

Example for Diode Limiter

Problem: Find the output voltage across R_L in the limiter circuit.

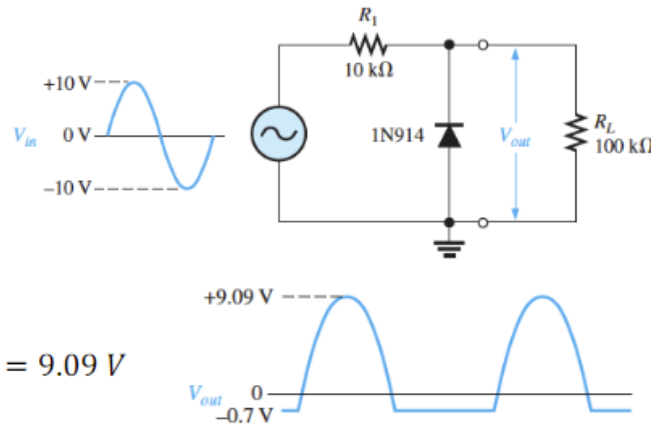
For the negative half cycle, diode will be forward biased

Diode is forward biased if

$$V_{in} \leq -0.7 \text{ V}$$

The peak output voltage across R_L is

$$\begin{aligned} V_{p,out} &= \left(\frac{V_{p(in)}}{R_1 + R_L} \right) R_L \\ &= \left(\frac{10 \text{ V}}{10 \text{ k}\Omega + 100 \text{ k}\Omega} \right) 100 \text{ k}\Omega = 9.09 \text{ V} \end{aligned}$$



Output voltage waveform across R_L

Example for Diode Clamper

Problem: Find the output voltage across R_L in the clamping circuit.

During first quadrant

- Diode turns on
- Capacitor charged quickly due to low RC constant.

KVL after charging

$$-V_{in} + V_{c,p} + 0.7 = 0$$

$$V_{c,p} = (V_{in} - 0.7 \text{ V}) = (24 \text{ V} - 0.7 \text{ V}) = 23.3 \text{ V}$$

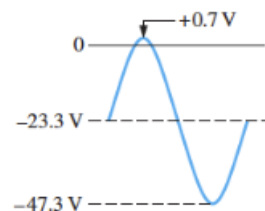
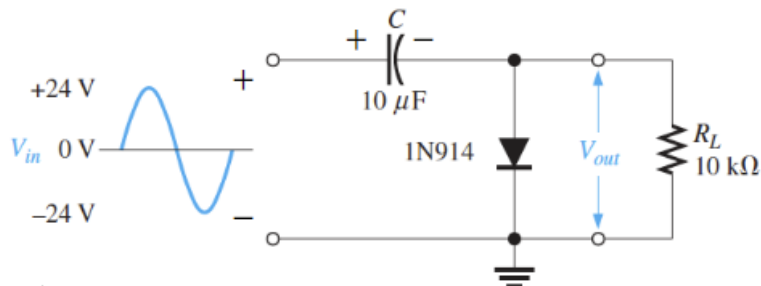
Now the capacitor will discharge slowly between peaks (large time constant). When discharging, diode is reverse biasing. The capacitor acts as a battery in series with the input voltage.

$$V_{out} = (V_{in} - V_{c,p}) = (V_{in} - V_{p(in)} + 0.7 \text{ V})$$

$$V_{p,out}^- = V_{p,in}^- - V_{p(in)} + 0.7 \text{ V} = (-24 \text{ V} - 23.3 \text{ V}) = -47.3 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{p,out}^+ = V_{p,in}^+ - V_{p(in)} + 0.7 \text{ V} = (24 \text{ V} - 23.3 \text{ V}) = 0.7 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{DC} = -23.3 \text{ V}$$



Output voltage waveform across R_L

Zener Diode for Load Regulation

Problem: Determine the minimum and maximum load currents for which the zener diode in Figure given below will maintain regulation. What is the minimum value of R_L that can be used? $V_Z=12V$, $I_{ZK}=1\text{ mA}$, and $I_{ZM}=50\text{ mA}$. Assume an ideal zener diode where $Z_Z=0\ \Omega$ and V_Z remains a constant 12 V over the range of current values, for simplicity.

