# **DC/DC Converter – Power Supply 28 V**

# Description

The U6229B is a multifunctional power supply IC which provides four different voltages dedicated to supply components of complex microcontroller systems. Supplied by a battery voltage in the wide range from 6 V to 26 V, the U6229B generates typically 28.4 V with a step-up converter, PWM, external power MOSFET and 150  $\mu$ H inductivity. This voltage is fed to a step-down

### Features

- Voltage outputs
  - 28.4-V step-up converter with I  $\leq$  1.2 A
  - 7-V step-down converter with I  $\leq$  400 mA
  - 5-V logic supply with I  $\leq$  14 mA
  - 5-V reference voltage with I  $\leq$  14 mA
- Logic input ENABLE
  - Enables the step-up converter

## **Ordering Information**

converter with external 150  $\mu$ H inductivity to generate a 7-V auxiliary voltage with a small ripple. By means of this voltage, two linear regulators with only a small power dissipation provide a constant 5-V (±3%) supply for microcontrollers and an even more accurate 5-V (±2%) supply as a reference for sensors and a/d converters.

- Analog input VKL15
  - Energy-reserve mode switches off the step-up converter at  $V_{Batt} < 5.25 \mbox{ V}$
  - Controls start-up behavior
- Logic output NRES
- N-reset output with over/ under voltage monitoring of both 5-V supplies

Extended Type Number	Package	Remarks
U6229B	SO20	

### **Block Diagram**

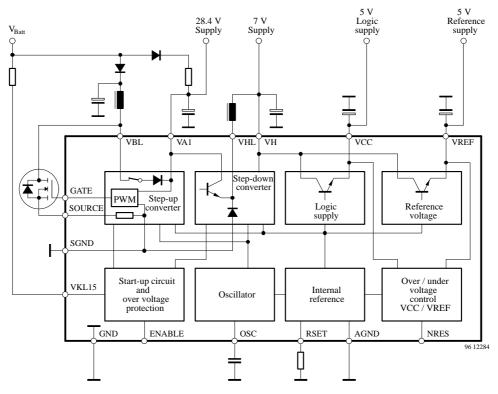


Figure 1. Block diagram with external circuit

# **Preliminary Information**

# **Pin Description**

Pin	Symbol	Input / Output	Function
1	OSC	Analog input	Oscillator
2	V <sub>BL</sub>	Analog input	Input set-up converter
3	V <sub>A1</sub>	Analog output	Output set-up converter
4	SOURCE	Analog input	Source of switching transistor
5, 6, 15, 16, 17	S <sub>GND</sub>	Ground	Ground
7	GATE	Analog output	Gate of switch transistor
8	V <sub>HL</sub>	Analog input	Output of power switch step-down converter
9	$V_{\rm H}$	Analog output	Regulator input step-down converter
10	V <sub>CC</sub>	Analog output	5-V supply voltage
11	V <sub>REF</sub>	Analog output	5-V reference voltage
12	NRES	Logic output	Power-on reset
13	ENVA3	Logic input	Control step-up converter
14	V <sub>KL15</sub>	Analog input	Monitoring supply voltage
18	A <sub>GND</sub>	Ground	Reference ground
19	R <sub>SET1</sub>	Analog input	Connect external resistor to GND – bias of the current sources
20	GND	Ground	Ground

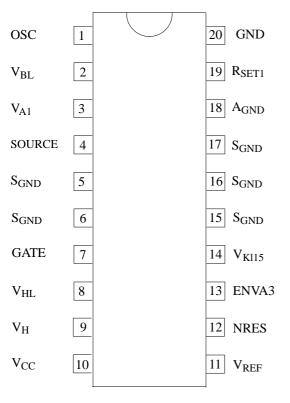


Figure 2. Pinning U6229B

## **Functional Description**

#### **Oscillator, Pin 1**

The switching frequency  $f_{osc}$  is defined with (as) a triangle oscillator and is programmed with the capacitor COS1.

 $f_{osc} = K_{osc}/C_{OS1}$ 

#### Step-up Converter V<sub>BL</sub> Pin 2, V<sub>A1</sub> Pin 3

The step–up converter uses the battery voltage (6V to 26 V) to produce a constant output voltage (V<sub>A1</sub> typ. 28.4 V). An external power MOSFET serves as the electronic power switch of the step–up converter. When this switch is activated, the coil current increases up to a limit determined by the controller. The power MOSFET is switched off when this limit is reached, and the energy stored in the coil is discharged into the capacitance  $C_{VA1}$  via the diode and the switches between  $V_{BL}$  and  $V_{A1}$ . The maximum possible coil current is limited to typ. 1.2 A by the circuit.

