

Linear Single Cell Li-Ion Battery Charger IC for Portable Applications

General Description

The RT9536 is a fully integrated single cell Li-ion battery charger IC ideal for portable applications. The RT9536 optimizes the charging task by using a control algorithm including pre-charge mode, fast charge mode and constant voltage mode. The input voltage range of the VIN pin can be as high as 28V. When the input voltage exceeds the OVP threshold, it will turn off the charging MOSFET to avoid overheating of the chip.

In RT9536, the maximum charging current can be programmed with an external resistor. For USB application, the user can set the current to 100mA/500mA through the EN/SET pin. For the factory mode, the RT9536 can allow 4.2V or 4.35V/2.3A power pass through to support system operation. It also provides a 50mA LDO to support the power of peripheral circuit. The internal thermal feedback circuit regulates the die temperature to optimize the charge rate for all ambient temperatures. The RT9536 provides protection functions such as under voltage protection, over voltage protection for VIN supply and thermal protection for battery temperature.

The RT9536 is available in a WDFN-10L 3x2 package to achieve optimized solution for PCB space and thermal considerations.

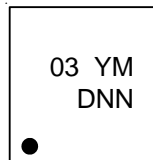
Features

- 28V Maximum Rating for DC Adapter
- Internal Integrated Power MOSFETs
- Support 4.2V or 4.35V/2.3A Factory Mode
- 50mA Low Dropout Voltage Regulator
- Status Pin Indicator
- Programmed Charging Current
- Under Voltage Lockout
- Over Voltage Protection
- Thermal Feedback Optimized Charge Rate
- RoHS Compliant and Halogen Free

Applications

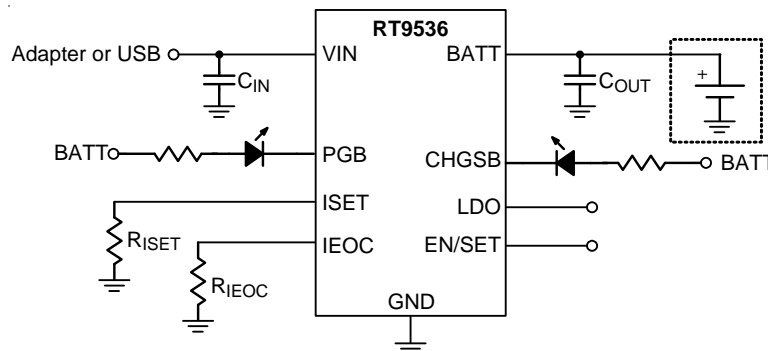
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Marking Information



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Simplified Application Circuit



Ordering Information

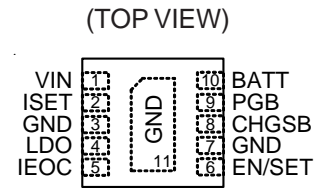
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- Package Type
- QW : WDFN-10L 3x2 (W-Type)
- Lead Plating System
- G : Green (Halogen Free and Pb Free)

Note :

- Richtek products are :
- ▶ RoHS compliant and compatible with the current requirements of IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020.
 - ▶ Suitable for use in SnPb or Pb-free soldering processes.

Pin Configurations

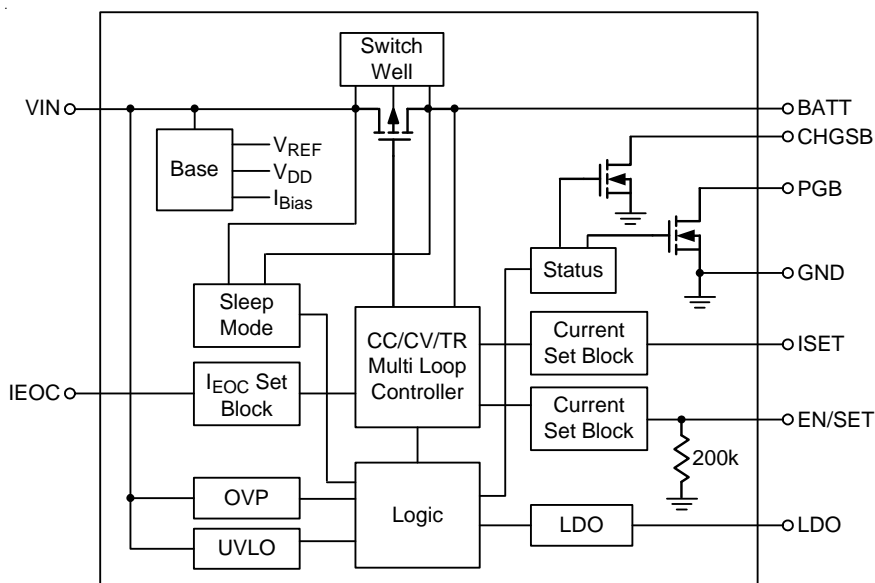


WDFN-10L 3x2

Functional Pin Description

Pin No.	Pin Name	Pin Function
1	VIN	Power Input.
2	ISET	Charging Current Setting.
3, 7, 11 (Exposed Pad)	GND	Ground. The exposed pad must be soldered to a large PCB and connected to GND for maximum power dissipation.
4	LDO	LDO Output (4.9V). This pin provides 50mA output current.
5	IEOC	End-of-Charge Current Setting. The IEOC is from 5% to 50% Ichg-fast which is programmed by the ISET pin.
6	EN/SET	Enable and Operation Mode and V _{OUT} Regulation Voltage Setting.
8	CHGSB	Indicator Output for Charging Status.
9	PGB	Indicator Output for Power Status.
10	BATT	Battery Charge Current Output.

Function Block Diagram



Operation

The RT9536 is designed for single cell Li-Ion battery charger in portable applications.

Base Circuit

The Base circuit provides the internal power for VDD, V_{REF} reference voltage and bias current.

Power Switch with Switch Well Circuits

The main power switch between VIN and BATT is designed to control the charge current for battery. The switch well is designed to avoid the reverse current from battery to input power.

Sleep Mode

When the charger is only connected to battery with no input power, the charger will enter sleep mode and the leakage current from battery to the charger will be less than 10μA for low power consumption

Current Set Block

The charge current is adjustable from the ISET pin with an external resistor between the ISET and GND. The End-of-Charge current is also adjustable by an external resistor connected from the IEOC pin to GND. If the charging current is less than EOC current, the CHGSB pin will be pulled high.

Protection

The protection circuits include OVP, UVLO and OTP. When the protection circuit is triggered, the main power switch will be turned of to protect the charging system.

Multi-Loop Controller

The Multi-Loop controller controls the operation during the charging process. The controller will make sure the battery is well charged in a suitable current, voltage, and die temperature.

