



**ANALOG
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ZAD1025

Video Sampling
Analog-To-Digital Converter



Applications

- Medical Imaging Systems
- Signature Analysis
- Spectrum Analysis
- Radar Digitizing
- Television Digitizing

Key Features

- 10-bit @ 25 MHz Word Rates
- Fully Variable Conversion Speed
- Typical Power Consumption 13 Watts
- Built-In Track and Hold
- ECL Compatible
- Pin-Compatible with MOD-1020

Solutions for Data Conversion

General Description

The Analog Solutions model ZAD1025 is an ultra-high-speed, Sampling A/D Converter with 10-bit linearity at word rates to 25 MHz and at input signals to 25 MHz. The ZAD1025 utilizes a unique circuit design along with the latest custom semiconductor and Surface Mount Technology (SMT) to provide the high performance necessary in video converters.

The 1025 operates from DC to 25 MHz which eliminates the need to specify unit operation for fixed conversion rates. A maximum differential and integral non-linearity of ± 1 LSB is guaranteed. The ZAD1025 has fewer parts and 35% less power dissipation than earlier designs.

The ZAD1025 is constructed on a single 5" x 7" printed circuit board and is pin-compatible with the MOD1020, while offering superior performance. It is a complete converter including integral track-and-hold, timing circuitry, references and latched digital outputs. The outputs are a balanced parallel digital configuration. The A/D requires only an external encode command

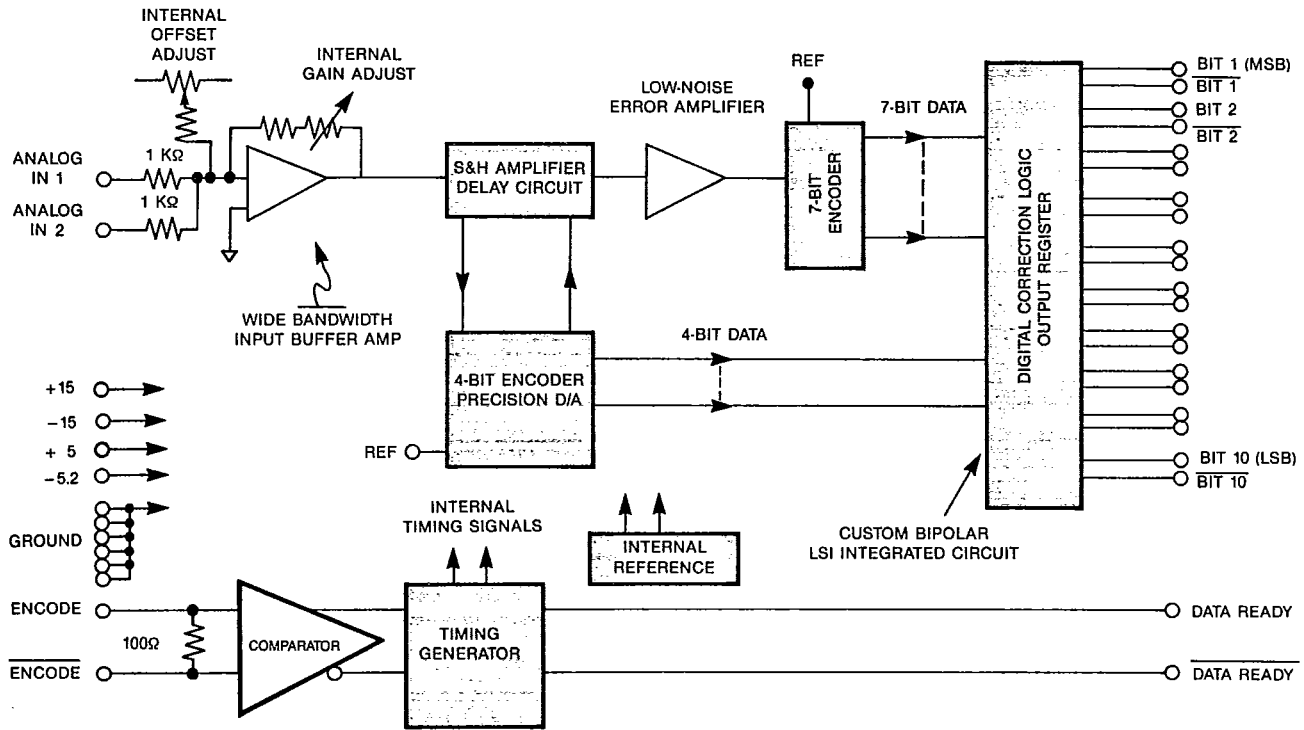
input pulse and external power supplies for proper operation. With an input impedance greater than 500 ohms, the unit is easily terminated to match the lower impedance of the system.

