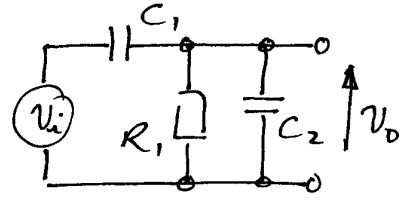
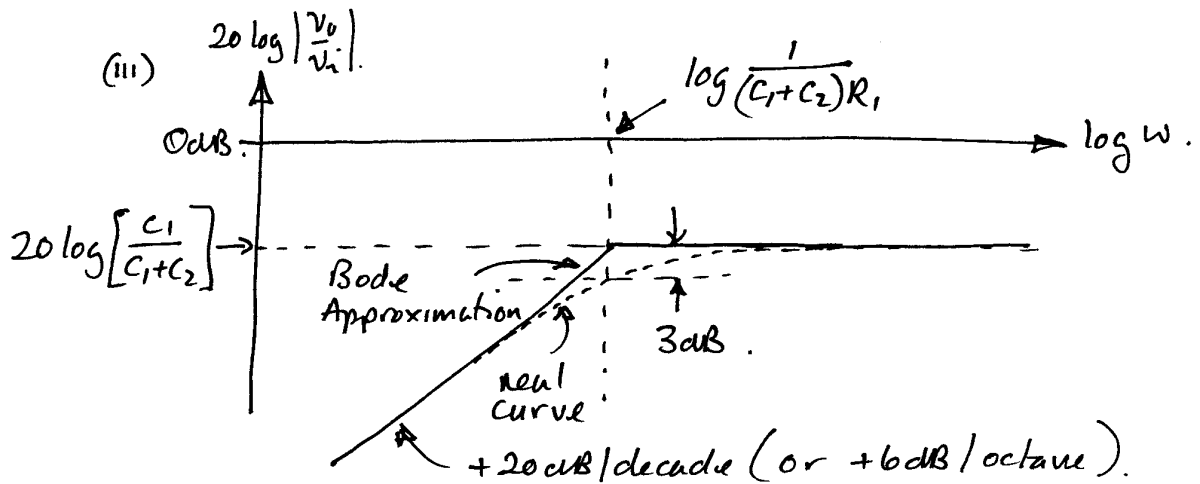


Q1(a)(i) If gain  $\rightarrow 0$   
as  $\omega \rightarrow 0$ .

hf gain  $\rightarrow \frac{C_1}{C_1 + C_2}$   
as  $\omega \rightarrow \infty$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii)} \quad \frac{V_o}{V_i} &= \frac{R_1 \parallel C_2}{\frac{1}{j\omega C_1} + R_1 \parallel C_2} = \frac{\frac{R_1 / j\omega C_2}{R_1 + 1/j\omega C_2}}{\frac{1}{j\omega C_1} + \frac{R_1 / j\omega C_2}{R_1 + 1/j\omega C_2}} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{R_1}{1 + j\omega C_2 R_1}}{\frac{1}{j\omega C_1} + \frac{R_1}{1 + j\omega C_2 R_1}} = \frac{j\omega C_1 R_1}{1 + j\omega C_2 R_1 + j\omega C_1 R_1} \\
 &= \frac{j\omega C_1 R_1}{1 + j\omega (C_1 + C_2) R_1} = \frac{C_1}{C_1 + C_2} \cdot \frac{j\omega (C_1 + C_2) R_1}{1 + j\omega (C_1 + C_2) R_1}
 \end{aligned}$$



(iv) If an  $R$  is placed in  $\parallel$  with  $C_1$  such that the resistive potential division ratio is the same as the capacitive division ratio, behaviour is frequency independent ... i.e.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{C_1}{C_1 + C_2} &= \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R} \quad \text{or } \cancel{C_1 R_1} + C_1 R = \cancel{C_1 R_1} + C_2 R_1 \\
 \text{or } R &= \frac{C_2 R_1}{C_1} = 20 \text{ k}\Omega.
 \end{aligned}$$

This result could also have been obtained by saying that the time constant  $C_1 R$  must be made the same as time constant  $C_2 R_1$ .

