

DIVISION BY DIGIT RECURRENCE

SEVERAL DIVISION METHODS:

- DIGIT-RECURRENCE METHOD – studied in this chapter
- MULTIPLICATIVE METHOD (Chapter 7)
- VARIOUS APPROXIMATION METHODS (power series expansion),
- SPECIAL METHODS SUCH AS CORDIC (Chapter 11) AND CONTINUED PRODUCT METHODS.

IMPLEMENTATIONS:

- SEQUENTIAL
- COMBINATIONAL
 - 1. PIPELINED
 - 2. NONPIPELINED
- COMBINATIONAL/SEQUENTIAL

DEFINITION AND NOTATION

$$x = q \cdot d + rem$$

$$|rem| < |d| \cdot ulp \quad \text{and} \quad sign(rem) = sign(x)$$

DIVIDEND x

DIVISOR d

QUOTIENT q

REMAINDER rem

- INTEGER QUOTIENT: $ulp = 1$,
- FRACTIONAL QUOTIENT: $ulp = r^{-n}$

TWO TYPES OF DIVISION OPERATION:

1. INTEGER DIVISION, WITH INTEGER OPERANDS AND RESULT
USUALLY REQUIRES AN EXACT REMAINDER
2. FRACTIONAL DIVISION
TO AVOID QUOTIENT OVERFLOW: $x < d$
QUOTIENT ROUNDED, WHICH CAN RESULT IN A NEGATIVE REMAINDER

FRACTIONAL DIVISION - ASSUMPTIONS

- OPERANDS/RESULT IN SIGN-AND-MAGNITUDE FORMAT \Rightarrow CONSIDER MAGNITUDES ONLY

$$1/2 \leq d < 1; \quad x < d; \quad 0 < q < 1$$

- FOR SIMPLER SELECTION: $q_j \in \mathcal{D}_a = \{-a, -a+1, \dots, -1, 0, 1, \dots, a-1, a\}$
- REDUNDANCY FACTOR

$$\rho = \frac{a}{r-1}, \quad \frac{1}{2} < \rho \leq 1$$

RECURRENCE

- QUOTIENT AFTER j STEPS: $q[j] = q[0] + \sum_{i=1}^j q_i r^{-i}$
- FINAL QUOTIENT: $q = q[n] = q[0] + \sum_{i=1}^n q_i r^{-i}$
- FINAL QUOTIENT ERROR BOUND: $0 \leq \epsilon_q = \frac{x}{d} - q < r^{-n}$
- ERROR AT STEP j :

$$\epsilon[j] = \frac{x}{d} - q[j] \leq \epsilon[n] + \sum_{i=j+1}^n \max(q_i) r^{-i} = \epsilon[n] + \frac{a}{r-1} (r^{-j} - r^{-n})$$

- FOR CONVERGENCE: $\epsilon[j] \leq \rho r^{-j}$
- FOR SIMPLER SELECTION, ALLOW NEGATIVE ERRORS

$$|\epsilon[j]| = \left| \frac{x}{d} - q[j] \right| \leq \rho r^{-j}$$

- ELIMINATE DIVISION FROM ERROR BOUND: $|x - dq[j]| \leq \rho d r^{-j}$
- DEFINE RESIDUAL (PARTIAL REMAINDER): $w[j] = r^j (x - dq[j])$
- RESIDUAL RECURRENCE: $w[j+1] = rw[j] - dq_{j+1} \quad w[0] = x$

cont.

- BOUND ON $w[j]$: $|w[j]| \leq \rho d$
- SELECT QUOTIENT DIGIT TO KEEP $w[j + 1]$ BOUNDED:

$$q_{j+1} = SEL(rw[j], d)$$

- REDUNDANCY IN QUOTIENT-DIGIT SET ALLOWS

$$q_{j+1} = SEL(\hat{y}, \hat{d})$$

WHERE \hat{y} IS TRUNCATED $rw[j]$, etc.

IMPLEMENTATION OF DIVISION STEP

1. ONE DIGIT ARITHMETIC LEFT-SHIFT OF $w[j]$ TO PRODUCE $rw[j]$;
2. DETERMINATION OF THE QUOTIENT DIGIT q_{j+1} BY THE QUOTIENT-DIGIT SELECTION FUNCTION;
3. GENERATION OF THE DIVISOR MULTIPLE $d \times q_{j+1}$; and
4. SUBTRACTION OF dq_{j+1} from $rw[j]$.
5. UPDATE OF THE QUOTIENT $q[j]$ TO $q[j + 1]$ BY THE ON-THE-FLY CONVERSION

$$q[j + 1] = CONV(q[j], q_{j+1})$$

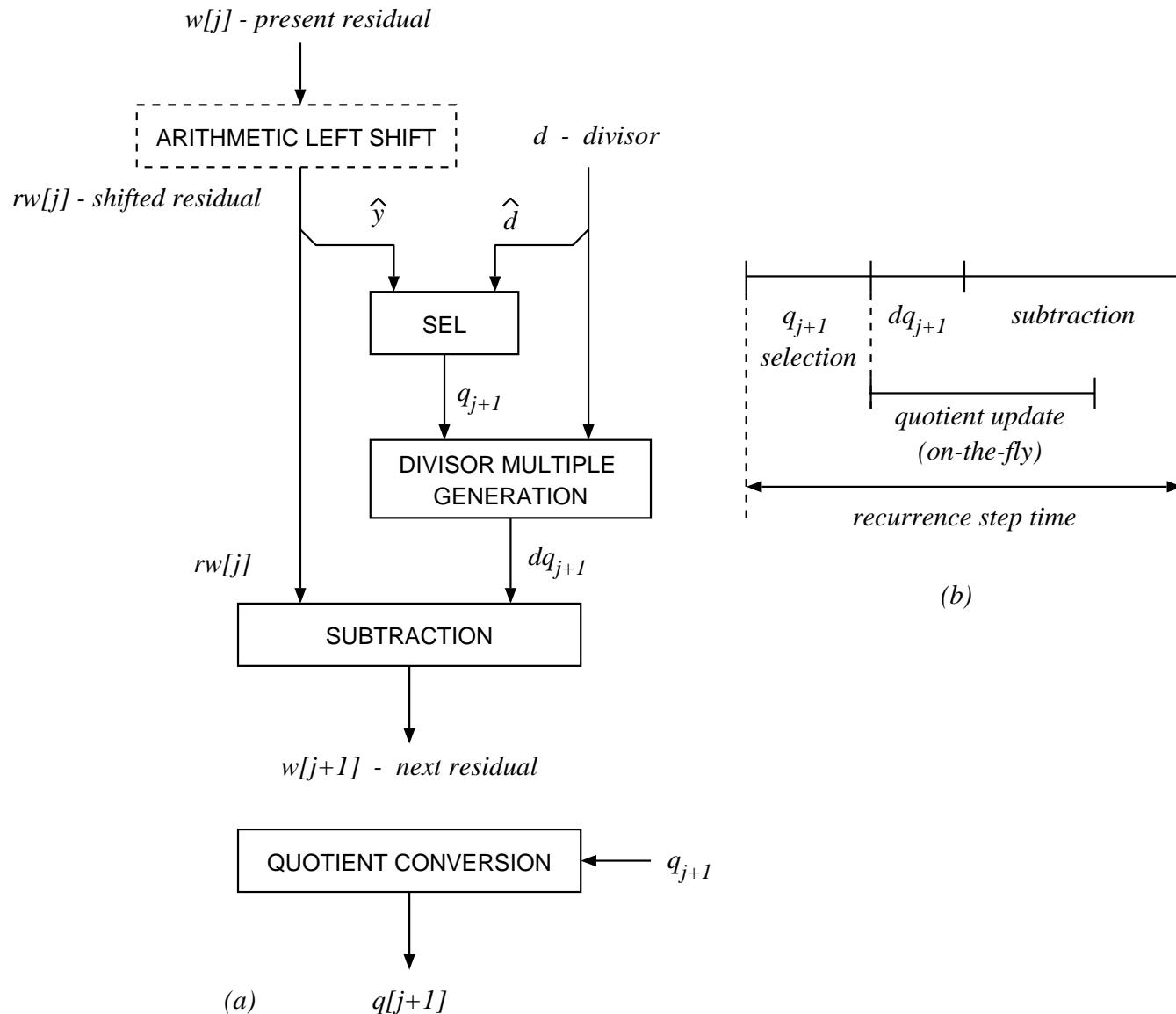


Figure 5.1: (a) COMPONENTS OF A DIVISION STEP. (b) TIMING.

MAIN FACTORS AFFECTING COST AND EXECUTION TIME

- RADIX r
- QUOTIENT-DIGIT SET
 1. CANONICAL: $0 \leq q_j \leq r - 1$
 2. REDUNDANT: $q_j \in \mathcal{D}_a = \{-a, -a + 1, \dots, -1, 0, 1, \dots, a - 1, a\}$
- REDUNDANCY FACTOR: $\rho = \frac{a}{r-1}, \quad \rho > \frac{1}{2}$
- REPRESENTATION OF RESIDUAL:
 1. NONREDUNDANT (e.g., 2's complement)
 2. REDUNDANT: carry-save, signed-digit
- QUOTIENT-DIGIT SELECTION FUNCTION

INITIALIZATION AND TERMINATION

Initialization:

- $w[0] = x - dq[0]$ and $|w[0]| \leq \rho d$. Options:

- Make $q[0] = 0$ and

- * For $\rho = 1$ we make $w[0] = x/2$.

- * For $1/2 < \rho < 1$ we make $w[0] = x/4$

Compensated in the termination step

- Make $q[0] = 1$ and $w[0] = x - d$. Applicable for $\rho < 1$ because $q > 1 + \rho$ not allowed.

Termination:

- QUOTIENT:

$$q = \begin{cases} q[N] & \text{if } w[N] \geq 0 \\ q[N] - r^{-N} & \text{if } w[N] < 0 \end{cases}$$

N – number of iterations

If dividend shifted in initialization - shift quotient (extra iteration)

ON-THE-FLY QUOTIENT CONVERSION

- j MS DIGITS OF CONVERTED QUOTIENT

$$Q[j] = \sum_{i=1}^j q_i r^{-i}$$

- UPDATE

$$Q[j+1] = Q[j] + q_{j+1} r^{-(j+1)}$$

- SINCE q_{j+1} CAN BE NEGATIVE:

$$Q[j+1] = \begin{cases} Q[j] + q_{j+1} r^{-(j+1)} & \text{if } q_{j+1} \geq 0 \\ Q[j] - r^{-j} + (r - |q_{j+1}|) r^{-(j+1)} & \text{if } q_{j+1} < 0 \end{cases}$$

- DISADVANTAGE: SUBTRACTION $Q[j] - r^{-j}$
REQUIRES THE PROPAGATION OF A BORROW – SLOW

ON-THE-FLY CONVERSION (cont.)

- DEFINE ANOTHER FORM $QM[j]$

$$QM[j] = Q[j] - r^{-j}$$

- NEW CONVERSION ALGORITHM IS

$$Q[j+1] = \begin{cases} Q[j] + q_{j+1}r^{-(j+1)} & \text{if } q_{j+1} \geq 0 \\ QM[j] + (r - |q_{j+1}|)r^{-(j+1)} & \text{if } q_{j+1} < 0 \end{cases}$$

- SUBTRACTION REPLACED BY LOADING THE FORM $QM[j]$
- UPDATE FORM $QM[j]$ AS FOLLOWS:

$$\begin{aligned} QM[j+1] &= Q[j+1] - r^{-(j+1)} \\ &= \begin{cases} Q[j] + (q_{j+1} - 1)r^{-(j+1)} & \text{if } q_{j+1} > 0 \\ QM[j] + ((r - 1) - |q_{j+1}|)r^{-(j+1)} & \text{if } q_{j+1} \leq 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

- ALL ADDITIONS ARE CONCATENATIONS

ON-THE-FLY CONVERSION ALGORITHM

$$Q[j+1] = \begin{cases} (Q[j], q_{j+1}) & \text{if } q_{j+1} \geq 0 \\ (QM[j], (r - |q_{j+1}|)) & \text{if } q_{j+1} < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$QM[j+1] = \begin{cases} (Q[j], q_{j+1} - 1) & \text{if } q_{j+1} > 0 \\ (QM[j], ((r - 1) - |q_{j+1}|)) & \text{if } q_{j+1} \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

INITIAL CONDITIONS $Q[0] = QM[0] = 0$ (for a positive quotient)

EXAMPLE OF RADIX-2 CONVERSION

j	q_j	$Q[j]$	$QM[j]$
0	0	0	0
1	1	0.1	0.0
2	1	0.11	0.10
3	0	0.110	0.101
4	1	0.1101	0.1100
5	-1	0.11001	0.11000
6	0	0.110010	0.110001
7	0	0.1100100	0.1100011
8	-1	0.11000111	0.11000110
9	1	0.110001111	0.110001110
10	0	0.1100011110	0.1100011101
11	1	0.11000111101	0.11000111100
12	0	0.110001111010	0.110001111001

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONVERSION

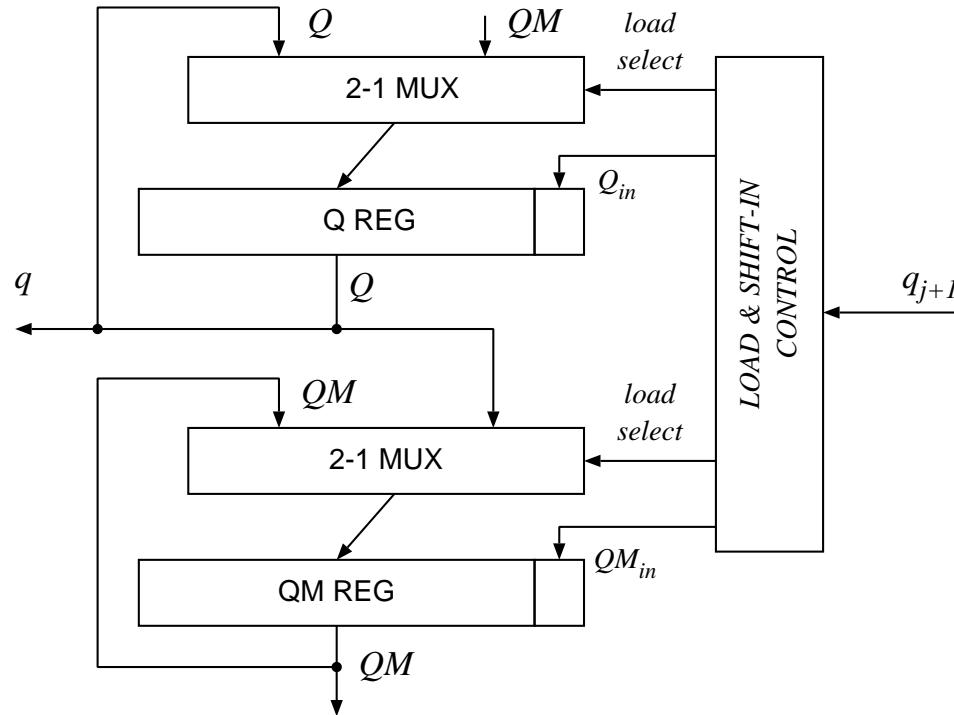


Figure 5.2: Implementation of on-the-fly conversion.

$$Q \leftarrow \begin{cases} \text{shift } Q \text{ with insert } (Q_{in}) & \text{if } C_{shiftQ} = 1 \\ \text{shift } QM \text{ with insert } (Q_{in}) & \text{if } C_{loadQ} = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$QM \leftarrow \begin{cases} \text{shift } QM \text{ with insert } (QM_{in}) & \text{if } C_{shiftQM} = 1 \\ \text{shift } Q \text{ with insert } (QM_{in}) & \text{if } C_{loadQM} = 1 \end{cases}$$

cont.

$$Q_{in} = \begin{cases} q_{j+1} & \text{if } q_{j+1} \geq 0 \\ r - |q_{j+1}| & \text{if } q_{j+1} < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$QM_{in} = \begin{cases} q_{j+1} - 1 & \text{if } q_{j+1} > 0 \\ (r - 1) - |q_{j+1}| & \text{if } q_{j+1} \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

