

## LM725 Operational Amplifier

### General Description

The LM725/LM725A/LM725C are operational amplifiers featuring superior performance in applications where low noise, low drift, and accurate closed-loop gain are required. With high common mode rejection and offset null capability, it is especially suited for low level instrumentation applications over a wide supply voltage range.

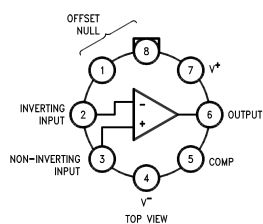
The LM725A has tightened electrical performance with higher input accuracy and like the LM725, is guaranteed over a  $-55^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+125^{\circ}\text{C}$  temperature range. The LM725C has slightly relaxed specifications and has its performance guaranteed over a  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $70^{\circ}\text{C}$  temperature range.

### Features

- High open loop gain 3,000,000
- Low input voltage drift  $0.6 \mu\text{V}/^{\circ}\text{C}$
- High common mode rejection 120 dB
- Low input noise current  $0.15 \text{ pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
- Low input offset current 2 nA
- High input voltage range  $\pm 14\text{V}$
- Wide power supply range  $\pm 3\text{V}$  to  $\pm 22\text{V}$
- Offset null capability
- Output short circuit protection

### Connection Diagrams

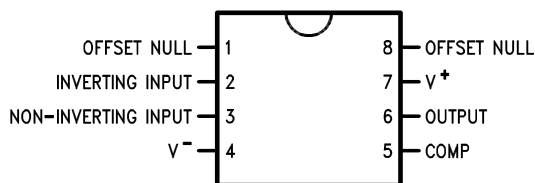
#### Metal Can Package



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See NS Package Number H08C

#### Dual-In-Line Package

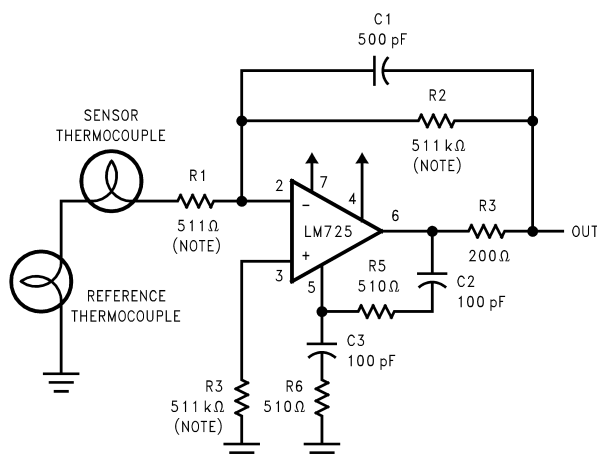


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### Typical Applications

#### Thermocouple Amplifier



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**Absolute Maximum Ratings** (Note 1)

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Supply Voltage	±22V
Internal Power Dissipation (Note 2)	500 mW
Differential Input Voltage	±5V
Input Voltage (Note 3)	±22V
Storage Temperature Range	–65°C to +150°C

Lead Temperature

(Soldering, 10 Sec.)

