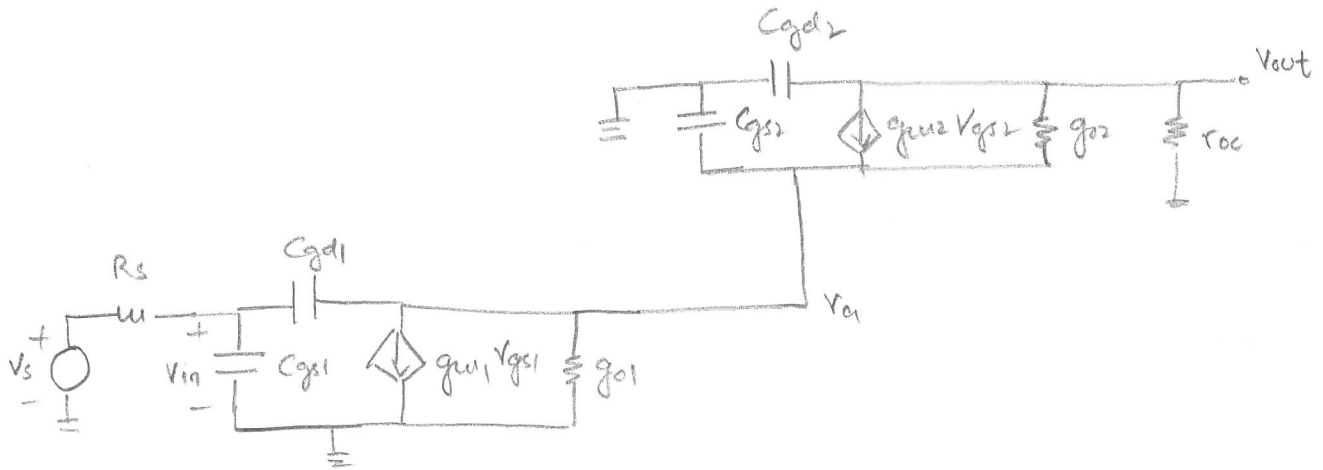


10.2)

a)



b)  $g_{m1} \approx \sqrt{2knI_D} = .0057 \text{ S}$       $g_o \approx \lambda nI_D = 8 \times 10^{-5} \text{ S}$

$g_{m1}$  is  $\sim 70$  times larger than  $g_o$ .

c) 
$$\frac{V_{out}}{r_{oc}} + (V_{out} - V_a)g_{o2} - g_{m2}V_a + V_{out}j\omega C_{gd2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{V_{out}}{V_a} = \frac{g_{m2} + g_{o2}}{\frac{1}{r_{oc}} + g_{o2} + j\omega C_{gd2}} \approx \frac{g_{m2}}{\frac{1}{r_{oc}} + g_{o2} + j\omega C_{gd2}} = \frac{g_{m2}(r_{oc} \parallel r_{o2})}{1 + j\omega C_{gd2}(r_{oc} \parallel r_{o2})} = H_2(\omega)$$

d) see attached plot.

e) 
$$V_a g_{o1} + g_{m1} V_{in} + j\omega C_{gd1} (V_a - V_{in}) + V_a j\omega C_{gs2} + g_{m2} V_a + (V_a - V_{out})g_{o2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{V_a}{V_{in}} = \frac{-g_{m1} + j\omega C_{gd1}}{g_{o1} + g_{o2} + g_{m2} + j\omega (C_{gd1} + C_{gs2}) - g_{o2} H_2(\omega)} = H_1(\omega)$$

f) see attached plot.

$$g) \quad \frac{V_{in} - V_s}{R_s} + V_{in} j\omega C_{gs1} + (V_{in} - V_s) j\omega C_{gd1} = 0.$$

$$\frac{V_{in}}{V_s} = \frac{1}{1 + j\omega (C_{gs1} + C_{gd1}) R_s - j\omega C_{gd1} R_s H_1(\omega)} = H_0(\omega).$$

h) See the attached plot

i)  $|H_2(\omega)|^2$  has a 3dB freq of  $\sim 2.5$  GHz.

$|H_1(\omega)|^2$  has a 3dB freq of  $\sim 1.58$  GHz.

$|H_0(\omega)|^2$  has a 3dB freq of  $\sim 1.29$  GHz.

So the first and the second stages limit the freq. bandwidth of the amplifier.

$$j) \quad \frac{V_{out}}{V_s} = \frac{V_{out}}{V_a} \cdot \frac{V_a}{V_{in}} \cdot \frac{V_{in}}{V_s} = H_2(\omega) H_1(\omega) H_0(\omega) = H_T(\omega)$$

See the attached plot. The 3dB frequency for  $|H_T(\omega)|^2$  is  $\sim 0.80$  GHz.

