

Using Timers

Making Manual Timer

```
#define LED 13

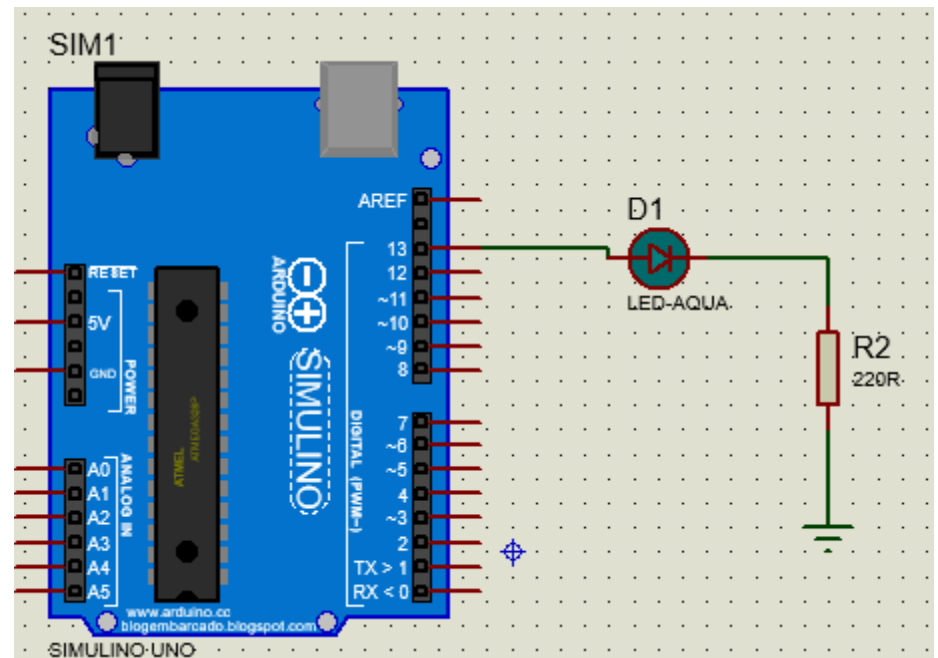
void flash() {
    static boolean output = HIGH;
    digitalWrite(LED, output);
    output = !output;
}

int oldTime = 0;
void setup() {
    pinMode(LED, OUTPUT);
}

void loop() {
    int time = millis();
    if((time-oldTime)>250)
    {
        flash();
        oldTime = time;
    }
}
```

Notes:

1. This is a manual non real-time timer.
2. Timer interval may exceed 250 ms.



Other Time Functions

- `mills()`: measure the time in ms since the board is started
- `micros()`: measure the time in us since the board is started
- `delay()`: stops the program for the specified period in ms
- `delayMicroseconds()`: stops the program for the specified period in us

Installing MsTimer2 Library

- Install MsTimer2 Library
 1. Download from <http://www.arduino.cc/playground/Main/MsTimer2>
 2. Unzip
 3. Place the folder Inside {Arduino Path}/ libraries
 4. Restart Arduino Software
- Note: To make your own library you have to study
 - AVR Architecture
 - AVR programming g using C/C++ or Assembly

MsTimer2 Library

MsTimer2.h

MsTimer2.cpp

```
#include <MsTimer2.h>
```

```
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```

```
void flash() {  
    static boolean output = HIGH;  
    digitalWrite(LED, output);  
    output = !output;  
}
```

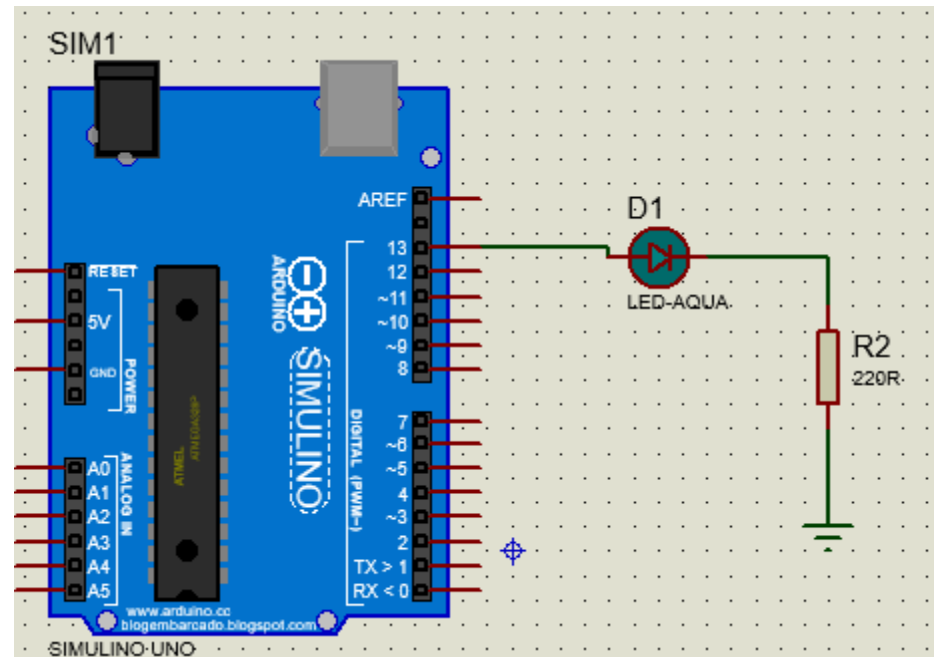
```
void setup() {  
    pinMode(LED, OUTPUT);  
    MsTimer2::set(500, flash);  
    MsTimer2::start();  
}
```

