



# General Purpose CMOS Rail-to-Rail Amplifiers

## AD8541/AD8542/AD8544

### FEATURES

Single Supply Operation: +2.7 V to +5.5 V  
Low Supply Current: 45  $\mu$ A/Amplifier  
Wide Bandwidth: 1 MHz  
No Phase Reversal  
Low Input Currents: 4 pA  
Unity Gain Stable  
Rail-to-Rail Input and Output

### APPLICATIONS

ASIC Input or Output Amplifier  
Sensor Interface  
Piezo Electric Transducer Amplifier  
Medical Instrumentation  
Mobile Communication  
Audio Output  
Portable Systems

### GENERAL DESCRIPTION

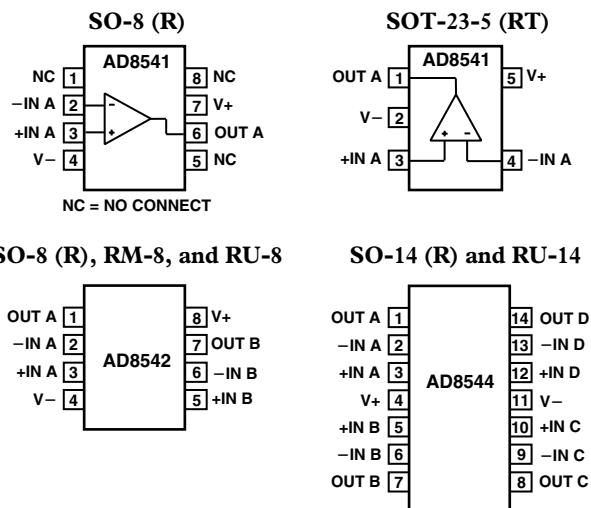
The AD8541/AD8542/AD8544 are single, dual and quad rail-to-rail input and output single supply amplifiers featuring very low supply current and 1 MHz bandwidth. All are guaranteed to operate from a +2.7 V single supply as well as a +5 V supply. These parts provide 1 MHz bandwidth at low current consumption of 45  $\mu$ A per amplifier.

Very low input bias currents enable the AD8541/AD8542/AD8544 to be used for integrators, photodiode amplifiers, piezo electric sensors and other applications with high source impedance. Supply current is only 45  $\mu$ A per amplifier, ideal for battery operation.

Rail-to-rail inputs and outputs are useful to designers buffering ASICs in single supply systems. The AD8541/AD8542/AD8544 are optimized to maintain high gains at lower supply voltages, making them useful for active filters and gain stages.

The AD8541/AD8542/AD8544 are specified over the extended industrial ( $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+125^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) temperature range. The AD8541 is available in 8-lead SO and 5-lead SOT-23 packages. The AD8542 is available in 8-lead SO, 8-lead MSOP, and 8-lead TSSOP surface mount packages. The AD8544 is available in 14-lead narrow SO-14 and 14-lead TSSOP surface mount packages. All TSSOP, MSOP, and SOT versions are available in tape and reel only.

### PIN CONFIGURATIONS



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# AD8541/AD8542/AD8544—SPECIFICATIONS

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( $V_S = +2.7\text{ V}$ , $V_{CM} = +1.35\text{ V}$ , $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
<b>INPUT CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Offset Voltage	$V_{OS}$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		1	6	mV
Input Bias Current	$I_B$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$			7	mV
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$		4	60	pA
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$			100	pA
Input Offset Current	$I_{OS}$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$			1,000	pA
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$		0.1	30	pA
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$			50	pA
Input Voltage Range			0		500	pA
Common-Mode Rejection Ratio	CMRR	$V_{CM} = 0\text{ V to } +2.7\text{ V}$	40	45	+2.7	V
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	38			dB
Large Signal Voltage Gain	$A_{VO}$	$R_L = 100\text{ k}\Omega$ , $V_O = +0.5\text{ V to } +2.2\text{ V}$	100	500		V/mV
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$	50			V/mV
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	2			V/mV
Offset Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_{OS}/\Delta T$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		4		$\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
Bias Current Drift	$\Delta I_B/\Delta T$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$		100		fA/ $^\circ\text{C}$
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		2,000		fA/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Offset Current Drift	$\Delta I_{OS}/\Delta T$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		25		fA/ $^\circ\text{C}$
<b>OUTPUT CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Output Voltage High	$V_{OH}$	$I_L = 1\text{ mA}$	+2.575	+2.65		V
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	+2.550			V
Output Voltage Low	$V_{OL}$	$I_L = 1\text{ mA}$		35	100	mV
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$			125	mV
Output Current	$I_{OUT}$	$V_{OUT} = V_S - 1\text{ V}$		15		mA
	$\pm I_{SC}$			$\pm 20$		mA
Closed Loop Output Impedance	$Z_{OUT}$	$f = 200\text{ kHz}$ , $A_V = 1$		50		$\Omega$
<b>POWER SUPPLY</b>						
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	PSRR	$V_S = +2.5\text{ V to } +6\text{ V}$	65	76		dB
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	60			dB
Supply Current/Amplifier	$I_{SY}$	$V_O = 0\text{ V}$		38	55	$\mu\text{A}$
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$			75	$\mu\text{A}$
<b>DYNAMIC PERFORMANCE</b>						
Slew Rate	SR	$R_L = 100\text{ k}\Omega$	0.4	0.75		V/ $\mu\text{s}$
Settling Time	$t_s$	To 0.1% (1 V Step)		5		$\mu\text{s}$
Gain Bandwidth Product	GBP			980		kHz
Phase Margin	$\Phi_O$			63		Degrees
<b>NOISE PERFORMANCE</b>						
Voltage Noise Density	$e_n$	$f = 1\text{ kHz}$		40		$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
	$e_n$	$f = 10\text{ kHz}$		38		$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
Current Noise Density	$i_n$			<0.1		$\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$

