Experiment no: 03

Name of the experiment: Write a program to display ADC value in the virtual terminal using PIC microcontroller.

Objective(s):

(i) To design a circuit that display ADC value. virtual terminal.

(ii) To learn about the display of ~~value~~ ADC value in the virtual terminal.

Theory: The role of ADC connecton is to connect analog voltage value to digital values. The ADT connecton analog voltage to binary numbers. There binary number can be in different length 2, 4, 8, 10 bit. The more bits the binary number has, the higher the resolution of the A/D.

With two bits, we can only display a different option.

00	01	10	11

We can show the change from 3 to 5 watt with 4 levels

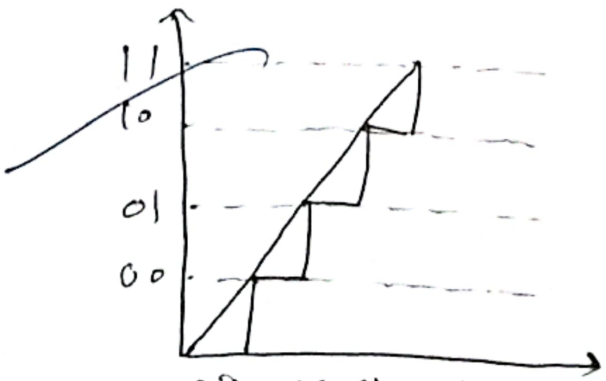

fig: Display of 4 levels.

We can see from fig: a volt is not close enough to the original analog input voltage value. Thus, we can say

that A/D with the binary number of two bit has a low resolution and there is a large gap between the real value ~~on~~ of the analog input value and the values represented by the A/D.

Now, let us consider that the voltage that supplies to the A/D converter is still ranges from to 5volt the A/D converter the input to a binary number of the bits.

With three bits we can get 8 different option

000	001	010	011	100	101	110	111

We can see the 8 bit in the following:

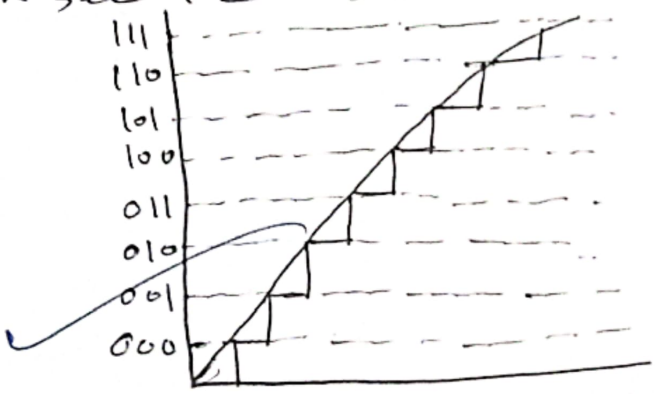

Fig: Display of 8 bits.

From fig, we can see that gap between the analog signal and the digital signal is smaller Compared to the previous graph.

Therefore we can see that A/D of the microcontroller with a longer amount of bits has a higher resolution A/D takes less time, then, the conversion tree of the high resolution A/D.

We can use the triangle method to calculate the binary representation of an analog input voltage For example, Let us calculate binary value representation on the analog input voltage of 3.65 voltage.

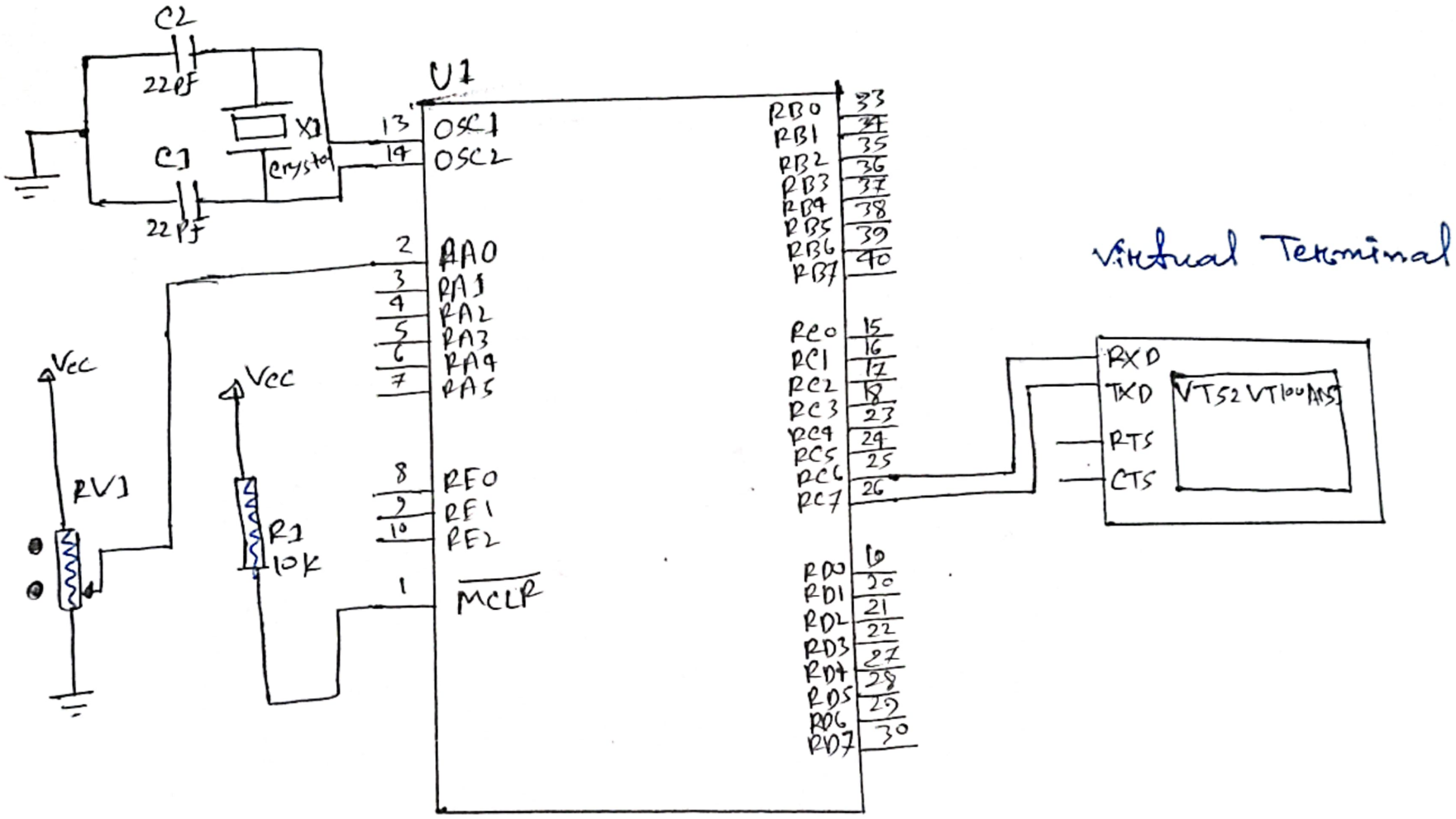

figure: Displaying ADC value in virtual terminal

Source code:

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int valADC;
char x[4];
Void main()
  {
   UART1.init(9600)
   ADC_init();
   while()
    {valADC = ADC_Read(0);
    in(Tostr(valADC,x);
    UART1_write Text("Analog value=");/Print
    UART1_write_Text(x)
    Strcpy(x,"");
    UART1_write(13);
    Delay_ms(1000)
    }
  }
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