



# 12-/14-Bit, 160/250MSPS, Ultralow-Power ADC

Check for Samples: ADS4126, ADS4129, ADS4146, ADS4149

### **FEATURES**

- Maximum Sample Rate: 250MSPS
- Ultralow Power with 1.8V Single Supply:
  - 201mW Total Power at 160MSPS
  - 265mW Total Power at 250MSPS
- High Dynamic Performance:
  - SNR: 70.6dBFS at 170MHz
  - SFDR: 84dBc at 170MHz
- Dynamic Power Scaling with Sample Rate
- Output Interface:
  - Double Data Rate (DDR) LVDS with Programmable Swing and Strength
    - Standard Swing: 350mV
    - Low Swing: 200mV
    - Default Strength: 100Ω Termination
  - 2x Strength: 50Ω Termination
  - 1.8V Parallel CMOS Interface Also Supported
- Programmable Gain up to 6dB for SNR/SFDR Trade-Off
- DC Offset Correction
- Supports Low Input Clock Amplitude Down To 200mV<sub>PP</sub>
- Package: QFN-48 (7mm × 7mm)

#### DESCRIPTION

The ADS412x/4x are a family of 12-bit/14-bit analog-to-digital converters (ADCs) with sampling rates up to 250MSPS. These devices use innovative design techniques to achieve high dynamic performance, while consuming extremely low power at 1.8V supply. The devices are well-suited for multi-carrier, wide bandwidth communications applications.

The ADS412x/4x have fine gain options that can be used to improve SFDR performance at lower full-scale input ranges, especially at high input frequencies. They include a dc offset correction loop that can be used to cancel the ADC offset. At lower sampling rates, the ADC automatically operates at scaled down power with no loss in performance.

The ADS412x/4x are available in a compact QFN-48 package and are specified over the industrial temperature range (-40°C to +85°C)

#### ADS412x/ADS414x Family Comparison

		SAMPLII		WITH ANALOG INPUT BUFFERS			
FAMILY	65MSPS	125MSPS	160MSPS	250MSPS	200MSPS	250MSPS	
ADS412x 12-bit family	ADS4122	ADS4125	ADS4126	ADS4129	_	ADS41B29	
ADS414x 14-bit family	ADS4142	ADS4145	ADS4146	ADS4149	_	ADS41B49	
9-bit	_	_	_	_	_	ADS58B19	
11-bit	_	_	_	_	ADS58B18	_	

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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.

### ORDERING INFORMATION<sup>(1)</sup>

PRODUCT	PACKAGE- LEAD	PACKAGE DESIGNATOR	SPECIFIED TEMPERATURE RANGE	ECO PLAN <sup>(2)</sup>	LEAD/BALL FINISH	PACKAGE MARKING	ORDERING NUMBER	TRANSPORT MEDIA, QUANTITY
ADS4126	QFN-48	RGZ	-40°C to +85°C	GREEN (RoHS, no	Cu/NiPdAu	AZ4126	ADS4126IRGZR	Tape and reel, 2500
AD34126	QFIN-40	KG2	-40 C to +65 C	Sb/Br)	Cu/NiFuAu	AZ4120	ADS4126IRGZT	Tape and reel, 250
ADS4129	QFN-48	RGZ	-40°C to +85°C	GREEN (RoHS, no		AZ4129	ADS4129IRGZR	Tape and reel, 2500
AD54129	QFIN-46	RGZ	-40°C (0 +85°C	Sb/Br)	Cu/NiPdAu	AZ4129	ADS4129IRGZT	Tape and reel, 250
ADS4146	QFN-48	RGZ	-40°C to +85°C	GREEN (RoHS, no	Cu/NiPdAu	AZ4146	ADS4146IRGZR	Tape and reel, 2500
AD54146	QFIN-46	RGZ	-40°C (0 +85°C	Sb/Br)	Cu/NIPdAu	AZ4146	ADS4146IRGZT	Tape and reel, 250
ADC4440	QFN-48	RGZ	RGZ -40°C to +85°C GREEN (RoHS, no Cu/NiPdAu A		A 744 40	ADS4149IRGZR	Tape and reel, 2500	
ADS4149	QFIN-46	RGZ	-40°C (0 +85°C	Sb/Br)	Cu/NIPdAu	Cu/NiPdAu AZ4149		Tape and reel, 250

- (1) For the most current package and ordering information, see the Package Option Addendum at the end of this document, or visit the device product folder at <a href="https://www.ti.com">www.ti.com</a>.
- (2) Eco Plan is the planned eco-friendly classification. Green (RoHS, no Sb/Br): TI defines *Green* to mean Pb-Free (RoHS compatible) and free of Bromine- (Br) and Antimony- (Sb) based flame retardants. Refer to the Quality and Lead-Free (Pb-Free) Data web site for more information.

The ADS412x/4x family is pin-compatible with the previous generation ADS6149 family; this architecture enables easy migration. However, there are some important differences between the generations, summarized in Table 1.

Table 1. MIGRATING FROM THE ADS6149 FAMILY

ADS6149 FAMILY	ADS4149 FAMILY	
PINS		
Pin 21 is NC (not connected)	Pin 21 is NC (not connected)	
Pin 23 is MODE	Pin 23 is RESERVED in the ADS4149 family. It is reserved as a digital control pin for an (as yet) undefined function in the next-generation ADC series.	
SUPPLY		
AVDD is 3.3V	AVDD is 1.8V	
DRVDD is 1.8V	No change	
INPUT COMMON-MODE VOLTAGE		
VCM is 1.5V	VCM is 0.95V	
SERIAL INTERFACE		
Protocol: 8-bit register address and 8-bit register data	No change in protocol	
	New serial register map	
EXTERNAL REFERENCE MODE		
Supported	Not supported	
ADS61B49 FAMILY	ADS41B29/B49/ADS58B18 FAMILY	
PINS		
Pin 21 is NC (not connected)	Pin 21 is 3.3V AVDD_BUF (supply for the analog input buffers)	
Pin 23 is MODE	Pin 23 is a digital control pin for the RESERVED function. Pin 23 functions as SNR Boost enable (B18 only).	
SUPPLY		
AVDD is 3.3V	AVDD is 1.8V, AVDD_BUF is 3.3V	
DRVDD is 1.8V	No change	
INPUT COMMON-MODE VOLTAGE		
VCM is 1.5V	VCM is 1.7V	
SERIAL INTERFACE		
stocol: 8-bit register address and 8-bit register data  No change in protocol New serial register map		
EXTERNAL REFERENCE MODE		
Supported	Not supported	



## **ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**(1)

Over operating free-air temperature range, unless otherwise noted.

		VALUE	UNIT
Supply voltage range, AVDD		-0.3 to 2.1	V
Supply voltage range, DRVDD		-0.3 to 2.1	V
Voltage between AGND and DRO	GND	-0.3 to 0.3	V
Voltage between AVDD to DRVD	DD (when AVDD leads DRVDD)	0 to 2.1	V
Voltage between DRVDD to AVD	DD (when DRVDD leads AVDD)	0 to 2.1	V
	INP, INM	-0.3 to minimum (1.9, AVDD + 0.3)	V
Voltage applied to input pins	CLKP, CLKM <sup>(2)</sup> , DFS, OE	-0.3 to AVDD + 0.3	V
	RESET, SCLK, SDATA, SEN	-0.3 to 3.9	V
Operating free-air temperature ra	inge, T <sub>A</sub>	-40 to +85	°C
Operating junction temperature ra	ange, T <sub>J</sub>	+125	°C
Storage temperature range, T <sub>stg</sub>		-65 to +150	°C
ESD, human body model (HBM)		2	kV

<sup>(1)</sup> Stresses above these ratings may cause permanent damage. Exposure to absolute maximum conditions for extended periods may degrade device reliability. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those specified is not implied.

#### THERMAL INFORMATION

	THERMAL METRIC <sup>(1)</sup>	ADS4126, ADS4129, ADS4146, ADS4149	UNITS
		RGZ	
		48 PINS	
$\theta_{JA}$	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	29	
$\theta_{JCtop}$	Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance		
$\theta_{\sf JB}$	Junction-to-board thermal resistance	10	°C/W
ΨЈТ	Junction-to-top characterization parameter	0.3	C/VV
ΨЈВ	Junction-to-board characterization parameter	9	
$\theta_{JCbot}$	Junction-to-case (bottom) thermal resistance	1.13	

<sup>(1)</sup> For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the IC Package Thermal Metrics application report, SPRA953.

<sup>(2)</sup> When AVDD is turned off, it is recommended to switch off the input clock (or ensure the voltage on CLKP, CLKM is less than |0.3V|. This prevents the ESD protection diodes at the clock input pins from turning on.



#### RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS

Over operating free-air temperature range, unless otherwise noted

		ADS412x, ADS41		4x	
		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
SUPPLIES	3				
AVDD	Analog supply voltage	1.7	1.8	1.9	V
DRVDD	Digital supply voltage	1.7	1.8	1.9	V
ANALOG	INPUTS				
Differentia	l input voltage range <sup>(1)</sup>		2		$V_{PP}$
Input com	mon-mode voltage		$V_{CM} \pm 0.05$		V
Maximum	analog input frequency with 2V <sub>PP</sub> input amplitude (2)		400		MHz
Maximum	analog input frequency with 1V <sub>PP</sub> input amplitude (2)		800		MHz
CLOCK IN	IPUT				
Input clock	s sample rate				
ADS4129/	ADS4149				
	Low-speed mode enabled <sup>(3)</sup>	20		80	MSPS
	Low-speed mode disabled (3)	> 80		250	MSPS
ADS4126/	ADS4146				
	Low-speed mode enabled <sup>(3)</sup>	20		80	MSPS
	Low-speed mode disabled <sup>(3)</sup>	> 80		160	MSPS
Input clock	c amplitude differential (V <sub>CLKP</sub> – V <sub>CLKM</sub> )				
	Sine wave, ac-coupled	0.2	1.5		$V_{PP}$
	LVPECL, ac-coupled		1.6		$V_{PP}$
	LVDS, ac-coupled		0.7		$V_{PP}$
	LVCMOS, single-ended, ac-coupled		1.8		V
Input clock	duty cycle				
	Low-speed mode enabled	40	50	60	%
	Low-speed mode disabled	35	50	65	%
DIGITAL (	DUTPUTS				
C <sub>LOAD</sub>	Maximum external load capacitance from each output pin to DRGND		5		pF
R <sub>LOAD</sub>	Differential load resistance between the LVDS output pairs (LVDS mode)		100		Ω
T <sub>A</sub>	Operating free-air temperature	-40		+85	°C
HIGH PER	RFORMANCE MODES (4)(5)(6)				
Mode 1	Set the MODE 1 register bits to get best performance across sample clock and input signal frequencies.  Register address = 03h, register data = 03h				
Mode 2	Set the MODE 2 register bit to get best performance at high input signal frequencies.  Register address = 4Ah, register data = 01h				

- With 0dB gain. See the Fine Gain section in the Application Information for relation between input voltage range and gain.
- See the *Theory of Operation* section in the *Application Information*. See the *Serial Interface* section for details on low-speed mode.
- It is recommended to use these modes to get best performance. These modes can be set using the serial interface only.
- See the Serial Interface section for details on register programming.
- Note that these modes cannot be set when the serial interface is not used (when the RESET pin is tied high); see the Device Configuration section.



### **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4126/ADS4129**

Typical values are at +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, and DDR LVDS interface, unless otherwise noted. Minimum and maximum values are across the full temperature range:  $T_{MIN} = -40$ °C to  $T_{MAX} = +85$ °C, AVDD = 1.8V, and DRVDD = 1.8V. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

			ADS	4126 (160M	ISPS)	ADS	4129 (250M	ISPS)	
PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Resolution					12			12	Bits
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 10MHz		70.2			69.8		dBFS
	•	f <sub>IN</sub> = 70MHz		70			69.7		dBFS
SNR (signal-to-noise ratio), LVDS		f <sub>IN</sub> = 100MHz		69.7			69.6		dBFS
	•	f <sub>IN</sub> = 170MHz	66.5	69		65.8	69		dBFS
	•	f <sub>IN</sub> = 300MHz		68			68		dBFS
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 10MHz		70.1			69.7		dBFS
	•	f <sub>IN</sub> = 70MHz		70			69.4		dBFS
SINAD (signal-to-noise and distorti LVDS	on ratio),	f <sub>IN</sub> = 100MHz		69.5			69.3		dBFS
2100	•	f <sub>IN</sub> = 170MHz	65.5	68.7		65.5	68.7		dBFS
	•	f <sub>IN</sub> = 300MHz		67.3			66.8		dBFS
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 10MHz		88			87		dBc
	•	f <sub>IN</sub> = 70MHz		87			82		dBc
Spurious-free dynamic range	SFDR	f <sub>IN</sub> = 100MHz		86.3			81		dBc
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 170MHz	72.5	82		70	80		dBc
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 300MHz		77.5			75		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 10MHz$		87			85		dBc
	THD	f <sub>IN</sub> = 70MHz		85			80		dBc
Total harmonic distortion		$f_{IN} = 100MHz$		84			79		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 170MHz$	70	81		69	79		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 300MHz$		74.5			71.5		dBc
	HD2	$f_{IN} = 10MHz$		92			90		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 70MHz$		90			85		dBc
Second-harmonic distortion		$f_{IN} = 100MHz$		88			84		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 170MHz$	72.5	88		70	84		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 300MHz$		78			74		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 10MHz$		88			87		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 70MHz$		87			82		dBc
Third-harmonic distortion	HD3	$f_{IN} = 100MHz$		86			81		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 170MHz$	72.5	82		70	80		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 300MHz$		77			75		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 10MHz$		92			90		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 70MHz$		91			88		dBc
Worst spur (other than second and third harmo	onics)	$f_{IN} = 100MHz$		90			90		dBc
(	,	$f_{IN} = 170MHz$	76	90		75	88		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 300MHz$		88			88		dBc
Two-tone intermodulation distortion	IMD :	f <sub>1</sub> = 46MHz, f <sub>2</sub> = 50MHz, each tone at –7dBFS		-88			-88		dBFS
	טואוו	$f_1 = 185MHz$ , $f_2 = 190MHz$ , each tone at $-7dBFS$		-86			-86		dBFS
Input overload recovery		Recovery to within 1% (of final value) for 6dB overload with sine-wave input		1			1		Clock
AC power-supply rejection ratio	PSRR	For 100mV <sub>PP</sub> signal on AVDD supply, up to 10MHz		> 30			> 30		dB
Effective number of bits	ENOB	f <sub>IN</sub> = 170MHz		11.2			11.2		LSBs
Differential nonlinearity	DNL	$f_{IN} = 170MHz$	-0.85	±0.2	2.5	-0.95	±0.2	2.5	LSBs
Integrated nonlinearity	INL	$f_{IN} = 170MHz$		±0.25	3.5		±0.5	5	LSBs



### **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4146/ADS4149**

Typical values are at  $+25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, and DDR LVDS interface, unless otherwise noted. Minimum and maximum values are across the full temperature range:  $T_{MIN} = -40^{\circ}$ C to  $T_{MAX} = +85^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, and DRVDD = 1.8V. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

			ADS	4146 (160M	SPS)	ADS	4149 (250M	ISPS)	
PARAMETER		TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Resolution					14			14	Bits
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 10MHz		72.2			71.9		dBFS
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 70MHz		72			71.4		dBFS
SNR (signal-to-noise ratio), LVDS		$f_{IN} = 100MHz$		71.5			71.4		dBFS
		$f_{IN} = 170MHz$	68.5	70.8		67.5	70.6		dBFS
		$f_{IN} = 300MHz$		69			69		dBFS
		$f_{IN} = 10MHz$		72			71.6		dBFS
ONIAD ( )		$f_{IN} = 70MHz$		71.8			71		dBFS
SINAD (signal-to-noise and distorti LVDS	ion ratio),	$f_{IN} = 100MHz$		71.4			70.9		dBFS
		$f_{IN} = 170MHz$	67.5	70.4		66	69.4		dBFS
		$f_{IN} = 300MHz$		68.2			67.4		dBFS
		$f_{IN} = 10MHz$		88			87		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 70MHz$		87			82		dBc
Spurious-free dynamic range	SFDR	$f_{IN} = 100MHz$		86			81		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 170MHz$	74.5	82		72	84		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 300MHz$		77			75		dBc
		$f_{IN} = 10MHz$		86.5			85		dBc
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 70MHz		85			80		dBc
Total harmonic distortion	THD	f <sub>IN</sub> = 100MHz		84			79		dBc
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 170MHz	72	81		71	80.5		dBc
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 300MHz		74.5			71.5		dBc
	HD2	f <sub>IN</sub> = 10MHz		91			89		dBc
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 70MHz		90			85		dBc
Second-harmonic distortion		f <sub>IN</sub> = 100MHz		88			84		dBc
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 170MHz	74.5	88		72	84		dBc
	•	f <sub>IN</sub> = 300MHz		79			75		dBc
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 10MHz		88			87		dBc
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 70MHz		87			82		dBc
Third-harmonic distortion	HD3	f <sub>IN</sub> = 100MHz		86			81		dBc
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 170MHz	74.5	82		72	82		dBc
	-	f <sub>IN</sub> = 300MHz		77			75		dBc
		f <sub>IN</sub> = 10MHz		91			90		dBc
	ŀ	f <sub>IN</sub> = 70MHz		90			88		dBc
Worst spur (other than second and third harm	onics)	f <sub>IN</sub> = 100MHz		90			90		dBc
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		$f_{IN} = 300MHz$		88			88		dBc
Two-tone intermodulation distortion	IMD	f <sub>1</sub> = 46MHz, f <sub>2</sub> = 50MHz, each tone at –7dBFS		-88			-88		dBFS
	IMD	$f_1 = 185MHz$ , $f_2 = 190MHz$ , each tone at $-7dBFS$		-86			-86		dBFS
input overload recovery		Recovery to within 1% (of final value) for 6dB overload with sine-wave input		1			1		Clock
AC power-supply rejection ratio	PSRR	For 100mV <sub>PP</sub> signal on AVDD supply, up to 10MHz		> 30			> 30		dB
Effective number of bits	ENOB	f <sub>IN</sub> = 170MHz		11.5			11.3		LSBs
Differential nonlinearity	DNL	$f_{IN} = 170MHz$	-0.95	±0.5		-0.95	±0.5		LSBs
Integrated nonlinearity	INL	$f_{IN} = 170MHz$		±2	±4.5		±2	±5	LSBs



### **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS: GENERAL**

Typical values are at +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, 50% clock duty cycle, and 0dB gain, unless otherwise noted. Minimum and maximum values are across the full temperature range:  $T_{MIN} = -40$ °C to  $T_{MAX} = +85$ °C, AVDD = 1.8V, and DRVDD = 1.8V.

