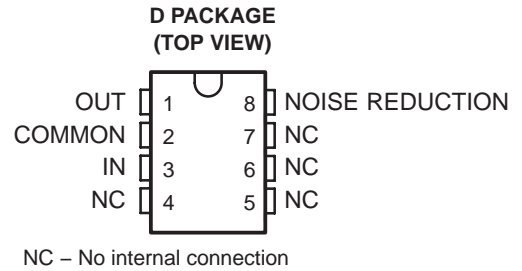




**THE DATASHEET OF  
TLE2426QDRQ1**



- Qualified for Automotive Applications
- 1/2  $V_I$  Virtual Ground for Analog Systems
- Micropower Operation . . . 170  $\mu\text{A}$  Typ,  $V_I = 5\text{ V}$
- Wide  $V_I$  Range . . . 4 V to 40 V
- High Output-Current Capability
  - Source . . . 20 mA Typ
  - Sink . . . 20 mA Typ
- Excellent Output Regulation
  - $-102\ \mu\text{V}$  Typ at  $I_O = 0$  to  $-10\ \text{mA}$
  - $+49\ \mu\text{V}$  Typ at  $I_O = 0$  to  $+10\ \text{mA}$
- Low-Impedance Output . . .  $0.0075\ \Omega$  Typ
- Noise Reduction Pin



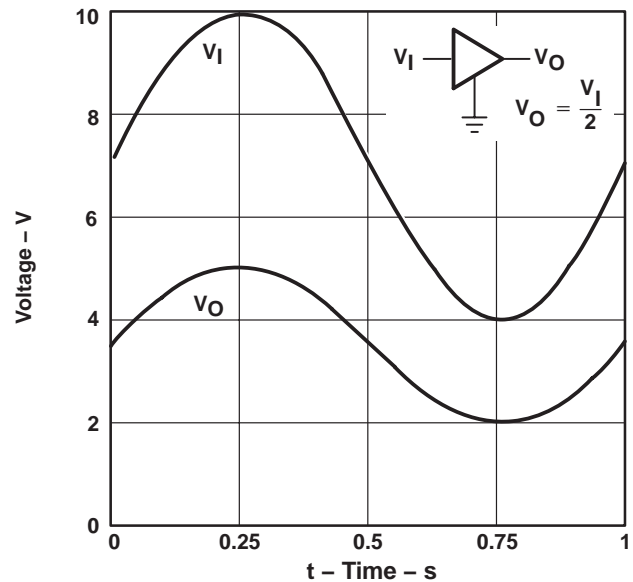
### description

In signal-conditioning applications utilizing a single power source, a reference voltage equal to one-half the supply voltage is required for termination of all analog signal grounds. Texas Instruments presents a precision virtual ground whose output voltage is always equal to one-half the input voltage, the TLE2426 *rail splitter*.

The unique combination of a high-performance, micropower operational amplifier and a precision-trimmed divider on a single silicon chip results in a precise  $V_O/V_I$  ratio of 0.5 while sinking and sourcing current. The TLE2426 provides a low-impedance output with 20 mA of sink and source capability while drawing less than 280  $\mu\text{A}$  of supply current over the full input range of 4 V to 40 V. A designer need not pay the price in terms of board space for a conventional signal ground consisting of resistors, capacitors, operational amplifiers, and voltage references. For increased performance, the 8-pin package provides a noise-reduction pin. With the addition of an external capacitor ( $C_{NR}$ ), peak-to-peak noise is reduced while line ripple rejection is improved.

Initial output tolerance for a single 5-V or 12-V system is better than 1% over the full 40-V input range. Ripple rejection exceeds 12 bits of accuracy. Whether the application is for a data acquisition front end, analog signal termination, or simply a precision voltage reference, the TLE2426 eliminates a major source of system error.

### INPUT/OUTPUT TRANSFER CHARACTERISTICS



### ORDERING INFORMATION†

| $T_A$                                      | PACKAGE‡ |               | ORDERABLE PART NUMBER | TOP-SIDE MARKING |
|--|----------|---------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| $-40^\circ\text{C}$ to $125^\circ\text{C}$ | SOIC (D) | Tape and Reel | TLE2426QDRQ1          | 2426Q1           |

† For the most current package and ordering information, see the Package Option Addendum at the end of this document, or see the TI web site at <http://www.ti.com>.

‡ Package drawings, thermal data, and symbolization are available at <http://www.ti.com/packaging>.



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**TLE2426-Q1**  
**THE “RAIL SPLITTER”**  
**PRECISION VIRTUAL GROUND**

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**absolute maximum ratings over operating free-air temperature (unless otherwise noted)†**

|   |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| Continuous input voltage, $V_I$ .....   | 40 V                         |
| Continuous filter trap voltage .....  | 40 V                         |
| Output current, $I_O$ .....   | $\pm 80$ mA                  |
| Duration of short-circuit current at (or below) 25°C (see Note 1) .....       | unlimited                    |
| Continuous total power dissipation .....                                      | See Dissipation Rating Table |
| Operating free-air temperature range, $T_A$ : Q suffix .....                  | -40°C to 125°C               |
| Storage temperature range, $T_{stg}$ .....                                    | -65°C to 150°C               |
| Lead temperature 1,6 mm (1/16 inch) from case for 10 seconds: D package ..... | 260°C                        |

† Stresses beyond those listed under “absolute maximum ratings” may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under “recommended operating conditions” is not implied. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

NOTE 1: The output may be shorted to either supply. Temperature and/or supply voltages must be limited to ensure that the maximum dissipation rating is not exceeded.

