

GFM DC-DC Converter

PRELIMINARY 8 TO 50 VOLT INPUT – 30 WATT – HIGH EFFICIENCY

MIL-STD Pedigree. Exceptional Value.

FEATURES

- High reliability
- Typical efficiency 90% or greater
- Up to 30 watts
- -55°C to +105°C operation
- Wide 8 to 50 volt input
- Inhibit and sync functions
- Assembled in a MIL-PRF-38534 certified facility



PERFORMANCE QUALIFICATION

Qualified to MIL-PRF-38534, Group C

- Temperature cycle -55 to +105°C 10 times
- Constant Acceleration to 3000 g
- Burn-in, 96 hours
- Final electrical
- Gross and fine leak hermeticity test
- Final visual

MODELS
OUTPUT VOLTAGE (V)
SINGLE
15

PACKAGING

- Hermetically sealed, nickel plated, steel case
- Compact footprint
- Typical case dimensions (see Figure 9 on page 7):
2.09 x 1.110 x 0.400 inches (53.09 x 28.19 x 10.16 mm)
- Weight: 55 grams max.

DESCRIPTION

Now, you don't need to compromise reliability to keep costs down. The GFM's innovative design combines the performance and efficiency you're looking for with Crane's legendary reliability and support. The GFM offers a high density footprint and is assembled in the same facility where Crane builds its ultra-reliable Class H and Class K products used on major space programs around the world. You can be confident that it provides the same documented quality and reliability of traditional converters costing more than double the price.

The Interpoint® GFM Series™ is hermetically sealed in a steel case and is ideal for use in military jets, helicopters, commercial air, ground vehicles and low orbit satellites. The converters are screened to perform over the temperature range of -55°C to +105°C assuring reliable operation in the most demanding of environments.

They are ideal for use in programs requiring high reliability, small size, and high efficiency. The series offers a wide input voltage range of 8 to 50 volts with 80 volt transient for 50 ms.

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SENSE: VOLTAGE DROP COMPENSATION

A special remote sensing feature maintains the desired output voltage at the load. See Figure 1.

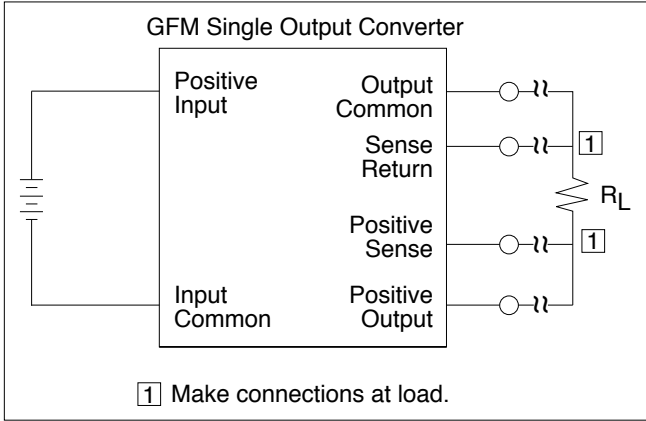


FIGURE 1: SENSE CONNECTION TO COMPENSATE FOR VOLTAGE DROP

When the sense feature is not used, connect the sense lines to their respective output terminals. See Figure 2.

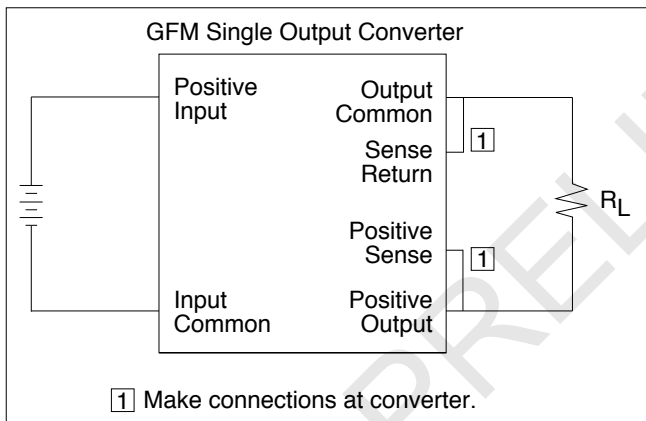


FIGURE 2: SENSE CONNECTION IF NOT USED

SENSE: OUTPUT VOLTAGE TRIM

The sense function is used to maintain the output voltage, compensating for voltage drops. The function can also be used to adjust the output voltage. Placing a resistor between one sense pin and the corresponding voltage will adjust the voltage up or down.

