

## LM108/LM208/LM308 Operational Amplifiers

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### FEATURES

- Maximum input bias current of 3.0 nA over temperature
- Offset current less than 400 pA over temperature
- Supply current of only 300  $\mu$ A, even in saturation
- Specified drift characteristics

### DESCRIPTION

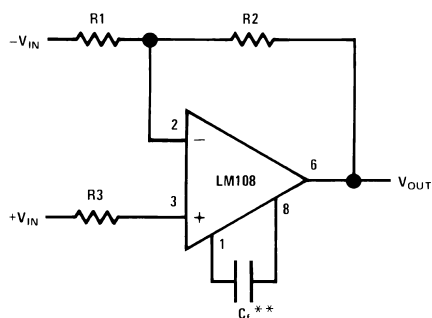
The LM108 series are precision operational amplifiers having specifications a factor of ten better than FET amplifiers over a  $-55^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+125^{\circ}\text{C}$  temperature range.

The devices operate with supply voltages from  $\pm 2\text{V}$  to  $\pm 20\text{V}$  and have sufficient supply rejection to use unregulated supplies. Although the circuit is interchangeable with and uses the same compensation as the LM101A, an alternate compensation scheme can be used to make it particularly insensitive to power supply noise and to make supply bypass capacitors unnecessary.

The low current error of the LM108 series makes possible many designs that are not practical with conventional amplifiers. In fact, it operates from 10 M $\Omega$  source resistances, introducing less error than devices like the 709 with 10 k $\Omega$  sources. Integrators with drifts less than 500  $\mu\text{V}/\text{sec}$  and analog time delays in excess of one hour can be made using capacitors no larger than 1  $\mu\text{F}$ .

The LM108 is guaranteed from  $-55^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+125^{\circ}\text{C}$ , the LM208 from  $-25^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$ , and the LM308 from  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+70^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

### COMPENSATION CIRCUITS

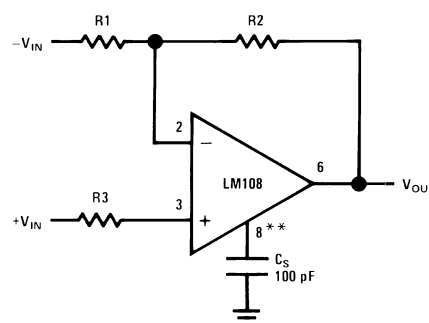


$$C_f \geq \frac{R_1 C_O}{R_1 + R_2}$$

$$C_O = 30 \text{ pF}$$

\*\*Bandwidth and slew rate are proportional to  $1/C_f$

**Figure 1. Standard Compensation Circuit**



- (1) Improves rejection of power supply noise by a factor of ten.

\*\*Bandwidth and slew rate are proportional to  $1/C_s$

**Figure 2. Alternate Frequency Compensation**



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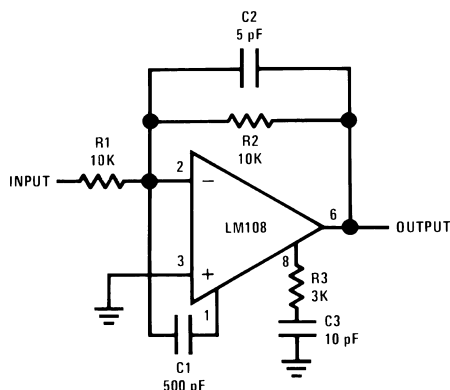
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These devices have limited built-in ESD protection. The leads should be shorted together or the device placed in conductive foam during storage or handling to prevent electrostatic damage to the MOS gates.


**Figure 3. Feedforward Compensation**
**ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS** <sup>(1) (2)</sup>

|   | <b>LM108/LM208</b> | <b>LM308</b>    |
|---|--------------------|-----------------|
| Supply Voltage  | ±20V               | ±18V            |
| Power Dissipation <sup>(3)</sup>  | 500 mW             | 500 mW          |
| Differential Input Current <sup>(4)</sup>   | ±10 mA             | ±10 mA          |
| Input Voltage <sup>(5)</sup>  | ±15V               | ±15V            |
| Output Short-Circuit Duration   | Continuous         | Continuous      |
| Operating Temperature Range (LM108)   | -55°C to +125°C    | 0°C to +70°C    |
| (LM208)   | -25°C to + 85°C    |                 |
| Storage Temperature Range   | -65°C to +150°C    | -65°C to +150°C |
| Lead Temperature (Soldering, 10 sec)  |                    |                 |
| DIP   | 260°C              | 260°C           |
| H Package Lead Temp, (Soldering 10 seconds)   | 300°C              | 300°C           |
| Soldering Information, Dual-In-Line Package, Soldering (10 seconds)   | 260°C              |                 |
| Small Outline Package   |                    |                 |
| Vapor Phase (60 seconds)  | 215°C              |                 |
| Infrared (15 seconds)   | 220°C              |                 |
| ESD Tolerance <sup>(6)</sup>  | 2000V              |                 |
| See AN-450 "Surface Mounting Methods and Their Effect on Product Reliability" for other methods of soldering surface mount devices. |                    |                 |

