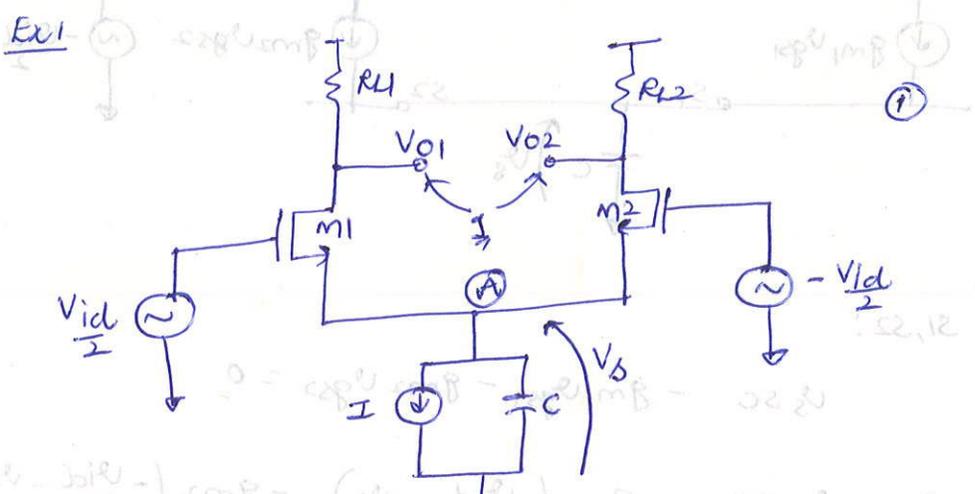


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Zeros from Differential circuit Paths: (loads need not be resistive)



Advantages of using current mirror load?

For demonstration simplicity $r_{ds1} = \infty, g_{mb1} = 0, i = 1, 2$

C = Only significant cap in the circuit

Paradox:

ECE 264A material \Rightarrow 1) have pole $PA = \frac{-1}{RA CA}$

where $RA =$ small signal resistance to gnd
 $CA =$ " " capacitance to gnd

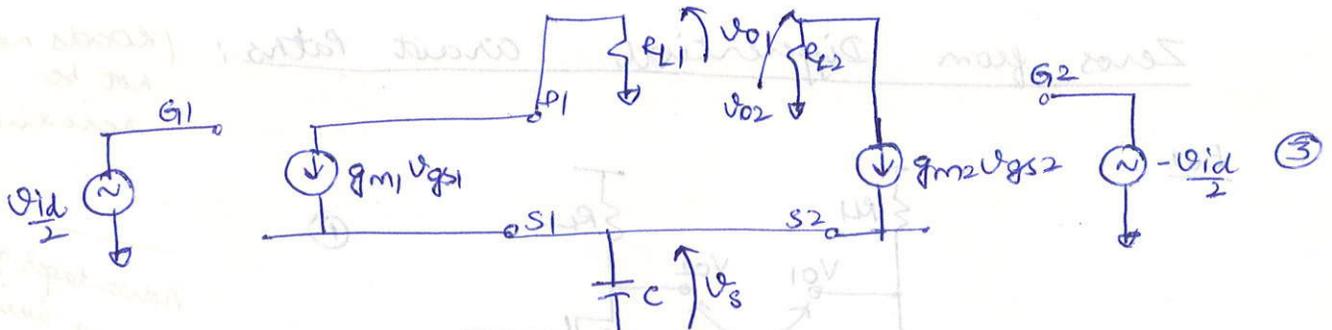
$$\left(\frac{smb - 1mb}{2c + smb + 1mb} \Rightarrow \right) PA = - \frac{gm1 + gm2}{C}$$

ECE 164 material \Rightarrow 2) if $gm1 = gm2, Vs = 0$ (symmetry)
 So PA has no effect on ckt.

To resolve this paradox, must analyze ①

let $R_{L1} = R_{L2} = R_L$

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KCL @ S1, S2:

$$V_s s_c - g_{m1} v_{gs1} - g_{m2} v_{gs2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow V_s s_c - g_{m1} \left(\frac{V_{id}}{2} - v_s \right) - g_{m2} \left(-\frac{V_{id}}{2} - v_s \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow V_s = \frac{1}{2} \frac{g_{m1} - g_{m2}}{g_{m1} + g_{m2} + s_c} V_{id} \quad (4)$$

$$v_{o1} = -g_{m1} v_{gs1} R_{L1}$$

$$= -g_{m1} \left(\frac{V_{id}}{2} - v_s \right) R_L$$

$$= -g_{m1} R_L \frac{V_{id}}{2} \left(1 - \frac{g_{m1} - g_{m2}}{g_{m1} + g_{m2} + s_c} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow v_{o1} = -g_{m1} R_L \left(\frac{V_{id}}{2} - v_s \right), \quad v_{o2} = -g_{m2} R_L \left(-\frac{V_{id}}{2} - v_s \right)$$

$$\therefore v_{od} \equiv v_{o1} - v_{o2} = -\frac{1}{2} (g_{m1} + g_{m2}) R_L v_{id}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} (g_{m1} - g_{m2}) R_L (2v_s)$$

$$\Rightarrow v_{od} = -\frac{1}{2} R_L v_{id} \left[g_{m1} + g_{m2} - \frac{(g_{m1} - g_{m2})^2}{g_{m1} + g_{m2} + s_c} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} R_L v_{id} \left[\frac{4 g_{m1} g_{m2} (g_{m1} + g_{m2}) s C}{g_{m1} + g_{m2} + s C} \right]$$

$$\therefore A_{mid} = \frac{v_{od}}{v_{id}} = \left[\frac{-\frac{1}{2} R_L \left[\frac{4 g_{m1} g_{m2} (g_{m1} + g_{m2}) s C}{g_{m1} + g_{m2} + s C} \right]}{1 - \frac{s}{-(g_{m1} + g_{m2})/C}} \right]$$

$$= -g_m R_L \left(\frac{1 - s/z_1}{1 - s/p_1} \right)$$

$$g_m = \frac{2 g_{m1} g_{m2}}{g_{m1} + g_{m2}}, \quad z_1 = \frac{2 g_m}{C}$$

As $g_{m1} \rightarrow g_{m2}$, $z_1 \rightarrow p_1 \Rightarrow$ pole-zero cancellation

Resolution of paradox: We really do have a pole @ $s = p_1$, but in a perfectly matched version of $\textcircled{1}$, we also have a zero that cancels the pole.

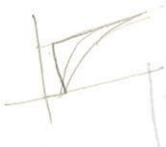
Q So what?

A We never have perfect matching, so differential pair amplifiers have at least one pole-zero doublet

Jargon: Pole-zero doublet \equiv closely spaced pole & zero

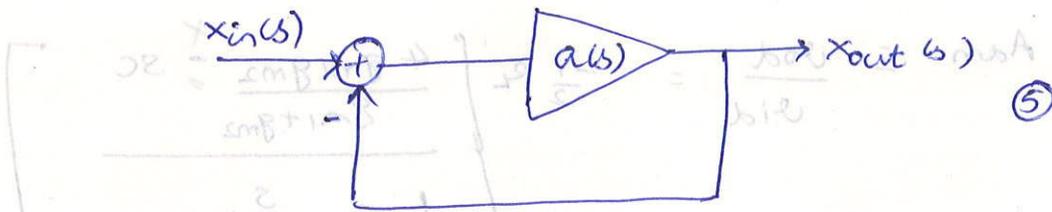
Q So what?

A Pole-zero doublet \Rightarrow slow settling component in closed-loop amplifier step response.



Paul Gray's paper

Ex2 Unity gain feedback system w/ pole-zero doublet



where $a(s) = \frac{a_0 (1 - s/z_x)}{(1 - s/p_d)(1 - s/p_x)}$

and $p_x = \frac{1}{a_1 p_d}$ ($p_d \equiv$ dominant pole)
 $p_x, z_x \equiv$ pole-zero doublet)

$z_x = a_2 p_d$
 $a_0 > a_1, a_2 > 0$

Assume 1) $a_0 \gg 1$ 2) $|p_d| < |p_x|, |z_x| < \frac{a_0/p_d}{10}$

3) $|p_d| \ll |p_x|, |z_x|$

Can show (HW)

$A(s) \equiv \frac{X_{out}(s)}{X_{in}(s)} = \frac{1 - s/z_x}{(1 - s/p_1)(1 - s/p_2)}$ (6)

where $p_2 \equiv - \frac{GBW z_x}{z_x - GBW}$ (7) ($GBW \equiv a_0/p_d$)

$p_1 \equiv - \frac{GBW p_x}{z_x}$ (8)

Recall (6) $\Rightarrow A(s) = \frac{A_1}{1 - \frac{s}{p_1}} + \frac{A_2}{1 - \frac{s}{p_2}}$

where $A_1 = A(s) \left(1 - \frac{s}{p_1}\right)$, $A_2 = A(s) \left(1 - \frac{s}{p_2}\right)$

Let $X_{step}(t) = X_{out}(t) / X_{in}(t) = u(t)$ where $u(t) = \begin{cases} t > 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

HW 2 $\Rightarrow X_{step}(t) = A_1 (1 - e^{P_1 t}) u(t) + A_2 (1 - e^{P_2 t}) u(t)$

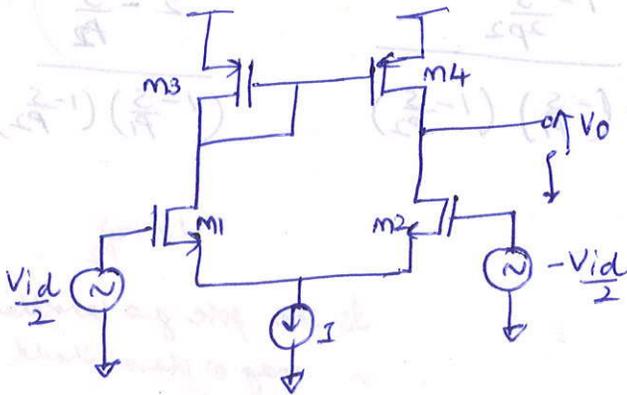
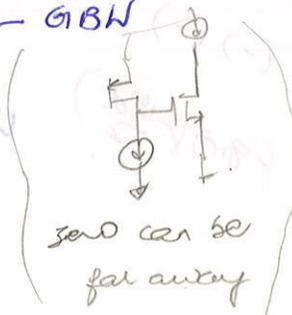
② shows may get larger than $X_{step}(t)$ w/o slow setting component. doublet

1 (Recall, ⑤ w/ $P_x = Z_x$ c.i.e. NO doublet) has

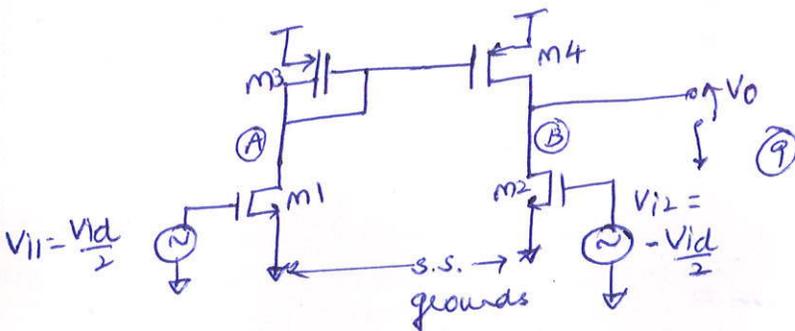
PZ doublet: due to inherent w/ or due to mismatch?

$A(s) = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{s}{P_1}}$ w/ $P_1 \approx -GBW$

Ex 3 Pole zero doublet in diff to single-ended amp!



SSM reduces to that of (assumes large r_{ds1} & r_{ds2}) & low C_{d1} & C_{d2})



Linearity of SSM

$\Rightarrow V_o = V_{o1} + V_{o2}$

where $V_{o1} = V_o$ | $V_{i1} = Vid/2$
 $V_{i2} = 0$
 $V_{o2} = V_o$ | $V_{i2} = -Vid/2$
 $V_{i1} = 0$

① $\Rightarrow \frac{V_o}{V_i} = \left(\frac{1}{2} Vid g_{mn} \frac{1}{g_{mp}} (r_{ds1} || r_{ds2}) \right)$ and

$\left(\frac{1}{(1-s/A)(1-s/P_2)} \right)$

set P (own side)
 where $P_1 = \frac{1}{\gamma_{dsn} || \gamma_{dsp}}$ (B)
 (A) \Rightarrow (B)

$P_2 = -\frac{g_{mp}}{C_A}$ (A) \leftarrow \leq WH

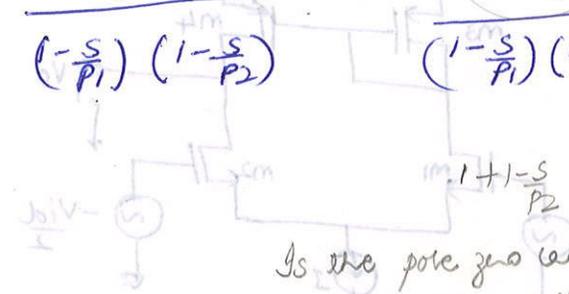
Recall C_A = small signal cap. from node (A) to small signal ground

v_{o2} inverting

Similarly, (A) $\Rightarrow v_{o2} = \frac{1}{2} v_{id} g_{mn} (\gamma_{dsn} || \gamma_{dsp}) \frac{1}{(1-s/P_2)}$

$v_o = v_{o1} + v_{o2} = \frac{1}{2} v_{id} g_{mn} (\gamma_{dsn} || \gamma_{dsp}) \left[\frac{1}{(1-s/P_1)(1-s/P_2)} + \frac{1}{1-s/P_1} \right]$

$\therefore a(s) = \underbrace{g_{mn} (\gamma_{dsn} || \gamma_{dsp})}_{\equiv a_0} \frac{1-s/P_2}{(1-s/P_1)(1-s/P_2)} \frac{2-s/P_2}{(1-s/P_1)(1-s/P_2)}$

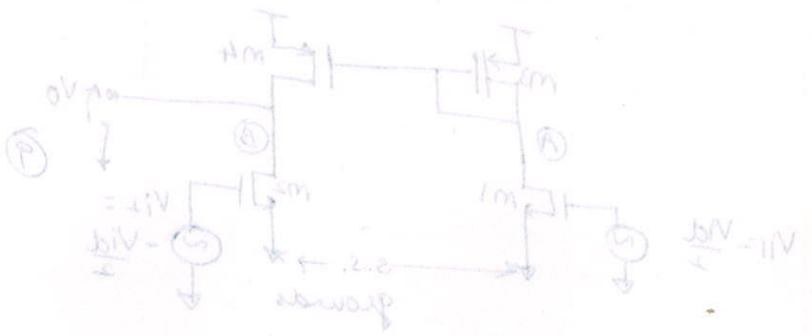


Is the pole zero cancellation in mag or phase should be both right?

list of common mode signals

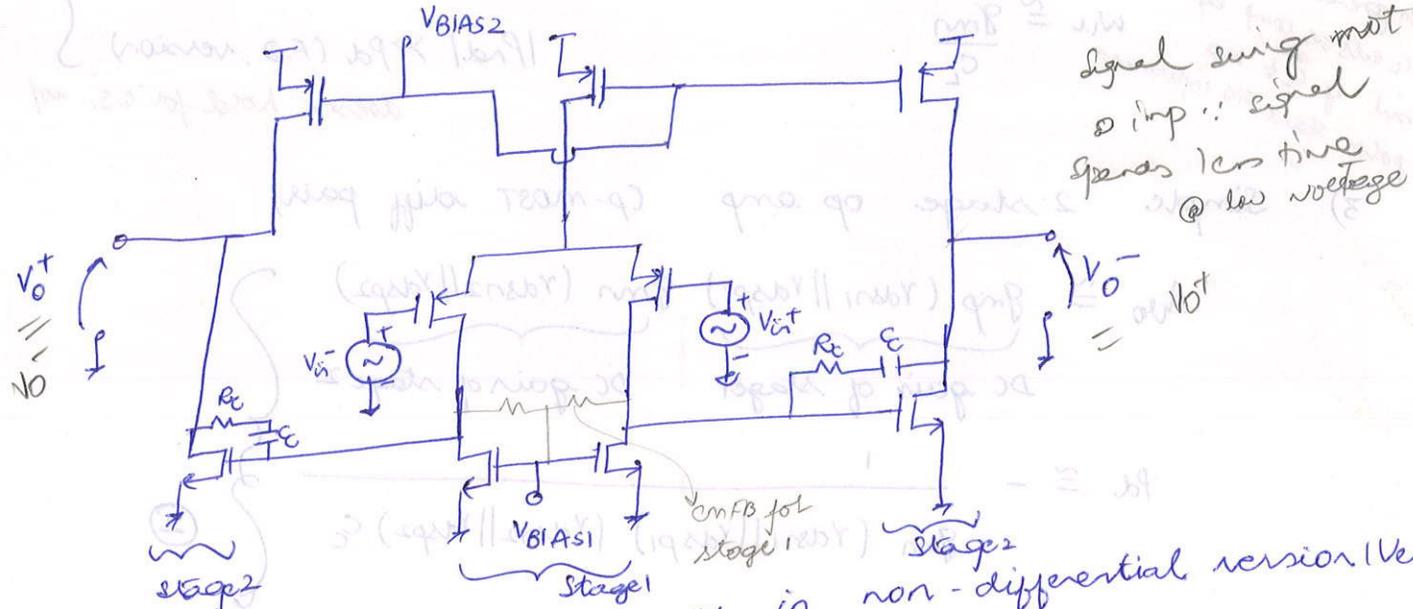
$v_{o1} + v_{o2} = v_o$

$v_{o1} = v_{o2} = v_o$
 $v_{o1} = v_{o2} = v_o$
 $v_{o1} = v_{o2} = v_o$



$\frac{1}{(1-s/P_1)(1-s/P_2)}$

Fully Differential 2-stage OpAmp :



Notes: 1) Same P_1, P_2, Z_1 as in non-differential version. V_{in+} V_{in-} V_{out+} V_{out-}

- 2) No pole zero doublet from systematic ^{mis} matches (unlike single ended version)
- 3) CMFB required (senses V_{oc} , but adjusts bias current in stage 1) → other strategies possible

Op-Amp Topologies:

So far have covered (~~non-differential~~) single-ended (S.E) and fully differential (F.D.) versions of simple one stage & two-stage opamps.

General observations:

- i) Feedback applications
 - ci) accuracy depends on op-amp's DC gain.
 - cii) BW depends on dominant pole
 - ciii) stability (marginal) depends on non-dominant pole & (zero, if lead compensated)
- cii), (ciii) ⇒ For a given PM, BW depends on non-dominant pole.

2) Simple one-stage op-amp (n-most diff pair)

$$A_{vo} \cong g_m (r_{dsn} \parallel r_{dsp}), \quad P_d \cong - \frac{1}{(r_{dsn} \parallel r_{dsp}) C_L} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

In general C_L acts as comp. cap but if C_L & N_D poles start to influence

$$W_u \cong \frac{g_m}{C_L}$$

$|P_{nd}| \gg P_d$ (F.D. version) doesn't hold for G.S. w/

3) Simple 2-stage op-amp (p-most diff pair)

$$A_{vo} \cong \underbrace{g_{mp} (r_{dsn1} \parallel r_{dsp1})}_{\text{DC gain of stage 1}} \underbrace{g_{mn} (r_{dsn2} \parallel r_{dsp2})}_{\text{DC gain of stage 2}}$$

$$P_d \cong - \frac{1}{g_m (r_{dsn1} \parallel r_{dsp1}) (r_{dsn2} \parallel r_{dsp2}) C_C} \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$P_{nd} \cong - \frac{g_m}{C_L} \gg z \cong \frac{1}{C_C \left(\frac{1}{g_m} - R_C \right)}$$

$$W_u = \frac{g_{mp}}{C_C} \begin{array}{l} \rightarrow \text{After compensation} \\ \rightarrow \text{Assumes } |P_{nd}|, |z| \gg W_u \end{array}$$

$\textcircled{1}, \textcircled{2} \Rightarrow$ 2-stage has higher gain but lower BW for a given C_L and PM than one stage op-amp.

Why?

P_{nd} limited by C_L in two stage op-amp (not so in one-stage op-amp) $\textcircled{3}$

\Rightarrow Want to increase gain in one-stage op-amp (yet avoid problem like $\textcircled{3}$)

Telescopic Op-Amp

Idea: Use cascoding

Telescopic Op-Amp

(This config can't drive resistive loads)

Idea: Use cascoding

Ex F.D. version (CMFB not shown)

DC gain:

$$A_{vo} = g_{m1} (r_{on} \parallel r_{op})$$

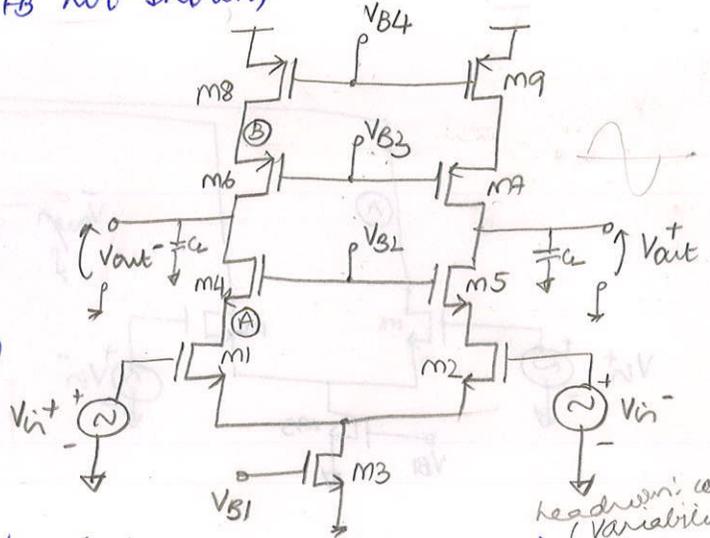
where

$$r_{on} \cong r_{ds1} r_{ds4} (g_{m4} + g_{mb4}) \quad \textcircled{4}$$

$$r_{op} \cong r_{ds8} r_{ds6} (g_{m6} + g_{mb6})$$

$$P_{cl} \cong \frac{-1}{(r_{on} \parallel r_{op}) C_L}$$

$$P_{nd} \cong \frac{-g_{m4}}{C_A} \quad \text{(can verify Heuristics: } \frac{V_{B3}}{V_{DS4}} \text{ is small)}$$



⇒ Gain improved by factor of $g_m r_{ds}$ but P_{nd} is still indep. of C_L

Q What's the catch?

A Headroom $pp\text{-max} \{V_{od}\} = 2 [V_{DD} - 5V_{eff} - 3V_{margin}]$
 (max p-p swing of V_{od})
 ↳: it is differential margin b/w V_{B4} & V_{B3} , margin b/w V_{B2} & V_{IC} , " " & V_{IC} & V_{B1}

e.g. Suppose $V_{eff} = 0.2V \cong$ edge of strong inversion $\textcircled{5}$

$$V_{margin} = 0.1V, \quad V_{DD} = 2.7V$$

$$\text{Then } pp\text{-max} \{V_{od}\} = 2.8V$$

in simple one-stage opamp,

$$pp\text{-max} \{V_{od}\} = 2 [V_{DD} - 3V_{eff} - V_{margin}]$$

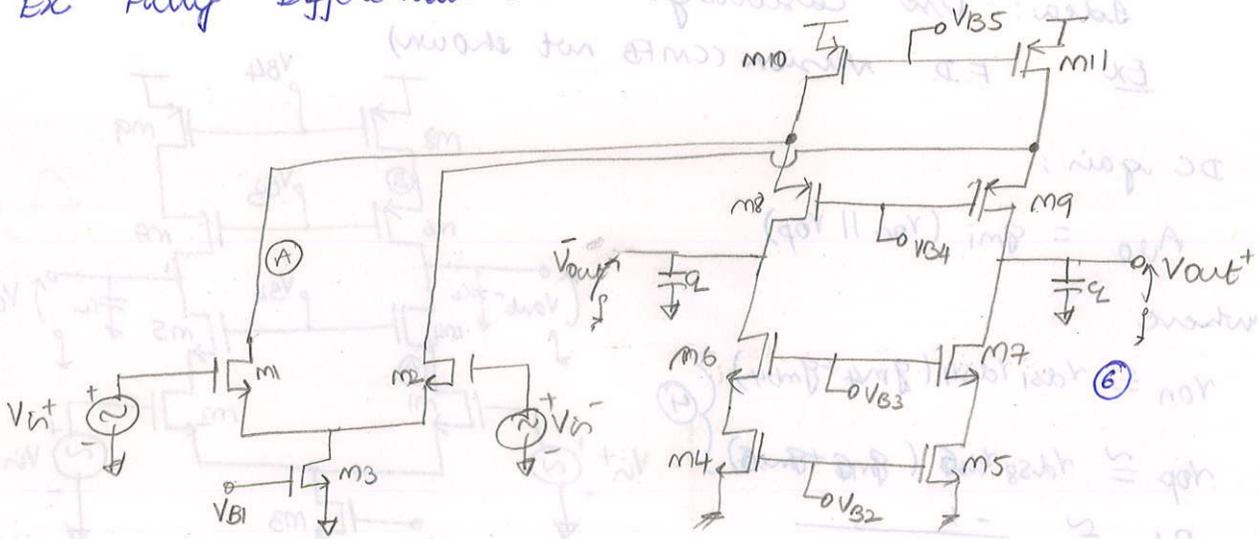
$$\text{So } \textcircled{5} \Rightarrow = 4.1V$$

in 2-stage op-amp, $pp\text{-max} \{V_{od}\} = 2[V_{DD} - 2V_{eff}]$ (swing is determined by 2nd stage)

$$\text{So } \textcircled{5} \Rightarrow = 4.6V$$

Folded Cascode Op-Amp:

Ex Fully Differential version (CMFB not shown)



$A_{vo} \cong g_{m1} (r_{on} || r_{op})$ where r_{on}, r_{op} are analogous to (A) (similar values)

$P_d \cong \frac{1}{(r_{on} || r_{op}) C_L}, P_{nd} = \frac{-g_{m8}}{C_A}$

pp-max $\{V_{od}\} = 2 [V_{DD} - 4V_{eff} - 2V_{margin}]$

$\therefore (5) \Rightarrow$ pp-max $\{V_{od}\} = 3.4V$

\Rightarrow Better headroom, similar A_{vo}, P_d, P_{nd} expressions to (3)

& What's the catch?

- 1) (A) larger in (6) than in (3), and $g_{mp} < g_{mn}$ for same power \Rightarrow (6) has lower BW
- 2) "folding" requires extra set of bias currents \Rightarrow (6) has higher power consumption
- 3) More transistors in (6) \Rightarrow more noise w.r.t. (3)

Conclusion:

Telescopic & folded cascode op-amps have

- 1) BW benefits of simple one-stage amplifiers
- 2) Gain "_____ " two-stage "_____ "
- 3) Reduced headroom w.r.t. both 1 and 2 stage opamps

Headroom: available headroom; 1/p signal is accurately placed
 may take away some margin.

LECTURE # 3, APRIL 8 '08

Gain Boosting:

Highest DC gain op-amps so far

- i) two stage
 - ii) cascode (telescopic or folded)
- } pure DC gain $\propto g_m^2 r_{ds}^2$

In practice (typical CMOS process, $V_{DD} \leq 2.7V$, $I_{tot} < 5mA$)

hard to achieve $A_{v0dB} \equiv 20 \log(A_{v0}) \gg 70dB$

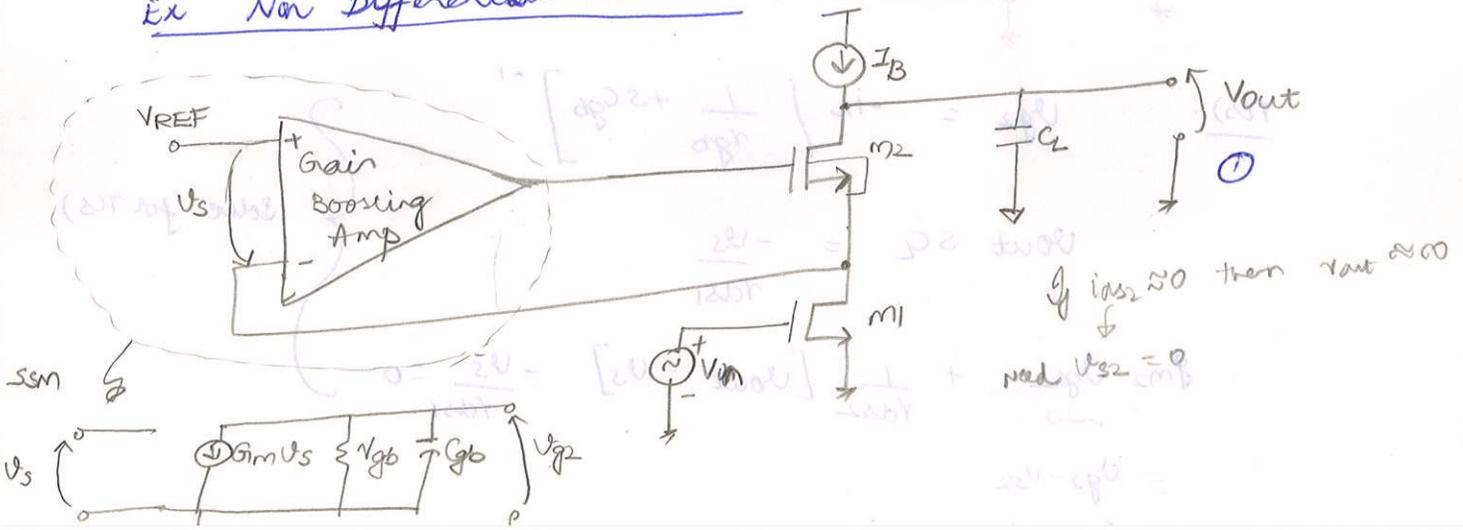
But often need $A_{v0dB} \geq 90dB$

In general, $A_{v0} = g_m r_{out}$ in each stage

cascode $\Rightarrow r_{out} \propto g_m r_{ds}^2$ ($g_m r_{ds1} r_{ds2}$)

Gain boosting \equiv use of local feedback i.e. inside op-amp) to increase r_{out} .