In the trim formulas, V_{OUT} is the desired output voltage.

Trim Up

The maximum trim up voltage is to 17.25 volts. Connect a resistor (R_T) between Trim and Sense Return. See Figure 3.

The formula for trimming up is $R_T \text{ (kohm)} = 201.5 / (V_{out} - 15.04) - 91$

NOTE: Do not exceed the maximum power rating when trimming up.

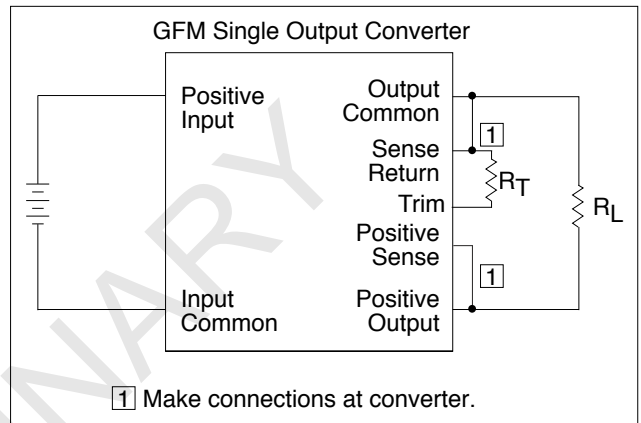


FIGURE 3: TRIM UP USING SENSE RETURN

Trim Down

The minimum trim down voltage is 12.75 volts. Connect a resistor (R_T) between Trim and Positive Sense. The minimum trim down R_T is 270 kohms. See Figure 4.

The formula for R_{trim} to trim down is $R_{trim} \text{ (Kohm)} =$

NOTE: Do not exceed the maximum current rating when trimming down.

