LME49830 Mono High Fidelity 200 Volt MOSFET Power Amplifier Input Stage with Mute

FEATURES
- High Output Current and Voltage for Use With MOSFET Output Stages
- Very High Voltage Range: ±20V to ±100V
- Scalable Output Power
- Minimum External Components
- External Compensation
- Thermal Shutdown of Input Stage
- Mute Control

APPLICATIONS
- AV Receivers
- Audiophile Power Amps
- Pro Audio
- High Voltage Industrial Applications

KEY SPECIFICATIONS
- Wide Operating Voltage Range: ±20V to ±100V
- Output Voltage Noise
  - (BW = 30kHz): 44μV (Typ)
- PSRR (DC): 105dB (Typ)
- Slew Rate: 39V/μs (Typ)
- THD+N (f = 1kHz): 0.0006% (Typ)

DESCRIPTION
The LME49830 is a high fidelity audio power amplifier input stage designed for demanding consumer and pro-audio applications. Amplifier output power may be scaled by changing the supply voltage and number of output devices. The LME49830 is capable of driving an output stage in excess of 300 W single-ended into an 8Ω load in the presence of 10% high line headroom and 20% supply regulation.

The LME49830 includes internal thermal shut down circuitry that activates when the LME49830 die temperature exceeds 150°C. The LME49830 has a mute function that mutes the input drive signal and forces the amplifier output to a quiescent state.

The LME49830 has high drive current, 56mA typical, and high output voltage swing for maximum flexibility in output stage choice. With a bias voltage range up to 16V the LME49830 can be used to drive MOSFET output stages using a wide selection of MOSFETs.

The LME49830 has a wide operating supply range of ±20V to ±100V, which allows lower cost, unregulated power supplies to be used.
Typical Application

![Typical Audio Amplifier Application Circuit](image_url)

**Figure 1. Typical Audio Amplifier Application Circuit**

**CONNECTION DIAGRAM**

![Plastic Package (Top View)](image_url)

**Figure 2. Plastic Package (Top View)**

(1) The NDN0015A is a non-isolated package. The package's metal back and any heat sink to which it is mounted are connected to the $V_{EE}$ potential when using only thermal compound. If a mica washer is used in addition to thermal compound, $\theta_{CS}$ (case to sink) is increased, but the heat sink will be electrically isolated from $V_{EE}$. 

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### PIN DESCRIPTIONS

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<td>No Connection, Pin electrically isolated</td>
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<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>Mute</td>
<td>Mute Control</td>
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<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>GND</td>
<td>Device Ground</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>IN+</td>
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<td>+V_CC</td>
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### BLOCK DIAGRAM

![Figure 3. LME49830 Simplified Block Diagram](image_url)

**Figure 3.** LME49830 Simplified Block Diagram
These devices have limited built-in ESD protection. The leads should be shorted together or the device placed in conductive foam during storage or handling to prevent electrostatic damage to the MOS gates.

### ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

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<td>Differential Input Voltage</td>
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<td>Common Mode Input Range</td>
<td>0.4 $V_{EE}$ to 0.4 $V_{CC}$</td>
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<td>Power Dissipation $(4)$</td>
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<td>ESD Rating $(5)$</td>
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<td>Junction Temperature $(T_{JMAX})$</td>
<td>150°C</td>
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<td>260°C</td>
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<td>Storage Temperature</td>
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<td>Thermal Resistance $(\theta_{JA})$</td>
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<td>thermal resistance $(\theta_{JC})$</td>
<td>4°C/W</td>
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(3) If Military/Aerospace specified devices are required, please contact the Texas Instruments Sales Office/ Distributors for availability and specifications.

(4) The maximum power dissipation must be derated at elevated temperatures and is dictated by $P_{DMAX} = (T_{JMAX} - T_A) / \theta_{JA}$ or the number given in Absolute Maximum Ratings, whichever is lower. For the LME49830, $T_{JMAX} = 150°C$ and the typical $\theta_{JC}$ is 4°C/W.

(5) Human body model, applicable std. JESD22-A114C.

(6) Machine model, applicable std. JESD22-A115-A.

### OPERATING RATINGS

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<td>Temperature Range $T_{MIN} \leq T_A \leq T_{MAX}$</td>
<td>$-40°C \leq T_A \leq +85°C$</td>
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<tr>
<td>Supply Voltage</td>
<td>$\pm20V \leq V_{SUPPLY} \leq \pm100V$</td>
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**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS V_{CC} = +100V, V_{EE} = -100V^{(1)(2)}**

The following specifications apply for I_{MUTE} = 150μA unless otherwise specified. Limits apply for T_A = 25°C.