The ZAD1025, with superior 10-bit linearity over the full input bandwidth, provides immediate performance improvements when replacing older video converters.

The ZAD1025 is ideally suited for systems requiring the ultimate in conversion speed, accuracy and flexibility. Such applications include variable frame rate television, radar digitizing, digital communications, medical instrumentation and many others.

PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS**ZAD1025 VIDEO SAMPLING ANALOG-TO-DIGITAL CONVERTER**

| SPECIFICATIONS* | | DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS | | |
|---|--|---|--|--------------------------|
| Resolution | 10 bits (0.1% FS) | AC Linearity | Spurious Signals | S/N Ratio |
| LSB Weight | 1 mV or 2 mV depending upon selected input range | DC to 0.5 MHz | -64 dB max. -68 dB typ. | 56 dB min. 58 dB typ. |
| ANALOG INPUT | | 0.5 MHz to .99 MHz | -62 dB max. -67 dB typ. | 54 dB min. 56 dB typ. |
| Voltage Range | 1 Vp-p or 2 Vp-p depending upon hook-up (see figure on page 4) | 1 to 4.99 MHz | -59 dB max. -64 dB typ. | 51 dB min. 53 dB typ. |
| Impedance | 1000 ohm (2 V Input Range) 500 ohm (1 V Input Range) | 5 to 8.99 MHz | -56 dB max. -60 dB typ. | 47 dB min. 50 dB typ. |
| Offset | Preset at factory to Bipolar input range. Adjustable to Unipolar range with on board potentiometer (see table 4) | 9 to 12.49 MHz | -51 dB max. -55 dB typ. | 45 dB min. 47 dB typ. |
| Maximum Input Voltage | 15 V (2 V input range) 8 V (1 V input range) | 12.5 to 15 MHz | -48 dB max. -50 dB typ. | 43 dB min. 45 dB typ. |
| ACCURACY | | Conversion Rate | DC to 25 MHz fully variable | |
| No Missing Codes | Guaranteed | Aperture Time Delay | 5 ns max. | |
| Monotonicity | Guaranteed | Aperture Jitter | 10 ps rms max. | |
| Differential Non-Linearity: @ DC to 10MHz | $\pm 1/2$ LSB typ., ± 1 LSB max. | Power Supply Sensitivity | Output Change < 0.1%/V change on any supply | |
| Integral Non-Linearity: | $\pm 1/2$ LSB typ., ± 1 LSB max. | Input Bandwidth | Flat within ± 0.2 dB DC to 12.5 MHz Flat within ± 0.6 dB DC to 25 MHz | |
| Gain Error | Adjustable to zero with on-board potentiometer | Transient Response ² | 50 ns | |
| Gain Versus Temp. | $\pm 0.015\%$ of FSR/°C | Overvoltage Recovery ³ | 50 ns | |
| Offset Error | Adjustable to zero with on-board potentiometer | Conversion Time | 55 ns + 2 clock periods. Output data valid after third convert command (2 pipeline delays). Use of the data-ready output is recommended for strobing output data into external registers. | |
| Offset vs Temperature: | $\pm 0.025\%$ FSR/°C | DIGITAL OUTPUT DATA | | |
| ENCODE COMMAND INPUT | | Format | 10 parallel bits, NRZ | |
| Balanced input; ENCODE and $\overline{\text{ENCODE}}$ Start conversion on rising edge of ENCODE. | | Logic Levels, | ECL Compatible ECL Compatible (Balanced Output) | |
| Logic Compatibility | Balanced ECL: 0 = -1.7V, 1 = -0.9V | Drive | 75 ohm to 100 ohm Line-to-Line | |
| Impedance | 100 ohm line-to-line | Time Skew | 5 ns max. | |
| Rise and Fall Time | 5 ns max. | Coding | Binary, Offset binary, 2's Complement | |
| Duration (Min/Max) | 10 ns/70% of duty cycle | POWER REQUIREMENTS | | |
| Frequency | DC to 25 MHz, fully variable | + 15 V $\pm 5\%$ | 225 mA. | |
| DATA READY OUTPUT | | - 15 V $\pm 5\%$ | 195 mA. | |
| Logic Level, | ECL Compatible | + 5 V $\pm 5\%$ | 160 mA. | |
| (Balanced Output) | 0 = -1.7 V 1 = -0.9V | -5.2 V $\pm 5\%$ | 1.3 A. | |
| Rise and Fall Times | 5 ns max. | Power Consumption | 13.9 W | |
| Duration | 20 ns ± 3 ns | PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS | | |
| TEMPERATURE RANGE | | CONSTRUCTION | Single Printed Circuit Card 5" x 7" | |
| Operating | 0 to 70°C | | | |
| Storage | -55 to +85°C | | | |
| Cooling requirement-forced airflow of 500 lfpm required at ambient temperatures above 35°C. | | | | |
| Notes: | | 3) Recovers to 10-bit accuracy after 2 X FS input over voltage in specified time. | | |
| *Specifications apply at 25°C and nominal supply voltages unless otherwise indicated. | | 4) Shaded areas denote enhanced performance. Specifications subject to change without notice. | | |
| 1) RMS signal to RMS noise ratio with 500 kHz analog input. | | | | |
| 2) For full-scale step input attains 10-bit accuracy in time specified. | | | | |



