

ECE 363
HW 5 solns

Total = 100 pts

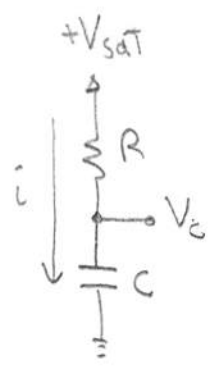
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$$i = \frac{V_{sat} - V_c}{R} = C \frac{dV_c}{dt}$$

$$\frac{1}{RC} V_{sat} - \frac{1}{RC} V_c = \frac{dV_c}{dt}$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{\frac{dV_c}{dt} + \frac{1}{RC} V_c = \frac{1}{RC} V_{sat}}$$



Method #1

③ Total soln = Homogeneous + Particular

• Homogeneous:

$$\frac{dV_c}{dt} + \frac{1}{RC} V_c = 0$$

Try $V_c = Ae^{xt}$

$$\rightarrow xAe^{xt} + \frac{1}{RC} Ae^{xt} = 0$$

$$(x + \frac{1}{RC}) Ae^{xt} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{x = -1/RC}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{V_{c,H} = Ae^{-t/RC}}}$$

• Particular;
(steady state)

$$\frac{dV_c}{dt} + \frac{1}{RC} V_c = \underbrace{\frac{1}{RC} V_{sat}}_{\text{constant}}$$

Try $V_c = B \equiv \text{constant}$

$$\rightarrow 0 + \frac{1}{RC} B = \frac{1}{RC} V_{sat}$$

$$\Rightarrow B = V_{sat}$$

$$\text{So, } V_c(t) = Ae^{-t/RC} + V_{sat}$$

• Initial condition: $V_c(0) = -V_{TH} = A + V_{sat} \rightarrow A = -(V_{TH} + V_{sat})$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{V_c(t) = V_{sat} - (V_{TH} + V_{sat})e^{-t/RC}}$$

METHOD #2

Another way is to use an integrating factor

$$\frac{dV_c}{dt} + \left(\frac{1}{RC}\right) V_c = \left(\frac{1}{RC} V_{sat}\right)$$

$$\frac{dV_c}{dt} + \alpha V_c = \beta$$

Integrating factor is $\mu(t) = e^{\int \alpha dt}$

$$V_c(t) = \int_0^t \frac{\mu(t')}{\mu(t)} \beta dt' + V_c(0) \frac{\mu(0)}{\mu(t)}$$

So, $\frac{\mu(t')}{\mu(t)} = \frac{e^{\frac{1}{RC}t'}}{e^{\frac{1}{RC}t}} = e^{-t'/RC} e^{t'/RC}$

$$\rightarrow V_c(t) = e^{-t/RC} \int_0^t e^{t'/RC} \left(\frac{1}{RC} V_{sat}\right) dt' + (-V_{TH}) e^{-t/RC}$$

$$= \frac{1}{RC} V_{sat} e^{-t/RC} \int_0^t e^{t'/RC} dt' - V_{TH} e^{-t/RC}$$

$$= \frac{1}{RC} V_{sat} e^{-t/RC} \left[RC e^{t'/RC} \Big|_0^t \right] - V_{TH} e^{-t/RC}$$

$$= \underbrace{RC}_{RC} (e^{t/RC} - 1) e^{-t/RC} - V_{TH} e^{-t/RC}$$

$$= V_{sat} (1 - e^{-t/RC}) - V_{TH} e^{-t/RC}$$

$$V_c(t) = V_{sat} - (V_{TH} + V_{sat}) e^{-t/RC}$$

METHOD #3

$$\frac{dV_c}{dt} + \frac{1}{RC} V_c(t) = \frac{1}{RC} V_{sat}$$

$\underbrace{\frac{1}{RC} V_{sat}}_{\text{constant}}$

This makes it easy to directly integrate:

$$RC \frac{dV_c}{dt} = V_{sat} - V_c(t)$$

$$\frac{dV_c}{V_{sat} - V_c} = \frac{1}{RC} dt$$

$$\int_{V_c(0)}^{V_c(t)} \frac{dV_c}{V_{sat} - V_c} = \frac{1}{RC} \int_0^t dt = \frac{t}{RC}$$

using:

