

## 700V SolidGaN with Integrated Current Sense

#### 1. Features

- ·  $320m\Omega$  E-Mode GaN with Integrated Gate Driver
- · 700V Continuous, 800V Transient Voltage Rating
- Wide 9V to 80V VCC Range Eliminates Extra LDO
- · 115uA Quiescent Current with Auto Standby Mode
- · Integrated Loss-less Current Sensing
- · Programmable Switch Turn-On Slew Rate
- · High dv/dt Immunity up to 200V/ns
- · Zero Reverse Recovery Charge
- · High Frequency Operation Up to 2MHz
- · Fast Propagation Delay (25ns Typical)
- Integrated 5V LDO for supplying Digital Isolator
- · Built-In UVLO, OCP, OTP Protection
- · QFN 6mmx8mm Package, 0.85mm Low Profile

#### 2. Applications

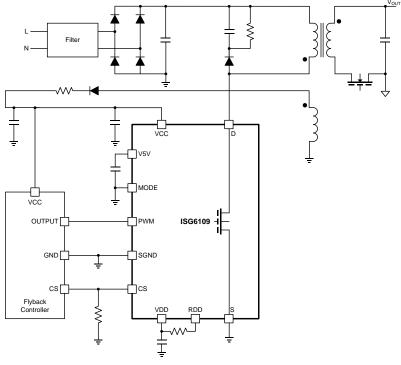
- · AC-DC, DC-DC, DC-AC Power Supply
- PFC, QR Flyback, ACF, Half Bridge, Full Bridge
- · PD Adaptor, LED Lighting, Solar Micro Inverter
- · Server and Telecom Power Supply

#### 3. Description

The ISG6109 SolidGaN IC integrates a 700V E-Mode GaN FET with a high-voltage linear regulator, a smart gate driver, and loss-less current sense circuitry. The high-voltage linear regulator with up to 80V input capability eliminates the need for external LDO and maintains tightly regulated 6.5V gate drive voltage. The integrated smart gate driver offers programmable 1ststage turn-on speed for slew rate control and delayed 2nd-stage turn-on enhancement, thereby achieving high frequency, high efficiency, and low performance. The loss-less current sense circuit eliminates external current sense resistor increases system efficiency. Additional features include 5V LDO supplying external digital isolators, UVLO, OCP, and OTP protection.

The high level of integration with high current sense accuracy and low quiescent current makes the ISG6109 suitable for a simple to use, low component count, and high efficiency application solution.

## 4. Typical Application



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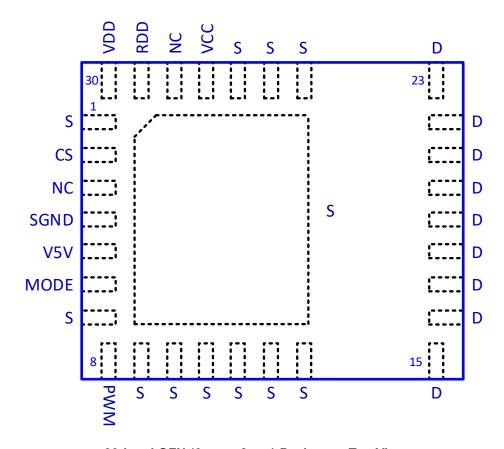
# 5. Revision History

Major changes since the last revision

Revision	Date	Description of changes
1.0	2024-03-15	Final datasheet release



# 6. Pin Configuration and Functions



30-Lead QFN (6mm x 8mm) Package - Top View

Pin Number	Pin Name	Description
1, 7, 9-14, 24-26,		Source of Power GaN FET. Solder the exposed source pad directly to the
PAD	S	ground plane.
		Power GaN FET Current Sense Output. This pin sources a current
2	CS	proportional to the GaN FET drain current. Connect a resistor from this pin to
		SGND to set current sense voltage level.
3, 28	NC	No Internal Connection.
4	SGND	Signal Ground. Must tie to the source pad directly with Kelvin connection.
5	V5V	5V LDO Output. Locally bypass this pin to SGND with a ceramic capacitor.
6	MODE	Operating Mode Selection. Tie to V5V for normal mode and SGND for auto
6		standby mode.
8	PWM	PWM Input.
15-23	D	Drain of Power GaN FET.
27	VCC	IC Supply Input. Locally bypass this pin to SGND with a ceramic capacitor.
29	RDD	Gate Driver Turn-On Strength Setting. Connect a resistor from this pin to VDD.
20	VDD	Gate Drive Supply LDO Output. Locally bypass this pin to SGND with a
30	VDD	ceramic capacitor.

