

# DAC7641

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## 16-Bit, Voltage Output DIGITAL-TO-ANALOG CONVERTER

### FEATURES

- **LOW POWER:** 2.5mW
- **UNIPOLAR OR BIPOLAR OPERATION**
- **SETTLING TIME:** 10 $\mu$ s to 0.003%
- **15-BIT LINEARITY AND MONOTONICITY:**  $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$
- **PROGRAMMABLE RESET TO MID-SCALE OR ZERO-SCALE**
- **DATA READBACK**
- **DOUBLE-BUFFERED DATA INPUTS**

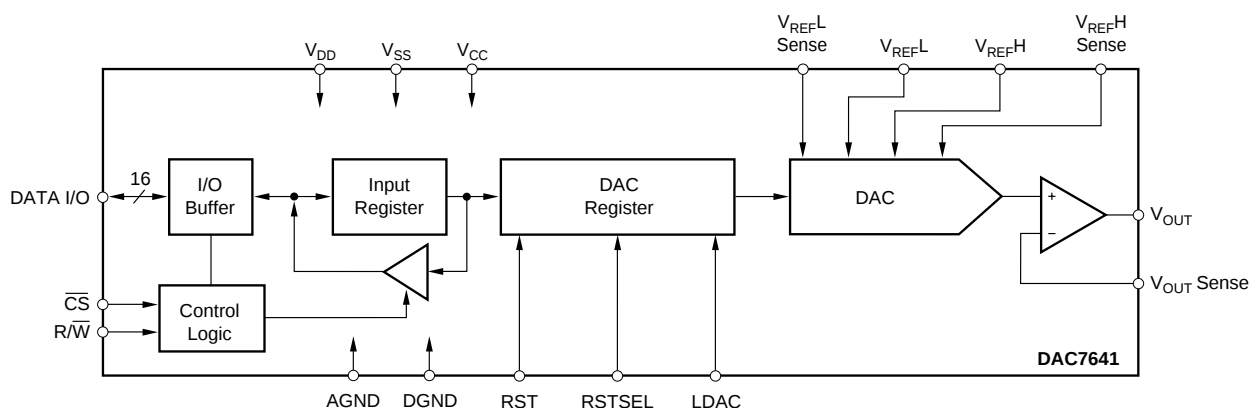
### APPLICATIONS

- **PROCESS CONTROL**
- **ATE PIN ELECTRONICS**
- **CLOSED-LOOP SERVO-CONTROL**
- **MOTOR CONTROL**
- **DATA ACQUISITION SYSTEMS**
- **DAC-PER-PIN PROGRAMMERS**

### DESCRIPTION

The DAC7641 is a 16-bit, voltage output digital-to-analog converter (DAC) with guaranteed 15-bit monotonic performance over the specified temperature range. It accepts 16-bit parallel input data, has double-buffered DAC input logic (allowing asynchronous update), and provides a readback mode of the internal input registers. Programmable asynchronous reset clears all registers to a mid-scale code of 8000<sub>H</sub> or to a zero-scale of 0000<sub>H</sub>. The DAC7641 can operate from a single +5V supply or from +5V and  $-5\text{V}$  supplies.

Low power and small size per DAC make the DAC7641 ideal for automatic test equipment, DAC-per-pin programmers, data acquisition systems, and closed-loop servo-control. The DAC7641 is available in a TQFP-32 package, and offers guaranteed specifications over the  $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$  temperature range.



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# SPECIFICATIONS (Dual Supply)

At  $T_A = T_{MIN}$  to  $T_{MAX}$ ,  $V_{DD} = V_{CC} = +5V$ ,  $V_{SS} = -5V$ ,  $V_{REFH} = +2.5V$ , and  $V_{REFL} = -2.5V$ , unless otherwise noted.

| PARAMETER                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | CONDITIONS                                                                                                                               | DAC7641Y                  |                                                          |                                                             | DAC7641YB                       |                                             |                                             | UNITS                                                       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                          | MIN                       | TYP                                                      | MAX                                                         | MIN                             | TYP                                         | MAX                                         |                                                             |
| <b>ACCURACY</b><br>Linearity Error<br>Differential Linearity Error<br>Monotonicity, $T_{MIN}$ to $T_{MAX}$<br>Bipolar Zero Error<br>Bipolar Zero Error Drift<br>Full-Scale Error<br>Full-Scale Error Drift<br>Power Supply Rejection Ratio (PSRR) | At Full Scale                                                                                                                            | 14                        | $\pm 3$<br>$\pm 2$<br>$\pm 1$<br>5<br>$\pm 1$<br>5<br>10 | $\pm 4$<br>$\pm 3$<br>$\pm 3$<br>10<br>$\pm 3$<br>10<br>100 | 15                              | $\pm 2$<br>$\pm 1$<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>* | $\pm 3$<br>$\pm 2$<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>* | LSB<br>LSB<br>Bits<br>mV<br>ppm/°C<br>mV<br>ppm/°C<br>ppm/V |
| <b>ANALOG OUTPUT</b><br>Voltage Output<br>Output Current<br>Maximum Load Capacitance<br>Short-Circuit Current<br>Short-Circuit Duration                                                                                                           | $V_{REF} = -2.5V$ , $R_L = 10k\Omega$ , $V_{SS} = -5V$<br><br>No Oscillation<br><br>GND or $V_{CC}$ or $V_{SS}$                          | $V_{REFL} - 1.25$         | 500<br>-10, +30<br>Indefinite                            | $V_{REFH} + 1.25$                                           | *<br>*                          | *<br>*<br>*<br>*                            | *<br>*                                      | V<br>mA<br>pF<br>mA                                         |
| <b>REFERENCE INPUT</b><br>Ref High Input Voltage Range<br>Ref Low Input Voltage Range<br>Ref High Input Current<br>Ref Low Input Current                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                          | $V_{REFL} + 1.25$<br>-2.5 | 500<br>-500                                              | +2.5<br>$V_{REFH} - 1.25$                                   | *<br>*                          | *<br>*<br>*                                 | *<br>*                                      | V<br>V<br>$\mu A$<br>$\mu A$                                |
| <b>DYNAMIC PERFORMANCE</b><br>Settling Time<br>Digital Feedthrough<br>Output Noise Voltage<br>DAC Glitch                                                                                                                                          | To $\pm 0.003\%$ , 5V Output Step<br><br>$f = 10kHz$<br>7FFF <sub>H</sub> to 8000 <sub>H</sub> or 8000 <sub>H</sub> to 7FFF <sub>H</sub> |                           | 8<br>2<br>60<br>40                                       | 10                                                          |                                 | *<br>*<br>*<br>*                            | *<br>*                                      | $\mu s$<br>nV-s<br>nV/ $\sqrt{Hz}$<br>nV-s                  |
| <b>DIGITAL INPUT</b><br>$V_{IH}$<br>$V_{IL}$<br>$I_{IH}$<br>$I_{IL}$                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                          | $0.7 \cdot V_{DD}$        |                                                          | $0.3 \cdot V_{DD}$<br>$\pm 10$<br>$\pm 10$                  | *                               |                                             | *<br>*<br>*                                 | V<br>V<br>$\mu A$<br>$\mu A$                                |
| <b>DIGITAL OUTPUT</b><br>$V_{OH}$<br>$V_{OL}$                                                                                                                                                                                                     | $I_{OH} = -0.8mA$<br>$I_{OL} = 1.2mA$                                                                                                    | 3.6                       | 4.5<br>0.3                                               | 0.4                                                         | *<br>*                          | *<br>*                                      | *<br>*                                      | V<br>V                                                      |
| <b>POWER SUPPLY</b><br>$V_{DD}$<br>$V_{CC}$<br>$V_{SS}$<br>$I_{CC}$<br>$I_{DD}$<br>$I_{SS}$<br>Power                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                          | +4.75<br>+4.75<br>-5.25   | +5.0<br>+5.0<br>-5.0<br>0.4<br>15<br>-0.5<br>4           | +5.25<br>+5.25<br>-4.75<br>0.5<br>-0.4<br>5.5               | *<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>* | *<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*             | *<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*             | V<br>V<br>V<br>mA<br>$\mu A$<br>$\mu A$<br>mA<br>mW         |
| <b>TEMPERATURE RANGE</b><br>Specified Performance                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                          | -40                       |                                                          | +85                                                         | *                               |                                             | *                                           | °C                                                          |

\* Specifications same as DAC7641Y.

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# SPECIFICATIONS (Single Supply)

At  $T_A = T_{MIN}$  to  $T_{MAX}$ ,  $V_{DD} = V_{CC} = +5V$ ,  $V_{SS} = 0V$ ,  $V_{REFH} = +2.5V$ , and  $V_{REFL} = 0V$ , unless otherwise noted.

| PARAMETER                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | CONDITIONS                                                                                                                      | DAC7641Y               |                                                          |                                                             | DAC7641YB   |                                             |                                             | UNITS                                                       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                 | MIN                    | TYP                                                      | MAX                                                         | MIN         | TYP                                         | MAX                                         |                                                             |
| <b>ACCURACY</b><br>Linearity Error <sup>(1)</sup><br>Differential Linearity Error<br>Monotonicity, $T_{MIN}$ to $T_{MAX}$<br>Zero Scale Error<br>Zero Scale Error Drift<br>Full-Scale Error<br>Full-Scale Error Drift<br>Power Supply Rejection Ratio (PSRR) | At Full Scale                                                                                                                   | 14                     | $\pm 3$<br>$\pm 2$<br>$\pm 1$<br>5<br>$\pm 1$<br>5<br>10 | $\pm 4$<br>$\pm 3$<br>$\pm 3$<br>10<br>$\pm 3$<br>10<br>100 | 15          | $\pm 2$<br>$\pm 1$<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>* | $\pm 3$<br>$\pm 2$<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>* | LSB<br>LSB<br>Bits<br>mV<br>ppm/°C<br>mV<br>ppm/°C<br>ppm/V |
| <b>ANALOG OUTPUT</b><br>Voltage Output<br>Output Current<br>Maximum Load Capacitance<br>Short-Circuit Current<br>Short-Circuit Duration                                                                                                                      | $V_{REFL} = 0V$ , $V_{SS} = 0V$ , $R_L = 10k\Omega$<br><br>No Oscillation<br><br>GND or $V_{CC}$                                | 0<br>-1.25             | 500<br>$\pm 30$<br>Indefinite                            | $V_{REFH}$<br>+1.25                                         | *<br>*      | *<br>*<br>*<br>*                            | *<br>*                                      | V<br>mA<br>pF<br>mA                                         |
| <b>REFERENCE INPUT</b><br>Ref High Input Voltage Range<br>Ref Low Input Voltage Range<br>Ref High Input Current<br>Ref Low Input Current                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                 | $V_{REFL} + 1.25$<br>0 | 250<br>-250                                              | +2.5<br>$V_{REFH} - 1.25$                                   | *<br>*      | *<br>*<br>*<br>*                            | *<br>*                                      | V<br>V<br>$\mu A$<br>$\mu A$                                |
| <b>DYNAMIC PERFORMANCE</b><br>Settling Time<br>Digital Feedthrough<br>Output Noise Voltage, $f = 10kHz$<br>DAC Glitch                                                                                                                                        | To $\pm 0.003\%$ , 2.5V Output Step<br><br><br>7FFF <sub>H</sub> to 8000 <sub>H</sub> or 8000 <sub>H</sub> to 7FFF <sub>H</sub> |                        | 8<br>2<br>60<br>40                                       | 10                                                          |             | *<br>*<br>*<br>*                            | *<br>*                                      | $\mu s$<br>nV-s<br>nV/√Hz<br>nV-s                           |
| <b>DIGITAL INPUT</b><br>$V_{IH}$<br>$V_{IL}$<br>$I_{IH}$<br>$I_{IL}$                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                 | $0.7 \cdot V_{DD}$     |                                                          | $0.3 \cdot V_{DD}$<br>$\pm 10$<br>$\pm 10$                  | *           |                                             | *<br>*<br>*                                 | V<br>V<br>$\mu A$<br>$\mu A$                                |
| <b>DIGITAL OUTPUT</b><br>$V_{OH}$<br>$V_{OL}$                                                                                                                                                                                                                | $I_{OH} = -0.8mA$<br>$I_{OL} = 1.2mA$                                                                                           | 3.6                    | 4.5<br>0.3                                               | 0.4                                                         | *           | *<br>*                                      | *<br>*                                      | V<br>V                                                      |
| <b>POWER SUPPLY</b><br>$V_{DD}$<br>$V_{CC}$<br>$V_{SS}$<br>$I_{CC}$<br>$I_{DD}$<br>Power                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                 | +4.75<br>+4.75<br>0    | +5.0<br>+5.0<br>0<br>0.4<br>15<br>1.8                    | +5.25<br>+5.25<br>0<br>0.5<br>2.5                           | *<br>*<br>* | *<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*                  | *<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*<br>*                  | V<br>V<br>V<br>mA<br>$\mu A$<br>mW                          |
| <b>TEMPERATURE RANGE</b><br>Specified Performance                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                 | -40                    |                                                          | +85                                                         | *           |                                             | *                                           | °C                                                          |

\* Specifications same as DAC7641Y.

