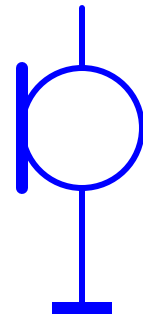


Structured Electronic Design

Amplifier Biasing Example

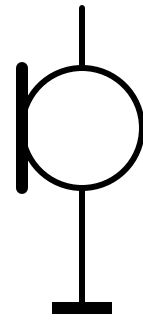
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Biasing Example



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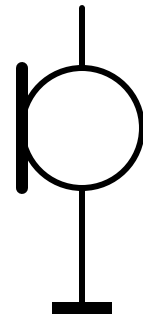
Biasing Example



Microphone:

- one-sided connected to ground

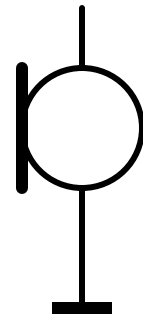
Biasing Example



Microphone:

- one-sided connected to ground
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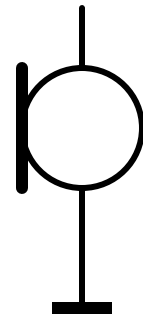
Biasing Example



Microphone:

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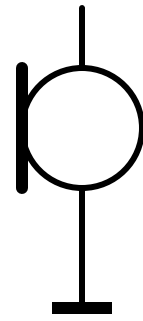
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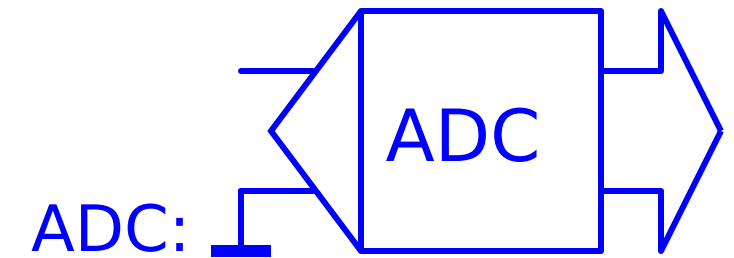
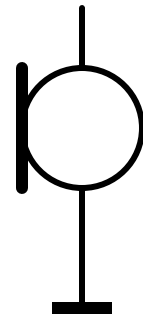
Biasing Example



Microphone:

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- open-circuit output voltage is related to sound pressure
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- output voltage range $-0.1\text{V} \dots +0.1\text{V}$
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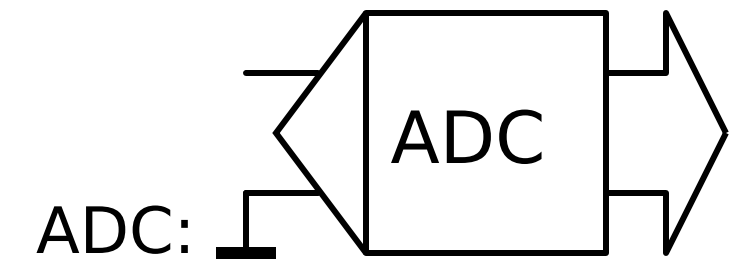
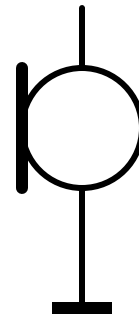
Biasing Example



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Biasing Example

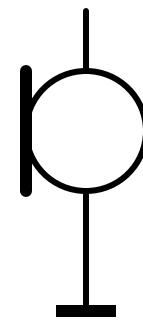


- grounded input

Microphone:

