

Amplifiers Note Book

(Electronics II)

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• Multi-stage Amplifier.

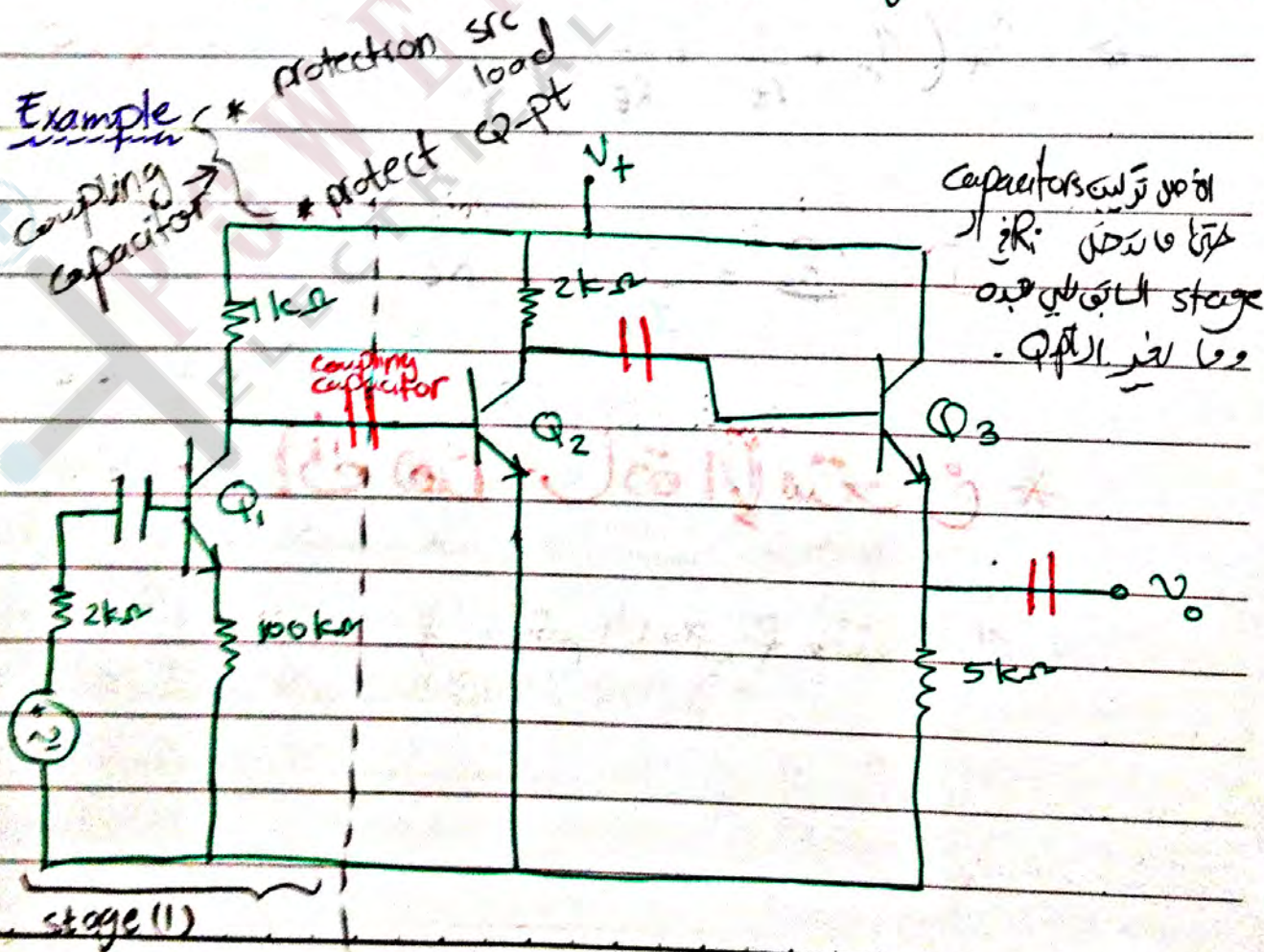
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1-stage.

It is used to satisfy some requirements that can not be satisfied by single stage.

Example: * CE without R_E \rightarrow has a high A_v but unstable.

* CE with R_E \rightarrow has low A_v but stable.

