

### DESCRIPTION

The EV8712-L-00A is used for demonstrating the performance of MPS's MP8712. MP8712 is a highly integrated and high frequency synchronous step-down switch-mode converter. It offers a fully integrated solution to achieve a 12A continuous and 15A peak output current with excellent load and line regulation over a wide input supply range.

COT control operation provides fast transient response and eases loop stabilization. An open drain power good pin indicates that the output voltage is in the nominal range. Full protection features include over voltage, over-current protection and thermal shut down.

The MP8712 is available in QFN-14(3mmx4mm) package.

### ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATION

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Units
Input Voltage	$V_{IN}$	3– 18	V
Output Voltage	$V_{OUT}$	1	V
Continuous Output Current	$I_{OUT}$	12	A
Peak Output Current	$I_{OUT}$	15	A

### FEATURES

- Wide 3V-to-18V Operating Input Range
- 12A Continuous/15A Peak Output Current
- 1% Internal Reference Accuracy
- Output Adjustable from 0.6V
- 15mΩ/4.5mΩ High Side/Low Side  $R_{DS(ON)}$  for Internal Power MOSFETs
- 500kHz Switching Frequency
- External Soft Start
- Open Drain Power Good Indication
- Output Over Voltage Protection
- Hiccup OCP Protection
- Thermal Shutdown
- QFN-14(3mmx4mm) Package

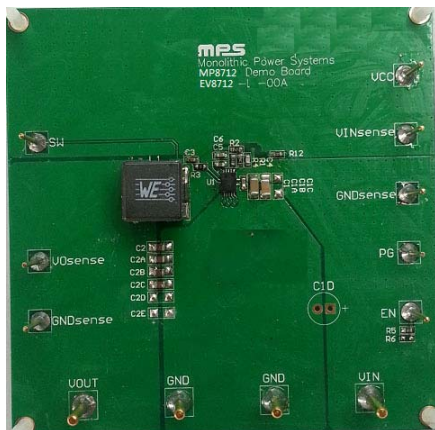
### APPLICATIONS

- Solid State Driver (SSD)
- Flat-Panel Television and Monitors
- Set-Top Boxes
- Distributed Power Systems

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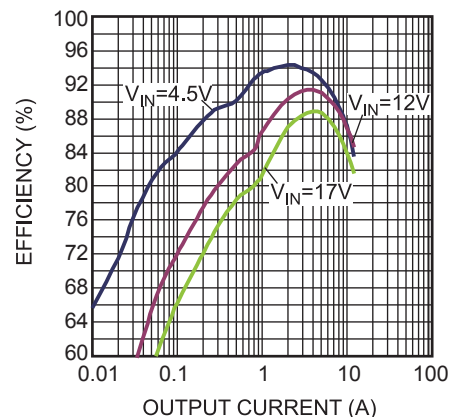
### EV8712-L-00A EVALUATION BOARD



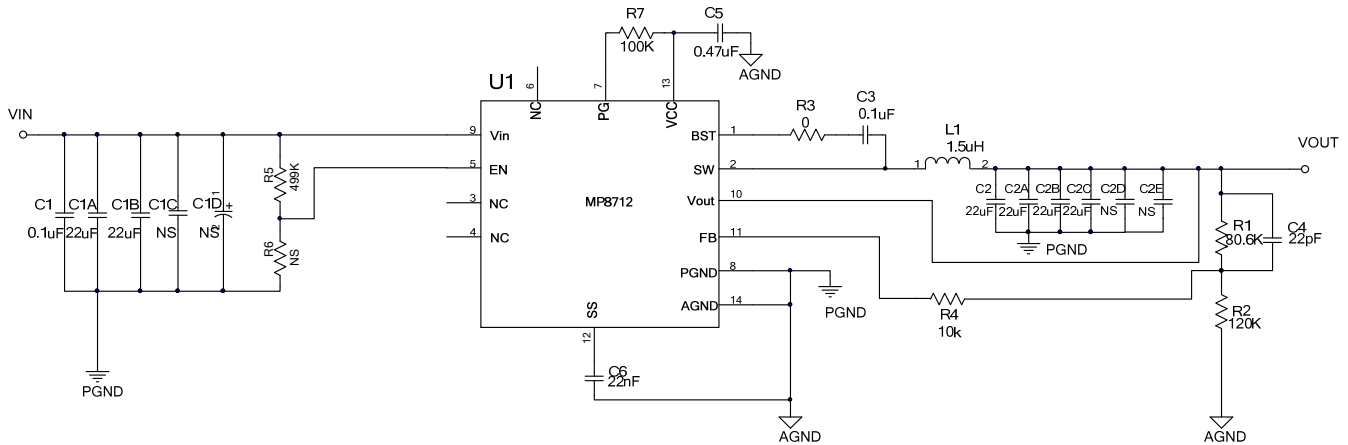
(4 layer PCB, 8.5cmx8.5cm)

