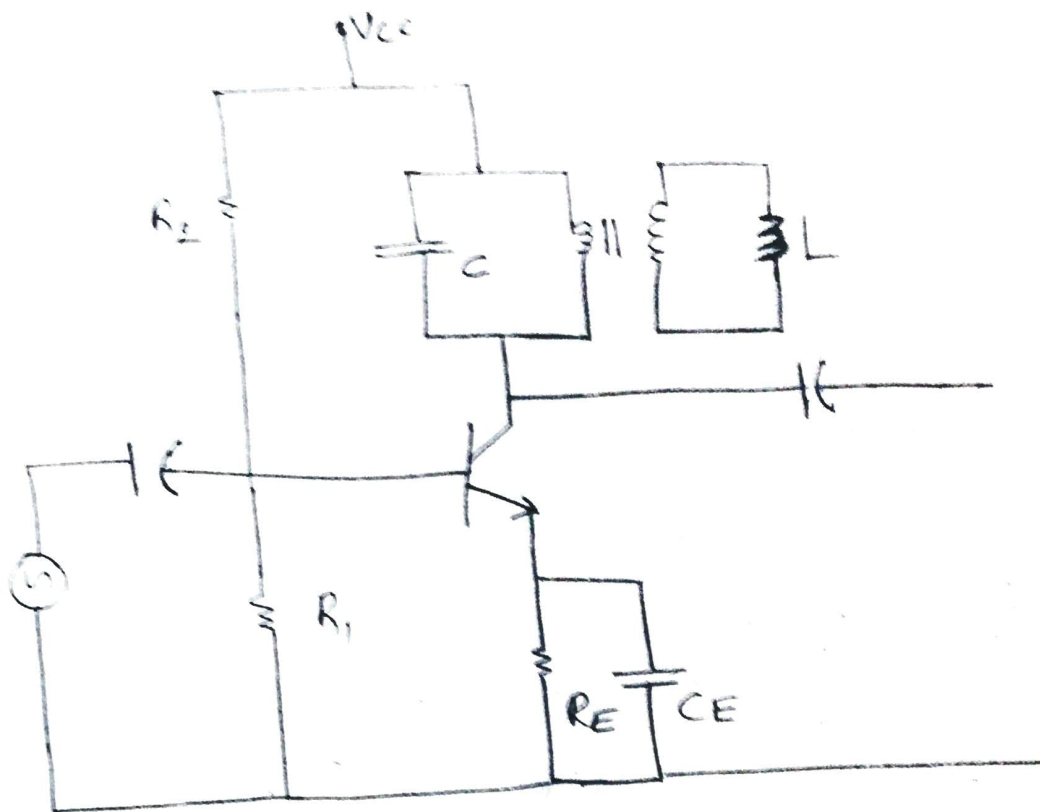


## Inductor Coupled Single Tuned Amplifier



NOTE 3dB Bandwidth of the inductively coupled single tuned amplifier is

$$BW = \frac{f_0}{Q_{eff}}$$

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Double tuned amplifier



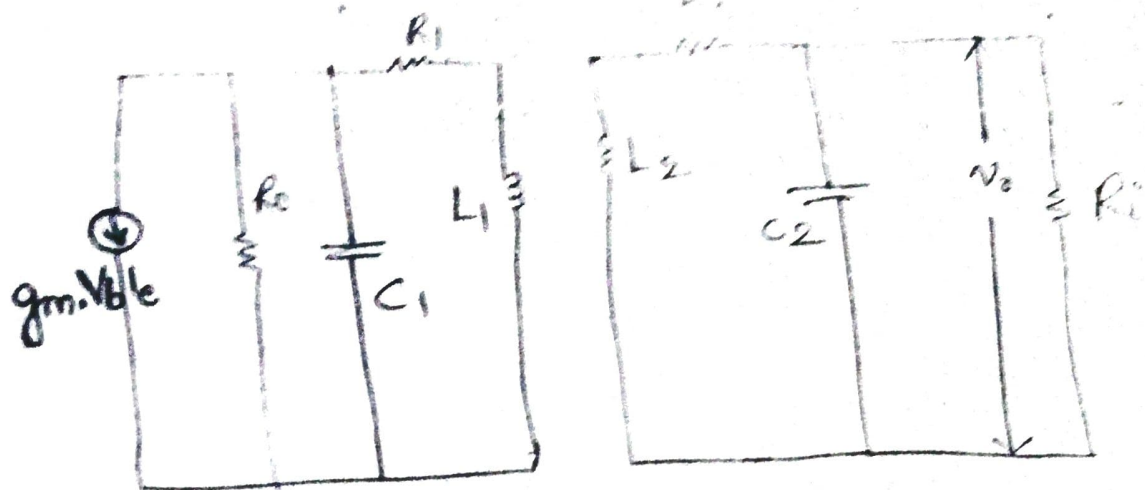
### Advantages:-

1. Possesses a flatter response having steeper sides.
2. Provides large 3dB BW
3. Provides large gain-BW product

Here, voltage developed across the tuned circuit is coupled inductively to another tuned circuit. Both tuned circuits are tuned to the same frequency.

