

Advanced Regulating Pulse Width Modulators

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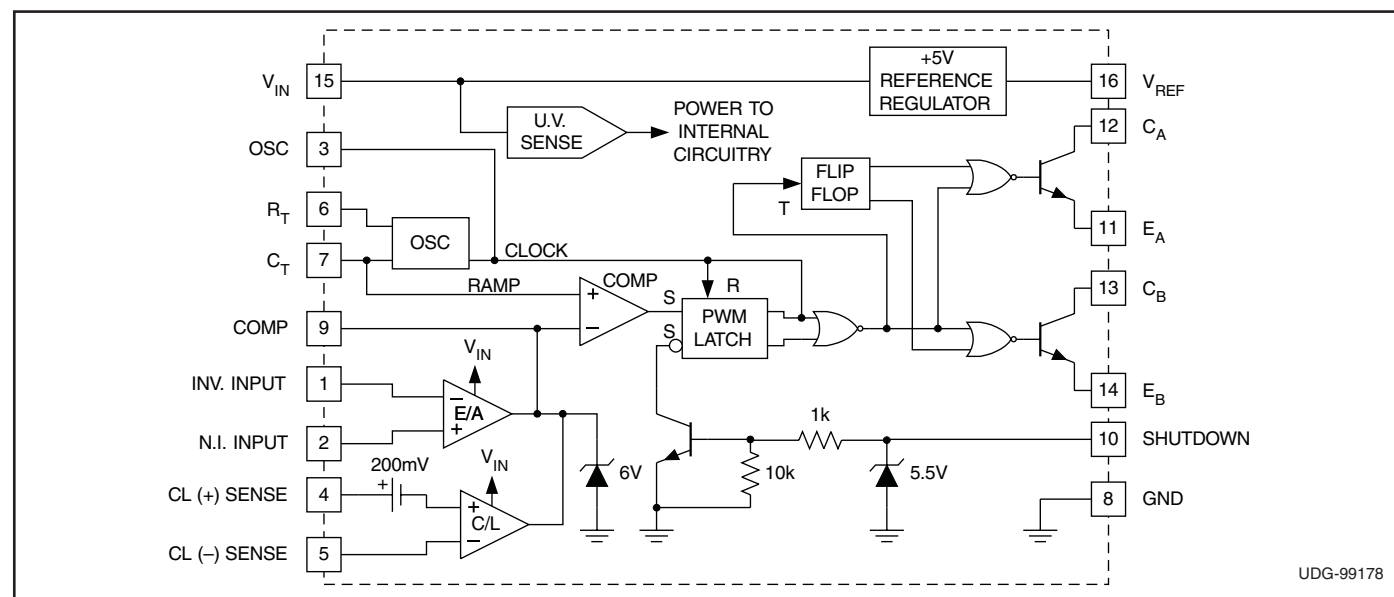
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BLOCK DIAGRAM

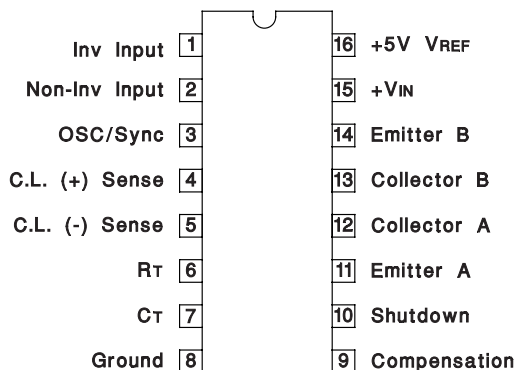


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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

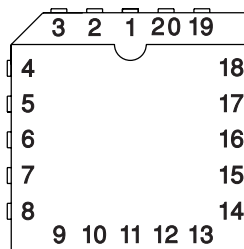
Supply Voltage (V_{IN}) 40V
 Collector Supply Voltage (V_C) 60V
 Output Current (each Output) 200mA
 Maximum Forced Voltage (Pin 9, 10) -3 to +5V
 Maximum Forced Current (Pin 9, 10) ± 10 mA
 Reference Output Current 50mA
 Oscillator Charging Current 5mA
 Power Dissipation at $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$ 1000mW
 Power Dissipation at $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$ 2000mW
 Operating Temperature Range -55°C to $+125^\circ\text{C}$
 Storage Temperature Range -65°C to $+150^\circ\text{C}$
 Lead Temperature, (Soldering, 10 seconds) $+300^\circ\text{C}$
Note: Consult packaging section of Databook for thermal limitations and considerations of package.

