

ADJUSTABLE PRECISION ZENER SHUNT REGULATOR

TA 431

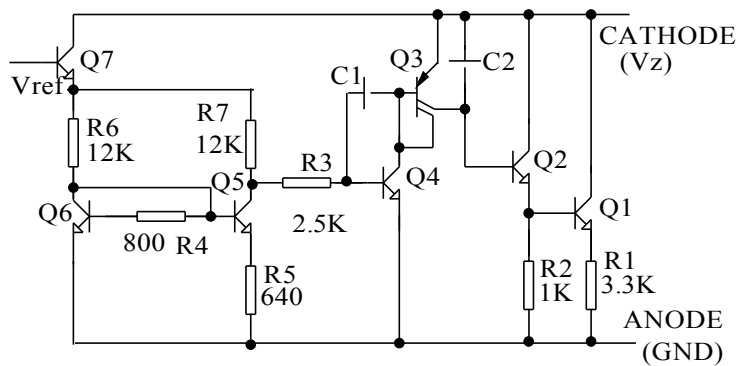
DESCRIPTION

The TA431 is a three-terminal adjustable regulator with a guaranteed thermal stability over applicable temperature ranges. The output voltage may be set to any value between V_{REF} (approximately 2.5V) and 36V with two external resistors. This device has typical dynamic output impedance of 0.2Ω. Active output circuitry provides a very sharp turn-on characteristic, making these devices excellent replacement for zener diodes in many applications.

FEATURE

- Programmable output voltage to 36V
- Low dynamic output impedance 0.2Ω typical
- Sink current capability of 1.0mA to 100mA
- Equivalent full-range temperature coefficient of 500ppm/°C typical
- Temperature compensated for operation over full rated operating temperature range
- Low output noise voltage
- Fast turn on response

EQUIVALENT CIRCUIT



ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

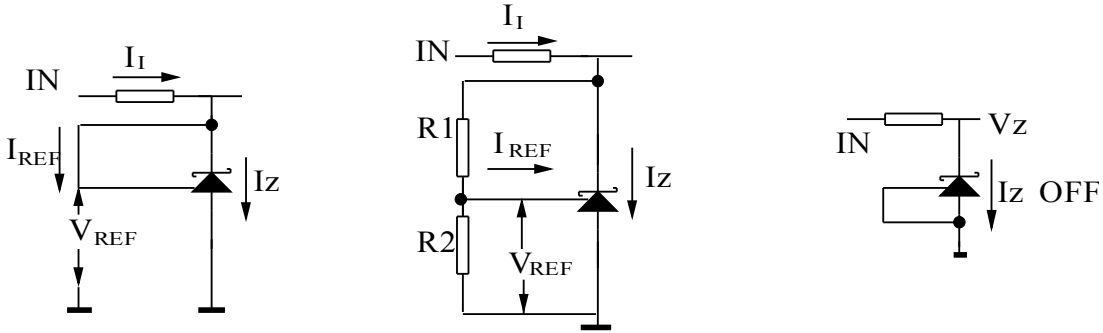
Operating temperature range applies unless otherwise specified.)

| Characteristic | Symbol | Value | Unit |
|------------------------------------|--------|----------|------|
| Cathode Voltage | Vka | 37 | V |
| Cathode Current Range (continuous) | Ika | -10~+150 | mA |
| Reference Input Current Range | IREF | 10 | mA |
| Power Dissipation | PD | 770 | mW |
| Operating Temperature Range | Topr | 0~+70 | □ |
| Store temperature Range | Tstg | -65~+150 | □ |

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (Ta=25□ unless otherwise specified)

| Parameter | Conditions | | Symbol | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|---|---|-------------|---------------------------------|-------|-------|------|----------|
| Reference Voltage | Vz=VREF Ii=10mA | 0.5% | VREF | 2.485 | 2.5 | 2.51 | V |
| | | 1.0% | | 2.470 | 2.495 | 2.52 | |
| | | 2.0% | | 2.440 | 2.495 | 2.55 | |
| Deviation of Reference Input Voltage Over Temperature | Vz=VREF, Ii=10mA | | Vdev | - | 8.0 | 17 | mV |
| Ratio of the Change in Reference Voltage to the Change in Cathode Voltage | Iz=10mA | Vz=VREF~10V | $\Delta V_{REF}/$ | - | -1.4 | -2.7 | mV/V |
| | | Vz=10~36V | ΔVz | - | -1.0 | -2.0 | |
| Reference Input Current | R1=10k Ω , R2= ∞ I1=10mA | | IREF | - | 2.0 | 4.0 | μ A |
| Deviation of Reference Input Current Over Temperature | R1=10k Ω , R2= ∞ I1=10mA | | $\Delta I_{REF}/$ ΔT | - | 0.4 | 1.2 | μ A |
| Minimum Cathode Current for Regulation | Vz=VREF | | Iz(min) | - | 0.4 | 1.0 | mA |
| Off-State Current | Vz=36V, VREF=0V | | Iz(off) | - | 0.3 | 1.0 | μ A |
| Dynamic Output Impedance | Vz=VREF, Iz=1 to 100mA, f<1.0kHz | | Rz | - | 0.15 | 0.5 | Ω |