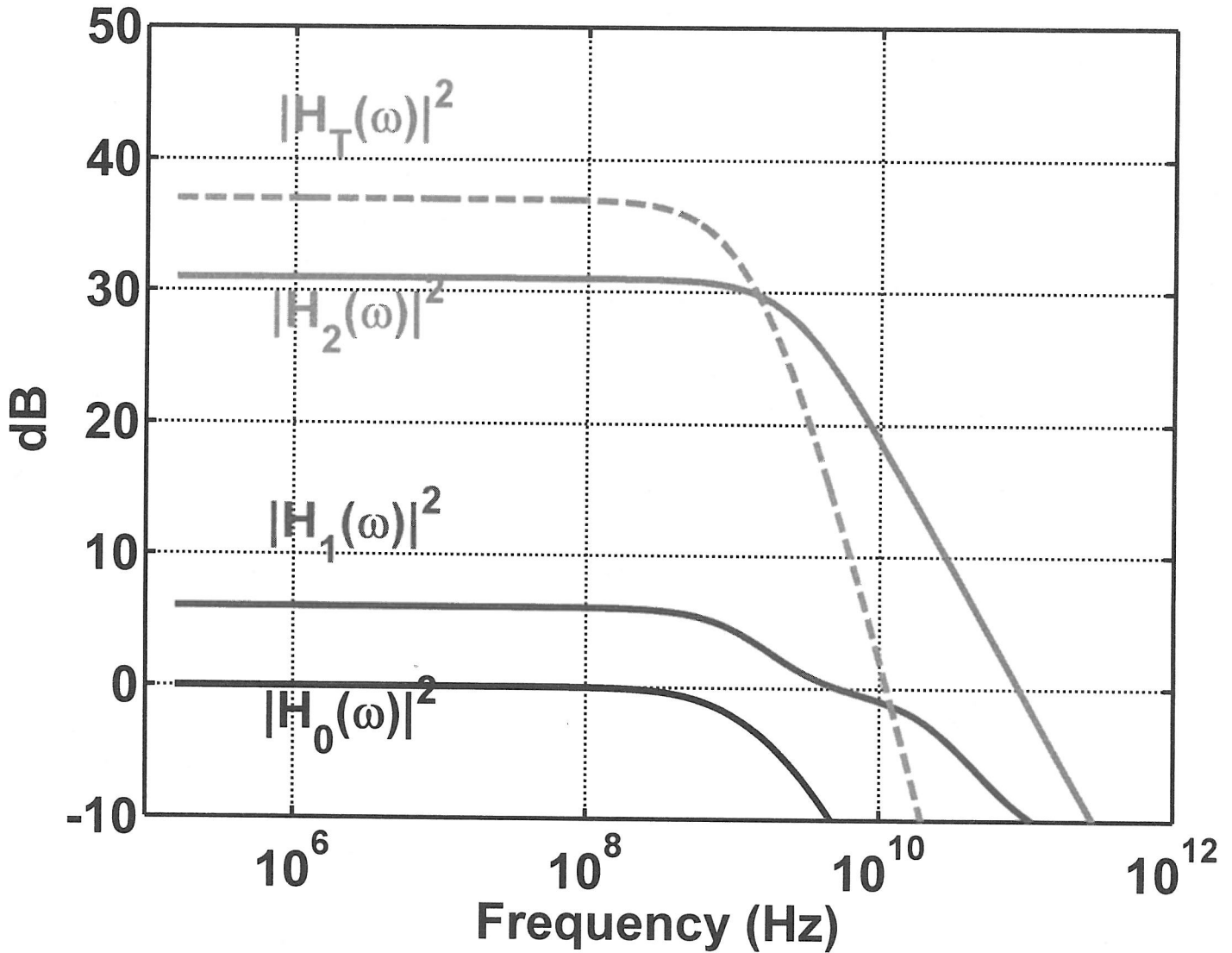
k) See the attached plot.

The 3dB freq. of the common source amp is  $\sim 0.18$  GHz.

The cascode has  $\sim 4.4$  times larger 3dB frequency, compared to the common source.

