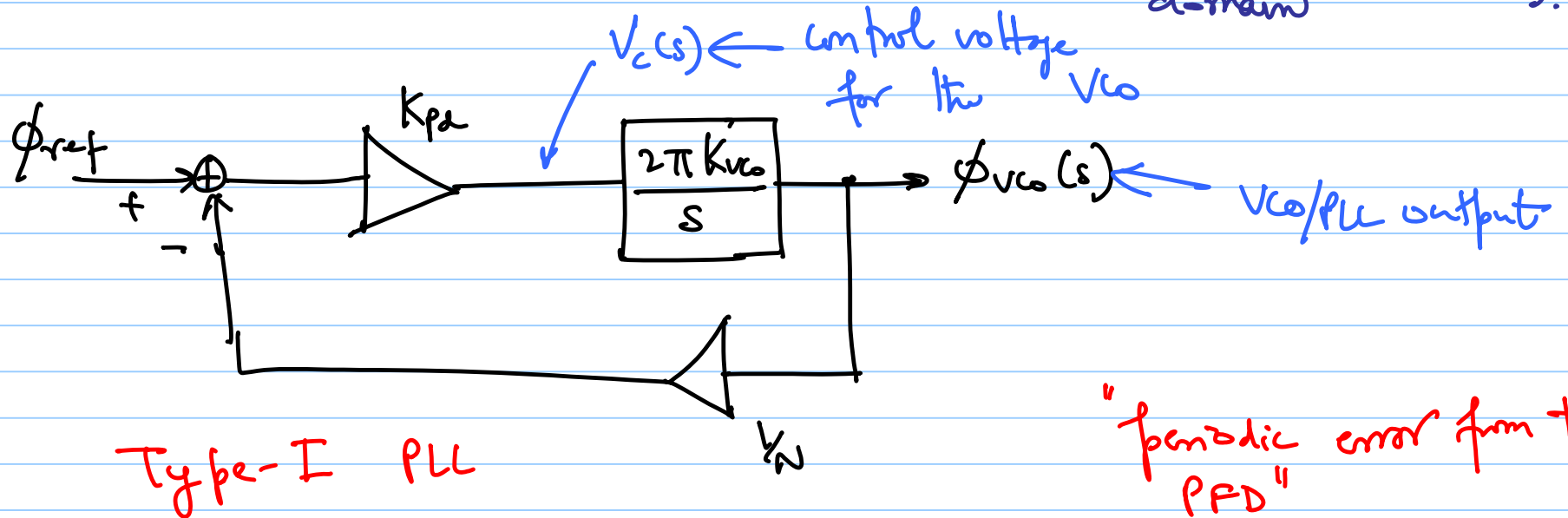


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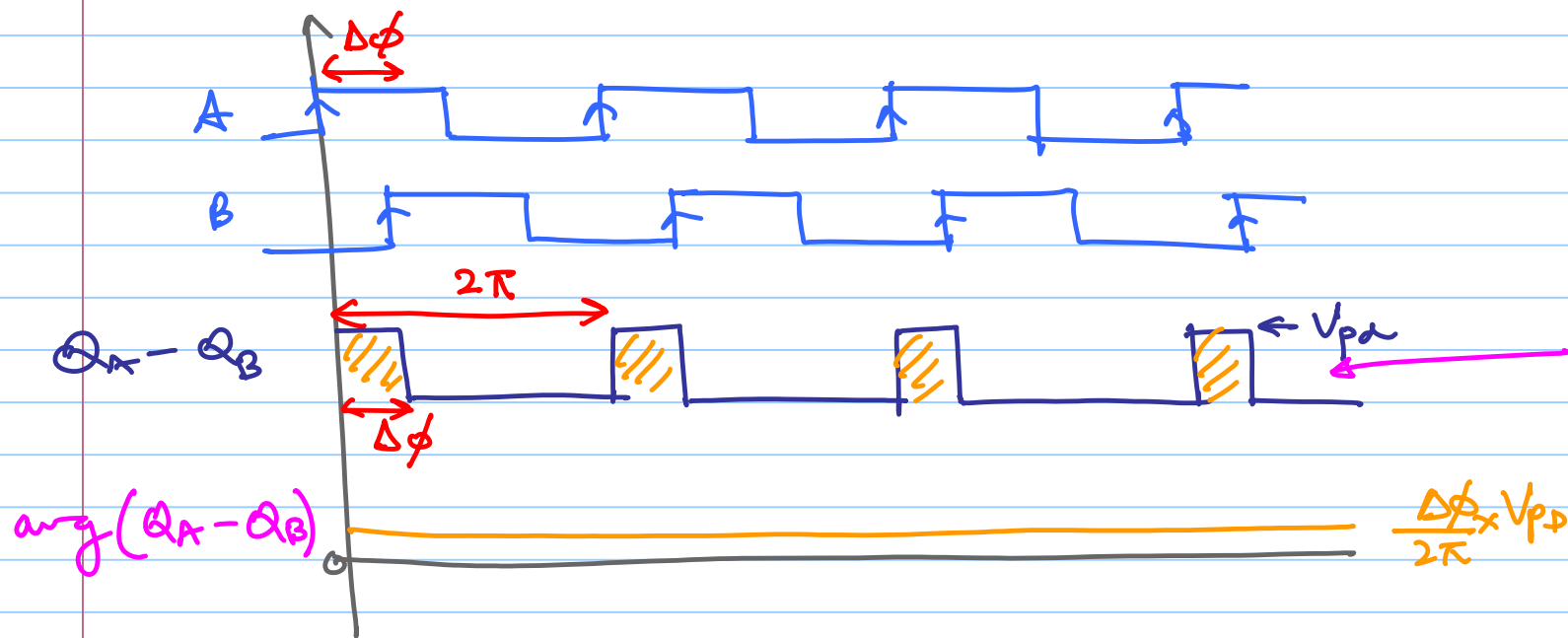
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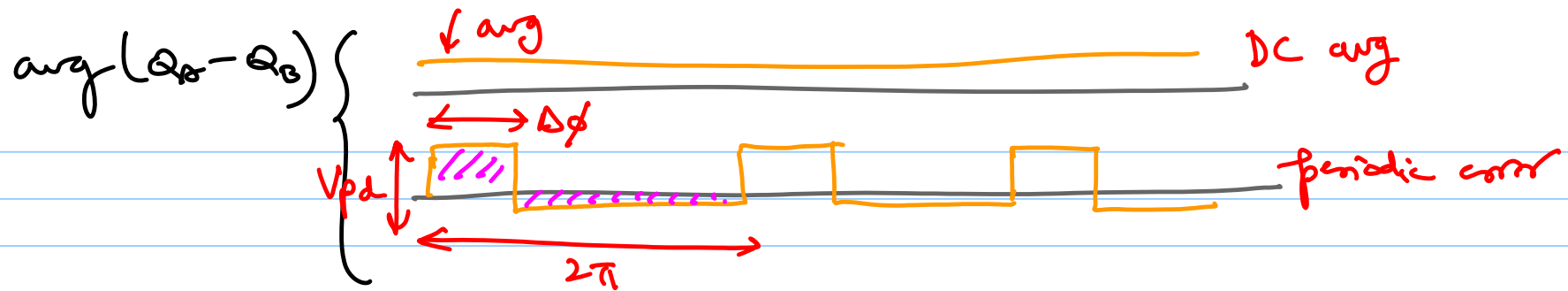
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Incremental model for the PLL (variables in phase domain)