- (1) Absolute Maximum Ratings indicate limits beyond which damage to the device may occur. Operating Ratings indicate conditions for which the device is functional, but **do not** guarantee specific performance limits.
- (2) Refer to RETS108X for LM108 military specifications and RETs 108AX for LM108A military specifications.
- (3) The maximum junction temperature of the LM108 is 150°C, for the LM208, 100°C and for the LM308, 85°C. For operating at elevated temperatures, devices in the H08 package must be derated based on a thermal resistance of 160°C/W, junction to ambient, or 20°C/W, junction to case. The thermal resistance of the dual-in-line package is 100°C/W, junction to ambient.
- (4) The inputs are shunted with back-to-back diodes for overvoltage protection. Therefore, excessive current will flow if a differential input voltage in excess of 1V is applied between the inputs unless some limiting resistance is used.
- (5) For supply voltages less than ±15V, the absolute maximum input voltage is equal to the supply voltage.
- (6) Human body model, 1.5 kΩ in series with 100 pF.

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** <sup>(1)</sup>

| Parameter            | Condition   | LM108/LM208 |          |     | LM308    |          |     | Units                        |
|----------------------|---|-------------|----------|-----|----------|----------|-----|------------------------------|
|                      |   | Min         | Typ      | Max | Min      | Typ      | Max |                              |
| Input Offset Voltage | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$                                      |             | 0.7      | 2.0 |          | 2.0      | 7.5 | mV                           |
| Input Offset Current | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$                                      |             | 0.05     | 0.2 |          | 0.2      | 1   | nA                           |
| Input Bias Current   | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$                                      |             | 0.8      | 2.0 |          | 1.5      | 7   | nA                           |
| Input Resistance     | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$                                      | 30          | 70       |     | 10       | 40       |     | M $\Omega$                   |
| Supply Current       | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$                                      |             | 0.3      | 0.6 |          | 0.3      | 0.8 | mA                           |
| Large Signal Voltage | $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}, V_S = \pm 15\text{V}$                | 50          | 300      |     | 25       | 300      |     | V/mV                         |
| Gain                 | $V_{\text{OUT}} = \pm 10\text{V}, R_L \geq 10\text{ k}\Omega$ |             |          |     |          |          |     |                              |
| Input Offset Voltage |   |             |          | 3.0 |          |          | 10  | mV                           |
| Average Temperature  |   |             |          |     |          |          |     |                              |
| Coefficient of Input |   |             | 3.0      | 15  |          | 6.0      | 30  | $\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$ |
| Offset Voltage       |   |             |          |     |          |          |     |                              |
| Input Offset Current |   |             |          | 0.4 |          |          | 1.5 | nA                           |
| Average Temperature  |   |             |          |     |          |          |     |                              |
| Coefficient of Input |   |             | 0.5      | 2.5 |          | 2.0      | 10  | $\text{pA}/^\circ\text{C}$   |
| Offset Current       |   |             |          |     |          |          |     |                              |
| Input Bias Current   |   |             |          | 3.0 |          |          | 10  | nA                           |
| Supply Current       | $T_A = +125^\circ\text{C}$                                    |             | 0.15     | 0.4 |          |          |     | mA                           |
| Large Signal Voltage | $V_S = \pm 15\text{V}, V_{\text{OUT}} = \pm 10\text{V}$       | 25          |          |     | 15       |          |     | V/mV                         |
| Gain                 | $R_L \geq 10\text{ k}\Omega$                                  |             |          |     |          |          |     |                              |
| Output Voltage Swing | $V_S = \pm 15\text{V}, R_L = 10\text{ k}\Omega$               | $\pm 13$    | $\pm 14$ |     | $\pm 13$ | $\pm 14$ |     | V                            |
| Input Voltage Range  | $V_S = \pm 15\text{V}$  | $\pm 13.5$  |          |     | $\pm 14$ |          |     | V                            |
| Common Mode          |   | 85          | 100      |     | 80       | 100      |     | dB                           |
| Rejection Ratio      |   |             |          |     |          |          |     |                              |
| Supply Voltage       |   | 80          | 96       |     | 80       | 96       |     | dB                           |
| Rejection Ratio      |   |             |          |     |          |          |     |                              |

