



3A Low Dropout Voltage Regulator

Rev. 2.0.1

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The SPX1587 is a low power positive-voltage regulator designed to satisfy moderate power requirements with a cost effective, small footprint solution.

This device is an excellent choice for use in battery-powered applications and portable computers. The SPX1587 features very low quiescent current and a low dropout voltage of 1.1V at a full load. As output current decreases, quiescent current flows into the load, increasing efficiency. SPX1587 is available in adjustable or fixed 1.5V, 2.5V, 3.3V and 5.0V output voltages.

The SPX1587 is offered in several 3-pin surface mount packages: TO-252, TO-220 and TO-263. An output capacitor of 10μ F ceramic or tantalum provides unconditional stability.

Adjustable and 3.3V TO-263 versions available, TO-252 and TO-220 versions obsolete

APPLICATIONS

- Desktop PC's Servers
- Powering VGA and Sound Cards
- Adjustable Power Supplies
- Portable Instrumentation

FEATURES

- Guaranteed 3A Output Current
- Three Terminal Adjustable or Fixed 1.5V, 2.5V, 3.3V and 5.0V
- Low Quiescent Current
- Low Dropout Voltage: 1.1V at 3A
- Line Regulation: 0.1%
- Load Regulation: 0.1%
- Stable with 10uF Ceramic Capacitor
- Over Current and Thermal Protection
- Similar to Industry Standard LT1587
- RoHS Compliant Lead Free 3-Pin TO-220, TO-252 and TO-263 Packages

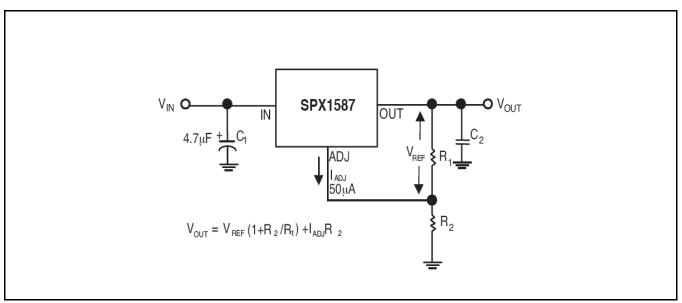


Fig. 1: SPX1587 Functional Diagram (Adjustable version)

FUNCTIONAL DIAGRAM



ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

These are stress ratings only and functional operation of the device at these ratings or any other above those indicated in the operation sections of the specifications below is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods of time may affect reliability.

Input Supply Voltage VIN	+10.0V
Input to Output Voltage	+8.8V
Storage Temperature	65°C to 150°C
Power Dissipation	. Internally Limited
Lead Temperature (Soldering, 5 sec)	
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OPERATING RATINGS

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Junction Temperature Range	40°C to 125°C
Thermal Resistance	
TO-220 θ _{JC}	3°C/W
ΤΟ-220 θ _{JA}	29.4°C/W
TO-263 θ _{JC}	3°C/W
ΤΟ-263 θ _{JA}	31.4°C/W
TO-252 θ _{JC}	6°C/W
ΤΟ-252 θ _{JA}	50°C/W

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Specifications with standard type are for an Operating Ambient Temperature of $T_A = 25^{\circ}C$ only; limits applying over the full Operating Temperature range (-40°C to +85°C) are denoted by a "•". Minimum and Maximum limits are guaranteed through test, design, or statistical correlation. Typical values represent the most likely parametric norm at $T_A = 25^{\circ}C$, and are provided for reference purposes only. Unless otherwise indicated, $V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1.5V$, $T_A = 25^{\circ}C$, $C_{IN} = C_{OUT} = 10\mu$ F, $I_{OUT}=10$ mA.