REGISTER CONTROL SIGNALS: $C_{loadQ} = C'_{shiftQ}$ and $C_{loadQM} = C'_{shiftQM}$

EXAMPLE OF RADIX-4 CONVERSION

q_{j+1}	Q_{in}	C_{shiftQ}	$Q[j + 1]$	QM_{in}	$C_{shiftQM}$	$QM[j + 1]$
3	3	1	$(Q[j], 3)$	2	0	$(Q[j], 2)$
2	2	1	$(Q[j], 2)$	1	0	$(Q[j], 1)$
1	1	1	$(Q[j], 1)$	0	0	$(Q[j], 0)$
0	0	1	$(Q[j], 0)$	3	1	$(QM[j], 3)$
-1	3	0	$(QM[j], 3)$	2	1	$(QM[j], 2)$
-2	2	0	$(QM[j], 2)$	1	1	$(QM[j], 1)$
-3	1	0	$(QM[j], 1)$	0	1	$(QM[j], 0)$

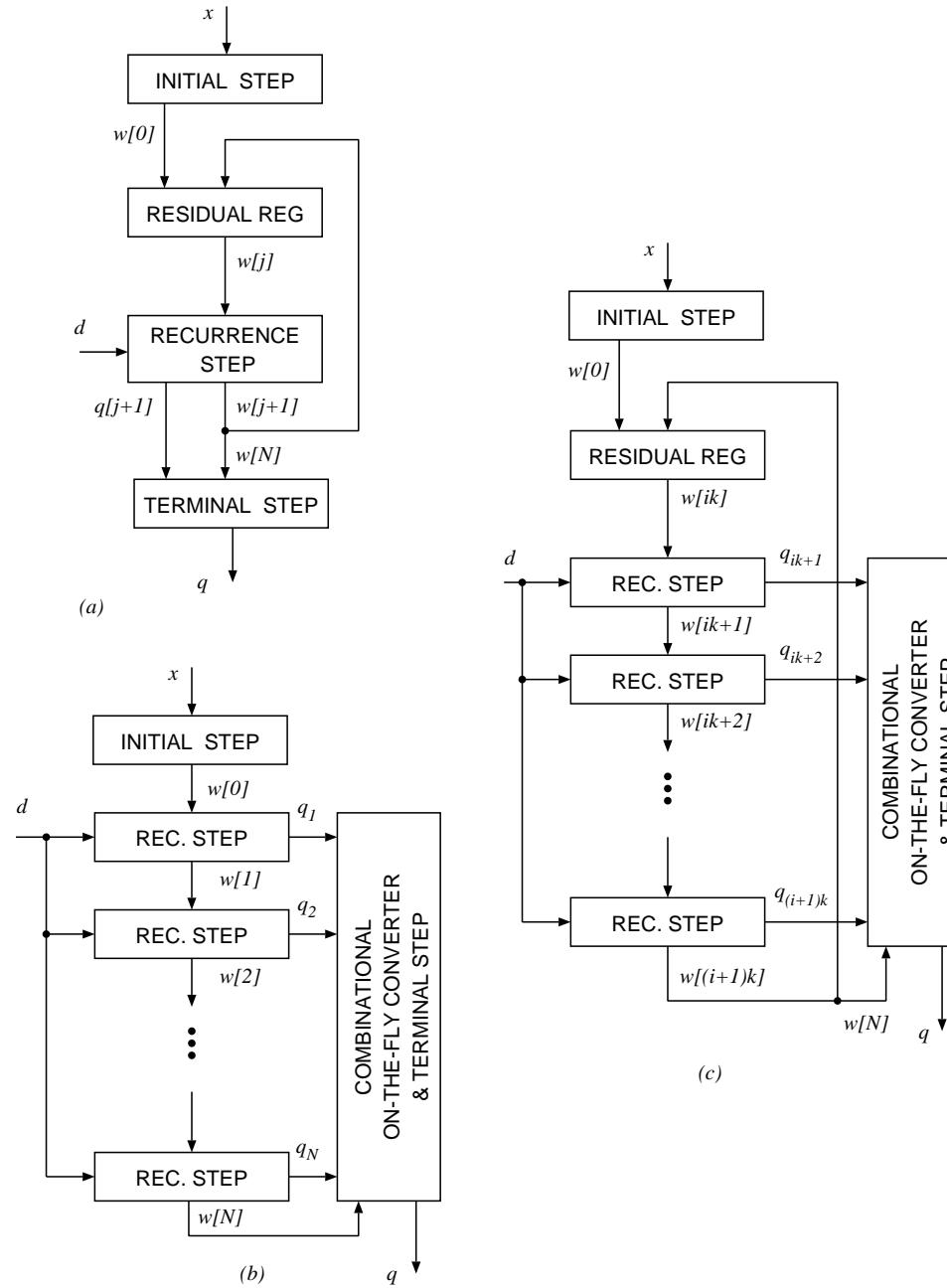


Figure 5.3: DIVISION IMPLEMENTATION: (a) TOTALLY SEQUENTIAL. (b) TOTALLY COMBINATIONAL. (c) COMBINED IMPLEMENTATION.

EXAMPLES OF ALGORITHMS AND IMPLEMENTATIONS

- CELLS: delay function of the load; delay and area in terms of 2-NAND.
- DEGREE OF OPTIMIZATION: the same modules have been used in all designs.
- INTERCONNECTIONS NOT INCLUDED: not considered the delay, area nor load of interconnections.
- EXECUTION TIME AND THE AREA FOR 53-BIT OPERANDS AND RESULT
- INCLUDED DELAY AND AREA OF REGISTERS

SCHEMES COMPARED

r2 Scheme Radix-2 with carry-save residual.

r4 Scheme Radix-4 with $a = 2$ and carry-save residual.

r8 Scheme Radix-8 with $a = 7$ and carry-save residual.

r16over Scheme Radix-16 with two overlapped radix-4 stages.

r512 Scheme Radix-512 with $a = 511$, carry-save residual, scaling, and quotient-digit selection by rounding.

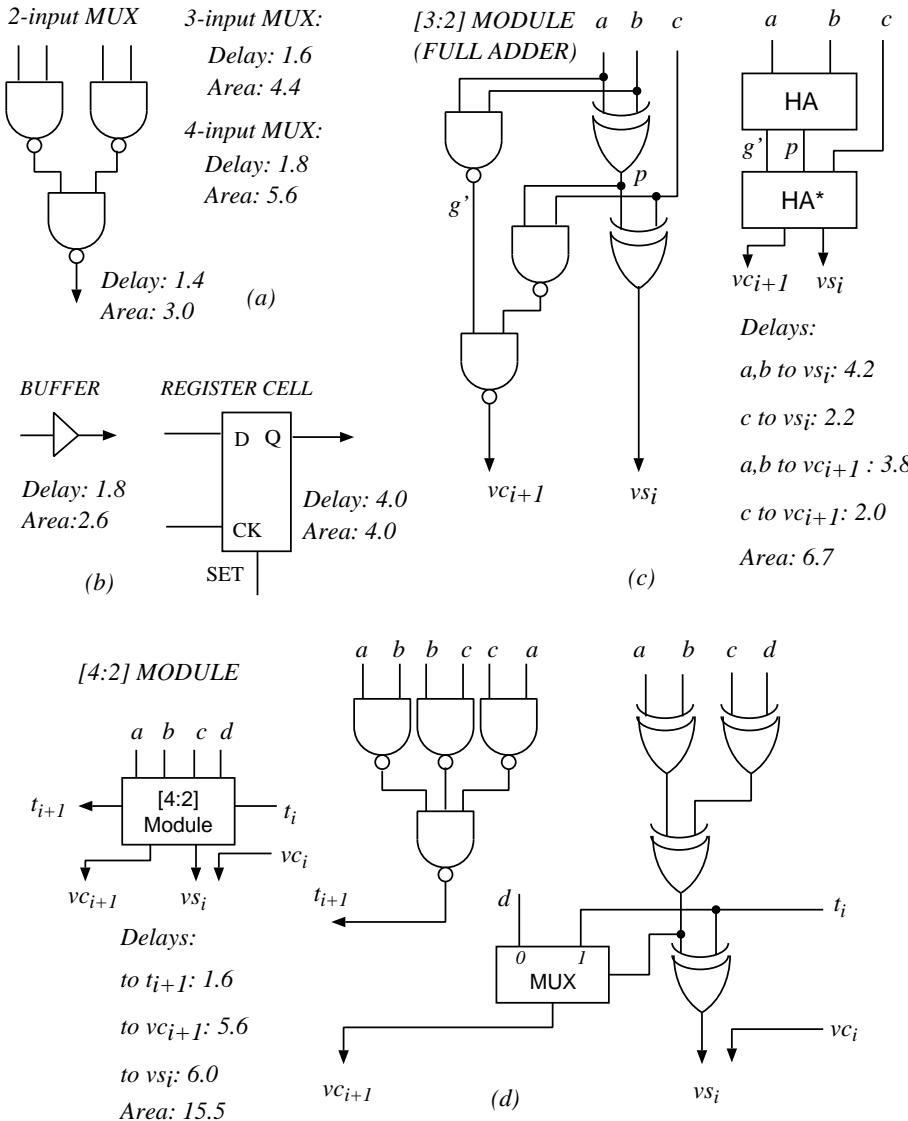


Figure 5.4: Basic modules: (a) Multiplexers. (b) Buffer and register cell. (c) Full-adder. (d) [4:2] module.

RADIX-2 DIVISION WITH CS RESIDUAL

- REDUNDANT RESIDUAL $w[j] = (WC[j], WS[j])$

1. [Initialize]

$WS[0] \leftarrow x/2; WC[0] \leftarrow 0; q_0 \leftarrow 0; Q[-1]=0$

2. [Recurrence]

for $j = 0 \dots n + 1$ ($n + 2$ iterations because of initialization and guard bit)

$q_{j+1} \leftarrow SEL(\hat{y});$

$(WC[j + 1], WS[j + 1]) \leftarrow CSADD(2WC[j], 2WS[j], -q_{j+1}d);$

$Q[j] \leftarrow CONVERT(Q[j - 1], q_j)$

end for

3. [Terminate]

If $w[n + 2] < 0$ **then** $q = 2(CONVERT(Q[n + 1], q_{n+2} - 1))$

else $q = 2(CONVERT(Q[n + 1], q_{n+2}))$

RADIX-2 ALGORITHM (cont.)

- n is the precision in bits,
- SEL is the quotient-digit selection function:

$$q_{j+1} = SEL(\hat{y}) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } 0 \leq \hat{y} \leq 3/2 \\ 0 & \text{if } \hat{y} = -1/2 \\ -1 & \text{if } -5/2 \leq \hat{y} \leq -1 \end{cases}$$

The estimate \hat{y} has four bits (three integer bits and one fractional bit) of the shifted residual in carry-save form,

- $CSADD$ is carry-save addition
- $-q_{j+1}d$ is in 2's complement form, and
- $CONVERT$ on-the-fly quotient conversion function

Dividend $x = (0.10011111)$, divisor $d = (0.11000101)$, scaled residual
 $2w[0] = 2(x/2) = x$, $q_{computed} = q/2$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 2WS[0] = 000.10011111 \\
 2WC[0] = 000.00000001 * \hat{y}[0] = 0.5 \quad q_1 = 1 \\
 -q_1 d = 11.00111010 \\
 \hline
 2WS[1] = 111.01001000 \\
 2WC[1] = 000.01101100 \quad \hat{y}[0] = -1 \quad q_2 = -1 \\
 -q_2 d = 00.11000101 \\
 \hline
 2WS[2] = 111.11000010 \\
 2WC[2] = 001.00110001 * \hat{y}[1] = 0.5 \quad q_3 = 1 \\
 -q_3 d = 11.00111010 \\
 \hline
 2WS[3] = 011.10010010 \\
 2WC[3] = 100.11001001 * \hat{y}[2] = 0 \quad q_4 = 1 \\
 -q_4 d = 11.00111010 \\
 \hline
 2WS[4] = 000.11000010 \\
 2WC[4] = 110.01101000 \quad \hat{y}[4] = -1.5 \quad q_5 = -1 \\
 -q_5 d = 00.11000101 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

* for 2's complement of $q_{j+1}d$

$$q = 2(.1\bar{1}11\bar{1}) = .1101$$

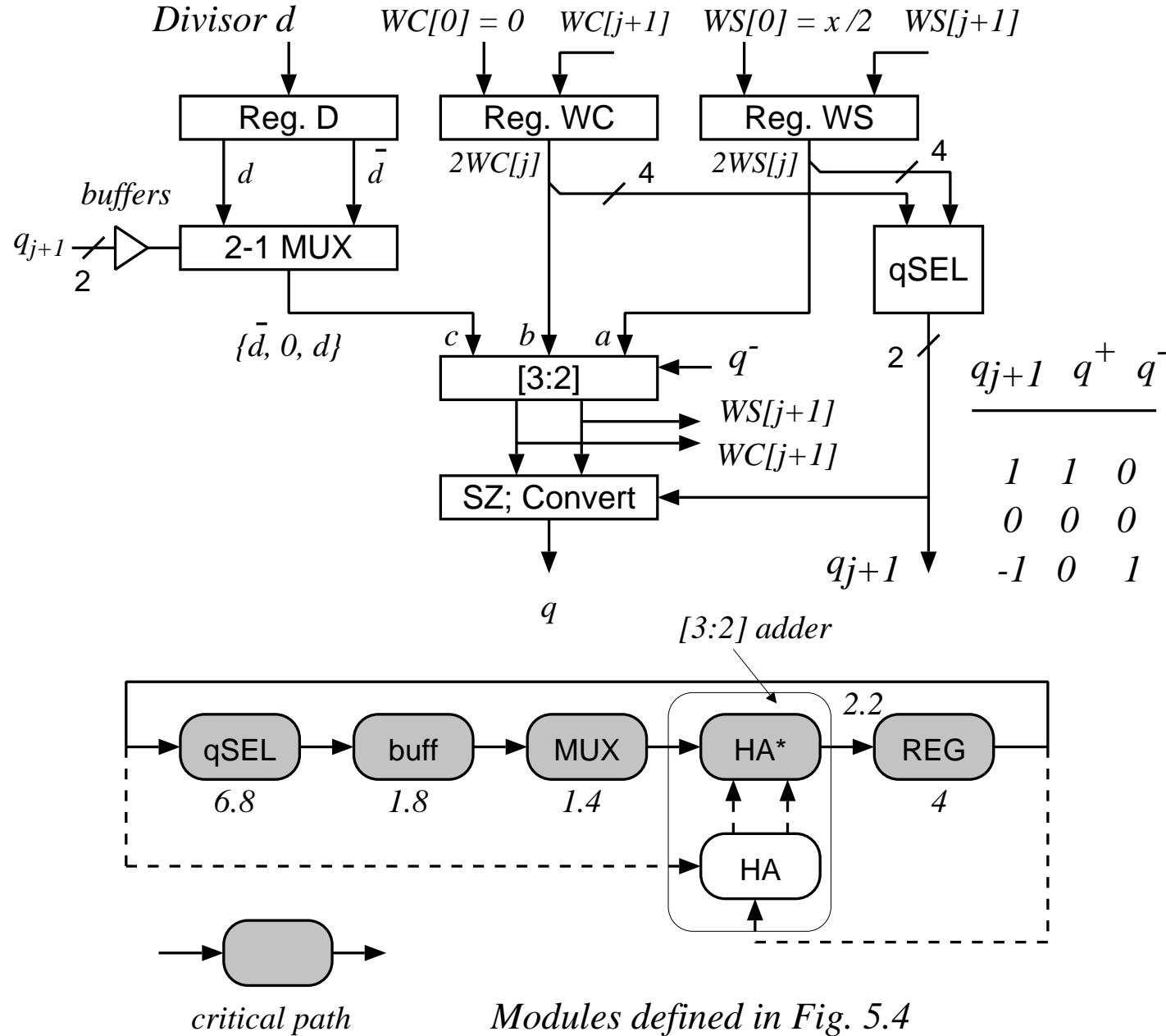


Figure 5.8: IMPLEMENTATION OF RADIX-2 SCHEME.

