

Dual low-dropout regulators, low noise, 300 mARev. 1 — 11 July 2013Obic

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Product profile 1.

1.1 General description

The LD6938 series consists of small-size dual Low DropOut regulators (LDO). Each device delivers two times 300 mA with a typical voltage drop of 240 mV at full output load. The devices offer two separate fixed nominal output voltages (V_{O(nom)}) in the range of 1.2 V to 3.3 V.

The LDO has an integrated Soft start to control the inrush current during start-up. The output mode, when disabled, can be high-ohmic 3-state or auto discharge. Optionally a delayed start-up circuit is available for the second output. The devices are available in a 6-bump Wafer-Level Chip-Scale Package (WLCSP) with a height of 0.47 mm.

1.2 Features and benefits

- High Power Supply Rejection Ratio (PSRR)
- Low output noise
- Low quiescent current
- Extremely low standby current ($\leq 0.1 \ \mu A$)
- Soft start circuit to limit inrush current
- Output current limiter with foldback circuit
- Overtemperature protection
- Delayed output circuit for second LDO (optional)
- Auto discharge or high-ohmic mode for output when disabled
- WLCSP6 with 0.4 mm pitch and package size of 1.2 mm × 0.8 mm × 0.47 mm

1.3 Applications

- Smartphones
- Mobile handsets
- Digital still cameras

1.4 Quick reference data

- I_O = 300 mA for each LDO
- PSRR = 80 dB at 1 kHz
- RMS noise $V_{n(o)RMS} = 70 \ \mu V$ at 10 Hz to 100 kHz
- t_{startup(reg)} ≤ 200 μs

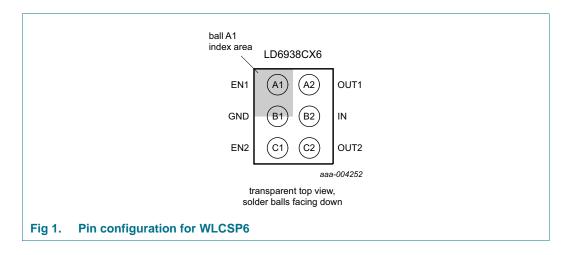
- Tablet PCs
- Mobile internet devices
- Portable media players
- V_I = 1.7 V to 5.5 V
- V_O = 1.2 V to 3.3 V (fixed value)
- Drop voltage V_{do} = 240 mV at I_O = 300 mA
- Quiescent current I_q = 30 μA for each LDO at $I_0 = 0 \text{ mA}$



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2. Pinning information

2.1 Pinning



2.2 Pin description

Table 1. Pin description for WLCSP6

Symbol	Pin	Description	
EN1	A1	regulator 1 enable input	
OUT1	A2	regulator 1 output voltage	
GND	B1	supply ground	
IN	B2	supply voltage input	
EN2	C1	regulator 2 enable input	
OUT2	C2	regulator 2 output voltage	

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3. Ordering information

Table 2. Ordering information				
Type number	Package			
	Name	Description	Version	
LD6938CX6	WLCSP6	wafer level chip-size package; 6 bumps (2 \times 3)	-	

3.1 Ordering options

Further output voltage versions and optional delay circuit for the second LDO are available on request; see <u>Section 15 "Contact information"</u>.

 Table 3.
 Type number extension of high ohmic output

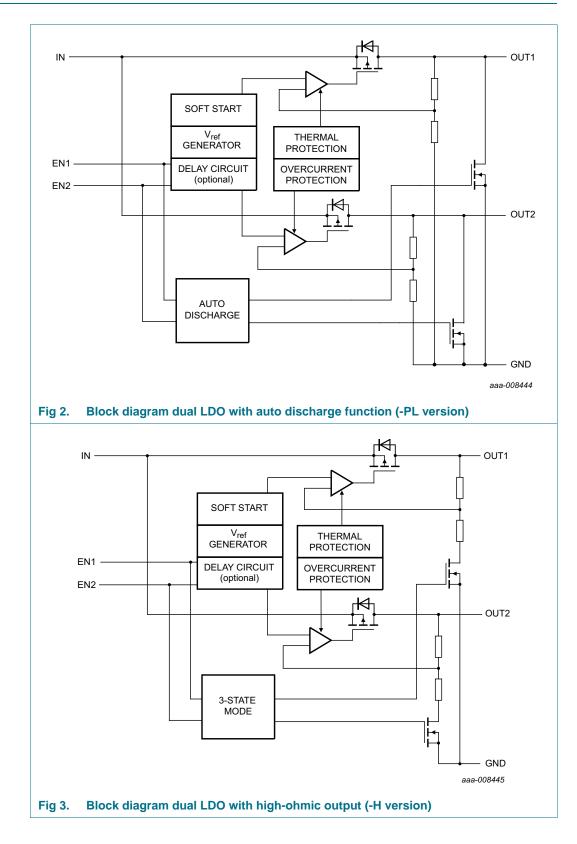
Type number	Nominal output volt	age V _{O(nom)}
	OUT1	OUT2
LD6938CX6/1818H	1.8 V	1.8 V

