

**FEATURES**

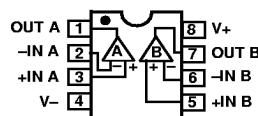
**Fast Slew Rate:** 22 V/ $\mu$ s typ  
**Settling Time (0.01%):** 1.2  $\mu$ s max  
**Offset Voltage:** 300  $\mu$ V max  
**High Open-Loop Gain:** 1000 V/mV min  
**Low Total Harmonic Distortion:** 0.002% typ  
**Improved Replacement for AD712, LT1057, OP215,  
TL072 and MC34082**  
**Available in Die Form**

**APPLICATIONS**

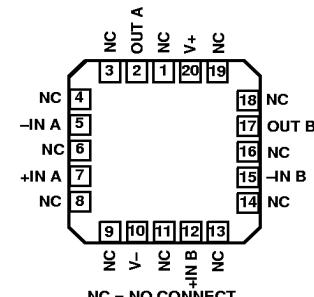
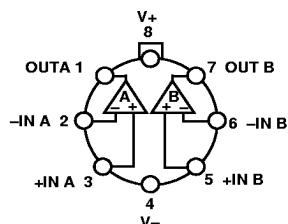
**Output Amplifier for Fast D/As**  
**Signal Processing**  
**Instrumentation Amplifiers**  
**Fast Sample/Holds**  
**Active Filters**  
**Low Distortion Audio Amplifiers**  
**Input Buffer for A/D Converters**  
**Servo Controllers**

**PIN CONNECTIONS**

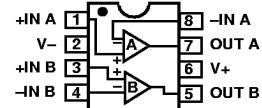
8-Lead Cerdip (Z Suffix),  
8-Lead Plastic Mini-DIP  
(P Suffix)



20-Terminal LCC (RC Suffix)


**TO-99 (J Suffix)**


8-Lead SO  
(S Suffix)


**GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

The OP249 is a high speed, precision dual JFET op amp, similar to the popular single op amp, the OP42. The OP249 outperforms available dual amplifiers by providing superior speed with excellent dc performance. Ultrahigh open-loop gain (1 kV/mV minimum), low offset voltage and superb gain linearity, makes the OP249 the industry's first true precision, dual high speed amplifier.

With a slew rate of 22 V/ $\mu$ s typical, and a fast settling time of less than 1.2  $\mu$ s maximum to 0.01%, the OP249 is an ideal

choice for high speed bipolar D/A and A/D converter applications. The excellent dc performance of the OP249 allows the full accuracy of high resolution CMOS D/As to be realized.

Symmetrical slew rate, even when driving large load, such as 600  $\Omega$  or 200 pF of capacitance, and ultralow distortion, make the OP249 ideal for professional audio applications, active filters, high speed integrators, servo systems and buffer amplifiers.

The OP249 provides significant performance upgrades to the TL072, AD712, OP215, MC34082 and the LT1057.

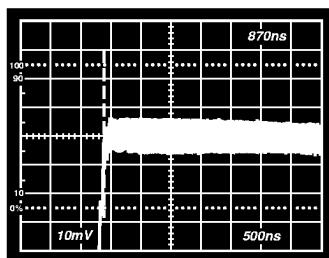


Figure 1. Fast Settling (0.01%)

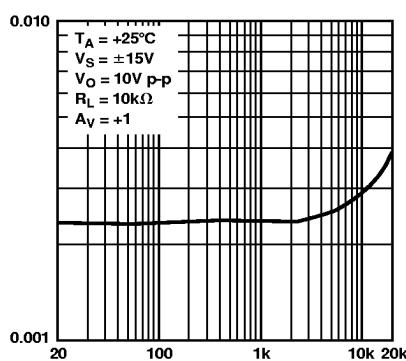


Figure 2. Low Distortion  $A_V = +1$ ,  $R_L = 10\text{k}\Omega$

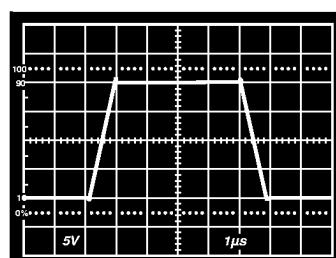


Figure 3. Excellent Output Drive,  $R_L = 600\Omega$

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# OP249—SPECIFICATIONS

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (@ $V_S = \pm 15 V$ , $T_A = +25^\circ C$ , unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	OP249A			OP249E			OP249F			Units
			Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
Offset Voltage	$V_{OS}$		0.2	0.5		0.1	0.3		0.2	0.7		mV
Long Term Offset Voltage	$V_{OS}$	(Note 1)		0.8			0.6				1.0	mV
Offset Stability			1.5			1.5			1.5			$\mu V/\text{Month}$
Input Bias Current	$I_B$	$V_{CM} = 0 V$ , $T_J = +25^\circ C$	30	75		20	50		30	75		pA
Input Offset Current	$I_{OS}$	$V_{CM} = 0 V$ , $T_J = +25^\circ C$	6	25		4	15		6	25		pA
Input Voltage Range	IVR	(Note 2)		+12.5			+12.5			+12.5		V
			±11			±11			±11			V
Common-Mode Rejection	CMR	$V_{CM} = \pm 11 V$	80	90		86	95		80	90		dB
Power-Supply Rejection Ratio	PSRR	$V_S = \pm 4.5 V$ to $\pm 18 V$	12	31.6		9	31.6		12	50		$\mu V/V$
Large-Signal Voltage Gain	A <sub>vo</sub>	$V_O = \pm 10 V$ ; $R_L = 2 k\Omega$	1000	1400		1000	1400		500	1200		V/mV
Output Voltage Swing	$V_O$	$R_L = 2 k\Omega$		+12.5			+12.5			+12.5		V
			±12.0			±12.0			±12.0			V
Short-Circuit Current Limit	$I_{SC}$	Output Shorted to Ground	±20	±50		±20	±50		±20	±50		mA
			-33			-33			-33			mA
Supply Current	$I_{SY}$	No Load; $V_O = 0 V$	5.6	7.0		5.6	7.0		5.6	7.0		mA
Slew Rate	SR	$R_L = 2 k\Omega$ , $C_L = 50 pF$	18	22		18	22		18	22		V/ $\mu s$
Gain-Bandwidth Product	GBW	(Note 4)	3.5	4.7		3.5	4.7		3.5	4.7		MHz
Settling Time	$t_S$	10 V Step 0.01% <sup>3</sup>	0.9	1.2		0.9	1.2		0.9	1.2		$\mu s$
Phase Margin	$\theta_0$	0 dB Gain	55			55			55			Degrees
Differential Input Impedance	$Z_{IN}$		$10^{12} \parallel 6$			$10^{12} \parallel 6$			$10^{12} \parallel 6$			$\Omega/\text{pF}$
Open-Loop Output Resistance	$R_O$		35			35			35			$\Omega$
Voltage Noise	$e_n$ p-p	0.1 Hz to 10 Hz	2			2			2			$\mu V \text{ p-p}$
Voltage Noise Density	$e_n$	$f_O = 10 Hz$	75			75			75			$nV/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
		$f_O = 100 Hz$	26			26			26			$nV/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
		$f_O = 1 kHz$	17			17			17			$nV/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
		$f_O = 10 kHz$	16			16			16			$nV/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
Current Noise Density	$i_n$	$f_O = 1 kHz$	0.003			0.003			0.003			$pA/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
Voltage Supply Range	$V_S$		±4.5	±15	±18	±4.5	±15	±18	±4.5	±15	±18	V

### NOTES

<sup>1</sup>Long-term offset voltage is guaranteed by a 1000 HR life test performed on three independent wafer lots at  $+125^\circ C$  with LTPD of three.

<sup>2</sup>Guaranteed by CMR test.

<sup>3</sup>Settling time is sample tested.

<sup>4</sup>Guaranteed by design.

Specifications subject to change without notice.