Ex Non Differential version: (In practice use differential version)



Simplifying assumption:
 C_c and C_{gs} are only caps that contribute poles & zeros with magnitudes $< \omega_{uP}$ } ②

Application of A.C.R. to ① & ②:

Let $y_j \equiv G_m v_s \equiv \text{ref source}$

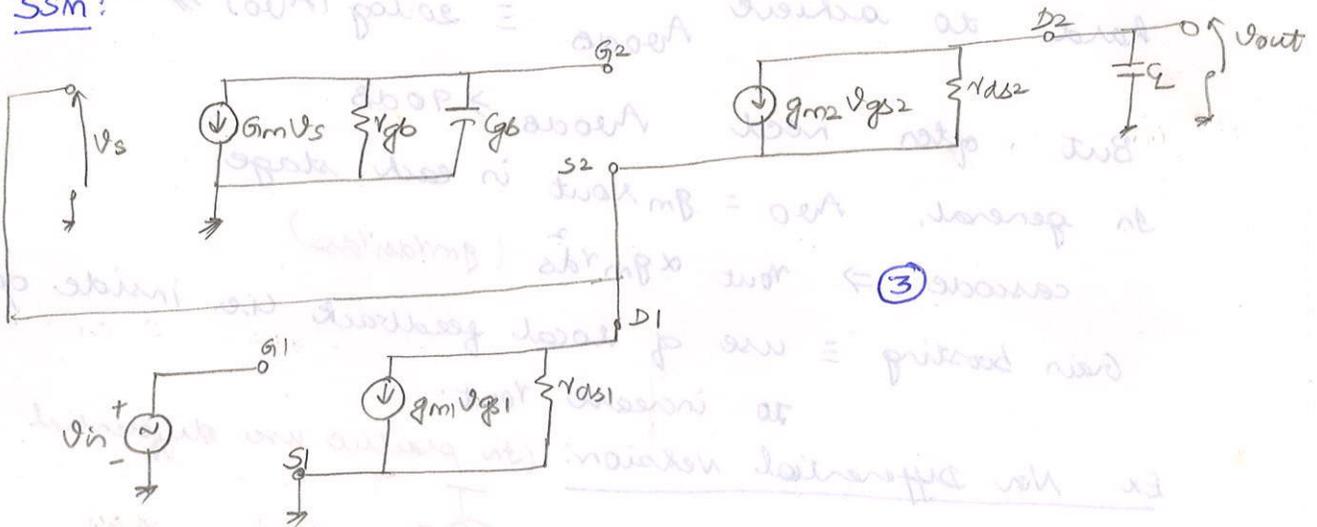
$$\text{Then } A(s) = A_{oo}(s) \frac{T(s)}{1+T(s)} + A_o(s) \frac{1}{1+T(s)}$$

$T(s) = \frac{-G_m v_s(s)}{T_x}$ where $v_{in}=0$ & y_j is replaced by an indep. test source i_x .

$$A_{oo}(s) = \frac{A_{oc}(s)}{G_m \rightarrow \infty}, \quad A_o(s) = \frac{A_{oc}(s)}{G_m \rightarrow 0}$$

② \Rightarrow To find $A_o(j\omega)$ for $|\omega| < \omega_u$, can neglect all caps except C_c & C_{gs} .

SSM:



T(s):
$$v_{g2} = -i_x \left[\frac{1}{r_{gs}} + s C_{gs} \right]^{-1}$$

$$v_{out} s C_c = \frac{-v_s}{r_{ds1}}$$

$$g_{m2} v_{g2} + \frac{1}{r_{ds2}} [v_{out} - v_s] - \frac{v_s}{r_{ds1}} = 0$$

$$\equiv v_{g2} - v_{s2}$$

Solve for T(s)

$$g_{m2} \left[-i_2 \left(\frac{1}{r_{gb}} + sC_{gb} \right)^{-1} - v_s \right] + \frac{1}{r_{ds2}} \left[\frac{-v_s}{sC_L r_{ds1}} - v_s \right] - \frac{v_s}{r_{ds1}} = 0$$

$$v_s \left[g_{m2} + \frac{1}{r_{ds1} r_{ds2} sC_L} + \frac{1}{r_{ds1}} + \frac{1}{r_{ds2}} \right] = \frac{-i_2 g_{m2}}{\frac{1}{r_{gb}} + sC_{gb}}$$

assume $\ll g_{m2}$

$$\therefore T(s) \cong \frac{G_m g_{m2}}{\left(\frac{1}{r_{gb}} + sC_{gb} \right) \left(g_{m2} + \frac{1}{r_{ds1} r_{ds2} sC_L} \right)}$$

$$= A_{gb0} \frac{sC_L r_{ds1} g_{m2} r_{ds2}}{(1 + sC_{gb} r_{gb}) (1 + sC_L r_{ds1} g_{m2} r_{ds2})} \quad (4)$$

where $A_{gb0} = G_m r_{gb}$ (DC gain of gain boosting amp)

$A_{oo}(s)$:

$$v_{g2} = -G_m v_s \left(\frac{1}{r_{gb}} + sC_{gb} \right)^{-1}$$

$$\frac{v_{g2}}{v_s} = \frac{v_{g2}}{G_m v_s} \cdot G_m$$

$G_m \rightarrow \infty, v_s \rightarrow 0$

\Rightarrow must have $v_s \rightarrow 0$ as $G_m \rightarrow \infty$

($\because v_s = 0$, no current through r_{ds1} , but g_{m1} generated current is present \Rightarrow this current should flow through C_L)

$A_{oo}(s)$:

$G_m \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow (3) \rightarrow$ c.s. amp. w/ cascode stage

Already know $A_{oo}(s) = -g_{m1} \left[\frac{1}{r_{ocasc}} + sC_L \right]^{-1}$

$$= -g_{m1} r_{ocasc} \left(\frac{1}{1 + r_{ocasc} sC_L} \right)$$

where $r_{ocasc} \cong g_{m2} r_{ds2} r_{ds1}$

Let $A_{orig} = -g_m r_{ocasc}$ (DC gain of "original" cascoded CS amp without gain boosting)

$P_{orig} = \frac{-1}{r_{ocasc} C_L}$ (dominant pole of original cascoded CS amp)

$P_{gb} = \frac{-1}{r_{gb} C_{gb}}$ (dominant pole of gain boosting amp.)

$T(s) = A_{gb0} \frac{s C_L r_{ocasc}}{(1-s/P_{gb})(1-s/P_{orig})}$

$A_{gb}(s) \frac{T(s)}{1+T(s)} = \frac{|A_{gb0} A_{orig}|}{(1-s/P_{gb})(1-s/P_{orig}) - s/(P_{orig}/A_{gb0})}$

$A_{gb}(s) \frac{1}{1+T(s)} = \frac{|A_{orig}| (1-s/P_{gb})}{(1-s/P_{gb})(1-s/P_{orig}) - s/(P_{orig}/A_{gb0})}$

∴ Assuming $A_{gb0}, |A_{orig}| \gg 1$ then $A_{gb}(s) \approx \frac{-A_{gb0} |A_{orig}| (1-s/P_{gb}) \frac{1}{A_{gb0}} (1-s/P_{orig})}{1 - s \left[\frac{1}{P_{gb}} + \frac{1+A_{gb0}}{P_{orig}} \right] + s^2/P_{gb}P_{orig}}$

$\approx \frac{A_{gb0}}{P_{orig}}$ if $P_{gb} \gg 10 P_{orig} / A_{gb0}$

Claim: $1 + \beta s + \alpha s^2 \approx (1 + \beta s) \left(1 + \frac{\alpha}{\beta} s\right)$ if $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ & $\beta^2 \gg 4\alpha$ } holds for denom. of (6)

Prove as exercise.

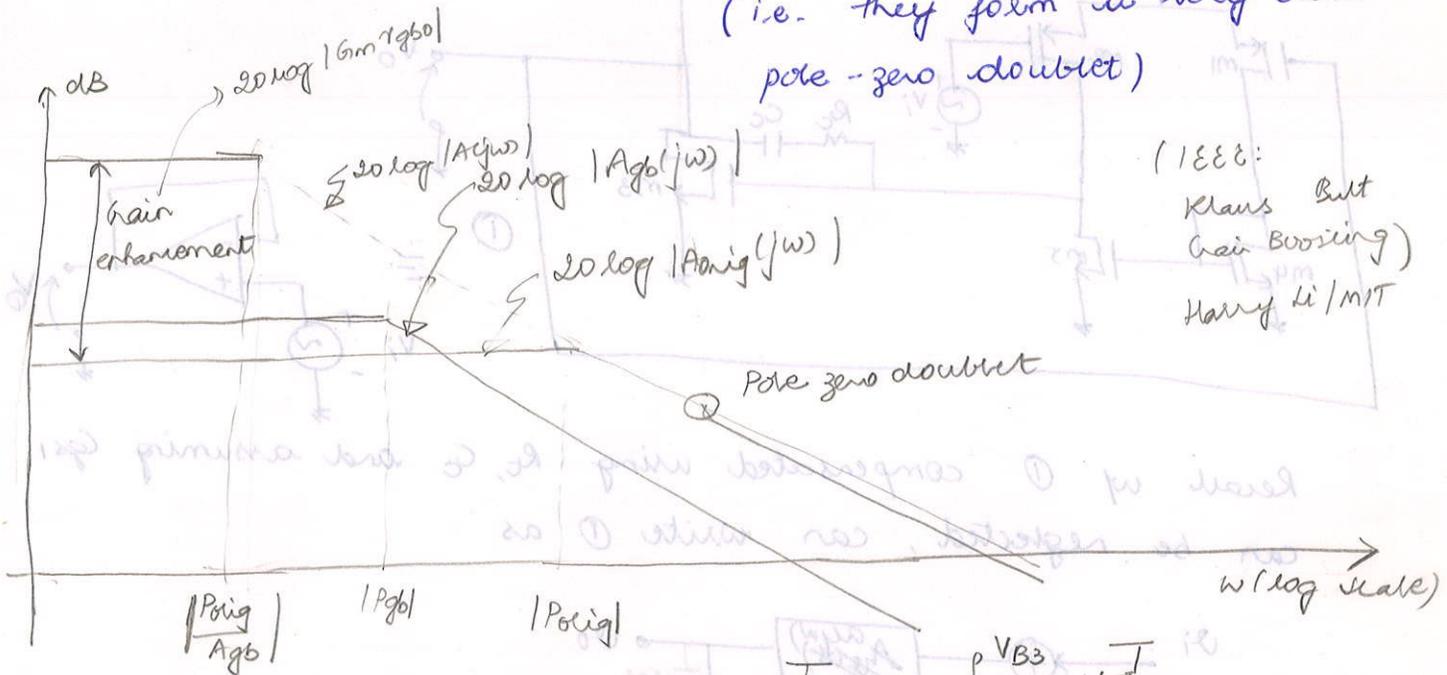
$$\therefore A(s) \approx \frac{-A_{GB0} |A_{sig}|}{1 - s/(A_{GB0} P_{GB})} \frac{1 - s/(P_{sig} A_{GB0})}{(1 - s/(P_{sig} A_{GB0})) (1 - s/(P_{GB} A_{GB0}))}$$

Poles: $\frac{P_{sig}}{A_{GB0}} - P_{GB} A_{GB0}$

zero: $P_{GB} \cdot A_{GB0}$

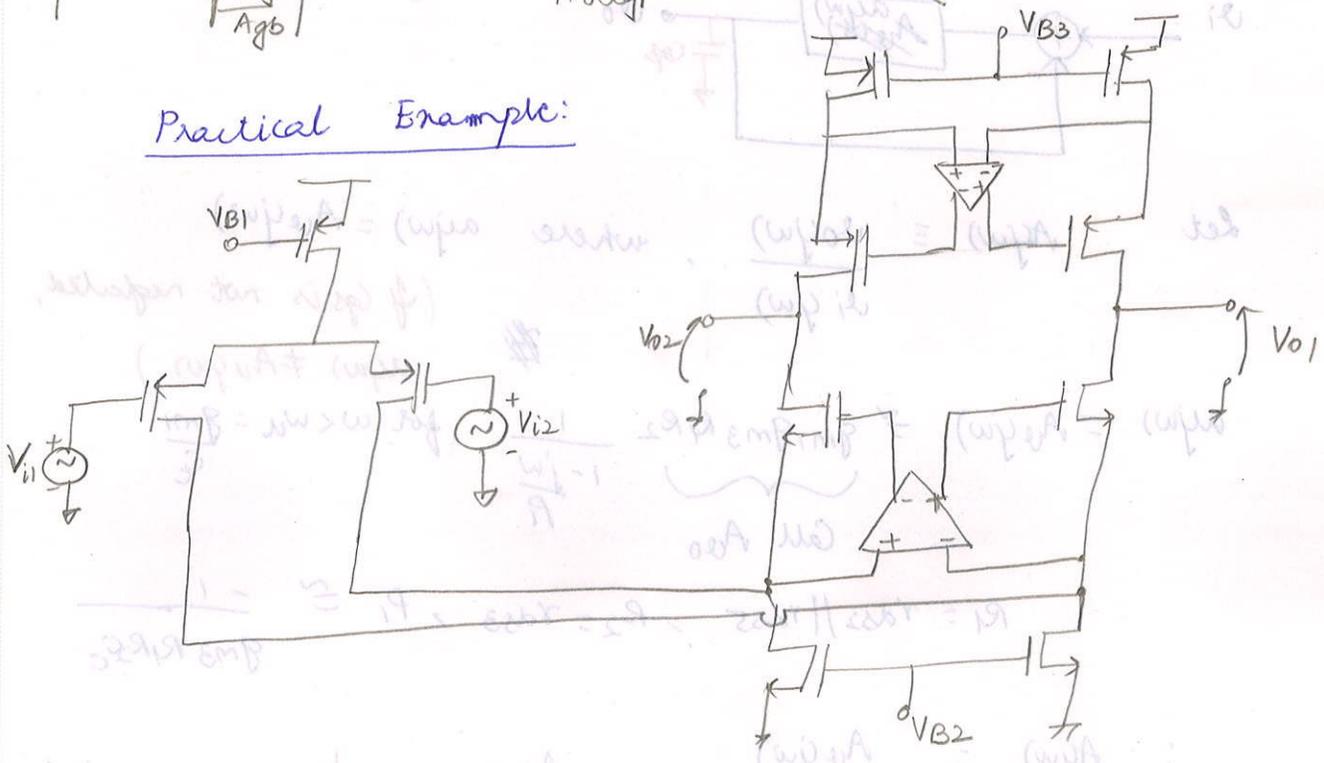
Approximations \Rightarrow these do not cancel exactly

(i.e. they form a very close pole-zero doublet)



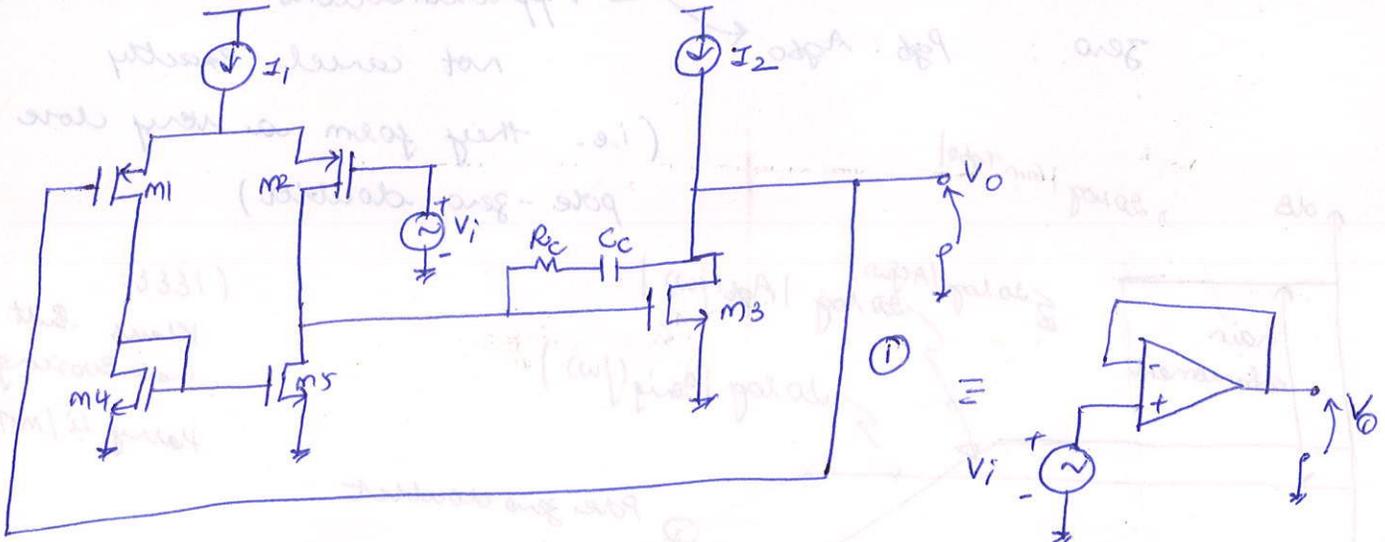
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Practical Example:



Slew Rate Limiting:

Ex 2-stage op-amp in voltage follower configuration



Recall w/ ① compensated using R_c, C_c and assuming C_{gs1} can be neglected, can write ① as



Let $A_v(jw) \equiv \frac{v_o(jw)}{v_i(jw)}$, where $a_v(jw) = A_{ve}(jw)$
 (if C_{gs1} is not neglected, $a_v(jw) \neq A_{ve}(jw)$)

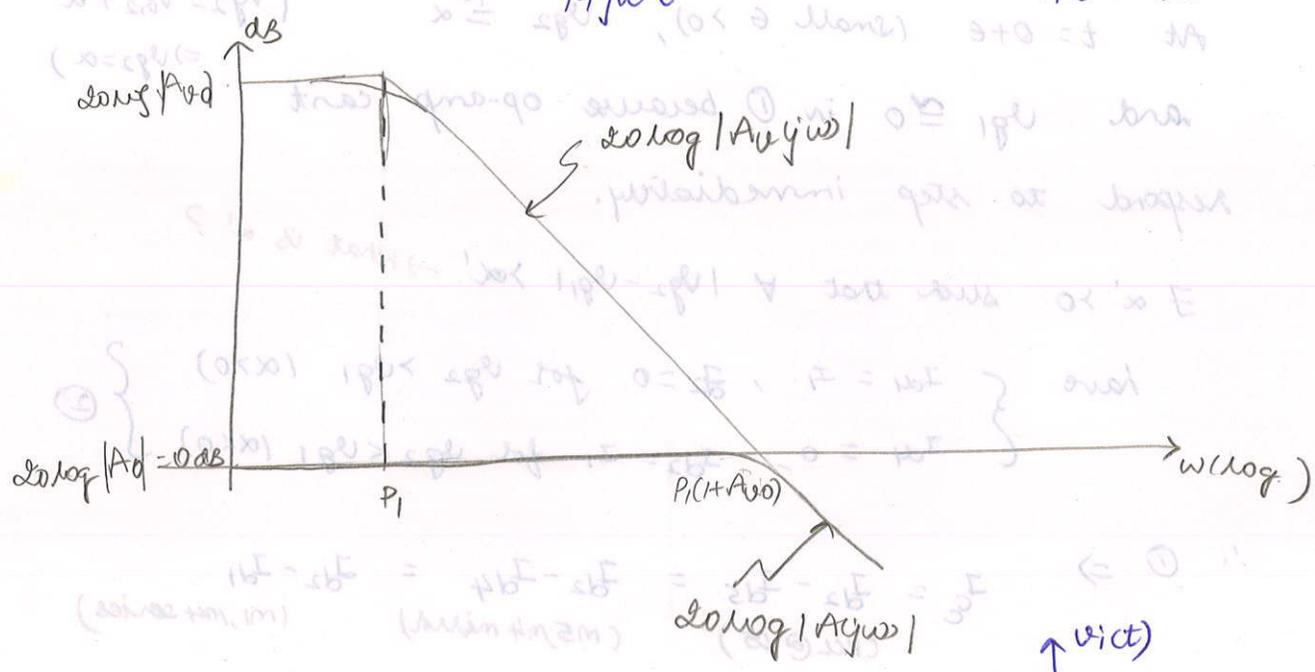
$a_v(jw) = A_{ve}(jw) \approx \underbrace{g_{m1} g_{m3} R_1 R_2}_{\text{Call } A_{vo}} \frac{1}{1 - \frac{jw}{P_1}}$ for $w \ll w_u = \frac{g_{m1}}{C_c}$

$R_1 = r_{ds2} || r_{ds5}, R_2 = r_{ds3}, P_1 \approx \frac{-1}{g_{m3} R_1 R_2 C_c}$

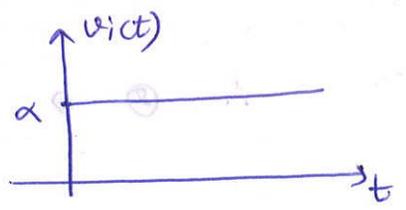
$\therefore A_v(jw) = \frac{A_{ve}(jw)}{1 + A_{ve}(jw)} = \frac{A_{vo}}{1 + A_{vo}} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \frac{jw}{P_1(1 + A_{vo})}}$ (verify)

(BW enhances by the same amount)

$$= A_0 \frac{1}{1+j\omega\tau} \quad \text{where } \tau = \frac{-1}{P_1(1+A_{v0})}$$



Let $v_i(t) = \alpha u(t) = \alpha \cdot (\text{step fn})$

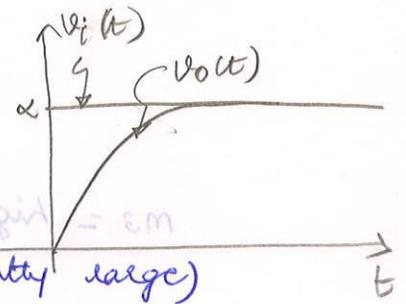


$$\therefore v_i(s) = \frac{\alpha}{s}$$

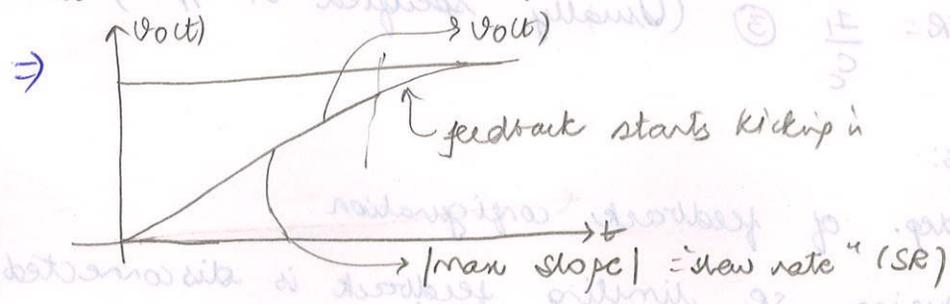
$$\therefore v_o(s) = \frac{\alpha}{s} \cdot \frac{1}{1+s\tau} \quad (\because A_{v0} = 1) = \alpha \cdot \frac{1}{s} + \frac{\alpha(-\tau)}{1+s\tau} \quad (\text{By P.F.E})$$

$$= \frac{\alpha}{s} - \frac{\alpha}{s + \frac{1}{\tau}}$$

$$v_o(t) = \alpha u(t) (1 - e^{-t/\tau})$$



But "slew rate limiting" (when α is sufficiently large)



Reason for SR limiting:

At $t = 0 + \epsilon$ (small $\epsilon > 0$), $v_{g2} \cong \alpha$ ($v_{g2} = v_{g2} + \alpha \Rightarrow v_{g2} = \alpha$)

and $v_{g1} \cong 0$ in ① because op-amp can't respond to step immediately.

$\exists \alpha' > 0$ such that $\forall |v_{g2} - v_{g1}| > \alpha' \rightarrow$ what is α' ?

have $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} I_{d1} = I_1, I_{d2} = 0 \text{ for } v_{g2} > v_{g1} (\alpha > 0) \\ I_{d1} = 0, I_{d2} = I_1 \text{ for } v_{g2} < v_{g1} (\alpha < 0) \end{array} \right\}$ ②

\therefore ① $\Rightarrow I_{Cc} = I_{d2} - I_{d1} = I_{d2} - I_{d1} = I_{d2} - I_{d1}$
(KCL @ D5) (M5, M4 mirror) (M1, M4 series)

\therefore ② $\Rightarrow I_{Cc} = \begin{cases} I_1 & \text{if } v_{g2} - v_{g1} < -\alpha' \\ -I_1 & \text{if } v_{g2} - v_{g1} > \alpha' \end{cases}$

i.e. $|I_{Cc}| = I_1$ when $|v_{g2} - v_{g1}| > \alpha'$

Recall $I_{Cc} = C_c \frac{dv_{Cc}}{dt}$

$\therefore \left| \frac{dv_{Cc}}{dt} \right| = \frac{I_1}{C_c} = \text{const. slope.}$

$m3 = \text{high gain c.s. stage} \Rightarrow \frac{dv_{o}}{dt} \cong \frac{dv_{Cc}}{dt} = \text{const slope}$

$\therefore SR = \frac{I_1}{C_c}$ ③ (Usually specified in V/ μ s)

Observations:

1) SR = indep. of feedback configuration

Why? During SR limiting feedback is disconnected because first stage acts like a const. current source

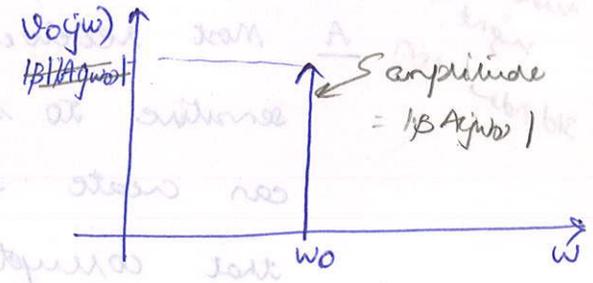
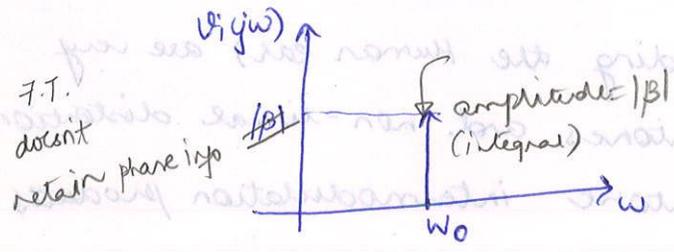
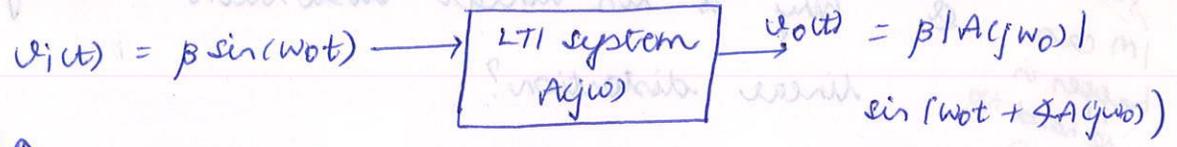
\forall inputs w/ $|v_{g2} - v_{g1}| > \alpha'$

OH 2) SR limiting always increases settling time

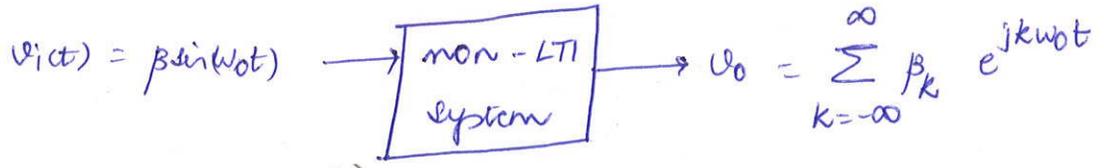
3) SR limiting introduces harmonic distortion
 \Leftrightarrow Behaves as a non-linear system

$\frac{1}{s} \quad \frac{1}{s^2}$

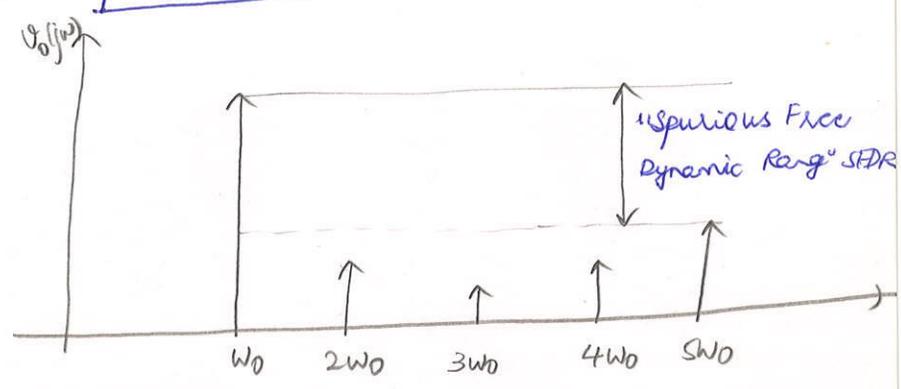
Recall:



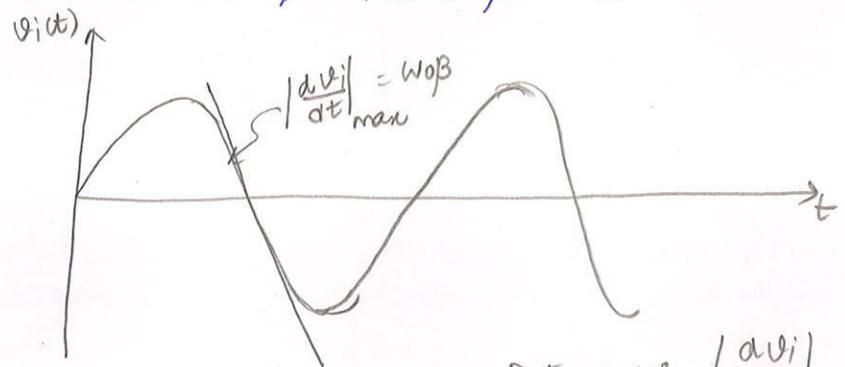
But



spurious tones don't decrease in amplitude?