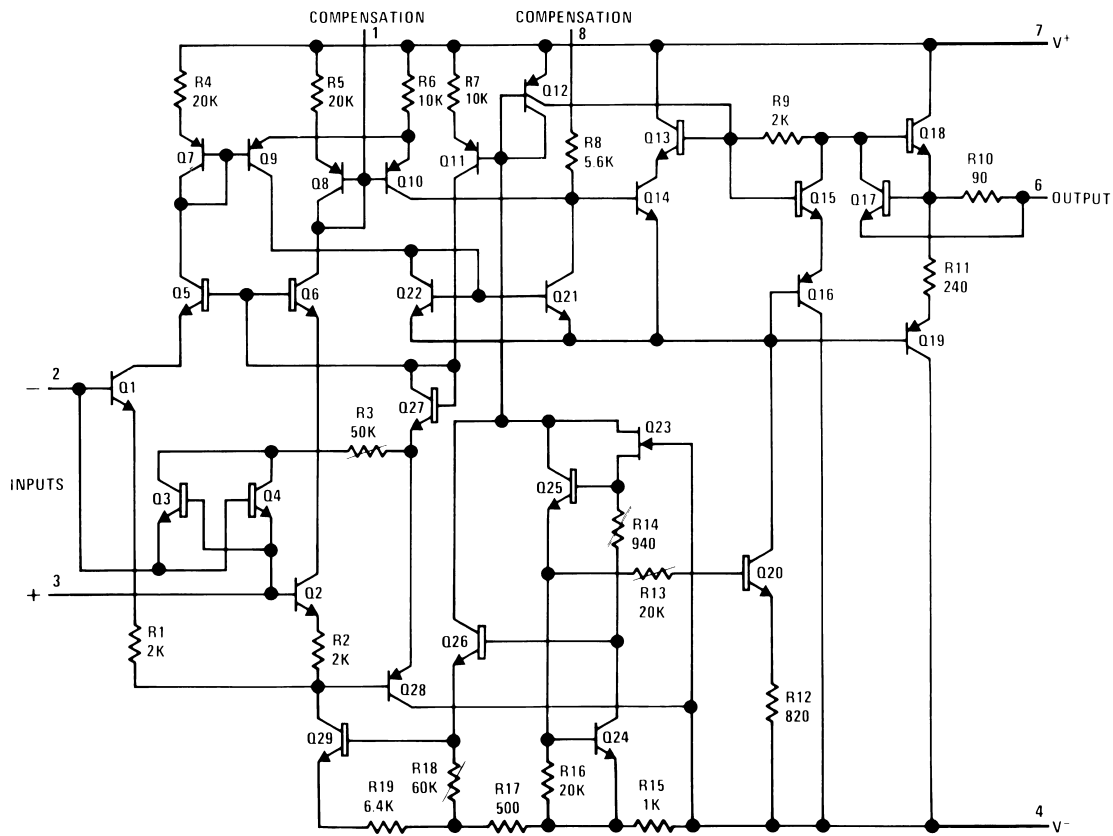
(1) These specifications apply for  $\pm 5\text{V} \leq V_S \leq \pm 20\text{V}$  and  $-55^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq +125^\circ\text{C}$ , unless otherwise specified. With the LM208, however, all temperature specifications are limited to  $-25^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq 85^\circ\text{C}$ , and for the LM308 they are limited to  $0^\circ\text{C} \leq T_A \leq 70^\circ\text{C}$ .

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TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS – LM108/LM208

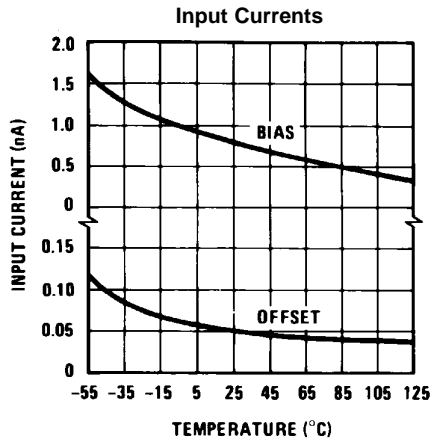


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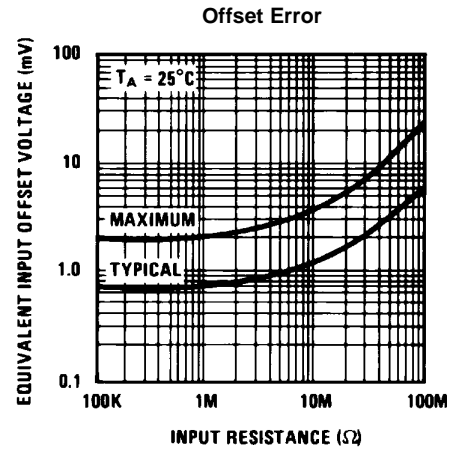


