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LM79XX

3-Terminal 1A Negative Voltage Regulator

Features

- Output Current in Excess of 1A
- Output Voltages of -5, -6, -8 , -9, -10, -12, -15, -18 and -24V
- Internal Thermal Overload Protection
- Short Circuit Protection
- Output Transistor Safe Operating Area Compensation

Description

The LM79XX series of three terminal negative regulators are available in TO-220 package and with several fixed output voltages, making them useful in a wide range of applications. Each type employs internal current limiting, thermal shut down and safe operating area protection, making it essentially indestructible.

TO-220 (Single Gauge)

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1. GND 2. Input 3. Output
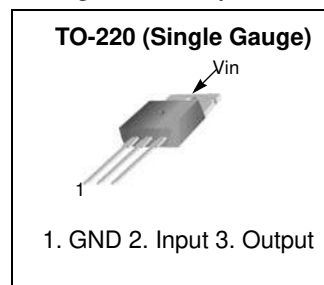
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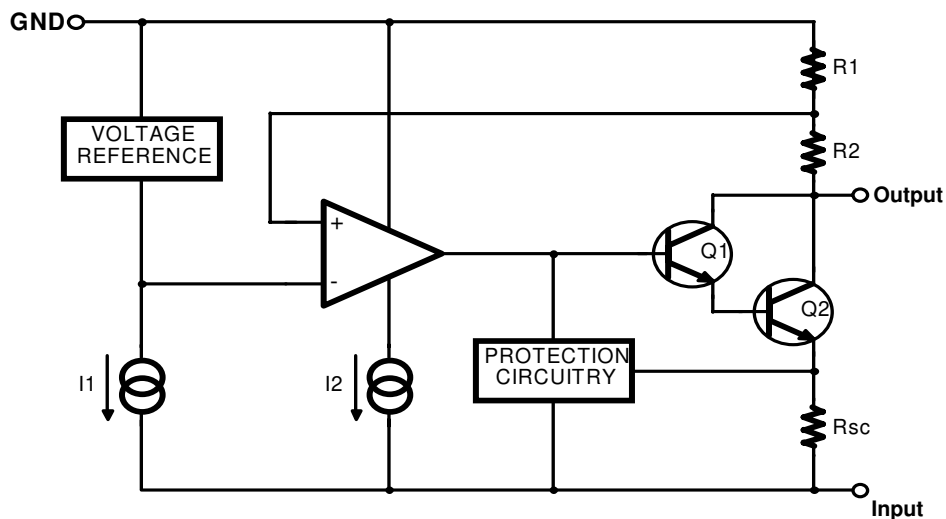
Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Unit
Input Voltage	V_I	-35	V
Thermal Resistance Junction-Case (Note1)	$R_{\theta JC}$	5	°C/W
Thermal Resistance Junction-Air (Note1, 2)	$R_{\theta JA}$	65	
Operating Temperature Range	T_{OPR}	0 ~ +125	°C
Storage Temperature Range	T_{STG}	-65 ~ +150	°C

Note:

1. Thermal resistance test board
   Size: 76.2mm * 114.3mm * 1.6mm(1S0P)
   JEDEC standard: JESD51-3, JESD51-7

2. Assume no ambient airflow

Electrical Characteristics (LM7905)

(V_I = -10V, I_O = 500mA, 0°C $\leq T_J \leq$ +125°C, C_I =2.2μF, C_O =1μF, unless otherwise specified.)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	V_O	T_J = +25°C		-4.8	-5.0	-5.2	V
		I_O = 5mA to 1A, $P_O \leq$ 15W V_I = -7V to -20V		-4.75	-5.0	-5.25	
Line Regulation (Note3)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C	V_I = -7V to -25V	-	35	100	mV
			V_I = -8V to -12V	-	8	50	
Load Regulation (Note3)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C I_O = 5mA to 1.5A		-	10	100	mV
		T_J =+25°C I_O = 250mA to 750mA		-	3	50	
Quiescent Current	I_Q	T_J =+25°C		-	3	6	mA
Quiescent Current Change	ΔI_Q	I_O = 5mA to 1A		-	0.05	0.5	mA
		V_I = -8V to -25V		-	0.1	0.8	
Temperature Coefficient of V_D	$\Delta V_O/\Delta T$	I_O = 5mA		-	- 0.4	-	mV/°C
Output Noise Voltage	V_N	f = 10Hz to 100kHz T_A =+25°C		-	40	-	μV
Ripple Rejection	RR	f = 120Hz ΔV_I = 10V		54	60	-	dB
Dropout Voltage	V_D	T_J = +25°C I_O = 1A		-	2	-	V
Short Circuit Current	I_{SC}	T_J =+25°C, V_I = -35V		-	300	-	mA
Peak Current	I_{PK}	T_J =+25°C		-	2.2	-	A

Note

3. 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.

