

## μA78xx Fixed Positive Voltage Regulators

### 1 Features

- 3-Terminal Regulators
- Available in fixed 5-V/8-V/10-V/12-V/15-V/24-V options
- Output Current up to 1.5 A
- Internal Thermal-Overload Protection
- High Power-Dissipation Capability
- Internal Short-Circuit Current Limiting
- Output Transistor Safe-Area Compensation
- Output Capacitor Not Needed for Stability

### 2 Applications

- On-card Regulation
- Portable Devices
- Computing & Servers
- Telecommunications

### 3 Description

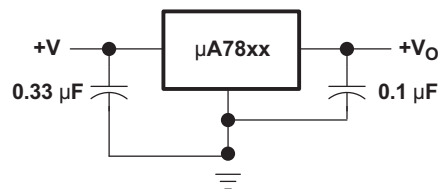
This series of fixed-voltage integrated-circuit voltage regulators is designed for a wide range of applications. These applications include on-card regulation for elimination of noise and distribution problems associated with single-point regulation. Each of these regulators can deliver up to 1.5 A of output current. The internal current-limiting and thermal-shutdown features of these regulators essentially make them immune to overload. In addition to use as fixed-voltage regulators, these devices can be used with external components to obtain adjustable output voltages and currents, and also can be used as the power-pass element in precision regulators.

**Device Information<sup>(1)</sup>**

| PART NUMBER | PACKAGE    | BODY SIZE (NOM)    |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|
| μA78xx      | TO-220 (3) | 10.16 mm x 8.82 mm |
|             | TO-220 (3) | 10.16 mm x 8.82 mm |
|             | TO-263 (3) | 10.06 mm x 9.02 mm |

(1) For all available packages, see the orderable addendum at the end of the data sheet.

### 4 Simplified Schematic



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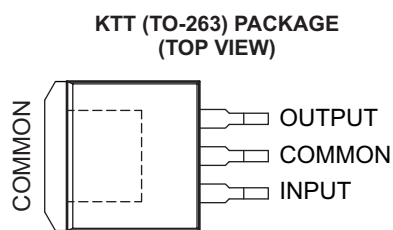
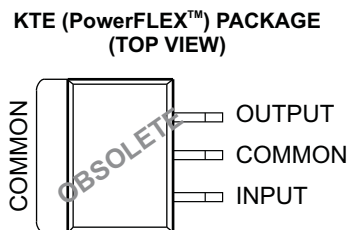
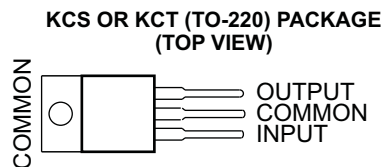
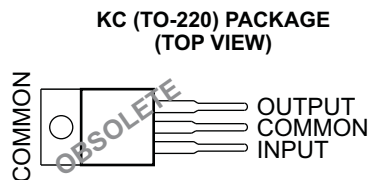
## 5 Revision History

### Changes from Revision O (August 2012) to Revision P

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- Added *Applications*, *Device Information* table, *Pin Functions* table, *ESD Ratings* table, *Thermal Information* table, *Typical Characteristics*, *Feature Description* section, *Device Functional Modes*, *Application and Implementation* section, *Power Supply Recommendations* section, *Layout* section, *Device and Documentation Support* section, and *Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information* section. .... **1**
- Deleted *Ordering Information* table. .... **1**

## 6 Pin Configuration and Functions



### Pin Functions

| PIN    |     | TYPE | DESCRIPTION    |
|--------|-----|------|----------------|
| NAME   | NO. |      |                |
| COMMON | 2   | —    | Ground         |
| INPUT  | 1   | I    | Supply Input   |
| OUTPUT | 3   | O    | Voltage Output |

## 7 Specifications

### 7.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

over virtual junction temperature range (unless otherwise noted)

|                  |                                        | MIN                                 | MAX | UNIT |    |
|------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----|------|----|
| V <sub>I</sub>   | Input voltage                          | μA7824C                             | 40  | V    |    |
|                  |                                        | All others                          | 35  |      |    |
| T <sub>J</sub>   | Operating virtual junction temperature |                                     | 150 | °C   |    |
|                  | Lead temperature                       | 1,6 mm (1/16 in) from case for 10 s | 260 | °C   |    |
| T <sub>stg</sub> | Storage temperature range              |                                     | −65 | 150  | °C |

### 7.2 ESD Ratings

|             |                                                                                          | VALUE | UNIT |
|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|------|
| $V_{(ESD)}$ | Electrostatic discharge                                                                  |       | V    |
|             | Human body model (HBM), per ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001, all pins <sup>(1)</sup>              | 3000  |      |
|             | Charged device model (CDM), per JEDEC specification JESD22-C101, all pins <sup>(2)</sup> | 2000  |      |

(1) JEDEC document JEP155 states that 500-V HBM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

(2) JEDEC document JEP157 states that 250-V CDM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

### 7.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

|                |                                        | MIN    | MAX  | UNIT |   |
|----------------|----------------------------------------|--------|------|------|---|
| V <sub>I</sub> | Input voltage                          | μA7805 | 7    | 25   | V |
|                |                                        | μA7808 | 10.5 | 25   |   |
|                |                                        | μA7810 | 12.5 | 28   |   |
|                |                                        | μA7812 | 14.5 | 30   |   |
|                |                                        | μA7815 | 17.5 | 30   |   |
|                |                                        | μA7824 | 27   | 38   |   |
| I <sub>O</sub> | Output current                         |        | 1.5  | A    |   |
| T <sub>J</sub> | Operating virtual junction temperature | 0      | 125  | °C   |   |

### 7.4 Thermal Information

| THERMAL METRIC <sup>(1)</sup> |                                            | $\mu$ A78XX |              |        | UNIT |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------|------|
|                               |                                            | KTE         | KCS, KCT, KC | KTT    |      |
|                               |                                            | 3 PINS      | 3 PINS       | 3 PINS |      |
| $R_{\theta JA}$               | Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance     | 23          | 19           | 25.3   | °C/W |
| $R_{\theta JC(top)}$          | Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance  | 3           | 17           | 18     |      |
| $R_{\theta JP(top)}$          | Junction-to-exposed-pad thermal resistance | 2.7         | 3            | 1.94   |      |

(1) For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the *IC Package Thermal Metrics* application report ([SPRA953](#)).

