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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. This paper contains **FIVE** (5) questions in **NINE** (9) pages.
2. Answer **ALL** questions.
3. Write **all** answers in the answer booklet provided. Use **pen** to write your answer.
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Question 1 [20 marks]

Figure 1 has the transistor parameters of $\beta = 180$, $V_{BE(on)} = 0.7 \text{ V}$ (for all transistors EXCLUDING Q_4), $V_A = \infty$ for Q_1 and Q_2 , and $V_A = 100 \text{ V}$ for Q_3 and Q_4 .

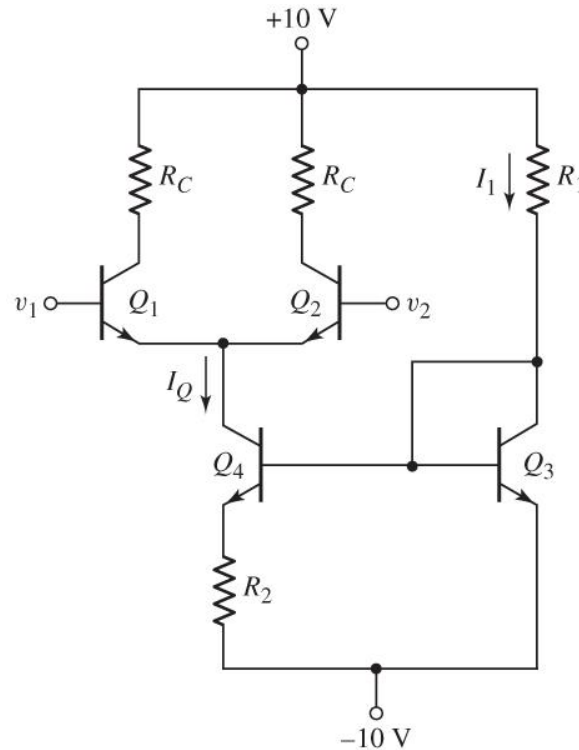


Figure 1

- (a) Calculate R_1 and R_2 as such $I_1 = 0.5 \text{ mA}$ and $I_Q = 140 \mu\text{A}$. [5 marks]
- (b) Determine the common-mode input resistance, R_{icm} , of the differential amplifier. [10 marks]
- (c) Find the common-mode voltage gain, A_{cm} , of the differential amplifier for $R_C = 50 \text{ k}\Omega$. The equation is given as [5 marks]

$$A_{cm} = \frac{-g_m R_C}{1 + \frac{2(1 + \beta)R_o}{r_\pi}}$$

Q1 Answer

- (a) Calculate R_1 and R_2 as such $I_I = 0.5 \text{ mA}$ and $I_Q = 140 \mu\text{A}$. [5 marks]

Using the KVL rule,

$$I_1 = \frac{10 - 0.7 - (-10)}{R_1} = 0.5 \text{ m} \quad [1.5]$$

$$R_1 = 38.60 \text{ k} \quad [1]$$

For the Widlar's current source,

$$I_Q R_E = V_T \ln\left(\frac{I_{REF}}{I_Q}\right) \quad [1.5]$$

Substituting for R_2 ,

$$I_Q R_E = V_T \ln\left(\frac{I_{REF}}{I_Q}\right)$$

$$R_E = \frac{V_T}{I_Q} \ln\left(\frac{I_{REF}}{I_Q}\right)$$

$$R_2 = \frac{V_T}{I_Q} \ln\left(\frac{I_{REF}}{I_Q}\right) = \frac{0.026}{0.14} \ln\left(\frac{0.5 \text{ m}}{0.14 \text{ m}}\right) = 236 \Omega \quad [1]$$

- (b) Determine the common-mode input resistance, R_{icm} . [10 marks]

$$R_{icm} \approx (1 + \beta)R_D \quad [2]$$

For Widlar's current source, $R_D = r_{D4}(1 + g_{m4}R'_E) \quad [2]$

$$g_{m4} = \frac{I_Q}{V_T} = \frac{0.14 \text{ m}}{0.026} = 5.385 \text{ mA/V} \quad [1]$$

$$r_{\pi 4} = \frac{\beta V_T}{I_Q} = \frac{(180)(0.026)}{0.14 \text{ m}} = 33.40 \text{ k}\Omega \quad [1]$$

$$R'_E = r_{\pi 4} || R_2 = 0.234 \text{ k}\Omega \quad [1]$$

$$r_{D4} = \frac{V_A}{I_Q} = \frac{100}{0.14 \text{ m}} = 714 \text{ k}\Omega \quad [1]$$

Substituting into the main equation,

$$R_D = 714 \text{ k}(1 + (5.385)(0.234 \text{ k})) = 1614 \text{ k}\Omega \quad [1]$$

$$\therefore R_{icm} = (180 + 1)1614 \text{ k} \approx 292 \text{ M}\Omega \quad [1]$$

