

## DIGITAL TO ANALOG CONVERTERS (DACs)

$$V_{out} = V_R \left[ b_1 \bar{2}^1 + b_2 \bar{2}^2 + \dots + b_m \bar{2}^m \right]$$

$V_{out}$  = ANALOG OUTPUT VOLTAGE

BINARY

$V_R$  = REFERENCE VOLTAGE

$b_1, b_2, \dots, b_m$  =  $n$  BIT BINARY WORD

$$V_{out} = \frac{N}{2^n} \times V_{REF}$$

HGX

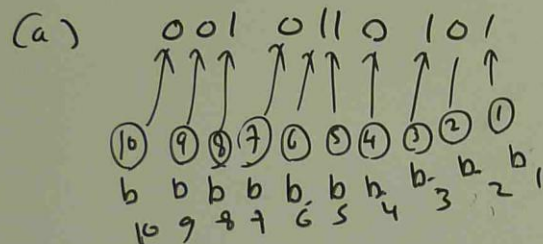
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WHAT IS THE OUTPUT VOLTAGE OF A 10 BIT ADC WITH A 10.0 V REFERENCE IF THE INPUT IS

(a) 001 0110 101 = 6135H

(b) 20 FH ?

WHAT INPUT IS NEEDED TO GET A 6.5 V OUTPUT?



$$\begin{aligned}
 V_{out} &= V_R \left[ b_1 2^{-1} + b_2 2^{-2} + \dots + b_m 2^{-m} \right] \\
 &= 10 \left[ 1 \times 2^{-1} + 0 \times 2^{-2} + 1 \times 2^{-3} + 0 \times 2^{-4} + 1 \times 2^{-5} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + 1 \times 2^{-6} + 0 \times 2^{-7} + 1 \times 2^{-8} + 0 \times 2^{-9} + 0 \times 2^{-10} \right] \\
 &= 10 \times 0.1767528 \\
 &= 1.767528 \text{ V}
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) 20 FH

$$2 \times 16^2 + 0 \times 16^1 + 15 \times 16^0 = 527_{10}$$

$$V_{out} = \frac{N}{2^n} V_{REF}$$

$$= \frac{527}{2^{10}} \times 10 = 5.1643 V$$

for 6.5 V output

$$V_{out} = \frac{N}{2^n} \times V_{REF}$$

$$6.5 = \frac{N}{2^{10}} \times 10 \rightarrow N = \frac{6.5 \times 2^{10}}{10} = 665.6 V$$

$$\Delta V_{out} = V_r \times 2^{-n}$$

$\Delta V_{out}$  = SMALLEST OUTPUT CHANGE

$V_r$  = REFERENCE VOLTAGE

$n$  = NUMBER OF BITS IN THE WORD

ph CALCULATE  $\Delta V_{out}$  FOR 5 BIT D/A CONVERTER WITH 10V REFERENCE.

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta V_{out} &= V_r \times 2^{-n} \\ &= 10 \times 2^{-5} \\ &= \frac{10}{2^5} \\ &= \frac{10}{32} \\ &= 0.3125 \text{ V/BIT}\end{aligned}$$

ph DETERMINE HOW MANY BITS A D/A CONVERTER MUST HAVE TO PROVIDE OUTPUT INCREMENT OF 0.04 VOLT (OR) LESS. THE REFERENCE IS 10V.

