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## **Analog/Digital Converters**

- A 10-bit A/D converter is used to convert an input voltage. The reference voltages are  $V_{RL} = 0V$  and  $V_{RH} = 5V$ .

- What is the quantization level of the A/D converter?

$$\Delta V = (V_{RH} - V_{RL}) / (2^b - 1) = 4.88 \text{ mV}$$

- If the value read from the A/D converter is 0x15A, what is the input voltage?

$$V_{in} = V_{RL} + [(V_{RH} - V_{RL}) / (2^b - 1)] * ADvalue = 0 \text{ V} + 4.88 \text{ mV} \times 346 = 1.6894 \text{ V}$$

- The MC9S12 has two 10-bit A/D converters (ATD0 and ATD1).

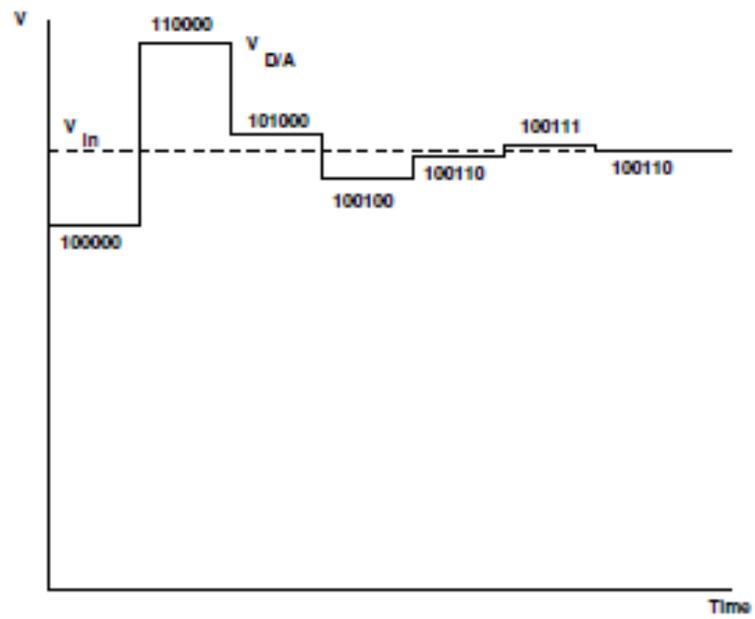
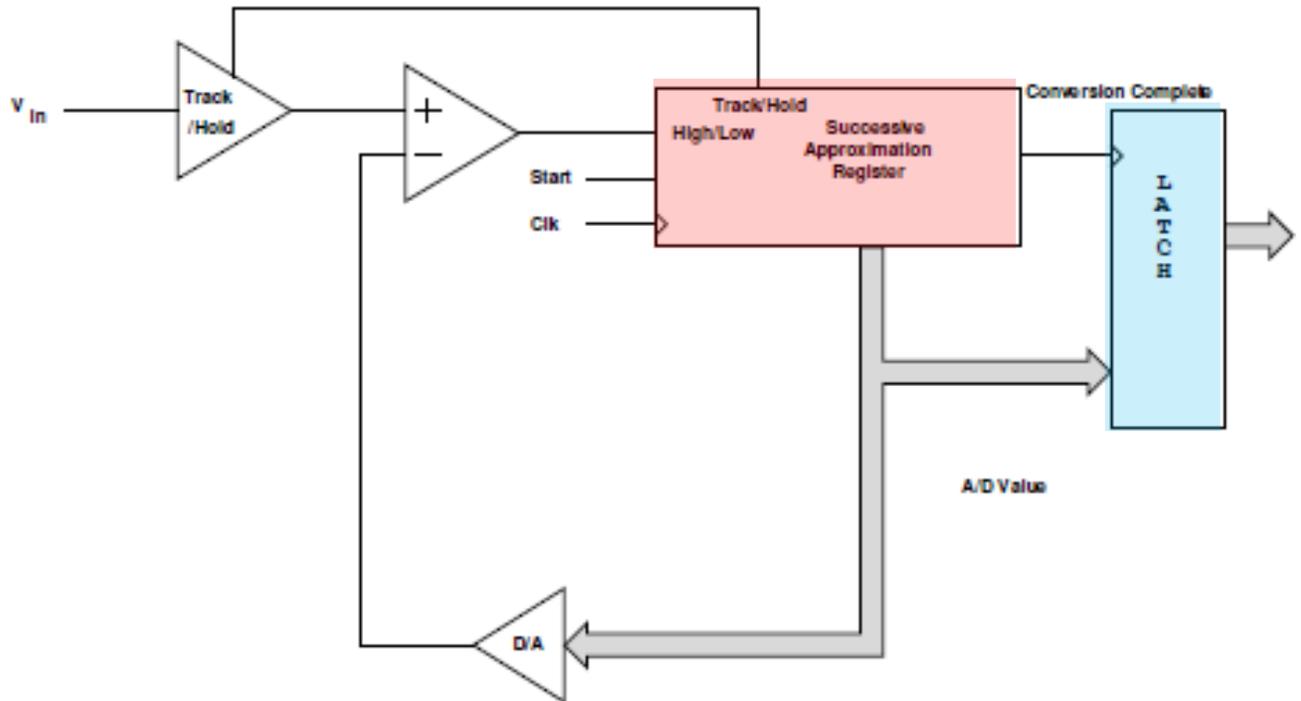
- Each A/D converter has an 8-channel analog multiplexer in front of it, so each channel can convert 8 analog inputs (but not at exactly the same time).

