



LT1001

# Precision Operational Amplifier

## FEATURES

- *Guaranteed Low Offset Voltage*

LT1001AM	15 $\mu$ V max
LT1001C	60 $\mu$ V max
- *Guaranteed Low Drift*

LT1001AM	0.6 $\mu$ V/ $^{\circ}$ C max
LT1001C	1.0 $\mu$ V/ $^{\circ}$ C max
- *Guaranteed Low Bias Current*

LT1001AM	2nA max
LT1001C	4nA max
- *Guaranteed CMRR*

LT1001AM	114dB min
LT1001C	110dB min
- *Guaranteed PSRR*

LT1001AM	110dB min
LT1001C	106dB min
- *Low Power Dissipation*

LT1001AM	75mW max
LT1001C	80mW max
- *Low Noise* 0.3 $\mu$ V<sub>P-P</sub>

## APPLICATIONS

- Thermocouple amplifiers
- Strain gauge amplifiers
- Low level signal processing
- High accuracy data acquisition

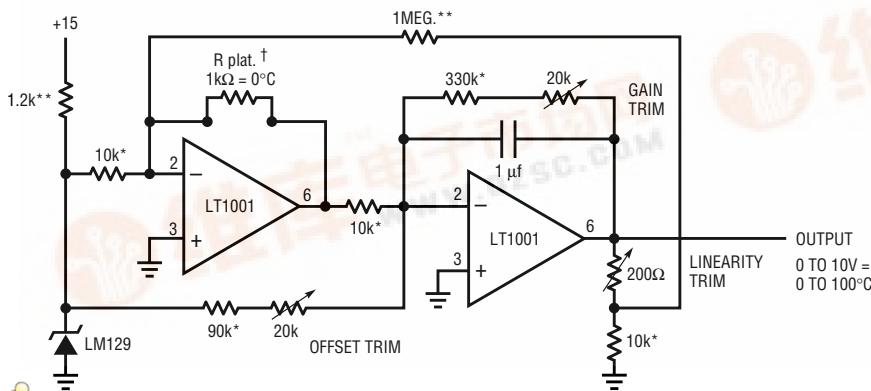
## DESCRIPTION

The LT®1001 significantly advances the state-of-the-art of precision operational amplifiers. In the design, processing, and testing of the device, particular attention has been paid to the optimization of the entire distribution of several key parameters. Consequently, the specifications of the lowest cost, commercial temperature device, the LT1001C, have been dramatically improved when compared to equivalent grades of competing precision amplifiers.

Essentially, the input offset voltage of all units is less than 50 $\mu$ V (see distribution plot below). This allows the LT1001AM/883 to be specified at 15 $\mu$ V. Input bias and offset currents, common-mode and power supply rejection of the LT1001C offer guaranteed performance which were previously attainable only with expensive, selected grades of other devices. Power dissipation is nearly halved compared to the most popular precision op amps, without adversely affecting noise or speed performance. A beneficial by-product of lower dissipation is decreased warm-up drift. Output drive capability of the LT1001 is also enhanced with voltage gain guaranteed at 10 mA of load current. For similar performance in a dual precision op amp, with guaranteed matching specifications, see the LT1002. Shown below is a platinum resistance thermometer application.

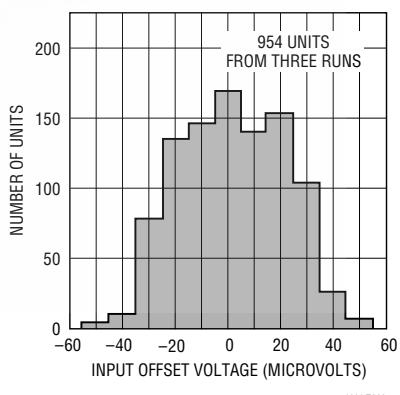
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Linearized Platinum Resistance Thermometer  
with  $\pm 0.025^{\circ}$ C Accuracy Over 0 to 100 $^{\circ}$ C



‡ Trim sequence: trim offset ( $0^{\circ}$ C = 1000.0 $\Omega$ ), trim linearity ( $35^{\circ}$ C = 1138.7 $\Omega$ ), trim gain ( $100^{\circ}$ C = 1392.6 $\Omega$ ). Repeat until all three points are fixed with  $\pm 0.025^{\circ}$ C.

Typical Distribution  
of Offset Voltage  
 $V_S = \pm 15V, T_A = 25^{\circ}$ C





## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS $V_S = \pm 15V$ , $-55^\circ C \leq T_A \leq 125^\circ C$ , unless otherwise noted

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	LT1001AM/883			LT1001M			UNITS
			MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX	
$V_{OS}$	Input Offset Voltage		●	30	60	45	160	μV	
$\Delta V_{OS}$	Average Offset Voltage Drift		●	0.2	0.6	0.3	1.0	μV/°C	
$\Delta T_{Temp}$									
$I_{OS}$	Input Offset Current		●	0.8	4.0	1.2	7.6	nA	
$I_B$	Input Bias Current		●	±1.0	±4.0	±1.5	±8.0	nA	
$A_{VOL}$	Large Signal Voltage Gain	$R_L \geq 2k\Omega$ , $V_0 = \pm 10V$	●	300	700	200	700	V/mV	
CMRR	Common Mode Rejection Ratio	$V_{CM} = \pm 13V$	●	110	122	106	120	dB	
PSRR	Power Supply Rejection Ratio	$V_S = \pm 3$ to $\pm 18V$	●	104	117	100	117	dB	
	Input Voltage Range		●	±13	±14	±13	±14	V	
$V_{OUT}$	Output Voltage Swing	$R_L \geq 2k\Omega$	●	±12.5	±13.5	±12.0	±13.5	V	
$P_d$	Power Dissipation	No load	●	55	90	60	100	mW	

$V_S = \pm 15V$ ,  $0^\circ C \leq T_A \leq 70^\circ C$ , unless otherwise noted

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	LT1001AC			LT1001C			UNITS
			MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX	
$V_{OS}$	Input Offset Voltage		●	20	60	30	110	μV	
$\Delta V_{OS}$	Average Offset Voltage Drift		●	0.2	0.6	0.3	1.0	μV/°C	
$\Delta T_{Temp}$									
$I_{OS}$	Input Offset Current		●	0.5	3.5	0.6	5.3	nA	
$I_B$	Input Bias Current		●	±0.7	±3.5	±1.0	±5.5	nA	
$A_{VOL}$	Large Signal Voltage Gain	$R_L \geq 2k\Omega$ , $V_0 = \pm 10V$	●	350	750	250	750	V/mV	
CMRR	Common Mode Rejection Ratio	$V_{CM} = \pm 13V$	●	110	124	106	123	dB	
PSRR	Power Supply Rejection Ratio	$V_S = \pm 3V$ to $\pm 18V$	●	106	120	103	120	dB	
	Input Voltage Range		●	±13	±14	±13	±14	V	
$V_{OUT}$	Output Voltage Swing	$R_L \geq 2k\Omega$	●	±12.5	±13.8	±12.5	±13.8	V	
$P_d$	Power Dissipation	No load	●	50	85	55	90	mW	

The ● denotes the specifications which apply over the full operating temperature range.

