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FAN4860 3MHz, 5V Output Synchronous TinyBoost™ Regulator

Features

- Operates with Very Small External Components: 1µH Inductor and 0402 Case Size Input and Output Capacitors
- Input Voltage Range from 2.3V to 4.5V
- Fixed 5.0V Output Voltage
- Maximum Load Current 200mA at V_{IN}=2.3V
- Maximum Load Current 300mA at V_{IN}=3.3V
- Up to 92% Efficient
- Low Operating Quiescent Current
- True Load Disconnect During Shutdown
- Variable On-time Pulse Frequency Modulation (PFM) with Light-Load Power-Saving Mode
- Internal Synchronous Rectifier (No External Diode Needed)
- Thermal Shutdown and Overload Protection
- 6-Pin 2 x 2mm UMLP
- 6-Bump WLCSP, 0.4mm Pitch

Applications

- USB "On the Go" 5V Supply
- HDMI 5V Supply
- 5V Supply for H-Bridge Motor Drivers
- Powering 5V Peripherals
- Supply Source for WLED Torch and Flash Lighting
- PDAs, Portable Media Players

Ordering Information

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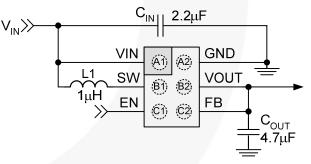
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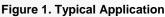
The FAN4860 is a low-power boost regulator designed to provide a regulated 5V output from a single cell Li-Ion battery. The output voltage is fixed at 5.0V with a guaranteed maximum load current of 200mA at V_{IN} =2.3V and 300mA at V_{IN} =3.3V. Input current in shut-down mode is less than 1µA, which maximizes battery life.

Light-load PFM operation is automatic and "glitch-free". The regulator maintains output regulation at no-load with $37\mu A$ quiescent current.

The combination of built-in power transistors, synchronous rectification, and low supply current make the FAN4860 ideal for battery powered applications.

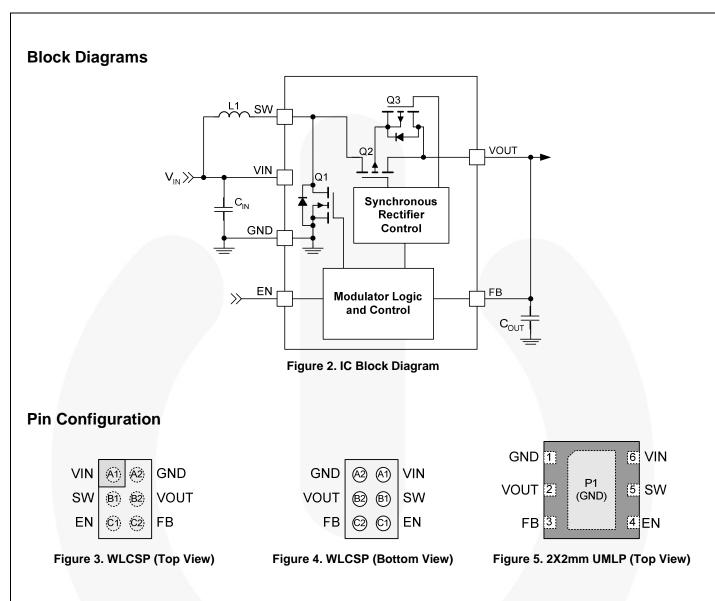
The FAN4860 is available in 6-bump 0.4mm pitch Wafer-Level Chip Scale Package (WLCSP) and a 6-lead 2x2mm ultra-thin MLP package.





	Part Number	Operating Temperature Range	Package	Packing Method
	FAN4860UC5X	-40°C to 85°C	WLCSP, 0.4mm Pitch	Tape and Reel
	FAN4860UMP5X	-40°C to 85°C	UMLP-6, 2 x 2mm	Tape and Reel

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Pin Definitions

Pin	n #	Name	Description
WLCSP	UMLP	Name	Description
A1	6	VIN	Input Voltage. Connect to Li-lon battery input power source and input capacitor (C_{IN}).
B1	5	SW	Switching Node. Connect to inductor.
C1	4	EN	Enable. When this pin is HIGH, the circuit is enabled. This pin should not be left floating.
C2	3	FB	Feedback . Output voltage sense point for V_{OUT} . Connect to output capacitor (C_{OUT}).
B2	2	VOUT	Output Voltage. This pin is both the output voltage terminal as well as an IC bias supply.
A2	1, P1	GND	Ground . Power and signal ground reference for the IC. All voltages are measured with respect to this pin.