260°C

Maximum Junction Temperature

150°C

Operating Temperature Range

 $T_{A(MIN)}$  $T_{A(MAX)}$ 

LM725

–55°C to +125°C

LM725A

–55°C to +125°C

LM725C

0°C to +70°C

**Electrical Characteristics** (Note 4)

Parameter	Conditions	LM725A			LM725			LM725C			Units
		Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
Input Offset Voltage (Without External Trim)	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , $R_S \leq 10\text{ k}\Omega$			0.5		0.5	1.0		0.5	2.5	mV
Input Offset Current	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		2.0	5.0		2.0	20		2.0	35	nA
Input Bias Current	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		42	80		42	100		42	125	nA
Input Noise Voltage	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$										
	$f_o = 10\text{ Hz}$		15			15			15		$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
	$f_o = 100\text{ Hz}$		9.0			9.0			9.0		$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
	$f_o = 1\text{ kHz}$		8.0			8.0			8.0		$\text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
Input Noise Current	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$										
	$f_o = 10\text{ Hz}$		1.0			1.0			1.0		$\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
	$f_o = 100\text{ Hz}$		0.3			0.3			0.3		$\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
	$f_o = 1\text{ kHz}$		0.15			0.15			0.15		$\text{pA}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
Input Resistance	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		1.5			1.5			1.5		M $\Omega$
Input Voltage Range	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$	±13.5	±14		±13.5	±14		±13.5	±14		V
Large Signal Voltage Gain	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , $R_L \geq 2\text{ k}\Omega$ , $V_{OUT} = \pm 10\text{V}$	1000	3000		1000	3000		250	3000		V/mV
Common-Mode Rejection Ratio	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , $R_S \leq 10\text{ k}\Omega$	120			110	120		94	120		dB
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , $R_S \leq 10\text{ k}\Omega$		2.0	5.0		2.0	10		2.0	35	$\mu\text{V}/\text{V}$
Output Voltage Swing	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , $R_L \geq 10\text{ k}\Omega$	±12.5	±13.5		±12	±13.5		±12	±13.5		V
	$R_L \geq 2\text{ k}\Omega$	±12.0	±13.5		±10	±13.5		±10	±13.5		V
Power Consumption	$T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$		80	105		80	105		80	150	mW
Input Offset Voltage (Without External Trim)	$R_S \leq 10\text{ k}\Omega$			0.7			1.5			3.5	mV
Average Input Offset Voltage Drift (Without External Trim)	$R_S = 50\Omega$			2.0		2.0	5.0		2.0		$\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
Average Input Offset Voltage Drift (With External Trim)	$R_S = 50\Omega$		0.6	1.0		0.6			0.6		$\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
Input Offset Current	$T_A = T_{MAX}$		1.2	4.0		1.2	20		1.2	35	nA
	$T_A = T_{MIN}$		7.5	18.0		7.5	40		4.0	50	nA
Average Input Offset Current Drift			35	90		35	150		10		$\text{pA}/^\circ\text{C}$
Input Bias Current	$T_A = T_{MAX}$		20	70		20	100			125	nA
	$T_A = T_{MIN}$		80	180		80	200			250	nA

## Electrical Characteristics (Note 4) (Continued)

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		Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
Large Signal Voltage Gain	$R_L \geq 2 \text{ k}\Omega$ $T_A = T_{MAX}$ $R_L \geq 2 \text{ k}\Omega$	1,000,000			1,000,000			125,000			V/V
	$T_A = T_{MIN}$	500,000			250,000			125,000			V/V
Common-Mode Rejection Ratio	$R_S \leq 10 \text{ k}\Omega$	110			100			115			dB
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	$R_S \leq 10 \text{ k}\Omega$			8.0			20			20	$\mu\text{V/V}$
Output Voltage Swing	$R_L \geq 2 \text{ k}\Omega$	$\pm 12$			$\pm 10$			$\pm 10$			V

**Note 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.

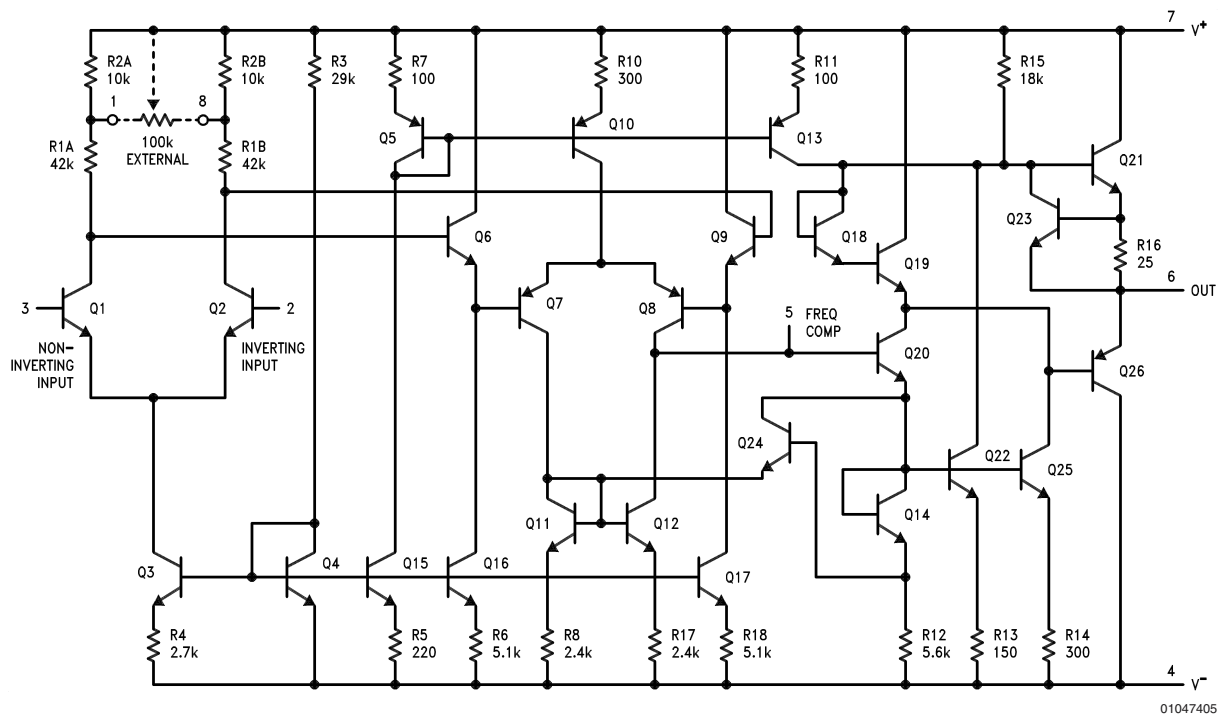
**Note 2:** Derate at  $150^\circ\text{C/W}$  for operation at ambient temperatures above  $75^\circ\text{C}$ .

