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## STLD20D

# White LED power supply

#### **General features**

- Typical guaranteed efficiency: 80%
- Drives up to 4 LEDs in series from a 2.8V up to 4.2V supply voltage
- Constant current regulation over the whole operating voltage range
- PWM control mode
- Integrated load disconnect switch that opens the LEDs path in shutdown mode
- Integrated soft start peak inductor current
- Programmable peak inductor current (STLD20D-C8 only)
- Shutdown pin allows digital dimming control up to 10kHz
- Over voltage and over temperature protection with automatic restart
- Low shutdown current (< 1µA)
- Small external inductor (10µH)
- Tiny external ceramic caraciter (1μF)

# **Application**

- White Lea supply for LCD backlight
- Mobile phone

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#### Description

The GTLD20D is a constant switching frequency coost regulator mainly dedicated to supply up to 4 white LEDs cornected in series. A constant LED current is a chieved by sensing the LED current through a bensing resistor R<sub>LED</sub> (see *Figure 3*.). The divice also includes a supply voltage rejection circuit that prevents from any possible flickering effect on the display that might happen during input supply voltage variation. An integrated Load Disconnect Switch open the LED path to eliminate the current consumption in shutdown mode. The maximum peak inductor current can be programmed (STLD20D-C8 only).

#### Order code

Part number	Package	Marking	Packing
STLD20D-C8	SOT23-8L	L2D	Tape and reel
STLD20D-DEF	QFN 3x3 8L	L2D	Tape and reel





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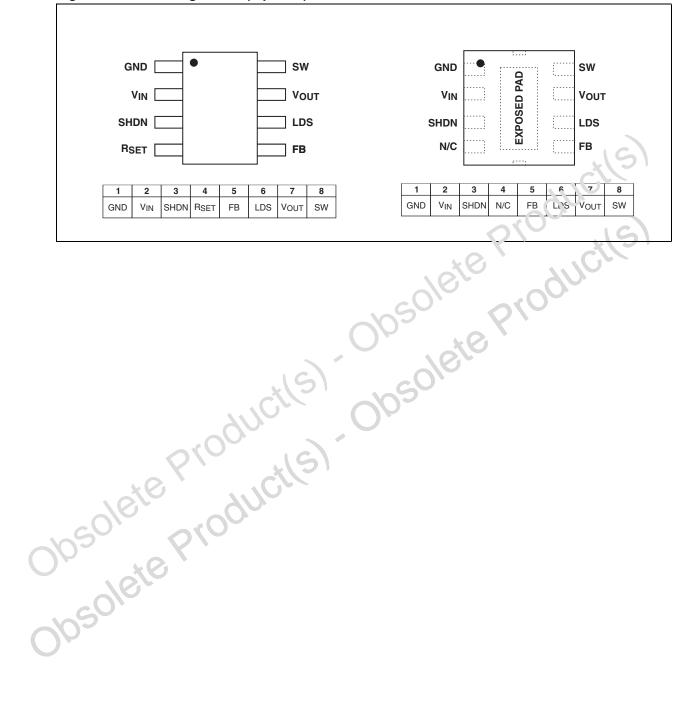
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Pin description STLD20D

# 1 Pin description

Figure 1. Pin configuration (top view)

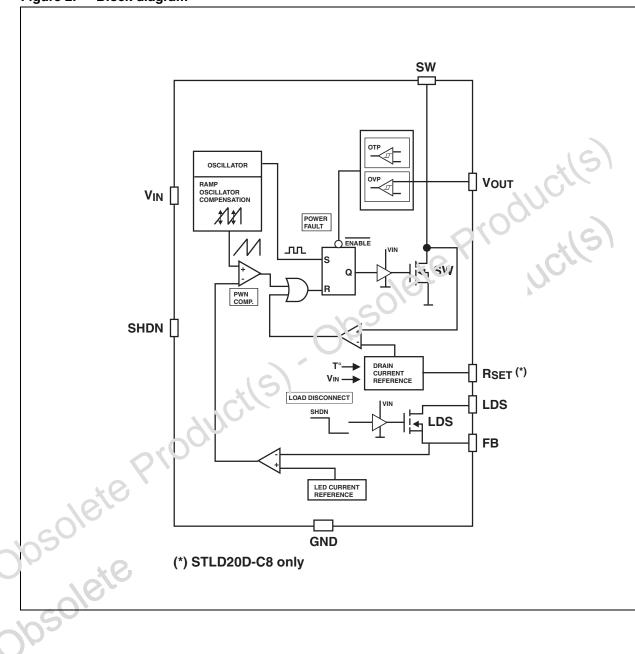




STLD20D Block diagram

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Figure 2. Block diagram



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**Block diagram** STLD20D

Figure 3. **Basic connection** 

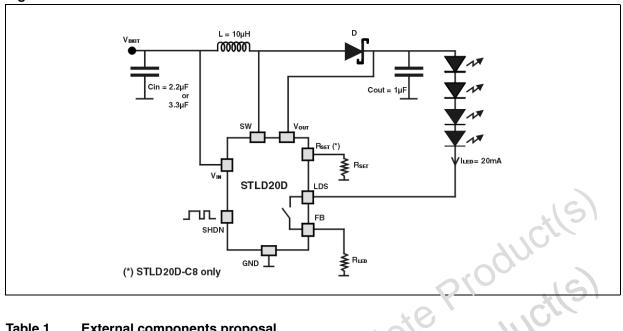


Table 1. **External components proposal** 

Cumbal	Parameter	Test conditions	O		Unit	
Symbol	Parameter	test conditions	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Offic
R <sub>LED</sub>	LED current res	sistance		15		Ω
C <sub>IN</sub>	Input filtering capacitor	Ceramic type		2.2		μF
C <sub>OUT</sub>	Output capacitance	Octamic type		1		μι
	4010	Inductance		10		μΗ
L	Boost inductor (ายเวลิส < 2mm)	Resistance at 500kHz			1	Ω
	21 4(5)	$I_{SAT}$ (R <sub>SET</sub> = 100kΩ)	300			mA
	*6Cr.	V <sub>RRM</sub>	40			$V_{dc}$
D	Poost diode (3TMicroelectronics STPS1L40M type)	I <sub>F</sub> (peak forward current)		1		Α
50		V <sub>F</sub> @ I <sub>F</sub> = 1A T <sub>j</sub> = 25°C		0.40	0.46	V

