



LT6011/LT6012

Dual/Quad $135\mu\text{A}$, $14\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$,
Rail-to-Rail Output
Precision Op Amp

FEATURES

- $60\mu\text{V}$ Maximum Offset Voltage
- 300pA Maximum Input Bias Current
- $135\mu\text{A}$ Supply Current per Amplifier
- Rail-to-Rail Output Swing
- 120dB Minimum Voltage Gain, $V_S = \pm 15\text{V}$
- $0.8\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$ Maximum V_{OS} Drift
- $14\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$ Input Noise Voltage
- 2.7V to $\pm 18\text{V}$ Supply Voltage Operation
- Operating Temperature Range: -40°C to 85°C
- Space Saving 3mm \times 3mm DFN Package

APPLICATIONS

- Thermocouple Amplifiers
- Precision Photo Diode Amplifiers
- Instrumentation Amplifiers
- Battery-Powered Precision Systems
- Low Voltage Precision Systems

DESCRIPTION

The LT®6011/LT6012 op amps combine low noise and high precision input performance with low power consumption and rail-to-rail output swing.

Input offset voltage is trimmed to less than $60\mu\text{V}$. The low drift and excellent long-term stability guarantee a high accuracy over temperature and time. The 300pA maximum input bias current and 120dB minimum voltage gain further maintain this precision over operating conditions.

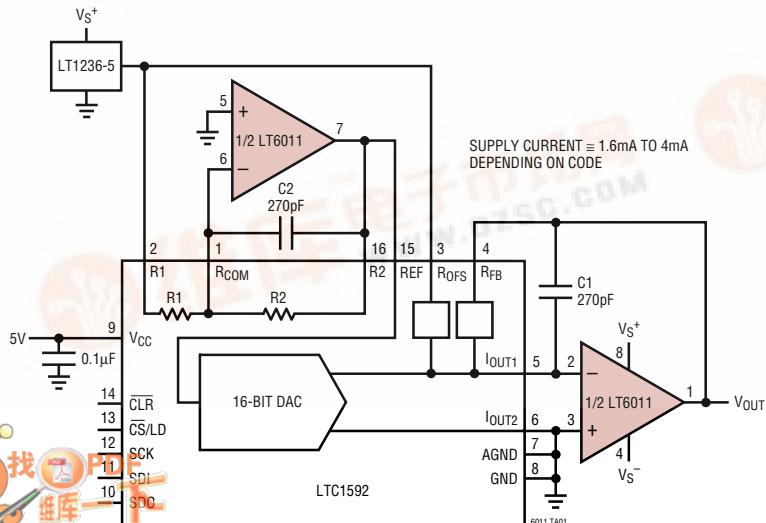
The LT6011/LT6012 work on any power supply voltage from 2.7V to 36V and draw only $135\mu\text{A}$ of supply current on a 5V supply. The output swings to within 40mV of either supply rail, making the amplifier a good choice for low voltage single supply applications.

The LT6011/LT6012 are specified at 5V and $\pm 15\text{V}$ supplies and from -40°C to 85°C . The LT6011 (dual) is available in SO-8 and space saving 3mm \times 3mm DFN packages. The LT6012 (quad) is available in SO-14 and 16-pin SSOP packages.

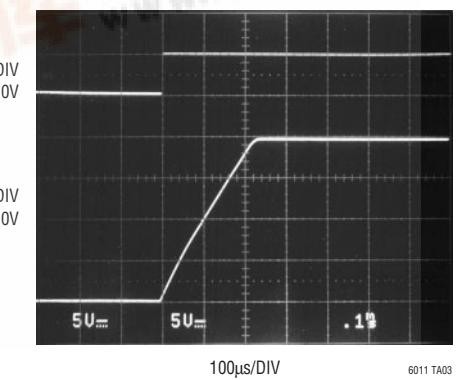
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TYPICAL APPLICATION

Low Power Programmable Output Range 16-Bit SoftSpan™ DAC



20V Output Step Response



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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (Note 1)

Total Supply Voltage (V^+ to V^-)	40V	Maximum Junction Temperature	
Differential Input Voltage (Note 2)	10V	DD Package	125°C
Input Voltage	V^+ to V^-	All Other Packages	150°C
Input Current (Note 2)	$\pm 10\text{mA}$	Storage Temperature Range	
Output Short-Circuit Duration (Note 3)	Indefinite	DD Package	-65°C to 125°C
Operating Temperature Range (Note 4)	-40°C to 85°C	All Other Packages	-65°C to 150°C
Specified Temperature Range (Note 5)	-40°C to 85°C	Lead Temperature (Soldering, 10 sec)	300°C

PACKAGE/ORDER INFORMATION

TOP VIEW	ORDER PART NUMBER	TOP VIEW	ORDER PART NUMBER
	DD PART MARKING*		S8 PART MARKING
	LT6011CDD LT6011IDD LT6011ACDD LT6011AIDD		LT6011CS8 LT6011IS8 LT6011ACS8 LT6011AIS8
8-LEAD (3mm x 3mm) PLASTIC DFN $T_{JMAX} = 125^\circ\text{C}$, $\theta_{JA} = 160^\circ\text{C/W}$ UNDERSIDE METAL CONNECTED TO V^- (PCB CONNECTION OPTIONAL)	LACD	8-LEAD PLASTIC SO $T_{JMAX} = 150^\circ\text{C}$, $\theta_{JA} = 190^\circ\text{C/W}$	6011 6011I 6011A 6011AI
TOP VIEW	ORDER PART NUMBER	TOP VIEW	ORDER PART NUMBER
	LT6012CS LT6012IS LT6012ACS LT6012AIS		LT6012CGN LT6012IGN LT6012ACGN LT6012AIGN
S PACKAGE 14-LEAD PLASTIC SO $T_{JMAX} = 150^\circ\text{C}$, $\theta_{JA} = 110^\circ\text{C/W}$		GN PACKAGE 16-LEAD PLASTIC SSOP $T_{JMAX} = 150^\circ\text{C}$, $\theta_{JA} = 135^\circ\text{C/W}$	6012 6012I 6012A 6012AI

*Temperature and electrical grades are identified by a label on the shipping container.
Consult LTC Marketing for parts specified with wider operating temperature ranges.