Electrical Characteristics (LM7906) (Continued)

(V_I = -11V, I_O = 500mA, 0°C $\leq T_J \leq$ +125°C, C_I =2.2μF, C_O =1μF, unless otherwise specified.)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	V_O	T_J = +25°C		-5.75	-6	-6.25	V
		I_O = 5mA to 1A, $P_O \leq$ 15W V_I = -9V to -21V		-5.7	-6	-6.3	
Line Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C	V_I = -8V to -25V	-	10	120	mV
			V_I = -9V to -13V	-	5	60	
Load Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C I_O = 5mA to 1.5A		-	10	120	mV
		T_J =+25°C I_O = 250mA to 750mA		-	3	60	
Quiescent Current	I_Q	T_J =+25°C		-	3	6	mA
Quiescent Current Change	ΔI_Q	I_O = 5mA to 1A		-	0.05	0.5	mA
		V_I = -8V to -25V		-	0.1	1.3	
Temperature Coefficient of V_D	$\Delta V_O/\Delta T$	I_O = 5mA		-	-0.5	-	mV/°C
Output Noise Voltage	V_N	f = 10Hz to 100kHz T_A =+25°C		-	130	-	μV
Ripple Rejection	RR	f = 120Hz ΔV_I = 10V		54	60	-	dB
Dropout Voltage	V_D	T_J = +25°C I_O = 1A		-	2	-	V
Short Circuit Current	I_{SC}	T_J = +25°C, V_I = -35V		-	300	-	mA
Peak Current	I_{PK}	T_J = +25°C		-	2.2	-	A

Note

1. 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.

Electrical Characteristics (LM7908) (Continued)

(V_I = -14V, I_O = 500mA, 0°C $\leq T_J \leq$ +125°C, C_I =2.2μF, C_O =1μF, unless otherwise specified.)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	V_O	T_J = +25°C		-7.7	-8	-8.3	V
		I_O = 5mA to 1A, $P_O \leq$ 15W V_I = -10V to -23V		-7.6	-8	-8.4	
Line Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C	V_I = -10.5V to -25V	-	10	160	mV
			V_I = -11V to -17V	-	5	80	
Load Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C I_O = 5mA to 1.5A		-	12	160	mV
		T_J =+25°C I_O = 250mA to 750mA		-	4	80	
Quiescent Current	I_Q	T_J =+25°C		-	3	6	mA
Quiescent Current Change	ΔI_Q	I_O = 5mA to 1A		-	0.05	0.5	mA
		V_I = -10.5V to -25V		-	0.1	1	
Temperature Coefficient of V_D	$\Delta V_O/\Delta T$	I_O = 5mA		-	-0.6	-	mV/°C
Output Noise Voltage	V_N	f = 10Hz to 100kHz T_A =+25°C		-	175	-	μV
Ripple Rejection	RR	f = 120Hz ΔV_I = 10V		54	60	-	dB
Dropout Voltage	V_D	T_J = +25°C I_O = 1A		-	2	-	V
Short Circuit Current	I_{SC}	T_J = +25°C, V_I = -35V		-	300	-	mA
Peak Current	I_{PK}	T_J = +25°C		-	2.2	-	A

Note

1. 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.

Electrical Characteristics (LM7909) (Continued)

(V_I = -15V, I_O = 500mA, 0°C $\leq T_J \leq$ +125°C, C_I =2.2μF, C_O =1μF, unless otherwise specified.)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	V_O	T_J = +25°C		-8.7	-9.0	-9.3	V
		I_O = 5mA to 1A, $P_O \leq$ 15W V_I = -1.5V to -23V		-8.6	-9.0	-9.4	
Line Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C	V_I = -11.5V to -26V	-	10	180	mV
			V_I = -12V to -18V	-	5	90	
Load Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C I_O = 5mA to 1.5A		-	12	180	mV
		T_J = +25°C I_O = 250mA to 750mA		-	4	90	
Quiescent Current	I_Q	T_J = +25°C		-	3	6	mA
Quiescent Current Change	ΔI_Q	I_O = 5mA to 1A		-	0.05	0.5	mA
		V_I = -11.5V to -26V		-	0.1	1	
Temperature Coefficient of V_D	$\Delta V_O/\Delta T$	I_O = 5mA		-	-0.6	-	mV/°C
Output Noise Voltage	V_N	f = 10Hz to 100kHz T_A = +25°C		-	175	-	μV
Ripple Rejection	RR	f = 120Hz ΔV_I = 10V		54	60	-	dB
Dropout Voltage	V_D	T_J = +25°C I_O = 1A		-	2	-	V
Short Circuit Current	I_{SC}	T_J = +25°C, V_I = -35V		-	300	-	mA
Peak Current	I_{PK}	T_J = +25°C		-	2.2	-	A

Note:

1. 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.

