**Triple 2:1 High-Speed Video Multiplexer**

**FEATURES**
- **700MHz SMALL-SIGNAL BANDWIDTH** ($Av = +2$)
- **425MHz, 4Vpp BANDWIDTH**
- **0.1dB GAIN FLATNESS to 150MHz**
- **4ns CHANNEL SWITCHING TIME**
- **LOW SWITCHING GLITCH: 40mV<sub>pp</sub>**
- **3100V/µs SLEW RATE**
- **0.025%/0.025° DIFFERENTIAL GAIN, PHASE**
- **HIGH GAIN ACCURACY: 2.0V/V ±0.4%**

**APPLICATIONS**
- **RGB SWITCHING**
- **LCD PROJECTOR INPUT SELECT**
- **WORKSTATION GRAPHICS**
- **TRIPLE ADC INPUT MUX**
- **DROP-IN UPGRADE TO LT1675**

**DESCRIPTION**

The OPA3875 offers a very wideband, 3-channel, 2:1 multiplexer in a small SSOP-16 package. Using only 11mA/ch, the OPA3875 provides three, gain of +2, video amplifier channels with greater than 400MHz large-signal bandwidth (4V<sub>pp</sub>). Gain accuracy and switching glitch are improved over earlier solutions using a new (patented) input stage switching approach. This technique uses current steering as the input switch while maintaining an overall closed-loop design. Gain matching between each of the 3-channel pairs is also significantly improved using this technique (<0.2% gain mismatch). With greater than 700MHz small-signal bandwidth at a gain of 2, the OPA3875 gives a typical 0.1dB gain flatness to greater than 150MHz.

System power may be reduced using the chip enable feature for the OPA3875. Taking the chip enable line high powers down the OPA3875 to less than 900µA total supply current. Muxing multiple OPA3875 outputs together, then using the chip enable to select which channels are active, increases the number of possible inputs to the 3-channel outputs.

Where a single channel of the OPA3875 is required, consider the OPA875.

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**OPA3875 RELATED PRODUCTS**

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This integrated circuit can be damaged by ESD. Texas Instruments 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.

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(1) 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 www.ti.com.

**ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Over operating temperature range, unless otherwise noted.

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**PIN CONFIGURATION**

Top View

![OPA3875 SSOP-16 Pin Diagram](image-url)
ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS: $V_S = \pm 5\text{V}$

At $G = +2$, $R_L = 150\Omega$, unless otherwise noted.

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| CHANNEL-TO-CHANNEL PERFORMANCE  |                   |         |                   |         |          |         |
| Gain Match                       | Channel to Channel, $R_L = 150\Omega$ | ±0.05   | ±0.25             | ±0.3    | ±0.35    | %      | max | A   |
|                                 | All inputs, $R_L = 150\Omega$        | ±0.1    | ±0.5              | ±0.6    | ±0.7     | %      | max | A   |
| Output Offset Voltage Mismatch   | All three outputs                     | ±3      | ±3                | ±10     | ±12      | mV     | max | A   |
| All Hostile Crosstalk            | $f = 50MHz$, $R_L = 150\Omega$       | –50     |                   |         |          | dB     | typ | C   |
| Channel-to-Channel Crosstalk     | $f = 50MHz$, $R_L = 150\Omega$       | –58     |                   |         |          | dB     | typ | C   |

