



**American International University-Bangladesh (AIUB)**  
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**DIGITAL LOGIC AND CIRCUITS**

**OBE Assignment [30 marks]**

**Summer Semester 2021-22**

**Submission Deadline:**

CO3	Formulate solutions of a complex engineering problem with conflicting requirements by applying information, concepts and procedures in engineering fundamentals of digital logic and circuits at gate and transistor level.	P.a.3.C3
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Recently you have been registered for COVID-19 vaccination. In the vaccination center, only 4 people are allowed in a queue with maintaining three feet distance in front of a small room. If more than 2 people enter the room at the same time an alarm goes off. Each awaiting applicant has one digital token with sensor to detect their presence in the room.

**Your task is to:**

- Outline the necessary steps in correct sequence of the standard procedure to design a digital system and design the system. Also show the outlined steps, which will trigger the alarm and implement the system with CMOS logic.
- The human audible ranges from 20Hz – 20kHz. However, any sound below 250Hz is considered to be disturbingly low pitched and any sound above 4500Hz is considered to be disturbingly high pitched. Design the alarm timer circuit with a frequency of **P5 Hz** and a duty cycle of **Q%** [where **P = C+O+V+I+D** and **Q = 100 – P**]. However, if P5 Hz is not within soothing hearing limits, take frequency,  $f = 400\text{Hz}$ . Choose the capacitor value from the given list based on the suitability of your requirements. ( $C = 50\mu\text{F}/250\mu\text{F}/470\mu\text{F}$ )
- Identify the limitations of this developed system and explain the effect of increasing the frequency above 4500Hz

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(In case the last two letters of your ID is 00, use 36 instead.)

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Ans to Qno-1

For the alarm to go off on buzz, It must already be in on state. Thus,

A	B	C	D	F
0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	1
0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	1
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1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	0
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AB \ CD	00	01	11	10
00	1	1	1	1
01	1	1	0	1
11	1	0	0	0
10	1	1	0	1

$$F = \bar{A}\bar{B} + \bar{A}\bar{C} + \bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{D} + \bar{B}\bar{D} + \bar{C}\bar{D}$$

$$\bar{F} = \bar{A}\bar{B} + \bar{A}\bar{C} + \bar{B}\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{D} + \bar{B}\bar{D} + \bar{C}\bar{D}$$