	ADS412	26/ADS4146 (1	60MSPS)	ADS412	29/ADS4149 (25	50MSPS)	
PARAMETER	MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
ANALOG INPUTS				l	1		1
Differential input voltage range		2			2		$V_{PP}$
Differential input resistance (at dc); see Figure 114		> 1			> 1		ΜΩ
Differential input capacitance; see Figure 115		4			4		pF
Analog input bandwidth		550			550		MHz
Analog input common-mode current (per input pin)		0.6			0.6		μA/MSPS
Common-mode output voltage VCM		0.95			0.95		V
VCM output current capability		4			4		mA
DC ACCURACY					1		
Offset error	-15	2.5	15	-15	2.5	15	mV
Temperature coefficient of offset error		0.003			0.003		mV/°C
Gain error as a result of internal reference inaccuracy alone	-2		2	-2		2	%FS
Gain error of channel alone E <sub>GCHAN</sub>		-0.2			-0.2	-1	%FS
Temperature coefficient of E <sub>GCHAN</sub>		0.001			0.001		Δ%/°C
POWER SUPPLY		+			+		-
IAVDD Analog supply current		72	83		99	113	mA
IDRVDD <sup>(1)</sup> Output buffer supply current LVDS interface with 100Ω external termination Low LVDS swing (200mV)		39.5	51		47		mA
IDRVDD Output buffer supply current LVDS interface with 100Ω external termination Standard LVDS swing (350mV)		51	63		59	72	mA
IDRVDD output buffer supply current <sup>(1)(2)</sup> CMOS interface <sup>(2)</sup> 8pF external load capacitance $f_{\rm IN}$ = 2.5MHz		26			35		mA
Analog power		130			179		mW
LVDS interface, low LVDS swing		71.1			84.6		mW
Digital power CMOS interface <sup>(2)</sup> 8pF external load capacitance f <sub>IN</sub> = 2.5MHz		47			63		mW
Global power-down		10	25		10	25	mW
Standby		185			185		mW

<sup>(1)</sup> The maximum DRVDD current with CMOS interface depends on the actual load capacitance on the digital output lines. Note that the maximum recommended load capacitance on each digital output line is 10pF.

<sup>(2)</sup> In CMOS mode, the DRVDD current scales with the sampling frequency, the load capacitance on output pins, input frequency, and the supply voltage (see the CMOS Interface Power Dissipation section in the Application Information).



### **DIGITAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Typical values are at  $\pm 25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, and 50% clock duty cycle, unless otherwise noted. Minimum and maximum values are across the full temperature range:  $T_{MIN} = -40^{\circ}$ C to  $T_{MAX} = \pm 85^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, and DRVDD = 1.8V.

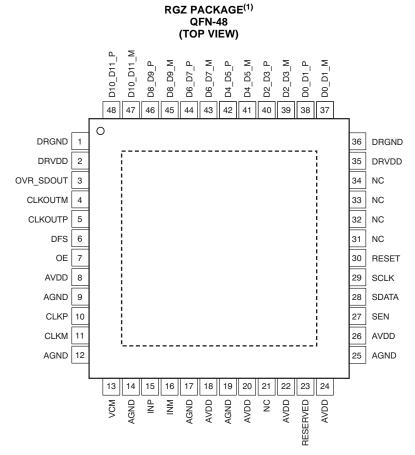
			ADS4126, AD	S4129, ADS41	46, ADS4149	
PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT	
DIGITAL INPUTS (RESET, SCLK, SDATA, SEN,	DE)					
High-level input voltage		RESET, SCLK, SDATA, and	1.3			V
Low-level input voltage		SEN support 1.8V and 3.3V CMOS logic levels			0.4	V
High-level input voltage		OE only supports 1.8V CMOS	1.3			V
Low-level input voltage		logic levels			0.4	V
High-level input current: SDATA, SCLK <sup>(1)</sup>		V <sub>HIGH</sub> = 1.8V		10		μA
High-level input current: SEN		V <sub>HIGH</sub> = 1.8V		0		μA
Low-level input current: SDATA, SCLK		$V_{LOW} = 0V$		0		μA
Low-level input current: SEN		$V_{LOW} = 0V$		10		μA
DIGITAL OUTPUTS (CMOS INTERFACE: D0 TO	D13, OVR_S	SDOUT)				
High-level output voltage			DRVDD – 0.1	DRVDD		V
Low-level output voltage				0	0.1	V
DIGITAL OUTPUTS (LVDS INTERFACE: DA0P/M	TO DA13P/	M, DB0P/M TO DB13P/M, CLK	OUTP/M)			
High-level output voltage (2)	$V_{ODH}$	Standard swing LVDS	270	+350	430	mV
Low-level output voltage <sup>(2)</sup>	V <sub>ODL</sub>	Standard swing LVDS	-430	-350	-270	mV
High-level output voltage (2)	$V_{ODH}$	Low swing LVDS		+200		mV
Low-level output voltage <sup>(2)</sup>	V <sub>ODL</sub>	Low swing LVDS		-200		mV
Output common-mode voltage	V <sub>OCM</sub>		0.85	1.05	1.25	V

<sup>(1)</sup> SDATA and SCLK have an internal 180kΩ pull-down resistor.

<sup>(2)</sup> With an external 100Ω termination.



### PIN CONFIGURATION (LVDS MODE)



(1) The PowerPAD is connected to DRGND.

Figure 1. ADS412x LVDS Pinout



#### RGZ PACKAGE<sup>(2)</sup> **QFN-48** (TOP VIEW) D12\_D13\_P D12\_D13\_M D10\_D11\_P D10\_D11\_M M\_60\_80 D4\_D5\_M D3\_P D2\_D3\_M De\_D7\_M \_70\_90 50 8 80 7 22 48 47 46 45 44 43 42 41 40 39 38 DRGND 36 DRGND DRVDD 35 DRVDD 34 OVR\_SDOUT D0\_D1\_P CLKOUTM 33 D0\_D1\_M CLKOUTP 32 NC 31 DFS 6 NC 7 OE 30 RESET AVDD 8 29 SCLK AGND 9 28 SDATA CLKP 10 27 SEN CLKM 11 26 AVDD AGND 12 25 AGND 15 16 20 21 22 23 AVDD AGND AVDD AGND AVDD 2 RESERVED

(2) The PowerPAD™ is connected to DRGND.

Figure 2. ADS414x LVDS Pinout

### ADS412x, ADS414x Pin Assignments (LVDS Mode)

PIN NAME	PIN NUMBER	# OF PINS	FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
AVDD	8, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26	6	I	1.8V analog power supply
AGND	9, 12, 14, 17, 19, 25	6	I	Analog ground
CLKP	10	1	I	Differential clock input, positive
CLKM	11	1	I	Differential clock input, negative
INP	15	1	I	Differential analog input, positive
INM	16	1	I	Differential analog input, negative
VCM	13	1	0	Outputs the common-mode voltage (0.95V) that can be used externally to bias the analog input pins.
RESET	30	1	I	Serial interface RESET input. When using the serial interface mode, the internal registers must initialize through hardware RESET by applying a high pulse on this pin or by using the software reset option; refer to the Serial Interface section. When RESET is tied high, the internal registers are reset to the default values. In this condition, SEN can be used as an analog control pin. RESET has an internal $180k\Omega$ pull-down resistor.
SCLK	29	1	1	This pin functions as a serial interface clock input when RESET is low. When RESET is high, SCLK has no function and should be tied to ground. This pin has an internal $180 \text{k}\Omega$ pull-down resistor.
SDATA	28	1	I	This pin functions as a serial interface data input when RESET is low. When RESET is high, SDATA functions as a STANDBY control pin (see Table 9). This pin has an internal $180k\Omega$ pull-down resistor.
SEN	27	1	I	This pin functions as a serial interface enable input when RESET is low. When RESET is high, SEN has no function and should be tied to AVDD. This pin has an internal $180 \text{k}\Omega$ pull-up resistor to AVDD.

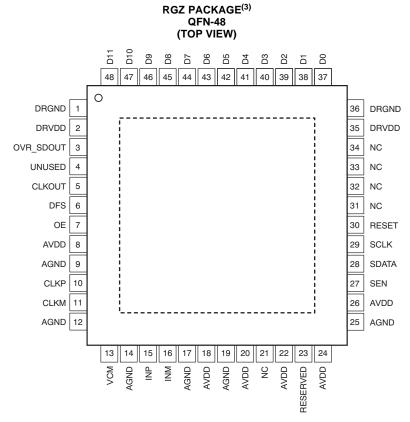


# ADS412x, ADS414x Pin Assignments (LVDS Mode) (continued)

PIN NAME	PIN NUMBER	# OF PINS	FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
OE	7	1	I	Output buffer enable input, active high; this pin has an internal 180k $\Omega$ pull-up resistor to DRVDD.
DFS	6	1	I	Data format select input. This pin sets the DATA FORMAT (twos complement or offset binary) and the LVDS/CMOS output interface type. See Table 7 for detailed information.
RESERVED	23	1	I	Digital control pin, reserved for future use
CLKOUTP	5	1	0	Differential output clock, true
CLKOUTM	4	1	0	Differential output clock, complement
D0_D1_P	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D0 and D1 multiplexed, true
D0_D1_M	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D0 and D1 multiplexed, complement
D2_D3_P	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D2 and D3 multiplexed, true
D2_D3_M	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D2 and D3 multiplexed, complement
D4_D5_P	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D4 and D5 multiplexed, true
D4_D5_M	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D4 and D5 multiplexed, complement
D6_D7_P	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D6 and D7 multiplexed, true
D6_D7_M	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D6 and D7 multiplexed, complement
D8_D9_P	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D8 and D9 multiplexed, true
D8_D9_M	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D8 and D9 multiplexed, complement
D10_D11_P	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D10 and D11 multiplexed, true
D10_D11_M	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D10 and D11 multiplexed, complement
D12_D13_P	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D12 and D13 multiplexed, true
D12_D13_M	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	1	0	Differential output data D12 and D13 multiplexed, complement
OVR_SDOUT	3	1	0	This pin functions as an out-of-range indicator after reset, when register bit READOUT = 0, and functions as a serial register readout pin when READOUT = 1.
DRVDD	2, 35	2	I	1.8V digital and output buffer supply
DRGND	1, 36, PAD	2	1	Digital and output buffer ground
NC	Refer to Figure 1 and Figure 2	_	_	Do not connect



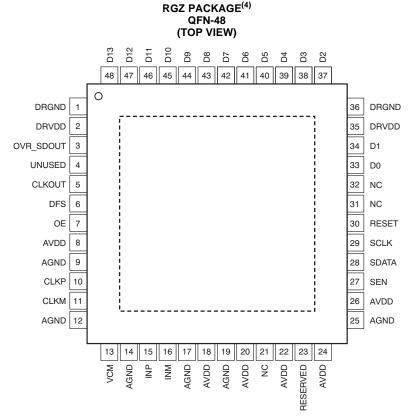
## **PIN CONFIGURATION (CMOS MODE)**



(3) The PowerPAD is connected to DRGND.

Figure 3. ADS412x CMOS Pinout





(4) The PowerPAD is connected to DRGND.

Figure 4. ADS414x CMOS Pinout

### ADS412x, ADS414x Pin Assignments (CMOS Mode)

PIN NAME	PIN NUMBER	# OF PINS	FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
AVDD	8, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26	6	I	1.8V analog power supply
AGND	9, 12, 14, 17, 19, 25	6	I	Analog ground
CLKP	10	1	I	Differential clock input, positive
CLKM	11	1	I	Differential clock input, negative
INP	15	1	I	Differential analog input, positive
INM	16	1	I	Differential analog input, negative
VCM	13	1	0	Outputs the common-mode voltage (0.95V) that can be used externally to bias the analog input pins.
RESET	30	1	I	Serial interface RESET input. When using the serial interface mode, the internal registers must initialize through hardware RESET by applying a high pulse on this pin or by using the software reset option; refer to the <code>Serial Interface</code> section. When <code>RESET</code> is tied high, the internal registers are reset to the default values. In this condition, <code>SEN</code> can be used as an analog control pin. <code>RESET</code> has an internal <code>180k\Omega</code> pull-down resistor.
SCLK	29	1	I	This pin functions as a serial interface clock input when RESET is low. When RESET is high, SCLK has no function and should be tied to ground. This pin has an internal $180 \mathrm{k}\Omega$ pull-down resistor.
SDATA	28	1	I	This pin functions as a serial interface data input when RESET is low. When RESET is high, SDATA functions as a STANDBY control pin (see Table 9). This pin has an internal $180k\Omega$ pull-down resistor.
SEN	27	1	I	This pin functions as a serial interface enable input when RESET is low. When RESET is high, SEN has no function and should be tied to AVDD. This pin has an internal $180 k\Omega$ pull-up resistor to AVDD.
OE	7	1	I	Output buffer enable input, active high; this pin has an internal $180k\Omega$ pull-up resistor to DRVDD.



# ADS412x, ADS414x Pin Assignments (CMOS Mode) (continued)

PIN NAME	PIN NUMBER	# OF PINS	FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION
DFS	6	1	1	Data format select input. This pin sets the DATA FORMAT (twos complement or offset binary) and the LVDS/CMOS output interface type. See Table 7 for detailed information.
RESERVED	23	1	I	Digital control pin, reserved for future use
CLKOUT	5	1	0	CMOS output clock
D0	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D1	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D2	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D3	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D4	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D5	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D6	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D7	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D8	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D9	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D10	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D11	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D12	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
D13	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	1	0	12-bit/14-bit CMOS output data
OVR_SDOUT	3	1	0	This pin functions as an out-of-range indicator after reset, when register bit READOUT = 0, and functions as a serial register readout pin when READOUT = 1.
DRVDD	2, 35	2	I	1.8V digital and output buffer supply
DRGND	1, 36, PAD	2	I	Digital and output buffer ground
UNUSED	4	1	_	Unused pin in CMOS mode
NC	Refer to Figure 3 and Figure 4	_	_	Do not connect



### **FUNCTIONAL BLOCK DIAGRAM**

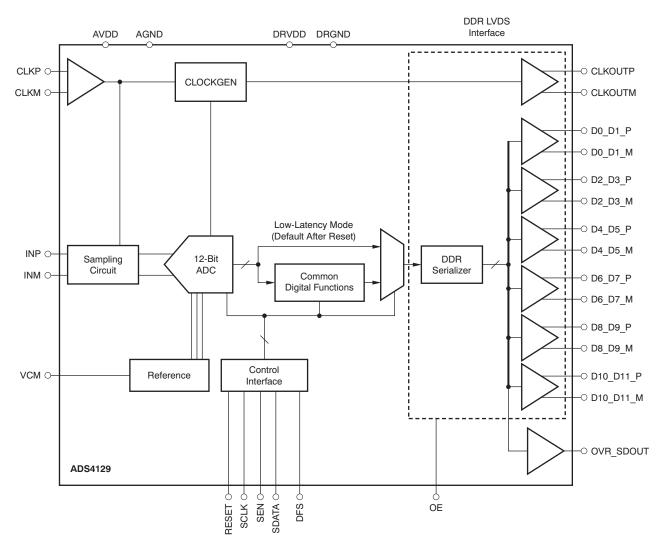


Figure 5. ADS412x Block Diagram



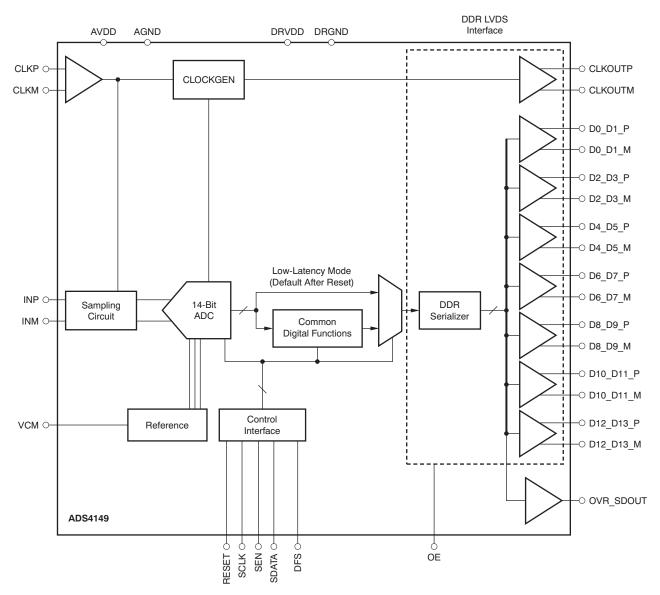
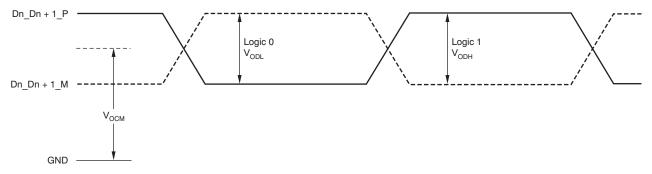


Figure 6. ADS414x Block Diagram



#### **TIMING CHARACTERISTICS**



(1) With external  $100\Omega$  termination.

