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BEC ASSIGNMENT - C4 :-

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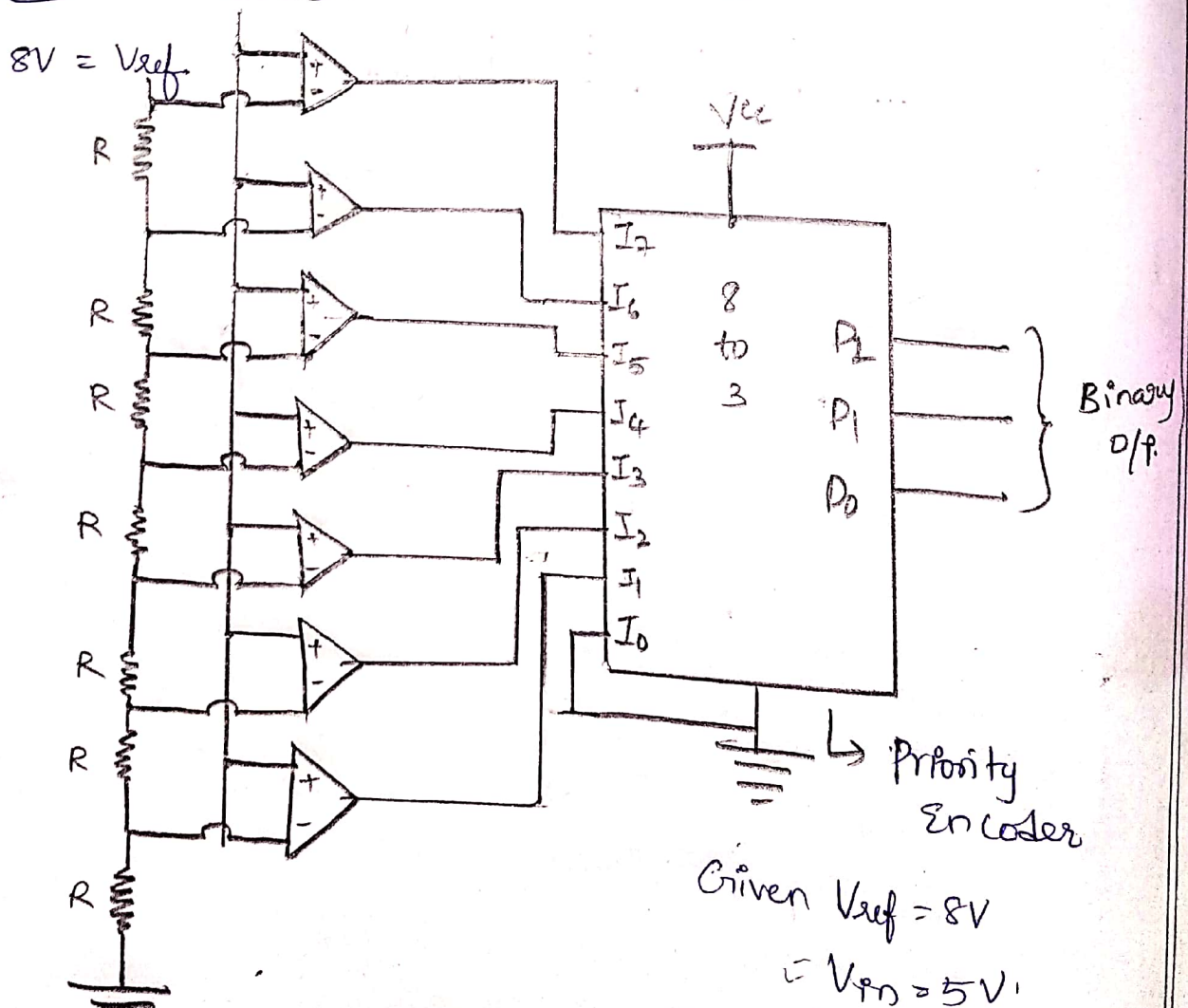
1) 8 to 3 parallel comparator circuit;
(Also called Flash ADC)

⇒ These are the fastest way to convert an analog signal to digital signal. But these are more expensive.

⇒ For any N bit $\Rightarrow 2^N - 1$ comparators are required

$$N=3 \Rightarrow 2^3 - 1 = 8 - 1 = 7 \text{ comparators}$$

Circuit :- $V_{in} = 5V$



Here, V_{ref} - Stable voltage.

If V_{in} exceeds $V_{ref} \Rightarrow$ the o/p will saturate to high state.

Truth Table

I_7	I_6	I_5	I_4	I_3	I_2	I_1	I_0	D_2	D_1	D_0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1
0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0
0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

2) Operation of DAC using Binary weighted resistors with 4 bit input

1) DAC converts digital quantity into analog quantity.

2) There are several ways to make a DAC.

3) Binary weighted resistor is one of them.