$$\Delta V = \text{INCREMENT VOLTAGE} = V_r \times 2^{-n}$$

$$0.04 = 10 \times 2^{-n}$$

$$\log 0.04 = \log 10 \times 2^{-n}$$

$$\log 0.04 = \log 10 + \log 2^{-n}$$

$$\log 0.04 = \log 10 + (-n) \log 2$$

$$\log 0.04 = 1 - n \log 2$$

$$n \log 2 = 1 - \log 0.04$$

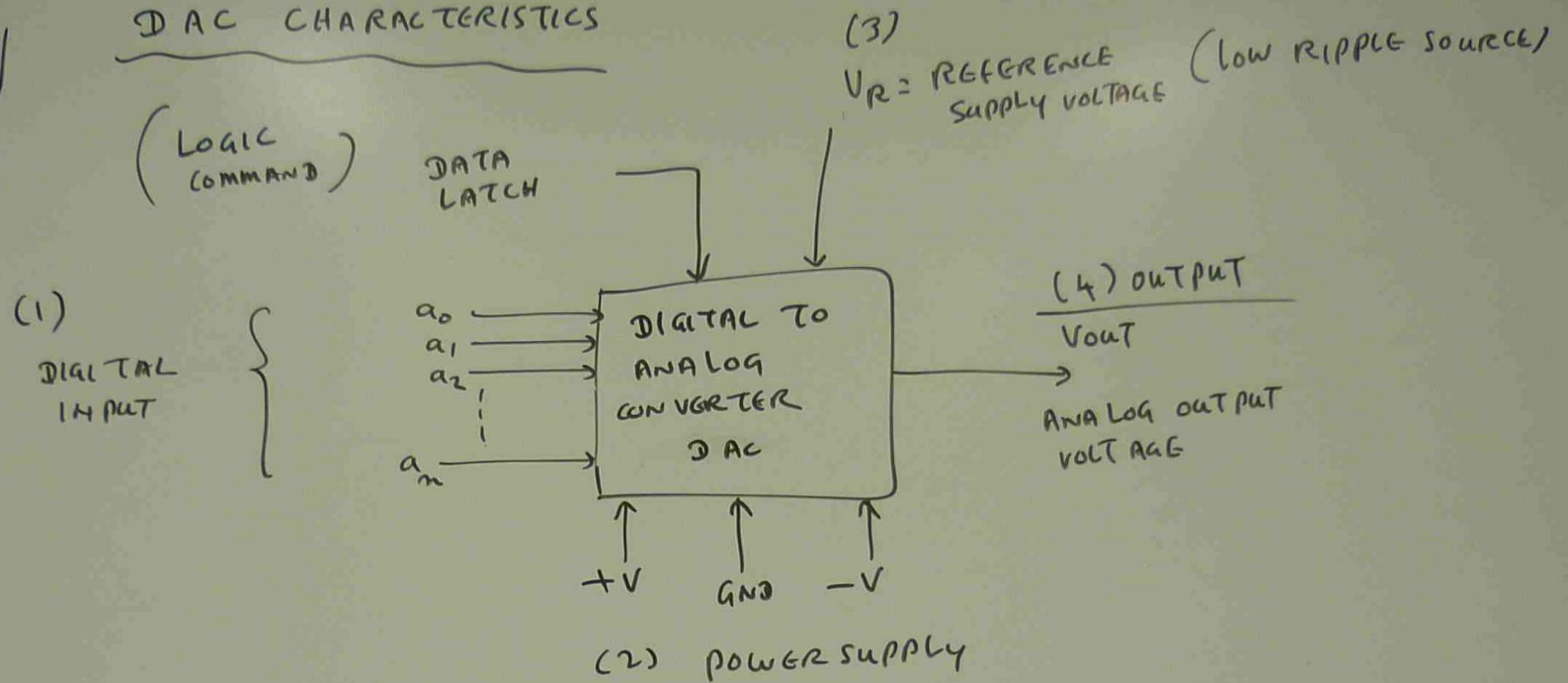
$$n = \frac{1 - \log 0.04}{\log 2} = 7.966 \approx 8$$

BIT = 8 BIT

$$\Delta V_{out} = V_r \times 2^{-n} \rightarrow = 10 \times 2^{-8} = 0.03906 \text{ V}$$