Figure 7. LVDS Output Voltage Levels

### TIMING REQUIREMENTS: LVDS and CMOS Modes(1)

Typical values are at +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, sampling frequency = 250 MSPS, sine wave input clock,  $C_{LOAD} = 5pF^{(2)}$ , and  $R_{LOAD} = 100\Omega^{(3)}$ , unless otherwise noted. Minimum and maximum values are across the full temperature range:  $T_{MIN} = -40$ °C to  $T_{MAX} = +85$ °C, AVDD = 1.8V, and DRVDD = 1.7V to 1.9V.

	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
t <sub>A</sub>	Aperture delay		0.6	0.8	1.2	ns
	Variation of aperture delay	Between two devices at the same temperature and DRVDD supply		±100		ps
tJ	Aperture jitter			100		f <sub>S</sub> rms
	Wakaua tima	Time to valid data after coming out of STANDBY mode		5	25	μs
	Wakeup time	Time to valid data after coming out of PDN GLOBAL mode		100	500	μs
		Low-latency mode (default after reset)		10		Clock cycles
	ADC latency <sup>(4)</sup>	Low-latency mode disabled (gain enabled, offset correction disabled)		16		Clock cycles
		Low-latency mode disabled (gain and offset correction enabled)		17		Clock cycles
DDR L	VDS MODE <sup>(5)(6)</sup>					
t <sub>SU</sub>	Data setup time <sup>(3)</sup>	Data valid <sup>(7)</sup> to zero-crossing of CLKOUTP	0.75	1.1		ns
t <sub>H</sub>	Data hold time <sup>(3)</sup>	Zero-crossing of CLKOUTP to data becoming invalid (7)	0.35	0.6		ns
t <sub>PDI</sub>	Clock propagation delay	Input clock rising edge cross-over to output clock rising edge cross-over  1MSPS ≤ sampling frequency ≤ 250MSPS	3	4.2	5.4	ns
	Variation of t <sub>PDI</sub>	Between two devices at the same temperature and DRVDD supply		±0.6		ns

- (1) Timing parameters are ensured by design and characterization but are not production tested.
- (2) C<sub>LOAD</sub> is the effective external single-ended load capacitance between each output pin and ground.
- (3) R<sub>LOAD</sub> is the differential load resistance between the LVDS output pair.
- (4) At higher frequencies, t<sub>PDI</sub> is greater than one clock period and overall latency = ADC latency + 1.
- (5) Measurements are done with a transmission line of 100Ω characteristic impedance between the device and the load. Setup and hold time specifications take into account the effect of jitter on the output data and clock.
- (6) The LVDS timings are unchanged for low latency disabled and enabled.
- (7) Data valid refers to a logic high of 1.26V and a logic low of 0.54V.



# TIMING REQUIREMENTS: LVDS and CMOS Modes<sup>(1)</sup> (continued)

Typical values are at +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, sampling frequency = 250 MSPS, sine wave input clock,  $C_{LOAD} = 5pF^{(2)}$ , and  $R_{LOAD} = 100\Omega^{(3)}$ , unless otherwise noted. Minimum and maximum values are across the full temperature range:  $T_{MIN} = -40$ °C to  $T_{MAX} = +85$ °C, AVDD = 1.8V, and DRVDD = 1.7V to 1.9V.

P	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
DDR LVDS	MODE (continued)					
	LVDS bit clock duty cycle	Duty cycle of differential clock, (CLKOUTP – CLKOUTM)  1MSPS ≤ sampling frequency ≤ 250MSPS	42	48	54	%
t <sub>RISE</sub> , t <sub>FALL</sub>	Data rise time, Data fall time	Rise time measured from −100mV to +100mV Fall time measured from +100mV to −100mV 1MSPS ≤ sampling frequency ≤ 250MSPS		0.14		ns
t <sub>CLKRISE</sub> , t <sub>CLKFALL</sub>	Output clock rise time, Output clock fall time	Rise time measured from −100mV to +100mV Fall time measured from +100mV to −100mV 1MSPS ≤ sampling frequency ≤ 250MSPS		0.14		ns
t <sub>OE</sub>	Output enable (OE) to data delay	Time to valid data after OE becomes active		50	100	ns
PARALLEL	CMOS MODE(8)(9)					
t <sub>START</sub>	Input clock to data delay	Input clock rising edge cross-over to start of data valid (10)			1.1	ns
t <sub>DV</sub>	Data valid time	Time interval of valid data (10)	2.5	3.2		ns
t <sub>PDI</sub>	Clock propagation delay	Input clock rising edge cross-over to output clock rising edge cross-over  1MSPS ≤ sampling frequency ≤ 200MSPS	4	5.5	7	ns
	Output clock duty cycle	Duty cycle of output clock, CLKOUT  1MSPS ≤ sampling frequency ≤ 200MSPS		47		%
t <sub>RISE</sub> , t <sub>FALL</sub>	Data rise time, Data fall time	Rise time measured from 20% to 80% of DRVDD Fall time measured from 80% to 20% of DRVDD 1 ≤ sampling frequency ≤ 250MSPS		0.35		ns
t <sub>CLKRISE</sub> , t <sub>CLKFALL</sub>	Output clock rise time, Output clock fall time	Rise time measured from 20% to 80% of DRVDD Fall time measured from 80% to 20% of DRVDD 1 ≤ sampling frequency ≤ 200MSPS		0.35		ns
t <sub>OE</sub>	Output enable (OE) to data delay	Time to valid data after OE becomes active		20	40	ns

<sup>(8)</sup> For f<sub>S</sub> > 200MSPS, it is recommended to use an external clock for data capture instead of the device output clock signal (CLKOUT).

<sup>(9)</sup> Low latency mode enabled.

<sup>(10)</sup> Data valid refers to a logic high of 1.26V and a logic low of 0.54V.



### **Table 2. LVDS Timing Across Sampling Frequencies**

SAMPLING		SETUP TIME (ns)		HOLD TIME (ns)		
FREQUENCY (MSPS)	MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX
230	0.85	1.25		0.35	0.6	
200	1.05	1.55		0.35	0.6	
185	1.1	1.7		0.35	0.6	
160	1.6	2.1		0.35	0.6	
125	2.3	3		0.35	0.6	
80	4.5	5.2		0.35	0.6	

## Table 3. CMOS Timing Across Sampling Frequencies (Low Latency Enabled)

SAMPLING FREQUENCY (MSPS)	TIMING SPECIFIED WITH RESPECT TO OUTPUT CLOCK										
	t <sub>SETUP</sub> (ns)				t <sub>HOLD</sub> (ns)			t <sub>PDI</sub> (ns)			
	MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX		
200	1.6	2.2		1.8	2.5		4	5.5	7		
185	1.8	2.4		1.9	2.7		4	5.5	7		
160	2.3	2.9		2.2	3		4	5.5	7		
125	3.1	3.7		3.2	4		4	5.5	7		
80	5.4	6		5.4	6		4	5.5	7		

## Table 4. CMOS Timing Across Sampling Frequencies (Low Latency Disabled)

	TIMING SPECIFIED WITH RESPECT TO OUTPUT CLOCK										
SAMPLING FREQUENCY		t <sub>SETUP</sub> (ns)			t <sub>HOLD</sub> (ns)			t <sub>PDI</sub> (ns)			
(MSPS)	MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX		
200	1	1.6		2	2.8		4	5.5	7		
185	1.3	2		2.2	3		4	5.5	7		
160	1.8	2.5		2.5	3.3		4	5.5	7		
125	2.5	3.2		3.5	4.3		4	5.5	7		
80	4.8	5.5		5.7	6.5		4	5.5	7		

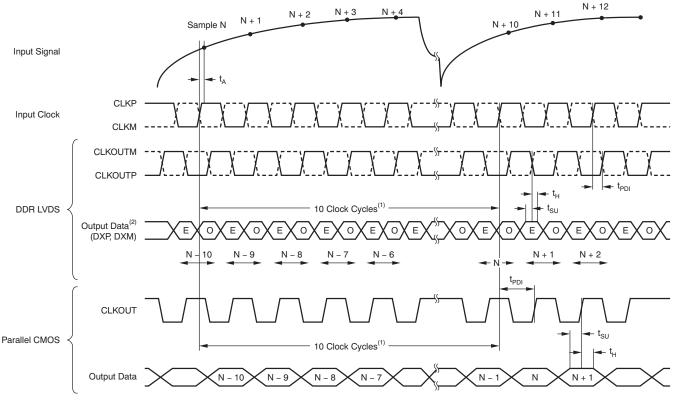
### Table 5. CMOS Timing Across Sampling Frequencies (Low Latency Enabled)

	TIMING SPECIFIED WITH RESPECT TO INPUT CLOCK					
SAMPLING FREQUENCY		t <sub>START</sub> (ns)			t <sub>DV</sub> (ns)	
(MSPS)	MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX
250			1.1	2.5	3.2	
230			0.7	2.9	3.5	
200			-0.3	3.5	4.2	
185			-1	3.9	4.5	
170			-1.5	4.3	5	



### Table 6. CMOS Timing Across Sampling Frequencies (Low Latency Disabled)

	TIMING SPECIFIED WITH RESPECT TO INPUT CLOCK					
SAMPLING FREQUENCY		t <sub>START</sub> (ns)		t <sub>DV</sub> (ns)		
(MSPS)	MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX
250			1.6	2.5	3.2	
230			1.1	2.9	3.5	
200			0.3	3.5	4.2	
185			0	3.9	4.5	
170			-1.3	4.3	5	

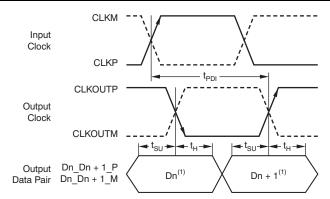


<sup>(1)</sup> ADC latency in low-latency mode. At higher sampling frequencies, t<sub>DPI</sub> is greater than one clock cycle which then makes the overall latency = ADC latency + 1.

Figure 8. Latency Diagram

<sup>(2)</sup> E = Even bits (D0, D2, D4, etc). O = Odd bits (D1, D3, D5, etc).





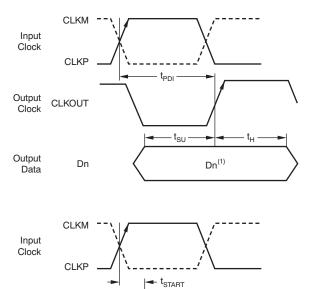
(1) Dn = bits D0, D2, D4, etc. Dn + 1 = Bits D1, D3, D5, etc.

Output

Data

Dn

Figure 9. LVDS Mode Timing



Dn = bits D0, D1, D2, etc.

Figure 10. CMOS Mode Timing

 $\mathsf{Dn}^{(1)}$ 



#### DEVICE CONFIGURATION

The ADS412x/4x have several modes that can be configured using a serial programming interface, as described in Table 7, Table 8, and Table 9. In addition, the devices have two dedicated parallel pins for quickly configuring commonly used functions. The parallel pins are DFS (analog 4-level control pin) and OE (digital control pin). The analog control pins can be easily configured using a simple resistor divider (with 10% tolerance resistors).

Table 7. DFS: Analog Control Pin

VOLTAGE APPLIED ON DFS	DESCRIPTION (Data Format/Output Interface)
0, +100mV/–0mV	Twos complement/DDR LVDS
(3/8) AVDD ± 100mV	Twos complement/parallel CMOS
(5/8) AVDD ± 100mV	Offset binary/parallel CMOS
AVDD, +0mV/-100mV	Offset binary/DDR LVDS

#### **Table 8. OE: Digital Control Pin**

VOLTAGE APPLIED ON OE	DESCRIPTION
0	Output data buffers disabled
AVDD	Output data buffers enabled

When the serial interface is not used, the SDATA pin can also be used as a digital control pin to place the device in standby mode. To enable this, the RESET pin must be tied high. In this mode, SEN and SCLK do not have any alternative functions. Keep SEN tied high and SCLK tied low on the board.

Table 9. SDATA: Digital Control Pin

VOLTAGE APPLIED ON SDATA	DESCRIPTION
0	Normal operation
Logic high	Device enters standby

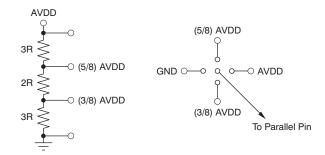


Figure 11. Simplified Diagram to Configure DFS Pin



#### **SERIAL INTERFACE**

The analog-to-digital converter (ADC) has a set of internal registers that can be accessed by the serial interface formed by the SEN (serial interface enable), SCLK (serial interface clock), and SDATA (serial interface data) pins. Serial shift of bits into the device is enabled when SEN is low. Serial data SDATA are latched at every falling edge of SCLK when SEN is active (low). The serial data are loaded into the register at every 16th SCLK falling edge when SEN is low. In case the word length exceeds a multiple of 16 bits, the excess bits are ignored. Data can be loaded in multiples of 16-bit words within a single active SEN pulse. The first eight bits form the register address and the remaining eight bits are the register data. The interface can work with SCLK frequency from 20MHz down to very low speeds (a few Hertz) and also with non-50% SCLK duty cycle.

#### **Register Initialization**

After power-up, the internal registers must be initialized to the default values. This initialization can be accomplished in one of two ways:

- 1. Either through hardware reset by applying a high pulse on RESET pin (of width greater than 10ns), as shown in Figure 12; or
- By applying a software reset. When using the serial interface, set the RESET bit (D7 in register 00h) high. This setting initializes the internal registers to the default values and then self-resets the RESET bit low. In this case, the RESET pin is kept low.

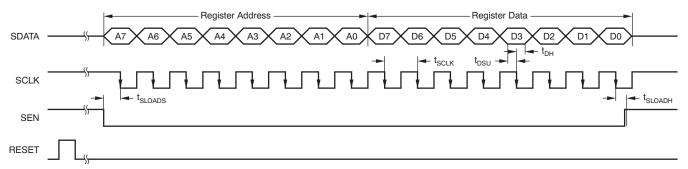


Figure 12. Serial Interface Timing

#### SERIAL INTERFACE TIMING CHARACTERISTICS

Typical values at +25°C, minimum and maximum values across the full temperature range:  $T_{MIN} = -40$ °C to  $T_{MAX} = +85$ °C, AVDD = 1.8V, and DRVDD = 1.8V, unless otherwise noted.

	PARAMETER	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
f <sub>SCLK</sub>	SCLK frequency (equal to 1/t <sub>SCLK</sub> )	> dc		20	MHz
t <sub>SLOADS</sub>	SEN to SCLK setup time	25			ns
t <sub>SLOADH</sub>	SCLK to SEN hold time	25			ns
t <sub>DSU</sub>	SDATA setup time	25			ns
t <sub>DH</sub>	SDATA hold time	25			ns

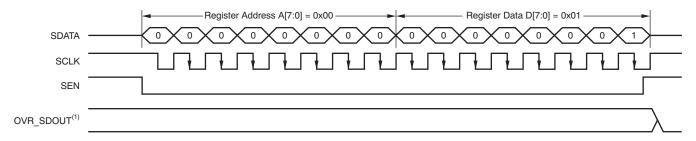


### **Serial Register Readout**

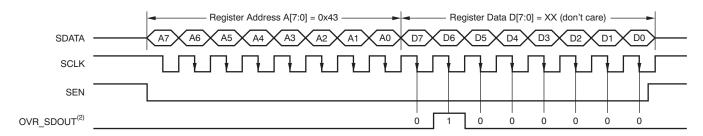
The serial register readout function allows the contents of the internal registers to be read back on the OVR\_SDOUT pin. This readback may be useful as a diagnostic check to verify the serial interface communication between the external controller and the ADC.

After power-up and device reset, the OVR\_SDOUT pin functions as an over-range indicator pin by default. When the readout mode is enabled, OVR\_SDOUT outputs the contents of the selected register serially:

- 1. Set the READOUT register bit to '1'. This setting puts the device in serial readout mode and disables any further writes to the internal registers **except** the register at address 0. Note that the READOUT bit itself is also located in register 0. The device can exit readout mode by writing READOUT = 0. Only the contents of the register at address 0 cannot be read in the register readout mode.
- 2. Initiate a serial interface cycle specifying the address of the register (A7 to A0) whose content has to be read.
- 3. The device serially outputs the contents (D7 to D0) of the selected register on the OVR SDOUT pin.
- 4. The external controller can latch the contents at the falling edge of SCLK.
- 5. To exit the serial readout mode, the reset register bit READOUT = 0 enables writes into all registers of the device. At this point, the OVR\_SDOUT pin becomes an over-range indicator pin.



a) Enable Serial Readout (READOUT = 1)



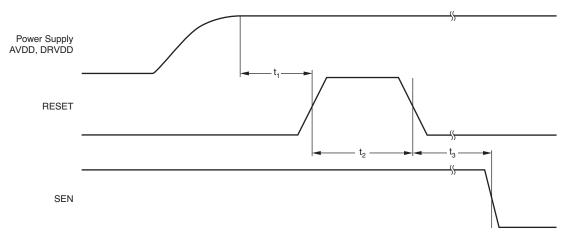
b) Read Contents of Register 0x43. This Register Has Been Initialized with 0x40 (device is put in global power-down mode).

- (1) The OVR\_SDOUT pin functions as OVR (READOUT = 0).
- (2) The OVR\_SDOUT pin functions as a serial readout (READOUT = 1).