**Note 1:** Offset voltage for the LT1001AM/883 and LT1001AC are measured after power is applied and the device is fully warmed up. All other grades are measured with high speed test equipment, approximately 1 second after power is applied. The LT1001AM/883 receives 168 hr. burn-in at  $125^\circ C$ . or equivalent.

**Note 2:** This parameter is tested on a sample basis only.

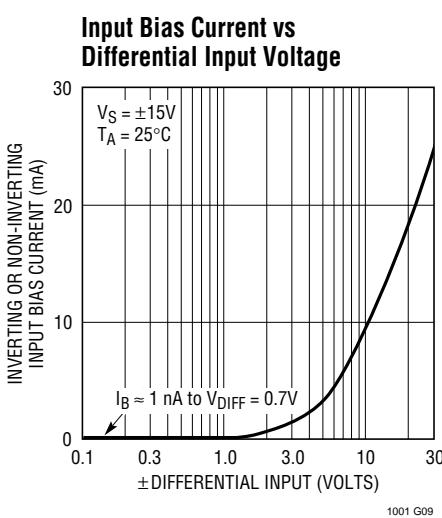
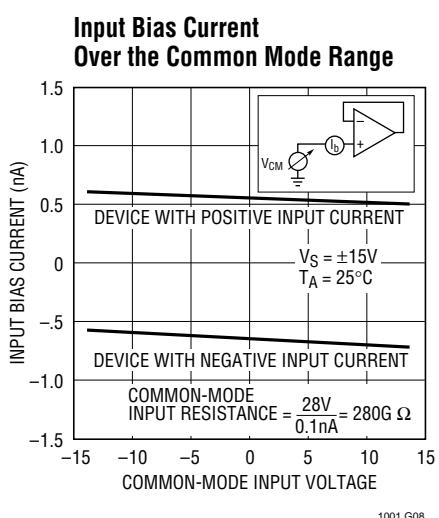
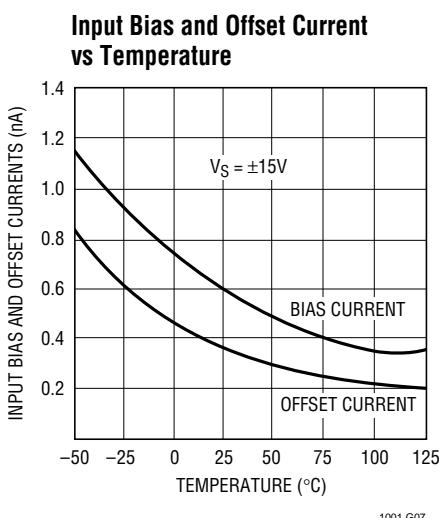
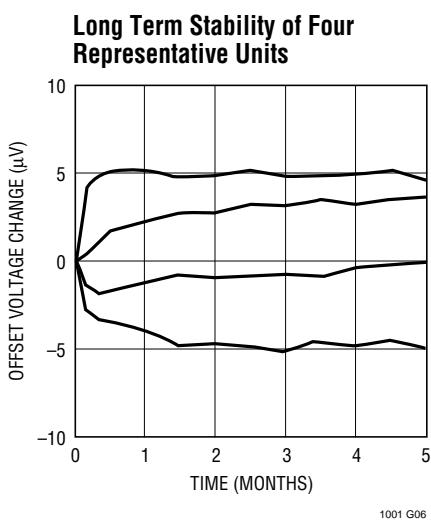
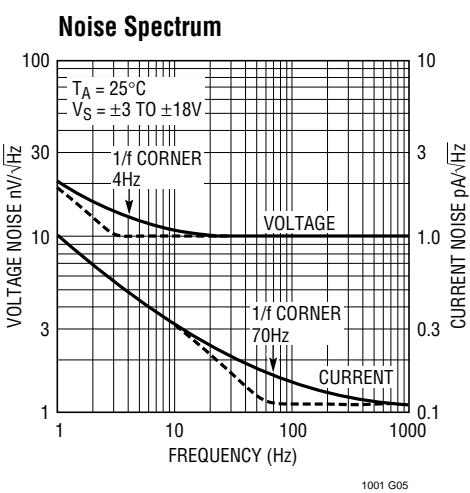
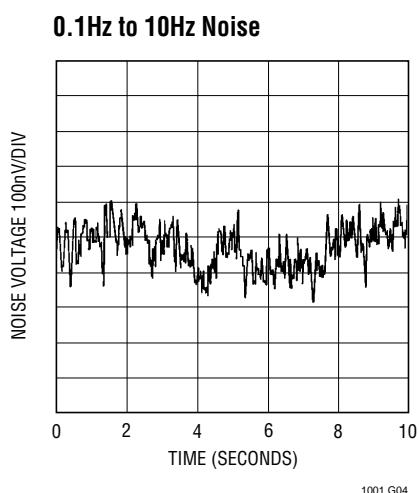
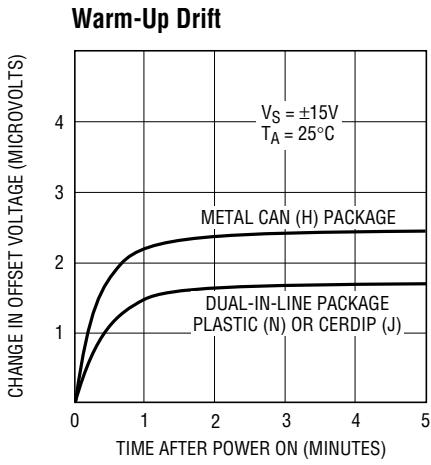
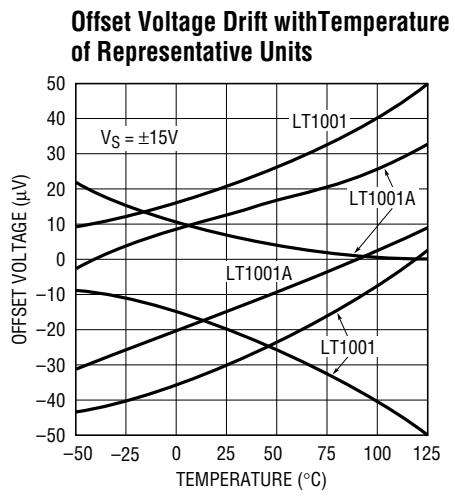
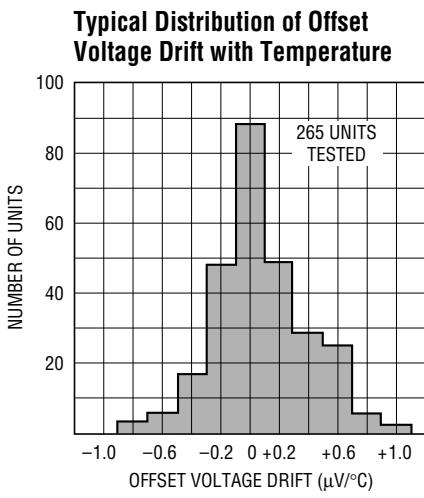
**Note 3:** Long Term Input Offset Voltage Stability refers to the averaged trend line of  $V_{OS}$  versus Time over extended periods after the first 30 days of operation. Excluding the initial hour of operation, changes in  $V_{OS}$  during the first 30 days are typically  $2.5\mu V$ .