Absolute Maximum Ratings

Stresses exceeding the absolute maximum ratings may damage the device. The device may not function or be operable above the recommended operating conditions and stressing the parts to these levels is not recommended. In addition, extended exposure to stresses above the recommended operating conditions may affect device reliability. The absolute maximum ratings are stress ratings only.

Symbol		Parameter	Min.	Max.	Units
V _{IN}	VIN Pin		-0.3	5.5	V
V _{OUT}	VOUT Pin		-2	6	V
V _{FB}	FB Pin		-2	14	V
V	SW Node	DC	-0.3	5.5	V V V V V KV °C °C
V_{SW}	SW Node	Transient: 10ns, 3MHz	-1.0	6.5	
V _{EN}	EN Pin		-0.3	5.5	V
ESD	Electrostatic Discharge	Human Body Model per JESD22-A114	2	2.0	
ESD	Protection Level	Charged Device Model per JESD22-C1	01 [·]	1.0	
TJ	Junction Temperature		-40	+150	°C
T _{STG}	Storage Temperature		-65	+150	°C
TL	Lead Soldering Temperature, 7	0 Seconds		+260	°C

Recommended Operating Conditions

The Recommended Operating Conditions table defines the conditions for actual device operation. Recommended operating conditions are specified to ensure optimal performance to the datasheet specifications. Fairchild does not recommend exceeding them or designing to absolute maximum ratings.

Symbol	Parameter	Min.	Max.	Units
V _{IN}	Supply Voltage	2.3	4.5	V
IOUT	Output Current		200	mA
T _A	Ambient Temperature	-40	+85	°C
TJ	Junction Temperature	-40	+125	°C

Thermal Properties

Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance is a function of application and board layout. This data is measured with four-layer 2s2p boards in accordance to JEDEC standard JESD51. Special attention must be paid not to exceed junction temperature $T_{J(max)}$ at a given ambient temperate T_A .

Symbol	Symbol Parameter		Typical	Units
0	Junction-to-Ambient Thermal Resistance	WLCSP	130	°C/W
θ_{JA}		UMLP	57	°C/W

