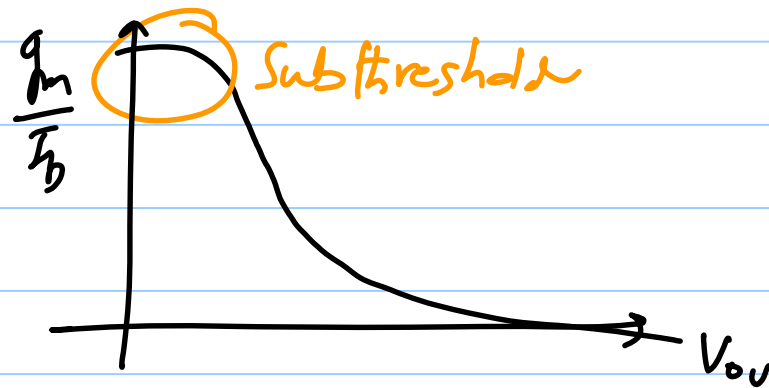


ECE 511 - Lecture 9

Note Title

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$$\left(\frac{g_m}{I_D} \right) = \frac{\beta V_{ov}}{\frac{\beta}{2} V_{ov}^2} \propto \frac{1}{\underline{V_{ov}}} \rightarrow 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ of } V_{ov}$$



Short-channel

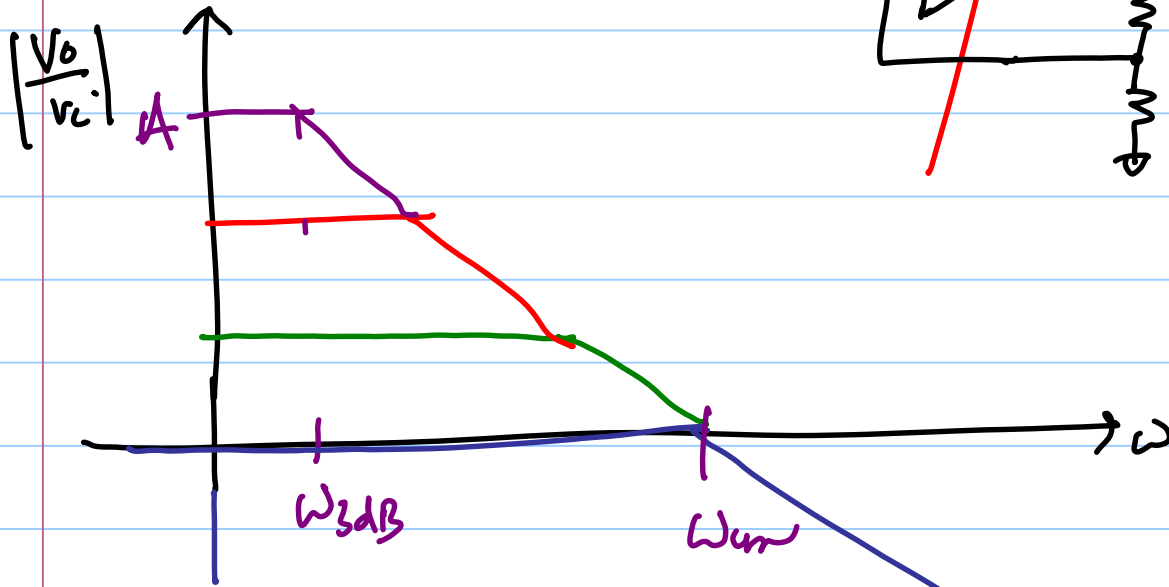
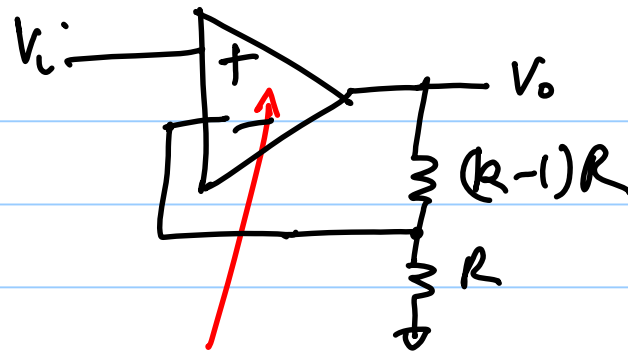
$$g_m r_o \propto \frac{L}{V_{ov}}$$