**Note 3:** For supply voltages less than  $\pm 22\text{V}$ , the absolute maximum input voltage is equal to the supply voltage.

**Note 4:** These specifications apply for  $V_S = \pm 15\text{V}$  unless otherwise specified.

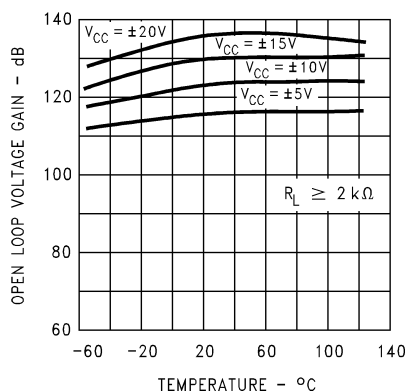
**Note 5:** For Military electrical specifications RETS725AX are available for LM725AH and RETS725X are available for LM725H.

## Schematic Diagram



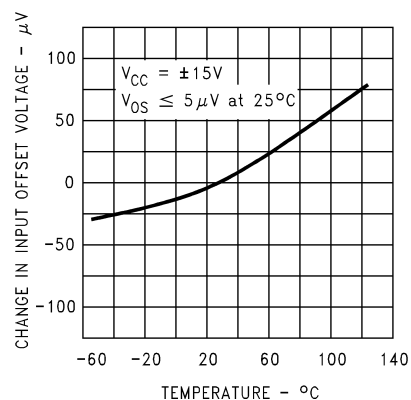
## Typical Performance Characteristics

**Voltage Gain vs Temperature  
for Supply Voltages**



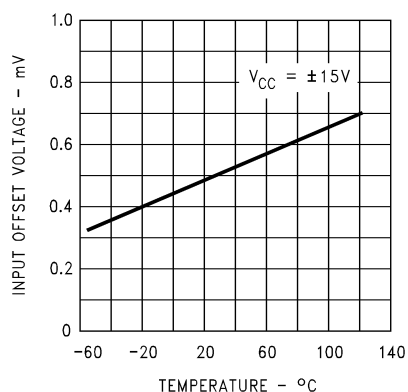
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**Change in Trimmed Input  
Offset Voltage vs Temperature**



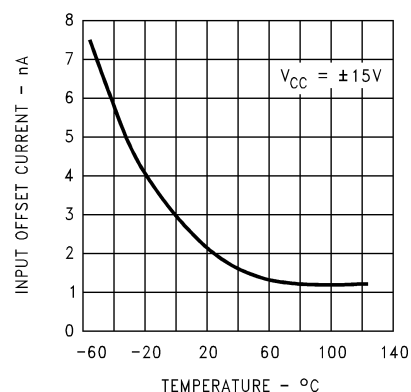
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**Untrimmed Input Offset  
Voltage vs Temperature**



