

Spring 2007 - Tutorial 1

Analog Circuit Elements



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The Resistor



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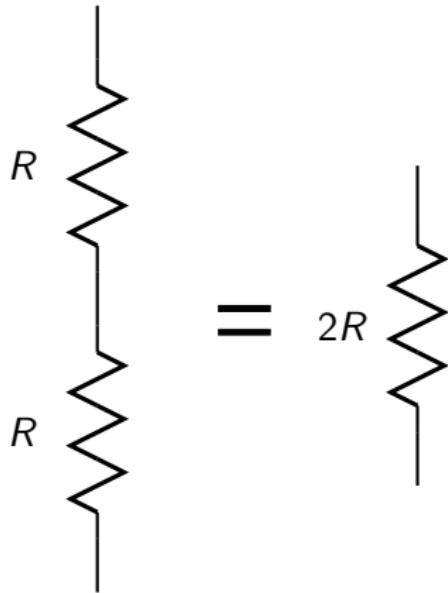


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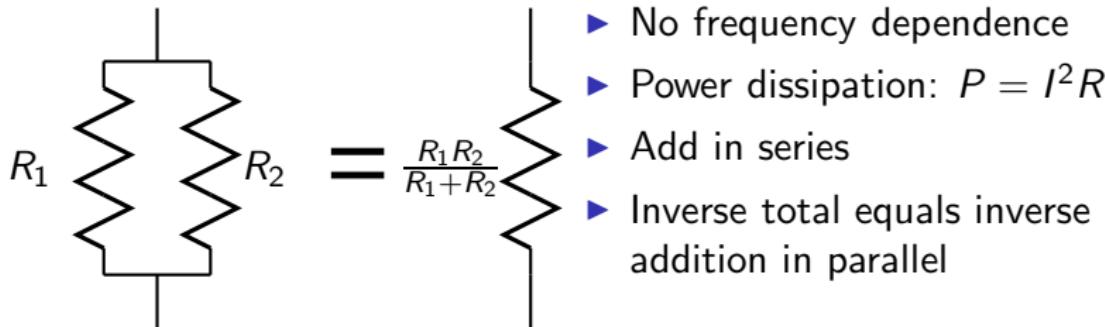


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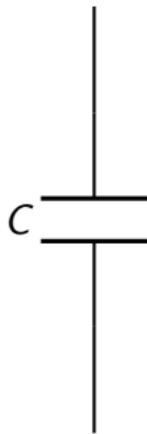
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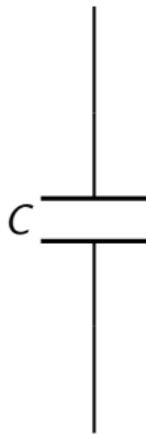


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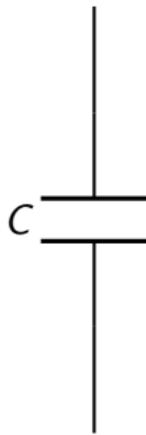


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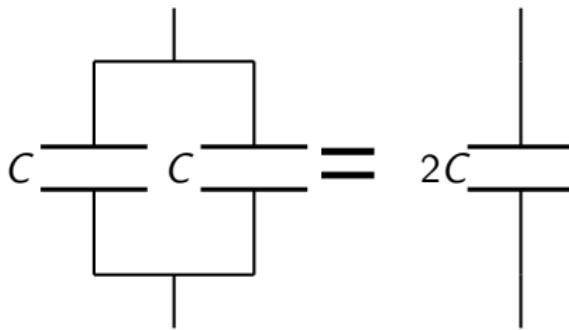


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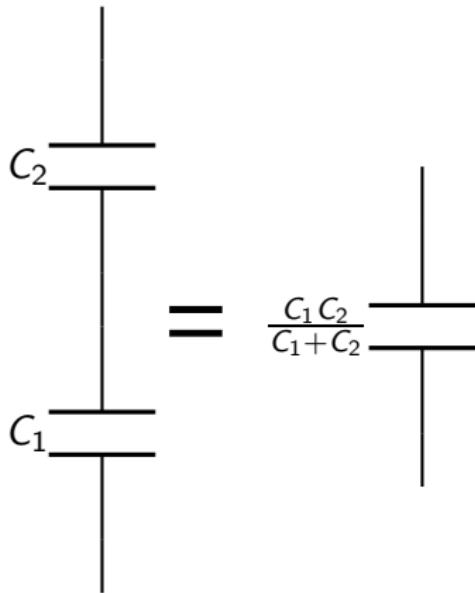