Electrical Characteristics (LM7910) (Continued)

(V_I = -17V, I_O = 500mA, 0°C $\leq T_J \leq$ +125°C, C_I =2.2μF, C_O =1μF, unless otherwise specified.)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	V_O	T_J = +25°C		-9.6	-10	-10.4	V
		I_O = 5mA to 1A, $P_d \leq$ 15W V_I = -12V to -28		-9.5	-10	-10.5	
Line Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C	V_I = -12.5V to -28V	-	12	200	mV
			V_I = -14V to -20V	-	6	100	
Load Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C I_O = 5mA to 1.5A		-	12	200	mV
		T_J = +25°C I_O = 250mA to 750mA		-	4	100	
Quiescent Current	I_Q	T_J = +25°C		-	3	6	mA
Quiescent Current Change	ΔI_Q	I_O = 5mA to 1A		-	0.05	0.5	mA
		V_I = -12.5V to -28V		-	0.1	1	
Temperature Coefficient of V_O	$\Delta Vo/\Delta T$	I_O = 5mA		-	-1	-	mV/°C
Output Noise Voltage	V_N	10Hz $\leq$ f $\leq$ 100kHz T_A =+25°C		-	280	-	μV
Ripple Rejection	RR	f = 120Hz ΔV_I = 10V		54	60	-	dB
Dropout Voltage	V_D	T_J = +25°C I_O = 1A		-	2	-	V
Short Circuit Current	I_{SC}	T_J = +25°C, V_I = -35V		-	300	-	mA
Peak Current	I_{PK}	T_J = +25°C		-	2.2	-	A

Note:

1. 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.

Electrical Characteristics (LM7912) (Continued)

(V_I = -19V, I_O = 500mA, 0°C $\leq T_J \leq$ +125°C, C_I =2.2μF, C_O =1μF, unless otherwise specified.)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	V_O	T_J = +25°C		-11.5	-12	-12.5	V
		I_O = 5mA to 1A, $P_O \leq$ 15W V_I = -15.5V to -27V		-11.4	-12	-12.6	
Line Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C	V_I = -14.5V to -30V	-	12	240	mV
			V_I = -16V to -22V	-	6	120	
Load Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C I_O = 5mA to 1.5A		-	12	240	mV
		T_J = +25°C I_O = 250mA to 750mA		-	4	120	
Quiescent Current	I_Q	T_J = +25°C		-	3	6	mA
Quiescent Current Change	ΔI_Q	I_O = 5mA to 1A		-	0.05	0.5	mA
		V_I = -14.5V to -30V		-	0.1	1	
Temperature Coefficient of V_D	$\Delta V_O/\Delta T$	I_O = 5mA		-	-0.8	-	mV/°C
Output Noise Voltage	V_N	f = 10Hz to 100kHz T_A = +25°C		-	200	-	μV
Ripple Rejection	RR	f = 120Hz ΔV_I = 10V		54	60	-	dB
Dropout Voltage	V_D	T_J = +25°C I_O = 1A		-	2	-	V
Short Circuit Current	I_{SC}	T_J = +25°C, V_I = -35V		-	300	-	mA
Peak Current	I_{PK}	T_J = +25°C		-	2.2	-	A

Note:

1. 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.

