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**SiPM, Preamp, DAQ**

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# Why Electronics?

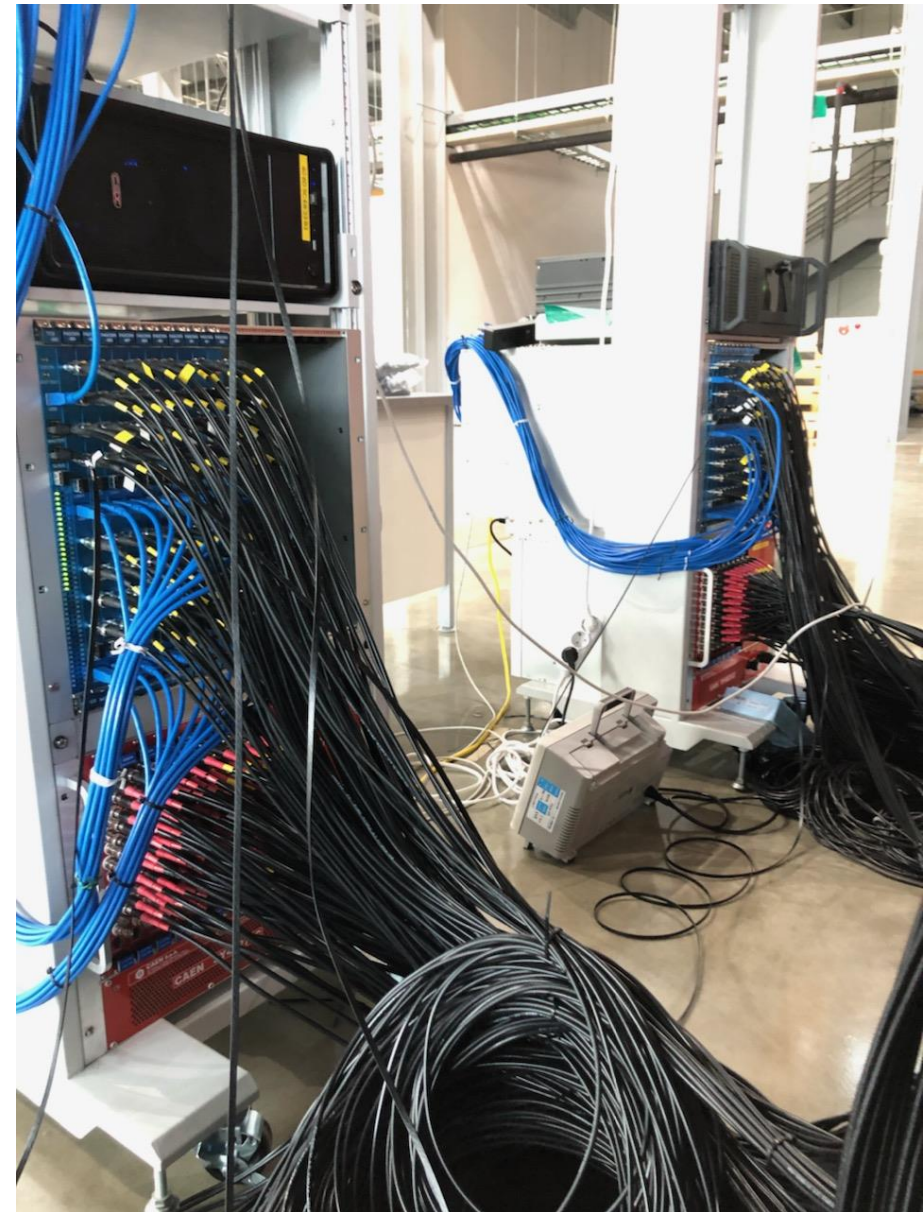
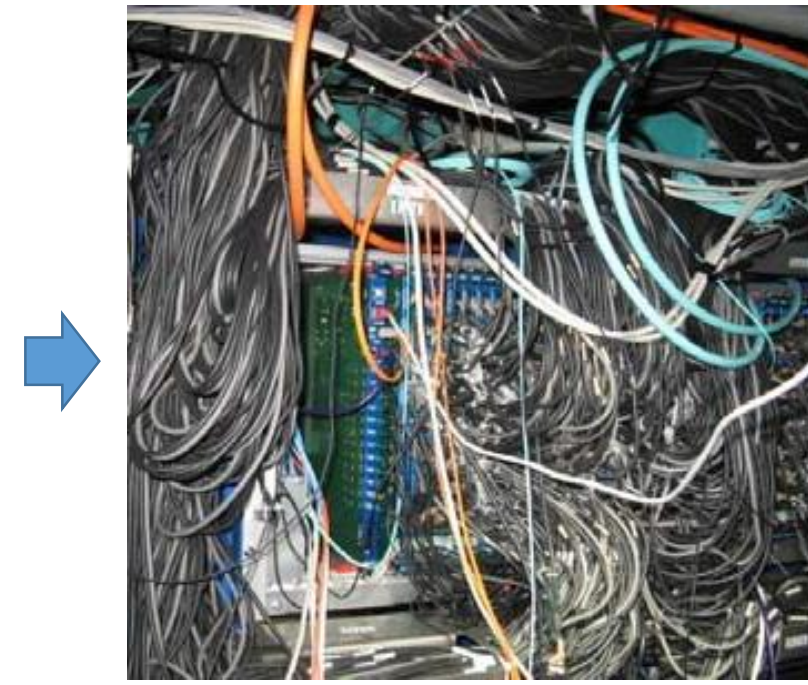
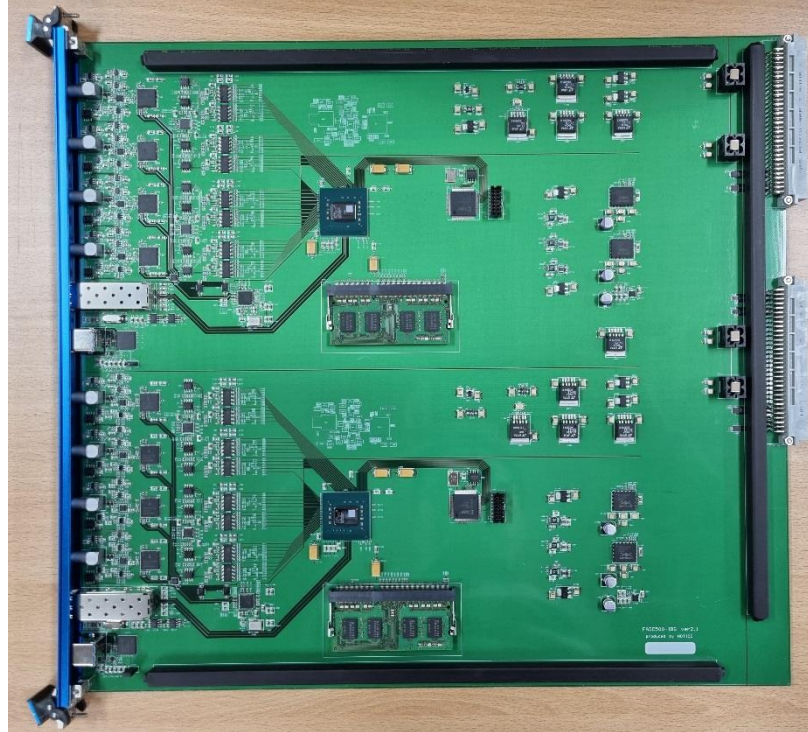
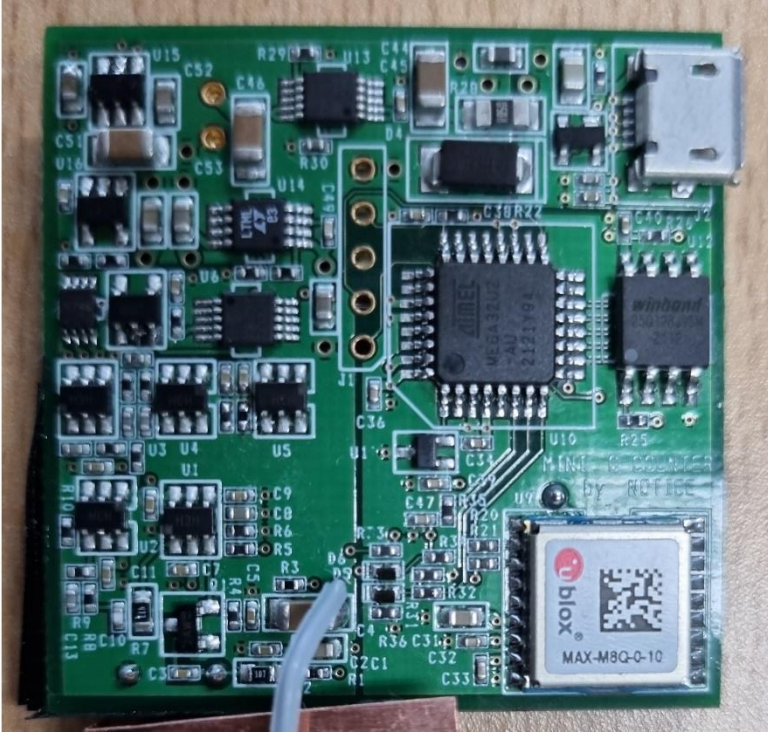
Detector + Electronics + Analysis = Experiment

Detector + Electronics + X = Development

X + Electronics + Analysis = Not Bad?

Detector + X + Analysis = ????



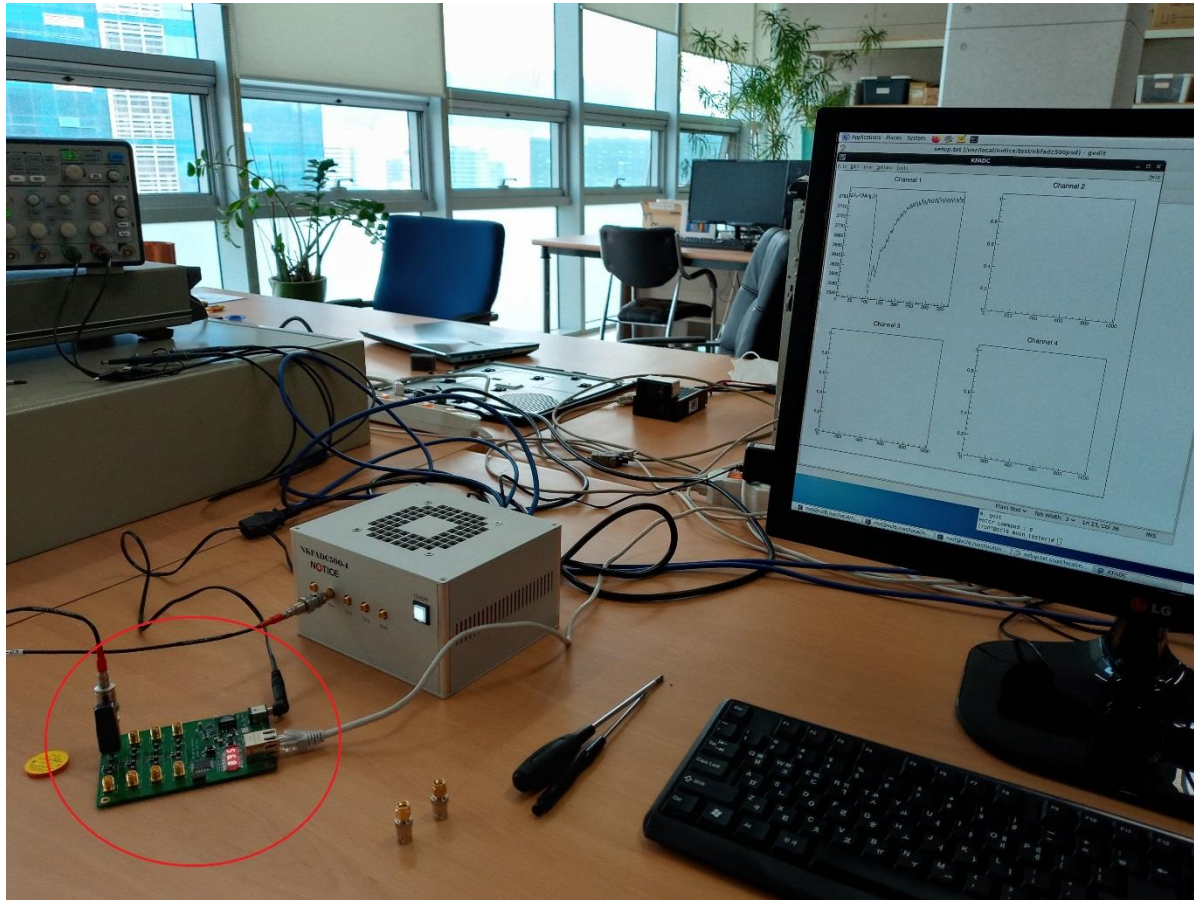




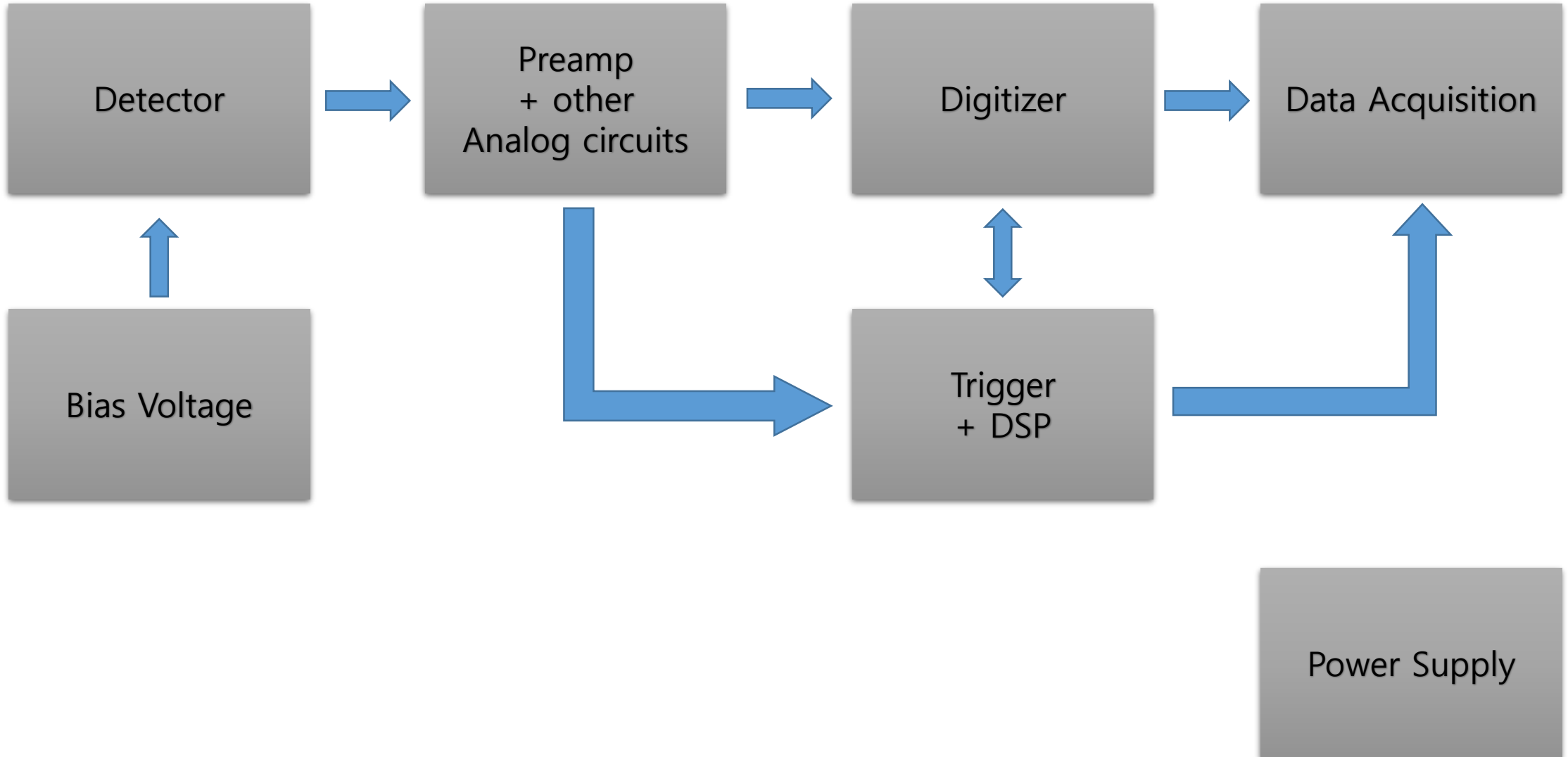
We will see :

1. What electronics are used?
2. How they work?
3. How to make them?
- ~~4. Where to sell?~~

# Goal :



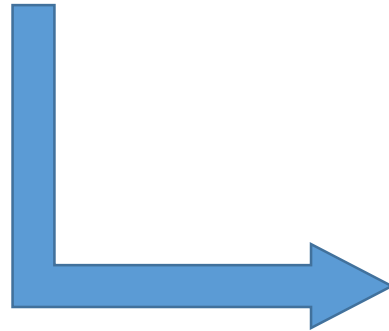
# Electronics for High energy or Nuclear physics experiment



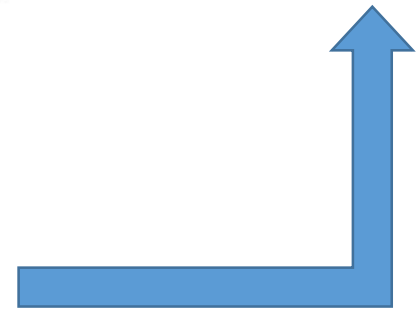
# Frequently used example



50 ohm input impedance



Oscilloscope level trigger



# Signal from some detectors



PMT, SiPM... : gain  $\sim 10^6$   
->  $\sim 10^{10}$  electrons/MeV  
=  $\sim$  nC/MeV



Wire chamber, GEM... : gain  $\sim 10^{2\sim 3}$   
->  $\sim 10^{6\sim 7}$  electrons/MeV  
=  $\sim$  pC/MeV



Photodiode, Ion chamber... : gain  $\sim 1$   
->  $\sim 10^{3\sim 5}$  electrons/MeV  
=  $\sim$  fC/MeV



# How to measure signal



Typical detector's capacitance  
= 10 ~ 1000 pF  
and  $V = Q/C$



$\sim \text{nC}/100 \text{ pF}/\text{MeV} = \sim \text{V}/\text{MeV}$  (OK)

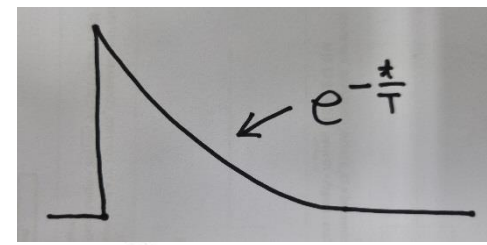


$\sim \text{pC}/100 \text{ pF}/\text{MeV} = \sim \text{mV}/\text{MeV}$  (?)