Note:

The external components proposal should be considered as a design reference guide. The performances mentioned in the electrical characteristics table are not guaranteed for all the possible electrical parameters of the components included in this list. On the other hand the operation of STLD20D is not limited with the use of components included in this list.



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STLD20D Maximum ratings

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Table 2. Absolute maximum ratings

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Value			Unit
	Faranteter	rest conditions	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Offic
V <sub>IN</sub>	Supply voltage range		2.5		5	V
V <sub>ESD</sub>	ESD ratings	HBM MIL STD 883C	2			kV
T <sub>OP</sub>	Operating temperature		- 40		+ 85	°C
T <sub>stg</sub>	Storage temperature		- 65		1.50	Ç
B <sub>VDS</sub>	Breakdown voltage at pin SW and TSS and V <sub>OUT</sub>					٧
SHDN	Maximum voltage applied on SHDN pin			40	V <sub>IN</sub>	V

Table 3. Thermal data

Symbol	Parameter			Value	0.	Unit
		<u>c</u> 0\	Min.	Тур.	Max.	
RthJA	Mounted on epoxy board without	SOT23-(iL	Κ,		300	°C/W
	copper heatsink	QFI			350	
	OGINCIL	Op				





Electrical characteristics

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# 4 Electrical characteristics

**Table 4.** Electrical characteristics ( $V_{IN} = 2.8 \text{ to } 4.2 \text{V} \text{ and } T_J = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$ )

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Symbol	Parameter Test conditions			Value		Unit		
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V <sub>IN</sub>	Operating Input vol	tage range			2.8		4.2	V
I <sub>LED</sub>	Average regulated	current I <sub>LED</sub> =	20mA R <sub>LED</sub> = 15Ω	2	19	20	21	mA
I <sub>SD</sub>	Stand-by current		SHDN = low V <sub>IN</sub>	= 4.2V			1	μΑ
IQ	Quiescent current	consumption	SHDN = high V <sub>IN</sub>	= 4.2V		0.43	0.6	r.ıA
		SOT23-8L	T <sub>J</sub> = 25°C	V <sub>IN</sub> = 2.8V		0.48		
SW	Boost switch	30123-6L	I <sub>SW</sub> = 250mA	V <sub>IN</sub> = 4.2V		0.33		Ω
SVV	RDSON	QFN	T <sub>J</sub> = 25°C	V <sub>IN</sub> = 2.8V	210	0.57		22
		QFN	I <sub>SW</sub> = 250mA	V <sub>IN</sub> = 4.2V		0.42		וכ
		SOT23-8L	T <sub>J</sub> = 25°C	N <sup>1</sup> = 5'81		5.0	5	
LDS	Load Disconnect	30123-0L	I <sub>LDS</sub> = 20mA	√ <sub>N</sub> = 4.2V		4.2		Ω
LDS	Switch R <sub>DSON</sub>	QFN	T <sub>J</sub> = 25°C	V <sub>IN</sub> = 2.8V		5.1		52
		QIIV	I <sub>LDS</sub> = 20n A	$V_{IN} = 4.2V$		4.3		
FB	Feedback voltage		1	18/	0.285	0.302	0.315	V
Line	Variation of the LEI $R_{LED} = 15\Omega$	O current ve.cu	3 the input voltage:	2,			0.9	mA/V
Eff	Efficiency with 4 I.E	505 V - 16	., O	V <sub>IN</sub> = 2.8V	80			%
	Efficiency with 4 f.E	11'S, V <sub>OUT</sub> = 10	, ,	V <sub>IN</sub> = 4.2V		85		70
f <sub>SW</sub>		Switching	frequency		400	500	600	kHz
DC <sub>MIN</sub>	Minimum duty cycle					20		%
I <sub>L'M</sub>	Peak current boost	switch (1)	L = 10µH R <sub>SET</sub> = GND (STLD	)20D-C8)			640	mA
CVP	Overvoltage protect	tion			17.5	18.5	20	$V_{DC}$
Hystov	Overvoltage hysteresis				0.7		$V_{DC}$	
OTP	Over temperature protection			110			°C	
Hyst <sub>OT</sub>	Over temperature p	Over temperature protection hysteresis				5		°C
SHDN	Shutdown signal la	aio	Disable Low V <sub>IL</sub>				0.3	V
SHUN	Shutdown signal lo	yıc	Enable high V <sub>IH</sub>		1.2			v
			•					•

<sup>1.</sup> Guaranteed by design.





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**Functional description** 

# 5 Functional description

#### 5.1 Boost converter

The STLD20D is a PWM mode control boost converter operating at 500kHz.

An automatic compensation of the oscillation ramp allows rejection of the battery voltage transient. The LED current regulation (see *Figure 3*.) is done by sensing the LED current through the resistance  $R_{LED}$ . The voltage across  $R_{LED}$  is used by the feedback loop of the controller (FB pin).

#### 5.2 Peak inductor current limitation and soft start function

An integrated current sensor limits the switching current at 640 mA maximum.

