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Operational Amplifiers

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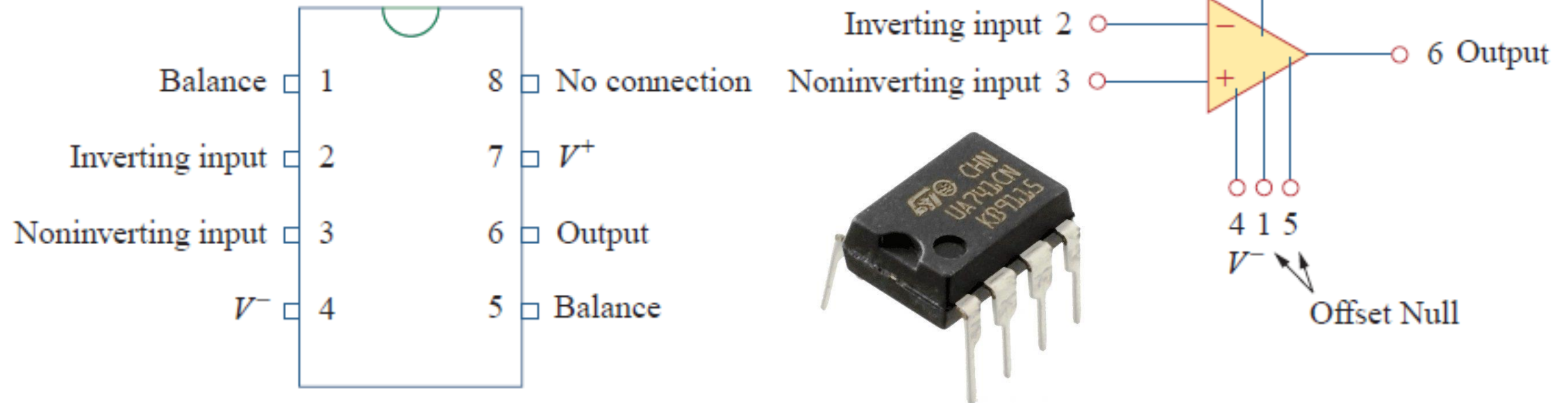


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Introduction

Operational amplifier (op amp)

- ❑ Circuit building block → mathematical 'operations' (*amplify, sum, integrate, differentiate signals*)
- ❑ Voltage controlled voltage source (*very high gain*) → contains R, C, D, T
- ❑ *John Ragazzini (1947, National Defense Research Council)* → *vacuum tubes (no transistors)*

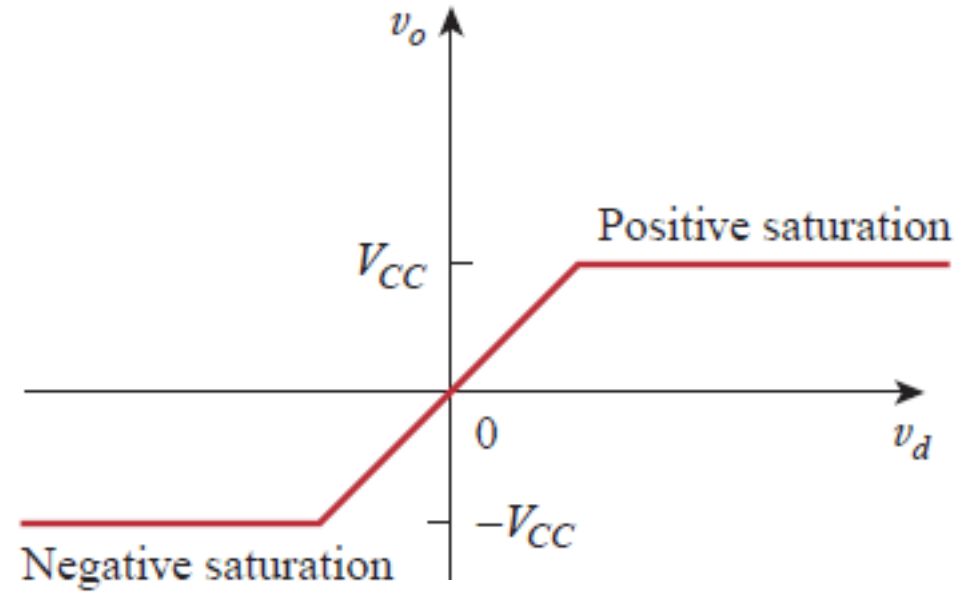
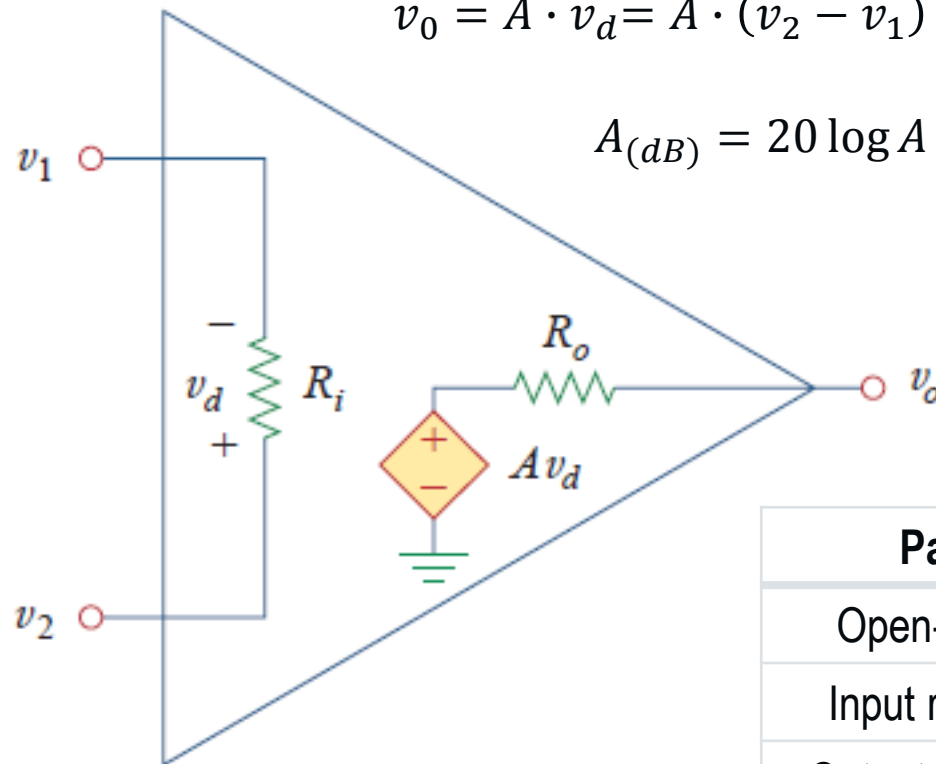


