ISL6228EVAL3Z User Guide

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Introduction

The ISL6228EVAL3Z evaluation board demonstrates the performance of the ISL6228 dual-channel PWM controller. The ISL6228 features Intersil's Robust Ripple Regulator (R^3) technology. Channel-1 output voltage is 1.5V or 1.8V, pending the state of switch S5. Channel-2 output voltage is 1.8V. Each channel has an on-board dynamic-load generator included for evaluating the transient-load response. It applies a 300µs pulse of 4.5A load across V_{O1} and GND, and it applies a 300µs pulse of 5A load across V_{O2} and GND.

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TABLE 1. DC/DC DESIGN CRITERIA

PARAMETER	VALUE	UNITS
V_{IN}	3.3 to 25	VDC
V_O	0.6 to 5	VDC
Full-load	8	ADC
PWM Frequency	270, 300	kHz

Recommended Equipment

- (QTY 2) Adjustable 25V, 3A Power Supply
- (QTY 1) Fixed 5V, 100mA Power Supply
- (QTY 1) Fixed 12V, 100mA Power Supply
- (QTY 1) Adjustable 20A Constant Current Electronic Load
- (QTY 1) Digital Voltmeter
- (QTY 1) Four-Channel Oscilloscope

Interface Connections

- V_{IN1}: Input voltage to the power stage of Channel-1
  - J14: V_{IN1} positive power input
  - TP20: V_{IN1} positive voltage sense
  - J14: V_{IN1} return power input
  - TP21: V_{IN1} return voltage sense
- V_{IN2}: Input voltage to the power stage of Channel-2
  - J1: V_{IN2} positive power input
  - TP9: V_{IN2} positive voltage sense
  - J2: V_{IN2} return power input
  - TP10: V_{IN2} return voltage sense
- V_{O1}: Regulated output voltage from Channel-1
  - J9: V_{O1} positive power output
  - TP13: V_{O1} positive voltage sense
  - J10: V_{O1} return power output
  - TP14: V_{O1} return voltage sense
- V_{O2}: Regulated output voltage from Channel-2
  - J7: V_{O2} positive power output
  - TP11: V_{O2} positive voltage sense
  - J8: V_{O2} return power output
  - TP12: V_{O2} return voltage sense
- VCC: +5V input voltage
  - TP1: 5V positive input
  - TP2: 5V return input
- +12V: Input voltage for the dynamic-load generator
  - TP15: 12V positive input
  - TP16: 12V return input

Test Set-up

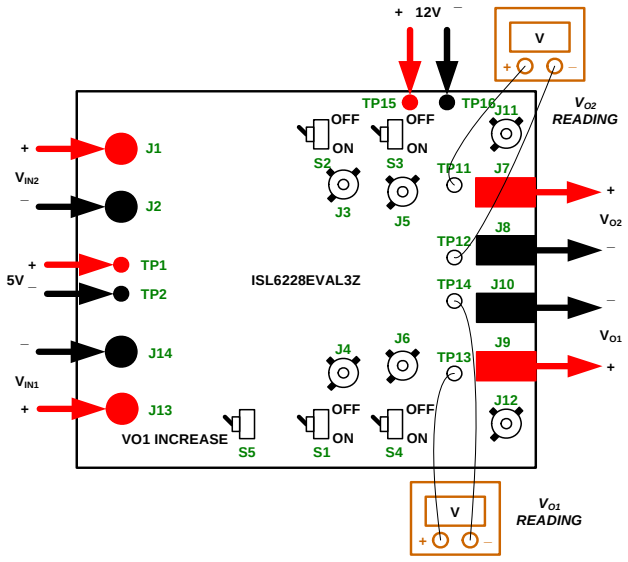


FIGURE 1. TEST SET-UP

Switch Descriptions

- S1: Channel-1 Enable
  - OFF: Short the Channel-1 EN pin to GND (disable PWM)
  - ON: Allow the Channel-1 EN pin to pull-up to +5V (enable PWM)
- S4: Channel-1 Dynamic Load
  - OFF: On-board Channel-1 dynamic load disabled
  - ON: On-board Channel-1 dynamic load enabled
- S5: Channel-1 V_O Increase
  - OFF: V_{O1} is 1.5V, determined by R_{15} and R_{23}.
  - ON: Parallel R_{49} with R_{15}. V_{O1} is 1.8V.
- S2: Channel-2 Enable
  - OFF: Short the Channel-2 EN pin to GND (disable PWM)
  - ON: Allow the Channel-2 EN pin to pull-up to +5V (enable PWM)
- S3: Channel-2 Dynamic Load
  - OFF: On-board Channel-2 dynamic load disabled
  - ON: On-board Channel-2 dynamic load enabled

Test-point Descriptions

- J4: Scope-probe socket for measuring PHASE1
- J6: Scope-probe socket for measuring V_{O1}
- J12: Scope-probe socket for measuring the current of the Channel-1 on-board transient-load emulator
- J3: Scope-probe socket for measuring the PHASE2 node
- J5: Scope-probe socket for measuring V_{O2}
- J11: Scope-probe socket for measuring the current of the Channel-2 on-board transient-load emulator
- TP1: Monitor the 5V positive input
- TP2: Monitor the 5V return input
- TP3: Monitor the PGOOD2 pin
- TP4: Monitor the PGOOD1 pin
- TP5: The common node of R_{24} and R_{20}; Useful for Channel-1 loop gain measurement.
- TP6: The common node of R_{25} and R_{23}; Useful for Channel-2 loop gain measurement
- TP7: The V_{O1} side of R_{24}; Useful for Channel-1 loop gain measurement.
- TP8: The V_{O2} side of R_{25}; Useful for Channel-1 loop gain measurement.
- TP9: Monitor the V_{IN1} positive input
- TP10: Monitor the V_{IN1} return input
- TP11: Monitor the positive V_{O1} output
- TP12: Monitor the V_{O1} return output
- TP13: Monitor the positive V_{O2} output
- TP14: Monitor the V_{O2} return output
- TP15: Monitor the 12V positive input
- TP16: Monitor the 12V return input
- TP17: Monitor the EN1 pin
- TP18: Monitor the gate of transistor Q_{18}
- TP19: Monitor the EN2 pin
- TP20: Monitor the V_{IN2} positive input
- TP21: Monitor the V_{IN2} return input

