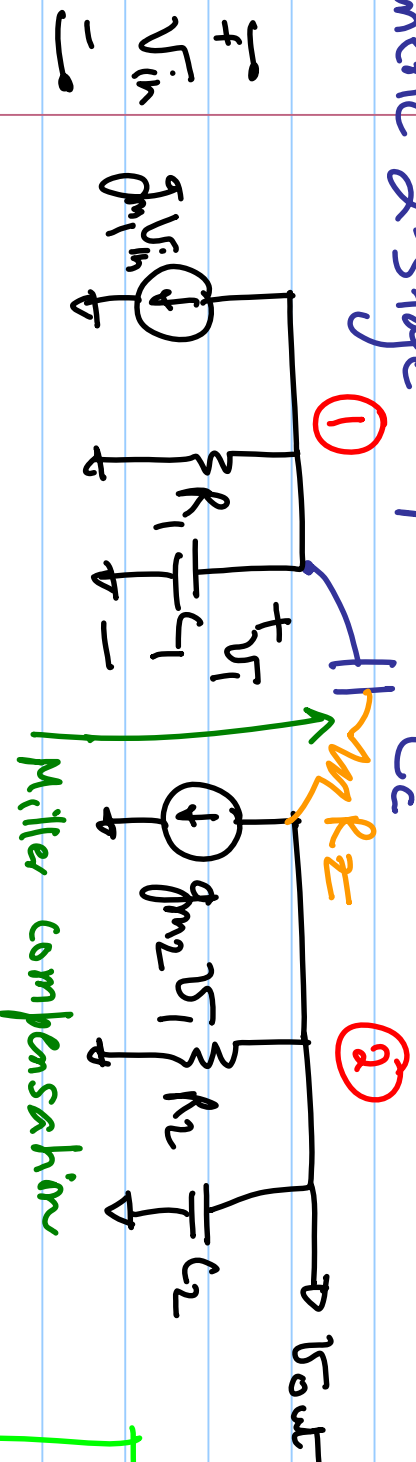


ECE 511 - Lecture 21

Note Title

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generic 2-stage Amp Model



$$\omega_z = + \frac{g_{m2}}{C_c}$$

Small-signal
gain @
low-freq.

$$A_v = (g_{m1} R_1) (g_{m2} R_2)$$

$$\omega_{p1} \approx \frac{1}{R_2 (C_2 + C_c) + R_1 (C_1 + C_c (1 + g_{m2} R_2))}$$

