

# ME6118

## 1A Adjustable Voltage High Speed LDO Regulators ME6118 Series

### General Description

The ME6118 series are highly accurate, low noise, LDO Voltage Regulators that are capable of providing an output current that is in excess of 1A with a maximum dropout voltage of 1.3V at 1A (ME6118A33). This series contains four fixed output voltages of 1.2V, 1.8V, 2.5V and 3.3V that have no minimum load requirement to maintain regulation. On chip trimming adjusts the reference/output voltage to within  $\pm 2\%$  accuracy. Internal protection features consist of output current limiting, safe operating area compensation, and thermal shutdown. The ME6118 series can operate with up to 18V input.

### Features

- Output Current in Excess of 1A
- Dropout Voltage: 80mV @  $I_{OUT} = 100mA$   
 (ME6118A33)
- Operating Voltage Range: 2.5V ~ 18V
- Highly Accuracy:  $\pm 2\%$
- Adjustable Output Voltage Option
- Standby Current: 52uA (TYP.)
- High Ripple Rejection: 70dB@1KHz (ME6118A33)
- Line Regulation: 2mV (TYP.)
- Temperature Stability  $\leq 0.5\%$
- Thermal Shutdown Protection: 160°C

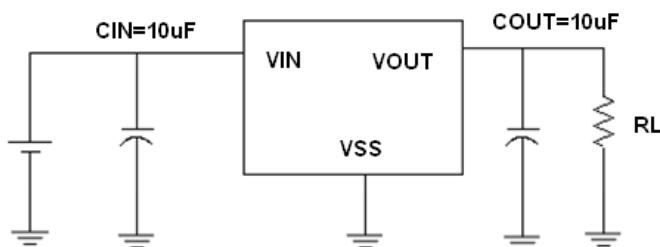
### Typical Application

- Consumer and Industrial Equipment Point of Regulation
- Switching Power Supply Post Regulation
- Hard Drive Controllers
- Battery Chargers

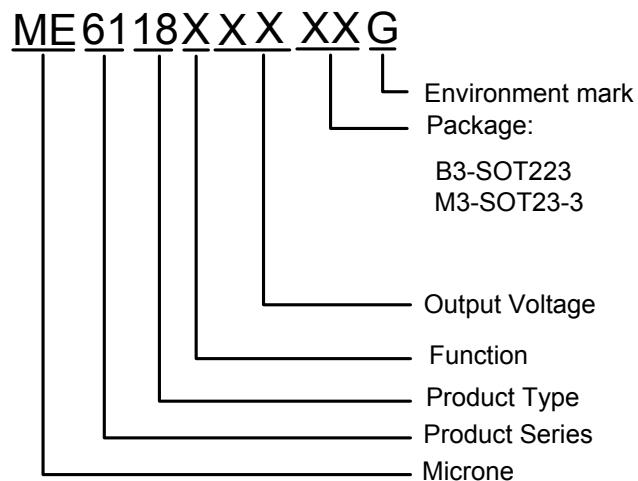
### Package

- 3-pin SOT223 , SOT23-3

### Typical Application Circuit

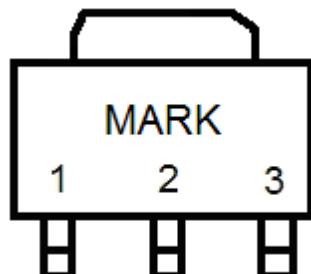


## Selection Guide



product series	product description
ME6118A12B3G	$V_{OUT} = 1.2V$ ; Package: SOT223
ME6118A18B3G	$V_{OUT} = 1.8V$ ; Package: SOT223
ME6118A25B3G	$V_{OUT} = 2.5V$ ; Package: SOT223
ME6118A33B3G	$V_{OUT} = 3.3V$ ; Package: SOT223
ME6118A50B3G	$V_{OUT} = 5.0V$ ; Package: SOT223
ME6118E25B3G	$V_{OUT} = 2.5V$ ; Package: SOT223; Different pin
ME6118E33B3G	$V_{OUT} = 3.3V$ ; Package: SOT223; Different pin
ME6118A33M3G	$V_{OUT} = 3.3V$ ; Package: SOT23-3

## Pin Configuration



SOT223



SOT23-3

## Pin Assignment

ME6118AXX

Pin Number		Pin Name	Functions
SOT223	SOT23-3		
1	1	GND	Ground
2	2	V <sub>OUT</sub>	Output
3	3	V <sub>IN</sub>	Power Input

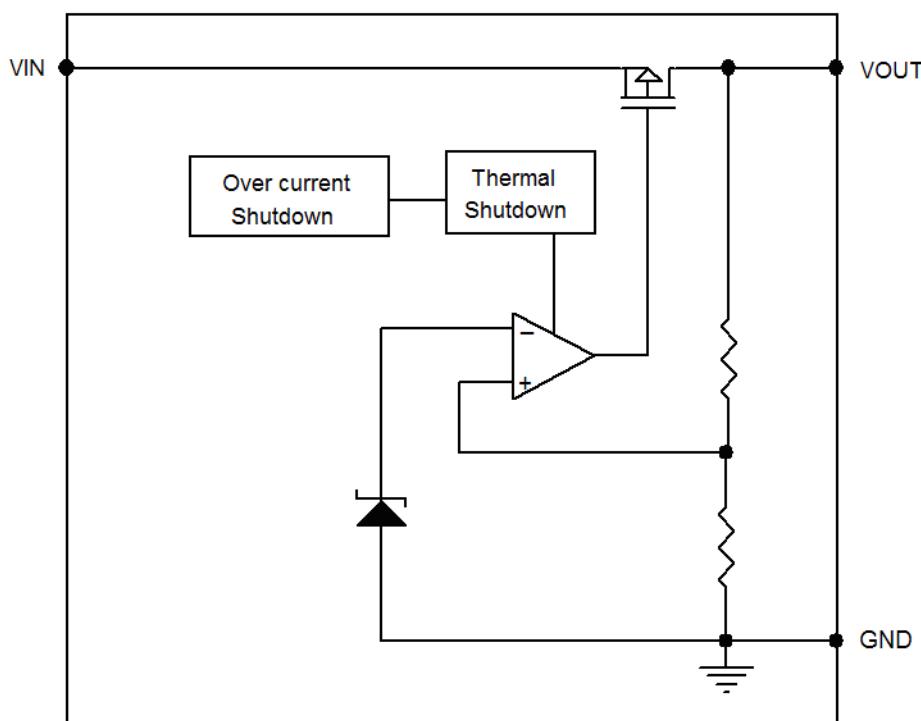
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Pin Number		Pin Name	Functions
SOT223			
1		GND	Ground
2		V <sub>IN</sub>	Power Input
3		V <sub>OUT</sub>	Output