DIL-16, SOIC-16 (TOP VIEW) J or N Package, DW Package



CONNECTION DIAGRAMS

PLCC-20, LCC-20 (TOP VIEW) Q or L Package



PACKAGE PIN FUNCTION	
FUNCTION	PIN
N/C	1
Inv. Input	2
Non-Inv. Input	3
OSC/SYNC	4
C.L. (+) sense	5
N/C	6
C.L. (-) sense	7
RT	8
CT	9
Ground	10
N/C	11
Compensation	12
Shutdown	13
Emitter A	14
Collector A	15
N/C	16
Collector B	17
Emitter B	18
+VIN	19
+5V VREF	20

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PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	UC1524A / UC2524A			UC3524A			UNITS
		MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX	
Turn-on Characteristics								
Input Voltage	Operating Range after Turn-on	8		40	8		40	V
Turn-on Threshold		6.5	7.5	8.5	6.5	7.5	8.5	V
Turn-on Current	VIN = 6V		2.5	4		2.5	4	mA
Operating Current	VIN = 8 to 40V		5	10		5	10	mA
Turn-on Hysteresis*			0.5			0.5		V
Reference Section								
Output Voltage	TJ = 25°C	4.95	5.00	5.05	4.90	5.00	5.10	V
	Over Operating Range	4.9		5.1	4.85		5.15	V
Line Regulation	VIN = 10 to 40V		10	20		10	30	mV
Load Regulation	IL = 0 to 20 mA		20	25		20	35	mV
Temperature Stability*	Over Operating Range*		20	25		20	35	mV
Short Circuit Current	VREF = 0, 25°C ≤ TJ ≤ 125°C		80	100		80	100	mA
Output Noise Voltage*	10Hz ≤ f ≤ 10kHz, TJ =25°C		40			40		μVrms
Long Term Stability*	TJ =125°C, 1000 Hrs.		20	50		20	50	mV

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		MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX	
Oscillator Section (Unless otherwise specified, RT = 2700Ω, CT = 0.01 mfd)								
Initial Accuracy	TJ = 25°C	41	43	45	39	43	47	kHz
	Over Operating Range	40.2		45.9	38.2		47.9	kHz
Temperature Stability*	Over Operating Temperature Range		1	2		1	2	%
Minimum Frequency	RT = 150kΩ, CT = 0.1mfd			140			120	Hz
Maximum Frequency	RT = 2.0kΩ, CT = 470pF	500			500			kHz
Output Amplitude*		3	3.5		3	3.5		V
Output Pulse Width*		0.29	0.5	1.0	0.3	0.5	1.0	μs
Ramp Peak		3.3	3.5	3.7	3.3	3.5	3.7	V
Ramp Valley	TJ = 25°C	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.9	V
Ramp Valley T.C.			-1.0			-1.0		mV/°C
Error Amplifier Section (Unless otherwise specified, VCM = 2.5V)								
Input Offset Voltage			0.5	5		2	10	mV
Input Bias Current			1	5		1	10	μA
Input Offset Current			.05	1		0.5	1	μA
Common Mode Rejection Ratio	VCM = 1.5 to 5.5V	70	80		70	80		dB
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	VIN = 10 to 40V	70	80		70	80		dB
Output Swing (Note 1)		5.0		0.5	5.0		0.5	V
Open Loop Voltage Gain	ΔVO= 1 to 4V, RL ≥ 10MΩ	72	80		64	80		dB
Gain-Bandwidth*	TJ = 25°C, Av = 0dB	1	3		1	3		MHz
DC Transconductance*§	TJ = 25°C, 30kΩ ≤ RL ≤ 1MΩ	1.7	2.3		1.7	2.3		mS
P.W.M. Comparator (RT = 2kΩ, CT = 0.01mfd)								
Minimum Duty Cycle	VCOMP = 0.5V			0			0	%
Maximum Duty Cycle	VCOMP = 3.8V	45			45			%
Current Limit Amplifier (Unless otherwise specified, Pin 5 = 0V)								
Input Offset Voltage	TJ = 25°C, E/A Set for Maximum Output	190	200	210	180	200	220	mV
	Over Operating Temperature Range	180		220	170		230	mV
Input Bias Current			-1	-10		-1	-10	μA
Common Mode Rejection Ratio	V(pin 5) = -0.3V to + 5.5V	50	60		50	60		dB
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	VIN = 10 to 40V	50	60		50	60		dB
Output Swing (Note 1)	Minimum Total Range	5.0		0.5	5.0		0.5	V
Open-Loop Voltage Gain	ΔVO = 1 to 4V, RL ≥ 10MΩ	70	80		70	80		dB
Delay Time*	Pin 4 to Pin 9, ΔVIN = 300mV		300			300		ns
Output Section (Each Output)								
Collector Emitter Voltage	IC = 100μA	60	80		60	80		V
Collector Leakage Current	VCE = 50V		.1	20		.1	20	μA

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§ DC transconductance (gm) relates to DC open-loop voltage gain according to the following equation: $A_v = g_m R_L$ where R_L is the resistance from pin 9 to the common mode voltage.