Board Number	MPS IC Number
EV8712-L-00A	MP8712GL

Efficiency vs. Output Current  
 $V_{OUT}=1V$ ,  $L=1.5\mu H$ ,  $DCR=2.1m\Omega$



## EVALUATION BOARD SCHEMATIC



## EV8712-L-00A BILL OF MATERIALS

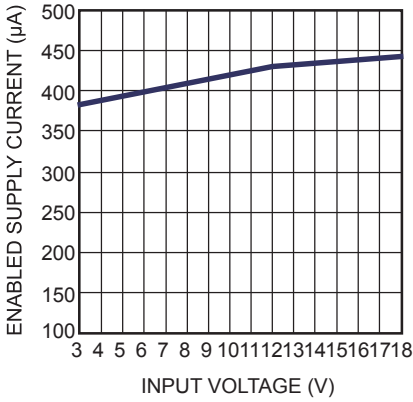
Qty	Ref	Value	Description	Package	Manufacturer	Manufacturer P/N
1	R1	80.6k	Film Res,1%	0603	ROYAL	RC0603FR-0780K6L
1	R2	120k	Film Res,1%	0603	ROYAL	RL0603FR-07120KL
1	R3	0 Ω	Film Res,1%	0603	ROYAL	RC0603FR-070RL
1	R4	10k	Film Res,1%	0603	ROYAL	RL0603FR-0710KL
1	R5	499k	Film Res,1%	0603	ROYAL	RL0603FR-07499KL
0	R6	NS				
1	R7	100k	Film Res,1%	0603	ROYAL	RL0603FR-07100KL
2	C1, C3	0.1μF	Ceramic Cap, 25V, X7R	0603	muRata	GRM188R71E104KA01D
2	C1A, C1B,	22μF	Ceramic Cap, 25V, X5R	1206	muRata	GRM31CR61E226KE15L
4	C2, C2A, C2B, C2C	22μF	Ceramic Cap , 25V, X5R	0805	muRata	GRM21BR61E226ME44L
0	C1C, C1D, C2D, C2E	NS				
1	C4	22pF	Ceramic Cap, 50V, X7R	0603	muRata	GRM1885C1H220JA01D
1	C5	0.47μF	Ceramic Cap, 16V, X7R	0603	muRata	GRM188R71C474KA88D
1	C6	22nF	Ceramic Cap, 16V, X7R	0603	muRata	GRM188R71C223KA01D
1	L1	1.5μH	Inductor, DCR=2.1mΩ	SMD	Würth	7443320150
1	U1	MP8712	Step-Down Converter	QFN14 (3*4)	MPS	MP8712GL

## EVB TEST RESULTS

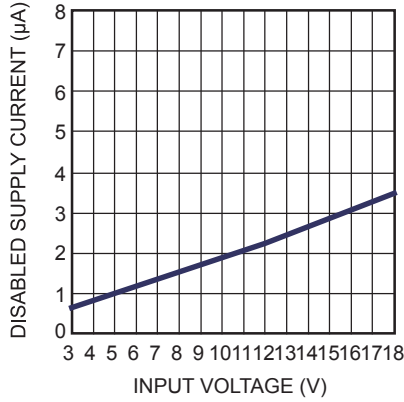
Performance waveforms are tested on the evaluation board.