Equivalent Circuit

$A \rightarrow$ open loop (no feedback) voltage gain

$$v_o = A \cdot v_d = A \cdot (v_2 - v_1)$$

$$A_{(dB)} = 20 \log A$$

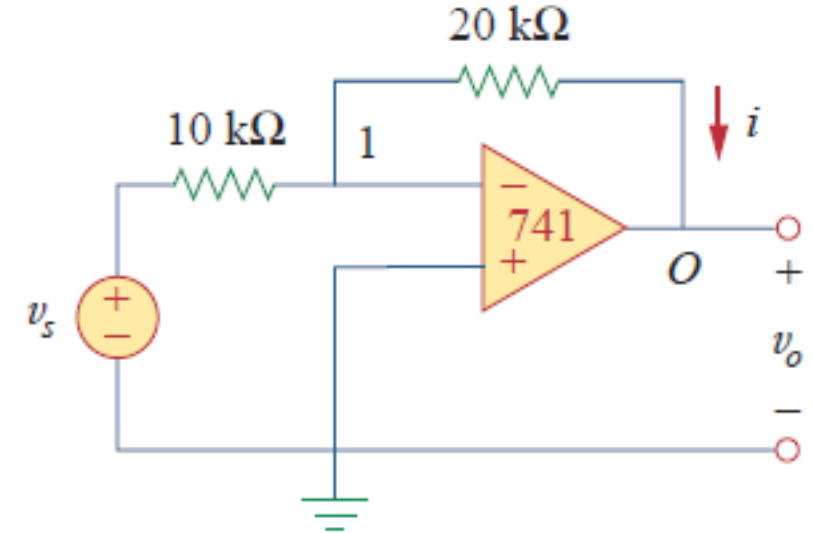
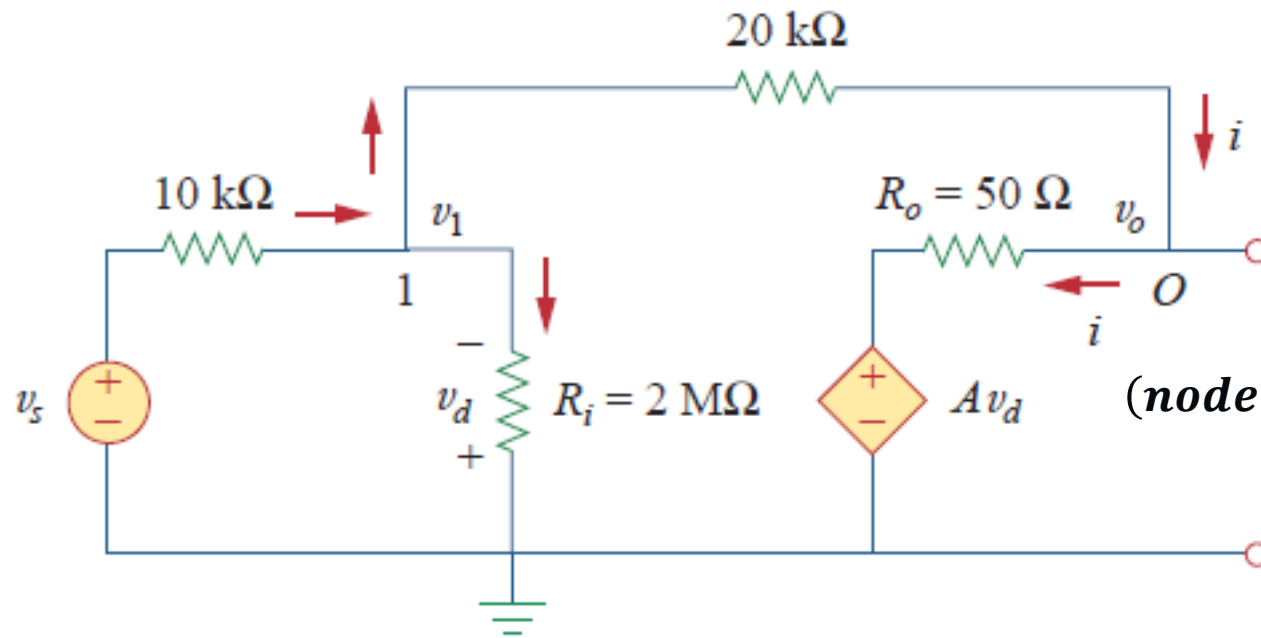


Parameter	Ideal value	Typical range
Open-loop gain, A	∞	10^5 - 10^8 (100-160 dB)
Input resistance, R_i	$\infty \Omega$	$10^5 - 10^{13} \Omega$
Output resistance, R_o	0Ω	$10 - 100 \Omega$
Supply voltage, V_{CC}		$5 - 24 \text{ V}$

Op Amp Example 1

$A = 2 \cdot 10^5$, $R_i = 2 \text{ M}\Omega$, $R_o = 50 \Omega$. Find the closed-loop gain (v_o/v_s) and i when $v_s = 2 \text{ V}$.

Solution (equivalent circuit)

