



EVL3414E-J-00A

1.8A, 1MHz Synchronous Boost Converter Evaluation Board

DESCRIPTION

The EVL3414E-J-00A is an evaluation board for the MP3414E — a high-efficiency, synchronous, current-mode, step-up converter with output to input disconnect. The MP3414E can start up at an input voltage (V_{IN}) as low as 0.8V, and provides inrush current limiting and output short-circuit protection.

The output voltage (V_{OUT}) can be regulated when $V_{IN} > V_{OUT}$ and the MOSFET no longer acts as a low impedance switch.

The MP3414E is available in a small TSOT23-8 package.

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Units
Input voltage	V_{IN}	0.6 to 4	V
Output voltage	V_{OUT}	3.3	V

FEATURES

- Start-Up Input Range: 0.8V to 4V
- Operation Input Range: 0.6V to 4V
- Output Range: 1.8V to 4V
- Up to 96% Efficiency
- Current-Mode Control with Internal Compensation
- Short-Circuit Protection (SCP)
- True Output Disconnect from Input
- $V_{IN} > V_{OUT}$ Down Mode Operation
- High Efficiency under Light-Load Conditions
- Inrush Current Limiting and Internal Soft Start (SS)
- 1MHz Fixed-Frequency Switching
- Ultra-Small External Components



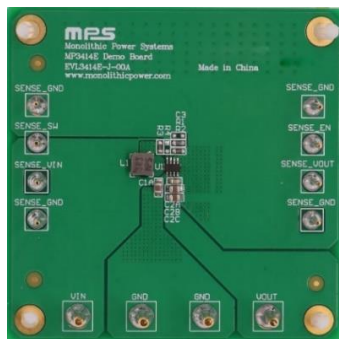
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APPLICATIONS

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

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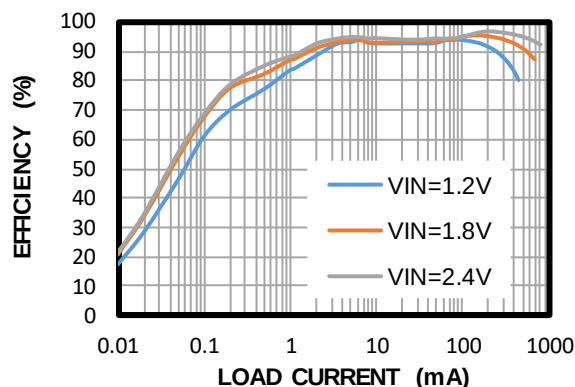
EVL3414E-J-00A EVALUATION BOARD



(LxWxH) 6.35cmx6.35cmx0.6cm

Board Number	MPS IC Number	MPS Inductor
EVL3414E-J-00A	MP3414EGJ	MPL-AL4020-3R3

Efficiency vs. Load Current



QUICK START GUIDE

The EV3414E-J-00A's V_{OUT} is set at 3.3V. The board layout accommodates most commonly used inductors and output capacitors.

1. Preset the power supply to $0.8V \leq V_{IN} \leq 4V$.
2. Turn off the power supply.
3. Connect the power supply terminals to:
 - a. Positive (+): V_{IN}
 - b. Negative (-): GND
4. Connect the load terminals to:
 - a. Positive (+): V_{OUT}
 - b. Negative (-): GND
5. After making the connections, turn on the power supply. The board should automatically start up.
6. After start-up, the board operates in a 0.6V to 4V input range.
7. The board's V_{OUT} is set at 3.3V. V_{OUT} can be adjusted by changing the resistor (R2), which can be calculated with Equation (1):

$$R2 = R1 \times \left(\frac{V_{FB}}{V_{OUT} - V_{FB}} \right) \quad (1)$$

Where $V_{FB} = 1.21V$, and $R1 = 365k\Omega$.

For example, if $V_{OUT} = 3.3V$, then R2 can be calculated with Equation (2):

$$R2 = 365k\Omega \times \left(\frac{1.21}{3.3 - 1.21} \right) = 211.3k\Omega \quad (2)$$

Therefore, if $V_{OUT} = 3.3V$, use a 210k Ω resistor.