- (c) Find the common-mode voltage gain, A_{cm} , for $R_C = 50 \text{ k}\Omega$. [5 marks]

$$\text{Given } A_{cm} = \frac{-g_m R_C}{1 + \frac{2(1 + \beta)R_D}{r_{\pi}}}$$

$$g_{m1} = \frac{I_Q}{V_T} = \frac{0.14 \text{ m}/2}{0.026} = \frac{0.07 \text{ m}}{0.026} = 2.692 \text{ mA/V} \quad [2]$$

$$r_{\pi 1} = \frac{\beta V_T}{I_Q} = \frac{(180)(0.026)}{0.14 \text{ m}/2} = 66.86 \text{ k}\Omega \quad [2]$$

Substituting these into the equation,

$$A_{cm} = \frac{-(2.692 \text{ m})(50 \text{ k})}{1 + \frac{2(1+180)(1614 \text{ k})}{66.86 \text{ k}}} = -0.0154 \quad [1]$$

Question 2 [20 marks]

For the differential amplifier **with 2-transistor active load** circuits in **Figure 2** it is given that the circuit parameters are: $V^+ = 10\text{ V}$, $V^- = -10\text{ V}$, and $I_Q = 0.1\text{ mA}$.

NMOS transistor parameters are: $V_{TN} = 1\text{ V}$, $k'_n = 80\ \mu\text{A}/\text{V}^2$, and $\lambda_n = 0.01\text{ V}^{-1}$; and the PMOS transistor parameters are: $V_{TP} = -1\text{ V}$, $k'_p = 40\ \mu\text{A}/\text{V}^2$, and $\lambda_p = 0.015\text{ V}^{-1}$.

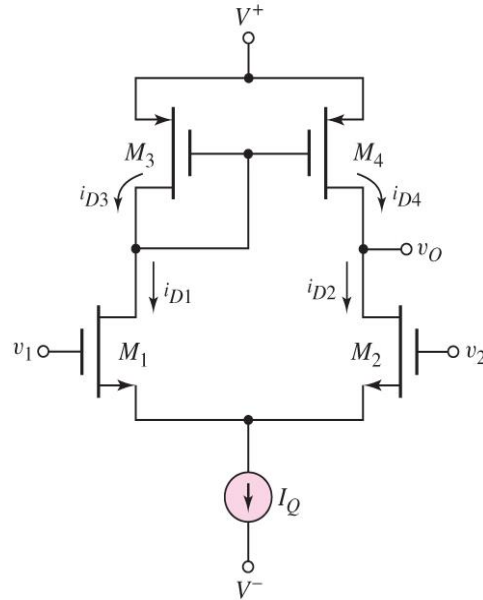


Figure 2

- (a) **Find** the differential gain A_d , given $(W/L)_1 = (W/L)_2 = 2$ and $(W/L)_3 = (W/L)_4 = 4$. [5 marks]
- (b) **Redesign** the differential pair M_1 and M_2 if the value of the gain is **to be increased 5 times** than that calculated in **part (a)**. [6 marks]
- (c) It is given that the **constant current source** I_Q is implemented with a two-transistor current source with $(W/L) = 5$ for the transistors. **Sketch** the differential amplifier circuit **together** with the two-transistor current source. Then, **calculate** the value of the minimum common-mode input voltage, $V_{cm}(\text{min})$ of the differential pair. [9 marks]

Q2 Answer

Question 2(a) [5 marks]

$$A_d = g_{m1}(r_{o2} \parallel r_{o4}) \quad [2]$$

$$I_{D1} = I_Q / 2 = I_{D2} = I_{D3} = I_{D4} = 0.1mA / 2 = 0.05mA$$

$$g_{m1} = 2\sqrt{K_n I_{D1}} = 2\sqrt{\left(\frac{k'_n}{2}\right)\left(\frac{W}{L}\right)_1 I_{D1}} = 2\sqrt{\left(\frac{80}{2}\right)(2)(0.05mA)} = 0.1265mA/V \quad [1]$$

$$r_{o2} = \frac{1}{\lambda_n I_{D2}} = \frac{1}{(0.01)(0.05mA)} = 2M\Omega \quad [0.5]$$

$$r_{o4} = \frac{1}{\lambda_p I_{D4}} = \frac{1}{(0.015)(0.05mA)} = 1.33M\Omega \quad [0.5]$$

$$A_d = (0.1265mA/V)(2M \parallel 1.33M) = 101V/V \quad [1]$$

Question 2(b) [6 marks]