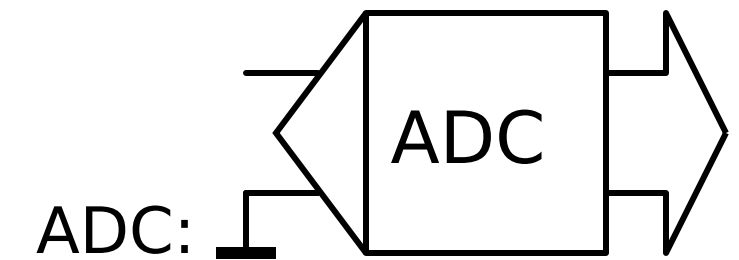
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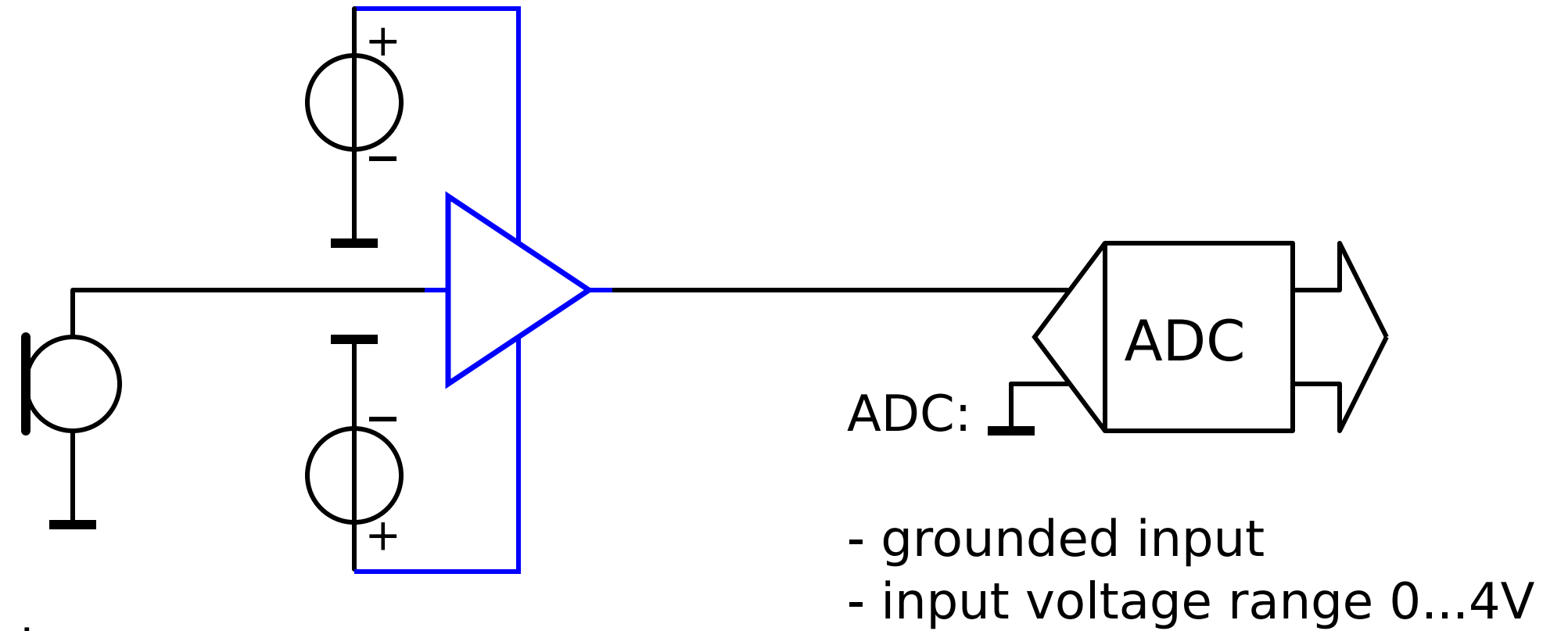
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Biasing Example

Amplifier to be designed:



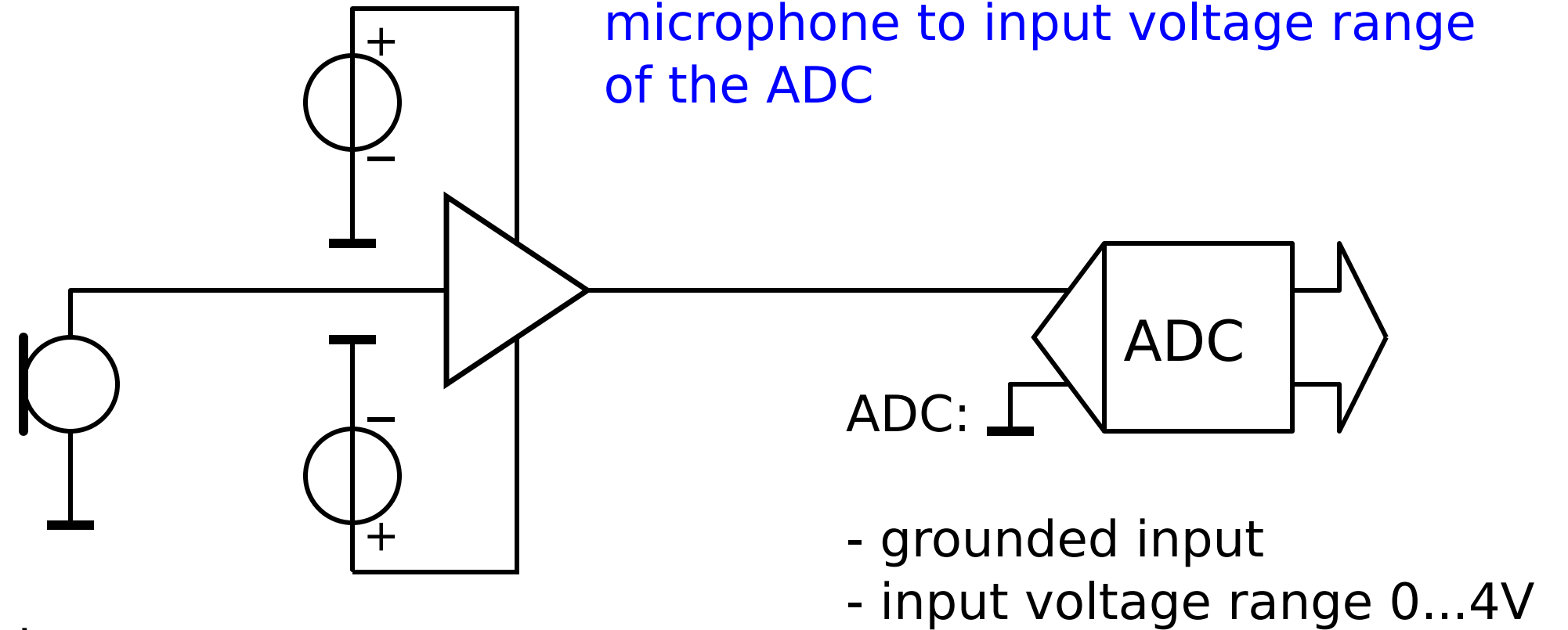
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Biasing Example

