

ECE3204 Lecture 2

Review:

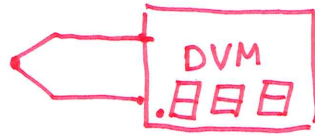
- KVL/KCL
- Nodal Analysis
- Superposition
- Thevenin

Transducers

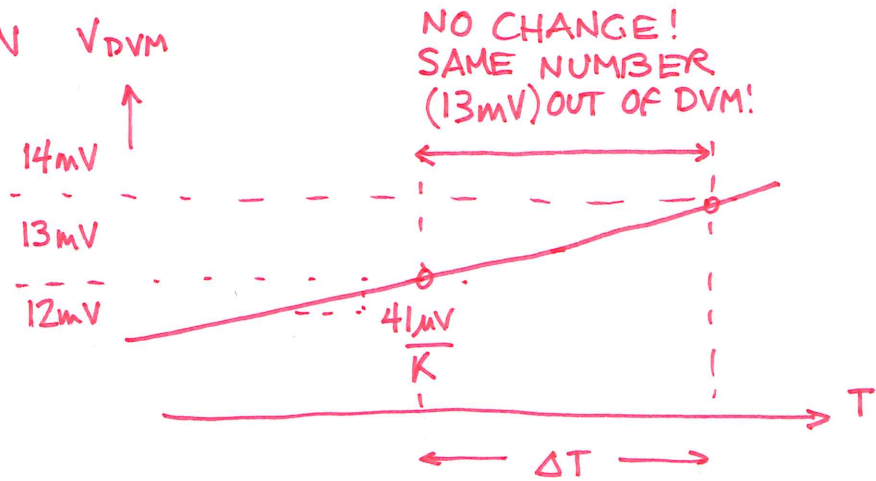
Why Amplify?

Ideal Op-Amp

① SIGNAL GAIN  $V_{DVM}$   
THERMOCOUPLE



1 mV  
RESOLUTION

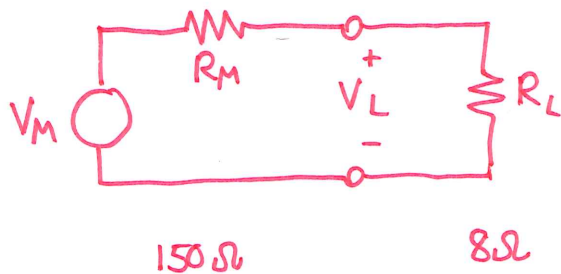


$$\frac{41 \mu\text{V}}{\text{K}} = \frac{1 \text{ mV}}{\Delta T} \Rightarrow \Delta T = \frac{1 \text{ mV}}{41 \mu\text{V}/\text{K}} = 24 \text{ K}$$

SCALE SIGNAL RANGE TO MATCH MEASUREMENT

② POWER GAIN

CONNECT MICROPHONE TO SPEAKER



WHAT  $V_L$  FROM  $V_M$ ?