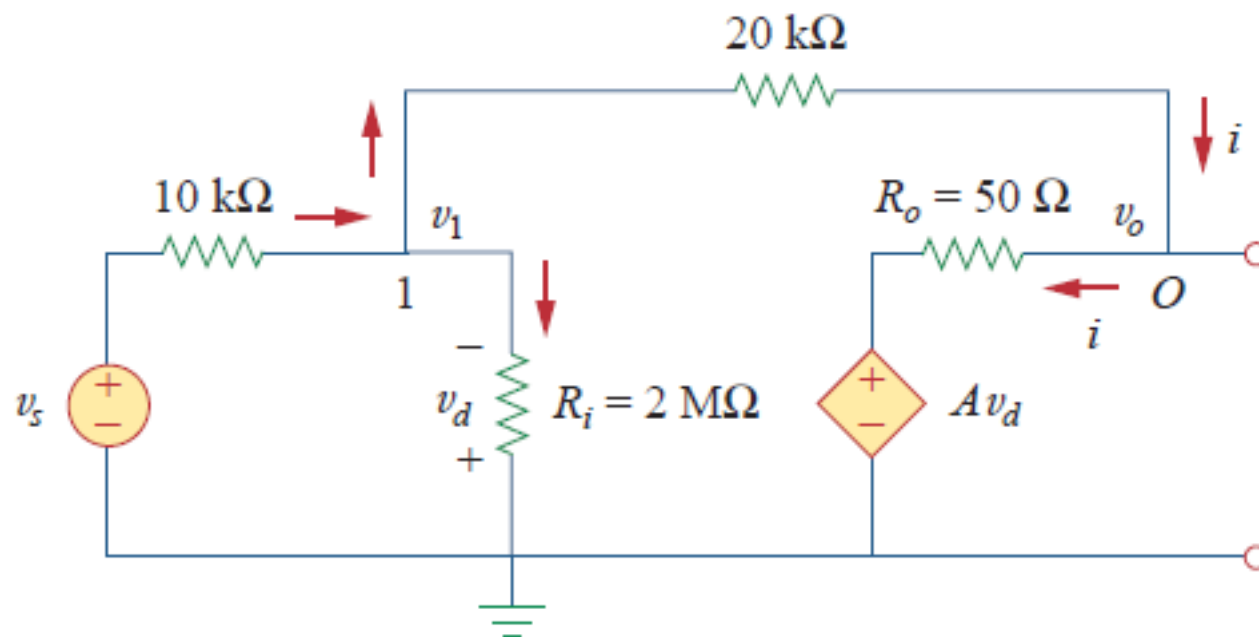
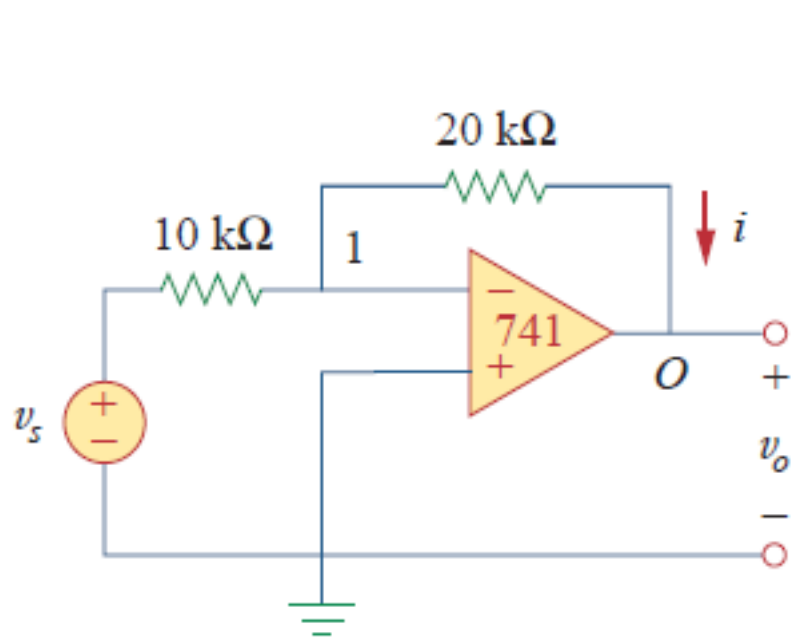


(node 1): $\frac{v_s - v_1}{10 \cdot 10^3} = \frac{v_1}{2 \cdot 10^6} + \frac{v_1 - v_o}{20 \cdot 10^3} \rightarrow (1): v_1 = \frac{2v_s + v_o}{3}$

(node 0): $\frac{v_1 - v_o}{20 \cdot 10^3} = \frac{v_o - Av_d}{50}$, $v_d = -v_1$

(2): $v_1 - v_o = 400(v_o + 200,000v_1)$

Op Amp Example 1



$$(1): v_1 = \frac{2v_s + v_0}{3}$$

$$(2): v_1 - v_0 = 400(v_0 + 200,000v_1)$$

$$(1) \rightarrow (2): 0 \cong 26,667,067v_0 + 53,333,333v_s \rightarrow \frac{v_0}{v_s} = -1.9999$$

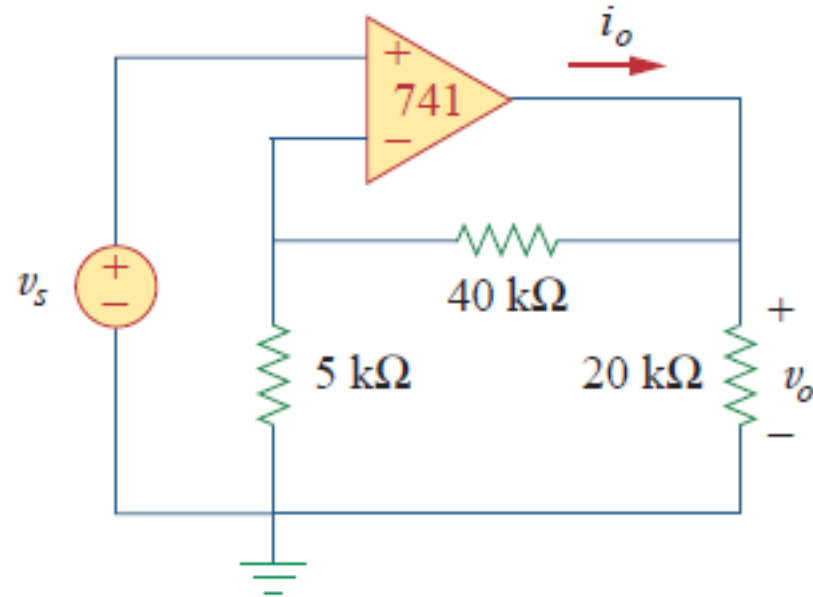
$$v_s = 2 \rightarrow v_0 = 3.9999398 V$$

$$v_1 = 20.066667 \mu V$$

$$i = \frac{v_1 - v_0}{20 \cdot 10^3} = 199.99 \mu A$$

Op Amp Example 2

$A = 2 \cdot 10^5$, $R_i = 2 \text{ M}\Omega$, $R_o = 50 \Omega$. Calculate the closed-loop gain (v_o/v_s) and i_o when $v_s = 1\text{V}$.

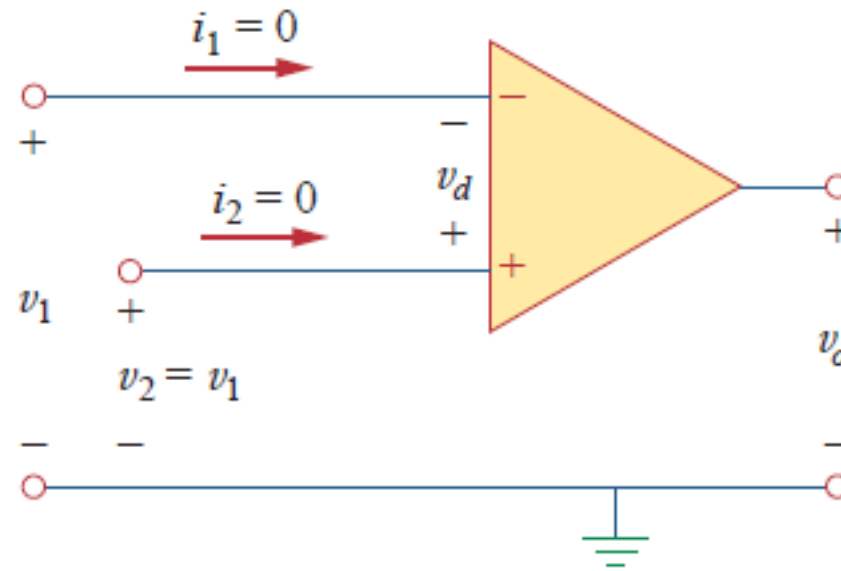


Solution (9.00041, 0.657 mA.)

