22V).

The MP28167-A's integrated output voltage scaling and configurable output current limit functions are ideal for USB power delivery (PD) applications.

In buck mode, the MP28167-A uses constant-on-time (COT) control. In boost mode, it uses constant-off-time control. This provides fast load transient response and a smooth buck-boost mode transient. The MP28167-A features automatic pulse-frequency modulation (PFM) and pulse-width modulation (PWM) modes, forced PWM mode, as well as configurable constant current (CC) limiting and soft start (SS). These features provide flexible design options for different applications.

The MP28167-A's fault protections include over-current protection (OCP), over-voltage protection (OVP), under-voltage protection (UVP), short-circuit protection (SCP), and thermal shutdown (TSD).

The MP28167-A requires a minimal number of readily available, standard external components, and is available in a QFN-16 (3mmx3mm) package.

### ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Units
Operating input voltage	V <sub>IN</sub>	12	V
Switching frequency	f <sub>sw</sub>	500	kHz
Output voltage	V <sub>OUT</sub>	5	V
Output current	I <sub>OUT</sub>	3	A

### FEATURES

- Configurable Output Voltage via the FB Pin
- Wide 2.8V to 22V Operating Input Range
- 0.08V to 1.637V Reference Voltage (V<sub>REF</sub>) Range with 0.8mV Resolution via the I<sup>2</sup>C (Default V<sub>REF</sub> is 1V )
- 3A Output Current or 4A Input Current
- Four Internal, Low R<sub>DS(ON)</sub> Power MOSFETs
- Accurate Constant Current (CC) Output Current Limit with Internal Sensing
- 500kHz/750kHz Configurable Switching Frequency
- Line Drop Compensation
- Over-Voltage Protection (OVP) with Hiccup Mode
- Short-Circuit Protection (SCP) with Hiccup Mode
- Over-Temperature Protection
- I<sup>2</sup>C Interface and One-Time Programmable (OTP) Non-Volatile Memory:
  - Pulse-Frequency Modulation (PFM)  
Pulse-Width Modulation (PWM) Modes,  
Line Drop Compensation, Soft Start,  
OCP, OVP, etc.
- Configurable EN Shutdown Discharge
- Available in a QFN-16 (3mmx3mm) Package

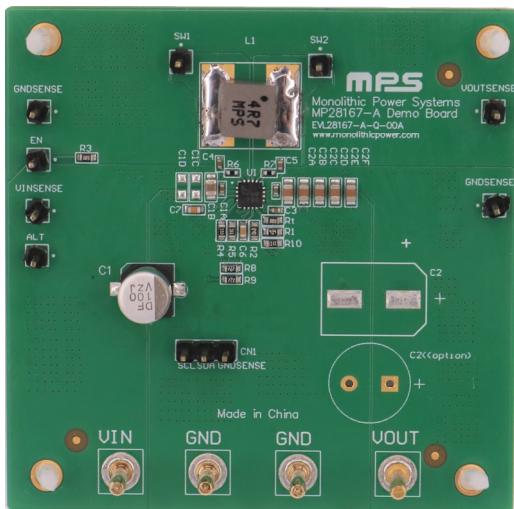
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### APPLICATIONS

- USB Power Delivery (PD) for Sourcing Ports
- Buck-Boost Bus Voltage (V<sub>BUS</sub>) Supplies

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## EVL28167-A-Q-00A EVALUATION BOARD

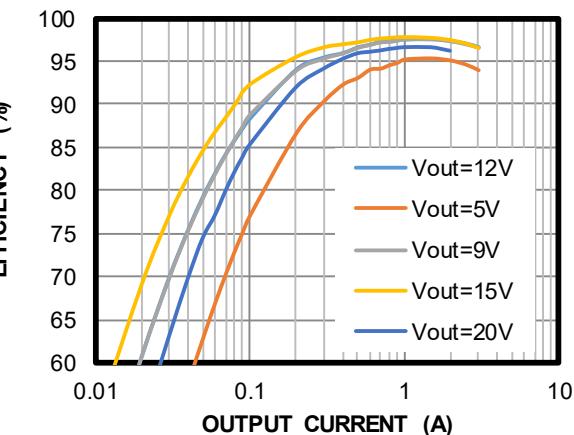


LxW (6.35cmx6.35cm)

Board Number	MPS IC Number	MPS Inductor
EVL28167-A-Q-00A	MP28167GQ-A	MPL-AL6050-4R7

### Efficiency vs. Output Current

$V_{IN} = 12V$ ,  $V_{out} = 5V$ ,  $f_{sw} = 500kHz$ ,  
 $L = 4.7\mu H$ ,  $R_{DC} = 16.5m\Omega$



## QUICK START GUIDE

1. Connect the load terminals to:
  - a. Positive (+): VOUT
  - b. Negative (-): GND
2. Preset the power supply output to 12V.
3. Turn off the power supply.
4. Connect the power supply terminals to:
  - a. Positive (+): VIN
  - b. Negative (-): GND
5. After making the connections, turn on the power supply. The board automatically should start up with its default settings. The related parameters can be changed by the I<sup>2</sup>C.<sup>(1)</sup>

**Note:**

- 1) Refer to the MP28167-A datasheet for how to change the parameters via the I<sup>2</sup>C.