| CHANNEL AND CHIP-SELECT PERFORMANCE |                   |         |                   |         |          |         |
| SEL (Channel Select) Switching Time | $R_L = 150\Omega$ | 4       |                   |         |          | ns     | typ | C   |
| & (Chip Select) Switching Time     | $R_L = 150\Omega$ | 9       |                   |         |          | ns     | typ | C   |
|                                  | $R_L = 150\Omega$ | 9       |                   |         |          | ns     | typ | C   |
| SEL (Channel Select) Switching Glitch | $R_L = 150\Omega$ | 40      |                   |         |          | mV_{pp} | typ | C   |
|                                  | $R_L = 150\Omega$ | 15      |                   |         |          | mV_{pp} | typ | C   |
| All Hostile Disable Feedthrough   | 50MHz, Chip Disabled ($\overline{\text{SEL}}$ = High) | –68     |                   |         |          | dB     | typ | C   |
| Maximum Logic 0                   | $\overline{\text{SEL}}$, $\text{SEL}$ | 0.8     | 0.8               | 0.8     |          | V      | max | B   |
| Minimum Logic 1                   | $\overline{\text{SEL}}$, $\text{SEL}$ | 2.0     | 2.0               | 2.0     |          | V      | min | B   |
| $\overline{\text{SEL}}$, Logic Input Current | 0V to 4.5V | 75      | 100               | 125     | 150      | \mu A  | max | A   |
| SEL Logic Input Current           | 0V to 4.5V       | 160     | 200               | 250     | 300      | \mu A  | max | A   |

| DC PERFORMANCE                    |                   |         |                   |         |          |         |
| Output Offset Voltage             | $R_N = 0\Omega$, $G = +2V/V$ | ±2.5    | ±14               | ±15.8   | ±17      | mV     | max | A   |
| Average Output Offset Voltage Drift| $R_N = 0\Omega$, $G = +2V/V$ | ±50    | ±50               | ±50     |          | \mu V/°C | max | B   |
| Input Bias Current                | ±5                | ±18     | ±19.5             | ±20.5   | ±20.5    | \mu A  | max | A   |
| Average Input Bias Current Drift  | ±40               | ±40     | ±40               | ±40     |          | nA/°C  | max | B   |
| Gain Error (from 2V/V)            | $V_O = \pm 2V$    | 0.4     | 1.4               | 1.5     | 1.6      | %      | max | A   |

| INPUT                            |                   |         |                   |         |          |         |
| Input Voltage Range              |                   | ±2.8    |                   |         |          | V      | typ | C   |
| Input Resistance                 |                   | 1.75    |                   |         |          | \Omega | typ | C   |
| Input Capacitance                | Channel Selected  | 0.9     |                   |         |          | \text{pF} | typ | C   |
|                                  | Channel Deselected| 0.9     |                   |         |          | \text{pF} | typ | C   |
|                                  | Chip Disabled     | 0.9     |                   |         |          | \text{pF} | typ | C   |

(1) Test levels: (A) 100% tested at +25°C. Over temperature limits set by characterization and simulation. (B) Limits set by characterization and simulation. (C) Typical value only for information.

(2) Junction temperature = ambient for +25°C tested specifications.

(3) Junction temperature = ambient at low temperature limit; junction temperature = ambient +36°C at high temperature limit for over temperature specifications.
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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS: $V_S = \pm 5V$ (continued)

At $G = +2$, $R_L = 150\Omega$, unless otherwise noted.

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Product Folder Link(s): OPA3875
TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: \( V_S = \pm 5\text{V} \)

At \( G = +2 \) and \( R_L = 150\Omega \), unless otherwise noted.

**Small-Signal Frequency Response**

![Small-Signal Frequency Response Graph](image)

**Large-Signal Frequency Response**

![Large-Signal Frequency Response Graph](image)

**Noninverting Pulse Response**

![Noninverting Pulse Response Graph](image)

**All Input Disable Feedthrough vs Frequency**

![All Input Disable Feedthrough vs Frequency Graph](image)

**Recommended \( R_S \) vs Capacitive Load**

![Recommended \( R_S \) vs Capacitive Load Graph](image)

**Frequency Response vs Capacitive Load**

![Frequency Response vs Capacitive Load Graph](image)
TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: \( V_S = \pm 5V \) (continued)

At \( G = +2 \) and \( R_L = 150\Omega \), unless otherwise noted.

