

# FIXED VOLTAGE REGULATOR

# LM78XX

## 3-TERMINAL 1A POSITIVE VOLTAGE REGULATORS

### FEATURES

- Output current in excess of 1A
- No external components required
- Internal short circuit current limiting
- Output Voltage of 5V, 6V, 8V, 9V, 10V, 12V, 15V, 18V, 24V
- Internal thermal overload protection
- Output transistor safe-area compensation
- Output voltage offered in 4% tolerance
- Moisture Sensitivity Level 3

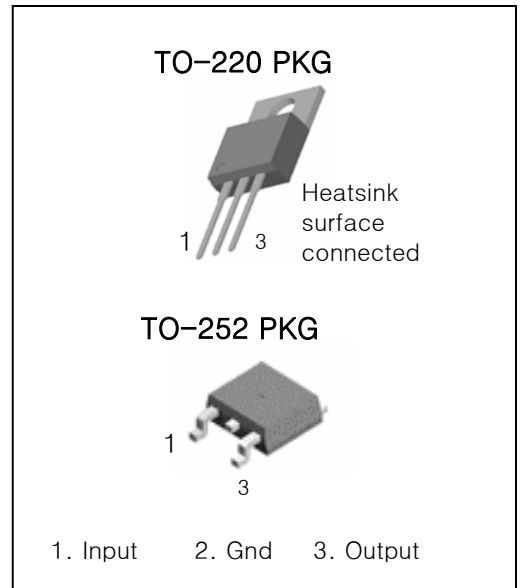
### DESCRIPTION

The LM78XX series of three-terminal positive regulators, – fixed output voltage and TO-220/TO-252 package – are designed for a wide range of applications.

These applications include on-card regulation for elimination of noise and distribution problems associated with single point regulation. In addition, they can be used with power pass elements to make high current voltage regulators.

If adequate heat sinking is provided, each of these regulators can deliver up to 1A of output current.

Although designed primarily as fixed voltage regulators, these devices can be used with external components to obtain adjustable voltage and currents.