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
V_{OS}	Input Offset Voltage (Note 8)	LT6011AS8, LT6012AS $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C		20	60	μV
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	85	110	μV
		LT6011ADD, LT6012AGN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C		25	85	μV
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	135	170	μV
		LT6011S8, LT6012S $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C		25	75	μV
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	100	125	μV
		LT6011DD, LT6012GN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C		30	125	μV
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	175	210	μV
		LT6011AS8, LT6011S8, LT6012AS, LT6012S LT6011ADD, LT6011DD, LT6012AGN, LT6012GN	●	0.2	0.8	$\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
			●	0.2	1.2	$\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
		LT6011AS8, LT6011ADD, LT6012AS, LT6012AGN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C		20	300	pA
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	450	600	pA
I_{OS}	Input Offset Current (Note 8)	LT6011S8, LT6011DD, LT6012S, LT6012GN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C		150	900	pA
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	1200	1500	pA
		LT6011S8, LT6011DD, LT6012S, LT6012GN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C		150	900	pA
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	1200	1500	pA
		LT6011AS8, LT6011ADD, LT6012AS, LT6012AGN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C		20	± 300	pA
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	± 450	± 600	pA
		LT6011S8, LT6011DD, LT6012S, LT6012GN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C		150	± 900	pA
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	± 1200	± 1500	pA
		Input Noise Voltage	0.1Hz to 10Hz		400	$\text{nV}_{\text{P-P}}$
e_n	Input Noise Voltage Density	$f = 1\text{kHz}$			14	$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
i_n	Input Noise Current Density	$f = 1\text{kHz}$, Unbalanced Source Resistance			0.1	$\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
R_{IN}	Input Resistance	Common Mode, $V_{CM} = 1\text{V}$ to 3.8V Differential		10	120	$\text{G}\Omega$
				20		$\text{M}\Omega$
C_{IN}	Input Capacitance				4	pF
V_{CM}	Input Voltage Range (Positive) Input Voltage Range (Negative)	Guaranteed by CMRR	●	3.8	4	V
		Guaranteed by CMRR	●	0.7	1	V
CMRR	Common Mode Rejection Ratio	$V_{CM} = 1\text{V}$ to 3.8V	●	107	135	dB
	Minimum Supply Voltage	Guaranteed by PSRR	●	2.4	2.7	V
PSRR	Power Supply Rejection Ratio	$V_S = 2.7\text{V}$ to 36V , $V_{CM} = 1/2V_S$	●	112	135	dB
A_{VOL}	Large-Signal Voltage Gain	$R_L = 10\text{k}$, $V_{OUT} = 1\text{V}$ to 4V	●	300	2000	V/mV
		$R_L = 2\text{k}$, $V_{OUT} = 1\text{V}$ to 4V	●	250	2000	V/mV
	Channel Separation	$V_{OUT} = 1\text{V}$ to 4V	●	110	140	dB

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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
V_{OUT}	Maximum Output Swing (Positive, Referred to V^+)	No Load, 50mV Overdrive		35	55	mV
		$I_{SOURCE} = 1\text{mA}$, 50mV Overdrive	●	65	120	mV
	Maximum Output Swing (Negative, Referred to 0V)	No Load, 50mV Overdrive		40	55	mV
		$I_{SINK} = 1\text{mA}$, 50mV Overdrive	●	65	150	mV
I_{SC}	Output Short-Circuit Current (Note 3)	$V_{OUT} = 0\text{V}$, 1V Overdrive, Source		10	14	mA
			●	4	12	mA
	$V_{OUT} = 5\text{V}$, -1V Overdrive, Sink		●	10	21	mA
			●	4	22	mA
SR	Slew Rate	$A_V = -10$, $R_F = 50\text{k}$, $R_G = 5\text{k}$		0.06	0.09	$\text{V}/\mu\text{s}$
		$T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C	●	0.05	0.08	$\text{V}/\mu\text{s}$
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	0.04	0.07	$\text{V}/\mu\text{s}$
GBW	Gain Bandwidth Product	$f = 10\text{kHz}$		250	330	kHz
			●	225	300	kHz
t_s	Settling Time	$A_V = -1$, 0.01%, $V_{OUT} = 1.5\text{V}$ to 3.5V		45		μs
ΔV_{OS}	Rise Time, Fall Time Offset Voltage Match (Note 7)	$A_V = 1$, 10% to 90%, 0.1V Step		1		μs
		LT6011AS8, LT6012AS		50	120	μV
		$T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C	●	170	400	μV
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	220	500	μV
		LT6011ADD, LT6012AGN		50	170	μV
		$T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C	●	270	600	μV
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	340	800	μV
		LT6011S8, LT6012S		50	150	μV
		$T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C	●	200	450	μV
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	250	600	μV
ΔI_B	Input Bias Current Match (Note 7)	LT6011AS8, LT6011ADD, LT6012AS, LT6012AGN		50	600	pA
		$T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C	●	900	1200	pA
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	1200	1800	pA
		LT6011S8, LT6011DD, LT6012S, LT6012GN			2400	pA
$\Delta CMRR$	Common Mode Rejection Ratio Match (Note 7)	$T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C	●	101	135	dB
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	106	135	dB
$\Delta PSRR$	Power Supply Rejection Ratio Match (Note 7)	per Amplifier		135	150	μA
		$T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C	●	190	210	μA
		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	210	230	μA
I_S	Supply Current	per Amplifier		135	150	μA
		$T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C	●	190	210	μA
T_A		$T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	●	210	230	μA

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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
V_{OS}	Input Offset Voltage (Note 8)	LT6011AS8, LT6012AS $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		30	135	μV
			●	160		μV
			●	185		μV
		LT6011ADD, LT6012AGN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		35	160	μV
			●	210		μV
			●	225		μV
		LT6011S8, LT6012S $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		35	150	μV
			●	175		μV
			●	200		μV
		LT6011DD, LT6012GN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		40	200	μV
			●	250		μV
			●	275		μV
$\Delta V_{OS}/\Delta T$	Input Offset Voltage Drift (Note 6)	LT6011AS8, LT6011S8, LT6012AS, LT6012S LT6011ADD, LT6011DD, LT6012AGN, LT6012GN	● ●	0.2 0.2	0.8 1.3	$\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
I_{OS}	Input Offset Current (Note 8)	LT6011AS8, LT6011ADD, LT6012AS, LT6012AGN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		20	300	pA
			● ●	450 600		pA
I_B	Input Bias Current (Note 8)	LT6011S8, LT6011DD, LT6012S, LT6012GN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		150	900	pA
			● ●	1200 1500		pA
	Input Noise Voltage	LT6011AS8, LT6011ADD, LT6012AS, LT6012AGN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		20	± 300	pA
			● ●	± 450 ± 600		pA
	Input Noise Current Density	LT6011S8, LT6011DD, LT6012S, LT6012GN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		150	± 900	pA
			● ●	± 1200 ± 1500		pA
e_n	Input Noise Voltage Density	0.1Hz to 10Hz $f = 1\text{kHz}$			400	$\text{nV}_{\text{p-p}}$
i_n	Input Noise Current Density	$f = 1\text{kHz}$, Unbalanced Source Resistance			13	$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
R_{IN}	Input Resistance	Common Mode, $V_{CM} = \pm 13.5\text{V}$ Differential		50 20	400	$\text{G}\Omega$ $\text{M}\Omega$
C_{IN}	Input Capacitance				4	pF
V_{CM}	Input Voltage Range	Guaranteed by CMRR	●	± 13.5	± 14	V
CMRR	Common Mode Rejection Ratio	$V_{CM} = -13.5\text{V}$ to 13.5V	● ●	115 112	135 135	dB
	Minimum Supply Voltage	Guaranteed by PSRR	●		± 1.2	± 1.35
PSRR	Power Supply Rejection Ratio	$V_S = \pm 1.35\text{V}$ to $\pm 18\text{V}$	●	112	135	dB
A_{VOL}	Large-Signal Voltage Gain	$R_L = 10\text{k}$, $V_{OUT} = -13.5\text{V}$ to 13.5V		1000 600	2000	V/mV
		$R_L = 5\text{k}$, $V_{OUT} = -13.5\text{V}$ to 13.5V		500 300	1500	V/mV
	Channel Separation	$V_{OUT} = -13.5\text{V}$ to 13.5V	●	120	140	dB
V_{OUT}	Maximum Output Swing (Positive, Referred to V^+)	No Load, 50mV Overdrive	●		45 80 100	mV
		$I_{SOURCE} = 1\text{mA}$, 50mV Overdrive	●		140 195 240	mV
	Maximum Output Swing (Negative, Referred to V^-)	No Load, 50mV Overdrive	●		45 80 100	mV
		$I_{SINK} = 1\text{mA}$, 50mV Overdrive	●		150 250 300	mV

