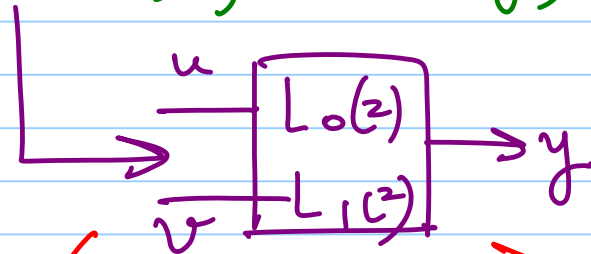


# ECE 615 - Lecture 18

Note Title

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NTF(z), stability, quantizer resolution



feedback topology (FB)

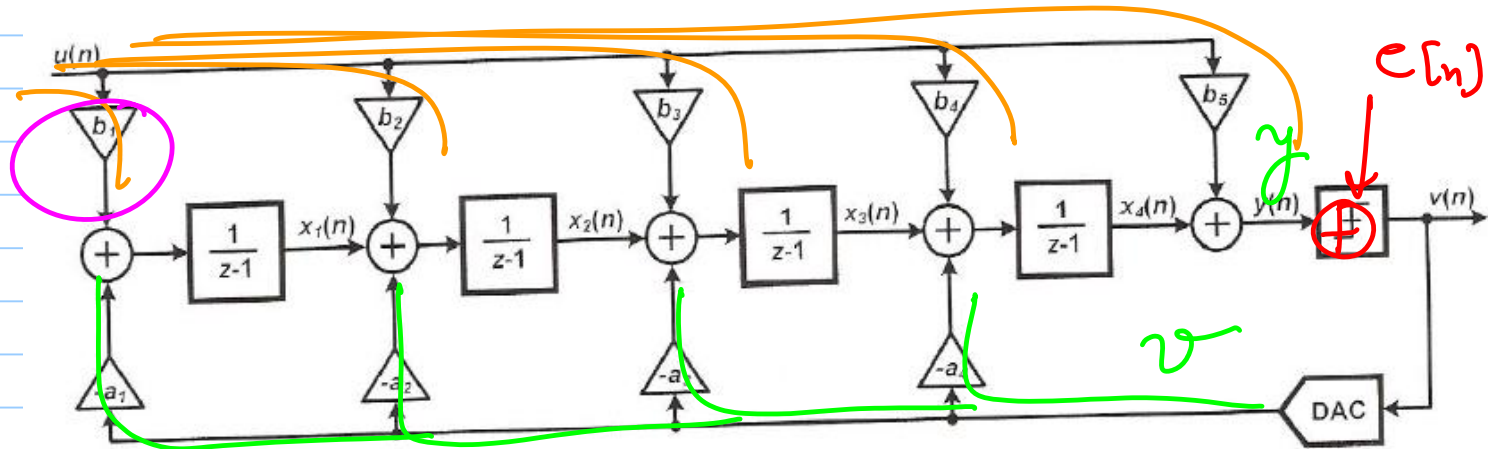
CIFB

Cascade of integrators with FF

feedforward topology (FF)

CIFF

# CIFB



- \* Cascade of  $N$  delaying integrators  $\frac{1}{z-1} = \frac{z^{-1}}{1-z^{-1}}$
- \* feedback from quantizer to each integrator inputs
- \* Multiple feed-in branches are possible  
 $b_1 \rightarrow b_5$

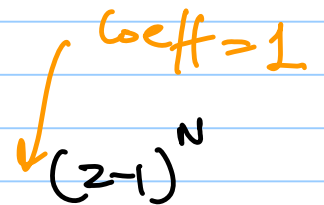
$$L_0(z) = \frac{b_1 + b_2(z-1) + \dots + b_{N+1}(z-1)^N}{(z-1)^N}$$

$$L_1(z) = \frac{a_1 + a_2(z-1) + \dots + a_N(z-1)^{N-1}}{(z-1)^N}$$

$$a_i, b_i > 0$$

$$\text{NTF}(z) = \frac{1}{1-L(z)} = \frac{(z-1)^N}{D(z)}$$

where  $D(z) = a_1 + a_2(z-1) + \dots + a_N(z-1)^{N-1} + (z-1)^N$

coeff = 1  


all NTF zeros lie at  $z=1$

NTF( $z=\infty$ ) = 1  $\Rightarrow$  realizable

$a_i$ 's introduce finite non-zero poles into the NTF(z)  
↳ also determine the zeros of  $L(z)$

