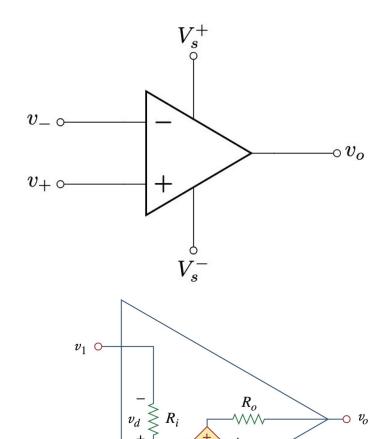
# Lecture 4

Op Amp – Part 2

## Review – **Op**erational **Amp**lifier



$$v_1 = v_- = \text{voltage of inverting terminal}$$

$$v_2 = v_+ = \text{voltage of noninverting terminal}$$

$$v_d = v_+ - v_- = v_2 - v_1$$
  
= differential input voltage for VCVS

$$A =$$
Open loop gain

$$R_i$$
 = Input resistance

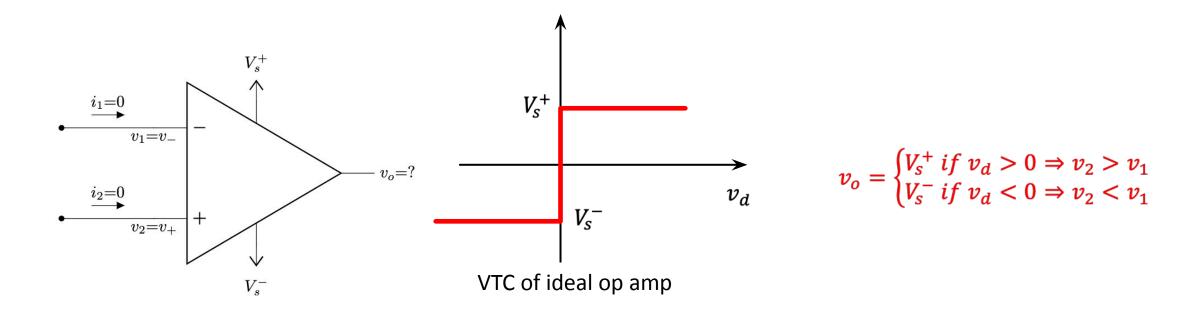
$$R_o = \text{Output resistance}$$

Differential amplifier ⇒ amplifies the difference

$$v_o = Av_d = A(v_2 - v_1) = A(v_+ - v_-)$$

### Review – Ideal Op Amp

- Infinite open-loop gain,  $A = \infty$
- Infinite input resistance,  $R_i = \infty$  = open circuit
- Zero output resistance,  $R_o = 0$  = short circuit
- As  $R_i = \infty$  (open circuit),  $i_1 = i_2 = 0$ . Therefore, circuit solving become much simpler



## Application of Ideal Op Amp - Comparator

- A comparator compares two voltages to determine which is larger.
- The comparator is essentially an op-amp operated in an open-loop configuration
- Two types
  - (1) Non-inverting: outputs a positive voltage ( $V_H = V_S^+$ ) when input is greater than reference
  - (2) Inverting: outputs a negative voltage ( $V_L = V_S^-$ ) when input is greater than reference
- Application smoke detector, turning AC on/off automatically, etc.