NOTE: (1) If  $V_{SS} = 0V$  specification applies at Code 0040<sub>H</sub> and above due to possible negative zero-scale error.

## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS<sup>(1)</sup>

|                                         |                                |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| $V_{SS}$ to $V_{SS}$ .....              | –0.3V to 11V                   |
| $V_{DD}$ to GND .....                   | –0.3V to 5.5V                  |
| $V_{REFL}$ to GND .....                 | –0.3V to ( $V_{SS} - V_{CC}$ ) |
| $V_{REFH}$ to GND .....                 | –0.3V to ( $V_{SS} - V_{CC}$ ) |
| $V_{REFH}$ to $V_{REFL}$ .....          | –0.3V to +11V                  |
| Digital Input Voltage to GND .....      | –0.3V to $V_{DD} + 0.3V$       |
| Digital Output Voltage to GND .....     | –0.3V to $V_{DD} + 0.3V$       |
| Maximum Junction Temperature .....      | +150°C                         |
| Operating Temperature Range .....       | –40°C to +85°C                 |
| Storage Temperature Range .....         | –65°C to +150°C                |
| Lead Temperature (soldering, 10s) ..... | +300°C                         |

NOTE: (1) Stresses above those listed under “Absolute Maximum Ratings” may cause permanent damage to the device. Exposure to absolute maximum conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.



## ELECTROSTATIC DISCHARGE SENSITIVITY

This integrated circuit can be damaged by ESD. Burr-Brown recommends that all integrated circuits be handled with appropriate precautions. Failure to observe proper handling and installation procedures can cause damage.

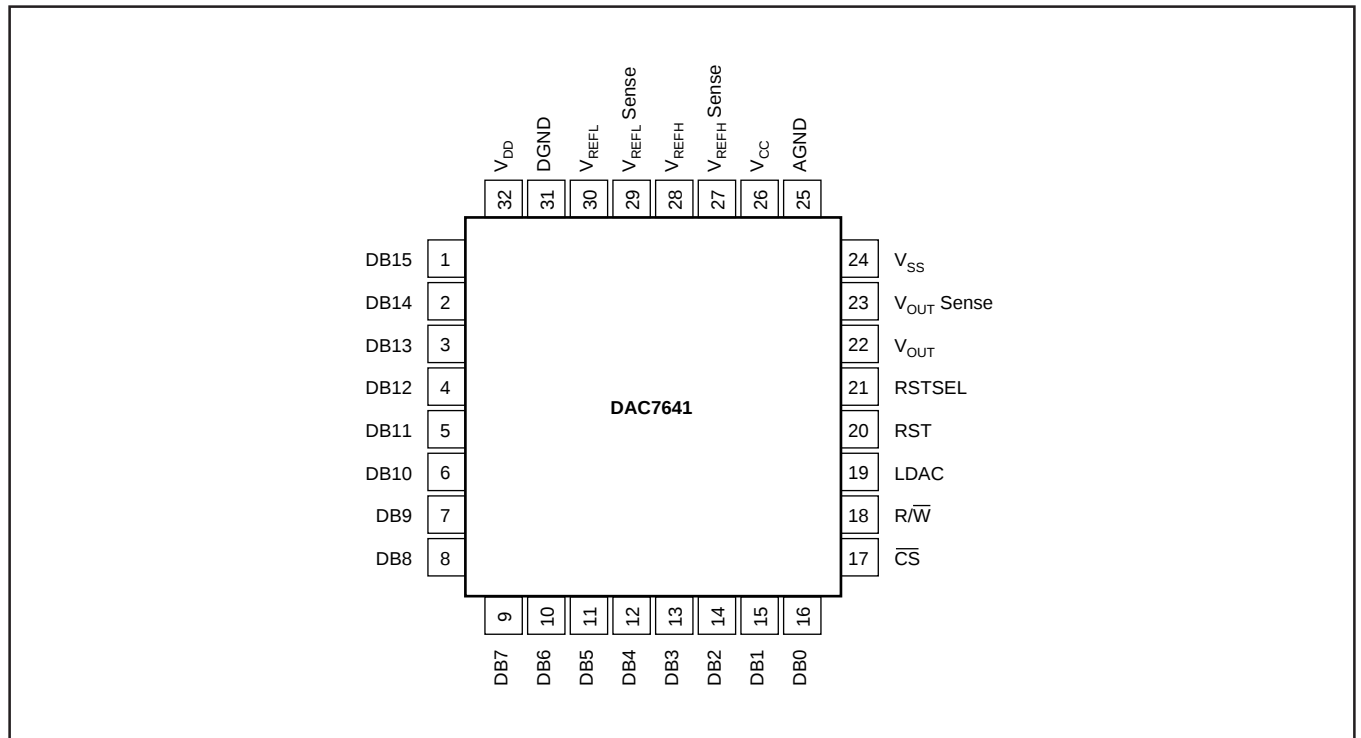
ESD damage can range from subtle performance degradation to complete device failure. Precision integrated circuits may be more susceptible to damage because very small parametric changes could cause the device not to meet its published specifications.

## PACKAGE/ORDERING INFORMATION

| PRODUCT        | MINIMUM<br>RELATIVE<br>ACCURACY<br>(LSB) | DIFFERENTIAL<br>NONLINEARITY<br>(LSB) | PACKAGE      | PACKAGE<br>DRAWING<br>NUMBER | SPECIFICATION<br>TEMPERATURE<br>RANGE | ORDERING<br>NUMBER <sup>(1)</sup> | TRANSPORT<br>MEDIA             |
|----------------|------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| DAC7641Y<br>"  | ±4<br>"                                  | ±3<br>"                               | TQFP-32<br>" | 351<br>"                     | –40°C to +85°C<br>"                   | DAC7641Y/250<br>DAC7641Y/2K       | Tape and Reel<br>Tape and Reel |
| DAC7641YB<br>" | ±3<br>"                                  | ±2<br>"                               | TQFP-32<br>" | 351<br>"                     | –40°C to +85°C<br>"                   | DAC7641YB/250<br>DAC7641YB/2K     | Tape and Reel<br>Tape and Reel |

NOTES: (1) Models with a slash (/) are available only in Tape and Reel in the quantities indicated (e.g., /2K indicates 2000 devices per reel). Ordering 2000 pieces of “DAC7641Y/2K” will get a single 2000-piece Tape and Reel.

## PIN CONFIGURATION

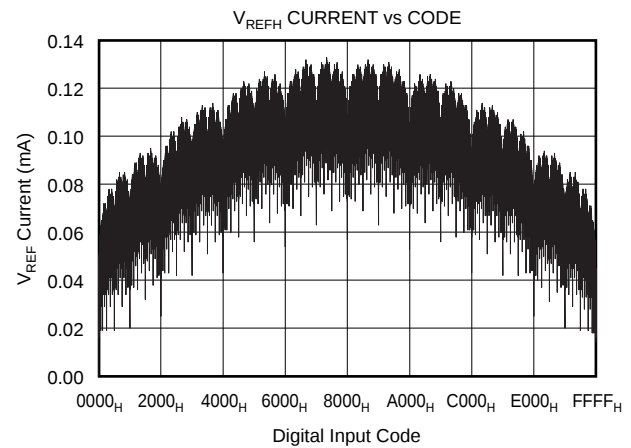
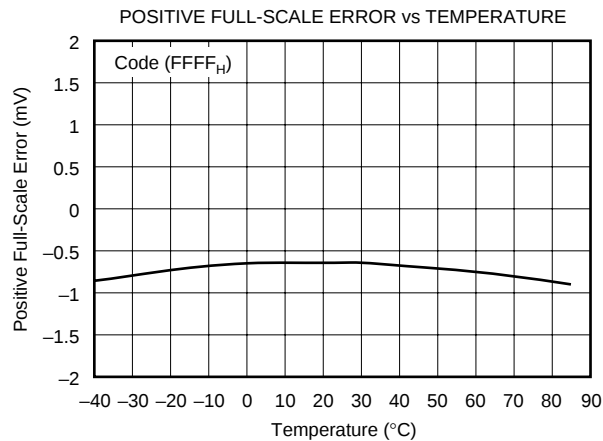
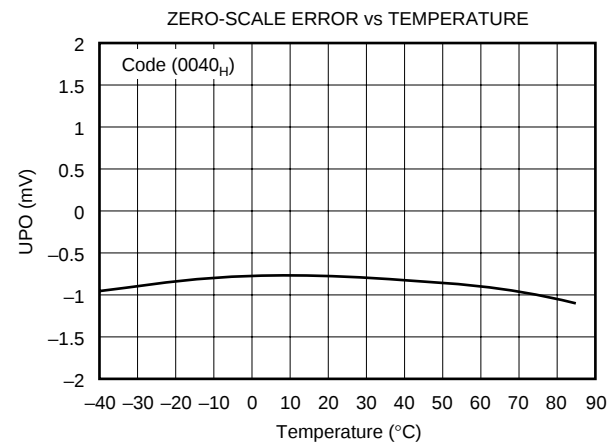
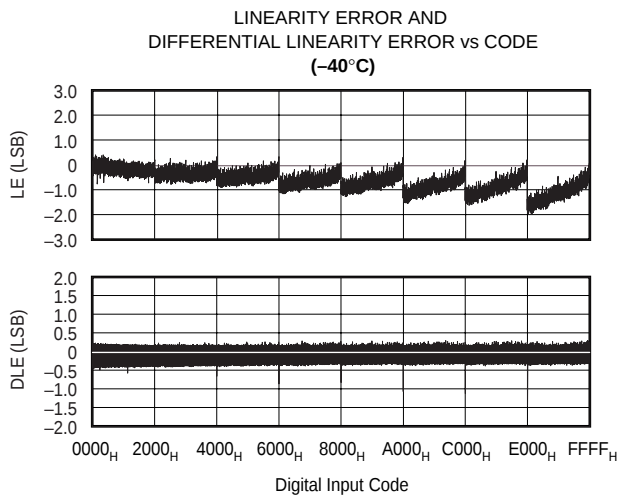
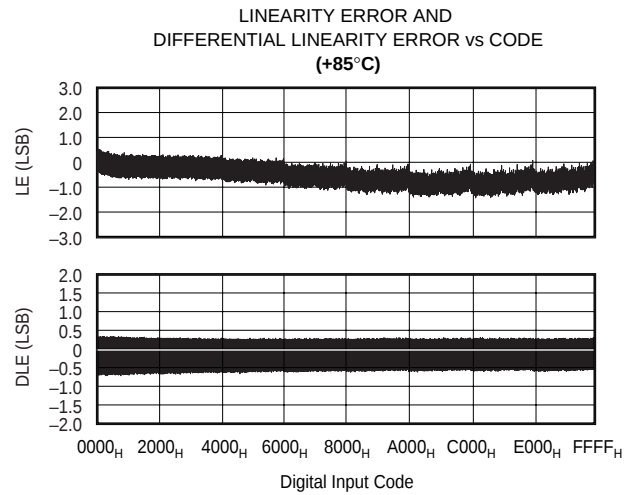
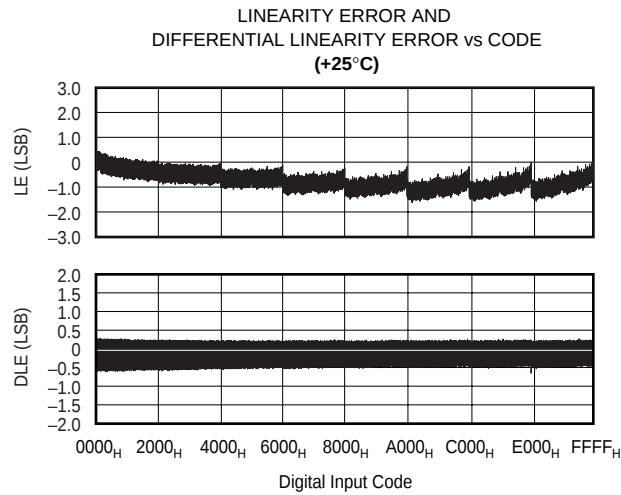


