



# LN15000A

## Low-Noise 15W SINGLE DC/DC CONVERTER

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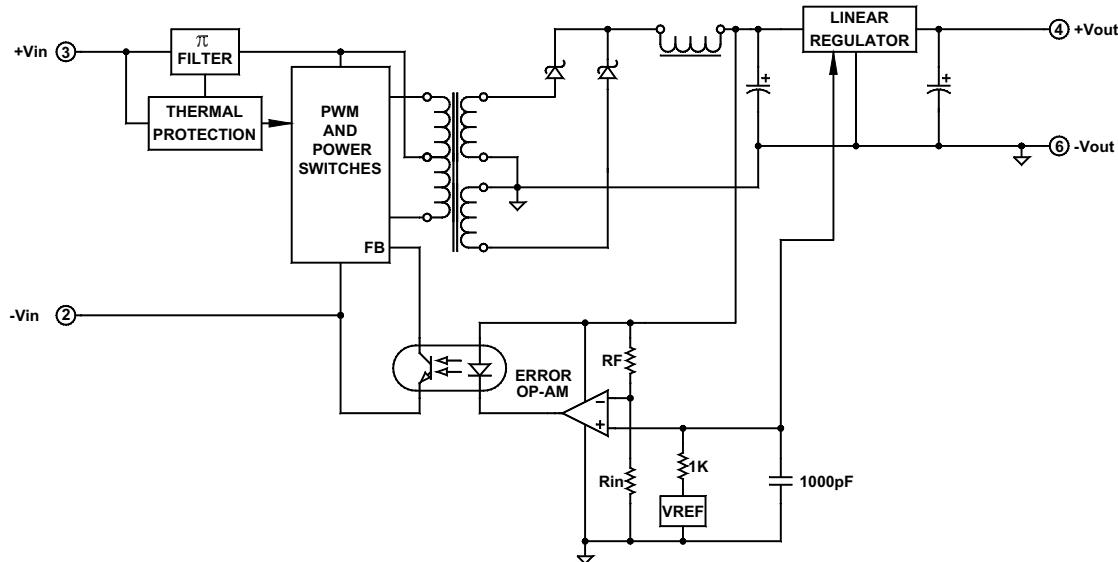
### Key Features

- Less than 5mV output noise
- 79% efficiency
- Six-sided shielding
- Soft start
- Short circuit and thermal protection
- 750 $\mu$ A off state current
- Wide input voltage range (2:1)
- 250mV dropout linear regulators
- Industry pinout



### Functional Description

The LN15000A is a low-noise 15W single output, isolated DC/DC converter designed to accept 9–18V<sub>IN</sub> and provide 5V<sub>OUT</sub>@3A. The converter incorporates low-switching noise techniques at its input and output sections. Low dropout linear regulators reduce the output noise to 5mV<sub>PP</sub> and a patented control circuit maintains minimum constant dropout voltage over line, load, temperature and output adjust range.



Typical Block Diagram

## Electrical Specifications

### INPUT SPECIFICATIONS

Unless otherwise specified, all parameters are given under typical +25°C with nominal input voltage and under full output load conditions.

PARAMETER	CONDITION / NOTE	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Input Voltage Range		9	12	18	Vdc
No Load Input Current	12V		30		mA
Full Load Input Current			1580		mA
Input Filter					
Reflected Ripple			40		mA <sub>PP</sub>
Reverse Polarity Input Current	External series-blocking diode			12	A
Input Surge Current (20µS Spike)				10	A
Short Circuit Current Limit			150		% I <sub>IN</sub>
Undervoltage Shutdown			8		Vdc
Off State Current, 12V			750		µA

### OUTPUT SPECIFICATIONS

PARAMETER	CONDITION / NOTE	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Voltage and Current Ratings			5		Vdc
Output Voltage Accuracy, Single			±1		%
Ripple & Noise			0.05	0.1	%V <sub>PP</sub> of V <sub>OUT</sub>
Line Regulation, Single	Minimum V <sub>IN</sub> to maximum V <sub>IN</sub>		0.05	0.1	%
Load Regulation, Single	NL to FL		0.05	0.1	%
Temperature Coefficient @ FL			0.02		%/°C
Transient Response Time (to within 0.5% of V <sub>OUT</sub> )	50% FL to FL to 50% FL, See Figure 1		5		µS
Short Circuit Protection	All outputs, by input current limiting				
Output Short Circuit Duration	Continuous				

### GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

PARAMETER	CONDITION / NOTE	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Efficiency			79		%
Isolation Voltage (1 min.)			1500		Vdc
Isolation Resistance			10 <sup>9</sup>		Ω
Isolation Capacitance			80		pF
Switching Frequency			100		kHz

### ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS

PARAMETER	CONDITION / NOTE	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Operating Temperature, Industrial (Ambient)*	See Figure 2	-40		+75	°C
Operating Temperature, Extended (X)	(Please contact factory)	-55		+85	°C
Storage Temperature Range		-55		+125	°C
Thermal Resistance			3.5	4	°C/W <sub>DISS</sub>
Maximum Operating Case Temperature				105	°C
Thermal Turn Off, Case Temperature		95	100	115	°C
Thermal Hysteresis			20		°C
Derating	See Figure 2				
Humidity	Up to 95% non-condensing				
Cooling	Free-air convection				
EMI/RFI	Six-sided continuous shielded metal case				
MTBF	per MIL-HNBK-217F (Ground benign, +25°C)		625,000		hours

\*See footnotes 2, 3 and 4

## PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

PARAMETER	CONDITION / NOTE	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Dimensions (L×W×H)	2.00×2.00×0.395 in. (50.80×50.80×10.03mm)				
Weight	2 oz. (58g)				
Case Material	Coated metal				
Shielding Connection, 12V <sub>IN</sub>	-Input (Pin 3)				

<sup>1</sup> The maximum input current at any given input range measured at minimum input voltage is given as  $1.6^* I_{NOMINAL}$ . Nominal input current is the typical value measured at the input of the converter under full-load room temperature and nominal input voltage (12V<sub>IN</sub>).

<sup>2</sup> Measured with 100µF external capacitor at the input pins.

<sup>3</sup> Adequate insulation is to be provided to the converters at the end usage as per applicable requirements.

<sup>4</sup> Temperature rise on the case of the converters is to be considered during the end usage as per applicable requirements.