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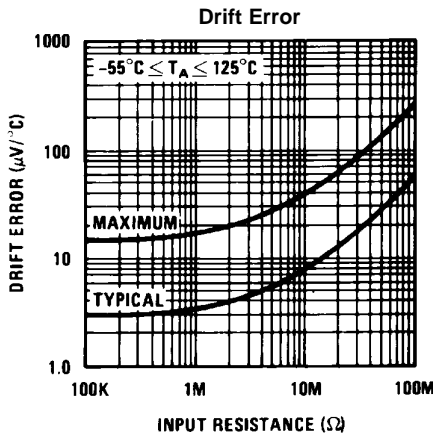


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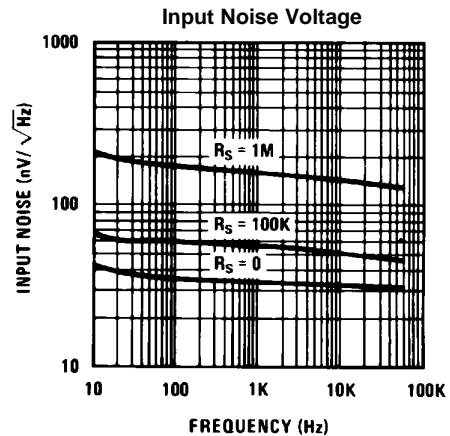


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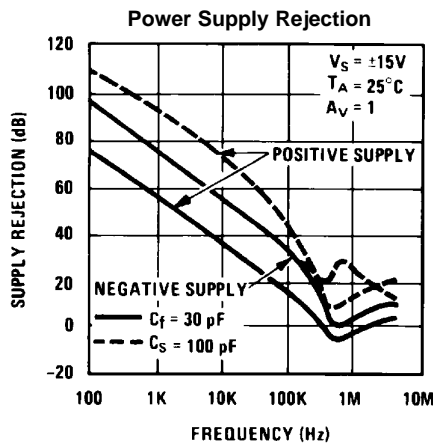


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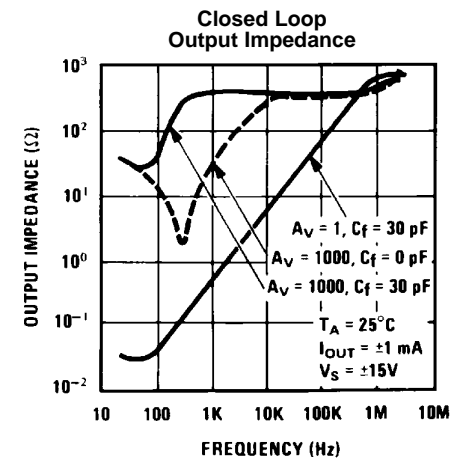


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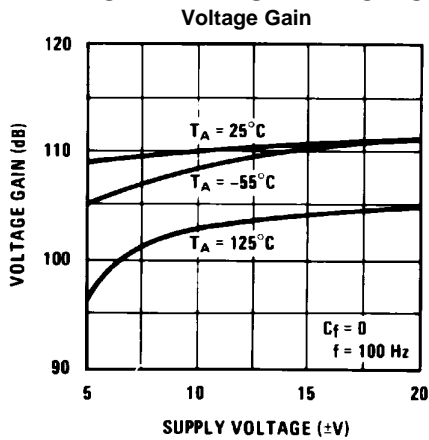


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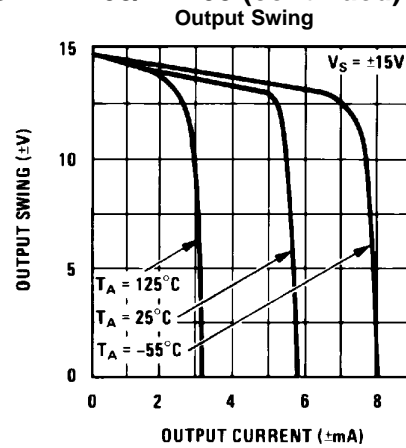


