

FINAL EXAMINATION

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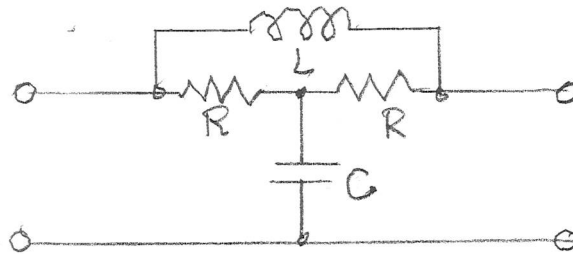
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1. The two-port shown operates between 50 ohm terminations, and $S_{11} = 0$ at all frequencies. $C = 1$ pF.

(a) Find R and L.

(b) Find S_{12} as a function of frequency.



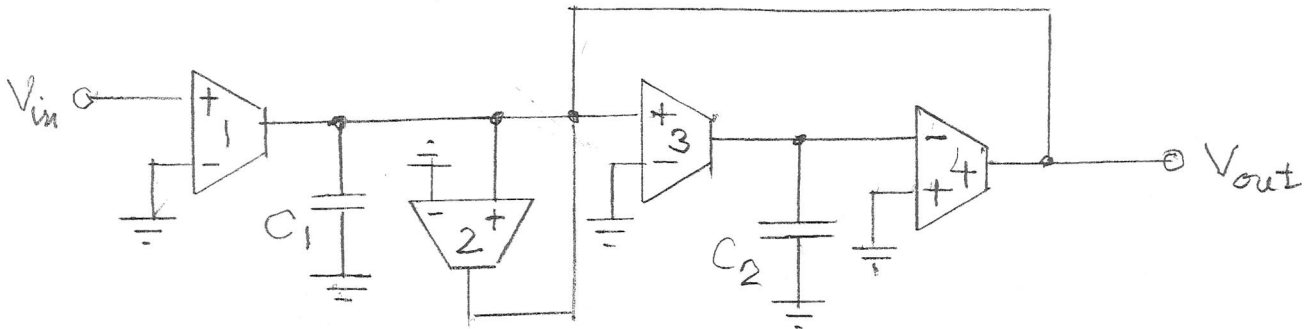
2. The -3-dB frequency of a 12th-order Butterworth filter is $f_3 = 10$ MHz.

(a) Where are the dominant poles?

(b) What is the dominant pole Q_p ?

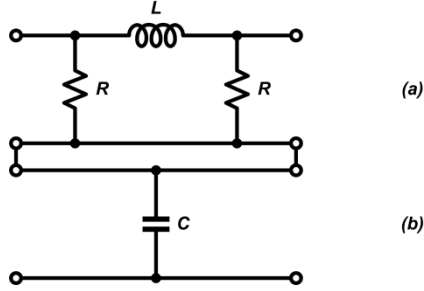
3. (a) Find the transfer function of the G_m -C filter shown.

(b) Let the swing at the output of G_{m3} be 50% of the allowed maximum. How can it be scaled back to optimum?



Final Examination Solution

1.
(a)



For $S_{11} = 0$, $Z_1 = R_{in}$

For $I_1 = 1A$

$$V_1 = Z_1 = Z_{11}I_1 + Z_{12}I_2 = Z_{11} - Z_{12} \frac{V_2}{R_{in}}$$

$$V_2 = Z_{21}I_1 + Z_{22}I_2 = Z_{12} - Z_{22} \frac{V_2}{R_{in}}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_2 = \frac{Z_{12}}{1 + \frac{Z_{22}}{R_{in}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_1 = Z_{11} - \frac{\frac{Z_{12}^2}{R_{in}}}{1 + \frac{Z_{22}}{R_{in}}} = \frac{Z_{11}R_{in} + \det Z}{R_{in} + Z_{22}} = R_{in}$$

For $Z_{11} = Z_{22}$

$$R_{in}^2 + Z_{11}R_{in} = Z_{11}R_{in} + Z_{11}^2 - Z_{12}^2 \quad \text{----- (1)}$$

