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Title: PPS Current Limit Mode Vbus Shut Down Threshold Applied to: USB Power Delivery Specification Revision 3.0 Version 1.1

A brief description of the functional changes proposed:

The PPS APDO is used by a Source to declare its operational box's range including the maximum and minimum voltage as well as the maximum current the Source can output. When the Source receives an RDO, it refines the operational box's maximum voltage and current limit, but the operational box's minimum voltage is fixed as declared by the APDO declared minimum voltage.

The PD spec requires PPS to shut down the Vbus when the output voltage is lower than V_{min} . However, there is no clear definition of 'lower' in the spec. This ECR defines 'lower' as less than 90% of v_{Min} .

Benefits as a result of the proposed changes:

Clarifies the definition of the operational box's behavior when the output voltage drops below v_{Min} .

An assessment of the impact to the existing revision and systems that currently conform to the USB specification:

No impact

An analysis of the hardware implications:

No change

An analysis of the software implications:

No change

An analysis of the compliance testing implications:

No change.

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Actual Change Requested

(a). Section 7.1.4.4, Programmable Power Supply Current Limit, Page 253

From Text:

The PPS Shall maintain its output voltage within the Minimum Voltage and Maximum Voltage values advertised in the PPS APDO for all static and dynamic load conditions during Current Limit operation. The PPS is not expected to deliver power if the load condition results in an output voltage that is lower than the Minimum Voltage value advertised in the PPS APDO. In this case, the Source May send *Error! Reference source not found.* Signaling and **Error! Reference source not found.** discharge V_{BUS} to *Error! Reference source not found.* then resume default operation at *Error! Reference source not found.*.

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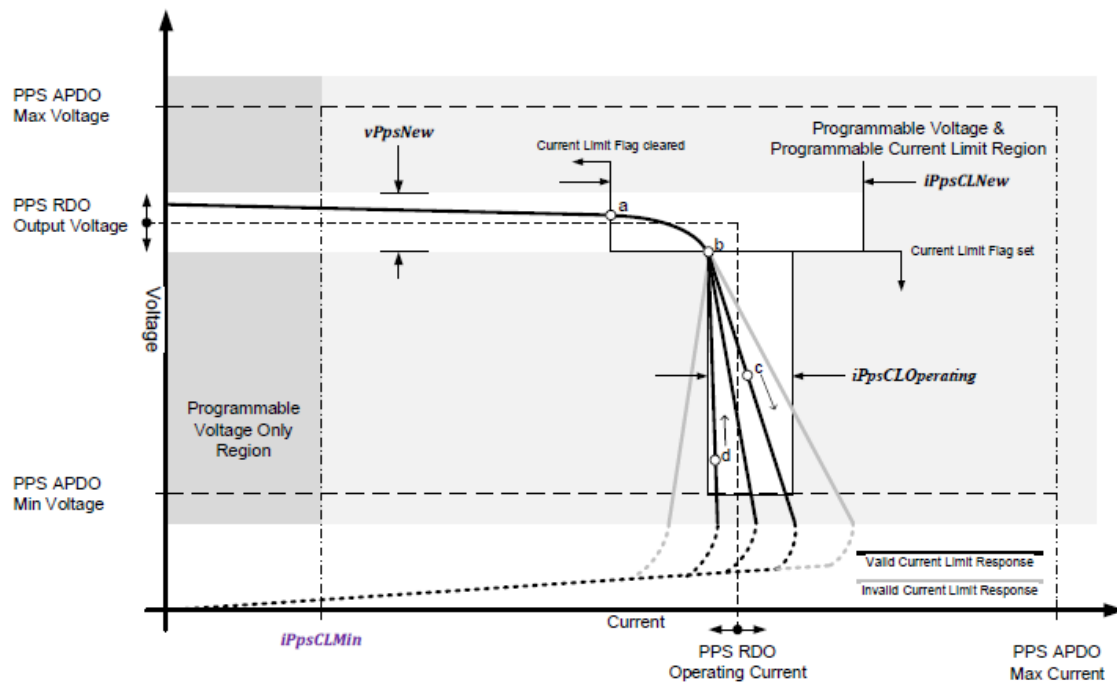
The PPS Shall maintain its output voltage **at the value requested** in the PPS **RDO** for all static and dynamic load conditions **except when in** Current Limit operation. **In response to any static or dynamic load condition during Current Limit operation that causes the PPS output voltage to drop below $v_{PpsShutdown}$** the Source May send *Error! Reference source not found.* Signaling and **Error! Reference source not found.** discharge V_{BUS} to *Error! Reference source not found.* then resume default operation at *Error! Reference source not found.*.