(b) (i) If  $GBP = 10\text{MHz}$  and  $G = 100$ ,

$$BW = \frac{GBP}{G} = \frac{10^7}{100} = 10^5 \text{ Hz} = f_o.$$

Now  $\tau$ , system time constant  $= 1/\omega_o = 1/2\pi f_o$

$$\therefore \tau = 1/2\pi \cdot 10^5 = 1.59 \mu\text{s}.$$

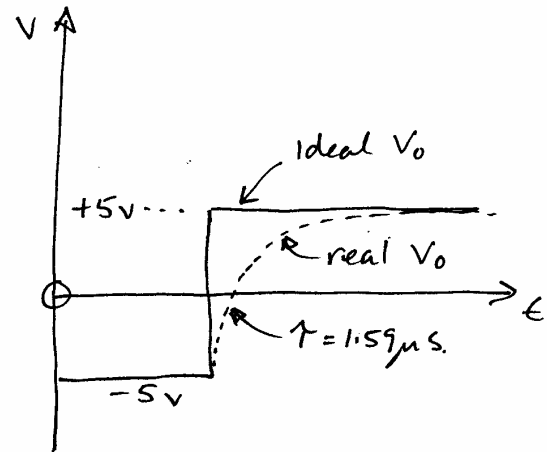
and risetime,  $t_r = 2.2\tau = \underline{\underline{3.5 \mu\text{s}}}$

(ii) The change in input is from  $-50\text{mV}$  to  $+50\text{mV}$   
so the change in output will be 100 times bigger –  
ie from  $-5\text{V}$  to  $+5\text{V}$ ..

Biggest  $\frac{dV_o}{dt}$  occurs at  
instant of input step

$$\text{so } \left. \frac{dV_o}{dt} \right|_{\text{max}} = \frac{5\text{V} - (-5\text{V})}{\tau}$$

This is because the  
initial slope of an  
exponential crosses the  
aiming level after a time  
 $\tau$ .



The slew rate must be at least  $\left. \frac{dV_o}{dt} \right|_{\text{max}}$

$$\text{ie } \geq \frac{10}{1.59 \times 10^{-6}} = \underline{\underline{6.29 \text{ MV s}^{-1}}}$$

Q2 (i) The five terms are ...

second order  
analogue  
low pass  
active  
unconditionally stable.

(ii)  $k = 1$

$$\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{R_1 R_2 C_1 C_2}}$$

$$\frac{1}{\omega_0 q_L} = C_2(R_1 + R_2)$$

$$\text{or } \frac{1}{q_L} = \omega_0 C_2(R_1 + R_2) = \frac{C_2(R_1 + R_2)}{\sqrt{R_1 R_2 C_1 C_2}} = \sqrt{\frac{C_2}{C_1}} \cdot \frac{R_1 + R_2}{\sqrt{R_1 R_2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{C_2}{C_1}} \left[ \sqrt{\frac{R_1}{R_2}} + \sqrt{\frac{R_2}{R_1}} \right]. \quad q_L \text{ is the inverse of any of these.}$$

(iii) a minimum in  $1/q_L$  corresponds to a maximum in  $q_L$ .

Let  $\sqrt{\frac{R_1}{R_2}}$  be  $x$ . The last expression for  $1/q_L$  can then be written  $\frac{1}{q_L} = \sqrt{\frac{C_2}{C_1}} \left[ x + \frac{1}{x} \right]$

$$\frac{d(1/q_L)}{dx} = \sqrt{\frac{C_2}{C_1}} \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{x^2} \right] = 0 \text{ for a minimum}$$

ie  $x^2 = 1$  or  $\underline{R_1 = R_2}$  for a minimum in  $1/q_L$  or a maximum in  $q_L$ .

