# F2-02DAS-1 4-20mA 2-Channel Analog Current Output

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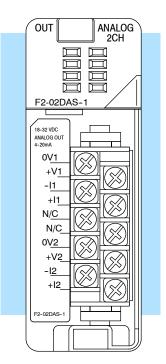
### **Module Specifications**

The F2-02DAS-1 Analog Output module provides several hardware features:

- Supports DL230, DL240, DL250-1 and DL260 CPUs (see firmware requirements below).
- Analog outputs are isolated from channel to channel and channel to PLC logic.
- The module has a removable terminal block so the module can be easily removed or changed without disconnecting the wiring.
- Can update both channels in one scan (DL240/DL250-1/260 only)
- Loop power supply requirements: 18-32VDC
- Outputs are sourced through external loop supply

#### **Firmware Requirements:**

To use this module, DL230 CPUs must have firmware version 1.7 or later. To use the pointer method of writing values, DL240 CPUs require firmware version 2.9 or later and DL250 CPUs require firmware version 1.30 or later.



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The following tables provide the specifications for the F2-02DAS-1 Isolated Analog Output Module. Review these specifications to make sure the module meets your application requirements.

# Output Specifications

| Number of Channels           | 2, isolated (2 commons)                                      |
|------------------------------|--|
| Output Range                 | 4 to 20 mA   |
| Resolution                   | 16 bit (1 in 65536)  |
| Output Type                  | Current sourcing   |
| Isolation Voltage            | $\pm 750 V$ continuous, channel to channel, channel to logic |
| Loop Supply                  | 18-32VDC   |
| Load Impedance               | 0Ω - 525Ω  |
| Linearity Error (end to end) | ±10 counts (±0.015% of full scale) maximum                   |
| Conversion Settling time     | 3ms to 0.1% of full scale                                    |
| Gain Calibration Error       | ±32 counts (±0.05%)  |
| Offset Calibration Error     | ±13 counts (±0.02%)  |
| Output Drift                 | 50 ppm/°C  |
| Maximum Inaccuracy           | ±0.07% @ 25°C (77°F)<br>±0.18% @ 0 to 60°C (32 to 140°F)     |

# General Specifications

| PLC Update Rate                        | 1 channel per scan maximum (Multiplexing) 2 channels per scan maximum (Pointer [DL240, DL250, DL260 only]) |
|--|--|
| Digital outputs Output points required | 16 binary data bits, 2 channel ID bits;<br>32 point (Y) output module                                      |
| Power Budget Requirement               | 100 mA @ 5 VDC (supplied by base)  |
| External Power                         | 18-32VDC @ 50mA per channel, Class 2   |
| Operating Temperature                  | 0 to 60° C (32 to 140° F)  |
| Storage Temperature                    | -20 to 70° C (-4 to 158° F)  |
| Relative Humidity                      | 5 to 95% (non-condensing)  |
| Environmental air                      | No corrosive gases permitted   |
| Vibration                              | MIL STD 810C 514.2   |
| Shock                                  | MIL STD 810C 516.2   |
| Noise Immunity                         | NEMA ICS3-304  |
|  |  |

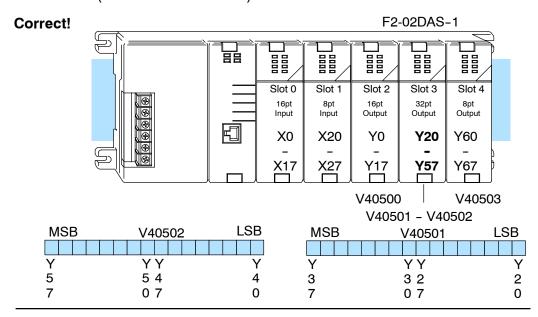
One count in the specification table is equal to one least significant bit of the analog data value (1 in 65536).

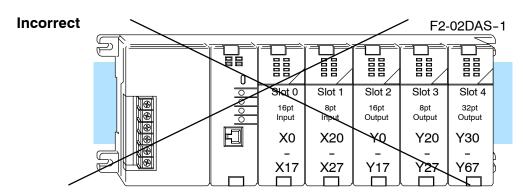
# Analog Output Configuration Requirements

The F2-02DAS-1 analog output requires 32 discrete output points. The module can be installed in any slot of a DL205 system, but the available power budget and discrete I/O points can be limiting factors. Check the user manual for your particular model of CPU and I/O base for more information regarding power budget and number of local, local expanison or remote I/O points.