Ideal Op Amp



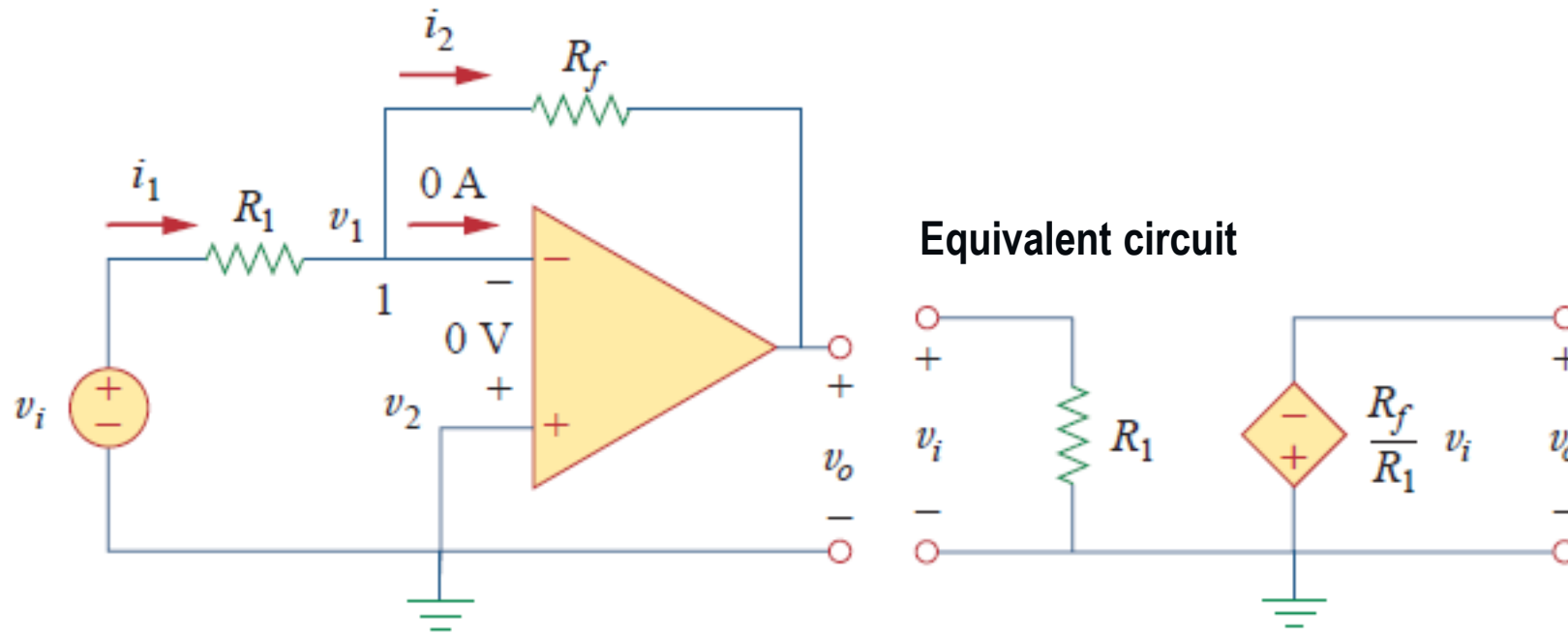
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} A \cong \infty \\ R_i = \infty \\ R_o = 0 \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} i_1 = 0 \\ i_2 = 0 \\ v_1 = v_2 \end{array} \right.$$





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Inverting Amplifier (*Inverter*)



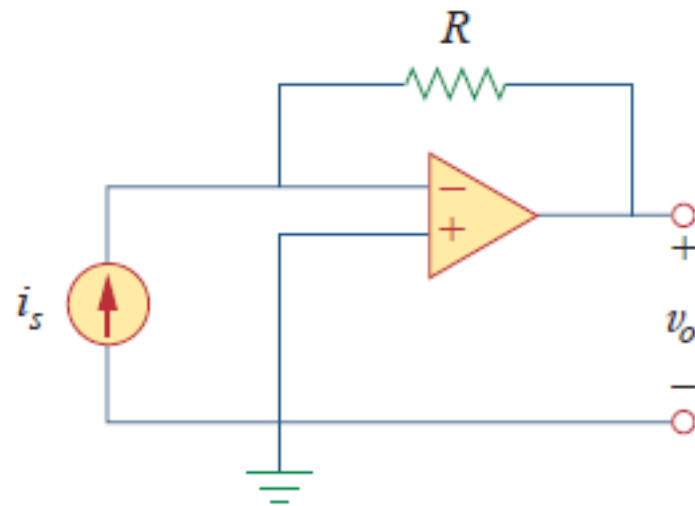
$$i_1 = i_2 \rightarrow \frac{v_i - v_1}{R_1} = \frac{v_1 - v_o}{R_f}$$

$$v_1 = v_2 = 0 \rightarrow \frac{v_i}{R_1} = -\frac{v_o}{R_f}$$

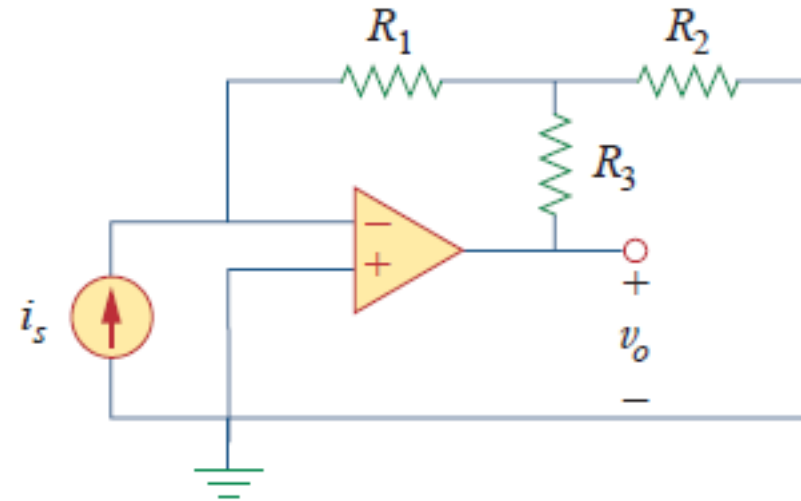
$$v_o = -\frac{R_f}{R_1} v_i \leftarrow \text{reverses the polarity}$$

Current-to-Voltage Converters (*Transresistance Amplifiers*)

HW – Show the followings...

