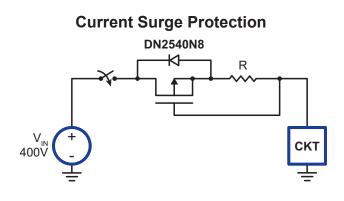
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### **Application Note**

## High Voltage Regulators and Linear Circuits using DN25

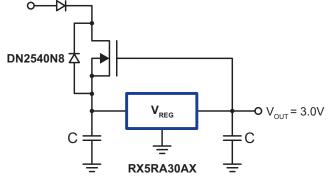
Depletion-mode MOSFETs can be used either as "normally closed" switches or current sources. This note shows circuits, utilizing depletion mode devices, that will benefit many applications. The main performance features of the circuits and examples of applications are listed. For more applications information on depletion mode MOSFETs, refer to other LND1 and DN25 series application notes.



- Current limit up to 150mA
- Back-to-back pair for bi-directional limiting

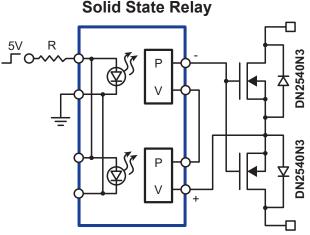
Inrush limiting for lamps/motors/capacitive loads, instrumentation, telecommunication

### High Voltage Protected Regulator



- ► ±400V transient protection
- ► +5.0 to +400V operation
- Typically 800nA quiescent current

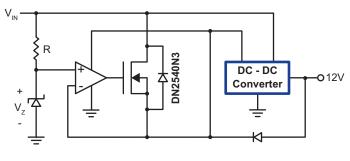
Telecommunication, automotive, fax machines, off-line control circuits



- Normally on
- ±400V blocking
- Low  $C_{IN}$  for fast switching

Telecommunication, instrumentation, fax machines, modems, data line diagnostics

#### SMPS Start-Up



- Off-line capability
- Switchable to save power
- Improves efficiency

Switchmode power supply

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