Should the peak drain current exceed 640mA (if  $R_{SET} = 0$  for STLD20P  $\mathcal{C}(t)$ ) the flip flop will turn off the switch SW. During start up, this peak drain current limitation acts like a soft start function.

### 5.3 Peak inductor current programmat@ity (STLD20D-C8 only)

The converter peak current must be always te!sw the inductor saturation current. For flexibility reasons, the maximum peak inductor current can be programmed by connecting a resistor at the pin  $R_{\rm SFT}$ .

The *Figure 12*. gives the value of the resistance  $R_{SET}$  versus the peak inductor current limit  $I_{I,MAX}$ .

#### 5.4 Shutdown

The S.HDN pin is a low logic input signal and allows turning off the controller without cutting the input voltage from the boost regulator circuit.

A. Integrated Load Disconnect Switch LDS disconnects the LEDs branch in shutdown mode. This arrangement allows eliminating the DC current path that normally exists with traditional boost regulator in shutdown mode.

# 5.5 Brightness control

The brightness of the LED is adjusted by pulsing the shutdown pin with a PWM signal as high as 10kHz.

By using such a PWM signal the controller is alternatively ON and OFF and the LED current changes from full current to zero.

The duty cycle allows regulating the average LED current. This scheme ensures that when the LEDs are ON, they are driven at the full current without risk of color change.



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#### 5.6 Over temperature protection (OTP)

An integrated temperature sensor senses the temperature of the junction of the controller. As soon as this temperature exceeds 110°C min fixed internally, the controller is automatically turned OFF. When the temperature is reduced of 5°C the operation of the device automatically recovers.

#### 5.7 Over voltage protection (OVP)

In case of failure and if the LED branch is cut, then there is no signal at the feedback pin FB (Figure 3.), the PWM controller will then switches with a maximum duty cycle. This will generate a voltage at the pin SW and VOLIT that can exceed the maximum rating of the device.

The overvoltage protection block senses the output voltage at the pin  $V_{OUT}$  (Figure 3.). If the voltage exceeds 18.5V<sub>DC</sub> typical the controller is automatically turned OFF.

When the voltage is reduced of 0.7V, the operation of the device automatically recovers.

#### 5.8 **Efficiency**

(Figure 4. & Figure 9.)

The efficiency takes into account these following losses:

- RIFD ohmic losses
- Boost switch SW losses
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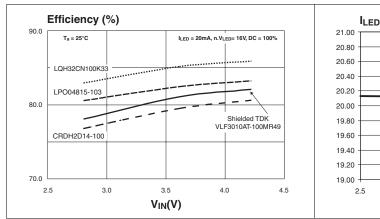


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Typical performance characteristics

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Figure 4. 4 LEDs efficiency measurement Figure 5. LED current vs input voltage



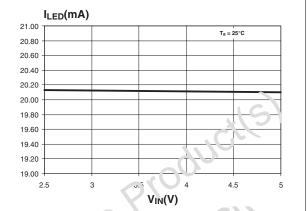
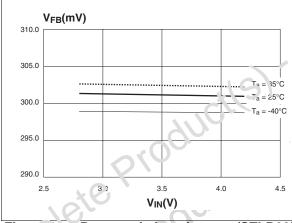
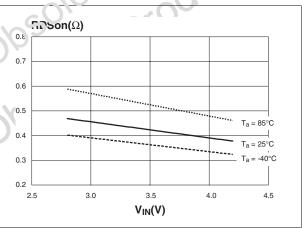


Figure 6. Feedback voltage

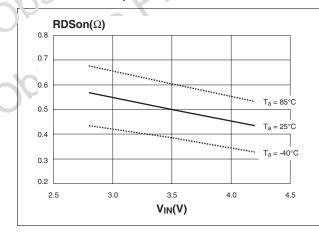
Figure 7. Book switch resistance (STLD20D-

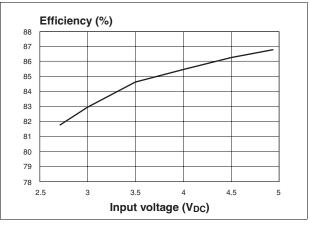




Figur e δ. Boost switch resistance (STLD20D- Figure 9. EDEF)

Efficiency vs input voltage (I<sub>LED</sub>=20mA; T<sub>A</sub>=25°C)







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Figure 10. Load disconnect switch resistance Figure 11. Quiescent Current consumption

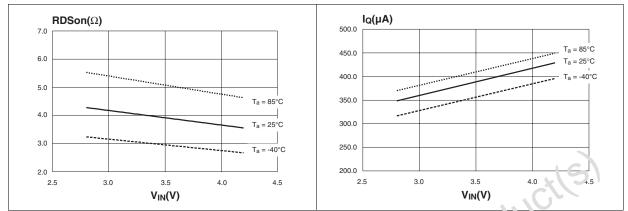


Figure 12. Max peak inductor current I<sub>L</sub> versus Figure 13. Max peak inductor current I<sub>L</sub> versus L and R<sub>SET</sub>

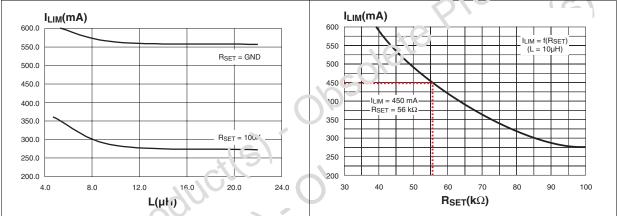
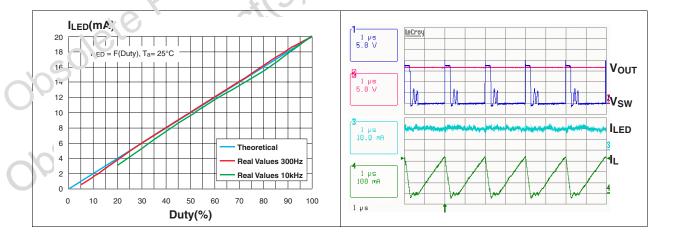


