

2-Cell, 500mA, Step-Up DC/DC Converter

■ FEATURES

- High Efficiency 90%.
- Adjustable Output Voltage with Two Resistors (AIC1631A)
- Power-Saving Shutdown Mode (7 μ A typical).
- Internal 2A Switch.
- 120KHz Switching Rate.
- Adjustable Switch Current Limit.
- On-Chip Low Battery Detector.

■ DESCRIPTION

The AIC1631 is a high efficiency step up DC-DC converter. Only four external components are required to deliver a fixed voltage of 3V, 3.3V, or 5V. The output voltage can be externally set to an arbitrary value below breakdown voltage of the power switch for AIC1631A. Efficiency beyond 87% can be easily achieved at 100mA load with 2.2V to 3V input voltages.

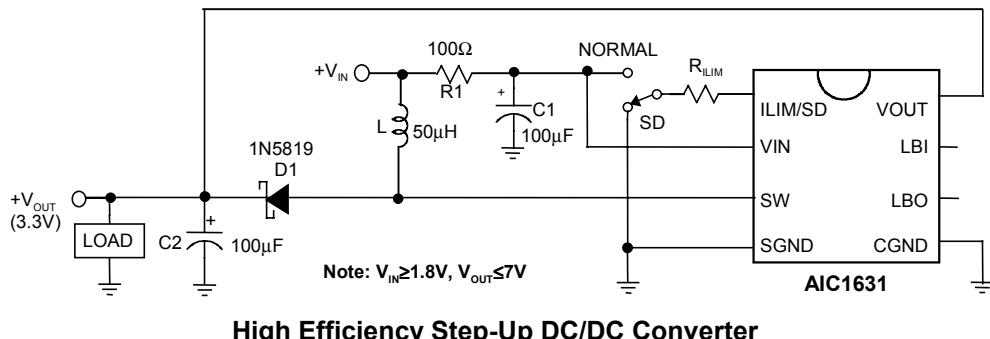
■ APPLICATIONS

- Palmtop & Notebook Computers.
- Pocket Organizers.
- Cameras.
- Pagers.
- Battery Backup Supplies.
- Portable Instruments.

Logic-controlled shutdown mode is provided for power saving. Switch current limit can be programmed with a resistor. The low battery detector can be configured as a linear regulator or a burst mode controller performing an extremely low supply current operation.

120KHz switching rate reduces the inductor size. Inductors of 25 μ H to 50 μ H inductance are recommended for most applications.

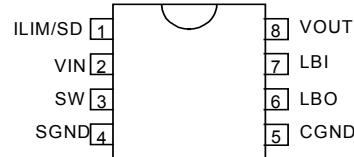
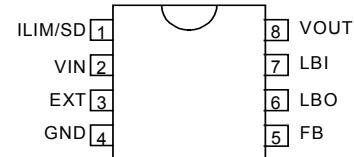
■ TYPICAL APPLICATION CIRCUIT



■ ORDERING INFORMATION

AIC1631 XXX

PACKAGE TYPE
 N: PLASTIC DIP
 S: SMALL OUTLINE
 TEMPERATURE RANGE
 $C=0^{\circ}\text{C} \sim +70^{\circ}\text{C}$
 OUTPUT VOLTAGE
 DEFAULT: 3.3V
 3: 3.0V
 5: 5.0V
 A: Adjustable

ORDER NUMBER	PIN CONFIGURATION
AIC1631CN AIC1631-3CN AIC1631-5CN (PLASTIC DIP)	TOP VIEW 
AIC1631CS AIC1631-3CS AIC1631-5CS (PLASTIC SO)	
AIC1631ACN (PLASTIC DIP)	TOP VIEW 
AIC1631ACS (PLASTIC SO)	

■ ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Supply Voltage 7.0V

Operating Temperature Range..... -20°C ~ 80°C

Storage Temperature Range -65°C ~ 150°C

■ TEST CIRCUIT

Refer to Typical Application Circuit.