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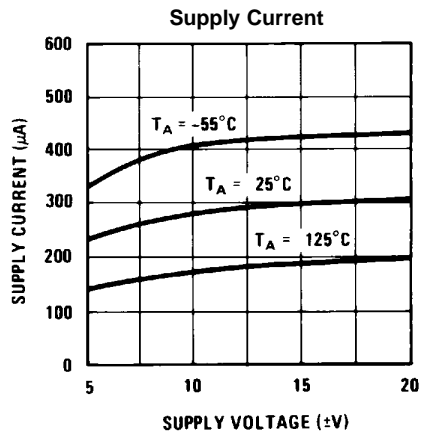


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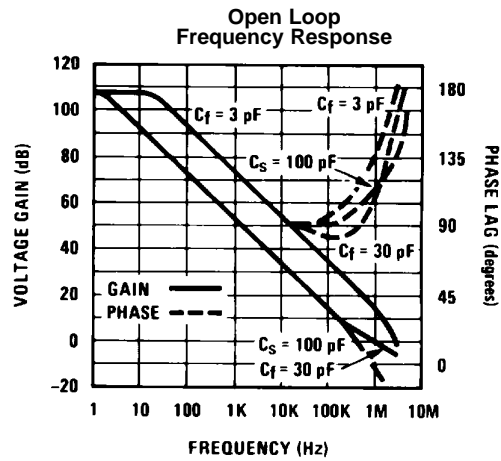


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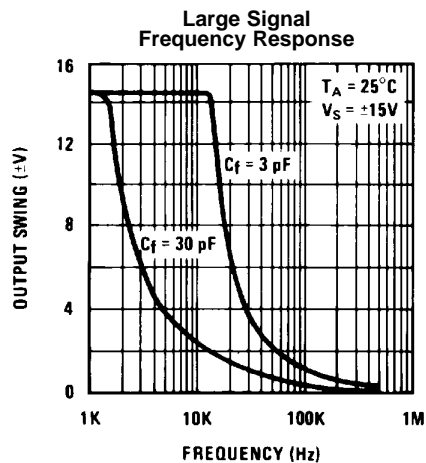


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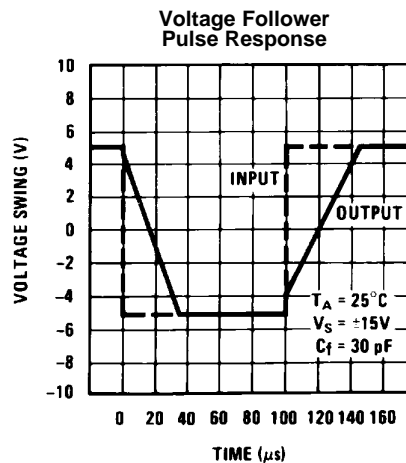


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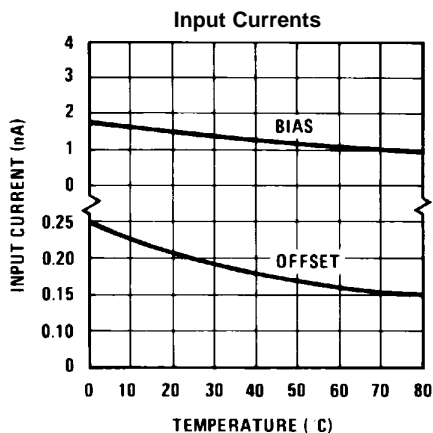


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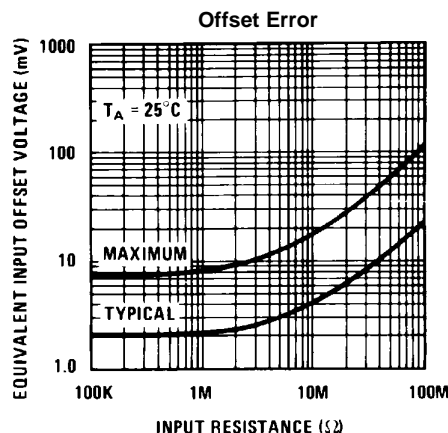


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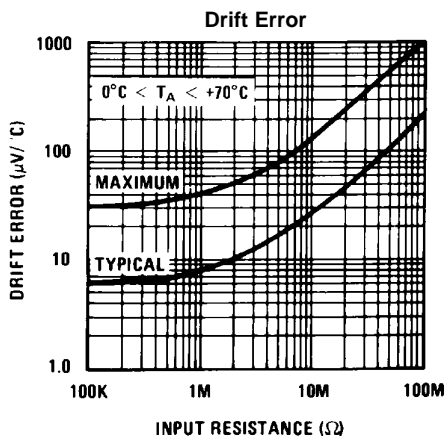