**DISSIPATION RATING TABLE**

| PACKAGE | $T_A \leq 25^\circ\text{C}$<br>POWER RATING | DERATING FACTOR<br>ABOVE $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ | $T_A = 70^\circ\text{C}$<br>POWER RATING | $T_A = 85^\circ\text{C}$<br>POWER RATING | $T_A = 125^\circ\text{C}$<br>POWER RATING |
|---------|---|---|--|--|---|
| D       | 1102 mW                                     | 10.3 mW/°C  | 638.5 mW                                 | 484 mW                                   | 72.1 mW                                   |

**recommended operating conditions**

|                                       | MIN | MAX | UNIT |
|---------------------------------------|-----|-----|------|
| Input voltage, $V_I$                  | 4   | 40  | V    |
| Operating free-air temperature, $T_A$ | -40 | 125 | °C   |



**electrical characteristics at specified free-air temperature,  $V_I = 5\text{ V}$ ,  $I_O = 0$  (unless otherwise noted)**

| PARAMETER                                     | TEST CONDITIONS   |                                 | $T_A^\dagger$ | MIN    | TYP  | MAX   | UNIT   |
|---|---|---------------------------------|---------------|--------|------|-------|--------|
| Output voltage                                | $V_I = 4\text{ V}$                                      |                                 | 25°C          | 1.98   | 2    | 2.02  | V      |
|   | $V_I = 5\text{ V}$                                      |                                 |               | 2.48   | 2.5  | 2.52  |        |
|   | $V_I = 40\text{ V}$                                     |                                 |               | 19.8   | 20   | 20.2  |        |
|   | $V_I = 5\text{ V}$                                      |                                 | Full range    | 2.465  |      | 2.535 |        |
| Temperature coefficient of output voltage     |   |                                 | Full range    | 25     |      |       | ppm/°C |
| Supply current                                | No load   | $V_I = 5\text{ V}$              | 25°C          | 170    | 300  |       | μA     |
|   |   | $V_I = 4\text{ to }40\text{ V}$ | Full range    | 400    |      |       |        |
| Output voltage regulation (sourcing current)‡ | $I_O = 0\text{ to }-10\text{ mA}$                       |                                 | 25°C          | -0.102 | ±0.7 |       | mV     |
|   |   |                                 | Full range    | ±10    |      |       |        |
| Output voltage regulation (sinking current)‡  | $I_O = 0\text{ to }-20\text{ mA}$                       |                                 | 25°C          | -0.121 | ±1.4 |       | mV     |
|   |   |                                 | Full range    | ±10    |      |       |        |
| Output voltage regulation (sinking current)‡  | $I_O = 0\text{ to }10\text{ mA}$                        |                                 | 25°C          | 0.049  | ±0.5 |       | mV     |
|   | $I_O = 0\text{ to }8\text{ mA}$                         |                                 | Full range    | ±10    |      |       |        |
|   | $I_O = 0\text{ to }20\text{ mA}$                        |                                 | 25°C          | 0.175  | ±1.4 |       |        |
| Output impedance‡                             |   |                                 | 25°C          | 7.5    | 22.5 |       | mΩ     |
| Noise-reduction impedance                     |   |                                 | 25°C          | 110    |      |       | kΩ     |
| Short-circuit current                         | Sinking current,  | $V_O = 5\text{ V}$              | 25°C          | 26     |      |       | mA     |
|   | Sourcing current,                                       | $V_O = 0$                       |               | -47    |      |       |        |
| Output noise voltage, rms                     | $f = 10\text{ Hz to }10\text{ kHz}$                     | $C_{NR} = 0$                    | 25°C          | 120    |      |       | μV     |
|   |   | $C_{NR} = 1\text{ μF}$          |               | 30     |      |       |        |
| Output voltage current step response          | $V_O\text{ to }0.1\%$ , $I_O = \pm 10\text{ mA}$        | $C_L = 0$                       | 25°C          | 290    |      |       | μs     |
|   |   | $C_L = 100\text{ pF}$           |               | 275    |      |       |        |
|   | $V_O\text{ to }0.01\%$ , $I_O = \pm 10\text{ mA}$       | $C_L = 0$                       | 25°C          | 400    |      |       |        |
|   |   | $C_L = 100\text{ pF}$           |               | 390    |      |       |        |
| Step response                                 | $V_I = 0\text{ to }5\text{ V}$ , $V_O\text{ to }0.1\%$  |                                 | 25°C          | 20     |      |       | μs     |
|   | $V_I = 0\text{ to }5\text{ V}$ , $V_O\text{ to }0.01\%$ |                                 |               | 120    |      |       |        |

† Full range is -40°C to 125°C.

