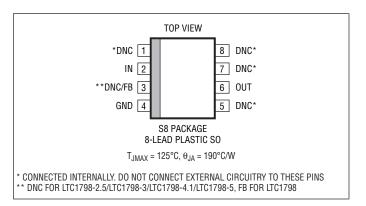
## **ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

#### (Note 1)

Operating Temperature Range	0°C to 70°C
Extended Commercial Operating	
Temperature Range	40°C to 85°C
Junction Temperature	110°C
Storage Temperature Range	65°C to 150°C
Lead Temperature (Soldering, 10 sec	) 300°C

## PIN CONFIGURATION



# ORDER INFORMATION

LEAD FREE FINISH	TAPE AND REEL	PART MARKING	PACKAGE DESCRIPTION	SPECIFIED TEMPERATURE RANGE
LTC1798CS8#PBF (OBSOLETE)	LTC1798CS8#TRPBF	1798	8-Lead Plastic SO	0°C to 70°C
LTC1798CS8-2.5#PBF	LTC1798CS8-2.5#TRPBF	179825	8-Lead Plastic SO	0°C to 70°C
LTC1798CS8-3#PBF	LTC1798CS8-3#TRPBF	17983	8-Lead Plastic SO	0°C to 70°C
LTC1798CS8-4.1#PBF	LTC1798CS8-4.1#TRPBF	179841	8-Lead Plastic SO	0°C to 70°C
LTC1798CS8-5#PBF	LTC1798CS8-5#TRPBF	17985	8-Lead Plastic SO	0°C to 70°C

Consult LTC Marketing for parts specified with wider operating temperature ranges. Consult LTC Marketing for information on non-standard lead based finish parts.

For more information on lead free part marking, go to: http://www.linear.com/leadfree/

For more information on tape and reel specifications, go to: http://www.linear.com/tapeandreel/

# **AVAILABLE OPTIONS**

OUTDUT VOLTAGE	TEMPERATURE		TEMPERATURE	PACKAGE STYLE			
OUTPUT VOLTAGE (V)	RANGE (°C)	ACCURACY	COEFFICIENT	\$0-8	3 (\$8)		
		(%)	(PPM/°C)	ORDER NUMBER	PART MARKING		
2.5	0 to 70	0.15	40	LTC1798CS8-2.5	179825		
3	0 to 70	0.15	40	LTC1798CS8-3	17983		
4.096	0 to 70	0.15	40	LTC1798CS8-4.1	179841		
5	0 to 70	0.15	40	LTC1798CS8-5	17985		
Adjustable	0 to 70	0.4	40	LTC1798CS8	1798		



# **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** The $\bullet$ denotes specifications which apply over the full specified temperature range, otherwise specifications are at $T_A = 25^{\circ}C$ . $V_{IN} = V_{OUT(NOMINAL)} + 0.2V$ , $I_{OUT} = 0$ mA unless otherwise noted. FB = OUT for the LTC1798.

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
V <sub>IN</sub>	Input Voltage Range		•			12.6	V
I <sub>IN</sub>	Input Current	FB = OUT for LTC1798	•		4	6.5 8.5	μΑ μΑ
V <sub>OUT</sub>	Output Voltage (Note 4)	LTC1798, FB = OUT LTC1798 ADJ LTC1798-2.5 LTC1798-3 LTC1798-4.1 LTC1798-5 LTC1798 All Fixed Options		2.3755 -0.4 2.4963 2.9955 4.090 4.9925 -0.15	2.385 2.5 3 4.096 5	2.3945 0.4 2.5037 3.0045 4.102 5.0075 0.15	V % V V V V
e <sub>n</sub>	Output Voltage Noise (Note 5)	0.1Hz ≤ f ≤ 10Hz			8		ppmP-P
TC	Output Voltage Temp Coefficient (Note 6)	$T_{MIN} \le T_J \le T_{MAX}$	•		15	40	ppm/°C
V <sub>OUT</sub> /V <sub>IN</sub>	Line Regulation	$V_{IN} = (V_{OUT(NOMINAL)} + 0.2V)$ to 12.6V	•		30	120	ppm/V
V <sub>OUT</sub> /I <sub>OUT</sub>	Load Regulation (Note 7)	Sourcing 0mA to 10mA	•		0.1	0.3	mV/mA
		Sinking 0mA to 2mA	•		1.75	4 6.5	mV/mA mV/mA
I <sub>SC</sub>	Short-Circuit Output Current	V <sub>OUT</sub> Shorted to GND V <sub>OUT</sub> Shorted to V <sub>IN</sub>		20 2	40 4		mA mA
$\Delta V_{DO}$	Dropout Voltage (Note 8)	$I_{OUT} = 0$ , $\Delta V_{OUT} \le 0.1\%$ $I_{OUT} = 10$ mA, $\Delta V_{OUT} \le 0.1\%$	•			100 200	mV mV
V <sub>HYST</sub>	Output Hysteresis (Note 9)	$\Delta T = -40$ °C to 85°C $\Delta T = 0$ °C to 70°C			200 50		ppm ppm
I <sub>FB</sub>	FB Pin Input Current	LTC1798, OUT = FB			10		nA