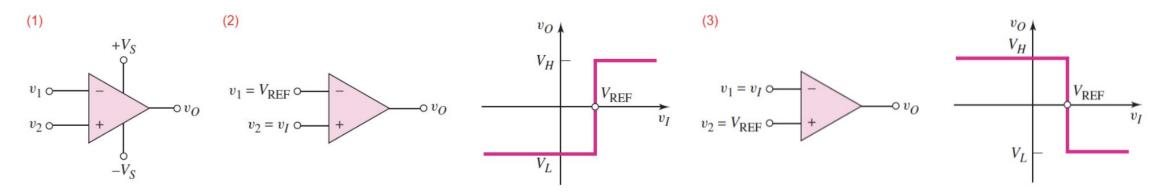
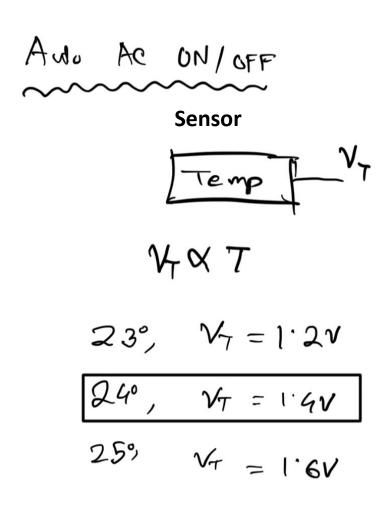
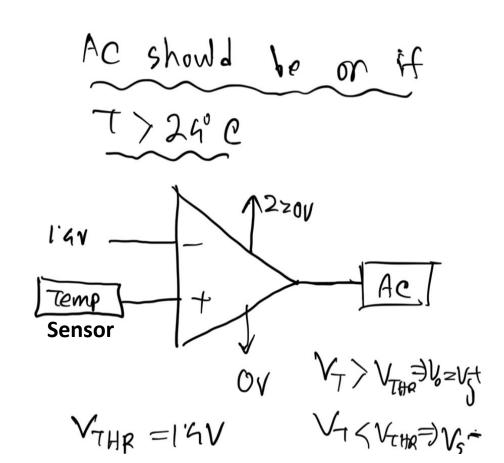


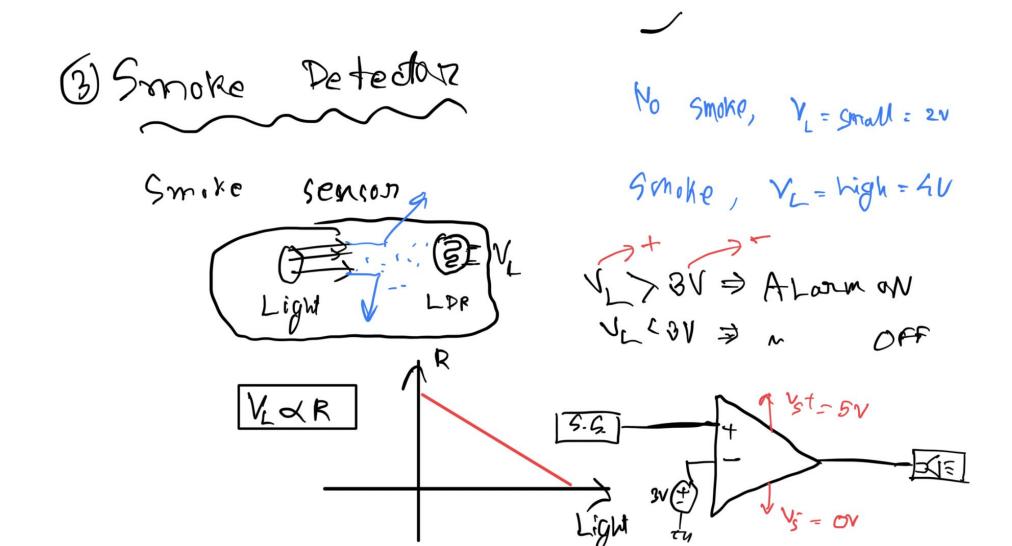
Figure 2: (1) Op-Amp Comparator (2) Noninverting Circuit (3) Inverting Circuit

