

## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

(Voltages Referred to GND Pin)

Supply Voltage ( $V_{IN}$ ) ..... -0.4V to 20V

SW Pin Voltage ..... -0.4V to 50V

Feedback Pin Voltage (LT1109A) ..... 5.5V

Shutdown Pin Voltage ..... 5.5V

Switch Current ..... 2A

Maximum Power Dissipation ..... 300mW

Operating Temperature Range ..... 0°C to 70°C

Storage Temperature Range ..... -65°C to 150°C

Lead Temperature (Soldering, 10 sec) ..... 300°C

## PACKAGE/ORDER INFORMATION

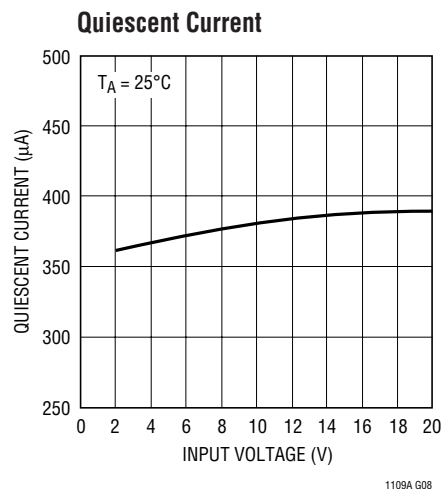
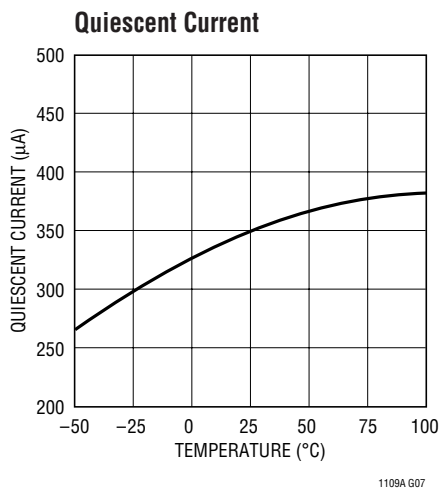
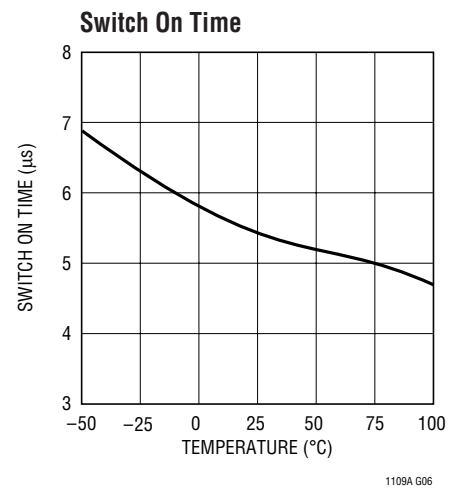
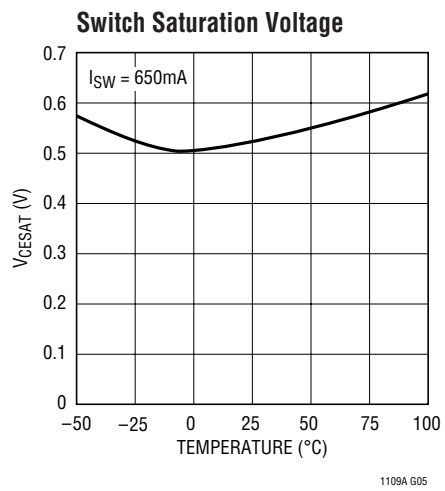
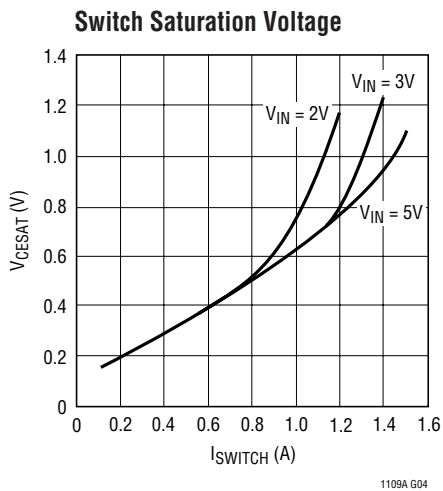
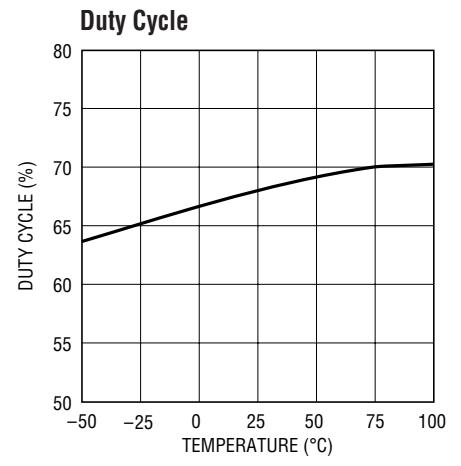
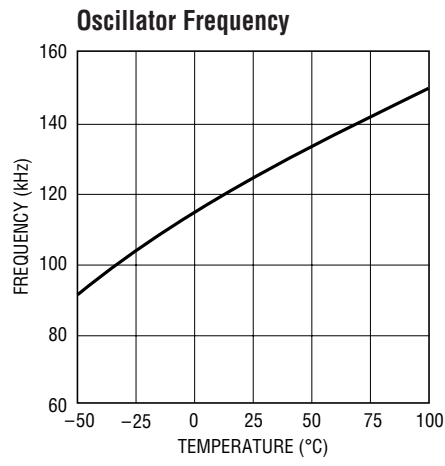
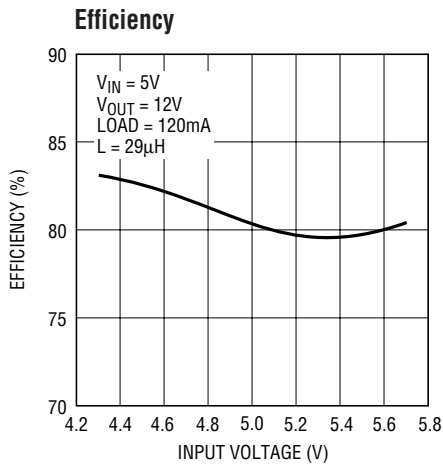
| TOP VIEW                                                                                                                                                      | ORDER PART NUMBER                           | TOP VIEW                                                                                                                                                     | ORDER PART NUMBER                           | S8 PART MARKING           |
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| <p>N8 PACKAGE<br/>8-LEAD PLASTIC DIP<br/>*FIXED VERSIONS<br/><math>T_{JMAX} = 90^{\circ}\text{C}</math>, <math>\theta_{JA} = 130^{\circ}\text{C/W}</math></p> | LT1109ACN8<br>LT1109ACN8-5<br>LT1109ACN8-12 | <p>S8 PACKAGE<br/>8-LEAD PLASTIC SO<br/>*FIXED VERSIONS<br/><math>T_{JMAX} = 90^{\circ}\text{C}</math>, <math>\theta_{JA} = 150^{\circ}\text{C/W}</math></p> | LT1109ACS8<br>LT1109ACS8-5<br>LT1109ACS8-12 | 1109A<br>1109A5<br>1109A1 |