## PIN DESCRIPTIONS

| PIN | NAME             | DESCRIPTION                                                                        | PIN | NAME             | DESCRIPTION                                                                                                                                                           |
|-----|------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1   | DB15             | Data Bit 15, MSB                                                                   | 19  | LDAC             | DAC Load Strobe, rising-edge triggered.                                                                                                                               |
| 2   | DB14             | Data Bit 14                                                                        | 20  | RST              | Reset, rising-edge triggered. Depending on the state of RSTSEL, the DAC registers are set to either mid-scale or zero.                                                |
| 3   | DB13             | Data Bit 13                                                                        | 21  | RSTSEL           | Reset Select. Determines the action of RST. If HIGH, a RST command will set the DAC registers to mid-scale. If LOW, a RST command will set the DAC registers to zero. |
| 4   | DB12             | Data Bit 12                                                                        | 22  | $V_{OUT}$        | DAC Voltage Output                                                                                                                                                    |
| 5   | DB11             | Data Bit 11                                                                        | 23  | $V_{OUT}$ Sense  | DAC Output Amplifier Inverting Input. Used to close the feedback loop at the load.                                                                                    |
| 6   | DB10             | Data Bit 10                                                                        | 24  | $V_{SS}$         | Negative Power Supply                                                                                                                                                 |
| 7   | DB9              | Data Bit 9                                                                         | 25  | AGND             | Analog Ground                                                                                                                                                         |
| 8   | DB8              | Data Bit 8                                                                         | 26  | $V_{CC}$         | Positive Power Supply                                                                                                                                                 |
| 9   | DB7              | Data Bit 7                                                                         | 27  | $V_{REFH}$ Sense | DAC Reference High Sense Input                                                                                                                                        |
| 10  | DB6              | Data Bit 6                                                                         | 28  | $V_{REFH}$       | DAC Reference High Input                                                                                                                                              |
| 11  | DB5              | Data Bit 5                                                                         | 29  | $V_{REFL}$ Sense | DAC Reference Low Sense Input                                                                                                                                         |
| 12  | DB4              | Data Bit 4                                                                         | 30  | $V_{REFL}$       | DAC Reference Low Input                                                                                                                                               |
| 13  | DB3              | Data Bit 3                                                                         | 31  | DGND             | Digital Ground                                                                                                                                                        |
| 14  | DB2              | Data Bit 2                                                                         | 32  | $V_{DD}$         | Positive Power Supply                                                                                                                                                 |
| 15  | DB1              | Data Bit 1                                                                         |     |                  |                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 16  | DB0              | Data Bit 0, LSB                                                                    |     |                  |                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 17  | $\overline{CS}$  | Chip Select, active low.                                                           |     |                  |                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 18  | $R/\overline{W}$ | Enabled by $\overline{CS}$ , controls data read and write from the input register. |     |                  |                                                                                                                                                                       |

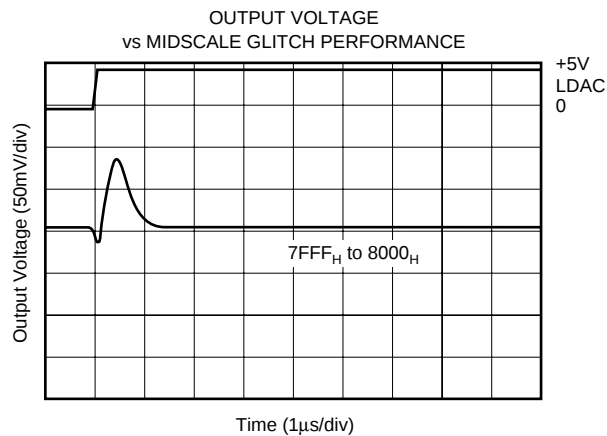
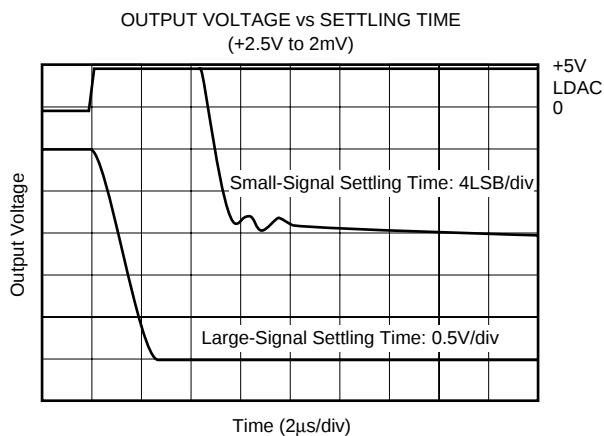
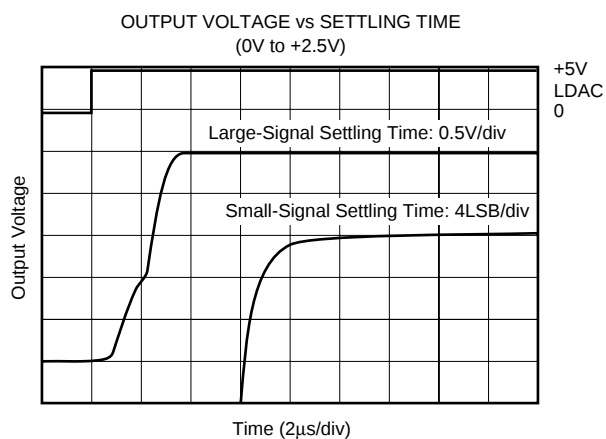
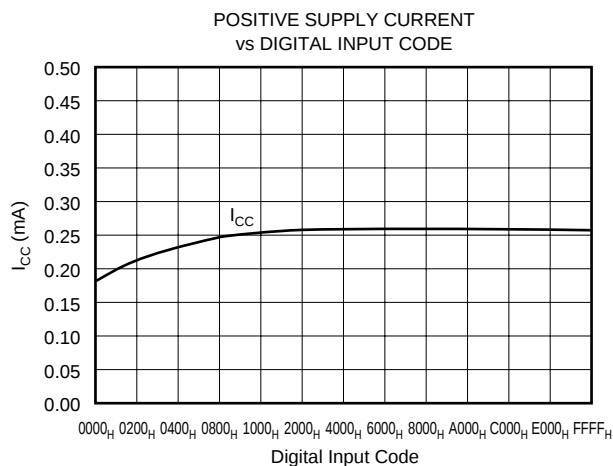
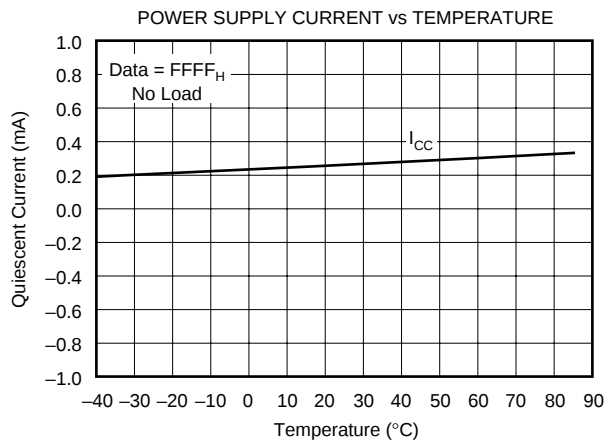
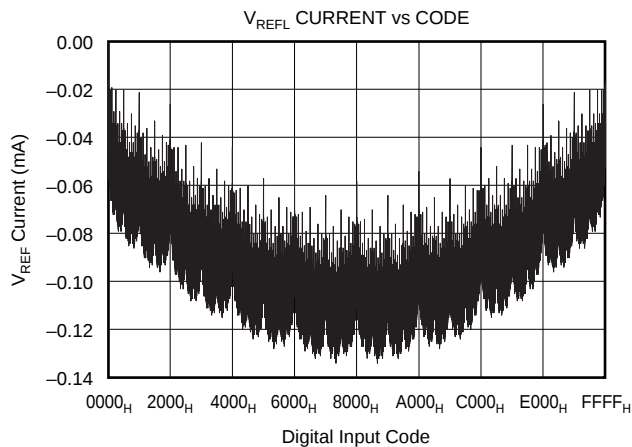
# TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CURVES: $V_{SS} = 0V$

At  $T_A = +25^\circ C$ ,  $V_{DD} = +5V$ ,  $V_{SS} = 0V$ ,  $V_{REFH} = +2.5V$ ,  $V_{REFL} = 0V$ , representative unit, unless otherwise specified.