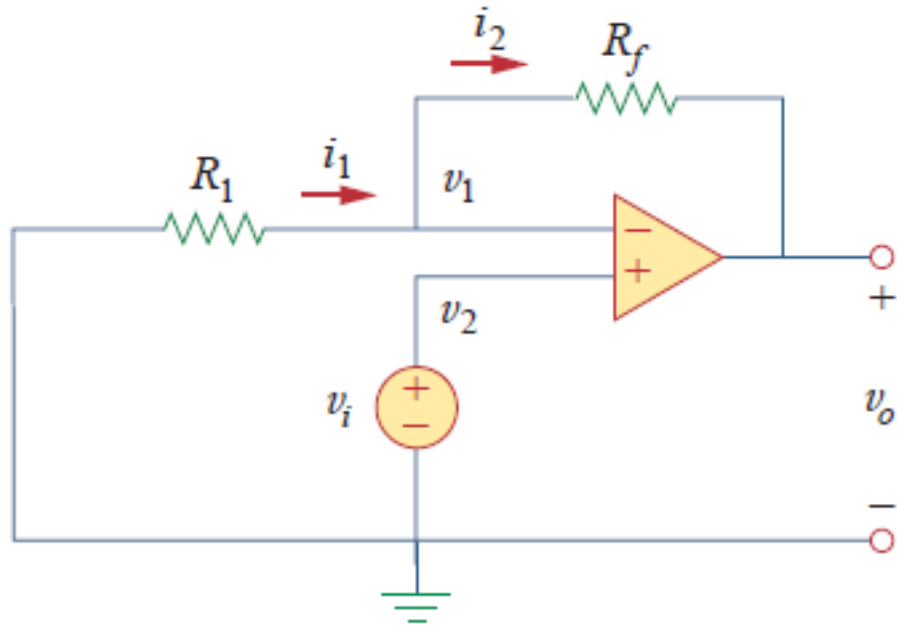


$$\frac{v_o}{i_s} = -R$$



$$\frac{v_o}{i_s} = -R_1 \left(1 + \frac{R_3}{R_1} + \frac{R_3}{R_2} \right)$$

Noninverting Amplifier

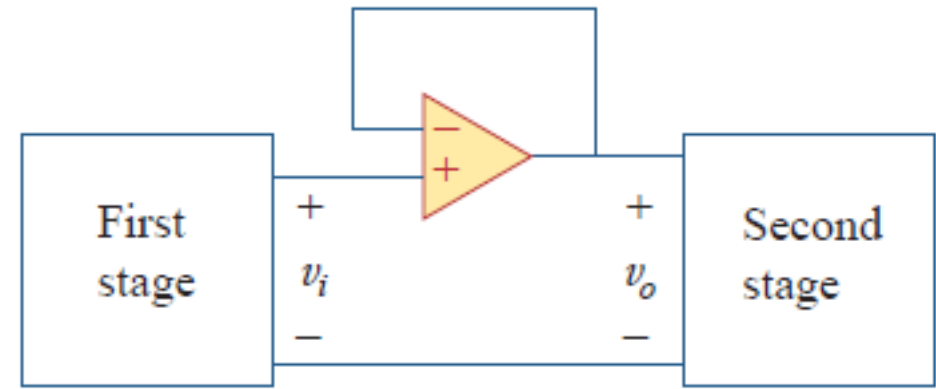
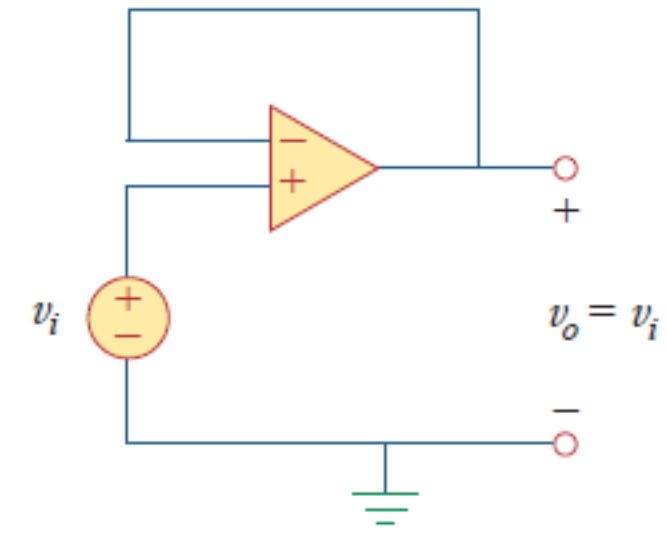


$$i_1 = i_2 \rightarrow \frac{0 - v_1}{R_1} = \frac{v_1 - v_0}{R_f}$$

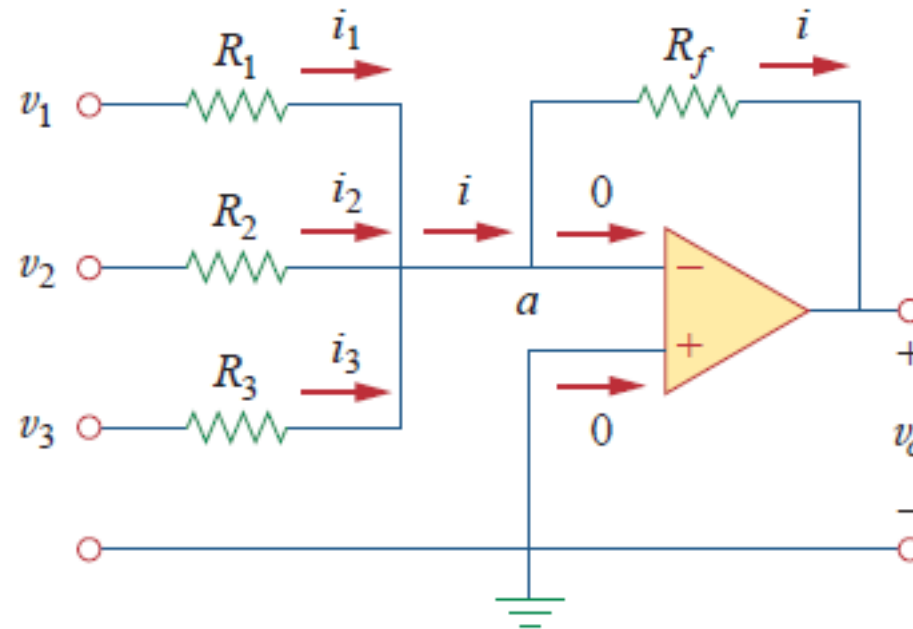
$$v_1 = v_2 = v_i \rightarrow \frac{-v_i}{R_1} = \frac{v_i - v_0}{R_f}$$

$$v_0 = \left(1 + \frac{R_f}{R_1}\right) v_i \quad A_v = \frac{v_0}{v_i} = 1 + \frac{R_f}{R_1} > 0$$

