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# Primary-Side-Regulated LED Driver with Power Factor Correction

# FL7733A

#### Description

The FL7733A is a highly integrated PWM controller with advanced Primary Side Regulation (PSR) technique to minimize components in

#### PIN DESCRIPTION

Pin No.	Name	Description
1	CS	Current Sense. This pin connects a current-sense resistor to detect the MOSFET current for constant output current regulation.
2	GATE	PWM Signarn14 6ion

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** ( $V_{DD}$  = 15 V,  $T_J$  = -40 to +125°C, unless otherwise specified. Currents are defined as positive into the device and negative out of device.)

Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
Turn-On Threshold Voltage		14.5	16.0	17.5	V
Turn-Off Threshold Voltage		6.75	7.75	8.75	V
Operating Current	$C_L = 1 \text{ nF}, f = f_{MAX-CC}$	3		5	mA
Startup Current	$V_{DD} = V_{DD-ON} - 1.6 V$	-		100	μΑ
V <sub>DD</sub> Over–Voltage Protection Level		23	24	25.5	V
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GATE SECTION

V <sub>OL</sub>	Output Voltage Low	$T_A = 25^{\circ}C, V_{DD} = 20 V,$ $I_{DD_GATE} = 1 mA$	-	-	1.5

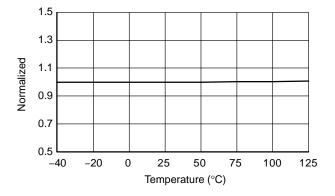
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Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit		
CURRENT-SENSE SECTION								
V <sub>RV</sub>	Reference Voltage	$T_A = 25^{\circ}C$	1.485	1.500	1.515	V		
t <sub>LEB</sub>	Leading-Edge Blanking Time (Note 5)		-	300	-	ns		
t <sub>MIN</sub>	Minimum On Time in CC (Note 5)	V <sub>COMI</sub> = 0 V	-	500	-	ns		
t <sub>PD</sub>	Propagation Delay to GATE Output		50	100	150	ns		
V <sub>CS-HIGH-CL</sub>	High Current Limit Threshold		0.9	1.0	1.1	V		
V <sub>CS-LOW-CL</sub>	Low Current Limit Threshold		0.16	0.20	0.24	V		
t <sub>LOW-CM</sub>	Low Current Mode Operation Time at Startup (Note 5)		-	20	-	ms		
V <sub>CS-SRSP</sub>	V <sub>CS</sub> Threshold Voltage for Sensing Resistor Short Protection		-	-	0.1	V		
V <sub>CS-OCP</sub>	V <sub>CS</sub> Threshold Voltage for Over–Current Protection	$T_A = 25^{\circ}C$	1.20	1.35	1.50	V		
$V_{CS}$ / $I_{VS}$	Relation of Line Compensation Voltage and ${\rm V}_{\rm S}$ Current (Note 5)		-	21.5	-	V/A		
OSCILLATOR SECTION								

f <sub>MAX-CC</sub>	Maximum Frequency in CC	$T_A = 25^{\circ}C, \ V_S = 3.0 \ V$	65	70	75	kHz
f <sub>MIN-CC</sub>	Minimum Frequency in CC	$T_A = 25^{\circ}C, V_S = 0.3 V$	24.0	29.5	33.0	kHz
t <sub>ON-MAX</sub>	Maximum Turn-On Time	$T_A = 25^{\circ}C, f = f_{MAX-CC}$	11.0	13.5	16.0	μs

OVER-TEMPERATURE

### TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS (Continued)





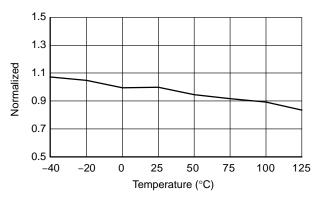


Figure 10. Gm vs. Temperature

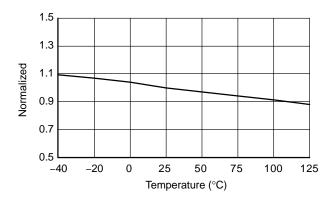
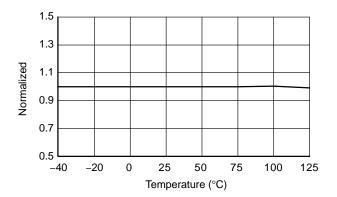


Figure 11. I<sub>COMI-SOURCE</sub> vs. Temperature





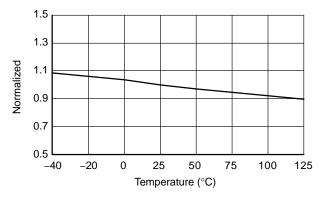


Figure 12. I<sub>COMI-SINK</sub> vs. Temperature

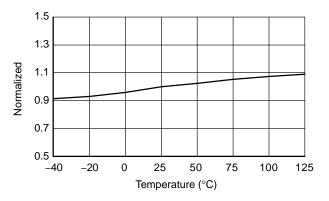


Figure 14. V<sub>CS-OCP</sub> vs. Temperature

#### FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

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FL7733A is AC DC PWM controller for LED lighting applications. TRUECURRENT technology regulate accurate constant LED current independent of input voltage, output voltage, and magnetizing inductance variations. The DCM control in the oscillator reduces conduction loss and maintains DCM operation over a wide range of output voltage, which implements high power factor correction in a single stage flyback or buck boost topology. A variety of protections, such as LED short / open protection, sensing resistor short / open protection, over current protection, over temperature protection, and cycle by cycle current limitation stabilize system operation and protect external components.

