

**ZHT431**  
**ADJUSTABLE PRECISION ZENER SHUNT REGULATOR**

### Description

The ZHT431 is a three terminal adjustable shunt regulator offering excellent temperature stability and output current handling capability up to 100mA. The device offers extended operating temperature range working from -55 to +125°C.

The output voltage may be set to any chosen voltage between 2.5 and 20 volts by selection of two external divider resistors.

The devices can be used as a replacement for zener diodes in many applications requiring an improvement in zener performance.

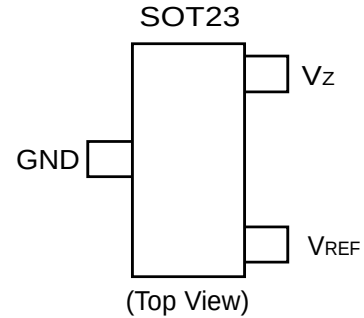
### Features

- Surface mount SOT23 package
- 0.5%, 1% and 2% tolerance
- Maximum temperature coefficient 67ppm/°C
- Temperature compensated for operation over the full temperature range
- Programmable output voltage
- 50µA to 100mA current sink capability
- Low output noise
- Available in "Green" Molding Compound (See page 7)
- Wide temperature range -55 to +125°C

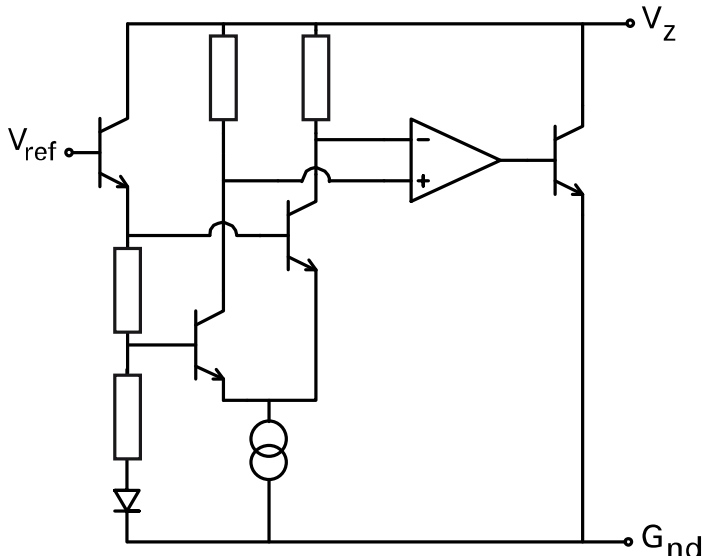
### Applications

- Series and shunt regulator
- Voltage monitor
- Over voltage / under voltage protection
- Switch mode power supplies

### Pin Assignments



### Typical Application Circuit



## Absolute Maximum Ratings (Voltages to GND Unless Otherwise Stated)

| Parameter                                                                                  | Rating     | Unit |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|------|
| Cathode Voltage ( $V_Z$ )                                                                  | 20         | V    |
| Cathode Current                                                                            | 150        | mA   |
| Operating Temperature                                                                      | -55 to 125 | °C   |
| Storage Temperature                                                                        | -55 to 150 | °C   |
| Power Dissipation<br>( $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$ , $T_{JMAX} = 150^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) | 330        | mW   |

## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter                 | Min  | Max | Units |
|---------------------------|------|-----|-------|
| Cathode Voltage $V_{REF}$ | -    | 20  | V     |
| Cathode Current           | 0.05 | 100 | mA    |

## Electrical Characteristics (Test conditions unless otherwise specified: $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$ )