The minimum gm specification is used to calculate minimum A_v when the error amplifier output is loaded.

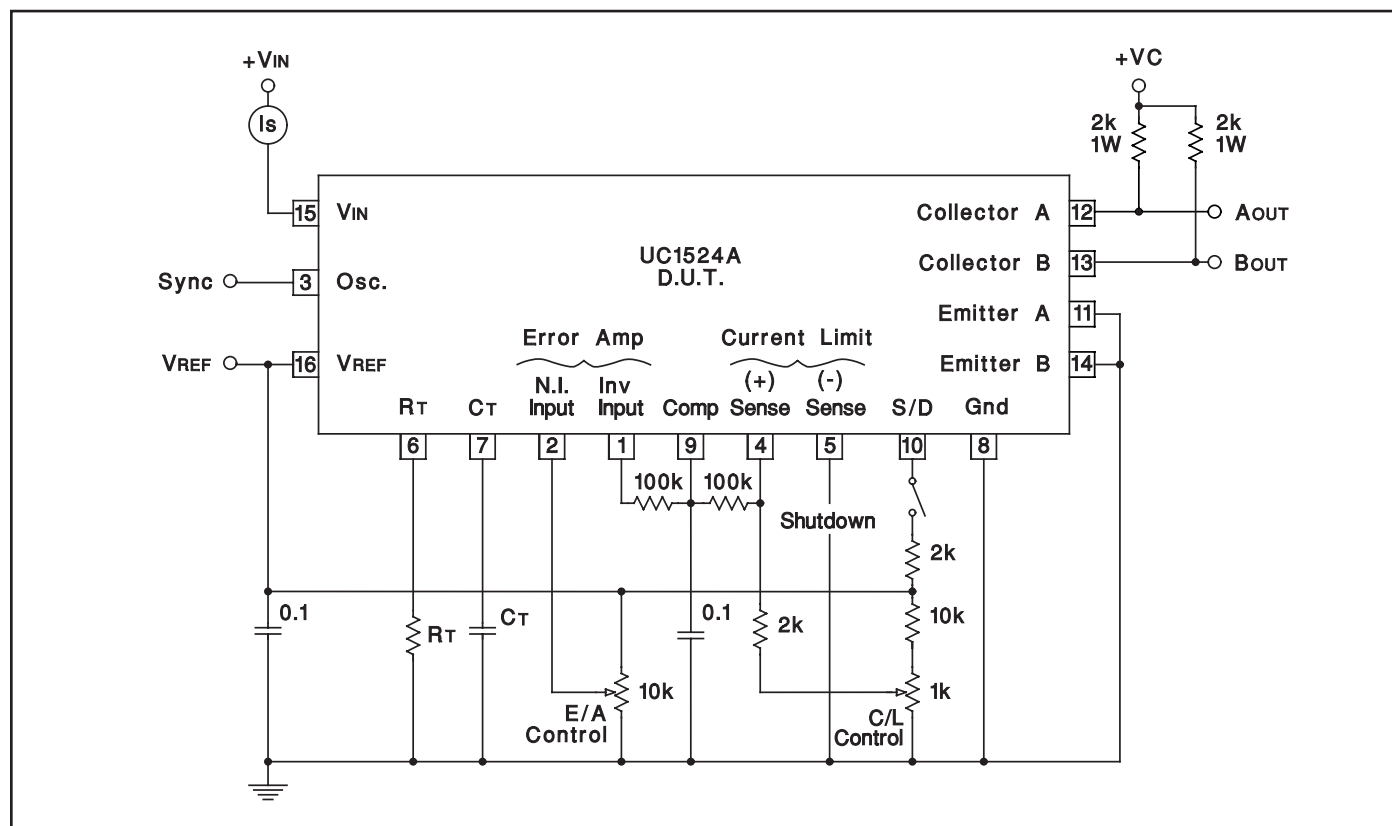
Note 1: Min Limit applies to output high level, max limit applies to output low level.

