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**EE302 Analog Circuits Lab**

**Experiment 5**  
**Design of adder and subtractor circuit using**  
**differential amplifier**

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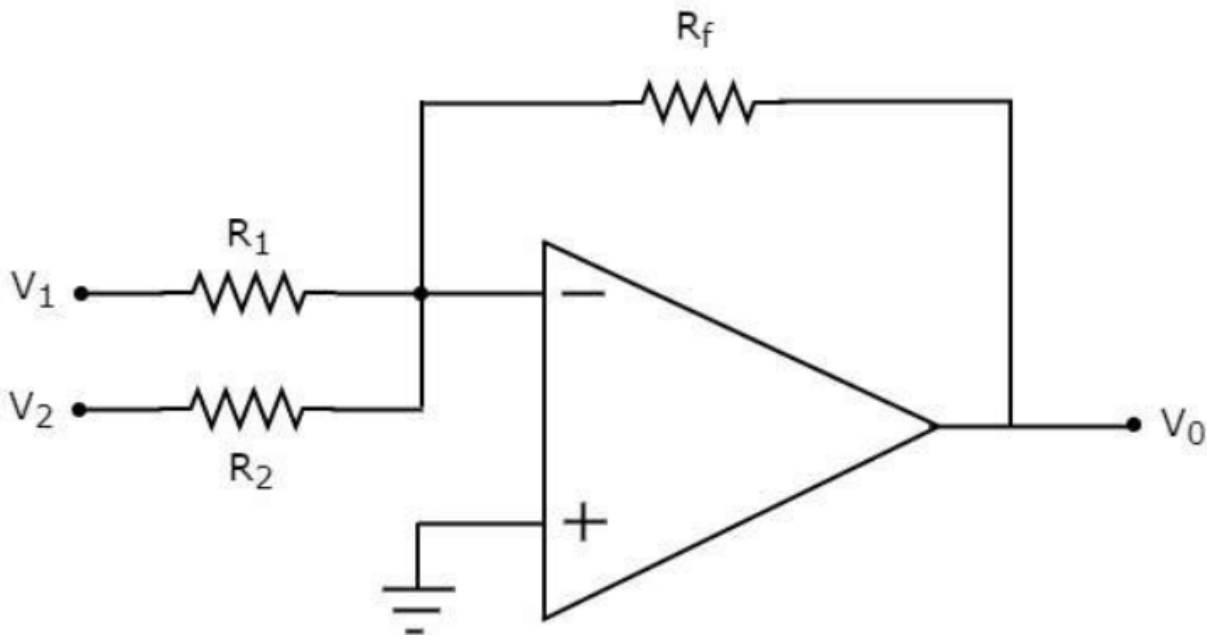
**Objectives:** To implement adder and subtractor circuits using differential amplifiers designed in the previous experiment and verify using sinusoidal input signals.

**Components/Tools Required:** Ltspice, Gdocs

### Theory :

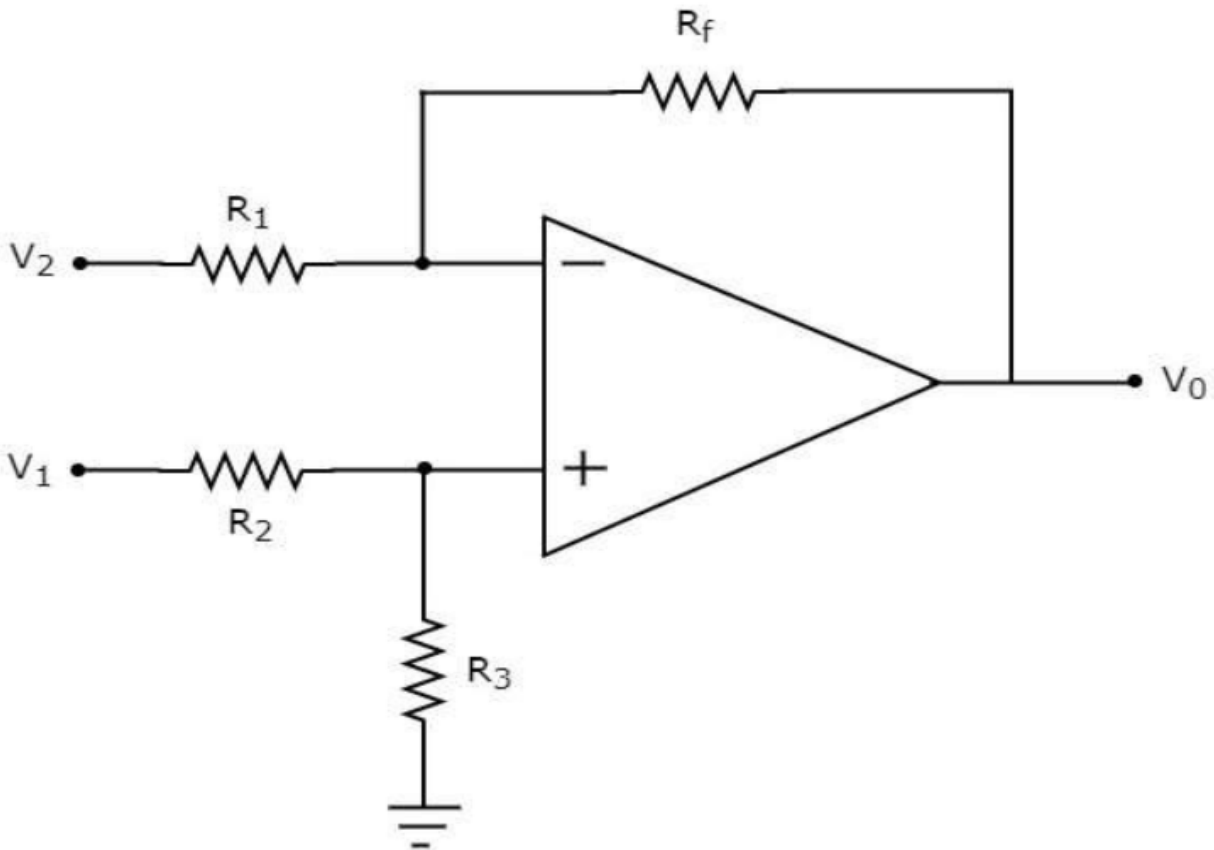
The electronic circuits, which perform arithmetic operations are called arithmetic **circuits**. Using op-amps, you can build basic arithmetic circuits such as an **adder** and a **subtractor**.