Electrical Specifications

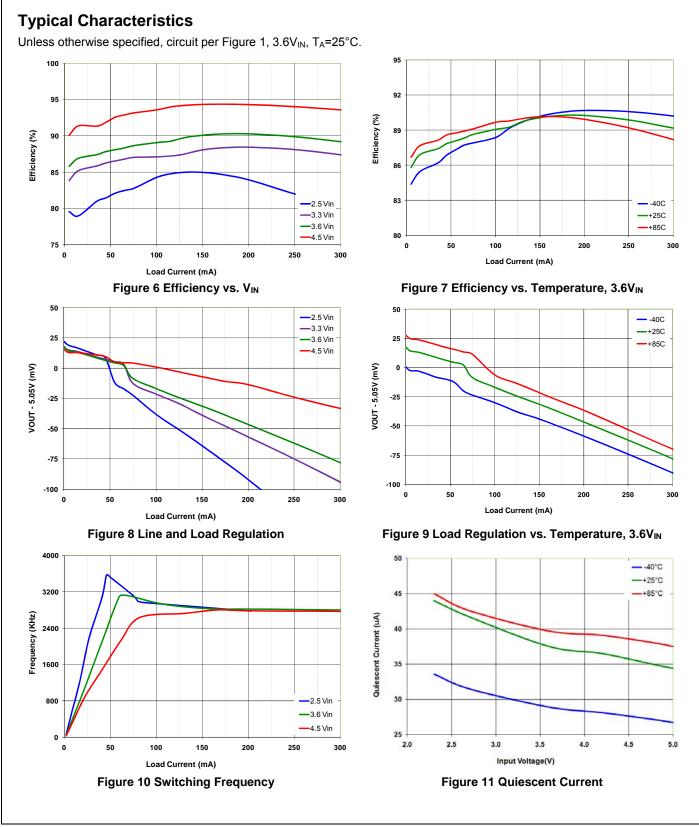
Minimum and maximum values are at $V_{IN}=V_{EN}=2.3V$ to 4.5V, $T_A=-40^{\circ}C$ to +85°C; circuit of Figure 1, unless otherwise noted. Typical values are at $T_A=25^{\circ}C$, $V_{IN}=V_{EN}=3.6V$.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units	
		Quiescent: V _{IN} =3.6V, I _{OUT} =0, EN=V _{IN}		37	45	-	
I _{IN}	V _{IN} Input Current	Shutdown: EN=0, V _{IN} =3.6V		0.5	1.5	μA	
I _{LK_OUT}	V _{OUT} Leakage Current	V _{OUT} =0, EN=0, V _{IN} =4.2V		10		nA	
I _{LK_RVSR}	Vout to VIN Reverse Leakage	V _{OUT} =5V, V _{IN} =3.6V, EN=0			2.5	μA	
V _{UVLO}	Under-Voltage Lockout	V _{IN} Rising		2.2	2.3	V	
V _{UVLO_HYS}	Under-Voltage Lockout Hysteresis			190		mV	
V_{ENH}	Enable HIGH Voltage		1.05			V	
V _{ENL}	Enable LOW Voltage				0.4	V	
I _{LK_EN}	Enable Input Leakage Current			0.01	1	μA	
		V _{IN} from 2.3V to 4.5V, I _{OUT} ≤200mA	4.80	5.05	5.15	V	
Vout	V _{OUT} Output Voltage Accuracy ⁽¹⁾	V _{IN} from 2.7V to 4.5V, I _{OUT} ≤200mA	4.85	5.05	5.15		
		V _{IN} from 3.3V to 4.5V, I _{OUT} ≤300mA	4.85	5.05	5.15		
V _{REF}	Reference Accuracy	Referred to V _{OUT}	4.975	5.050	5.125	V	
t _{OFF}	Off Time	V _{IN} =3.6V, I _{OUT} =200mA	195	240	265	ns	
	Maximum Output Current ⁽²⁾	V _{IN} =2.3V, V _{OUT} =5V	200				
lout		V _{IN} =3.3V, V _{OUT} =5V	300			mA	
		V _{IN} =3.6V, V _{OUT} =5V		400			
Isw	SW Peak Current Limit	V _{IN} =3.6V, V _{OUT} >V _{IN}	930	1100	1320	mA	
I _{SS}	Soft-Start Input Peak Current Limit ⁽²⁾	V _{IN} =3.6V, V _{OUT} < V _{IN}		850		mA	
t _{ss}	Soft-Start Time	V _{IN} =3.6V, I _{OUT} =200mA Time=Rising EN until Regulated V _{OUT}		100	300	μS	
_	N-Channel Boost Switch	V _{IN} =3.6V		300			
R _{DS(ON)}	P-Channel Sync Rectifier	V _{IN} =3.6V		400		mΩ	
T _{TSD}	Thermal Shutdown	I _{LOAD} =10mA		150	P	°C	
T _{TSD_HYS}	Thermal Shutdown Hysteresis			30		°C	

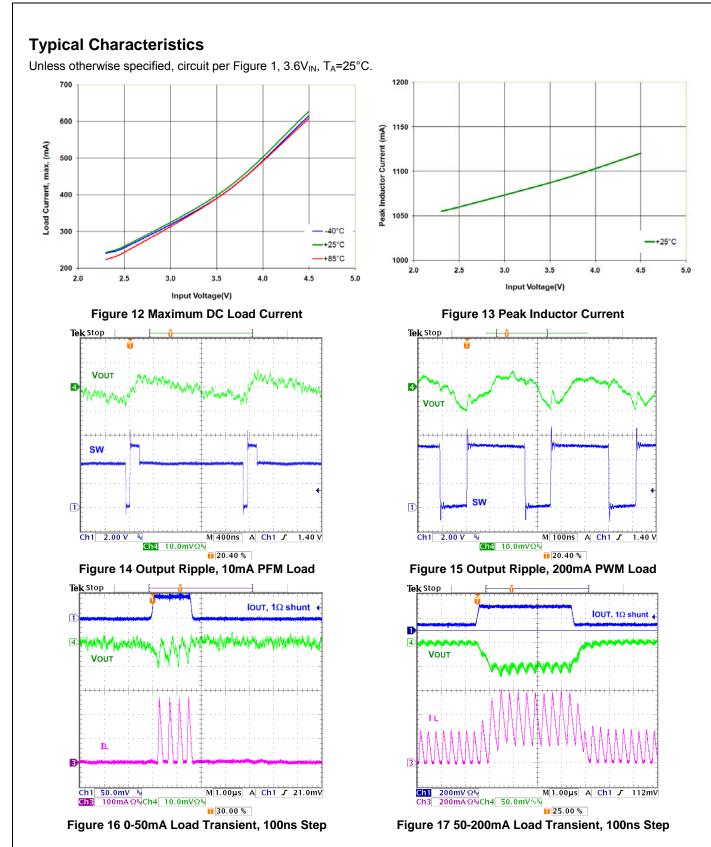
1. I_{LOAD} from 0 to I_{OUT} ; also includes load transient response. V_{OUT} measured from mid-point of output voltage ripple. Effective capacitance of $C_{OUT} > 1.5 \mu$ F.