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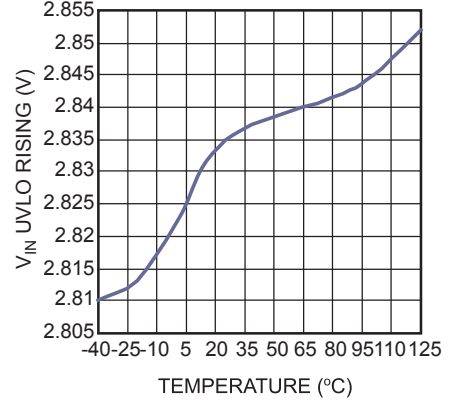
**Enabled Supply Current vs. Input Voltage**



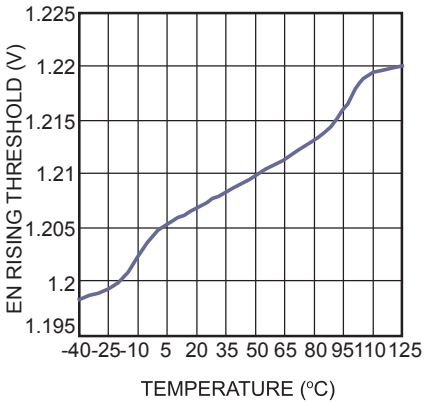
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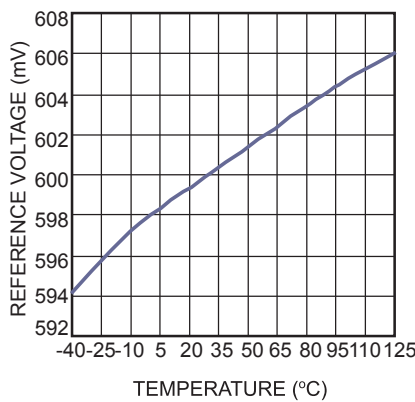
**$V_{IN}$  UVLO Rising vs. Temperature**



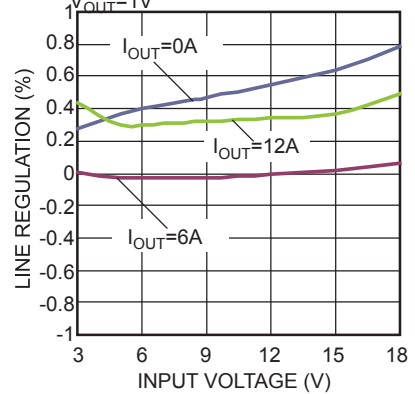
**EN Rising Threshold vs. Temperature**



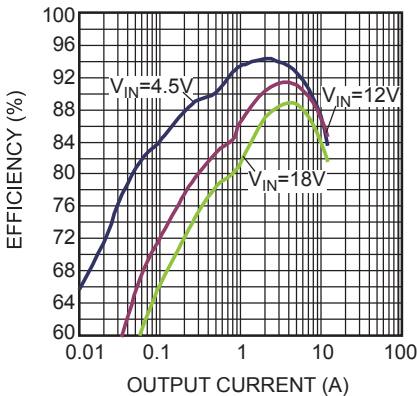
**Reference Voltage vs. Temperature**



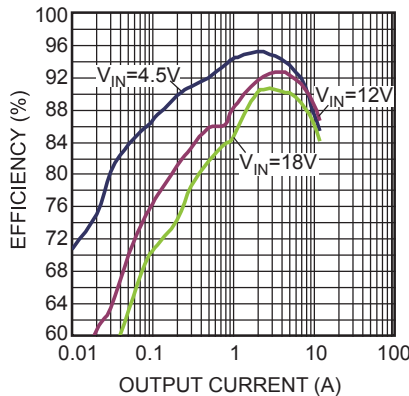
**Line Regulation vs. Input Voltage**



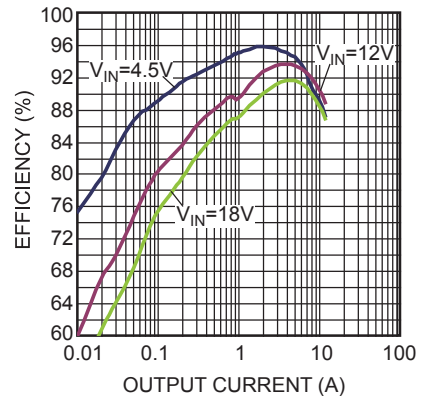
**Efficiency vs. Output Current**  
 $V_{OUT}=1V$ ,  $L=1.5\mu H$ ,  $DCR=2.1m\Omega$