Figure 13. Serial Readout Timing Diagram



#### **RESET TIMING CHARACTERISTICS**



NOTE: A high pulse on the RESET pin is required in the serial interface mode in case of initialization through hardware reset. For parallel interface operation, RESET must be permanently tied high.

Figure 14. Reset Timing Diagram

### **RESET TIMING REQUIREMENTS**

Typical values at  $+25^{\circ}$ C and minimum and maximum values across the full temperature range:  $T_{MIN} = -40^{\circ}$ C to  $T_{MAX} = +85^{\circ}$ C, unless otherwise noted.

	PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
t <sub>1</sub>	Power-on delay	Delay from power-up of AVDD and DRVDD to RESET pulse active	1			ms
	Dagat mulas width	Pulse width of active RESET signal that resets the	10			ns
ι <sub>2</sub>	Reset pulse width	serial registers			1 <sup>(1)</sup>	μs
t <sub>3</sub>		Delay from RESET disable to SEN active	100			ns

<sup>(1)</sup> The reset pulse is needed only when using the serial interface configuration. If the pulse width is greater than 1µs, the device could enter the parallel configuration mode briefly and then return back to serial interface mode.



#### SERIAL REGISTER MAP

Table 10 summarizes the functions supported by the serial interface.

### Table 10. Serial Interface Register Map<sup>(1)</sup>

REGISTER ADDRESS	DEFAULT VALUE AFTER RESET		REGISTER DATA							
A[7:0] (Hex)	D[7:0] (Hex)	D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	D0	
00	00	0	0	0	0	0	0	RESET	READOUT	
01	00		LVDS SWING					0 0		
03	00	0	0	0	0	0	0	HIGH PER	F MODE 1	
25	00	GAIN DISABLE GAIN TEST PA						EST PATTERN	IS	
26	00	0	0	0	0	0	0	LVDS CLKOUT STRENGTH	LVDS DATA STRENGTH	
3D	00	DATA F	ORMAT	EN OFFSET CORR	0	0	0	0	0	
3F	00			CL	JSTOM PATTE	RN HIGH D[13	3:6]			
40	00			CUSTOM PA	TTERN D[5:0]			0	0	
41	00	LVDS	CMOS		CLKOUT NGTH	EN CLKOUT RISE	CLKOUT F	RISE POSN	EN CLKOUT FALL	
42	00	CLKOUT F	ALL POSN	0	0	DIS LOW LATENCY	STBY	0	0	
43	00	0	PDN GLOBAL	0	PDN OBUF	0	0	EN LVDS	S SWING	
4A	00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	HIGH PERF MODE 2	
BF	00	OFFSET PEDESTAL					0	0		
CF	00	FREEZE OFFSET 0 OFFSET CORR TIME CONSTANT CORR			NT	0	0			
DF	00	0	0	LOW	SPEED	0	0	0	0	

<sup>(1)</sup> Multiple functions in a register can be programmed in a single write operation.

### **DESCRIPTION OF SERIAL REGISTERS**

For best performance, two special mode register bits must be enabled: HI PERF MODE 1 and HI PERF MODE 2.

# Register Address 00h (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	RESET	READOUT

Bits[7:2] Always write '0'

Bit 1 RESET: Software reset applied

This bit resets all internal registers to the default values and self-clears to 0 (default = 1).

Bit 0 READOUT: Serial readout

This bit sets the serial readout of the registers.

0 = Serial readout of registers disabled; the OVR\_SDOUT pin functions as an over-voltage indicator.

1 = Serial readout enabled; the OVR\_SDOUT pin functions as a serial data readout.



### Register Address 01h (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
		LVDS	SWING			0	0

# Bits[7:2] LVDS SWING: LVDS swing programmability<sup>(1)</sup>

 $000000 = Default LVDS swing; \pm 350 mV with external <math>100\Omega$  termination

011011 = LVDS swing increases to ±410mV

110010 = LVDS swing increases to ±465mV

010100 = LVDS swing increases to ±570mV

111110 = LVDS swing decreases to ±200mV

001111 = LVDS swing decreases to ±125mV

### Bits[1:0] Always write '0'

(1) The EN LVDS SWING register bits must be set to enable LVDS swing control.

#### Register Address 03h (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	HI PERF	MODE 1

#### Bits[7:2] Always write '0'

### Bits[1:0] HI PERF MODE 1: High performance mode 1

00 = Default performance after reset

01 = Do not use

10 = Do not use

11 = For best performance across sampling clock and input signal frequencies, set the HIGH PERF MODE 1 bits



### Register Address 25h (Default = 00h)

 7
 6
 5
 4
 3
 2
 1
 0

 GAIN
 DISABLE GAIN
 TEST PATTERNS

### Bits[7:4] GAIN: Gain programmability

These bits set the gain programmability in 0.5dB steps.

 0000 = 0dB gain (default after reset)
 0111 = 3.5dB gain

 0001 = 0.5dB gain
 1000 = 4.0dB gain

 0010 = 1.0dB gain
 1001 = 4.5dB gain

 0011 = 1.5dB gain
 1010 = 5.0dB gain

 0100 = 2.0dB gain
 1011 = 5.5dB gain

 0101 = 2.5dB gain
 1100 = 6dB gain

 0110 = 3.0dB gain
 1100 = 6dB gain

#### Bit 3 DISABLE GAIN: Gain setting

This bit sets the gain.

0 = Gain enabled; gain is set by the GAIN bits only if low-latency mode is disabled

1 = Gain disabled

### Bits[2:0] TEST PATTERNS: Data capture

These bits verify data capture.

000 = Normal operation

001 = Outputs all 0s

010 = Outputs all 1s

011 = Outputs toggle pattern

In the ADS4146/49, output data D[13:0] is an alternating sequence of 01010101010101 and 101010101010.

In the ADS4126/29, output data D[11:0] is an alternating sequence of *010101010101* and *101010101010*.

#### 100 = Outputs digital ramp

In ADS4149/46, output data increments by one LSB (14-bit) every clock cycle from code 0 to code 16383

In ADS4129/26, output data increments by one LSB (12-bit) every 4th clock cycle from code 0 to code 4095

101 = Output custom pattern (use registers 3Fh and 40h for setting the custom pattern)

110 = Unused

111 = Unused

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### Register Address 26h (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	LVDS CLKOUT STRENGTH	LVDS DATA STRENGTH

### Bits[7:2] Always write '0'

### Bit 1 LVDS CLKOUT STRENGTH: LVDS output clock buffer strength

This bit determines the external termination to be used with the LVDS output clock buffer.

 $0 = 100\Omega$  external termination (default strength)

 $1 = 50\Omega$  external termination (2x strength)

### Bit 0 LVDS DATA STRENGTH: LVDS data buffer strength

This bit determines the external termination to be used with all of the LVDS data buffers.

 $0 = 100\Omega$  external termination (default strength)

 $1 = 50\Omega$  external termination (2x strength)

### Register Address 3Dh (Default = 00h)

7 6	5	4	3	2	1	0
DATA FORMAT	EN OFFSET CORR	0	0	0	0	0

### Bits[7:6] DATA FORMAT: Data format selection

These bits selects the data format.

00 = The DFS pin controls data format selection

10 = Twos complement

11 = Offset binary

### Bit 5 ENABLE OFFSET CORR: Offset correction setting

This bit sets the offset correction.

0 = Offset correction disabled

1 = Offset correction enabled

#### Bits[4:0] Always write '0'

#### Register Address 3Fh (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
CUSTOM	CUSTOM	CUSTOM	CUSTOM	CUSTOM	CUSTOM	CUSTOM	CUSTOM
PATTERN D13	PATTERN D12	PATTERN D11	PATTERN D10	PATTERN D9	PATTERN D8	PATTERN D7	PATTERN D6

### Bits[7:0] CUSTOM PATTERN(1)

These bits set the custom pattern.

(1) For the ADS414x, output data bits 13 to 0 are CUSTOM PATTERN D[13:0]. For the ADS412x, output data bits 11 to 0 are CUSTOM PATTERN D[13:2].

### Register Address 40h (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
CUSTOM	CUSTOM	CUSTOM	CUSTOM	CUSTOM	CUSTOM	0	0
PATTERN D5	PATTERN D4	PATTERN D3	PATTERN D2	PATTERN D1	PATTERN D0	U	0

### Bits[7:2] CUSTOM PATTERN<sup>(1)</sup>

These bits set the custom pattern.

#### Bits[1:0] Always write '0'

(1) For the ADS414x, output data bits 13 to 0 are CUSTOM PATTERN D[13:0]. For the ADS412x, output data bits 11 to 0 are CUSTOM PATTERN D[13:2].



### Register Address 41h (Default = 00h)

 7
 6
 5
 4
 3
 2
 1
 0

 LVDS CMOS
 CMOS CLKOUT STRENGTH
 EN CLKOUT RISE POSN RISE
 CLKOUT RISE POSN FALL
 EN CLKOUT FALL

#### Bits[7:6] LVDS CMOS: Interface selection

These bits select the interface.

00 = The DFS pin controls the selection of either LVDS or CMOS interface

10 = The DFS pin controls the selection of either LVDS or CMOS interface

01 = DDR LVDS interface

11 = Parallel CMOS interface

### Bits[5:4] CMOS CLKOUT STRENGTH

Controls strength of CMOS output clock only.

00 = Maximum strength (recommended and used for specified timings)

01 = Medium strength

10 = Low strength

11 = Very low strength

#### Bit 3 ENABLE CLKOUT RISE

0 = Disables control of output clock rising edge

1 = Enables control of output clock rising edge

### Bits[2:1] CLKOUT RISE POSN: CLKOUT rise control

Controls position of output clock rising edge

#### LVDS interface:

00 = Default position (timings are specified in this condition)

01 = Setup reduces by 500ps, hold increases by 500ps

10 = Data transition is aligned with rising edge

11 = Setup reduces by 200ps, hold increases by 200ps

#### CMOS interface:

00 = Default position (timings are specified in this condition)

01 = Setup reduces by 100ps, hold increases by 100ps

10 = Setup reduces by 200ps, hold increases by 200ps

11 = Setup reduces by 1.5ns, hold increases by 1.5ns

### Bit 0 ENABLE CLKOUT FALL

0 = Disables control of output clock fall edge

1 = Enables control of output clock fall edge

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# Register Address 42h (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
CLKOUT F.	ALL CTRL	0	0	DIS LOW LATENCY	STBY	0	0

### Bits[7:6] CLKOUT FALL CTRL

Controls position of output clock falling edge

#### LVDS interface:

00 = Default position (timings are specified in this condition)

01 = Setup reduces by 400ps, hold increases by 400ps

10 = Data transition is aligned with rising edge

11 = Setup reduces by 200ps, hold increases by 200ps

#### CMOS interface:

00 = Default position (timings are specified in this condition)

01 = Falling edge is advanced by 100ps

10 = Falling edge is advanced by 200ps

11 = Falling edge is advanced by 1.5ns

#### Bits[5:4] Always write '0'

### Bit 3 DIS LOW LATENCY: Disable low latency

This bit disables low-latency mode,

0 = Low latency mode is enabled. Digital functions such as gain, test patterns and offset correction are disabled

1 = Low-latency mode is disabled. This setting enables the digital functions. See the *Digital Functions and Low Latency Mode* section.

#### Bit 2 STBY: Standby mode

This bit sets the standby mode.

0 = Normal operation

1 = Only the ADC and output buffers are powered down; internal reference is active; wake-up time from standby is fast

#### Bits[1:0] Always write '0'



### Register Address 43h (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	PDN GLOBAL	0	PDN OBUF	0	0	EN LVDS	S SWING

### Bit 0 Always write '0'

#### Bit 6 PDN GLOBAL: Power-down

This bit sets the state of operation.

0 = Normal operation

1 = Total power down; the ADC, internal references, and output buffers are powered down; slow wake-up time.

#### Bit 5 Always write '0'

### Bit 4 PDN OBUF: Power-down output buffer

This bit set the output data and clock pins.

0 = Output data and clock pins enabled

1 = Output data and clock pins powered down and put in high- impedance state

### Bits[3:2] Always write '0'

### Bits[1:0] EN LVDS SWING: LVDS swing control

00 = LVDS swing control using LVDS SWING register bits is disabled

01 = Do not use

10 = Do not use

11 = LVDS swing control using LVDS SWING register bits is enabled

### Register Address 4Ah (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	HI PERF MODE 2

#### Bits[7:1] Always write '0'

### Bit[0] HI PERF MODE 2: High performance mode 2

This bit is recommended for high input signal frequencies greater than 230MHz.

0 = Default performance after reset

1 = For best performance with high-frequency input signals, set the HIGH PERF MODE 2 bit



### Register Address BFh (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
OFFSET PEDESTAL						0	0	

### Bits[7:2] OFFSET PEDESTAL

These bits set the offset pedestal.

When the offset correction is enabled, the final converged value after the offset is corrected is the ADC mid-code value. A pedestal can be added to the final converged value by programming these bits.

ADS414x VALUE	PEDESTAL
011111	31LSB
011110	30LSB
011101	29LSB
_	_
000000	0LSB
_	_
111111	-1LSB
111110	–2LSB
_	_
100000	-32LSB

## Bits[1:0] Always write '0'



### Register Address CFh (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
FREEZE OFFSET CORR	BYPASS OFFSET CORR		OFFSET CORR	TIME CONSTANT		0	0	

#### Bit 7 FREEZE OFFSET CORR

This bit sets the freeze offset correction.

- 0 = Estimation of offset correction is not frozen (bit EN OFFSET CORR must be set)
- 1 = Estimation of offset correction is frozen (bit EN OFFSET CORR must be set). When frozen, the last estimated value is used for offset correction every clock cycle. See OFFSET CORRECTION, Offset Correction.

#### Bit 6 Always write '0'

### Bits[5:2] OFFSET CORR TIME CONSTANT

These bits set the offset correction time constant for the correction loop time constant in number of clock cycles.

VALUE	TIME CONSTANT (Number of Clock Cycles)				
0000	1M				
0001	2M				
0010	4M				
0011	8M				
0100	16M				
0101	32M				
0110	64M				
0111	128M				
1000	256M				
1001	512M				
1010	1G				
1011	2G				

#### Bits[1:0] Always write '0'

### Register Address DFh (Default = 00h)

7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
0	0	LOW SPEED		0	0	0	0

### Bits[7:1] Always write '0'

### Bit 0 LOW SPEED: Low-speed mode

- 00, 01, 10 = Low-speed mode disabled (default state after reset); this setting is recommended for sampling rates greater than 80MSPS.
- 11 = Low-speed mode enabled; this setting is recommended for sampling rates less than or equal to 80MSPS.



#### **TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4126**

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

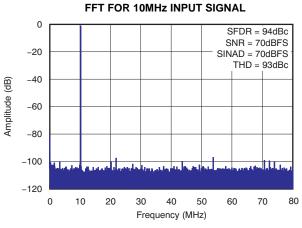


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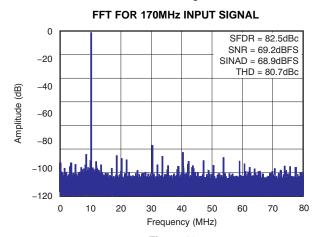


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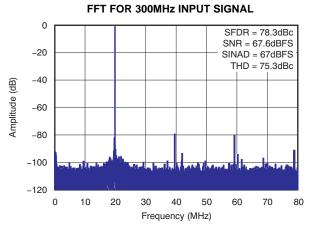


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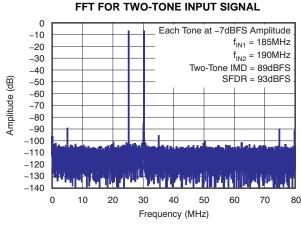


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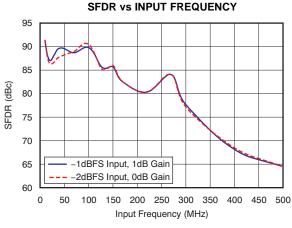


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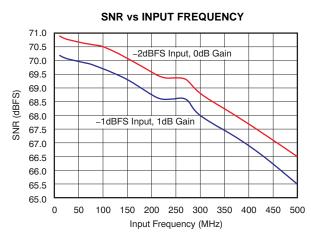


Figure 20.



### TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4126 (continued)

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

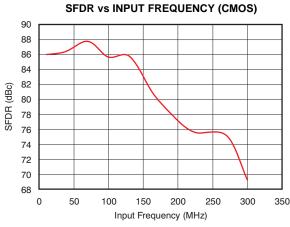


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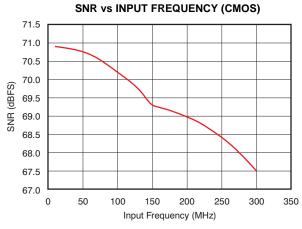


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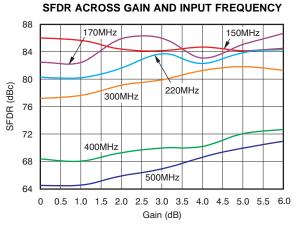


Figure 23.

PERFORMANCE ACROSS INPUT AMPLITUDE (Single

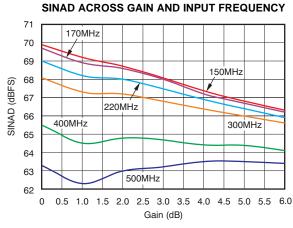


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PERFORMANCE ACROSS INPUT AMPLITUDE (Single

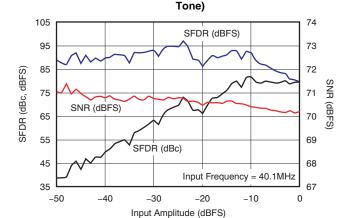
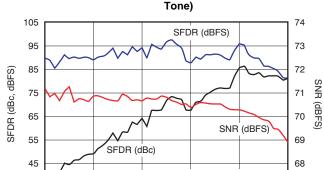


Figure 25.