Solution:

When $I_L=0\text{ A}$ ($R_L=\infty$), $I_Z \rightarrow$ maximum

$I_L=0$ means R_L is removed $I_Z=I_T$

$$I_{Z(max)} = I_T = \frac{V_{IN} - V_Z}{R} = \frac{24\text{ V} - 12\text{ V}}{470\ \Omega} = 25.5\text{ mA}$$

Since $I_{Z(max)} < I_{ZM}$, $I_{L(min)}=0$ is acceptable

$$I_{L(min)} = 0$$

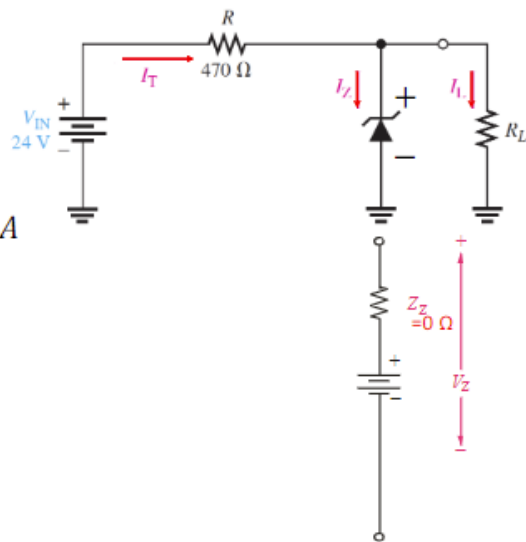
$$I_{L(max)} = I_T - I_{ZK} = 25.5\text{ mA} - 1\text{ mA} = 24.5\text{ mA}$$

$$R_{L(min)} = \frac{V_Z}{I_{L(max)}} = \frac{12\text{ V}}{24.5\text{ mA}} = 490\ \Omega$$

If $R_L < 490\ \Omega$, I_L is larger and I_Z is smaller

If $I_Z < I_{ZK}$, ZD does not work for voltage regulation.

$R_{L(min)}$ is $490\ \Omega$.



Example for Non-Inverting OpAmp

Problem 1: Determine the voltage gain in dB, input resistance, output voltage, and output current for the Op-Amp circuit. Here, $V_{in}=0.3$ V, $R_1=1$ k Ω , $R_f=39$ k Ω .

Solution 1:

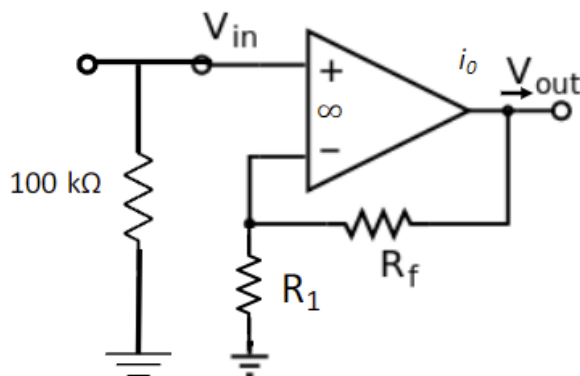
$$A_V = 1 + \frac{R_f}{R_1} = 1 + \frac{39 \text{ k}\Omega}{1 \text{ k}\Omega} = 40$$

$$A_{V,dB} = 20 \log_{10} 40 = 32 \text{ dB}$$

$$R_{in} = 100 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel \infty = 100 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$V_0 = A_V \times V_i = 40 \times 0.3 = 12$$

$$i_0 = \frac{V_0}{40 \text{ k}} = \frac{12}{40 \text{ k}} = 0.3 \text{ mA}$$



Example for Ideal OpAmp

Problem 2: Find output voltage when an input voltage of 5 V is applied to the circuit. The feedback resistance is 4.4 k Ω .

Solution 2:

Negative feedback: Output terminal is connected to the inverted terminal.

For negative feedback of Op-Amp $V_p = V_n$

Since V_p is connected to the ground $V_p = 0$

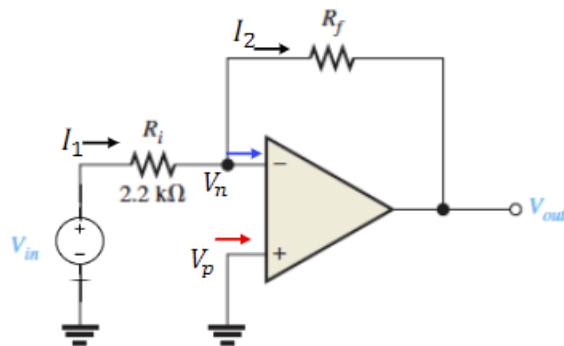
So V_n is virtually grounded

$$V_p = V_n = 0 \quad I_p = I_n = 0$$

$$\text{Applying KCL, } I_1 = I_2 = \frac{V_i - 0}{2.2 \text{ k}\Omega} = \frac{0 - V_0}{4.2 \text{ k}\Omega}$$