## EVALUATION BOARD SCHEMATIC

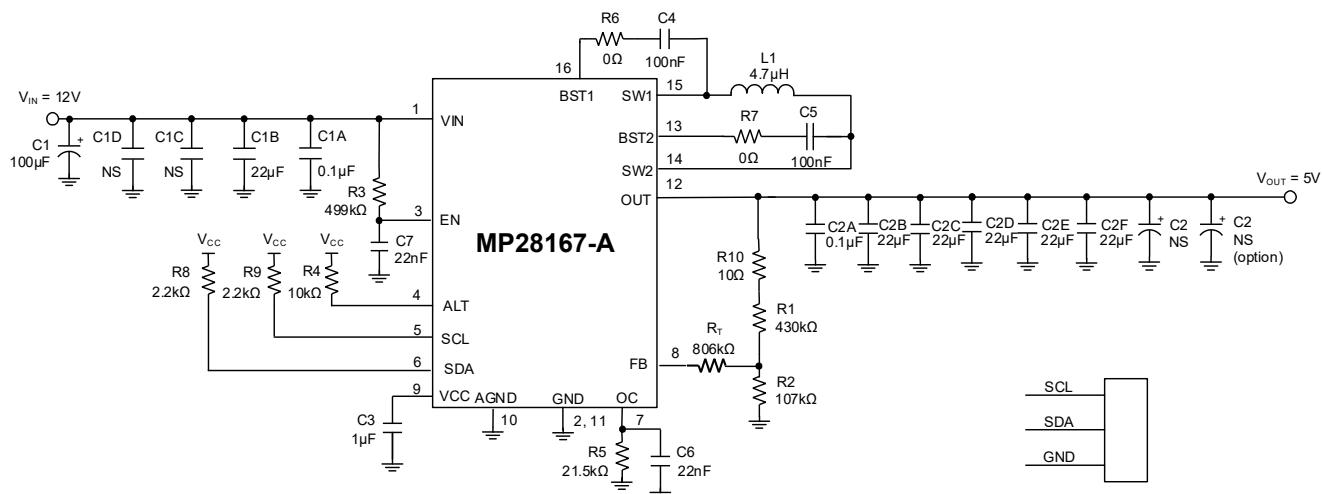


Figure 1: Evaluation Board Schematic

**EVL28167-A-Q-00A BILL OF MATERIALS**

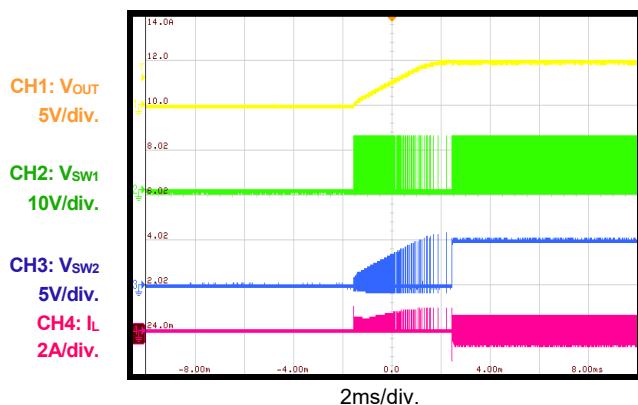
Qty	Ref	Value	Description	Package	Manufacturer	Manufacturer PN
1	U1	MP28167-A	Synchronous buck-boost converter	QFN-16 (3mmx3mm)	MPS	MP28167GQ-A
1	L1	4.7µH	Inductor, RDC = 16.5mΩ, I <sub>SAT</sub> = 11A	SMD	MPS	MPL-AL6050-4R7
1	C1	100µF	Electrolytic capacitor, 35V	SMD	Chemicon	EMZJ350ADA101MF80G
6	C1B, C2B, C2C, C2D, C2E, C2F	22µF	Ceramic capacitor 25V, X5R	0805	TDK	C2012X5R1E226M
1	C3	1µF	Ceramic capacitor, 16V, X6S	0402	Murata	GRM155C81C105KE11D
4	C1A, C2A, C4, C5	100nF	Ceramic capacitor, 50V, X7R	0402	Samsung	CL05B104KB5NNNC
2	C6, C7	22nF	Ceramic capacitor, 50V, X5R	0603	Murata	GRM188R71H223KA01D
0	C1C, C1D, C2, C2 (option)	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA
1	R1	430kΩ	Film resistor, 1%	0603	Yageo	RC0603FR-07430KL
1	R2	107kΩ	Film resistor, 1%	0603	Yageo	RC0603FR-07107KL
1	R3	499kΩ	Film resistor, 1%	0603	Yageo	RC0603FR-07499KL
1	R4	10kΩ	Film resistor, 1%	0603	Yageo	RC0603FR-0710KL
1	R5	21.5kΩ	Film resistor, 1%	0603	Yageo	RC0603FR-0721K5RL
2	R6, R7	0Ω	Film resistor, 1%	0402	Yageo	RC0402FR-070RL
2	R8, R9	2.2kΩ	Film resistor, 1%	0603	Yageo	RC0603FR-072K2L
1	R10	10Ω	Film resistor, 1%	0603	Yageo	RC0603FR-0710RL
1	R <sub>T</sub>	806kΩ	Film resistor, 1%	0603	Yageo	RC0603FR-07806KL
1	CN1	2.54mm	Test pin	DIP	Wurth	61300311121

## EVB TEST RESULTS

Performance waveforms are tested on the evaluation board.  $V_{IN} = 12V$ ,  $V_{OUT} = 5V$ ,  $L = 4.7\mu H$ ,  $f_{sw} = 500kHz$ ,  $T_A = 25^\circ C$ , unless otherwise noted.