## 7.5 Electrical Characteristics — uA7805

at specified virtual junction temperature,  $V_I = 10\text{ V}$ ,  $I_O = 500\text{ mA}$  (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER                                 | TEST CONDITIONS                                                                                   | $T_J$ <sup>(1)</sup> | $\mu\text{A7805C}$ |       |      | UNIT          |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------|------|---------------|
|                                           |                                                                                                   |                      | MIN                | TYP   | MAX  |               |
| Output voltage                            | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$ , $V_I = 7\text{ V to }20\text{ V}$ ,<br>$P_D \leq 15\text{ W}$ | 25°C                 | 4.8                | 5     | 5.2  | V             |
|                                           |                                                                                                   | 0°C to 125°C         | 4.75               |       | 5.25 |               |
| Input voltage regulation                  | $V_I = 7\text{ V to }25\text{ V}$                                                                 | 25°C                 |                    | 3     | 100  | mV            |
|                                           | $V_I = 8\text{ V to }12\text{ V}$                                                                 |                      |                    | 1     | 50   |               |
| Ripple rejection <sup>(2)</sup>           | $V_I = 8\text{ V to }12\text{ V}$ , $f = 120\text{ Hz}$                                           | 0°C to 125°C         | 62                 | 78    |      | dB            |
|                                           | $V_I = 8\text{ V to }12\text{ V}$ , $f = 120\text{ Hz (KCT)}$                                     |                      |                    | 68    |      |               |
| Output voltage regulation                 | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1.5\text{ A}$                                                               | 25°C                 |                    | 15    | 100  | mV            |
|                                           | $I_O = 250\text{ mA to }750\text{ mA}$                                                            |                      |                    | 5     | 50   |               |
| Output resistance                         | $f = 1\text{ kHz}$                                                                                | 0°C to 125°C         |                    | 0.017 |      | $\Omega$      |
| Temperature coefficient of output voltage | $I_O = 5\text{ mA}$                                                                               | 0°C to 125°C         |                    | –1.1  |      | mV/°C         |
| Output noise voltage                      | $f = 10\text{ Hz to }100\text{ kHz}$                                                              | 25°C                 |                    | 40    |      | $\mu\text{V}$ |
| Dropout voltage                           | $I_O = 1\text{ A}$                                                                                | 25°C                 |                    | 2     |      | V             |
| Bias current                              |                                                                                                   | 25°C                 |                    | 4.2   | 8    | mA            |
| Bias current change                       | $V_I = 7\text{ V to }25\text{ V}$                                                                 | 0°C to 125°C         |                    |       | 1.3  | mA            |
|                                           | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$                                                                 |                      |                    |       | 0.5  |               |
| Short-circuit output current              |                                                                                                   | 25°C                 |                    | 750   |      | mA            |
| Peak output current                       |                                                                                                   | 25°C                 |                    | 2.2   |      | A             |

(1) Pulse-testing techniques maintain the junction temperature as close to the ambient temperature as possible. Thermal effects must be taken into account separately. All characteristics are measured with a 0.33- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the input and a 0.1- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the output.

(2) This parameter is validated by design and verified during product characterization. It is not tested in production.

## 7.6 Electrical Characteristics — uA7808

at specified virtual junction temperature,  $V_I = 14\text{ V}$ ,  $I_O = 500\text{ mA}$  (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER                                 | TEST CONDITIONS                                                                                      | $T_J^{(1)}$  | $\mu\text{A7808C}$ |       |     | UNIT          |
|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-------|-----|---------------|
|                                           |                                                                                                      |              | MIN                | TYP   | MAX |               |
| Output voltage                            | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$ , $V_I = 10.5\text{ V to }23\text{ V}$ ,<br>$P_D \leq 15\text{ W}$ | 25°C         | 7.7                | 8     | 8.3 | V             |
|                                           |                                                                                                      | 0°C to 125°C | 7.6                |       | 8.4 |               |
| Input voltage regulation                  | $V_I = 10.5\text{ V to }25\text{ V}$                                                                 | 25°C         |                    | 6     | 160 | mV            |
|                                           | $V_I = 11\text{ V to }17\text{ V}$                                                                   |              |                    | 2     | 80  |               |
| Ripple rejection <sup>(2)</sup>           | $V_I = 11.5\text{ V to }21.5\text{ V}$ , $f = 120\text{ Hz}$                                         | 0°C to 125°C | 55                 | 72    |     | dB            |
|                                           | $V_I = 11.5\text{ V to }21.5\text{ V}$ , $f = 120\text{ Hz}$<br>(KCT)                                |              |                    | 62    |     |               |
| Output voltage regulation                 | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1.5\text{ A}$                                                                  | 25°C         |                    | 12    | 160 | mV            |
|                                           | $I_O = 250\text{ mA to }750\text{ mA}$                                                               |              |                    | 4     | 80  |               |
| Output resistance                         | $f = 1\text{ kHz}$                                                                                   | 0°C to 125°C |                    | 0.016 |     | $\Omega$      |
| Temperature coefficient of output voltage | $I_O = 5\text{ mA}$                                                                                  | 0°C to 125°C |                    | –0.8  |     | mV/°C         |
| Output noise voltage                      | $f = 10\text{ Hz to }100\text{ kHz}$                                                                 | 25°C         |                    | 52    |     | $\mu\text{V}$ |
| Dropout voltage                           | $I_O = 1\text{ A}$                                                                                   | 25°C         |                    | 2     |     | V             |
| Bias current                              |                                                                                                      | 25°C         |                    | 4.3   | 8   | mA            |
| Bias current change                       | $V_I = 10.5\text{ V to }25\text{ V}$                                                                 | 0°C to 125°C |                    |       | 1   | mA            |
|                                           | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$                                                                    |              |                    |       | 0.5 |               |
| Short-circuit output current              |                                                                                                      | 25°C         |                    | 450   |     | mA            |
| Peak output current                       |                                                                                                      | 25°C         |                    | 2.2   |     | A             |

- (1) Pulse-testing techniques maintain the junction temperature as close to the ambient temperature as possible. Thermal effects must be taken into account separately. All characteristics are measured with a 0.33- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the input and a 0.1- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the output.
- (2) This parameter is validated by design and verified during product characterization. It is not tested in production.

## 7.7 Electrical Characteristics — uA7810

at specified virtual junction temperature,  $V_I = 17\text{ V}$ ,  $I_O = 500\text{ mA}$  (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER                                 | TEST CONDITIONS                                                                                      | $T_J$ <sup>(1)</sup> | $\mu\text{A7810C}$ |       |      | UNIT          |
|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------|------|---------------|
|                                           |                                                                                                      |                      | MIN                | TYP   | MAX  |               |
| Output voltage                            | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$ , $V_I = 12.5\text{ V to }25\text{ V}$ ,<br>$P_D \leq 15\text{ W}$ | 25°C                 | 9.6                | 10    | 10.4 | V             |
|                                           |                                                                                                      | 0°C to 125°C         | 9.5                |       | 10.5 |               |
| Input voltage regulation                  | $V_I = 12.5\text{ V to }28\text{ V}$                                                                 | 25°C                 |                    | 7     | 200  | mV            |
|                                           | $V_I = 14\text{ V to }20\text{ V}$                                                                   |                      |                    | 2     | 100  |               |
| Ripple rejection <sup>(2)</sup>           | $V_I = 13\text{ V to }23\text{ V}$ , $f = 120\text{ Hz}$                                             | 0°C to 125°C         | 55                 | 71    |      | dB            |
| Output voltage regulation                 | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1.5\text{ A}$                                                                  | 25°C                 |                    | 12    | 200  | mV            |
|                                           | $I_O = 250\text{ mA to }750\text{ mA}$                                                               |                      |                    | 4     | 100  |               |
| Output resistance                         | $f = 1\text{ kHz}$                                                                                   | 0°C to 125°C         |                    | 0.018 |      | $\Omega$      |
| Temperature coefficient of output voltage | $I_O = 5\text{ mA}$                                                                                  | 0°C to 125°C         |                    | –1    |      | mV/°C         |
| Output noise voltage                      | $f = 10\text{ Hz to }100\text{ kHz}$                                                                 | 25°C                 |                    | 70    |      | $\mu\text{V}$ |
| Dropout voltage                           | $I_O = 1\text{ A}$                                                                                   | 25°C                 |                    | 2     |      | V             |
| Bias current                              |                                                                                                      | 25°C                 |                    | 4.3   | 8    | mA            |
| Bias current change                       | $V_I = 12.5\text{ V to }28\text{ V}$                                                                 | 0°C to 125°C         |                    |       | 1    | mA            |
|                                           | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$                                                                    |                      |                    |       | 0.5  |               |
| Short-circuit output current              |                                                                                                      | 25°C                 |                    | 400   |      | mA            |
| Peak output current                       |                                                                                                      | 25°C                 |                    | 2.2   |      | A             |

- (1) Pulse-testing techniques maintain the junction temperature as close to the ambient temperature as possible. Thermal effects must be taken into account separately. All characteristics are measured with a 0.33- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the input and a 0.1- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the output.
- (2) This parameter is validated by design and verified during product characterization. It is not tested in production.