For a 4-bit

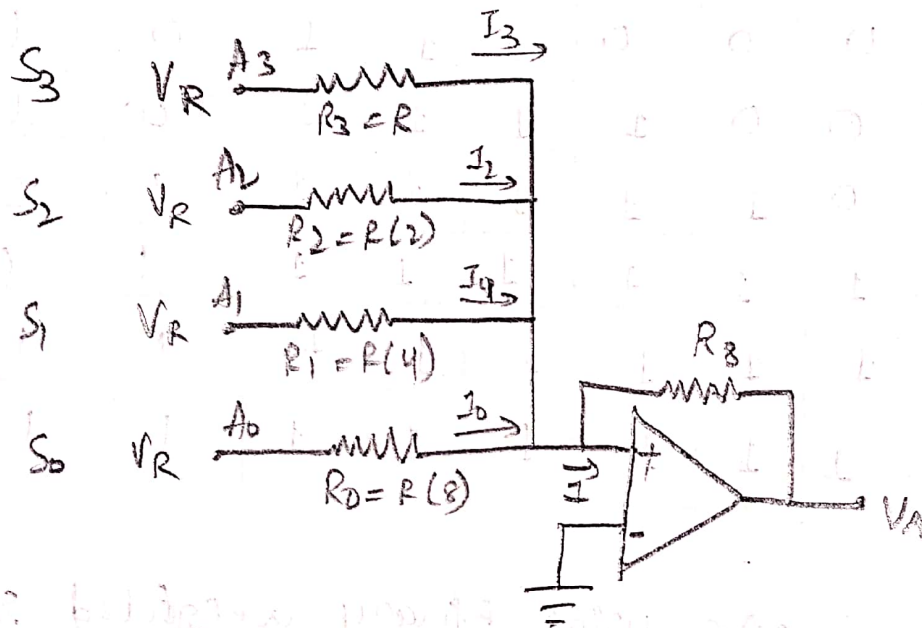
i) 4 switches. One for each bit applied to the input.

ii) A weighted resistor ladder network, where the resistance are inversely proportional to

the numerical significance of the corresponding binary digital.

iii) A summing amplifier that adds the current flowing in the resistive network to develop a signal that is proportional to digital input.

→ circuit :



S_0, S_1, S_2, S_3 - states (high or low) of each bit.

Total current $I = I_0 + I_1 + I_2 + I_3$.

Advantages :

- 1) It is simple in construction.
- 2) It provides fast conversion.

Disadvantages :

- 1) It can be expensive. Hence, resolution is limited to 8-bit size.
- 2) Requires low switch resistances in transistors.
- 3) This type requires large range of resistors with necessary high precision for low resistors.

Given, $R_0 = 8R$, $R_1 = 4R$, $R_2 = 2R$, $R_3 = R$
 (multiples of '2') (\therefore Binary weighted)

General form of R ,

$$R_k = 2^{N-1} \frac{R}{2^k}$$

$N \rightarrow$ No. of bits

$k \rightarrow$ proportionality to the ref. voltage.

$$\boxed{R_k = 2^3 \frac{R}{2^k}} \quad 4\text{-bits}$$

\rightarrow Output Voltage (V_A) \rightarrow for 4 bit input $S_3 S_2 S_1 S_0$

$$V_A \propto [(S_3 \times 2^3) + (S_2 \times 2^2) + (S_1 \times 2^1) + (S_0 \times 2^0)]$$

$$V_A = k [(S_3 \times 2^3) + (S_2 \times 2^2) + (S_1 \times 2^1) + (S_0 \times 2^0)]$$

$$\text{Finally, } \boxed{V_A = k \sum_0^{N-1} S_k 2^k}$$

The states of k -bit, i.e., $S_k = 1$, then, R_k gets connected to V_R else it gets connected to gnd.

$$I_k = \frac{V(A_k) - 0}{R_k} = \frac{V_R}{R_k}$$

$$I = \frac{V_R}{2^{N-1} R} \sum_0^{N-1} S_k \times 2^k \quad \left[\because R_k = \frac{2^{N-1} R}{2^k} \right]$$

$$4\text{ bit} \Rightarrow I = \frac{V_R}{2^3 R} \sum_0^3 S_k \times 2^k$$

$$= \frac{V_R}{8R} (S_0 \times 2^0 + S_1 \times 2^1 + S_2 \times 2^2 + S_3 \times 2^3)$$

$$V_0 = -R_f I$$

$$\left[V_0 = -V_R \left(\frac{R_f}{8R} \right) (S_0 + 2S_1 + 4S_2 + 8S_3) \right]$$

S_3	S_2	S_1	S_0	V_o
0	0	0	0	$-\frac{V_R}{8R} (R_f)(0) = 0$
1	1	1	1	$-\frac{V_R}{8R} (R_f) (1+2+4+8)$

Example

$$V_{out} = -R_f I = -V_R \frac{R_f}{2^{N-1}R} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} S_k \times 2^k$$

4-bit \Rightarrow

$$V_{out} = -\frac{V_R R_f}{8R} \sum_{k=0}^3 S_k \times 2^k$$