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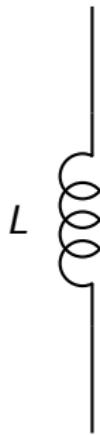


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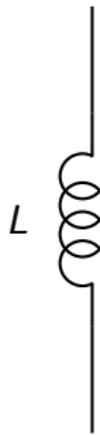


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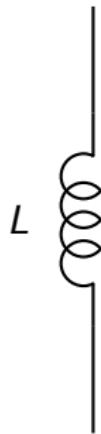


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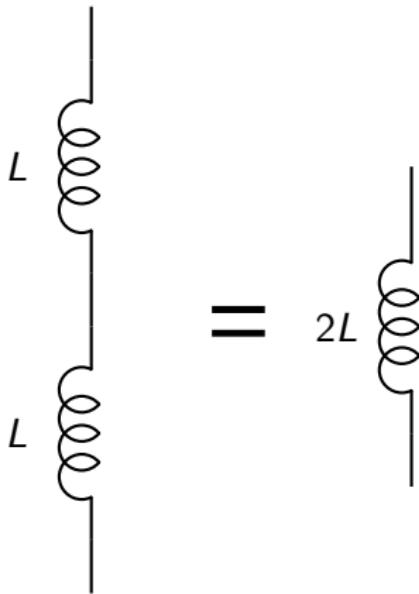


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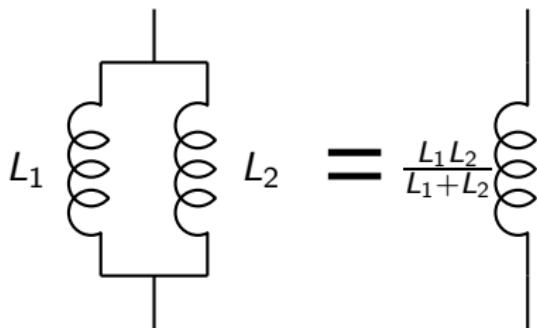


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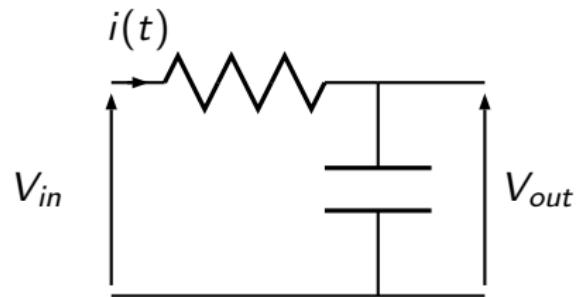
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- ▶ Many types (high-pass, low-pass, bandpass, band-reject)