## 7.8 Electrical Characteristics — uA7812

at specified virtual junction temperature,  $V_I = 19\text{ V}$ ,  $I_O = 500\text{ mA}$  (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER                                 | TEST CONDITIONS                                                                                      | $T_J$ <sup>(1)</sup> | $\mu\text{A7812C}$ |       |      | UNIT          |
|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------|------|---------------|
|                                           |                                                                                                      |                      | MIN                | TYP   | MAX  |               |
| Output voltage                            | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$ , $V_I = 14.5\text{ V to }27\text{ V}$ ,<br>$P_D \leq 15\text{ W}$ | 25°C                 | 11.5               | 12    | 12.5 | V             |
|                                           |                                                                                                      | 0°C to 125°C         | 11.4               |       | 12.6 |               |
| Input voltage regulation                  | $V_I = 14.5\text{ V to }30\text{ V}$                                                                 | 25°C                 |                    | 10    | 240  | mV            |
|                                           | $V_I = 16\text{ V to }22\text{ V}$                                                                   |                      |                    | 3     | 120  |               |
| Ripple rejection <sup>(2)</sup>           | $V_I = 15\text{ V to }25\text{ V}$ , $f = 120\text{ Hz}$                                             | 0°C to 125°C         | 55                 | 71    |      | dB            |
|                                           | $V_I = 15\text{ V to }25\text{ V}$ , $f = 120\text{ Hz (KCT)}$                                       |                      |                    | 61    |      |               |
| Output voltage regulation                 | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1.5\text{ A}$                                                                  | 25°C                 |                    | 12    | 240  | mV            |
|                                           | $I_O = 250\text{ mA to }750\text{ mA}$                                                               |                      |                    | 4     | 120  |               |
| Output resistance                         | $f = 1\text{ kHz}$                                                                                   | 0°C to 125°C         |                    | 0.018 |      | $\Omega$      |
| Temperature coefficient of output voltage | $I_O = 5\text{ mA}$                                                                                  | 0°C to 125°C         |                    | –1    |      | mV/°C         |
| Output noise voltage                      | $f = 10\text{ Hz to }100\text{ kHz}$                                                                 | 25°C                 |                    | 75    |      | $\mu\text{V}$ |
| Dropout voltage                           | $I_O = 1\text{ A}$                                                                                   | 25°C                 |                    | 2     |      | V             |
| Bias current                              |                                                                                                      | 25°C                 |                    | 4.3   | 8    | mA            |
| Bias current change                       | $V_I = 14.5\text{ V to }30\text{ V}$                                                                 | 0°C to 125°C         |                    |       | 1    | mA            |
|                                           | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$                                                                    |                      |                    |       | 0.5  |               |
| Short-circuit output current              |                                                                                                      | 25°C                 |                    | 350   |      | mA            |
| Peak output current                       |                                                                                                      | 25°C                 |                    | 2.2   |      | A             |

(1) Pulse-testing techniques maintain the junction temperature as close to the ambient temperature as possible. Thermal effects must be taken into account separately. All characteristics are measured with a 0.33- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the input and a 0.1- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the output.

(2) This parameter is validated by design and verified during product characterization. It is not tested in production.

## 7.9 Electrical Characteristics — uA7815

at specified virtual junction temperature,  $V_I = 23\text{ V}$ ,  $I_O = 500\text{ mA}$  (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER                                 | TEST CONDITIONS                                                                                      | $T_J$ <sup>(1)</sup> | $\mu\text{A7815C}$ |       |       | UNIT          |
|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------|-------|---------------|
|                                           |                                                                                                      |                      | MIN                | TYP   | MAX   |               |
| Output voltage                            | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$ , $V_I = 17.5\text{ V to }30\text{ V}$ ,<br>$P_D \leq 15\text{ W}$ | 25°C                 | 14.4               | 15    | 15.6  | V             |
|                                           |                                                                                                      | 0°C to 125°C         | 14.25              |       | 15.75 |               |
| Input voltage regulation                  | $V_I = 17.5\text{ V to }30\text{ V}$                                                                 | 25°C                 |                    | 11    | 300   | mV            |
|                                           | $V_I = 20\text{ V to }26\text{ V}$                                                                   |                      |                    | 3     | 150   |               |
| Ripple rejection <sup>(2)</sup>           | $V_I = 18.5\text{ V to }28.5\text{ V}$ , $f = 120\text{ Hz}$                                         | 0°C to 125°C         | 54                 | 70    |       | dB            |
|                                           | $V_I = 18.5\text{ V to }28.5\text{ V}$ , $f = 120\text{ Hz}$<br>(KCT)                                |                      |                    | 60    |       |               |
| Output voltage regulation                 | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1.5\text{ A}$                                                                  | 25°C                 |                    | 12    | 300   | mV            |
|                                           | $I_O = 250\text{ mA to }750\text{ mA}$                                                               |                      |                    | 4     | 150   |               |
| Output resistance                         | $f = 1\text{ kHz}$                                                                                   | 0°C to 125°C         |                    | 0.019 |       | $\Omega$      |
| Temperature coefficient of output voltage | $I_O = 5\text{ mA}$                                                                                  | 0°C to 125°C         |                    | –1    |       | mV/°C         |
| Output noise voltage                      | $f = 10\text{ Hz to }100\text{ kHz}$                                                                 | 25°C                 |                    | 90    |       | $\mu\text{V}$ |
| Dropout voltage                           | $I_O = 1\text{ A}$                                                                                   | 25°C                 |                    | 2     |       | V             |
| Bias current                              |                                                                                                      | 25°C                 |                    | 4.4   | 8     | mA            |
| Bias current change                       | $V_I = 17.5\text{ V to }30\text{ V}$                                                                 | 0°C to 125°C         |                    |       | 1     | mA            |
|                                           | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$                                                                    |                      |                    |       | 0.5   |               |
| Short-circuit output current              |                                                                                                      | 25°C                 |                    | 230   |       | mA            |
| Peak output current                       |                                                                                                      | 25°C                 |                    | 2.1   |       | A             |

- (1) Pulse-testing techniques maintain the junction temperature as close to the ambient temperature as possible. Thermal effects must be taken into account separately. All characteristics are measured with a 0.33- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the input and a 0.1- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the output.
- (2) This parameter is validated by design and verified during product characterization. It is not tested in production.

## 7.10 Electrical Characteristics — uA7824

at specified virtual junction temperature,  $V_I = 33\text{ V}$ ,  $I_O = 500\text{ mA}$  (unless otherwise noted)