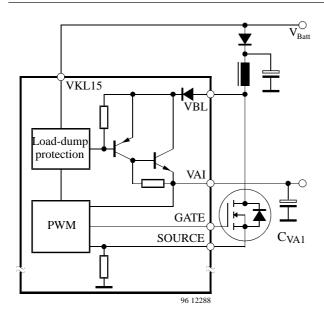


Figure 3. Basic principle of the step-up converter

#### **SOURCE**, Pin 4

A shunt resistor (typ. 180 m $\Omega$ ) is connected between the SOURCE pin and S<sub>GND</sub> for measurement of the coil current of the step-up converter.

#### S<sub>GND</sub>, Pins 5, 6, 15, 16 and 17

 $S_{\mbox{GND}}$  is the power ground for the step-up and step-down converter.

These pins are at the same time metallically connected to the chip carrier. This results in a very low thermal resistance of the package, which can be significantly improved by further external measures (large copper areas or heat sink/metal housing near these pins).

#### GATE, Pin 7

The push-pull output Pin 7 is designed to trigger a power MOSFET.In order to protect the external FET, the maximum output voltage is limited by an integrated Zener diode.

#### Step-down Converter V<sub>HL</sub> Pin 8, V<sub>H</sub> Pin 9

The step-down converter produces a constant output voltage (V<sub>Htyp</sub>, 7 V) from the stepped-up voltage (V<sub>A1</sub>). When the integrated electronic power switch of the step-down converter (Pin V<sub>HL</sub>) is switched on, the coil current increases up to a limit determined by the controller. The switch is switched off when this limit is reached, and the energy stored in the coil is discharged into the capacitance  $C_{VH}$  via an integrated diode. The circuit limits the maximum possible coil current to typ. 0.4 A. Pin V<sub>H</sub> is the controller input of the step-down converter.

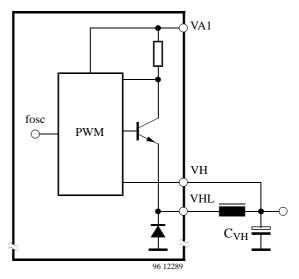


Figure 4. Basic principle of the step-down converter

#### V<sub>CC</sub>, Pin 10

Output  $V_{CC}$  supplies a 5-V voltage suitable for powering systems with microcontroller. The linear controller producing this voltage obtains its supply voltage from the voltage (V<sub>H</sub>) provided by the step-down converter. V<sub>CC</sub> is continuously monitored for any overvoltage or undervoltage. If such conditions occur, Pin NRES is switched to 'Low' for this time. V<sub>REF</sub> is deactivated simultaneously.

#### V<sub>REF</sub>, Pin 11

Output V<sub>REF</sub> supplies a precise output voltage of 5V (+/- 2%) (suitable, for example, as a reference voltage for an analog-to-digital converter). The linear controller producing this voltage obtains its supply voltage from the voltage (V<sub>H</sub>) provided by the step-down converter. V<sub>CC</sub> is continuously monitored for any overvoltage or undervoltage. If such conditions occur, Pin NRES is switched to 'Low' for this time.

#### NRES, Pin 12

As mentioned, the voltages  $V_{CC}$  and  $V_{REF}$  are continuously monitored within narrow limits to detect any overvoltages or undervoltages. A reset signal is issued at output NRES if overvoltages or undervoltages occur.

NRES = High:	Normal operation
NRES = Low:	Reset state

This function can trigger an error routine or a system reset in the event of disturbances.Pin NRES is an open collector output, which is protected by a 7-V Zener diode.

#### ENVA3, Pin 13

Pin ENVA3 serves as the control input for the step-up converter

ENVA3 = High/ open: Normal operation

ENVA3 = Low: Step-up converter switched off

#### VKl15, Pin 14

 $V_{K115}$  fulfills several monitoring functions with regard to the supply voltage.

#### - Overvoltage detection

The external FET of the step–up converter and the switch between  $V_{A1}$  and  $V_{BL}$  are switched off in the event of overvoltages of  $V_{Batt} > 27$  V typ. The other parts of the circuit continue to function and are powered by the capacitor connected to VA1 during this time. A Zener diode rated at typ. 23 V is integrated in Pin  $V_{K115}$  to protect against overvoltages.