$$A_{dNew} = 5 \times A_d = 5 \times 101 = 505V/V \quad [1]$$

$$A_{dNew} = g_{m1New}(r_{o2} \parallel r_{o4})$$

$$505 = g_{m1New}(0.79M) \quad [2]$$

$$g_{m1New} = 0.6395mA/V \quad [1]$$

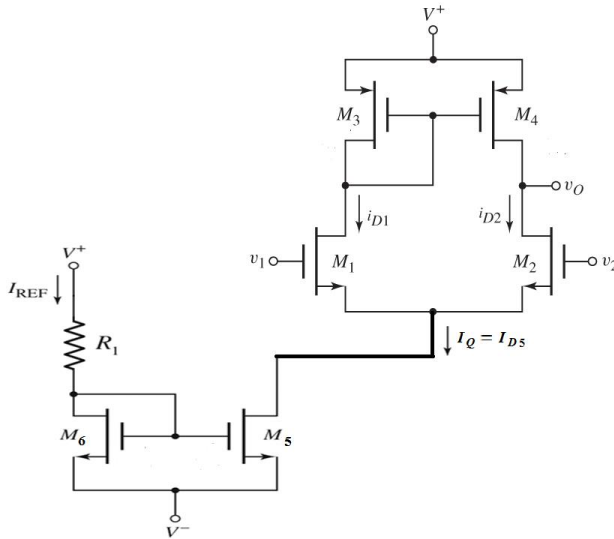
$$g_{m1New} = 2\sqrt{\left(\frac{k'_n}{2}\right)\left(\frac{W}{L}\right)_{1New} I_{D1}} = 2\sqrt{\left(\frac{80}{2}\right)\left(\frac{W}{L}\right)_{1New} (0.05mA)}$$

$$0.6395mA/V = \sqrt{\left(\frac{W}{L}\right)_{1New}} (8.94 \times 10^{-5}) \quad [1]$$

$$\left(\frac{W}{L}\right)_{1New} = 51.1 \quad [1]$$

Question 2(c) [9 marks]

Diagram [1]



Q2(c)

$$V_{cm}(\min) = V_{GS1} + V_{D5}(sat) + V^- \quad [2]$$

; V_{GS1}

$$I_{D1} = \left(\frac{k'_n}{2}\right) \left(\frac{W}{L}\right)_1 (V_{GS1} - V_{TN})^2$$

$$0.05m = \left(\frac{80}{2}\right) (2)(V_{GS1} - 1)^2$$

$$\rightarrow V_{GS1} = 1.791V \quad [2]$$

; $V_{D5}(sat)$

$$I_{D5} = I_Q = \left(\frac{k'_n}{2}\right) \left(\frac{W}{L}\right)_5 (V_{GS5} - V_{TN})^2$$

$$0.1m = \left(\frac{80}{2}\right) (5)(V_{GS5} - 1)^2$$

$$\rightarrow V_{GS5} = 1.707V \quad [2]$$

$$V_{D5}(sat) = V_{GS5} - V_{TN} = 1.707 - 1 = 0.707V \quad [1]$$

$$V_{cm}(\min) = 1.791 + 0.707 + (-10) = -7.5V \quad [1]$$

Question 3 [20 marks]

- (a) Please refer to the multistage amplifier circuit shown in **Figure 3**. Calculate the small-signal input impedance of the gain stage indicated by R_{i2} . It is given that current $I_{R4} = 0.4$ mA, and for the transistors $\beta = 200$ and $V_A = 100$ V. [4 marks]
- (b) Refer to **Figure 3** also. If the gain of the differential amplifier: $A_{d1} = v_{o2}/v_d$, the gain of the gain stage: $A_{v2} = v_{o3}/v_{o2}$, and the gain of the output stage: $A_{v3} = v_o/v_{o3}$,
- (i) Express A_{vtotal} , i.e. the overall gain of the op-amp circuit in terms of A_{d1} , A_{v2} and A_{v3} . [2 marks]
- (ii) How does value of R_{i2} calculated in part (a) affects the gain A_{d1} . [2 marks]