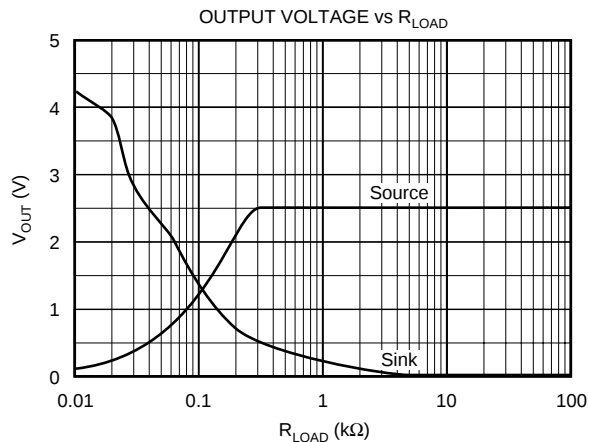
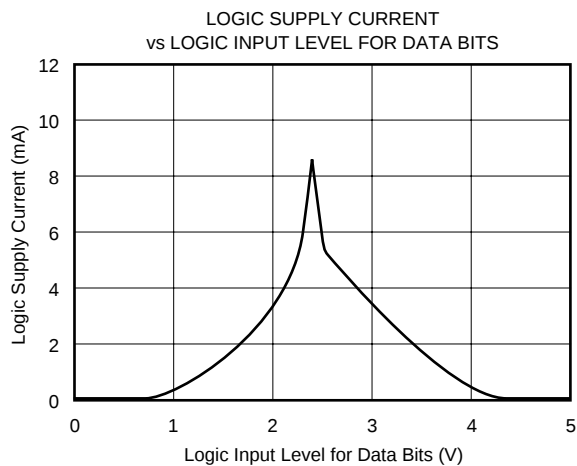
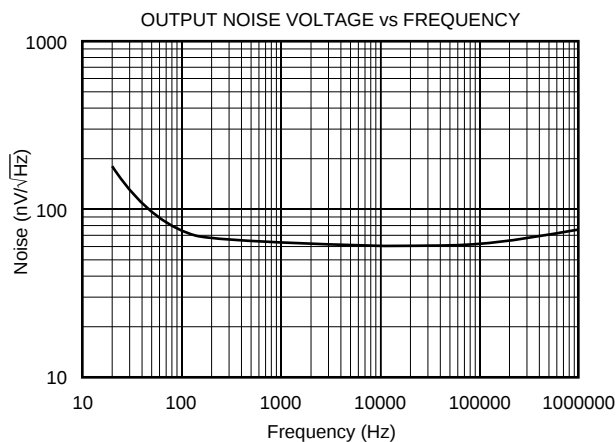
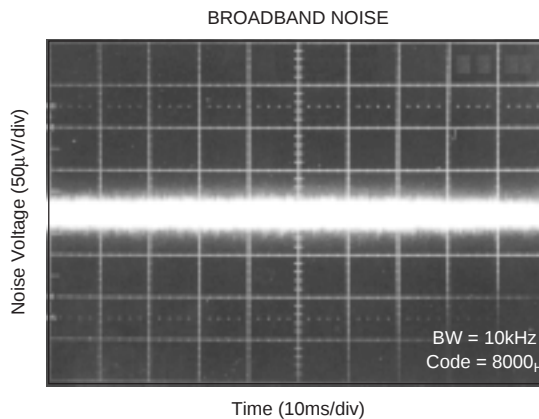
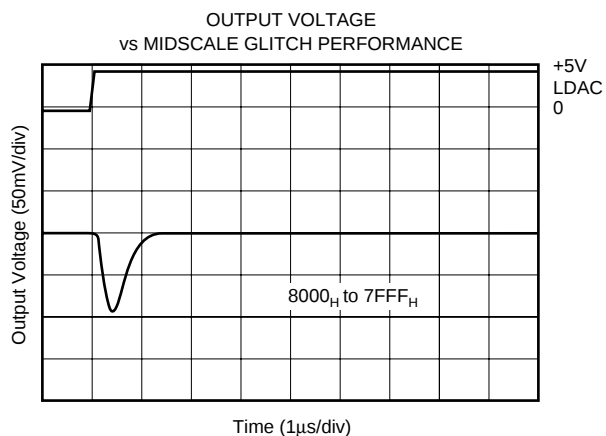
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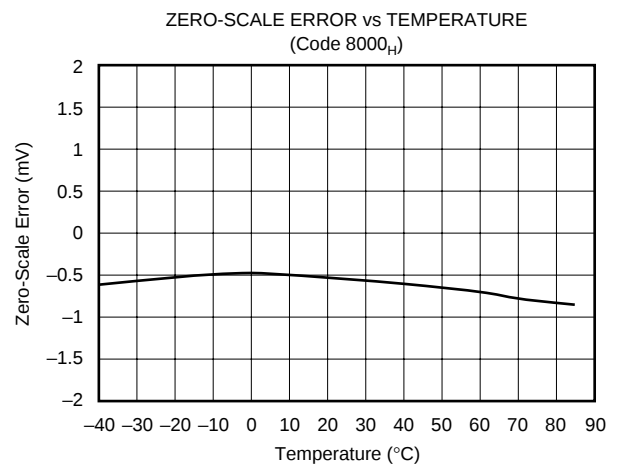
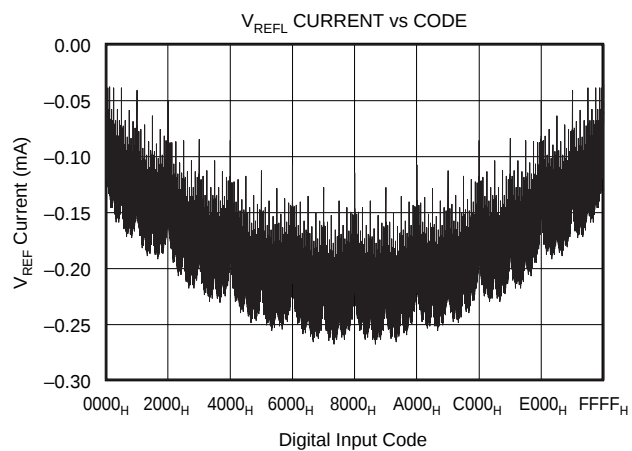
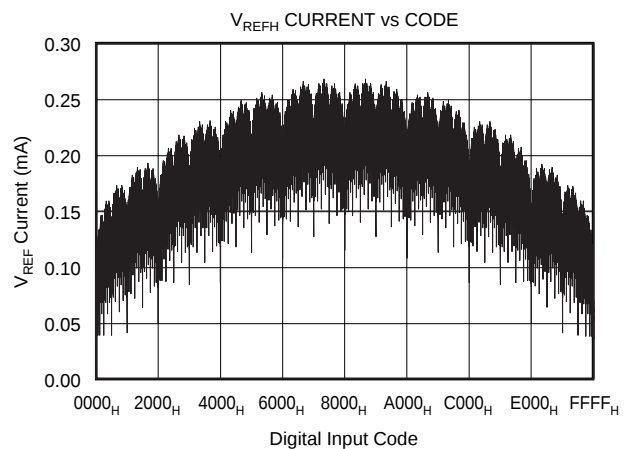
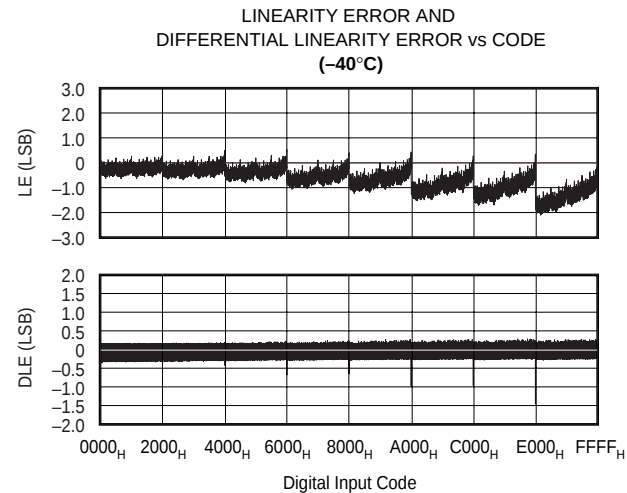
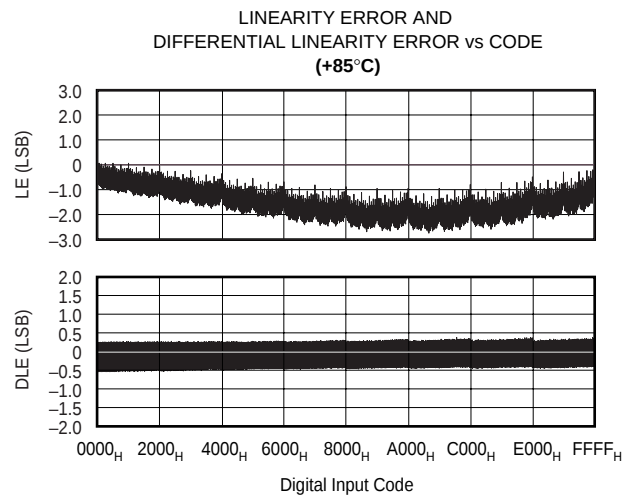
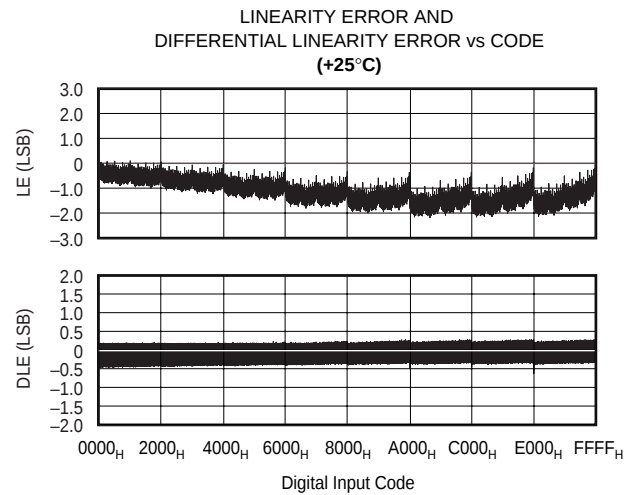
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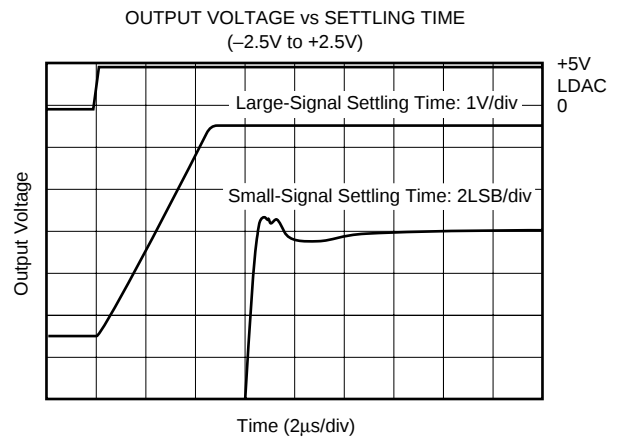
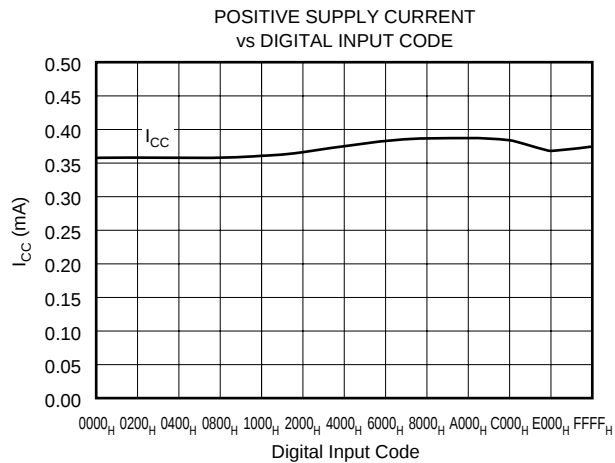
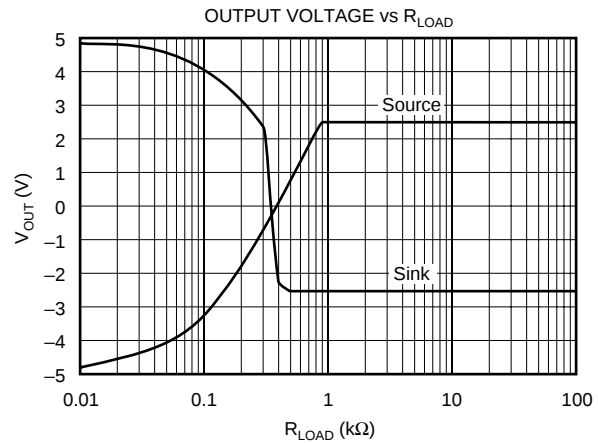
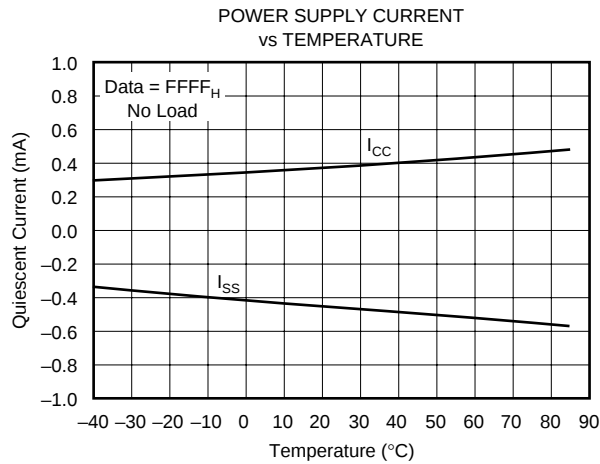
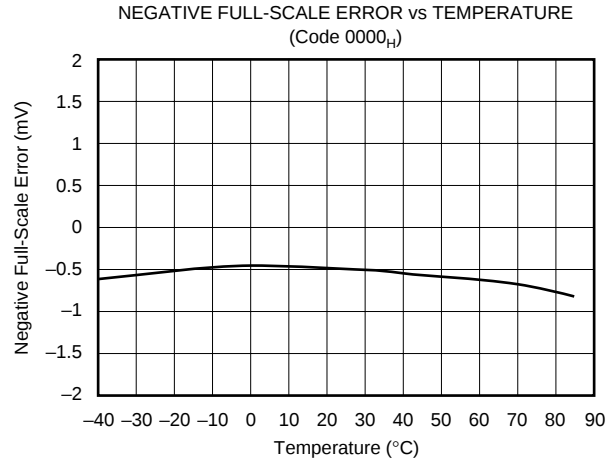
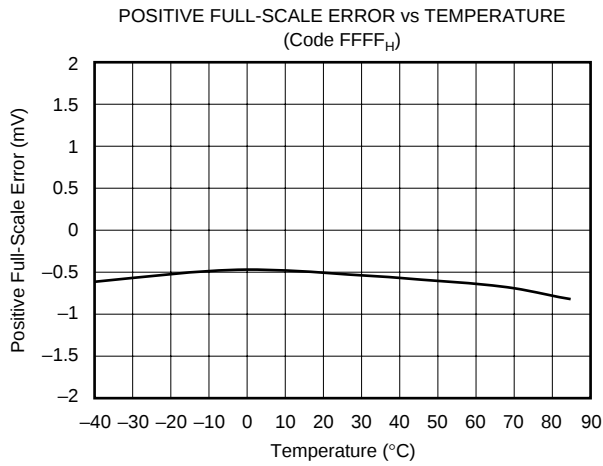
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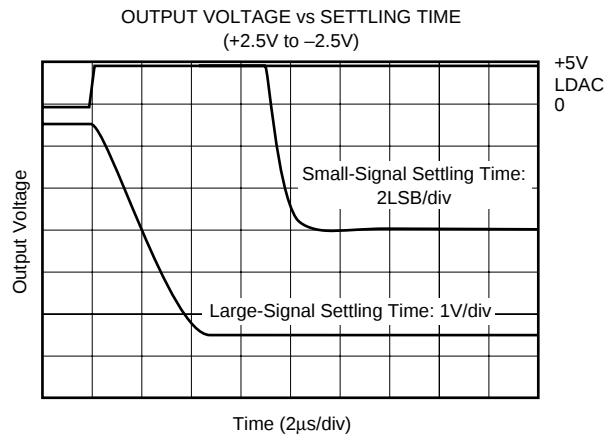
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## TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CURVES: $V_{SS} = -5V$ (Cont.)