2. Guaranteed by design and characterization; not tested in production.

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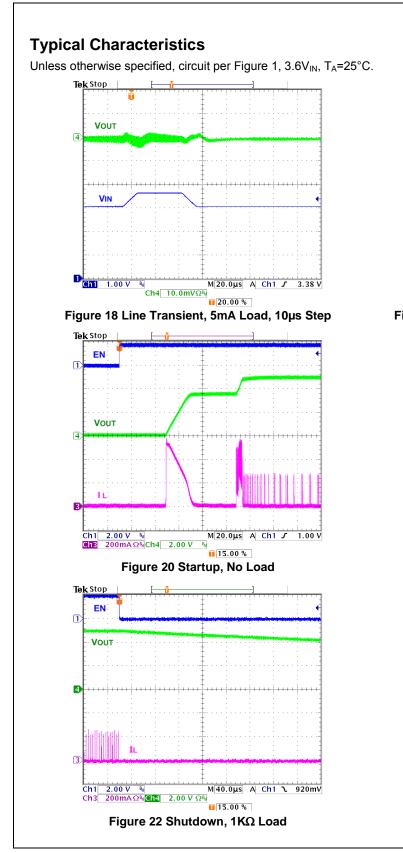


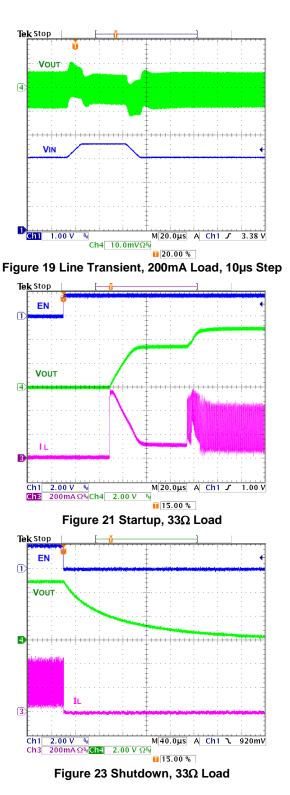
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Functional Description

Circuit Description

FAN4860 is a synchronous boost regulator, typically operating at 3MHz in continuous conduction mode (CCM), which occurs at moderate to heavy load current and low V_{IN} voltages.

At light-load currents, the converter switches automatically to power-saving PFM mode. The regulator automatically and smoothly transitions between quasi-fixed-frequency continuous conduction PWM mode and variable-frequency PFM mode to maintain the highest possible efficiency over the full range of load current and input voltage.

PWM Mode Regulation

The FAN4860 uses a minimum on-time and computed minimum off-time to regulate $V_{\text{OUT}}.$ The regulator achieves excellent transient response by employing current mode modulation. This technique causes the regulator output to exhibit a load line. During PWM mode, the output voltage drops slightly as the input current rises. With a constant $V_{\text{IN}},$ this appears as a constant output resistance.

The "droop" caused by the output resistance when a load is applied allows the regulator to respond smoothly to load transients with negligible overshoot.

