

General Description

The LM317 is an adjustable 3-terminal positive voltage regulator capable of supplying 100mA over a 1.2V to 37V output range. It is exceptionally easy to use and requires only two external resistors to set the output voltage. Further, it employs internal current limiting, thermal shutdown and safe area compensation, making it essentially blow-out proof. Also, the LM317 is available packaged in a standard TO92、SOP8、SOT89-3 transistor package which is easy to use.

The LM317 serves a wide variety of applications including local, on card regulation. This device can also be used to make a programmable output regulator, or by connecting a fixed resistor between the adjustment and output, the LM317 can be used as a precision current regulator.



Features

- Adjustable output down to 1.2V
- Guaranteed 100 mA output current
- Line regulation typically 0.01%V
- Load regulation typically 0.1%
- Current limit constant with temperature
- Eliminates the need to stock many voltages
- 80 dB ripple rejection
- Output is short circuit protected

Package Information

Part NO.	Package Description	Package Marking	Package Option
D317L	TO92	D317L SXXXX	1000/Bag 2000/Tape
D317L	SOT89-3	D317L SXXXX	1000/Reel
D317L	SOP8	D317L SXXXX	100/Tube 4000/Reel

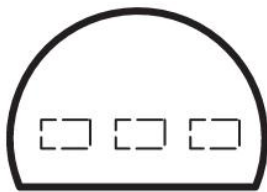
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LM317:Part NO.

SXXXX:Lot NO.

Pin Connection

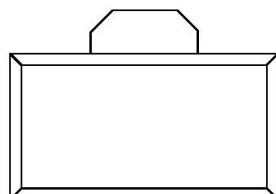


ADJ V_{OUT} V_{IN}

LM317

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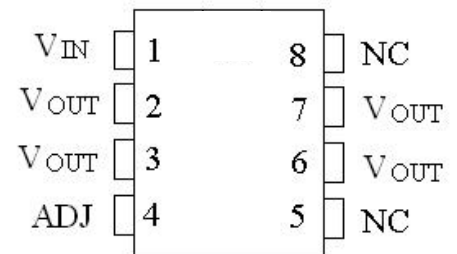
(TO92)



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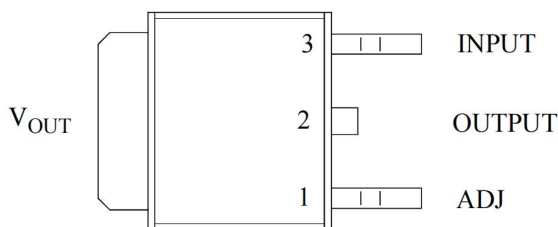
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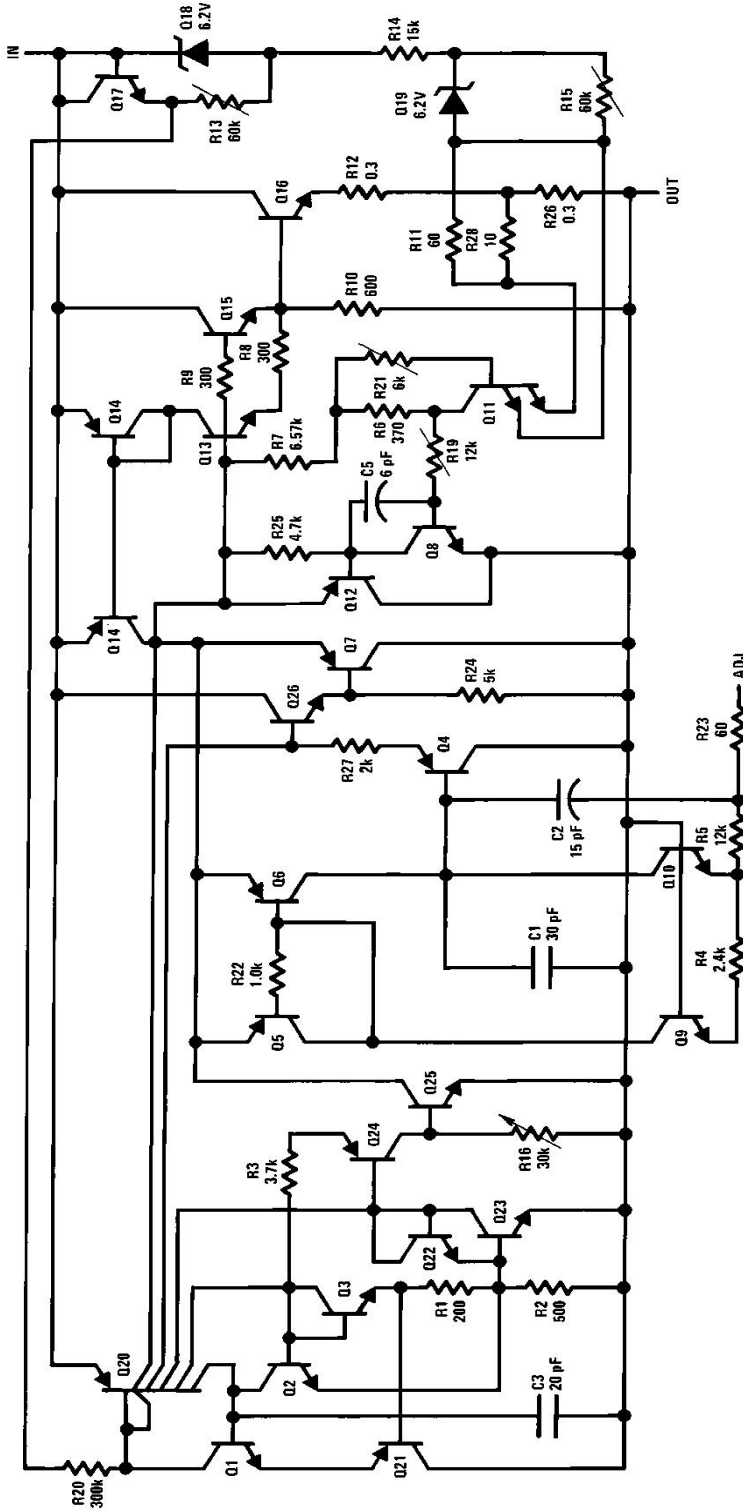
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LM317

(TO252-2)

Block Diagram



Absolute Maximum Ratings (Tamb=25°C)