**Efficiency vs. Output Current**  
 $V_{OUT}=1.2V$ ,  $L=1.5\mu H$ ,  $DCR=2.1m\Omega$



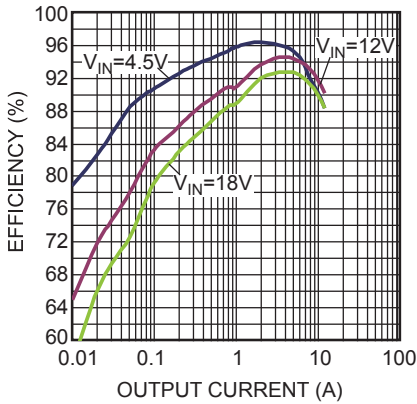
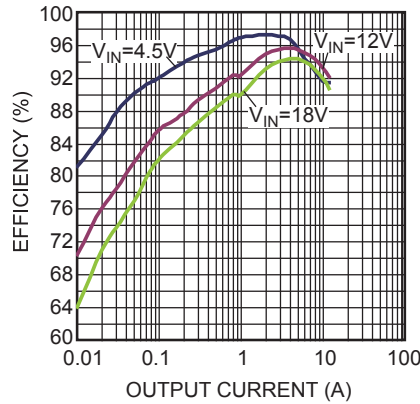
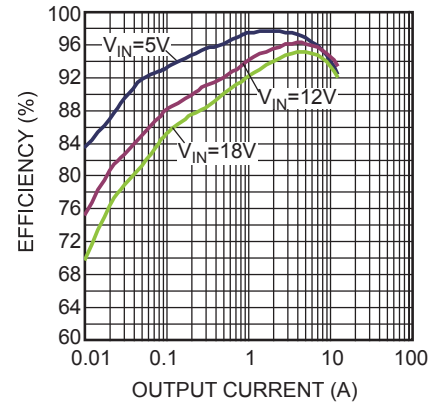
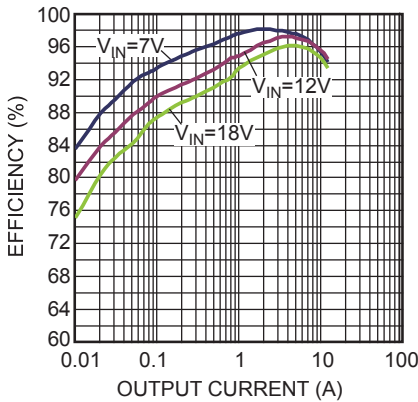
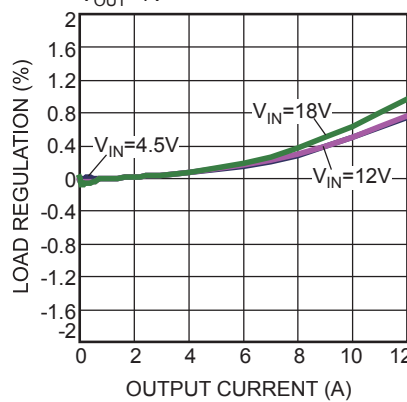
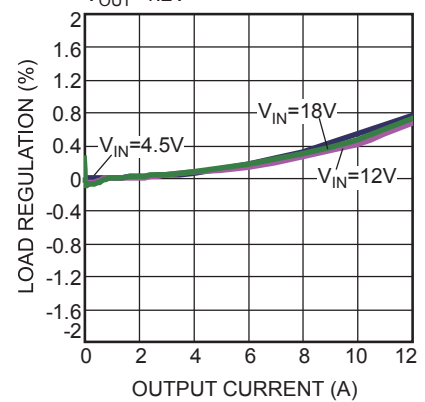
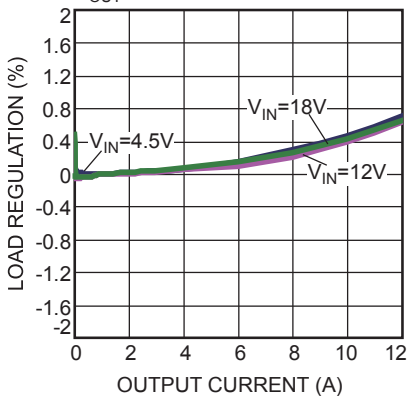
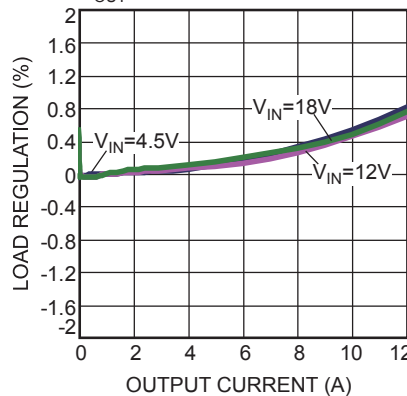
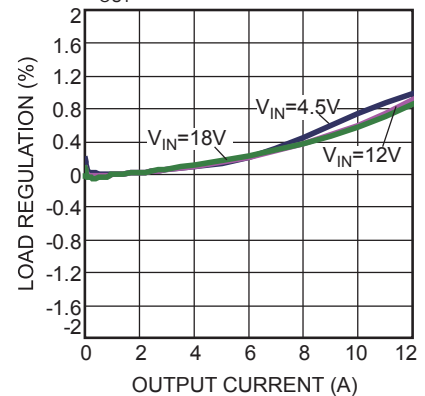
**Efficiency vs. Output Current**  
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**EVB TEST RESULTS (continued)**