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**electrical characteristics at specified free-air temperature,  $V_I = 12\text{ V}$ ,  $I_O = 0$  (unless otherwise noted)**

| PARAMETER                                     | TEST CONDITIONS  |                                 | $T_A$ †    | MIN   | TYP   | MAX   | UNIT   |
|---|--|---------------------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| Output voltage                                | $V_I = 4\text{ V}$                                       |                                 | 25°C       | 1.98  | 2     | 2.02  | V      |
|   | $V_I = 12\text{ V}$                                      |                                 |            | 5.95  | 6     | 6.05  |        |
|   | $V_I = 40\text{ V}$                                      |                                 |            | 19.8  | 20    | 20.2  |        |
|   | $V_I = 12\text{ V}$                                      |                                 | Full range | 5.925 |       | 6.075 |        |
| Temperature coefficient of output voltage     |  |                                 | Full range |       | 35    |       | ppm/°C |
| Supply current                                | No load  | $V_I = 12\text{ V}$             | 25°C       |       | 195   | 300   | µA     |
|   |  | $V_I = 4\text{ to }40\text{ V}$ | Full range |       |       | 400   |        |
| Output voltage regulation (sourcing current)‡ | $I_O = 0\text{ to }-10\text{ mA}$                        |                                 | 25°C       |       | -1.48 | ±10   | mV     |
|   |  |                                 | Full range |       |       | ±10   |        |
| Output voltage regulation (sinking current)‡  | $I_O = 0\text{ to }-20\text{ mA}$                        |                                 | 25°C       |       | -3.9  | ±10   | mV     |
|   |  |                                 | Full range |       |       | ±10   |        |
| Output voltage regulation (sinking current)‡  | $I_O = 0\text{ to }10\text{ mA}$                         |                                 | 25°C       |       | 2.27  | ±10   | mV     |
|   | $I_O = 0\text{ to }8\text{ mA}$                          |                                 | Full range |       |       | ±10   |        |
|   | $I_O = 0\text{ to }20\text{ mA}$                         |                                 | 25°C       |       | 4.3   | ±10   |        |
| Output impedance‡                             |  |                                 | 25°C       |       | 7.5   | 22.5  | mΩ     |
| Noise-reduction impedance                     |  |                                 | 25°C       |       | 110   |       | kΩ     |
| Short-circuit current                         | Sinking current,   | $V_O = 12\text{ V}$             | 25°C       |       | 31    |       | mA     |
|   | Sourcing current,  | $V_O = 0$                       |            |       | -70   |       |        |
| Output noise voltage, rms                     | $f = 10\text{ Hz to }10\text{ kHz}$                      | $C_{NR} = 0$                    | 25°C       |       | 120   |       | µV     |
|   |  | $C_{NR} = 1\text{ µF}$          |            |       | 30    |       |        |
| Output voltage current step response          | $V_O\text{ to }0.1\%$ , $I_O = \pm 10\text{ mA}$         | $C_L = 0$                       | 25°C       |       | 290   |       | µs     |
|   |  | $C_L = 100\text{ pF}$           |            |       | 275   |       |        |
|   | $V_O\text{ to }0.01\%$ , $I_O = \pm 10\text{ mA}$        | $C_L = 0$                       | 25°C       |       | 400   |       |        |
|   |  | $C_L = 100\text{ pF}$           |            |       | 390   |       |        |
| Step response                                 | $V_I = 0\text{ to }12\text{ V}$ , $V_O\text{ to }0.1\%$  |                                 | 25°C       |       | 12    |       | µs     |
|   | $V_I = 0\text{ to }12\text{ V}$ , $V_O\text{ to }0.01\%$ |                                 |            |       | 120   |       |        |

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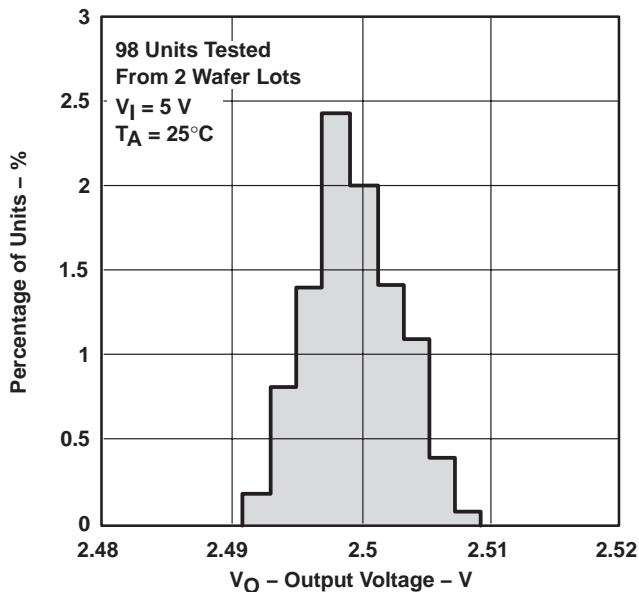
## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS

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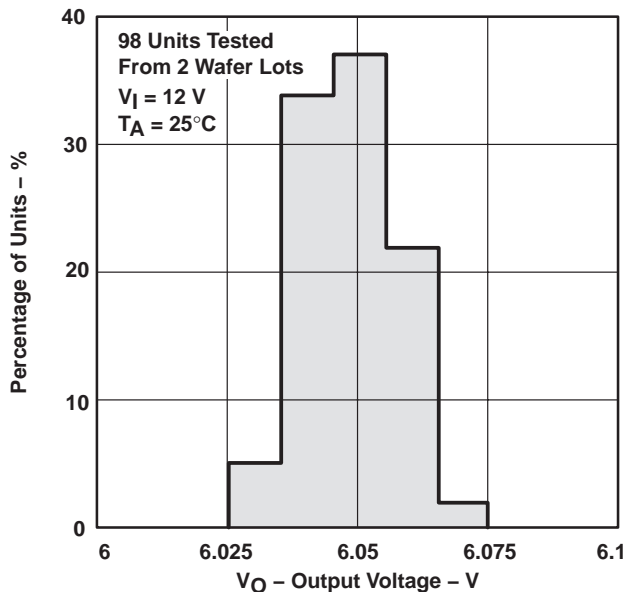
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**DISTRIBUTION OF OUTPUT VOLTAGE**



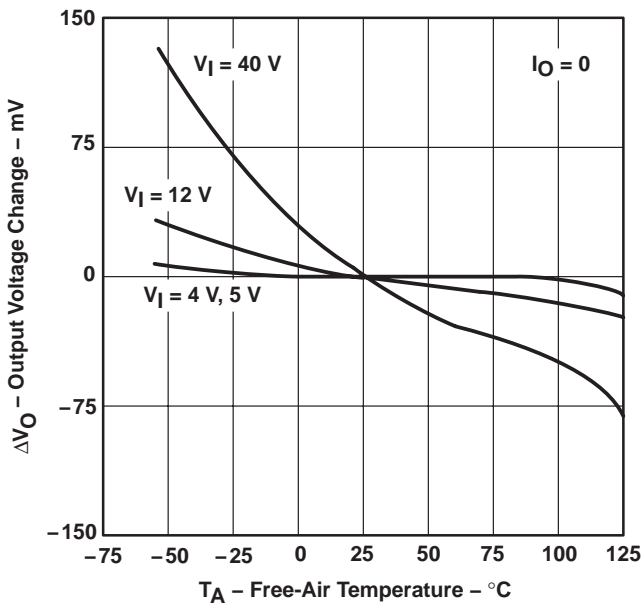
**Figure 1**

**DISTRIBUTION OF OUTPUT VOLTAGE**



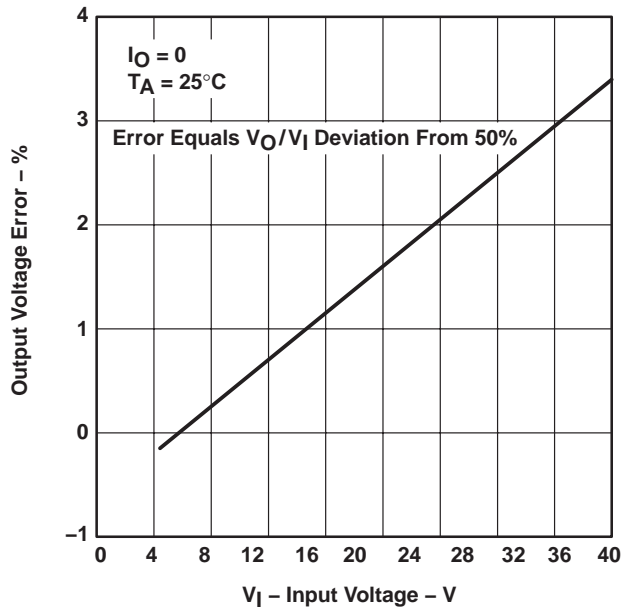
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**OUTPUT VOLTAGE CHANGE vs FREE-AIR TEMPERATURE**



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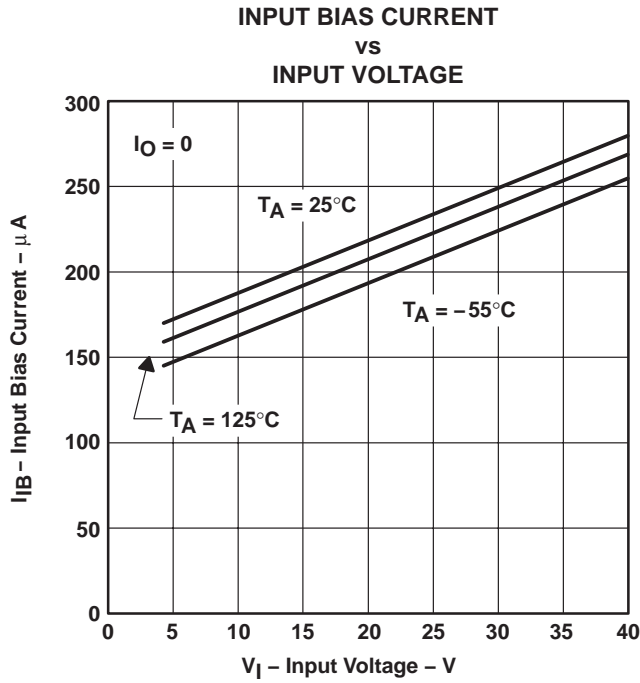
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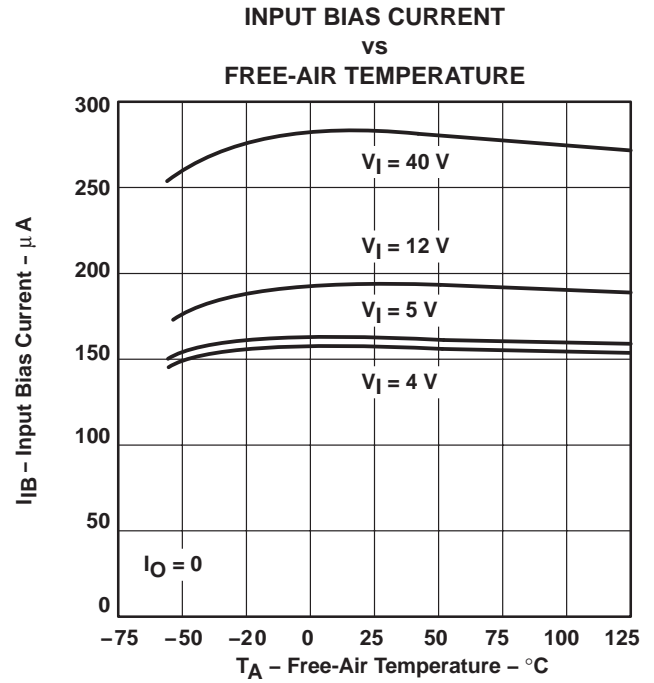
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† Data at high and low temperatures are applicable within the rated operating free-air temperature ranges of the various devices.