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**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** ( $V_S = +3.0\text{ V}$ ,  $V_{CM} = +1.5\text{ V}$ ,  $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
<b>INPUT CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Offset Voltage	$V_{OS}$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		1	6	mV
Input Bias Current	$I_B$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		4	7	pA
Input Offset Current	$I_{OS}$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$ $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$			60	pA
Input Voltage Range		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$ $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		0.1	100	pA
Common-Mode Rejection Ratio	CMRR	$V_{CM} = 0\text{ V to } +3\text{ V}$ $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	0	45	500	V
Large Signal Voltage Gain	$A_{VO}$	$R_L = 100\text{ k}\Omega$ , $V_O = +0.5\text{ V to } +2.2\text{ V}$ $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$ $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	100	500		dB
Offset Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_{OS}/\Delta T$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		4		dB
Bias Current Drift	$\Delta I_B/\Delta T$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$ $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		100		V/mV
Offset Current Drift	$\Delta I_{OS}/\Delta T$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		2,000		V/mV
				25		V/mV
<b>OUTPUT CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Output Voltage High	$V_{OH}$	$I_L = 1\text{ mA}$ $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	+2.875	+2.955		V
Output Voltage Low	$V_{OL}$	$I_L = 1\text{ mA}$ $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	+2.850	32	100	V
Output Current	$I_{OUT}$ $\pm I_{SC}$	$V_{OUT} = V_S - 1\text{ V}$		18	125	mV
Closed Loop Output Impedance	$Z_{OUT}$	$f = 200\text{ kHz}$ , $A_V = 1$		$\pm 25$		mV
				50		mA
<b>POWER SUPPLY</b>						
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	PSRR	$V_S = +2.5\text{ V to } +6\text{ V}$ $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	65	76		dB
Supply Current/Amplifier	$I_{SY}$	$V_O = 0\text{ V}$ $-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	60	40	60	dB
					75	$\mu\text{A}$
<b>DYNAMIC PERFORMANCE</b>						
Slew Rate	SR	$R_L = 100\text{ k}\Omega$	0.4	0.8		V/ $\mu\text{s}$
Settling Time	$t_S$	To 0.01% (1 V Step)		5		$\mu\text{s}$
Gain Bandwidth Product	GBP			980		kHz
Phase Margin	$\Phi_O$			64		Degrees
<b>NOISE PERFORMANCE</b>						
Voltage Noise Density	$e_n$	$f = 1\text{ kHz}$		42		$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
	$e_n$	$f = 10\text{ kHz}$		38		$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
Current Noise Density	$i_n$			<0.1		$\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$

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# AD8541/AD8542/AD8544—SPECIFICATIONS

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( $V_S = +5.0\text{ V}$ , $V_{CM} = +2.5\text{ V}$ , $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
<b>INPUT CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Offset Voltage	$V_{OS}$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		1	6	mV
Input Bias Current	$I_B$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		4	7	mV
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$			60	pA
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$			100	pA
Input Offset Current	$I_{OS}$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		0.1	1,000	pA
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$			30	pA
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$			50	pA
Input Voltage Range			0		500	pA
Common-Mode Rejection Ratio	CMRR	$V_{CM} = 0\text{ V to } +5\text{ V}$	40	48	+5	V
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	38			dB
Large Signal Voltage Gain	$A_{VO}$	$R_L = 100\text{ k}\Omega$ , $V_O = +0.5\text{ V to } +2.2\text{ V}$	20	40		V/mV
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$	10			V/mV
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	2			V/mV
Offset Voltage Drift	$\Delta V_{OS}/\Delta T$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		4		$\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
Bias Current Drift	$\Delta I_B/\Delta T$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +85^\circ\text{C}$		100		fA/ $^\circ\text{C}$
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		2,000		fA/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Offset Current Drift	$\Delta I_{OS}/\Delta T$	$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$		25		fA/ $^\circ\text{C}$
<b>OUTPUT CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Output Voltage High	$V_{OH}$	$I_L = 1\text{ mA}$	+4.9	+4.965		V
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	+4.875			V
Output Voltage Low	$V_{OL}$	$I_L = 1\text{ mA}$		25	100	mV
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$			125	mV
Output Current	$I_{OUT}$	$V_{OUT} = V_S - 1\text{ V}$		30		mA
	$\pm I_{SC}$			$\pm 60$		mA
Closed Loop Output Impedance	$Z_{OUT}$	$f = 200\text{ kHz}$ , $A_V = 1$		45		$\Omega$
<b>POWER SUPPLY</b>						
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	PSRR	$V_S = +2.5\text{ V to } +6\text{ V}$	65	76		dB
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$	60			dB
Supply Current/Amplifier	$I_{SY}$	$V_O = 0\text{ V}$		45	65	$\mu\text{A}$
		$-40^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$			85	$\mu\text{A}$
<b>DYNAMIC PERFORMANCE</b>						
Slew Rate	SR	$R_L = 100\text{ k}\Omega$ , $C_L = 200\text{ pF}$	0.45	0.92		V/ $\mu\text{s}$
Full-Power Bandwidth	BW <sub>P</sub>	1% Distortion		70		kHz
Settling Time	$t_s$	To 0.1% (1 V Step)		6		$\mu\text{s}$
Gain Bandwidth Product	GBP			1,000		kHz
Phase Margin	$\Phi_o$			67		Degrees
<b>NOISE PERFORMANCE</b>						
Voltage Noise Density	$e_n$	$f = 1\text{ kHz}$		42		$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
	$e_n$	$f = 10\text{ kHz}$		38		$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
Current Noise Density	$i_n$			<0.1		$\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$

