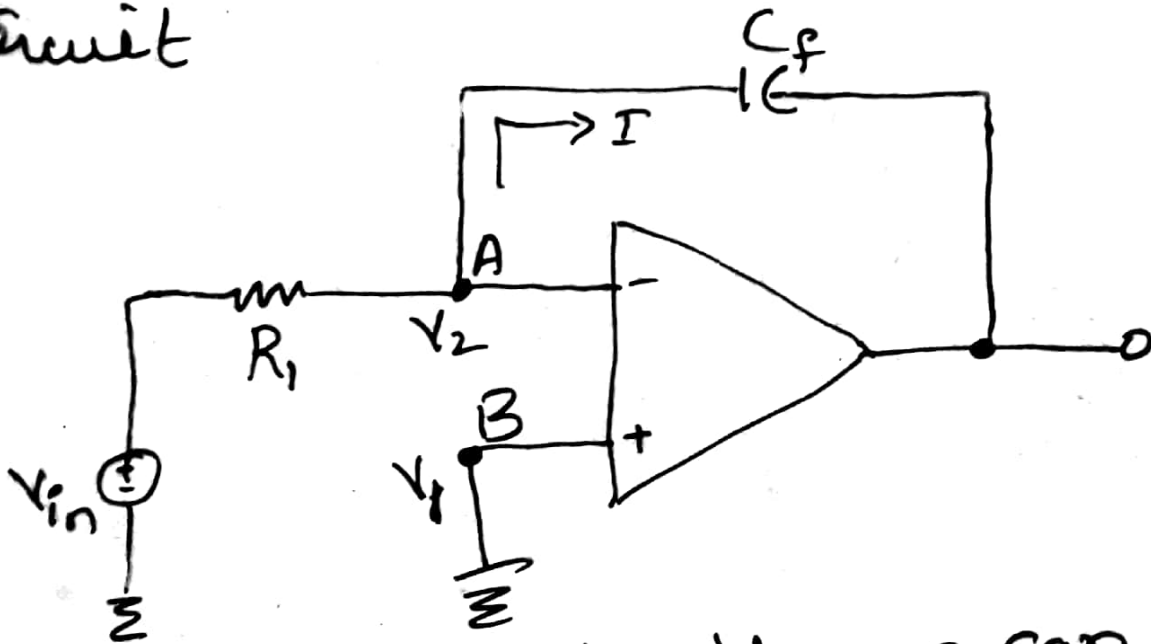


# Idea! op-amp integrator:- (1)

→ The integrator circuit can be obtained by exchanging the position of R & C in the basic differentiator circuit



From the output side we can write  
→ current through capacitor " $C_f$ "

$$I = C_f \frac{d}{dt} (V_2 - V_{out}) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Applying KCL at node A

From the input side we can write

$$I = \frac{V_{in} - V_2}{R_1} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

equating (1) & (2)

(2)

$$\frac{V_{in} - V_2}{R_1} = C_f \frac{d}{dt} (V_2 - V_{out}) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

→ As node B is grounded, node A also at grounded potential, from the concept of virtual ground ( $\therefore V_2 = 0$ )

So from eq (3)

$$\frac{V_{in}}{R_1} = -C_f \frac{d}{dt} (V_{out})$$

$$-\frac{V_{in} dt}{R_1 C_f} = d[V_o]$$

$$dV_o = -\frac{V_{in} dt}{R_1 C_f}$$

Taking integration on both sides <sup>(3)</sup>  
to above equall

$$\int dV_o = \int_0^t \frac{-1}{R_1 C_f} V_{in}(t) \cdot dt$$

$$V_o = \frac{-1}{R_1 C_f} \int_0^t V_{in}(t) \cdot dt$$

$$V_o = \frac{-1}{R_1 C_f} \int_0^t V_{in}(t) dt + V_o(0)$$

where  $V_o(0)$  is the constant for integration which indicates initial output voltage. (4)

Input and output wave forms:-

- > let us see the wave forms for various input signals.
- > Assume that the time constant  $R_1 C_f \gg 1$  & initial voltage is  $V_o(0) = 0$  Volts.

a) Step Input signal :-

Let the input waveform is of step type, with magnitude of "A" units

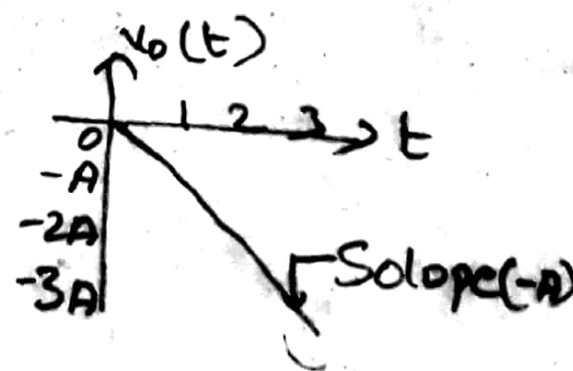
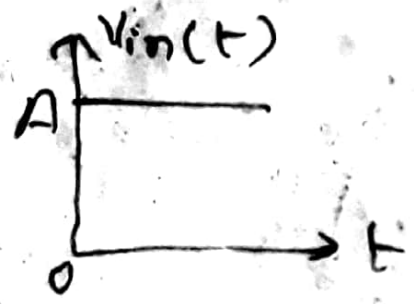
$$V_{in}(t) = A \text{ for } t \geq 0$$

$$V_o(t) = - \int_0^t V_{in}(t) dt = - \int_0^t A \cdot dt$$

$$= A \int_0^t dt$$

$$= -A [t]_0^t$$

$\therefore V_o(t) = -At$



Thus output wave form is a straight line with slope of -A where "A" is magnitude of step input

b) square wave input signal: (5)