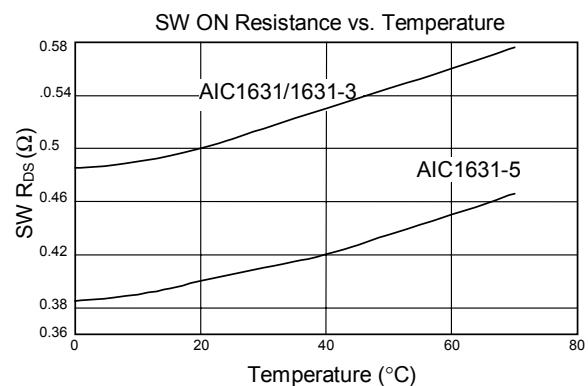
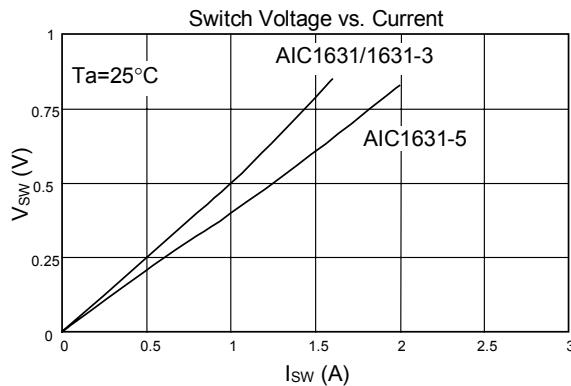
■ ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($V_{IN}=3.0\text{V}$, $T_a=25^{\circ}\text{C}$, unless otherwise specified.)

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
Input Voltage	Fig. 4 in Appl. Examples	1.5	7		V
Output Voltage	$I_{LOAD}=200\text{mA}$ AIC1631 AIC1631-3 AIC1631-5	3.16 2.88 4.80	3.3 3 5	3.44 3.12 5.20	V
Switch off Current			105	140	μA
