



# 3A ULTRA LOW DROPOUT LINEAR REGULATOR

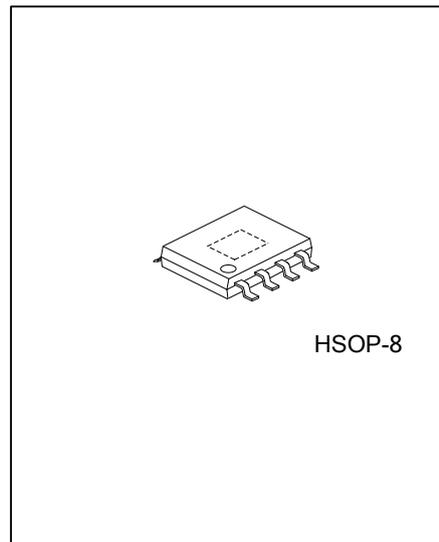
## DESCRIPTION

The UTC **LXXLD38** is a typical LDO with the features of very low dropout voltage as low as 0.20V at output current 3A.

For normal operation, two supply voltages are necessary. One called control voltage from other equipment can shutdown the output voltage and it should pull and hold the voltage of EN pin less than 0.4V. Another one is the main supply voltage whose purpose is for main power conversion, to keep the power dissipation low, and to make the dropout voltage lower.

Internally, in the UTC **LXXLD38**, there're many functions which can be seen in the block figure to prevent the IC from being damaged. Internal Power-On-Reset (POR) circuit can control the two supply voltages to prevent fault operations of the circuit; the thermal shutdown circuit is able to protect the device from over thermal operation, and a current limit function will keep the device work safely under current over-loads.

The UTC **LXXLD38** can be used as an ideal to provide well supply voltage in the applications, such as front-side-bus termination on motherboard, NB applications, front side bus  $V_{TT}$  (1.0V/3A) and note book PC applications.



## FEATURES

- \* Low Dropout  $V_D=0.20V(\text{typ.})@ I_{OUT}=3A$
- \* Low ESR Output Capacitor
- \*  $V_{REF}=0.5V$
- \* Fast Transient Response
- \* Output Voltage Adjustable through External Resistors
- \* POR(Power-On-Reset) controlling  $V_{CNTL}$  and  $V_{IN}$
- \* With internal Soft-Start
- \* Internal Current Limit Protection
- \* Internal Under Voltage Protection
- \* Hysteretic Thermal Shutdown
- \* With Power-OK Output (with a Delay Time)
- \* Low Shutdown Quiescent Current ( $<30\mu A$ )
- \* Shutdown/Enable Control Function

## ORDERING INFORMATION

| Ordering Number |                | Package | Packing   |
|-----------------|----------------|---------|-----------|
| Lead Free       | Halogen Free   |         |           |
| LXXLD38L-SH2-R  | LXXLD38G-SH2-R | HSOP-8  | Tape Reel |

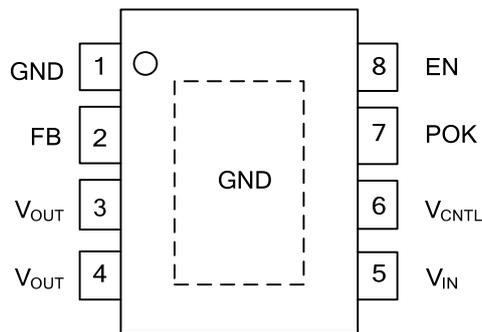
Note: XX: Output Voltage, refer to Marking Information.