Amplifier to be designed:

- Adapts output voltage range of the microphone to input voltage range of the ADC



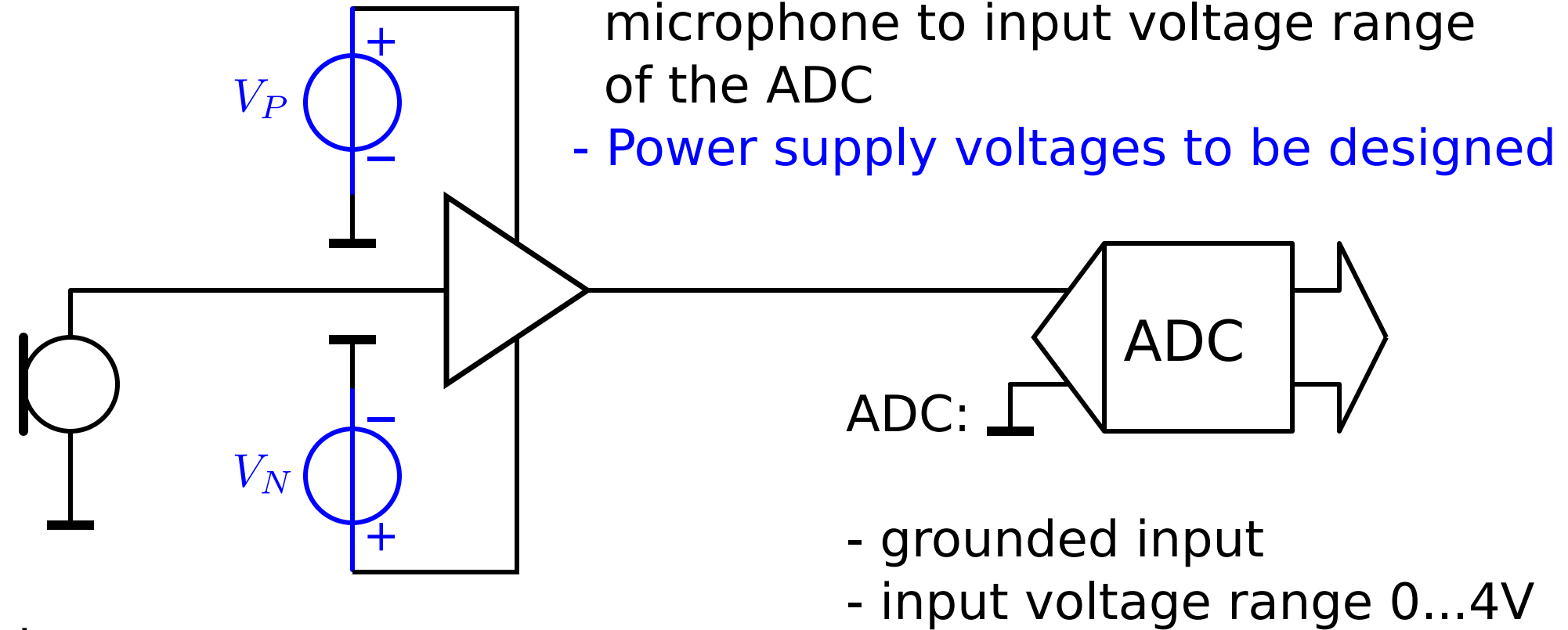
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Biasing Example

Amplifier to be designed:

- Adapts output voltage range of the microphone to input voltage range of the ADC
- Power supply voltages to be designed