(b). Figure 7-7, Page 238

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Figure 7-7 PPS Programmable Voltage and Current Limit

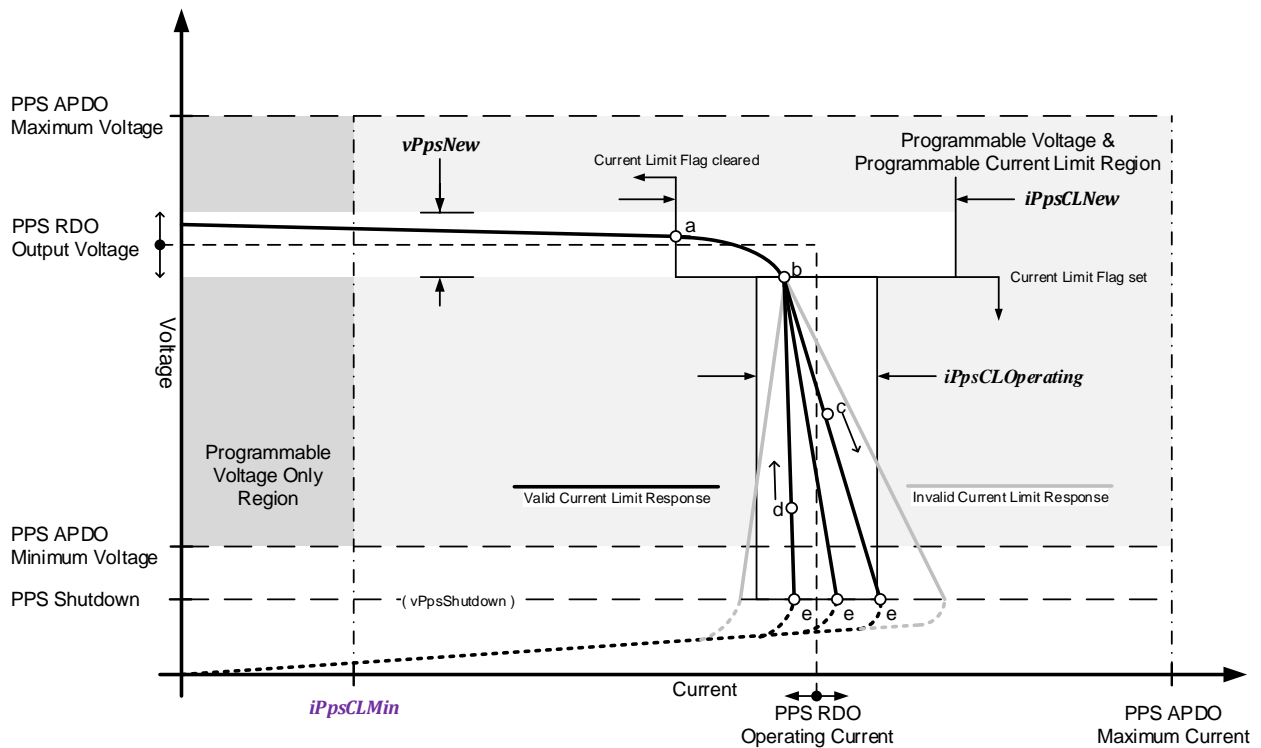


Notes:

- Point *a* represents entry into the transition region between Constant Voltage mode and Current Limit mode.
- Point *b* represents exit from the transition region between Constant Voltage mode and Current Limit mode.
- Point *b* is where the allowable increase in current up to *iPpsCLOperating* begins.
- Point *c* represents the behavior as the load resistance decreases during Current Limit mode. See Table 7-22 for the allowed change in Operating Current (*iPpsCLOperating*) during this behavior.
- Point *d* represents the behavior as the load resistance increases during Current Limit mode. See Table 7-22 for the allowed change in Operating Current (*iPpsCLOperating*) during this behavior.