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### 7. Absolute Maximum Ratings

All pins are referred to S pins, unless otherwise specified. Stress beyond the absolute maximum ratings can cause permanent damage or deteriorate device lifetime.

Parameter	Min	Max	Unit
Drain Voltage, Continuous	-7	700	V
Drain Voltage, Transient (1)		800	V
Drain Voltage, Pulsed (2)		750	V
Drain Current, Continuous (T <sub>C</sub> = 100°C)		4	Α
Drain Current, Pulsed (T <sub>J</sub> = 25°C)		8	Α
VCC Voltage	-0.3	80	V
PWM Voltage	-0.3	20	V
VDD Voltage	-0.3	7.5	V
RDD Voltage	-0.3	7.5	V
V5V Voltage	-0.3	6	V
MODE Voltage	-0.3	6	V
CS Voltage	-0.3	6	V
Operating Junction Temperature T <sub>J</sub>	-55	150	°C
Storage Temperature	-55	150	°C

<sup>(1)</sup>  $V_{DS(TRAN)}$  is intended for non-repetitive events,  $t_{PULSE}$  < 200us.

### 8. ESD Ratings

Parameter	Value	Unit
Human Body Model (HBM), per ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001 (3)	±1000	V
Charged Device Model (CDM), per ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-002 (4)	±2000	V

<sup>(3)</sup> JEDEC document JEP155 states that 500V HBM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

# 9. Recommended Operating Conditions

Parameter	Min	Max	Unit
VCC Voltage	9	75	V
PWM Voltage	0	15	V
MODE Voltage	0	V5V	V
V5V External Load Current		10	mA
Operating Junction Temperature T <sub>J</sub>	-40	125	°C

#### 10. Thermal Information

Symbol	Parameter	ISG6109QA	Unit
R <sub>θJA</sub>	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient	66.1	°C/W
R <sub>0</sub> JC(TOP)	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case Top	25.1	°C/W
R <sub>0</sub> JC(ВОТ)	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case Bottom	2.9	°C/W

<sup>(2)</sup> V<sub>DS(PULS)</sub> is intended for repetitive events, t<sub>PULSE</sub> < 100ns.

<sup>(4)</sup> JEDEC document JEP155 states that 250V CDM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.



### 11. Electrical Characteristics

 $T_J$  = 25°C, VCC = 15V,  $C_{VDD}$  = 10nF,  $C_{V5V}$  = 10nF, unless otherwise noted.