Typical Performance

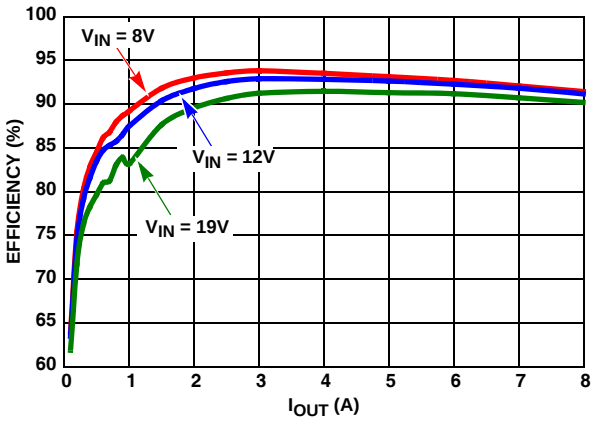
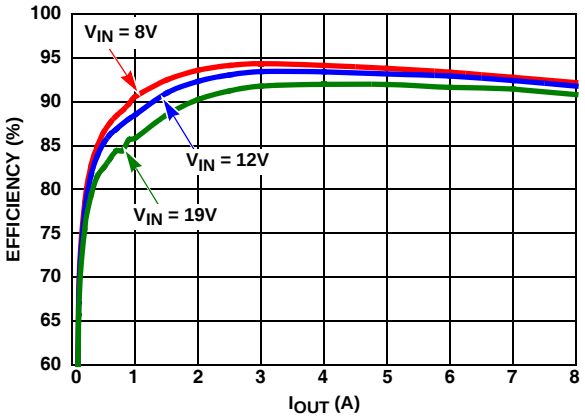


FIGURE 2. CHANNEL-1 EFFICIENCY AT V_O = 1.5V



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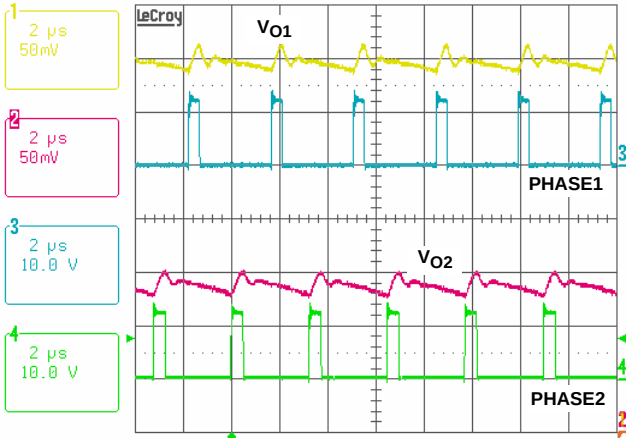


FIGURE 4. CCM STEADY-STATE OPERATION, V_{IN} = 12V, V_{O1} = 1.5V, I_{O1} = 3A, V_{O2} = 1.8A, I_{O2} = 4A

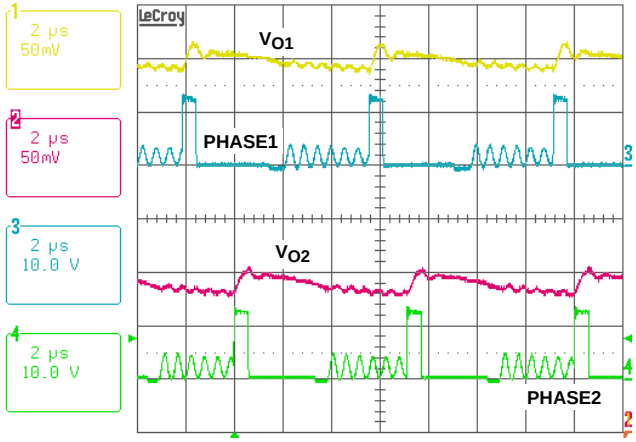
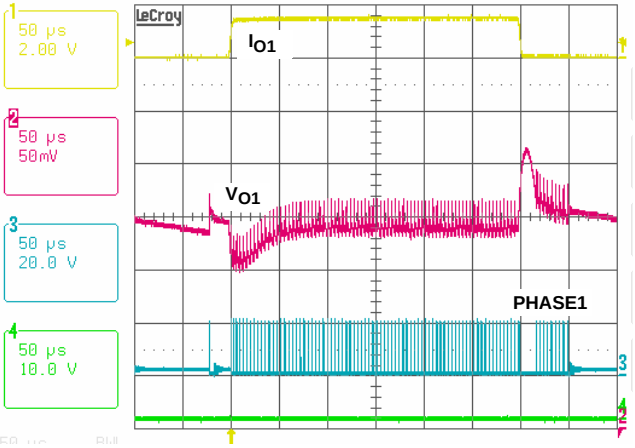


FIGURE 5. DCM STEADY-STATE OPERATION, V_{IN} = 12V, V_{O1} = 1.5V, I_{O1} = 0.5A, V_{O2} = 1.8V, I_{O2} = 0.5A



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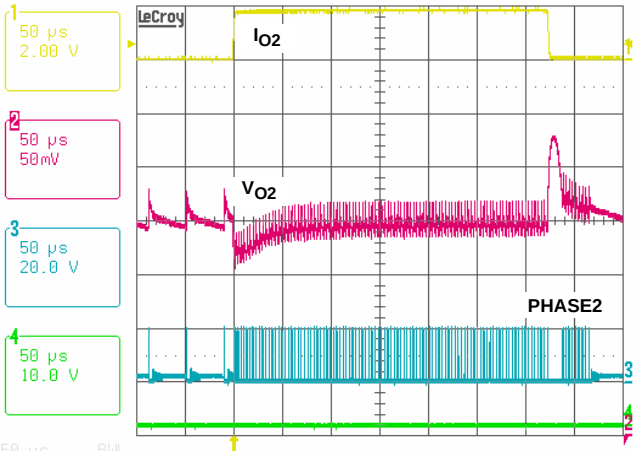


FIGURE 7. TRANSIENT RESPONSE, V_{IN} = 19V, V_O = 1.8V, I_O = 0.1A/5.1A @ 2.55A/µs

Typical Performance (Continued)

