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# LINEAR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT

## HIGH PRECISION HIGH VOLTAGE REGULATOR

- INPUT VOLTAGE UP TO 80V
- OUTPUT VOLTAGE ADJUSTABLE FROM 2 TO 77V
- POSITIVE OR NEGATIVE SUPPLY OPERATION
- SERIES, SHUNT, SWITCHING OR FLOATING OPERATION
- OUTPUT CURRENT UP TO 150 mA WITHOUT EXTERNAL PASS TRANSISTOR
- ADJUSTABLE CURRENT LIMITING
- THERMAL PROTECTION

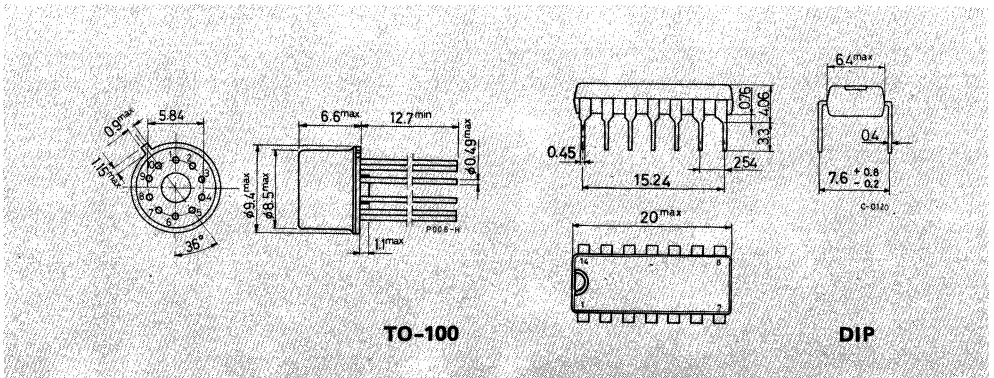
The L146 is a monolithic integrated programmable voltage regulator in 14-lead dual in-line plastic package and 10-lead Metal Can (TO-100 type). It is made with high voltage technology and provides internal current limiting and thermal shut down protection; when current exceeds 150 mA an external NPN or PNP pass element may be used. Provisions are made for adjustable current limiting and remote shut down. The L146 is intended to widen the application range of L123 up to 80V.

## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

$V_i$	Input voltage	80	V
$V_i - V_o$	Voltage drop	78	V
$I_o$	Output current	150	mA
$I_{ref}$	Current from $V_{ref}$	8	mA
$P_{tot}$	Power dissipation (at $T_{amb} = 70^\circ\text{C}$ ) Plastic DIP	1	W
	TO-100	520	mW
$T_{op}$	Operating junction temperature L146	-25 to + 85	$^\circ\text{C}$
	L146C	0 to +70	$^\circ\text{C}$
$T_{stg}$	Storage temperature	-65 to +150	$^\circ\text{C}$

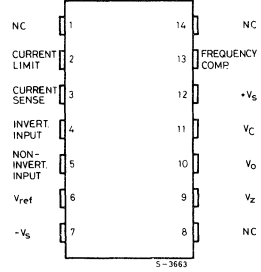
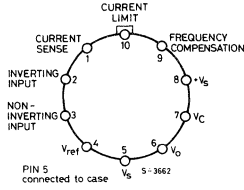
## MECHANICAL DATA