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit	Test Condition
VCC Supply						
VCC UVLO rising threshold	V <sub>CC_UV+</sub>	8	8.5	9	V	
VCC UVLO falling threshold	V <sub>CC_UV</sub> -		7.4		V	
VCC standby current	Ісс_ѕтву		115		uA	MODE = 0V, PWM = 0V
VCC quiescent current	Icc_norm		0.33	0.5	mA	MODE = 5V, PWM = 0V
VCC operating current	Icc_sw		1.6		mA	fsw = 1MHz
Linear Regulators						
VDD regulation voltage	$V_{DD}$	6.25	6.5	6.75	V	
VDD UVLO rising threshold	$V_{DD\_UV+}$		5.7		V	
VDD UVLO falling threshold	$V_{DD\_UV}$		5.4		V	
V5V regulation voltage	V <sub>5V</sub>	4.5	5	5.5	V	
PWM Input						
Input logic high threshold	V <sub>PWM_HI</sub>		2.7	3.5	V	Fig. 20
Input logic low threshold	V <sub>PWM_LO</sub>	0.6	1.3		V	Fig. 20
Input logic hysteresis	V <sub>PWM_HYS</sub>		1.4		V	
Current Sensing						
CS pin output current	Ics	1.16	1.25	1.34	mA	PWM = 5V, I <sub>DS</sub> = 2.2A, T <sub>J</sub> = -40°C to 125°C
CS pin output offset	Ics_os		15		uA	PWM = 5V, I <sub>DS</sub> = 0A
Protection		1				
CS over current threshold	V <sub>CS_OCP</sub>	1.6	1.9	2.2	V	
OTP shutdown rising threshold <sup>(5)</sup>	Тотр		165		°C	
OTP hysteresis (5)	T <sub>OTP_HYS</sub>		60		°C	
Power GaN FET		ı			•	
Drain-source leakage current	I <sub>DSS</sub>		0.1	15	uA	V <sub>DS</sub> = 700V, PWM = 0V
Drain-source resistance	R <sub>DS(ON)</sub>		320	450	mΩ	PWM = 5V, I <sub>DS</sub> = 1A
Source-drain reverse voltage	V <sub>SD</sub>		3.7		V	PWM = 0V, I <sub>SD</sub> = 2.2A
Output charge (5)	Qoss		11		nC	V <sub>DS</sub> = 400V, PWM = 0V
Reverse recovery charge (5)	Q <sub>RR</sub>		0		nC	
Output capacitance (5)	Coss		13.7		pF	V <sub>DS</sub> = 400V, PWM = 0V
Effective output capacitance, energy related <sup>(5)</sup>	C <sub>O(er)</sub>		20		pF	V <sub>DS</sub> = 400V, PWM = 0V
Effective output capacitance, time related <sup>(5)</sup>	C <sub>O(tr)</sub>		28		pF	V <sub>DS</sub> = 400V, PWM = 0V



## **12. Switching Characteristics**

 $T_J = 25$ °C, VCC = 15V,  $f_{SW} = 1$ MHz,  $C_{VDD} = 10$ nF,  $C_{V5V} = 10$ nF, unless otherwise noted.

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit	Test Condition
Switching frequency (5)	fsw			2	MHz	
Pulse width (5)	t <sub>PW</sub>	30			ns	
Turn-on propagation delay (5)	t <sub>PD_ON</sub>		25		ns	Fig. 20
Turn-off propagation delay (5)	t <sub>PD_OFF</sub>		35		ns	Fig. 20
Drain rise time (5)	t <sub>R</sub>		10		ns	Fig. 20
Drain fall time (5)	t⊧		10		ns	Fig. 20
2 <sup>nd</sup> -stage turn-on delay	t <sub>PU_DLY</sub>		180		ns	Fig. 23
Time delay to enter standby	tstby_dly		120		us	Fig. 24, PWM = 0V
mode						
CS pin delay (from I <sub>DS</sub> to	tcs_dly		30		ns	$di/dt = 40A/us$ , $R_{CS} = 400\Omega$ ,
V <sub>CS</sub> , at 10% rated current) <sup>(5)</sup>						C <sub>CS</sub> = 25pF

<sup>(5)</sup> Not 100% tested and guaranteed by design.