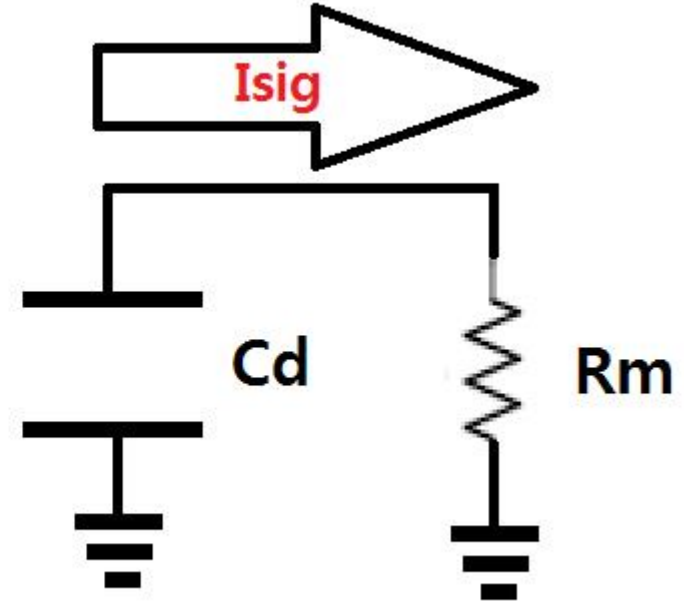


$\sim \text{fC}/100 \text{ pF}/\text{MeV} = \sim \text{uV}/\text{MeV}$  (X)

What we measure actually? Charge? Current?



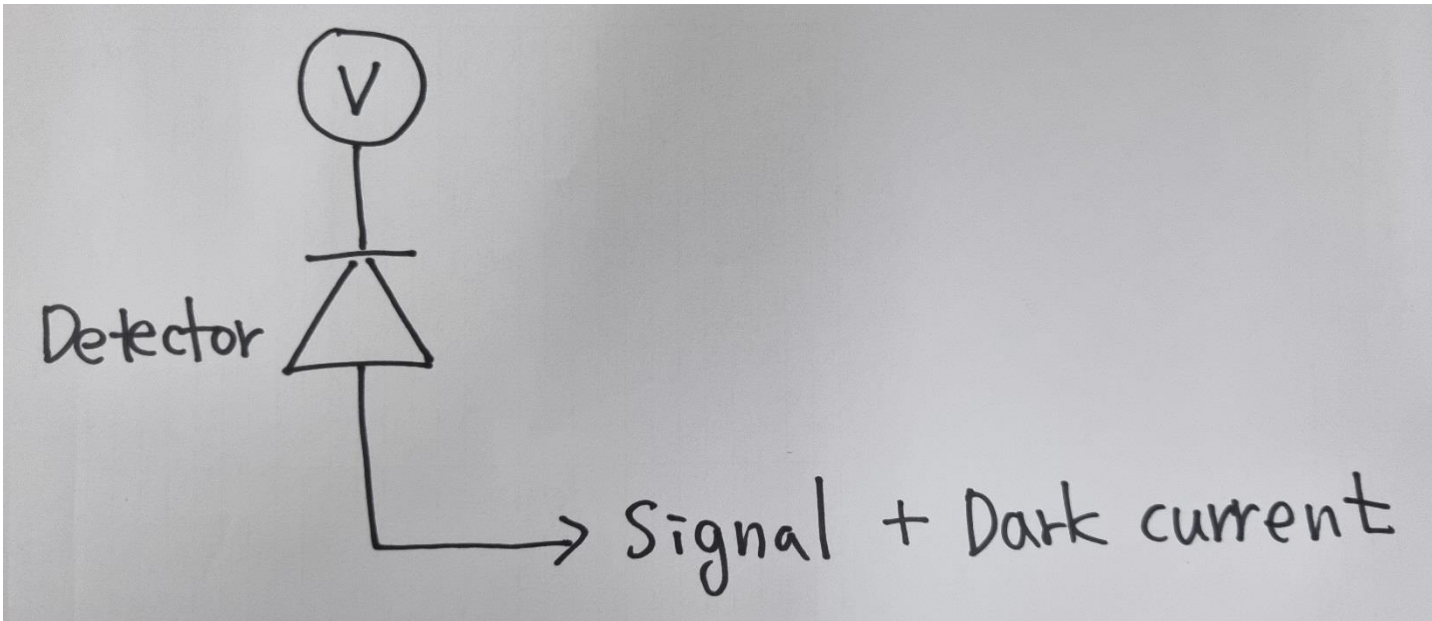
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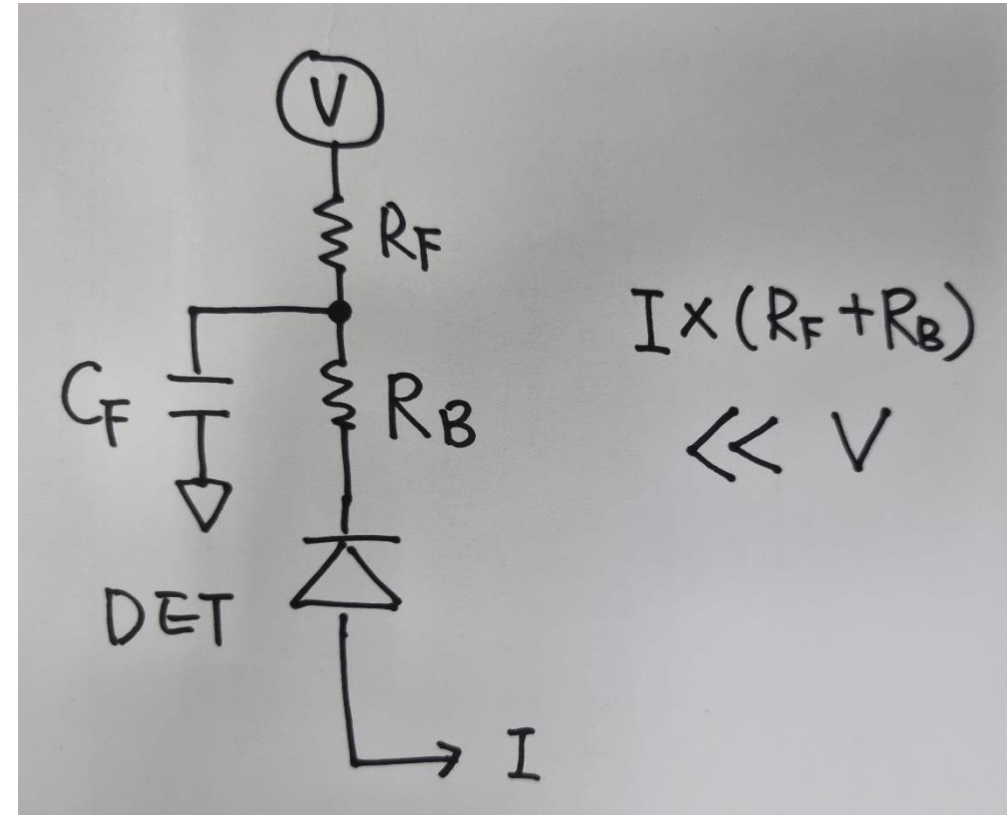
When  $I_{det}$  (detector current) is very fast,  
 $I_{sig} = Q_{det} \times \exp(-t/T)$  where  $T = C_d \times R_m = 100 \text{ pF} \times 10 \text{ Mohm}$   
 $= \sim \text{ms} \rightarrow \text{very long!}$

Detector signal :

Where it comes from? = Bias Voltage Source (few  $\sim$  10,000 V)



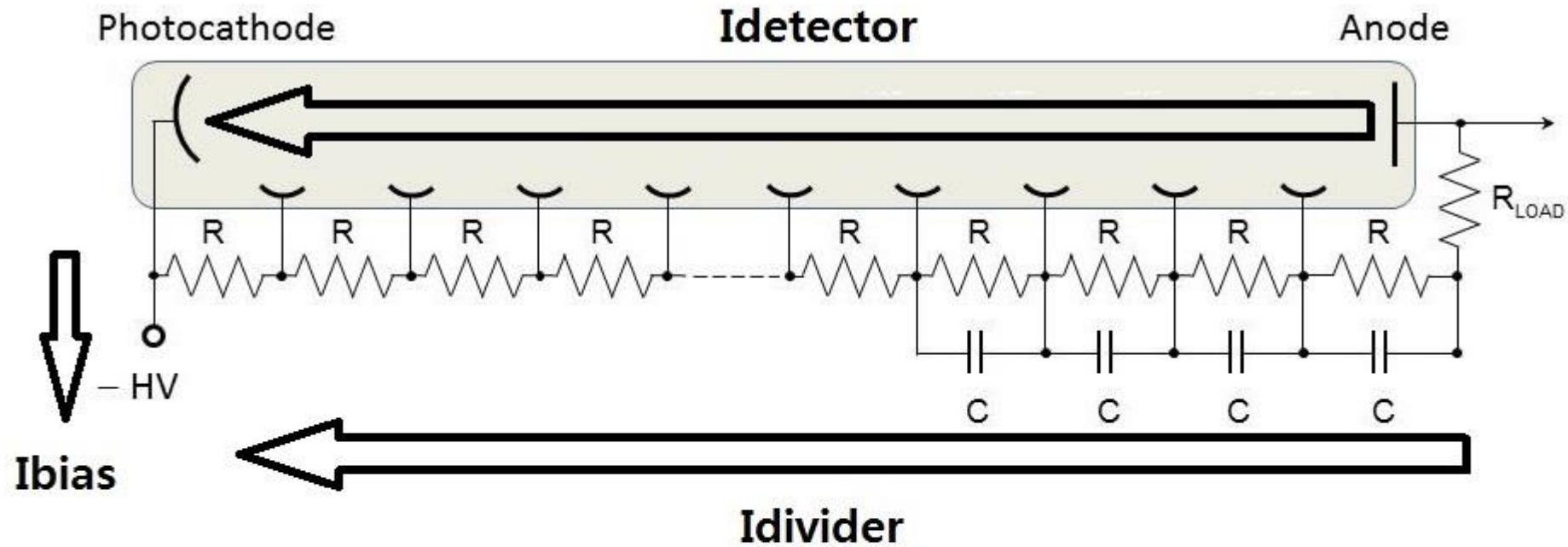
$$I_{\text{bias(max)}} > I_{\text{sig}} + I_{\text{dark}}$$
$$I_{\text{sig}} = \text{Signal} \times \text{Count rate}$$



Bias Filter



# PMT example



$$I_{bias} = I_{detector} + I_{divider}$$

$$Q_{detector} = \int I_{detector} dt$$

Usually  $I_{divider} \gg \underline{I_{detector}}$  (100 times or greater)

# Bias voltage supplier should supply



If count rate =  $\sim 100$  kcps (when no Dark current)

PMT :  $nC \times 100$  kcps  $\times$  (10  $\sim$  100 : Divider)  
= 10  $\mu A$   $\rightarrow$  1 mA @ a few kV  $\rightarrow$  W



SiPM :  $nC \times 100$  kcps  
= 10  $\mu A$  @ 20  $\sim$  60 V  $\rightarrow$  mW



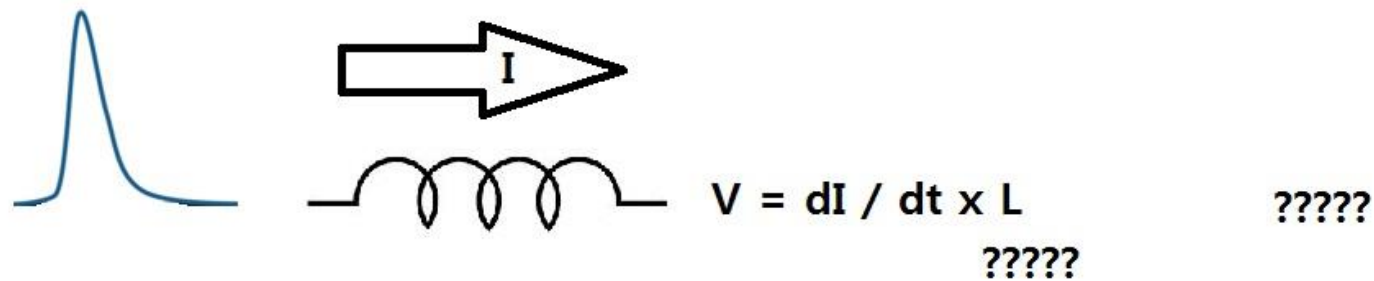
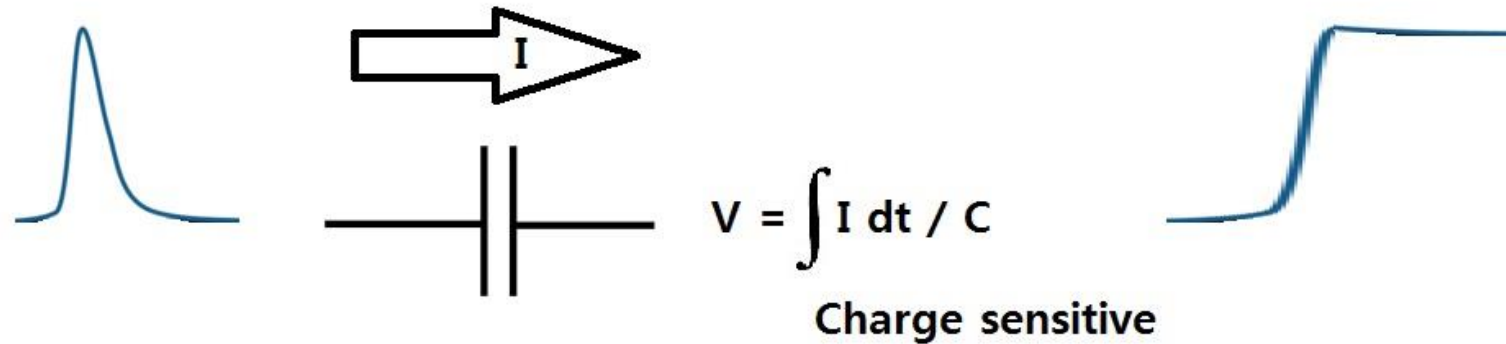
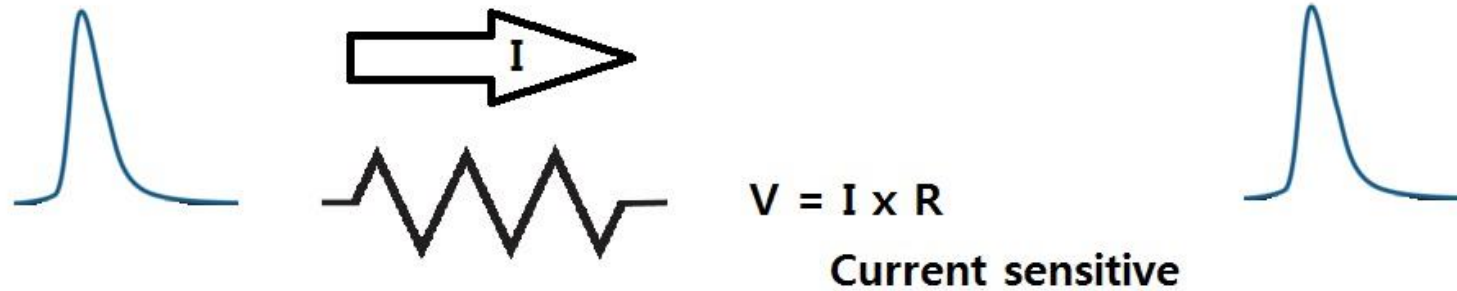
Wire chamber, GEM... :  $pC \times 100$  kcps  
= 0.1  $\mu A$  @ kV  $\rightarrow$  mW



Photodiode, Ion chamber... :  $fC \times 100$  kcps  
=  $\sim 1$  nA @ a few  $\sim$  kV  $\rightarrow$   $\mu W$

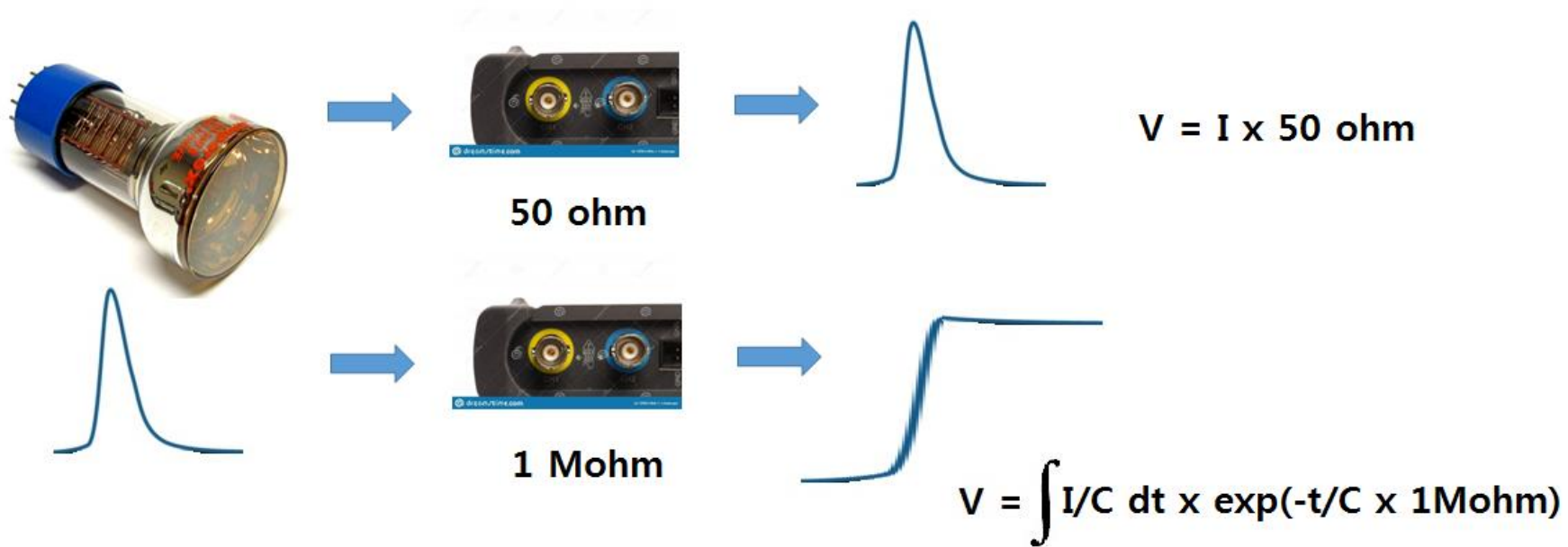
First thing to do :

Preamplifier converts  $I_{det}$  to Voltage signal.