No Load Current	AIC1631/AIC1631-3 AIC1631-5		160 180		μA
Shutdown Mode Current		7	15		μA
Shutdown Recovery Time	$V_{IN}=2.5\text{V}$, $I_{LOAD}=200\text{mA}$		0.4		mS

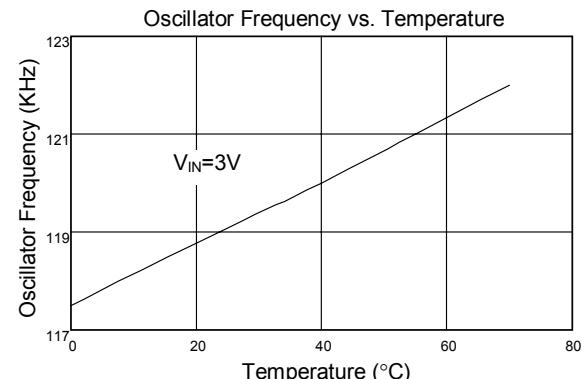
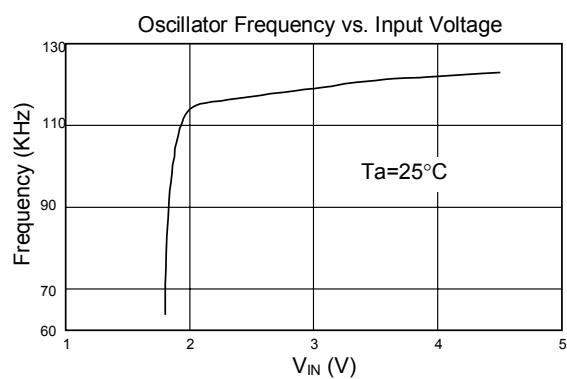
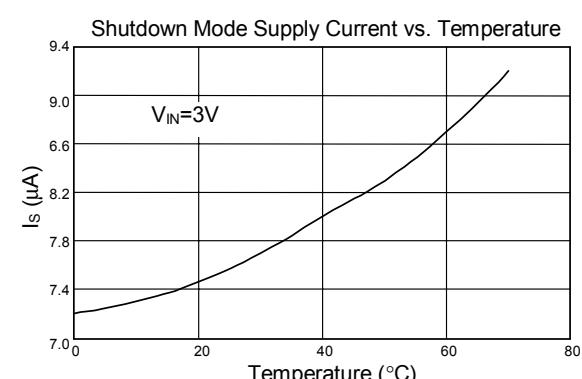
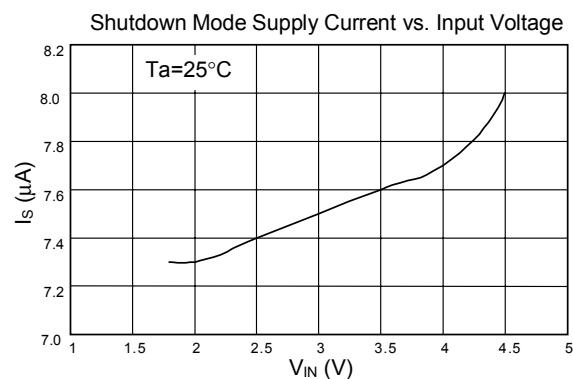
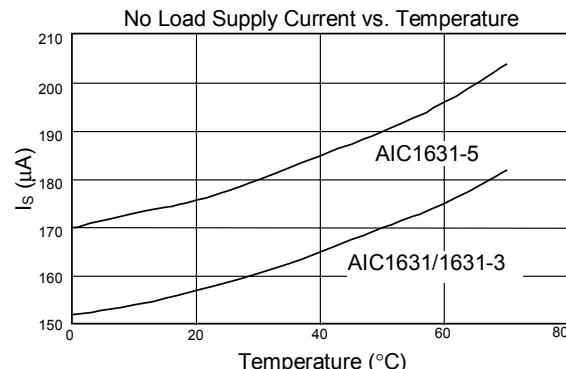
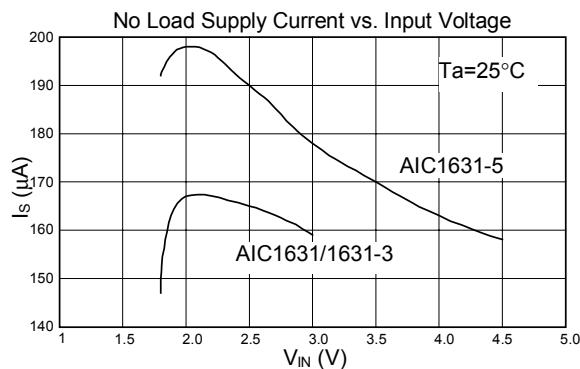
■ ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (CONTINUED)

