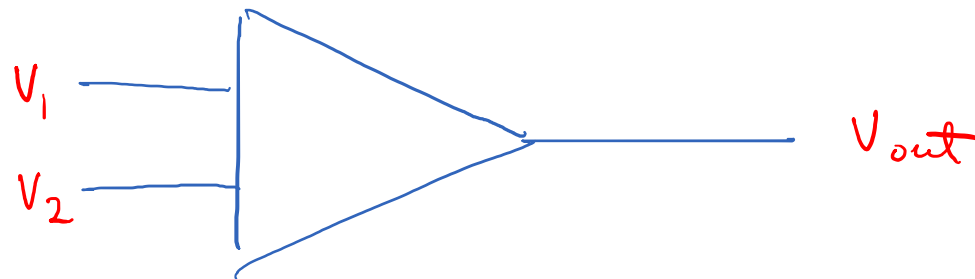


DIFFERENCE AMPLIFIER



DEFINE

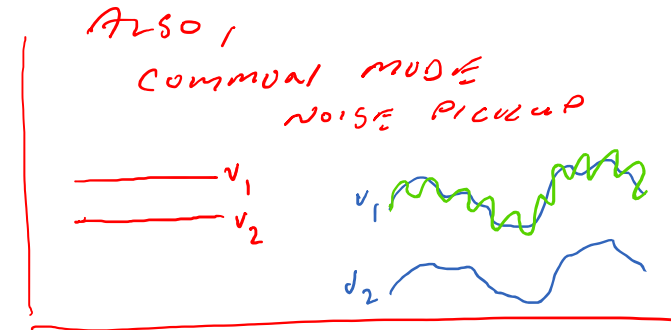
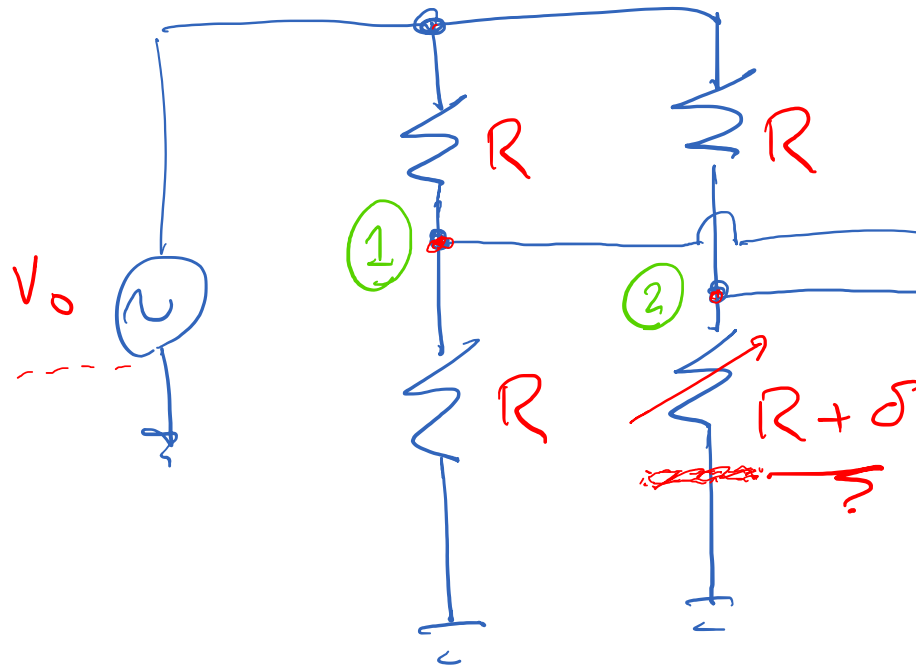
$$V_{cm} = \frac{V_1 + V_2}{2}$$

$$V_D = V_1 - V_2$$

$$V_{out} = A_{cm} V_{cm} + A_D V_D$$

EXAMPLE

WHEATSTONE BRIDGE



$V_{out} \approx A_D V_D$
 $[A_{cm} \ll A_D]$

$$V_1 = \frac{V_0}{2}$$

$$V_2 = \frac{R + \delta}{2R + \delta} \approx \frac{V_0}{2} \left[1 + \frac{\delta}{R} \right] \left[1 - \frac{\delta}{2R} \right]$$