| Symbol                              | Parameter                                                                 | Values                  |                      |                         | Units         | Conditions                                                                            |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                     |                                                                           | Min.                    | Typ.                 | Max.                    |               |                                                                                       |
| $V_{REF}$                           | Reference Voltage<br>2%<br>1%<br>0.5%                                     | 2.45<br>2.475<br>2.4875 | 2.50<br>2.50<br>2.50 | 2.55<br>2.525<br>2.5125 | V             | $I_L=10\text{mA}$ (Fig.1),<br>$V_Z=V_{REF}$                                           |
| $V_{DEV}$                           | Deviation of reference input voltage over temperature                     |                         | 10                   | 30                      | mV            | $I_L=10\text{mA}$ , $V_Z=V_{REF}$<br>$T_{amb}=\text{full range}$ (Fig1)               |
| $\frac{\Delta V_{REF}}{\Delta V_Z}$ | Ratio of the change in reference voltage to the change in cathode voltage |                         | -1.85                | -2.7                    | mV/V          | $V_Z$ from $V_{REF}$ to 10V<br>$I_L=10\text{mA}$ (Fig.2)                              |
|                                     |                                                                           |                         | -1.0                 | -2.                     | mV/V          | $V_Z$ from 10V to 20V<br>$I_L=10\text{mA}$ (Fig.2)                                    |
| $I_{REF}$                           | Reference input current                                                   |                         | 0.12                 | 1.0                     | $\mu\text{A}$ | $R1=10\text{k}$ , $R2=O/C$ ,<br>$I_L=10\text{mA}$ (Fig.2)                             |
| $\Delta I_{REF}$                    | Deviation of reference input current over temperature                     |                         | 0.04                 | 0.2                     | $\mu\text{A}$ | $R1=10\text{k}$ , $R2=O/C$ ,<br>$I_L=10\text{mA}$ $T_{amb}=\text{full range}$ (Fig.2) |
| $I_{Zmin}$                          | Minimum cathode current for regulation                                    |                         | 35                   | 50                      | $\mu\text{A}$ | $V_Z=V_{REF}$ (Fig.1)                                                                 |
| $I_{Zoff}$                          | Off-state current                                                         |                         |                      | 0.1                     | $\mu\text{A}$ | $V_Z=20\text{V}$ , $V_{REF}=0\text{V}$ (Fig.3)                                        |
| $R_Z$                               | Dynamic output impedance                                                  |                         |                      | 0.75                    | $\Omega$      | $V_Z=V_{REF}$ (Fig.1), $f=0\text{Hz}$ ,<br>$I_C=1\text{mA}$ to 100mA                  |

Deviation of reference input voltage,  $V_{DEV}$ , is defined as the maximum variation of the reference input voltage over the full temperature range.

The average temperature coefficient of the reference input voltage,  $V_{REF}$  is defined as:

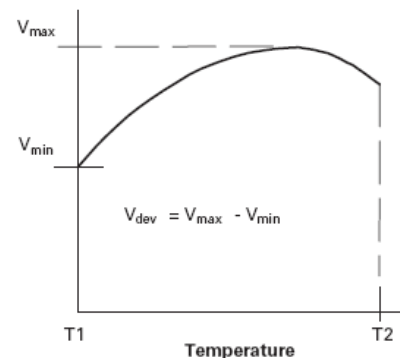
$$V_{REF} \left( \frac{\text{ppm}}{^{\circ}\text{C}} \right) = \frac{V_{DEV} \times 1000000}{V_{REF}(T1 - T2)}$$

The dynamic output impedance,  $R_Z$ , is defined as:

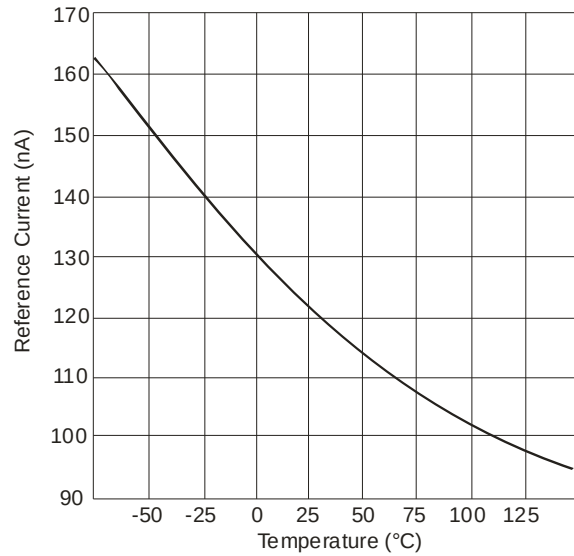
$$R_Z = \frac{\Delta V_Z}{\Delta I_Z}$$

When the device is programmed with two external resistors,  $R1$  and  $R2$ , (fig 2) , the dynamic output impedance of the overall circuit,  $R'$ , is defined as:

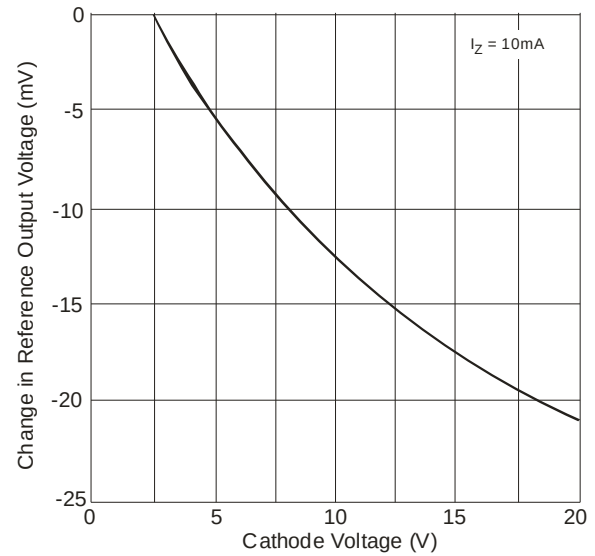
$$R' = R_Z \left( 1 + \frac{R1}{R2} \right)$$



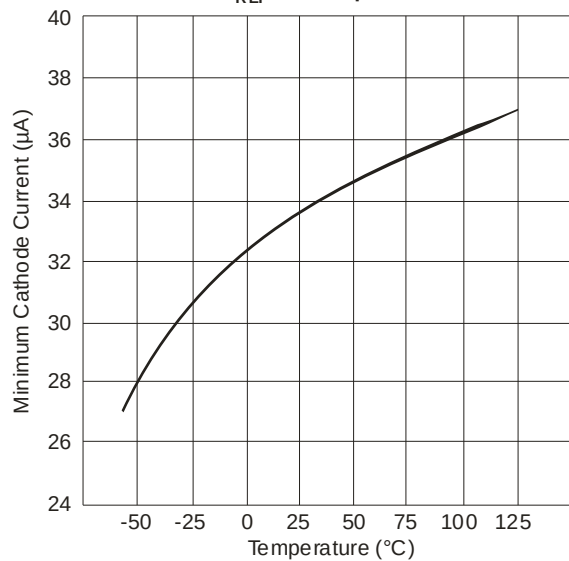
## Typical Operating Conditions



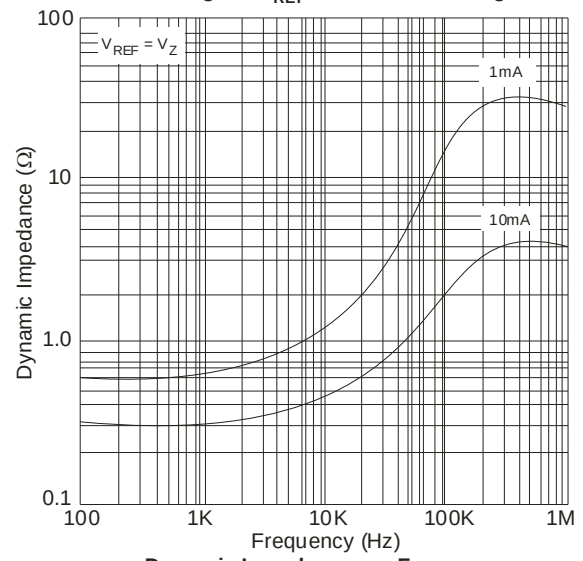
$I_{REF}$  vs. Temperature



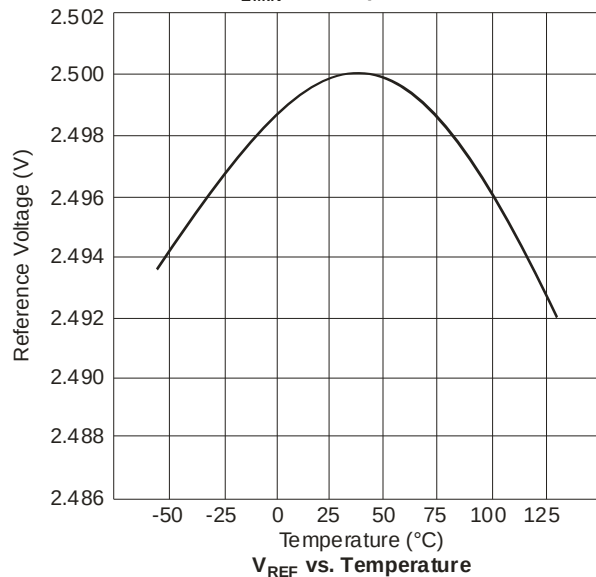
Change in  $V_{REF}$  vs. Cathode Voltage