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## THEORY OF OPERATION

The DAC7641 is a voltage output, 16-bit digital-to-analog converter (DAC). The architecture is an R-2R ladder configuration with the three MSBs segmented, followed by an operational amplifier that serves as a buffer (see Figure 1). The minimum voltage output (zero-scale) and maximum voltage output (full-scale) are set by the external voltage

references  $V_{REFL}$  and  $V_{REFH}$ , respectively. The digital input is a 16-bit parallel word and the DAC input register offers a readback capability. The converters can be powered from either a single +5V supply or a dual  $\pm 5V$  supply. The device offers a reset function which immediately sets all DAC output voltages and DAC registers to mid-scale code 8000<sub>H</sub> or to zero-scale code 0000<sub>H</sub>. See Figures 2 and 3 for the basic operation of the DAC7641.

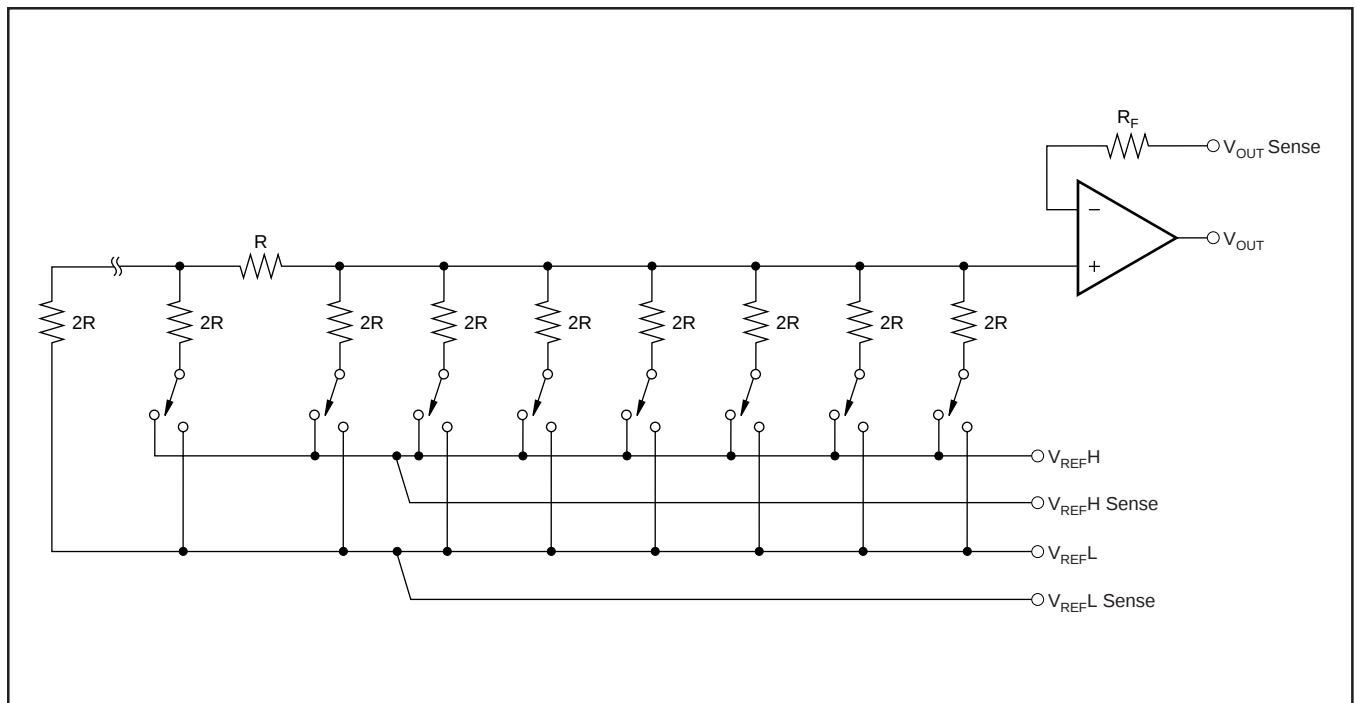


FIGURE 1. DAC7641 Architecture.

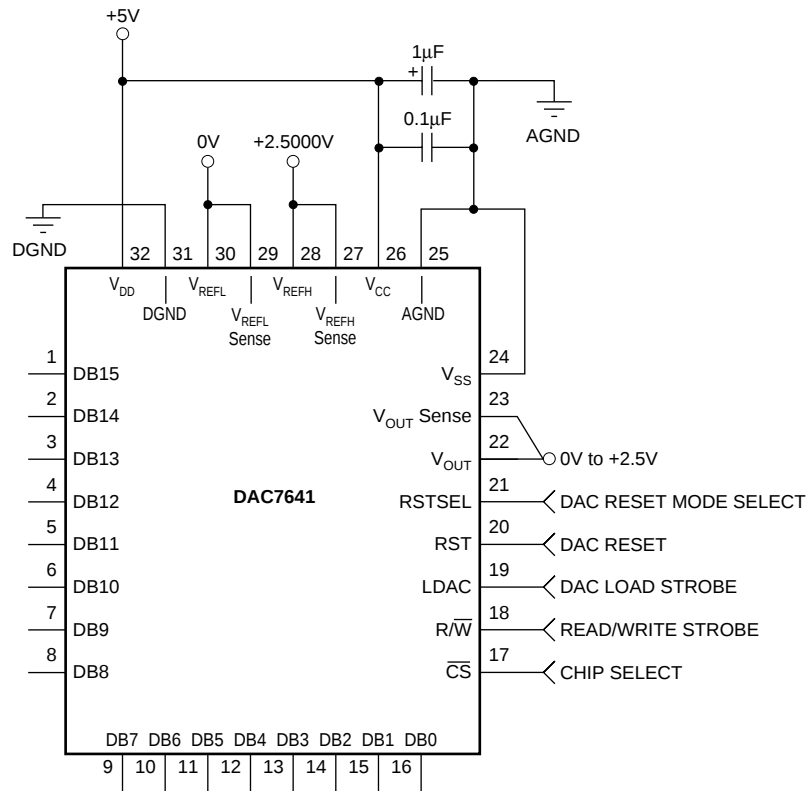


FIGURE 2. Single-Supply Operation.

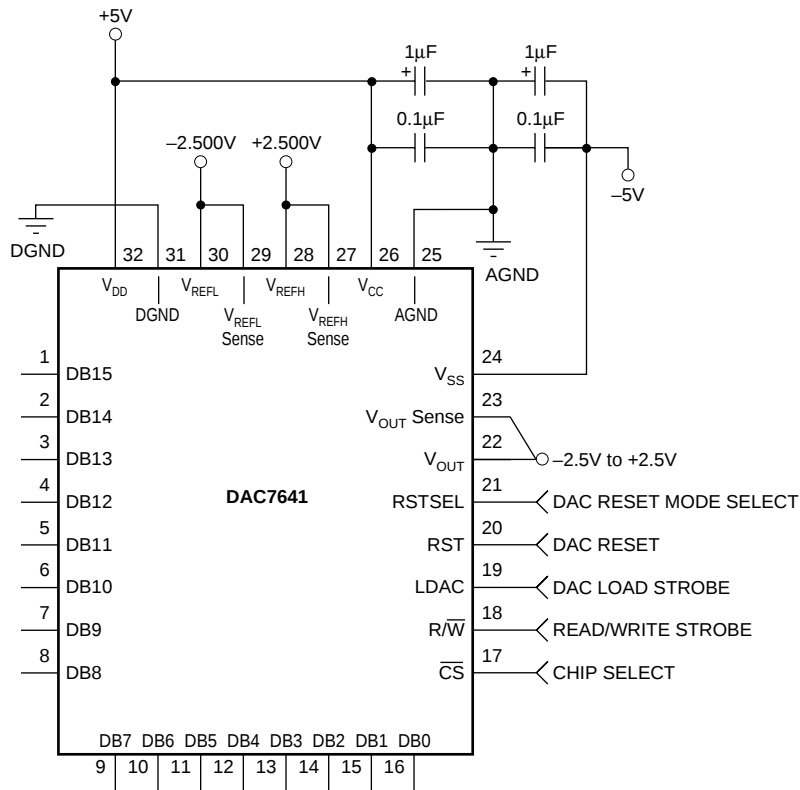


FIGURE 3. Dual-Supply Operation.

## ANALOG OUTPUTS

When  $V_{SS} = -5V$  (dual supply operation), the output amplifier can swing to within 2.25V of the supply rails, guaranteed over the  $-40^{\circ}C$  to  $+85^{\circ}C$  temperature range. With  $V_{SS} = 0V$  (single-supply operation), and with  $R_{LOAD}$  also connected to ground, the output can swing to ground. Care must be taken when measuring the zero-scale error with  $V_{SS} = 0V$ . Since the output voltage cannot swing below ground, the output voltage may not change for the first few digital input codes (0000<sub>H</sub>, 0001<sub>H</sub>, 0002<sub>H</sub>, etc.) if the output amplifier has a negative offset. At the negative limit of  $-2mV$ , the first specified output starts at code 0040<sub>H</sub>.

Due to the high accuracy of these D/A converters, system design problems such as grounding and contact resistance become very important. A 16-bit converter with a 2.5V full-scale range has a 1LSB value of  $38\mu V$ . With a load current of 1mA, series wiring and connector resistance (see Figure 4) of only  $40m\Omega$  ( $R_{W2}$ ) will cause a voltage drop of  $40\mu V$ . To understand what this means in terms of a system layout, the resistivity of a typical 1 ounce copper-clad printed circuit board is  $1/2 m\Omega$  per square. For a 1mA load, a 10 milli-inch wide printed circuit conductor 600 milli-inches long will result in a voltage drop of  $30\mu V$ .

The DAC7641 offers a force and sense output configuration for the high open-loop gain output amplifier. This feature allows the loop around the output amplifier to be closed at the load (see Figure 4), thus ensuring an accurate output voltage.

## REFERENCE INPUTS

The reference inputs,  $V_{REFL}$  and  $V_{REFH}$ , can be any voltage between  $V_{SS} + 2.5V$  and  $V_{CC} - 2.5V$  provided that  $V_{REFH}$  is at least 1.25V greater than  $V_{REFL}$ . The minimum output of each DAC is equal to  $V_{REFL}$  plus a small offset voltage (essentially, the offset of the output op amp). The maximum output is equal to  $V_{REFH}$  plus a similar offset voltage. Note that  $V_{SS}$  (the negative power supply) must either be

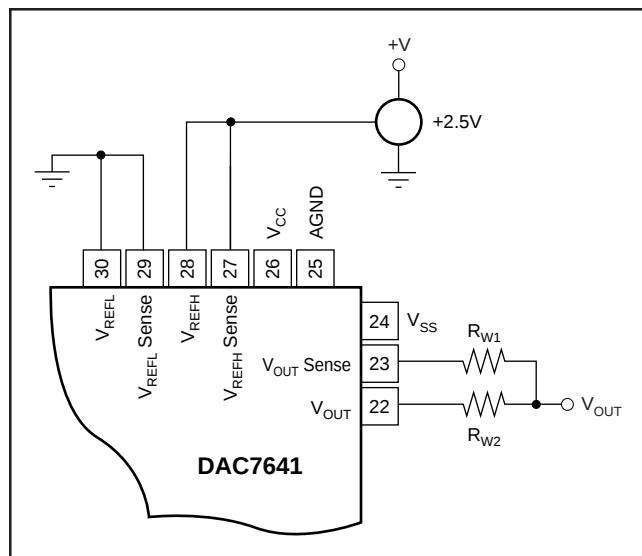


FIGURE 4. Analog Output Closed-Loop Configuration.  $R_W$  represents wiring resistances.

connected to ground or must be in the range of  $-4.75V$  to  $-5.25V$ . The voltage on  $V_{SS}$  sets several bias points within the converter. If  $V_{SS}$  is not in one of these two configurations, the bias values may be in error and proper operation of the device is not guaranteed.