(iv) Using this condition,  $\frac{1}{q_L} = 2\sqrt{\frac{C_2}{C_1}}$

$$\therefore q_L = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{C_1}{C_2}} \text{ or } 4q_L^2 = \frac{C_1}{C_2}$$

so for a  $q_L$  of 3,  $C_1/C_2 = 36$ .

capacitances less than  $100\text{pF}$  should be avoided to ensure that the capacitors used are large compared to circuit and op-amp parasitic capacitances

$$\text{choose } C_2 = 100\text{pF}$$

$$\text{then } C_1 = 3.6\text{nF}$$

$$\text{and } \omega_0 = 2\pi \times 4 \times 10^3 = \frac{1}{R\sqrt{100\text{p} \times 3.6\text{n}}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{or } R &= \frac{1}{2\pi \cdot 4 \cdot 10^3 \cdot \sqrt{36 \times 10^{-20}}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 10^{-7}} \\ &= \underline{\underline{66\text{k}\Omega}} \end{aligned}$$

A wide range of combinations is acceptable.

both  $C$ s should be  $\gtrsim 100\text{pF}$ .

$R$  should be  $< \text{M}\Omega$  but  $> 100\Omega$ .

Q3 (a) (i) evaluate each contribution in turn...

$$\overline{v_o^2} \Big|_{1.7nV} = \left[ 1.7 \times 10^{-9} \right]^2 \cdot \left[ \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} \right]^2 = 2.89 \times 10^{-18} \cdot \frac{1}{9} = 0.321 \times 10^{-18}$$

$$\overline{v_o^2} \Big|_{1.5pA} = \left[ 1.5 \times 10^{-12} \right]^2 \cdot \left[ \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} \right]^2 = 2.25 \times 10^{-24} \cdot \frac{10^4}{4} = 0.563 \times 10^{-20}$$

$$\overline{v_o^2} \Big|_{R_1} = 4kT \cdot 1.5 \times 10^{-2} \cdot \left[ \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} \right]^2 = 2.48 \times 10^{-18} \cdot \frac{1}{9} = 0.276 \times 10^{-18}$$

$$\overline{v_o^2} \Big|_{R_2} = 4kT \cdot 75 \cdot \left[ \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2} \right]^2 = 1.24 \times 10^{-18} \cdot \frac{4}{9} = 0.552 \times 10^{-18}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{v_{oT}^2} &= \overline{v_o^2} \Big|_{1.7nV} + \overline{v_o^2} \Big|_{1.5pA} + \overline{v_o^2} \Big|_{R_1} + \overline{v_o^2} \Big|_{R_2} \\ &= (0.321 + 0.0056 + 0.276 + 0.552) \times 10^{-18} \\ &= 1.155 \times 10^{-18} \text{ V}^2 \text{ Hz}^{-1} \equiv \underline{\underline{1.075 \times 10^{-9} \text{ V Hz}^{-1/2}}} \end{aligned}$$

$$R_{Th} = R_1 \parallel R_2 = \underline{\underline{50 \Omega}} \quad (R_1 \parallel R_2 \text{ by inspection}).$$

(ii) If all the noise is ascribed to  $R_{Th}$  its effective temperature must be...

$$\overline{v_{oT}^2} = 4k T_{eff} R_{Th}.$$

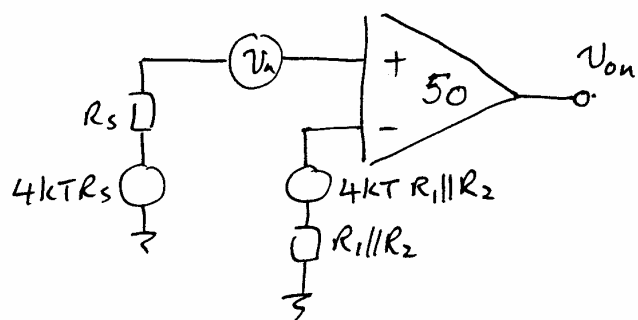
$$\text{or } T_{eff} = \frac{\overline{v_{oT}^2}}{4k R_{Th}} = \frac{1.155 \times 10^{-18}}{4 \cdot 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \times 50} = \underline{\underline{418 \text{ K}}}.$$

(b) (i) noise equivalent cct is

$\overline{v_{on}^2}$  due to  $v_n$  is...

$$\overline{v_{on}^2} \Big|_{v_n} = v_n^2 \cdot (50)^2.$$

$\overline{v_{on}^2}$  due to  $R_1 \parallel R_2$  is...