```
void loop() {  
}
```

Notes:

1. This is a real-time timer.
2. Timer interval exactly equals 250 ms.

Using MsTimer2 Library

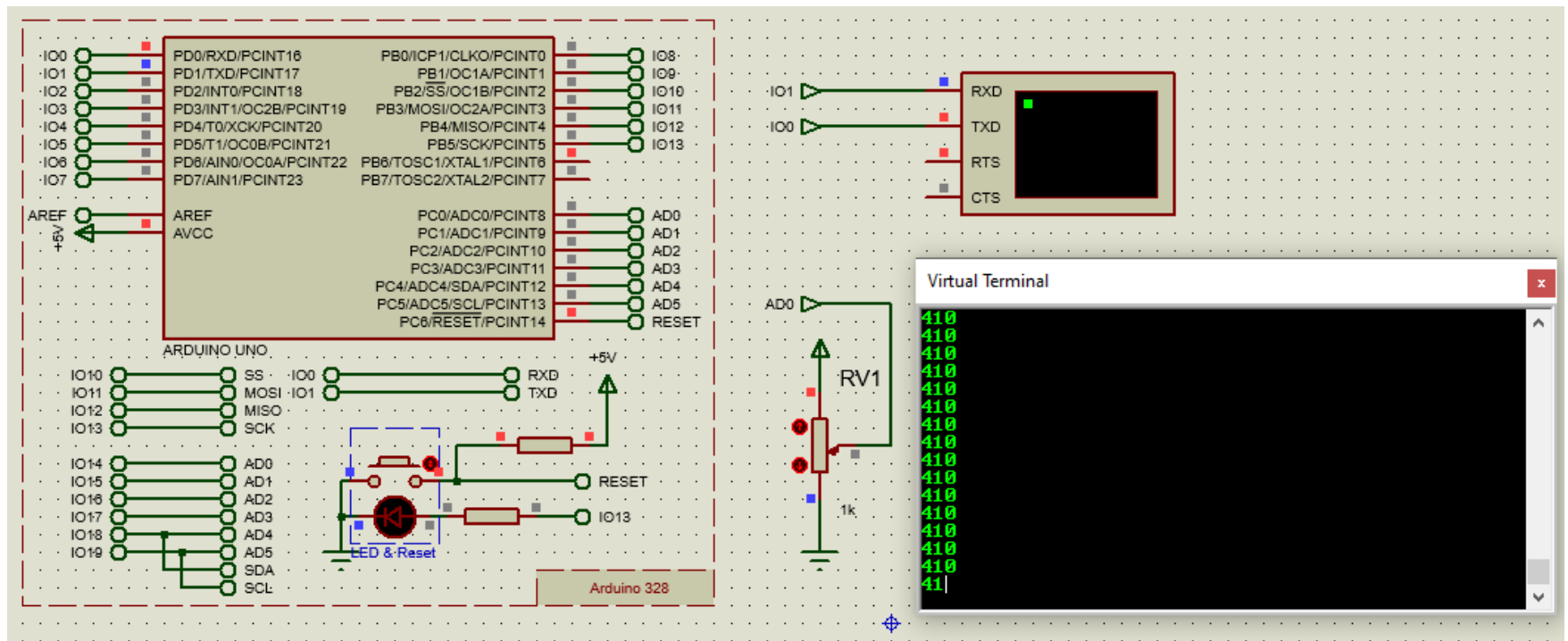


Other MsTimer2 Library Functions

- `set(interval, callbackfn)`: Set the real-time timer interval in ms, and sets the callback function name
- `start()`: Starts the timer
- `stop()`: Stops the timer

Reading Analog Signal

Reading Analog Input to Computer

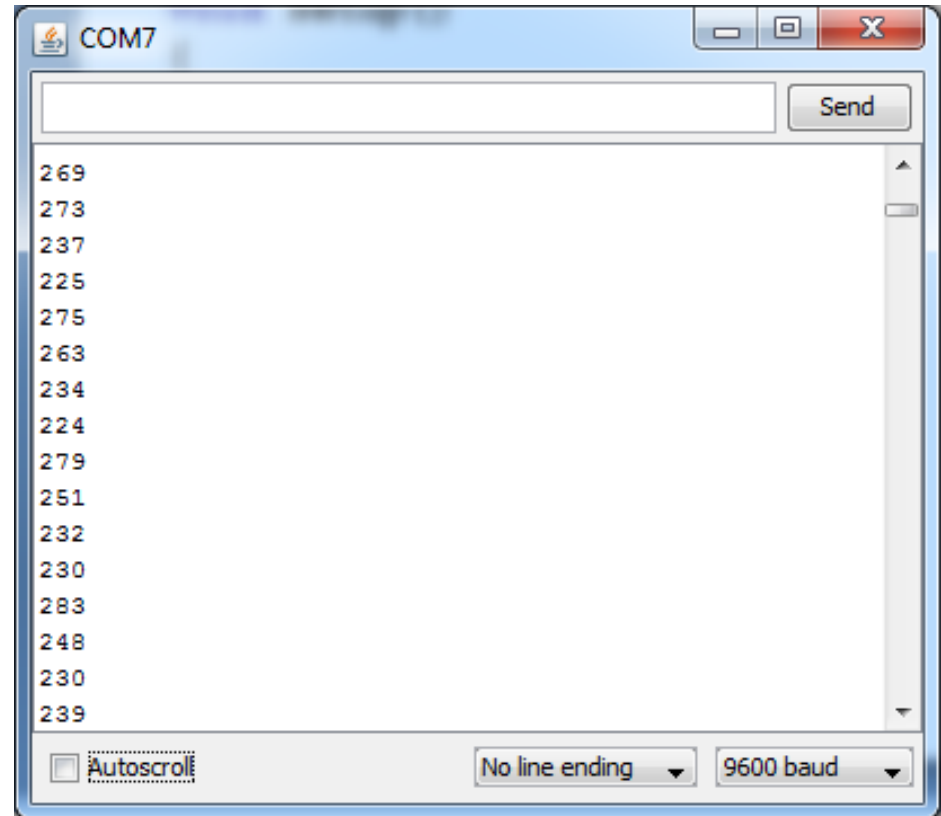


Reading Analog Input to Computer

```
#define AINPUT 0

void setup()
{
    Serial.begin(9600);
}

void loop()
{
    int val = analogRead(AINPUT);
    Serial.println(val);
}
```



ATMega328 A/D Converter

- Read 6 analog inputs
- Analog range : $0 \rightarrow 5V$ / $0 \rightarrow 3.3V$ depending on the power signal (VCC)
- Resolution: 10 bit
- Digital range : $0 \rightarrow 1023$
- $1 \text{ bit change} = 5V/1024 = 0.0049V$
- Use **analogReference**(type) function to change the range below the maximum

Changing A/D Input Voltage Range

- Using **analogReference(type)** function
- Type can take:
 - DEFAULT: 5V or 3.3V based on Board Type
 - INTERNAL: 1.1V for UNO Boards, 2.56 for Mega Boards
 - INTERNAL1V1: 1.1V for Mega Boards
 - INTERNAL2V56: 2.56V for Mega Boards
 - EXTERNAL: External volt supplied to AREF Pin (Pin21 internal). Limited by 5V or 3.3V depending on board type

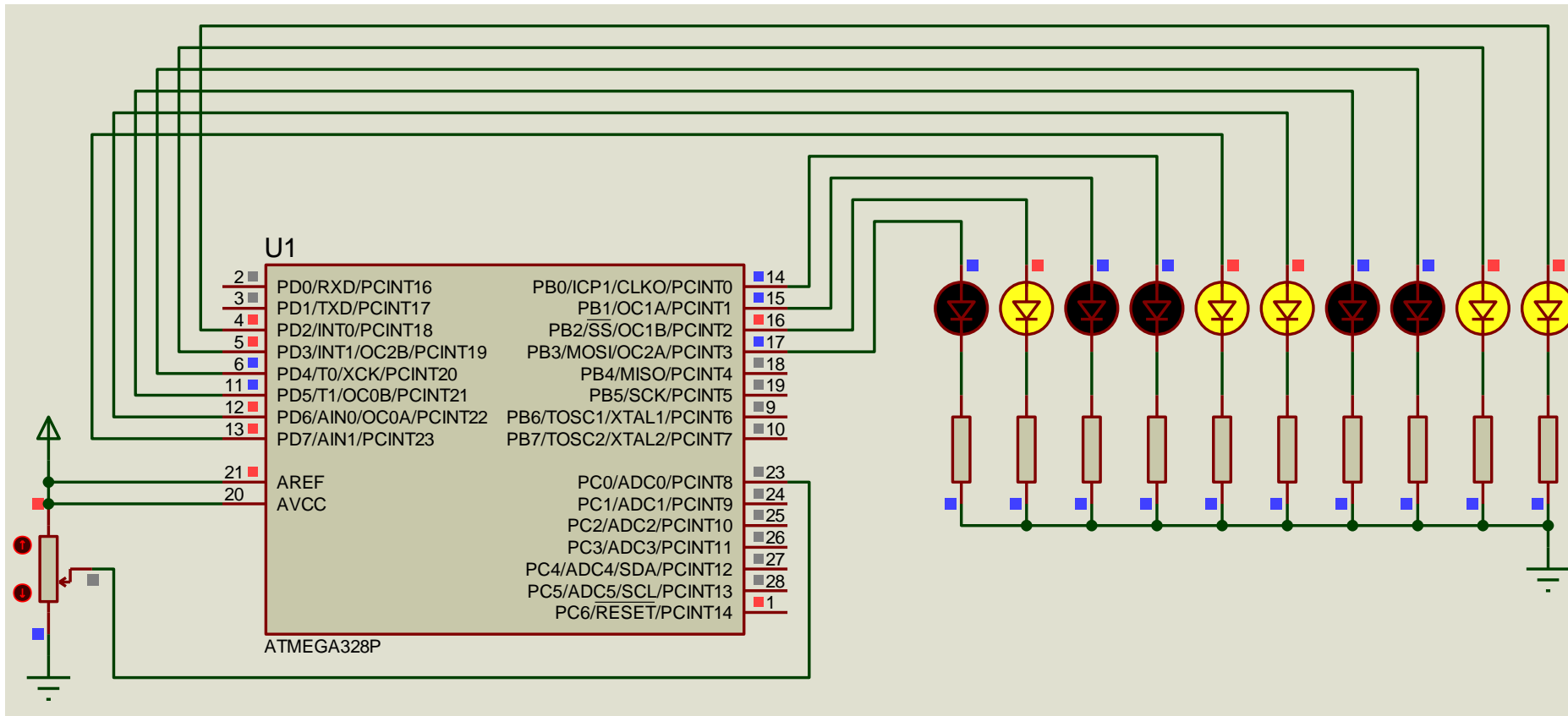
Read Analog Input and Display its Binary Value on 10 LEDs