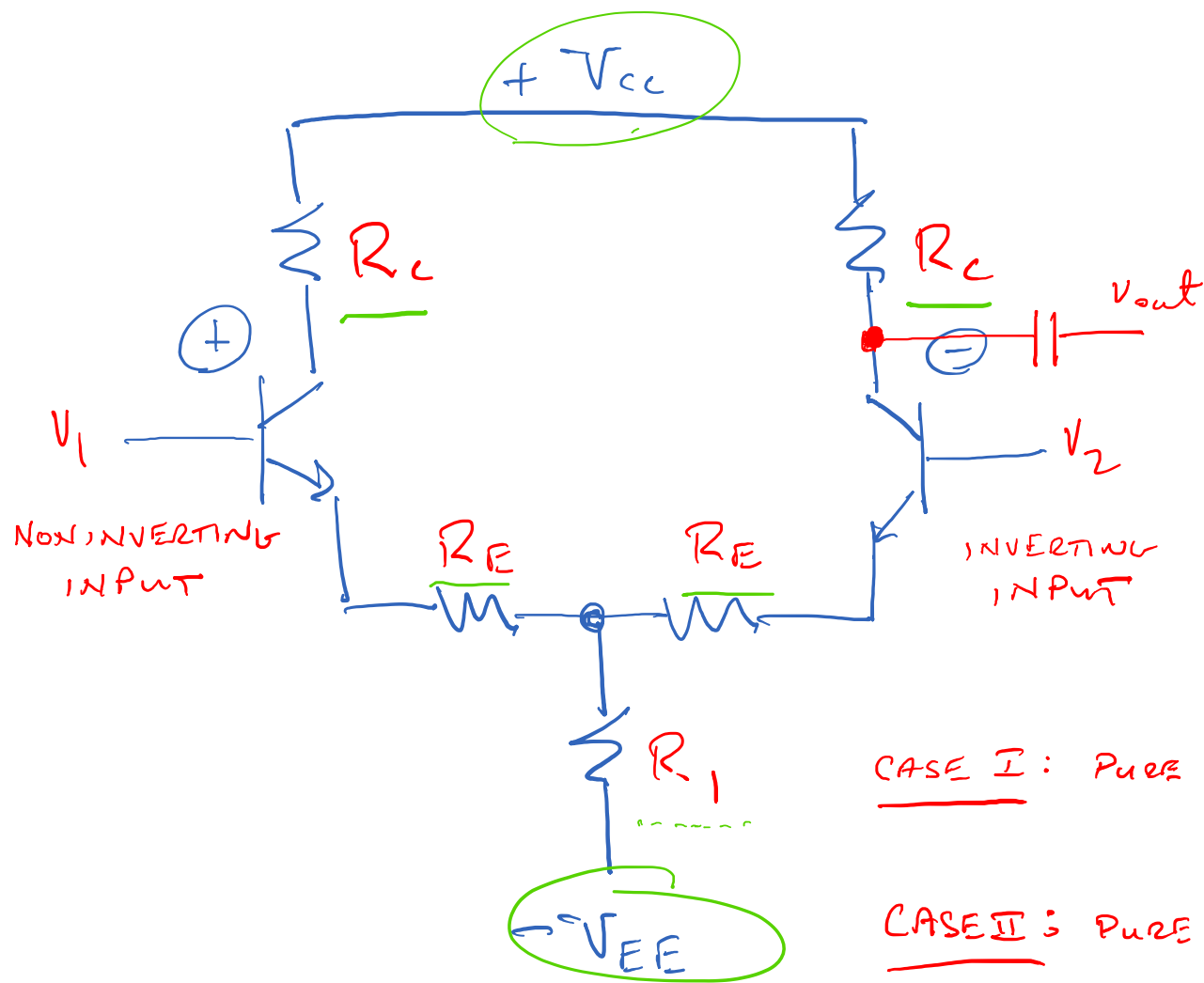
$$\approx \frac{V_0}{2} \left[1 + \frac{\delta}{2R} \right]$$

$$V_D = \frac{\delta}{4R} V_0$$

eg.
 10-bit A/D
 $1:10^3$ resolution

$$\left[\frac{V_0}{2} \right] \gg \frac{\delta}{4R} V_0$$

BJT DIFF AMP: "LONG-TAILED PAIR"



