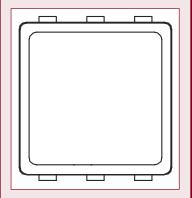
Product Summary Sheet

Applications

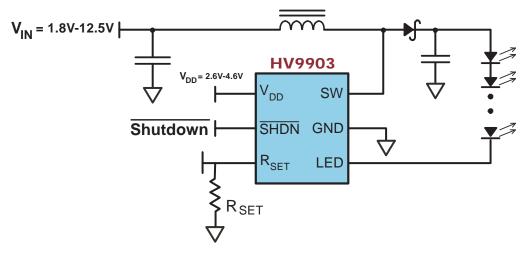
- Color LCD Backlighting
- Cell Phones, Smart Phones
- PDAs, Pocket PCs
- Organizers
- Digital Cameras
- MP3 Players

Package Options



DFN/MLP-6 Package

HV9903 - White LED Driver IC



Typical Application Circuit

Product Overview:

The Supertex HV9903 is a fixed frequency DC-DC boost converter designed for driving Light Emitting Diodes (LEDs) with constant current where the light intensity is proportional to the current through them. The input supply voltage range into the device (V_{DD}) is 2.6 to 4.6V. Operation of the driver at lower voltages is possible as long as a 2.6 – 4.6V low-current supply is available for the HV9903. The device uses a single inductor and a minimum number of passive components. The device can be enabled/disabled via the SHDN pin.

The HV9903 has an internal oscillator. The oscillator frequency is at fixed frequency of 1.2MHz that allows use of small value inductors. The LED current can be adjusted from 5 to 40mA by an external resistor connected between the R_{SET} and the GND pins. The amount of current though the LED can also be adjusted via DC voltage or a pulse width modulated (PWM) signal to the R_{SET} pin.

Soft-start is implemented on-chip, minimizing inrush current to only 30% over steady state current.

An open LED circuit detects an open LED condition, disables the driver, and sets the R_{SET} pin high. The driver is re-enabled by asserting SHDN low, then high. If the open LED condition persists, the driver will again latch off.

Features:	Benefits:			
Up to 85% Efficiency	Saves battery power			
Built-in Soft-Start	Saves external parts and space			
Built-in Over Voltage, Open LED Protection	Higher reliability Allows use of miniature inductor			
1.2MHz Fixed Switching Frequency				
Split Supply Capability	Wide $V_{\rm IN}$ operating range, higher efficiency			
500nA max. Shutdown Current	Saves battery power during idle periods			
Tiny, 6-lead, 3mm x 3mm DFN/MLP Package	Saves space			
Open LED Indicator	Alerts host system of LED failure			
Constant Current Regulation	Provides constant LED brightness			



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Typical Performance

<u>Device</u>	<u>V</u> _{DD}	<u>V</u> _{IN}	# LEDs	R _{SET}	<u> </u>	<u>V</u> _{o∪T}	<u>L</u> LED	
HV9903	3.3V	1.8 - 12.5	6	1.5K Ω	178mA - 28mA	18.5V - 18.9V	16mA	

Ordering Information / Availability

Part Number Package		<u>Datasheet</u>	Demo Kit	<u>Samples</u>	Lead Time	
	HV9903	DFN/MLP-6	HV9903	HV9903DB1	HV9903K6	4 - 5 weeks ARO
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