$$f_T \propto \frac{V_{ov}}{L}$$

$$\underline{g_m r_o f_T = \text{const.}}$$

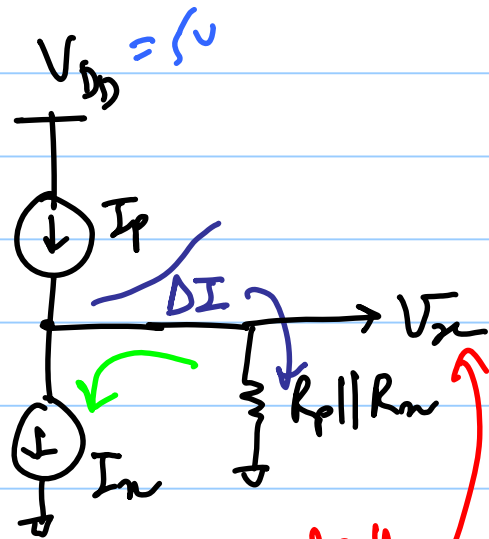
Figure of merit.

LM741



for
single pole
of amp

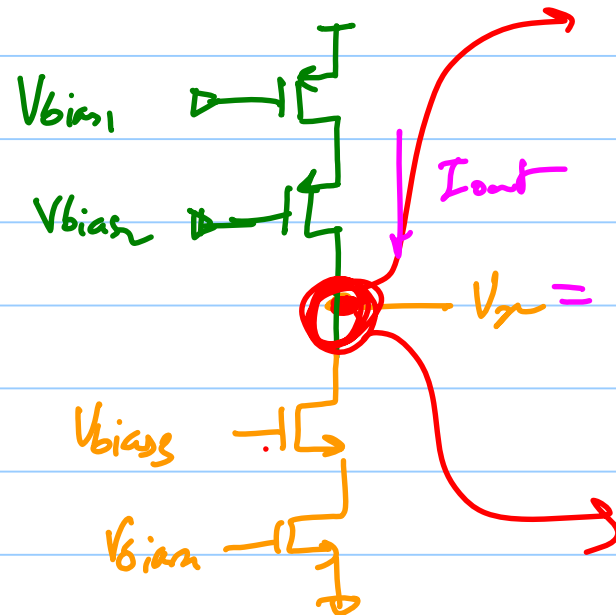
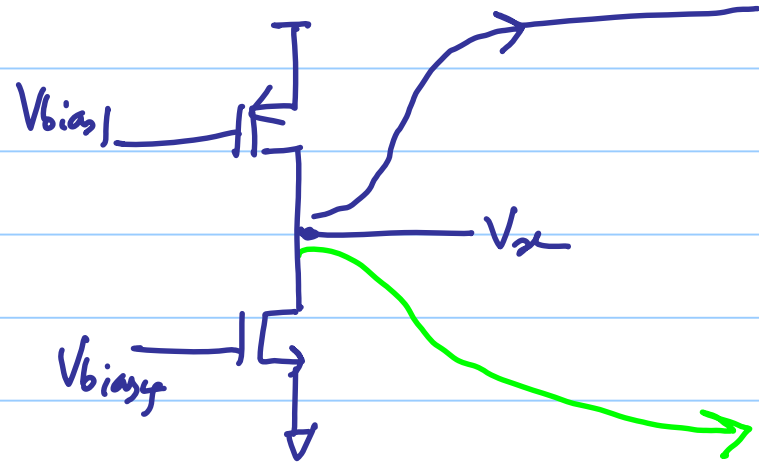
$$\omega_u \leq \omega_{3dB} \times A_v$$



