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# Ultra-High PSRR Stereo Drivers + Microphone Amp + 100mA Linear Regulator

**MAX4298/MAX4299**

## General Description

The MAX4298 and MAX4299 are audio system ICs designed for single +5V applications. The MAX4299 features a stereo headphone driver, a microphone amplifier, and a +3.3V linear regulator; the MAX4298 features the stereo headphone driver only. The MAX4298/ MAX4299 are designed specifically for harsh digital environments where board space is at a premium and the digital power supply is noisy. The design uses innovative design techniques to achieve ultra-high power-supply rejection across the audio signal band while, at the same time, delivering a high-current Rail-to-Rail® output drive capability. The chip is designed to drive highly capacitive loads that may be encountered when driving long cables to a remote load such as desktop/notebook headphones or speakers. These devices are fully compliant with PC99 standards.

The amplifiers exhibit 115dB of DC power-supply rejection and 80dB at 100kHz. The output amplifiers are capable of driving a $1.5V_{RMS}$ signal into a $10k\Omega$ load with 0.0008% THD+N. They can also drive $32\Omega$ headphones to $1.2V_{RMS}$ with 0.02% distortion. At +3.3V, the linear regulator can output 100mA of current. The MAX4298 is available in a tiny 10-pin μMAX while the MAX4299 is available in the space-saving 16-pin TSSOP package.

## Applications

Notebook and Desktop Audio

Hands-Free Headsets

USB Audio Peripherals

IP Telephones

Wireless Internet Devices

MP3 Players/Recorders

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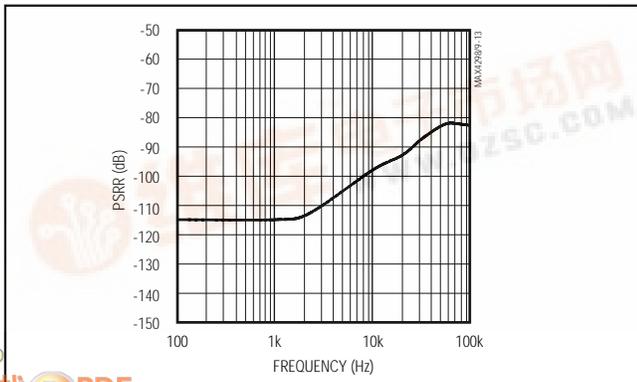
## Features

♦ **Audio System IC (MAX4299)**
  **Ultra-High PSRR Stereo Headphone Driver**
  **Ultra-High PSRR Microphone Amp**
  **100mA, 3.3V Linear Regulator**

♦ **93dB typ PSRR at 20kHz Operates Directly from Noisy Digital Supplies**

♦ **Clickless/Popless Power-Up, Power-Down, Mute and Unmute**

♦ **PC99-Compliant Output Drivers:**
  **Better than $1V_{RMS}$ Output into $16\Omega$ Load and $1.5V_{RMS}$ and 0.0008% THD+N into $10k\Omega$ Load**

♦ **PC99-Compliant Microphone Amplifier: 0.005% THD+N into $10k\Omega$ Load**

♦ **22nF Capacitive Load Drive Capability**

♦ **4.5V to 5.5V Single-Supply Operation**

♦ **Internally Generated Bias Voltage**

♦ **All Gains Externally Adjustable**

♦ **Available in Space-Saving Packages**
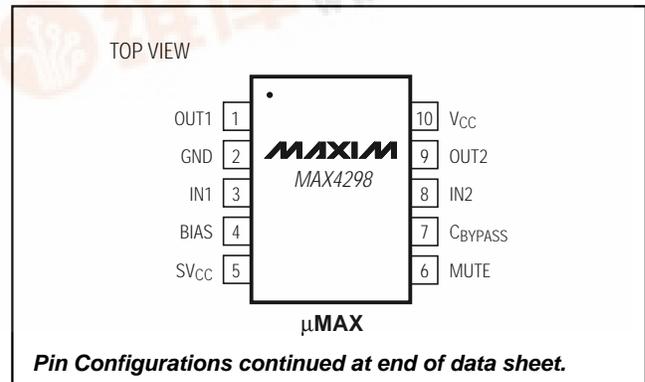  **10-Pin μMAX (MAX4298)**
  **16-Pin TSSOP (MAX4299)**

## Ordering Information

| PART | TEMP. RANGE | PIN-PACKAGE |
|------|-------------|-------------|
| **MAX4298**EUB | -40°C to +85°C | 10 μMAX |
| MAX4298ESD | -40°C to +85°C | 14 SO |
| **MAX4299**EWP | -40°C to +85°C | 20 SO |
| MAX4299EUE | -40°C to +85°C | 16 TSSOP |

*Typical Operating Circuit appears at end of data sheet.*

## PSRR vs. Frequency



## Pin Configurations

TOP VIEW



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*Pin Configurations continued at end of data sheet.*

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## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Supply Voltage ($V_{CC}$) to GND ................................................+6V
Standby Supply Voltage ($SV_{CC}$) to GND ...............................+6V
REG, FB, REGON to GND..........................-0.3V to ($V_{CC}$ + 0.3V)
BIAS, $C_{BYPASS}$, MUTE, IN_, MICIN to GND ..............-0.3V to the
Larger of ($V_{CC}$ +0.3V) or ($SV_{CC}$ +0.3V)
OUT_, MICOUT to GND................................-0.3V to the Smaller
of +5.5V, or ($V_{CC}$ + 0.3V)
Duration of Output Short-Circuit to GND or $V_{CC}$ ................10min

Continuous Power Dissipation
10-Pin µMAX (derate 5.6mW/°C above +70°C) ...........444mW
14-Pin SO (derate 8.3mW/°C above +70°C)................667mW
20-Pin SO (derate 10.0mW/°C above +70°C)..............800mW
16-Pin TSSOP (derate 9.4mW/°C above +70°C) .........755mW
Operating Temperature Range ...........................-40°C to +85°C
Storage Temperature Range ..............................-65°C to +150°C
Lead Temperature (soldering, 10s) ..................................+300°C

*Stresses beyond those listed under "Absolute Maximum Ratings" may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated in the operational sections of the specifications is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.*