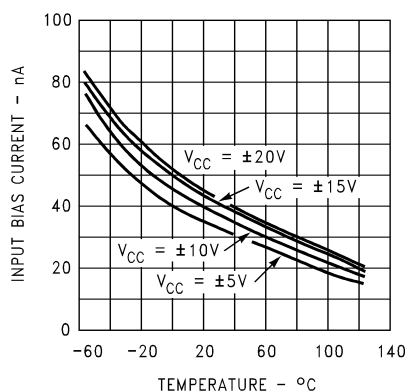
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**Input Offset Current  
vs Temperature**



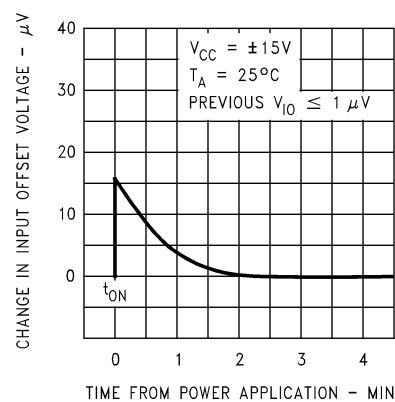
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**Input Bias Current  
vs Temperature**



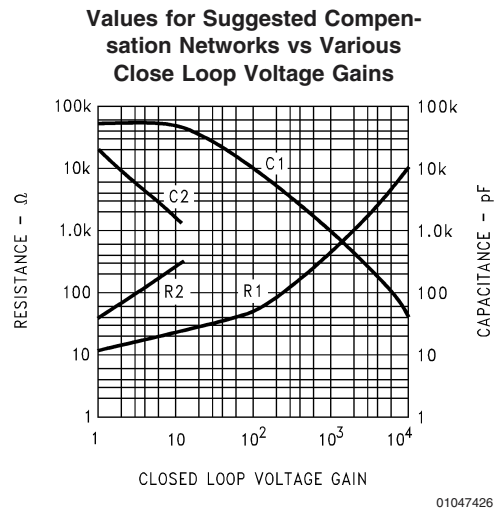
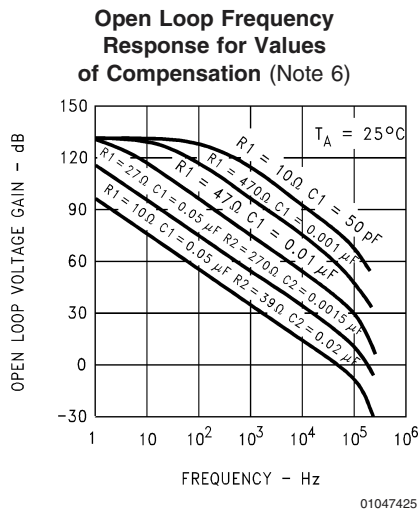
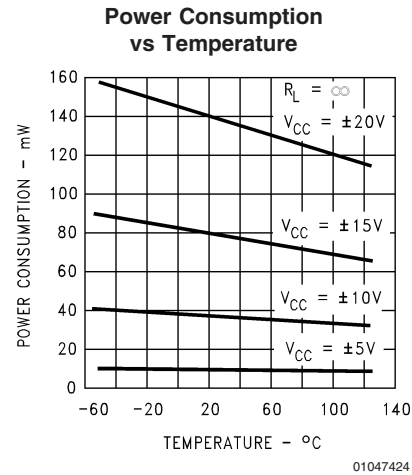
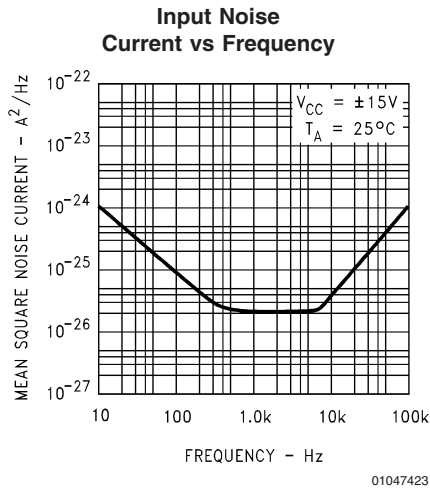
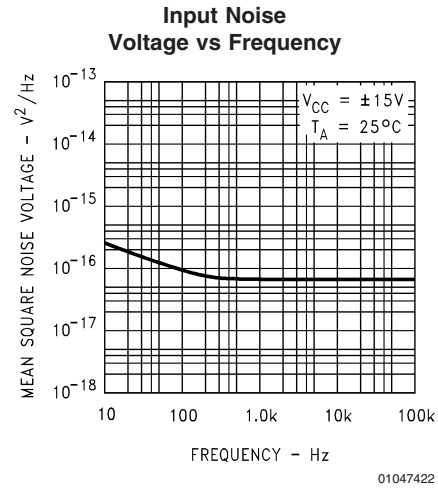
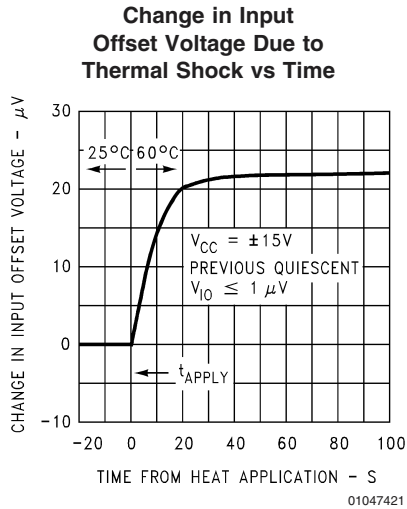
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**Stabilization Time of  
Input Offset Voltage  
from Power Turn-On**