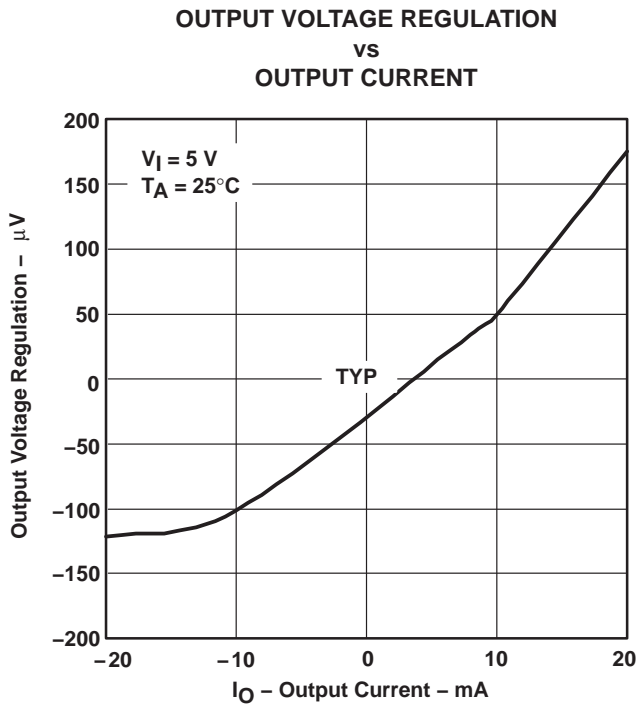
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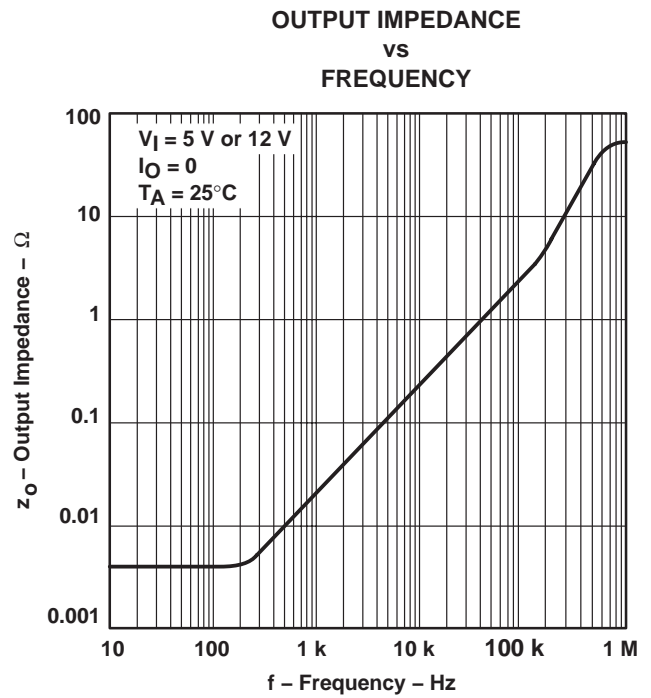
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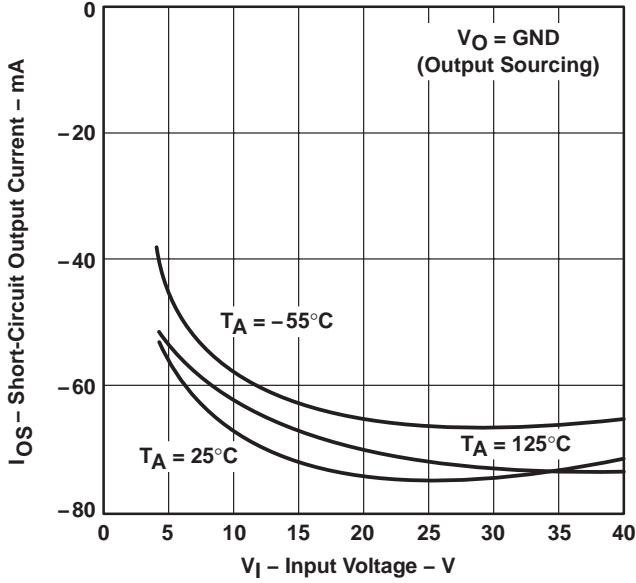