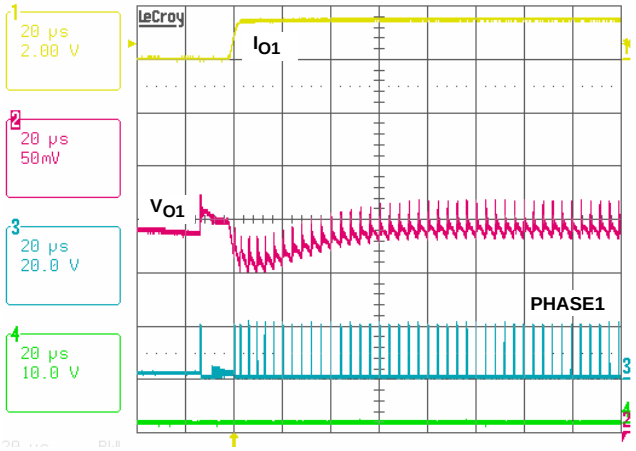
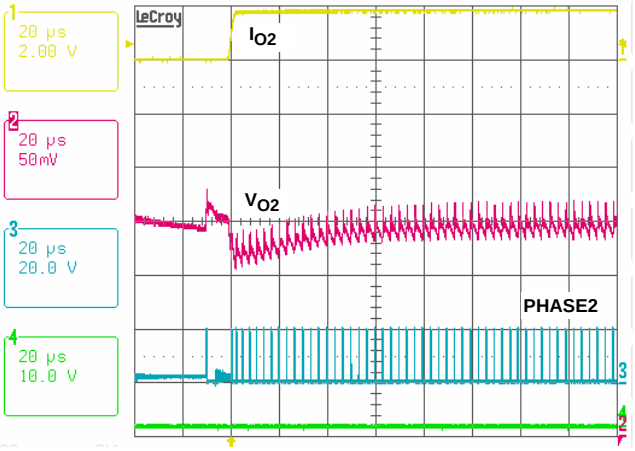


FIGURE 8. LOAD INSERTION RESPONSE, V_{IN} = 19V, V_O = 1.5V, I_O = 0.1A/4.6A @ 2.55Aµs



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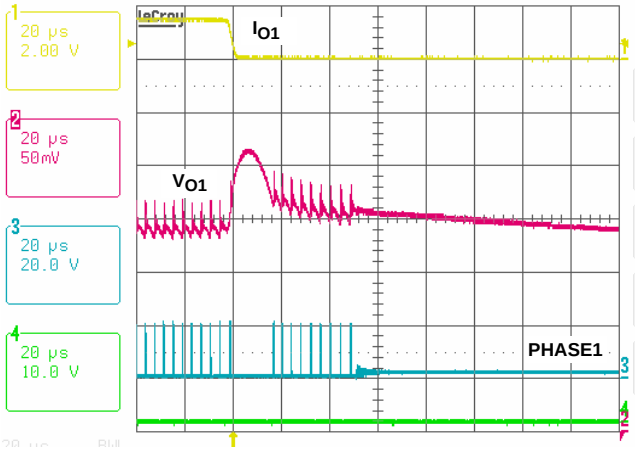