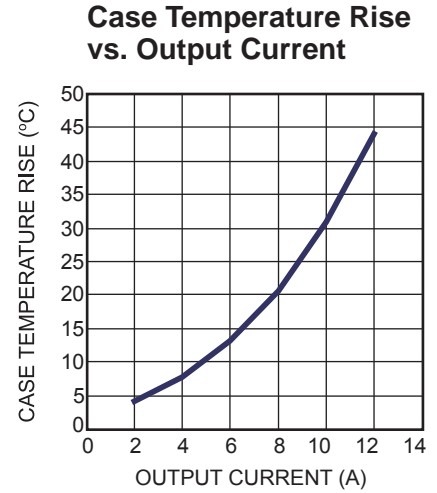
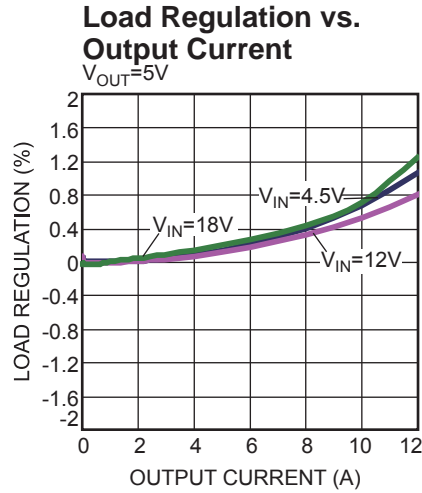
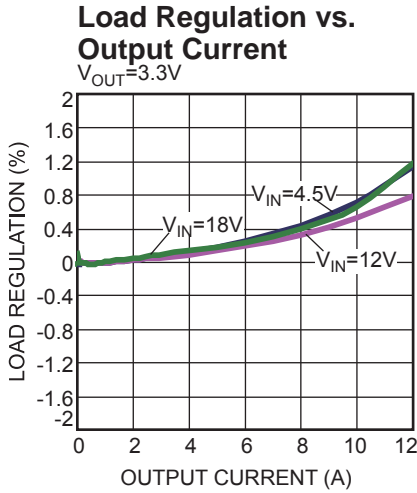
Performance waveforms are tested on the evaluation board.

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**Efficiency vs. Output Current**  
 $V_{OUT}=1.8V$ ,  $L=1.5\mu H$ ,  $DCR=2.1m\Omega$ 

