

10.11 Based on 10.11 but more of a discussion than an exact solution to that problem.

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	<u>PMOS</u>	<u>NMOS</u>
Table 2.1	$M_p = 100 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$	$M_n = 350 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$
	$t_{ox} = 9 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ m} = 90 \text{ \AA}$	$t_{ox} = 90 \text{ \AA}$
	$C_{ox} = 6.9 \text{ fF}/\mu\text{m}^2 \text{ @ } t_{ox} = 50 \text{ \AA} \text{ (p. 14)}$	
	$\Rightarrow C_{ox} = 6.9 \text{ fF}/\mu\text{m} \cdot \frac{50 \text{ \AA}}{90 \text{ \AA}} = 3.83 \text{ fF}/\mu\text{m}^2$	
Table 2.1	$\mu_p C_{ox} = 3.83 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ F}/\text{m}^2$	$\mu_n C_{ox} = 1.34 \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ F}/\text{m}^2$
	$V_{THp} = -0.8 \text{ V}$	$V_{THn} = 0.7 \text{ V}$
	$\lambda_p = 0.2$	$\lambda_n = 0.1$
	$L_{Dp} = 0.09 \mu\text{m}$	$L_{Dn} = 0.08 \mu\text{m}$
	$L_{eff} = L - 2L_D = 0.5 - 2 \cdot 0.09 = 0.32 \mu\text{m}$	$L_{eff} = L - 2L_D = 0.5 - 2 \cdot 0.08 = 0.34 \mu\text{m}$

Bias voltages V_{b1} and V_{b2} :

$$|V_{GS3}| = |V_{THp}| + \sqrt{\frac{|I_{D3}|}{\frac{1}{2} \mu_p C_{ox} \cdot \frac{W}{L_{eff}}}} = 0.8 + \sqrt{\frac{125 \mu\text{A}}{\frac{1}{2} \cdot 3.83 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot \frac{50 \mu\text{m}}{0.32 \mu\text{m}}}} = 1.00 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{b1} = V_{DD} - |V_{GS3}| = 3.0 - 1.00 = 2.00 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{GS7} = V_{THn} + \sqrt{\frac{I_{D7}}{\frac{1}{2} \mu_n C_{ox} \cdot \frac{W}{L_{eff}}}} = 0.7 + \sqrt{\frac{1 \text{ mA}}{\frac{1}{2} \cdot 1.34 \cdot 10^{-4} \cdot \frac{50 \mu\text{m}}{0.34 \mu\text{m}}}} = 1.02 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{b2} = V_{GS7} = 1.02 \text{ V}$$

$$|V_{GS6}| = |V_{THp}| + \sqrt{\frac{I_{D6}}{\frac{1}{2} \mu_p C_{ox} \cdot \frac{W}{L_{eff}}}} = 0.8 + \sqrt{\frac{1 \text{ mA}}{\frac{1}{2} \cdot 3.83 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot \frac{60 \mu\text{m}}{0.32 \mu\text{m}}}} = 1.33 \text{ V}$$

$$V_x = V_y = V_{DD} - |V_{GS6}| = 3 - 1.33 = 1.67 \text{ V}$$

Checking bias with simulation.

Adjusting bias to get all transistors into saturation region and continue with calculations using simulated values

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Output resistance

$$r_{o1} = r_{o2} = \frac{1}{\lambda_n I_D} = \frac{1}{0.1 \cdot 125 \mu} = 80 \text{ k}\Omega \quad 87.7 \text{ k}\Omega \text{ from simulation}$$

$$r_{o3} = r_{o4} = \frac{1}{\lambda_p |I_D|} = \frac{1}{0.2 \cdot 125 \mu} = 40 \text{ k}\Omega \quad 50.3 \text{ k}\Omega \text{ from simulation}$$

$$r_{o7} = r_{o8} = \frac{1}{\lambda_n I_D} = \frac{1}{0.1 \cdot 1 \text{ m}} = 10 \text{ k}\Omega \quad 11.2 \text{ k}\Omega \text{ from simulation}$$

$$r_{o5} = r_{o6} = \frac{1}{\lambda_p |I_D|} = \frac{1}{0.2 \cdot 1 \text{ m}} = 5 \text{ k}\Omega \quad 5.7 \text{ k}\Omega \text{ from simulation}$$