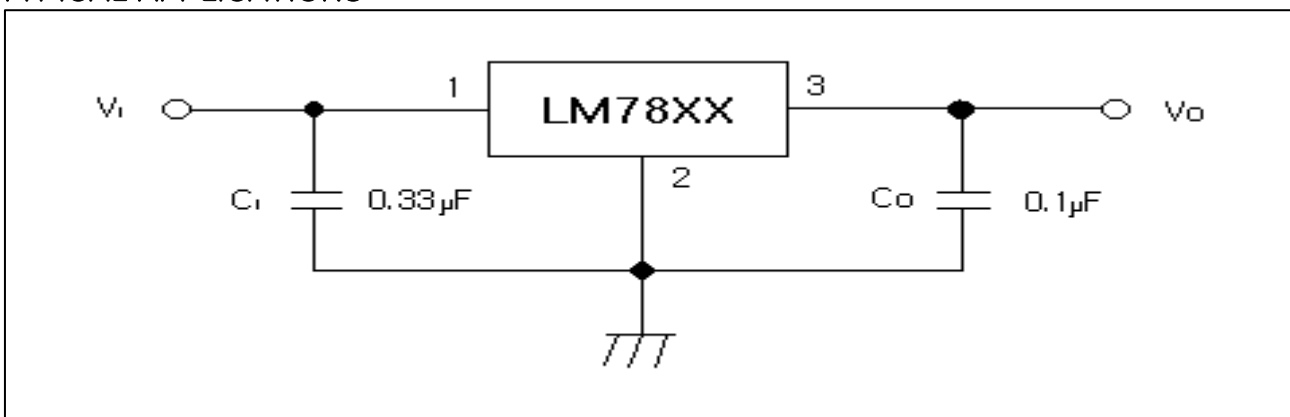


### ORDERING INFORMATION

DEVICE	MARKING	PACKAGE
LM78XXT	LM78XX	TO-220
LM78XXRS	LM78XX	TO-252

XX = Output Voltage 5V, 6V, 8V, 9V, 10V, 12V, 15V, 18V, 24V

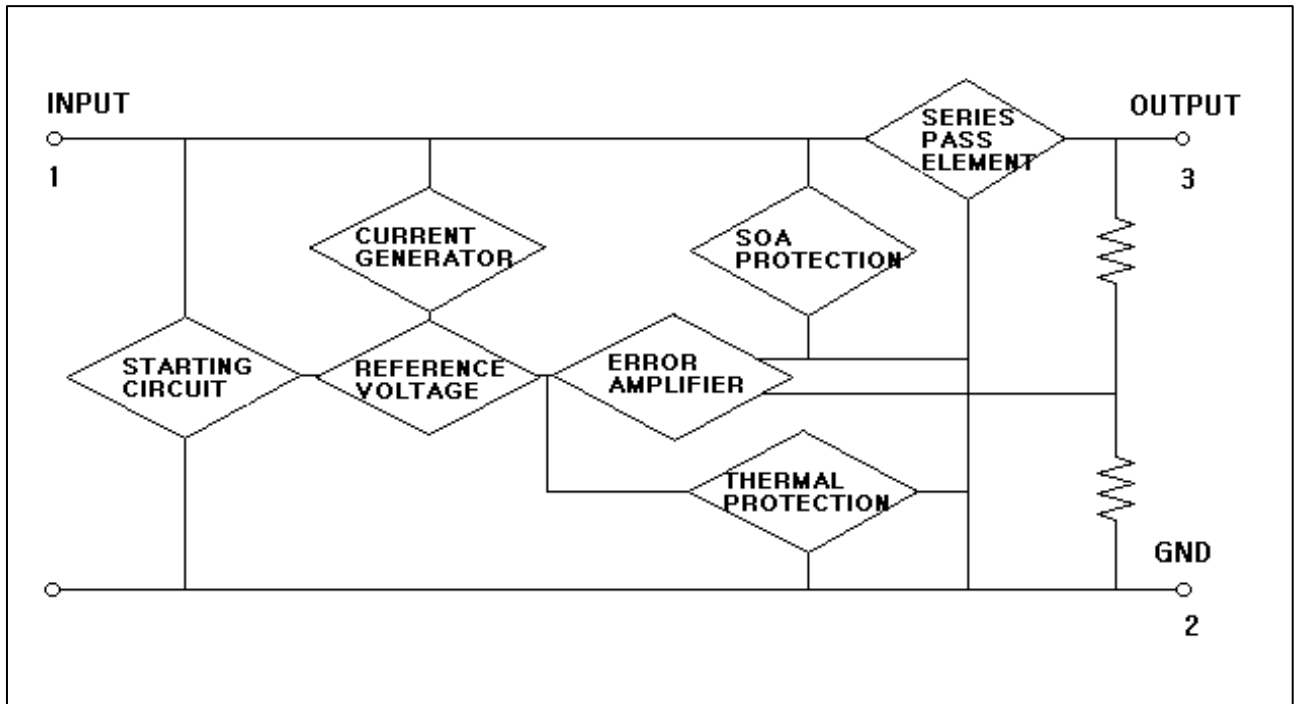
### TYPICAL APPLICATIONS



### Notes :

- (1) To specify an output voltage, substitute voltage value for "XX"
- (2)  $C_i$  is required if regulator is located in appreciable distance from power supply filter.
- (3)  $C_o$  improves stability and transient response.

