

LTC4126-ADJ 10mA Wireless Charger Demonstration Kit

DESCRIPTION

Demonstration Kit DC3080-KIT features [LTC®4126-ADJ](#), wireless Li-Ion Charger with 1.2V Step-Down DC/DC Converter. This kit comprises a wireless transmitter DC3081A, a wireless receiver DC3078A and two 6mm application-sized receivers DC3079A.

DC3078A wireless charger receiver incorporates an external trickle charge circuit that reduces the charge current to

1mA when a deeply discharged battery with voltage lower than 2.8V is plugged in. The combination of DC3081A transmitter and DC3078A receiver can charge a single Li-Ion battery at up to 10mA with an airgap of 4.0mm to 8.0mm.

[Design files for this circuit board are available.](#)

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BOARD PHOTO

- 1 x DC3078A (LTC4126-ADJ) Receiver Demo Board
- 2 x DC3079A (LTC4126-ADJ) 6mm Application-Sized Receiver Demo Board
- 1 x DC3081A (LTC6990) Transmitter Demo Board

PERFORMANCE SUMMARY

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

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | CONDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS |
|----------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| V_{IN} | DC3081A Voltage Input | | 4.5 | | 5.5 | V |
| I_{BAT} | DC3078A Charge Current in CC Mode | | | 10 | | mA |
| V_{BAT} | DC3078A Float Voltage | | | 4.2 | | V |
| f_{DRIVE} | DC3081A Drive Frequency | | | 205 | | kHz |
| f_{TX_TANK} | DC3081A Resonant Tank Frequency | | | 255 | | kHz |
| f_{RX_TANK} | DC3078A Resonant Tank Frequency | | | 203 | | kHz |
| AIR-GAP | Airgap Between DC3078A and DC3081A | $I_{BAT} = 10\text{mA}$ | 4 | | 8 | mm |

TYPICAL APPLICATION SCHEMATIC

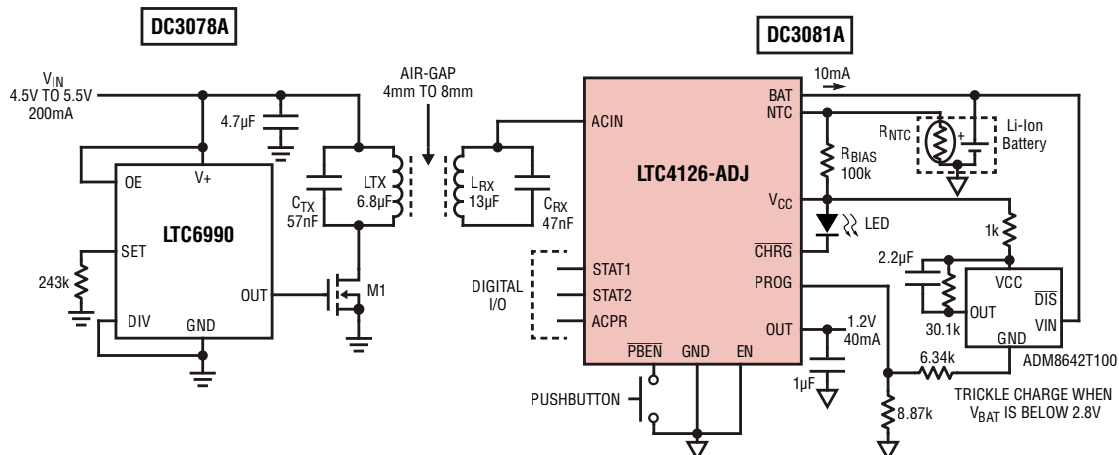


Figure 1. 10mA Wireless Charging System Using DC3078A and DC3081A

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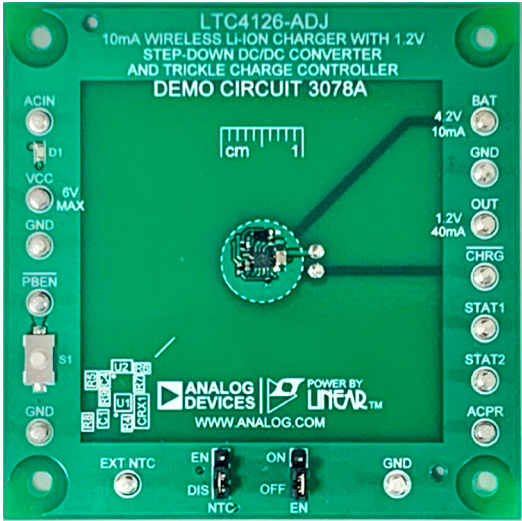