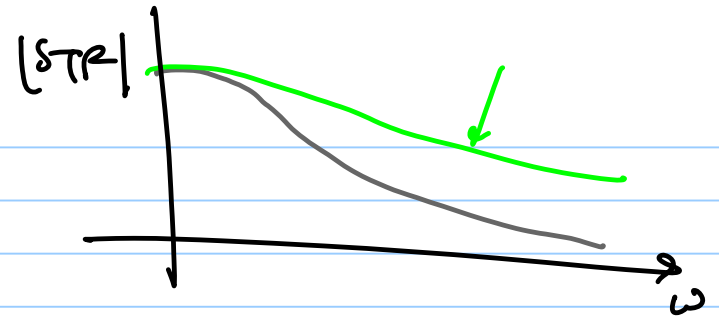
$$STF(z) = \frac{L_0(z)}{1-L(z)} = \frac{b_1 + b_2(z-1) + \dots + b_{N+1}(z-1)^N}{D(z)}$$

$b_i$ 's determine the zeros of the STF while  $a_i$  determine the poles of the STF

\* The poles of NTF & STF are shared

\* if  $b_1 \neq 0$ ,  $b_{2:N+1} = 0$

$$\text{STF}(z) = \frac{b_1}{D(z)}$$



\* This NTF can be implemented with Butterworth response  
∴ all NTF zeros are at  $z = 1$

⇒ need all  $a_i$  branches

↳ no flexibility of removing  $a_i$

\* More flexibility in choosing  $b_i$ 's  
but  $b_1 \neq 0$

Ex.  $b(z; \text{end}) = 0$

$$\text{STF}(z) = \frac{b_1}{D(z)}$$

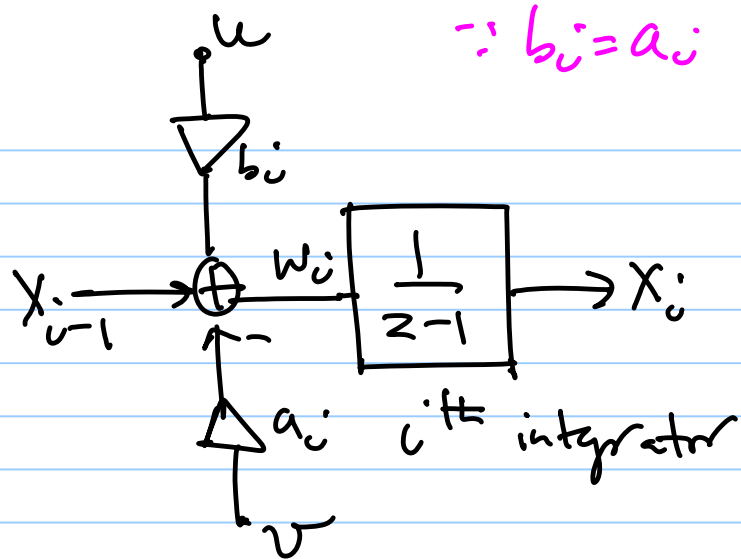
$$\text{for } |\text{STF}| = 1 \Rightarrow b_1 = D(1)$$

Ex. Low distortion CIFB case

$$b_i = a_i \text{ for } i \leq N \text{ and } b_{N+1} = 1$$

$$V(z) = U(z) + \text{NTF}(z) \cdot E(z) \leftarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\underline{\text{STF}(z) = 1} \text{ for all frequencies} \leftarrow \text{low distortion}$$



