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EV3423-G-00A

9A, 600kHz Synchronous Step-up Converter with Output Disconnect Evaluation Board

DESCRIPTION

EV3423-G-00A Evaluation Board is designed to demonstrate the capability of MP3423. MP3423 is a high-efficiency, synchronous, current-mode, step-up converter with output disconnect.

The MP3423 can provide small size solution for 5V/3.1A load from a supply voltage down to 2.8V. The integrated P-channel synchronous rectifier improves efficiency and eliminates the need for an external Schottky diode. The PMOS disconnects the output from the input when the part shuts down.

The 600kHz switching frequency allows for small external components, while the internal compensation and soft-start minimize the external component count. The MP3423 is available in 14-pin QFN 2mmx2mm package.

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATION

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Units
Input Voltage	V_{IN}	2.8 – 4.2	V
Output Voltage	V_{OUT}	5	V
Output Current	I_{OUT}	0 – 3.1	A

FEATURES

- 2.5V to 5.5V Input Work Range
- 2.5V to 5.5V Output Range
- Internal Synchronous Rectifier
- 600kHz Fixed Frequency Switching
- 9A Switch Current Limit Capability
- 43uA Quiescent Current
- High Efficiency over Full Load Range
- Internal Soft-start and Compensation
- True Output Load Disconnect from Input
- OCP, SCP, OVP and OTP Protection
- Small QFN2x2-14 Package

APPLICATIONS

- Battery-Powered Products
- Personal Medical Devices
- Portable Media Players
- Wireless Peripherals
- Handheld Computers and Smart Phones

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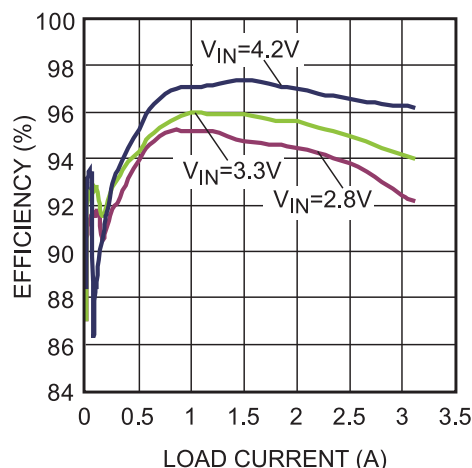
EV3423-G-00A EVALUATION BOARD



