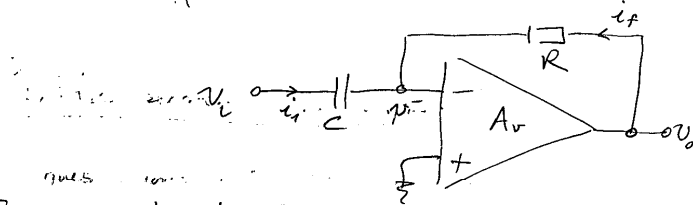


parasitic second order responses

What goes wrong with the differentiator?



Sum currents at  $v^-$  node

$$i_f + i_i = 0$$

$$\frac{v_o - v^-}{R} + \frac{v_i - v^-}{1/sC} = 0$$

gives, with rearrangement,  $v^- = \frac{v_i sCR + v_o}{1 + sCR}$

using the op-amp equation  $v_o = A_v(v^+ - v^-)$

$$v_o = -A_v v^-$$

eliminating  $v^-$

$$-\frac{v_o}{A_v} = \frac{v_i sCR + v_o}{1 + sCR} \quad (1)$$

But  $A_v = \frac{A_o}{1 + s\tau_o}$

Using this  $A_v$  in (1) gives

$$\frac{v_o}{v_i} = \frac{-sCR}{1 + \left(\frac{1}{A_o}\right) + \frac{s(\tau_o + CR)}{A_o} + \frac{s^2 \tau_o CR}{A_o}}$$

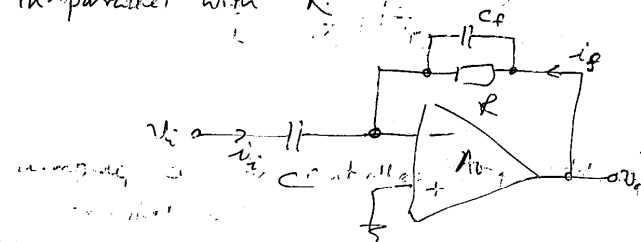
can be

can be neglected

since  $A_o$  is very big, this damping term must be small — hence underdamped behaviour.

Can show that  $\frac{1}{Q} = \frac{1}{A_o} \left[ \sqrt{\frac{CR}{\tau_o}} + \sqrt{\frac{\tau_o}{CR}} \right]$

The damping can be controlled by adding a  $C_f$  in parallel with  $R$ .



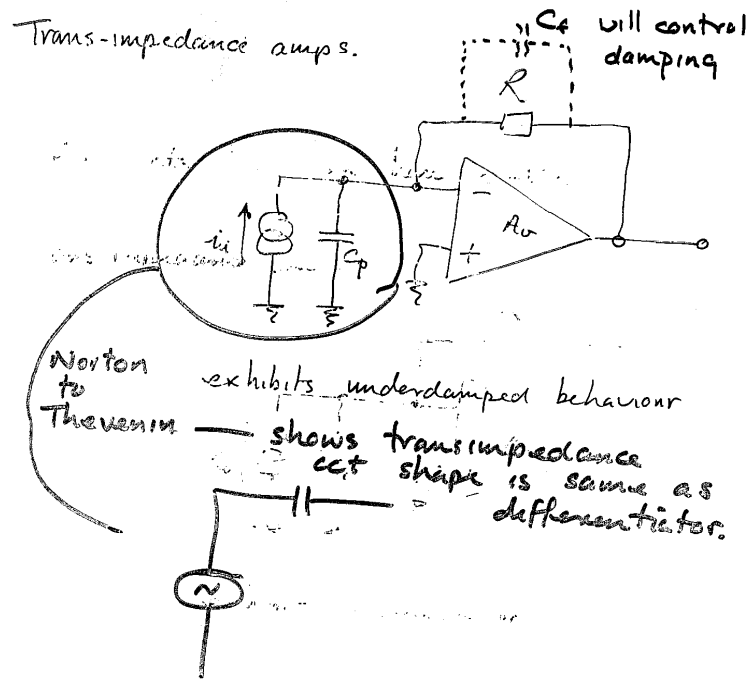
here

$$\frac{v_o}{v_i} = \frac{-sCR}{1 + s \left[ \frac{\tau_o + CR}{A_o} + C_f R \right] + \frac{s^2 \tau_o (C + C_f) R}{A_o}}$$