DELAY AND AREA OF RADIX-2 STAGE

element	delay	area
q-digit selection	6.8	50
buffers	1.8	5
MUX	1.4	160
CSA	2.2	360
registers (3)	4.0	650
Convert & Round	(NC)	1360
Cycle time	16.2	
Total area		2585

NC denotes a delay not in the critical path

RADIX-4 DIVISION WITH CS RESIDUAL

1. QUOTIENT DIGIT SET $\{-2,-1,0,1,2\}$

2. $\rho < 1$ initialize $WS[0] \leftarrow x/4$

3. THE NEXT RESIDUAL

$$(WC[j+1], WS[j+1]) \leftarrow CSADD(4WC[j], 4WS[j], -q_{j+1}d)$$

4. QUOTIENT-DIGIT SELECTION DEPENDS ON ESTIMATES OF SHIFTED RESIDUAL AND DIVISOR described in terms of SELECTION CONSTANTS

$$m_k(i)$$

$$q_{j+1} = k \text{ if } m_k(i) \leq \hat{y} < m_{k+1}(i)$$

5. FINAL QUOTIENT = 4 × OBTAINED QUOTIENT

SELECTION CONSTANTS

- $q_{j+1} = k$ if $m_k(i) \leq \hat{y} < m_{k+1}(i)$
- $i = 16\hat{d}$ and \hat{d} divisor truncated to the 4th fractional bit and
- \hat{y} is $4w[j]$ truncated to the 4th fractional bit.

i	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
$m_2(i)^+$	12	14	15	16	18	20	20	24
$m_1(i)^+$	4	4	4	4	6	6	8	8
$m_0(i)^+$	-4	-6	-6	-6	-8	-8	-8	-8
$m_{-1}(i)^+$	-13	-15	-16	-18	-20	-20	-22	-24

+: real value = shown value/16

Dividend $x = (0.10101111)$, divisor $d = (0.11000101)$ ($i = 16(0.1100)_2 = 12$)
scaled residual $4w[0] = 4(x/4) = x$, $q_{computed} = q/4$

$$\begin{array}{r}
4WS[0]^+ = 000.10101111 \\
4WC[0]^+ = 000.00000001 * \hat{y}[0] = 10/16 \quad q_1 = 1 \\
-q_1 d^+ = 11.00111010 \\
\hline
WS[1] = 1.10010100 \\
WC[1] = 0.01010110 \\
\hline
4WS[1]^+ = 110.01010000 \\
4WC[1]^+ = 001.01011000 \quad \hat{y}[1] = -6/16 \quad q_2 = 0 \\
-q_2 d^+ = 00.00000000 \\
\hline
WS[2] = 1.00001000 \\
WC[2] = 0.10100000 \\
\hline
4WS[2]^+ = 100.00100000 \\
4WC[2]^+ = 010.10000000 \quad \hat{y}[2] = -22/16 \quad q_3 = -2 \\
-q_3 d^+ = 01.10001010 \\
\hline
w[3] = 0.00101010
\end{array}$$

* least-significant 1 for 2's complement of $q_{j+1}d$

+ only one integer bit used in the recurrence, because of the range of $w[j + 1]$.

$$q[3] = .10\bar{2}_4 = .032_4$$

DELAY AND AREA OF RADIX-4 STAGE

element	delay	area
q-digit selection	10.8	160
buffers	1.8	10
MUX	1.8	300
CSA	2.2	360
registers (3)	4.0	650
Convert & Round	(NC)	1360
Cycle time	20.6	
Total area		2840

NC denotes a delay not in the critical path

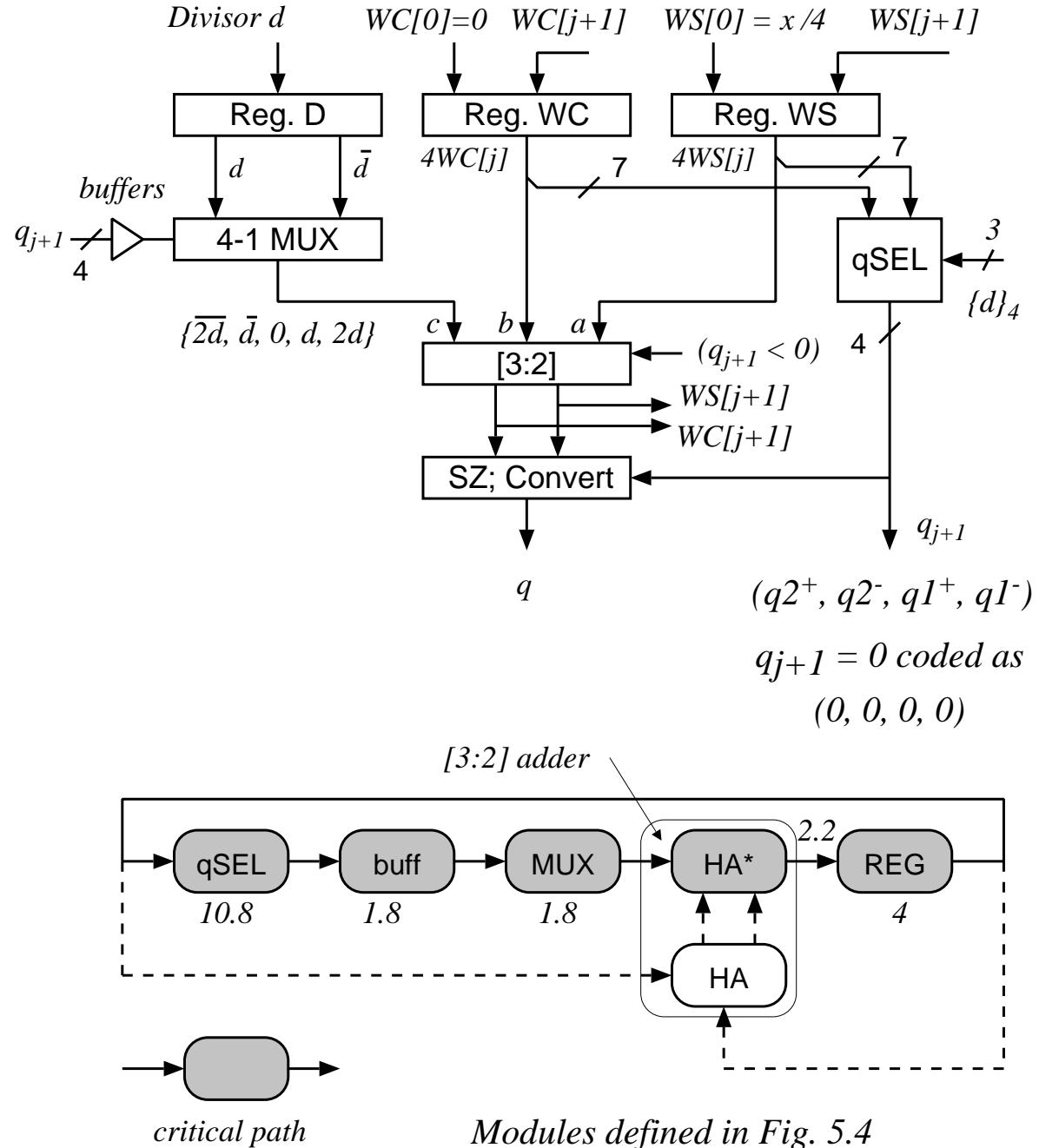


Figure 5.10: IMPLEMENTATION OF RADIX-4 SCHEME.

RADIX-8 DIVISION WITH CS RESIDUAL

- QUOTIENT DIGIT SET $\{-7, \dots, 7\}$ DECOMPOSED INTO

$$q_H = \{-8, -4, 0, 4, 8\}$$

AND

$$q_L = \{-2, -1, 0, 1, 2\}$$

element	delay	area
q-digit selection buffers	(q_h) 12.2 1.8	610 20
MUXes	1.8	600
CSA _H	2.2	360
CSA _I	4.2	360
registers (3)	4.0	650
Convert & Round	(NC)	1360
Cycle time	26.2	
Total area		3960

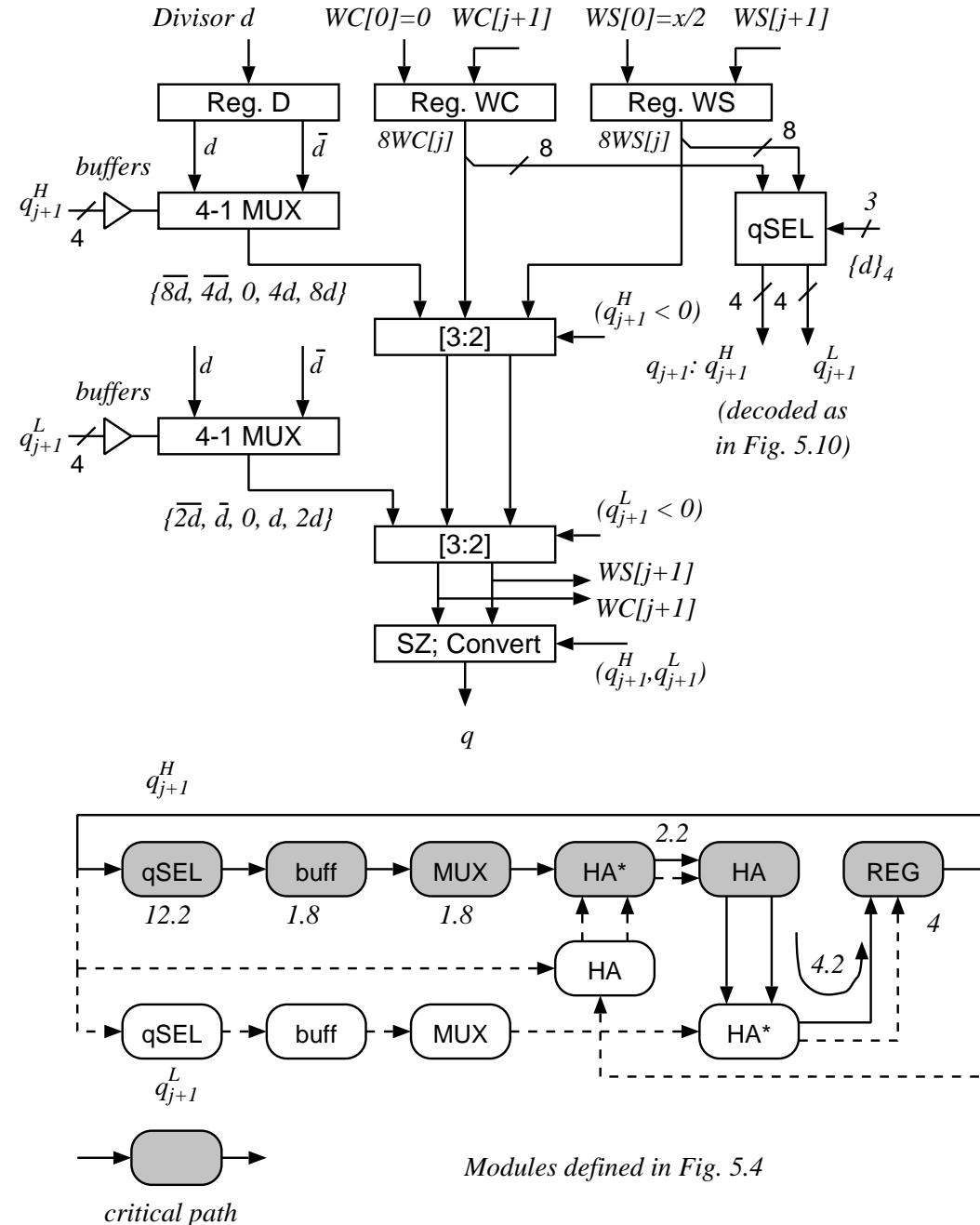


Figure 5.11: Implementation of radix-8 scheme.

RADIX-16 DIVISION WITH TWO RADIX-4 OVERLAPPED STAGES

element	delay	area
CSA	4.2	220
q-digit selection	11.2	820
MUX	1.4	
buffers	1.8	20
MUXes	1.8	600
CSA1	(NC)	360
CSA2	2.1	360
registers (3)	4.0	650
Convert & Round	(NC)	1360
Cycle time	26.6	
Total area		4390

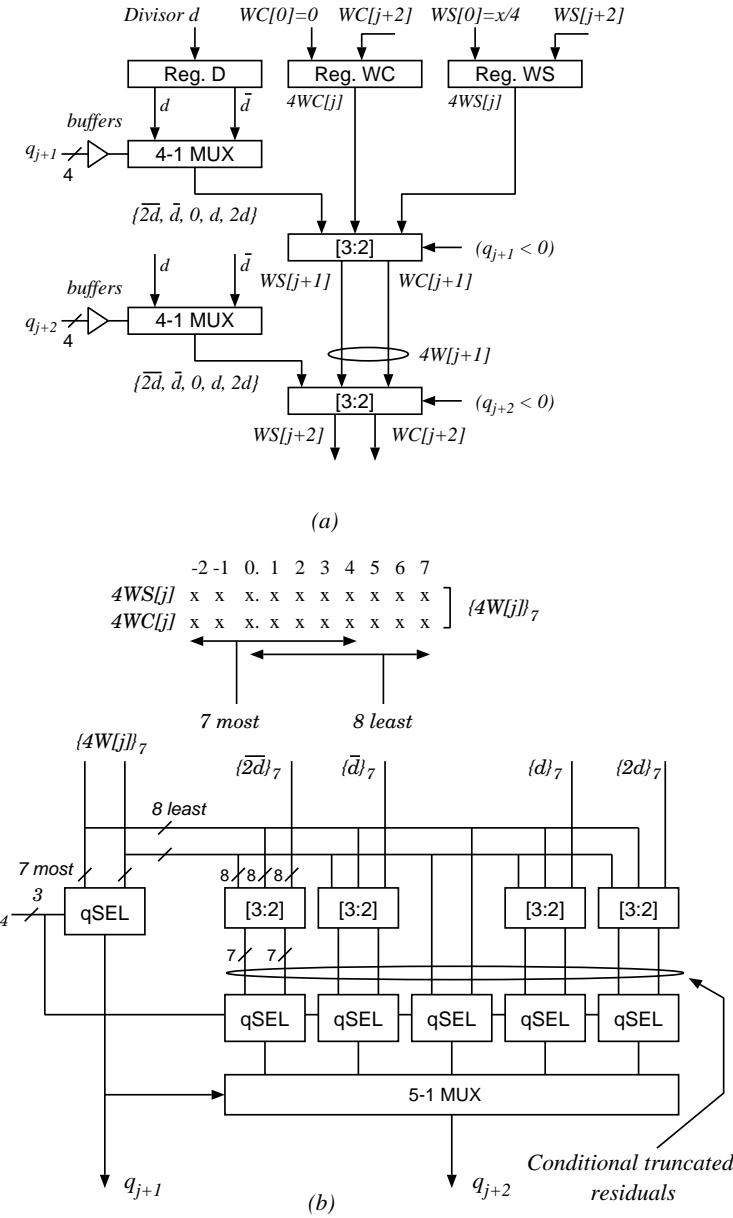


Figure 5.12: Implementation of radix-16 with radix-4 stages.

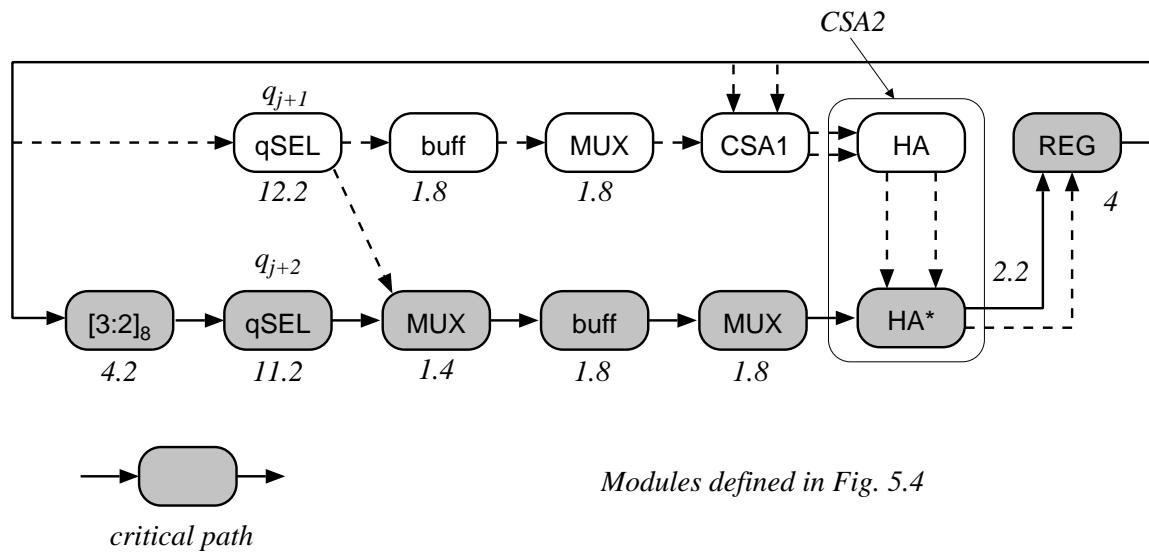


Figure 5.13: Critical path in radix-16 scheme.