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (@ $V_S = \pm 15 V$ , $T_A = +25^\circ C$ , unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	OP249G			Units
			Min	Typ	Max	
Offset Voltage	$V_{OS}$		0.4	0.2		mV
Input Bias Current	$I_B$		40	75		pA
Input Offset Current	$I_{OS}$	$V_{CM} = 0 V$ , $T_J = +25^\circ C$	10	25		pA
Input Voltage Range	IVR	(Note 1)		+12.5		V
			±11			V
Common-Mode Rejection	CMR	$V_{CM} = \pm 11 V$	76	90		dB
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	PSRR	$V_S = \pm 4.5 V$ to $\pm 18 V$	12	50		$\mu V/V$
Large Signal Voltage Gain	A <sub>vo</sub>	$V_O = \pm 10 V$ ; $R_L = 2 k\Omega$	500	1100		V/mV
Output Voltage Swing	$V_O$	$R_L = 2 k\Omega$		+12.5		V
			±12.0			V
Short-Circuit Current Limit	$I_{SC}$	Output Shorted to Ground	±20	±50		mA
			-33			mA
Supply Current	$I_{SY}$	No Load; $V_O = 0 V$	5.6	7.0		mA
Slew Rate	SR	$R_L = 2 k\Omega$ , $C_L = 50 pF$	18	22		V/ $\mu s$
Gain Bandwidth Product	GBW	(Note 2)	4.7			MHz
Settling Time	$t_S$	10 V Step 0.01%	0.9	1.2		$\mu s$
Phase Margin	$\theta_0$	0 dB Gain	55			Degree
Differential Input Impedance	$Z_{IN}$		$10^{12} \parallel 6$			$\Omega/\text{pF}$

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	OP249G				Units
			Min	Typ	Max		
Open Loop Output Resistance	$R_O$				35		$\Omega$
Voltage Noise	$e_n$ p-p	0.1 Hz to 10 Hz			2		$\mu V$ p-p
Voltage Noise Density	$e_n$	$f_O = 10$ Hz			75		$nV/\sqrt{Hz}$
		$f_O = 100$ Hz			26		$nV/\sqrt{Hz}$
		$f_O = 1$ kHz			17		$nV/\sqrt{Hz}$
		$f_O = 10$ kHz			16		$nV/\sqrt{Hz}$
Current Noise Density	$i_n$	$f_O = 1$ kHz			0.003		$pA/\sqrt{Hz}$
Voltage Supply Range	$V_S$		±4.5	±15	±18		V

## NOTES

<sup>1</sup>Guaranteed by CMR test.<sup>2</sup>Guaranteed by design.

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**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** (@  $V_S = \pm 15$  V,  $-40^\circ C \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ C$  for E/F grades, and  $-55^\circ C \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ C$  for A grade unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	OP249A			OP249E			OP249F			Units
			Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
Offset Voltage	$V_{OS}$		0.12	1.0		0.1	0.5		0.5	1.1		mV
Offset Voltage Temperature Coefficient	$TCV_{OS}$		1	5		1	3		2.2	6		$\mu V/^\circ C$
Input Bias Current	$I_B$	(Note 1)	4	20		0.25	3.0		0.3	4.0		nA
Input Offset Current	$I_{OS}$	(Note 1)	0.04	4		0.01	0.7		0.02	1.2		nA
Input Voltage Range	$IVR$	(Note 2)	+12.5			+12.5			+12.5			V
			±11			±11			±11			V
Common-Mode Rejection	CMR	$V_{CM} = \pm 11$ V	76	110		86	100		80	90		dB
Power-Supply Rejection Ratio	PSRR	$V_S = \pm 4.5$ V to ±18 V	5	50		5	50		7	100		$\mu V/V$
Large-Signal Voltage Gain	$A_{vo}$	$R_L = 2$ k $\Omega$ ; $V_o = \pm 10$ V	500	1400		750	1400		250	1200		V/mV
Output Voltage Swing	$V_o$	$R_L = 2$ k $\Omega$	+12.5			+12.5			+12.5			V
			±12.0			±12.0			±12.0			V
Short-Circuit Current Limit	$I_{SC}$	Output Shorted to Ground	±10	±60		±18	±60		±18	±60		mA
Supply Current	$I_{SY}$	No Load, $V_o = 0$ V	5.6	7.0		5.6	7.0		5.6	7.0		mA

## NOTES

<sup>1</sup> $T_j = +85^\circ C$  for E/F Grades;  $T_j = +125^\circ C$  for A Grade.<sup>2</sup>Guaranteed by CMR test.

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**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** (@  $V_S = \pm 15$  V,  $-40^\circ C \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ C$  for unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	OP249G			OP249E			OP249F			Units
			Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
Offset Voltage	$V_{OS}$				1.0			3.6				mV
Offset Voltage Temperature Coefficient	$TCV_{OS}$				6			25				$\mu V/^\circ C$
Input Bias Current	$I_B$	(Note 1)			0.5			4.5				nA
Input Offset Current	$I_{OS}$	(Note 1)			0.04			1.5				nA
Input Voltage Range	$IVR$	(Note 2)			+12.5							V
			±11			±11			±11			V
Common-Mode Rejection	CMR	$V_{CM} = \pm 11$ V	76	95								dB
Power-Supply Rejection Ratio	PSRR	$V_S = \pm 4.5$ V to ±18 V			10			100				$\mu V/V$
Large-Signal Voltage Gain	$A_{vo}$	$R_L = 2$ k $\Omega$ ; $V_o = \pm 10$ V	250	1200								V/mV
Output Voltage Swing	$V_o$	$R_L = 2$ k $\Omega$	+12.5			+12.5			+12.5			V
			±12.0			±12.0			±12.0			V
Short-Circuit Current Limit	$I_{SC}$	Output Shorted to Ground			±18			±60				mA
Supply Current	$I_{SY}$	No Load, $V_o = 0$ V			5.6			7.0				mA

## NOTES

<sup>1</sup> $T_j = +85^\circ C$ .<sup>2</sup>Guaranteed by CMR test.

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## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS<sup>1</sup>

Supply Voltage	.....	$\pm 18$ V
Input Voltage <sup>2</sup>	.....	$\pm 18$ V
Differential Input Voltage <sup>2</sup>	.....	36 V
Output Short-Circuit Duration	.....	Indefinite
Storage Temperature Range	.....	-65°C to +175°C
Operating Temperature Range	.....	-55°C to +125°C
OP249A (J, Z, RC)	.....	-55°C to +125°C
OP249E, F (J, Z)	.....	-40°C to +85°C
OP249G (P, S)	.....	-40°C to +85°C
Junction Temperature	.....	-65°C to +175°C
OP249 (J, Z, RC)	.....	-65°C to +175°C
OP249 (P, S)	.....	-65°C to +150°C
Lead Temperature Range (Soldering, 60 sec)	.....	+300°C

Package Type	$\theta_{JA}^3$	$\theta_{JC}$	Units
TO-99 (J)	145	16	°C/W
8-Lead Hermetic DIP (Z)	134	12	°C/W
8-Lead Plastic DIP (P)	96	37	°C/W
20-Terminal LCC (RC)	88	33	°C/W
8-Lead SO (S)	150	41	°C/W

### NOTES

<sup>1</sup>Absolute maximum ratings apply to both DICE and packaged parts, unless otherwise noted.

<sup>2</sup>For supply voltages less than  $\pm 18$  V, the absolute maximum input voltage is equal to the supply voltage.

<sup>3</sup> $\theta_{JA}$  is specified for worst case mounting conditions, i.e.,  $\theta_{JA}$  is specified for device in socket for TO, cerdip, P-DIP, and LCC packages;  $\theta_{JA}$  is specified for device soldered to printed circuit board for SO package.

## ORDERING GUIDE<sup>1</sup>

Model	Temperature Range	Package Descriptions <sup>2</sup>	Package Options
OP249AZ <sup>2</sup>	-55°C to +125°C	8-Lead Cerdip	Q-8
OP249ARC/883	-55°C to +125°C	20-Terminal LCC	E-20A
OP249EJ	-40°C to +85°C	TO-99 H-08A	H-08A
OP249FZ	-40°C to +85°C	8-Lead Cerdip	Q-8
OP249GP	-40°C to +85°C	8-Lead Plastic DIP	N-8
OP249GS <sup>3</sup>	-40°C to +85°C	8-Lead SO	SO-8
OP249GS-REEL	-40°C to +85°C	8-Lead SO	SO-8
OP249GS-REEL7	-40°C to +85°C	8-Lead SO	SO-8

### NOTES

<sup>1</sup>Burn-in is available on commercial and industrial temperature range parts in cerdip, plastic DIP, and TO-can packages.

<sup>2</sup>For devices processed in total compliance to MIL-STD-883, add/883 after part number. Consult factory for 883 data sheet.

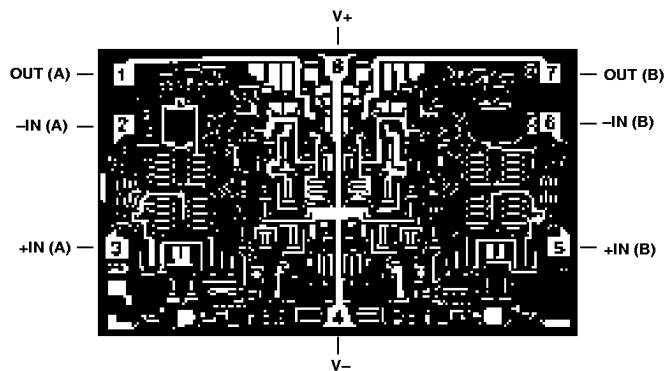
<sup>3</sup>For availability and burn-in information on SO and PLCC packages, contact your local sales office.