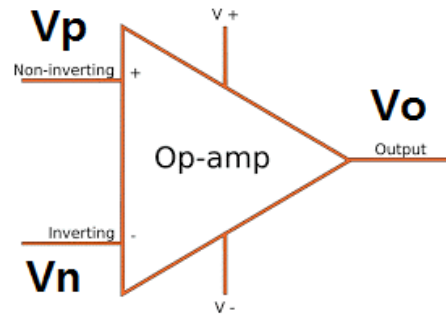
Take a look at PMT oscilloscope shot again



What happens if detector response is very short?

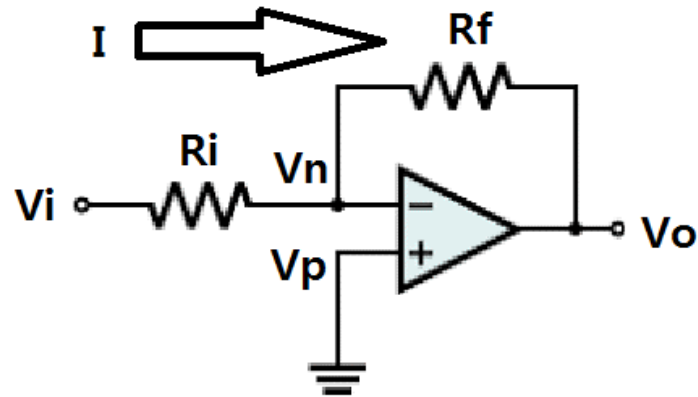


# OpAmp basics



$$V_o = A \times (V_p - V_n)$$

where  $A$  is very large



$$V_p = 0$$

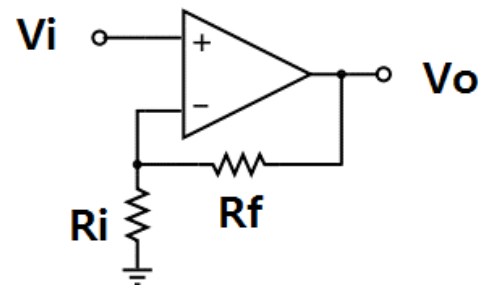
$$V_n = V_i - R_i \times I$$

$$V_o = V_n - R_f \times I$$

$$= A \times (V_p - V_n)$$

$$V_o = -V_i \times \frac{R_f}{R_i} \times \frac{1}{1 + [(1 + R_f/R_i) / A]}$$

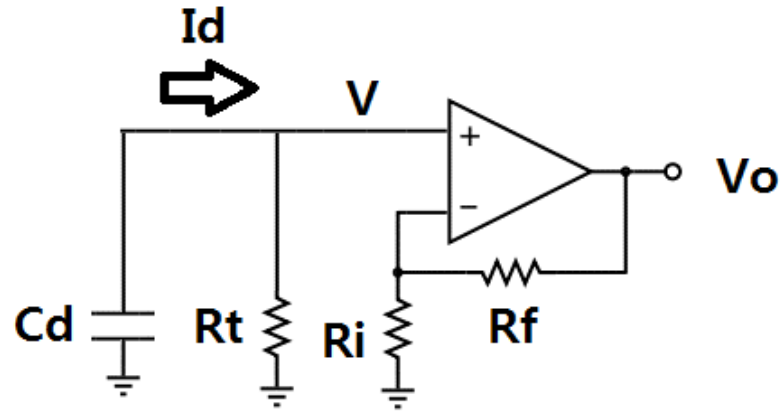
$$= -V_i \times R_f/R_i$$



Similarly,

$$V_o = V_i \times (1 + R_f/R_i)$$

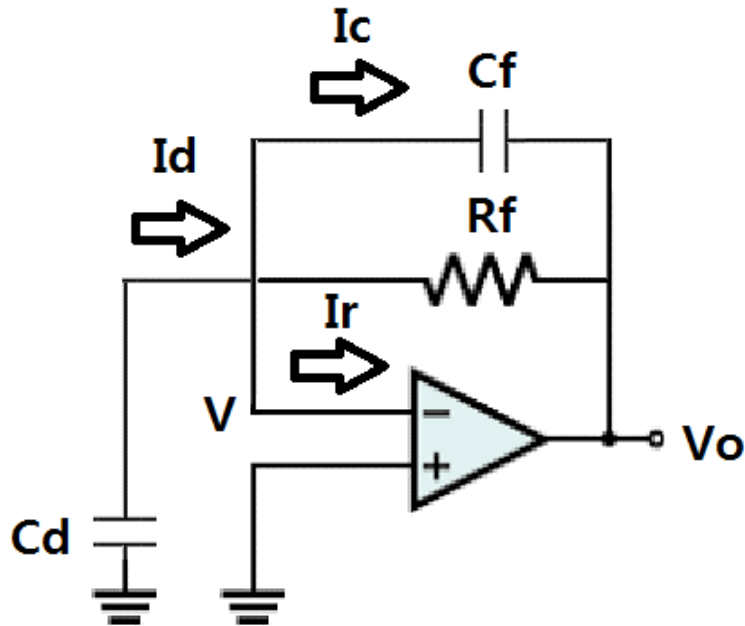
# Current Sensitive Preamp



$$V = Qd / Cd = Id \times Rt = -dQd/dt \times Rt$$

$$Qd = Q \times \exp(-t/Rt \times Cd)$$

$$Vo = (1 + Rf/Ri) \times Q/Cd \times \exp(-t/Rt \times Cd)$$



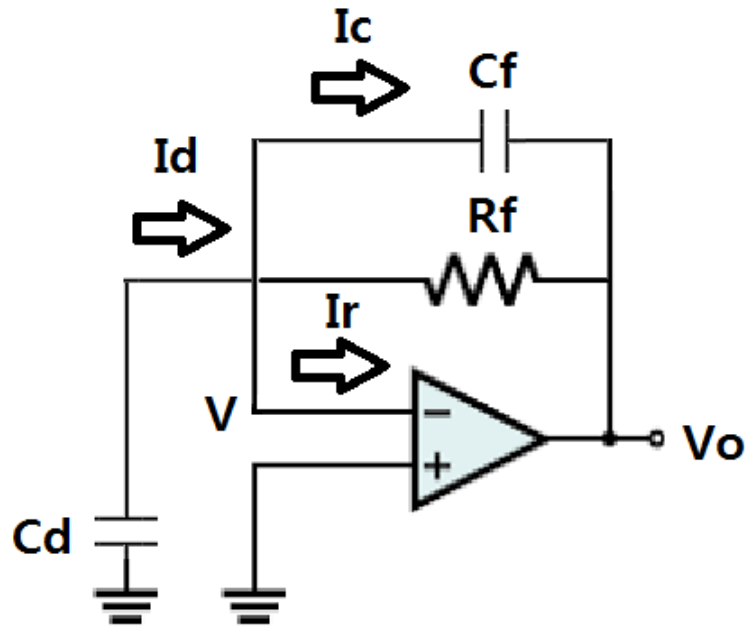
$$\text{If } Ir \gg Ic, Ir = Id$$

$$V - Vo = -Vo = Ir \times Rf$$

$$Vo = -Id \times Rf$$



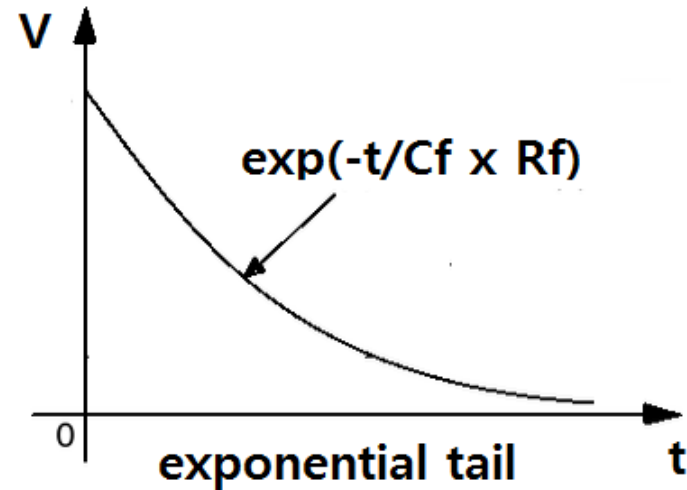
# Charge Sensitive Preamp



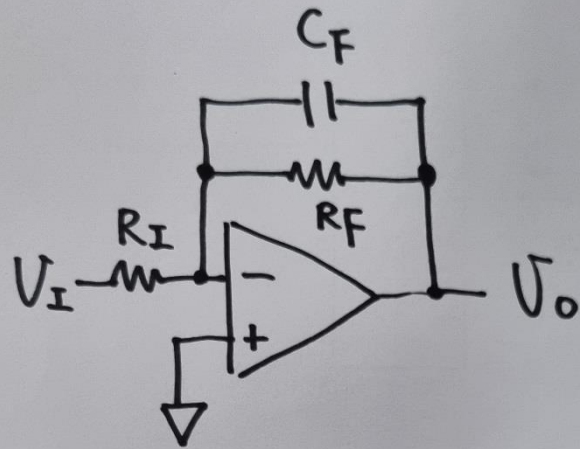
If  $I_c \gg I_r$ ,  $I_c = I_d$

$$V - V_0 = -V = \int I_r dt \times 1/C_f$$

$$V_o = -1/C_f \times \int I_d dt = -Q_d/C_f$$



Filter : Modify preamplifier pulse to better shape for later stage



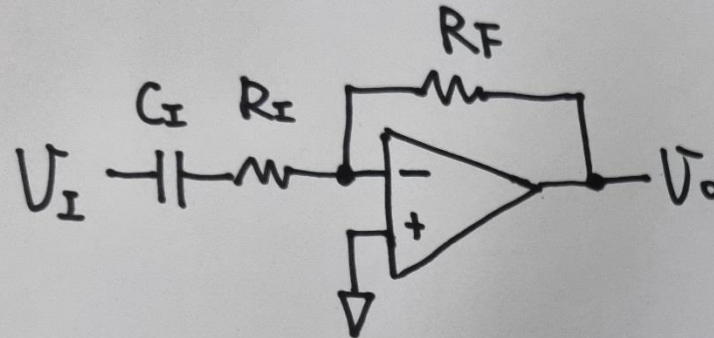
$$V_O = - \frac{Z_F}{R_I} V_I$$

$$Z_F = C_F \parallel R_F = \frac{R_F}{1 + 2\pi f R_F C_F}$$

$$V_O = - \frac{R_F}{R_I} \times \frac{1}{1 + 2\pi f R_F C_F} V_I$$

$$V_O = - \frac{1}{2} V_I \text{ when } f = \frac{1}{2\pi R_F C_F}$$

Low Pass Filter



$$V_O = - \frac{R_F}{Z_I} V_I$$

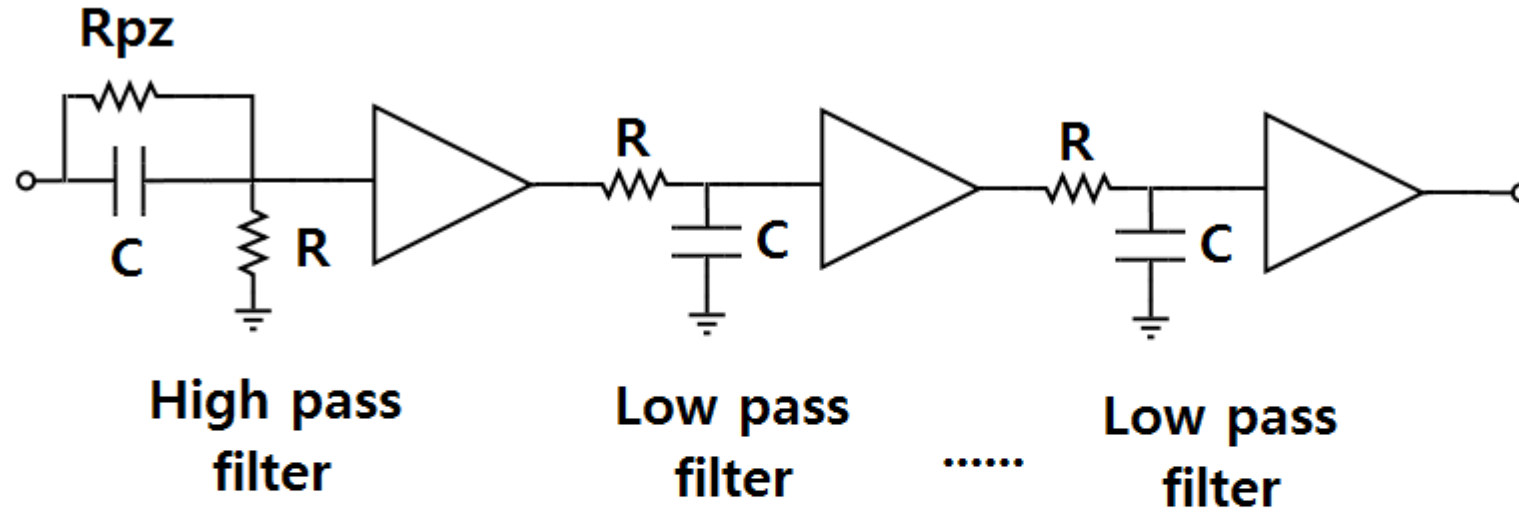
$$Z_I = \frac{1}{2\pi f C_I} + R_I = \frac{1 + 2\pi f R_I C_I}{2\pi f C_I}$$

$$V_O = - \frac{R_F}{R_I} \times \frac{2\pi f R_I C_I}{1 + 2\pi f R_I C_I}$$

$$V_O = - \frac{1}{2} V_I \text{ when } f = \frac{1}{2\pi R_I C_I}$$

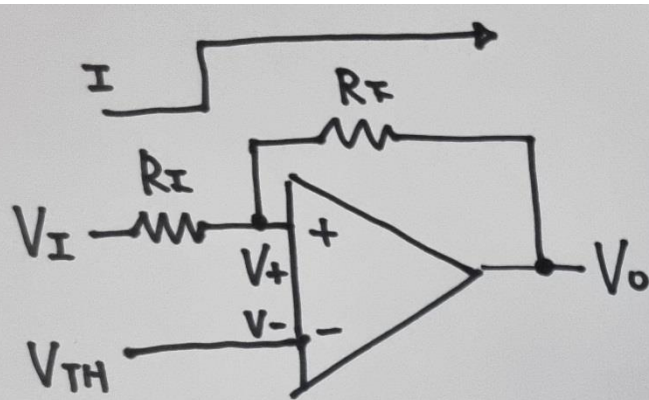
High Pass Filter

# Example of Shaping Amplifier : next to Charge sensitive preamplifier





# Voltage Comparator



$$V_I - V_+ = I \times R_I$$

$$V_+ - V_O = I \times R_F$$

$$V_I = \left(1 + \frac{R_I}{R_F}\right) V_+ - \frac{R_I}{R_F} V_O$$

$$\approx V_+ - \frac{R_I}{R_F} V_O \quad (R_F \gg R_I)$$

~~$$V_I - V_{TH} = I \times R_I$$~~

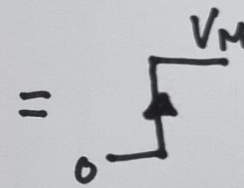
~~$$V_{TH} - V_O = I \times R_F$$~~

~~$$V_O = -\frac{R_F}{R_I} V_I + \left(1 + \frac{R_F}{R_I}\right) V_{TH}$$~~

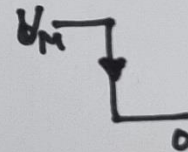


$$\therefore V_- = V_{TH} \neq V_+$$

$$V_O = \begin{cases} V_M & \text{when } V_+ > V_{TH} \\ 0 & \text{when } V_+ < V_{TH} \end{cases}$$



