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Linear Regulators

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# **Notification Subject:**

Data Sheet - LP2951 - 100 mA Low-Dropout Voltage Regulator Data Sheet Document Revision

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# Notification Text:

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Microchip has released a new Product Documents for the LP2951 - 100 mA Low-Dropout Voltage Regulator of devices. If you are using one of these devices please read the document located at LP2951 - 100 mA Low-Dropout Voltage Regulator.

#### Notification Status: Final

#### **Description of Change:**

- 1) Updated Package Marking Information drawing to reflect the most current marking information
- 2) Added symbol information to the Symbol column of the Electrical Characteristics table
- 3) Minor text changes throughout for clarity
- 4) Added Media Type information to the Product Identification System section
- 5) Removed examples in the Electrical Characteristics table pertaining to the no longer manufactured 4.8V option

Impacts to Data Sheet: See above details.

Reason for Change: To Improve Productivity

Change Implementation Status: Complete

Date Document Changes Effective: 11 Feb 2022

**NOTE:** Please be advised that this is a change to the document only the product has not been changed.

Markings to Distinguish Revised from Unrevised Devices: N/A

# Attachments:

## LP2951 - 100 mA Low-Dropout Voltage Regulator

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LP2951-02YM LP2951-02YM-TR LP2951-02YN LP2951-03YM LP2951-03YM-TR LP2951-03YN



# LP2951

# 100 mA Low-Dropout Voltage Regulator

#### Features

- High Accuracy 5V, Guaranteed 100 mA Output
- Extremely Low Quiescent Current
- Low-Dropout Voltage
- Extremely Tight Load and Line Regulation
- Very Low Temperature Coefficient
- · Use as Regulator or Reference
- Needs Only 1 µF for Stability
- · Current and Thermal Limiting
- Error Flag Warns of Output Dropout
- · Logic-Controlled Electronic Shutdown
- Output Programmable from 1.24V to 29V

#### Applications

- Automotive Electronics
- Voltage Reference
- Avionics

#### General Description

The LP2951 is micropower voltage regulators with very low dropout voltage (typically 40 mV at light loads and 380 mV at 100 mA), and very low quiescent current (75 µA typical). The quiescent current of the LP2951 increases only slightly in dropout, thus prolonging battery life. This feature, among others, makes the LP2951 ideally suited for use in battery-powered systems.

Available system functions, such as programmable output voltage and logic-controlled shutdown, are available as well.

Additional features available with the LP2951 also include an error flag output that warns of a low output voltage, which is often due to failing batteries on the input. This may also be used as a power-on reset. A logic-compatible shutdown input is also available which enables the regulator to be switched on and off. This part may also be pin-strapped for a 5V output, or programmed from 1.24V to 29V with the use of two external resistors.

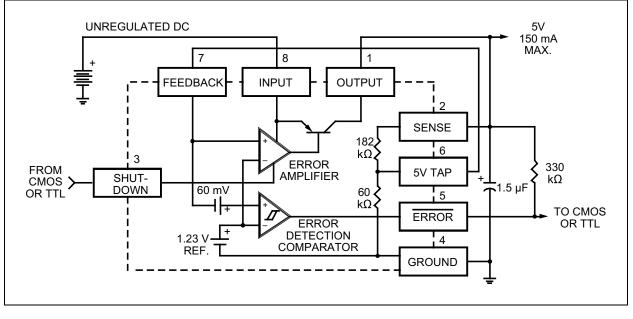
The LP2951 is available as either a -02 or -03 version. The -02 and -03 versions are guaranteed for junction temperatures from -40°C to +125°C; the -02 version has a tighter output and reference voltage specification range over temperature.

The LP2951 have a tight initial tolerance (0.5% typical), a very low output voltage temperature coefficient which allows use as a low-power voltage reference, and extremely good load and line regulation (0.05% typical). This greatly reduces the error in the overall circuit, and is the result of careful design techniques and process control.

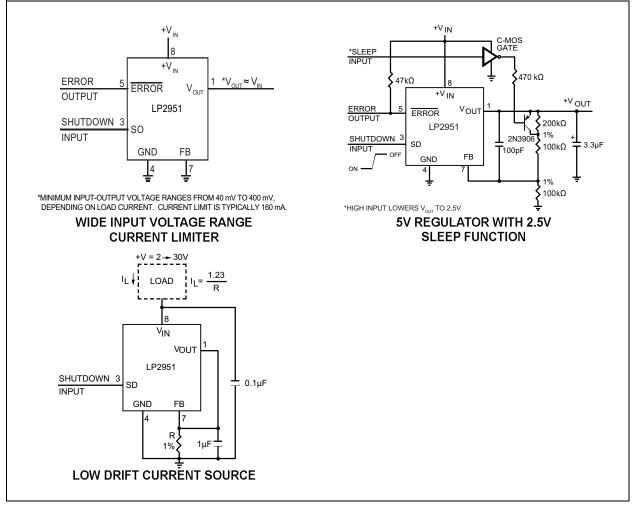
#### LP2951 **DIP & SOIC** Top View 1 INPUT OUTPUT 2 SENSE FEEDBACK 3 6 SHUTDOWN 5V TAP 4 5 GROUND ERROR See MIC2950 for a part with: 1) higher output (150 mA), 2) transient protection (60V), and 3) reverse input protection to -20V.

