

# Abstracts

## The Differential Reference Frequency Synthesizer

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Indirect digital frequency synthesizers cannot achieve fast frequency switching with closely spaced frequencies because of limitations imposed by the requisite narrow loop bandwidth. A novel dual-loop digital frequency synthesizer is presented which satisfies these conflicting requirements and, in most cases, exhibits improved phase noise performance.

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