$$Z_a = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{sLR + R^2}{sL + 2R} & \frac{R^2}{sL + 2R} \\ \frac{R^2}{sL + 2R} & \frac{sL + 2R}{sL + 2R} \end{bmatrix} \quad Z_b = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{sC} & \frac{1}{sC} \\ \frac{1}{sC} & \frac{1}{sC} \end{bmatrix} \quad Z = Z_a + Z_b = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{sC} + \frac{sLR + R^2}{sL + 2R} & \frac{1}{sC} + \frac{R^2}{sL + 2R} \\ \frac{1}{sC} + \frac{R^2}{sL + 2R} & \frac{1}{sC} + \frac{sL + 2R}{sL + 2R} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Use (1)} \Rightarrow R_{in}^2 = Z_{11}^2 - Z_{12}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow R_{in}^2 = \left(\frac{sLR}{sL+2R} \right) \left(\frac{2}{sC} + \frac{sLR+2R^2}{sL+2R} \right) \Rightarrow R_{in}^2 = \frac{sCLR^2 + 2LR}{2RC + sLC}$$

$$sCLR^2 + 2LR = sCLR_{in}^2 + 2R_{in}^2RC$$

$$\Rightarrow R = R_{in}$$

$$\Rightarrow L = R_{in}^2C$$

$$R = 50\Omega$$

$$L = 2.5nH$$

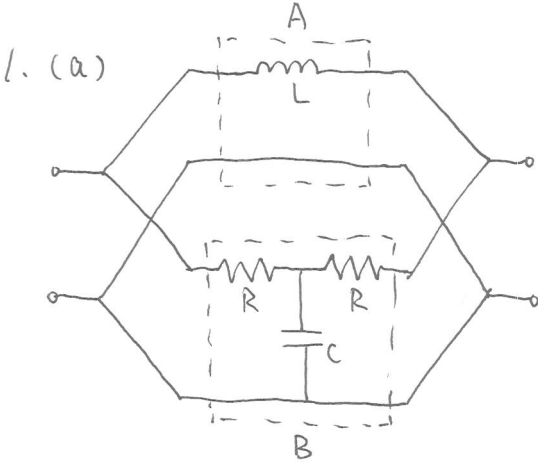
(b)

$$V_1 = \frac{E_1}{2} = Z_{11} \frac{E_1}{2R_{in}} - Z_{12} \frac{V_2}{R_{in}}$$

$$V_2 = \frac{E_1}{2Z_{12}} (Z_{11} - R_{in})$$

$$S_{12} = S_{21} = \frac{V_2}{\frac{E_1}{2}} = \frac{Z_{11} - R_{in}}{Z_{12}}$$

$$\Rightarrow S_{12} = \frac{s(L - R^2C) + 2R}{s(L + R^2C) + 2R} = \frac{1}{sRC + 1} = \frac{1}{1 + j\omega 5E^{-11}}$$



$$Y_A = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{sL} & -\frac{1}{sL} \\ -\frac{1}{sL} & \frac{1}{sL} \end{bmatrix} \quad Y_B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{sC + \frac{1}{R}}{sRC + 2} & -\frac{1}{R} \frac{1}{sRC + 2} \\ -\frac{1}{R} \frac{1}{sRC + 2} & \frac{sC + \frac{1}{R}}{sRC + 2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Y = Y_A + Y_B$$

$$S_{11} = 0 \Rightarrow Z_{in} = 50 \Omega$$

$$I_2 = y_{21} V_1 + y_{22} V_2 = -\frac{V_2}{R_2} \Rightarrow V_2 = -\frac{y_{21}}{\frac{1}{R_2} + y_{22}} V_1$$

$$\therefore I_1 = y_{11} V_1 + y_{12} V_2 = y_{11} V_1 - \frac{y_{12} y_{21}}{\frac{1}{R_2} + y_{22}} V_1$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_{in} = \frac{V_1}{I_1} = \frac{1/R_2 + y_{22}}{y_{11}^2 - y_{12}^2 + y_{11}/R_2} = 50 \Omega$$

$$\Rightarrow y_{11}^2 - y_{12}^2 = \frac{1}{R_2^2} \Rightarrow (y_{11} - y_{12})(y_{11} + y_{12}) = \left(\frac{2}{sL} + \frac{sRC + 2}{R(sRC + 2)}\right) \left(\frac{sRC}{R(sRC + 2)}\right) = \frac{1}{50^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow sLCR_2^2 + 2RCR_2^2 = sR^2LC + 2RL$$

$$\therefore \left. \begin{matrix} R^2 = R_2^2 \\ L = CR_2^2 \end{matrix} \right\} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} R = 50 \Omega \\ L = 2.5 \text{ nH} \end{cases}$$

