

Problem 1

$$\frac{\frac{A}{1+Af} - \frac{1}{f}}{\frac{A}{1+Af}} = \frac{\frac{Af}{(1+Af)f} - \frac{1+Af}{(1+Af)f}}{\frac{A}{1+Af}} = \frac{\cancel{Af} - 1 - \cancel{Af}}{(1+Af)f} \cdot \frac{1+Af}{A}$$

$$= -1/Af \text{ exactly.}$$

if you used $1/f$ here, you needed the $\frac{1}{1+x} \approx 1-x$ approximation but it should be $A/(1+Af)$.

Problem 2

$$(a) \quad \frac{A}{1+Af} = \frac{1000}{1+1000 \cdot 0.1} = 9.901$$

$$(b) \quad \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{0.1} = 10$$

$$(c) \quad \frac{A}{1+Af} - \frac{1}{f} = 0.099 \dots$$

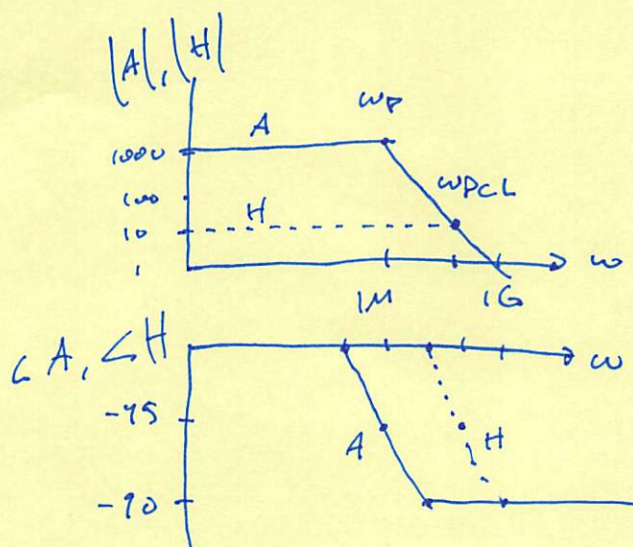
$$(d) \quad \text{gain error} = \text{fractional error} \times \text{gain}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-Af} \cdot 9.901 = 0.099 \dots$$

same as (c).

Problem 3 (a, b)

$A(s)$: open-loop
 $H(s)$: closed-loop



(c) $\omega_u = A_0 \times \omega_p = (1000 \cdot 1M \frac{rad}{s}) = 1G \frac{rad}{s}$. (open-loop)
 unity-gain freq. doesn't change in feedback: $\omega_{u,CL} = 1G \frac{rad}{s}$

(d) $\omega_p \text{ open-loop} = 1M \frac{rad}{s}$.

$\omega_p \text{ closed-loop} = \omega_{p,OL} \times (1 + Af) \approx 100M \frac{rad}{s}$.

(e) gain-bandwidth product is the same as unity-gain frequency;
 in both open-loop and closed-loop it's $1G \frac{rad}{s}$.

Problem 4 (a) $\tau = \frac{1}{\omega_{p,ol}} = \frac{1}{1M \frac{rad}{s}} = 1 \mu s$

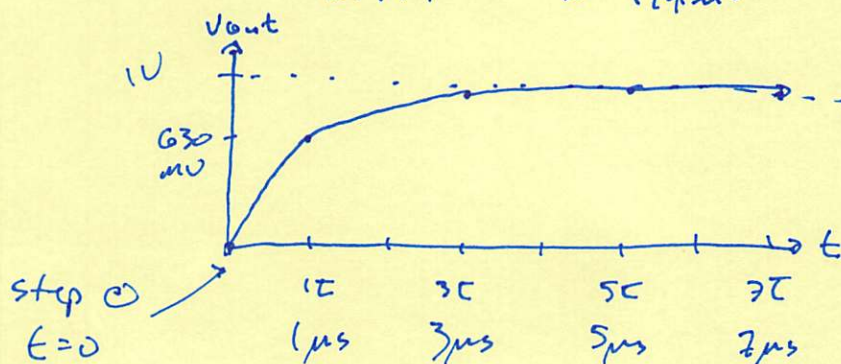
(b) open-loop gain 1000 $\rightarrow V_{final} = (1mV \times 1000) = 1V$.

after 1τ : $0.63 \cdot 1V = 630mV$

3τ : $0.95 \cdot 1V = 950mV$

5τ : $0.99 \cdot 1V = 990mV$

7τ : $0.999 \cdot 1V = 999mV$



(c) $\tau_{cl} = \frac{1}{\omega_{p,cl}} = \frac{1}{100M \frac{rad}{s}} = 10ns$

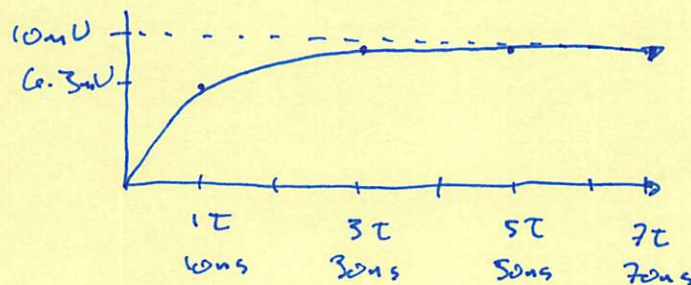
(d) closed-loop gain $\frac{1}{f} = 10 \rightarrow V_{final} = 10mV$.

