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LT6220/LT6221/LT6222

The LT® 6220/LT6221/LT6222 are single/dual/quad, low power, high speed rail-to-rail input and output operational amplifiers with excellent DC performance. The LT6220/ LT6221/LT6222 feature reduced supply current, lower input offset voltage, lower input bias current and higher DC gain than other devices with comparable bandwidth. Typically, the LT6220/LT6221/LT6222 have an input offset voltage of less than 100 μ V, an input bias current of less than 15nA and an open-loop gain of 100V/mV. The parts have an input range that includes both supply rails and an output that swings within 10mV of either supply rail to maximize the signal dynamic range in low supply applications. The LT6220/LT6221/LT6222 maintain performance for supplies from 2.2V to 12.6V and are specified at 3V, 5V and \pm 5V supplies. The inputs can be driven beyond the supplies without damage or phase reversal of the output. The LT6220 is housed in the 8-pin SO package with the standard op amp pinout as well as the 5-pin SOT-23 package. The LT6221 is available in 8-pin SO and DFN $(3mm \times 3mm)$ low profile dual fine pitch leadless) packages with the standard op amp pinout. The LT6222 features the standard quad op amp configuration and is available in the 16-Pin SSOP package. The LT6220/ LT6221/ LT6222 can be used as plug-in replacements for many op amps to improve input/output range and performance.

Single/Dual/Quad 60MHz, 20V/µs, Low Power, Rail-to-Rail Input and Output Precision Op Amps

FEATURES DESCRIPTIO ^U

- **Gain Bandwidth Product: 60MHz**
- **Input Common Mode Range Includes Both Rails**
- **Output Swings Rail-to-Rail**
- Low Quiescent Current: 1mA Max
- **Input Offset Voltage: 350**µ**V Max**
- **Input Bias Current: 150nÅ Max**
- Wide Supply Range: 2.2V to 12.6V
- Large Output Current: 50mA Typ
- Low Voltage Noise: 10nV Hz Typ
- Slew Rate: 20V/µs Typ
- Common Mode Rejection: 102dB Typ
- Power Supply Rejection: 105dB Typ
- Open-Loop Gain: 100V/mV Typ
- Operating Temperature Range: -40° C to 85 $^{\circ}$ C
- Single in the 8-Pin SO and 5-Pin Low Profile (1mm) ThinSOT[™] Packages
- Dual in the 8-Pin SO and (3mm x 3mm) DFN **Packages**
- Quad in the 16-Pin SSOP Package

APPLICATIONS

- Low Voltage, High Frequency Signal Processing
- Driving A/D Converters
- Rail-to-Rail Buffer Amplifiers
- Active Filters
- Video Amplifiers
- Fast Current Sensing Amplifiers

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V_{OS} Distribution, $V_{CM} = 0V$ **(S8, PNP Stage)** 50

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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (Note 1)

PACKAGE/ORDER INFORMATION

ORDER PART NUMBER DD PART* MARKING TJMAX = 125°C, θJA = 160°C/W (NOTE 10) EXPOSED PAD INTERNALLY CONNECTED TO V_S (PCB CONNECTION OPTIONAL) LT6221CDD LT6221IDD TOP VIEW DD PACKAGE 8-LEAD (3mm × 3mm) PLASTIC DFN 5 6 7 8 4 3 2 OUT A 1 –IN A +IN A $V_S^ V_S^+$ OUT B –IN B +IN B A B TOP VIEW GN PACKAGE 16-LEAD NARROW PLASTIC SSOP \vert 1 7 $\sqrt{3}$ $\sqrt{4}$ 5 $\sqrt{6}$ 17 8 16 OUT D 15 $\overline{14}$ 13 V_S-12 +IN C 11 –IN C 10| OUT C 9 NC OUT A –IN A +IN A V_S^+ +IN B –IN B OUT B NC –IN D +IN D A Byn≮C D TJMAX = 150°C, θJA = 135°C/W $T_{JMAX} = 150^{\circ}C$, $\theta_{JA} = 190^{\circ}C/W$ ORDER PART NUMBER S8 PART MARKING ORDER PART NUMBER SSOP PART MARKING LT6221CS8 LT6221IS8 LADZ | LT6221CS8 | 6221 | LT6222CGN | 6222 LT6222IGN 6222I 6221 6221I ORDER PART NUMBER ORDER PART NUMBER S5 PART* MARKING S8 PART MARKING $T_{JIMAX} = 150^{\circ}C$, $\theta_{JA} = 190^{\circ}C/W$ T_{JMAX} = 150 $°C$, $θ_{JA}$ = 250 $°C/W$ (NOTE 10) NC | 1 2 –IN 3 +IN $V_S^ \boxed{4}$ 8 NC $\overline{7}$ V_S^+ 6 VOUT 5 NC TOP VIEW S8 PACKAGE 8-LEAD PLASTIC SO + – 5 VS LT6220CS5 \Box 5 V_S⁺ $4 - IN$ $V_{OUT} 1$ TOP VIEW S5 PACKAGE 5-LEAD PLASTIC TSOT-23 $V_S^- 2$ $+$ IN 3 $\overline{ }$ $+$ – LT6220CS8 LT6220IS8 6220 6220I LT6220IS5 LTAFP 1 OUT A 2 3 V_S- <u>| 4</u> 8 V_S+ 7 $\overline{6}$ 5 TOP VIEW –IN A +IN A OUT B –IN B +IN B S8 PACKAGE 8-LEAD PLASTIC SO A B