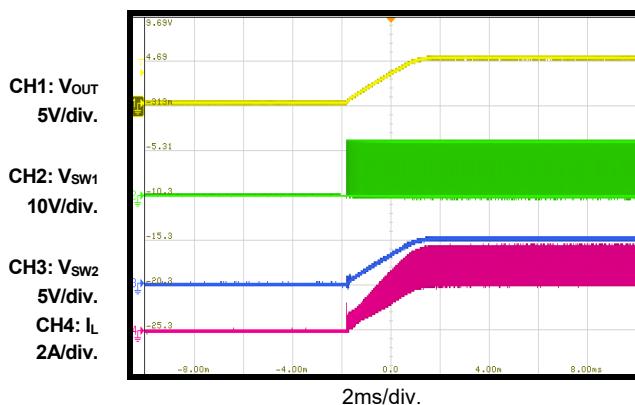
### Start-Up through EN via I<sup>2</sup>C Command

Load = 0A



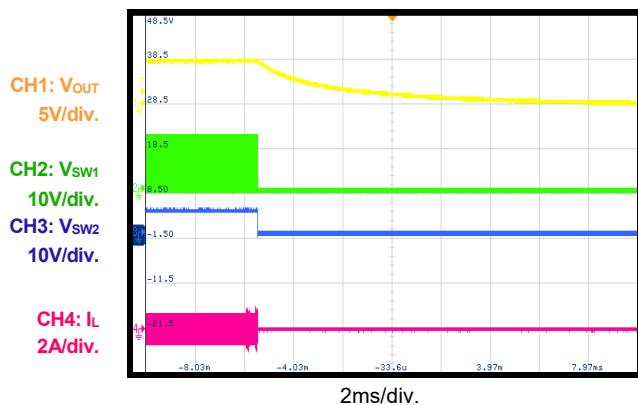
### Start-Up through EN via I<sup>2</sup>C Command

Load = 3A



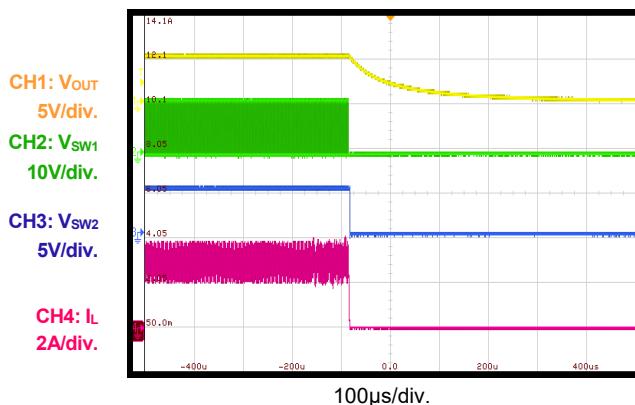
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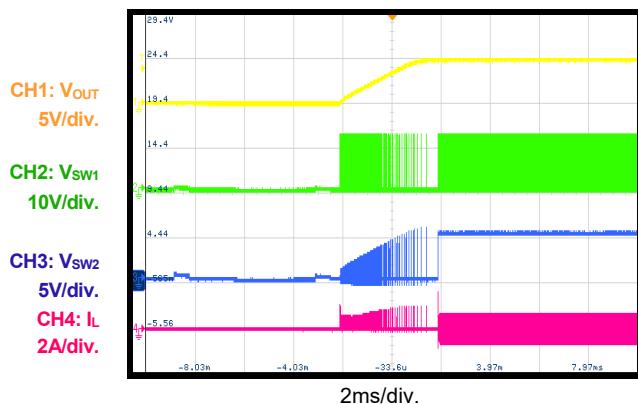
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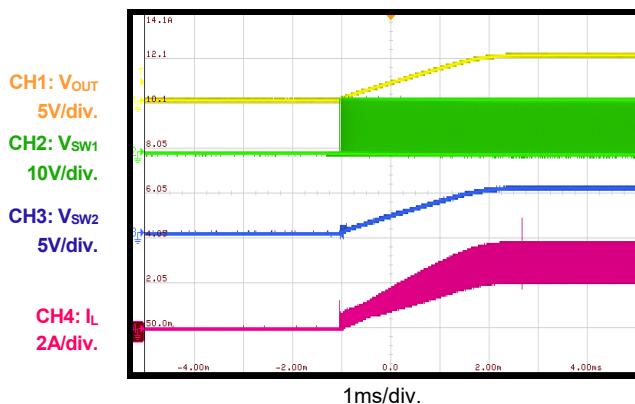
### Start-Up through EN