Table 4. Type number extension for auto discharge

Type number	Nominal output volt	tage V _{O(nom)}
	OUT1	OUT2
LD6938CX6/1215PL	1.2 V	1.5 V
LD6938CX6/1218PL	1.2 V	1.8 V
LD6938CX6/18125PL	1.8 V	1.25 V
LD6938CX6/1818PL	1.8 V	1.8 V
LD6938CX6/1833PL	1.8 V	3.3 V
LD6938CX6/285285PL	2.85 V	2.85 V
LD6938CX6/3018PL	3.0 V	1.8 V
LD6938CX6/3030PL	3.0 V	3.0 V
LD6938CX6/33285PL	3.3 V	2.85 V
LD6938CX6/3333PL	3.3 V	3.3 V

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4. Block diagram



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5. Limiting values

Table 5. Limiting values

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134). Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V).

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit	
T _{stg}	storage temperature		-55	+150	°C	
Tj	junction temperature		-40	+125	°C	
T _{amb}	ambient temperature		-40	+85	°C	
P _{tot}	total power dissipation		<u>[1]</u> -	1000	mW	
V _{ESD}	electrostatic discharge	human body model level 4	[2] _	±2	kV	
	voltage	machine model class 3	<u>[3]</u> _	±200	V	
Pin IN, El	N1 and EN2					
VI	input voltage	4 ms transient	-0.5	+6.0	V	
V _{EN}	voltage on pin EN	4 ms transient	-0.5	+6.0	V	
Pin OUT1 and OUT2						
Vo	output voltage	4 ms transient	-0.5	+6.0	V	
lo	output current		0	500	mA	

[1] The (absolute) maximum power dissipation depends on the junction temperature T_j . Higher power dissipation is allowed with lower ambient temperatures. The conditions to determine the specified values are $T_{amb} = 25$ °C and the use of a two-layer Printed-Circuit Board (PCB).

- [2] According to IEC 61340-3-1.
- [3] According to JESD22-A115C.

6. Recommended operating conditions

Table 6.Operating conditions

Voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V).

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Max	Unit
T _{amb}	ambient temperature			-40	+85	°C
Tj	junction temperature			-	+125	°C
Pin IN						
VI	input voltage			1.7	5.5	V
C _{ext(IN)}	external capacitance on pin IN		<u>[1]</u>	1.0	-	μF
Pin EN1 a	and EN2					
V _{EN}	voltage on pin EN			0	VI	V
Pin OUT1	and OUT2					
Vo	output voltage			0	5.5	V
C _{L(ext)}	external load capacitance		[1]	1.0	-	μF

[1] See Section 9.1 "Input and output capacitor values".

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7. Thermal characteristics

Table 7.	Thermal characteristics				
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Тур	Unit
R _{th(j-a)}	thermal resistance from junction to ambient		<u>[1][2]</u>	100	K/W

- [1] The overall R_{th(j-a)} can vary depending on the board layout. To minimize the effective R_{th(j-a)}, all pins must have a solid connection to larger Cu layer areas for example to the power and ground layer. In multi-layer PCB applications, the second layer should be used to create a large heat spreader area directly below the LDO. If this layer is either ground or power, it should be connected with several vias to the top layer connecting to the device ground or supply. Avoid the use of solder-stop varnish under the chip.
- [2] Use the measurement data given for a rough estimation of the R_{th(j-a)} in your application. The actual R_{th(j-a)} value can vary in applications using different layer stacks and layouts.