- An adder is an electronic circuit that produces an output, which is equal to the sum of the applied inputs. An op-amp based adder produces an output equal to the sum of the input voltages applied at its inverting terminal. It is also called a **summing amplifier**, since the output is an amplified one.



$$V_0 = -R_f \left( \frac{V_1}{R_1} + \frac{V_2}{R_2} \right)$$

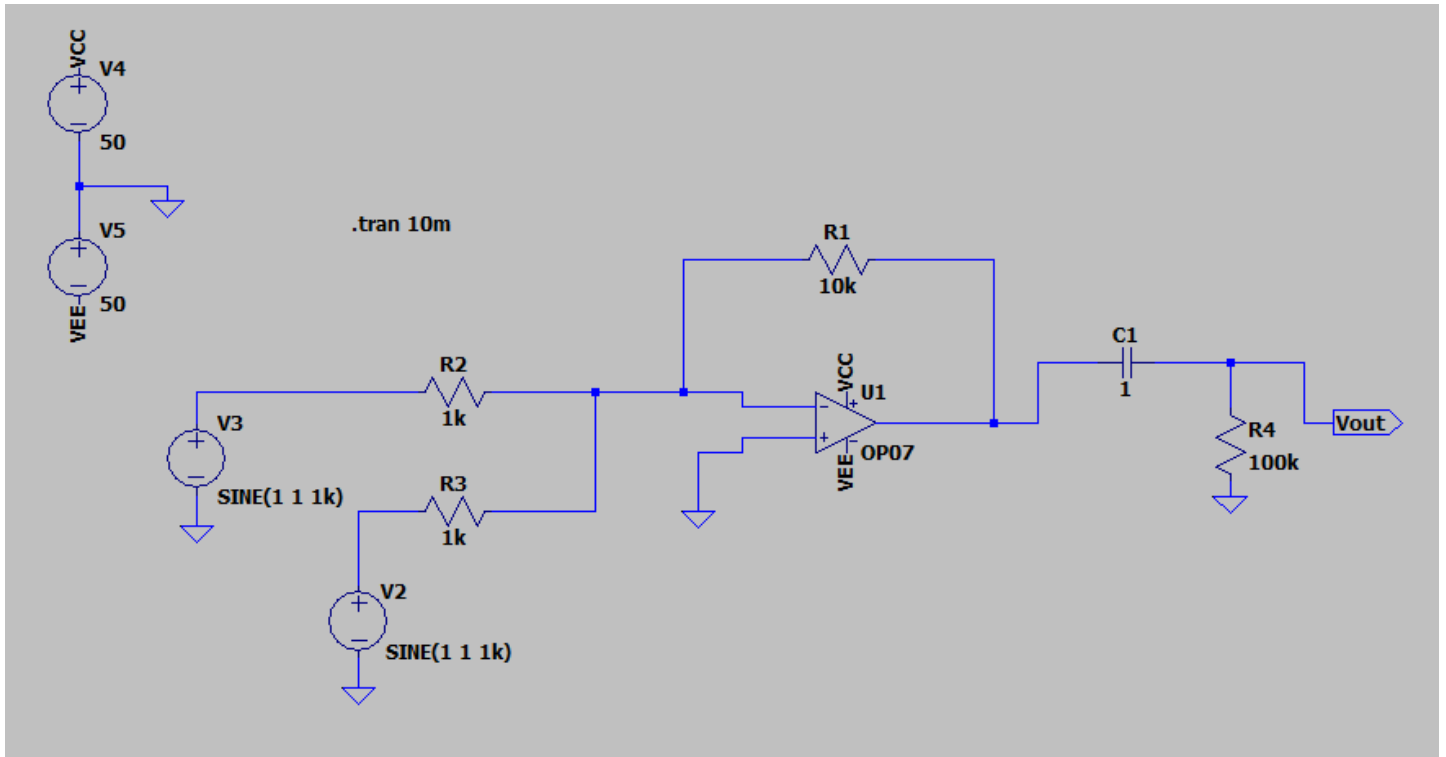
- A subtractor is an electronic circuit that produces an output, which is equal to the difference of the applied inputs. An op-amp based subtractor produces an output equal to the difference of the input voltages applied at its inverting and non-inverting terminals. It is also called a **difference amplifier**, since the output is an amplified one.