Status Indicator

The CHGSB and PGB pin indicate the charger and power condition. During the charging process, the CHGSB pin is pulled low. When the charger is under charge done condition or abnormal condition, the CHGSB will be high impedance. The PGB pin indicates the input power status at VIN pin. When the input power is normal, the PGB pin is pulled low.

Operation Mode

The RT9536 provides programmable output current mode setting including USB100, USB500 and Factory mode. The operation mode is programmable through the input pulse number at EN/SET pin. Under the factory mode, besides the EN/SET is also used to set regulation to be 4.2V or 4.35V. Output current is up to 2.3A.

LDO

The RT9536 provides a LDO regulator to support the peripheral circuits. The output voltage is regulated to 4.9V and the maximum output current is 50mA.

Absolute Maximum Ratings (Note 1)

- Supply Input Voltage, V_{IN} ----- -0.3V to 28V
- Other Pins ----- -0.3V to 6V
- Power Dissipation, P_D @ $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$
 WDFN-10L 3x2 ----- 2.27W
- Package Thermal Resistance (Note 2)
 WDFN-10L 3x2, θ_{JA} ----- 44°C/W
 WDFN-10L 3x2, θ_{JC} ----- 11°C/W
- Lead Temperature (Soldering, 10 sec.) ----- 260°C
- Junction Temperature ----- 150°C
- Storage Temperature Range ----- -65°C to 150°C

Recommended Operating Conditions (Note 3)

- Supply Input Voltage, V_{IN} ----- 4.3V to 5.5V
- Junction Temperature Range ----- -40°C to 125°C
- Ambient Temperature Range ----- -20°C to 85°C

Electrical Characteristics

($V_{IN} = 5\text{V}$, $V_{BATT} = 4\text{V}$, $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$, unless otherwise specified)

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
VIN POR Rising Threshold Voltage	V_{POR}		3.15	3.3	3.45	V
VIN POR Threshold Voltage Hysteresis			--	200	300	mV
VIN OVP Threshold Voltage	V_{OVP}		6.7	6.9	7.1	V
VIN OVP Threshold Voltage Hysteresis			--	200	300	mV
VIN – VOUT VOS Rising			--	75	150	mV
VIN – VOUT VOS Falling			18	32	--	mV
VIN Standby Current		$V_{BATT} = 4.5\text{V}$, EN/SET = High	--	250	300	μA
VIN Supply Current		$V_{BATT} = 4.5\text{V}$, EN/SET = Low	--	1	2	mA
VOUT Sleep Leakage Current			--	1	10	μA
VOUT Regulation	V_{CV}	0°C to 85°C, $I_{LOAD} = 0\text{mA}$	4.158	4.2	4.242	V
			4.307	4.35	4.393	
Thermal Regulation			--	125	--	°C
OTP			--	155	--	°C
OTP Hysteresis			--	20	--	°C
PGB/CHGSB Sink Current			20	--	--	mA
Pre-Charge Threshold		V_{OUT} Rising; $V_{CV} = 4.2\text{V}$	2.4	2.5	2.6	V
		V_{OUT} Rising; $V_{CV} = 4.35\text{V}$	2.5	2.6	2.7	
Fast-Charge to Pre-Charge Deglitch Time			--	25	--	ms

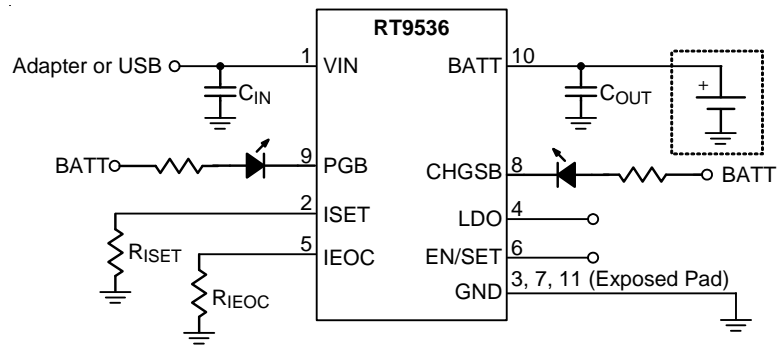
Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Pre-Charge Current	I _{PRECHG}	USB100 Mode	90	95	100	mA
		USB500 Mode or ISET Mode, ratio of fast-charge current	15	20	25	%
End of Charge Current (EOC)			--	R _{EOC} / K _{EOC}	--	%
I _{EOC} Setting Current	I _{EOC}		70	75	80	μA
I _{EOC} Setting K _{EOC}			180	200	220	Ω/%
V _{IN} Power FET R _{DS(ON)}		I _{OUT} = 1A	--	280	512	mV
ISET Set Voltage	V _{ISET}		--	1.5	--	V
ISET Short Protect Threshold			320	--	460	Ω
ISET Short Protect Deglitch Time			--	1.5	--	ms
ISET Short Protect Maximum Current			--	2	--	A
V _{IN} Charge Current	I _{CHRG}	As ISET Mode, R _{ISET} = 530	0.9	1	1.1	A
		As USB100 Mode	90	95	100	mA
		As USB500 Mode	380	395	415	mA
EN/SET Pull Low Resistor			--	200	--	kΩ
EN/SET Voltage	Logic-High	V _{IH}	1.4	--	--	V
	Logic-Low	V _{IL}	--	--	0.4	
LDO On-Resistance	R _{DS(ON)}			3	6	Ω
LDO Output Voltage	V _{LDO}		4.75	4.9	5.05	V
LDO Maximum Output Current			60	120	180	mA
Factory Mode V _{OUT}		V _{CV} = 4.2V	4.116	4.2	4.284	V
		V _{CV} = 4.35V	4.263	4.35	4.437	
Factory Mode Maximum Output Current			2.3	--	--	A
EN/SET Off Time		Timer to disable chip	2	--	--	ms
EN/SET Lock Time		Timer to lock pulse count	1.5	--	--	ms
EN/SET Duration	Logic-High		100	--	700	μs
	Logic-Low		100	--	700	
EN/SET Set Time		Timer to set V _{CV} = 4.35V	750	--	1000	μs

Note 1. Stresses beyond those listed “Absolute Maximum Ratings” may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated in the operational sections of the specifications is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions may affect device reliability.

Note 2. θ_{JA} is measured at T_A = 25°C on a high effective thermal conductivity four-layer test board per JEDEC 51-7. θ_{JC} is measured at the exposed pad of the package.