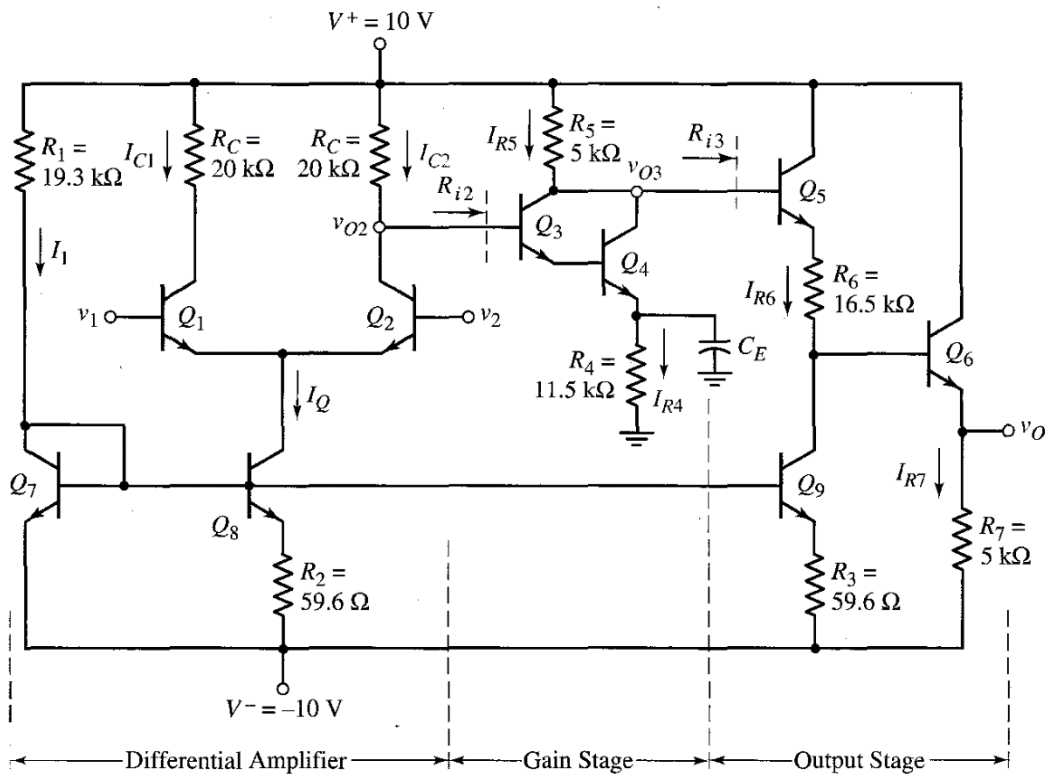


Figure 3

- (c) **Figure 4** shows the **Class-AB** output stage circuit. Assume that $V_{CC} = 10\text{ V}$, $V_{BB} = 1.35\text{ V}$, and $R_L = 1\text{ k}\Omega$. Transistors Q_n and Q_p are matched, with $I_S = 4 \times 10^{-15}\text{ A}$. It is given that output voltage $v_O = -8\text{ V}$. **Calculate** the voltages v_{BEN} , v_{EBP} , and input voltage v_I , as well as currents i_L , i_{Cn} , and i_{Cp} . Then **calculate** the power dissipated in the transistors P_{Qn} and P_{Qp} .

[12 marks]

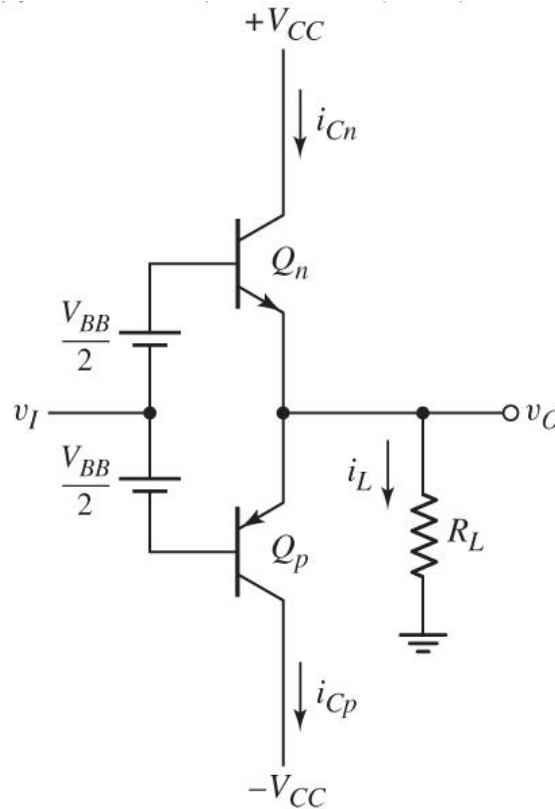


Figure 4

Q3 Answer

Question 3(a) [4 marks]

$$R_{i2} = r_{\pi3} + (1 + \beta)r_{\pi4} \quad [1.5]$$

$$I_{E4} = I_{R4} = 0.4mA$$

$$I_{C4} = \frac{\beta}{1 + \beta} I_{E4} = \frac{200}{201}(0.4mA) = 0.398mA$$

$$r_{\pi4} = \frac{\beta V_T}{I_{C4}} = \frac{(200)(26m)}{0.398mA} = 13.07k\Omega \quad [0.5]$$

[$r_{\pi4} = 13k\Omega$ with $I_{C4} \cong I_{E4}$ is also okay]

$$I_{E3} = I_{B4} = \frac{I_{E4}}{1 + \beta}$$

$$I_{C3} = \frac{\beta}{1 + \beta} I_{E3} = \frac{\beta}{(1 + \beta)(1 + \beta)} \frac{I_{E4}}{(201)^2} = \frac{200}{(201)^2}(0.4mA) = 1.98 \times 10^{-6} A \quad [0.5]$$

$$r_{\pi3} = \frac{\beta V_T}{I_{C3}} = \frac{(200)(26m)}{1.98 \times 10^{-6}} = 2.63M\Omega \quad [0.5]$$

$$\therefore R_{i2} = (2.63M) + (201)(13.07k) = 5.26M\Omega \quad [1]$$

Question 3(b) [4 marks]