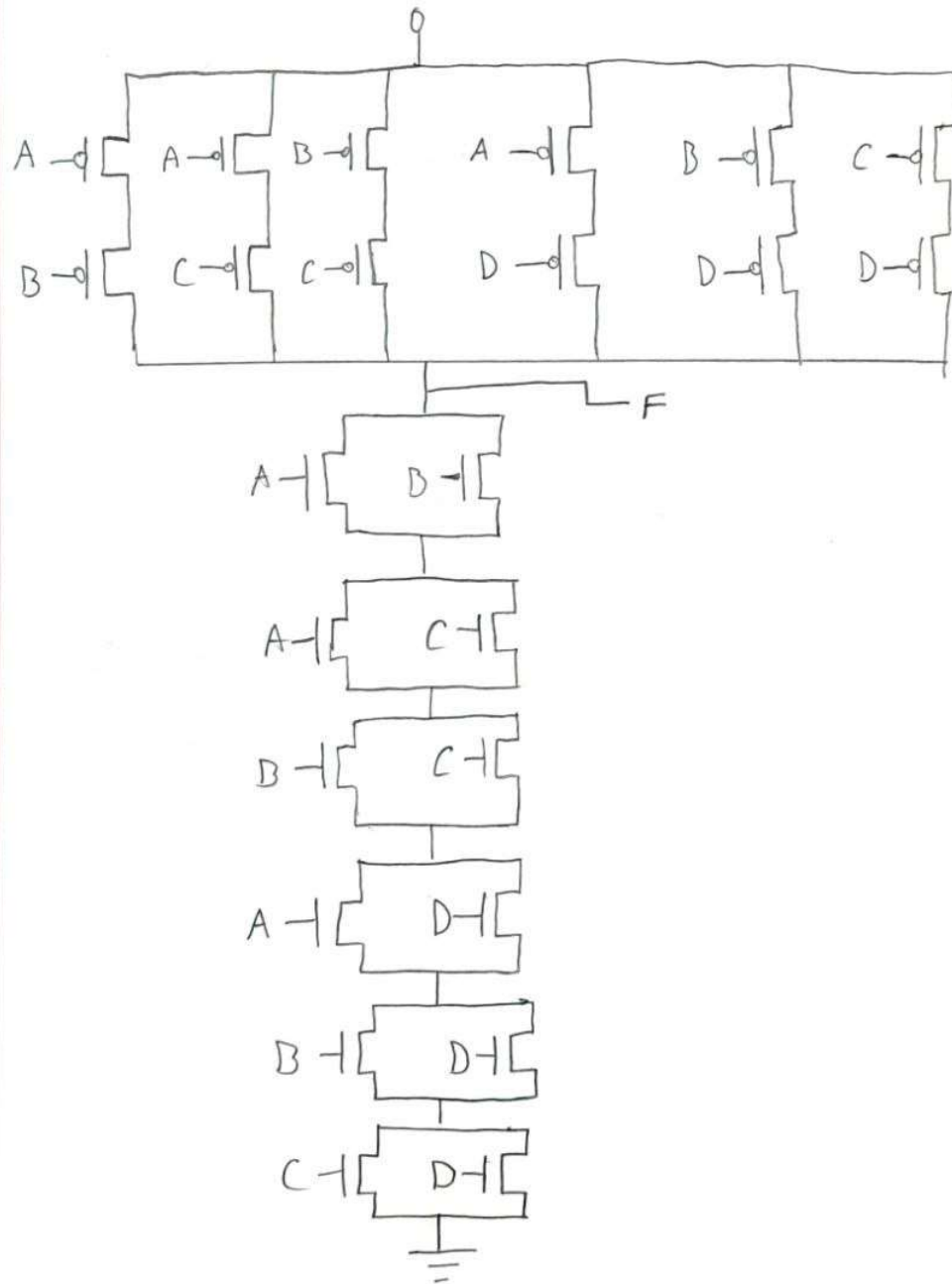
$$= (A+B)(A+C)(B+C)(A+D)(B+D)(C+D)$$



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$\therefore \text{COVID} = 42102$

$$P = 4 + 2 + 1 + 0 + 2 \\ = 16$$

$$Q = 100 - 16 = 84$$

Frequency,  $F = P \text{ Hz}$

$= 165 \text{ Hz} < 250 \text{ Hz}$  which is  
considered disturbingly low pitched

So we take frequency,  $F = 400 \text{ Hz}$

Duty Cycle =  $Q \%$

$$= 84 \%$$

Time period,  $T = \frac{1}{F}$

$$= \frac{1}{400} = 0.0025 \text{ s}$$



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$$\begin{aligned}\text{Time High, } T_H &= 0.0025 \times 84\% \\ &= 0.0021 \text{ s}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Time Low, } T_L &= 0.0025 \times 16\% \\ &= 0.0004 \text{ s}\end{aligned}$$

Value of  $R_2$  : Choosing  $C_1 = 50 \mu\text{F}$

$$T_L = 0.693 R_2 C_1$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore R_2 &= \frac{T_L}{0.693 \times C_1} \\ &= \frac{0.0004}{0.693 \times 50 \times 10^{-6}} \\ &= 11.54 \Omega\end{aligned}$$