**BLOCK DIAGRAM**



**ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Characteristic	Device	Symbol	Value	Unit
Input Voltage	LM7805 ~ LM7818	$V_i$	35	V
	LM7824		40	
Operating junction temperature		$T_{opr}$	0 ~ +150	°C
Storage temperature		$T_{stg}$	-65 ~ +150	°C

**LM7805 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

(Refer to test circuit,  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ ,  $I_o = 500\text{mA}$ ,  $V_i = 10\text{V}$ ,  $C_i = 0.33\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_o = 0.1\mu\text{F}$ , unless otherwise specified)

Characteristic	Symbol	Test condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	
Output Voltage	$V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	4.8	5.0	5.2	V	
		$5.0\text{mA} \leq I_o \leq 1.0\text{A}$ , $P_D \leq 15\text{W}$ $V_i = 7\text{V to } 20\text{V}$	4.75	5.0	5.25		
Line Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$V_o = 7\text{V to } 25\text{V}$		4.0	100	mV
			$V_i = 8\text{V to } 12\text{V}$		1.6	50	
Load Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5.0\text{mA to } 1.5\text{A}$		9	100	mV
			$I_o = 250\text{mA to } 750\text{mA}$		4	50	
Quiescent Current Change	$\Delta I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1\text{A}$		0.03	0.5	mA
			$V_i = 7\text{V to } 25\text{V}$		0.3	1.3	
			$V_i = 8\text{V to } 25\text{V}$				
Output Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_o / \Delta T$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		-0.8		mV/°C	
Output Noise Voltage	$V_N$	$f = 10\text{Hz to } 100\text{KHz}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		42		$\mu\text{V}$	
Ripple Rejection	RR	$f = 120\text{Hz}$ $V_o = 8\text{V to } 18\text{V}$	62	73		dB	
Dropout Voltage	$V_D$	$I_o = 1\text{A}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2		V	
Peak Current	$I_{PK}$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2.2		A	
Output Resistance	$R_o$	$f = 1\text{KHz}$		15		$\text{m}\Omega$	
Short Circuit Current	$I_{SC}$	$V_i = 35\text{V}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		230		mA	

Notes

\*  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$

LM78XX ;  $T_{MIN} = 0^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $T_{MAX} = 125^\circ\text{C}$

\* Load and line regulation are specified at constant junction temperature. Changes in  $V_o$  due to heating effects must be taken into account separately. Pulse testing with low duty is used.

**LM7806 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

 (Refer to test circuit,  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ ,  $I_o = 500\text{mA}$ ,  $V_i = 11\text{V}$ ,  $C_i = 0.33\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_o = 0.1\mu\text{F}$ , unless otherwise specified)

Characteristic	Symbol	Test condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	
Output Voltage	$V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	5.75	6.0	6.25	V	
		$5.0\text{mA} \leq I_o \leq 1.0\text{A}$ , $P_D \leq 15\text{W}$ $V_i = 8.0\text{V to } 21\text{V}$	5.7	6.0	6.3		
Line Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$V_o = 8\text{V to } 25\text{V}$		5	120	mV
			$V_i = 9\text{V to } 13\text{V}$		1.5	60	
Load Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1.5\text{A}$		9	120	mV
			$I_o = 250\text{mA to } 750\text{mA}$		3	60	
Quiescent Current	$I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		5	8	mA	
Quiescent Current Change	$\Delta I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1\text{A}$			0.5	mA
			$V_i = 8\text{V to } 25\text{V}$			1.3	
			$V_i = 9\text{V to } 25\text{V}$				
Output Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_o / \Delta T$	$I_o = 5\text{mA}$		-0.8		mV/ $^\circ\text{C}$	
Output Noise Voltage	$V_N$	$f = 10\text{Hz to } 100\text{kHz}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		45		$\mu\text{V}$	
Ripple Rejection	RR	$f = 120\text{Hz}$ $V_i = 9\text{V to } 19\text{V}$	59	75		dB	
Dropout Voltage	$V_D$	$I_o = 1\text{A}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2		V	
Peak Current	$I_{PK}$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2.2		A	
Output Resistance	$R_o$	$f = 1\text{kHz}$		19		$\text{M}\Omega$	
Short Circuit Current	$I_{SC}$	$V_i = 35\text{V}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		250		mA	

**Notes**

 \*  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ 

 LM78XX ;  $T_{MIN} = 0^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $T_{MAX} = 125^\circ\text{C}$ 

 \* Load and line regulation are specified at constant junction temperature. Changes in  $V_o$  due to heating effects must be taken into account separately. Pulse testing with low duty is used.

