# **Humidity Regulator**

Milestone 2 Presentation

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# Project Relevance

- Infection Control
- Sterile Storage
- Patient Comfort & Recovery
- Medical Equipment Performance

General Recommendations of Humanity Levels in Healthcare Facilities		
Room	Temperature (°C)	Relative Humidity (%)
Operation Theatre	18-20	50-55
Imaging Department: X-ray room, MRI, CT Scanner, Mammography, Ultrasound, Fluo- roscopy, Angiology	22-24	50
Pathology Department: Dark room, Biology Lab, Chemical lab, Immunology, Hematology	22-24	50

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## System Overview

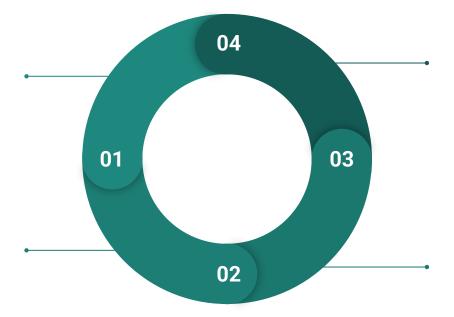
## **Humidity Sensor**

Input: moisture in the air
Output: Relative Humidity % (RH%)
represented as voltage range

#### **ADC & Encoder**

Input: Some voltage level within sensor range representing RH%

Output: n-bit digital number that represents RH% rounded down to the nearest (100/n)%



# LED Display & (De)Humidifier

**Input:** bits that signal whether air is too dry or too hot

Output: LEDs that display current humidity state, humidifier/dehumidifier adjusting moisture in the air if outside threshold

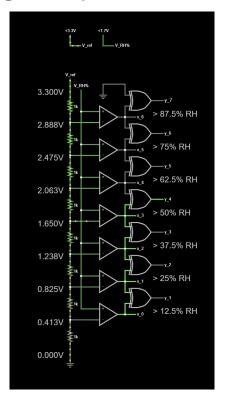
#### Comparators

**Input:** three n-bit digital numbers representing RH%, upper and lower humidity thresholds

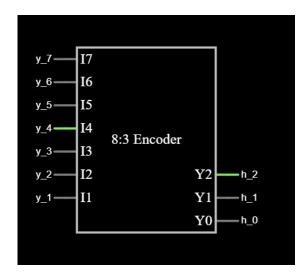
**Output:** three bits that signal whether humidity is within humidity range

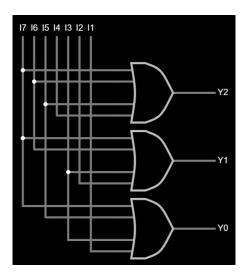
## Analog to Digital Converter

## **Voltage Comparison**

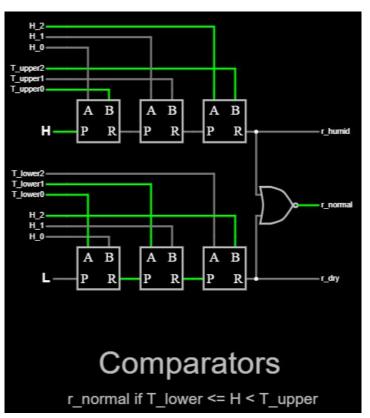


## **Encoding**

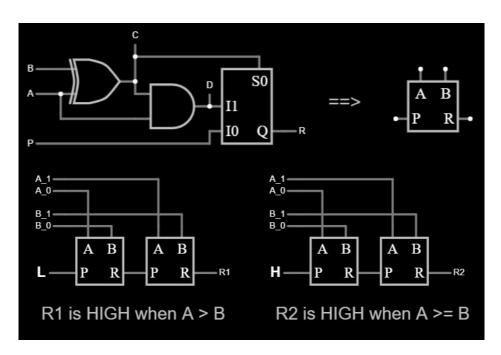




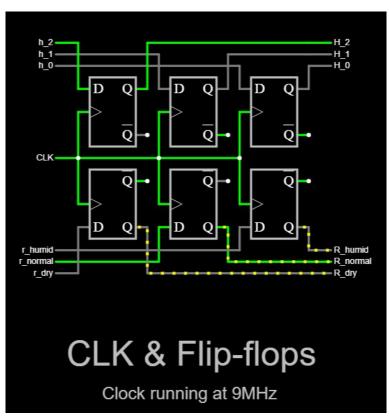
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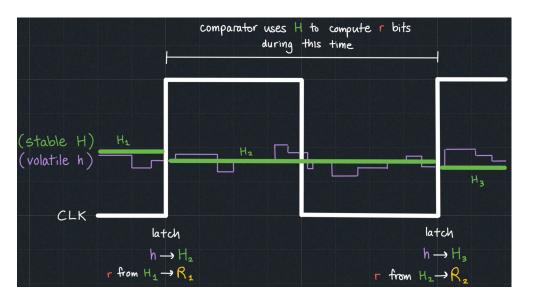


### **Modular Comparison Block Design**



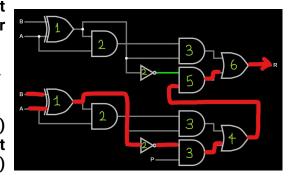
# Clock & Flip-flop



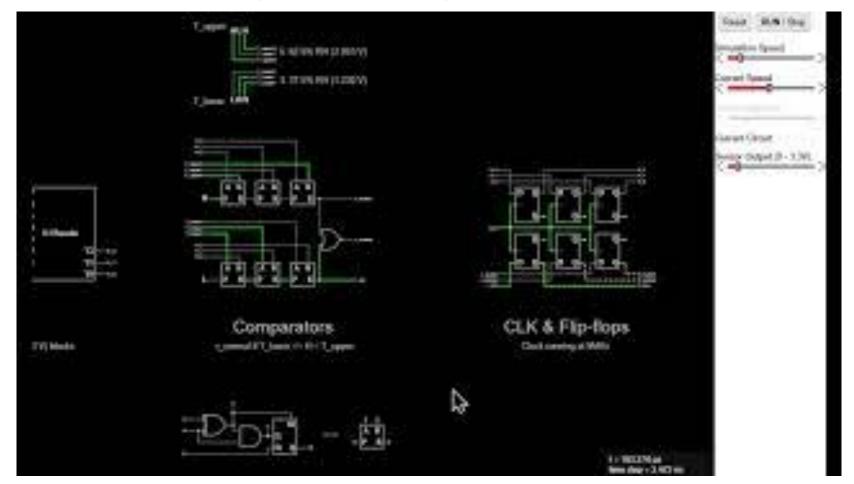


Longest delay path for a 2-bit comparator

Comparator needs (50+20n) nanoseconds to process n-bit data (gate delay d = 10ns)



# Falstad Simulation (3-bit system)



## **Potential Improvements**



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