

ECE 320 - Quiz #5 - Name _____

555 Timers, Transistor Switch, Comparators, Schmitt Triggers - Fall 2021

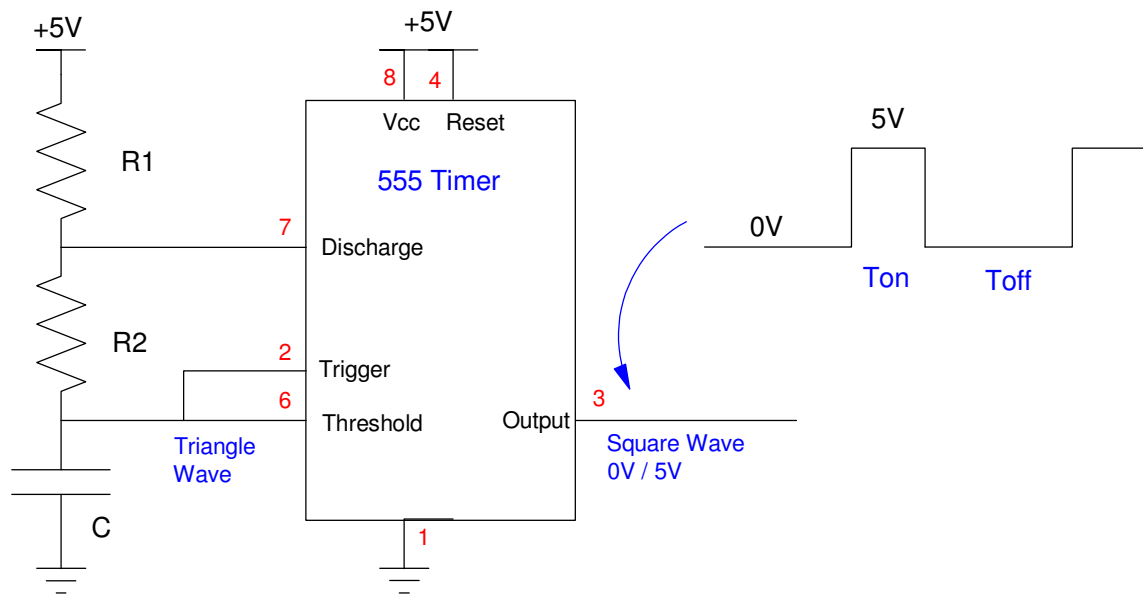
1) 555 Timers. Determine R1, R2, and C so that the 555 timer outputs a 80% duty cycle 100Hz square wave:

$$t_{on} = (R_1 + R_2) \cdot C \cdot \ln(2) = 8.0ms$$

$$t_{off} = R_2 \cdot C \cdot \ln(2) = 2.0ms$$

Let R1 be your birthday day (1000 + 100*Month + Day. May 14th would be 1514 Ohms)

R1 1000 + 100*Month + Day	R2	C
1514 Ohms	504.7 Ohms 1/3 * R1	5.717 uF



$$R_2 \cdot C \cdot \ln(2) = 2.0ms$$

$$(R_1 + R_2) \cdot C \cdot \ln(2) = 8.0ms$$

solving 2 equations for 2 unknowns:

- R1 = 1514 Ohms

$$R_1 + R_2 = 4R_2$$

$$R_2 = 504.7\Omega$$

$$C = 5.717\mu F$$

2) Transistor Switch: Design. Specify R1 and R2 so that when $V_{in} = 5.00V$,

- $I_c = (100 * \text{Birth Month} + \text{Birth Day}) \text{ mA}$. May 14th would be 514mA (0.514A)
- The transistor is saturated, and
- $I_b < 25\text{mA}$ (the maximum output of a 555 timer)