Transconductance

$$g_{m1} = g_{m2} = \sqrt{2 \mu_n C_{ox} \cdot \frac{W}{L_{eff}} \cdot I_D} = \sqrt{2 \cdot 7.34 \cdot 10^{-4} \cdot \frac{50 \mu\text{m}}{0.34 \mu\text{m}} \cdot 125 \mu} = 2.22 \text{ mA/V}$$

(2.33 mA/V in sim)

$$g_{m5} = g_{m6} = \sqrt{2 \mu_p C_{ox} \cdot \frac{W}{L_{eff}} |I_D|} = \sqrt{2 \cdot 3.83 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot \frac{60 \mu\text{m}}{0.32 \mu\text{m}} \cdot 1 \text{ m}} = 3.79 \text{ mA/V}$$

(4.30 mA/V in sim)

λ -effect has not been included in calculations.
That's why simulated values are different from calculated.

Gain

$$A_{v1} = g_{m1} \cdot (r_{o1} \parallel r_{o3}) = 2.33 \text{ m} \cdot (87.7 \text{ k} \parallel 50.3 \text{ k}) = 74.5$$

$$A_{v2} = g_{m5} \cdot (r_{o5} \parallel r_{o7}) = 4.30 \text{ m} \cdot (5.7 \text{ k} \parallel 11.2 \text{ k}) = 16.2$$

$$A_{v1} \cdot A_{v2} = 1210 = 61.7 \text{ dB}$$

1212 in simulation

Capacitances

Assuming $E = 1.5 \mu\text{m}$

$$A_D = A_S = W \cdot E = 50 \mu\text{m} \cdot 1.5 \mu\text{m} = 75 \mu\text{m}^2 \text{ for all except } M_5, M_6$$
$$60 \mu\text{m} \cdot 1.5 \mu\text{m} = 90 \mu\text{m}^2 \text{ for } M_5, M_6$$

$$P_S = P_D = 2(W + E) = 2 \cdot (50 \mu\text{m} + 1.5 \mu\text{m}) = 103 \mu\text{m} \text{ for all except } M_5, M_6$$
$$2 \cdot (60 \mu\text{m} + 1.5 \mu\text{m}) = 123 \mu\text{m} \text{ for } M_5, M_6$$

Table 2.1:

PMOS

$$C_{GD0} = 0.3 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ F/m}$$

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$$C_J = 0.94 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ F/m}^2$$

$$C_{JSW} = 0.32 \cdot 10^{-11} \text{ F/m}$$

NMOS

$$C_{GD0} = 0.4 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ F/m}$$

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$$C_J = 0.56 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ F/m}^2$$

$$C_{JSW} = 0.35 \cdot 10^{-11} \text{ F/m}$$

$$M_5, M_6: C_{gs} = \frac{2}{3} W \cdot L_{\text{eff}} \cdot C_{ox} + W \cdot C_{ov} =$$
$$= \frac{2}{3} \cdot 60 \mu\text{m} \cdot 0.32 \mu\text{m} \cdot 3.83 \text{ fF}/\mu\text{m}^2 + 60 \mu\text{m} \cdot 0.3 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ F/m} =$$
$$= 49 \text{ fF} + 18 \text{ fF} = 67 \text{ fF}$$

$$C_{gd} = W \cdot C_{ov} = 60 \mu\text{m} \cdot 0.3 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ F/m} = 18 \text{ fF}$$

C_{db} is capacitance for reverse biased junction

$$C_j = \frac{C_{j0}}{\left(1 + \frac{V_R}{\phi_B}\right)^m}$$

$$\phi_B = \phi_P = 0.9 \text{ V (NMOS and PMOS)}$$

$$m = M_J \text{ or } M_{JSW} \quad M_J = 0.5 \text{ PMOS}$$
$$M_{JSW} = 0.3 \text{ PMOS}$$

$$C_{db} = A_D \cdot \frac{C_J}{\left(1 + \frac{|V_{DS}|}{\phi_B}\right)^{M_J}} + P_D \cdot \frac{C_{JSW}}{\left(1 + \frac{|V_{DS}|}{\phi_B}\right)^{M_{JSW}}} =$$