# 13. Typical Characteristics

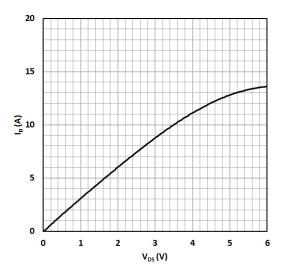


Fig. 1. Pulsed Drain Current vs. Drain Voltage, T<sub>J</sub> = 25°C

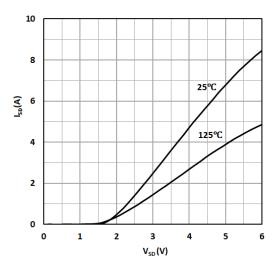


Fig. 3. Source-Drain Reverse Conduction Voltage

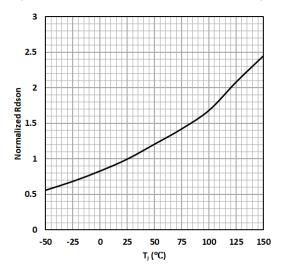


Fig. 5. Normalized R<sub>DS(ON)</sub> vs Temperature

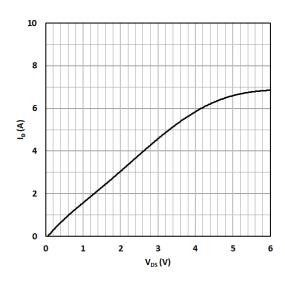


Fig. 2. Pulsed Drain Current vs Drain Voltage,  $T_J = 125^{\circ}C$ 

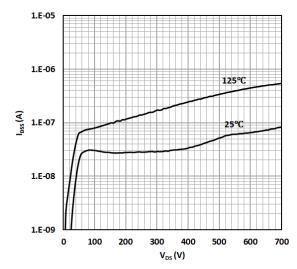


Fig. 4. Drain Leakage Current vs Drain Voltage

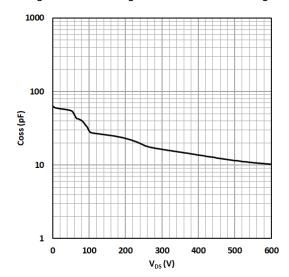


Fig. 6. Output Capacitance vs Drain Voltage

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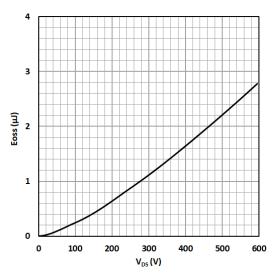