- ATD0 uses the eight bits of Port AD0, called PAD00 through PAD07

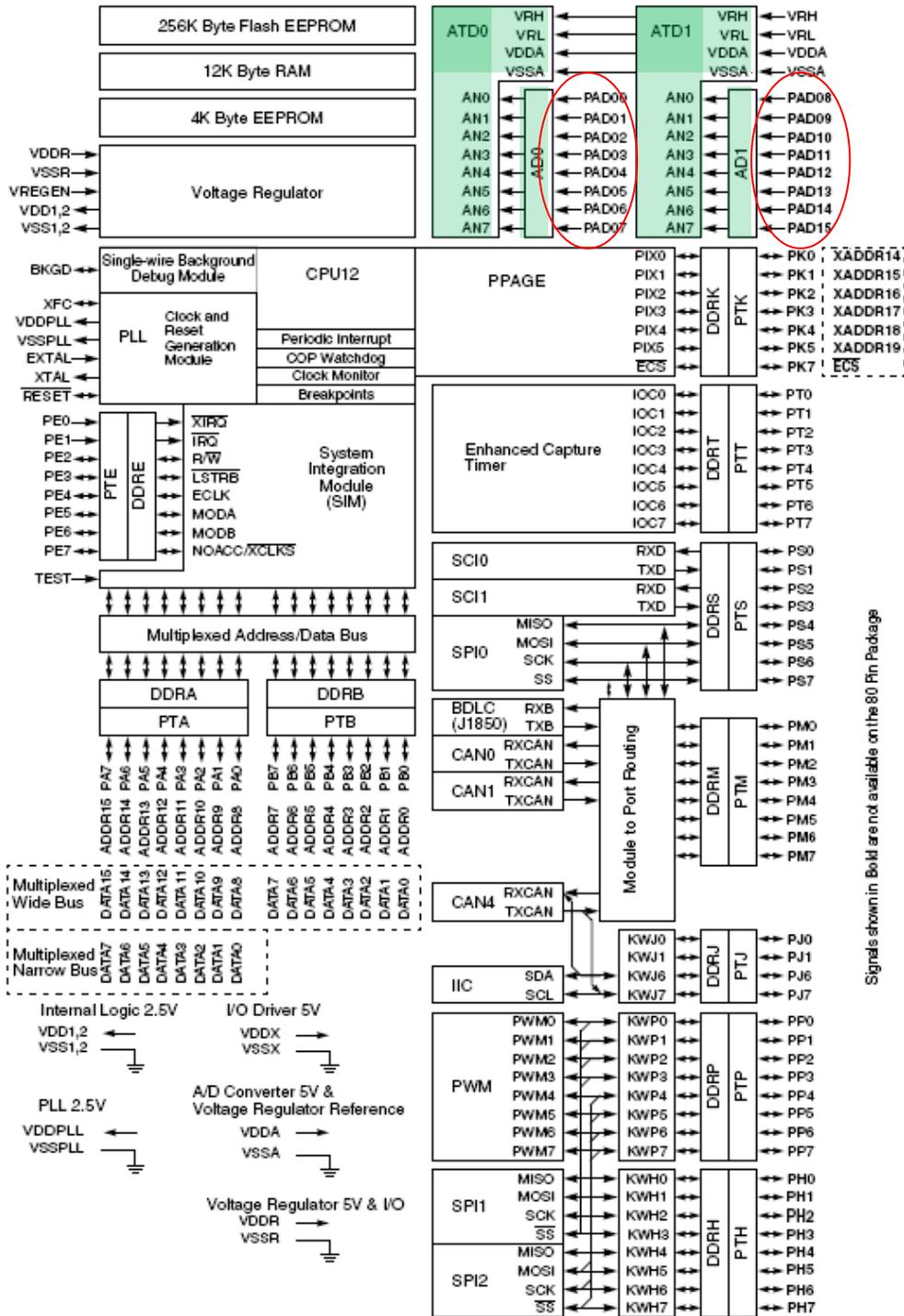
- PAD00 and PAD01 of ATD0 are used by DDebug-12 at startup to determine whether to execute DDebug-12, or to run code from EEPROM of the bootloader.