**Efficiency vs. Output Current**  
 $V_{OUT}=2.5V$ ,  $L=2.2\mu H$ ,  $DCR=3m\Omega$ 

**Efficiency vs. Output Current**  
 $V_{OUT}=3.3V$ ,  $L=2.2\mu H$ ,  $DCR=3m\Omega$ 

**Efficiency vs. Output Current**  
 $V_{OUT}=5V$ ,  $L=3.3\mu H$ ,  $DCR=4.4m\Omega$ 

**Load Regulation vs. Output Current**  
 $V_{OUT}=1V$ 

**Load Regulation vs. Output Current**  
 $V_{OUT}=1.2V$ 

**Load Regulation vs. Output Current**  
 $V_{OUT}=1.5V$ 

**Load Regulation vs. Output Current**  
 $V_{OUT}=1.8V$ 

**Load Regulation vs. Output Current**  
 $V_{OUT}=2.5V$ 


**EVB TEST RESULTS (continued)**

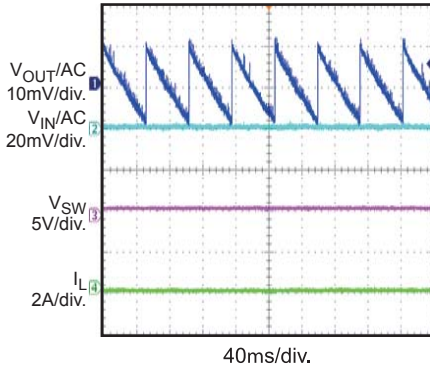
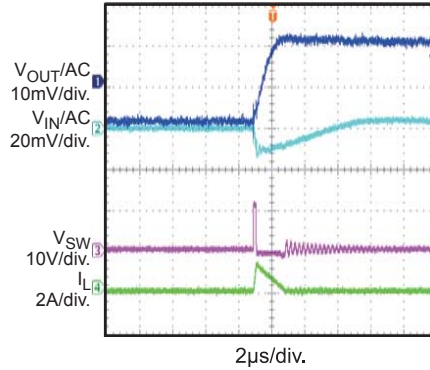
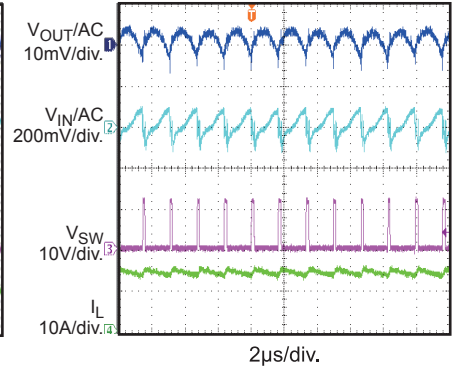
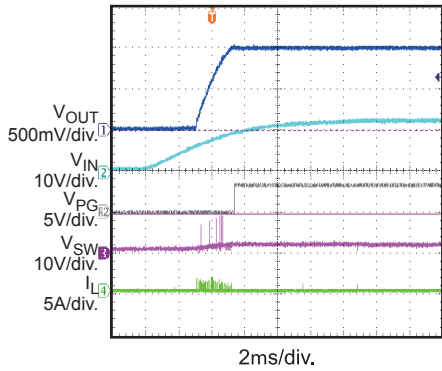
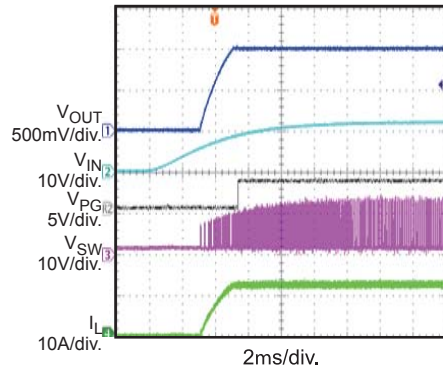
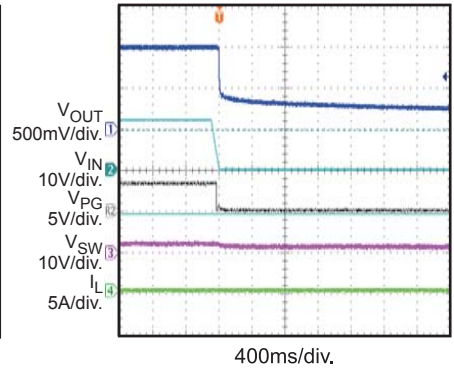
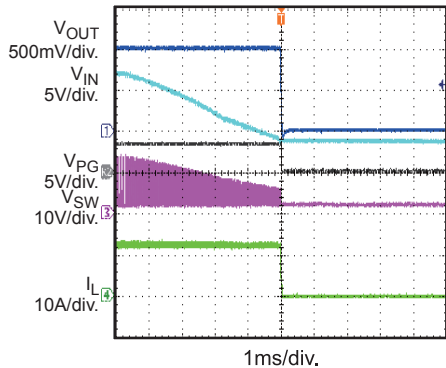
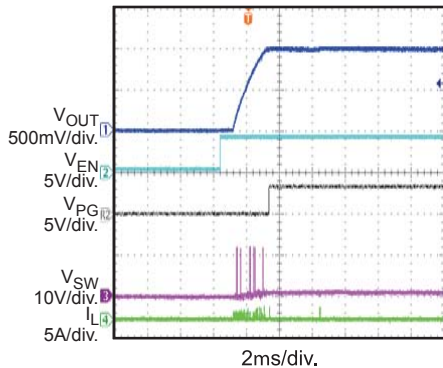
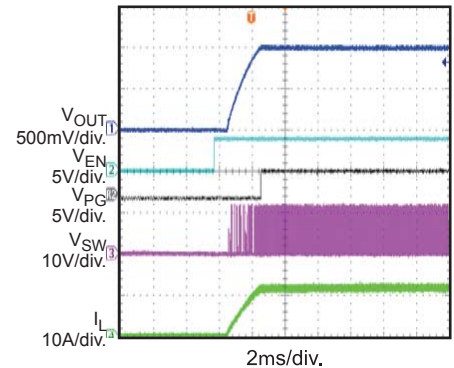
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**EVB TEST RESULTS (continued)**

Performance waveforms are tested on the evaluation board.