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

Supply Voltage ( $V_S$ )	+6 V
Input Voltage	GND to $V_S$
Differential Input Voltage <sup>2</sup>	$\pm 6$ V
Storage Temperature Range	-65°C to +150°C
Operating Temperature Range	-40°C to +125°C
Junction Temperature Range	-65°C to +150°C
Lead Temperature Range (Soldering, 60 sec)	+300°C

### NOTES

<sup>1</sup>Stresses above those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent damage to the device. This is a stress rating only; functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions above those listed in the operational sections of this specification is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

<sup>2</sup>For supplies less than +6 V, the differential input voltage is equal to  $\pm V_S$ .

## PACKAGE INFORMATION

Package Type	$\theta_{JA}$ <sup>1</sup>	$\theta_{JC}$	Units
5-Lead SOT-23 (RT)	256	81	°C/W
8-Lead SOIC (R)	158	43	°C/W
8-Lead MSOP (RM)	210	45	°C/W
8-Lead TSSOP (RU)	240	43	°C/W
14-Lead SOIC (R)	120	36	°C/W
14-Lead TSSOP (RU)	240	43	°C/W

### NOTE

<sup>1</sup> $\theta_{JA}$  is specified for worst case conditions, i.e.,  $\theta_{JA}$  is specified for device soldered onto a circuit board for surface mount packages.

## ORDERING GUIDE

Model	Temperature Range	Package Description	Package Option	Branding Information
AD8541AR	-40°C to +125°C	8-Lead SOIC	SO-8	A4A
AD8541ART*	-40°C to +125°C	5-Lead SOT-23	RT-5	
AD8542AR	-40°C to +125°C	8-Lead SOIC	SO-8	AVA
AD8542ARM*	-40°C to +125°C	8-Lead MSOP	RM-8	
AD8542ARU*	-40°C to +125°C	8-Lead TSSOP	RU-8	
AD8544AR	-40°C to +125°C	14-Lead SOIC	SO-14	
AD8544ARU*	-40°C to +125°C	14-Lead TSSOP	RU-14	

\*Available in reels only.

## 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 AD8541/AD8542/AD8544 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.



# AD8541/AD8542/AD8544—Typical Performance Characteristics

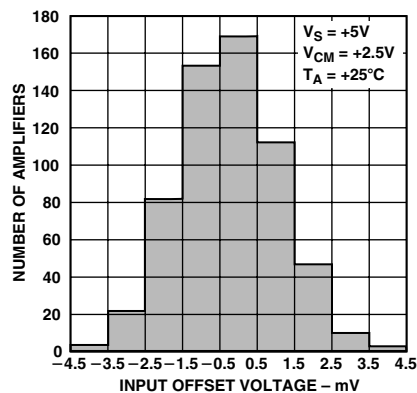


Figure 1. Input Offset Voltage Distribution

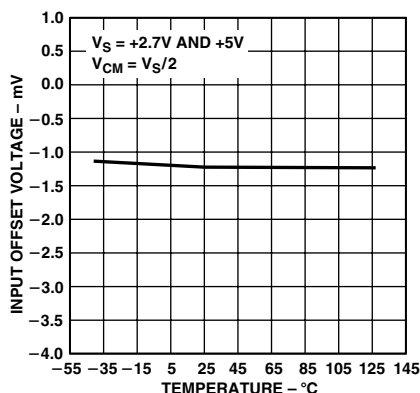


Figure 2. Input Offset Voltage vs. Temperature

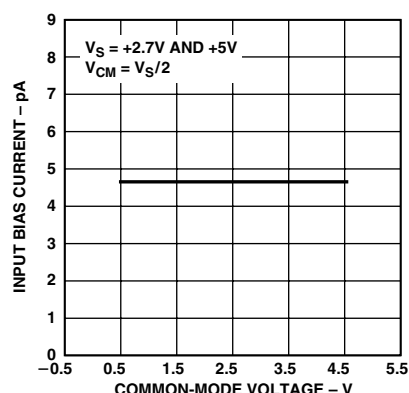


Figure 3. Input Bias Current vs. Common-Mode Voltage

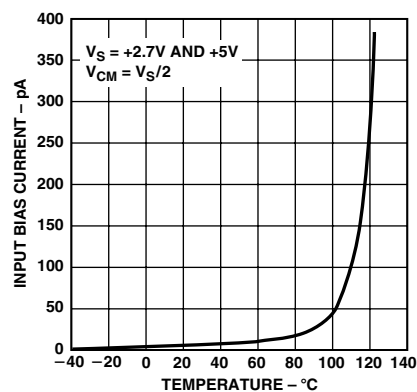


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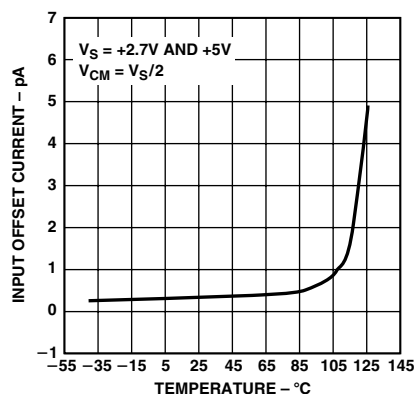