Figure 14. I<sub>LED</sub> versus duty cycle

Figure 15. Typical waveform





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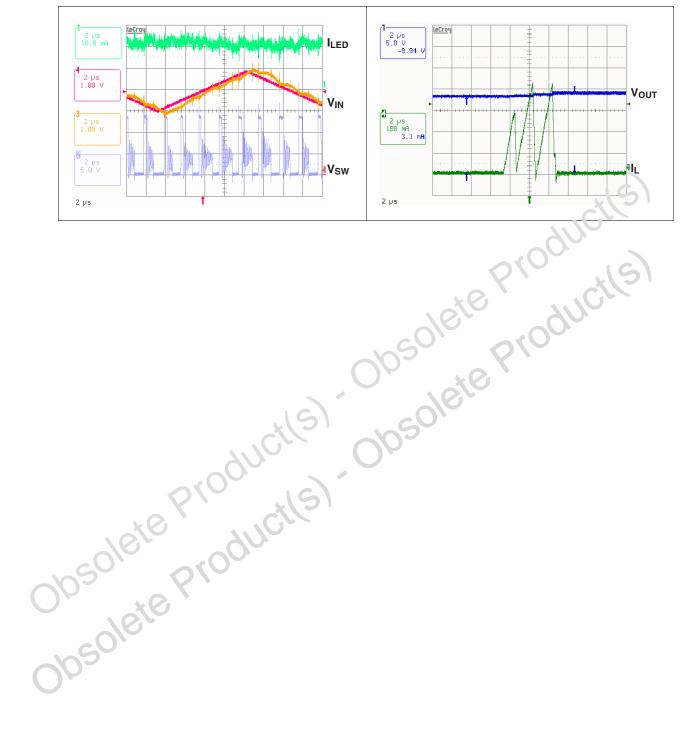
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Figure 16. Supply voltage rejection

Figure 17. Overvoltage protection





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# 7 Components selection

#### 7.1 L, Boost inductor selection

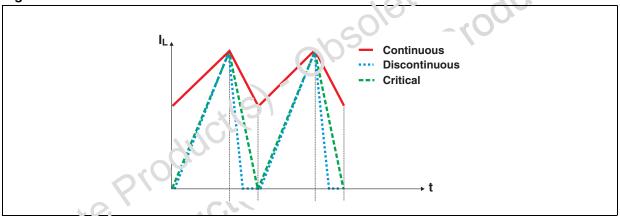
To get a good trade-off thickness/efficiency, an attention must be given on the inductor choice.

- The inductance value must be selected to remain in the discontinuous conduction mode.
- Its saturation current (I<sub>sat</sub>) must be equal or higher than the programmed current (I<sub>LIM</sub>).
- An attention must be taken on the dynamic inductor parameters. Actually, some power losses can occur in the boost inductor when it works at several hundred KHz and can reduce the efficiency.

#### 7.1.1 Calculation of the inductor value

The inductor must be dimensioned so that the STLD20D stays running in discontinuous conduction mode operation in the worst operation condition ( $V_{IN} = V_{II} = 2.8V$ ). The limit between continuous and discontinuous mode is called critical rande and characterized by an uninterrupted current through the inductor (see figure 18).

Figure 18. 3 different conduction modes



The formula [1] gives the maximum typical value of the inductor for a discontinuous mode operation in the worst case condition (critical mode). Figure 19 shows the typical L value versus the voltage across the LED branch N.V<sub>LED</sub>. Note that this curve includes the STLD20D and inductance dispersions (20%).

$$N.V_{LED} = 4x4V = 16V$$
 and  $I_{LOAD} = 20mA$ 

$$L_{typ} \leq \frac{\eta \cdot |V^{Z}|_{in(min)}(N \cdot |V_{LED} - V_{in(min)} + V_{FB} + I_{LED} \cdot |R_{LDS})}{2.4 \cdot |I_{LED} \cdot |N \cdot |V_{LED} \cdot |F_{max} \cdot |(N \cdot |V_{LED} + I_{LED} \cdot |R_{LDS})} [1]$$



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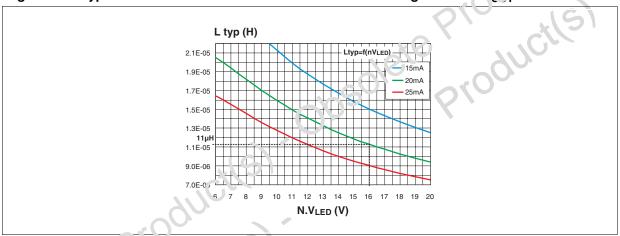
#### **Components selection**

#### Where:

- ηis the efficiency (80%)
- N is the number of the white LEDs in series
- $V_{LED}$  is the forward voltage of the LED for the  $I_{LED}$  current ( $V_{LED} = 4V$  in our example)
- V<sub>IN(min)</sub> is the minimum input voltage (2.8V)
- V<sub>FR</sub> is the error amplifier reference (0.3V)
- R<sub>LDS</sub> is the internal resistance of the Load Disconnect Switch power MosFET (6Ω)
- F<sub>max</sub> is the maximum frequency of the STLD20D (600kHz)
- I<sub>LED MAX</sub> is the current through the LED

For example, the case with 4 white LEDs can be considered in order to evaluate L value in the worst case conduction.

