

High-Frequency Low-Distortion Two-Tone Signal Generation Using Arbitrary Waveform Generator

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Research Objective

High quality signal generation for testing of ADC in communication system using low cost instrument

Approach

- Using low cost AWG
- Only DSP program change
- Phase-switching method

ADC testing system



Proposed Algorithm

$$D_{in} = \begin{cases} X_0 = A \sin(2\pi f_1 n T_s + \varphi_0) + B \sin(2\pi f_2 n T_s - \varphi_0) & n: \text{ even} \\ X_1 = A \sin(2\pi f_1 n T_s - \varphi_0) + B \sin(2\pi f_2 n T_s + \varphi_0) & n: \text{ odd} \end{cases}$$

$$\varphi_0 = \frac{\pi}{N}$$
 Nth-order IMD components are cancelled