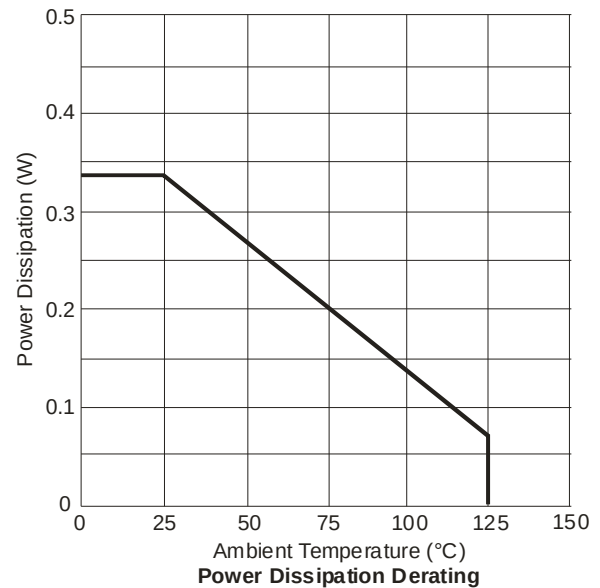
$I_{ZMIN}$  vs. Temperature



Dynamic Impedance vs. Frequency

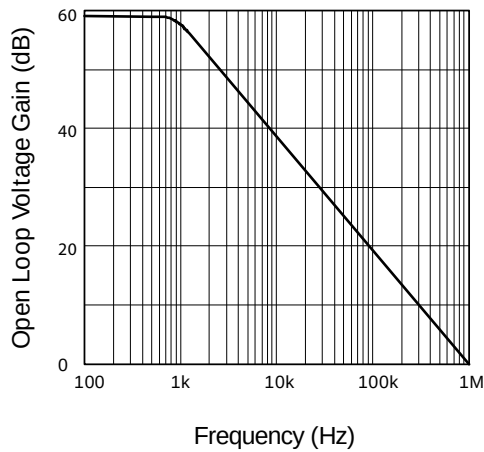


$V_{REF}$  vs. Temperature

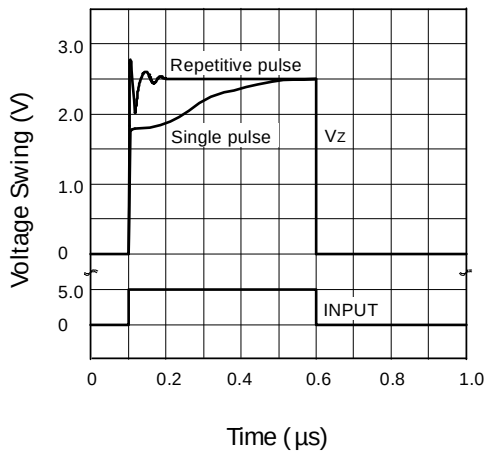


Power Dissipation Derating

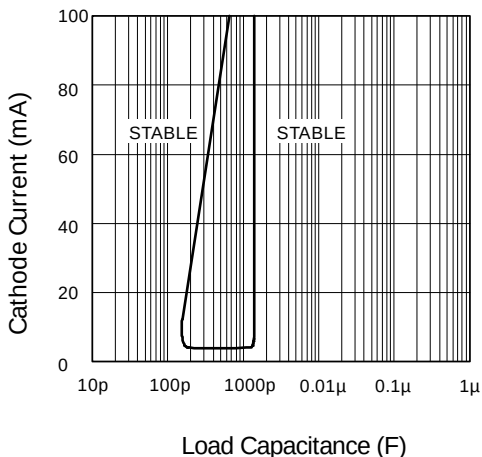
## Typical Operating Conditions (Cont.)