Characteristic	Symbol	Value	Unit
Input-Output Voltage Differential	Vi-Vo	40	V
Power Dissipation	P _D	Internally Limited	W
Operating Junction Temperature Range	T _j	-40~125	°C
Lead Temperature (Soldering, 4 seconds)	T _L	250	°C
Storage Temperature Range	T _{stg}	-55~150	°C

Electrical Characteristics

(unless otherwise specified: Vi-Vo=5.0V; Io=40mA; Tj=0~125°C; Imax=100mA and Pmax=625mW)

Characteristics	Test conditions	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Line Regulation	T _j =25°C, I _L ≤20mA 3V≤(V _{IN} -V _{OUT})≤40V	Regline	-	0.01	0.05	%/V
Load Regulation	T _j =25°C, 5mA≤I _{OUT} ≤I _{MAX}	Regload	-	0.1	0.5	%
Thermal Regulation	T _j =25°C, 10ms Pulse	Regther	-	0.04	0.2	%/W
Adjustment Pin Current	-	I _{adj}	-	50	100	μA
Adjustment Pin Current Change	5mA≤I _L ≤100mA 3V≤(V _{IN} -V _{OUT})≤40V, P≤625mW	Δ I _{adj}	-	0.2	6	μA
Reference Voltage	3V≤(V _{IN} -V _{OUT})≤40V, 5mA≤I _{OUT} ≤100mA, P≤625mW	V _{ref}	1.15	1.25	1.35	V
Line Regulation	3V≤(V _{IN} -V _{OUT})≤40V, I≤20mA	Regline	-	0.02	0.05	%/V
Load Regulation	5mA≤I _{OUT} ≤100mA	Regload	-	0.3	1.2	%
Temperature Stability	T _{MIN} ≤T _j ≤T _{MAX}	T _s	-	0.65	-	%
Minimum Load Current	(V _{IN} -V _{OUT})≤40V	I _{Lmin}	-	3.5	17	mA
	3V≤(V _{IN} -V _{OUT})≤15V		-	1.5	6	
Current Limit	3V≤(V _{IN} -V _{OUT})≤13V	I _{max}	40	200	260	mA
	(V _{IN} -V _{OUT})=40V		25	50	70	mA
Rms Noise % of Vo	T _j =25°C, 10Hz≤f≤10KHz	N	-	0.003	0.008	%
Ripple Rejection	V _{OUT} =10V, f=120Hz, C _{ADJ} =0	RR	-	65	80	dB
	C _{ADJ} =10 μF		66	80		
Long-Term Stability	T _j =125°C, 1000Hours	S	-	0.3	1	%

Application Summary

1. Basic circuit operation

In operation, the LM317 develops a nominal 1.25V reference voltage, V_{ref} , between the output and adjustment terminal. The reference voltage is impressed across program resistor $R1$ and, since the voltage is constant, a constant current $I1$ then flows through the output set resistor $R2$, giving an output voltage of

$$V_{out} = V_{ref}(1 + R2/R1) + I_{adj} * (R2)$$

Since the 100 μ A current from the adjustment terminal represents an error term, the LM317 was designed to minimize I_{adj} and make it very constant with line and load changes. To do this, all quiescent operating current is returned to the output establishing a minimum load current requirement. If there is insufficient load on the output, the output will rise.

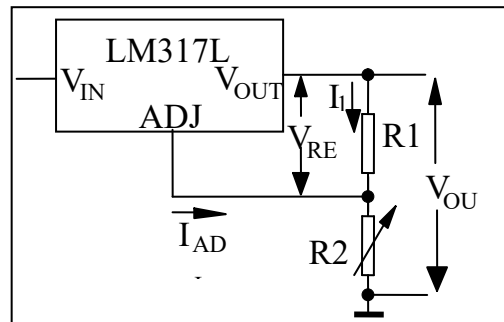
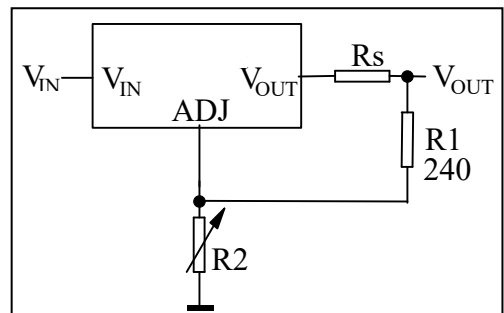


Figure: Basic circuit configuration

2. Load Regulation

The LM317 is capable of providing extremely good load regulation, but a few precautions are needed to obtain maximum performance. For best performance the programming resistor ($R1$) should be connected as close to the regulator as possible to minimize line drops which effectively appear in series with the reference, thereby degrading regulation. The ground end of $R2$ can be returned near the load ground to provide remote ground sensing and improve load regulation



Regulator with line resistance in output lead

3. External capacitors

A 0.1 μ F disc or 1.0 μ F tantalum input bypass capacitor (C_{in}) is recommended to reduce the sensitivity to input line impedance.

The adjustment terminal may be bypassed to ground to improve ripple rejection. This capacitor (C_{adj}) prevents ripple from being amplified as the output voltage is increased. A 10 μ F capacitor should improve ripple rejection about 15dB at 120Hz in a 10V application.

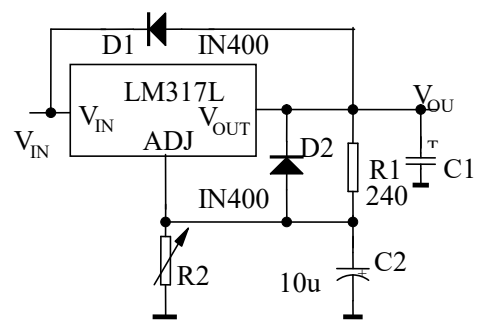
Although the LM317 is stable with no output capacitance, like any feedback circuit, certain values of external capacitance can cause excessive ringing. An output capacitance (C_o) in the form of a 1.0 μ F tantalum or 25 μ F aluminum electrolytic capacitor on the output swamps this effect and insures stability.

4. Protection Diodes

When external capacitors are used with any IC regulator it is sometimes necessary to add protection diodes to prevent the capacitors from discharging through low current points into the regulator. Most 10 μ F capacitors have low enough internal series resistance to deliver 20A spikes when shorted. Although the surge is short, there is enough energy to damage parts of the IC.