| PARAMETER                                 | TEST CONDITIONS                                                                                    | $T_J^{(1)}$  | $\mu\text{A7824C}$ |       |      | UNIT          |
|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-------|------|---------------|
|                                           |                                                                                                    |              | MIN                | TYP   | MAX  |               |
| Output voltage                            | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$ , $V_I = 27\text{ V to }38\text{ V}$ ,<br>$P_D \leq 15\text{ W}$ | 25°C         | 23                 | 24    | 25   | V             |
|                                           |                                                                                                    | 0°C to 125°C | 22.8               |       | 25.2 |               |
| Input voltage regulation                  | $V_I = 27\text{ V to }38\text{ V}$                                                                 | 25°C         |                    | 18    | 480  | mV            |
|                                           | $V_I = 30\text{ V to }36\text{ V}$                                                                 |              |                    | 6     | 240  |               |
| Ripple rejection <sup>(2)</sup>           | $V_I = 28\text{ V to }38\text{ V}$ , $f = 120\text{ Hz}$                                           | 0°C to 125°C | 50                 | 66    |      | dB            |
| Output voltage regulation                 | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1.5\text{ A}$                                                                | 25°C         |                    | 12    | 480  | mV            |
|                                           | $I_O = 250\text{ mA to }750\text{ mA}$                                                             |              |                    | 4     | 240  |               |
| Output resistance                         | $f = 1\text{ kHz}$                                                                                 | 0°C to 125°C |                    | 0.028 |      | $\Omega$      |
| Temperature coefficient of output voltage | $I_O = 5\text{ mA}$                                                                                | 0°C to 125°C |                    | –1.5  |      | mV/°C         |
| Output noise voltage                      | $f = 10\text{ Hz to }100\text{ kHz}$                                                               | 25°C         |                    | 170   |      | $\mu\text{V}$ |
| Dropout voltage                           | $I_O = 1\text{ A}$                                                                                 | 25°C         |                    | 2     |      | V             |
| Bias current                              |                                                                                                    | 25°C         |                    | 4.6   | 8    | mA            |
| Bias current change                       | $V_I = 27\text{ V to }38\text{ V}$                                                                 | 0°C to 125°C |                    |       | 1    | mA            |
|                                           | $I_O = 5\text{ mA to }1\text{ A}$                                                                  |              |                    |       | 0.5  |               |
| Short-circuit output current              |                                                                                                    | 25°C         |                    | 150   |      | mA            |
| Peak output current                       |                                                                                                    | 25°C         |                    | 2.1   |      | A             |

- (1) Pulse-testing techniques maintain the junction temperature as close to the ambient temperature as possible. Thermal effects must be taken into account separately. All characteristics are measured with a 0.33- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the input and a 0.1- $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor across the output.
- (2) This parameter is validated by design and verified during product characterization. It is not tested in production.

## 7.11 Typical Characteristics

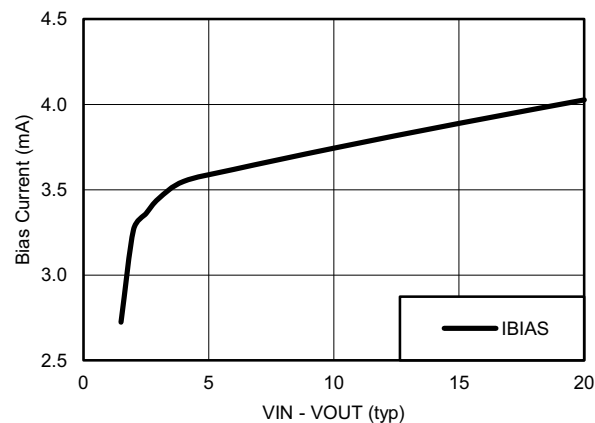


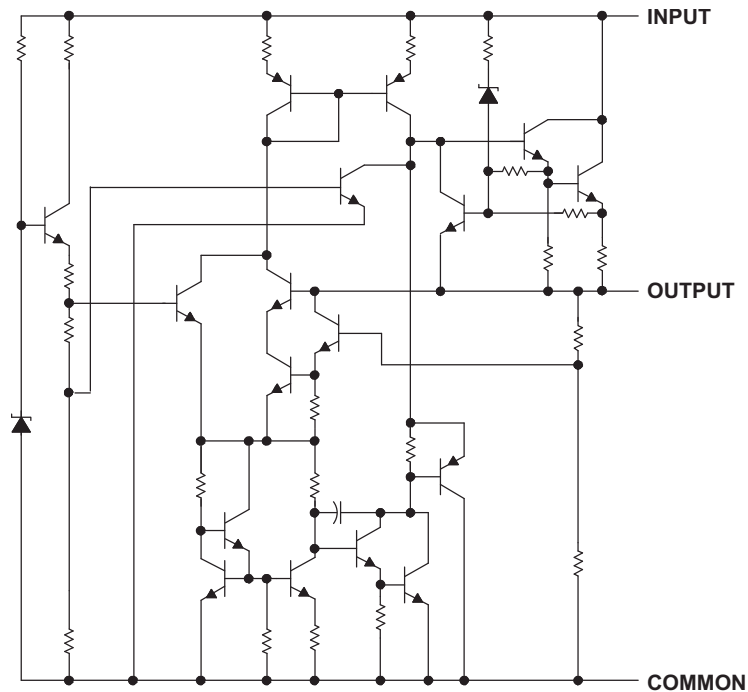
Figure 1.  $\mu\text{A7805}$  Bias Current vs Voltage Differential at 25°C

## 8 Detailed Description

### 8.1 Overview

This series of fixed-voltage integrated-circuit voltage regulators is 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. Each of these regulators can deliver up to 1.5 A of output current. The internal current-limiting and thermal-shutdown features of these regulators essentially make them immune to overload. In addition to use as fixed-voltage regulators, these devices can be used with external components to obtain adjustable output voltages and currents, and also can be used as the power-pass element in precision regulators.

### 8.2 Functional Schematic



### 8.3 Feature Description

#### 8.3.1 Thermal Overload

When the die temperature increases to unwanted levels, the device will reduce the output current to lower its temperature. Under heavy loads, the device may alternate between on and off output states to regulate temperature.

#### 8.3.2 Short-Circuit Current Limiting

In the event of a short circuit, the device will limit its own current to safe levels by lowering the bias voltage of internal pass transistors. If the device becomes overheated, the thermal overload protection will take over.

### 8.4 Device Functional Modes

#### 8.4.1 Fixed-Output Mode

These devices are available in fixed-output voltages. See the orderable part list for the desired output.

## 9 Application and Implementation

### NOTE

Information in the following applications sections is not part of the TI component specification, and TI does not warrant its accuracy or completeness. TI's customers are responsible for determining suitability of components for their purposes. Customers should validate and test their design implementation to confirm system functionality.

### 9.1 Application Information

The following section shows application details of the  $\mu A78xx$  as a linear regulator.

### 9.2 Typical Application

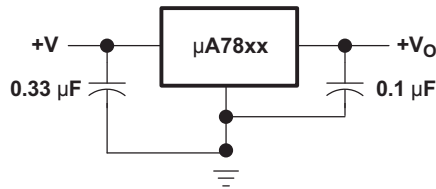


Figure 2. Fixed-Output Regulator

#### 9.2.1 Design Requirements

- Input supply capacitor recommended for filtering noise on the input
- Output supply decoupling capacitor for stabilizing the output

#### 9.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure

##### 9.2.2.1 Operation With a Load Common to a Voltage of Opposite Polarity

In many cases, a regulator powers a load that is not connected to ground but, instead, is connected to a voltage source of opposite polarity (e.g., operational amplifiers, level-shifting circuits, etc.). In these cases, a clamp diode should be connected to the regulator output as shown in Figure 3. This protects the regulator from output polarity reversals during startup and short-circuit operation.

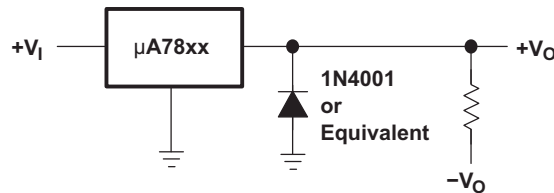
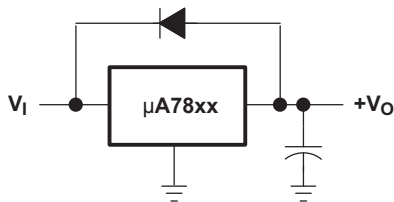


Figure 3. Output Polarity-Reversal-Protection Circuit

##### 9.2.2.2 Reverse-Bias Protection

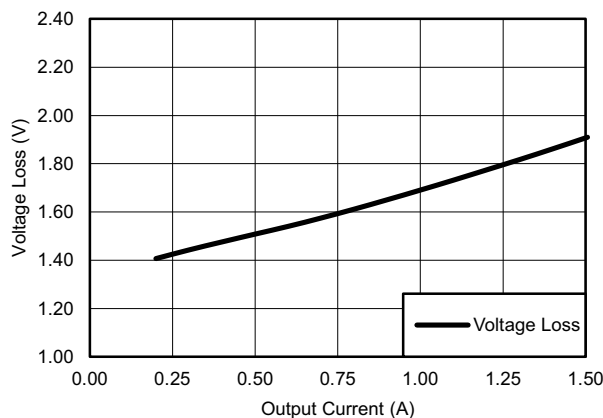
Occasionally, the input voltage to the regulator can collapse faster than the output voltage. This can occur, for example, when the input supply is crowbarred during an output overvoltage condition. If the output voltage is greater than approximately 7 V, the emitter-base junction of the series-pass element (internal or external) could break down and be damaged. To prevent this, a diode shunt can be used as shown in Figure 4.