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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
I_{SC}	Output Short-Circuit Current (Note 3)	$V_{OUT} = 0\text{V}$, 1V Overdrive (Source)	10 ● 5	15		mA
		$V_{OUT} = 0\text{V}$, -1V Overdrive (Sink)	10 ● 5	20		mA
SR	Slew Rate	$A_V = -10$, $R_F = 50\text{k}$, $R_G = 5\text{k}$ $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	0.08 ● 0.07 ● 0.05	0.11		$\text{V}/\mu\text{s}$ $\text{V}/\mu\text{s}$ $\text{V}/\mu\text{s}$
GBW	Gain Bandwidth Product	$f = 10\text{kHz}$	275 ● 250	350		kHz kHz
t_s	Settling Time	$A_V = -1$, 0.01%, $V_{OUT} = 0\text{V}$ to 10V		85		μs
t_r, t_f	Rise Time, Fall Time	$A_V = 1$, 10% to 90%, 0.1V Step		1		μs
ΔV_{OS}	Offset Voltage Match (Note 7)	LT6011AS8, LT6012AS $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		50	270 320 370	μV μV μV
		LT6011ADD, LT6012AGN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		50	320 420 450	μV μV μV
		LT6011S8, LT6012S $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		70	300 350 400	μV μV μV
		LT6011DD, LT6012GN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		80	400 500 550	μV μV μV
ΔI_B	Input Bias Current Match (Note 7)	LT6011AS8, LT6011ADD, LT6012AS, LT6012AGN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C		50	600 900 1200	pA pA pA
		LT6011S8, LT6011DD, LT6012S, LT6012GN $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C			1800 2400 3000	pA pA pA
$\Delta CMRR$	Common Mode Rejection Ratio Match (Note 7)		●	109	135	dB
$\Delta PSRR$	Power Supply Rejection Ratio Match (Note 7)		●	106	135	dB
I_S	Supply Current	per Amplifier $T_A = 0^\circ\text{C}$ to 70°C $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$ to 85°C	● ● ●	260	330 380 400	μA μA μA

Note 1: Absolute Maximum Ratings are those beyond which the life of the device may be impaired.

Note 2: The inputs are protected by back-to-back diodes and internal series resistors. If the differential input voltage exceeds 10V, the input current must be limited to less than 10mA.

Note 3: A heat sink may be required to keep the junction temperature below absolute maximum ratings.

Note 4: Both the LT6011C/LT6012C and LT6011I/LT6012I are guaranteed functional over the operating temperature range of -40°C to 85°C .

Note 5: The LT6011C/LT6012C are guaranteed to meet the specified performance from 0°C to 70°C and is designed, characterized and expected to meet specified performance from -40°C to 85°C but is not tested or QA sampled at these temperatures. The LT6011I/LT6012I are guaranteed to meet specified performance from -40°C to 85°C .

Note 6: This parameter is not 100% tested.

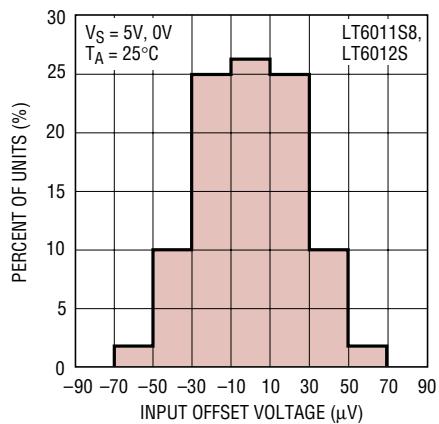
Note 7: Matching parameters are the difference between any two amplifiers. $\Delta CMRR$ and $\Delta PSRR$ are defined as follows: (1) CMRR and PSRR are measured in $\mu\text{V}/\text{V}$ for the individual amplifiers. (2) The difference between matching amplifiers is calculated in $\mu\text{V}/\text{V}$. (3) The result is converted to dB .

Note 8: The specifications for V_{OS} , I_B , and I_{OS} depend on the grade and on the package. The following table clarifies the notations.

	STANDARD GRADE	A GRADE
S8 Package	LT6011S8	LT6011AS8
DFN Package	LT6011DD	LT6011ADD
S14 Package	LT6012S	LT6012AS
GN16 Package	LT6012GN	LT6012AGN

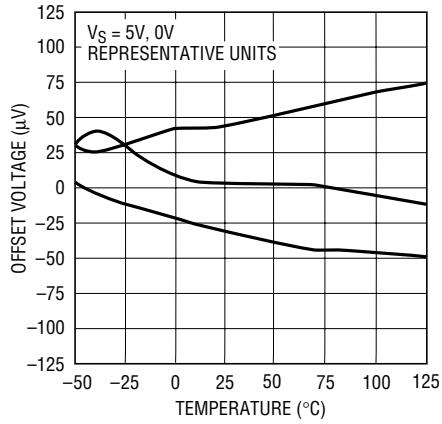
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Distribution of Input Offset Voltage



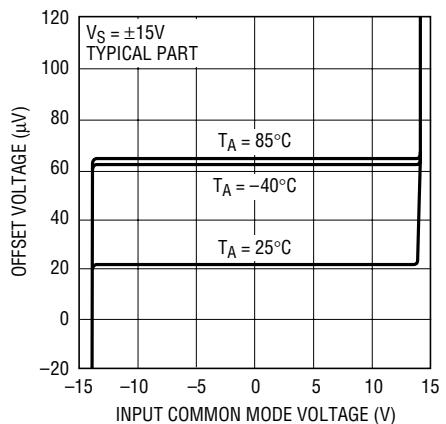
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Input Offset Voltage vs Temperature



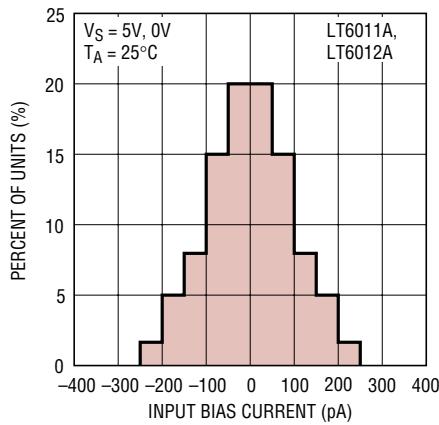
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Offset Voltage vs Input Common Mode Voltage