Load = 0A



### Start-Up through EN

Load = 3A

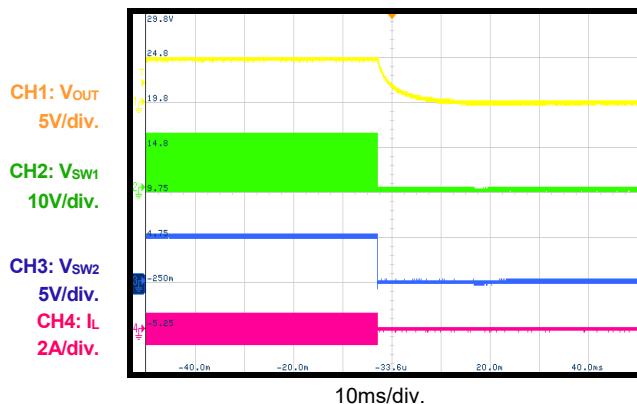


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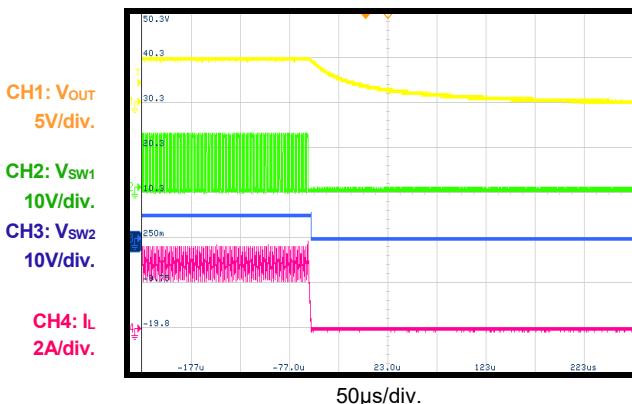
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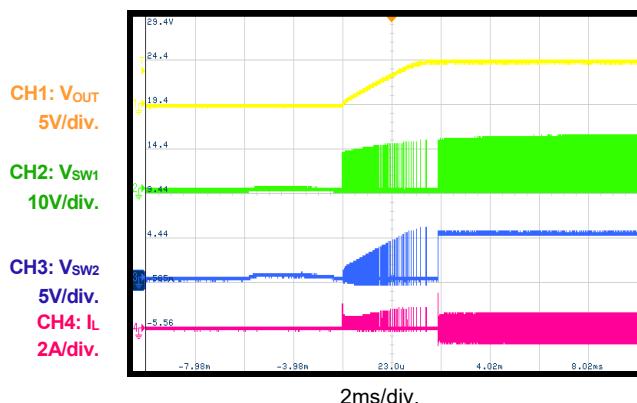
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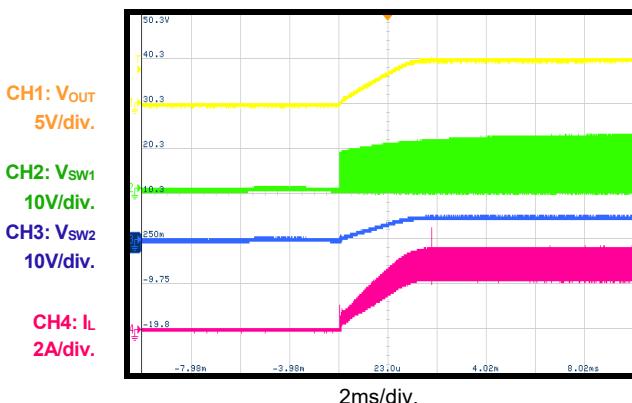
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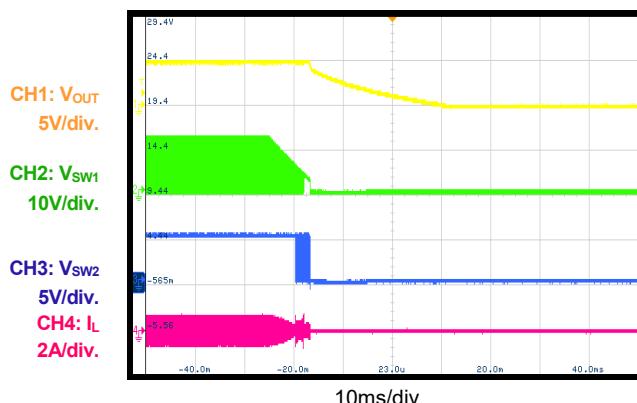
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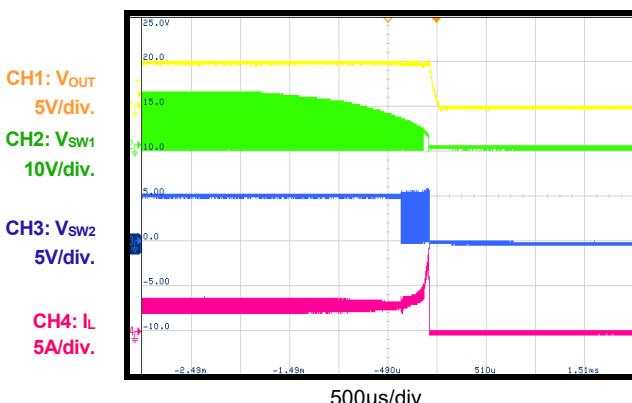
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### Shutdown through VIN