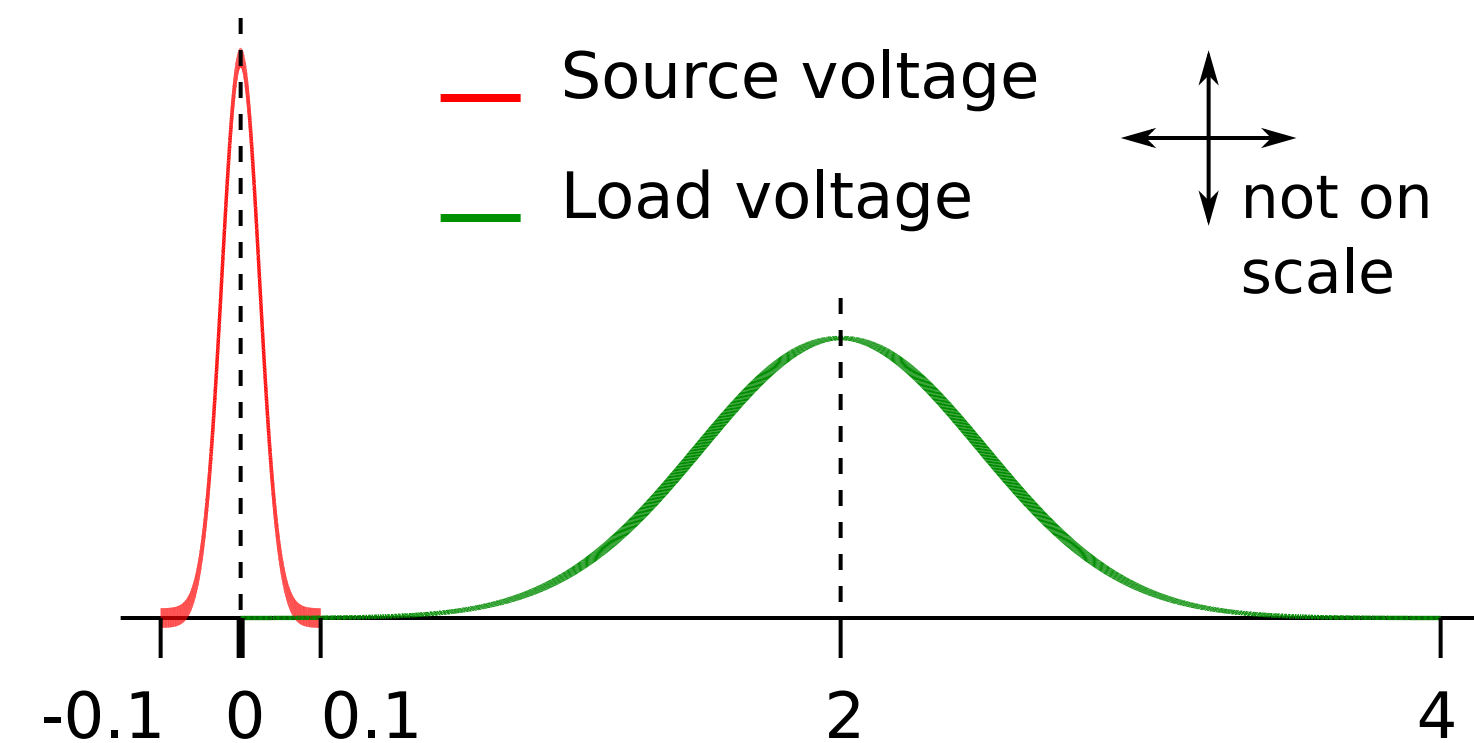


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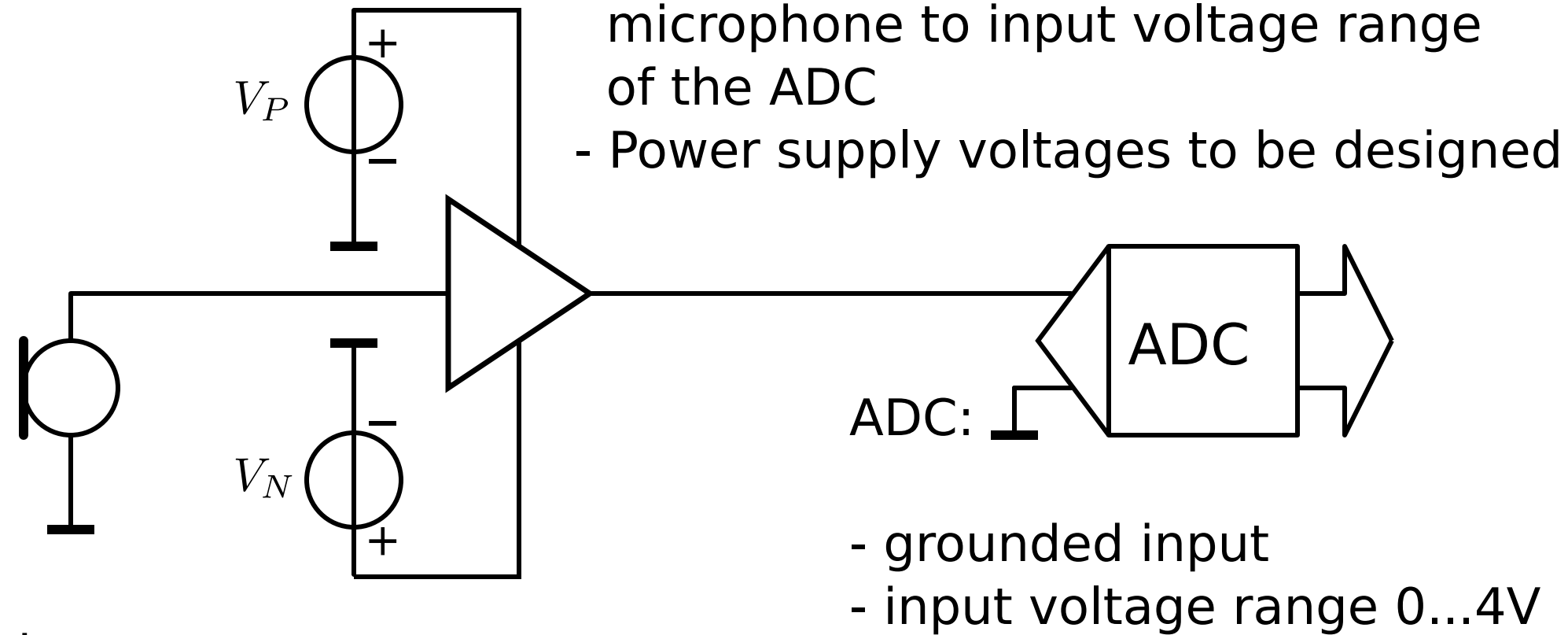
Biasing Example