The current into the  $V_{REFH}$  input and out of  $V_{REFL}$  depends on the DAC output voltages and can vary from a few microamps to approximately 0.5mA. The reference input appears as a varying load to the reference. If the reference can sink or source the required current, a reference buffer is not required. The DAC7641 features a reference drive and sense connection such that the internal errors caused by the changing reference current and the circuit impedances can be minimized. Figures 5 through 13 show different reference configurations and the effect on the linearity and differential linearity.

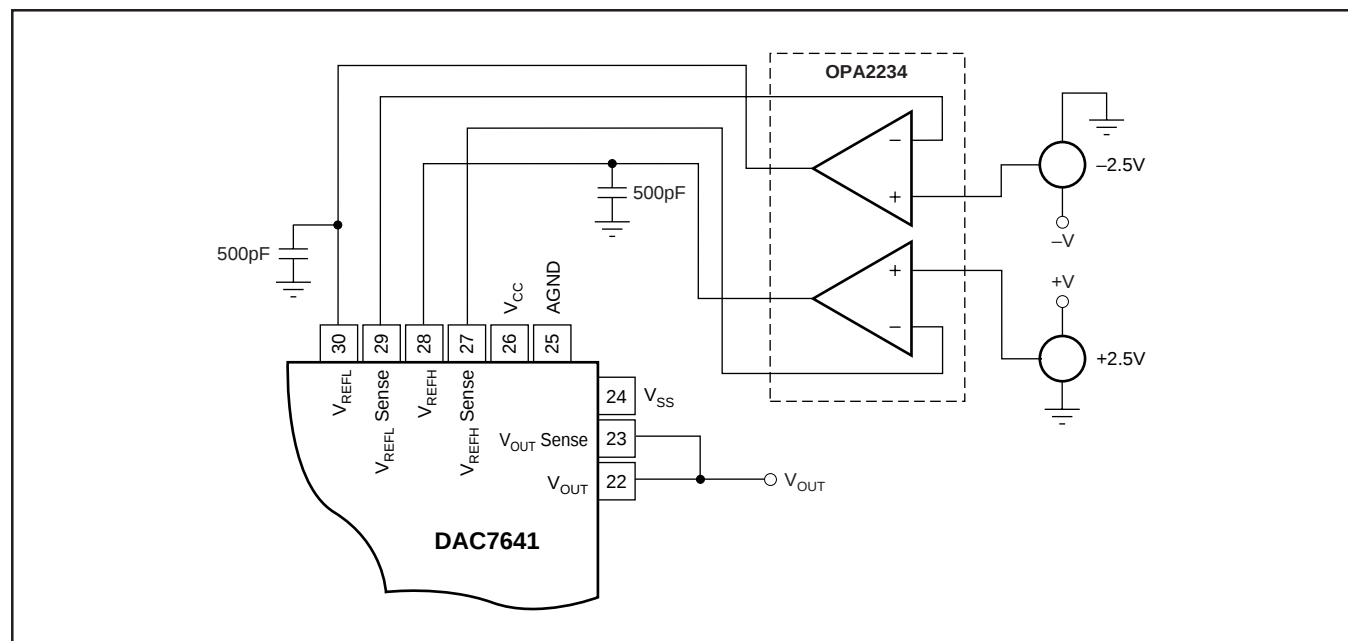
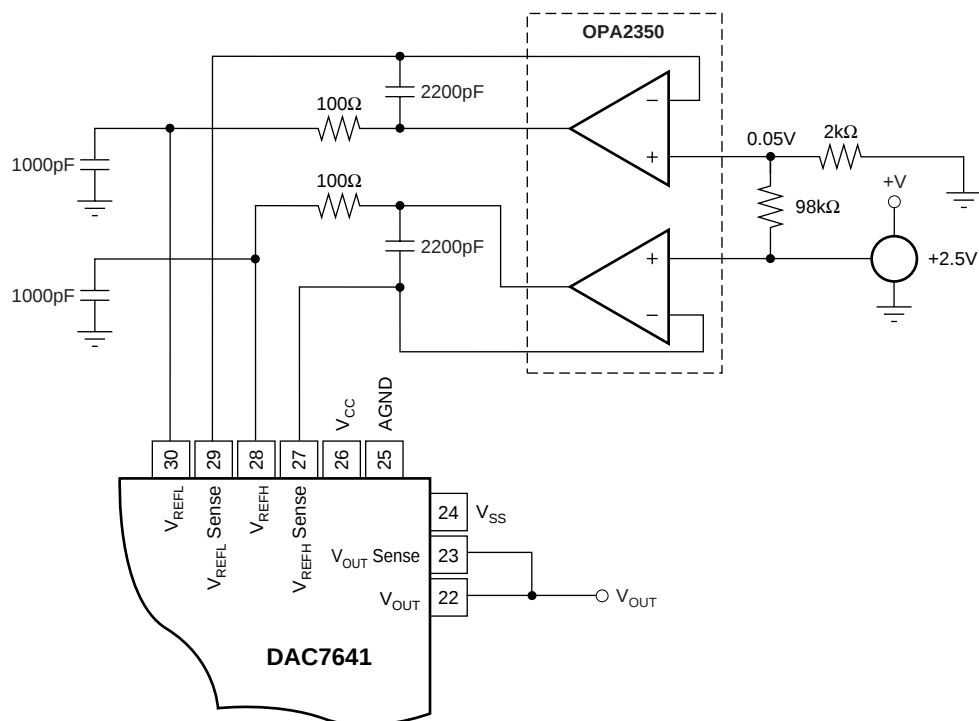


FIGURE 5. Dual Supply Configuration-Buffered References, used for Dual Supply Performance Curves.



NOTE:  $V_{REFL}$  has been chosen to be 50mV to allow for current sinking voltage drops across the 100Ω resistor and the output stage of the buffer op amp.

FIGURE 6. Single-Supply Buffered Reference with a Reference Low of 50mV.

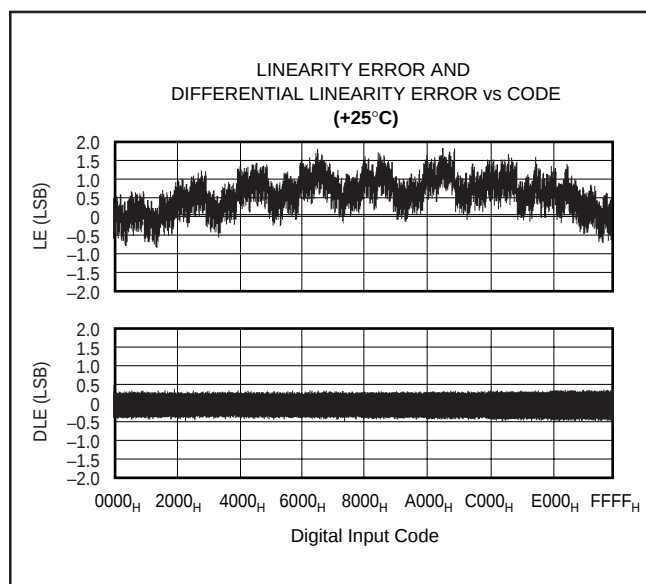


FIGURE 7. Integral Linearity and Differential Linearity Error Curves for Figure 6.

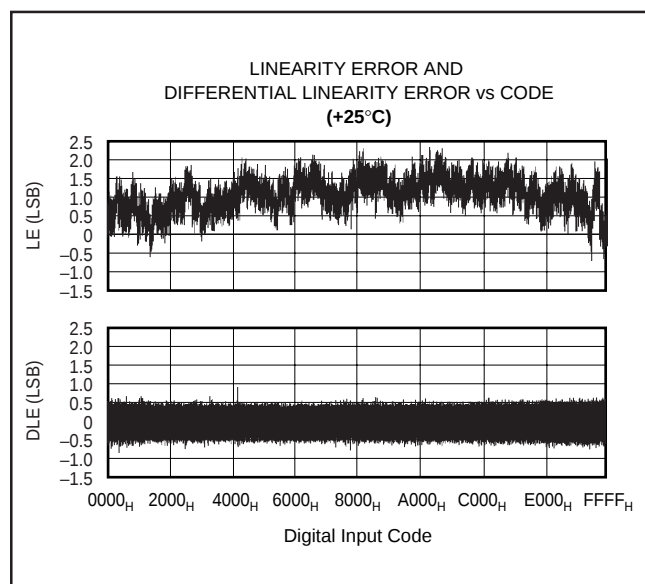


FIGURE 8. Integral Linearity and Differential Linearity Error Curves for Figure 9.

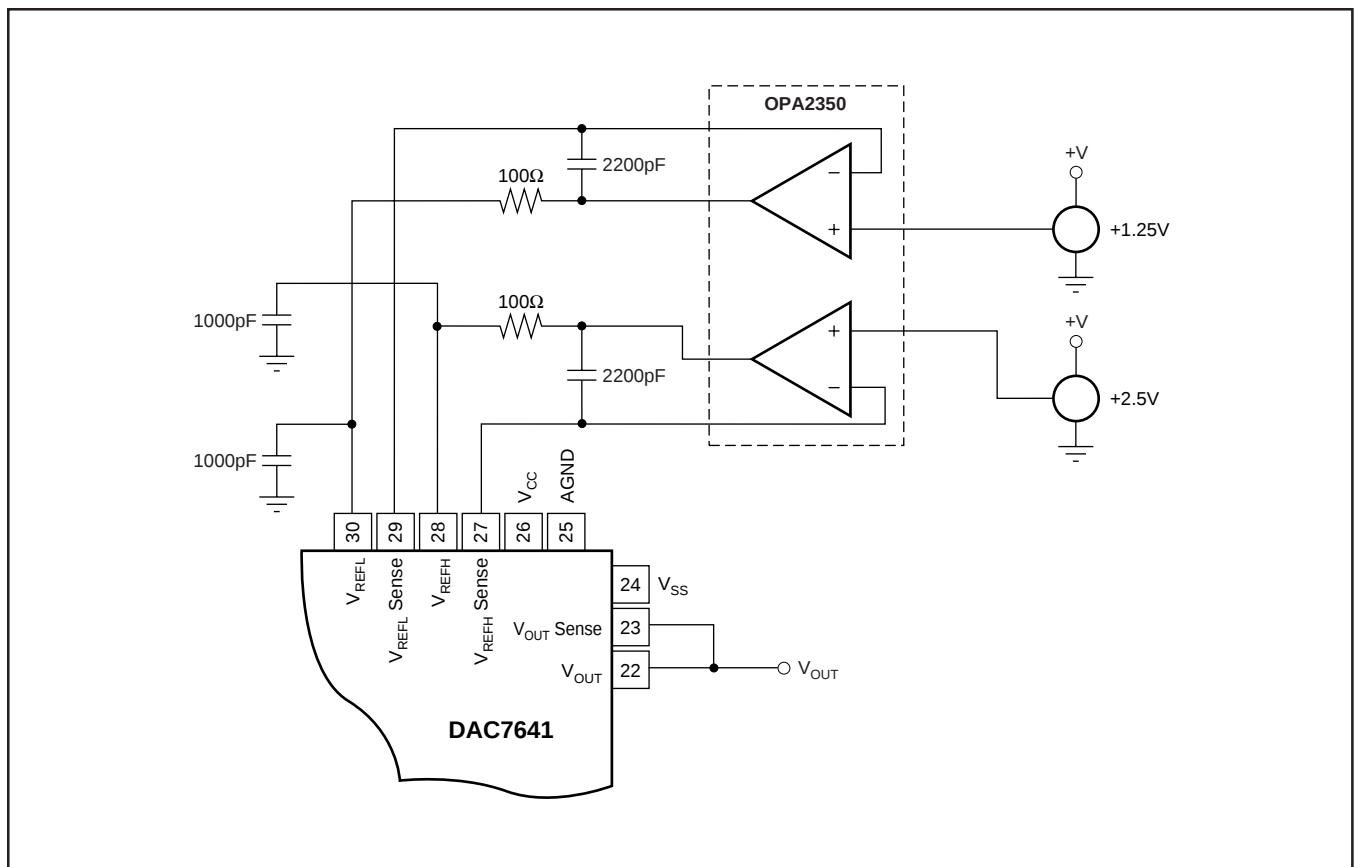


FIGURE 9. Single-Supply Buffered Reference with  $V_{REFL} = +1.25V$  and  $V_{REFH} = +2.5V$ .