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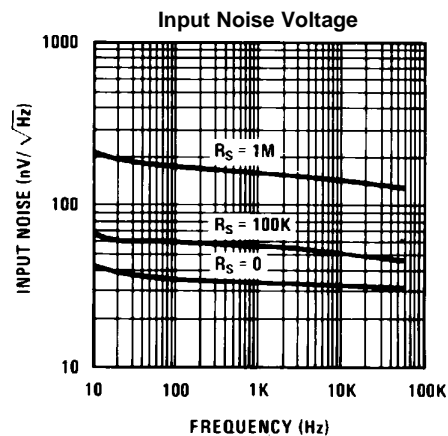


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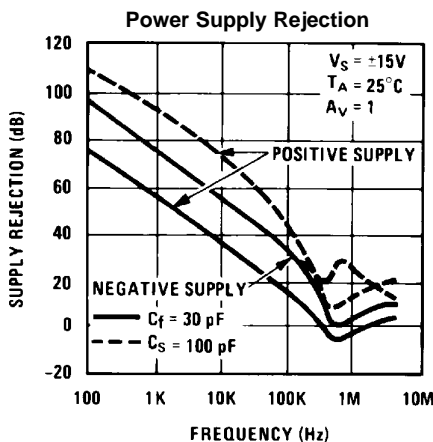


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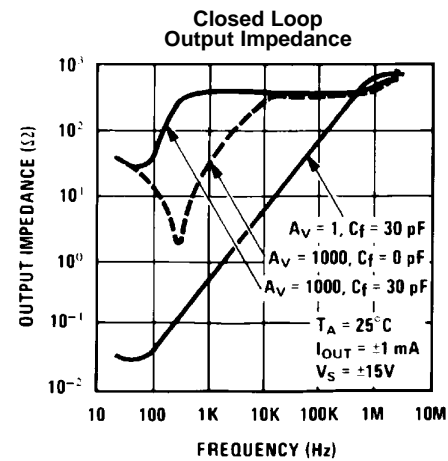


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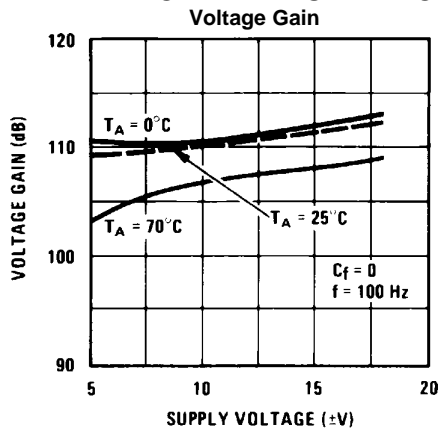


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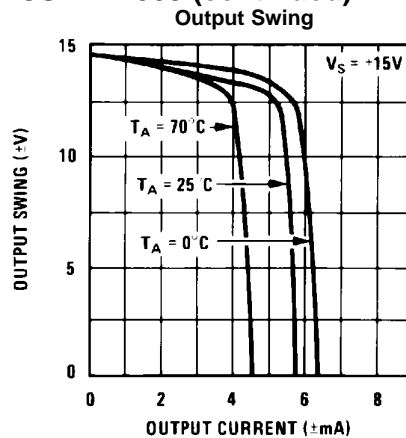


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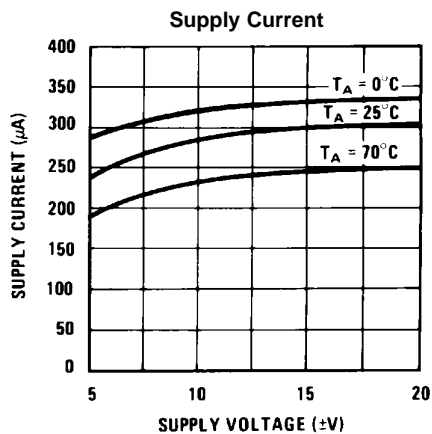