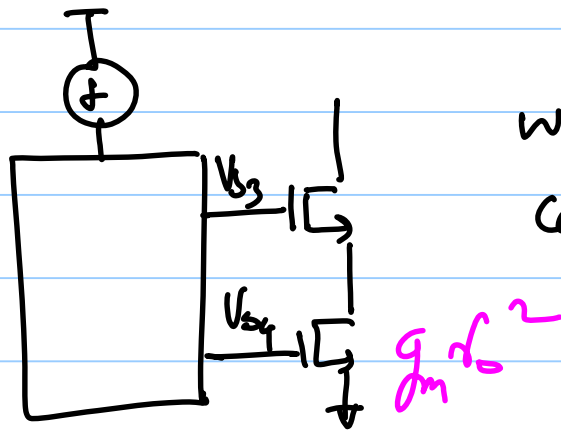
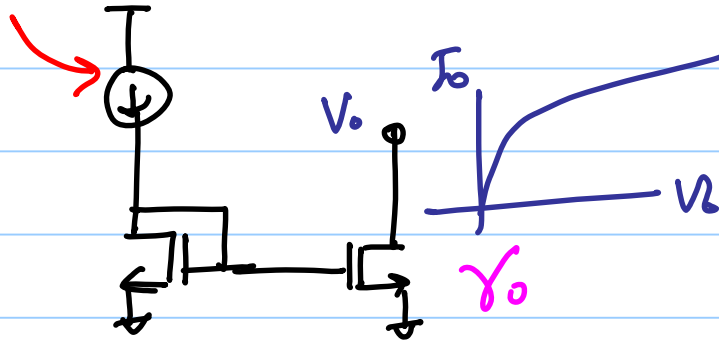
Voltage is undefined

$$I_P > I_N$$

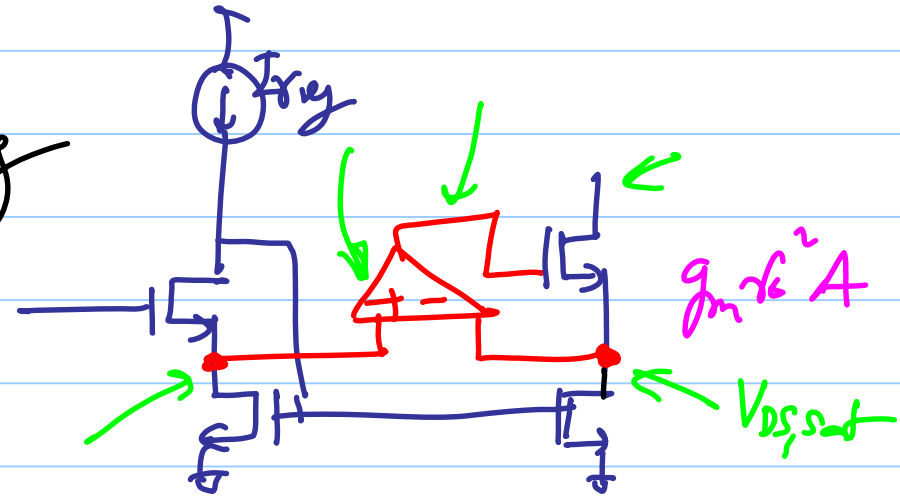
$$I_P < I_N$$



$R \times V$ independent



wide-swing
cascoding



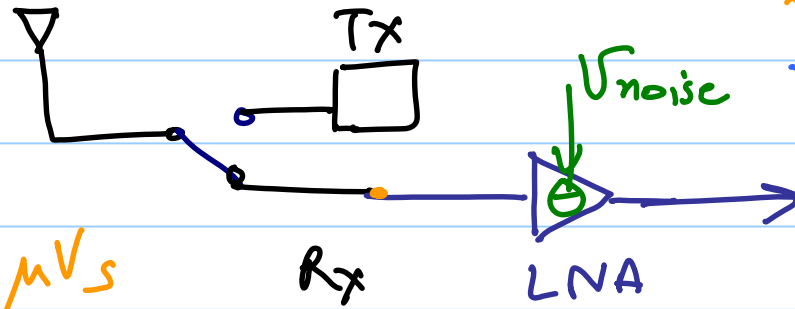
Regulated Drain
CM

"Replica Biasing"