Voltage follower – to isolate two cascaded stages



Summing Amplifier (Weighted Summing)



$$(1): i = i_1 + i_2 + i_3$$

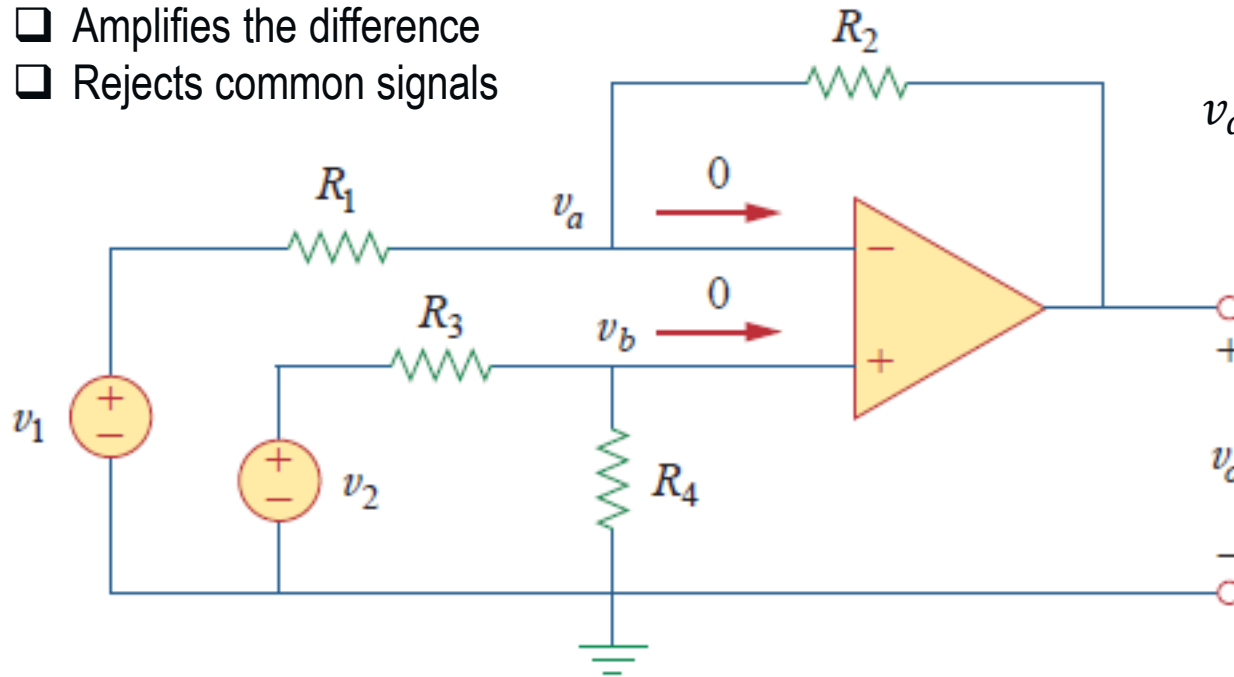
$$(2): v_a = 0$$

$$(3): i_1 = \frac{v_1 - v_a}{R_1}, \quad i_2 = \frac{v_2 - v_a}{R_2}, \quad i_3 = \frac{v_3 - v_a}{R_3}, \quad i = \frac{v_a - v_o}{R_f}$$

$$(2)(3) \rightarrow (1): \frac{0 - v_o}{R_f} = \frac{v_1 - 0}{R_1} + \frac{v_2 - 0}{R_2} + \frac{v_3 - 0}{R_3} \rightarrow v_o = - \left(\frac{R_f}{R_1} v_1 + \frac{R_f}{R_2} v_2 + \frac{R_f}{R_3} v_3 \right)$$

Difference (or Differential) Amplifier

- ❑ Amplifies the difference
- ❑ Rejects common signals



$$v_a = v_b, (\mathbf{b} \rightarrow \mathbf{a}): v_0 = v_2 \left(1 + \frac{R_2}{R_1} \right) \frac{R_4}{R_3 + R_4} - v_1 \frac{R_2}{R_1}$$

$$v_0 = v_2 \frac{R_2 \left(1 + \frac{R_1}{R_2} \right)}{R_1 \left(1 + \frac{R_3}{R_4} \right)} - v_1 \frac{R_2}{R_1}$$

- ❑ ,very high' Common Mode Rejection (CMR) when

$$\frac{R_1}{R_2} = \frac{R_3}{R_4} \rightarrow v_0 = \frac{R_2}{R_1} (v_2 - v_1)$$

- ❑ ,Subtractor' when

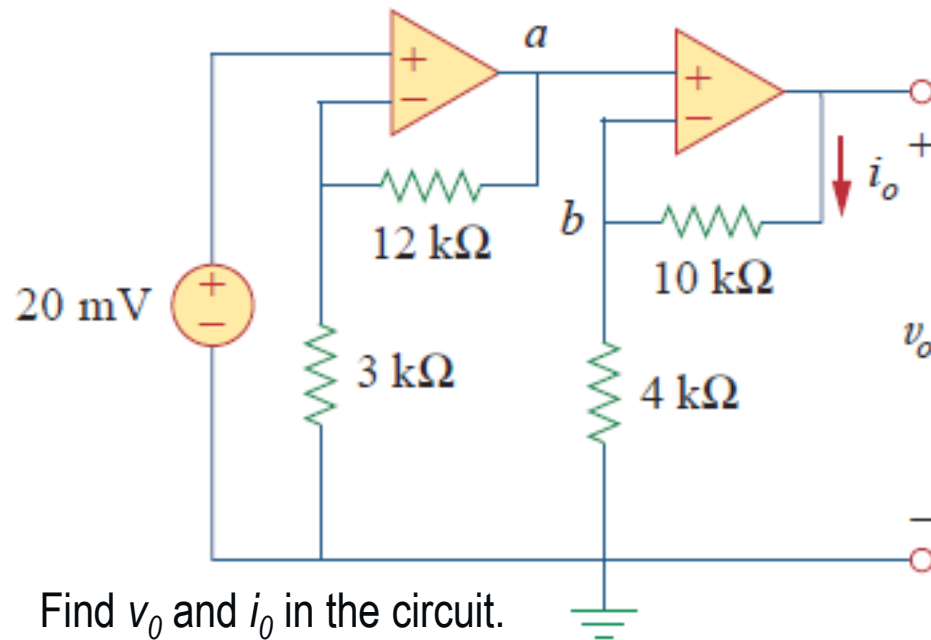
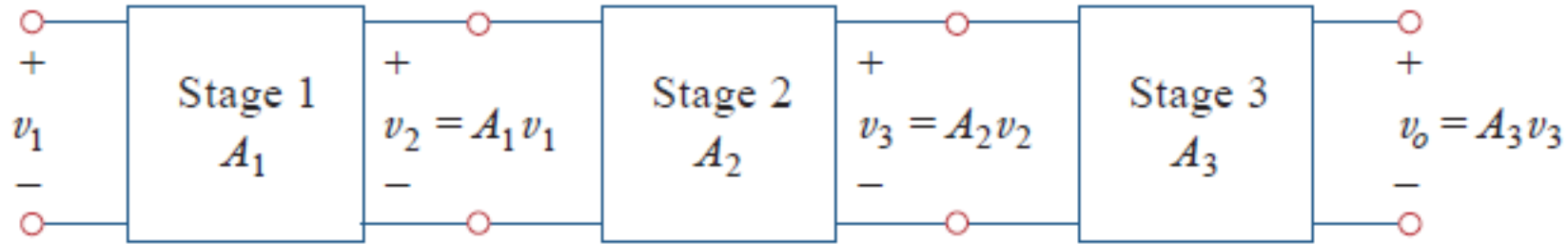
$$R_1 = R_2, R_3 = R_4 \rightarrow v_0 = v_2 - v_1$$