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Units
Input Voltage	V <sub>IN</sub>	18	V
Output Current	I <sub>OUT</sub>	1.1	A
Output Voltage	V <sub>OUT</sub>	V <sub>SS</sub> -0.3~V <sub>IN</sub> +0.3	V
Power Dissipation	SOT223	750	mW
	SOT23-3	300	
Operating Temperature Range	T <sub>OPR</sub>	-40~+125	°C
Storage Temperature Range	T <sub>STG</sub>	-40~+150	°C
Lead Temperature		260°C, 4sec	

## Block Diagram



## Electrical Characteristics

**ME6118A12/E12** (Packages:SOT223)

( $V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1.3V$ ,  $C_{IN} = C_L = 10\mu F$ ,  $T_a = 25^\circ C$ , unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Output Voltage	$V_{OUT}(E)$ (Note 2)	$I_{OUT} = 10mA$ , $V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1.3V$	X 0.98	$V_{OUT}$ (T) (Note 1)	X 1.02	V
Maximum Output Current	$I_{OUTMAX}$	$V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1.3V$		800		mA
Load Regulation	$\Delta V_{OUT}$	$V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1.3V$ , $1mA \leq I_{OUT} \leq 800mA$		3		mV
Dropout Voltage (Note 3)	$V_{DIF1}$	$I_{OUT} = 100mA$		195		mV
	$V_{DIF2}$	$I_{OUT} = 400mA$		665		mV
	$V_{DIF3}$	$I_{OUT} = 800mA$		1250		mV
	$V_{DIF4}$	$I_{OUT} = 1000mA$		1600		mV
Quiescent Current	$I_{ss}$	$V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1.3V$		53		uA
Line Regulation	$\Delta V_{OUT}$	$I_{OUT} = 0mA$ $V_{OUT} + 1.3V \leq V_{IN} \leq 18V$		2		mV
Thermal Shutdown Protection	$T_{sd}$	$I_{OUT} = 10mA$ , $V_{IN} = V_{OUT} + 1.3V$		155		°C
Over Current Protection	$I_{limit}$	$V_{IN} = 3V$		1.1		A

**ME6118A18/E18 (Packages:SOT223)**(V<sub>IN</sub>= V<sub>OUT</sub>+1.2V, C<sub>IN</sub>=C<sub>L</sub>=10uF, Ta=25°C, unless otherwise noted)

<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Symbol</b>	<b>Conditions</b>	<b>Min.</b>	<b>Typ.</b>	<b>Max.</b>	<b>Units</b>
Output Voltage	V <sub>OUT</sub> (E) (Note 2)	I <sub>OUT</sub> =10mA V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V	X 0.98	V <sub>OUT</sub> (T) (Note 1)	X 1.02	V
Maximum Output Current	I <sub>OUTMAX</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		800		mA
Load Regulation	ΔV <sub>OUT</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V , 1mA≤I <sub>OUT</sub> ≤800mA		5		mV
Dropout Voltage (Note 3)	V <sub>DIF1</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =100mA		115		mV
	V <sub>DIF2</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =400mA		450		mV
	V <sub>DIF3</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =800mA		940		mV
	V <sub>DIF4</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =1000mA		1600		mV
Quiescent Current	I <sub>ss</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		52		uA
Line Regulation	ΔV <sub>OUT</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =0mA V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V ≤V <sub>IN</sub> ≤18V		2		mV
Thermal Shutdown Protection	T <sub>sd</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =10mA V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		160		°C
Over Current Protection	I <sub>limit</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> =3.5V		1.1		A

**ME6118A25/E25 (Packages:SOT223)**(V<sub>IN</sub>= V<sub>OUT</sub>+1.2V, C<sub>IN</sub>=C<sub>L</sub>=10uF, Ta=25°C, unless otherwise noted)

<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Symbol</b>	<b>Conditions</b>	<b>Min.</b>	<b>Typ.</b>	<b>Max.</b>	<b>Units</b>
Output Voltage	V <sub>OUT</sub> (E) (Note 2)	I <sub>OUT</sub> =10mA, V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V	X 0.98	V <sub>OUT</sub> (T) (Note 1)	X 1.02	V
Maximum Output Current	I <sub>OUTMAX</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		800		mA
Load Regulation	ΔV <sub>OUT</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V , 1mA≤I <sub>OUT</sub> ≤800mA		5		mV
Dropout Voltage (Note 3)	V <sub>DIF1</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =100mA		90		mV
	V <sub>DIF2</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =500mA		450		mV
	V <sub>DIF3</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =800mA		790		mV
	V <sub>DIF4</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =1000mA		1300		mV
Quiescent Current	I <sub>ss</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		53		uA
Line Regulation	ΔV <sub>OUT</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =0mA V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V ≤V <sub>IN</sub> ≤18V		2		mV
Thermal Shutdown Protection	T <sub>sd</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =10mA, V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		160		°C
Over Current Protection	I <sub>limit</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> =4.0V		1.1		A

**ME6118A33/E33 (Packages:SOT223)**(V<sub>IN</sub>= V<sub>OUT</sub>+1.2V, C<sub>IN</sub>=C<sub>L</sub>=10uF, Ta=25°C, unless otherwise noted)