**Note 1:** Stresses beyond those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent damage to the device. Exposure to any Absolute Maximum Rating condition for extended periods may affect device reliability and lifetime.

**Note 2:** The LTC1798 is guaranteed functional over the operating temperature range of -40°C to 100°C.

**Note 3:** If the part is stored outside of the specified operating temperature range, the output may shift due to hysteresis.

**Note 4:** ESD (Electostatic Discharge) sensitive device. Extensive use of ESD protection devices are used internal to the LTC1798, however, high electrostatic discharge can damage or degrade the device. Use proper ESD handling precautions.

**Note 5:** Peak-to-peak noise is measured with a single pole highpass filter at 0.1Hz and 2-pole lowpass filter at 10Hz.

**Note 6:** Temperature coefficient is the change in output voltage divided by the nominal output voltage divided by the specified temperature range.

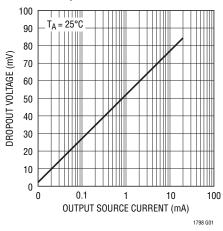
**Note 7:** Load regulation is measured on a pulse basis from no load to the specified load current. Output changes due to die temperature change must be taken into account separately.

**Note 8:** Dropout voltage is  $(V_{IN}-V_{OUT})$  when  $V_{OUT}$  falls to 0.1% below its nominal value at  $V_{IN}=V_{OUT}+0.5V$ .

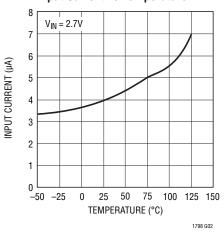
**Note 9:** Hysteresis in output voltage is created by package stress that differs depending on whether the IC was previously at a higher or lower temperature. Output voltage is always measured at 25°C, but the IC is cycled hot or cold before successive measurements. Hysteresis is not normally a problem for operational temperature excursions where the instrument might be stored at high or low temperature.

# TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

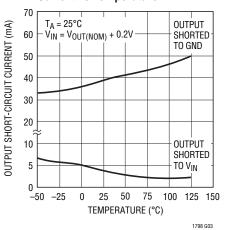
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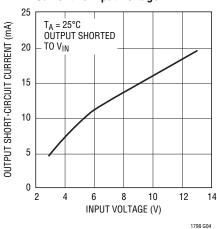
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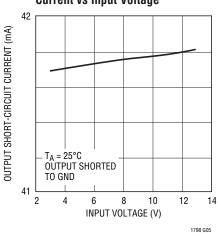
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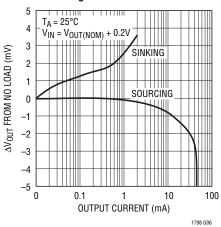
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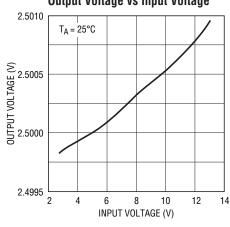
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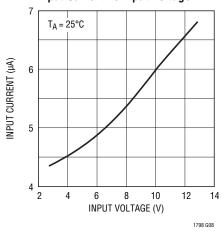
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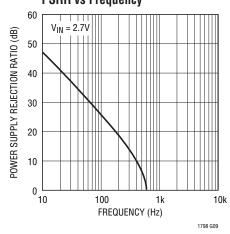
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LTC1798-2.5\*
Input Current vs Input Voltage