- **Harmonic Distortion vs Load Resistance**
  - \( V_O = 2V_{pp} \)
  - \( f = 10MHz \)
  - \( V = 2V_{PP} \)
  - \( f = 10MHz \)
  - \( R_L = 150\Omega \)
  - \( 2nd\text{-}Harmonic \)
  - \( 3rd\text{-}Harmonic \)
  - \( dBC = dB \) Below Carrier

- **Harmonic Distortion vs Supply Voltage**
  - \( V_O = 2V_{pp} \)
  - \( f = 10MHz \)
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  - \( dBC = dB \) Below Carrier

- **Harmonic Distortion vs Frequency**
  - \( V_O = 2V_{pp} \)
  - \( R_L = 150\Omega \)
  - \( 2nd\text{-}Harmonic \)
  - \( 3rd\text{-}Harmonic \)
  - \( dBC = dB \) Below Carrier

- **Harmonic Distortion vs Output Voltage**
  - \( R_L = 150\Omega \)
  - \( f = 10MHz \)
  - \( 2nd\text{-}Harmonic \)
  - \( 3rd\text{-}Harmonic \)
  - \( dBC = dB \) Below Carrier

- **Two-Tone, 3rd-Order Intermodulation Spurious**
  - \( R_L = 100\Omega \)
  - Load Power at Matched 50Ω Load
  - \( dBC = dB \) Below Carrier
  - \( 50MHz \)
  - \( 20MHz \)
  - \( 10MHz \)

- **Output Voltage and Current Limitations**
  - \( V_O = 2V_{pp} \)
  - \( f = 10MHz \)
  - \( 1W \) Internal Power Limit
  - \( 100\Omega \) Load Line
  - \( 25\Omega \) Load Line
  - \( 50\Omega \) Load Line
  - \( 1W \) Internal Power Limit
TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: $V_S = \pm 5V$ (continued)

At $G = +2$ and $R_L = 150\Omega$, unless otherwise noted.

Figure 13. CHANNEL SWITCHING

Figure 14. CHANNEL-TO-CHANNEL SWITCHING TIME

Figure 15. CHANNEL SWITCHING GLITCH

Figure 16. DISABLE/ENABLE TIME

Figure 17. DISABLE/ENABLE SWITCHING GLITCH

Figure 18. CHANNEL-TO-CHANNEL CROSSTALK
TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: $V_S = \pm 5V$ (continued)

At $G = +2$ and $R_L = 150\Omega$, unless otherwise noted.

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**Figure 19.**

ALL HOSTILE AND ADJACENT-CHANNEL CROSSTALK vs FREQUENCY

**Figure 20.**

CLOSED-LOOP OUTPUT IMPEDANCE vs FREQUENCY

**Figure 21.**

INPUT IMPEDANCE vs FREQUENCY

**Figure 22.**

PSRR vs FREQUENCY

**Figure 23.**

SUPPLY CURRENT vs TEMPERATURE

**Figure 24.**

TYPICAL DC DRIFT OVER TEMPERATURE
TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: $V_S = \pm 5\text{V}$ (continued)

At $G = +2$ and $R_L = 150\Omega$, unless otherwise noted.

![Input Voltage and Current Noise Graph](image-url)

Figure 25.
2:1 HIGH-SPEED VIDEO MULTIPLEXER OPERATION

The OPA3875 can be used as a triple 2:1 high-speed video multiplexer, as illustrated in the front page schematic for an RGB signal. Figure 26 shows a simplified version of the front page schematic in which one output is shown with its input and output impedance matching resistors.

RGB VIDEO INVERTER

Figure 27 illustrates an extension of the previously shown RGB switching circuit with a noninverting signal going through channel 1 and an inverted signal going through channel two. Here, the output impedance of the OPA3875 is set to 75Ω. Looking at the input part of this circuit, we see that the RGB signal is inverted with an OPA3693 fixed gain set in an inverting configuration with a reference voltage on the noninverting node. The reference voltage, set here at 0.714V, has a gain of 1 at the output of the OPA3691 as the input signal is AC-coupled (not represented here). This bias voltage is required to prevent the video from swinging negative. Note also that the 75Ω input matching impedance is set here by the parallel combination of 92Ω and 402Ω. In order not to disturb the sync, color burst, and blanking if present, the inverting amplifiers are only switched on during active video.

