

# Analog Ports

Embedded Software

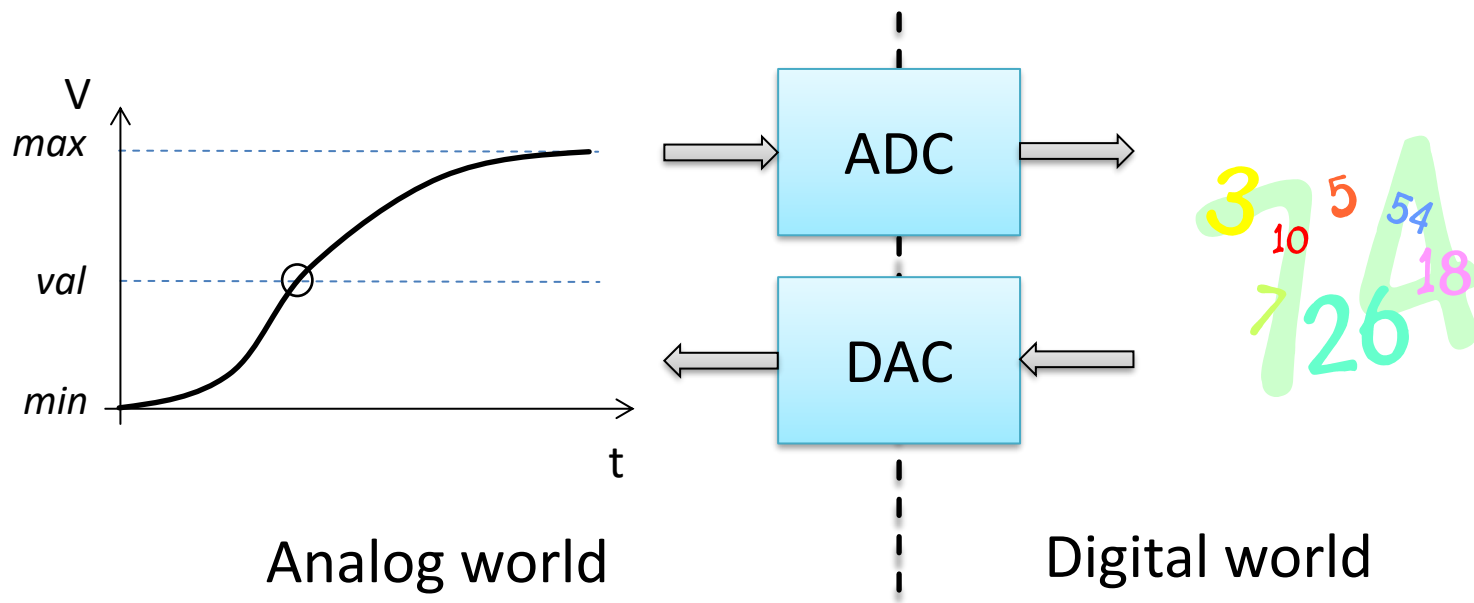
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# Analog Ports (1)

- Basic Concepts
  - Most signals are analog (analog world)
  - Microprocessors are digital devices (digital world)
  - Conversion is necessary
    - Analog-to-digital converter
    - Digital-to-analog converter
    - Analog comparator

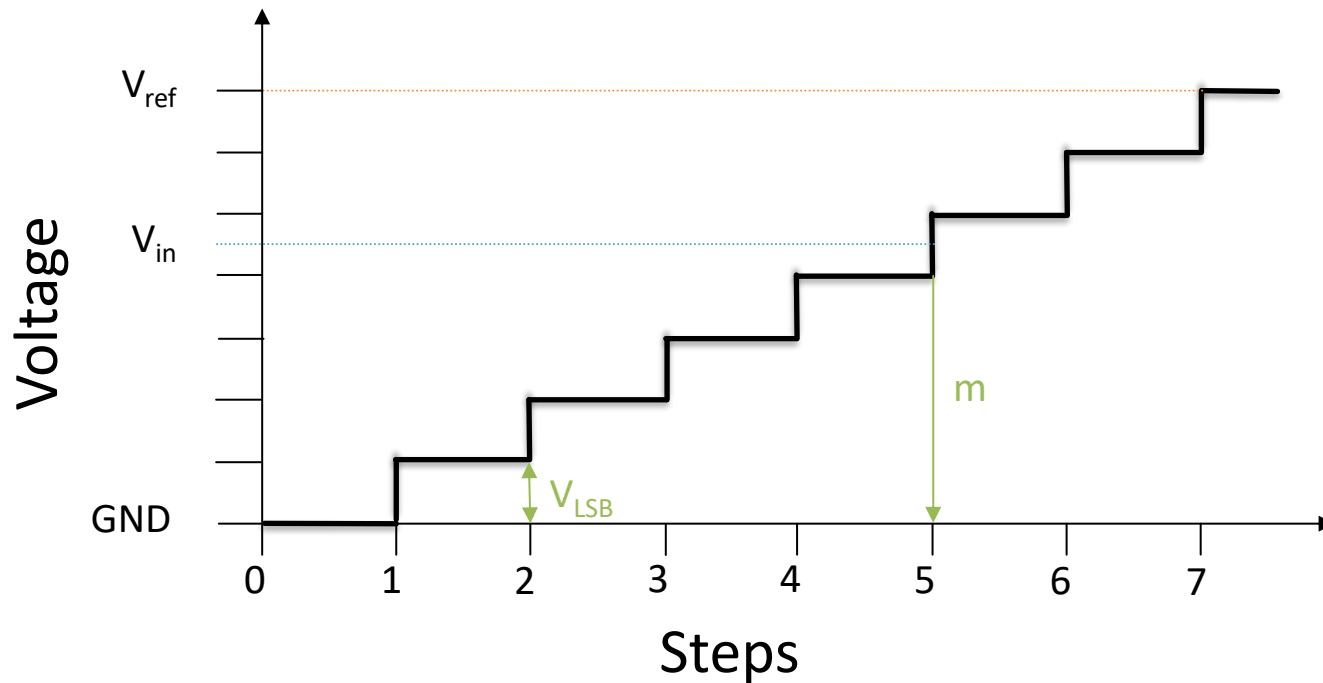
# Analog Ports (2)

