

0.88nV/ $\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$  730MHz, 500V/ $\mu\text{s}$ ,  
Low Distortion Rail-to-Rail Output Op  
Amps with Shutdown

**FEATURES**

- Ultra Low Voltage Noise: 0.88nV/ $\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
- Low Distortion at High Speeds:  
HD2/HD3 < -100dBc ( $A_v = +1$ , 4V<sub>p-p</sub>, 2MHz, R<sub>L</sub> = 1k $\Omega$ )
- High Slew Rate: 500V/ $\mu\text{s}$
- GBW = 890MHz
- -3dB Frequency ( $A_v = +1$ ): 730MHz
- Input Offset Voltage: 250 $\mu\text{V}$  Max Across Temperature
- Offset Drift :0.4 $\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
- Input Common Mode Range Includes Negative Rail
- Output Swings Rail-to-Rail
- Supply Current: 16mA/Channel Typ
- Shutdown Supply Current = 500 $\mu\text{A}$
- Operating Supply Range: 2.8V to 11.75V
- Large Output Current: 80mA Min
- Very High Open Loop Gain: 5.6V/ $\mu\text{V}$  (135dB), R<sub>L</sub> = 1k $\Omega$
- Operating Temp Range: -40 $^\circ\text{C}$  to 125 $^\circ\text{C}$
- Singles in 8-Lead SOIC, TSOT-23, DC-6, Duals in DD10, MS8

**APPLICATIONS**

- Optical Electronics: Fast Transimpedance Amplifiers
- Driving High Dynamic Range A/D Converters
- Active Filters
- Video Amplifiers
- High Speed Differential to Single-Ended Conversion
- Low Voltage Hi-Fi Amplification

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**DESCRIPTION**

The LTC<sup>®</sup>6228/LTC6229 are single/dual very fast, low noise rail-to-rail output, unity gain stable op amps. They have a gain-bandwidth product of 890MHz and a slew rate of 500V/ $\mu\text{s}$ . The low input referred voltage noise of only 0.88nV/ $\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$  and low distortion performance of better than -100dB at 4V<sub>p-p</sub> even for signals as fast as 2MHz make them ideal for applications that require high dynamic range and deal with high slew rate signals, such as driving A/D converters. Additional features include Shutdown and the ability to enable/disable internal bias current cancellation to optimize noise performance.

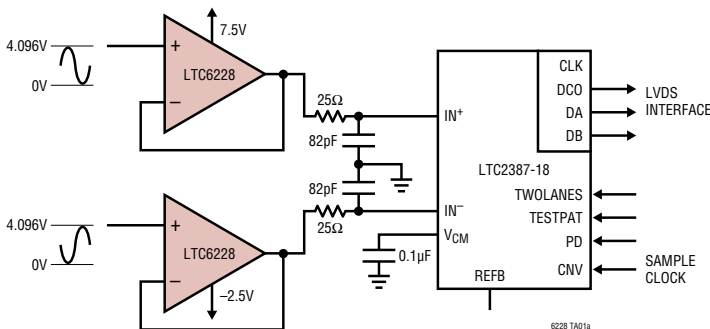
The combination of low offset, low offset drift, high gain and high CMRR make the LTC6228 family the superior choice for wide dynamic range applications.

The LTC6228 family maintains excellent performance for supply voltages of 2.8V to 11.75V and the devices are specified at supplies of 3V, 5V and 10V( $\pm 5\text{V}$ ). With an input range extending to the negative rail and an output range that encompasses the entire supply range, the operational amplifier can accommodate wide swinging signals, and single supply operation.

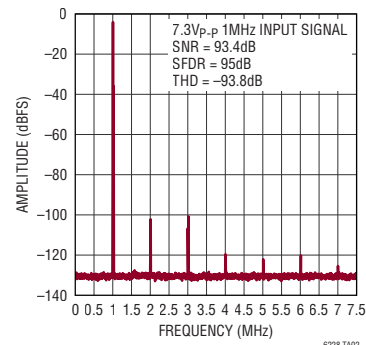
For space constrained PCB layouts, the LTC6228 is available in a 2mm x 2mm DFN and the LTC6229 is available in a 3mm x 3mm DFN. The amplifiers are also available in conventional leaded packages. These amplifiers can be used as improved replacements for many high speed op amps to improve speed, noise, distortion and dynamic range.

**TYPICAL APPLICATION**

LTC6228 Based Driver for the LTC2387-18 SAR ADC



System Performance: 2 x LTC6228 Driving LTC2387-18  
8192 Point FFT, -1dBFS  
f<sub>SAMPL</sub> = 15Mpsps, f<sub>IN</sub> = 1MHz



# LTC6228/LTC6229

## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (Note 1)

Total Supply Voltage ( $V^-$ to $V^+$ ) .....	12V	Output Current (OUT, FB)(Note 3) .....	$\pm 100\text{mA}$
Input Voltage ( $-IN$ , $+IN$ , $\overline{SHDN}$ )....	$V^- - 0.3\text{V}$ to $V^+ + 0.3\text{V}$	Output Short-Circuit Duration .....	Thermally Limited
Input Current ( $-IN$ , $+IN$ , $\overline{SHDN}$ ) (Note 2).....	$\pm 10\text{mA}$	Storage Temperature Range .....	$-65^\circ\text{C}$ to $150^\circ\text{C}$
Operating Temperature Range		Maximum Junction Temperature .....	$150^\circ\text{C}$
LTC6228I/LTC6229I (Note 4).....	$-40^\circ\text{C}$ to $85^\circ\text{C}$	Lead Temperature (Soldering 10s)	
LTC6228H/LTC6229H (Note 4).....	$-40^\circ\text{C}$ to $125^\circ\text{C}$	(MSOP/S8/TSOT Only) .....	$300^\circ\text{C}$
Specified Temperature Range			
LTC6228I/LTC6229I (Note 4).....	$-40^\circ\text{C}$ to $85^\circ\text{C}$		
LTC6228H/LTC6229H (Note 4).....	$-40^\circ\text{C}$ to $125^\circ\text{C}$		

## PIN CONFIGURATION

<p style="text-align: center;">TOP VIEW</p> <p style="text-align: center;">S8 PACKAGE 8-LEAD PLASTIC SO <math>T_{JMAX} = 150^\circ\text{C}</math>, <math>\theta_{JA} = 120^\circ\text{C/W}</math> (NOTE 7)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">TOP VIEW</p> <p style="text-align: center;">S6 PACKAGE 6-LEAD PLASTIC TSOT-23 <math>T_{JMAX} = 150^\circ\text{C}</math>, <math>\theta_{JA} = 192^\circ\text{C/W}</math> (NOTE 7)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">TOP VIEW</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DC PACKAGE 6-LEAD (2mm x 2mm) PLASTIC DFN <math>T_{JMAX} = 150^\circ\text{C}</math>, <math>\theta_{JA} = 80^\circ\text{C/W}</math> (NOTE 7) EXPOSED PAD (PIN 7) IS <math>V^-</math>, MUST BE SOLDERED TO PCB</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">TOP VIEW</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DD PACKAGE 10-LEAD (3mm x 3mm) PLASTIC DFN <math>T_{JMAX} = 125^\circ\text{C}</math>, <math>\theta_{JA} = 43^\circ\text{C/W}</math> (NOTE 2) EXPOSED PAD (PIN 11) IS <math>V^-</math>, MUST BE SOLDERED TO PCB</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">TOP VIEW</p> <p style="text-align: center;">MSE PACKAGE 8-LEAD PLASTIC MSOP <math>T_{JMAX} = 150^\circ\text{C}</math>, <math>\theta_{JA} = 35^\circ\text{C/W}</math> (NOTE 8) EXPOSED PAD (PIN 9) IS <math>V^-</math>, MUST BE SOLDERED TO PCB</p>	

## ORDER INFORMATION

LEAD FREE FINISH	TAPE AND REEL	PART MARKING	PACKAGE DESCRIPTION	TEMPERATURE RANGE
LTC6228IS6#TRMPBF	LTC6228IS6#TRPBF	LTHGB	6-Lead TSOT-23	-40°C to 85°C
LTC6228HS6#TRMPBF	LTC6228HS6#TRPBF	LTHGB	6-Lead TSOT-23	-40°C to 125°C
LTC6228IDC#TRMPBF	LTC6228IDC#TRPBF	LHGC	6-Lead 2mm × 2mm DFN	-40°C to 85°C
LTC6228HDC#TRMPBF	LTC6228HDC#TRPBF	LHGC	6-Lead 2mm × 2mm DFN	-40°C to 125°C
LTC6228IS8#TRMPBF	LTC6228IS8#TRPBF	6228	8-Lead SOIC-8	-40°C to 85°C
LTC6228HS8#TRMPBF	LTC6228HS8#TRPBF	6228	8-Lead SOIC-8	-40°C to 125°C
LTC6229IMS8E#PBF	LTC6229IMS8E#TRPBF	LTGHD	8-Lead MSOP	-40°C to 85°C
LTC6229HMS8E#PBF	LTC6229HMS8E#TRPBF	LTGHD	8-Lead MSOP	-40°C to 125°C
LTC6229IDD#PBF	LTC6229IDD#TRPBF	LHGF	10-Lead 3mm × 3mm DFN	-40°C to 85°C
LTC6229HDD#PBF	LTC6229HDD#TRPBF	LHGF	10-Lead 3mm × 3mm DFN	-40°C to 125°C

Consult ADI Marketing for parts specified with wider operating temperature ranges.

[Tape and reel specifications.](#) Some packages are available in 500 unit reels through designated sales channels with #TRMPBF suffix.

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( $V_S = \pm 5V$ )

The ● denotes the specifications which apply over the full operating temperature range, otherwise specifications are at  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ .  $V_S = \pm 5V$ ,  $V_{CM} = 0V$ ,  $V_{SHDN}$  = floating unless otherwise noted.

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
$V_{OS}$	Input Offset Voltage		-95 -250	20	95 250	$\mu\text{V}$ $\mu\text{V}$
$\Delta V_{OS}$	Input Offset Voltage Match (LTC6229)		-140 -400	18	140 400	$\mu\text{V}$ $\mu\text{V}$
$T_{CVOS}$	Input Offset Voltage Drift			0.4		$\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
$I_B$	Input Bias Current (Note 6)	Bias Cancellation Disabled	-40 -44	-16		$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$
		Bias Cancellation Enabled	-2.5 -4.1	0.6	2.5 4.1	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$
$\Delta I_B$	Input Bias Current Match (LTC6229)	Bias Cancellation Disabled	-2 -3	0.3	2 3	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$
		Bias Cancellation Enabled	-3 -4	0.3	3 4	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$
$I_{OS}$	Input Offset Current	Bias Cancellation Disabled	-0.55 -0.8	0.1	0.55 0.8	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$
		Bias Cancellation Enabled	-0.9 -1	0.1	0.9 1	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$
$\Delta I_{OS}$	Input Offset Current Match (LTC6229)	Bias Cancellation Disabled	-1 -1.4	0.15	1 1.4	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$
		Bias Cancellation Enabled	-1.3 -1.6	0.25	1.3 1.6	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$
$e_n$	Input Noise Voltage Spectral Density	$f = 1\text{MHz}$		0.88		$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
	Integrated 1/f Noise	0.1Hz to 10Hz		0.94		$\mu\text{V}_{P-P}$
$i_n$	Input Current Noise Spectral Density	$f = 1\text{MHz}$ Bias Cancellation Disabled $f = 1\text{MHz}$ Bias Cancellation Enabled		3 6.3		$\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$ $\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
$C_{IN}$	Input Capacitance	Differential Mode Common Mode		3.5 1.5		$\text{pF}$ $\text{pF}$
$R_{IN}$	Input Resistance	Differential Mode Common Mode		2.6 4		$\text{k}\Omega$ $\text{M}\Omega$