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RC Low Pass Filter

- ▶ Uses a resistor and capacitor

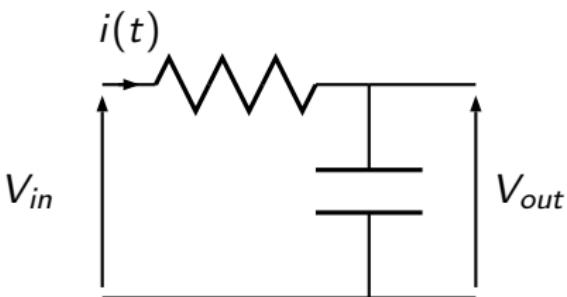


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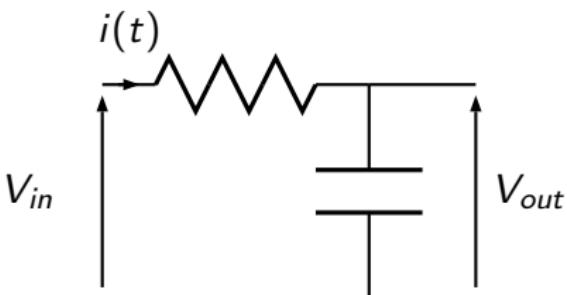
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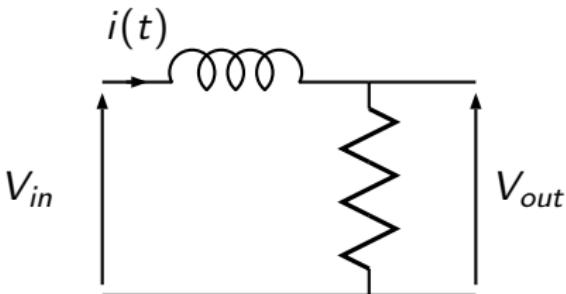
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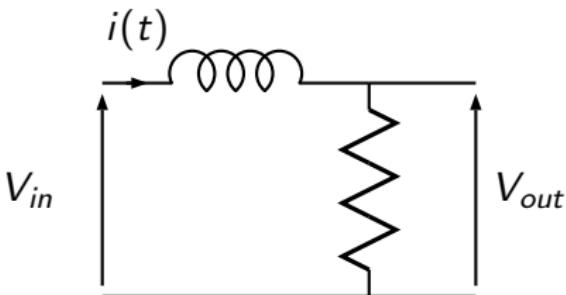


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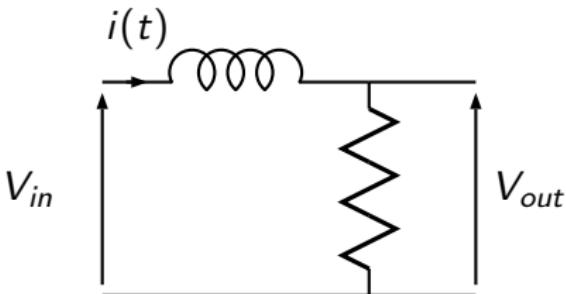
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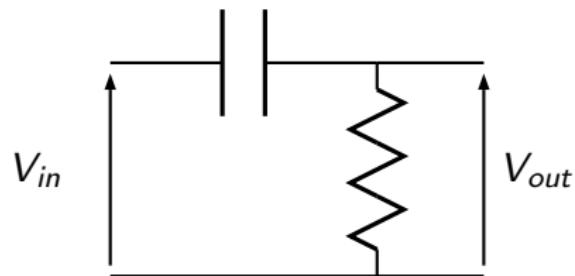
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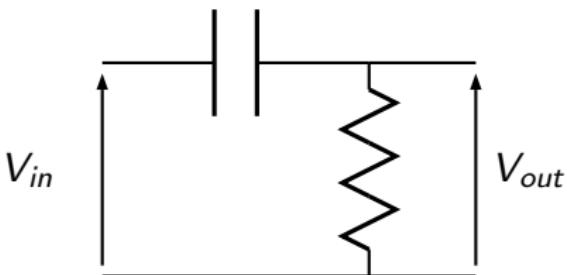


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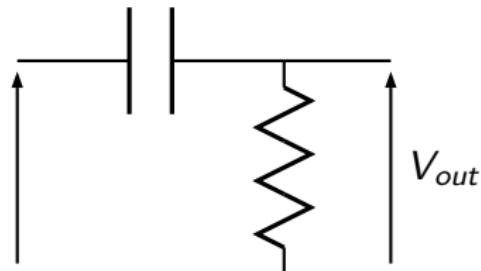


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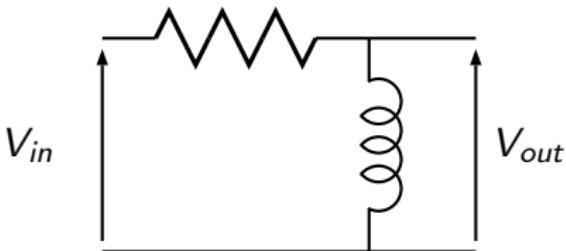
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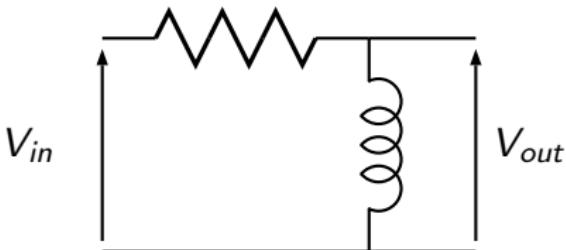