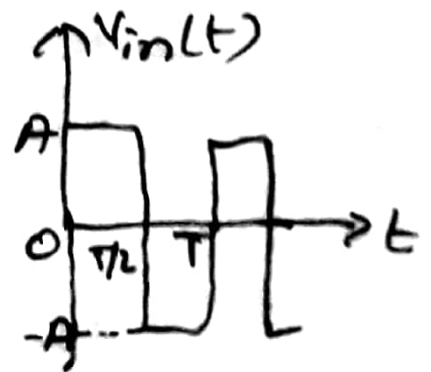
→ let the input wave form is a square wave

→ step  $+A$  between time period of  $0$  to  $T/2$ .

→  $-A$  units between time period of  $T/2$  to  $T$

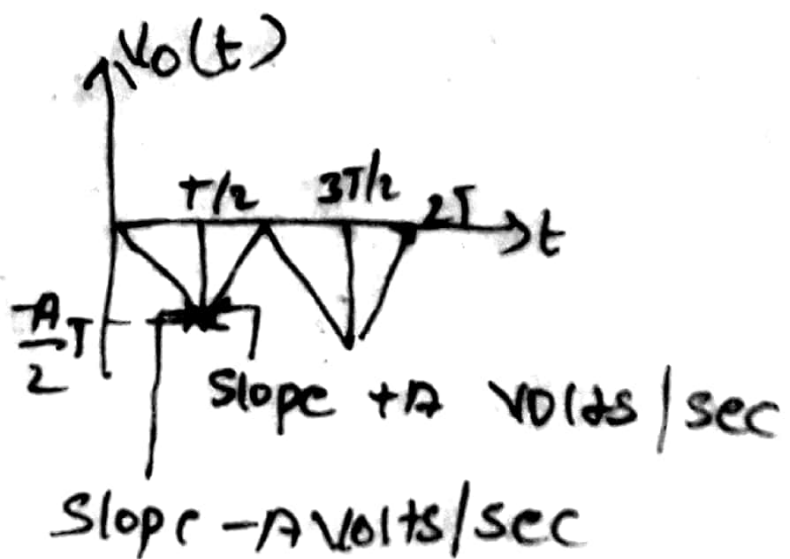
$$V_{in}(t) = A ; 0 < t < T/2$$

$$= -A ; T/2 < t < T$$



$$V_o(t) = -At ; 0 < t < T/2$$

$$= +At ; T/2 < t < T$$



⑤

⇒ Sine wave input signal :-

Let the input wave form is purely sinusoidal.

$$V_{in}(t) = V_m \sin \omega t$$

$V_m$  = amplitude

To find output wave form

$$R_1 C_f = 1 \quad V_0(0) = 0 \text{ Volts}$$

From the eq. (4) we get

$$V_0(t) = -\frac{1}{R_1 C_f} \int V_{in} dt + V_0(0)$$

$$V_0(t) = -\int V_{in} dt \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

Substitute  $V_{in}(t)$  value in eq. (5)

$$V_0(t) = -\int V_m \sin \omega t \cdot dt$$

(7)

$$= -V_{in} \left[ \frac{1}{\omega} (-\cos \omega t) \right]$$

$$V_o(t) = -\frac{V_{in}}{\omega} (-\cos \omega t)$$

Frequency Response of ideal integrator:-

Consider the output equation of an ideal integrator

$$V_o(t) = -\frac{1}{R_1 C_f} \int_0^t V_{in} dt$$

$$(\because V_o(0) = 0)$$

Taking Laplace transform to the above eqn

$$V_o(s) = -\frac{1}{s R_1 C_f} V_{in}(s)$$

To get the frequency response

replace by  $j\omega$

$$V_o(j\omega) = -\frac{1}{j\omega R_1 C_f} V_{in}(j\omega)$$

Hence gain of the integrator

$$\frac{V_o(j\omega)}{V_{in}(j\omega)} = -\frac{1}{j\omega R_1 C_f}$$

To get the frequency obtain the magnitude of the gain

$$A = \left| \frac{V_o(j\omega)}{V_{in}(j\omega)} \right| = \left| -\frac{1}{j\omega R_1 C_f} \right| \quad (\because -\frac{1}{j} = 1)$$

$$A = \frac{1}{\omega R_1 C_f} \quad (\because \omega = 2\pi f)$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2\pi f R_1 C_f}$$