- ATD1 uses the eight bits of Port AD1, called PAD08 through PAD15

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**Figure 1-1 MC9S12DT256 Block Diagram**



Signals shown in Bold are not available on the 80 Pin Package

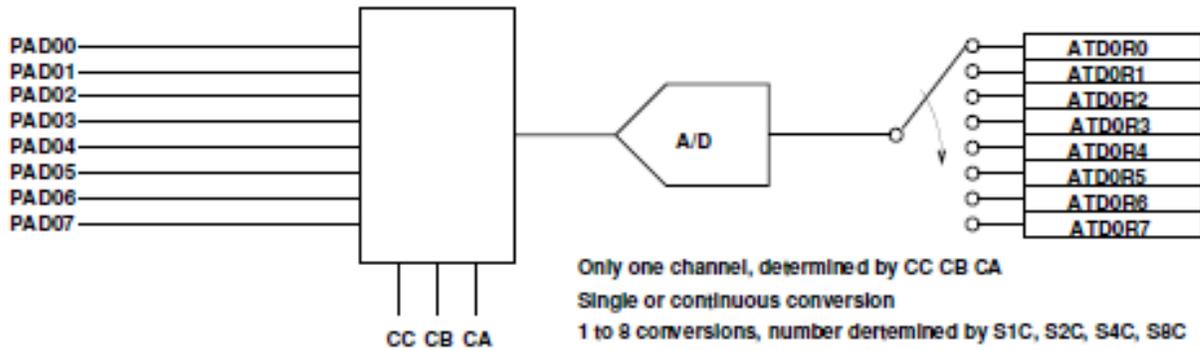
## **The MC9S12 Analog/Digital Converter**

- We will discuss only ATD0. ATD1 is identical.
- ATD0 is an eight-channel 10-bit A/D converter.
  - The A/D converter can also be used in 8-bit mode.
- There are eight inputs to the A/D converter.
- The inputs are fed through a multiplexer to the single A/D converter.
- There are inputs on the HCS12 for the reference voltages  $V_{RL}$  and  $V_{RH}$ 
  - In normal operation  $V_{RL} = 0\text{ V}$  and  $V_{RH} = 5\text{ V}$ .
  - You must have  $V_{SS} \leq V_{RL} < V_{RH} \leq V_{DD}$ .
  - The accuracy of the A/D converter is guaranteed only for  $V_{RH} - V_{RL} = 5\text{ V}$ .
- When using the A/D converter, you can choose between performing single or continuous conversion on a single channel, or multiple channels.
- The AD conversion results are stored in the registers ATD0DR0 through ATD0DR7
  - You can choose whether to have the results left-justified or right justified.