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

($V_{CC}$ = $SV_{CC}$ = +5V, $R_L$ = ∞ on all outputs, $C_{BYPASS}$ = 1µF, $C_{BIAS}$ = 1µF, $C_{REG}$ = 10µF (MAX4299), $T_A$ = $T_{MIN}$ to $T_{MAX}$, unless otherwise noted. Load resistors ($R_L$) are terminated to 2.25V. Typical values are at $T_A$ = +25°C. Specifications apply to both MAX4298 and MAX4299, unless otherwise noted.) (Note 1)

| PARAMETER | SYMBOL | CONDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Supply Voltage Range | $V_{CC}$ | Inferred from PSRR test | 4.5 | | 5.5 | V |
| Quiescent Current | $I_{CC}$ | MAX4298 | | 10.2 | 17.5 | mA |
| | | MAX4299 | | 10.6 | 18.0 | |
| Mute Quiescent Current | | MAX4298 | | 10.2 | 17.5 | mA |
| | | MAX4299 | | 10.6 | 18.0 | |
| $SV_{CC}$ Current (Note 2) | $I_{SVCC}$ | $V_{BIAS}$ = 1.125V, $V_{CC}$ = 0 | | 300 | 500 | µA |
| | | $V_{BIAS}$ = 2.25V, $V_{CC}$ = 5.0V | | 7 | | |
| **DRIVER AMPLIFIERS** | | | | | | |
| Input Offset Voltage | $V_{OS}$ | | | ±1 | ±10 | mV |
| Input Bias Current | $I_{BIAS}$ | | | 0.2 | | nA |
| Power-Supply Rejection Ratio | PSRR | DC, $V_{CC}$ = 4.5V to 5.5V | | 115 | | dB |
| | | f = 20kHz | | 93 | | |
| | | f = 100kHz | | 80 | | |
| Output Drive | $V_{OUT}$ | $R_L$ = 10kΩ | 1.45 | 1.59 | | $V_{RMS}$ |
| | | $R_L$ = 32Ω | 1.2 | 1.53 | | |
| | | $R_L$ = 16Ω | 1.0 | 1.48 | | |
| THD + Noise | | $A_V$ = -1V/V, f = 1kHz, $R_L$ = 10kΩ, $V_{OUT}$ = 1.5$V_{RMS}$ | | 0.0008 | | % |
| | | $A_V$ = -1V/V, f = 1kHz, $R_L$ = 32Ω, $V_{OUT}$ = 1.2$V_{RMS}$, (Notes 3, 4) | | 0.02 | 0.1 | |
| | | $A_V$ = -1V/V, f = 1kHz, $R_L$ = 16Ω, $V_{OUT}$ = 1.0$V_{RMS}$ | | 0.04 | | |
| Full-Scale Signal-to-Noise Ratio (Note 4) | SNR | $R_L$ = 10kΩ, $V_{OUT}$ = 1.06$V_{RMS}$, $A_V$ = -1V/V | | 105 | | dB |
| Capacitive Drive | | | | 22 | | nF |
| Open-Loop Voltage Gain | $A_{VOL}$ | $R_L$ = 32Ω, 0.55V ≤ $V_{OUT}$ ≤ $V_{CC}$ - 0.55V | 76 | 87 | | dB |
| Unity-Gain Bandwidth | GBW | | | 1.3 | | MHz |

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## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

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| PARAMETER | SYMBOL | CONDITIONS | | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **BIAS VOLTAGE OUTPUT** | | | | | | | |
| DC BIAS Voltage | $V_{BIAS}$ | $I_L$ = 0 | | 2.13 | 2.25 | 2.37 | V |
| Line Regulation | | | | | 120 | | dB |
| Load Regulation | | $I_L$ = 0 to 1µA | | | 50 | | mV |
| **DIGITAL INPUTS** (MUTE for MAX4298/MAX4299, and $REG_{ON}$ for MAX4299) | | | | | | | |
| Input Voltage High | $V_{INH}$ | | | 2.4 | | | V |
| Input Voltage Low | $V_{INL}$ | | | | | 0.8 | V |
| Input Leakage Current | $I_{IN}$ | $V_{IN}$ = 0 or $V_{CC}$ | | | | ±1 | µA |
| **MICROPHONE AMPLIFIER** (MAX4299 only) | | | | | | | |
| Input Offset Voltage | $V_{OS}$ | | | | ±2 | ±10 | mV |
| Input Bias Current | $I_{BIAS}$ | | | | 0.2 | | nA |
| Power-Supply Rejection Ratio | PSRR | DC, $V_{CC}$ = 4.5V to 5.5V | | | 115 | | dB |
| | | f = 20kHz | | | 93 | | |
| | | f = 100kHz | | | 80 | | |
| Voltage Gain | $A_{VOL}$ | $R_L$ = 10kΩ, 0.13V ≤ $V_{MICOUT}$ ≤ $V_{CC}$ - 0.13V | | 80 | 100 | | dB |
| Output Drive | $V_{OUT}$ | $R_L$ = 10kΩ | | 1.4 | 1.58 | | $V_{RMS}$ |
| THD + Noise (Note 4) | THD+N | f = 1kHz, $R_L$ = 10kΩ, $V_{MICOUT}$ = 1.5$V_{RMS}$ | $A_V$ = -1V/V | | 0.005 | | % |
| | | | $A_V$ = -10V/V | | 0.03 | | |
| Full-Scale Signal-to-Noise Ratio (Note 4) | SNR | $R_L$ = 10kΩ, $V_{MICOUT}$ = 1.06$V_{RMS}$, $A_V$ = -10V/V | | | 80 | | dB |
| All-Hostile Crosstalk | | f = 10kHz (Note 5) | | | 80 | | dB |
| Unity Gain Bandwidth | GBW | | | | 1 | | MHz |
| **REGULATOR** (MAX4299 only) | | | | | | | |
| Regulator Output Voltage | $V_{REG}$ | $V_{CC}$ = 4.5V to 5.5V. $I_L$ = 0 to 100mA, using internal feedback | | 3.15 | 3.3 | 3.45 | V |
| Line Regulation | | $V_{CC}$ = 4.5V to 5.5V, $I_L$ = 50mA | | | 0.2 | | mV |
| Load Regulation | | $I_L$ = 10mA to 100mA | | | 30 | | mV |
| | | $I_L$ = 0 to 100mA | | | 50 | | mV |
| FB Voltage | $V_{FB}$ | Reference for regulator adjustment | | | 1.233 | | V |