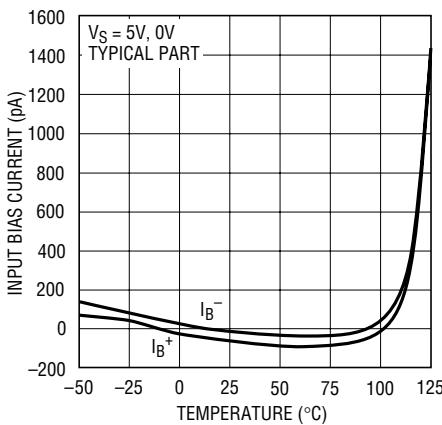
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Distribution of Input Bias Current



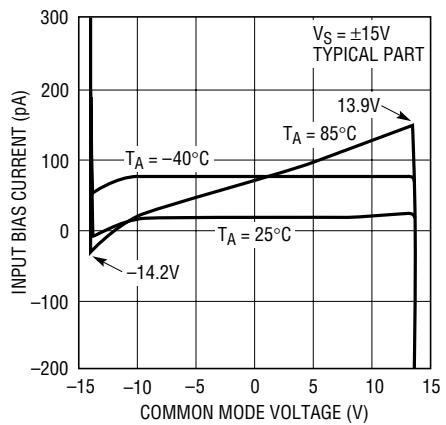
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Input Bias Current vs Temperature



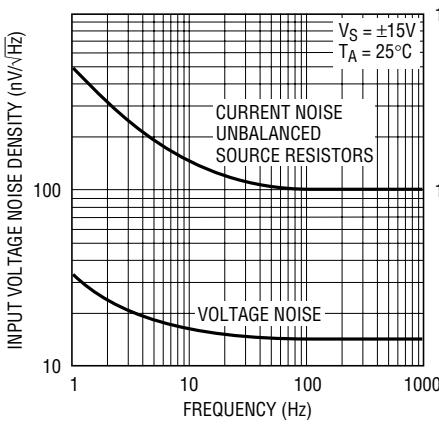
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Input Bias Current vs Input Common Mode Voltage



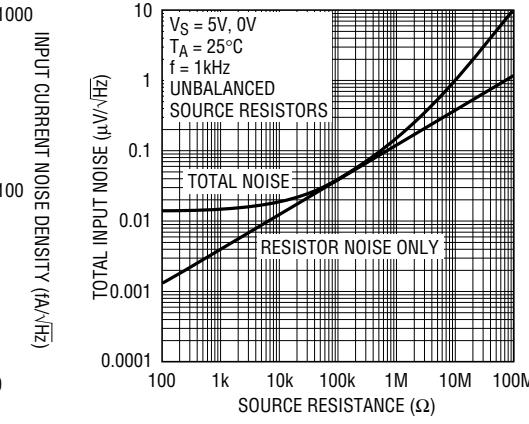
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e_n, i_n vs Frequency



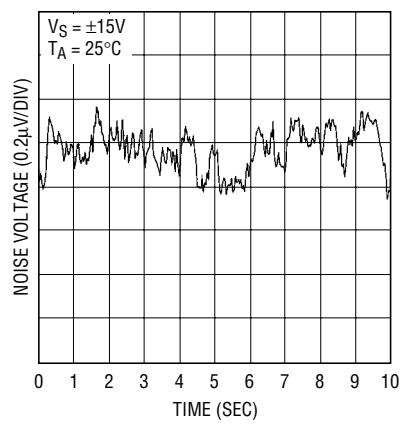
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Total Input Noise vs Source Resistance



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0.1Hz to 10Hz Noise

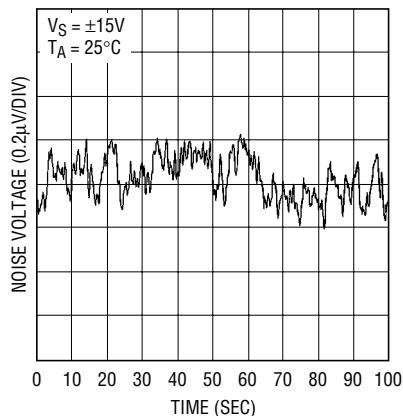


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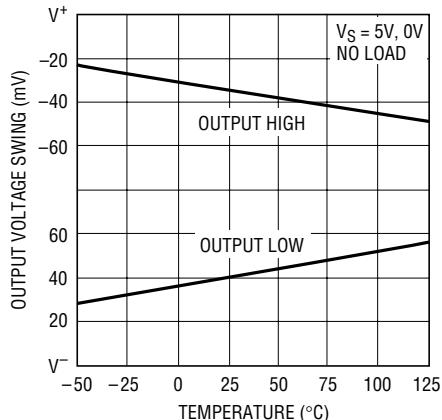
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0.01Hz to 1Hz Noise



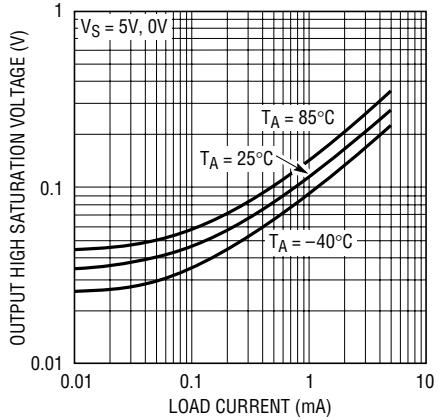
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Output Voltage Swing vs Temperature



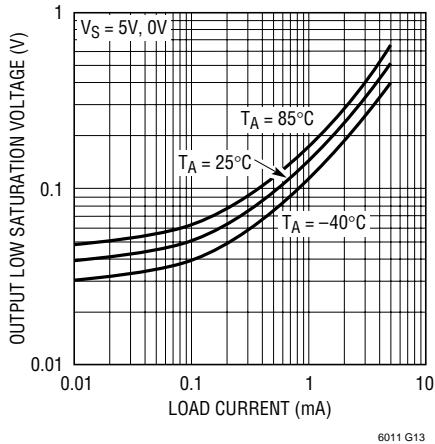
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Output Saturation Voltage vs Load Current (Output High)



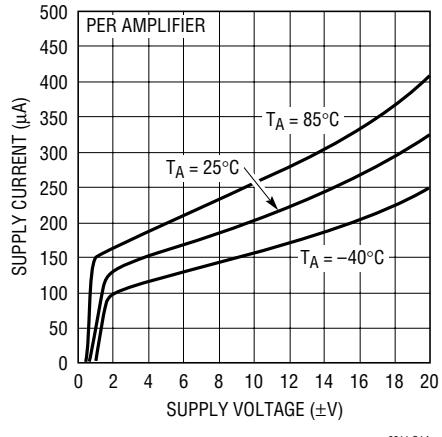
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Output Saturation Voltage vs Load Current (Output Low)



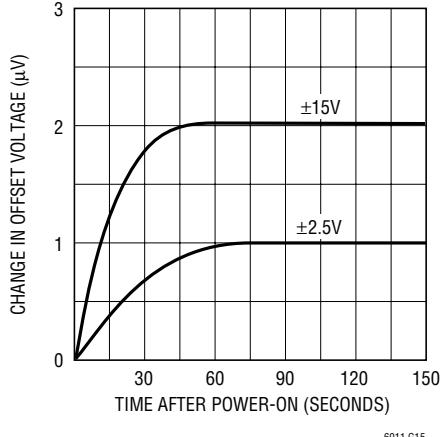
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Supply Current vs Supply Voltage



