

Linear Technology Launches Grass Valley Design Center

MILPITAS, Calif., Jul 15, 2003 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX/ -- Linear Technology Corporation [LLTC](#) today announced the opening of its newest design center for analog integrated circuits in Grass Valley, California. This marks the company's ninth design center, as it continues to expand its resources for design of high-performance analog integrated circuits. Linear Technology has successfully developed satellite design centers over the past several years as a way to increase the critical mass of the company's analog IC talent.

Dave Bell, President of Linear Technology, stated, "The analog design team in Grass Valley makes a solid addition to our design resources. With its proximity to our Silicon Valley headquarters and affordable cost of living, Grass Valley is an excellent location to grow the company's ninth design center. This new design team will allow Linear to continue to develop innovative analog products and further fuel the company's growth."

In addition to the new Grass Valley facility, Linear Technology has design centers in Bedford, New Hampshire; Boston, Massachusetts; Burlington, Vermont; Colorado Springs, Colorado; Raleigh, North Carolina; Santa Barbara, California; Singapore; and at the company headquarters in Milpitas, California.

Linear Technology continues to seek talented analog IC designers as the company grows, and has found that satellite design centers facilitate expansion of engineering resources beyond the deep talent pool at the company's headquarters in Milpitas. Linear Technology produces a wide array of high-performance analog integrated circuits supporting its power management, mixed signal, signal conditioning, and high frequency business units.

COMPANY BACKGROUND

Linear Technology Corporation was founded in 1981 as a manufacturer of high performance linear integrated circuits. Linear Technology products include operational, instrumentation and audio amplifiers; voltage regulators, power management devices, DC-DC converters and voltage references; comparators; monolithic filters; communications interface circuits; one-chip data acquisition sub-systems; pulse-width modulators and sample-and-hold devices; and high frequency devices. Applications for Linear Technology's high performance circuits include wireless and broadband telecommunications infrastructure, cellular telephones, networking products

and satellite systems, notebook and desktop computers, computer peripherals, video/multimedia, industrial and medical instrumentation, automotive electronics, factory automation, process control, military and space systems, and high-end consumer products including digital cameras, MP3 players and other electronic products.

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