

## IP Library: Very Low power, Very High PSRR 100mA Low Dropout Voltage Regulator

**APPLICATION NOTE** 

**PRODUCT PREVIEW** 

■ CMOS REGULATOR

■ VERY LOW CONSUMPTION: 170µA FULL LOAD

■ VERY LOW DROPOUT VOLTAGE : 50mV

■ HIGH PSRR: 60dB

OUTPUT CURRENT : 100mA

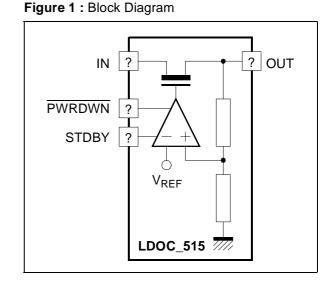
NO CURRENT IN POWER DOWN MODE

■ SHORT CIRCUIT PROTECTION

## **TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- Cellular and Cordless phones supplied by 1 cell Lithium-ion battery / 3 cells Ni-MH or Ni-Cd battery
- PDA (Personal Digital Assistant)
- Smart phone
- Portable equipment
- Supply for RF devices for cellular phone

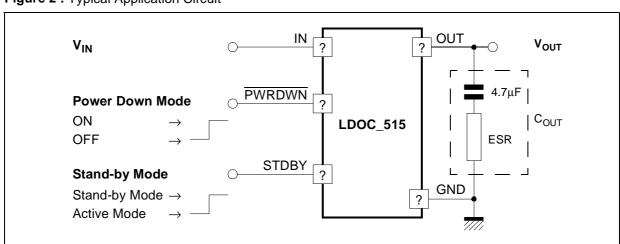
Figure 2: Typical Application Circuit



An external capacitor ( $C_{OUT} = 4.7\mu F$ ) with an

equivalent serial resistance (ESR) in the range

0.02 to  $0.6\Omega$  is used for regulator stability.



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## **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

 $3V < V_{IN} < 5.5V, \ -30^{\circ}C < T_{A} < +85^{\circ}C, \ C_{OUT} = 4.7 \mu F \ \pm 20\%, \ 20 m\Omega < ESR < 0.6 \Omega, \ I_{LOAD} = 100 mA.$ 

Typical case :  $V_{IN}$  = 4V, T = 25°C,  $C_{OUT}$  = 4.7 $\mu F$ 

| Parameter                         | Symbol             | Test Condition  | Min. | Тур. | Max. | Unit                                 |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|---|------|------|------|--------------------------------------|
| Input Voltage Range (Note 1)      | V <sub>IN</sub>    |   | 3    |      | 5.5  | V                                    |
| Output Voltage                    | V <sub>OUT</sub>   |   |      | 2.8  |      | V                                    |
| Output Voltage Accuracy           |                    |   |      | 3    |      | %                                    |
| Output current                    | I <sub>OUT</sub>   |   |      |      | 100  | mA                                   |
| Dropout Voltage                   | $\Delta V_{DO}$    | $\Delta V_{OUT} = 50 \text{mV},$ $I_{LOAD} = 100 \text{mA}$               |      |      | 50   | mV                                   |
|                                   |                    | (Note 2)  | 150  |      |      |                                      |
| Quiescent current                 | IQ                 | I <sub>LOAD</sub> = 100μA   |      | 30   | 40   | μA                                   |
|                                   |                    | I <sub>LOAD</sub> = 100mA   |      | 170  | 220  |                                      |
| Power down mode quiescent current | I <sub>QPDM</sub>  | Power down active   |      | 100  |      | nA                                   |
| Power Supply Rejection Ratio      | PSRR               | DC ; Dropout = 200mV  |      | 60   |      | dB                                   |
|                                   |                    | f = 10KHz   | 40   | 55   |      |                                      |
|                                   |                    | f = 100KHz  | 35   | 40   |      |                                      |
| Line Regulation                   | L <sub>IR</sub>    | I <sub>LOAD</sub> = 100mA,<br>V <sub>IN</sub> = 3V to 5.5V                |      | 2.5  | 3.5  | mV                                   |
| Load Regulation                   | L <sub>DR</sub>    | I <sub>LOAD</sub> = 100μA - 100mA   |      | 25   | 35   | mV                                   |
| Line Transient                    | L <sub>IRT</sub>   | $\Delta V_{IN} = 300 \text{mV}$<br>$t_{RISE} = t_{FALL} = 5 \mu \text{s}$ |      | <1   | 1.5  | mV                                   |
| Load Transient                    | L <sub>DTR</sub>   | I <sub>LOAD</sub> = 100μA - 100mA<br>in 5μs                               |      | 1    | 2    | mV                                   |
| Output Noise Voltage              | en                 | 100Hz   |      | 2    |      | μV<br>√Hz                            |
|                                   |                    | 1KHz  |      | 650  |      | nV                                   |
|                                   |                    | 10KHz   |      | 250  |      | $\frac{\text{nV}}{\sqrt{\text{Hz}}}$ |
|                                   | en <sub>RMS</sub>  | BW : 100Hz to 100KHz  |      | 70   |      | $\mu V_{RMS}$                        |
| Output decoupling Capacitor       | C <sub>OUT</sub>   |   |      | 4.7  |      | μF                                   |
| Settling time                     |                    | I <sub>LOAD</sub> = 100mA   |      | 40   | 120  | μs                                   |
| Short Circuit Current Limit       | I <sub>SHORT</sub> |   |      | 400  | 700  | mA                                   |

Notes: 1. Above characteristics are given for 3V minimum input operating range voltage, but regulator is operational with 2.7V minimum input voltage.

2. All parameters are guaranteed with 150mV min Dropout voltage.

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