FIGURE 10. LOAD RELEASE RESPONSE, V_{IN} = 19V, V_O = 1.5V, I_O = 0.1A/4.6A @ 2.55A/µs

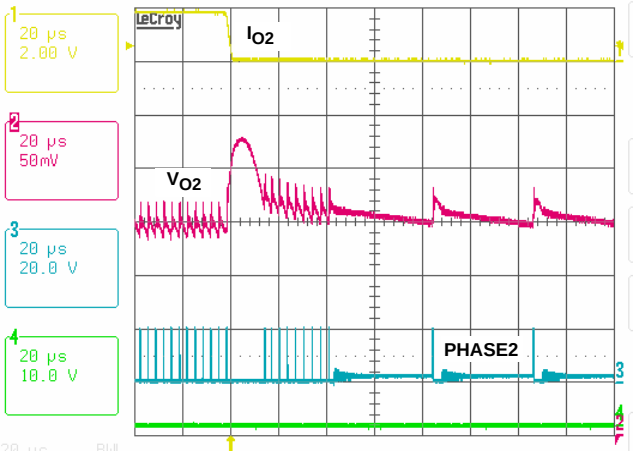

FIGURE 11. LOAD RELEASE RESPONSE, V_{IN} = 19V, V_O = 1.8V, I_O = 0.1A/5.1A @ 2.55A/µs

Bill of Materials

QTY	REFERENCE	DESCRIPTION	MANUFACTURER	PART NUMBER
0	DNP (C8, C9)	CAP, RADIAL, 56µF, 25V, ROHS	SANYO	25SP56M
2	C1, C3	CAP, SMD, 0603, 1000pF, 16V, 10%, X7R, ROHS	VENKEL	H1045-00102-16V10-T
5	C20, C21, C37, C40, C41	CAP, SMD, 0603, 0.1µF, 16V, 10%, X7R, ROHS	MURATA	H1045-00104-16V10-T
6	C2, C7, C30, C31, C36, C39	CAP, SMD, 0603, 1µF, 16V, 20%, Y5V, ROHS	MURATA	H1045-00105-16V20-T
2	C18, C19	CAP, SMD, 0603, 10µF, 6.3V, 20%, X5R, ROHS	TDK	H1045-00106-6R3V20-T
2	C5, C6	CAP, SMD, 0603, 2200pF, 50V, 10%, X7R, ROHS	MURATA	H1045-00222-50V10-T
2	C14, C15	CAP, SMD, 0603, 0.22µF, 16V, 10%, X7R, ROHS	TDK	H1045-00224-16V10-T
2	C4, C38	CAP, SMD, 0603, 0.22µF, 25V, 20%, X7R, ROHS	VENKEL	H1045-00224-25V20-T
2	C34, C35	CAP, SMD, 0805, 4.7µF, 16V, 10%, X5R, ROHS	PANASONIC	H1046-00475-16V10-T
0	DNP (C32, C33)	CAP, SMD, 0805, 4.7µF, 16V, 10%, X5R, ROHS	PANASONIC	H1046-00475-16V10-T
2	C16, C17	CAP, SMD, 1206, 1µF, 25V, 20%, X5R, ROHS	PANASONIC	H1065-00105-25V20-T
4	C10 to C13	CAP, SMD, 1206, 10µF, 25V, 20%, X5R, ROHS	PANASONIC	H1065-00106-25V20-T
2	C24, C27	CAP-LOW ESR, SMD, D3L, 330µF, 6.3V, 20%, POSCAP, ROHS	SANYO	6TPF330M9L
0	DNP (C22, C23, C25, C26, C28, C29)	CAP-LOW ESR, SMD, D3L, 330µF, 6.3V, 20%, POSCAP, ROHS	SANYO	6TPF330M9L
2	J1, J13	CONN-GEN, BIND.POST, INSUL-RED, THMBNUT-GND	JOHNSON COMPONENTS	111-0702-001
2	J2, J14	CONN-GEN, BIND.POST, INSUL-BLK, THMBNUT-GND	JOHNSON COMPONENTS	111-0703-001
0	J3 to J6, J11, J12	CONN-SCOPE PROBE TEST POINT, PCB MNT	TEKTRONIX	131-4353-00
4	TP1, TP2, TP15, TP16	CONN-TURRET, TERMINAL POST, TH, ROHS	KEYSTONE	1514-2
15	TP3 to TP14, TP17 to TP19	CONN-MINI TEST POINT, VERTICAL, WHITE, ROHS	KEYSTONE	5002
0	DNP (D3, D4)	DIODE-SCHOTTKY, SMD, SMB, 2P, 40V, 3A LOW VF, Pb-FREE	DIODES INC.	B340LB-13-F-T
2	D5, D6	DIODE-SCHOTTKY, SMD, SOT23, 3P, 30V, 200mA, DUAL DIODE	FAIRCHILD	BAT54S-T
2	D1, D2	LED, SMD, 4P, OTHER, POLARIZEDRED/GRN	LUMEX	SSL-LXA3025IGC
2	L1, L2	PWR CHOKE COIL, SMD, 13x12.9, 3.3µH, 20%, 18A, ROHS	Vishay	IHLP5050FDER3R3M01
2	U2, U3	IC-HI FREQ BRIDGE DRIVER, 8P, SOIC, 100V, ROHS	INTERSIL	HIP2100IBZ
1	U1	IC-DUAL CHANNEL CONTROLLER, 28P, QFN, ROHS	INTERSIL	ISL6228HRZ
5	Q11 to Q14, Q18	TRANSISTOR, N-CHANNEL, 3LD, SOT-23, 60V, 115mA, ROHS	DIODES INC.	2N7002-7-F-T
0	DNP (Q5, Q10)	TRANSISTOR-DUAL N-CHANNEL, 8P, SOIC, 30V, 7.5A, ROHS	FAIRCHILD	FDS6990AS
0	DNP (Q2, Q7)	TRANSISTOR-MOS, N-CHANNEL, 8P, SOIC, 30V, 9.1mΩ RDS, ROHS	INTERNATIONAL RECTIFIER	IRF7821PBF
2	Q1, Q6	TRANSISTOR-MOS, N-CHANNEL, 8P, SOIC, 30V, 9.1mΩ RDS, ROHS	INTERNATIONAL RECTIFIER	IRF7821PBF
0	DNP (Q4, Q9)	TRANSISTOR-MOS, N-CHANNEL, 8P, SOIC, 30V, 4.0mΩ RDS, ROHS	INTERNATIONAL RECTIFIER	IRF7832PBF
2	Q3, Q8	TRANSISTOR-MOS, N-CHANNEL, 8P, SOIC, 30V, 4.0mΩ RDS, ROHS	INTERNATIONAL RECTIFIER	IRF7832PBF
2	Q15, Q16	TRANSISTOR-MOS, N-CHANNEL, SMD, TO-252, 30V, 20A, ROHS	VISHAY	SUD50N03-07-E3
4	R9, R52, R53, R54	RES, SMD, 0603, 2Ω, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	YAGEO	H2511-00020-1/10W1-T
0	DNP (R12, R13, R57, R58)	RESISTOR, SMD, 0603, 0Ω, 1/10W, TF, ROHS	KOA	H2511-00R00-1/10W-T

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5	R7, R8, R21, R22, R51	RES, SMD, 0603, 10k, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	KOA	H2511-01002-1/10W1-T
2	R35, R37	RES, SMD, 0603, 1.07k, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	PANASONIC	H2511-01071-1/10W1-T
1	R49	RES, SMD, 0603, 162k, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	YAGEO	H2511-01623-1/10W1-T
2	R26, R27	RES, SMD, 0603, 2k, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	KOA	H2511-02001-1/10W1-T
1	R3	RES, SMD, 0603, 20k, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	KOA	H2511-02002-1/10W1-T
1	R4	RES, SMD, 0603, 22.1k, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	PANASONIC	H2511-02212-1/10W1-T
2	R34, R36	RES, SMD, 0603, 2.49k, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	KOA	H2511-02491-1/10W1-T
1	R14	RES, SMD, 0603, 22.6k, 1/16W, 1%, TF, ROHS	VENKEL	H2511-02262-1/10W1-T
4	R1, R2, R5, R6	RES, SMD, 0603, 499Ω, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	KOA	H2511-04990-1/10W1-T
2	R30, R31	RES, SMD, 0603, 49.9k, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	VENKEL	H2511-04992-1/10W1-T
1	R15	RES, SMD, 0603, 53.6k, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	YAGEO	H2511-05362-1/10W1-T
4	R16, R17, R28, R29	RES, SMD, 0603, 5.76k, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	ROHM	H2511-05761-1/10W1-T
2	R18, R19	RES, SMD, 0603, 590Ω, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	VENKEL	H2511-05900-1/10W1-T
2	R20, R23	RES, SMD, 0603, 80.6k, 1/10W, 1%, TF, ROHS	VENKEL	H2511-08062-1/10W1-T
0	DNP (R32, R33)	RES, SMD, 1206, 1.5Ω, 1/4W, 1%, TF, ROHS	VENKEL	H2513-001R5-1/4W1-T
4	R41, R43, R45, R47	RES, SMD, 1206, 1.5Ω, 1/4W, 1%, TF, ROHS	VENKEL	H2513-001R5-1/4W1-T
5	R38, R40, R42, R44, R46	RES, SMD, 1206, 1.8Ω, 1/4W, 1%, TF, ROHS	VENKEL	H2513-001R8-1/4W1-T
5	S1 to S5	SWITCH-TOGGLE, SMD, ULTRAMINI, 1P, SPST MINI	C&K COMPONENTS	GT11MSCBE-T
4	J7 to J10	MTG HDWR, CBL.TERMINAL-LUG and SCREW, 6 to 14AWG	BERG/FCI	KPA8CTP

