Functional Safety Information

LMR51403 Functional Safety FIT Rate, FMD and Pin FMA



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1 Overview

This document contains information for the LMR51403 (SOT-23 package) to aid in a functional safety system design. Information provided are:

- Functional safety failure in time (FIT) rates of the semiconductor component estimated by the application of industry reliability standards
- Component failure modes and their distribution (FMD) based on the primary function of the device
- Pin failure mode analysis (pin FMA)

Figure 1-1 shows the device functional block diagram for reference.

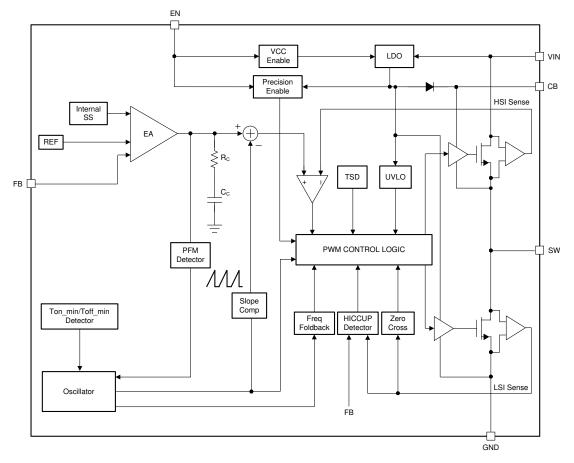


Figure 1-1. Functional Block Diagram

LMR51403 were developed using a quality-managed development process, but were not developed in accordance with the IEC 61508 or ISO 26262 standards.



2 Functional Safety Failure In Time (FIT) Rates

This section provides functional safety failure in time (FIT) rates for the LMR51403 based on the following two different industry-wide used reliability standards:

- Table 2-1 provides FIT rates based on IEC TR 62380 / ISO 26262 part 11
- Table 2-2 provides FIT rates based on the Siemens Norm SN 29500-2

Table 2-1. Component Failure Rates per IEC TR 62380 / ISO 26262 Part 11

FIT IEC TR 62380 / ISO 26262	FIT (Failures Per 10 ⁹ Hours)			
Total component FIT rate	7			
Die FIT rate	5			
Package FIT rate	2			

The failure rate and mission profile information in Table 2-1 comes from the reliability data handbook IEC TR 62380 / ISO 26262 part 11:

Mission profile: Motor control from table 11

Power dissipation: 200mW
Climate type: World-wide table 8
Package factor (lambda 3): Table 17b

Substrate material: FR4EOS FIT rate assumed: 0 FIT

Table 2-2. Component Failure Rates per Siemens Norm SN 29500-2

Table	Category	Reference FIT Rate	Reference Virtual T _J
5	CMOS, BICMOS ASICS Analog and Mixed ≤ 50V	25 FIT	55°C
5	supply	25 F11	35 C

The reference FIT rate and reference virtual T_J (junction temperature) in Table 2-2 come from the Siemens Norm SN 29500-2 tables 1 through 5. Failure rates under operating conditions are calculated from the reference failure rate and virtual junction temperature using conversion information in SN 29500-2 section 4.



3 Failure Mode Distribution (FMD)

The failure mode distribution estimation for LMR51403 in Table 3-1 comes from the combination of common failure modes listed in standards such as IEC 61508 and ISO 26262, the ratio of sub-circuit function size and complexity are from best engineering judgment.

The failure modes listed in this section reflect random failure events and do not include failures due to misuse or overstress.

Table 3-1. Die Failure Modes and Distribution

Die Failure Modes	Failure Mode Distribution (%)
SW Output	50
SW output not in specification voltage or timing	45
SW driver FET stuck on	5



4 Pin Failure Mode Analysis (Pin FMA)

This section provides a failure mode analysis (FMA) for the pins of the LMR51403. The failure modes covered in this document include the typical pin-by-pin failure scenarios:

- Pin short-circuited to ground (see Table 4-2)
- Pin open-circuited (see Table 4-3)
- Pin short-circuited to an adjacent pin (see Table 4-4)
- Pin short-circuited to VIN (see Table 4-5)

Table 4-2 through Table 4-5 also indicate how these pin conditions can affect the device as per the failure effects classification in Table 4-1.