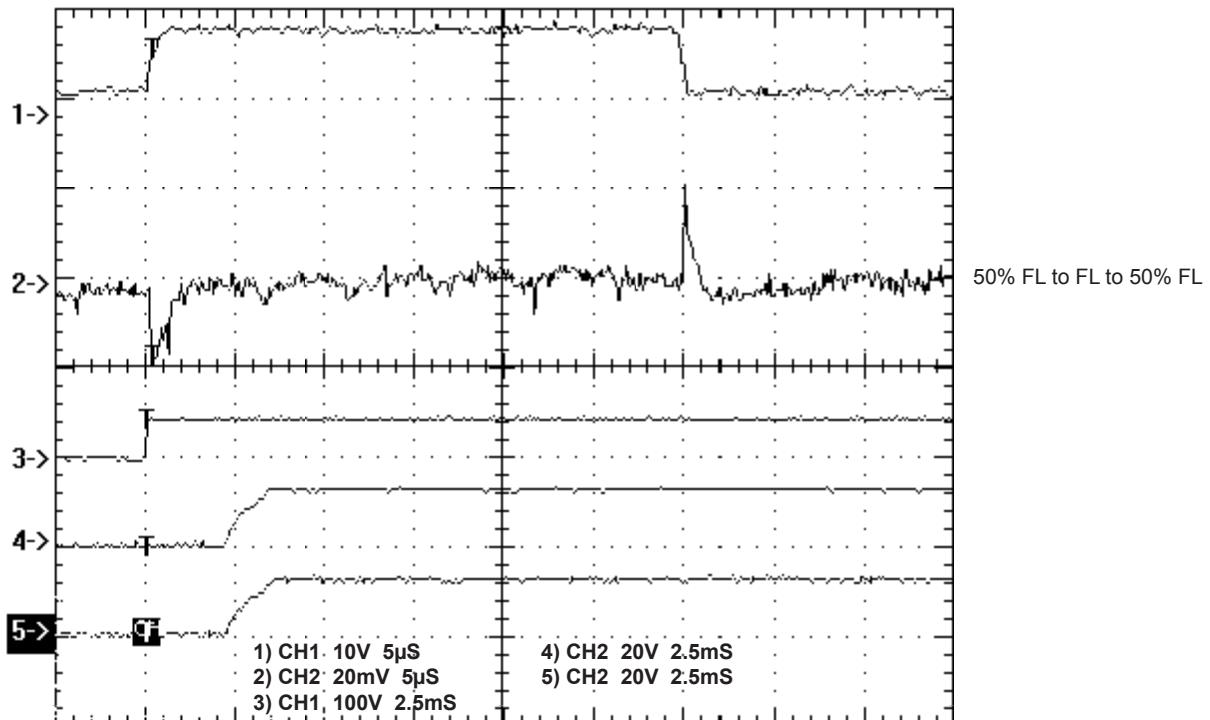


FIGURE 1. Transient response and turn on delay with soft start

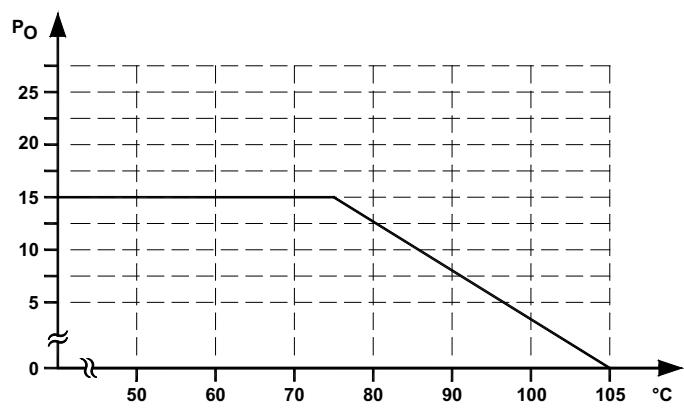


FIGURE 2. Typical derating curve

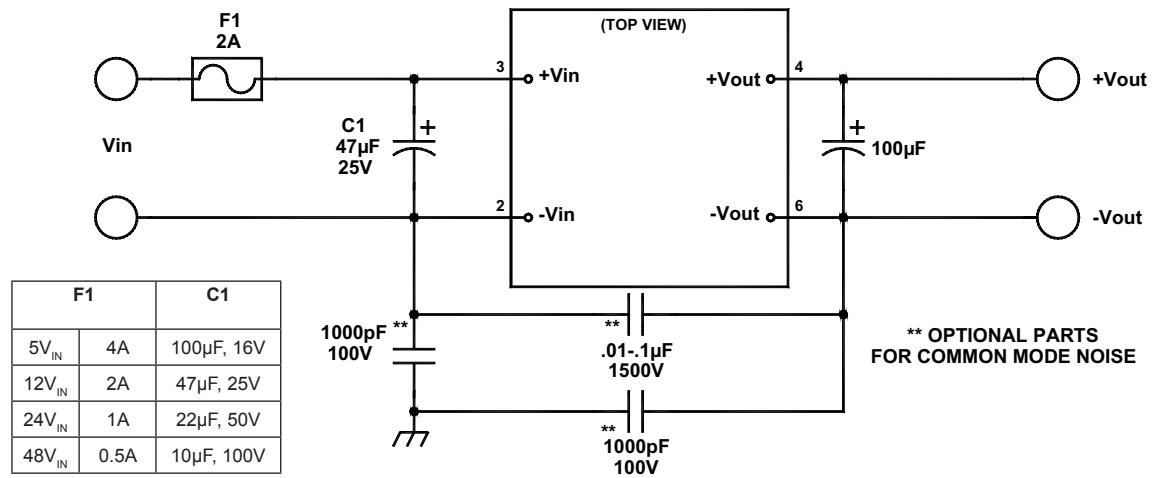


FIGURE 3. Typical connection diagram