Requirements (DL230 and Remote I/O Bases)

Special Placement Even though the module can be placed in any slot, it is important to examine the configuration if you are using multiplexing ladder. As you can see in the section on writing the program, you use V-memory locations to send the analog data. If you place the module so that the output points do not start on a V-memory boundary, the instructions cannot access the data. This also applies when module is placed in remote base (D2-RSSS in CPU slot).





Data is split over three locations, so instructions cannot access data from a DL230 (or when module is placed in a remote base).

| MSB | V40503 | LSB | MSB | V40502 | LSB | MSB | V40501 | LSB |
|-----|--------|-----|-----|--------|-----|-----|--------|-----|
|     |        |     |     |        |     |     |        |     |
| V   | Υ      | Υ   | Υ   |        | Υ   | Υ   | ΥΥ     | Υ   |
| 7   | 6      | 6   | 5   |        | 4   | 3   | 3 2    | 2   |
| 7   | 7      | 0   | 7   |        | 0   | 7   | 0 7    | 0   |

To use the required V-memory references, the first output address assigned to the module must be one of the following Y locations. The table also shows the V-memory addresses that correspond to these Y locations.

| Υ | Y0     | Y20    | Y40    | Y60    | Y100   | Y120   | Y140   | Y160   |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| ٧ | V40500 | V40501 | V40502 | V40503 | V40504 | V40505 | V40506 | V40507 |

### **Connecting the Field Wiring**

#### Wiring Guidelines

Your company may have guidelines for wiring and cable installation. If so, you should check those before you begin the installation. Here are some general things to consider:

- Use the shortest wiring route whenever possible.
- Use shielded wiring and ground the shield at the signal source. *Do not* ground the shield at both the module and the load.
- Do not run the signal wiring next to large motors, high current switches, or transformers. This may cause noise problems.
- Route the wiring through an approved cable housing to minimize the risk of accidental damage. Check local and national codes to choose the correct method for your application.

#### Loop Power Supply Requirements



The F2-02DAS-1 requires a separate field-side loop power supply. Each module requires 18-32VDC at up to 50mA per channel (or 100mA).

**WARNING:** If you are using 24 VDC power from the base, make sure you calculate the power budget. Exceeding the power budget can cause unpredictable system operation that can lead to a risk of personal injury or damage to equipment.

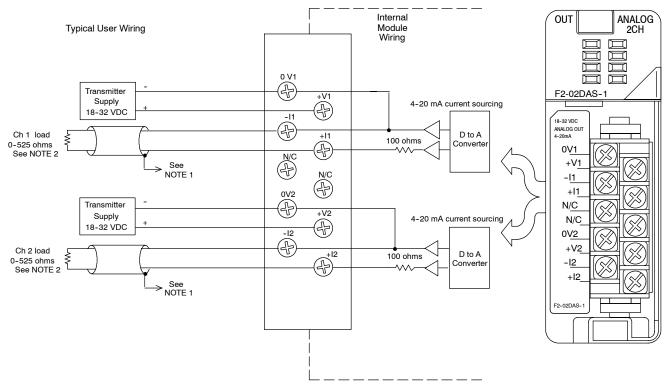
#### **Wiring Diagram**

The F2-02DAS-1 module has a removable connector to make wiring easier. Simply squeeze the top and bottom retaining clips and gently pull the connector from the module. Use the following diagram to connect the field wiring.

NOTE 1: Shields should be connected to the 0V terminal of the module.

NOTE 2: Loads must be within the compliance voltage.