Fig. 7. Output Capacitance Stored Energy vs Drain Voltage

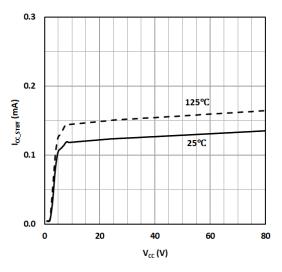


Fig. 9. VCC Standby Current vs VCC Voltage

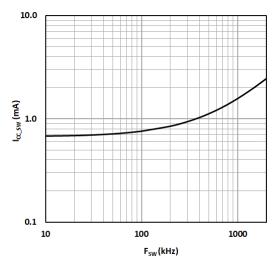


Fig. 11. VCC Operating Current vs Frequency, VCC = 15V

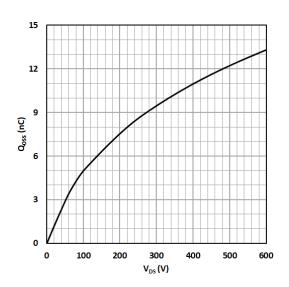


Fig. 8. Output Charge vs Drain Voltage

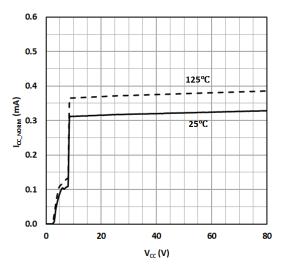


Fig. 10. VCC Quiescent Current vs VCC Voltage

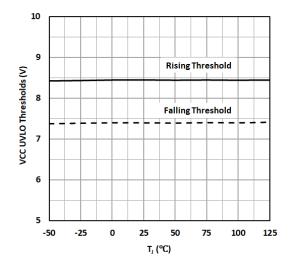


Fig. 12. VCC UVLO Thresholds vs Temperature



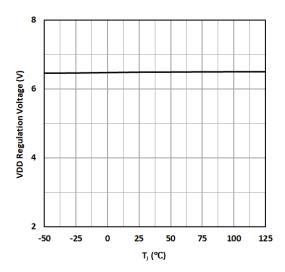


Fig. 13. VDD Regulation Voltage vs Temperature

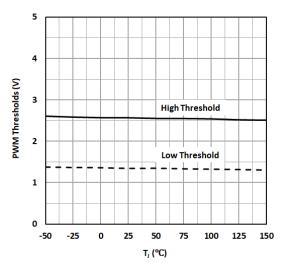


Fig. 15. PWM Input Logic Thresholds vs Temperature

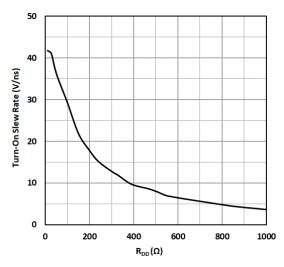


Fig. 17. Switch Slew Rate vs RDD Resistor

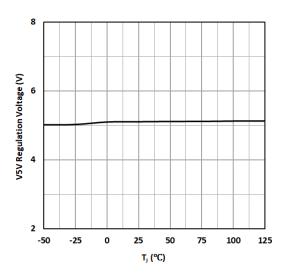


Fig. 14. V5V Regulation Voltage vs Temperature

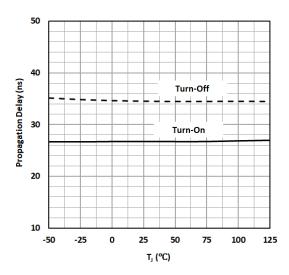


Fig. 16. Propagation Delay vs Temperature

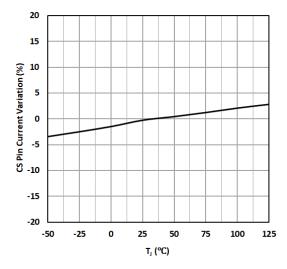


Fig. 18. CS Pin Current Variation vs Temperature



#### 14. Block Diagram

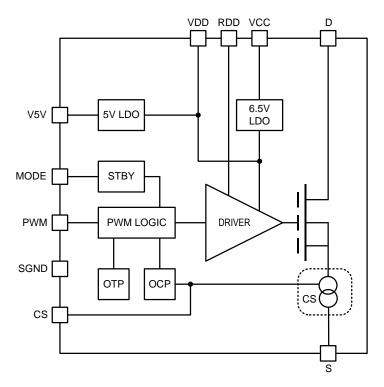


Fig. 19. Functional Block Diagram

### **15. Function Description**

The ISG6109 is a high-performance SolidGaN IC integrating a 700V E-Mode GaN FET with a high-voltage linear regulator, a smart gate driver, and an accurate loss-less current sense circuit. The high-voltage linear regulator with up to 80V input capability eliminates the need for external voltage regulators and maintains tightly regulated 6.5V gate drive voltage for integrated GaN FET. The integrated smart gate driver provides a dual slew-rate gate driving scheme while adjusting the gate turn-on slew rate to achieve high frequency operation, high power efficiency, and low EMI performance. The loss-less current sense circuit eliminates external current sense resistors and increases system power efficiency. The ISG6109 provides an autonomous standby mode with a smooth transition and minimizes the quiescent current at no load condition. Additional features include 5V LDO supplying external digital isolators, UVLO, OCP, and OTP protection. Its operation is best understood by referring to the Functional Block Diagram, Fig. 19.

The front page shows a typical ISG6109 application circuit. The ISG6109 has output pins of drain, D, and source, S, of GaN FET and it operates based on the logic input signal of PWM pin. VDD and V5V pins which are outputs of the internal regulators must be connected to ground with a minimum of 10nF ceramic capacitor. A good local bypass is necessary to supply the high transient current required by GaN FET driving. VCC pin is connected to the external voltage source with a typical 0.1uF capacitor. To adjust the turn-on speed of GaN FET, a resistor is connected between VDD and RDD pin. CS is the output pin with the current of the current sense circuit, and a resistor needs to be connected between CS pin and SGND pin to provide a voltage signal to the controller. To use the autonomous standby mode, MODE pin is recommended to connect to SGND pin.

#### **PWM Input and Output**

The ISG6109 has a PWM input pin to control the integrated GaN FET. When the PWM input voltage is higher than the logic high threshold of 3.5V (Max), the GaN FET is turned on and the drain, D, is shorted to the source, S, with a



resistance of  $320m\Omega$  (typical). When the PWM input voltage is lower than the logic low threshold of 0.6V (Min), the GaN FET is turned off and the output of D is open. Fig. 20 illustrates the timing diagram of the input and the output.

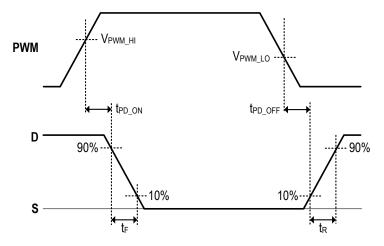


Fig. 20. Timing Diagram of Input and Output

#### **Loss-Less Current Sensing**

In many systems implemented with a peak current mode control or over current protection (OCP) functions, the current flowing through the power FET needs to be sensed. To sense the current, most solutions use a current-sense resistor in series with the FET and it increases power loss and introduces more parasitic inductance into the power loop. ISG6109 employs a current-sense circuit without any external resistor to sense the current as shown in Fig. 21. The loss-less current-sense circuit converts the current flowing through the GaN FET to the output current signal of CS pin with a conversion ratio of 1760:1 (typical). The output current of CS pin can be converted to the voltage by a resistor, Rcs, placed between CS pin and ground. The value of Rcs can be adjusted to provide the current-sense voltage with a proper voltage range for various controllers. The voltage on CS pin, Vcs, is determined by equation (1).