Parameter	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units		Conditions
1.5V Version						
Output Voltage	1.485	1.500	1.515	v		IOUT=10mA, VOUT=3.5V
SPX1587A	1.470		1.530	v	•	$10\text{mA} \le I_{\text{OUT}} \le 3A$, $3.0\text{V} \le V_{\text{OUT}} \le 10\text{V}$
2.5V Version						
Output Voltage	2.450	2.500	2.550	v		I _{OUT} =10mA, V _{OUT} =4.5V
SPX1587	2.425		2.575	v	•	$10\text{mA} \le I_{\text{OUT}} \le 3A$, $4.25V \le I_{\text{OUT}} \le 10V$
3.3V Version						
Output Voltage	3.267	3.300	3.333	v		I _{OUT} =10mA, V _{OUT} =5V
SPX1587A	3.234		3.366	v	•	10mA≤I _{OUT} ≤3A, 4.75V≤V _{OUT} ≤10V
Output Voltage	3.234	3.300	3.366	v		Iout=10mA, Vout=5V
SPX1587	3.201		3.399	v	•	$10mA \le I_{OUT} \le 3A$, $4.75V \le V_{OUT} \le 10V$
5.0V Version						
Output Voltage	4.950	5.000	5.050	v		I _{OUT} =10mA, V _{OUT} =7V
SPX1587A	4.900		5.100	v	•	$10mA \le I_{OUT} \le 3A$, $6.50V \le V_{OUT} \le 10V$
All Voltage Options						
Reference Voltage	1.238	1.250 1.262		v		Iout=10mA, VIN-VOUT=2V
SPX1587A	1.225		1.275	v	•	$10\text{mA} \le I_{\text{OUT}} \le 3A$, $1.50\text{V} \le V_{\text{IN}} - V_{\text{OUT}} \le 10\text{V}$
Reference Voltage	1.225	1.250	1.275	v		Iout=10mA, VIN-VOUT=2V
SPX1587	1.212		1.287	v	•	$10\text{mA} \le I_{\text{OUT}} \le 3A$, $1.50\text{V} \le V_{\text{IN}} - V_{\text{OUT}} \le 10\text{V}$
Output Voltage Temperature Stability – SPX1587A		0.3		%		
Output Voltage Temperature Stability – SPX1587		0.5		%		
						$3.0V \le V_{IN} \le 10V, V_{OUT} = 1.5V$
Line Deculation		0.1	0.0	0/		4.25V≤VIN≤10V, Vout=2.5V
Line Regulation		0.1	0.2	%		4.75V≤VIN≤10V, V _{OUT} =3.3V
						6.50V≤VIN≤10V, V _{OUT} =5.0V
						10mA≤Iout≤3A, Vout=1.5V
Land Deculation		0.1	0.3	%		$10\text{mA} \le I_{\text{OUT}} \le 3A$, $V_{\text{OUT}} = 2.5V$
Load Regulation		0.1	0.3	70		10mA≤Iout≤3A, Vout=3.3V
						10mA≤I _{OUT} ≤3A, V _{OUT} =5.0V



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Parameter	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units		Conditions
		1.00				I _{OUT} =1A
Dropout Voltage (note 2)		1.05		V		I _{OUT} =2A
		1.10	1.2			I _{OUT} =3A
Minimum Load Current (note 4)		4	10	mA		
Quiescent Current		4	10	mA		Fixed Voltage Versions
A divert Die Comment		50		μA		
Adjust Pin Current			120	μA	٠	
Current Limit	3.2	5		Α		V _{IN} -V _{OUT} =2V
Thermal Regulation		0.01	0.1	%/W		25°C, 30ms pulse
Ripple Rejection	60	75		dB		FRIPPLE=120Hz, VIN-VOUT=2V, VRIPPLE=1VPP
Long Term Stability		0.03		%		125°C, 1000 hours
RMS Output Noise		0.03		%		% of V _{OUT} , 10Hz \leq f \leq 10kHz

Note 1: Output temperature coefficient is defined as the worst-case voltage change divided by the total temperature range Note 2: Dropout voltage is defined as the input to output differential at which the output voltage drops 100mV below its nominal value measured at 1V differential at very low values of programmed output voltage, the minimum input supply voltage of 2V (2.3V over temperature) must be taken into account.

Note 3: Thermal regulation is defined as the change in output voltage at a time T after a change in power dissipation is applied. Excluding load or line regulation effect.

Note 4: Adjustable Version Only.