## Comparator Application – Automatic AC



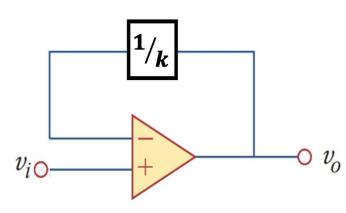


#### **Smoke Detector**



### Introducing Negative Feedback

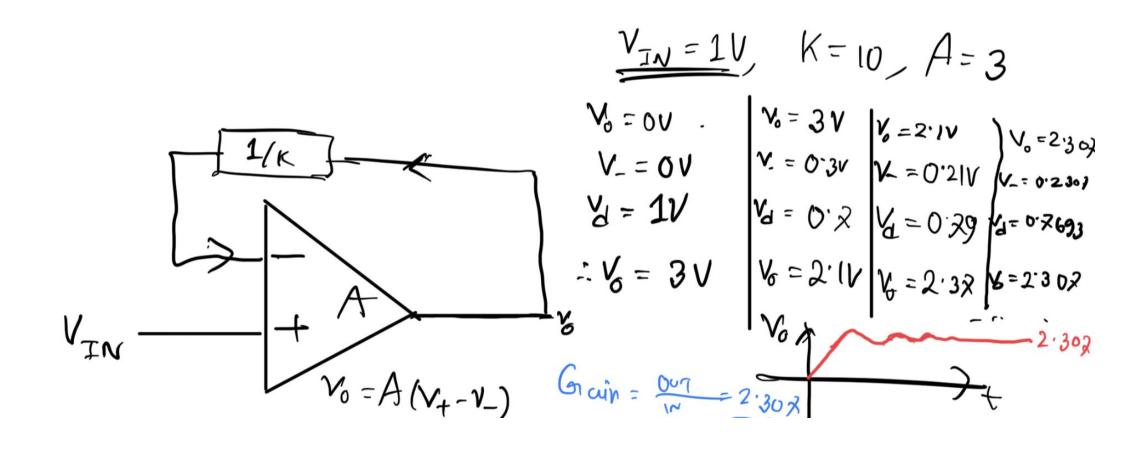
- The gain (A) of an ideal op amp is infinity, practically extremely large.
- The power supply (+Vs and –Vs) limits the op amp's output.
- We require a method to have a finite gain. That is what negative feedback does.
- Negative feedback: feeding back a portion of <u>output</u> to inverting <u>input</u>
- Idea the output will become stable due to a self-correcting mechanism



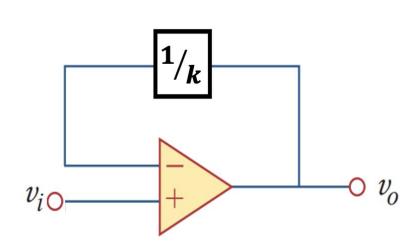
For example, her,  $v_{-} = \text{one k'th part of ouput} = \frac{1}{k}$ 

If  $v_o$  increases,  $v_-$  will increase, hence  $v_d$  will decrease, eventtually  $v_o$  decreases If  $v_o$  decreases,  $v_-$  will decrease, hence  $v_d$  will increase, eventtually  $v_o$  increase

## Negative Feedback – Numerical Example



## Negative Feedback – Derivation of Gain



Here, 
$$v_- = \frac{v_0}{k}$$
  
We know,  $v_o = Av_d$   
or,  $v_o = A(v_+ - v_-)$   
 $= A(v_i - \frac{v_0}{k})$   
 $= Av_i - \frac{A}{k}v_0$   
or,  $v_o(1 + \frac{A}{k}) = Av_i$ 

So, 
$$v_o = \frac{Av_i}{1 + \frac{A}{k}}$$
or,  $v_o = \frac{v_i}{\frac{1}{A} + \frac{1}{k}}$ 