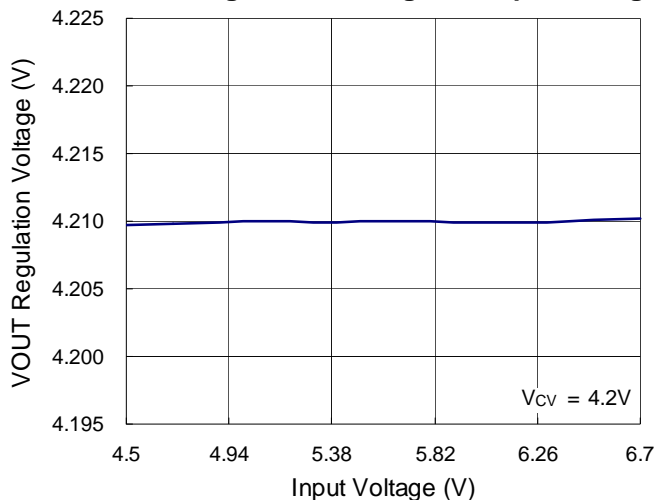
Note 3. The device is not guaranteed to function outside its operating conditions.

Typical Application Circuit

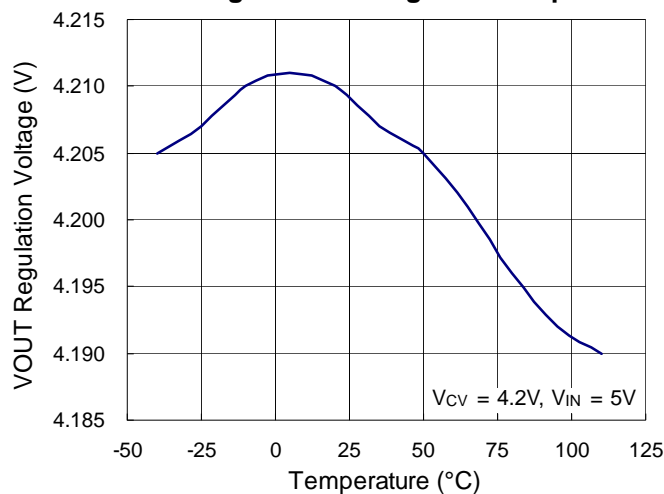


Typical Operating Characteristics

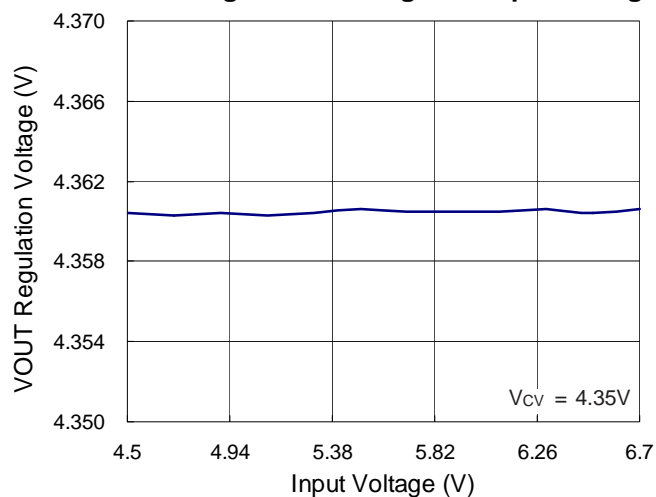
VOUT Regulation Voltage vs. Input Voltage



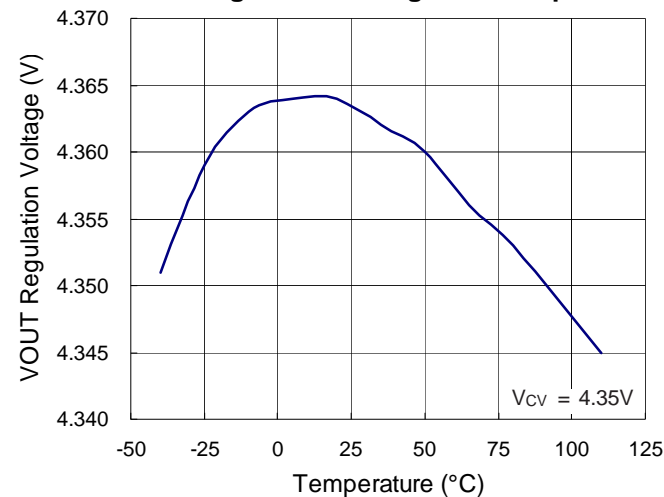
VOUT Regulation Voltage vs. Temperature



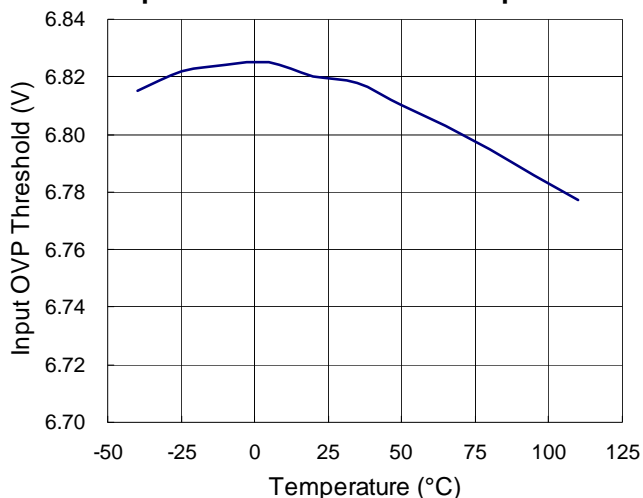
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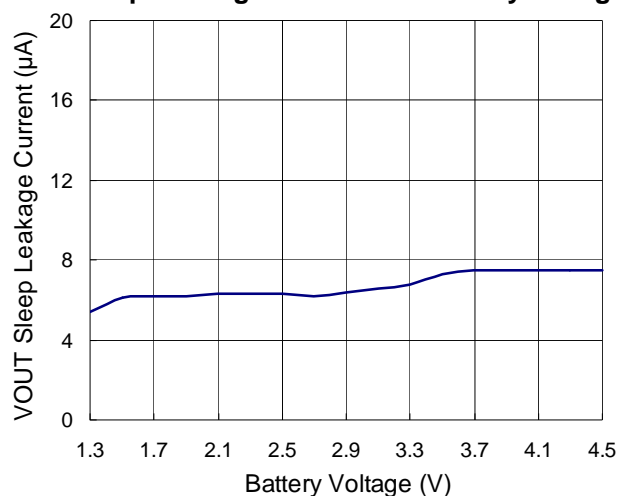
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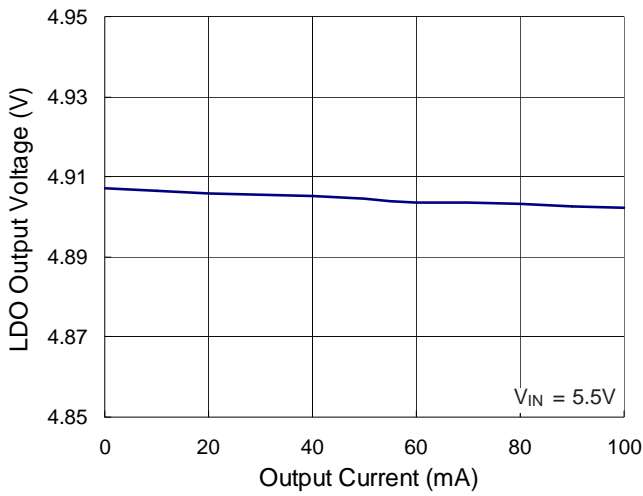
Input OVP Threshold vs. Temperature