## Typical Application (continued)



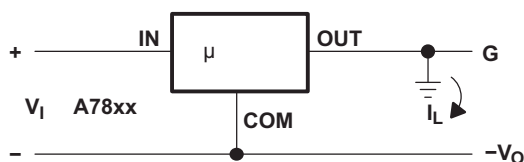
**Figure 4. Reverse-Bias-Protection Circuit**

### 9.2.3 Application Curves

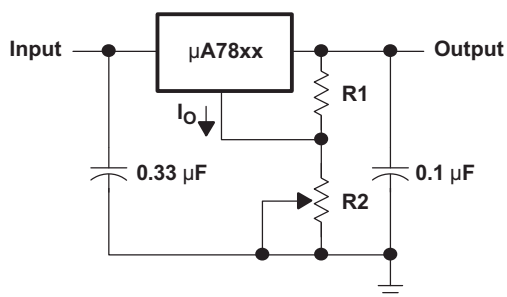


**Figure 5. uA7805 Voltage Loss vs Output Current at 25°C**

### 9.2.4 General Configurations



**Figure 6. Positive Regulator in Negative Configuration ( $V_I$  Must Float)**



A: The following formula is used when  $V_{xx}$  is the nominal output voltage (output to common) of the fixed regulators

$$V_o = V_{xx} + \left( \frac{V_{xx}}{R1} + I_o \right) R2$$

**Figure 7. Adjustable-Output Regulator**

## Typical Application (continued)

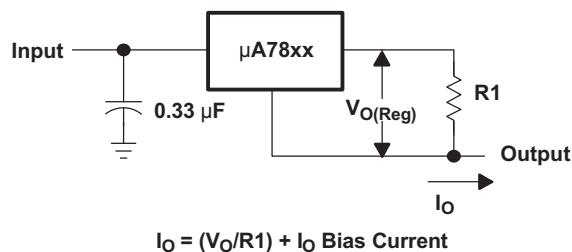


Figure 8. Current Regulator

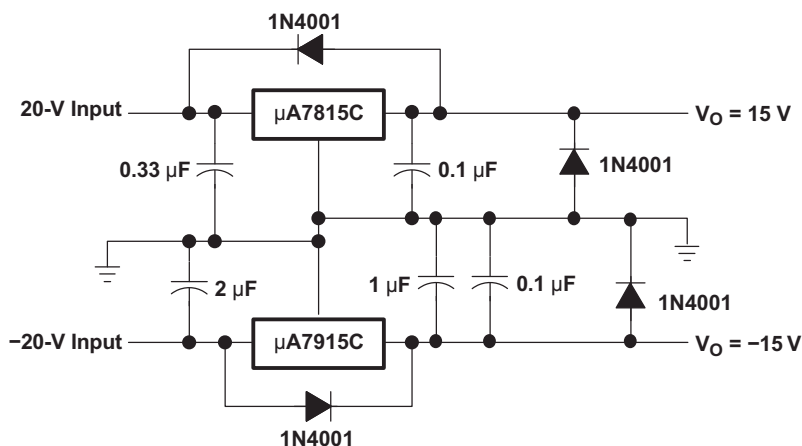


Figure 9. Regulated Dual Supply

## 10 Power Supply Recommendations

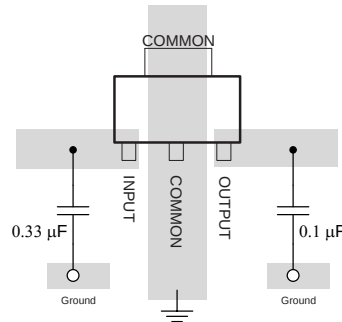
See [Recommended Operating Conditions](#) for the recommended power supply voltages for each variation of the uA78xx device. Different orderable part numbers will be able to tolerate different levels of voltage. It is also recommended to have a decoupling capacitor on the output of the uA78xx device's power supply to limit noise on the device input.

## 11 Layout

### 11.1 Layout Guidelines

Keep trace widths large enough to eliminate problematic  $I \times R$  voltage drops at the input and output terminals. Input decoupling capacitors should be placed as close to the  $\mu A78XX$  as possible.

### 11.2 Layout Example



**Figure 10. Layout Diagram**

## 12 Device and Documentation Support

### 12.1 Related Links

The table below lists quick access links. Categories include technical documents, support and community resources, tools and software, and quick access to sample or buy.

**Table 1. Related Links**

| PARTS       | PRODUCT FOLDER             | SAMPLE & BUY               | TECHNICAL DOCUMENTS        | TOOLS & SOFTWARE           | SUPPORT & COMMUNITY        |
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### 12.2 Trademarks

### 12.3 Electrostatic Discharge Caution



These devices have limited built-in ESD protection. The leads should be shorted together or the device placed in conductive foam during storage or handling to prevent electrostatic damage to the MOS gates.

### 12.4 Glossary

[SLYZ022](#) — *TI Glossary*.

This glossary lists and explains terms, acronyms, and definitions.

## 13 Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information

The following pages include mechanical, packaging, and orderable information. This information is the most current data available for the designated devices. This data is subject to change without notice and revision of this document. For browser-based versions of this data sheet, refer to the left-hand navigation.