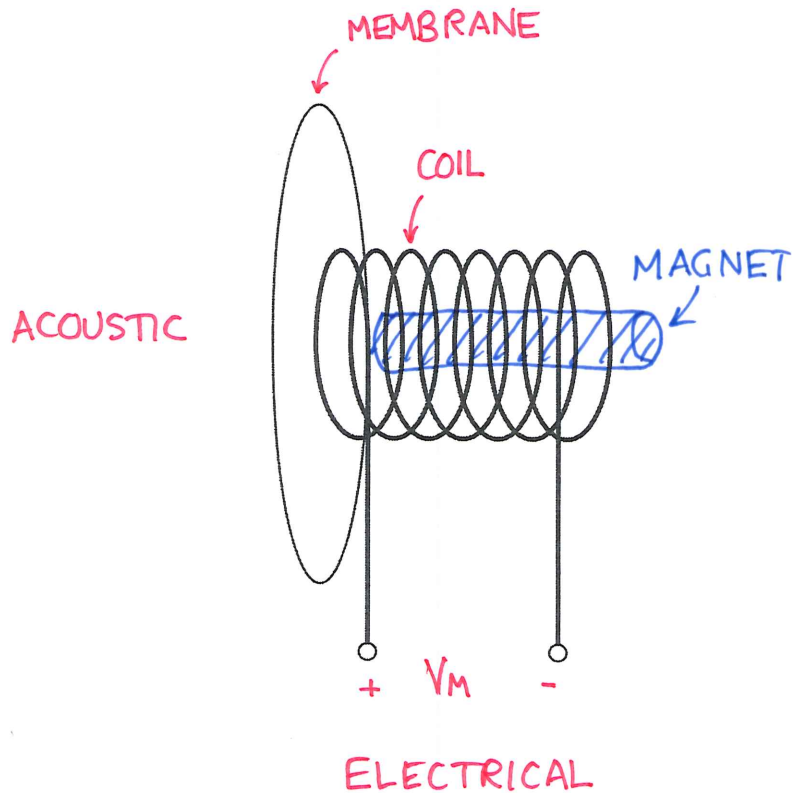
FROM VOLTAGE DIVIDER:

$$V_L = V_M \left( \frac{R_L}{R_M + R_L} \right) = V_M \left( \frac{8 \Omega}{150 \Omega + 8 \Omega} \right) = V_M \cdot 0.05$$

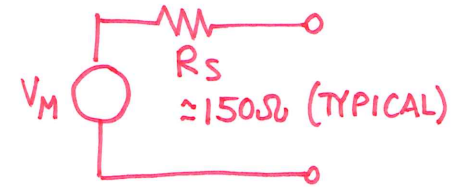
AVOID VOLTAGE  
DROP ACROSS  
SOURCE RESISTANCE  
DRIVE ALL OF  
SIGNAL TO  $R_L$

# ECE3204: Transducers

## MICROPHONE



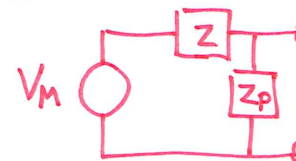
Equivalent Circuit Model:



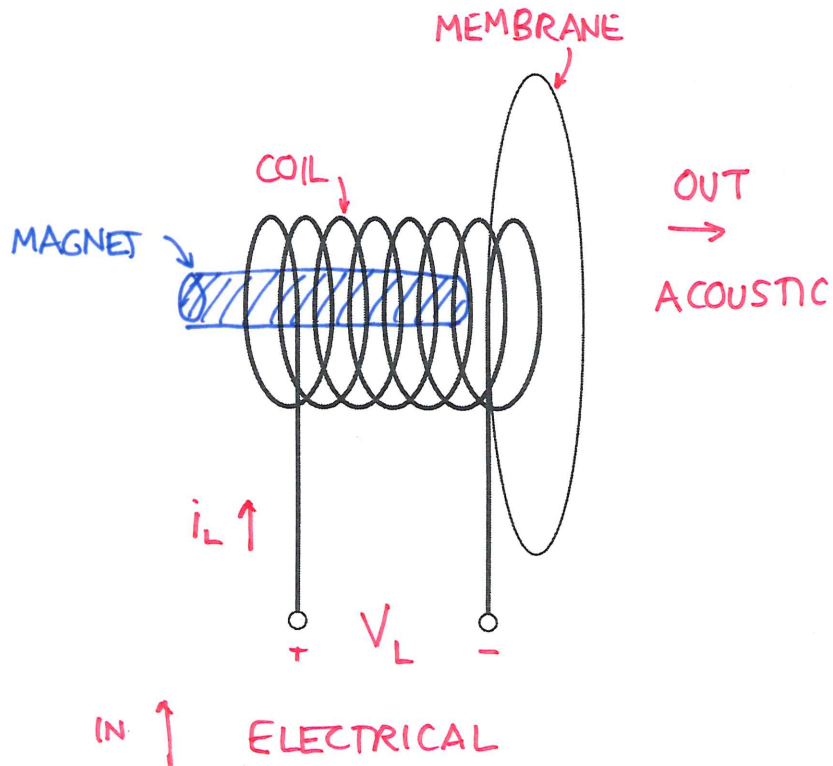
HOW BIG?  
 $\sim 10\text{mV pk}$

HOW FAST?  
AUDIO: 20 Hz - 20 KHz

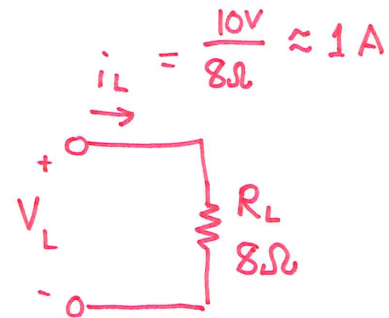
ULTRASOUND  
UP TO 1 MHz  
CAPACITIVE, PIEZOELECTRIC  
SAME MODEL



# SPEAKER



Equivalent Circuit Model:



AMPLIFIER DRIVING  
R<sub>L</sub> MUST BE ABLE  
TO PROVIDE i<sub>L</sub>

HOW BIG? DEPENDS ON POWER

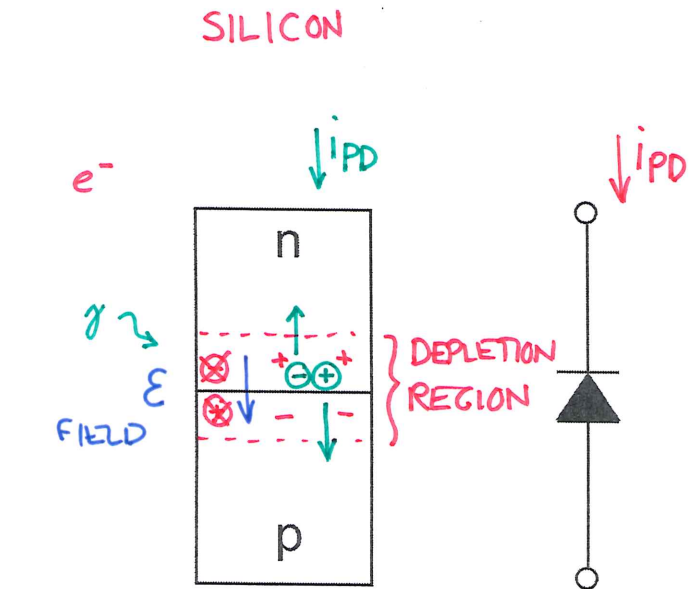
$$10V \text{ rms IN}; P_L = \frac{V_L^2}{R_L} = \frac{(10V)^2}{8\Omega} \approx 12W$$

HOW FAST?

AUDIO 20 Hz - 20 KHz

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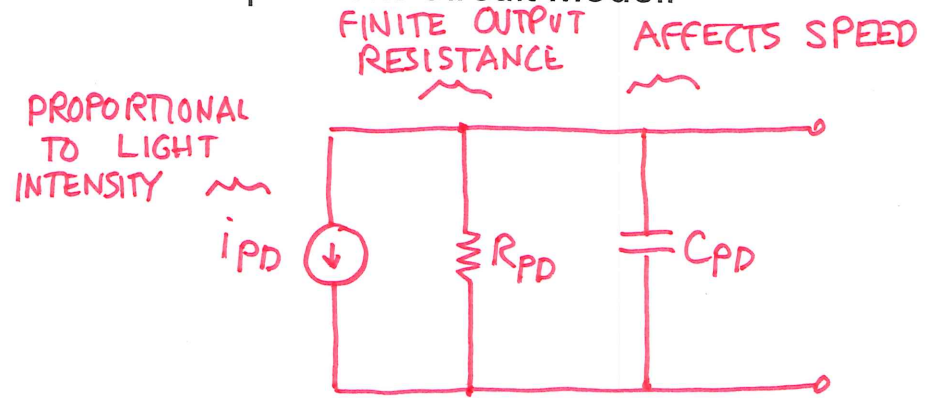
## PHOTODIODE