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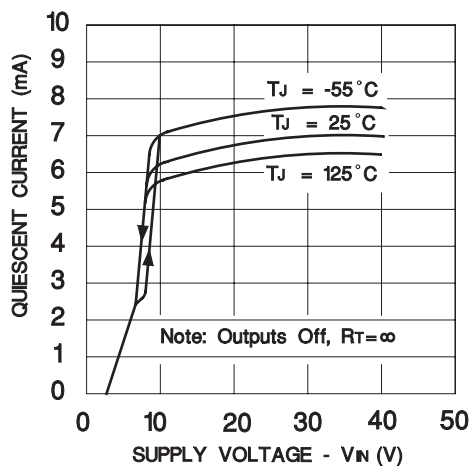
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Output Section (cont.) (Each Output)								
Saturation Voltage	Ic = 20mA Ic = 200mA		.2 1	.4 2.2		.2 1	.4 2.2	V V
Emitter Output Voltage	IE = 50mA	17	18		17	18		V
Rise Time*	TJ = 25°C, R = 2kΩ		120	400		120	400	ns
Fall Time*	TJ = 25°C, R = 2kΩ		25	200		25	200	ns
Comparator Delay*	TJ = 25°C, Pin 9 to output		300			300		ns
Shutdown Delay*	TJ = 25°C, Pin 10 to output		200			200		ns
Shutdown Threshold	TJ = 25°C, Rc = 2kΩ	0.6	.7	1.0	0.6	.7	1.0	V
S/D Threshold Over Temp.	Over Operating Temperature Range	0.4		1.2	0.4		1.0	V
Thermal Shutdown*			165			165		°C

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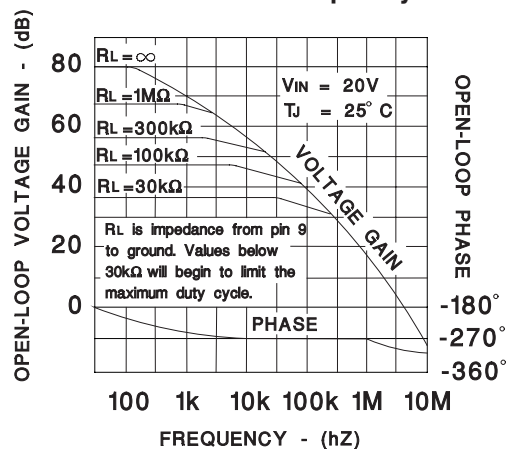
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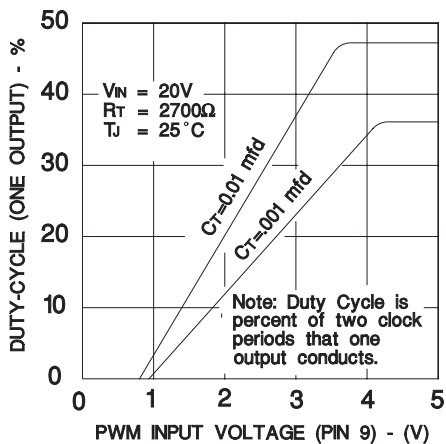
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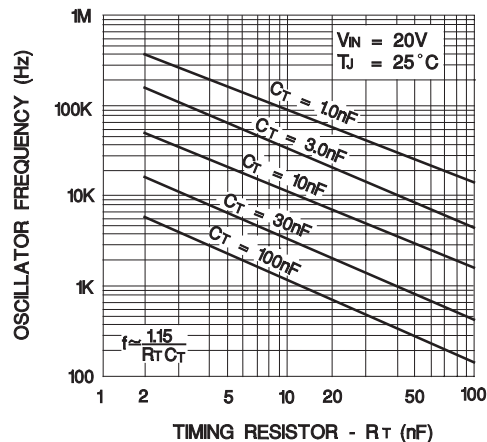
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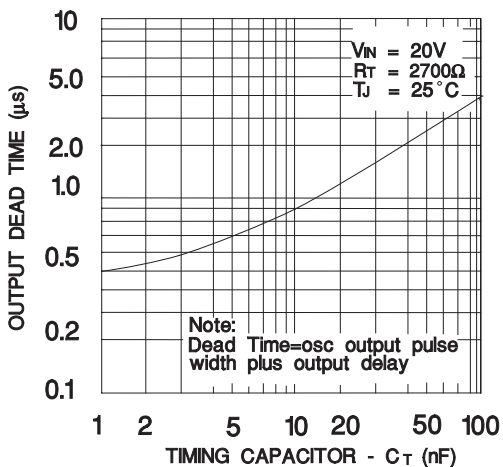
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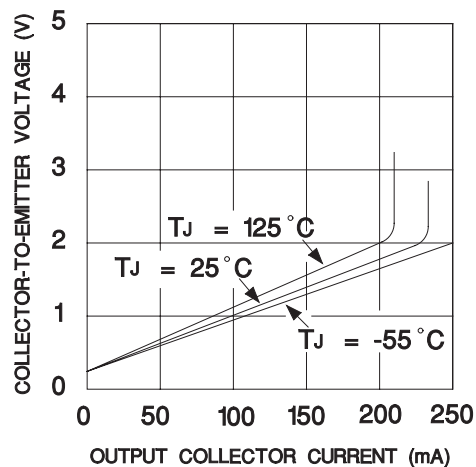
Oscillator Frequency vs Timing Components