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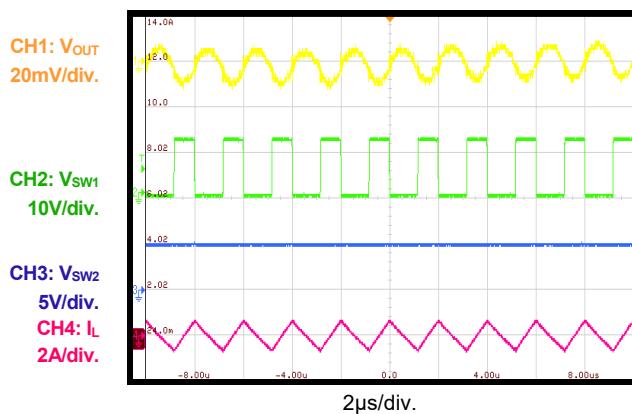


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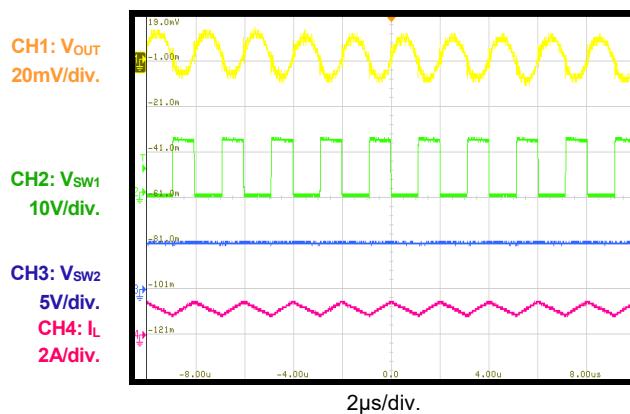
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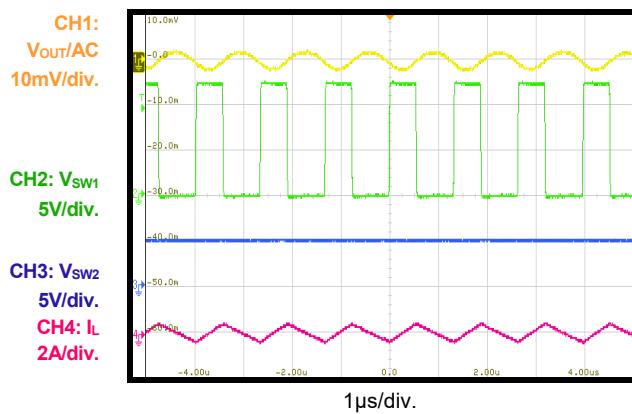
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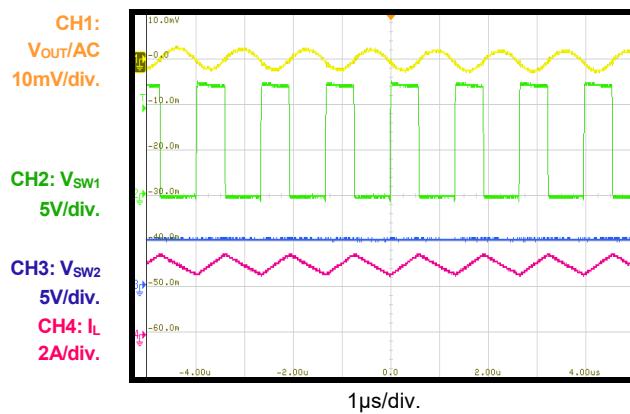
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$V_{OUT} = 5V$ , load = 0A,  $f_{SW} = 750kHz$



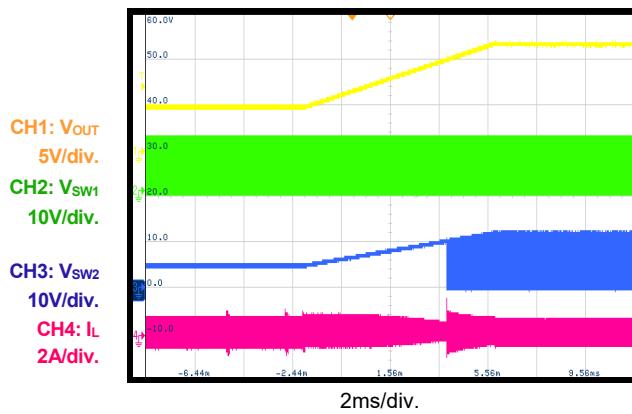
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$V_{OUT} = 5V$ , load = 3A,  $f_{SW} = 750kHz$