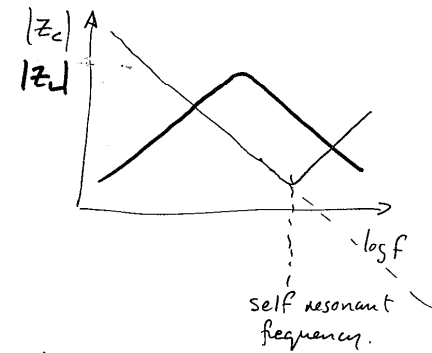
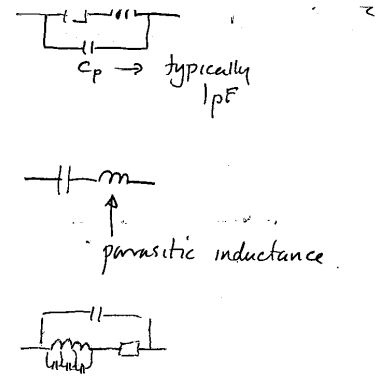
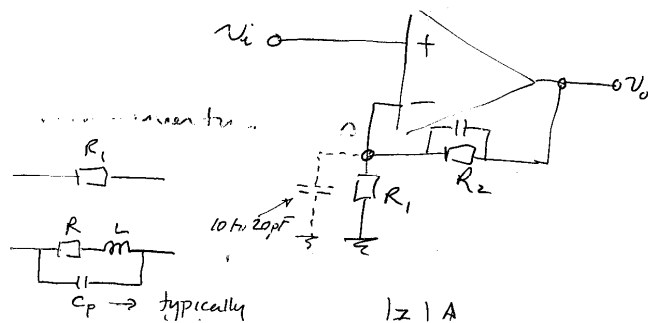
$C_f$  has a relatively big effect on damping because  $C_f R$  is NOT divided by  $A_o$ .

Other ccts that can have problems

Trans-impedance amps.



Non-inverting amps.



Lets design a 3rd order Chebyshev with 1dB ripple.

Frequency normalised transfer function is

$$\frac{V_o}{V_i} = \frac{1}{\underbrace{(s + 0.494)}_{(1)} \underbrace{(s^2 + 0.494s + 0.994)}_{(2)}}$$

first order section - section (1).

$$\frac{L}{s + 0.494} = \frac{1}{0.494 \left( \frac{s}{0.494} + 1 \right)}$$

This doesn't affect shape of frequency response

standard form

$$\frac{k}{1 + j\omega/\omega_c}$$

$$\frac{1}{1 + s/0.494} \Rightarrow \frac{\omega_0}{\omega_c} = 0.494$$

explicitly recognises that frequency variable in the polynomial that forms the transfer function is normalised to the overall cut off frequency.

Second order section — section ②

$$\frac{1}{s^2 + 0.494s + 0.994}$$

$$\equiv \frac{1}{0.994 \left( \frac{s^2}{0.994} + \frac{0.494s}{0.994} + 1 \right)}$$

$$\frac{\omega_0}{\omega_c} = \sqrt{0.994}$$

$$\frac{1}{\omega_0 Q} = \frac{0.494}{0.994}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{1}{Q} = \omega_0 \frac{0.494}{0.994} = \frac{\sqrt{0.994} \cdot 0.494}{0.994}$$

$$= \frac{0.494}{\sqrt{0.994}} = 0.495$$

$$\text{or } Q = 2.02$$

if cut off frequency for the overall filter of 20kHz is needed

for factor 1  $\omega_0 = 0.494 \omega_c = 0.494 \cdot 2\pi \cdot f_c$

or  $f_0 = 0.494 f_c$

$$\text{if } f_c = 20\text{kHz}, \quad f_0 = 0.494 \times 20\text{kHz} = 9.88\text{kHz}$$

$$\omega_0 = 2\pi \cdot 9.88\text{kHz} \cdot \text{rad s}^{-1}$$

for factor 2

$$f_0 = 0.997 \cdot 20\text{kHz} = 19.94\text{kHz}$$

$$Q = 2.02$$

### Noise

— of interest here is due to random thermal motion of electrons.