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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	
A <sub>VOL</sub>	Large Signal Voltage Gain	R <sub>L</sub> = 1k $\Omega$ to Half Supply V <sub>OUT</sub> = $\pm 4V$	●	120 113	135	dB dB	
		R <sub>L</sub> = 100 $\Omega$ to Half Supply V <sub>OUT</sub> = $\pm 3V$	●	100 92	120	dB dB	
CMRR	Common Mode Rejection Ratio	V <sub>CM</sub> = V <sup>-</sup> - 0.1 to V <sup>+</sup> - 1.2V	●	100 94	110	dB dB	
V <sub>CMR</sub>	Input Common Mode Range		●	V <sup>-</sup> - 0.1	V <sup>+</sup> - 1.2	V	
PSRR <sup>+</sup>	Positive Power Supply Rejection Ratio	V <sup>-</sup> = -1V, V <sup>+</sup> = 1.8V to 10.75V	●	100 95	110	dB dB	
PSRR <sup>-</sup>	Negative Power Supply Rejection Ratio	V <sup>+</sup> = 1.5V, V <sup>-</sup> = -1.3V to -10.25V	●	101 99	126	dB dB	
	Supply Voltage Range (V <sup>+</sup> - V <sup>-</sup> ) (Note 5)		●	2.8	11.75	V	
V <sub>OL</sub>	Output Swing Low (V <sub>OUT</sub> - V <sup>-</sup> )	No Load	●		8 16 20	mV mV	
		I <sub>SINK</sub> = 5mA	●		46 70 85	mV mV	
		I <sub>SINK</sub> = 25mA	●		140 220 280	mV mV	
V <sub>OH</sub>	Output Swing High (V <sup>+</sup> - V <sub>OUT</sub> )	No Load	●		27 50 60	mV mV	
		I <sub>SINK</sub> = 5mA	●		90 140 180	mV mV	
		I <sub>SOURCE</sub> = 25mA	●		250 340 450	mV mV	
I <sub>SC</sub>	Output Short-Circuit Current	Sourcing	●		-130 -80 -65	mA mA	
		Sinking	●	80 60	140	mA mA	
I <sub>S</sub>	Supply Current per Channel		●		16 16.9 19.8	mA mA	
I <sub>SD</sub>	Disable Supply Current per Channel, Amplifier Off	V <sub>SHDN</sub> = V <sup>+</sup> - 2.75V	●		500 610 770	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$	
V <sub>L_SHDN</sub>	SHDN Pin Input Voltage Low, Disable Amplifier		●		V <sup>+</sup> - 2.75	V	
V <sub>H_SHDN</sub>	SHDN Pin Input Voltage High, Enable Amplifier		●	V <sup>+</sup> - 1.6		V	
V <sub>L_IBIAS</sub>	SHDN Pin Input Voltage Low, Disable Bias Cancellation		●		V <sup>+</sup> - 1	V	
V <sub>H_IBIAS</sub>	SHDN Pin Input Voltage Low, Enable Bias Cancellation		●	V <sup>+</sup> - 0.35		V	
I <sub>L_SHDN</sub>	SHDN Pin Input Current, Disable Amplifier	V <sub>SHDN</sub> = V <sup>+</sup> - 2.75V	●	-10	-2.5	10	$\mu\text{A}$
I <sub>H_SHDN</sub>	SHDN Pin Input Current, Enable Amplifier	V <sub>SHDN</sub> = V <sup>+</sup> - 1.6V	●	-10	-0.3	10	$\mu\text{A}$
I <sub>L_IBIAS</sub>	SHDN Pin Input Current Low, Disable Bias Cancellation	V <sub>SHDN</sub> = V <sup>+</sup> - 1V	●	-10	0.265	10	$\mu\text{A}$
I <sub>H_IBIAS</sub>	SHDN Pin Input Current Low, Enable Bias Cancellation	V <sub>SHDN</sub> = V <sup>+</sup> - 0.35V	●	-10	1	10	$\mu\text{A}$
I <sub>OSD</sub>	Output Leakage Current in Shutdown	V <sub>SHDN</sub> = V <sup>+</sup> - 2.75V, OUT Shorted to V <sup>+</sup> or V <sup>-</sup>			100	nA	
BW	-3dB Closed Loop Bandwidth	A <sub>V</sub> = 1, R <sub>L</sub> = 1k $\Omega$ to Half Supply			730	MHz	
GBW	Gain-Bandwidth Product	f = 5MHz, R <sub>L</sub> = 1k $\Omega$ to Half Supply	●	700 650	890	MHz MHz	
t <sub>ON</sub>	Turn-On Time	V <sub>SHDN</sub> = V <sup>+</sup> - 2.75V to V <sup>+</sup> - 1.6V			900	ns	

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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	
$t_{OFF}$	Turn-Off Time	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 1.6V$ to $V^+ - 2.75V$		500		ns	
$t_{S_{0.1}}$	Settling Time to 0.1%	$A_V = 1$ , 2V Output Step, $R_L = 1k\Omega$		26		ns	
		$A_V = 1$ , 4V Output Step, $R_L = 1k\Omega$		34		ns	
$t_{S_{0.01}}$	Settling Time to 0.01%	$A_V = 1$ , 6V Output Step, $R_L = 1k\Omega$		53		ns	
SR	Slew Rate	$A_V = +4$ , 8V Output Step (Note 8)	320 250	500		V/ $\mu\text{s}$ V/ $\mu\text{s}$	
FPBW	Full Power Bandwidth	$V_{OUT} = 8V_{P-P}$ , $A_V = +2$ , THD < -40dBc		12.5		MHz	
HD2/HD3	Harmonic Distortion, $R_L = 1k\Omega$ to Half Supply, $A_V = +1$	$f_C = 100\text{kHz}$ , $V_O = 4V_{P-P}$		-113/-119		dBc	
		$f_C = 100\text{kHz}$ , $V_O = 2V_{P-P}$		-126/-131		dBc	
		$f_C = 1\text{MHz}$ , $V_O = 4V_{P-P}$		-107/-114		dBc	
		$f_C = 1\text{MHz}$ , $V_O = 2V_{P-P}$		-119/-132		dBc	
		$f_C = 5\text{MHz}$ , $V_O = 4V_{P-P}$		-83/-96		dBc	
		$f_C = 5\text{MHz}$ , $V_O = 2V_{P-P}$		-90/-113		dBc	
	Harmonic Distortion, $R_L = 100\Omega$ to Half Supply, $A_V = +1$	$f_C = 100\text{kHz}$ , $V_O = 4V_{P-P}$			-105/-106		dBc
		$f_C = 100\text{kHz}$ , $V_O = 4V_{P-P}$			-118/-124		dBc
		$f_C = 1\text{MHz}$ , $V_O = 4V_{P-P}$			-97/-107		dBc
		$f_C = 1\text{MHz}$ , $V_O = 2V_{P-P}$			-100/-114		dBc
		$f_C = 5\text{MHz}$ , $V_O = 4V_{P-P}$			-79/-75		dBc
		$f_C = 5\text{MHz}$ , $V_O = 2V_{P-P}$			-83/-82		dBc
$\Delta G$	Differential Gain (NTSC)	$A_V = 2$ , $R_L = 150\Omega$		0.008		%	
		$A_V = +1$ , $R_L = 1k\Omega$		0.001		%	
$\Delta\theta$	Differential Phase (NTSC)	$A_V = 2$ , $R_L = 150\Omega$		0.004		Deg	
		$A_V = +1$ , $R_L = 1k\Omega$		0.09		Deg	

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( $V_S = 5V, 0V$ )

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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
$V_{OS}$	Input Offset Voltage		-105	20	105	$\mu\text{V}$
			-290		290	$\mu\text{V}$
$\Delta V_{OS}$	Input Offset Voltage Match (LTC6229)		-140	18	140	$\mu\text{V}$
			-400		400	$\mu\text{V}$
$T_{CVOS}$	Input Offset Voltage Drift			0.4		$\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
$I_B$	Input Bias Current (Note 6)	Bias Cancellation Disabled	-40	-16		$\mu\text{A}$
			-44			$\mu\text{A}$
$\Delta I_B$	Input Bias Current Match (LTC6229)	Bias Cancellation Enabled	-3	1	3	$\mu\text{A}$
			-4.4		4.4	$\mu\text{A}$
$\Delta I_B$	Input Bias Current Match (LTC6229)	Bias Cancellation Disabled	-2	0.3	2	$\mu\text{A}$
			-3		3	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{OS}$	Input Offset Current	Bias Cancellation Disabled	-0.55	0.1	0.55	$\mu\text{A}$
			-0.8		0.8	$\mu\text{A}$
$\Delta I_{OS}$	Input Offset Current Match (LTC6229)	Bias Cancellation Enabled	-0.9	0.15	0.9	$\mu\text{A}$
			-1		1	$\mu\text{A}$
$\Delta I_{OS}$	Input Offset Current Match (LTC6229)	Bias Cancellation Disabled	-1	0.15	1	$\mu\text{A}$
			-1.4		1.4	$\mu\text{A}$
$\Delta I_{OS}$	Input Offset Current Match (LTC6229)	Bias Cancellation Enabled	-1.3	0.25	1.3	$\mu\text{A}$
			-1.6		1.6	$\mu\text{A}$

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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	
$e_n$	Input Noise Voltage Spectral Density	$f = 1\text{MHz}$		0.88		$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$	
	Integrated 1/f Noise	0.1Hz to 10Hz		0.94		$\mu\text{V}_{\text{P-P}}$	
$i_n$	Input Current Noise Spectral Density	$f = 1\text{MHz}$ Bias Cancellation Disabled		3		$\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$	
		$f = 1\text{MHz}$ Bias Cancellation Enabled		6.3		$\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$	
$C_{IN}$	Input Capacitance	Differential Mode		3.5		pF	
		Common Mode		1.5		pF	
$R_{IN}$	Input Resistance	Differential Mode		2.6		$\text{k}\Omega$	
		Common Mode		4		$\text{M}\Omega$	
$A_{VOL}$	Large Signal Voltage Gain	$R_L = 1\text{k}\Omega$ to Half Supply, $V_{OUT} = V_{CM} \pm 2$	●	120 115	140	dB dB	
		$R_L = 100\Omega$ to Half Supply, $V_{OUT} = V_{CM} \pm 2$	●	106 100	120	dB dB	
CMRR	Common Mode Rejection Ratio	$V_{CM} = V^- - 0.1$ to $V^+ - 1.2\text{V}$	●	97 92	110	dB dB	
$V_{CMR}$	Input Common Mode Range		●	$V^- - 0.1$	$V^+ - 1.2$	V	
PSRR <sup>+</sup>	Positive Power Supply Rejection Ratio	$V^- = -1\text{V}, V^+ = 1.8\text{V}$ to $10.75\text{V}$	●	100 95	110	dB dB	
PSRR <sup>-</sup>	Negative Power Supply Rejection Ratio	$V^+ = 1.5\text{V}, V^- = -1.3\text{V}$ to $-10.25\text{V}$	●	103 100	126	dB dB	
		Supply Voltage Range ( $V^+ - V^-$ ) (Note 5)	●	2.8	11.75	V	
$V_{OL}$	Output Swing Low ( $V_{OUT} - V^-$ )	No Load	●	7	18 32	mV mV	
		$I_{SINK} = 5\text{mA}$	●	40	70 90	mV mV	
		$I_{SINK} = 25\text{mA}$	●	150	220 300	mV mV	
$V_{OH}$	Output Swing High ( $V_{CC} - V^+$ )	No Load	●	26	48 58	mV mV	
		$I_{SINK} = 5\text{mA}$	●	93	144 185	mV mV	
		$I_{SOURCE} = 25\text{mA}$	●	255	347 459	mV mV	
$I_{SC}$	Output Short-Circuit Current	Sourcing	●	-110	-65 -52	mA mA	
		Sinking	●	70 45	110	mA mA	
$I_S$	Supply Current per Channel		●	16.5	17.8 19.6	mA mA	
$I_{SD}$	Disable Supply Current per Channel, Amplifier Off	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 2.65\text{V}$	●	300	380 430	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$	
$V_{L\_SHDN}$	SHDN Pin Input Voltage Low, Disable Amplifier		●		$V^+ - 2.65$	V	
$V_{H\_SHDN}$	SHDN Pin Input Voltage High, Enable Amplifier		●	$V^+ - 1.6$		V	
$V_{L\_IBIAS}$	SHDN Pin Input Voltage Low, Disable Bias Cancellation		●		$V^+ - 1$	V	
$V_{H\_IBIAS}$	SHDN Pin Input Voltage Low, Enable Bias Cancellation		●	$V^+ - 0.35$		V	
$I_{L\_SHDN}$	SHDN Pin Input Current, Disable Amplifier	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 2.65\text{V}$	●	-10	-2.5	10	$\mu\text{A}$

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( $V_S = 5V, 0V$ )** The ● denotes the specifications which apply over the full operating temperature range, otherwise specifications are at  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ .  $V_S = 5V, 0V, V_{CM} = V_{OUT} = 2.5V, V_{SHDN} = \text{floating}$  unless otherwise noted.