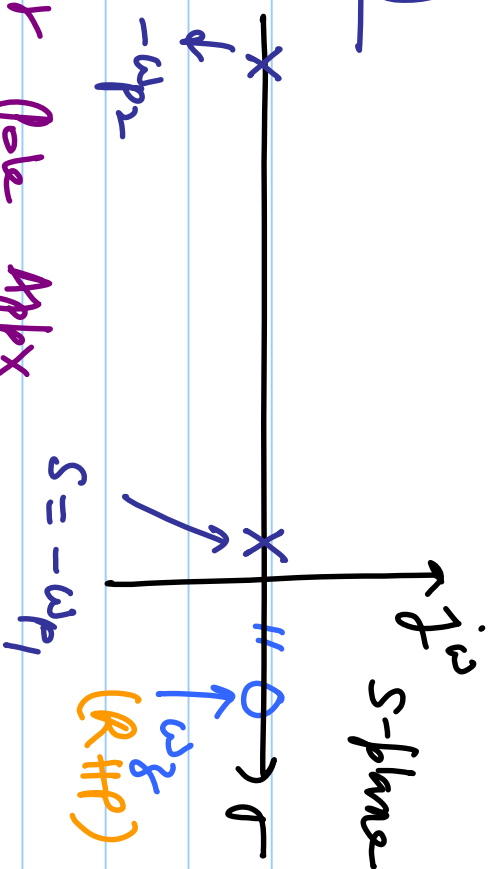
large

$$\omega_{p2} \approx \frac{g_{m2} C_c}{C_c C_1 + C_1 C_2 + C_c C_2}$$

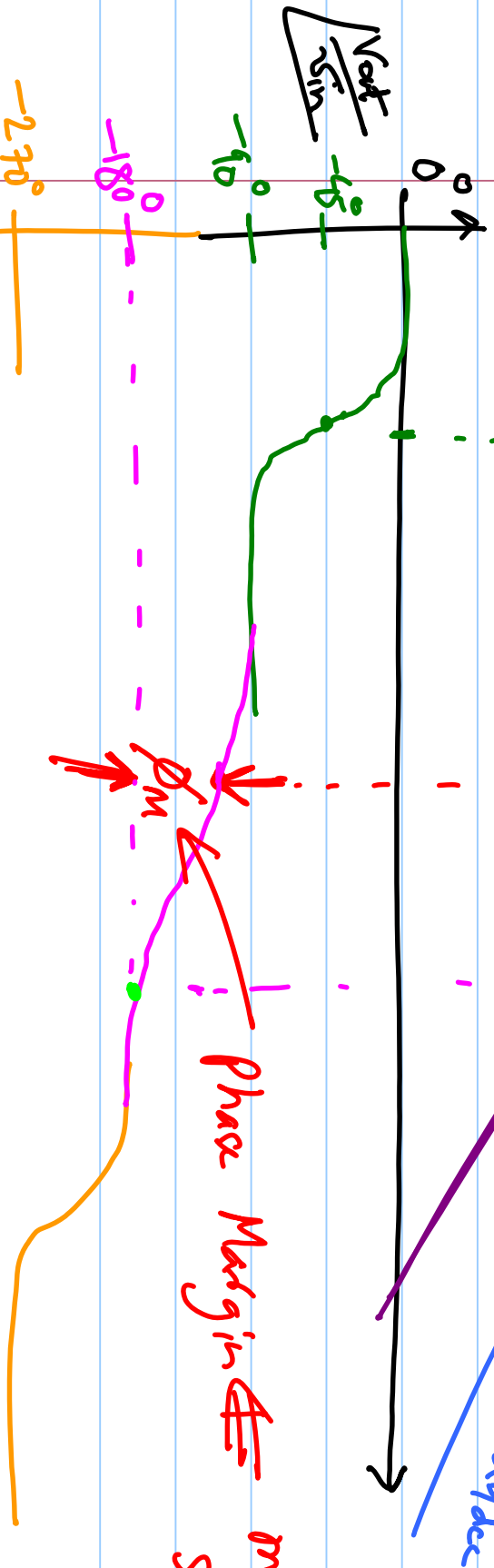
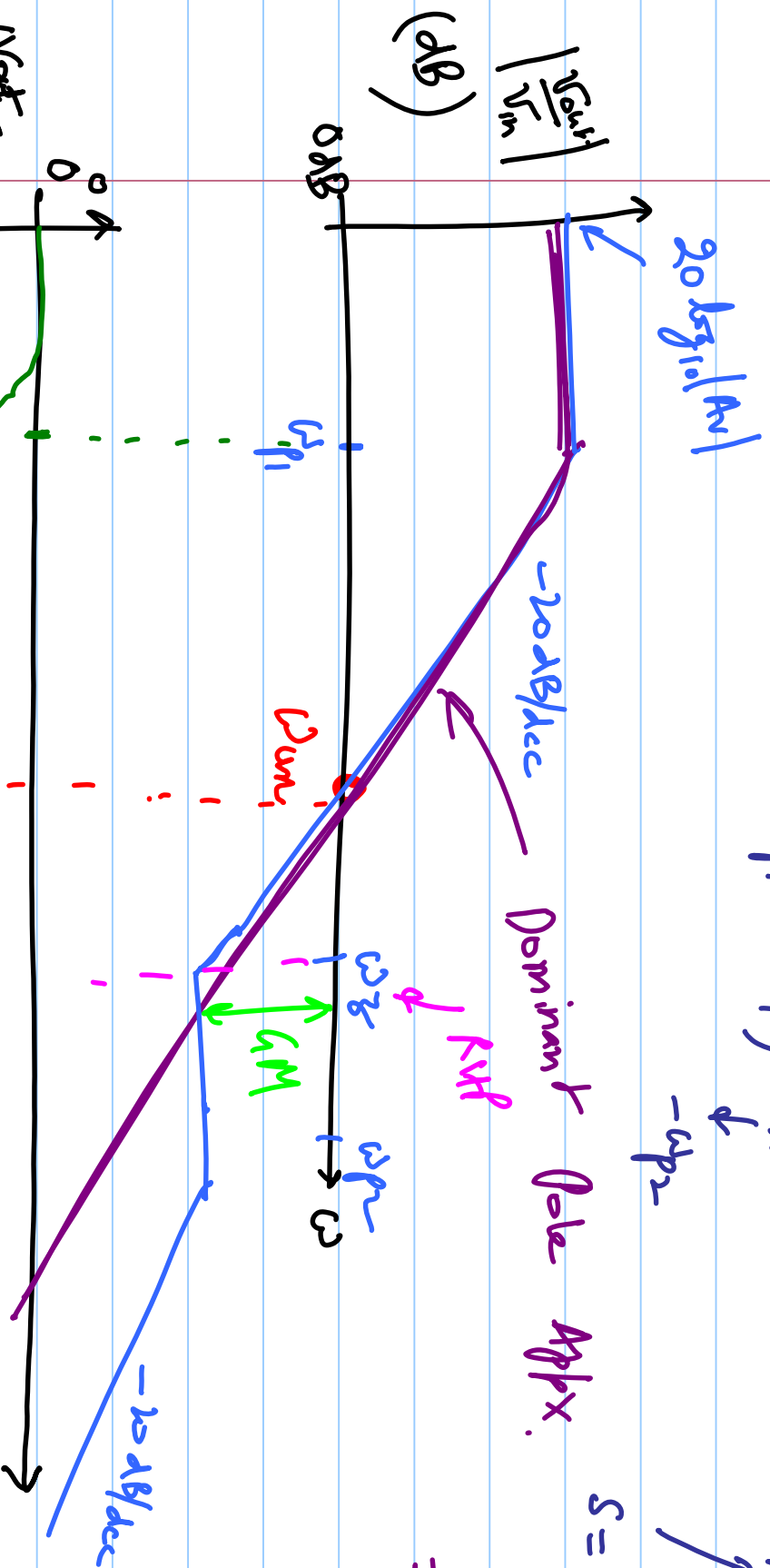
$$\propto \frac{g_{m2}}{C_2} \text{ for } C_c \gg C_2 \gg C_1$$