-30

Figure 26.

Input Amplitude (dBFS)

-20

Input Frequency = 170.1MHz

-10

67

0

35

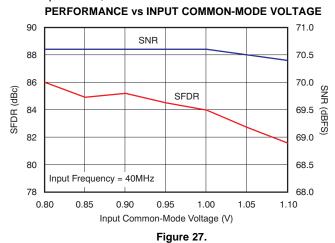
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## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4126 (continued)

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.





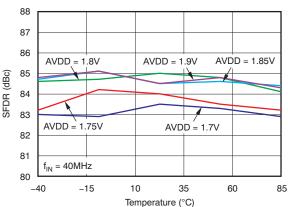
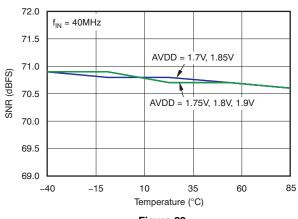


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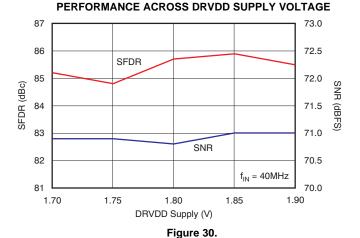


Figure 29.

PERFORMANCE ACROSS DRVDD SUPPLY VOLTAGE (CMOS)

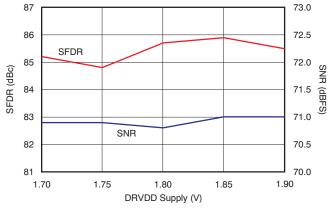


Figure 31.

PERFORMANCE ACROSS INPUT CLOCK AMPLITUDE

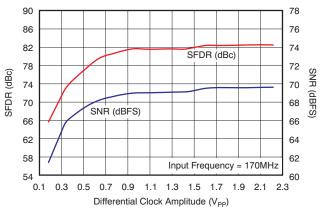
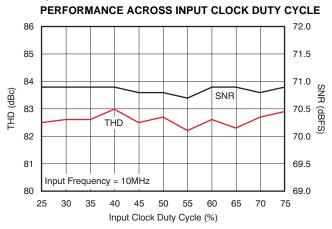


Figure 32.



## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4126 (continued)

At  $+25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.



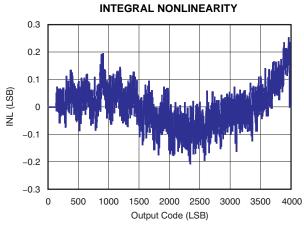
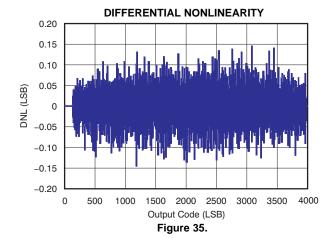


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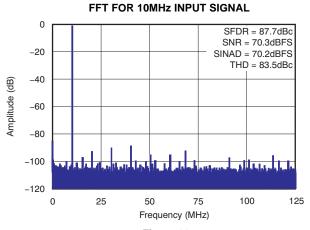
Figure 34.





#### **TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4129**

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.



#### Figure 36.

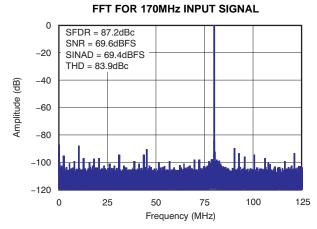


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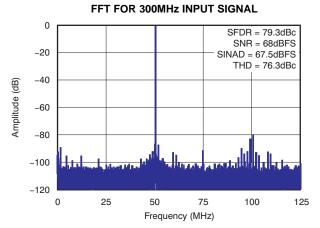


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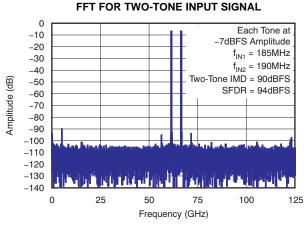


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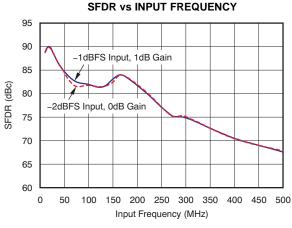


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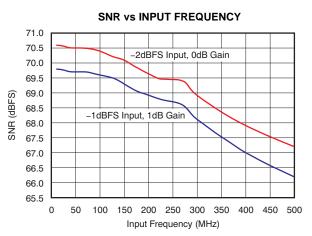
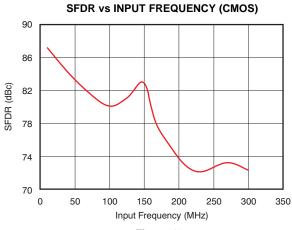


Figure 41.



## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4129 (continued)

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.



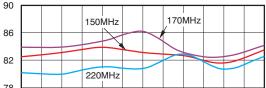
70.5 70.0 69.5 SNR (dBFS) 69.0 68.5 68.0 67.5 50 100 150 200 250 300 350

SNR vs INPUT FREQUENCY (CMOS)

Figure 42.

SFDR ACROSS GAIN AND INPUT FREQUENCY

Input Frequency (MHz) Figure 43.



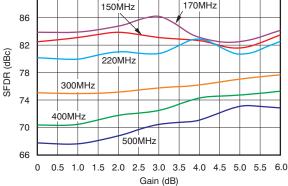


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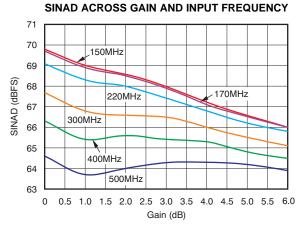


Figure 45.

#### PERFORMANCE ACROSS INPUT AMPLITUDE (Single Tone)

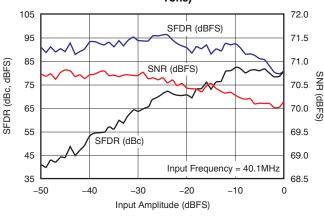


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PERFORMANCE ACROSS INPUT AMPLITUDE (Single Tone)

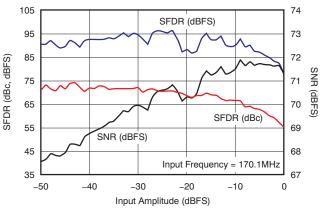
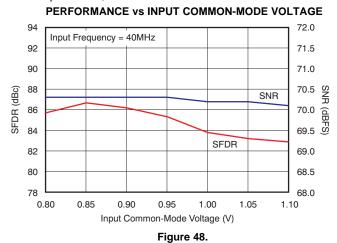


Figure 47.



## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4129 (continued)

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.



## SFDR ACROSS TEMPERATURE vs AVDD SUPPLY

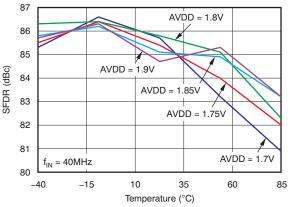
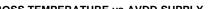
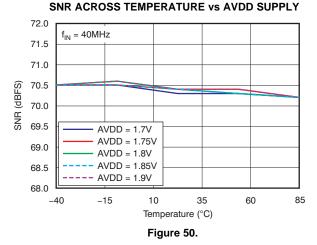


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PERFORMANCE ACROSS DRVDD SUPPLY VOLTAGE

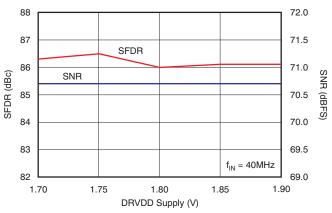
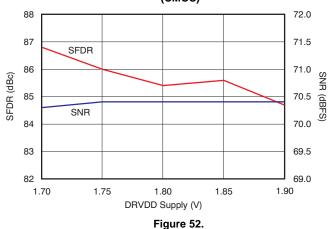


Figure 51.

#### PERFORMANCE ACROSS DRVDD SUPPLY VOLTAGE (CMOS)



PERFORMANCE ACROSS INPUT CLOCK AMPLITUDE

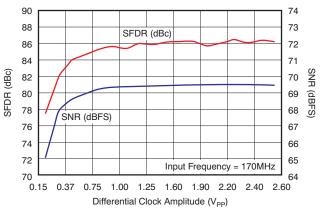
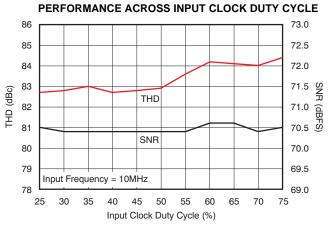


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## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4129 (continued)

At  $+25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.



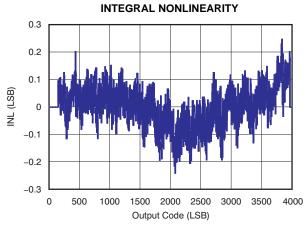
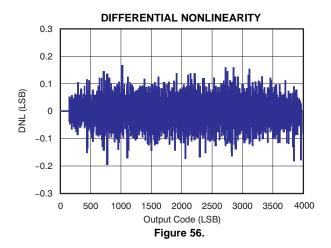


Figure 54.

Figure 55.





#### **TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4146**

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

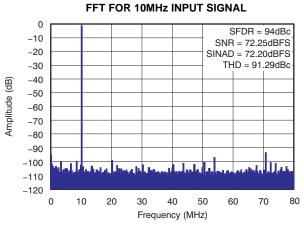


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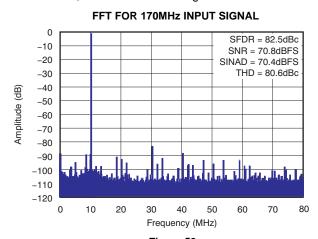


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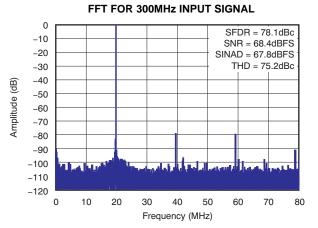


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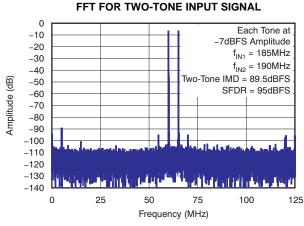


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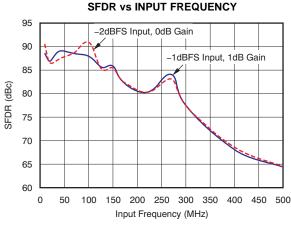


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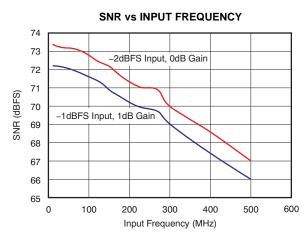
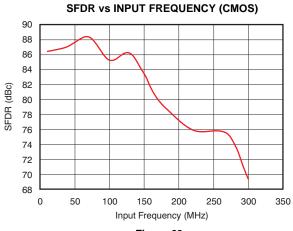


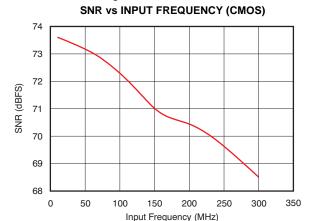
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## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4146 (continued)

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

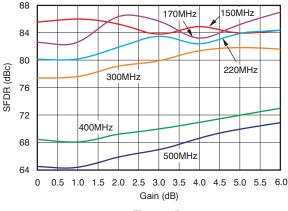




### Figure 63.

Figure 64.





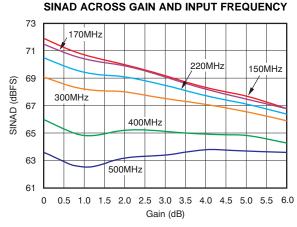
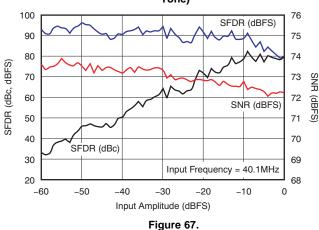


Figure 65.

Figure 66.

PERFORMANCE ACROSS INPUT AMPLITUDE (Single

## PERFORMANCE ACROSS INPUT AMPLITUDE (Single Tone)



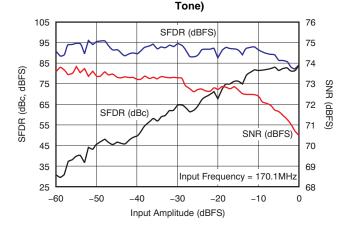


Figure 68.



## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4146 (continued)

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

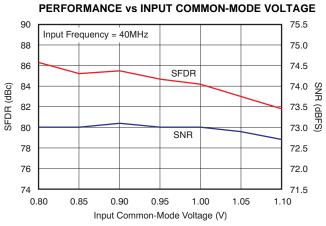


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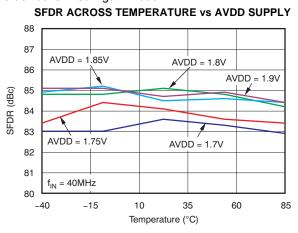


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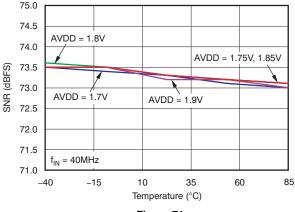


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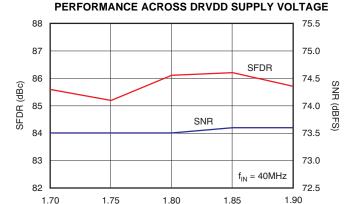


Figure 72.

DRVDD Supply (V)

## PERFORMANCE ACROSS DRVDD SUPPLY VOLTAGE (CMOS)

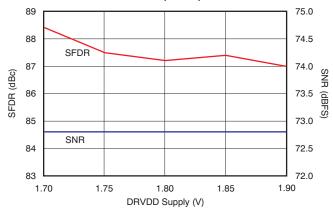


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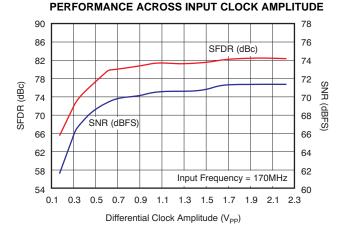
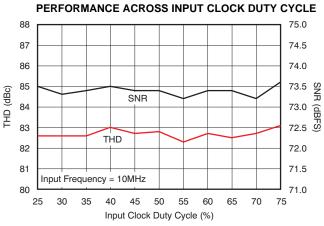


Figure 74.



## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4146 (continued)

At  $+25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.





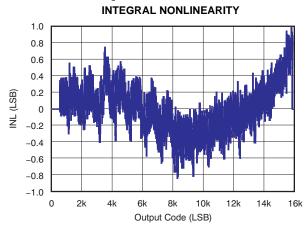


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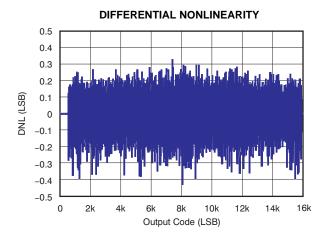
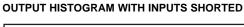


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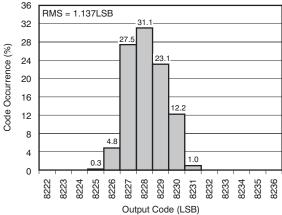


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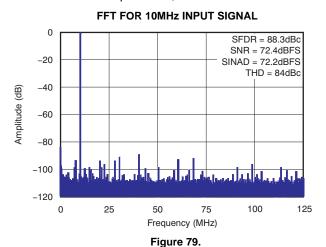
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### **TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4149**

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.





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SNR = 71.3dBFS

THD = 84.7dBc

-40

-60

\_80

0

Amplitude (dB)

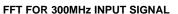
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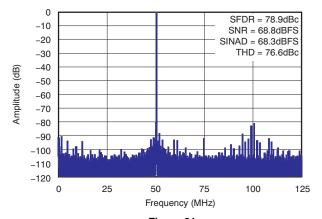
Frequency (MHz) Figure 80.

75

50

FFT FOR 170MHz INPUT SIGNAL





FFT FOR TWO-TONE INPUT SIGNAL

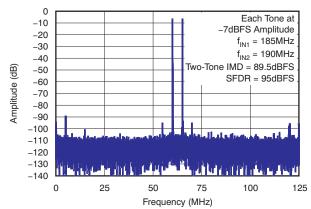


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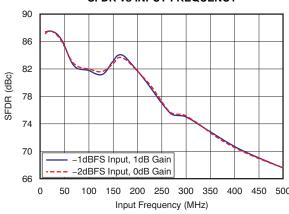


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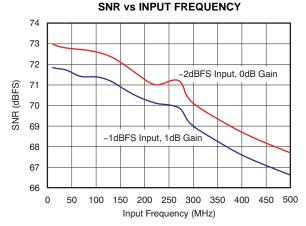
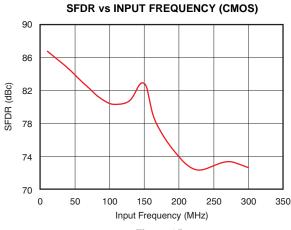


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## **TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4149 (continued)**

At  $+25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.



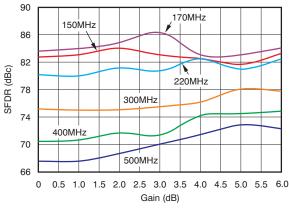
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SNR vs INPUT FREQUENCY (CMOS)

### Figure 85.

Input Frequency (MHz) **Figure 86.** 





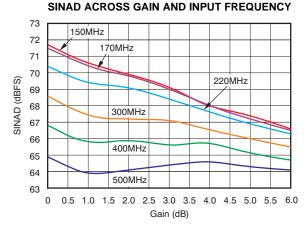
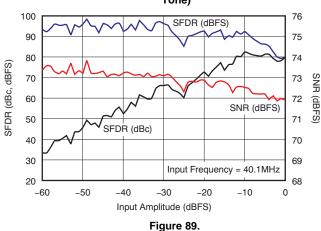


Figure 87.