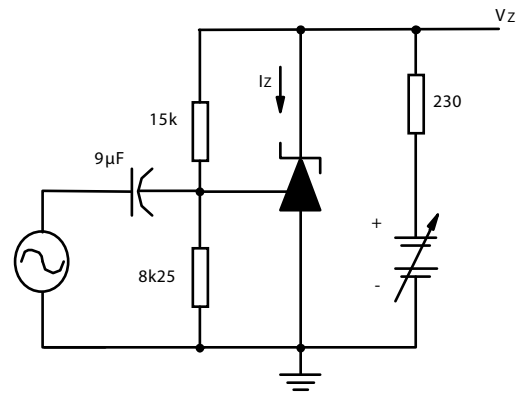
Gain v Frequency



Pulse Response

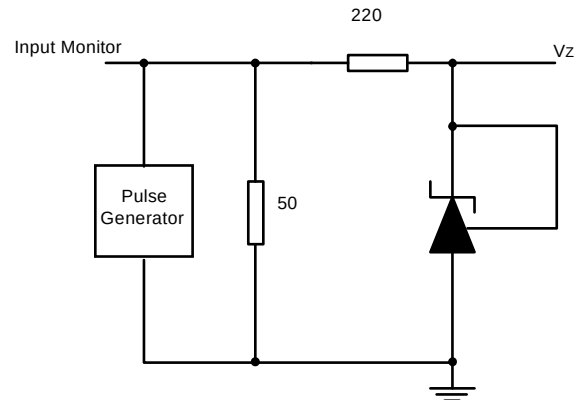


Stability Boundary Conditions



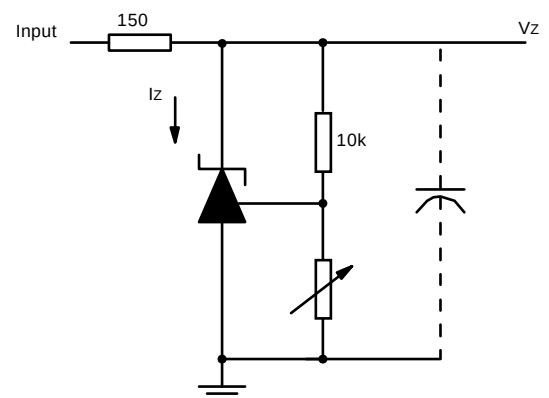
$$I_Z = 10\text{mA}, T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$$

Test Circuit for Open Loop Voltage Gain



$$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$$

Test Circuit for Pulse Response



$$V_{\text{ref}} < V_Z < 20, I_Z = 10\text{mA}, T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$$