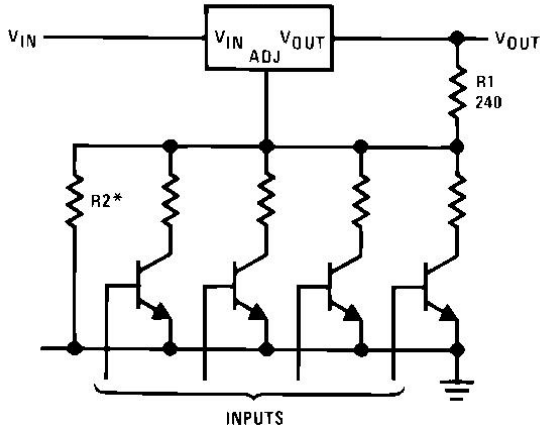
When an output capacitor is connected to a regulator and the input is shorted, the output capacitor will discharge into the output of the regulator. The discharge current depends on the value of the capacitor, the output voltage of the regulator, and the rate of decrease of V_{in} . In the LM317, this discharge path is through a large junction that is able to sustain a 2A surge with no problem. This is not true of other types of positive regulators. For output capacitors of 25 μ F or less, the LM317's ballast resistors and output structure limit the peak current to a low enough level so that there is no need to use a protection diode.

The bypass capacitor on the adjustment terminal can discharge through a low current junction. Discharge occurs when either the input or output is shorted. Internal to the LM317 is a 50 Ω resistor which limits the peak discharge current. No protection is needed for output voltages of 25V or less and 10 μ F capacitance. Figure in right shows an LM317 with protection diodes included for use with outputs greater than 25V and high values of output capacitance.