Assume 6144 transistors

- $|V_{be}| = 0.7V$
- $|V_{ce}| = 0.36V$ when saturated
- $\beta = 200$

I_c (mA) $100 * (\text{Mo}) + (\text{Day})$	R_c	min value of R_b	max value of R_b
514 mA	9.027 Ohms	172 Ohms	1673 Ohms

$$R_c = \left(\frac{5V - 0.36V}{514mA} \right) = 9.027\Omega$$

min value of I_b

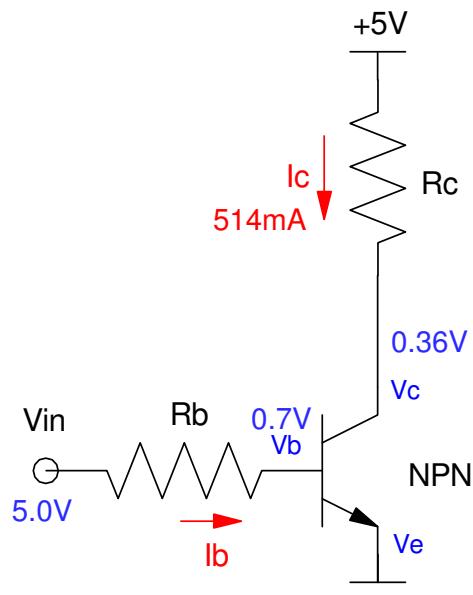
$$I_b = \frac{I_c}{\beta} = \frac{514mA}{200} = 2.570mA$$

$$R_b = \left(\frac{5V - 0.7V}{2.570mA} \right) = 1673\Omega$$

max value of I_b

$$I_b = 25mA$$

$$R_b = \left(\frac{5V - 0.7V}{25mA} \right) = 172\Omega$$



3) Darlington Pair (analysis). Assume two 6144 NPN transistors are connected as a Darlington pair.

- $|V_{be}| = 0.7V$
- $|V_{ce}| = 0.36V$ when saturated
- $\beta = 200$

Let R_b be $1000 + 100(\text{Birth Month}) + \text{Birth Day}$. (May 14 = 1514 Ohms). Find the currents and voltages.

R_b $1000 + 100 * Mo + Day$	I_1	I_2	I_3
1514 Ohms	2.378mA	8.6573mA	1731mA
	V_1	V_2	V_3
	1.4V	0.2V	1.06V