A is extremely large,

so, 
$$\frac{1}{A} \approx 0$$

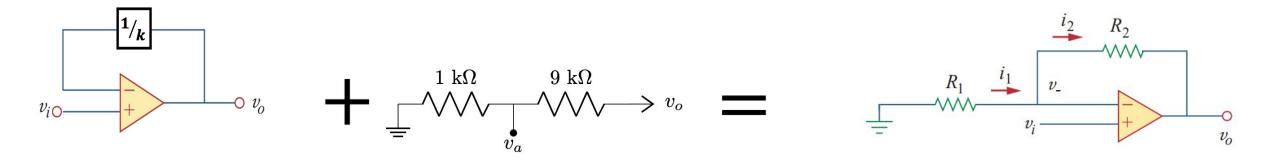
$$v_o = \frac{v_i}{\frac{1}{k}} = k v_i$$

If k = 10 (meaning we feed back one tenth of the output to negative input), we will get  $v_o = 10 * v_i$ . that is 10 fold gain.

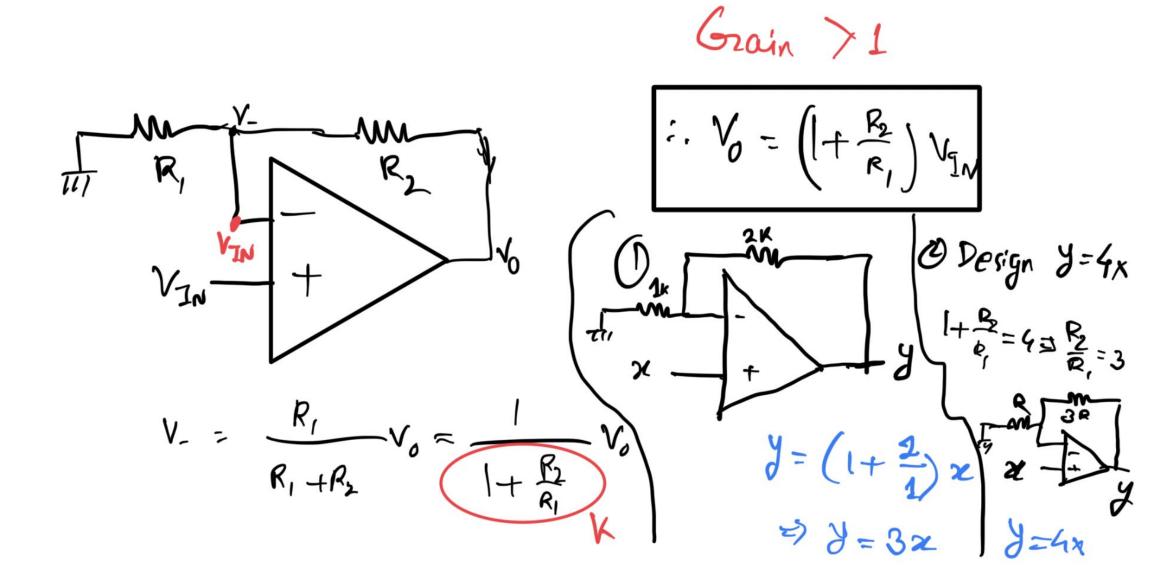
How to get 1/k of output to input? Voltage dividers!

$$v_a = \frac{1 k\Omega}{1 k\Omega + 9 k\Omega} \times v_o = \frac{v_o}{10}$$

# **Inverting Amplifier**

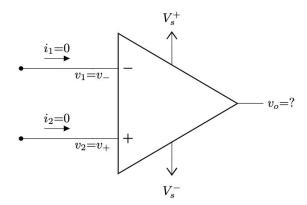


# **Inverting Amplifier**



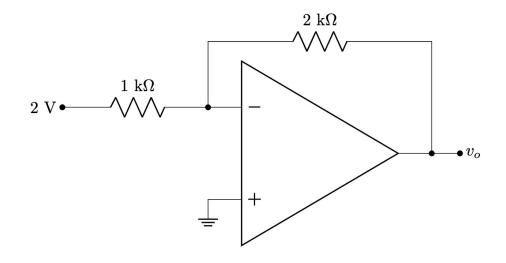
## Solving Circuit with Ideal Op Amp + NF