$$d \left[\ln(a-y) \right] = \frac{-dy}{a-y}$$

$$\rightarrow - \int_{V_c(0)}^{V_c(t)} \frac{dV_c}{V_{sat} - V_c} = \ln(V_{sat} - V_c) \Big|_{V_c(0)}^{V_c(t)} = -t/RC$$

$$= \left[\ln(V_{sat} - V_c(t)) - \ln(V_{sat} + V_{TH}) \right] = -t/RC$$

$$= \ln \left(\frac{V_{sat} - V_c(t)}{V_{sat} + V_{TH}} \right) = -t/RC$$

$$\rightarrow e^{-t/RC} = \frac{V_{sat} - V_c(t)}{V_{sat} + V_{TH}} \Rightarrow \boxed{V_c(t) = V_{sat} - (V_{sat} + V_{TH}) e^{-t/RC}}$$

© At $t = \frac{T}{2}$, $V_c = +V_{TH}$

$$\rightarrow V_{TH} = V_{SAT} - (V_{TH} + V_{SAT})e^{-\frac{T}{2}RC}$$

$$(V_{SAT} + V_{TH})e^{-\frac{T}{2}RC} = V_{SAT} - V_{TH}$$

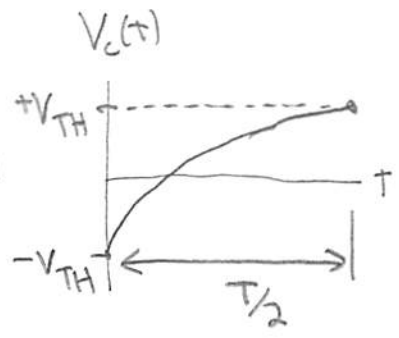
$$\frac{V_{SAT} + V_{TH}}{V_{SAT} - V_{TH}} = e^{\frac{T}{2}RC}$$

using $V_{TH} = V_{SAT} \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2} \rightarrow \frac{V_{SAT} + V_{TH}}{V_{SAT} - V_{TH}} = \frac{V_{SAT} (1 + \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2})}{V_{SAT} (1 - \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2})}$

$$= \frac{1 + \beta}{1 - \beta}, \quad \beta = \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2}$$

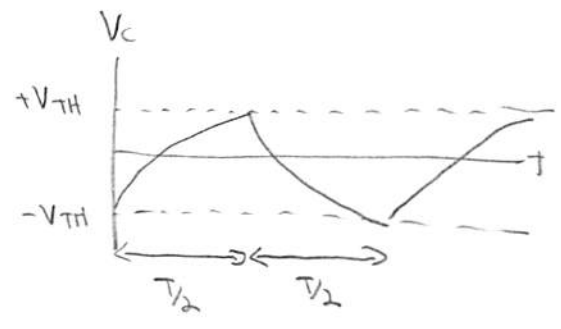
$$\rightarrow \frac{1 + \beta}{1 - \beta} = e^{\frac{T}{2}RC} \rightarrow \frac{T}{2RC} = \ln \frac{1 + \beta}{1 - \beta}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{T}{2} = RC \ln \frac{1 + \beta}{1 - \beta}}$$



④ $T = 2RC \ln \left(\frac{1 + \beta}{1 - \beta} \right)$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{f = \frac{1}{2RC \ln \left(\frac{1 + \beta}{1 - \beta} \right)}}$$

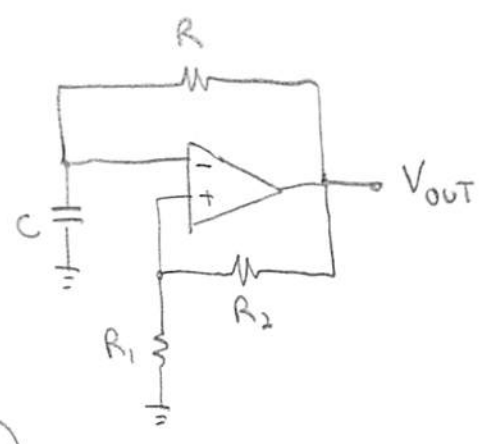


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a) Choose $\beta = 0.5 = \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2}$