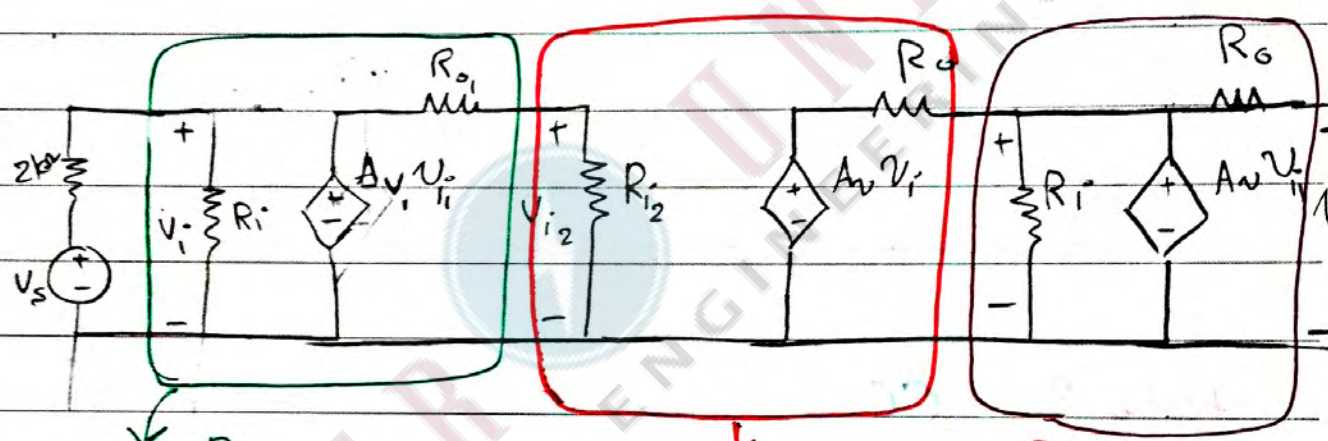
* CC has $A_v = 1$ but high R_i and R_o



For Q_1 : $\beta = 100$, $r_\pi = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$

For Q_2 & Q_3 : $\beta = 100$, $r_\pi = 0.5 \text{ k}\Omega$

Find $A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_s}$:



$$V_{i1} = V_s \frac{R_i}{R_i + R_s}$$

$$V_{i2} = A_{v1} V_{o1} \frac{R_{i2}}{R_{i2} + R_{o1}}$$

بار ولسا قدم هادي الطريقة! بتجلى في كل stage وبتوحد A_v و R_o stage لستى

* Solution :-

stage 1: $A_{v1} = -\beta R_c \frac{R_i}{r_\pi + (1+\beta)R_E (R_i + R_s)}$

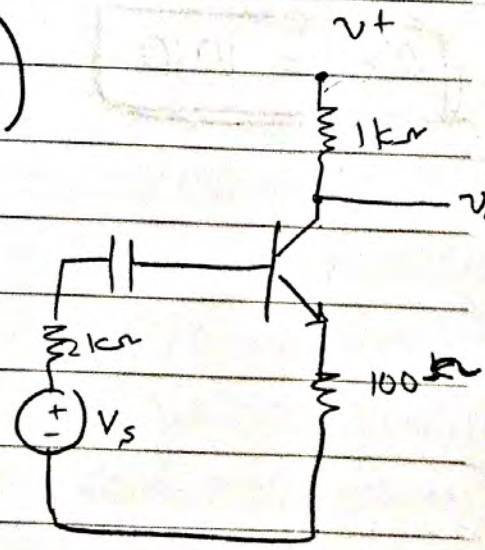
$$R_i = [r_\pi + (1+\beta)R_E] \parallel R_1 \parallel R_2$$

$$\therefore R_i = r_\pi + (1+\beta)R_E$$

Sub \rightarrow

$$A_{v1} = -7.63$$

$$R_{o1} = R_c = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$$



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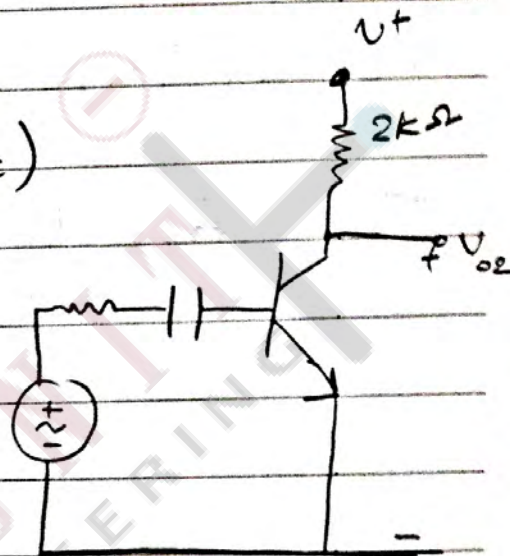
stage 2:- CE without RE -

$$A_{v2} = -g_m \left(\frac{R_1 // R_2 // r_\pi}{R_1 // R_2 // r_\pi + R_s} \right) (r_o // R_c)$$