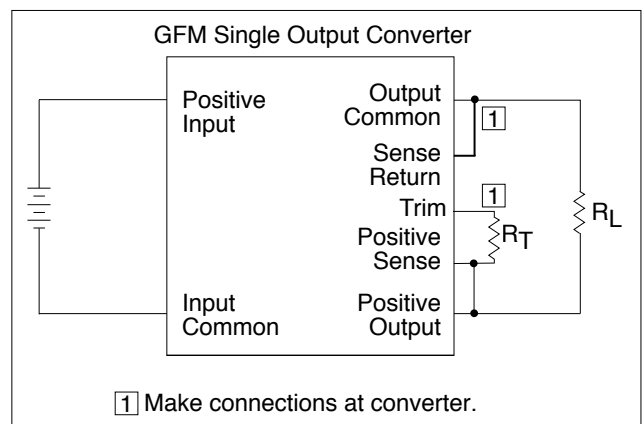


FIGURE 4: TRIM DOWN USING POSITIVE SENSE

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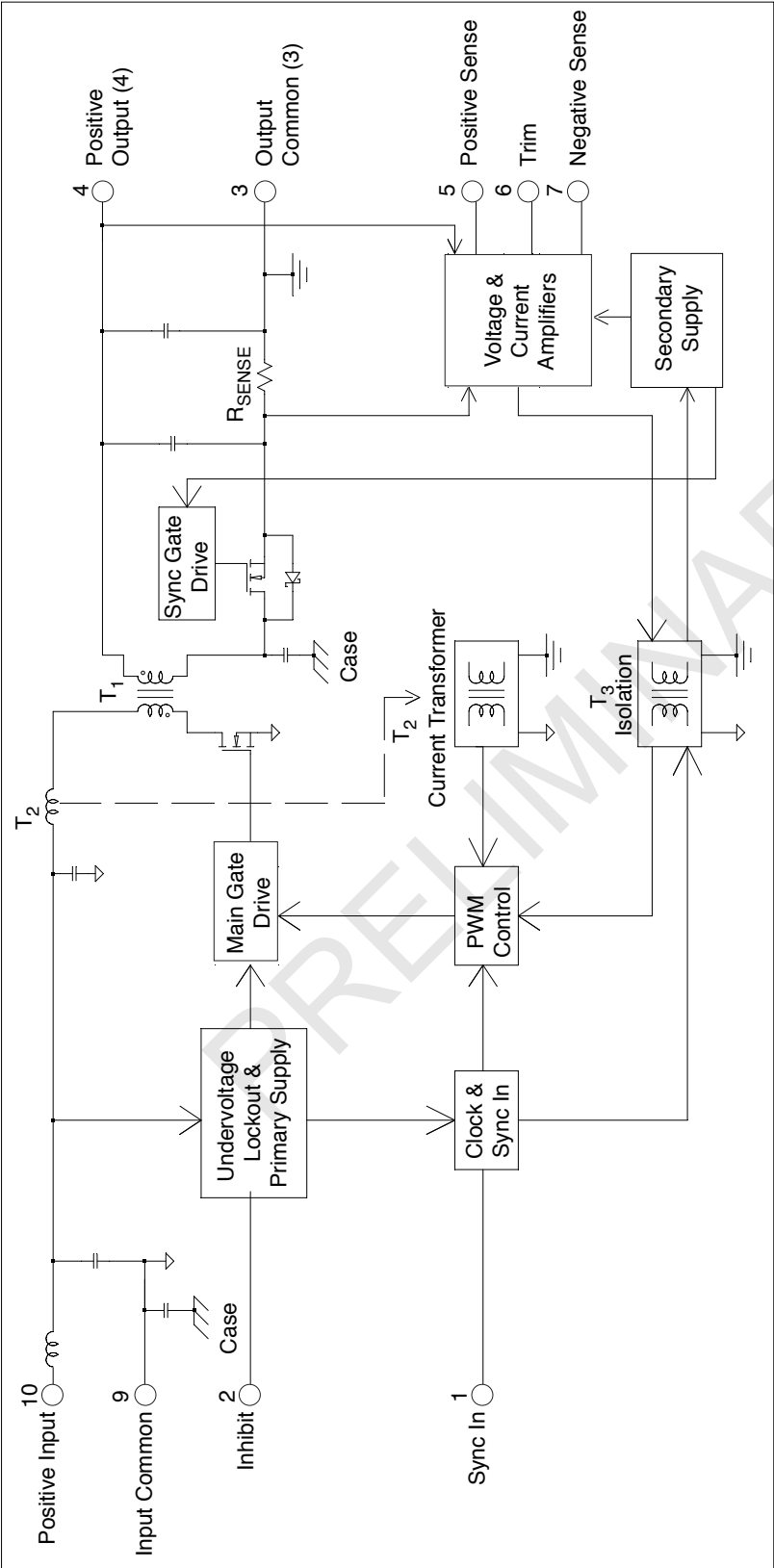


FIGURE 5: GFM BLOCK DIAGRAM

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PIN OUT	
Pin	Single Output
1	Sync In
2	Inhibit
3	Output Common
4	Positive Output
5	Positive Sense
6	Negative Sense
7	Trim
8	Case Ground
9	Input Common
10	Positive Input

TABLE 1: PIN OUT

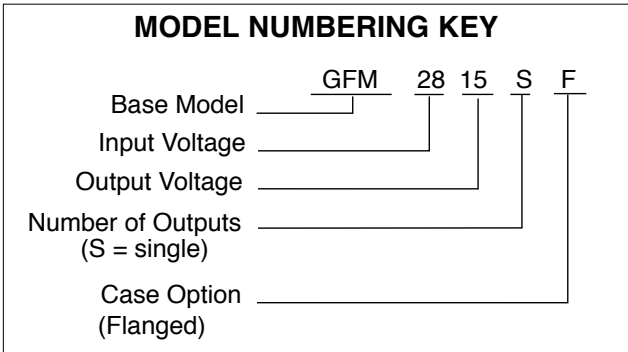


FIGURE 6: MODEL NUMBERING KEY

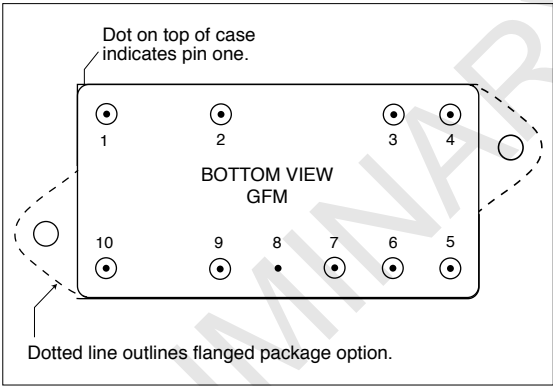
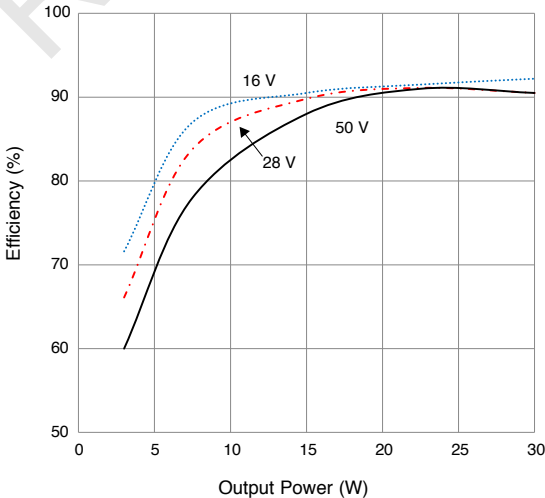


