## LM124/LM324 <br> Single-Supply Quad Operational Amplifier

## Features

- Large DC voltage gain- 100 dB
- Compatible with all forms of logic
- Temperature compensated
- Unity Gain Bandwidth-1 MHz
- Large output voltage swing- 0 V to (+VS -1.5 V )
- Input common mode voltage range includes ground


## Description

Each of the devices in this series consists of four independent high-gain operational amplifiers that are designed for single-supply operation. Operation from split power supplies is also possible and the low power supply drain is independent of the magnitude of the power supply voltage.

Used with a dual supply, the circuit will operate over a wide range of supply voltages. However, a large amount of crossover distortion may occur with loads to ground. An external current-sinking resistor to -VS will reduce crossover distortion. There is no crossover distortion problem in single-supply operation if the load is direct-coupled to ground.

## Pin Assignments



Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Conditions | Min. | Max. | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Voltage |  |  | +32 or $\pm 16$ | V |
| Differential Input Voltage |  |  | 32 | V |
| Input Voltage |  | -0.3 | +32 | V |
| Output Short Circuit to Ground ${ }^{1}$ | One Amplifier $+\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{S}} \leq 15 \mathrm{~V} \text { and } \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | Continuous |  |  |
| Input Current ${ }^{2}$ | VIN <-0.3V |  | 50 | mA |
| Operating Temperature Range |  |  |  |  |
| LM124 |  | -55 | +125 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| LM324 |  | 0 | +70 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Notes:

1. Short circuits from the output to +Vs can cause excessive heating and eventual destruction. The maximum output current is approximately 40 mA independent of the magnitude of +Vs . At values of supply voltage in excess $\mathrm{d}+\mathrm{Vs}$, continuous short circuits can exceed the power dissipation ratings and cause eventual destruction. Destructive dissipation can result from simultaneous shorts on all amplifiers.
2. This input current will only exist when the voltage at any of the input leads is driven negative. It is due to the collector-base junction of the input PNP transistors becoming forward biased and thereby acting as input diode clamps. In addition to this diode action, there is also lateral NPN parasitic transistor action on the IC chip. This transistor action can cause the output voltages of the op amps to go to the +V s voltage level (or to ground for a large overdrive) for the time duration that an input is driven negative. This is not destructive and normal output states will re-establish when the input voltage again returns to a value greater than 0.3 V .

## Thermal Characteristics

| Parameter | SOIC | Plastic DIP | Ceramic DIP |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Maximum Junction Temperature | $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $+175^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Max. PD TA < $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 300 mW | 468 mW | 1042 mW |
| Thermal Resistance, $\theta \mathrm{JC}$ | - | - | $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ |
| Thermal Resistance, $\theta \mathrm{JA}$ | $200^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | $160^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ | $120^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ |
| For TA $>50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Derate at | $5.0 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $6.25 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | $8.38 \mathrm{~mW} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Electrical Characteristics

$+\mathrm{V}=+5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ (see Note 1 ) and $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, unless otherwise noted.