#### Startup

At startup, an internal high voltage JFET supplies startup current and  $V_{DD}$  capacitor charging current, as shown in Figure 15. When  $V_{DD}$  reaches 16 V, switching begins and the internal high voltage JFET continues to supply  $V_{DD}$  operating current for an initial 250 ms to maintain  $V_{DD}$  voltage higher than  $V_{DD}$  OFF. As the output voltage increases, the auxiliary winding becomes the dominant  $V_{DD}$  supply current source.

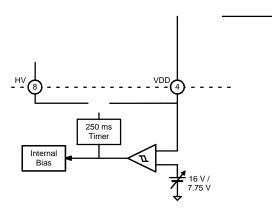
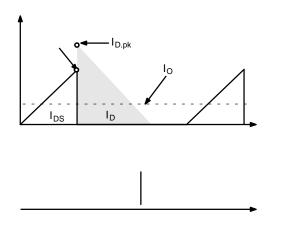


Figure 15. Startup Block

$$\frac{t_{\text{DIS}}}{t_{\text{S}}} \cdot V_{\text{CS}} = 0.25 \tag{eq. 2}$$

$$I_{O} = 0.125 \cdot \frac{n_{PS}}{R_{S}}$$
 (eq. 3)

where,  $n_{PS}$  is the primary to secondary turn ratio and  $R_S$  is a sensing resistor connected between the source terminal of the MOSFET and ground.



 $t_{\text{DIS}}$ 

Figure 18. Key Waveforms for Primary–Side Regulation

#### Under-Voltage Lockout (UVLO)

The V<sub>DD</sub> turn on and turn off thresholds are fixed internally at 16 V and 7.75 V, respectively. During startup, the V<sub>DD</sub> capacitor must be charged to 16 V through the high voltage JFET to enable the FL7733A. The V<sub>DD</sub> capacitor continues to supply V<sub>DD</sub> until auxiliary power is delivered from the auxiliary winding of the main transformer. V<sub>DD</sub> should remain higher than 7.75 V during this startup process. Therefore, the V<sub>DD</sub> capacitor must be adequate to keep V<sub>DD</sub> over the UVLO threshold until the auxiliary winding voltage is above 7.75 V.

#### **Over-Current Protection (OCP)**

When an output diode or secondary winding are shorted, switch current with extremely high di/dt can flow through the MOSFET even by minimum turn on time. The FL7733A is designed to protect the system against this excessive current. When the CS voltage across the sensing resistor is higher than 1.35 V, the OCP comparator output shuts down GATE switching.

In a sensing resistor open condition, the sensing resistor voltage can't be detected and output current is not regulated properly. If the sensing resistor is damaged open circuit, the parasitic capacitor in the CS pin is charged by internal CS current sources. Therefore, the  $V_{CS}$  level is built up to the OCP threshold voltage and then switching is shut down immediately.

#### **Over-Temperature Protection (OTP)**

The temperature sensing circuit shuts down PWM output if the junction temperature exceeds 150°C. The hysteresis temperature after OTP triggering is 10°C.

## PCB LAYOUT GUIDANCE

PCB layout for a power converter is as important as circuit design because PCB layout with high parasitic inductance or resistance can lead to severe switching noise with system instability. PCB should be designed to minimize switching noise into control signals.

- The signal ground and power ground should be separated and connected only at one position (GND pin) to avoid ground loop noise. The power ground path from the bridge diode to the sensing resistors should be short and wide.
- 2. Gate driving current path (GATE  $R_{GATE}$  MOSFET  $R_{CS}$  GND) must be as short as possible.

- 3. Control pin components; such as C<sub>COMI</sub>, C<sub>VS</sub>, and R<sub>VS2</sub>; should be placed close to the assigned pin and signal ground.
- 4. High voltage traces related to the drain of MOSFET and RCD snubber should be kept far way from control circuits to avoid unnecessary interference.
- 5. If a heat sink is used for the MOSFET, connect this heat sink to power ground.
- 6. The auxiliary winding ground should be connected closer to the GND pin than the control pin components' ground.

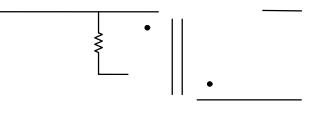


Figure 26. Layout Example

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