FIGURE 7: GFM SINGLE PIN OUT



GFM2815S Efficiency
FIGURE 8

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TABLE 2: OPERATING CONDITIONS, 25°C CASE, 28 VIN, 100% LOAD, UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED.

GFM SERIES		ALL MODELS			UNITS
PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	
LEAD SOLDERING TEMPERATURE ¹	10 SECONDS MAX.	–	–	300	°C
STORAGE TEMPERATURE ¹		-65	–	+150	°C
CASE OPERATING TEMPERATURE	FULL POWER	-55	–	+105	°C
DERATING OUTPUT POWER/CURRENT ¹	LINEARLY	From 100% at 105°C to 0% at 125°C			
ISOLATION: INPUT TO OUTPUT OR ANY PIN TO CASE EXCEPT CASE PIN	500 VDC AT 25°C	100	–	–	Megohms
CURRENT LIMIT ³	% OF FULL LOAD	–	130	–	%
AUDIO REJECTION ¹		–	50	–	dB
SWITCHING FREQUENCY	-55°C TO +105°C	380	–	420	kHz
SYNCHRONIZATION	INPUT FREQUENCY	360	–	480	kHz
	DUTY CYCLE ¹	40	–	60	%
	ACTIVE LOW	–	–	0.8	V
	ACTIVE HIGH ¹	4.5	–	5.0	
	REFERENCED TO	INPUT COMMON			
IF NOT USED	LEAVE UNCONNECTED				
INHIBIT ACTIVE LOW (OUTPUT DISABLED) Do not apply a voltage to the inhibit pin ³	INHIBIT PIN PULLED LOW ²	–	–	0.8	V
	INHIBIT PIN SOURCE CURRENT ¹	–	–	4	mA
	REFERENCED TO	INPUT COMMON			
INHIBIT ACTIVE HIGH (OUTPUT ENABLED) Do not apply a voltage to the inhibit pin ³	INHIBIT PIN CONDITION	OPEN COLLECTOR OR UNCONNECTED			
	OPEN PIN VOLTAGE ¹	4.6	–	5.8	V

Notes

1. Guaranteed by characterization test and/or analysis. Not a production test.
2. Tested with inhibit pin connected to input common.
3. An external inhibit interface should be used to pull the inhibit low or leave it floating. The inhibit pin can be left unconnected if not used.

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TABLE 3: PRELIMINARY ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS 25°C CASE, 28 VIN, 100% LOAD, UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED.