Probability Density Functions



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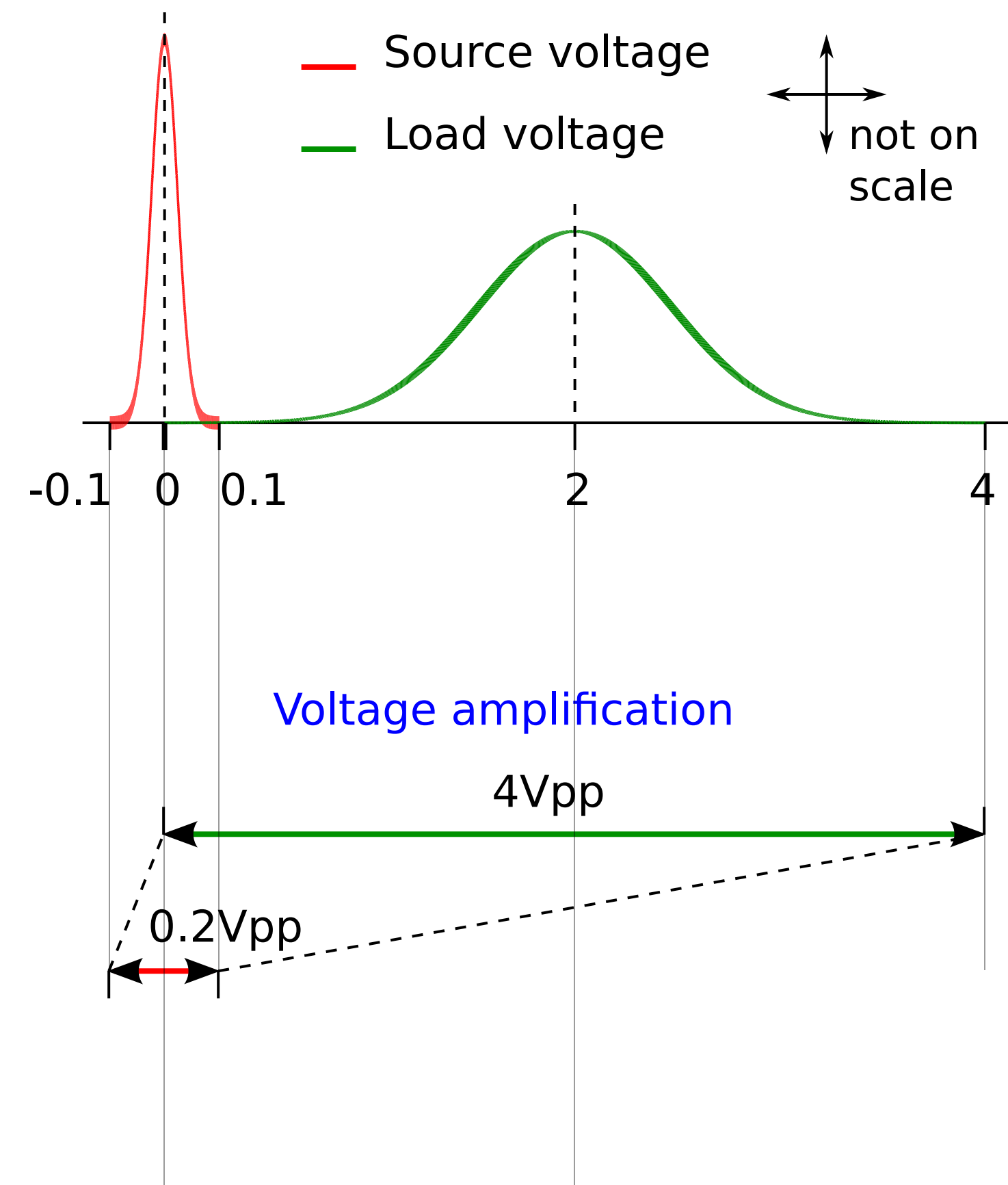