$$(\mathbf{node\ a}): \frac{v_1 - v_a}{R_1} = \frac{v_a - v_0}{R_2} \rightarrow v_0 = v_a \left(1 + \frac{R_2}{R_1} \right) - v_1 \frac{R_2}{R_1}$$

$$(\mathbf{node\ b}): \frac{v_2 - v_b}{R_3} = \frac{v_b - 0}{R_4} \rightarrow v_b = v_2 \frac{R_4}{R_3 + R_4}$$

Cascaded Op Amp Circuits

Cascade connection \rightarrow 'head-to-tail arrangement' [output of one] \rightarrow [input of the next].



$$A = A_1 \cdot A_2 \cdot A_3$$

$$v_a = \left(1 + \frac{12}{3}\right) \cdot 20 = 100 \text{ mV}$$

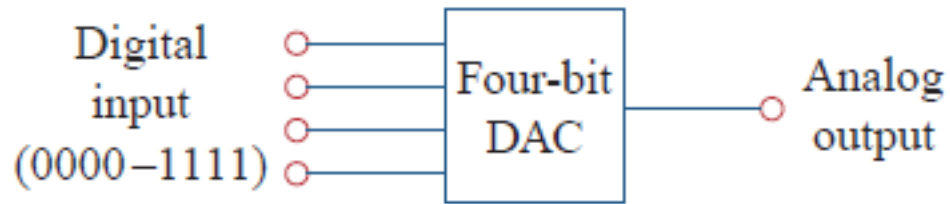
$$v_o = \left(1 + \frac{10}{4}\right) \cdot v_a = 350 \text{ mV}$$

$$v_b = v_a \rightarrow i_o = \frac{v_o - v_b}{10k} = \frac{250}{10} = 25 \mu\text{A}$$



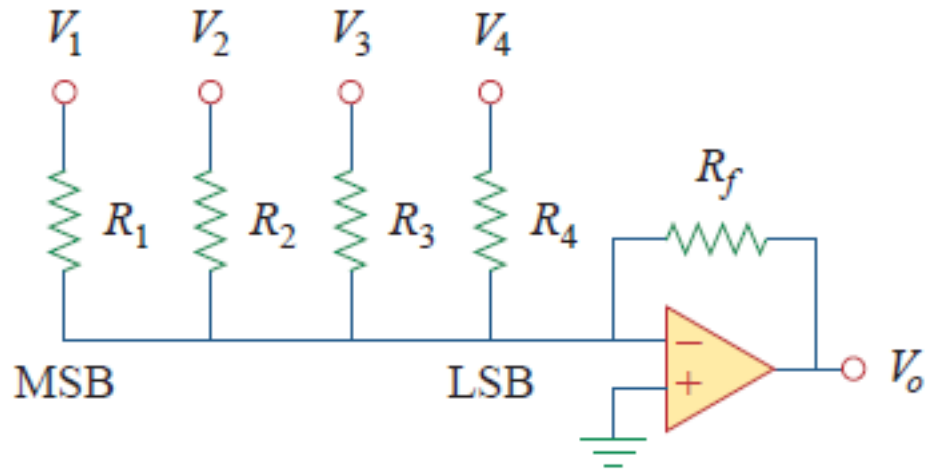
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Applications – DA Converter



$$-V_0 = \frac{R_f}{R_1} V_1 + \frac{R_f}{R_2} V_2 + \frac{R_f}{R_3} V_3 + \frac{R_f}{R_4} V_4$$

Example $R_f = 2k$, $R_1 = 10k$, $R_2 = 20k$, $R_3 = 40k$, $R_4 = 80k$
 Find analog output(s) for [0000], [0001], [0010], ..., [1111]



$$-V_0^{(0000)} = \frac{2k}{10k} \cdot 0 + \frac{2k}{20k} \cdot 0 + \frac{2k}{40k} \cdot 0 + \frac{2k}{80k} \cdot 0 = 0 \text{ V}$$

$$-V_0^{(0001)} = \frac{2k}{10k} \cdot 0 + \frac{2k}{20k} \cdot 0 + \frac{2k}{40k} \cdot 0 + \frac{2k}{80k} \cdot (5V) = 125 \text{ mV}$$

$$-V_0^{(0011)} = \frac{2k}{10k} \cdot 0 + \frac{2k}{20k} \cdot 0 + \frac{2k}{40k} \cdot (5V) + \frac{2k}{80k} \cdot (5V) = 375 \text{ mV}$$

$$-V_0^{(1111)} = \frac{2k}{10k} \cdot (5V) + \frac{2k}{20k} \cdot (5V) + \frac{2k}{40k} \cdot (5V) + \frac{2k}{80k} \cdot (5V) = 1.875 \text{ V}$$

Binary weighted ladder

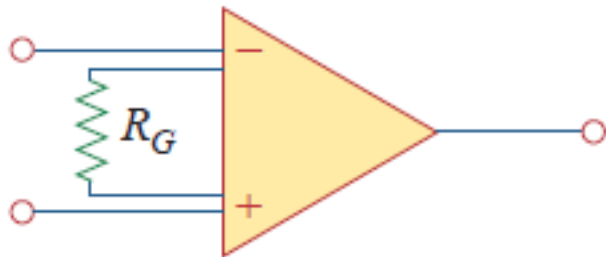
(V_1 - MSB: Most Significant Bit)