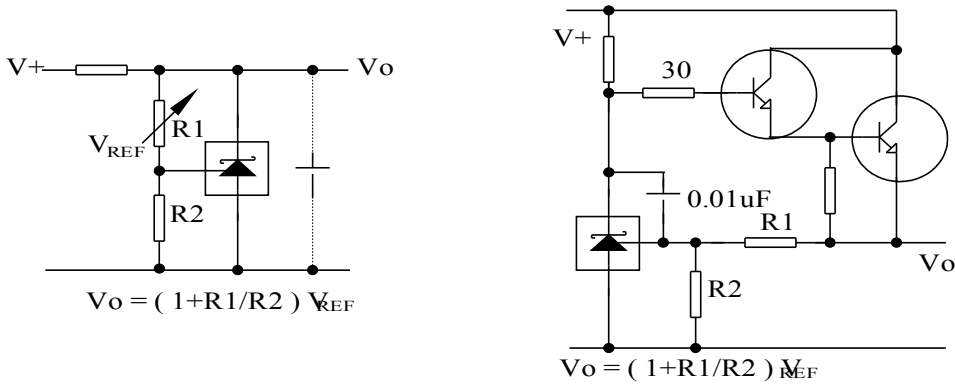
TEST CIRCUIT



Note: $V_Z = V_{REF}(1 + R1/R2) + I_{REF} * R1$

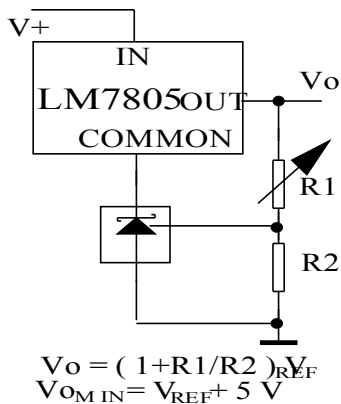
- 1. Test circuit for $V_Z = V_{REF}$
- 2. Test circuit for $V_Z > V_{REF}$
- 3. Test circuit for off-state current

APPLICATION CIRCUIT

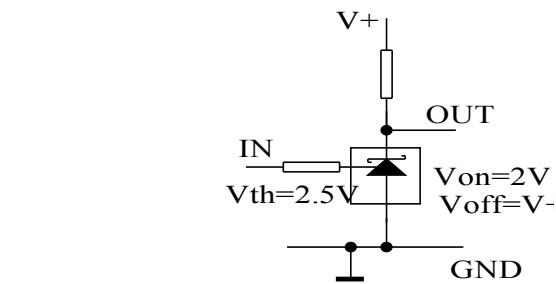


1. Shunt Regulator

2. Series Regulator



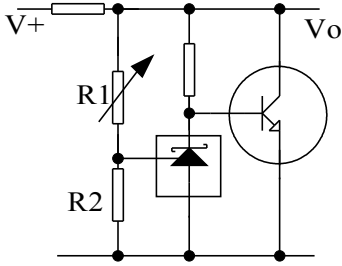
3. Output Control of a Three Terminal Fixed Regulator



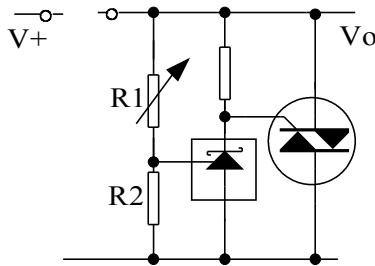
4. Single Supply Comparator with Temperature Compensated Threshold

5. Higher Current Shunt Regulator

6. Crow Bar



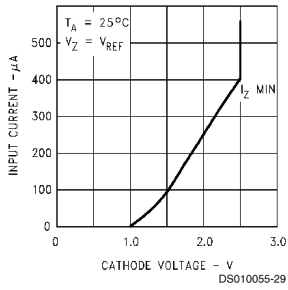
$$V_o = (1 + R_1/R_2) * V_{REF}$$



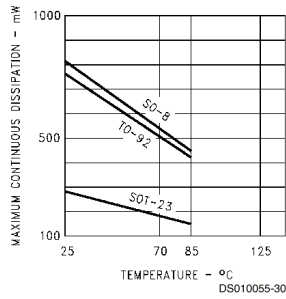
$$V_{limit} = (1 + R_1/R_2) * V_{REF}$$

CHARACTERISTIC CURVES

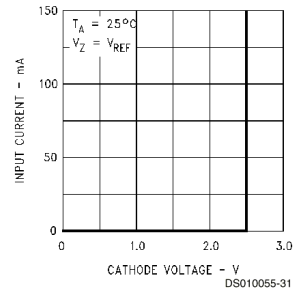
Input Current vs V_Z



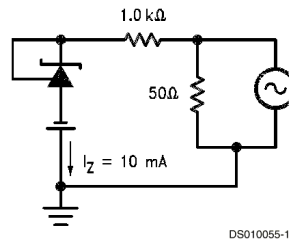
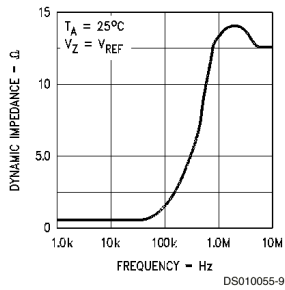
Thermal Information



Input Current vs V_Z



Dynamic Impedance vs Frequency



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Outline Drawing