$$\omega_{un} \approx \frac{g_{m1}}{C_c}$$

$$\frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}}(s) = A(s) = \frac{A_v (1 - s/\omega_z)}{((1 + \frac{s}{\omega_{p1}})(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_{p2}}))}$$



for $R_z = \frac{1}{g_m}$
 $\omega_g \rightarrow \infty$



Phase Margin $\hat{=}$ metric of stability

$$\frac{U_{out}}{U_{in}}(s) = A(s) = \frac{A_v (1 - s/\omega_z)}{(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_{p1}})(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_{p2}})}$$

$s \rightarrow j\omega$
 $N_v = 1 - j\frac{\omega}{\omega_z}$

$$|A(j\omega)| = \frac{|A_v| \sqrt{1 + (\frac{\omega}{\omega_z})^2}}{\sqrt{1 + (\frac{\omega}{\omega_{p1}})^2} \sqrt{1 + (\frac{\omega}{\omega_{p2}})^2}}$$

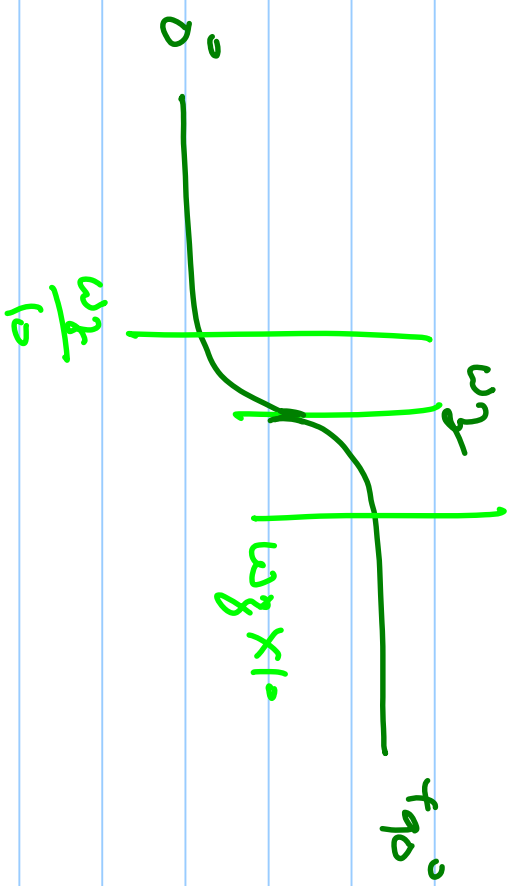
$$\angle A(j\omega) = \tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{\omega}{\omega_z}\right) - \left\{ \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_{p1}}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_{p2}}\right) \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 & \quad -90^\circ \\ & \quad = \underbrace{-\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_z}\right)}_{\text{RHP zero}} - \underbrace{\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_{p1}}\right) - \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_{p2}}\right)}_{\text{poles}} \end{aligned}$$

LH zero

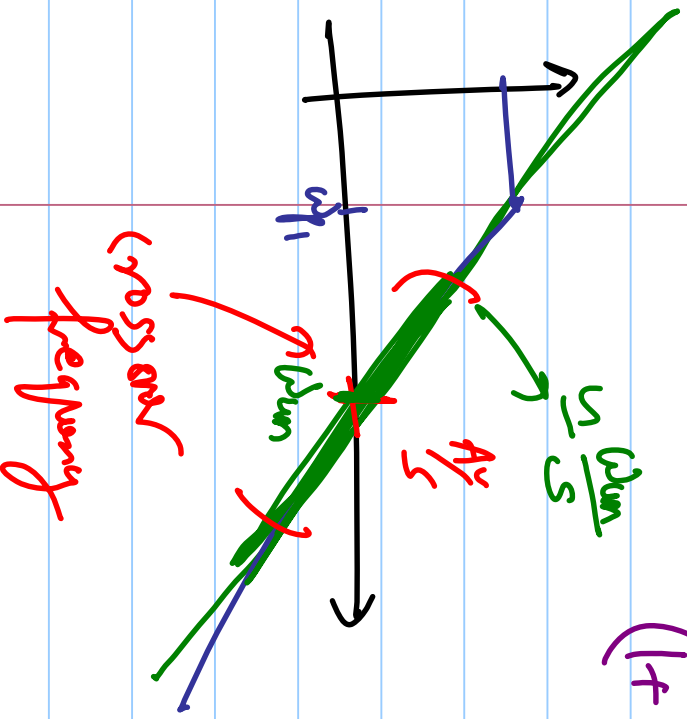
$$N = \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_z}\right)$$