BLOCK DIAGRAM

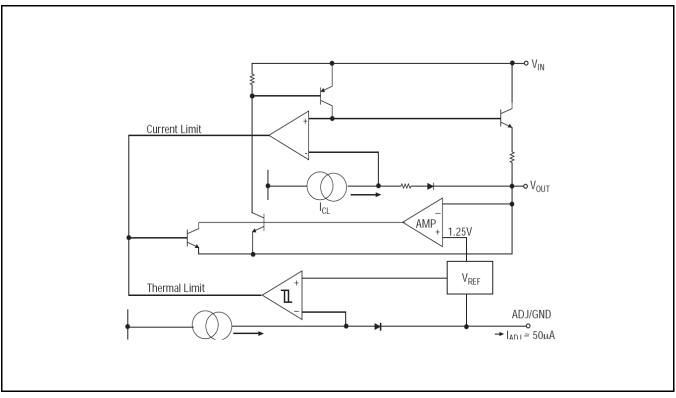


Fig. 2: SPX1587 Block Diagram



PIN ASSIGNMENT

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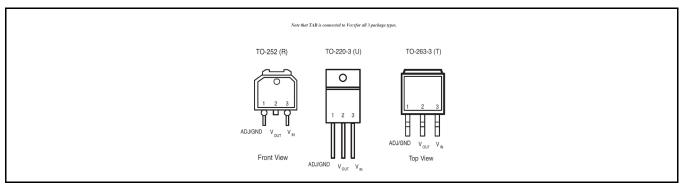


Fig. 3: SPX1587 Pin Assignment

PIN DESCRIPTION

Name	Pin Number	Description
ADJ/GND	1	Adjustable Voltage Pin or Ground signal for fixed voltage versions.
VOUT	2	Output Voltage
VIN	3	Input Voltage
TAB	TAB	Tab is connected to VOUT (pin 2) for all packages

ORDERING INFORMATION

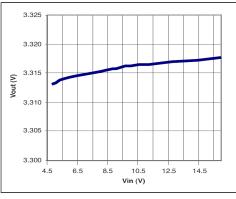
Part Number	Junction Temperature Range	Lead-Free	Package	Packing Quantity		
SPX1587AT-L/TR		Yes	TO-263-3	E00/Tapa & Roal		
SPX1587AT-L-3-3/TR	-40°C≤Tյ≤+125°C	res	10-203-3	500/Tape & Reel		

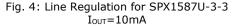
NOTE: For more information about part numbers, as well as the most up-to-date ordering information and additional information on environmental rating, go to <u>www.maxlinear.com/SPX1587</u>.



TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

All data taken at $V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1.5V$, $T_A = 25^{\circ}C$, $C_{IN} = C_{OUT} = 10\mu$ F, $I_{OUT} = 10$ mA unless otherwise specified - Schematic and BOM from Application Information section of this datasheet.





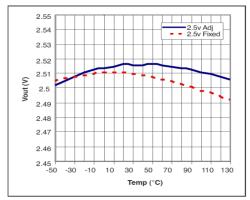


Fig. 6: V_{OUT} versus Temperature V_{IN} =4.0V, I_{OUT} =10mA

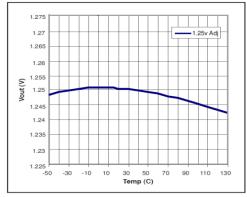


Fig. 5: V_{OUT} versus Temperature V_{IN} =2.5V, I_{OUT} =10mA

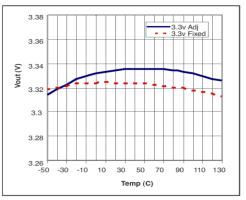


Fig. 7: V_{OUT} versus Temperature V_{IN} =5.0V, I_{OUT} =10mA

APPLICATION INFORMATION

OUTPUT CAPACITOR

To ensure the stability of the SPX1587, an output capacitor of at least 10µF (ceramic or tantalum) or 22µF (aluminum) is required. The value may change based on the application requirements of the output load or temperature range. The value of ESR can vary based on the type of capacitor used in the applications to guarantee stability. The recommended value for ESR is 0.5Ω or less. A larger value of output capacitance (up to 100µF) can improve the load transient response.

SOLDERING METHODS

The SPX1587 die is attached to the heatsink lead which exits opposite the input, output, and ground pins.

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

The SPX1587 features the internal thermal limiting to protect the device during overload conditions. Special care needs to be taken during continuous load conditions such that the maximum junction temperature does not exceed 125°C. Thermal protection is activated at >179°C and deactivated at <165 °C.

The thermal interaction from other components in the application can affect the



thermal resistance of the SPX1587. The actual thermal resistance can be determined with experimentation.

The SPX1587 power dissipation is calculated as follows:

$$P_D = (V_{IN} - V_{OUT}) \times I_{OUT}$$

Maximum Junction Temperature range:

$$T_J = T_{A(MAX)} + P_D \times \theta_{JA}$$

Where θ_{JA} is the junction-to-ambient thermal resistance of the package.

Maximum junction temperature must not exceed 125°C.

RIPPLE REJECTION

Ripple rejection can be improved by adding a capacitor between the ADJ pin and ground as shown in Figure 11. When ADJ pin bypassing is used, the value of the output capacitor required increases to its maximum. If the ADJ pin is not bypassed, the value of the output capacitor can be lowered to 22μ F for an electrolytic aluminum capacitor or 10μ F for a solid tantalum capacitor (Fig 10).