<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Symbol</b>	<b>Conditions</b>	<b>Min.</b>	<b>Typ.</b>	<b>Max.</b>	<b>Units</b>
Output Voltage	V <sub>OUT</sub> (E) (Note 2)	I <sub>OUT</sub> =10mA, V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V	X 0.98	V <sub>OUT</sub> (T) (Note 1)	X 1.02	V
Maximum Output Current	I <sub>OUTMAX</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		800		mA
Load Regulation	ΔV <sub>OUT</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V , 1mA≤I <sub>OUT</sub> ≤800mA		7		mV
Dropout Voltage (Note 3)	V <sub>DIF1</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =100mA		80		mV
	V <sub>DIF2</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =500mA		400		mV
	V <sub>DIF3</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =800mA		680		mV
	V <sub>DIF4</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =1000mA		1300		mV
Quiescent Current	I <sub>ss</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		53		uA
Line Regulation	ΔV <sub>OUT</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =0mA V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V ≤V <sub>IN</sub> ≤18V		2		mV
Thermal Shutdown Protection	T <sub>sd</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =10mA, V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		160		°C
Over Current Protection	I <sub>limit</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> =5.0V		1.1		A

**ME6118A33 (Package: SOT23-3 )**(V<sub>IN</sub>= V<sub>OUT</sub>+1.2V, C<sub>IN</sub>=C<sub>L</sub>=10uF, Ta=25°C, unless otherwise noted)

<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Symbol</b>	<b>Conditions</b>	<b>Min.</b>	<b>Typ.</b>	<b>Max.</b>	<b>Units</b>
Output Voltage	V <sub>OUT</sub> (E) (Note 2)	I <sub>OUT</sub> =10mA, V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V	X 0.98	V <sub>OUT</sub> (T) (Note 1)	X 1.02	V
Maximum Output Current	I <sub>OUTMAX</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		500	600	mA
Load Regulation	ΔV <sub>OUT</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V , 1mA≤I <sub>OUT</sub> ≤500mA		10		mV
Dropout Voltage (Note 3)	V <sub>DIF1</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =100mA		70		mV
	V <sub>DIF2</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =300mA		220		mV
	V <sub>DIF3</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =500mA		385		mV
Quiescent Current	I <sub>ss</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		53		uA
Line Regulation	ΔV <sub>OUT</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =0mA V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V ≤V <sub>IN</sub> ≤18V		2		mV
Thermal Shutdown Protection	T <sub>sd</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =10mA, V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		160		°C
Over Current Protection	I <sub>limit</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> =5.0V		1.1		A

**ME6118A50/E50 (Packages:SOT223)**(V<sub>IN</sub>= V<sub>OUT</sub>+1.2V, C<sub>IN</sub>=C<sub>L</sub>=10uF, Ta=25°C, unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Output Voltage	V <sub>OUT</sub> (E) (Note 2)	I <sub>OUT</sub> =10mA, V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V	X 0.98	V <sub>OUT</sub> (T) (Note 1)	X 1.02	V
Maximum Output Current	I <sub>OUTMAX</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		800		mA
Load Regulation	ΔV <sub>OUT</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V , 1mA≤I <sub>OUT</sub> ≤800mA		8		mV
Dropout Voltage (Note 3)	V <sub>DIF1</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =100mA		60		mV
	V <sub>DIF2</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =500mA		300		mV
	V <sub>DIF3</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =800mA		500		mV
	V <sub>DIF4</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =1000mA		900		mV
Quiescent Current	I <sub>ss</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		53		uA
Line Regulation	ΔV <sub>OUT</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =0mA V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V ≤V <sub>IN</sub> ≤18V		2		mV
Thermal Shutdown Protection	T <sub>sd</sub>	I <sub>OUT</sub> =10mA, V <sub>IN</sub> = V <sub>OUT</sub> +1.2V		160		°C
Over Current Protection	I <sub>limit</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> =6.5V		1.1		A

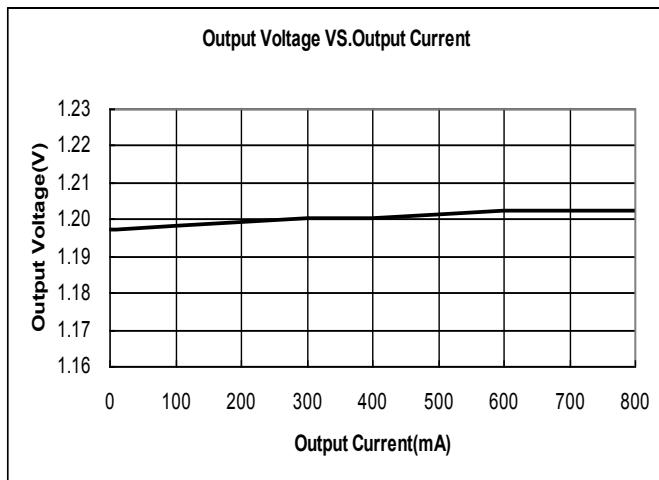
Note :

1. V<sub>OUT</sub> (T) : Specified Output Voltage2. V<sub>OUT</sub> (E) : Effective Output Voltage ( ie. The output voltage when "V<sub>OUT</sub> (T)+1.2V" is provided at the Vin pin while maintaining a certain Iout value.)3. V<sub>DIF</sub>: V<sub>IN1</sub> – V<sub>OUT</sub> (E)'V<sub>IN1</sub> : The input voltage when V<sub>OUT</sub>(E)' appears as input voltage is gradually decreased.V<sub>OUT</sub> (E)'=A voltage equal to 98% of the output voltage whenever an amply stabilized Iout and {V<sub>OUT</sub> (T)+1.2V} is input.