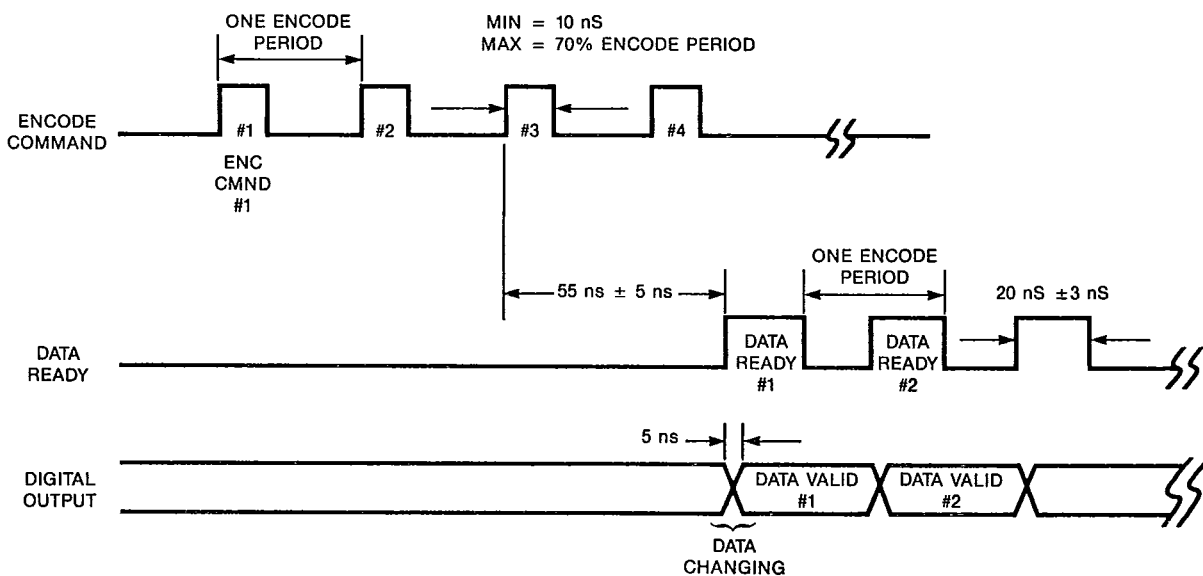
Block Diagram

Description of ZAD1025

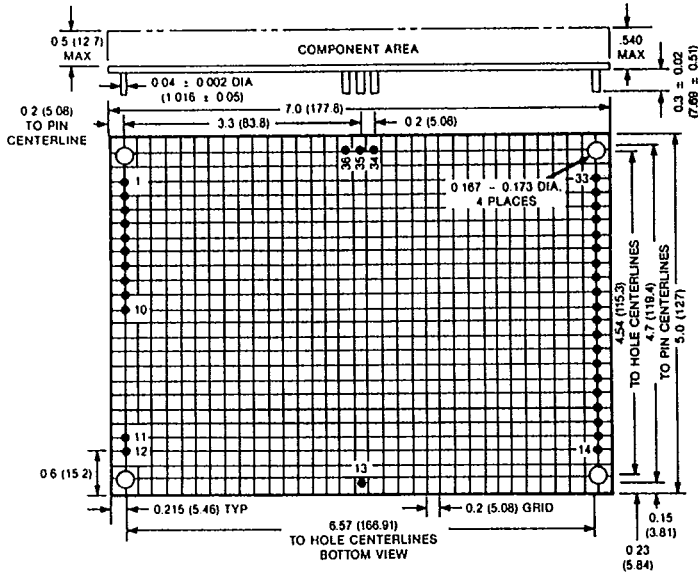
The analog input signal is applied through the input buffer amplifier to a proprietary ultra-high-speed 4-bit flash converter and S/H amplifier. The output of the 4-bit flash is applied to a true 10-bit video speed DAC. This output is subtracted from the input and the output is then digitized by a 7-bit flash converter. The 4-bit initial conversion and 7-bit second conversion are combined with 1 bit of digital correction overlap, to provide the 10-bit output results. This A/D architecture is a Digitally Corrected Sub-Ranging (DCSR) structure and has all of the error correction benefits of this approach.

A custom digital IC provides the digital correction circuitry and output latches necessary for the ZAD1025's proper operation.

Using custom IC's and the latest analog circuit design, the ZAD1025 has fewer parts and dissipates 35% less power than older designs. This reduction in component count and heat dissipation results in a converter that is more stable and much more reliable.



ZAD1025 Timing Diagram



Mechanical Configuration

Pin Assignments

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|----|-------------|
| 1 | GROUND | 19 | BIT 8 |
| 2 | ENCODE COMMAND | 20 | BIT 7 |
| 3 | ENCODE COMMAND | 21 | BIT 7 |
| 4 | GROUND | 22 | BIT 6 |
| 5 | -5.2 V | 23 | BIT 6 |
| 6 | +15 V | 24 | BIT 5 |
| 7 | -15 V | 25 | BIT 5 |
| 8 | GROUND | 26 | BIT 4 |
| 9 | ANALOG INPUT #1 | 27 | BIT 4 |
| 10 | ANALOG INPUT #2 | 28 | BIT 3 |