**LM7808 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

 (Refer to test circuit,  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ ,  $I_o = 500\text{mA}$ ,  $V_i = 14\text{V}$ ,  $C_i = 0.33\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_o = 0.1\mu\text{F}$ , unless otherwise specified)

Characteristic	Symbol	Test condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	$V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	7.7	8.0	8.3	V
		$5.0\text{mA} \leq I_o \leq 1.0\text{A}$ , $P_o \leq 15\text{W}$ $V_i = 10.5\text{V to } 23\text{V}$ $V_i = 11.5\text{V to } 23\text{V}$	7.6	8.0	8.4	
Line Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$V_i = 10.5\text{V to } 25\text{V}$	5.0	160	mV
			$V_i = 11.5\text{V to } 17\text{V}$	2.0	80	
Load Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5.0\text{mA to } 1.5\text{A}$	10	160	mV
			$I_o = 250\text{mA to } 750\text{mA}$	5	80	
Quiescent Current	$I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		5	8	mA
Quiescent Current Change	$\Delta I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1\text{A}$	0.05	0.5	mA
			$V_i = 10.5\text{V to } 25\text{V}$	0.5	1.0	
			$V_i = 11.5\text{V to } 25\text{V}$			
Output Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_o / \Delta T$	$I_o = 5\text{mA}$		-0.8		mV/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Output Noise Voltage	$V_N$	$f = 10\text{Hz to } 100\text{KHz}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		52		$\mu\text{V}$
Ripple Rejection	RR	$f = 120\text{Hz}$ , $V_i = 11.5\text{V to } 21.5\text{V}$	56	73		dB
Dropout Voltage	$V_D$	$I_o = 1\text{A}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2		V
Peak Current	$I_{PK}$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2.2		A
Output Resistance	$R_o$	$f = 1\text{KHz}$		17		$\text{M}\Omega$
Short Circuit Current	$I_{SC}$	$V_i = 35\text{V}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		230		mA

**Notes**

 \*  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ 

 LM78XX ;  $T_{MIN} = 0^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $T_{MAX} = 125^\circ\text{C}$ 

 \* Load and line regulation are specified at constant junction temperature. Changes in  $V_o$  due to heating effects must be taken into account separately. Pulse testing with low duty is used.

**LM7809 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

 (Refer to test circuit,  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ ,  $I_o = 500\text{mA}$ ,  $V_i = 15\text{V}$ ,  $C_i = 0.33\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_o = 0.1\mu\text{F}$ , unless otherwise specified)

Characteristic	Symbol	Test condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	$V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	8.65	9.0	9.35	V
		$5.0\text{mA} \leq I_o \leq 1.0\text{A}$ , $P_D \leq 15\text{W}$ $V_i = 11.5\text{V to } 24\text{V}$ $V_i = 12.5\text{V to } 24\text{V}$	8.6	9.0	9.4	
Line Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$V_i = 11.5\text{V to } 25\text{V}$	6.0	180	mV
			$V_i = 12\text{V to } 25\text{V}$	2	90	
Load Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1.5\text{A}$	12	180	mV
			$I_o = 250\text{mA to } 750\text{mA}$	4	90	
Quiescent Current	$I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		5.0	8	mA
Quiescent Current Change	$\Delta I_q$		$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1\text{A}$		0.5	mA
			$V_i = 11.5\text{V to } 26\text{V}$		1.3	
			$V_i = 12.5\text{V to } 26\text{V}$			
Output Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_o / \Delta T$	$I_o = 5\text{mA}$		-1		mV/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Output Noise Voltage	$V_N$	$f = 10\text{Hz to } 100\text{KHz}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		58		$\mu\text{V}$
Ripple Rejection	RR	$f = 120\text{Hz}$ $V_i = 13\text{V to } 23\text{V}$	56	71		dB
Dropout Voltage	$V_D$	$I_o = 1\text{A}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2		V
Peak Current	$I_{PK}$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2.2		A
Output Resistance	$R_o$	$f = 1\text{KHz}$		17		$\text{M}\Omega$
Short Circuit Current	$I_{SC}$	$V_i = 35\text{V}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		250		mA