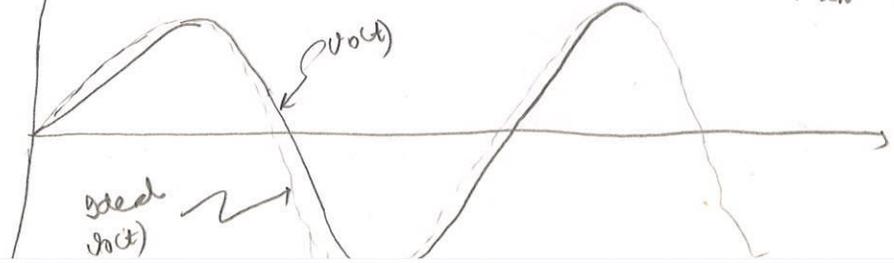


Ex Consider ① w/ $v_i(t) = \beta \sin \omega_0 t$



Active for $|\frac{dv_i}{dt}|_{max} > \frac{I_L}{C}$

non-LTI system \rightarrow



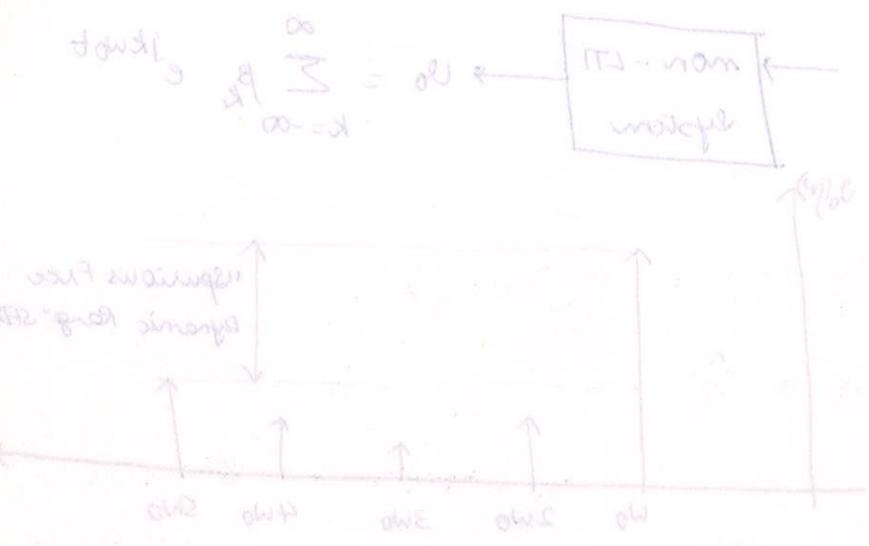
Note: $v_o(t)$ = periodic but not sinusoidal

$\therefore v_o(t)$ has Fourier series representation that \Rightarrow harmonic distortion.

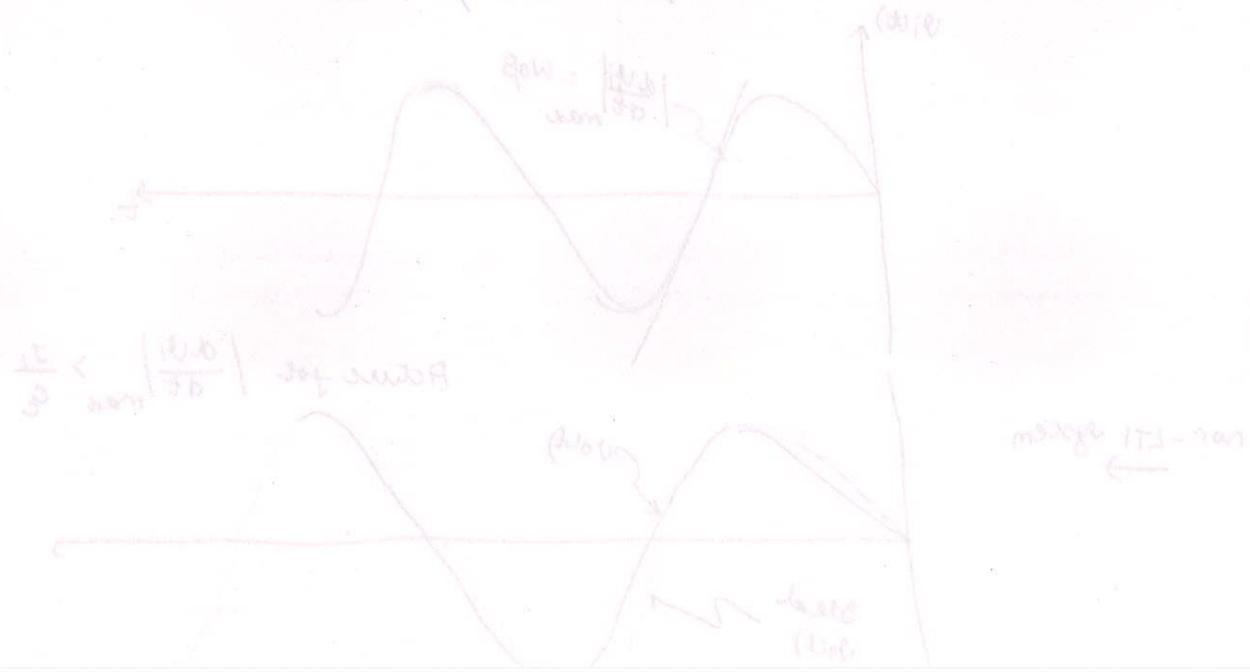
Intermod
IM can happen in wide band too right?
3rd order IM

Why is non linear distortion usually worse than linear distortion?

A Most receivers (including the human ear) are very sensitive to spurious tones and non-linear distortion can create spurious tone intermodulation products that corrupt signal of interest.

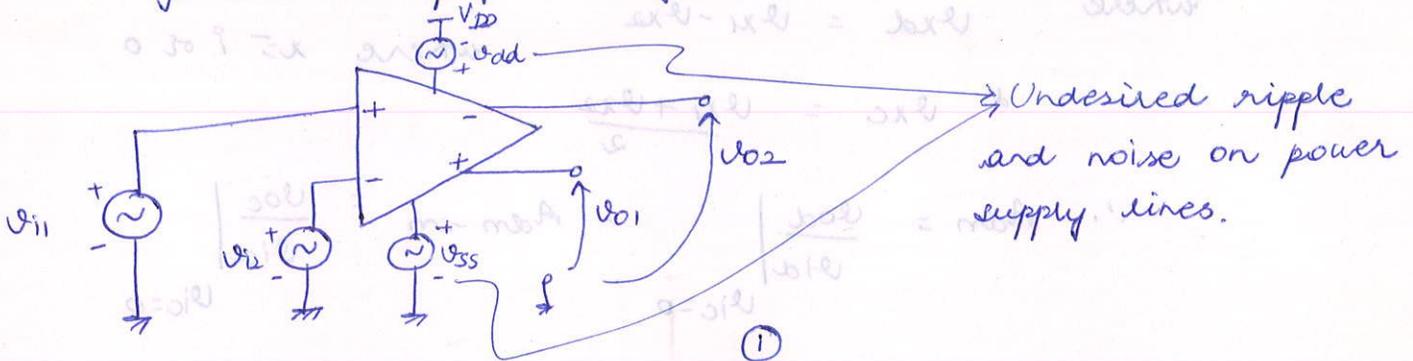


Ex Consider $v_i(t) = \cos(\omega_1 t) + \cos(\omega_2 t)$



Op-Amp Design: Matching considerations

Generic Amplifier Stage:



For amps w/ differential i/p but single ended o/p
 use ① w/ $v_o = v_{o1} - v_{o2}$

Ideally, want $v_{i1} - v_{i2} = 0 \Rightarrow v_{o1} - v_{o2} = 0$ ②
 If amplifier circuitry is perfectly symmetric and like
 components are perfectly matched, ② holds.

Otherwise, have a non-zero offset voltage, v_{os} .

↳ why would there be v_{os} if $v_{i1} = v_{i2}$?
 Def $v_{os} = v_{i1} - v_{i2}$ (w/ $v_{i1} = -v_{i2}$) such that $v_{o1} - v_{o2} = 0$ in ①

Q Significance of $v_{os} \neq 0$? (Offset builds up in amp. chain)
 ↳ This is DC, then why does it get amplified?

A Feedback ckt. ideally set $v_{i1} = v_{i2} + \epsilon$ where

$\epsilon \rightarrow 0$ as loop gain $\rightarrow \infty$. But for $v_{os} \neq 0$,

$\epsilon \approx v_{os}$ as "

$\Rightarrow v_{os}$ shows up as part of o/p signal

Similarly, circuit asymmetry & imperfect matching of like
 components decreases CMRR & PSRR

CM \equiv common-mode, RR \equiv rejection ratio, PS \equiv power supply

Recall:

$$V_{od} = A_{dm} v_{id} + A_{cm-dm} v_{ic}$$

$$V_{oc} = A_{dm-cm} v_{id} + A_{cm} v_{ic} \quad (3)$$

where

$$v_{xd} = v_{x1} - v_{x2}$$

where $x = i$ or o

$$v_{xc} = \frac{v_{x1} + v_{x2}}{2}$$

$$A_{dm} = \left. \frac{V_{od}}{v_{id}} \right|_{v_{ic}=0}$$

$$A_{dm-cm} = \left. \frac{V_{oc}}{v_{id}} \right|_{v_{ic}=0}$$

$$A_{cm-dm} = \left. \frac{V_{od}}{v_{ic}} \right|_{v_{id}=0}$$

$$A_{cm} = \left. \frac{V_{oc}}{v_{ic}} \right|_{v_{id}=0}$$

Def 1: $CMRR = \frac{A_{dm}}{A_{cm-dm}}$

Ideally, want $CMRR = \infty$ (Need $CMRR \gg 1$ so that A_{dm})

Def 1: $PSRR_{DD} = \frac{A_{dm}}{A_{dd}}$ where $A_{dd} = \left. \frac{V_{od}}{v_{dd}} \right|_{v_{id}, v_{ic}=0}$

$PSRR_{SS} = \frac{A_{dm}}{A_{SS}}$ where $A_{SS} = \left. \frac{V_{od}}{v_{SS}} \right|_{v_{id}, v_{ic}=0}$

Ideally, want $PSRR_{XX} = \infty$

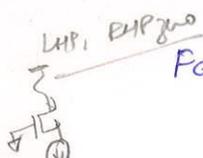
Fact: Usually, 1st stage of op-amp most significantly affects V_{os} , $CMRR$, $PSRR_{XX}$

e.g. Suppose stage 1 has gain A_1 , offset voltage = V_{os1}
 " " " " " " " " A_2 , " " " " " " " " = V_{os2}

Then both stages together have $V_{os} = V_{os1} + \frac{V_{os2}}{A_1}$

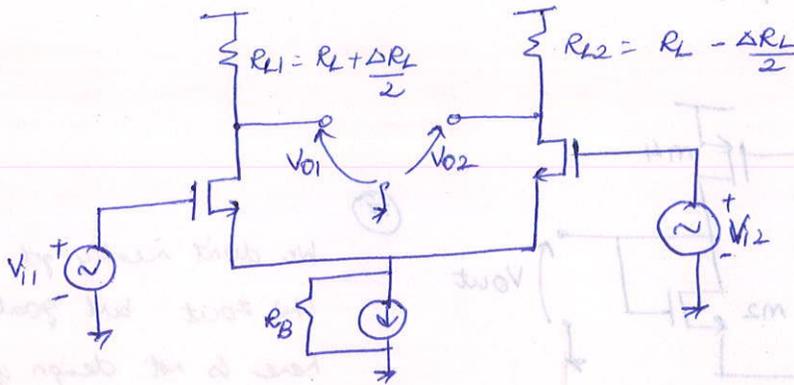
\therefore If $|A_1| \gg 1$, then $V_{os} \approx V_{os1}$

Why $PSRR_{DD}$ is more important than $PSRR_{SS}$?
 2 stage gain using deactivation

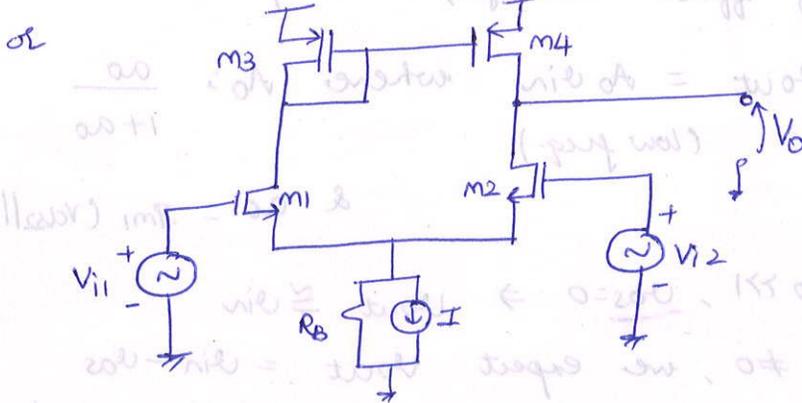
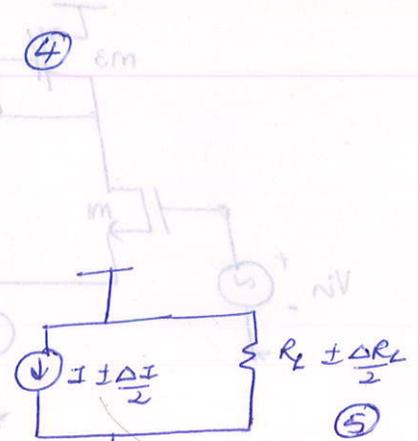


Similarly for CMRR, PSRR_{xx} (Verify) (In BJT's A₂ typ ↑ due to gm ↑ ⇒ 1st stage matters most)

Typical Op Amp 1st stages:



or (4) w/ $R_L \pm \frac{\Delta R_L}{2}$ replaced by



Note: 1) (4), (5) symmetric circuits

∴ Only component mismatches (i.e. $m_1 \neq m_2, \Delta R_L \neq 0, \Delta I \neq 0$)

⇒ $V_{os} \neq 0, CMRR, PSRR_{xx} \neq \infty$

2) (6) = asymmetric circuit

∴ Component mismatches & circuit asymmetry

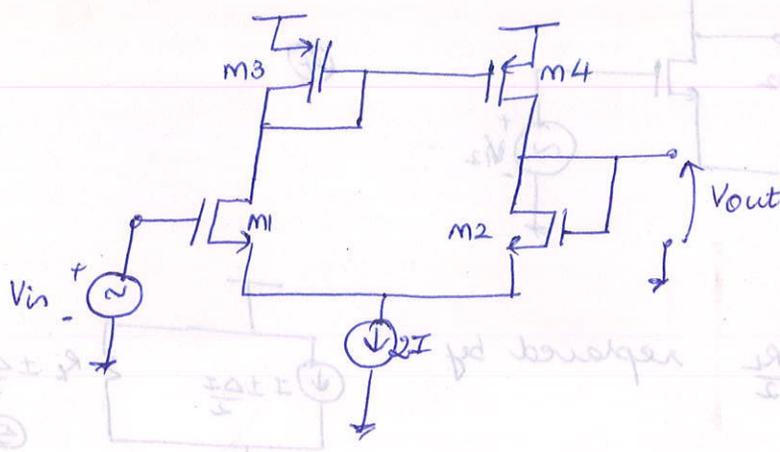
⇒ $V_{os} \neq 0, CMRR, PSRR_{xx} \neq \infty$

Def: "Systematic" ^{Offset} refers to effects of circuit asymmetry
 "Random" ^{Offset} "_____ " component mismatches.

e.g. systematic

e.g. Systematic Offset Voltage vs Random

Ex Consider amplifier in ⑥ connected as a voltage follower:



⑦ We don't really get low Z_{out} but goal here is not design of voltage follower

In absence of offset voltages, we expect

$$V_{out} = A_o V_{in} \quad \text{where } A_o = \frac{a_o}{1+a_o}$$

(low freq.)

$$a_o = g_{m1} (r_{ds2} || r_{ds4})$$

∴ Assuming $a_o \gg 1$, $V_{os} = 0 \Rightarrow V_{out} \cong V_{in}$

Thus for $V_{os} \neq 0$, we expect $V_{out} = V_{in} - V_{os}$

This definition of offset voltage is consistent w/ that presented above for fully diff. amps.

For $V_{out} = V_{d1}$, circuit is symmetrically biased

(This is done by setting V_{in} appropriately) $\Rightarrow V_{os} = V_{osr} \equiv$ random offset voltage component

For $V_{out} \neq V_{d1}$, circuit is asymmetrically biased

$\Rightarrow V_{os} = V_{osr} + V_{oss}$
 \hookrightarrow systematic offset voltage

Calculation of V_{osr}

∴ $V_{osr} \equiv V_{in} - V_{out}$ when V_{in} is such that $V_{d1} = V_{out}$
 (condition for symmetric biasing)

Let $V_{TP} = (V_{t3} + V_{t4}) / 2$, $\Delta V_{TP} = V_{t3} - V_{t4}$

$K_p = (K_3 + K_4) / 2$, $\Delta K_p = K_3 - K_4$

Similarly for V_{tn}, R_n

HW Probs $\Rightarrow \frac{I_{d3} - I_{d4}}{I} \approx -\frac{2}{V_{GS P} - V_{TP}} \cdot \Delta V_{TP} + \frac{\Delta K_P}{K_P}$

(holds for $V_{d1} = V_{out}$)

wt $V_{in} = V_{out}$, can verify (exercise)

$$I_{d1} - I_{d2} = g_{mn} \left(-\Delta V_{TN} + \frac{V_{GS N} - V_{TN}}{2} \cdot \frac{\Delta K_N}{K_N} \right)$$

(where $g_{mn} = \frac{g_{m1} + g_{m2}}{2}$)

KCL $\Rightarrow (I_{d1} - I_{d2}) \Big|_{V_{i1} = V_{i2}} + V_{OSR} g_{mn} = I_{d3} - I_{d4}$

$$\therefore V_{OSR} = \frac{1}{g_{mn}} \left[I_{d3} - I_{d4} - (I_{d1} - I_{d2}) \right]$$

$$\therefore V_{OSR} = \frac{V_{GS N} - V_{TN}}{2I} \left[-\frac{2\Delta V_{TP}}{V_{GS P} - V_{TP}} I + \frac{\Delta K_P}{K_P} I \right]$$

$$- \frac{1}{g_{mn}} \left[g_{mn} \left(-\Delta V_{TN} + \frac{V_{GS N} - V_{TN}}{2} \cdot \frac{\Delta K_N}{K_N} \right) \right]$$

$$\therefore V_{OSR} = -\frac{V_{GS N} - V_{TN}}{V_{GS P} - V_{TP}} \Delta V_{TP} + \left(\frac{V_{GS N} - V_{TN}}{2} \right) \left(\frac{\Delta K_P}{K_P} - \frac{\Delta K_N}{K_N} \right)$$

Reduce Q_D of i/p pair $+ \Delta V_{TN}$

Increase Q_D of o/p pair

Calculation of V_{OS} :

Consider \textcircled{F} wt feedback removed

a. $V_{G1} = V_{G2} = V_{IN}$ ($V_{IN} = V_{in} - V_{out}$)

i.e. feedback is removed

Unless $m_1 - m_4$ are such that $V_{DG2} = 0$ in circuit w/o feedback, it follows that $V_{out} \neq V_{in}$ in \textcircled{F} . because the

feedback will adjust V_{G2} such that $V_{DG2} = 0$

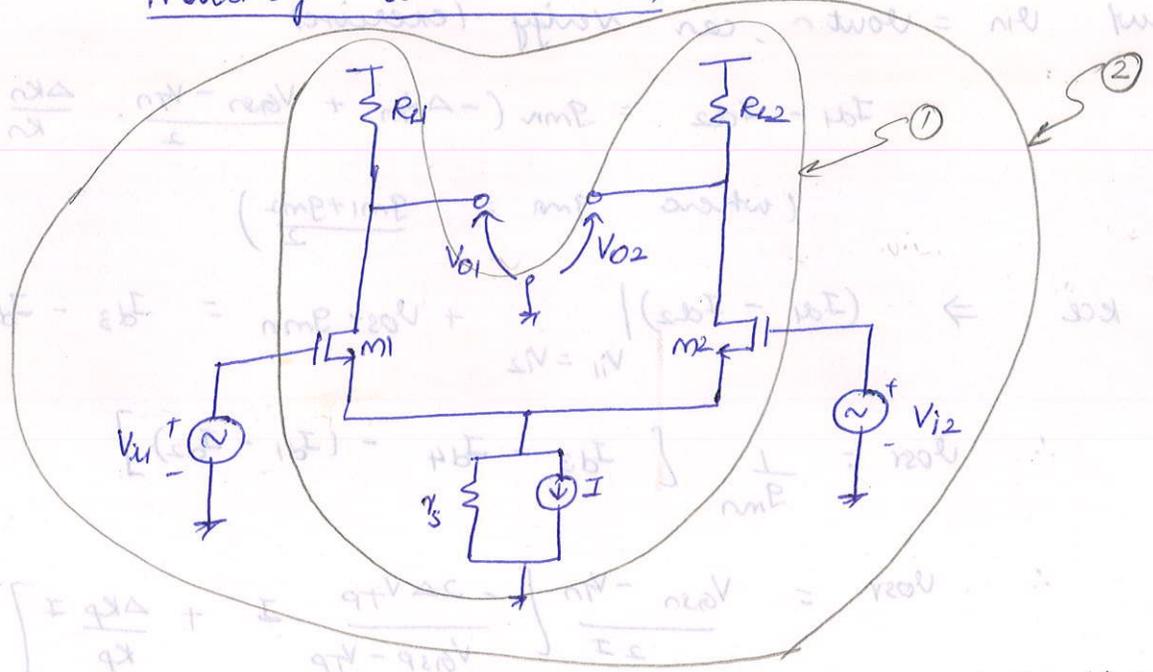
Know from previous work $\Rightarrow V_{out} = g_{mn} (r_{dsn} \parallel r_{dsp}) (V_{in} - V_{out})$

$$\therefore V_{DG2} \textcircled{G} \approx g_{mn} (r_{dsn} \parallel r_{dsp}) V_{OS}$$

$$\therefore V_{OS} = \frac{V_{DG2} \textcircled{G}}{g_{mn}} \left(\frac{1}{r_{dsn}} + \frac{1}{r_{dsp}} \right) = V_{DG2} \textcircled{G} \frac{V_{GS N} - V_{TN}}{2I_{D2}} \left(\frac{1}{r_{dsn}} + \frac{1}{r_{dsp}} \right)$$

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Matching Issues (contd.):



where

$$R_{d1} \equiv R_L + \frac{\Delta R}{2}$$

$$R_{d2} \equiv R_L - \frac{\Delta R}{2}$$

$$M1: k_1 = k + \frac{\Delta k}{2}, V_{T1} = V_T + \frac{\Delta V_T}{2}$$

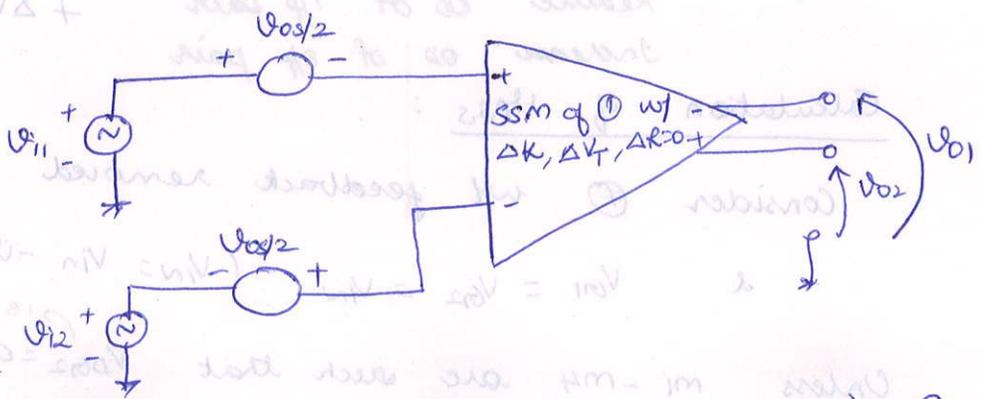
$$M2: k_2 = k - \frac{\Delta k}{2}, V_{T2} = V_T - \frac{\Delta V_T}{2}$$

Process variations $\Rightarrow \Delta R, \Delta k, \Delta V_T \neq 0$ in "matched" devices

$$\Rightarrow V_{os} \neq 0$$

S.S.M. of ② =

(Note that w/ this representation, $A_{cm} \rightarrow \infty$ \Rightarrow $r_{mce} = \infty$)



showed

$$V_{os} \cong \Delta V_T + \frac{V_{OS} - V_T}{2} \left(\frac{\Delta R_L}{R_L} + \frac{\Delta k}{k} \right) \quad \text{③}$$

Remarks

- 1) $\Delta V_T, \Delta R_L, \Delta k$ not known in (forward) practice. They are typically assumed to be independent, zero mean, gaussian random variables.

$\Rightarrow V_{OS} = \text{zero mean, Gaussian R.V.}$

$\Rightarrow V_{OS}, \Delta V_T, \Delta R_L, \Delta K$ are described by their variances

$\sigma_{V_{OS}}^2, \sigma_{V_T}^2, \sigma_{R_L}^2, \sigma_K^2$

Polarity doesn't matter.

where $\sigma_x^2 = E[X^2]$ (for a zero mean R.V. x)

But can we cancel some R.V. statistically in ③?

\therefore ③ \Rightarrow $\sigma_{V_{OS}}^2 = \sigma_{V_T}^2 + \frac{(V_{OS} - V_T)^2}{4} \left(\frac{\sigma_{R_L}^2}{R_L^2} + \frac{\sigma_K^2}{K^2} \right)$ ④
 \rightarrow most imp parameter.

2) ③ \Rightarrow ④ only if R.V.s are uncorrelated
 \Rightarrow Only an approx. formulae not for calculation but for qualitative insight.

3) ④ \Rightarrow errors add in power not in amplitude

Modelling Parameter mismatches:

Let x M_1, M_2 be two x MOSTs ($x = n \text{ or } p$), w/ nominal widths = w , nominal lengths = L , spacing between centers of "mass" = D

Experimental observations \Rightarrow (Pelgrom et al, JSSC, Oct 89) ⑤

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \sigma_{V_{T0}}^2 &= \frac{A_{V_{T0}}^2}{WL} + S_{V_{T0}}^2 D^2 \\ \sigma_V^2 &= \frac{A_V^2}{WL} + S_V^2 D^2 \end{aligned} \right\} \text{where } A_x, S_x \text{ are process dependent constants}$$

Recall: $V_T = V_{T0} + \gamma \left[\sqrt{\frac{2\phi_F}{\epsilon_0} + V_{SB}} - \sqrt{\frac{2\phi_F}{\epsilon_0}} \right]$

(Can approx $\sigma_{\phi_0}^2 \cong 0$)

Process \rightarrow more process depts \rightarrow more variance.

$$\frac{\sigma_K^2}{K^2} = \frac{A_w^2}{w^2 L} + \frac{A_L^2}{w L^2} + \frac{A_M^2}{w L} + \frac{A_{COX}}{w L} + S_K^2 D \cong \frac{A_K^2}{w L} + S_K^2 D$$

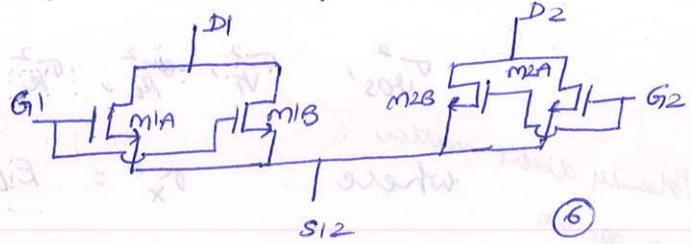
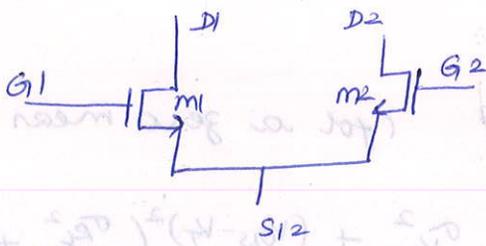
\therefore Increasing w, L } \Rightarrow Better matching.
 Decreasing D }



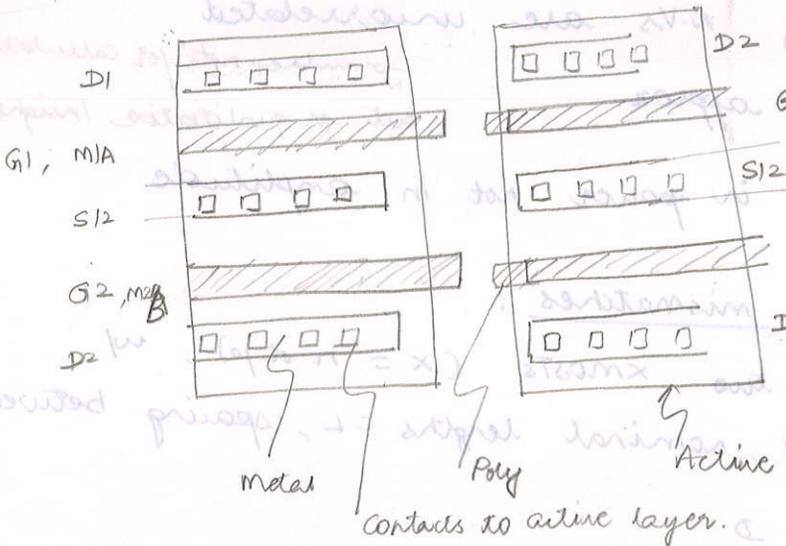
Layout considerations:

Can decrease effective Δ by interleaving stages.

