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## Golden Rules for Ideal Op Amps with negative feedback:

1. The output will adjust in any way possible to make the inverting input and the noninverting input terminals equal in voltage.
2. The inputs draw no current.
3. 



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Suppose that the input voltage for the circuit above is $10-\mathrm{V}$ peak square wave with a frequency of $250-\mathrm{Hz}$. Carefully sketch (including scales) the output voltage versus time.
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Suppose that the input voltage for the circuit above is $10-\mathrm{V}$ peak triangular wave with a period of 4 ms . Carefully sketch (including scales) the output voltage versus time.
6.


For the op amp circuit above, sketch the gain as a function of the frequency of the input signal.
7. Design a timing circuit that will produce a "square" wave that will have an output that is high for 100 ms and low for 5 ms .
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8. Design a timing circuit that will produce a "square" wave that will have an output that is low for 10 ms and has a duty cycle of $40 \%$.
9. Suppose a diode is connected in parallel with $\mathrm{R}_{2}$ of an astable oscillator made with a 555 timer IC as in the circuit below (taken from the Nov. 2003 issue of Nuts \& Volts).


How will the diode change the operation of the circuit?
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10. In the circuit below (taken from the Nov. 2003 issue of Nuts \& Volts), wires are not connected everywhere they cross, only where they are marked.


What does the circuit do after the switch is pushed? Be very specific.
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11. The pnp transistor in the circuit below (taken from The Art of Electronic by Horowitz and Hill) provides a constant current of $50 \mu \mathrm{~A}$.

a) What is the output of the op amp?
b) What is the output of the 555 IC ?
c) Why is the op amp necessary?
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12. Complete the truth table for the following circuit. Note that the wires that cross are not connected.


| A | B | Out |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 | 0 |  |
| 1 | 0 |  |
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What logic function does this circuit perform?
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14. Assume that the J-K flip-flops are in an initial state with $Q_{A}=Q_{B}=Q_{C}=0$. Analyze the behavior of the circuit below by filling in the truth table for subsequent clock pulses. Stop when the circuit returns to its initial state (for three J-K flip-flops, the maximum number of states is 8 ). Note that where wires cross they only connect if there is a dot.


| State | $\mathbf{Q}_{\mathbf{A}}$ | $\mathbf{Q}_{\mathbf{B}}$ | $\mathbf{Q}_{\mathbf{C}}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 |  |  |  |
| 3 |  |  |  |
| 4 |  |  |  |
| 5 |  |  |  |
| 6 |  |  |  |
| 7 |  |  |  |
| 8 |  |  |  |

If $\mathrm{Q}_{\mathrm{C}}$ is considered the output, what is the function of this circuit?
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| 3 |  |  |  |
| 4 |  |  |  |
| 5 |  |  |  |
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| 8 |  |  |  |

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16. Analyze the behavior of the circuit below by filling in the truth table for 5 subsequent clock pulses. Note that data flip-flops are used. Assume that its initial state is $Q_{A}=Q_{B}=Q_{C}=0$ and that the input $\left(\mathrm{D}_{\mathrm{A}}\right)$ is " 1 " for the first clock pulse, then " 0 " for all of the others.


| State | $\mathbf{Q}_{\mathbf{A}}$ | $\mathbf{Q}_{\mathbf{B}}$ | $\mathbf{Q}_{\mathbf{C}}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 |  |  |  |
| 3 |  |  |  |
| 4 |  |  |  |
| 5 |  |  |  |
| 6 |  |  |  |

What use might this circuit have?
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17. A 6-bit, successive-approximation ADC has an input range of 0 to 10 V and has a clock frequency of $10-\mathrm{kHz}$. The output of the ADC is connected to a $6-\mathrm{bit} \mathrm{DAC}$ with an output range of 0 to 10 V .
(a) What increment in the input will cause a 1-digit change in the output of the ADC?
(b) How long does it take the ADC to make one conversion?
(c) What is the output from the ADC when the input is 4.5 V ?
(d) What is the output from the DAC when the input to the ADC is 4.5 V ?
(e) What frequencies will be reasonably well reproduced by this circuit?