#### **Package Types**

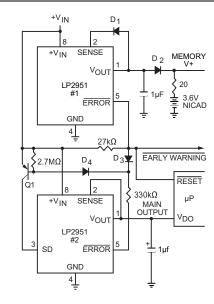
#### **Functional Block Diagram**



#### **Typical Application Diagrams**



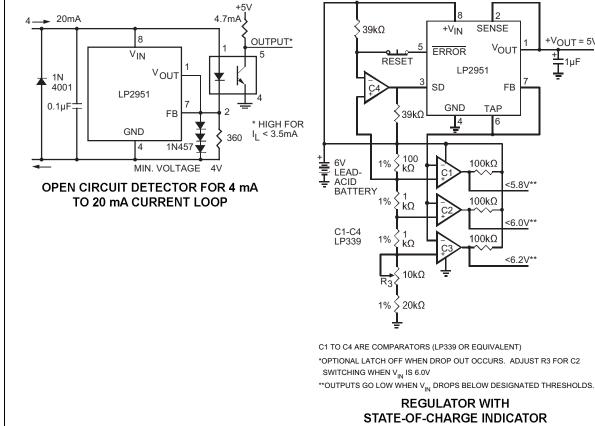
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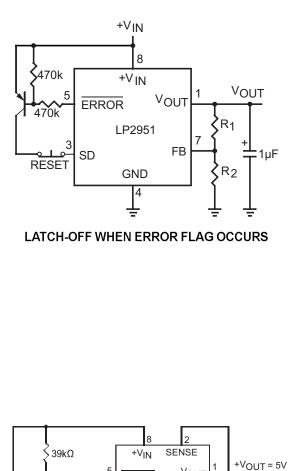


EARLY WARNING FLAG ON LOW INPUT VOLTAGE
 MAIN OUTPUT LATCHES OFF AT LOWER INPUT VOLTAGES
 BATTERY BACKUP ON AUXILIARY OUTPUT

OPERATION: REG. #1'S V<sub>OUT</sub> IS PROGRAMMED ONE DIODE DROP ABOVE 5V. ITS ERROR FLAG BECOMES ACTIVE WHEN V<sub>N</sub>  $\leq$  5.7V. WHEN V<sub>N</sub> DROPS BELOW 5.3V, THE ERROR FLAG OF REG. #2 BECOMES ACTIVE AND VIA Q1 LATCHES THE MAIN OUTPUT OFF. WHEN  $\rm V_m$  AGAIN EXCEEDS 5.7V REG. #1 IS BACK IN REGULATION AND THE EARLY WARNING SIGNAL RISES, UNLATCHING REG. #2 VIA D3.