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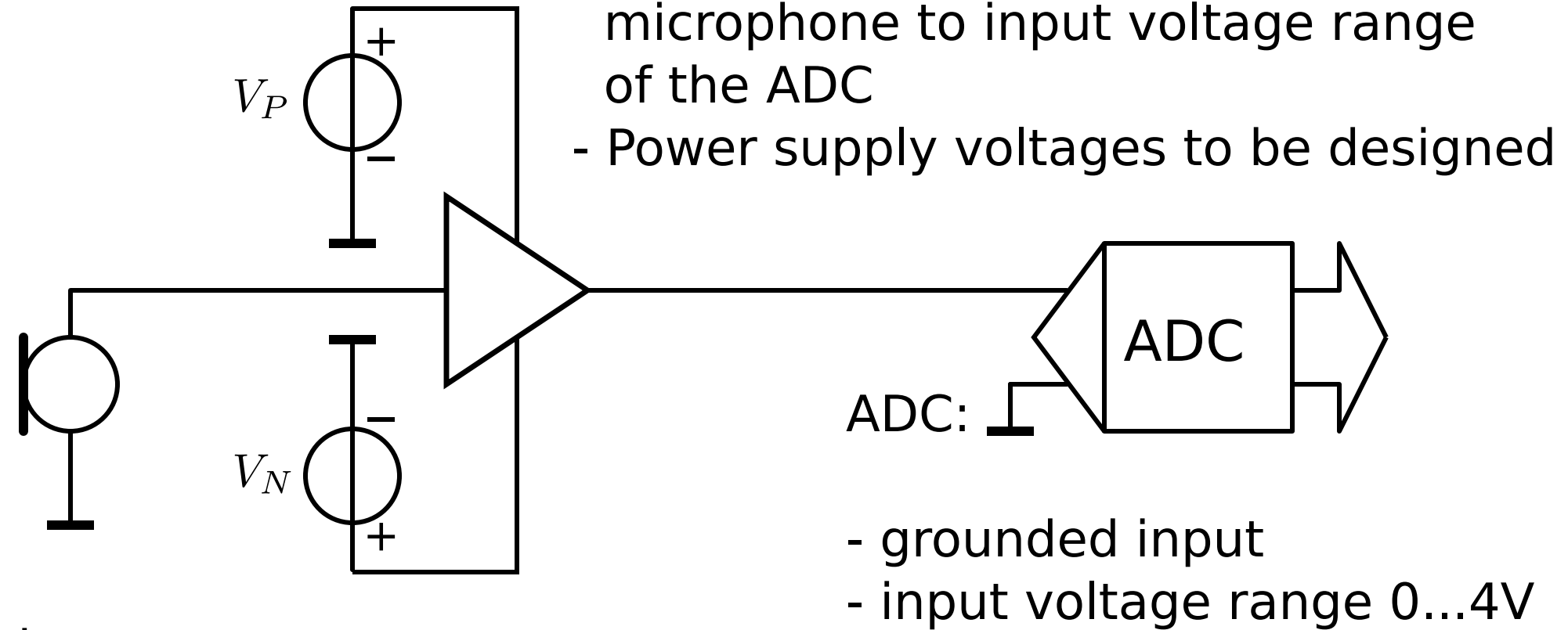
Biasing Example