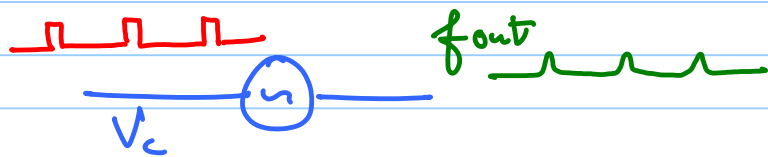


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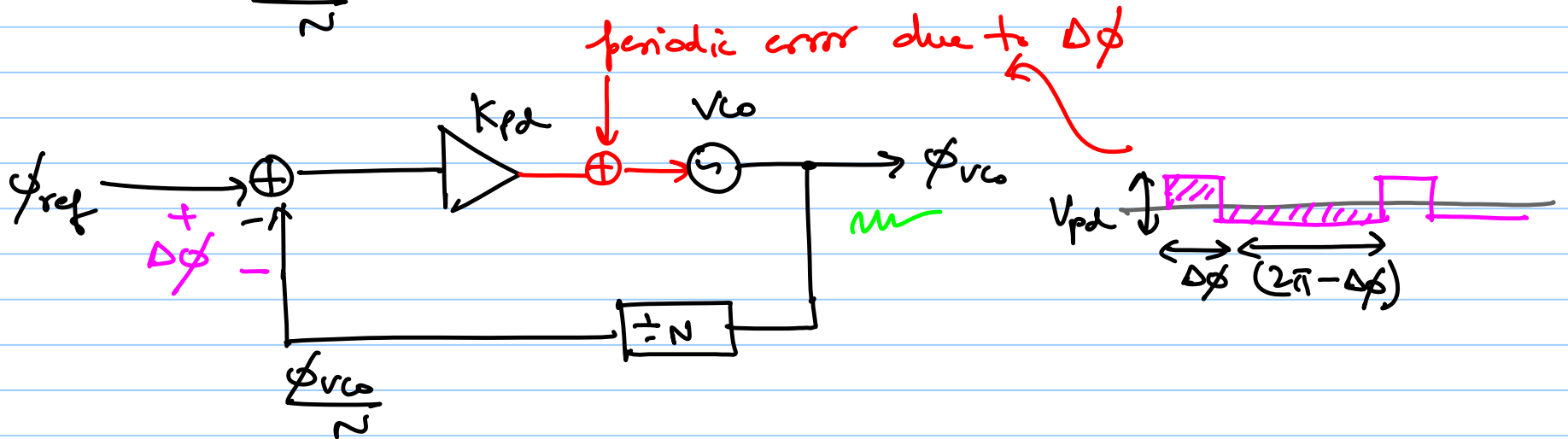
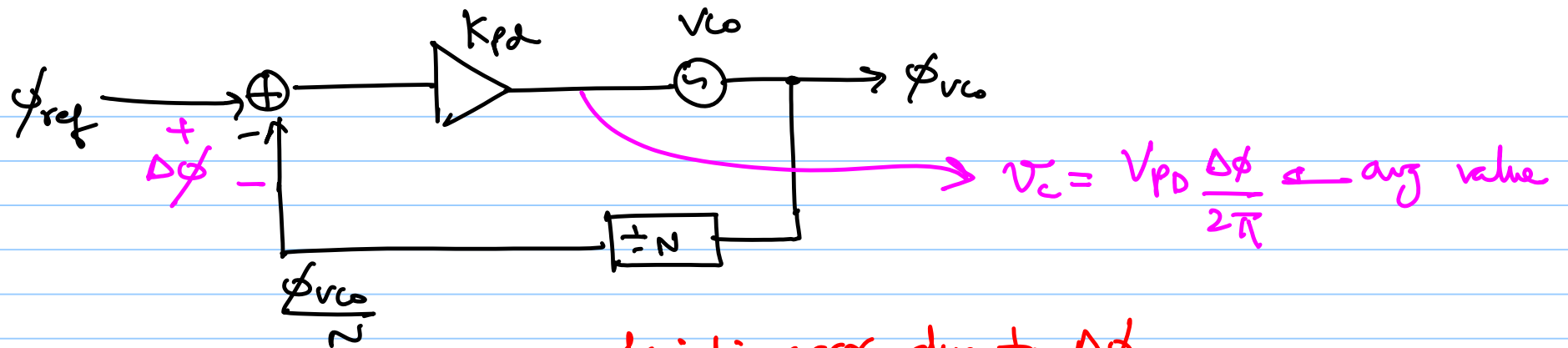