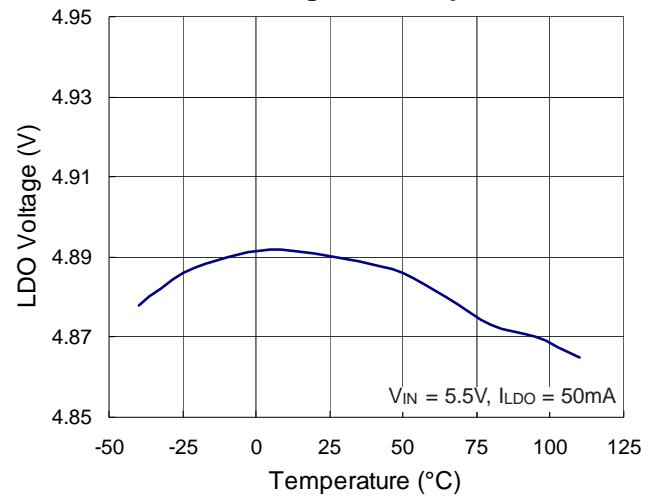
VOUT Sleep Leakage Current vs. Battery Voltage



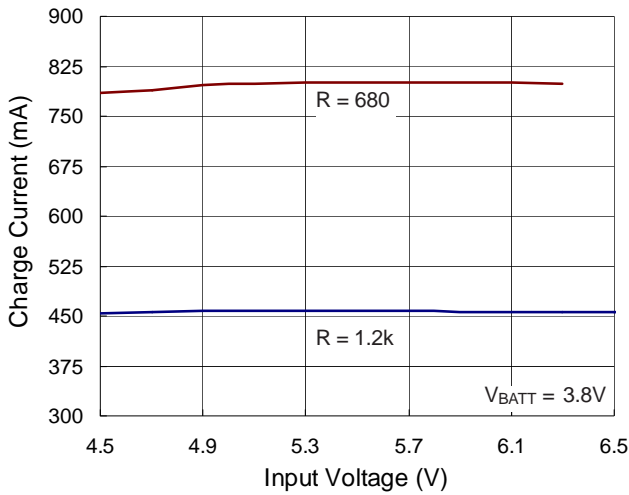
LDO Output Voltage vs. Output Current



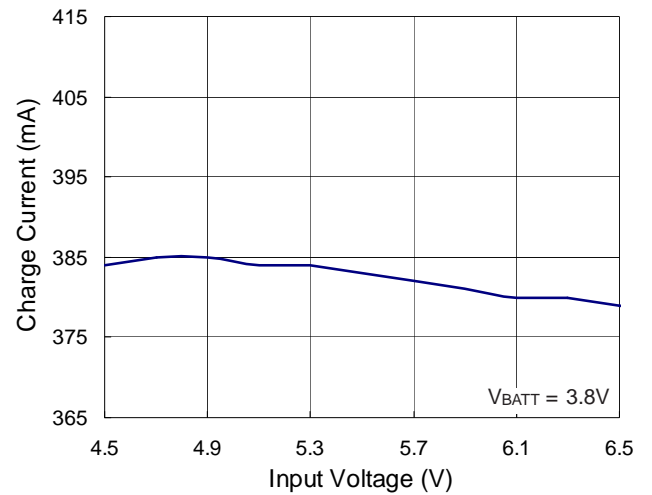
LDO Voltage vs. Temperature



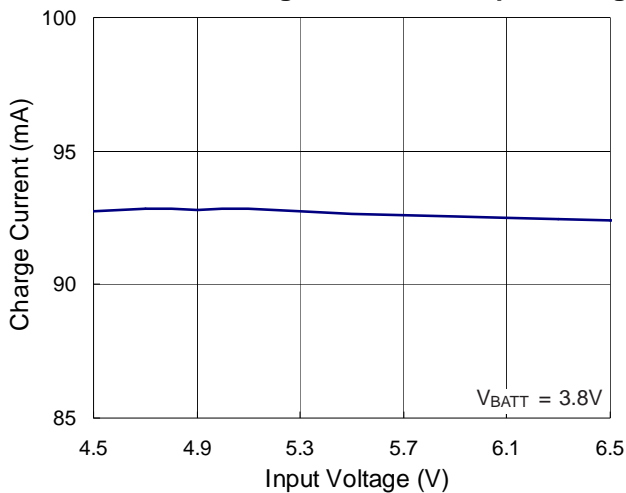
ISET Mode Charge Current vs. Input Voltage



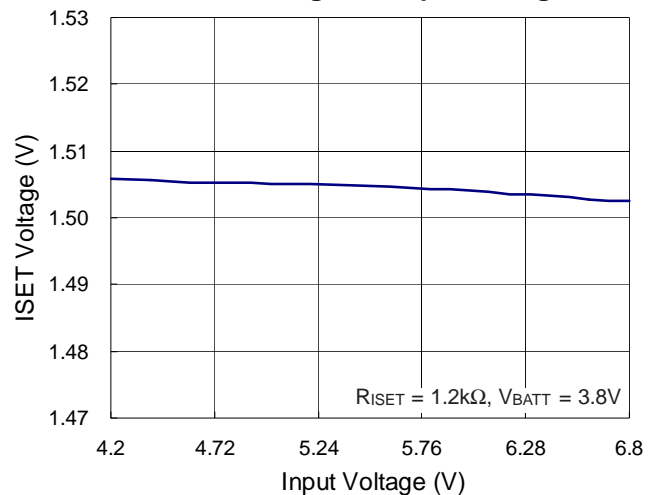
USB 500 Mode Charge Current vs. Input Voltage