Figure 2. DC3078A Front

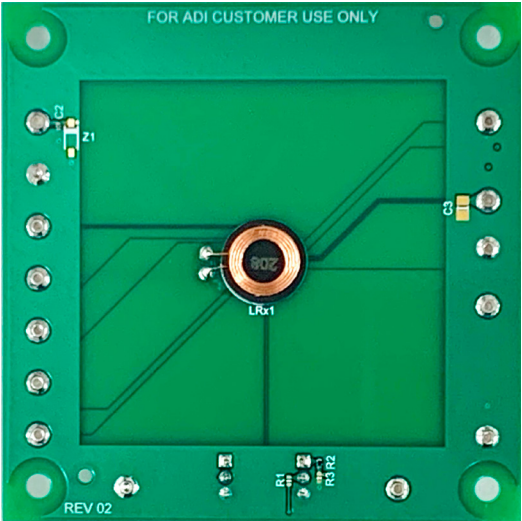


Figure 3. DC3078A Back

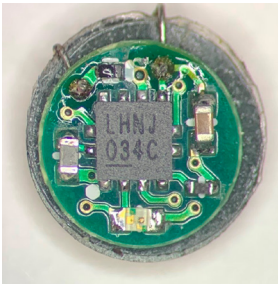


Figure 4. DC3079A Front



Figure 5. DC3079A Back

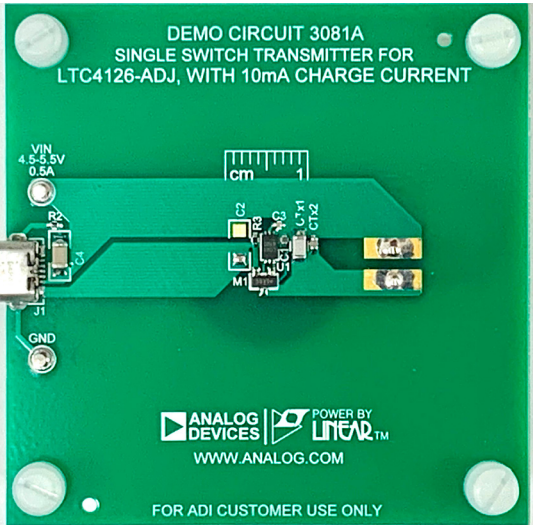


Figure 6. DC3081A Front

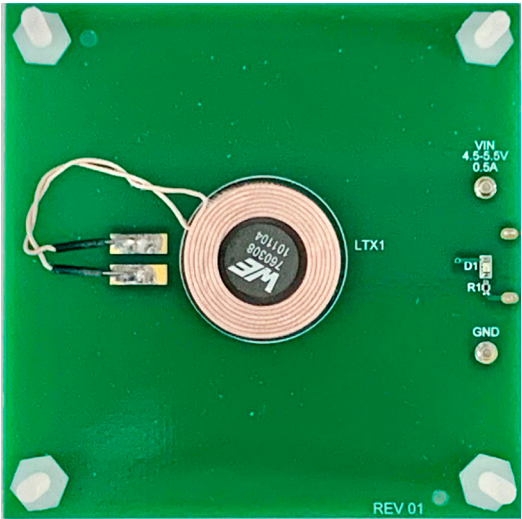


Figure 7. DC3081A Back

QUICK START PROCEDURE

Refer to Figure 9 and Figure 11 for the proper measurement equipment setup and follow the procedure below:

1. Connect a voltage source PS1 and a 50Ω resistor RBAT1 between the BAT and GND turrets of the DC3078A as shown in Figure 9. PS1 and RBAT1 make up the battery emulator. Typical power supply cannot sink current. By adding a resistor across the power supply inputs that draws more current than the maximum battery charge current, the power supply only sources current at all time. Connect a voltmeter VM1 to measure the BAT pin to GND voltage. Connect an ammeter AM1 to measure the charge current to the battery emulator.
2. Connect a voltage source PS2 between the VIN and GND turrets of the DC3081A, as shown in Figure 10.
3. Set PS1 to 2.5V, and power up PS1. Set PS2 to 5V, and power up PS2. The LED indicator on DC3078A receiver board should start blinking slowly, indicating power is delivered to the receiver. AM1 should read around 1mA trickle charge current.
4. Slowly increase PS1 until VM1 reads 3.6V. The charge current should jump up to 10mA. Further increase PS1 voltage slowly, until VM1 reads 4.2V. The charge current should drop to zero.
5. Connect an electronic load LD1 and a voltmeter between OUT and GND pin. If EN jumper is at ON position, VM2 should read 1.2V. If not, OUT can be turned on/off by the pushbutton.
6. When OUT is on, set LD1 to CC mode. Slowly tune up the load current to 40mA. VM2 should be regulated at around 1.2V
7. Turn off LD1, PS2 and PS1.
8. To test DC3079A, 6mm application-sized demo, please remove the DC3078A away from DC3081A. Place DC3079A on top of the DC3081A transmitter coil LTx1.
9. Turn on PS1. The LED on DC3079A should start blinking slowly, indicating power is delivered to the receiver.

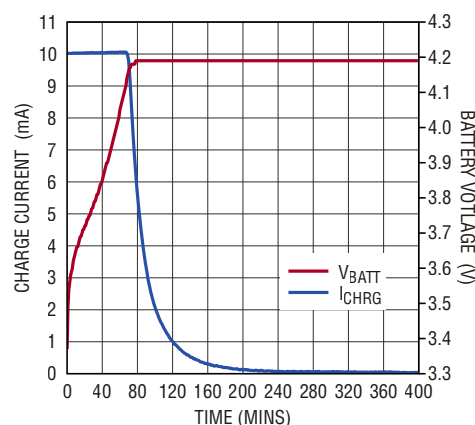


Figure 8. DC3078A and DC3081A Wireless Charging Profile with 19mAh Li-Ion Battery