- Energy reserve state

The step-up converter is also switched off at battery voltages of  $V_{Batt} < 5.25$  V. This leads to a reduced current requirement from  $V_{A1}$ . As the step-up converter and the two linear controllers  $V_{CC}$  and  $V_{REF}$  are powered by  $V_{A1}$ , the circuit is able to power a system even in the event of

extended interruptions in the supply voltage. The duration depends on the external load and the size of  $C_{VA1}$ .

#### A<sub>GND</sub>, Pin 18

Reference ground for voltages  $V_{A1},\,V_{H},\,V_{CC},\,V_{REF}$  and internal reference

#### R<sub>SET1</sub>, Pin 19

Pin 19 is connected to Pin 18 with a resistance of  $35.7 \text{ k}\Omega$  (tolerance 1%). In the circuit, this resistance gives rise to a reference current from which various parameters such as the oscillator frequency, switch-off thresholds for step-up/step-down converter, threshold for overvoltage detection etc. are derived.

#### GND, Pin 20

Common ground

#### **Starting Behavior**

The step-up converter is started only if the following start-up conditions are fulfilled when it is switched on:

V <sub>Batt</sub>		> 5.25 V typ.
V3		> 3.4 V typ.
	110	2 < 17

 $V_{Batt} - V3 > 3.6 V$ 

The step-down converter is activated only if V3 > 7 V typ. This ensures that the step-down converter begins operation only once the step-up converter has started.

### **Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Parameters	Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage	V <sub>Batt</sub>			44	V
Ambient temperature range	T <sub>amb</sub>	-40		95	°C
Junction temperature range	Τj	-40		150	°C
Storage temperature range	T <sub>stg</sub>	-55		150	°C

### **Thermal Resistance**

Parameters	Symbol	Value	Unit
Junction to case	R <sub>thJC</sub>	30	k/W
Junction ambient	R <sub>thJA</sub>	90	k/W

Overvoltage protection according DIN 40839/4 and ISO/TR 7637/1

ESD: HBM 2 kV: MIL 883D M.3015.7 MM 200 V: ESD S. 5.2 – 1994

# **Electrical Characteristics**

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 $V_{Batt} = 6 V$  to 26 V,  $T_{amb} = -40$  to 95°C unless otherwise specified. Values measured at application example circuit figure 5.

Parameters	Test Conditions / Pins	Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Oscillator				1	1	
Frequency constant		K <sub>OSC</sub>		81		HzμF
Oscillator frequency	$C_{OS1} = 1 \text{ nF}$	f <sub>OSC</sub>	73		89	kHz
Step-up converter					-	
Output voltage	$V_{CVB} = 14 V \qquad \text{Pin 3} \\ I3 = 120 \text{ mA}$	V <sub>VA1</sub>	27.5	28.4	29.3	V
Output voltage	$V_{CVB} > 5 V \qquad Pin 3$ I3 = 30 mA	V <sub>VA1</sub>	27.5	28.4	29.3	V
Coefficient of efficiency	$V_{CVB} = 5 V$ V3 = 27.5 V	η	65			%
Coefficient of efficiency	$V_{CVB} = 11 V$ V3 = 27.5 V	η	82			%
Switch-off current	LVB Pin 2	I2		1.2	1.6	А
Voltage drop	$V_{BL} - V_{A1}; I2 = 0.9 \times I2_{max}$	V2 – V3	1.0		3.5	V
Voltage at pin GATE	Output high Pin 7	V7	4.5		18	V
Voltage at pin GATE	Output low Pin 7 I7 = $100 \mu A$	V7			1	V
Voltage at pin GATE	Output low Pin 7 I7 = 5 mA	V7			1.6	V
Step-up converter – start	ting behavior		1	1	I	
Power-on-reset	$V_{Batt} > 6 V$	V3	2.6	3.4	4.2	V
Precharge CVA1		$V_{Batt} - V3$	2.1		5.5	V
Step-up converter – Enal	ble/Disable		•			
Supply voltage		V <sub>Batt</sub>	5.5	5.25	5.5	V
Threshold voltage	V9 = 7 V	V <sub>13</sub>	0.8		2.0	V
Input voltage	Pin 13 open	V <sub>13</sub>	4.4		7.0	V
Inpu current	V13 = 0 V	I <sub>13</sub>	- 1.9		- 0.4	V
Step-down converter						
Output voltage	I10 = -20  mA Pin 9	V <sub>H</sub>	6.5		7.5	V
Coefficient of efficiency		η	70			%
Switch-off current	L <sub>VH</sub> Pin 8	I8		- 0.4	- 0.65	А
Voltage drop	$V_{A1} - V_{HL}$ ; $I8 = 0.9 \times I8_{max}$	V3 - V8			1.3	V
Forward voltage of free- wheeling diode	$IV8 = 0.9 \times I8_{max}$	V8		- 1.2		V
Step-down converter – st	arting behavior					
Switch threshold	V <sub>Batt</sub> > 6 V	V3	6.3		7.6	V
V <sub>CC</sub> – regulator						
Output voltage	IV10 = 0  mA to  -90  mA	V10	4.85		5.15	V
Switch-off threshold	Undervoltage Overvoltage	dV10 <sub>off</sub> dV10 <sub>off</sub>			230 230	mV mV
Switch-on threshold	Undervoltage Overvoltage	dV10 <sub>on</sub> dV10 <sub>on</sub>	50 50			mV mV