(i) $A_{vTOTAL} = V_o/V_d = A_{d1} \times A_{v2} \times A_{v3} \quad [2]$

(ii) The value of R_{i2} is very large, hence the input impedance of the 2nd gain stage will not load down or decrease the gain of the 1st stage, A_{d1} . I.e. the loading effect of the 2nd stage onto the 1st stage can be neglected. [2]

Question 3(c) [12 marks]

For $v_O = -8$ V,

$$i_L = V_O / R_L = (-8\text{V}) / (1 \text{ k}\Omega) = -8 \text{ mA} \quad [1]$$

Therefore, Q_p is conducting and Q_n is OFF.

Approximation:

$$i_{Cp} \approx |i_L| = 8 \text{ mA} \quad [1]$$

$$\begin{aligned} v_{EBp} &= V_T \ln(i_{Cp} / I_S) \\ &= (0.026) \ln(8\text{m} / 4\text{x}10^{-15}) = 0.7364 \text{ V} \end{aligned} \quad [1]$$

$$v_{BEp} = V_{BB} - v_{EBp} = 1.35 - 0.7364 = 0.6136 \text{ V} \quad [1]$$

$$V_{In} = V_O + V_{BB}/2 - v_{EBp} = -8 + 1.35/2 - 0.7364 = -8.06 \text{ V} \quad [1]$$

$$\begin{aligned} i_{Cn} &= I_S \exp(V_{BEp} / V_T) \\ &= (4\text{x}10^{-15}) \exp(0.6136 / 0.026) = 7.102\text{x}10^{-5} \text{ A} \end{aligned} \quad [1]$$

$$i_{Cn} = i_{Cp} + i_L \quad [1]$$

$$\begin{aligned} i_{Cp} &= i_{Cn} - i_L && \text{Recalculate } i_{Cp} \\ &= 7.102\text{x}10^{-5} - (-8\text{m}) = 8.071 \text{ mA} \end{aligned} \quad [1]$$

For Q_n :

$$V_{CEn} = V_{CC} - V_O = 10 - (-8) = 18 \text{ V} \quad [0.5]$$

$$P_{Qn} = i_{Cn} V_{CEn} = (7.102\text{x}10^{-5})(18) = 1.278 \text{ mW} \quad [0.5]$$

[1]

For Q_p :

$$V_{ECp} = V_O - (-V_{CC}) = (-8) - (-10) = 2 \text{ V} \quad [0.5]$$

$$P_{Qp} = i_{Cp} v_{ECp} = (8.071\text{m})(2) = 16.14 \text{ mW} \quad [0.5]$$

[1]

Question 4 [20 marks]

Consider a **standard 741 operational amplifier** (op-amp) circuit as shown in **Figure 5**. Study **Figure 5** carefully and observe the output stage of the operational amplifier. Assume load resistance connected to the Output of the 741 op-amp is $R_L = 2\text{ k}\Omega$.

The op-amp is supplied by $\pm 5\text{ V DC}$ voltages. The transistors have $\beta_n = 200$, $\beta_p = 50$, $V_{AN} = V_{AP} = 50\text{ V}$, $V_{BE(\text{on})} = V_{EB(\text{on})} = 0.6\text{ V}$, and the reverse saturation currents $I_{S18} = I_{S19} = 2 \times 10^{-14}\text{ A}$, and $I_{S14} = I_{S20} = 5 \times 10^{-14}\text{ A}$.

From **DC analysis**, bias currents for selected transistors are $I_{C13A} = 0.125\text{ mA}$, $I_{C13B} = 0.375\text{ mA}$, $I_{C19} = 0.113\text{ mA}$. **Determine** the output stage quiescent currents I_{C14} and I_{C20} . **Analyse the changes** in output current i_{C20} if $i_{C14} = 1\text{ mA}$. Please **state the class** of this output stage.

This output stage includes a number of transistors that are $\delta\text{off}\ddot{o}$ during the normal operation. By providing example, **identify and discuss** the functional operation of these transistors when they are $\delta\text{on}\ddot{o}$. [20 marks]