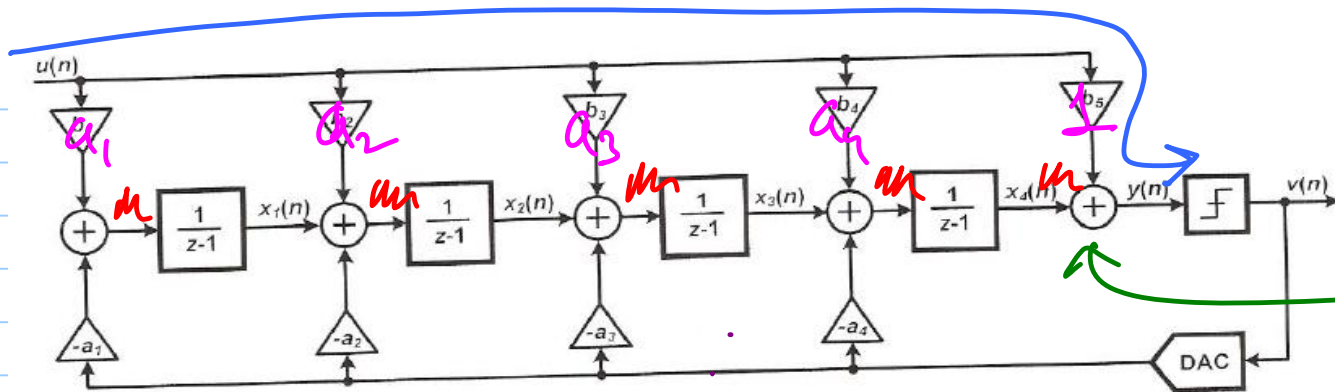
$$\begin{aligned}
 W_i(z) &= X_{i-1}(z) - a_i V(z) + b_i U(z) \\
 &= X_{i-1}(z) + a_i (U(z) - V(z)) \\
 &= X_{i-1}(z) + a_i (\text{NTF}(z) - E(z))
 \end{aligned}$$

No signal here!

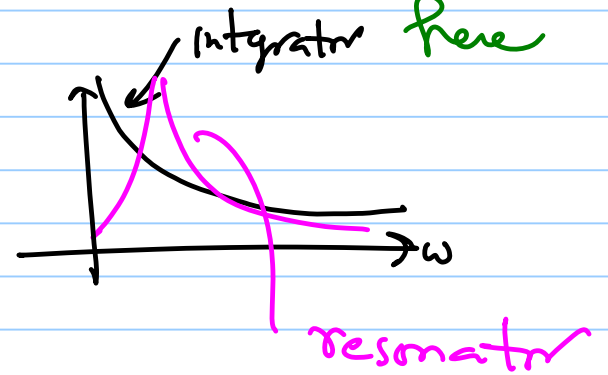
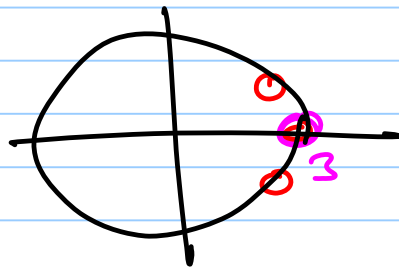
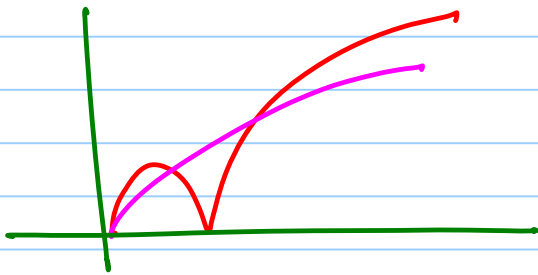
\* The input signal is not present at any integrator input