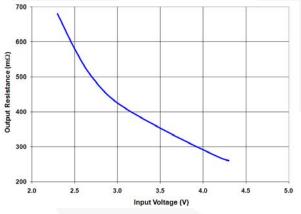


Figure 26 Output Resistance (Rout)

 V_{OUT} as a function of I_{LOAD} can be computed when the regulator is in PWM mode (continuous conduction) as:

$$V_{OUT} = 5.05 - R_{OUT} \bullet I_{LOAD}$$
 EQ. 1

For example, at $V_{\text{IN}}\text{=}3.3\text{V},$ and $I_{\text{LOAD}}\text{=}200\text{mA},$ V_{OUT} would drop to:

 $V_{OUT} = 5.05 - 0.38 \cdot 0.2 = 4.974 V$ EQ. 1A

At V_{IN}=2.3V, and I_{LOAD}=200mA, V_{OUT} would drop to:

$$V_{OUT} = 5.05 - 0.68 \bullet 0.2 = 4.914 V$$
 EQ. 1E

PFM Mode

If $V_{OUT} > V_{REF}$ when the minimum off-time has ended, the regulator enters PFM mode. Boost pulses are inhibited until $V_{OUT} < V_{REF}$. The minimum on-time is increased to enable the output to pump up sufficiently with each PFM boost pulse. Therefore, the regulator behaves like a constant on-time regulator, with the bottom of its output voltage ripple at 5.05V in PFM mode.

Table 1. Operating States

Mode Description		Invoked When:	
LIN	Linear Startup	V _{IN} > V _{OUT}	
SS	Boost Soft-Start	V _{OUT} < V _{REG}	
BST Boost Operating Mode		V _{OUT} =V _{REG}	

Shutdown and Startup

If EN is LOW, all bias circuits are off and the regulator is in shutdown mode. During shutdown, true load disconnect between battery and load prevents current flow from $V_{\rm IN}$ to $V_{\rm OUT}$, as well as reverse flow from $V_{\rm OUT}$ to $V_{\rm IN}$.

LIN State

When EN rises, if $V_{IN} > UVLO$, the regulator first attempts to bring V_{OUT} within about 1V of V_{IN} by using the internal fixed current source from V_{IN} (I_{LIN1}). The current is limited to about 630mA during LIN1 mode.

If V_{OUT} reaches $V_{\text{IN}}\text{-}1V$ during LIN1 mode, the SS state is initiated. Otherwise, LIN1 times out after 16 CLK counts and the LIN2 mode is entered.

In LIN2 mode, the current source is incremented to 850mA. If V_{OUT} fails to reach $V_{\text{IN}}\text{-}1V$ after 64 CLK counts, a fault condition is declared.

SS State

Upon the successful completion of the LIN state ($V_{OUT} \ge V_{IN}$ -1V), the regulator begins switching with boost pulses current limited to about 50% of nominal level, incrementing to full scale over a period of 32 CLK counts.

If the output fails to achieve 90% of its setpoint within 96 CLK counts at full-scale current limit, a fault condition is declared.

BST State

This is the normal operating mode of the regulator. The regulator uses a minimum t_{OFF} -minimum t_{ON} modulation scheme. Minimum t_{OFF} is proportional to $\frac{V_{IN}}{V_{OUT}}$, which keeps the regulator's switching frequency reasonably constant in CCM. $t_{ON(MIN)}$ is proportional to V_{IN} and is higher if the inductor current reaches 0 before $t_{OFF(MIN)}$ during the prior cycle.

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To ensure that V_{OUT} does not pump significantly above the regulation point, the boost switch remains off as long as FB > $V_{\text{REF}}.$

Fault State

The regulator enters the FAULT state under any of the following conditions:

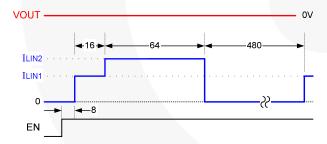
- V_{OUT} fails to achieve the voltage required to advance from LIN state to SS state.
- V_{OUT} fails to achieve the voltage required to advance from SS state to BST state.
- Sustained (32 CLK counts) pulse-by-pulse current limit during the BST state.
- The regulator moves from BST to LIN state due to a short circuit or output overload (V_{OUT} < V_{IN}-1V).

Once a fault is triggered, the regulator stops switching and presents a high-impedance path between $V_{\rm IN}$ and $V_{\rm OUT}.$ After waiting 480 CLK counts, a re-start is attempted.

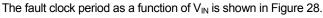
Soft-Start and Fault Timing

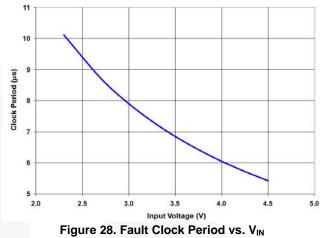
The soft-start timing for each state, and the fault times, are determined by the fault clock, whose period is inversely proportional to V_{IN} . This allows the regulator more time to charge larger values of C_{OUT} when V_{IN} is lower. With higher V_{IN} , this also reduces power delivered to V_{OUT} during each cycle in current limit.