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<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Conditions</th>
<th>LME49830</th>
<th>Units (Limits)</th>
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<td>I_{CC}</td>
<td>Total Positive Quiescent Power Supply Current</td>
<td>V_{IN} = 0V,  V_{O} = 0V,  I_{O} = 0A</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>24 mA (max)</td>
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<td>I_{EE}</td>
<td>Total Negative Quiescent Power Supply Current</td>
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<td>~21</td>
<td>mA</td>
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<td>THD+N</td>
<td>Total Harmonic Distortion + Noise</td>
<td>No load,  f = 1kHz,  A_{V} = 30dB,  V_{OUT} = 30V_{RMS}, 30kHz BW</td>
<td>0.0006</td>
<td>%</td>
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<td>V_{BIAS}</td>
<td>Bias Voltage</td>
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<td>16</td>
<td>15 V (min)</td>
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<td>A_{V(CL)}</td>
<td>Closed Loop Voltage Gain</td>
<td></td>
<td>26</td>
<td>26 dB (min)</td>
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<td>Open Loop Gain</td>
<td>f = DC,  V_{IN} = 1mV_{RMS},  f = 1kHz,  C_{LOAD} = 10pF</td>
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<td>82 dB (min)</td>
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<td>Output Voltage Swing</td>
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<td>V_{RMS}</td>
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<td>Output Noise</td>
<td>R_S = 10kΩ,  A_{V} = 30dB,  30kHz BW A-weighted</td>
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<td>28 μV (max)</td>
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<td>Maximum Output Current</td>
<td>Current from Output pins</td>
<td>56</td>
<td>47 mA (min)</td>
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<td>I_{MUTE}</td>
<td>Current into Mute Pin</td>
<td>To put part in “play” mode</td>
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<td>SR</td>
<td>Slew Rate</td>
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<td>V/μs</td>
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<td>V_{OS}</td>
<td>Input Offset Voltage</td>
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<td>R_S = 1kΩ,  f = 100Hz,  V_{RIPPLE} = 1V_{RMS},  Input Referred,  A_{V} = 30dB</td>
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<td>dB</td>
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<td>PSRR_{DC}</td>
<td>Power Supply Rejection Ratio (DC)</td>
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<td>Bias Control Current</td>
<td>Shorted output, shorted bias control</td>
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<td>1.6 mA (min)</td>
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<td>2.7</td>
<td>2.7 mA (max)</td>
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(3) Typical values represent most likely parametric norms at T_A = +25°C, and at the Recommended Operation Conditions at the time of product characterization.

(4) Data sheet min and max specification limits are specified by test or statistical analysis.
Test Circuit Diagram

Figure 4. LME49830 Test Circuit Diagram
TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

THD+N vs Frequency
$V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 20\text{V}, V_O = 5\text{V}$

Figure 5.

THD+N vs Frequency
$V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 50\text{V}, V_O = 14\text{V}$

Figure 7.

THD+N vs Frequency
$V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 100\text{V}, V_O = 14\text{V}$

Figure 9.

THD+N vs Frequency
$V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 20\text{V}, V_O = 10\text{V}$

Figure 6.

THD+N vs Frequency
$V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 50\text{V}, V_O = 20\text{V}$

Figure 8.

THD+N vs Frequency
$V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 100\text{V}, V_O = 30\text{V}$

Figure 10.
TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

THD+N vs Output Voltage
$+V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 50V, f = 20\text{Hz}$

THD+N vs Output Voltage
$+V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 100V, f = 20\text{Hz}$

THD+N vs Output Voltage
$+V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 50V, f = 1\text{kHz}$

THD+N vs Output Voltage
$+V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 100V, f = 1\text{kHz}$

THD+N vs Output Voltage
$+V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 50V, f = 20\text{kHz}$

THD+N vs Output Voltage
$+V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 100V, f = 20\text{kHz}$

Figure 11.

Figure 12.

Figure 13.

Figure 14.

Figure 15.