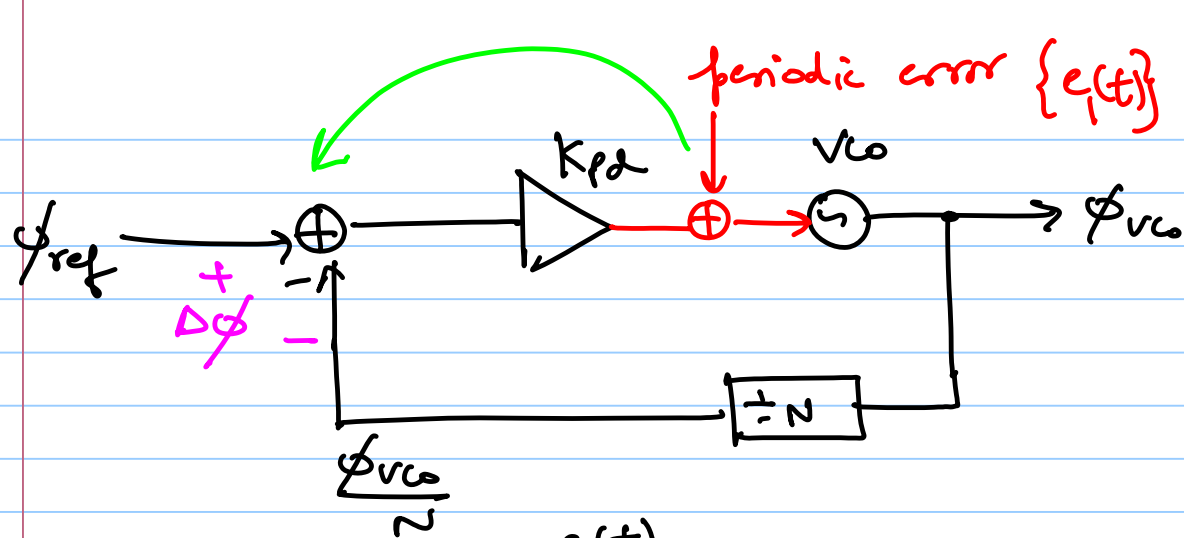


* periodic disturbance $\Rightarrow$ periodic output of the PFD
 $\hookrightarrow$ phase of the VCO is periodically disturbed

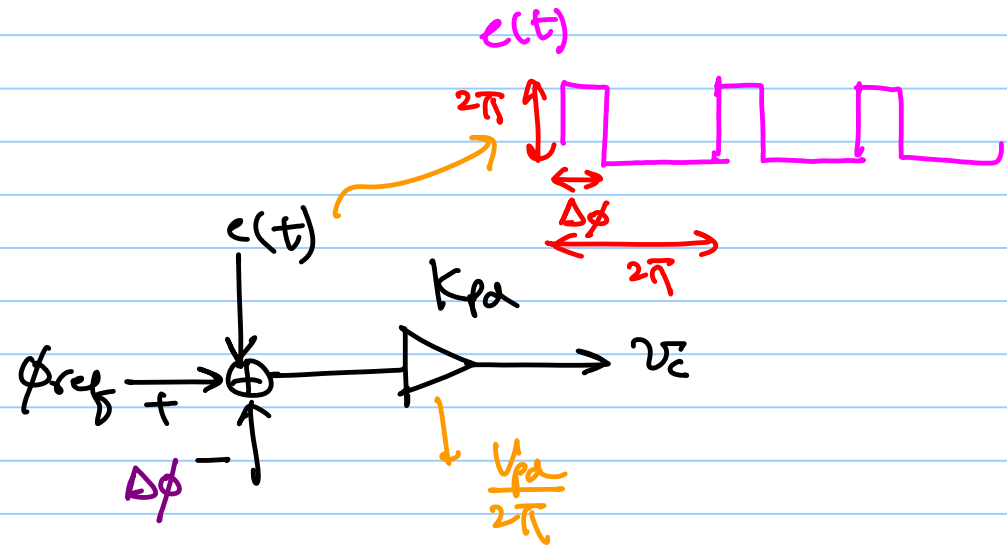
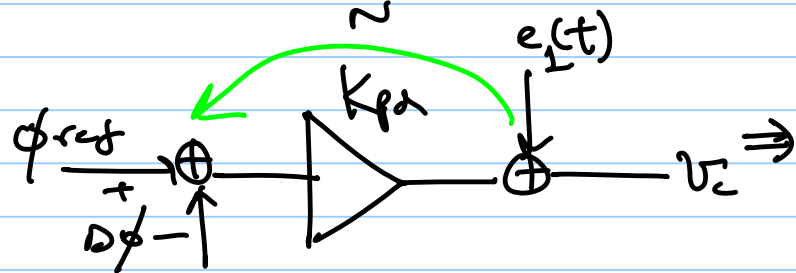


