FPGA BASED AMPLITUDE CONTROL SYSTEM FOR ACCELERATING CAVITIES

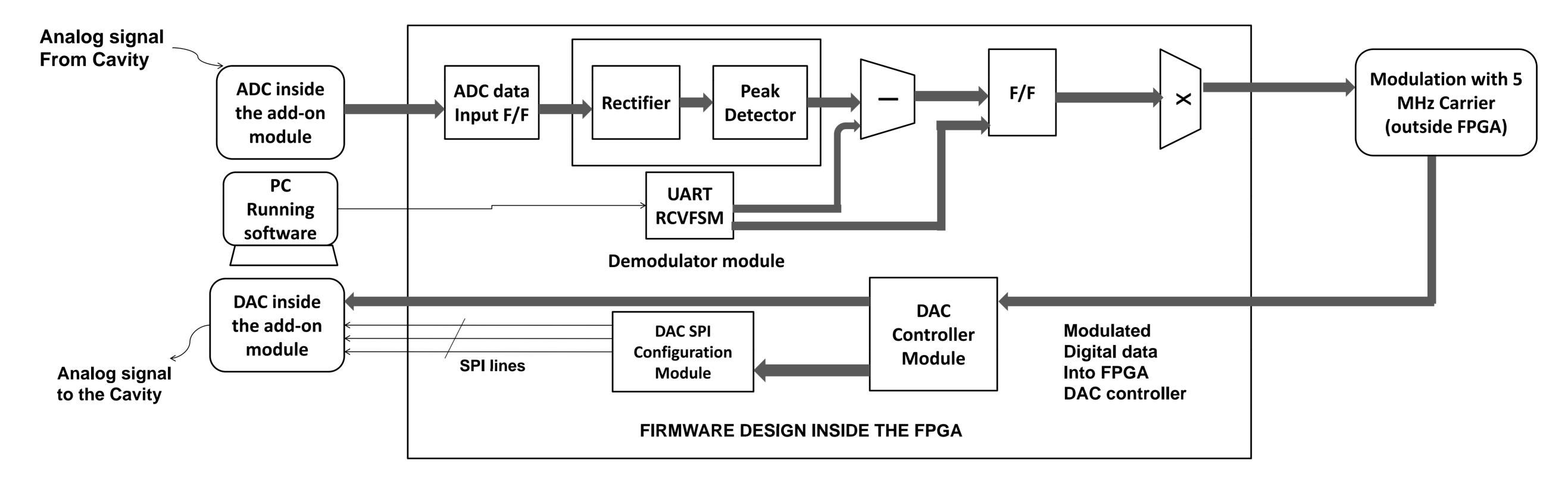
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Introduction:

An FPGA based digital controller has been designed and simulated for low level RF voltage control of a 650MHz cavity and 30Kw,CW mode. Any appropriate control strategy can be implemented in these platform. The voltage from pick up coil has been fed to the controller after down conversion; the signal is digitized using high speed ADCs.

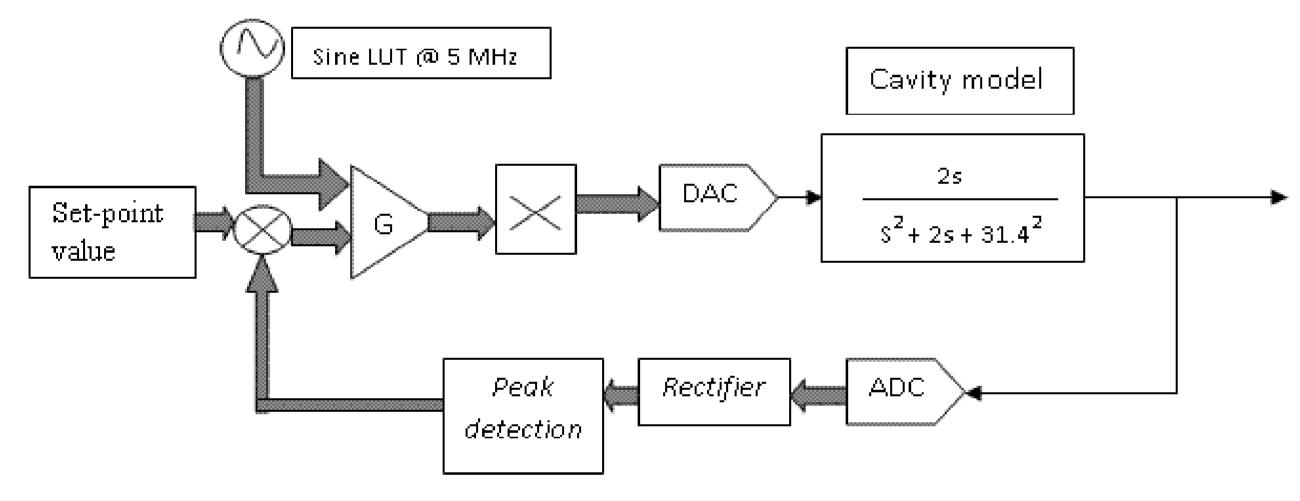
Block Diagram of the system:



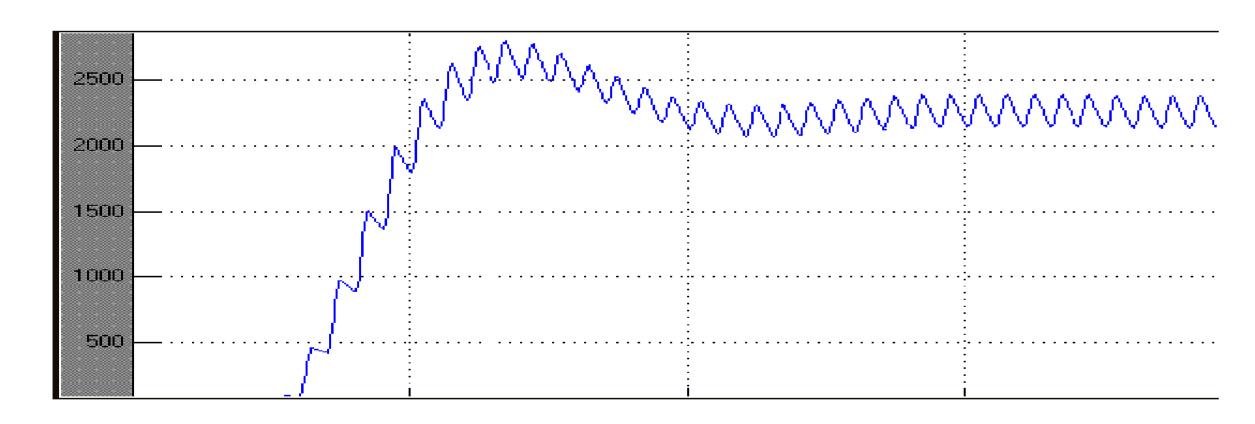
Hardware details of the design:

- 1. Virtex-4 FPGA (MB) board.
- 2. ADC DAC add on module.125 MSPS

FPGA Block Level Details of the control loop:



Simulation output:

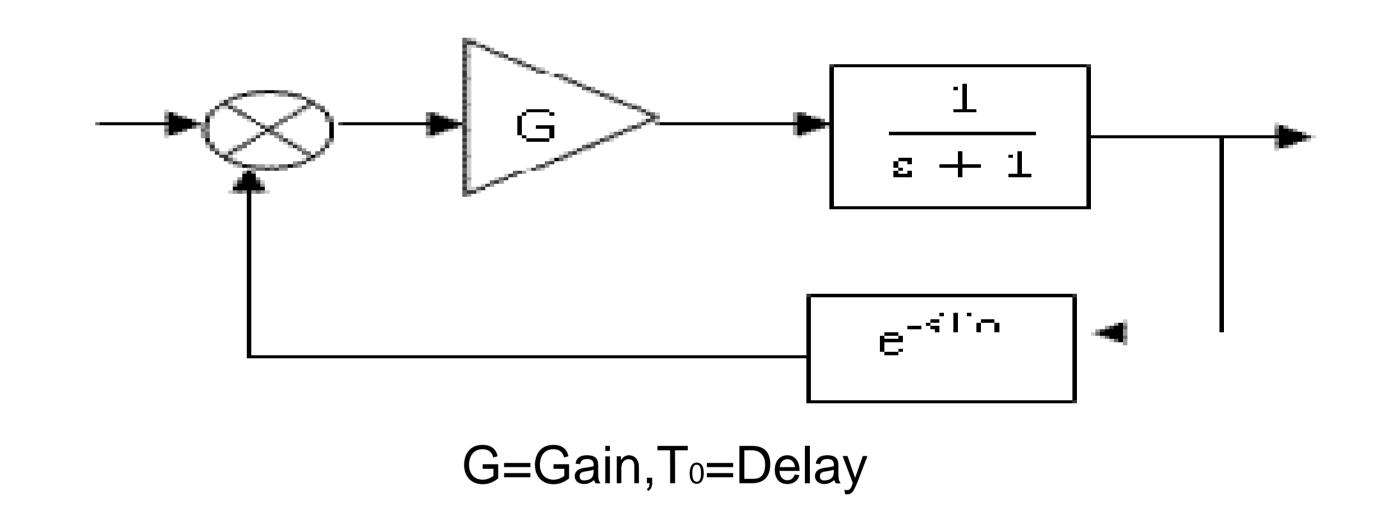


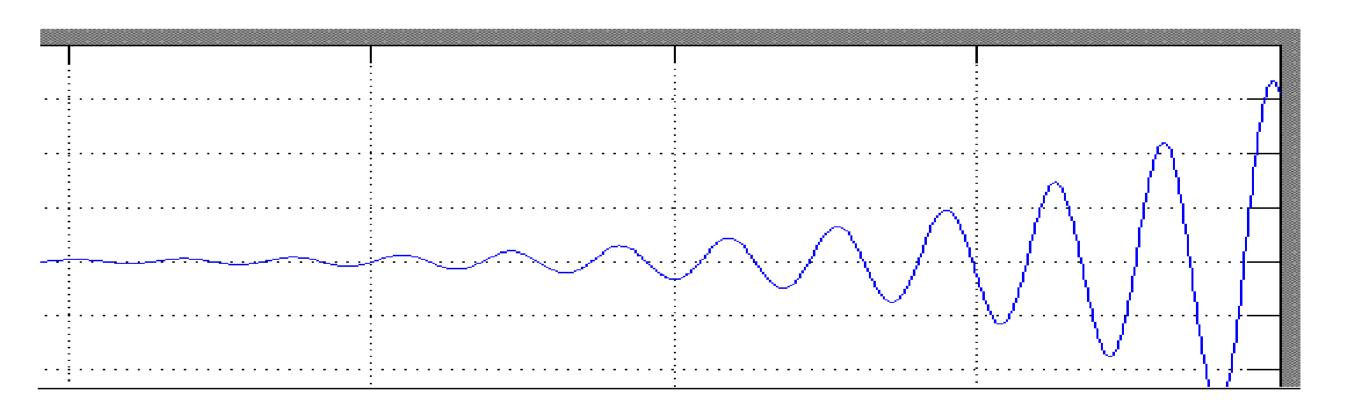
Carrier model simulink output, G=10

Design tool used:

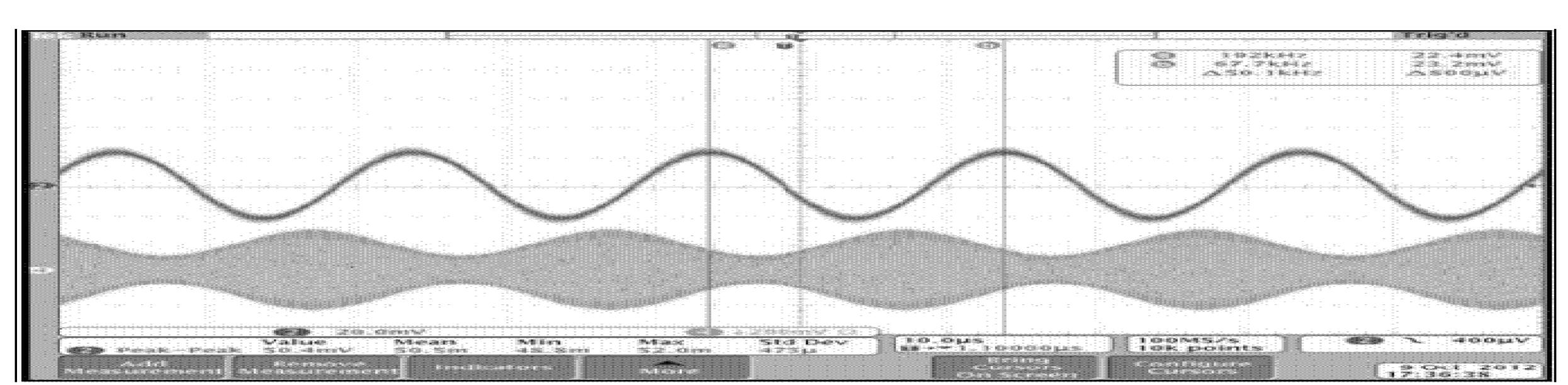
- 1. Xilinx ISE 12.1 Design software.
- 2. MATLAB simulink simulation software.

Baseband equivalent model of control loop:





Baseband model simulink output, G=10, T0 =0.2 sec



5 MHz carrier signal modulated by a 50 KHz baseband sine wave demodulated by demodulator module implemented in FPGA

Conclusion:

The simulation work was completed and the model is codified in VHDL. The design is not yet put on the actual cavity. The actual set-up and the performance study is undergoing.