## CAUTION -

ESD (electrostatic discharge) sensitive device. Electrostatic charges as high as 4000 V readily accumulate on the human body and test equipment and can discharge without detection. Although the OP249 features proprietary ESD protection circuitry, permanent damage may occur on devices subjected to high energy electrostatic discharges. Therefore, proper ESD precautions are recommended to avoid performance degradation or loss of functionality.



## DICE CHARACTERISTICS



DIE SIZE 0.072 × 0.112 inch, 8,064 sq. mils  
(1.83 × 2.84 mm, 5.2 sq. mm)

WAFER TEST LIMITS (@  $V_S = \pm 15$  V,  $T_J = +25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	OP249GBC Limits	Units
Offset Voltage	$V_{OS}$		0.5	mV max
Offset Voltage Temperature Coefficient	$TCV_{OS}$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_J \leq 85^\circ\text{C}$	6.0	$\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$ max
Input Bias Current	$I_B$	$V_{CM} = 0$ V	225	pA max
Input Offset Current	$I_{OS}$	$V_{CM} = 0$ V	75	pA max
Input Voltage Range	IVR	(Note 1)	$\pm 11$	V min
Common-Mode Rejection	CMR	$V_{CM} = \pm 11$ V	76	dB min
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	PSRR	$V_S = \pm 4.5$ V to $\pm 18$ V	100	$\mu\text{V}/\text{V}$ max
Large-Signal Voltage Gain	$A_{VO}$	$R_L = 2$ k $\Omega$	250	V/mV min
Output Voltage Swing	$V_O$	$R_L = 2$ k $\Omega$	$\pm 12.0$	V min
Short-Circuit Current Limit	$I_{SC}$	Output Shorted to Ground	$\pm 20/\pm 60$	mA min/max
Supply Current	$I_{SY}$	No Load; $V_O = 0$ V	7.0	mA max
Slew Rate	SR	$R_L = 2$ k $\Omega$ , $C_L = 50$ pF	16.5	V/ $\mu\text{s}$ min

## NOTES

<sup>1</sup>Guaranteed by CMR test.

Electrical tests are performed at wafer probe to the limits shown. Due to variations in assembly methods and normal yield loss, yield after packaging is not guaranteed for standard product dice. Consult factory to negotiate specifications based on dice lot qualifications through sample lot assembly and testing.

