

# LTC3256EMSE

## Dual Output 350mA Step-Down Charge Pump with Watchdog Timer

### DESCRIPTION

Demonstration circuit 2375A is a dual output 350mA step-down charge pump with a watchdog timer featuring the [LTC®3256EMSE](#). The LTC3256 operates with a wide input voltage range from 5.5V to 38V and is engineered for diagnostic coverage in ISO262262 systems. The LTC3256 can provide up to 350mA of output current from a 12V battery with 2W less power dissipation than 2 ideal LDOs. The DC2375A was populated with automotive grade components for evaluation.

The LTC3256 data sheet gives a complete description of the device, operation and application information. The data sheet must be read in conjunction with this demo manual.

**Design files for this circuit board are available at <http://www.linear.com/demo/DC2375A>**

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### PERFORMANCE SUMMARY

Specifications are at  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
$V_{IN}$	$V_{IN}$ Input Voltage Range		5.5		38	V
$V_{IN\ EMI}$	$V_{IN}$ EMI Filter Input		5.5		38	V
$V_{OUT5}$	OUT5 Output Voltage	$0\text{mA} \leq I_{OUT5} \leq 100\text{mA}$ , $V_{IN} = 12\text{V}$	4.85	5.05	5.19	V
$V_{OUT3}$	OUT3 Output Voltage	$0\text{mA} \leq I_{OUT3} \leq 100\text{mA}$ , $V_{IN} = 12\text{V}$	3.200	3.30	3.366	V

### BOARD PHOTO

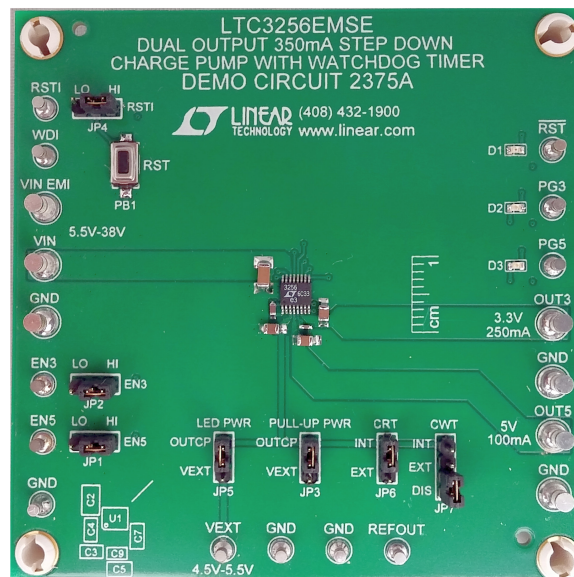


Figure 1.

## TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

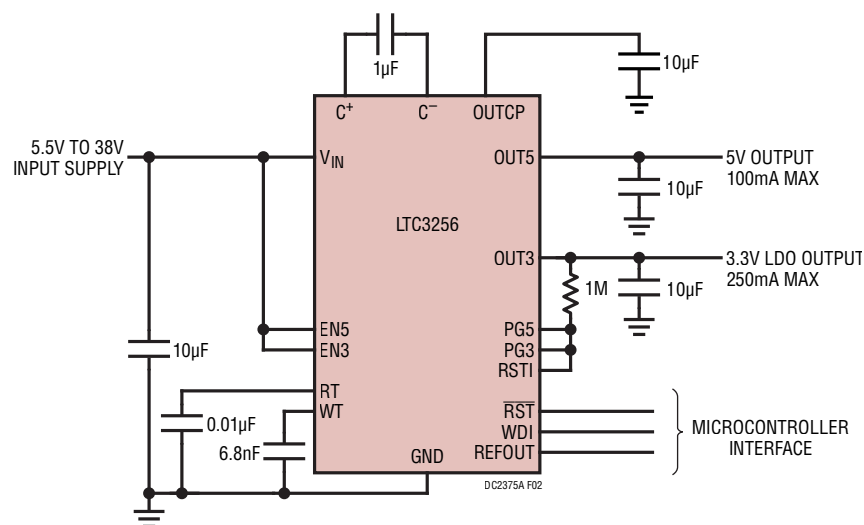


Figure 2. High Efficiency Dual Output Power Supply

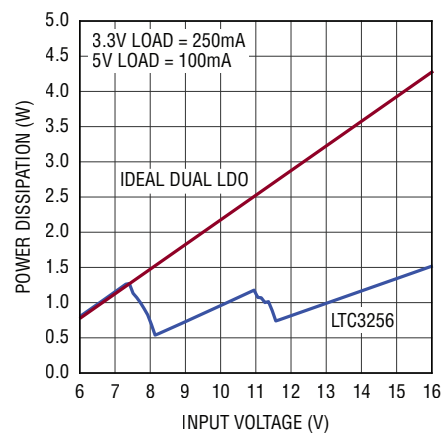


Figure 3. Power Dissipation vs Input Voltage

## QUICK START PROCEDURE

Refer to Figure 4 for the proper measurement equipment setup and jumper settings and follow the procedure below.

NOTE: When measuring the input or output voltage ripple, care must be taken to avoid a long ground lead on the oscilloscope probe. Measure the input or output voltage ripple by touching the probe tip directly across the  $V_{IN}$  or  $V_{OUT}$  and GND terminals. See Figure 5 for proper scope probe technique.

1. Make sure the jumper settings are as follows:

JP1: EN5 is on the HI position

JP2: EN3 is on the HI position

JP3: PULL-UP PWR is on the OUTCP position

JP4: RSTI is on the HI position

JP5: LED PWR is on the OUTCP position

JP6: CRT is set to INT position

JP7: CWT is set to the DIS position

2. Turn on and set PS1 to 12V.

3. Slowly increase the load OUT3 to 250mA and observe the output ripple and the output voltage on OUT3.

4. Slowly increase the load OUT5 to 100mA and observe the output ripple and the output voltage on OUT5.

5. Observe that  $I_{IN}$  is approximately  $\frac{1}{2}$  the total output current of 350mA plus the PG5, PG3 LED and  $I_Q$  currents.

Note: Change the PULL-UP PWR and LED PWR jumpers (JP3, JP5) to the  $V_{EXT}$  position to observe  $I_{IN}$  without the added LED and resistor pull-up current. A 5V supply can be connected to the  $V_{EXT}$  terminals to power the LEDs and pull-up the open drain outputs.

6. Decrease  $V_{IN}$  to 8V and observe that  $I_{IN}$  increased by about 50mA. OUT5 is now powered by  $V_{IN}$ .
7. Decrease  $V_{IN}$  to 5.5V and observe that  $I_{IN}$  has increased to about another 125mA. The charge pump is now in 1:1 mode.
8. Press and hold the RST pushbutton switch, PB1, and observe the RST LED illuminates.
9. Release the RST pushbutton.
10. Move the CWT jumper, JP7 from the DIS position to the INT positions and observe that the RST LED pulses on and off.

## QUICK START PROCEDURE

11. Set a pulse generator with a 0 to 5V pulse and a 100ms to 1 second period on the WDI pin and observe that the RST LED extinguishes.
12. Decrease the pulse period below 35ms and observe the RST LED pulses again.
13. Slowly increase the pulse period to above 2s and observed that the RST LED stops pulsing when the period is between about 60ms and 1.3s and starts to pulse again above 2s.
14. Turn off the loads and supply when done evaluation.

NOTE: The reset time and watchdog time can be adjusted using external capacitors if desired. Place the respective jumper, CRT or CWT, to the EXT position. The external capacitors populated on this board are 2.2nF to provide the external time listed in the data sheet. Optional capacitor pads, C10 and C13, are placed in parallel on the bottom side of the board to allow additional capacitance to be easily added to increase the RST or WDT times.