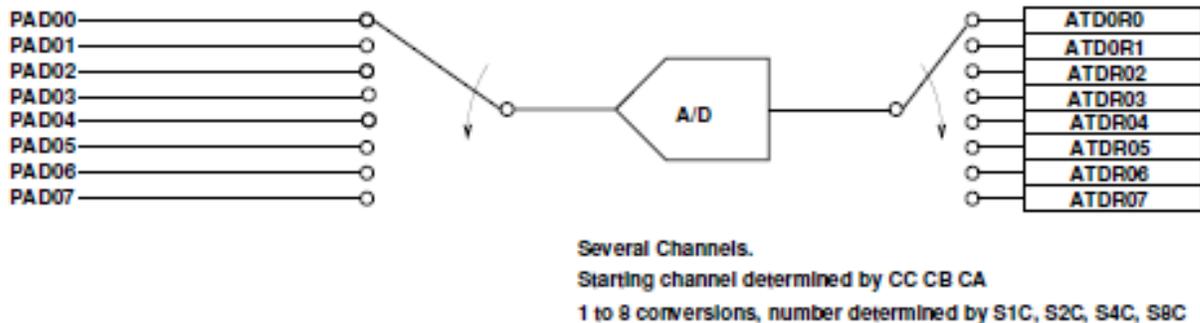
- To program the HCS12 A/D converter you need to set up the A/D control registers **ATD0CTL2, ATD0CTL3, ATD0CTL4 and ATD0CTL5.**
- The registers ATD0CTL0 and ATD0CTL1 are used for factory test, and not used in normal operation.
- When the AD converter is not used, Port AD0 can be used for a general purpose input (not as a GPIO – General Purpose I/O like the other ports).
  - Register ATD0DIEN is used to set up Port AD0 pins for use as a general purpose inputs.
  - The values on the pins are read from PORTAD0.

## MC9S12 A/D Converter Setup

**MULT = 0**



**MULT = 1**



<b>ATD0CTL2</b>	<b>ADPU</b>	<b>AFFC</b>	<b>ASWAI</b>	<b>ETRIGLE</b>	<b>ETRIGLP</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>ASCIE</b>	<b>ASCIF</b>	<b>0x0082</b>
<b>ATD0CTL3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>S8C</b>	<b>S4C</b>	<b>S2C</b>	<b>S1C</b>	<b>FIFO</b>	<b>FRZ1</b>	<b>FRZ0</b>	<b>0x0083</b>
<b>ATD0CTL4</b>	<b>SRES8</b>	<b>SMP1</b>	<b>SMP0</b>	<b>PRS4</b>	<b>PRS3</b>	<b>PRS2</b>	<b>PRS1</b>	<b>PRS0</b>	<b>0x0084</b>
<b>ATD0CTL5</b>	<b>DJM</b>	<b>DSGN</b>	<b>SCAN</b>	<b>MULT</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>CC</b>	<b>CB</b>	<b>CA</b>	<b>0x0085</b>
<b>ATD0STAT0</b>	<b>SCF</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>ETORF</b>	<b>FIFOR</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>CC2</b>	<b>CC1</b>	<b>CC0</b>	<b>0x0086</b>
<b>ATD0STAT1</b>	<b>CCF7</b>	<b>CCF6</b>	<b>CCF5</b>	<b>CCF4</b>	<b>CCF3</b>	<b>CCF2</b>	<b>CCF1</b>	<b>CCF0</b>	<b>0x008B</b>