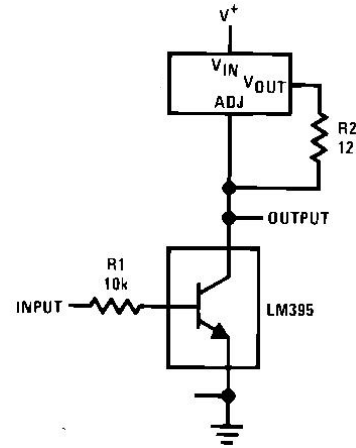


Regulator with protection diodes

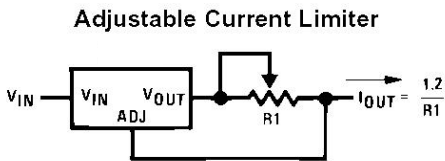
Application Circuit



*Sets maximum \$V_{out}\$
Digitally Selected Outputs



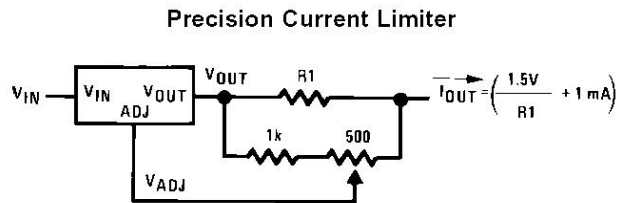
High Gain Amplifier



Adjustable Current Limiter

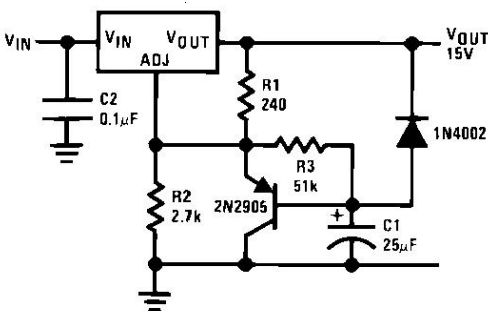
$$12 \leq R1 \leq 240$$

Adjustable Current Limiter



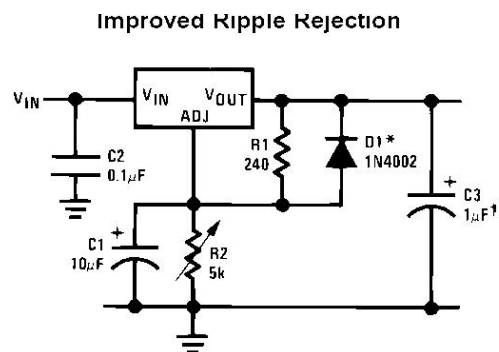
Precision Current Limiter

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Slow Turn-on 15V Regulator

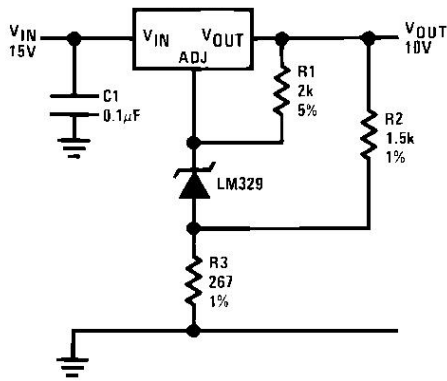
Improved Ripple Rejection



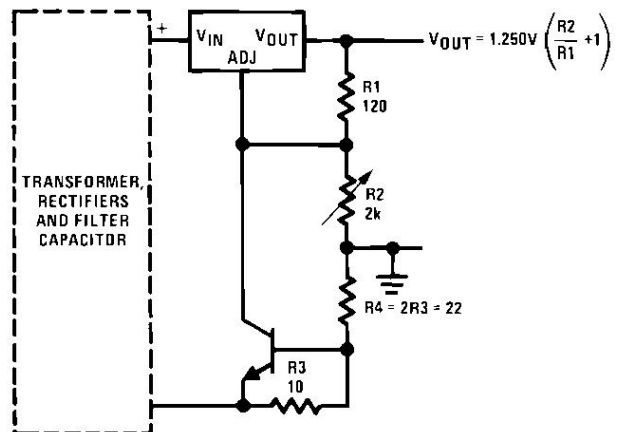
+Sold tantalum

*Discharges \$C1\$ if output is shorted to ground

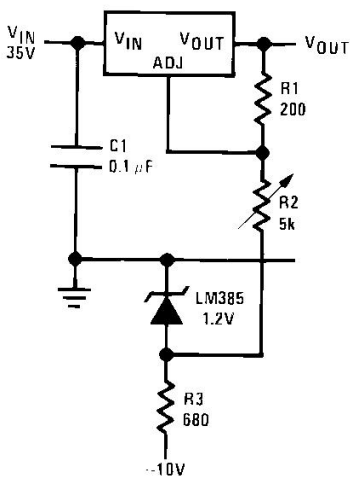
Adjustable Regulator with



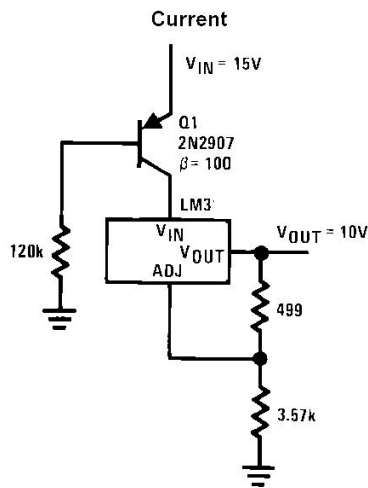
High Stability 10V Regulator



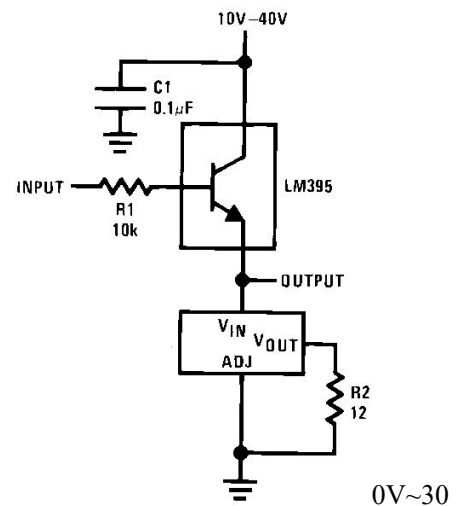
Short circuit current is approximately $600\text{mV}/R_3$,
At 25mA output only 3/4V of drop occurs in R3 and R4
Adjustable Regulator with Current Limiter