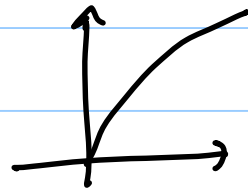
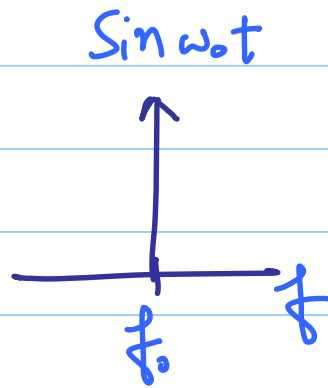
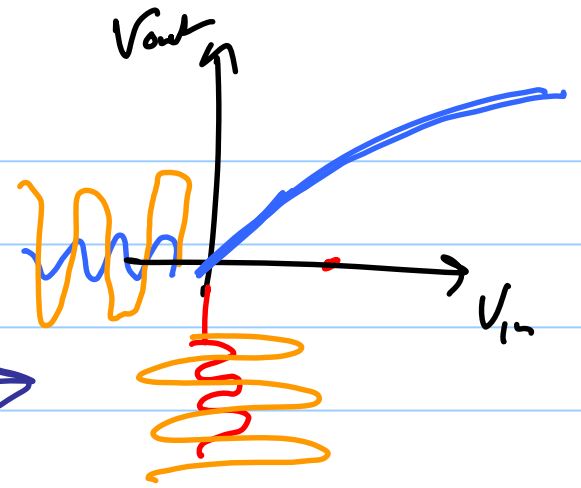
Single-Stage Amplifiers:

* amplification
of small-signals

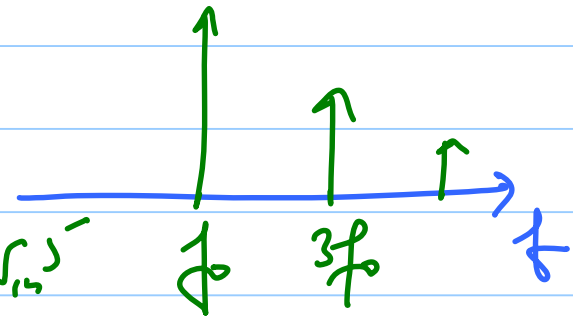
few μV_s



low noise
amplifier

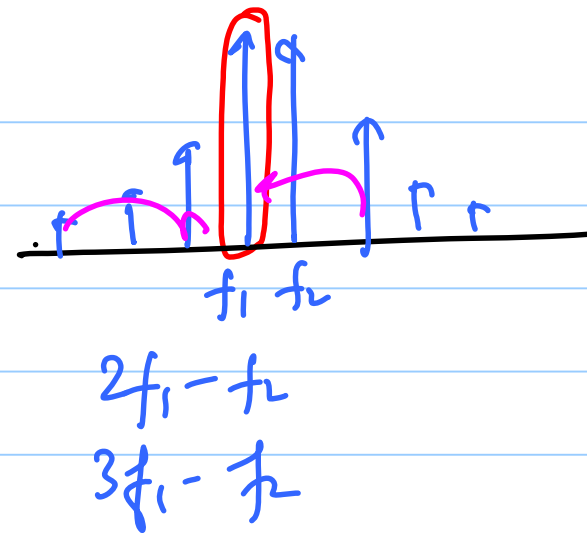
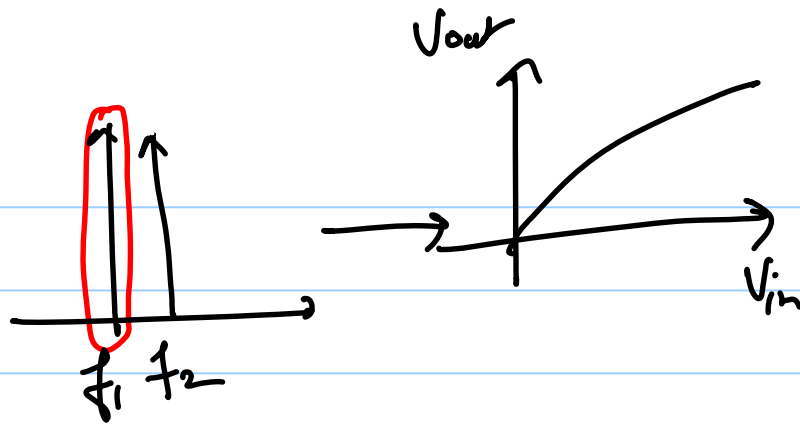