The number of clock counts for each state is illustrated in Figure 27.









The V_{IN} -dependent LIN mode charging current is illustrated in Figure 29.



Over-Temperature Protection (OTP)

The regulator shuts down when the thermal shutdown threshold is reached. Restart, with soft-start, occurs when the IC has cooled by about 30° C.

Over-Current Protection (OCP)

During boost-mode operation, the FAN4860 employs a cycle-by-cycle peak current limit to protect switching elements. Sustained current limit, for 32 consecutive fault CLK counts, initiates a fault condition.

During an overload condition, as V_{OUT} collapses to approximately V_{IN} -1V, the synchronous rectifier is immediately switched off and a fault condition is declared.

Automatic restart occurs once the overload/short is removed and the fault timer completes counting.

Table 3. I ^r Ope V_{IN} (V

Application Information

External Component Selection

Table 2 shows the recommended external components for the FAN4860:

Table 2.External Components

REF Description		Manufacturer		
L1	1.0μH, 0.8A, 190mΩ, 0805	Murata LQM21PN1R0MC0, or equivalent		
<u> </u>	2.2µF, 6.3V, X5R, 0402	Murata GRM155R60J225M		
C _{IN}		TDK C1005X5R0J225M		
C	4.7μF, 10V, X5R, 0603 ⁽³⁾	Kemet C0603C475K8PAC		
C _{OUT}		TDK C1608X5R1A475K		

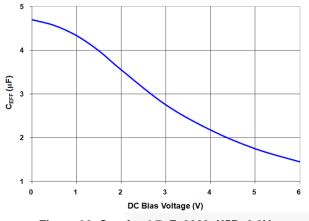
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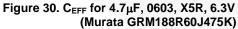
 A 6.3V-rated 0603 capacitor may be used for C_{OUT}, such as Murata GRM188R60J225M. All datasheet parameters are valid with the 6.3V-rated capacitor. Due to DC bias effects, the 10V capacitor offers a performance enhancement; particularly output ripple and transient response, without any size increase.

Output Capacitance (Cout)

Stability

The effective capacitance (C_{EFF}) of small, high-value, ceramic capacitors decrease as their bias voltage increases, as shown in Figure 30.





FAN4860 is guaranteed for stable operation with the minimum value of C_{EFF} ($C_{\text{EFF(MIN)}}$) outlined in Table 3.

Table 3. Minimum C_{EFF} Required for Stability

Operating	C (E)		
V _{IN} (V)	l _{LOAD} (mA)	C _{EFF(MIN)} (μF)	
2.3 to 4.5	0 to 200	1.5	
2.7 to 4.5	0 to 200	1.0	
2.3 to 4.5	0 to 150	1.0	

 C_{EFF} varies with manufacturer, dielectric material, case size, and temperature. Some manufacturers may be able to provide an X5R capacitor in 0402 case size that retains C_{EFF} >1.5 μ F with 5V bias; others may not. If this C_{EFF} cannot be economically obtained and 0402 case size is required, the IC can work with the 0402 capacitor as long as the minimum V_{IN} is restricted to >2.7V.

For best performance, a 10V-rated 0603 output capacitor is recommended (Kemet C0603C475K8PAC, or equivalent). Since it retains greater C_{EFF} under bias and over temperature, ouptut ripple can is reduced and transient capability enhanced.

Output Voltage Ripple

Output voltage ripple is inversely proportional to $C_{\rm OUT}.$ During $t_{\rm ON},$ when the boost switch is on, all load current is supplied by $C_{\rm OUT}.$

$$V_{\text{RIPPLE}(P-P)} = t_{\text{ON}} \bullet \frac{l_{\text{LOAD}}}{C_{\text{OUT}}}$$
 EQ. 2

and

$$t_{ON} = t_{SW} \bullet D = t_{SW} \bullet \left(1 - \frac{V_{IN}}{V_{OUT}}\right)$$
EQ.