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 R_{o1}

$A_{v2} = -133$

$R_{o2} = (r_o // R_c = 2k\Omega)$

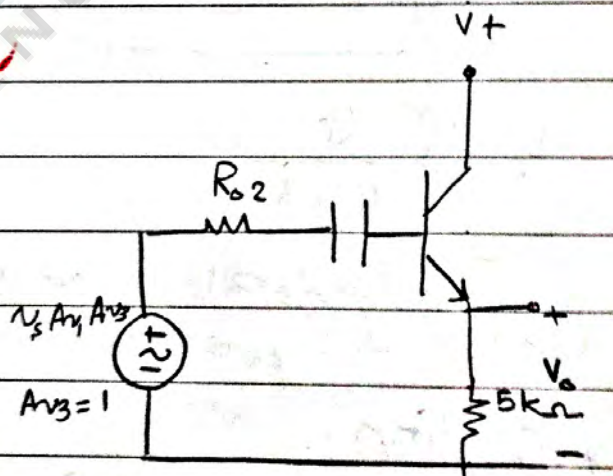


stage 3:- CC

$V_o = V_s A_{v1} A_{v2} A_{v3}$

$A_{v3} = \frac{V_o}{V_s} = A_{v1} A_{v2} A_{v3}$

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 -2.55 -133 1



$A_v = 1010$

just gain & in phase

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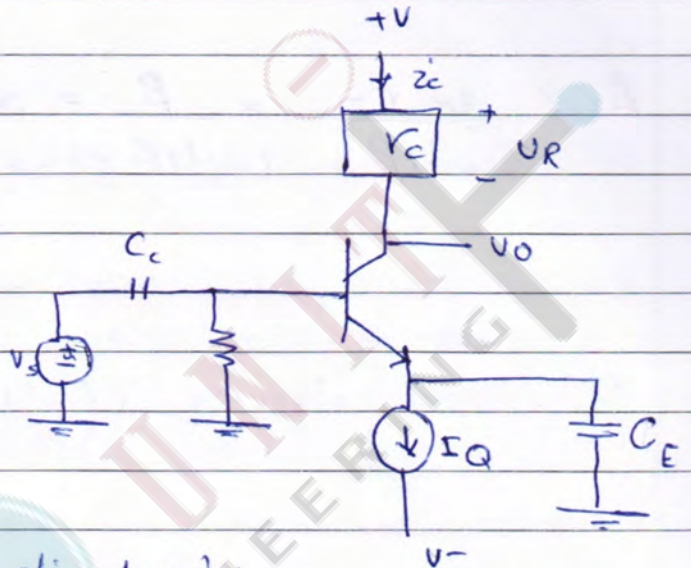
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* active load:-

r_c : non-linear resistor

no advantages:-

high r_c so high A_v



We can replace r_c with active load:

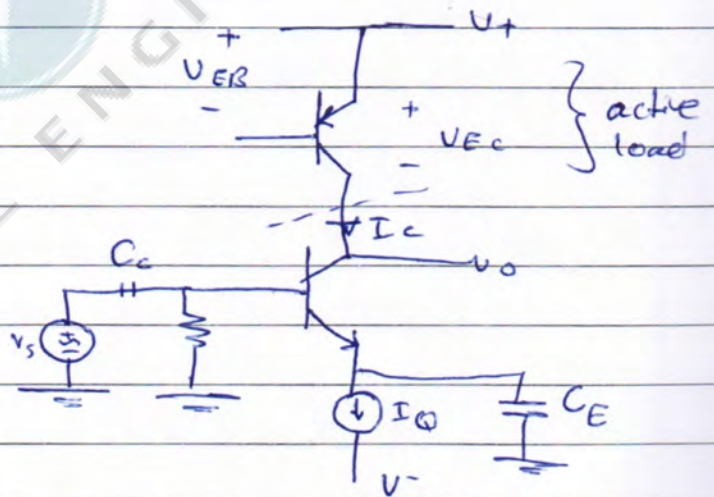
advantages:-

1. Small size, so it can be used in ICs.

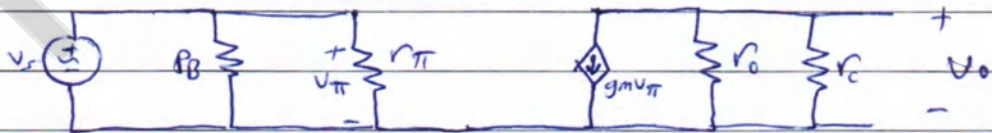
2. r_c is high, so high A_v

3. We don't need bypass

Capacitor



AC circuit:-



this is an example of using the npn & pnp transistor in the same circuit.