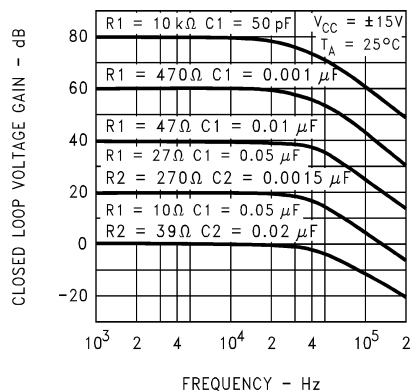
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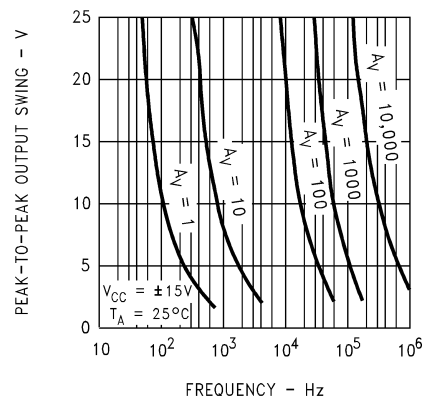
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**Frequency Response for Various Close Loop Gain (Note 6)**



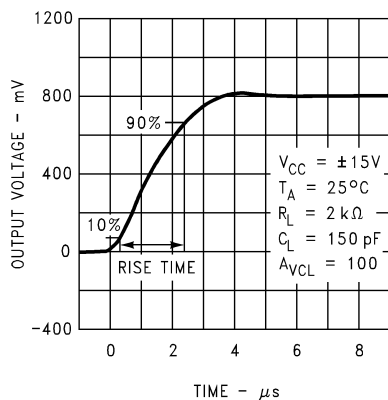
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**Output Voltage Swing vs Frequency (Note 6)**



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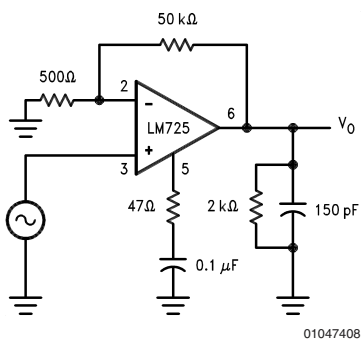
**Transient Response**



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**Note 6:** Performance is shown using recommended compensation networks.

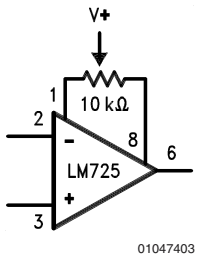
**Transient Response Test Circuit**



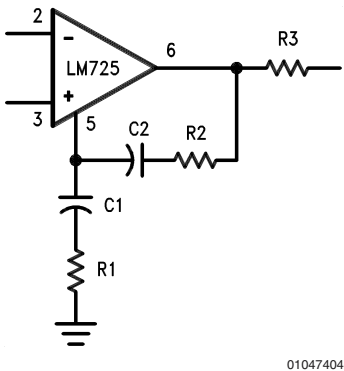
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Auxiliary Circuits