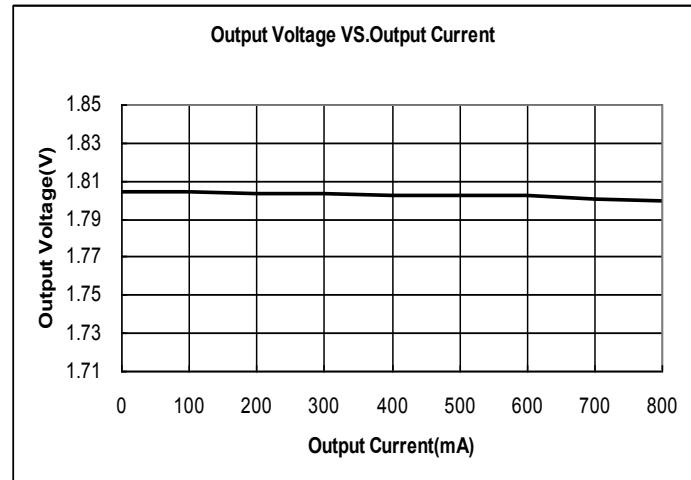
## Type Characteristics

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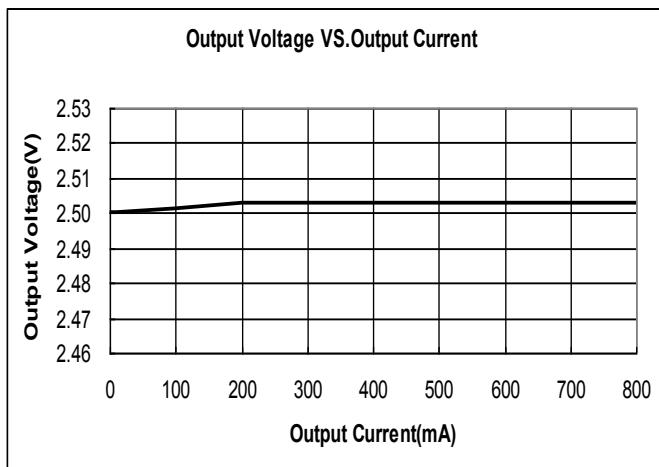
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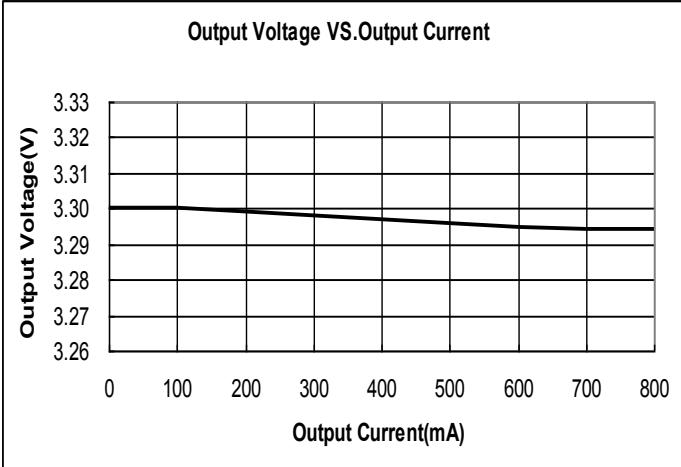
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**ME6118A25B3G** ( $V_{IN}=V_{OUT}+1.2V$ )

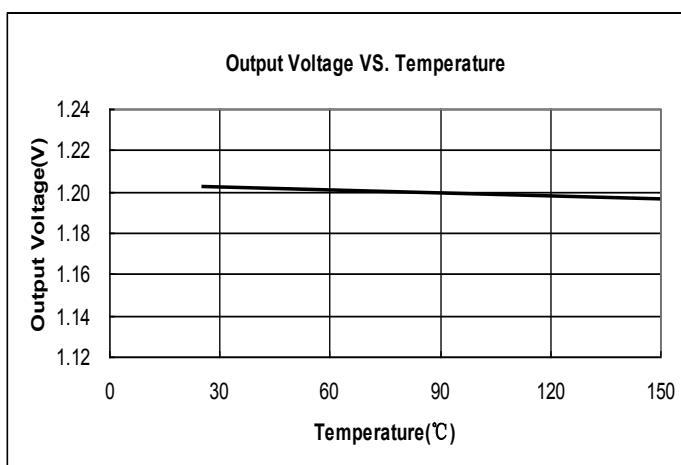


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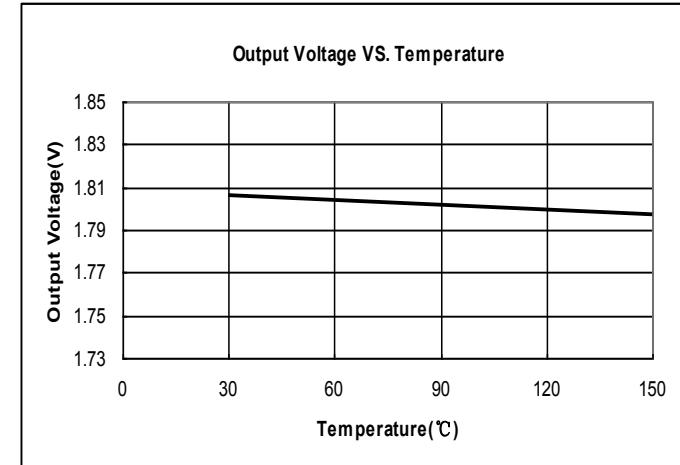