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| Orderable Device | Status<br>(1) | Package Type     | Package<br>Drawing | Pins | Package<br>Qty | Eco Plan<br>(2)     | Lead finish/<br>Ball material<br>(6) | MSL Peak Temp<br>(3) | Op Temp (°C) | Device Marking<br>(4/5) |
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| UA7805CKCS       | ACTIVE        | TO-220           | KCS                | 3    | 50             | RoHS & Green        | SN                                   | N / A for Pkg Type   | 0 to 125     | UA7805C                 |
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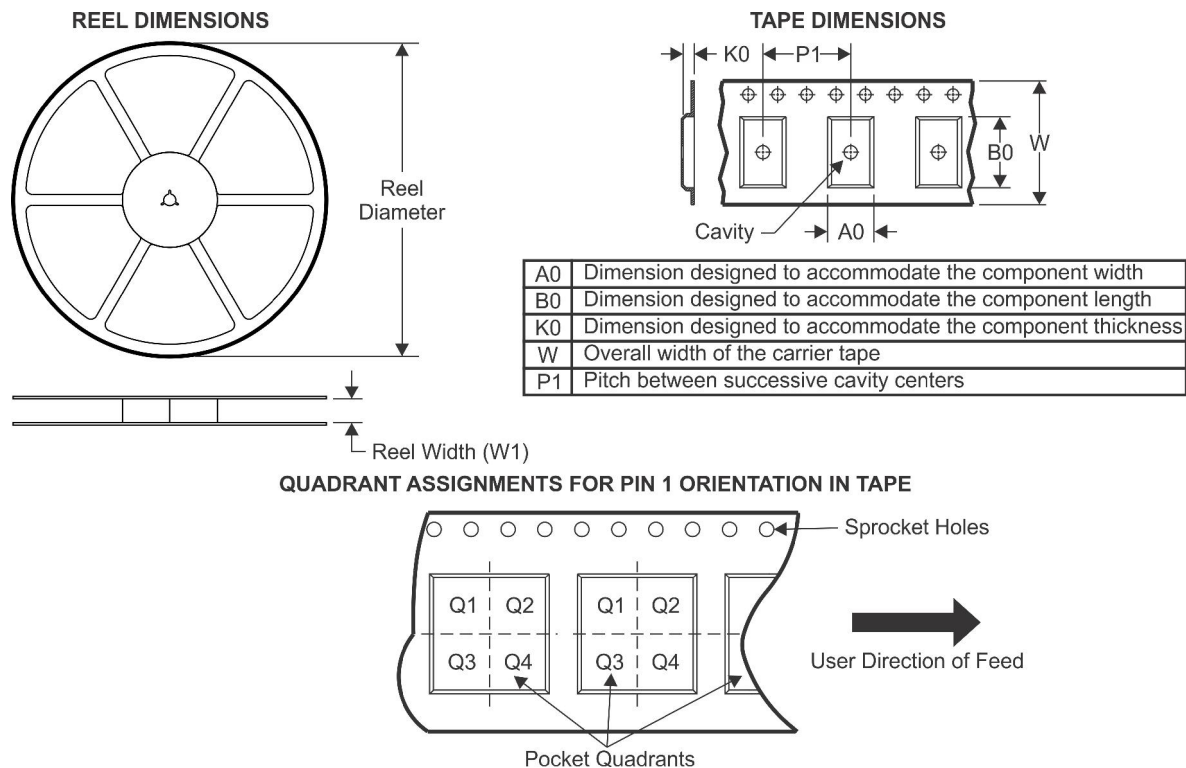
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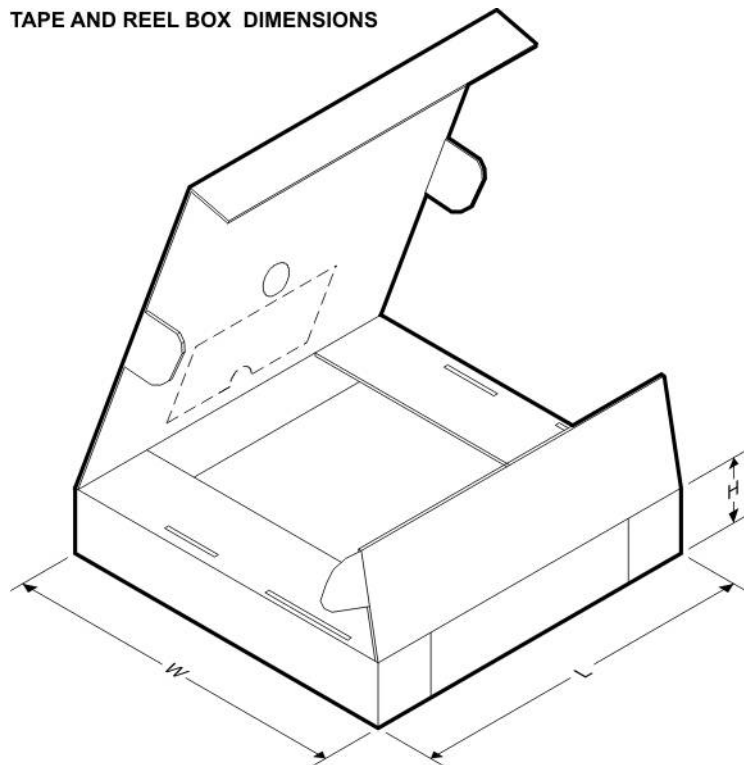
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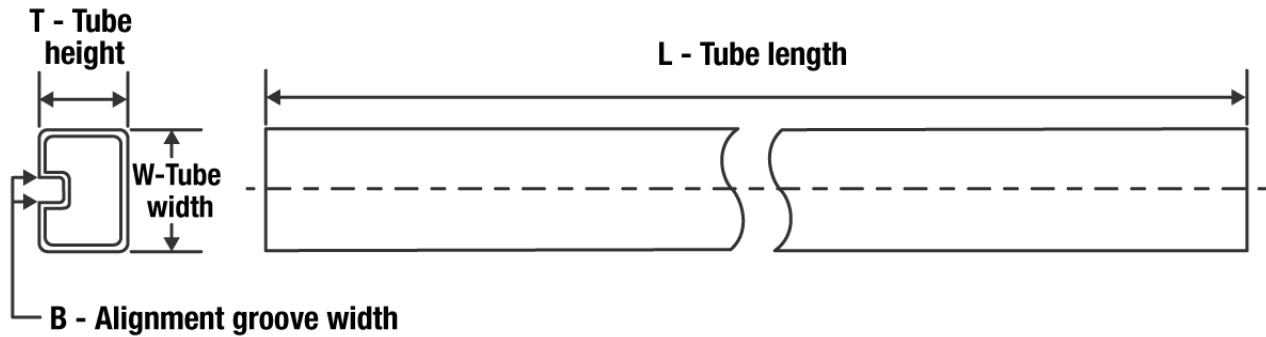
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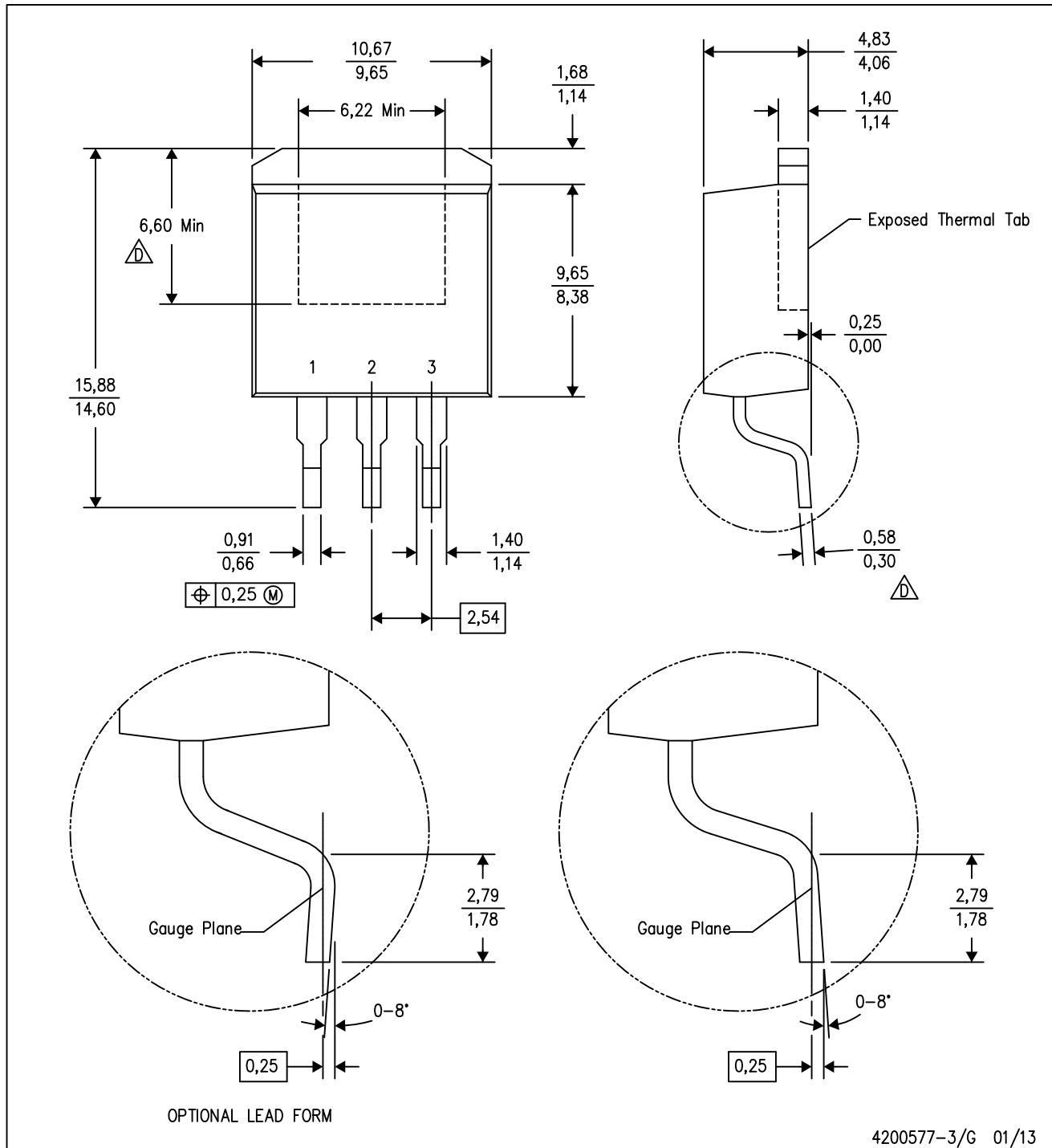
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| UA7805CKCSE3 | KCS          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 532    | 34.1   | 700    | 9.6    |
| UA7805CKCT   | KCT          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 534.5  | 33     | 7000   | 3.4    |
| UA7808CKCS   | KCS          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 532    | 34.1   | 700    | 9.6    |
| UA7808CKCSE3 | KCS          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 532    | 34.1   | 700    | 9.6    |
| UA7808CKCT   | KCT          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 534.5  | 33     | 7000   | 3.4    |
| UA7810CKCS   | KCS          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 532    | 34.1   | 700    | 9.6    |
| UA7810CKCSE3 | KCS          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 532    | 34.1   | 700    | 9.6    |
| UA7812CKCS   | KCS          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 532    | 34.1   | 700    | 9.6    |
| UA7812CKCSE3 | KCS          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 532    | 34.1   | 700    | 9.6    |
| UA7812CKCT   | KCT          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 534.5  | 33     | 7000   | 3.4    |
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| UA7815CKCSE3 | KCS          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 532    | 34.1   | 700    | 9.6    |
| UA7815CKCT   | KCT          | TO-220       | 3    | 50  | 534.5  | 33     | 7000   | 3.4    |
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PLASTIC FLANGE-MOUNT PACKAGE