Dimensions in mm

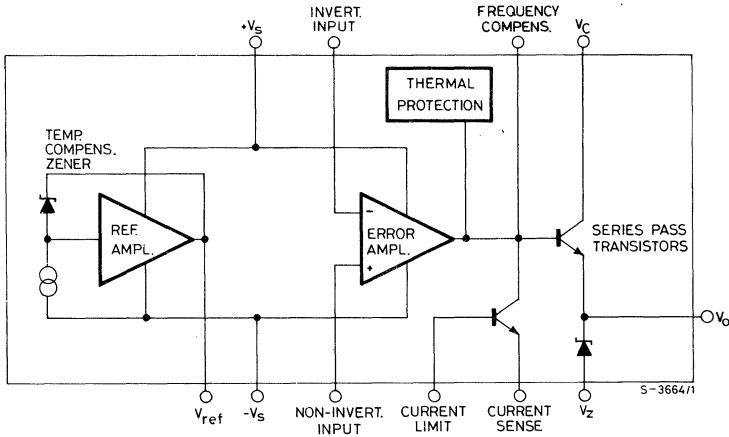


**CONNECTION DIAGRAMS**

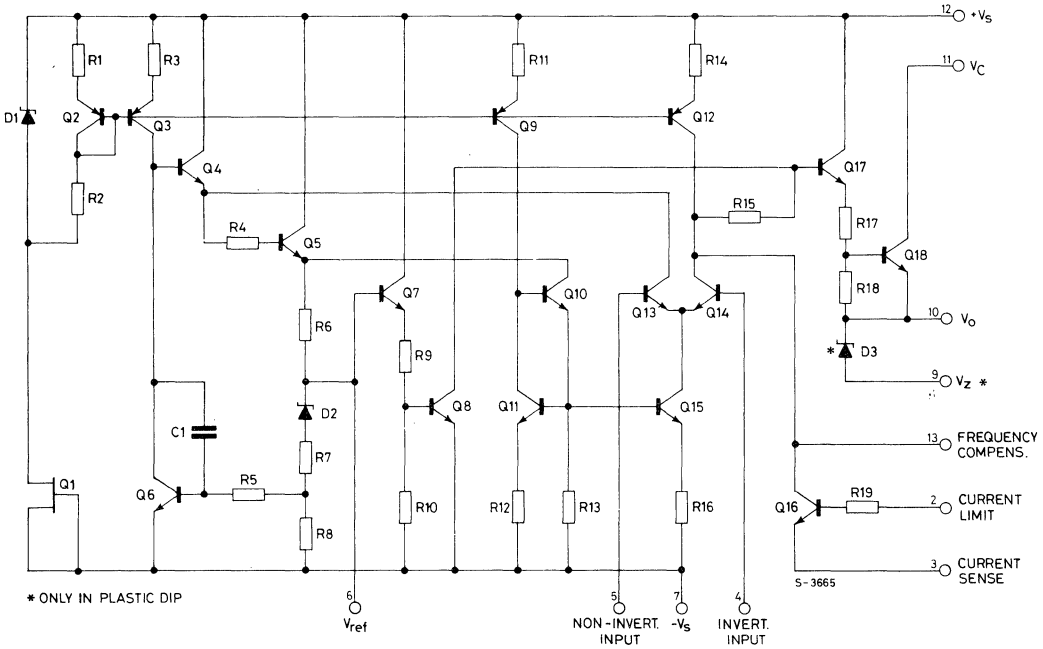
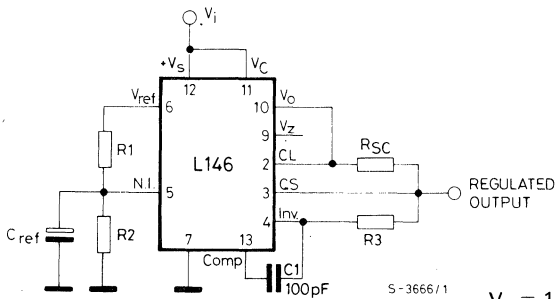
(top view)



Type	TO-100	Plastic DIP
L146	L146 T	
L146 C	L146 CT	L146 CB

**BLOCK DIAGRAM**

**THERMAL DATA**

	TO-100	Plastic DIP
$R_{th\ j-amb}$ Thermal resistance junction-ambient	max 155°C/W	80°C/W

**SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM** (pin number relative to the plastic package)

**TEST CIRCUIT**


$V_i = 12V$   
 $V_o = 5V \quad I_o = 1mA$   
 $R_1 // R_2 \leq 10 K\Omega$

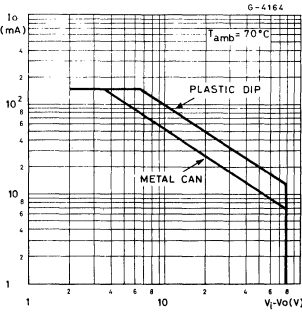


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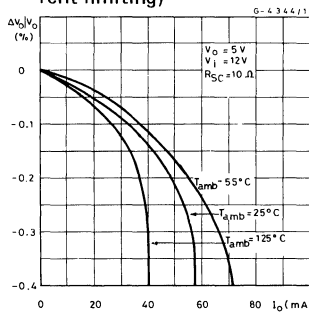
**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** (Refer to the test circuit,  $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$  unless otherwise specified)