TEST SETUP

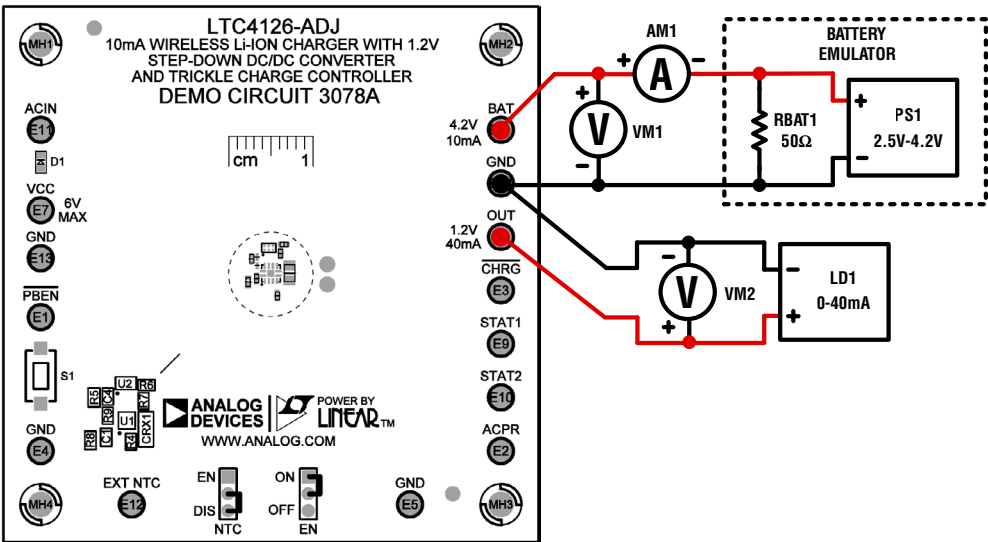


Figure 9. Test Setup for DC3078A Receiver

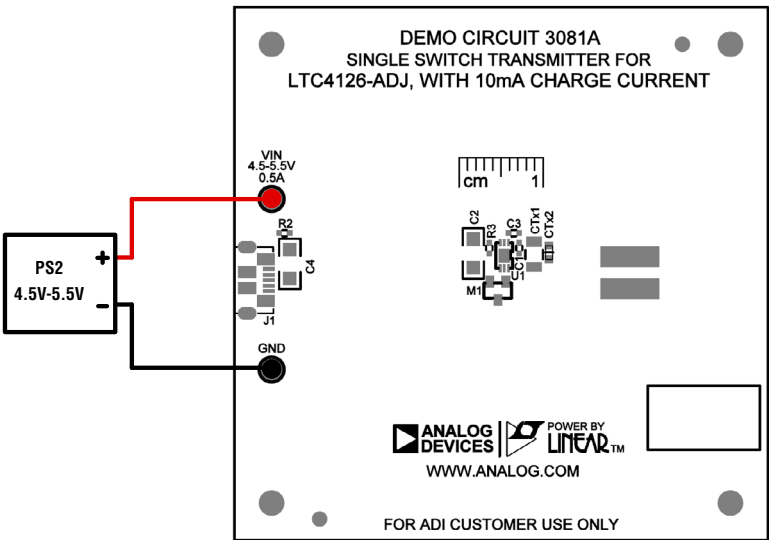


Figure 10. Test Setup for DC3081 Transmitter

TEST SETUP

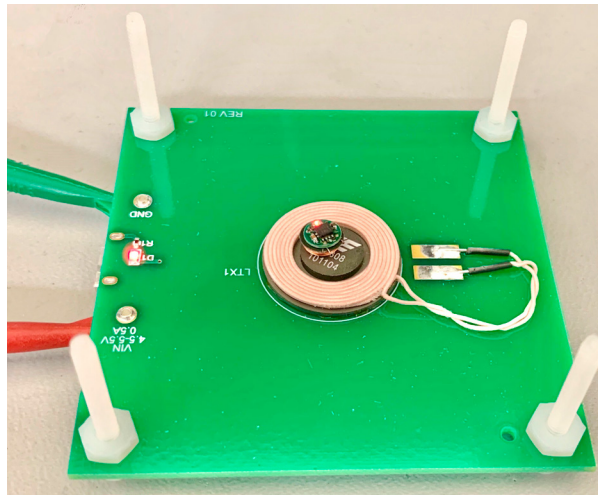


Figure 11. Test Setup for DC3079A 6mm Application-Sized Receiver

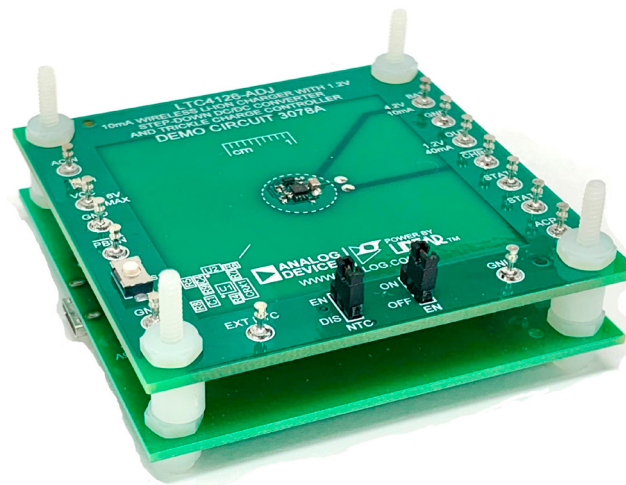


Figure 12. DC3078A and DC3081A Combination

THEORY OF OPERATION

The DC3080A-KIT demonstrates the operation of LTC4126-ADJ, wireless battery charger. This kit is composed of a DC3081A transmitter board, a DC3078A receiver board and two DC3079A 6mm application-sized receiver boards.

DC3078A Wireless Charger Receiver Board

DC3078A features the LTC4126-ADJ, a wireless Li-Ion charger with 1.2V step-down DC/DC converter. The charge current in CC mode is 10mA. This charge current is programmed by the resistor on PROG pin of LTC4126-ADJ.

To efficiently receive energy from the transmitter, the resonant frequency of this receiver board is set up to be 203kHz, matching the drive frequency of the transmitter board. The LTC4126-ADJ rectifies the resonant AC voltage to generate V_{CC} . When enough energy is received by the LTC4126-ADJ, V_{CC} is kept between 5-5.5V by a wireless power manager. As V_{CC} voltage reaches 5.5V, the resonant tank will be shunted to GND. In this way, receiver stops receiving energy and V_{CC} starts to drop until it reaches 5V. The resonant tank also receives less power when the shunting circuit is engaged, as the resonant frequency is detuned from the transmitter frequency.