#### **REGULATOR WITH EARLY WARNING** AND AUXILIARY OUTPUT





VOUT

FB

<5.8V\*\*

<6.0V\*\*

<6.2V\*\*

TAP

100kΩ

100kΩ

100kΩ

LP2951

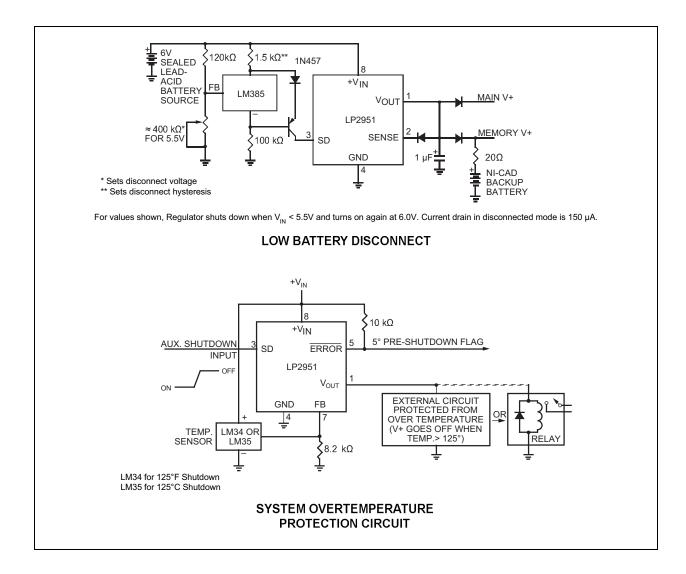
GND

С

4

+

1μF Ī



# 1.0 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

## Absolute Maximum Ratings † ††

Power Dissipation	Internally Limited
Lead Temperature (soldering, 5 sec.)	
Storage Temperature	–65°C to +150°C
Operating Junction Temperature Range(Note 1)	
LP2951	–40°C to +125°C
Input Supply Voltage	–0.3 to +30V
Feedback Input Voltage(Note 2, 3)	–1.5 to +30V
Shutdown Input Voltage(Note 2)	–0.3 to +30V
Error Comparator Output Voltage(Note 2)	–0.3 to +30V
<b>† Notice:</b> Boldface limits apply at temperature extremes.	

**††** Notice: If Military/Aerospace specified devices are required, contact your local representative/distributor for availability and specifications.

- **Note 1:** The thermal resistance of the 8-pin DIP package is 105°C/W junction-to-ambient when soldered directly to a PC board. Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance for the SOIC (M) package is 160°C/W.
  - 2: May exceed input supply voltage.
  - **3:** When used in dual-supply systems where the output terminal sees loads returned to a negative supply, the output voltage should be diode-clamped to ground.

## **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Electrical Characteristics: Unless otherwise indicated, T <sub>A</sub> = +25°C									
Parameters	Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units	Conditions			
Output Voltage	M	4.975	5.000	5.025	V	LP2951-02 (±0.5%)			
$T_J = 25^{\circ}C$	V <sub>OUT</sub>	4.950	5.000	5.050	V	LP2951-03 (±1%)			
Output Voltage	M	4.950		5.050	V	LP2951-02 (±0.5%)			
–25°C ≤ T <sub>J</sub> ≤ +85°C	V <sub>OUT</sub>	4.925	_	5.075	V	LP2951-03 (±1%)			
Output Voltage		4.940		5.060	V	LP2951-02 (±0.5%)			
Over Full Temperature Range –40°C to +125°C	V <sub>OUT</sub>	4.900	_	5.100	V	LP2951-03 (±1%)			
Output Voltage Over Load Variation		4.930	—	5.070	V	LP2951-02 (±0.5%), 100 µA ≤ I <sub>L</sub> ≤ 100 mA, T <sub>J</sub> ≤ T <sub>J(max)</sub>			
		4.880	_	5.120	V	LP2951-03 (±1%), 100 µA ≤ I <sub>L</sub> ≤ 100 mA, T <sub>J</sub> ≤ T <sub>J(max)</sub>			
Output Voltage		_	20	100	ppm/ °C	LP2951-02 (±0.5%), Note 1			
Temperature Coefficient	—	_	50	150	ppm/ °C	LP2951-03 (±1%), Note 1			
			0.03	0.10	%	LP2951-02 (±0.5%), Note 2,			
				0.20	%	3			
Line Regulation	_		0.04	0.20	%	L D0054 00 (149() Note 0. 0			
		—	_	0.40	%	LP2951-03 (±1%), Note 2, 3			

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Parameters	Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units	Conditions		
		_	0.04	0.10	%	LP2951-02 (±0.5%), Note 2,		
Last Danudatian		_	—	0.20	%	100 µA ≤ IL ≤ 100 mA		
Load Regulation	-	_	0.10	0.20	%	LP2951-03 (±1%), Note 2,		
		_		0.30	%	100 µA ≤ IL ≤ 100 mA		
			50	80	mV			
DranautValtara	M	_	—	150	mV	Note 4, I∟ = 100 µA		
Dropout Voltage	V <sub>DO</sub>	_	380	450	mV	Note 4, IL = 100 mA		
		_	—	600	mV			
		—	100	150	μA	- Ι <sub>L</sub> = 100 μΑ		
Ground Current		—	—	200	μA			
Glound Current	GND	_	8	12	mA			
		_	—	14	mA	l <sub>L</sub> = 100 mA		
Dropout Current	IDO	_	180	250 310	μΑ μΑ	V <sub>IN</sub> = 4.5V, I <sub>L</sub> = 100 µA		
Current Limit	I <sub>LIM</sub>	_	160	220 220	mA mA	V <sub>OUT</sub> = 0V		
Thermal Regulation	_	_	0.05	0.20	%/W	Note 5		