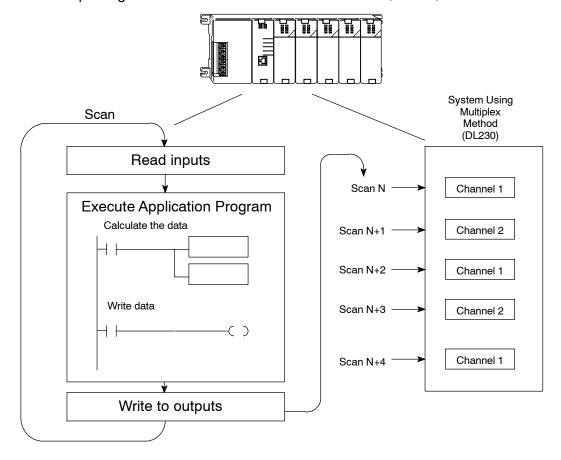
NOTE 3: For non-isolated outputs, connect all 0V's together (0V1.......0V2) and connect all +V's together (+V1......+V2).



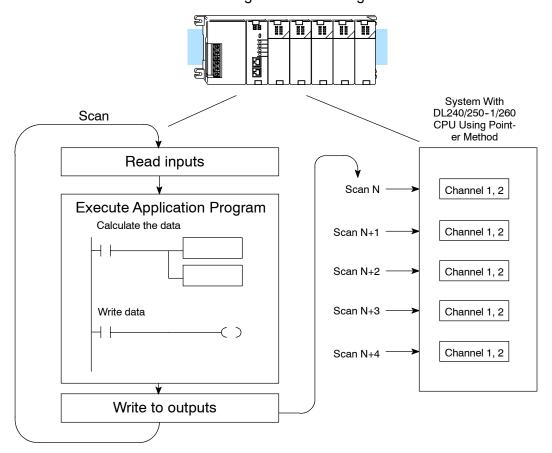
### **Module Operation**

Channel Update Sequence for a DL230 CPU (Multiplexing) Before you begin writing the control program, it is important to take a few minutes to understand how the module processes and represents the analog signals.

If you are using multiplexing ladder, you can send one channel of data to the output module on each scan. The module refreshes both field devices on each scan, but you can only get new data from the CPU at the rate of one channel per scan. Since there are two channels, it can take two scans to update both channels. However, if you are only using one channel, then you can update that channel on every scan. The multiplexing method can also be used for the DL240/250-1/260 CPUs.



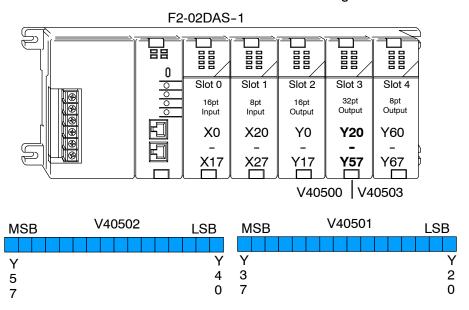
Channel Update Sequence for a DL240, DL250-1 or DL260 CPU (Pointer Method) If you are using pointers (Pointer Method), you can update both channels on every scan. This is because the D2-240, DL250-1 and D2-260 CPUs support special V-memory locations that are used to manage the data transfer. This is discussed in more detail in the section on Writing the Control Program.



Understanding the Output Assignments

You may recall the F2-02DAS-1 module appears to the CPU as a 32-point discrete output module. These points provide the data value and an indication of which channel to update. Note, if you are using a DL240/250-1/260 CPU, you may never have to use these bits, but it may help you understand the data format.

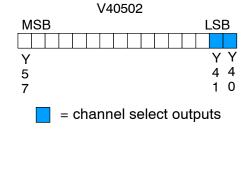
Since all output points are automatically mapped into V-memory, it is very easy to determine the location of the data word that will be assigned to the module.



Within this word location, the individual bits represent specific information about the analog signal.

Channel Select Outputs Two of the outputs select the active channel. Remember, the V-memory bits are mapped directly to discrete outputs. Turning a bit OFF selects its channel. By controlling these outputs, you can select which channel(s) gets updated.