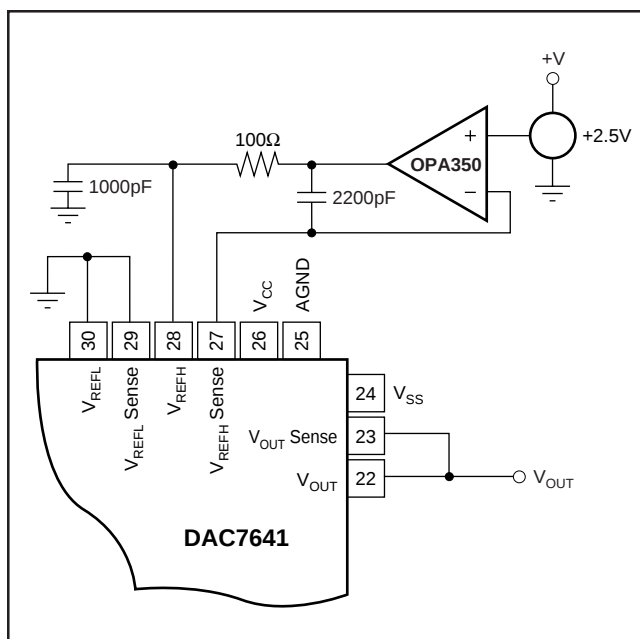


FIGURE 10. Single-Supply Buffered  $V_{REFH}$ .

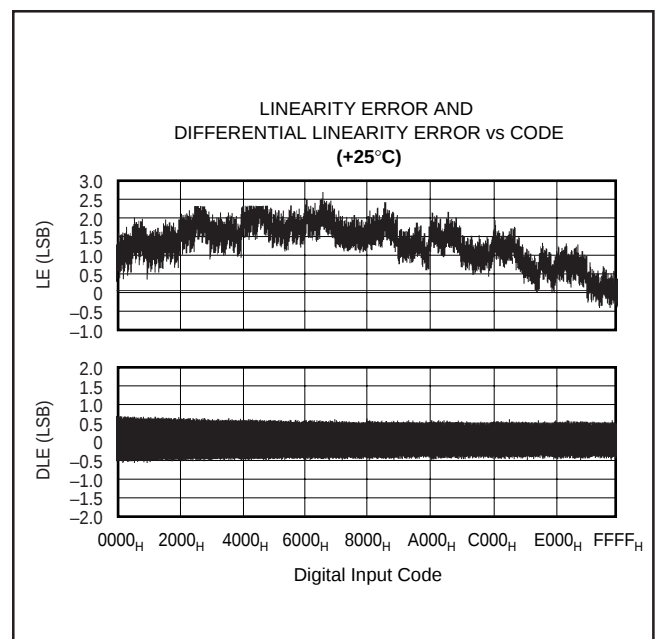


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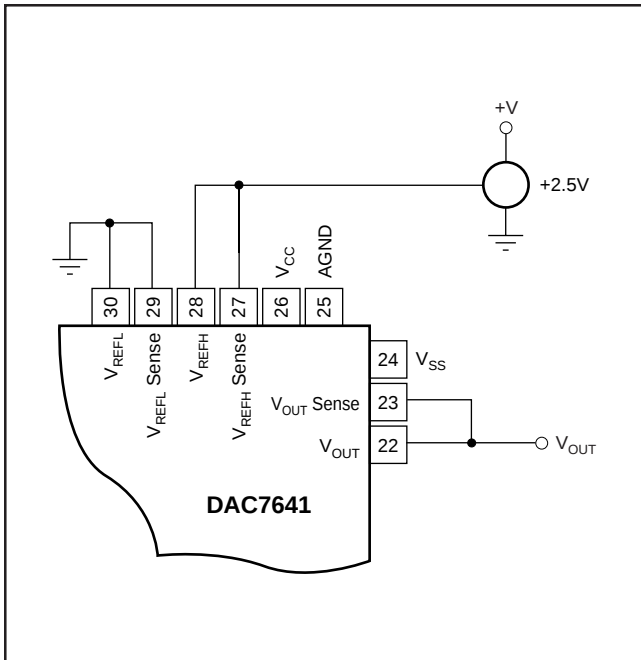


FIGURE 12. Low Cost Single-Supply Configuration.

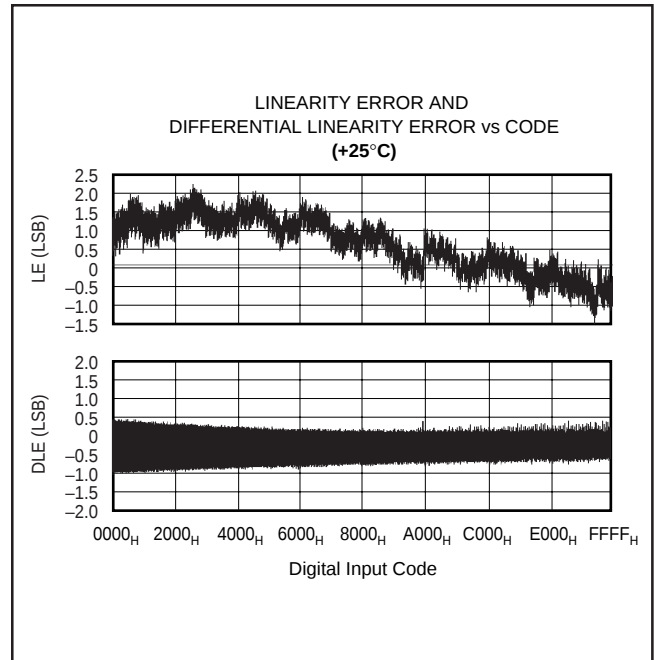


FIGURE 13. Linearity and Differential Linearity Error Curves for Figure 12.

## DIGITAL INTERFACE

Table I shows the basic control logic for the DAC7641. Note that the internal register is edge triggered and not level triggered. When the LDAC signal is transitioned to HIGH, the digital word currently in the register is latched.

The double-buffered architecture is designed so that the DAC input register can be written to at any time.

| R/W | CS | RST | RSTSEL | LDAC | REGISTER          | REGISTER          | INPUT MODE        |
|-----|----|-----|--------|------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| L   | L  | H   | X      | X    | Write             | Hold              | Write Input       |
| H   | L  | H   | X      | X    | Read              | Hold              | Read Input        |
| X   | H  | H   | X      | ↑    | Hold              | Write             | Update            |
| X   | H  | H   | X      | H    | Hold              | Hold              | Hold              |
| X   | X  | ↑   | L      | X    | Reset to Zero     | Reset to Zero     | Reset to Zero     |
| X   | X  | ↑   | H      | X    | Reset to Midscale | Reset to Midscale | Reset to Midscale |

TABLE I. DAC7641 Logic Truth Table.

## DIGITAL TIMING

Figure 14 and Table II provide detailed timing for the digital interface of the DAC7641.

## DIGITAL INPUT CODING

The DAC7641 input data is in Straight Binary format. The output voltage is given by Equation 1.

$$V_{OUT} = V_{REF}L + \frac{(V_{REF}H - V_{REF}L) \cdot N}{65,536} \quad (1)$$

where N is the digital input code. This equation does not include the effects of offset (zero-scale) or gain (full-scale) errors.

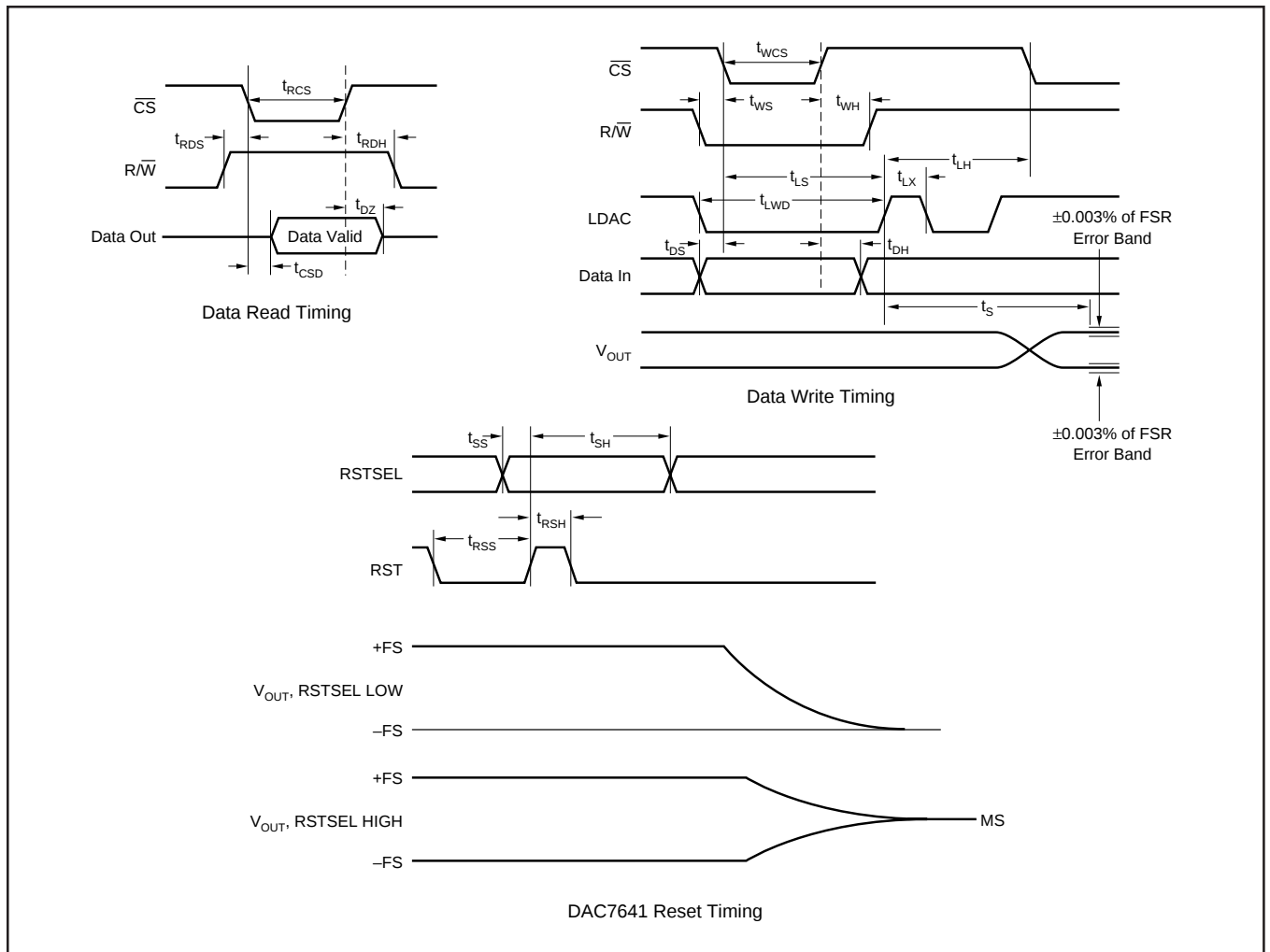


FIGURE 14. Digital Input and Output Timing.

| SYMBOL    | DESCRIPTION                                        | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS   |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|---------|
| $t_{RCS}$ | $\overline{CS}$ LOW for Read                       | 150 |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{RDS}$ | R/W HIGH to $\overline{CS}$ LOW                    | 10  |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{RDH}$ | R/W HIGH after $\overline{CS}$ HIGH                | 10  |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{DZ}$  | $\overline{CS}$ HIGH to Data Bus in High Impedance | 10  |     | 100 | ns      |
| $t_{CSD}$ | $\overline{CS}$ LOW to Data Bus Valid              |     | 100 | 150 | ns      |
| $t_{WCS}$ | $\overline{CS}$ LOW for Write                      | 40  |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{WS}$  | R/W LOW to $\overline{CS}$ LOW                     | 0   |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{WH}$  | R/W LOW after $\overline{CS}$ HIGH                 | 10  |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{LS}$  | $\overline{CS}$ LOW to LDAC HIGH                   | 30  |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{LH}$  | $\overline{CS}$ LOW after LDAC HIGH                | 100 |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{LX}$  | LDAC HIGH                                          | 100 |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{DS}$  | Data Valid to $\overline{CS}$ LOW                  | 0   |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{DH}$  | Data Valid after $\overline{CS}$ HIGH              | 10  |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{LWD}$ | LDAC LOW                                           | 100 |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{SS}$  | RSTSEL Valid Before RESET HIGH                     | 0   |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{SH}$  | RSTSEL Valid After RESET HIGH                      | 200 |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{RSS}$ | RESET LOW Before RESET HIGH                        | 10  |     |     | ns      |
| $t_{RSH}$ | RESET LOW After RESET HIGH                         | 10  |     |     | ns      |
| $t_S$     | Settling Time                                      |     |     | 10  | $\mu$ s |

TABLE II. Timing Specifications ( $T_A = -40^\circ\text{C}$  to  $+85^\circ\text{C}$ ).