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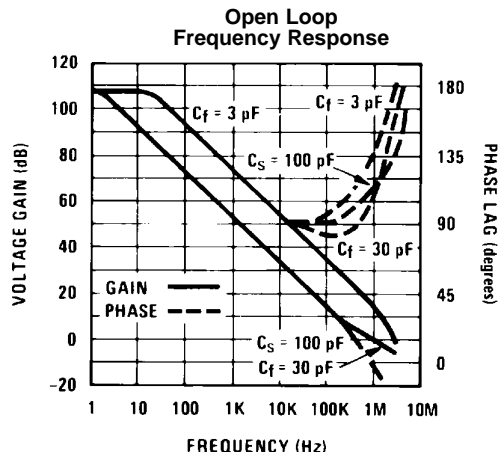


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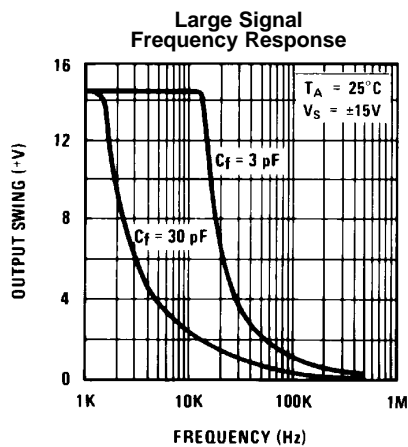


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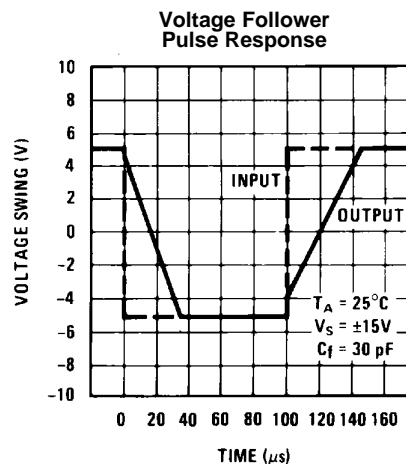


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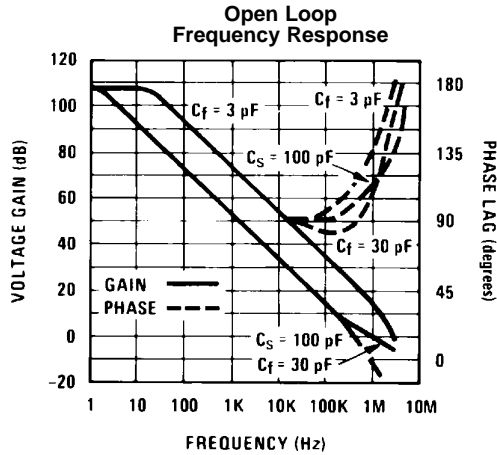


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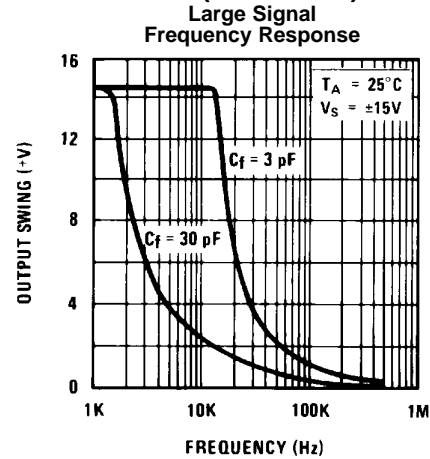


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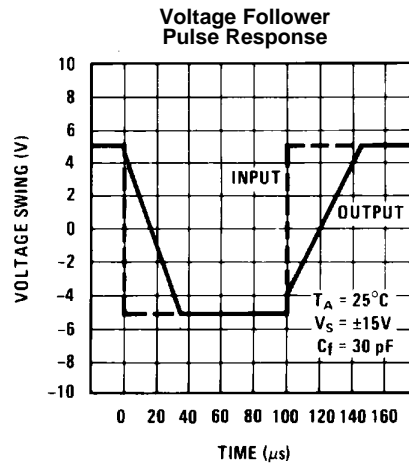
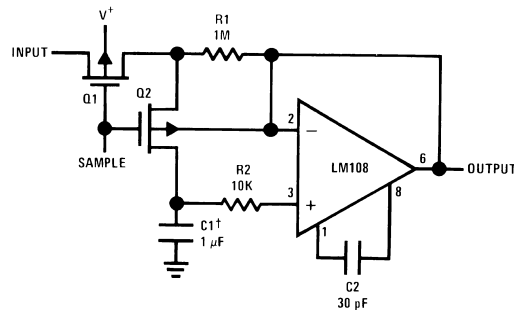