$$A_1 V_{in} - A_3 V_{in}^3 - A_5 V_{in}^5$$



$$V_{out}(t) = A_1 \sin \omega t - A_3 \sin^3 \omega t$$

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 $\sin 3\omega t$

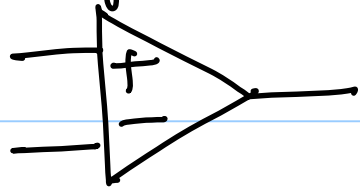


trade-offs

- * gain
- * Speed/bandwidth
- * headroom (voltage swing) $\leftrightarrow V_{DD}$
- * noise
- * non-linearity
- * power dissipation
- * input & output impedances

Aside

operational amplifier
large gain



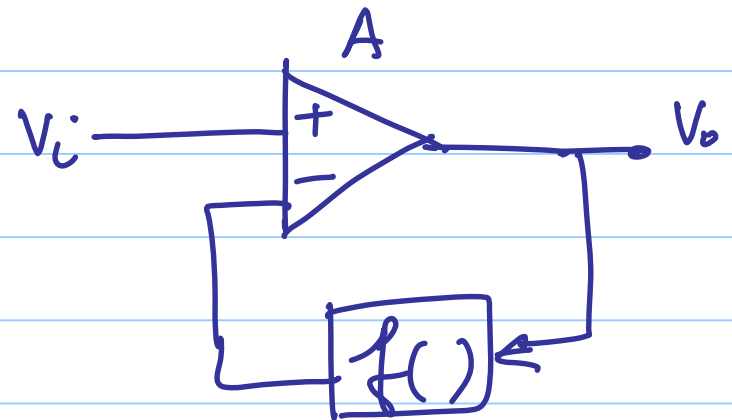
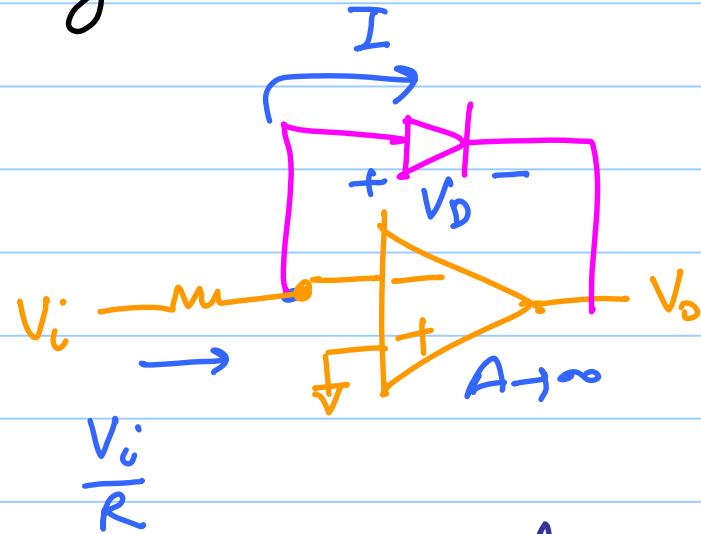
$$V_o = -V_D$$

