



LM3876 - High-Performance 56W Audio Power Amplifier with Mute

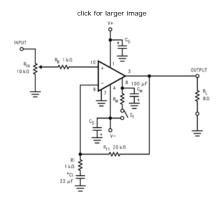
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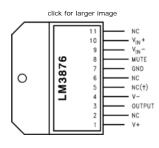
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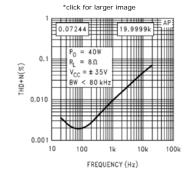


Parametric Table

Power@ 40hms, 1% THD	60 Watt
Power@ 80hms, 1% THD	45 Watt
Power@ 80hms, 10% THD	56 Watt
THD	0.06 %
SNR	98 dB
Channels	1 Channels
THD Conditions	Po=40W @ Vs=±35V
PSRR Conditions	Undefined
SNR Conditions	Undefined
User Supply	35 Volt
Supply Range	+24 - +84V
Mute/Shutdown	Mute
Gain Bandwidth	8 MHz
Slew Rate	11 Volts/usec
Temperature Min	-20 deg C
Temperature Max	85 deg C

Connection Diagram







LM3876 Overture™ Audio Power Amplifier Series High-Performance 56W Audio Power Amplifier w/Mute

LM3876 Overture™ Audio Power Amplifier Series High-Performance 56W Audio Power Amplifier w/Mute (Japanese)

Package Availability, Models

	Package						Factory Lead Time						Std	Package
Part Number	Туре	Pins	Spec.	MSL Rating	Peak Reflow	RoHS Report	CAD Symbols	Weeks	Qty	Models		Pack Size	Marking Format	
LM3876T	TO-220	11	STD	1	NA	RoHS	N/A	Full producti	oction N/A				rail of	NSUZXYTTE#
			NOPB	1	NA			6 weeks	1000				20	LM3876T
LM3876TF	ISOLATED TO220	ATED TO220 11 NOPB	1 NA	NA	RoHS	N/A	Full producti	on	N/A		rail of	NSUZXYTTE#		
								6 weeks	1000				20	LM3876TF

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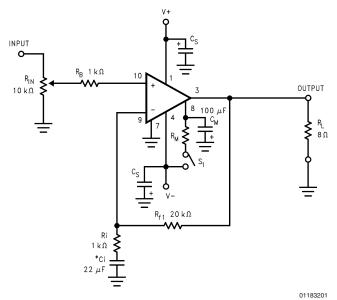
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^{*}Optional components dependent upon specific design requirements. Refer to the External Components Description section for a component functional description.

FIGURE 1. Typical Audio Amplifier Application Circuit

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Absolute Maximum Ratings (Notes 4,

5)

If Military/Aerospace specified devices are required, please contact the National Semiconductor Sales Office/ Distributors for availability and specifications.

Supply Voltage $|V^+|+|V^-|$ (No Signal) 94V
Supply Voltage $|V^+|+|V^-|$ (Input Signal) 84V
Common Mode Input Voltage $(V^+ \text{ or } V^-)$ and $|V^+|+|V^-| \le 80V$ Differential Input Voltage 60V
Output Current Internally Limited
Power Dissipation (Note 6) 125W
ESD Susceptibility (Note 7) 3000V

Soldering Information

T Package (10 seconds)

Junction Temperature (Note 8)

Storage Temperature -40°C to +150°C
Thermal Resistance

 θ_{JC} 1°C/W θ_{JA} 43°C/W

Operating Ratings (Notes 4, 5)

Temperature Range

 $T_{MIN} \le T_A \le T_{MAX}$ $-20^{\circ}C \le T_A \le +85^{\circ}C$

Supply Voltage |V+| + |V-|

24V to 84V

Note 1: Operation is guaranteed up to 84V, however, distortion may be introduced from **SPiKe** Protection Circuitry when operating above 70V if proper thermal considerations are not taken into account. Refer to the **Thermal Considerations** section for more information.

(See SPiKe Protection Response)

Electrical Characteristics (Notes 4, 5)

The following specifications apply for V⁺ = +35V, V⁻ = -35V, I_{MUTE} = -0.5 mA with R_L = 8 Ω unless otherwise specified. Limits apply for T_A = 25°C.