ISL6228EVAL3Z Evaluation Board Schematic

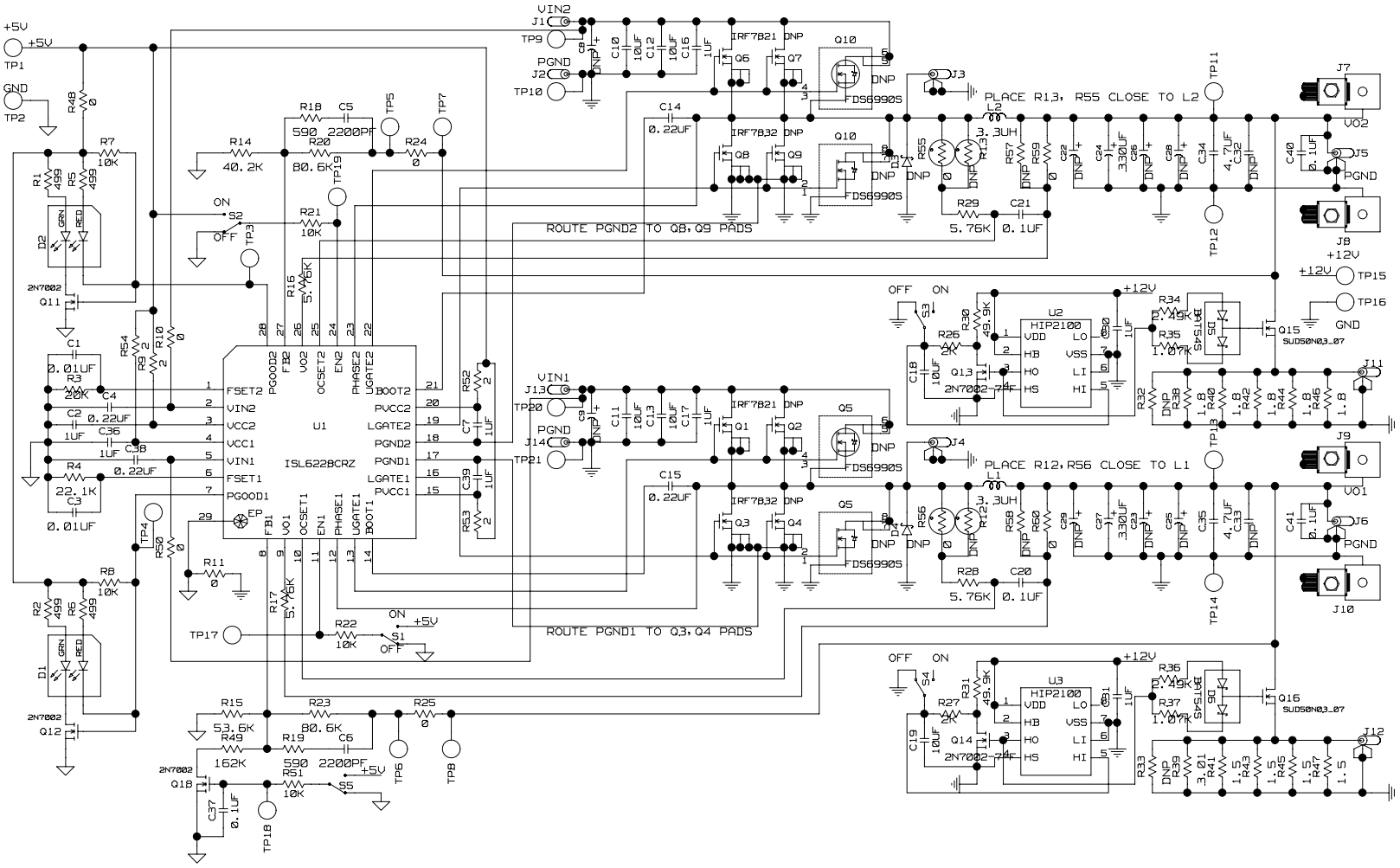
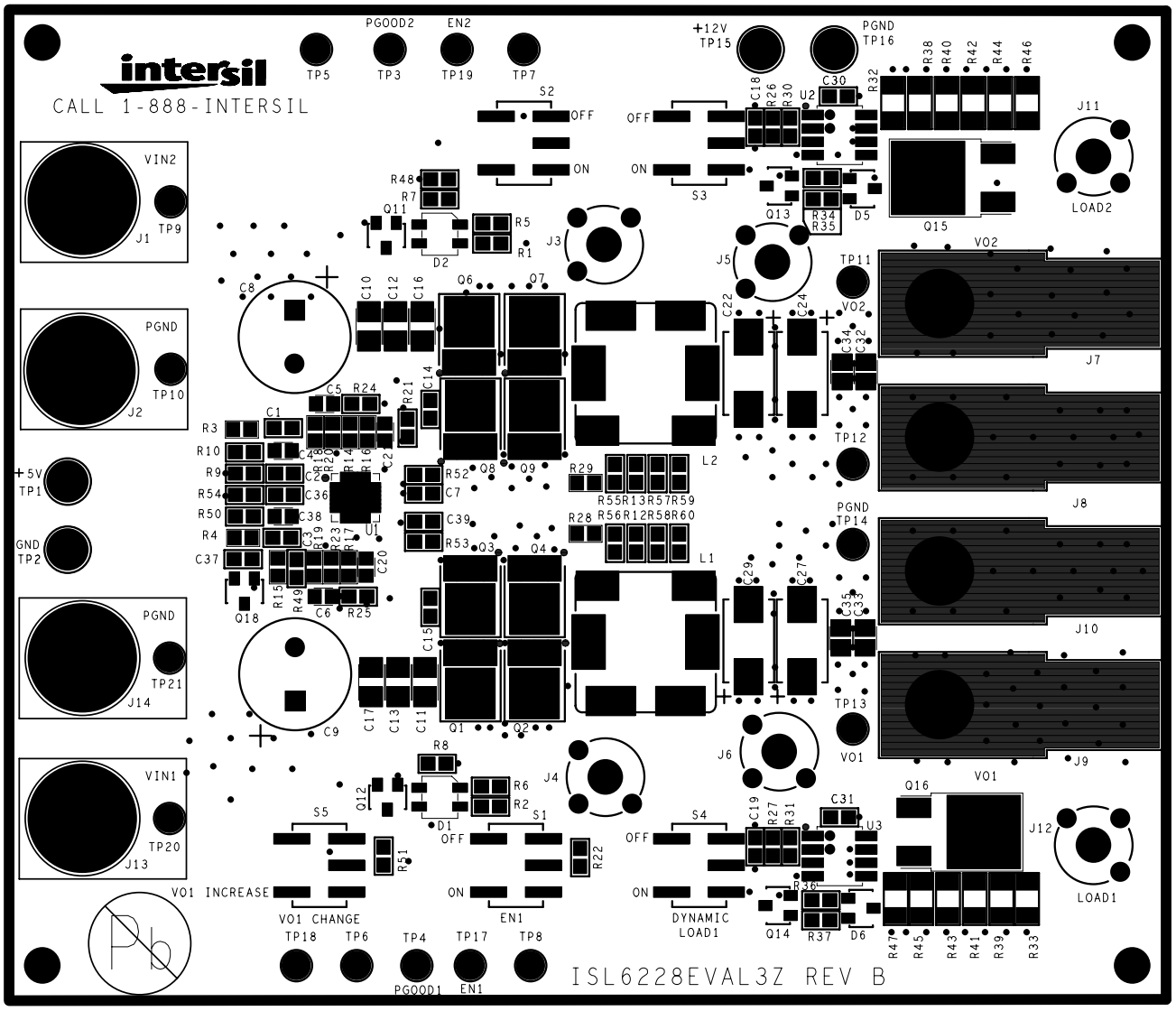