↳ The loop filter only processes the quantization noise & not the signal

↳ reduced opamp output swings, esp for multibit quantizer

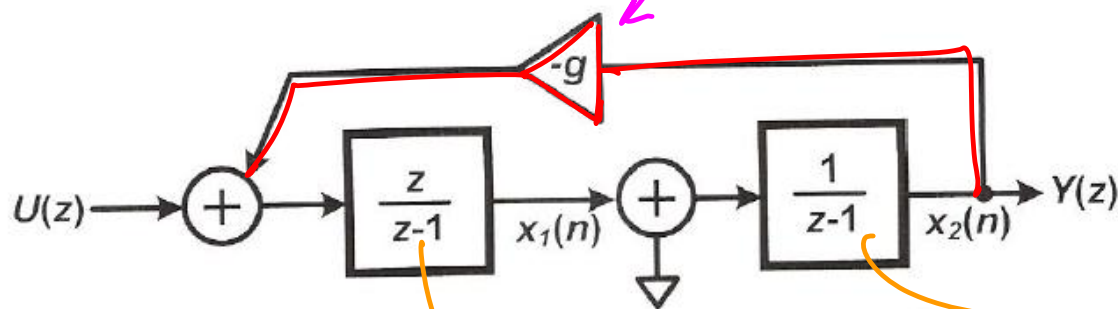


Extra summer needed here





\* Use feedback around pairs of integrators to form resonators  $I_0 I$



→ delaying

→ non-delaying

$$u \frac{z}{(z-1)^2} - \frac{g z}{(z-1)^2} y = y$$

$$R(z) = \frac{y}{u} = \frac{z}{z^2 - (2-g)z + 1}$$

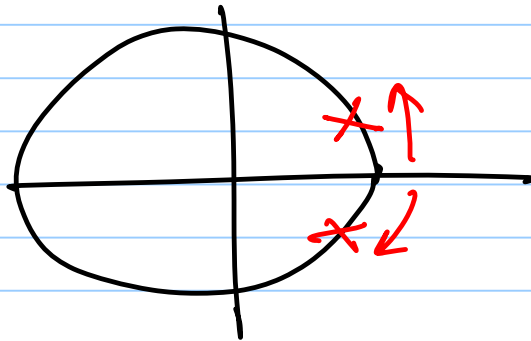
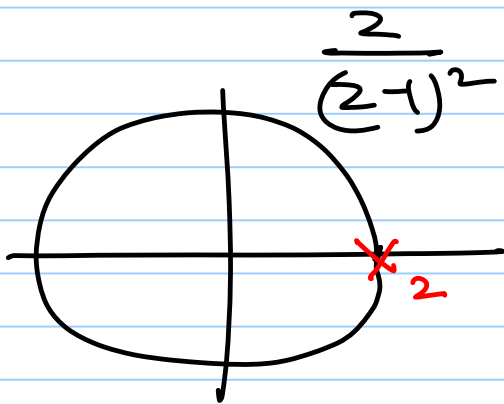
$$= \frac{z}{z^2 - (2\cos\alpha)z + 1}$$

let  $\cos\alpha \stackrel{\Delta}{=} 1 - \beta/2$

$$= \frac{z}{(z - e^{j\alpha})(z - e^{-j\alpha})}$$

Complex roots at

$$\omega = \pm\alpha = \cos^{-1}(1 - \beta/2)$$



$$\frac{z}{z^2 - (2-\beta)z + 1}$$

We had

$$\cos \alpha = 1 - g/2$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - 2\sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} = 1 - g/2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right) = \pm \frac{\sqrt{g}}{2}$$

for  $\alpha \ll \pi$

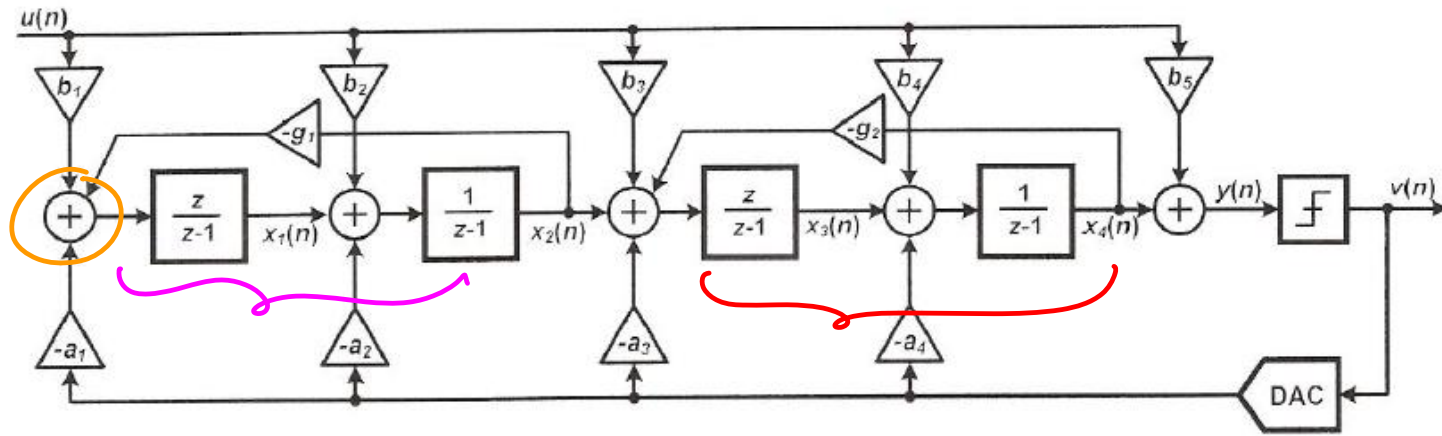
$$\Rightarrow \sin\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right) \approx \frac{\alpha}{2} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{g}}{2} \Rightarrow$$