$$I = I_0 e^{\frac{V_D}{V_T}} = \frac{V_i}{R}$$

$$e^{V_D/nV_T} = \frac{V_i}{I_0 R}$$

$$V_D = nV_T \ln\left(\frac{V_i}{I_0 R}\right)$$

$$V_{out} = -nV_T \ln\left(\frac{V_i}{I_0 R}\right)$$



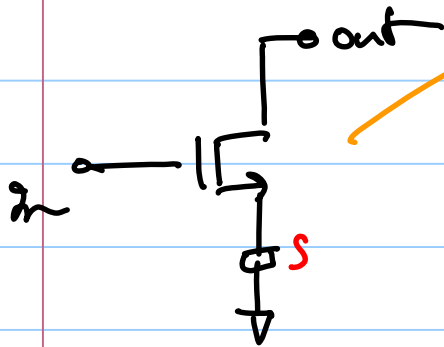
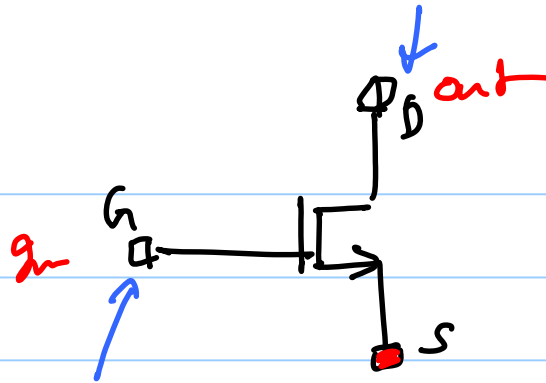
$$V_o = f^{-1}(V_{in})$$



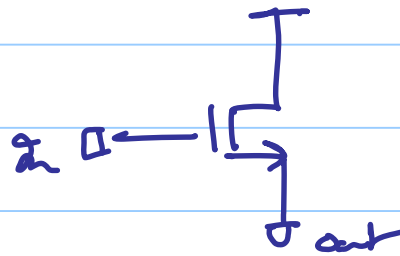
VCCS

3 p₂ possibilities

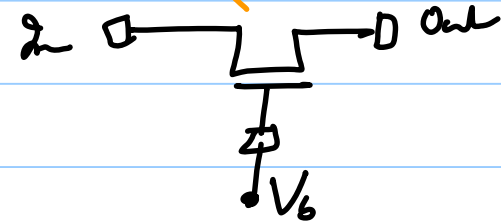
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Common Source



Common Drain
(Source follower)

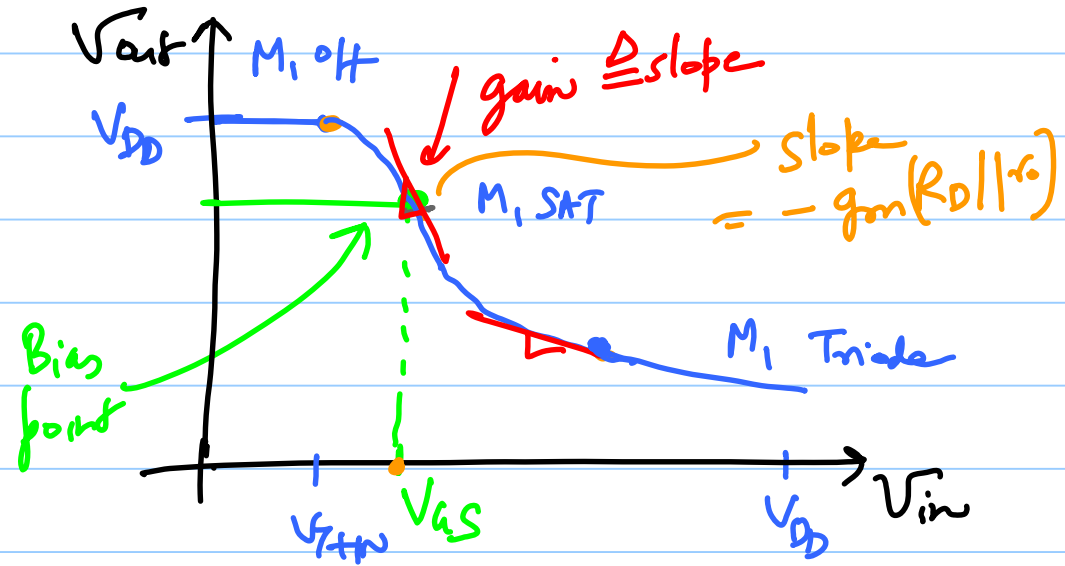
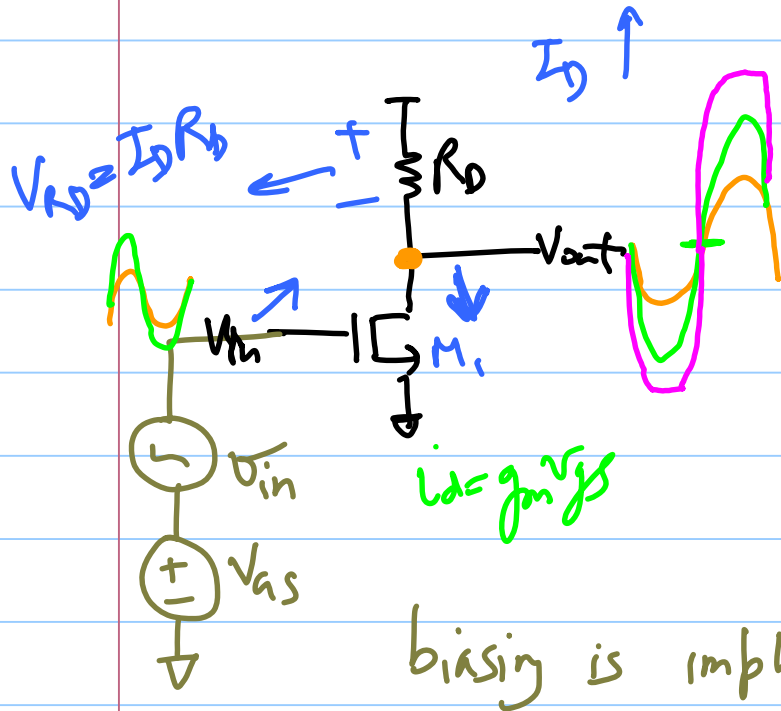