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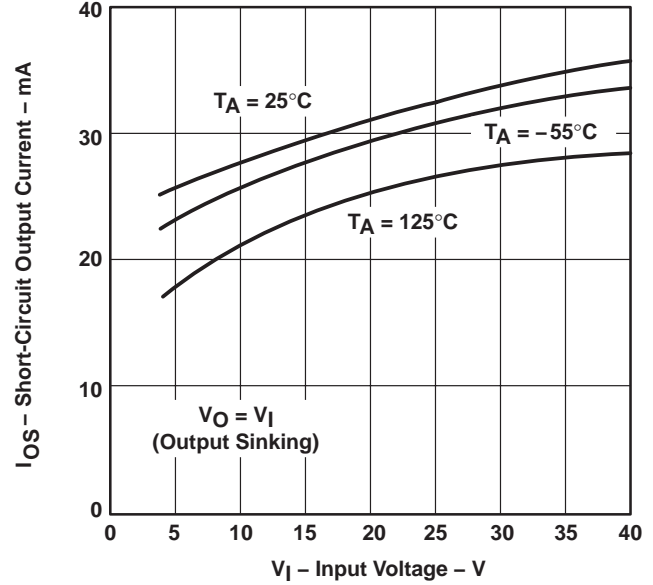
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**SHORT-CIRCUIT OUTPUT CURRENT  
 VS  
 INPUT VOLTAGE**



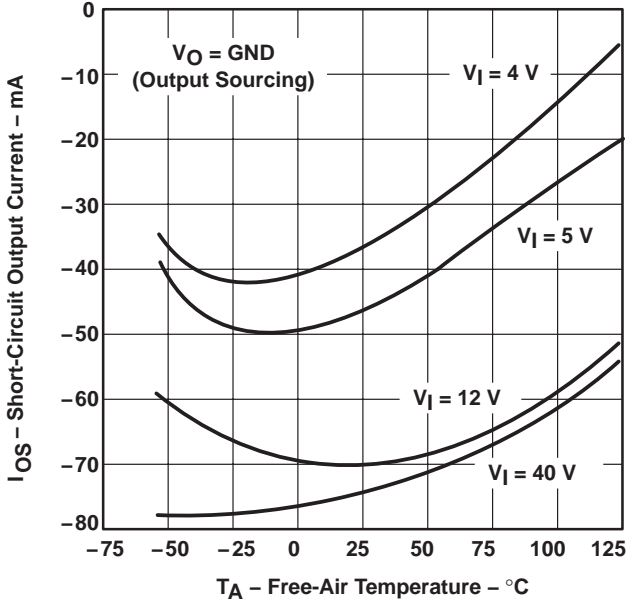
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**SHORT-CIRCUIT OUTPUT CURRENT  
 VS  
 INPUT VOLTAGE**



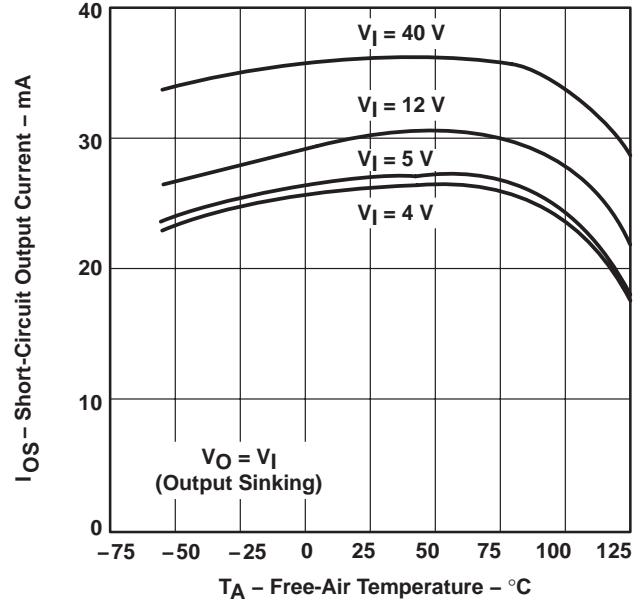
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**SHORT-CIRCUIT OUTPUT CURRENT  
 VS  
 FREE-AIR TEMPERATURE**