## DAC CHARACTERISTICS



(2) POWER SUPPLY

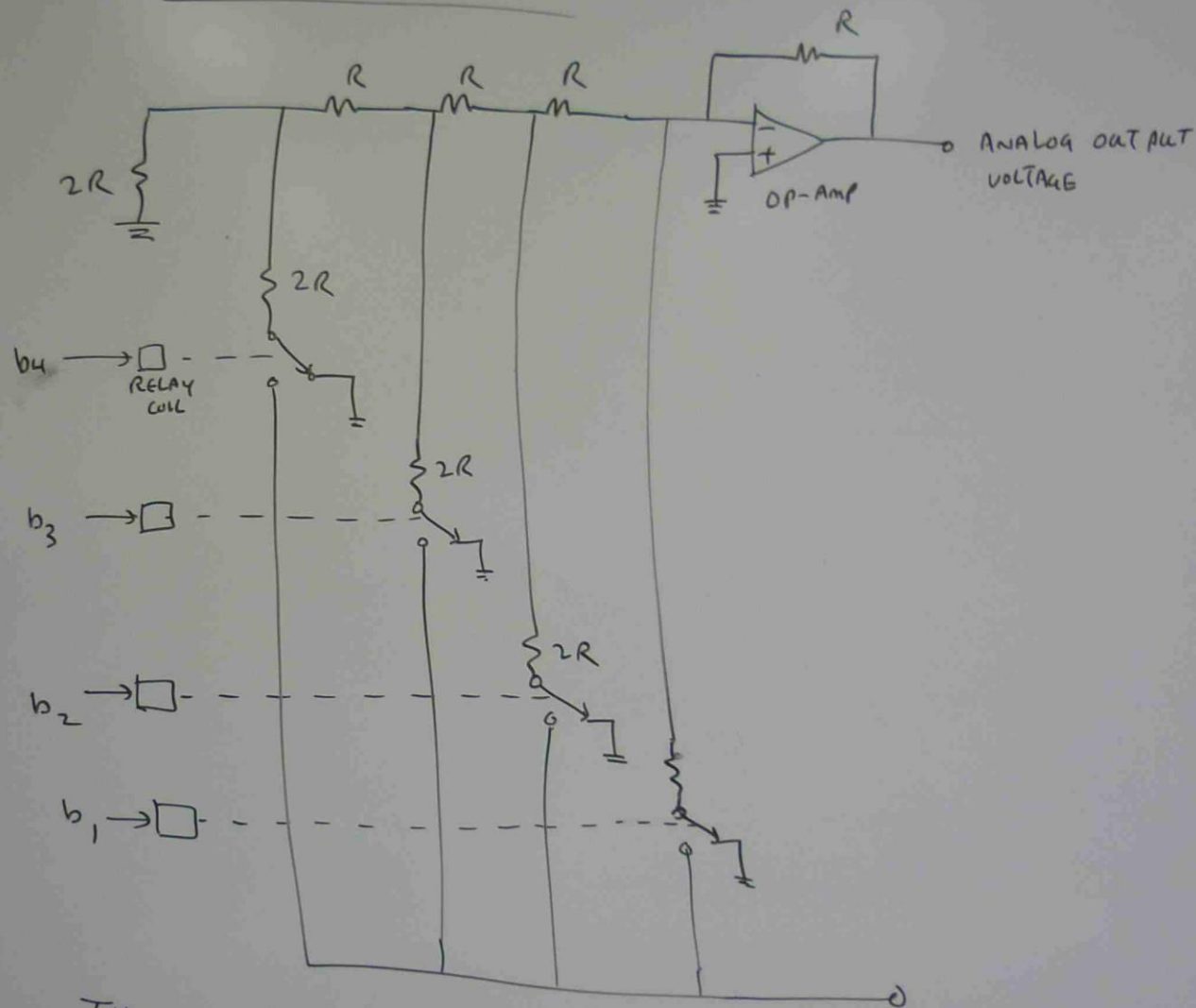
$$\pm 12V \rightarrow \pm 18V$$

### OFFSET

THE DAC IS USUALLY IMPLEMENTED WITH OP-AMP.

THERE MAY BE TYPICAL OUTPUT OFFSET VOLTAGE WITH ZERO INPUT.

## THE LADDER NETWORK



THE LADDER NETWORK IS OFTEN USED TO VR  
IMPLEMENT THE DAC FUNCTIONS.

Pb A CONTROL VALVE HAS A LINEAR VARIATION OF OPENING AS THE INPUT VOLTAGE VARIES FROM 0 TO 10V.

A MICRO COMPUTER OUTPUTS AN 8 BIT WORD TO CONTROL VALVE OPENING USING AN 8 BIT DAC TO GENERATE THE VALUE VOLTAGE (a) FIND THE REFERENCE VOLTAGE REQUIRED TO OBTAIN A FULL OPEN VALVE (10V) (b) FIND THE PERCENTAGE OF VALVE OPENING FOR 1 BIT CHANGE IN THE INPUT WORD.