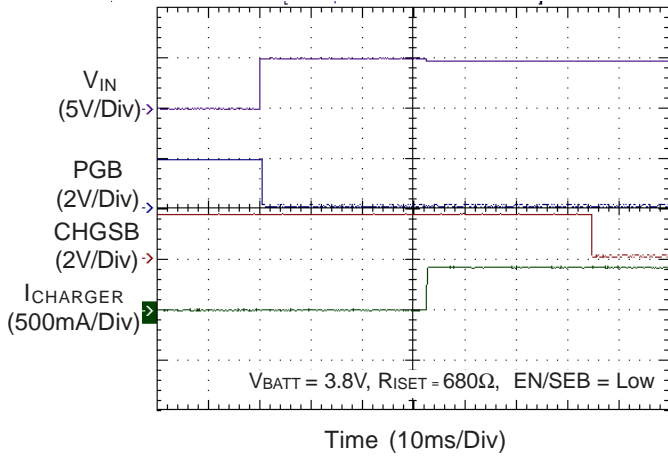
USB 100 Mode Charge Current vs. Input Voltage



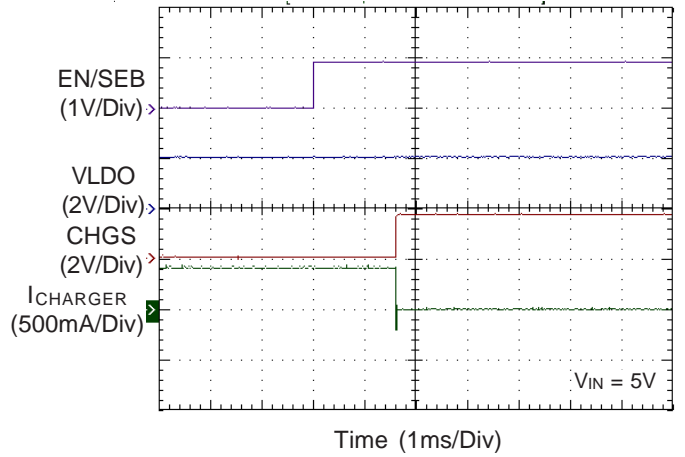
ISET Voltage vs. Input Voltage



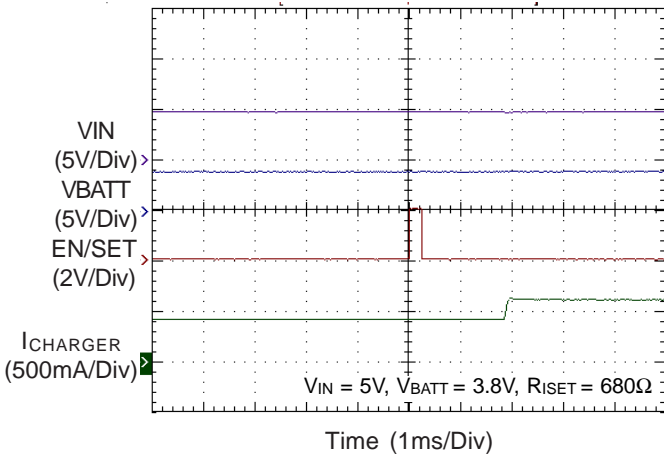
Power On



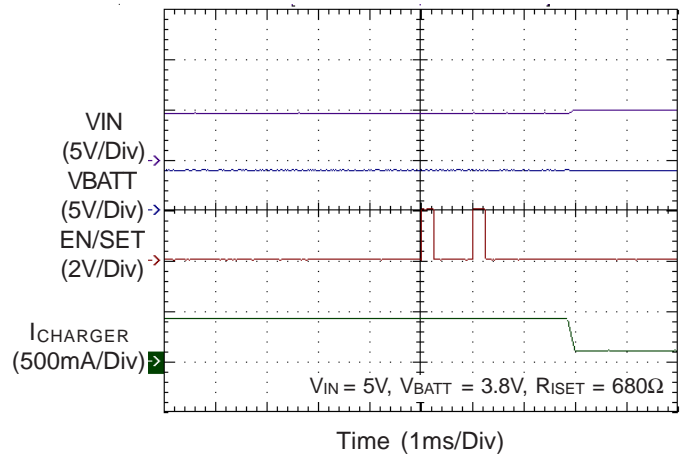
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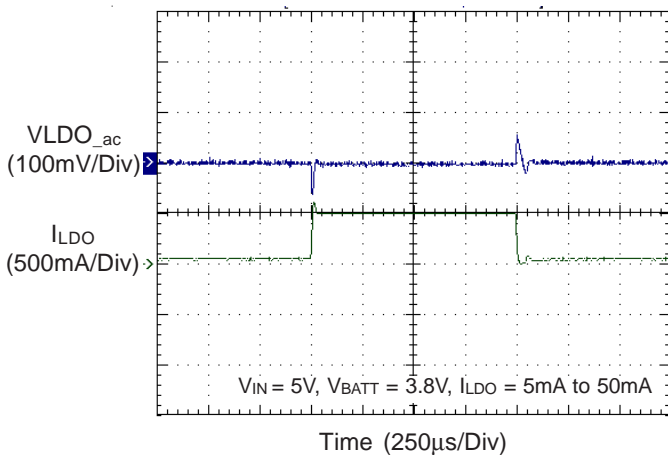
Charger Current--USB500 mode to ISET mode



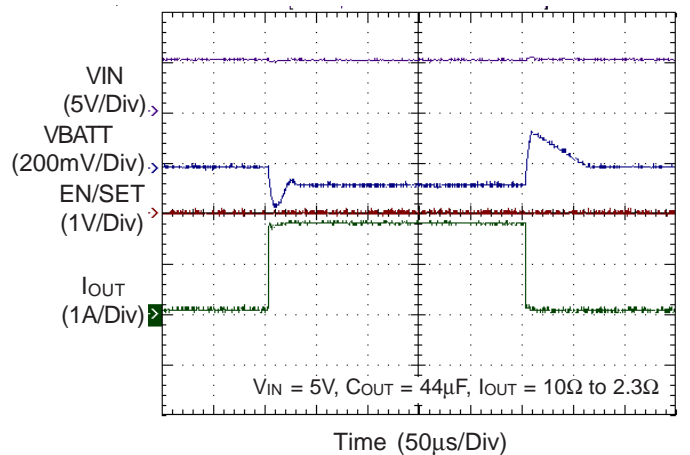
Charger Current--USB500 mode to USB100 mode



LDO Load Transient Response



Factory Mode



Application Information

Description

The RT9536 is a fully integrated low cost single-cell Li-Ion battery charger IC with a Constant Current mode (CC mode) or a Constant Voltage mode (CV mode). The charge current is programmable to USB100, USB500 or ISET mode and the CV mode voltage is fixed at 4.2V/4.35V. The pre-charge threshold is fixed at 2.5V/2.64V. If the battery voltage is below the pre-charge threshold, the RT9536 charges the battery with a trickle current until the battery voltage rises above the pre-charge threshold. The RT9536 is capable of being powered up from AC adapter and USB (Universal Serial Bus) port inputs. Moreover, the RT9536 include a linear regulator (LDO 4.9V, 50mA) for supplying low power external circuitry.