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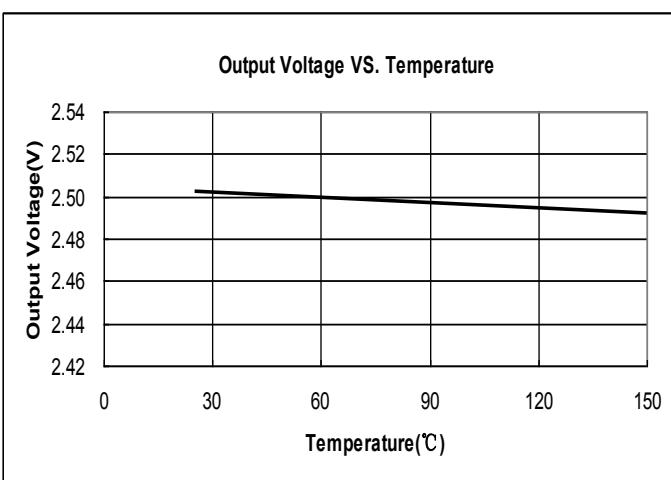
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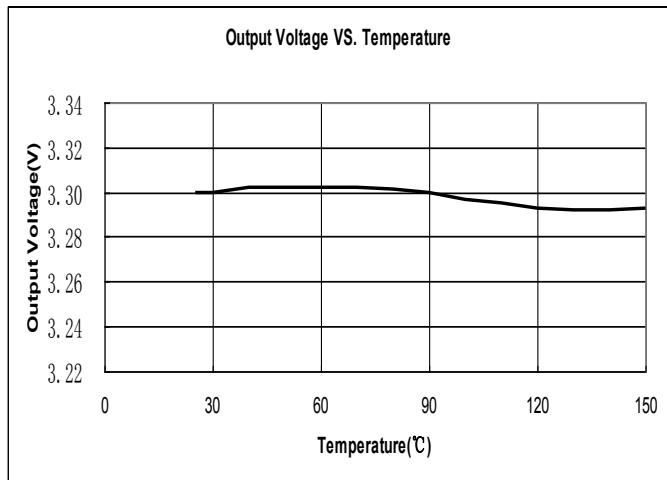
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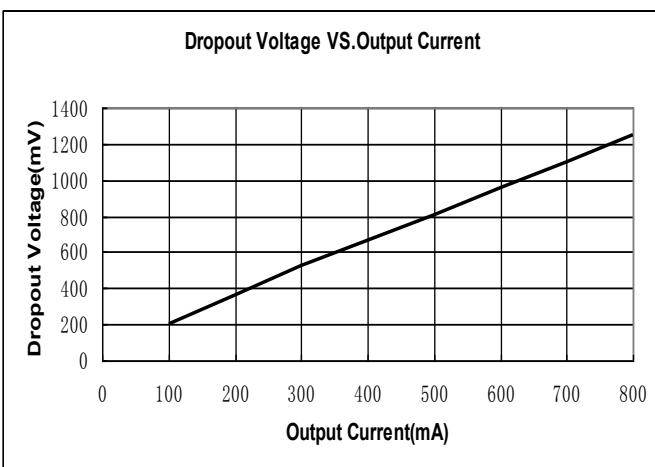


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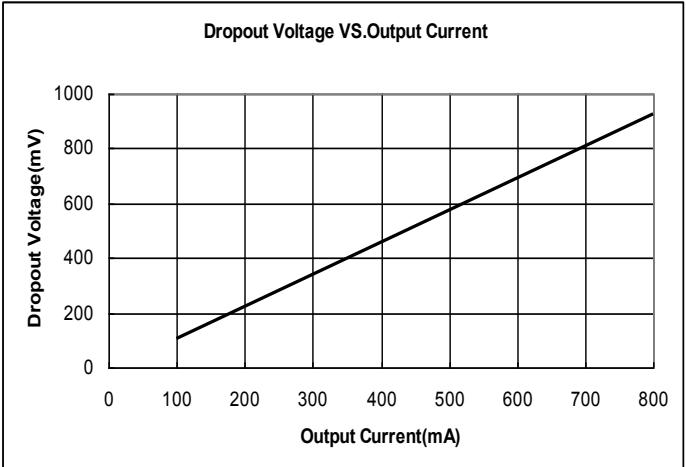


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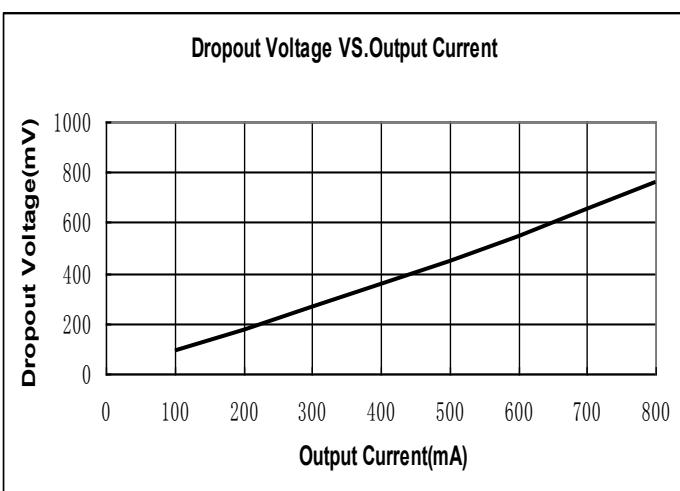
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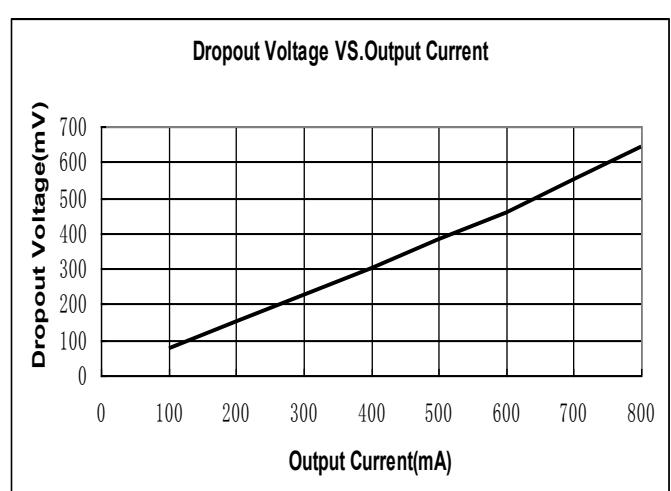
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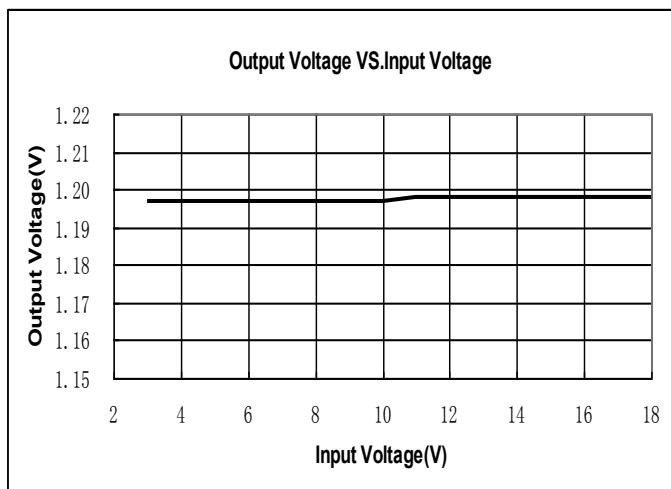