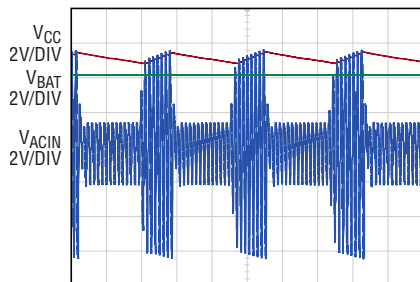


Figure 13. Rectification of AC Input and Regulation of DC Rail Voltage

The transmitter board also includes an external circuit to achieve the trickle charge function. When a low voltage (<2.8V) battery is connected, the charge current is reduced to 1mA until BAT pin voltage rises over 2.8V.

When BAT pin is lower than 2.8V before charging, the comparator on board will inject current to the PROG pin resistor once V_{CC} is available. The effective current coming out from PROG pin is reduced. As PROG pin output current is proportional to charge current, the charge current is reduced. When the battery voltage is charged up to above 2.8V, the comparator stops injecting current and the charge current increases to the original programmed level.

DC3081A Wireless Charger Transmitter Board

The DC3081A is a wireless power transmitter board, using LTC6990 TimerBlox. The NMOS M1 is driven by a 50% duty cycle square wave generated by the oscillator. During the first half of the cycle, M1 is switched on and the current through the resonant tank rises linearly. During the second half of the cycle, M1 is switched off and the current circulates through the resonant tank. When the transmit resonant tank frequency is set to about 1.29 times the driving frequency, M1 is turned on at zero voltage, and the switching loss is significantly reduced. The peak voltage of the transmit resonant tank that appears at the drain of M1 is :

$$V_{IN} = 1.038 \times \pi \times V_{IN} \quad (1)$$

This equation is derived by performing voltage second balance equation on the resonant tank inductor.