EVALUATION BOARD SCHEMATIC

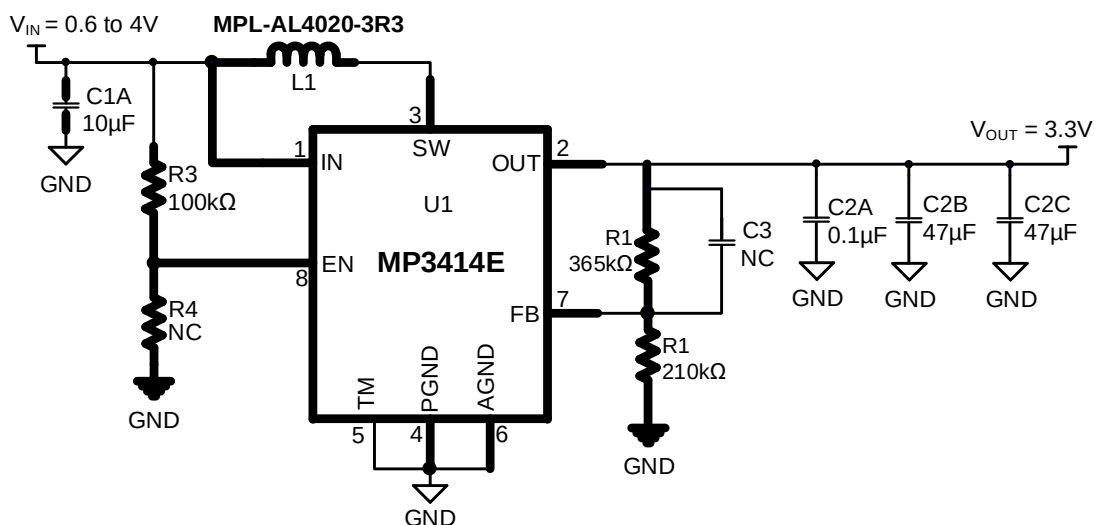


Figure 1: Evaluation Board Schematic

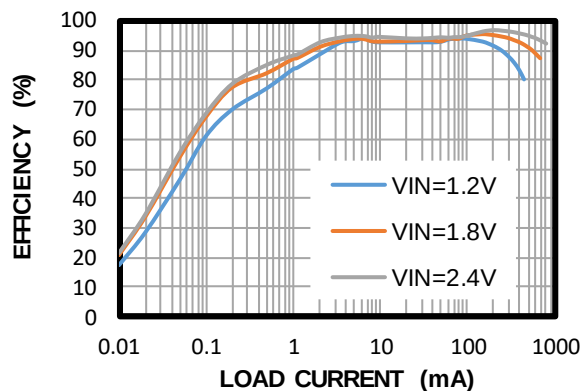
EVL3414E-J-00A BILL OF MATERIALS

Qty	Ref	Value	Description	Package	Manufacturer	Manufacturer P/N
1	L1	3.3µH	34.5mΩ DCR, 5.2A	SMD	MPS	MPL-AL4020-3R3
1	C1A	10µF	Ceramic capacitor, 10V, X7R	0805	Wurth	885012207026
1	C2A	0.1µF	Ceramic capacitor, 16V, X7R	0603	Wurth	885012206046
2	C2B, C2C	47µF	Ceramic capacitor, 10V, X5R	0805	Murata	GRM21BR61A476ME15L
1	R1	365kΩ	Film resistor, 1%	0603	Yageo	RC0603FR-07365KL
1	R2	210kΩ	Film resistor, 1%	0603	Yageo	RC0603FR-07210KL
1	R3	100kΩ	Film resistor, 1%	0603	Yageo	RC0603FR-07100KL
0	C3, R4	NC				
1	U1	MP3414E	Step-up converter	TSOT23-8	MPS	MP3414EGJ

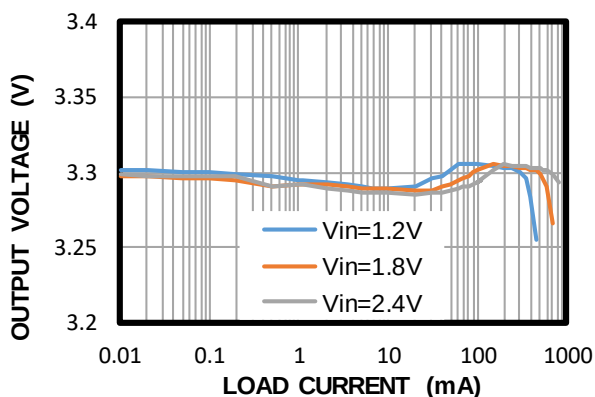
EVB TEST RESULTS

Performance curves and waveforms are tested on the evaluation board. $V_{IN} = 1.8V$, $V_{OUT} = 3.3V$, $L = 3.3\mu H$, $T_A = 25^\circ C$, unless otherwise noted.