$$= 90 \mu\text{m}^2 \cdot \frac{0.94 \cdot 10^{-3}}{\left(1 + \frac{1.04}{0.9}\right)^{0.5}} + 123 \mu\text{m} \cdot \frac{0.32 \cdot 10^{-11}}{\left(1 + \frac{1.04}{0.9}\right)^{0.3}} =$$

$$= 57.6 \text{ fF} + 0.3 \text{ fF} = 57.9 \text{ fF}$$

In agreement with simulation

M7, M8:

$$C_{gs} = \frac{2}{3} W \cdot L_{eff} \cdot C_{ox} + W \cdot C_{ov} =$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \cdot 50 \mu m \cdot 0.34 \mu m \cdot 3.83 \text{ fF}/\mu m^2 + 50 \mu m \cdot 0.4 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ F} =$$

$$= 43.4 \text{ fF} + 20 \text{ fF} = 63.4 \text{ fF}$$

$$C_{gd} = W \cdot C_{ov} = 50 \mu m \cdot 0.4 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ F} = 20 \text{ fF}$$

NMOS

$$M_j = 0.45$$

$$M_{jsw} = 0.2$$

$$C_{db} = A_D \cdot \frac{C_j}{\left(1 + \frac{V_{DS}}{\phi_B}\right)^{M_j}} + P_D \cdot \frac{C_{jsw}}{\left(1 + \frac{V_{DS}}{\phi_B}\right)^{M_{jsw}}} =$$

$$= 75 p \cdot \frac{0.56 \cdot 10^{-3}}{\left(1 + \frac{1.96}{0.9}\right)^{0.45}} + 103 \mu m \cdot \frac{0.35 \cdot 10^{-11}}{\left(1 + \frac{1.96}{0.9}\right)^{0.2}} =$$

$$= 25 \text{ fF} + 0.3 \text{ fF} = 25.3 \text{ fF}$$

In agreement with simulation.

M3, M4:

$$C_{gs} = \frac{2}{3} W \cdot L_{eff} \cdot C_{ox} + W \cdot C_{ov} =$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \cdot 50 \mu m \cdot 0.32 \mu m \cdot 3.83 \text{ fF}/\mu m^2 + 50 \mu m \cdot 0.3 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ F} =$$

$$= 40.9 \text{ fF} + 15 \text{ fF}$$

$$C_{gd} = W \cdot C_{ov} = 50 \mu m \cdot 0.3 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ F} = 15 \text{ fF}$$

PMOS

$$M_j = 0.5$$

$$M_{jsw} = 0.3$$

$$C_{db} = A_D \cdot \frac{C_j}{\left(1 + \frac{|V_{DS}|}{\phi_B}\right)^{M_j}} + P_D \cdot \frac{C_{jsw}}{\left(1 + \frac{|V_{DS}|}{\phi_B}\right)^{M_{jsw}}} =$$

$$= 75 p \cdot \frac{0.94 \cdot 10^{-3}}{\left(1 + \frac{1.29}{0.9}\right)^{0.5}} + 103 \mu m \cdot \frac{0.32 \cdot 10^{-11}}{\left(1 + \frac{1.29}{0.9}\right)^{0.3}} =$$

$$= 45.2 \text{ fF} + 0.25 \text{ fF} = 45.4 \text{ fF}$$

M1, M2:

$$C_{gs} = 43.4 \text{ fF} + 20 \text{ fF} = 63.4 \text{ fF} \quad (= M_7, M_8)$$

$$C_{gd} = 20 \text{ fF}$$

$$C_{db} = 75 p \cdot \frac{0.56 \cdot 10^{-3}}{\left(1 + \frac{1.01}{0.9}\right)^{0.45}} + 103 \mu m \cdot \frac{0.35 \cdot 10^{-11}}{\left(1 + \frac{1.01}{0.9}\right)^{0.2}} =$$

$$= 29.9 \text{ fF} + 0.31 \text{ fF} = 30.2 \text{ fF}$$

Associate poles with nodes

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Two nodes x, y and out_1, out_2