```
#define AINPUT 0
#define OP 2

void setup()
{
    for(int i=0;i<10;i++)
        pinMode(OP+i, OUTPUT);
    analogReference(EXTERNAL);
}

int value = 0;
void loop()
{
    value = analogRead(AINPUT);
    for(int i=0;i<10;i++)
    {
        digitalWrite(OP+i, value&0x1);
        value>>=1;
    }
}
```

Read Analog Input and Display its Binary Value on 10 LEDs

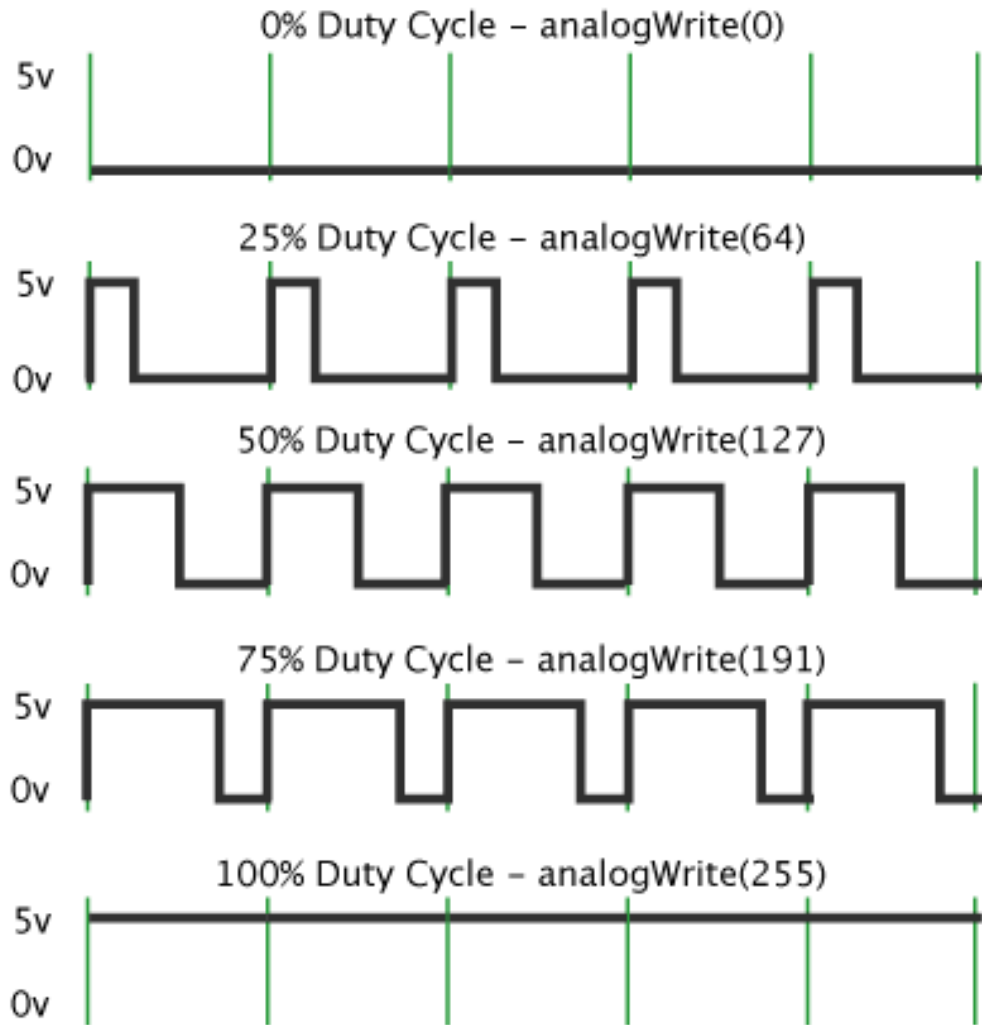


Producing Analog Signal

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- PWM Analog-Like Signal
- Normal Analog Signal

PWM



Zero Energy

$$E = \int_0^t I(t) \times V(t) dt$$

Maximum Energy

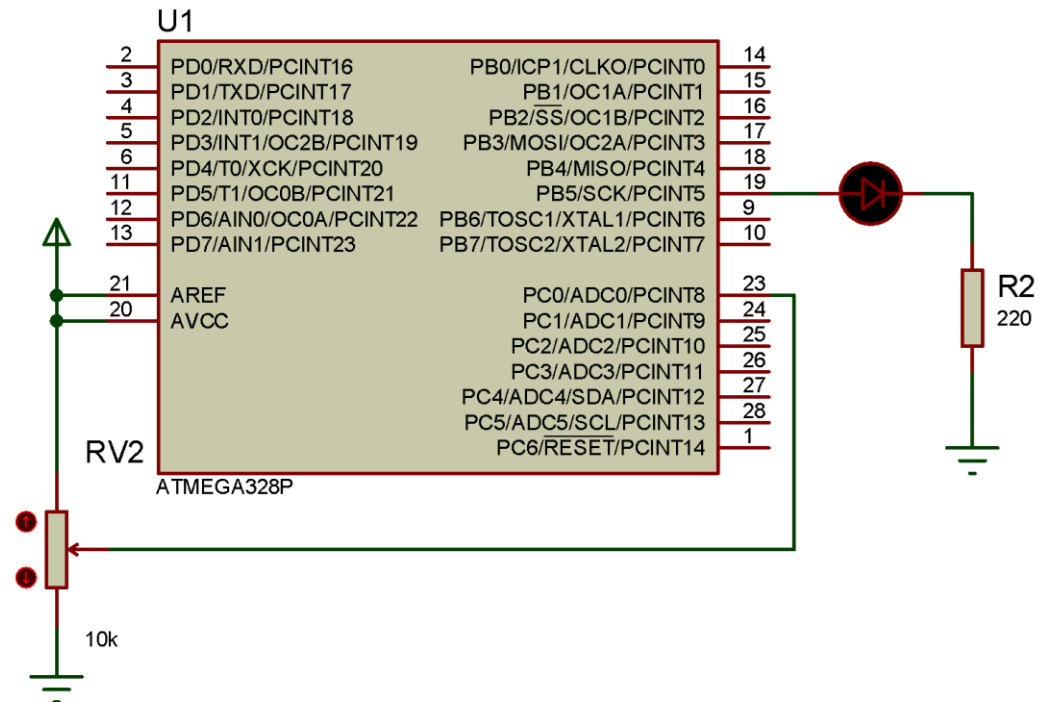
Generating Manual PWM