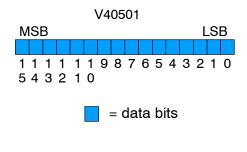
| Y41              | Y40              | Channel   |
|------------------|------------------|---|
| On<br>Off<br>Off | Off<br>On<br>Off | 1<br>2<br>1 & 2 (same data to<br>both channels) |
| On               | On               | none (both channels hold current values)        |



#### **Analog Data Bits**

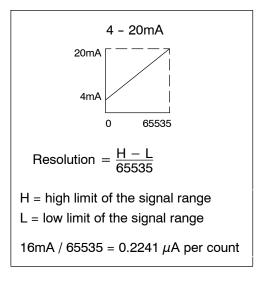
The first sixteen bits represent the analog data in binary format.

| <u>Bit</u> | Value | Bit | Value |
|------------|-------|-----|-------|
| 0          | 1     | 8   | 256   |
| 1          | 2     | 9   | 512   |
| 2          | 4     | 10  | 1024  |
| 3          | 8     | 11  | 2048  |
| 4          | 16    | 12  | 4096  |
| 5          | 32    | 13  | 8192  |
| 6          | 64    | 14  | 16384 |
| 7          | 128   | 15  | 32768 |
|            |       |     |       |



#### Module Resolution

Each count can also be expressed in terms of the signal level by using the equation shown.



### **Writing the Control Program**

#### Calculating the Digital Value

Your program must calculate the digital value to send to the analog module. There are many ways to do this, but most applications are understood more easily if you use measurements in engineering units. This is accomplished by using the conversion formula shown.

You may have to make adjustments to the formula depending on the scale you choose for the engineering units.

$$A = U \frac{65535}{H - I}$$

A = Analog value (0 - 65535)

U = Engineering Units

H = high limit of the engineering unit range

L = low limit of the engineering unit range

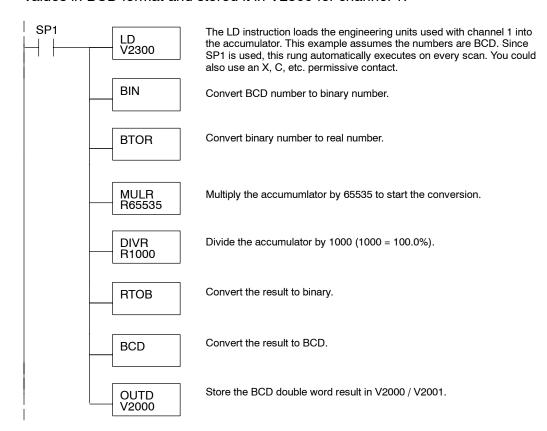
Consider the following example which controls pressure from 0.0 to 99.9 PSI. By using the formula, you can easily determine the digital value that should be sent to the module. The example shows the conversion required to yield 49.4 PSI. Notice the formula uses a multiplier of 10. This is because the decimal portion of 49.4 cannot be loaded, so you adjust the formula to compensate for it.

$$A = 10U \frac{65535}{10(H - L)} \qquad A = 494 \frac{65535}{1000 - 0}$$

$$A = 32374$$

## Engineering Units Conversion

The example program shows how you would write the program to perform the engineering unit conversion to output data formats 0 – 65535 when using a DL250 CPU. This example assumes you have calculated or loaded the engineering unit values in BCD format and stored it in V2300 for channel 1.



Reading Values: Pointer Method and Multiplexing There are two methods of reading values:

- · The pointer method
- Multiplexing

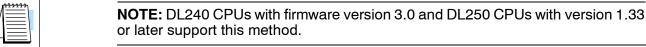
You can use either method when using DL240, DL250-1 and DL260 CPUs, but for ease of programming it is strongly recommended that you use the pointer method. You must use the multiplexing method with remote I/O modules (the pointer method will not work).

**Pointer Method** 

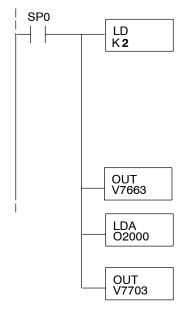


Once you have calculated the data values (shown previously) you have to enter the program that actually updates the module. The DL240/250-1/260 has special V-memory locations assigned to each base slot that greatly simplify the programming requirements. By using these V-memory locations you can:

- specify the number of channels to update.
- specify where to obtain the output data.



The following program example shows how to set up these locations. Place this rung anywhere in the ladder program, or in the initial stage when using stage programming. In this example we are using V2000 and V2002 to store the calculated values, and the analog module is installed in slot 3. You should use the appropriate memory locations for your application. The pointer method automatically converts values to binary.