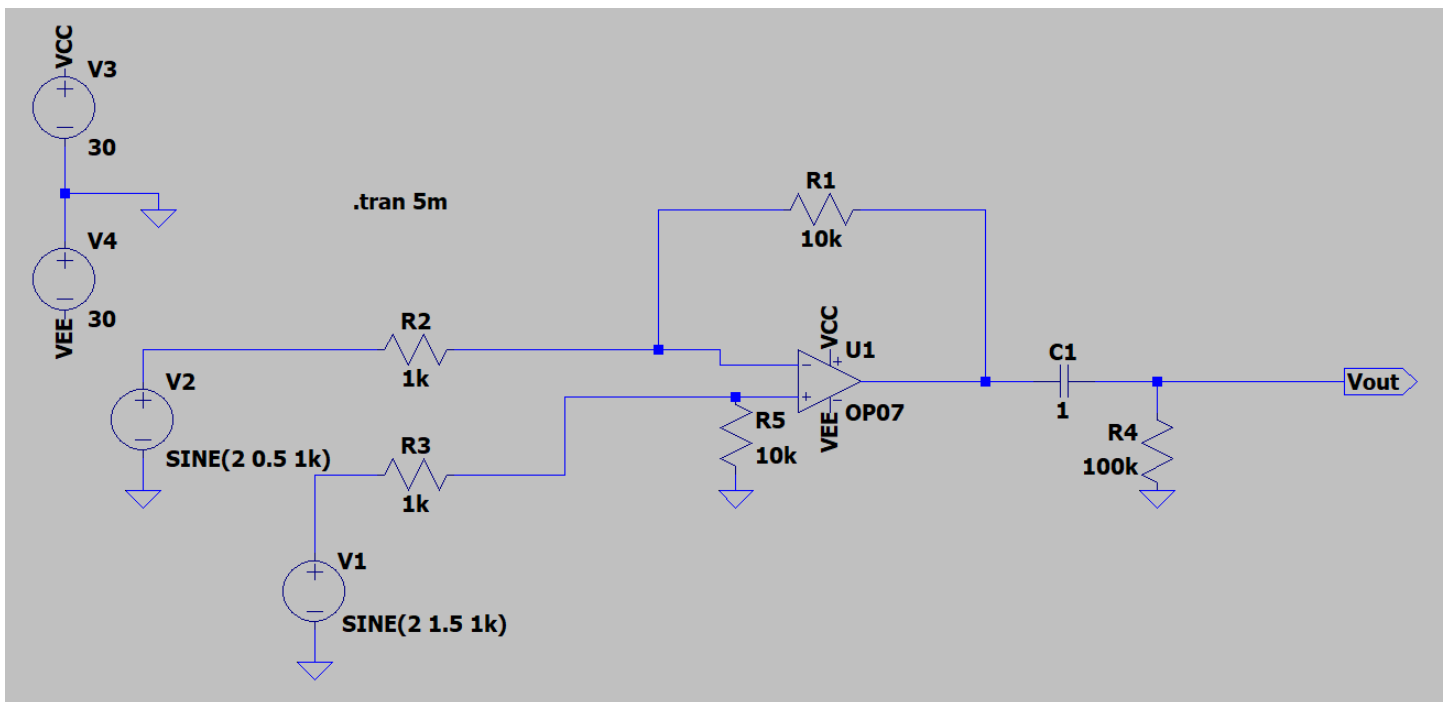
$$V_0 = V_1 \left( \frac{R_3}{R_2 + R_3} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{R_f}{R_1} \right) - V_2 \left( \frac{R_f}{R_1} \right)$$