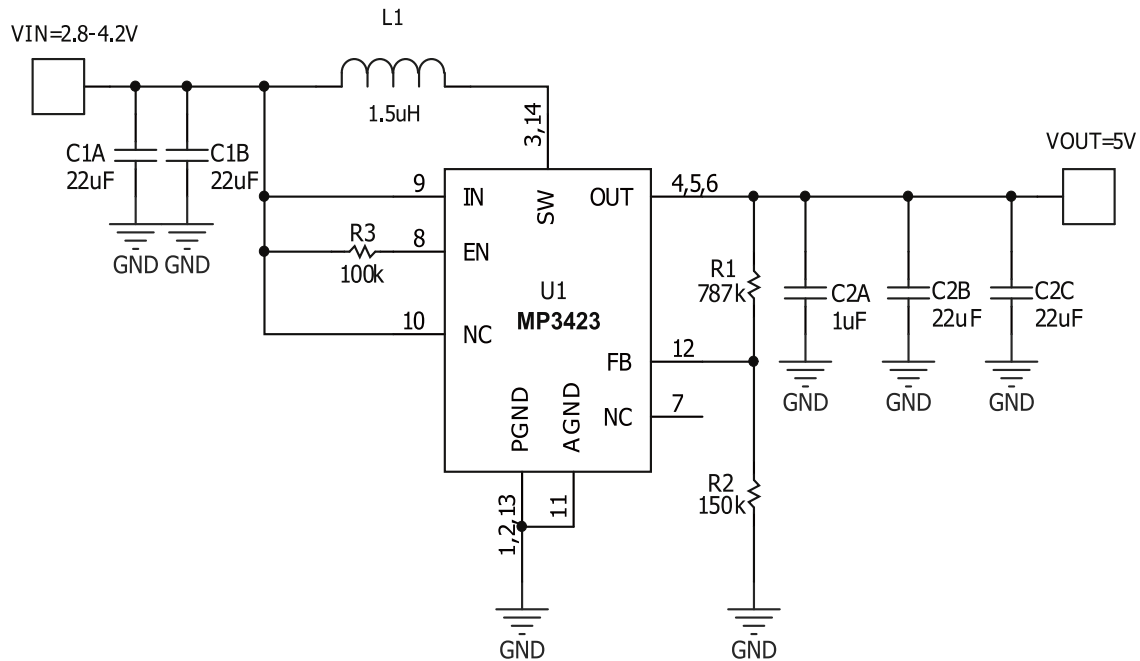
(L x W x H) 6.35cm x 6.35cm x 0.6cm

Board Number	MPS IC Number
EV3423-G-00A	MP3423GG

Efficiency vs. Load Current



EVALUATION BOARD SCHEMATIC



Notes:

- 1) NC (PIN10) need short to VIN.
- 2) NC (PIN7) need float or connect to GND
- 3) It is strongly recommended control IC on/off through EN pin.

EV3423-G-00A BILL OF MATERIALS

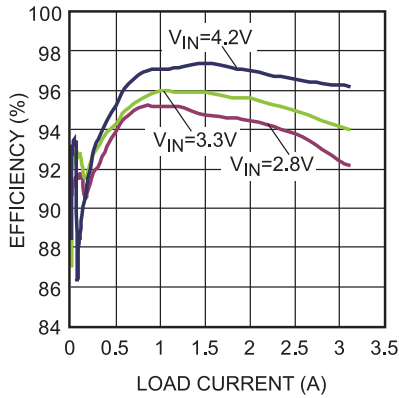
Qty	Ref	Value	Description	Package	Manufacturer	Part Number
4	C1A, C1B, C2B, C2C	22 μ F	Ceramic Cap, 10V,X7R	1210	Murata	GRM32ER71A226KE20L
1	C2A	1 μ F	Ceramic Cap,10V,X5R	0603	Murata	GRM188R61A105KA61D
1	L1	1.5 μ H	RDC=6.6m Ω , IR=11A,Isat=14A,	SMD	Wurth	744311150
1	R1	787k Ω	Film Res,1%	0603	YAGEO	RC0603FR-07787KL
1	R2	150k Ω	Film Res,1%	0603	ROYAL	RL0603FR-07150KL
1	R3	100k Ω	Film Res,1%	0603	ROYAL	RL0603FR-07100KL
1	U1	MP3423	9A Synchronous Step-up Converter with Output Disconnect	QFN-14 2mmx2mm	MPS	MP3423GG

EVB TEST RESULTS

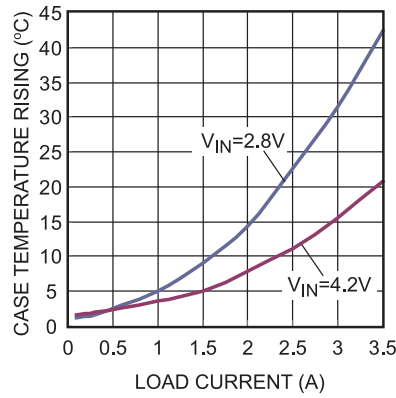
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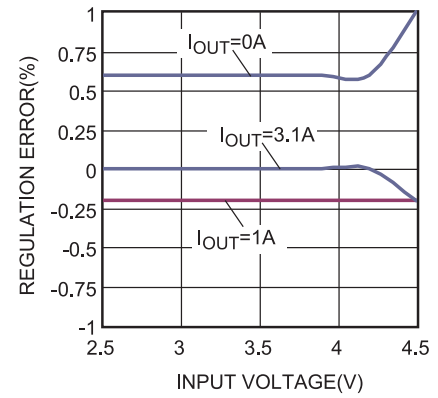
Efficiency vs. Load Current