# OP249—Typical Performance Characteristics

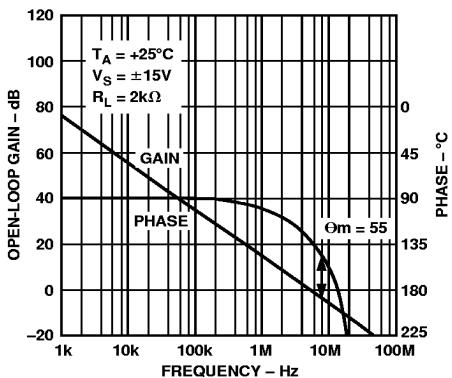


Figure 4. Open-Loop Gain, Phase vs. Frequency

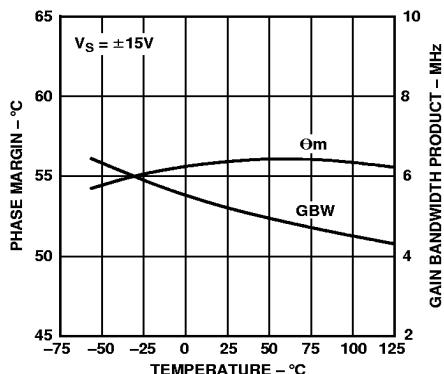


Figure 5. Gain Bandwidth Product, Phase Margin vs. Temperature

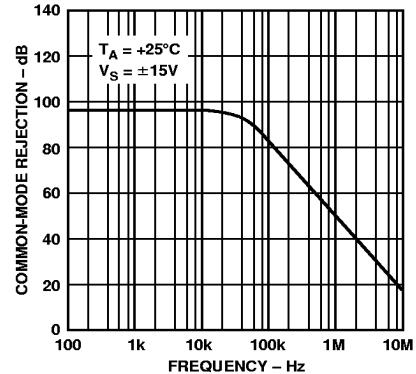


Figure 6. Common-Mode Rejection vs. Frequency

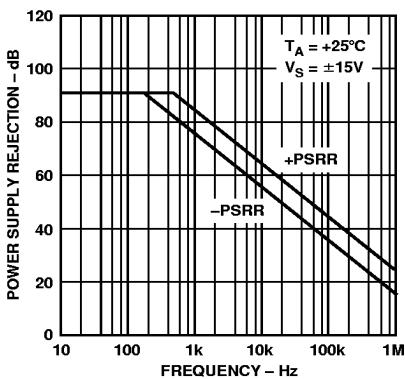


Figure 7. Power Supply Rejection vs. Frequency

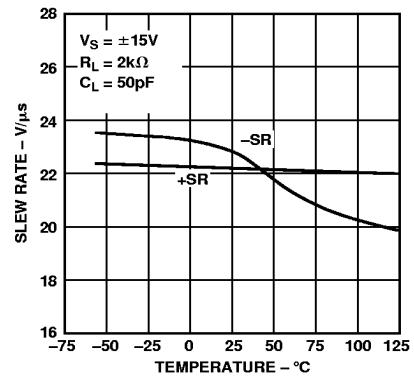


Figure 8. Slew Rate vs. Temperature

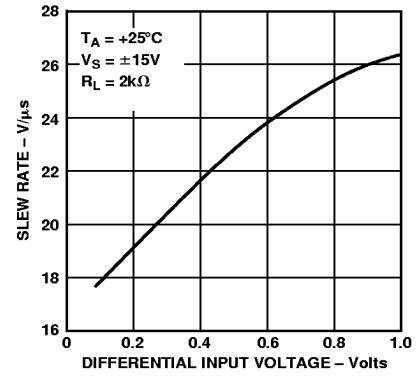


Figure 9. Slew Rate vs. Differential Input Voltage

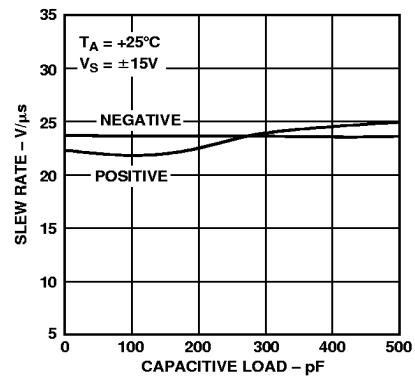


Figure 10. Slew Rate vs. Capacitive Load

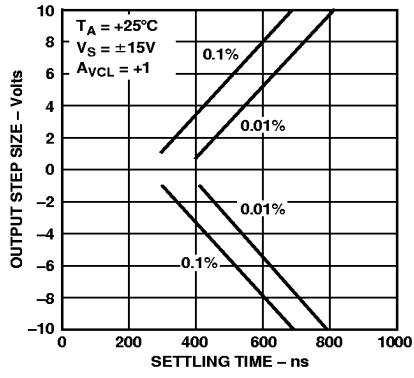


Figure 11. Settling Time vs. Step Size

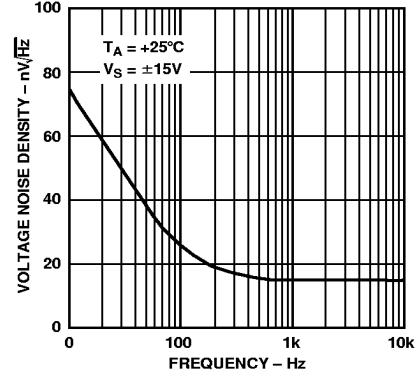
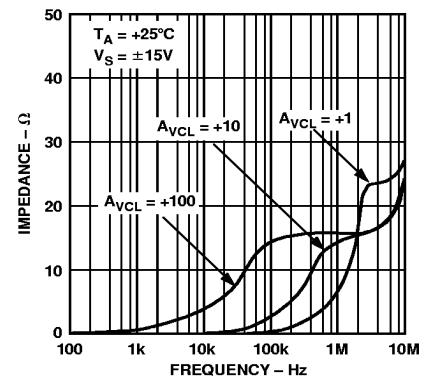
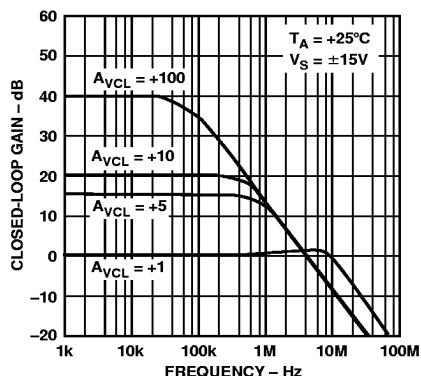
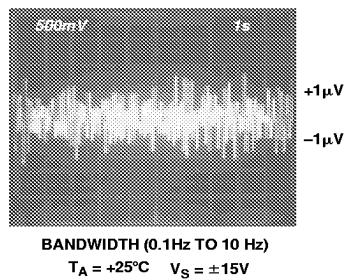
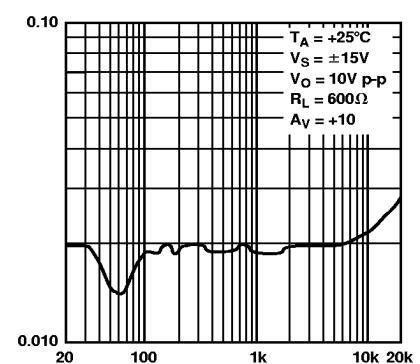
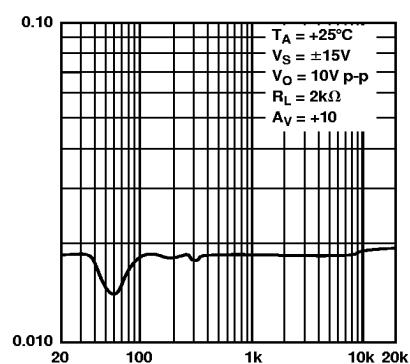
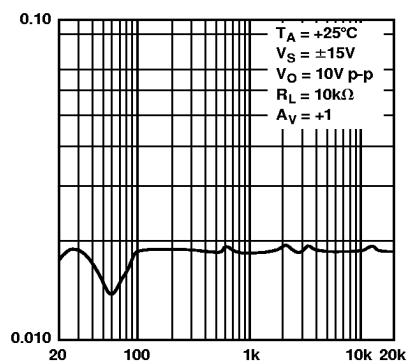
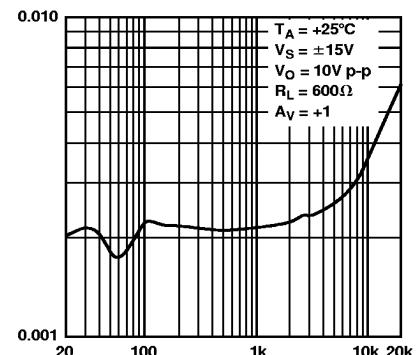
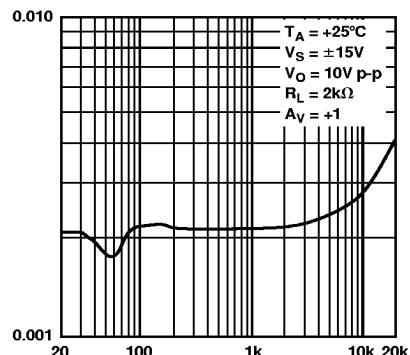
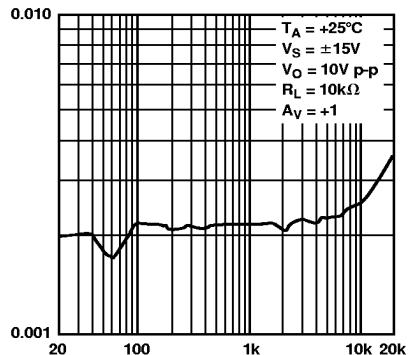
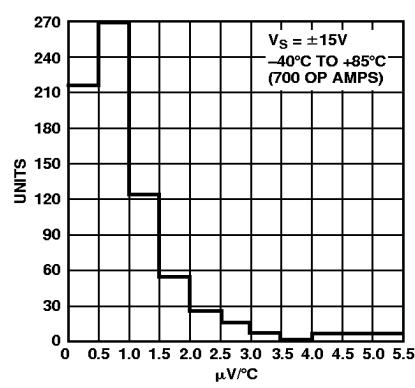
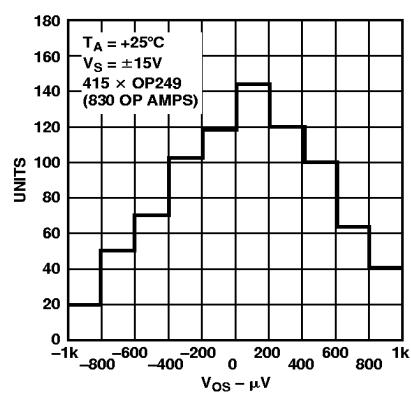
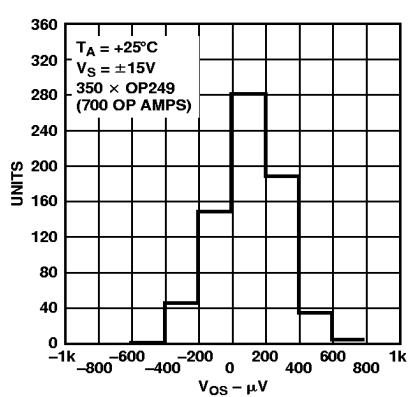
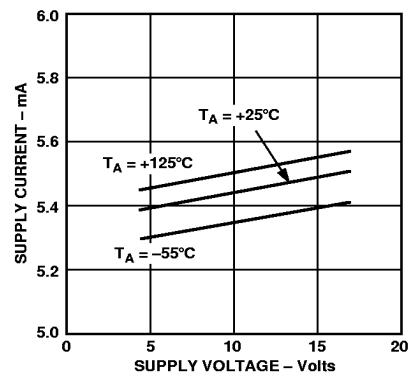
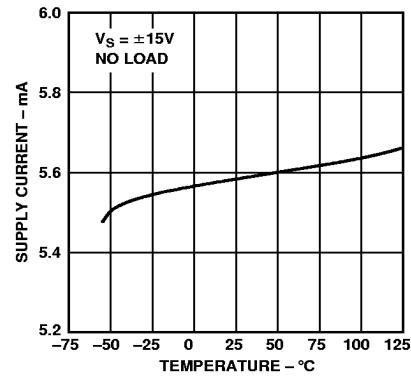
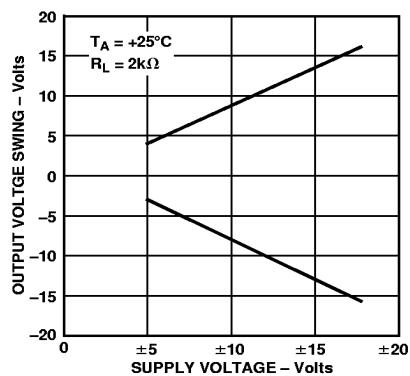
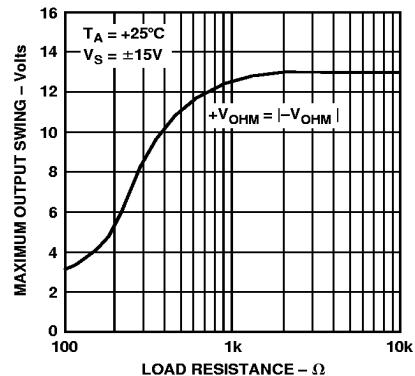
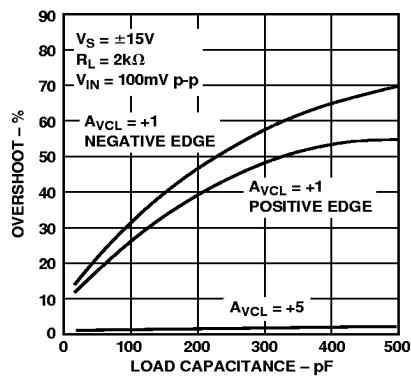
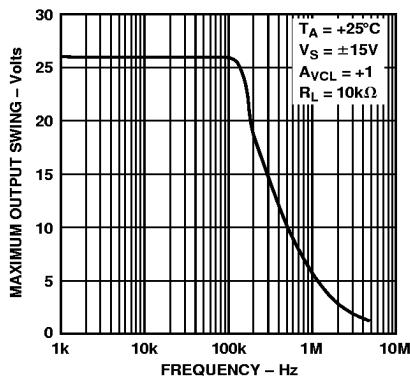


Figure 12. Voltage Noise Density vs. Frequency



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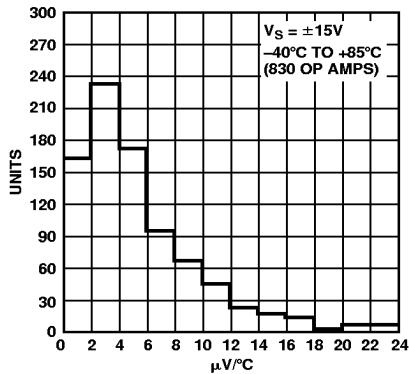


Figure 31.  $TCV_{OS}$  Distribution  
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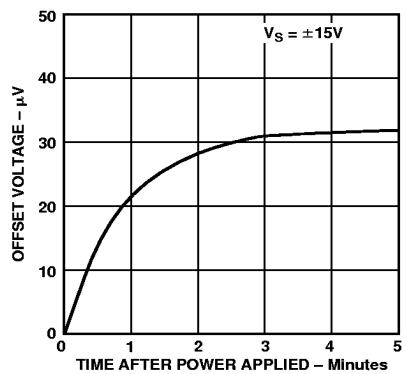