**Note 1:** All devices are 100% production tested at $T_A$ = +25°C. All temperature limits are guaranteed by design.
**Note 2:** Current drawn from $SV_{CC}$ when $V_{CC}$ < 4V.
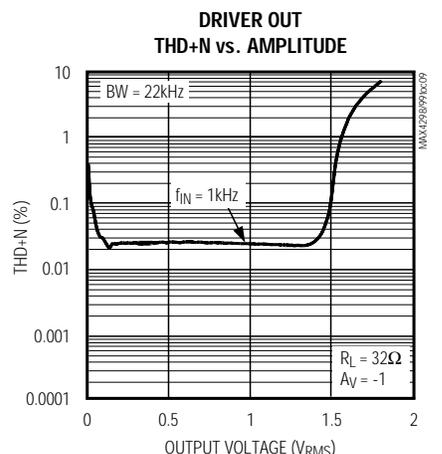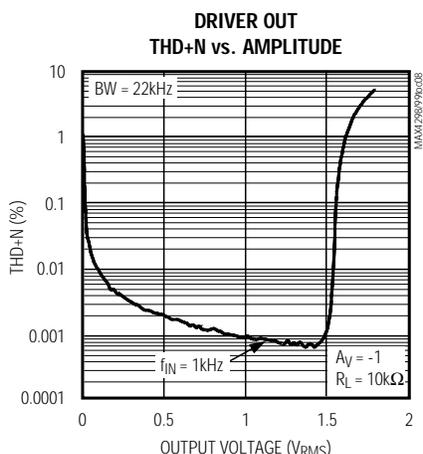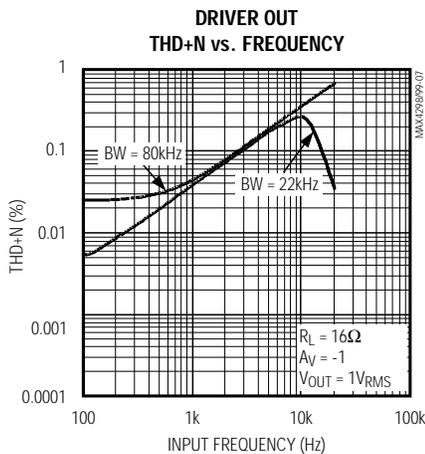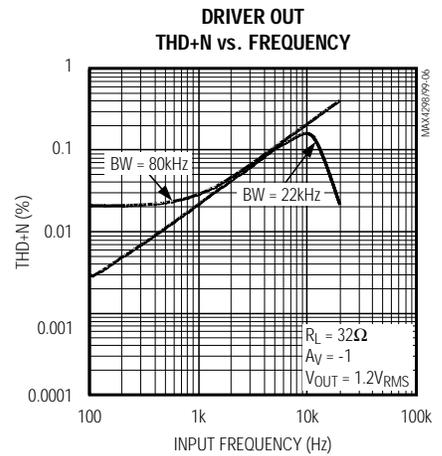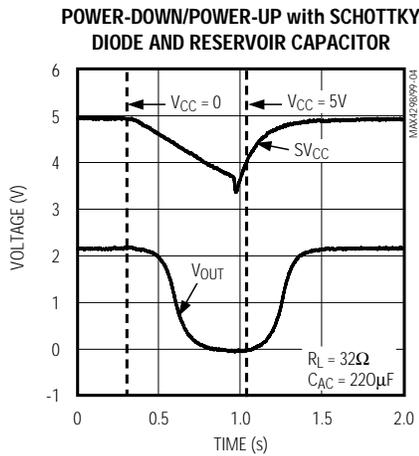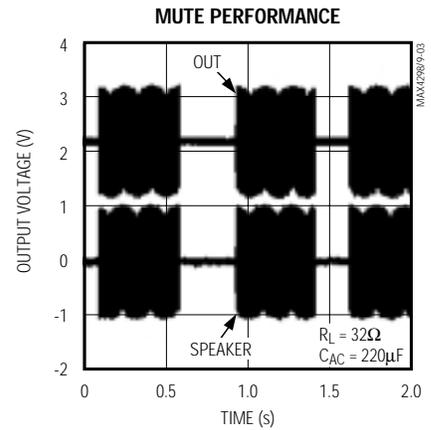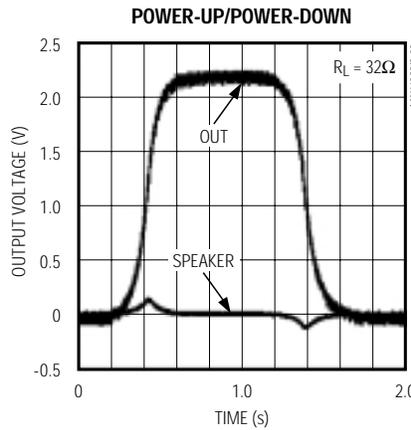**Note 3:** Guaranteed by design.
**Note 4:** Measurement bandwidth is 20Hz to 22kHz.
**Note 5:** Voltage at MICOUT with OUT1 = OUT2 = 1$V_{RMS}$ into 32Ω.

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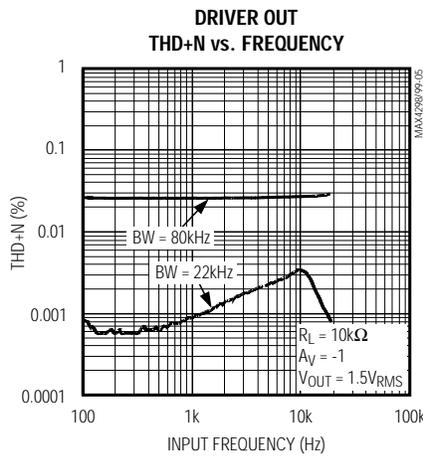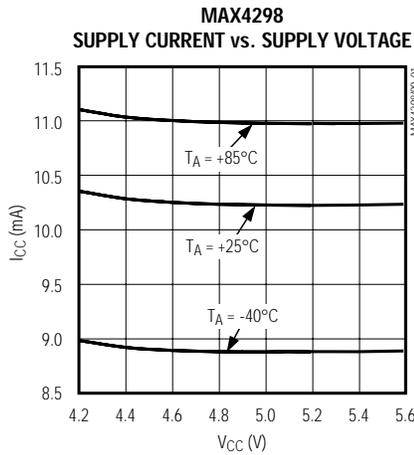
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MAX4298
SUPPLY CURRENT vs. SUPPLY VOLTAGE



POWER-UP/POWER-DOWN



MUTE PERFORMANCE



POWER-DOWN/POWER-UP with SCHOTTKY DIODE AND RESERVOIR CAPACITOR



DRIVER OUT
THD+N vs. FREQUENCY



DRIVER OUT
THD+N vs. FREQUENCY



DRIVER OUT
THD+N vs. FREQUENCY



DRIVER OUT
THD+N vs. AMPLITUDE



DRIVER OUT
THD+N vs. AMPLITUDE

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## Typical Operating Characteristics (continued)

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**DRIVER OUT THD+N vs. AMPLITUDE**