Table 4-1. TI Classification of Failure Effects

Class	Failure Effects
А	Potential device damage that affects functionality.
В	No device damage, but loss of functionality.
С	No device damage, but performance degradation.
D	No device damage, no impact to functionality or performance.

Following are the assumptions of use and the device configuration assumed for the pin FMA in this section:

- Device used within the *Recommended Operating Conditions* and the *Absolute Maximum Ratings* found in the appropriate device data sheet.
- Configuration as shown in the Example Application Circuit found in the appropriate device data sheet.

Figure 4-1 shows the LMR51403 pin diagram for the SOT-23 package. For a detailed description of the device pins please refer to the *Pin Configuration and Functions* section in the appropriate device data sheet.

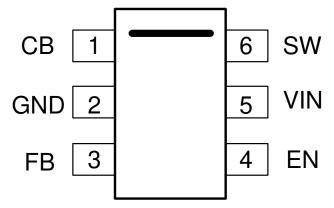


Figure 4-1. Pin Diagram



Table 4-2. Pin FMA for Device Pins Short-Circuited to Ground

Pin Name	Pin No.	Description of Potential Failure Effects	Failure Effect Class
СВ	1	No output voltage.	В
GND	2	Normal operation.	D
FB	3	The regulator operates at maximum duty cycle. Output voltage rises approximately to the input voltage (VIN) level. Damage to customer load and output stage components are possible. No effect on device.	В
EN	4	Loss of ENABLE functionality. Device remains in shutdown mode.	В
VIN	5	Device does not operate. No output voltage is generated. Output capacitors discharge through the input short. A large current reversal can damage the device.	А
SW	6	Damage to internal FET.	Α

Table 4-3. Pin FMA for Device Pins Open-Circuited

Pin Name	Pin No.	Description of Potential Failure Effects	Failure Effect Class
СВ	1	No output voltage.	В
GND	2	VOUT can be abnormal due to switching noise on analog circuits.	В
FB	3	VOUT is higher than the programmed output voltage.	В
EN	4	Loss of ENABLE functionality. Erratic operation; loss of regulation is probable.	В
VIN	5	No output voltage.	В
SW	6	No output voltage.	В

Table 4-4. Pin FMA for Device Pins Short-Circuited to Adjacent Pin

Pin Name	Pin No.	Shorted to	Description of Potential Failure Effects	Failure Effect Class
СВ	1	GND	No output voltage.	А
GND	2	FB	The regulator operates at maximum duty cycle. Output voltage rises approximately to the input voltage (VIN) level. Damage to customer load and output stage components are possible. No effect on device.	В
FB	3	GND	The regulator operates at maximum duty cycle. Output voltage rises approximately to the input voltage (VIN) level. Damage to customer load and output stage components are possible. No effect on device.	В
EN	4	VIN	No damage to device. Loss of ENABLE functionality.	В
VIN	5	SW	Damage to internal FET.	А
SW	6	VIN	Damage to internal FET.	Α

Table 4-5. Pin FMA for Device Pins Short-Circuited to VIN

Pin Name	Pin No.	Description of Potential Failure Effects	Failure Effect Class
СВ	1	No output voltage. CBOOT ESD clamp runs current to destruction.	Α
GND	2	No output voltage. Damage to other pins referred to GND.	Α
FB	3	If VIN exceeds 5.5V, damage occurs. No output voltage.	Α
EN	4	No damage to device. Loss of ENABLE functionality.	В
VIN	5	No effect.	D
SW	6	Damage to low side MOSFET.	Α

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