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
$I_{H\_SHDN}$	SHDN Pin Input Current, Enable Amplifier	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 1.6V$	● -10	-0.3	10	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{L\_BIAS}$	SHDN Pin Input Current Low, Disable Bias Cancellation	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 1V$	● -10	0.265	10	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{H\_BIAS}$	SHDN Pin Input Current Low, Enable Bias Cancellation	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 0.35V$	● -10	1	10	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{OSD}$	Output Leakage Current in Shutdown	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 2.65V$ , OUT Shorted to $V^+$ or $V^-$		100		nA
BW	-3dB Closed Loop Bandwidth	$A_V = 1, R_L = 1k\Omega$ to Half Supply		800		MHz
GBW	Gain-Bandwidth Product	$f = 5\text{MHz}, R_L = 1k\Omega$ to Half Supply	● 700 600	865		MHz MHz
$t_{ON}$	Turn-On Time	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 2.65V$ to $V^+ - 1.6V$		900		ns
$t_{OFF}$	Turn-Off Time	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 1.6V$ to $V^+ - 2.65V$		500		ns
$t_{S\ 0.1}$	Settling Time to 0.1%	$A_V = 1, 2V$ Output Step, $R_L = 1k\Omega$		26		ns
SR	Slew Rate	$A_V = +4, 4V$ Output Step (Note 8)		350		V/ $\mu\text{s}$
FPBW	Full Power Bandwidth	$V_{OUT} = 4V_{P-P}, A_V = +2, THD < -40\text{dBc}$		18		MHz
HD2/HD3	Harmonic Distortion, $R_L = 1k\Omega$ to Half Supply	$f_C = 100\text{kHz}, V_O = 2V_{P-P}$		-106/-130		dBc
		$f_C = 1\text{MHz}, V_O = 2V_{P-P}$		-95/-105		dBc
	Harmonic Distortion, $R_L = 100\Omega$ to Half Supply	$f_C = 5\text{MHz}, V_O = 2V_{P-P}$		-88/-114		dBc
		$f_C = 10\text{MHz}, V_O = 2V_{P-P}$		-78/-90		dBc
		$f_C = 100\text{kHz}, V_O = 2V_{P-P}$		-112/-115		dBc
		$f_C = 1\text{MHz}, V_O = 2V_{P-P}$		-99/-120		dBc
$\Delta G$	Differential Gain (NTSC)	$A_V = 2, R_L = 150\Omega$		0.005		%
		$A_V = +1, R_L = 1k\Omega$		0.002		%
$\Delta\theta$	Differential Phase (NTSC)	$A_V = 2, R_L = 150\Omega$		0.007		Deg
		$A_V = +1, R_L = 1k\Omega$		0.018		Deg

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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
$V_{OS}$	Input Offset Voltage		● -110 -300	24	110 300	$\mu\text{V}$ $\mu\text{V}$
$\Delta V_{OS}$	Input Offset Voltage Match (LTC6229)		● -140 -400	18	140 400	$\mu\text{V}$ $\mu\text{V}$
$T_{CVOS}$	Input Offset Voltage Drift		●	0.4		$\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
$I_B$	Input Bias Current (Note 6)	Bias Cancellation Disabled	● -38 -44	-16		$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$
		Bias Cancellation Enabled	● -3.5 -4.3	1.5	3.5 4.1	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$
$\Delta I_B$	Input Bias Current Match (LTC6229)	Bias Cancellation Disabled	● -2 -3	0.3	2 3	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$
		Bias Cancellation Enabled	● -3 -4	0.3	3 4	$\mu\text{A}$ $\mu\text{A}$

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( $V_S = 3V, 0V$ )

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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
$I_{OS}$	Input Offset Current	Bias Cancellation Disabled	● -0.55 -0.8	0.1	0.55 0.8	$\mu A$ $\mu A$
		Bias Cancellation Enabled	● -0.9 -1	0.15	0.9 1	$\mu A$ $\mu A$
$\Delta I_{OS}$	Input Offset Current Match (LTC6229)	Bias Cancellation Disabled	● -1 -1.4	0.15	1 1.4	$\mu A$ $\mu A$
		Bias Cancellation Enabled	● -1.3 -1.6	0.25	1.3 1.6	$\mu A$ $\mu A$
$e_n$	Input Noise Voltage Spectral Density	$f = 1MHz$		0.88		$nV/\sqrt{Hz}$
	Integrated 1/f Noise	0.1Hz to 10Hz		0.94		$\mu V_{P-P}$
$i_n$	Input Current Noise Spectral Density	$f = 1MHz$ Bias Cancellation Disabled		3		$pA/\sqrt{Hz}$
		$f = 1MHz$ Bias Cancellation Enabled		6.3		$pA/\sqrt{Hz}$
$C_{IN}$	Input Capacitance	Differential Mode		3.5		pF
		Common Mode		1.5		pF
$R_{IN}$	Input Resistance	Differential Mode		2.6		$k\Omega$
		Common Mode		4		$M\Omega$
$A_{VOL}$	Large Signal Voltage Gain	$R_L = 1k\Omega$ to Half Supply, ( $V_{OUT} = V_{CM} \pm 1V$ )	● 118 113	130		dB dB
		$R_L = 100\Omega$ to Half Supply, ( $V_{OUT} = V_{CM} \pm 1V$ )		120		dB
CMRR	Common Mode Rejection Ratio	$V_{CM} = V^-$ to $V^+ - 1.2V$	● 95 91	110		dB dB
$V_{CMR}$	Input Common Mode Range		● $V^- - 0.1$		$V^+ - 1.2$	V
PSRR <sup>+</sup>	Positive Power Supply Rejection Ratio	$V^- = -1V, V^+ = 1.8V$ to $10.75V$	● 100 95	110		dB dB
PSRR <sup>-</sup>	Negative Power Supply Rejection Ratio	$V^+ = 1.5V, V^- = -1.3V$ to $-10.25V$	● 101 99	126		dB dB
	Supply Voltage Range ( $V^+ - V^-$ ) (Note 5)		● 2.8		11.75	V
$V_{OL}$	Output Swing Low ( $V_{OUT} - V^-$ )	No Load	● ●	7	10 18	mV mV
		$I_{SINK} = 5mA$	●	48	74 100	mV mV
		$I_{SINK} = 25mA$	●	165	320 430	mV mV
$V_{OH}$	Output Swing High ( $V_{CC} - V^+$ )	No Load	● ●	27	49 59	mV mV
		$I_{SINK} = 5mA$	●	106	166 213	mV mV
		$I_{SOURCE} = 25mA$	●	290	520 580	mV mV
$I_{SC}$	Output Short-Circuit Current	Sourcing		-67		mA
		Sinking		84		mA
$I_S$	Supply Current per Channel		●	16.4	17.6 19	mA mA
$I_{SD}$	Disable Supply Current per Channel, Amplifier Off	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 2.65V$	●	260	305 350	$\mu A$ $\mu A$



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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	
$V_{L\_SHDN}$	SHDN Pin Input Voltage Low, Disable Amplifier		●		$V^+ - 2.65$	V	
$V_{H\_SHDN}$	SHDN Pin Input Voltage High, Enable Amplifier		●	$V^+ - 1.6$		V	
$V_{L\_IBIAS}$	SHDN Pin Input Voltage Low, Disable Bias Cancellation		●		$V^+ - 1$	V	
$V_{H\_IBIAS}$	SHDN Pin Input Voltage Low, Enable Bias Cancellation		●	$V^+ - 0.35$		V	
$I_{L\_SHDN}$	SHDN Pin Input Current, Disable Amplifier	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 2.65V$	●	-10	-2.5	10	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{H\_SHDN}$	SHDN Pin Input Current, Enable Amplifier	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 1.6V$	●	-10	-0.3	10	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{L\_IBIAS}$	SHDN Pin Input Current Low, Disable Bias Cancellation	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 1V$	●	-10	0.265	10	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{H\_IBIAS}$	SHDN Pin Input Current Low, Enable Bias Cancellation	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 0.35V$	●	-10	1	10	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{OSD}$	Output Leakage Current in Shutdown	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 2.65V$ , OUT Shorted to $V^+$ or $V^-$			100		nA
BW	-3dB Closed Loop Bandwidth	$A_V = 1$ , $R_L = 1k\Omega$ to Half Supply			763		MHz
GBW	Gain-Bandwidth Product	$f = 5\text{MHz}$ , $R_L = 1k\Omega$ to Half Supply	●	700 560	845		MHz MHz
$t_{ON}$	Turn-On Time	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 2.65V$ to $V^+ - 1.6V$			900		ns
$t_{OFF}$	Turn-Off Time	$V_{SHDN} = V^+ - 1.6V$ to $V^+ - 2.65V$			500		ns
$t_{S,0.1}$	Settling Time to 0.1%	$A_V = 1$ , $V_{CM} = 1V$ , 1V Output Step, $R_L = 1k\Omega$			31		ns
SR	Slew Rate	$A_V = +4$ , 2V Output Step			200		V/ $\mu\text{s}$
FPBW	Full Power Bandwidth	$V_{OUT} = 2V_{P-P}$ , $V_{CM} = 1V$ , $A_V = -1$ , THD < -40dBc			22		MHz
HD2/HD3	Harmonic Distortion, $R_L = 1k\Omega$ to $V_{CM}$ , $V_{OUT} = 1V_{P-P}$ , $V_{CM} = 1.25V$	$f_C = 100\text{kHz}$ $f_C = 1\text{MHz}$ $f_C = 5\text{MHz}$ $f_C = 10\text{MHz}$			-106/-127 -110/-128 -82/-105 -77/-96		dBc dBc dBc dBc
	Harmonic Distortion, $R_L = 100\Omega$ to $V_{CM}$ , $V_{OUT} = 1V_{P-P}$ , $V_{CM} = 1.25V$	$f_C = 100\text{kHz}$ $f_C = 1\text{MHz}$ $f_C = 5\text{MHz}$ $f_C = 10\text{MHz}$			-116/-123 -105/-132 -89/-98 -77/-86		dBc dBc dBc dBc

**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 inputs are protected by back-to-back diodes. If any of the input or shutdown pins goes 300mV beyond either supply or the differential input voltage exceeds 0.7V, the input current should be limited to less than 10mA.

**Note 3:** A heat sink may be required to keep the junction temperature below the absolute maximum rating when the output current is high.

**Note 4:** The LTC6228/LTC6229I is guaranteed functional and specified over the temperature range of  $-40^\circ\text{C}$  to  $85^\circ\text{C}$ . The LTC6228H/LTC6229H is guaranteed functional and specified over the temperature range of  $-40^\circ\text{C}$  to  $125^\circ\text{C}$ .

**Note 5:** Supply range voltage is guaranteed by power supply rejection ratio test.

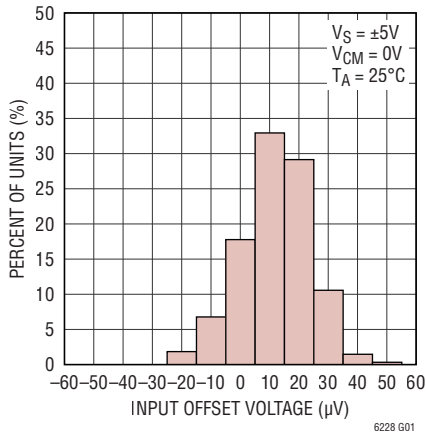
**Note 6:** The input bias current is the average of the currents through the non-inverting and inverting input pins.

**Note 7:** Thermal resistance varies with the amount of PC board metal connected to the package. The specified values are with short traces connected to the leads with minimal metal area.

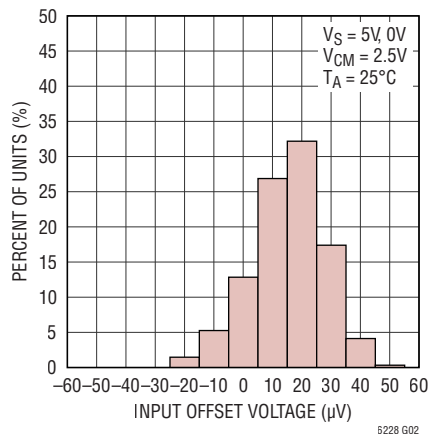
**Note 8:** Middle 2/3 of the output waveform is observed.  $R_L = 1k\Omega$  at half supply.