$$\frac{5 - 0}{2.2 \text{ k}\Omega} = \frac{0 - V_0}{4.2 \text{ k}\Omega} \quad \frac{5}{1} = \frac{-V_0}{2}$$

$$V_0 = -10 \text{ V}$$



Example for Inverting OpAmp

Problem 3: Determine the voltage gain, source current, output current, and output voltage of the Op-Amp circuit. Here, $V_{in}=0.5$ V, $R_i=78$ k Ω , and $R_f=490$ k Ω .

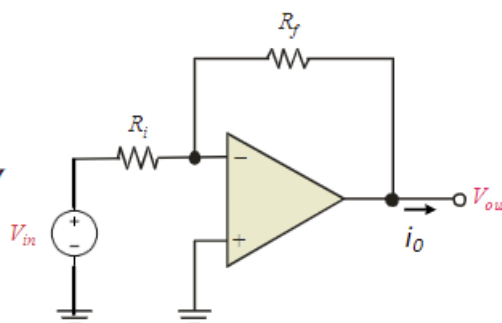
Solution 3:

$$A_v = \text{Gain} = -\frac{R_f}{R_i} = -\frac{490 \text{ k}\Omega}{78 \text{ k}\Omega} = -6.28$$

$$V_o = A_v V_{in} = -\frac{R_f}{R_i} = -6.28 \times 0.5 = -3.14 \text{ V}$$

$$I_s = \frac{V_s}{R_i} = \frac{0.5}{78 \text{ k}\Omega} = 6.41 \mu\text{A}$$

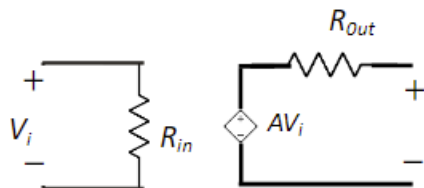
$$I_o = -I_s = -6.41 \mu\text{A}$$



Example for Inverting OpAmp

Problem 4: Determine the voltage gain, input resistance, and output resistance of the inverting Op-Amp circuit. Consider $R_{in} = 2\text{ k}\Omega$, and $R_f = 10\text{ k}\Omega$

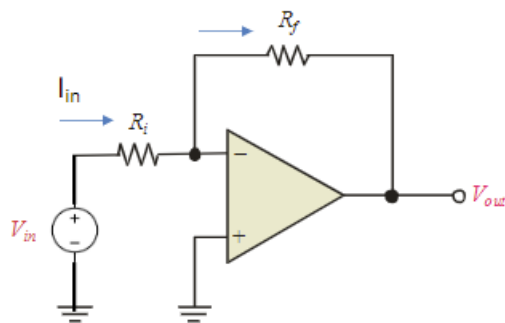
Solution 4:



Equivalent circuit of the amplifier

$$A_v = \frac{-10}{2} = -5$$

$$I_{in} = \frac{V}{2\text{ k}\Omega} \quad R_{in} = 2\text{ k}\Omega$$



Example for Inverting OpAmp

Problem 4: Determine the voltage gain, input resistance, and output resistance of the inverting Op-Amp circuit. Consider $R_{in} = 2\text{ k}\Omega$, and $R_f = 10\text{ k}\Omega$

Solution 4:

If the input (V_i) is removed,

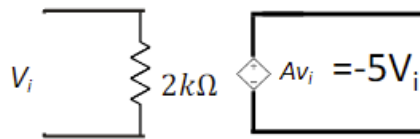
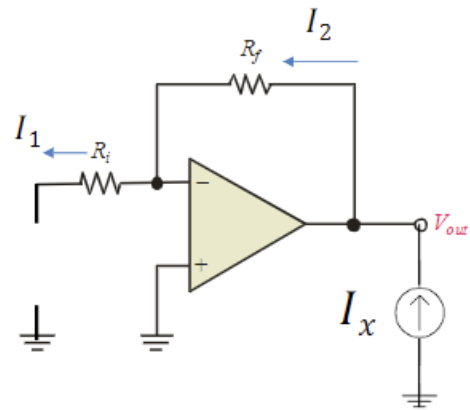
$$I_1 = 0\text{ A}$$

$$I_2 = 0\text{ A}$$

$$V_{out} = 0$$

Regardless of I_x

$$R_{out} = 0\text{ Ohm}$$



Example for Non-Inverted Comparator

Problem 1: Find V_{out} for the given circuit.