BW = 22kHz
$f_{IN}$ = 1kHz
$R_L$ = 16Ω
$A_V$ = -1

**DRIVER OUT CHANNEL SEPARATION vs. INPUT FREQUENCY**

OUT2 TO OUT1
OUT1 TO OUT2
$R_L$ = 10kΩ
$A_V$ = -1
$V_{OUT}$ = 1$V_{RMS}$

**DRIVER OUT MUTED OUTPUT ATTENUATION vs. INPUT FREQUENCY**

B
C
A
$R_L$ = 16Ω
A = $R_I$ = 20kΩ, $R_F$ = 20kΩ
B = $R_I$ = 10kΩ, $R_F$ = 10kΩ
C = $R_I$ = 10kΩ, $R_F$ = 20kΩ

**DRIVER OUT POWER-SUPPLY REJECTION RATIO vs. FREQUENCY**

**DRIVER OUT OPEN-LOOP FREQUENCY RESPONSE**

PHASE
GAIN
32Ω || 15pF

**DRIVER OUT OPEN-LOOP FREQUENCY RESPONSE**

PHASE
GAIN
32Ω || 1.5nF

**DRIVER OUT OPEN-LOOP FREQUENCY RESPONSE**

PHASE
GAIN
32kΩ || 22nF

**DRIVER OUT OPEN-LOOP FREQUENCY RESPONSE**

PHASE
GAIN
10kΩ || 15pF

**DRIVER OUT OPEN-LOOP FREQUENCY RESPONSE**

PHASE
GAIN
10kΩ || 1.5nF

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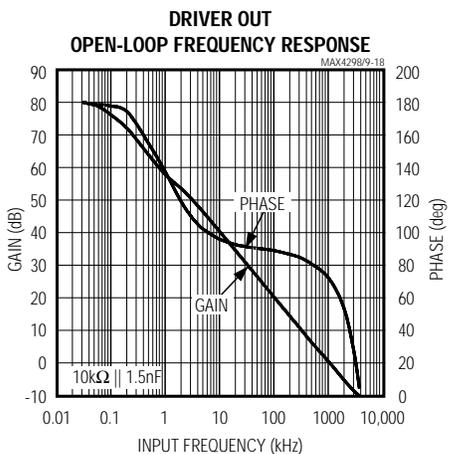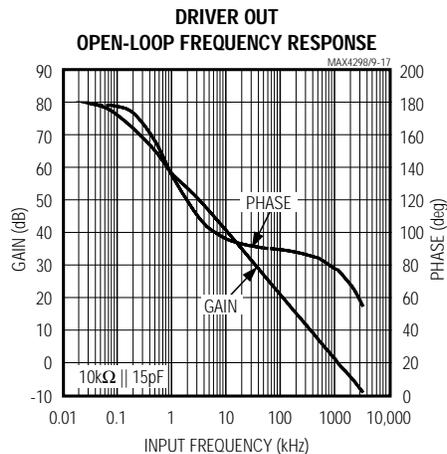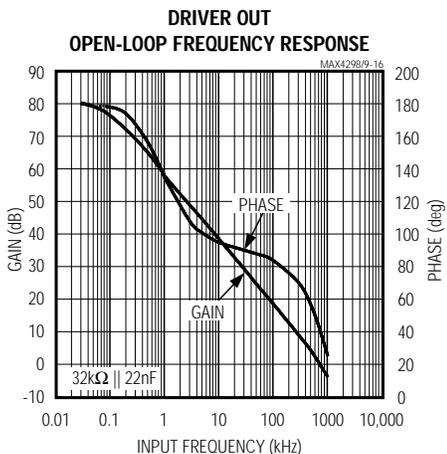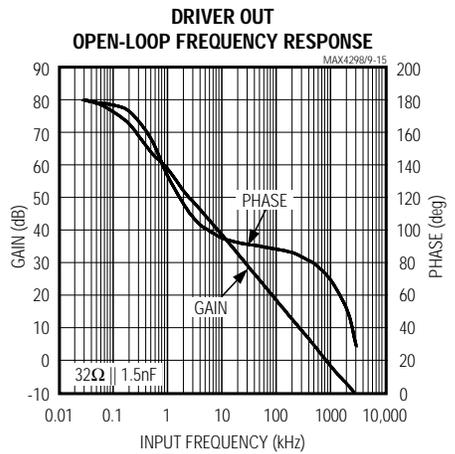($V_{CC}$ = $SV_{CC}$ = +5V, typical operating circuit, $T_A$ = +25°C, unless otherwise noted.)

**DRIVER OUT**
**OPEN-LOOP FREQUENCY RESPONSE**

MAX4298/99 toc19

10kΩ ‖ 22nF

**MICOUT ALL HOSTILE CROSSTLAK**
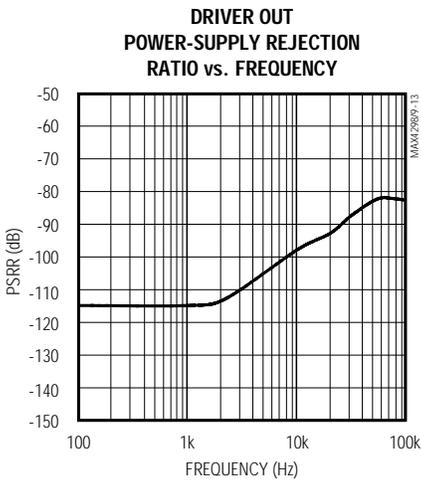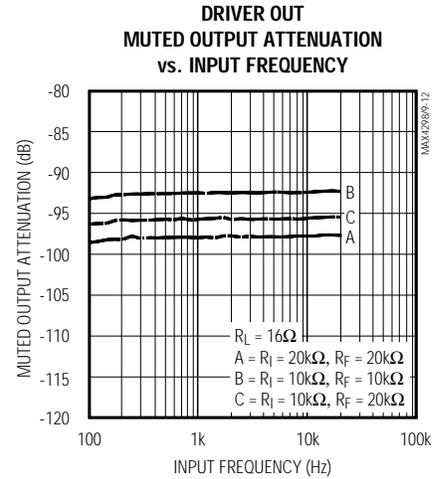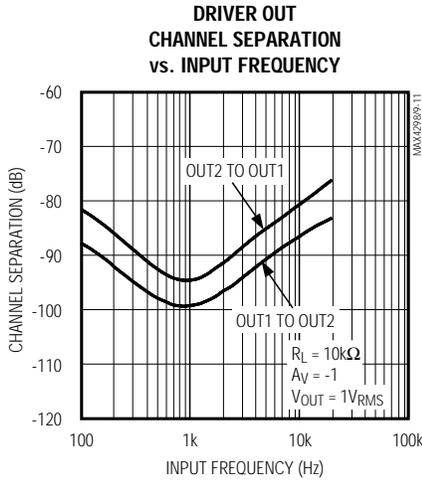**(INPUT REFERRED)**