Therefore:

$$V_{\text{RIPPLE}(P-P)} = t_{\text{SW}} \bullet \left(1 - \frac{V_{\text{IN}}}{V_{\text{OUT}}}\right) \bullet \frac{I_{\text{LOAD}}}{C_{\text{OUT}}}$$
EQ. 4

where:

$$t_{SW} = \frac{1}{f_{SW}}$$
 EQ. 5

As can be seen from EQ. 4, the maximum V_{RIPPLE} occurs when V_{IN} is minimum and I_{LOAD} is maximum.

Startup

Input current limiting is in effect during soft-start, which limits the current available to charge C_{OUT} . If the output fails to achieve regulation within the time period described in the soft-start section above; a FAULT occurs, causing the circuit to shut down, then restart after a significant time period. If C_{OUT} is a very high value, the circuit may not start on the first attempt, but eventually achieves regulation if no load is present. If a high-current load and high capacitance are both present during soft-start, the circuit may fail to achieve

© 2009 Fairchild Semiconductor Corporation FAN4860 • Rev. 1.0.3 regulation and continually attempt soft-start, only to have C_{OUT} discharged by the load when in the FAULT state.

The circuit can start with higher values of C_{OUT} under full load if V_{IN} is higher, since:

$$I_{OUT} = \left(I_{LIM(PK)} - \frac{I_{RIPPLE}}{2}\right) \bullet \frac{V_{IN}}{V_{OUT}}$$
 EQ. 6

Generally, the limitation occurs in BST mode.

The FAN4860 starts on the first pass (without triggering a FAULT) under the following conditions for $C_{\text{EFF}(MAX)}$:

Table 4. Maximum C_{EFF} for First-Pass Startup

Operating	C (F)	
V _{IN} (V)	R _{LOAD(MIN)}	C _{EFF(MAX)} (μF)
2.3 to 4.5	25Ω	10
2.7 to 4.5	25Ω	15
2.7 to 4.5	33Ω	22

 C_{EFF} values shown in Table 4 typically apply to the lowest V_{IN} . The presence of higher V_{IN} enhances ability to start into larger C_{EFF} at full load.

Transient Protection

To protect against external voltage transients caused by ESD discharge events, or improper external connections, some applications employ an external transient voltage suppressor (TVS) and Schottky diode (D1 in Figure 31).

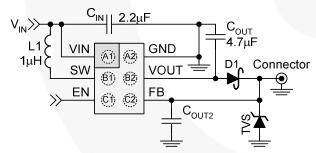


Figure 31 FAN4860 with External Transient Protection

The TVS is designed to clamp the FB line (system V_{OUT}) to +10V or -2V during external transient events. The Schottky diode protects the output devices from the positive excursion. The FB pin can tolerate up to 14V of positive excursion, while both the FB and VOUT pins can tolerate negative voltages.

The FAN4860 includes a circuit to detect a missing or defective D1 by comparing V_{OUT} to FB. If V_{OUT} – FB > about 0.7V, the IC shuts down. The IC remains shut down until V_{OUT} < UVLO and V_{IN} < UVLO+0.7 or EN is toggled.

 C_{OUT2} may be necessary to preserve load transient response when the Schottky is used. When a load is applied at the FB pin, the forward voltage of the D1 rapidly increases before the regulator can respond or the inductor current can change. This causes an immediate drop of up to 300mV, depending on D1's characteristics if C_{OUT2} is absent. C_{OUT2} supplies instantaneous current to the load while the regulator adjusts the inductor current. A value of at least half of the minimum value of C_{OUT} should be used for C_{OUT2} . C_{OUT2} needs to withstand the maximum voltage at the FB pin as the TVS is clamping.

The maximum DC output current available is reduced with this circuit, due to the additional dissipation of D1.

Layout Guideline

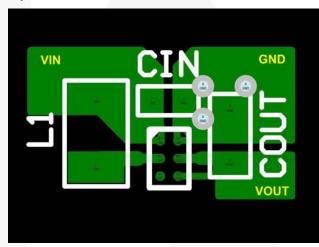


Figure 32 WLCSP Suggested Layout (Top View)