$$4kTR_1 \parallel R_2 (50)^2 = \overline{v_{on}^2} \Big|_{R_1 \parallel R_2}$$

If the contribution due to  $R_1 \parallel R_2$  must be no more than 10% of that due to  $v_n$ ,

$$4kTR_1 \parallel R_2 (50)^2 = 0.1 v_n^2 (50)^2$$

$$\text{or } R_1 \parallel R_2 = \frac{0.1 v_n^2}{4kT} = \frac{0.1 \times 25 \times 10^{-18}}{4 \times 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \times 300}$$

$$= 151 \Omega$$

$$\therefore \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} = 151 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{R_1 + R_2}{R_1} = 50$$

①
②

substituting ② in ①  $\frac{R_2}{50} = 151$  or  $R_2 = 7.55 \text{ k}\Omega$

and from ②  $R_2 = 49R_1$  or  $R_1 = 154 \Omega$

(ii) Total mean squared output noise is ....

$$\overline{v_{out}^2} = (50)^2 \left( \overline{v_n^2} + 0.1 \overline{v_n^2} + 4kTR_s \right)$$

contribution from  $v_n$ 
contribution from  $R_1 + R_2$ 
contribution from  $R_s$

$$= 2500 (25 \times 10^{-18} + 2.5 \times 10^{-18} + 9.9 \times 10^{-18})$$

$$= 2500 \times 37.4 \times 10^{-18} = 9.35 \times 10^{-14} \text{ V}^2 \text{ Hz}^{-1}$$

total m.s. voltage over 10 kHz

$$= 9.35 \times 10^{-14} \times 10^4 \text{ V}^2 = 9.35 \times 10^{-10} \text{ V}^2$$

$\therefore$  true rms meter reads  $30.6 \mu\text{V}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q4 \text{ (i)} \quad P_D &= P_S - P_L \\
 &= 2V_{CC} I_{AVE} - \frac{V_P^2}{2R_L} \\
 &= \frac{2V_{CC} V_P}{\pi R_L} - \frac{V_P^2}{2R_L}
 \end{aligned}$$

to find max  $P_D$ , differentiate  $P_D$  w.r.t.  $V_P$ ...

$$\frac{dP_D}{dV_P} = \frac{2V_{CC}}{\pi R_L} - \frac{2V_P}{2R_L} = 0 \text{ for maximum}$$

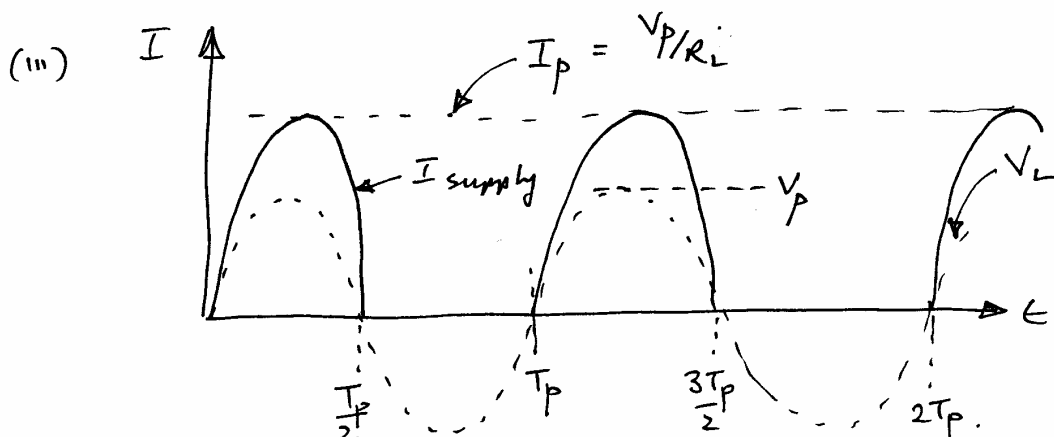
$$\therefore \frac{2V_{CC}}{\pi R_L} = \frac{V_P}{R_L} \text{ or max } P_D \text{ when } V_P = \frac{2V_{CC}}{\pi}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{Dmax} &= \frac{2V_{CC} \left( \frac{2V_{CC}}{\pi} \right)}{\pi R_L} - \frac{\left( \frac{2V_{CC}}{\pi} \right)^2}{2R_L} \\
 &= \frac{4V_{CC}^2}{\pi^2 R_L} - \frac{2V_{CC}^2}{\pi^2 R_L} = \frac{2V_{CC}^2}{\pi^2 R_L}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and this occurs when } P_L = \frac{\left( \frac{2V_{CC}}{\pi} \right)^2}{2R_L} = \frac{2V_{CC}^2}{\pi^2 R_L}$$