Figure 16.
TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

**THD+N vs Output Voltage**

- $V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 20V$, $f = 20Hz$
- $BW = 80 kHz$

**THD+N vs Output Voltage**

- $V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 20V$, $f = 1kHz$
- $BW = 80 kHz$

**THD+N vs Output Voltage**

- $V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 20V$, $f = 20kHz$
- $BW = 30 kHz$

**Closed Loop Frequency Response**

- $V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 50V$, $V_{IN} = 1V_{RMS}$
- $V_{RIPPLE} = 200mV_{RMS}$ on $V_{CC}$ pin

**PSRR vs Frequency**

- $V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 100V$, No Filters, Input Referred

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TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

PSRR vs Frequency

+V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 100V, No Filters, Input Referred
V_{RIPPLE} = 200mVRMS on V_{EEX} pin

Mute Attenuation vs I_{MUTE}

+V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 100V

Output Voltage vs Supply Voltage

+V_{CC} = -V_{EE} = 100V, V_{IN} = 1.2V, No Load

Supply Current vs Supply Voltage

Input Offset Voltage vs Supply Voltage

Slew Rate vs Compensation Capacitor

Figure 23.

Figure 24.

Figure 25.

Figure 26.

Figure 27.

Figure 28.
TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

Open Loop Gain and Phase Margin

![Graph showing Open Loop Gain and Phase Margin](image1)

CMRR vs Frequency

![Graph showing CMRR vs Frequency](image2)

Noise Floor

![Graph showing Noise Floor](image3)

Figure 29.

Figure 30.

Figure 31.

Figure 32.

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APPLICATION INFORMATION

MUTE FUNCTION
The mute function of the LME49830 is controlled by the amount of current that flows into the MUTE pin. If there is less than 100 μA of current flowing into the MUTE pin, the part will be in mute mode. This can be achieved by shorting the MUTE pin to ground. It is recommended to connect a capacitor C_M (its value not less than 47 μF) between the MUTE pin and ground for reducing voltage fluctuation when switching between 'play' and 'mute' mode. If there is between 130 μA and 2mA of current flowing into the MUTE pin, the part will be in 'play' mode. This can be done by connecting a power supply, V_MUTE, to the MUTE pin through a resistor, R_M. The current into the MUTE pin can be determined by the equation I_MUTE = (V_MUTE – V_BE) / (1kΩ + R_M) (A), where V_BE ≅ 0.7V. For example, if a 5V power supply is connected through a 27kΩ resistor to the MUTE pin, then the mute current will be 154 μA, at the center of the specified range. It is also possible to use V_CC as the power supply for the MUTE pin, though R_M will have to be recalculated accordingly. It is not recommended to flow more than 2mA of current into the MUTE pin because damage to the LME49830 may occur.

THERMAL PROTECTION
When the temperature on the die exceeds 150°C, the LME49830 shuts down. It starts operating again when the die temperature drops to about 145°C. When in thermal shutdown, the current supply internal to the LME49830 will be cut-off. There will be no signal generated to the output while in thermal shutdown. After the die temperature decreases, the LME49830 will power up again and resume normal operation. If the fault conditions continue, thermal protection will be activated and repeat the cycle preventing the LME49830 from over heating.

Since the die temperature is directly dependent upon the heat sink used, the heat sink should be chosen so that thermal shutdown is not activated during normal operation. Using the best heat sink possible within the cost and space constraints of the system will improve the long-term reliability of any power semiconductor device, as discussed in the DETERMINING THE CORRECT HEAT SINK section. It is recommended to use a separate heat sink from the output stage heat sink for the LME49830. A heat sink may not be needed if the supply voltages are low.

POWER DISSIPATION AND HEAT SINKING
When in “play” mode, the LME49830 draws a constant amount of current, regardless of the input signal amplitude. Consequently, the power dissipation is constant for a given supply voltage and can be computed with the equation P_DMAX = I_CC x (V_CC – V_EE) (W). For a quick calculation of P_DMAX, approximate the current to be 20mA and multiply it by the total supply voltage (the current varies slightly from this value over the operating range).

DETERMINING THE CORRECT HEAT SINK
The choice of a heat sink for any power IC is made entirely to keep the die temperature at a level such that the thermal protection circuitry is not activated under normal circumstances.