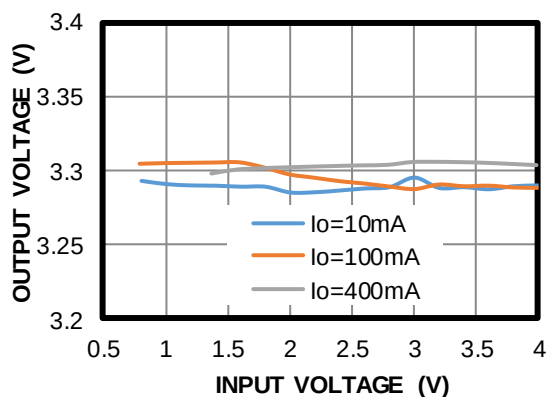
Efficiency vs. Load Current



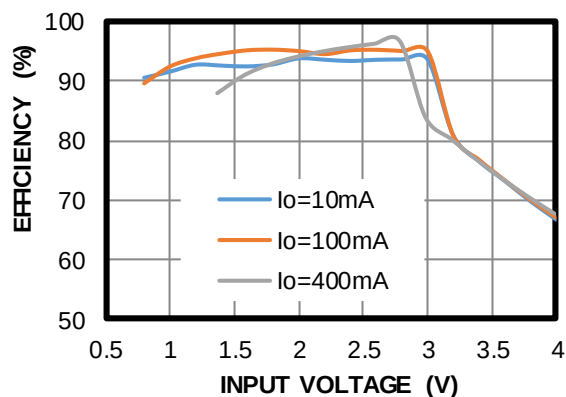
Load Regulation



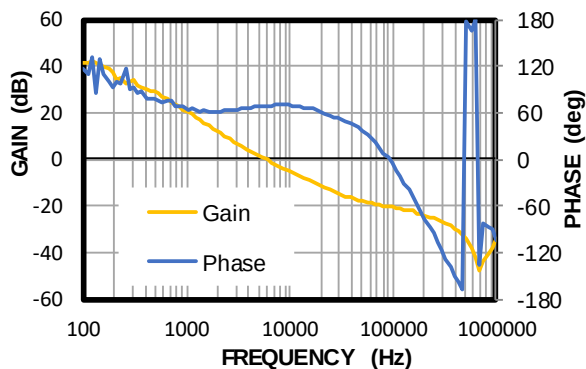
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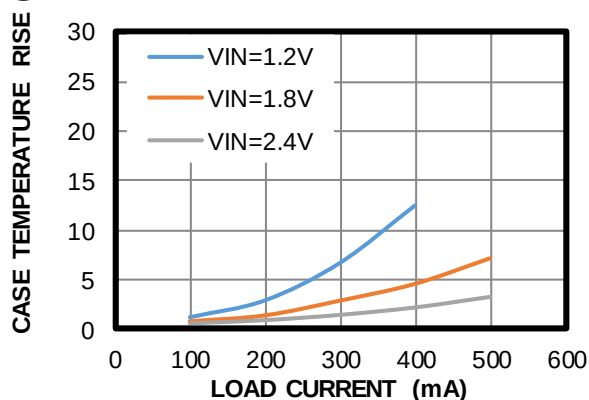
Efficiency vs. Input Voltage



