

Pspice Practice Questions

ENEE236 – Analog Electronics

Instructor

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- Use Pspice student edition to enter and simulate the following circuits
- Make sure to learn how to set and perform the following analysis types:
 - 1) Transient
 - 2) DC Sweep
 - 3) AC Sweep
 - 4) Parametric analysis combined with transient or AC sweep

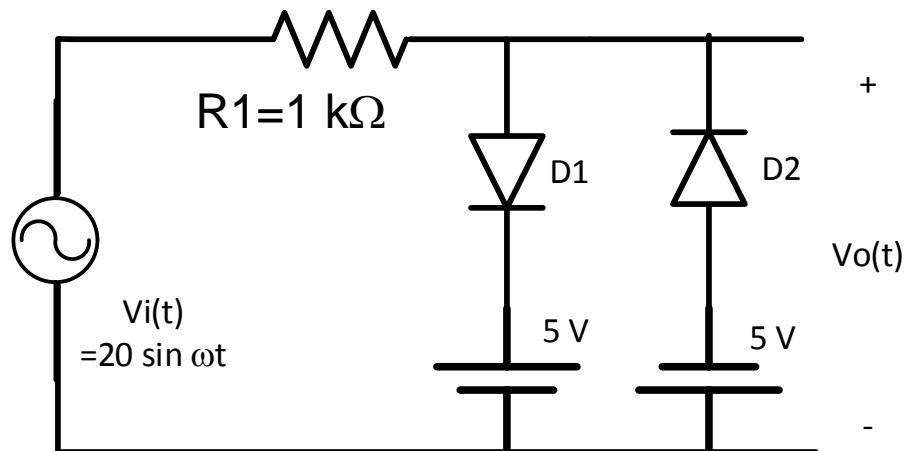
1. Simulate the following circuit and plot $V_o(t)$.
use transient analysis

Use 1N4148 for the diodes D1 & D2

$R_1=1\text{ k}\Omega$; for $V_i(t)$ use V_{\sin} with frequency =50Hz
and magnitude =20V

Note :

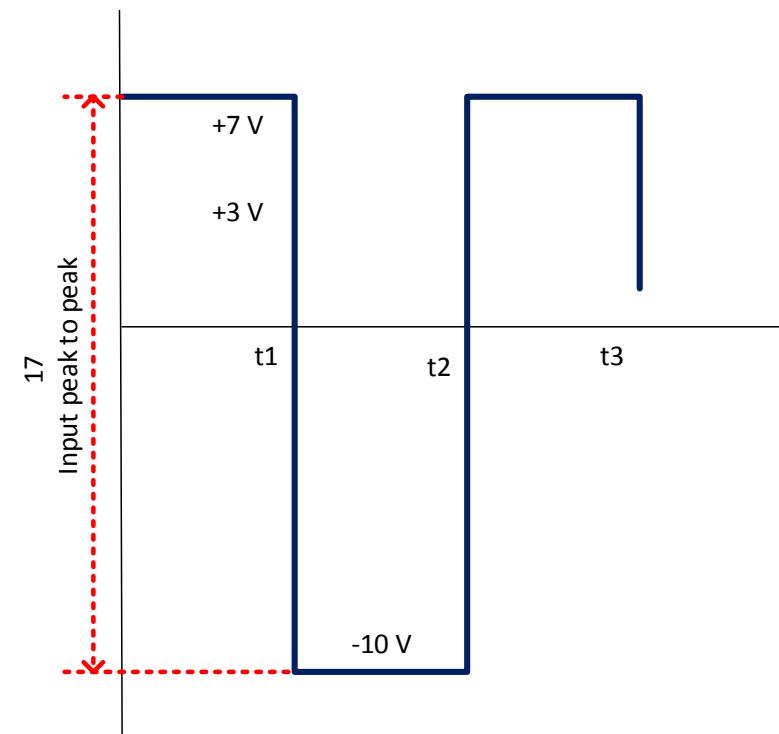
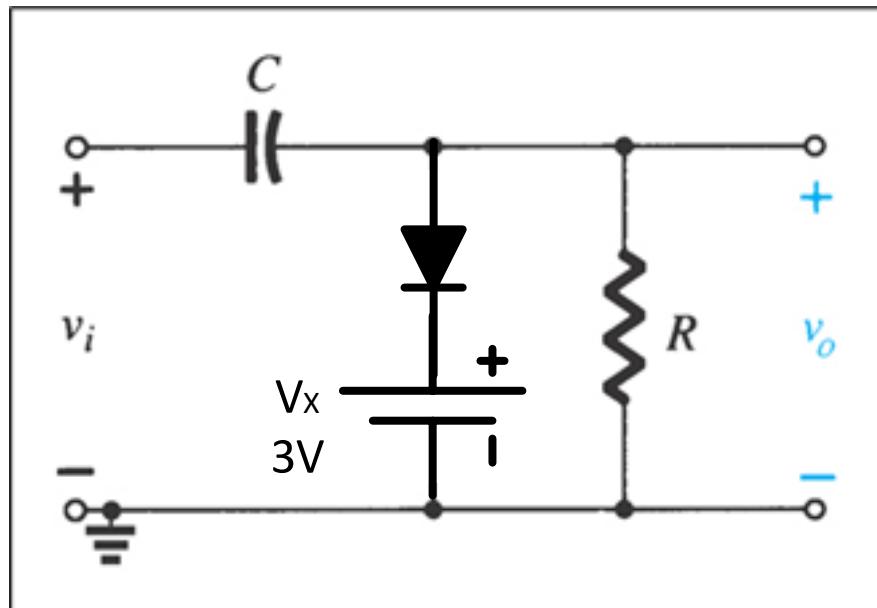
- a. *Make sure to set an appropriate final time in the transient analysis in order to be able to see few cycles of the waveform*
- b. *Consider setting a step ceiling in the analysis transient menu to get smooth waveforms.*