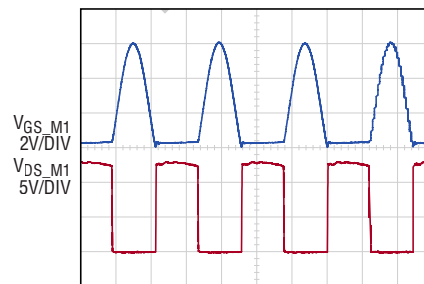


Figure 14. ZVS Operation on M1

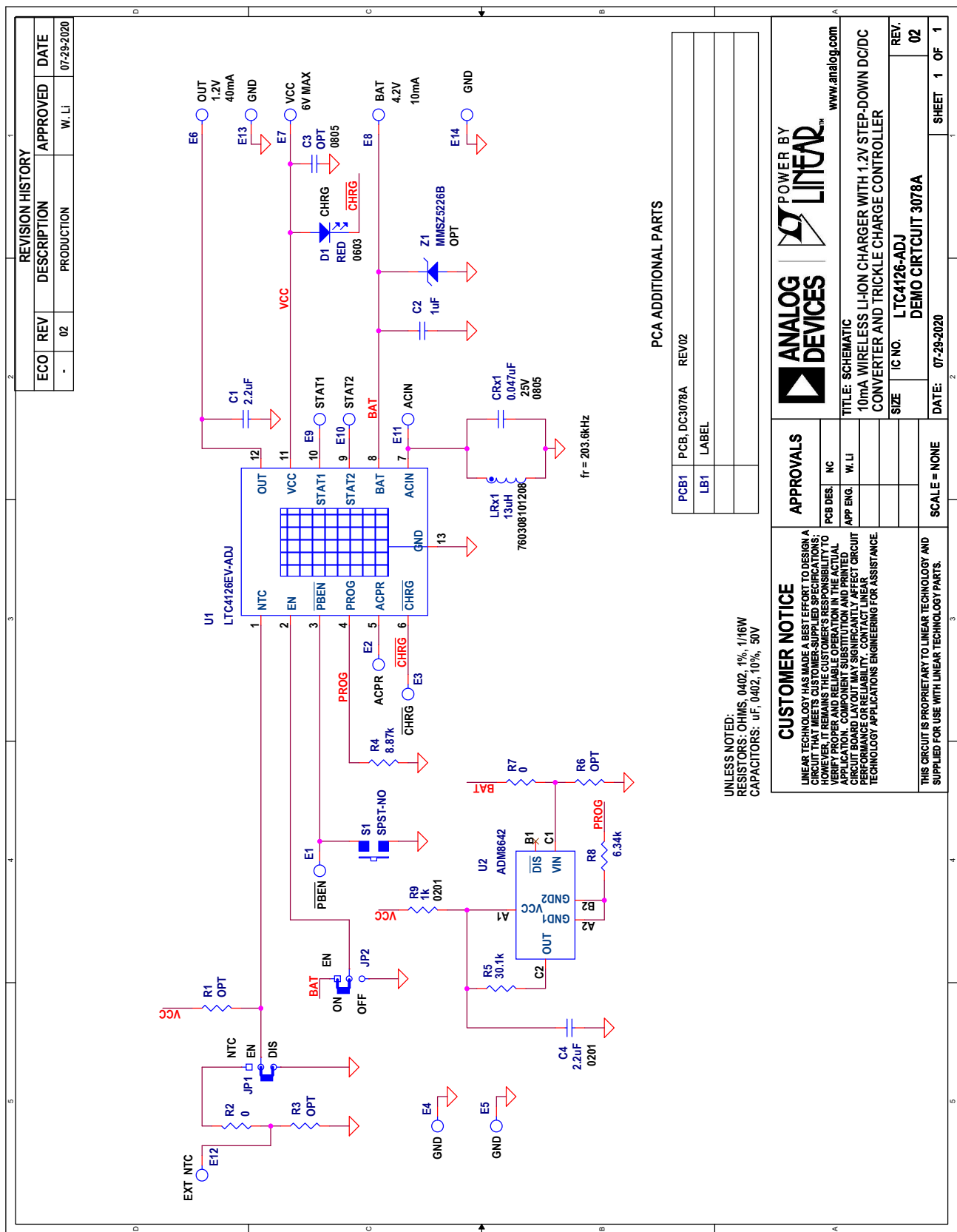
PARTS LIST

| ITEM | QTY | REFERENCE | PART DESCRIPTION | MANUFACTURER/PART NUMBER |
|---|-----|------------|---|---|
| DC3078A Evaluation Receiver: Required Circuit Components | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | C1 | CAP, 2.2uF, X5R, 16V, 20%, 0402 | TDK, C1005X5R1C225M050BC |
| 2 | 1 | C2 | CAP, 1uF, X5R, 16V, 10%, 0402 | AVX, 0402YD105KAT2A |
| 3 | 1 | C4 | CAP CER 2.2UF 6.3V X5R 0201 | MURATA, GRM033R60J225ME47D |
| 4 | 1 | CRx1 | CAP, 0.047uF, C0G, 25V, 5%, 0805, AEC-Q200 | KEMET, C0805C473J3GACAUTO |
| 5 | 1 | LRx1 | IND., 13uH, WIRELESS CHRG. COIL RX. Qi, 10%, 0.8A, 500mOHMS, 10mm Dia x 1.68mm H, | WURTH ELEKTRONIK, 760308101208 |
| 6 | 1 | R4 | RES., 8.87k OHMS, 1%, 1/16W, 0402, AEC-Q200 | ROHM, MCR01MZPF8871 |
| 7 | 1 | R5 | RES., 30.1k OHMS, 1%, 1/16W, 0402, AEC-Q200 | NIC, NRC04F3012TRF |
| 8 | 1 | R7 | RES., 0 OHM, 1/16W, 0402 | NIC, NRC04ZOTRF |
| 9 | 1 | R9 | RES 1 KOHM, ERJ1G Series, 25V, 0201, 50 mW | PANASONIC, ERJ-1GEJ102C |
| 10 | 1 | U1 | IC, Li-ion Charger with Step-Down Reg. for Hearing Aids with Adj. Current, LQFN-12 | ANALOG DEVICES, INC., LTC4126EV-ADJ#PBF |
| DC3078A: Additional Circuit Components | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | D1 | LED, RED, WATER-CLEAR, 0603 | LITE-ON, LTST-C193KRKT-5A |
| 2 | 1 | R2 | RES., 0 OHM, 5%, 1/16W, 0402 | ROHM, MCR01MZPJ000 |
| DC3078A: Hardware, For Demo Board Only | | | | |
| 1 | 2 | E1-E14 | TEST POINT, TURRET, 0.064" MTG. HOLE, PCB 0.062" THK | MILL-MAX, 2308-2-00-80-00-00-07-0 |
| 2 | 1 | JP1, JP2 | CONN., HDR, MALE, 1x3, 2mm, VERT, ST, THT | WURTH ELEKTRONIK, 62000311121 |
| 2 | 1 | XJP1, XJP3 | CONN., SHUNT, FEMALE, 2 POS, 2mm | WURTH ELEKTRONIK, 60800213421 |
| DC3079A 6mm Receiver: Required Circuit Components | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | COUT1 | CAP, 2.2uF, X5R, 16V, 20%, 0402 | TDK, C1005X5R1C225M050BC |
| 2 | 1 | CRx1 | CAP, 0.068uF, X7R, 25V, 10%, 0402, AEC-Q200 | TDK, CGA2B3X7R1E683K050BB |
| 3 | 1 | LRx1 | IND., 7.2uH, WIRELESS CHRG. COIL RX., +/-10%, 500mA, 440mOHMS, 6mmX2mm, 1 COIL, 1 LAYER | WURTH ELEKTRONIK, 760308101216 |
| 4 | 1 | R1 | RES., 8.87k OHMS, 1%, 1/20W, 0201, AEC-Q200 | PANASONIC, ERJ1GNF8871C |
| 4 | 1 | RT1 | RES., 100k OHMS, 1%, 0201, NTC THERMISTOR | TDK, NTCG064EF104FTBX |
| 5 | 1 | U1 | IC, 100mA Wireless Li-Ion Charger with Low Battery Disconnect, LQFN-12 | ANALOG DEVICES, INC., LTC4124EV#PBF |
| DC3079A: Additional Circuit Components | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | D1 | LED, RED, CLEAR, 0402, SMD | ROHM, SML-P11UTT86 |
| 2 | 1 | Z1 | DIODE, ZENER, 3.3V, 100mW, 0201 | COMCHIP, CZRZ3V3B-HF |