LOGO INSERTER

Figure 28 illustrates the principle of overlaying a picture in a picture. The picture comes through U1; the signal to be overlayed comes through U2. Here we have a reference voltage of 0.714V in channel 2 indicating that we will highlight a section of the picture with white (for NTSC-related RGB video). How much white comes through depends on the combination of select 1 and select 2 pins as well as the series output resistance of each OPA3875. To match the 75Ω output impedance of the video cable, the parallel combination of the series output resistance (R and nR) needs to be 75Ω. The two select pins gives us 2 bits of control. By selecting n = 2, you have the capability of a 0% highlight (full original video signal), 33% highlight, 66% highlight, and 100% highlight (all white). By selecting n = 3, you have 0%, 25%, 75%, and 100% highlight capabilities, etc.
Figure 27. RGB Video Inverter
Figure 28. Logo Inserter

\[
V_{\text{REF}} = 0.714\text{V} \\
R_0 || nR_0 = 75\Omega
\]
ADC INPUT MUX

Figure 29 shows the OPA3875 used as a multiplexer in a high-speed data acquisition signal chain.

Figure 29. ADC Input Multiplexer
DESIGN-IN TOOLS

DEMONSTRATION FIXTURE

A printed circuit board (PCB) is available to assist in the initial evaluation of circuit performance using the OPA3875. The fixture is offered free of charge as an unpopulated PCB, delivered with a user’s guide. The summary information for this fixture is shown in Table 1.

Table 1. OPA3875 Demonstration Fixture

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The demonstration fixture can be requested at the Texas Instruments web site at (www.ti.com) through the OPA3875 product folder.

MACROMODELS AND APPLICATIONS SUPPORT

Computer simulation of circuit performance using SPICE is often useful when analyzing the performance of analog circuits and systems. This is particularly true for video and RF amplifier circuits where parasitic capacitance and inductance can have a major effect on circuit performance. A SPICE model for the OPA875 is available through the Texas Instruments web site at www.ti.com. Use three of these models to simulate the OPA3875. These models do a good job of predicting small-signal AC and transient performance under a wide variety of operating conditions. They do not do as well in predicting the harmonic distortion or dG/dP characteristics. These models do not attempt to distinguish between the package types in their small-signal AC performance nor do they predict channel-to-channel effects.

OPERATING SUGGESTIONS

DRIVING CAPACITIVE LOADS

One of the most demanding, yet very common load conditions is capacitive loading. Often, the capacitive load is the input of an ADC—including additional external capacitance that may be recommended to improve ADC linearity. A high-speed device such as the OPA3875 can be very susceptible to decreased stability and closed-loop response peaking when a capacitive load is placed directly on the output pin. When the device open-loop output resistance is considered, this capacitive load introduces an additional pole in the signal path that can decrease the phase margin. Several external solutions to this problem have been suggested. When the primary considerations are frequency response flatness, pulse response fidelity, and/or distortion, the simplest and most effective solution is to isolate the capacitive load from the feedback loop by inserting a series isolation resistor between the amplifier output and the capacitive load. This isolation resistor does not eliminate the pole from the loop response, but rather shifts it and adds a zero at a higher frequency. The additional zero acts to cancel the phase lag from the capacitive load pole, thus increasing the phase margin and improving stability.

The Typical Characteristics show the recommended $R_s$ versus capacitive load and the resulting frequency response at the load; see Figure 5 and Figure 6, respectively. Parasitic capacitive loads greater than 2pF can begin to degrade the performance of the OPA3875. Long PCB traces, unmatched cables, and connections to multiple devices can easily cause this value to be exceeded. Always consider this effect carefully, and add the recommended series resistor as close as possible to the OPA3875 output pin (see the Board Layout Guidelines section).