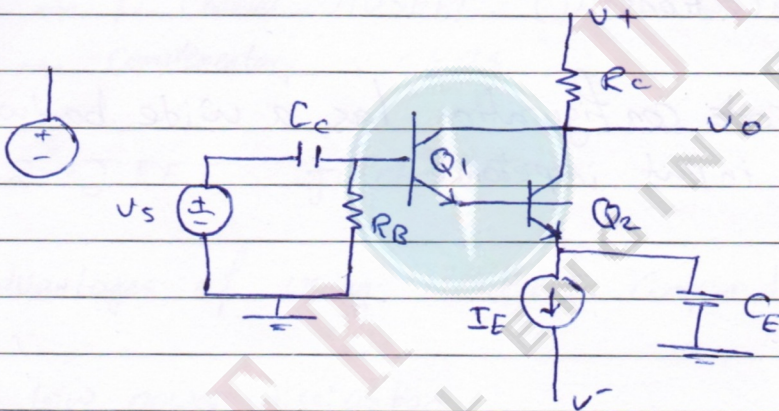
Note:-

Multistage Amplifier could have:-

1. Cascade Configuration. (ex, Darlington pair circuit)
2. Cascode configuration.

→ Cascade Configuration

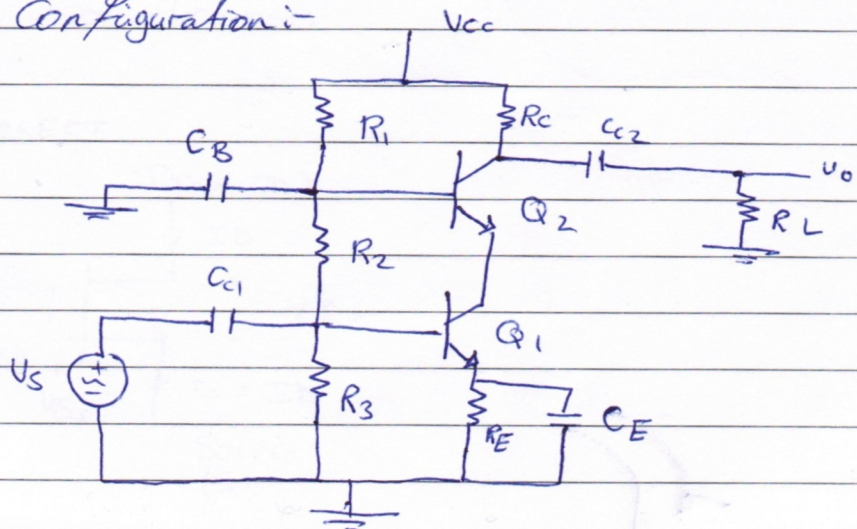
** example → Darlington pair Configuration.



Features:-

1. high Current gain : $A_i = \beta_1 \beta_2$
2. high input resistance $R_i \approx 2\beta_1 r_{\pi 2}$

* Cascode Configuration:-



Q₁: Common Emitter

Q₂: Common Base

→ CE drives CB

→ advantages:-

CB has bandwidth wider than CE, But CB has low input impedance which is a limitation in many applications.

→ but, Cascode configuration has a wide bandwidth and high input impedance.

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Field Effect Transistor (FET) Amplifier:-

FET:

1. MOSFET: metal oxide - semiconductor FET
 - ⇒ n-channel MOSFET (nMOS) ⇒ enhancement, depletion
 - ⇒ p-channel MOSFET (pMOS) ⇒ enhancement, depletion.
 - ⇒ Complementary: CMOS

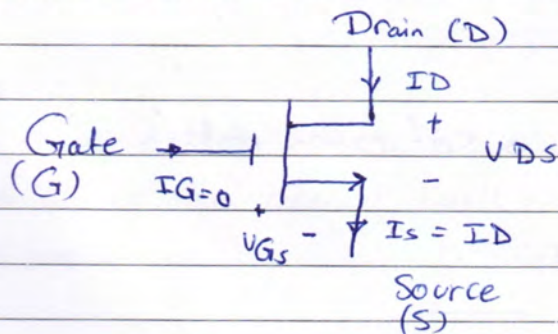
2. JFET: Junction FET.

* advantages of using MOSFET compared with BJT:

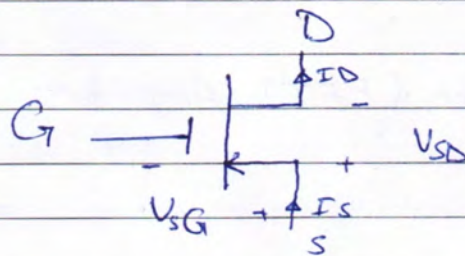
1. low power dissipation.
2. Small size
3. high input impedance.

But, $g_m(\text{BJT}) \gg g_m(\text{FET})$ in mA/VSo $A_v(\text{BJT}) \gg A_v(\text{FET})$

n-channel MOSFET



P-Channel



We will have:

- Common gate Amplifier
- Common Drain Amplifier
- Common Source Amplifier.

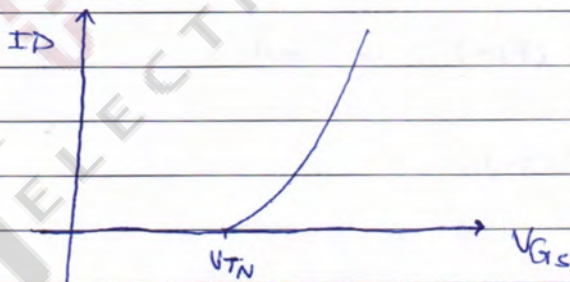
Note: the transistor should be in saturation mode to work as amplifier.