150°C

260°C

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	LM:	Units	
			Typical	Limit	(Limits)
			(Note 9)	(Note 10)	
V ⁺ + V ⁻	Power Supply Voltage (Note 13)	$V_{pin7} - V^- \ge 9V$	18	24	V (min)
				84	V (max)
A _M	Mute Attenuation	Pin 8 Open or at 0V, Mute: On			
		Current out of Pin 8 > 0.5 mA,	120	80	dB (min)
		Mute: Off			
P _O (Note 3)	Output Power (Continuous Average)	THD + N = 0.1% (max)	56	40	W (min)
		f = 1 kHz; f = 20 kHz			
Peak P _O	Instantaneous Peak Output Power		100		W
THD + N	Total Harmonic Distortion Plus Noise	40W, 20 Hz ≤ f ≤ 20 kHz	0.06		%
		$A_V = 26 \text{ dB}$			
SR (Note 3)	Slew Rate (Note 12)	V _{IN} = 1.2 Vrms, f = 10 kHz,	11	5	V/µs (min)
		Square-Wave, $R_L = 2 k\Omega$			
I ⁺ (Note 2)	Total Quiescent Power Supply Current	$V_{CM} = 0V, V_{o} = 0V, I_{o} = 0A, I_{mute} = 0A$	30	70	mA (max)
V _{OS} (Note 2)	Input Offset Voltage	$V_{CM} = 0V$, $I_o = 0$ mA	1	15	mV (max)
I _B	Input Bias Current	$V_{CM} = 0V$, $I_o = 0$ mA	0.2	1	μA (max)
l _{os}	Input Offset Current	$V_{CM} = 0V$, $I_o = 0$ mA	0.01	0.2	μA (max)
Io	Output Current Limit	$ V^{+} = V^{-} = 12V$, $t_{ON} = 10$ ms, $V_{O} = 0V$	6	4	A (min)
V _{od}	Output Dropout Voltage (Note 14)	$ V^+ - V_O $, $V^+ = 20V$, $I_O = +100$ mA	1.6	5	V (max)
(Note 2)		$ V_O - V^- $, $V^- = -20V$, $I_O = -100$ mA	2.7	5	V (max)
PSRR	Power Supply Rejection Ratio	$V^+ = 40V$ to 20V, $V^- = -40V$,	120	85	dB (min)
(Note 2)		$V_{CM} = 0V$, $I_o = 0$ mA			
		$V^+ = 40V$, $V^- = -40V$ to $-20V$,	120	85	dB (min)
		$V_{CM} = 0V$, $I_o = 0$ mA			
CMRR	Common Mode Rejection Ratio	$V^+ = 60V$ to 20V, $V^- = -20V$ to $-60V$,	120	80	dB (min)
(Note 2)		$V_{CM} = 20V$ to $-20V$, $I_o = 0$ mA			
A _{VOL} (Note 2)	Open Loop Voltage Gain	$ V^{+} = V^{-} = 40V, R_{L} = 2 k\Omega, \Delta V_{O} = 60V$	120	90	dB (min)

Electrical Characteristics (Notes 4, 5) (Continued)

The following specifications apply for $V^+ = +35V$, $V^- = -35V$, $I_{MUTE} = -0.5$ mA with $R_L = 8\Omega$ unless otherwise specified. Limits apply for $T_A = 25^{\circ}C$.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	LM3	LM3876		
			Typical	Limit	(Limits)	
			(Note 9)	(Note 10)		
GBWP	Gain-Bandwidth Product	$ V^+ = V^- = 40V$	8	2	MHz (min)	
		$f_O = 100 \text{ kHz}, V_{IN} = 50 \text{ mVrms}$				
e _{IN} (Note 3)	Input Noise	IHF—A Weighting Filter	2.0	8	μV (max)	
		$R_{IN} = 600\Omega$ (Input Referred)				
SNR	Signal-to-Noise Ratio	P _O = 1W, A-Weighted,	98		dB	
		Measured at 1 kHz, $R_S = 25\Omega$				
		P _O = 40W, A-Weighted,	114		dB	
		Measured at 1 kHz, $R_S = 25\Omega$				
		Ppk= 100W, A-Weighted,	122		dB	
		Measured at 1 kHz, $R_S = 25\Omega$				
IMD	Intermodulation Distortion Test	60 Hz, 7 kHz, 4:1 (SMPTE)	0.004		%	
		60 Hz, 7 kHz, 1:1 (SMPTE)	0.006			

