ELEC-313 Lab 1: Amplifier Models

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1 Objective

The objective is to verify the equivalence of four circuits used to model an amplifier, shown in Figure 3.

2 Schematics

Circuit Tested

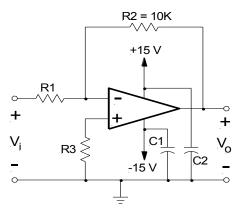


Figure 1: Circuit being tested. $C_1 = C_2 = 1 \,\mu\text{F}$

Test Configuration

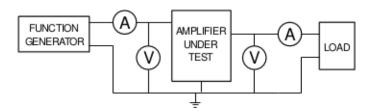


Figure 2: Test Configuration

3 Procedure

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4 Results

Name	Nominal	Measured	% Error	
	$(\mathrm{k}\Omega)$	$(k\Omega)$		
R_1	1	0.986	1.40	
R_2	10	9.88	1.20	
R_3	1	0.983	1.70	

Table 1: Comparison of labelled and actual resistance.

	${f Voltage}$		$\mathbf{Current}$		Gain	
	V_{i}	V_o	I_i	I_o	A_v	A_i
	$(mV_{\rm rms})$	$(V_{ m rms})$	(mA_{rms})	(mA_{rms})		
No Load	200	1.98	0.2	nil	9.9	nil
\mathbf{Load}	200	1.98	0.2	9.52	9.9	47.6

Table 2: Comparison of electrical characteristics of the amplifier under load.

5 Conclusions

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Equations

$$\%_{error} = \frac{|measured - nominal|}{nominal} \times 100\%$$
 (1)

$$R_o = \frac{V_{noload} - V_{load}}{I_{load}} \tag{2}$$

$$R_i = \frac{V_i}{I_i} \tag{3}$$

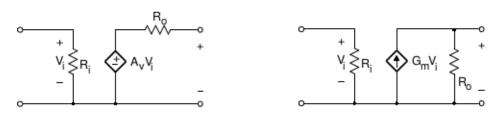
$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_i} \tag{4}$$

$$A_i = A_v \left(\frac{R_i}{R_o}\right) \tag{5}$$

$$G_m = \frac{A_v}{R_o} \tag{6}$$

$$R_m = A_v R_i (7)$$

6 Appendix



VOLTAGE AMPLIFIER MODEL

TRANSCONDUCTANCE MODEL

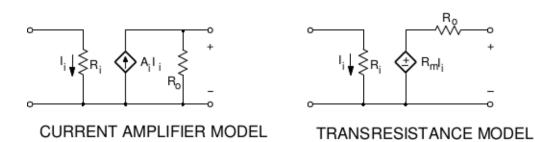


Figure 3: Four equivalent models of an amplifier