**Figure 11**

**SHORT-CIRCUIT OUTPUT CURRENT  
 VS  
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**Figure 12**

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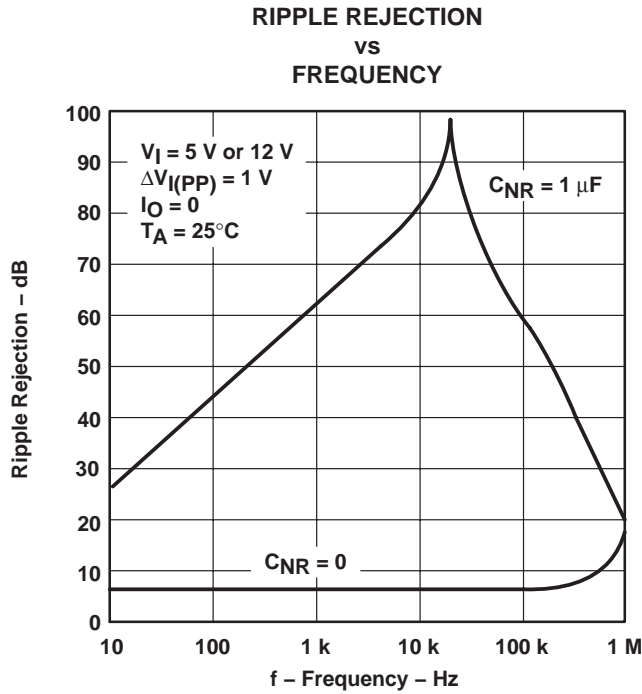


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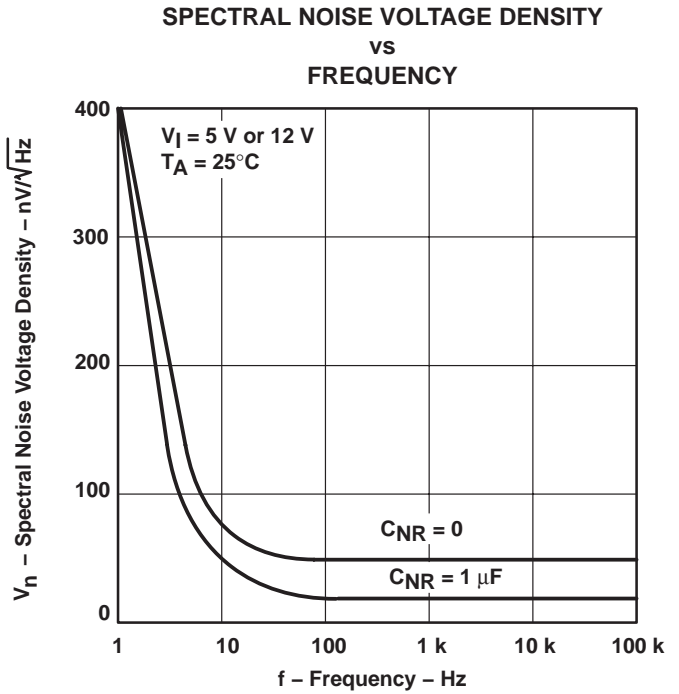


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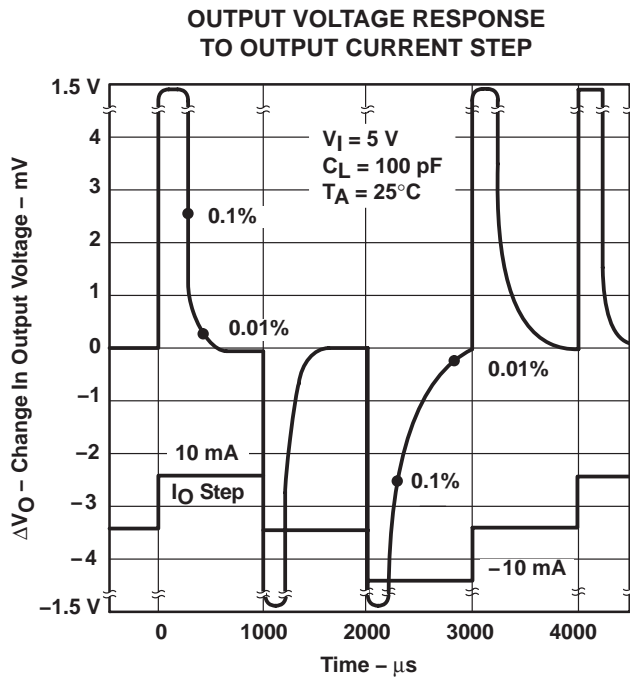