However, the value of the ADJ-bypass capacitor should be chosen with respect to the following equation:

$$C = \frac{1}{6.28 \times F_R \times R_1}$$

Where

C = value of the capacitor in Farads (select an equal or larger standard value)

F_R = ripple frequency in Hz

 R_1 = value of resistor R1 in Ohms.

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If an ADJ-bypass capacitor is used, the amplitude of the output ripple will be independent of the output voltage. If an ADJbypass capacitor is not used, the output ripple will be proportional to the ratio of the output voltage to the reference voltage:

$$M = \frac{V_{OUT}}{V_{REF}}$$

Where

M = multiplier for the ripple seen when the ADJ pin is optimally bypassed.

 $V_{REF}=1.25V$

Ripple rejection for the adjustable version is showing in Figure 8.

OUTPUT VOLTAGE

The output of the adjustable regulator can be set to any voltage between 1.25V and 15V. The value of V_{OUT} can be quickly approximated using the formula

$$V_{OUT} = 1.25 \times \frac{R_1 + R_2}{R_1}$$

Small correction to this formula is required depending on the values of resistors R1 and R2, since the adjustable pin current (approx 50μ A) flows through R2. When I_{ADJ} is taken into account, the formula becomes

$$V_{OUT} = V_{REF} \times \left(1 + \frac{R_2}{R_1}\right) + I_{ADJ} \times R_2$$

Where

 $V_{REF}=1.25V$

LAYOUT CONSIDERATIONS

Parasitic line resistance can degrade load regulation. In order to avoid this, connect R1 directly to V_{OUT} as illustrated in Figure 13. For the same reason, R2 should be connected to the negative side of the load.



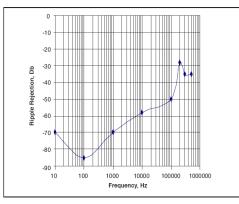


Fig. 8: Ripple Rejection $V_{\rm IN}{=}3.3V,\,V_{\rm OUT}{=}1.8V(adj),\,I_{\rm LOAD}{=}200mA$

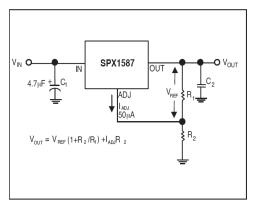


Fig. 10: Typical Adjustable Regulator

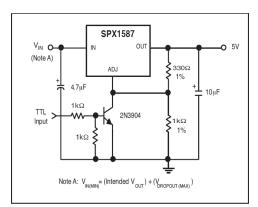


Fig. 12: 5V Regulator with Shutdown

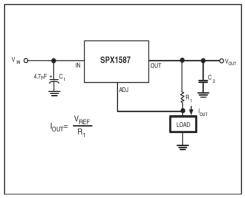


Fig. 9: Current Source

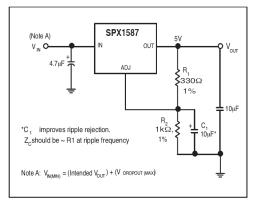


Fig. 11: Improving Ripple Rejection

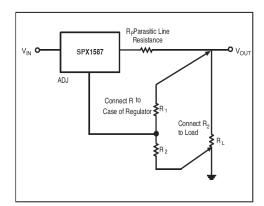
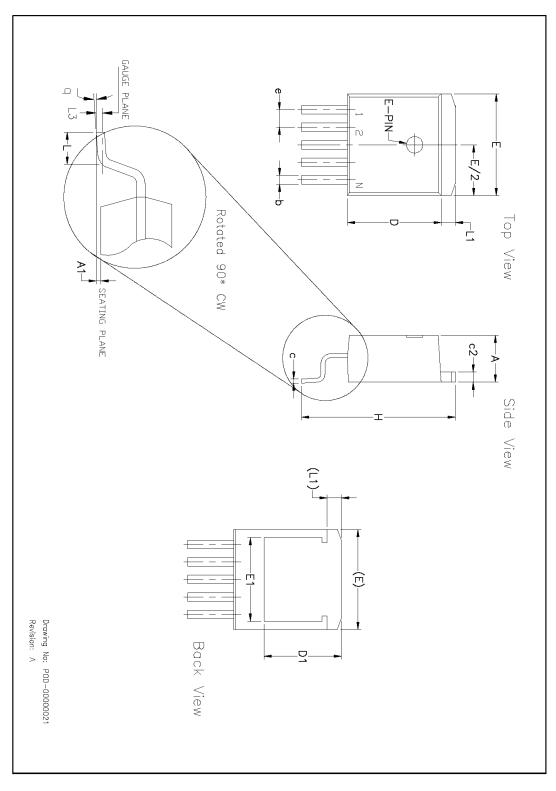


