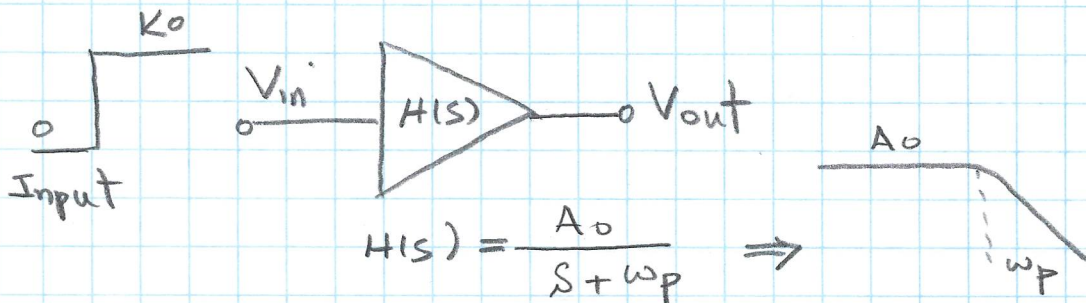


Amplifier Rise Time / Bandwidth

→ A pulse with amplitude K_0 is applied to an amplifier with gain of A_0 and a pole of ω_p



$$A_v(s) = \frac{V_o(s)}{V_{in}(s)} = \frac{K_0}{s} \cdot \frac{A_0}{s + \omega_p} = \frac{A_f}{s(s + \omega_p)}$$

To find the amplifier performance, we need to obtain the inverse Laplace transfer of $A_v(s)$

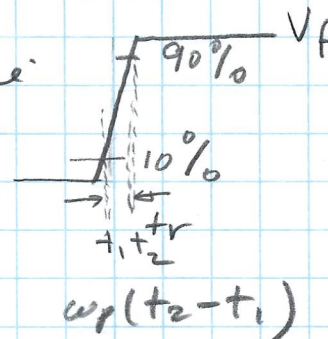
$$A_v(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}(A_v(s)) = \frac{A_f}{\omega_p} (1 - e^{-\omega_p t})$$

Rise Time: The time necessary for the output to go from 10% to 90% of its final value.

As $t \rightarrow \infty$, $A_v(t) = \frac{A_f}{\omega_p} = \text{Final Value}$

(1) $A_v(t_1) = 0.1 \frac{A_f}{\omega_p} = \frac{A_f}{\omega_p} (1 - e^{-\omega_p t_1})$

(2) $A_v(t_2) = 0.9 \frac{A_f}{\omega_p} = \frac{A_f}{\omega_p} (1 - e^{-\omega_p t_2})$



if we divide equation (2) to (1) $9 = e$

$$t_2 - t_1 = t_r \Rightarrow t_r = \frac{\ln 9}{\omega_p} = \frac{\ln 9}{2\pi f_{-3dB}}$$

$$t_r = \frac{0.35}{f_{-3dB}}$$

if $f_{-3dB} = 1 \text{GHz}$ $t_r = 0.35 \text{nsec}$