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Parameters	arameters Symbol Min. Typ. Max. Units		Conditions					
		—	430		μV <sub>RMS</sub>	10 Hz to 100 kHz, $C_L$ = 1 µF		
		_	160		μV <sub>RMS</sub>	10 Hz to 100 kHz, C <sub>L</sub> = 200 μF		
Output Noise	e <sub>N</sub>	_	100	_	₽V <sub>RMS</sub>	10 Hz to 100 kHz, C <sub>L</sub> = 3.3 μF, 0.01 μF bypass Feedback to Output		
		1.220	1.235	1.25	V			
Deference Veltere	V <sub>REF</sub>	1.200		1.260	V	LP2951-02 (±0.5%)		
Reference Voltage		1.210	1.235	1.260	V	LP2951-03 (±1%)		
		1.200		1.270	V	LP2951-03 (±1%)		
Reference Voltage	V <sub>REF</sub>	1.190	—	1.270	V	LP2951-02 (±0.5%), Note 7		
Relefence voltage		1.185	—	1.285	V	LP2951-03 (±1%), Note 7		
Feedback Bias Current		—	20	40	nA	_		
		—	—	60				
Poforonoo Voltago	V	—	20	—	ppm/°C	LP2951-02 (±0.5%), Note 8		
Reference Voltage	V <sub>REF</sub>	—	50	—	ppm/°C	LP2951-03 (±1%), Note 8		
Feedback Bias Current Temperature Coefficient	_	_	0.1	—	nA/°C			
		_	0.01	1.00	μA	·// = 20)/		
Output Leakage Current	—	_		2.00	μA	V <sub>OH</sub> = 30V		

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Parameters	Parameters Symbol Min. Typ. Max. Units		Units	Conditions					
	M	—	150	250	mV				
Output Low Voltage (Flag)	V <sub>OL</sub>			400	mV	V <sub>IN</sub> = 4.5V, I <sub>OL</sub> = 200µA			
Linner Threshold Voltage		40	60		mV	Noto 6			
Upper Threshold Voltage	_	25			mV	Note 6			
Lower Threshold Voltage		_	75	95	mV	Note 6			
Lower Threshold Voltage		—		140	mV	Note o			
Hysteresis	HYS	—	15		mV	Note 6			
		_	1.3		V	LP2951-02 (±0.5%)			
		_		0.7	V	Low			
Input Logic Voltage		2.0			V	High			
		_	1.3		V	LP2951-03 (±1%)			
				0.7	V	Low			
		2.0	_	_	V	High			

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			30	50	μA			
Shutdown Input Current	ISHDN	_		100	μA	V <sub>SHUTDOWN</sub> = 2.4V		
		—	450	600	μA			
		_		700	μA	V <sub>SHUTDOWN</sub> = 30V		
Regulator Output Current		_	3	10	μA	Nete 0		
in Shutdown		_	_	20	μA	Note 9		

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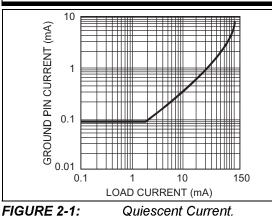
## **TEMPERATURE SPECIFICATIONS (Note 1)**

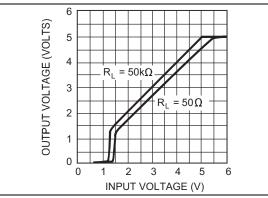
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Parameters	Sym.	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units	Conditions		
Temperature Ranges								
Lead Temperature Range		_	260	_	°C	—		
Junction Operating Temperature	Тj	-40	_	+125	°C	—		
Storage Temperature Range	Τ <sub>Α</sub>	-65	_	+125	°C	—		
Package Thermal Resistances								
Thermal Resistance, DIP Package	θ <sub>JA</sub>	_	105	_	°C/W	Soldered directly to a PC board		
	θJC	_	40	_	°C/W	—		
Thermal Resistance, SOIC Package	θ <sub>JA</sub>	_	160	_	°C/W	Typically mounting on a 1" square copper-clad FR4 circuit board		
	θJC	—	25	—	°C/W	—		

**Note 1:** The maximum allowable power dissipation is a function of ambient temperature, the maximum allowable junction temperature and the thermal resistance from junction to air (i.e., T<sub>A</sub>, T<sub>J</sub>, θ<sub>JA</sub>). Exceeding the maximum allowable power dissipation will cause the device operating junction temperature to exceed the maximum +125°C rating. Sustained junction temperatures above +125°C can impact the device reliability.

#### 2.0 **TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CURVES**

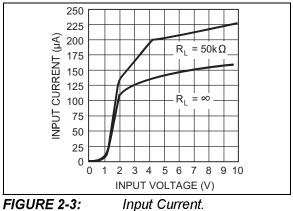
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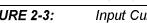