"HOLES"

LIGHT ENERGY  
PHOTON  $\gamma$   
CREATE  $e^-$  HOLE  
PAIR  
SEPARATED BY  $\mathcal{E}$  FIELD  
 $\Rightarrow$  CURRENT  $i_{PD}$   
MORE PHOTONS  $\Rightarrow$  MORE  $i_{PD}$

### Equivalent Circuit Model:



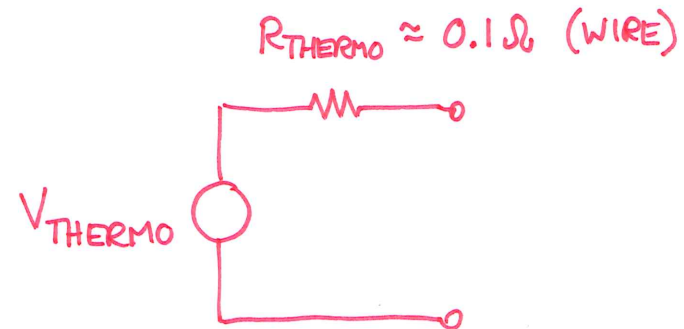
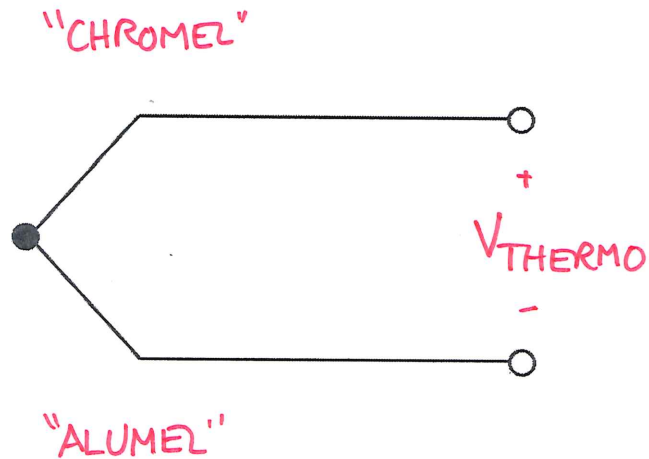
	SOLAR PANEL	OXYGEN SENSOR	OPTICAL DATA COMM
HOW BIG?	10 A	1 nA	1 $\mu$ A
HOW FAST?	1 sec $\downarrow$ 1 day	 1-100 Hz	 GHz

$C_{PD}$  NOT MUCH  
OF A PROBLEM!