Consult LTC Marketing for parts specified with wider operating temperature ranges.

*The temperature grades are identified by a label on the shipping container.

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

 $T_A = 25^\circ \text{C}$, $V_S = 5V$, $0V$; $V_S = 3V$, $0V$; $V_{CM} = V_{OUT} =$ half supply, unless otherwise noted

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS The ● **denotes the specifications which apply over the 0**°**C** ≤ **TA** [≤] **70**°**^C**

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temperature range. V_S = ±5V, V_{CM} = 0V, V_{OUT} = 0V, unless otherwise noted.

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temperature range. $V_S = \pm 5V$, $V_{CM} = 0V$, $V_{OUT} = 0V$, unless otherwise noted. (Note 5)

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

Note 2: The inputs are protected by back-to-back diodes. If the differential input voltage exceeds 1.4V, the input current should be limited to less than 10mA.

Note 3: A heat sink may be required to keep the junction temperature below the absolute maximum rating when the output is shorted indefinitely.

Note 4: The LT6220C/LT6221C/LT6222C and LT6220I/LT6221I/LT6222I are guaranteed functional over the temperature range of –40°C and 85°C. **Note 5:** The LT6220C/LT6221C/LT6222C are guaranteed to meet specified performance from 0°C to 70°C. The LT6220C/LT6221C/LT6222C are designed, characterized and expected to meet specified performance from $-40\degree$ C to 85 \degree C but is not tested or QA sampled at these temperatures. The LT6220I/LT6221I/LT6222I are guaranteed to meet specified performance from –40°C to 85°C.

Note 6: Minimum supply voltage is guaranteed by power supply rejection ratio test.

Note 7: Output voltage swings are measured between the output and power supply rails.

Note 8: This parameter is not 100% tested.

Note 9: Matching parameters are the difference between amplifiers A and D and between B and C on the LT6222; between the two amplifiers on the LT6221.

Note 10: Thermal resistance (θ_{JA}) varies with the amount of PC board metal connected to the package. The specified values are for short traces connected to the leads. If desired, the thermal resistance can be substantially reduced by connecting Pin 2 of the LT6220CS5/LT6220IS5 or the underside metal of DD packages to a larger metal area (V $_{\rm S}^{-}$ trace).

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Circuit Description

The LT6220/LT6221/LT6222 have an input and output signal range that covers from the negative power supply to the positive power supply. Figure 1 depicts a simplified schematic of the amplifier. The input stage comprises two differential amplifiers, a PNP stage, Q1/Q2, and an NPN stage, Q3/Q4, that are active over different ranges of common mode input voltage. The PNP stage is active between the negative supply to approximately 1.2V below the positive supply. As the input voltage moves closer toward the positive supply, the transistor Q5 will steer the

tail current, I_1 , to the current mirror, $Q6/Q7$, activating the NPN differential pair and the PNP pair becomes inactive for the rest of the input common mode range up to the positive supply. Also, at the input stage, devices Q17 to Q19 act to cancel the bias current of the PNP input pair. When Q1/Q2 are active, the current in Q16 is controlled to be the same as the current Q1/Q2. Thus, the base current of Q16 is nominally equal to the base current of the input devices. The base current of Q16 is then mirrored by devices Q17-Q19 to cancel the base current of the input devices Q1/Q2.

Figure 1. LT6220/LT6221/LT6222 Simplified Schematic Diagram

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A pair of complementary common emitter stages Q14/Q15 that enable the output to swing from rail-to-rail construct the output stage. The capacitors C2 and C3 form the local feedback loops that lower the output impedance at high frequency. These devices are fabricated by Linear Technology's proprietary high speed complementary bipolar process.