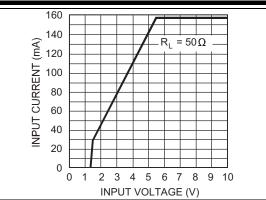




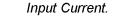
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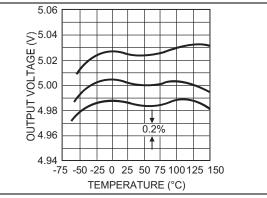
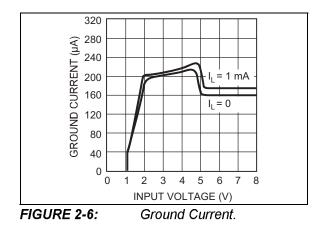
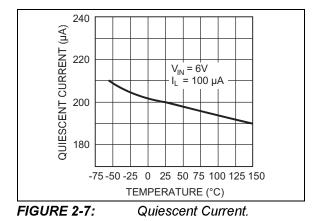
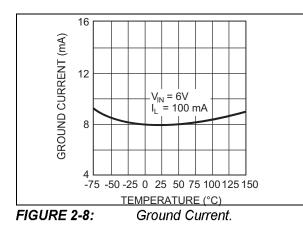
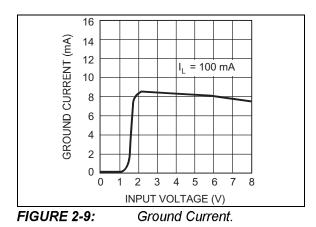


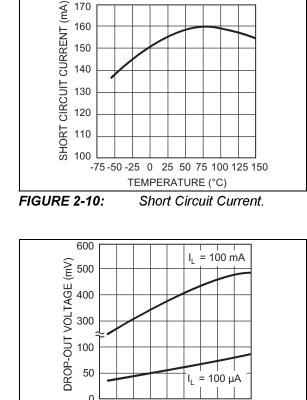
FIGURE 2-5: Output Voltage vs. Temperature of 3 Representative Units.











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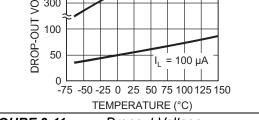
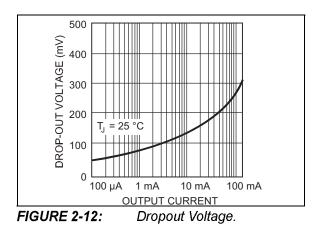
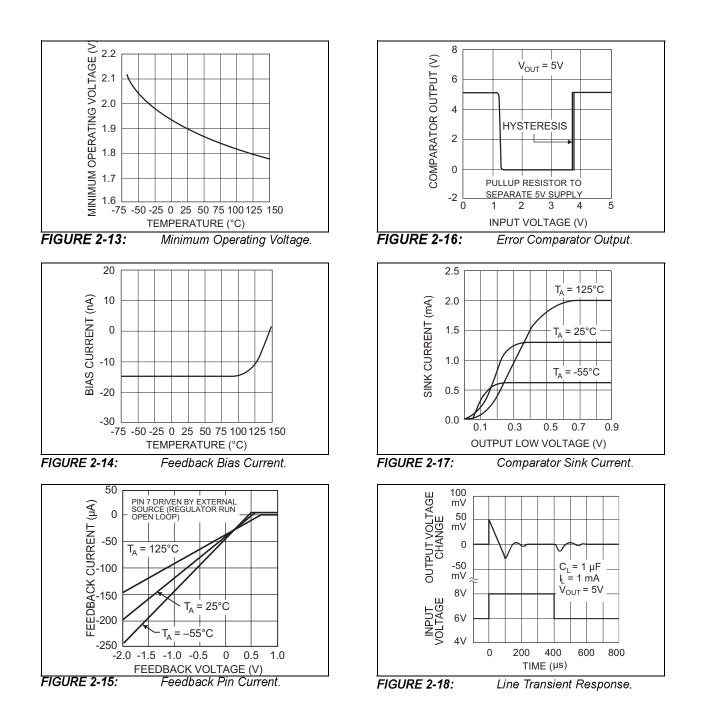
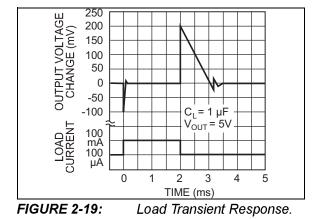
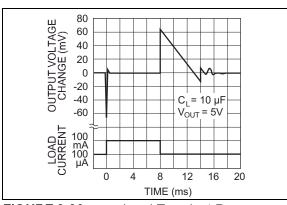


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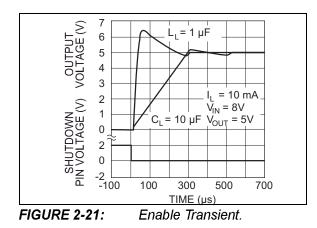


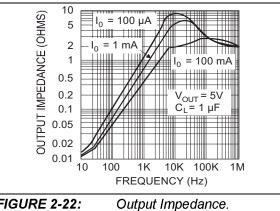




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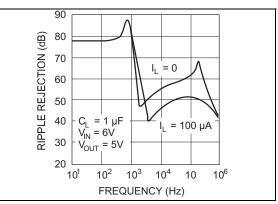
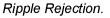