when  $V_I > V_{TH}$

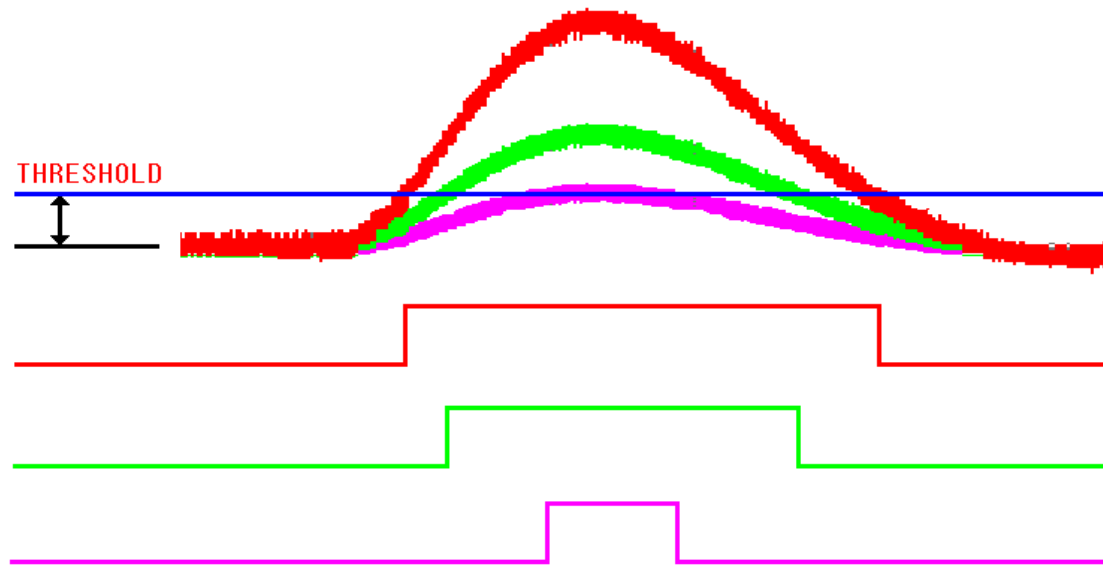


when  $V_I < V_{TH}$   $-\frac{R_I}{R_F} V_M$

Hysteresis

# Discriminator

1. To discriminate noise
2. To get pulse timing

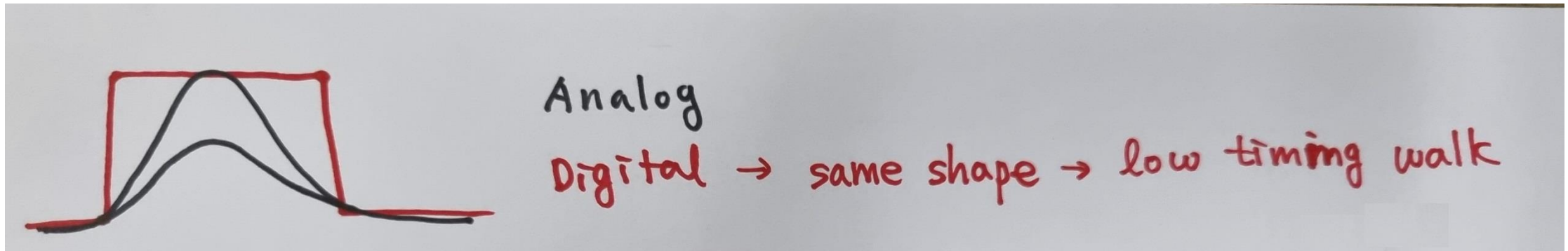


## Leading edge discriminator

1. Simple
2. Large time walk



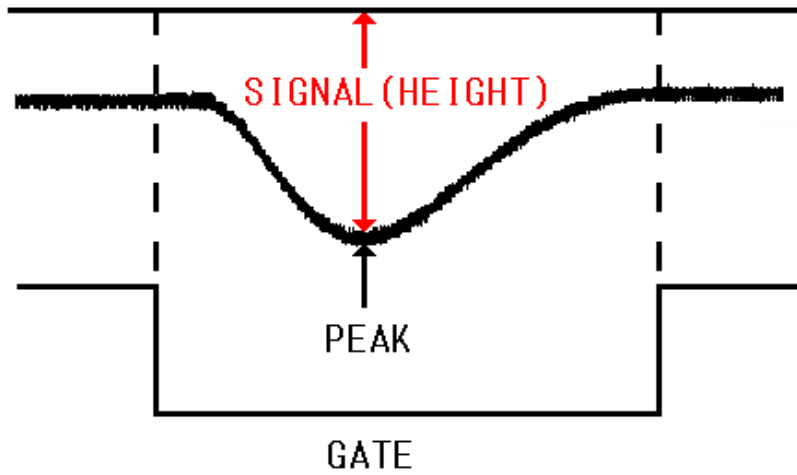
# Logic(or Digital) Signal



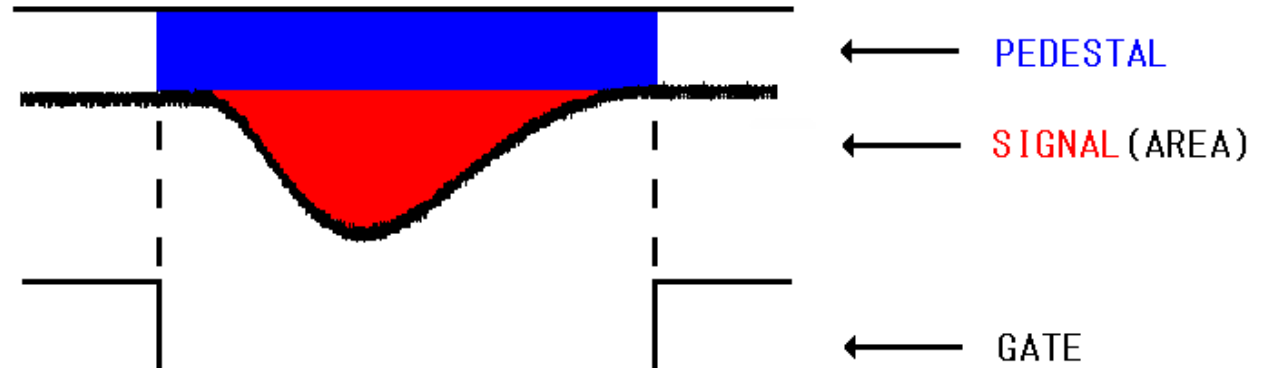
	Type	Low (0)	High (1)
TTL/LVTTL	Single ended	$< 0.8 \text{ V}$	$> 2.0 \text{ V}$
NIM(slow)	Single ended	$< 1.5 \text{ V}$	$> 3.0 \text{ V}$
NIM(fast)	Single ended	$> -200 \text{ mV}(-4 \text{ mA})$	$< -600 \text{ mV}(-12 \text{ mA})$
ECL	Differential	$< -1.48 \text{ V}$	$> -0.81 \text{ V}$
LVDS	Differential	$< 1.0 \text{ V}$	$> 1.4 \text{ V}$



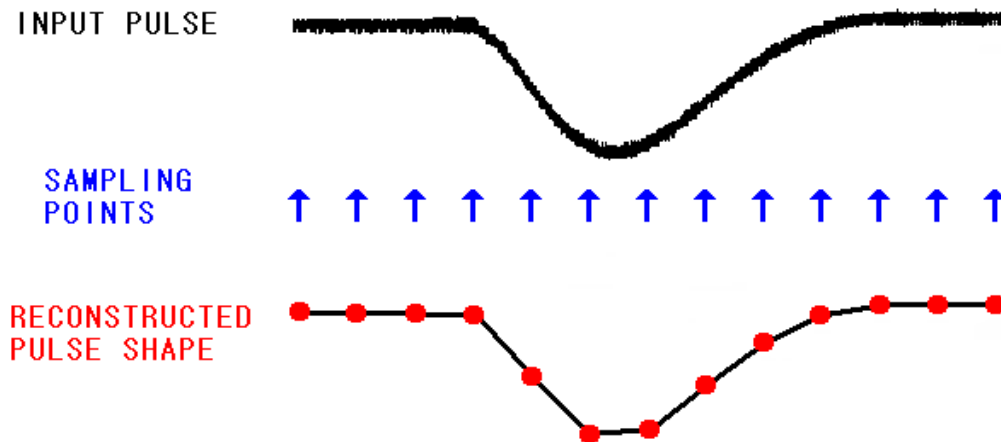
# Analog to Digital Converter(ADC)



Peak sensing ADC

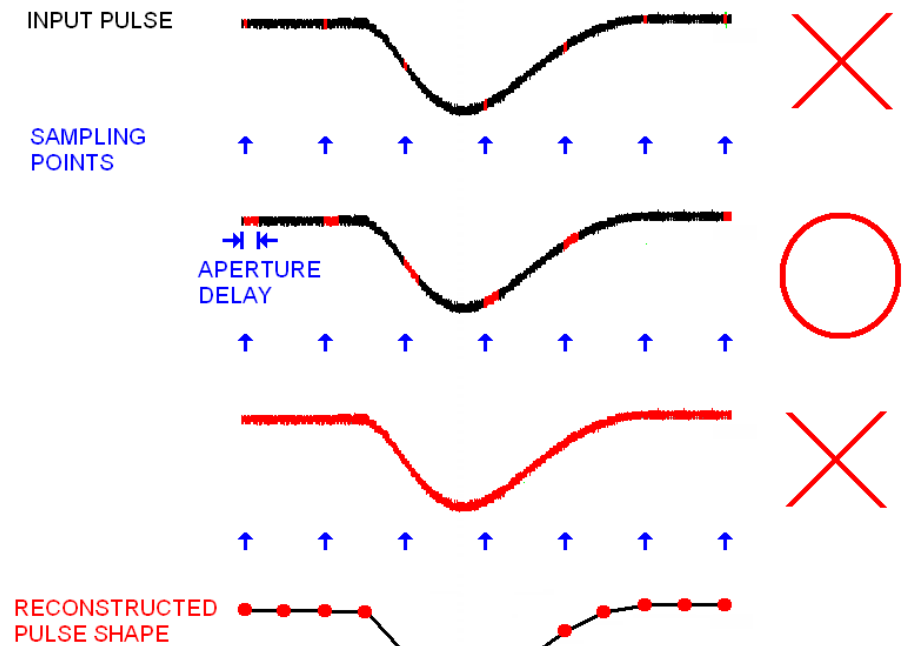
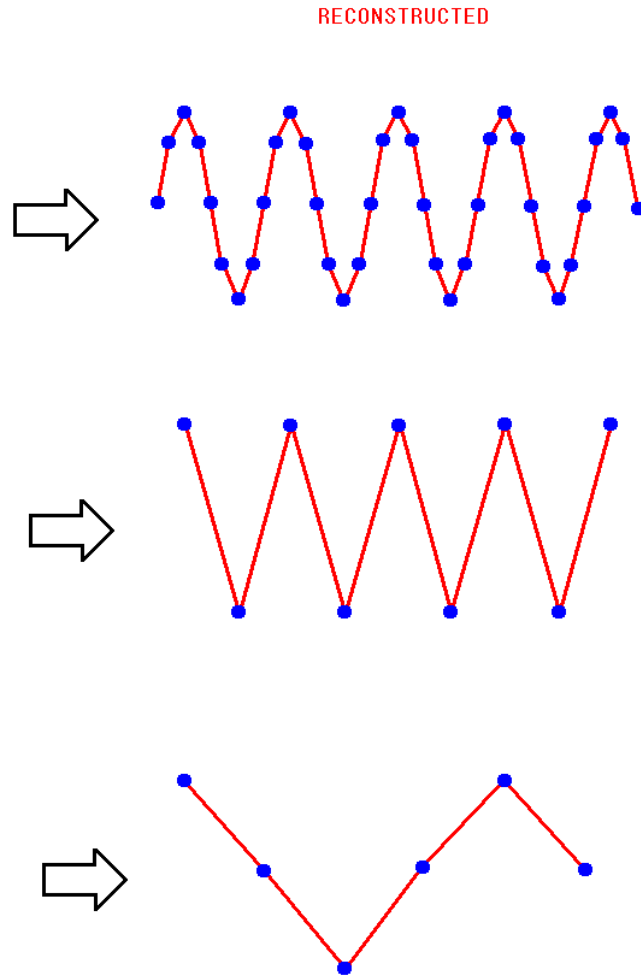
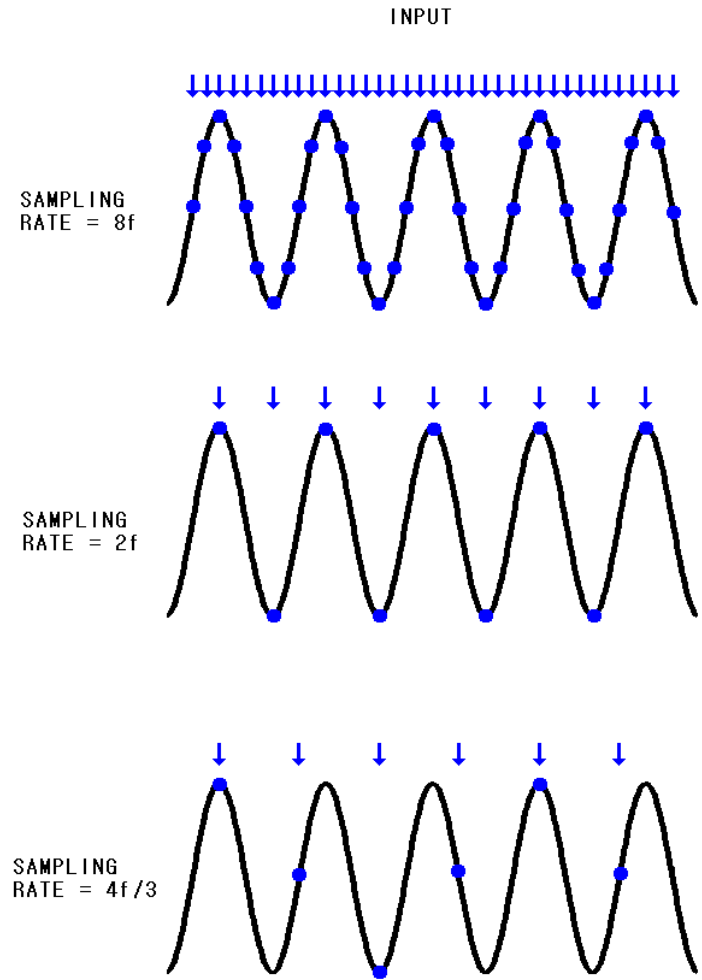