Ex



where $W_{kx} = \frac{W_k}{2}$, $L_{kx} = L_k$ where $k=1,2$
 $x=A \text{ or } B$.



⑥ (Interconnects not shown)

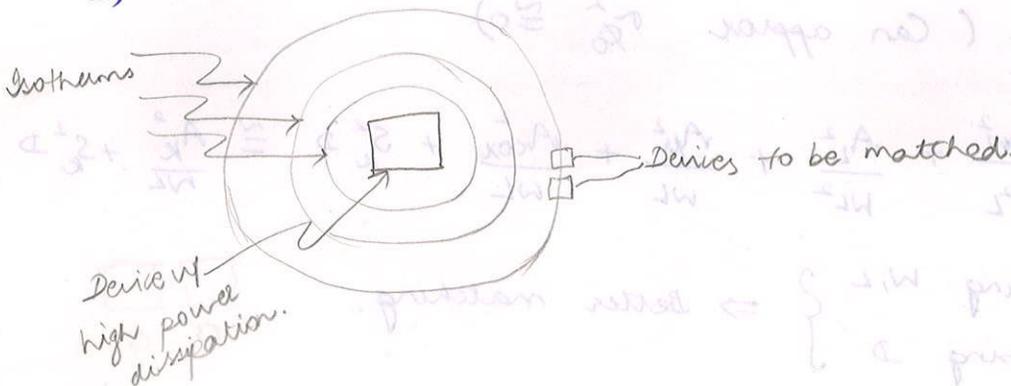
⑦ ≡ "common centroid layout"

- asymmetric process variations affect $m1$ and $m2$ symmetrically.

- avg spacing b/w devices is less than if $m1$ and $m2$ are laid out side by side.

Other layout strategies:

- 1) Orient like devices so currents flow in same direction.
- 2) Place like devices or "isotherms"

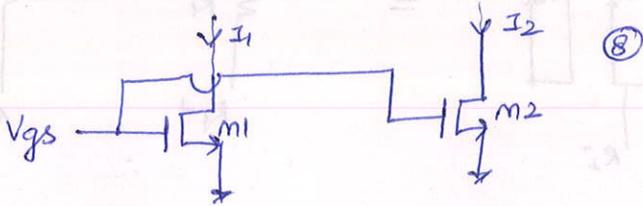


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(Syllabus upto today)

(Numbering contd from last lecture)

Mismatch effects in current mirrors:



Assume $M1$ and $M2$ are nominally matched.

Process variations $\Rightarrow \Delta V_T, \Delta K \neq 0 \Rightarrow I_1 \neq I_2$

let $I = \frac{1}{2} (I_1 + I_2)$, $\Delta I = I_1 - I_2$

HW (or Test) $\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta I}{I} = \frac{-2}{V_{GS} - V_T} \Delta V_T + \frac{\Delta K}{K}$ (9)

(Assumes $V_{ds1} = V_{ds2}$
(Eg. $I_{ds1} + I_{ds2}$ due to c.l.m.)

Note: Have $\frac{1}{V_{GS} - V_T}$ factor in (9) but

" " $\frac{1}{V_{GS} - V_T}$ " " (3) (i.e. the result is diff. for SE & diff case)

[Proof for (9):

$$\Delta I = I_{ds1} - I_{ds2} = (1 + \lambda V_{ds}) \left[\frac{K_1}{2} (V_{GS} - V_{T1})^2 - \frac{K_2}{2} (V_{GS} - V_{T2})^2 \right]$$

$$= \frac{(1 + \lambda V_{ds})}{2} \left[(K + \frac{\Delta K}{2}) (V_{GS} - V_{T1})^2 - (K - \frac{\Delta K}{2}) (V_{GS} - V_{T2})^2 \right]$$

$$= \frac{(1 + \lambda V_{ds})}{2} \left[K (V_{T1}^2 - V_{T2}^2) - (V_{T1} - V_{T2}) 2 V_{GS} (K) \right]$$

$$+ 2 \frac{\Delta K}{2} V_{GS}^2 + \frac{\Delta K}{2} (V_{T1}^2 + V_{T2}^2) - 2 \frac{\Delta K}{2} V_{GS} (V_{T1} + V_{T2})$$

$$= \frac{(1 + \lambda V_{ds})}{2} \left[K 2 V_T \Delta V_T - 2 \Delta V_T V_{GS} (K) + \Delta K V_{GS}^2 - \Delta K V_{GS} 2 V_T + \frac{\Delta K}{2} (V_{T1}^2 + \frac{\Delta V_T^2}{4}) \right]$$

$$= \frac{(1 + \lambda V_{ds})}{2} \left[2K \Delta V_T (V_T - V_{GS}) + \Delta K (V_{GS}^2 - V_{GS} 2 V_T + V_T^2) \right]$$

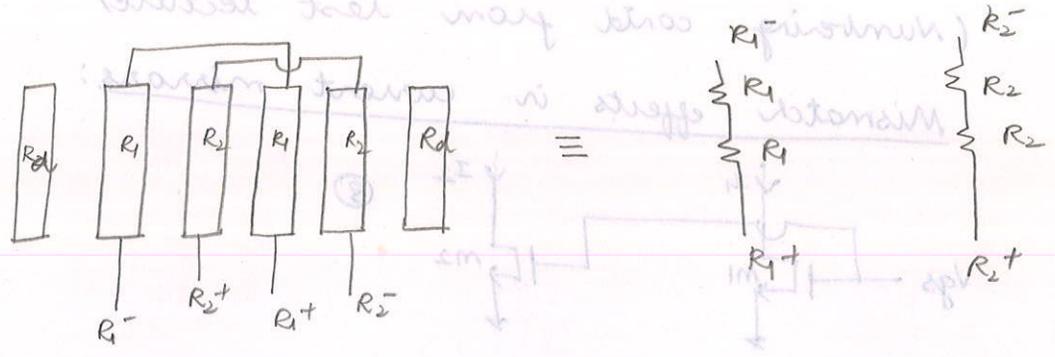
$$= \frac{(1 + \lambda V_{ds})}{2} \left[-2K \Delta V_T V_{od} + \Delta K V_{od}^2 \right] ; \because I = \frac{K}{2} V_{od}^2 (1 + \lambda V_{ds})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta I}{I} = \frac{-2 \Delta V_T}{V_{od}} + \frac{\Delta K}{K}$$

$\frac{V_{T1}^2 + V_{T2}^2}{2} = (V_T + \frac{\Delta V_T}{2})^2 + (V_T - \frac{\Delta V_T}{2})^2 = 2(V_T^2 + \frac{\Delta V_T^2}{4})$

3) Use dummy devices to shield 1st and last interlaced devices from edge effects

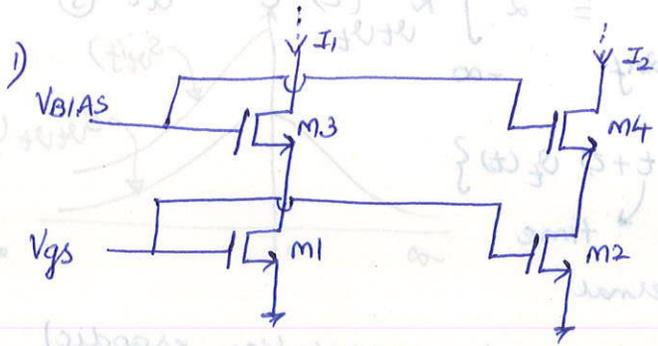
E.g.



4) Avoid asymmetric placement of metal lines around devices to be matched. (causes mechanical stress. what abt cap?)

[Faint handwritten notes and equations, including mathematical expressions like $\frac{\Delta R}{R} + \frac{\Delta V}{V}$ and $\frac{\Delta I}{I} = \frac{\Delta V}{V} - \frac{\Delta R}{R}$, and various scribbles.]

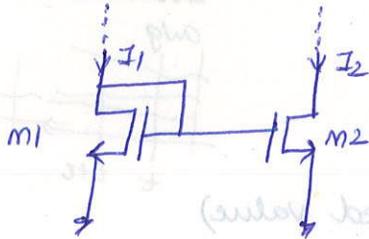
Note 1: (9) holds for cascode current sources



or why?

A Because I_k ($k=1,2$) is only a weak function of parameters in M3 and M4.

2) (9) holds for a current mirror provided $V_{ds1} = V_{ds2}$



(Offset, CMRR, PSRR of opamps can be determined from these)

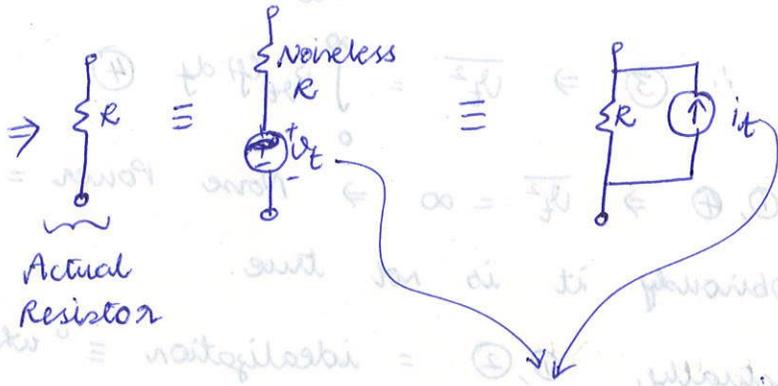
CIRCUIT NOISE

 (Reset numbering system)

Resistors:

Thermal noise of charge carriers

(\Rightarrow "Thermal Noise" or "Johnson Noise" or "Nyquist Noise")



Equivalent models of noise behavior

$v_t, i_t \equiv$ random processes (r.p.s) (zero mean)

Can show: P.S.D. of $v_t(t)$ is: $S_{v_t}(f) = 4kTR$ (1)

" " " " $i_t(t)$ is: $S_{i_t}(f) = \frac{4kT}{R}$ (2)

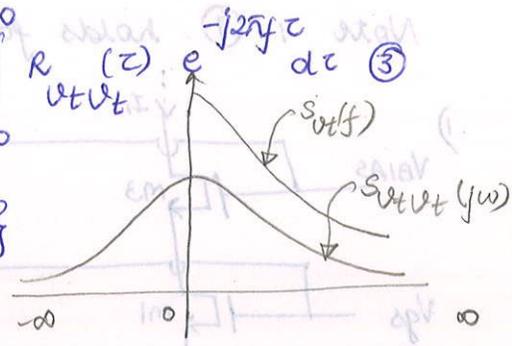
where $k = 1.38 \times 10^{-23}$ V.C / °K. Boltzmann's const. (Note that $k = \mu \text{ Cox } \frac{q}{2}$)

T = Temperature in Kelvin.

$$S_{v_t}(f) \equiv 2 S_{v_t v_t}(j\omega) \Big|_{\omega=2\pi f} \equiv 2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} R_{v_t v_t}(\tau) e^{-j2\pi f \tau} d\tau \quad (3)$$

$$R_{v_t v_t}(\tau) \equiv E \{ v_t(t+\tau) v_t(t) \}$$

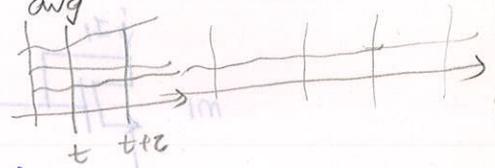
time
thermal



$(v_t(t), i_t(t))$ are assumed to be correlation ergodic

$$\overline{v_t^2} = \text{mean squared value of } v_t(t) \\ \equiv E[v_t^2] = R_{v_t v_t}(0)$$

Ensemble avg = Time avg



$\therefore v_{t,rms} = \sqrt{\overline{v_t^2}} = \text{root mean squared value}$

Recall: $\overline{v_t^2} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} S_{v_t v_t}(j\omega) d\omega = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} S_{v_t v_t}(j2\pi f) 2\pi df$

$\therefore (3) \Rightarrow \overline{v_t^2} = \int_0^{\infty} S_{v_t}(f) df \quad (4)$

But $(1), (4) \Rightarrow \overline{v_t^2} = \infty \Rightarrow \text{Noise Power} = \infty!$

Obviously it is not true.

Actually, $(1), (2) = \text{idealization} \equiv \text{"white noise"}$

More accurately:

$$S_{v_t}(f) = \frac{4hfR}{e^{hf/KT} - 1} \quad (5)$$

where $h = 6.62 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J-sec}$, Planck's constant

$$\therefore \overline{v_t^2} < \infty$$

But $e^x \approx 1+x$ for small x (e.g. $e^{0.2} - 1 = 0.22$)

$$\frac{hf}{KT} < 0.2 \text{ for } f < 1200 \text{ GHz, } T = 290 \text{ K}$$

$$\therefore S_{v_t}(f) \approx 4kTR \text{ for } f < 1200 \text{ GHz,}$$

B/W of ckt's, measmt. equipment $\ll 1200 \text{ GHz}$ (usually)

White noise idealization \Rightarrow calculations give right answers but much simpler than if (5) used.

Note: $S_{v_t}(f)$ = one-sided PSD, valid for $0 \leq f < \infty$

$S_{v_t}(j\omega)$ = two-sided PSD, valid for $-\infty < \omega < \infty$

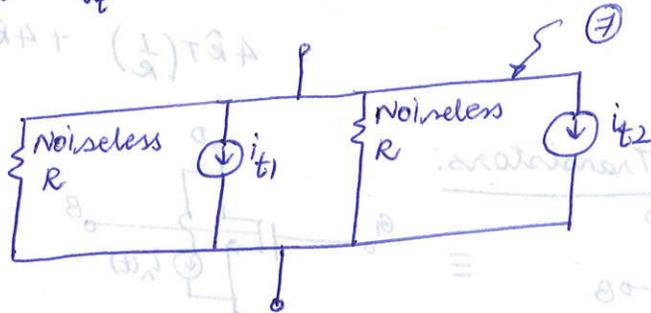
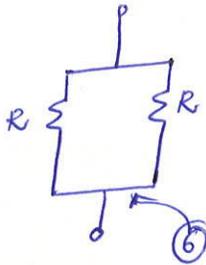
(3) \Rightarrow "Total mean squared voltage in freq. band (f_1, f_2) "

$$= \overline{v_t^2} = \int_{f_1}^{f_2} S_{v_t}(f) df$$

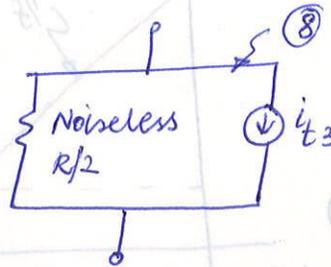
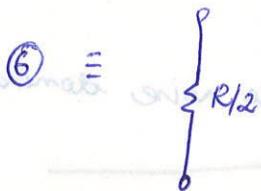
\uparrow
re-use of notation

(4) For a resistor $\overline{v_t^2} = 4kTR(f_2 - f_1)$

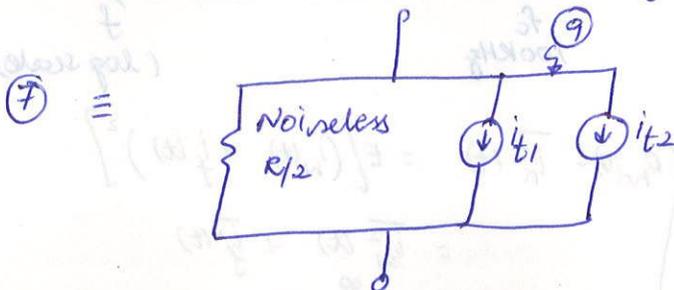
Ex 1



$$S_{i_{t1}}(f) = S_{i_{t2}}(f) = 4kT\left(\frac{1}{R}\right)$$



$$S_{i_{t3}}(f) = 4kT\left(\frac{2}{R}\right)$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{(6)} & \equiv \text{(7)} \\ \Rightarrow S_{i_{t3}}(f) & = S_{i_{t1}}(f) + S_{i_{t2}}(f) \\ & = \text{PSD of } i_{t1} + \text{PSD of } i_{t2} \end{aligned} \quad \text{(10)}$$

True?

$$\begin{aligned} R_{i_{t3} i_{t3}}(\tau) & = E[i_{t3}(t+\tau) i_{t3}(t)] = E[(i_{t1}(t+\tau) + i_{t2}(t+\tau))(i_{t1}(t) + i_{t2}(t))] \\ & = R_{i_{t1} i_{t1}}(\tau) + R_{i_{t2} i_{t2}}(\tau) + E[i_{t1}(t+\tau) i_{t2}(t)] + E[i_{t2}(t+\tau) i_{t1}(t)] \end{aligned}$$

Fact: Thermal motions in different resistors are uncorrelated

$$\Rightarrow E [i_{t1}(z_1) i_{t2}(z_2)] = E [i_{t1}(z_1)] E [i_{t2}(z_2)] \quad (11)$$

(Aside: For any R.P.'s i_{t1}, i_{t2} if (11) holds then i_{t1} and i_{t2} are said to be uncorrelated)

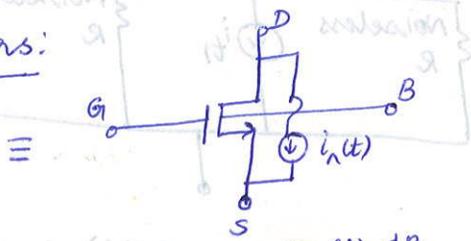
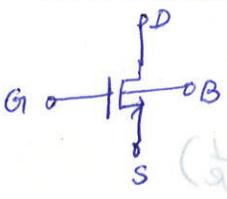
i_{t1} and $i_{t2} \equiv$ zero mean

$$\Rightarrow R_{i_{t3} i_{t3}}(z) = R_{i_{t1} i_{t1}}(z) + R_{i_{t2} i_{t2}}(z)$$

$$\therefore S_{i_{t3}}(f) = S_{i_{t1}}(f) + S_{i_{t2}}(f)$$

$$= 4kT \left(\frac{1}{R}\right) + 4kT \left(\frac{1}{R}\right) = 4kT \left(\frac{2}{R}\right) \Rightarrow (16) \text{ is correct}$$

MOS Transistors:

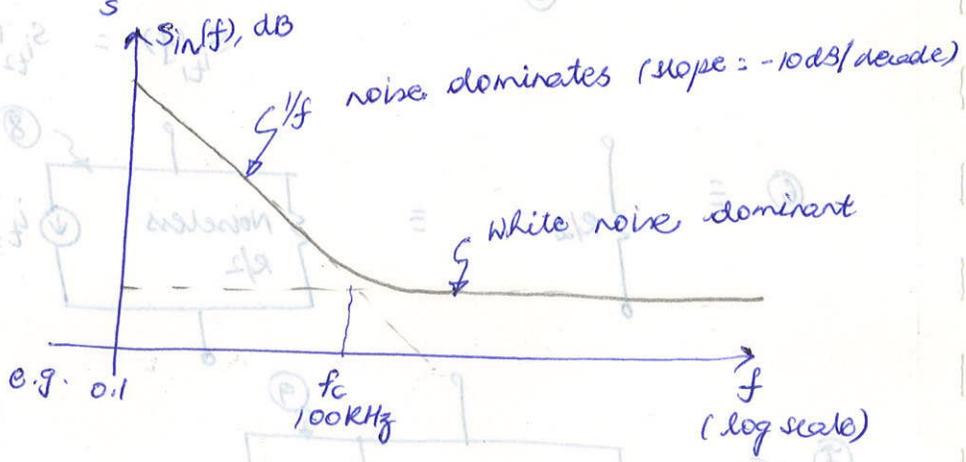


Typical Picture:

$$i_n(t) = i_w(t) + i_f(t)$$

indep (\Rightarrow uncorrelated) noise R.P.'s
e.g. 0.1

$$\therefore S_{i_n}(f) = S_{i_w}(f) + S_{i_f}(f)$$



Note: $1/f$ noise is due to carriers in channel trapped @

Si-SiO₂ interface.

\therefore by periodically turning off channel (possible in discrete systems like PLLs) can flatten $1/f$ noise. (\because frees carriers)

$$R_{nn}(0) = \overline{i_n^2(t)} = E [(i_w(t) + i_f(t))^2]$$

$$= \overline{i_w^2(t)} + \overline{i_f^2(t)}$$

$$S_{i_n}(f) \equiv 2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} R_{nn}(0) dt$$

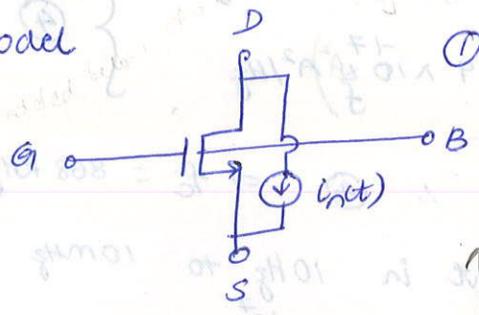
$$= 2 \left[\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} R_{ww}(0) dt + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} R_{ff}(0) dt \right]$$

$$= S_{i_w}(f) + S_{i_f}(f)$$

\rightarrow to (11) derivation

MOS Transistors:

Noise model



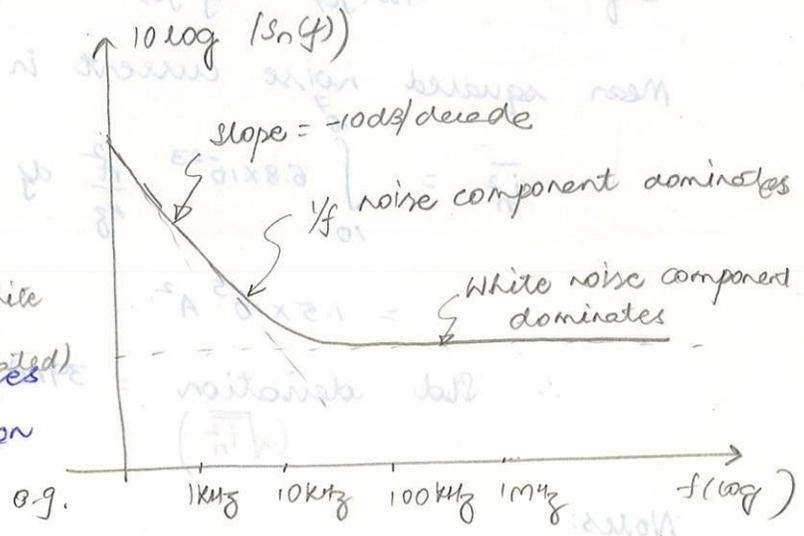
$i_{n(t)} = i_{w(t)} + i_f(t)$
 uncorrelated noise r.f.s

$S_{n(f)} \equiv \text{PSD of } i_{n(t)}$

$= S_{i_w(f)} + S_{i_f(f)}$
 (∴ noise & white noise are uncorrelated)

In strong inversion, $i_{n(t)}$ arises from thermal noise in inversion layer. (w/o that in resistor)

$i_f(t)$ arises from mechanism not fully understood but related to presence of "traps" @ SiO_2 to Si interface which randomly captures carriers w/ channel.



Parts:

i) $S_{i_w(f)} = \begin{cases} 4kT \left(\frac{2}{3} \alpha g_m \right) & \text{(MOST in saturation)} \\ 4kT \alpha K (V_{as} - V_T) \left(1 - \frac{1}{3} \frac{V_{as}}{V_{as} - V_T} \right) & \text{(MOST in triode)} \end{cases}$ (process dependent, usually 1.5 to 1.5)

ii) $S_{i_f(f)} \approx \frac{\beta g_m^2}{wL f}$ (both triode & sat)
 $\beta = \text{process dependant \& sometimes bias dependant}$
 (typ #s : $2 \times 10^{-9} \text{ V}^2/\mu\text{m}^2$ for nMOSTs
 $8 \times 10^{-11} \text{ V}^2/\mu\text{m}^2$ for pMOSTs)

∴ 1/f noise can be reduced by 1) using pMOSTs instead of nMOSTs
 2) using larger W & L

i.e. let $\overline{i_{f1}^2} = \int_0^\infty S_{i_f(f)} df$ for W_1, L_1 MOST dimensions

Then, $\overline{i_{f2}^2} = \frac{1}{4} (\overline{i_{f1}^2})$ if $W_2 = 2W_1$ and $L_2 = 2L_1$

Ex2 nMOST w/ $V_{GS} - V_T = 2V$, $W = 200\mu m$, $L = 5\mu m$

$\mu_n C_{OX} = 68 \mu A/V^2$, $\alpha = 1.13$, $\beta = 2 \times 10^{-9} V^2/\mu m^2$

②, ③ $\Rightarrow S_{iW}(f) = 6.8 \times 10^{23} A^2/Hz$

$S_{if}(f) = (5.9 \times 10^{-17} A^2/f) A^2/Hz$ } ④

Def $\Rightarrow S_{iW}(f_c) = S_{if}(f_c) \Rightarrow f_c = 868 KHz$

Mean squared noise current in 10Hz to 10MHz band,

$$\bar{i}_n^2 = \int_{10}^{10^7} 6.8 \times 10^{23} \frac{A^2}{Hz} dy + \int_{10}^{10^7} 5.9 \times 10^{-17} A^2 \frac{1}{f} dy$$

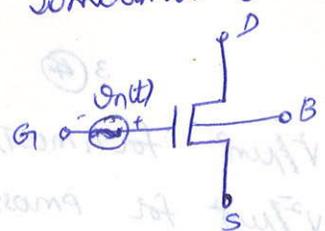
$$= 1.5 \times 10^{-15} A^2$$

\therefore Std deviation = 39nA (Gaussian distributed)
 $(\sqrt{\bar{i}_n^2})$

Notes:

- 1) ① does not model noise from extrinsic parasitic resistance of drain & source
- 2) ① does not model induced gate noise
- ③ \equiv noise coupled from noisy channel to gate @ very high frequencies

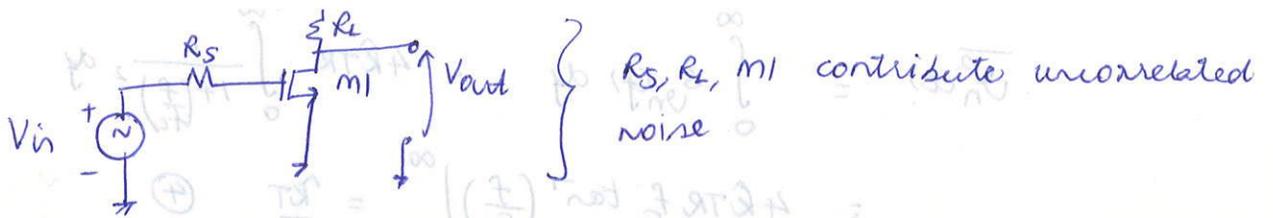
3) Sometimes ① is modelled as: $S_{on}(f) = \frac{1}{g_m^2} S_{in}(f)$



Q Is ③ \equiv ① in all cases?
 A No 1) Suppose circuit driving gate has high impedance \Rightarrow $on(t)$ partly dropped across the impedance \Rightarrow predicted noise in i_d is too low.

2) Suppose $V_{DS} = 0 \Rightarrow g_m = 0 \Rightarrow S_{on}(f) = \infty$

Ex



Since SSM is LTI, total output noise is

$$S_{out}(f) = S_{V_{RS}}(f) |g_m R_L|^2 + S_{V_{RL}}(f) + S_{in}(f) |R_L|^2$$

$$\therefore S_{out}(f) = 4kTR(g_m^2 R_L^2 + R_L) + S_{in}(f) R_L^2$$

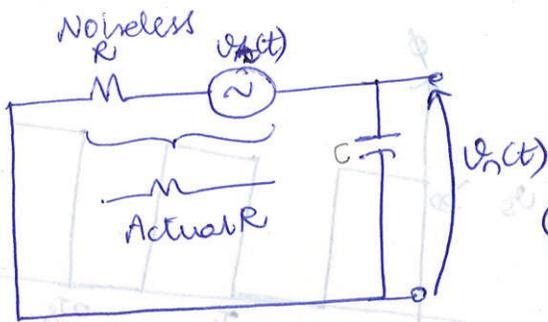
(assumes $R_L \ll Y_{ds1}$)

(assumes $f \ll BW$ of ckt.)

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midterm:
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safety checks.

KT/C Noise:



$$S_{out}(f) = 4kTR$$

$$S_{V_C}(f) = 0$$

cap noise PSD

(Ideal caps are noiseless
Actual "_____ " for practical purposes)

$$\frac{1}{RC}$$

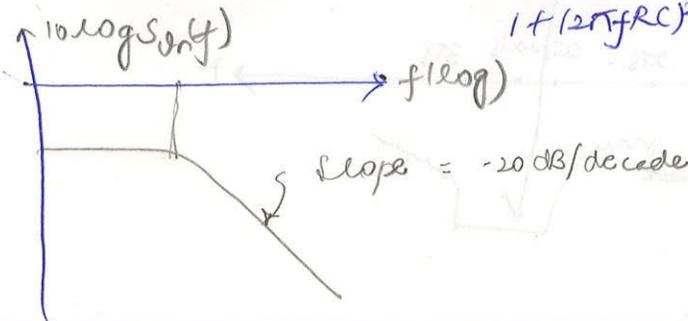
let $H(j\omega) = \frac{V_n(j\omega)}{V_t(j\omega)}$. Then we know $S_{out}(f) = |H(j2\pi f)|^2 S_{in}(f)$

$$V_n(j\omega) = V_t(j\omega) \frac{1/j\omega C}{R + 1/j\omega C}$$

$$\therefore H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{1 + j\omega RC} \quad (2)$$

$$\therefore |H(j2\pi f)|^2 = \frac{1}{1 + (\omega RC)^2}$$

$$\therefore S_{out}(f) = \frac{4kTR}{1 + (2\pi f RC)^2} = \frac{4kTR}{1 + (f/f_c)^2} \quad (3) \quad f_c = \frac{1}{2\pi RC}$$



$$\overline{v_n^2(t)} = \int_0^\infty S_{v_n}(f) df = 4kTR \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{1 + (f/f_c)^2} df$$

$$= 4kTR f_c \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{f}{f_c} \right) \Big|_0^\infty = \frac{kT}{C} \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{4kTR}{2\pi f_c} \neq \frac{kT}{C}$$

⇒ $\overline{v_n^2(t)}$ does not depend on R!