The thermal resistance from the die to the outside air, θ_JA (junction to ambient), is a combination of three thermal resistances, θ_JC (junction to case), θ_CS (case to sink), and θ_SA (sink to ambient). The thermal resistance, θ_JC (junction to case), of the LME49830TB is 4°C/W. Using Thermalloy Thermacote thermal compound, the thermal resistance, θ_CS (case to sink), is about 0.2°C/W. Since convection heat flow (power dissipation) is analogous to current flow, thermal resistance is analogous to electrical resistance, and temperature drops are analogous to voltage drops, the power dissipation out of the LME49830 is equal to the following:

\[ P_{D\text{MAX}} = \frac{(T_{J\text{MAX}} - T_{\text{AMB}})}{\theta_{JA}} \text{ (W)} \]

where

- \( T_{J\text{MAX}} = 150^\circ\text{C} \)
- \( T_{\text{AMB}} \) is the system ambient temperature
- \( \theta_{JA} = \theta_{JC} + \theta_{CS} + \theta_{SA} \)
Once the maximum package power dissipation has been calculated, the maximum thermal resistance, $\theta_{SA}$, (heat sink to ambient) in °C/W for a heat sink can be calculated. This calculation is made using Equation (2) which is derived by solving for $\theta_{SA}$ in Equation (1).

$$\theta_{SA} = \frac{(T_{JMAX} - T_{AMB}) - P_{DMAX}(\theta_{JC} + \theta_{CS})}{P_{DMAX}} \text{ (°C/W)}$$  

Again it must be noted that the value of $\theta_{SA}$ is dependent upon the system designer’s amplifier requirements. If the ambient temperature that the audio amplifier is to be working under is higher, then the thermal resistance for the heat sink, given all other things are equal, will need to be smaller (better heat sink).

PROPER SELECTION OF EXTERNAL COMPONENTS

Proper selection of external components is required to meet the design targets of an application. The choice of external component values that will affect gain and low frequency response are discussed below.

The gain is set by resistors $R_I$ and $R_f$ for the non-inverting configuration shown in Figure 1. The gain is found by Equation 3 below:

$$A_V = 1 + R_I / R_f \text{ (V/V)}$$  

For best noise performance, lower values of resistors are used. For the LME49830 the gain should be set no lower than 26dB. Gain settings below 26dB may experience instability.

The combination of $R_I$ with $C_I$ (see Figure 1) creates a high-pass filter. The low frequency response is determined by these two components. The -3dB point can be found from Equation 4 shown below:

$$f_L = \frac{1}{2\pi R_I C_I} \text{ (Hz)}$$

If an input coupling capacitor is used to block DC from the inputs as shown in Figure 1, there will be another high-pass filter created with the combination of $C_{IN}$ and $R_{IN}$. When using a input coupling capacitor $R_{IN}$ is needed to set the DC bias point on the amplifier's input terminal. The resulting -3dB frequency response due to the combination of $C_{IN}$ and $R_{IN}$ can be found from Equation 5 shown below:

$$f_{IN} = \frac{1}{2\pi R_{IN} C_{IN}} \text{ (Hz)}$$

With large values of $R_{IN}$ oscillations may be observed on the outputs when the inputs are left floating. Decreasing the value of $R_{IN}$ or not letting the inputs float will remove the oscillations. If the value of $R_{IN}$ is decreased then the value of $C_{IN}$ will need to increase in order to maintain the same -3dB frequency response.

AVOIDING THERMAL RUNAWAY WHEN USING BIPOLAR OUTPUT STAGES

When using a bipolar output stage with the LME49830, the designer must beware of thermal runaway. Thermal runaway is a result of the temperature dependence of $V_{BE}$ (an inherent property of the transistor). As temperature increases, $V_{BE}$ decreases. In practice, current flowing through a bipolar transistor heats up the transistor, which lowers the $V_{BE}$. This in turn increases the current again, and the cycle repeats. If the system is not designed properly, this positive feedback mechanism can destroy the bipolar transistors used in the output stage.

One of the recommended methods of preventing thermal runaway is to use a heat sink on the bipolar output transistors. This will keep the temperature of the transistors lower. A second recommended method is to use emitter degeneration resistors. As current increases, the voltage across the emitter degeneration resistor also increases, which decreases the voltage across the base and emitter. This mechanism helps to limit the current and counteracts thermal runaway.

A third recommended method is to use a “$V_{BE}$ multiplier” to bias the bipolar output stage. The $V_{BE}$ multiplier consists of a bipolar transistor and two resistors, one from the base to the collector and one from the base to the emitter. The voltage from the collector to the emitter (also the bias voltage of the output stage) is $V_{BIAS} = V_{BE}(1 + R_{CB} / R_{BE})$, which is why this circuit is called the $V_{BE}$ multiplier. When $V_{BE}$ multiplier transistor ($Q_{VBE}$ in Figure 1) is mounted to the same heat sink as the bipolar output transistors, its temperature will track that of the output transistors. The bias voltage will be reduced as the $Q_{VBE}$ heats up reducing bias current in the output stage.