Voltage Offset  
Null Circuit



Frequency Compensation  
Circuit

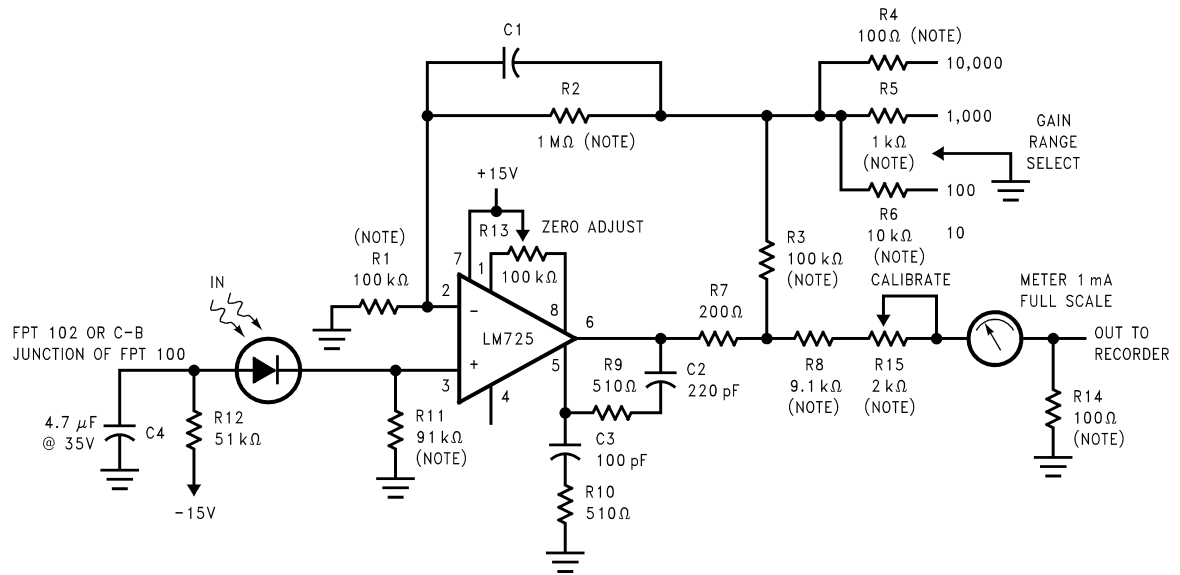


Compensation Component Values

$A_v$	$R_1$ ( $\Omega$ )	$C_1$ ( $\mu F$ )	$R_2$ ( $\Omega$ )	$C_2$ ( $\mu F$ )
10,000	10k	50 pF		
1,000	470	0.001		
100	47	0.01		
10	27	0.05	270	0.0015
1	10	0.05	39	0.02

## Typical Applications

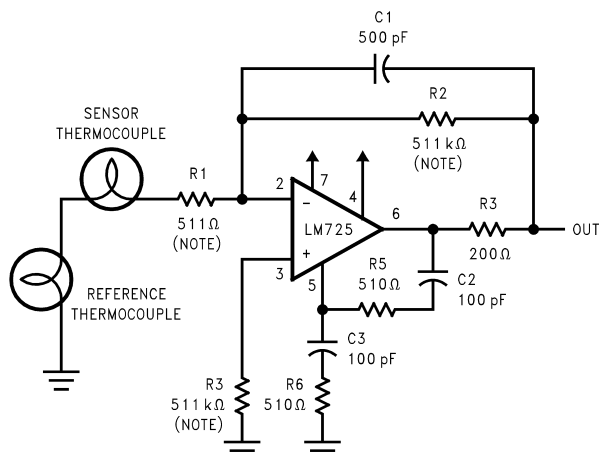
### Photodiode Amplifier



DC Gains = 10,000; 1,000; 100; and 10  
Bandwidth = Determined by value of C1

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### Thermocouple Amplifier



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$$\frac{R_2}{R_5} = \frac{R_6}{R_7} \text{ for best CMR}$$