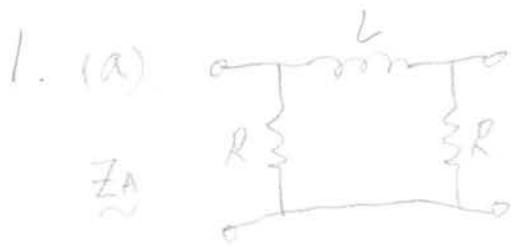
(b) Symmetric network $\Rightarrow S_{22} = 0$, ~~$S_{12} = 0$~~

$$S_{12} = \frac{b_1}{a_2}, \quad E_1 = 0.$$

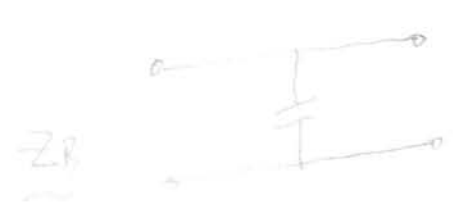
$$\text{Matching} \Rightarrow b_1 = \frac{V_1}{\sqrt{R_1}}, \quad a_2 = \frac{V_2}{\sqrt{R_2}}$$

$$I_1 = y_{11} V_1 + y_{12} V_2 = -\frac{V_1}{R_1} \Rightarrow V_1 \left(y_{11} + \frac{1}{R_1} \right) = -V_2 y_{12}$$

$$\therefore S_{12} = \frac{b_1}{a_2} = \frac{V_1}{V_2} = -\frac{y_{12}}{y_{11} + \frac{1}{R_1}} = \frac{1}{sRC + 1} = \frac{1}{1 + j\omega 5 \times 10^{-11}}$$



$$Z_A = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{R \cdot (R+SL)}{2R+SL} & \frac{R^2}{2R+SL} \\ \frac{R^2}{2R+SL} & \frac{R \cdot (R+SL)}{2R+SL} \end{bmatrix}$$

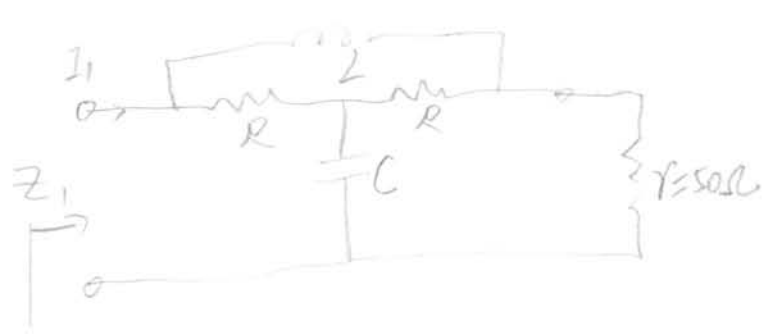


$$Z_B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{sC} & \frac{1}{sC} \\ \frac{1}{sC} & \frac{1}{sC} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Z = Z_A + Z_B$$

$$Z_{11} = Z_{22} = \frac{1}{sC} + R - \frac{R^2}{2R+SL} \quad \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$Z_{12} = Z_{21} = \frac{1}{sC} + \frac{R^2}{2R+SL} \quad \dots \textcircled{2}$$



for $I_1 = 1A$

$$V_1 = Z_1 = Z_{11}I_1 + Z_{12}I_2 = Z_{11} - Z_{12}V_2/r$$

$$V_2 = Z_{21}I_1 + Z_{22}I_2 = Z_{12} - Z_{22}V_2/r$$

$$Z_1 = \frac{Z_{11}r + \det Z}{r + Z_{22}}$$

when $V_2 = 0 \Rightarrow Z_1 = r \Rightarrow r^2 = Z_{11}^2 - Z_{12}^2 \quad \dots \textcircled{3}$

put $\textcircled{1}, \textcircled{2}$ into $\textcircled{3}$

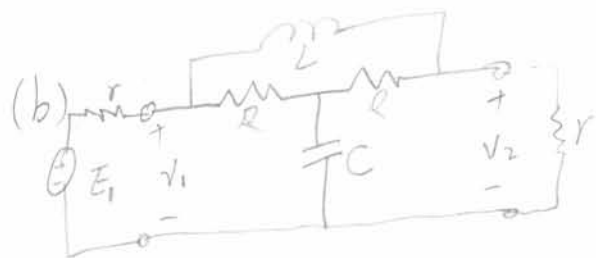
$$\left(\frac{2}{sC} + R\right)\left(R - \frac{R^2}{2R+SL}\right) = r^2 \Rightarrow 2R - 2s + R^2LCs^2 = r^2 - 2RrCs + r^2LCs^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} 2RL = r^2 \cdot 2RC \\ R^2 LC = r^2 LC \end{cases}$$