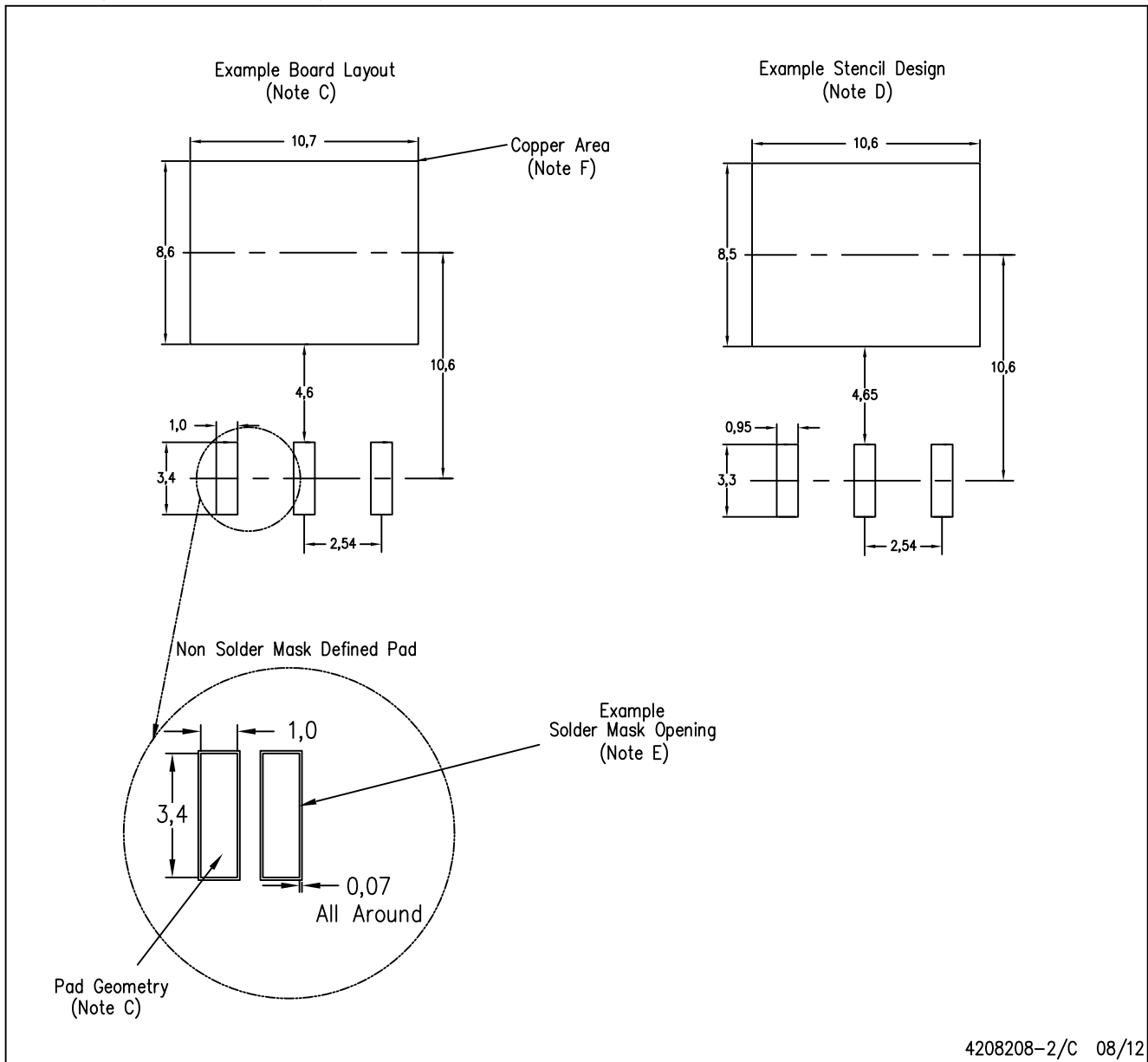


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- NOTES:
- A. All linear dimensions are in millimeters.
  - B. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
  - C. Body dimensions do not include mold flash or protrusion. Mold flash or protrusion not to exceed 0.005 (0,13) per side.
- Falls within JEDEC TO-263 variation AA, except minimum lead thickness and minimum exposed pad length.

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  - C. Publication IPC-SM-782 is recommended for alternate designs.
  - D. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and also rounding corners will offer better paste release. Customers should contact their board assembly site for stencil design recommendations. Refer to IPC-7525.
  - E. Customers should contact their board fabrication site for solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads.
  - F. This package is designed to be soldered to a thermal pad on the board. Refer to the Product Datasheet for specific thermal information, via requirements, and recommended thermal pad size. For thermal pad sizes larger than shown a solder mask defined pad is recommended in order to maintain the solderable pad geometry while increasing copper area.