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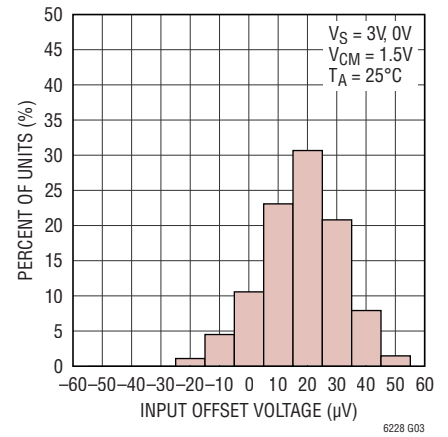
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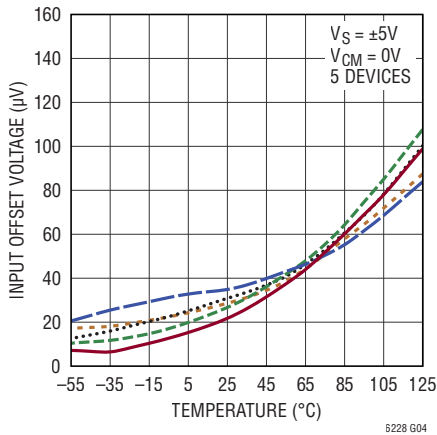
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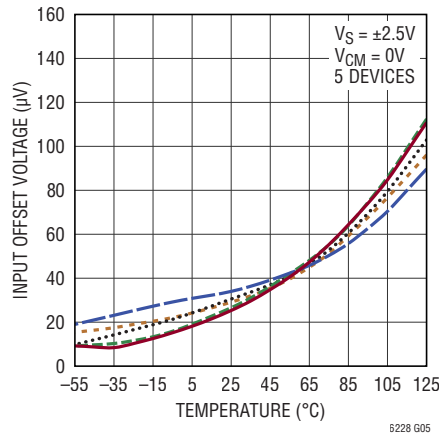
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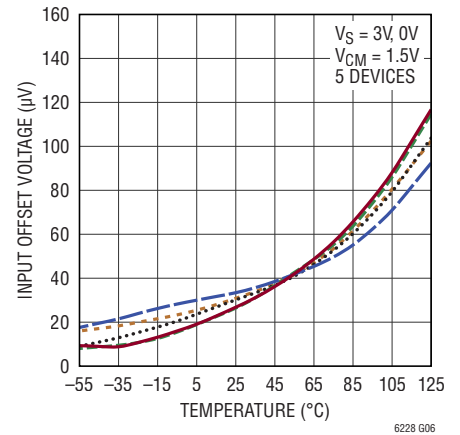
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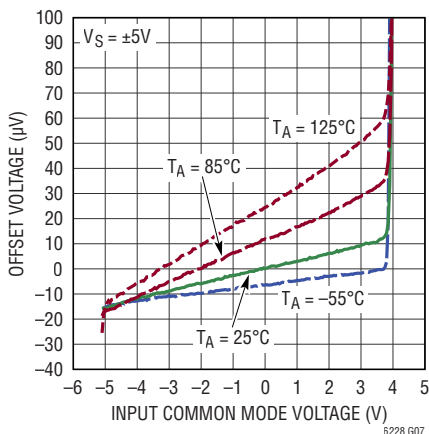
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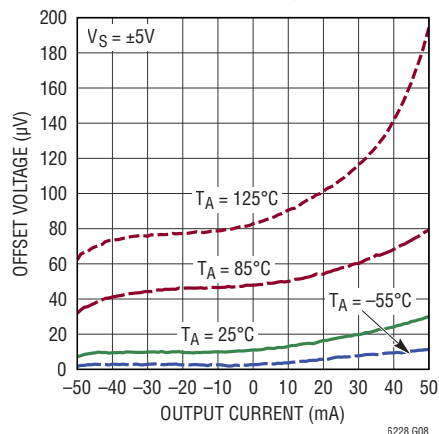
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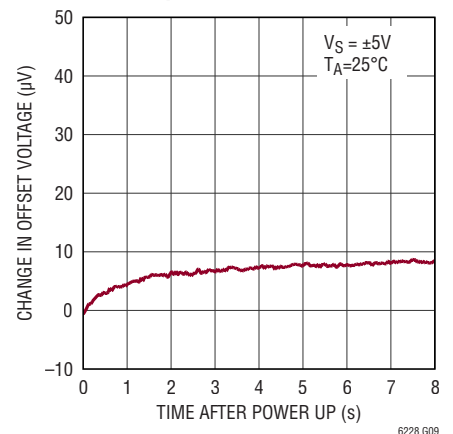
**Offset Voltage vs Input Common Mode Voltage**



**Offset Voltage vs Output Current**

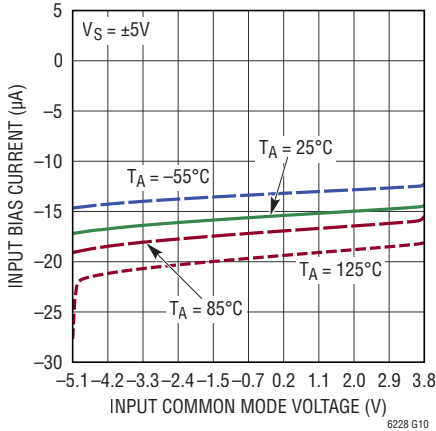


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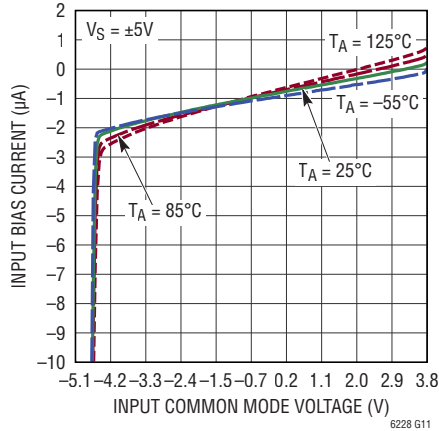


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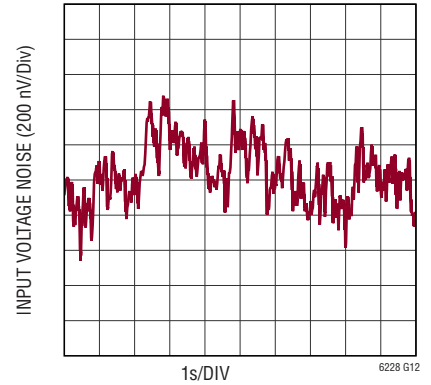
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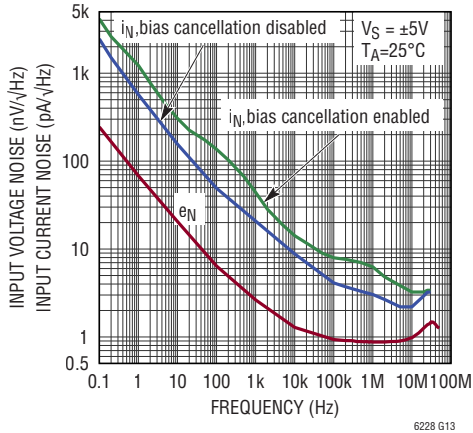
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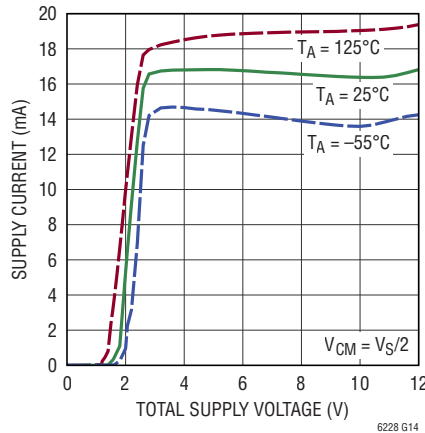
**0.1Hz to 10Hz Voltage Noise**



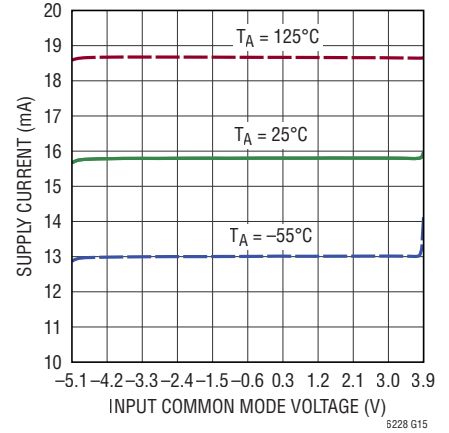
**Input Voltage Noise and Current Noise Spectral Densities vs Frequency**



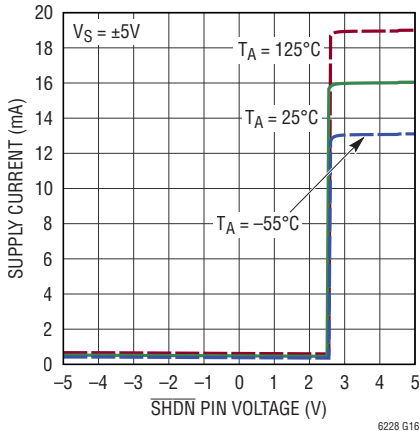
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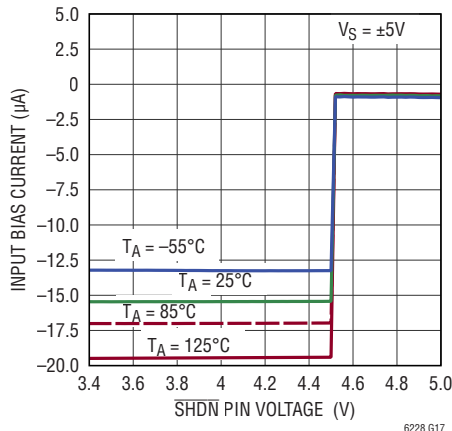
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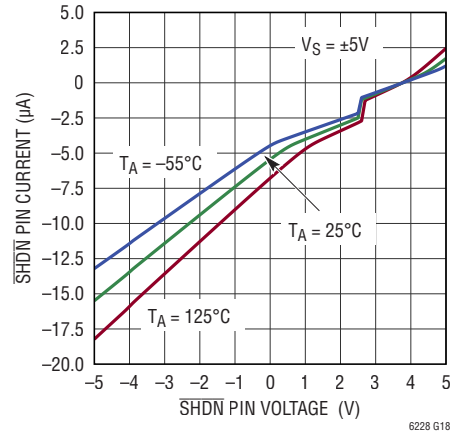
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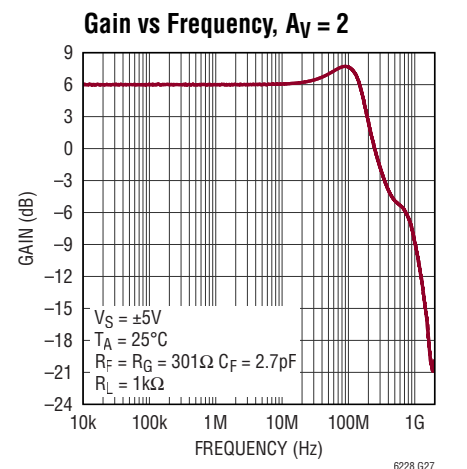
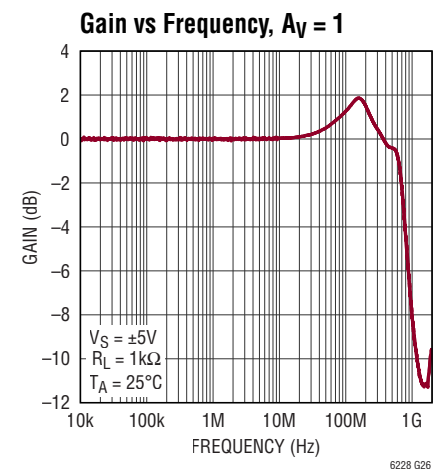
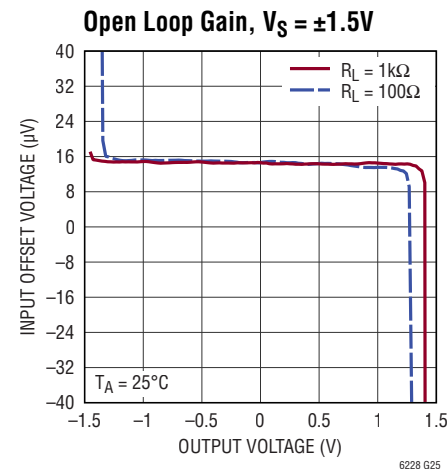
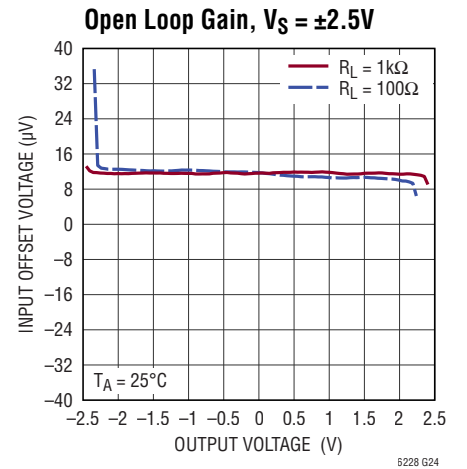
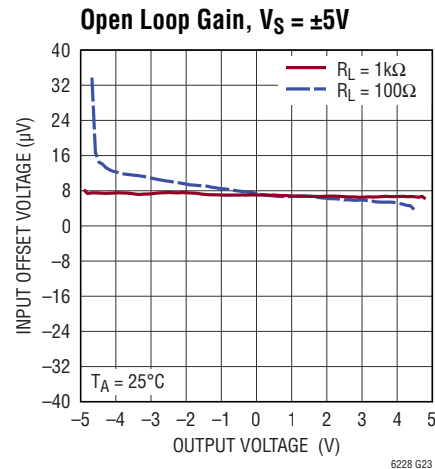
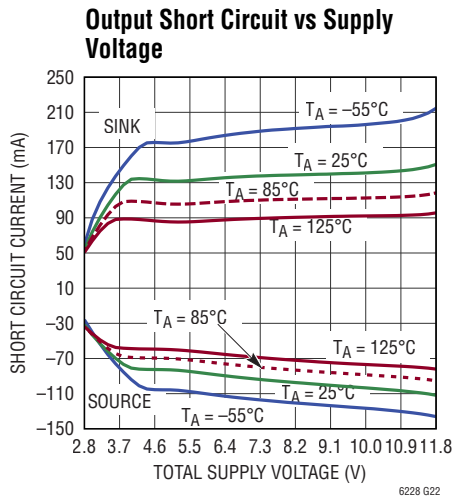
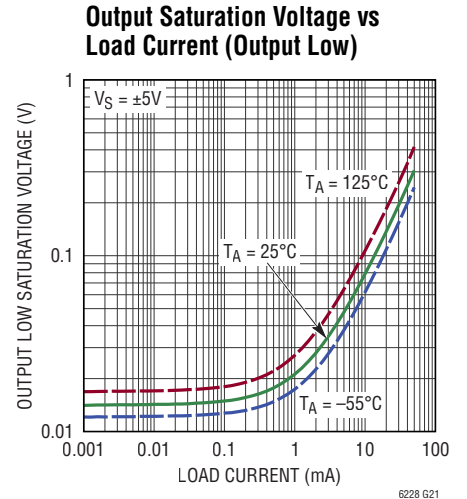
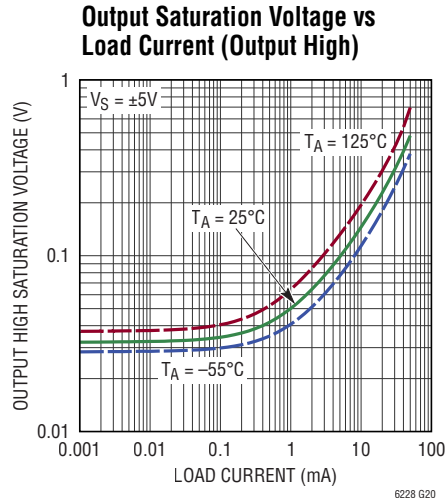
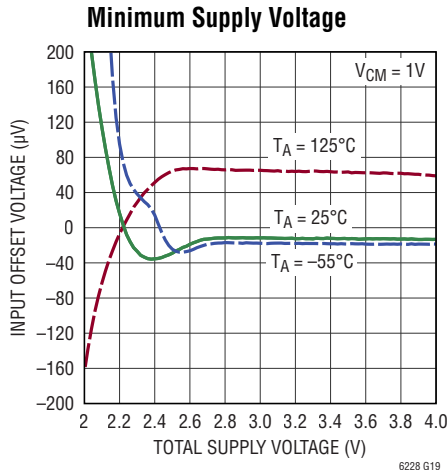
**Input Bias Current vs SHDN Pin Voltage**