FIGURE 12. ISL6228EVAL3Z SCHEMATIC

ISL6228EVAL3Z Evaluation Board Layout



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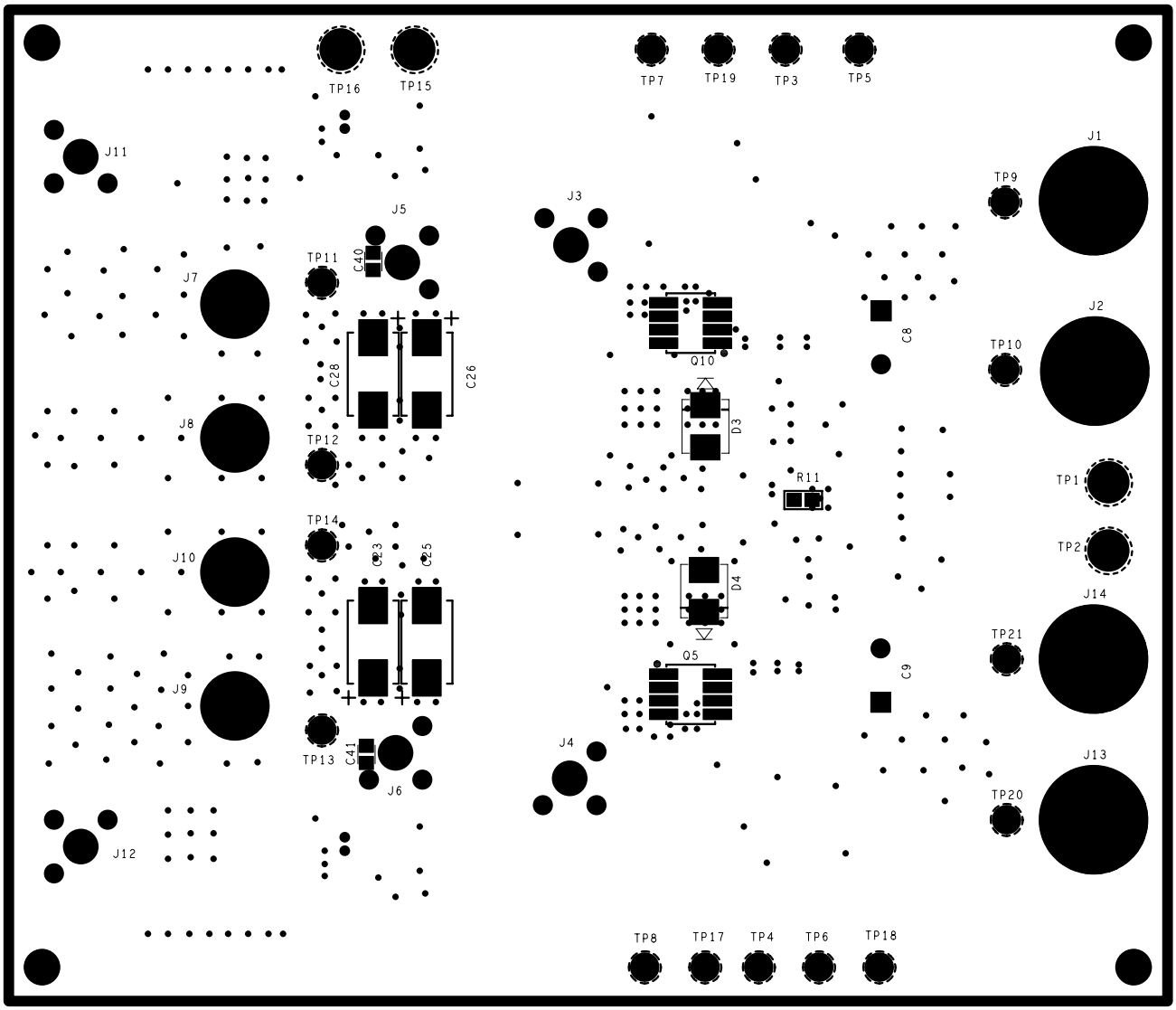

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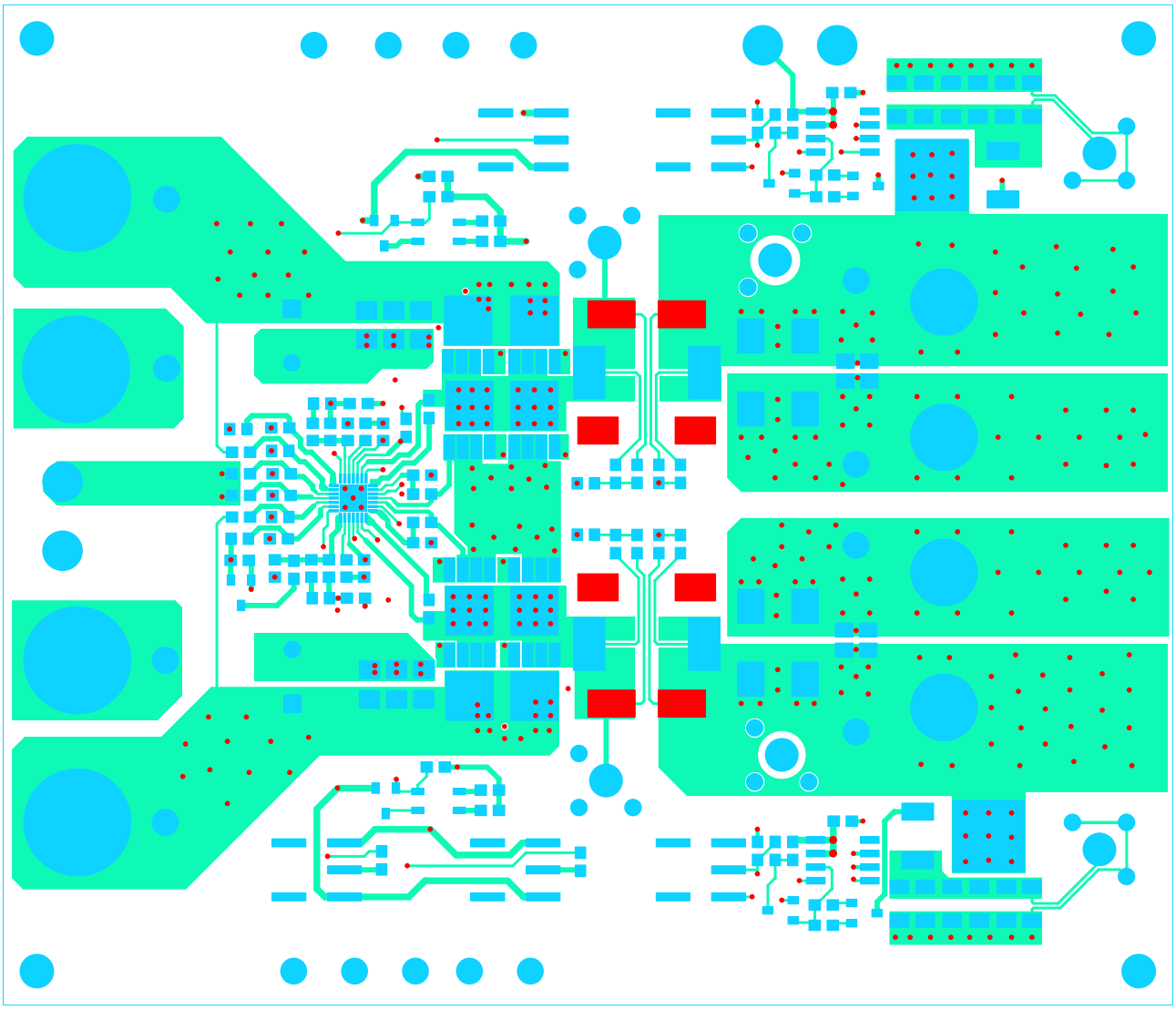