**Note 4:** Parameter is guaranteed by design.

**Note 5:** 10Hz noise voltage density is sample tested on every lot. Devices 100% tested at 10Hz are available on request.

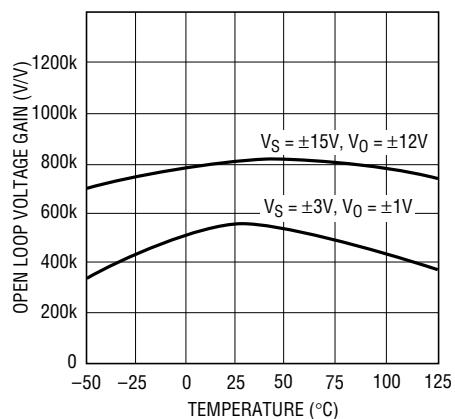
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## TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS



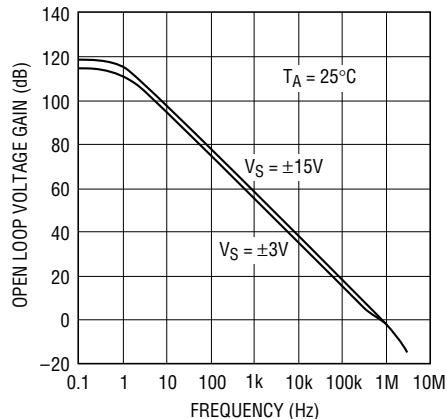
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**Open Loop Voltage Gain vs Temperature**



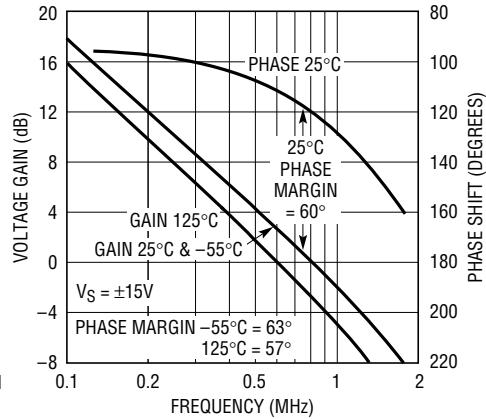
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**Open Loop Voltage Gain Frequency Response**



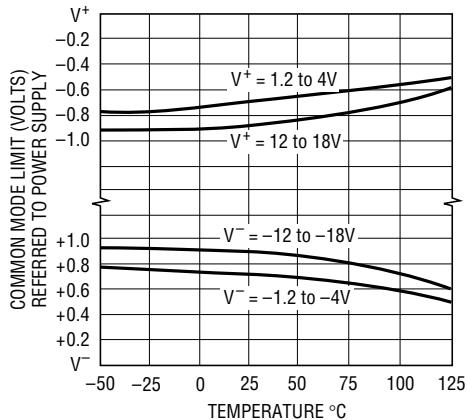
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**Gain, Phase Shift vs Frequency**



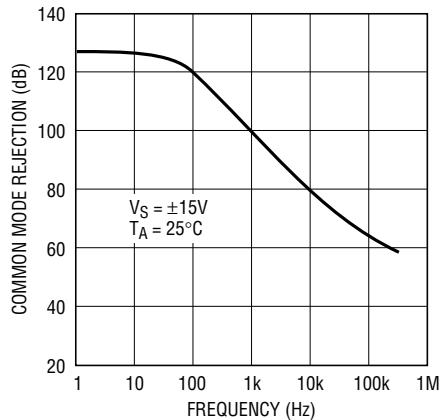
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**Common Mode Limit vs Temperature**



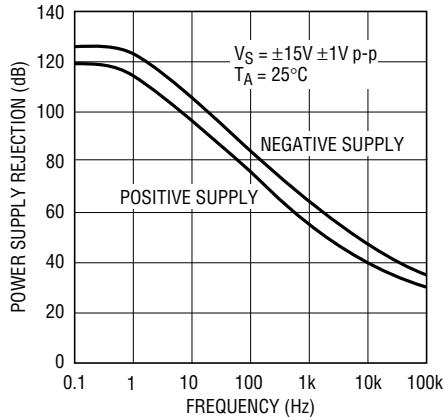
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**Common Mode Rejection Ratio vs Frequency**



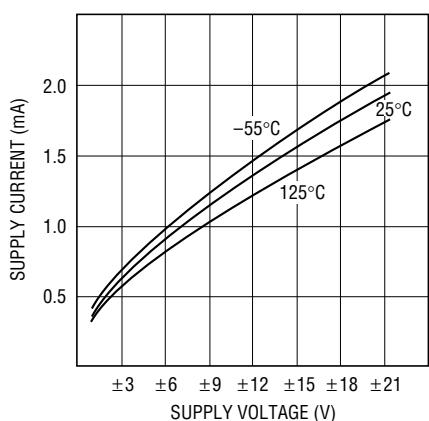
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**Power Supply Rejection Ratio vs Frequency**



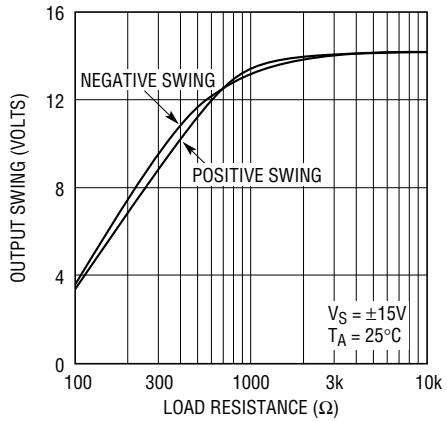
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**Supply Current vs Supply Voltage**



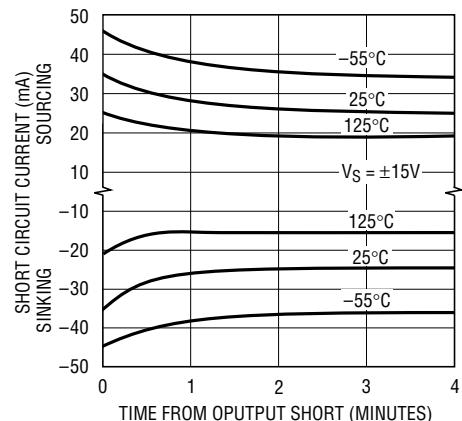
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**Output Swing vs Load Resistance**



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**Output Short-Circuit Current vs Time**

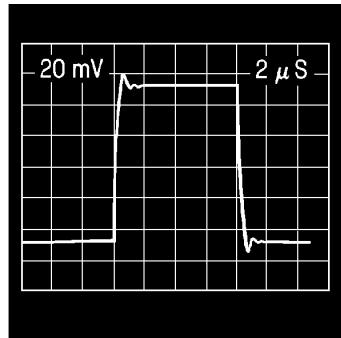


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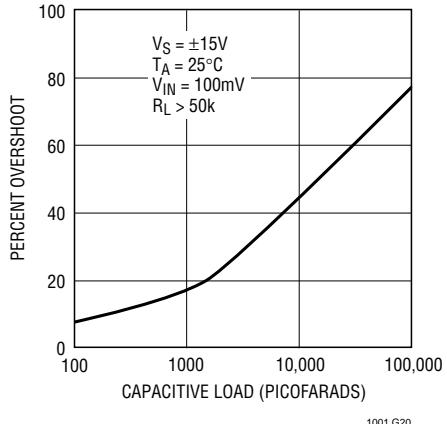
Small Signal Transient Response