1τ : $0.63 \cdot 10mV = 6.3mV$

3τ : $0.95 \cdot 10mV = 9.5mV$

5τ : $0.99 \cdot 10mV = 9.9mV$

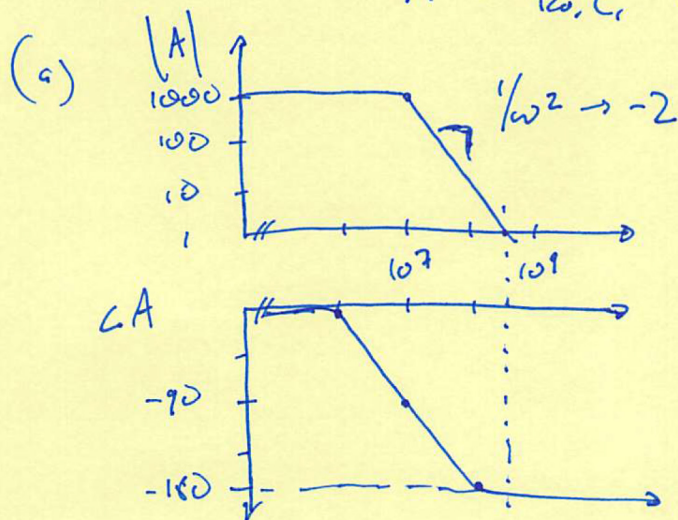
7τ : $0.999 \cdot 10mV = 9.99mV$



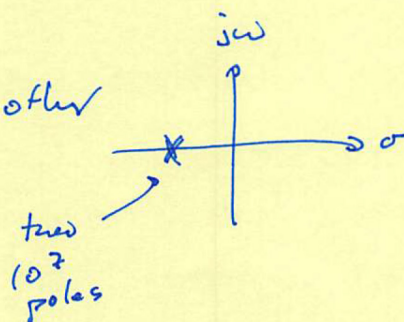
(e) The closed-loop response is 100x shorter in amplitude and 100x faster in time; if plotted with the open-loop response, it would look like a flat line on the t axis.

Problem 5

DC gain is $G_{m1}R_{o1}, G_{m2}R_{o2} = 1000$
 ω_{p1} is $\frac{1}{R_{o1}C_1} = 10^7 \text{ rad/s}$; $\omega_{p2} = \frac{1}{R_{o2}C_2} = 10^9$



(b) The poles are on top of each other on the real axis at 10^7 :



(c) if $f=1$, from (a) we can see the phase margin is approximately zero.

(d) Technically it's stable because $\angle A$ asymptotically approaches -180° , but practically we expect other aspects of the amplifier to push it over the edge of instability. So no, this is not unity-gain stable.

Problem 6 see plots on next page.

- (a) $A_{v2,0} = G_{m2} R_{o2} = 10^5$; $\omega_{p2} = 10^7 \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$ (from problem 5)
 (b) Input cap of 2nd stage starts out as C_c w/ Miller multiplication. Eventually the A_{v2} term in $(1 - A_{v2})$ dwindles to nothing, leaving only C_c :

$C_c \cdot (1 - A_{v2,0})$ initially $\rightarrow$ approximate as $1 \text{ pF} \times 10$
 (really, it's $1 \text{ pF} \times 9$)

$C_c \cdot 1$ eventually $\rightarrow 1 \text{ pF}$.

Decline follows A_{v2} roll-off after ω_{p2} .

We assume gate cap, etc, of 2nd stage is negligible.

- (c) $Z_{in,2}$ is inverse of $C_{in,2}$ from (b); looks capacitive ($1/\omega$) with $\frac{1}{\omega}$ slope, then roll-off btw 10^7 and 10^8 matches Capacitive roll-off and it looks ^{due to A_{v2}} constant, or resistive, then looks capacitive again but along a 1 pF line.