**SHDN Pin Current vs SHDN Pin Voltage**

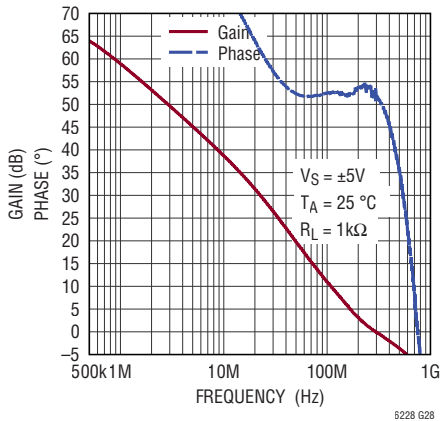


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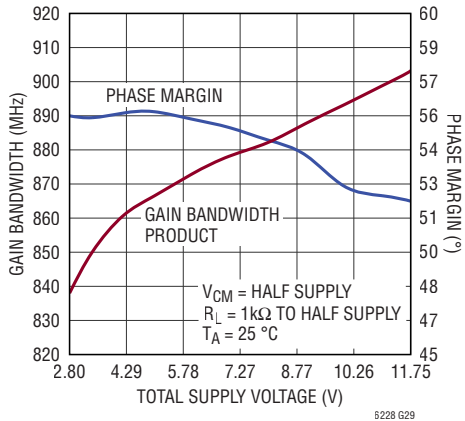


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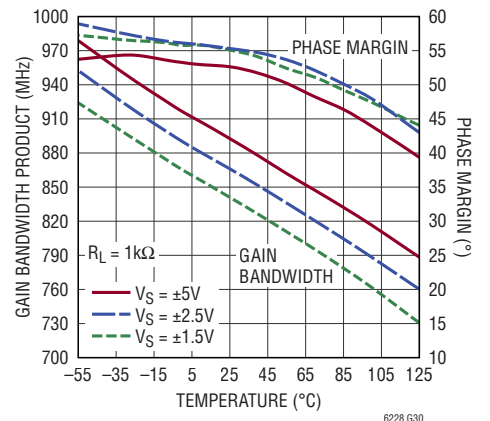
**Open Loop Gain and Phase vs Frequency**



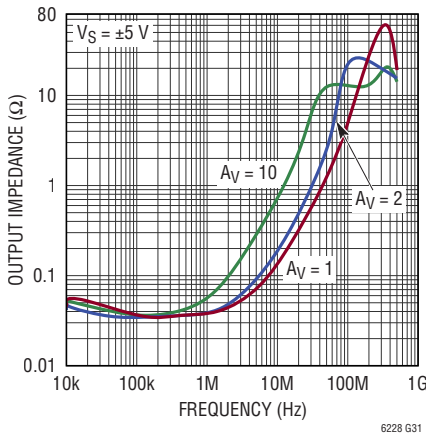
**Gain Bandwidth and Phase Margin vs Supply Voltage**



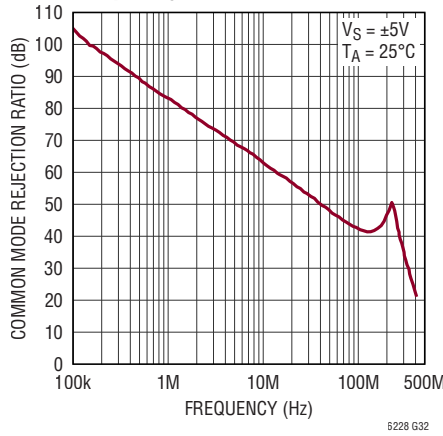
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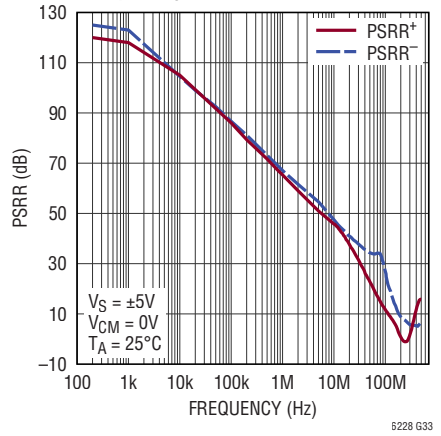
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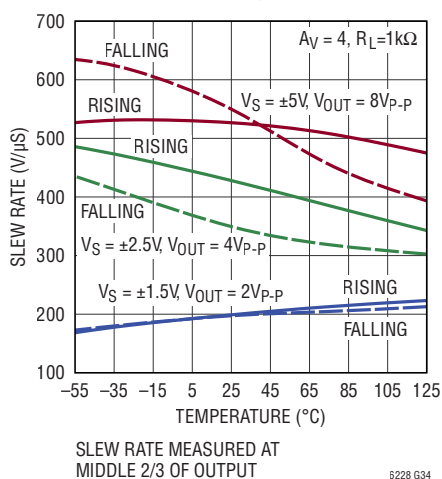
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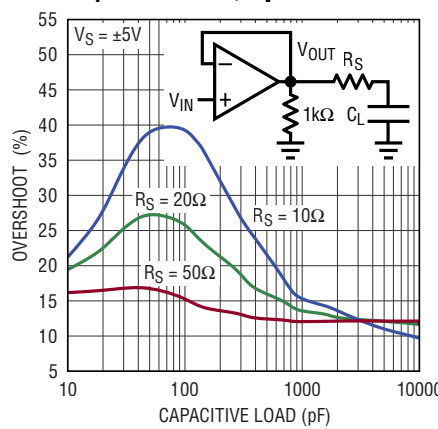
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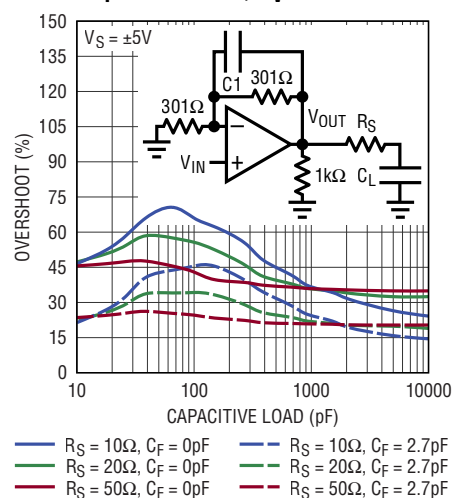
**Slew Rate vs Temperature**



**Series Output Resistor vs Capacitive Load, AV = 1**

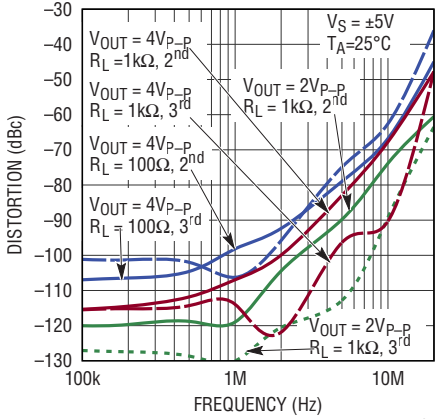


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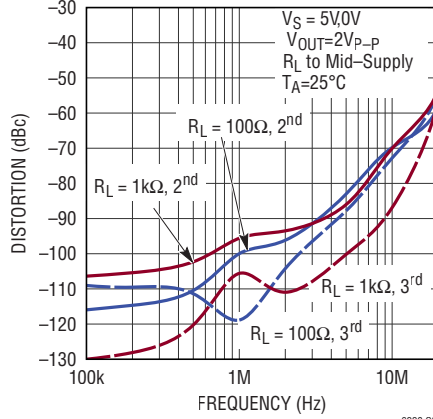
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**Distortion vs Frequency,  $A_V = 1$ ,  $\pm 5V$  Supply**



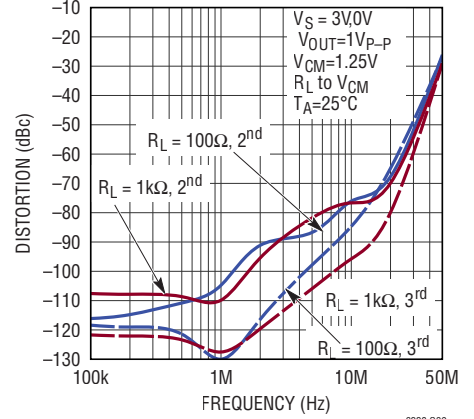
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**Distortion vs Frequency,  $A_V = 1$ , 5V Supply**



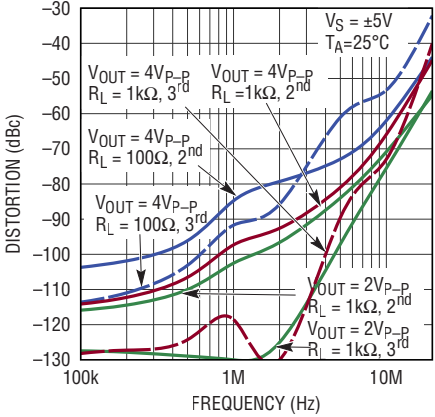
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**Distortion vs Frequency,  $A_V = 1$ , 3V Supply**