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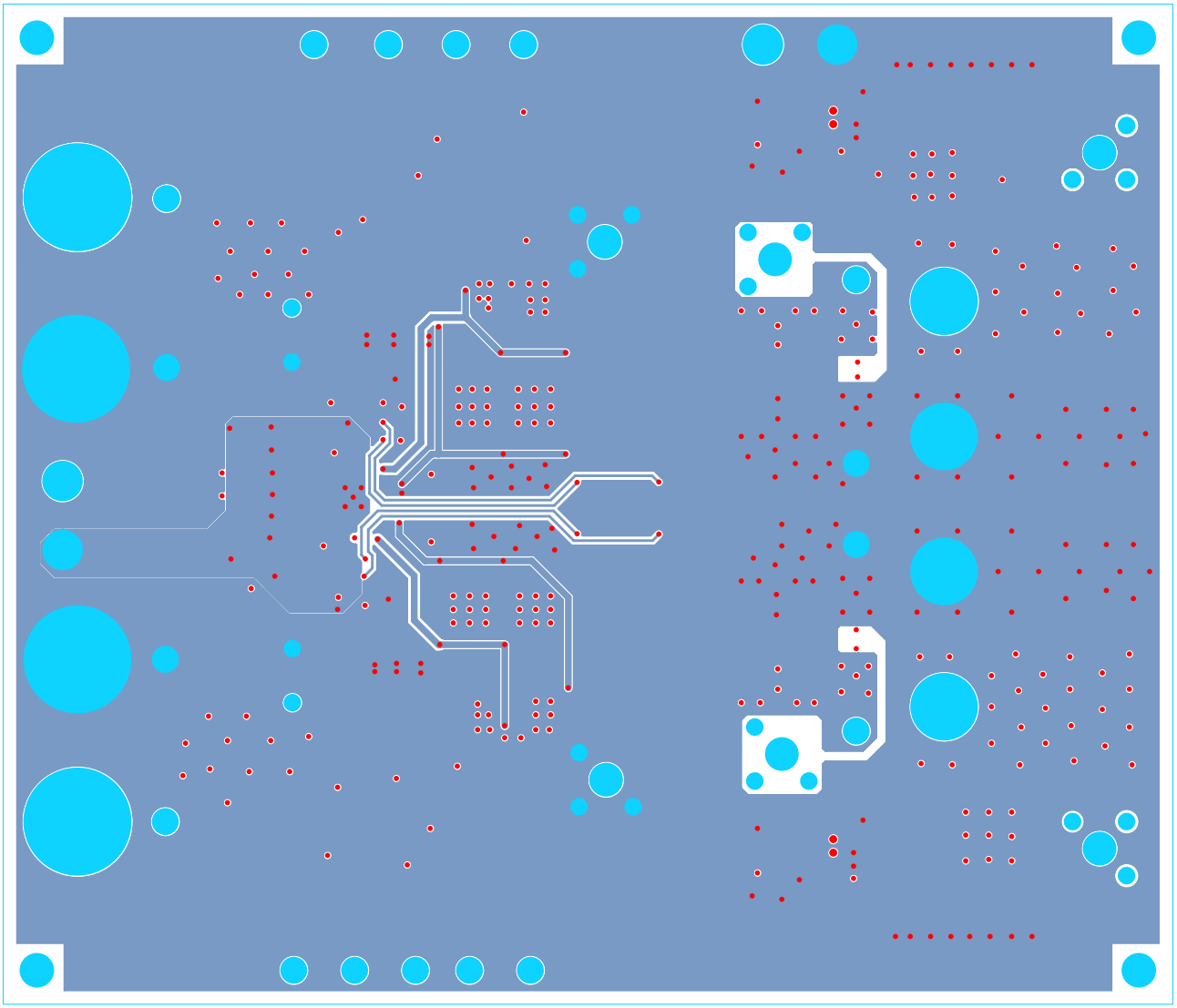