$$I_1 = \left(\frac{5V - 1.4V}{1514\Omega} \right) = 2.378mA$$

$$I_4 = \left(\frac{15V - 1.06V}{8\Omega} \right) = 1743mA$$

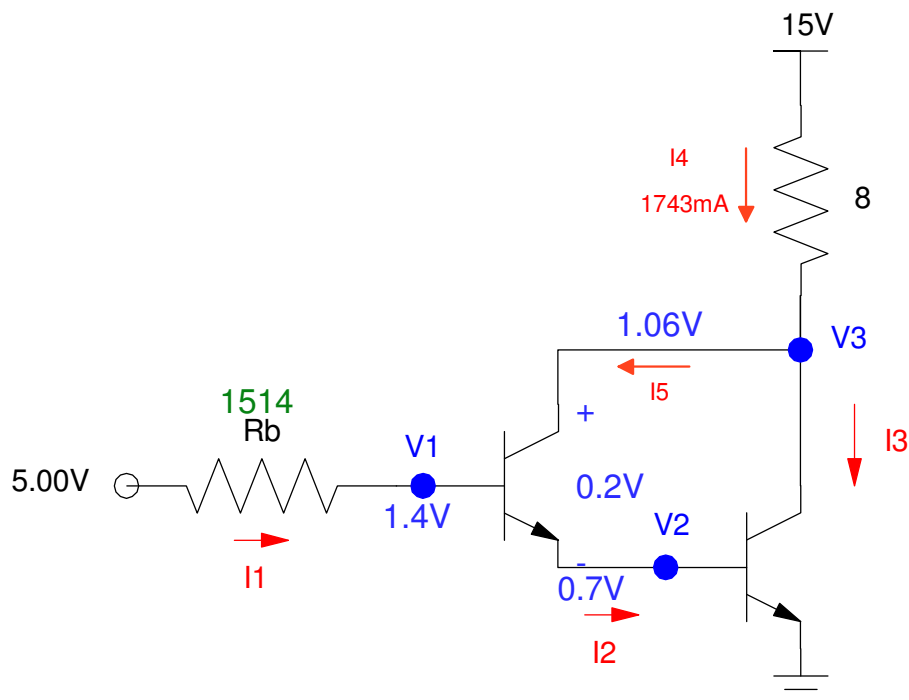
$$I_5 + I_3 = I_4 = 1743mA$$

$$I_2 = I_1 + I_5$$

$$I_3 = 200I_2$$

Solving

$$I_2 = \left(\frac{1743mA - 2.378mA}{201} \right) = 8.6573mA$$

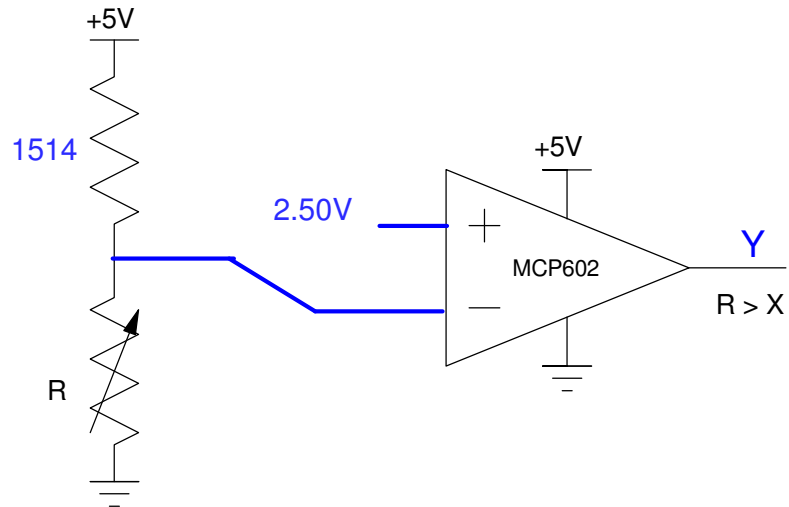


4) Comparitor: Design a circuit which output

- 0V when $R > X$ Ohms
- 5V when $R < X$ Ohms

where X is $1000 + 10 * (\text{Birth Month}) + (\text{Birth Day})$.

$X = 1514$ Ohms



5) Schmitt Trigger: Design a circuit which output

- 5V when $R < X$ Ohms
- 0V when $R > X + 400$ Ohms
- No change for $X < R < X + 400$ Ohms

Let X be $1000 + 10(\text{Birth Month}) + (\text{Birth Date})$.

$$X = 1514 \text{ Ohms}$$

$R = 1514$ Ohms

- $V_1 = 2.50V$
- $Y = 5V$

$R = 1914$ Ohms

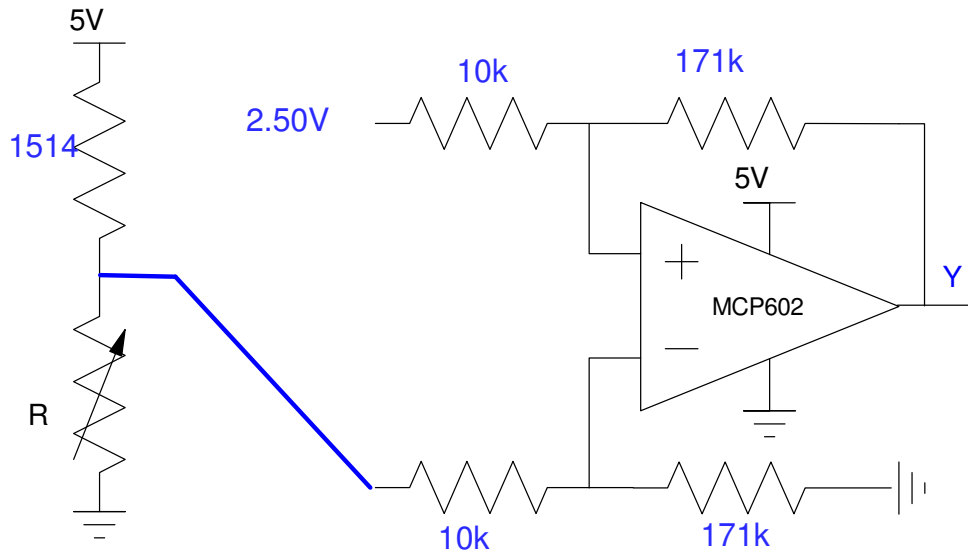
- $V_1 = \left(\frac{1914}{1914+1514} \right) = 2.792V$
- $Y = 0V$