Charge sensing ADC

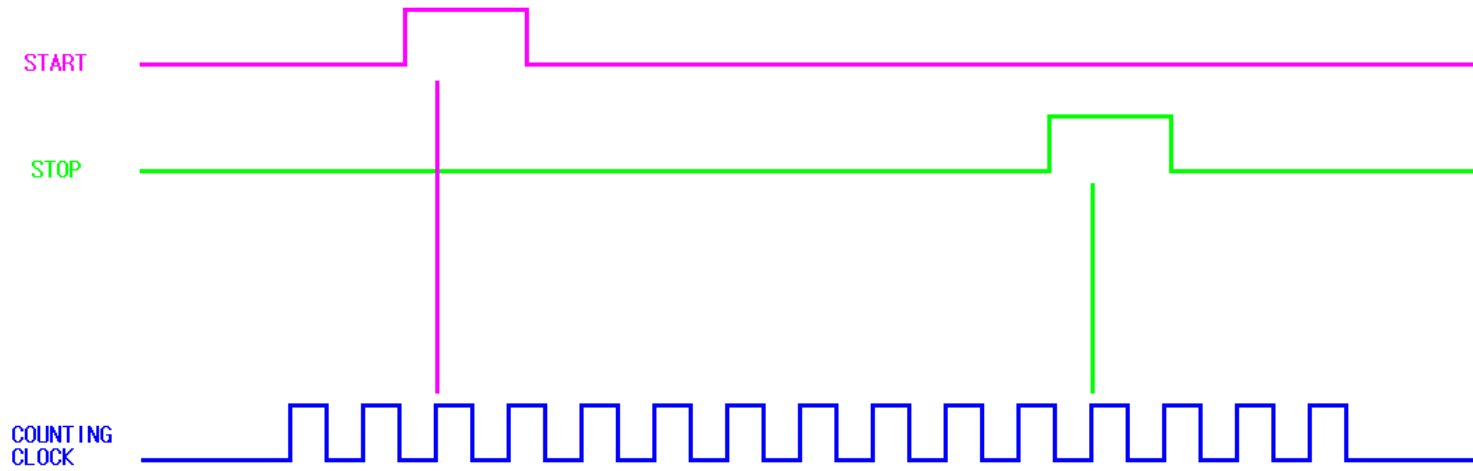


Flash ADC

# ADC sampling

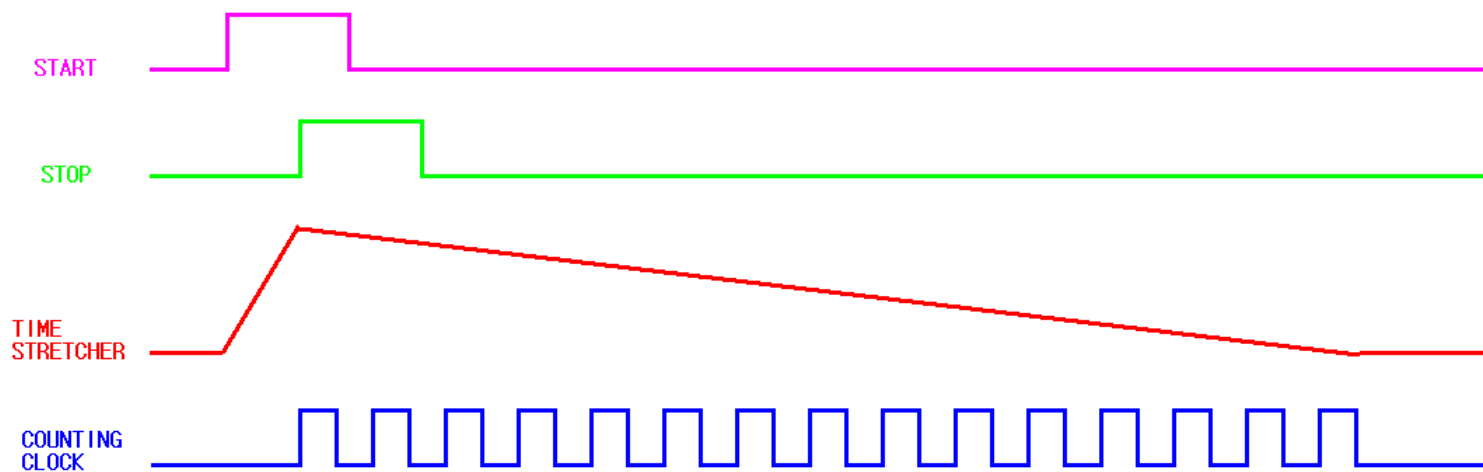


# Time to Digital Converter(TDC)



Direct counting

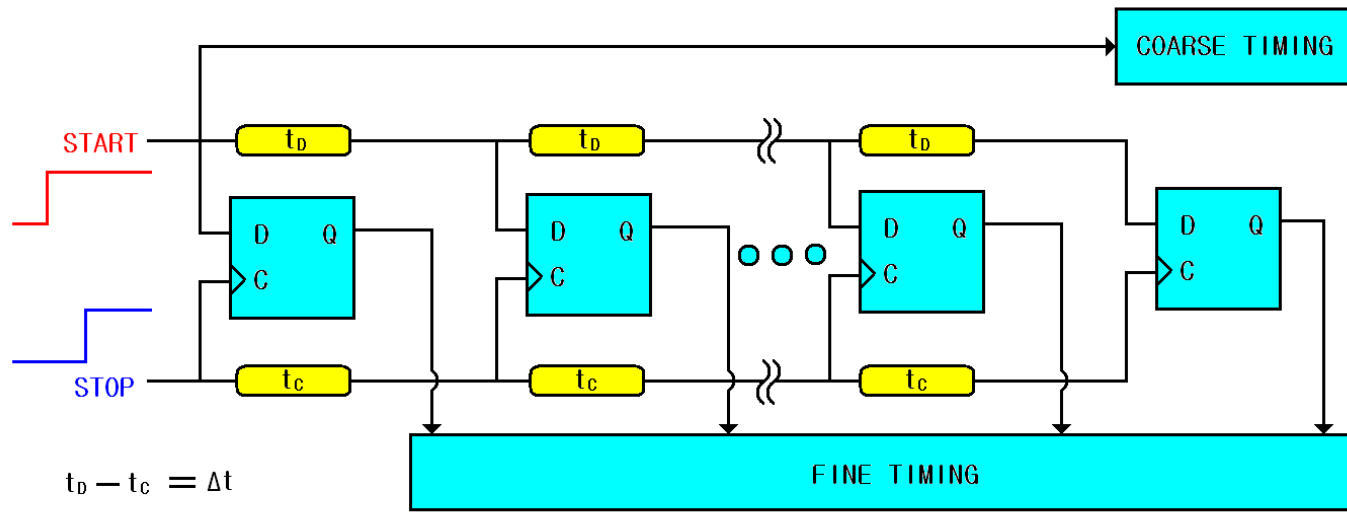
Resolution  $\sim 1$  ns



Time stretching

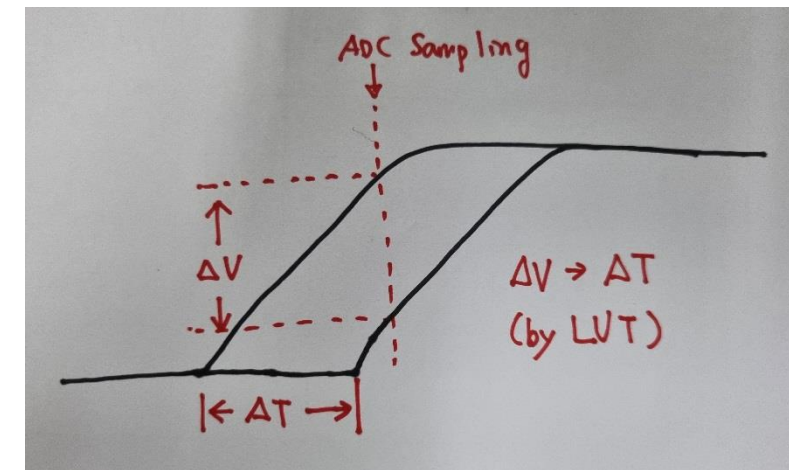
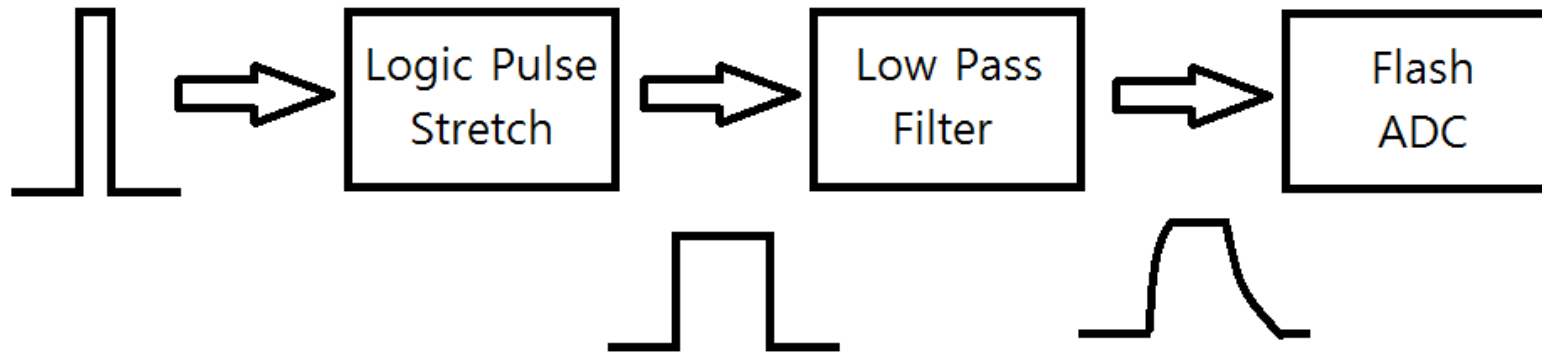
Resolution  $\sim 10$  ps

# Time to Digital Converter



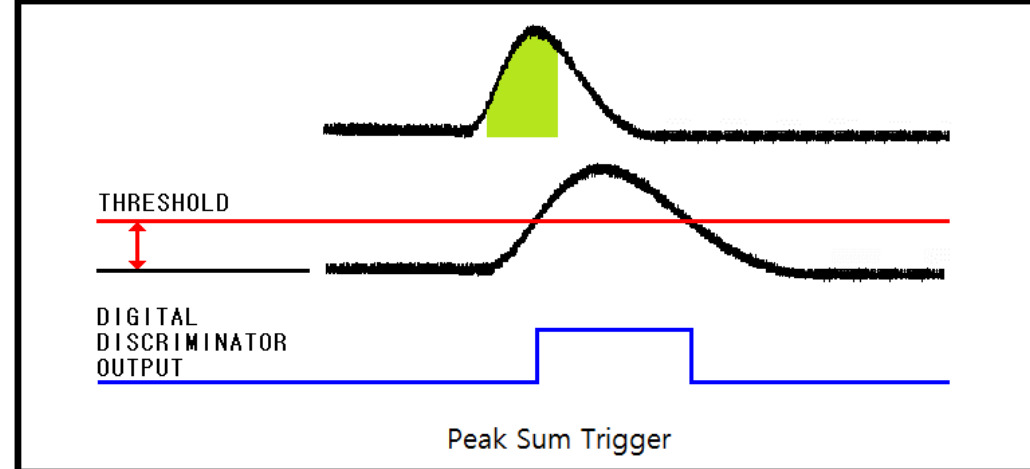
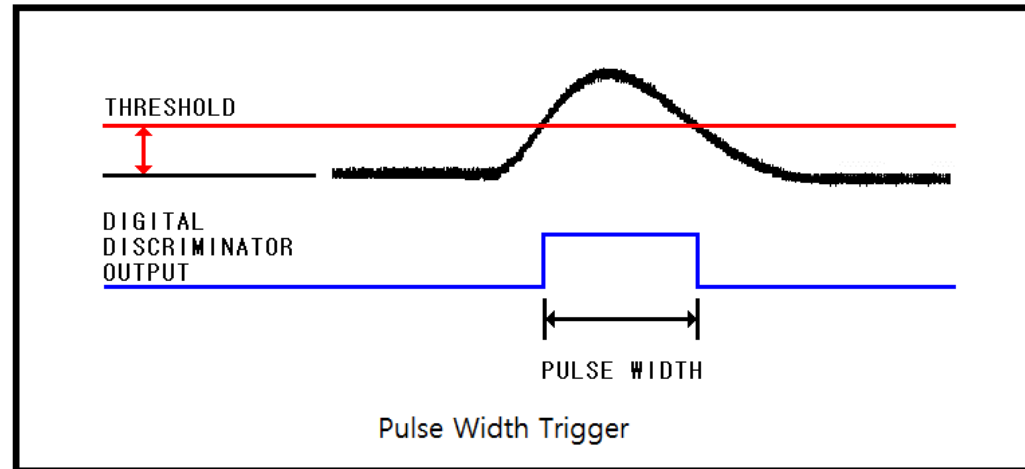
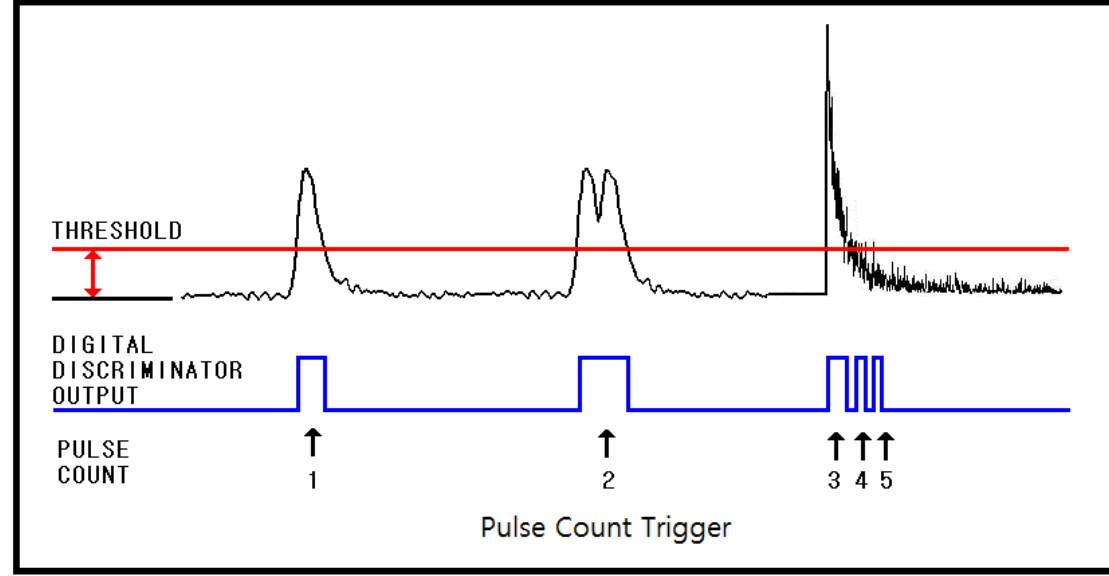
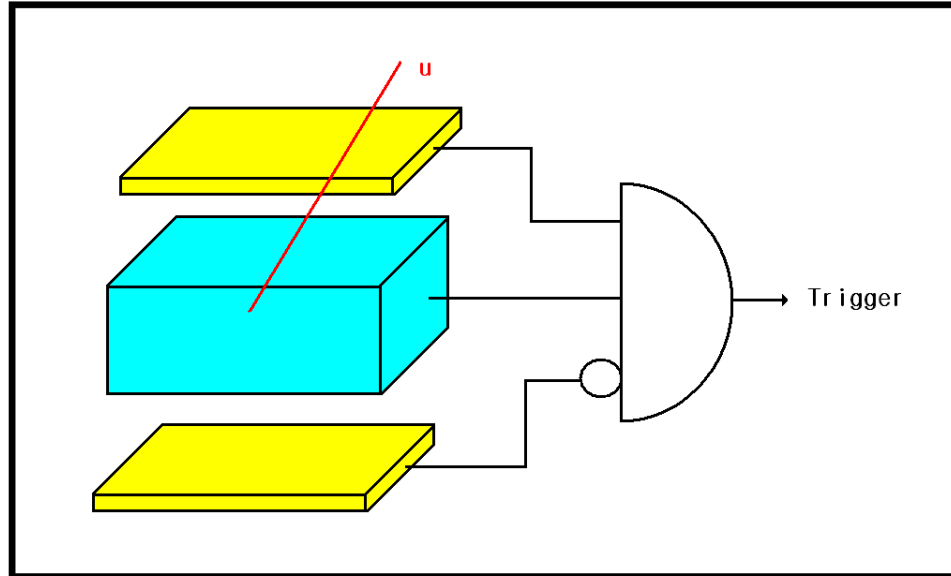
Time interpolation

Resolution  $\sim 10$  ps  
Multi-hit TDC



Pulse shaping TDC : resolution  $\sim 10$  ps, multi-hit

# Trigger





# Combinational Logic

Diagram illustrating the relationship between logic gates and their corresponding truth tables, leading to a Look Up Table (LUT).