$$R_1 = R_4$$

$$R_2 = R_5$$

$$\text{Gain} = \frac{R_6}{R_2} + \left( \frac{2R_1}{R_3} \right)$$

$$\text{DC Gain} = 1000$$

$$\text{Bandwidth} = \text{DC to } 540 \text{ Hz}$$

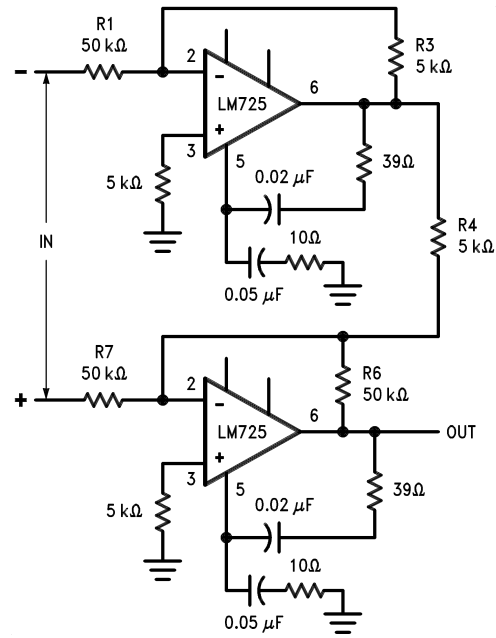
$$\text{Equivalent Input Noise} = 0.24 \mu\text{V}_{\text{rms}}$$

**Note:** Indicates  $\pm 1\%$  metal film resistors recommended for temperature stability.



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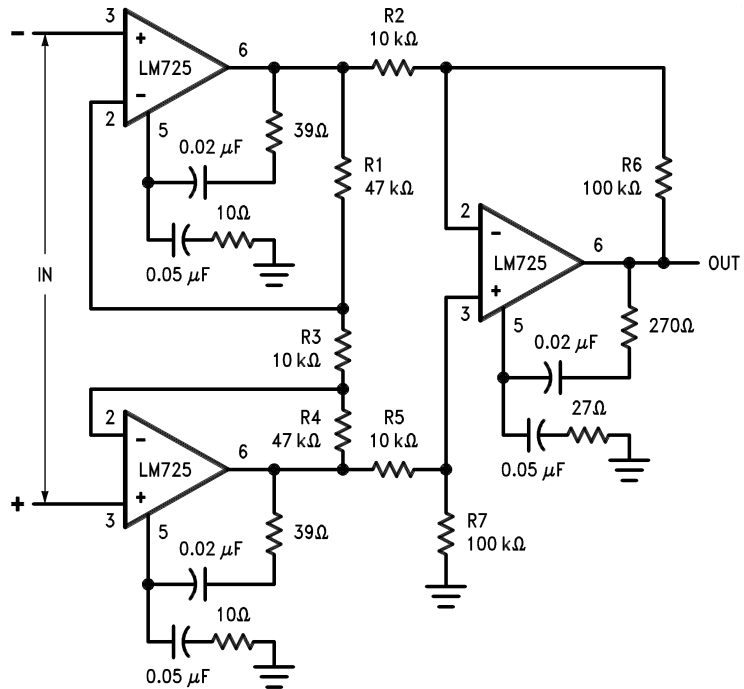
**$\pm 100\text{V}$  Common Mode Range Differential Amplifier**



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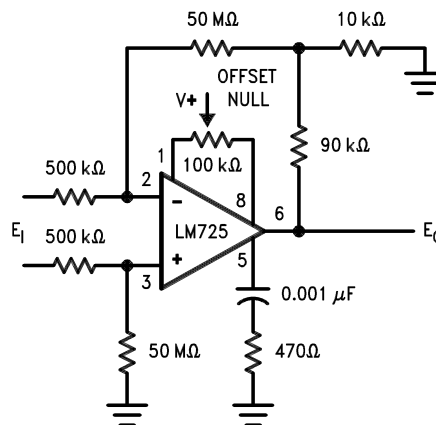
### Instrumentation Amplifier with High Common Mode Rejection



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$$\begin{aligned} \frac{R1}{R6} &= \frac{R3}{R4} \text{ for best CMRR} \\ R3 &= R4 \\ R1 = R6 &= 10 R3 \\ \text{Gain} &= \frac{R6}{R7} \end{aligned}$$

