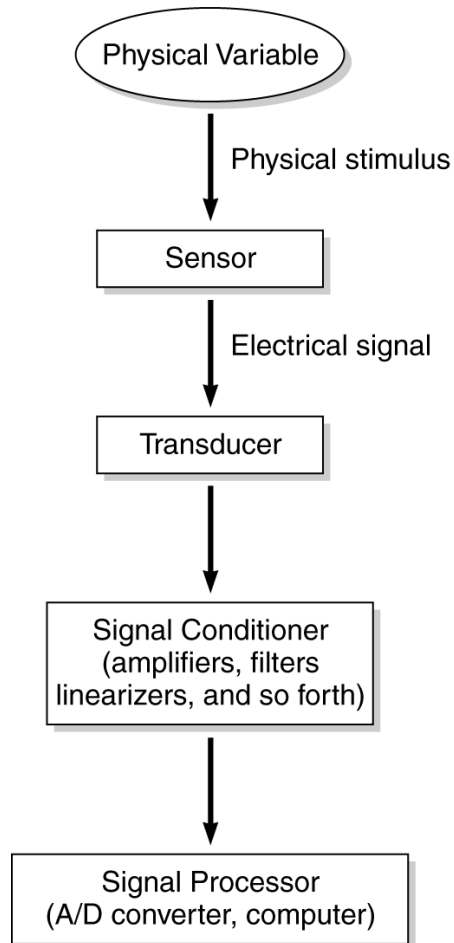


Analog-to-Digital Conversion



Temperature, pressure, strain, length, and so forth.

Temperature

Temperature \gg resistance:
 $R = R_0 (1 + \alpha [T - T_0])$

Resistance




Resistance \gg voltage
(using Wheatstone Bridge)

Signal typically a voltage

Signal filtered and gained to proper frequency, range and magnitude.

Analog signal sampled and converted to digital signal with proper resolution. Digital signal stored and possibly analyzed.

Analog-to-Digital (A/D) Converters



ADS7825^{1/3}

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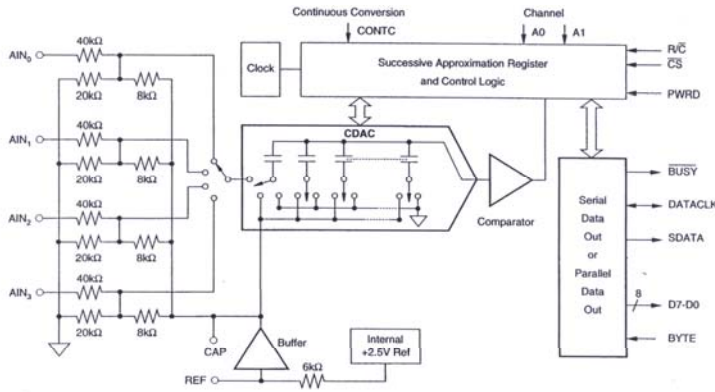
4 Channel, 16-Bit Sampling CMOS A/D Converter

FEATURES

- 25 μ s max SAMPLING AND CONVERSION
- SINGLE +5V SUPPLY OPERATION
- PIN-COMPATIBLE WITH 12-BIT ADS7824
- PARALLEL AND SERIAL DATA OUTPUT
- 28-PIN 0.3" PLASTIC DIP AND SOIC
- ± 2.0 LSB max INL
- 50mW max POWER DISSIPATION
- 50 μ W POWER DOWN MODE
- ± 10 V INPUT RANGE, FOUR CHANNEL MULTIPLEXER
- CONTINUOUS CONVERSION MODE

DESCRIPTION

The ADS7825 can acquire and convert 16 bits to within ± 2.0 LSB in 25 μ s max while consuming only 50mW max. Laser-trimmed scaling resistors provide the standard industrial ± 10 V input range and channel-to-channel matching of $\pm 0.1\%$. The ADS7825 is a low-power 16-bit sampling A/D with a four channel input multiplexer, S/H, clock, reference, and a parallel/serial microprocessor interface. It can be configured in a continuous conversion mode to sequentially digitize all four channels. The 28-pin ADS7825 is available in a plastic 0.3" DIP and in a SOIC, both fully specified for operation over the industrial -40°C to $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$ range.