Test Circuit for Stability Boundary Conditions

## DC Test Circuits

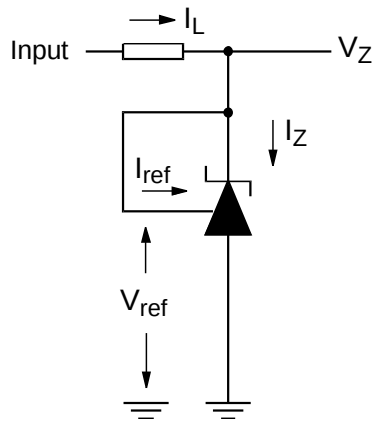


Fig 1 - Test circuit for  $V_Z = V_{ref}$

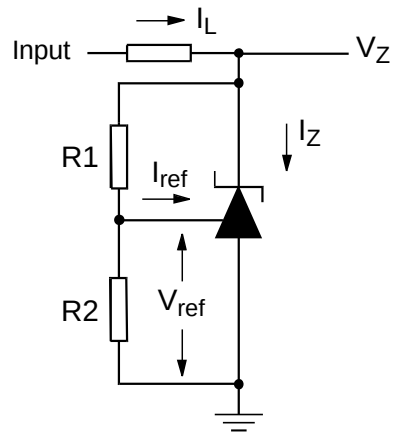


Fig 2 - Test circuit for  $V_Z > V_{ref}$

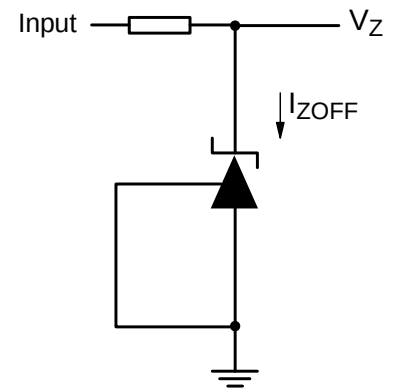
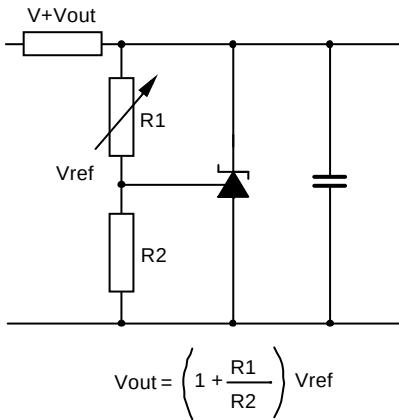
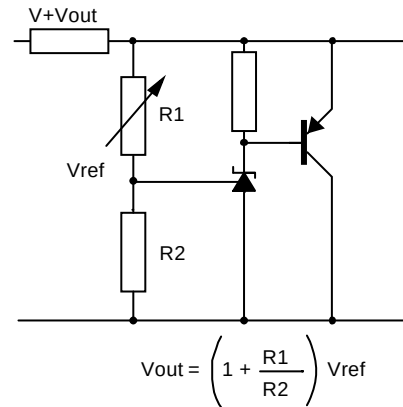


Fig 3 - Test circuit for Off state current<sup>†</sup>

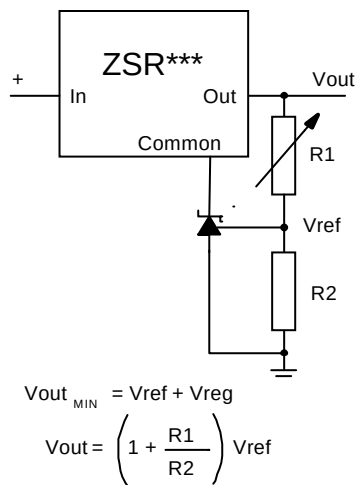
## Application Circuits



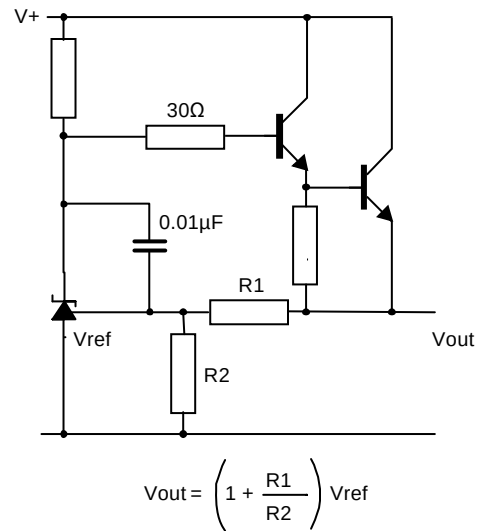
Shunt regulator



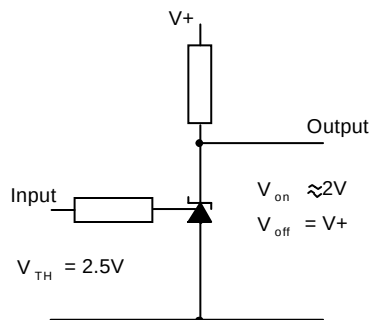
Higher current shunt regulator



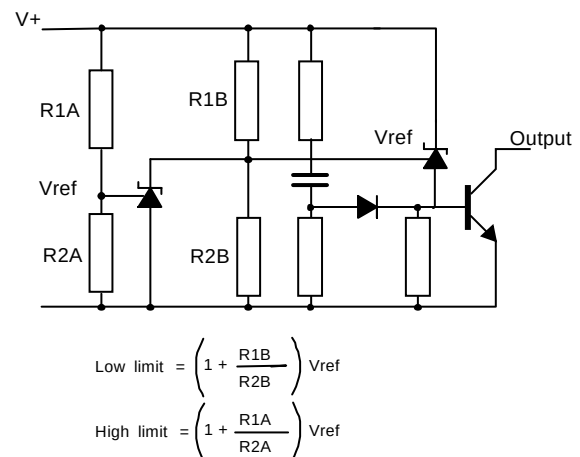
Output control of a  
three terminal fixed regulator