Figure 32. Offset Voltage Warm-Up Drift

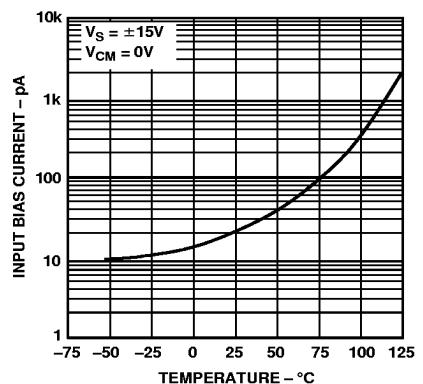


Figure 33. Input Bias Current vs.  
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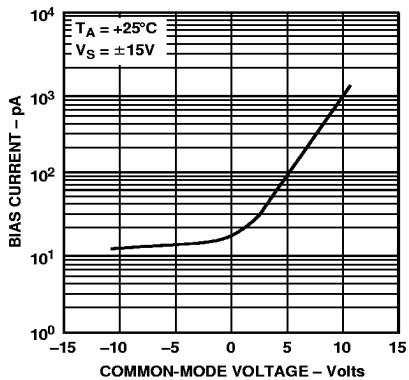


Figure 34. Bias Current vs.  
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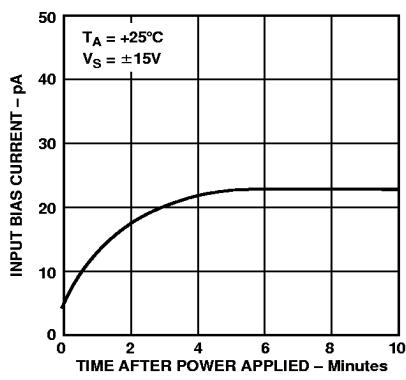


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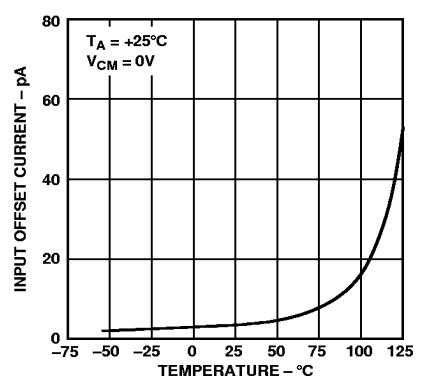


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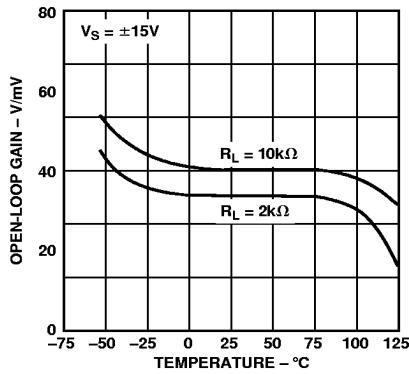


Figure 37. Open-Loop Gain vs.  
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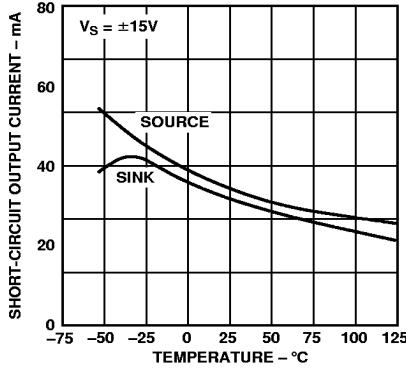


Figure 38. Short-Circuit Output Current vs. Junction Temperature

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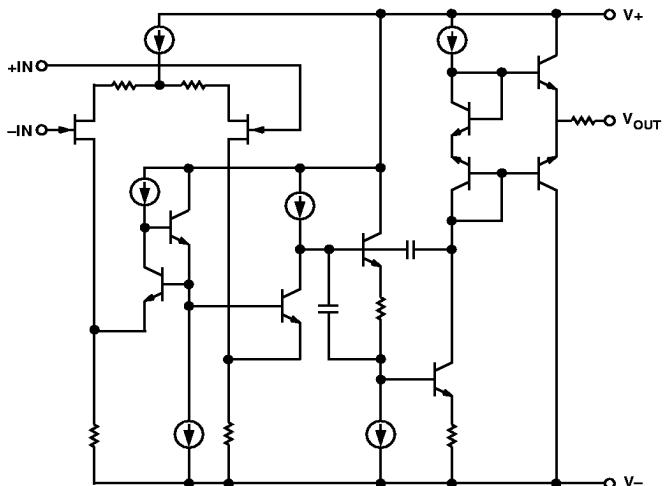


Figure 39. Simplified Schematic (1/2 OP249)

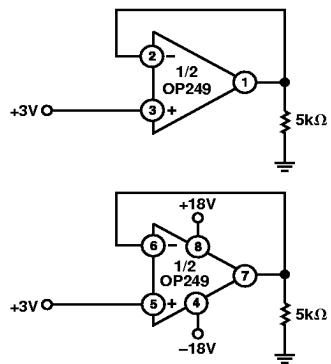
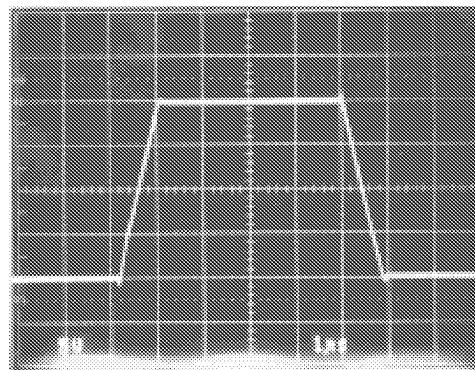


Figure 40. Burn-In Circuit

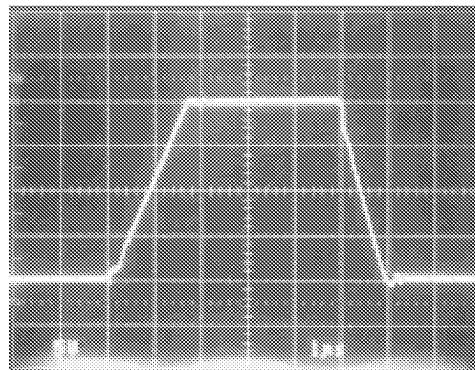
## APPLICATIONS INFORMATION

The OP249 represents a reliable JFET amplifier design, featuring an excellent combination of dc precision and high speed. A rugged output stage provides the ability to drive a 600 Ω load and still maintain a clean ac response. The OP249 features a large signal response that is more linear and symmetric than previously available JFET input amplifiers—compare the OP249's large-signal response, as illustrated in Figure 41, to other industry standard dual JFET amplifiers.

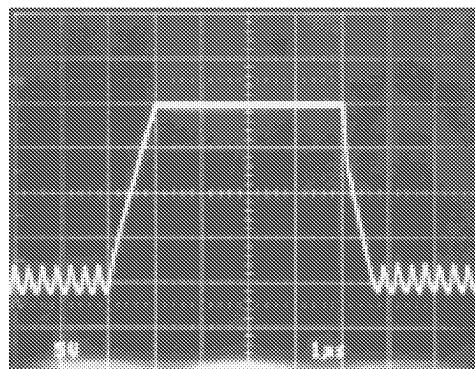
Typically, JFET amplifier's stowing performance is simply specified as just a number of volts/μs. There is no discussion on the quality, i.e., linearity, symmetry, etc., of the stowing response.



A) OP249



B) LT1057



C) AD712

Figure 41. Large-Signal Transient Response,  $A_V = +1$ ,  $V_{IN} = 20 \text{ V p-p}$ ,  $Z_L = 2 \text{ k}\Omega//200 \text{ pF}$ ,  $V_S = \pm 15 \text{ V}$

The OP249 was carefully designed to provide symmetrically matched slew characteristics in both the negative and positive directions, even when driving a large output load.

An amplifier's slewing limitation determines the maximum frequency at which a sinusoidal output can be obtained without significant distortion. It is, however, important to note that the nonsymmetric slewing typical of previously available JFET amplifiers adds a higher series of harmonic energy content to the resulting response—and an additional dc output component. Examples of potential problems of nonsymmetric slewing behavior could be in audio amplifier applications, where a natural low distortion sound quality is desired, and in servo or signal processing systems where a net dc offset cannot be tolerated. The linear and symmetric slewing feature of the OP249 makes it an ideal choice for applications that will exceed the full-power bandwidth range of the amplifier.