$\Rightarrow$ VCO's output will not be periodic
 $\hookrightarrow$ frequency is not constant

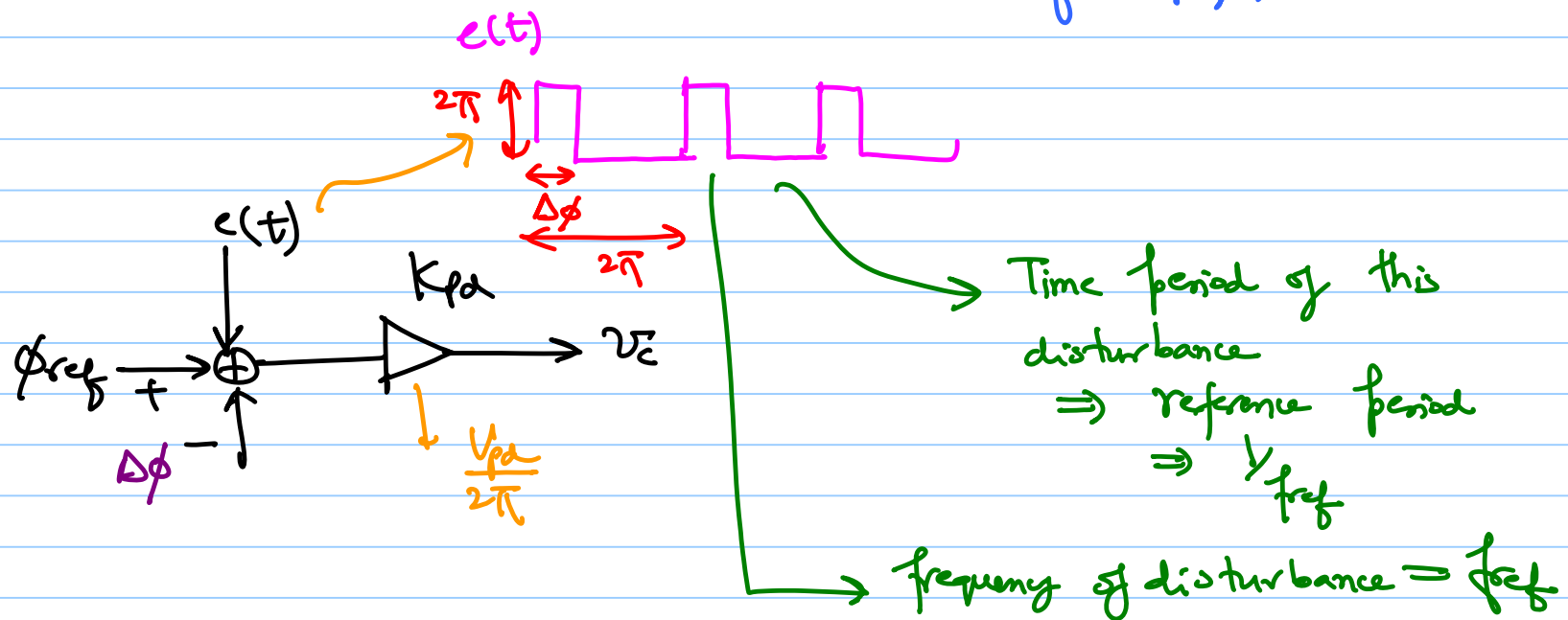


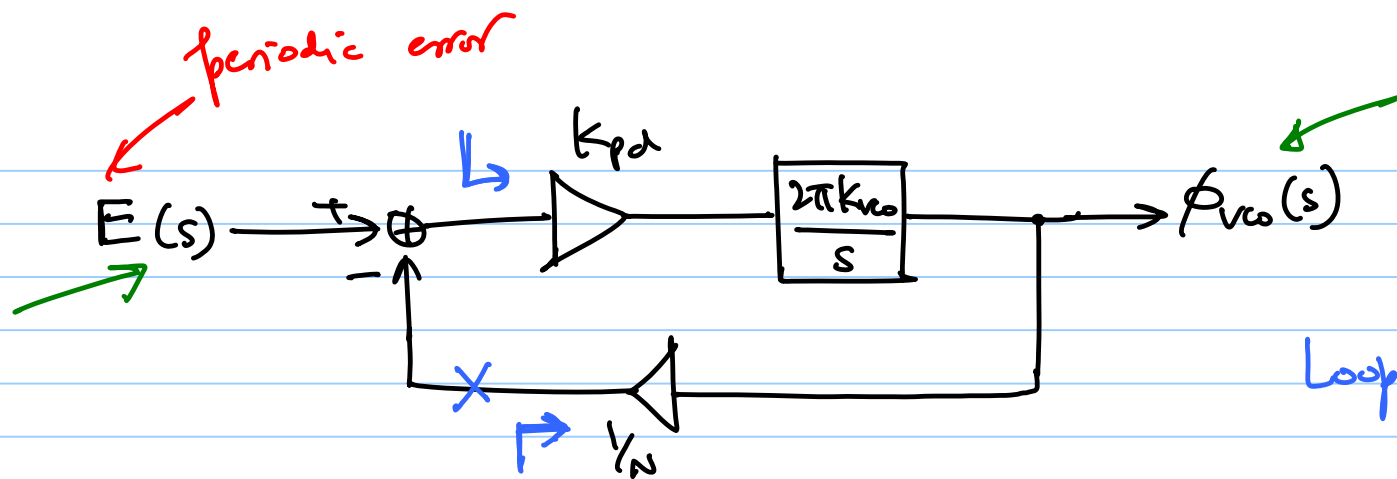


Refer the periodic error to the input



Equivalent Model for the periodic error due to finite $|\Delta\phi| > 0$





$$\text{Loop gain} = \frac{2\pi K_{pd} K_{vco}}{sN}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi K_{pd} K_{vco}}{N} \cdot \frac{1}{s}$$

$$\text{Closed-loop gain} = \frac{K_{pd} \cdot \frac{2\pi K_{vco}}{s}}{1 + \frac{2\pi K_{pd} K_{vco}}{N} \cdot \frac{1}{s}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\phi_{vc}(s)}{E(s)} = \frac{N}{1 + \frac{s \cdot N}{2\pi K_{vc} K_{fd}}}$$