$$\rightarrow + \frac{1}{\omega_z} \left(\frac{\omega_z}{s} \right)$$



on the frequency of interest

$$A(s) \approx \frac{A_v}{(1 + s/\omega_p)} \quad \text{dominant pole model}$$



$$\omega_{3dB} = \omega_p \approx \frac{1}{g_{m2} R_2 R_1 C_c} \quad \leftarrow \text{open-loop BW}$$

$$f_{3dB} \approx \frac{1}{2\pi g_{m2} R_2 R_1 C_c}$$

for $\omega \gg \omega_{3dB}$

$$A(s) \approx \frac{A_v}{s/\omega_{3dB}} = \frac{A_v \omega_{3dB}}{s} = \frac{\omega_{dom}}{s}$$

$$\left| \frac{A_{v0} \omega_{3dB}}{s} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\omega_{un} = A_{v0} \omega_{3dB}}$$

Dominant pole approx

$$\boxed{\omega_{BL} = \text{gain} \times BW}$$

$$\omega_{un} = A_{v0} \times \omega_{3dB}$$

$$= (\cancel{g_{m1}} \cancel{g_{m2}} R_2) \times \left(\frac{1}{\cancel{g_{m2}} R_1 C_c} \right)$$

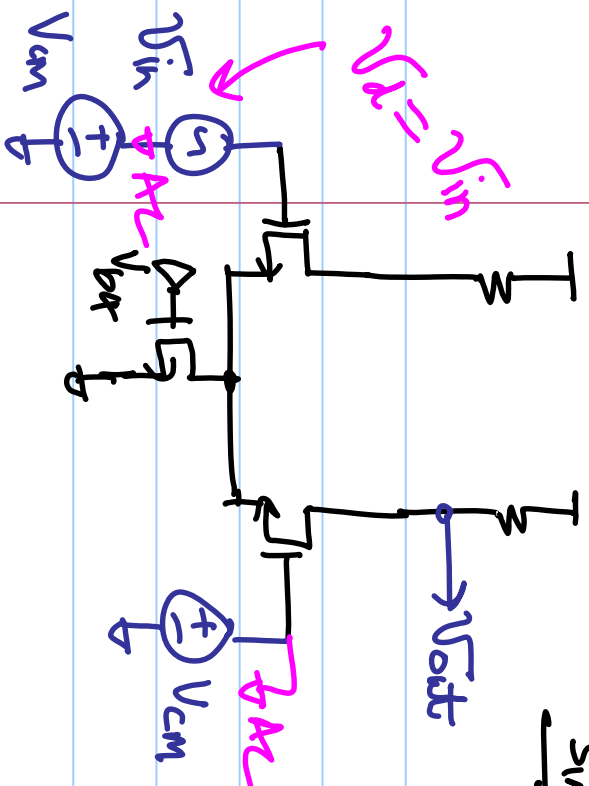
$$\boxed{\omega_{un} \approx \frac{g_{m1}}{C_c}}$$