| 11 | +5 V | 29 | BIT 3 |
| 12 | GROUND | 30 | BIT 2 |
| 13 | GROUND | 31 | BIT 2 |
| 14 | BIT 10 (LSB) | 32 | BIT 1 |
| 15 | BIT 10 | 33 | BIT 1 (MSB) |
| 16 | BIT 9 | 34 | DATA READY |
| 17 | BIT 9 | 35 | GROUND |
| 18 | BIT 8 | 36 | DATA READY |

All ground pins are connected together within the ADC.

Offset and Gain Adjustment

The offset of the ZAD1025 is adjusted by varying the offset adjustment potentiometer. Apply an input voltage corresponding to positive full scale to the analog input. Adjust the offset adjustment potentiometer such that the digital output is changing between 111111111 and 111111110.

The gain of the ZAD1025 can be adjusted by varying the gain adjustment potentiometer. Apply an input voltage to the analog input that corresponds to negative full scale. Adjust the gain adjustment potentiometer such the digital output is between 000000000 and 000000001. Refer to diagram to determine proper input voltages for the offset and gain adjustments.

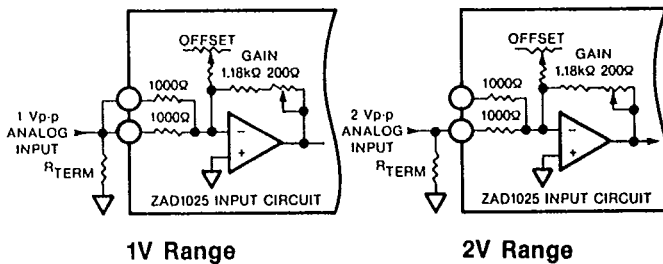


Figure 4 — Input Connection

Table 4 — Input Voltage

| Offset Adjust Setting | 1V Range | 2V Range |
|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| 1/8 from full CW (Bipolar) | -.4995V, +.4995V | -.999V, +.999V |
| 1/8 from full CW (Unipolar) | 0V, +.999V | 0V, +1.998V |

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To Order Simply Specify:

Since every ZAD1025 operates over the full DC to 25 MHz conversion rate, no special encode rate suffixes are required.

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