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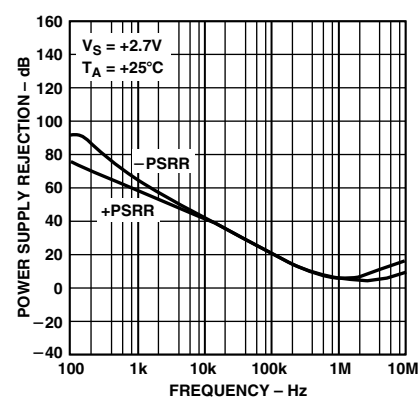


Figure 6. Power Supply Rejection Ratio vs. Frequency

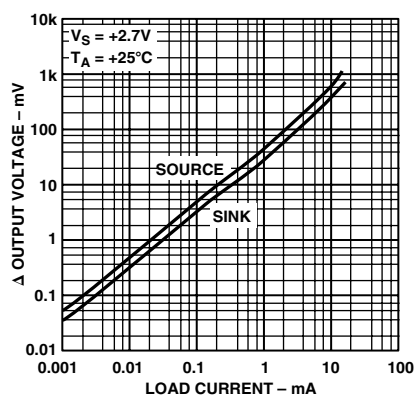


Figure 7. Output Voltage to Supply Rail vs. Load Current

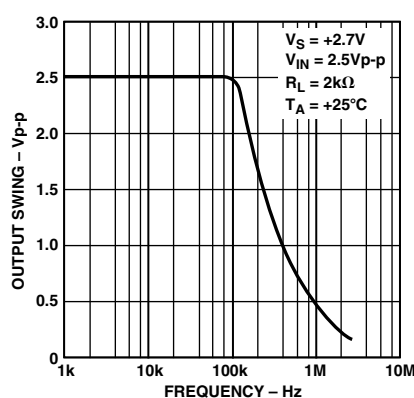


Figure 8. Closed-Loop Output Voltage Swing vs. Frequency

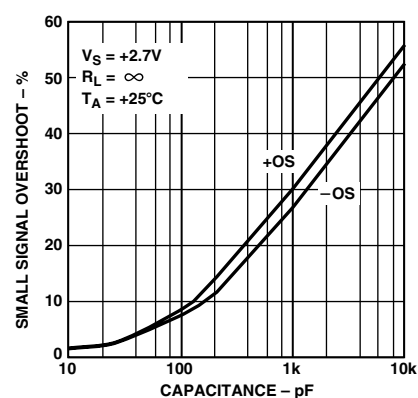


Figure 9. Small Signal Overshoot vs. Load Capacitance

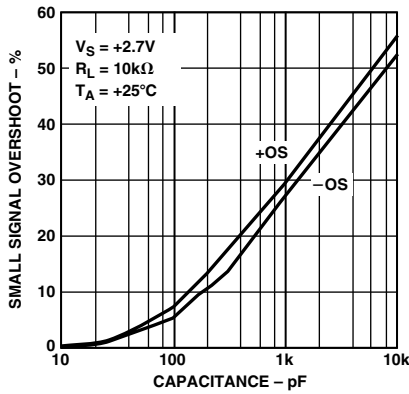


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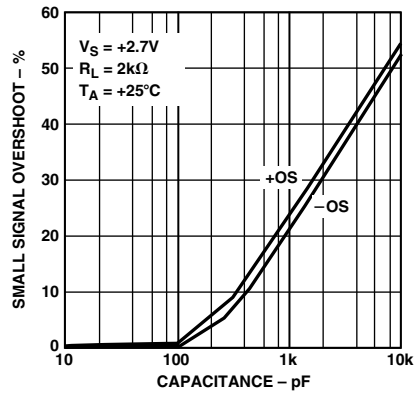


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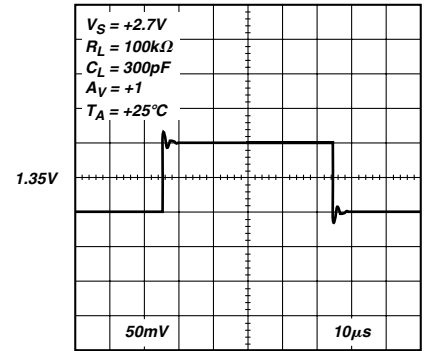