$$Y: C_Y = C_{gd4} + C_{db4} + C_{gd2} + C_{db2} + C_{gs6} + C_{gd}(1 + |A_{v2}|) = \\ = 15 + 45,4 + 20 + 30,2 + 20(1 + 16,2) = 455 \text{ fF}$$

$$R_Y = r_{o2} \parallel r_{o4} = 87,7 \text{ k} \parallel 50,3 \text{ k} = 32 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$f_{pY} = \frac{1}{2\pi R_Y C_Y} = \frac{1}{2\pi \cdot 32 \text{ k} \cdot 455 \text{ f}} = 10,9 \text{ MHz}$$

$$\text{Out: } C_{out} = C_L + C_{db6} + C_{gd6} \left(1 + \frac{1}{|A_{v2}|}\right) + C_{db8} + C_{gd8} = \\ C_L = 1 \text{ pF} \quad = 1000 + 57,9 + 18 \left(1 + \frac{1}{16,2}\right) + 25,3 + 20 = 1122 \text{ fF}$$

$$R_{out} = r_{o6} \parallel r_{o8} = 5,7 \text{ k} \parallel 11,2 \text{ k} = 3,8 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$f_{pout} = \frac{1}{2\pi R_{out} C_{out}} = \frac{1}{2\pi \cdot 3,8 \text{ k} \cdot 1122 \text{ f}} = 37,6 \text{ MHz}$$

Two poles at 10,9 MHz and 37,6 MHz

Right half plane zero

$$\omega_z = \frac{g_{m6}}{C_{GD6}}$$

$$f_{z2} = \frac{g_{m6}}{2\pi C_{GD6}} = \frac{4,30 \cdot 10^{-3}}{2\pi \cdot 18 \cdot 10^{-15}} = 38 \text{ GHz in second stage}$$

There is also a zero in first stage

$$f_{z1} = \frac{g_{m2}}{2\pi C_{GD2}} = \frac{2,33 \cdot 10^{-3}}{2\pi \cdot 20 \cdot 10^{-15}} = 18,5 \text{ GHz}$$

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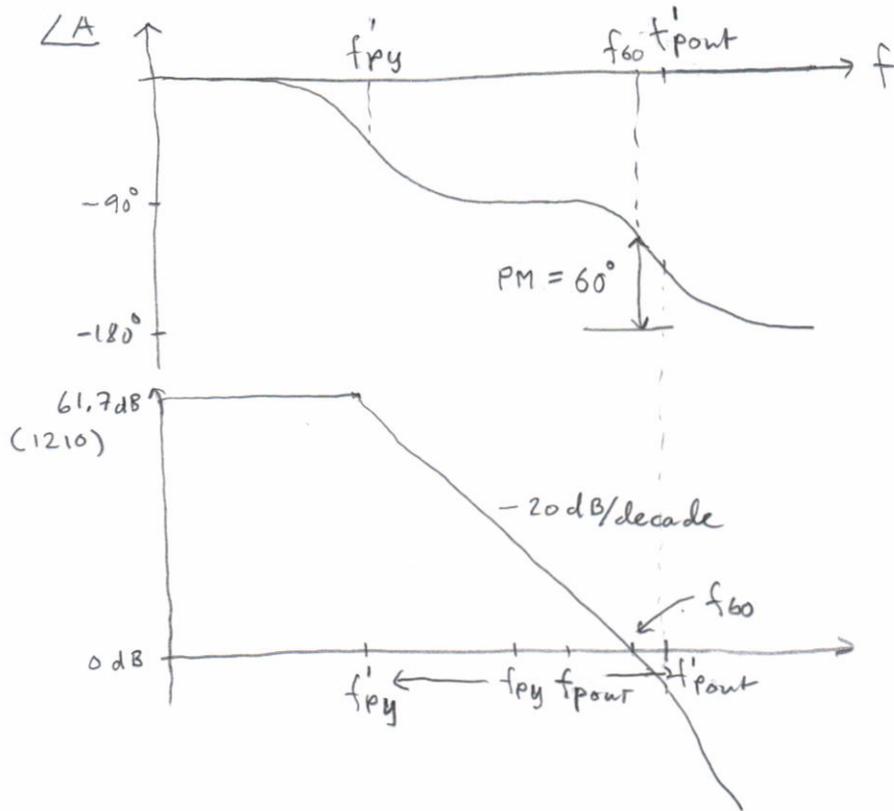
Next step is to do a miller compensation for 60° phase margin