Bode Plot

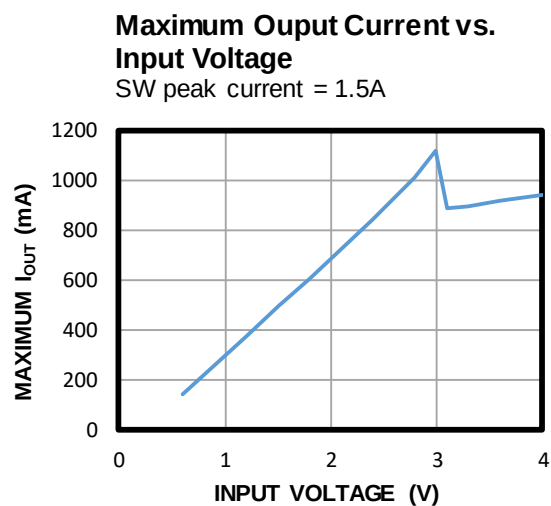


Case Temperature Rise



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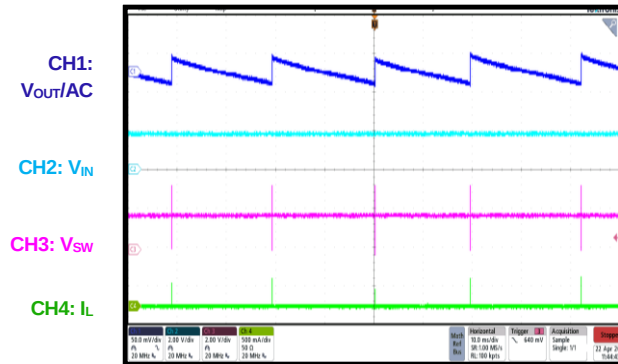
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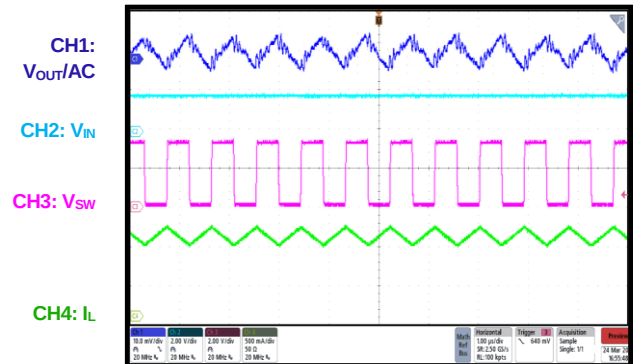
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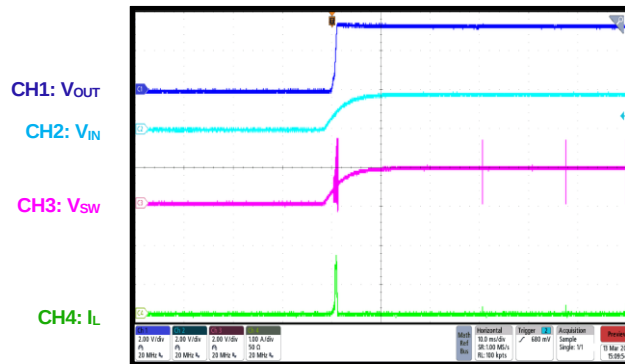
Steady State

 $I_{OUT} = 0A$


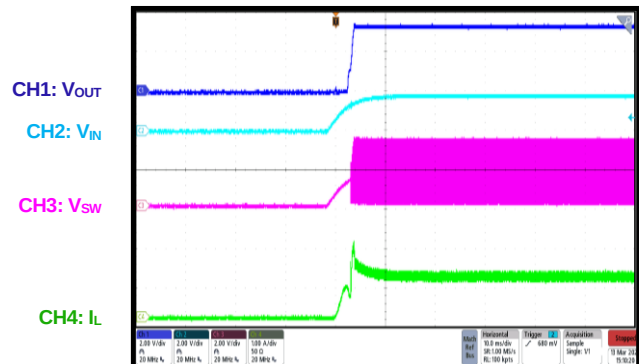
Steady State

 $I_{OUT} = 0.5A$


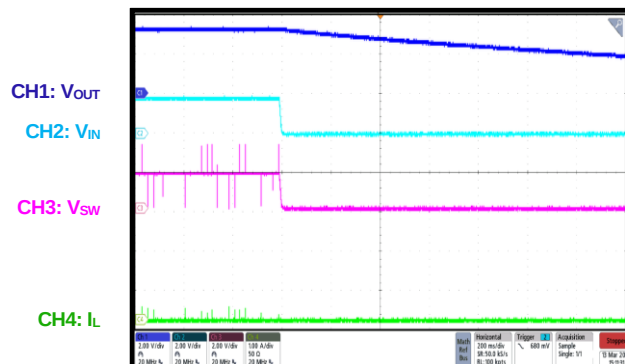
Start-Up through VIN

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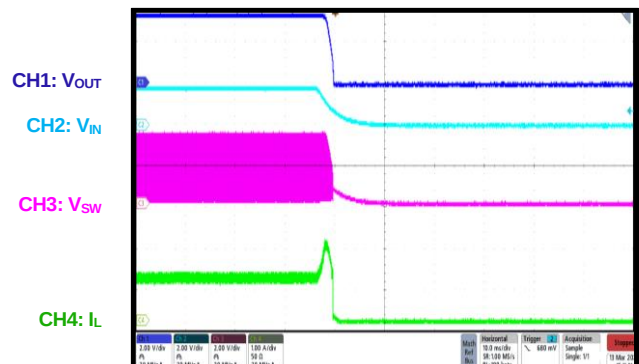
Start-Up through VIN