Single-ended

$A_{v,DM}$

$A_{v,CM}$

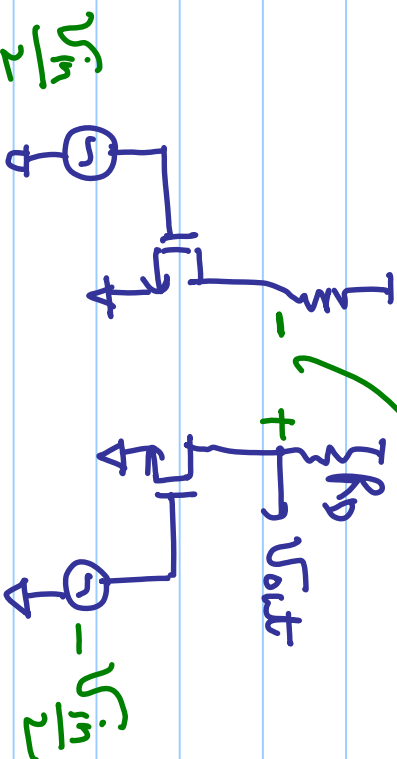
CMR



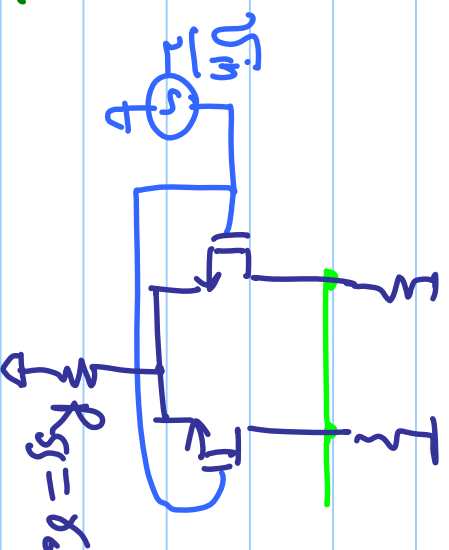
Half-Circuit Analysis

DM

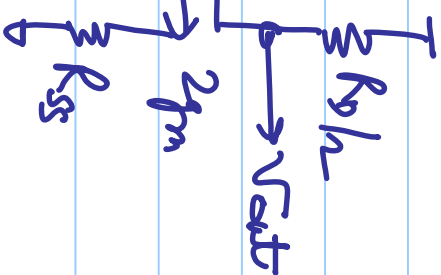
$$A_{v,diff} = g_m R_D$$



CM



$V_{in}/2$



$$A_{v,DM} = + g_m R_D$$

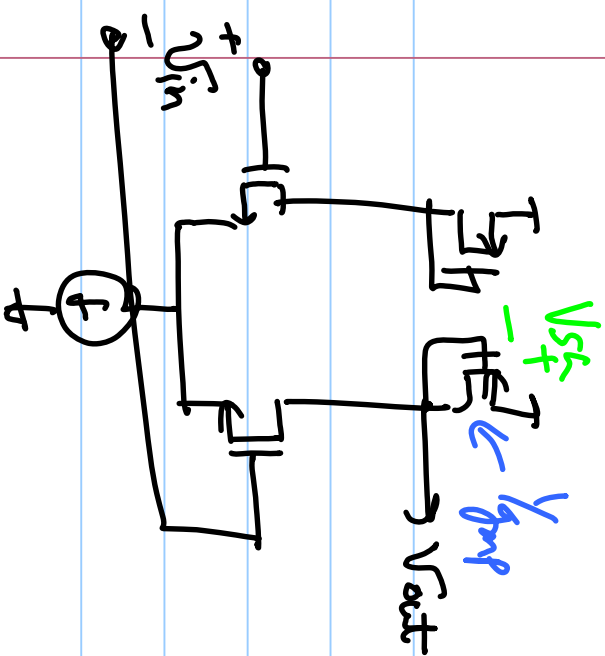
$$A_{v,CM} = -$$

$$\frac{R_D/2}{\frac{1}{2g_m} + R_{SS}}$$

$$C_{MRR} = \left| \frac{A_{V,ON}}{A_{I,CM}} \right| = \left| \frac{\frac{g_{mR_D}}{2}}{\frac{g_{mR_D}}{1 + 2g_{mR_S}}} \right|$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + g_{mR_S}$$