— average value of electronic noise is zero

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{1}{t_1} \int_0^{t_1} v_n(t) dt \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } t_1 \rightarrow \infty$$

— noise usually measured by its power delivering capability

$\Rightarrow$  i.e. mean squared value

$$\text{mean squared } \overline{v_n^2} \quad V^2$$

$$\text{root mean squared } \sqrt{\overline{v_n^2}} = V$$

— noise also classified by distribution of energy as a function of frequency.

$\rightarrow$  two parts - 1. noise

- two sorts of noise — white → equal energy / hertz at all frequencies
- pink more energy at low fs than at high.

### Noise sources

- "Thermal" or "Johnson" noise (white)
- electrons moving around in a resistive medium.

$$\overline{V_n^2} = 4kTR \quad \text{V}^2 \text{ Hz}^{-1}$$

$$\text{or } \overline{V_n^2} \Big|_{\text{over } \Delta f} = 4kTR \Delta f \quad \text{V}^2$$

$$V_n = \sqrt{4kTR} \quad \text{V Hz}^{-1/2}$$

### Shot Noise

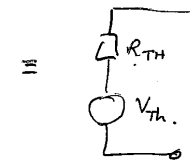
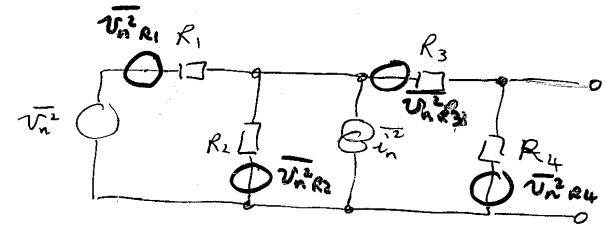
- occurs when electrons have to cross a potential barrier.

$$\overline{i_n^2} = 2eI$$

↑      ↑  
electronic charge      dc current

Handling noise sources in circuits

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$$\overline{V_o^2} \Big|_{\overline{V_n^2}} = \left[ \frac{R_2 \parallel (R_3 + R_4)}{R_1 + R_2 \parallel (R_3 + R_4)} \cdot \frac{R_4}{R_3 + R_4} \right]^2 \cdot \overline{V_n^2}$$

$$\overline{V_o^2} \Big|_{\overline{V_n^2 R_1}} = \left[ \dots \right]^2 \underbrace{4kTR_1}_{\overline{V_n^2 R_1}}$$

$$\overline{V_o^2} \Big|_{\overline{i_n^2}} = \overline{i_n^2} R_{\text{eff}}^2 \left( \frac{R_4}{R_3 + R_4} \right)^2$$

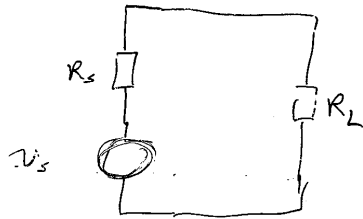
$$R_{\text{eff}} = (R_3 + R_4) \parallel R_1 \parallel R_2$$

$$\overline{V_o^2} \Big|_{\overline{V_n^2 R_2}} = \dots$$

$$\text{Total } \overline{V_o^2} = \overline{V^2} + \overline{V^2} + \overline{V^2} + \overline{V^2}$$

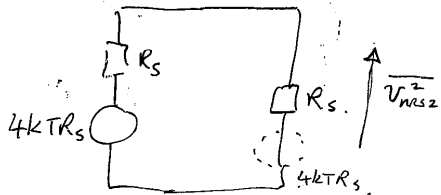
$$\text{Total } \overline{V_o^2} = \overline{V_o^2} \Big|_{\overline{v_n^2}} + \overline{V_o^2} \Big|_{\overline{v_{nR_1}^2}} + \overline{V_o^2} \Big|_{\overline{v_{nR_2}^2}} + \overline{V_o^2} \Big|_{\overline{v_{nR_3}^2}} + \dots$$

Maximum available noise power.