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**Input/Output Ripple**  
 $I_{OUT} = 0A$ 

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 $I_{OUT} = 12A$ 

**Start-Up through Input Voltage**  
 $I_{OUT} = 0A$ 

**Start-Up through Input Voltage**  
 $I_{OUT} = 12A$ 

**Shutdown through Input Voltage**  
 $I_{OUT} = 0A$ 

**Shutdown through Input Voltage**  
 $I_{OUT} = 12A$ 

**Start-Up through EN**  
 $I_{OUT} = 0A$ 

**Start-Up through EN**  
 $I_{OUT} = 12A$ 


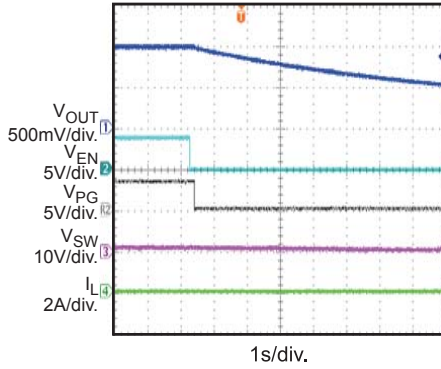
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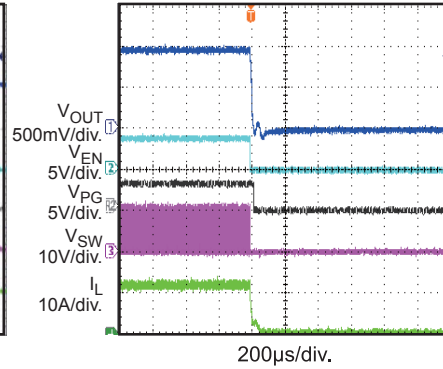
**Shutdown through EN**

$I_{OUT} = 0A$



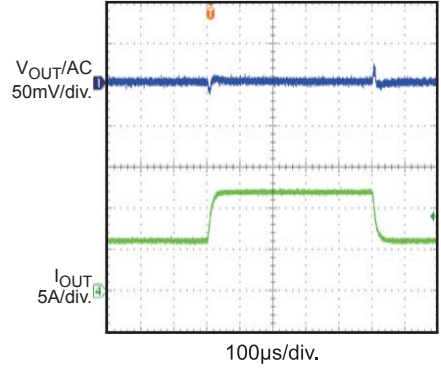
**Shutdown through EN**

$I_{OUT} = 12A$



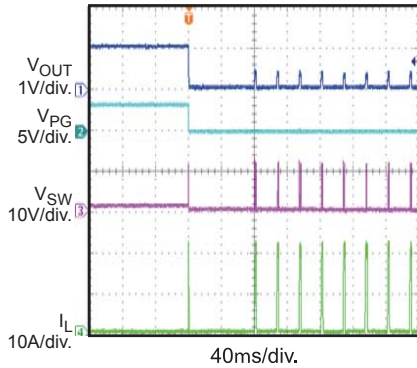
**Load Transient**

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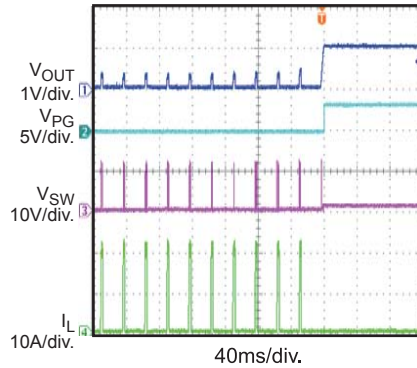
**Short-Circuit Protection Entry**