$$\approx \underline{\underline{g_{mR_S}}}$$



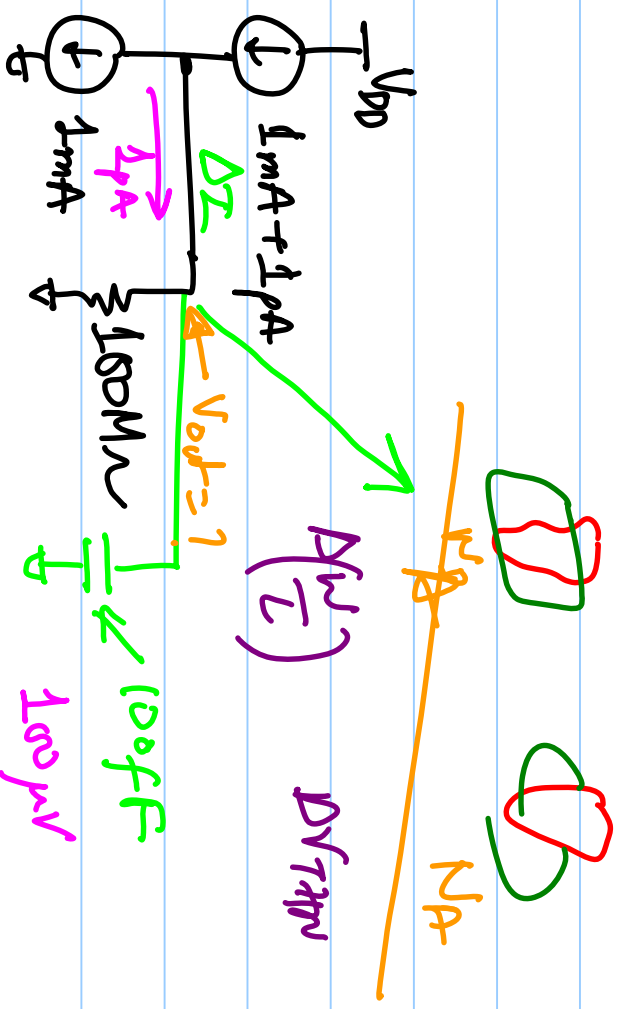
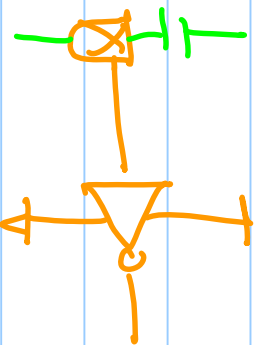
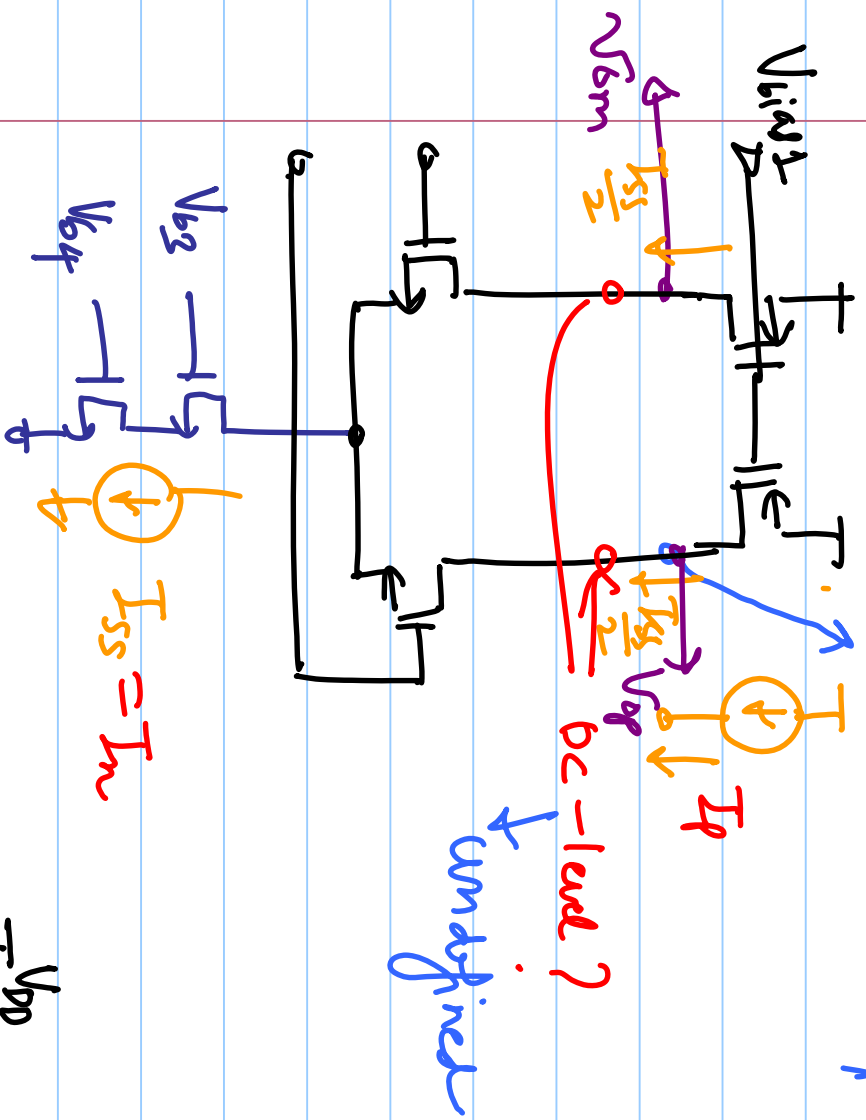
$$\frac{1}{2} g_{m_n} \times \frac{1}{g_{m_p}}$$