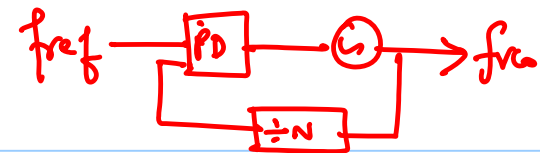
← Ideal loop gain

first-order filtering
in the loop.

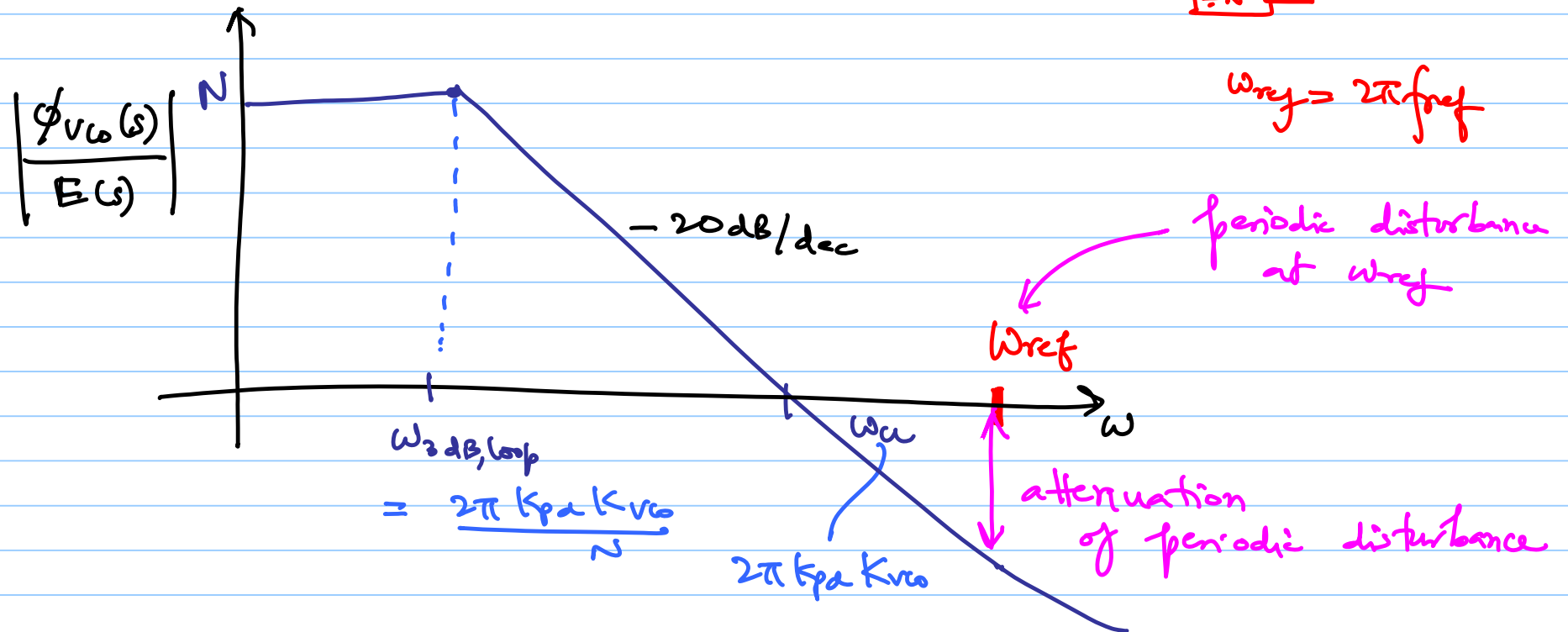
$$= \frac{N}{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_{3dB}}}$$