```
#define AINPUT 0
#define LED 13

void setup()
{
    pinMode(LED, OUTPUT);
    analogReference(EXTERNAL);
}

void loop()
{
    int value = analogRead(AINPUT);
    int onTime = map(value, 0, 1023, 0, 100);

    digitalWrite(LED, HIGH);
    delay(onTime);
    digitalWrite(LED, LOW);
    delay(100-onTime);
}
```

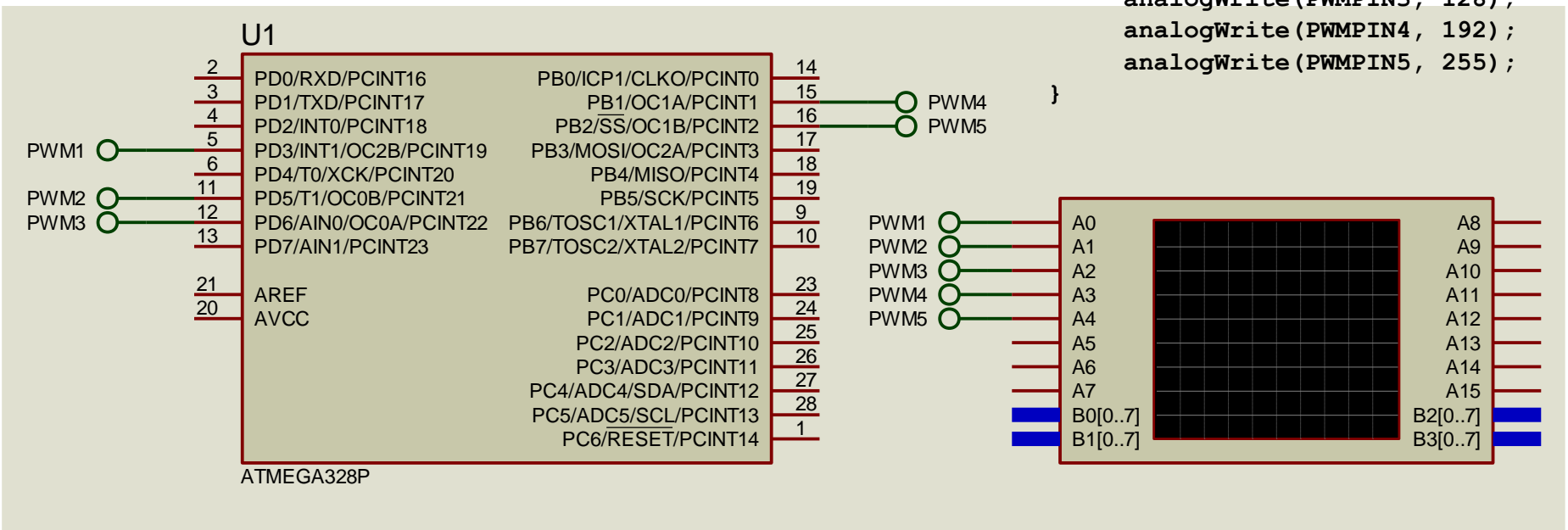


Using Built-in PWM

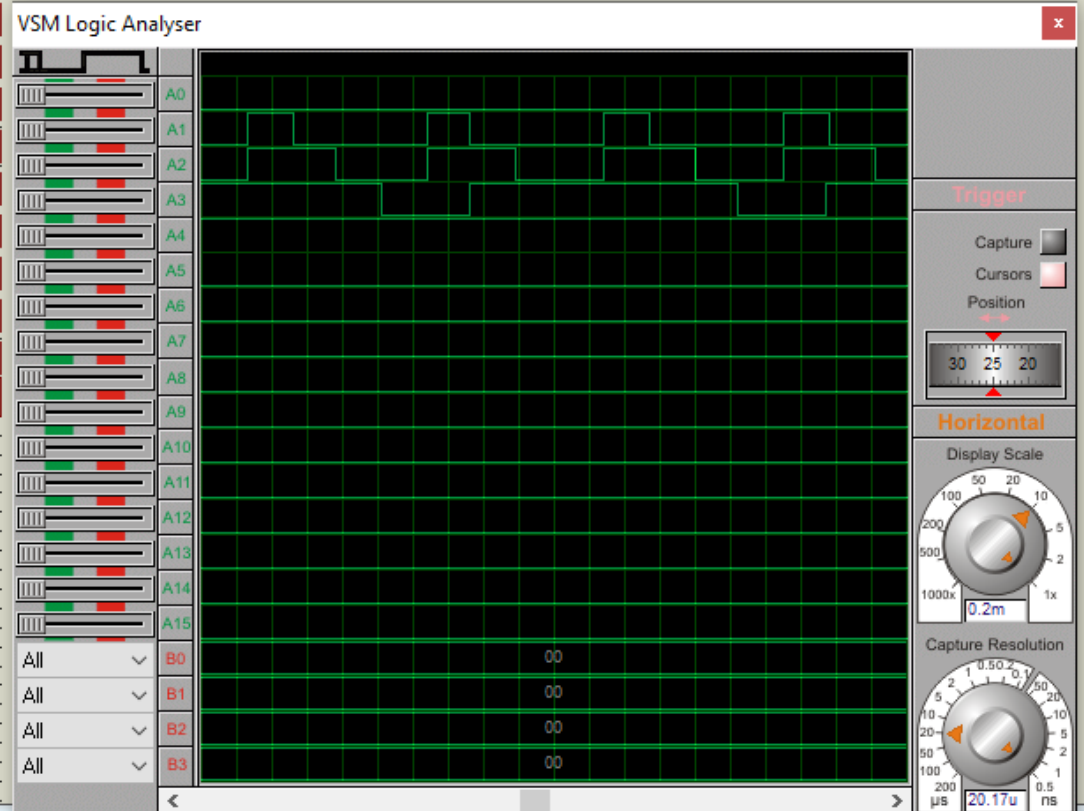
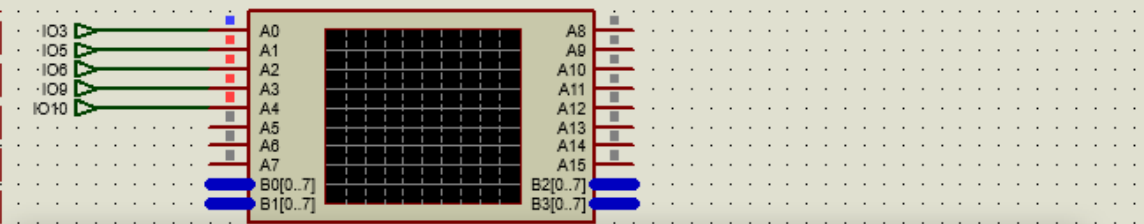
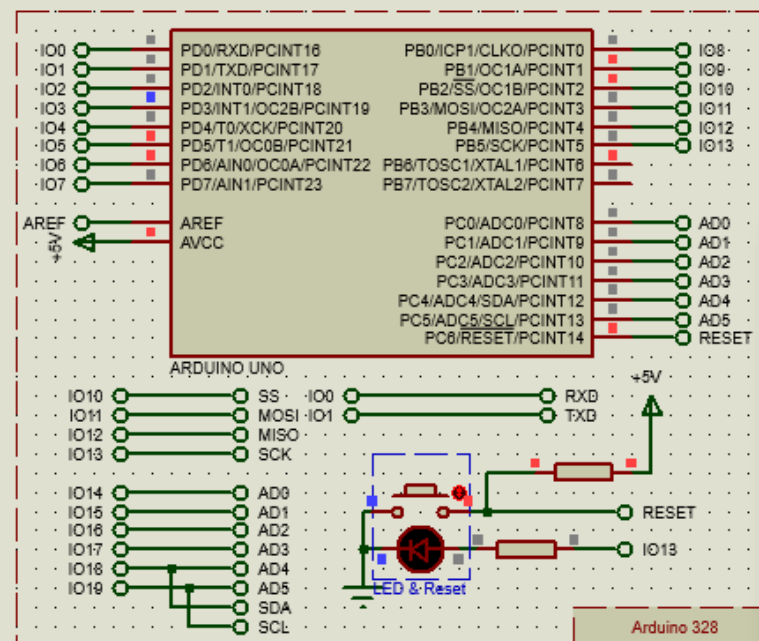
```
#define PWMPIN1 3
#define PWMPIN2 5
#define PWMPIN3 6
#define PWMPIN4 9
#define PWMPIN5 10
```