Electrical Characteristics (LM7915) (Continued)

(V_I = -23V, I_O = 500mA, 0°C ≤ T_J ≤ +125°C, C_I =2.2μF, C_O =1μF, unless otherwise specified.)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	V_O	T_J = +25°C		-14.4	-15	-15.6	V
		I_O = 5mA to 1A, P_O ≤ 15W V_I = -18V to -30V		-14.25	-15	-15.75	
Line Regulation (Note1)	ΔV$_O$	T_J = +25°C	V_I = -17.5V to -30V	-	12	300	mV
			V_I = -20V to -26V	-	6	150	
Load Regulation (Note1)	ΔV$_O$	T_J = +25°C I_O = 5mA to 1.5A		-	12	300	mV
		T_J = +25°C I_O = 250mA to 750mA		-	4	150	
Quiescent Current	I_Q	T_J = +25°C		-	3	6	mA
Quiescent Current Change	ΔI_Q	I_O = 5mA to 1A		-	0.05	0.5	mA
		V_I = -17.5V to -30V		-	0.1	1	
Temperature Coefficient of V_D	ΔVo/ΔT	I_O = 5mA		-	-0.9	-	mV/°C
Output Noise Voltage	V_N	f = 10Hz to 100kHz T_A =+25°C		-	250	-	μV
Ripple Rejection	RR	f = 120Hz ΔV_I = 10V		54	60	-	dB
Dropout Voltage	V_D	T_J = +25°C I_O = 1A		-	2	-	V
Short Circuit Current	I_{SC}	T_J = +25°C, V_I = -35V		-	300	-	mA
Peak Current	I_{PK}	T_J = +25°C		-	2.2	-	A

Note:

1. 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.

Electrical Characteristics (LM7918) (Continued)

(V_I = -27V, I_O = 500mA, 0°C ≤T_J ≤ +125°C, C_I =2.2μF, C_O =1μF, unless otherwise specified.)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	V_O	T_J = +25°C		-17.3	-18	-18.7	V
		I_O = 5mA to 1A, P_O ≤ 15W V_I = -22.5V to -33V		-17.1	-18	-18.9	
Line Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C	V_I = -21V to -33V	-	15	360	mV
			V_I = -24V to -30V	-	8	180	
Load Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C I_O = 5mA to 1.5A		-	15	360	mV
		T_J = +25°C I_O = 250mA to 750mA		-	5	180	
Quiescent Current	I_Q	T_J = +25°C		-	3	6	mA
Quiescent Current Change	ΔI_Q	I_O = 5mA to 1A		-	0.05	0.5	mA
		V_I = -21V to -33V		-	0.1	1	
Temperature Coefficient of V_D	$\Delta V_O/\Delta T$	I_O = 5mA		-	-1	-	mV/°C
Output Noise Voltage	V_N	f = 10Hz to 100kHz T_A = +25°C		-	300	-	μV
Ripple Rejection	RR	f = 120Hz ΔV_I = 10V		54	60	-	dB
Dropout Voltage	V_D	T_J = +25°C I_O = 1A		-	2	-	V
Short Circuit Current	I_{SC}	T_J = +25°C, V_I = -35V		-	300	-	mA
Peak Current	I_{PK}	T_J = +25°C		-	2.2	-	A

Note:

1. 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.

Electrical Characteristics (LM7924) (Continued)

(V_I = -33V, I_O = 500mA, 0°C $\leq T_J \leq$ +125°C, C_I =2.2μF, C_O =1μF, unless otherwise specified.)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Output Voltage	V_O	T_J = +25°C		-23	-24	-25	V
		I_O = 5mA to 1A, $P_O \leq$ 15W V_I = -27V to -38V		-22.8	-24	-25.2	
Line Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C	V_I = -27V to -38V	-	15	480	mV
			V_I = -30V to -36V	-	8	180	
Load Regulation (Note1)	ΔV_O	T_J = +25°C I_O = 5mA to 1.5A		-	15	480	mV
		T_J = +25°C I_O = 250mA to 750mA		-	5	240	
Quiescent Current	I_Q	T_J = +25°C		-	3	6	mA
Quiescent Current Change	ΔI_Q	I_O = 5mA to 1A		-	0.05	0.5	mA
		V_I = -27V to -38V		-	0.1	1	
Temperature Coefficient of V_D	$\Delta V_O/\Delta T$	I_O = 5mA		-	-1	-	mV/°C
Output Noise Voltage	V_N	f = 10Hz to 100kHz T_A = +25°C		-	400	-	μV
Ripple Rejection	RR	f = 120Hz ΔV_I = 10V		54	60	-	dB
Dropout Voltage	V_D	T_J = +25°C I_O = 1A		-	2	-	V
Short Circuit Current	I_{SC}	T_J = +25°C, V_I = -35V		-	300	-	mA
Peak Current	I_{PK}	T_J = +25°C		-	2.2	-	A

Note:

1. 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.