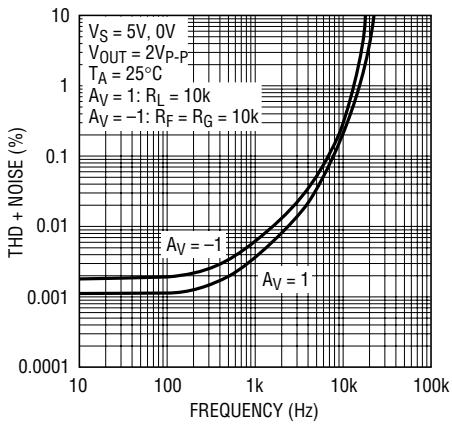
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Warm-Up Drift



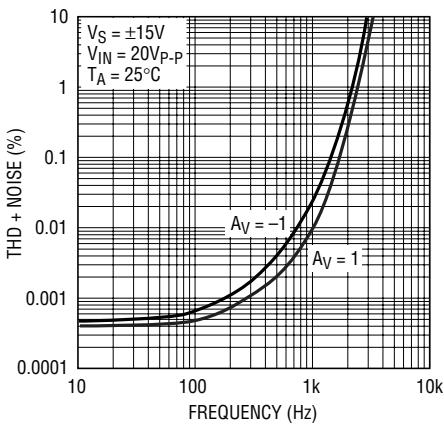
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THD + Noise vs Frequency



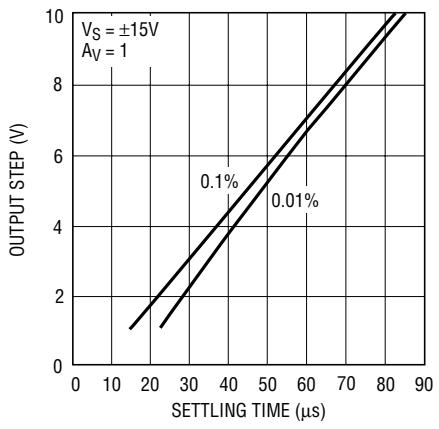
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THD + Noise vs Frequency



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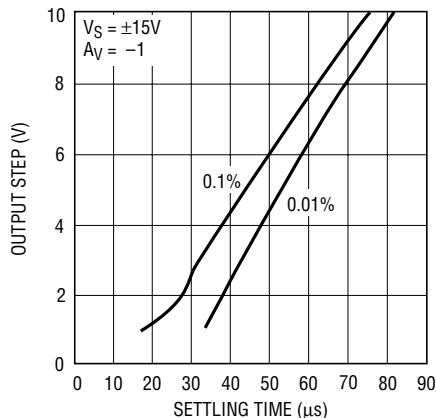
Settling Time vs Output Step



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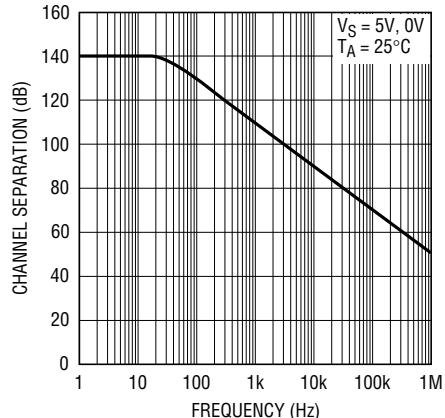
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Settling Time vs Output Step



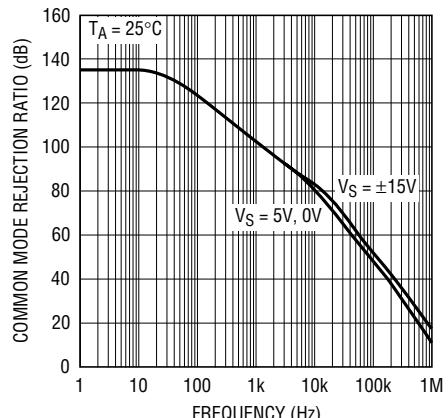
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Channel Separation vs Frequency



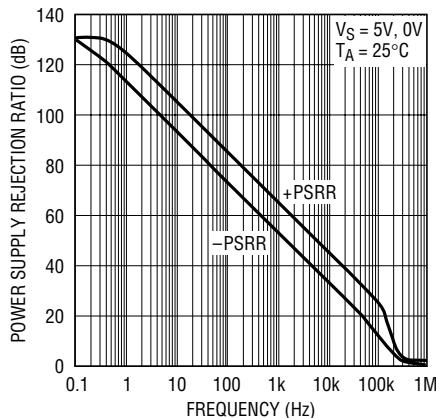
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CMRR vs Frequency



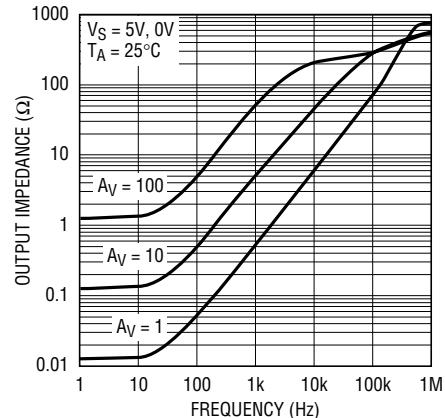
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PSRR vs Frequency



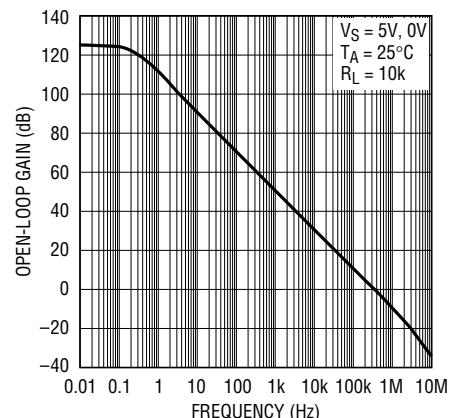
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Output Impedance vs Frequency



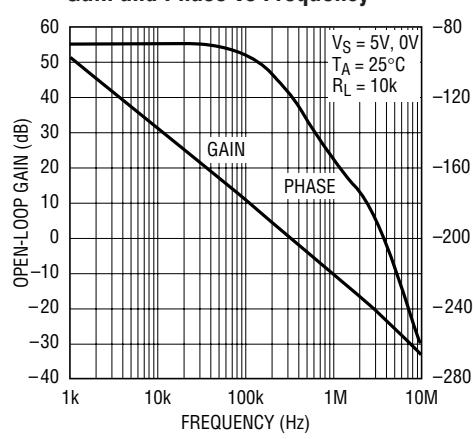
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Open-Loop Gain vs Frequency