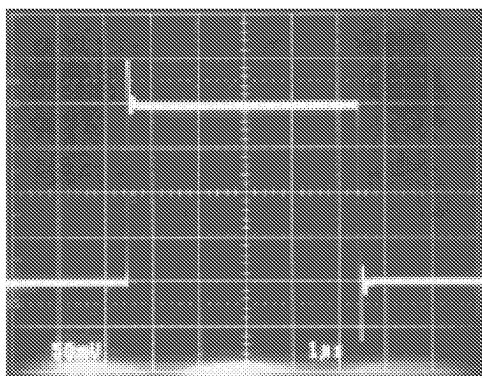


Figure 42. Small-Signal Transient Response,  $A_V = +1$ ,  $Z_L = 2 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 100 \text{ pF}$ , No Compensation,  $V_S = \pm 15 \text{ V}$

As with most JFET-input amplifiers, the output of the OP249 may undergo phase inversion if either input exceeds the specified input voltage range. Phase inversion will not damage the amplifier, nor will it cause an internal latch-up condition.

Supply decoupling should be used to overcome inductance and resistance associated with supply lines to the amplifier. A  $0.1 \mu\text{F}$  and a  $10 \mu\text{F}$  capacitor should be placed between each supply pin and ground.

#### OPEN-LOOP GAIN LINEARITY

The OP249 has both an extremely high open-loop gain of  $1 \text{ kV/mV}$  minimum and constant gain linearity. This feature of the OP249 enhances its dc precision, and provides superb accuracy in high closed-loop gain applications. Figure 43 illustrates the typical open-loop gain linearity—high gain accuracy is assured, even when driving a  $600 \Omega$  load.

#### OFFSET VOLTAGE ADJUSTMENT

The inherent low offset voltage of the OP249 will make offset adjustments unnecessary in most applications. However, where a lower offset error is required, balancing can be performed with simple external circuitry, as illustrated in Figures 44 and 45.

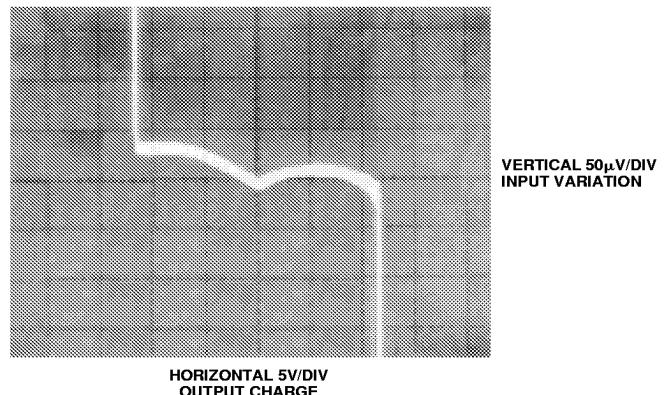


Figure 43. Open-Loop Gain Linearity. Variation in Open-Loop Gain Results in Errors in High Closed-Loop Gain Circuits.  $R_L = 600 \Omega$ ,  $V_S = \pm 15 \text{ V}$

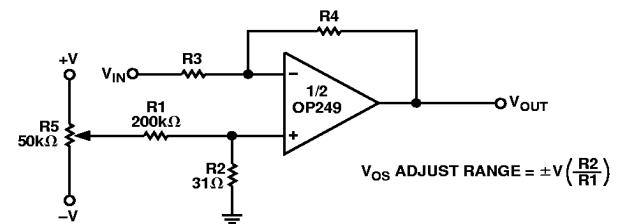


Figure 44. Offset Adjust for Inverting Amplifier Configuration

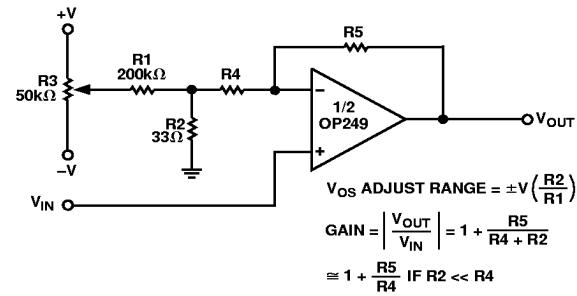


Figure 45. Offset Adjust for Noninverting Amplifier Configuration

In Figure 44, the offset adjustment is made by supplying a small voltage at the noninverting input of the amplifier. Resistors R1 and R2 attenuate the pot voltage, providing a  $\pm 2.5 \text{ mV}$  (with  $V_S = \pm 15 \text{ V}$ ) adjustment range, referred to the input. Figure 45 illustrates offset adjust for the noninverting amplifier configuration, also providing a  $\pm 2.5 \text{ mV}$  adjustment range. As indicated in the equations in Figure 45, if R4 is not much greater than R2, there will be a resulting closed-loop gain error that must be accounted for.

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## SETTLING TIME

Settling time is the time between when the input signal begins to change and when the output permanently enters a prescribed error band. The error bands on the output are 5 mV and 0.5 mV, respectively, for 0.1% and 0.01% accuracy.

Figure 46 illustrates the OP249's typical settling time of 870 ns. Moreover, problems in settling response, such as thermal tails and long-term ringing are nonexistent.

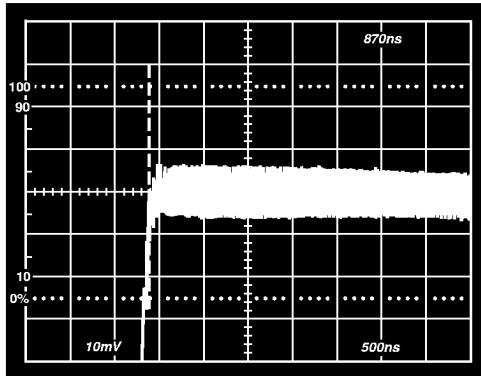


Figure 46. Settling Characteristics of the OP249 to 0.01%

## DAC OUTPUT AMPLIFIER

Unity-gain stability, a low offset voltage of 300  $\mu$ V typical, and a fast settling time of 870 ns to 0.01%, makes the OP249 an ideal amplifier for fast digital-to-analog converters.

For CMOS DAC applications, the low offset voltage of the OP249 results in excellent linearity performance. CMOS DACs, such as the PM-7545, will typically have a code-dependent output resistance variation between 11 k $\Omega$  and 33 k $\Omega$ . The change in output resistance, in conjunction with the 11 k $\Omega$  feedback resistor, will result in a noise gain change. This causes variations in the offset error, increasing linearity errors. The OP249 features low offset voltage error, minimizing this effect and maintaining 12-bit linearity performance over the full-scale range of the converter.

Since the DAC's output capacitance appears at the operational amplifier's inputs, it is essential that the amplifier is adequately compensated. Compensation will increase the phase margin, and ensure an optimal overall settling response. The required lead compensation is achieved with Capacitor C in Figure 47.

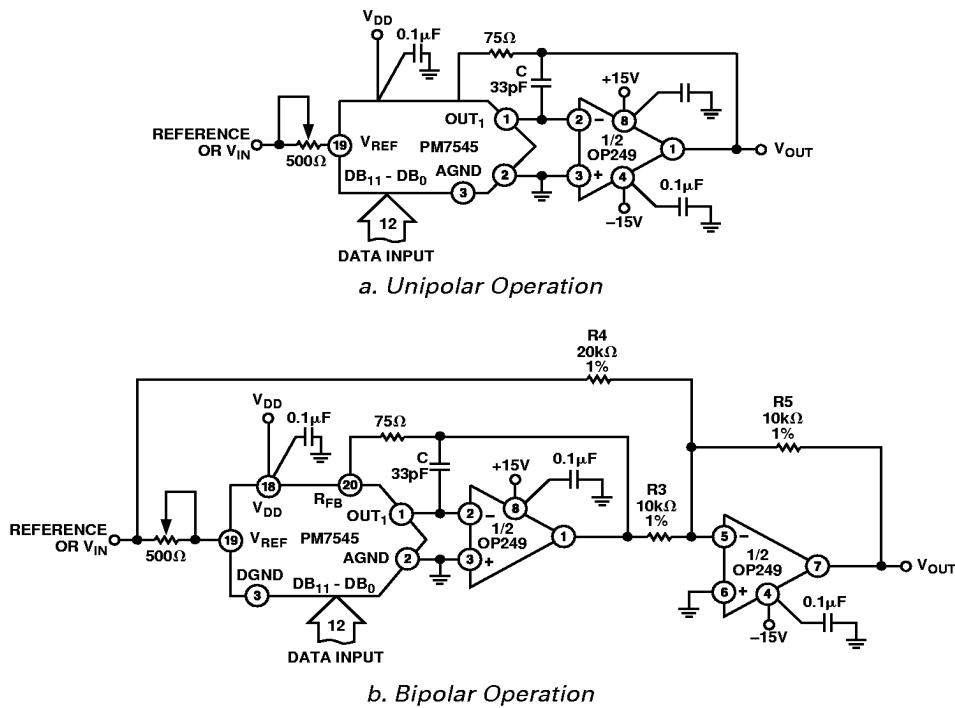


Figure 47. Fast Settling and Low Offset Error of the OP249 Enhances CMOS DAC Performance