* Dc analysis:-

→ Draw Dc equivalent circuit

→ use: $I_{DQ} = K_n (V_{GSQ} - V_{TN})^2$

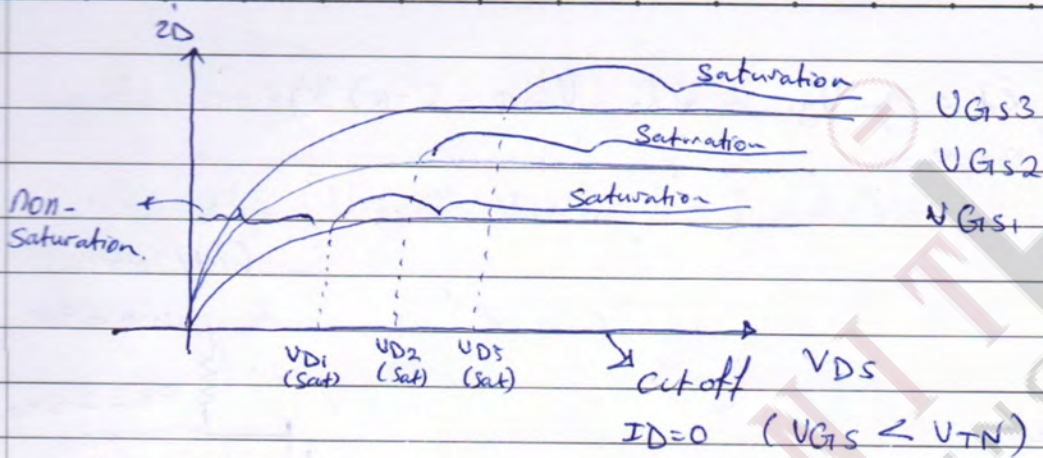
where K_n is the conduction parameter. (mA/V^2)



V_{TN} : threshold voltage.

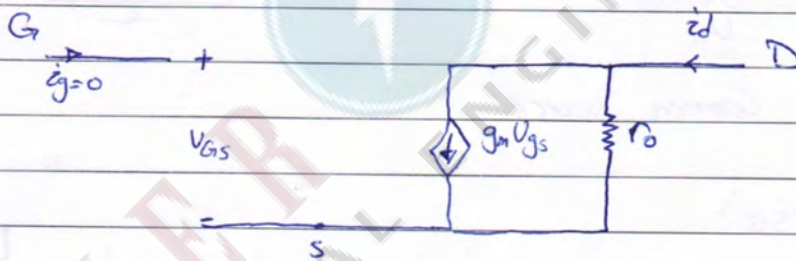
if $V_{DSQ} > V_{DS}(\text{sat}) \rightarrow$ saturation mode.

$$V_{DS}(\text{sat}) = V_{GSQ} - V_{TN}$$

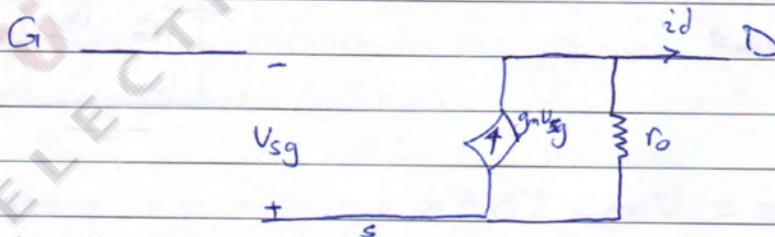


* AC analysis steps:-

→ AC equivalent circuit if n-channel:



if p-channel:-



for n-channel:-

$$\rightarrow g_m = 2K_n (V_{GSQ} - V_{TN})$$

$$\rightarrow r_o = \frac{1}{\lambda I_{DQ}}$$

where λ is the channel length modulation parameter (positive value.)

$$\Rightarrow i_d = g_m V_{gs} = 2k_n (V_{GSQ} - U_{TN}) V_{gs}$$

if $r_o = \infty$

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Ex:

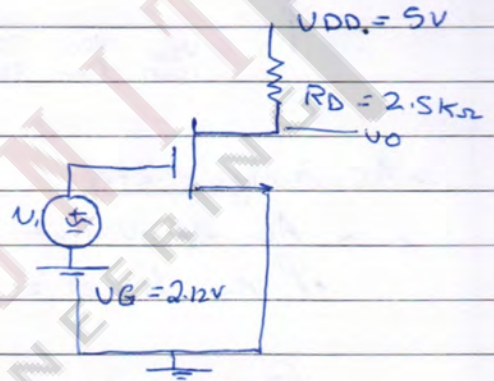
Given:-

$$U_{TN} = 1V$$

$$k_n = 0.8 \text{ mA/V}^2$$

$$\lambda = 0.02 \text{ V}^{-1}$$

find $A_V = \frac{V_o}{V_i}$



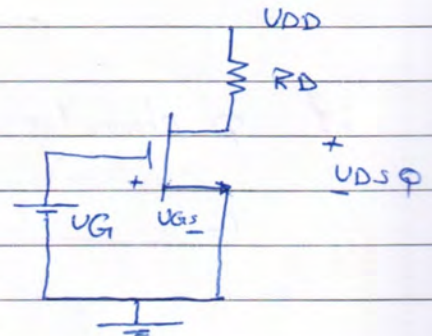
Sol:- \Rightarrow Common Source

Dc analysis:-

$$\Rightarrow V_{GSQ} = V_G = 2.12V$$

$$\Rightarrow I_D = k_n (V_{GSQ} - U_{TN})^2$$

$$= 1 \text{ mA}$$



output loop:

$$\Rightarrow V_{DSQ} = V_{DD} - I_D R_D$$

$$= 5 - 1(2.5)$$

$$= 2.5V$$

\Rightarrow check: $V_{DSQ} > V_{DS(sat)} \Rightarrow$ yes, saturation mode.
So, the transistor can be used as amplifier.