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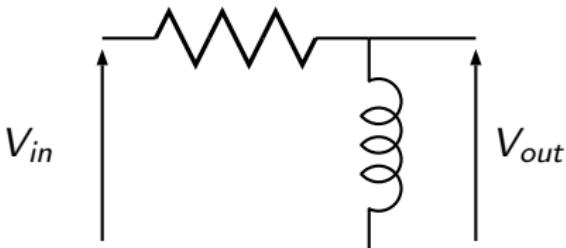
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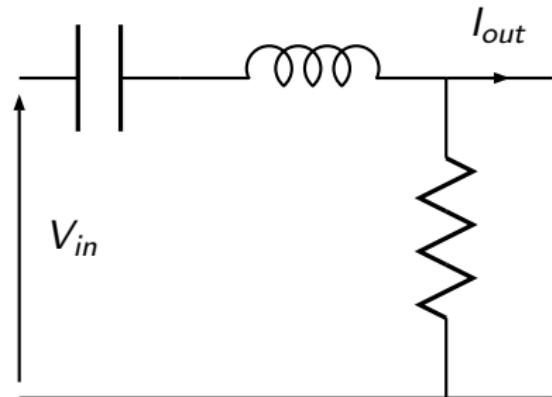
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Series RLC Bandpass Filter

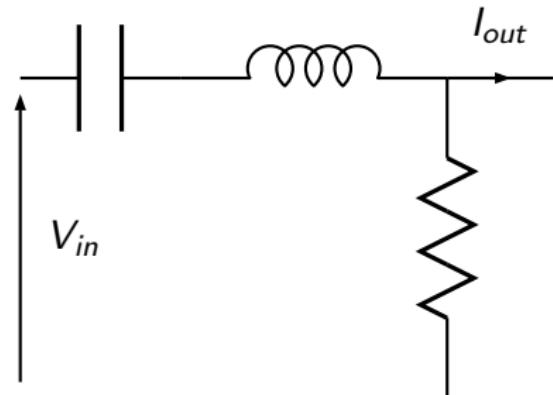
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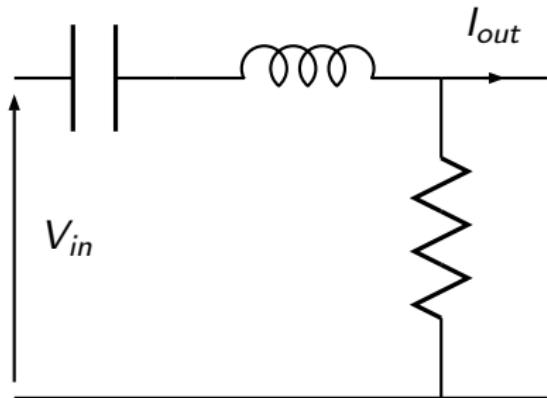
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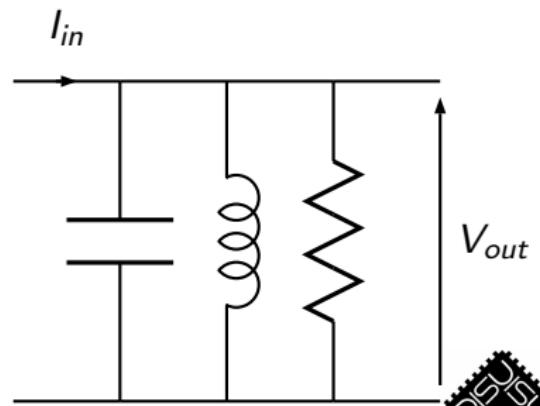
$$\omega_2 = \frac{R}{2L} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{R}{2L}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{LC}}$$



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Parallel RLC Bandpass Filter

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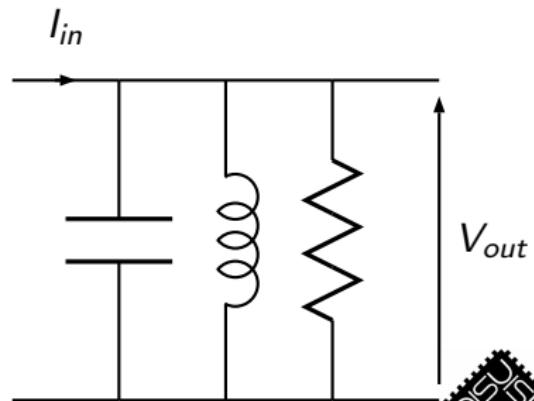