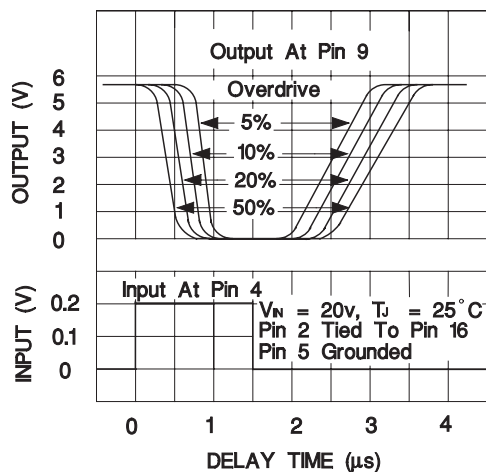
Output Dead Time vs Timing Capacitor Value



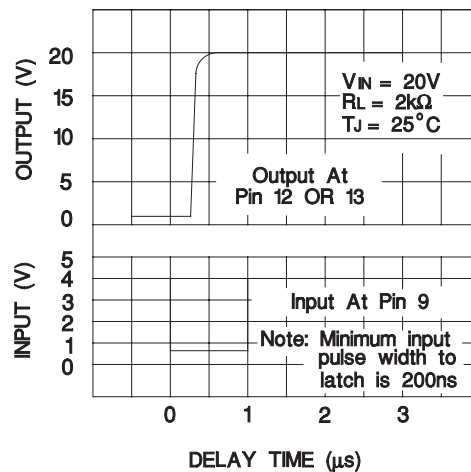
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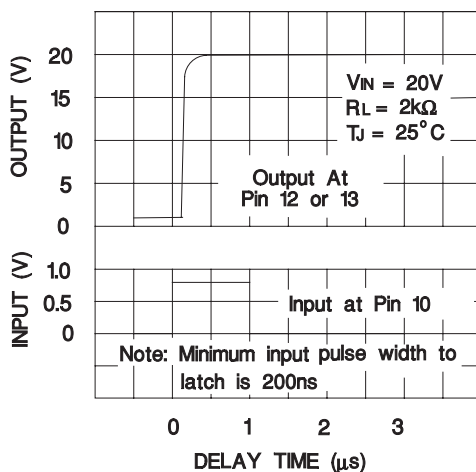
Current Limit Amplifier Delay



Shutdown Delay From PWM Comparator - Pin 9



Turn-Off Delay From Shutdown - Pin 10



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Parameter Name	UC1524A
Shutdown	Yes
Pulse - by - Pulse Isense	No
Vsupply Operating Range (V)	8 - 40
Output Type	Dual Alternating, Uncommitted
Output Current (mA)	200
Frequency (max) (kHz)	500
Reference Voltage (V)	5
Vref tol (%)	1
Duty Cycle (max) (%)	50/50
Undervoltage Lockout	Yes
On-board Amplifiers	1
Output Mode Fixed Push - Pull	Yes
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Programmable Outputs	No
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Pricing/Samples/Availability

Orderable Device	Package	Pins	Temp (°C)	Status	Price/unit USD (100-999)	Pack Qty	DSCC Number	Availability / Samples
5962-8764502EA	J	16	-55 TO 125	ACTIVE	23.31	1		Check stock or order
UC1524AJ	UTR	16	-55 TO 125	ACTIVE	8.02	1		Check stock or order
UC1524AJ883B	UTR	16	-55 TO 125	ACTIVE	18.97	1	5962-8989901EA	Check stock or order
UC1524AL	UTR	20	-55 TO 125	ACTIVE	26.25	1		Check stock or order
UC1524AL/883B	L	20	-55 TO 125	ACTIVE	43.77	1	5962-8670402XA	Check stock or order

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