$A_V = +1$ ,  $C_L = 50\text{pF}$

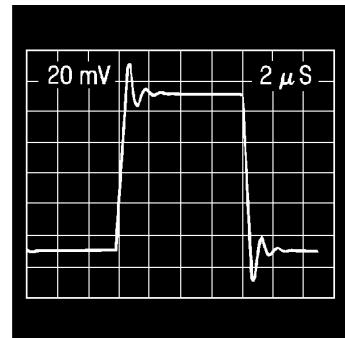
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Voltage Follower Overshoot vs Capacitive Load



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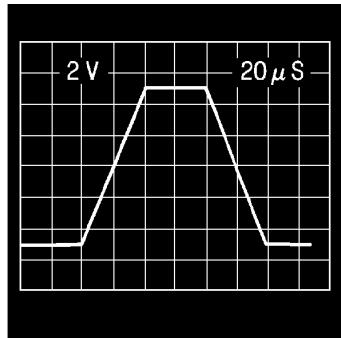
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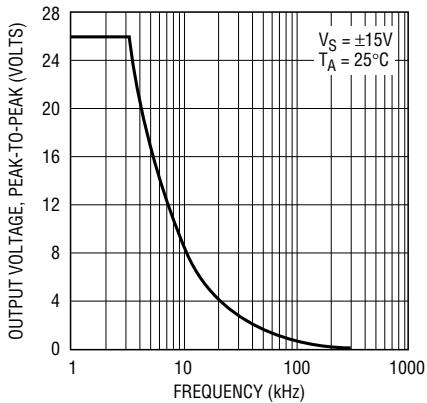
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Large Signal Transient Response



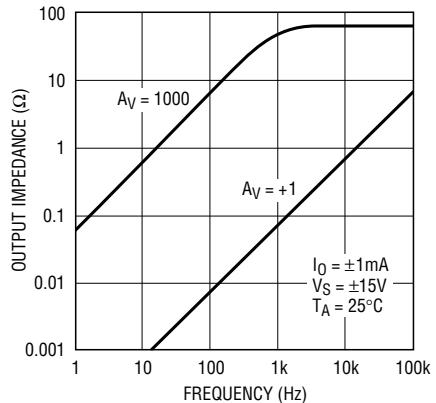
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Maximum Undistorted Output vs. Frequency



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Closed Loop Output Impedance



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## APPLICATIONS INFORMATION

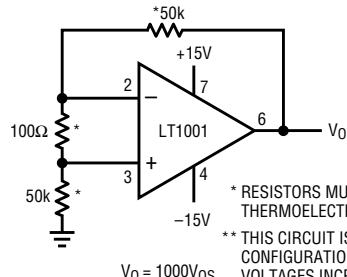
### Application Notes and Test Circuits

The LT1001 series units may be inserted directly into OP-07, OP-05, 725, 108A or 101A sockets with or without removal of external frequency compensation or nulling components. The LT1001 can also be used in 741, LF156 or OP-15 applications provided that the nulling circuitry is removed.

The LT1001 is specified over a wide range of power supply voltages from  $\pm 3\text{V}$  to  $\pm 18\text{V}$ . Operation with lower supplies is possible down to  $\pm 1.2\text{V}$  (two Ni-Cad batteries). However, with  $\pm 1.2\text{V}$  supplies, the device is stable only in closed loop gains of +2 or higher (or inverting gain of one or higher).

Unless proper care is exercised, thermocouple effects caused by temperature gradients across dissimilar metals at the contacts to the input terminals, can exceed the inherent drift of the amplifier. Air currents over device leads should be minimized, package leads should be short, and the two input leads should be as close together as possible and maintained at the same temperature.

### Test Circuit for Offset Voltage and its Drift with Temperature



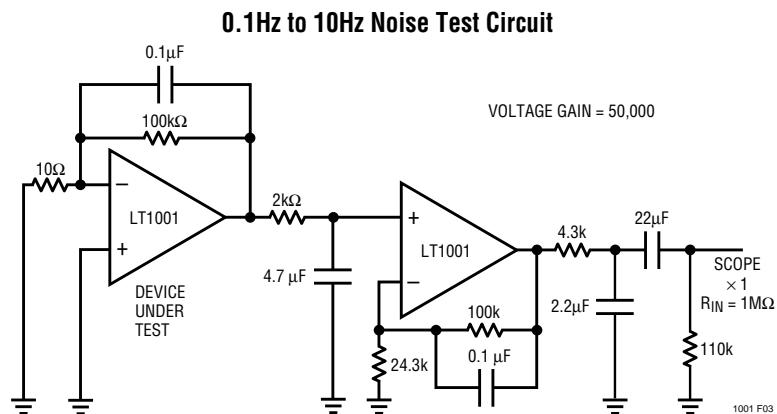
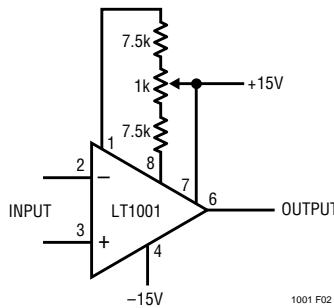
\* RESISTORS MUST HAVE LOW THERMOELECTRIC POTENTIAL.  
\*\* THIS CIRCUIT IS ALSO USED AS THE BURN-IN CONFIGURATION FOR THE LT1001, WITH SUPPLY VOLTAGES INCREASED TO  $\pm 20\text{V}$ .

1001 F01

## Offset Voltage Adjustment

The input offset voltage of the LT1001, and its drift with temperature, are permanently trimmed at wafer test to a low level. However, if further adjustment of  $V_{OS}$  is necessary, nulling with a 10k or 20k potentiometer will not degrade drift with temperature. Trimming to a value other than zero creates a drift of  $(V_{OS}/300)\mu V/\text{°C}$ , e.g., if  $V_{OS}$  is adjusted to 300  $\mu V$ , the change in drift will be 1  $\mu V/\text{°C}$ . The adjustment range with a 10k or 20k pot is approximately  $\pm 2.5\text{mV}$ . If less adjustment range is needed, the sensitivity and resolution of the nulling can be improved by using a smaller pot in conjunction with fixed resistors. The example below has an approximate null range of  $\pm 100 \mu V$ .