SEPARATELY
ANALYZE

DIFFERENTIAL
AND

COMMON-MODE

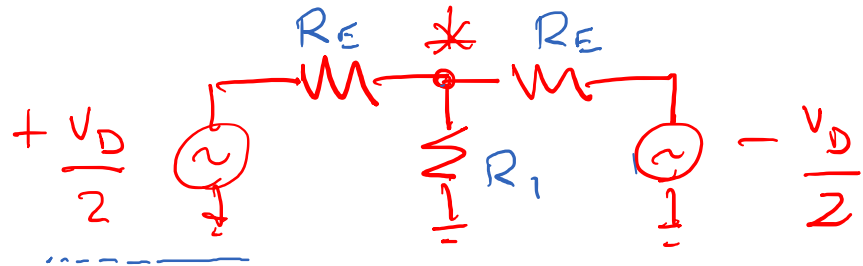
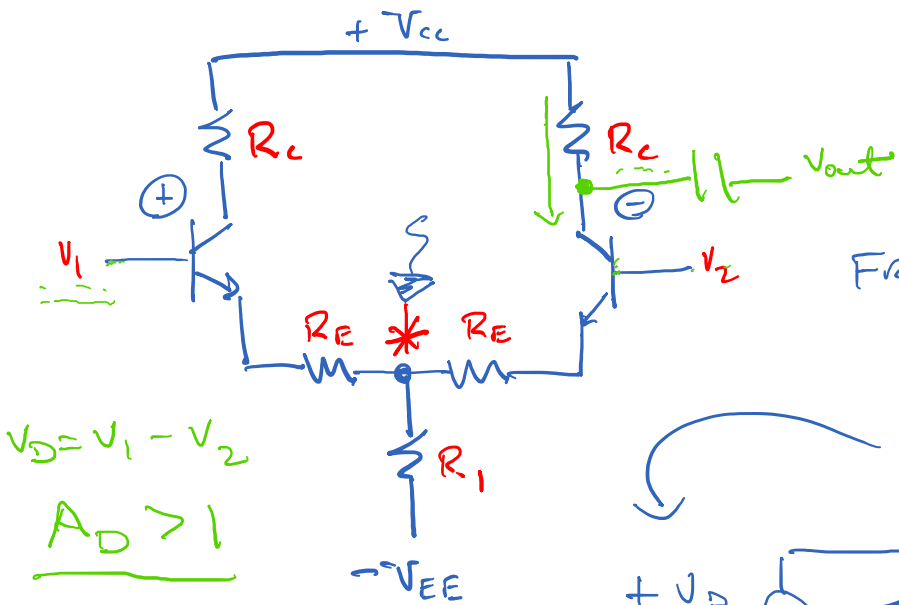
RESPONSE

CASE I: PURE DIFF INPUT: $V_1 = +\frac{V_D}{2}$, $V_2 = -\frac{V_D}{2}$

CASE II: PURE C.M. $V_1 = V_2 = V_{CM}$

DIFFERENTIAL MODE

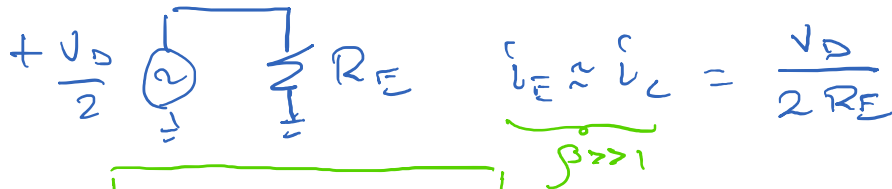
WHAT IS V_* ?