RADIX-512 DIVISION WITH PRESCALING AND SELECTION BY ROUNDING

Cycle 1 : COMPUTE $M \approx 1/d$; compare d and x and set g

Cycle 2 : COMPUTE $z = Md$ (in c-s form); $v = 2^{-g}x$

Cycle 3 : INITIALIZE $w[0] = Mv$ (in c-s form); ASSIMILATE z ;

Cycles 4 to 9 : ITERATE

$$q_{j+1} = \text{round}(\hat{y}); \quad w[j+1] = 512w[j] - q_{j+1}z$$

Cycle 10 : CORRECTING AND ROUNDING.

RADIX-512 DIVISION (cont.)

- RECTANGULAR MULTIPLIER-ACCUMULATOR
- DELAY-AREA

element	delay	area
M-module	(NC)	1800
MUX	1.4	
recoder	6.0	70
buffer	1.8	
MUX	1.8	3000
2 levels of 4-2 CSA	12.0	3100
registers(3)	4.0	650
Convert & Round	(NC)	1360
Cycle time	27	
Total area		9980

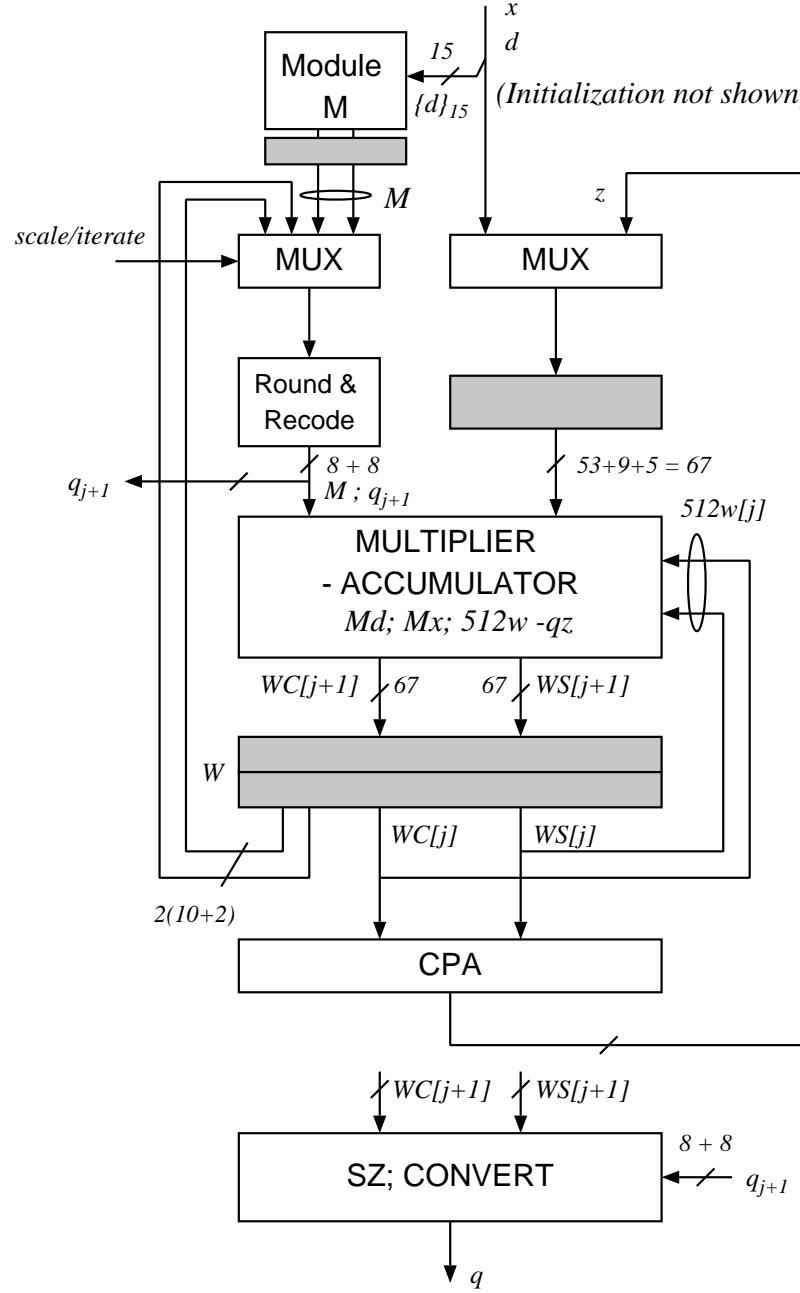


Figure 5.14: Implementation of radix-512 scheme.

OVERALL COMPARISONS

Scheme	r2	r4	r8	r16 (overlapped)	r512
Cycle-time factor	1.0	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.7
Number of cycles†	57	29	20	15	10
Speedup	1.0	1.5	1.8	2.4	3.4
Area factor	1.0	1.1	1.5	1.7	3.9

†Correction: two cycles for radix-2, one cycle for other cases.

QUOTIENT-DIGIT SELECTION FUNCTION

Quotient-digit set:

$$q_{j+1} \in \mathcal{D}_a = \{-a, -a + 1, \dots, -1, 0, 1, \dots, a - 1, a\}$$

Redundancy factor:

$$\rho = \frac{a}{r - 1}, \quad \frac{1}{2} < \rho \leq 1$$

- TWO FUNDAMENTAL CONDITIONS FOR q-SELECTION
- CONTAINMENT – must guarantee bounded residual
- CONTINUITY – there must exist a valid choice of q_{j+1} in the range of shifted residual

CONTAINMENT AND SELECTION INTERVALS

- RESIDUAL RECURRENCE

$$w[j+1] = rw[j] - dq_{j+1} \quad |w[j]| \leq \rho d$$

$$\rho = a/(r-1) \quad -a \leq q_j \leq a$$

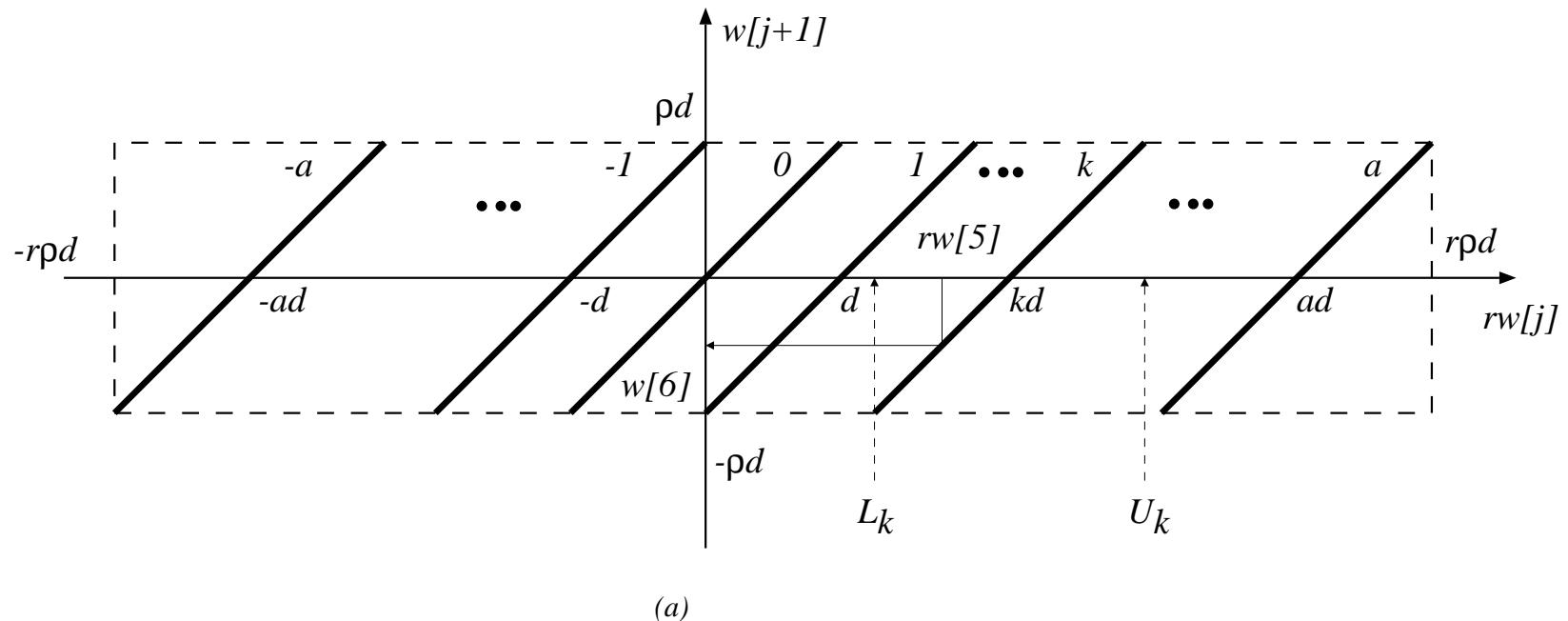
- SELECTION INTERVALS
- If $rw[j] \in [L_k, U_k]$ then $q_{j+1} = k$ makes $w[j+1]$ bounded

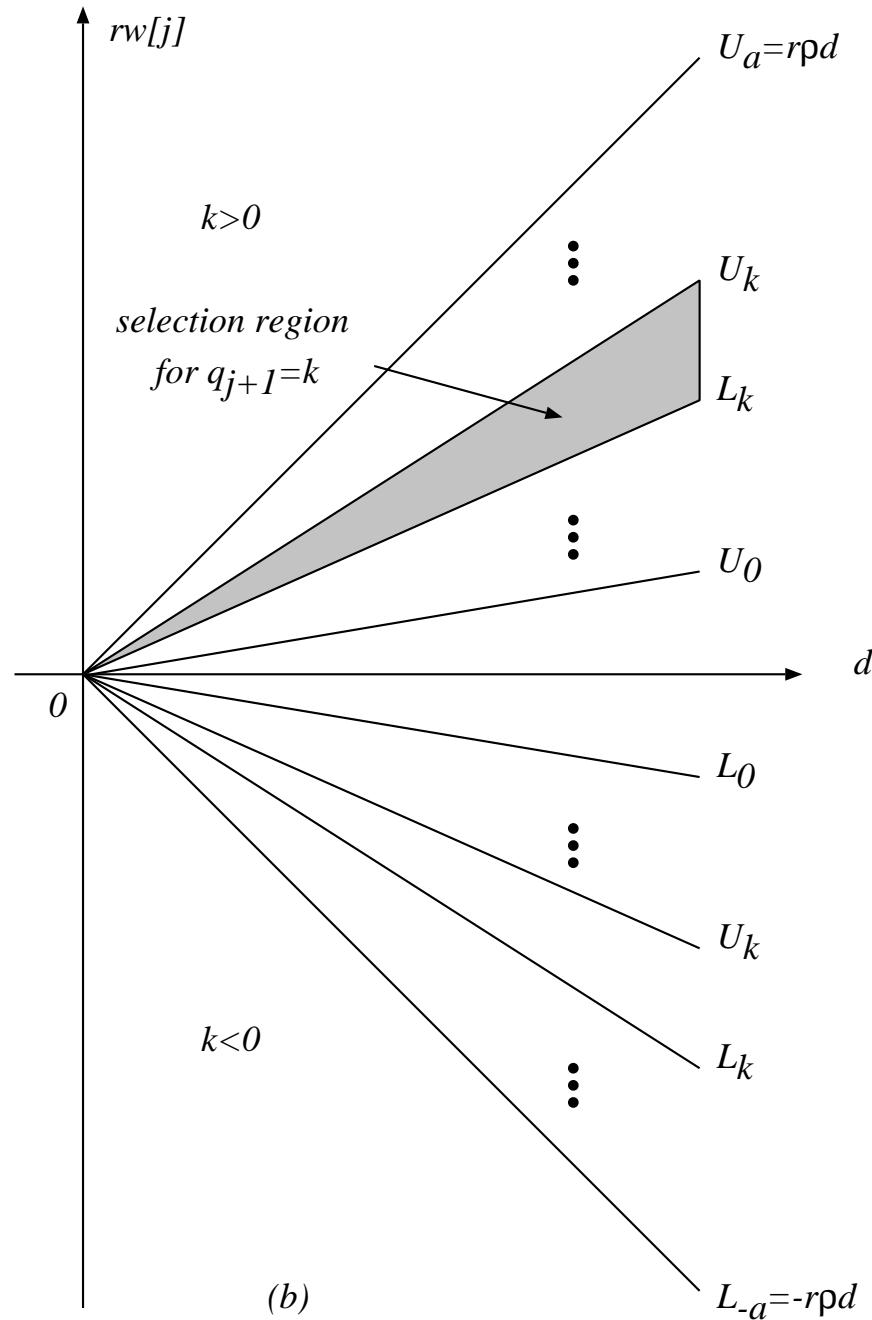
$$L_k \leq rw[j] \leq U_k \Rightarrow \rho d \leq w[j+1] = rw[j] - k \cdot d \leq \rho d$$

- EXPRESSIONS FOR SELECTION INTERVALS

$$U_k = (k + \rho)d \quad L_k = (k - \rho)d$$

ROBERTSON'S AND P-D DIAGRAMS



Figure 5.16: P-D DIAGRAM (for $d > 0$).