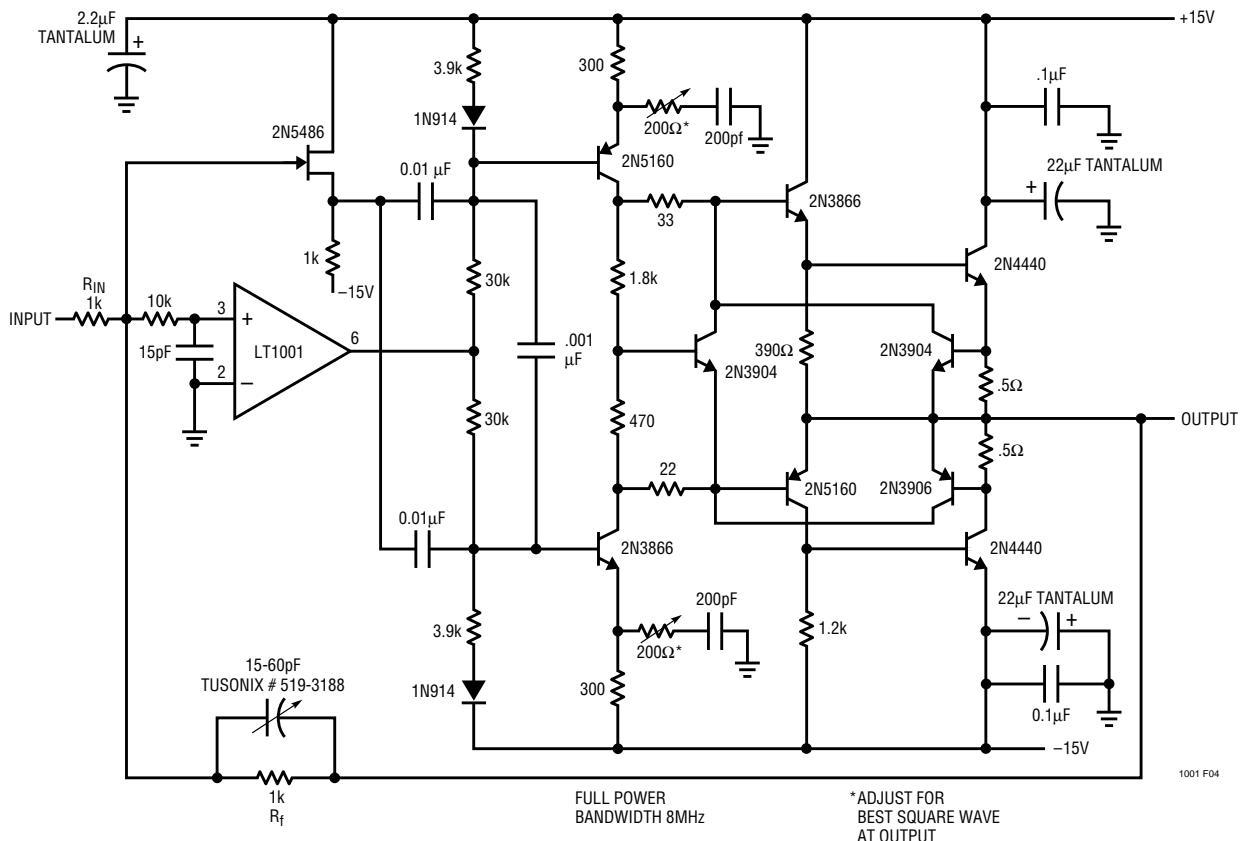
## Improved Sensitivity Adjustment



(Peak-to-Peak noise measured in 10 sec interval)

The device under test should be warmed up for three minutes and shielded from air currents.

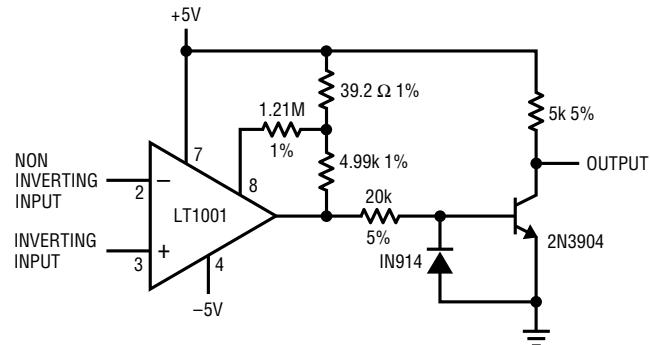
## DC Stabilized 1000v/ $\mu$ sec Op Amp



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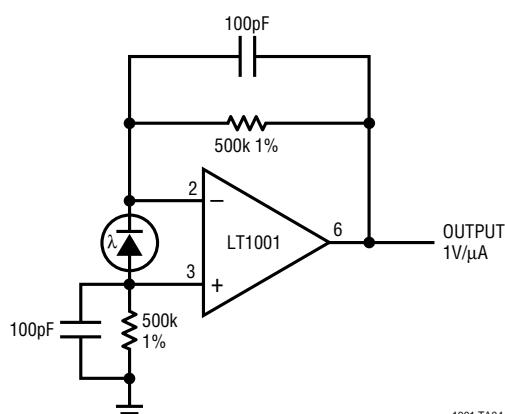
## TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

### Microvolt Comparator with TTL Output



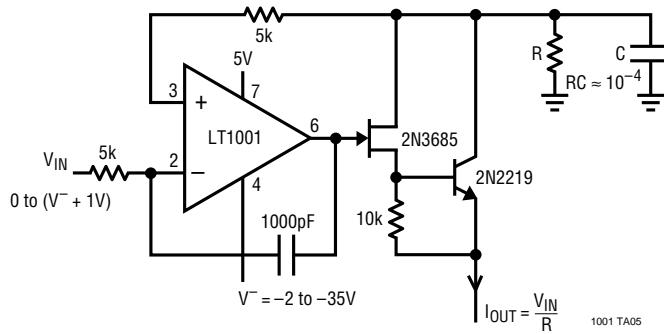
Positive feedback to one of the nulling terminals creates 5  $\mu$ V to 20  $\mu$ V of hysteresis. Input offset voltage is typically changed by less than 5  $\mu$ V due to the feedback.

### Photodiode Amplifier



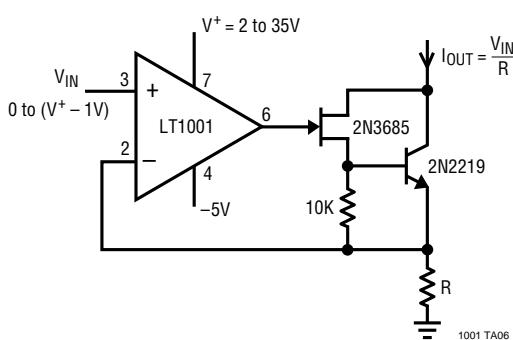
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### Precision Current Source