Solution 1:

$$V_d = V_p - V_n$$

$$V_0 = AV_d = A(V_p - V_n)$$

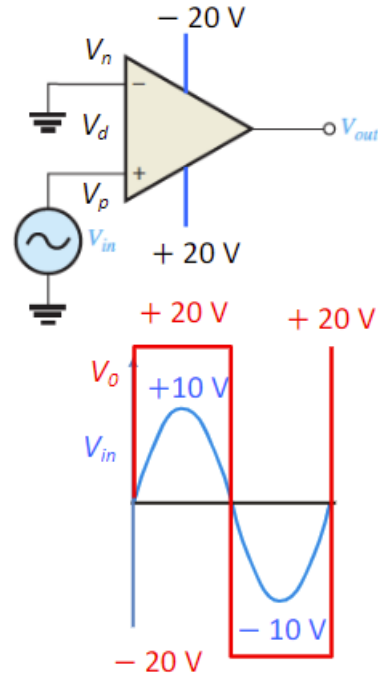
When $V_p > V_n$ (0 V), then V_0 is saturated

$$V_0 = +20 \text{ V}$$

When $V_p < V_n$ (0 V), then V_0 is saturated

$$V_0 = -20 \text{ V}$$

Zero-level detection



Example for Inverted Comparator

Problem 2: Find V_{out} for the given circuit.

Solution 2:

$$V_0 = AV_d$$

$$V_d = V_{ref} - V_{in}$$

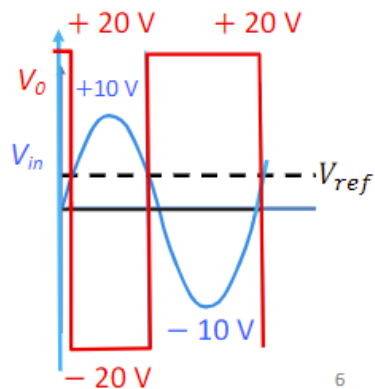
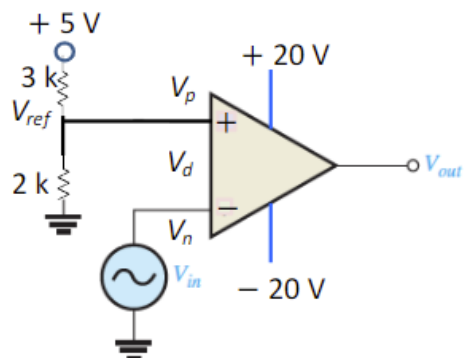
$$V_{ref} = \frac{2\text{ k}}{2\text{ k} + 3\text{ k}} \times 5\text{ V} = 2\text{ V}$$

When V_{in} exceeds 2 V, then V_d is - ve

Then, $V_0 = -20\text{ V}$

When V_{in} drops below 2 V, then V_d is + ve.

Then, $V_0 = +20\text{ V}$



Example for Output Bounding

Problem 3: Find V_{out} for the given circuit.

Solution 3:

When V_i is $+Ve$, V_o is $-Ve$

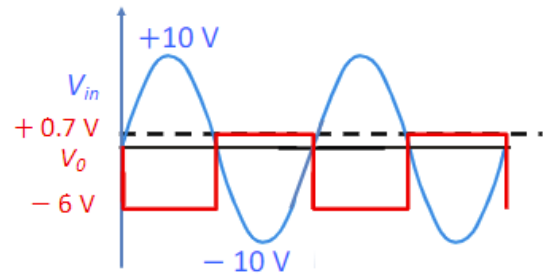
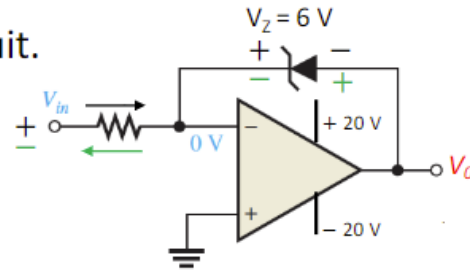
At this condition, the Diode is RB

V_o is $-6V$

When V_i is $-Ve$, V_o is $+Ve$

At this condition, the Diode is FB

V_o is $+0.7V$



Example for Summing OpAmp

Problem 4: Find v_o and i_o in the Op-Amp circuit.