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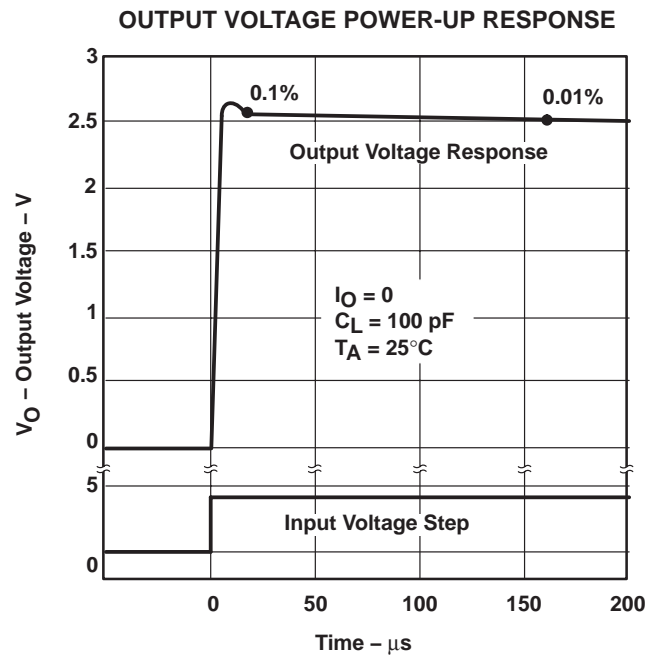
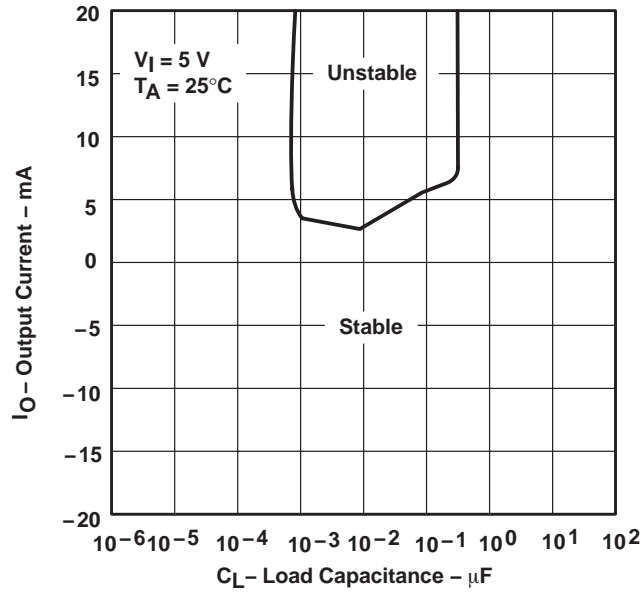


Figure 16

**TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

**STABILITY RANGE  
OUTPUT CURRENT  
vs  
LOAD CAPACITANCE**



**Figure 17**



**PACKAGING INFORMATION**

| Orderable Device | Status<br>(1) | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | Package Qty | Eco Plan<br>(2) | Lead finish/<br>Ball material<br>(6) | MSL Peak Temp<br>(3) | Op Temp (°C) | Device Marking<br>(4/5) | Samples |
|------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|------|-------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------|
| TLE2426QDRG4Q1   | ACTIVE        | SOIC         | D               | 8    | 2500        | RoHS & Green    | NIPDAU                               | Level-1-260C-UNLIM   | -40 to 125   | 2426Q1                  | Samples |

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(4) There may be additional marking, which relates to the logo, the lot trace code information, or the environmental category on the device.

(5) Multiple Device Markings will be inside parentheses. Only one Device Marking contained in parentheses and separated by a "-" will appear on a device. If a line is indented then it is a continuation of the previous line and the two combined represent the entire Device Marking for that device.

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- Catalog - TI's standard catalog product
- Enhanced Product - Supports Defense, Aerospace and Medical Applications



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# PACKAGE OUTLINE

SOIC - 1.75 mm max height

SMALL OUTLINE INTEGRATED CIRCUIT



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NOTES:

1. Linear dimensions are in inches [millimeters]. Dimensions in parenthesis are for reference only. Controlling dimensions are in inches. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M.
2. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
3. This dimension does not include mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs. Mold flash, protrusions, or gate burrs shall not exceed  $.006$  [0.15] per side.
4. This dimension does not include interlead flash.
5. Reference JEDEC registration MS-012, variation AA.

# EXAMPLE BOARD LAYOUT

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SOIC - 1.75 mm max height

SMALL OUTLINE INTEGRATED CIRCUIT



LAND PATTERN EXAMPLE  
 EXPOSED METAL SHOWN  
 SCALE:8X



SOLDER MASK DETAILS

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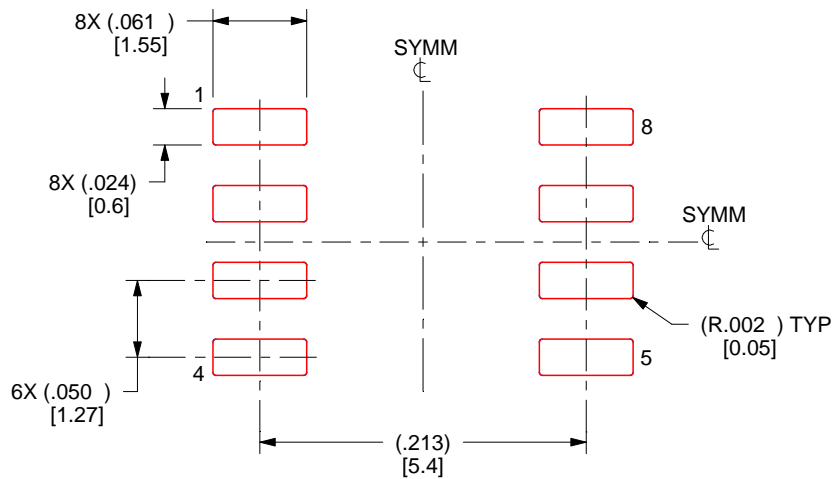
- 6. Publication IPC-7351 may have alternate designs.
- 7. Solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads can vary based on board fabrication site.

# EXAMPLE STENCIL DESIGN

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SMALL OUTLINE INTEGRATED CIRCUIT



SOLDER PASTE EXAMPLE  
BASED ON .005 INCH [0.125 MM] THICK STENCIL  
SCALE:8X

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NOTES: (continued)

8. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and rounded corners may offer better paste release. IPC-7525 may have alternate design recommendations.
9. Board assembly site may have different recommendations for stencil design.

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