| Parameters |  | Test Conditions | LM124 |  |  | LM324 |  |  | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Min. | Typ. | Max. |  |
| Input Offset Voltage ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  | $\pm 2.0$ | $\pm 5.0$ |  | $\pm 2.0$ | $\pm 7.0$ | mV |
| Input Bias Current ${ }^{2}$ |  |  |  | 45 | 150 |  | 45 | 250 | nA |
| Input Offset Current |  |  |  | $\pm 3.0$ | $\pm 30$ |  | $\pm 5.0$ | $\pm 50$ | nA |
| Input Voltage Range ${ }^{3}$ |  | $+\mathrm{VS}=+30 \mathrm{~V}$ | 0 |  | +VS-1.5 | 0 |  | +VS-1.5 | V |
| Supply Current (Over Temperature) |  | $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=\infty,+\mathrm{V}=30 \mathrm{~V}$ |  | 1.5 | 3.0 |  | 1.5 | 3.0 | mA |
|  |  | $R \mathrm{~L}=\infty$ on all op amps |  | 0.7 | 1.2 |  | 0.7 | 1.2 | mA |
| Large Signal Voltage Gain |  | $+\mathrm{VS}=15 \mathrm{~V}$ <br> (for large VOUT swing) $R \mathrm{~L} \geq 2 \mathrm{~K} \Omega$ | 50 | 100 |  | 25 | 100 |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mathrm{mV}$ |
| Output Voltage Swing | VOH | $+\mathrm{VS}=+30 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{RL}=2 \mathrm{~K} \Omega$ | 26 |  |  | 26 |  |  | V |
|  | VOH | $\mathrm{RL}_{\mathrm{L}} \geq 10 \mathrm{~K} \Omega$ | 27 | 28 |  | 27 | 28 |  | V |
|  | VOL | $\begin{aligned} & +\mathrm{VS}=+5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{RL}= \\ & 10 \mathrm{~K} \Omega \end{aligned}$ |  | 5.0 | 20 |  | 5.0 | 20 | mV |
| Common Mode Rejection Ratio |  |  | 70 | 85 |  | 65 | 70 |  | dB |
| Power Supply Rejection Ratio |  |  | 65 | 100 |  | 65 | 100 |  | dB |
| Channel Separation ${ }^{4}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{F}=1 \mathrm{KHz} \text { to } 20 \mathrm{KHz} \\ & \text { (Input referred) } \end{aligned}$ |  | -120 |  |  | -120 |  | dB |
| Output Current | Source | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{VIN}+=1 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VIN}-=0 \mathrm{~V} \\ & +\mathrm{V} S=15 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 20 | 40 |  | 20 | 40 |  | mA |
|  | Sink | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{VIN}-=1 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V} I \mathrm{~N}_{+}=0 \mathrm{~V}, \\ & +\mathrm{VS}=15 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 10 | 20 |  | 10 | 20 |  | mA |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { VIN+ = } 1 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{~V} \text { IN- }=0 \mathrm{~V}, \\ & +\mathrm{V} \text { OUT }=200 \mathrm{mV} \end{aligned}$ | 12 | 50 |  | 12 | 50 |  | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |

Notes:

1. VOUT $=1.4 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{RS}=0 \Omega$ with +VS from 5 V to 30 V ; and over the full common mode range ( 0 V to $+\mathrm{Vs}-1.5 \mathrm{~V}$ ).
2. The direction of the input current is out of the IC due to the PNP input stage. This current is essentially constant, independent of the state of the output so no loading change exists on the input lines.
3. The input common mode voltage or either input signal voltage should not be allowed to go negative by more than 0.3 V . The upper end of the common mode voltage range is $+\mathrm{Vs}-1.5 \mathrm{~V}$, but either or both inputs can go to +32 V without damage.
4. Due to proximity of external components, ensure that coupling is not originating via stray capacitance between these externall parts. This typically can be detected as this type of capacitance increases at higher frequencies.

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$+\mathrm{VS}=+5.0 \mathrm{~V}$, LM124 $=-55^{\circ} \leq \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}} \leq 125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{LM} 324=0^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \leq \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}} \leq 70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ unless other wise noted.

