

**VL5301 ANALOG TO DIGITAL INTERFACES**

DETAILED SYLLABUS

**OBJECTIVES**

- To understand the importance of sampling the input analog signal for digitization and enabling circuit architectures
- To understand the principles of Analog to Digital and Digital to Analog conversion of signals.
- To understand the importance of calibration techniques for achieving precision during data conversion

**UNIT I SAMPLE AND HOLD CIRCUITS**

Sampling switches, Conventional open loop and closed loop sample and hold architecture, Open loop architecture with miller compensation, multiplexed input architectures, recycling architecture switched capacitor architecture.

**UNIT II SWITCHED CAPACITOR CIRCUITS AND COMPARATORS**

Switched-capacitor amplifiers, switched capacitor integrator, switched capacitor common mode feedback. Single stage amplifier as comparator, cascaded amplifier stages as comparator, latched comparators.

**UNIT III DIGITAL TO ANALOG CONVERSION**

Performance metrics, reference multiplication and division, switching and logic functions in DAC, Resistor ladder DAC architecture, current steering DAC architecture.

**UNIT IV ANALOG TO DIGITAL CONVERSION**

Performance metric, Flash architecture, Pipelined Architecture, Successive approximation architecture, Time interleaved architecture.

**UNIT V PRECISION TECHNIQUES**

Comparator offset cancellation, Op Amp offset cancellation, Calibration techniques, range overlap and digital correction.

**REFERENCE:**

1. Behzad Razavi, "Principles of data conversion system design", S. Chand and company Ltd, 2000.