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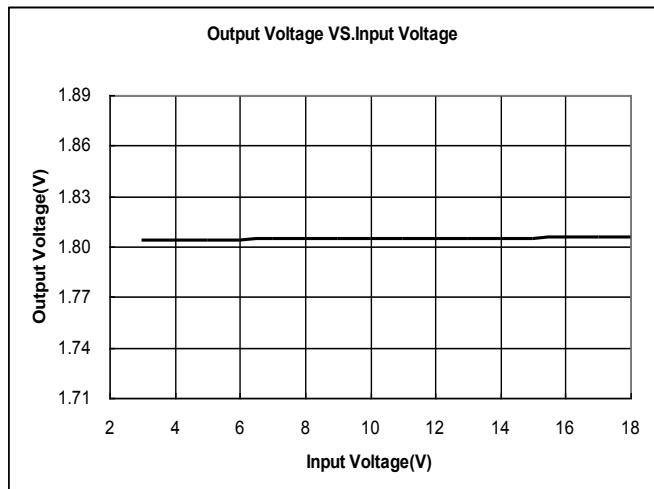


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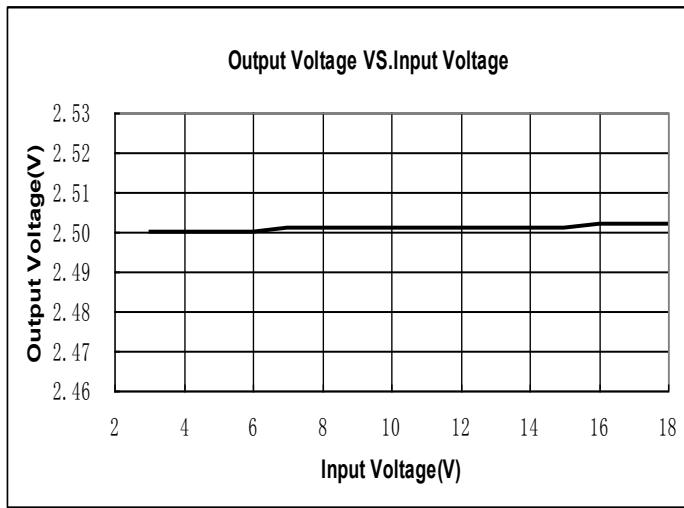
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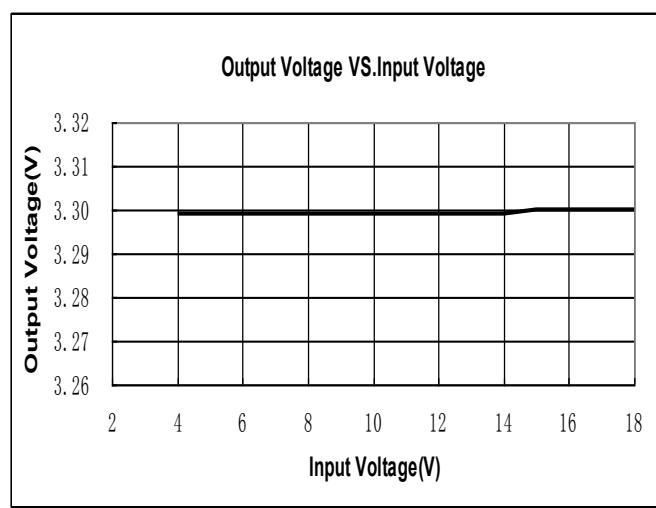
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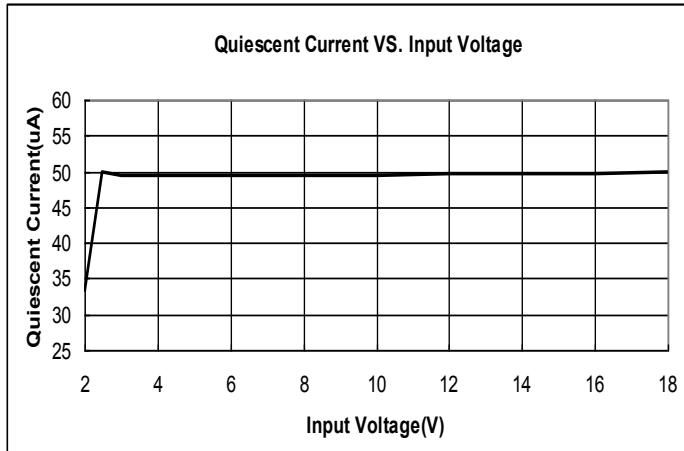


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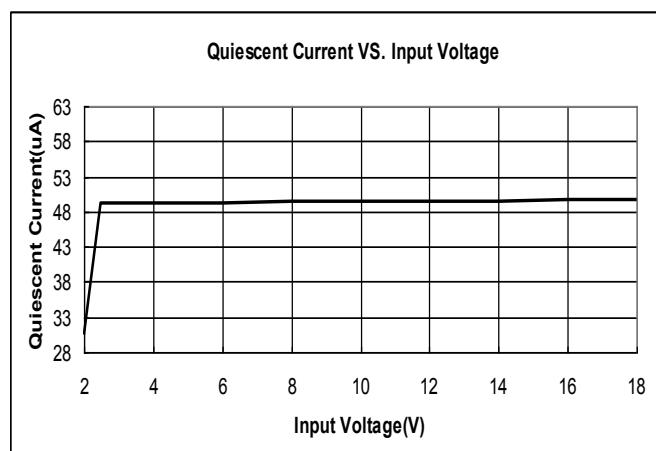