## Circuit Diagram:

- Adder

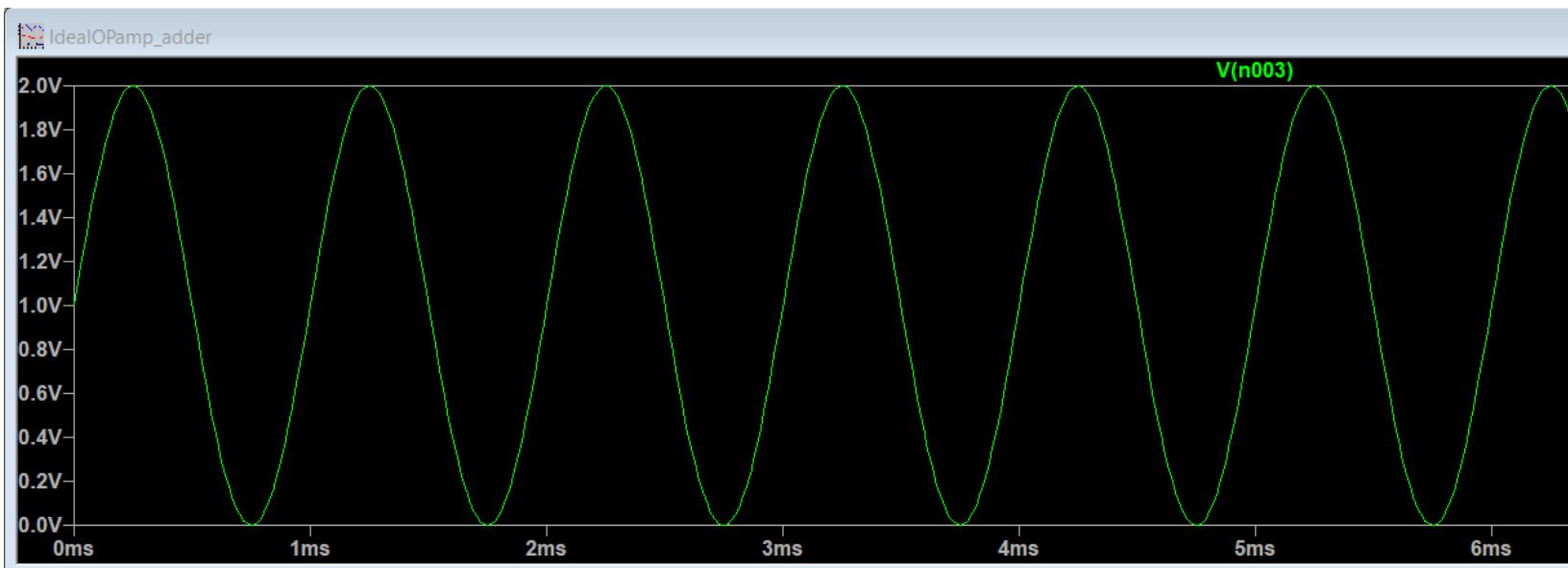


- Subtractor

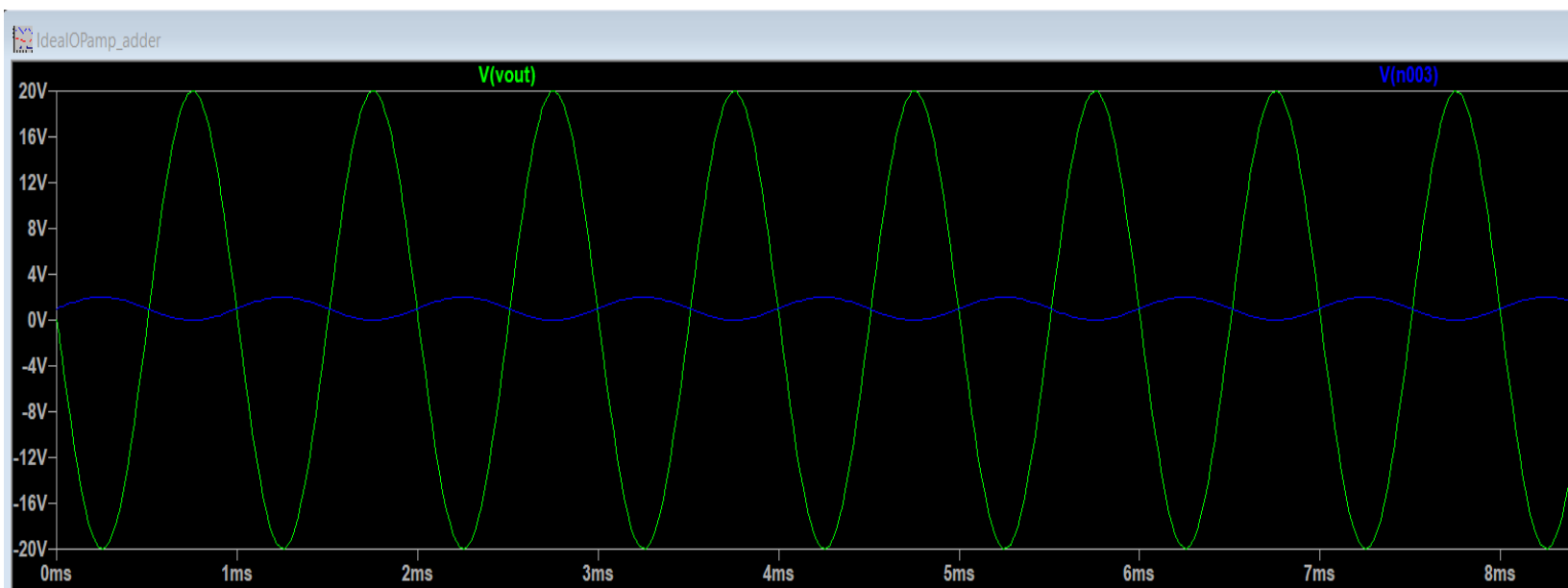


## Waveforms:

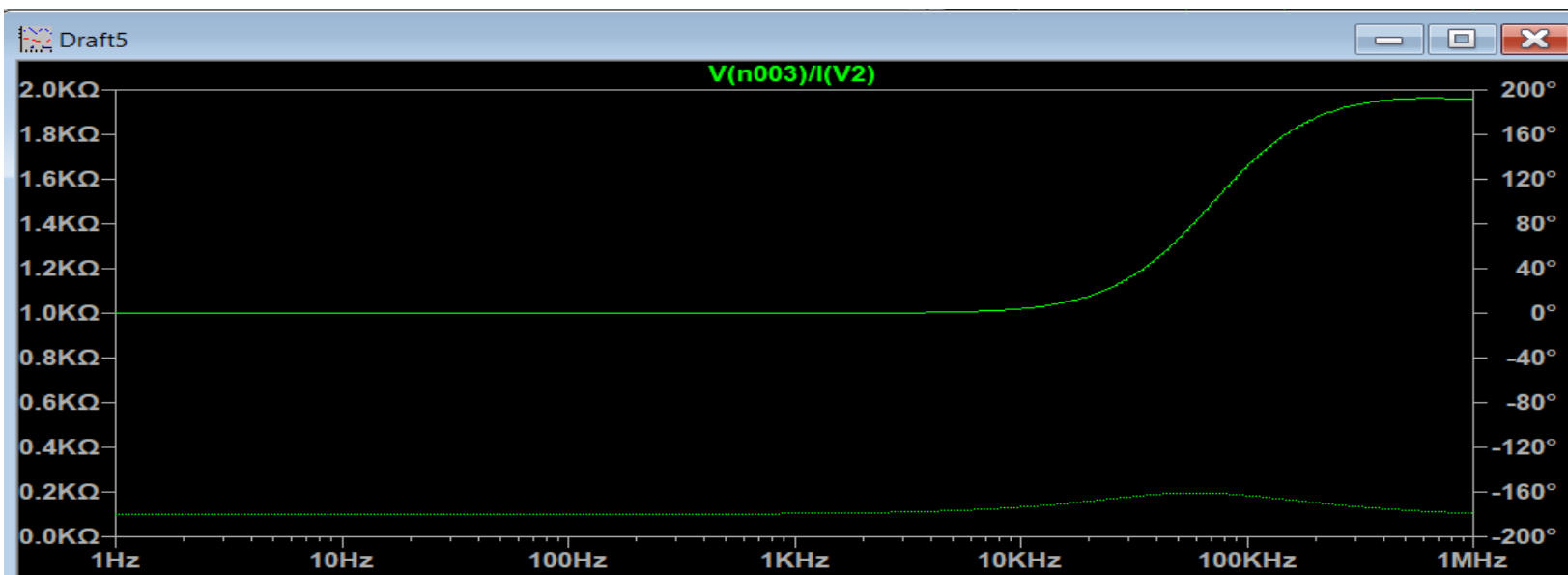
- Adder



$$V1 = V2 = 1 + 1\sin\omega t$$

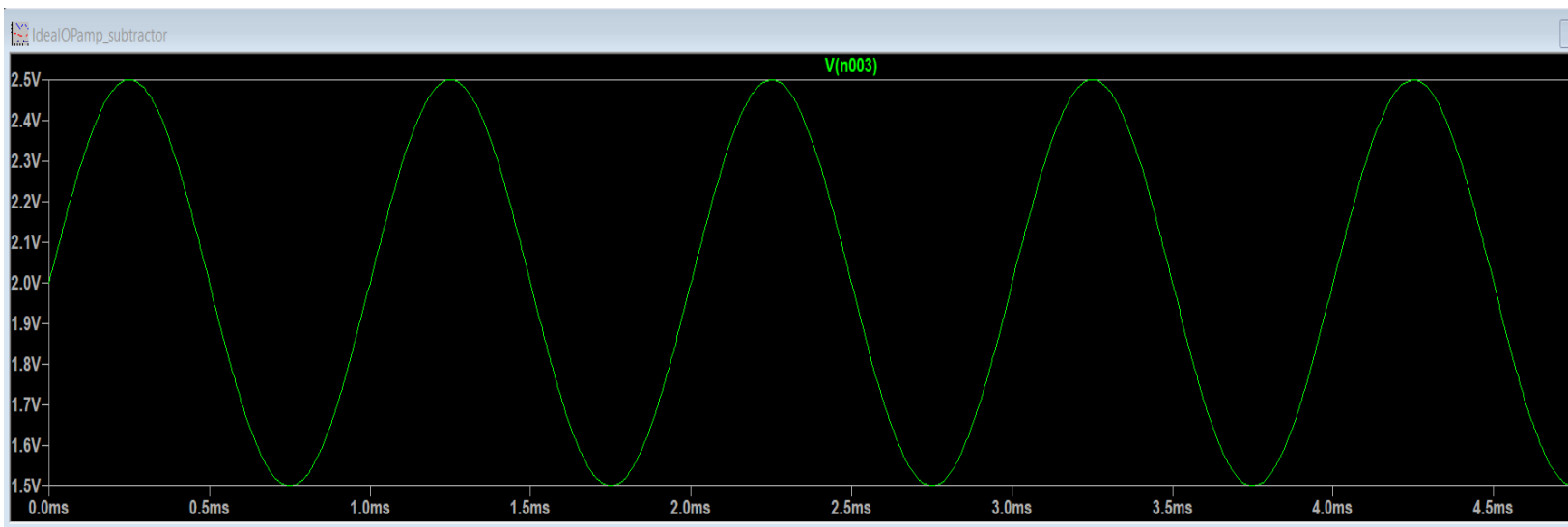


$$\text{Gain} = -10 \text{ V/V (without dc offset)}$$