From superposition / symmetry,

$$V_* = 0$$

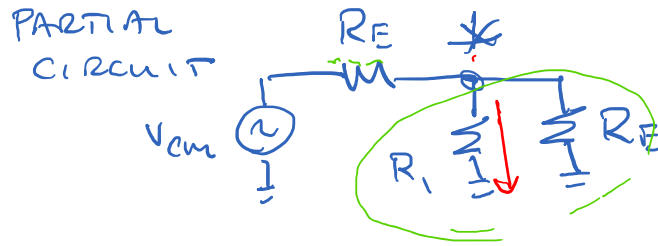
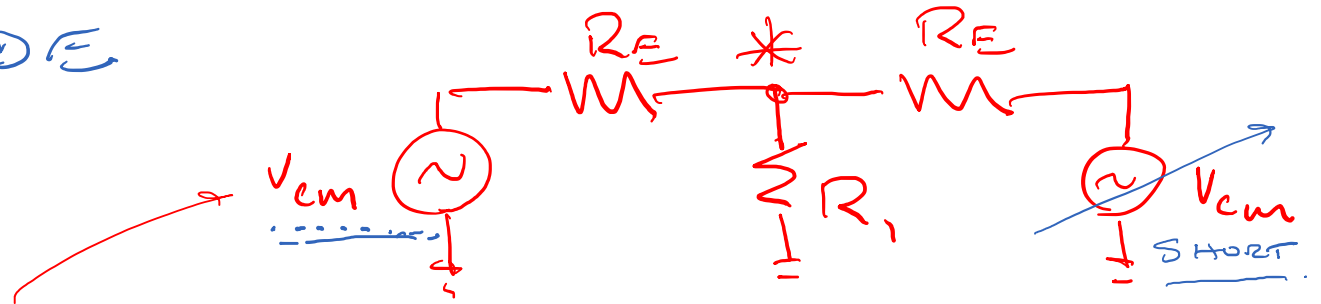
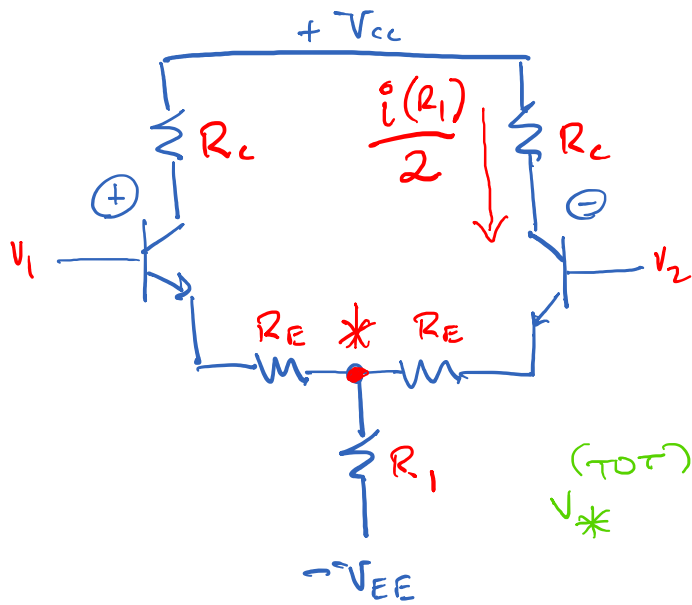
"VIRTUAL GROUND"



$$V_{out} = \frac{R_c}{2R_E} V_D \quad \Rightarrow \quad \boxed{A_D = \frac{R_c}{2R_E}}$$