$I_{OUT} = 0A$



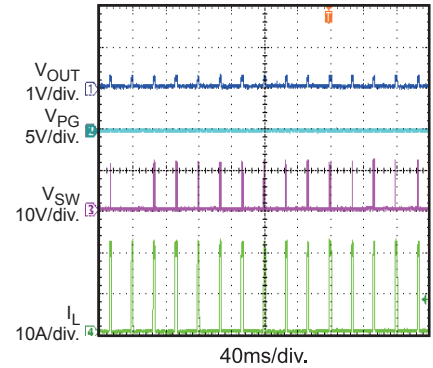
**Short-Circuit Protection Recovery**

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**Short-Circuit Protection Steady State**

Short Output to GND



## PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD LAYER

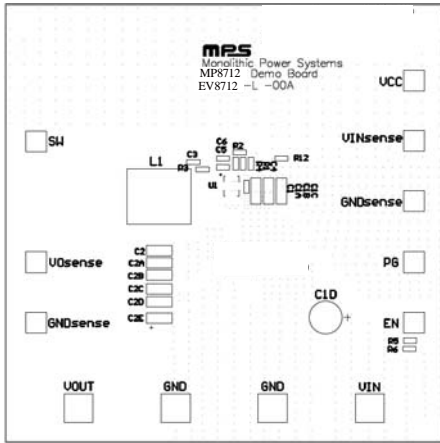


Figure 1: Top Silk Layer

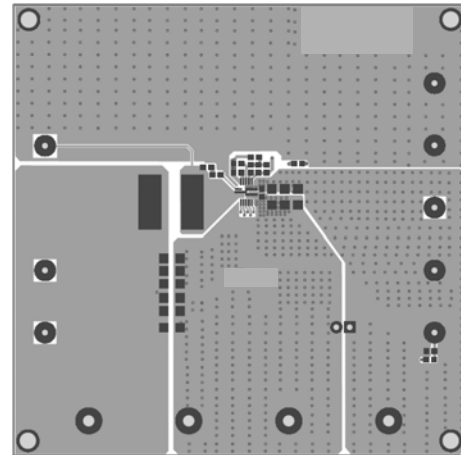


Figure 2: Top Layer

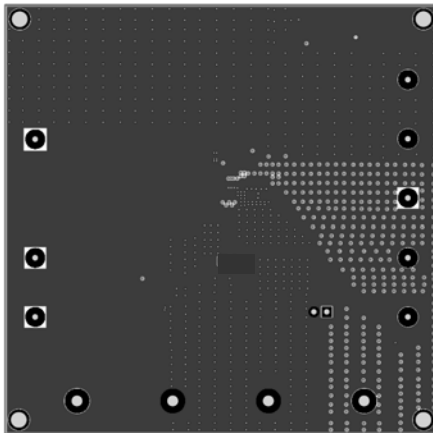


Figure 3: Inner 1 Layer

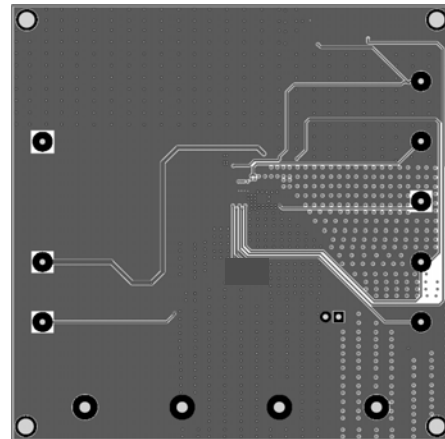


Figure 4: Inner 2 Layer

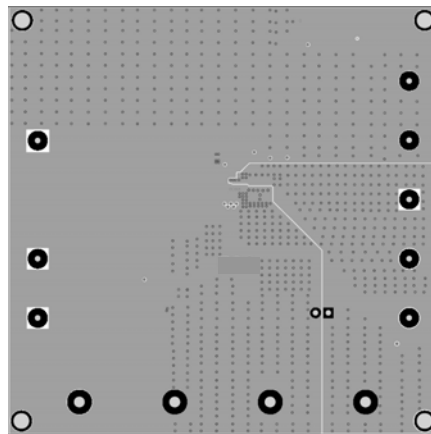


Figure 5: Bottom Layer



## QUICK START GUIDE

1. Connect the positive and negative terminals of the load to the VOUT and GND pins, respectively.
2. Preset the power supply output between 3V and 18V, and then turn off the power supply.
3. Connect the positive and negative terminals of the power supply output to the VIN and GND pins, respectively.
4. Turn the power supply on. The board will automatically start up.
5. To use the Enable function, apply a digital input to the EN pin. Drive EN higher than 1.5V to turn on the regulator, or less than 1.0V to turn it off.

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