

Q1) a) We have $V_{ref} = 2.56V$

Total number of comparators for $n=8$, $2^n - 1 = 2^8 - 1 = 255$

$$\Delta = \frac{2.56}{2^8} = 10mV$$

Thus voltage comparison levels would be $\frac{\Delta}{2}, \frac{\Delta}{2} + \Delta, \frac{\Delta}{2} + 2\Delta, \dots$

i.e. $5mV, 15mV, 25mV, \dots, 2.545V$

b) if $V_{in} = 0.5V$

$$b_0 \dots b_8 = 110010, \text{ Quantization error} = 50 \times \Delta - 0.5 = 0V$$

if $V_{in} = 1.054V$

$$\therefore b_0 \dots b_8 = 1101001, \text{ Quantization error} = 105 \times \Delta - 1.054 = -4mV$$

if $V_{in} = 2.543V$

$$b_0 \dots b_8 = 11111110, \text{ Quantization error} = 254 \times \Delta - 2.543 = -3mV$$

Q2) a) For monostable multivibrator using IC 555

$$T_{ON} = 1.1RC$$

we have $C = 0.5nF$

for $T_{ON} = 10\mu s$

$$R = \frac{10\mu s}{1.1 \times C} = 18.18k\Omega$$

b) if V_{th} is varie

$$\text{then } V_c(t) = V_{cc} (1 - e^{-t/RC})$$

if $t = 20\mu s$ then

$$V_c(t = 20\mu) = 12V (1 - e^{-20\mu / (18.18k \times 0.5n)})$$

$$V_{th} = 10.67V$$

Q3) For an Astable circuit, $C = 680pF$

$$\text{Duty cycle} = \frac{(R_A + R_B)}{(R_A + 2R_B)} \quad \& \quad \begin{aligned} T_{ON} &= \ln(2)(R_A + R_B) \cdot C \\ T_{OFF} &= \ln(2)(R_B) \cdot C \end{aligned}$$

$$f = 20kHz \therefore \frac{1}{20kHz} = T_{ON} + T_{OFF} = \ln(2)(R_A + 2R_B) \cdot C$$

$$\& \quad R_A + 2R_B = 106.08k\Omega \quad \& \quad 0.8 = \frac{R_A + R_B}{R_A + 2R_B} \Rightarrow R_A = 3R_B$$

$$\text{Thus } R_A = 63.64k\Omega \quad R_B = 21.22k\Omega$$