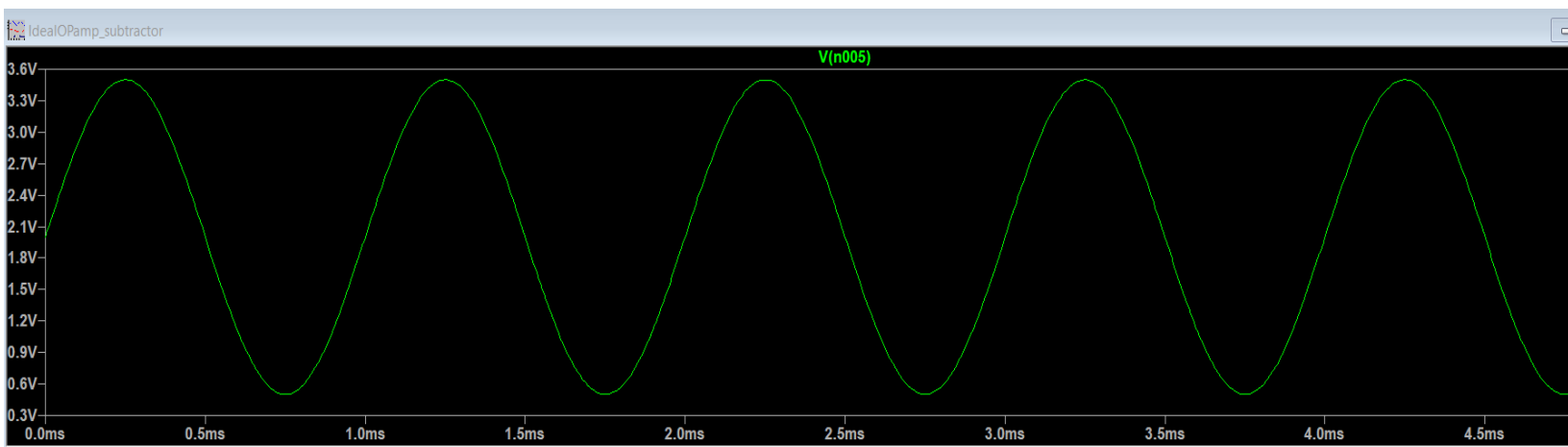


$R_{in} = 1 \text{ Kohm (V3 and V2 as input)}$

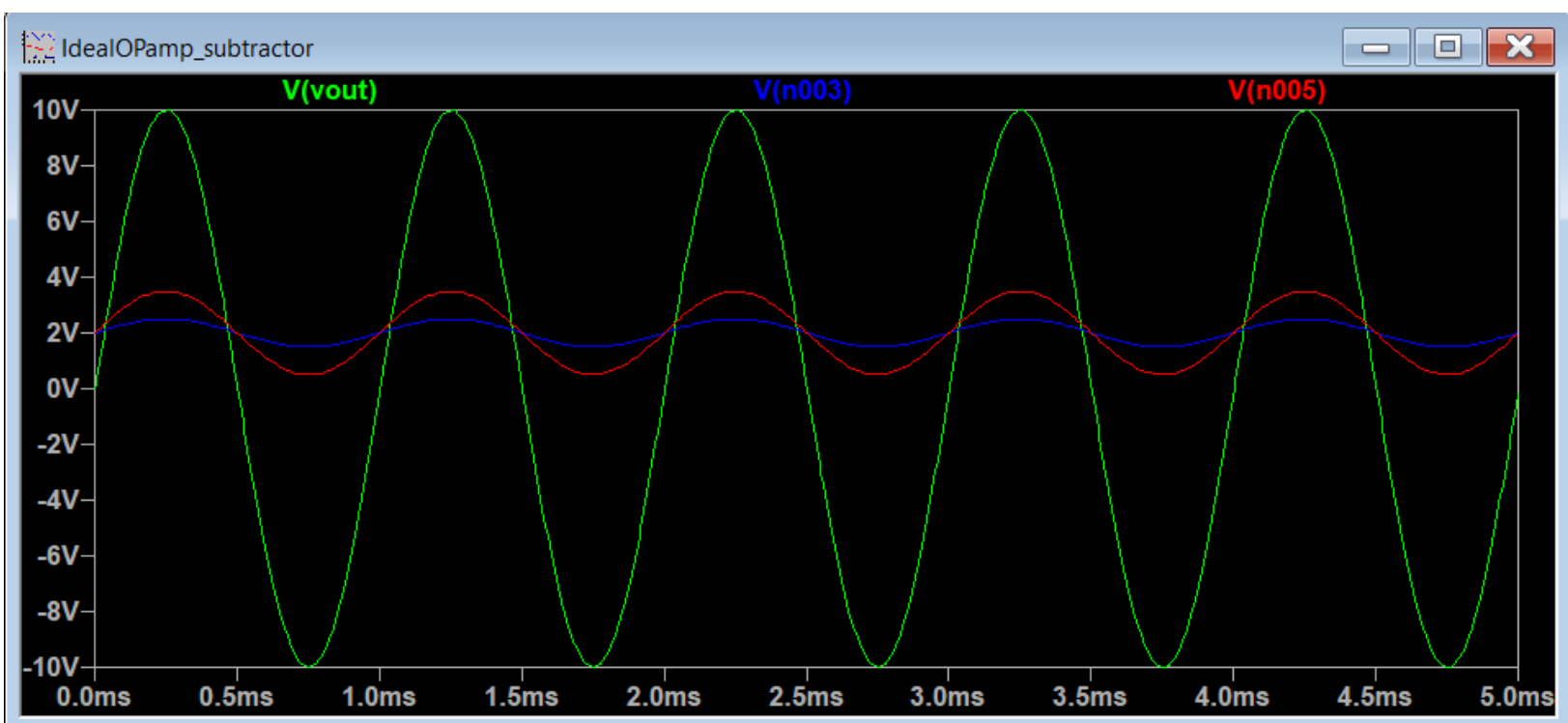
- Subtractor



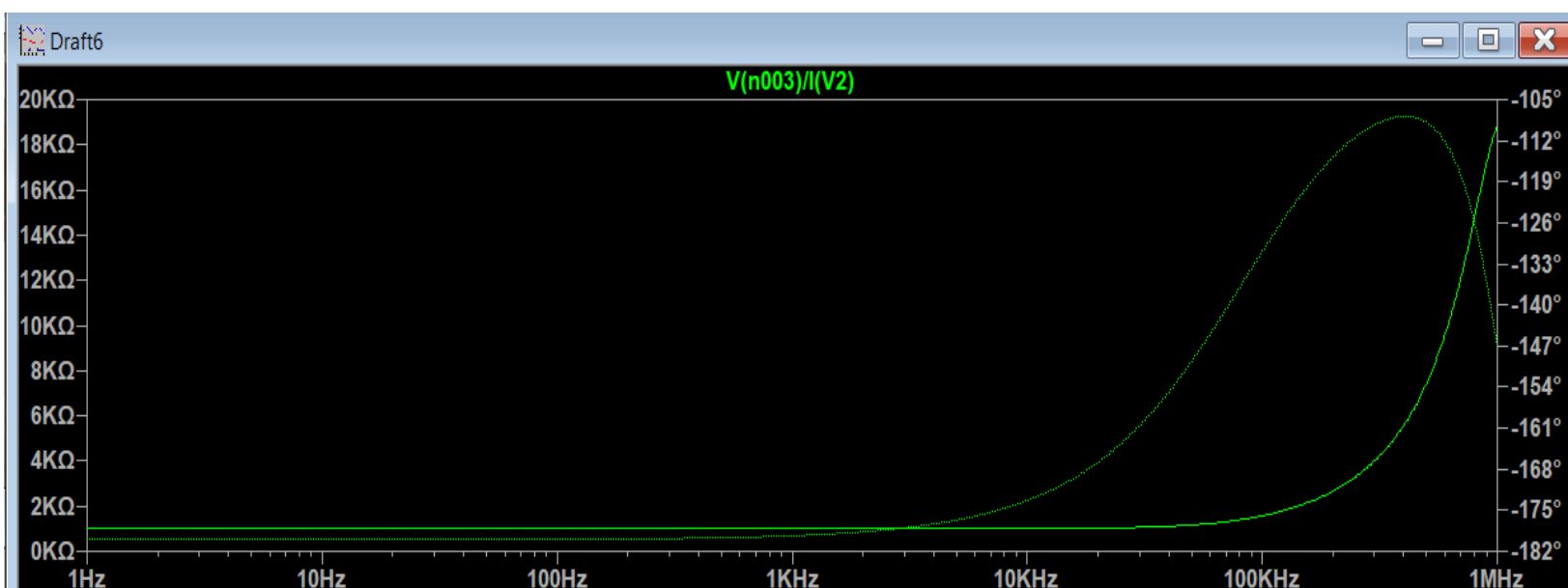
$$V_1 = 2 + 0.5\sin\omega t$$



$$V_2 = 2 + 1.5\sin\omega t$$



$$\text{Gain} = 10 \text{ V/V (without dc offset)}$$



$$R_{in}(V2) = 1 \text{ Kohm}$$