Typical Performance Characteristics
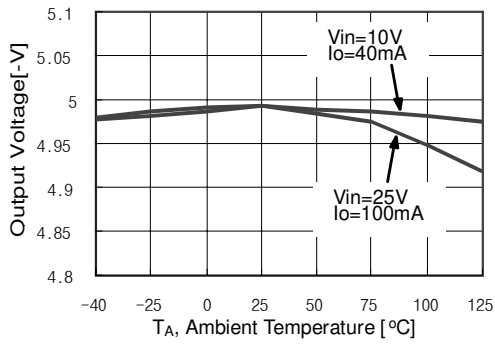
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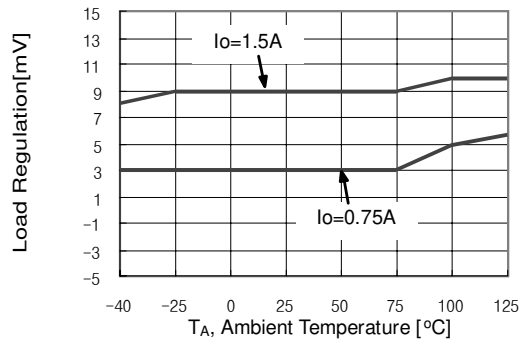
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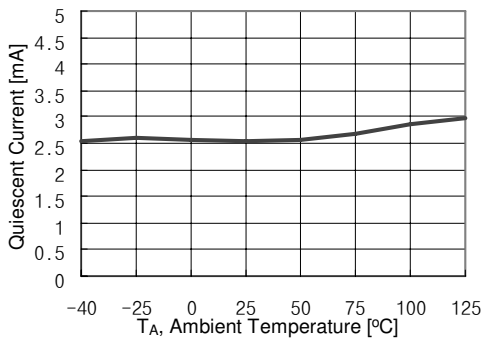
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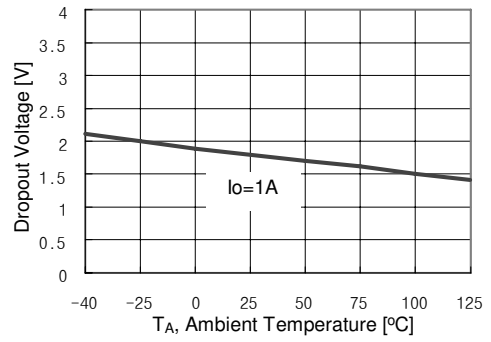
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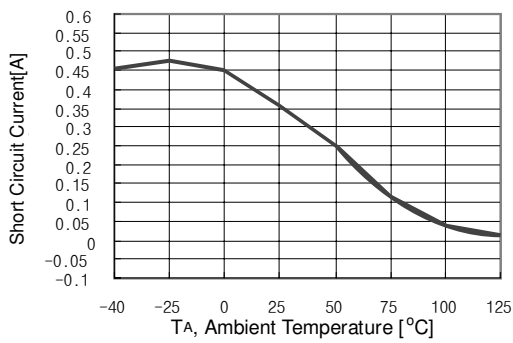
Figure 5. Short Circuit Current

Typical Applications
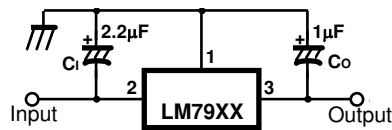
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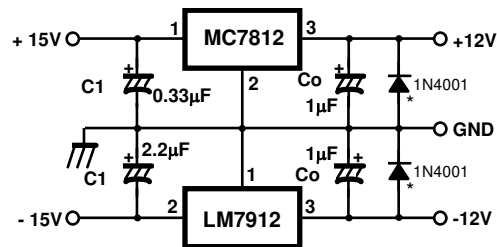
Figure 7. Split power supply (± 12V/1A)

Notes:

(1) To specify an output voltage, substitute voltage value for "XX "

(2) Required for stability. For value given, capacitor must be solid tantalum. If aluminium electronics are used, at least ten times value shown should be selected. C_I is required if regulator is located an appreciable distance from power supply filter.

(3) To improve transient response. If large capacitors are used, a high current diode from input to output (1N400l or similar) should be introduced to protect the device from momentary input short circuit.