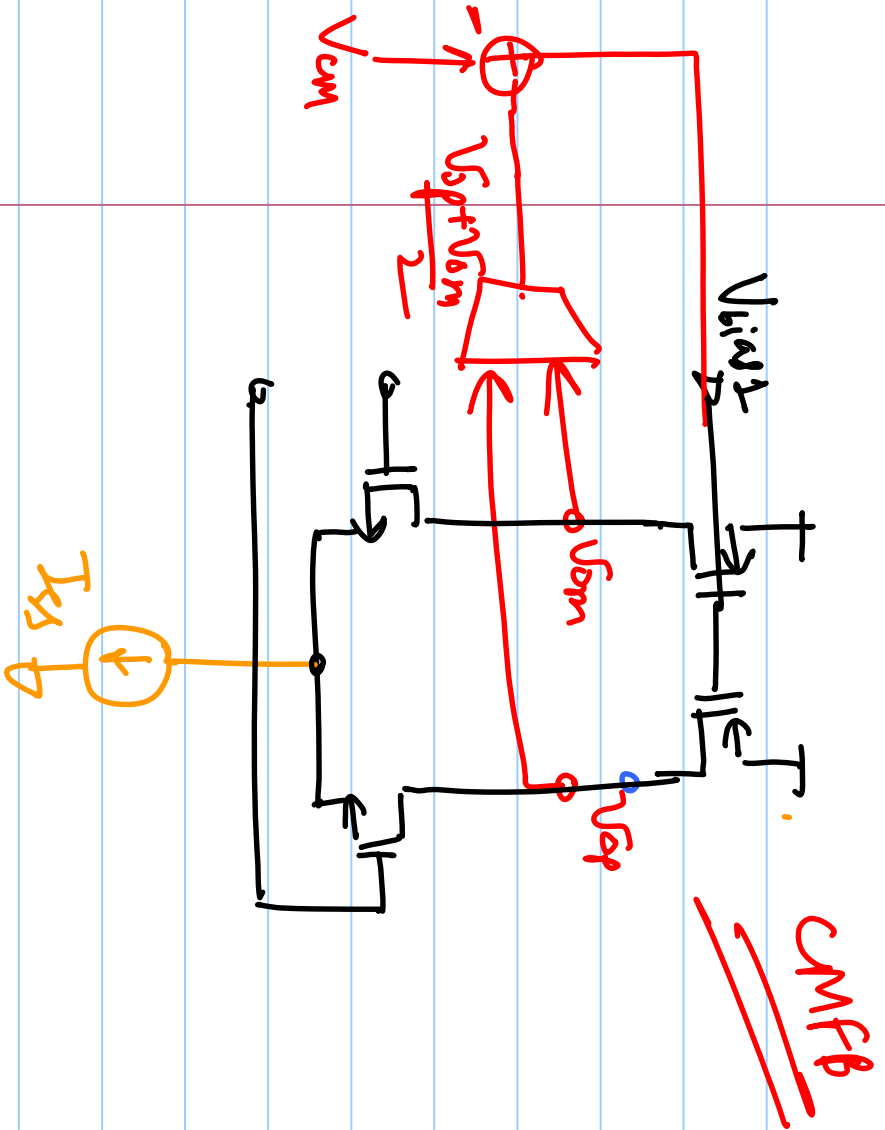
$$\left(\frac{1}{g_{m_p}} \parallel \uparrow \text{ by } L_p \right)$$

$$V_{SG} \uparrow$$

reshick the
voltage headroom

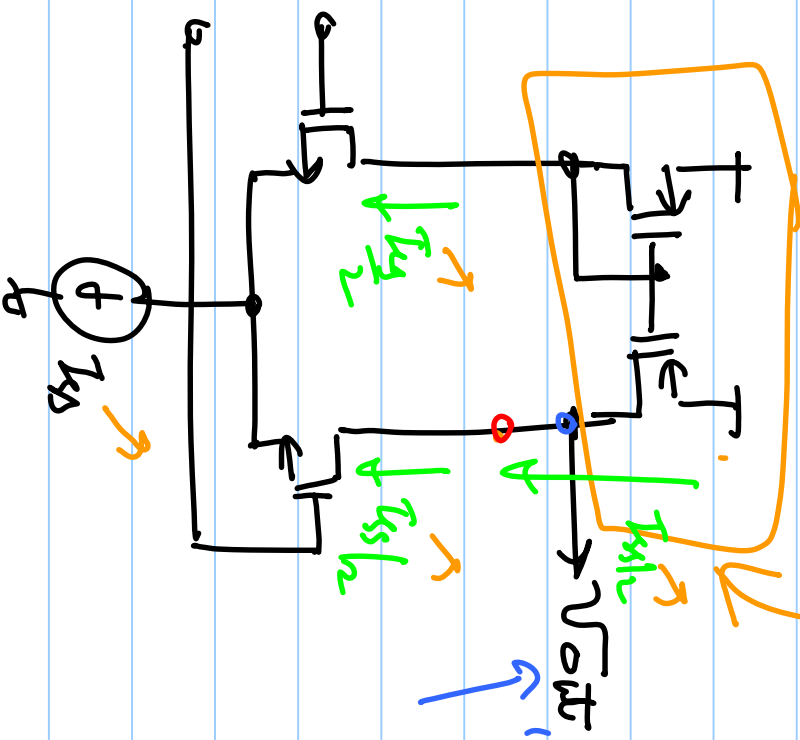
* Two indep. current sources





Single-ended CMOS Diff-amp

Current mirror load

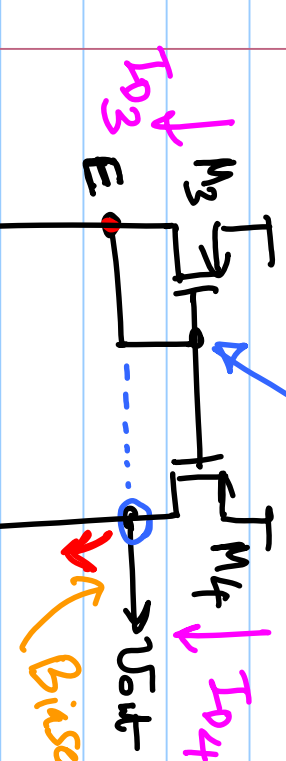


Neisb $V_{DD} - V_{SG}$

Let say $V_{out} < V_E$

By CLM $V_{G2} < V_{G1}$

$\Rightarrow I_{D2} < I_{D1} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$



