

**CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY, POMONA**

**ETE 318**

COURSE OUTLINE

Course Information	ABET Unit Classification (4 Quarter Units)
Department: Engineering Technology	Math:
Course Number: ETE 318/318L	Basic Science:
Course Title: Linear Integrated Circuits/Lab	Engineering Topics: 4
Revision Date: 12/14/04	<i>Contains significant design content:</i> Yes
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Compliant: Catalog 2004/05	Curriculum Designation: Required

**I. Catalog Description**

**ETE 318/318L Linear Integrated Circuits/Lab (3/1)**

Ideal op-amps and applications including basic integrators and differentiators; DC offsets and compensation; slew-rate limiting; open and closed-loop bandwidth, stability and compensation; active filters; op-amp applications including Schmitt triggers, oscillators, and wave shaping circuits, etc. 3 lectures/problem solving and 1 three-hour laboratory. Prerequisites: ETE 305, 310.

**II. Prerequisites and Corequisites**

ETE 305, ETE 310. Students are expected to have a working knowledge of basic idealized op-amp circuits and applications from ETE 310 and its lab. This includes idealized inverting and non-inverting amplifiers, adders, subtractors, integrators and differentiators.

**III. Textbook and/or other Required Material**

Bogart, T.F., J.S. Beasley and G, Rico, Electronic Devices and Circuits, Prentice Hall, 6th edition, or equivalent.

Keown, John, OrCAD PSpice and Circuit Analysis, Prentice Hall, 4th Edition or equivalent.

**IV. Course Objectives**

Upon successful completion of this course, each student will be able to:

1. Compute cm and dm output voltages of a differential amplifier and select components for classical inverting and non-inverting amplifiers, adders, subtractors, integrators and differentiators, etc. (review of ETE 305 and 310).
2. Work with non-ideal characteristics of op-amps including DC offsets and compensation, slew rate limiting, and frequency instability and compensation.
3. Work with classic op-amp switching circuits such as schmitt triggers, multivibrators, and triangle waveform generators using op-amp integrators and diode steering circuits, and classic op-amp active filters and sinusoidal oscillators such as RC phase shift oscillators, etc.
4. Simulate op-amp circuits using Pspice in lecture and lab.
5. Work effectively on teams in lab to gather data, assimilate results, and write formal laboratory reports that meet professional writing standards.

**V. Expanded Course Description**

1. **Idealized op-amp circuits** (2 weeks)  
Characteristics of ideal op amps. Classical inverting and non-inverting op-amp configurations including amplifiers, adders, subtractors, integrators and differentiators, etc. Use of Pspice simulations.
2. **DC Offsets and Compensation** (1 week)  
Modeling and compensation of DC offsets in op-amps including Ibo, Ios, and Vos.
3. **Frequency Response and Compensation** (3 weeks)  
Effects of slew rate limiting; op-amp frequency response, stability, and compensation using bode plots. Use of Pspice simulations.
4. **Switched-Mode Op-Amp Circuits** (2 weeks)

Analysis and design of classic op-amp switching circuits such as schmitt triggers, multivibrators, and triangle waveform generators using op-amp integrators and diode steering circuits. Use of Pspice simulations.

5. **Op-Amp Filters and Sinusoidal Oscillators** (2 weeks)  
 Analysis and design of classic op-amp active filters and sinusoidal oscillators such as RC phase shift oscillators, etc. Use of Pspice simulations.

**VI. Class/Laboratory Schedule**

Lecture: Two 75 minute sessions per week.  
 Lab: One 3 hour session per week.

**VII. Contribution of Course to Professional Component**

Lecture: Students learn to analyze, design, and to develop an understanding of the characteristics and limitations of operational amplifier circuits.

Lab: In lab, students learn to analyze, design, set up test apparatus, test, and record pertinent data associated with typical op-amp circuits. They also learn to assimilate and document comparisons of theoretical, experimental, and Pspice-simulated results into formal laboratory reports written to professional standards as specified by the laboratory instructor.

**VIII. Evaluation of Students**

The instructor evaluates outcomes using the following methods: homework assignment submittals, midterm and final exams, one-on-one discussions during office hours, laboratory experiments, and laboratory reports.

The student grades are typically based on the following factors: quizzes, homework, midterm exam and final Exam.

**IX. Relationship of Course Objectives to Program Outcomes**

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	(a) Use of modern tools of discipl	(b) Use of math, science, Engg & Tech	(c) Do experi-ments	(d) Dsn of sys & compo-nents	(e) Work on teams	(f) Do Tech probs	(g) Eff Com	(h) Life-long learn	(i) Prof, ethics, social resps	(j) Prof, soc, globl, diversity	(k) Qual, Cont impr, timeli-ness
1		X		X		X					
2		X		X		X					
3		X		X		X					
4	X					X					
5	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				

- X. **Typical Laboratory Experiments.** Here, the students are expected work with linear integrated circuits in practical laboratory applications. Circuit simulations using Pspice is required. The following labs are oriented to achieve this purpose:

- Lab 1. Basic operational amplifier circuits (review of ideal circuit applications for ETE 310).
- Lab 2. DC Offsets and Compensation.
- Lab 3. Slew rate limiting, frequency response, stability and compensation.
- Lab 4. Characteristics and stability of op-amp integrators and differentiators.
- Lab 5. Triangle-wave function generators -- use of schmitt triggers, integrators, and diode steering circuits.
- Lab 6. RC phase shift oscillator
- Lab 7. Butterworth high pass filter.