MAX4298/99 toc20

$A_V$ = -100

**MICOUT OPEN LOOP**
**FREQUENCY RESPONSE**

MAX4298/99 toc21

10kΩ ‖ 15pF

**MICOUT OPEN LOOP**
**FREQUENCY RESPONSE**

MAX4298/99 toc22

10kΩ ‖ 150pF

**MICOUT**
**THD+N vs. AMPLITUDE**

MAX4298/99 toc23

$R_L$ = 10kΩ
$A_V$ = -1
$f_{IN}$ = 1kHz
BW = 22kHz

**REGOUT OUTPUT VOLTAGE**
**vs. LOAD CURRENT**

MAX4298/99 toc24

**REGOUT TRANSIENT RESPONSE**

MAX4298/99 toc25

$V_{OUT}$
30mV/div

100mA

$I_L$

0

200µs/div

**REGOUT TRANSIENT RESPONSE**

MAX4298/99 toc26

$V_{OUT}$
30mV/div

100mA

$I_L$

10mA

200µs/div

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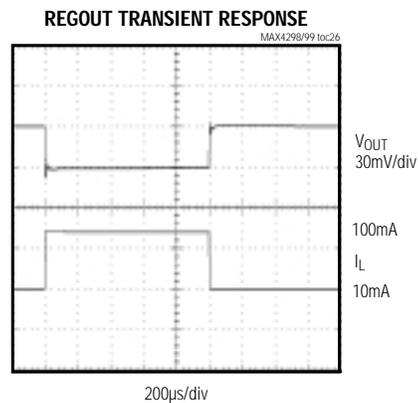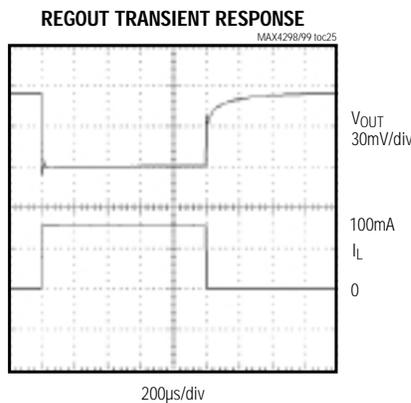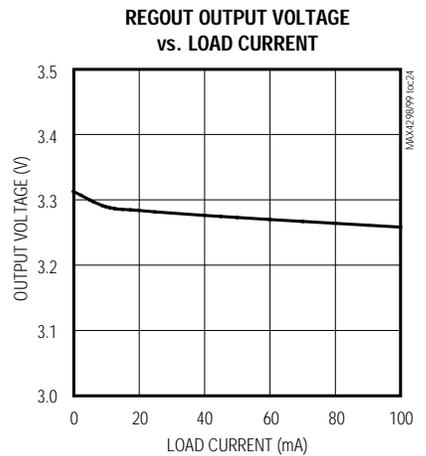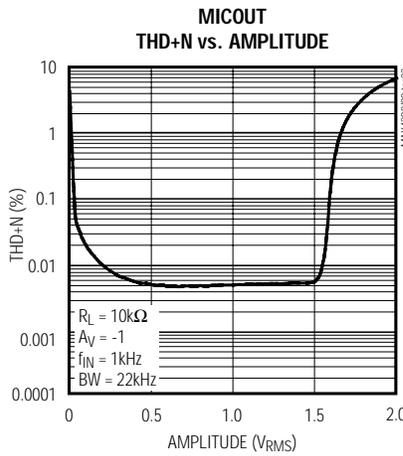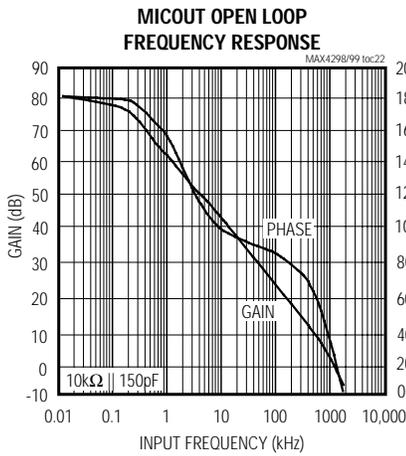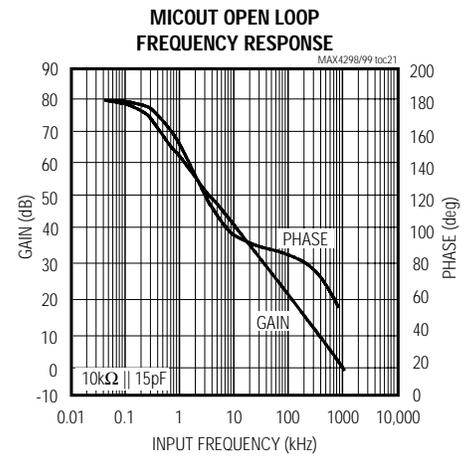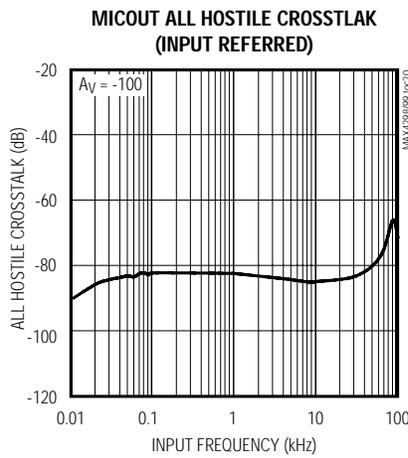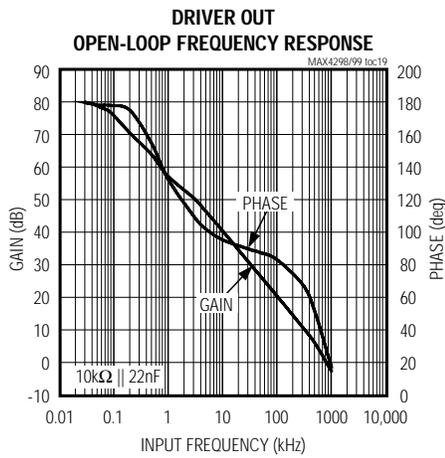
**MAX4298/MAX4299**

| PIN | | | | NAME | FUNCTION |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| MAX4298 | MAX4298 | MAX4299 | MAX4299 | | |
| 10-PIN µMAX | 14-PIN SO | 16-PIN TSSOP | 20-PIN SO | | |
| — | — | 16 | 1 | REG | Regulator Output. Bypass REG to GND with a 10µF capacitor. |
| — | — | 1 | 2 | FB | Regulator Feedback. Internal resistors from this point to REG and GND define the regulator output value. Adjustments can be made to the output value by adding resistors in the same place externally. |
| 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | OUT1 | Driver Amplifier Output |
| — | — | 3 | 5 | PGND | Power Ground for Driver Outputs |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | 6 | GND | Ground |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 7 | IN1 | Inverting Input for Driver Amplifier |
| 4 | 5 | 6 | 8 | BIAS | Bias Point for Amplifiers. Bypass BIAS to GND with a 1µF capacitor. |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 9 | SV$_{CC}$ | Standby Power Supply. Connect to a standby +5V supply that is always on, or bypass with 220µF and connect a Schottky diode from V$_{CC}$ to SV$_{CC}$. Short to V$_{CC}$ if clickless power-down is not essential. |
| — | — | 8 | 10 | MICOUT | Microphone Amplifier Output |
| — | — | 9 | 11 | MICIN | Inverting Input for Microphone Amplifier |
| 6 | 9 | 10 | 13 | MUTE | Mute Digital Input. Connect to GND for normal operation. When MUTE is connected to V$_{CC}$, OUT1 and OUT2 are muted, REG stays on, and MICOUT stays on. |
| 7 | 10 | 11 | 14 | C$_{BYPASS}$ | Bypass to GND with a 1µF Capacitor |
| 8 | 11 | 12 | 15 | IN2 | Inverting Input for Driver Amplifier |
| 9 | 12 | 13 | 16 | OUT2 | Driver Amplifier Output |
| 10 | 13 | 14 | 17 | V$_{CC}$ | Power Supply. Connect to +5V. |
| — | 1, 7, 8, 14 | — | 3, 12, 18, 19 | N.C. | No Connection. Not internally connected. |
| — | — | 15 | 20 | REGON | Regulator Control. Connect to V$_{CC}$ for normal operation. Connect to GND to shut off the regulator. |