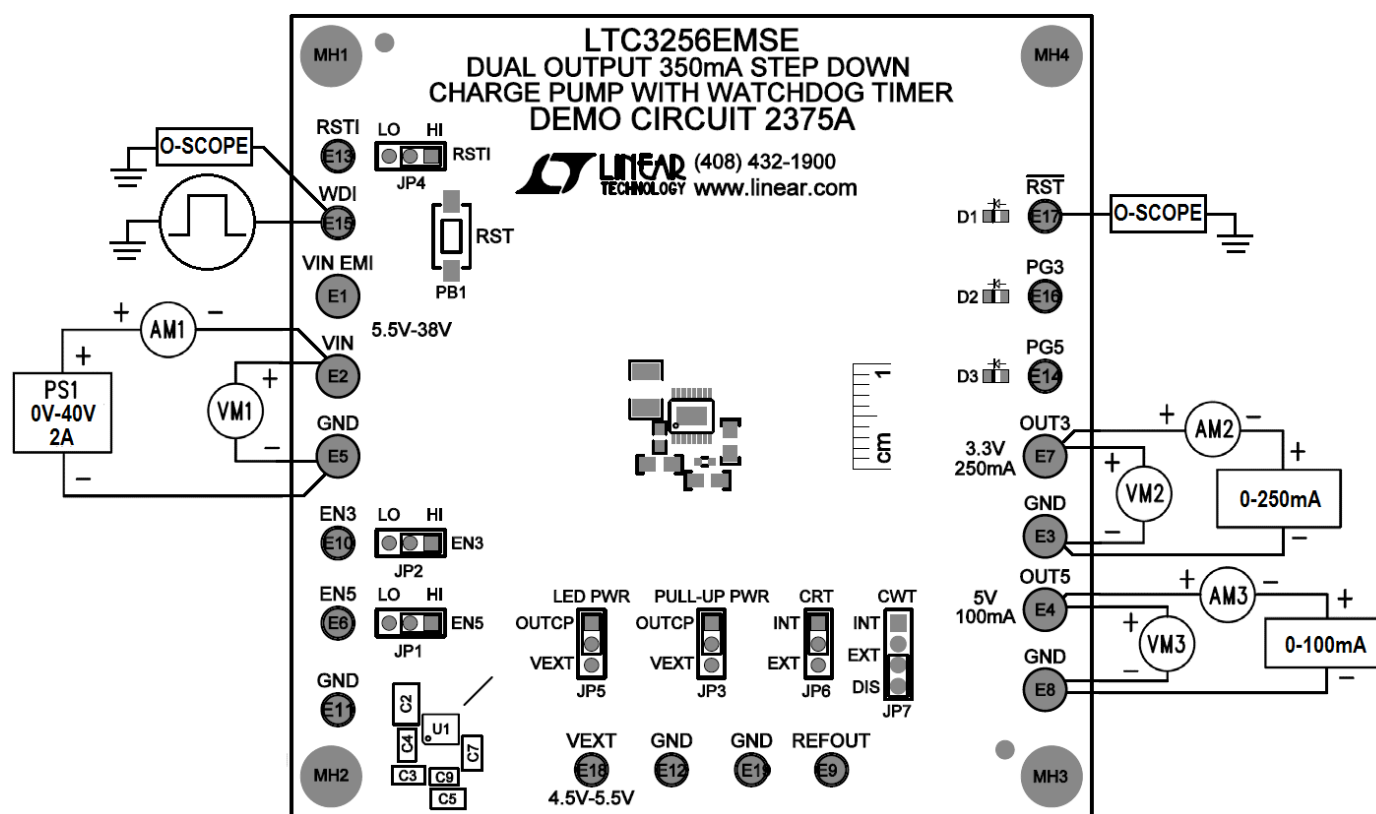


Figure 4. Proper Measurement Equipment Setup for DC2375A

QUICK START PROCEDURE

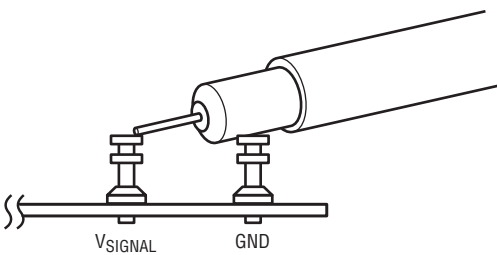


Figure 5. Measuring Input or Output Ripple

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Figure 6 illustrates how the input current changes as the input voltage increases. Figure 7 illustrates how the

efficiency and power loss changes as the input voltage increases.