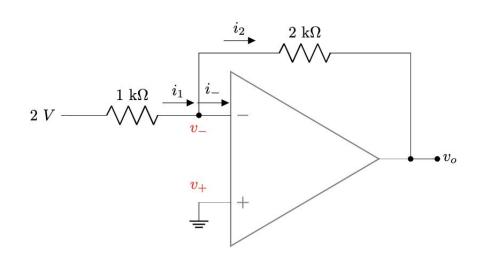
- For ideal op-amp
  - Infinite input resistance,  $R_i = \infty$  = open circuit
  - Zero output resistance,  $R_o = 0$  = short circuit
  - $i_i = 0$  and  $i_+ = 0$
- When there is negative feedback, For ideal A as is infinitely high, for a finite output voltage  $v_o$ ,  $\frac{v_o}{A} = v_d = 0 \Rightarrow v_+ = v_-$ . This is called virtual short circuit
- Because of these, solving ideal op-amp circuit with negative feedback is very simple



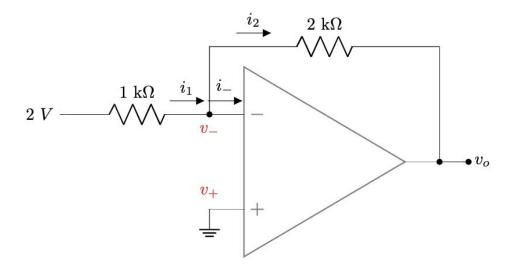
## Example – Inverting Amplifier

#### Solve the ciruit to find $v_o$





## Example – Inverting Amplifier



Since  $v_+$  is connected to ground,  $v_+ = 0V$ 

Since there is negative feedback, from virtual short,  $v_-=v_+=0V$ 

From Ohm's law for 
$$1 k\Omega \Rightarrow i_1 = \frac{2V - 0V}{1 k\Omega} = 2mA$$

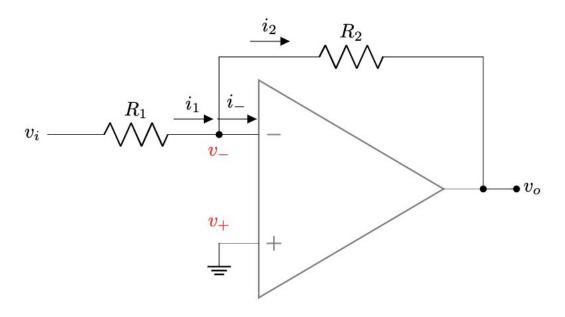
Since ideal op-amp,  $i_- = i_+ = 0$ 

From KCL at 
$$v_-$$
,  $i_1 = i_- + i_2 \Rightarrow i_1 = i_2 = 2 \text{ } mA$ 

From Ohm's law for 
$$2 k\Omega \Rightarrow i_2 = \frac{v_- - v_0}{2 k\Omega} = 2mA \Rightarrow v_o = -i_2 \times 2 = -4V$$
 [ANS]

Gain = 
$$-\frac{4V}{2V}$$
 = -2 (hence **inverting**)

#### General



Since  $v_+$  is connected to ground,  $v_+ = 0V$ 

Since there is negative feedback, from virtual short,  $v_-=v_+=0V$ 

From Ohm's law for 
$$R_1 \Rightarrow i_1 = \frac{v_i - 0V}{R_1} = v_i/R_1$$

Since ideal op-amp,  $i_- = i_+ = 0$ 

From KCL at 
$$v_-$$
,  $i_1=i_-+i_2\Rightarrow i_1=i_2=v_i/R_1$ 

From Ohm's law for 
$$R_2 \Rightarrow i_2 = \frac{v_- - v_0}{R_2} = \frac{v_i}{R_1} \Rightarrow v_o = -i_2 \times R_2 \Rightarrow v_o = -\frac{R_2}{R_1} v_i$$
 [ANS]

$$Gain = -\frac{R_2}{R_1}$$

## Example