Figure 12. Small Signal Transient Response

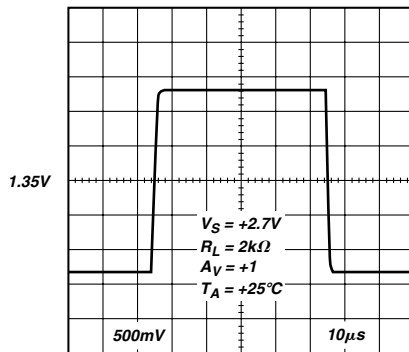


Figure 13. Large Signal Transient Response

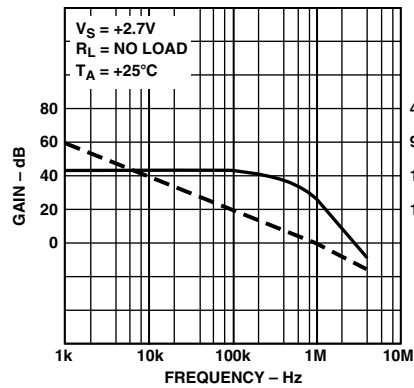


Figure 14. Open-Loop Gain and Phase vs. Frequency

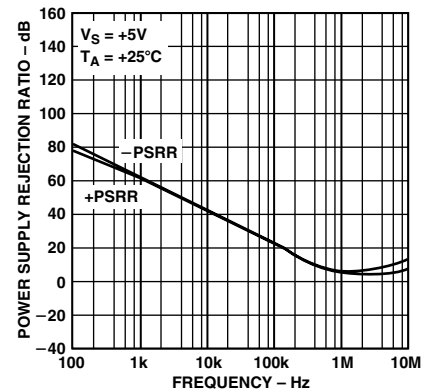


Figure 15. Power Supply Rejection Ratio vs. Frequency

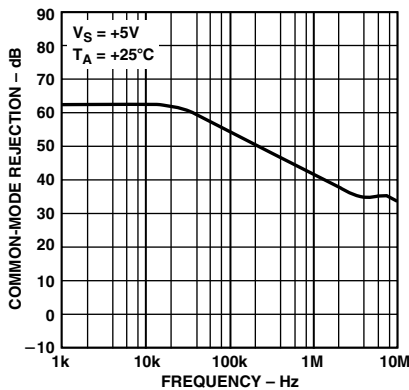


Figure 16. Common-Mode Rejection Ratio vs. Frequency

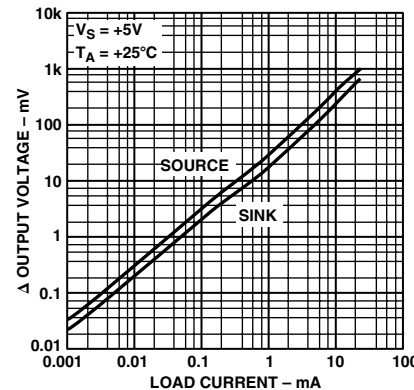


Figure 17. Output Voltage to Supply Rail vs. Frequency

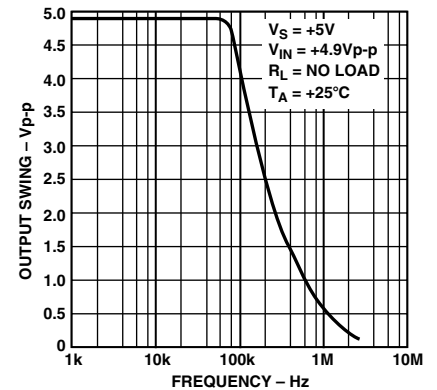


Figure 18. Closed Loop Output Voltage Swing vs. Frequency

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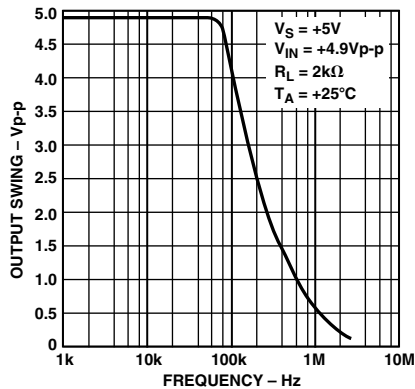


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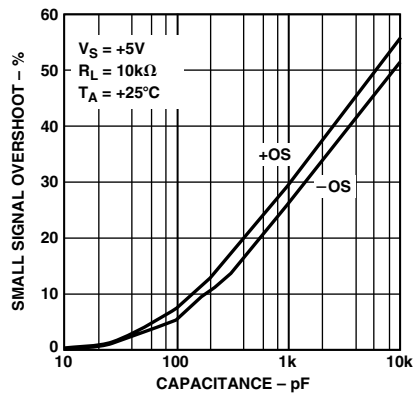


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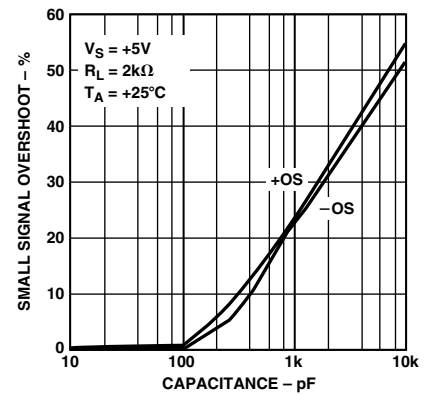


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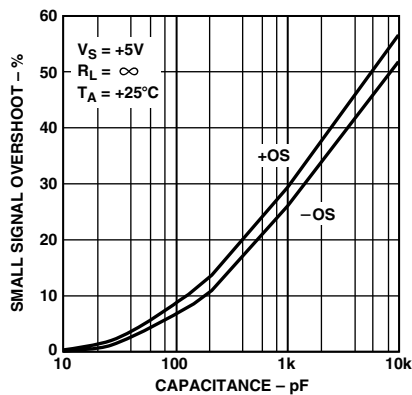