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| <p>LXXLD38G-SH2-R</p> | <p>(1) Packing Type</p> <p>(2) Package Type</p> <p>(3) Green Package</p> <p>(4) Output Voltage Code</p> | <p>(1) R: Tape Reel</p> <p>(2) SH2: HSOP-8</p> <p>(3) G: Halogen Free and Lead Free, L: Lead Free</p> <p>(4) XX: refer to Marking Information</p> |
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### MARKING INFORMATION

| PACKAGE | VOLTAGE CODE | MARKING   |
|---------|--------------|---|
| HSOP-8  | AD :ADJ      | <p>Voltage Code ←</p> <p>UTC □□□□ → Date Code<br/>L: Lead Free<br/>G: Halogen Free<br/>Lot Code</p> |

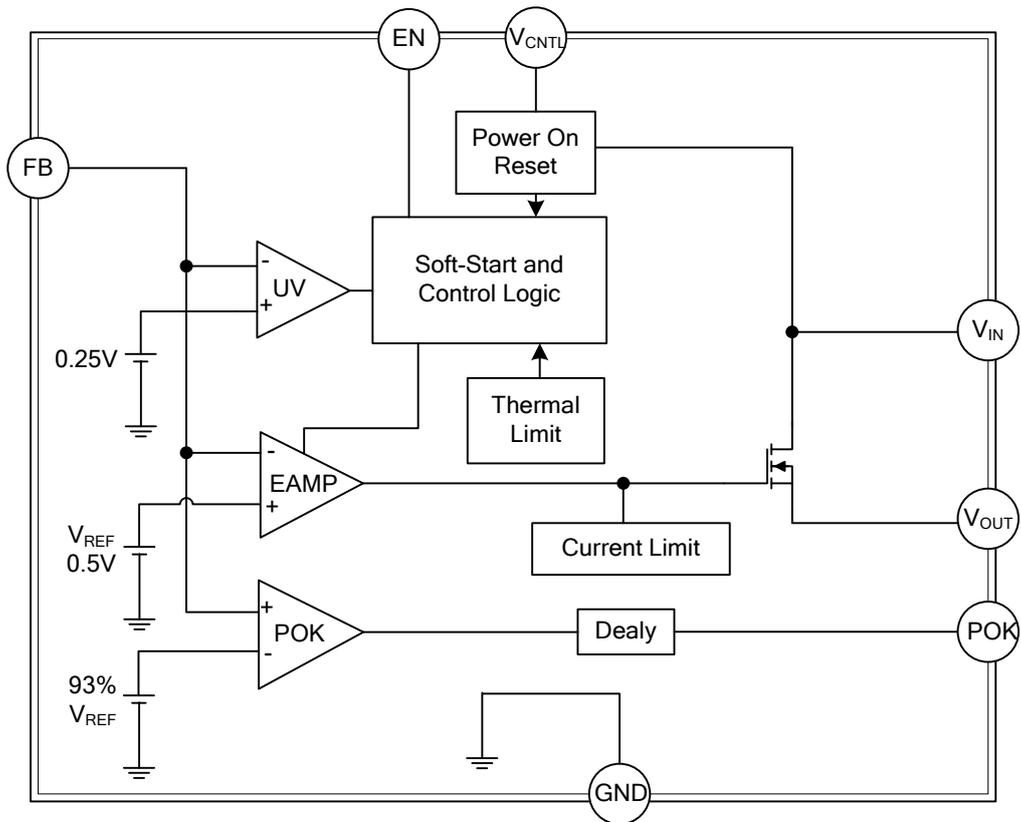
### PIN CONFIGURATION



### PIN DESCRIPTION

| PIN NO.     | PIN NAME          | DESCRIPTION  |
|-------------|-------------------|--|
| 1           | GND               | GND pin  |
| 2           | FB                | Feedback pin   |
| 3, 4        | V <sub>OUT</sub>  | IC power supply pin  |
| 5           | V <sub>IN</sub>   | Input Voltage  |
| 6           | V <sub>CNTL</sub> | CNTL Pin Input Voltage   |
| 7           | POK               | Power OK Output Pin  |
| 8           | EN                | Internal Pull High.<br>EN=high or Floating→ Enable<br>EN=Low→Shutdown mode |
| Exposed Pad | GND               | Connect exposed pad to GND.  |

