

AN6884

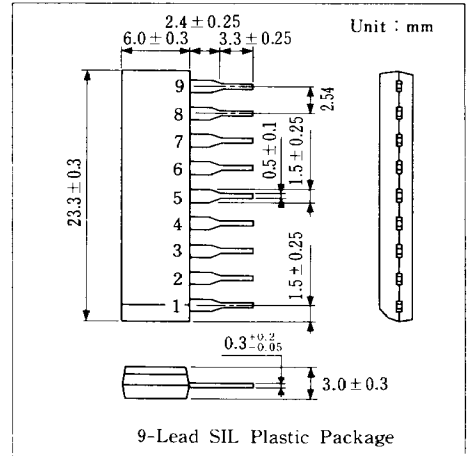
5-Dot LED Driver Circuit

■ Outline

The AN6884 is an integrated circuit designed for driving 5-dot LED and enables a logarithmic (dB) bar graph display in response to the input signal. The built-in rectifier Amp. is widely applicable for AC level meter such as VU meter, DC level meter, and signal meter.

■ Features

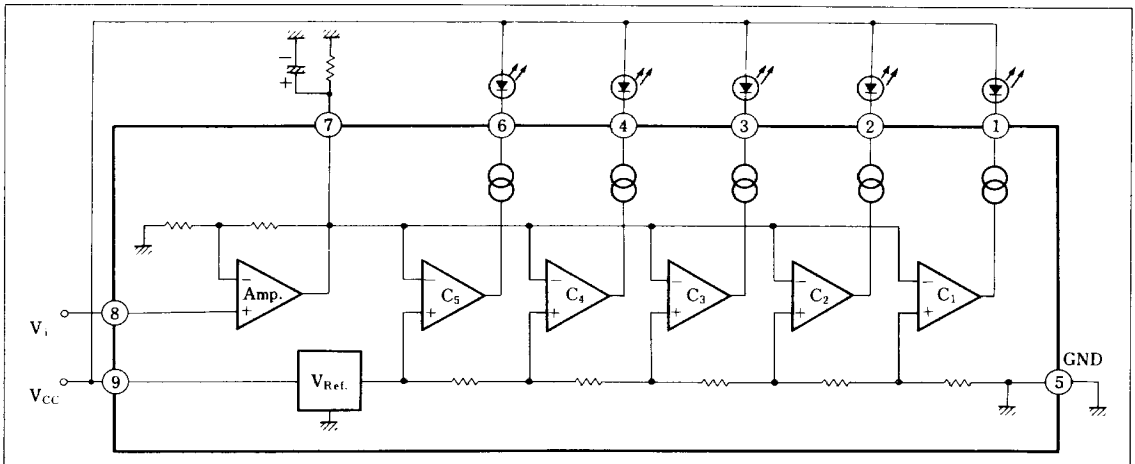
- Built-in high gain amplifier : $G_v = 26\text{dB typ.}$
- Low noise when LED ON
- 5-dot LED bar graph logarithmic response : $-10, -5, 0, 3, 6\text{dB}$
- Fixed current output : $I_{LED} = 15\text{mA (typ.)}$
- Wide range of operating voltages : $V_{CC(OPP.)} = 3.5 \sim 16\text{V}$
- Fewer external components



■ Pin

Pin No.	Pin Name
1	LED1 Output
2	LED2 Output
3	LED3 Output
4	LED4 Output
5	GND
6	LED5 Output
7	Amp. Output
8	Amp. Input
9	V_{CC}

■ Block Diagram



■ Absolute Maximum Ratings (Ta = 25°C)

Item		Symbol	Rating	Unit
Voltage	Supply Voltage	V _{CC}	18	V
	Operational Amp. Input Voltage	V ₈₋₅	-0.5 V _{CC}	V
	LED Output Pin Voltage	V _{1,2,3,4,6-5}	V _{CC}	V
	Circuit Voltage	V ₇₋₅	6	V
Current	Supply Current	I _{CC}	12	mA
	LED Output Pin Current	I _{1,2,3,4,6}	20	mA
Power Dissipation*		P _D	1100	mW
Temperature	Operating Ambient Temperature	T _{OPR}	-25 ~ +75	°C
	Storage Temperature	T _{STG}	-55 ~ +150	°C

* For Ta > 25°C, power is reduced at -11 mW/°C

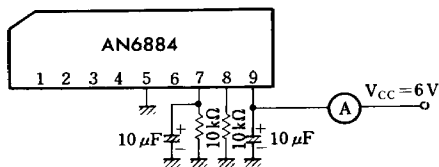
■ Electrical Characteristics (V_{CC} = 6V, Ta = 25°C)

Item	Symbol	Test Circuit	Condition	min.	typ.	max.	Unit
Current Consumption	I _{tot}	1	V ₈₋₅ = 0V		6	8.5	mA
Input Bias Current	I _{Bias8}	2		-1		0	μA
Output Sink Current	I _{(SINK)1,2,3,4,6}	3	V ₈₋₅ = 0.15V	11	15	18.5	mA
Amp. Gain	G _V	4	V ₈₋₅ = 0.1V, R _T = 10kΩ	24	26	28	dB
Comparator Level	GD ₁	5	Pin①	-12	-10	-8	dB
	GD ₂	5	Pin②	-6	-5	-4	dB
	GD ₃	5	Pin③		0		dB
	GD ₄	5	Pin④	2.5	3	3.5	dB
	GD ₅	5	Pin⑥	5	6	7	dB