CONTINUITY CONDITION, OVERLAP, AND Q-DIGIT SELECTION

$$q_{j+1} = SEL(w[j], d)$$

- SEL represented by the set $\{s_k\}, -a \leq k \leq a,$

$$q_{j+1} = k \quad \text{if } s_k \leq rw[j] \leq s_{k+1} - ulp$$

- s_k defined as the **minimum** value of $rw[j]$ for which $q_{j+1} = k$
- s_k 's are functions of the divisor d
- CONTAINMENT: $L_k \leq s_k \leq U_k$
- CONTINUITY: $q_{j+1} = k - 1$ for $rw[j] = s_k - ulp \leq U_{k-1}$

$$U_k \geq U_{k-1} + ulp \rightarrow L_k \leq s_k \leq U_{k-1} + ulp \text{ or } L_k \leq s_k \leq U_{k-1}$$

- OVERLAP

$$U_{k-1} - L_k = (k - 1 + \rho)d - (k - \rho)d = (2\rho - 1)d$$

RESULTING IN

$$\rho \geq 2^{-1}$$

- REDUNDANCY IN q-DIGIT SET → OVERLAP BETWEEN SELECTION INTERVALS - SIMPLER SELECTION

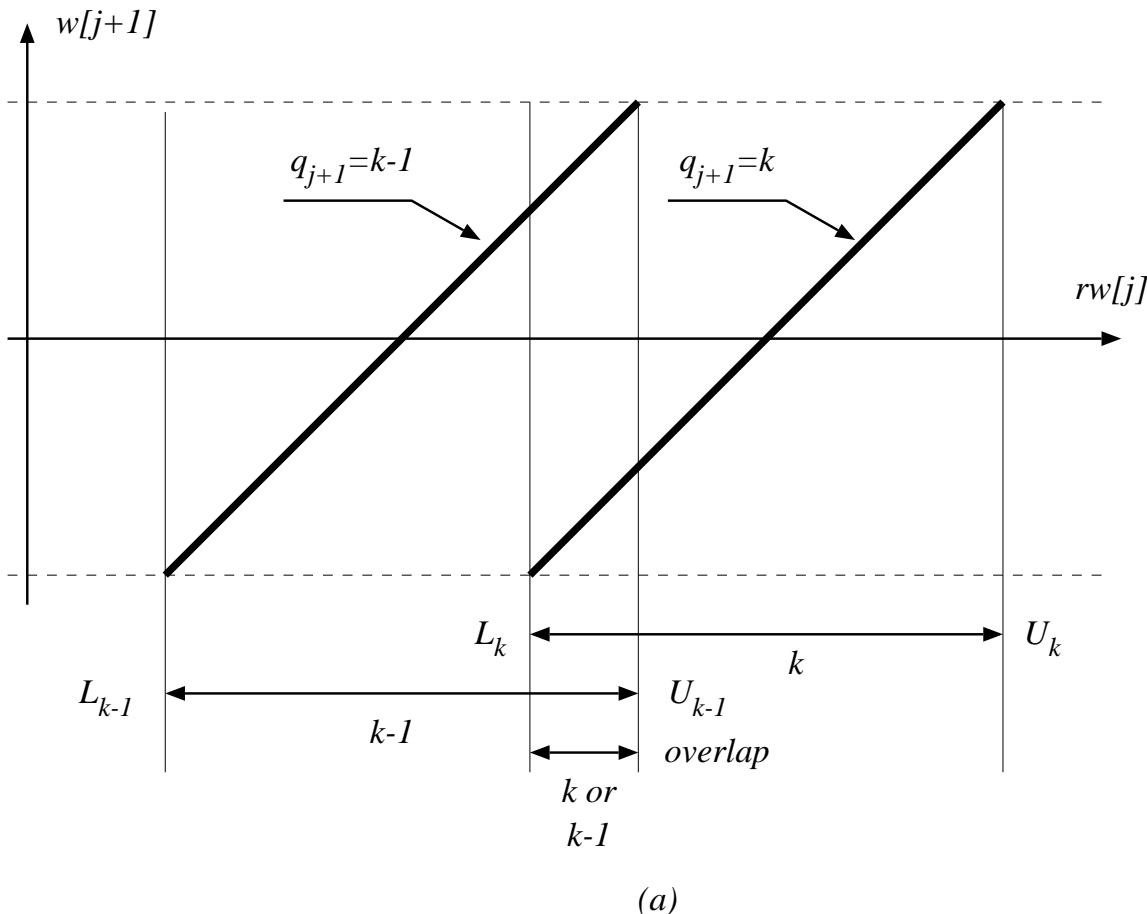


Figure 5.17: Overlap between selection intervals.

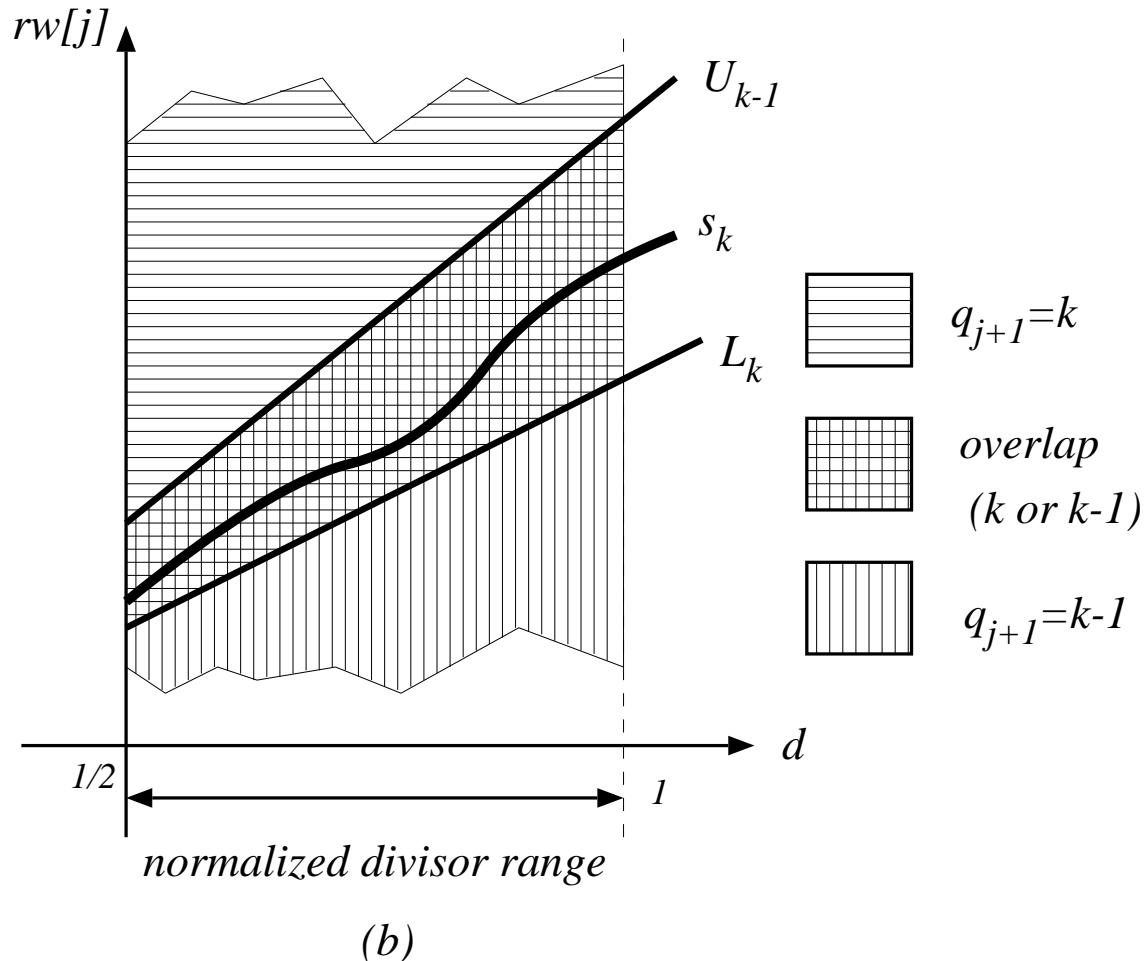


Figure 5.17: Selection function.

SELECTION USING CONSTANTS

- USE CONSTANTS m_k , INDEPENDENT OF DIVISOR

$$\max(L_k) \leq m_k \leq \min(U_{k-1}) + ulp$$

max and min for the range $2^{-1} \leq d < 1$

- For $k > 0$

$$(k - \rho) \leq m_k \leq (k - 1 + \rho)2^{-1} + ulp$$

which requires

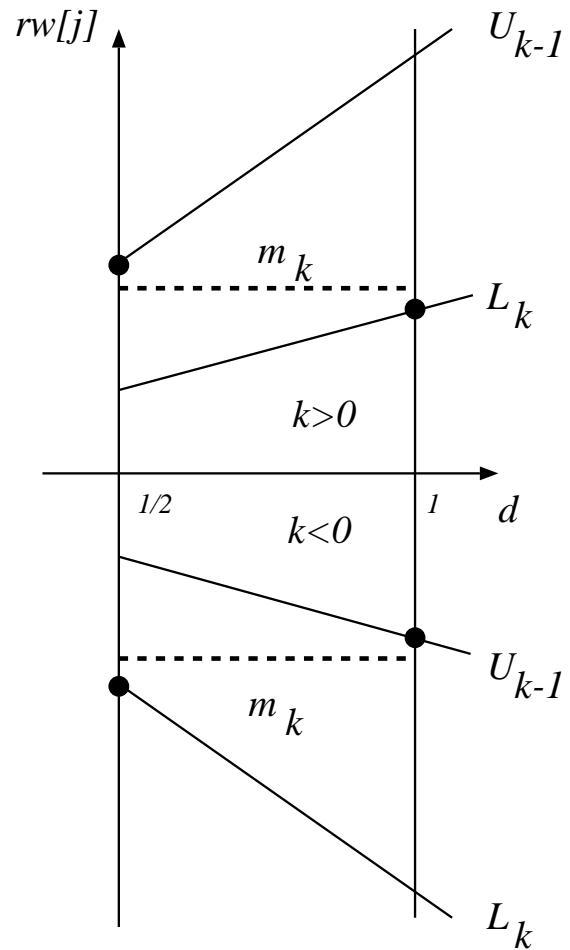
$$\rho \geq \frac{k + 1}{3}$$

- For $k \leq 0$

$$(k - \rho)2^{-1} \leq k - 1 + \rho$$

which requires

$$\rho \geq \frac{(-k) + 2}{3}$$

Figure 5.18: BOUNDS ON m_k .

RADIX-2 DIVISION WITH NON-REDUNDANT RESIDUAL

- EXTENSION OF NON-RESTORING DIVISION: $\{-1,0,1\}$ SRT
- ALLOWS SKIPPING OVER ZEROS

$$\begin{array}{ll} U_1 = 2d & L_1 = 0 \\ U_0 = d \geq 1/2 & L_0 = -d \leq -1/2 \\ U_{-1} = 0 & L_{-1} = -2d \end{array}$$

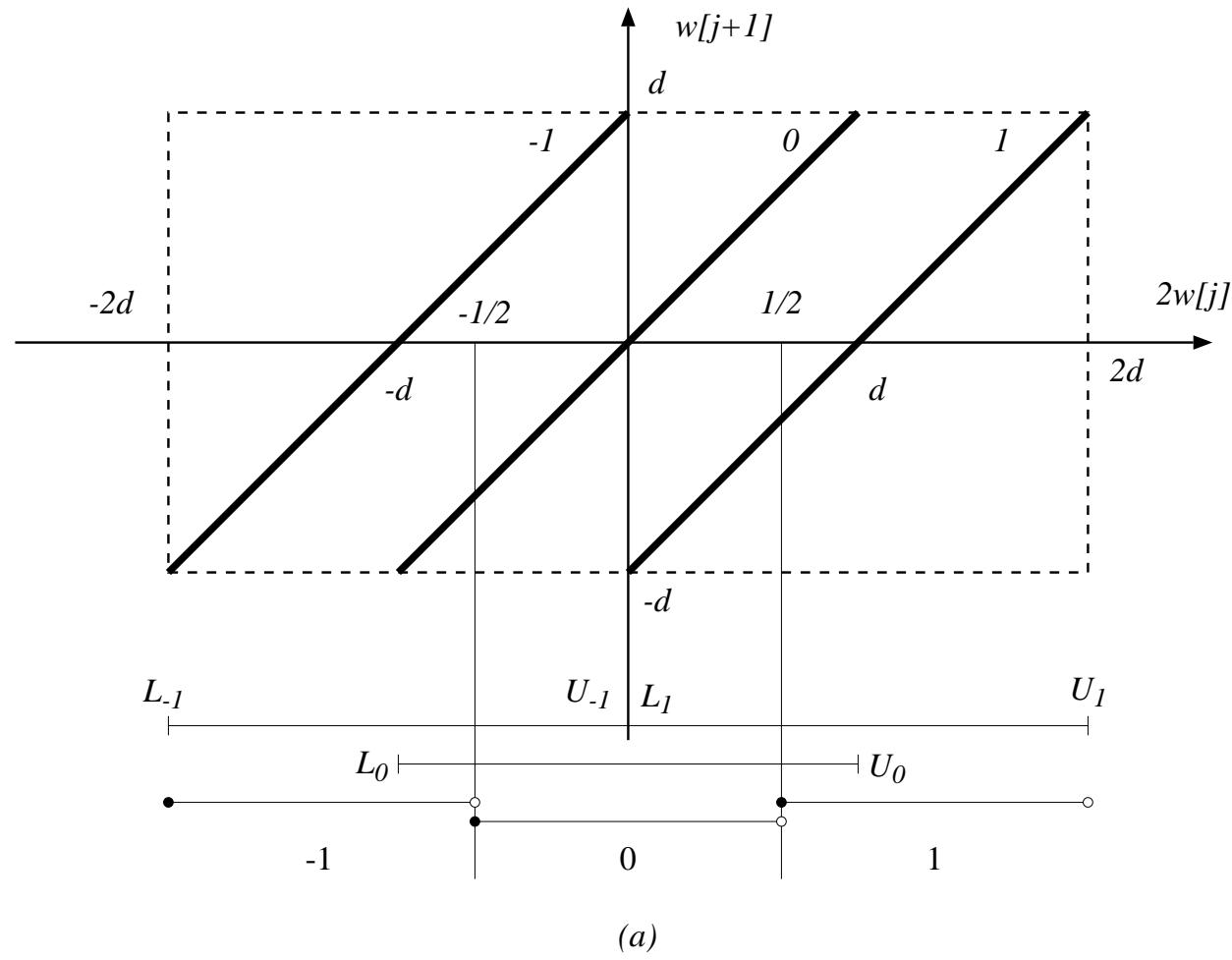
- SELECTION CONSTANTS:

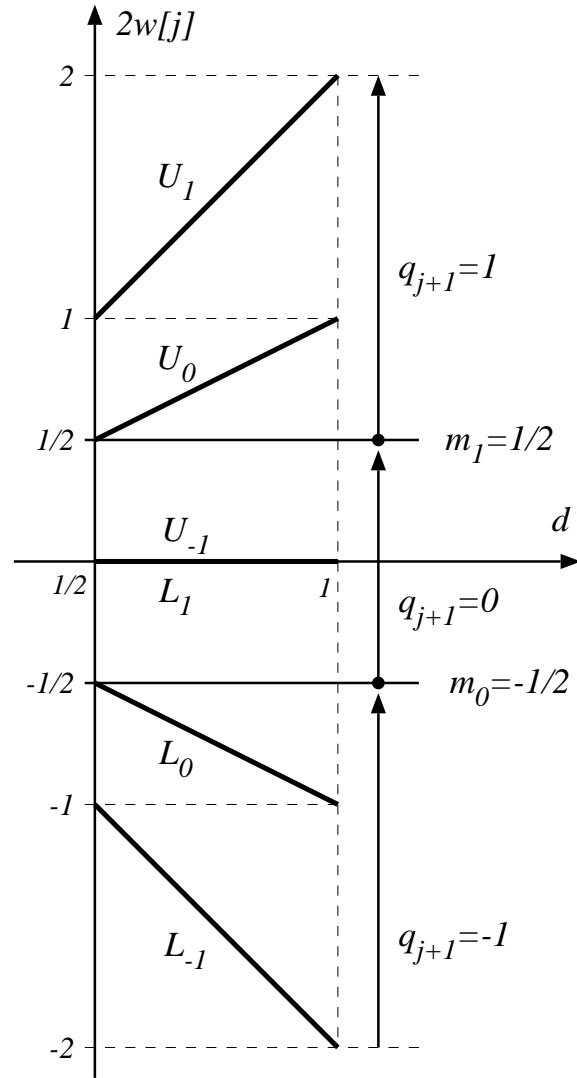
$$0 \leq m_1 \leq 1/2, \quad -1/2 \leq m_0 \leq 0$$

Choose: $m_1 = 1/2$ and $m_0 = -1/2$

- THE QUOTIENT-DIGIT SELECTION FUNCTION

$$q_{j+1} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } 1/2 \leq 2w[j] \\ 0 & \text{if } -1/2 \leq 2w[j] < 1/2 \\ -1 & \text{if } 2w[j] < -1/2 \end{cases}$$





STAIRCASE SELECTION FUNCTION

- FOR $r > 2$, m_k DEPENDS ON DIVISOR
- DIVIDE RANGE OF DIVISOR INTO INTERVALS $[d_i, d_{i+1})$ with

$$d_0 = \frac{1}{2}, \quad d_{i+1} = d_i + 2^{-\delta}$$

δ MS FRACTIONAL BITS OF DIVISOR REPRESENT THE INTERVAL

- FOR EACH INTERVAL, THERE IS A SET of *selection constants* $m_k(i)$

for $d \in [d_i, d_{i+1})$, $q_{j+1} = k$ if $m_k(i) \leq rw[j] \leq m_{k+1}(i) - ulp$

DEFINITION OF $m_k(i)$

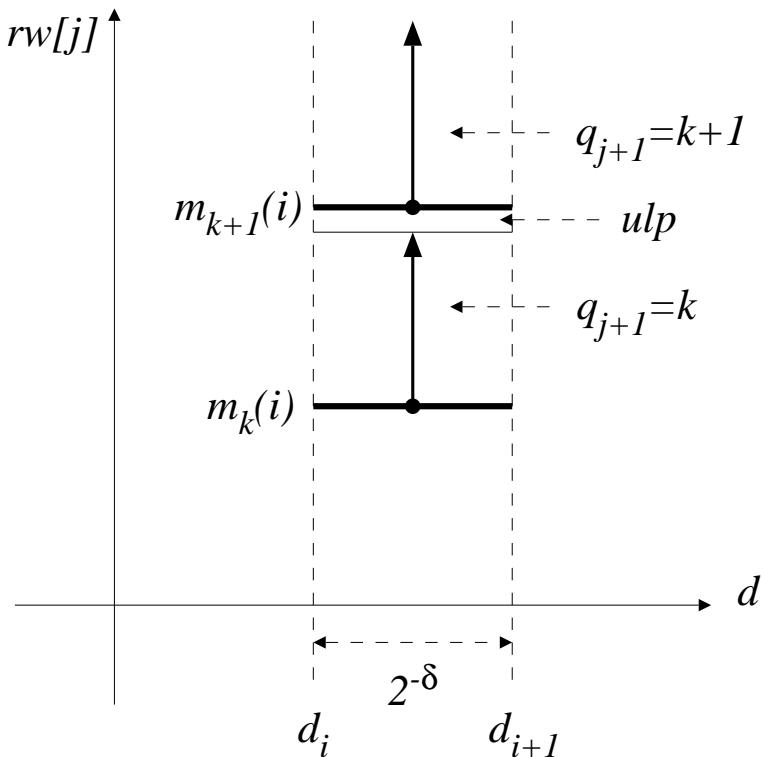


Figure 5.20: DEFINITION OF $m_k(i)$.