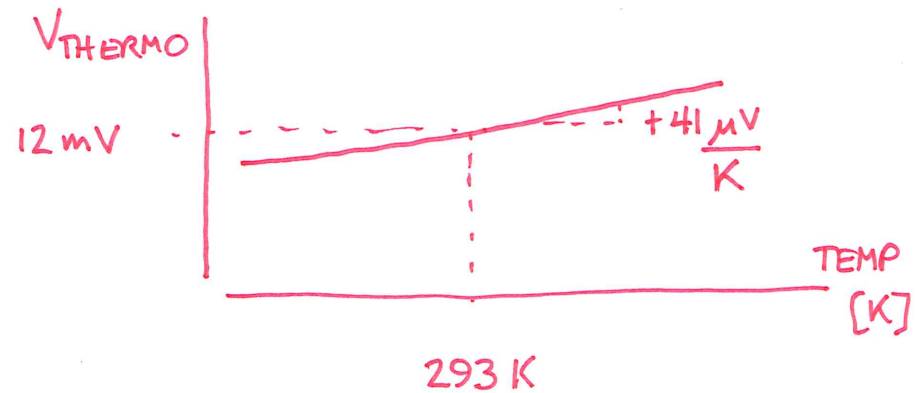
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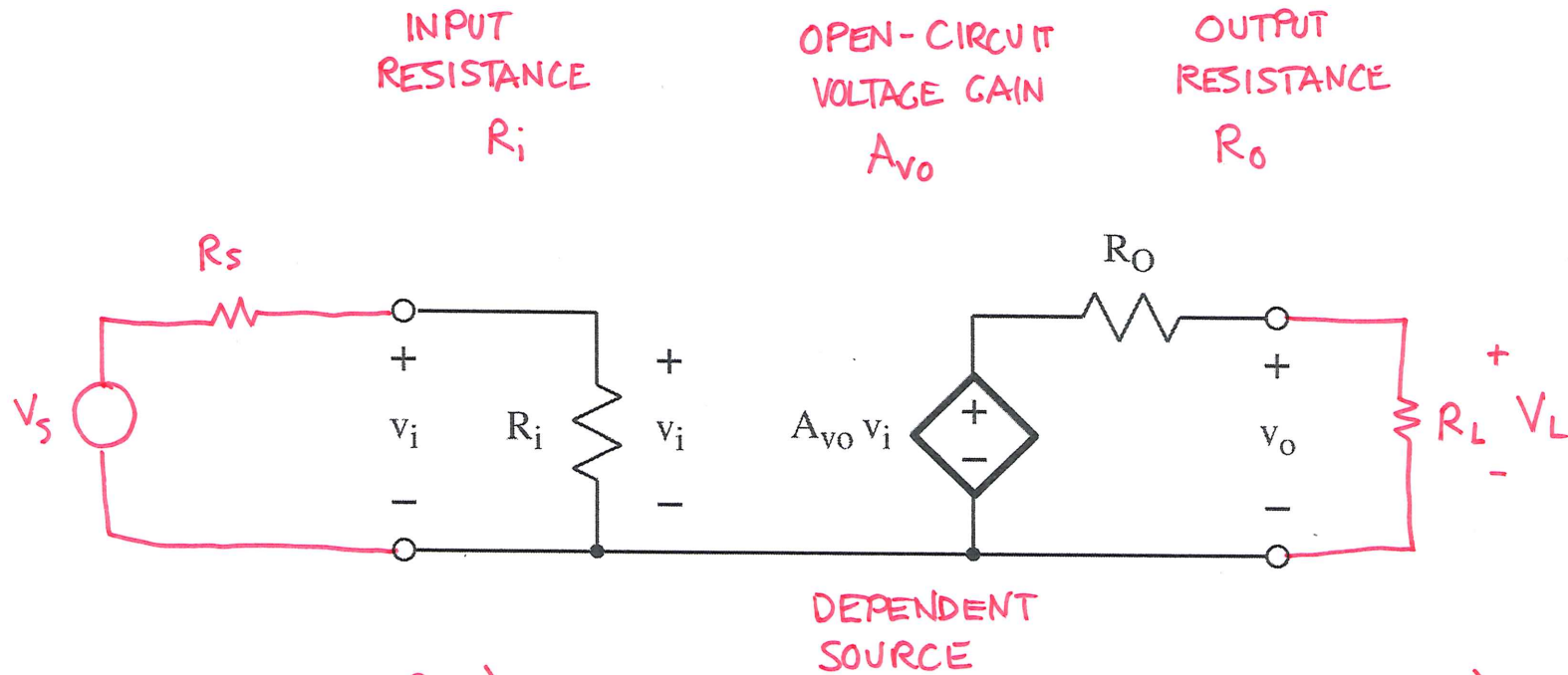
DIFFERENT MATERIALS



HOW BIG? NOT VERY BIG!



# GENERAL AMPLIFIER MODEL



$$V_i = V_s \left( \frac{R_i}{R_s + R_i} \right)$$

$$V_L = A_{vo} V_i \left( \frac{R_L}{R_o + R_L} \right)$$

$$V_L = V_s \underbrace{\left( \frac{R_i}{R_s + R_i} \right)}_{\rightarrow 1} A_{vo} \underbrace{\left( \frac{R_L}{R_o + R_L} \right)}_{\rightarrow 1}$$

$$R_i \gg R_s$$

$$R_o \ll R_L$$

IDEAL:  $R_i \rightarrow \infty$

$R_o \rightarrow 0$