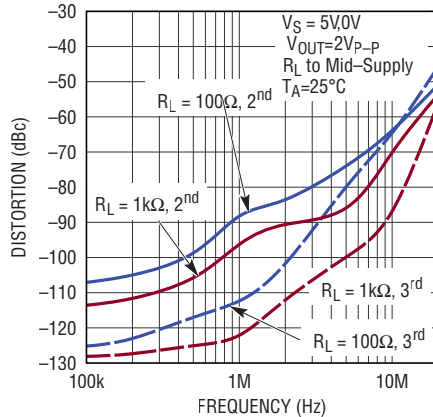
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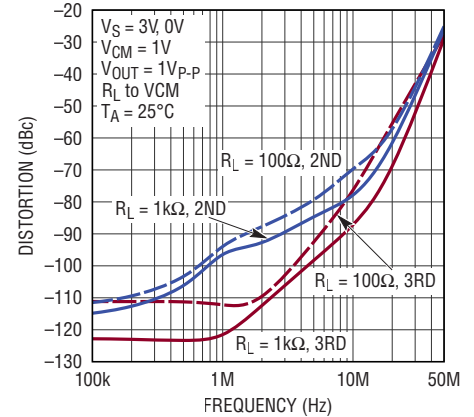
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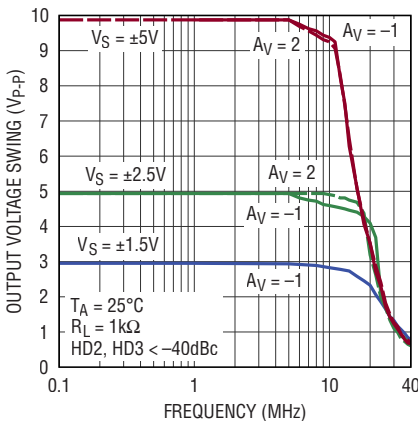
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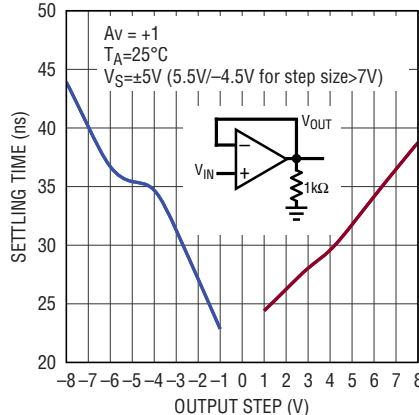
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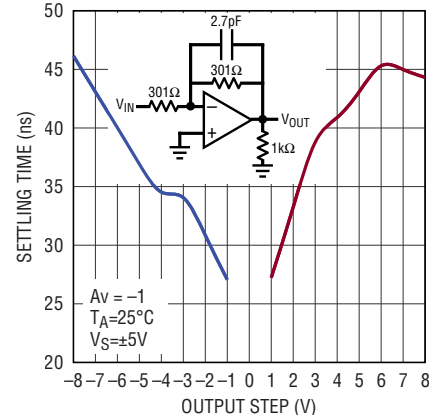
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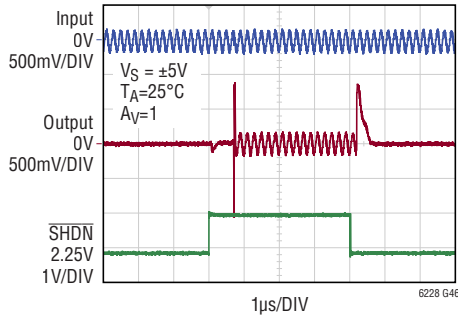
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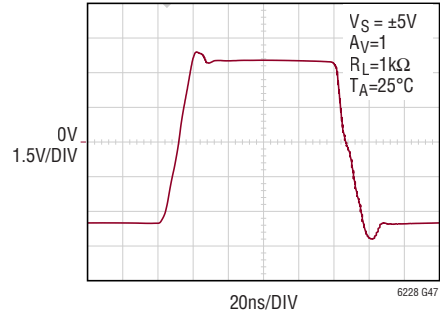
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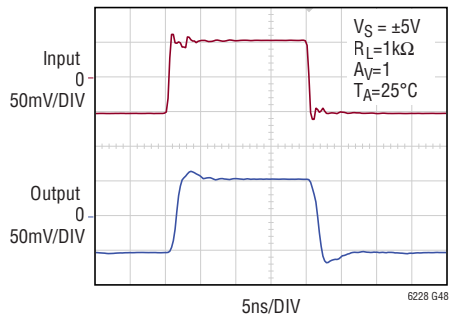
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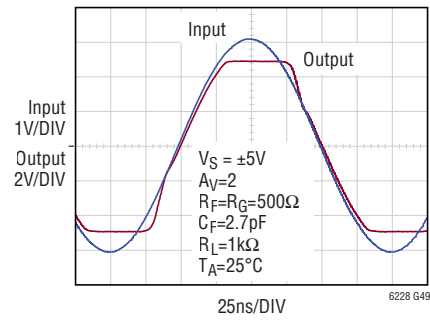
**Large Signal Response**



**Small Signal Response**



**Output Overdrive Recovery**



## PIN FUNCTIONS

**FB (SOIC-8 Only):** Feedback Pin. Internally connected to OUT.

**+IN:** Non-Inverting Input of Amplifier. Valid input range is from  $V^-$  to  $V^+ - 1.2V$

**-IN:** Inverting Input of Amplifier. Valid input range is from  $V^-$  to  $V^+ - 1.2V$

**OUT:** Output of the Amplifier. Swings rail to rail and can typically source/sink more than 90mA of current.

**$\overline{\text{SHDN}}$ :** Shutdown Pin (Active Low). Referenced to  $V^+$ . When taken 2.75V below  $V^+$ , the amplifier shuts down and enters low power mode, with the outputs in a high impedance state. When taken to within 350mV of  $V^+$ , bias current cancellation is enabled. When left floating, the amplifier is on but bias cancellation is not enabled.

**$V^+$ :** Positive Supply to Amplifier. Valid range is from 2.8V to 11.75V when  $V^-$  is 0V.

**$V^-$ :** Negative Supply to Amplifier. Typically 0V. This can be made a negative voltage as long as  $2.8V \leq (V^+ - V^-) \leq 11.75V$



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### Circuit Description

The LTC6228/LTC6229 have an input signal range that extends from the negative power supply to 1.2V below the positive power supply. Figure 1 depicts a simplified schematic of the amplifier. The input stage consists of PNP transistors Q1 and Q2. At the input stage, devices Q18 and Q19 act to cancel the bias current of the input pair when bias cancellation is enabled. Bootstrap transistor Q13 and R5 match the collector and emitter voltages of Q11 and Q12, thus enhancing gain by improving output impedance. By making the collector current of Q13 twice that of Q11 and Q12, the base currents of Q11 and Q12 do not contribute towards mismatch between the collector currents of Q9 and Q8. This improves DC accuracy. A pair of complementary common emitter stages, Q15 and Q14, enables the output to swing to either rail. The  $\overline{\text{SHDN}}$  Interface block translates the  $\overline{\text{SHDN}}$  signal into 2 signals,  $\text{pwr\_dn}$  for powering down the device (by deactivating current sources I1 - I4) and putting the output in a high impedance state (by shorting the bases of Q15/Q14 to the

supplies via M2 and M1), and  $\text{disable\_bias}$ , which disables the input bias cancellation circuit, by shorting the base of Q19 to  $V^-$  through M3.

### Input Bias Current

The LTC6228 family has an input bias current of approximately  $16\mu\text{A}$ . For the LTC6228 and the LTC6229DD10, the input bias current can be reduced to under  $2.5\mu\text{A}$  at room temperature when the  $\overline{\text{SHDN}}$  pin voltage is taken to within 350mV of the positive power supply. This capability enables the input bias current cancellation circuitry, allowing the amplifiers to be used in DC applications involving source impedances.

When input bias current cancellation is enabled and the input common mode voltage is within approximately 500mV of  $V^-$ , the bias cancellation is no longer effective, because transistors Q18 and Q19 in Figure 1 enter saturation. The input bias current can then exceed  $50\mu\text{A}$  or higher, which is more than the input bias current

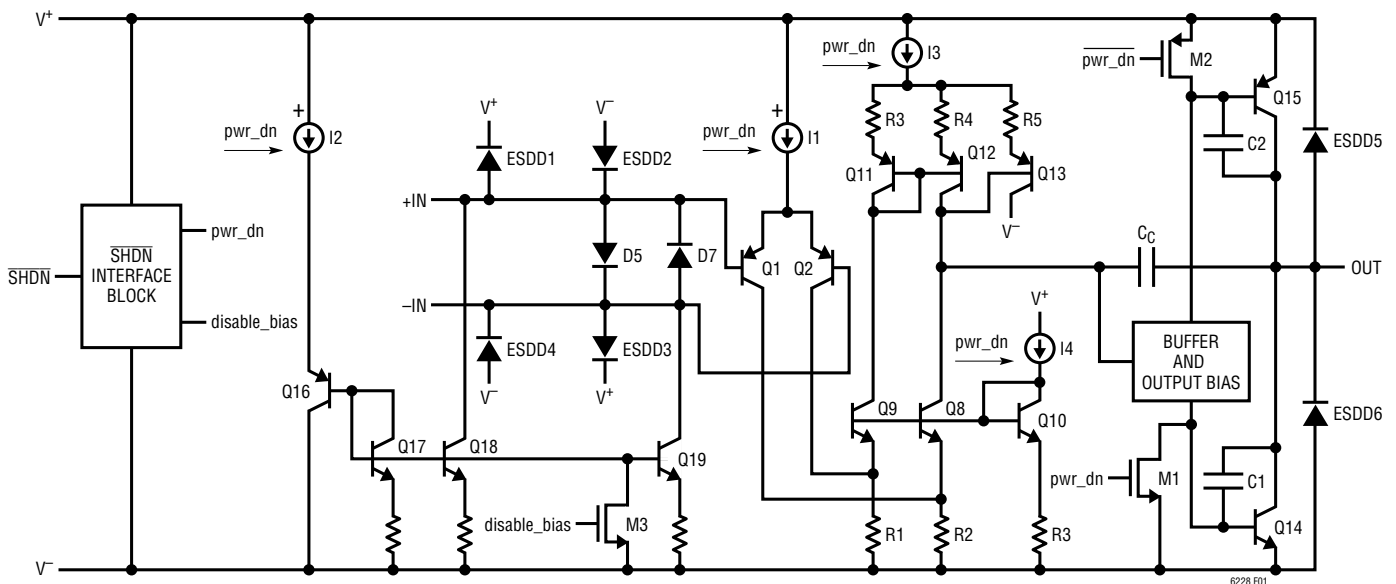


Figure 1. LTC6228 Simplified Schematic Diagram

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without input bias cancellation. Additionally when input bias current cancellation is enabled, the current noise increases. The decision to use input bias cancellation should be made with the end application's specifications and conditions in mind.

If the  $\overline{\text{SHDN}}$  pin is left floating, input bias cancellation is not enabled, which may be suitable for many applications.

### Output

The LTC6228 family has excellent output drive capability. The amplifiers can typically deliver more than 90mA of output current at a total supply of 10V, and can typically swing to within 320mV of the supply with load currents as high as 25mA. As the supply voltage to the amplifier decreases, the output current capability also decreases. Attention must be paid to keep the junction temperature of the IC below 150°C (refer to Power Dissipation section) when the output is in continuous short-circuit. The output of the amplifier has reverse-biased diodes connected to each supply. If the output is forced beyond either supply, extremely high currents will flow through those diodes, which may result in damage to the device.

### Input Protection

The LTC6228 has a pair of back to back diodes (D5 and D7) to prevent the emitter base breakdown of the input transistors and limit the differential input to  $\pm 700\text{mV}$ . Unlike many other high performance amplifiers, the bases of the input pair transistors Q1 and Q2 are not connected to the pins through internal resistors to limit input current, since doing so would cause the noise to increase. For instance, a  $100\Omega$  resistor in series with each input generates  $1.8\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$  of noise, and the total amplifier noise voltage would rise from  $0.88\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$  to  $2\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$ . If the input differential voltage exceeds  $\pm 0.7\text{V}$ , current conducted through the protection diodes D5 and D7 should be limited to under 10mA. This implies  $25\Omega$  of protection resistance per quarter volt (250mV) of overdrive beyond  $\pm 0.7\text{V}$ . In addition, the input and shutdown pins

have reverse biased diodes connected to the supplies. The current in these diodes must be limited to under 10mA. The amplifiers should not be used as comparators or in other open loop applications.

### ESD

The LTC6228 family has reverse biased ESD protection diodes on all inputs as shown in Figure 1. There is an additional clamp between the positive and negative supplies that further protects the device during ESD strikes.

Hot plugging of the device into a powered socket should be avoided since this can trigger the clamp resulting in larger currents flowing between the supply pins.

### Capacitive Loads

Because the LTC6228/LTC6229 is designed for high bandwidth applications, the output has not been designed to drive capacitive loads directly. Load capacitance at the output creates a non-dominant pole in the open loop frequency response, worsening the phase margin. When driving capacitive loads, a resistor of  $10\Omega$  to  $100\Omega$  should be connected between the amplifier output and the capacitive load to avoid ringing or oscillation. The feedback should be taken directly from the amplifier output. Higher voltage gain configurations tend to have better capacitive drive capability than lower gain configurations due to lower closed loop bandwidth. The graphs titled Series Output Resistor vs Capacitive Load demonstrate the transient response of the amplifier when driving capacitive loads with various series resistors.

### Feedback Components

When feedback resistors are used to set up gain, care must be taken to ensure that the non-dominant pole formed by the feedback resistors and the parasitic capacitance at the inverting input does not degrade stability. For example if the amplifier is set up in a gain of +2 configuration with gain and feedback resistors of 1k, a parasitic capacitance of 7pF (device + PC board) at the amplifier's

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inverting input will cause the part to oscillate, due to the pole formed at 45MHz. Adding a capacitor of 7pF across the feedback resistor as shown in Figure 2 will eliminate any ringing or oscillation. In general, if the resistive feedback network results in a pole whose frequency lies within the closed loop bandwidth of the amplifier, a capacitor can be added in parallel with the feedback resistor to introduce a zero whose frequency is close to the frequency of the pole, improving stability.

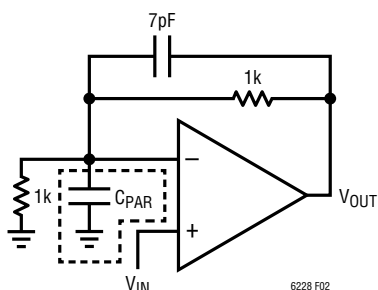


Figure 2. 7pF Feedback Cancels Parasitic Pole

For high speed designs, minimizing parasitic inductance is important. The use of capacitors where the electrodes are terminated on the long side instead of the short side (for example the use of 0306 instead of 0603 components) can help in this regard.