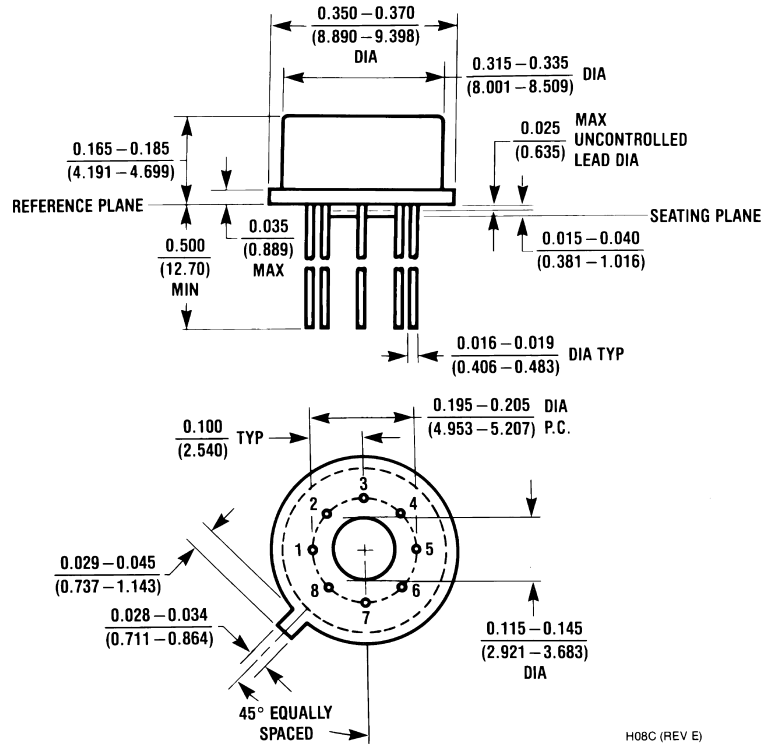
### Precision Amplifier $A_{VCL} = 1000$



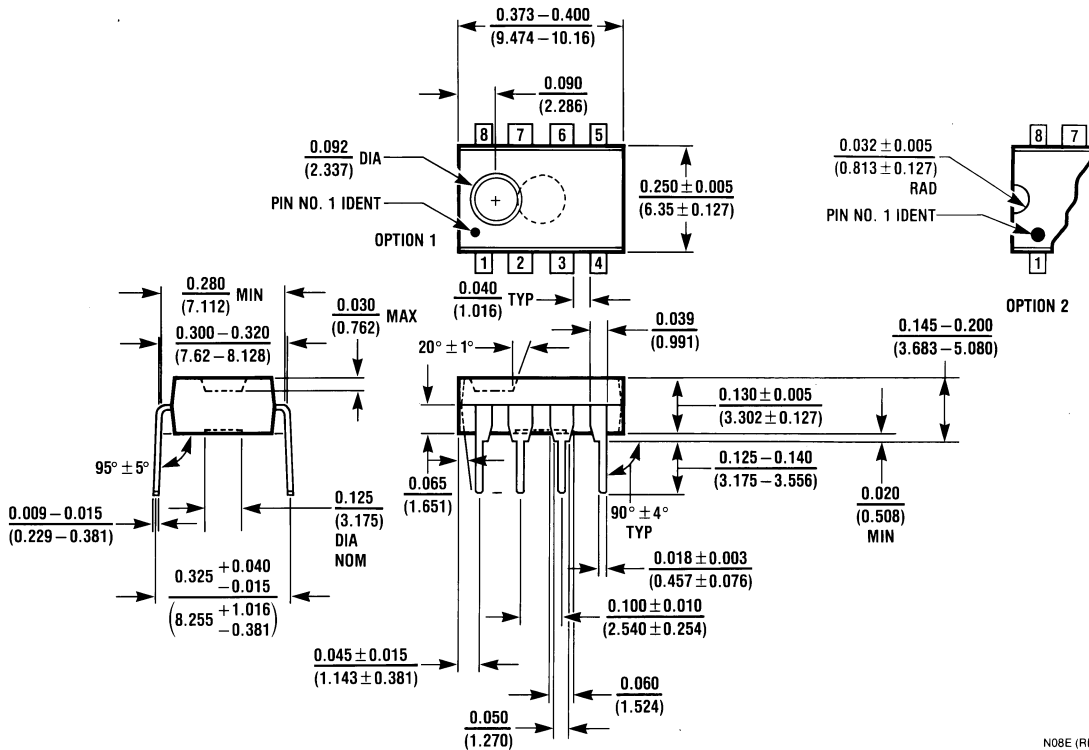
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# Physical Dimensions inches (millimeters)

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