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS $T_A = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$ , $V_{IN} = 3\text{V}$ , unless otherwise noted.

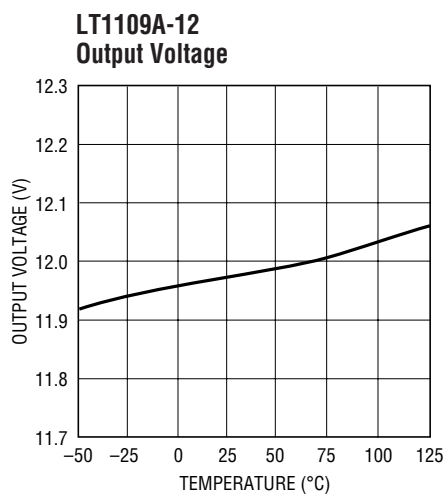
| SYMBOL             | PARAMETER                     | CONDITIONS                                                                                  |   | MIN   | TYP   | MAX   | UNITS |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| I <sub>Q</sub>     | Quiescent Current             | Switch Off                                                                                  | ● | 360   |       | 500   | μA    |
| V <sub>IN</sub>    | Input Voltage                 |                                                                                             | ● | 2     |       | 9     | V     |
|                    | Comparator Trip Point Voltage | LT1109A                                                                                     | ● | 1.20  | 1.25  | 1.30  | V     |
| V <sub>OUT</sub>   | Output Sense Voltage          | LT1109A-5; 2V ≤ V <sub>IN</sub> ≤ 5V                                                        | ● | 4.75  | 5.00  | 5.25  | V     |
|                    |                               | LT1109A-12; 2V ≤ V <sub>IN</sub> ≤ 12V                                                      | ● | 11.52 | 12.00 | 12.55 | V     |
|                    | Comparator Hysteresis         | LT1109A                                                                                     | ● | 8     |       | 12.5  | mV    |
|                    | Output Voltage Ripple         | LT1109A-5                                                                                   | ● | 25    |       | 50    | mV    |
|                    |                               | LT1109A-12                                                                                  | ● | 60    |       | 120   | mV    |
| f <sub>OSC</sub>   | Oscillator Frequency          |                                                                                             | ● | 105   | 120   | 135   | kHz   |
|                    |                               |                                                                                             |   | 95    |       | 155   | kHz   |
| t <sub>ON</sub>    | Switch On Time                |                                                                                             | ● | 4.1   | 5.5   | 6.9   | μs    |
|                    |                               |                                                                                             |   | 3.8   |       | 7.4   | μs    |
| DC                 | Duty Cycle                    | Full Load                                                                                   | ● | 60    | 68    | 77    | %     |
| V <sub>CESAT</sub> | Switch Saturation Voltage     | V <sub>IN</sub> = 3V, I <sub>SW</sub> = 650mA<br>V <sub>IN</sub> = 5V, I <sub>SW</sub> = 1A | ● | 0.5   |       | 0.65  | V     |
|                    |                               |                                                                                             |   | 0.7   |       | 1.00  | V     |
|                    | Switch Leakage Current        | V <sub>SW</sub> = 12V                                                                       |   | 1     |       | 10    | μA    |
| V <sub>IH</sub>    | SHUTDOWN Pin High             |                                                                                             | ● | 2.0   |       |       | V     |
| V <sub>IL</sub>    | SHUTDOWN Pin Low              |                                                                                             | ● |       |       | 0.8   | V     |
| I <sub>IH</sub>    | SHUTDOWN Pin Input Current    | V <sub>SHUTDOWN</sub> ≥ 2.0V                                                                | ● |       |       | 10    | μA    |
| I <sub>L</sub>     | SHUTDOWN Pin Input Current    | 0V ≤ V <sub>SHUTDOWN</sub> ≤ 0.8V                                                           | ● |       |       | 20    | μA    |

The ● denotes specifications which apply over the full operating temperature range.

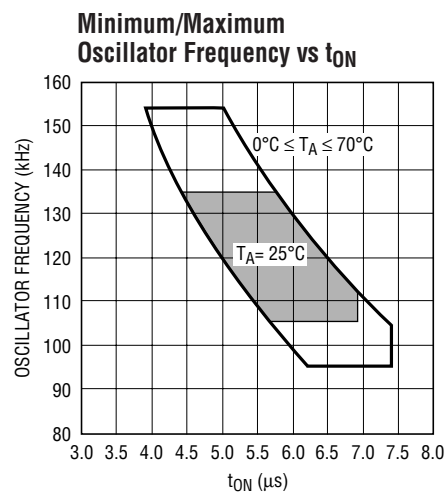
# TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS



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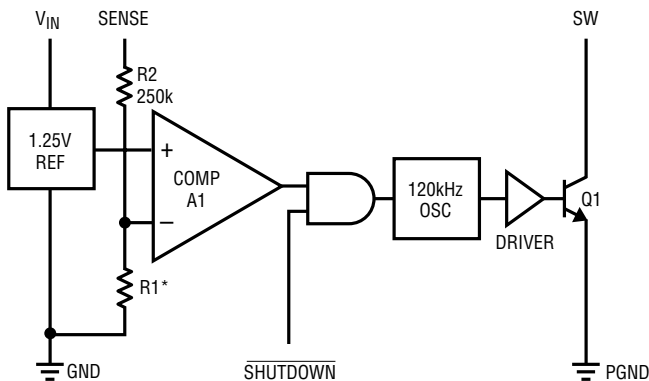
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1109A G10

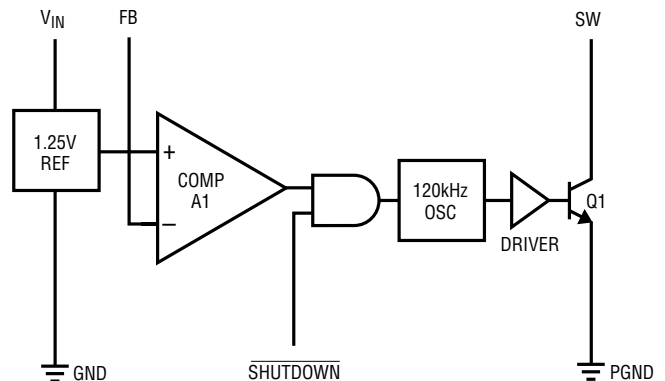
BLOCK DIAGRAMS

LT1109A-5, LT1109A-12



\*LT1109A-5:  $R_1 = 83k$   
LT1109A-12:  $R_1 = 29k$

LT1109A (Adjustable)