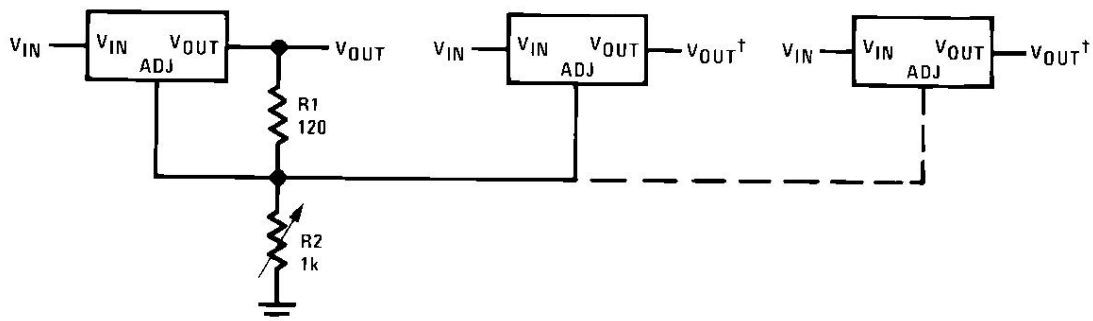
V Regulator



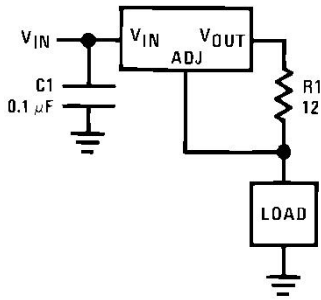
Current



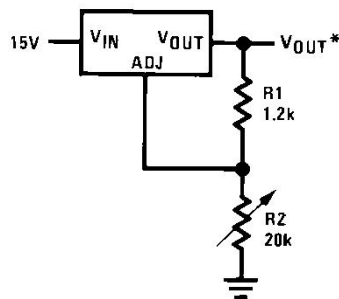
Power Follower



Adjusting Multiple on-Card Regulators with Single Control

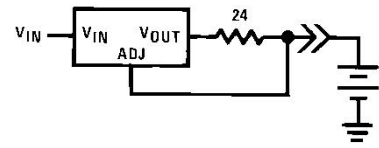


100mA Current Regulator

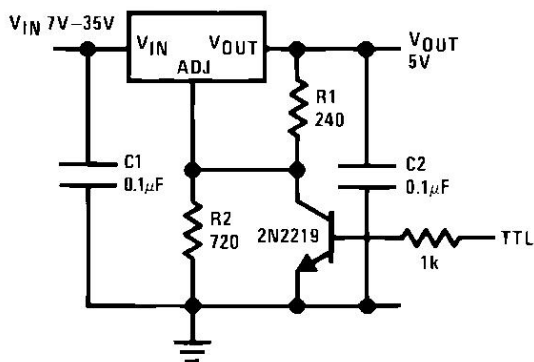


*Minimum load current=2mA

1.2V~12V Regulator with
Minimum Program Current

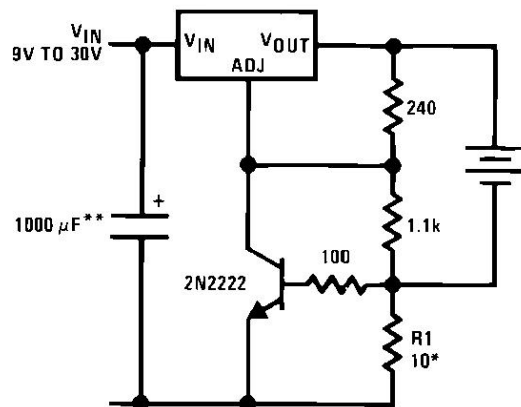


50mA constant Current
Battery Charger for
Nickel-Cadmium Batteries



*Minimum output=1.2V

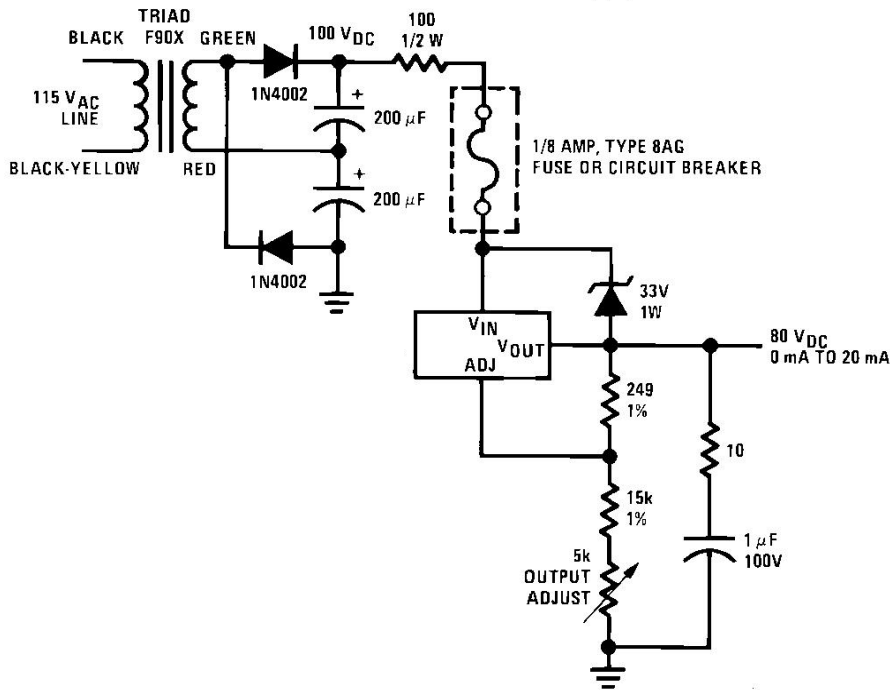
5V Logic Regulator with Electronic Shutdown



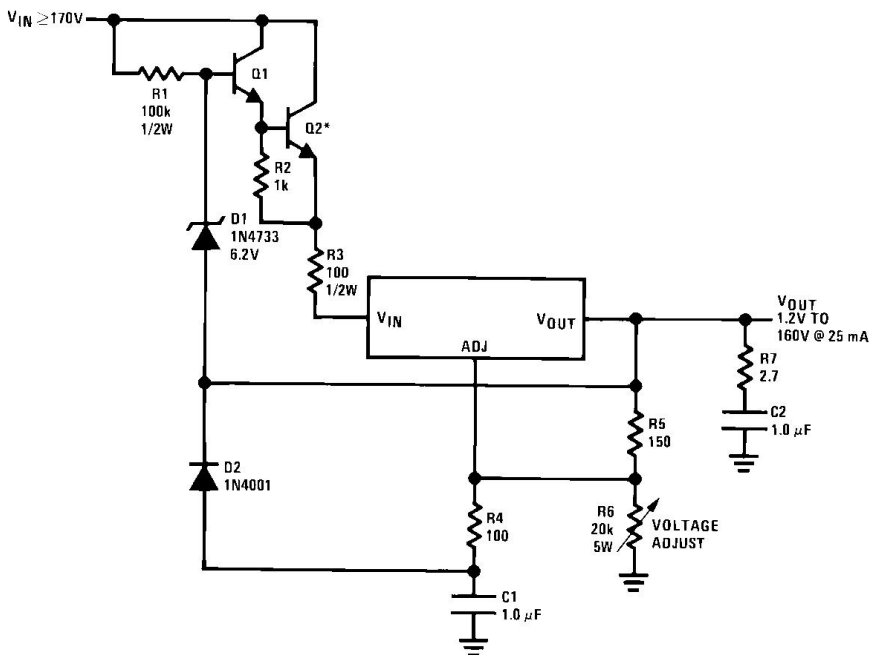
*Sets peak current, $I_{peak} = 0.6V/R1$