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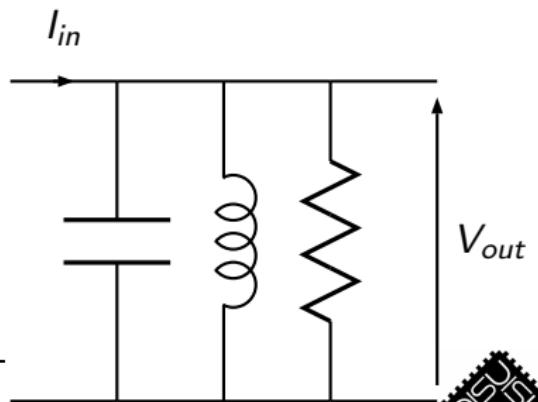
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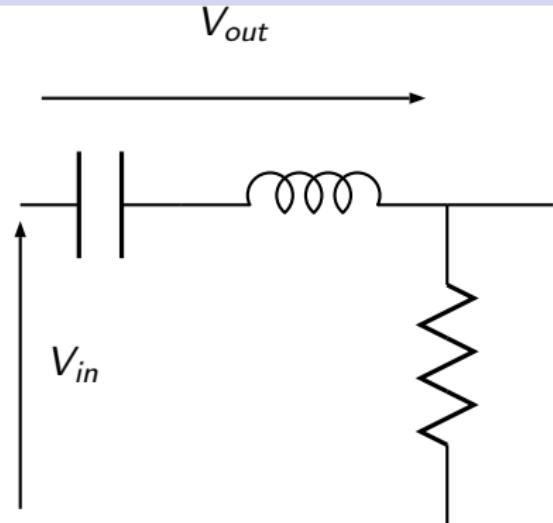
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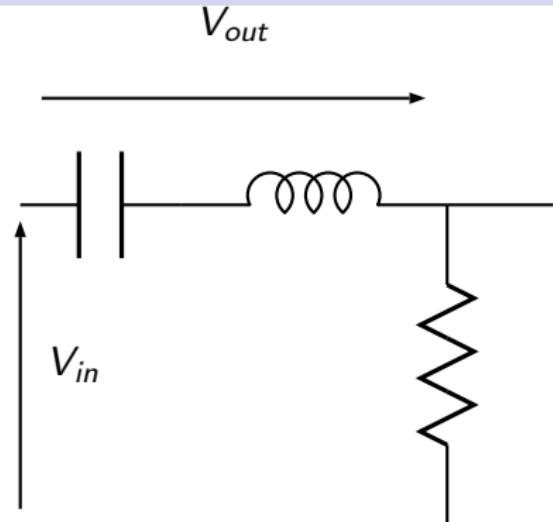
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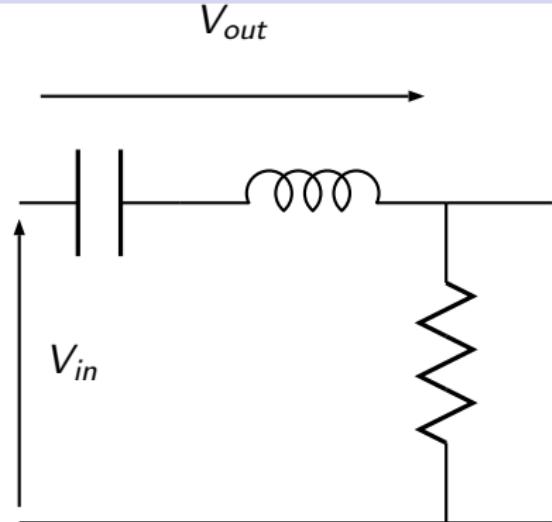
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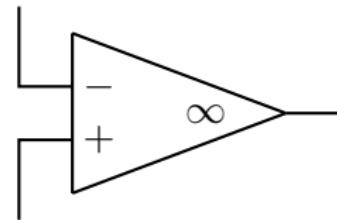
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- ▶ Several types, most popular is the operational amplifier (OpAmp)