Power Dissipation

The LT6222, with four amplifiers, is housed in a small 16-lead SSOP package and typically has a thermal resistance (θ_{JA}) of 135°C/W. It is necessary to ensure that the die's junction temperature does not exceed 150°C. The junction temperature, T_{J} , is calculated from the ambient temperature, T_A , power dissipation, P_D , and thermal resistance, θ_{IA} :

 $T_J = T_A + (P_D \bullet \theta_{JA})$

The power dissipation in the IC is the function of the supply voltage, output voltage and the load resistance. For a given supply voltage, the worst-case power dissipation $P_{D(MAX)}$ occurs when the maximum supply current and the output voltage is at half of either supply voltage for a given load resistance. $P_{D(MAX)}$ is given by:

$$
P_{D(MAX)} = \left(V_S \bullet I_{S(MAX)}\right) + \left(\frac{V_S}{2}\right)^2 / R_L
$$

Example: For an LT6222 in a 16-lead SSOP package operating on ±5V supplies and driving a 100Ω load, the worst-case power dissipation is given by:

$$
P_{D(MAX)}/Amp = (10 \cdot 1.8mA) + (2.5)^{2} / 100
$$

= 0.018 + 0.0625 = 80.5mW

If all four amplifiers are loaded simultaneously, then the total power dissipation is 322mW.

The maximum ambient temperature at which the part is allowed to operate is:

$$
T_A = T_J - (P_{D(MAX)} \cdot 135^{\circ} C/W)
$$

= 150[°]C - (0.322W \cdot 135[°]C/W) = 106.5[°]C

Input Offset Voltage

The offset voltage will change depending upon which input stage is active. The PNP input stage is active from the negative supply rail to 1.2V below the positive supply rail, then the NPN input stage is activated for the remaining input range up to the positive supply rail during which the PNP stage remains inactive. The offset voltage is typically less than 70µV in the range that the PNP input stage is active.

Input Bias Current

The LT6220/LT6221/LT6222 employ a patent pending technique to trim the input bias current to less than 150nA for the input common mode voltage of 0.2V above the negative supply rail to 1.2V below the positive rail. The low input offset voltage and low input bias current of the LT6220/LT6221/LT6222 provide precision performance especially for high source impedance applications.

Output

The LT6220/LT6221/LT6222 can deliver a large output current, so the short-circuit current limit is set around 50mA to prevent damage to the device. Attention must be paid to keep the junction temperature of the IC below the absolute maximum rating of 150°C (refer to the Power Dissipation section) when the output is in continuous short circuit. The output of the amplifier has reversebiased diodes connected to each supply. If the output is forced beyond either supply, unlimited current will flow through these diodes. If the current is transient and limited to several hundred milliamperes, no damage will occur to the device.

Overdrive Protection

When the input voltage exceeds the power supplies, two pair of crossing diodes, D1 to D4, will prevent the output from reversing polarity. If the input voltage exceeds either power supply by 700mV, diode D1/D2 or D3/D4 will turn on to keep the output at the proper polarity. For the phase reversal protection to perform properly, the input current must be limited to less than 5mA. If the amplifier is

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severely overdriven, an external resistor should be used to limit the overdriven current.

The LT6220/LT6221/LT6222's input stages are also protected against a large differential input voltage of 1.4V or higher by a pair of back-to-back diodes, D5/D8, to prevent the emitter-base breakdown of the input transistors. The current in these diodes should be limited to less than 10mA when they are active. The worse-case differential input voltage usually occurs when the input is driven while the output is shorted to ground in a unity-gain configuration. In addition, the amplifier is protected against ESD strikes up to 3kV on all pins by a pair of protection diodes on each pin that are connected to the power supplies as shown in Figure 1.

Capacitive Load

The LT6220/LT6221/LT6222 are optimized for high bandwidth, low power and precision applications. They can drive a capacitive load up to 100pF in a unity-gain configuration and more for higher gain. When driving a larger capacitive load, a resistor of 10 Ω to 50 Ω should be connected between the output and the capacitive load to avoid ringing or oscillation. The feedback should still be taken from the output so that the resistor will isolate the capacitive load to ensure stability. Graphs on capacitive loads show the transient response of the amplifier when driving capacitive load with specified series resistors.

Feedback Components

When feedback resistors are used to set up gain, care must be taken to ensure that the pole formed by the feedback resistors and the total capacitance at the inverting input does not degrade stability. For instance, the LT6220/ LT6221/LT6222, set up with a noninverting gain of 2, two 5k resistors and a capacitance of 5pF (part plus PC board), will probably oscillate. The pole is formed at 12.7MHz that will reduce phase margin by 52 degrees when the crossover frequency of the amplifier is around 10MHz. A capacitor of 10pF or higher connecting across the feedback resistor will eliminate any ringing or oscillation.

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

Stepped-Gain Photodiode Amplifier

The circuit of Figure 2 is a stepped gain transimpedance photodiode amplifier. At low signal levels, the circuit has a high 100k Ω gain, but at high signal levels the circuit automatically and smoothly changes to a low 3.2k Ω gain. The benefit of a stepped gain approach is that it maximizes dynamic range, which is very useful on limited supplies. Put another way, in order to get 100k Ω sensitivity and still handle a 1mA signal level without resorting to gain reduction, the circuit would need a 100V negative voltage supply.