 $I_{OUT} = 0.5A$


Shutdown through VIN

 $I_{OUT} = 0A$


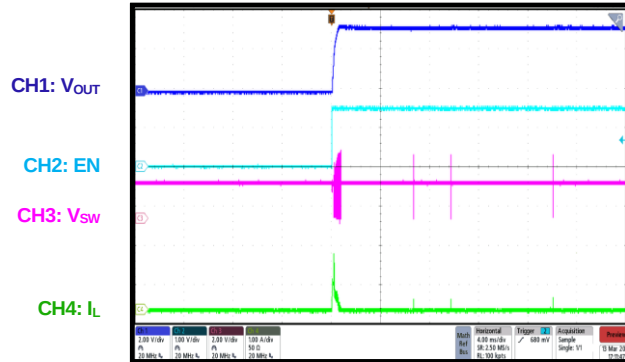
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 $I_{OUT} = 0.5A$


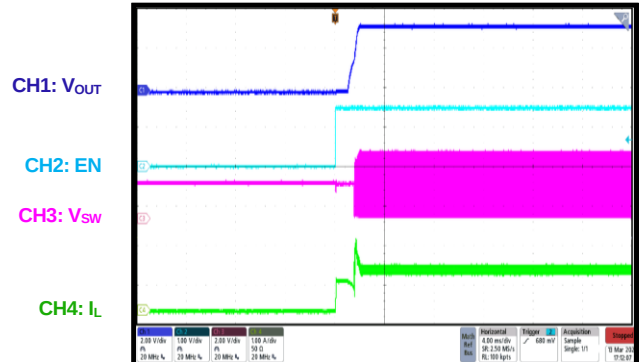
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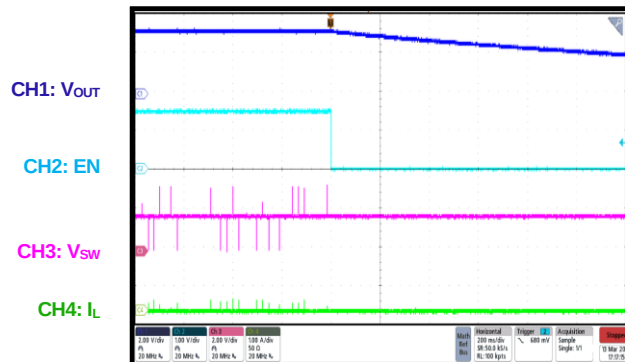
Start-Up through EN

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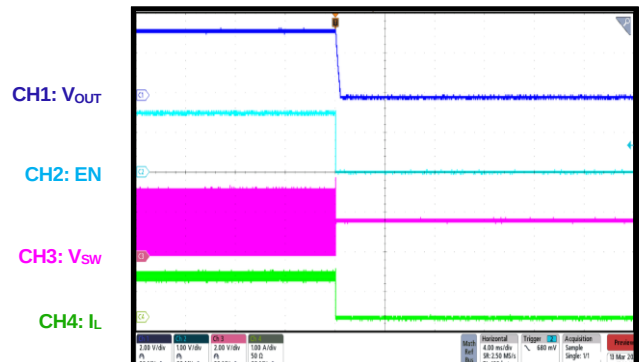
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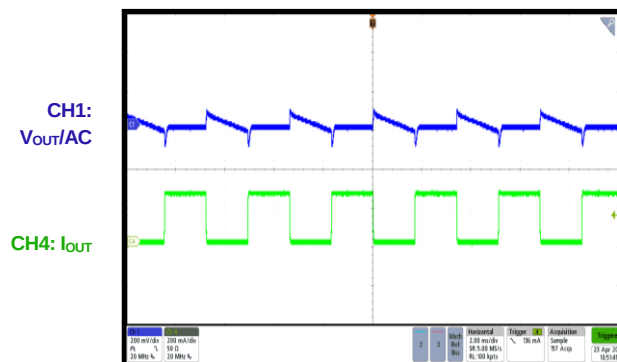
Shutdown through EN