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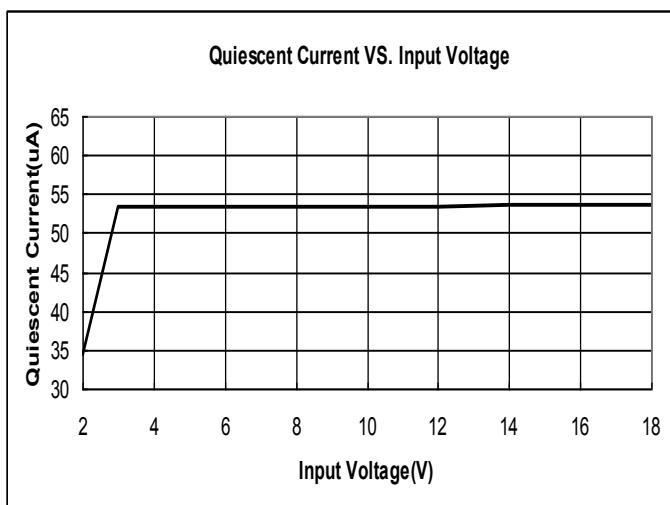
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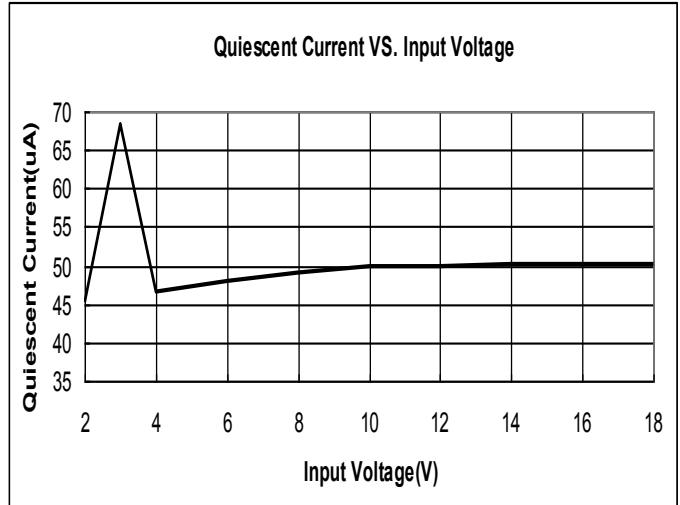
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**Applications Information****1. Input Bypass Capacitor**

An input capacitor is recommended. A 10uF tantalum on the input is a suitable input bypassing for almost all applications.

**2. Output Capacitor**

The output capacitor is critical in maintaining regulator stability, and must meet the required conditions for both minimum amount of capacitance and ESR (Equivalent Series Resistance).The minimum output capacitance required by the ME6118 is 10 $\mu$ F,if a tantalum capacitor is used. Any increase of the output capacitance will merely improve the loop stability and transient response. The ESR of the output capacitor should be less than 0.5 $\Omega$  .

**3. Load Regulation**

The ME6118 regulates the voltage that appears between its output and ground pins, or between its output and adjust pins. In some cases, line resistances can introduce errors to the voltage across the load. To obtain the best load regulation, a few precautions are needed. Figure1, shows a typical application using a fixed output regulator. The Rt1 and Rt2 are the line resistances. It is obvious that the V<sub>LOAD</sub> is less than the V<sub>OUT</sub> by the sum of the voltage drops along the line resistances. In this case, the load regulation seen at the R<sub>LOAD</sub> would be degraded from the datasheet specification. To improve this , the load should be tied directly to the output terminal on the positive side and directly tied to the ground terminal on the negative side.

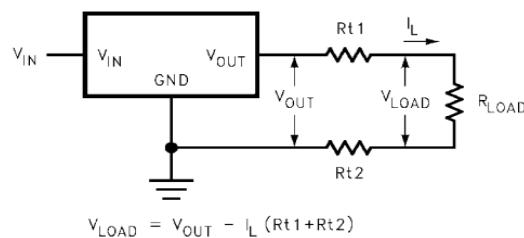
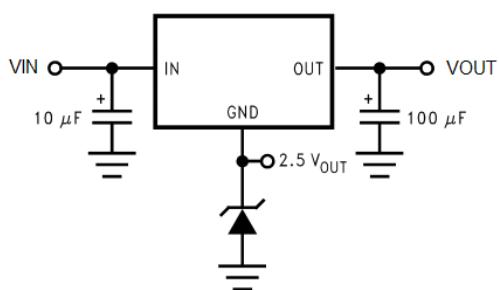


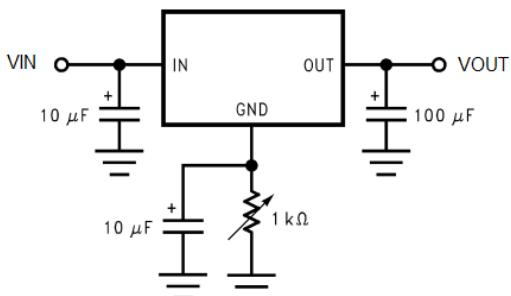
FIGURE 1. Typical Application using Fixed Output Regulator