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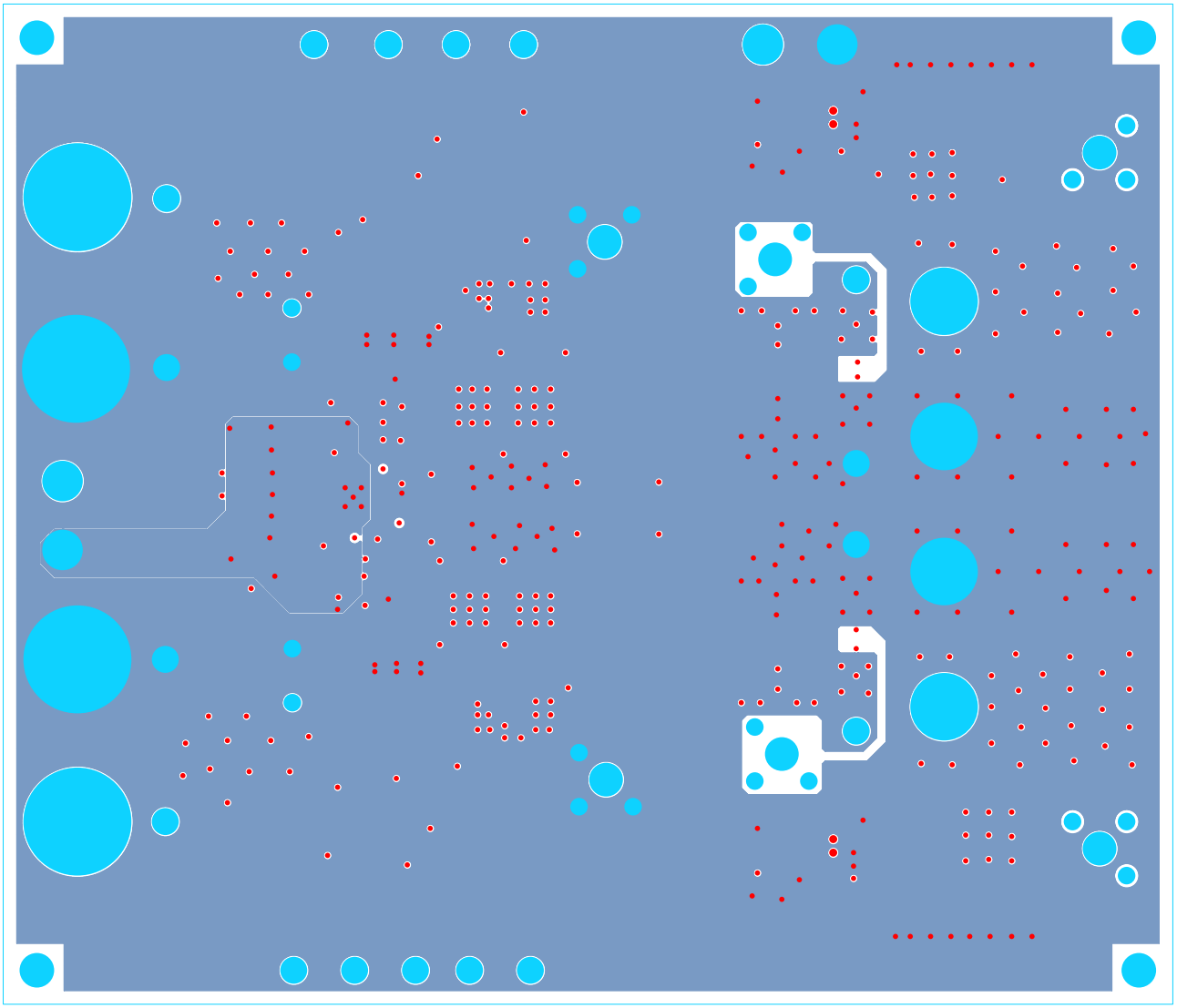

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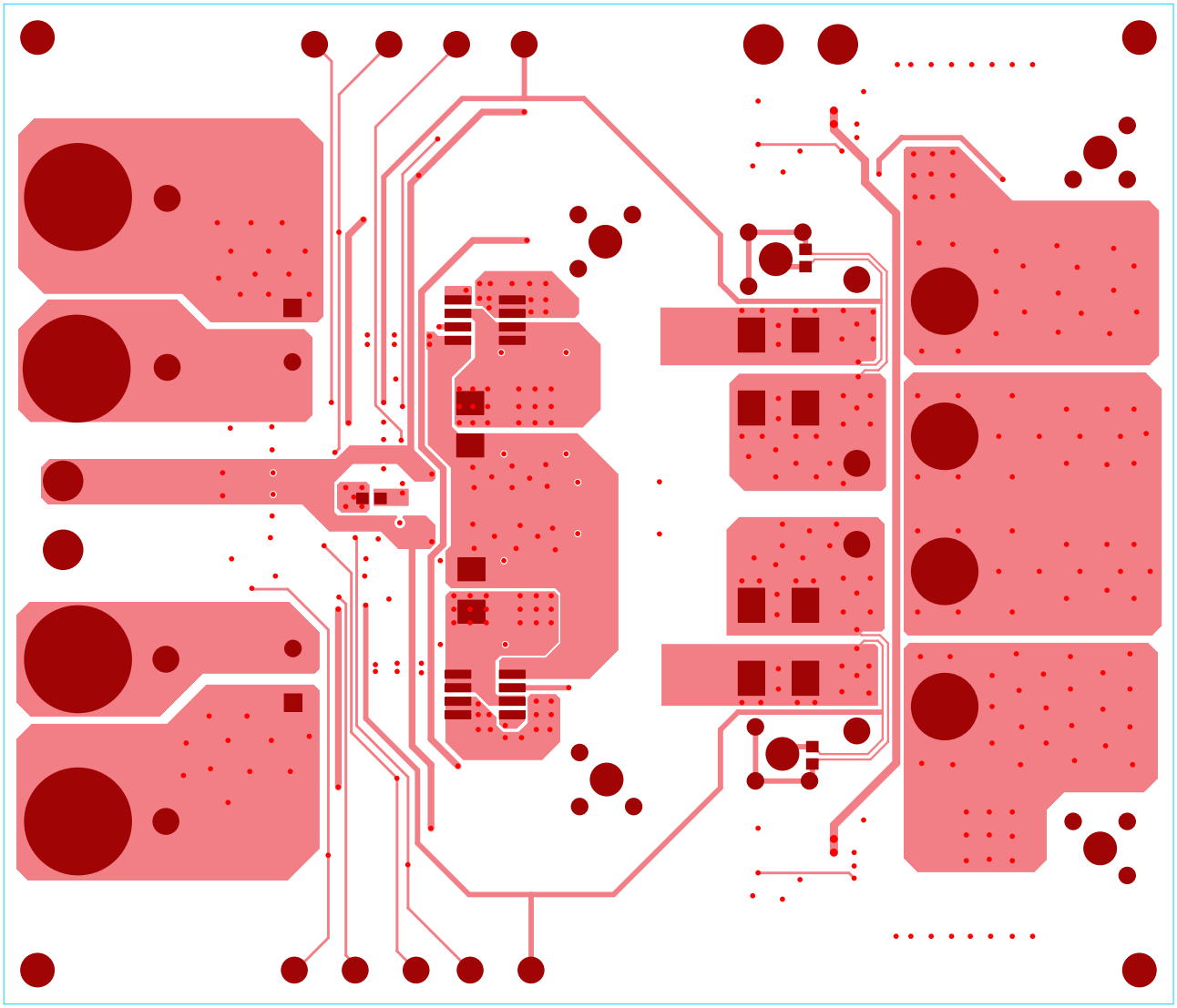

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