**NOT Gate:** A single input  $A$  produces output  $Q$ .

A	Q
1	0
0	1

**AND Gate:** Two inputs  $A$  and  $B$  produce output  $Q$ .

A	B	Q
1	1	1
1	0	0
0	1	0
0	0	0

**OR Gate:** Two inputs  $A$  and  $B$  produce output  $Q$ .

A	B	Q
1	1	1
1	0	1
0	1	1
0	0	0

**Complex Gate (AND-OR):** Three inputs  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$  produce output  $Q$ .

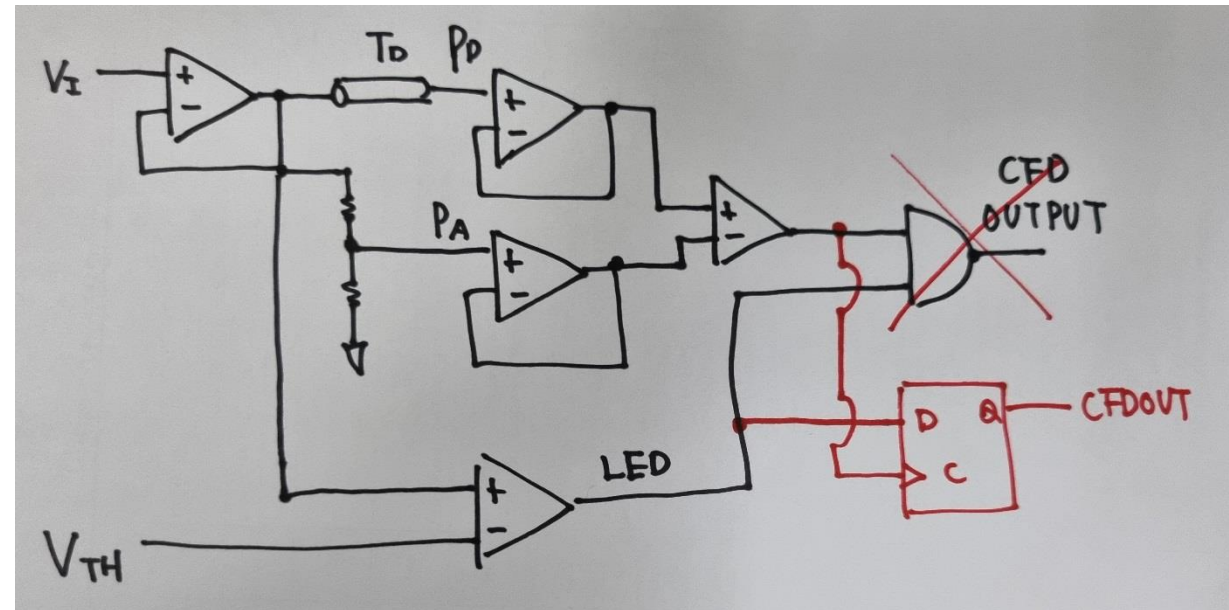
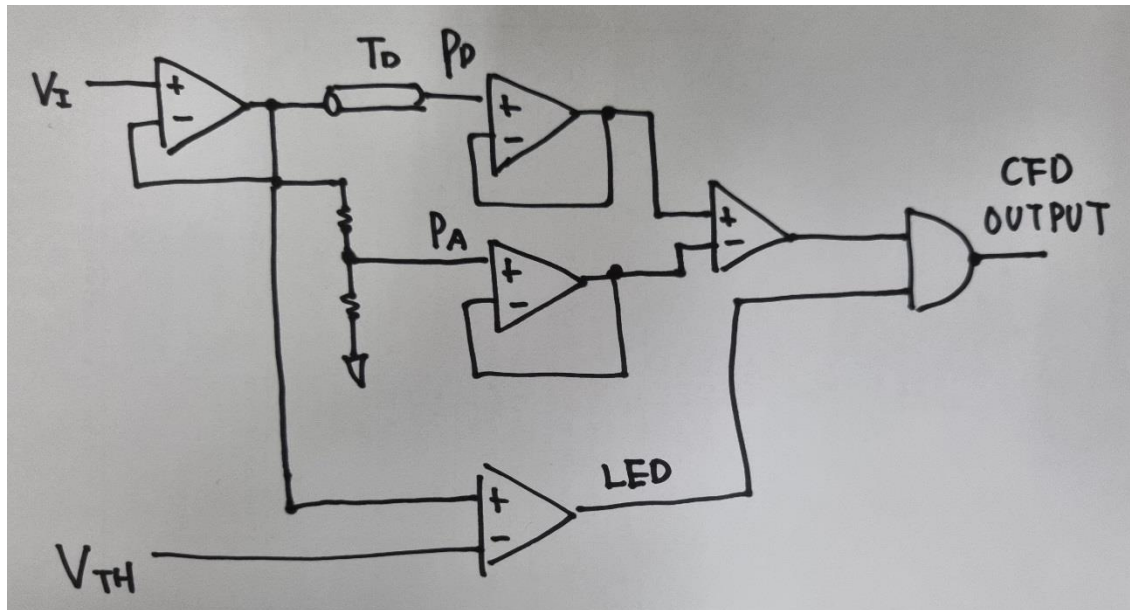
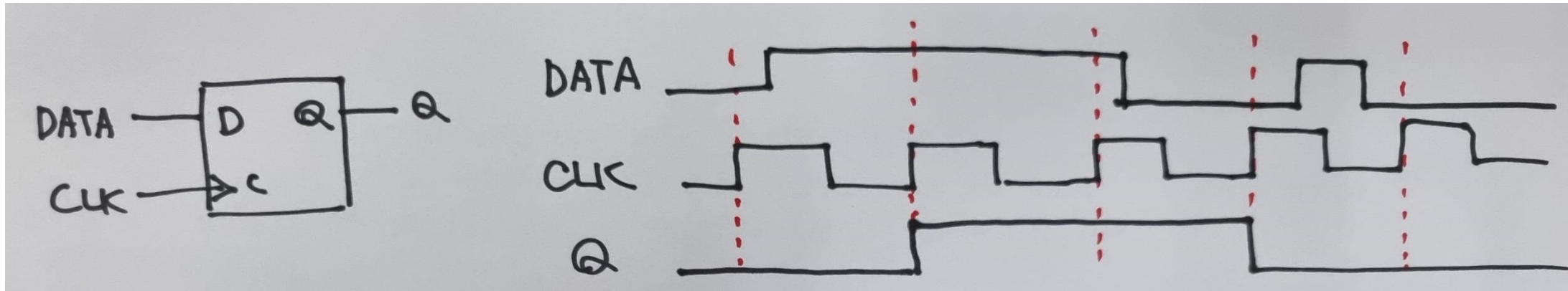
A	B	C	Q
1	1	1	0
1	1	0	0
1	0	1	0
1	0	0	1
0	1	1	0
0	1	0	1
0	0	1	0
0	0	0	1

**Look Up Table (LUT):**

A	B	C	NOT	AND	OR	???
1	1	1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1	1	0
1	0	1	0	0	1	0
1	0	0	0	0	1	1
0	1	1	1	0	1	0
0	1	0	1	0	1	1
0	0	1	1	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	0	0	1

Hexadecimal values:  $\phi F$   $C\phi$   $FC$   $15$

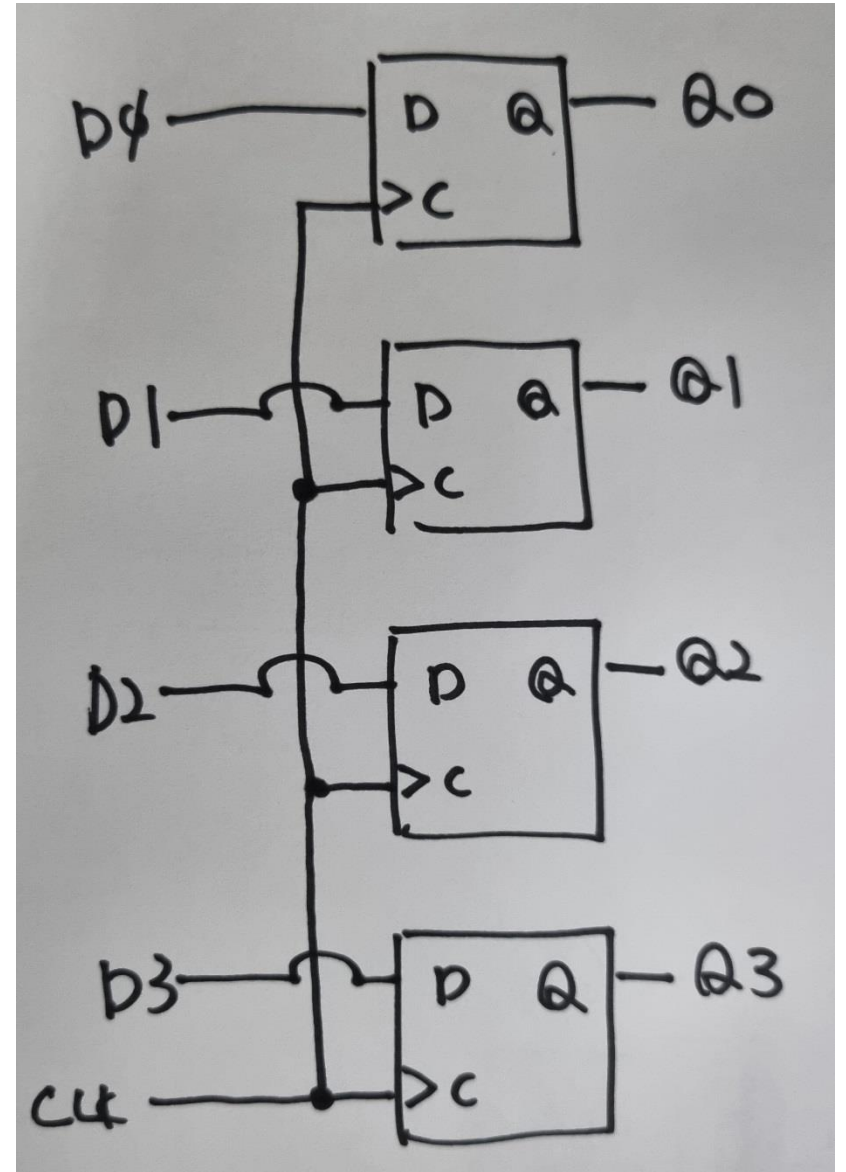
# Sequential Logic



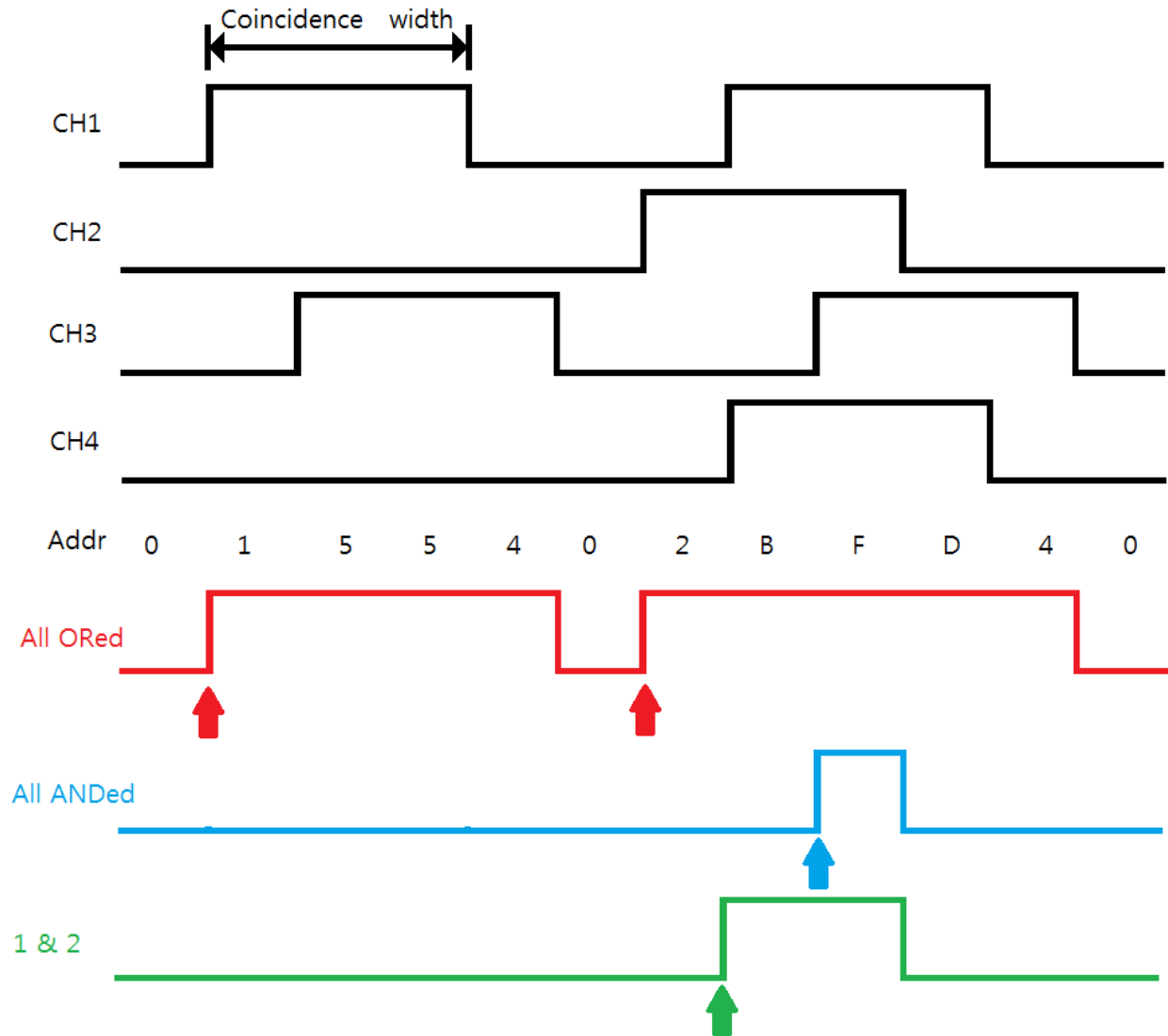
# Examples of Sequential Logic

Q <sub>0</sub>	Q <sub>1</sub>	Q <sub>2</sub>	Q <sub>3</sub>	D <sub>3</sub>	D <sub>2</sub>	D <sub>1</sub>	D <sub>0</sub>
1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1
1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1	1	0	1
1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1
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0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

Q <sub>0</sub>	Q <sub>1</sub>	Q <sub>2</sub>	Q <sub>3</sub>	D <sub>3</sub>	D <sub>2</sub>	D <sub>1</sub>	D <sub>0</sub>
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0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
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0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1
0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1



# Trigger by combination



Trigger Lookup Table

CH 4	3	2	1	Addr	All ORed	All ANDED	1 & 2
1	1	1	1	F	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	E	1	0	0
1	1	0	1	D	1	0	0
1	1	0	0	C	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	B	1	0	1
1	0	1	0	A	1	0	0
1	0	0	1	9	1	0	0
1	0	0	0	8	1	0	0
0	1	1	1	7	1	0	1
0	1	1	0	6	1	0	0
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0xFFFE    0x8000    0x8888



# Data Acquisition



CAMAC



VME

Standard



Custom



# Data Acquisition



Ethernet : 125 MB/s max, ~30 MB/s typically



USB : 500 MB/s max, ~100 MB/s typically

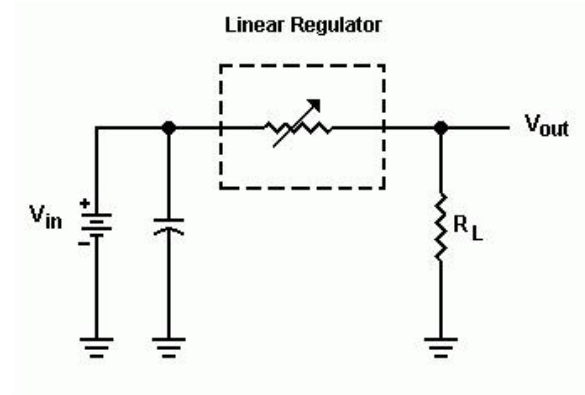
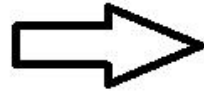


PCI : 63 GB/s max, ~??? typically

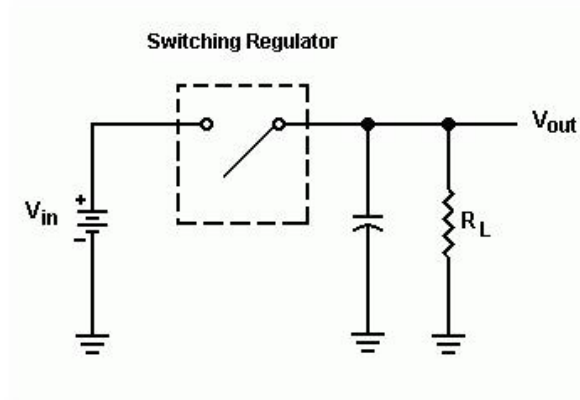
# Power Supply



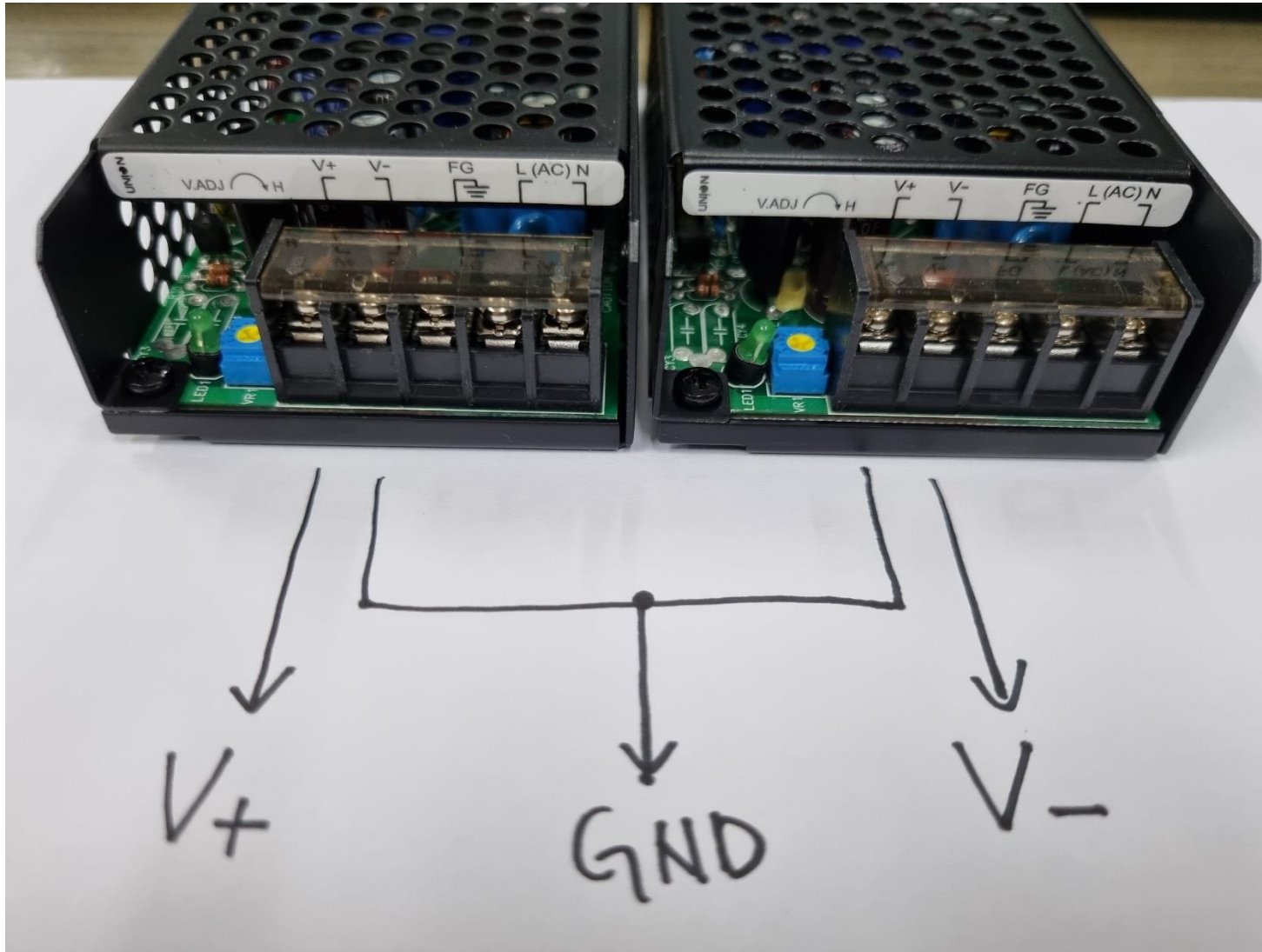
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**Switching**

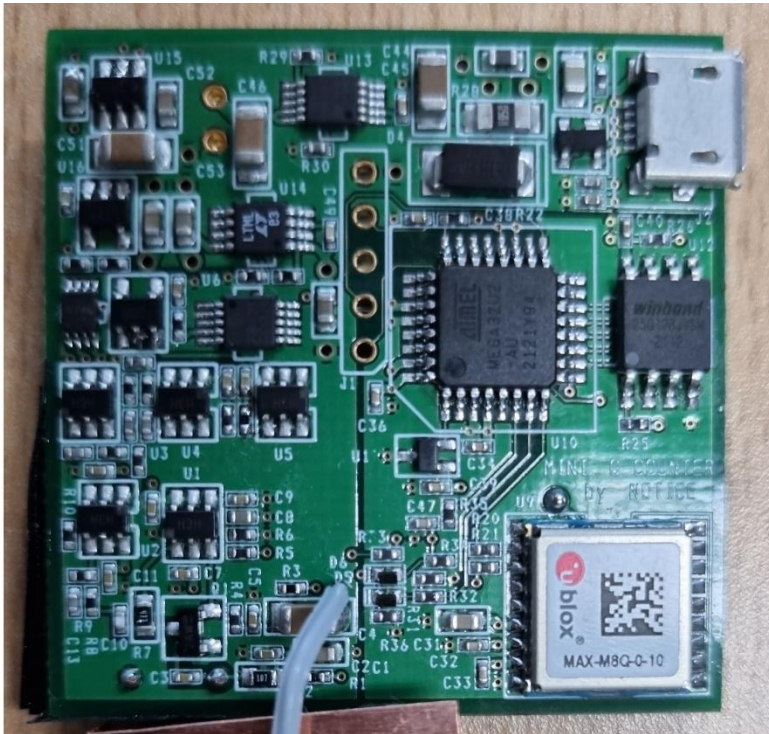


# Power Supply Example



1. L, N to
2. FG to GND
3. Check FG & V- are not shorted
4. Variation :  
V- to GND  
GND to V1  
V+ to V1 + V2  
even if V1 is HV!