- Note 2: DC Electrical Test; refer to Test Circuit #1.
- Note 3: AC Electrical Test; refer to Test Circuit #2.
- Note 4: All voltages are measured with respect to the GND pin (pin 7), unless otherwise specified.

Note 5: Absolute Maximum Ratings indicate limits beyond which damage to the device may occur. Operating Ratings indicate conditions for which the device is functional, but do not guarantee specific performance limits. Electrical Characteristics state DC and AC electrical specifications under particular test conditions which guarantee specific performance limits. This assumes that the device is within the Operating Ratings. Specifications are not guaranteed for parameters where no limit is given, however, the typical value is a good indication of device performance.

Note 6: For operating at case temperatures above 25 $^{\circ}$ C, the device must be derated based on a 150 $^{\circ}$ C maximum junction temperature and a thermal resistance of $\theta_{\text{JC}} = 1.0$ $^{\circ}$ C/W (junction to case). Refer to the Thermal Resistance figure in the Application Information section under Thermal Considerations.

- Note 7: Human body model, 100 pF discharged through a 1.5 k Ω resistor.
- Note 8: The operating junction temperature maximum is 150°C, however, the instantaneous Safe Operating Area temperature is 250°C.
- Note 9: Typicals are measured at 25°C and represent the parametric norm.
- Note 10: Limits are guaranteed to National's AOQL (Average Outgoing Quality Level).

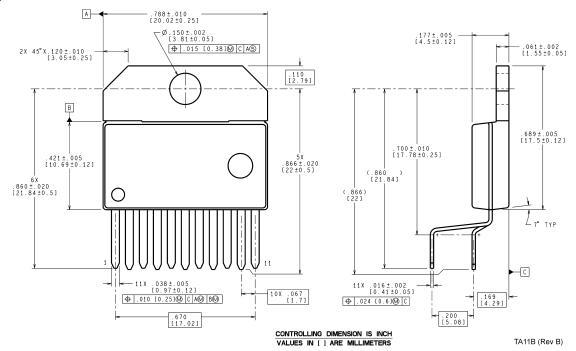
Note 11: The LM3876T package TA11B is a non-isolated package, setting the tab of the device and the heat sink at V^- potential when the LM3876 is directly mounted to the heat sink using only thermal compound. If a mica washer is used in addition to thermal compound, θ_{CS} (case to sink) is increased, but the heat sink will be isolated from V^- .

Note 12: The feedback compensation network limits the bandwidth of the closed-loop response and so the slew rate will be reduced due to the high frequency roll-off. Without feedback compensation, the slew rate is typically 16V/µs.

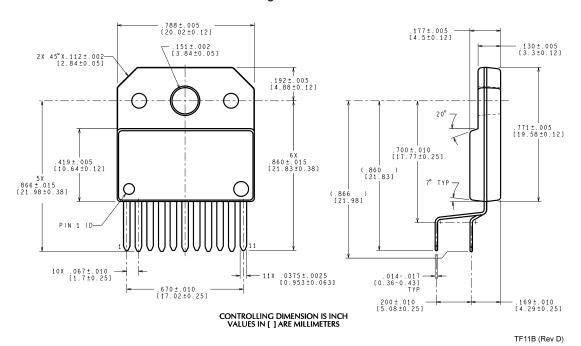
Note 13: V⁻ must have at least -9V at its pin with reference to ground in order for the under-voltage protection circuitry to be disabled.

Note 14: The output dropout voltage is the supply voltage minus the clipping voltage. Refer to the Clipping Voltage vs Supply Voltage graph in the Typical Performance Characteristics section.

Physical Dimensions inches (millimeters) unless otherwise noted



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