(a) FULL OPENING OF VALVE, ALL 8 BITS ARE ONE.

$$\begin{aligned} V_{OUT} &= V_{REF} \left[ \frac{1}{2^1} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^8} \right] \\ &= 10 \left[ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^8} \right] \\ &= 10 \left[ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} + \dots + \frac{1}{256} \right] \\ &= 10.039V \end{aligned}$$

IT IMPLIES LARGER REF: VOLTAGE

$$(b) \Delta V_{out} = V_{ref} \times 2^{-n}$$

1 BIT CHANGE

$$\Delta V_{out} = 10.039 \times 2^{-8} = 0.0392 V$$

$$\% \text{ CHANGE} = \frac{\Delta V_{out}}{V_{ref}} \times 100 = \frac{0.0392}{10} \times 100 = 0.392 \%$$

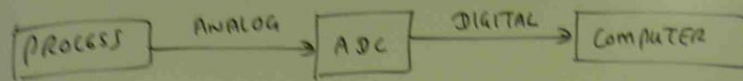
MICROPROCESSOR COMPATIBLE DAC

DATA OUTPUT BOARDS

ADDRESS DECODING, BUS INTERFACE, C, BASIC, ASSEMBLY.



## ANALOG TO DIGITAL CONVERTER (ADC)



$$\Delta V = V_R 2^{-n}$$

$$V_{IN} = V_R \left[ b_1 2^{-1} + b_2 2^{-2} + \dots + b_n 2^{-n} \right]$$

$V_{IN}$  = ANALOG VOLTAGE INPUT

$V_R$  = REFERENCE VOLTAGE

$b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n$  = A BIT.

Pb TEMPERATURE IS MEASURED BY A SENSOR WITH AN OUTPUT OF  $0.02 \text{ V}/^\circ\text{C}$ . DETERMINE THE REQUIRED ADC REFERENCE AND WORD SIZE TO MEASURE  $0 \rightarrow 100^\circ\text{C}$  WITH 0.1°C RESOLUTION.

$$V_r = \text{MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE } ^\circ\text{C} \times V/^\circ\text{C}$$

$$V_r = 100 \times 0.02 = 2\text{V} \leftarrow$$

$$\Delta V = \text{RESOLUTION} \times V/^\circ\text{C}$$

$$= 0.1 \times 0.02 = 0.002\text{V} \leftarrow$$

$$\text{WORD SIZE} = \text{BIT} = n = ?$$

$$\Delta V = V_r \times 2^{-n}$$

$$0.002 = 2 \times 2^{-n}$$

$$0.001 = 2^{-n}$$

$$\log 0.001 = \log 2^{-n}$$

$$\log 10^{-3} = -n \log 2$$

$$-3 \log 10 = -n \log 2$$

$$n = \frac{-3 \log 10}{-\log 2} = \frac{3 \times 1}{0.3010} \approx 9.966 \approx 10$$

10 BIT WORD IS REQUIRED  
FOR RESOLUTION.

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta V &= V_r \times 2^{-n} \\ &= 2 \times 2^{-10} \\ &= \frac{1}{2^9} = \frac{1}{2^9} \approx 0.00195V\end{aligned}$$

Pb FIND THE DIGITAL WORD THAT RESULTS  
FROM A 3.127V INPUT TO A 5 BIT  
ADC WITH A 5 VOLT REFERENCE.  
THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN INPUT & OUTPUT

$$V_{IN} = V_r \left[ a_1 2^{-1} + a_2 2^{-2} + a_3 2^{-3} + a_4 2^{-4} + a_5 2^{-5} \right]$$

$$3.127 = 5 \left[ a_1 2^{-1} + a_2 2^{-2} + a_3 2^{-3} + a_4 2^{-4} + a_5 2^{-5} \right]$$

$$\frac{3.127}{5} = a_1 2^{-1} + a_2 2^{-2} + a_3 2^{-3} + a_4 2^{-4} + a_5 2^{-5}$$