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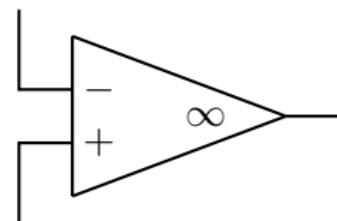
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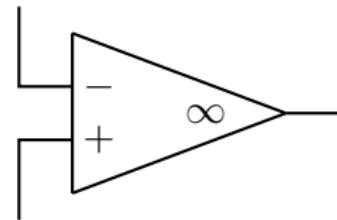
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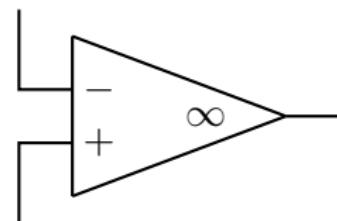
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- ▶ Differential inputs with high gain
- ▶ Gain usually maintained at constant value using negative feedback

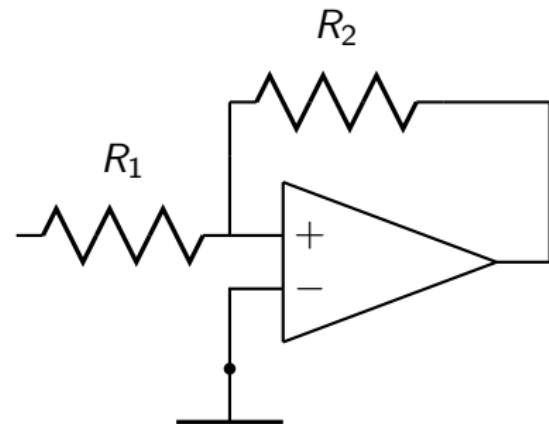


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Negative Feedback Configuration

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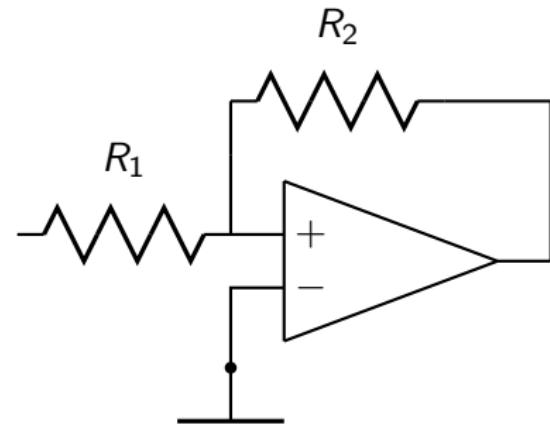
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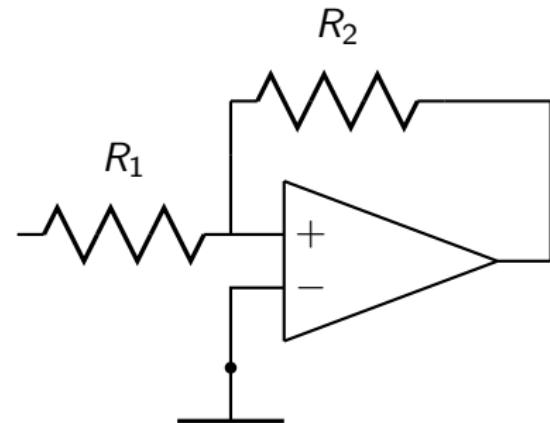
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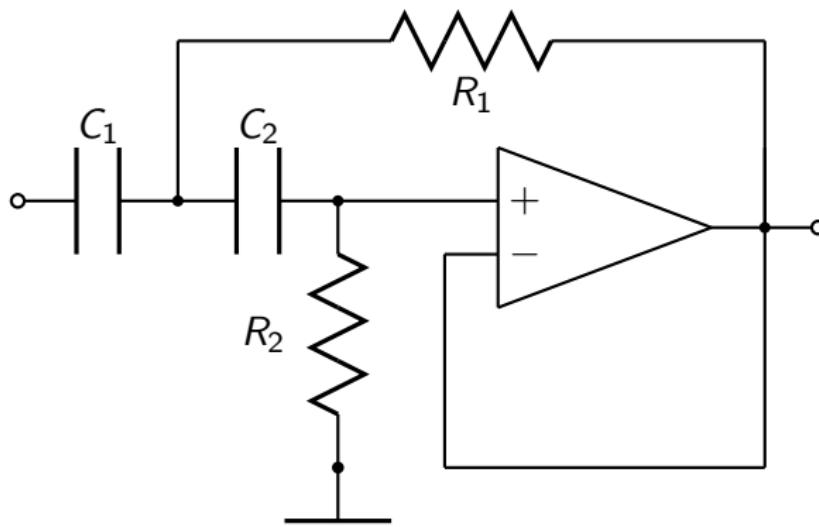
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- ▶ Usually has good frequency response