RANGE CONDITION FOR SELECTION CONSTANTS

$$\max(L_k(d_i), L_k(d_{i+1})) \leq m_k(i) \leq \min(U_{k-1}(d_i), U_{k-1}(d_{i+1})) + ulp$$

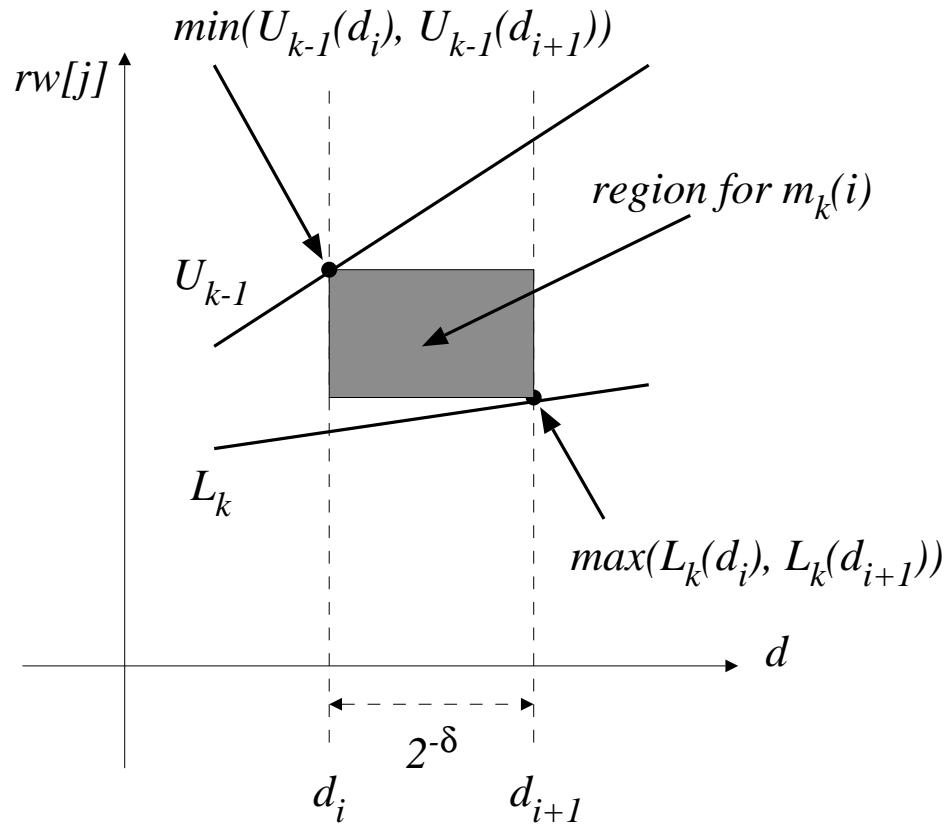


Figure 5.21: SELECTION CONSTANT REGION.

LOW-PRECISION SELECTION CONSTANTS

$$m_k(i) = A_k(i)2^{-c}$$

WHERE $A_k(i)$ IS INTEGER

- CAN USE TRUNCATED RESIDUAL IN COMPARISONS WITH SELECTION CONSTANTS
- RESIDUAL MUST BE IN 2's COMPLEMENT
- SELECTION CONDITIONS

$$\text{for } k > 0 \quad L_k(d_i + 2^{-\delta}) \leq A_k(i)2^{-c} \leq U_{k-1}(d_i) \tag{5.1}$$

$$\text{for } k \leq 0 \quad L_k(d_i) \leq A_k(i)2^{-c} \leq U_{k-1}(d_i + 2^{-\delta}) + ulp$$

USE OF SELECTION CONSTANTS

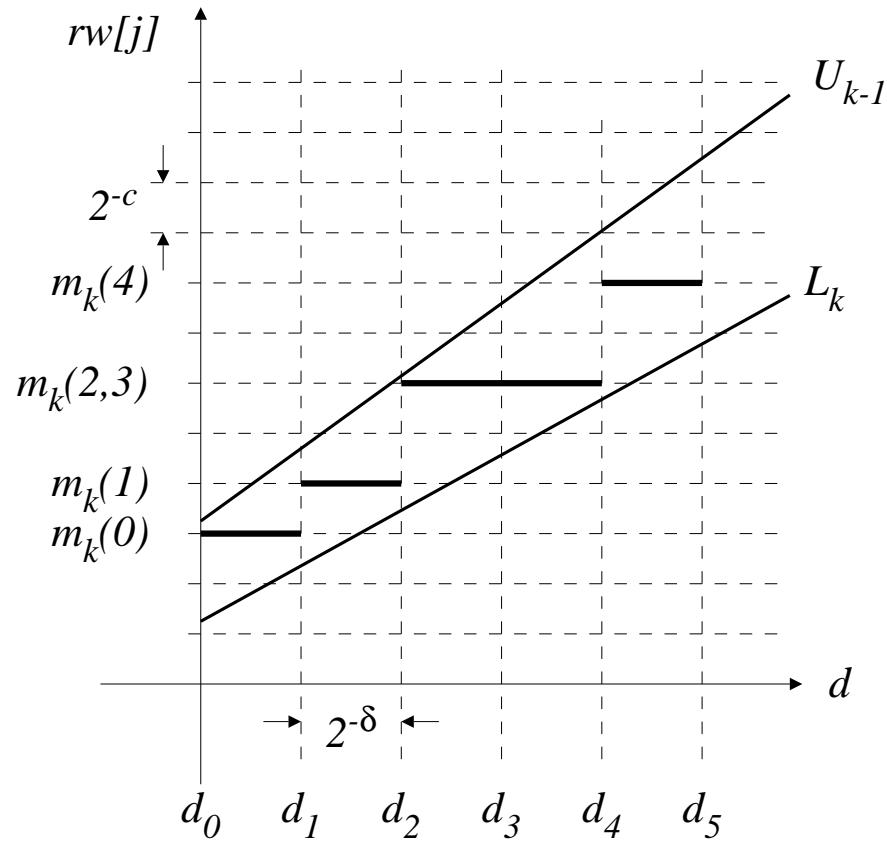


Figure 5.22: QUOTIENT-DIGIT SELECTION WITH SELECTION CONSTANTS.

SELECTION WITH TRUNCATED RESIDUAL AND DIVISOR

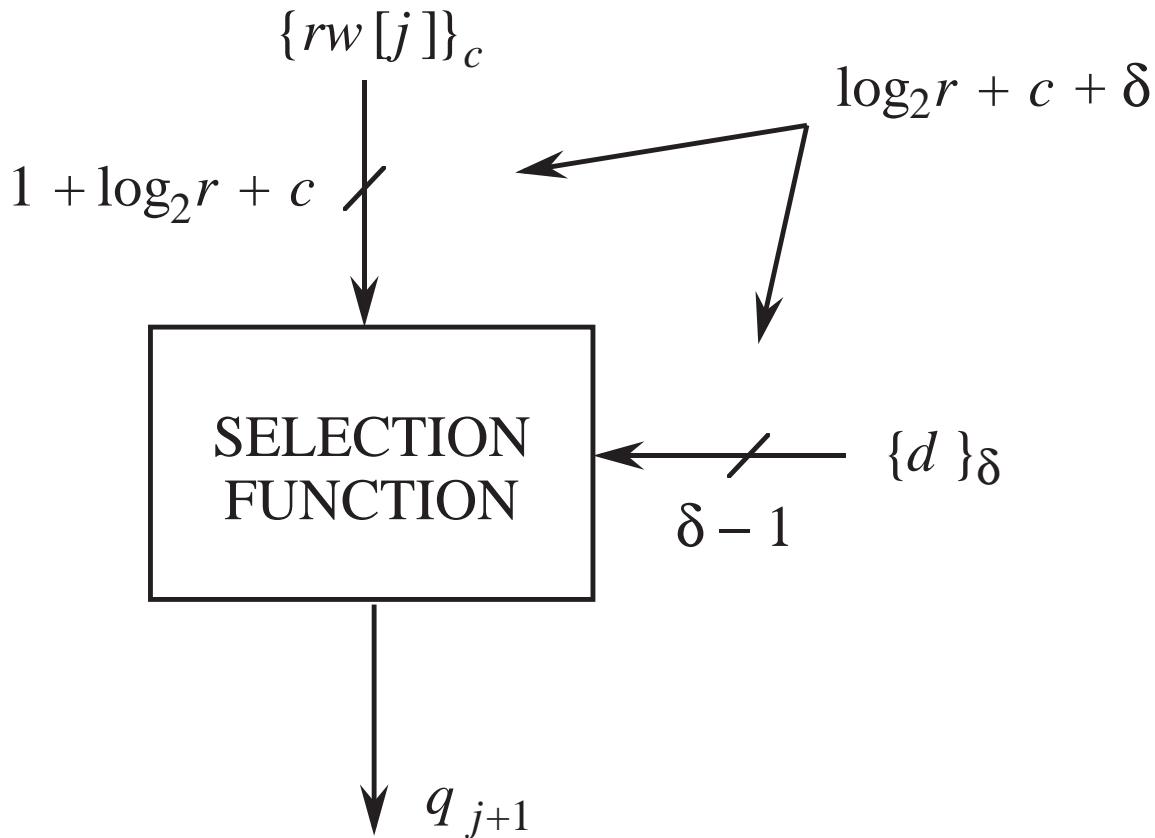


Figure 5.23: SELECTION WITH TRUNCATED RESIDUAL AND DIVISOR.

LOWER BOUND ON δ

- CONSIDER CASE $k > 0$ (similar argument for $k \leq 0$);
- FROM CONTINUITY CONDITION

$$U_{k-1}(d_i) - L_k(d_i + 2^{-\delta}) \geq 0$$

$$(\rho + k - 1)d_i - (-\rho + k)(d_i + 2^{-\delta}) \geq 0$$

\implies

$$(2\rho - 1)d_i \geq (k - \rho)2^{-\delta}$$

- Worst case: $d \geq 1/2$ and $k \leq a$:

$$2^{-\delta} \leq \frac{2\rho - 1}{2(a - \rho)} = \frac{2\rho - 1}{2\rho(r - 2)}$$

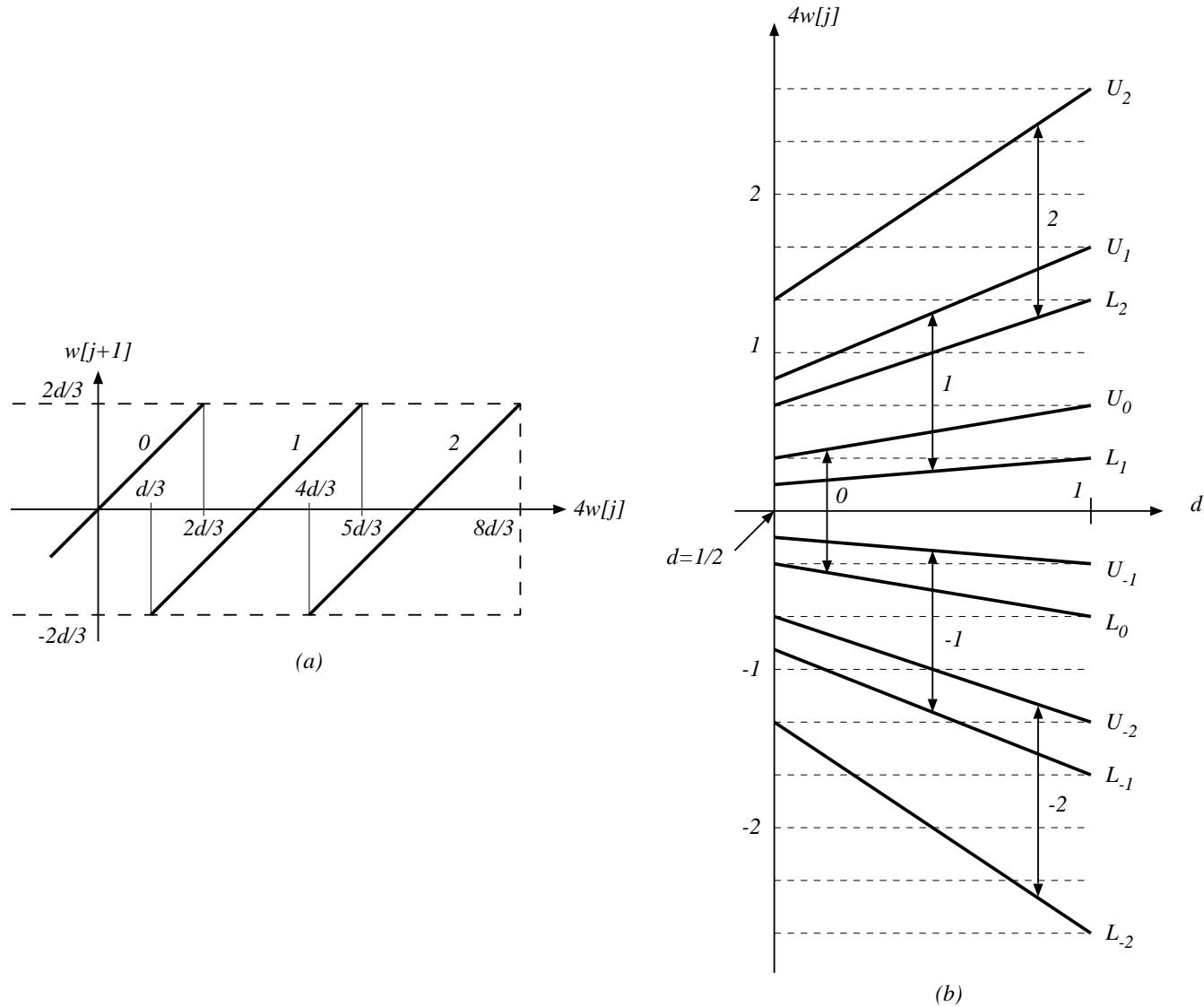
- MINIMUM VALUE OF δ CAN RESULT IN A LARGE VALUE OF c
- OPTIMIZE THE VALUES OF δ AND c TOGETHER

RADIX-4 DIVISION WITH NONREDUNDANT RESIDUAL

- Known as Robertson's division

- $q_j \in \{-2, -1, 0, 1, 2\}$
- $U_k = (\frac{2}{3} + k)d \quad L_k = (-\frac{2}{3} + k)d$
- BOUND ON δ

$$2^{-\delta} \leq \frac{2\rho - 1}{2(a - \rho)} = \frac{1}{8}$$

Figure 5.24: ROBERTSON'S AND PD DIAGRAMS FOR RADIX-4 AND $a = 2$.