### To Use A/D Converter:

ADPU = 1 (Power up A/D)

SCAN = 0 => Single conversion sequence

SCAN = 1 => Convert continuously

S8C, S4C, S2C, S1C:

Number of conversions per sequence: 0001 -- 0111 (1 to 7)

0000 or 1xxx (8)

SRES8 = 0 => 10 Bit Mode

SRES8 = 1 => 8 Bit Mode

DJM = 0 => Left justified data in the result registers

DJM = 1 => Right justified data in the result registers

DSGN = 0 => Unsigned data in the result registers

DSGN = 1 => Signed data representation in the result registers  
(only for left justified)

ATDCTL4= 0x85 => 2 MHz AD clock, 12 cycles per conversion,  
8 bit mode

ATDCTL4= 0x05 => 2 MHz AD clock, 14 cycles per conversion,  
10 bit mode

-Other values of ATDCTL4 will not work, or will result in  
slower operation of A/D

SCF Flag is set after a sequence of conversions is complete

-The SCF Flag is cleared when ATD0CTL5 is written, or by  
writing a 1 to the SCF bit

After writing to ATD0CTL5, SCF flag cleared and conversions  
start

## **Using the HCS12 A/D converter**

1. Power up A/D Converter (ADPU = 1 in ATD0CTL2)
2. Select number of conversions per sequence (S8C S4C S2C S1C in ATD0CTL3)

S8C S4C S2C S1C = 0001 to 0111 for 1 to 7 conversions

S8C S4C S2C S1C = 0000 or 1xxx for 8 conversions

3. Set up ATD0CTL4

- For 8-bit mode write 0x85 to ATD0CTL4
- For 10-bit mode write 0x05 to ATD0CTL4
- Other values of ATD0CTL4 either will not work or will result in slower A/D conversion rates

4. Select DJM in ATD0CTL5

- (a) DJM = 0 => Left justified data in the result registers
- (b) DJM = 1 => Right justified data in the result registers

5. Select DSGN in ATD0CTL5

- (a) DSGN = 0 => Unsigned data representation in the result register
- (b) DSGN = 1 => Signed data representation in the result register

The Available Result Data Formats are shown in the following table:

<b>SRES8</b>	<b>DJM</b>	<b>DSGN</b>	<b>RESULT DATA FORMAT</b>
1	0	0	8-bit/left justified/unsigned – Bits 15-8
1	0	1	8-bit/left justified/signed – Bits 15-8
1	1	X	8-bit/right justified/unsigned – Bits 7-0
0	0	0	10-bit/left justified/unsigned – Bits 15-6
0	0	1	10-bit/left justified/signed – Bits 15-6
0	1	X	10-bit/right justified/unsigned – Bits 9-0

6. Select MULT in ATD0CTL5:

- MULT = 0: Convert one channel the specified number of times  
– Choose channel to convert with CC, CB, CA of ATD0CTL5.
- MULT = 1: Convert across several channels. CC, CB, CA of ATD0CTL is the first channel to be converted.

7. Select SCAN in ATD0CTL5:

- SCAN = 0: Convert one sequence, then stop
- SCAN = 1: Convert continuously

8. After writing to ATD0CTL5, the A/D converter starts, and the SCF bit is cleared. After a sequence of conversions is completed, the SCF flag in ATD0STAT0 is set.

- You can read the results in ATD0DRxH.

9. If  $SCAN = 0$ , you need to write to  $ATD0CTL5$  to start a new sequence. If  $SCAN = 1$ , the conversions continue automatically, and you can read new values in  $ATD0DRxH$ .

10. To get an interrupt after the sequence of conversions are completed, set  $ASCIE$  bit of  $ATD0CTL2$ . After the sequence of conversions, the  $ASCIF$  bit in  $ATD0CTL2$  will be set, and an interrupt will be generated.

