



DESCRIPTION

The A8168 Series is a fixed frequency, constant current step-up DC/DC converter idea for driving LEDs used in backlighting application on cellular phones, PDAs and digital cameras etc. Output voltage of up to 17.5V can be derived, and from a 3.2V input four white LED's can be driven in series or alternatively, using a 2.5V input, a network of two parallel legs with three in each may be driven. Luminance of the LED's is controlled by changing the duty cycle of a PWM signal applied to the CE pin.

In addition, an internal MOSFET with an $R_{DS(ON)}$ of 2Ω is used. Allow profile and small board area solution can be achieved using a chip coil and an ultra small ceramic output capacitor (CL) of $0.22\mu F$.

The A8168 is available in SOT-26 Package.

FEATURES

- Oscillation frequency : 1.0 MHz
- Output voltage range ; up to 17.5V externally set-up reference voltage 0.2V
- On resistance : 2.0Ω
- Efficiency : 88% (When driving 3 white LEDs in series $V_{in}=3.6V$ $I_{LED}=20mA$)
- Control : PWM control
- Stand-by Current : $I_{STB}=1.0\mu A$ (MAX)
- Load capacitor : $0.22\mu F$, ceramic
- Lx Limit Current : 300mA
- Available in SOT-26 package

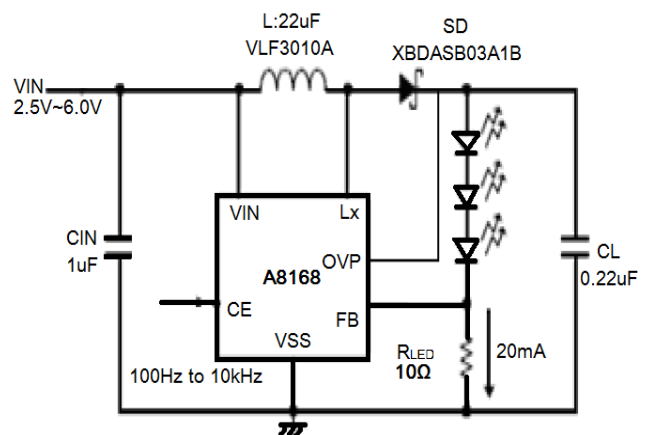
APPLICATIONS

- For White LED Drivers
- Mobil phones, PHS
- PDAs
- Digital still cameras

ORDERING INFORMATION

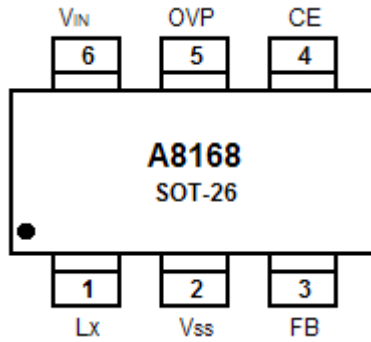
Package Type	Part Number	
SOT-26	E6	A8168E6R-XXX
		A8168e6vr-xxx
Note	XXX: FeedBack Voltage 020~149=0.2V~1.49V 0.20~0.49V:Low 1.20 ~ 1.49V:High R: Tape & Reel V: Green Package	
AiT provides all Pb free products Suffix " V " means Green Package		

TYPICAL APPLICATION





PIN DESCRIPTION



Top View

Pin #	Pin Name	Function
1	LX	Switch
2	V _{SS}	Ground
3	FB	Voltage Feedback
4	CE	Chip Enable
5	OVP	Over Voltage Protect
6	V _{IN}	Power Input



ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

V _{IN} Pin Voltage (V _{IN})	V _{ss} -0.3V ~ V _{ss} +7V
OUTPUT Pin Voltage (V _{OUT})	V _{ss} -0.3V ~ V _{ss} +7V
LX Pin Voltage (V _{LX})	V _{ss} -0.3V ~ V _{ss} +22V
FB Pin Voltage (V _{FB})	V _{ss} -0.3V ~ V _{ss} +7V
CE Pin Voltage (V _{CE})	V _{ss} -0.3V ~ V _{ss} +7V
OVP Pin Voltage(V _{OVP})	V _{ss} -0.3V ~ V _{ss} +22V
LX Pin Current (I _{LX})	1000mA
Power Dissipation (P _D ,SOT26)	250mW
Operating Temperature Range(T _{OPR})	-40°C ~ + 85°C
Storage Temperature range (T _{STG})	-55°C ~ + 125°C

Stresses above 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 Electrical Characteristics is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.



ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

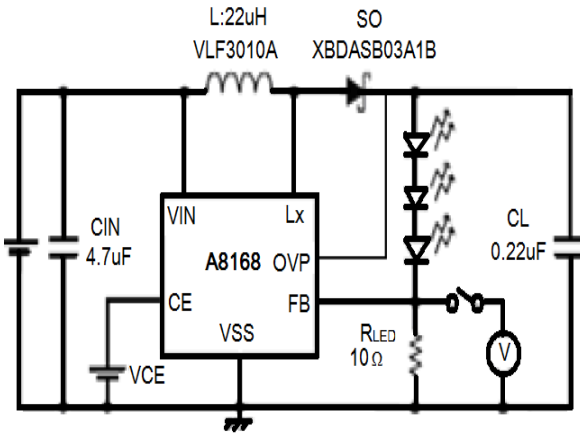
T_A=25°C, Unless Otherwise Specified

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	Schematics #
FB Control Voltage	V _{FB}		0.24	0.25	0.26	V	1
Output Voltage Range	V _{OUT}		V _{IN}		17.5		
Lx Operating Voltage Range	V _{LX}				20		
Operating Voltage Range	V _{IN}		2.5		6		
Stand-By Current	I _{STB}	V _{CE} =0V, V _{LX} =5V			1	μA	3
Supply Current 1	I _{DD1}			550		μA	2
Supply Current 2	I _{DD2}	V _{IN} =V _{LX} V _{FB} =0.4V		65			3
Oscillation Frequency	F _{OSC}		0.8	1.0	1.2	MHz	2
Maximum Duty Cycle	MAXDTY	V _{CONT} =0.4V	86	92	98	%	2
Efficiency	η	V _{IN} =3.6V; R _{LED} =20Ω		88		%	1
Current Limit	I _{LIM}	V _{IN} =3.6		300		mA	4
LX Overvoltage Limit	LXOV _L		18	19		V	2
LX On Resistance		V _{IN} =3.6V, V _{LX} =0.4V		2		Ω	2
LX Leak Current	I _{LXL}			0	1	μA	3
CE 'H' Voltage	V _{CEH}		0.65			V	2
CE 'L' Voltage	V _{CEL}				0.2	V	2
CE 'H' Current	I _{CEH}	V _{IN} =V _{LX} V _{FB} =0.4V			0.1	μA	3
CE 'L' Current	I _{CEL}	V _{IN} =V _{LX} V _{FB} =0.4V			-0.1	μA	3
FB 'H' Current	I _{CEH}	V _{IN} =V _{LX} V _{FB} =0.4V			0.1	μA	3
FB 'L' Current	I _{CEL}	V _{IN} =V _{LX} V _{FB} =0.4V			-0.1	μA	3