DEMO MANUAL DC3080A-KIT

| ITEM | QTY | REFERENCE | PART DESCRIPTION | MANUFACTURER/PART NUMBER |
|---|-----|-----------|--|---------------------------------|
| DC3081A Transmitter: Required Circuit Components | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | C1 | CAP, 4.7uF, X5R, 10V, 10%, 0402 | TDK, C1005X5R1A475K050BC |
| 2 | 1 | C3 | CAP, 0.1uF, X5R, 10V, 10%, 0402 | AVX, 0402ZD104KAT2A |
| 3 | 1 | CTx1 | CAP, 0.047uF, C0G, 50V, 5%, 1206 | MURATA, GCM31M5C1H473JA16L |
| 4 | 1 | CTx2 | CAP, 0.01uF, C0G, 25V, 5%, 0603 | KEMET, C0603C103J3GACTU |
| 5 | 1 | LTx1 | IND., 6.8uH, WIRELESS CHRG. COIL, 10%, 2.5A, 125mOHMS, 20.5mm Dia x 2.6mm H | WURTH ELEKTRONIK, 760308101104 |
| 6 | 1 | R3 | RES., 243k OHMS, 1%, 1/16W, 0402, AEC-Q200 | NIC, NRC04F2433TRF |
| 7 | 1 | M1 | XSTR., MOSFET, N-CH, 20V, 6A, SOT23-3 | VISHAY, Si2312CDS-T1-GE3 |
| 8 | 1 | U1 | OSCILLATOR, TimerBlox: VCO, 5pF, 90ppm, DFN-5 | ANALOG DEVICES, LTC6990CDCB#PBF |
| DC3081A: Additional Circuit Components | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | D1 | LED, RED, WATER-CLEAR, 0603 | LITE-ON, LTST-C193KRKT-5A |
| 2 | 1 | C4 | CAP, 100uF, X5R, 6.3V, 20%, 1206 | MURATA, GRM31CR60J107ME39L |
| 3 | 1 | R1 | RES., 2.2k OHMS, 5%, 1/16W, 0402, AEC-Q200 | VISHAY, CRCW04022K20JNED |
| 4 | 1 | R2 | RES., 1 OHM, 1%, 1/16W, 0402, AEC-Q200 | VISHAY, CRCW04021R00FKED |
| DC3081A: Hardware, For Demo Board Only | | | | |
| 1 | 2 | E1, E2 | TEST POINT, TURRET, 0.064" MTG. HOLE, PCB 0.062" | MILL-MAX, LTST-C193KRKT-5A |
| 1 | 1 | J1 | CONN., uUSB 2.0, RCPT., 5-PIN, 1PORT, REVERSE MOUNT, R/A HORZ., TYPE B, FLANGELESS | TE CONNECTIVITY, 1932788-1 |