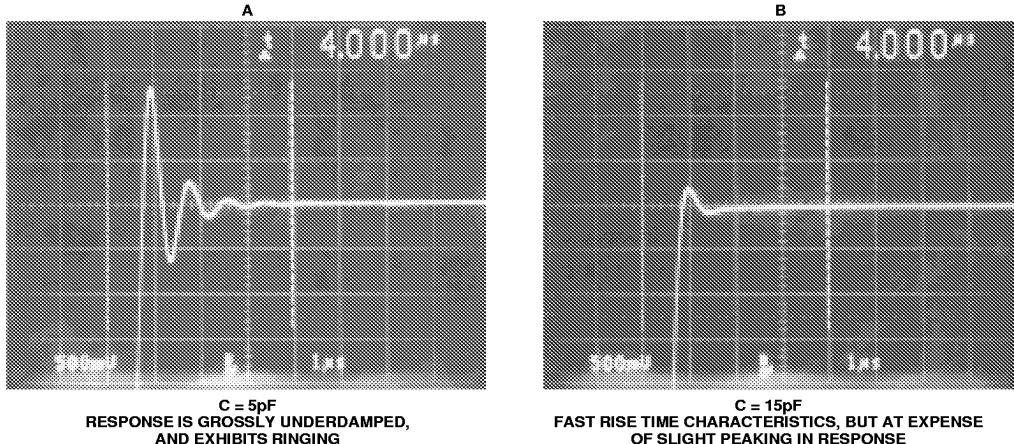


Figure 48. Effect of Altering Compensation from Circuit in Figure 47a—PM7545 CMOS DAC with 1/2 OP249, Unipolar Operation. Critically Damped Response Will Be Obtained with  $C \approx 33\text{ pF}$

Figure 48 illustrates the effect of altering the compensation on the output response of the circuit in Figure 48a. Compensation is required to address the combined effect of the DAC's output capacitance, the op amp's input capacitance and any stray capacitance. Slight adjustments to the compensation capacitor may be required to optimize settling response for any given application.

The settling time of the combination of the current output DAC and the op amp can be approximated by:

$$t_s \text{ TOTAL} = \sqrt{(t_s \text{ DAC})^2 + (t_s \text{ AMP})^2}$$

The actual overall settling time is affected by the noise gain of the amplifier, the applied compensation, and the equivalent input capacitance at the amplifier's input.

#### DISCUSSION ON DRIVING A/D CONVERTERS

Settling characteristics of operational amplifiers also include an amplifier's ability to recover, i.e., settle, from a transient current output load condition. An example of this includes an op amp driving the input from a SAR type A/D converter. Although the comparison point of the converter is usually diode clamped, the input swing of plus-and-minus a diode drop still gives rise to a significant modulation of input current. If the closed-loop output impedance is low enough and bandwidth of the amplifier is sufficiently large, the output will settle before the converter makes a comparison decision which will prevent linearity errors or missing codes.

Figure 49 shows a settling measurement circuit for evaluating recovery from an output current transient. An output disturbing current generator provides the transient change in output load current of 1 mA. As seen in Figure 50, the OP249 has extremely fast recovery of 274 ns (to 0.01%), for a 1 mA load transient. The performance makes it an ideal amplifier for data acquisition systems.

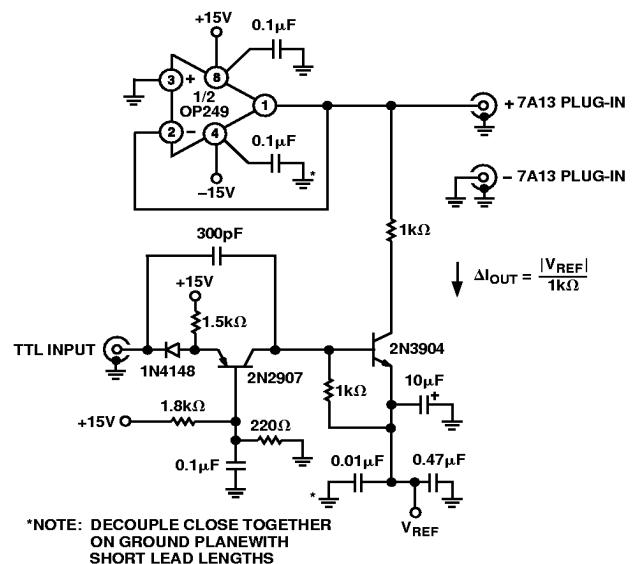


Figure 49. Transient Output Impedance Test Fixture

The combination of high speed and excellent dc performance of the OP249 makes it an ideal amplifier for 12-bit data acquisition systems. Examining the circuit in Figure 51, one amplifier in the OP249 provides a stable -5 V reference voltage for the  $V_{REF}$  input of the ADC912. The other amplifier in the OP249 performs high speed buffering of the A/D's input.

Examining the worst case transient voltage error (Figure 52) at the Analog In node of the A/D converter: the OP249 recovers in less than 100 ns. The fast recovery is due to both the OP249's wide bandwidth and low dc output impedance.

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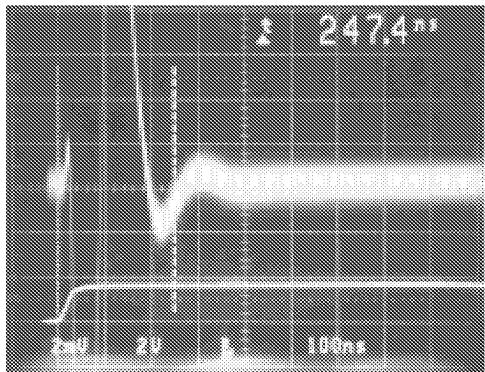


Figure 50. OP249's Transient Recovery Time from a 1 mA Load Transient to 0.01%

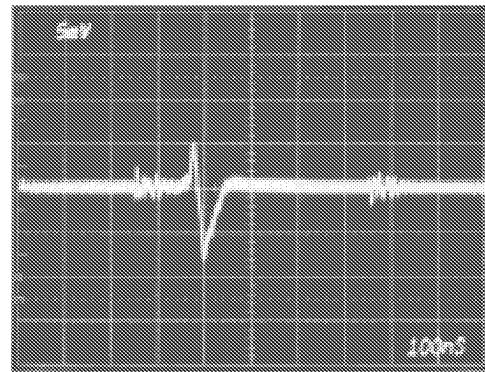


Figure 52. Worst Case Transient Voltage, at Analog In, Occurs at the Half-Scale Point of the A/D. OP249 Buffers the A/D Input from Figure 51, and Recovers in Less than 100 ns.

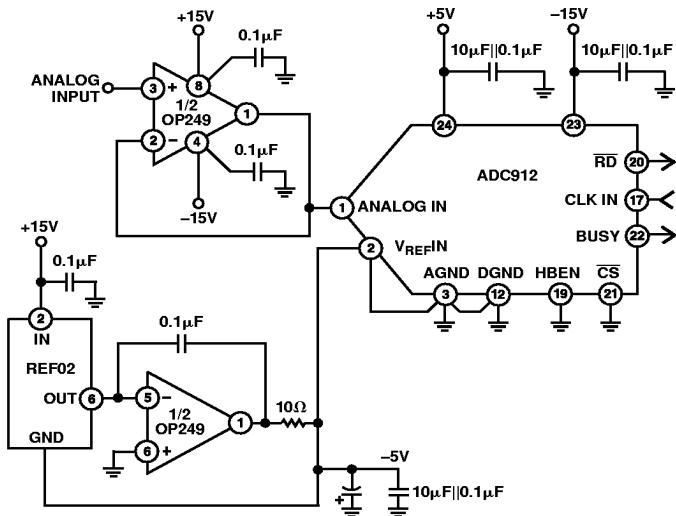


Figure 51. OP249 Dual Amplifiers Provide Both Stable -5 V Reference Input, and Buffers Input to ADC912

**OP249 SPICE MACRO-MODEL**

Figures 53 and Table I show the node and net list for a SPICE macromodel of the OP249. The model is a simplified version of the actual device and simulates important dc parameters such as  $V_{OS}$ ,  $I_{OS}$ ,  $I_B$ ,  $A_{VO}$ , CMR,  $V_O$  and  $I_{SY}$ . AC parameters such as slew rate, gain and phase response and CMR change with frequency are also simulated by the model.

The model uses typical parameters for the OP249. The poles and zeros in the model were determined from the actual open and closed-loop gain and phase response of the OP249. In this way the model presents an accurate ac representation of the actual device. The model assumes an ambient temperature of 25°C.