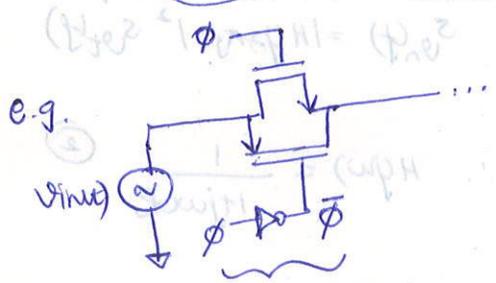
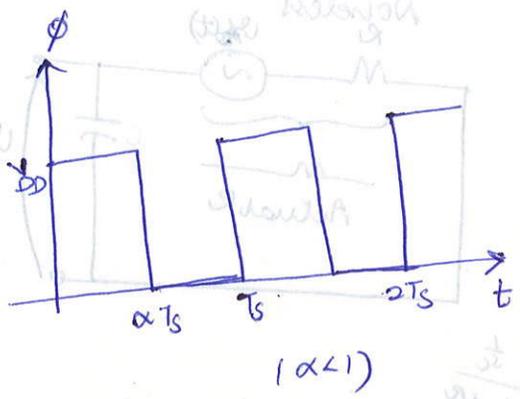
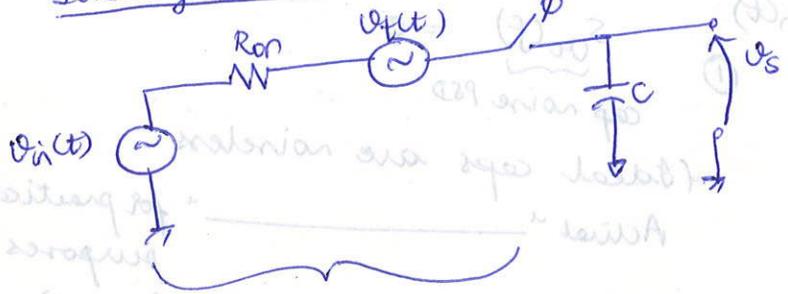
Q Why?

A Increasing R increases the $\overline{v_n^2(t)}$ but decreases bandwidth of RC filter ⇒ total m.s. noise voltage across C is independent of R.

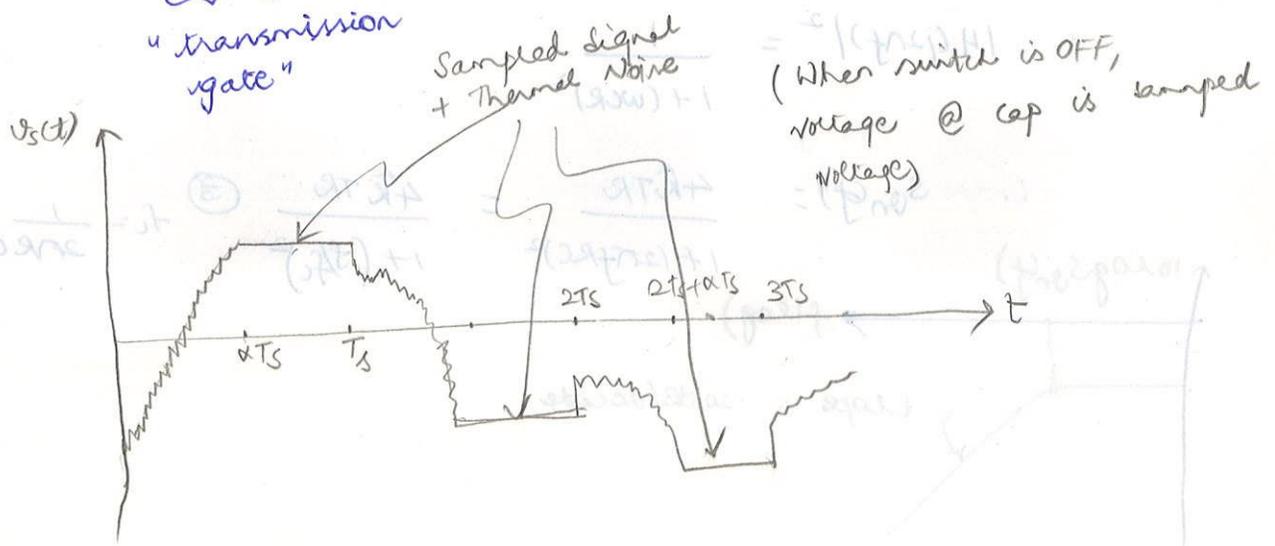
Q Significance?

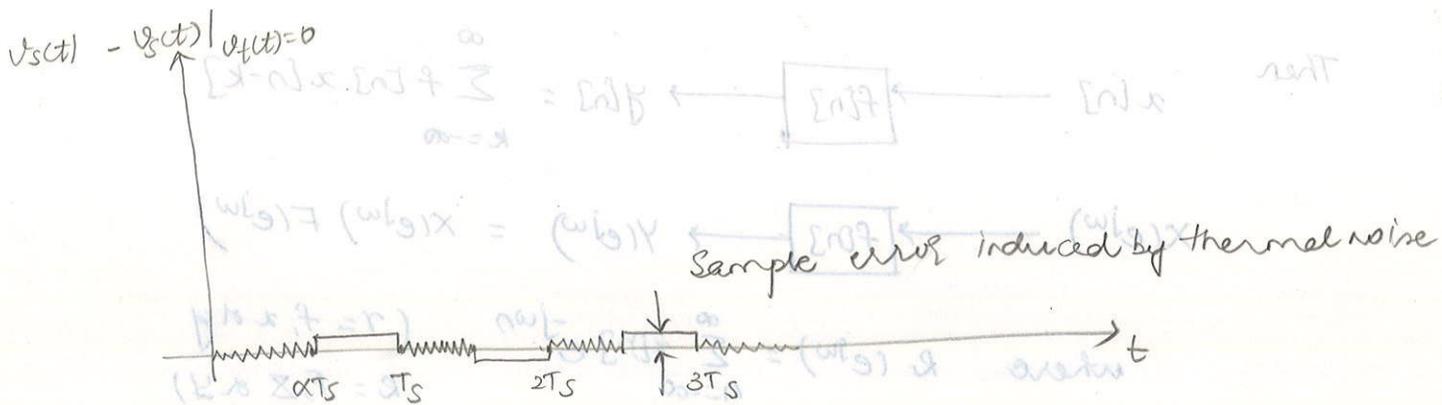
A Can reduce noise in practice only by increasing C.
 ⇒ Higher power consumption.

Idealized SH circuit:



$R_{on} = R_s + R_{transgate}$
 voltage source R
 why this condition
 2) pass gate resistance diff for phi, 0





Let $x[n] = v_s(nT_S + \alpha T_S) |_{v_t(t)=0} \equiv$ "ideal sampled signal"

$\hat{x}[n] = v_s(nT_S + \alpha T_S) \equiv$ "actual"

∴ "Sampling error from thermal noise"

$\equiv e[n] = \hat{x}[n] - x[n]$

Discrete time random process

(Zero-mean - why?)

$v_t(t) \rightarrow$ zero mean
 \downarrow LTI $\rightarrow v_t(nT_S) \rightarrow$ zero mean

i.e., $\hat{x}[n] = x[n] + e[n]$

Interested in: $R_{ee}[k] = E\{x[n]x[n+k]\} \equiv$ "discrete-time autocorrelation"

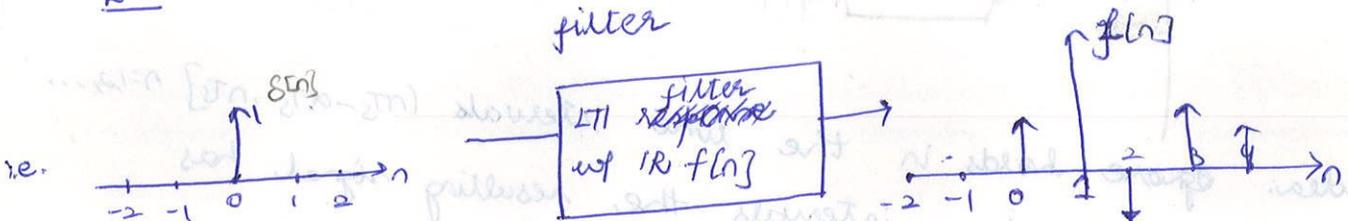
& $S_{ee}(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} R_{ee}[k] e^{-j\omega k} \equiv$ "discrete PSD"

Then $\overline{e^2[n]} = E[e^2[n]] = R_{ee}[0] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} S_{ee}(e^{j\omega}) d\omega$

Assumption: noise is W.S.S.
 time for thermal case
 \rightarrow By Parseval's theorem

We are interested in PSD. Why?

Ex Let $f[n]$ = impulse response of an LTI discrete-time filter



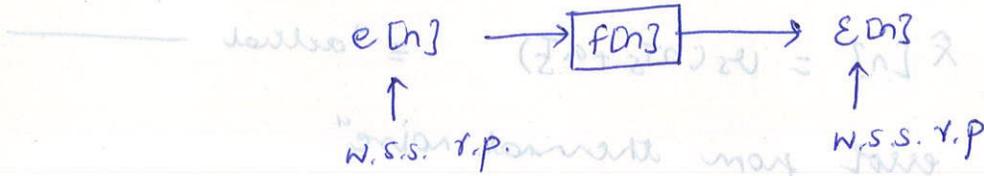
Then

$$x[n] \longrightarrow \boxed{f[n]} \longrightarrow y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} f[n] x[n-k]$$

$$X(e^{j\omega}) \longrightarrow \boxed{F(e^{j\omega})} \longrightarrow Y(e^{j\omega}) = X(e^{j\omega}) F(e^{j\omega})$$

where $R(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} r[n] e^{-j\omega n}$ ($r = f, x \text{ or } y$)
 $R = F, X \text{ or } Y$

In our case:

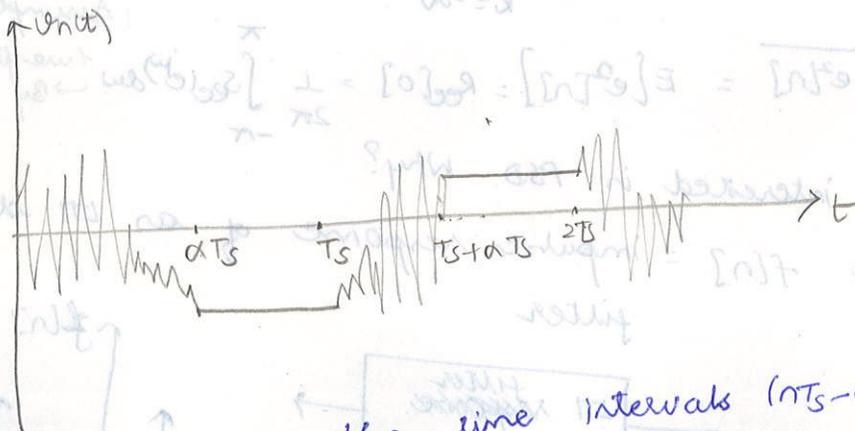


where $S_{\epsilon\epsilon}(e^{j\omega}) = |F(e^{j\omega})|^2 S_{ee}(e^{j\omega})$

∴ Knowing $S_{ee}(e^{j\omega})$ allows us to calculate m.s. error after LTI Discrete Time Signal Processing (DSP)

How to calculate $R_{ee}[k]$?

closeup view of $v_s(t) - v_r(t) \mid v_r(t) = 0$
 call $v_n(t)$



Idea: Square holds in the time intervals $(nTs - \alphaTs, nTs]$ $n=1, 2, \dots$
 Outside these intervals, the resulting signal has same statistics as the signal.

$$v_n'(t) = v_n(t) \Big|_{\phi = V_{DD}} + \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \beta[k] h(t - k\alpha Ts) \quad \text{⑤ when switch is closed}$$

$v_n'(t)$ has same statistics as $v_n(t)$ + extra terms for

where $v_n(t)|_{\phi=V_{DD}}$ corresponds to system ①

β gives same signal b/w holds as if holds had not been there.

$\beta[k] = r.p.$

$h(t) =$ impulse response of ②

$h(t) = u(t) \frac{1}{RC} e^{-t/RC}$
 $H(s) = \frac{1}{s + 1/RC}$
 $\Rightarrow h(t) = \frac{1}{RC} e^{-t/RC} u(t)$

In practice, R, α, C chosen such that $h(t) \approx 0$ for $t \geq \alpha T_s$
 (else we have settling error in samples)

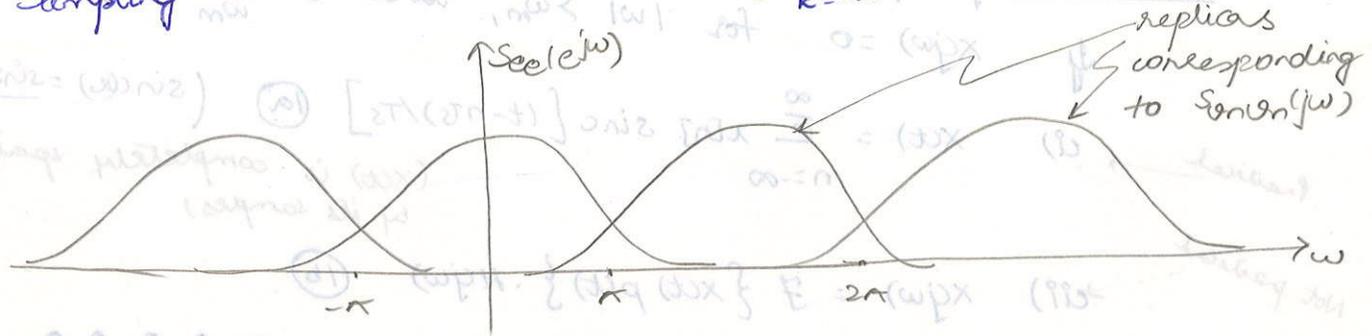
(settling time \Rightarrow otherwise would be just LPF in I/P)

\therefore can model $e[n]$ as:

$e[n] = v_n(nT_s)|_{\phi=V_{DD}}$ can ignore the αT because w.s.s.

$R_{ee}[k] = R_{v_n v_n}(kT_s)$

Sampling theorem $\Rightarrow S_{ee}(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{T_s} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} S_{v_n v_n} \left[j\left(\frac{\omega}{T_s}\right) - j\left(\frac{2\pi k}{T_s}\right) \right]$



$\overline{e^2[n]} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} S_{ee}(e^{j\omega}) d\omega$
 $= \frac{1}{2\pi T_s} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} S_{v_n v_n} \left(\frac{j\omega}{T_s} \right) d\omega = \frac{2 \cdot 1}{2\pi T_s} \int_0^{\infty} S_{v_n v_n} \left(\frac{j\omega}{T_s} \right) d\omega$

(Recall: $S_{v_n}(f) = 2 S_{v_n v_n}(2\pi f)$ for $f > 0$)

$\therefore S_{v_n v_n} \left(\frac{j\omega}{T_s} \right) = \frac{1}{2} S_{v_n} \left(\frac{\omega}{2\pi T_s} \right)$ w.s.o

$\overline{e^2[n]} = \frac{1}{2\pi T_s} \int_0^{\infty} S_{v_n} \left(\frac{\omega}{2\pi T_s} \right) d\omega$ let $\Omega = \frac{\omega}{2\pi T_s}$
 $\Rightarrow d\omega = 2\pi T_s d\Omega$

$= \int_0^{\infty} S_{v_n}(\Omega) d\Omega = \frac{KT}{C}$ (\Rightarrow whether sampling is done or not, noise variance is not changed.)

CCT → Area ↑
Power ↑

Ex $T = 290K$, $C = 1pF$; if have 1V RMS signal →
limited to 12.3 bits

for $C = 100pF$, limited to 15.7 bits

(oversampling
⇒ more caps in time)
Switched cap vclts.
(Continuous amp,
discrete time)

SWITCHED CAPACITOR CIRCUITS:

Preliminaries:

Let $x(t) \equiv$ analog signal (continuous time)

$x[n] = x(nT_s)$, $n = \dots, -1, 0, 1, \dots \equiv$ discrete-time signal

Recall Sampling Theorem:

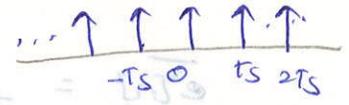
if $x(\omega) = 0$ for $|\omega| > \omega_m$, and $T_s < \frac{\pi}{\omega_m}$, then

Practical → (i) $x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] \text{sinc}[(t-nT_s)/T_s]$ (a) $(\text{sinc}(x) = \frac{\sin(\pi x)}{x})$
($x(t)$ is completely specified by its samples)

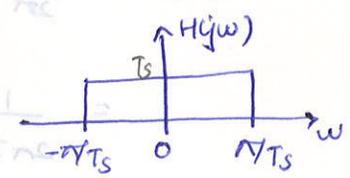
Not practical → (ii) $x(\omega) = \mathcal{F}\{x(t)p(t)\} \cdot H(\omega)$ (b)

Ideal LPF not realizable!?

where $p(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t-nT_s)$

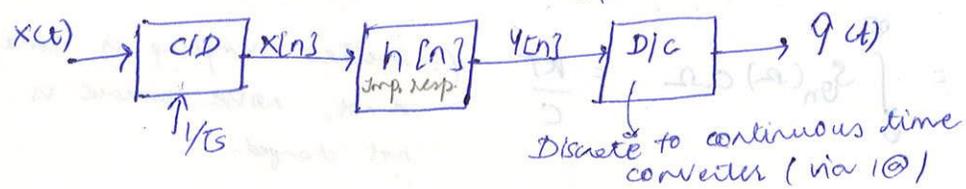
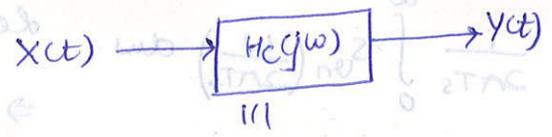


& $H(\omega) = \begin{cases} T_s & \text{if } |\omega| < \pi/T_s \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$



Implication:

Let $H_c(\omega)$ be the freq. resp. of an LTI cont-time system. Then $\mathcal{F}\{h[n]\}$, $n = \dots, -1, 0, 1, \dots$ S.T.



C/D: Continuous-to discrete time converter
(e.g. sample & hold ckt.)

where $y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} h[k] x[n-k]$ ②

and $\hat{y}(t) = y(t) \forall t$ provided $X(j\omega) = 0 \forall |\omega| > \pi/T_s$

Defn: (i) $X(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] e^{-j\omega n} \equiv$ Discrete-Time Fourier Transform (DTFT)

Note: different use of ω from continuous time F.T. (This is continuous in freq. if it is sampled then it is DFT. FFT is method for calculating DFT)

(ii) $X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] z^{-n} \equiv$ Z-transform (if exists for some $R_0 < |z| < R_1, R_0 < R_1$) in Z-transform. Always include ROC. Called Region of Convergence (ROC)

Recall:

1. $x[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(e^{j\omega}) e^{j\omega n} d\omega$ (if DTFT exists)

2. $X(e^{j\omega}) = X(z) \Big|_{z=e^{j\omega}}$; periodic -2π . $x[n] \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow X(e^{j\omega}) = X^*(e^{-j\omega})$

3. $X(e^{j\omega}) = \mathcal{F} \{ x(t) p(t) \} \Big|_{T_s=1}$ (see ①) ③

C.T. F.T. \Rightarrow connection b/w $X(e^{j\omega})$ and $X(j\omega)$ (periodic \rightarrow band-limited)

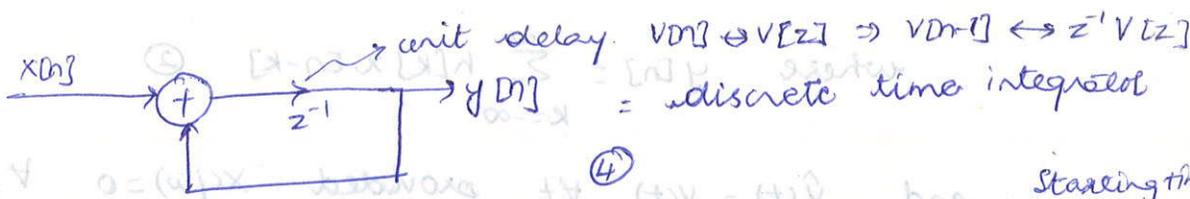
4. Properties of DTFT & Z-transform

e.g. $h[n] * x[n] \leftrightarrow H(e^{j\omega}) X(e^{j\omega})$
 $H(z) X(z) \text{ ROC} \supset (\text{ROC of } H(z) \cap \text{ROC of } X(z))$

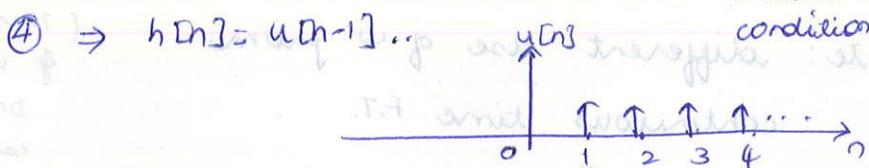
Q Why bother w/ Z-transforms instead of using DTFT only? & vice-versa? (C.T. case: integrator \rightarrow analyzed by Laplace instead of F.T.)

A DTFT provides intuition and connection to continuous time F.T. but Z-transform often exists when DTFT does not.

Ex



$$y[n] = x[n-1] + y[n-1] = \sum_{k=n_0}^{n-1} x[k] + y[n_0] \quad (\text{any } n_0 \text{ is starting time})$$



$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h[n] e^{-j\omega n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e^{-j\omega n} = \infty \Rightarrow H(e^{j\omega}) \text{ does not exist}$$

But,

$$H(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h[n] z^{-n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} z^{-n} = \frac{z^{-1}}{1-z^{-1}} \quad \forall |z| > 1 \quad \text{R.O.C}$$

Note: ④ is not BIBO stable
 (e.g. $x[n] = u[n] \Rightarrow y[n] = (n-1)u[n-1]$ (Verify))

$\Rightarrow y[n] = \text{unbounded}$

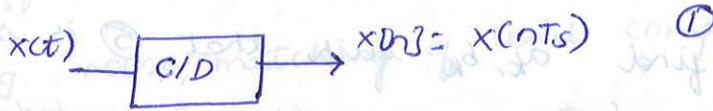
But $H(z)$ exists \Rightarrow can use freq. domain tools to analyze
 (e.g. Convolution Theorem etc.)

Switched Capacitor circuits:

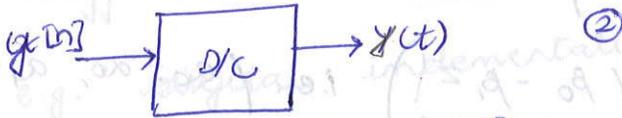
Let $H_c(j\omega)$ = freq. response of a continuous time filter

Let $x(t)$ = i/p signal w/ $x(j\omega) = 0 \quad \forall |\omega| \geq \pi/T_s$
 (i.e. $x(t)$ is band limited)

Def: (i) Continuous to discrete time converter

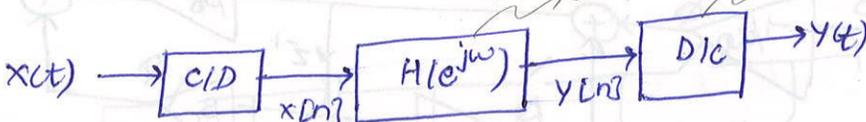
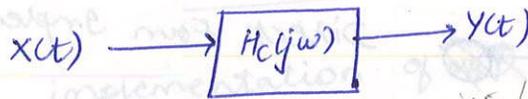


(ii) Discrete to continuous time converter



where
$$y(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} y[n] \text{sinc} \left[(t - nT_s) / T_s \right]$$

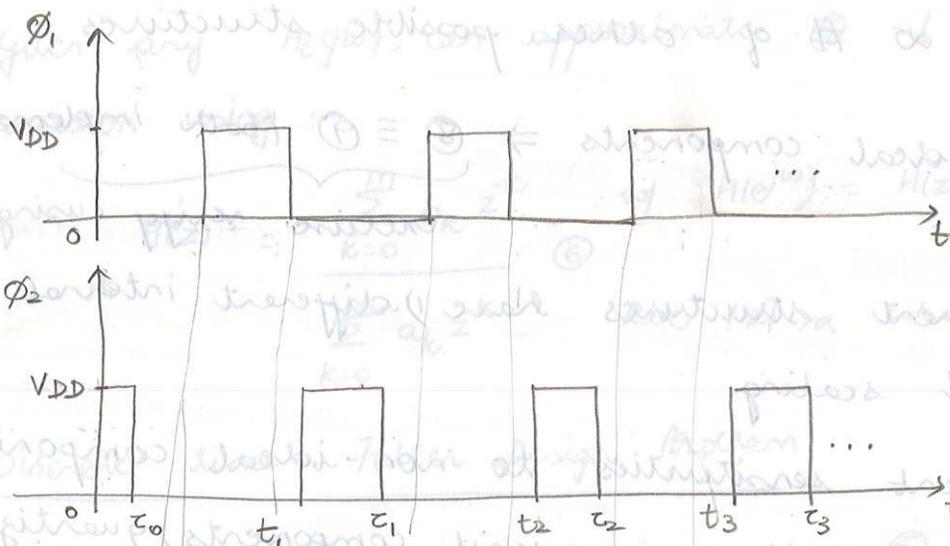
Sampling theorem implies:



where
$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \begin{cases} H_c(j\omega/T_s) & |\omega| < \pi \\ \text{periodic elsewhere} & \end{cases}$$

Facts:

- 1) Can well approximate ① using sample and hold (S/H) circuits
- 2) " " ② using S/H followed by continuous time analog filters.