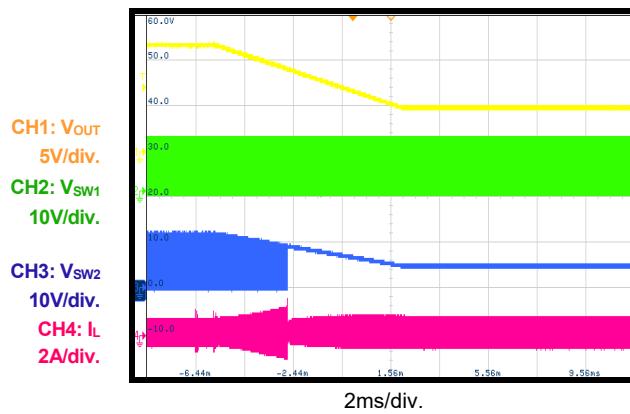
### I<sup>2</sup>C VID

$V_{OUT} = 5V$  to  $12V$ ,  $I_{OUT} = 0A$ ,  $R_1 = 430k\Omega$ ,  $R_2 = 53.6k\Omega$



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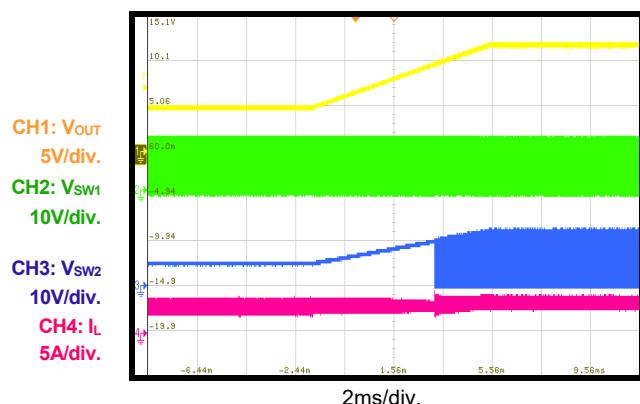


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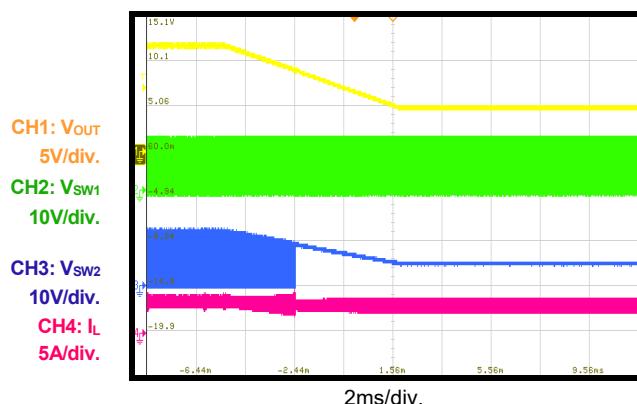
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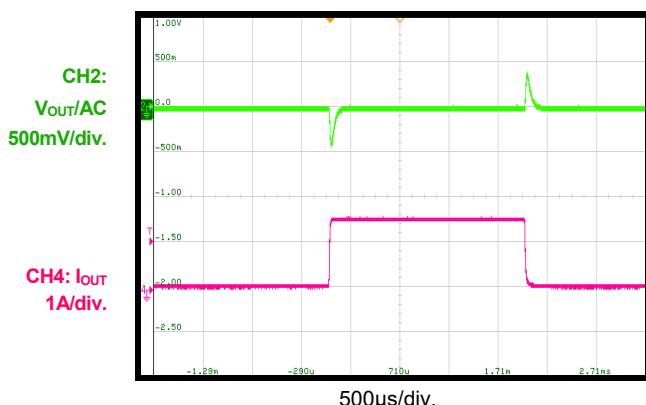
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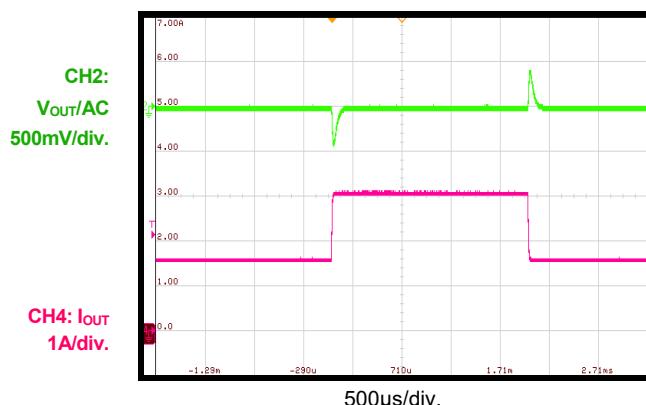
### Load Transient

$V_{IN} = 12V$ ,  $V_{OUT} = 5V$ , no line drop compensation, 0A to 1.5A, 150mA/ $\mu$ s