$\Rightarrow R_1 = R_2$

let $R_1 = R_2 = 100K$



b) $T = 10^{-3} s = 2RC \ln\left(\frac{1+0.5}{1-0.5}\right)$

$RC = 4.551 \times 10^{-4} s$

C	Ideal R	Actual R
6.8 nF	66.9K	68K
8.2 nF	55.5K	56K
4.7 nF	96.8K	100K
3.9 nF	116.7K	120K

← Choose $R = 56K$
 $C = 8.2nF$

$f = \frac{1}{2(56 \times 10^3)(8.2 \times 10^{-9}) \ln\left(\frac{1.5}{0.5}\right)}$
 $= 991.1 Hz$

% Error = $\frac{991.1 - 1000}{1000} \times 100\% = -0.9\%$

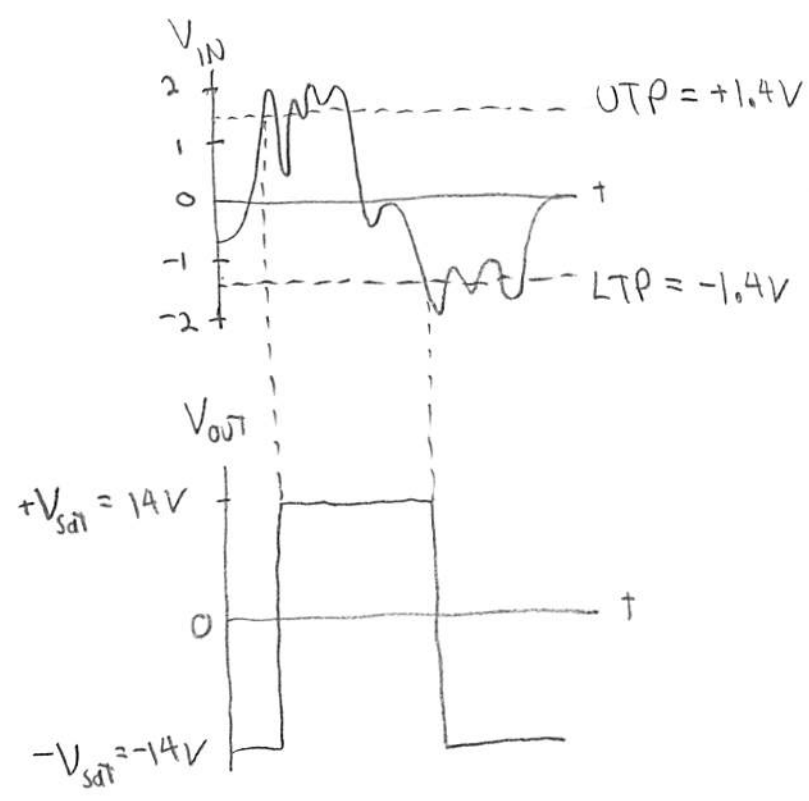
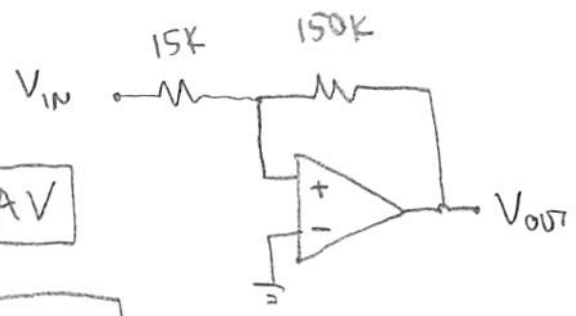
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[Faint handwritten notes and diagrams are visible at the bottom of the page, including a partial circuit diagram showing a square wave input and output.]