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
Efficiency	$I_{LOAD} = 200\text{mA}$ AIC1631/AIC1631-3 AIC1631-5		87 90		%
Line Regulation	$I_{LOAD} = 100\text{mA}$ AIC1631, $V_{IN} = 1.8 \sim 3.3\text{V}$ AIC1631-3, $V_{IN} = 1.8 \sim 3\text{V}$ AIC1631-5, $V_{IN} = 2.2 \sim 3.3\text{V}$		0.6 0.5 0.8		% V_{OUT}
Load Regulation	$I_{LOAD} = 10 \sim 300\text{mA}$ AIC1631/AIC1631-3 AIC1631-5		0.3 0.8		% V_{OUT}
Oscillator Frequency		90	120	150	KHz
LBI Pin Trip Point		1.17	1.22	1.27	V
FB Threshold Voltage	AIC1631A	0.598	0.617	0.636	V
SW "ON Resistance"	AIC1631/AIC1631-3 AIC1631-5		0.5 0.4		Ω
LBO "ON Resistance"	$V_{IN} = 2\text{V}$		45		Ω
SW Off Leakage			1		μA
Input Pin Bias Current			10		nA/Pin
Output Pin Leakage			10		nA/Pin

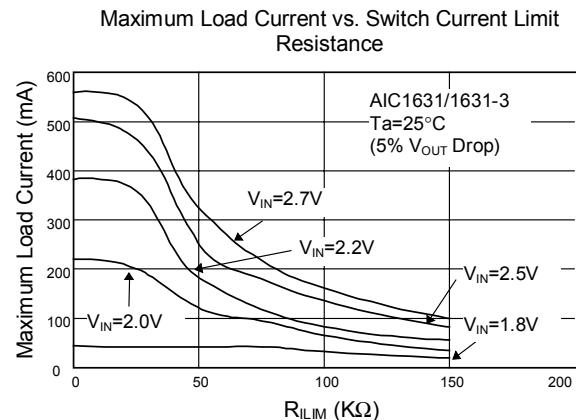
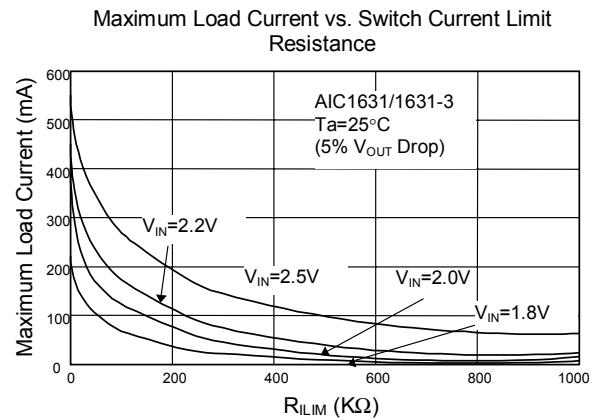
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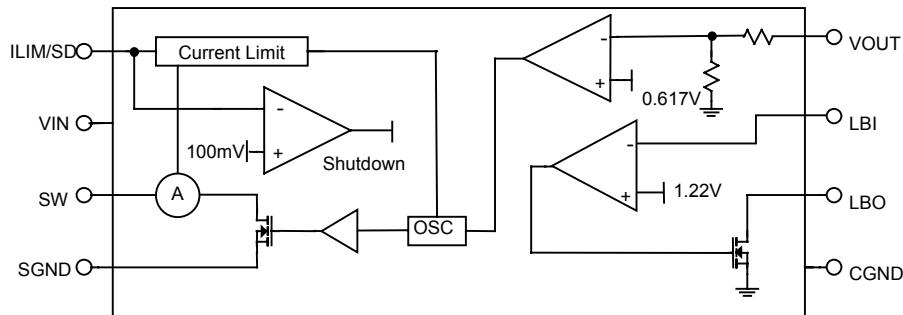
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■ BLOCK DIAGRAM



■ PIN DESCRIPTIONS

AIC1631 / AIC1631-3 / AIC1631-5

- PIN 1: ILIM/SD- 1. Connected to VIN pin through a resistor to set the switch peak current. It serves to protect IC and inductor, as well as to improve efficiency and output ripples. However, supply capability of the AIC1631 is limited by the current limit resistor. (See typical performance characteristics). The ILIM/SD pin should be shorted to VIN pin if limiting on switch peak current is not intended.
2. The AIC1631 goes in shutdown mode and consumes less than 10µA when ILIM/SD pin is pulled to ground.
- PIN 2: VIN - Input supply.
- PIN 3: SW - Drain of the power switch, to be connected to inductor/ diode.
- PIN 4: SGND - Ground connected to source of power switch.
- PIN 5: CGND - Ground for control circuits of the IC. It should be separated from SGND to avoid the interference.
- PIN 6: LBO - Open drain output of the battery low detector, with 45Ω “ON resistance” at $V_{IN}=2V$. It is pulled low when the voltage on LBI pin is below 1.22V.
- PIN 7: LBI - The noninverting input of the battery low detector, of which the inverting input is internally connects to 1.22V voltage reference.
- PIN 8: VOUT - The output voltage feedbacks to the IC through this pin.

AIC1631A

- PIN 1: ILIM/SD- 1. Connected to VIN pin through a resistor to set the switch peak current. It serves to protect IC and inductor, as well as to improve efficiency and output ripples. However, supply capability of the AIC1631A is limited by the current limit resistor. (See typical performance characteristics). The ILIM/SD pin should be shorted to VIN pin if limiting on switch peak current is not intended.
2. The AIC1631A goes in shutdown mode and consumes less than 10µA when ILIM/SD pin is pulled to ground.
- PIN 2: VIN - Input supply.
- PIN 3: SW - Drain of the power switch, to be connected to inductor/ diode.
- PIN 4: GND - Ground.
- PIN 5: FB - Output voltage can either be internally set to 5 volt by grounding FB pin, or be externally set to an arbitrary voltage by applying to FB pin the divider voltage of two divider resistors.
- V_{OUT} voltage is given by the following equation:
- $$\frac{R_1}{R_2} = \frac{V_{OUT}}{0.617} - 1$$
- where R₁ = Resistor connected between FB pin and V_{OUT} pin.
R₂ = Resistor connected between FB pin and ground.
V_{OUT} = Output voltage to be set.
- PIN 6: LBO - Open drain output of the battery low detector, with 45Ω “ON resistance” at $V_{IN}=2V$. It is pulled low when the voltage on LBI pin is below 1.22V.