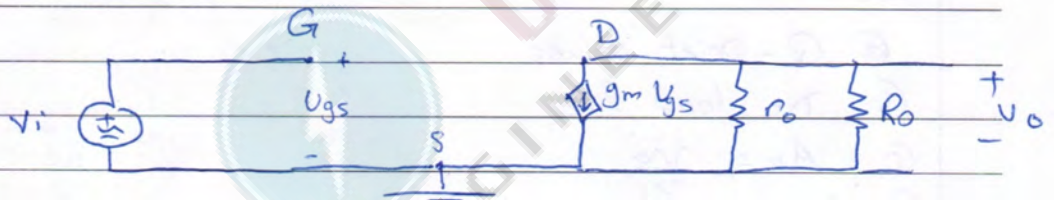
Note: $V_{DS(sat)} = V_{GSQ} - U_{TN}$

→ Ac analysis:

$$g_m = 2K_n (V_{GSQ} - V_{TN}) = 1.79 \text{ mA/V}$$

$$r_o = \frac{1}{\lambda I_{DQ}} = 50 \text{ k}\Omega$$

→ Ac eq. circuit:



$$A_v = \frac{v_o}{v_i}$$

$$= -g_m (r_o \parallel R_o)$$

$$A_v = -4.26$$

Ex: Use the same circuit in the previous example, but with P-channel MOSFET.

Given $V_{TP} = -1 \text{ V}$

$$k_p = 0.8 \text{ mA/V}^2$$

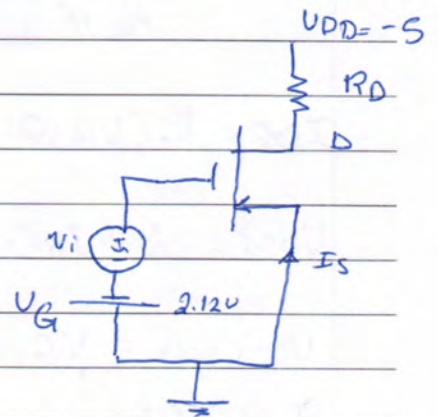
$$\lambda = 0.02 \text{ V}^{-1}$$

DC values stays the same.

AC:

$$A_v = -g_m (r_o \parallel R_o)$$

also stays the same.



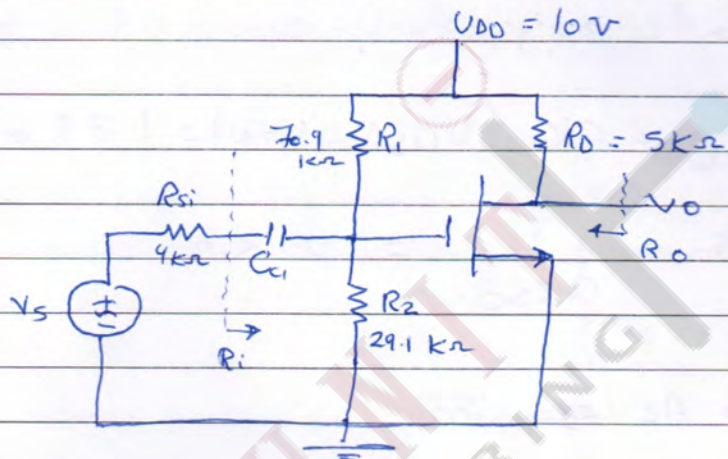
Ex:-

Given:

$$V_{TN} = 1.5 \text{ V}$$

$$K_n = 0.5 \text{ mA/V}^2$$

$$\lambda = 0.01 \text{ V}^{-1}$$



Find:

- Q-point values
- Dc load line
- $A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_s}$
- R_i
- R_o

Sol: \rightarrow Common Source amplifier.

Dc analysis:-

$$V_{GSQ} = 10 \frac{R_2}{R_2 + R_1} = 2.91 \text{ V}$$

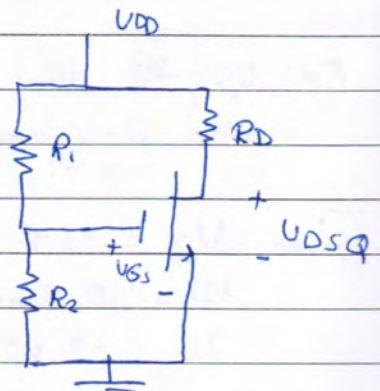
$$I_{DQ} = K_n (V_{GSQ} - V_{TN})^2 = 1 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_{DSQ} = 10 - I_{DQ} R_D = 5 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{DS(sat)} = V_{GSQ} - V_{TN}$$

so, check:

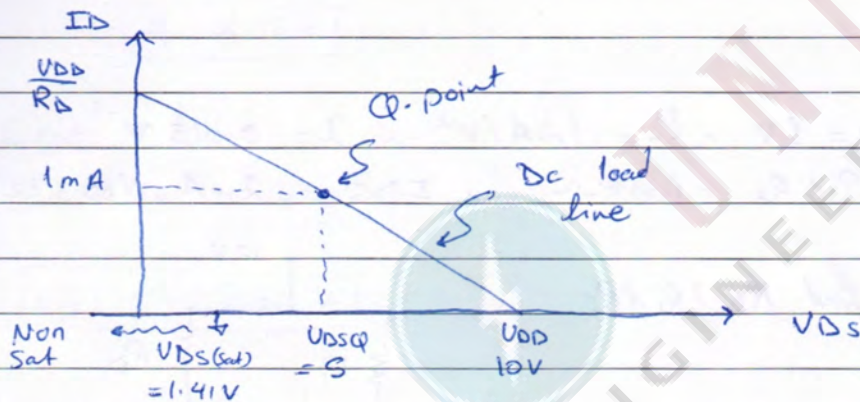
$$V_{DSQ} > V_{DS(sat)} \quad \text{yes, } \rightarrow \text{ saturation.}$$