Fig. 13: Recommended Connections for Best Results



PACKAGE SPECIFICATION

3-PIN TO-263





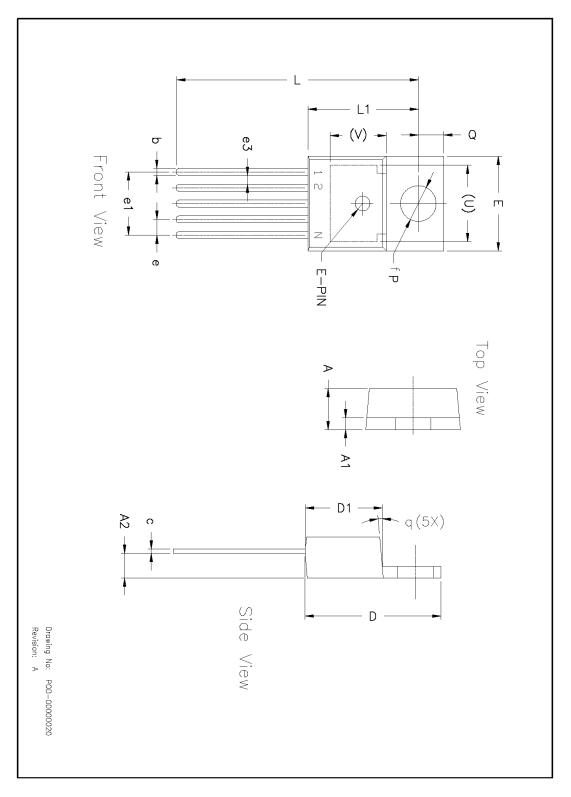
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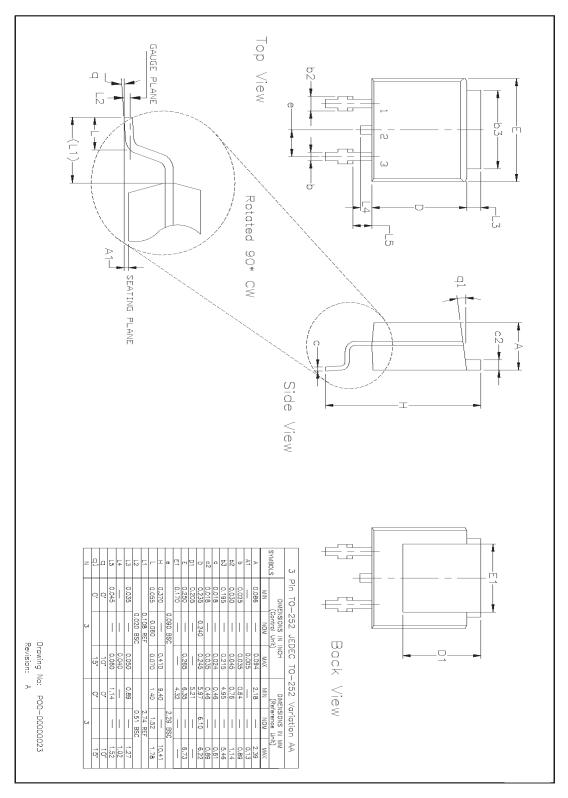


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TO-252 version obsolete





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REVISION HISTORY

Revision	Date	Description
2.0.0	September, 2010	Reformat of datasheet Added marking information
2.0.1	June 26, 2023	 Updated: In "Features" section, industry standard "LT1085/LT1585" replaced with "LT1587". In "Package Specification" section: "3-pin TO-263" figure. "3-pin TO-220" figure. "3-pin TO-252" figure. Removed: In "Ordering Information" table, SPX1587T-L, SPX1587T-L/TR, SPX1587T-L-1-5, SPX1587T-L-1-5/TR, SPX1587T-L-5-0, SPX1587T-L-5-0/TR, SPX1587T-L-3-3, SPX1587U-L-5-0, SPX1587AR-L, SPX1587AR-L/TR, SPX1587AR-L/TR, SPX1587AT-L-3-3, and SPX1587AU-L obsolete part numbers. Removed also "Marking" column.



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