**1000 μ F is recommended to filter out any input transients

Current Limited 6V Charger



Short Circuit Protected 80V Supply

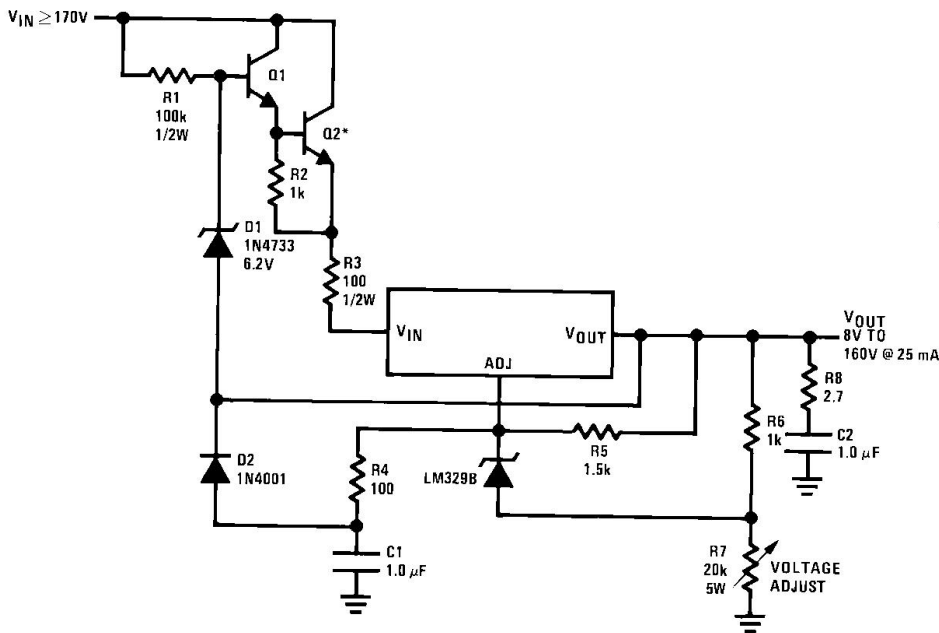


Q1,Q2: NSD134 or similar

C1,C2: 1μF, 200V mylar**

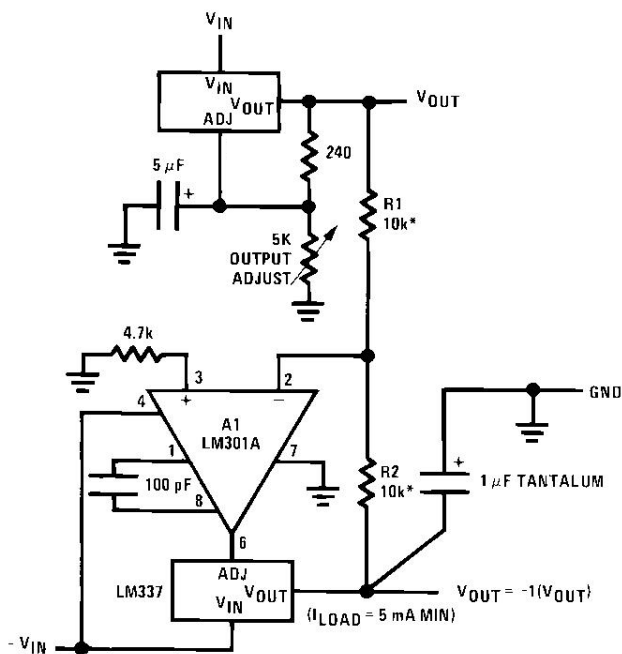
*Heat sink

Basic High Voltage Regulator

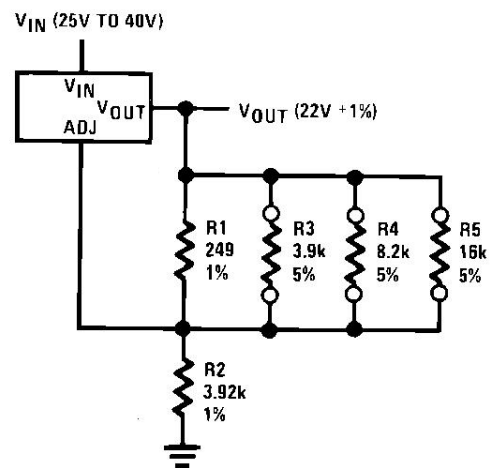


Q1,Q2: NSD134 or similar C1,C2: 1 μ F, 200V mylar** *Heat sink ** Mylar is a registered trademark of DuPont Co.

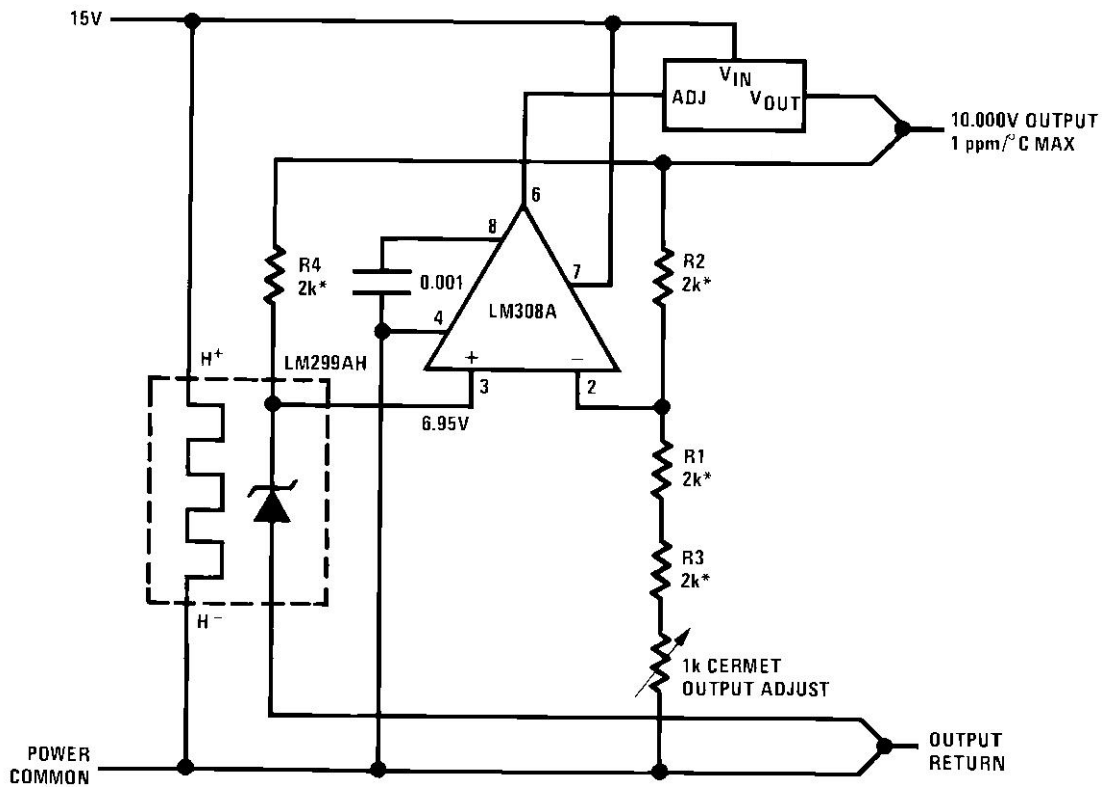
Precision High Voltage Regulator



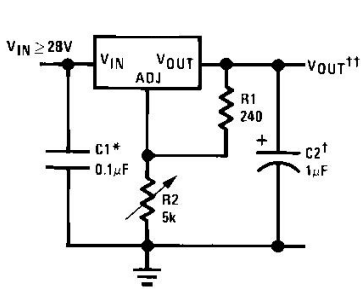
Tracking Regulator



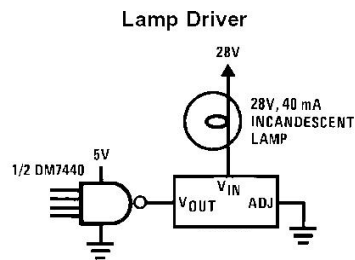
Regulator with Trimmable output Voltage



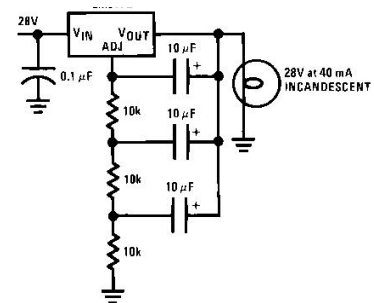
Precision Reference with Short-Circuit Proof Output