8. Characteristics

Table 8. Electrical characteristics

At recommended input voltages and $T_{amb} = -40$ °C to +85 °C; voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V); unless otherwise specified.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
Output voltage	e (pin OUT1 and OUT2)					
V _{do}	dropout voltage	$I_O = 300 \text{ mA}; V_{IN} \leq V_{O(nom)}$	-	240	400	mV
ΔV_O	output voltage variation	$V_O \ge 1.5 \text{ V}; \text{ I}_O = 1 \text{ mA}$				
		T _{amb} = +25 °C	-2	-	+2	%
		$-30 \ ^\circ C \le T_{amb} \le$ +85 $^\circ C$	-3	-	+3	%
		$V_{\rm O}$ < 1.5 V; $I_{\rm O}$ = 1 mA				
		T _{amb} = +25 °C	-3	-	+3	%
		$-30~^\circ C \le T_{amb} \le +85~^\circ C$	-4	-	+4	%
Line regulation	n error					
$\Delta V_{O}/(V_{O}x\Delta V_{I})$	relative output voltage variation with input voltage	$V_I = (V_{O(nom)} + 1 V)$ to 5.5 V; $I_O = 1 mA$	-0.1	-	+0.1	%/V
$\Delta V_{O}/V_{O}$	relative output voltage variation	$V_I = (V_{O(nom)} + 1 V)$ to 5.5 V; $I_O = 1 mA$	-0.33	-	+0.33	%
Load regulation	on error					
$\Delta V_{O}/(V_{O}x\Delta I_{O})$	relative output voltage variation with output current		-	0.0025	0.0065	%/mA
$\Delta V_{O}/V_{O}$	relative output voltage variation	$V_{I} = V_{O(nom)} + 1 V$	-	-	2	%

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Table 8. Electrical characteristics ...continued

At recommended input voltages and $T_{amb} = -40$ °C to +85 °C; voltages are referenced to GND (ground = 0 V); unless otherwise specified.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Мах	Unit
Output curre	ent (pin OUT1 and OUT2)					
Ι _Ο	output current		300	-	-	mA
Iact(fold)	foldback activation current	$V_O = 0.9 \times V_{O(nom)}$	-	750	-	mA
I _{sc}	short-circuit current	$V_{O} = 0 V$	-	100	-	mA
Iq	quiescent current	(EN1 or EN2) = HIGH; I _O = 0 mA at OUT1 and OUT2; $V_I = V_{O(nom)} + 1 V$	-	30	-	μΑ
		(EN1 and EN2) = HIGH; $I_O = 0$ mA at OUT1 and OUT2; $V_I = V_{O(nom)} + 1$ V	-	58	75	μΑ
		(EN1 or EN2) = HIGH; 1 mA \leq I _O \leq 300 mA at OUT1 and OUT2; V _I = V _{O(nom)} + 1 V	-	400	-	μΑ
		(EN1 and EN2) = LOW	-	-	1.0	μA
Ripple reject	ion and output noise					
PSRR	power supply rejection ratio		-	80	-	dB
V _{n(o)(RMS)}	RMS output noise voltage	bandwidth = 10 Hz to 100 kHz; $C_{L(ext)}$ = 1 μ F; V _O = 1.8 V	-	70	-	μV
Enable input	and timing (pin EN1 and EN2)					
V _{IL}	LOW-level input voltage		0	-	0.4	V
V _{IH}	HIGH-level input voltage		1.1	-	5.5	V
l _{en}	enable current	-H version	-	250	-	nA
		-PL version; V_{EN} = 1.8 V	-	12	-	μA
R _{pd}	pull-down resistance	-PL version	100	150	200	kΩ
t _{startup} (reg)	regulator start-up time		-	110	200	μS
Automatic d	ischarge function (-PL version)					
R _{pd}	pull-down resistance		-	100	-	Ω
t _{sd(reg)}	regulator shutdown time		<u>[1]</u> _	300	-	μS
Thermal pro	tection					
T _{sd}	shutdown temperature		-	160	-	°C
T _{sd(hys)}	shutdown temperature hysteresis		[1] -	20	-	К

[1] After T_{sd} was reached and after the device was disabled, the junction temperature must decrease by T_{sd(hys)} to enable the device.

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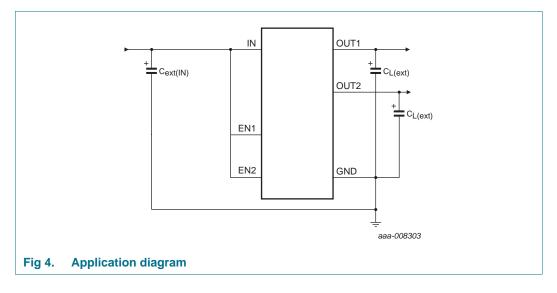
9.1 Input and output capacitor values

The devices require external capacitors at the output to guarantee a stable regulator behavior. Also an input capacitor is recommended to keep the input voltage stable. These capacitors should not under-run the specified minimum Equivalent Series Resistance (ESR).

The absolute value of the total capacitance attached to the output pin OUT influences the shutdown time (t_{sd(rea)}) of the devices.

Table 9.	External load capacitor					
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Мах	Unit
C _{ext(IN)}	external capacitance on pin IN		0.7	1.0	-	μF
C _{L(ext)}	external load capacitance		<u>1</u> 0.7	1.0	-	μF
ESR	equivalent series resistance		5	-	500	mΩ

[1] The minimum value of capacitance for stability and correct operation is 0.7 µF. The capacitor tolerance should be ±30 % or better over the temperature range. The full range of operating conditions for the capacitor in the application should be considered during device selection to ensure that this minimum capacitance specification is met. The recommended capacitor type is X7R to meet the full device temperature specification of -40 °C to +125 °C.