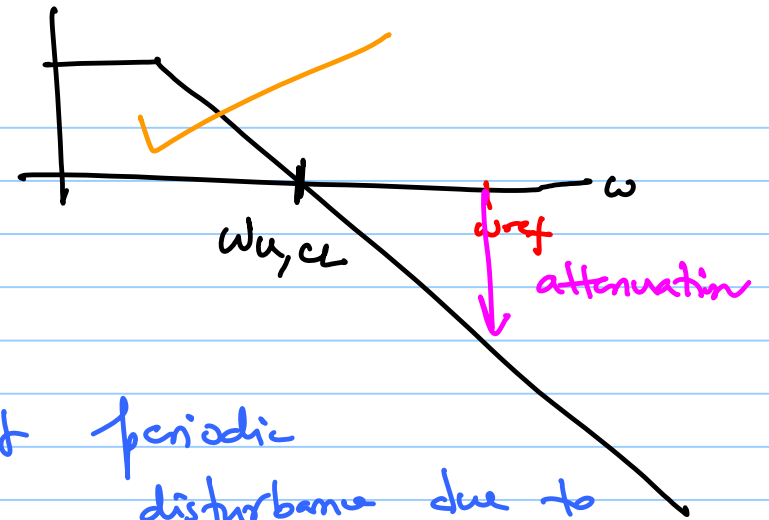
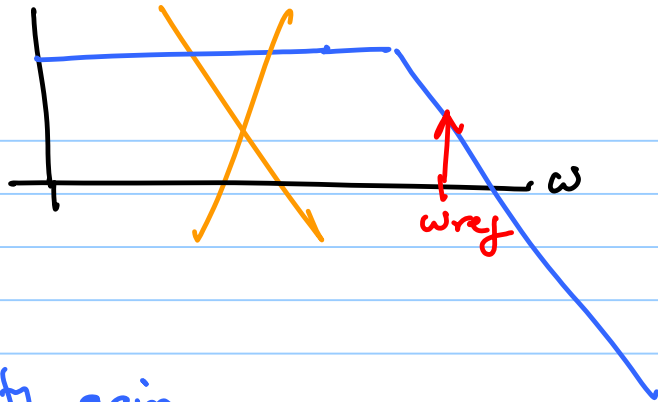
$$\omega_{3dB, \text{loop}} = \frac{2\pi K_{vc} K_{fd}}{N}$$

$$\omega_u = 2\pi K_{vc} \cdot K_{fd}$$



$$\omega_{ref} = 2\pi f_{ref}$$





unity gain frequency $\omega_{u,cl} \ll \omega_{ref}$ to reject periodic disturbance due to the AC content in the PD outputs

$$\omega_{u,c} \ll \omega_{ref} \xrightarrow{2\pi f_{ref}}$$

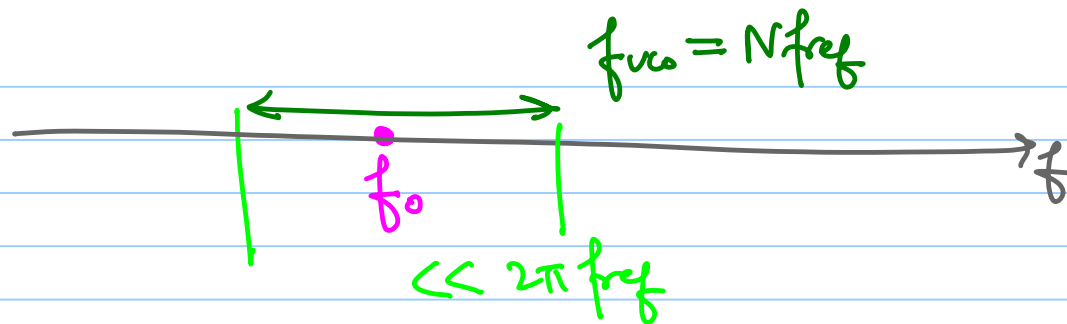
$$\Rightarrow \omega_{ref} \gg \underline{2\pi K_D K_{VCO}} \longrightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

constraint on the range

$$|Nf_{ref} - f_o| < \underline{2\pi K_D K_{VCO}} \longrightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \overset{\Delta f_{VCO}}{|Nf_{ref} - f_o|} < 2\pi K_D K_{VCO} \ll 2\pi f_{ref}$$

$$\Delta f_{VCO} \ll 2\pi f_{ref}$$



* range of the PLL o/p frequency is severely restricted

very limited tuning range for the PLL $\sim \frac{f_{ref}}{N}$ $\rightarrow$ just $\frac{f_{ref}}{N}$ around $f_{vco} \approx N f_{ref}$

↳ severely restricts the application

↳ we can't even tune from

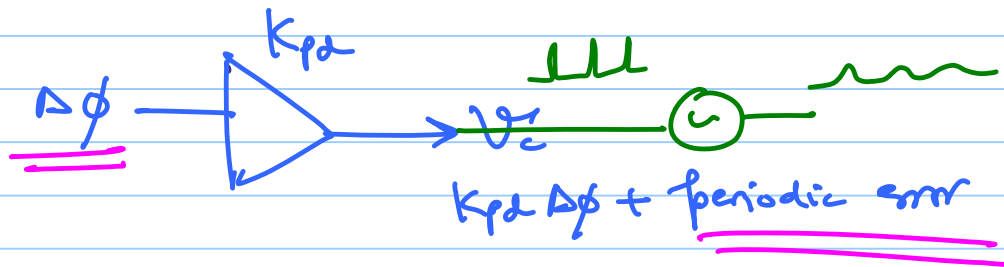
$$f_{\text{vco}} = N f_{\text{ref}} \text{ to } (N+1) f_{\text{ref}}$$

loop-gain $\leftrightarrow$ loop-bandwidth

↑
large for lower $\Delta\phi$
↳ lower periodic noise

→ for large lock-range

* We want $\Delta\phi$ ← static phase offset to be zero to have a useful design.