 $I_{OUT} = 0A$


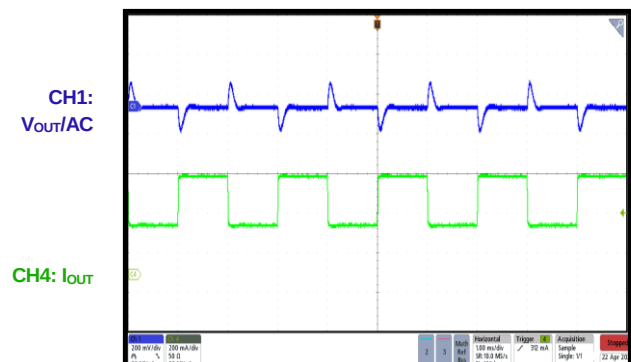
Shutdown through EN

 $I_{OUT} = 0.5A$


Load Transient

 $I_{OUT} = 0A$ to $0.25A$, $I_{RAMP} = 25mA/\mu s$


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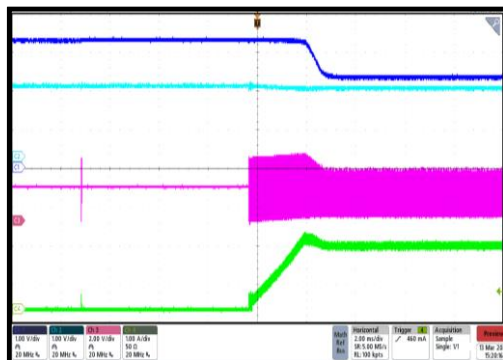
Over-Current Entry