## Detailed Description

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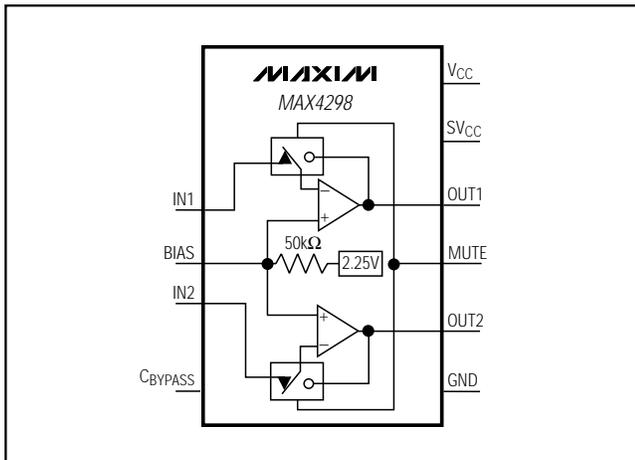Figure 1. MAX4298 Block Diagram



Figure 2. MAX4299 Block Diagram

MAX4298 block diagram and Figure 2 is the MAX4299 block diagram.

The amplifiers exhibit better than 115dB of DC power-supply rejection and 93dB at 20kHz. The output amplifiers are capable of driving a 1.5V$_{RMS}$ signal into 10kΩ load with 0.0008% distortion. They can also drive 32Ω headphones to 1.2V$_{RMS}$ with 0.02% distortion. At +3.3V, the linear regulator can output 100mA of current.

### BIAS

The common-mode bias point for the amplifiers is set to 2.25V by internal circuitry that has two functions. It provides a clickless/popless power-up/power-down waveform for the amplifiers. Also, it generates a ground-referenced bias voltage with ultra-high power-supply rejection ratio (PSRR). BIAS should be bypassed with 1µF to GND.The output impedance of the BIAS pin is 50kΩ.

### Clickless/Popless Function

The MAX4298/MAX4299 are designed for high-fidelity audio performance into AC-coupled loads. Patented design techniques achieve a clickless/popless power-up sequence, and the use of a low-current standby supply (SV$_{CC}$) or external Schottky diode/reservoir capacitor combination allows clickless/popless power-down. A clickless/popless mute function is also provided to maintain a low impedance output when the input signal is switched off.

### Mute Function

The MAX4298/MAX4299 have a MUTE pin that allows the user to mute the outputs of the device. This feature disconnects the input signal from the power amplifiers when a logic high is present at the MUTE pin. To ensure proper functionality, the MUTE pin should always be tied to either V$_{CC}$ or GND. MUTE only affects the headphone driver outputs. REG, BIAS, and MICOUT are unaffected. OUT1

and OUT2 are muted, but remain in a low-impedance state to ensure clickless/popless operation.

### SV$_{CC}$

The MAX4298/MAX4299 provide a fully clickless power-down sequence. SV$_{CC}$ can either be connected to a low-current +5V power source or alternatively can be connected with a reservoir capacitor to ground and a Schottky diode to V$_{CC}$. A reservoir capacitor of 220µF or higher provides enough charge for the clickless power-down sequence when C$_{BIAS}$ = 1µF. For larger values of C$_{BIAS}$, increase the reservoir capacitor accordingly. Short to V$_{CC}$ if clickless power-down is not needed.

### Driver Amplifier

The headphone driver amplifier is a class AB amplifier designed to drive 16Ω loads. The amplifiers have innovative architectures for both the input and output stages to achieve ultra-high PSRR while maintaining rail-to-rail output drive capability. The output stage can drive high capacitive loads encountered when driving long cables used for desktop speakers or headphones.

### Microphone Preamplifier (MAX4299)

The MAX4299 provides a microphone preamplifier that is a low-power version of the audio amplifier. It is intended to be used for low-level signal amplification. This microphone preamplifier provides rail-to-rail output with very high PSRR.

### Regulator (MAX4299)

The MAX4299 also has an additional 100mA low-dropout (LDO) regulator to provide clean analog power for other sensitive analog circuitry on the PC board, such as a typical PC99 audio codec or microphone biasing. It is designed to provide good AC line regulation. The nominal output voltage of REG is 3.3V, and is adjustable between 1.2V and 4.5V by connecting a resistor-divider from REG to GND. Connect FB to the junction of the resistor-divider. The input impedance at FB is typically 7kΩ, which should be considered in output voltage calculations. REG should be bypassed to GND with at least 10μF.

## Applications Information

### Capacitor Selection and Regulator Stability

Normally, use a 10μF capacitor on REG (MAX4299 only) and a 1μF capacitor on $C_{BYPASS}$. Larger capacitor values and lower ESRs provide better supply-noise rejection and line-transient response. Reduce noise and improve load-transient response, stability, and power-supply rejection by using larger capacitors. For stable operation over the full temperature range and load currents up to 100mA, a minimum of 10μF (REG) and 1μF ($C_{BYPASS}$) is recommended.

Use a 1μF bypass capacitor on BIAS to ensure a fully clickless/popless power-up sequence. Smaller capacitor values may be used here to decrease the power-up time, but may cause the power-up transient to become audible. Larger bypass capacitors are not necessary to reduce noise and/or improve AC power-supply rejection.

$SV_{CC}$ is the standby power supply. If using an external diode for charging, a 220μF reservoir capacitor on $SV_{CC}$ provides standby power for the clickless power-down sequence. Smaller capacitors here may cause an audible output transient on power-down; 220μF or higher provides enough energy when $C_{BIAS}$ = 1μF. For larger values of $C_{BIAS}$, increase the reservoir capacitor accordingly.

### Mic Biasing (MAX4299)

Common microphone elements require resistive biasing to power their internal circuitry. A 2kΩ resistor is typically used, and the microphone is AC-coupled to the microphone amplifier. If the microphone element allows low-voltage operation, biasing to the REG output provides excellent power-supply rejection.

### Power Supply and Bypassing

The excellent PSRR of the MAX4298/MAX4299 allows them to operate from noisy power supplies. In most applications, a 0.1μF capacitor from $V_{CC}$ to GND is sufficient. This bypass capacitor should be placed close to the $V_{CC}$ pin.

### Layout

Good layout improves performance by decreasing the amount of stray capacitance and noise at the power amplifier's inputs and output. To decrease stray capacitance, minimize PC board trace lengths and resistor leads, and place external components as close to the pins as possible.