$$0.6254 = a_1 2^{-1} + a_2 2^{-2} + a_3 2^{-3} + a_4 2^{-4} + a_5 2^{-5}$$

DIGITAL

$$0.6254 \times 2 = 1.2508 \longrightarrow a_1 = 1$$

$$0.2508 \times 2 = 0.5016 \longrightarrow a_2 = 0$$

$$0.5016 \times 2 = 1.0032 \longrightarrow a_3 = 1$$

$$0.0032 \times 2 = 0.0064 \longrightarrow a_4 = 0$$

$$0.0064 \times 2 = 0.0128 \longrightarrow a_5 = 0$$

$$(a_1 a_2 a_3 a_4 a_5)_2$$

$$\text{OUTPUT } 10100_2$$

pb

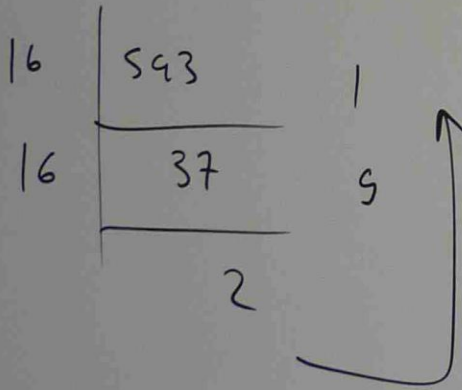
THE INPUT TO A 10 BIT ADC WITH A 2.5V REFERENCE IS 1.45V. WHAT IS THE HEX OUTPUT? SUPPOSE THE OUTPUT IS FOUND TO BE 1B4H. WHAT IS THE VOLTAGE INPUT?

1.45V

$$\text{INTEGER PART OF ACTUAL OUTPUT (N BIT)} = \frac{V_{IN}}{V_R} \times 2^n$$

$$= \frac{1.45}{2.5} \times 2^{10}$$

$$= 593$$



1B4H  
↑↑↑  
2 1 0

$$1 \times 16^2 + 11 \times 16^1 + 4 \times 16^0$$

$$= 436V$$

$$INT(N) = \frac{V_{IN}}{V_R} \times 2^n$$

$$436 = \frac{V_{IN}}{2.5} \times 2^{10}$$

$$V_{IN} = \frac{436 \times 2.5}{2^{10}}$$

$$= 1.06445V$$



## BIPOLAR OPERATION

A BIPOLAR ADC IS THE ONE WHICH ACCEPTS INPUT BIPOLAR VOLTAGE FOR CONVERSION INTO AN APPROPRIATE DIGITAL OUTPUT.

THE NORMAL OUTPUT IS SHIFTED BY HALF, THE SCALE SO THAT ALL ZEROS CORRESPOND TO THE NEGATIVE MAXIMUM INPUT VOLTAGE INSTEAD OF ZERO

$$\text{INT}(N) = \frac{1}{V_R} \left[ V_{IN} + \frac{V_R}{2} \right] \times 2^n$$

pb REFERENCE VOLTAGE = 10V, 8 BITS  
IF -5V IS REPRESENTED AT ALL BITS ZERO CONDITION, (REF)  
DETERMINING THE ONE STEP INCREMENT OF BIT.

$$\Delta V_{IN} = \frac{V_{REF}}{2^n} = \frac{10}{2^8} = 0.039V$$

-5V  $\longrightarrow$  00000000<sub>2</sub>

(1) STEP  $\rightarrow$  -5V + 0.039 = -4.961  $\rightarrow$  00000001<sub>2</sub>

BY INCREASING  
ONE DIGITAL STEP,  
DECIMAL IS  
REPRESENTED.

ONE WHICH ACCEPTS INPUT BIPOLAR  
TO AN APPROPRIATE DIGITAL OUTPUT.

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D TO THE NEGATIVE MAXIMUM  
OF ZERO

$$\left[ V_{IN} + \frac{V_R}{2} \right] \times 2^n$$

$E = 10V$ , 8 BITS

PRESENTED AT ALL BITS ZERO CONDITION, (REF)  
NE STEP INCREMENT OF BIT.

$$\frac{10}{2^8} = 0.039V$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\rightarrow 00000000 \\ -4.961 &\rightarrow 00000001 \end{aligned}$$

BY INCREASING  
ONE DIGITAL STEP,  
DECIMAL IS  
REPRESENTED.

$$\begin{aligned} -5 + 0.039 \times 2 &\rightarrow 00000010 \\ -5 + 0.039 \times 3 &\rightarrow 00000011 \\ -5 + 0.039 \times 4 &\rightarrow 00000100 \end{aligned}$$

ph WHAT IS THE HEX AND BINARY OUTPUT OF A BIPOLAR 8 BIT ADC WITH A 5V REFERENCE FOR INPUTS OF  $-0.85V$  AND  $+1.5V$ ? WHAT INPUT VOLTAGE WOULD CAUSE AN OUTPUT 72H?