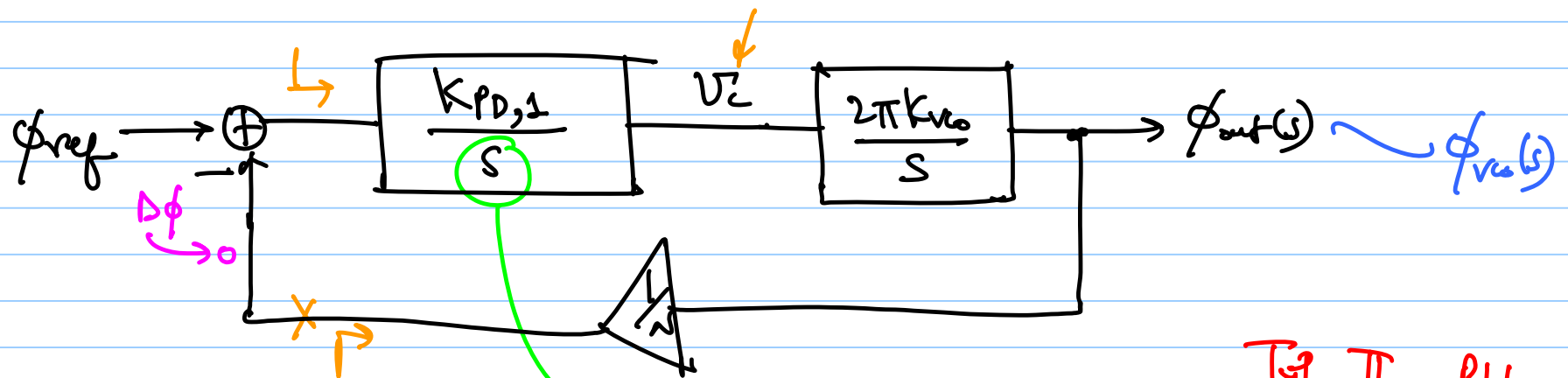
↳ we need an integrator in the loop to support non-zero VCO input (V_c) while having $\Delta\phi = 0$.

↳ We need zero DC phase error

↳ increase the loop gain to ∞ at DC

↳ integrator!

↳ The PD has to be an integrator, not a proportional block (K_{PD})



Type-II PLL

$$L(s) = \frac{2\pi K_{PD1} K_{VCO}}{N s^2}$$

Type-II system

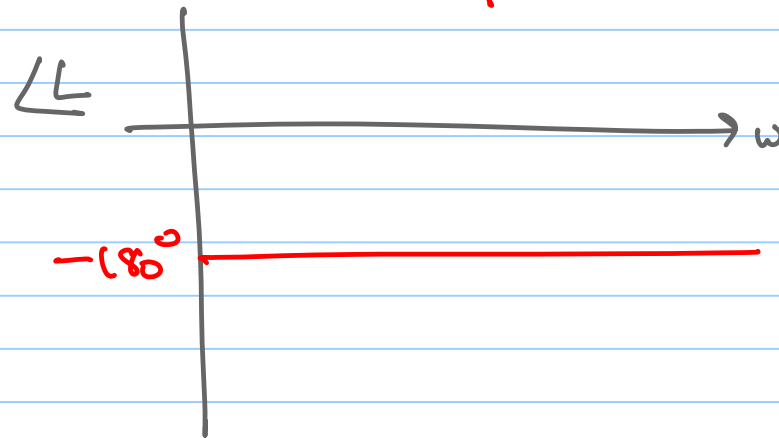
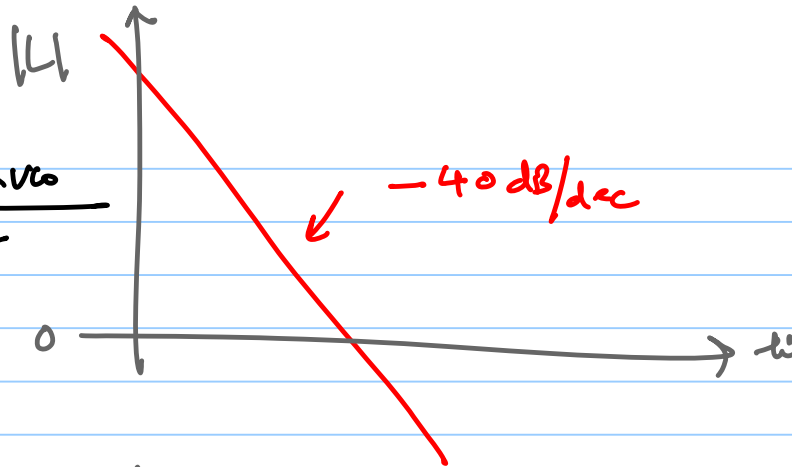
new addition
↳ integrator in the PD

Type $\Rightarrow$ # of poles at DC in the open-loop response

Problem $\Rightarrow$ Two poles at DC $\Rightarrow$ instability!

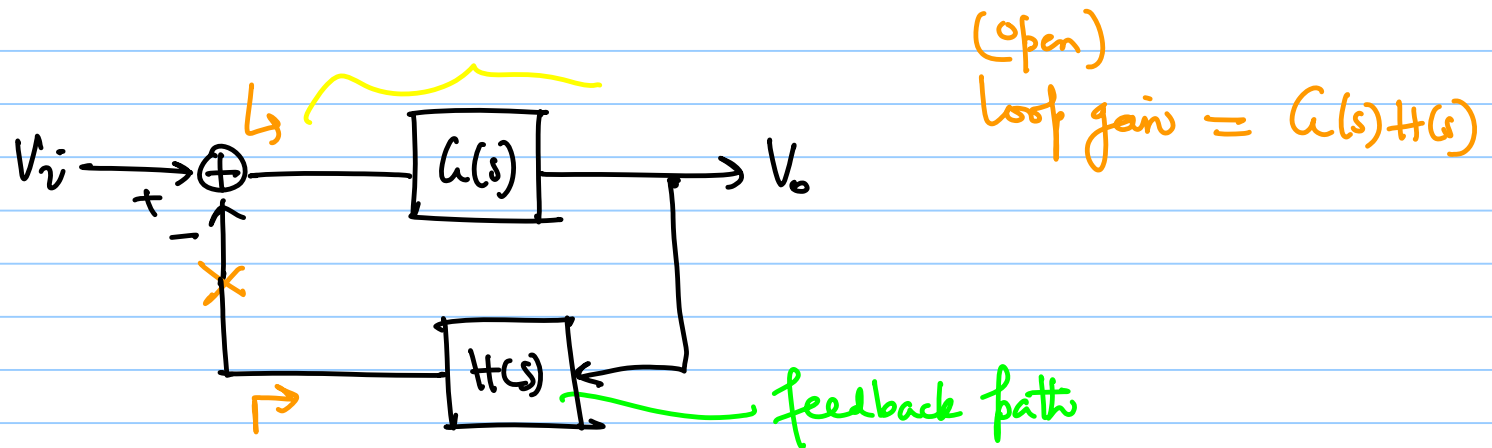
$$L(s) = \frac{2\pi K_p K_{vco}}{N \cdot s^2}$$