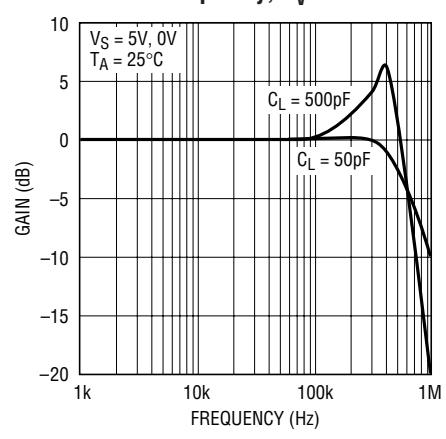
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Gain and Phase vs Frequency



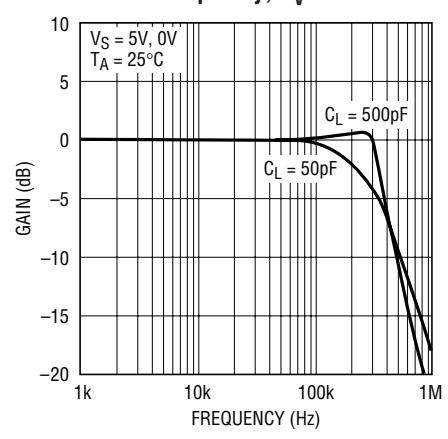
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Gain vs Frequency, $A_V = 1$



6011 G26

Gain vs Frequency, $A_V = -1$

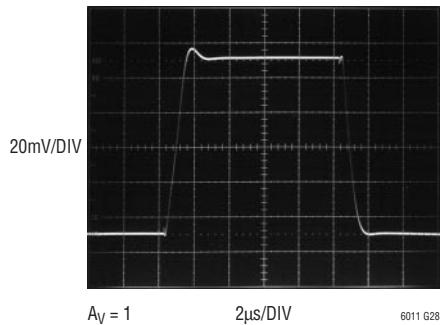


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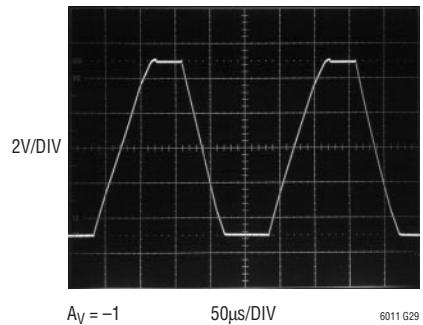
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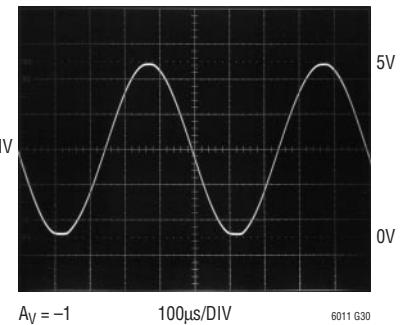
Small-Signal Transient Response



Large-Signal Transient Response



Rail-to-Rail Output Swing



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Preserving Input Precision

Preserving the input accuracy of the LT6011/LT6012 requires that the applications circuit and PC board layout do not introduce errors comparable to or greater than the 25 μ V typical offset of the amplifiers. Temperature differentials across the input connections can generate thermocouple voltages of 10's of microvolts so the connections to the input leads should be short, close together and away from heat dissipating components. Air currents across the board can also generate temperature differentials.

The extremely low input bias currents (20pA typical) allow high accuracy to be maintained with high impedance sources and feedback resistors. The LT6011/LT6012 low input bias currents are obtained by a cancellation circuit on-chip. This causes the resulting I_B^+ and I_B^- to be uncorrelated, as implied by the I_{OS} specification being comparable to I_B . Do not try to balance the input resistances in each input lead; instead keep the resistance at either input as low as possible for maximum accuracy.

Leakage currents on the PC board can be higher than the input bias current. For example, 10G Ω of leakage between a 15V supply lead and an input lead will generate 1.5nA! Surround the input leads with a guard ring driven to the same potential as the input common mode to avoid excessive leakage in high impedance applications.

Input Protection

The LT6011/LT6012 feature on-chip back-to-back diodes between the input devices, along with 500 Ω resistors in

series with either input. This internal protection limits the input current to approximately 10mA (the maximum allowed) for a 10V differential input voltage. Use additional external series resistors to limit the input current to 10mA in applications where differential inputs of more than 10V are expected. For example, a 1k resistor in series with each input provides protection against 30V differential voltage.

Input Common Mode Range

The LT6011/LT6012 output is able to swing close to each power supply rail (rail-to-rail out), but the input stage is limited to operating between $V^- + 1V$ and $V^+ - 1.2V$. Exceeding this common mode range will cause the gain to drop to zero, however, no phase reversal will occur.

Total Input Noise

The LT6011/LT6012 amplifier contributes negligible noise to the system when driven by sensors (sources) with impedance between 20k Ω and 1M Ω . Throughout this range, total input noise is dominated by the 4kTR_S noise of the source. If the source impedance is less than 20k Ω , the input voltage noise of the amplifier starts to contribute with a minimum noise of 14nV/ $\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$ for very low source impedance. If the source impedance is more than 1M Ω , the input current noise of the amplifier, multiplied by this high impedance, starts to contribute and eventually dominate. Total input noise spectral density can be calculated as:

$$V_n(\text{TOTAL}) = \sqrt{e_n^2 + 4kTR_S + (i_n R_S)^2}$$

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where $e_n = 14\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$, $i_n = 0.1\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$ and R_S is the total impedance at the input, including the source impedance.

Capacitive Loads

The LT6011/LT6012 can drive capacitive loads up to 500pF in unity gain. The capacitive load driving capability increases as the amplifier is used in higher gain configurations. A small series resistance between the output and the load further increases the amount of capacitance that the amplifier can drive.

Rail-to-Rail Operation

The LT6011/LT6012 outputs can swing to within millivolts of either supply rail, but the inputs can not. However, for most op amp configurations, the inputs need to swing less than the outputs. Figure 1 shows the basic op amp configurations, lists what happens to the op amp inputs and specifies whether or not the op amp must have rail-to-rail inputs. Select a rail-to-rail input op amp only when really necessary, because the input precision specifications are usually inferior.