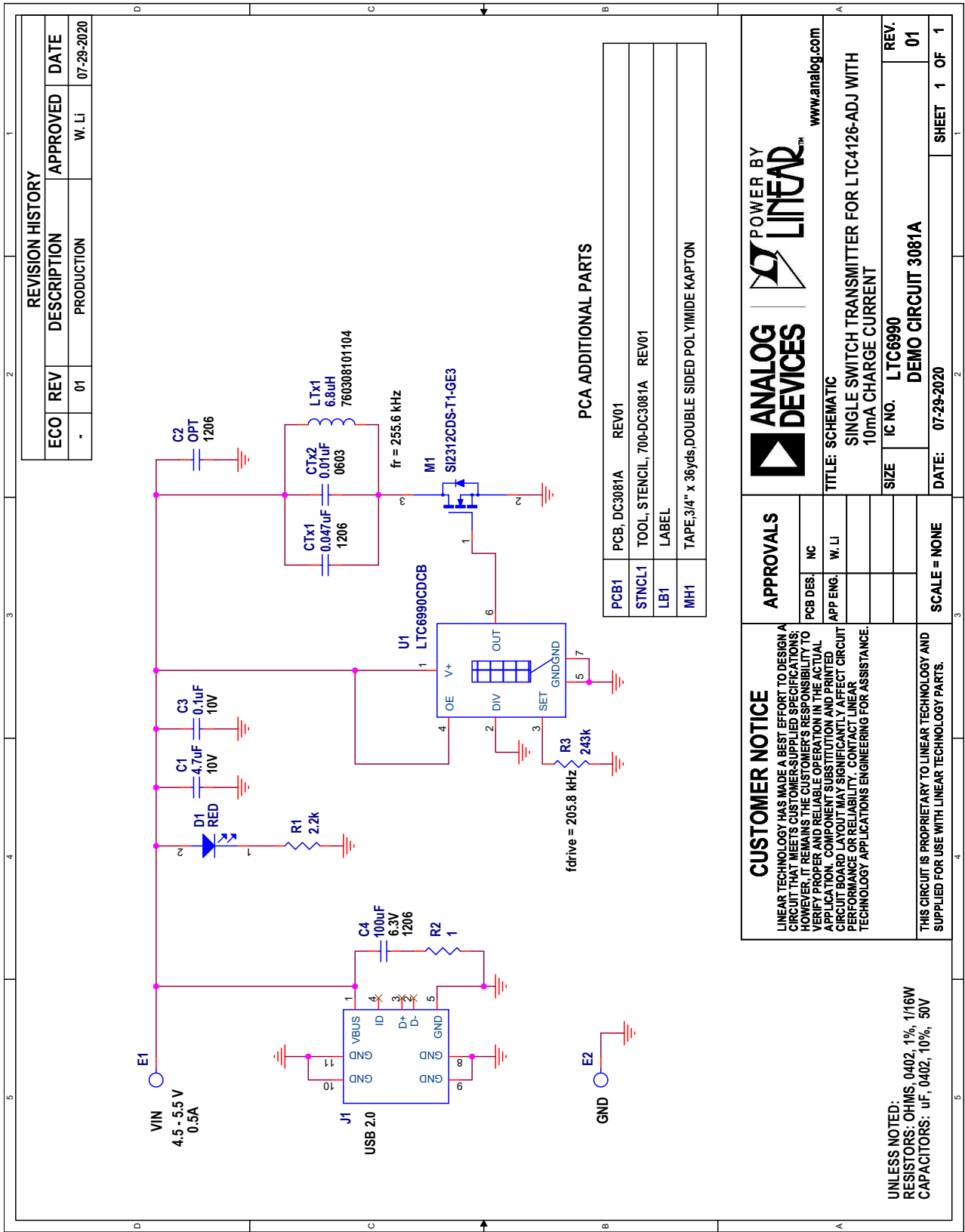
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