$[d_i, d_{i+1})^+$	[8, 9)	[9, 10)	[10, 11)	[11, 12)
$L_2(d_{i+1}), U_1(d_i)^\#$ $m_2(i)^*$	36, 40 6	40, 45 7	44, 50 8	48, 55 8
$L_1(d_{i+1}), U_0(d_i)^\#$ $m_1(i)$	9, 16 2	10, 18 2	11, 20 2	12, 22 2
$L_0(d_i), U_{-1}(d_{i+1})^\#$ $m_0(i)$	-16, -9 -2	-18, -10 -2	-20, -11 -2	-22, -12 -2
$L_{-1}(d_i), U_{-2}(d_{i+1})^\#$ $m_{-1}(i)$	-40, -36 -6	-45, -40 -7	-50, -44 -8	-55, -48 -8
$[d_i, d_{i+1})^+$	[12, 13)	[13, 14)	[14, 15)	[15, 16)
$L_2(d_{i+1}), U_1(d_i)^\#$ $m_2(i)$	52, 60 10	56, 65 10	60, 70 10	64, 75 12
$L_1(d_{i+1}), U_0(d_i)^\#$ $m_1(i)$	13, 24 4	14, 26 4	15, 28 4	16, 30 4
$L_0(d_i), U_{-1}(d_{i+1})^\#$ $m_0(i)$	-24, -13 -4	-26, -14 -4	-28, -15 -4	-30, -16 -4
$L_{-1}(d_i), U_{-2}(d_{i+1})^\#$ $m_{-1}(i)$	-60, -52 -10	-65, -56 -10	-70, -60 -10	-75, -64 -12

QUOTIENT-DIGIT SELECTION FOR RADIX-4 DIVISION; NON-REDUNDANT RESIDUAL

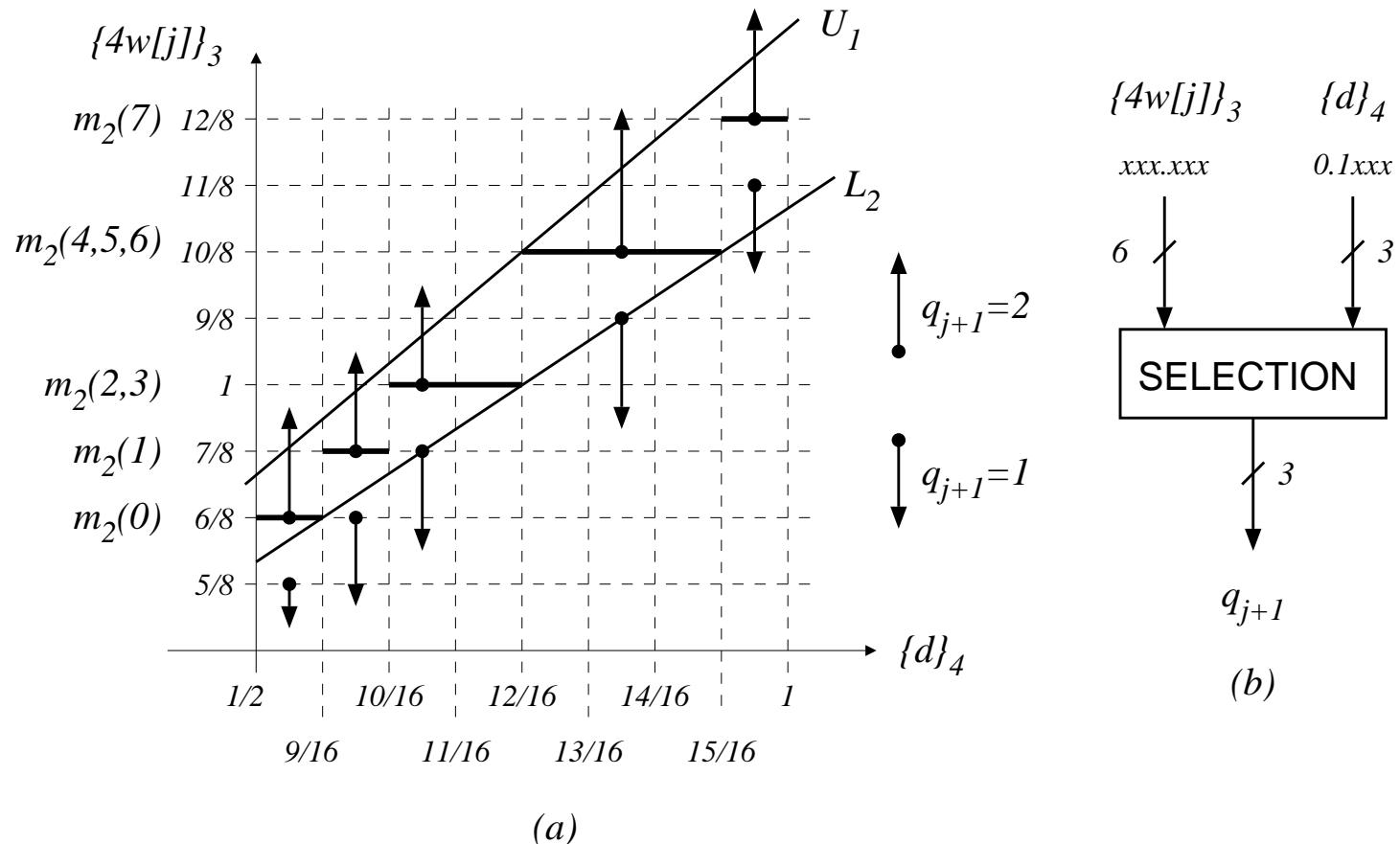


Figure 5.25: QUOTIENT-DIGIT SELECTION: (a) FRAGMENT OF THE P-D DIAGRAM. (b) IMPLEMENTATION.

USE OF REDUNDANT ADDER

- SO FAR: COMPUTE $rw[j]$ IN FULL PRECISION, TRUNCATE, AND COMPARE WITH LOW-PRECISION CONSTANTS
- FULL-PRECISION ADDITION: significant portion of the cycle time
- OVERLAP BETWEEN SELECTION INTERVALS
⇒ COULD USE AN ESTIMATE OF $rw[j]$
- ERROR IN ESTIMATE:

$$\epsilon_{min} \leq y - \hat{y} \leq \epsilon_{max}$$

- BASIC CONSTRAINT: if we choose $q_{j+1} = k$ for an estimate \hat{y} then

$$y \in [\hat{y} + \epsilon_{min}, \hat{y} + \epsilon_{max}]$$

$$L_k^* = L_k - \epsilon_{min}$$

$$U_k^* = U_k - \epsilon_{max}$$

CONSTRAINTS ON SELECTION CONSTANTS

$$\max(L_k^*(d_i), L_k^*(d_{i+1})) \leq m_k(i) \leq \min(U_{k-1}^*(d_i), U_{k-1}^*(d_{i+1}))$$

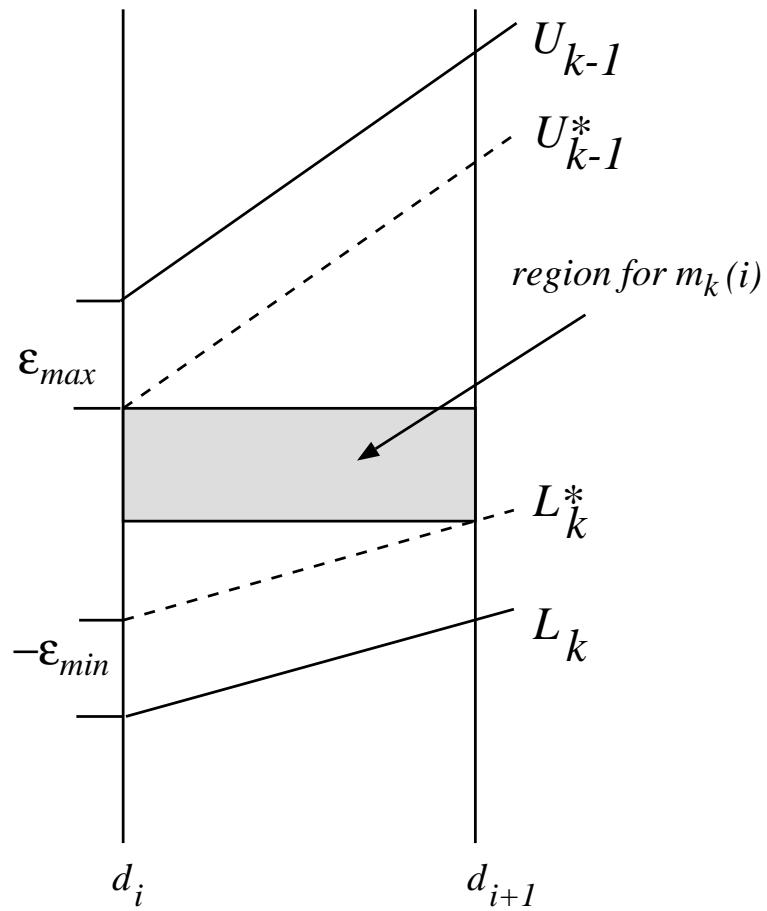


Figure 5.26: CONSTRAINTS FOR SELECTION BASED ON ESTIMATES.

MINIMUM OVERLAP AND RANGE OF ESTIMATE

- OVERLAP

$$\min(U_{k-1}^*(d_i), U_{k-1}^*(d_{i+1})) - \max(L_k^*(d_i), L_k^*(d_{i+1})) \geq 0$$

- RANGE

$$|rw[j]| \leq r\rho d < r\rho \quad (\text{for } d < 1)$$

$$-r\rho - \epsilon_{max} < \hat{y} < r\rho - \epsilon_{min}$$

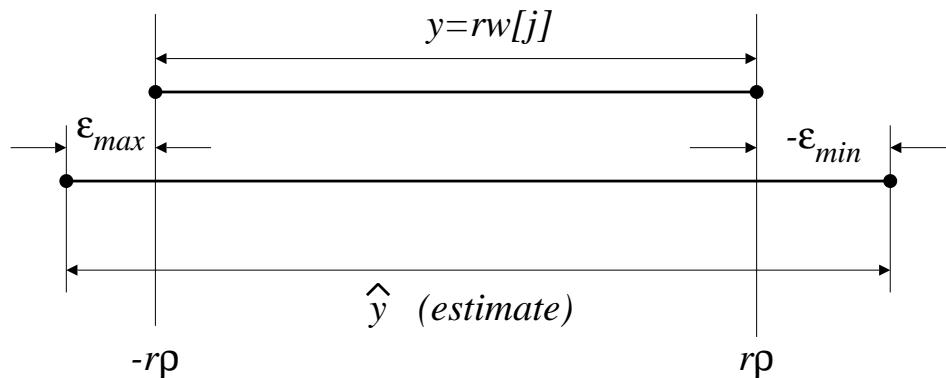


Figure 5.27: RANGE OF ESTIMATE

REDUNDANT ADDER

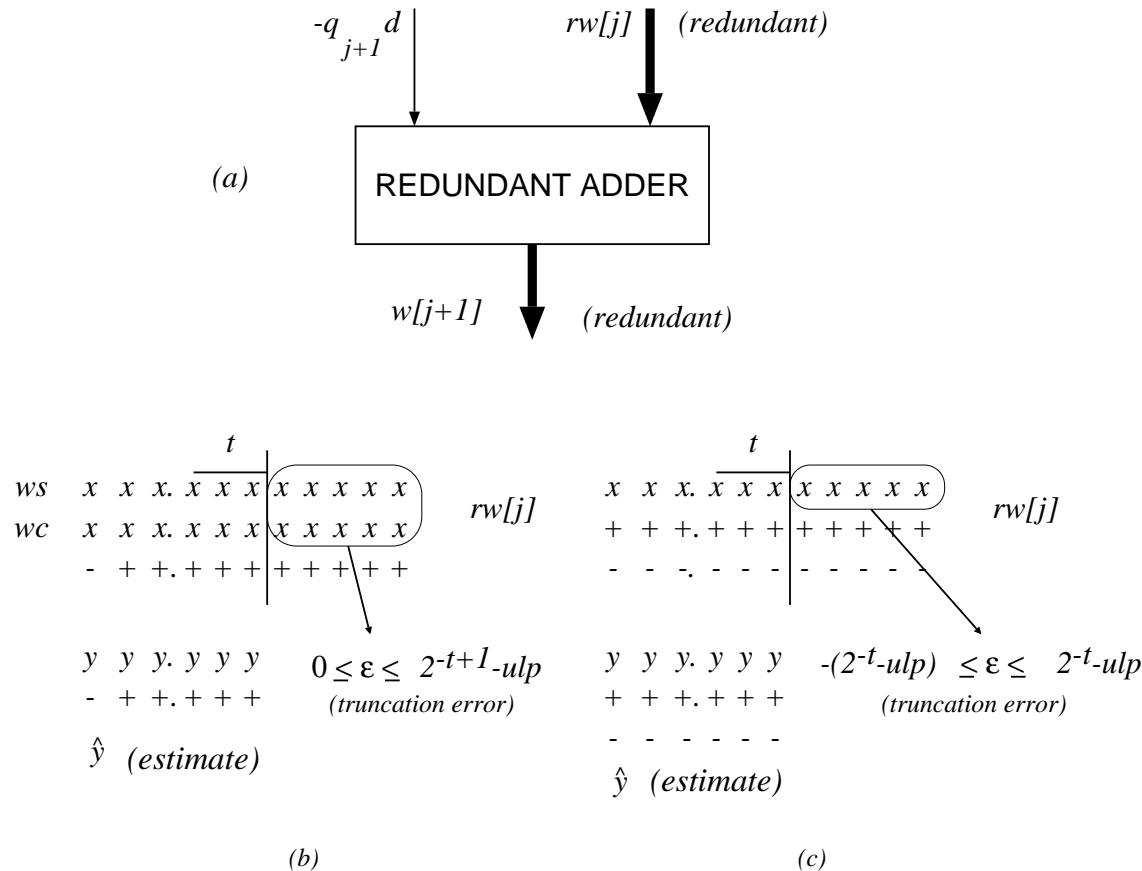


Figure 5.28: USE OF REDUNDANT ADDER: (a) Redundant adder. (b) Carry-save case. (c) Signed-digit case.