Solution 4:

$$v_o = -\left(\frac{10\text{ k}}{5\text{ k}} \times 2\text{ V} + \frac{10\text{ k}}{2.5\text{ k}} \times 1\text{ V}\right)$$

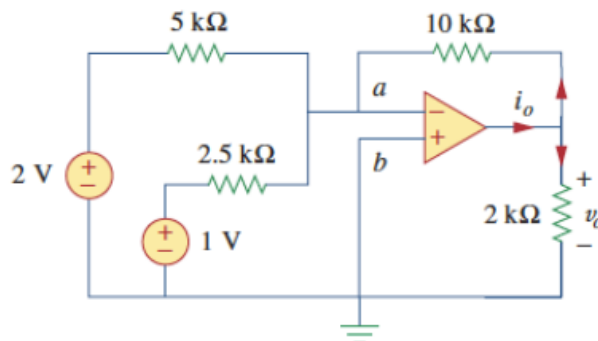
$$v_o = -(4 + 4)\text{ V} = -8\text{ V}$$

$$i_o = i_{10\text{ k}} + i_{2\text{ k}}$$

$$\text{Since } v_a = v_b = 0$$

$$i_o = \frac{V_o - 0}{10\text{ k}} + \frac{V_o - 0}{2\text{ k}}$$

$$i_o = \frac{-8}{10\text{ k}} + \frac{-8}{2\text{ k}} = -0.8 - 4 = -4.8\text{ mA}$$



Example for OpAmp Integrator

Problem 2: Find the output waveform for the given circuit.

Solution 2:

When V_i is +ve $\rightarrow i_1$ is +ve $\rightarrow i_c$ is -ve

$$V_{out} = -V_c = -\frac{1}{C} \int i dt$$

$$V_{out} = -\frac{I * t}{C} = -\frac{1 V}{1 k\Omega} \times \frac{10 \times 10^{-3}}{10^{-6}} = -10 V$$

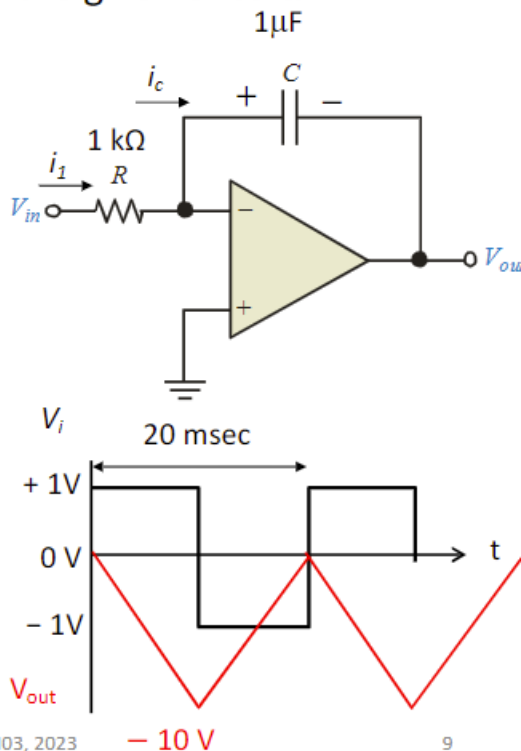
$$V_{out,min} = -10 V$$

When V_i is -ve $\rightarrow i_1$ is -ve $\rightarrow i_c$ is +ve

\rightarrow Capacitor is discharging

$$i_1 = i_c = \text{Constant}$$

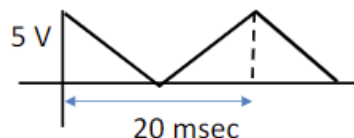
V_{out} decreases linearly from 0 as capacitor charges. V_{out}



Example for OpAmp Differentiator

Problem 3: Determine the output waveform for the given circuit.

Solution 3:



$$i_1 = C \frac{dV}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{-5}{10 \text{ msec}} = -500 \text{ V/sec}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{5}{10 \text{ msec}} = 500 \text{ V/sec}$$

$$i_1 = \pm 500 \times C = \pm 500 \times 10^{-6} = \pm 0.5 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_o = -i_2 \times R = -i_1 \times R = \pm 0.5 \text{ mA} \times 10 \text{ k} = \pm 5 \text{ V}$$