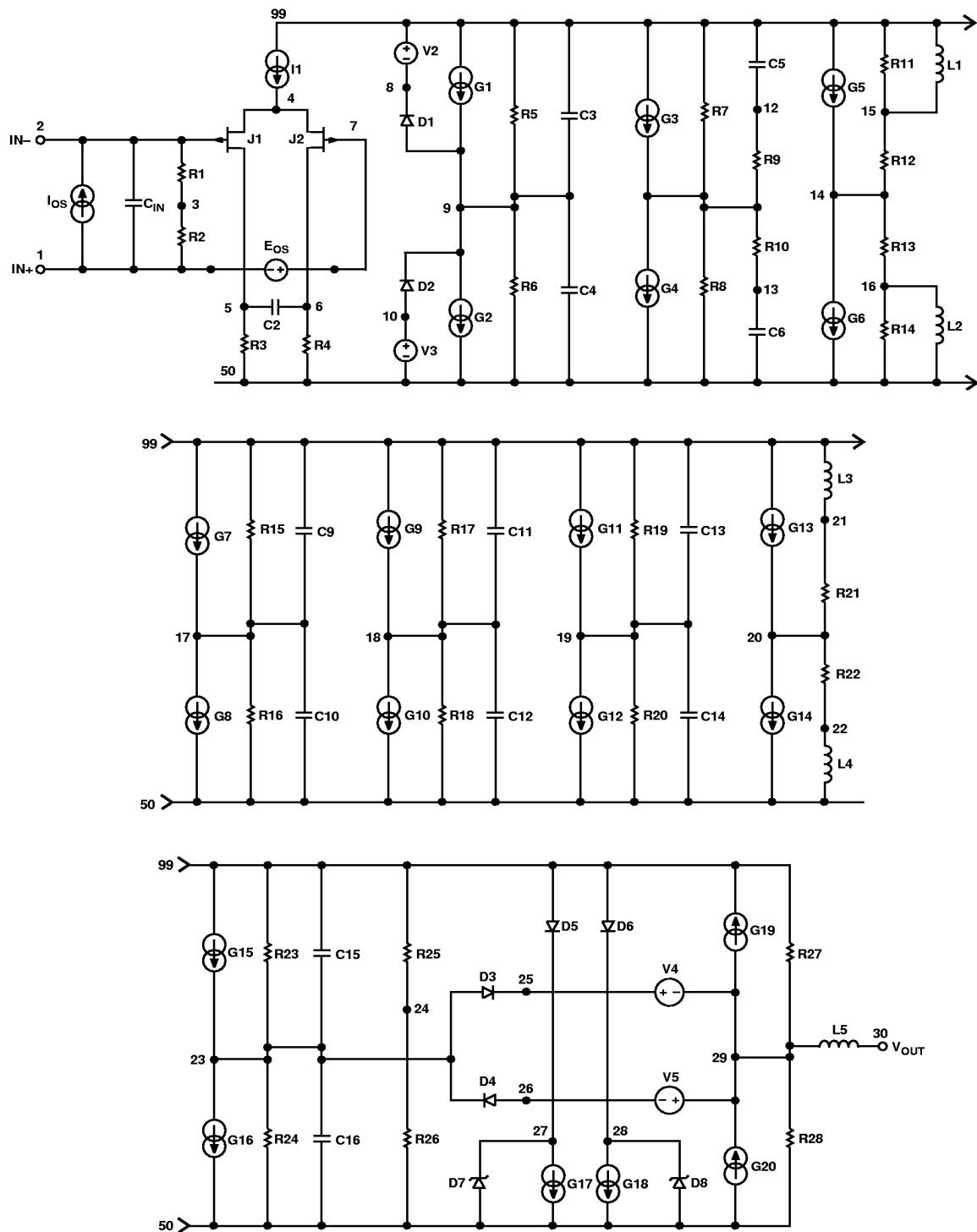


Figure 53. OP249 Macro-Model

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**Table I. SPICE Net List**

**OP249 MACRO-MODEL**

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INPUT STAGE & POLE AT 100MHz
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r1 2 3 5E11
r2 1 3 5E11
r3 5 50 652.3
r4 6 50 652.3
cin 1 2 5E-12
c2 5 6 1.22E-12
i1 99 4 1E-3
ios 1 2 3.1E-12
eos 7 1 poly(1) 20 24 150E-6 1
j1 5 2 4 jx
j2 6 7 4 jx
*
* SECOND STAGE & POLE AT 12.2Hz
*
r5 9 99 326.1E6
r6 9 50 326.1E6
c3 9 99 40E-12
c4 9 50 40E-12
g1 99 9 poly(1) 5 6 4.25E-3 1.533E-3
g2 9 50 poly(1) 6 5 4.25E-3 1.533E-3
v2 99 8 2.9
v3 10 50 2.9
d1 9 8 dx
d2 10 9 dx
*
* POLE-ZERO PAIR AT 2MHz/4.0MHz
*
r7 11 99 1E6
r8 11 50 1E6
r9 11 12 1E6
r10 11 13 1E6
c5 12 99 37.79E-15
c6 13 50 37.79E-15
g3 99 11 9 24 1E-6
g4 11 50 24 9 1E-6
*
* ZERO-POLE PAIR AT 4MHz/8MHz
*
r11 99 15 1E6
r12 14 15 1E6
r13 14 16 1E6
r14 50 16 1E6
i1 99 15 19.89E-3
i2 50 16 19.89E-3
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* POLE AT 20MHz
*
r15 17 99 1E6
r16 17 50 1E6
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g8 17 50 24 14 1E-6
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c11 18 99 3.18E-15
c12 18 50 3.18E-15
g9 99 18 17 24 1E-6
g10 18 50 24 17 1E-6
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* POLE AT 50MHz
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r19 19 99 1E6
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* COMMON-MODE GAIN NETWORK WITH ZERO AT 60kHz
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r22 20 22 1E6
I3 21 99 2.65
I4 22 50 2.65
g13 99 20 3 24 1.78E-11
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* POLE AT 50MHz
*
r23 23 99 1E6
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c15 23 99 3.18E-15
c16 23 50 3.18E-15
g15 99 23 19 24 1E-6
g16 23 50 24 19 1E-6
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* OUTPUT STAGE
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r26 24 50 135E3
r27 29 99 70
r28 29 50 70
i5 29 30 4E-7
g17 27 50 23 29 14.3E-3
g18 28 50 29 23 14.3E-3
g19 29 99 99 23 14.3E-3
g20 50 29 23 50 14.3E-3
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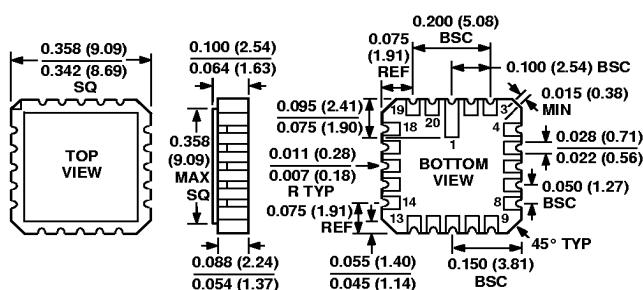
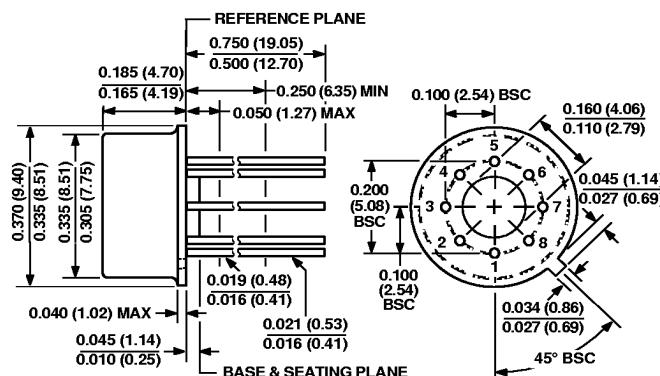
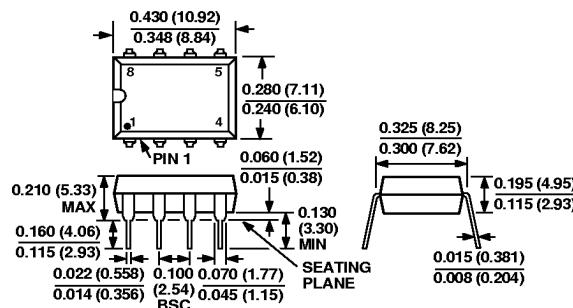
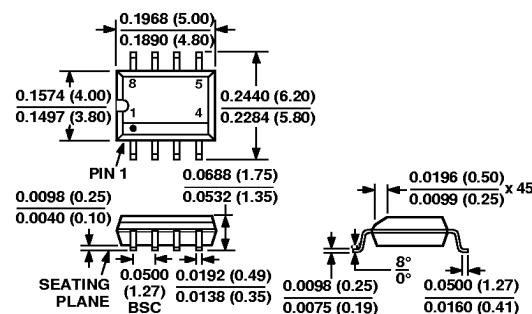
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(SO-8)8-Lead Cerdip  
(Q-8)