Adjustable Regulator



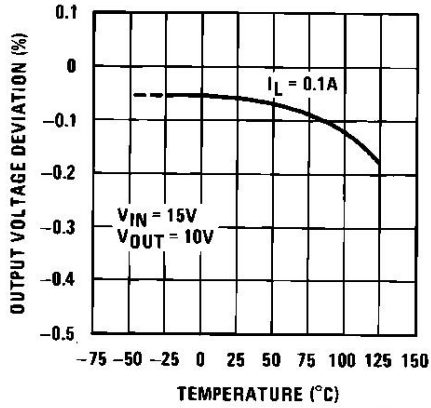
Protected (Bulletproof)
Lamp Driver



Lamp Flasher

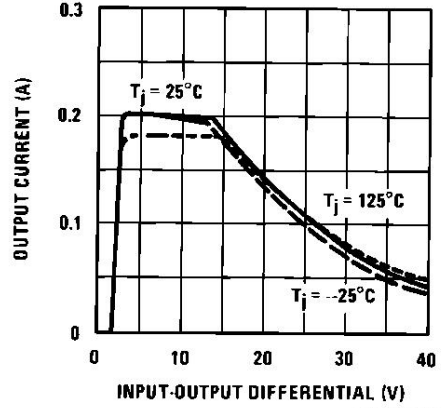
Characteristics Curves

Load Regulation



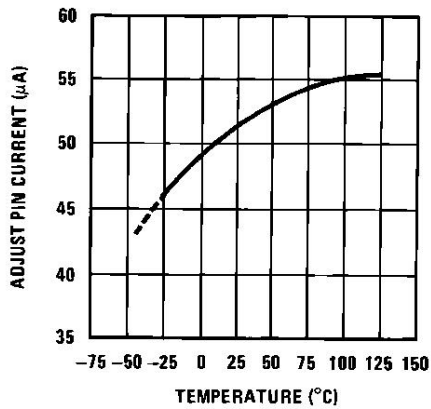
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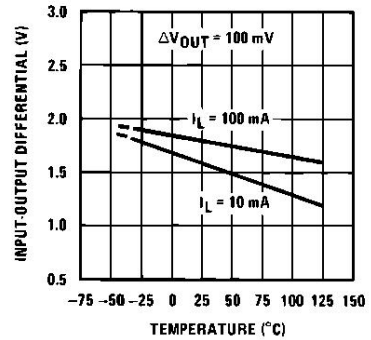
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Adjustment Current



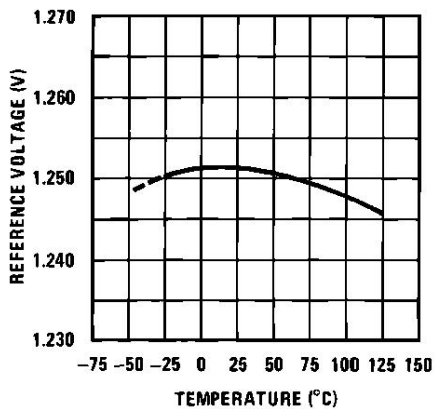
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Dropout Voltage



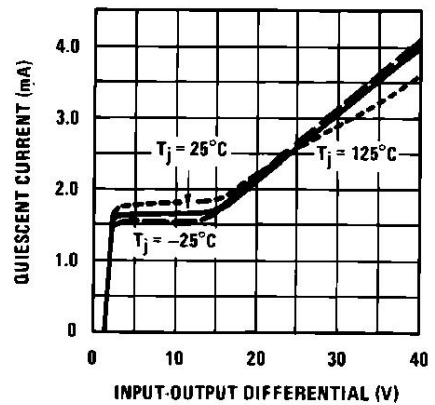
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Reference Voltage
Temperature Stability



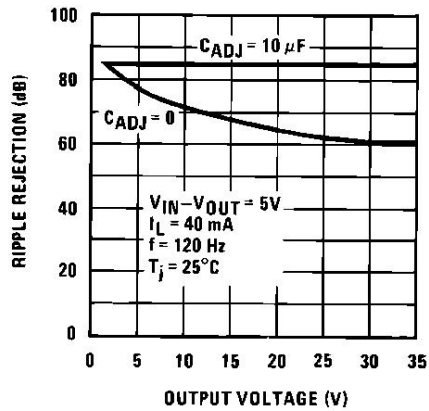
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Minimum Operating Current



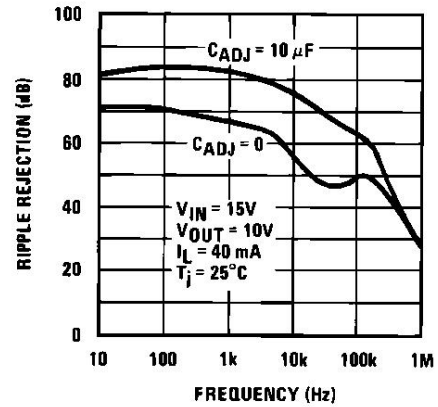
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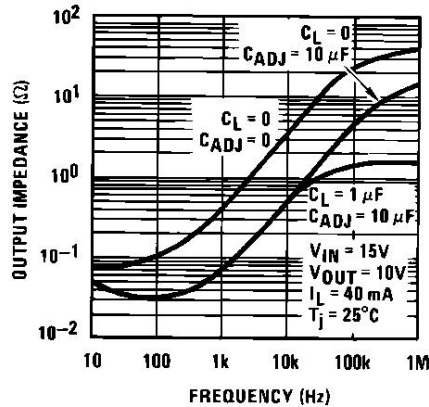
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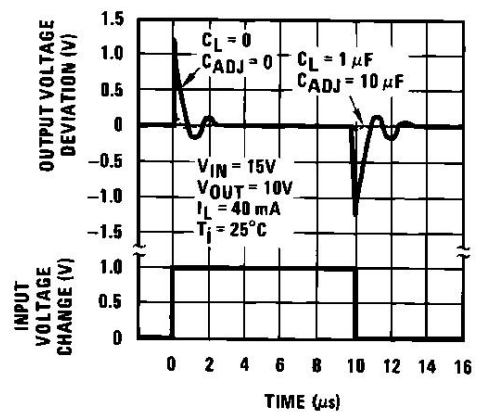
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Output Impedance



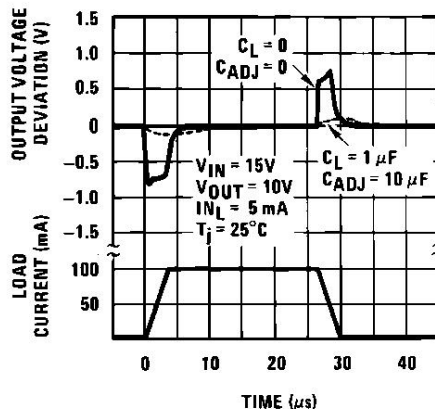
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Line Transient Response