### Power Dissipation

The first equation below indicates the maximum power dissipation point for a package that has two power amplifiers operating at identical known supply voltages and loads with sine wave inputs:

$$P_{IC(DISS)} = (V_{CC})^2 / (\pi^2 R_L) \quad [W]$$

For example, with a 5V power supply and a load of 16Ω, the maximum power dissipation of the amplifiers alone is 317mW.

The additional power dissipation due to the 100mA regulator operating at maximum current is nominally 170mW, but will increase if the output is reduced externally from its nominal 3.3V. The regulator power consumption is given by:

$$P_{REG} = (V_{CC} - V_{REG}) \times 100mA \quad [W]$$

To avoid thermal shutdown the sum of the regulator and amplifier power dissipation must not exceed the absolute maximum power-dissipation rating of the package.

### Short-Circuit Protection and Thermal Shutdown

The MAX4298/MAX4299 have short-circuit current protection on all outputs. They also have a thermal shutdown function designed to protect the chip from junction temperatures in excess of +150°C that may arise from temporary short circuits or operation beyond the power dissipation limit of the package. The driver amplifier outputs limit at around ±220mA, the regulator at 150mA, and the microphone amplifier at +1.5mA/-12mA.

### USB Applications

Universal serial bus (USB) interfaces are an increasingly popular method of interfacing medium-speed (up to 12Mbps) PC peripherals. One of the great benefits of the USB interface is the inclusion of a +5V supply. While this supply works well for a mouse or keyboard, its susceptibility for noise pickup can be unsuitable for high-fidelity audio applications. The MAX4298/MAX4299s' excellent PSRR make them ideal candidates for USB applications due to their insensitivity to the supply noise.

Of particular interest is an Internet-Protocol (IP) phone. This PC peripheral uses the local internet service provider as a free long-distance phone. The MAX4299, with its integral microphone amp, headphone driver, and linear regulator, can be a key element in the implementation of an IP phone that interfaces to the PC through the USB.

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## Typical Operating Circuits

**MAX4298/MAX4299**

$R_F$ 10kΩ
$V_{CC}$
OPTIONAL

MAXIM
MAX4298
$V_{CC}$
$SV_{CC}$
220µF

$R_I$ 10kΩ
IN1
OUT1
LEFT
$C_{AC}$ 220µF
BIAS
MUTE
$V_{CC}$
2.25V
$R_I$ 10kΩ
1µF
RIGHT
IN2
OUT2
$C_{AC}$ 220µF
$C_{BYPASS}$
GND
1µF
$R_F$ 10kΩ

20kΩ
$V_{CC}$
10µF
REGON
OPTIONAL
$AV_{DD}$ 3.3V
REG
FB
LDO
$V_{CC}$
$SV_{CC}$
MAXIM
MAX4299
220µF
AUDIO CODEC
LEFT
IN1
OUT
$C_{AC}$ 220µF
0.33µF 20kΩ
BIAS
MUTE
$V_{CC}$
1µF
2.25V
RIGHT
IN2
OUT2
$AV_{DD}$
0.33µF 20kΩ
$C_{AC}$ 220µF
RBIAS
MIC
MICOUT
$C_{BYPASS}$
MICIN
ELECTRET MIC
GND
20kΩ 0.33µF
1µF
PGND
20kΩ
200kΩ

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## Pin Configurations (continued)

TOP VIEW

**MAX4299** — WIDE SO

| Pin | | | Pin |
|---|---|---|---|
| REG | 1 | 20 | REGON |
| FB | 2 | 19 | N.C. |
| N.C. | 3 | 18 | N.C. |
| OUT1 | 4 | 17 | V_CC |
| PGND | 5 | 16 | OUT2 |
| GND | 6 | 15 | IN2 |
| IN1 | 7 | 14 | C_BYPASS |
| BIAS | 8 | 13 | MUTE |
| SV_CC | 9 | 12 | N.C. |
| MICOUT | 10 | 11 | MICIN |

**MAX4299** — TSSOP

| Pin | | | Pin |
|---|---|---|---|
| FB | 1 | 16 | REG |
| OUT1 | 2 | 15 | REGON |
| PGND | 3 | 14 | V_CC |
| GND | 4 | 13 | OUT2 |
| IN1 | 5 | 12 | IN2 |
| BIAS | 6 | 11 | C_BYPASS |
| SV_CC | 7 | 10 | MUTE |
| MICOUT | 8 | 9 | MICIN |

**MAX4298** — SO

| Pin | | | Pin |
|---|---|---|---|
| N.C. | 1 | 14 | N.C. |
| OUT1 | 2 | 13 | V_CC |
| GND | 3 | 12 | OUT2 |
| IN1 | 4 | 11 | IN2 |
| BIAS | 5 | 10 | C_BYPASS |
| SV_CC | 6 | 9 | MUTE |
| N.C. | 7 | 8 | N.C. |
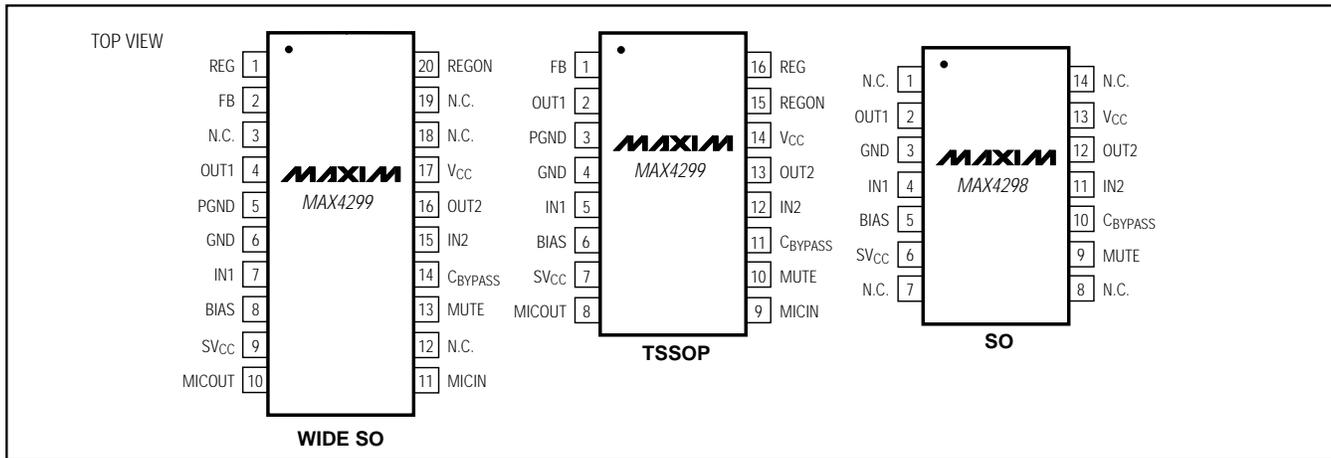
## Chip Information