The operation of the circuit is quite simple. At low photodiode currents (below 10µA) the output and inverting input of the op amp will be no more than 1V below ground. The LT1634 in parallel with R3 and Q2 keep a constant current though Q2 of about 20µA. R4 maintains quiescent current through the LT1634 and pulls Q2's emitter above

ground, so Q1 is reverse biased and no current flows through R2. So for small signals, the only feedback path is R1 (and C1) and the circuit is a simple transimpedance amplifier with $100k\Omega$ gain.

Figure 2. Stepped-Gain Photodiode Amplifier

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As the signal level increases though, the output of the op amp goes more negative. At 12.5µA of photodiode current, the 100kΩ gain dictates that the LT6220 output will be about 1.25V below ground. However, at that point the emitter of Q2 will be at ground, and the base of Q1 will be 1V below ground. Thus, Q1 turns on and photodiode current starts to flow through R2. The transimpedance gain is therefore now reduced to R1||R2, or about 3.1kΩ. The circuit response is shown in Figure 3. Note the smooth transition between the two operating gains, as well as the linearity.

Figure 3. Stepped-Gain Photodiode Amplifier Response

Single 3V Supply, 1MHz, 4th Order Butterworth Filter

The circuit shown in Figure 4 makes use of the low voltage operation and the wide bandwidth of the LT6221 to create a DC accurate 1MHz 4th order lowpass filter powered from a 3V supply. The amplifiers are configured in the inverting mode for the lowest distortion and the output can swing rail-to-rail for maximum dynamic range. Figure 5 displays the frequency response of the filter. Stopband attenuation is greater than 100dB at 50MHz.

Figure 5. Frequency Response of Filter

Differential-In/Differential-Out Amplifier

The circuit of Figure 6 shows the LT6222 applied as a buffered differential-in differential-out amplifier with a gain of 2. Op amps A and B are configured as simple unitygain buffers, offering high input impedance to upstream circuitry. Resistors R1 and R2 perform an averaging function on the common mode input voltage and R3 attenuates it by a factor of 2/3 and references it to the voltage source V_{OCM} . The resultant voltage, $V_{\text{MID}} = 2/3$ • VICM, is placed at the noninverting inputs of op amps C and D. The other four resistors set gains of +3 from the noninverting input and –2 through the inverting path. Thus the output voltage of the upper path is:

$$
-OUT = 3 \cdot (2/3 \cdot V_{ICM} + 1/3 \cdot V_{OCM}) - 2
$$

\n• (V_{ICM} + V_{DIFF}/2)
\n= 2V_{ICM} + V_{OCM} - 2V_{ICM} - V_{DIFF}
\n= V_{OCM} - V_{DIFF}

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and the output of the lower path is:

+OUT =
$$
3 \cdot (2/3 \cdot V_{ICM} + 1/3 \cdot V_{OCM}) - 2
$$

\n• $(V_{ICM} - V_{DIF}/2)$
\n= $2V_{ICM} + V_{OCM} - 2V_{ICM} + V_{DIFF}$
\n= $V_{OCM} + V_{DIFF}$

Note that the input common mode voltage does not appear in the output as either a common mode or a difference mode term. However the voltage $V_{\Omega CM}$ does appear in the output terms, and with the same polarity, so it sets up the output DC level. Also, the differential input voltage V_{DIFF} appears fully at both outputs with opposite polarity, giving rise to the effective differential gain of 2. Calculations show that using 1% resistors gives worst-case input common mode feedthrough better than –31dB, whether looking at the output common mode or difference mode. Considering the 6dB of gain, worst-case common mode rejection ratio is 37dB. (Remember this is assuming 1% resistors. Of course, this can be improved with more precise resistors.) Results achieved on the bench with typical 1% resistors showed 67dB of CMRR at low frequency and 40dB CMRR at 1MHz. Gains other than 2 can be achieved by setting R3 = α (R1||R2), R5 = α R4 and R7 = α R6 where gain = α .

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DD Package 8-Lead Plastic DFN (3mm × **3mm)** (Reference LTC DWG # 05-08-1698)

6. SHADED AREA IS ONLY A REFERENCE FOR PIN 1 LOCATION

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

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

1. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: INCHES

- 2. DIMENSIONS ARE IN ₍MILLIMETERS)
- 3. DRAWING NOT TO SCALE
- *DIMENSION DOES NOT INCLUDE MOLD FLASH. MOLD FLASH SHALL NOT EXCEED 0.006" (0.152mm) PER SIDE
- **DIMENSION DOES NOT INCLUDE INTERLEAD FLASH. INTERLEAD FLASH SHALL NOT EXCEED 0.010" (0.254mm) PER SIDE

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