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PIN 7: LBI - The noninverting input of the battery low detector, of which the inverting input is internally connected to 1.22V voltage reference.

PIN 8: VOUT - The output voltage feedbacks to the IC through this pin. If output voltage was externally set, the VOUT pin can be tied to any low impedance node with voltage between the external power switch threshold and 7V

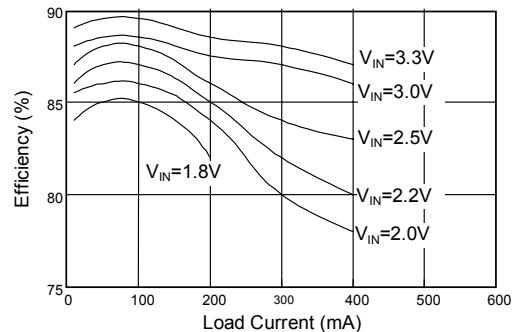
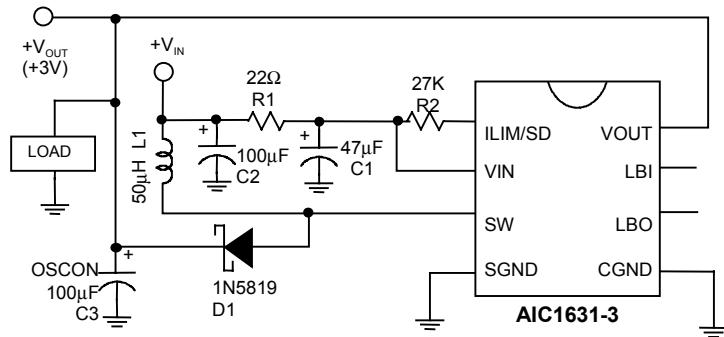
■ APPLICATION EXAMPLES


Fig. 1 3V Output Step-Up Converter

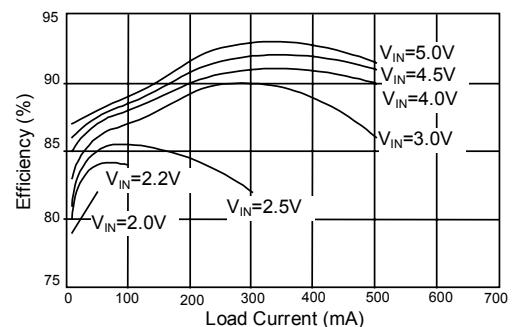
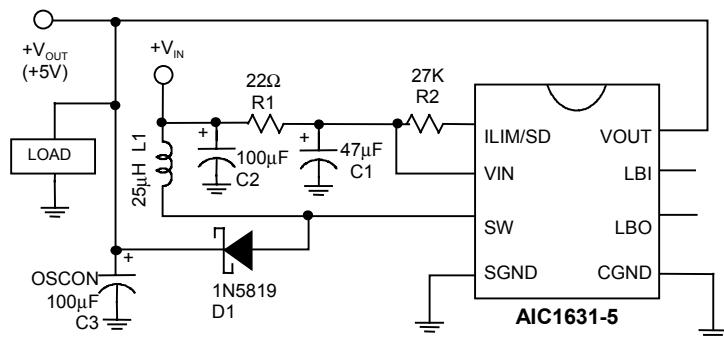


Fig. 2 5V Output Step-Up Converter

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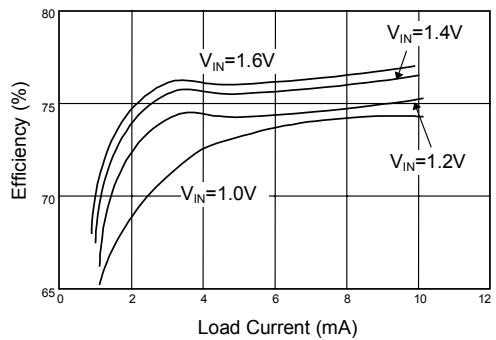
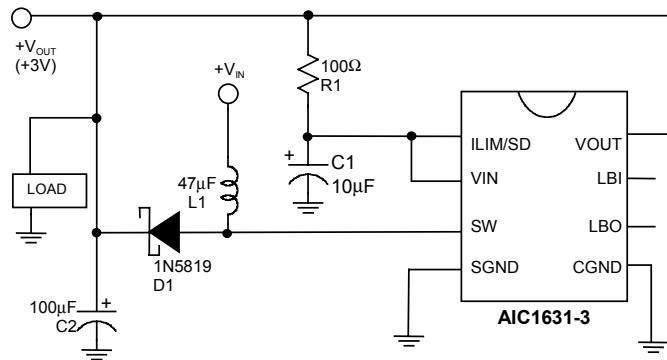