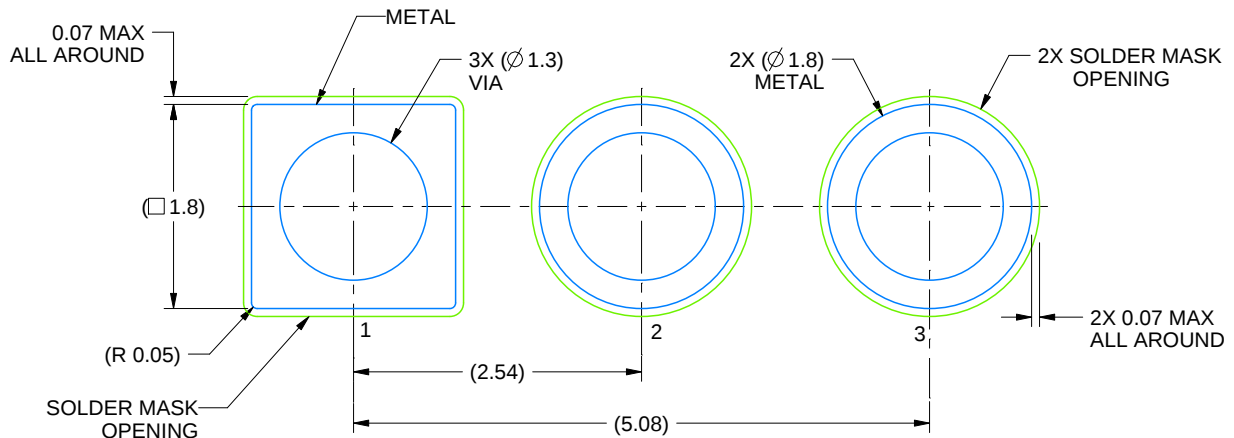


# EXAMPLE BOARD LAYOUT

KCT0003A

TO-220 - 20.55 mm max height

TO-220



LAND PATTERN EXAMPLE  
NON-SOLDER MASK DEFINED  
SCALE:15X

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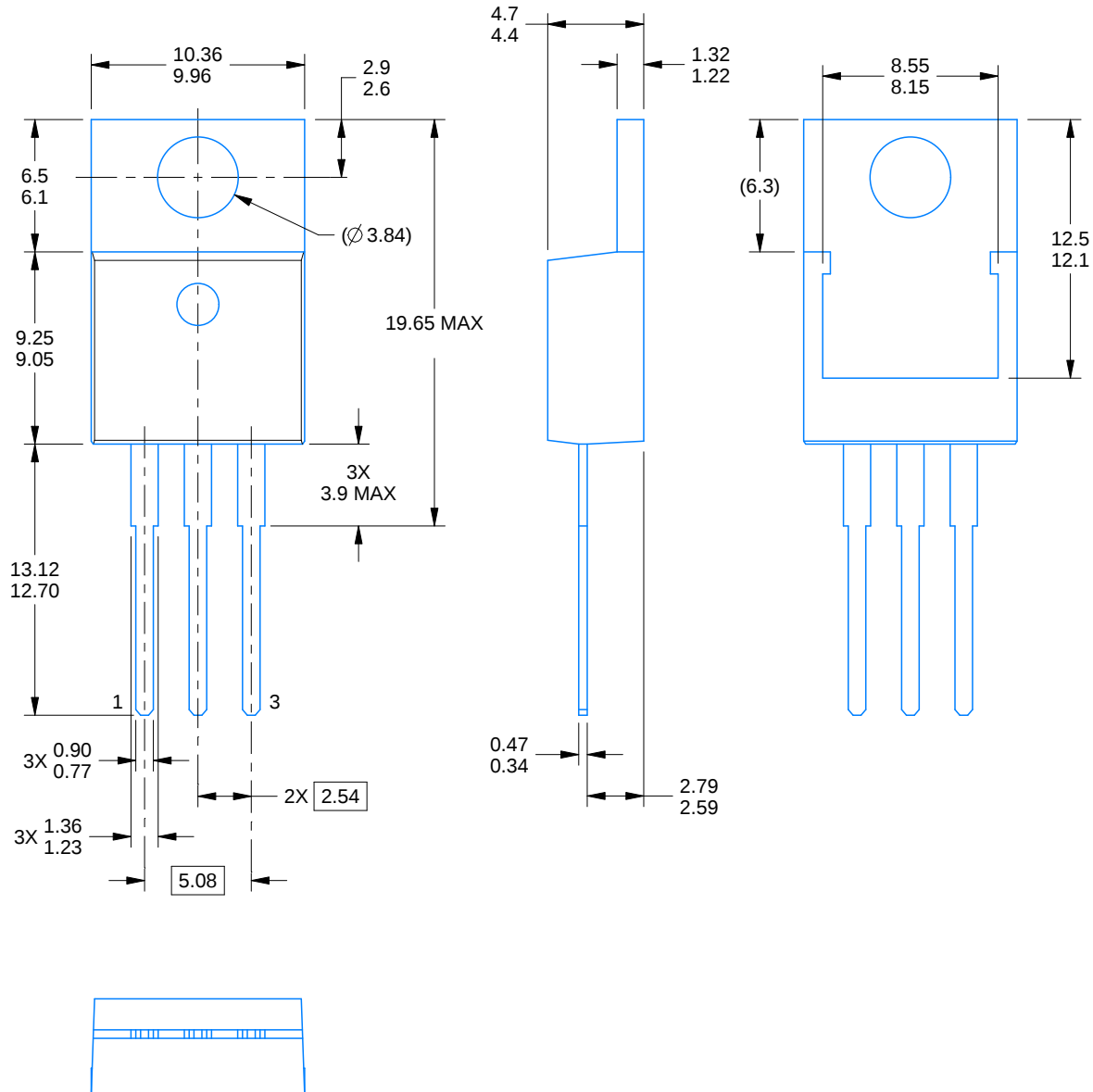


## PACKAGE OUTLINE

KCS0003B

TO-220 - 19.65 mm max height

TO-220



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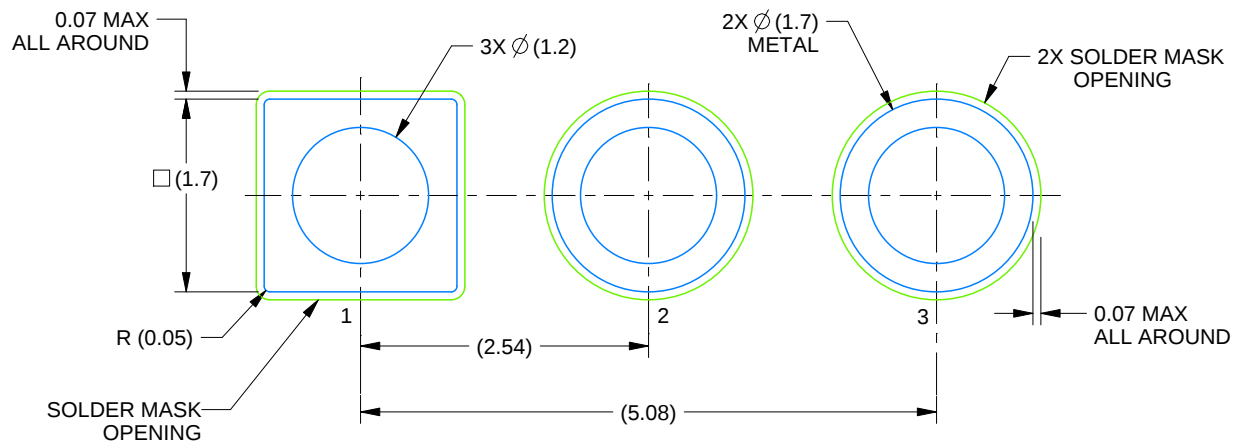
1. Dimensions are in millimeters. Any dimension in brackets or parenthesis are for reference only. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M.
2. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
3. Reference JEDEC registration TO-220.

# EXAMPLE BOARD LAYOUT

KCS0003B

TO-220 - 19.65 mm max height

TO-220



LAND PATTERN EXAMPLE  
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