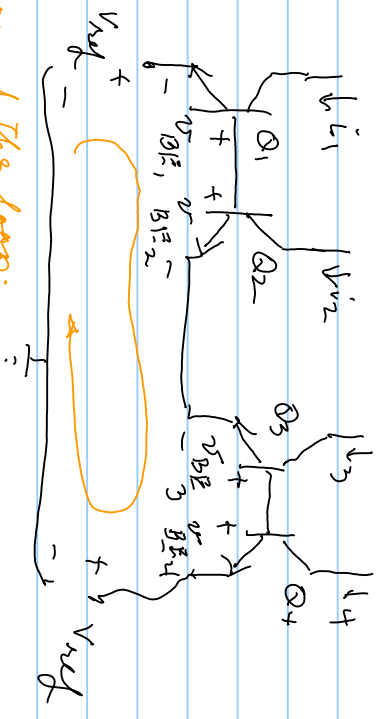


Translinear Loops



$$i_c = A e^{v_{BE}/V_T}$$

$$v_{BE} = \ln(i_c/A)$$

KVL around the loop:

$$0 = -V_{sig} - v_{BE1} + v_{BE2} - v_{BE3} + v_{BE4} + V_{sig}$$

$$\Rightarrow v_{BE1} + v_{BE3} = v_{BE2} + v_{BE4}$$

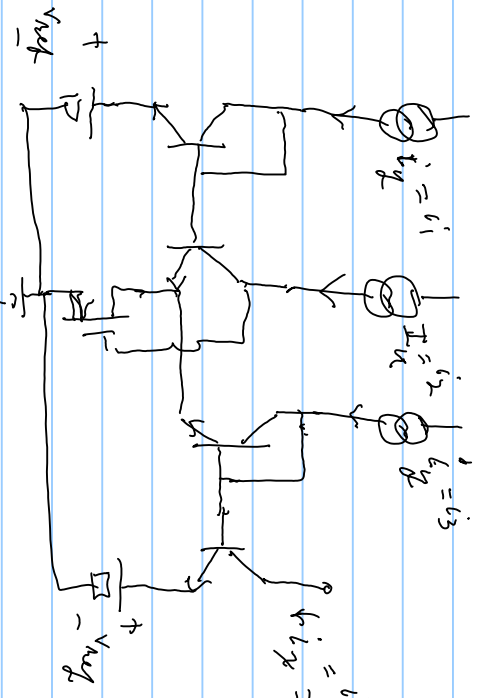
$$\ln(i_1/A_1) + \ln(i_3/A_3) = \ln(i_2/A_2) + \ln(i_4/A_4)$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln \left( \frac{i_1' l_3'}{A_1 A_3} \right) = \ln \left( \frac{i_2' i_4'}{A_2 A_4} \right) \Rightarrow \text{exp both sides}$$

$$i_1' l_3' = \frac{A_1 A_3}{A_2 A_4} \cdot i_2' i_4' = i_2' i_4' \quad \Big| \quad \text{if } A_i' = A \text{ for } i' = 1, 2, 3, 4$$

$$i_4 = i_1 l_3 / i_2 \quad \text{allows product as division}$$

Needs bias current @ junction of  $Q_2, Q_3$   
 to obtain  $i_x = i_2^2 / i_u$ ;  $i_u = \text{normaly } i_{tr}$

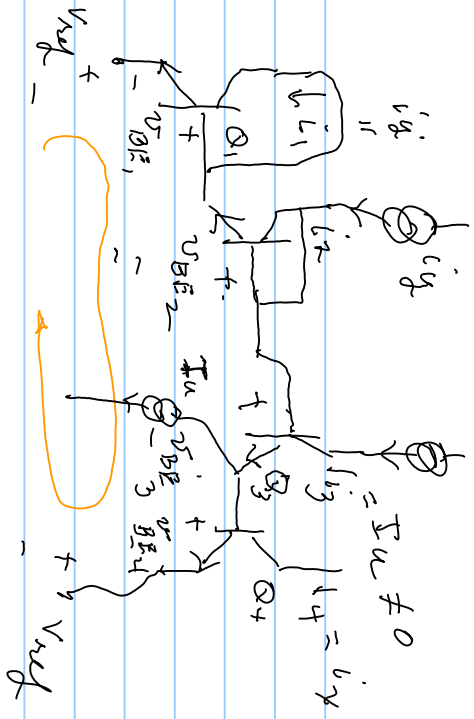


a darlington connection

$$i_4 = \frac{i_1 i_3}{i_2} = \frac{i_1 i_1}{I_{in}} \approx \frac{i_1^2}{I_{in}}$$

for  $i_1 \geq 0$

$i_4 = i_4$  output



$$v_{BE1} + v_{BE2} = v_{BE3} + v_{BE4}$$

$$R_{in}(i'g, i'g) = R_{in}(i'g, i'g)$$

$$i'g = i'g \cdot i'g / i'g$$

$$= i'g = i'g \cdot i'g / I_u = i'g^2 / I_u$$



$$0 = -V_f + v_{S3} - v_{S4} + v_r \Rightarrow v_f - v_r = v_{S3} - v_{S4}$$

$$\text{Rearranging} \Rightarrow 2(V_f - v_r) = v_{G2} - v_{G1} + v_{S3} - v_{S4} = v_{G2} - v_{S4}$$

as  $I_0$  is same in  $M_1$  &  $M_3$

$$\begin{array}{c} \nearrow \\ \searrow \\ = v_{G1} \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow v_r = v_f + \frac{v_{S4} - v_{G2}}{2}$$

since  $v_{S4} = v_{G2}$  for a virtual input connection

if  $i_0$  is very small then  $v_{S4} \approx v_{G2}$  as usual for op amps

if  $v_0$  is large  $\Rightarrow$   $v_{out} = v_0$