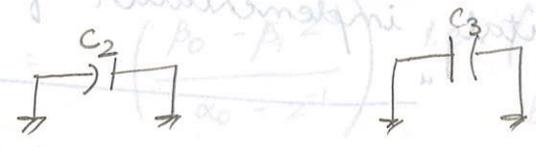


Implementation details soon

$x[n] \equiv V_{in}(t_n)$, $y[n] \equiv V_{out}(t_n)$ (10 is not 7-1: det is diff. for $\phi_1=0$ & $\phi_2=0$ & ϕ_1)

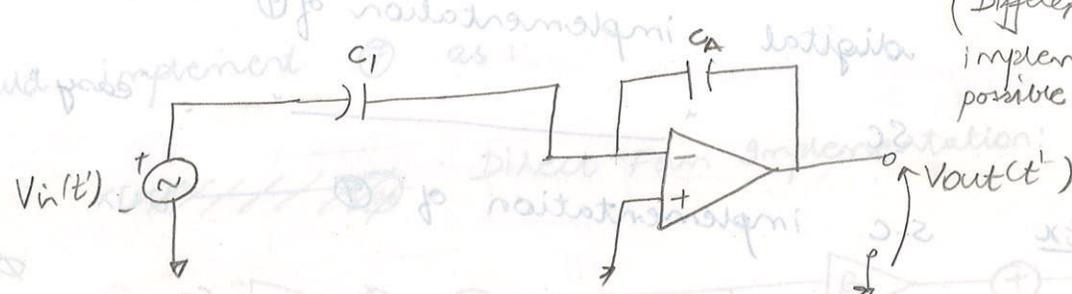
At $t' = t_{n-1} - \epsilon$: ($\epsilon > 0$, small)

(Cap rotation)



bottom plate

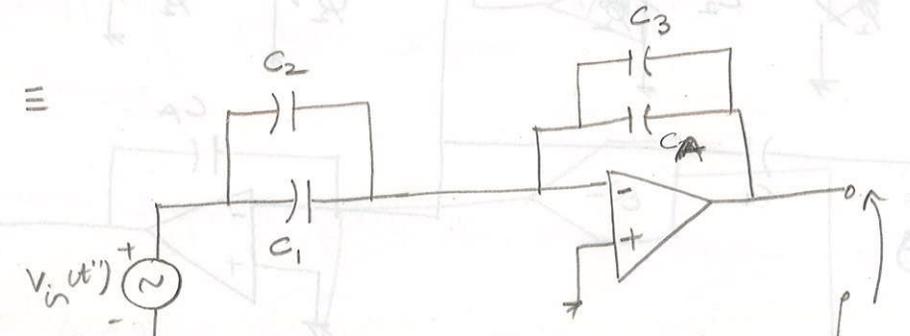
(10)



(Differential implementations possible & needed) for noise rejection

At $t'' = t_n - \epsilon$:

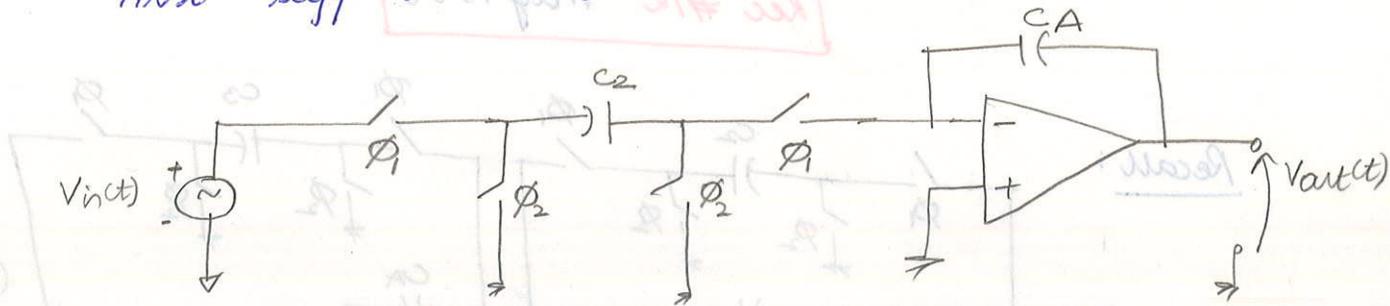
(10)



ase -> 0

$V_{in}(t'') = x[n]$
 C_1, C_2, C_3, C_A
 $\beta_0 = \frac{C_3}{C_A}$, $\beta_1 = \frac{C_2}{C_A}$

First suppose $C_1 = C_3 = 0$. Then (10) becomes



Consider charge transfer b/w t_{n-1} & t_n ;

- $V_{out}(t) = V_{out}(t_{n-1}) = y[n-1] \forall t$ from t_{n-1} until ϕ_1 first goes high

place bottom plate less sensitive to parasitics why is $C_A = C_2$?

how is this defined?
 $t_n = t''$

When ϕ_1 first goes high, charge on C_2 is zero. At time t_n , voltage across C_2 is $V_{in}(t_n) = x[n]$. So (assuming a virtual ground) its total charge is $C_2 x[n]$

- But all the current that charges C_2 also passes through C_A .

$$\frac{C_A V_{out}}{C_A (V_{in} - V_{out})}$$

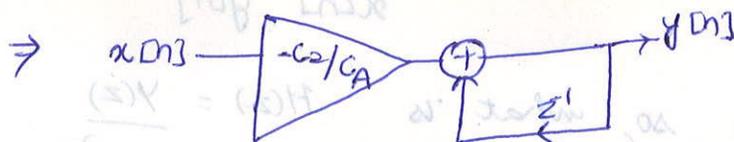
\Rightarrow charge on C_A changes by $C_2 x[n]$

\Rightarrow Voltage across C_A changes by $C_2 x[n] / C_A$

$$\therefore V_{out}(t_n) - V_{out}(t_{n-1}) = -\frac{C_2}{C_A} x[n]$$

$$\therefore y[n] - y[n-1] = -\frac{C_2}{C_A} x[n]$$

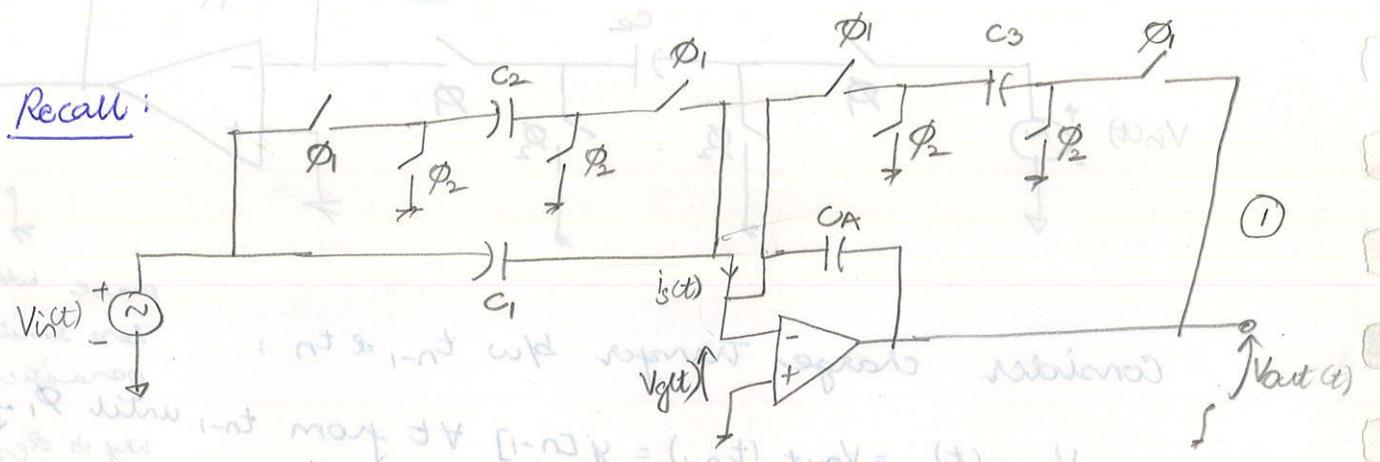
$$y[n] = y[n-1] - \frac{C_2}{C_A} x[n]$$



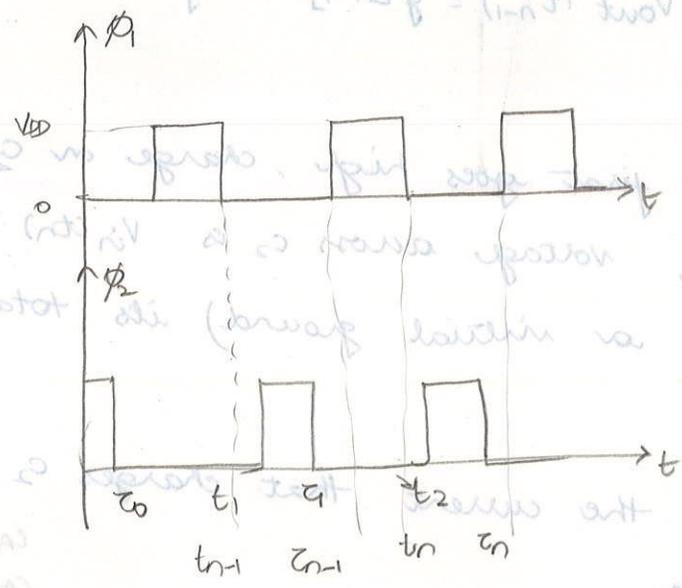
$$\therefore H(z) = -\frac{C_2}{C_A} \left(\frac{1}{1-z^{-1}} \right)$$

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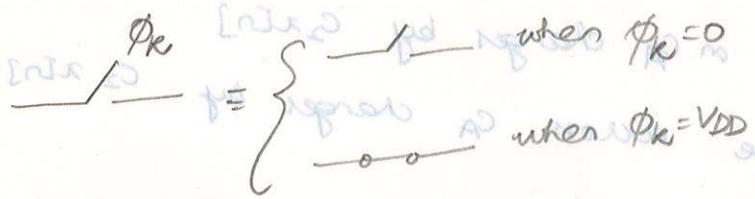
Recall:



where



non overlapping clocks



Can view ① as discrete-time circuit w/

$$x[n] = V_{in}(t_n), \quad y[n] = V_{out}(t_n) \quad \text{②}$$

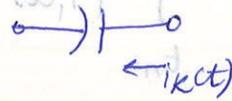
Problems to solve: 1) Is ① LTI with respect to

2) If so, what is $H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)}$

$$\left(\frac{1}{z-1} \right) \frac{1}{z} = \dots$$

Solution: (Assuming ideal op-amp) for now $\Rightarrow V_g(t) = 0$

Let $i_k(t)$ = current through C_k , $k=1,2,3,A$ in the following sense:



Similarly:

$$i_s(t) = \begin{cases} -i_1(t) - i_2(t) & \text{when } \phi_1 = V_{DD} \\ -i_1(t) & \text{when } \phi_1 = 0 \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

Similarly:

$$i_b(t) = \begin{cases} i_3(t) + i_A(t) & \text{when } \phi_1 = V_{DD} \\ i_A(t) & \text{when } \phi_1 = 0 \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore i_1(t) + i_2(t) + i_3(t) + i_A(t) &= 0 & \text{when } \phi_1 = V_{DD} \\ i_1(t) + i_A(t) &= 0 & \text{when } \phi_1 = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

Recall: $i_k(t) = C_k \frac{dV_k}{dt}$

Let $q_k(t)$ = charge stored on C_k

$$i_k(t) = \frac{dq_k(t)}{dt} \quad (6)$$

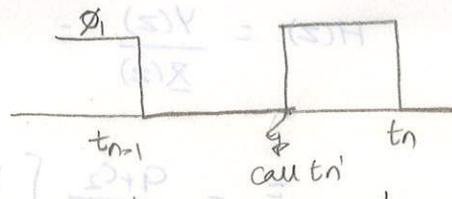
$$\therefore \int_{t_a}^{t_b} \frac{dq_k(t)}{dt} dt = C_k \int_{t_a}^{t_b} \frac{dV_k}{dt} dt \quad \text{any } t_b > t_a \quad (7)$$

$$q_k(t_b) - q_k(t_a) = C_k [V_k(t_b) - V_k(t_a)] \quad (7)$$

Consider one sample period: $t_{n-1} < t < t_n$:

$$t_{n-1} < t < t_n' \Rightarrow \phi_1 = 0$$

$$t_n' < t < t_n \Rightarrow \phi_1 = V_{DD}$$



sample period $(\Leftarrow 2)$

$$\textcircled{5} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \int_{t_{n-1}}^{t_n} (i_1(t) + i_A(t)) dt = 0 & (\phi_1 = 0) \\ \int_{t_{n-1}}^{t_n} (i_1(t) + i_2(t) + i_3(t) + i_A(t)) dt = 0 & (\phi = \phi_0) \end{cases} \textcircled{8}$$

$$\textcircled{6} - \textcircled{8} \Rightarrow c_1 [v_1(t_n) - v_1(t_{n-1})] + c_A [v_A(t_n) - v_A(t_{n-1})] = 0 \textcircled{9}$$

$$c_1 [v_1(t_n) - v_1(t_{n-1})] + c_2 [v_2(t_n) - v_2(t_{n-1})]$$

$$+ c_3 [v_3(t_n) - v_3(t_{n-1})] + c_A [v_A(t_n) - v_A(t_{n-1})] = 0 \textcircled{10}$$

$$\textcircled{9} + \textcircled{10} \Rightarrow c_1 \left[\begin{matrix} -x[n] + x[n-1] \\ -v_{in}(t_n) + v_{in}(t_{n-1}) \end{matrix} \right] + c_2 \left[\begin{matrix} -x[n] \\ -v_{in}(t_n) + 0 \end{matrix} \right] + c_3 \left[\begin{matrix} -v_{out}(t_n) + 0 \\ -y[n] \end{matrix} \right] + c_A \left[\begin{matrix} -v_{out}(t_n) + v_{out}(t_{n-1}) \\ -y[n] + y[n-1] \end{matrix} \right] = 0$$

$$\therefore (c_3 + c_A) y[n] - c_A y[n-1] = -(c_1 + c_2) x[n] + c_1 x[n-1] \textcircled{11}$$

$\textcircled{11}$ = linear, const-coeff. difference equation

$\Rightarrow \textcircled{1}$ is LTI w.r.t. $x[n], y[n]$

(Const coeff. difference eqs \Rightarrow linear)

Z-transform of $\textcircled{11}$

$$(c_3 + c_A) Y(z) - c_A z^{-1} Y(z) = -(c_1 + c_2) X(z) + c_1 z^{-1} X(z)$$

$$\Rightarrow H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{-(c_1 + c_2) + c_1 z^{-1}}{(c_3 + c_A) - c_A z^{-1}}$$

$s=0$
 $z=1$

$$= - \frac{c_1 + c_2}{c_3 + c_A} \left[\frac{1 - b_1 z^{-1}}{1 - a_1 z^{-1}} \right]$$

where $b_1 = \frac{c_1}{c_1 + c_2}$

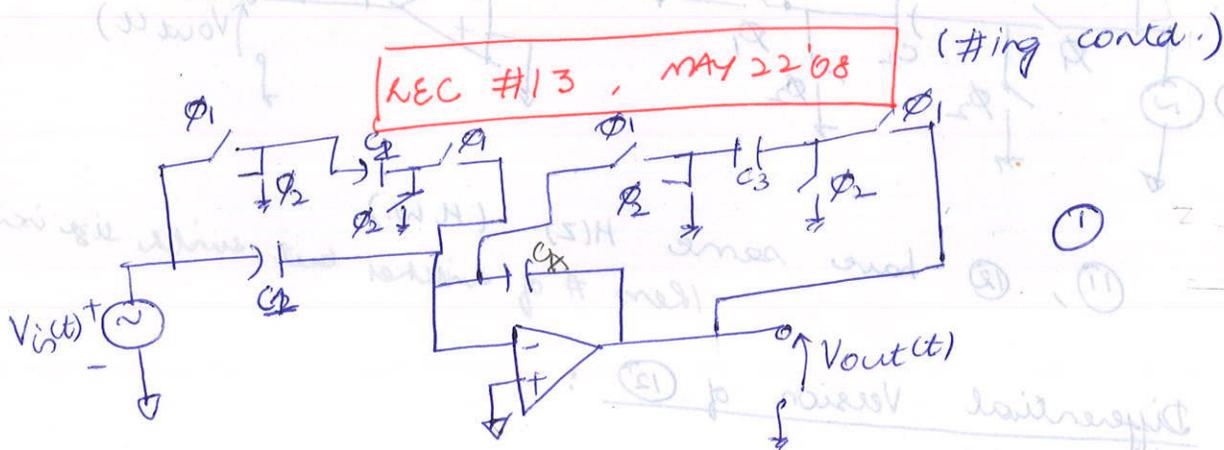
$$a_1 = \frac{c_A}{c_3 + c_A}$$

DC gain : $H(e^{j0}) = - \frac{C_1 + C_2}{C_3 + C_A} \left(\frac{1 - b_1}{1 - a_1} \right) = - \frac{C_2}{C_3}$

Q ROC of $H(z)$?

A ① is causal, single pole @ $z = a_1$

⇒ ROC $|z| > a_1$



last time found

$$H(z) = - \frac{C_1 + C_2}{C_3 + C_A} \left[\frac{1 - b_1 z^{-1}}{1 - a_1 z^{-1}} \right] \quad \text{where } b_1 = \frac{C_1}{C_1 + C_2}$$

$$a_1 = \frac{C_A}{C_3 + C_A}$$

Q ① BIBO stable?

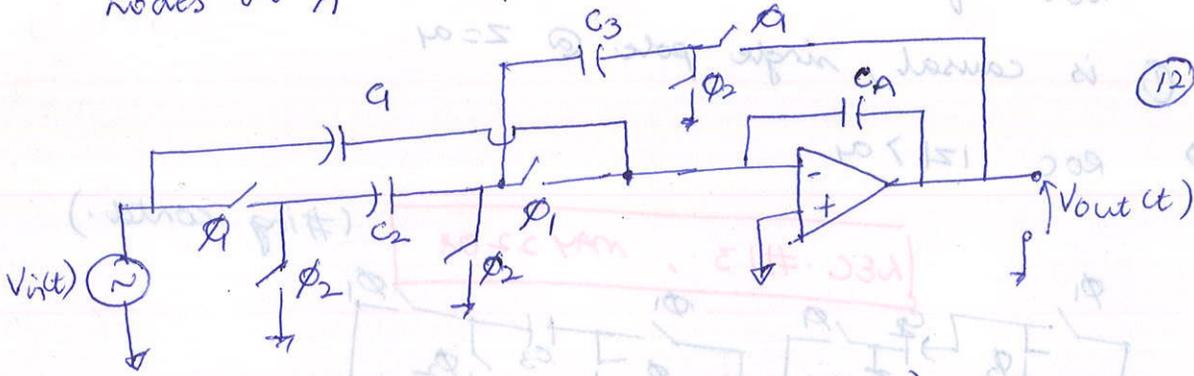
A $C_3 > 0 \Leftrightarrow$ Yes. Why? Pole is at $z = a_1$ and $a_1 < 1$

A if $C_3 > 0 \therefore$ Pole inside unit circle $\Leftrightarrow C_3 > 0$

- Notes
- 1) PM of opamp is ideal (180°), yet ① can still be unstable if $C_3 = 0$
 - 2) In practice ① can be unstable if $C_3 > 0$ but if PM of opamp feedback config is too low
- ⇒ Must consider continuous time and discrete time stability in practice.

Switch Sharing

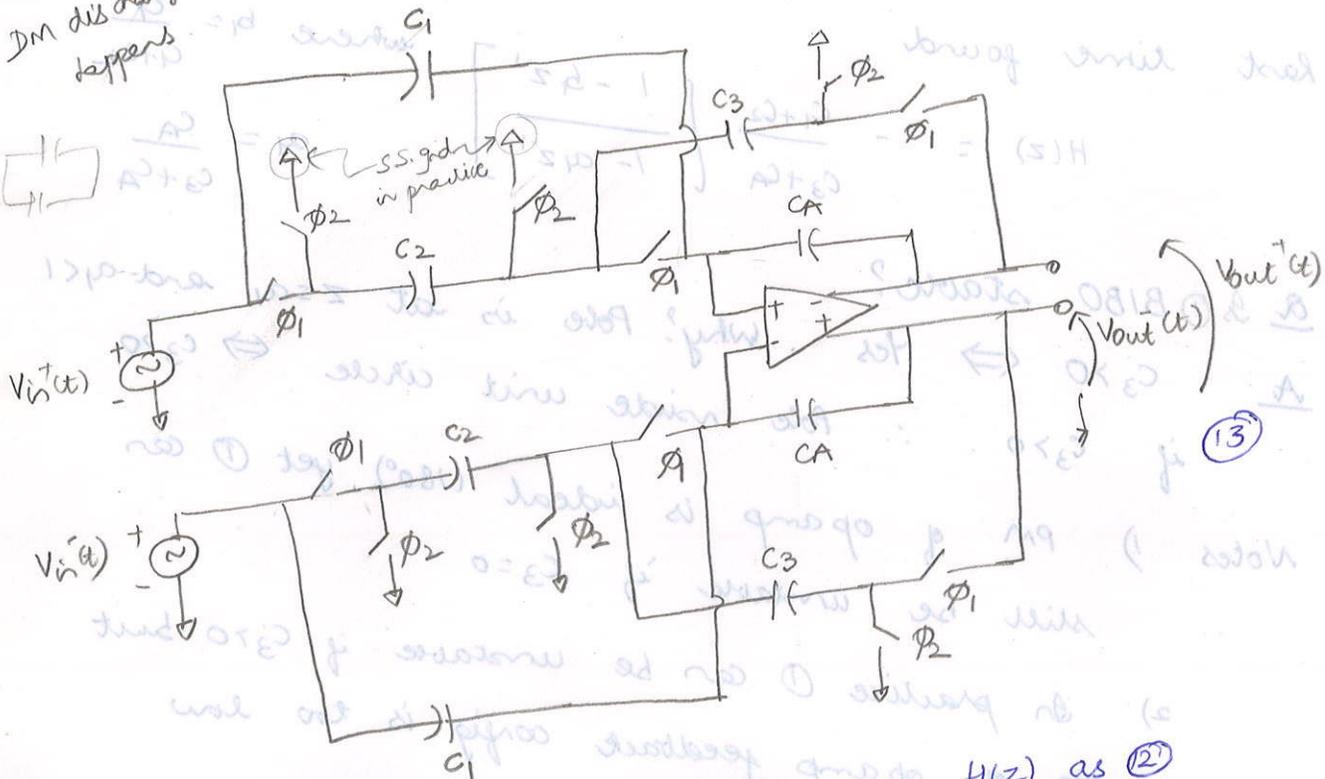
Top plates of C_2 and C_3 are always switched to same nodes on ϕ_1 and $\phi_2 \Rightarrow$ ① has redundant switches, nodes on ϕ_1 and ϕ_2



①, ② have same $H(z)$ (H.W.) (less # of switches but switch size increased)

Differential Version of ②:

DM dis change happens



Exercise: Verify ③ has same $H(z)$ as ②

Topology \Rightarrow (13) \approx 2 copies of (12)

But i) Only 1 opamp (except now w/ CMFB)

ii) Differential voltages \Rightarrow 4x signal power
2x noise power } w.r.t. (12)

\Rightarrow Can reduce capacitors by $\frac{1}{2}$ and maintain same SNR from $\frac{kT}{C}$ noise.

$$\Delta = -3 \text{ dB} + 6 \text{ dB} = 3 \text{ dB}$$

$$\downarrow -3 \text{ dB}$$

$$\downarrow 0$$

\Rightarrow Switch sizes may also be reduced (for same settling performance)

\Rightarrow (13) is larger than (12) but not 2x larger.

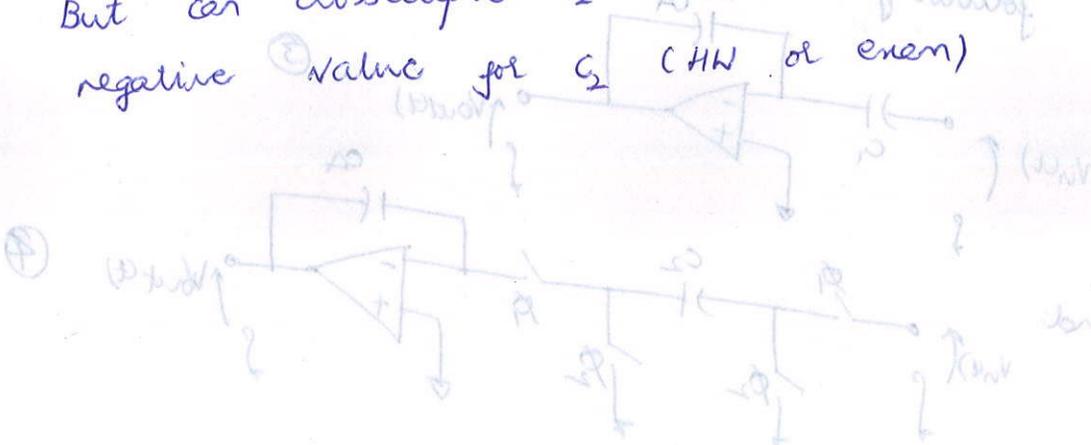
Benefits of (13) over (12)

- 1) Much better PSRR
- 2) All common mode noise sources tend to cancel.
- 3) Even order distortion terms
- 4) Can use cross coupling to achieve the effect of "negative capacitances"

Why would we need +ve poles & zeros

Recall, zero is @ $b_1 = \frac{C_1}{C_1 + C_2} \Rightarrow$ restricted to inside of unit circle ($\text{ord} \geq 0$) if $C_2 \geq 0$

But can "crosscouple" C_2 in (13) to achieve effective negative value for C_2 (HW or exam)



Reset Numbering

So far have s-c ckt to implement:

$$H_1(z) = -\alpha_1 \frac{1}{1-z^{-1}}$$

and $H_2(z) = -\alpha_2 \left(\frac{1-b_1 z^{-1}}{1-\alpha_1 z^{-1}} \right)$ ①

Now, we want an s.c. ckt to implement

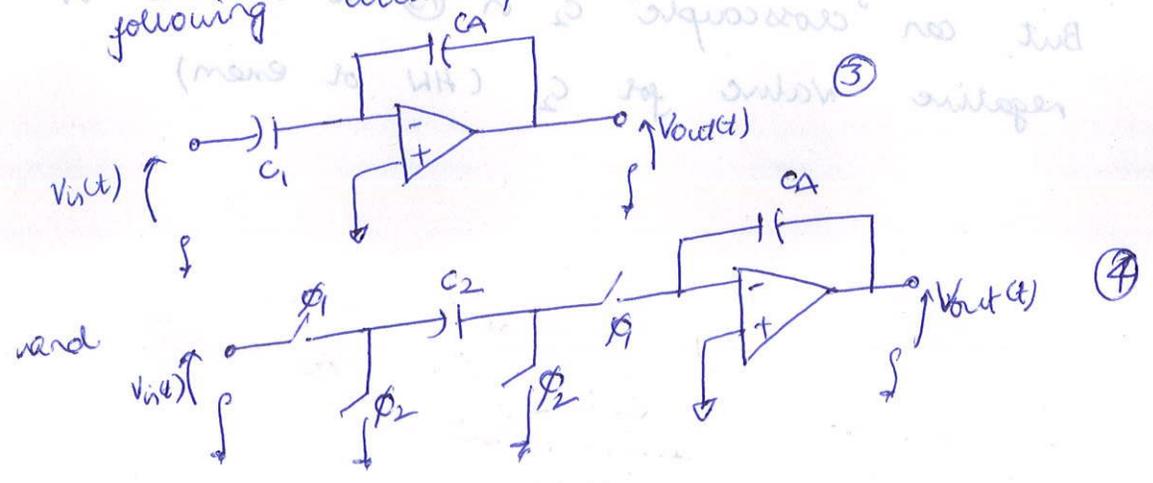
$$H_3(z) = \frac{b_0 + b_1 z^{-1} + b_2 z^{-2}}{a_0 + a_1 z^{-1} + a_2 z^{-2}}$$
 ②

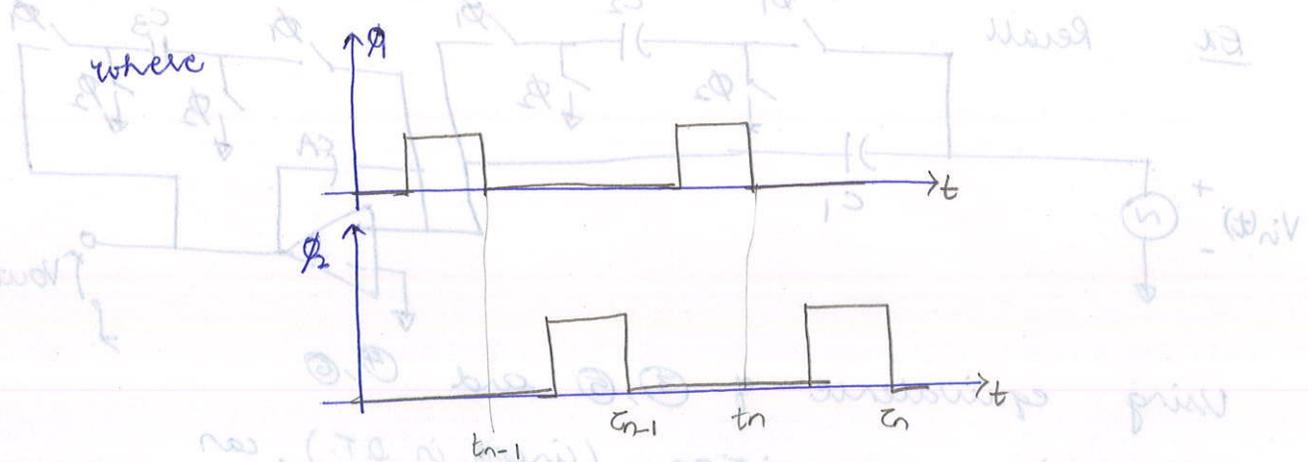
Then, can achieve any rational transfer function by cascading $H_3(z)$ stages and $H_1(z)$ stages.

Observations:

- 1) s-c principle \Rightarrow signal samples \equiv "charge packets"
- 2) Scheme depends on:
 - 1) good virtual grounds
 - 2) No resistance paths to ground.
- \Rightarrow requires op amps w/ capacitive feedback
- \Rightarrow basic elements \equiv integrator.