### Analysis:

The following figure shows the equivalent circuit of coupling section of double tuned amplifier.



the transistor is replaced by current source with its output resistance  $R_o$ .  $C_1$  &  $L_1$  are the tank circuit components of the primary side, the resistance  $R_1$  is the series resistance of the inductance  $L_1$ . Similarly,  $C_2$  &  $L_2$  represents the another tank circuit and  $R_2$  represents the resistance of the inductance  $L_2$ . The resistance  $R_i$  represents the input resistance of the next stage.

### Effect of cascading single tuned amplifiers on Bandwidth

In order to obtain the high overall gain, several identical stages of tuned amplifiers can be used in cascade. When two or more identical stages

are cascaded. These stages are said to be synchronously tuned. In synchronously tuned amplifiers, each stage is tuned to same frequency; the overall gain is the product of the voltage gains of individual stages.

Consider 'n' stages of single tuned direct coupled amplifiers connected in cascade, we know that the relative gain of the single tuned amplifier can be written as

$$\left| \frac{-A_v}{-A_v(\omega)} \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + (2SQ_{eff})^2}}$$

The relative gain of 'n' stage cascaded amplifiers become

$$\left| \frac{-A_v}{-A_v(\omega)} \right|^n = \left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + (2SQ_{eff})^2}} \right|^n = \frac{1}{[1 + (2SQ_{eff})^2]^n}$$

$$= \frac{1}{[1 + (2SQ_{eff})^2]^{n/2}}$$



The 3dB frequency for  $n$  stage cascaded amplifier  
can be found by equating

$$\left| \frac{-A_v}{-A_v(\text{res})} \right|^n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\left| \frac{-A_v}{-A_v(\text{res})} \right| = \frac{1}{[1 + (2\delta Q_{\text{eff}})^2]^{n/2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$[1 + (2\delta Q_{\text{eff}})^2]^{n/2} = 2^{1/2}$$

$$[1 + (2\delta Q_{\text{eff}})^2]^n = 2$$

$$2\delta Q_{\text{eff}} = \pm \sqrt{2^{1/n} - 1}$$

Substituting for  $\delta$ , the fractional frequency  
variation i.e.  $\delta = \frac{\omega - \omega_r}{\omega_r} = \frac{f - f_r}{f_r}$

$$2 \left( \frac{f - f_r}{f_r} \right) Q_{\text{eff}} = \pm \sqrt{2^{1/n} - 1}$$

$$2(f - f_r) Q_{\text{eff}} = \pm f_r \sqrt{2^{1/n} - 1}$$

$$\therefore f - f_r = \pm \frac{f_r}{2Q_{\text{eff}}} \sqrt{2^{1/n} - 1}$$

Let us assume, lower & upper side frequency  
be  $f_1$  &  $f_2$ .

$$\therefore f_2 - f_c = + \frac{f_c}{2Q_{eff}} \sqrt{2^{4n} - 1}$$

$$\therefore f_c - f_1 = + \frac{f_c}{2Q_{eff}} \sqrt{2^{4n} - 1}$$

The bandwidth of 'n' stage identical  
amplifier is given as \*

$$\begin{aligned} BW_n &= f_2 - f_1 = (f_2 - f_c) + (f_c - f_1) \\ &= \frac{f_c}{2Q_{eff}} \sqrt{2^{4n} - 1} + \frac{f_c}{2Q_{eff}} \sqrt{2^{4n} - 1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{2 f_c}{2Q_{eff}} \sqrt{2^{4n} - 1} = \left( \frac{f_c}{Q_{eff}} \right) \sqrt{2^{4n} - 1}$$

$$\boxed{BW_n = BW_1 \sqrt{2^{4n} - 1}}$$

$BW_1$  is the B.W of the single stage and  
 $BW_n$  is the Bandwidth of 'n' stages.

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The BW for single-tuned amplifier is 20 KHz. Calculate the bandwidth if such 3 stages are cascaded. Also calculate the BW for 4 stages.

$$BW_3 = 20 \text{ KHz} \sqrt{\frac{2^{1/3} - 1}{2^{1/3} - 1}} = 10.1 \text{ KHz}$$

$$BW_4 = 20 \text{ KHz} \sqrt{\frac{2^{1/4} - 1}{2^{1/4} - 1}} = 8.7 \text{ KHz}$$

$$BW_n = BW_1 \sqrt{\frac{2^{1/n} - 1}{2^{1/n} - 1}} \text{ for } n \text{ stages.}$$

The above example shows that bandwidth decreases as number of stages increases.