Loads a constant that specifies the number of channels to scan and the data format. The lower byte, most significant nibble (MSN) selects the data format (i.e. 0=BCD, 8=Binary), the LSN selects the number of channels (1 or 2).

The binary format is used for displaying data on some operator interfaces. The DL230/240 CPUs do not support binary math functions, whereas the DL250 does.

Special V-memory location assigned to slot 3 that contains the number of channels to scan.

This loads an octal value for the first V-memory location that will be used to store the output data. For example, the O2000 entered here would designate the following addresses.

Ch1 - V2000, Ch2 - V2002

The octal address (O2000) is stored here. V7703 is assigned to slot 3 and acts as a pointer, which means the CPU will use the octal value in this location to determine exactly where to store the output data.

The tables below show the special V-memory locations used by the DL240, DL250-1 and DL260 for the CPU base and local expansion base I/O slots. Slot 0 (zero) is the module next to the CPU or D2-CM module. Slot 1 is the module two places from the CPU or D2-CM, and so on. Remember, the CPU only examines the pointer values at these locations after a mode transition. Also, if you use the DL230 (multiplexing) method, verify that these addresses in the CPU are zero.

The Table below applies to the DL240, DL250-1 and DL260 CPU base.

| CPU Base: Analog Output Module Slot-Dependent V-memory Locations |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Slot   | 0     | 1     | 2     | 3     | 4     | 5     | 6     | 7     |
| No. of Channels  | V7660 | V7661 | V7662 | V7663 | V7664 | V7665 | V7666 | V7667 |
| Storage Pointer  | V7700 | V7701 | V7702 | V7703 | V7704 | V7705 | V7706 | V7707 |

The Table below applies to the DL250-1 or DL260 expansion base 1.

| Expansion Base D2-CM #1: Analog Output Module Slot-Dependent V-memory Locations |        |        |        |        |        | ons    |        |        |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Slot  | 0      | 1      | 2      | 3      | 4      | 5      | 6      | 7      |
| No. of Channels   | V36000 | V36001 | V36002 | V36003 | V36004 | V36005 | V36006 | V36007 |
| Storage Pointer   | V36020 | V36021 | V36022 | V36023 | V36024 | V36025 | V36026 | V36027 |

The Table below applies to the DL250-1 or DL260 expansion base 2.

| Expansion Base D2-CM #2: Analog Output Module Slot-Dependent V-memory Locations |        |        |        |        |        | ons    |        |        |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Slot  | 0      | 1      | 2      | 3      | 4      | 5      | 6      | 7      |
| No. of Channels   | V36100 | V36101 | V36102 | V36103 | V36104 | V36105 | V36106 | V36107 |
| Storage Pointer   | V36120 | V36121 | V36122 | V36123 | V36124 | V36125 | V36126 | V36127 |

The Table below applies to the DL260 CPU expansion base 3.

| Expansion Base D2-CM #3: Analog Output Module Slot-Dependent V-memory Locations |        |        |        |        |        | ons    |        |        |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Slot  | 0      | 1      | 2      | 3      | 4      | 5      | 6      | 7      |
| No. of Channels   | V36200 | V36201 | V36202 | V36203 | V36204 | V36205 | V36206 | V36207 |
| Storage Pointer   | V36220 | V36221 | V36222 | V36223 | V36224 | V36225 | V36226 | V36227 |

The Table below applies to the DL260 CPU expansion base 4.

| Expansion Base D2-CM #4: Analog Output Module Slot-Dependent V-memory Locations |        |        |        |        |        | ons    |        |        |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Slot  | 0      | 1      | 2      | 3      | 4      | 5      | 6      | 7      |
| No. of Channels   | V36300 | V36301 | V36302 | V36303 | V36304 | V36305 | V36306 | V36307 |
| Storage Pointer   | V36320 | V36321 | V36322 | V36323 | V36324 | V36325 | V36326 | V36327 |

## Writing Data (Multiplexing)



Since all channels are multiplexed into a single data word, the control program can be setup to determine which channel to write. Since the module appears as Y output points to the CPU, it is very easy to use the channel selection outputs to determine which channel to update.

Note, this example is for a module installed as shown in the previous examples. The addresses used would be different if the module was used in a different slot. You can place these rungs anywhere in the program or if you are using stage programming, place them in a stage that is always active.