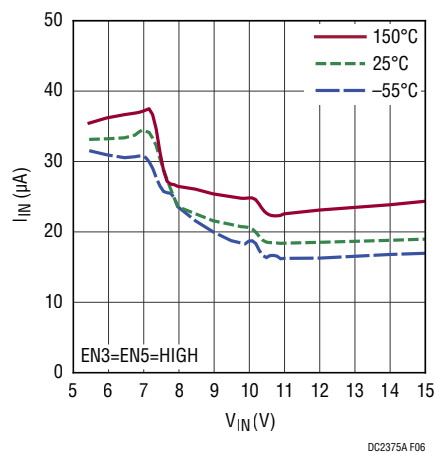


Figure 6. Input Operating Current vs Input Voltage

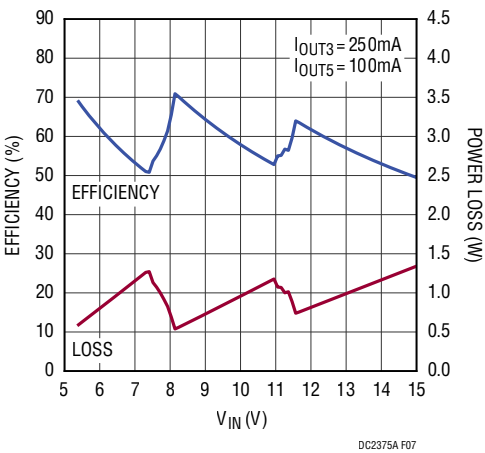
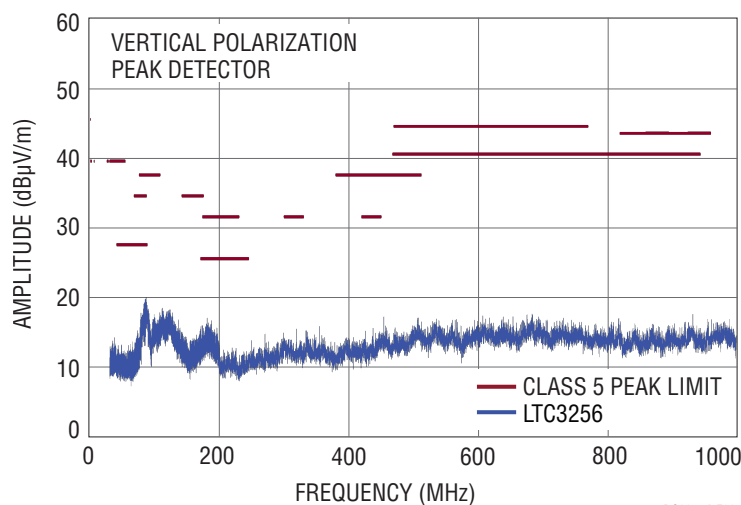


Figure 7. Efficiency and Power Loss vs Input Voltage

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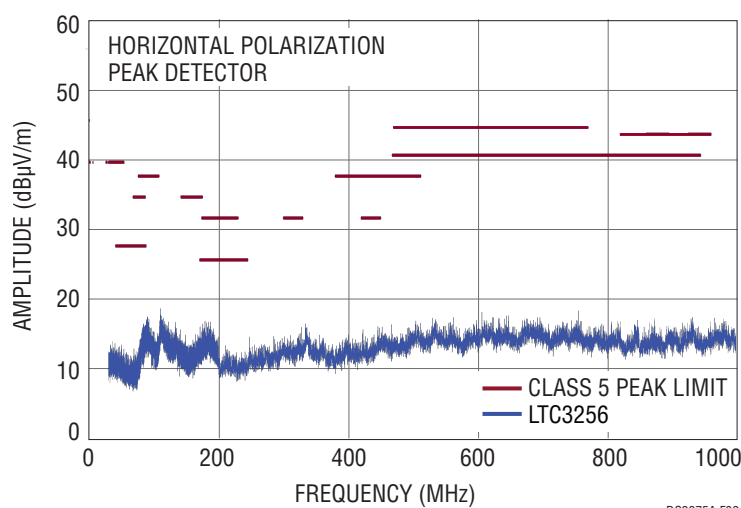
Figure 8 and Figure 9 illustrate the radiated emission performance without an EMI filter on the  $V_{IN}$  input. These tests were performed to CISPR 25 Class 5 peak limits and were conducted using a 14V input, a 47 $\Omega$  resistor

on OUT5 and a 13 $\Omega$  resistor on OUT3. Linear Technology has made every effort to provide useful and accurate EMI data, but it remains the responsibility of the customer to ensure product compliance.



