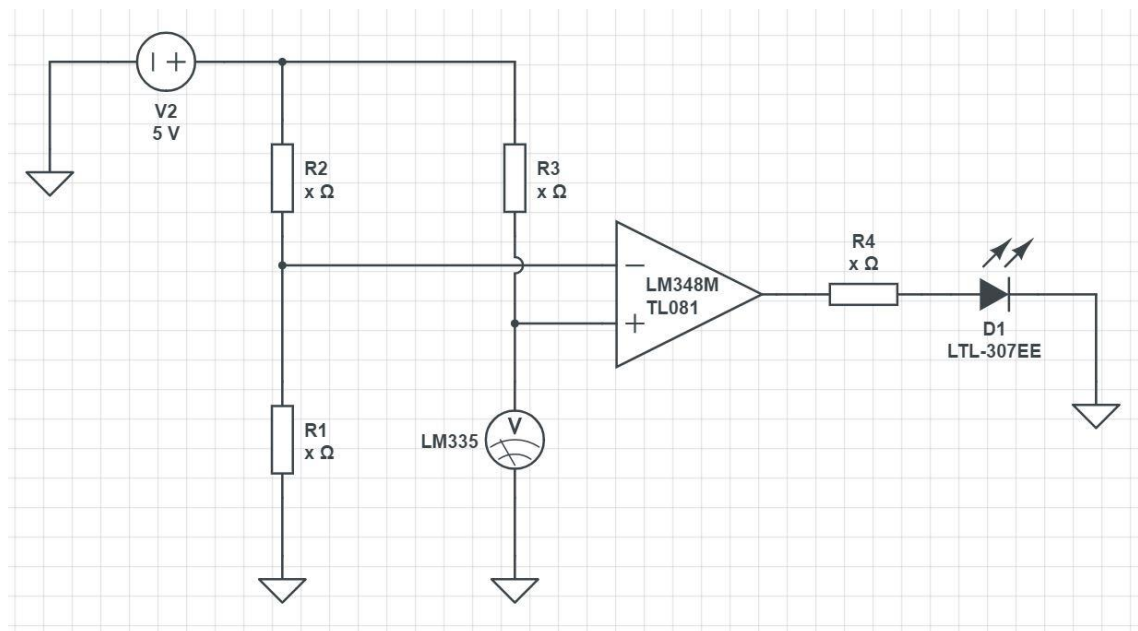


## 1 Introduction

A model of a functional circuit was created. The purpose is to measure temperature level using a temperature sensor (LM335) to detect the temperature and then compare the target temperatures versus the targeted voltage range using operational amplifiers (LM348M) as comparators.

## 2 Calculating the circuit values

### 2.1 Calculation



It is assumed that the current on the left line of the circuit is 5mA. In the real circuit targeted value of  $U_a$  is 2.482V and the resistors value was initiated as 510Ω, so it determines the actual current in the circuit as  $I = \frac{U_a}{R_1} = 4.87 \text{ mA}$ , which is an approximation of our initial assumption of 5mA.

Then by using voltage division  $U_a$  can be calculated as shown as above.  $R_1$  is set at 510Ω.  $R_2$  was calculated using the formula  $R_2 = \frac{(U \times R_1)}{U_a} - R_1$ .

Then by applying this method every section of the resistor values was calculate.

For example in the real circuit, the targeted voltage for the yellow LED is 3.082V.

$R_9 + R_2 + R_1 = \frac{3.082}{I}$ . Combining the limited choices in the resistor values to be

$R_9 = 20\Omega$ ,  $R_2 = 100\Omega$ .

The second formula in the picture shows how the resistor values were calculated for the LED part of the circuit according to the 15mA limit of the LED components.

$U_{LED}$  is the voltage drop of the LEDs.

For example, in the real circuit,  $R_6 + R_{13} + R_{14} = \frac{(5-1.8)V}{0.015A} = 213\Omega$ .

But since options for the resistor values were limited,  $R_6 = R_{13} = 100\Omega$  and  $R_{14} = 20\Omega$  were chosen for the circuit.

The current limit for LEDs is between 15mA - 20mA. 20mA is the limit, but it is not recommended as it may damage the LED over time.