When  $R_L = R_s$   
max power is  
transferred to  
 $R_L$ .

from a noise point of view this leads to



$$\overline{v_{nRs2}^2} = 4kTR_s \cdot \left( \frac{R_s}{R_s + R_s} \right)^2$$

$$= kTR_s$$

$$\text{Power delivered to } R_s = \frac{\overline{v_{nRs2}^2}}{R_s}$$

$$= \frac{kTR_s}{R_s}$$

$$P_{\text{max}} = kT \text{ W Hz}^{-1}$$

maximum available  
noise power

Noise Temperature



white

Noise temp,  $T_{\text{eff}}$  is value of  $T$  needed  
to account for total noise  $(4kTR + \overline{v_n^2})$   
such that

$$4kT_{\text{eff}}R = (4kTR + \overline{v_n^2})$$

actual ambient  
temp.

System descriptions of Noise

Signal to Noise Ratio

$$\frac{S}{N} = \frac{\text{Signal Power}}{\text{Noise Power}} \Big|_{\text{at some node in the system.}}$$

for describing system noise behaviour  
noise factor,  $F$ , is used

$$F = \frac{\text{Signal to noise ratio at system input}}{\text{" " " " " " at system output.}}$$

$$= \frac{S_i/N_i}{S_o/N_o} = \frac{S_i}{S_o} \cdot \frac{N_o}{N_i} = \frac{1}{A_p} \cdot \frac{N_o}{N_i}$$

but  $N_o = A_p N_i + N_A$

$$= \frac{1}{A_p} \cdot \frac{(A_p N_i + N_A)}{N_i} = 1 + \frac{N_A}{A_p N_i}$$

$$F = \frac{\text{noise output from real amplifier}}{\text{noise output from perfect version of real amp}}$$

Noise Factor of a cascade of amplifiers  
(in an impedance matched system)



$N_i$  = maximum available noise power =  $kT\Delta f$  W.

$$F_1 = 1 + \frac{N_{A1}}{A_{p1} kT\Delta f} \quad N_{A1} = A_{p1} kT\Delta f (F_1 - 1)$$

$$F_2 = 1 + \frac{N_{A2}}{A_{p2} kT\Delta f} \quad N_{A2} = A_{p2} kT\Delta f (F_2 - 1)$$

$N_o$  consists of 3 components

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(i) output noise due to  $N_i$

$$N_{o(i)} = A_{p1} A_{p2} \underbrace{kT\Delta f}_{N_i}$$

(ii) output due to  $N_{A1}$

$$N_{o(ii)} = N_{A1} \cdot A_{p2} = A_{p1} kT\Delta f (F_1 - 1) \cdot A_{p2}$$

(iii) output due to  $N_{A2}$

$$N_{o(iii)} = N_{A2} = A_{p2} kT\Delta f (F_2 - 1)$$

Total output noise

$$A_{p1} A_{p2} kT\Delta f \left( 1 + F_1 - 1 + \frac{F_2 - 1}{A_{p1}} \right)$$

$$= A_{p1} A_{p2} kT\Delta f \left( F_1 + \frac{F_2 - 1}{A_{p1}} \right)$$

$$F_{\text{cascade}} = \frac{N_o}{N_{o(\text{ideal})}} = \frac{N_{oT}}{N_{o(i)}} = \frac{A_{p1} A_{p2} kT\Delta f \left( F_1 + \frac{F_2 - 1}{A_{p1}} \right)}{A_{p1} A_{p2} kT\Delta f}$$