$$V_{CS} = \frac{I_D}{1760} \times R_{CS}$$
 (1)

where ID is the drain current of GaN FET. Fig. 21 shows the switching timing diagram of the current sense output.

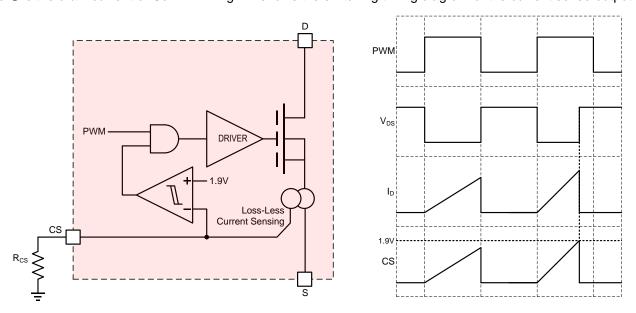


Fig. 21. Current Sense Circuit and Timing Diagram



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

The ISG6109 provides a cycle-by-cycle over current protection based on the current-sense signal, V<sub>CS</sub>, to protect the GaN FET. As illustrated in the timing diagram of Fig. 21, when the CS-pin voltage exceeds 1.9V (typical), the GaN FET is turned off. GaN FET will be turned on again at the next rising edge of PWM signal. The current limit by OCP can be calculated by equation (2).

$$I_{OCP} = \frac{1760 \times V_{CS\_OCP}}{R_{CS}} \qquad (2)$$

#### **Programmable Gate Turn-On Slew Rate**

In many applications such as QR flyback converter, it is desired to adjust the gate turn-on slew rate of power FET to meet the system requirement of both power efficiency and EMI performance. If the gate turn-on slew rate is too fast, it causes a high switching noise resulting in degradation of the EMI performance. Conversely, if the slew rate is too slow, the power efficiency is reduced. The smart gate driver in ISG6109 supports slew-rate control using an external resistor, R<sub>DD</sub>, connected between VDD and RDD pin as shown in Fig. 22. R<sub>DD</sub> limits the turn-on gate driving current, and as a result, the gate turn-on slew rate is controlled by the value of R<sub>DD</sub>.

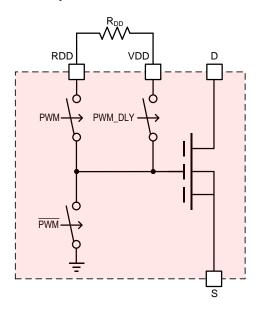


Fig. 22. Smart gate driver with a programmable dual slew-rate gate driving

#### **Dual Slew Rate Gate Driving**

The gate capacitance generally increases as the drain-to-source voltage of the power FET decreases. Specifically, the gate-to-drain capacitance increases exponentially as the drain voltage reaches the source voltage. Once the drain voltage reaches the source voltage during the turn-on period, the slow slew-rate gate driving with a large R<sub>DD</sub> rarely improves the EMI performance and causes the efficiency degradation since it takes a long time to fully pull up the gate voltage. The ISG6109 employs the smart gate driver with a dual slew-rate gate driving scheme as illustrated in Fig. 22. During the turn-on period, the slow programmable slew-rate driver with R<sub>DD</sub> is engaged first to reduce the switching noise as introduced in the previous section. After a typical 180ns delay time, T<sub>PU\_DLY</sub>, the fast slew-rate driver is engaged to increase the pull-up strength of the driver, and as a result, the GaN FET can be fully turned on quickly and the power dissipation is reduced. For maximizing both efficiency and EMI performance, R<sub>DD</sub> value is recommended to be chosen considering T<sub>PU\_DLY</sub> for the dual slew-rate gate driving. Fig. 23 compares the two cases with different R<sub>DD</sub> in QR flyback application. V<sub>DS</sub> and V<sub>DS\_SR</sub> show the drain-to-source voltages of ISG6109 and power FET of the synchronous rectifier



(SR), respectively. Too large  $R_{DD}$  causes not only efficiency degradation, but also voltage spike in the SR resulting in damage to the power FET. It's recommended to choose  $R_{DD}$  value to turn on the fast slew-rate driver when the drain voltage reaches the source voltage.