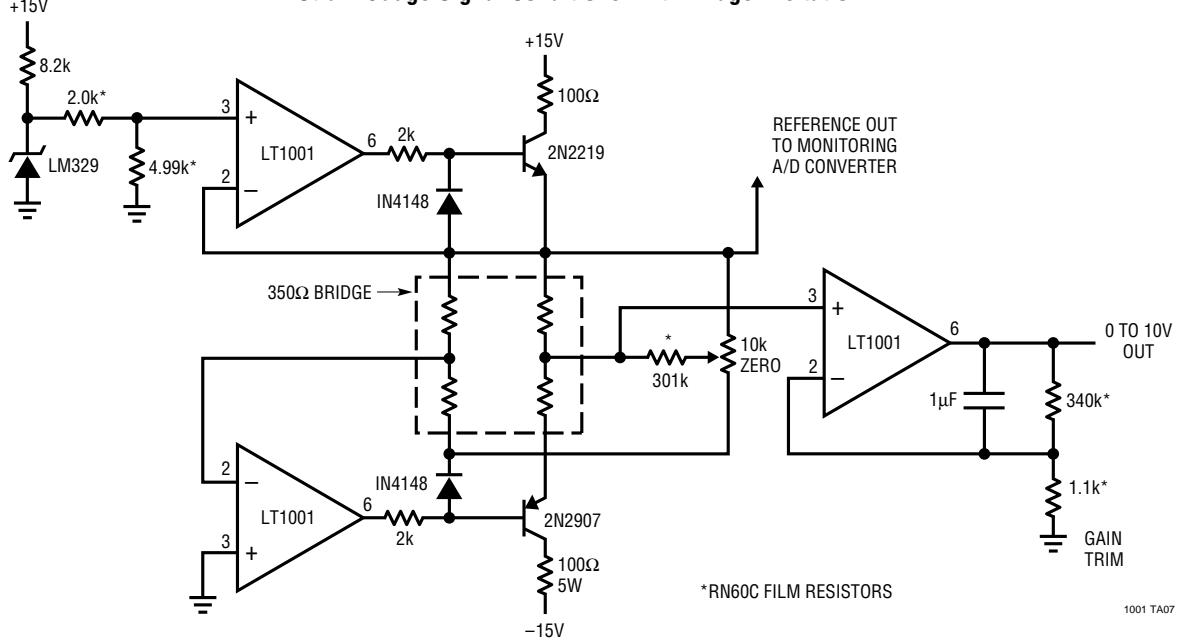
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### Precision Current Sink



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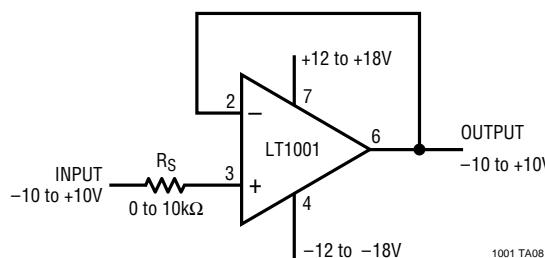
### Strain Gauge Signal Conditioner with Bridge Excitation



\*RN60C FILM RESISTORS

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### Large Signal Voltage Follower With 0.001% Worst-Case Accuracy

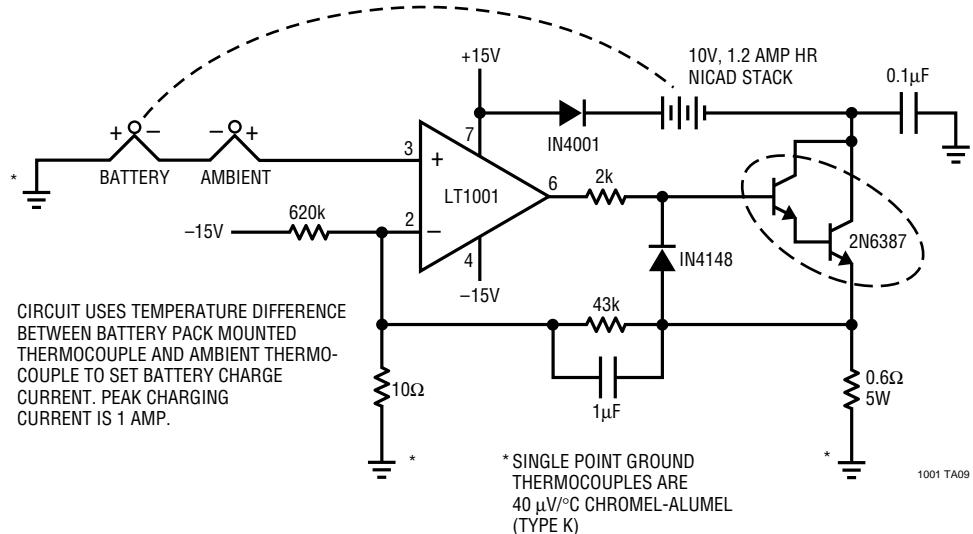


The voltage follower is an ideal example illustrating the overall excellence of the LT1001. The contributing error terms are due to offset voltage, input bias current, voltage gain, common-mode and power-supply

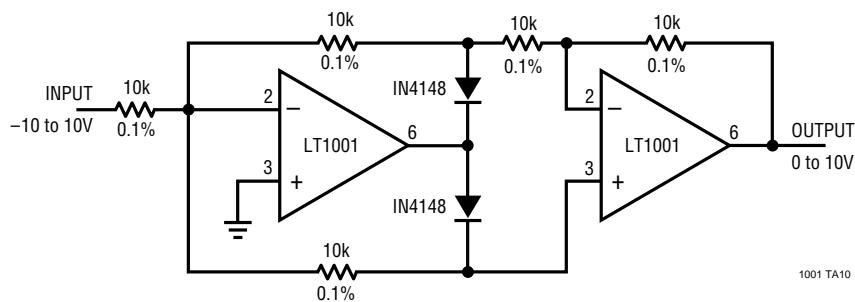
rejections. Worst-case summation of guaranteed specifications is tabulated below.

Error	OUTPUT ACCURACY			
	LT1001AM /883	LT1001C	LT1001AM /883	LT1001C
	25°C Max.	25°C Max.	-55 to 125°C Max.	0 to 70°C Max.
Offset Voltage	15µV	60µV	60µV	110µV
Bias Current	20µV	40µV	40µV	55µV
Common-Mode Rejection	20µV	30µV	30µV	50µV
Power Supply Rejection	18µV	30µV	36µV	42µV
Voltage Gain	22µV	25µV	33µV	40µV
Worst-case Sum	95µV	185µV	199µV	297µV
Percent of Full Scale (=20V)	0.0005%	0.0009%	0.0010%	0.0015%