Fig. 3 1-Cell Input 3V Output Step-Up Converter

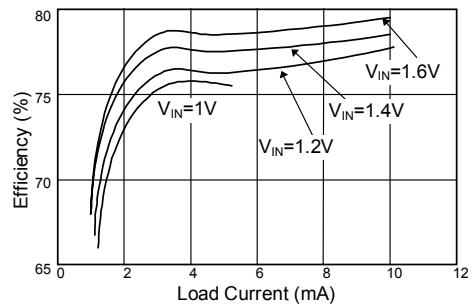
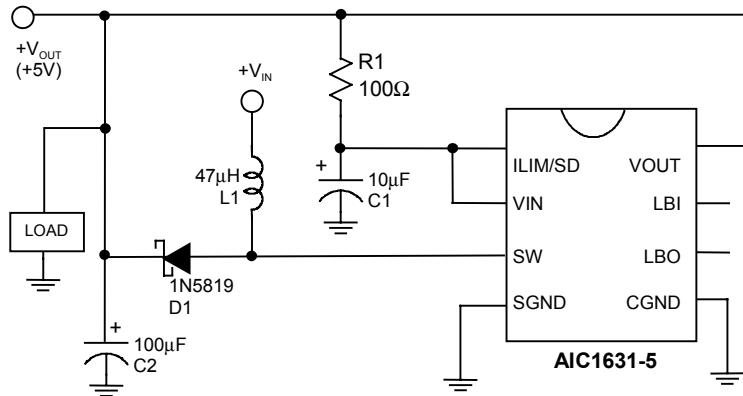


Fig. 4 1-Cell Input 5V Output Step-Up Converter

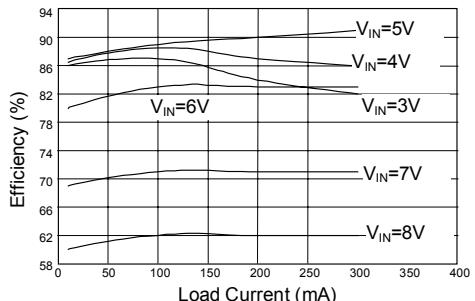
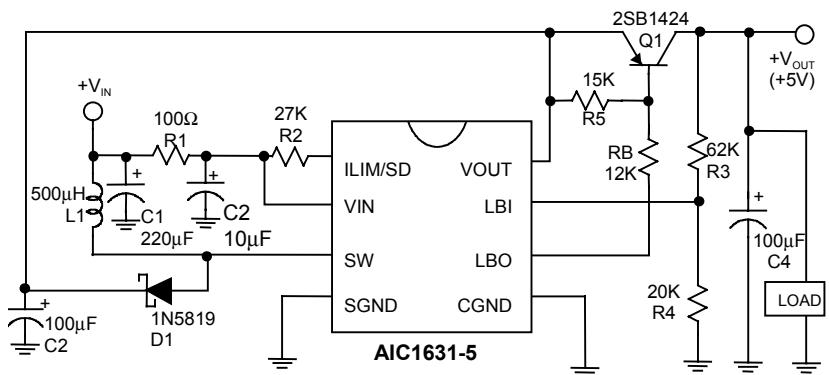