Figure 88.

## PERFORMANCE ACROSS INPUT AMPLITUDE (Single Tone)



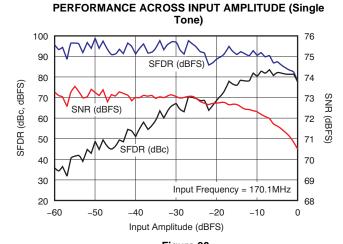


Figure 90.



## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4149 (continued)

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

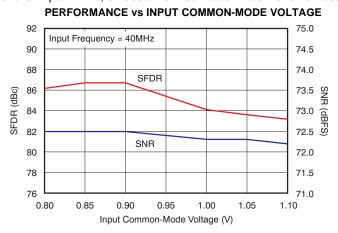


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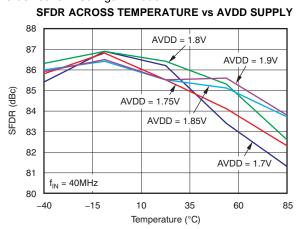


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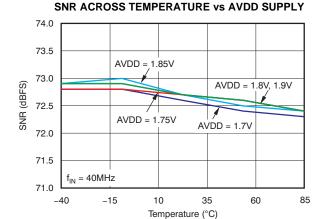


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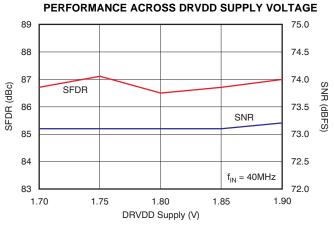


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## PERFORMANCE ACROSS DRVDD SUPPLY VOLTAGE (CMOS)

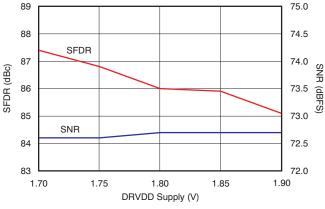


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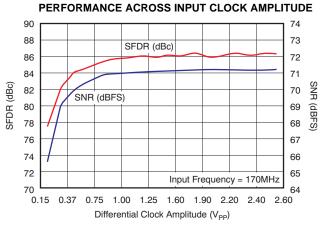


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## TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: ADS4149 (continued)

At  $+25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

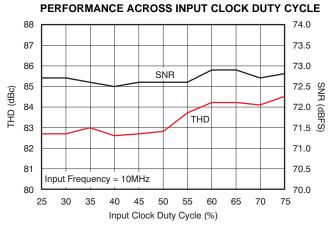
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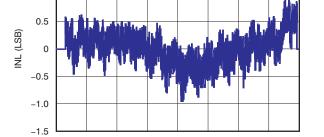
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INTEGRAL NONLINEARITY

Output Code (LSB) Figure 98.

8k

10k

12k

14k

16k





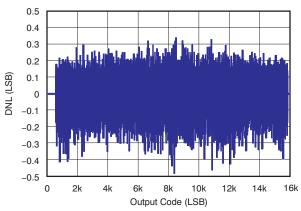


Figure 99.

### **OUTPUT HISTOGRAM WITH INPUTS SHORTED**

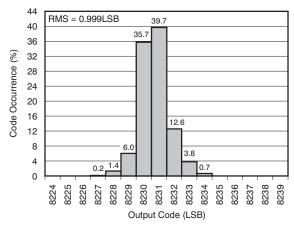


Figure 100.



#### TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: COMMON

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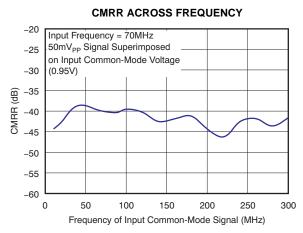


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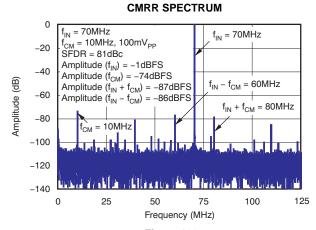


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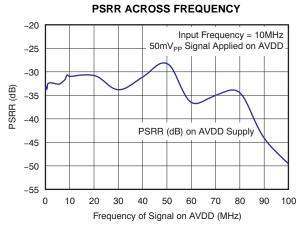


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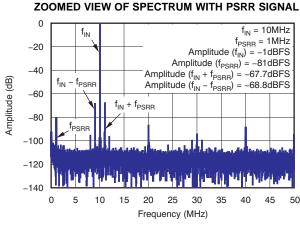
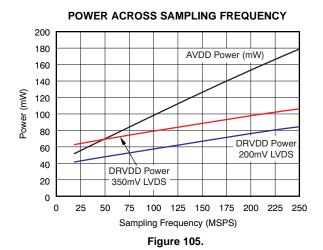


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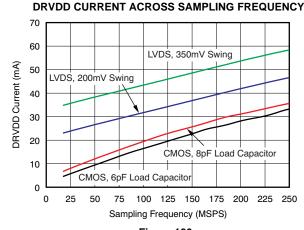


Figure 106.



### TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS: CONTOUR

At +25°C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

# SFDR ACROSS INPUT AND SAMPLING FREQUENCIES (1dB Gain) Applies to ADS412x and ADS414x

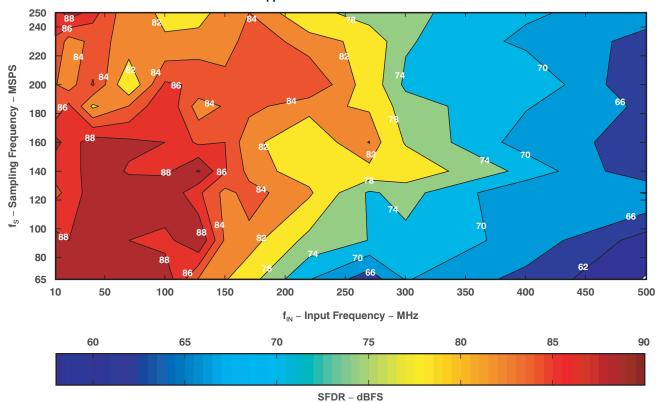


Figure 107.



At  $+25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

# SFDR ACROSS INPUT AND SAMPLING FREQUENCIES (6dB Gain) Applies to ADS412x and ADS414x

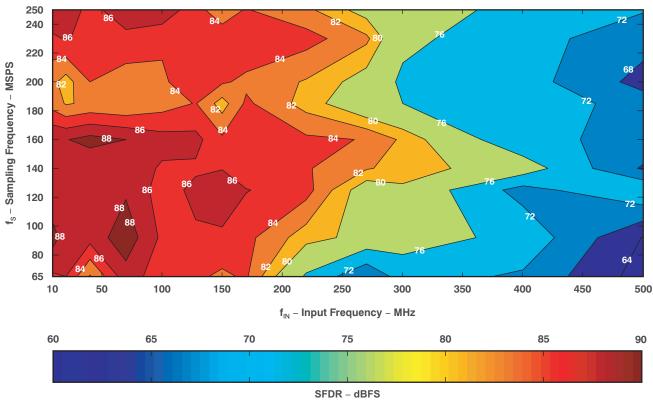


Figure 108.



At  $+25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

# ADS412x SNR ACROSS INPUT AND SAMPLING FREQUENCIES (1dB Gain)

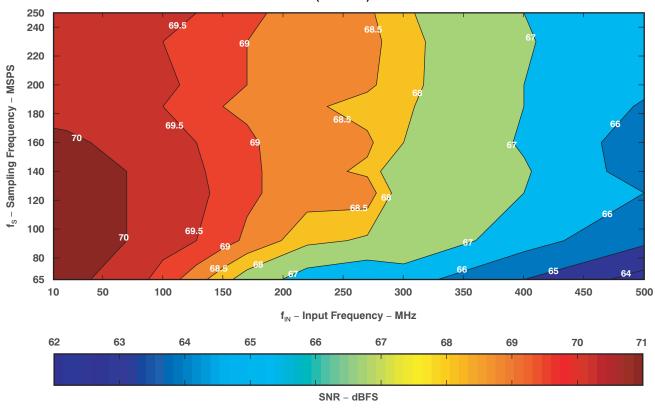


Figure 109.



At  $+25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

# ADS412x SNR ACROSS INPUT AND SAMPLING FREQUENCIES (6dB Gain)

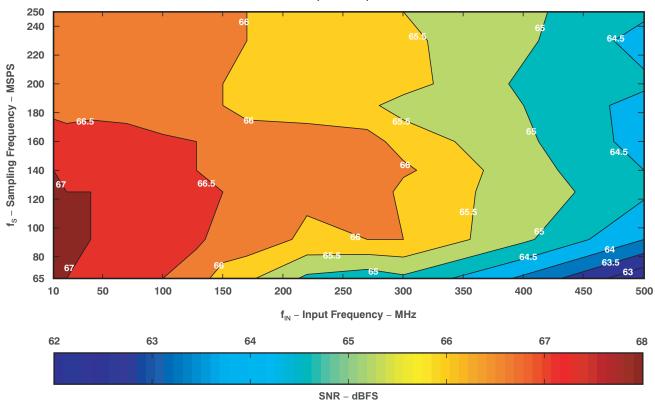


Figure 110.



At  $+25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

# ADS414x: SNR ACROSS INPUT AND SAMPLING FREQUENCIES (1dB Gain)

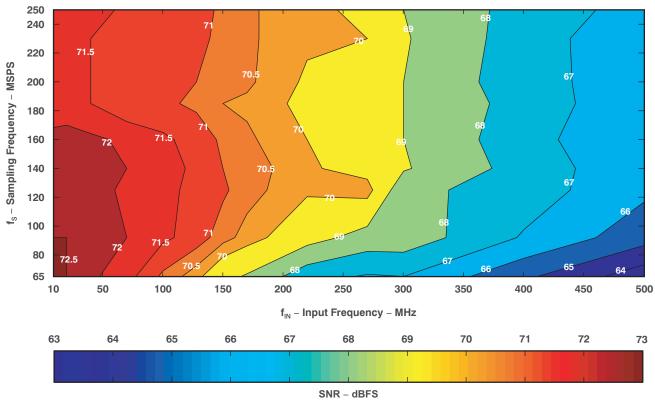


Figure 111.



At  $+25^{\circ}$ C, AVDD = 1.8V, DRVDD = 1.8V, maximum rated sampling frequency, sine wave input clock, 1.5V<sub>PP</sub> differential clock amplitude, 50% clock duty cycle, -1dBFS differential analog input, 1dB gain, low-latency mode, DDR LVDS output interface, and 32k-point FFT, unless otherwise noted. Note that after reset, the device is in 0dB gain mode.

## ADS414x: SNR ACROSS INPUT AND SAMPLING FREQUENCIES (6dB Gain)

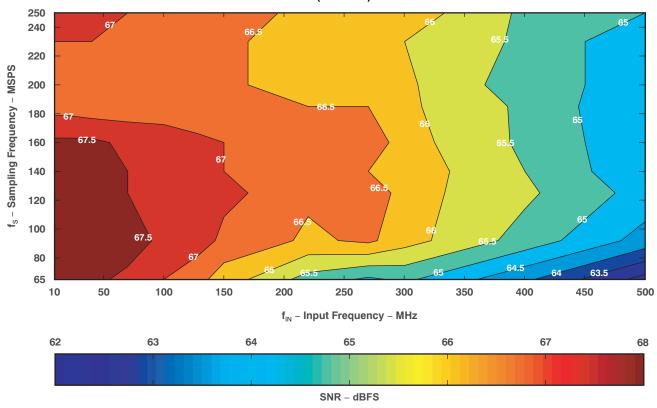


Figure 112.



#### APPLICATION INFORMATION

### THEORY OF OPERATION

The ADS412x/4x is a family of high-performance and low-power 12-bit and 14-bit ADCs with maximum sampling rates up to 250MSPS. The conversion process is initiated by a rising edge of the external input clock and the analog input signal is sampled. The sampled signal is sequentially converted by a series of small resolution stages, with the outputs combined in a digital correction logic block. At every clock edge the sample propagates through the pipeline, resulting in a data latency of 10 clock cycles. The output is available as 14-bit data or 12-bit data, in DDR LVDS mode or CMOS mode, and coded in either straight offset binary or binary twos complement format.

### **ANALOG INPUT**

The analog input consists of a switched-capacitor-based, differential, sample-and-hold architecture. This differential topology results in very good ac performance even for high input frequencies at high sampling rates. The INP and INM pins must be externally biased around a common-mode voltage of 0.95V, available on the VCM pin. For a full-scale differential input, each input INP and INM pin must swing symmetrically between (VCM + 0.5V) and (VCM - 0.5V), resulting in a  $2V_{PP}$  differential input swing. The input sampling circuit has a high 3dB bandwidth that extends up to 550MHz (measured from the input pins to the sampled voltage). Figure 113 shows an equivalent circuit for the analog input.

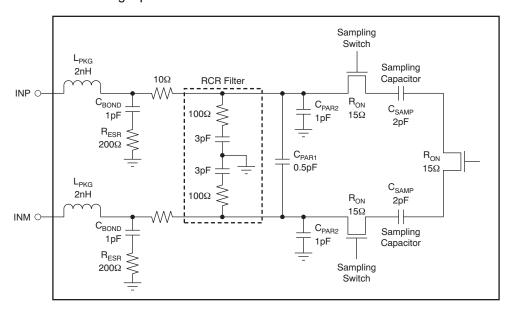


Figure 113. Analog Input Equivalent Circuit

#### **Drive Circuit Requirements**

For optimum performance, the analog inputs must be driven differentially. This technique improves the common-mode noise immunity and even-order harmonic rejection. A  $5\Omega$  to  $15\Omega$  resistor in series with each input pin is recommended to damp out ringing caused by package parasitics. It is also necessary to present low impedance (less than  $50\Omega$ ) for the common-mode switching currents. This impedance can be achieved by using two resistors from each input terminated to the common-mode voltage (VCM).

Note that the device includes an internal R-C filter from each input to ground. The purpose of this filter is to absorb the glitches caused by the opening and closing of the sampling capacitors. The cutoff frequency of the R-C filter involves a trade-off. A lower cutoff frequency (larger C) absorbs glitches better, but also reduces the input bandwidth and the maximum input frequency that can be supported. On the other hand, with no internal R-C filter, high input frequency can be supported but now the sampling glitches must be supplied by the external driving circuit. The inductance of the package bond wires limits the ability of the external driving circuit to support the sampling glitches.



In the ADS412x/4x, the R-C component values have been optimized while supporting high input bandwidth (550MHz). However, in applications where very high input frequency support is not required, filtering of the glitches can be improved further with an external R-C-R filter; see Figure 116 and Figure 117).

In addition, the drive circuit may have to be designed to provide a low insertion loss over the desired frequency range and matched impedance to the source. While designing the drive circuit, the ADC impedance must be considered. Figure 114 and Figure 115 show the impedance ( $Z_{IN} = R_{IN} \parallel C_{IN}$ ) looking into the ADC input pins.

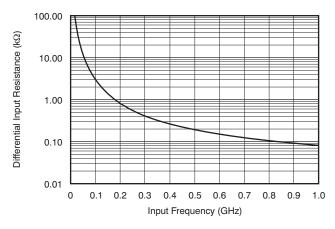


Figure 114. ADC Analog Input Resistance (R<sub>IN</sub>) Across Frequency

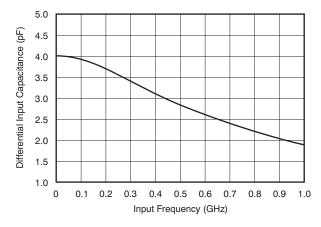


Figure 115. ADC Analog Input Capacitance (C<sub>IN</sub>) Across Frequency



## **Driving Circuit**

Two example driving circuit configurations are shown in Figure 116 and Figure 117—one optimized for low bandwidth and the other one for high bandwidth to support higher input frequencies. In Figure 116, an external R-C-R filter with 3.3pF is used to help absorb sampling glitches. The R-C-R filter limits the bandwidth of the drive circuit, making it suitable for low input frequencies (up to 250MHz). Transformers such as ADT1-1WT or WBC1-1 can be used up to 250MHz.

For higher input frequencies, the R-C-R filter can be dropped. Together with the lower series resistors ( $5\Omega$  to  $10\Omega$ ), this drive circuit provides higher bandwidth to support frequencies up to 500MHz (as shown in Figure 117). A transmission line transformer such as ADTL2-18 can be used.

Note that both the drive circuits have been terminated by  $50\Omega$  near the ADC side. The termination is accomplished by a  $25\Omega$  resistor from each input to the 0.95V common-mode (VCM) from the device. This termination allows the analog inputs to be biased around the required common-mode voltage.

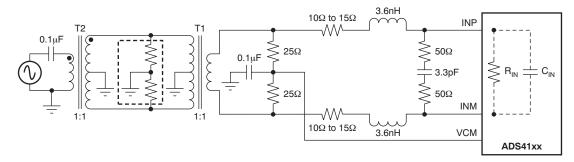


Figure 116. Drive Circuit with Low Bandwidth (for Low Input Frequencies)

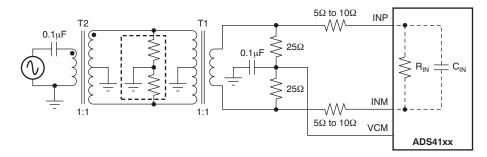


Figure 117. Drive Circuit with High Bandwidth (for High Input Frequencies)

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The mismatch in the transformer parasitic capacitance (between the windings) results in degraded even-order harmonic performance. Connecting two identical RF transformers back-to-back helps minimize this mismatch and good performance is obtained for high-frequency input signals. An additional termination resistor pair may be required between the two transformers, as shown in Figure 116 and Figure 117. The center point of this termination is connected to ground to improve the balance between the P (positive) and M (negative) sides. The values of the terminations between the transformers and on the secondary side must be chosen to obtain an effective  $50\Omega$  (for a  $50\Omega$  source impedance).