■ BLOCK DIAGRAM



### ■ ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATING

| PARAMETER                        | SYMBOL            | RATINGS                       | UNIT |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|------|
| V <sub>CNTL</sub> Supply Voltage | V <sub>CNTL</sub> | -0.3 ~ 7                      | V    |
| V <sub>IN</sub> Supply Voltage   | V <sub>IN</sub>   | -0.3 ~ 6                      | V    |
| EN and FB Pin Voltage            | V <sub>I/O</sub>  | -0.3 ~ V <sub>CNTL</sub> +0.3 | V    |
| Power Good Voltage               | V <sub>POK</sub>  | -0.3 ~ 7                      | V    |
| Power Dissipation                | P <sub>D</sub>    | 2.5                           | W    |
| Junction Temperature             | T <sub>J</sub>    | +150                          | °C   |
| Storage Temperature              | T <sub>STG</sub>  | -65 ~ +150                    | °C   |

Note: Absolute maximum ratings are those values beyond which the device could be permanently damaged. Absolute maximum ratings are stress ratings only and functional device operation is not implied.

### ■ RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS

| PARAMETER                        | SYMBOL  | RATINGS                                  | UNIT |
|----------------------------------|---|--|------|
| V <sub>CNTL</sub> Supply Voltage | V <sub>CNTL</sub>   | 3 ~ 5.5                                  | V    |
| V <sub>IN</sub> Supply Voltage   | V <sub>IN</sub>   | 0.9 ~ 3.65                               | V    |
| Output Voltage                   | V <sub>CNTL</sub> -V <sub>OUT</sub> >1.9V<br>V <sub>OUT</sub> | 0.6 ~ V <sub>IN</sub> -V <sub>DROP</sub> | V    |
| Output Current                   | I <sub>OUT</sub>  | 0 ~ 3                                    | A    |

### ■ THERMAL DATA

| PARAMETER           | SYMBOL          | RATINGS | UNIT |
|---------------------|-----------------|---------|------|
| Junction to Ambient | θ <sub>JA</sub> | 220     | °C/W |

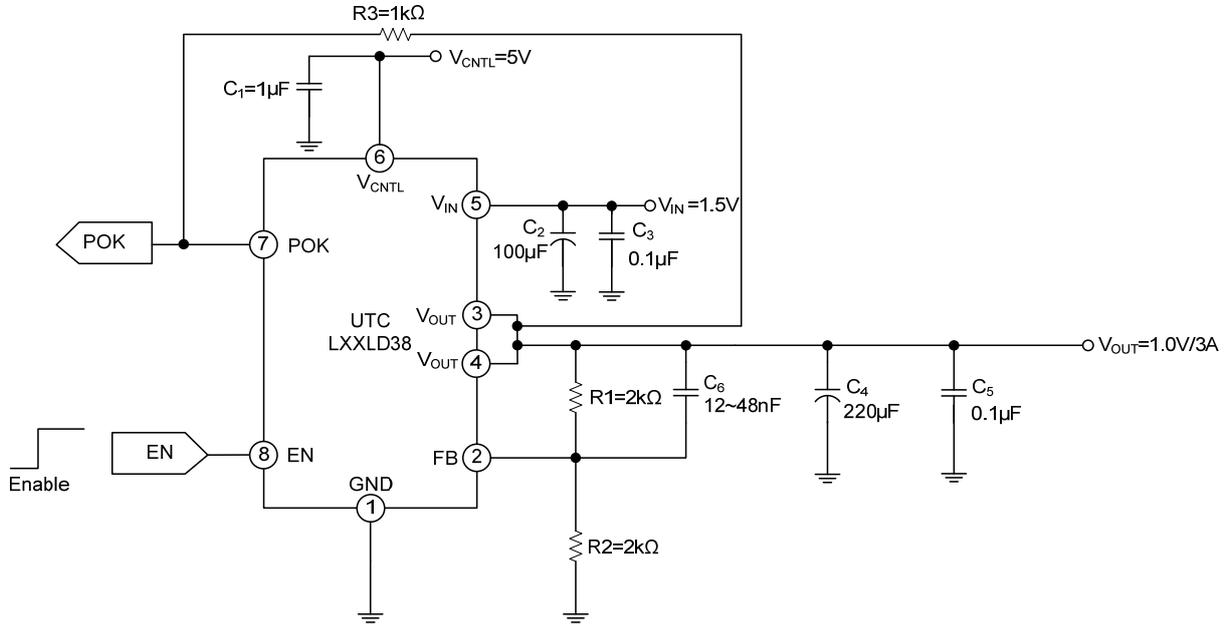
## ■ ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