ACIN Over Voltage Protection

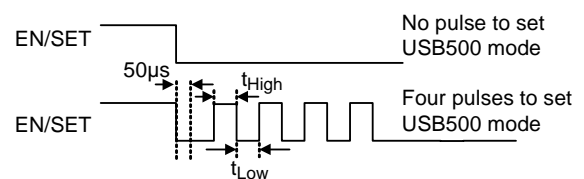
The input voltage is monitored by the internal comparator and the input over voltage protection threshold is set to 6.9V. However, input voltage over 28V will still cause damage to the RT9536. When the input voltage exceeds the threshold, the comparator outputs a logic signal to turn off the power P-MOSFET to prevent the high input voltage from damaging the electronics in the handheld system. When the input over voltage condition is removed, the comparator re-enables the output by running through the soft-start.

Charger Enable and mode Setting

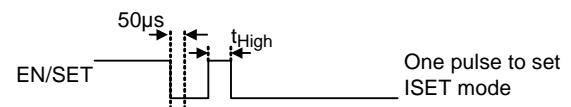
EN/SET is used to enable or disable the charger as well as to select the charge current limit. Drive the EN pin to low or leave it floating to enable the charger. The EN/SET pin has a 200kΩ internal pull down resistor. So, when left floating, the input is equivalent to logic low. Drive this pin to high to disable the charger. After the EN/SET pin pulls low for 50μs, the RT9536 enters the USB500 mode and wait for the setting current signal. EN/SET can be used to program the charge current during this cycle. The RT9536 will change its charge current by sending different pulse to EN/SET pin. If no signal is sent to EN/SET, the RT9536 will remain in USB500 mode. A correct period of time for high pulse is between 100μs and 700μs and the

period of pulse to pulse must be between 100μs and 700μs to be properly read. Once EN/SET is held low for 1.5ms, the number of pulses is locked and sent to the control logic and then the mode changes. After the setting of charging current is completed, sending the pulse can set CV mode voltage to be 4.35V. The RT9536 needs to be restarted to reset the charge current. Once the EN/SET input is held high for more than 2ms, the RT9536 is disabled.

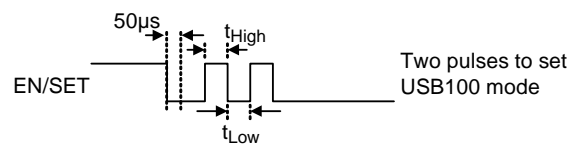
A. USB500 Mode with CV = 4.2V



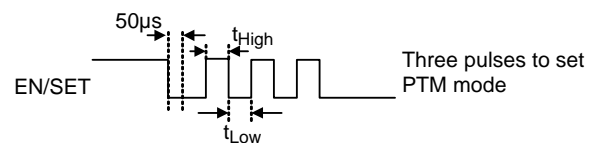
B. ISET Mode with CV = 4.2V



C. USB100 Mode with CV = 4.2V



D. PTM Mode with CV = 4.2V

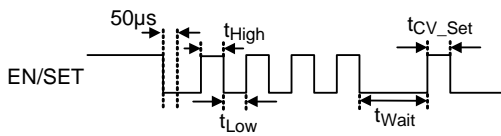


$$100\mu\text{s} < t_{\text{High}} < 700\mu\text{s}$$

$$100\mu\text{s} < t_{\text{Low}} < 700\mu\text{s}$$

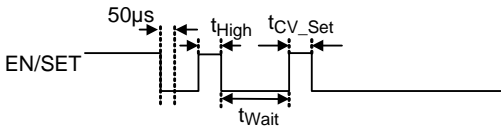
Figure 1 (a). CV is 4.2V

E. USB500 Mode with CV = 4.35V



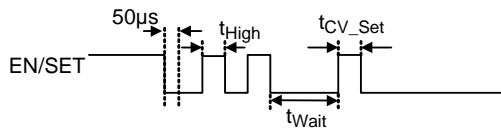
Four pulses to set USB500 mode
Besides, wait the time, t_{Wait} and send a pulse of t_{CV_Set} width for CV = 4.35V

F. ISET Mode with CV = 4.35V



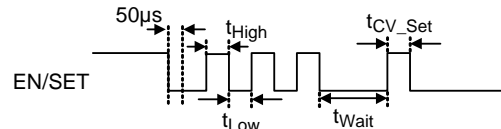
One pulse to set ISET mode
Besides, wait the time, t_{Wait} and send a pulse of t_{CV_Set} width for CV = 4.35V

G. USB100 Mode with CV = 4.35V



Two pulses to set USB100 mode
Besides, wait the time, t_{Wait} and send a pulse of t_{CV_Set} width for CV = 4.35V

H. PTM Mode with CV = 4.35V



Three pulses to set PTM mode
Besides, wait the time, t_{Wait} and send a pulse of t_{CV_Set} width for CV = 4.35V

$100\mu s < t_{High} < 700\mu s$, $100\mu s < t_{Low} < 700\mu s$, $1.5ms < t_{Wait} < 750\mu s$, $750\mu s < t_{CV_Set} < 1ms$

Figure 1 (b). CV is 4.35V

Table 1. Pulse Counting Map for EN/SET Interface

Pulses	Charge Condition	MODE Control
0	USB500 Mode	Charge Current Limit
1	ISET Mode	Charge Current Limit
2	USB100 Mode	Charge Current Limit
3	Factory Mode	Enabled
≥ 4	USB500 Mode	Charge Current Limit

Battery Charge Profile

The RT9536 charges a Li-Ion battery with a Constant Current (CC) or a Constant Voltage (CV).