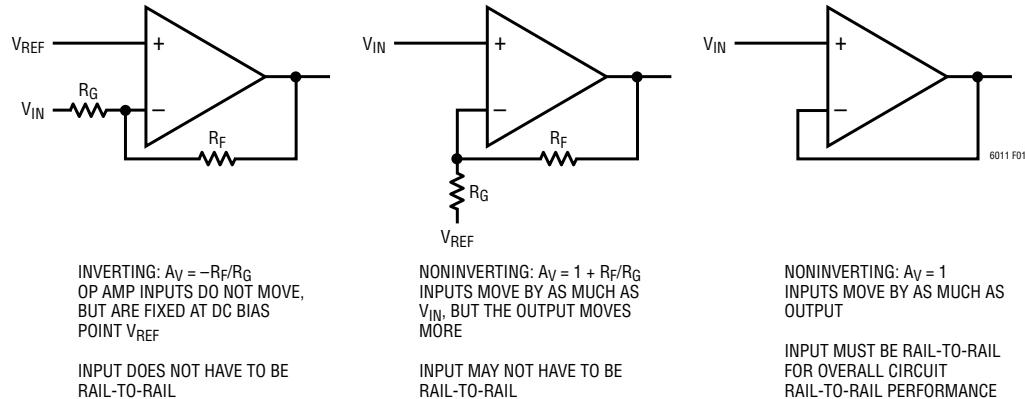
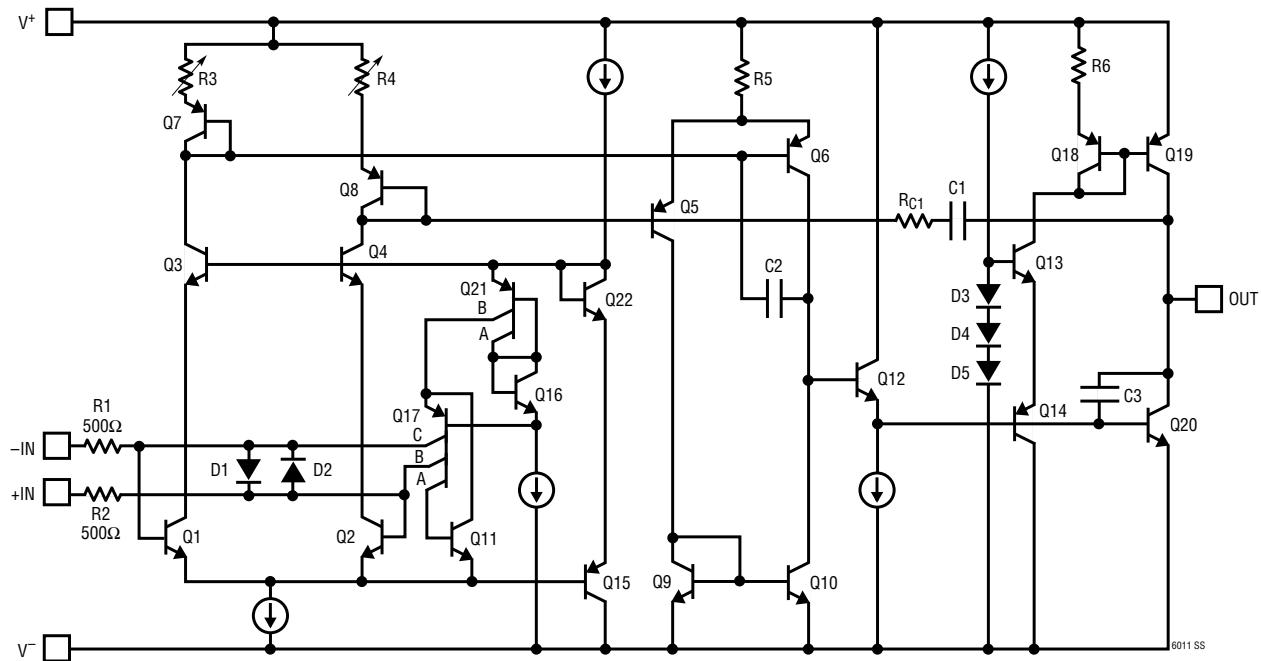


Figure 1. Some Op Amp Configurations Do Not Require Rail-to-Rail Inputs to Achieve Rail-to-Rail Outputs

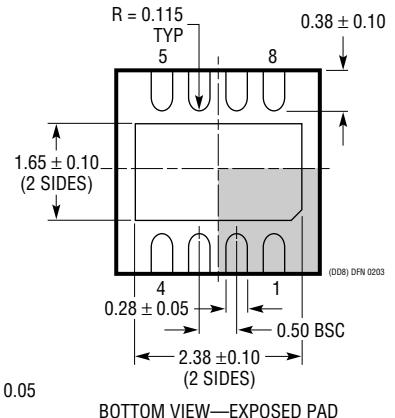
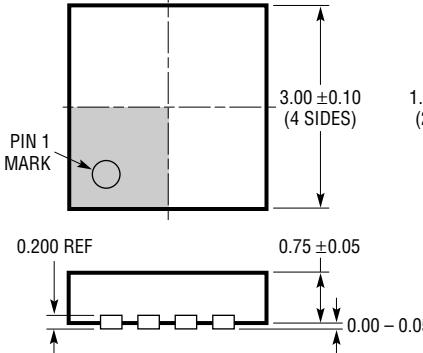
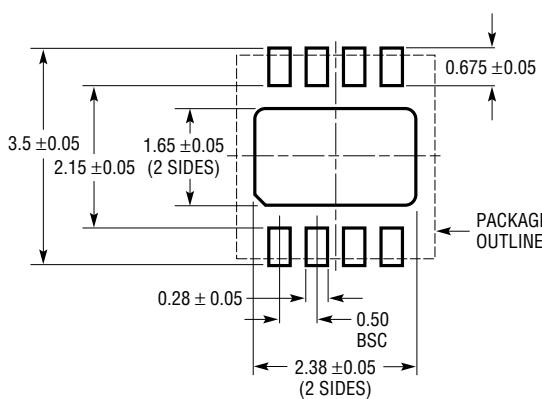
SIMPLIFIED SCHEMATIC (One Amplifier)



LT6011/LT6012

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION

DD Package
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(Reference LTC DWG # 05-08-1698)



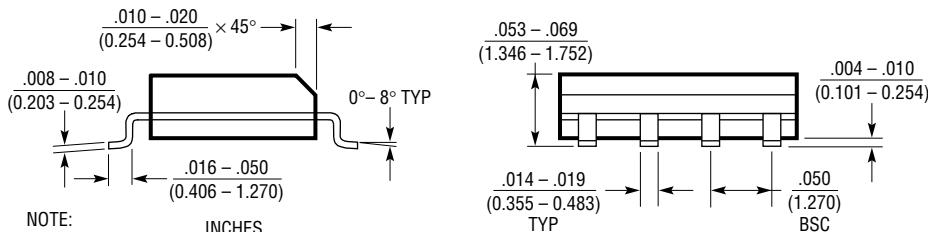
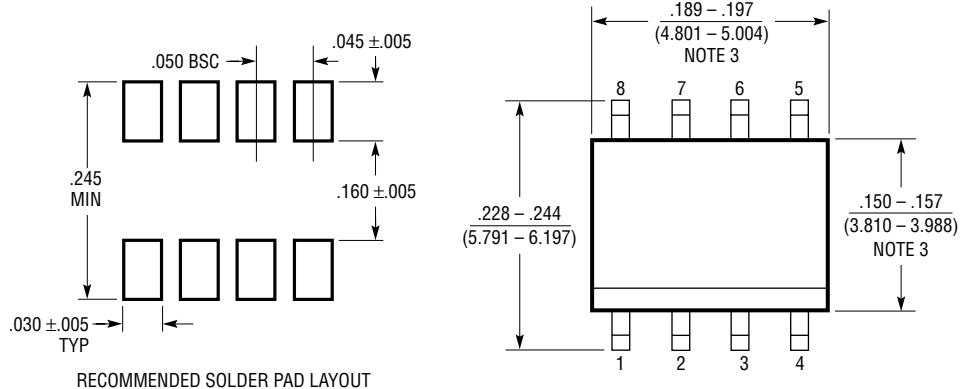
RECOMMENDED SOLDER PAD PITCH AND DIMENSIONS