Study loop gain βA

Unity gain feedback $\beta=1 \Rightarrow \beta A=A$

Miller compensation will split the poles

After compensation $f_{p1} \rightarrow f'_{p1}$ $f_{p2} \rightarrow f'_{p2}$



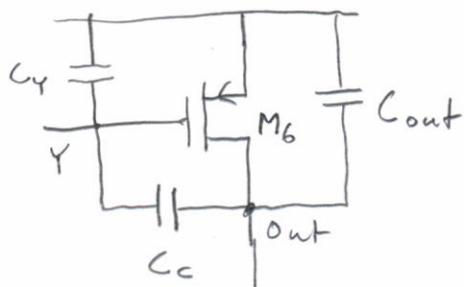
Phase: $-90^\circ - \arctan \frac{f_{60}}{f'_{pout}} = -120^\circ \leftarrow PM = 60^\circ$

$$\arctan \frac{f_{60}}{f'_{pout}} = 30^\circ$$

$$f_{60} = \tan 30^\circ \cdot f'_{pout}$$

Magnitude: Gain · frequency = constant in -1 slope (-20 dB/dec)

$$1212 \cdot f'_{p1} = 1 \cdot f_{60}$$



Because of the pole split
 f_{p2} moves to higher frequency
 Large C_C can be viewed as
 short circuit at 2nd pole
 Node resistance at output
 node = $\frac{1}{g_{m6}}$ and C_{out} is
 parallel to C_Y

After compensation

Dominant pole:

$$f'_{pY} = \frac{1}{2\pi R_Y [C_Y + (1 + A_{v2}) C_C]}$$

Second pole:

$$f'_{pout} = \frac{g_{m6}}{C_Y + C_{out}} = \frac{4.30 \text{ m}}{455 \text{ f} + 1122 \text{ f}} = 2.73 \text{ GHz}$$

$$f_{60} = f'_{pout} \cdot \tan 30^\circ = 2.73 \cdot 0.577 = 1.57 \text{ GHz}$$

$$f'_{pY} = \frac{f_{60}}{1212} = 1.30 \text{ MHz}$$

$$C_Y + (1 + A_{v2}) C_C = \frac{1}{2\pi R_Y f'_{pY}}$$

$$C_C = \left[\frac{1}{2\pi R_Y f'_{pY}} - C_Y \right] \cdot \frac{1}{1 + A_{v2}} =$$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{2\pi \cdot 32 \text{ k} \cdot 1.30 \text{ M}} - 455 \text{ f} \right] \cdot \frac{1}{1 + 16.2} = 196 \text{ fF}$$

Move the zero to infinity

$$R_z = \frac{1}{g_{m6}} = \frac{1}{4.30m} = 233 \Omega$$

Placing the zero atop second pole

$$R_z = \frac{C_{out} + C_y + C_c}{g_{m6} \cdot C_c} = \frac{1122f + 455f + 196f}{4.30m \cdot 196f} = 2.1 k\Omega$$

From simulations there seems to be a zero in first stage that makes it hard to get enough phase margin.

It is not a good idea to miller compensate that stage because it will move pole associated to node Y (dominating pole) to higher frequency.

One way is to move the dominating pole to lower frequency, but it will also lower the bandwidth. From simulation I can see that I have to lower the magnitude curve 10.7 dB. => Lower dominating pole to $\frac{1.30 MHz}{3.43} = 379 kHz$
 $-10.7dB = \frac{1}{3.43}$

$$C_c = \left[\frac{1}{2\pi \cdot 32k \cdot 379k} - 455f \right] \frac{1}{1+16.2} = 7.36 fF$$

Simulation shows PM = 49° and dominating pole at 374 kHz

Placing the zero atop second pole

$$R_z = \frac{C_{out} + C_y + C_c}{g_{m6} \cdot C_c} = \frac{1122f + 455f + 736f}{4.3m \cdot 736f} = 731 \Omega$$