## Description

The GM1112 is a positive low dropout regulator and is available in an adjustable version and fixed output voltage at 1.2 V . All internal circuitry is designed to operate down to 800 mV input to output differential and the dropout voltage is fully specified as a function of load current. On chip trimming adjusts the reference/output voltage to within $\pm 1 \%$. Current limit is also trimmed in order to minimize the stress on both the regulator and the power source circuitry under overloaded conditions.

## Application

High Efficiency Linear Regulators
Post Regulators for Switching Supplies
Microprocessor Supply

## Features

- Fixed Output, 1.2V
- Output Current of 1.0A
- Dropout Voltage 1.3V max @ 1.0A
- Line Regulation 0.2\% max.
- Load Regulation 0.4\% max.
- Fast Transient Response
- Current Limit Protection
- Thermal Shutdown Protection

Battery Powered Equipment<br>Reference Voltage Sources<br>Hard Drive Controllers<br>Battery Chargers<br>Adjustable Power Supply

## Typical Application Circuits



## Marking Information and Pin Configurations (Top View)



A: Assembly / Test site code
Y: Year
WW: Week

## Ordering Information

| Ordering Number | Package | Shipping |
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| GM1112ST3T | SOT-223 | 80 Units/Tube |
| GM1112ST3R | SOT-223 | 2,500 Units / Tape \& Reel |
| GM1112TC3T | TO-252 | 80 Units/Tube |
| GM1112TC3R | TO-252 | 2,500 Units / Tape \& Reel |
| GM1112TB3T | TO-220 | 50 Units/Tube |
| GM1112TA3T | TO-263 | 50 Units/Tube |
| GM1112TA3R | TO-263 | 800 Units / Tape \& Reel |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| PARAMETER |  | SYMBOL | RATINGS | UNITS |
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| Input Voltage |  | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}$ | 15 | V |
| Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case | SOT-223 | $\theta_{\text {JA }}$ | 15.0 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ |
|  | TO-252 (D PAK) |  | 6.0 |  |
|  | TO-263 ( $\mathrm{D}^{2}$ PAK) |  | 3.0 |  |
| Operating Junction Temperature |  | $\mathrm{T}_{J}$ | 0 to 150 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature |  | $\mathrm{T}_{\text {stg }}$ | - 65 to 150 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

Electrical Characteristics $\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right.$, unless otherwise noted)

| Parameter | Symbol | Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
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| Output Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {OUT }}$ | $\mathrm{l}_{\text {OUT }}=10 \mathrm{~mA}, \mathrm{~V}_{\text {IN }}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ | 1.18 | 1.20 | 1.26 | V |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \mathrm{l}_{\text {out }} \leq 1.0 \mathrm{~A}, \\ & 2.65 \mathrm{~V} \leq \mathrm{V}_{\mathbb{N}} \leq 7 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 1.17 | 1.20 | 1.27 |  |
| Line Regulation | $\Delta \mathrm{V}_{\text {O }}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { lout }=10 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & 2.75 \mathrm{~V} \leq \mathrm{VIN} \leq 7 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ |  | 0.04 | 0.2 | \%/V |
| Load Regulation | $\Delta \mathrm{V}_{\text {OL }}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}=\text { Vout }+1 \mathrm{~V} \\ & 10 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \mathrm{I}_{\text {OUT }} \leq 1.0 \mathrm{~A} \end{aligned}$ |  | 0.2 | 0.4 | \%/mA |
| Dropout Voltage | $\Delta \mathrm{V}$ | $\mathrm{l}_{\text {OUt }}=1 \mathrm{~A}$ |  | 1.15 | 1.3 | V |
| Current Limit | ICL | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}=$ Vout +3 V | 1.1 | 3.1 |  | A |
| Quiescent Current (Fixed Output Voltage Versions) | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{Q}}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}=\mathrm{V} \text { OUT }+1 \mathrm{~V} \\ & 10 \mathrm{~mA} \leq \text { IoUT } \leq 1.0 \mathrm{~A} \end{aligned}$ |  | 7 | 13 | mA |
| Temperature Coefficient |  | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}=\mathrm{V} \text { OUT }+1.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\text {OUT }}=10 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ |  | 0.005 |  | \%/ ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Thermal Regulation | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}$ | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 30 \mathrm{~ms}$ pulse |  | 0.003 |  | \%/W |
| Ripple Rejection | $\mathrm{R}_{\text {A }}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{V}_{\text {IN }}=\mathrm{VOUT}+1.5 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\text {OUT }}=10 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ | 60 | 75 |  | dB |

## Application Information

## Stability Considerations

A capacitor of $10 u F$ as a minimum is suggested to be connected in the input terminal and to be as close as to the input source for better stability consideration. See typical application circuit page 1 for reference.

The output compensation capacitor helps to determine three main characteristics of a linear regulator's performance: start-up delay, load transient response, and loop stability. The capacitor value and type is based on cost, availability, size and temperature constraints. A tantalum or aluminum electrolytic capacitor is preferred, as a film or ceramic capacitor with almost zero ESR can cause instability. An aluminum electrolytic capacitor is the least expensive type, but when the circuit operates at low temperatures, both the value and ESR of the capacitor will vary widely. For optimum performance over the full operating temperature range, a tantalum capacitor is best. A $22 \mu \mathrm{~F}$ tantalum capacitor will work fine in most applications, but with high current regulators such as the GM1112, higher capacitance values will improve the transient response and stability. Most applications for the GM1112 involve large changes in load current, so the output capacitor must supply instantaneous load current. The ESR of the output capacitor causes an immediate drop in output voltage given by:

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\triangle V=\triangle I X E S R
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In microprocessor applications an output capacitor network of several tantalum and ceramic capacitors in parallel is commonly used. This reduces overall ESR and minimizes the instantaneous output voltage drop under transient load conditions. The output capacitor network should be placed as close to the load as possible for the best results.

## Package Outline Dimensions - SOT223



Package Outline Dimensions - TO252


## Package Outline Dimensions - TO263



## Ordering Number

| $\substack{\text { APM Gamma } \\ \text { Micro }}$ | Circuit <br> Type | Package Type <br> ST3: SOT223 <br> TA3: TO263 | Shipping Type <br> R: Taping \& Reel <br> T: Tube |
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|  |  | TB3: TO220 <br> TC3: TO252 |  |