$$V_R = 5V, \quad n = 8$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{INT}(N) &= \frac{1}{V_R} \left( V_{IN} + \frac{V_R}{2} \right) 2^n \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \left( -0.85 + \frac{5}{2} \right) 2^8 \\ &= 84V \end{aligned}$$

HEX 16 | 84 4 ↑ 54H

84 → HEX  
10

16	84	4
	5	

84 → BINARY  
10

2	84	0
2	42	0
2	21	1
2	10	0
2	5	1
2	2	0

10 10 100 → 0101000<sub>2</sub>

← 7 BIT →

← COMPARISON

OUTPUT 72H

72H →

↑ ↑

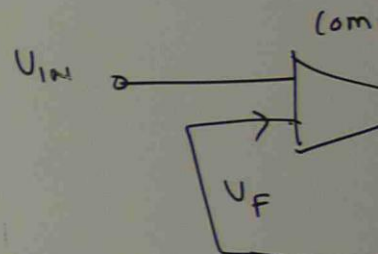
1 0 =

$$\text{INT}(N) = V_{IN} = \frac{1}{V_R}$$

$$114 = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$V_{IN} = -$$

PARALLEL FEED



COMPARATOR COM  
INPUT VOLTAGE V  
TO FEEDBACK



DOLAR  
of  
use

Output 72 H

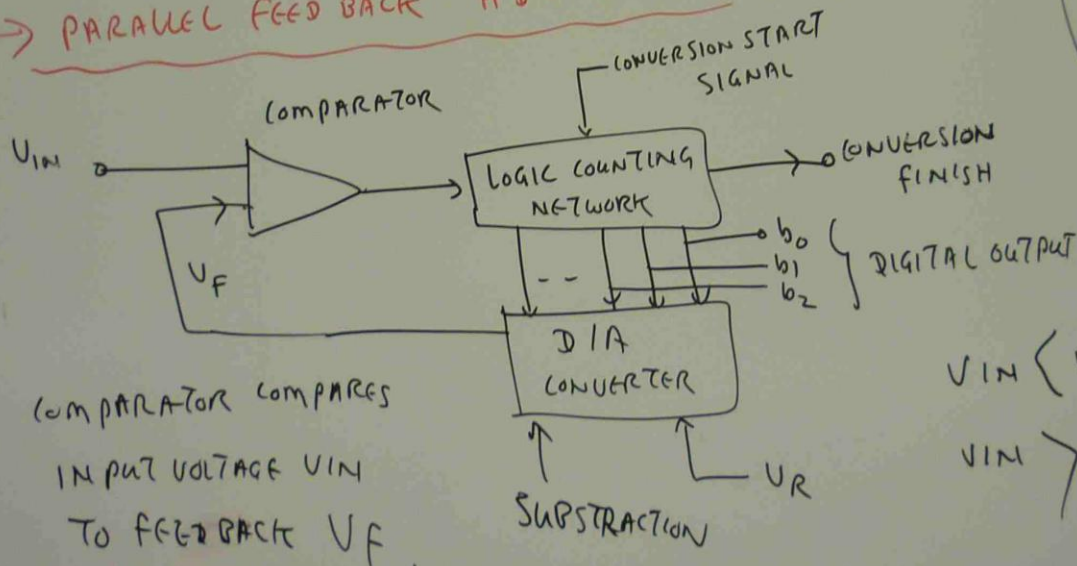
$$\begin{array}{c} 72H \rightarrow 7 \times 16^1 + 2 \times 16^0 \\ \uparrow \quad \uparrow \\ 1 \quad 0 \end{array} = 114 \underline{\underline{V}}$$

$$INT(N) = V_{IN} = \frac{1}{V_R} \left( V_{IN} + \frac{V_R}{2} \right)^n$$

$$114 = \frac{1}{5} \left( V_{IN} + \frac{5}{2} \right)^2$$

$$V_{IN} = -0.2734 \text{ V} \quad \times$$

PARALLEL FEED BACK ADC SYSTEM



$$\begin{array}{l} V_{IN} < V_R^{-1} \rightarrow b_1 = 0 \\ V_{IN} > V_R^{-2} \rightarrow b_2 = 1 \end{array}$$