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$$UTP = \frac{R_1}{R_2} V_{sat} = \frac{15K}{150K} (14) = 1.4V$$

$$LTP = -\frac{R_1}{R_2} V_{sat} = -\frac{15K}{150K} (14) = -1.4V$$

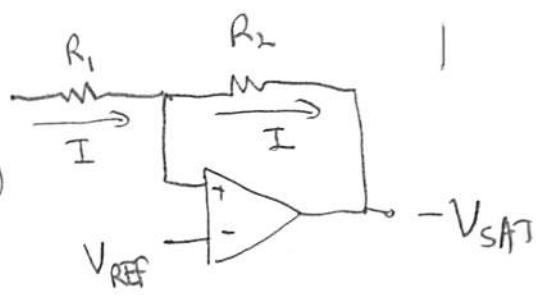


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UTP:

$$I = \frac{UTP - V_{REF}}{R_1} = \frac{V_{REF} - (-V_{SAT})}{R_2}$$

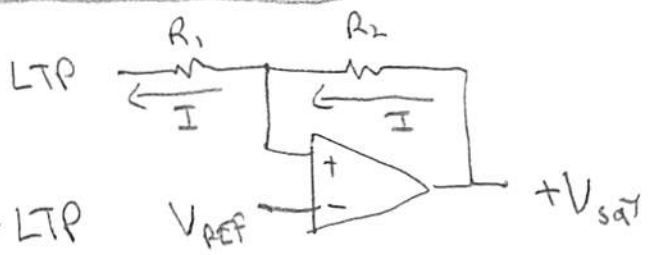


$$UTP - V_{REF} = \frac{R_1}{R_2} V_{REF} + \frac{R_1}{R_2} V_{SAT}$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{UTP = \left(1 + \frac{R_1}{R_2}\right) V_{REF} + \frac{R_1}{R_2} V_{SAT}}$$

LTP:

$$I = \frac{V_{SAT} - V_{REF}}{R_2} = \frac{V_{REF} - LTP}{R_1}$$

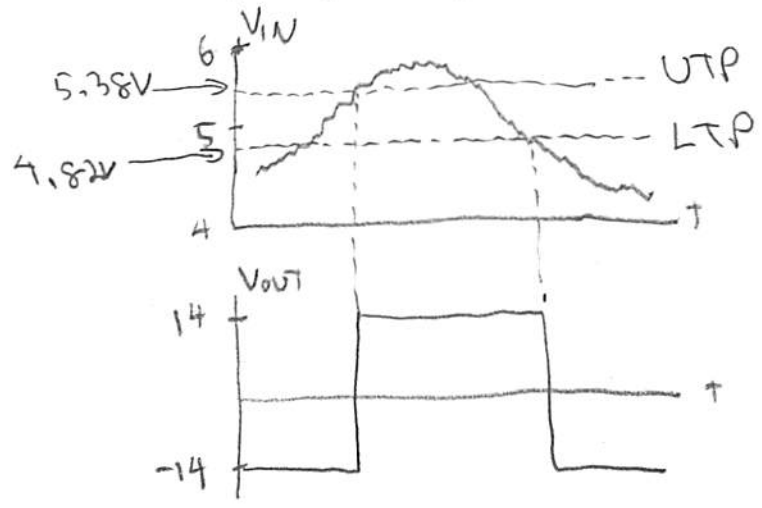


$$\frac{R_1}{R_2} V_{SAT} - \frac{R_1}{R_2} V_{REF} = V_{REF} - LTP$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{LTP = \left(1 + \frac{R_1}{R_2}\right) V_{REF} - \frac{R_1}{R_2} V_{SAT}}$$

$$\textcircled{b} \quad UTP = \left(1 + \frac{20K}{1000K}\right) 5 + \frac{20K}{1000K} 14 = \boxed{5.38V}$$

$$LTP = \left(1 + \frac{20K}{1000K}\right) 5 - \frac{20K}{1000K} 14 = \boxed{4.82V}$$



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Integrator output is

$$V_{out} = -\frac{1}{R_3 C} \int V_{in} dt$$

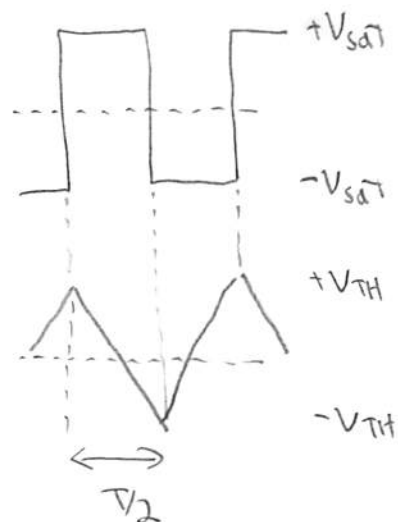
$$V_{out}\left(\frac{T}{2}\right) - V_{out}(0) = -\frac{1}{R_3 C} \int_0^{\frac{T}{2}} V_{sat} dt$$

$$-V_{TH} - V_{TH} = -\frac{1}{R_3 C} V_{sat} \frac{T}{2}$$

$$-2V_{TH} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{V_{sat}}{R_3 C} T$$