10. Test information

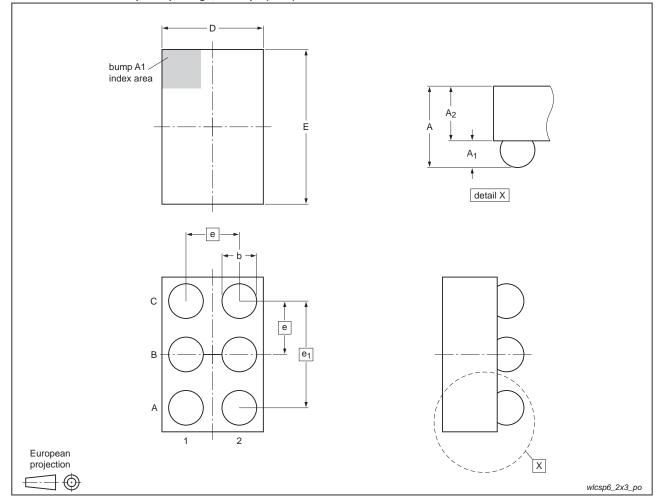
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11. Package outline



WLCSP6: wafer level chip-size package; 6 bumps (2 x 3)

Fig 5. Package outline WLCSP6

Table 10.	Dimensions of LD6938 series in WLCSP6 (Figure 5)	
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Symbol	Min	Тур	Мах	Unit	
А	0.440	0.470	0.500	mm	
A ₁	0.180	0.200	0.220	mm	
A ₂	0.260	0.270	0.280	mm	
b	0.210	0.260	0.310	mm	
D	0.710	0.760	0.810	mm	
E	1.110	1.160	1.210	mm	
е	-	0.400	-	mm	
e ₁	-	0.800	-	mm	

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12. PCB assembly guidelines for Pb-free soldering

Table 11. Assembly recommendations	
Parameter	Value or specification
Solder screen thickness	100 μm (0.004 inch)
Solder paste: Pb-free	SnAg (3 % to 4 %); Cu (0.5 % to 0.9 %)
Solder to flux ratio	50 : 50
Solder reflow profile	see <u>Figure 6</u>

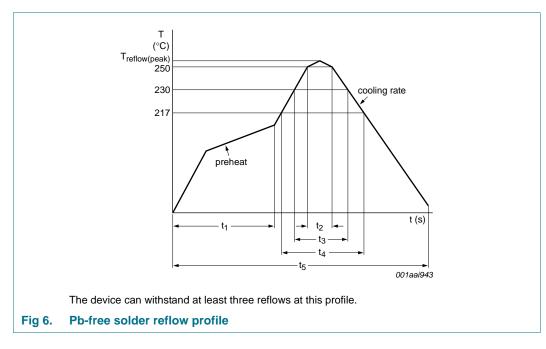


Table 12.Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
T _{reflow(peak)}	peak reflow temperature		230	-	260	°C
t ₁	time 1	soak time	60	-	180	S
t ₂	time 2	time during T \geq 250 $^{\circ}C$	-	-	30	S
t ₃	time 3	time during T \geq 230 $^{\circ}C$	10	-	50	S
t ₄	time 4	time during T > 217 °C	30	-	150	S
t ₅	time 5		-	-	540	S
dT/dt rate of change of temperature	cooling rate	-	-	-6	°C/s	
	preheat	2.5	-	4.0	°C/s	

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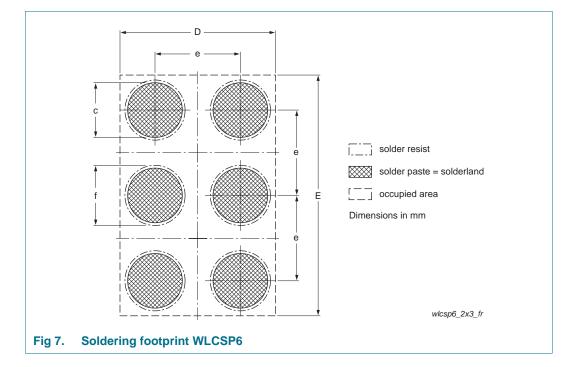


Table 13. Dimensions of soldering footprint WLCSP6 (Figure 7)

Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
С	-	0.25	-	mm
D	0.71	0.76	0.81	mm
E	1.11	1.16	1.21	mm
е	-	0.4	-	mm
f	-	0.325	-	mm

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Table 14. Revision histo	ory			
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