2. Simulate the following circuit using transient analysis type, use $R=10\text{kohm}$, $C=1\mu\text{F}$, Diode 1N4148

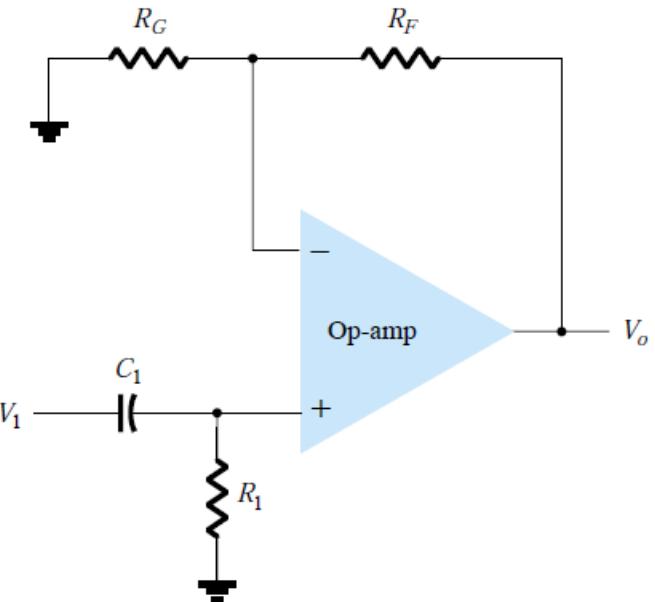
Use Vpulse to create V_i as shown below

Plot V_o ?



Q3. Simulate the following circuit,

- $R_F = 8 \text{ k}\Omega$; $R_G = 16 \text{ k}\Omega$;
- $R_1 = 10 \text{ k}\Omega$; $C_1 = 10 \text{ pF}$; Opamp LM324
- $+V_{cc} = 15$, $-V_{cc} = -15$



- 1) Replace V_1 by a dc source =1V , find V_o using transient analysis?
- 2) Replace V_1 by an ac source (V_{ac}) with magnitude = 1V perform ac sweep and plot the magnitude frequency response in dBs
- 3) Find Midband gain and ω_c

Q4. Simulate the following circuit,

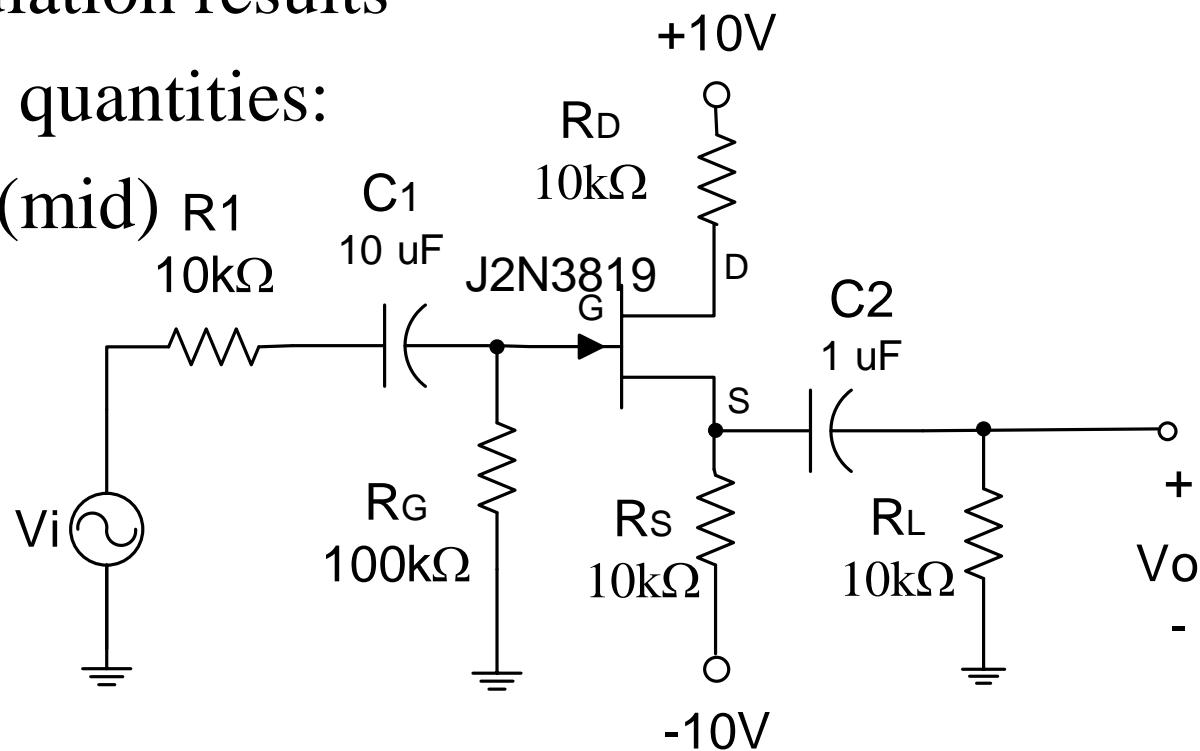
- 1) Replace V_i by an ac source (V_{ac}) with magnitude = 1V, choose ac sweep analysis then plot the magnitude frequency response of V_o/V_i in DB
- 2) Based on the simulation results