(b) Dc load line: $I_D \propto V_{DS}$

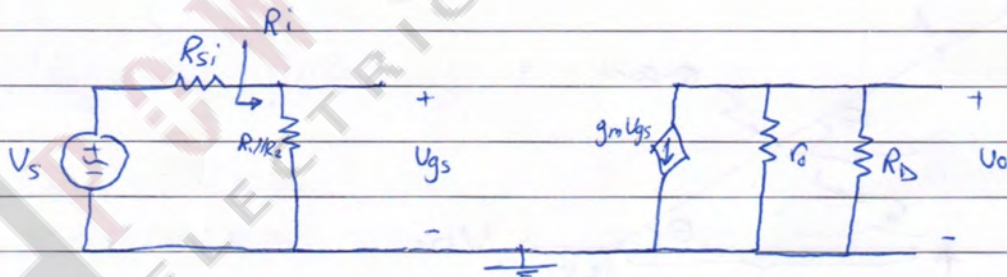
$$-V_{DD} + I_D R_D + V_{DS} = 0$$

$$I_D = \frac{V_{DD}}{R_D} - \frac{V_{DS}}{R_D}$$



Best value for $V_{DSQ} = \frac{10 + 1.41}{2} = 5.705 \text{ V}$

Ac analysis:-



$$R_i = R_1 // R_2 = 20.6 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_o = R_g // R_D = 4.76 \text{ k}\Omega$$

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Design Example:-

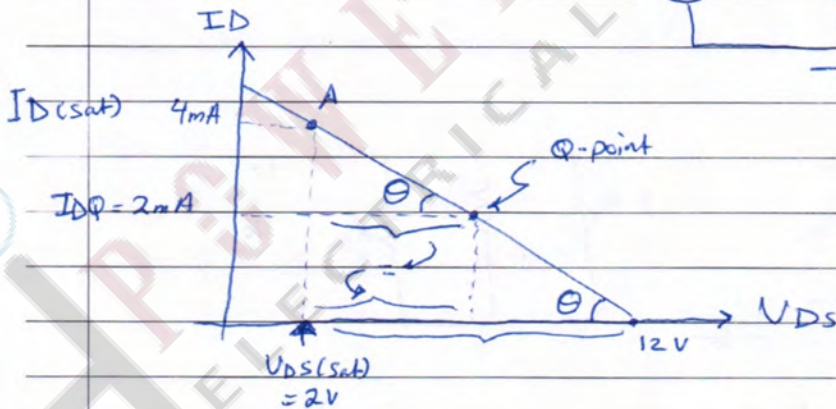
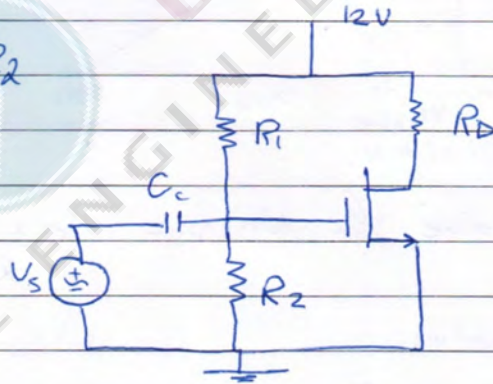
Design the bias of a MOSFET (Common Source) such that the Q-point is in the middle of saturation region

Given:- $V_{TN} = 1V$, $K_n = 1mA/V^2$, $\lambda = 0.015V^{-1}$
 $R_i = R_1 // R_2 = 100k\Omega$, $I_{DQ} = 2mA$, $V_{DD} = 12V$

we want to find R_D & R_1 & R_2

Sol:-

draw Dc load line:-



at point A :

$$I_{D_A} = 4mA$$

$$I_{D_A} = K_n (V_{G_{s_A}} - V_{TN})^2$$

$$V_{G_{s_A}} = 3V$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{DS(sat)} = V_{GS_A} - U_{TN} = 2V$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{DSQ} = \frac{12+2}{2} = 7V$$

$$\neq -12 + I_{DQ} R_D + V_{DSQ} = 0$$

$$\boxed{R_D = 2.5k}$$

$$I_{DQ} = k_n (U_{GSQ} - U_{TN})^2$$

$$2mA = 1(U_{GSQ} - 1)^2$$

$$\boxed{U_{GSQ} = 2.41V}$$

$$U_{GSQ} = 12 \frac{R_2}{R_2 + R_1} + \frac{R_1}{R_1}$$

$$= \frac{12 R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} + \frac{1}{R_1}$$