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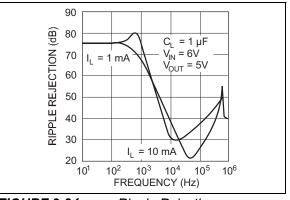


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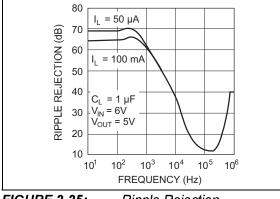
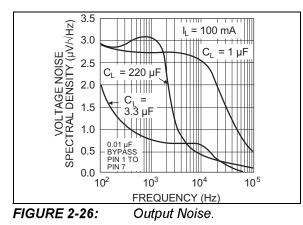
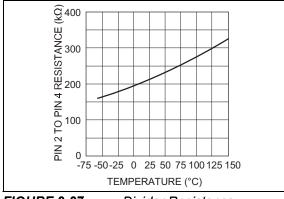
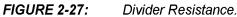


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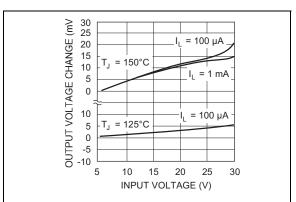






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FIGURE 2-28: Shutdown Threshold Voltage.





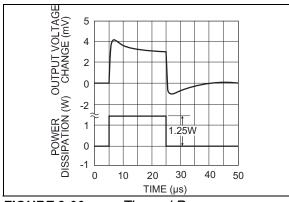


FIGURE 2-30: Thermal Response.

## 3.0 PIN DESCRIPTIONS

The descriptions of the pins are listed in Table 3-1.

TABLE 3-1: DIP AND SOIC PIN FUNCTION TABLE
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Pin Number	Symbol	Description
1	V <sub>OUT</sub>	Regulated voltage output.
2	SENSE	Output Voltage Sense.
3	SHDN	Shutdown Input.
4	GND	Ground Terminal.
5	ERROR	Error Output.
6	5V TAP	Internal Resistor Divider for 5V Output.
7	FB	Voltage Feedback Input.
8	V <sub>IN</sub>	Unregulated Supply Voltage.

## 4.0 APPLICATION INFORMATION

#### 4.1 External Capacitors

A 1.0  $\mu$ F (or greater) capacitor is required between the LP2951 output and ground to prevent oscillations due to instability. Most types of tantalum or aluminum electrolytics will be adequate; film types will work, but are costly and therefore not recommended. Many aluminum electrolytics have electrolytes that freeze at about  $-30^{\circ}$ C, so solid tantalum capacitors are recommended for operation below  $-25^{\circ}$ C. The important parameters of the capacitor are an effective series resistance of about  $5\Omega$  or less and a resonant frequency above 500 kHz. The value of this capacitor may be increased without limit.

At lower values of output current, less output capacitance is required for output stability. The capacitor can be reduced to  $0.33 \ \mu\text{F}$  for current below 10 mA or  $0.1 \ \mu\text{F}$  for currents below 1 mA. Using the 8-pin versions at voltages below 5V runs the error amplifier at lower gains so that more output capacitance is needed. For the worst-case situation of a 100 mA load at 1.23V output (Output shorted to Feedback) a 3.3  $\mu\text{F}$  (or greater) capacitor should be used.

When the 5V Tap pin and Feedback pin are connected together for 5V output voltage, the LP2951 will remain stable and in regulation with no load in addition to the internal voltage divider, unlike many other voltage regulators. This is especially important in CMOS RAM keep-alive applications. When setting the output voltage of the LP2951 with external resistors, a minimum load of 1 µA is recommended.

A 0.1  $\mu$ F capacitor should be placed from the LP2951 input to ground if there is more than 10 inches of wire between the input and the AC filter capacitor or if a battery is used as the input.

Stray capacitance to the LP2951 Feedback terminal (pin 7) can cause instability. This may especially be a problem when using high value external resistors to set the output voltage. Adding a 100 pF capacitor between Output and Feedback and increasing the output capacitor to at least  $3.3 \,\mu$ F will remedy this.

#### 4.2 Error Detection Comparator Output

A logic low output will be produced by the comparator whenever the LP2951 output falls out of regulation by more than approximately 5%. This figure is the comparator's built-in offset of about 60mV divided by the 1.235V reference voltage. (Refer to the Functional Block Diagram). This trip level remains "5% below normal" regardless of the programmed output voltage of the LP2951. For example, the error flag trip level is typically 4.75V for a 5V output or 11.4V for a 12V output. The out of regulation condition may be due either to low input voltage, current limiting, or thermal limiting.

