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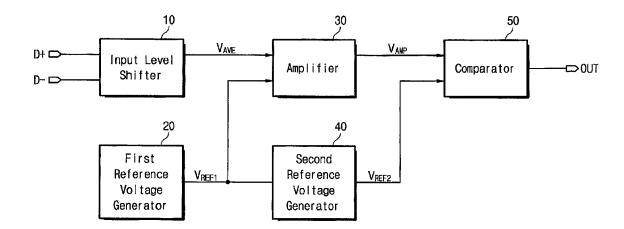
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### (57) ABSTRACT

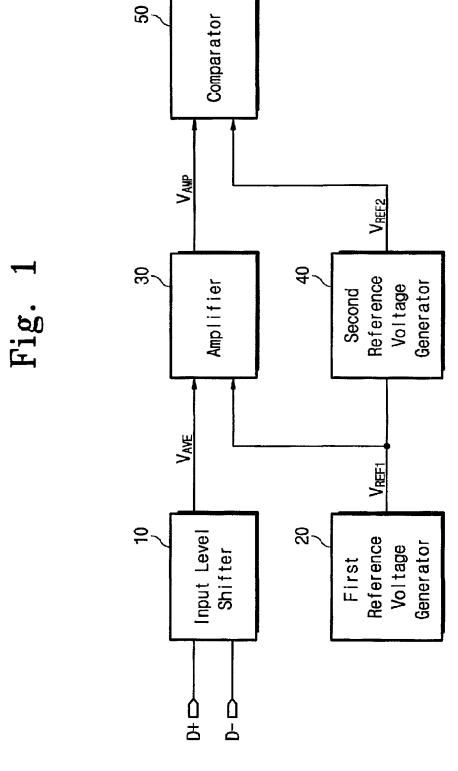
Disclosed is a transmission envelope detector referred to a squelch detection circuit for effectively detecting an element of transmission data in a high speed serial data transmission system. The squelch detection circuit of the invention includes a differential input level shifter, a first reference voltage generator, an amplifier, a second reference voltage generator, and a comparator. The squelch detection circuit can detect whether the transmission data is a noise or signal element even at a cross point of the transmission data, resulting in achieving stable data transmission.

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# Fig. 2

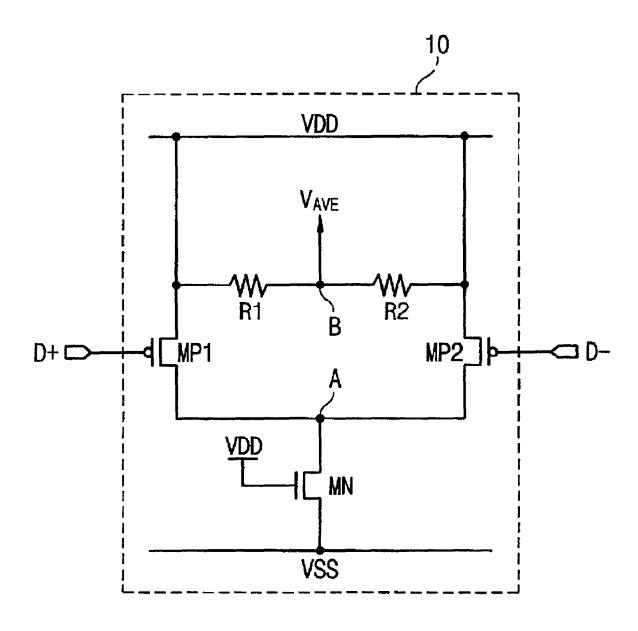




Fig. 3

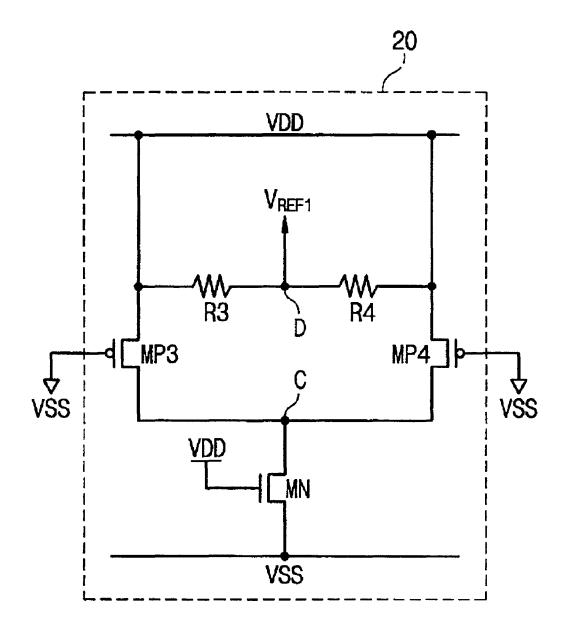




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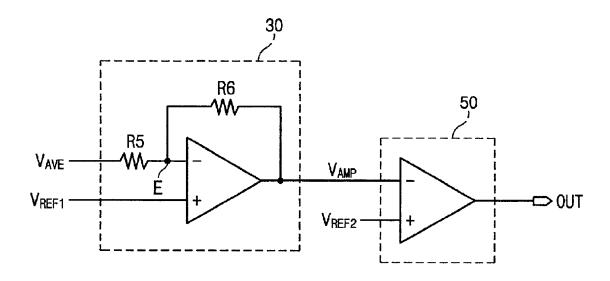
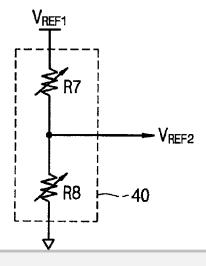


Fig. 5





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