# Example of electronics board : Gamma ray counter board

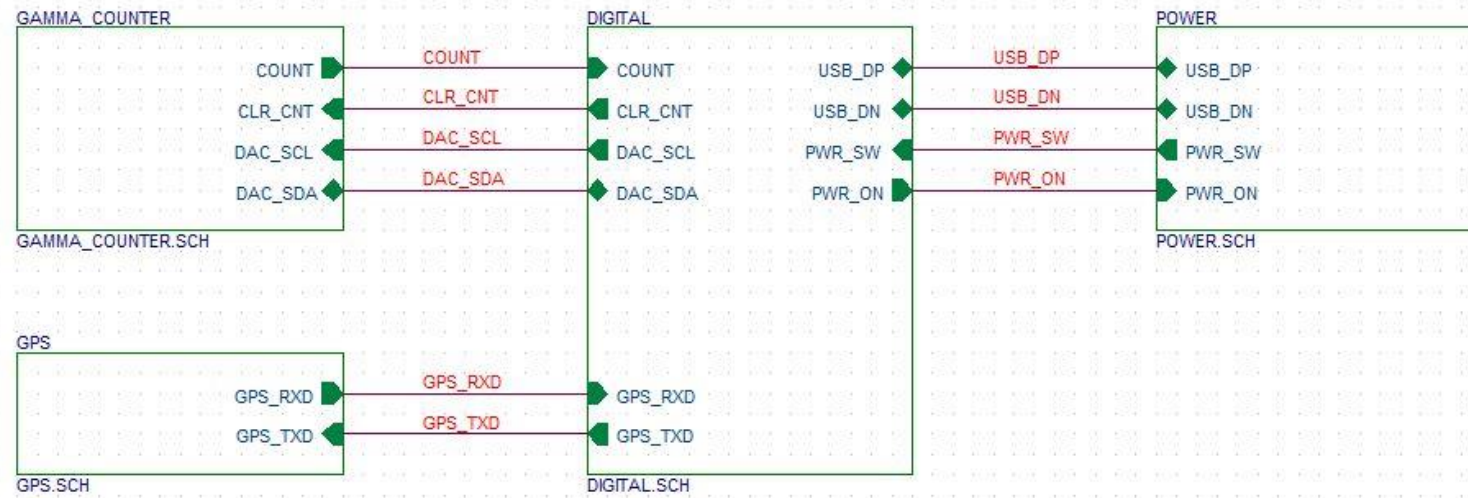


1. Pin PD to detect Gamma ray directly
2. Charge sensitive preamplifier
3. CR-RC2 shaping amplifier
4. Leading edge discriminator
5. MCU for counting logic
6. USB2 interface
7. GPS

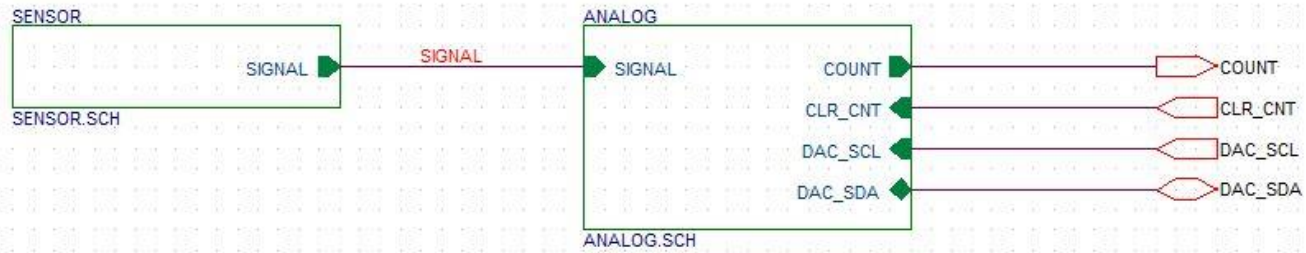
# Electronics board manufacturing process

1. Conceptual design and collecting parts
2. Draw schematics
3. Draw Printed Circuit Board(PCB) layout
4. Solder and assemble parts on PCB
5. Write Firmware(MCU, FPGA ...)
6. Write Software
7. Test and Debug

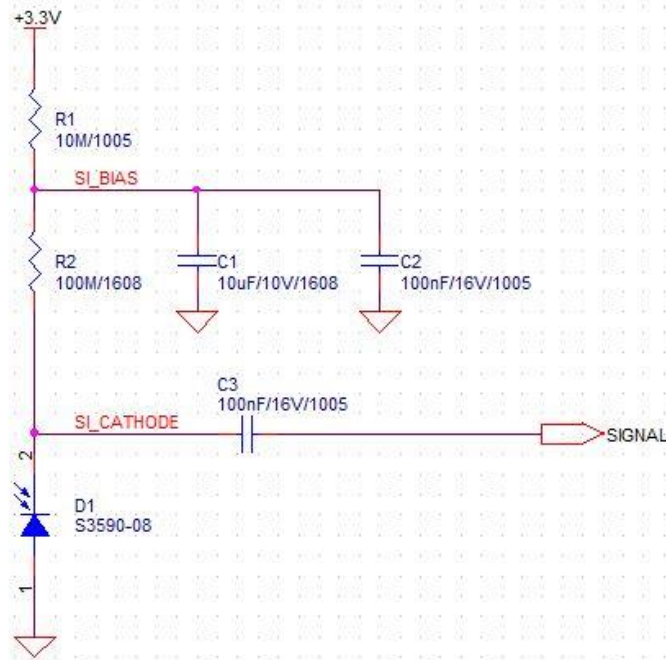




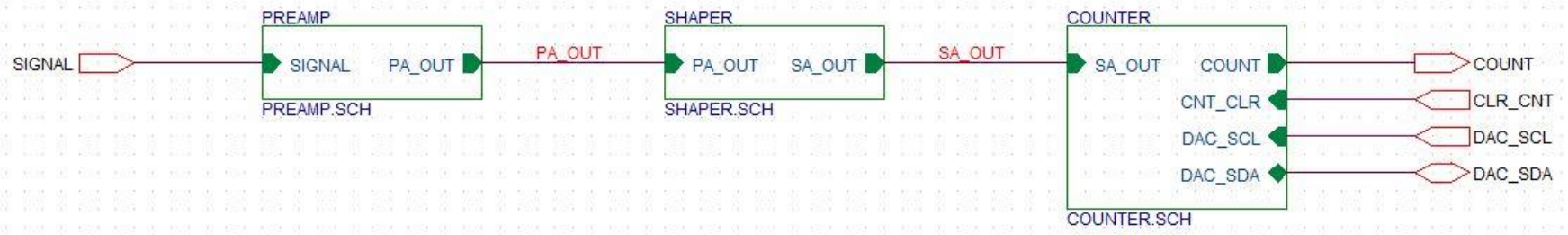
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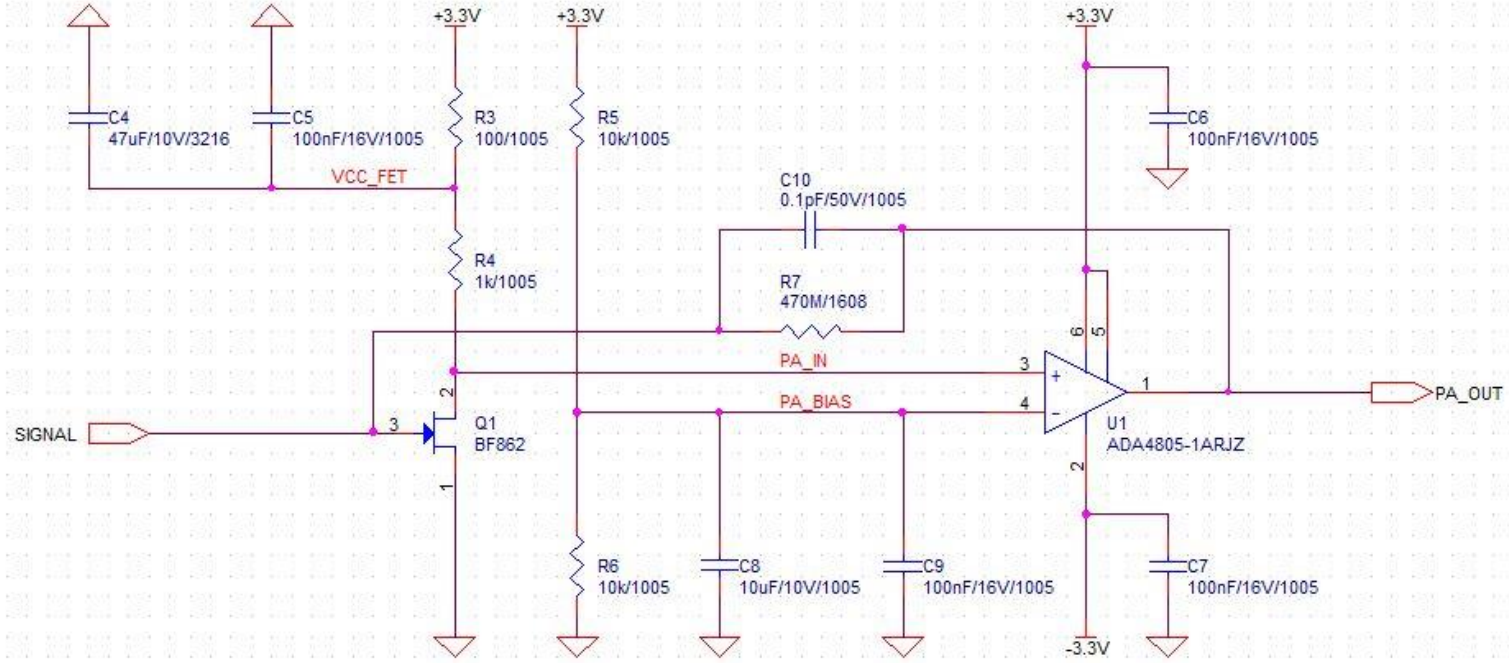


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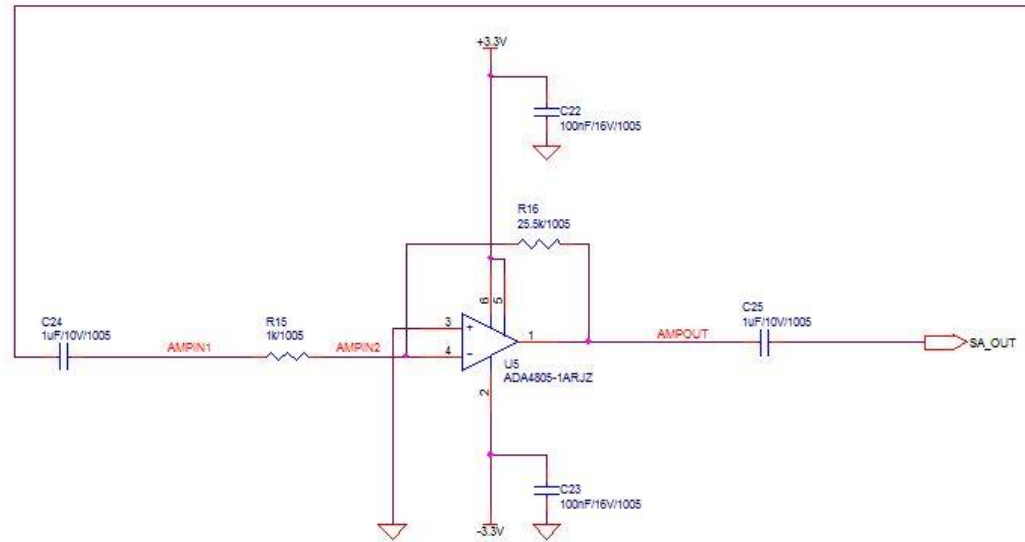
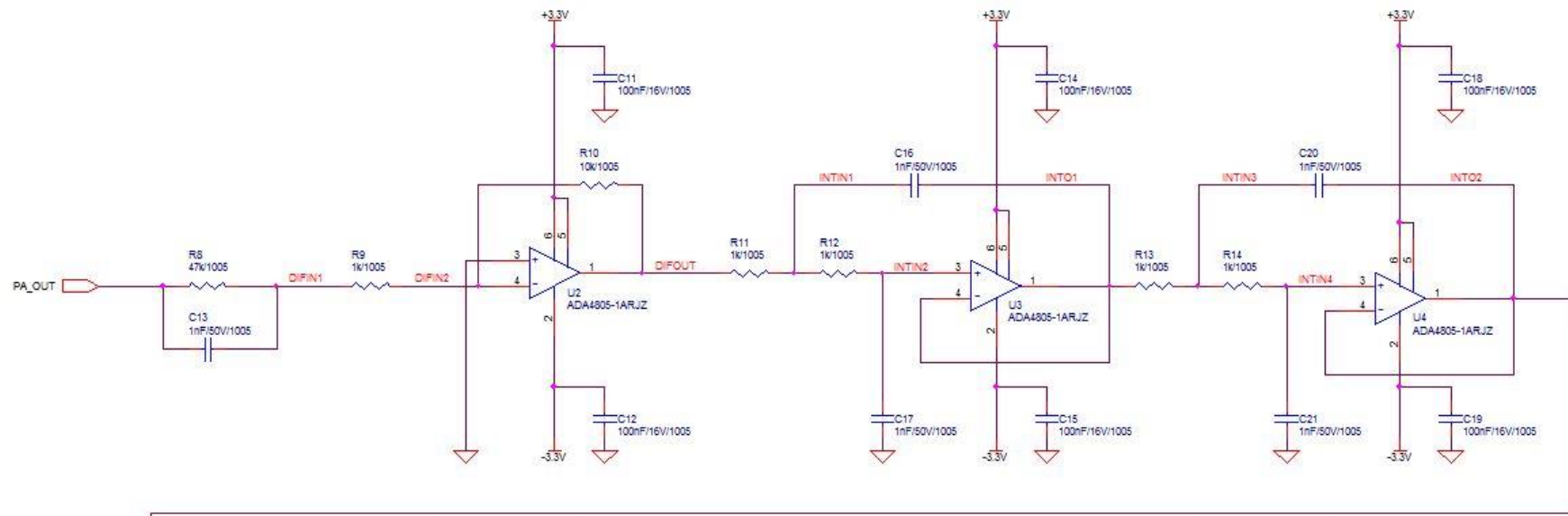