$$= F_1 + \frac{F_2 - 1}{A_{p1}}$$

Amplifiers

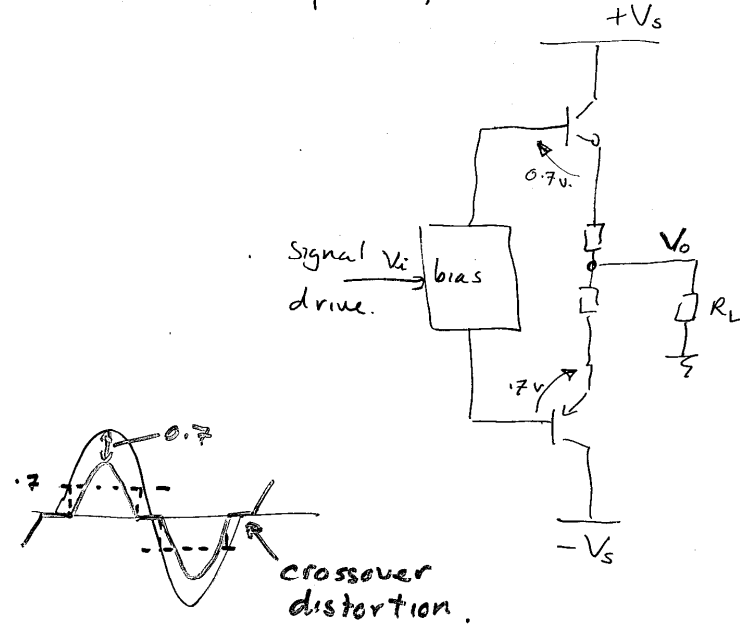
— 2 types of linear amp

— single ended

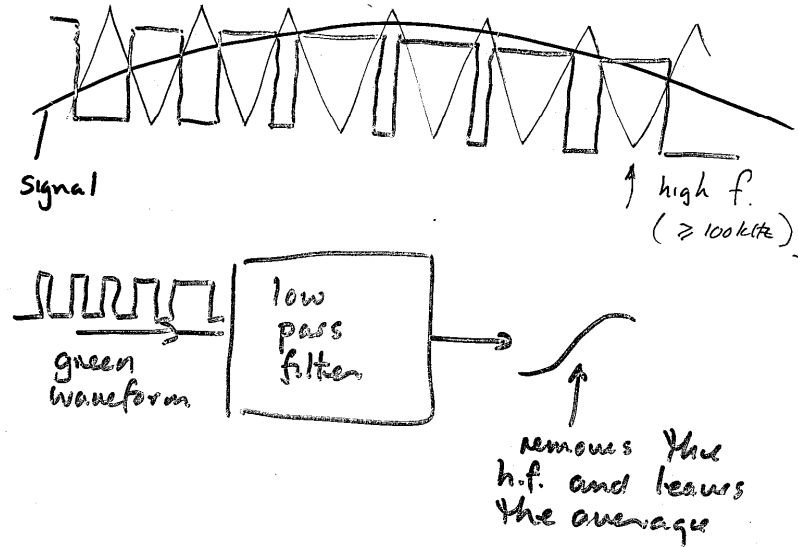
— double ended or push-pull.

of interest in this module.

## Double ended output stage



region where both devices conduct

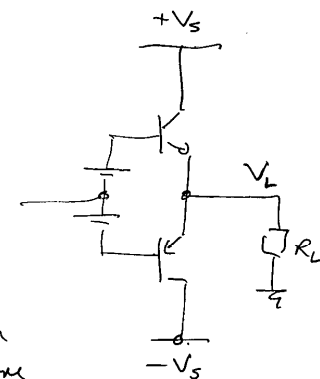
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## Designing a class B amp

- given a spec which defines  $P_{OUT}$  needed.
- $R_L$  into which  $P_{OUT}$  must be delivered.

Q1 What value of  $\pm V_s$  is needed.

Assume that  $V_L$  can reach a value  $|V_s - 2V|$  where



$v$  may be equal to 0 but may be a small value.

$$P_{out} = \frac{V_{LP}^2}{2R_L} \text{ (for a sinusoid)}$$

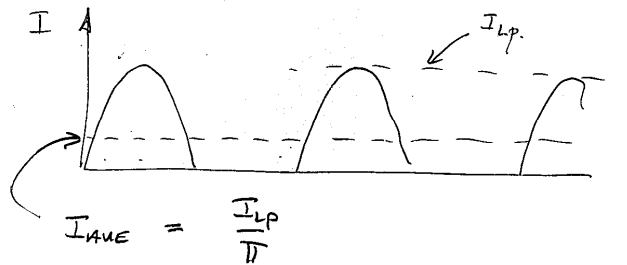
$$\text{hence } V_{LP} = \sqrt{P_{out} \cdot 2 \cdot R_L}$$

to get  $V_s$ , simply add  $\Delta V$  where it exists.

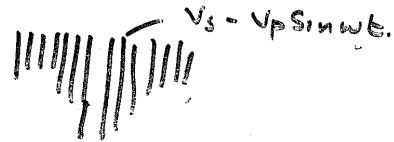
Peak load current [= peak output transistor current]

$$I_{LP} = \frac{V_{LP}}{R_L}$$

Supply current



Heat



Thermal Structure of Transistor or any other solid state device.