 \Rightarrow

$$R = r = 50 \Omega \checkmark$$

$$L = r^2 \cdot C = 2.5 \text{ nH} \checkmark$$



$$V_1 = \frac{E_1}{2} = Z_{11} \cdot \frac{E_1}{2r} - Z_{12} \frac{V_2}{r}$$

$$V_2 = \frac{E_1}{2Z_{12}} [Z_{11} - r]$$

$$S_0 \quad S_{12} = S_{21} = \frac{V_2}{E_1/2} = \frac{Z_{11} - r}{Z_{12}} = \frac{2R + s(L - R^2C)}{2R + s(L + R^2C)} = \frac{100}{100 + 5 \times 10^{-9} s}$$

$$S_{12}(j\omega) = \frac{100}{100 + j \cdot 5 \times 10^{-9} \omega} \checkmark$$

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2. (a)

$$\omega_{3dB}^2 = \sigma_p^2 + \omega_p^2 \Rightarrow \omega_{3dB} = \sqrt{\sigma_p^2 + \omega_p^2} = 2\pi 10 E^6 = 6.28 E^7 \left[\frac{rad}{s} \right]$$

$$\sigma_p = \sin(\beta)\omega_{3dB} = 8.20 E^6$$

$$\omega_p = \pm 6.23 E^7$$

$$\text{dominate pole}(p1, p2) = -8.20 E^6 \pm j6.23 E^7 \left[\frac{rad}{s} \right]$$

(b)

$$S_k = C_n \frac{1}{2n} e^{\frac{j\pi(n-1+2k)}{2n}}$$

$$S_p = \sigma_p + j\omega_p \Rightarrow Q = \frac{|S_p|}{2|\sigma_p|}$$

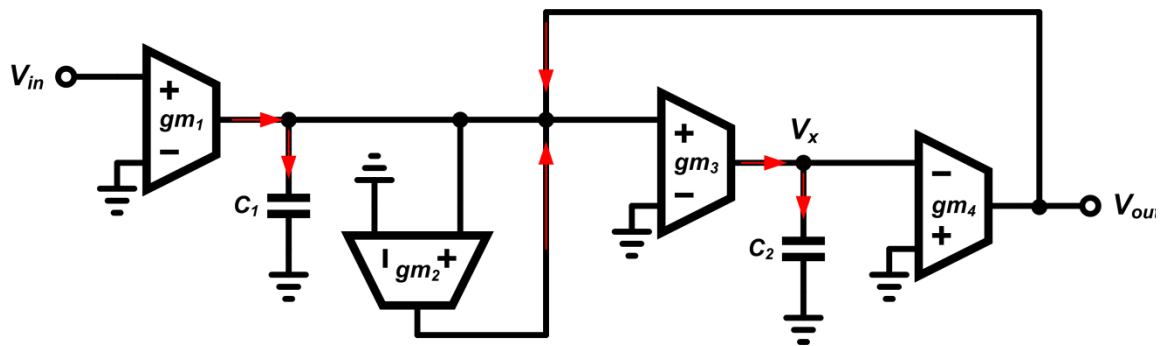
$$Q = \frac{C_n^{-\frac{1}{2n}}}{2 \left| C_n^{-\frac{1}{2n}} \cos\left(\frac{\pi(n-1+2k)}{2n}\right) \right|} = \frac{1}{2 \left| \cos\left(\frac{\pi(n-1+2k)}{2n}\right) \right|}$$

Q_{\max} happens at $k=1$

$$\Rightarrow Q = \frac{1}{2 \left| \cos\left(\frac{\pi(12-1+2)}{24}\right) \right|} = 3.83$$

3.

(a)



KCL @ Node V_{out}

$$gm_1 V_{in} - V_{out} s C_1 + gm_2 V_{out} - V_x gm_4 = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

KCL @ Node V_x

$$gm_3 V_{out} = V_x s C_2$$

$$V_x = \frac{gm_3 V_{out}}{s C_2} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Put (2) in (1)

$$gm_1 V_{in} - V_{out} s C_1 + gm_2 V_{out} - \frac{gm_3 gm_4 V_{out}}{s C_2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow H(s) = \frac{sgm_1 C_2}{s^2 C_1 C_2 - sgm_2 C_2 + gm_3 gm_4}$$

Note: The circuit is unstable

(b)

If V_x is 50% of the allowed maximum, multiply gm_3 by 2 and divide gm_4 by 2 in order to make sure the feedback current the same.