Parameter	Test conditions	L146 C			L146			Unit
		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Min.	Typ.	Max.	
$\frac{\Delta V_o}{V_o}$ Line regulation	$V_i = 12$ to $15\text{V}$ $V_i = 12$ to $40\text{V}$ $V_i = 40$ to $80\text{V}$		0.05 0.1 0.1	0.15 0.5 0.5		0.05 0.1 0.1	0.15 0.2 0.2	%
$\frac{\Delta V_o}{V_o}$ Load regulation	$V_i = 12\text{V}$ $V_o = 5\text{V}$ $I_o = 1$ to $50$ mA		0.03	0.2		0.03	0.15	%
	$V_i = 40\text{V}$ $V_o = 37\text{V}$ $I_o = 1$ to $10$ mA		0.1	0.5		0.1	0.3	%
	$V_i = 80\text{V}$ $V_o = 77\text{V}$ $I_o = 1$ to $10$ mA		0.12	0.8		0.12	0.5	%
$V_{ref}$ Reference voltage	$I_{ref} = 160$ $\mu\text{A}$	7.75	8.15	8.55	7.9	8.15	8.4	V
$\Delta V_{ref}$	$I_{ref} = 160$ $\mu\text{A}$ to $5$ mA		4	14		4	14	mV
SVR Ripple rejection	$f = 100$ Hz to $10$ KHz $C_{ref} = 0$ $C_{ref} = 5$ $\mu\text{F}$		60 88			60 88		dB
$\frac{\Delta V_o}{\Delta T}$ Output voltage drift				150			150	$\frac{\text{ppM}}{^{\circ}\text{C}}$
$I_{sc}$ Short circuit current limiting	$R_{sc} = 10\Omega$ $V_o = 0$	50	60	70	50	60	70	mA
$V_i$ Input voltage range		10		80	10		80	V
$V_o$ Output voltage range		2		77	2		77	V
$V_i - V_o$ Voltage drop		3		78	3		78	V
$I_d$ Quiescent drain current	$I_o = 0$ (including $I_{ref} = 160$ $\mu\text{A}$ ) $V_o = 5\text{V}$ $V_i = 12\text{V}$ $V_i = 40\text{V}$ $V_i = 80\text{V}$		4 5.6 6	5.5 7 7.5		4 5.6 6	5.5 7 7.5	mA
$\Delta I_d$ Quiescent drain current change	$I_o = 1$ mA $V_o = 5\text{V}$	$V_i = 12$ to $40\text{V}$		2.2			1.6	mA
		$V_i = 12$ to $80\text{V}$		2.6			2	mA
Long term stability			0.1			0.1		$\frac{\%}{1000}$ hrs
$e_N$ Output noise voltage	$\text{BW} = 100$ Hz to $10$ KHz $C_{ref} = 0$ $C_{ref} = 5$ $\mu\text{F}$		300 30			300 30		$\mu\text{V}$
$V_Z$ Output zener voltage (for plastic package only)	$I_Z = 1$ mA	6.9		7.7				V

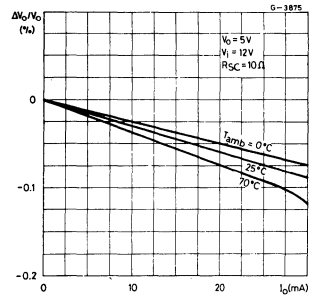
**Fig. 1 - Maximum output current vs. voltage drop**



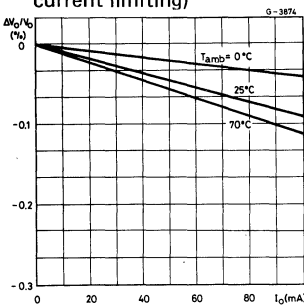
**Fig. 2 - Load regulation vs. output current (with current limiting)**