## DIGITALLY-PROGRAMMABLE CURRENT SOURCE

The DAC7641 offers a unique set of features that allows a wide range of flexibility in designing applications circuits such as programmable current sources. The DAC7641 offers both a differential reference input as well as an open-loop configuration around the output amplifier. The open-loop configuration around the output amplifier allows transistor to be placed within the loop to implement a digitally-programmable, uni-directional current source. The availability of a differential reference also allows programmability for both the full-scale and zero-scale currents. The output current is calculated as:

$$I_{OUT} = \left( \left( \frac{V_{REFH} - V_{REFL}}{R_{SENSE}} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{N \text{ Value}}{65,536} \right) \right) + (V_{REFL} / R_{SENSE}) \quad (2)$$

Figure 15 shows a DAC7641 in a 4mA to 20mA current output configuration. The output current can be determined by Equation 3:

(3)

$$I_{OUT} = \left( \left( \frac{2.5V - 0.5V}{125\Omega} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{N \text{ Value}}{65,536} \right) \right) + \left( \frac{0.5V}{125\Omega} \right)$$

At full-scale, the output current is 16mA plus the 4mA for the zero current. At zero scale the output current is the offset current of 4mA (0.5V/125Ω).

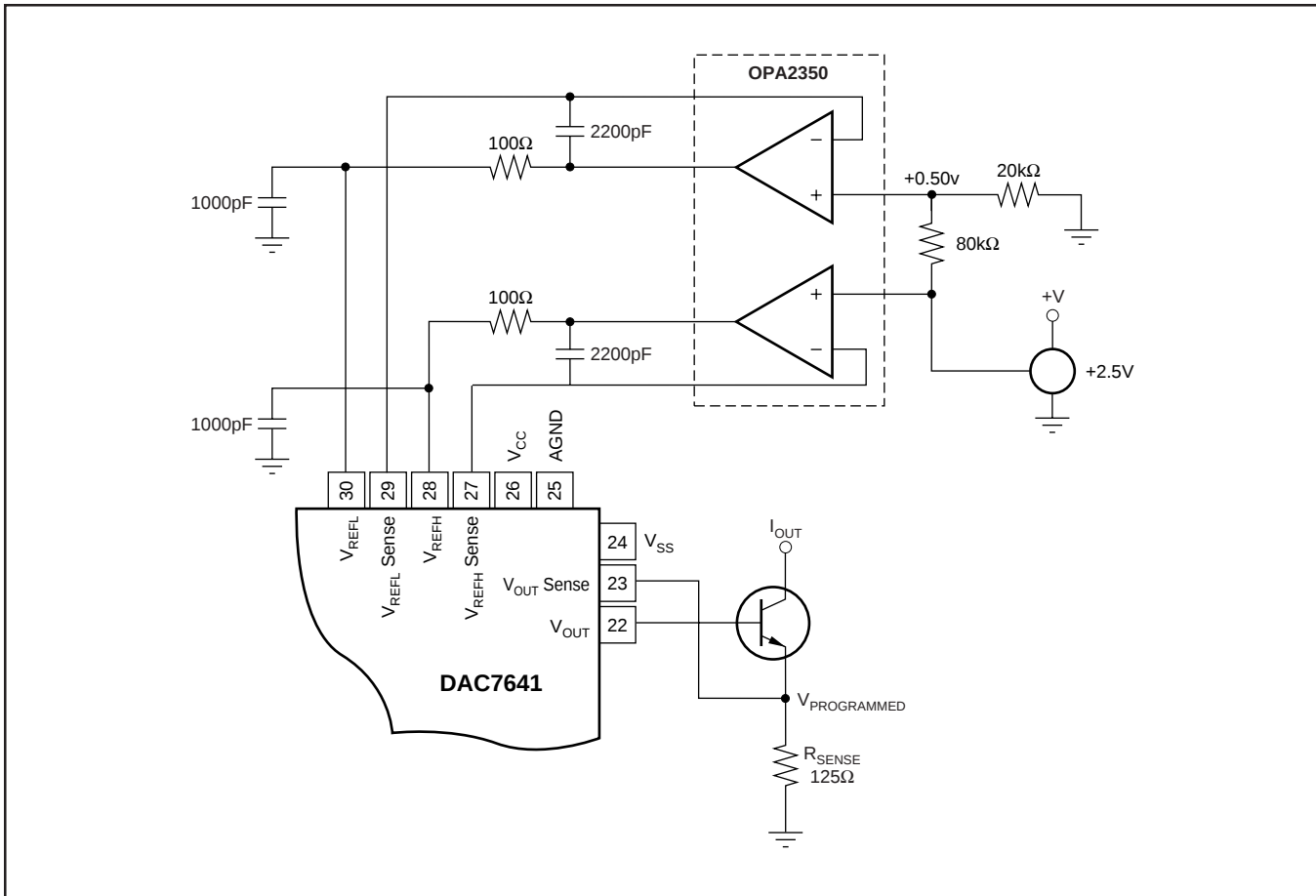


FIGURE 15. 4-to-20mA Digitally Controlled Current Source.

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|------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------|------|-------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|
| DAC7641Y/250     | ACTIVE                | TQFP         | PBS             | 32   | 250         | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU        | Level-3-260C-168 HR          |
| DAC7641Y/250G4   | ACTIVE                | TQFP         | PBS             | 32   | 250         | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU        | Level-3-260C-168 HR          |
| DAC7641YB/250    | ACTIVE                | TQFP         | PBS             | 32   | 250         | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU        | Level-3-260C-168 HR          |
| DAC7641YB/250G4  | ACTIVE                | TQFP         | PBS             | 32   | 250         | Green (RoHS & no Sb/Br) | CU NIPDAU        | Level-3-260C-168 HR          |

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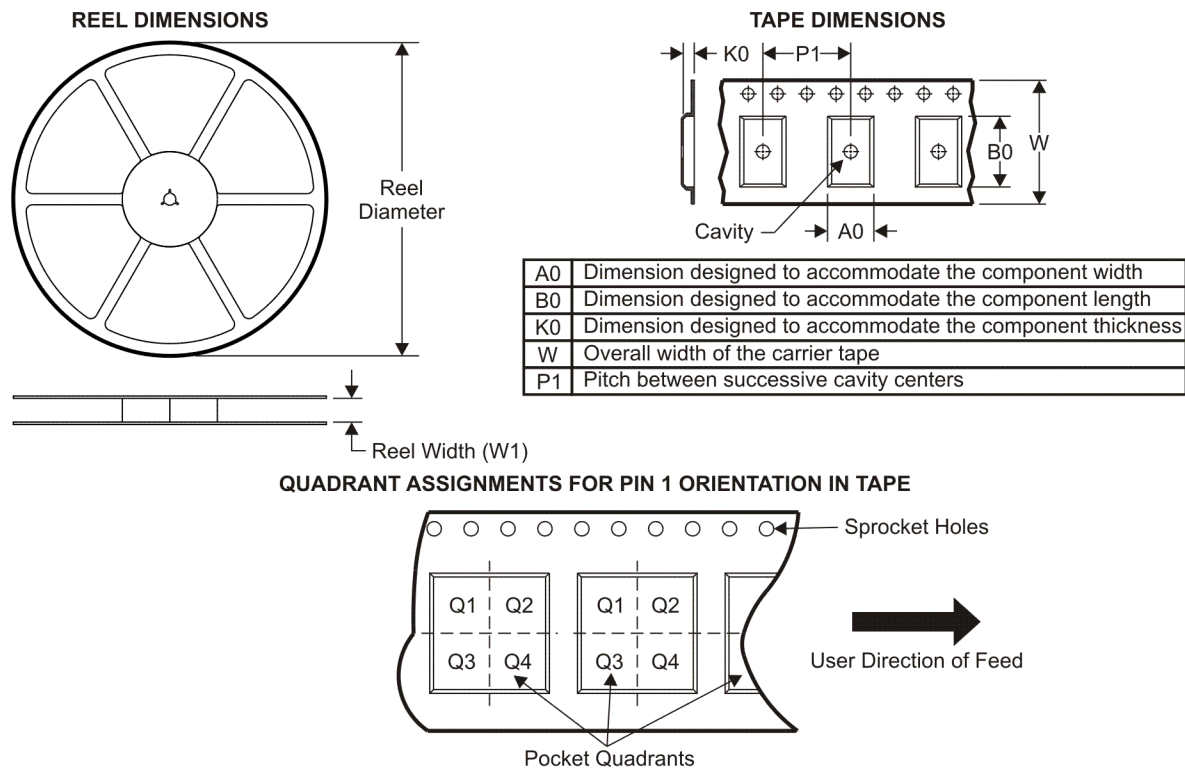
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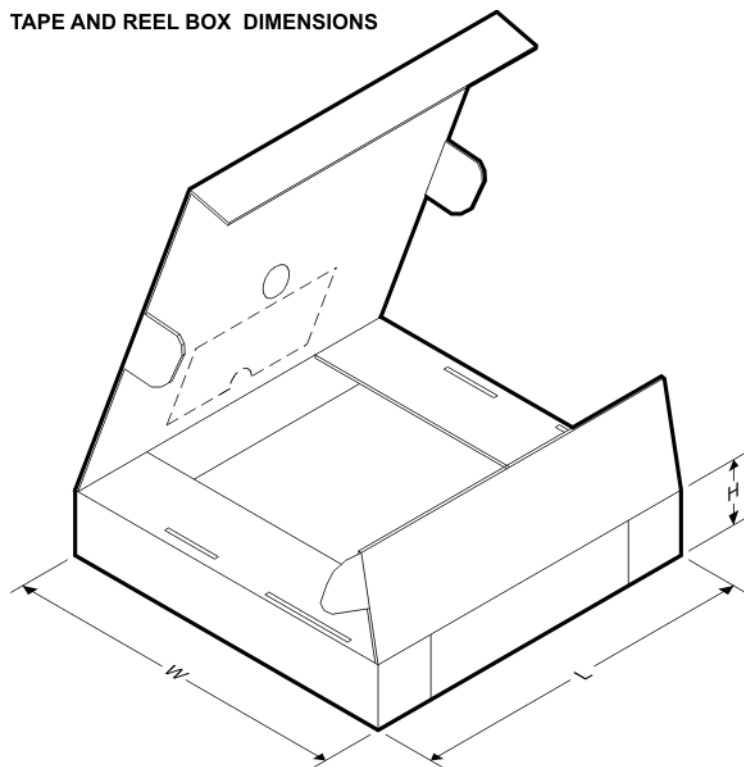
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| Device        | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | SPQ | Reel Diameter (mm) | Reel Width W1 (mm) | A0 (mm) | B0 (mm) | K0 (mm) | P1 (mm) | W (mm) | Pin1 Quadrant |
|---------------|--------------|-----------------|------|-----|--------------------|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|---------------|
| DAC7641Y/250  | TQFP         | PBS             | 32   | 250 | 177.8              | 16.4               | 7.2     | 7.2     | 1.5     | 12.0    | 16.0   | Q2            |
| DAC7641YB/250 | TQFP         | PBS             | 32   | 250 | 177.8              | 16.4               | 7.2     | 7.2     | 1.5     | 12.0    | 16.0   | Q2            |

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\*All dimensions are nominal

| Device        | Package Type | Package Drawing | Pins | SPQ | Length (mm) | Width (mm) | Height (mm) |
|---------------|--------------|-----------------|------|-----|-------------|------------|-------------|
| DAC7641Y/250  | TQFP         | PBS             | 32   | 250 | 190.5       | 212.7      | 31.8        |
| DAC7641YB/250 | TQFP         | PBS             | 32   | 250 | 190.5       | 212.7      | 31.8        |

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