1109A B0

## OPERATION

The LT1109A is a micropower step-up DC/DC converter. It uses Burst Mode™ operation to achieve micropower operation yet still deliver more than 2W of output power from a 5V supply. Circuit operation can be best understood by referring to the LT1109A block diagram. With **SHUTDOWN** high, comparator A1 compares the feedback (FB) pin voltage with the 1.25V reference signal. When FB

drops below 1.25V, A1 switches on the 120kHz oscillator. The driver amplifier boosts the signal level to drive the output NPN power switch. When the FB voltage is sufficient to trip A1, the oscillator is turned off. A low signal on the **shutdown** pin gates off the oscillator, overriding A1. With **SHUTDOWN** low, quiescent current remains at 360μA.

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## APPLICATIONS INFORMATION

### Inductor Selection

A DC/DC converter operates by storing energy as magnetic flux in an inductor core, and then switching this energy into the load. To operate as an efficient energy transfer element, the inductor must fulfill three requirements: inductance value, saturation current and DC resistance. A fourth requirement is physical size. The inductors recommended with the LT1109A circuits are small, surface-mountable and are designed for switch-mode applications. Avoid using RF chokes or air core units since they have very low peak current ratings. The LT1109A works best in situations where the input voltage does not vary much since the device has no internal switch current limit function. For situations where the input voltage varies, such as battery inputs, the LT1107 or LT1111 is suggested instead.

### Capacitor Selection

The output capacitor should be chosen on the basis of its equivalent series resistance (ESR) and capacitance value. Low ESR tantalum surface-mountable capacitors such as those made by AVX are well-suited for DC/DC converter applications. Inexpensive aluminum electrolytics may have excessive ESR, resulting in high output ripple. These should be avoided.

### Diode Selection

Speed, forward drop, and leakage current are the three main considerations in selecting a diode for LT1109A converters. General purpose rectifiers such as the 1N4001

are *unsuitable* for use in *any* switching regulator application. Although they are rated at 1A, the switching time of a 1N4001 is in the 10μs to 50μs range. At best, efficiency will be severely compromised if this diode is used; at worst, the circuit may not work at all. The 1N5818 is an ideal choice for LT1109A circuits. Surface-mountable versions, such as the MBRS130T3, are available as well.

**Table 1. Inductor Manufacturers**

| MANUFACTURER                                                                                            | PART NUMBERS                      |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Coiltronics International<br>984 S.W. 13th Court<br>Pompano Beach, FL 33069<br>305-781-8900             | Surface Mount<br>OCTA-PAC™ Series |
| Sumida Electric Co., Ltd.<br>637 E. Golf Road, Suite 209<br>Arlington Heights, IL 60005<br>708-956-0666 | CD54<br>CD105<br>Surface Mount    |

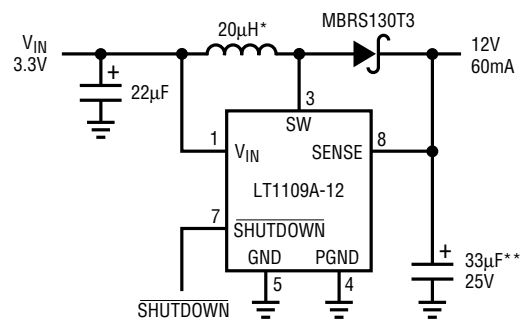
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**Table 2. Capacitor Manufacturers**

| MANUFACTURER                                                                                                | PART NUMBERS  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| AVX<br>Myrtle Beach, SC 29578<br>803-946-0690                                                               | TPS Series    |
| Philips Components<br>2001 W. Blue Heron Blvd.<br>P.O. Box 10330<br>Riviera Beach, FL 33404<br>407-881-3200 | 49MC Series   |
| Sanyo Video Components<br>1201 Sanyo Avenue<br>San Diego, CA 92073<br>619-661-6322                          | OS-CON Series |