DC ACCURACY

The OPA3875 offers excellent DC signal accuracy. Parameters that influence the output DC offset voltage are:

- Output offset voltage
- Input bias current
- Gain error
- Power-supply rejection ratio
- Temperature

Leaving both temperature and gain error parameters aside, the output offset voltage envelope can be described as shown in Equation 1:

$$V_{OSO_{envelope}} = V_{OSO} + (R_s \cdot I_b) \cdot G \cdot \left| 5 - (V_{S_+}) \right| \times 10^{\frac{PSRR_-}{20}} \pm \left| -5 - (V_{S_-}) \right| \times 10^{\frac{PSRR_+}{20}} + V_{CM} \times 10^{\frac{CMRR}{20}}$$  \hspace{1cm} (1)

With:

- $V_{OSO}$: Output offset voltage
- $R_s$: Input resistance seen by R0, R1, G0, G1, B0, or B1.
- $I_b$: Input bias current
- $G$: Gain
- $V_{S_+}$: Positive supply voltage
- $V_{S_-}$: Negative supply voltage
- $PSRR_-$: Positive supply PSRR
- $PSRR_-$: Negative supply PSRR

$G$, $V_{S_+}$, $V_{S_-}$, $R_s$, $I_b$, and $V_{OSO}$ are extracted from the OPA3875 output model files available in the SPICE Models section.

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Evaluating the front-page schematic, using a worst-case, +25°C offset voltage, bias current and PSRR specifications and operating at ±6V, gives a worst-case output equal to Equation 2:

\[
e = 14mV + 75\Omega \times 18\mu A \times 2 = \left| 5 - 6 \right| \times 10^{-50} \\
= \pm 22.7mV
\]

(2)

DISTORTION PERFORMANCE

The OPA3875 provides good distortion performance into a 100Ω load on ±5V supplies. Relative to alternative solutions, it provides exceptional performance into lighter loads. Generally, until the fundamental signal reaches very high frequency or power levels, the 2nd-harmonic dominates the distortion with a negligible 3rd-harmonic component. Focusing then on the 2nd-harmonic, increasing the load impedance improves distortion directly. Also, providing an additional supply decoupling capacitor (0.01µF) between the supply pins (for bipolar operation) improves the 2nd-order distortion slightly (3dB to 6dB).

In most op amps, increasing the output voltage swing increases harmonic distortion directly. The Typical Characteristics show the 2nd-harmonic increasing at a little less than the expected 2X rate while the 3rd-harmonic increases at a little less than the expected 3X rate. Where the test power doubles, the 2nd-harmonic increases only by less than the expected 6dB, whereas the 3rd-harmonic increases by less than the expected 12dB. This also shows up in the two-tone, 3rd-order intermodulation spurious (IM3) response curves. The 3rd-order spurious levels are extremely low at low output power levels. The output stage continues to hold them low even as the fundamental power reaches very high levels. As the Typical Characteristics show, the spurious intermodulation powers do not increase as predicted by a traditional intercept model. As the fundamental power level increases, the dynamic range does not decrease significantly. For two tones centered at 20MHz, with 4dBm/tone into a matched 50Ω load (that is, 1Vpp for each tone at the load, which requires 4Vpp for the overall 2-tone envelope at the output pin), the Typical Characteristics show a 82dBc difference between the test-tone power and the 3rd-order intermodulation spurious levels.