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Value of  $R_1$ ,

$$T_H = 0.693 (R_1 + R_2) C_1$$

$$\therefore R_1 = \left( \frac{T_H}{0.693 \times C_1} \right) - R_2$$

$$= \left( \frac{0.0021}{0.693 \times 50 \times 10^{-6}} \right) - 11.54$$

$$= 49.06 \Omega$$



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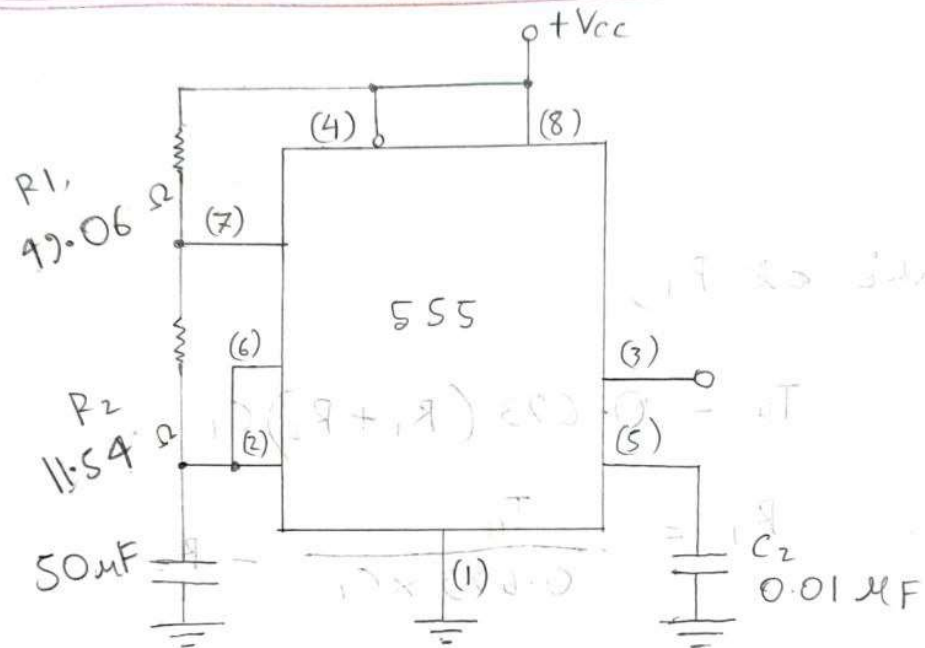


Figure: Alarm timer circuit





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Ans to qno-3

There are certain limitations of this developed system, which are discussed below,

1. The continuous pulse generation by the system depends on positive feedback. Due to the resistance in the circuit, the multivibrator can not transfer the whole output signal to the input signal. So a amplifier that is small is used with this multivibrator which restores the lost energy.
2. There is a resistance present within the circuit.
3. There is also absence of a completely closed loop at the output terminals.



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4. One capacitor or transistor has a tendency to absorb energy at a slightly different rate than the other

5. Though the amplifier restores the lost energy when it amplifies the signal, the signal is too small.

6. The effect of increasing the frequency above 4500 Hz:

$$\text{As } F \propto \frac{1}{T}$$

So, as the frequency increases the time period will decrease,

$$\text{We know, } R_2 = \frac{T_L}{0.693 \times C_1}$$

$$\text{and } R_1 = \frac{T_H}{0.693 \times C_1} - R_2$$

We can see that the resistance will



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also decrease.

At last, if we increase the frequency above 4500 Hz the time period will decrease. As a result the resistance will also decrease.

**MARKING RUBRIC:**

CP	Assessment	Evaluation Criteria	Marks
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	Criteria	Poor [1-2]	Average [3-4]	Good [5-6]	Excellent [7-7.5]	
K3, P1	Outline of the standard procedure of digital system design	More than three steps are incorrect or missing and not in correct sequence	One or Two steps of the standard procedure is missing with a one or two steps not in sequence.	All the steps of the procedure have been identified with one or two steps not in correct sequence	All the steps of the procedure have been identified and in correct sequence	
	Digital Triggering Circuit Design.	Design flow has major errors and transistor level design has major flaws.	Design Flow has major error with error carried forward to transistor level design	Design Flow has minor error with error carried forward to transistor level design	Accurate Design Flow with transistor level design having no or minor errors	
P2, P6	Alarm/ Buzzer Design	Alarm design has major flaws which does not comply with the conflicting requirements with major calculation errors.	Alarm design has major flaws which does not comply with the conflicting requirements but with minor calculation errors.	Alarm design is correct and complies to the conflicting requirements but, with major calculation errors.	The alarm design is correct and comply to the requirements with no or minor calculation errors.	
	Advantages and disadvantages	More than four are incorrect or missing	Three or four are incorrect or missing	Less than three are incorrect or missing	All are correct	
Total Marks Obtained						