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Parameters	Test Conditions / Pins	Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
V <sub>REF</sub> – regulator						
Output voltage	IV11 = -1  mA to  -14  mA	V10	4.88		5.12	V
Switch-off threshold	Undervoltage Overvoltage	dV11 <sub>off</sub> dV11 <sub>off</sub>			150 150	mV mV
Switch-on threshold	Undervoltage Overvoltage	dV11 <sub>on</sub> dV11 <sub>on</sub>	50 50			mV mV
Overvoltage protection						
Threshold for overvoltage detection		V <sub>Batt</sub>	26		28	V
Battery monitor	$V_{Batt} = 40 V$	V14	21	23	26	V
NRES						
Saturation voltage	I12 = 1.6 mA, NRES = low	V12			0.4	V
Reverse current	V12 = 5 V	Ir12			2	μΑ

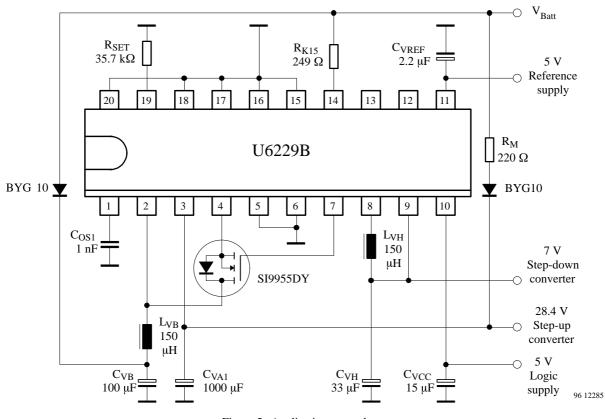


Figure 5. Application example

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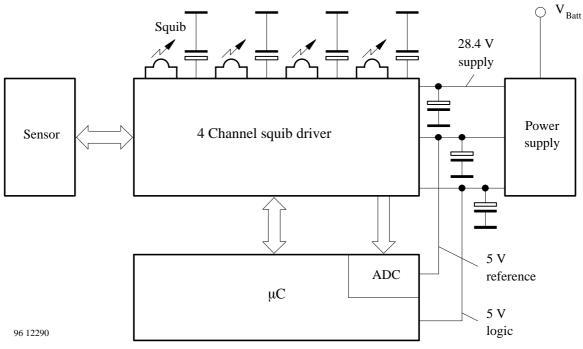
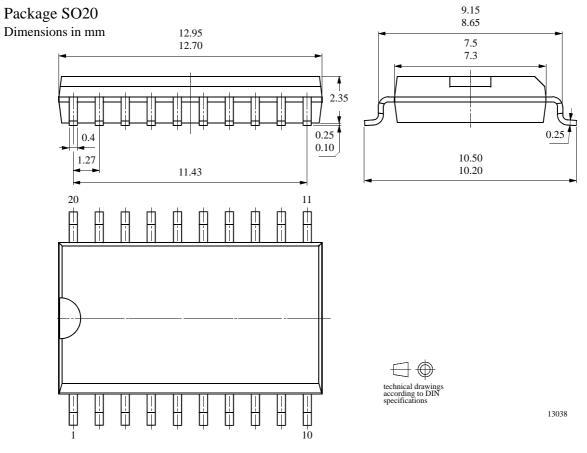


Figure 6. System block diagram

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