Common gate

Cascode

Common Source :

inverting gain



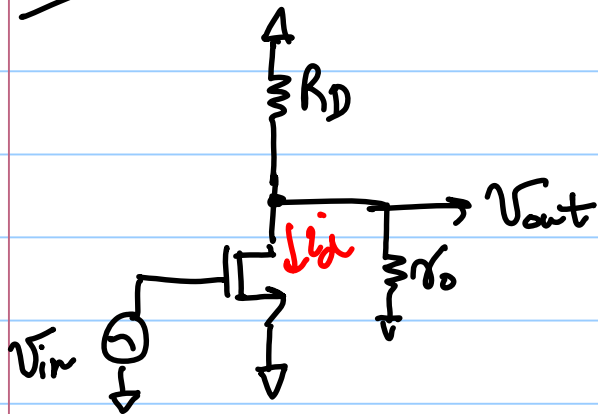
$$V_{AS} \rightarrow V_{OV} \Rightarrow g_m r_o \approx f_T$$

$$V_{DS} > V_{DS,sat}$$

May Bias V_{DS} at

$$\frac{V_{DS,sat} + V_{DD}}{2} \text{ for max swing}$$

Small signal



$$V_{out} = -i_d (R_D || r_o)$$

$$= -g_m (R_D || r_o) V_{in}$$

$$A_v = \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}} = -g_m (R_D || r_o)$$