Figure 116 and Figure 117 use 1:1 transformers with a  $50\Omega$  source. As explained in the *Drive Circuit Requirements* section, this architecture helps to present a low source impedance to absorb sampling glitches. With a 1:4 transformer, the source impedance is  $200\Omega$ . The higher source impedance is unable to absorb the sampling glitches effectively and can lead to degradation in performance (compared to using 1:1 transformers).

In almost all cases, either a bandpass or low-pass filter is needed to get the desired dynamic performance, as shown in Figure 118. Such a filter presents low source impedance at the high frequencies corresponding to the sampling glitch and helps avoid the performance loss with the high source impedance.

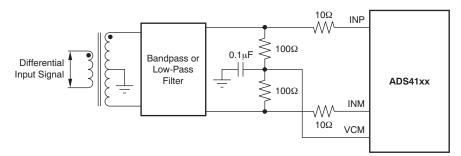


Figure 118. Drive Circuit with 1:4 Transformer

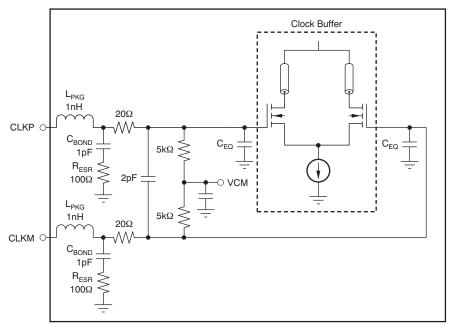
### **Input Common-Mode**

To ensure a low-noise, common-mode reference, the VCM pin is filtered with a 0.1µF low-inductance capacitor connected to ground. The VCM pin is designed to directly drive the ADC inputs. Each ADC input pin sinks a common-mode current of approximately 0.6µA per MSPS of clock frequency.



#### **CLOCK INPUT**

The ADS412x/4x clock inputs can be driven differentially (sine, LVPECL, or LVDS) or single-ended (LVCMOS), with little or no difference in performance between them. The common-mode voltage of the clock inputs is set to VCM using internal  $5k\Omega$  resistors. This setting allows the use of transformer-coupled drive circuits for sine-wave clock or ac-coupling for LVPECL and LVDS clock sources. Figure 119 shows an equivalent circuit for the input clock.



NOTE: C<sub>EQ</sub> is 1pF to 3pF and is the equivalent input capacitance of the clock buffer.

Figure 119. Input Clock Equivalent Circuit

A single-ended CMOS clock can be ac-coupled to the CLKP input, with CLKM connected to ground with a  $0.1\mu F$  capacitor, as shown in Figure 120. For best performance, the clock inputs must be driven differentially, reducing susceptibility to common-mode noise. For high input frequency sampling, it is recommended to use a clock source with very low jitter. Band-pass filtering of the clock source can help reduce the effects of jitter. There is no change in performance with a non-50% duty cycle clock input. Figure 121 shows a differential circuit.

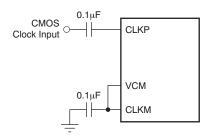


Figure 120. Single-Ended Clock Driving Circuit

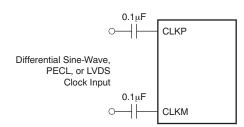


Figure 121. Differential Clock Driving Circuit



#### DIGITAL FUNCTIONS AND LOW LATENCY MODE

The device has several useful digital functions such as test patterns, gain, and offset correction. All of these functions require extra clock cycles for operation and increase the overall latency and power of the device. Alternately, the device has a low-latency mode in which the raw ADC output is routed to the output data pins with a latency of 10 clock cycles. In this mode, the digital functions are bypassed. Figure 122 shows more details of the processing after the ADC.

The device is in low-latency mode after reset. In order to use any of the digital functions, first the low-latency mode must be disabled by setting the DIS LOW LATENCY register bit to '1'. After this, the respective register bits must be programmed as described in the following sections and in the *Serial Register Map* section.

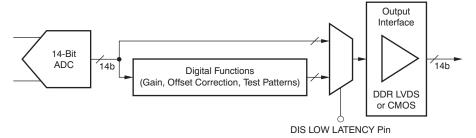


Figure 122. Digital Processing Block Diagram

### GAIN FOR SFDR/SNR TRADE-OFF

The ADS412x/4x include gain settings that can be used to get improved SFDR performance. The gain is programmable from 0dB to 6dB (in 0.5dB steps) using the GAIN register bits. For each gain setting, the analog input full-scale range scales proportionally, as shown in Table 11.

The SFDR improvement is achieved at the expense of SNR; for each gain setting, the SNR degrades approximately between 0.5dB and 1dB. The SNR degradation is reduced at high input frequencies. As a result, the gain is very useful at high input frequencies because the SFDR improvement is significant with marginal degradation in SNR. Therefore, the gain can be used to trade-off between SFDR and SNR.

After a reset, the device is in low-latency mode and gain function is disabled. To use gain:

- First, disable the low-latency mode (DIS LOW LATENCY = 1).
- This setting enables the gain and puts the device in a 0dB gain mode.
- For other gain settings, program the GAIN bits.

**Table 11. Full-Scale Range Across Gains** 

GAIN (dB)	TYPE	FULL-SCALE (V <sub>PP</sub> )
0	Default after reset	2
1	Programmable gain	1.78
2	Programmable gain	1.59
3	Programmable gain	1.42
4	Programmable gain	1.26
5	Programmable gain	1.12
6	Programmable gain	1.00



#### OFFSET CORRECTION

The ADS412x/4x has an internal offset corretion algorithm that estimates and corrects dc offset up to ±10mV. The correction can be enabled using the EN OFFSET CORR serial register bit. Once enabled, the algorithm estimates the channel offset and applies the correction every clock cycle. The time constant of the correction loop is a function of the sampling clock frequency. The time constant can be controlled using the OFFSET CORR TIME CONSTANT register bits, as described in Table 12.

Table 12. Time Constant of Offset Correction Loop

OFFSET CORR TIME CONSTANT	TIME CONSTANT, TC <sub>CLK</sub> (Number of Clock Cycles)	TIME CONSTANT, TC <sub>CLK</sub> × 1/f <sub>S</sub> (sec) <sup>(1)</sup>
0000	1M	4ms
0001	2M	8ms
0010	4M	16.7ms
0011	8M	33.5ms
0100	16M	67ms
0101	32M	134ms
0110	64M	268ms
0111	128M	537ms
1000	256M	1.1s
1001	512M	2.15s
1010	1G	4.3s
1011	2G	8.6s
1100	Reserved	_
1101	Reserved	_
1110	Reserved	_
1111	Reserved	_

<sup>(1)</sup> Sampling frequency,  $f_S = 250MSPS$ .

After the offset is estimated, the correction can be frozen by setting FREEZE OFFSET CORR = 1. Once frozen, the last estimated value is used for the offset correction of every clock cycle. Note that offset correction is disabled by a default after reset.

After a reset, the device is in low-latency mode and offset correction is disabled. To use offset correction:

- First, disable the low-latency mode (DIS LOW LATENCY = 1).
- Then set EN OFFSET CORR to '1' and program the required time constant.

Figure 123 shows the time response of the offset correction algorithm after it is enabled.

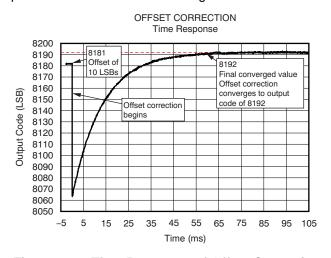


Figure 123. Time Response of Offset Correction

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#### **POWER DOWN**

The ADS412x/4x has three power-down modes: power-down global, standby, and output buffer disable.

#### **Power-Down Global**

In this mode, the entire chip (including the ADC, internal reference, and the output buffers) are powered down, resulting in reduced total power dissipation of about 10mW. The output buffers are in a high-impedance state. The wake-up time from the global power-down to data becoming valid in normal mode is typically 100µs. To enter the global power-down mode, set the PDN GLOBAL register bit.

## Standby

In this mode, only the ADC is powered down and the internal references are active, resulting in a fast wake-up time of 5µs. The total power dissipation in standby mode is approximately 185mW. To enter the standby mode, set the STBY register bit.

## **Output Buffer Disable**

The output buffers can be disabled and put in a high-impedance state; wakeup time from this mode is fast, approximately 100ns. This can be controlled using the PDN OBUF register bit or using the OE pin.

## **Input Clock Stop**

In addition, the converter enters a low-power mode when the input clock frequency falls below 1MSPS. The power dissipation is approximately 80mW.

### **POWER-SUPPLY SEQUENCE**

During power-up, the AVDD and DRVDD supplies can come up in any sequence. The two supplies are separated in the device. Externally, they can be driven from separate supplies or from a single supply.

#### DIGITAL OUTPUT INFORMATION

The ADS412x/4x provide either 14-bit data or 12-bit data, respectively, and an output clock synchronized with the data.

## **Output Interface**

Two output interface options are available: double data rate (DDR) LVDS and parallel CMOS. They can be selected using the LVDS CMOS serial interface register bit or using the DFS pin.

### **DDR LVDS Outputs**

In this mode, the data bits and clock are output using low voltage differential signal (LVDS) levels. Two data bits are multiplexed and output on each LVDS differential pair, as shown in Figure 124 and Figure 125.



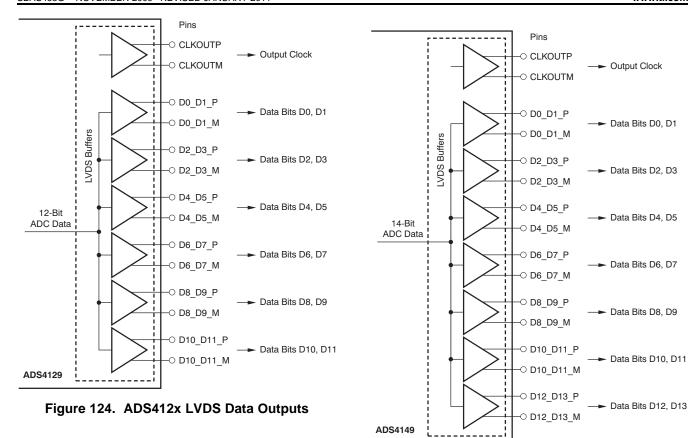


Figure 125. ADS414x LVDS Data Outputs



Even data bits (D0, D2, D4, etc.) are output at the falling edge of CLKOUTP and the odd data bits (D1, D3, D5, etc.) are output at the rising edge of CLKOUTP. Both the rising and falling edges of CLKOUTP must be used to capture all 14 data bits, as shown in Figure 126.

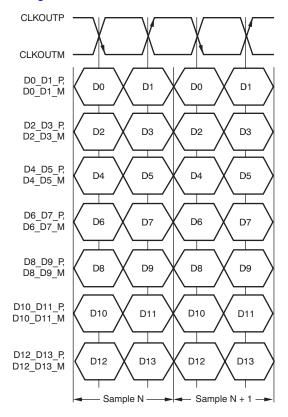


Figure 126. DDR LVDS Interface



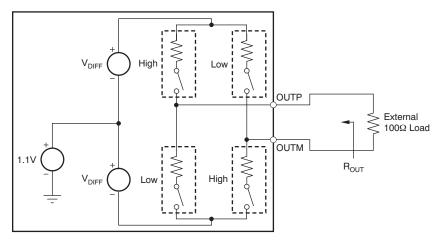
## LVDS Output Data and Clock Buffers

The equivalent circuit of each LVDS output buffer is shown in Figure 127. After reset, the buffer presents an output impedance of  $100\Omega$  to match with the external  $100\Omega$  termination.

The  $V_{DIFF}$  voltage is nominally 350mV, resulting in an output swing of ±350mV with 100 $\Omega$  external termination. The  $V_{DIFF}$  voltage is programmable using the LVDS SWING register bits from ±125mV to ±570mV.

Additionally, a mode exists to double the strength of the LVDS buffer to support  $50\Omega$  differential termination. This mode can be used when the output LVDS signal is routed to two separate receiver chips, each using a  $100\Omega$  termination. The mode can be enabled using the LVDS DATA STRENGTH and LVDS CLKOUT STRENGTH register bits for data and output clock buffers, respectively.

The buffer output impedance behaves in the same way as a source-side series termination. By absorbing reflections from the receiver end, it helps to improve signal integrity.



NOTE: Use the default buffer strength to match  $100\Omega$  external termination ( $R_{OUT} = 100\Omega$ ). To match with a  $50\Omega$  external termination, set the LVDS STRENGTH bit ( $R_{OUT} = 50\Omega$ ).

Figure 127. LVDS Buffer Equivalent Circuit

#### **Parallel CMOS Interface**

In CMOS mode, each data bit is output on a separate pin as the CMOS voltage level, for every clock cycle. The rising edge of the output clock CLKOUT can be used to latch data in the receiver. Figure 128 depicts the CMOS output interface.

Switching noise (caused by CMOS output data transitions) can couple into the analog inputs and degrade SNR. The coupling and SNR degradation increases as the output buffer drive is made stronger. To minimize this degradation, the CMOS output buffers are designed with controlled drive strength. The default drive strength ensures a wide data stable window (even at 250MSPS) is provided so the data outputs have minimal load capacitance. It is recommended to use short traces (one to two inches or 2,54cm to 5,08cm) terminated with less than 5pF load capacitance, as shown in Figure 129.

For sampling frequencies greater than 200MSPS, it is recommended to use an external clock to capture data. The delay from input clock to output data and the data valid times are specified for higher sampling frequencies. These timings can be used to delay the input clock appropriately and use it to capture data.



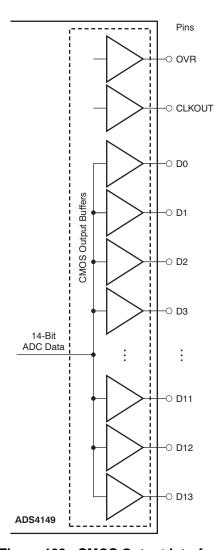


Figure 128. CMOS Output Interface



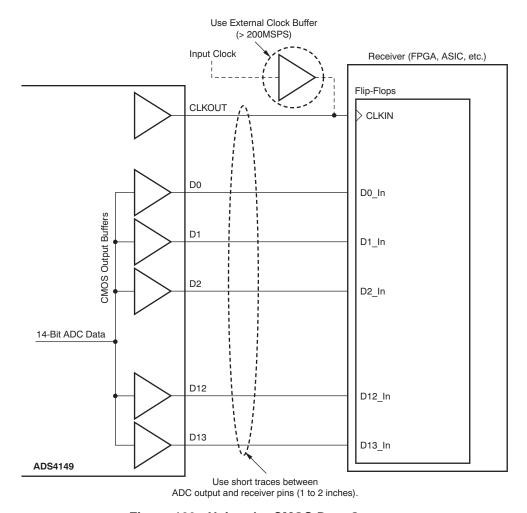


Figure 129. Using the CMOS Data Outputs

### **CMOS Interface Power Dissipation**

With CMOS outputs, the DRVDD current scales with the sampling frequency and the load capacitance on every output pin. The maximum DRVDD current occurs when each output bit toggles between '0' and '1' every clock cycle. In actual applications, this condition is unlikely to occur. The actual DRVDD current would be determined by the average number of output bits switching, which is a function of the sampling frequency and the nature of the analog input signal.

Digital Current as a Result of CMOS Output Switching =  $C_L \times DRVDD \times (N \times f_{AVG})$ 

where:

 $C_1$  = load capacitance,

 $N \times F_{AVG}$  = average number of output bits switching. (1)

Figure 106 shows the current across sampling frequencies at 2 MHz analog input frequency.

## Input Over-Voltage Indication (OVR Pin)

The device has an OVR pin that provides information about analog input overload. At any clock cycle, if the sampled input voltage exceeds the positive or negative full-scale range, the OVR pin goes high. The OVR remains high as long as the overload condition persists. The OVR pin is a CMOS output buffer (running off DRVDD supply), independent of the type of output data interface (DDR LVDS or CMOS).

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For a positive overload, the D[13:0] output data bits are 3FFFh in offset binary output format and 1FFFh in twos complement output format. For a negative input overload, the output code is 0000h in offset binary output format and 2000h in twos complement output format.

## **Output Data Format**

Two output data formats are supported: twos complement and offset binary. They can be selected using the DATA FORMAT serial interface register bit or controlling the DFS pin in parallel configuration mode. In the event of an input voltage overdrive, the digital outputs go to the appropriate full-scale level.

#### **BOARD DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS**

## Grounding

A single ground plane is sufficient to give good performance, provided the analog, digital, and clock sections of the board are cleanly partitioned. See the *ADS414x*, *ADS412x EVM User Guide* (SLWU067) for details on layout and grounding.

## **Supply Decoupling**

Because the ADS412x/4x already include internal decoupling, minimal external decoupling can be used without loss in performance. Note that decoupling capacitors can help filter external power-supply noise, so the optimum number of capacitors depends on the actual application. The decoupling capacitors should be placed very close to the converter supply pins.