The constant current is decided by the operation mode of USB100, USB500 or ISET mode. The constant current is set with the external resistor R_{ISET} and the constant voltage is fixed at 4.2V/4.35V. If the battery voltage is below the Pre-Charge Threshold, the RT9536 charges the battery with a trickle current until the battery voltage rises above the trickle charge threshold. When the battery voltage reaches 4.2V/4.35V, the charger enters CV mode and regulates the battery voltage at 4.2V/4.35V to fully charge the battery without the risk of over charging

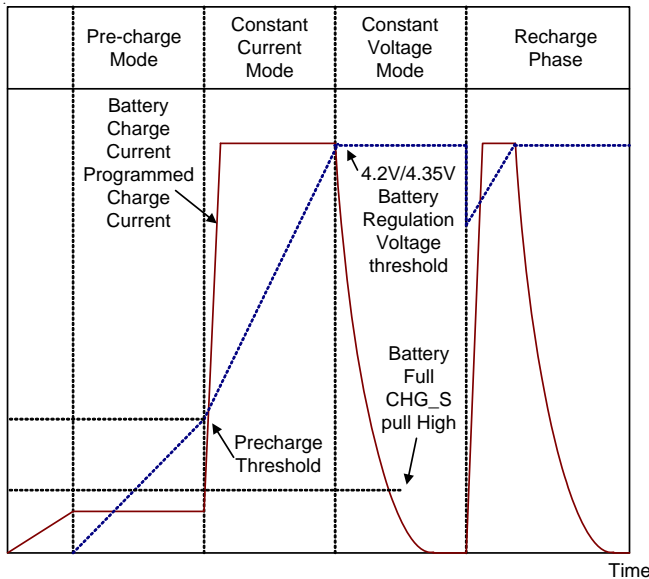


Figure 2

Battery Pre-Charge Current

During a charge cycle, if the battery voltage is below the pre-charge threshold, the RT9536 enters the pre-charge mode. This feature revives deeply discharged cells and protects battery. Under USB100 Mode, the pre-charge current is internally set to 95mA. When the RT9536 is under USB500 and ISET Mode, the pre-charge current is 20% of fast-charge current set by external resistor R_{ISET} .

Battery Fast-Charge Current

ISET Mode

The RT9536 offers ISET pin to program the charge current. The resistor R_{ISET} is connected to ISET and GND. The parameter K_{ISET} is specified in the specification Table.

$$I_{Charge} = \frac{K_{ISET}}{R_{ISET}} ; K_{ISET} = 530$$

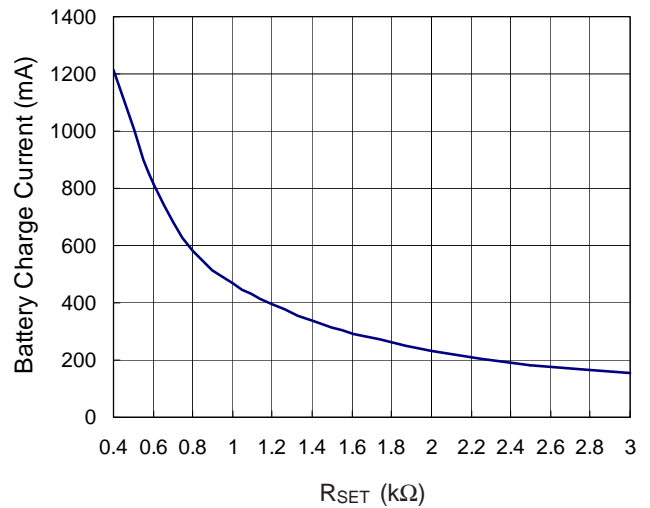


Figure 3

USB500 and USB100 Mode

The fast-charge current is 95mA in USB100 mode and 395mA in USB500 mode. Note that if the fast-charge current set by external resistor is smaller than that in USB500 mode (395mA), the RT9536 charges the battery in ISET mode.

Battery Voltage Regulation (CV Mode)

The battery voltage regulation feedback is through the BATT pin. The RT9536 monitors the battery voltage between BATT and GND pins. When the battery voltage closes in on the battery regulation voltage threshold, the voltage regulation phase begins and the charging current begins to taper down. When the charging current falls below the programmed end-of-charge current threshold, the CHGSB pin goes high to indicate the termination of charge cycle.

The end-of-charge current threshold is set by the IEOC pin. The resistor R_{EOC} is connected to IEOC and GND. The parameters K_{EOC} and IEOC are specified in the specification Table.

$$I_{EOC}(\%) = \frac{R_{EOC}}{K_{EOC}} ; K_{EOC} = 200$$

The current threshold of IEOC (%) is defined as the percentage of fast-charge current set by R_{ISET} . After the CHGSB pin is pulled high, the RT9536 still monitors the battery voltage. Charge current is resumed when the battery voltage goes to lower than the battery regulation voltage threshold.

Factory Mode

The RT9536 provides factory mode for supplies up to 2.3A for powering external loads with no battery installed and BATT is regulated to 4.2V. The factory mode allows the user to supply system power with no battery connected. In factory mode, thermal regulation is disabled but thermal protection (155°C) is still active. When using currents greater than 1.5A in factory mode, the user must limit the duty cycle at the maximum current to 20% with a maximum period of 10ms.

LDO

The RT9536 integrates one low dropout linear regulator (LDO) that supplies up to 50mA. The LDO is active whenever the input voltage is between POR threshold and OVP threshold. It is not affected by the EN/SET input. Note that the LDO current is independence and not monitored by the charge current limit.

Charge Status Outputs (CHGSB and PGB)

The open-drain CHGSB and PGB outputs indicate various charger operations as shown in the following Table. These status pins can be used to drive LEDs or communicate to the host processor. Note that ON indicates the open-drain transistor is turned on and LED is bright.

Table 2

Condition	CHGSB	PGB
Input OVP	OFF	OFF
Input UVLO	OFF	OFF
Charge (CC Mode and CV Mode)	ON	ON
Charge Done (IFULL)	OFF	ON

Condition	PGB Deglitches Time	
	EN/SET is High	EN/SET is Low
Entering OVP ($V_{IN} = 5.5V \rightarrow 10V$)	0	100µs
Leaving OVP ($V_{IN} = 10V \rightarrow 5.5V$)	500µs	450µs
Entering SLEEP ($V_{IN} = 5.5V \rightarrow 3.6V$)	0	32ms
Leaving SLEEP ($V_{IN} = 3.6V \rightarrow 5.5V$)	500µs	500µs
Entering UVLO ($V_{IN} = 5.5V \rightarrow 2.5V$)	0	0
Leaving UVLO ($V_{IN} = 2.5V \rightarrow 5.5V$)	230µs	230µs

Sleep Mode

The RT9536 enters sleep mode if the power is removed from the input. This feature prevents draining the battery during the absence of input supply.

Temperature Regulation and Thermal Protection

In order to maximize charge rate, the RT9536 features a junction temperature regulation loop. If the power dissipation of the IC results in a junction temperature greater than the thermal regulation threshold (125°C), the RT9536 limits the charge current in order to maintain a junction temperature around the thermal regulation threshold (125°C). The RT9536 monitors the junction temperature, T_J , of the die and disconnects the battery from the input if T_J exceeds 125°C. This operation continues until junction temperature falls below thermal regulation threshold (125°C) by the hysteresis level. This feature prevents maximum power dissipation from exceeding typical design conditions.