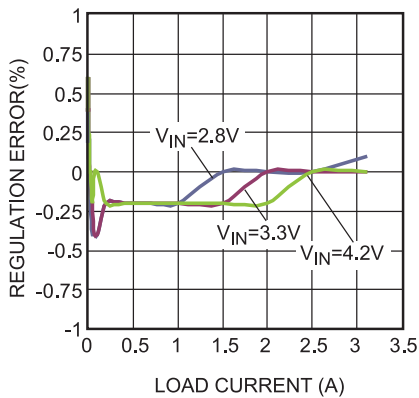
Case Temperature Rising vs. Load Current



Line Regulation

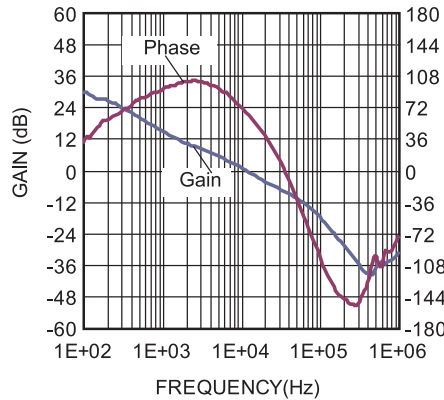


Load Regulation



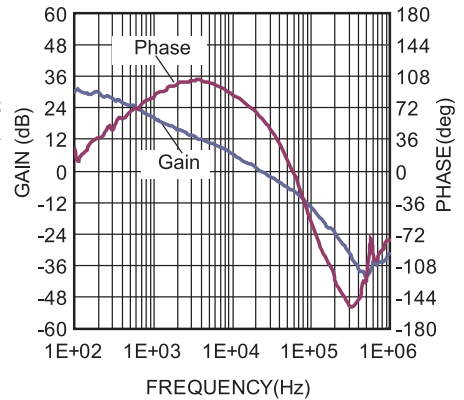
Bode Plot

$V_{IN} = 2.8V$, $I_{OUT} = 3.1A$



Bode Plot

$V_{IN} = 4.2V$, $I_{OUT} = 3.1A$



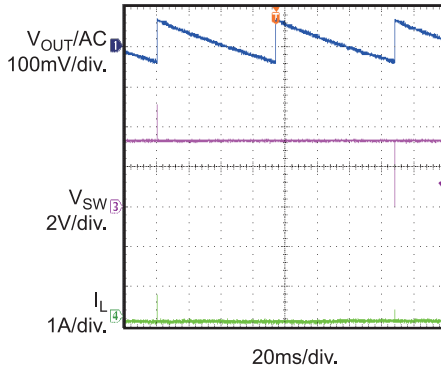
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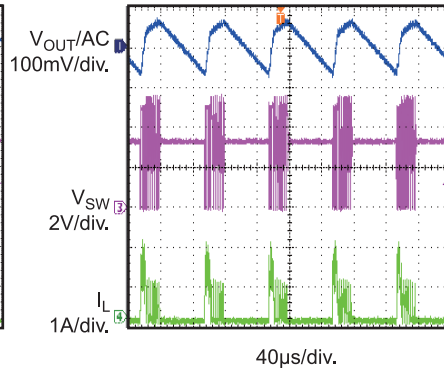
Output Voltage Ripple