## **Exposed Pad**

In addition to providing a path for heat dissipation, the PowerPAD is also electrically internally connected to the digital ground. Therefore, it is necessary to solder the exposed pad to the ground plane for best thermal and electrical performance. For detailed information, see application notes *QFN Layout Guidelines* (SLOA122) and *QFN/SON PCB Attachment* (SLUA271), both available for download at the TI web site (www.ti.com).



#### **DEFINITION OF SPECIFICATIONS**

**Analog Bandwidth** – The analog input frequency at which the power of the fundamental is reduced by 3 dB with respect to the low-frequency value.

**Aperture Delay** – The delay in time between the rising edge of the input sampling clock and the actual time at which the sampling occurs. This delay is different across channels. The maximum variation is specified as aperture delay variation (channel-to-channel).

Aperture Uncertainty (Jitter) - The sample-to-sample variation in aperture delay.

Clock Pulse Width/Duty Cycle – The duty cycle of a clock signal is the ratio of the time the clock signal remains at a logic high (clock pulse width) to the period of the clock signal. Duty cycle is typically expressed as a percentage. A perfect differential sine-wave clock results in a 50% duty cycle.

**Maximum Conversion Rate** – The maximum sampling rate at which specified operation is given. All parametric testing is performed at this sampling rate unless otherwise noted.

Minimum Conversion Rate - The minimum sampling rate at which the ADC functions.

**Differential Nonlinearity (DNL)** – An ideal ADC exhibits code transitions at analog input values spaced exactly 1 LSB apart. The DNL is the deviation of any single step from this ideal value, measured in units of LSBs.

**Integral Nonlinearity (INL)** – The INL is the deviation of the ADC transfer function from a best fit line determined by a least squares curve fit of that transfer function, measured in units of LSBs.

**Gain Error** – Gain error is the deviation of the ADC actual input full-scale range from its ideal value. The gain error is given as a percentage of the ideal input full-scale range. Gain error has two components: error as a result of reference inaccuracy and error as a result of the channel. Both errors are specified independently as  $E_{GREF}$  and  $E_{GCHAN}$ .

To a first-order approximation, the total gain error is  $E_{TOTAL} \sim E_{GREF} + E_{GCHAN}$ .

For example, if  $E_{TOTAL} = \pm 0.5\%$ , the full-scale input varies from (1 - 0.5/100) x  $FS_{ideal}$  to (1 + 0.5/100) x  $FS_{ideal}$ .

**Offset Error** – The offset error is the difference, given in number of LSBs, between the ADC actual average idle channel output code and the ideal average idle channel output code. This quantity is often mapped into millivolts.

**Temperature Drift** – The temperature drift coefficient (with respect to gain error and offset error) specifies the change per degree Celsius of the parameter from  $T_{MIN}$  to  $T_{MAX}$ . It is calculated by dividing the maximum deviation of the parameter across the  $T_{MIN}$  to  $T_{MAX}$  range by the difference  $T_{MAX} - T_{MIN}$ .

**Signal-to-Noise Ratio** – SNR is the ratio of the power of the fundamental  $(P_S)$  to the noise floor power  $(P_N)$ , excluding the power at dc and the first nine harmonics.

$$SNR = 10Log^{10} \frac{P_S}{P_N}$$
 (2)

SNR is either given in units of dBc (dB to carrier) when the absolute power of the fundamental is used as the reference, or dBFS (dB to full-scale) when the power of the fundamental is extrapolated to the converter full-scale range.

**Signal-to-Noise and Distortion (SINAD)** – SINAD is the ratio of the power of the fundamental ( $P_S$ ) to the power of all the other spectral components including noise ( $P_N$ ) and distortion ( $P_D$ ), but excluding dc.

$$SINAD = 10Log^{10} \frac{P_S}{P_N + P_D}$$
(3)

SINAD is either given in units of dBc (dB to carrier) when the absolute power of the fundamental is used as the reference, or dBFS (dB to full-scale) when the power of the fundamental is extrapolated to the converter full-scale range.



**Effective Number of Bits (ENOB)** – ENOB is a measure of the converter performance as compared to the theoretical limit based on quantization noise.

$$\mathsf{ENOB} = \frac{\mathsf{SINAD} - 1.76}{6.02} \tag{4}$$

**Total Harmonic Distortion (THD)** – THD is the ratio of the power of the fundamental  $(P_S)$  to the power of the first nine harmonics  $(P_D)$ .

$$THD = 10Log^{10} \frac{P_S}{P_N}$$
 (5)

THD is typically given in units of dBc (dB to carrier).

**Spurious-Free Dynamic Range (SFDR)** – The ratio of the power of the fundamental to the highest other spectral component (either spur or harmonic). SFDR is typically given in units of dBc (dB to carrier).

**Two-Tone Intermodulation Distortion** – IMD3 is the ratio of the power of the fundamental (at frequencies  $f_1$  and  $f_2$ ) to the power of the worst spectral component at either frequency  $2f_1 - f_2$  or  $2f_2 - f_1$ . IMD3 is either given in units of dBc (dB to carrier) when the absolute power of the fundamental is used as the reference, or dBFS (dB to full-scale) when the power of the fundamental is extrapolated to the converter full-scale range.

**DC Power-Supply Rejection Ratio (DC PSRR)** – DC PSSR is the ratio of the change in offset error to a change in analog supply voltage. The dc PSRR is typically given in units of mV/V.

**AC Power-Supply Rejection Ratio (AC PSRR)** – AC PSRR is the measure of rejection of variations in the supply voltage by the ADC. If  $\Delta V_{SUP}$  is the change in supply voltage and  $\Delta V_{OUT}$  is the resultant change of the ADC output code (referred to the input), then:

PSRR = 
$$20 \text{Log}^{10} \frac{\Delta V_{\text{OUT}}}{\Delta V_{\text{SUP}}}$$
 (Expressed in dBc) (6)

**Voltage Overload Recovery** – The number of clock cycles taken to recover to less than 1% error after an overload on the analog inputs. This is tested by separately applying a sine wave signal with 6dB positive and negative overload. The deviation of the first few samples after the overload (from the expected values) is noted.

**Common-Mode Rejection Ratio (CMRR)** – CMRR is the measure of rejection of variation in the analog input common-mode by the ADC. If  $\Delta V_{CM\_IN}$  is the change in the common-mode voltage of the input pins and  $\Delta V_{OUT}$  is the resulting change of the ADC output code (referred to the input), then:

CMRR = 
$$20\text{Log}^{10} \frac{\Delta V_{OUT}}{\Delta V_{CM}}$$
 (Expressed in dBc) (7)

Crosstalk (only for multi-channel ADCs) – This is a measure of the internal coupling of a signal from an adjacent channel into the channel of interest. It is specified separately for coupling from the immediate neighboring channel (near-channel) and for coupling from channel across the package (far-channel). It is usually measured by applying a full-scale signal in the adjacent channel. Crosstalk is the ratio of the power of the coupling signal (as measured at the output of the channel of interest) to the power of the signal applied at the adjacent channel input. It is typically expressed in dBc.



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•	Changed status of ADS4129 throughout document	1
•	Changed ADS4129 <i>SNR</i> , <i>SINAD</i> , <i>SFDR</i> , <i>THD</i> , and <i>HD3 f</i> <sub>IN</sub> = 170MHz typical specifications in Electrical Characteristics table	
•	Added ADS4129 SNR, SINAD, SFDR, THD, HD2, HD3, and Worst spur f <sub>IN</sub> = 170MHz minimum specifications in Electrical Characteristics table	5
•	Added ADS4129 DNL minimum and maximum specifications in Electrical Characteristics table	
•	Added ADS4129 INL maximum specification in Electrical Characteristics table	
•	Changed ADS4129 INL typical specification in Electrical Characteristics table	

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#### PACKAGING INFORMATION

Orderable Device	Status	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	Package Qty	Eco Plan	Lead finish/ Ball material	MSL Peak Temp	Op Temp (°C)	Device Marking (4/5)	Samples
							(6)				
ADS4126IRGZR	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	RoHS & Green	NIPDAUAG	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	AZ4126	Samples
ADS4126IRGZT	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGZ	48	250	RoHS & Green	NIPDAUAG	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	AZ4126	Samples
ADS4129IRGZR	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	RoHS & Green	NIPDAUAG	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	AZ4129	Samples
ADS4129IRGZT	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGZ	48	250	RoHS & Green	NIPDAUAG	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	AZ4129	Samples
ADS4146IRGZR	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	RoHS & Green	NIPDAUAG	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	AZ4146	Samples
ADS4146IRGZT	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGZ	48	250	RoHS & Green	NIPDAUAG	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	AZ4146	Samples
ADS4149IRGZR	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	RoHS & Green	NIPDAUAG	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	AZ4149	Samples
ADS4149IRGZT	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGZ	48	250	RoHS & Green	NIPDAUAG	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	AZ4149	Samples
ADS58B18IRGZR	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	RoHS & Green	NIPDAUAG	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	AZ58B18	Samples
ADS58B18IRGZT	ACTIVE	VQFN	RGZ	48	250	RoHS & Green	NIPDAUAG	Level-3-260C-168 HR	-40 to 85	AZ58B18	Samples

<sup>(1)</sup> The marketing status values are defined as follows:

**ACTIVE:** Product device recommended for new designs.

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<sup>(3)</sup> MSL, Peak Temp. - The Moisture Sensitivity Level rating according to the JEDEC industry standard classifications, and peak solder temperature.

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





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(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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## TAPE AND REEL INFORMATION





A0	Dimension designed to accommodate the component width
	Dimension designed to accommodate the component length
	Dimension designed to accommodate the component thickness
W	Overall width of the carrier tape
P1	Pitch between successive cavity centers

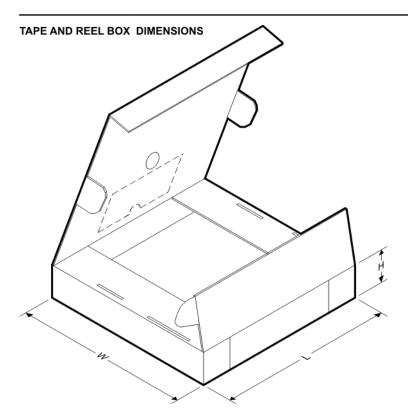
## QUADRANT ASSIGNMENTS FOR PIN 1 ORIENTATION IN TAPE



#### \*All dimensions are nominal

All dimensions are nominal												
Device	Package Type	Package Drawing		SPQ	Reel Diameter (mm)	Reel Width W1 (mm)	A0 (mm)	B0 (mm)	K0 (mm)	P1 (mm)	W (mm)	Pin1 Quadrant
ADS4126IRGZR	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	330.0	16.4	7.3	7.3	1.5	12.0	16.0	Q2
ADS4129IRGZR	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	330.0	16.4	7.3	7.3	1.5	12.0	16.0	Q2
ADS4146IRGZR	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	330.0	16.4	7.3	7.3	1.5	12.0	16.0	Q2
ADS4149IRGZR	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	330.0	16.4	7.3	7.3	1.5	12.0	16.0	Q2
ADS58B18IRGZR	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	330.0	16.4	7.3	7.3	1.5	12.0	16.0	Q2

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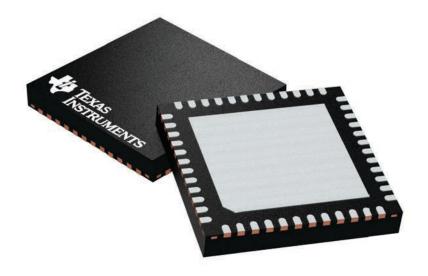


#### \*All dimensions are nominal

Device	Package Type	Package Drawing	Pins	SPQ	Length (mm)	Width (mm)	Height (mm)
ADS4126IRGZR	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	350.0	350.0	43.0
ADS4129IRGZR	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	350.0	350.0	43.0
ADS4146IRGZR	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	350.0	350.0	43.0
ADS4149IRGZR	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	350.0	350.0	43.0
ADS58B18IRGZR	VQFN	RGZ	48	2500	350.0	350.0	43.0

7 x 7, 0.5 mm pitch

PLASTIC QUADFLAT PACK- NO LEAD



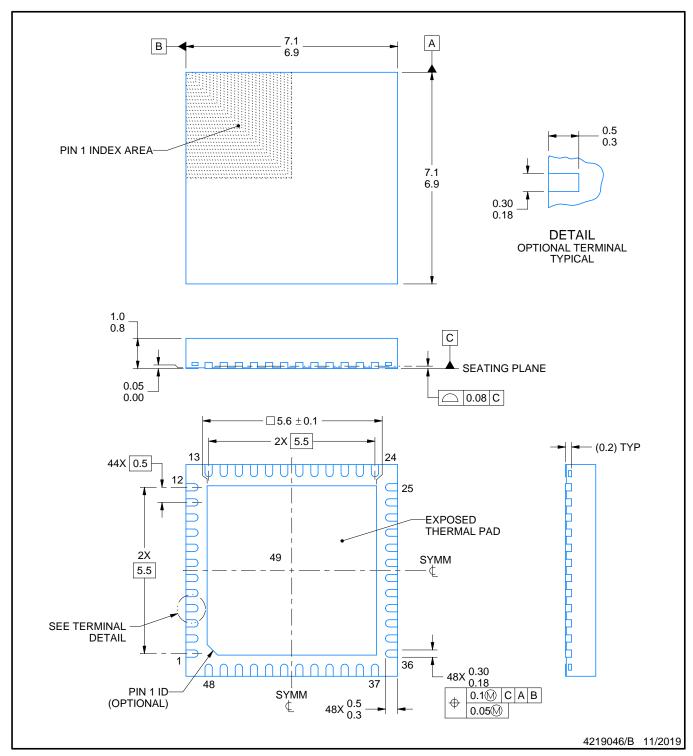
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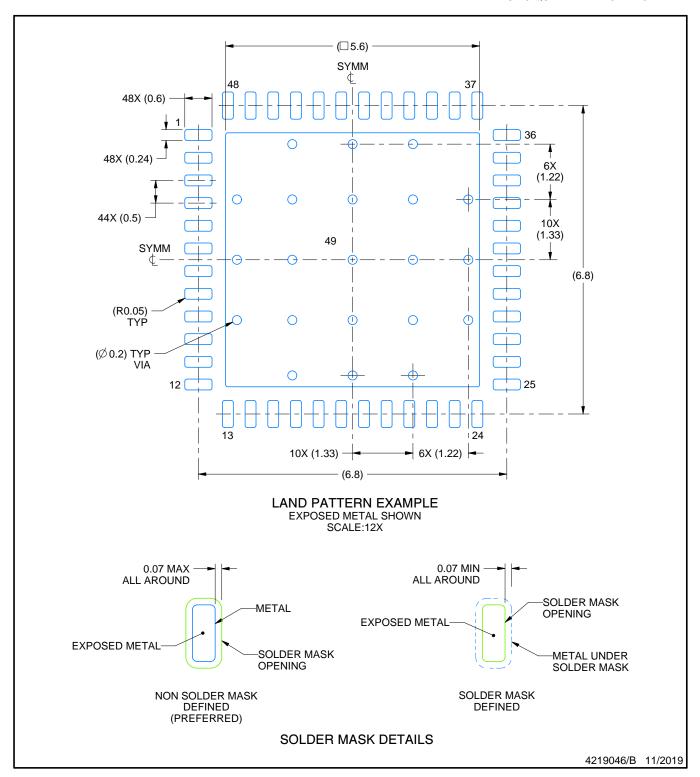


#### NOTES:

- 1. All linear dimensions are in millimeters. Any dimensions in parenthesis are for reference only. Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M.
  2. This drawing is subject to change without notice.
- 3. The package thermal pad must be soldered to the printed circuit board for thermal and mechanical performance.



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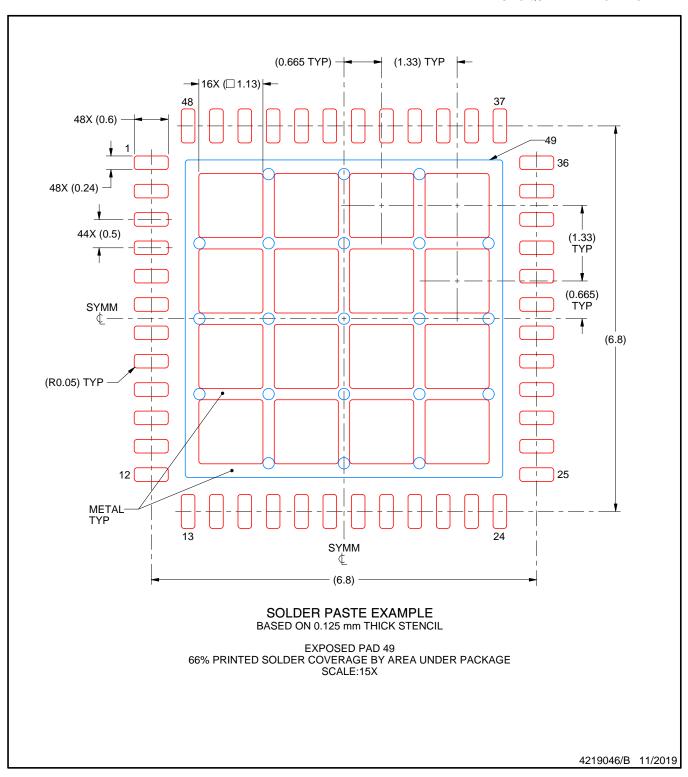


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- 4. This package is designed to be soldered to a thermal pad on the board. For more information, see Texas Instruments literature number SLUA271 (www.ti.com/lit/slua271).
- 5. Vias are optional depending on application, refer to device data sheet. If any vias are implemented, refer to their locations shown on this view. It is recommended that vias under paste be filled, plugged or tented.



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6. Laser cutting apertures with trapezoidal walls and rounded corners may offer better paste release. IPC-7525 may have alternate design recommendations.

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