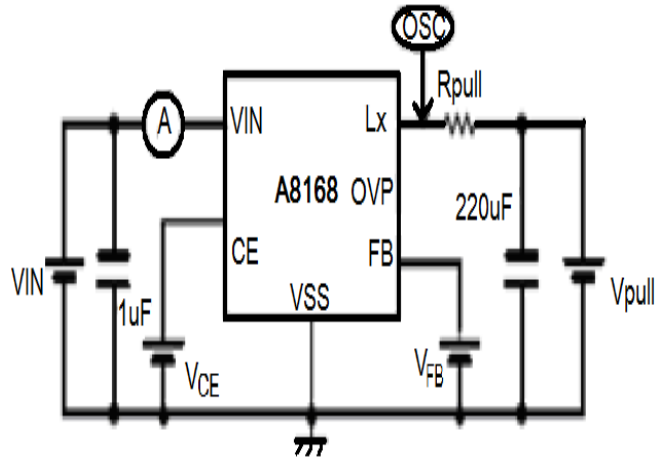


TEST SCHEMATICS

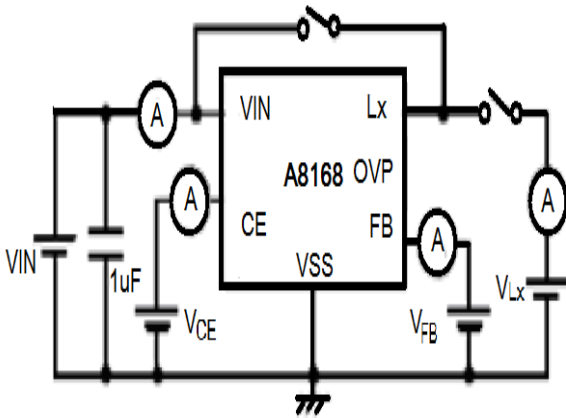
Schematics #1



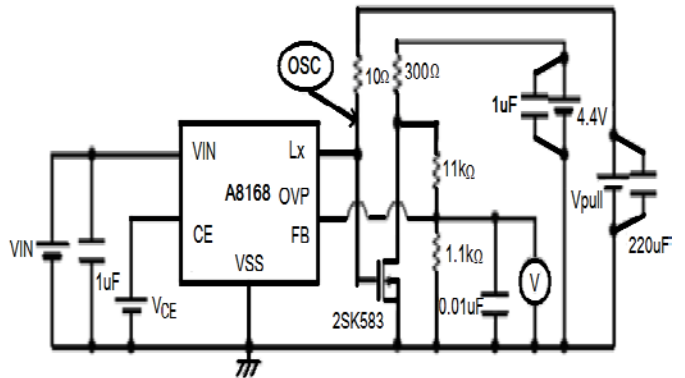
Schematics #2



Schematics #3



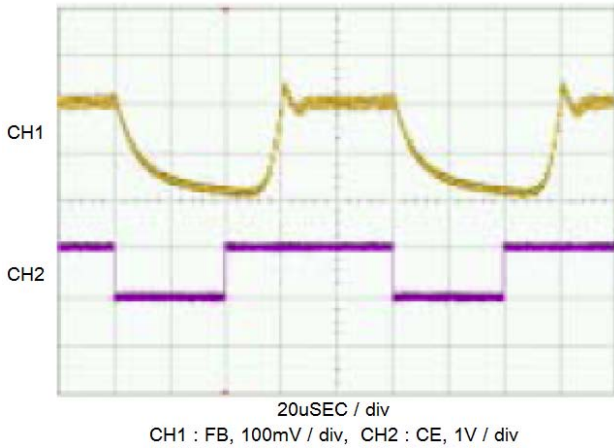
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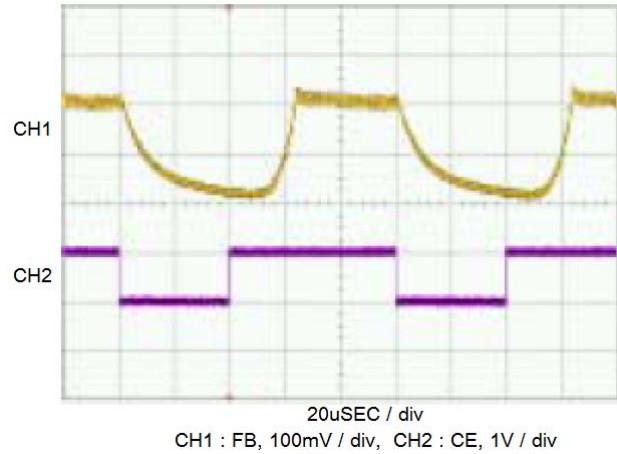


TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

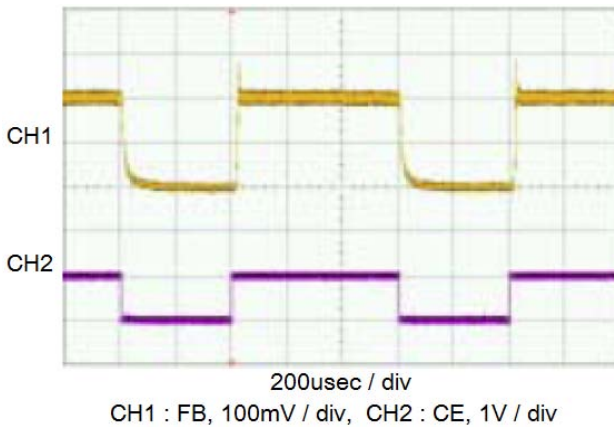
1. 10KHz, 3 series LED, $I_{LED}=20mA$



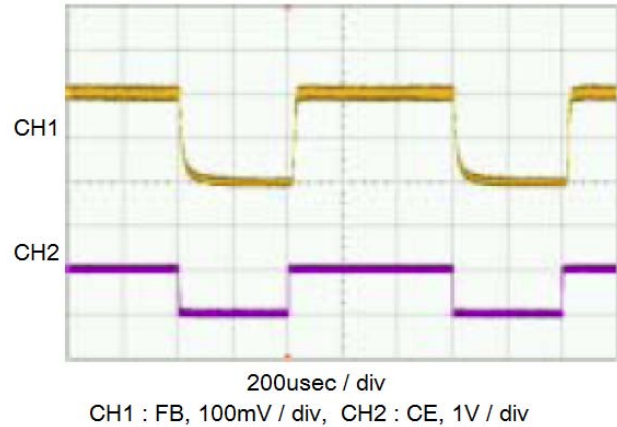
2. 10KHz, 4 series LED, $I_{LED}=20mA$



3. 1KHz, 3 series LED, $I_{LED}=20mA$

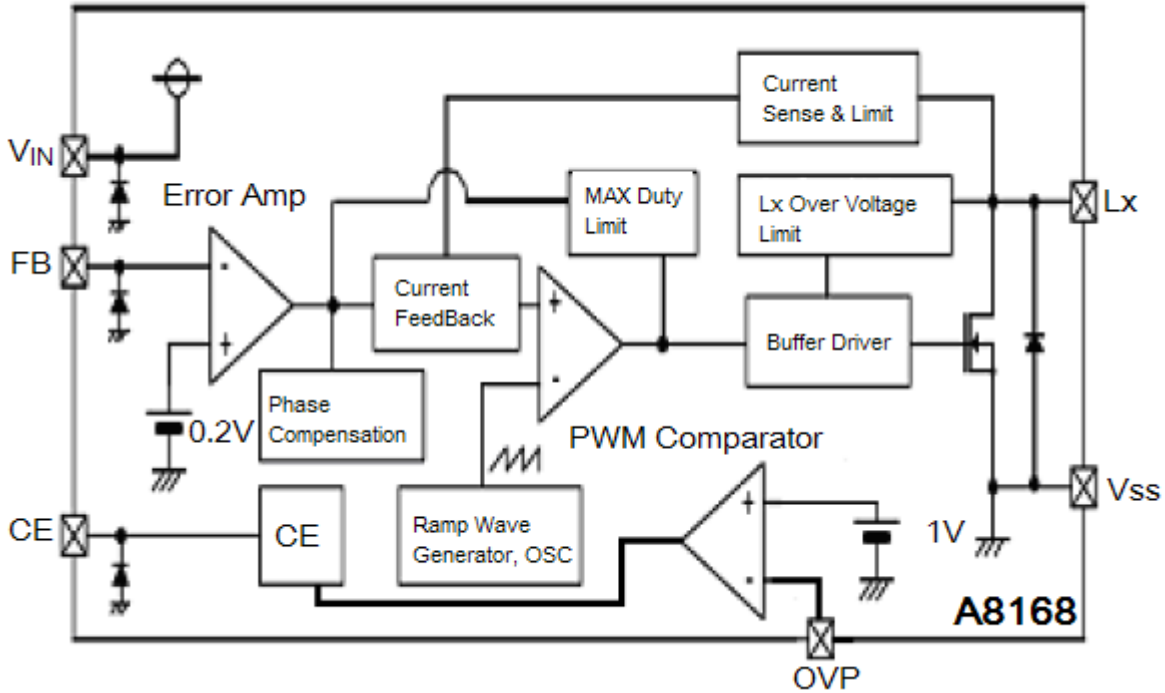


4. 1KHz, 4 series LED, $I_{LED}=20mA$