I_{OUT} from 0A to 1A

CH2: V_{IN}
CH1: V_{OUT}

CH1: V_{OUT}

CH3: V_{SW}

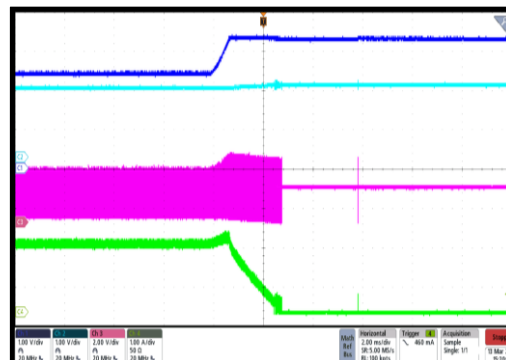
CH4: I_L 

Over-Current Recovery

I_{OUT} from 1A to 0A

CH2: V_{IN}
CH1: V_{OUT}

CH1: V_{OUT}

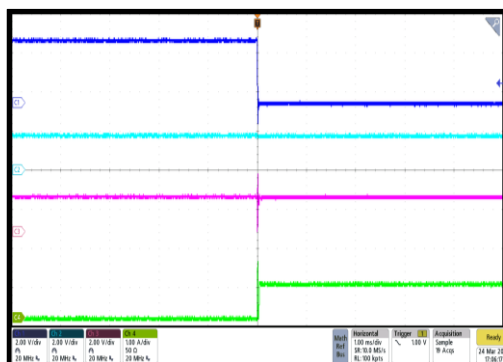
CH3: V_{SW} CH4: I₁

SCP Entry

$I_{OUT} = 0A$ to short

CH1: V_{OUT} CH2: V_{IN} CH3: V_{SW}

CH4: I_L

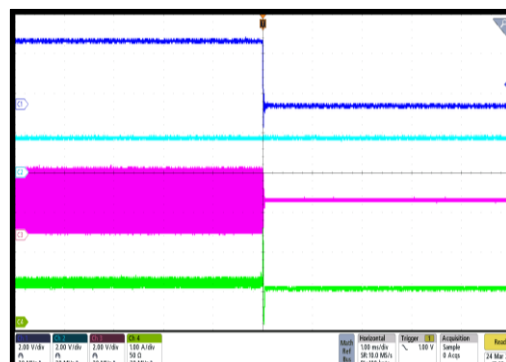


SCP Entry

$I_{OUT} = 0.5A$ to short

CH1: V_{OUT} CH2: V_{IN} $CH_3 \cdot V_{SW}$

CH4.1



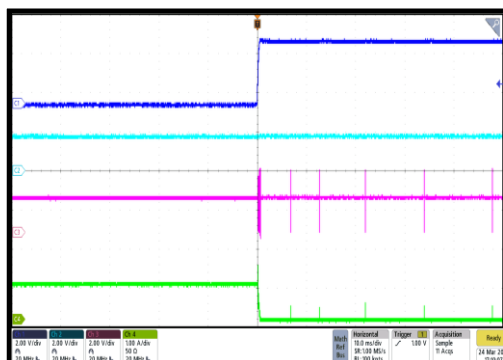
SCP Recovery

 $I_{OUT} = \text{short to } 0A$

CH1: V_{OUT}

CH2: V_{IN}

CH3: V_{SW}

CH4: I_L

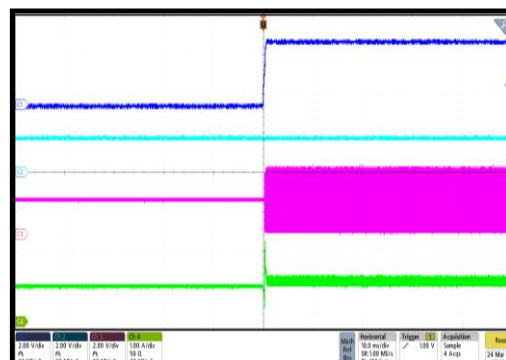
SCP Recovery

$$I_{OUT} = \text{short to } 0.5A$$

CH1: V_{OUT}

 $\text{CH}_2: V_{\text{IN}}$

CH3: V_{SW}

CH4: I_L

PCB LAYOUT

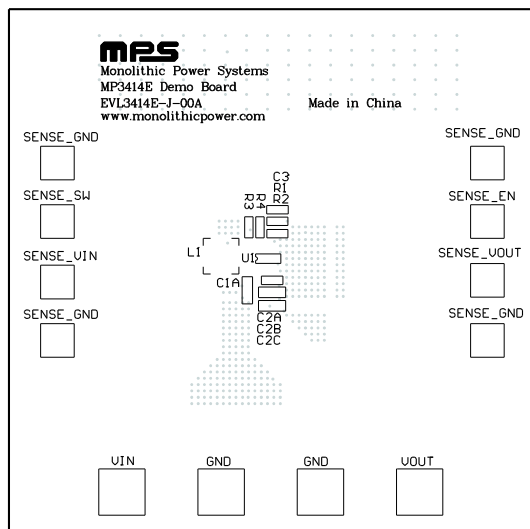


Figure 2: Top Silk Layer

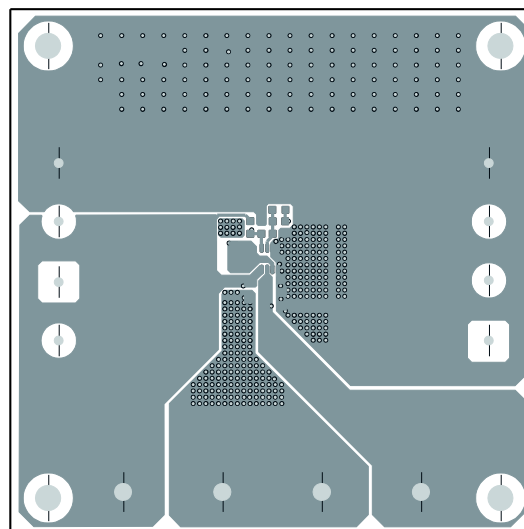


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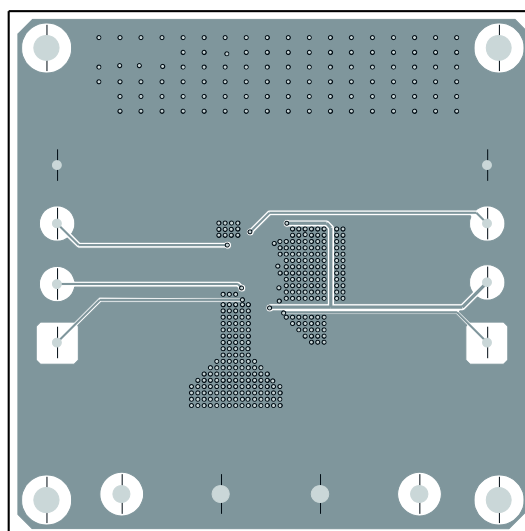


Figure 4: Bottom Layer

Revision History

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