



3-terminal 12V 1A positive voltage regulator

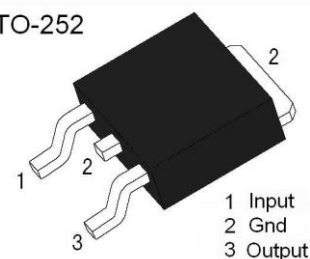
Description

The 78M15 three-terminal positive regulators are available in the TO-252 package with several 9V fixed output voltages making it useful in a wide range of applications.

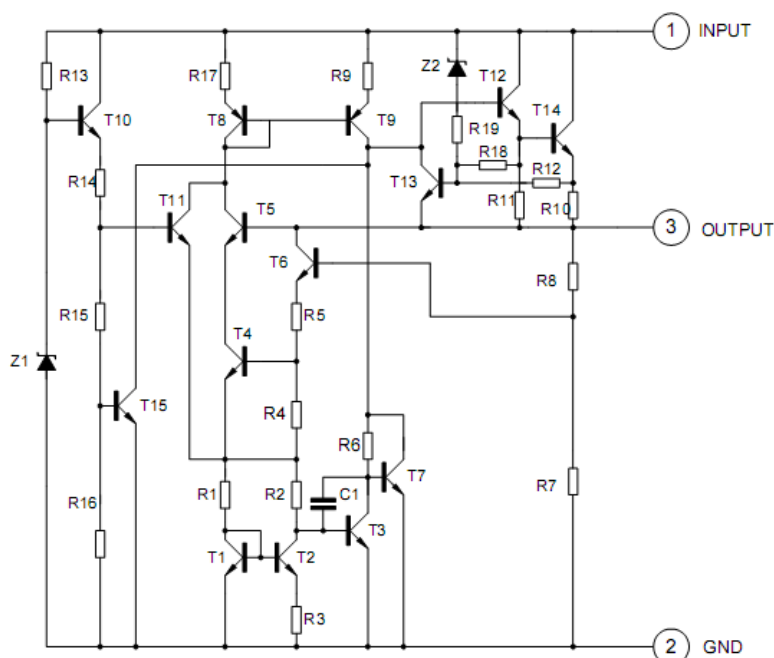
Features

- Output Current up to 1A
- Output Voltages of 15V
- Thermal Overload Protection
- Short Circuit Protection
- Output Transistor Safe Operating area (SOA) Protection

TO-252



Equivalent Circuit



Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Unit
Input Voltage	V_{IN}	35	V
Out put Voltage	V_O	15	V
Thermal Resistance Junction-Cases	$R_{\theta JC}$	5	$^{\circ}\text{C}/\text{W}$
Thermal Resistance Junction-Airs	$R_{\theta JA}$	92	$^{\circ}\text{C}/\text{W}$
Operating Temperature Range	T_{OPR}	0 ~ + 125	$^{\circ}\text{C}$
Storage Temperature Range	T_{STG}	-55 ~ + 150	$^{\circ}\text{C}$


Electrical Characteristics

 ($V_I = 23V$, $I_O = 350mA$, $C_I = 0.33\mu F$, $C_O = 0.1\mu F$, $T_J = 0$ to $125^\circ C$, unless otherwise specified)

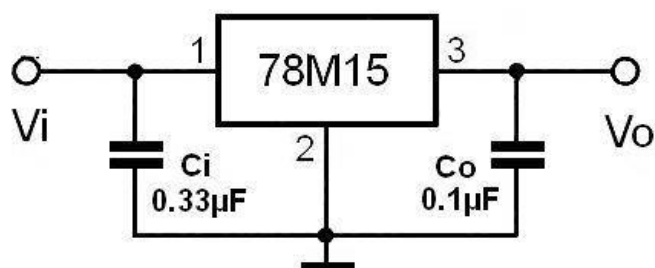
Parameter	Symbol	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Output Voltage	V_O	$T_J = 25^\circ C$		14.4	15	15.6	V
		$V_I = 17.5V \sim 30V$ $I_O = 5mA \sim 350mA$		14.25	15	15.75	V
Line Regulation	ΔV_O	$T_J = 25^\circ C$ $I_O = 0.2A$	$V_I = 17.5V \sim 30V$			120	mV
			$V_I = 20V \sim 30V$			60	
Load Regulation	ΔV_O	$T_J = 25^\circ C$	$I_O = 5mA \sim 0.5A$			300	mV
			$I_O = 5mA \sim 0.2A$			150	
Quiescent Current	I_Q	$T_J = 25^\circ C$				6.0	mA
Quiescent Current Change	ΔI_Q	$I_O = 5mA \sim 0.35A$				0.5	mA
		$V_I = 17.5V \sim 30V$				0.8	
Output Voltage Drift	$\Delta V / \Delta T$	$I_O = 5mA$			-1.0		mV/ $^\circ C$
Output Noise Voltage	V_N	$10Hz \leq f \leq 100KHz$			100		$\mu V/V_O$
Ripple Rejection	RR	$f = 120Hz$, $I_O = 300mA$ $V_I = 18.5V \sim 28.5V$		55	71		dB
Short Circuit Current	I_{SC}	$T_J = 25^\circ C$, $V_I = 35V$			230		mA
Peak Out Current	I_{PK}	$T_J = 25^\circ C$			700		mA
Dropout Voltage	V_d	$T_J = 25^\circ C$, $I_O = 0.5A$			2.0		V