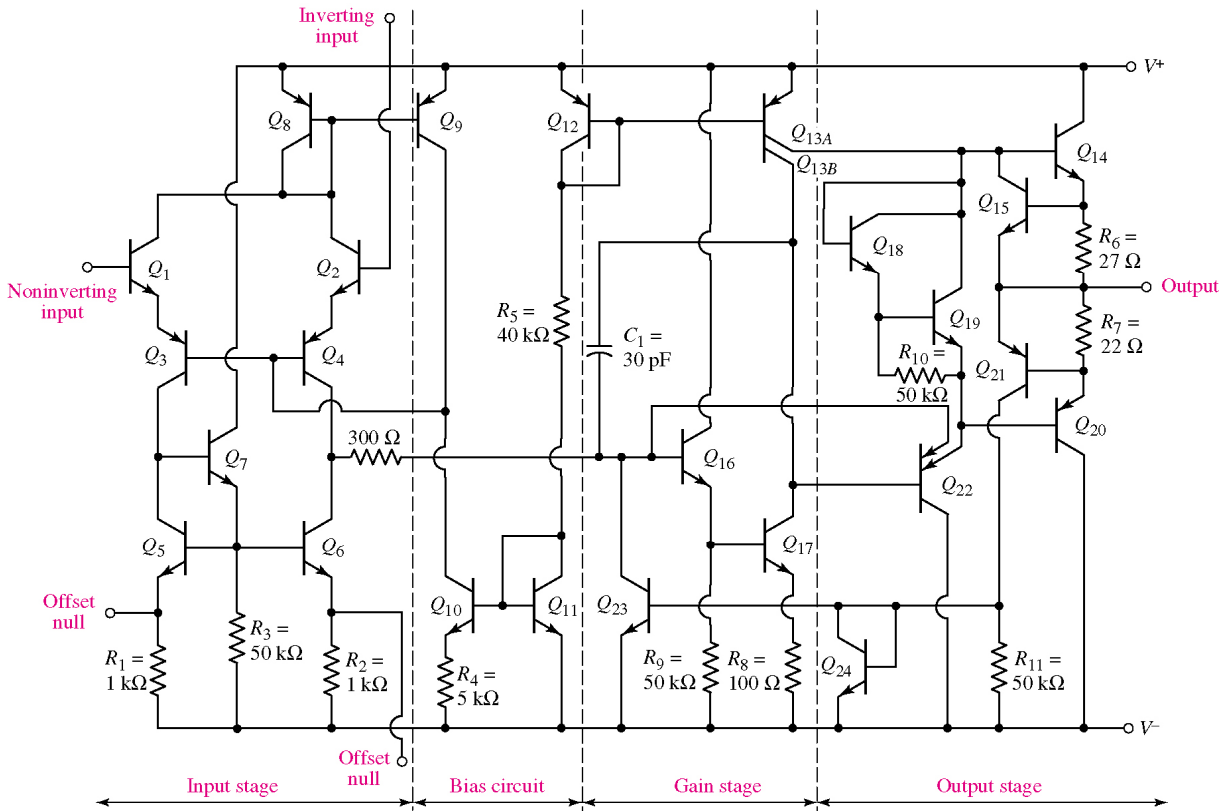


Figure 5

Q4 Answer [20 marks]

$$V_{BE19} = V_T \ln (I_{C19}/I_{S19}) = 0.026 \ln (0.113\text{m}/2\text{E-}14) = 0.58383 \text{ V} \quad [1.5]$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_{C18} &= I_{B19} + (I_{R10}) = (I_{C19}/\beta) + (V_{BE19}/R_{10}) \\ &= (0.113\text{m}/200) + (0.58383/50\text{k}) = 12.242\mu\text{A} \end{aligned} \quad [3]$$

$$V_{BE18} = V_T \ln (I_{C18}/I_{S18}) = 0.026 \ln (12.242\mu/2\text{E-}14) = 0.52604 \text{ V} \quad [1.5]$$

$$V_{BB} = V_{BE18} + V_{BE19} = 0.52604 + 0.58383 = 1.1099 \text{ V} \quad [1.5]$$

$$V_{BE14} = V_{BE20} = V_{BB}/2 = 1.1099/2 = 0.5549 \text{ V} \quad [1]$$

$$I_{C14} = I_{C20} = I_S \exp [V_{BE}/V_T] = (5\text{E-}14)\exp[0.5549/0.026] = 92.99 \mu\text{A} \quad [2.5]$$

Class A-B Output Stage [1]

$$\text{At } i_{C14} = 1\text{mA}; v_{BE14} = V_T \ln (i_{C14}/I_{S14}) = 0.026 \ln (1\text{m}/5\text{E-}14) = 0.6167 \text{ V} \quad [1]$$

$$v_{BE20} = V_{BB} - v_{BE14} = 1.1099 - 0.6167 = 0.4932 \quad [1]$$

$$i_{C20} = I_S \exp [v_{BE20}/V_T] = (5\text{E-}14)\exp[0.4932/0.026] = 8.654 \mu\text{A} \quad [1]$$

Keywords:

short circuit protection circuitry; when R_L is shorted a large current in Q_{14} during positive input cycle; R_6 and Q_{15} limits short circuit current in Q_{14} [5]