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Need to stabilize
Type-II PLL

Feedback System Review



$$\text{closed-loop gain} = \frac{G(s) \swarrow \text{FWD PATH}}{1 + \text{loop gain}} = \frac{G(s)}{1 + G(s)H(s)} = \frac{1}{H(s)} \cdot \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{G(s)H(s)}}$$

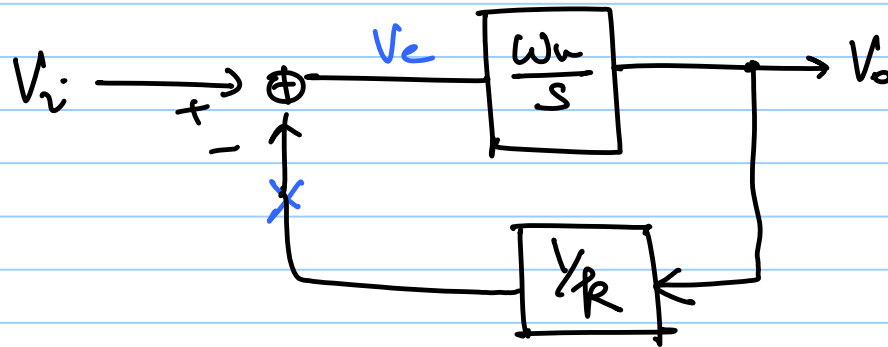
$$= \frac{1}{H(s)} \times \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{A\beta}} \leftarrow \text{loop gain}$$

$$\approx \begin{cases} \frac{1}{H(s)} & \text{for } |A\beta| \gg 1 \\ A(s) & \text{for } |A\beta| \ll 1 \end{cases}$$

for large loop-gain $\Rightarrow$ cl gain $\approx \frac{1}{H}$

for $|L| \ll 1$, the feedback is effectively broken
 $\frac{V_o}{V_i}(s) \approx A(s)$

We now have,

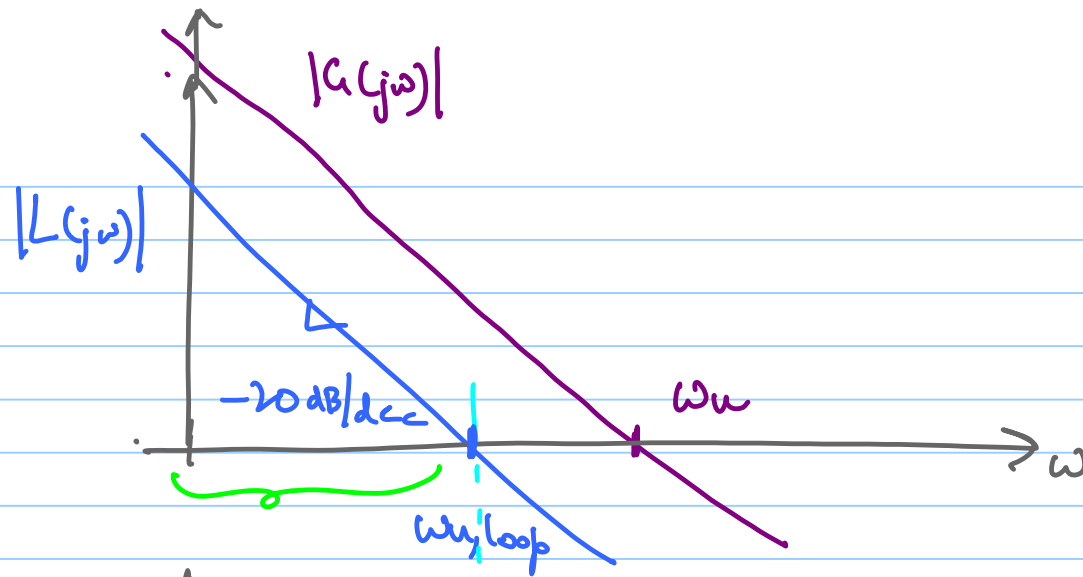


ω_u : unity gain frequency
of the integrator
controller

$$L(s) = \frac{\omega_u}{k \cdot s} \quad , \quad \text{loop gain}$$

unity gain
frequency for
the loop

$$\omega_{u, \text{loop}} = \frac{\omega_u}{k} \quad , \quad \text{unity loop gain frequency}$$



$L(j\omega) \Rightarrow$ loop-gain
frequency response

$$G(j\omega) = \frac{\omega_u}{j\omega}$$



$$\left| \frac{L}{1+L} \right| \approx \begin{cases} L, & |L| \ll 1 \\ 1, & |L| \gg 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\left| \frac{G}{1+G_H} \right|$$

Closed-loop
gain



$$\frac{G}{1+G_H} = K \cdot \frac{L}{1+L}$$