find the following quantities:

- mid band gain $A_v(\text{mid})$ R_1 10k Ω

- ω_L

- ω_H



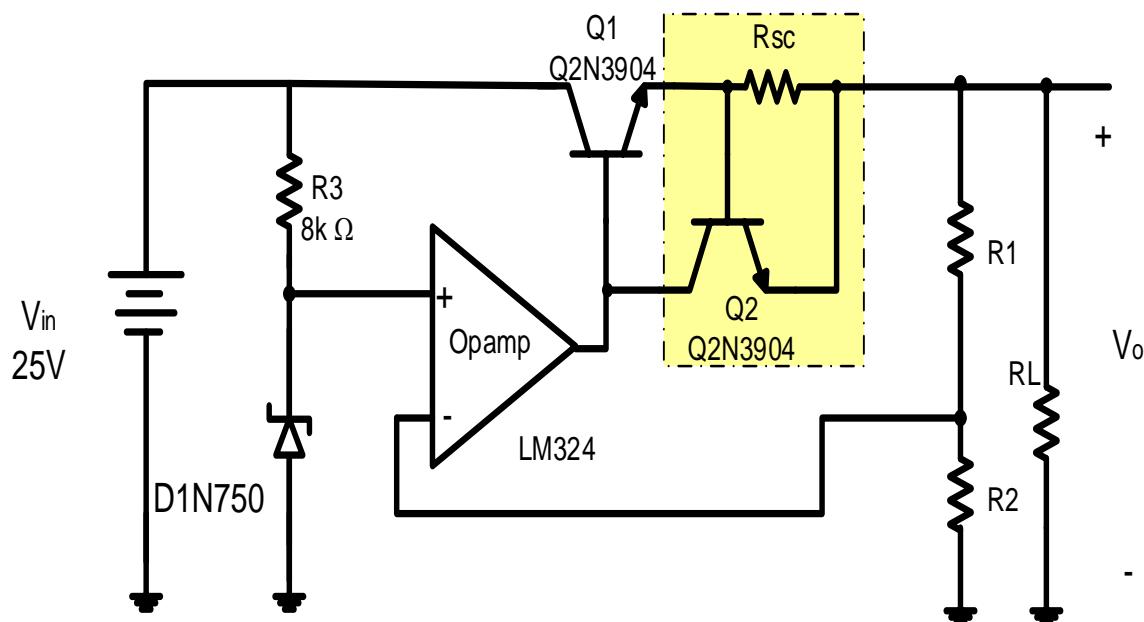
Q5. Voltage Regulator example

Simulate the following series voltage regulator ,

- $R_3 = 8 \text{ k}\Omega$; $R_2 = R_1 = 10 \text{ k}\Omega$; Zener diode 1N750; Opamp LM324
- Q1 & Q2 : 2N3904; $R_{sc} = 0.7 \Omega$; $R_L = 1\text{k}\Omega$; $V_{in} = 25 \text{ V}$

1) Find: V_z , V_o , I_c , I_b , I_e , I_z

2) Use parametric analysis to vary the resistor $R_L = 1\Omega$, 100Ω ; $1 \text{ k}\Omega$ and find V_o in each case , also find the maximum allowable load current $I_{RL(max)}$



Q6. DC sweep,

- 1) Enter only the dc equivalent circuit in pspice
- 2) Use R_s as a parameter, choose PARAM from the new parts menu, enter the name and any initial value for R_s ,
- 3) Replace R_s value by { R_s }
- 4) Perform dc sweep for
a range of R_s from 1k to
100k
- 5) Plot V_{gs} , I_d and
 V_{ds} as a function
of R_s