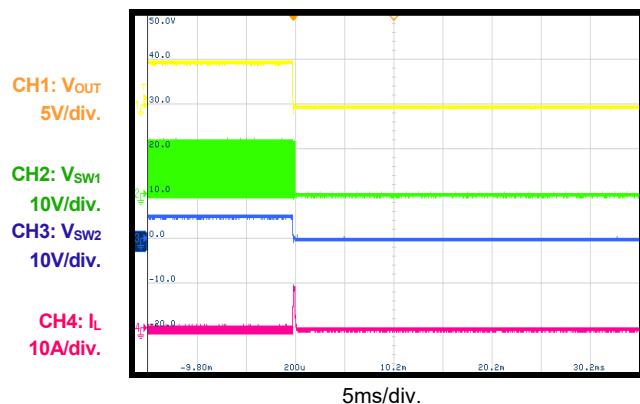


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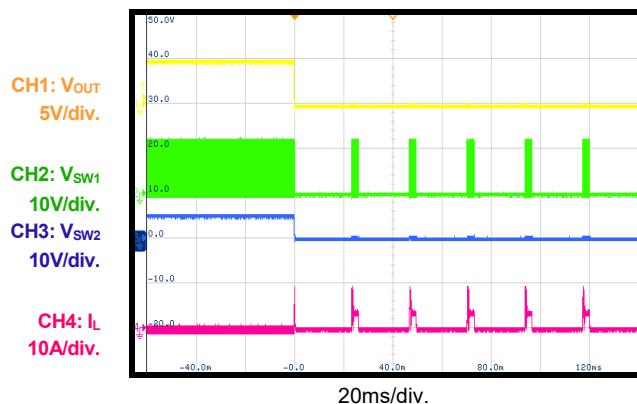
$V_{IN} = 12V$ ,  $V_{OUT} = 5V$ , no line drop compensation, 1.5A to 3A, 150mA/ $\mu$ s



### SCP Entry in Latch-Off Mode



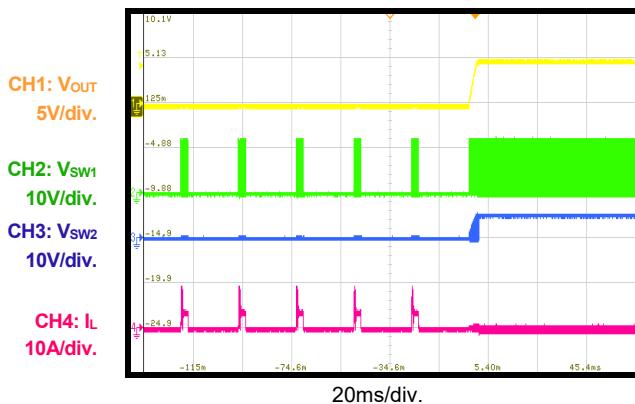
### SCP Entry in Hiccup Mode



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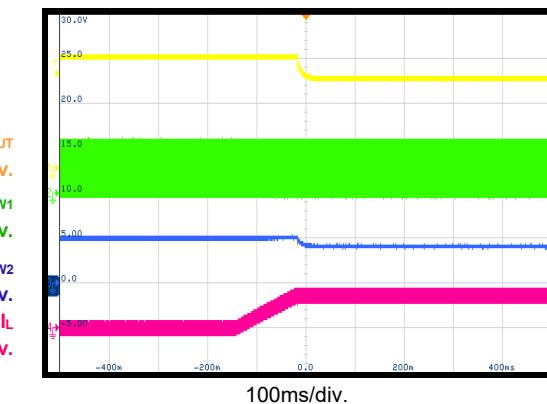
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### SCP Recovery in Hiccup Mode

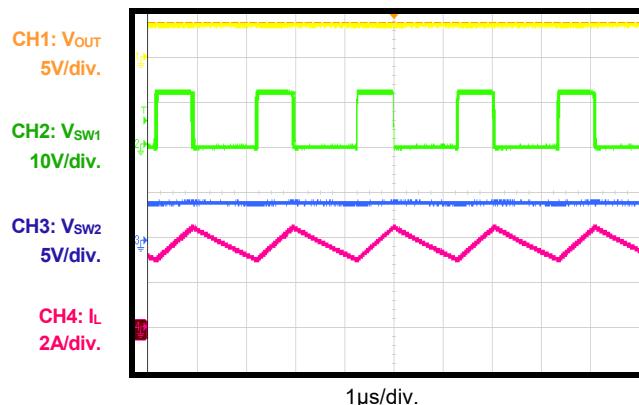


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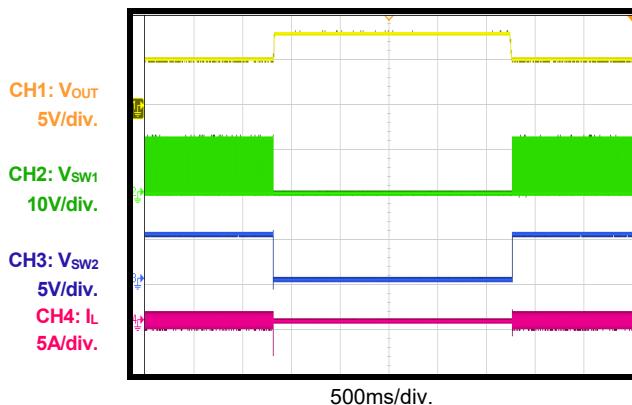
Tested in CV mode on an electronic load