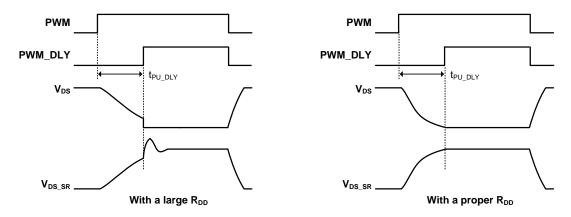


Fig. 23. Waveform comparison with different R<sub>DD</sub> values in QR flyback application

#### **Standby Mode**

The ISG6109 provides an autonomous standby mode to improve system efficiency. As shown in the timing diagram of Fig. 24, if the voltage of the PWM signal stays below V<sub>PWM\_LO</sub> for the time duration of t<sub>STBY\_DLY</sub>, the ISG6109 automatically enters the standby mode. In the standby mode, most of the internal circuitry is turned off, and therefore, the VCC supply current is drastically reduced to I<sub>CC\_STBY</sub>, 115uA (typical). Once the PWM input voltage is applied upper V<sub>PWM\_HI</sub> in the standby mode, the ISG6109 wakes up at the first rising edge of the PWM input and enters normal operation mode immediately. The ISG6109 shows the smooth transition between the standby mode and the normal mode without any additional propagation delay for the recovery. MODE pin needs to be connected to SGND to enable the autonomous standby mode. If the MODE pin is connected to V5V, the ISG6109 operates in the normal mode only.

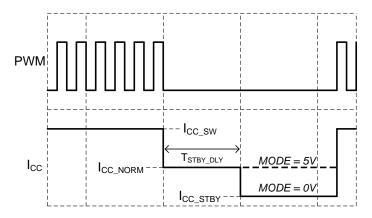


Fig. 24. Autonomous Standby Mode Timing Diagram

#### **Internal Voltage Linear Regulators**

The ISG6109 has two linear voltage regulators with output voltages of 6.5V and 5V for the gate drive of GaN FET and the internal circuitry, respectively. The high-voltage linear regulator produces 6.5V at the VDD pin from the VCC pin. The tightly regulated 6.5V output maximizes power efficiency while ensuring the reliability of the GaN FET. The low dropout voltage regulator generates 5V at the V5V pin from 6.5V at the VDD pin. Two voltage regulators must be bypassed to ground with a minimum of 10nF ceramic capacitor.



#### **Under Voltage Lock Out (UVLO)**

The ISG6109 features VCC undervoltage lockout (UVLO) protection. When VCC is below its UVLO threshold, 7.4V (typical), the ISG6109 enters UVLO mode and turns off the GaN FET and ignores the PWM input. When VCC is above the UVLO rising, 8.5V (typical), the ISG6109 will normally operate. In addition, the ISG6109 includes VDD UVLO protection with a falling threshold of 5.4V (typical) and a rising threshold of 5.7V (typical). The operation of VDD UVLO is the same as VCC UVLO.

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

The ISG6109 employs over temperature protection (OTP). If the internal junction temperature, T<sub>j</sub>, exceeds 165°C (typical), the PWM input is ignored and the GaN FET is turned off. When the temperature recovers to below 105°C (typical), the ISG6109 will operate normally.

#### **PCB Layout Checklist**

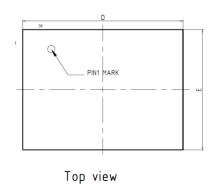
A proper PCB layout is essential to support high-power and high-speed operation with GaN FETs. The PCB layout requires a dedicated ground plan layer. And it is strongly recommended to use a multilayer board to provide heat sinking. Check the following guidelines to obtain the optimum performance from ISG6109.