for  $0 < R \ll 1$

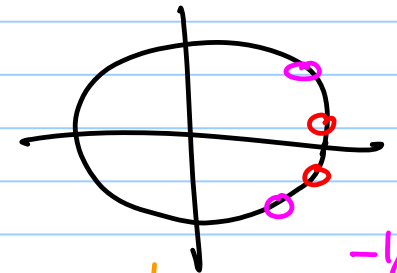
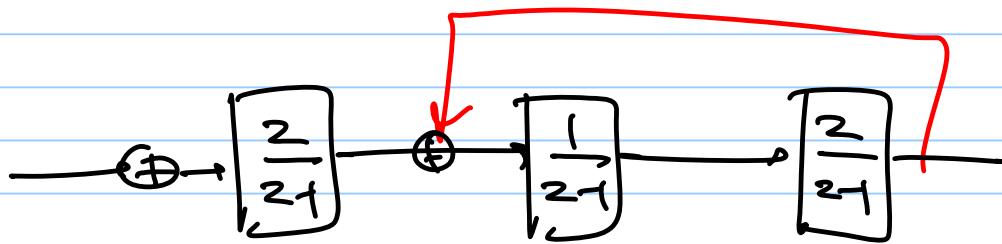
$$\boxed{\alpha \approx \pm \sqrt{g}}$$

Resonator poles are located at  $z = e^{\pm j\sqrt{g}}$

# CRFB

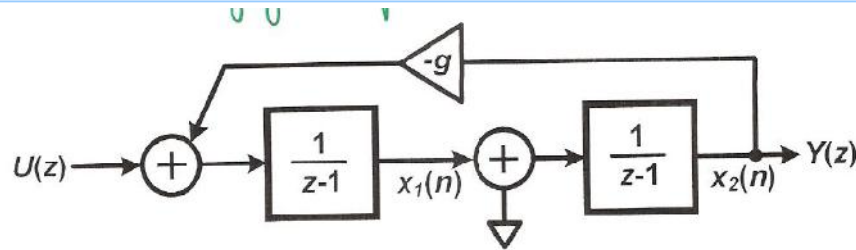


Odd order



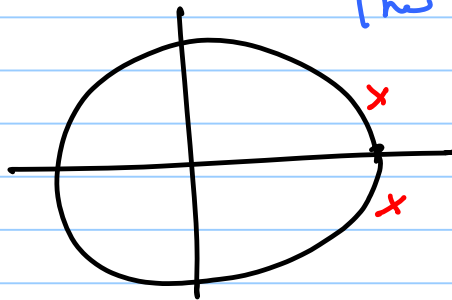
$$\frac{z}{z-1} = \frac{1}{1-z^{-1}} \Rightarrow \frac{z^{-1/2}}{1-z^{-1}}$$