### Shutdown

The LTC6228/LTC6229 have shutdown pins ( $\overline{\text{SHDN}}$ ), which disable the amplifiers and reduce the quiescent current per channel to approximately 500 $\mu$ A. The  $\overline{\text{SHDN}}$  pin needs to be driven at least 2.75V below  $V^+$  to disable amplifier operation. For total supply voltages of 5V and or less, the amplifier can be disabled at a pin voltage of  $V^+ - 2.65$ V. During shutdown, the output transistors Q15 and Q14 in Figure 1 are placed into a high impedance state. If  $\overline{\text{SHDN}}$  is left floating, the pin is internally biased to 1.2V below the positive supply, and the amplifier remains on.

### Power Dissipation

Care must be taken to ensure that the junction temperature of the die does not exceed 150°C.

The junction temperature,  $T_J$ , is calculated from the ambient temperature,  $T_A$ , power dissipation,  $P_D$ , and thermal resistance,  $\theta_{JA}$ :

$$T_J = T_A + (P_D \cdot \theta_{JA}).$$

The power dissipation in the IC is a function of the supply voltage, output voltage and load resistance. For a given supply voltage with output load connected to mid supply, the worst-case power dissipation  $P_{D(\text{MAX})}$  occurs when the supply current is maximum and the output voltage at half of either supply voltage for a given load resistance.  $P_{D(\text{MAX})}$  is approximately (since  $I_S$  actually changes with output load current) given by:

$$P_{D(\text{MAX})} = (2 \cdot V_S \cdot I_{S(\text{MAX})}) + (V_S/2)^2/R_L$$

Example: For an LTC6228 in a 6-lead DC package operating on  $\pm 5$ V supplies and driving a 500 $\Omega$  load to ground, the worst-case power dissipation is approximately given by  $P_{D(\text{MAX})}/\text{Amp} = (10 \cdot 19\text{mA}) + (5)^2/500 = 240\text{mW}$ .

At the Absolute Maximum ambient operating temperature, the junction temperature under these conditions will be:

$$T_J = T_A + (P_D \cdot \theta_{JA}) = 125 + 0.24 \cdot 80 = 144.2^\circ\text{C}$$

which is slightly less than the absolute maximum junction temperature for the LTC6228/LTC6229.

Refer to the Pin Configuration section for thermal resistances of various packages

### Board Layout and Bypass Capacitors

High speed and RF board layout techniques should be used due to the very high speeds of the signals involved. For the LTC6228 SOIC-8 package option, the feedback should be taken from the FB pin rather than from the output pin, to reduce signal trace length.

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Stray capacitances at the –IN and +IN pins should be made as low as possible to reduce stability degradation. For example, ground or supply planes on a PCB should not encompass the areas just beneath the input pins.

For single supply applications, it is recommended that high quality 0.1μF||1000pF ceramic bypass capacitors be placed directly between each V<sup>+</sup> pin and its closest V<sup>–</sup> pin with short connections. The V<sup>–</sup> pins (including the Exposed Pad) should be tied directly to a low impedance ground plane with minimal routing. For dual (split) power supplies, it is recommended that additional high quality 0.1μF||1000pF ceramic capacitors be used to bypass V<sup>+</sup> pins to ground and V<sup>–</sup> pins to ground, again with minimal routing.

### Noise Considerations

The ultralow input referred voltage noise of 0.88nV/√Hz is equivalent to that of a 47Ω resistor at room temperature. As with all BJT input amplifiers, lowering input referred voltage noise is achieved by increasing the collector current of the input differential pair, which increases the input referred current noise.

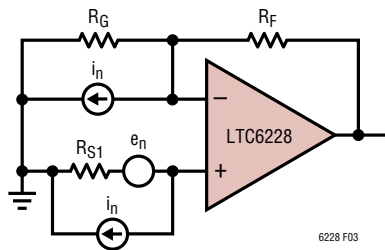


Figure 3.

Figure 3 shows the LTC6228 in a typical gain configuration.

As can be seen, the input referred noise spectral density of the gain stage ( $e_T$ ) can be calculated by the following equations:

$$e_T^2 = \underbrace{e_n^2}_{\text{opamp voltage noise}} + \underbrace{i_n^2 R_{EQ}^2}_{\text{opamp current noise}} + \underbrace{4KTR}_{\text{resistor thermal noise}} R_{EQ}$$

Where

$$R_{EQ} = R_{S1} + R_G || R_F$$

Op amp input referred noise dominates the input referred noise of the gain stage when

$$R_{EQ} \ll e_n^2 / 4KT$$

Resistor noise dominates the input referred noise of the gain stage when

$$R_{EQ} \gg e_n^2 / 4KT \text{ and } R_{EQ} \ll 4KT / i_n^2$$

Op amp input referred current noise dominates the input referred noise when

$$R_{EQ} \gg 4KT / i_n^2$$

To summarize, initially  $e_n$  dominates for low resistance values. As the resistance increased, resistor noise starts to dominate, then on further increase current noise dominates.

With an input referred voltage noise spectral density of 0.88nV/√Hz and an input referred current noise of 3pA/√Hz (bias cancellation disabled), it is easy to see that the gain stage's input referred noise is dominated by op amp voltage noise when  $R_{EQ} \ll 47\Omega$  and by resistor noise when

$$55\Omega \ll R_{EQ} \ll 1.8k\Omega.$$

Above an  $R_{EQ}$  of 1.8kΩ, input referred current noise dominates.

### Distortion/Noise Trade-Off

As evident from the previous section, gain stage noise can be reduced by reducing  $R_{EQ}$ . However, reducing  $R_{EQ}$ , by reducing  $R_F$  and  $R_G$ , has its disadvantages. In addition to increasing power dissipation in the presence of large output signals, the use of smaller resistors for a given gain results in increased distortion, because the internal nonlinearities of the op amp worsen with increasing load current. In addition, smaller resistors decrease op amp gain and hence can affect bandwidth. The disadvantage, however of making the resistors too large is that parasitic capacitance can start to affect the gain at high frequencies. Hence when designing a system using the LTC6228, it is recommended that the resistor values be limited only by the system noise requirements, with the caveat that the effect of the impedances parasitic capacitances shouldn't affect the gain below the intended bandwidth. For example, for a feedback resistor of 5k, a parasitic capacitor of 400fF will impact gain at frequencies above 79MHz.

## TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

### 18-Bit High Speed ADC Driver

The ultralow noise and distortion performance of the LTC6228 makes it an excellent candidate for driving high speed high resolution ADCs with fast, large amplitude signals. Figure 4 shows a pair of LTC6228s driven by a differential input, driving an LTC2387-18, a 15MSPS, 18-bit ADC. Figure 5 shows an FFT obtained with a  $-1\text{dBFS}$ , 1MHz input signal. The obtained SNR is 93.4dB, better than the LTC2387-18's guaranteed SNR of 93dB, and close to its typical value of 95.7dB. Spurious free dynamic range is an excellent 95dB, close to the LTC2387-18's guaranteed SFDR of 97dB.

### High Speed Low Voltage Low Noise Instrumentation Amplifier

Figure 6 shows a three op amp instrumentation amplifier with a gain of 41V/V which can operate on a wide range

of supply voltage. An RC snubber is used at the common terminal of the  $30\Omega$  gain setting resistors to reduce the effects of any board induced layout coupling from the output of one amplifier to the negative input of the other. Figure 7 shows the measured frequency response of the instrumentation amplifier for a load of  $1\text{k}\Omega$ . Figure 8 shows the measured CMRR of the instrumentation amplifier, and Figure 9 shows the transient response for a  $50\text{mV}_{\text{P-P}}$  input square wave applied to the positive input, with the negative input grounded. The total supply voltage was 3.3V. The extremely low offset voltage and low  $1/f$  noise at the LTC6229 inputs allow for wide band instrumentation amplifier operation, down to DC. Note, the bias currents of the LTC6229 are higher than might appear in a traditional low speed instrumentation amplifier. High speed instrumentation such as in Figure 6 assume a correspondingly low enough impedance excitation.

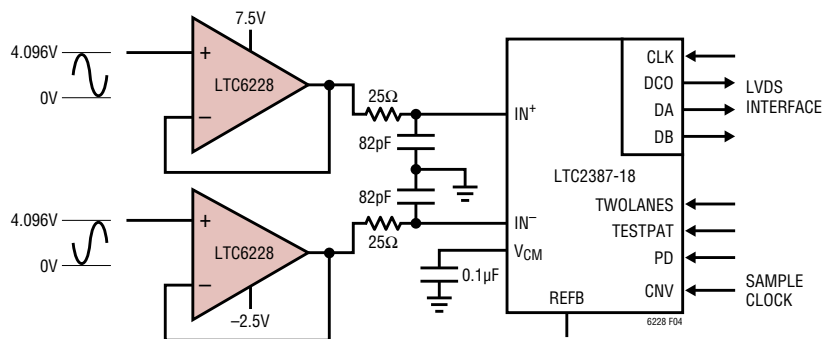


Figure 4. High Speed Driver for 18-Bit ADC

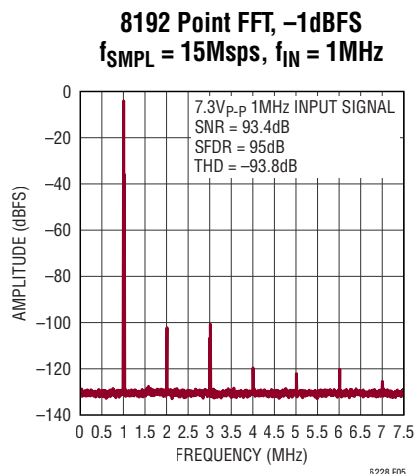


Figure 5. Measured Performance of LTC6228 Based Driver Driving the LTC2387-18

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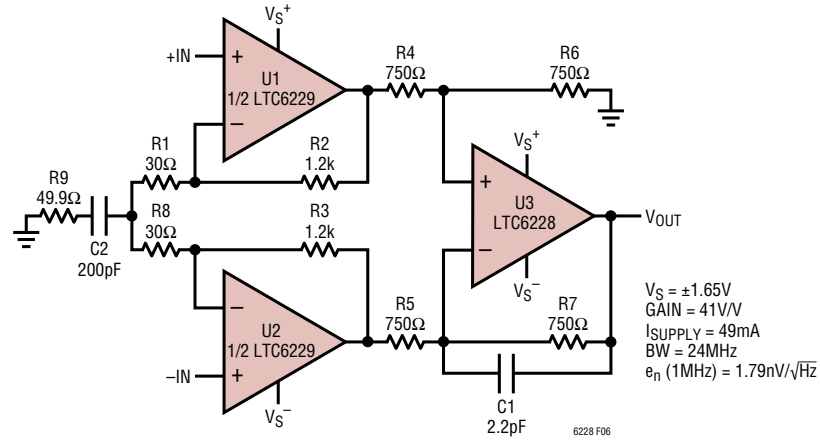


Figure 6. High Speed Low Voltage Low Noise Instrumentation Amplifier

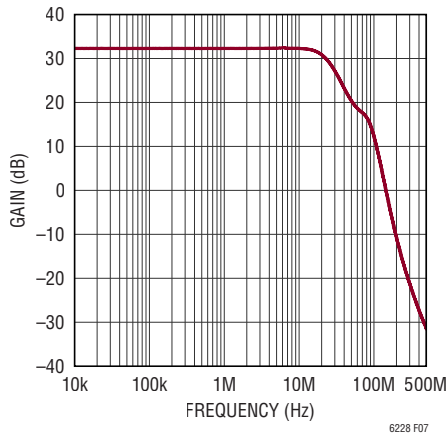


Figure 7. Instrumentation Amplifier Frequency Response

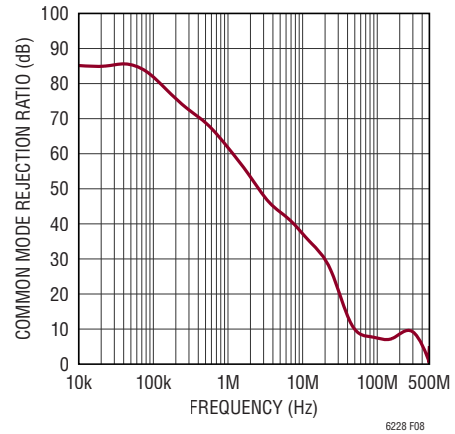


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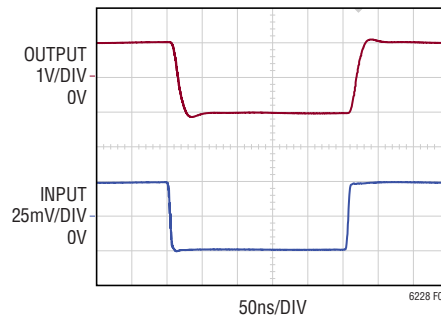


Figure 9. Transient Response

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### Wideband Differential to Single-Ended Converter

The combination of high slew rate and bandwidth enables the LTC6228 to be used as a translator for large signals at high frequencies.