$I_{OUT} = 0A$



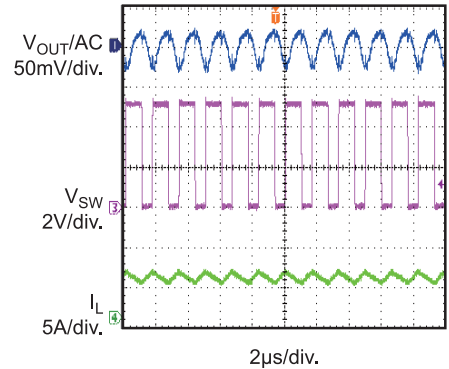
Output Voltage Ripple

$I_{OUT} = 0.1A$



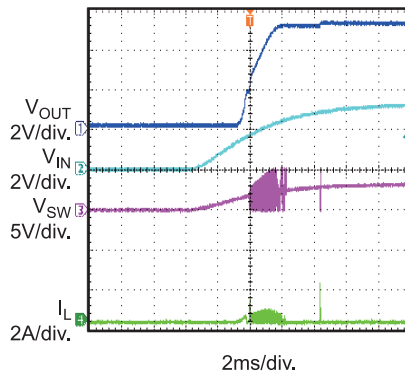
Output Voltage Ripple

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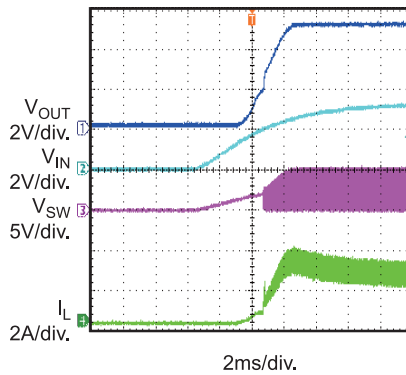
VIN Startup

$I_{OUT} = 0A$



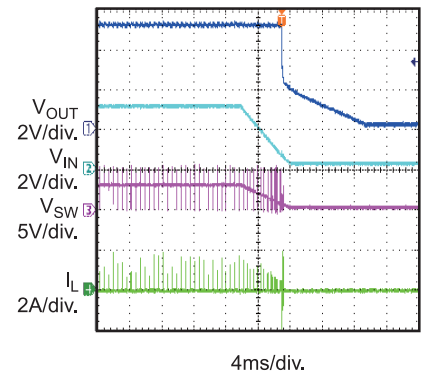
VIN Startup

$R_{LOAD} = 3.5\Omega$



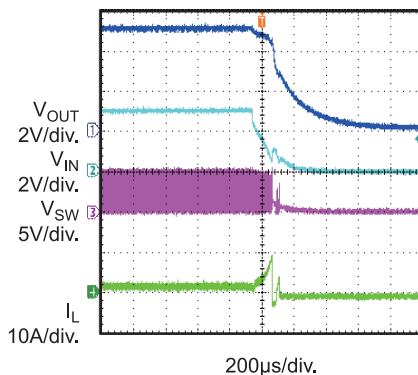
VIN Shutdown

$I_{OUT} = 0.01A$



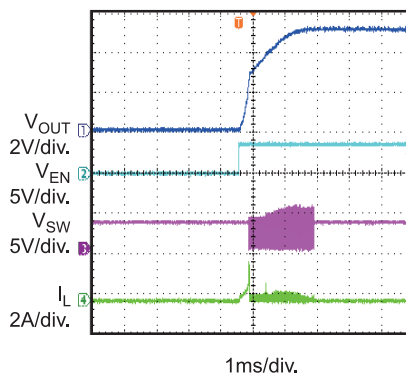
VIN Shutdown

$R_{LOAD} = 3.5\Omega$



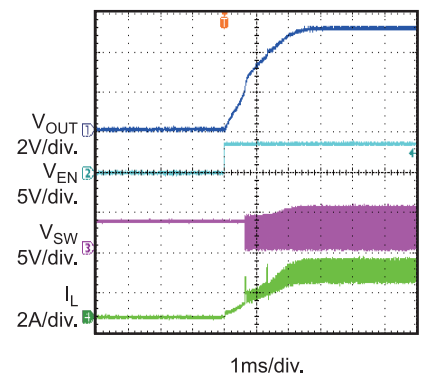
EN Startup

$I_{OUT} = 0A$



EN Startup

$R_{LOAD} = 3.5\Omega$



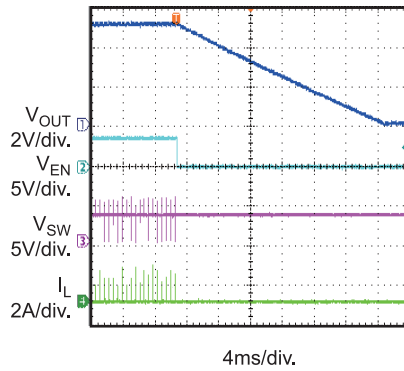
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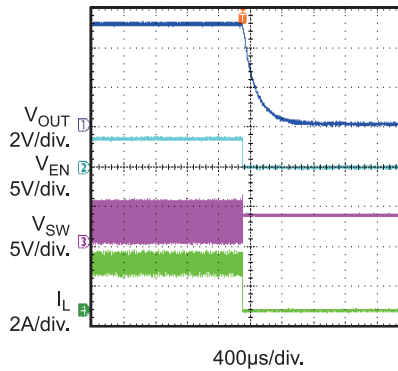
EN Shutdown