| Parameters |  | Test Conditions | LM124 |  |  | LM324 |  |  | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Min. | Typ. | Max . | Min. | Typ. | Max . |  |
| Short Circuit Current ${ }^{1}$ |  |  | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  | 40 | 60 |  | 40 | 60 | mA |
| Input Offset Voltage ${ }^{2}$ |  |  |  |  | $\pm 7.0$ |  |  | $\pm 9.0$ | mV |
| Input Offset Voltage Drift |  | $\mathrm{RS}=0 \Omega$ |  | 7.0 |  |  | 7.0 |  | $\mu \mathrm{V} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Input Offset Current |  |  |  |  | $\pm 100$ |  |  | $\pm 150$ | nA |
| Input Offset Current Drift |  |  |  | 10 |  |  | 10 |  | $\mathrm{pA} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Input Bias Current ${ }^{3}$ |  |  |  | 40 | 300 |  | 40 | 500 | nA |
| Input Voltage Range ${ }^{4}$ |  | $+\mathrm{VS}=+30 \mathrm{~V}$ | 0 |  | +VS-2.0 | 0 |  | +VS-2.0 | V |
| Large Signal Voltage Gain |  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline+ \text { Vs }-+15 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \text { (For Large } \\ & \text { Vout Swing) } \\ & \mathrm{RL} \geq 2.0 \mathrm{~K} \Omega \end{aligned}$ | 25 |  |  | 15 |  |  | $\mathrm{V} / \mathrm{mV}$ |
| Output Voltage Swing | VOH | $\begin{aligned} & +\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{S}}=+30 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=2 \mathrm{~K} \Omega \end{aligned}$ | 26 |  |  | 26 |  |  | V |
|  | VOH | $R \mathrm{~L} \geq 10 \mathrm{~K} \Omega$ | 27 | 28 |  | 27 | 28 |  | V |
|  | VOL | $\begin{aligned} & +\mathrm{VS}=+5.0 \mathrm{~V}, \\ & \mathrm{RL}=10 \mathrm{~K} \Omega \end{aligned}$ |  | 5.0 | 20 |  | 5.0 | 20 | mV |
| Output Current | Source | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{VIN}+=+1.0 \mathrm{~V}, \\ & \mathrm{VIN}-=0 \mathrm{~V}, \\ & +\mathrm{VS}=+15 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 10 | 20 |  | 10 | 20 |  | mA |
|  | Sink | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{VIN}-=+1.0 \mathrm{~V}, \\ & \mathrm{VIN}+=0 \mathrm{~V}, \\ & +\mathrm{VS}=+15 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | 5.0 | 8.0 |  | 5.0 | 8.0 |  | mA |
| Differential Input Voltage ${ }^{4}$ |  |  |  |  | +VS |  |  | +VS | V |

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## Typical Performance Characteristics



Figure 1. Follower Small Signal Pulse Response


Figure 3. Output Voltage vs. Output Source Current


Figure 2. Output Voltage Swing vs. Frequency


Figure 4. Output Voltage vs. Output Sink Current


Figure 5. Current Limiting Output Current vs. Temperature

## Typical Performance Characteristics (continued)



Figure 6. Input Voltage vs. Supply Voltage


Figure 8. Supply Current vs. Supply Voltage


Figure 10. Open Loop Voltage Gain vs. Frequency


Figure 7. Input Bias Current vs. Temperature


Figure 9. Open Loop Voltage Gain vs. Supply Voltage


Figure 11. Follower Large Pulse Response Signal vs. Time

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## Mechanical Dimensions

## 14-Lead Plastic DIP

| Symbol | Inches |  | Millimeters |  | Notes |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Min. | Max. | Min. | Max. |  |
| A | - | .210 | - | 5.33 |  |
| A1 | .015 | - | .38 | - |  |
| A2 | .115 | .195 | 2.93 | 4.95 |  |
| B | .014 | .022 | .36 | .56 |  |
| B1 | .045 | .070 | 1.14 | 1.78 |  |
| C | .008 | .015 | .20 | .38 | 4 |
| D | .725 | .795 | 18.42 | 20.19 | 2 |
| D1 | .005 | - | .13 | - |  |
| E | .300 | .325 | 7.62 | 8.26 |  |
| E1 | .240 | .280 | 6.10 | 7.11 | 2 |
| e | .100 BSC | 2.54 BSC |  |  |  |
| eB | - | .430 | - | 10.92 |  |
| L | .115 | .200 | 2.92 | 5.08 |  |
| N | 14 |  |  | 14 |  |

## Notes:

1. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ANSI Y14.5M-1982.
2. "D" and "E1" do not include mold flashing. Mold flash or protrusions shall not exceed .010 inch $(0.25 \mathrm{~mm})$.
3. Terminal numbers are shown for reference only.
4. "C" dimension does not include solder finish thickness.
5. Symbol " N " is the maximum number of terminals.