Figure 19. Typical inductance value versus the white LED voltage for three long



From figure 19, typical inductance must be lower than 11 $\mu$ H. By minimizing the inductance to ensure the discontinuous mode operation, the standard coil value is equal to 10 $\mu$ H. Then: L=10 $\mu$ H

# 7.1.2 Calculation of the saturation current I<sub>(sat)</sub>

The maximum peak current  $(I_{p(max)})$  during steady state can be estimated by the formula [2]:

$$I_{p(max)} = \sqrt{\frac{2 \cdot I_{LED} \cdot N \cdot V_{LED} \cdot (N \cdot V_{LED} - V_{IN(min)} + V_{FB} + I_{LED} \cdot R_{LDS})}{\eta \cdot F_{min} \cdot 0.8 \cdot L_{typ} \cdot (N \cdot V_{LED} + V_{FB} + I_{LED} \cdot R_{LDS})}}$$
[2]

#### Where:

- L<sub>tvn</sub> is the typical inductance value
- F<sub>min</sub> is the minimum frequency due to the STLD20D spread-off (400kHz)

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Figure 20. Maximum peak current ( $I_{p(max)}$ ) versus the white LEDs voltages for 3 outputs current -  $V_{IN} > 2.8V$ 

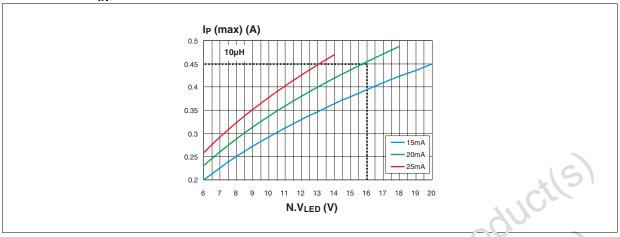


Figure 20 shows the maximum peak current  $I_{p(max)}$  through the poil for L=10 $\mu$ H versus the voltage across the LED branch, N.V<sub>LED</sub> and the LED current  $I_{LED}$  for V<sub>IN</sub> > 2.8V. As N.V<sub>LED</sub> = 16V and  $I_{LED}$  = 20mA, then  $I_{p(max)}$  = 0.45A. The curve reaches when the converter reaches the critical mode operation.

Therefore, the saturation current (I<sub>sat</sub>) of the inductor must be higher than 0.45A. To conclude:

$$I_{sat} \ge I_{p(max)}$$

I<sub>sat</sub>≥0.4A

### 7.1.3 Choice of the R<sub>SET</sub> resistor

The resistor  $R_{SET}$  fixes the maximum peak current flowing through the inductor whatever the operating conditions. Thus, current saturation ( $I_{sat}$ ) is never reached. If the height constraint is important, this function allows using low profile inductor with a small saturation current.

The *Figure 12*. on page 12 gives the corresponding typical value of the external resistor  $R_{\text{SET}}$  versus the  $I_{\text{LIM}}$  value. This curve is slightly dependent of the temperature and the input voltage.

To prevent the coil saturation  $R_{SET}$  must be equal to  $56k\Omega$  see *Figure 12*. Thus:

$$I_{sat} \ge I_{LIM} \ge I_{p(max)}$$

#### 7.1.4 Reference selection

The table below gives some coil references suitable for the STLD20D versus L, DCR,  $I_{\text{sat}}$  value and sizing requirements.

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Table 5. Reference selection

Name	Ref	Height (mm)	L typ (µH)	DCR ( $\Omega$ )	I <sub>SAT</sub> (A)
	LQH32CN4R7M33	2	4.7	0.15	0.65
Murata	LQH32CN100K33	2	10	0.3	0.45
iviurata	LQH32CN4R7M53	1.55	4.7	0.15	0.65
	LQH32CN100K53	1.55	10	0.3	0.45
Coilcraft	LP04815-472MXC	1.5	4.7	0.15	0.77
Colletait	LP04815-103MXC	1.5	10	0.23	0.55
	744031100	1.65	10	0.205	0.74
Wurth Elektronik (WE)	744031150	1.65	15	0.285	0.62
	744042100	1.8	10	0.15	1.3
	CDRH2014-100	1.855	10	0.294	0.7
Sumida	CLS4D14	1.5	6.8	າ.າउ	0.8
	CLS4D14	1.5	10	0.18	0.65
TDK	VLF3010AT 100HR49 shielded	10	102	0.67	0.49

# 7.2 C<sub>IN</sub> and C<sub>OUT</sub> capacitors selection

The capacitance values and its intrinsic resistance (ESR) must be selected in order to reduce the output ripple

The ceramic capacitor technology offers the best compromise between the space and the performance (low FSH, value, voltage rating). Nevertheless, their values changes with the time as well as with temperature, DC bias voltage and switching frequency. Thus it might be necessary to use higher capacitor value if low ripple is an absolute need.

# 7.3 1.3. D, Boost diode selection

The diode selection is based upon two major criteria:

- Low losses to get the best converter efficiency
- Mechanical size

#### 7.3.1 Electrical characteristic

 $V_{RRM}$  (Repetitive peak reverse voltage) is the first parameter to consider in the selection of the boost diode. Its value must be always higher than the reverse voltage ( $V_R$ ) occurring during the steady state. Note that, some transient voltages occurs during the commutation period due to the leakage inductance of the PCB. Generally, a power diode with a maximum reverse voltage equal or just higher than 20V suits perfectly. Therefore a Schottky diode technology can be used.

Schottky diode has a low forward voltage, nevertheless they have an additional reverse current which provides additional losses at high ambient temperature.