( $V_{\text{CNTL}}=5\text{V}$ ,  $V_{\text{IN}}=1.5\text{V}$ ,  $V_{\text{OUT}}=1.0\text{V}$ ,  $T_{\text{A}}=25^{\circ}\text{C}$  unless otherwise specified)

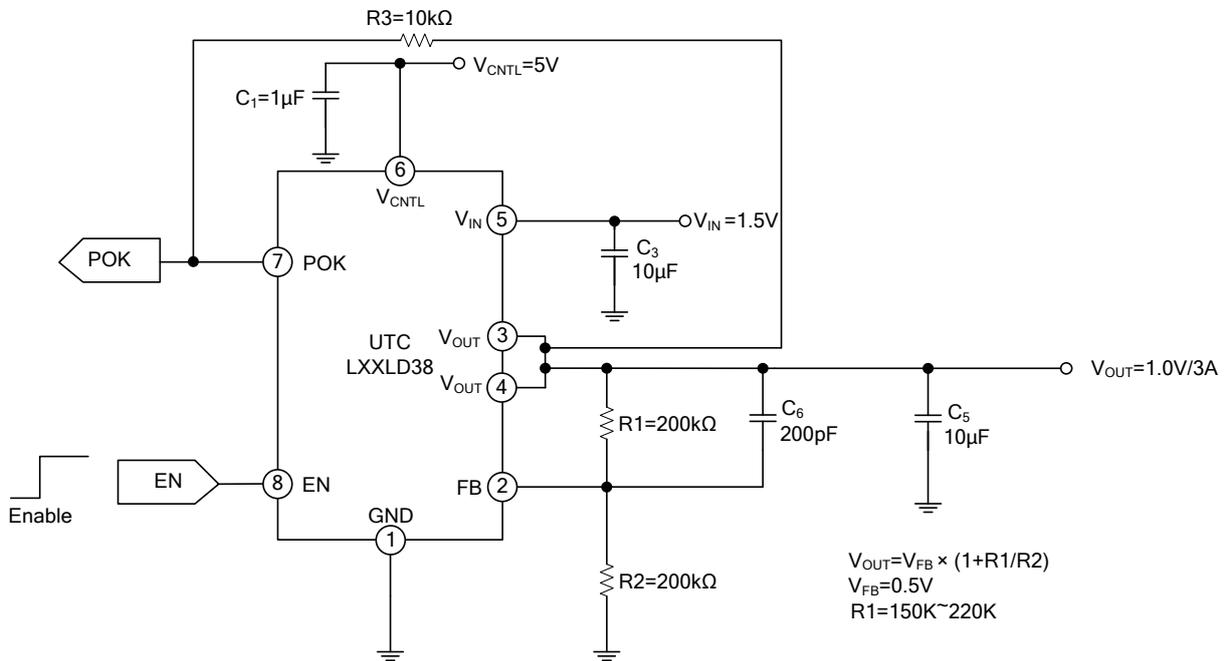
| PARAMETER                                | SYMBOL                 | TEST CONDITIONS   | MIN  | TYP  | MAX  | UNIT               |
|--|------------------------|---|------|------|------|--------------------|
| $V_{\text{CNTL}}$ POR Threshold          | $V_{\text{CNTL}}$      |   |      | 2.4  |      | V                  |
| $V_{\text{CNTL}}$ POR Hysteresis         | $V_{\text{CNTL(hys)}}$ |   |      | 0.5  |      | V                  |
| $V_{\text{IN}}$ POR Threshold            | $V_{\text{IN}}$        |   |      | 0.6  |      | V                  |
| $V_{\text{IN}}$ POR Hysteresis           | $V_{\text{IN(hys)}}$   |   |      | 0.4  |      | V                  |
| $V_{\text{CNTL}}$ Nominal Supply Current | $I_{\text{CNTL}}$      | EN= $V_{\text{CNTL}}$   |      | 1.0  | 3.0  | mA                 |
| $V_{\text{CNTL}}$ Shutdown Current       | $I_{\text{SD}}$        | EN=0V   |      | 15   | 50   | $\mu\text{A}$      |
| Feedback Voltage                         | $V_{\text{FB}}$        | $V_{\text{CNTL}}=5\text{V}$ , $I_{\text{OUT}}=10\text{mA}$  | 0.49 | 0.5  | 0.51 | V                  |
| Load Regulation                          |                        | $I_{\text{OUT}}=0\text{A}\sim 3\text{A}$  |      | 0.2  | 0.6  | %                  |
| Line Regulation                          |                        | $V_{\text{CNTL}}=V_{\text{EN}}=5\text{V}$<br>$V_{\text{IN}}=V_{\text{OUT}}+0.5\text{V}\sim 5\text{V}$<br>$I_{\text{OUT}}=10\text{mA}$ |      | 0.01 | 0.1  | %/V                |
| Dropout Voltage                          | $V_{\text{DROPP}}$     | $I_{\text{OUT}}=3\text{A}$ , $V_{\text{CNTL}}=5\text{V}$ , $V_{\text{OUT}}=0.9\text{V}$   |      | 0.20 |      | V                  |
| $V_{\text{OUT}}$ Pull Low Resistance     |                        | EN=0V   |      | 85   |      | $\Omega$           |