Common Mode

$$V_1 = V_2 = V_{cm}$$



$$V_*^{(1)} = \frac{\cancel{R_E} R_1}{R_1 + R_E} \cdot V_{cm}$$

$$\frac{\cancel{R_E} R_1}{R_1 + R_E} + \cancel{R_E}$$

$$V_*^{(1)} = \frac{R_1}{R_E + 2R_1} V_{cm}$$

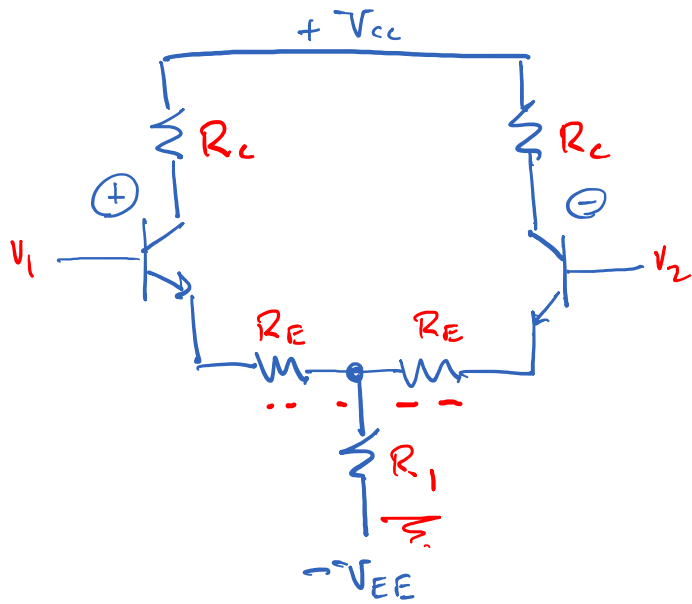
$$V_*^{(TOT)} = \frac{2R_1}{R_E + 2R_1} V_{cm} ;$$

$$i(R_1) = \frac{2}{R_E + 2R_1} \cdot V_{cm}$$