Figure 22. Small Signal Overshoot vs. Load Capacitance

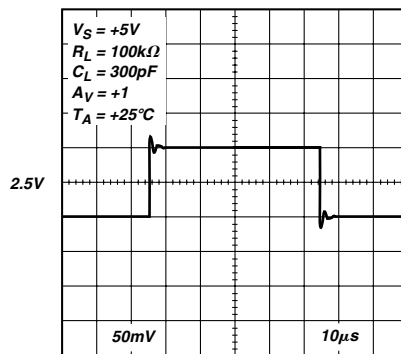


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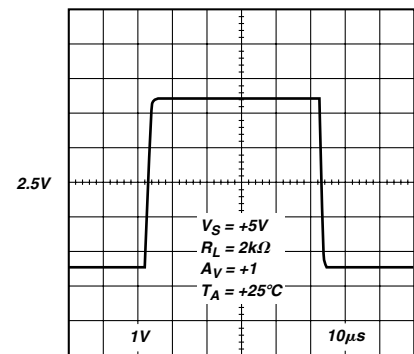


Figure 24. Large Signal Transient Response

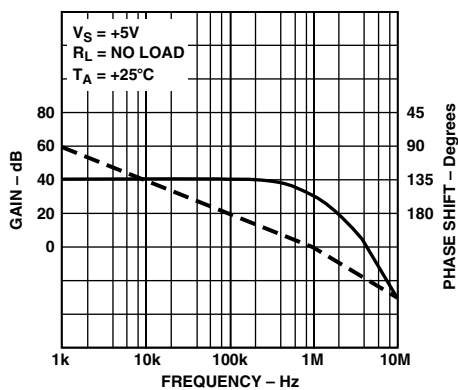


Figure 25. Open-Loop Gain & Phase vs. Frequency

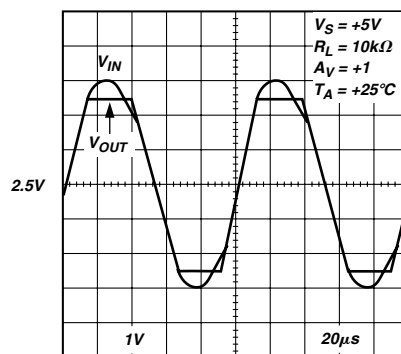


Figure 26. No Phase Reversal

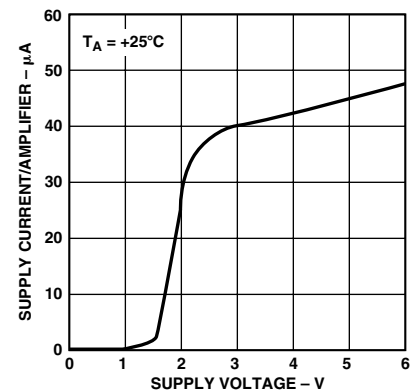


Figure 27. Supply Current per Amplifier vs. Supply Voltage

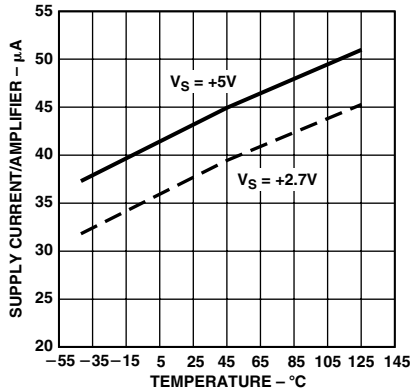


Figure 28. Supply Current per Amplifier vs. Temperature

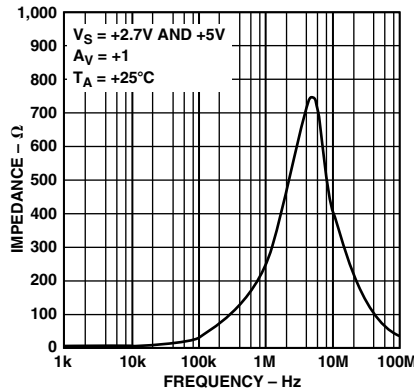


Figure 29. Closed-Loop Output Impedance vs. Frequency

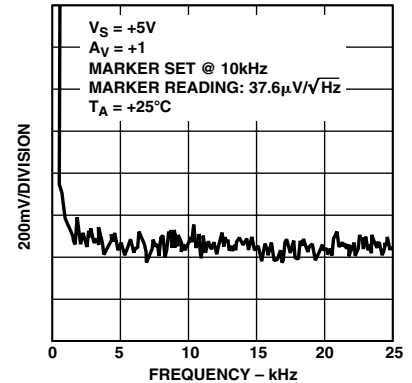


Figure 30. Voltage Noise

## NOTES ON THE AD854x AMPLIFIERS

The AD8541/AD8542/AD8544 amplifiers are improved performance general purpose operational amplifiers. Performance has been improved over previous amplifiers in several ways.

### Lower Supply Current for 1 MHz Gain Bandwidth

The AD854x series typically uses 45 microamps of current per amplifier. This is much less than the 200  $\mu$ A to 700  $\mu$ A used in earlier generation parts with similar performance. This makes the AD854x series a good choice for upgrading portable designs for longer battery life. Alternatively, additional functions and performance can be added at the same current drain.

### Higher Output Current

At +5 V single supply, the short circuit current is typically 60  $\mu$ A. Even 1 V from the supply rail, the AD854x amplifiers can provide 30 mA, sourcing or sinking.