Fig. 5 4-Cell Input Step-Up / Step-Down Converter

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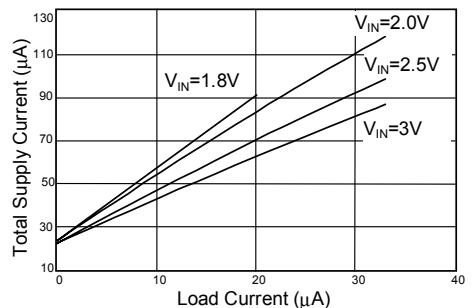
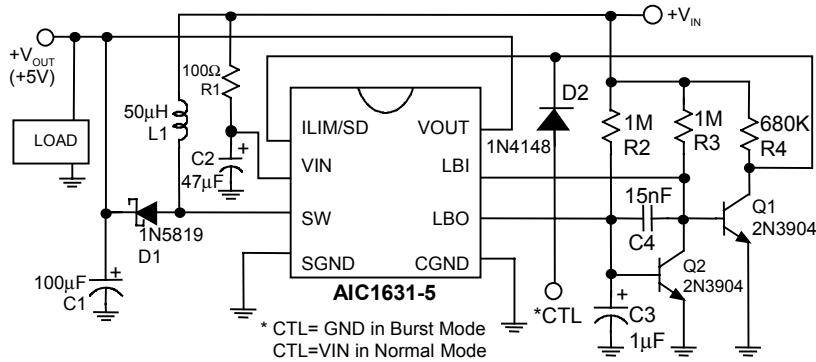


Fig. 6 Low Supply Current Burst Mode Step-Up Converter

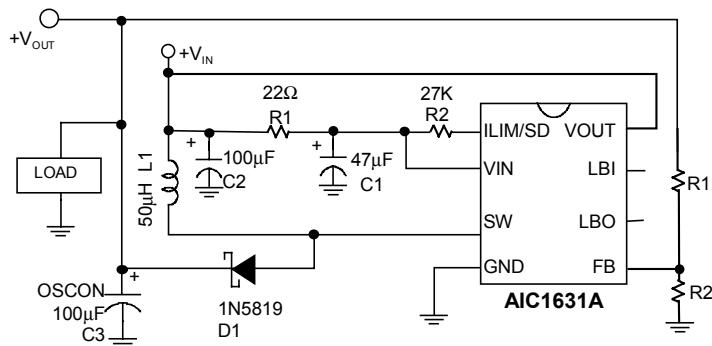
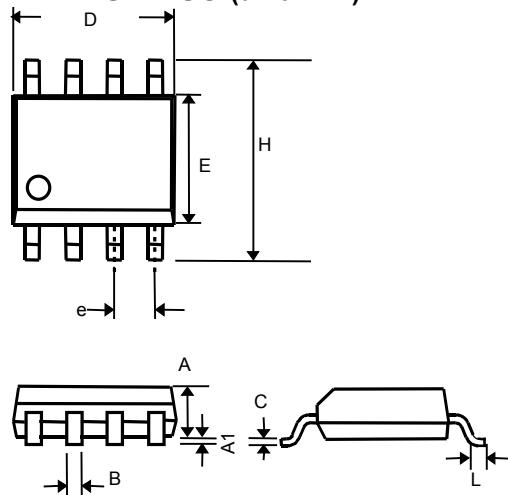


Fig. 7 Adjustable Output Voltage Step-Up Converter

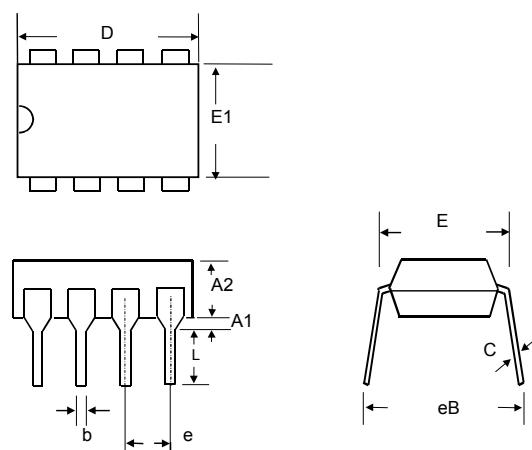
■ PHYSICAL DIMENSION

- 8 LEAD PLASTIC SO (unit: mm)



SYMBOL	MIN	MAX
A	1.35	1.75
A1	0.10	0.25
B	0.33	0.51
C	0.19	0.25
D	4.80	5.00
E	3.80	4.00
e	1.27(TYP)	
H	5.80	6.20
L	0.40	1.27

- 8 LEAD PLASTIC DIP (unit: mm)



SYMBOL	MIN	MAX
A1	0.381	—
A2	2.92	4.96
b	0.35	0.56
C	0.20	0.36
D	9.01	10.16
E	7.62	8.26
E1	6.09	7.12
e	2.54 (TYP)	
eB	—	10.92
L	2.92	3.81