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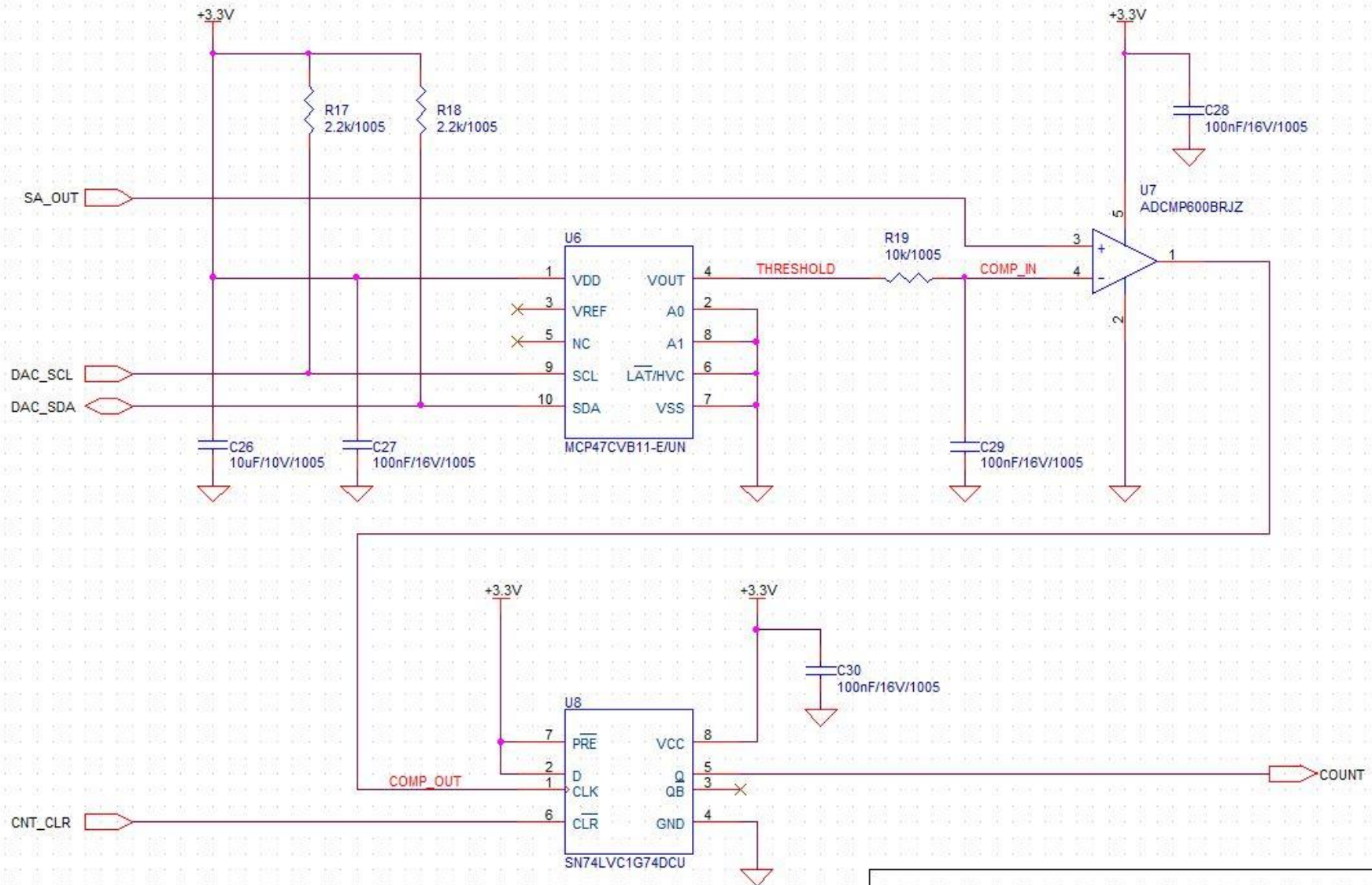


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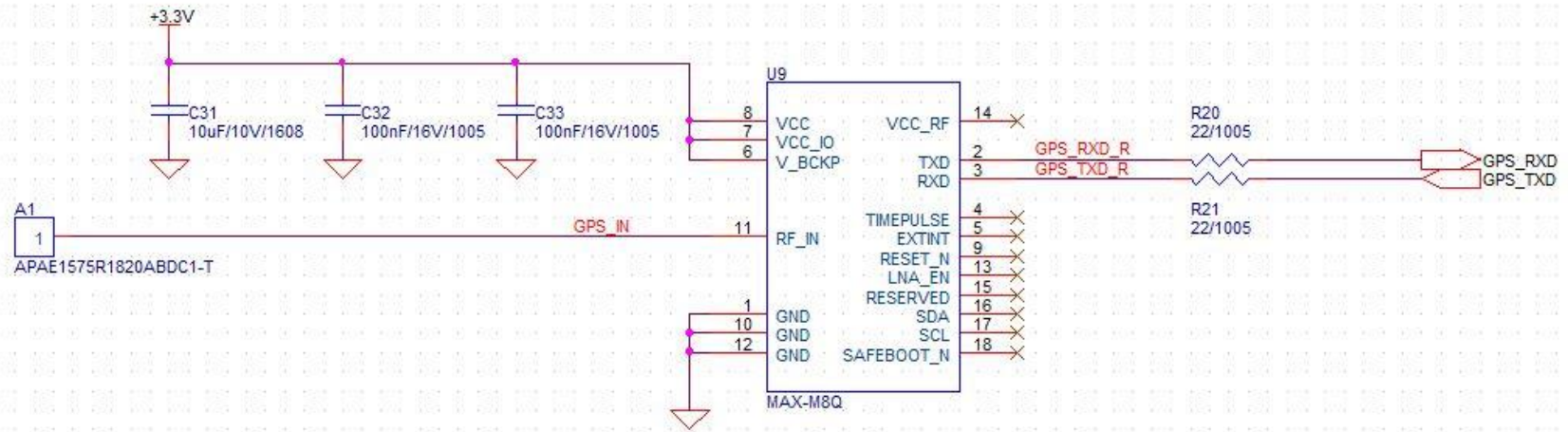


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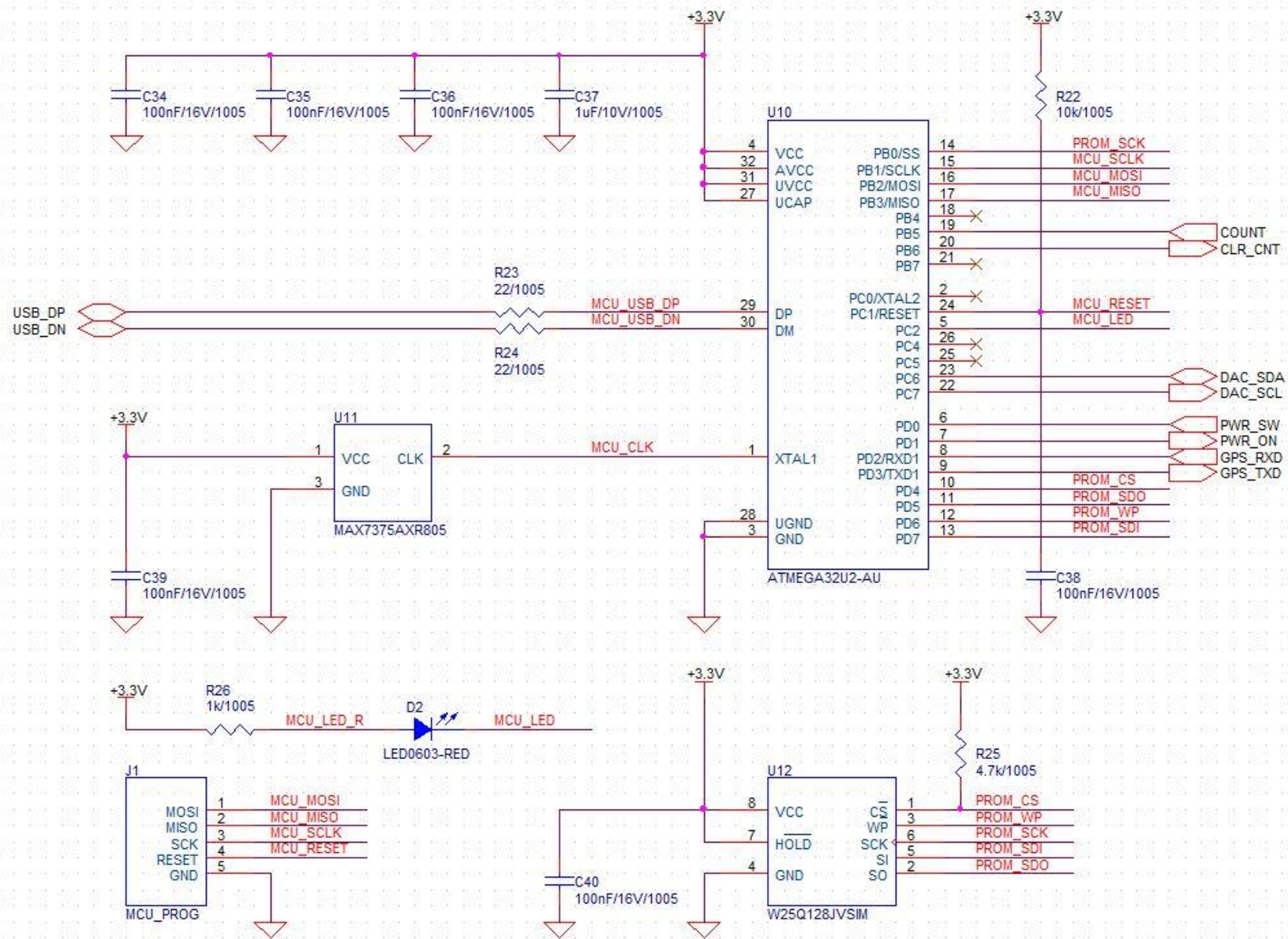




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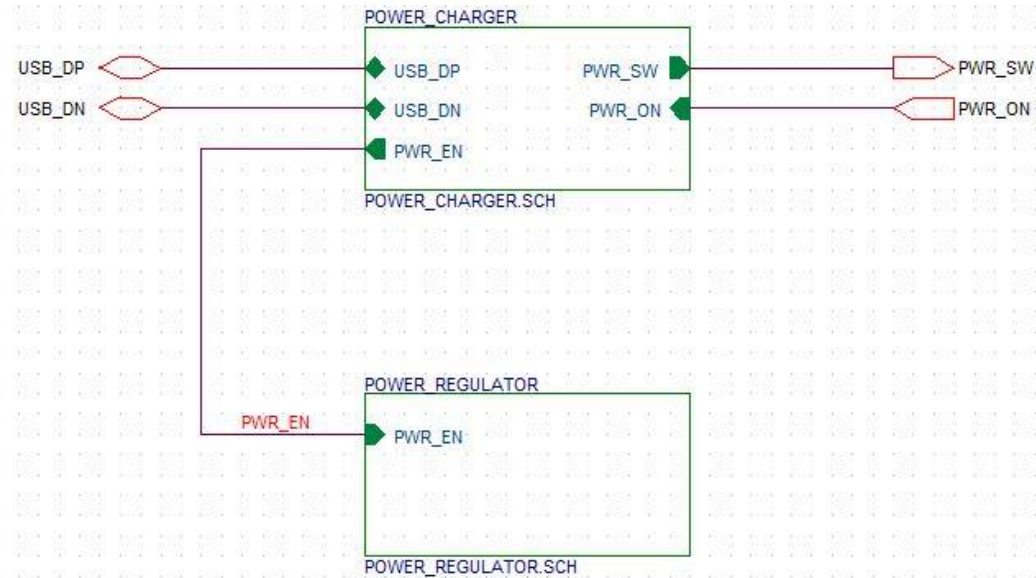


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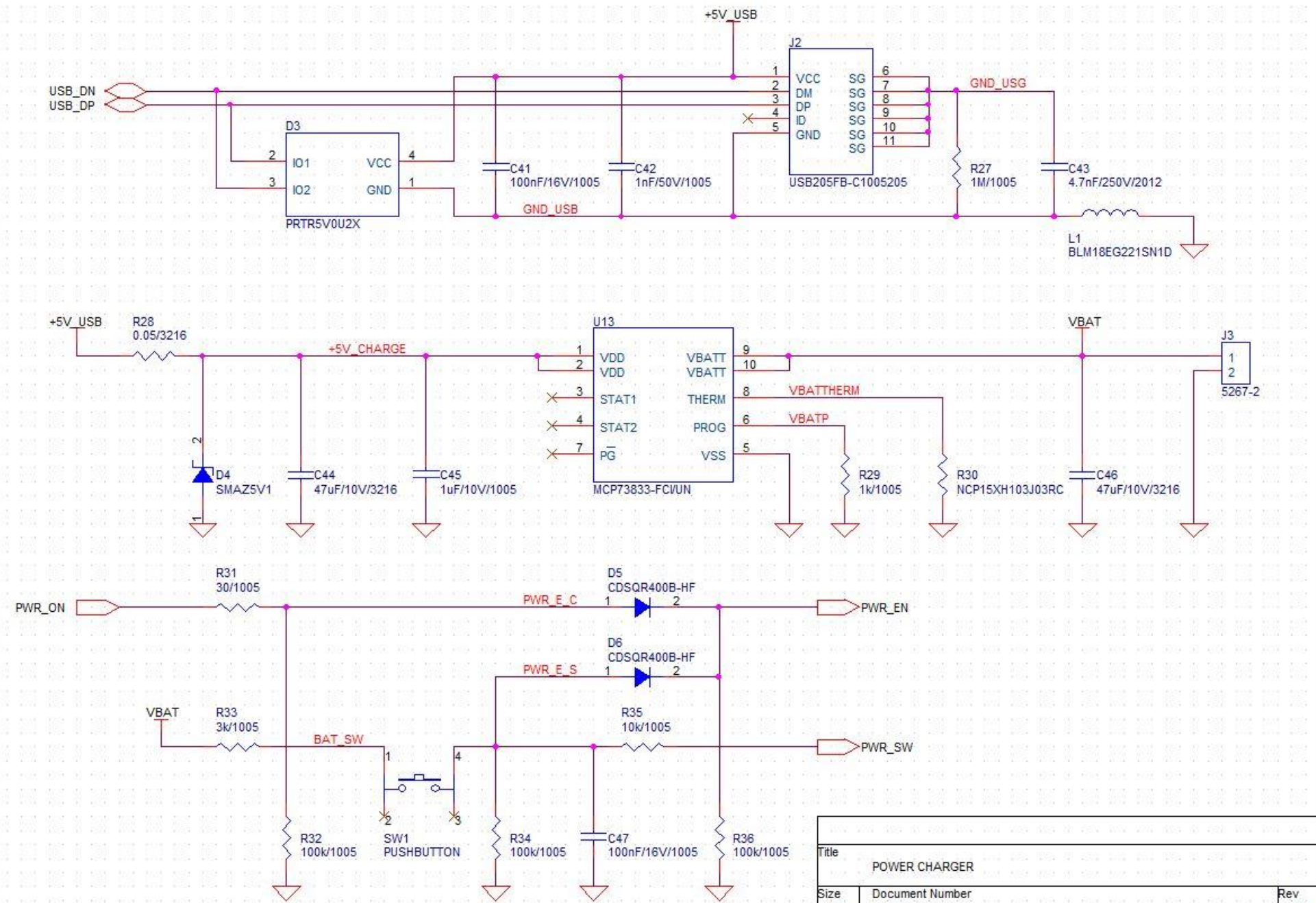


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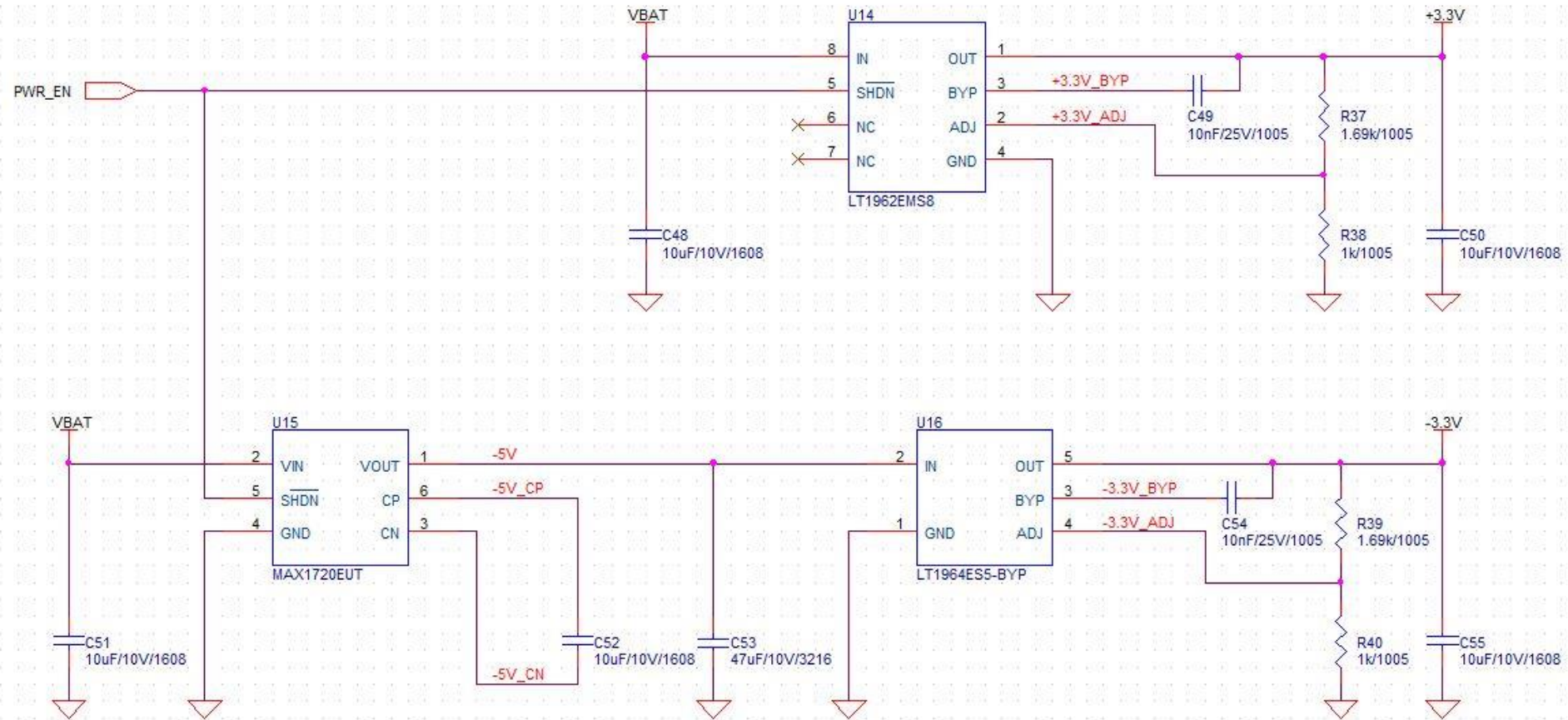


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