Figure 30. Noise Model

The total output spot noise voltage can be computed as the square root of the sum of all squared output noise voltage contributors. Equation 3 shows the general form for the output noise voltage using the terms shown in Figure 30.

\[
e_n = 4kT R_s \\
e = 2\sqrt{e_n^2 + (i_b R_s)^2 + 4kT R_s}
\]

(3)

Dividing this expression by the device gain (2V/V) gives the equivalent input-referred spot noise voltage at the noninverting input as shown in Equation 4.

\[
e_n = \sqrt{e_n^2 + (i_b R_s)^2 + 4kT R_s}
\]

(4)

Evaluating these two equations for the OPA3875 circuit and component values shown in Figure 26 gives a total output spot noise voltage of 13.6nV/√Hz and a total equivalent input spot noise voltage of 6.8nV/√Hz. This total input-referred spot noise voltage is higher than the 6.7nV/√Hz specification for themux voltage noise alone. This number reflects the noise added to the output by the bias current noise times the source resistor.
THERMAL ANALYSIS

Heatsinking or forced airflow may be required under extreme operating conditions. Maximum desired junction temperature will set the maximum allowed internal power dissipation as discussed in this document. In no case should the maximum junction temperature be allowed to exceed +150°C.

Operating junction temperature ($T_J$) is given by $T_A + P_D \times \theta_{JA}$. The total internal power dissipation ($P_D$) is the sum of quiescent power ($P_{DO}$) and additional power dissipated in the output stage ($P_{DL}$) to deliver load power. Quiescent power is simply the specified no-load supply current times the total supply voltage across the part. $P_{DL}$ depends on the required output signal and load but, for a grounded resistive load, is at a maximum when the output is fixed at a voltage equal to 1/2 of either supply voltage (for equal bipolar supplies). Under this condition $P_{DL} = V_S^2/4 \times R_L$, where $R_L$ includes feedback network loading.

Note that it is the power in the output stage and not in the load that determines internal power dissipation.

As a worst-case example, compute the maximum $T_J$ using an OPA3875 in the circuit of Figure 26 operating at the maximum specified ambient temperature of +85°C with all three outputs driving a grounded 100Ω load to +2.5V:

$P_D = 10V \times 36mA + 3(5^2/4 \times (100Ω || 804Ω)) = 571mW$

Maximum $T_J = +85°C + (0.57W \times 85°C/W) = 133°C$

This worst-case condition is approaching the maximum +150°C junction temperature. Normally, this extreme case is not encountered. Careful attention to internal power dissipation is required.

BOARD LAYOUT GUIDELINES

Achieving optimum performance with a high frequency amplifier such as the OPA3875 requires careful attention to board layout parasitics and external component types. Recommendations that will optimize performance include:

a) Minimize parasitic capacitance to any AC ground for all of the signal I/O pins. Parasitic capacitance on the output pin can cause instability: on the noninverting input, it can react with the source impedance to cause unintentional bandlimiting. To reduce unwanted capacitance, a window around the signal I/O pins should be opened in all of the ground and power planes around those pins. Otherwise, ground and power planes should be unbroken elsewhere on the board.

b) Minimize the distance (< 0.25") from the power-supply pins to high frequency 0.1µF decoupling capacitors. At the device pins, the ground and power plane layout should not be in close proximity to the signal I/O pins. Avoid narrow power and ground traces to minimize inductance between the pins and the decoupling capacitors. The power-supply connections (on pins 9, 11, 13, and 15) should always be decoupled with these capacitors. An optional supply decoupling capacitor across the two power supplies (for bipolar operation) will improve 2nd-harmonic distortion performance. Larger (2.2µF to 6.8µF) decoupling capacitors, effective at lower frequency, should also be used on the main supply pins. These may be placed somewhat farther from the device and may be shared among several devices in the same area of the PCB.

c) Careful selection and placement of external components will preserve the high-frequency performance of the OPA3875. Resistors should be a very low reactance type. Surface-mount resistors work best and allow a tighter overall layout. Metal-film and carbon composition, axially leaded resistors can also provide good high-frequency performance. Again, keep their leads and PCB trace length as short as possible. Never use wirewound type resistors in a high-frequency application. Other network components, such as noninverting input termination resistors, should also be placed close to the package.