```
void setup()
{
    pinMode(PWMPIN1, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(PWMPIN2, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(PWMPIN3, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(PWMPIN4, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(PWMPIN5, OUTPUT);
}

void loop()
{
    analogWrite(PWMPIN1, 0);
    analogWrite(PWMPIN2, 64);
    analogWrite(PWMPIN3, 128);
    analogWrite(PWMPIN4, 192);
    analogWrite(PWMPIN5, 255);
}
```



Using Built-in PWM

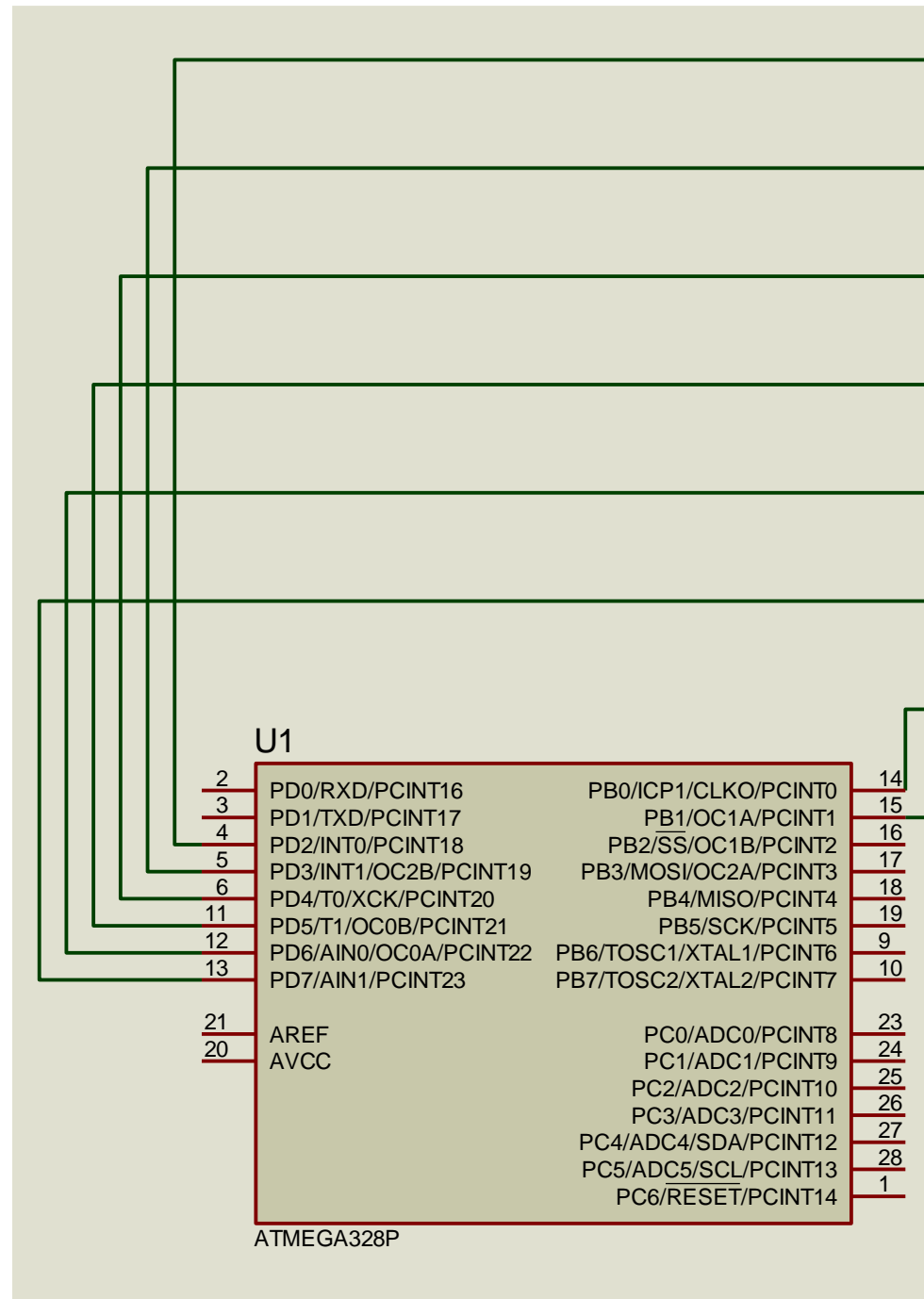


Producing Real Analog Signal