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#### Components selection

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In fact, in boost backlighting converter, the conduction losses (P<sub>cond</sub>) lead by the forward characteristics can be negligible compared to the losses induced by the reverse current (P<sub>rev</sub>), especially at high temperature.

#### 7.4 R<sub>I FD</sub> feedback resistance selection

The average output current is regulated by sensing a low external ohmic sensing resistor R<sub>LED</sub>. Thus, a constant current value is fixed for each LED whatever the ambient temperature conditions.  $R_{\text{LED}}$  is given by:

$$R_{LED} = \frac{V_{FB}}{I_{LED}} = \frac{0.3V}{20mA} = 15\Omega$$
 [7]

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Efficiency= 
$$\frac{P_{\text{output}}}{P_{\text{input}}} = \frac{N \cdot V_{\text{LED}} \cdot I_{\text{LED}}}{V_{\text{IN}} \cdot I_{\text{input}}}$$
 [8]



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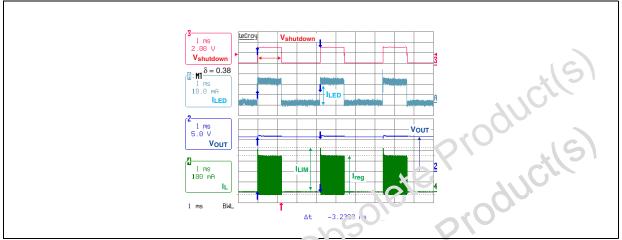
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**PWM dimming control** 

# 8 PWM dimming control

By applying a PWM signal on the shutdown pin SHDN, the average current and the brightness of the LED can be adjusted. *Figure 21.* shows I<sub>LED</sub> current and the other typical waveform during this dimming control mode.

Figure 21. Typical waveform when the PWM dimming is used at 300Hz



Note that the Load Disconnect Switch LDS turns ON/OFF at the same frequency and with the same duty cycle as the winner of the LED current is a perfect square wave phased with the dimming signal. This leads to a good correlation between the real average current of the LED and the theoretical current given by:

#### Where

- ILED: is the nominal current programmed by the RLED resistance
- DC: is the duty cycle of the dimming signal.

Figure 14. shows that the correlation between the real average current and the theoretical value is given for a minimum duty cycle of 5% when the dimming frequency is 300Hz and 20% for a 10kHz dimming signal.

**Analog dimming control** 

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# 9 Analog dimming control

Some application are sensitive to low frequency dimming signal; in this case an analog dimming control technic with a DC voltage  $V_{\text{dim}}$  to control the brightness of the LED can be used with the circuit shown *Figure 22*.

The formula below gives the LED current versus the dimming voltage V<sub>dim</sub>:

$$I_{LED} = \frac{V_{FB} \cdot (R_{dim} + R_{d1} + R_{LED}) - V_{dim} \cdot (R_{LED} + R_{d1})}{R_{dim} \cdot R_{LED}}$$
[19]

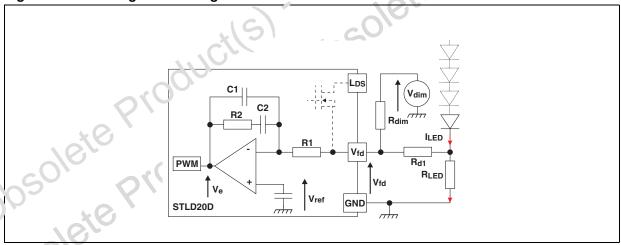
Where:

- V<sub>dim</sub>: Analog Dimming Voltage
- R<sub>dim</sub>, R<sub>d1</sub>: Resistors of the dimming circuit (see figure 26)

### 9.1 Minimum dimming current

The PWM control of the STLD20D has a minimum duty  $c_{C}C > DC_{MIN}$  that limits the dimming current range. It exists a minimum dimming current  $c_{C}C > DC_{MIN}$  to the typical  $c_{C}C > DC_{MIN}$  of the control loop.

Figure 22. Analogical dimming schematics



This minimum dimming current depends on the maximum input voltage and the forward voltage of the LED and can be estimated by:

$$I_{\text{LEDC}} \approx \frac{\left(DC_{\text{min}} \cdot V_{\text{IN(max)}}\right)^{2}}{2 \cdot L_{\text{typ}} \cdot F_{\text{typ}} \cdot \left[N \cdot V_{\text{LED}} + V_{\text{FB}} - V_{\text{IN(max)}}\right]} [20]$$



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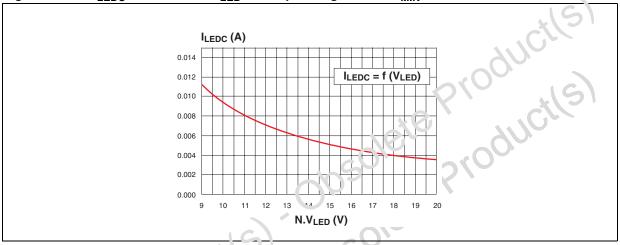
Where:

- V<sub>IN(max)</sub>: is the maximum input voltage
- DC<sub>MIN</sub>: is the typical minimum duty cycle of the STLD20D (18%)
- L<sub>tvp</sub>: is the typical vale of the inductance
- F<sub>tvp</sub>: is the typical switching frequency

*Figure 23.* gives the  $I_{LED}$  versus the LED branch voltage N.V<sub>LED</sub>. This curve is calculated with:

 $L_{typ} = 10\mu H$ ,  $F_{typ} = 500kHz$ ,  $DC_{MIN} = 18\%$  and  $V_{IN(max)} = 4.2VDC$ .