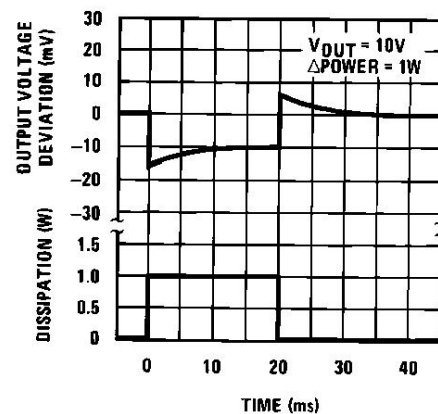
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Load Transient Response



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Thermal Regulation



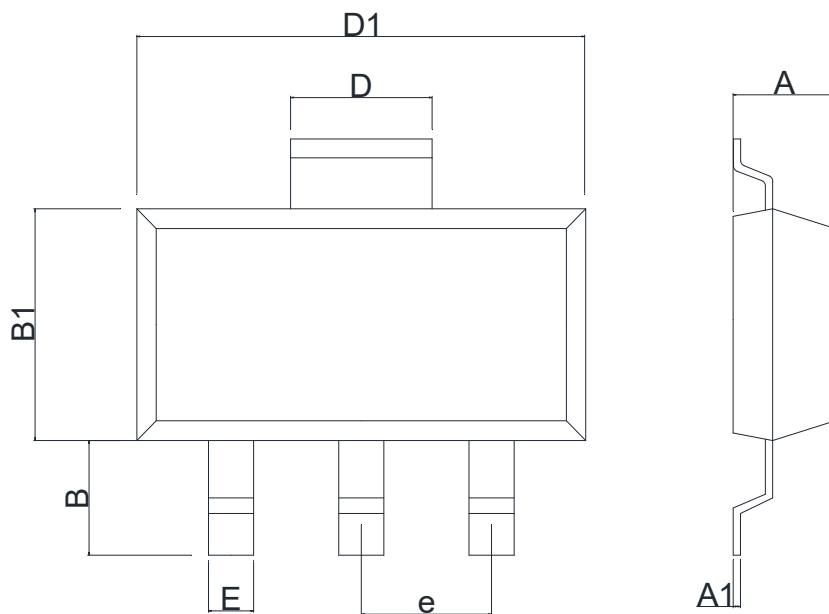
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Outline Dimensions

TO92	Unit:mm			
Symbol	Dimensions In Millimeters		Dimensions In Inches	
	Min	Max	Min	Max
A	1.420	1.620	0.056	0.064
A1	0.660	0.860	0.026	0.034
A2	0.350	0.480	0.014	0.019
D	3.050	3.250	0.120	0.128
E	0.350	0.550	0.014	0.022
E1	3.900	4.100	0.154	0.161
e	1.270 (BSC)		0.050 (BSC)	

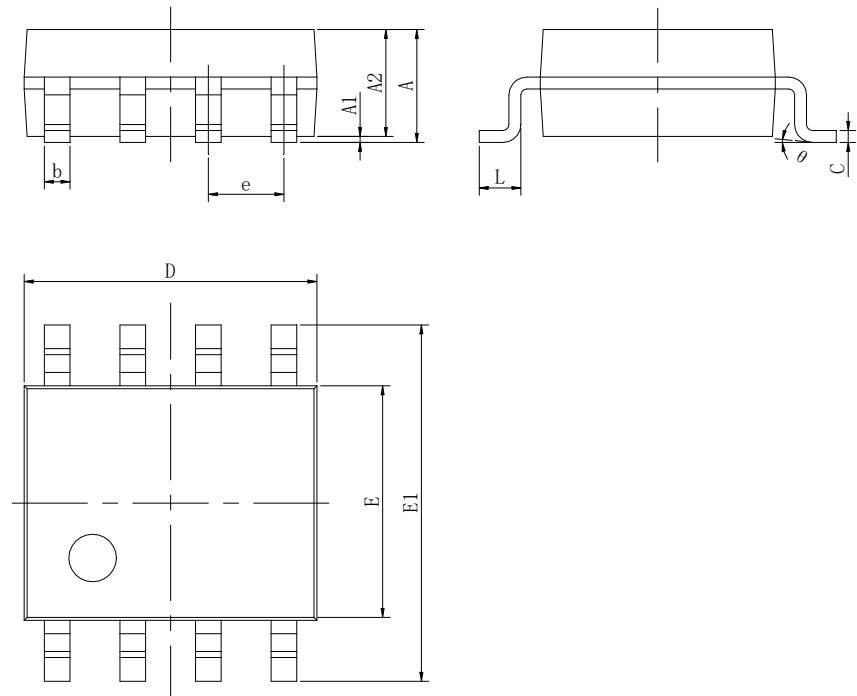
SOT89-3

Unit:mm



Symbol	Dimensions In Millimeters		Dimensions In Inches	
	Min	Max	Min	Max
A	1.450	1.550	0.057	0.061
A1	0.390	0.410	0.015	0.016
B	0.950	1.050	0.037	0.041
B1	2.350	2.550	0.092	0.100
E	0.350	0.450	0.013	0.017
D1	4.400	4.600	0.173	0.181
D	1.550 REF		0.061 REF	
e	1.500 (BSC)		0.059 (BSC)	

SOP8 Unit:mm



Symbol	Dimensions In Millimeters		Dimensions In Inches	
	Min	Max	Min	Max
A	1.350	1.800	0.053	0.071
A1	0.000	0.250	0.000	0.010
A2	1.250	1.550	0.053	0.061
b	0.300	0.510	0.011	0.020
c	0.170	0.250	0.006	0.010
D	4.700	5.100	0.185	0.201
E	3.800	4.000	0.150	0.157
E1	5.800	6.300	0.228	0.244
e	1.270(BSC)		0.050(BSC)	
L	0.400	1.270	0.016	0.050
θ	0°	8°	0°	8°

TO252-2		Unit:mm		
Symbol	Dimensions In Millimeters		Dimensions In Inches	
	Min	Max	Min	Max
A	0.470	0.570	0.018	0.023
A1	2.220	2.380	0.087	0.094
A2	0.470	0.570	0.018	0.023
B	0.820	0.840	0.032	0.033
B1	2.380	2.480	0.093	0.098
B2	0.500	0.520	0.019	0.021
C	4.250	4.450	0.167	0.176
D	6.000	6.200	0.236	0.245
D1	1.150	1.250	0.045	0.050
E	0.650	0.850	0.025	0.034
E1	6.450	6.750	0.253	0.266
e	2.285 (BSC)		0.090 (BSC)	