Figure 4-1 is a timing diagram depicting the ERROR signal and the regulated output voltage as the LP2951 input is ramped up and down. The ERROR signal becomes valid (low) at about 1.3V input. It goes high at about 5V input (the input voltage at which  $V_{OUT} = 4.75V$ ). Because the LP2951's dropout voltage is load-dependent (see curve in Typical Performance Curves), the input voltage trip point (about 5V) will vary with the load current. The output voltage trip point (approximately 4.75V) does not vary with load.

The error comparator has an open-collector output which requires an external pull-up resistor. Depending on system requirements, this resistor may be returned to the 5V output or some other supply voltage. In determining a value for this resistor, note that while the output is rated to sink 400  $\mu$ A, this sink current adds to battery drain in a low battery condition. Suggested values range from 100 k $\Omega$  to 1 M $\Omega$ . The resistor is not required if this output is unused.

#### 4.3 Programming the Output Voltage

The LP2951 may be pin-strapped for 5V output voltage using its internal voltage divider, by tying Pin 1 ( $V_{OUT}$ ) and Pin 2 (SENSE) together, as well as tying Pin 7 (Feedback) and Pin 6 (5V TAP) together. Alternatively, it may be programmed for any output voltage between its 1.235V reference and its 30V maximum rating. An external pair of resistors is required, as shown in Figure 4-2.

The complete equation for the output voltage is:

#### **EQUATION 4-1:**

$$V_{OUT} = V_{REF} \times \left\{ 1 + \frac{R_1}{R_2} \right\} + I_{FB}R_2$$

Where:

$V_{REF}$	=	the nominal 1.235 reference voltage
I <sub>FB</sub>	=	the feedback pin bias current,
		nominally 20 nA

The minimum recommended load current of 1  $\mu$ A forces an upper limit of 1.2 M $\Omega$  on the value of R2, if the regulator must work with no load (a condition often found in CMOS in standby), I<sub>FB</sub> will produce a 2% typical error in V<sub>OUT</sub> which may be eliminated at room temperature by trimming R1. For better accuracy, choosing R2 = 100 k $\Omega$  reduces this error to 0.17% while increasing the resistor program current to 12  $\mu$ A. Since the LP2951 typically draws 60  $\mu$ A at no load with Pin 2 open-circuited, this is a small price to pay.

#### 4.4 Reducing Output Noise

In reference applications it may be advantageous to reduce the AC noise present at the output. One method is to reduce the regulator bandwidth by increasing the size of the output capacitor. This method is relatively inefficient, as increasing the capacitor from 1 $\mu$ F to 220  $\mu$ F only decreases the noise from 430  $\mu$ V to 160  $\mu$ V<sub>rms</sub> for a 100 kHz bandwidth at 5V output.

Noise can be reduced fourfold by a bypass capacitor across R1, since it reduces the high frequency gain from 4 to unity. Pick the resulting frequency from Equation 4-2:

#### **EQUATION 4-2:**

$$C_{BYPASS} = \frac{1}{2\pi R_1 \bullet 200 Hz}$$

or about 0.01  $\mu$ F. When doing this, the output capacitor must be increased to 3.3  $\mu$ F to maintain stability. These changes reduce the output noise from 430  $\mu$ V to 100  $\mu$ V<sub>rms</sub> for a100 kHz bandwidth at 5V output. With the bypass capacitor added, noise no longer scales with output voltage so that improvements are more dramatic at higher output voltages.

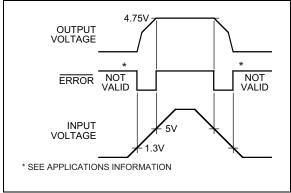
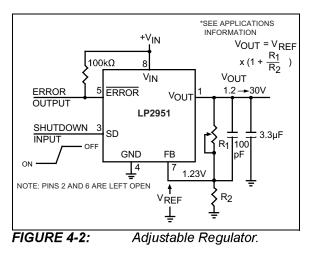


FIGURE 4-1: ERROR Output Timing.