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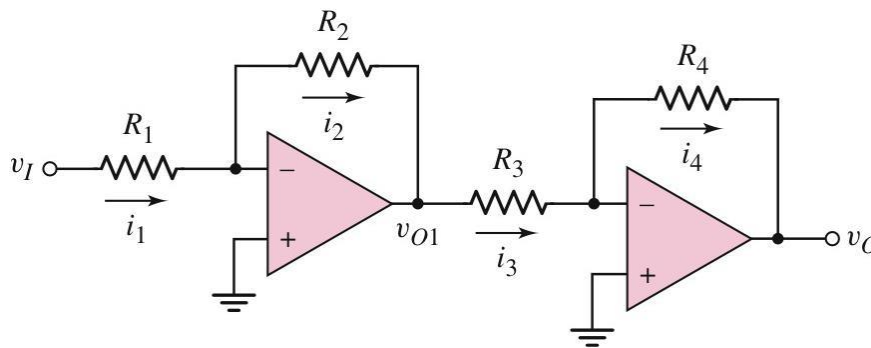
short circuit protection circuitry; when R_L is shorted a large current in Q_{20} during negative input cycle; R_7 , Q_{21} and Q_{24} limits short circuit current in Q_{20} .

Question 5 [20 marks]

- (a) With an **input resistor (R_1) of 50 k Ω** , **design an amplifier using op-amp with a closed-loop gain of 25 V/V. Draw and label clearly your circuit design.** [4 marks]

- (b) Consider the two inverting op-amp circuit connected in cascade as shown in **Figure 6**. Let **$R_1 = 25$ k Ω , $R_2 = 100$ k Ω , $R_3 = 80$ k Ω , and $R_4 = 50$ k Ω** . **Calculate v_O/v_I for the circuit.**

[4 marks]

**Figure 6**

- (c) **Figure 7 in the following page shows a design for an instrumentation amplifier with variable differential voltage gain** using op-amps. In the design, **R_{1POT} is a potentiometer** (or a variable resistor) **used to provide variable resistance** so that differential voltage gain (A_v) of the instrumentation amplifier can be adjustable. With analysis, it can be shown that output voltage (v_O) for the **difference amplifier** constructed using op-amp A_3 , resistors R_3 , and resistors R_4 is

$$v_O = \frac{R_4}{R_3} (v_{O2} - v_{O1})$$

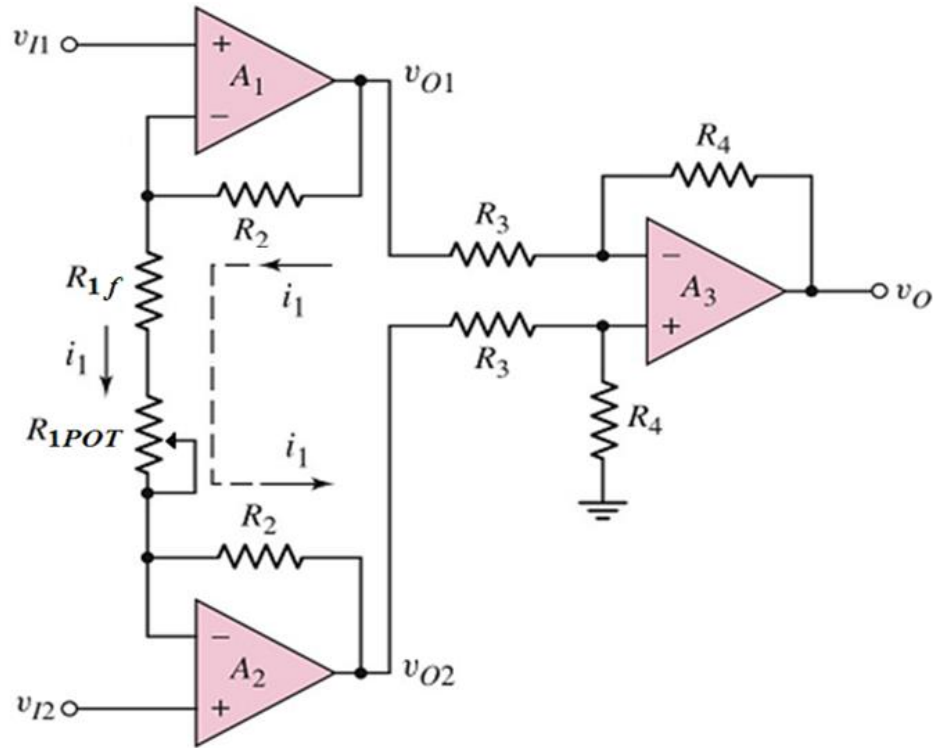


Figure 7

- (i) Study Figure 7 carefully. Using same labels for all resistors, voltages and currents given in the Figure 7, show that the output voltage (v_O) of the instrumentation amplifier with variable differential voltage gain is [8 marks]

$$v_O = \frac{R_4}{R_3} \left(1 + \frac{2R_2}{R_{1f} + R_{1POT}} \right) (v_{I2} - v_{I1})$$

- (ii) For the circuit in Figure 7, given that $R_4 = 2 R_3$, $R_2 = 495 \text{ k}\Omega$, $R_{1f} = 10 \text{ k}\Omega$, R_{1POT} is set at $40 \text{ k}\Omega$, $v_{I1} = 0.90 \text{ V}$, and $v_{I2} = 1.25 \text{ V}$. Calculate A_v and v_O . [4 marks]