- Basic Operation
  - Physical values are converted to numbers



# ADC (1)

- Operating Mode



# ADC (2)

- Basic Formulas

- Range

- n bit  $\rightarrow 2^n$  possible values

- Resolution

- $V_{LSB} = \frac{V_{ref}}{2^n}$

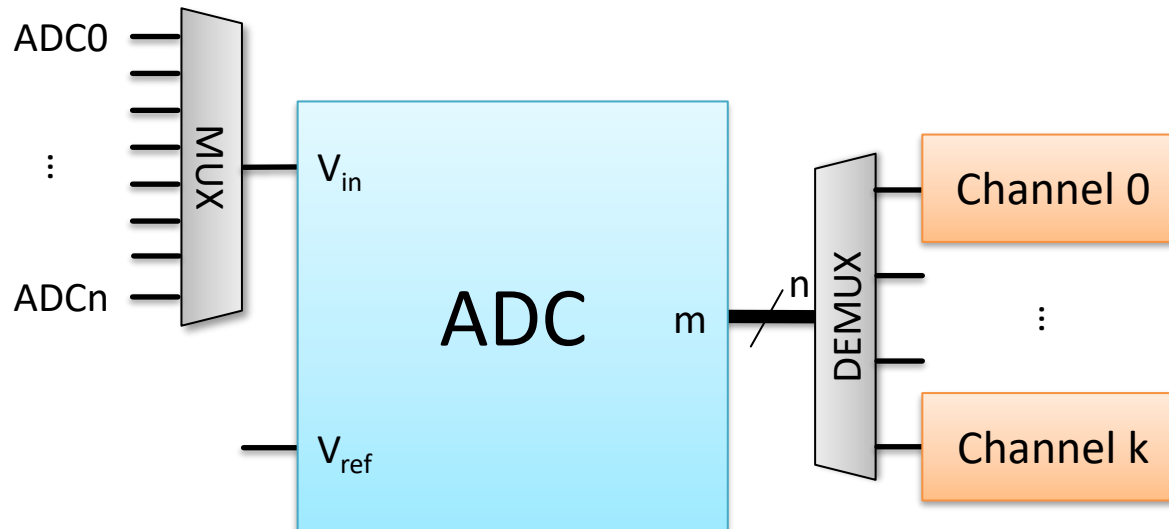
- Result

- $m = \left\lfloor \frac{V_{in}}{V_{LSB}} \right\rfloor$

**Floor Function (Gauss's Bracket)**  
[x]: Greatest integer less than or equal to x. [2.6] = 2 (round down)

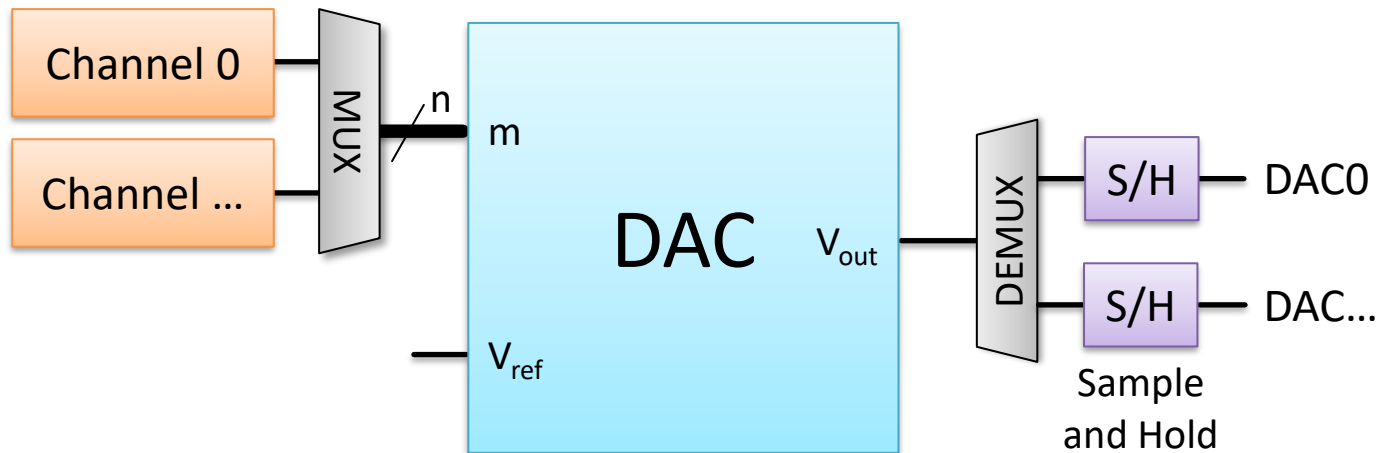
# ADC (3)

- Architecture



# DAC (1)

- Architecture



# DAC (2)

- Basic Formulas

- Range

- n bit  $\rightarrow 2^n$  possible output voltages

- Resolution

- $V_{LSB} = \frac{V_{ref}}{2^n}$

- Voltage

- $V_{out} = m \cdot V_{LSB} \quad (0 \leq m < 2^n)$

# AC

- Basic Formulas and Architecture