11. With 24 MHz bus clock and  $ATD0CTL4 = 0x05$ , it takes 7  $\mu s$  to make one conversion, 56  $\mu s$  to make eight conversions.

12. On MC9S12 EVBU, AD0 channels 0 and 1 are used to determine start-up program (D-Bug12, EEPROM or bootloader). Do not use AD0 channels 0 or 1, unless absolutely necessary (if you need more than 14 A/D channels).

13.

$$ATD0DRx = (V_{in} - V_{RL}) / (V_{RH} - V_{RL}) \times 1024$$

Normally,  $V_{RL} = 0 V$ , and  $V_{RH} = 5 V$ , so

$$ATD0DRx = V_{in} / 5 V \times 1024$$

Example:  $ATD0DR0 = 448 \Rightarrow V_{in} = 2.19 V$

14. To use 10-bit result, set  $ATD0CTL4 = 0x05$  (Gives 2 MHz AD clock with 24 MHz bus clock, 10-bit mode).

15. You can get more accuracy by averaging multiple conversions. If you need only one channel, set `MULT = 0`, set `S8C`, `S4C`, `S2C`, `S1C`, bits for eight conversions, then average all eight result registers. The following assumes the data was right justified:

```
int avg;
```

```
avg = (ATD0DR0 + ATD0DR1  
      ATD0DR2 + ATD0DR3  
      ATD0DR4 + ATD0DR5  
      ATD0DR6 + ATD0DR7) >> 3;
```

```
/* Read temperature from PAD4. Turn on heater if temp too low,
turn off heater if temp too high. Heater connected to Bit 0 of Port
A. */
```

```
#include "hcs12.h"
#define TRUE 1
#define SET_POINT 72 /* Temp at which to turn heater */
/* on or off */

main() {
    ATD0CTL2 = 0x80; /* Power up A/D, no interrupts */
    ATD0CTL3 = 0x00; /* Do eight conversions */
    ATD0CTL4 = 0x85; /* 8-bit mode */
    ATD0CTL5 = 0xA4; /* 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0
        | | | | \___/
        | | | | |
        | | | | \___ Bit 4 of Port AD
        | | | \___ MULT = 0 => one channel only
        | | \___ Scan = 1 => continuous conversion
        | \___ DSGN = 0 => unsigned
        \___ DJM = 1 => right justified
    */

    /******

    DDRA = 0xff; /* Make Port A output */
    PORTA = 0x00; /* Turn off heater */

    /******

    while (TRUE) {
        if (ATD0DR0H > SET_POINT)
            PORTA &= ~BIT0;
        else
            PORTA |= BIT0;
    }
}
```

```
/* Convert signals on Channels AD08 through AD15. Set up for
10-bit, multi-channel do one set of scans, save values in variables
*/
```

```
#include "hcs12.h"
```

```
main()
{
```

```
    unsigned int ch[8]; /* Variable to hold result */
    ATD1CTL2 = 0x80; /* Power up A/D, no interrupts */
    ATD1CTL3 = 0x40; /* Do eight conversions */
    ATD1CTL4 = 0x05; /* 10-bit mode, 7 us/conversion */
    ATD1CTL5 = 0x92; /* 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0
        | | | | \_ /
        | | | | |
        | | | | \_ First channel = 2
        | | | \_ MULT = 1 => multiple channels
        | | \_ SCAN = 0 => one set of conversions
        | \_ DSGN = 0 => unsigned
        \_ DJM = 1 => right justified */
```

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/******
```

```
    while ((ATD1STAT0 & BIT7) == 0) ; // Wait for sequence to finish
```

```
    ch[0] = ATD1DR0;
    ch[1] = ATD1DR1;
    ch[2] = ATD1DR2;
    ch[3] = ATD1DR3;
    ch[4] = ATD1DR4;
    ch[5] = ATD1DR5;
    ch[6] = ATD1DR6;
    ch[7] = ATD1DR7;
```

```
}
```