LTC1798-2.5 PSRR vs Frequency

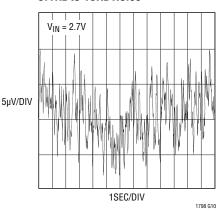


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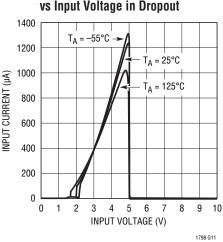


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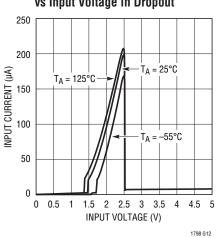
LTC1798-2.5 0.1Hz to 10Hz Noise



LTC1798-5 Input Current vs Input Voltage in Dropout



LTC1798-2.5 Input Current vs Input Voltage in Dropout



## PIN FUNCTIONS

**DNC (Pins 1, 5, 7, 8):** Do Not Connect. Connected internally for post package trim. These pins must be left unconnected.

**IN (Pin 2):** Positive Supply. Bypassing with a  $0.1\mu F$  capacitor is recommended if the output loading changes.  $(V_{OUT} + 0.2V) \le V_{IN} \le 12.6V$ .

**DNC (Pin 3):** (LTC1798-2.5/LTC1798-3/LTC1798-4.1/LTC1798-5) Do Not Connect. Connected internally for post package trim. This pin must be left unconnected.

**FB** (**Pin 3**): (LTC1798) Resistor Divider Feedback Pin. Connect a resistor divider from OUT to GND and the center tap to FB. This pin sets the output potential.

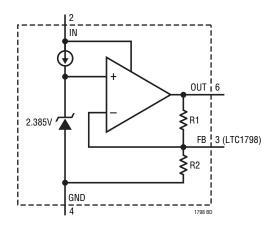
 $V_{OUT} = 2.385V \left(\frac{R1 + R2}{R2}\right)$ ; R1 is connected from OUT

to FB and R2 from FB to GND. Selecting R2  $\geq$  10k will make  $I_{OUT} < 250 \mu A$ .

**GND (Pin 4):** Negative Supply or Ground Connection.

**OUT (Pin 6):** Reference Output. The output can source up to 10mA and sink up to 2mA. It is stable with output bypass capacitor ranging from 0µF to 1µF.

#### **BLOCK DIAGRAM**



NOTE: R1 AND R2 ARE NOT CONNECTED FOR LTC1798

#### APPLICATIONS INFORMATION

#### **Longer Battery Life**

Series references have an advantage over shunt style references. To operate, shunt references require a resistor between the power supply and the output. This resistor must be chosen to supply the maximum current that is demanded by the circuit being regulated. When the circuit being controlled is not operating at this maximum current, the shunt reference must always sink this current, resulting in high power dissipation and short battery life.

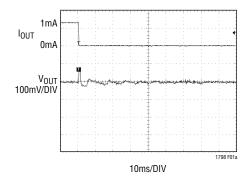
The LTC1798 series low dropout references do not require a current setting resistor and can operate with any supply voltage from ( $V_{OUT(NOMINAL)} + 0.2V$ ) to 12.6V. When the circuitry being regulated does not demand current, the LTC1798 series reduces its dissipation and battery life is extended. If the reference is not delivering load current it

dissipates only 10.8µW when operating on a 2.7V supply for LTC1798-2.5, yet the same connection can deliver 10mA of load current when demanded.

#### **Output Bypass Capacitor**

The LTC1798 series is designed to be stable with or without capacitive loads. With no capacitive load, the reference is ideal for fast settling applications, or where PC board space is at a premium.