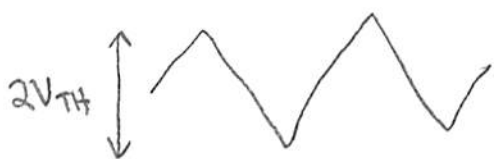
$$\frac{1}{T} = \frac{1}{4R_3 C} \frac{V_{sat}}{V_{TH}}$$

Since $V_{TH} = \frac{R_1}{R_2} V_{sat} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{T} = f = \frac{R_2}{4R_1 R_3 C}$



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a) $V_{TH} = 10V = \frac{R_1}{R_2} V_{sat} = \frac{R_1}{R_2} 14 \Rightarrow \frac{R_1}{R_2} = \frac{10}{14} = 0.7143$



choose $\begin{cases} R_1 = 75K \\ R_2 = 100K \end{cases} \Rightarrow \frac{R_1}{R_2} = 0.7$

b) $500 \text{ Hz} = \frac{100K}{4(75K)R_3 C} \Rightarrow R_3 C = 6.67 \times 10^{-4} \text{ s}$

C	Ideal R_3	Actual R_3
6.8 nF	98.1K	100K
8.2 nF	81.3K	82K
10 nF	66.7K	68K

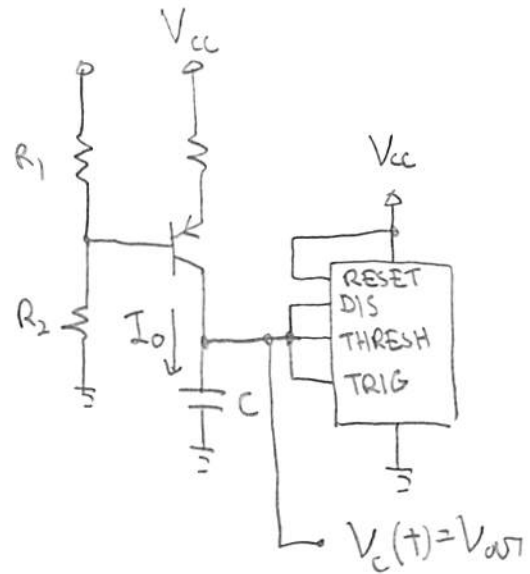
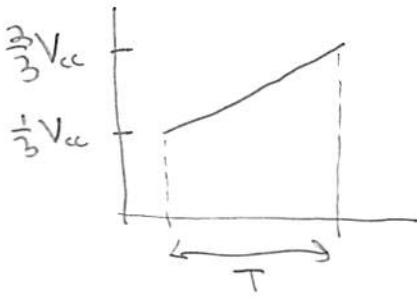
Choose $\begin{cases} R_3 = 82K \\ C = 8.2nF \end{cases}$

c) $R_4 > 10R_3$
 $> 820K$

choose $R_4 = 1M$

d) $f = \frac{100K}{4(75K)(8.2 \times 10^{-9})(8.2 \times 10^{-9})} = 495.7 \text{ Hz}$
Error = -0.9%

⑦



$$i = C \frac{dV_c}{dt}$$

$$V_c(t) = \frac{1}{C} \int i dt$$

$$V_c(T) - V_c(0) = \frac{1}{C} \int_0^T I_0 dt = \frac{1}{C} I_0 T$$

$$\frac{2}{3} V_{cc} - \frac{1}{3} V_{cc} = \frac{1}{C} I_0 T \rightarrow \frac{1}{3} V_{cc} = \frac{1}{C} I_0 T$$

$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{C V_{cc}}{3 I_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow f = \frac{1}{T} = \frac{3 I_0}{C V_{cc}}$$