3) So far, our s.c circuits have contained the following circuit portions:





and $y[n] \equiv V_{out}(t_n)$, $x[n] \equiv V_{in}(t_n)$

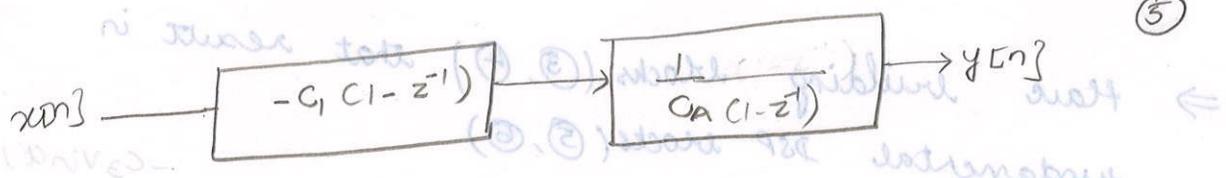
③
$$C_1 [-V_{in}(t_n) + V_{in}(t_{n-1})] + C_A [-V_{out}(t_n) + V_{out}(t_{n-1})] = 0$$

$$\therefore C_1 [-x[n] + x[n-1]] = C_A [y[n] - y[n-1]]$$

$$\frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = -\frac{C_1}{C_A} \frac{(1-z^{-1})}{(1-z^{-1})} = -\frac{C_1}{C_A}$$
 (for ③)

\therefore can rewrite ③ as

caps 10grd
differentiatd,
⑤ $\frac{m}{f}$



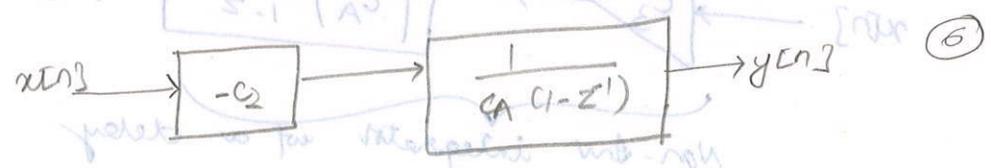
similarly for ④

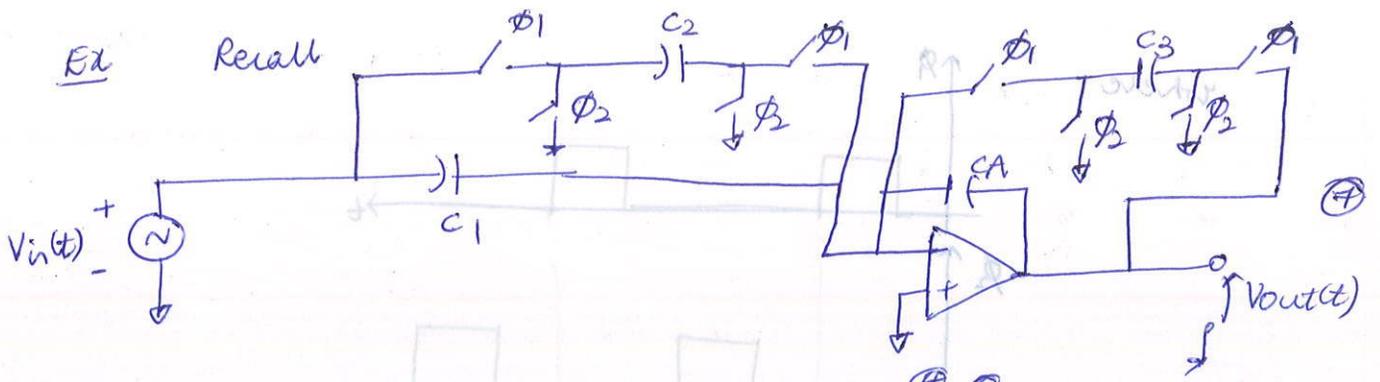
④
$$C_2 [-V_{in}(t_n) + 0] = -C_A [-V_{out}(t_n) + V_{out}(t_{n-1})]$$

$$\therefore -C_2 x[n] = C_A (y[n] - y[n-1])$$

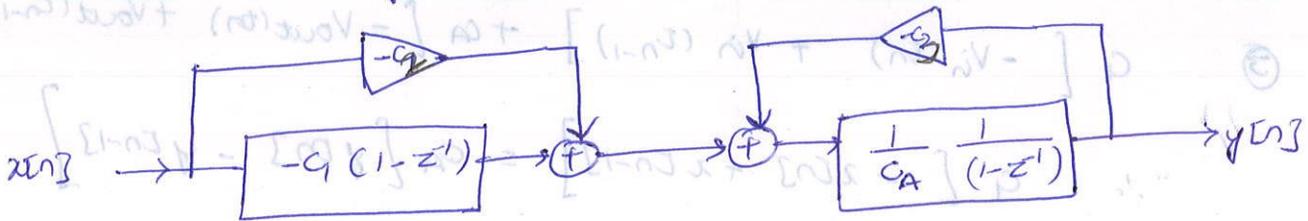
$$\Rightarrow Y(z) = \frac{-C_2 X(z)}{C_A (1-z^{-1})}$$

\therefore can rewrite ④ as





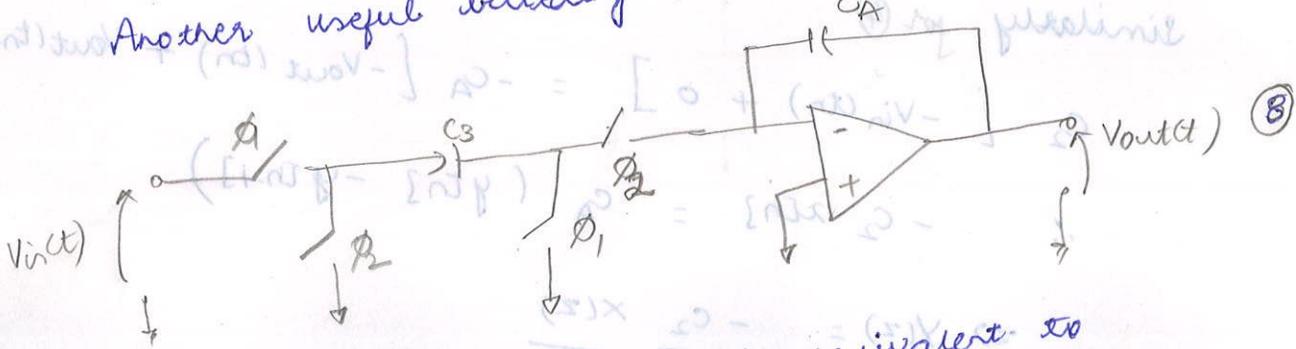
Using equivalence of (3), (5) and (7), (8) and using superposition (linear in D.T.), can immediately write (7) as:



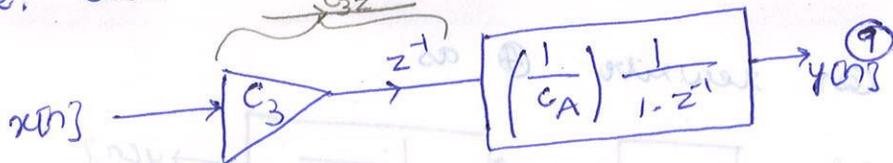
MGF $\Rightarrow H(z) = \frac{g_1 + g_2}{g_3 + g_A} \left[\frac{1 - \frac{C_1}{g_1 + g_2} z^{-1}}{1 - \frac{C_A}{g_3 + g_A} z^{-1}} \right]$ as expected

\Rightarrow have building blocks (3), (4) that result in fundamental DSP blocks (5), (6)

Another useful building block is:



Exercise: Show that (8) is equivalent to



Non-Inv integrator w/ a delay

Biquad Synthesis:

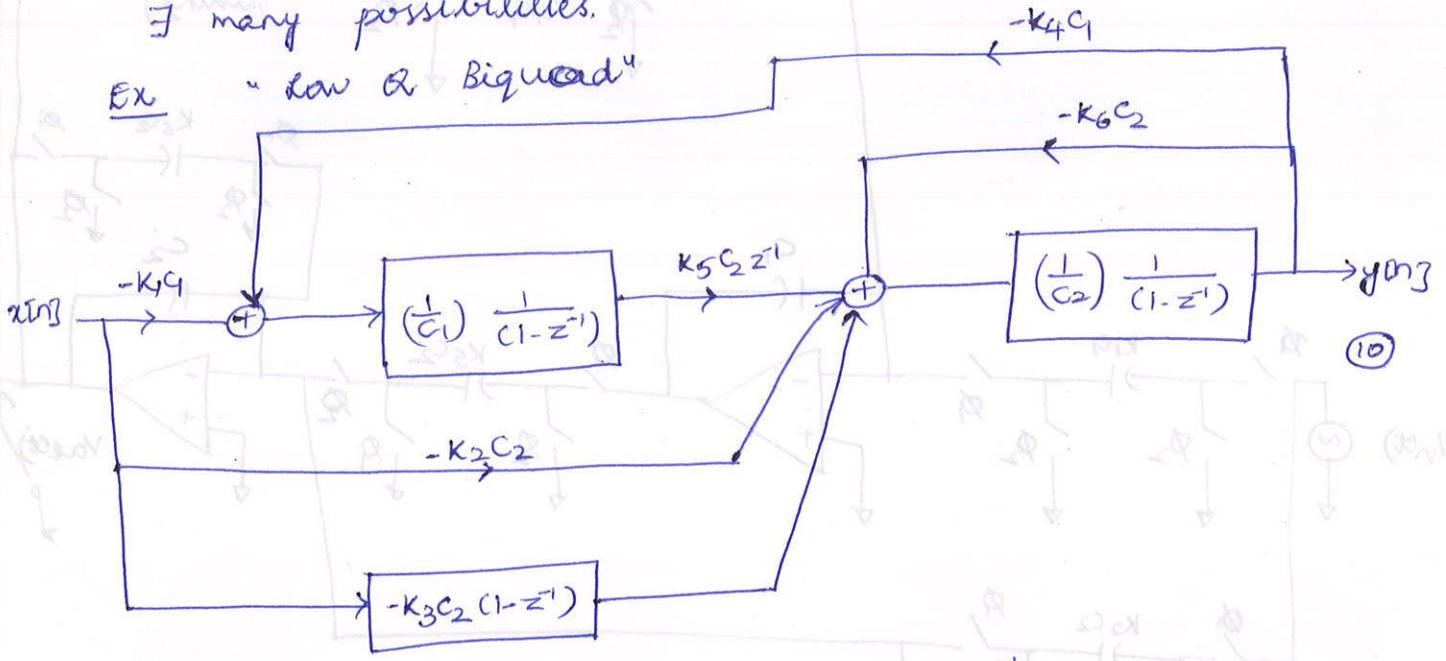
Goal: Use ⑤, ⑥, ⑨ & MGF to derive block diagram

w/ $H(z) = ②$ (2-zeros, 2-poles)

Then use ③, ④, ⑧ equivalences to find s-c circuit.

∃ many possibilities.

Ex - Low Q Biquad



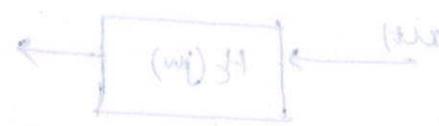
$L_1 : \frac{-K_6}{1-z^{-1}} ; L_2 : \frac{-K_4 K_5 z^{-1}}{(1-z^{-1})^2}$
 $P_1 : \frac{-K_1 K_5 z^{-1}}{(1-z^{-1})^2} ; P_2 : \frac{-K_2}{1-z^{-1}} ; P_3 : -K_3$

∴ $\Delta = 1 + \frac{K_6}{1-z^{-1}} + \frac{K_4 K_5 z^{-1}}{(1-z^{-1})^2}$

∴ $H(z) = \frac{-K_1 K_5 z^{-1}}{(1-z^{-1})^2} + \frac{-K_2}{1-z^{-1}} - K_3$

$\frac{-K_1 K_5 z^{-1}}{(1-z^{-1})^2} + \frac{K_4 K_5 z^{-1}}{(1-z^{-1})^2}$

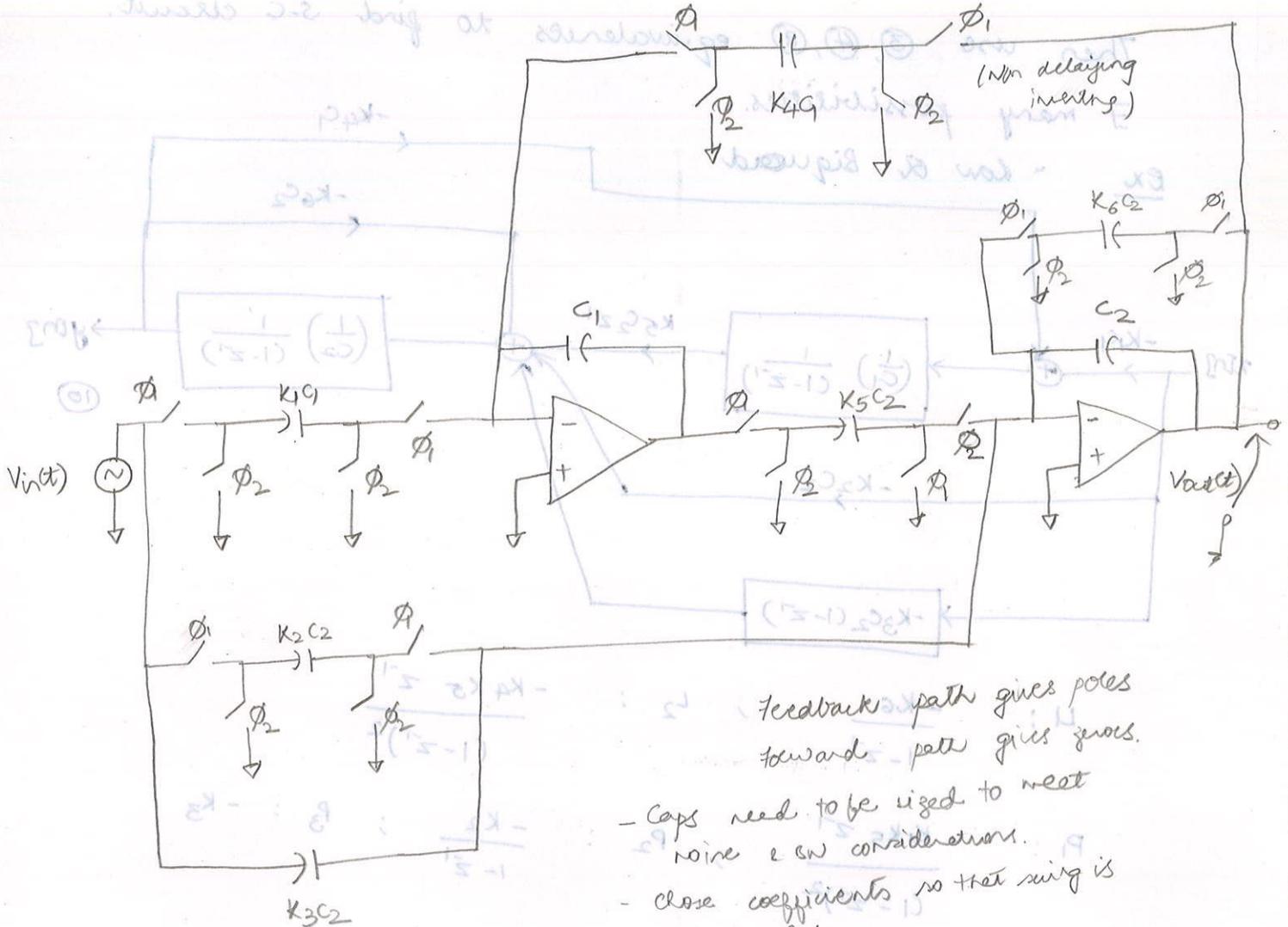
(All forward paths touch both loops & both loops touch each other.)



$$H(z) = \frac{-k_2 - k_3 + (k_2 + 2k_3 - k_4 k_5) z^{-1} - k_3 z^{-2}}{1 + k_6 z^{-1} + (k_4 k_5 - k_6 - 2) z^{-2} + z^{-2}}$$

(has form of ②)

Using ③, ④ & ⑧, s-c equivalent circuit is:

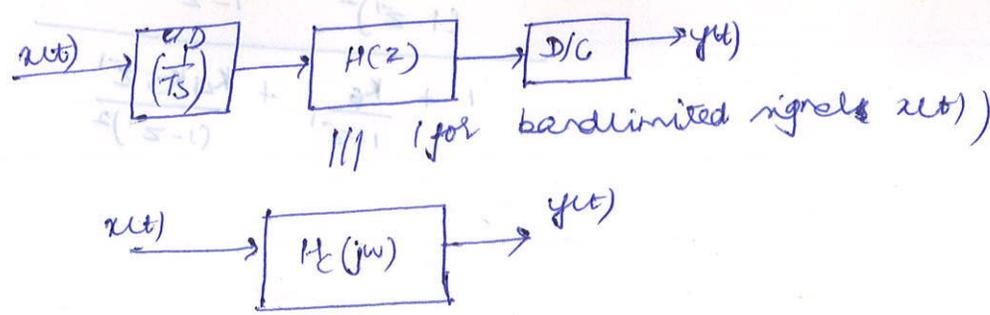


Feedback path gives poles
forward path gives zeros.

- Caps need to be sized to meet noise & BW considerations.
- close coefficients so that ring is not too Rpt.

Why low-Q?

$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{-k_4 k_5 + 2j k_2 \sin(\frac{\omega}{2}) e^{j\frac{\omega}{2}} - 4k_3 \sin^2(\frac{\omega}{2})}{k_4 k_5 + 2j k_6 \sin(\frac{\omega}{2}) e^{j\frac{\omega}{2}} - 4 \sin^2 \frac{\omega}{2}} \quad (11)$$



Recall

where $H_c(j\omega) = H(e^{j\omega T_s})$ ($|\omega| < \pi/T_s$)

Often $f_s = \frac{1}{T_s} \gg$ magnitudes of poles, zeros of $H_c(j\omega)$

\therefore for ω of interest, $\omega T_s \ll \pi$ (12)

(11), (12) $\Rightarrow H_c(j\omega) \approx \frac{K_1 K_5 + j K_2 (\omega T_s) - K_3 (\omega T_s)^2}{K_4 K_5 + j K_6 (\omega T_s) - (\omega T_s)^2}$ (13)

Denominator of (13) = $T_s^2 \left(\frac{K_4 K_5}{T_s^2} + j \left(\frac{K_6}{T_s} \right) \omega - \omega^2 \right)$
 $= T_s^2 \left(\omega_0^2 + j \left(\frac{\omega_0}{Q} \right) \omega - \omega^2 \right)$

where $Q =$ Quality Factor of Poles

$\omega_0 =$ pole freq.

Could chose $K_4 \approx K_5 \approx \omega_0 T_s$

$\omega_0 = \frac{\sqrt{K_4 K_5}}{T_s}$

but must have $K_6 \approx \frac{\omega_0 T_s}{Q}$

$\frac{K_6}{T_s} = \frac{\sqrt{K_4 K_5}}{T_s} \frac{1}{Q}$

Accurate placement of poles \Rightarrow ratios of caps $Q = \frac{\sqrt{K_4 K_5}}{K_6}$
 $C_1, C_2, K_4 C_1, K_5 C_2$ and $K_6 C_2$ must be accurate.

Get best cap matching when we have similar sizes.

For $Q \leq 1$ cap spread $\approx \frac{1}{\omega_0 T_s}$ (largest/smallest) (Recall $\omega_0 T_s \ll \pi$ so $\omega_0 T_s < 1$)
 $Q \geq 1$ Cap spread $\approx \frac{Q}{\omega_0 T_s}$

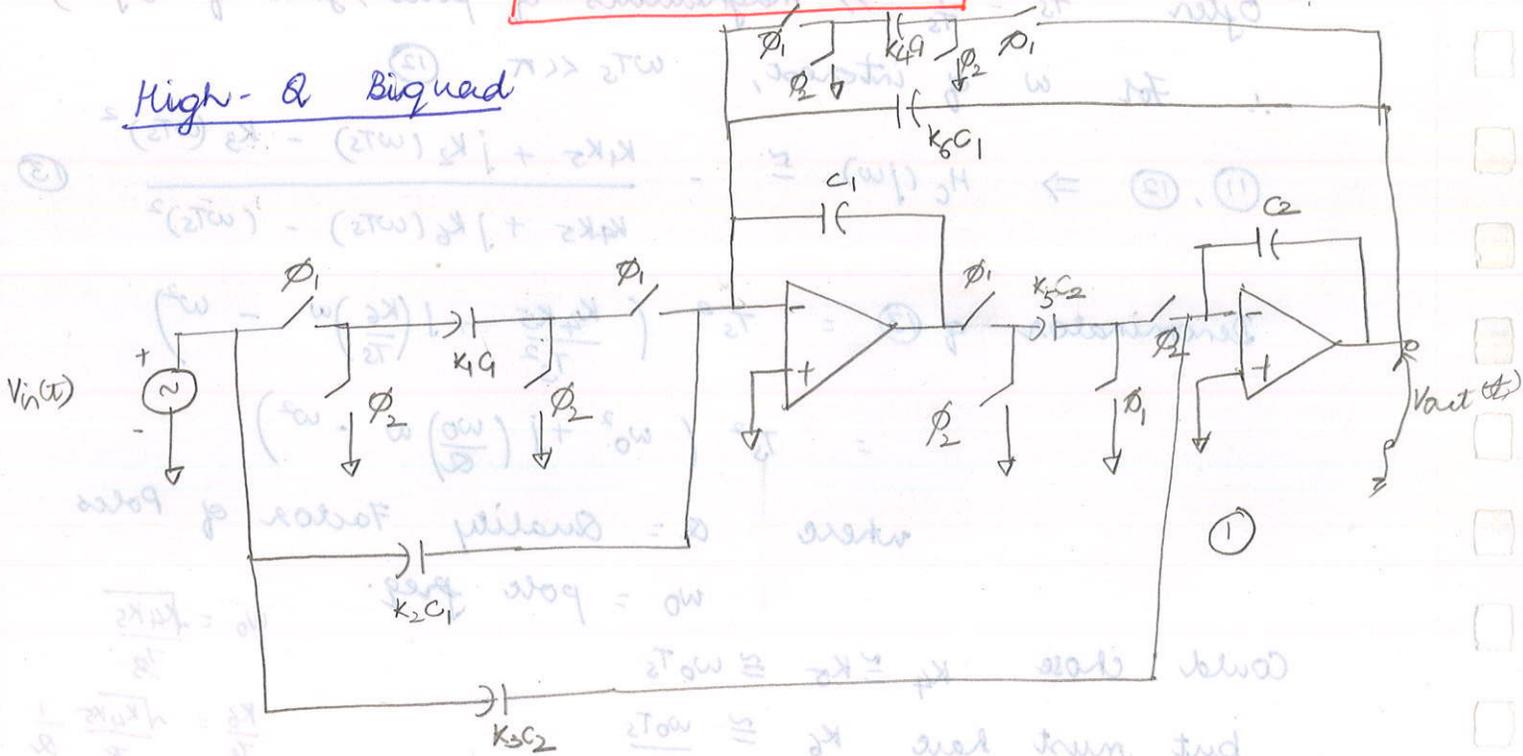
\Rightarrow Matching becomes poor for high Q .

(14) $\frac{1 + (K_4 K_5 - 1) + j(K_6 - K_4 K_5) + (K_3 - K_4 K_5) + (K_4 K_5 - 1) + (K_6 - K_4 K_5) + (K_3 - K_4 K_5)}{1 + (K_4 K_5 - 1) + j(K_6 - K_4 K_5) + (K_3 - K_4 K_5)}$

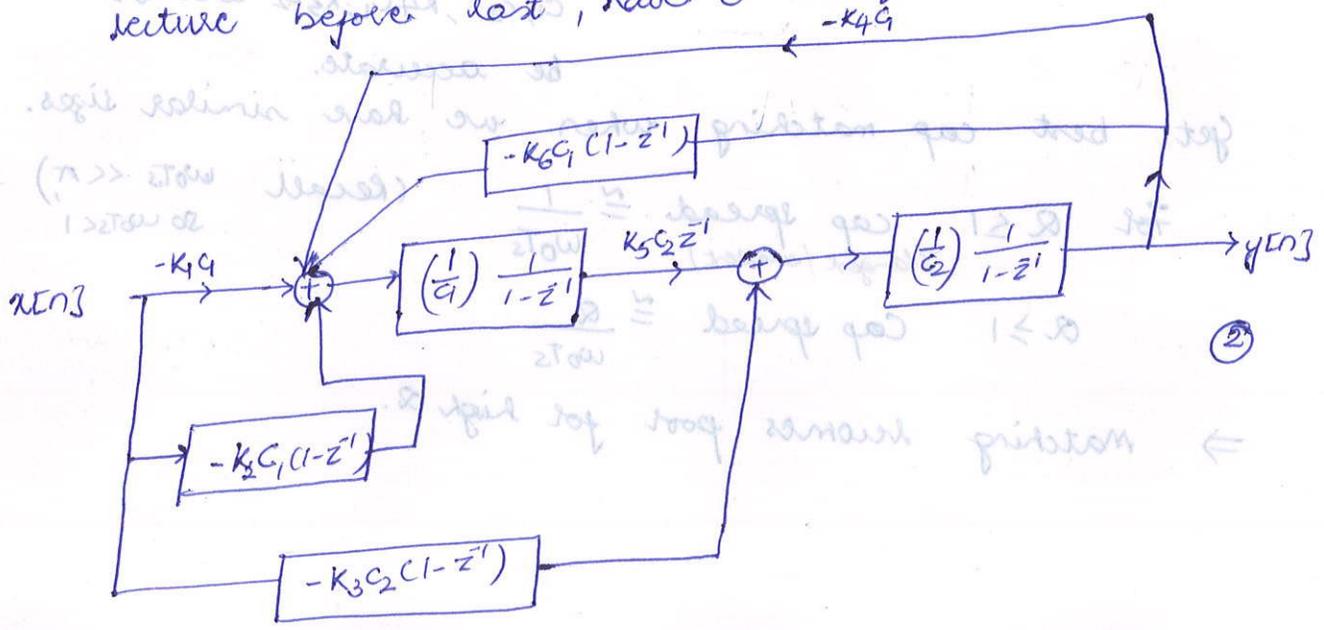
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SW CAP NOISE ANALYSIS - 9WAZ

High-Q Biquad



Using ③ ≡ ⑤, ④ ≡ ⑥, and ⑧ ≡ ⑨ equivalences from lecture before last, have ① is equivalent to:



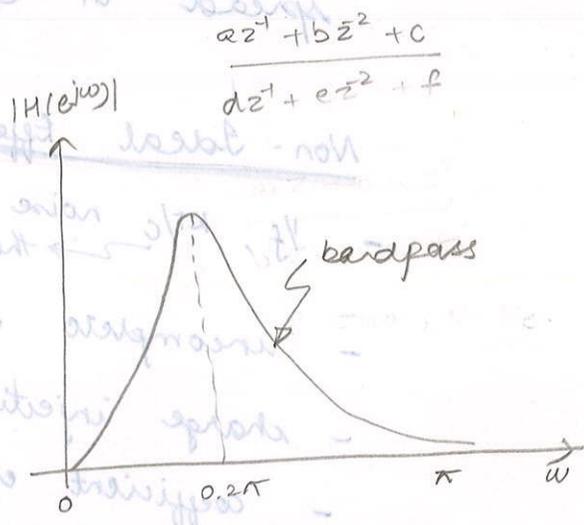
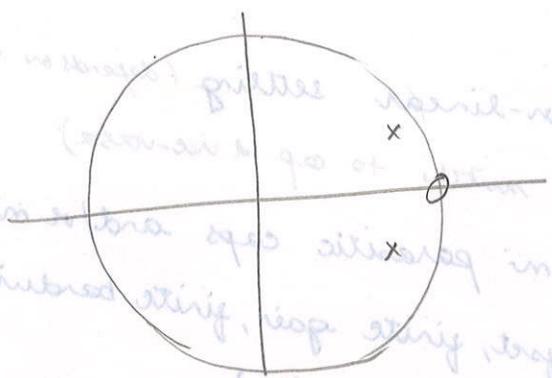
MGF $\Rightarrow H(z) = \frac{K_3 + (K_4K_5 + K_2K_5 - 2K_3)z^{-1} + (K_3 - K_2K_5)z^{-2}}{1 + (K_4K_5 + K_5K_6 - 2)z^{-1} + (1 - K_5K_6)z^{-2}}$ ③

Exercise: Using approx analysis similar to that for the low-Q biqued, show that this version has lower cap spread for $Q > 1$

Ex: $H(z) = \frac{0.288(1-z^{-1})z^{-1}}{1 - (1.572)z^{-1} + (0.9429)z^{-2}}$

Poles: $z_1, z_2 = \frac{1.572 \pm \sqrt{1.572^2 - 4(0.9429)}}{2}$
 $= 0.786 \pm j(0.570)$
 $= 0.971 e^{\pm j(0.2\pi)}$

Zero: $z_3 = 1$

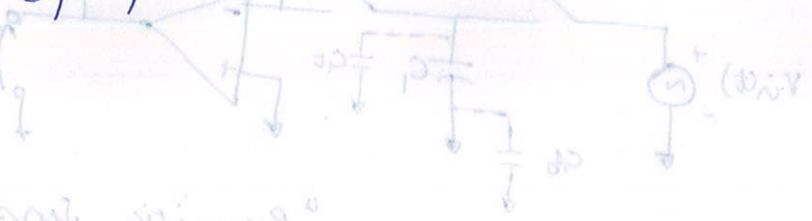


Can show: corresponding $H_c(j\omega)$ has $Q \cong 10$

③ $\Rightarrow K_4 = K_5 = 0.6090, K_3 = 0$
 $K_1 = 0$
 $K_2 = 0.4729, K_6 = 0.0938$

(can build switches w/ this anyway but not works)

w/ $C_1 = C_2$ chosen, cap spread is $\cong 11$ to 1
 Exercise: Show cap spread $\cong 17$ to 1 for "low-Q" biqued.



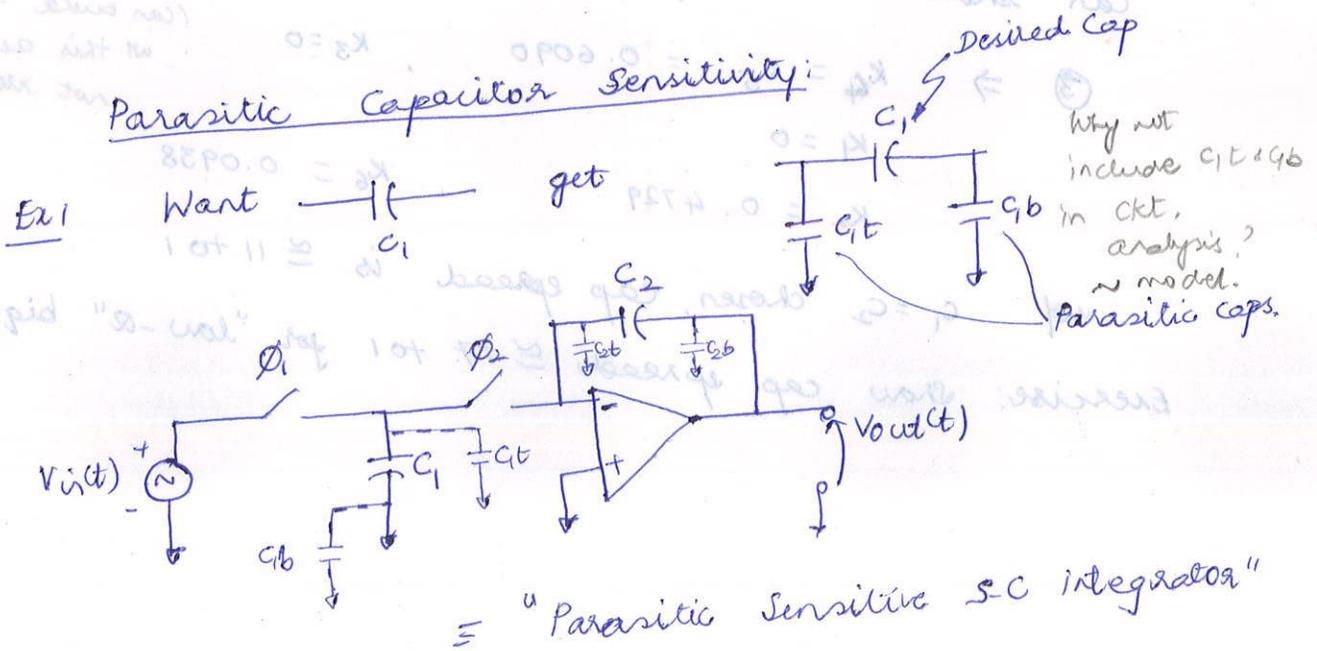
Observations: (both biquads)

- 1) Have 6 constants, K_1, K_2, \dots, K_6 but only need 5 coefficients.
 - ↳ Can use extra degree of freedom to control signal swing at internal nodes.
- 2) "Low-Q" versus "High-Q" are guidelines (approx. valid). In practice, try both to verify min. spread in each case.