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The signal is converted into binary using various methods, such as successive-approximation and ramp-conversion.

A/D Conversion Process

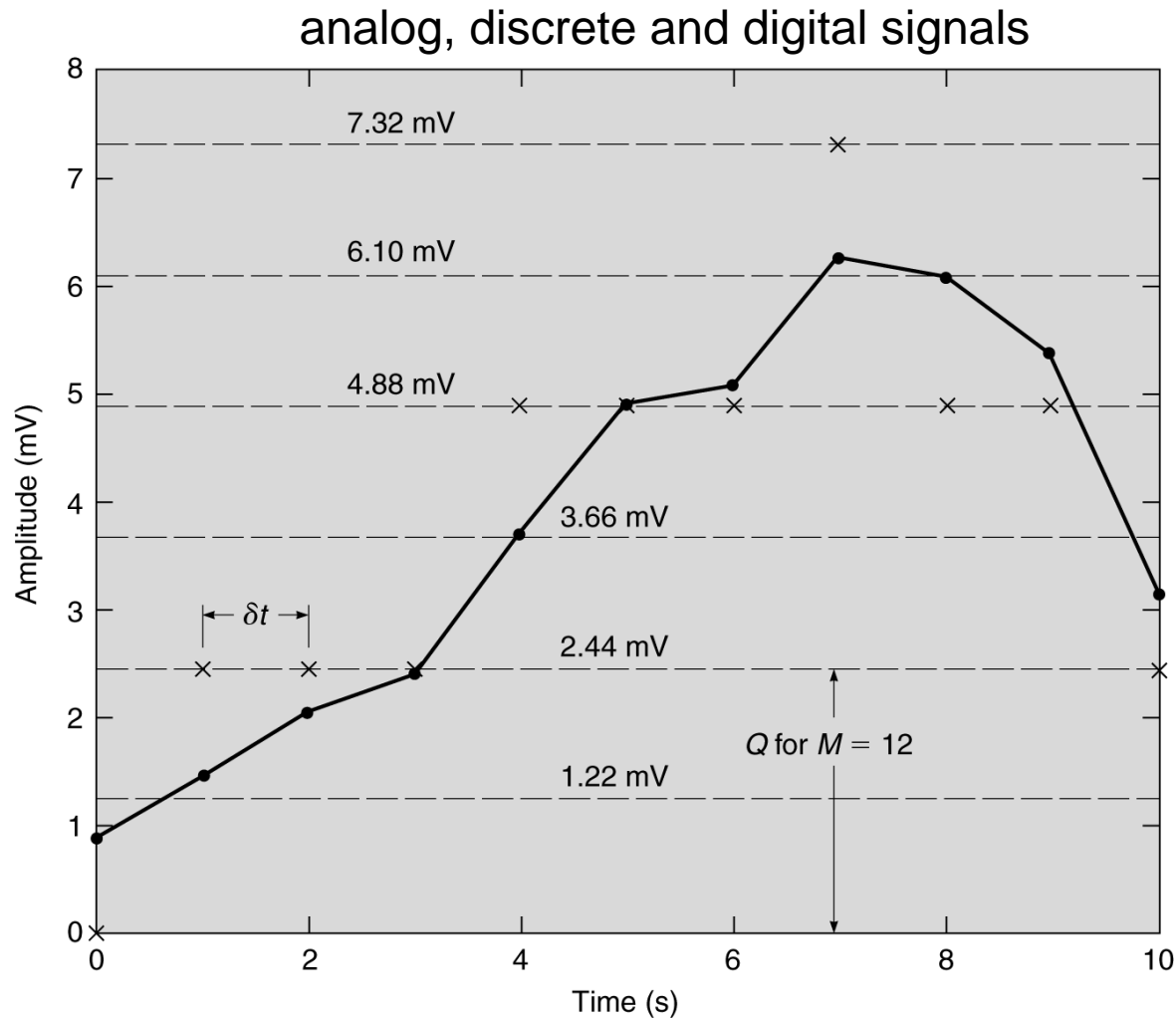


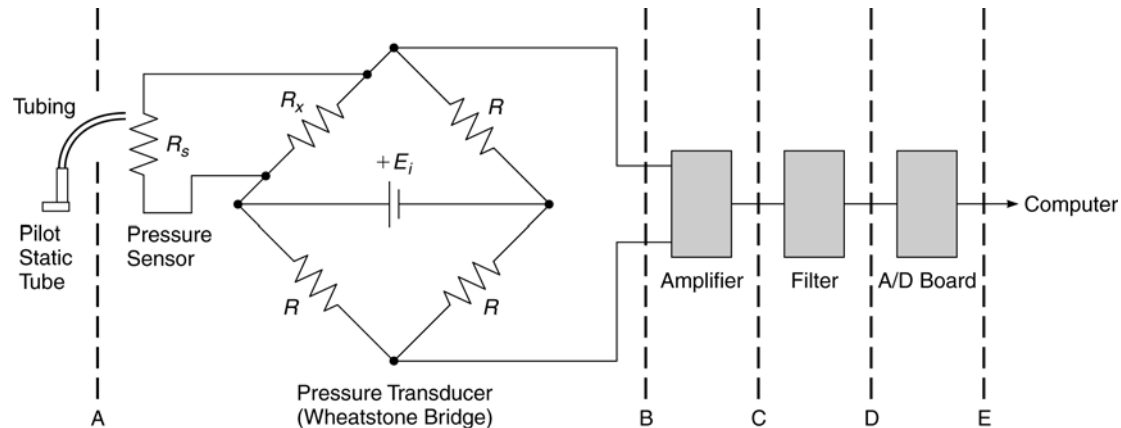
Figure 6.15

M-bit Terminology

Term	Formula	M=8	M=12
MSB Value	2^{M-1}	128	2048
LSB Value	2^0	1	1
Maximum Possible Value	$2^M - 1$	255	4095
Minimum Possible Value	0	0	0
Number of Possible Values	2^M	256	4096
MSB Weight	2^{-1}	1/2	1/2
LSB Weight	2^{-M}	1/256	1/4096
Resolution, Q (mV/bit) for $E_{FSR} = 10$ V	$E_{FSR}/2^M$	39.10	2.44
Dynamic Range (dB)	$20 \cdot \log_{10}(Q/Q_o)$	-28	-52
Absolute Quantization Error (mV)	$\pm Q/2$	± 19.60	± 1.22

Table 6.4: M-bit terminology.

In-Class Example



A: What is the flow velocity if $\Delta p = 58 \text{ Pa}$?

A-B: Wheatstone bridge (pp. 72-75) where

$$E_o = E_i \left[R_1 / (R_1 + R_2) - R_3 / (R_3 + R_4) \right] \text{ (Eqn. 4.26)}$$



In-Class Example

A-B: What is R_x needed to give $E_o = 0$ V at $U = 0$ m/s ?

A-B: At the highest U , R_1 increases by 20 % because of an increase in R_s . What is E_o at the highest U ?

B-C: What is the amplifier gain to achieve 80 % of the full-scale range of the A/D board at the highest U ?

B-C: If a non-inverting op amp is used (see p. 147), what should be the values of its resistances ?



In-Class Example

C-D: What type of filter would be appropriate to use ?

D-E: What bit A/D board is required to have less than 0.2 % error in the voltage reading of the highest-U condition ?

