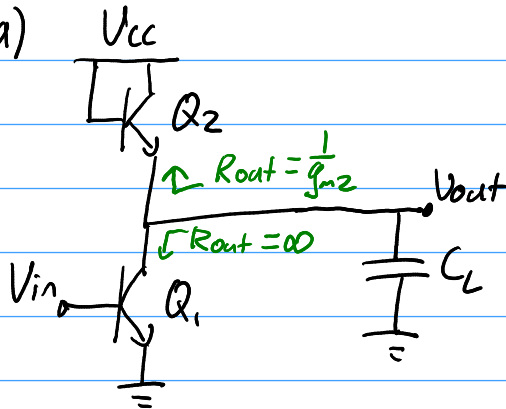


11.3 (a)

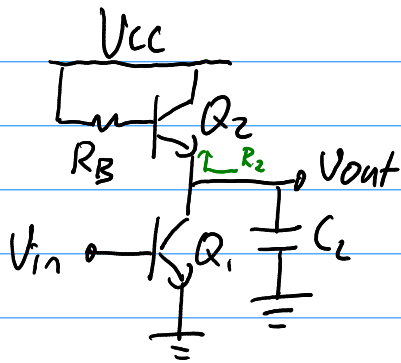


Looking into  $Q_2$  emitter,  
 $R_{out} = \frac{1}{g_{m2}}$

Looking into  $Q_1$  collector,  
 $R_{out} = \infty$  because  $V_A = \infty$ .

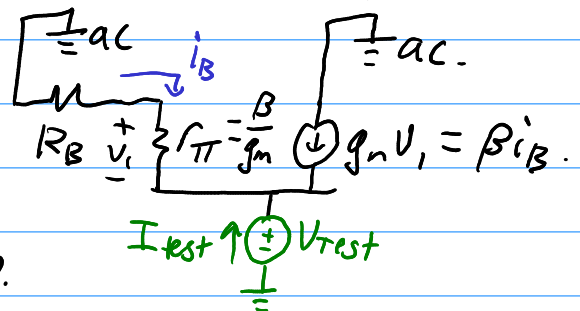
$\therefore$  Only one pole, the  $-3\text{dB}$  point is  $f = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{g_{m2}} C_L} = \frac{g_{m2}}{C_L}$ .

(b)



Need to find the impedance seen looking into  $Q_2$ 's emitter.

Consider small signal model.



By KCL,  $i_B + I_{test} + \beta i_B = 0$

$\therefore (1 + \beta) i_B + I_{test} = 0$ .

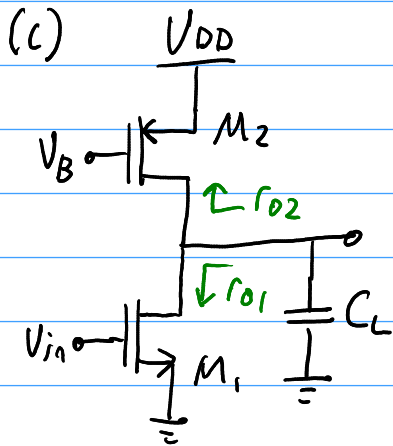
By Ohm's law,  $i_B = \frac{0 - V_{test}}{R_B + r_{\pi}}$

$\therefore (1 + \beta) \left( \frac{-V_{test}}{R_B + r_{\pi}} \right) + I_{test} = 0$ .

$(1 + \beta) V_{test} = (R_B + r_{\pi}) I_{test} = \left( R_B + \frac{\beta}{g_m} \right) I_{test}$

$\frac{V_{test}}{I_{test}} = \frac{R_B + \frac{\beta}{g_m}}{1 + \beta} \approx \frac{R_B + \frac{\beta}{g_m}}{\beta} = \frac{1}{g_m} + \frac{R_B}{\beta}$ .

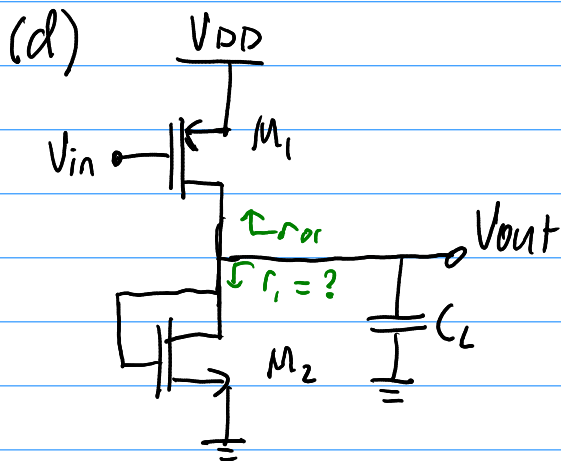
$\therefore -3\text{dB}$  point is  $\frac{1}{2\pi C_L \left( \frac{1}{g_m} + \frac{R_B}{\beta} \right)}$



Notice  $M_2$  is PMOS

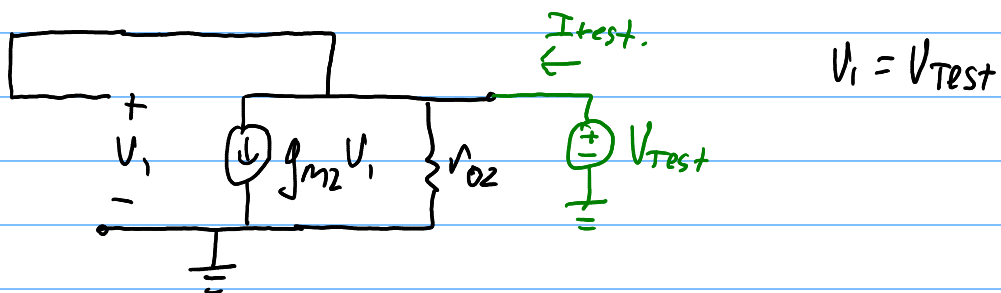
- ∴ we are looking into the drain of both devices.
- ∴ Resistances are the  $r_o$  of each transistor.

∴ -3 dB point is  $\frac{1}{2\pi(r_{o1} \parallel r_{o2})C_L}$ .



- See  $r_{o1}$  looking into  $M_1$
- Looking into  $M_2$ , notice that  $V_{out} = V_{as}$

∴ Current is controlled.  
Need to check small signal model.



By KCL:  $I_{test} = g_m V_{test} + \frac{V_{test}}{r_{o1}} = (g_m + \frac{1}{r_{o1}}) V_{test}$

$\frac{V_{test}}{I_{test}} = \frac{1}{g_m + \frac{1}{r_{o1}}} = \frac{1}{g_m \parallel r_{o1}}$

∴ -3dB point is  $\frac{1}{2\pi C_L (\frac{1}{g_{m2}} \parallel r_{o1} \parallel r_{o2})}$