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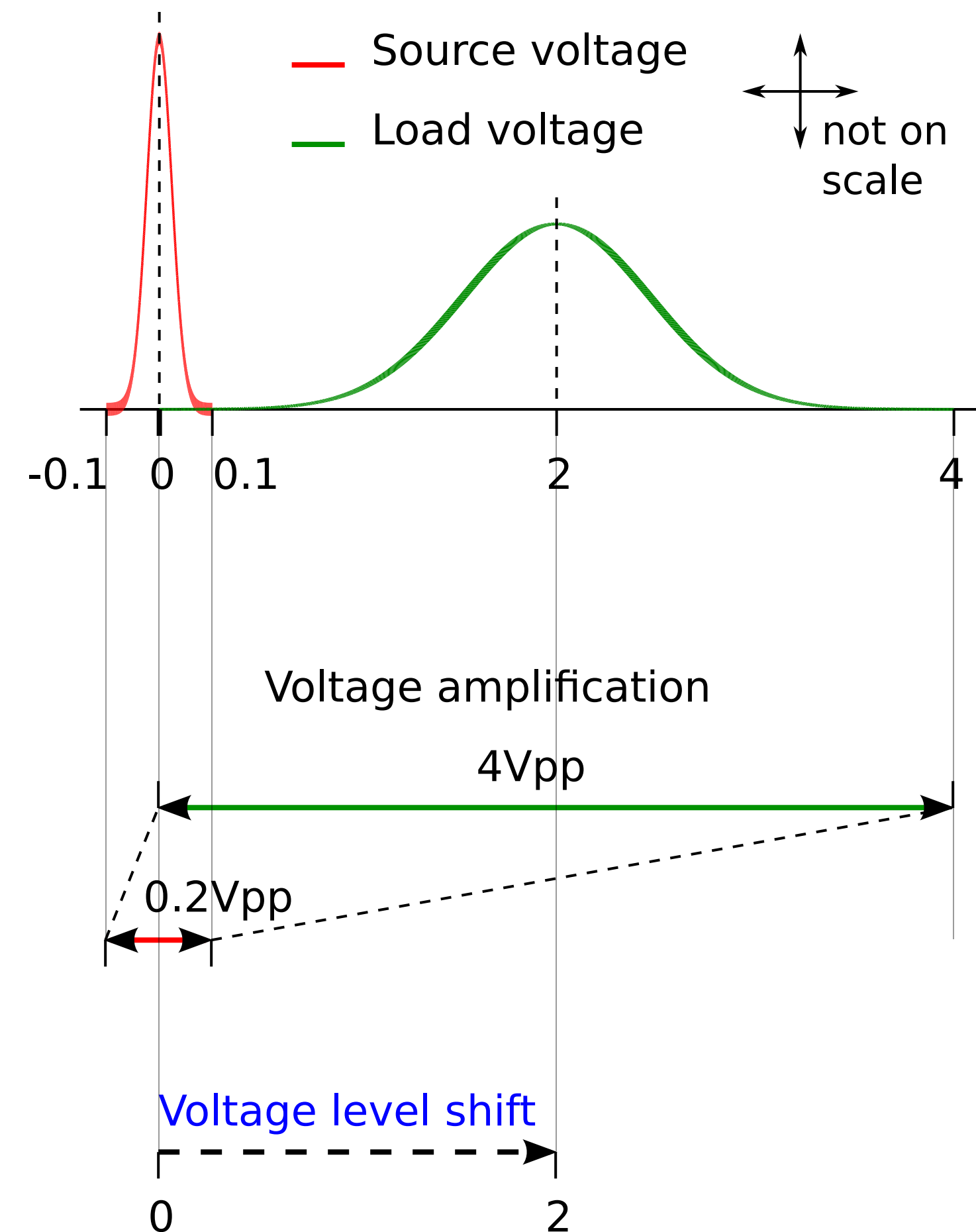