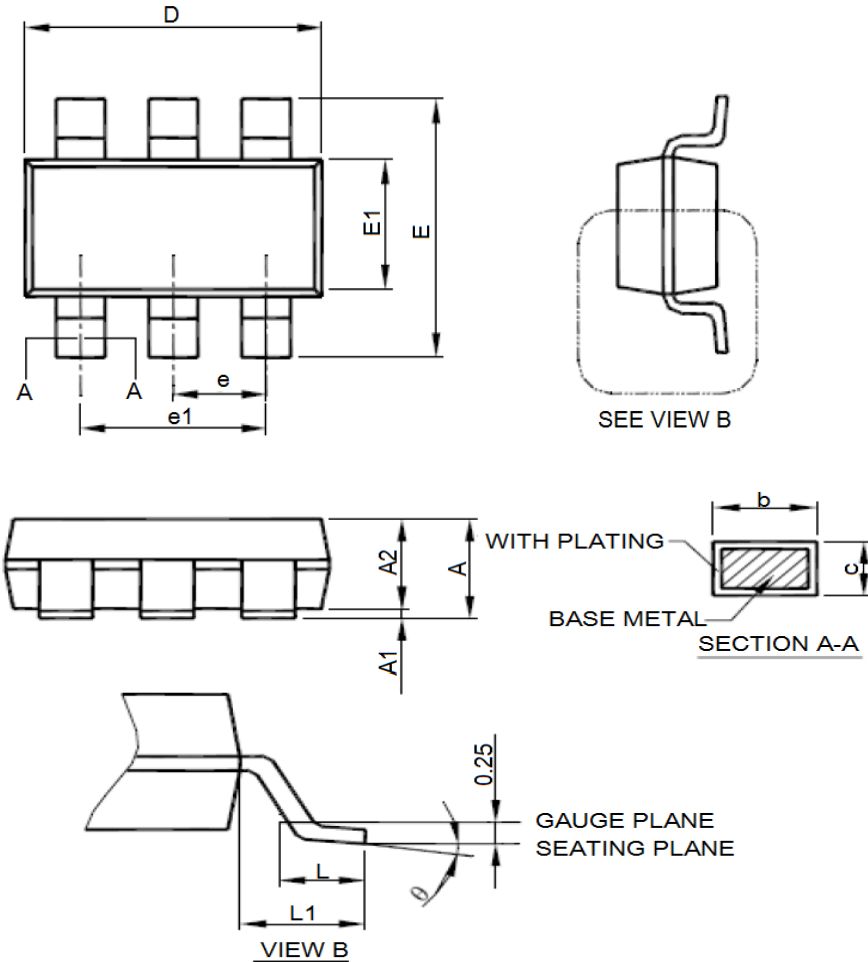
BLOCK DIAGRAM





PACKAGING INFORMATION

Dimension in SOT-26 (Unit: mm)



SYMBOL	MIN	MAX
A	0.95	1.45
A1	0.05	0.15
A2	0.90	1.30
b	0.30	0.50
c	0.08	0.22
D	2.80	3.00
E	2.60	3.00
E1	1.50	1.70
e	0.95BSC	
e1	1.90BSC	
L	0.30	0.60
L1	0.60REF	
θ	0°	8°



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