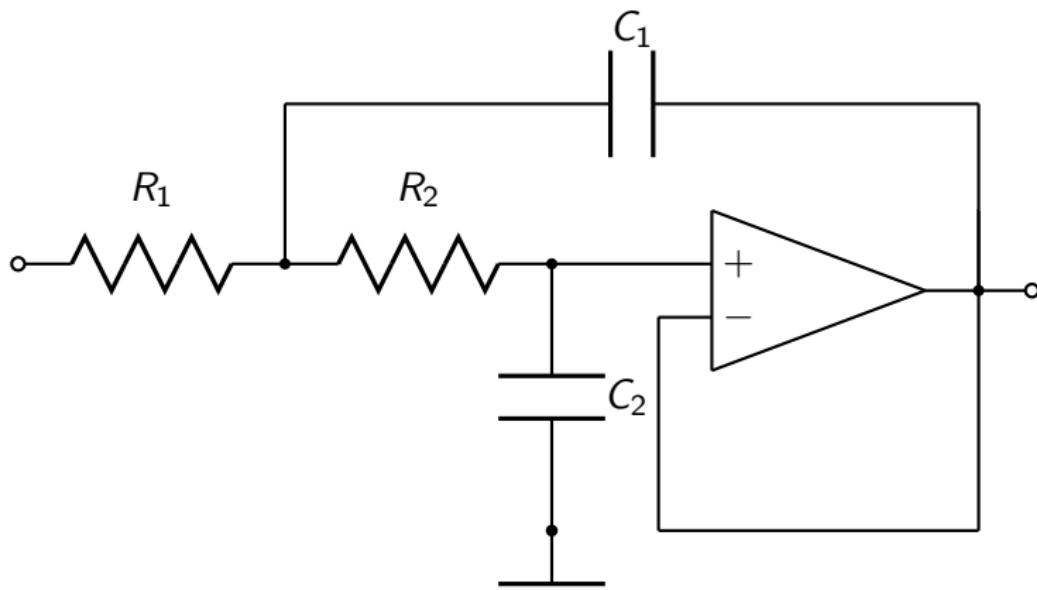
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Low Pass Filter



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Bandpass Filter

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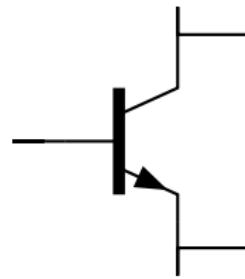
- ▶ Simplest: Combine high-pass and low-pass filter in series
- ▶ Can also be done with single OpAmp



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Transistor Amplifiers

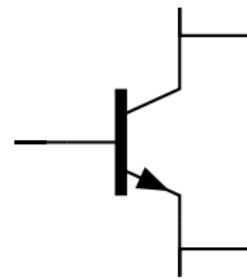
- ▶ Used in integrated circuits



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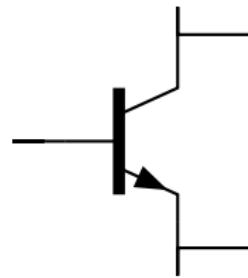
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- ▶ Will be the subject of Tutorial 2



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 - ▶ Resistor: Rxx



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 - ▶ Inductor: Lxx



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Sample Code - RC Low-Pass Filter

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v.in 1 0 ac 1 pulse( -1 1 0 0 0 1m 2m )
r1 1 2 10k
c1 2 0 10n
* analysis commands
.ac dec 20 10 1meg
.tran 700n 700u
.probe
.end
```



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