Figure 23. I<sub>LEDC</sub> current vs N.V<sub>LED</sub> corresponding at the DC<sub>MIN</sub>



Higher the voltage ecross the branch LEDs, higher the range current control. After these considerations, it is described here the basics rule to help the designer to choose the external components such as  $R_{d1}$ ,  $R_{dim}$  and  $R_{LED}$  versus  $V_{dim}$  and brightness control current  $V_{ED}$ .

# 9.2 R<sub>d1</sub> Calculation

To avoid significant shifting of the cross over frequency and to keep enough high the corrector network gain of the error amplifier, it is recommended to dimension the resistor  $R_{d1}$  below  $10k\Omega$  (10% of R1).

Dimension R<sub>LED</sub> for full brightness operating mode

R<sub>LED</sub> is dimensioned to get the nominal current I<sub>LED</sub> for the full brightness of the LED.

It is recommended to fix  $V_{dim} = V_{FB}$  during the full brightness operating mode so that the LED current correspond to the programmed value  $I_{LED}$ . Thus:

$$R_{LED} = \frac{V_{FB}}{I_{LED}}$$
 [21]



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Where:

$$R_{dim} = \frac{[R_{d1} + R_{LED}] \cdot [V_{FB} - V_{dim-max}]}{I_{LEDmin} R_{LED} - V_{EB}}$$
[22]

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Layout recommendation

# 10 Layout recommendation

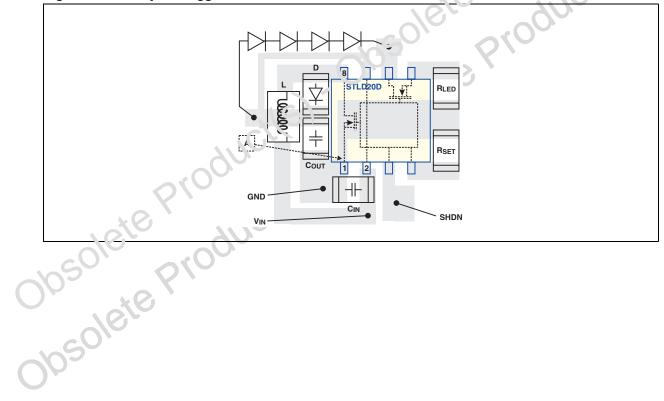
The package connection of the STLD20D has been realized in order to facilitate the layout of the PCB. The golden rule to obtain an optimized layout is to split the power and signal track as shown on the *Figure 24*.

It is necessary to place the input capacitor as closed as possible between pin1 and pin2 of the STLD20D package. If the  $C_{\text{IN}}$  capacitor is not closed to the device, high frequency noise due to gate driver dI/dt flows through the copper track of the board and can generate some line voltage drop due to the line inductance.

For the same reason, in order to eliminate high frequency current loop, the connection of the diode (D) and the output capacitor ( $C_{OUT}$ ) must be as close as possible to the internal power MosFET (SW) (close to pin 8 and 1).

Concerning the signal path, we recommend to create the PCB GND signal from the pin 1 ("A" point in the *Figure 24.*). Thus all signal references such as feedback and the voltage across  $R_{set}$  are not disturbed by the power stage.

Figure 24. Layout suggested





Evaluation board STLD20D

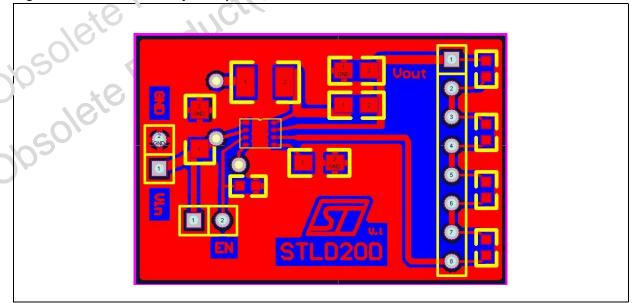
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*Figure 25.* shows the top view of the evaluation board that show all the application features of the STLD20D.

Figure 25. Evaluation board top view with its connections at the external equipment



Figure 26. Demo board layout top view





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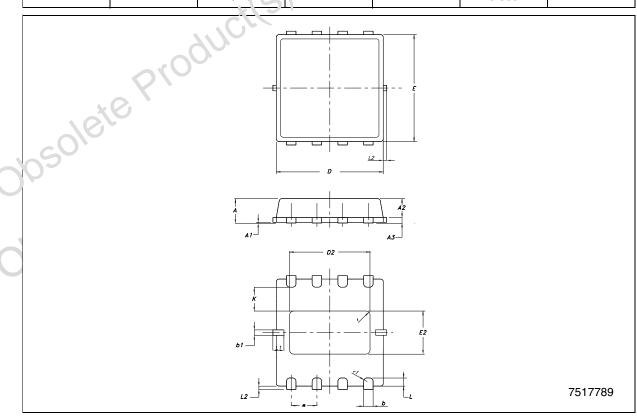
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### QFN8 (3x3) MECHANICAL DATA

DIM.		mm.			inch	
DIM.	MIN.	TYP	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.
Α	0.80	0.90	1.00	0.032	0.035	0.039
A1		0.03	0.05		0.001	0.002
A2	0.65	0.70	0.75	0.026	0.028	0.030
А3	0.15	0.20	0.25	0.006	0.008	0.010
b	0.29	0.31	0.39	0.011	0.012	0.015
b1	0.17		0.30	0.007		0.012
D		3.00			0.118	
D2	1.92	2.02	2.12	0.076	0.080	0.084
E		3.00			0.113	
E2	1.11	1.21	1.31	0.044	0.048	0.052
е		0.65		v. Q.	0.026	
K	0.20			ი.აეა —		
L	0.20	0.29	0.45	0.008	0.011	0.018
L1	0.16	0.24	0.4C	0.006	0.009	0.016
L2			0.13			0.005
r		0.15			0.006	
r1		0.15			0.006	