Effect of cascading Double Tuned Amplifiers

on Bandwidth

For ~~the~~  $(n)$  identical stages of double tuned amplifiers, the 3dB bandwidth can be written as

$$BW_n = BW_1 (2^{1/n} - 1)^{1/4}$$

$$BW_n = \Delta_2 (2^{1/n} - 1)^{1/4}$$

where  $\Delta_2$  is the 3dB bandwidth of single stage double tuned amplifier.

Bandwidth for double tuned amplifier is calculated  
the bandwidth if such 2 stages are cascaded.

Ex)  $BW_B = 20 \text{ KHz} (2^{1/3} - 1)^{1/4} = 14.24 \text{ KHz}$

### Staggered Tuned Amplifiers

In this case, tuned circuit of ~~each case~~ each stage is tuned to different frequencies.

### Analysis

We know that, gain of the single tuned amplifier is

$$\left| \frac{A_v}{-A_v(\text{res})} \right| = \left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + (Q_{\text{eff}} 2\delta)^2}} \right|$$

(or)

$$\frac{-A_v}{-A_v(\text{res})} = \frac{1}{1 + j 2 Q_{\text{eff}} \delta}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 + jX}, \text{ where } X = 2Q_{\text{eff}} \delta$$

Since in staggered tuned amplifiers, the



Single tuned cascaded amplifier with separate resonant frequencies are used, we can assume that the 1 stage is tuned to the frequency  $f_r + \delta$  and other stage is tuned to the frequency  $f_r - \delta$ .

ie,  $f_{r1} = f_r + \delta$  &  $f_{r2} = f_r - \delta$

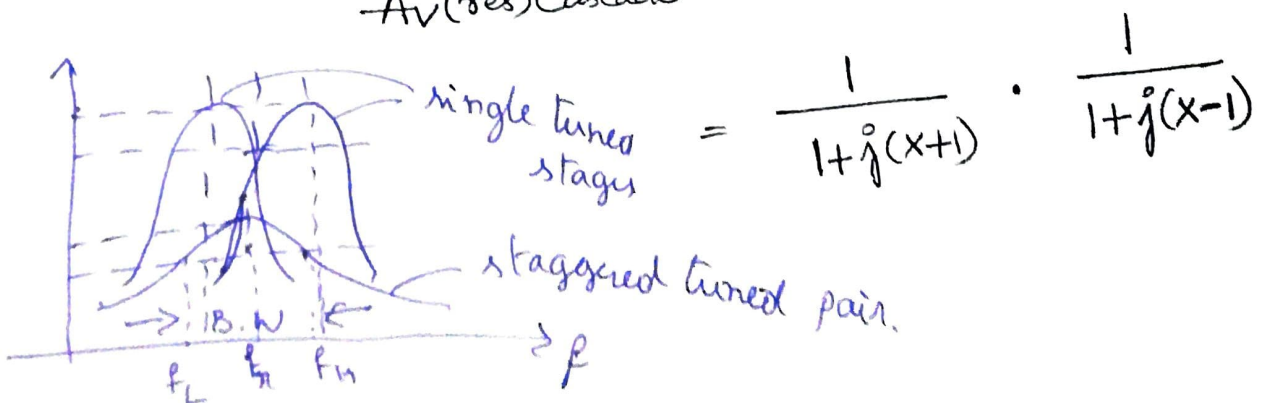
According to these tuned frequencies, the selectivity functions can be given as

$$\frac{-A_v}{-A_v(\text{res})_1} = \frac{1}{1 + j^2(x+1)}$$

$$\& \frac{-A_v}{-A_v(\text{res})_2} = \frac{1}{1 + j^2(x-1)}$$

The overall gain of these two stages is the product of individual gains of two stages i.e;

$$\therefore \frac{-A_v}{-A_v(\text{res})_{\text{Cascade}}} = \frac{-A_v}{-A_v(\text{res})_1} \times \frac{-A_v}{-A_v(\text{res})_2}$$



$$\frac{A_v}{A_v(\text{res})_{\text{cascade}}} = \frac{1}{s^2 + 2jX - X^2} \cdot \frac{1}{(2-X^2) + (2jX)}$$

$$\left| \frac{A_v}{A_v(\text{res})_{\text{cascade}}} \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2-X^2)^2 + (2X)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{4 - 4X^2 + X^4 + 4X^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{4 + X^4}}$$

Sub. value of  $X = 2Q_{\text{eff}}s$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{4 + (2Q_{\text{eff}}s)^4}}$$

$$\left| \frac{A_v}{A_v(\text{res})_{\text{cascade}}} \right| = \frac{1}{2 \sqrt{1 + 4Q_{\text{eff}}^4 s^4}}$$