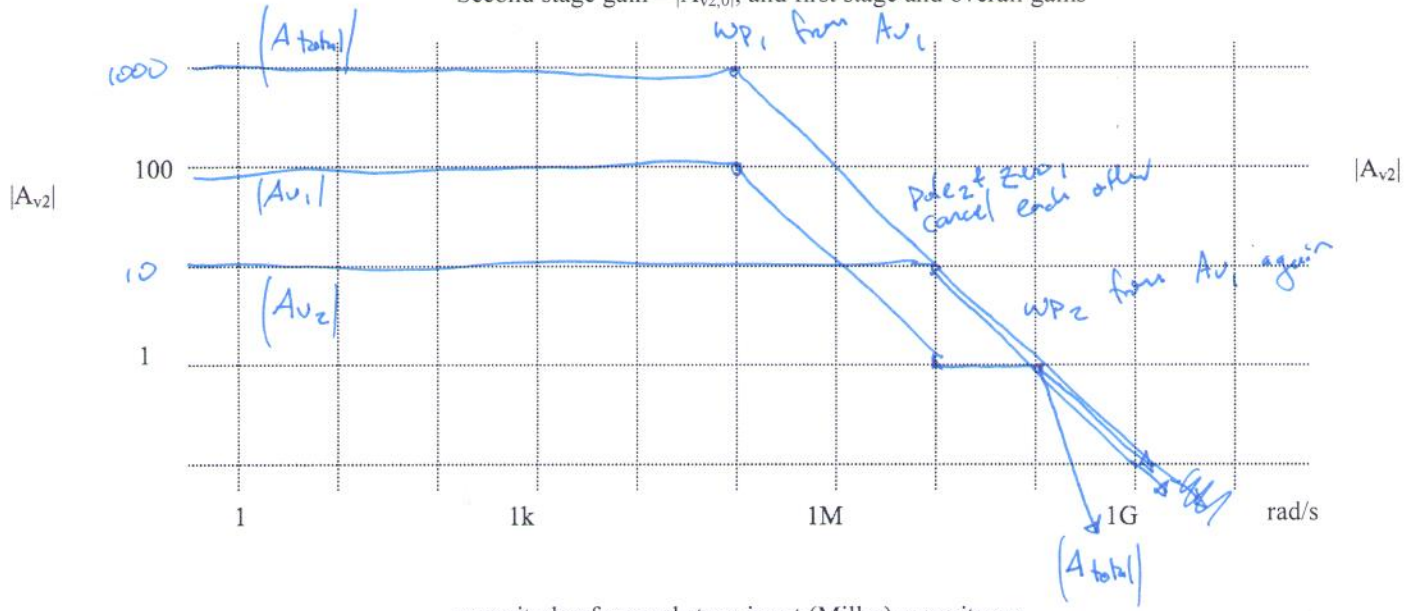
Added a line for R_{o1} : flat along $1 \text{ M}\Omega$.

- (d) $A_{v1,0} = 1 \text{ mS} \cdot 1 \text{ M}\Omega = 100$. Gain roll-off follows $|Z_{in,2}|$ curve and R_{o1} curve drawn for (c). They're in parallel, so $Z_{out,1} \approx \min(Z_{in,2}, R_{o1})$.

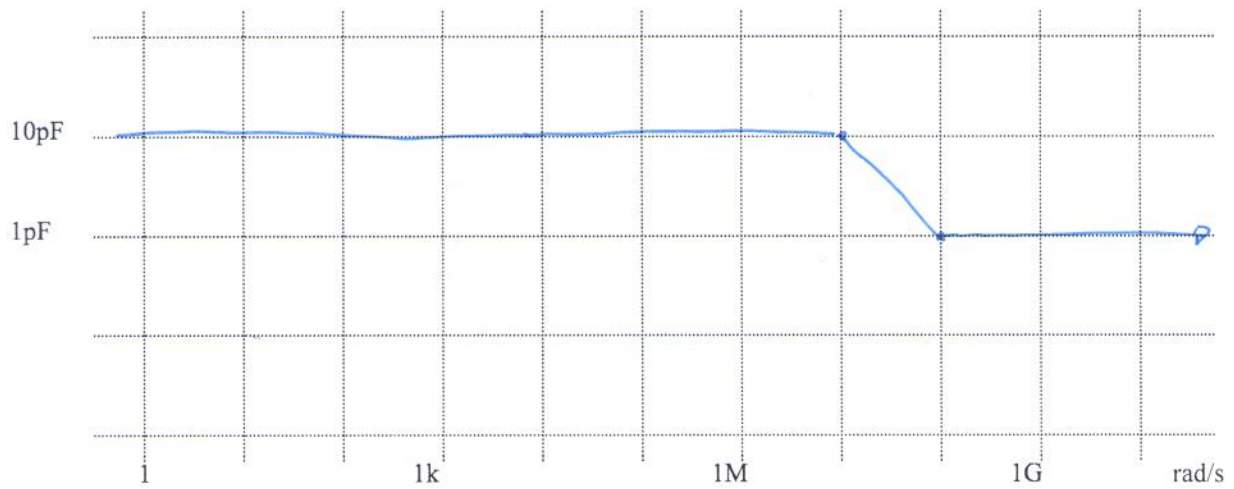
Overall gain is constructed graphically using this and (e). Pole and zero at 10^7 cancel, leaving the appearance of one overall pole at 10^5 rad/s .

- (e) real poles + zeros: poles at $10^5, 10^7$; zero at 10^7 .
 (f) it acts as if it has one pole, so $\text{PM} = +90^\circ$.
 (g) yes.

Second stage gain - $|A_{v2,0}|$, and first stage and overall gains



magnitude of second stage input (Miller) capacitance



second stage input impedance, and R_{o1}