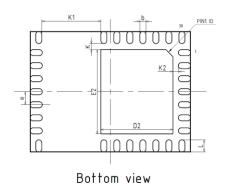
- Mount the bypass capacitors, C<sub>VCC</sub>, C<sub>VDD</sub>, and C<sub>V5V</sub>, and the current-sense resistor, R<sub>CS</sub>, as close as possible
  to the ISG6109 package and connect (-) terminal to SGND. Connect SGND pin directly to Source Pad
  underneath the IC.
- Place RDD as close as possible between the (+) terminal of CVDD and RDD pin.
- Use immediate vias as much as possible to connect S and the ground plane. Implement large copper area on the S and D pads.
- Flood all unused areas on all layers with copper and make thermal vias to reduce temperature rise. Connect the copper areas to ground.



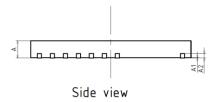
# **16. Package Information**

### QFN6X8-30L Package:





SYMBOL	MILLMETER				
STMBUL	MIN	NOM	MAX		
Α	0.80	0.85	0.90		
A1	0.00	0.02	0.05		
A2		0.203REF			
ь	0.25	0.30	0.35		
D	7.90	8.00	8.10		
D2	3.50	3.60	3.70		
e					
Е	5.90	6.00	6.10		
E2	4.10	4.20	4.30		
L	0.55	0.60	0.65		
K					
K1	2.85	3.05			
K2	0.275REF				

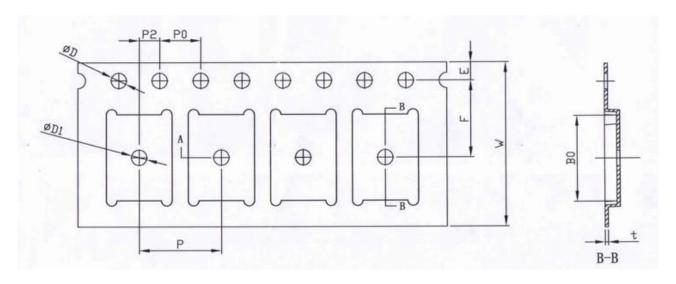


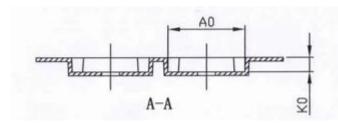


Row	Description	Example
Row1	Company name	INNO
Row2	Product code (In short)	XXXXXXX
Row3	ASSY lot No.	XXXXXXX
Row4	Date code	YYWW



# 17. Tape and Reel Information



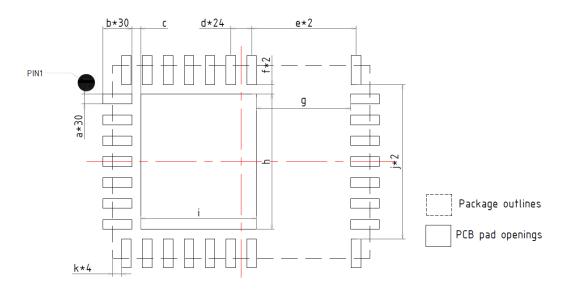


SYMBOL	DIMENSION(mm)			
STIVIBUL	MIN	NOM	MAX	
E	1.65	1.75	1.85	
F	7.40	7.50	7.60	
P2	1.90	2.00	2.10	
D	/	1.50	1.60	
D1	1.50	/	/	
P0	3.90	4.00	4.10	
10P0	39.8	40.0	40.2	
W	15.70	16.00	16.30	
P	7.90	8.00	8.10	
A0	6.30	6.40	6.50	
В0	8.30	8.40	8.50	
КО	1.10	1.20	1.30	
t	0.25	0.30	0.35	



### 18. Recommended Land Pattern

## QFN6X8-30L Package:



SYMBOL	DIMENSION	SYMBOL	DIMENSION
a	0.30	g	2.925
Ь	0.90	h	4.20
С	0.275	i	3.60
d	0.65	j	4.80
е	3.25	k	0.275
f	0.30		

Notes:

(1)All dimension are in millimeters.

(2)Drawing is not to scale.

## 19. Order Information

Ordering Code	Package	Product Code	MSL	Packing (Tape & Reel)
ISG6109QA	QFN6x8-30L	6109QA	MSL3	13" 2500PCS/reel



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