```
#define OP 2

void setup()
{
    for(int i=0;i<8;i++)
        pinMode(OP+i, OUTPUT);
}

float time = 0;
void loop()
{
    int value = 128 + 127 * sin(time);
    for(int i=0;i<8;i++)
    {
        digitalWrite(OP+i, value&0x1);
        value>>=1;
    }
    time += 0.01;
}
```



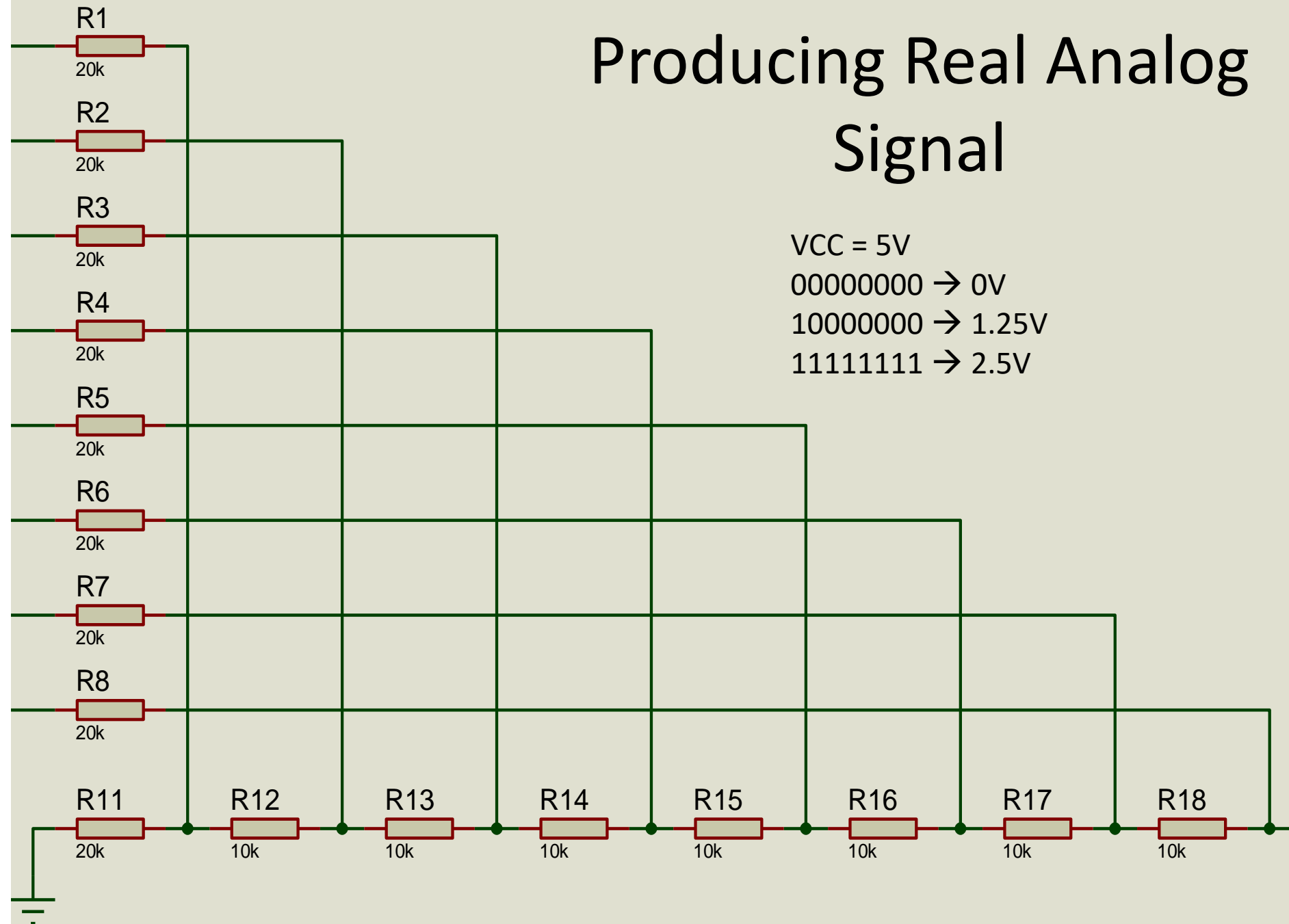
Producing Real Analog Signal

VCC = 5V

00000000 → 0V

10000000 → 1.25V

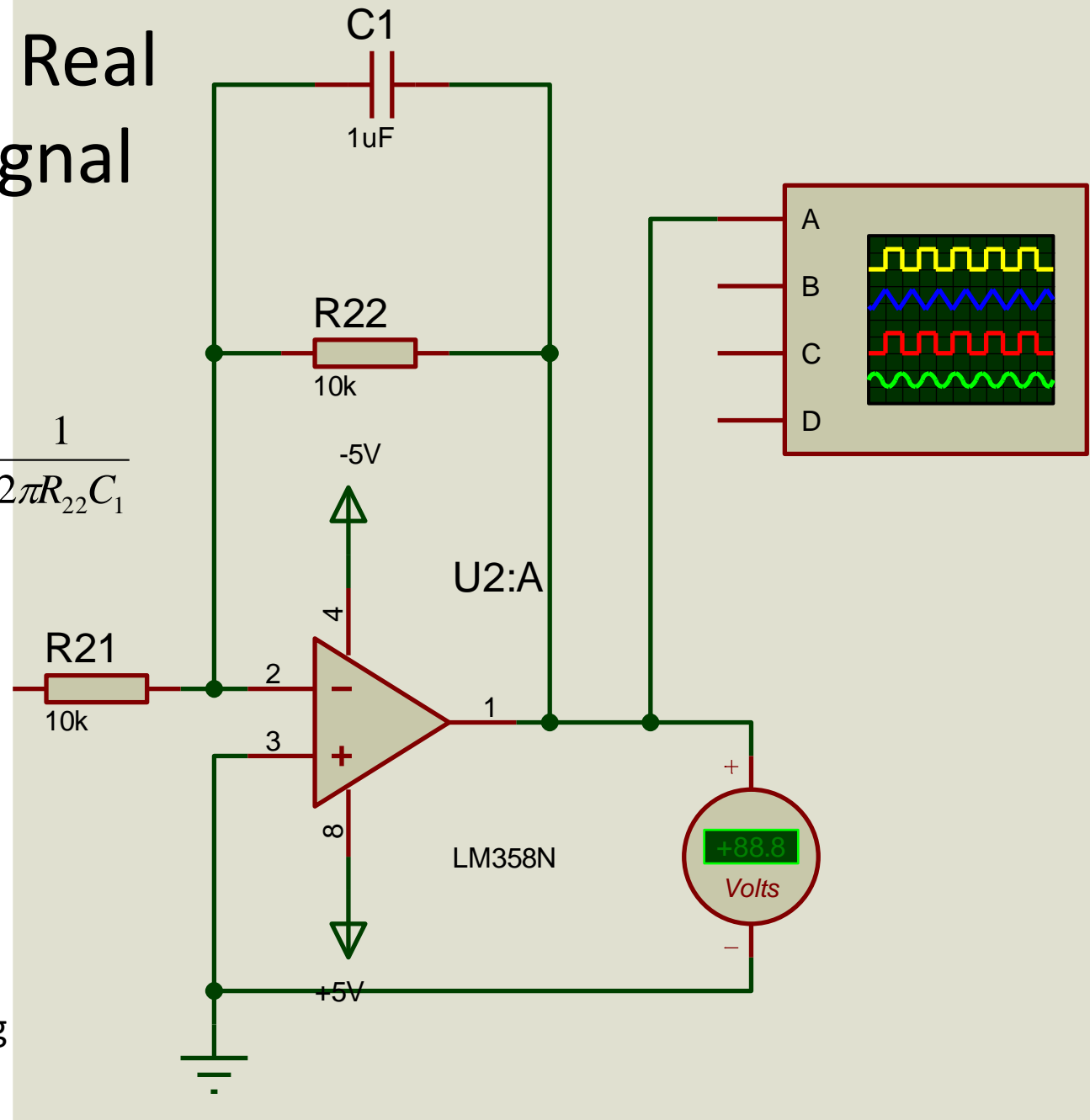
11111111 → 2.5V



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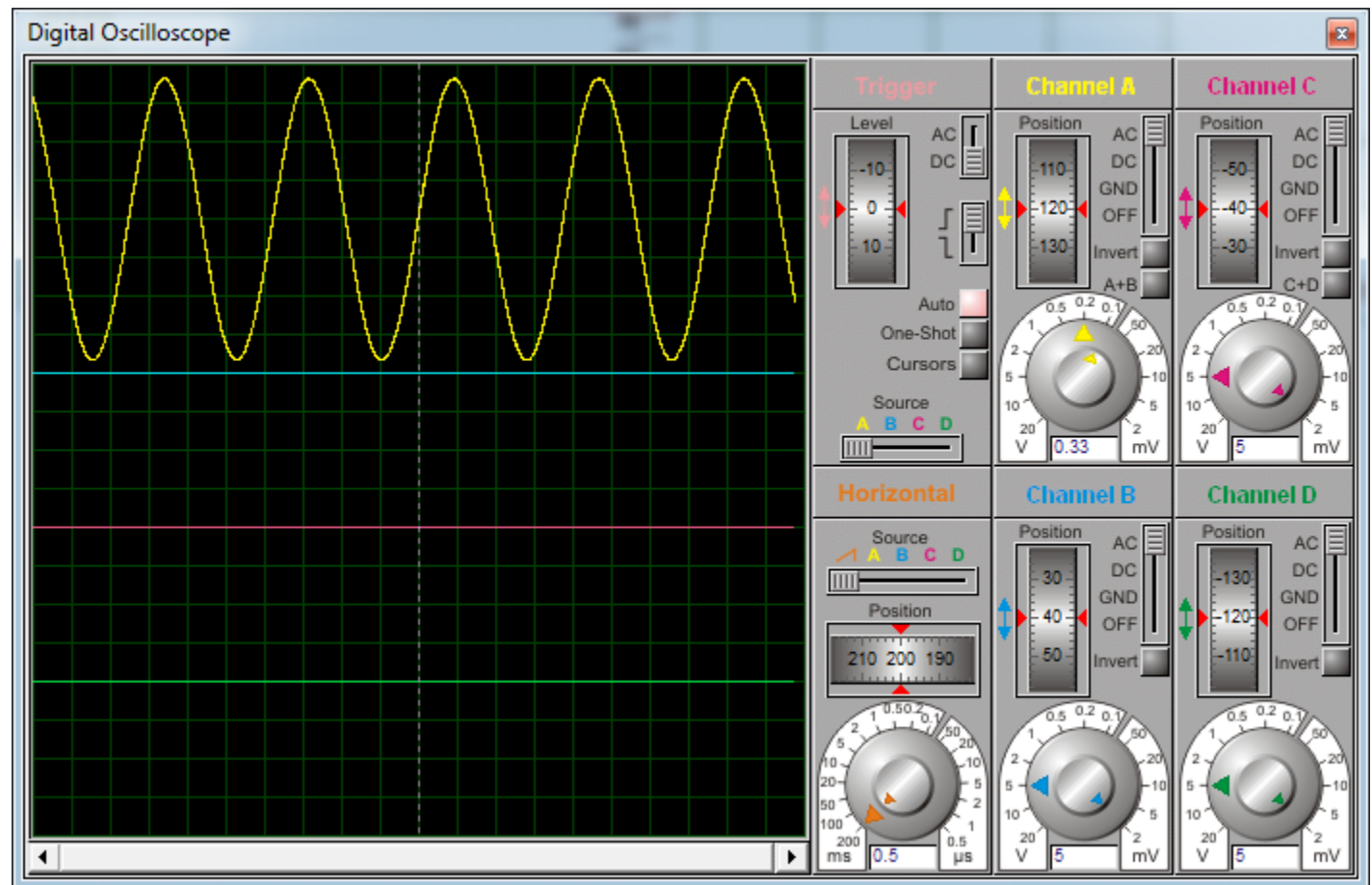