Sourcing and sinking is strong at lower voltages, with 15 mA available at +2.7 V, and 18 mA at 3.0 V. For even higher output currents, please see the Analog Devices AD8531/AD853/AD8534 parts, with output currents to 250 mA. Information on these parts is available from your Analog Devices representative, and datasheets are available at the Analog Devices website at [www.analog.com](http://www.analog.com).

### Better Performance at Lower Voltages

The AD854x family parts have been designed to provide better ac performance, at 3.0 V and 2.7 V, than previously available parts. Typical gain-bandwidth product is close to 1 MHz at 2.7 V. Voltage gain at 2.7 V and 3.0 V is typically 500,000. Phase margin is typically over +60°C, making the part easy to use.

## APPLICATIONS

### Notch Filter

The AD8542 has very high open loop gain (especially with supply voltage below 4 V), which makes it useful for active filters of all types. For example, Figure 31 illustrates the AD8542 in the classic Twin-T Notch Filter design. The Twin-T Notch is desired for simplicity, low output impedance and minimal use of op amps. In fact, this notch filter may be designed with only one op amp if Q adjustment is not required. Simply remove U2 as illustrated in Figure 32. However, a major drawback to this circuit topology is ensuring that all the Rs and Cs closely match. The components must closely match or notch frequency offset and drift will cause

the circuit to no longer attenuate at the ideal notch frequency. To achieve desired performance, 1% or better component tolerances or special component screens are usually required. One method to desensitize the circuit-to-component mismatch is to increase R2 with respect to R1, which lowers Q. A lower Q increases attenuation over a wider frequency range, but reduces attenuation at the peak notch frequency.

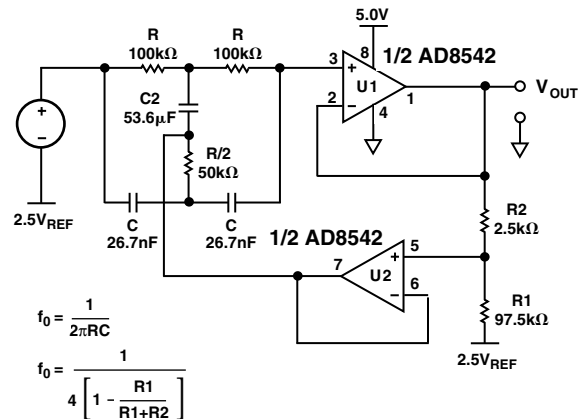


Figure 31. 60 Hz Twin-T Notch Filter,  $Q = 10$

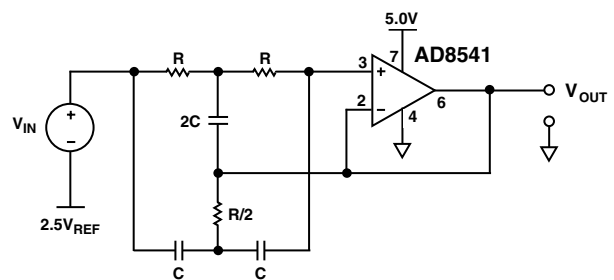


Figure 32. 60 Hz Twin-T Notch Filter,  $Q = \infty$  (Ideal)

Figure 33 diagrams another example of the AD8542 in a notch filter circuit. The FNDNR notch filter has several unique features as compared to the Twin-T Notch including: less critical matching requirements; Q is directly proportional to a single resistor R1. While matching component values is still important, it is also much easier and/or less expensive to

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accomplish in the FNDR circuit. For example, the Twin-T Notch uses three capacitors with two unique values, whereas the FNDR circuit uses only two capacitors, which may be of the same value. U3 is simply a buffer that is added to lower the output impedance of the circuit.

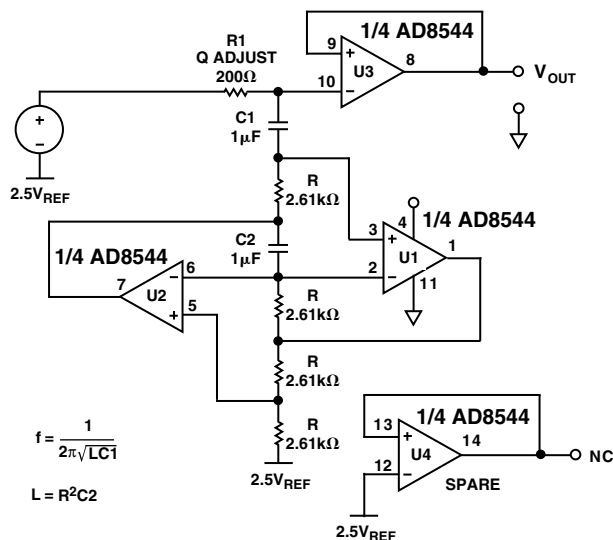


Figure 33. FNDR 60 Hz Notch Filter with Output Buffer

## Comparator Function

A comparator function is a common application for a spare op amp in a quad package. Figure 34 illustrates 1/4 of the AD8544 as a comparator in a standard overload detection application. Unlike so many op amps, the AD854x family can double as comparator because this op amp family has rail-to-rail differential input range, rail-to-rail output, and a great speed vs. power ratio. R2 is used to introduce hysteresis. The AD854x when used as comparators have 5 μs propagation delay @ 5 V and 5 μs overload recovery time.