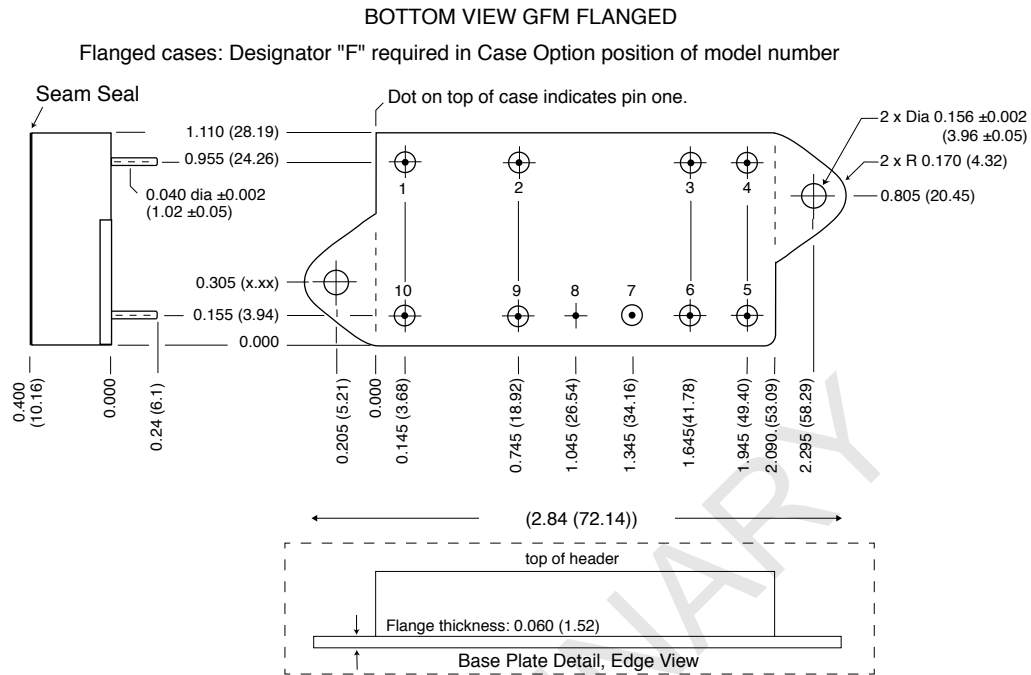
SINGLE OUTPUT MODEL		GFM2815SF			UNITS
PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	
OUTPUT VOLTAGE	$T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$	14.85	15.00	15.15	V
OUTPUT CURRENT	$V_{IN} = 8 \text{ TO } 50 \text{ V}$	—	—	2	A
OUTPUT POWER	$V_{IN} = 8 \text{ TO } 50 \text{ V}$	—	—	30	W
OUTPUT RIPPLE	10 kHz - 2 MHz	—	20	—	mV p-p
	20 kHz to 20 MHz	—	60	—	
LINE REGULATION	$V_{IN} = 8 \text{ TO } 50$	—	50	—	mV
LOAD REGULATION	NO LOAD TO FULL	—	50	—	mV
INPUT VOLTAGE	CONTINUOUS	8	28	50	V
	NO LOAD TO FULL	—	—	80	V
UNDERVOLTAGE LOCKOUT		—	8	—	V
INPUT CURRENT	NO LOAD	—	60	—	mA
	INHIBITED	—	2	—	
INPUT RIPPLE CURRENT	10 kHz - 2 MHz	—	30	—	mA p-p
	20 kHz to 20 MHz	—	60	—	
EFFICIENCY		—	90	—	%
LOAD FAULT ³	POWER DISSIPATION	—	2	—	W
SHORT CIRCUIT	RECOVERY ¹	—	30	—	ms
STEP LOAD RESPONSE ^{3,4} 50% - 100% - 50%	TRANSIENT	—	±1500	—	mV pk
	RECOVERY	—	3500	—	us
STEP LINE RESPONSE ^{1, 3,5} 16 - 50 - 16 V	TRANSIENT	—	±800	—	mV pk
	RECOVERY	—	1300	—	μs
START-UP ^{3, 6}	DELAY	—	30	—	ms
FULL LOAD	OVERSHOOT ¹	—	500	—	mV pk
CAPACITIVE LOAD ⁷		—	500	—	uF

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2. Up to 80 volt transient for up to 50 ms.
3. Recovery and startup times are measured from application of the transient or change in condition to the point at which V_{OUT} is within 1% of final value.
4. Step load test is performed at 10 microseconds typical.
5. Step line test is performed at 100 microseconds ± 20 microseconds.
6. Tested on release from inhibit.
7. No effect on dc performance.

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Weight: 55 grams maximum

Case dimensions in inches (mm)

Tolerance ±0.005 (0.13) for three decimal places
±0.01 (0.3) for two decimal places
unless otherwise specified

CAUTION

Heat from reflow or wave soldering may damage the device.
Solder pins individually with heat application not exceeding 300°C for 10 seconds per pin.

Materials

Header Cold Rolled Steel/Nickel
Cover Kovar/Nickel
Pins Copper Alloy #52/Nickel, glass compression seal
Seal hole 0.092 ±0.002 (3.05 ± 0.05)

Please refer to the numerical dimensions for accuracy.

FIGURE 9: GFM FLANGED

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ENVIRONMENTAL SCREENING

TEST PERFORMED

Temperature Cycle (10 times) Method 1010, Cond. B, -55°C to +105°C, ambient	■
Burn-in Method 1015 ¹ 96 hours	■
Final Electrical Test MIL-PRF-38534, -55°C, +25°C, +105°C case	■
Hermeticity Test Fine Leak, Cond. A ₂ , helium	■
Final visual inspection Method 2009	■

Test methods are referenced to MIL-STD-883 as determined by MIL-PRF-38534.

Note

1. Burn-in temperature designed to bring the case temperature to +105°C minimum. Burn-in is a powered test.

TABLE 4: ENVIRONMENTAL SCREENING

PRELIMINARY