(V_4 - LSB: Least Significant Bit)

Applications – Instrumentation Amplifier (IA)

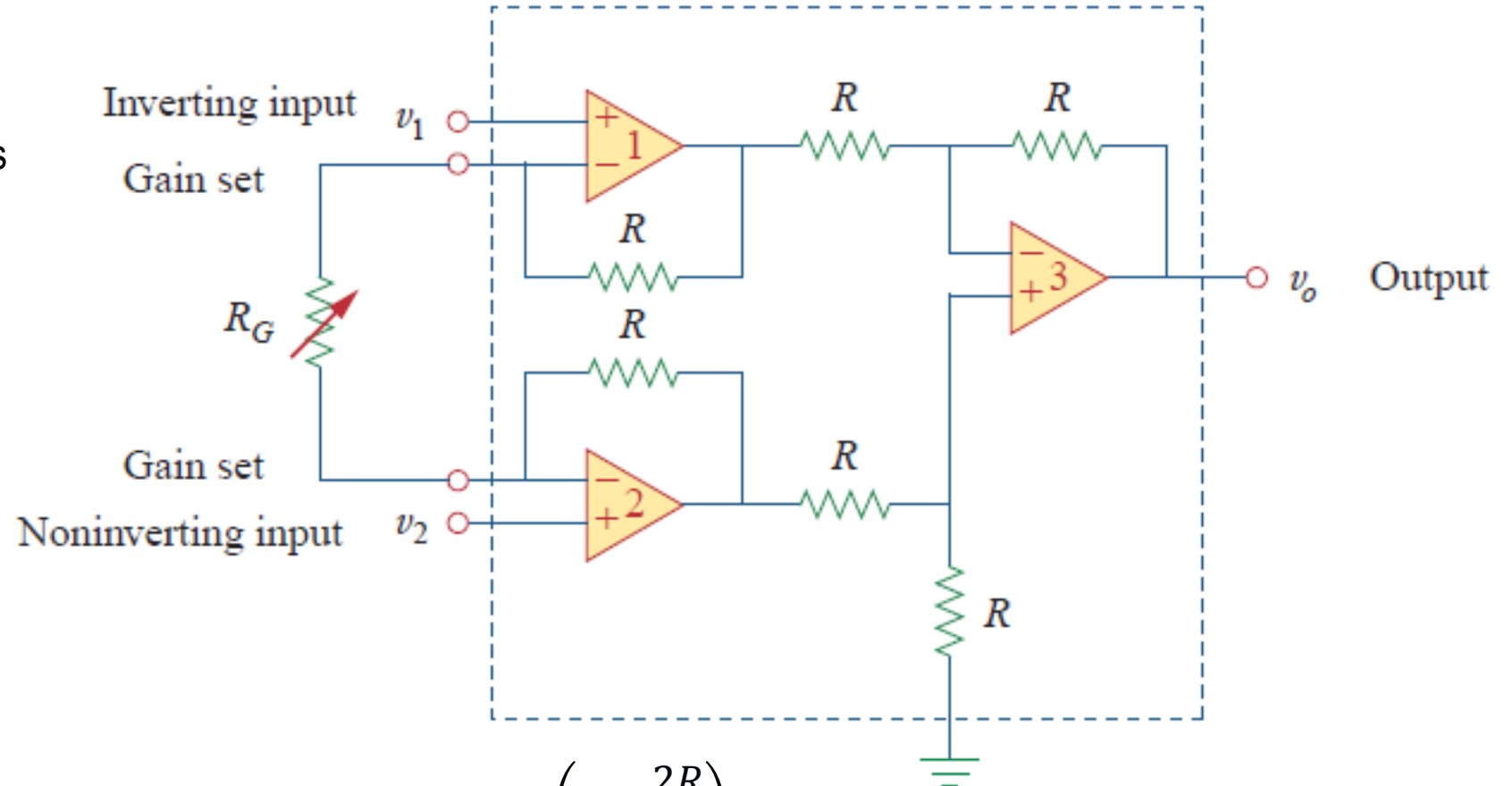
IA – [mérőerősítő]

- Extension of the difference amplifier
- Consists of three op amps + resistors
- External R_G for gain adjustment



Widely used

- Precision measurement
- Process control
- Data acquisition systems.
- Isolation amplifiers*
- Thermo couple amplifiers*



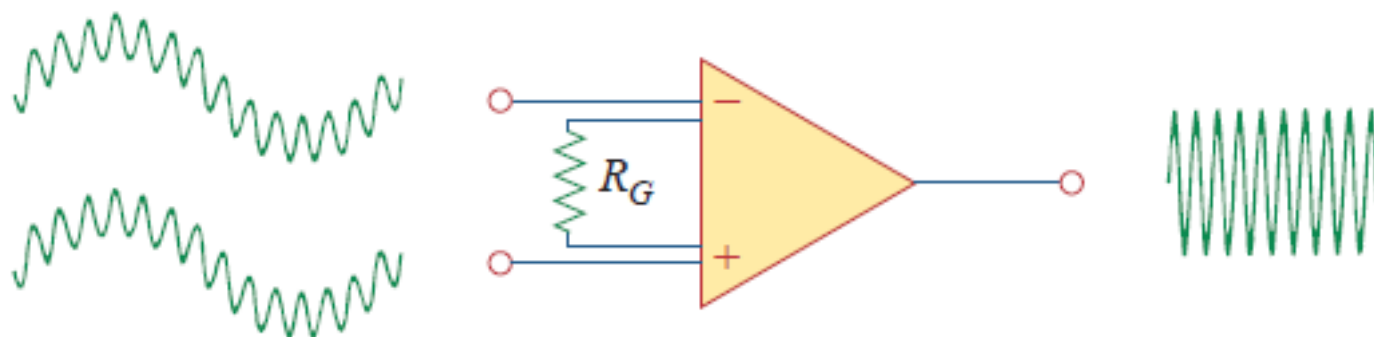
$$v_o = A_v(v_2 - v_1), \quad A_v = \left(1 + \frac{2R}{R_G}\right)$$

Applications – Instrumentation Amplifier

Small differential signals riding on larger common-mode signals

$$v_0 = A_v(v_2 - v_1)$$

Amplified differential signal
No common-mode signal



,IA' characteristics

- Gain is adjusted by *one* external resistor R_G .
- Gain independent and very high input impedances
- Very high CMR (common mode rejection)

Single-package units

- LH0036 (*National Semiconductor*)
- Gain ...1 - 1,000 by external R_G
(R_G ... 100 - 10 k)

Questions