**Notes**

 \*  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ 

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 \* Load and line regulation are specified at constant junction temperature. Changes in  $V_o$  due to heating effects must be taken into account separately. Pulse testing with low duty is used.

**LM7810 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

 (Refer to test circuit,  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ ,  $I_o = 500\text{mA}$ ,  $V_i = 16\text{V}$ ,  $C_i = 0.33\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_o = 0.1\mu\text{F}$ , unless otherwise specified)

Characteristic	Symbol	Test condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	$V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	9.6	10.0	10.4	V
		$5.0\text{mA} \leq I_o \leq 1.0\text{A}$ , $P_D \leq 15\text{W}$ $V_i = 12.5\text{V to } 25\text{V}$ $V_i = 13.5\text{V to } 25\text{V}$	9.5	10	10.5	
Line Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$V_i = 12.5\text{V to } 25\text{V}$	10	200	mV
			$V_i = 13\text{V to } 25\text{V}$	3	100	
Load Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1.5\text{A}$	12	200	mV
			$I_o = 250\text{mA to } 750\text{mA}$	4	400	
Quiescent Current	$I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		5.1	8	mA
Quiescent Current Change	$\Delta I_q$		$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1.0\text{A}$		0.5	mA
			$V_i = 12.5\text{V to } 29\text{V}$		1	
			$V_i = 13.5\text{V to } 29\text{V}$			
Output Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_o / \Delta T$	$I_o = 5\text{mA}$		-1		mV/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Output Noise Voltage	$V_N$	$f = 10\text{Hz to } 100\text{KHz}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		58		$\mu\text{V}$
Ripple Rejection	RR	$f = 120\text{Hz}$ $V_i = 13\text{V to } 23\text{V}$	56	71		dB
Dropout Voltage	$V_D$	$I_o = 1\text{A}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2		V
Peak Current	$I_{PK}$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2.2		A
Output Resistance	$R_o$	$f = 1\text{KHz}$		17		$\text{M}\Omega$
Short Circuit Current	$I_{SC}$	$V_i = 35\text{V}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		250		mA

**Notes**

 \*  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ 

 LM78XX ;  $T_{MIN} = 0^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $T_{MAX} = 125^\circ\text{C}$ 

 \* Load and line regulation are specified at constant junction temperature. Changes in  $V_o$  due to heating effects must be taken into account separately. Pulse testing with low duty is used.

**LM7812 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

 (Refer to test circuit,  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ ,  $I_o = 500\text{mA}$ ,  $V_i = 19\text{V}$ ,  $C_i = 0.33\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_o = 0.1\mu\text{F}$ , unless otherwise specified)