This example is a two-channel multiplexer that updates each channel on alternate scans. Relay SP7 is a special relay that is on for one scan, then off for one scan.



**NOTE:** You must send binary data to the module. If the data is already in binary format, you should not use the BIN instruction shown in this example.

#### Load data into the accumulator.

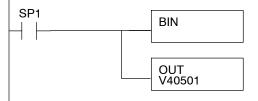
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SP7 LD V2000 SP7 LD V2002
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Loads the data for channel 1 into the accumulator.

Note: Use LD if using binary, and use LDD if using BCD.

Loads the data for channel 2 into the accumulator. Note: Use LD if using binary, and use LDD if using BCD.

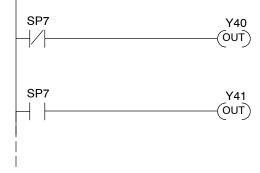
#### Send data to V-memory assigned to the module.



Convert the data to binary (you must omit this step if you have converted the data elsewhere). SP1 is always on.

The OUT instruction sends the data to the module. Our example starts with V40501, but the actual value depends on the location of the module in your application.

#### Select the channel to update.

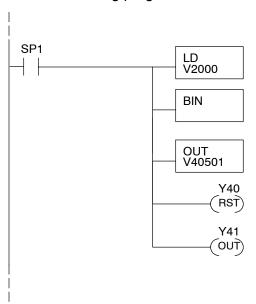


Selects channel 2 for update when Y41 is OFF (Y40-ON deselects channel 1). Note, Y40 and Y41 are used as in the previous examples. If the module was installed in a different I/O arrangement the addresses would be different.

Selects channel 1 for update when Y41 is OFF (Y41-ON deselects channel 2). Note, Y40 and Y41 are used as in the previous examples. If the module was installed in a different I/O arrangement the addresses would be different.

# Sending Data to One Channel

If you are not using both channels, or if you want to control the updates separately, use the following program.



The LD instruction loads the data into the accumulator. Since SP1 is used, this rung automatically executes on every scan. You could also use an X, C, etc. permissive contact.

Note: Use LD if using binary, and use LDD if using BCD.

The BIN instruction converts the accumulator data to binary (you must omit this step if you have already converted the data elsewhere).

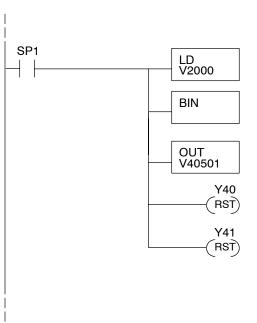
The OUT instruction sends the data to the module. Our example starts with V40501, but the actual value depends on the location of the module in your application.

Y40-OFF selects channel 1 for updating.

Y41-ON deselects channel 2 (do not update).

#### Sending the Same Data to Both Channels

If both channel selection outputs are off, both channels will be updated with the same data.



The LD instruction loads the data into the accumulator. Since SP1 is used, this rung automatically executes on every scan. You could also use an X, C, etc. permissive contact.

Note: Use LD if using binary, and use LDD if using BCD.

The BIN instruction converts the accumulator data to binary (you must omit this step if you have already converted the data elsewhere).

The OUT instruction sends the data to the module. Our example starts with V40501, but the actual value depends on the location of the module in your application.

Y40-OFF selects channel 1 for updating.

Y41-OFF selects channel 2 for updating.

Analog and Digital Value Conversions Sometimes it is useful to be able to quickly convert between the signal levels and the digital values. This is especially helpful during machine startup or troubleshooting. The following table provides formulas to make this conversion easier. Remember, if you imbed the sign information into the data value, you must adjust the formulas accordingly.

| Range     | If you know the digital value | If you know the signal level  |
|-----------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 4 to 20mA | $A = \frac{16D}{65535} + 4$   | $D = \frac{65535}{16}(A - 4)$ |

For example, if you know you need a 10mA signal to achieve the desired result, you can easily determine the digital value that should be used.

$$D = \frac{65535}{16}(A - 4)$$

$$D = \frac{65535}{16}(10mA - 4)$$

$$D = (4095.94) (6)$$

$$D = 24575(5FFF_h)$$