Bias by current mirror

$V_{SD4} > V_{SD3}$

$\Rightarrow I_{D4} > I_{D3} \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

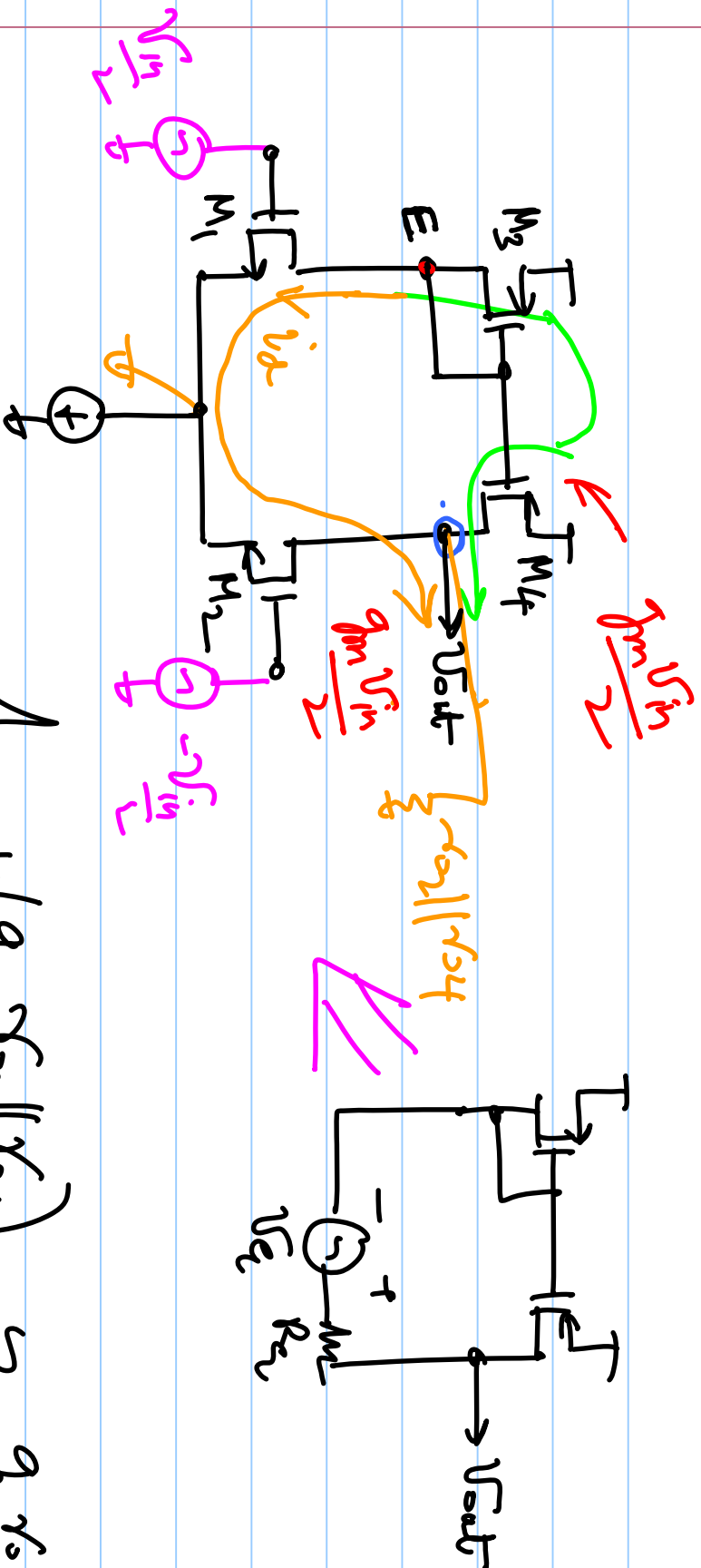
$\therefore I_{D1} > I_{D2}$

$> \Rightarrow I_{D1} > \frac{I_{SS}}{2} \Rightarrow I_{D3} > \frac{I_{SS}}{2}$

$\Rightarrow I_{D4} < \frac{I_{SS}}{2}$

Contradiction

$\Rightarrow I_{D1} = I_{D2} \Rightarrow V_{out} = V_E = V_{DD} - V_{SG3}$



$$A_v = + (g_{m1} r_{o2} \parallel r_{o4}) \approx \frac{g_m r_o}{2}$$