## Application Circuit

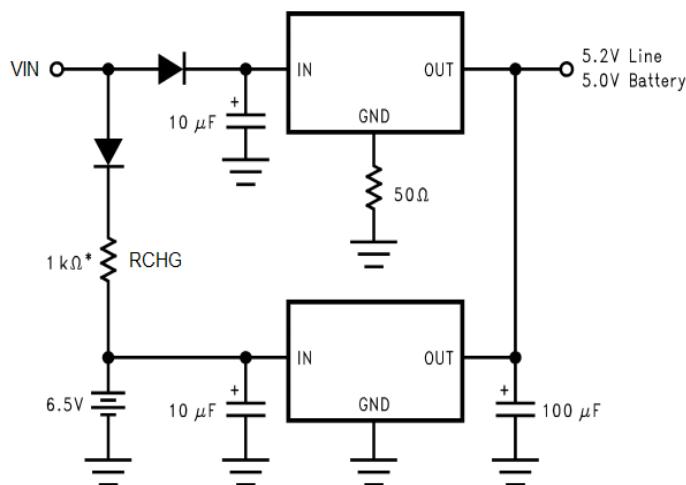
(1) Regulator with Reference



(2) Adjusting Output of Fixed Voltage Regulators

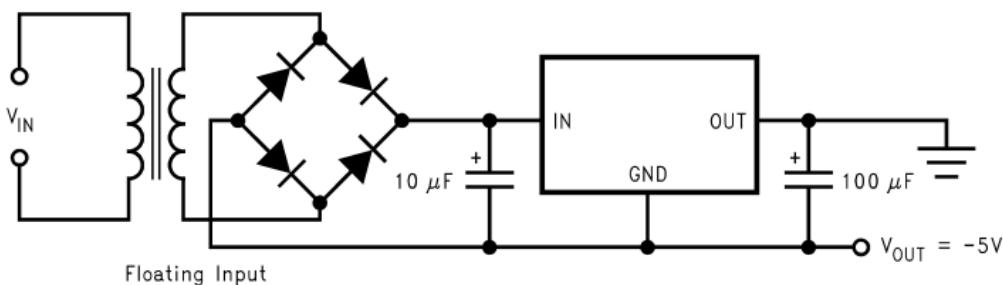


(3) Battery Backed-Up Power Supply



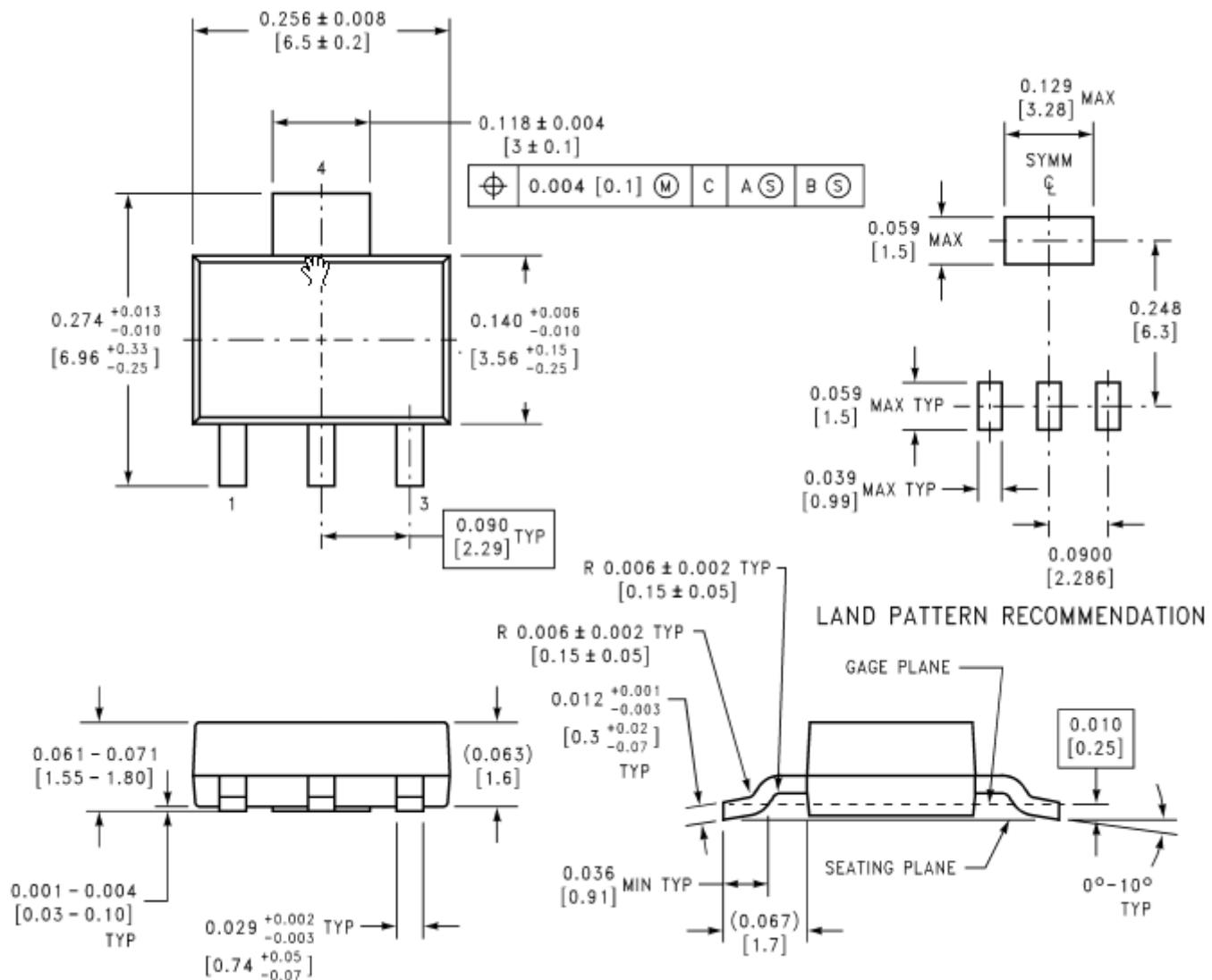
\* Select for charge rate.

(4) Low Dropout Negative Supply

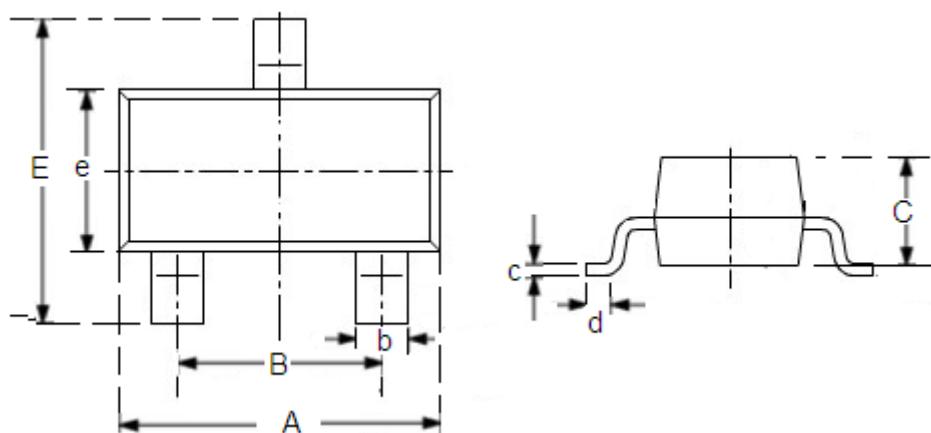


## Packaging Information

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DIM	Millimeters		Inches	
	Min	Max	Min	Max
A	2.7	3.1	0.1063	0.122
B	1.7	2.1	0.0669	0.0827
b	0.35	0.5	0.0138	0.0197
C	1.0	1.2	0.0394	0.0472
c	0.1	0.25	0.0039	0.0098
d	0.2	-	0.0079	-
E	2.6	3.0	0.1023	0.1181
e	1.5	1.8	0.059	0.0708