### Thermally Controlled NiCad Charger

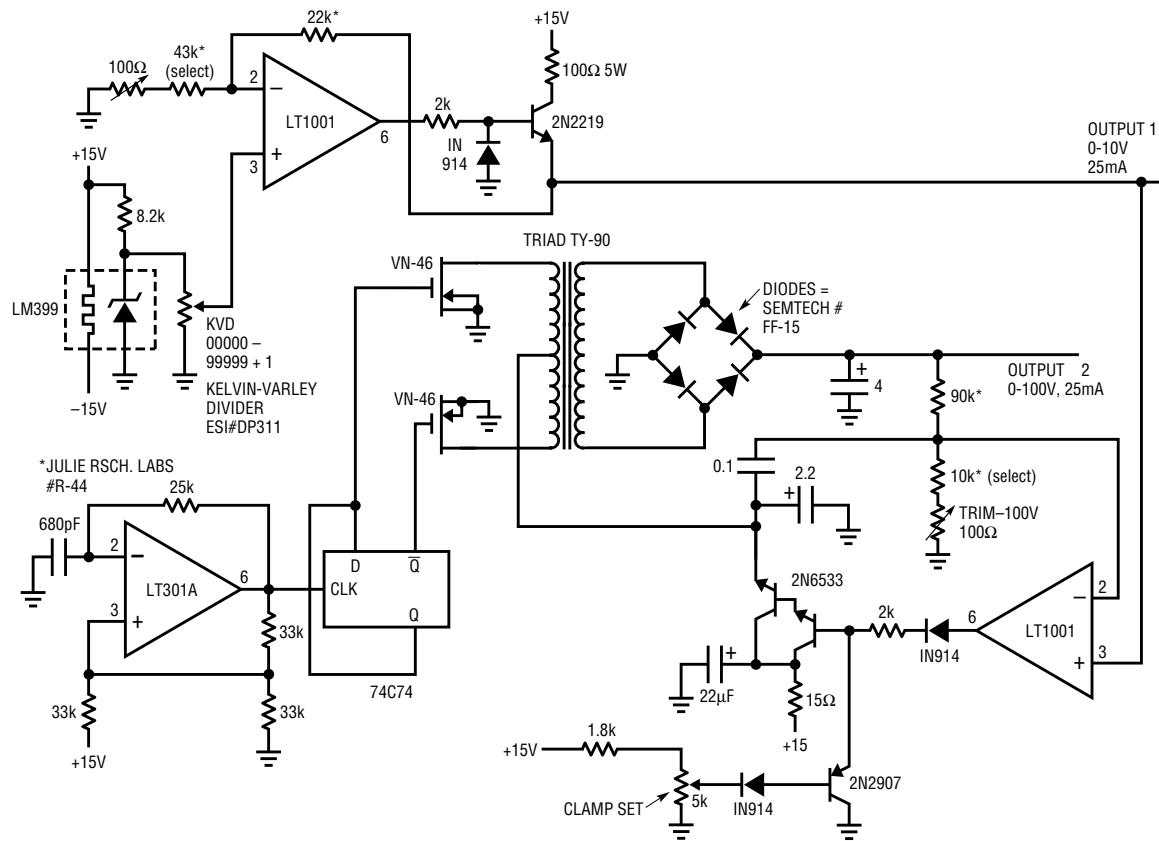


### Precision Absolute Value Circuit



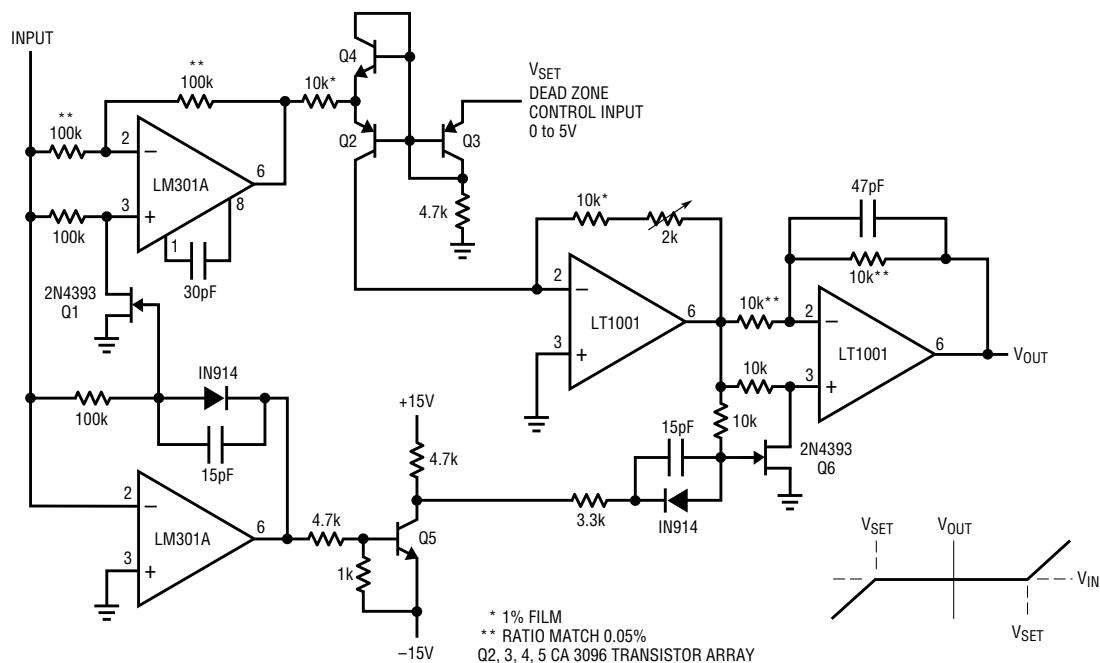
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## Precision Power Supply with Two Outputs (1) 0V to 10V in 100 $\mu$ V STEPS (2) 0V to 100V in 1mV STEPS