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4. EXPOSED PAD SHALL BE SOLDER PLATED

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION

S8 Package
8-Lead Plastic Small Outline (Narrow .150 Inch)
(Reference LTC DWG # 05-08-1610)



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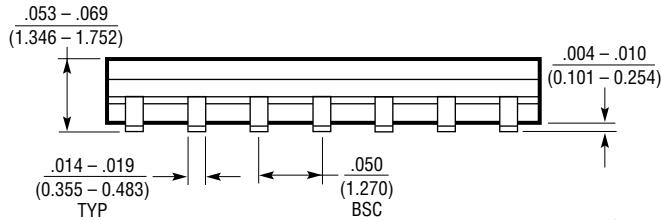
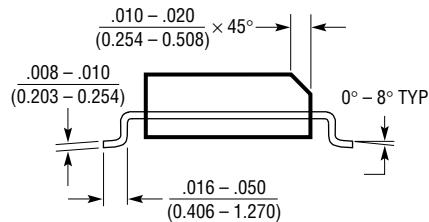
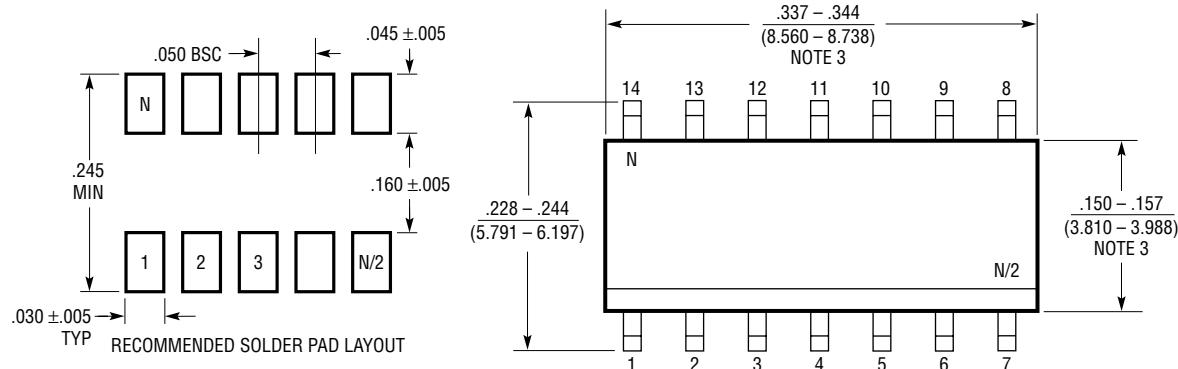
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LT6011/LT6012

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION

S14 Package
14-Lead Plastic Small Outline (Narrow .150 Inch)
(Reference LTC DWG # 05-08-1610)



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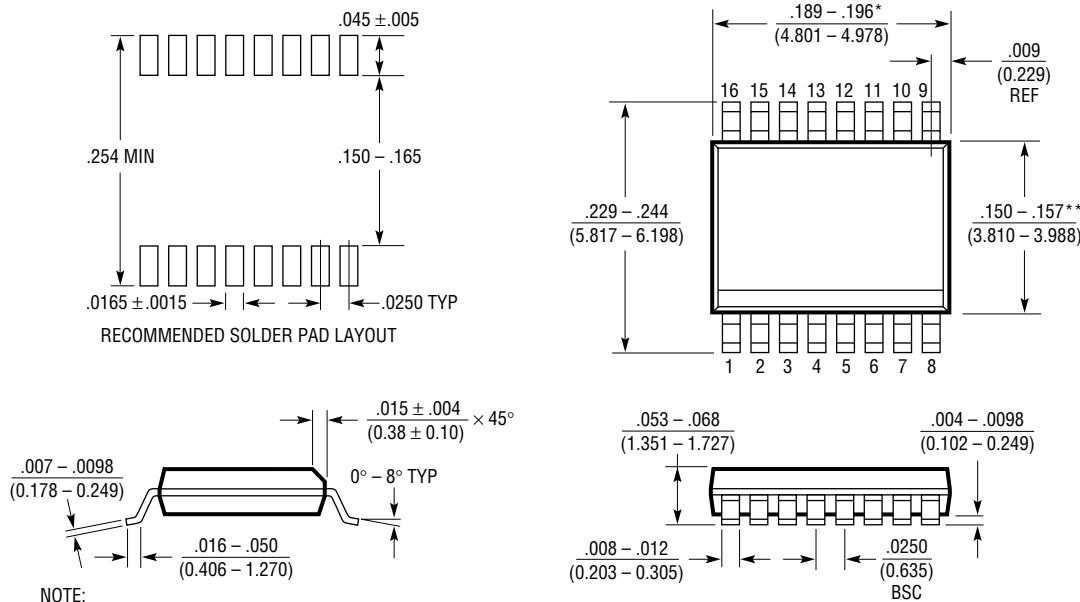
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16-Lead Plastic SSOP (Narrow .150 Inch)
 (Reference LTC DWG # 05-08-1641)



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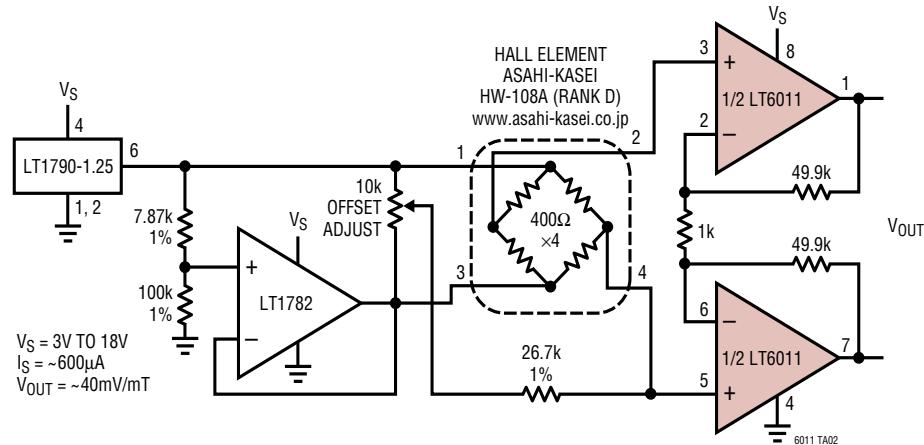
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- **DIMENSION DOES NOT INCLUDE INTERLEAD FLASH. INTERLEAD FLASH SHALL NOT EXCEED 0.010" (0.254mm) PER SIDE

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LT6011/LT6012

TYPICAL APPLICATION

Low Power Hall Sensor Amplifier



RELATED PARTS

PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	COMMENTS
LT1112/LT1114	Dual/Quad Low Power, Picoamp Input Precision Op Amp	250pA Input Bias Current
LT1880	Rail-to-Rail Output, Picoamp Input Precision Op Amp	SOT-23
LT1881/LT1882	Dual/Quad Rail-to-Rail Output, Picoamp Input Precision Op Amp	C _{LOAD} Up to 1000pF
LT1884/LT1885	Dual/Quad Rail-to-Rail Output, Picoamp Input Precision Op Amp	9.5nV/√Hz Input Noise