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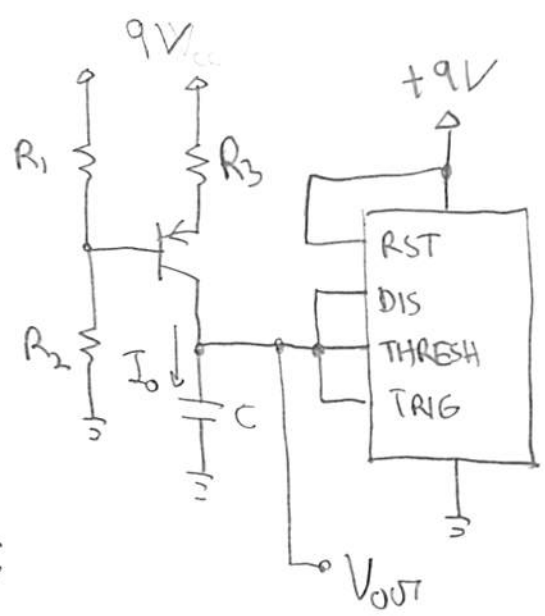
(a) Want $f = 10\text{kHz}$

use $f = \frac{3I_0}{V_{cc} \cdot C}$

$10^4 \text{ Hz} = \frac{3I_0}{9 \cdot C} \rightarrow \frac{I_0}{C} = 3 \times 10^4 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{s}}$

let $C = 1\text{nF} \rightarrow I_0 = 30\mu\text{A}$ (kind of small)

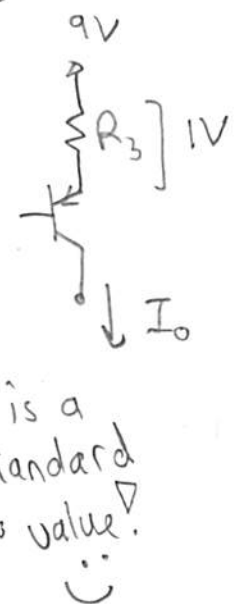
$C = 10\text{nF} \rightarrow I_0 = 0.3\text{mA}$ (OK!)



(b)

$I_0 = \alpha \frac{9 - V_E}{R_3} \sim \alpha \frac{1\text{V}}{R_3}$

so, $R_3 = 0.99 \times \frac{1\text{V}}{0.3\text{mA}} = 3.3\text{k}$



This is a standard 5% value! 😊

CHECK f!

$V_B = 9 \times \frac{180}{180+43} = 7.265\text{V}$
 $V_E = 7.965\text{V}$
 $I_0 = 0.99 \times \frac{9 - 7.965}{3.3\text{k}} = 0.311\text{mA}$

(c) Want $V_B = 9 - 1 - 0.7 = 7.3\text{V}$

$9 \times \frac{R_3}{R_1 + R_2} = 7.3 \rightarrow \frac{9}{7.3} = \frac{R_1 + R_3}{R_2} = 1 + \frac{R_1}{R_2}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{R_1}{R_2} = 0.233$

For firm divider, $R_1 // R_2 \sim \frac{\beta + 1}{10} R_3 = \frac{101}{10} \times 3.3\text{k} = 33.33\text{k}$

$R_1 // R_2 = \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} = \frac{\frac{R_1}{R_2} R_2}{\frac{R_1}{R_2} + 1} = \frac{0.233 R_2}{0.233 + 1} = 0.189 R_2 = 33.33\text{k}$

$\Rightarrow R_2 = 176.4\text{k}$ Choose $R_2 = 180\text{k}, R_1 = 43\text{k}$

$f = 10366.7 \text{ Hz}$
 (3.7% error)
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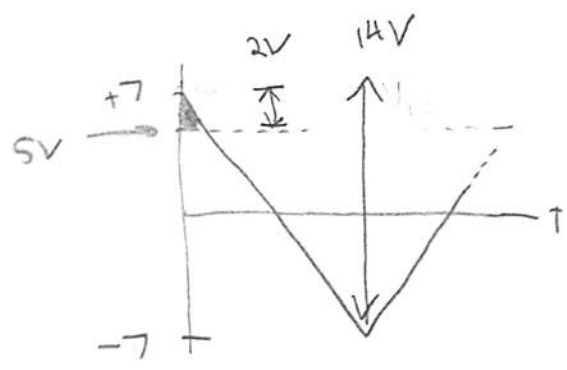
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a) Triangle wave amplitude = $V_{TH} = \frac{R_1}{R_2} V_{sat} = \frac{100k}{200k} 14V = \boxed{7V}$
 (14V_{pp})

b) Frequency: $f = \frac{R_2}{4R_1R_3C} = \frac{200k}{4(100k)(30 \times 10^3)(8.2 \times 10^{-9})}$
 $= \boxed{2032.5 \text{ Hz}}$