| Soft Start Time                          | $T_{\text{SS}}$        |   |      | 2    |      | mS                 |
| EN Pin Logic High Threshold Voltage      | $V_{\text{ENH}}$       | Enable  | 1.2  |      |      | V                  |
|  | $V_{\text{ENL}}$       | Disable   |      |      | 0.4  | V                  |
| EN Hysteresis                            |                        |   |      | 50   |      | mV                 |
| EN Pin Pull-Up Current                   | $I_{\text{EN}}$        | EN=GND  |      | 10   |      | $\mu\text{A}$      |
| Current Limit                            | $I_{\text{LIM}}$       | $V_{\text{CNTL}}=5\text{V}$   | 3.5  |      |      | A                  |
| Ripple Rejection                         | $V_{\text{IN}}$        | PSRR<br>F=120Hz, $I_{\text{OUT}}=100\text{mA}$  |      | 65   |      | dB                 |
|  | $V_{\text{CNTL}}$      |   |      | 65   |      | dB                 |
| Under-Voltage Threshold                  |                        | $V_{\text{FB}}$ Falling   |      | 0.25 |      | V                  |
| POK Threshold Voltage for Power OK       | $V_{\text{POK}}$       | $V_{\text{FB}}$ Rising  |      | 93%  |      | $V_{\text{FB}}$    |
| POK Threshold Voltage for Power Not OK   | $V_{\text{PNOK}}$      | $V_{\text{FB}}$ Falling   |      | 85%  |      | $V_{\text{FB}}$    |
| POK Low Voltage                          |                        | POK sinks 5mA   |      | 0.25 | 0.4  | V                  |
| Thermal Shutdown Temp                    | $T_{\text{SD}}$        |   |      | 160  |      | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |
| Thermal Shutdown Hysteresis              | $T_{\text{SH}}$        |   |      | 50   |      | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |

■ TYPICAL APPLICATION CIRCUIT

1. Using an Output Capacitor with ESR ≥ 20mΩ



2. Using an MLCC as the Output Capacitor



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