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- Point *d* represents the behavior as the load resistance increases during Current Limit mode. See Table **Error! No text of specified style in document.-1** for the allowed change in Operating Current (*iPpsCLOperating*) during this behavior.
- Point *e* represents the PPS shutdown voltage during Current Limit operation.

(c). Table 7-22, Source Electrical Parameters, Page 298

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Table **Error! No text of specified style in document.-1** Source Electrical Parameters

Parameter	Description	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	Reference
<i>cSrcBulk</i> ¹	Source bulk capacitance when a Port is powered from a dedicated supply.	10			μF	Section Error! Reference source not found.

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Parameter	Description	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	Reference
<i>cSrcBulkShared¹</i>	Source bulk capacitance when a Port is powered from a shared supply.	120			μF	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>iPpsCLMin</i>	Minimum Current Limit setting.	1			A	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>iPpsCLNew</i>	Current Limit accuracy					Section Error! Reference source not found.
	$1A \leq \text{Operating Current} \leq 3A$	-150		150	mA	
	Operating current > 3A	-5		5	%	
<i>iPpsCLOperating</i>	Total allowed change in Operating Current from point b in Error! Reference source not found. as the load resistance decreases during Current Limit mode.	0		100	mA	Error! Reference source not found.
<i>iPpsCLStep</i>	PPS Current Limit programming step size.		50		mA	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>iPpsCLTransient</i>	Allowed output current overshoot when a load increase occurs while in CL mode.			New load + 100	mA	Section Error! Reference source not found.
	Allowed output current undershoot when a load decrease occurs while in CL mode.	New load – 100				
<i>iPpsCVCLTransient</i>	CV to CL transient current bounds assuming the Operating Voltage reduction of Section 7.2.3.1.	<i>iPpsCLNew</i> - 100		New load + 500	mA	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tNewSnk</i>	Time allowed for an initial Source in Swap Standby to transition new Sink operation.			15	ms	Error! Reference source not found., Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tPpsCLCVTransient</i>	CL to CV transient voltage settling time.			25	ms	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tPpsCLProgramSettle</i>	PPS Current Limit programming settling time	125		250	ms	Section Error! Reference source not found.

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Parameter	Description	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	Reference
<i>tPpsCLSettle</i>	CL load transient current settling time.	125		250	ms	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tPpsCVCLTransient</i>	CV to CL transient settling time.	125		250	ms	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tPpsSrcTransLarge</i>	The time the Programmable Power Supply's set-point Error! Reference source not found. transition between requested voltages for steps larger than <i>vPpsSmallStep</i> .	0		275	ms	Section Error! Reference source not found. Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tPpsSrcTransSmall</i>	The time the Programmable Power Supply's set-point Error! Reference source not found. transition between requested voltages for steps less than or equal to <i>vPpsSmallStep</i> .	0		25	ms	Section Error! Reference source not found. Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tPpsTransient</i>	The maximum time for the Programmable Power Supply to be between vPpsNew and vPpsValid in response to a load transient			5	ms	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tSrcFRSwap</i>	Time from the initial Sink detecting that V _{BUS} has dropped below <i>Error! Reference source not found.</i> until the initial Sink/new Source is able to supply USB Type-C Current (see Error! Reference source not found.)			150	μs	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tSrcReady</i>	Time from positive/negative transition start (t ₀) to when the Source is ready to provide the newly negotiated power level.			285	ms	Error! Reference source not found., Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tSrcRecover</i>	Time allotted for the Source to recover.	0.66		1	s	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tSrcSettle</i>	Time from positive/negative transition start (t ₀) to when the transitioning voltage is within the range <i>vSrcNew</i> .			275	ms	Error! Reference source not found.