DC2375A DEMO BOARD  
(WITHOUT EMI FILTER)  
14V INPUT TO 5V AT 100mA  
AND 3.3V AT 250mA

**Figure 8. Radiated  $V_{IN}$  without Filter Vertical Peak Data**



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AND 3.3V AT 250mA

**Figure 9. Radiated  $V_{IN}$  without Filter Horizontal Peak Data**

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## PARTS LIST

ITEM	QTY	REFERENCE	PART DESCRIPTION	MANUFACTURER/PART NUMBER
<b>Required Circuit Components</b>				
1	1	C2	CAP, CHIP, X5R, 10 $\mu$ F, $\pm$ 10%, 50V, 1206	TDK, CGA5L3X5R1H106K160AB
	0	C2 (ALTERNATE)	CAP, CHIP, X7S, 10 $\mu$ F, $\pm$ 10%, 50V, 1210	MURATA, GCM32EC71H106KA03
2	3	C3, C5, C7	CAP, CHIP, X7R, 10 $\mu$ F, $\pm$ 10%, 6.3V, 0805	TDK, CGA4J1X7R0J106K125AC
3	1	C4	CAP, CHIP, X7R, 1 $\mu$ F, $\pm$ 10%, 16V, 0603	TDK, CGA3E1X7R1C105K080AC
4	1	C9	CAP, CHIP, X7R, 0.1 $\mu$ F, $\pm$ 10%, 16V, 0402	TDK, CGAB1X7R1C104K050BC
5	1	U1	DUAL OUTPUT 350mA STEP DOWN CHARGE PUMP WITH WATCHDOG TIMER	LINEAR TECH., LTC3256EMSE#PBF
<b>Additional Demo Board Circuit Components</b>				
6	3	C1, C14, C15	CAP, CHIP, X7S, 10 $\mu$ F, $\pm$ 10%, 50V, 1210	MURATA, GCM32EC71H106KA03
7	0	C6, C8, C10, C13 OPT	CAP, CHIP, 0603	
8	2	C11, C12	CAP, CHIP, X7R, 2.2nF, $\pm$ 10%, 50V, 0402	TDK, CGA2BX7R1H222K050BA
9	1	D1	DIODE, LED, SUPER RED DIFF, 0603 SMD	LUMEX, SML-LX0603SRW-TR
10	2	D2, D3	DIODE, LED, SUPER GREEN DIFF, 0603 SMD	LITE-ON, LTST-C190KGKT
11	1	FB1	FERRITE, CHIP, 60 $\Omega$ at 100MHz, 3.5A, 0603	TDK, MPZ1608S600ATDH5
12	1	L1	IND, CHIP, 0.22 $\mu$ H, 0.027 $\Omega$ , 2.4A, 1210	TDK, NLCV32T-R22M-ERFD
13	1	M1	MOSFET, P-CHN, 12V, SOT-23	VISHAY, SI2333DDS-T1-GE3
14	2	M2, M3	MOSFET, N-CHN, 20V, SOT-23	VISHAY, SI2374DS-T1-GE3
15	1	PB1	SWITCH, PUSH BUTTON, SMT	C & K, PTS635SL25SMTRLFS
16	6	R1, R3, R5-R8	RES 100k $\Omega$ 1/16W 5% 0402 SMD	VISHAY, CRCW0402100KJNED
17	7	R2, R4, R10, R11, R13-R15	RES 1k $\Omega$ 1/16W 5% 0402 SMD	VISHAY, CRCW04021K00JNED
18	2	R9, R12	RES 1M $\Omega$ 1/16W 5% 0402 SMD	VISHAY, CRCW04021M00JNED
<b>Hardware: For Demo Board Only</b>				
19	5	JP1-JP5	HEADER, 3 PIN 1 ROW .079CC	WURTH ELEKTRONIK, 62000311121
20	2	JP6, JP7	HEADER, 4 PIN 1 ROW .079CC	WURTH ELEKTRONIK, 62000411121
21	7	JP1-JP7	SHUNT, 2mm	WURTH ELEKTRONIK, 60800213421
22	7	E1-E5, E7, E8	TP, TURRET, 0.094", PBF	MILL-MAX, 2501-2-00-80-00-00-07-0
23	12	E6, E9-E9	TURRET, 0.061 DIA	MILL-MAX, 2308-2-00-80-00-00-07-0
24	4	MH1-MH4	STAND-OFF, NYLON 0.375" TALL	KEYSTONE, 8832 (SNAP ON)



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