Notes:

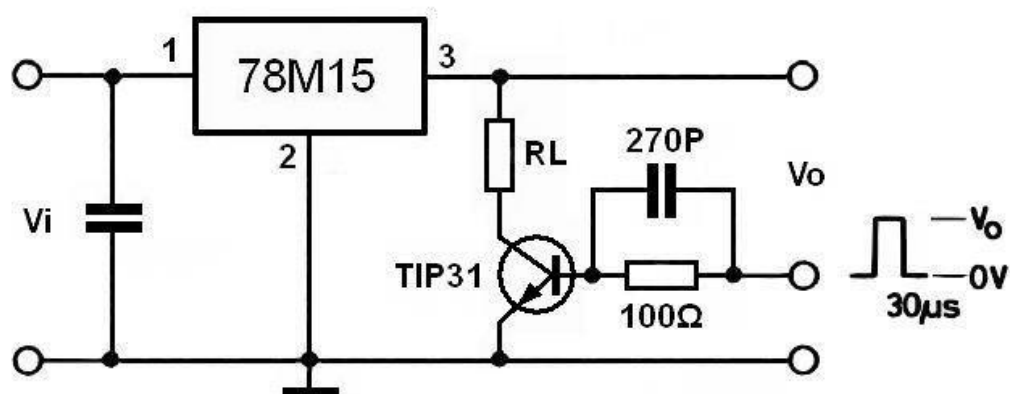
Load and line regulation are specified at constant, junction temperature. Change in V_O due to heating effects must be taken into account separately. Pulse testing with low duty is used.



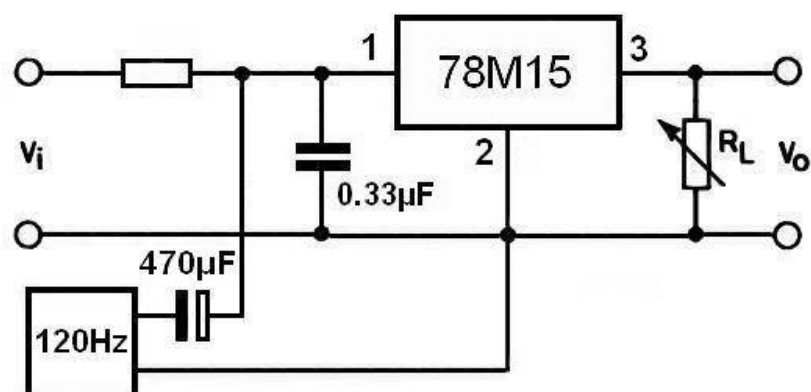
Test Circuits



DC Parameter



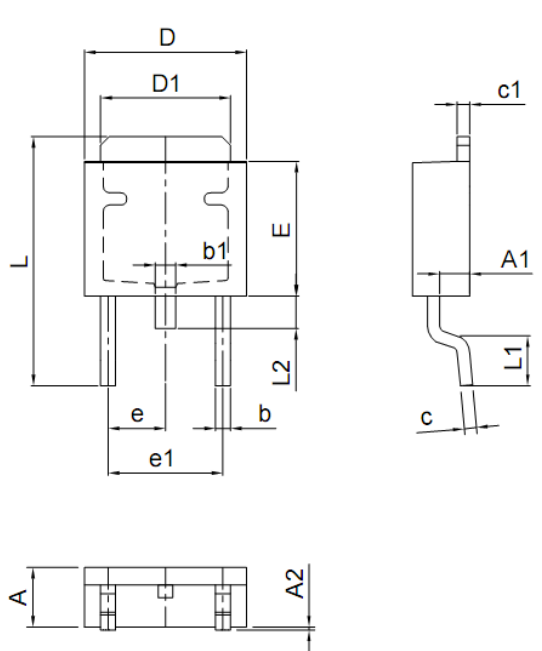
Load Regulation



Ripple Rejection



Package Dimensions

	Dim	Millimeter		Inches	
		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
	A	2.20	2.50	0.087	0.094
	A1	1.00	1.40	0.039	0.055
	A2	0.00	0.15	0.000	0.006
	b	0.50	0.70	0.020	0.028
	b1	0.70	0.90	0.028	0.035
	c	0.40	0.60	0.016	0.024
	c1	0.40	0.60	0.016	0.024
	D	6.20	6.70	0.244	0.264
	D1	5.10	5.50	0.201	0.217
	E	5.50	6.00	0.217	0.236
	e	2.20	2.40	0.087	0.094
	e1	4.40	4.80	0.173	0.189
	L	9.70	10.40	0.382	0.409
	L1	1.40	1.70	0.055	0.063
	L2	0.60	1.20	0.024	0.047