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<i>tSrcSwapStdby</i>	The maximum time for the Source to transition to Swap Standby.			650	ms	Error! Reference source not found. Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tSrcTransient</i>	The maximum time for the Source output voltage to be between <i>vSrcNew</i> and <i>vSrcValid</i> in response to a load transient.			5	ms	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tSrcTransition</i>	The time the Source Error! Reference source not found. wait before transitioning the power supply to ensure that the Sink has sufficient time to prepare.	25		35	ms	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>tSrcTurnOn</i>	Transition time from <i>Error! Reference source not found.</i> to <i>Error! Reference source not found.</i> .			275	ms	Error! Reference source not found. Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vPpsCLCVTransient</i>	CL to CV load transient voltage bounds.	Operating Voltage * 0.95 – 0.1V		Operating Voltage * 1.05 + 0.1V	V	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vPpsCVCLTransient</i>	CL to CF transient voltage bounds assuming the Operating Voltage reduction of Section 7.2.3.1.	Operating Voltage – 1.0V		Operating Voltage + 0.5V	V	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vPpsMaxVoltage</i>	Maximum Voltage Field in the Programmable Power Supply APDO.	APDO Voltage * 0.95		APDO Voltage * 1.05	V	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vPpsMinVoltage</i>	Minimum Voltage Field in the Programmable Power Supply APDO.	APDO Voltage * 0.95		APDO Voltage * 1.05	V	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vPpsNew</i>	Programmable RDO Output Voltage measured at the Source receptacle.	RDO Output Voltage * 0.95	RDO Output Voltage	RDO Output Voltage * 1.05	V	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vPpsSlewNeg</i>	Programmable Power Supply maximum slew rate for negative voltage changes			-30	mV/μs	Section Error! Reference source not found.

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<i>vPpsSlewPos</i>	Programmable Power Supply maximum slew rate for positive voltage changes			30	mV/μs	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vPpsSmallStep</i>	PPS Step size defined as a small step relative to the previous <i>vPpsNew</i> .	-500		500	mV	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vPpsStep</i>	PPS voltage programming step size.		20		mV	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vPpsValid</i>	The range in addition to <i>vPpsNew</i> which the Programmable Power Supply output is considered Error! Reference source not found. in response to a load step.	-0.1		0.1	V	Section Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vSrcNeg</i>	Most negative voltage allowed during transition.			-0.3	V	Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vSrcNew</i>	Fixed Supply output measured at the Source receptacle.	PDO Voltage *0.95	PDO Voltage	PDO Voltage *1.05	V	Error! Reference source not found. Error! Reference source not found.
	Variable Supply output measured at the Source receptacle.	PDO Minimum Voltage		PDO Maximum Voltage	V	
	Battery Supply output measured at the Source receptacle.	PDO Minimum Voltage		PDO Maximum Voltage	V	
<i>vSrcPeak</i>	The range that a Fixed Supply in Peak Current operation is allowed when overload conditions occur.	PDO Voltage *0.90		PDO Voltage *1.05	V	Error! Reference source not found. Error! Reference source not found.
<i>vSrcSlewNeg</i>	Maximum slew rate allowed for negative voltage transitions. Limits current based on a 3 A connector rating and maximum Sink bulk capacitance of 100 μF.			-30	mV/μs	Section Error! Reference source not found. Error! Reference source not found.
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<i>vSrcValid</i>	The range in addition to <i>vSrcNew</i> which a newly negotiated voltage is considered Error! Reference source not found. during and after a transition. This range also applies to <i>Error! Reference source not found.</i>	-0.5		0.5	V	<i>Error! Reference source not found.</i> <i>Error! Reference source not found.</i>
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<i>iPpsCLNew</i>	Current Limit accuracy					Section Error! Reference source not found.
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<i>vPpsShutdown</i>	The voltage at which the PPS shuts down when operating in CL.	APDO Minimum Voltage * 0.85		APDO Minimum Voltage * 0.95	V	Section 7.1.4.4
<i>vPpsSlewNeg</i>	Programmable Power Supply maximum slew rate for negative voltage changes			-30	mV/μs	Section Error! Reference source not found.
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