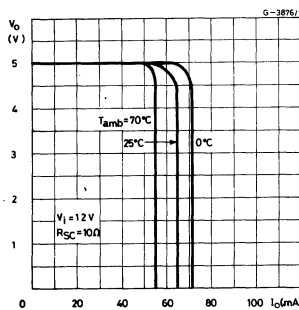
**Fig. 3 - Load regulation vs. output current (with current limiting)**



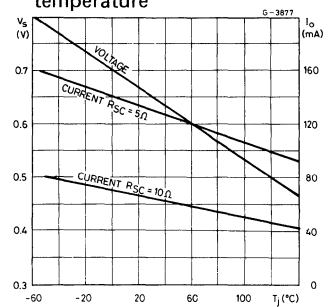
**Fig. 4 - Load regulation vs. output current (without current limiting)**



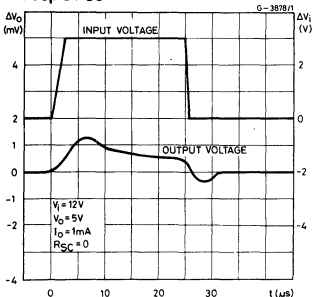
**Fig. 5 - Current limiting characteristics**



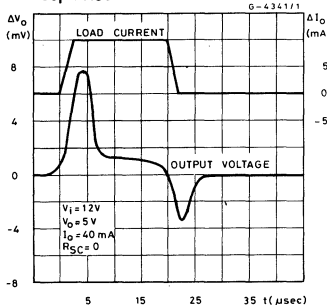
**Fig. 6 - Current limiting characteristics vs. junction temperature**



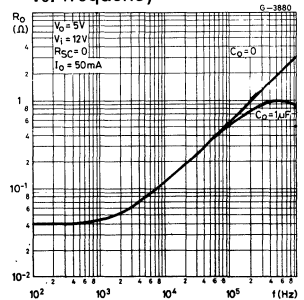
**Fig. 7 - Line transient response**



**Fig. 8 - Load transient response**



**Fig. 9 - Output impedance vs. frequency**





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Table I -- Resistor values (KΩ) for standard output voltage

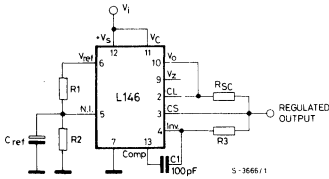
Positive output voltage	Applicable figures	Fixed output ± 5%		Negative output voltage	Applicable figures	Fixed output ± 5%	
		R <sub>1</sub>	R <sub>2</sub>			R <sub>1</sub>	R <sub>2</sub>
+6	10, 13, 14 18, 20	2.4	6.8	-9	12	2.2	2.7
+12	11, 13, 14, 15, 18, 20	3.2	6.8	-12		1.5	3
+30		15	5.6	-30		4.7	30
+50		24	47	-50		2.7	30
+70		30	39	-100	2	47	
+100	16	2.7	68	-250	17	2	120
+250		4.7	120				

Table II – Formulae for intermediate output voltages

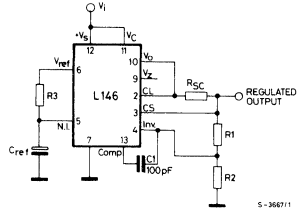
Outputs from +2 to +7 volts Fig. 10, 13, 14, 15, 18, 20 $V_{OUT} = [V_{REF} \times \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2}]$	Outputs from +4 to +250 volts Fig. 16 $V_{OUT} = [\frac{V_{REF}}{2} \times \frac{R_2 - R_1}{R_1}]; R_3 = R_4$	Current Limiting $I_{LIMIT} = \frac{V_{SENSE}}{R_{sc}}$
Outputs from +7 to +77 volts Fig. 11, 13, 14, 15, 18, 20 $V_{OUT} = [V_{REF} \times \frac{R_1 + R_2}{R_2}]$	Output from -6 to -250 volts Fig. 12, 17 $V_{OUT} = [\frac{V_{REF}}{2} \times \frac{R_1 + R_2}{R_1}]; R_3 = R_4$	Foldback Current Limiting $I_{KNEE} = [\frac{V_{OUT} R_3}{R_{sc} R_4} + \frac{V_{SENSE} (R_3 + R_4)}{R_{sc} R_4}]$ $I_{SHORT\ CKT} = [\frac{V_{SENSE}}{R_{sc}} \times \frac{R_3 + R_4}{R_4}]$

