

## LM317

### 3-Terminal Positive Adjustable Regulator

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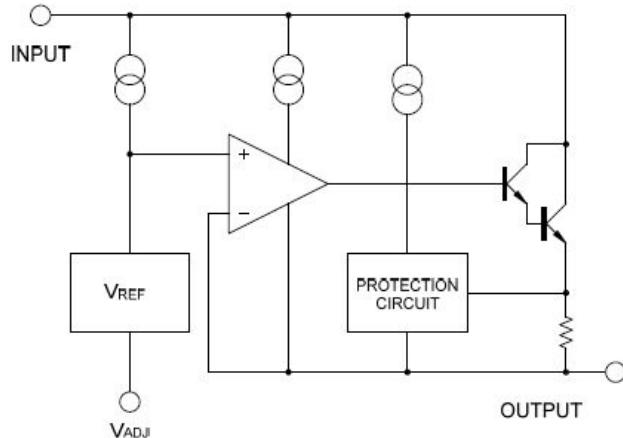
#### Features

- ◆ Output Current In Excess of 1.5A
- ◆ Output Adjustable Between 1.2V and 37V
- ◆ Internal Thermal Overload Protection
- ◆ Internal Short Circuit Current Limiting
- ◆ Output Transistor Safe Operating Area Compensation
- ◆ TO-220AB Package

#### General Description

This monolithic integrated circuit is an adjustable 3-terminal positive voltage regulator designed to supply more than 1.0A of load current with an output voltage adjustable over a 1.2 to 37V. It employs internal current limiting, thermal shut-down and safe area compensation.

#### Block Diagram



#### Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Units
Input-Output Voltage Differential	VI-VO	40	V
Lead Temperature	TLEAD	230	°C
Power Dissipation	PD	Internally Limited	W
Operating Junction Temperature Range	Tj	0~+125	°C
Storage Temperature Range	TSTG	-65~+125	°C
Temperature Coefficient of Output Voltage	△Vo/△T	±0.02	%/°C

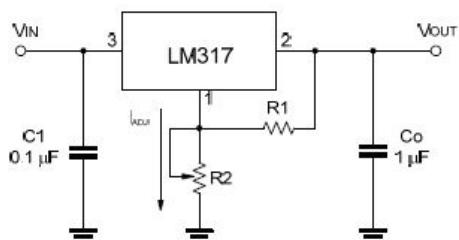
**Electrical Characteristics**

(VI-VO=5V,IO=0.5A,0°C ≤ TJ ≤ +125°C,IMAX=1.5A,PDMAX=20W,unless otherwise specified)

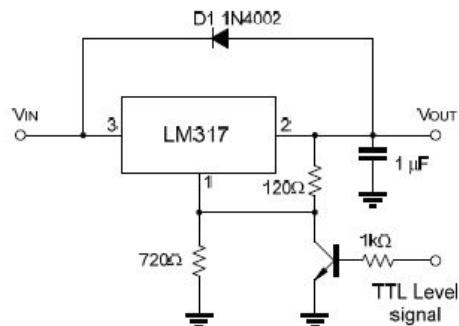
Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Line Regulation(Note1)	Rline	TA=+25°C 3V≤VI-VO≤40V		0.01	0.04	% / V
		3V≤VI-VO≤40V		0.02	0.07	% / V
Load Regulation(Note1)	Rload	TA=+25°C,10mA ≤ IO ≤ IMAX				mV%/Vo
		VO<5V		18	25	
		VO≥5V		0.4	0.5	
		10mA ≤ IO ≤ IMAX				mV%/Vo
		VO<5V		40	70	
		VO≥5V		0.8	1.5	
Adjustable Pin Current	IADJ			46	100	uA
Adjustable Pin Current change	△IADJ	3V≤VI-VO≤40V 10mA ≤ IO ≤ IAMX PD ≤ PMAX		2	5	uA
Reference Voltage	VREF	3V≤VMIN-VO≤40V 10mA ≤ IO ≤ IMAX PD ≤ PMAX	1.2	1.25	1.3	V
Temperature Stability	STT			0.7		% / Vo
Minimum Load Current to Maintain Regulation	IL(MIN)	VI-VO=40V		3.5	12	mA
Maximum Output Current	IO(MAX)	VI-VO≤15V,PD ≤ PMAX VI-VO≤40V,PD ≤ PMAX TA=25°C	1.5 0.15	2.2 0.4		A
RMS Noise ,% of Vout	en	TA=+25°C,10HZ ≤ f ≤ 10KHZ		0.003	0.01	% / Vo
Ripple Rejection	RR	VO=10V,f=120HZ without CADJ CADJ=10uF(Note2)	66	60 75		DB
Long-Term Stability ,TJ=THIGH	ST	TA=+25°C for end point measurements,1000HR		0.3	1	%
Thermal Resistance Junction to Case	RJC			5		°C / W