d) Connections to other wideband devices on the board may be made with short direct traces or through onboard transmission lines. For short connections, consider the trace and the input to the next device as a lumped capacitive load. Relatively wide traces (50mils to 100mils) should be used, preferably with ground and power planes opened up around them. Estimate the total capacitive load and set $R_S$ from the plot of Figure 5. Low parasitic capacitive loads (< 5pF) may not need an $R_S$ because the OPA3875 is nominally compensated to operate with a 2pF parasitic load. If a long trace is required, and the 6dB signal loss intrinsic to a doubly-terminated transmission line is acceptable, implement a matched impedance transmission line using microstrip or stripline techniques (consult an ECL design handbook for microstrip and stripline layout techniques). A 50Ω environment is normally not necessary on board, and in fact, a higher impedance environment will improve distortion as shown in the Distortion versus Load plots.
With a characteristic board trace impedance defined based on board material and trace dimensions, a matching series resistor into the trace from the output of the OPA3875 is used as well as a terminating shunt resistor at the input of the destination device. Remember also that the terminating impedance will be the parallel combination of the shunt resistor and the input impedance of the destination device; this total effective impedance should be set to match the trace impedance. The high output voltage and current capability of the OPA3875 allows multiple destination devices to be handled as separate transmission lines, each with their own series and shunt terminations. If the 6dB attenuation of a doubly-terminated transmission line is unacceptable, a long trace can be series-terminated at the source end only. Treat the trace as a capacitive load in this case and set the series resistor value as shown in Figure 5. This will not preserve signal integrity as well as a doubly-terminated line. If the input impedance of the destination device is low, there will be some signal attenuation due to the voltage divider formed by the series output into the terminating impedance.

e) **Socketing a high-speed part like the OPA3875 is not recommended.** The additional lead length and pin-to-pin capacitance introduced by the socket can create an extremely troublesome parasitic network which can make it almost impossible to achieve a smooth, stable frequency response. Best results are obtained by soldering the OPA3875 onto the board.

**INPUT AND ESD PROTECTION**

The OPA3875 is built using a very high-speed complementary bipolar process. The internal junction breakdown voltages are relatively low for these very small geometry devices. These breakdowns are reflected in the **Absolute Maximum Ratings** table. All device pins have limited ESD protection using internal diodes to the power supplies as shown in Figure 31.

![Figure 31. Internal ESD Protection](image)

These diodes provide moderate protection to input overdrive voltages above the supplies as well. The protection diodes can typically support 30mA continuous current. Where higher currents are possible (for example, in systems with ±15V supply parts driving into the OPA3875), current-limiting series resistors should be added into the two inputs. Keep these resistor values as low as possible because high values degrade both noise performance and frequency response.
Revision History

Changes from Revision C (September 2007) to Revision D

- Changed storage temperature range rating in Absolute Maximum Ratings table from \(-40^\circ C\) to \(+125^\circ C\) to \(-65^\circ C\) to \(+125^\circ C\).......................... 2

Changes from Revision B (December 2006) to Revision C

- Changed the ordering number column in Table 1. ........................................................................................................... 14
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(1) The marketing status values are defined as follows:
- **ACTIVE:** Product device recommended for new designs.
- **LIFEBUY:** TI has announced that the device will be discontinued, and a lifetime-buy period is in effect.
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(3) **MSL, Peak Temp.** - The Moisture Sensitivity Level rating according to the JEDEC industry standard classifications, and peak solder temperature.

(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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**Legend:**
- **A0:** Dimension designed to accommodate the component width
- **B0:** Dimension designed to accommodate the component length
- **K0:** Dimension designed to accommodate the component thickness
- **W:** Overall width of the carrier tape
- **P1:** Pitch between successive cavity centers
## TAPE AND REEL BOX DIMENSIONS

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4. This dimension does not include interlead flash.
5. Reference JEDEC registration MO-137, variation AB.
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7. Solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads can vary based on board fabrication site.
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