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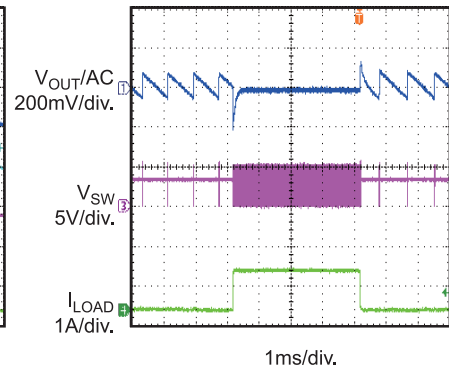
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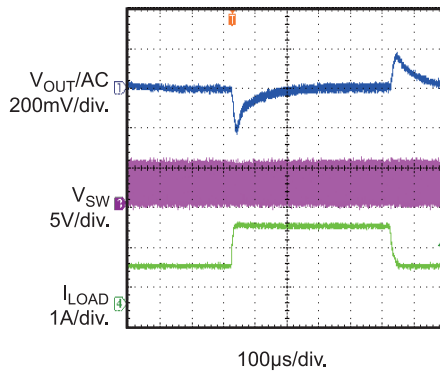
Load Transient Response

Load = 0.01A → 1A @ 100mA/μs



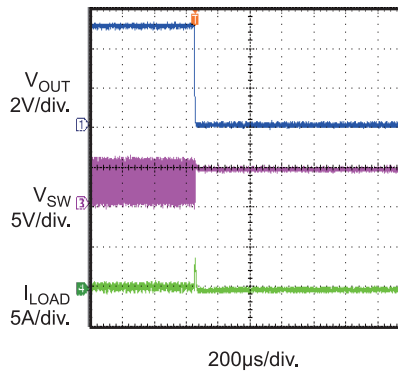
Load Transient Response

Load = 1A → 2A @ 100mA/μs



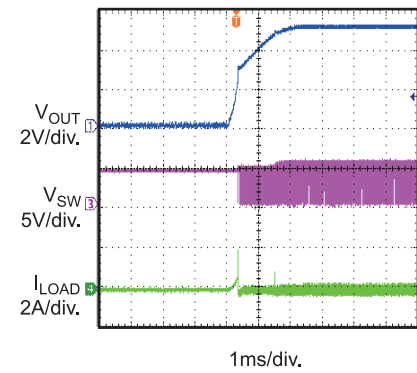
Short Circuit Entry

$V_{IN} = 4.2V$, $I_{OUT} = 0.5A$



Short Circuit Recovery

Recovers to 0.1A Load



PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD LAYOUT

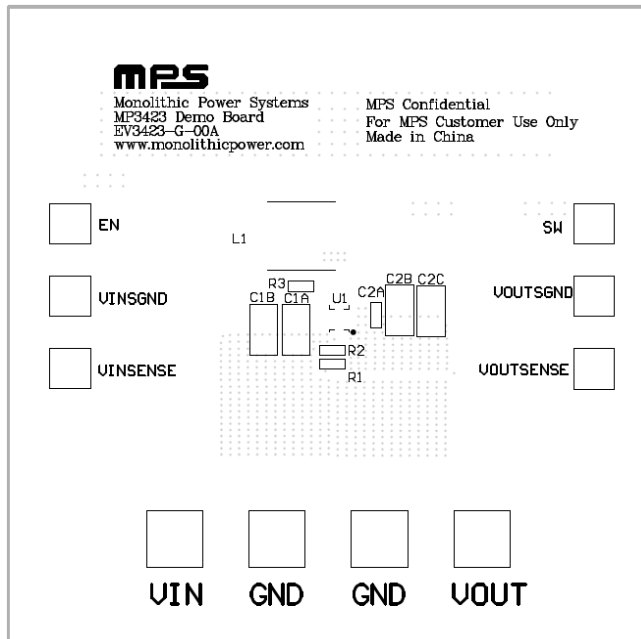


Figure 1—Top Silk Layer

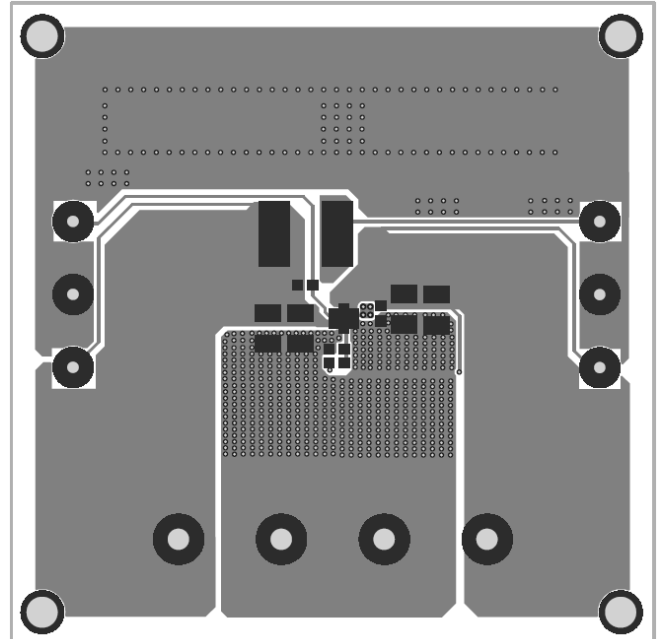


Figure 2—Top Layer

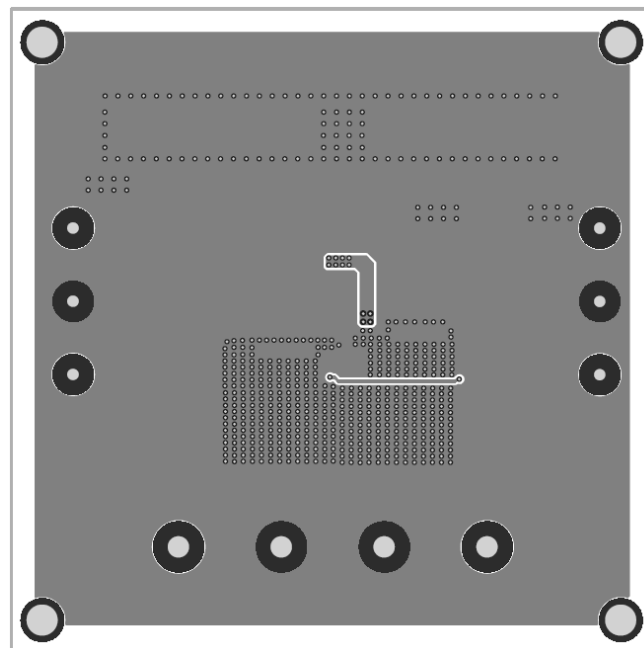


Figure 3—Bottom Layer

QUICK START GUIDE

The output voltage of this board is set to 5V. The board layout accommodates most commonly used components.

1. Preset Power Supply to $2.8V \leq V_{IN} \leq 4.2V$.
2. Turn Power Supply off.
3. Connect Power Supply terminals to:
 - a. Positive (+): VIN
 - b. Negative (–): GND
4. Connect Load to:
 - a. Positive (+): VOUT
 - b. Negative (–): GND
5. Turn Power Supply on after making connections.
6. The MP3423 is enabled on the evaluation board once VIN is applied.
7. The output voltage VOUT can be changed by varying R2. Calculate the new value using the formula:

$$V_{out} = V_{FB} \times \frac{R1+R2}{R2}$$

Where $V_{FB} = 0.807V$ and $R1=787k\Omega$.

8. To use the Enable function, apply a digital input to the EN pin. Drive EN higher than 1.2V to turn on MP3423 or lower than 0.4V to turn it off.

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