Mechanical Dimensions (continued)

## 14-Lead Ceramic DIP

| Symbol | Inches |  | Millimeters |  | Notes |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Min. | Max. | Min. | Max. |  |
| A | - | .200 | - | 5.08 |  |
| b 1 | .014 | .023 | .36 | .58 | 8 |
| b 2 | .045 | .065 | 1.14 | 1.65 | 2 |
| c 1 | .008 | .015 | .20 | .38 | 8 |
| D | - | .785 | - | 19.94 | 4 |
| E | .220 | .310 | 5.59 | 7.87 | 4 |
| e | .100 BSC |  | 2.54 BSC |  | 5,9 |
| eA | .300 BSC |  | 7.62 BSC | 7 |  |
| L | .125 | .200 | 3.18 | 5.08 |  |
| Q | .015 | .060 | .38 | 1.52 | 3 |
| s 1 | .005 | - | .13 | - | 6 |
| $\alpha$ | $90^{\circ}$ | $105^{\circ}$ | $90^{\circ}$ | $105^{\circ}$ |  |

## Notes:

1. Index area: a notch or a pin one identification mark shall be located adjacent to pin one. The manufacturer's identification shall not be used as pin one identification mark.
2. The minimum limit for dimension "b2" may be $.023(.58 \mathrm{~mm})$ for leads number 1, 7,8 and 14 only.
3. Dimension " Q " shall be measured from the seating plane to the base plane.
4. This dimension allows for off-center lid, meniscus and glass overrun.
5. The basic pin spacing is $100(2.54 \mathrm{~mm})$ between centerlines. Each pin centerline shall be located within $\pm .010(.25 \mathrm{~mm})$ of its exact longitudinal position relative to pins 1 and 14.
6. Applies to all four corners (leads number 1, 7, 8, and 14).
7. "eA" shall be measured at the center of the lead bends or at the centerline of the leads when " $\alpha$ " is $90^{\circ}$.
8. All leads - Increase maximum limit by $.003(.08 \mathrm{~mm})$ measured at the center of the flat, when lead finish applied.
9. Twelve spaces.


Mechanical Dimensions (continued)

## 14-Lead SOIC

| Symbol | Inches |  | Millimeters |  | Notes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Min. | Max. | Min. | Max. |  |
| A | . 053 | . 069 | 1.35 | 1.75 |  |
| A1 | . 004 | . 010 | 0.10 | 0.25 |  |
| B | . 013 | . 020 | 0.33 | 0.51 |  |
| C | . 008 | . 010 | 0.19 | 0.25 | 5 |
| D | . 336 | . 345 | 8.54 | 8.76 | 2 |
| E | . 150 | . 158 | 3.81 | 4.01 | 2 |
| e | . 050 BSC |  | 1.27 BSC |  |  |
| H | . 228 | . 244 | 5.79 | 6.20 |  |
| h | . 010 | . 020 | 0.25 | 0.50 |  |
| L | . 016 | . 050 | 0.40 | 1.27 | 3 |
| N | 14 |  | 14 |  | 6 |
| $\alpha$ | $0^{\circ}$ | $8^{\circ}$ | $0^{\circ}$ | $8^{\circ}$ |  |
| ccc | - | . 004 | - | 0.10 |  |

Notes:

1. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ANSI Y14.5M-1982.
2. "D" and "E" do not include mold flash. Mold flash or protrusions shall not exceed .010 inch $(0.25 \mathrm{~mm})$.
3. "L" is the length of terminal for soldering to a substrate.
4. Terminal numbers are shown for reference only.
5. "C" dimension does not include solder finish thickness.
6. Symbol " N " is the maximum number of terminals.


## Ordering Information

| Part Number | Package | Operating Temperature Range |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| LM324M | 14-Lead Plastic SOIC | $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| LM324N | 14-Lead Plastic DIP | $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| LM124D | 14-Lead Ceramic DIP | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| LM124D/883B | 14-Lead Ceramic DIP | $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

## Note:

1. 883 B suffix denotes Mil-Std-883, Level B processing.

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