**APPLICATION CIRCUITS (continued)**

**Fig. 10 - Basic low voltage regulator**  
( $V_{OUT} = 2$  to  $7V$ )



**Fig. 11 - Basic high voltage regulator**  
( $V_{OUT} = 7$  to  $77V$ )



NOTE:  $R3 = \frac{R1 \cdot R2}{R1 + R2}$  for minimum temperature drift.

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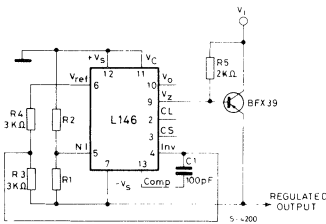
**Typical performance**

- Regulated Output Voltage . . . . .  $.5V$
- Line Regulation ( $\Delta V_i = 3V$ ) . . . . .  $.0.5$  mV
- Load Regulation ( $\Delta I_o = 50$  mA) . . . . .  $.1.5$  mV

**Typical performance**

- Regulated Output Voltage . . . . .  $.15V$
- Line Regulation ( $\Delta V_i = 3V$ ) . . . . .  $.1.5$  mV
- Load Regulation ( $\Delta I_o = 50$  mA) . . . . .  $.4.5$  mV

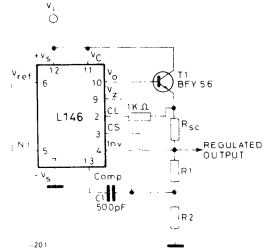
**Fig. 12 - Negative voltage regulator**



**Typical performance**

- Regulated Output Voltage . . . . .  $+15V$
- Line Regulation ( $\Delta V_i = 3V$ ) . . . . .  $.1.5$  mV
- Load Regulation ( $\Delta I_o = 1$  A) . . . . .  $.15$  mV

**Fig. 13 - Positive voltage regulator (External NPN Pass Transistor)**

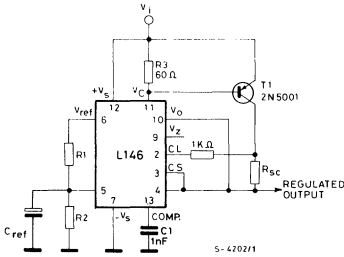


**Typical performance**

- Regulated Output Voltage . . . . .  $.15V$
- Line Regulation ( $\Delta V_i = 3V$ ) . . . . .  $.1$  mV
- Load Regulation ( $\Delta I_o = 100$  mA) . . . . .  $.2$  mV

APPLICATION CIRCUITS (continued)

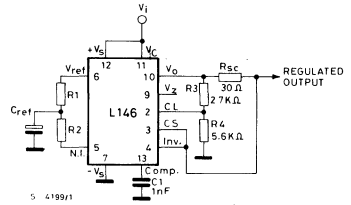
Fig. 14 - Positive voltage regulator (External PNP Pass Transistor)



Typical performance

- Regulated Output Voltage . . . . . +5V
- Line Regulation ( $\Delta V_i = 3V$ ) . . . . . 0.5 mV
- Load Regulation ( $\Delta I_o = 1A$ ) . . . . . 5 mV

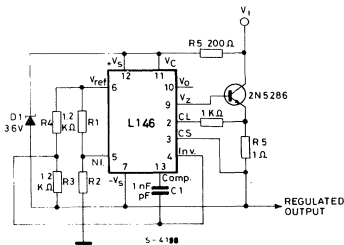
Fig. 15 - Foldback current limiting



Typical performance

- Regulated Output Voltage . . . . . +5V
- Line Regulation ( $\Delta V_i = 3V$ ) . . . . . 0.5 mV
- Load Regulation ( $\Delta I_o = 10 mA$ ) . . . . . 1 mV
- Current Limit Knee . . . . . 20 mA