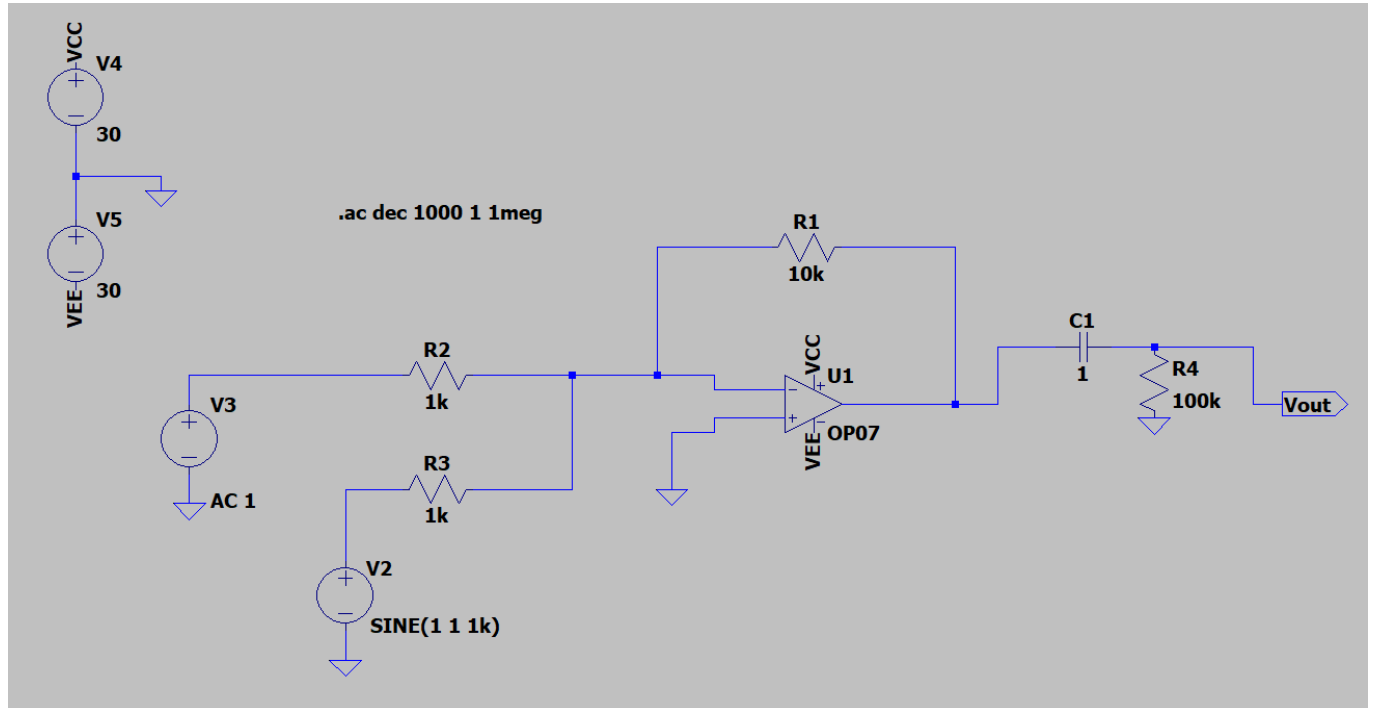


$$R_{in}(V1) = 11 \text{ Kohm}$$

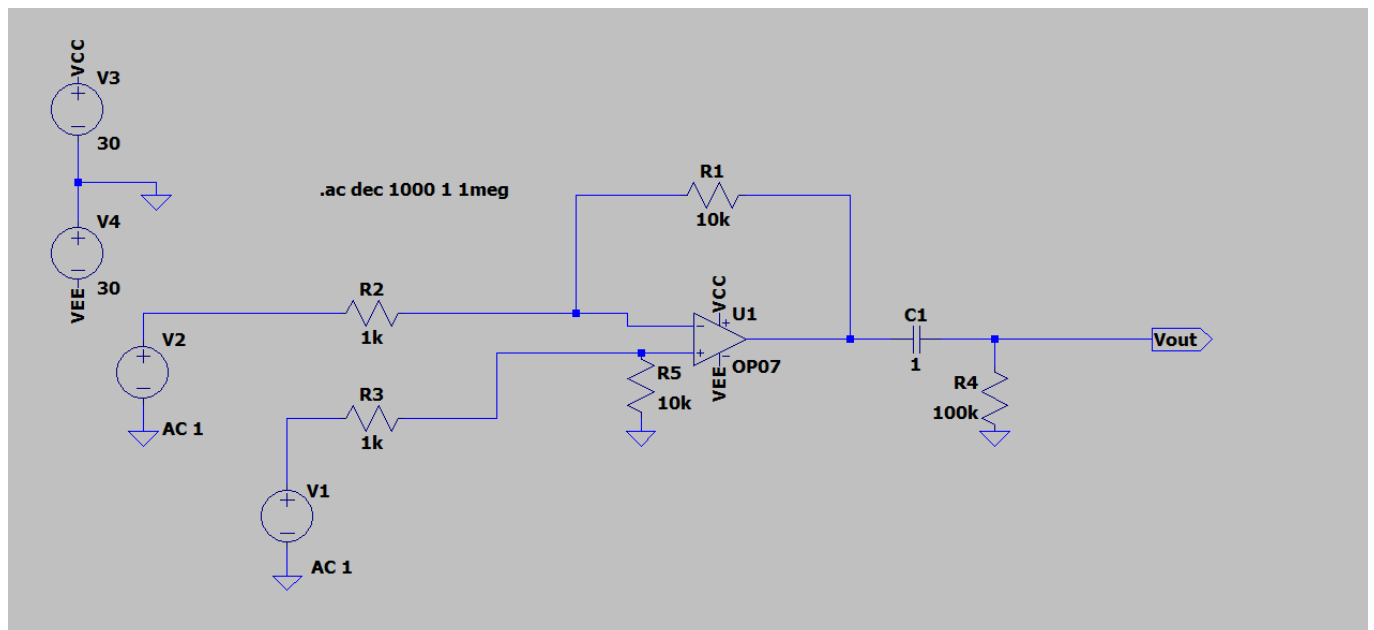


For input impedance, Ac analysis was done and  $V/I$  was calculated.  
Check below given schematic diagrams of Ac analysis.

- Adder



- Subtractor



## Hand Calculations :

For adder

$$V_o = -R_f \left( \frac{V_1}{R_1} + \frac{V_2}{R_2} \right)$$
$$V_o = -10K \left( \frac{1 \sin wt}{1K} + \frac{1 \sin wt}{1K} \right)$$
$$V_o = -20K \sin wt = -10(1+1) \sin wt.$$

For subtractor

$$V_o = V_1 \left( \frac{R_3}{R_2+R_3} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{R_f}{R_1} \right) - V_2 \left( \frac{R_f}{R_1} \right)$$
$$V_o = 1.5 \sin wt \left( \frac{10}{11} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{10}{1} \right) - 0.5 \sin wt \left( \frac{10}{1} \right)$$
$$V_o = 15 \sin wt - 0.5 \sin wt$$
$$V_o = 10 \sin wt = 10(1.5 - 0.5) \sin wt$$

$V_o = 15 \sin wt - 5 \sin wt$  (in above image)\*

For filter circuit :  $R = 100 \text{ Kohm}$  ,  $C = 1 \text{ ohm}$