Selecting the Input and Output Capacitors

In most applications, all that is needed is a high-frequency decoupling capacitor on the input. A 1µF ceramic capacitor, placed in close proximity to input to GND, works well. In some applications depending on the power supply characteristics and cable length, it may be necessary to add an additional 10µF ceramic capacitor to the input. The RT9536 requires a small output capacitor for loop stability. A typical 1µF ceramic capacitor placed between the BATT pin and GND is sufficient.

Thermal Considerations

For continuous operation, do not exceed absolute maximum operation junction temperature. The maximum power dissipation depends on thermal resistance of the IC package, PCB layout, rate of surrounding airflow, and difference between junction and ambient temperature. The maximum power dissipation can be calculated by the following formula :

$$P_{D(MAX)} = (T_{J(MAX)} - T_A) / \theta_{JA}$$

where $T_{J(MAX)}$ is the maximum operation junction temperature, T_A is the ambient temperature, and θ_{JA} is the junction to ambient thermal resistance.

For recommended operating condition specifications, the maximum junction temperature is 125°C. The junction to ambient thermal resistance, θ_{JA} , is layout dependent. For WDFN-10L 3x2 package, the thermal resistance, θ_{JA} , is 44°C/W on a standard JEDEC 51-7 four-layer thermal test board. The maximum power dissipation at $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ can be calculated by the following formula :

$$P_{D(MAX)} = (125^\circ\text{C} - 25^\circ\text{C}) / (44^\circ\text{C/W}) = 2.27\text{W for WDFN-10L 3x2 package}$$

The maximum power dissipation depends on the operating ambient temperature for fixed $T_{J(MAX)}$ and thermal resistance, θ_{JA} . The derating curve in Figure 4 allows the designer to see the effect of rising ambient temperature on the maximum power dissipation.

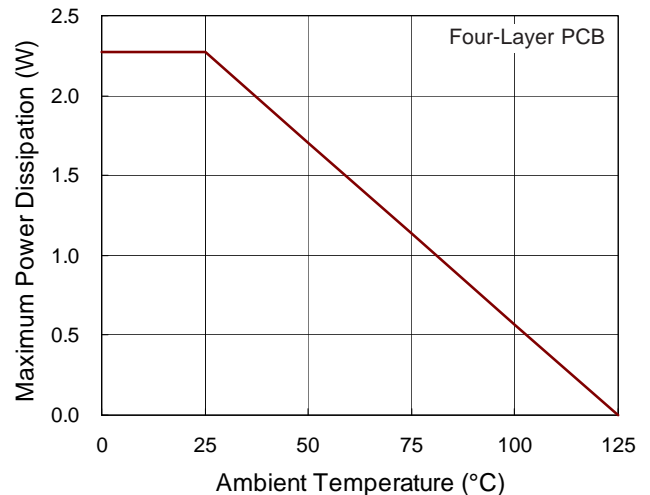


Figure 4. Derating Curve of Maximum Power Dissipation

Layout Consideration

The RT9536 is a fully integrated low cost single-cell Li-Ion battery charger IC ideal for portable applications. Careful PCB layout is necessary. For best performance, place all peripheral components as close to the IC as possible. A short connection is highly recommended. The following guidelines should be strictly followed when designing a PCB layout for the RT9536.

- ▶ Input capacitor should be placed close to the IC and connected to ground plane. The trace of input in the PCB should be placed far away from the sensitive devices or shielded by the ground.
- ▶ The GND should be connected to a strong ground plane for heat sinking and noise protection.
- ▶ The connection of R_{ISET} and R_{IEOC} should be isolated from other noisy traces. The short wire is recommended to prevent EMI and noise coupling.
- ▶ Output capacitor should be placed close to the IC and connected to ground plane to reduce noise coupling.

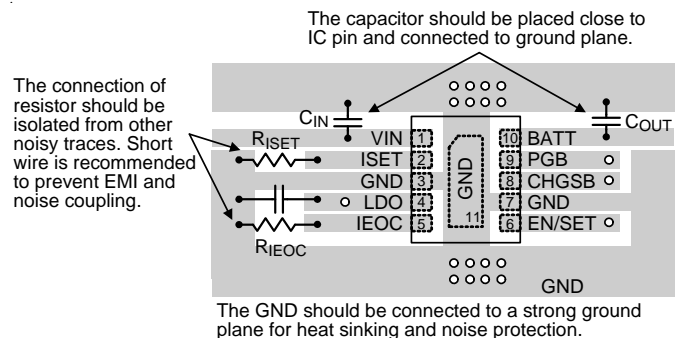
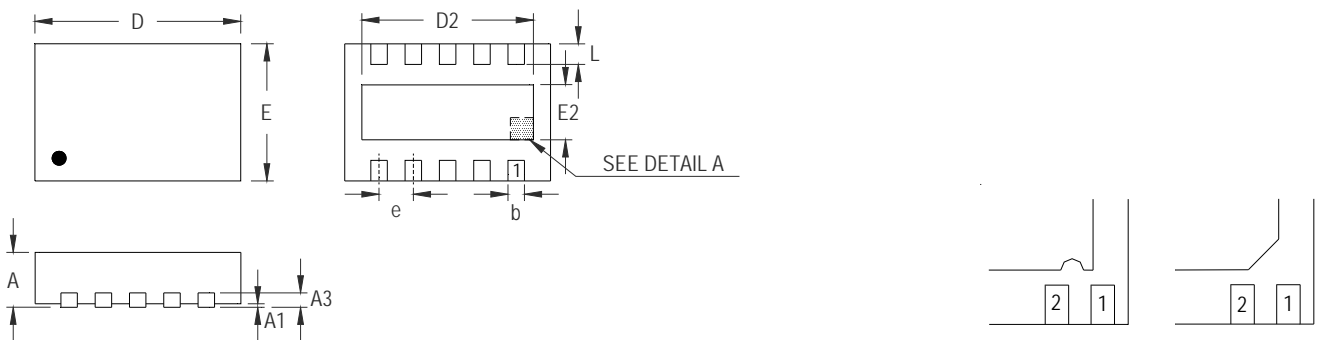


Figure 5. Layout Guide

Outline Dimension



DETAIL A

Pin #1 ID and Tie Bar Mark Options

Note : The configuration of the Pin #1 identifier is optional, but must be located within the zone indicated.

Symbol	Dimensions In Millimeters		Dimensions In Inches	
	Min	Max	Min	Max
A	0.700	0.800	0.028	0.031
A1	0.000	0.050	0.000	0.002
A3	0.175	0.250	0.007	0.010
b	0.180	0.300	0.007	0.012
D	2.900	3.100	0.114	0.122
D2	2.450	2.550	0.096	0.100
E	1.900	2.100	0.075	0.083
E2	0.750	0.850	0.030	0.033
e	0.500		0.020	
L	0.250	0.350	0.010	0.014

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