$$\therefore \text{dissipation is max when } \underline{P_D = P_L = \frac{2V_{CC}^2}{\pi^2 R_L}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii)} \quad P_L &= V_P^2 / 2R_L \text{ or } V_{pm} = V_{CC} = \pm \sqrt{2R_L P_L} \\
 &= \sqrt{1200} = \underline{\underline{\pm 35V}}
 \end{aligned}$$



(iv) The  $P_{\text{diss}}$  of part (i) is for the whole output stage; each output device dissipate half of this whole....

$$P_{\text{diss(whole)}} = \frac{2V_{\text{cc}}^2}{\pi^2 R_L} = \frac{2 \times 1200}{\pi^2 \cdot 8} = 30 \text{ W}$$

$\therefore 15 \text{ W/transistor}$  is dissipated.

$$\Delta T_1 = 15 \text{ W} (\theta_{\text{JC}} + \theta_{\text{CS}}) = 15 \times 3.5 = 52.5^\circ \text{C}.$$

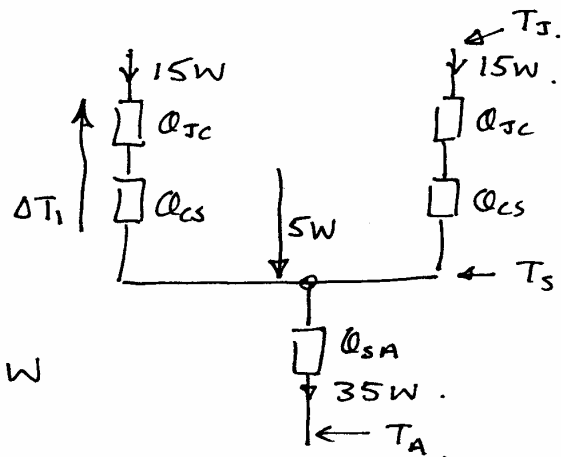
If this is added to the sink temp. of  $100^\circ \text{C}$ ,  $T_J$  becomes  $152.5^\circ \text{C}$ , which exceeds the max  $T_J$ .

So  $T_J = 150$  is the limit and  $T_S$  is less than its maximum specified value (of  $100^\circ \text{C}$ ) at  $150 - 52.5 = 97.5^\circ \text{C}$ .

$$\therefore \theta_{\text{SA}} = \frac{T_S - T_A}{P_T} = \frac{97.5 - 35}{35 \text{ W}} = 1.79^\circ \text{C/W}.$$

so... • biggest  $T_J - T_S = \Delta T_1 = 52.5^\circ \text{C}$

• max  $\theta_{\text{SA}}$  allowable =  $1.79^\circ \text{C/W}$ .



(v) If the load was an  $8\Omega$  inductance,  $V_{\text{cc}}$  would be unchanged, the current drawn would be unchanged (i.e. it would still be of the form of the answer to part (iii) but there would be a phase shift of  $90^\circ$  between  $V_L + I_L$ ), no power would be dissipated in the load so it would all be dissipated in the output devices

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total } P_D = \text{Total } P_S &= V_{\text{cc}} \times \frac{V_{\text{cc}}}{\pi R_L} \times 2 \\ &= \underline{95.5 \text{ W}} \end{aligned}$$

(Note that worst case dissipation would now occur at max  $V_p$  since this condition gives maximum  $I_{\text{AVE}}$ .)