$$V_{out} = \frac{-R_C}{2R_1 + R_E} V_{cm} ;$$

$$A_{cm} = \frac{-R_C}{2R_1 + R_E}$$

Common-Mode REJECTION RATIO



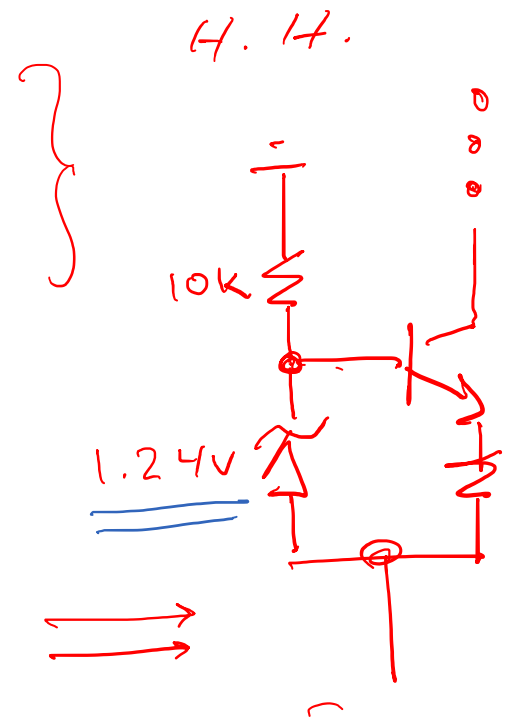
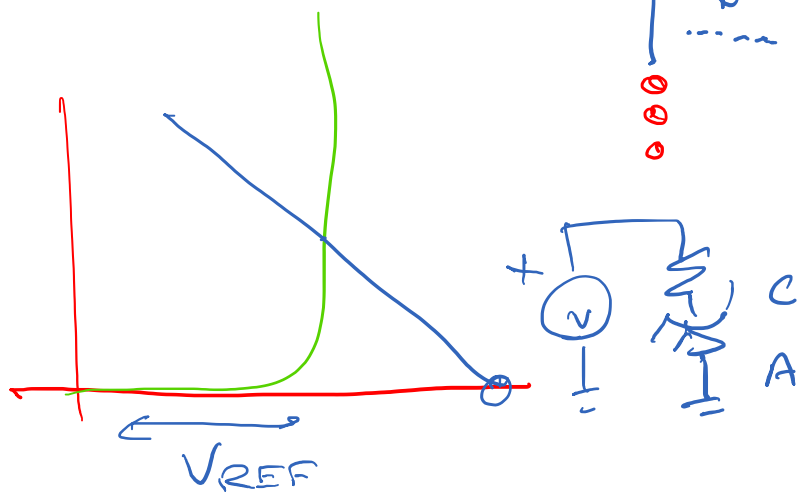
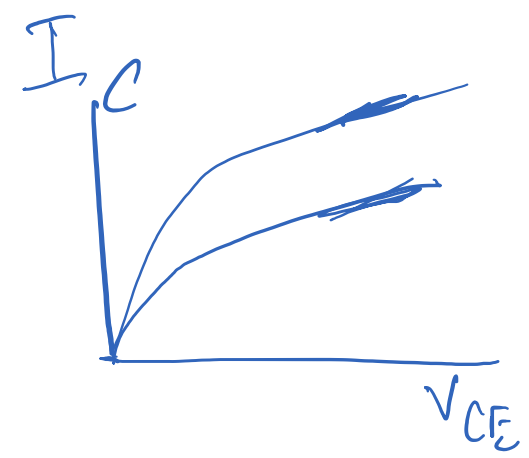
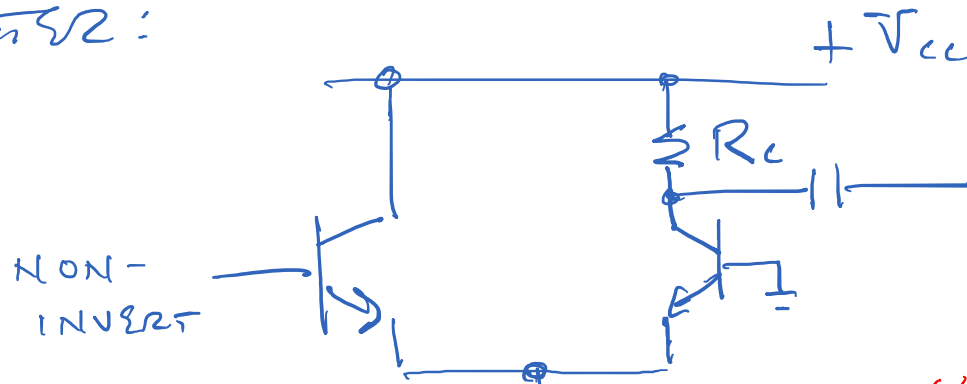
$$A_D = \frac{R_C}{2R_E}$$