$$U_{GSQ} = 12 \left(\frac{R_1 // R_2}{R_1} \right) + \frac{1}{R_1}$$

$$R_1 = 498k\Omega$$

$$R_2 = 125k\Omega$$

another method:-

$$U_{GSQ} = \frac{12 R_1}{R_1}$$

$$U_{GSQ} = \frac{1200}{R_1}$$

$$I_{DQ} = k_n (U_{GSQ} - U_{TN})^2$$

$$2 = 1 \left(\frac{1200}{R_1} - 1 \right)^2$$

$$\sqrt{2} + 1 = \frac{1200}{R_1} \Rightarrow R_1 = \frac{1200}{1 + \sqrt{2}} = 498 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_2 = 125 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$V_{GS} = 2.41$$

$$-12 + I_{DQ} R_D + V_{DSQ} = 0$$

$$V_{DSQ} = 6.7$$

$$R_D = 2.65 \text{ k}\Omega$$

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first method:-

$$V_{DS}(\text{sat}) = 2V$$

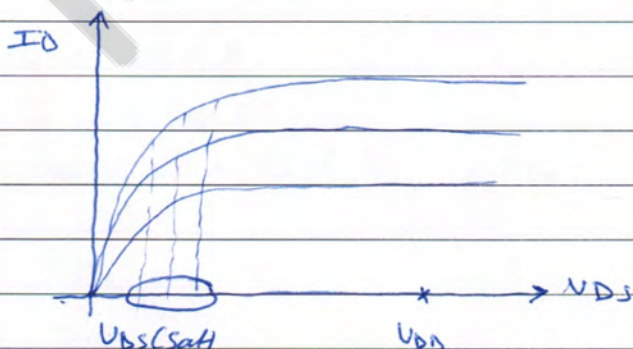
$$V_{DSQ} = 7V$$

Second method

$$V_{DS}(\text{sat}) = 1.41$$

$$V_{DSQ} = 6.7$$

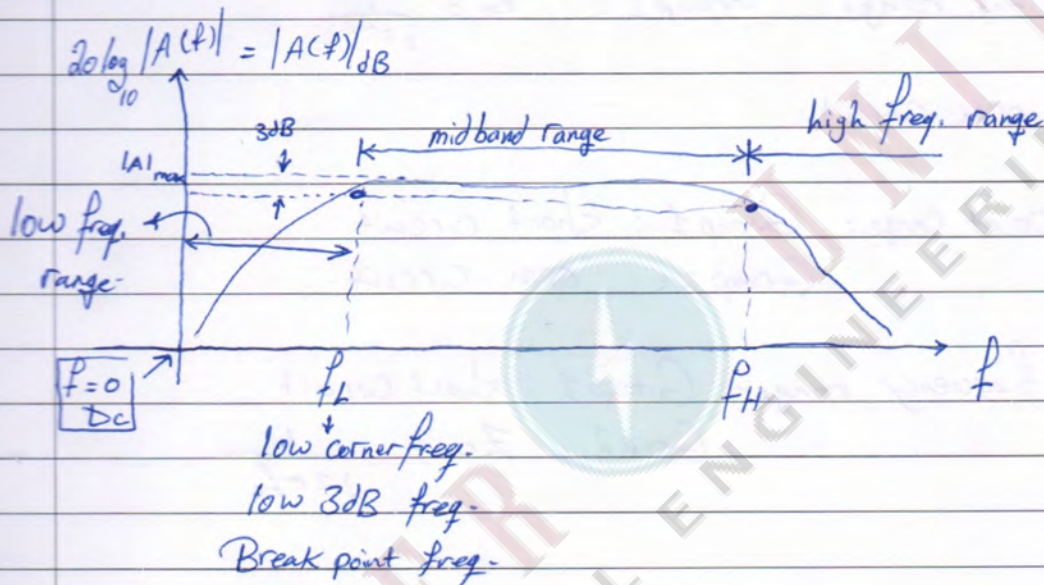
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= because of approximation -

Frequency Response:-

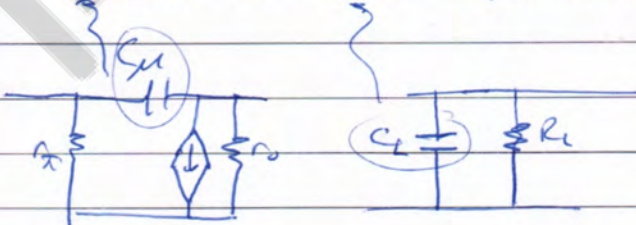
it is the steady state output of a linear system due to a sinusoidal input.



$$\text{Band width (BW)} = f_H - f_L$$

Types of capacitors

- ① coupling & bypass capacitors. (Group 1)
- ② Transistor & load capacitors. (Group 2)



→ In DC ($f=0$) ⇒ all capacitors are open circuit

$$Z_c = \frac{1}{j2\pi fC} = \infty \Omega$$

→ low freq. range: Group 1: $Z_c = \frac{1}{j2\pi fC}$

Group 2: open circuit

→ Mid point range: Group 1: short circuit

Group 2: open circuit

→ high frequency range: Group 1: short circuit

Group 2: $Z_c = \frac{1}{j2\pi fC}$