The bias circuit used in Figure 1 is a modified $V_{BE}$ multiplier circuit. The additional resistor, $R_{BS1}$, sets a temperature independent portion of the bias voltage while the rest of the $V_{BE}$ multiplier circuit will adjust bias voltage with temperature. This reduces the amount of bias voltage change with heat sink temperature for steady bias current with the output devices shown.
BIAS SETTING

Setting the bias voltage and resulting output stage bias current is done by adjusting the $R_{\text{BIAS}}$ resistor. If temperature compensation is not needed for the bias stage, the bias stage can consist of just a resistor and a sufficient capacitor. The output current from the two BIAS pins is typically 2mA and setting the output stage bias voltage is a simple Ohm's Law calculation. The bias voltage can be set up to 16V for maximum flexibility for use with a wide range of different MOSFET types. The wide range of bias voltage also allows for setting the output stage bias current for different performance levels.

OPTIMIZING EXTERNAL COMPONENTS

External component values, types and placement are highly design dependent. Values affect performance such as stability, THD+N, noise, slew rate and sonic performance. Optimizing the values can have a significant effect on total audio performance.

In a simple output stage design with one MOSFET device per side, as shown in Figure 1, the $R_E$ resistors are often considered optional. The $R_{\text{DS(on)}}$ of the devices serve a similar purpose. As the output stage is scaled up in number of devices the value of $R_E$ will need to be optimized for best performance. Typical values range from 0.1Ω to 0.5Ω.

The value of the gate resistors affect stability and slew rate. The capacitance of the output device should be considered when determining the value of the gate resistor. The values shown in Figure 1 represent a typical value or a starting value from which optimization can occur.

The compensation capacitor ($C_C$) is one of the most critical external components in value, placement and type. The capacitor should be placed close to the LME49830 and a silver mica type will give good performance. The value of the capacitor will affect slew rate and stability. The highest slew rate possible while also maintaining stability through out the power and frequency range of operation results in the best audio performance. The value shown in Figure 1 should be considered a starting value with optimization done on the bench and in listening testing.

The input capacitor ($C_{\text{IN}}$) is shown in Figure 1 for protection against sources that may have a DC bias. For best audio performance, the input capacitor should not be used. Without the input capacitor, any DC bias from the source will be transferred to the load.

The feedback capacitor ($C_f$) is used to set the gain at DC to unity. Because a large value is required for a low frequency -3dB point, the capacitor is an electrolytic type. An additional small value, high quality film capacitor may be used in parallel to improve high frequency sonic performance. If DC offset in the output stage is acceptable without the feedback capacitor, it may be removed but DC gain will now be equal to AC gain.

SUPPLY BYPASSING

The LME49830 has excellent power supply rejection and does not require a regulated supply. However, to eliminate possible oscillations all op amps and power op amps should have their supply leads bypassed with low inductance capacitors having short leads and located close to the package terminals. Inadequate power supply bypassing will manifest itself by a low frequency oscillation known as "motorboating" or by high frequency instabilities. These instabilities can be eliminated through multiple bypassing utilizing a large tantalum or electrolytic capacitor (10μF minimum) which is used to absorb low frequency variations and a small capacitor (0.1μF) to prevent any high frequency feedback through the power supply lines. These capacitors should be located as close as possible to the supply pins of the LME49830. An additional 0.1μF - 1μF capacitor connected between the $V_{\text{CC}}$ to $V_{\text{EE}}$ pins of the LME49830 is recommended and each output device should have adequate bypassing at each supply terminal.

OUTPUT SENSING

The Output Sense pin Osense must be connected to the system output as shown in Figure 1. This connection completes the return path to feedback the output voltage to the mute gain circuitry inside LME49830. If the Osense pin is not connected to the output or it is floated, high voltage generated from the output stage may cause damage to the speaker or load.
Demonstration Board Schematic

Figure 33. LME49830 Demo Board with Mute Function Schematic

Demonstration Board Layout

Figure 34. Top Silkscreen
Figure 35. Top Layer

Figure 36. Bottom Silkscreen Layer
Figure 37. Bottom Layer

Demonstration Board Bill of Materials

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