Non-Ideal Effects in S-C circuits:

- $1/f$, KT/C noise \rightarrow thermal
- incomplete linear/non-linear settling (depends on op-amp IC)
- charge injection (from switch to op & vice-versa)
- coefficient errors from parasitic caps and/or mismatches.
- op-amp errors (offset, finite gain, finite bandwidth, SR limiting etc.)

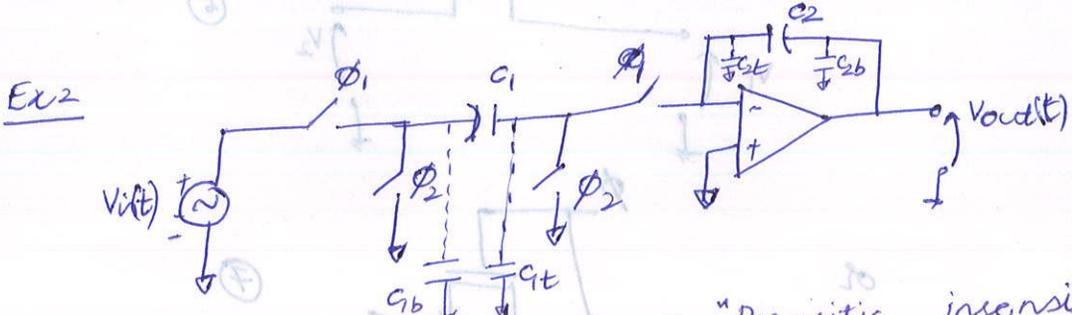
Parasitic Capacitor Sensitivity:



C_{1b} shorted to ground
 C_{2t} " " " virtual ground
 C_{2b} connected to opamp output
 } no significant effect on transfer fn (if C_{2t} is really large, PM is bad, op-amp)

But C_{1t} adds directly to C_1 .

Exercise: Show $H(z) = - \left(\frac{C_1 + C_{1t}}{C_2} \right) \frac{z^{-1}}{1 - z^{-1}}$ (including parasitic capacitors)



stop noise? = "Parasitic insensitive inverting integrator"

Neglecting parasitic caps, we've seen

$$H(z) = - \left(\frac{C_1}{C_2} \right) \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} \quad (4)$$

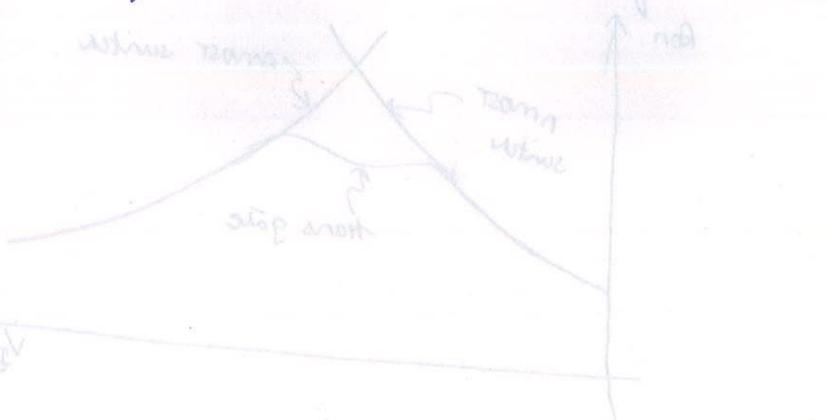
Exercise: Show (4) holds even w/ parasitic caps.

Reasoning: C_{2t} and C_{2b} same as previous.

C_{1t} always set to ground or virtual ground.

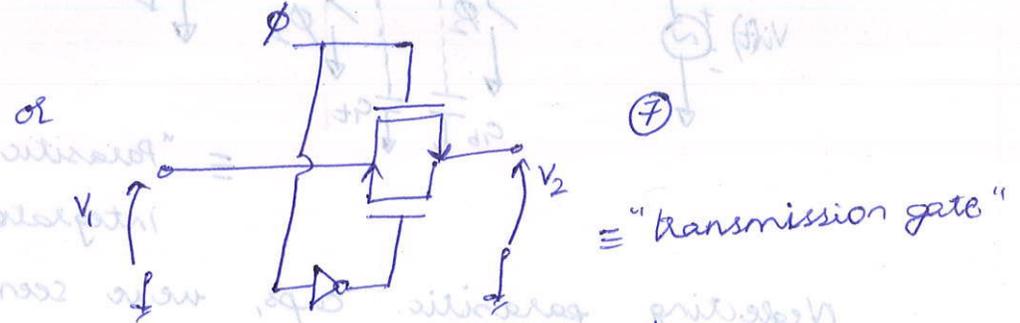
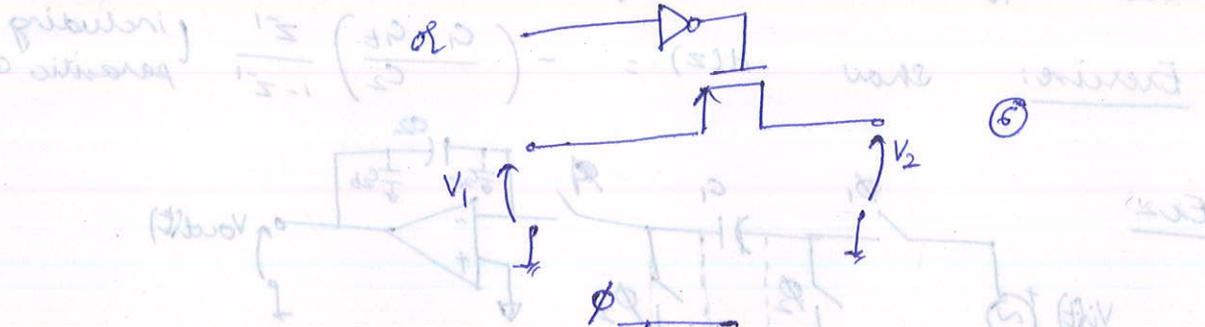
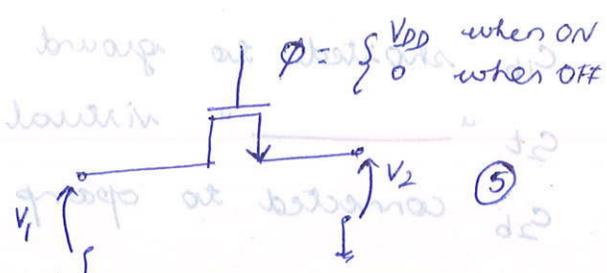
charge on C_{1b} never gets transferred to C_2 .

Similar results for non-inverting integrator with delay from before.



Switch Resistance:

Switch implementations



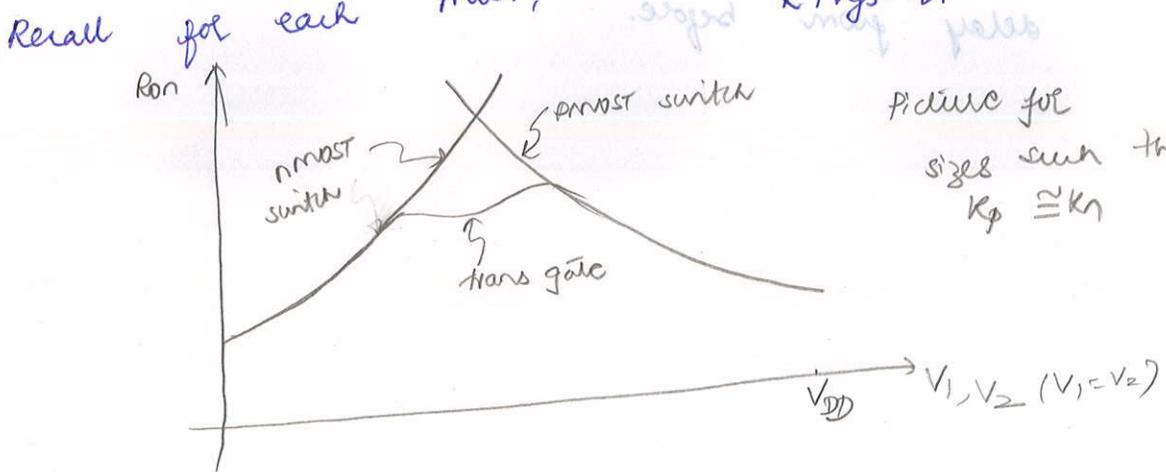
(or "bootstrapped" w/ circuitry to make $V_{GS} = \text{const. when ON}$)

Goal: Want MOST in triode when $\phi = 0$ and OFF when $\phi = 0$

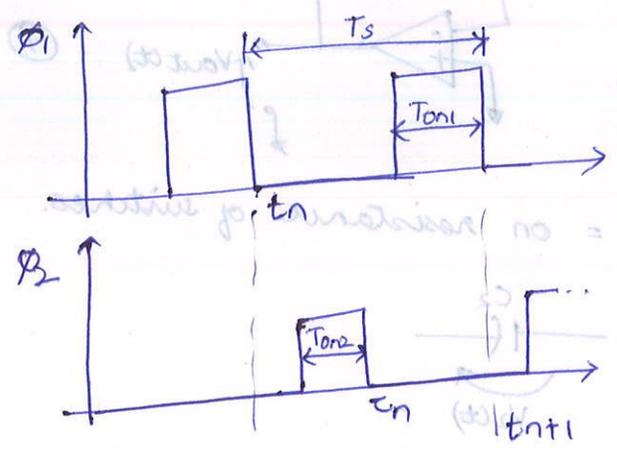
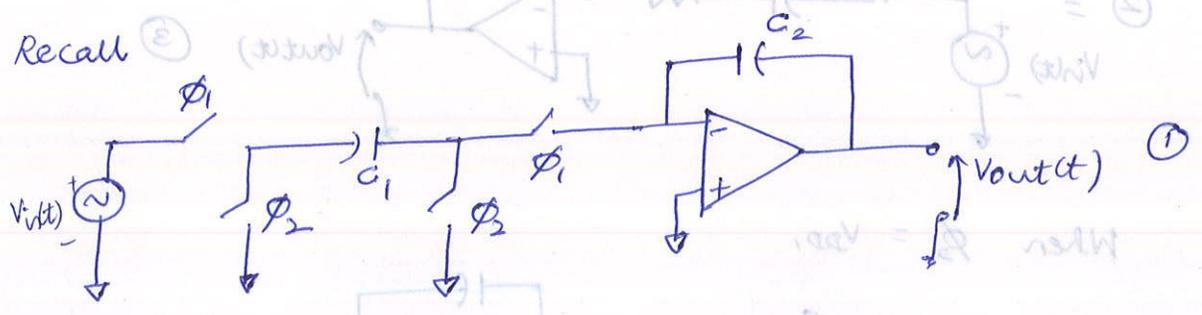
⑤ only useful as a switch if $V_{DD} > \max(V_1 + V_{tn}, V_2 + V_{tn})$
 " " " " " $0 < \min(V_1 - |V_{tp}|, V_2 - |V_{tp}|)$

⑥ " " " " " for all $0 \leq V_1, V_2 \leq V_{DD}$

⑦ useful " " " " " $R_{on} = \frac{1}{k|V_{GS} - V_t|}$



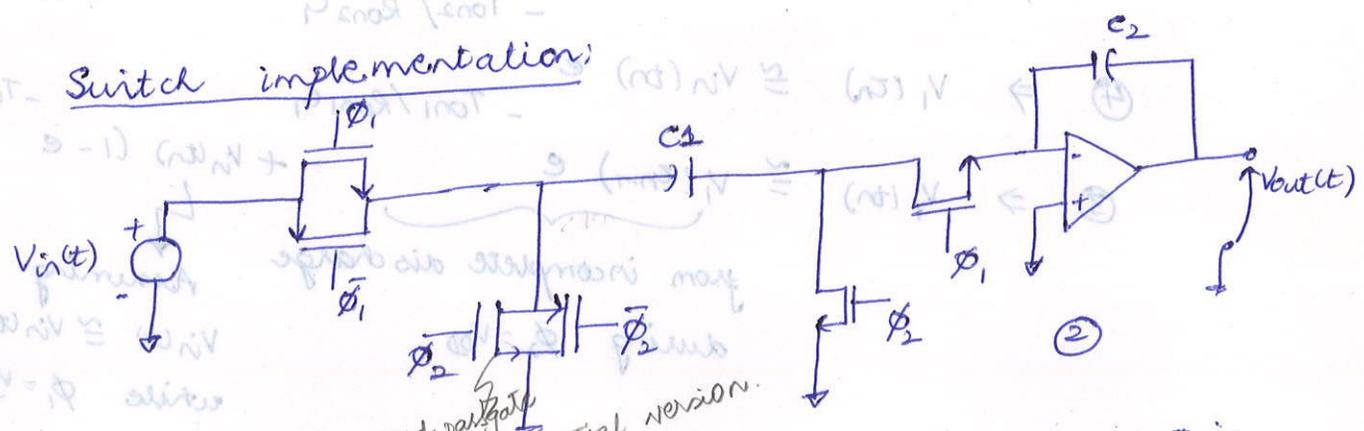
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$x[n] \equiv V_{in}(nT_s)$
 $y[n] \equiv V_{out}(nT_s)$

Know: Ideal components $\Rightarrow H(z) = -\left(\frac{C_1}{C_2}\right) \frac{1}{1-z^{-1}}$

Switch implementation:

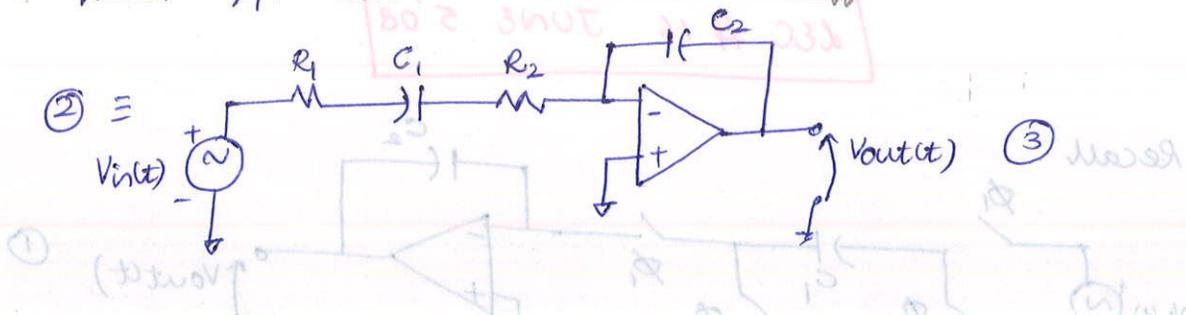


Note: Transmission gates only necessary for certain switches. Why?

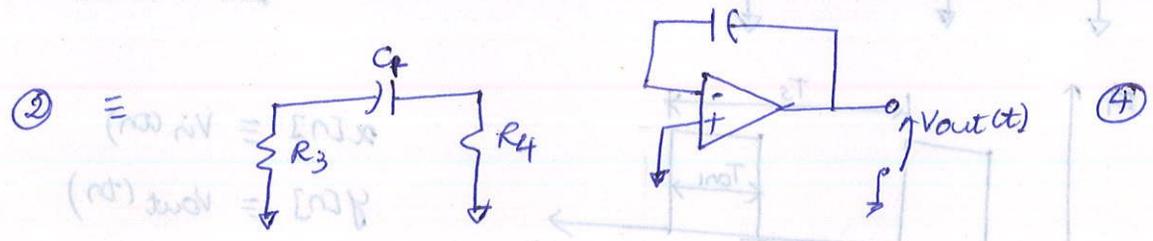
where $\phi_k \rightarrow \text{inverter} \rightarrow \bar{\phi}_k \quad k=1,2$

$$0 = [(1-z^{-1}) V_{in}(z) - (1-z^{-1}) V_{out}(z)] + [(1-z^{-1}) V_{out}(z) - (1-z^{-1}) V_{out}(z)]$$

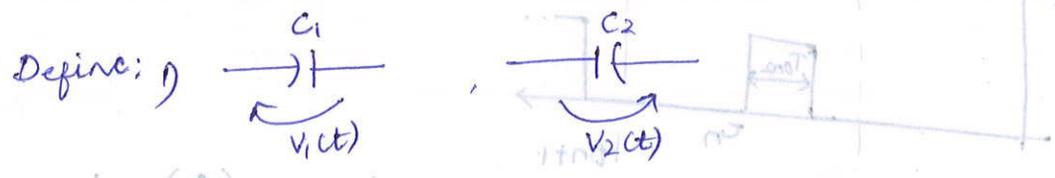
When $\phi_1 = V_{DD}$, (Note that R_{off} is still ∞)



When $\phi_2 = V_{DD}$,



where R_1, R_2, \dots, R_4 = on resistance of switches.



Define: $\tau_1 = \frac{C_1}{R_1 + R_2}$, $\tau_2 = \frac{C_2}{R_3 + R_4}$

④ $\Rightarrow V_1(t_n) \cong V_{in}(t_n) e^{-t_{on1}/\tau_1} + V_{in}(t_n) (1 - e^{-t_{on1}/\tau_1})$

③ $\Rightarrow V_1(t_n) \cong V_1(t_{n-1}) e^{-t_{on2}/\tau_2} + V_{in}(t_n) (1 - e^{-t_{on2}/\tau_2})$
 from incomplete discharge during $\phi_2 = V_{DD}$
 Assuming $V_{in}(t_n) \cong V_{in}(t_{n-1})$ while $\phi_1 = V_{DD}$.

$= V_{in}(t_{n-1}) e^{-t_{on2}/\tau_2} e^{-t_{on1}/\tau_1} + V_{in}(t_n) (1 - e^{-t_{on2}/\tau_2})$
 Very small \Rightarrow usually can neglect.

$C_1 [V_1(t_n) - V_1(t_{n-1})] + C_2 [V_2(t_n) - V_2(t_{n-1})] = 0$
 $\therefore C_1 \left[\underbrace{V_{in}(t_n)}_{\alpha(t_n)} (1 - e^{-t_{on1}/\tau_1}) \right] - \left[\underbrace{V_{in}(t_{n-1})}_{\alpha(t_{n-1})} e^{-t_{on1}/\tau_1} \right] - \left[\underbrace{V_{in}(t_n)}_{\beta(t_n)} (1 - e^{-t_{on2}/\tau_2}) \right] = 0$
 $\cong C_2 (\beta(t_n) - \beta(t_{n-1}))$

$$\therefore H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = - \left(\frac{c_1}{c_2} \right) \frac{\alpha - \beta z^{-1}}{1 - z^{-1}}$$

\Rightarrow Even by adding exponential settling systems, keeps it linear.

$$= - \left(\frac{c_1}{c_2} \right) \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} \quad \text{as } T_{01,2} \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\text{or } R_{01,2} \rightarrow 0$$

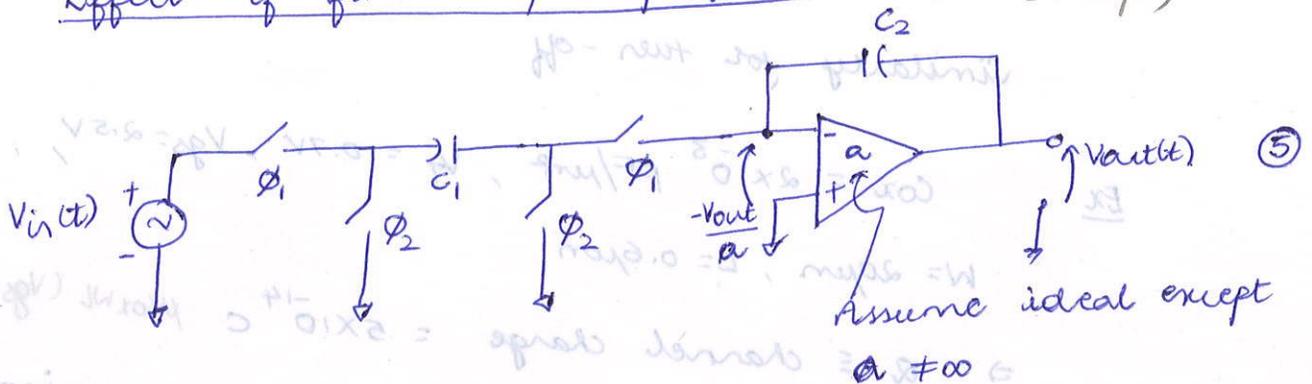
Observations:

1) Linear settling \Rightarrow linear error in transfer function (addition of a zero)

2) But R_{01}, R_{02} are non-linear functions of voltage, \Rightarrow don't have linear settling in reality but can get close (e.g. using "boot-strapping" techniques)

Effect of finite Op Amp Gain:

(slow rate limiting sw caps)



$$c_1 \left[V_{in}(t_n) + \frac{1}{a} V_{out}(t_n) \right] + c_2 \left[V_{out}(t_n) + \frac{V_{out}(t_{n-1})}{a} \right] = 0$$

What if a is not const. response but has freq. response?

$$\Rightarrow H(z) = - \left(\frac{c_1}{c_2} \right) \frac{\gamma}{1 - \left(1 + \frac{1}{a}\right) \gamma z^{-1}}$$

where $\gamma = \left[1 + \frac{1 + c_1/c_2}{a} \right]^{-1}$

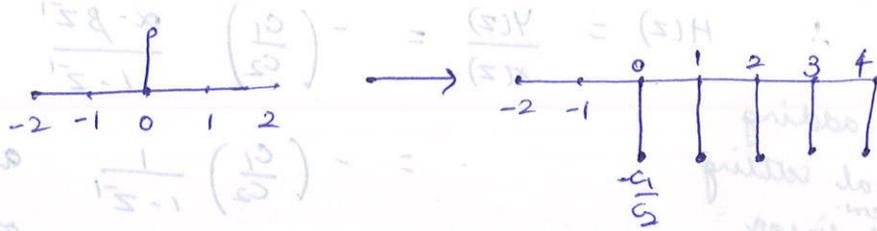
Pole: $z_p = \left(1 + \frac{1}{a}\right) \gamma$

⑥ $\Rightarrow \gamma < \left(1 + \frac{1}{a}\right)^{-1} \Rightarrow |z_p| < 1$ for $a < \infty$ (> 0)

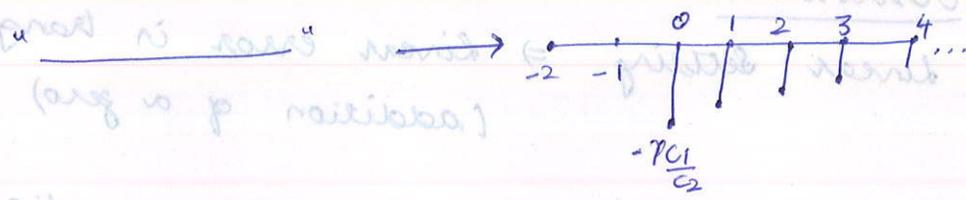
\Rightarrow have "leaky integrator"

Idea

Ideal



Leaky



Charge Injection:

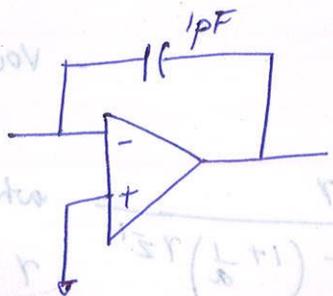
When MOSTs used as S-C switches:

turn-on \Rightarrow terminals must supply channel charge and parasitic cap charges

Similarly for turn-off

Ex $C_{ox} = 2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ PF}/\mu\text{m}^2$, $V_T = 0.7\text{V}$, $V_{gs} = 2.5\text{V}$,
 $W = 20\mu\text{m}$, $L = 0.6\mu\text{m}$
 $\Rightarrow Q \approx \text{channel charge} = 5 \times 10^{-14} \text{ C}$ $\mu\text{CoxWL}(V_{gs}-V_T)$

If half this charge gets dumped into summing node

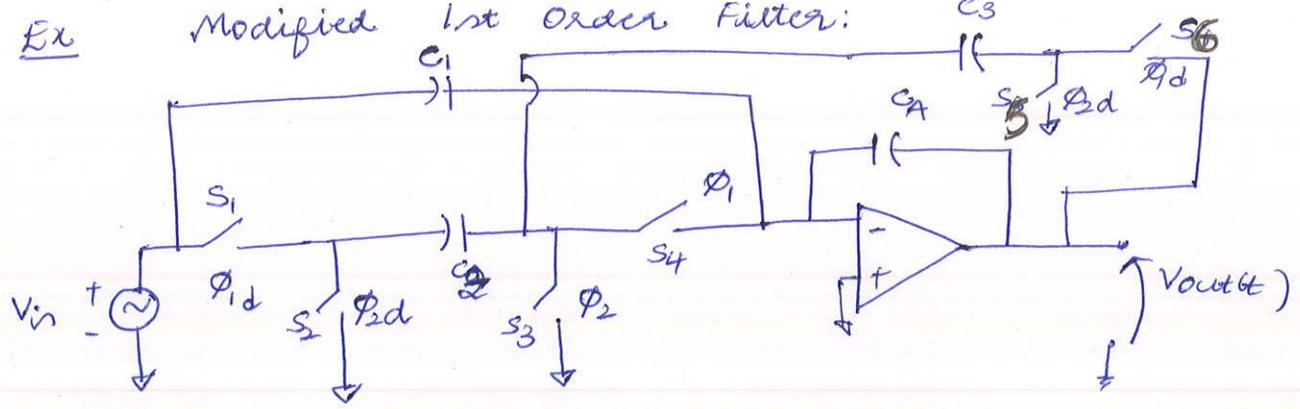


\Rightarrow resulting error in V_{out} is $\frac{1}{2} \frac{(5 \cdot 10^{-14} \text{ C})}{(1 \cdot 10^{-13} \text{ F})} \approx 25 \text{ mV}$

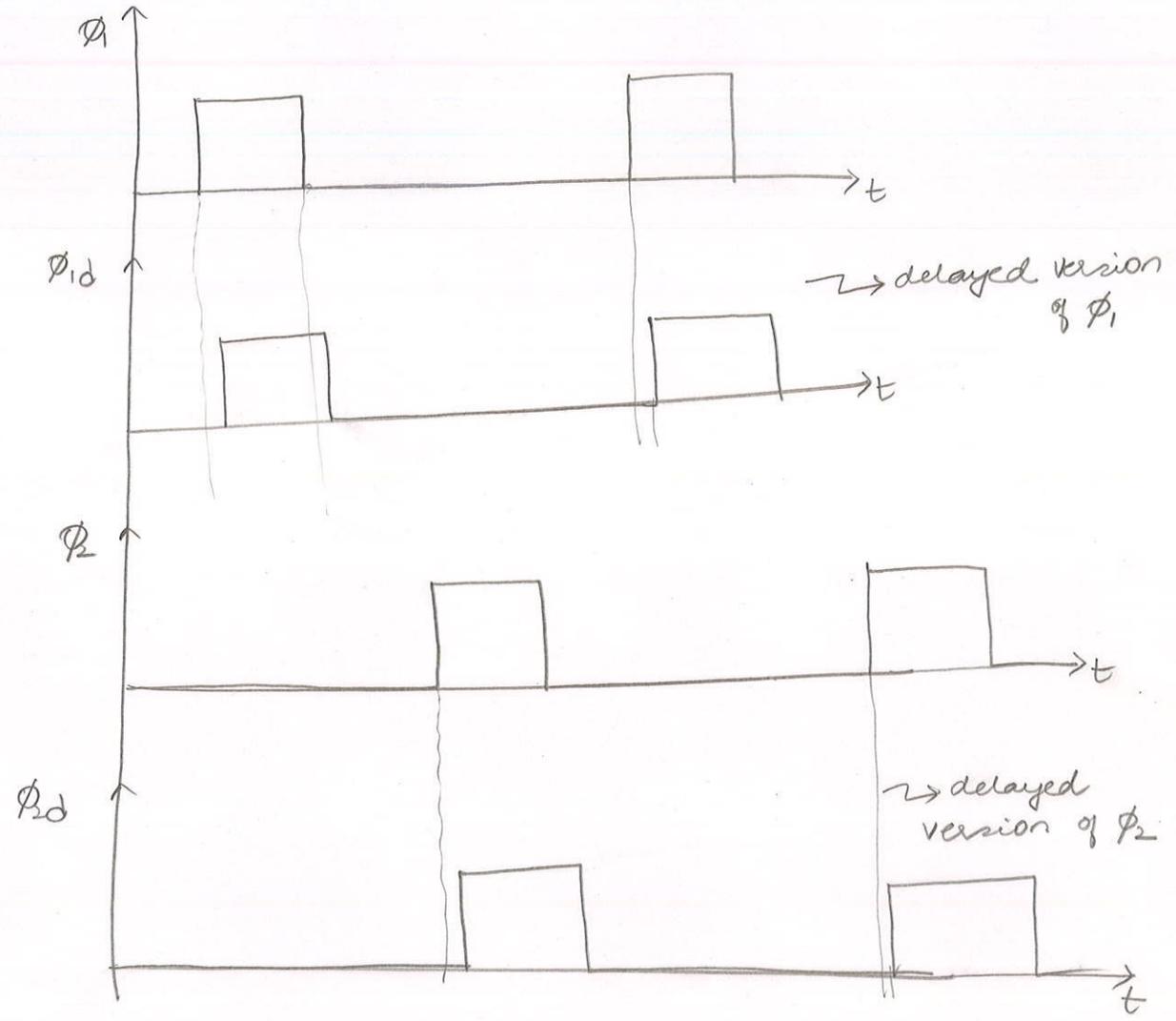
10¹²?

Ex

Modified 1st Order Filter:



where



Idea: Open S_4 before S_1, S_6
 Open S_3 before S_2, S_5

Why? S & D of MOST used for S_3 (S_4) are always @ SS ground

open, top plates of C_2, C_3 are tied \Rightarrow charge injected is indep of signal. One S_3 & S_4 are
 When S_1 and S_6 are opened, have signal dependent charge injection, but error is quickly eliminated because of low impedances @ i/p and o/p.

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