$$Gain = -\frac{R_{22}}{R_{21}}$$

$$Frequency_{\max} = \frac{1}{2\pi R_{22} C_1}$$



Enhancing the OP using
Low Pass Filter

Producing Real Analog Signal

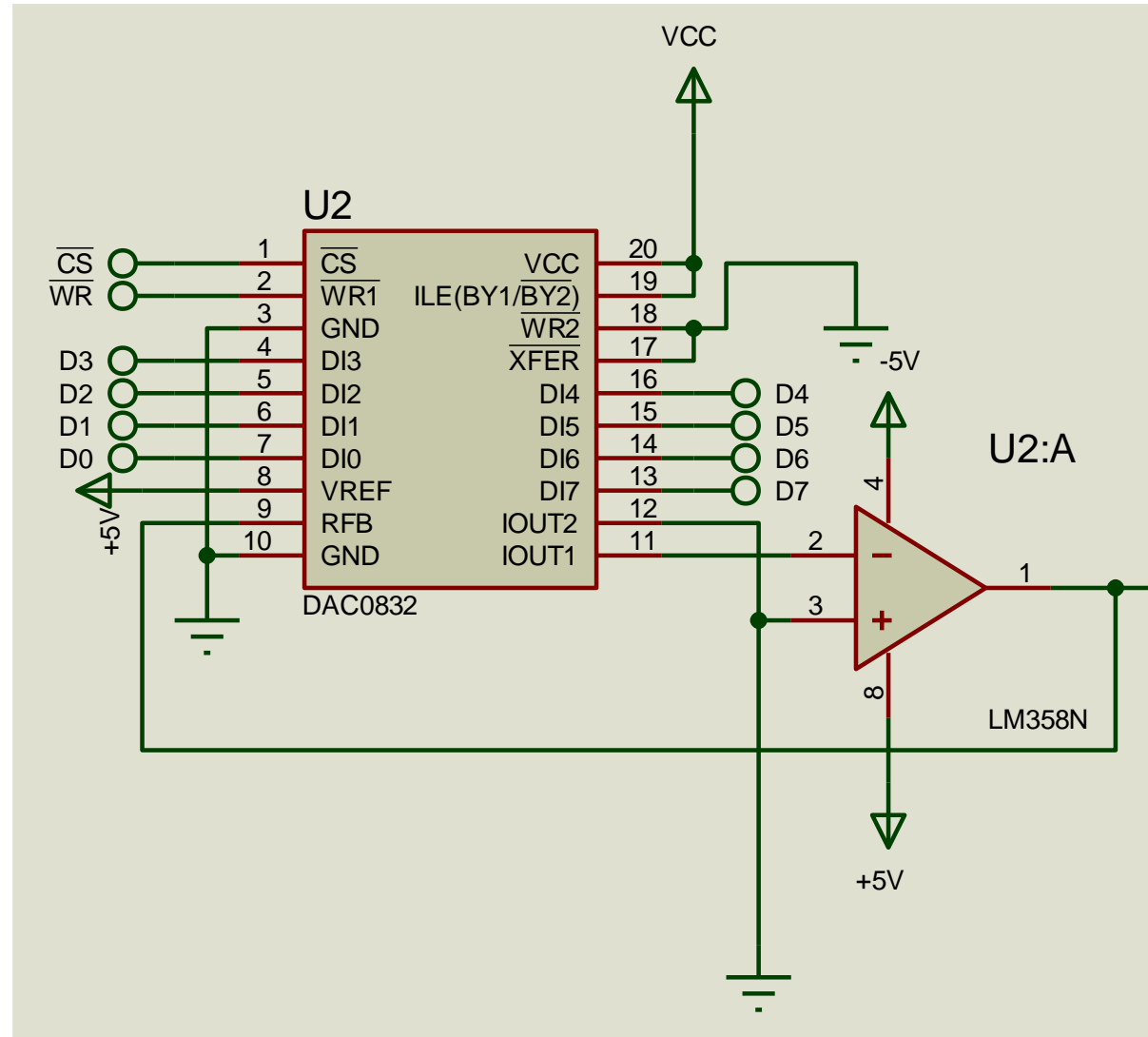


Producing Real Analog Signal using DAC

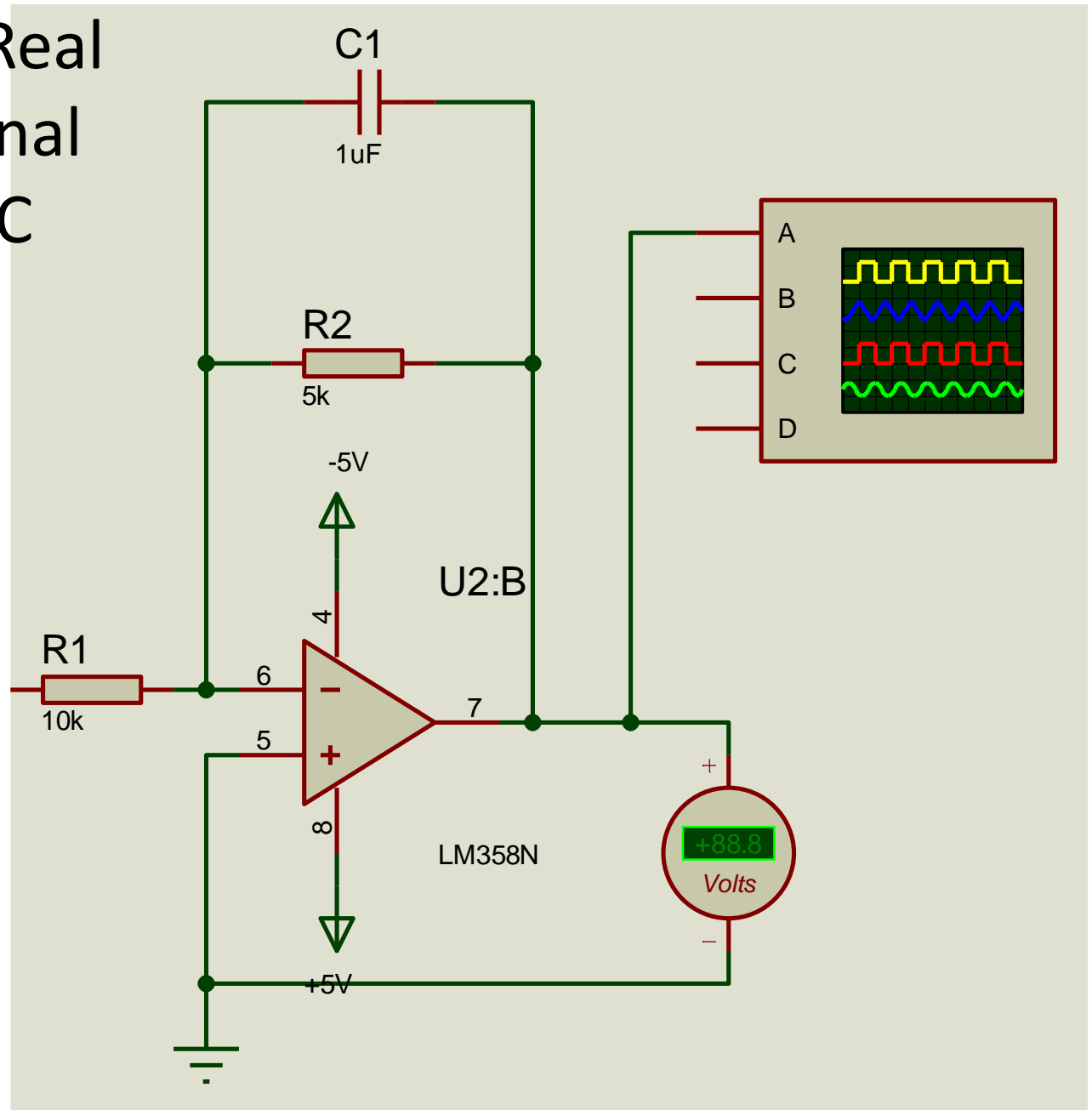
CS: Chip Select must be 1

WR: Write State must be 1 while writing

VREF: Equals the maximum output



Producing Real Analog Signal using DAC



Enhancing the OP using
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Producing Real Analog Signal using DAC

```
#define OP 2
#define CS 10
#define WR 11
```

```
void setup()
{
    for(int i=0;i<8;i++)
        pinMode(OP+i, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(CS, OUTPUT);
    pinMode(WR, OUTPUT);
    digitalWrite(CS, LOW);
}

float time = 0;
void loop()
{
    digitalWrite(WR, LOW);
    int value = 128 + 127 * sin(time);
    for(int i=0;i<8;i++)
    {
        digitalWrite(OP+i, value&0x1);
        value>>=1;
    }
    digitalWrite(WR, HIGH);
    time += 0.01;
}
```