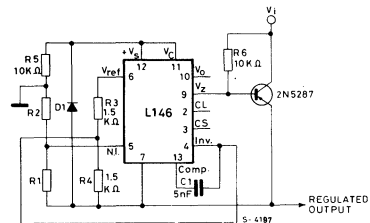
Fig. 16 - Positive floating regulator



Typical performance

- Regulated Output Voltage . . . . . +100V
- Line Regulation ( $\Delta V_i = 20V$ ) . . . . . 15 mV
- Load Regulation ( $\Delta I_o = 50 mA$ ) . . . . . 20 mV

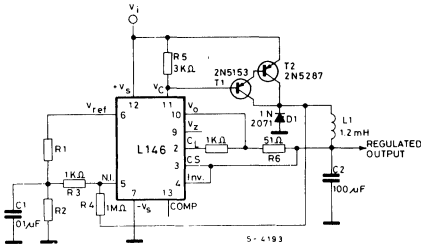
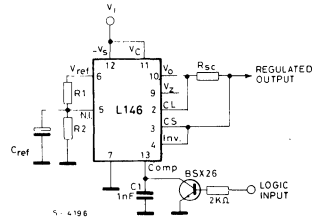
Fig. 17 - Negative floating regulator



Typical performance

- Regulated Output Voltage . . . . . -100V
- Line Regulation ( $\Delta V_i = 20V$ ) . . . . . 30 mV
- Load Regulation ( $\Delta I_o = 100 mA$ ) . . . . . 20 mV



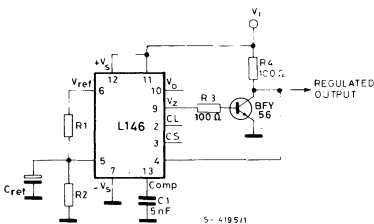
**APPLICATION CIRCUITS (continued)**
**Fig. 18 - Positive switching regulator**

**Fig. 19 - Remote shutdown regulator with current limiting**

**Typical performance**

- Regulated Output Voltage . . . . . +5V
- Line Regulation ( $\Delta V_i = 30V$ ) . . . . . 10 mV
- Load Regulation ( $\Delta I_o = 2A$ ) . . . . . 80 mA

**Typical performance**

- Regulated Output Voltage . . . . . .5V
- Line Regulation ( $\Delta V_i = 3V$ ) . . . . . 0.5V
- Load Regulation ( $\Delta I_o = 50 mA$ ) . . . . . 1.5 mV

NOTE: Current limit transistor may be used for shutdown if current limiting is not required.

**Fig. 20 - Shunt regulator**

**Typical performance**

- Regulated Output Voltage . . . . . +5V
- Line Regulation ( $\Delta V_i = 10V$ ) . . . . . 2 mV
- Load Regulation ( $\Delta I_o = 100 mA$ ) . . . . . 5mV

APPLICATION CIRCUITS (continued)

Fig. 21 - 60V voltage regulator with foldback characteristic

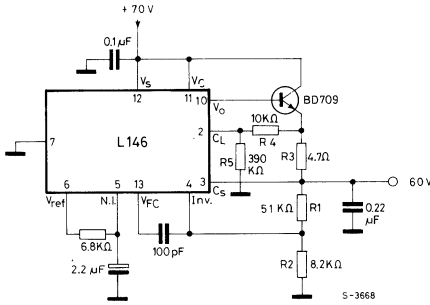
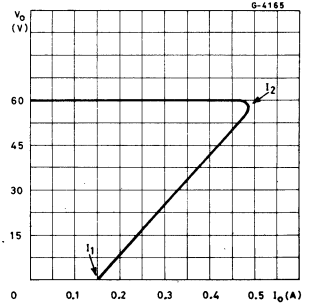
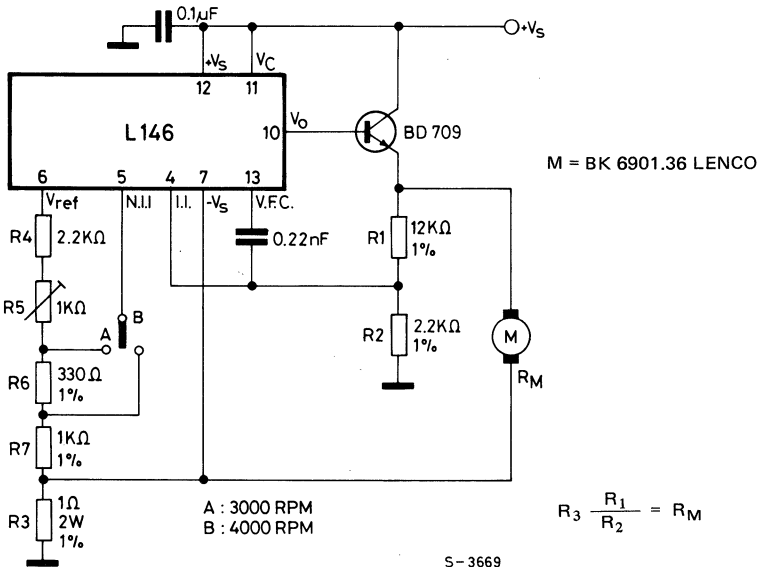