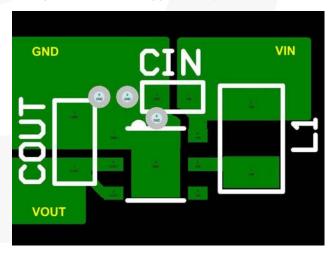
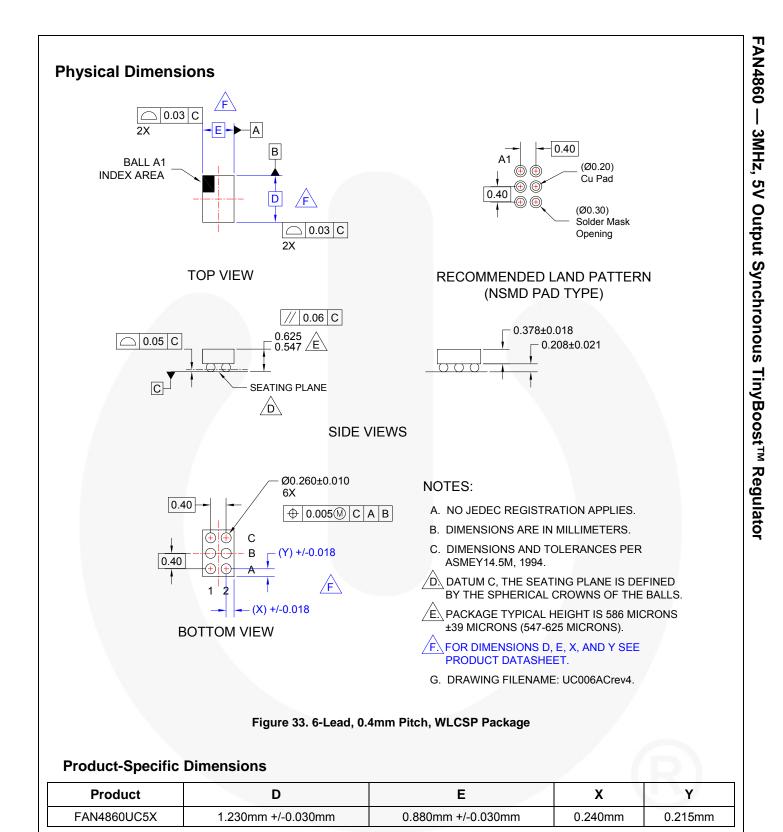


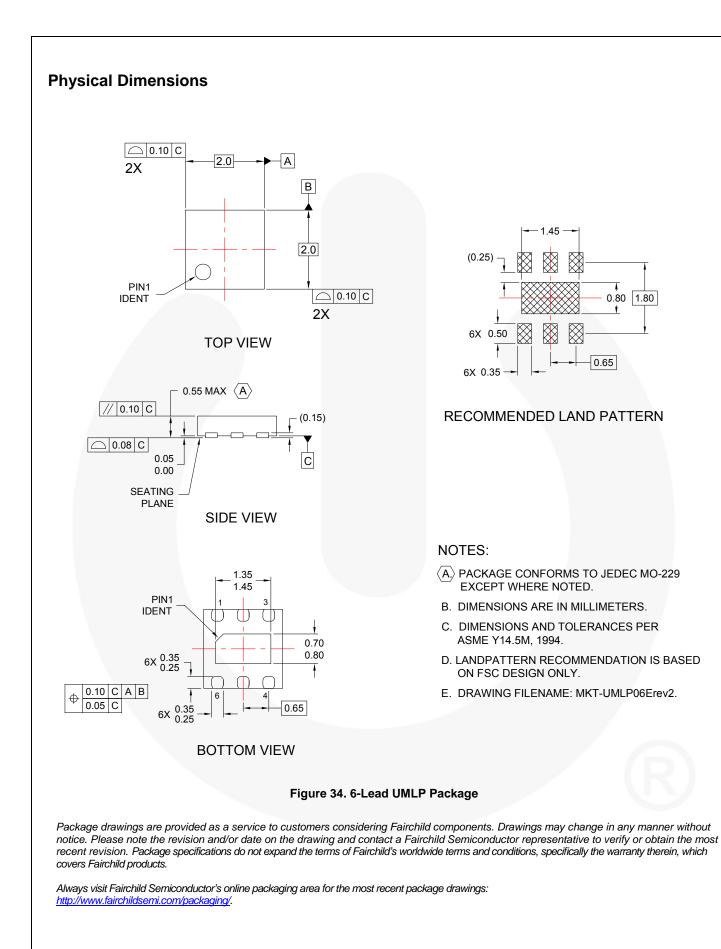
Figure 33 UMLP Suggested Layout (Top View)

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Definition of Terms				
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