Note:

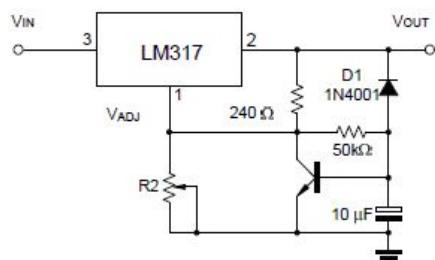
1. Load and line regulation are specified at constant junction temperature .change in VD due to heating Effects must be taken into account separately.Pulse testing with low duty os used.(PMAX=20W)
2. CADJ,when used,is connected between the adjustment pin and ground.

**Application Circuits**


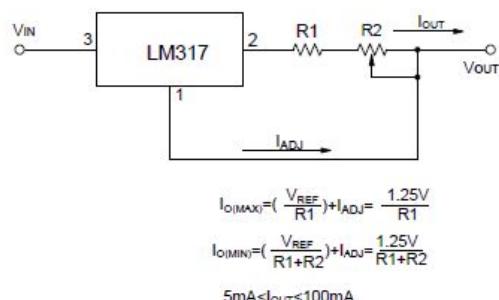
**Fig.1 Programmable voltage regulator**  
 $V_{OUT} = 1.25V \cdot (1 + R_2/R_1) + I_{ADJ} \cdot R_2$   
 C1 is required when regulator is located an appreciated distance from power supply. C2 is needed to improve transient response.



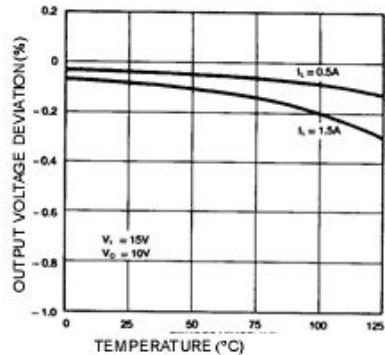
**Fig.2 Regulator with On-off control**



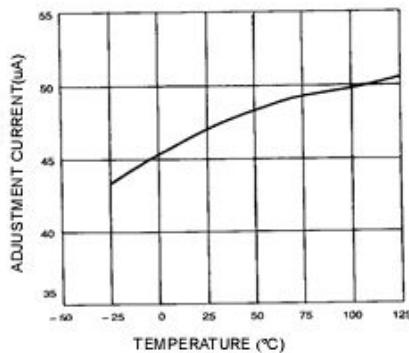
**Fig.3 Soft Start Application**



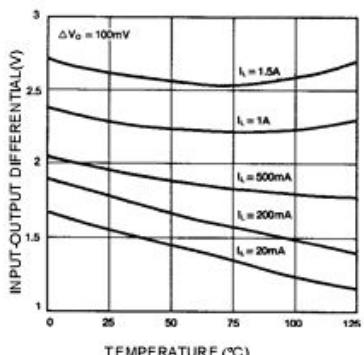
**Fig.4 Constant Current Application**

**Typical Characteristics**


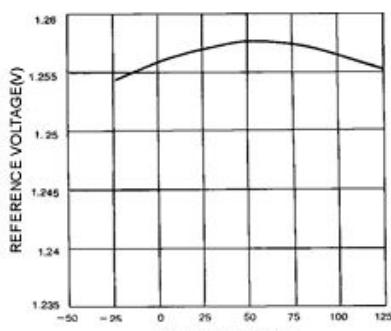
**Figure 1. Load Regulation**



**Figure 2. Adjustment Current**



**Figure 3. Dropout Voltage**



**Figure 4. Reference Voltage**

### **Mechanical Dimensions**