Fig. 22



$$I_2 = \frac{V_o \frac{R_4}{R_5} + V_{2-3}}{R_{SC}} ; \quad I_1 = \frac{V_{2-3}}{R_{SC}} \left(1 + \frac{R_4}{R_5}\right); \quad V_{2-3} \cong 0.7V$$

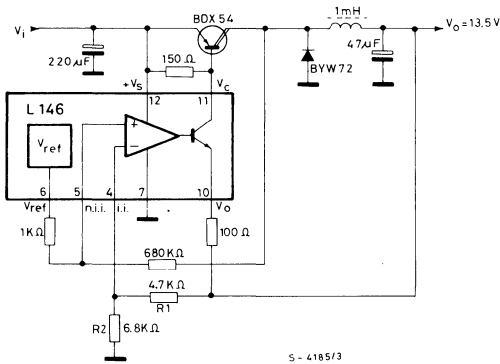
Fig. 23 - Motor speed control



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**APPLICATION CIRCUITS (continued)**

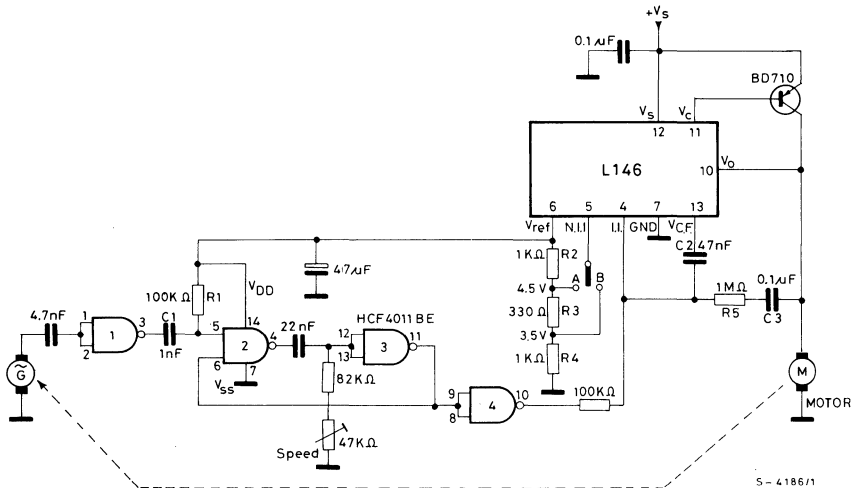
**Fig. 24 - Step-down switching regulator for 12V car radio**



**Performance:**

Output voltage	13.5V
Max output current	3A
Input voltage range	.20 to 30V
Line regulation	50 dB ( $I_o = 2A$ ) $\Delta V_I = 10V$
Load regulation	0.1% ( $\Delta I_o = 3A$ )
Ripple	100 mVpp
Efficiency	.75% ( $I_o = 3A$ )
Switching frequency	25 KHz

**Fig. 25 - 30W motor speed regulator with tacho adjustment and speed change-over switch**



**NOTE - For a more detailed description of the L146 and its applications, refer to SGS-TECHNICAL NOTE TN.150.**