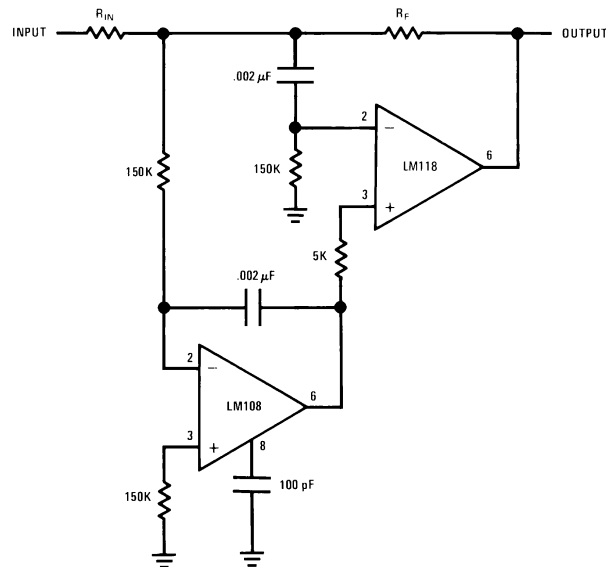
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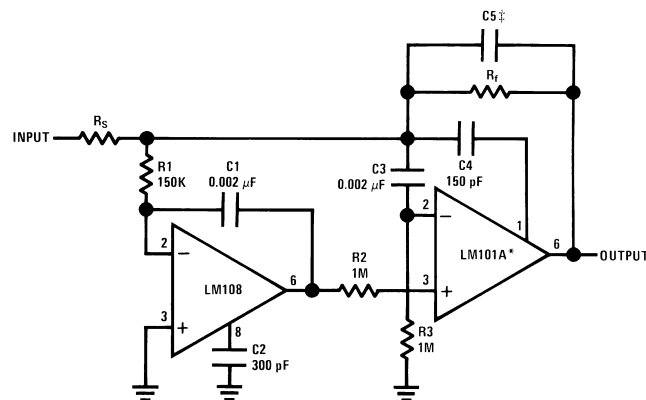


†Teflon polyethylene or polycarbonate dielectric capacitor  
Worst case drift less than 2.5 mV/sec

Figure 31. Sample and Hold



**Figure 32. High Speed Amplifier with Low Drift and Low Input Current**



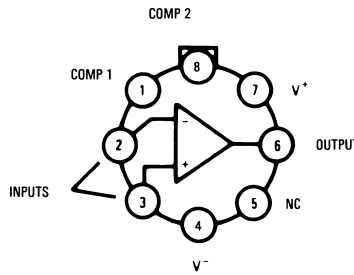
$$\ddagger C5 = \frac{6 \times 10^{-8}}{R_f}$$

\*In addition to increasing speed, the LM101A raises high and low frequency gain, increases output drive capability and eliminates thermal feedback.

1. Power Bandwidth: 250 KHz; Small Signal Bandwidth: 3.5 MHz; Slew Rate: 10V/μS

**Figure 33. Fast Summing Amplifier<sup>(1)</sup>**

CONNECTION DIAGRAMS



- (1) Package is connected to Pin 4 ( $V^-$ )
- (2) Unused pin (no internal connection) to allow for input anti-leakage guard ring on printed circuit board layout.

Figure 34. Metal Can Package<sup>(1)(2)</sup>

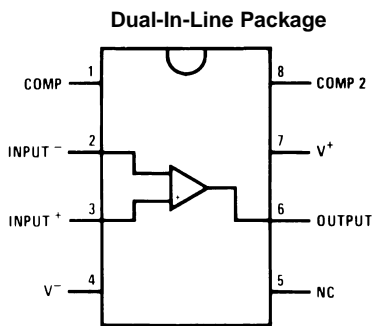


Figure 35. Top View (8-Pin)

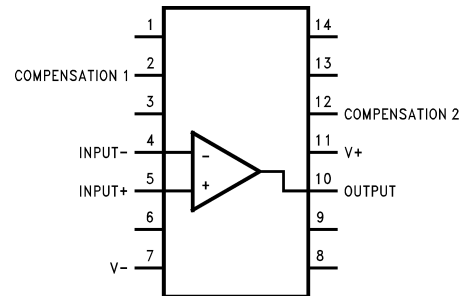


Figure 36. Top View (14-Pin)

†Also available per JM38510/10104

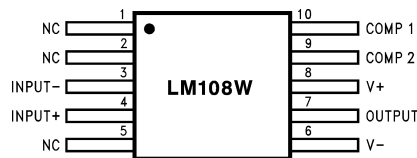


Figure 37. Top View (10-Pin)

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