$$A_{cm} = \frac{-R_C}{2R_1 + R_E}$$

$$CMRR = \left| \frac{A_D}{A_{cm}} \right| = \frac{2R_1 + R_E}{2R_E}$$

$$R_1 \gg R_E \approx \frac{R_1}{R_E}$$

BETTER:



H. H.

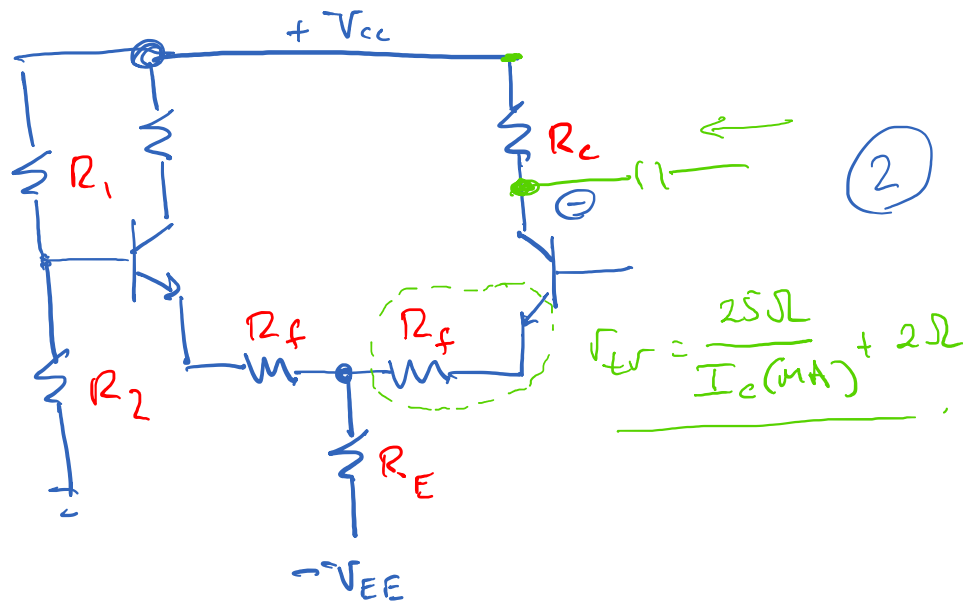
$$I_C = \frac{0.64V}{3.24k\Omega}$$

$$\sim \underline{\underline{200\mu A}}$$

DIFF AMP DESIGN

① $R_{out} = 1k\Omega \Rightarrow$

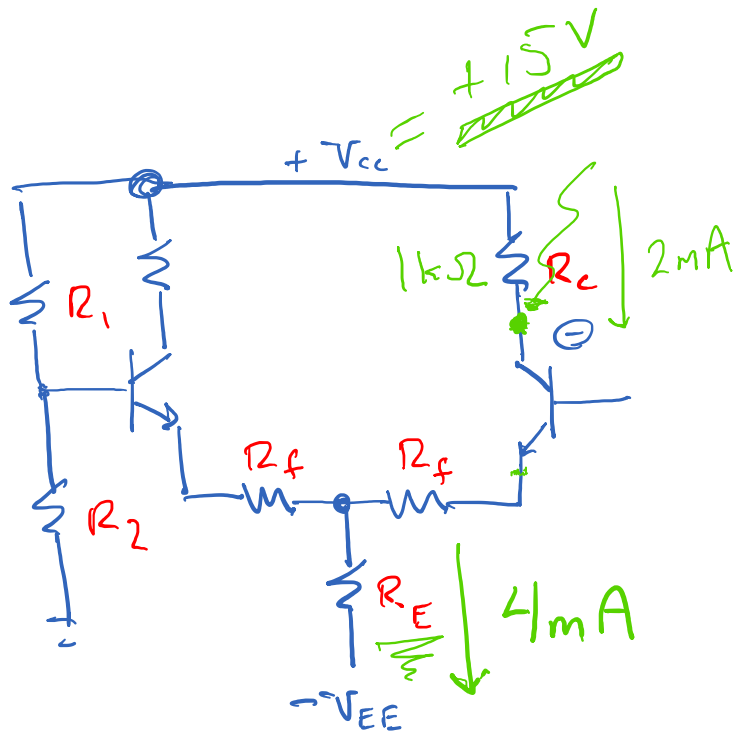
$R_c = 1k\Omega$



② $A_D = 8 = \frac{R_c}{2(R_f + r_{tr})}$

\Rightarrow $R_f + r_{tr} = 62.5\Omega$

DIFF AMP DESIGN



③ output swing $\pm 2V$

V_c LIMITED ABOVE BY $+V_{cc}$

V_c LIMITED BELOW BY CONSTRAINT

$$V_{CE} \approx 0.5V$$

$$-V_c \rightarrow 13V$$

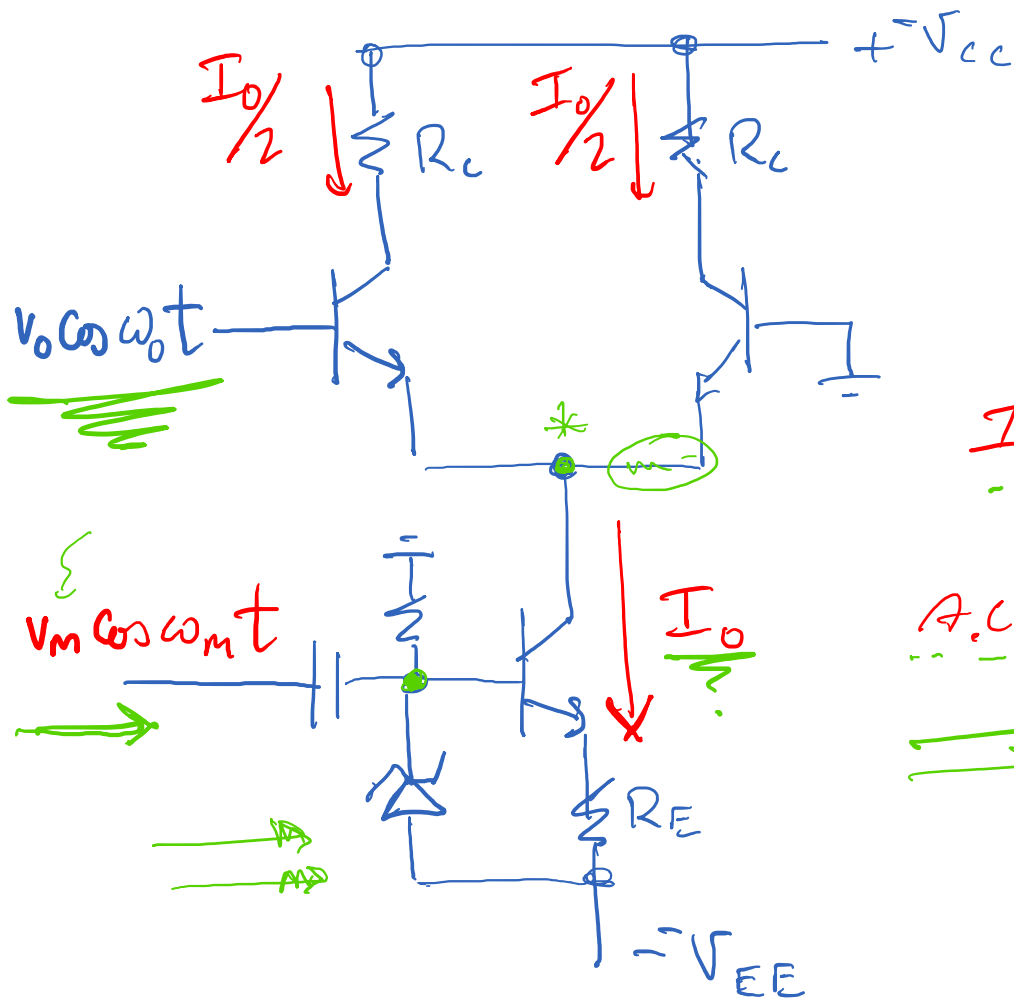
$$I_c = 2mA$$

④ WHAT COMMON MODE INPUT CAN YOU TOLERATE?