In applications with significant output loading changes, an output bypass capacitor of up to  $1\mu$ F can be used to improve the output transient response. Figure 1 shows the response of the reference to a 1mA to  $0\mu$ A load step with a  $1\mu$ F output capacitor. If more than  $1\mu$ F of output capacitance is required, a resistor in series with the capacitor is recommended



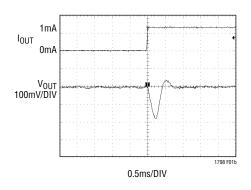


Figure 1. Reference Output Load Transient Response, 1µF Output Capacitor

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to reduce the output ringing. Figure 2 illustrates the use of a damping resistor for capacitive loads greater than  $1\mu E$  Figure 3 shows the resistor and capacitor values required to achieve critical damping.

#### **Internal P-Channel Pass Transistor**

The LTC1798 series features an internal P-channel MOSFET pass transistor. This provides several advantages over similar designs using a PNP bipolar pass transistor.

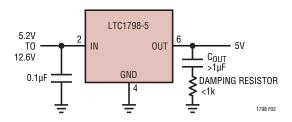


Figure 2. Adding a Damping Resistor with Output Capacitors Greater Than 1µF

These references consume only  $4\mu A$  of quiescent current under light and heavy loads as well as in dropout; whereas, PNP-based references waste considerable amounts of current when the pass transistor is saturated. In addition, the LTC1798 series provides a lower dropout voltage (200mV max) than PNP-based references.

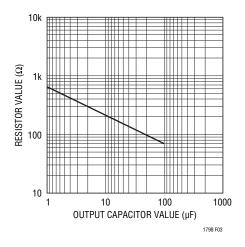


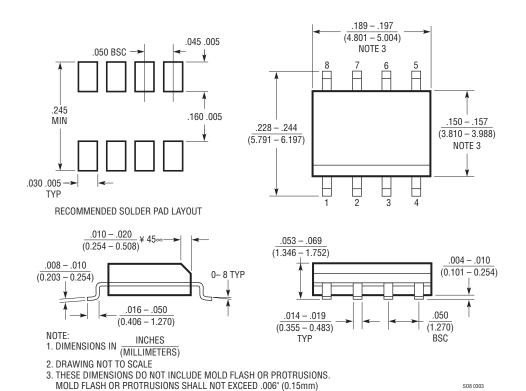
Figure 3. Damping Resistance vs Output Capacitor Value

## PACKAGE DESCRIPTION

Dimensions in inches (millimeters) unless otherwise noted.

#### S8 Package 8-Lead Plastic Small Outline (Narrow .150 Inch)

(Reference LTC DWG # 05-08-1610)



# **REVISION HISTORY** (Revision history begins at Rev C)

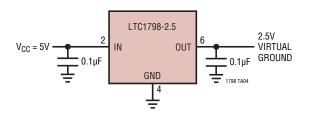
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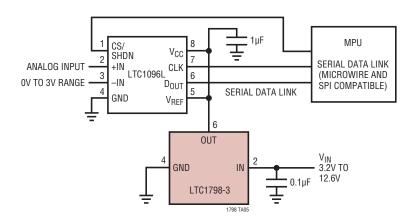
#### **Micropower Low Dropout Negative Reference**

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#### **Supply Splitter**



#### Low Power, Low Voltage Supply Reference for LTC1096L



# **RELATED PARTS**

PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	COMMENTS
LT®1389	Nanopower Precision Shunt Voltage Reference	800nA Quiescent Current, 0.05% Max, 10ppm/°C Max Drift 1.25V and 2.5V Versions, SO-8 Package
LT1634	Micropower Precision Shunt Voltage Reference	0.05% Max, 25ppm/°C Max Drift, 1.25V, 2.5V, 4.096V and 5V Outputs
LT1460	Micropower Series Reference	0.075% Max, 10ppm/°C Max Drift, 2.5V, 5V and 10V Outputs
LT1461	Micropower Precision Series Voltage Reference	0.04% Max, 3ppm/°C Max Drift, 35μA Quiescent Current
LT1790	SOT-23, LDO Precision Micropower Reference	0.05% Max, 10ppm/°C Max, 2.5V, 60μA Supply