Figure 10 shows the implementation of a wide band, differential to single-ended converter with a gain of  $-6\text{dB}$

using just one LTC6228. Figure 11 shows the frequency response of the circuit for a differential input of  $2\text{V}_{\text{P-P}}$ . The bandwidth obtained was  $50\text{MHz}$ . The common mode gain is shown in Figure 12, and is limited by the matching between the resistors in the circuit. Figure 13 shows the response of the driver to a  $1\text{V}_{\text{P-P}}$  differential square wave signal.

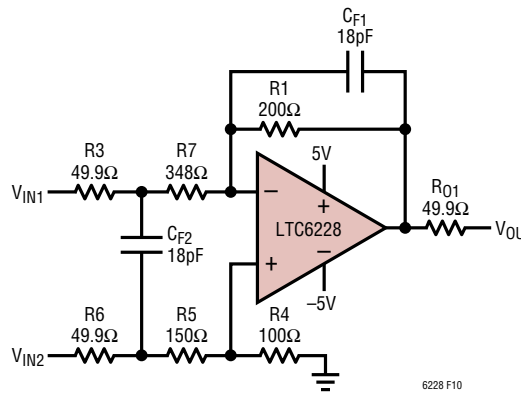


Figure 10. Wideband Differential to Single-Ended Converter

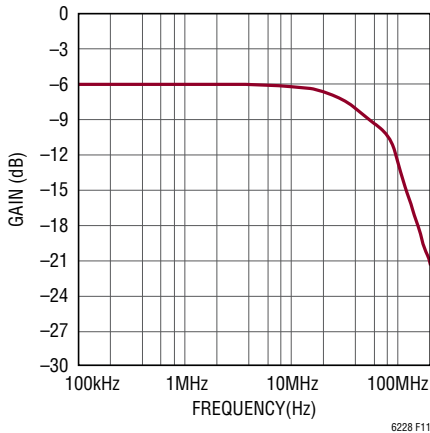


Figure 11. Frequency Response of Differential to Single-Ended Converter

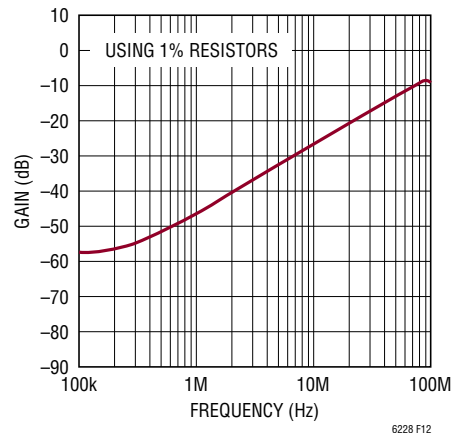


Figure 12. Common Mode Gain vs Frequency

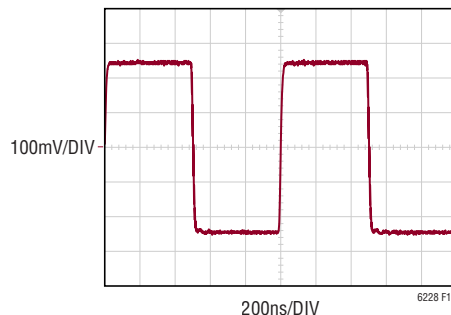
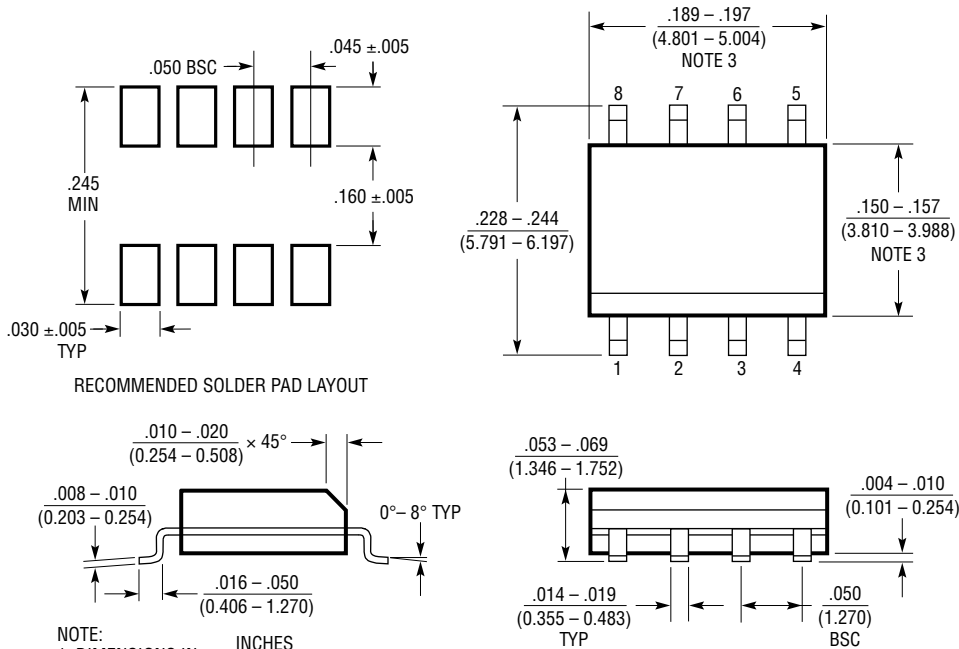


Figure 13. Pulse Response of the Differential to Single-Ended Converter



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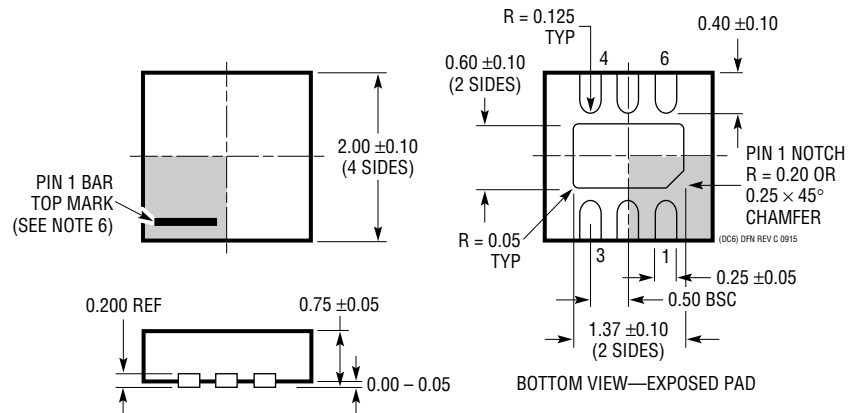
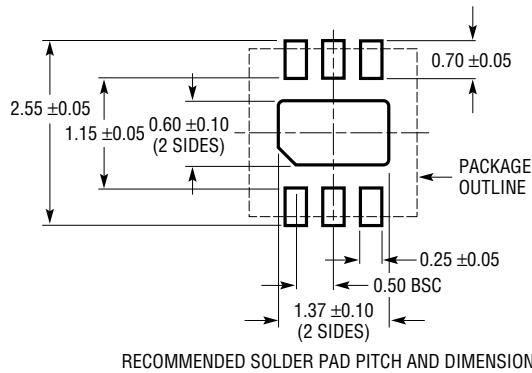
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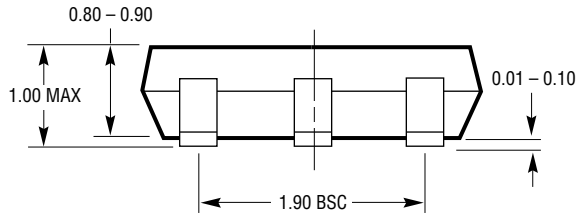
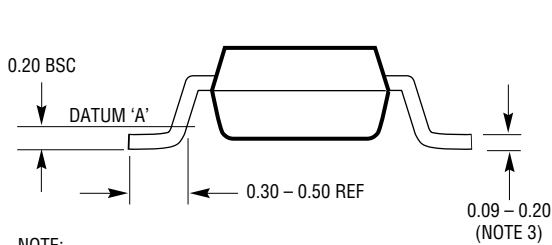
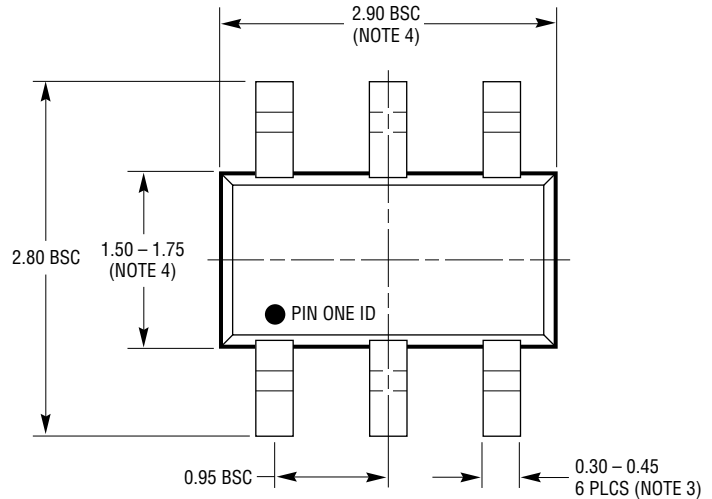
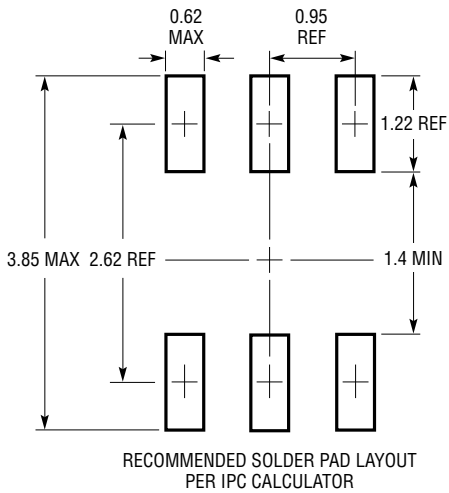


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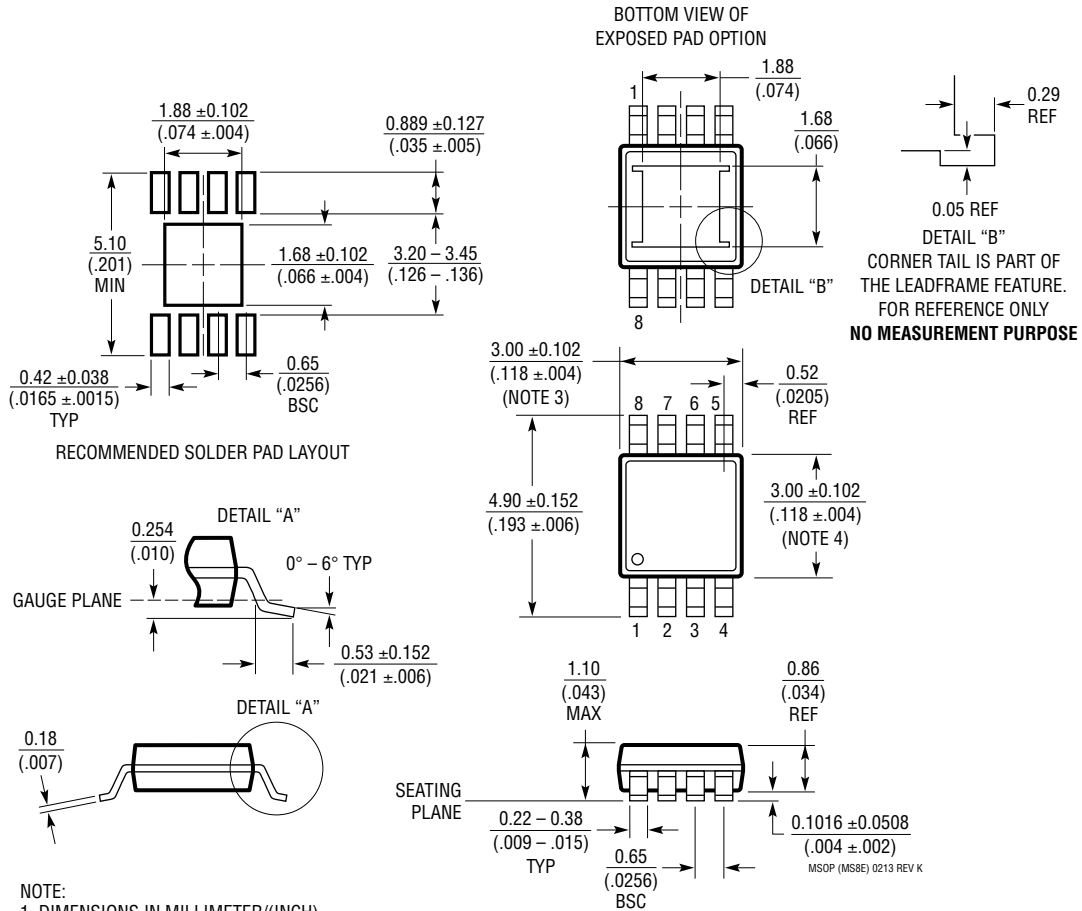
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# PACKAGE DESCRIPTION

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## REVISION HISTORY

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