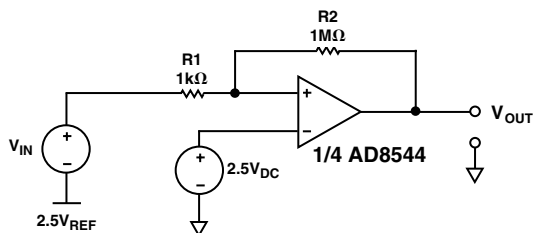


Figure 34. The AD854x Comparator Application—Overload Detector

## Photodiode Application

The AD854x family has very high impedance with input bias current typically around 4 pA. This characteristic allows the AD854x op amps to be used in photodiode applications and other applications that require high input impedance. Note that the AD854x has significant voltage offset, which can be removed by capacitive coupling or software calibration.

Figure 35, illustrates a photodiode or current measurement application. The feedback resistor is limited to 10 MΩ to avoid excessive output offset. Also note that a resistor is not needed on the noninverting input to cancel bias current offset, because the bias current related output offset is not significant when compared to the voltage offset contribution. For the best performance follow the standard high impedance layout techniques including: shield circuit, clean circuit board, put a trace connected to the noninverting input around the inverting input, and use separate analog and digital power supplies.

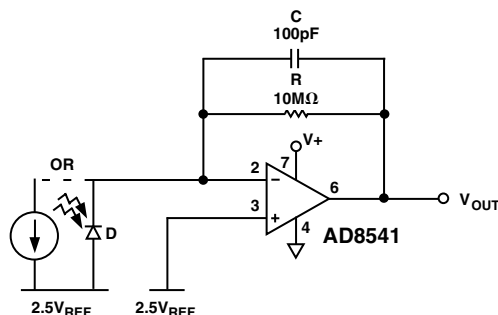


Figure 35. High Input Impedance Application—Photodiode Amplifier

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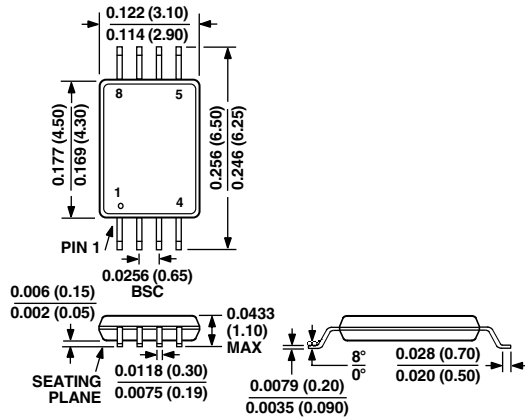
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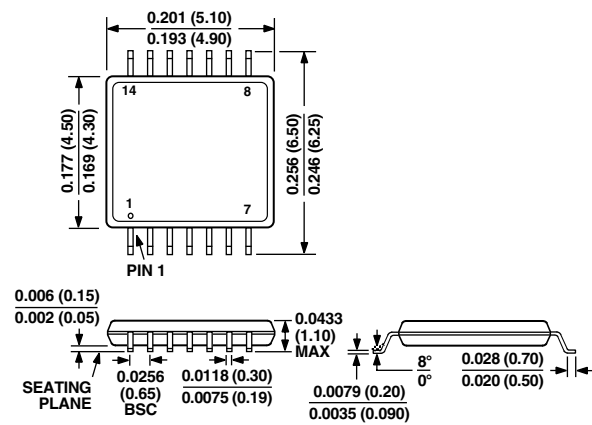
## OUTLINE DIMENSIONS

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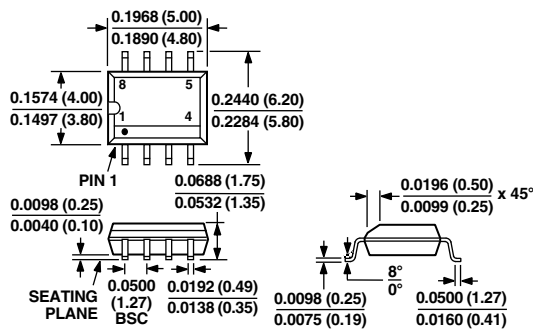
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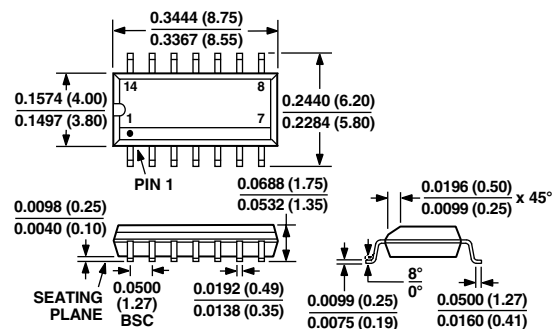
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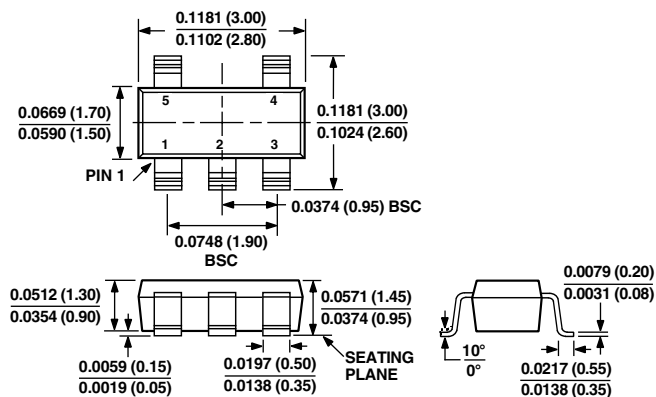
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