Mechanical Dimensions

Package

TO-220 [SINGLE GAUGE]

Ø 4.09
3.50 △

⊕ | 0.36 Ⓜ | B | A Ⓜ

A

10.67
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3.56

B

"A1"

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6.35 MAX

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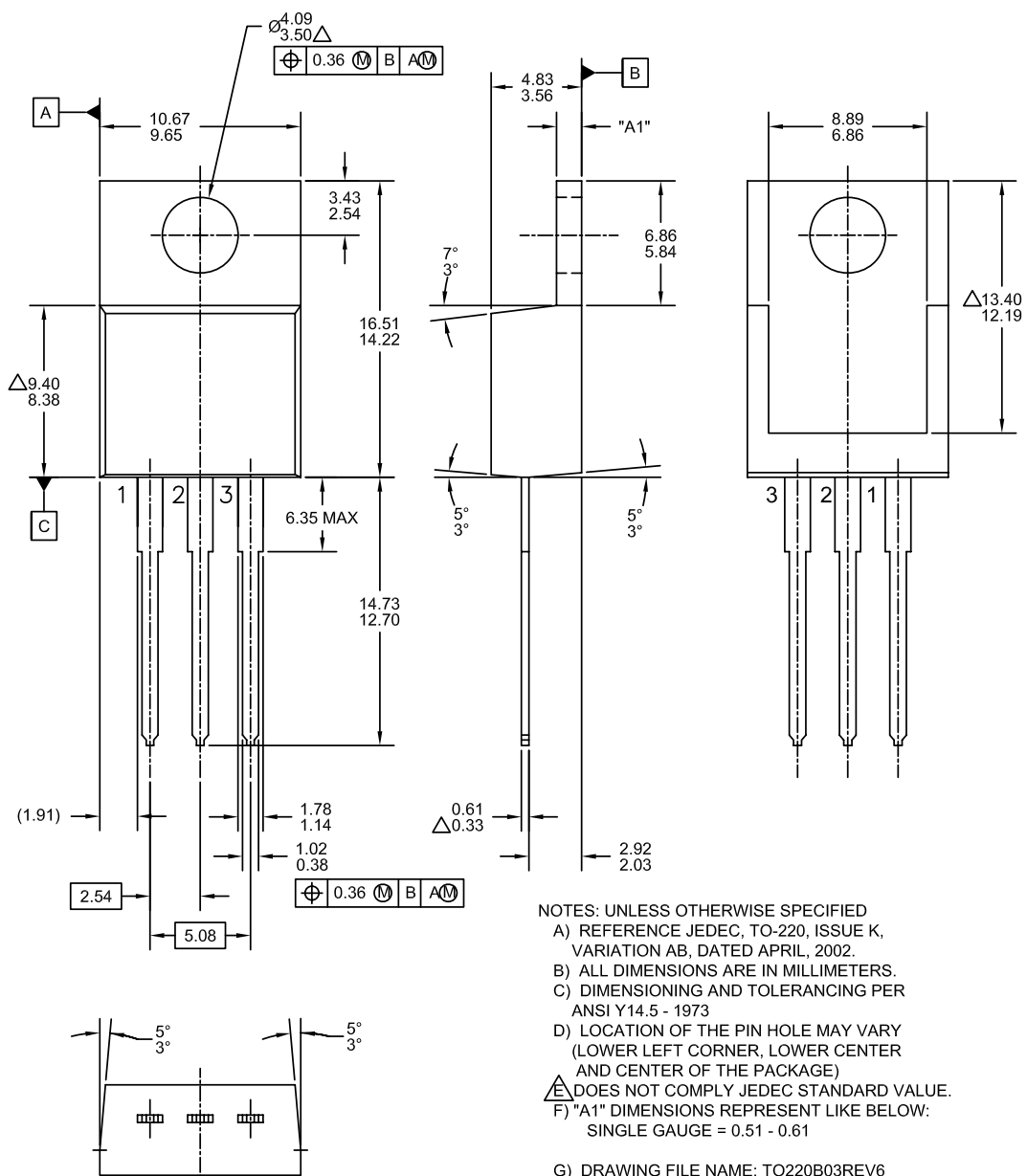
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A) REFERENCE JEDEC, TO-220, ISSUE K,
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B) ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETERS.
C) DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING PER
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D) LOCATION OF THE PIN HOLE MAY VARY
   (LOWER LEFT CORNER, LOWER CENTER
   AND CENTER OF THE PACKAGE)
△E DOES NOT COMPLY JEDEC STANDARD VALUE.
F) "A1" DIMENSIONS REPRESENT LIKE BELOW:
   SINGLE GAUGE = 0.51 - 0.61

G) DRAWING FILE NAME: TO220B03REV6

Ordering Information

Product Number	Output Voltage Tolerance	Package	Operating Temperature
LM7905CT	±4%	TO-220 (Single Gauge)	0 ~ +125°C
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LM7908CT			
LM7909CT			
LM7910CT			
LM7912CT			
LM7915CT			
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