



# A Novel Approach for Better OSR in 4<sup>th</sup> Order Sigma-Delta Modulator using GA

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*Abstract*— Sigma delta modulators ( $\Sigma\Delta$ M) form part of the core of today's mixed-signal designs. The ongoing research on these devices shows the potential of  $\Sigma\Delta$  data converters as a promising candidate for high-speed, high-resolution, and low-power mixed-signal interfaces. This paper addresses the design of a fourth-order multi-bit sigma-delta modulator suitable for Wireless Local Area Networks (WLAN) receivers with feed forward path and the optimum coefficients were selected using genetic algorithm (GA) -based search method.

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