CARRY-SAVE ADDER

- ERRORS

$$\epsilon_{min} = 0 \quad \epsilon_{max} = 2^{-t+1} - ulp$$

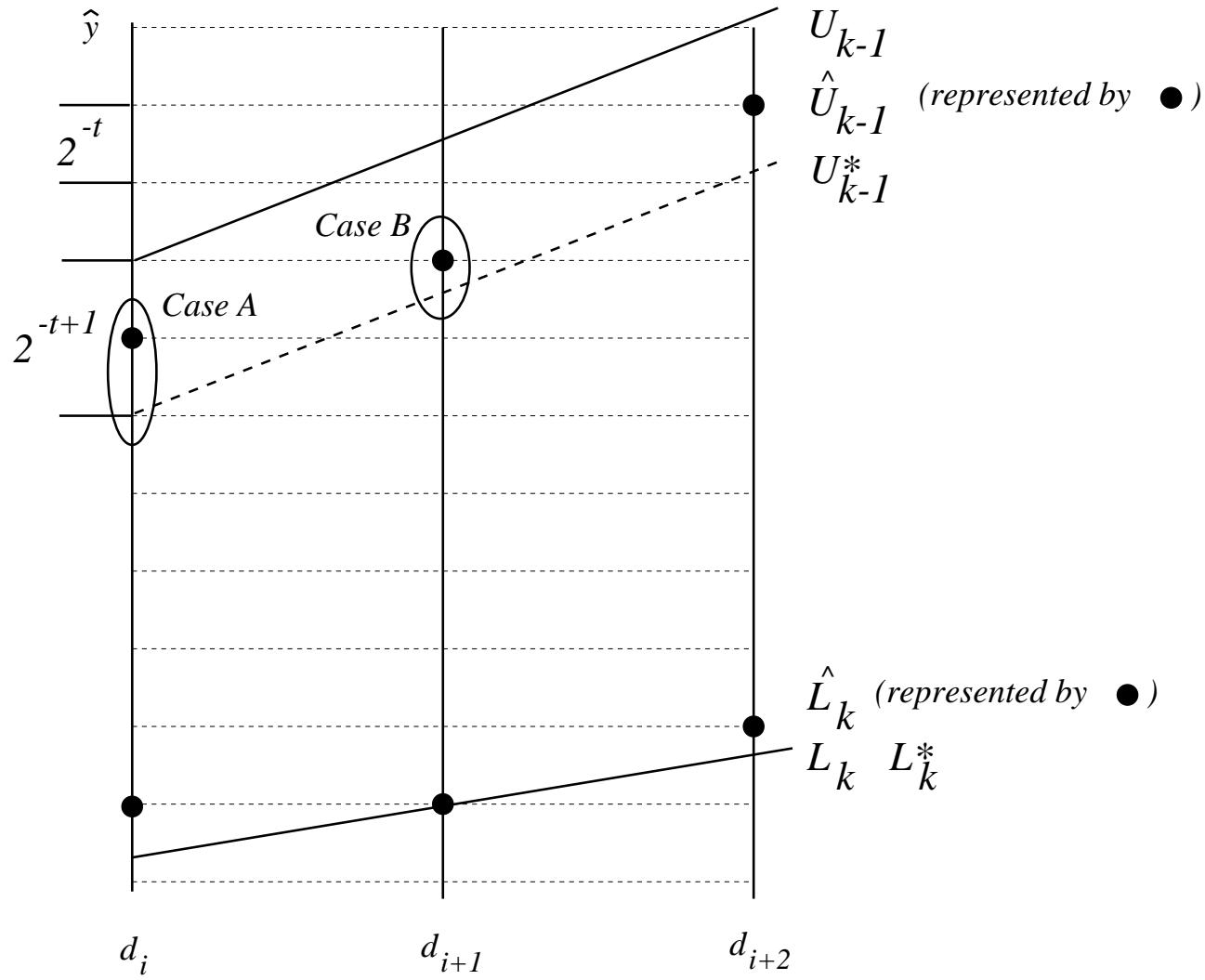
- RESTRICTED SELECTION INTERVAL

$$U_k^* = U_k - 2^{-t+1} + ulp$$

$$L_k^* = L_k$$

$$\widehat{U}_{k-1} = \lfloor U_{k-1}^* + 2^{-t} \rfloor_t = \lfloor U_{k-1} - 2^{-t} \rfloor_t$$

$$\widehat{L}_k = \lceil L_k^* \rceil_t = \lceil L_k \rceil_t$$



Case A: U_{k-1}^* is on the grid;
 $\hat{U}_{k-1} = U_{k-1}^* + 2^{-t}$ on the grid

Case B: U_{k-1}^* is off the grid;
 $\hat{U}_{k-1} > U_{k-1}^*$ on the grid

LOWER BOUND FOR t and δ

(for positive k)

$$\widehat{U}_{k-1}(d_i) - \widehat{L}_k(d_{i+1}) \geq 0$$

$$U_{k-1}(d_i) - 2^{-t} - L_k(d_{i+1}) \geq 0$$

$$\frac{2\rho - 1}{2} - (a - \rho)2^{-\delta} \geq 2^{-t}$$

- RANGE

$$\lfloor -r\rho - 2^{-t} \rfloor_t \leq \widehat{y} \leq \lfloor r\rho - ulp \rfloor_t$$

$$\lfloor z \rfloor_t = 2^{-t} \lfloor 2^t z \rfloor$$

RADIX-2 DIVISION WITH CARRY-SAVE ADDER

$$\frac{1}{2} - 0 \times 2^{-\delta} \geq 2^{-t}$$

$$\max(\widehat{L}_k(d_i), \widehat{L}_k(d_{i+1})) \leq m_k(i) \leq \min(\widehat{U}_{k-1}(d_i), \widehat{U}_{k-1}(d_{i+1}))$$

$$\begin{aligned}\widehat{L}_1(1) &= 0 \\ \widehat{U}_0(1/2) &= 0 \\ \widehat{L}_0(1/2) &= -1/2 \\ \widehat{U}_{-1}(1) &= -1/2\end{aligned}$$

$$(\widehat{L}_1(1) = 0) \leq m_1 \leq (\widehat{U}_0(1/2) = 0)$$

$$(\widehat{L}_0(1/2) = -1/2) \leq m_0 \leq (\widehat{U}_{-1}(1) = -1/2)$$

This results in the selection constants $m_1 = 0$ and $m_0 = -1/2$

SELECTION FUNCTION

$$\lfloor -2 - 2^{-1} \rfloor_1 \leq \hat{y} \leq \lfloor 2 - ulp \rfloor_1$$

$$-\frac{5}{2} \leq \hat{y} \leq 3/2$$

$$q_{j+1} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } 0 \leq \hat{y} \leq 3/2 \\ 0 & \text{if } \hat{y} = -1/2 \\ -1 & \text{if } -5/2 \leq \hat{y} \leq -1 \end{cases}$$

RADIX-2 WITH CSA: PD PLOT

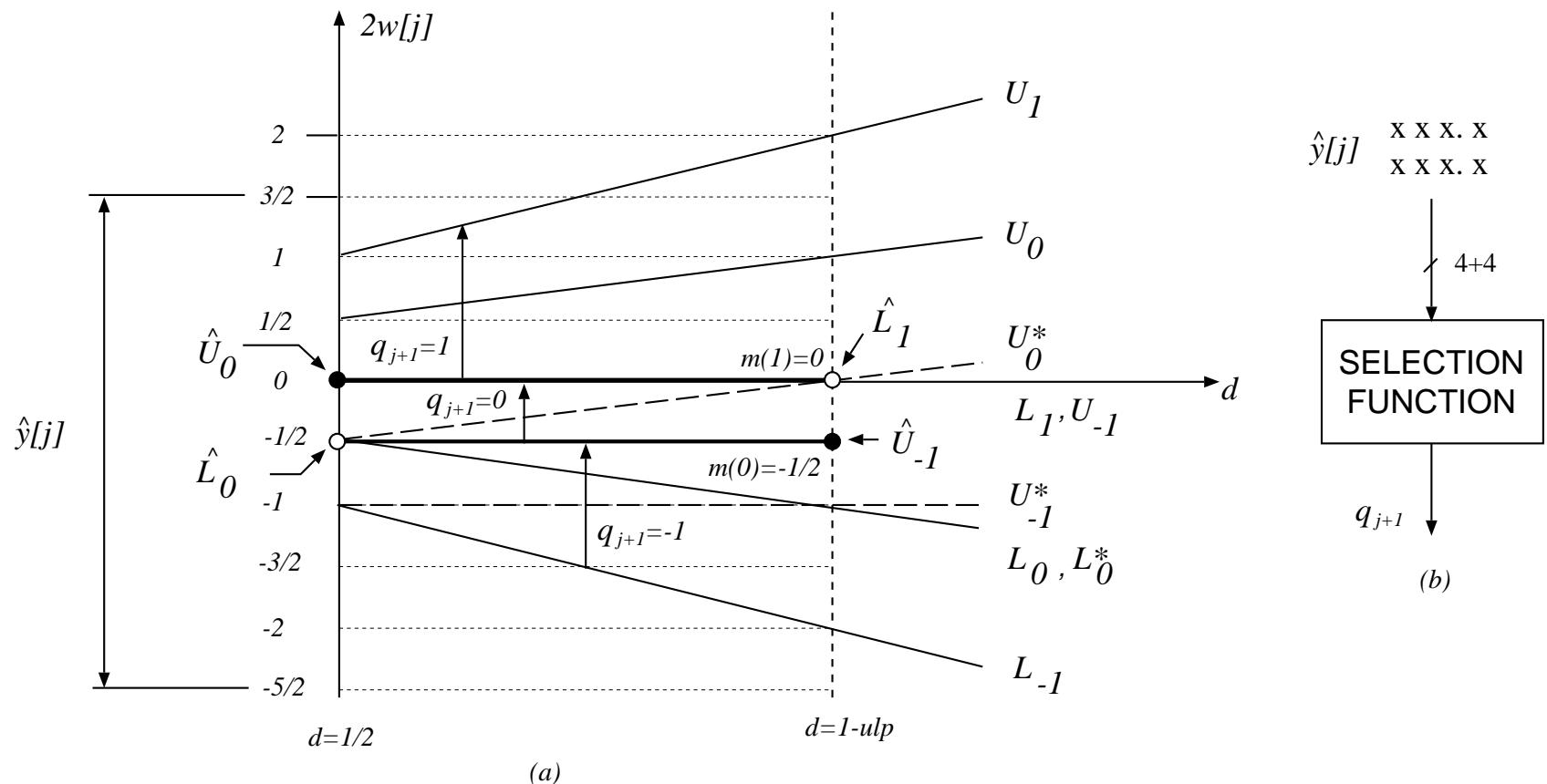


Figure 5.30: RADIX-2 DIVISION WITH CARRY-SAVE ADDER: (a) P-D PLOT. (b) SELECTION FUNCTION.

IMPLEMENTATION

$$q_{j+1} = (q_s, q_m)$$

$$q_m = (p_{-1} p_0 p_1)' \tag{5.2}$$

$$q_s = p_{-2} \oplus (g_{-1} + p_{-1} g_0 + p_{-1} p_0 g_1)$$

where

$$p_i = c_i \oplus s_i \quad g_i = c_i \cdot s_i$$

and

$$(c_{-2}, c_{-1}, c_0, c_1)$$

$$(s_{-2}, s_{-1}, s_0, s_1)$$

$$q_{j+1} = 0 \quad (q_s, q_m) = (1, 0)$$

RADIX-4 ALGORITHM WITH CARRY-SAVE ADDER

$$\frac{1}{6} - \frac{4}{3}2^{-\delta} \geq 2^{-t}$$

$$2^{-t} \leq \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{12} = \frac{1}{12}$$

$$\lfloor -8/3 - 1/16 \rfloor_4 \leq \hat{y} \leq \lfloor 8/3 - ulp \rfloor_4$$

$$-\frac{44}{16} \leq \hat{y} \leq \frac{42}{16}$$

$[d_i, d_{i+1})^+$	[8, 9)	[9, 10)	[10, 11)	[11, 12)
$\widehat{L}_2(d_{i+1}), \widehat{U}_1(d_i)^+$	12, 12	14, 14	15, 15	16, 17
$m_2(i)^+$	12	14	15	16
$\widehat{L}_1(d_{i+1}), \widehat{U}_0(d_i)^+$	3, 4	4, 5	4, 5	4, 6
$m_1(i)$	4	4	4	4
$\widehat{L}_0(d_i), \widehat{U}_{-1}(d_{i+1})^+$	-5, -4	-6, -5	-6, -5	-7, -5
$m_0(i)$	-4	-6	-6	-6
$\widehat{L}_{-1}(d_i), \widehat{U}_{-2}(d_{i+1})^+$	-13, -13	-15, -15	-16, -16	-18, -17
$m_{-1}(i)$	-13	-15	-16	-18
$[d_i, d_{i+1})^+$	[12, 13)	[13, 14)	[14, 15)	[15, 16)
$\widehat{L}_2(d_{i+1}), \widehat{U}_1(d_i)^+$	18, 19	19, 20	20, 22	22, 24
$m_2(i)$	18	20	20	24
$\widehat{L}_1(d_{i+1}), \widehat{U}_0(d_i)^+$	4, 7	5, 7	5, 8	6, 9
$m_1(i)$	6	6	8	8
$\widehat{L}_0(d_i), \widehat{U}_{-1}(d_{i+1})^+$	-8, -6	-8, -6	-9, -6	-10, -7
$m_0(i)$	-8	-8	-8	-8
$\widehat{L}_{-1}(d_i), \widehat{U}_{-2}(d_{i+1})^+$	-20, -19	-21, -20	-23, -21	-25, -23
$m_{-1}(i)$	-20	-20	-22	-24

+: real value = shown value/16; $\widehat{L}_k = \lceil L_k \rceil_4$, $\widehat{U}_k = \lfloor U_k - \frac{1}{16} \rfloor_4$.

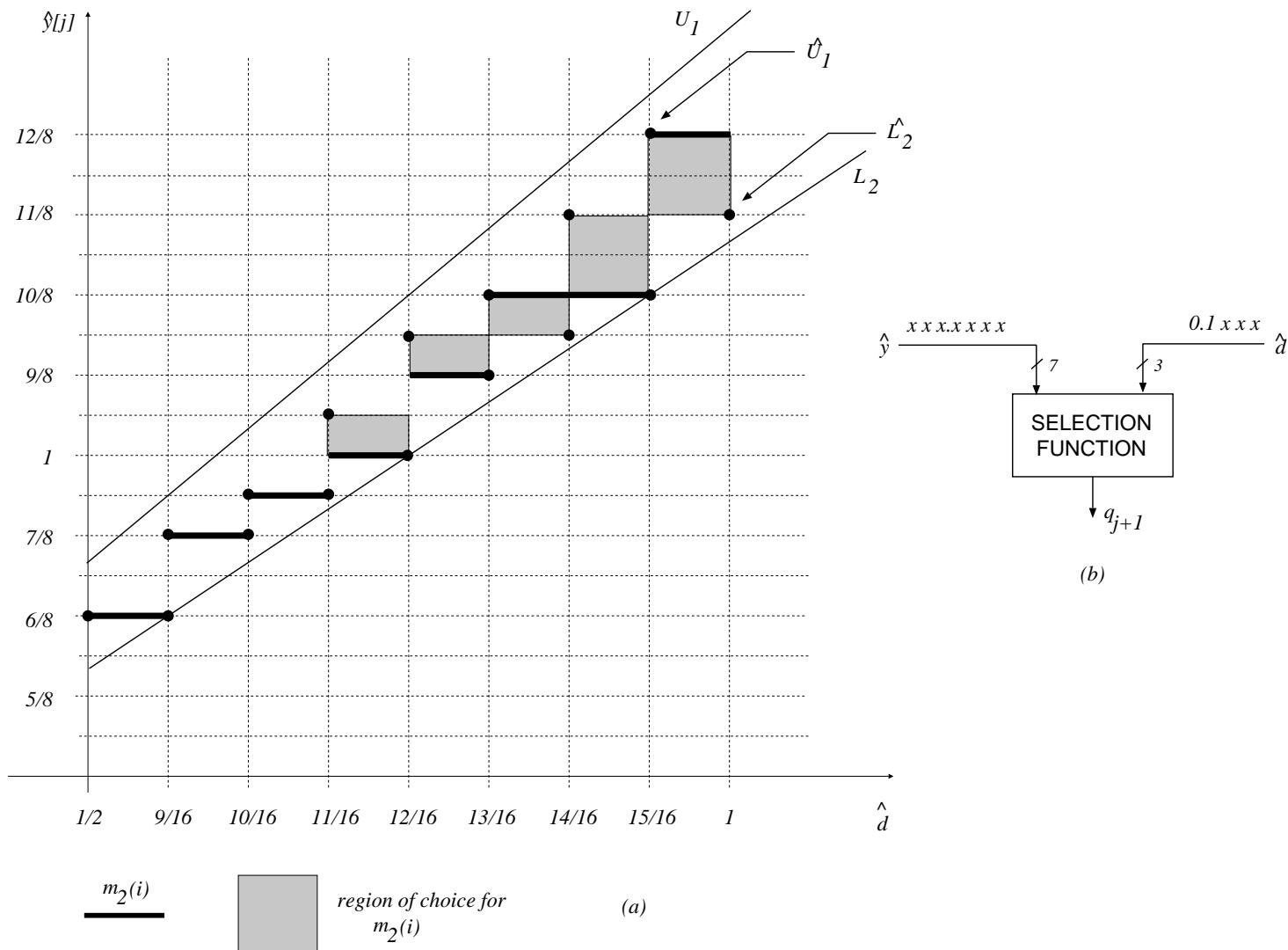


Figure 5.31: SELECTION FUNCTION FOR RADIX-4 SCHEME WITH CARRY-SAVE ADDER: (a) Fragment of P-D diagram. (b) Implementation.