Characteristic	Symbol	Test condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	$V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	11.5	12	12.5	V
		$5.0\text{mA} \leq I_o \leq 1.0\text{A}$ , $P_D \leq 15\text{W}$ $V_i = 14.5\text{V to } 27\text{V}$ $V_i = 15.5\text{V to } 27\text{V}$	11.4	12	12.6	
Line Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$V_i = 14.5\text{V to } 30\text{V}$	10	240	mV
			$V_i = 16\text{V to } 22\text{V}$	3	120	
Load Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1.5\text{A}$	11	240	mV
			$I_o = 250\text{mA to } 750\text{mA}$	5	120	
Quiescent Current	$I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		5.1	8	mA
Quiescent Current Change	$\Delta I_q$		$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1\text{A}$	0.1	0.5	mA
			$V_i = 14.5\text{V to } 30\text{V}$	0.5	1.0	
			$V_i = 15\text{V to } 30\text{V}$			
Output Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_o / \Delta T$	$I_o = 5\text{mA}$		-1		mV/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Output Noise Voltage	$V_N$	$f = 10\text{Hz to } 100\text{KHz}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		76		$\mu\text{V}$
Ripple Rejection	RR	$f = 120\text{Hz}$ $V_i = 15\text{V to } 25\text{V}$	55	71		dB
Dropout Voltage	$V_D$	$I_o = 1\text{A}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2		V
Peak Current	$I_{PK}$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2.2		A
Output Resistance	$R_o$	$f = 1\text{KHz}$		18		$\text{M}\Omega$
Short Circuit Current	$I_{SC}$	$V_i = 35\text{V}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		230		mA

**Notes**

 \*  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ 

 LM78XX ;  $T_{MIN} = 0^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $T_{MAX} = 125^\circ\text{C}$ 

 \* Load and line regulation are specified at constant junction temperature. Changes in  $V_o$  due to heating effects must be taken into account separately. Pulse testing with low duty is used.



**LM7815 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

 (Refer to test circuit,  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ ,  $I_o = 500\text{mA}$ ,  $V_i = 23\text{V}$ ,  $C_i = 0.33\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_o = 0.1\mu\text{F}$ , unless otherwise specified)

Characteristic	Symbol	Test condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	
Output Voltage	$V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	14.4	15	15.6	V	
		$5.0\text{mA} \leq I_o \leq 1.0\text{A}$ , $P_D \leq 15\text{W}$ $V_i = 17.5\text{V to } 30\text{V}$	14.25	15.0	15.75		
Line Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$V_i = 17.5\text{V to } 30\text{V}$		11	300	mV
			$V_i = 20\text{V to } 26\text{V}$		3	150	
Load Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1.5\text{A}$		12	300	mV
			$I_o = 250\text{mA to } 750\text{mA}$		4	150	
Quiescent Current	$I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		5.2	8	mA	
Quiescent Current Change	$\Delta I_q$		$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1\text{A}$			0.5	mA
			$V_i = 17.5\text{V to } 30\text{V}$			1.0	
			$V_i = 18.5\text{V to } 30\text{V}$				
Output Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_o / \Delta T$	$I_o = 5\text{mA}$		-1		mV/ $^\circ\text{C}$	
Output Noise Voltage	$V_N$	$f = 10\text{Hz to } 100\text{kHz}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		90		$\mu\text{V}$	
Ripple Rejection	RR	$f = 120\text{Hz}$ $V_i = 18.5\text{V to } 28.5\text{V}$	54	70		dB	
Dropout Voltage	$V_D$	$I_o = 1\text{A}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2		V	
Peak Current	$I_{PK}$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2.2		A	
Output Resistance	$R_o$	$f = 1\text{kHz}$		19		$\text{M}\Omega$	
Short Circuit Current	$I_{SC}$	$V_i = 35\text{V}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		250		mA	

**Notes**

 \*  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ 

 LM78XX ;  $T_{MIN} = 0^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $T_{MAX} = 125^\circ\text{C}$ 

 \* Load and line regulation are specified at constant junction temperature. Changes in  $V_o$  due to heating effects must be taken into account separately. Pulse testing with low duty is used.