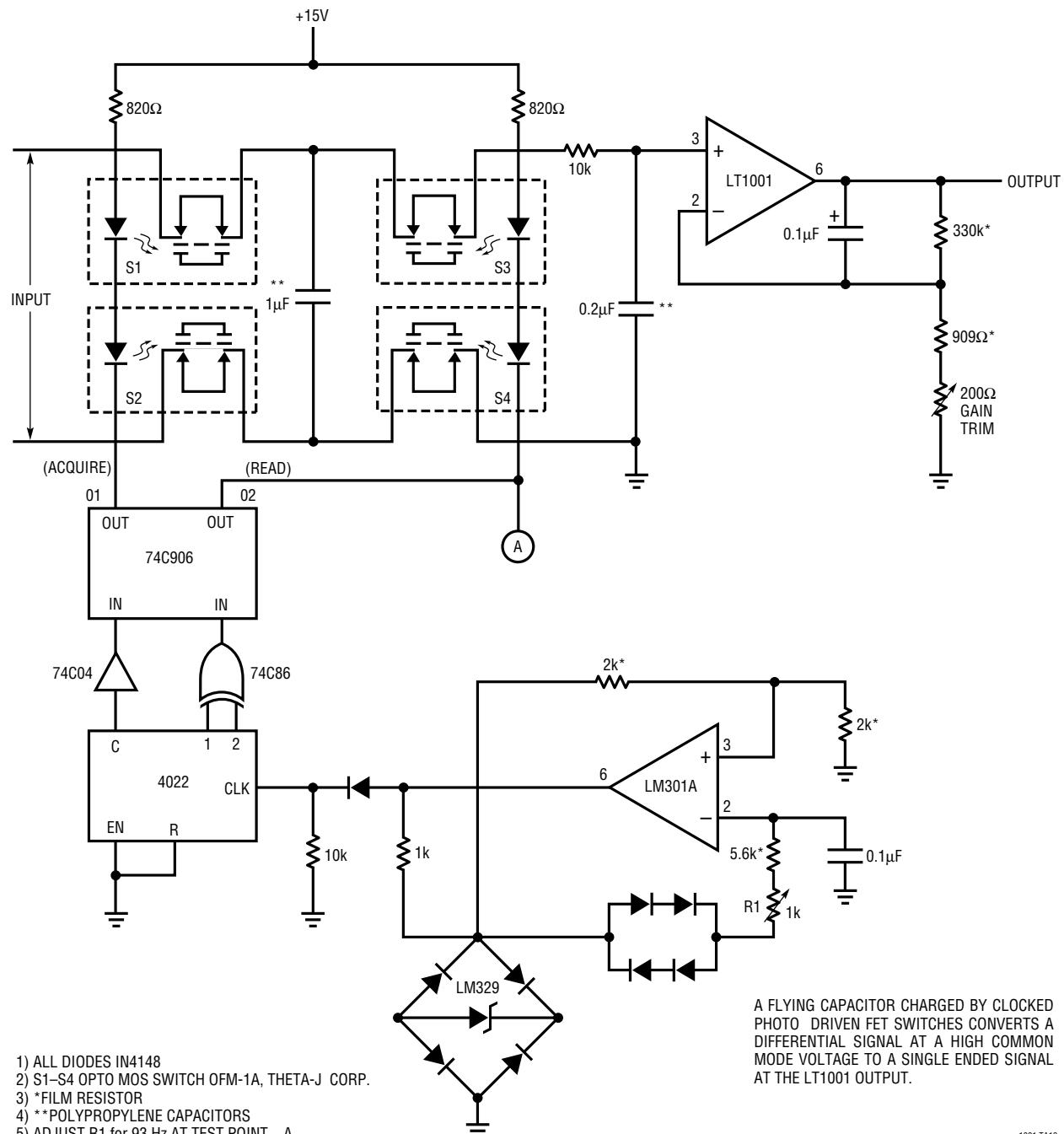


## Dead Zone Generator

BIPOLAR SYMMETRY IS EXCELLENT BECAUSE ONE DEVICE, Q2, SETS BOTH LIMITS

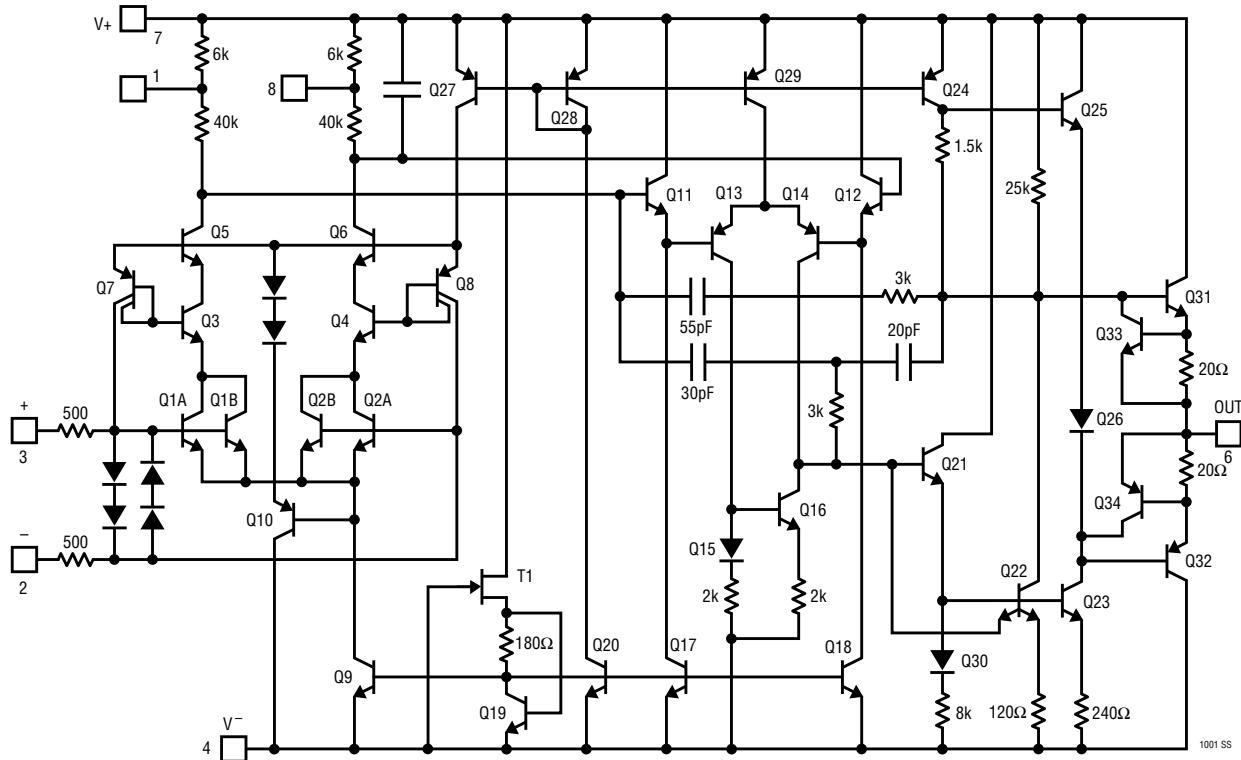


**Instrumentation Amplifier with  $\pm 300V$   
Common Mode Range and CMRR > 150dB**



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## SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM

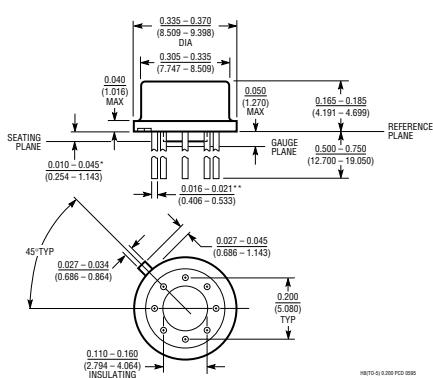


## PACKAGE DESCRIPTION

Dimensions in inches (millimeters) unless otherwise noted.

### H Package

**8-Lead TO-5 Metal Can (0.200 PCD)**  
(LTC DWG # 05-08-1320)

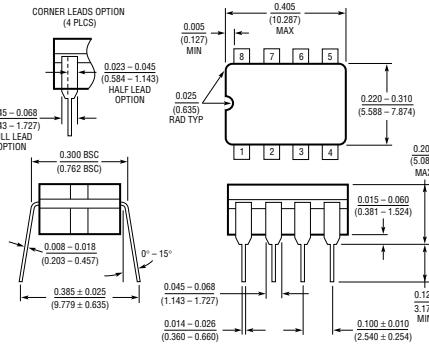


\*LEAD DIAMETER IS UNCONTROLLED BETWEEN THE REFERENCE PLANE AND 0.045 BELOW THE REFERENCE PLANE  
\*\*FOR SOLDER DIP LEAD FINISH, LEAD DIAMETER IS 0.016 - 0.024  
(0.406 - 0.610)

T <sub>jmax</sub>	θ <sub>ja</sub>	θ <sub>jc</sub>
150°C	150°C/W	45°C/W

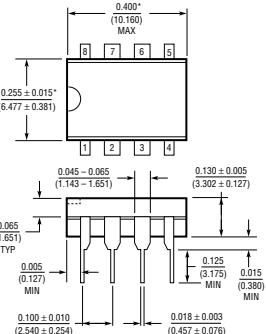
### J8 Package

**8-Lead CERDIP (Narrow 0.300, Hermetic)**  
(LTC DWG # 05-08-1110)



### N8 Package

**8-Lead PDIP (Narrow 0.300)**  
(LTC DWG # 05-08-1510)

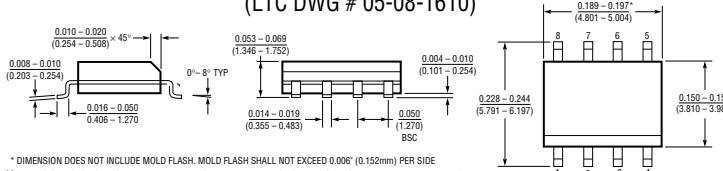


T <sub>jmax</sub>	θ <sub>ja</sub>
150°C	130°C/W

### S8 Package

**8-Lead Plastic Small Outline (Narrow 0.150)**

(LTC DWG # 05-08-1610)



T <sub>jmax</sub>	θ <sub>ja</sub>
150°C	150°C/W