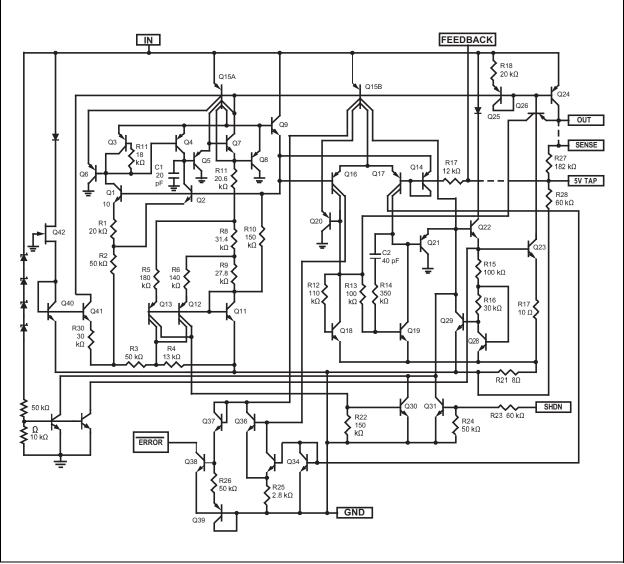
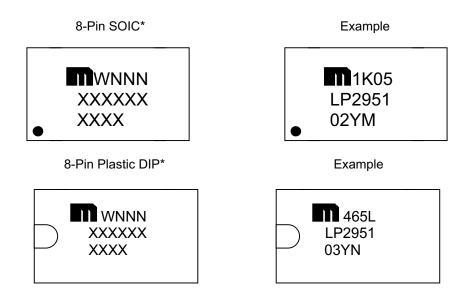


FIGURE 4-3: Schematic Diagram.

## 5.0 PACKAGING INFORMATION

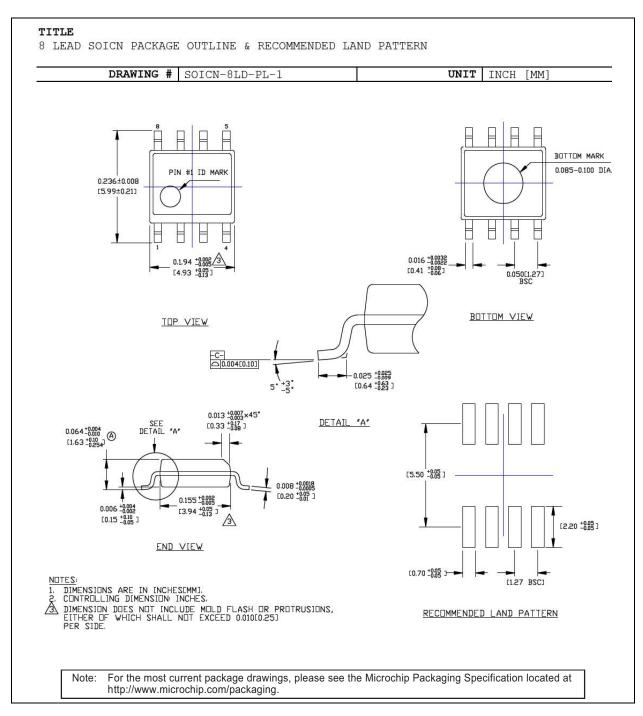
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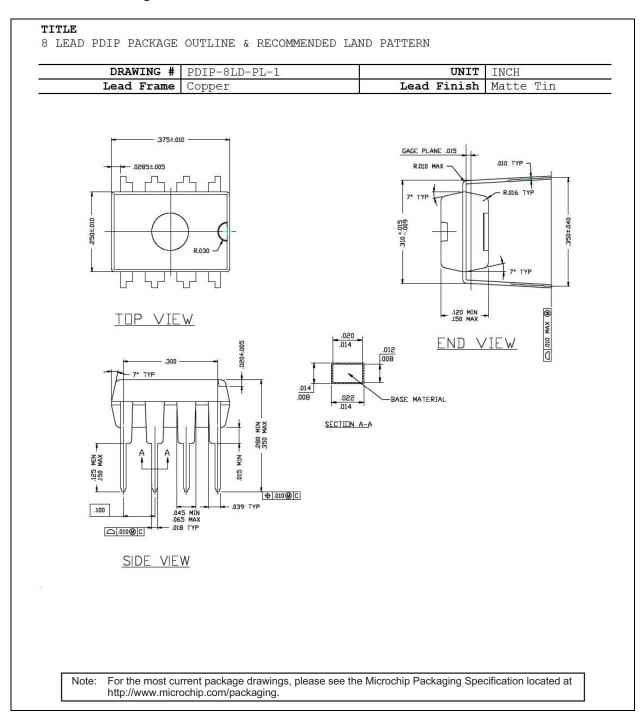


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#### 8-Lead SOIC Package Outline and Recommended Land Pattern





#### 8-Lead PDIP Package Outline and Recommended Land Pattern

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## APPENDIX A: REVISION HISTORY

#### Revision A (May 2017)

- Converted Micrel document LP2951 to Microchip data sheet template DS20005736A.
- Minor grammatical text changes throughout.

## **Revision B (February 2022)**

- Updated Package Marking Information drawing to reflect the most current marking information.
- Added symbol information to the Symbol column of the Electrical Characteristics table.
- · Minor text changes throughout for clarity.
- Added Media Type information to the Product Identification System section.
- Removed examples in the Electrical Characteristics table pertaining to the no longer manufactured 4.8V option.

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