**LM7818 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

 (Refer to test circuit,  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ ,  $I_o = 500\text{mA}$ ,  $V_i = 27\text{V}$ ,  $C_i = 0.33\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_o = 0.1\mu\text{F}$ , unless otherwise specified)

Characteristic	Symbol	Test condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	
Output Voltage	$V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	17.3	18	18.7	V	
		$5.0\text{mA} \leq I_o \leq 1.0\text{A}$ , $P_D \leq 15\text{W}$ $V_i = 21\text{V to } 33\text{V}$	17.1	18.0	18.9		
Line Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$V_i = 21\text{V to } 33\text{V}$		15	360	mV
			$V_i = 24\text{V to } 30\text{V}$		5	180	
Load Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1.5\text{A}$		15	360	mV
			$I_o = 250\text{mA to } 750\text{mA}$		5	180	
Quiescent Current	$I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		5.2	8	mA	
Quiescent Current Change	$\Delta I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1\text{A}$			0.5	mA
			$V_i = 21\text{V to } 33\text{V}$			1	
			$V_i = 22\text{V to } 33\text{V}$				
Output Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_o / \Delta T$	$I_o = 5\text{mA}$		-1		mV/ $^\circ\text{C}$	
Output Noise Voltage	$V_N$	$f = 10\text{Hz to } 100\text{kHz}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		110		$\mu\text{V}$	
Ripple Rejection	RR	$f = 120\text{Hz}$ $V_i = 22\text{V to } 32\text{V}$	53	69		dB	
Dropout Voltage	$V_D$	$I_o = 1\text{A}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2		V	
Peak Current	$I_{PK}$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2.2		A	
Output Resistance	$R_o$	$f = 1\text{kHz}$		22		$\text{M}\Omega$	
Short Circuit Current	$I_{SC}$	$V_i = 35\text{V}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		250		mA	

**Notes**

 \*  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ 

 LM78XX ;  $T_{MIN} = 0^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $T_{MAX} = 125^\circ\text{C}$ 

 \* Load and line regulation are specified at constant junction temperature. Changes in  $V_o$  due to heating effects must be taken into account separately. Pulse testing with low duty is used.

**LM7824 ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

 (Refer to test circuit,  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ ,  $I_o = 500\text{mA}$ ,  $V_i = 33\text{V}$ ,  $C_i = 0.33\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_o = 0.1\mu\text{F}$ , unless otherwise specified)

Characteristic	Symbol	Test condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	$V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	23	24	25	V
		$5.0\text{mA} \leq I_o \leq 1.0\text{A}$ , $P_D \leq 15\text{W}$ $V_i = 27\text{V to } 38\text{V}$	22.8	24.0	25.2	
Line Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$V_i = 27\text{V to } 38\text{V}$	17	480	mV
			$V_i = 30\text{V to } 36\text{V}$	6	240	
Load Regulation	$\Delta V_o$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1.5\text{A}$	15	480	mV
			$I_o = 250\text{mA to } 750\text{mA}$	5	240	
Quiescent Current	$I_q$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		5.2	8	mA
Quiescent Current Change	$\Delta I_q$		$I_o = 5\text{mA to } 1\text{A}$	0.1	0.5	mA
			$V_i = 27\text{V to } 38\text{V}$	0.5	1	
			$V_i = 28\text{V to } 38\text{V}$			
Output Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_o / \Delta T$	$I_o = 5\text{mA}$		-1.5		mV/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Output Noise Voltage	$V_N$	$f = 10\text{Hz to } 100\text{kHz}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		60		$\mu\text{V}$
Ripple Rejection	RR	$f = 120\text{Hz}$ $V_i = 28\text{V to } 38\text{V}$	50	67		dB
Dropout Voltage	$V_D$	$I_o = 1\text{A}$ , $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2		V
Peak Current	$I_{PK}$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2.2		A
Output Resistance	$R_o$	$f = 1\text{kHz}$		28		M $\Omega$
Short Circuit Current	$I_{SC}$	$V_i = 35\text{V}$ , $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		230		mA

**Notes**

 \*  $T_{MIN} < T_J < T_{MAX}$ 

 LM78XX ;  $T_{MIN} = 0^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $T_{MAX} = 125^\circ\text{C}$ 

 \* Load and line regulation are specified at constant junction temperature. Changes in  $V_o$  due to heating effects must be taken into account separately. Pulse testing with low duty is used.