



## 3-Terminal 1A Negative Voltage Regulator

LM7908J

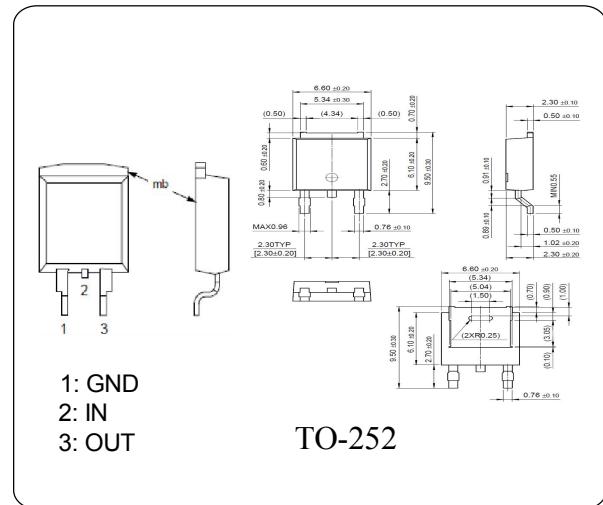
## GENERAL DESCRIPTION



The LM7908J series of three-terminal negative regulators are available in TO-252 package and with several fixed output voltages, making them useful in a wide range of applications. Each type employs internal current limiting, thermal shutdown and safe operating area protection, making it essentially indestructible.

## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS ( Ta = 25 °C)

Parameter	Symbol	Typ	Unit
Input Voltage	V <sub>I</sub>	-35	V
Output Voltage	V <sub>O</sub>	-8.0	V
Peak Current	I <sub>PK</sub>	-2.2	A
Operating Temperature Range	T <sub>OPR</sub>	0~125	°C
Storage Temperature Range	T <sub>STG</sub>	-65~150	°C



## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( Ta = 25 °C)

(Refer to test circuit, I<sub>O</sub> = 500mA, V<sub>I</sub> = -14V, C<sub>i</sub> = 2.2μF, C<sub>o</sub> = 1.0μF unless otherwise specified)

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Output Voltage	V <sub>O</sub>	T <sub>j</sub> = 25°C V <sub>I</sub> = -11V ~ -23V I <sub>O</sub> = 5.0mA ~ 1.0A, P <sub>D</sub> < 10W	-7.76	-8.0	-8.24	V
Line Regulation	△V <sub>O</sub>	T <sub>j</sub> = 25°C, V <sub>I</sub> = -11V ~ -25V	—	—	-160	mV
		T <sub>j</sub> = 25°C, V <sub>I</sub> = -12V ~ -17V	—	—	-80	
Load Regulation	△V <sub>O</sub>	T <sub>j</sub> = 25°C, I <sub>O</sub> = 5.0mA ~ 1.0A	—	—	-160	mV
		T <sub>j</sub> = 25°C, I <sub>O</sub> = 250mA ~ 750mA	—	—	-80	
Quiescent Current	I <sub>Q</sub>	T <sub>j</sub> = +25 °C	—	—	-8.0	mA
Quiescent Current Change	△IQ	I <sub>O</sub> = 5.0mA ~ 1.0A	—	—	-0.5	mA
		T <sub>j</sub> = 25°C, V <sub>I</sub> = -11V ~ -25V	—	—	-1.3	mA
Output voltage drift	△V <sub>O</sub> /△T	I <sub>O</sub> = 5.0mA	—	-0.8	—	mV/°C
Ripple Rejection	RR	f = 120Hz, V <sub>O</sub> = -12V to -21V	56	73	—	dB
Dropout Voltage	V <sub>Drop</sub>	I <sub>O</sub> = 1A, T <sub>j</sub> = +25 °C	—	-2	—	V
Output Resistance	R <sub>O</sub>	f = 1KHz	—	0.017	—	Ω
Short Circuit Current	I <sub>SC</sub>	V <sub>I</sub> = -35V, T <sub>A</sub> = +25 °C	—	-230	—	mA
Peak Current	I <sub>PK</sub>	T <sub>j</sub> = +25 °C	—	—	-2.2	A