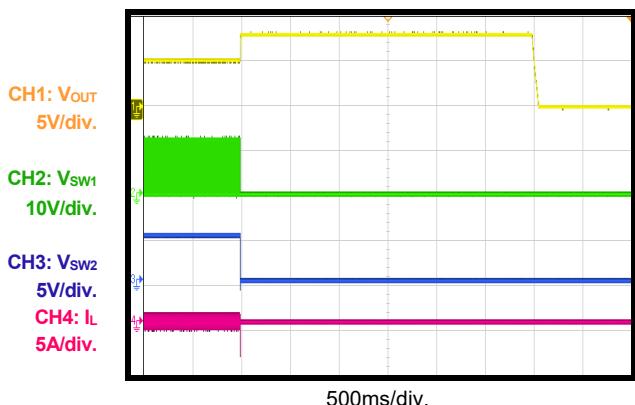
### CC Limit Steady State



### $V_{OUT}$ OVP in Hiccup Mode



### $V_{OUT}$ OVP in Latch-Off Mode



## PCB LAYOUT

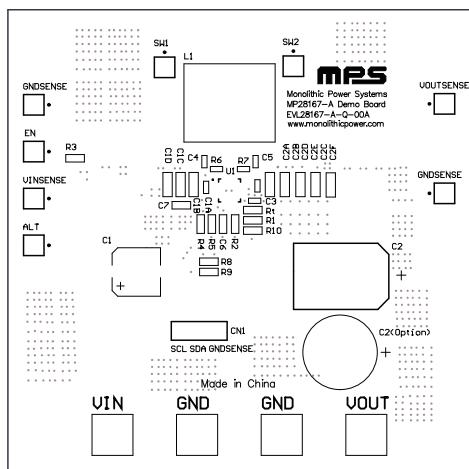


Figure 2: Top Silk

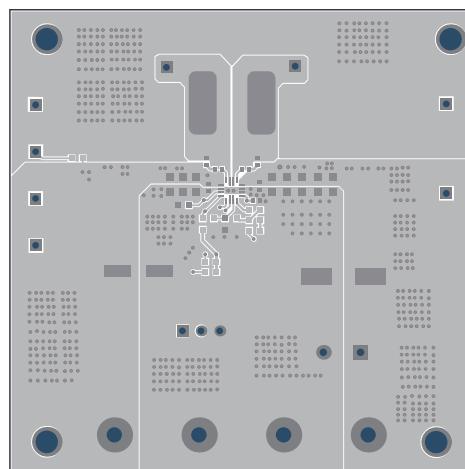


Figure 3: Top Layer

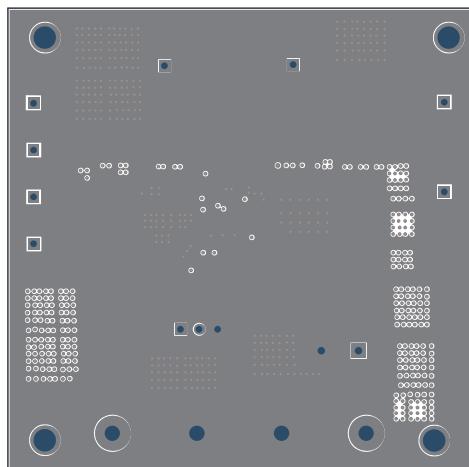


Figure 4: Mid-Layer 1

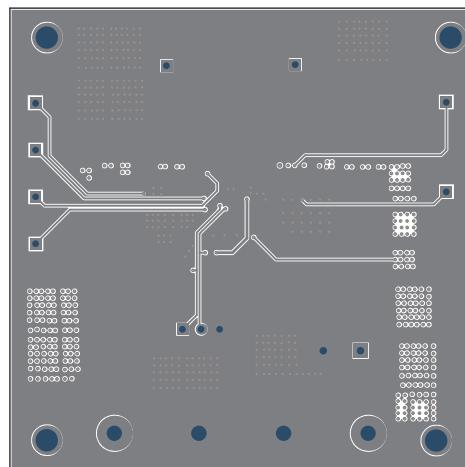


Figure 5: Mid-Layer 2

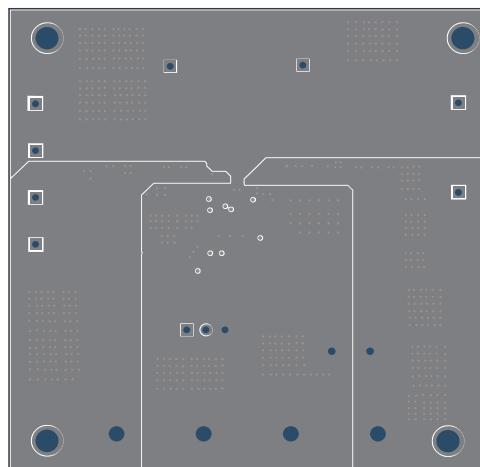


Figure 6: Bottom Layer

**REVISION HISTORY**

Revision #	Revision Date	Description	Pages Updated
1.0	2/25/2021	Initial Release	-

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