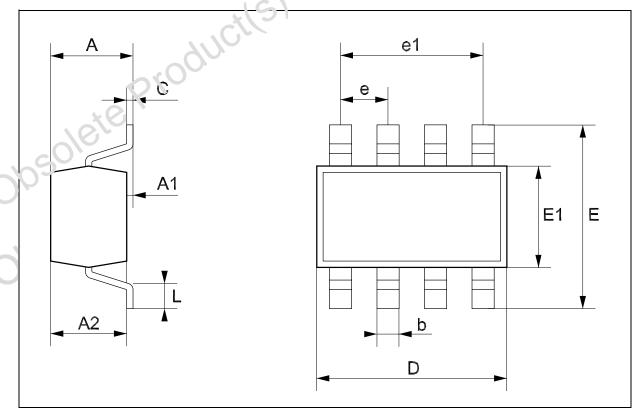


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#### **SOT23-8L MECHANICAL DATA**

DIM.	mm. mils					
DIW.	MIN.	TYP	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.
А	0.90		1.45	35.4		57.1
A1	0.00		0.15	0.0		5.9
A2	0.90		1.30	35.4		51.2
b	0.22		0.38	8.6		11.9
С	0.09		0.20	3.5		7.8
D	2.80		3.00	110.2	100,0	118.1
Е	2.60		3.00	102.3	5/0	118.1
E1	1.50		1.75	59.7		68.8
е	0	.65	C	0/6	25.6	
e1		1.95	00.		76.7	
L	0.35		0.55	13.7		21.6





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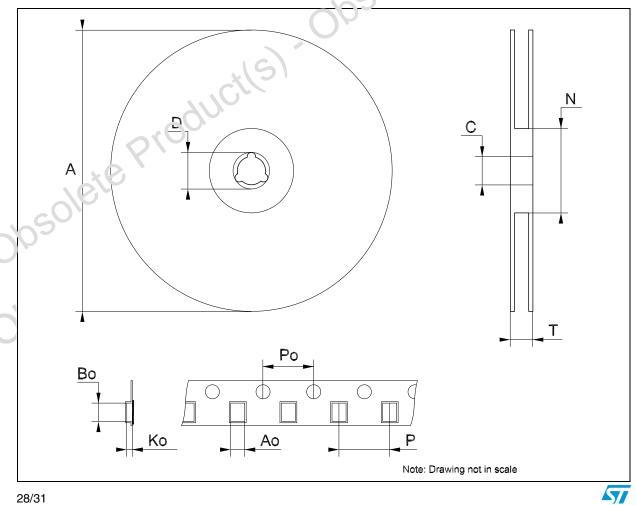
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DIM.		mm.		inch			
DIN.	MIN.	TYP	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	
А			330			12.992	
С	12.8		13.2	0.504		0.519	
D	20.2			0.795			
N	60			2.362		16	
Т			18.4			7.724	
Ao		3.3			0.136		
Во		3.3			(1.1;)0		
Ко		1.1			0.043		
Po		4		10,10	0.157		
Р		8		010	0.315		



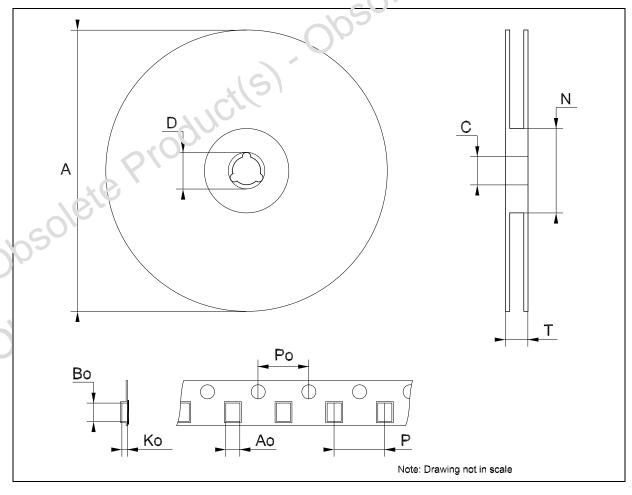


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# Tape & Reel SOT23-xL MECHANICAL DATA

DIM		mm.			inch	
DIM.	MIN.	TYP	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.
А			180			7.086
С	12.8	13.0	13.2	0.504	0.512	0.519
D	20.2			0.795		
N	60			2.362		
Т			14.4			C.567
Ao	3.13	3.23	3.33	0.123	0.127	0.131
Во	3.07	3.17	3.27	0.120	0.124	0.128
Ко	1.27	1.37	1.47	0.050	0.054	0.0.58
Po	3.9	4.0	4.1	0.153	0.157	0.161
Р	3.9	4.0	4.1	(1753	0.157	0.161



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# 13 Revision history

Table 6. Revision history

3-Aug-2004		Revision	Changes
	3-Aug-2004	1	Initial release.
			Table 4 on page 4 following parameters values updated:
12-Oct-2004	2-Oct-2004	2	. $\rm I_{LED}$ (min), $\rm I_Q$ (min), SW (QFN max), LDS (QFN max), $\rm I_{LIM}$ , Hyst OT . FB VAR symbol changed to Line and value changed from 0.7 to 0.9 mA/V
08-May-2006	3-May-2006	3	Change figure 25, add figure 26 and new template.
23-Oct-2006	3-Oct-2006	4	The SW, LDS and DC $_{\rm MIN}$ values on table 4 have been updated, add note in $\rm I_{\rm LIM}.$
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