As V_1 goes up, Y goes down. Connect to the minus input

Y is set when $V_1 = 2.5V$. Make the offset 2.5V

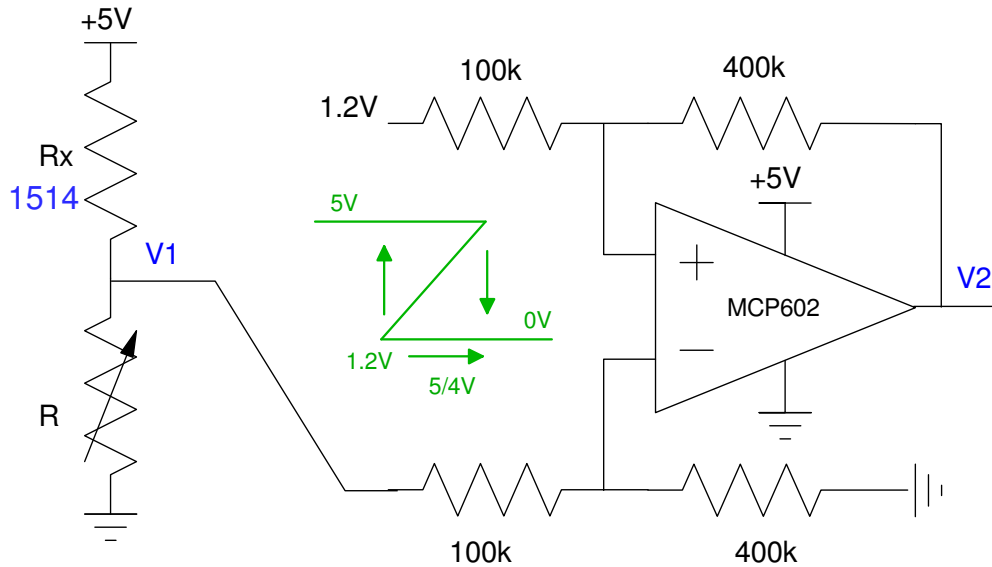
Make the gain

$$\text{gain} = \left(\frac{5V-0V}{2.792V-2.500V} \right) = 17.14$$



6) Schmitt Trigger: Analysis. Determine the voltages and resistance where the following Schmitt trigger turns on and off. Assume R_x is $1000 + 10 * (\text{Birth Month}) + (\text{Birth Day})$. May 14th gives $R_x = 1514$ Ohms.

R_x $1000 + 10 * Mo + Day$	On ($V_2 = +5V$)		Off ($V_2 = 0V$)	
1514	V_1	R	V_1	R
	1.2V	478 Ohms	2.45V	1459 Ohms



On: V_2 is set when $V_1 = 1.2V$ (the offset)

$$\left(\frac{R}{R+1514}\right) 5V = 1.2V$$

$$R = \left(\frac{1.2V}{5V-1.2V}\right) 1514\Omega = 478.1\Omega$$

This is actually $R \parallel 500k$. Removing the 500k resistor gives

$$R = 478.6\Omega$$

Off: The gain is 4

$$\left(\frac{5V}{dV}\right) = 4$$

$$dV = 1.25V$$

$$V_1 = 1.2V + 1.25V = 2.45V$$

$$R = \left(\frac{2.45V}{5V-2.45V}\right) 1514 = 1454\Omega$$

removing the 500k in parallel gives

$$R = 1459\Omega$$