$\pm 2.5V$ common mode,

limit on $V_E \rightarrow 8V$

GILBERT CELL MIXER



$$A_D = \frac{R_c}{2V_{tr}} ; \quad \underline{V_{tr} = \frac{25}{I_c (\mu A)}}$$

$$\underline{A_D \approx \frac{R_c}{100} I_0 (\mu A)}$$

$$\underline{I_0 = I_0(DC) + \frac{V_m \cos \omega_m t}{R_E}}$$

A.C. CONTRIBUTION TO A_D :

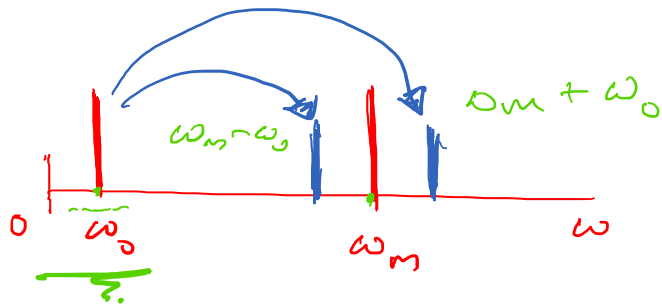
$$\Rightarrow 0.1 \frac{R_c}{R_E} V_m \cos \omega_m t$$

EXPRESSED,
IN VOLTS

V_{out} CONTAINS TERMS LIKE

$$\begin{aligned} & (\cos \omega_0 t) (\cos \omega_m t) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \cos \left[(\omega_m + \omega_0) t \right] + \cos \left[(\omega_m - \omega_0) t \right] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

UP CONVERSION



DOWN CONVERSION