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

3.3V Powered Flash Memory VPP Generator

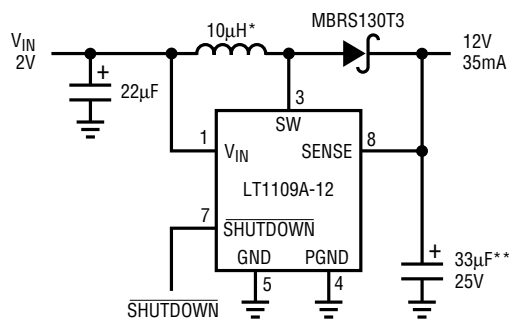


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SUMIDA CD54-220LC

\*\* AVX TPS SERIES

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2V Powered Flash Memory VPP Generator



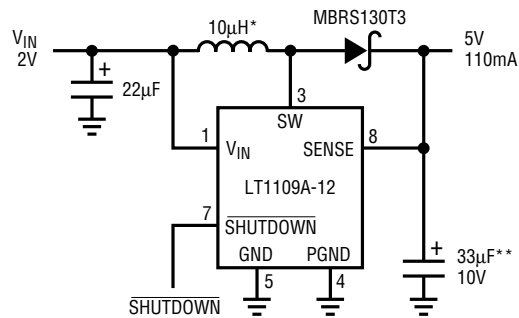
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## TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

## 2V to 5V Converter

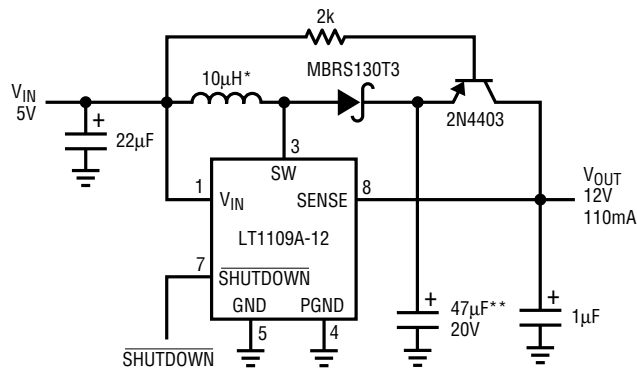


\* COILTRONICS CTX10-1  
SUMIDA CD54-100LC

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## 5V to 12V Converter with Shutdown to 0V at Output



\* COILTRONICS CTX33-2  
SUMIDA CD54-330LC

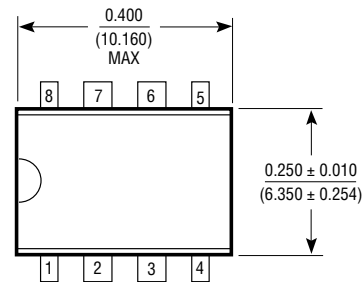
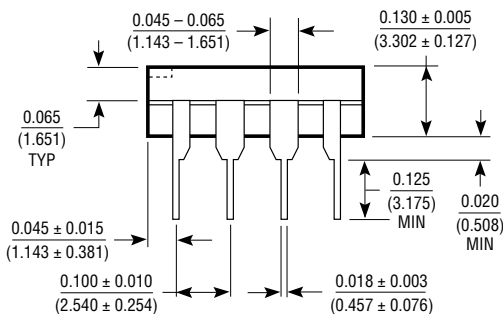
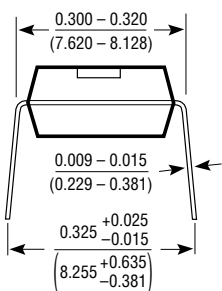
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# **PACKAGE DESCRIPTION**

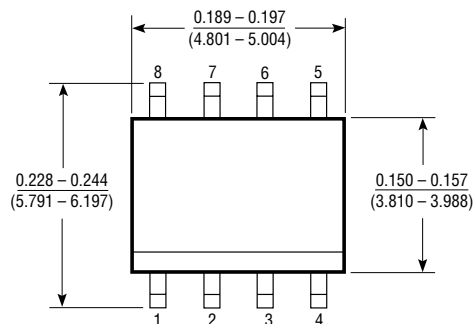
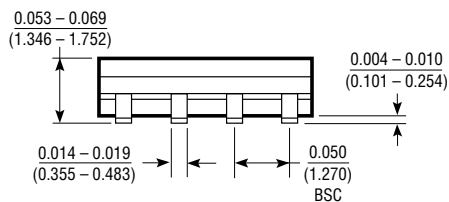
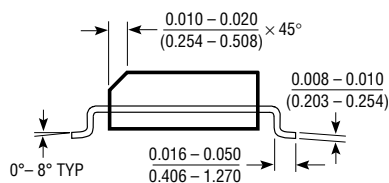
Dimensions are in inches (millimeters) unless otherwise noted.

## **N8 Package 8-Lead Plastic DIP**



N8 0392

## **S8 Package 8-Lead Plastic SOIC**



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