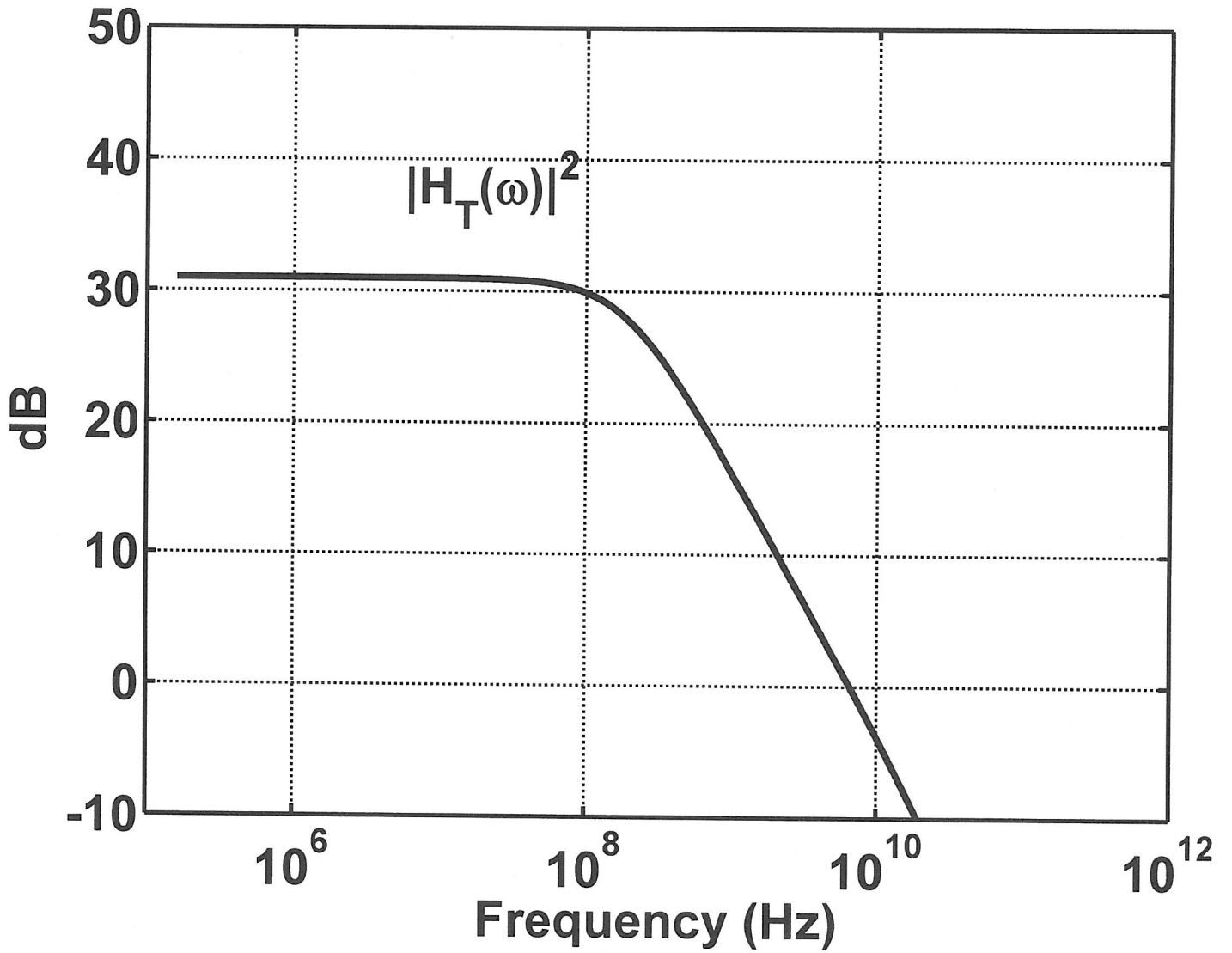
e) Common drain does not suffer from the Miller effect as there is no gain provided by this stage.

{ Cascode }



see (i)(j) for the 3dB frequencies of each curve

(Common Source)



10.1)

a) For forward active region.

$$V_{CE} \geq V_{CE-SAT}$$

$$V_{CE} = V_{DD} - I_C R, \quad I_C = \beta_F I_B = \beta_{FO} \left(1 + \frac{V_{CE}}{V_A}\right) I_B, \quad I_B \in [5, 50] \mu A$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{CE} = V_{DD} - \beta_{FO} R \left(1 + \frac{V_{CE}}{V_A}\right) I_B \Rightarrow V_{CE} = \frac{V_{DD} - \beta_{FO} I_B R}{1 + \beta_{FO} I_B R / V_A}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{V_{DD} - \beta_{FO} I_B R}{1 + \beta_{FO} I_B R / V_A} \geq V_{CE-SAT}, \quad \text{so } R_{max} = \frac{V_{DD} - V_{CE-SAT}}{\beta_{FO} I_B \left(1 + \frac{V_{CE-SAT}}{V_A}\right)}$$

$$R_{min} = 0.$$

The plot is attached in the end.

b)  $V_{out} = 2.5V$ ,  $I_C = 1mA$

$$I_C = \beta_F I_B = \beta_{FO} \left(1 + \frac{V_{CE}}{V_A}\right) I_B, \quad V_{out} = V_{CE} \Rightarrow I_B = \frac{I_C}{\beta_{FO} \left(1 + \frac{V_{out}}{V_A}\right)} \approx 9.5 \mu A$$

$$V_{CE} = V_{DD} - I_C R \Rightarrow R = \frac{V_{DD} - V_{CE}}{I_C} = 2500 \Omega$$