Series regulator



Single supply comparator  
with temperature  
compensated threshold



Over voltage / under voltage  
protection circuit

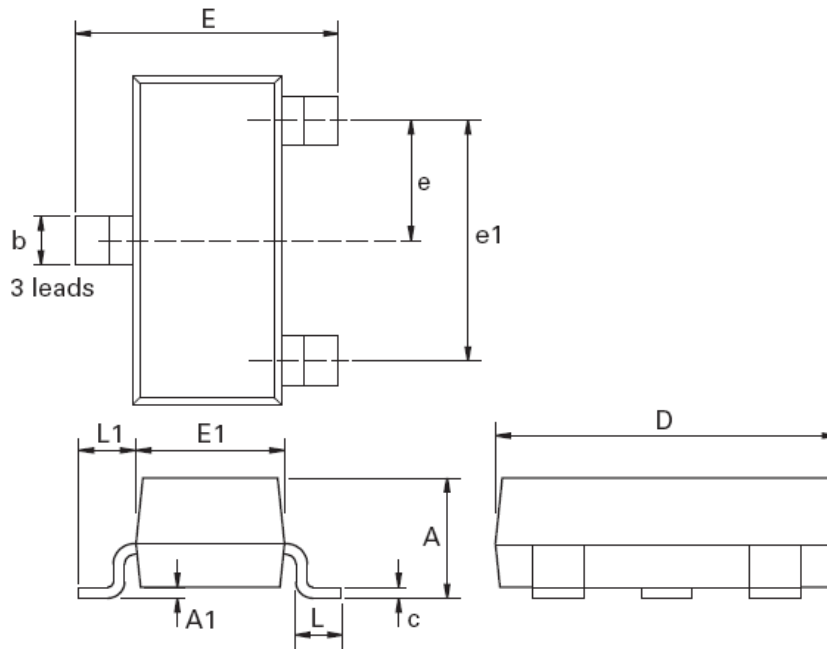
## Ordering Information

| Ordering Reference       | Tolerance (%) | Package | Part Mark | Status | Reel Size (inches) | Quantity per reel | Tape Width |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------|-----------|--------|--------------------|-------------------|------------|
| ZHT431F01TA <sup>1</sup> | 1             | SOT23   | 43C       | Active | 7                  | 3000              | 8mm        |
| ZHT431F01-7 <sup>2</sup> | 1             | SOT23   | 43C       | Active | 7                  | 3000              | 8mm        |
| ZHT431FMTA <sup>1</sup>  | 0.5           | SOT23   | 43P       | Active | 7                  | 3000              | 8mm        |
| ZHT431F02TA <sup>1</sup> | 2             | SOT23   | 43D       | Active | 7                  | 3000              | 8mm        |

Notes: 1. A 'Green' molding compound is used from date code 1010. For further details, refer to [http://www.diodes.com/quality/lead\\_free.html](http://www.diodes.com/quality/lead_free.html)  
2. All date codes of the '-7' option use 'Green' molding compound.

## Package Outline Dimensions

### SOT23



| Dim. | Millimeters |      | Inches |       | Dim. | Millimeters |      | Inches    |        |
|------|-------------|------|--------|-------|------|-------------|------|-----------|--------|
|      | Min.        | Max. | Min.   | Max.  |      | Min.        | Max. | Min.      | Max.   |
| A    | -           | 1.12 | -      | 0.044 | e1   | 1.90 NOM    |      | 0.075 NOM |        |
| A1   | 0.01        | 0.10 | 0.0004 | 0.004 | E    | 2.10        | 2.64 | 0.083     | 0.104  |
| b    | 0.30        | 0.50 | 0.012  | 0.020 | E1   | 1.20        | 1.40 | 0.047     | 0.055  |
| c    | 0.085       | 0.20 | 0.003  | 0.008 | L    | 0.25        | 0.60 | 0.0098    | 0.0236 |
| D    | 2.80        | 3.04 | 0.110  | 0.120 | L1   | 0.45        | 0.62 | 0.018     | 0.024  |
| e    | 0.95        | NOM  | 0.037  | NOM   | -    | -           | -    | -         | -      |

**Note:** Controlling dimensions are in millimeters. Approximate dimensions are provided in inches

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