$$\approx -g_m R_D$$

$$R_D \ll r_o$$

$$A_v \cong -g_m \cdot R_D$$

$$= -\sqrt{2\beta_n I_D} \cdot R_D \rightarrow \frac{V_{R_D}}{I_D}$$

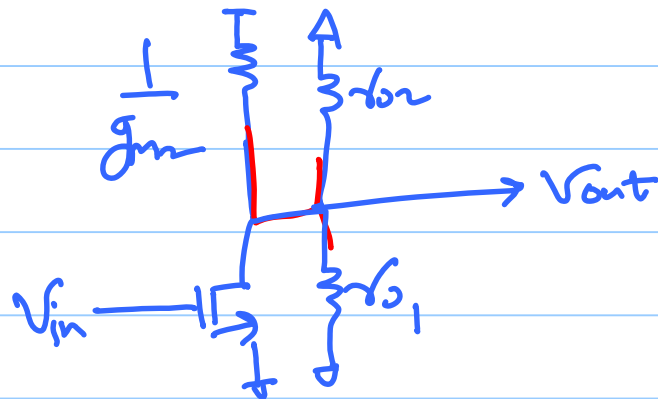
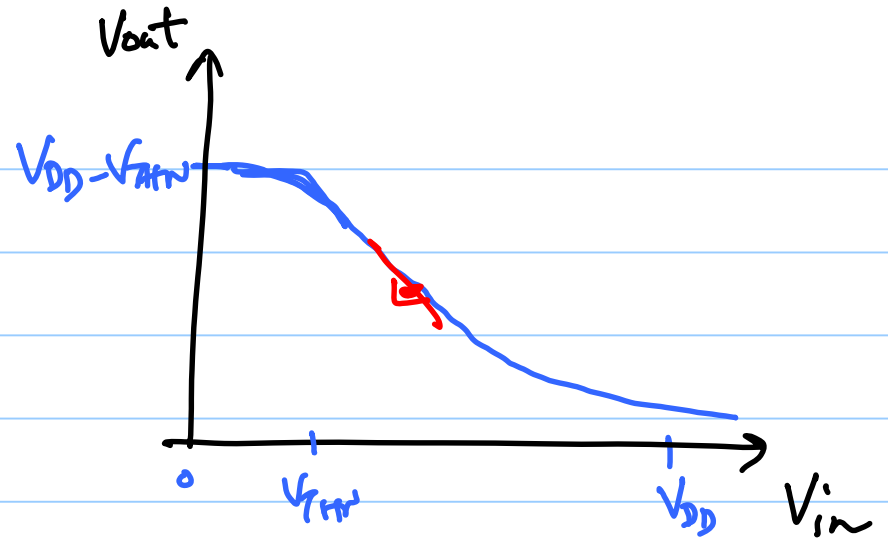
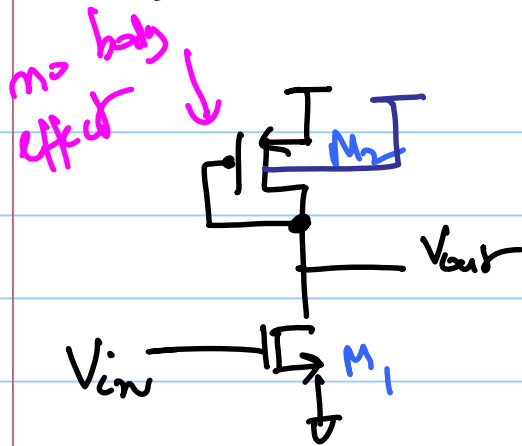
$$= -\sqrt{2\beta_n I_D} \cdot \frac{V_{R_D}}{I_D}$$

$$= -\sqrt{2\beta_n} \cdot \frac{V_{R_D}}{\sqrt{I_D}}$$

* How do we maximize the voltage gain

$|A_v|$ can be increased by increasing $\frac{W}{L} \uparrow \rightarrow$ more C_{eq}
 or $V_{R_D} \uparrow \Rightarrow$ lower swing
 or $I_D \downarrow \Rightarrow$ lower speed

Diode connected load



$$A_v = -g_{m1} \cdot \frac{1}{g_{m2} \parallel r_{o1} \parallel r_{o2}}$$

$$\approx -\frac{g_{m1}}{g_{m2}}$$

$$= -\sqrt{\frac{K_{Pn}(W/L)_1}{K_{Pp}(W/L)_2}}$$

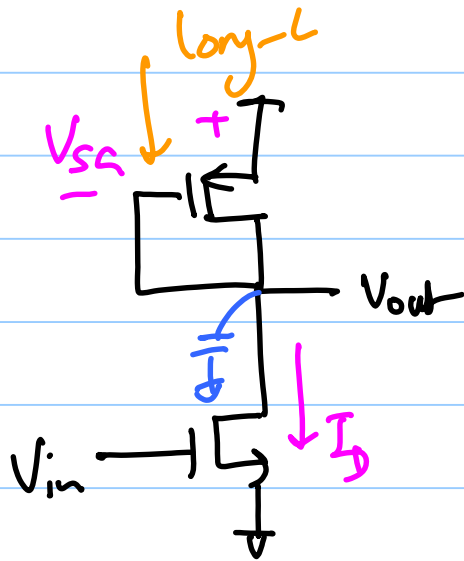
$$\frac{1}{g_m} \ll r_o$$

$$\Rightarrow g_m r_o \gg 1$$

How do we get $|A_v| \gg 1$?

$$\left(\frac{W}{L}\right)_1 > \left(\frac{W}{L}\right)_2$$

$$\Rightarrow L_2 = 5L_1$$



larger area
lower headroom
gains are lower