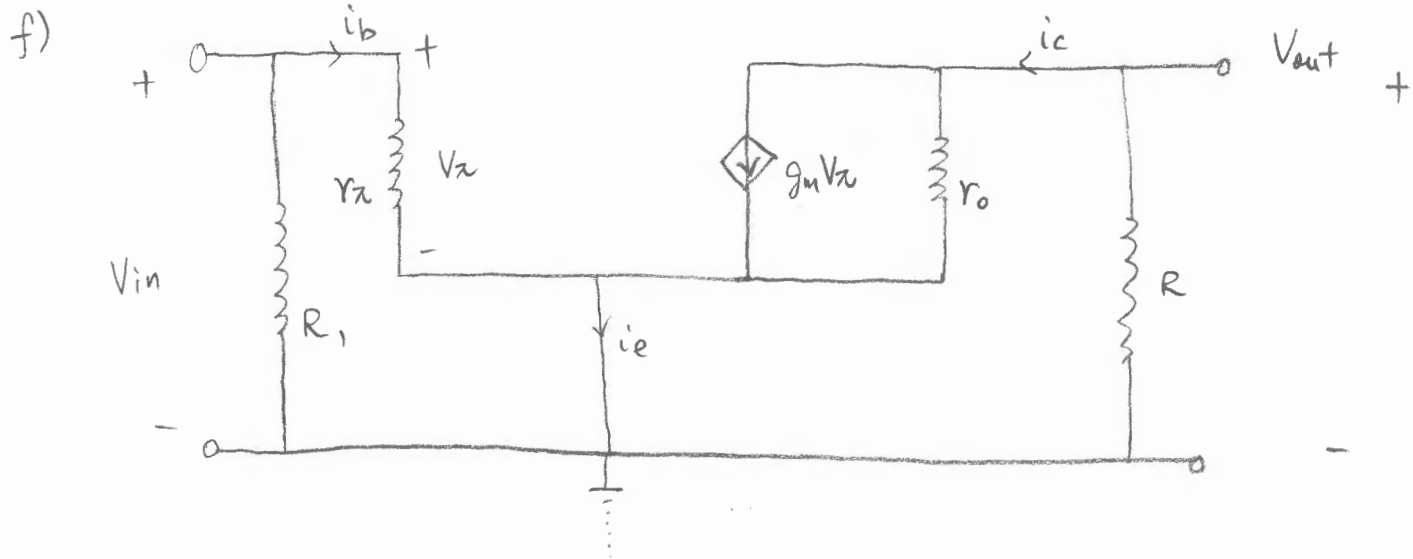
c)  $R = 2500 \Omega$ ,  $V_{CE} > V_{CE-SAT}$ ,  $V_{CE} = V_{DD} - I_C R = V_{DD} - \left(\beta_{FO} \left(1 + \frac{V_{CE}}{V_A}\right) I_B\right) R$

$$\Rightarrow V_{CE} = \frac{V_{DD} - \beta_{FO} I_B R}{1 + \beta_{FO} I_B R / V_A} > V_{CE-SAT}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{B, max} = \frac{V_{DD} - V_{CE-SAT}}{\beta_{FO} R \left(1 + \frac{V_{CE-SAT}}{V_A}\right)} \approx 19 \mu A, \quad I_B \in [0, 19] \mu A$$

$$V_{CE} = V_{out} > V_{CE\_SAT} \quad \text{so } V_{out} \in [0.2, 5] \text{ V}$$

$$e) \quad R_1 = \frac{V_{DD} - V_{BE\_ON}}{I_B} = 462000$$



$$A_v = \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}} = -g_m (r_o \parallel R)$$

Note that the input resistance of the CE stage is  $(R_1 \parallel r_\pi)$

If  $R_1$  is very small, the input resistance is then essentially  $R_1$ . If there is any series resistance  $R_s$  associated with the voltage source, then the input voltage  $v_s$  would have been divided across  $R_s$  and  $R_1$  and a small  $R_1$  would then make  $v_{in}$  small compared to  $v_s$ .

$$g) \quad A_v = -g_m (r_o \parallel R), \quad g_m = \frac{q I_c}{kT}, \quad r_o = \frac{1}{g_o}, \quad g_o = \frac{I_c}{V_A}$$

$$I_c = 1 \text{ mA}, \quad V_A = 50 \text{ V}, \quad A_v \approx -92$$

$$h) \quad A_v = - \frac{q I_c}{kT} \frac{\frac{V_A}{I_c} R}{\left(\frac{V_A}{I_c} + R\right)} = - \frac{q V_A}{kT} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{V_A}{R I_c} + 1\right)}, \quad V_{out} = V_{DD} - R I_c$$

If  $V_{out}$  is fixed at 2.5 V,  $R I_c$  is fixed, the  $A_v$  is fixed.

So no, we can't.