# Resonator with delaying integrators

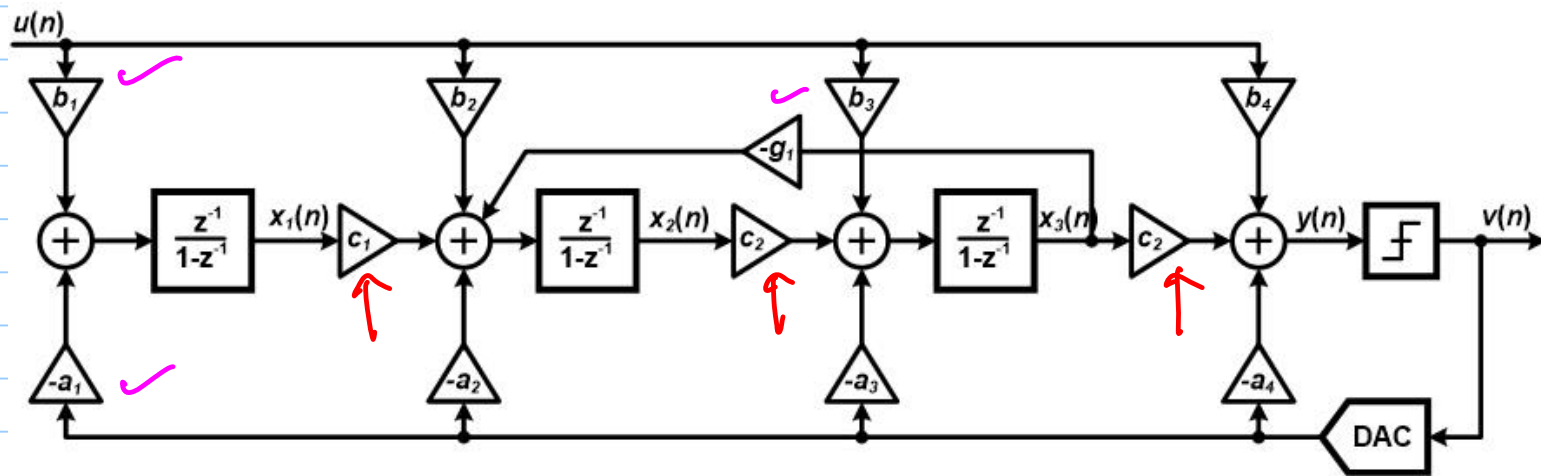


$$R_1(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{U(z)} = \frac{1}{z^2 - 2z + (g+1)}$$

the poles are at  $z_i = 1 \pm j\sqrt{g}$



# CIFB topology with resonators



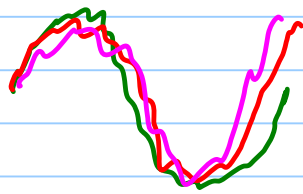
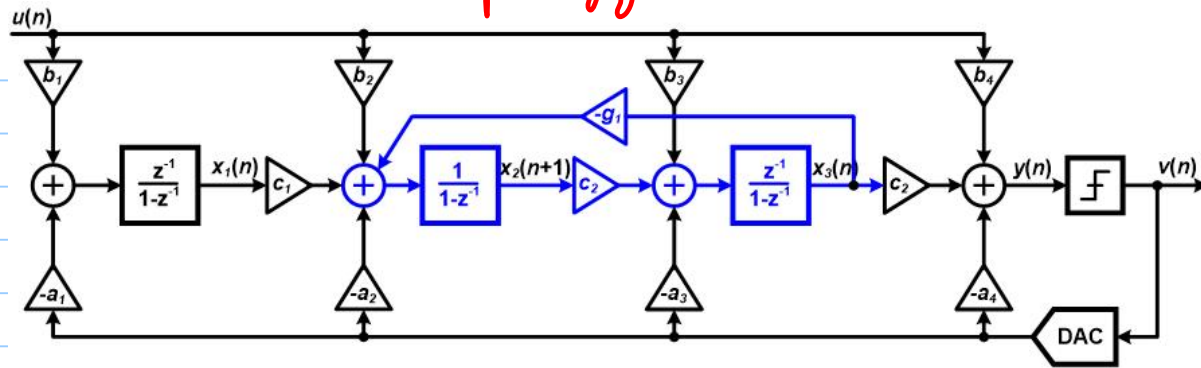
$\Delta Z$  Toolbox function

$\Rightarrow$  realize NTF ( ) function

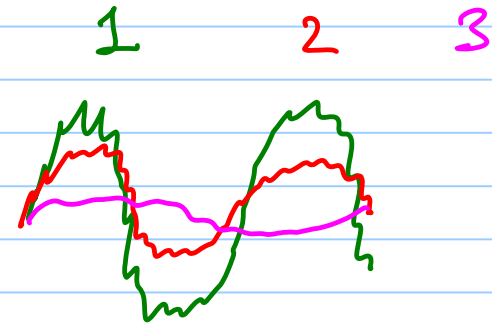
NTF(z)  $\Rightarrow$   $a_s, b_s, c_s, g_s$

$\downarrow$  used in DRS.

# CRFB Topology



DRS



\*  $c$ 's are used for state scaling using Dynamic Range Scaling