MAX4298 TRANSISTOR COUNT: 760
MAX4299 TRANSISTOR COUNT: 905
PROCESS: BiCMOS

## Package Information



| | INCHES | | MILLIMETERS | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| DIM | MIN | MAX | MIN | MAX |
| A | 0.037 | 0.043 | 0.94 | 1.10 |
| A1 | 0.002 | 0.006 | 0.05 | 0.15 |
| D1 | 0.116 | 0.120 | 2.95 | 3.05 |
| D2 | 0.114 | 0.118 | 2.89 | 3.00 |
| E1 | 0.116 | 0.120 | 2.95 | 3.05 |
| E2 | 0.114 | 0.118 | 2.89 | 3.00 |
| E | 0.187 | 0.199 | 4.75 | 5.05 |
| L | 0.0157 | 0.0275 | 0.40 | 0.70 |
| L1 | 0.037 REF | | 0.940 REF | |
| b | 0.007 | 0.0106 | 0.177 | 0.270 |
| e | 0.0197 BSC | | .500 BSC | |
| c | 0.0035 | 0.0078 | 0.090 | 0.200 |
| S | 0.0196 REF | | .498 REF | |
| α | 0° | 6° | 0° | 6° |

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NOTES:
1. D&E DO NOT INCLUDE MOLD FLASH.
2. MOLD FLASH OR PROTRUSIONS NOT TO EXCEED 0.15mm (.006").
3. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: MILLIMETERS.

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## Package Information (continued)



| | INCHES | | MILLIMETERS | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | MIN | MAX | MIN | MAX |
| A | 0.093 | 0.104 | 2.35 | 2.65 |
| A1 | 0.004 | 0.012 | 0.10 | 0.30 |
| B | 0.014 | 0.019 | 0.35 | 0.49 |
| C | 0.009 | 0.013 | 0.23 | 0.32 |
| e | 0.050 | | 1.27 | |
| E | 0.291 | 0.299 | 7.40 | 7.60 |
| H | 0.394 | 0.419 | 10.00 | 10.65 |
| h | 0.010 | 0.030 | 0.25 | 0.75 |
| L | 0.016 | 0.050 | 0.40 | 1.27 |

| | INCHES | | MILLIMETERS | | N | MS013 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | MIN | MAX | MIN | MAX | | |
| D | 0.398 | 0.413 | 10.10 | 10.50 | 16 | AA |
| D | 0.447 | 0.463 | 11.35 | 11.75 | 18 | AB |
| D | 0.496 | 0.512 | 12.60 | 13.00 | 20 | AC |
| D | 0.598 | 0.614 | 15.20 | 15.60 | 24 | AD |
| D | 0.697 | 0.713 | 17.70 | 18.10 | 28 | AE |

NOTES:
1. D&E DO NOT INCLUDE MOLD FLASH
2. MOLD FLASH OR PROTRUSIONS NOT TO EXCEED .15mm (.006")
3. LEADS TO BE COPLANAR WITHIN .102mm (.004")
4. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: MILLIMETER
5. MEETS JEDEC MS013-XX AS SHOWN IN ABOVE TABLE
6. N = NUMBER OF PINS

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**Package Information (continued)**

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| | INCHES | | MILLIMETERS | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | MIN | MAX | MIN | MAX |
| A | 0.053 | 0.069 | 1.35 | 1.75 |
| A1 | 0.004 | 0.010 | 0.10 | 0.25 |
| B | 0.014 | 0.019 | 0.35 | 0.49 |
| C | 0.007 | 0.010 | 0.19 | 0.25 |
| e | 0.050 | | 1.27 | |
| E | 0.150 | 0.157 | 3.80 | 4.00 |
| H | 0.228 | 0.244 | 5.80 | 6.20 |
| h | 0.010 | 0.020 | 0.25 | 0.50 |
| L | 0.016 | 0.050 | 0.40 | 1.27 |

| | INCHES | | MILLIMETERS | | N | MS012 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | MIN | MAX | MIN | MAX | | |
| D | 0.189 | 0.197 | 4.80 | 5.00 | 8 | A |
| D | 0.337 | 0.344 | 8.55 | 8.75 | 14 | B |
| D | 0.386 | 0.394 | 9.80 | 10.00 | 16 | C |

NOTES:
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2. MOLD FLASH OR PROTRUSIONS NOT
   TO EXCEED .15mm (.006")
3. LEADS TO BE COPLANAR WITHIN
   .102mm (.004")
4. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: MILLIMETER
5. MEETS JEDEC MS012-XX AS SHOWN
   IN ABOVE TABLE
6. N = NUMBER OF PINS

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**TOP VIEW**

**BOTTOM VIEW**

**SIDE VIEW**

**END VIEW**

**DETAIL A**

**LEAD TIP DETAIL**

| SYMBOL | COMMON DIMENSIONS | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | MILLIMETERS | | INCHES | |
| | MIN. | MAX. | MIN. | MAX. |
| A | — | 1.10 | | .043 |
| A1 | 0.05 | 0.15 | .002 | .006 |
| A2 | 0.85 | 0.95 | .033 | .037 |
| b | 0.19 | 0.30 | .007 | .012 |
| b1 | 0.19 | 0.25 | .007 | .010 |
| c | 0.090 | 0.20 | .0035 | .008 |
| c1 | 0.090 | 0.135 | .0035 | .0053 |
| D | SEE VARIATIONS | | SEE VARIATIONS | |
| E | 4.30 | 4.50 | .169 | .177 |
| e | 0.65 BSC | | .026 BSC | |
| H | 6.25 | 6.50 | .246 | .256 |
| L | 0.50 | 0.70 | .020 | .028 |
| N | SEE VARIATIONS | | SEE VARIATIONS | |
| α | 0° | 8° | 0° | 8° |

| JEDEC MO-153 | N | VARIATIONS | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | MILLIMETERS | | INCHES | |
| | | MIN. | MAX. | MIN. | MAX. |
| AB | 14 D | 4.90 | 5.10 | .193 | .201 |
| AC | 16 D | 4.90 | 5.10 | .193 | .201 |
| AD | 20 D | 6.40 | 6.60 | .252 | .260 |
| AE | 24 D | 7.70 | 7.90 | .303 | .311 |
| AF | 28 D | 9.60 | 9.80 | .378 | .386 |

NOTES:
1. DIMENSIONS D AND E DO NOT INCLUDE FLASH
2. MOLD FLASH OR PROTRUSIONS NOT TO EXCEED 0.15mm PER SIDE
3. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: MILLIMETER
4. MEETS JEDEC OUTLINE MO-153 VARIATIONS- AB, AC, AD, AE, AF
5. 'N' REFERS TO NUMBER OF LEADS
6. THE LEAD TIPS MUST LIE WITHIN A SPECIFIED ZONE. THIS TOLERANCE ZONE IS DEFINED BY TWO PARALLEL PLANES. ONE PLANE IS THE SEATING PLANE, DATUM [-C-]; THE OTHER PLANE IS AT THE SPECIFIED DISTANCE FROM [-C-] IN THE DIRECTION INDICATED.

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PROPRIETARY INFORMATION
TITLE: PACKAGE OUTLINE, TSSOP, 4.40 MM BODY
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