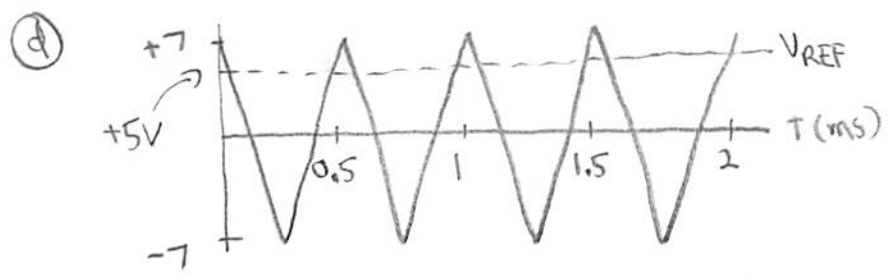
c) $V_{REF} = 15 \times \frac{100k}{100k + 200k} = 5V$

PWM is HIGH when Triangle > V_{REF}



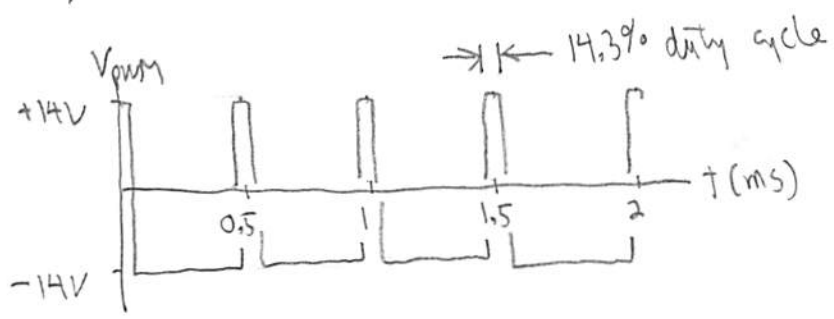
→ % above = $\frac{\text{Voltage Above } V_{REF}}{\text{Total peak-to-peak}} = \frac{7-5}{14} = \frac{2}{14} = 0.143$

$\boxed{\text{Duty cycle} = 14.3\%}$



One period = $\frac{1}{2kHz} = 0.5ms$

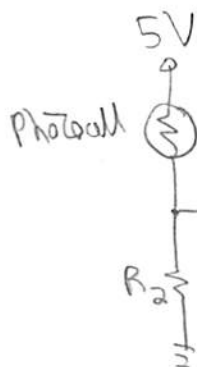
$\frac{2ms}{0.5ms} = 4 \text{ cycles}$



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(a) Photocell data sheet: Dark resistance > 5M

Illuminated resistance: 10K To 30K



$$V_A = 5 \frac{R_2}{R_2 + R_{pc}}$$

R_2	Bright V_A	Dark V_A	
1K	.16 - .46V	.001V	X All Too low
10K	1.25 - 2.5V	.010V	X Not enough swing
100K	3.85 - 4.6V	0.1V	
1M	4.85 - 4.95V	0.83V	

Both are OK

Choose 1M for lower power dissipation

(b)



Bright: 4.85 - 4.95V

Dark: < 0.83V

$$\text{Make } V_{REF} = \frac{\text{Bright} + \text{Dark}}{2} = 2.84V$$

$$5 \frac{100K}{100K + R_3} = 2.84V \rightarrow$$

$$\frac{5V}{2.84V} * 100K = 100K + R_3$$

$$R_3 = 76K$$

OK $V_{REF} = 2.5V \rightarrow$ Choose $R_3 = 100K$

(c) Do NOT need high speed operation, so 10K is fine.

(d) A table helps:

Condition	V_A	V_B	Comparator output	LED
Bright	HIGH	MED	LOW	OFF
Dark	LOW	MED	HIGH	ON

($V_B > V_A$?)