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Q5 Answer

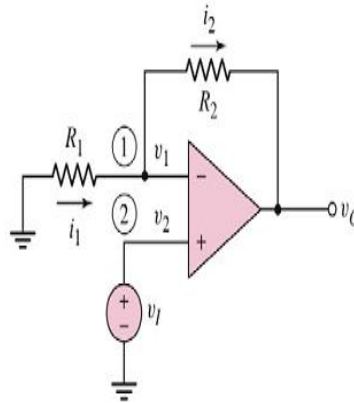
Question 5(a) [4 marks]

$$A_v = v_O / v_I = 1 + (R_2/R_1) \quad [1]$$

$$25 = 1 + (R_2/50k) \quad R_2 = 1200 \text{ k}\Omega \quad [1]$$

Drawing: [2]

$R_1 = 50 \text{ k}\Omega$, $R_2 = 1200 \text{ k}\Omega$, correct op-amp symbol, GND, v_O , and v_I



Question 5(b) [4 marks]

$$v_O = (-R_4/R_3)v_{O1} \quad [1]$$

$$v_{O1} = (-R_2/R_1)v_I \quad [1]$$

$$v_O = (-R_4/R_3)(-R_2/R_1)v_I \quad [1]$$

$$v_O / v_I = (R_4/R_3)(R_2/R_1) = [(50k/80k)(100k/25k)] = 2.5 \text{ V/V} \quad [1]$$

Question 5(c)(i) [8 marks]

$$i_1 = \frac{v_{I1} - v_{I2}}{R_{1f} + R_{1POT}} \quad [1]$$

$$v_{O1} = v_{I1} + i_1 R_2 = \left(1 + \frac{R_2}{R_{1f} + R_{1POT}}\right) v_{I1} - \frac{R_2}{R_{1f} + R_{1POT}} v_{I2} \quad [2]$$

$$v_{O2} = v_{I2} - i_1 R_2 = \left(1 + \frac{R_2}{R_{1f} + R_{1POT}}\right) v_{I2} - \frac{R_2}{R_{1f} + R_{1POT}} v_{I1} \quad [2]$$

$$v_O = \frac{R_4}{R_3} (v_{O2} - v_{O1}) \quad [1]$$

$$v_O = \frac{R_4}{R_3} \left(1 + \frac{2R_2}{R_{1f} + R_{1POT}}\right) (v_{I2} - v_{I1}) \quad [2]$$

Question 5(c)(ii) [4 marks]

$$A_v = \frac{v_o}{(v_{I2} - v_{I1})} = \frac{R_4}{R_3} \left(1 + \frac{2R_2}{R_{1f} + R_{1POT}} \right) \quad [1]$$

$$A_v = \frac{2R_3}{R_3} \left(1 + \frac{2(495k)}{10k + 40k} \right) = 41.6 \text{ V/V} \quad [1]$$

$$v_o = \frac{R_4}{R_3} \left(1 + \frac{2R_2}{R_{1f} + R_{1POT}} \right) (v_{I2} - v_{I1}) \quad [1]$$

$$v_o = A_v (v_{I2} - v_{I1}) = (41.6)(1.25 - 0.90) = 16.224 \text{ V} \quad [1]$$

APPENDIX:

A) BASIC FORMULA FOR TRANSISTOR

BJT

$$i_C = I_S e^{v_{BE}/V_T} \quad ; \text{NPN}$$

$$i_C = I_S e^{v_{EB}/V_T} \quad ; \text{PNP}$$

$$i_C = \beta i_B = \alpha i_E$$

$$i_E = i_B + i_C$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\beta}{\beta + 1}$$

; Small signal

$$\beta = g_m r_\pi$$

$$g_m = \frac{I_{CQ}}{V_T}$$

$$r_\pi = \frac{\beta V_T}{I_{CQ}}$$

$$r_o = \frac{V_A}{I_{CQ}}$$

$$V_T = 26 \text{ mV}$$

MOSFET

; N – MOSFET

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

$$i_D = K_n [v_{GS} - V_{TN}]^2$$

$$K_n = \frac{\mu_n C_{ox} W}{2L} = \frac{k'_n}{2} \cdot \frac{W}{L}$$

; P – MOSFET

$$v_{SD}(\text{sat}) = v_{SG} + V_{TP}$$

$$i_D = K_p [v_{SG} + V_{TP}]^2$$

$$K_p = \frac{\mu_p C_{ox} W}{2L} = \frac{k'_p}{2} \cdot \frac{W}{L}$$

; Small signal

$$g_m = 2\sqrt{K_n I_{DQ}}$$

$$r_o \cong \frac{1}{\lambda I_{DQ}}$$

B) HYBRID- EQUIVALENT CIRCUITS