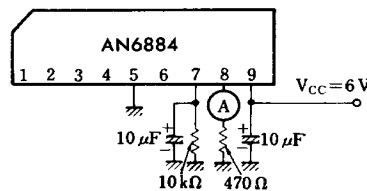
Note) Operating Supply Voltage Range V_{CC(OPR)} = 3.5 ~ 16V

* LED-ON level adjusting point of GD₃ is 0 dB (equivalent to V₇₋₅ = 1.1V typ. (V₈₋₅ = 57mV)).

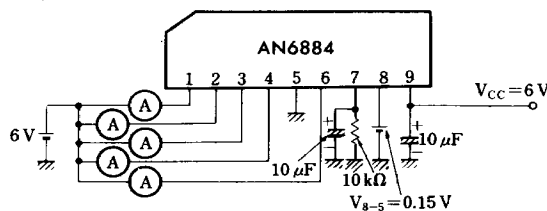
Test Circuit 1 (I_{tot})



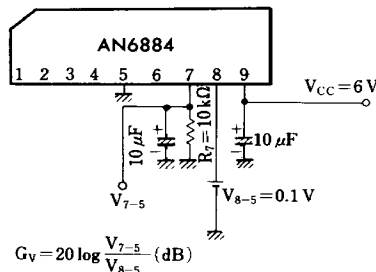
Test Circuit 2 (I_{Bias8})



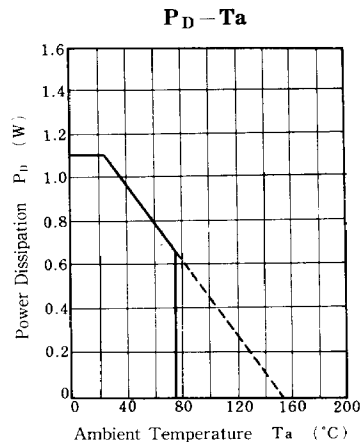
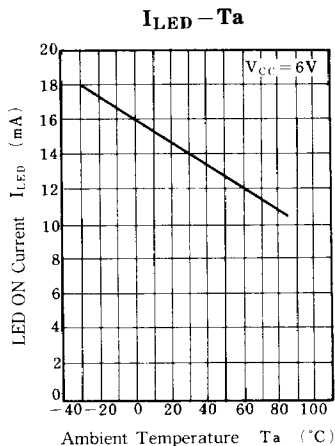
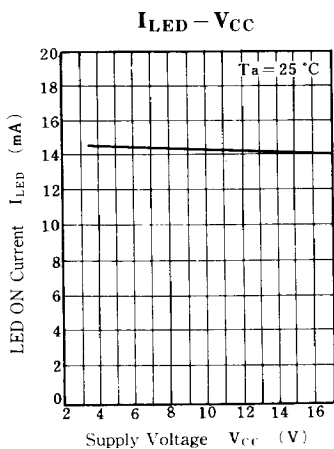
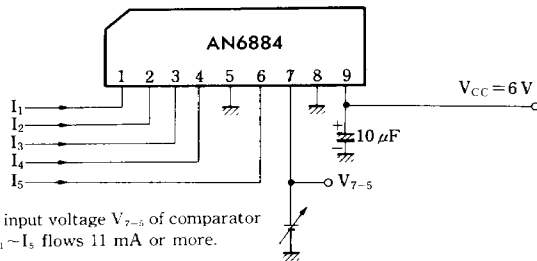
Test Circuit 3 (I_{(SINK)1,2,3,4,6})



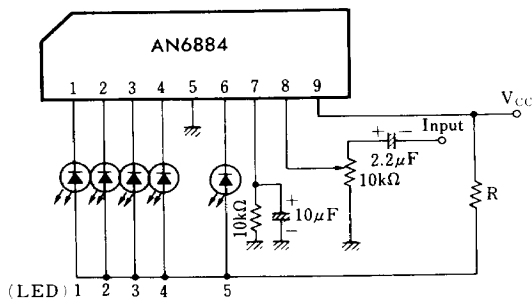
Test Circuit 4 (G_V)



Test Circuit 5 (GD₁₋₅)



■ **Application Circuit**



In case of $T_a(\text{max}) = 60^\circ C$

$V_{CC}(V)$	$R(\Omega)$
8~12	47
10~14	68
12~16	91

In case of $T_a(\text{max}) = 75^\circ C$

$V_{CC}(V)$	$R(\Omega)$
7~9	27
8~10	39
9~11	51
10~12	62
11~13	75
12~14	82
13~15	100
14~16	110

P_D and V_{CC}

When the max. ambient temperature $T_a(\text{max.})$ is $60^\circ C$ and $V_{CC} > 9V$, or the max. ambient temperature $T_a(\text{max.})$ is $75^\circ C$ and $V_{CC} > 7V$, P_D will exceed at the application circuit above. Therefore, select the value of R according to the table right. Note that a wattage of R should be determined by the resistor value and total LED current.