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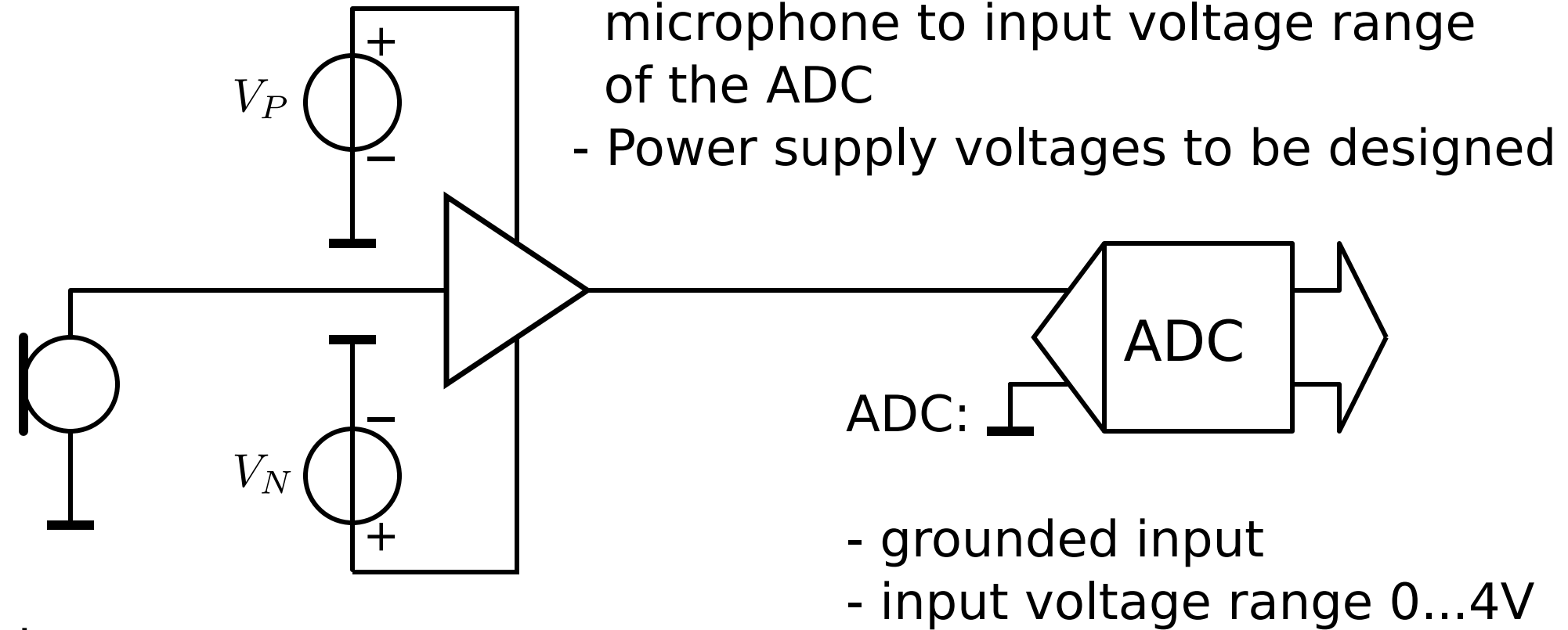
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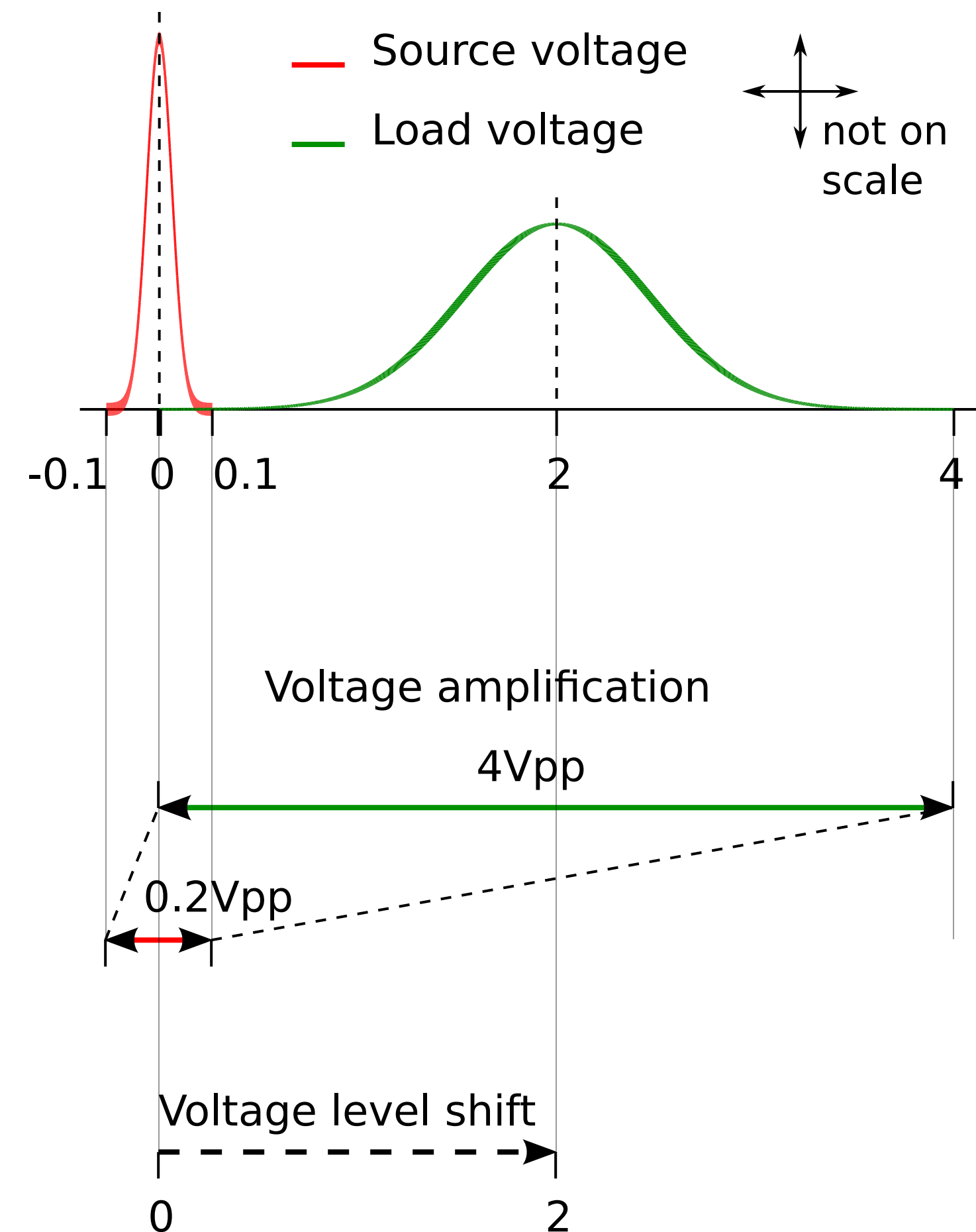


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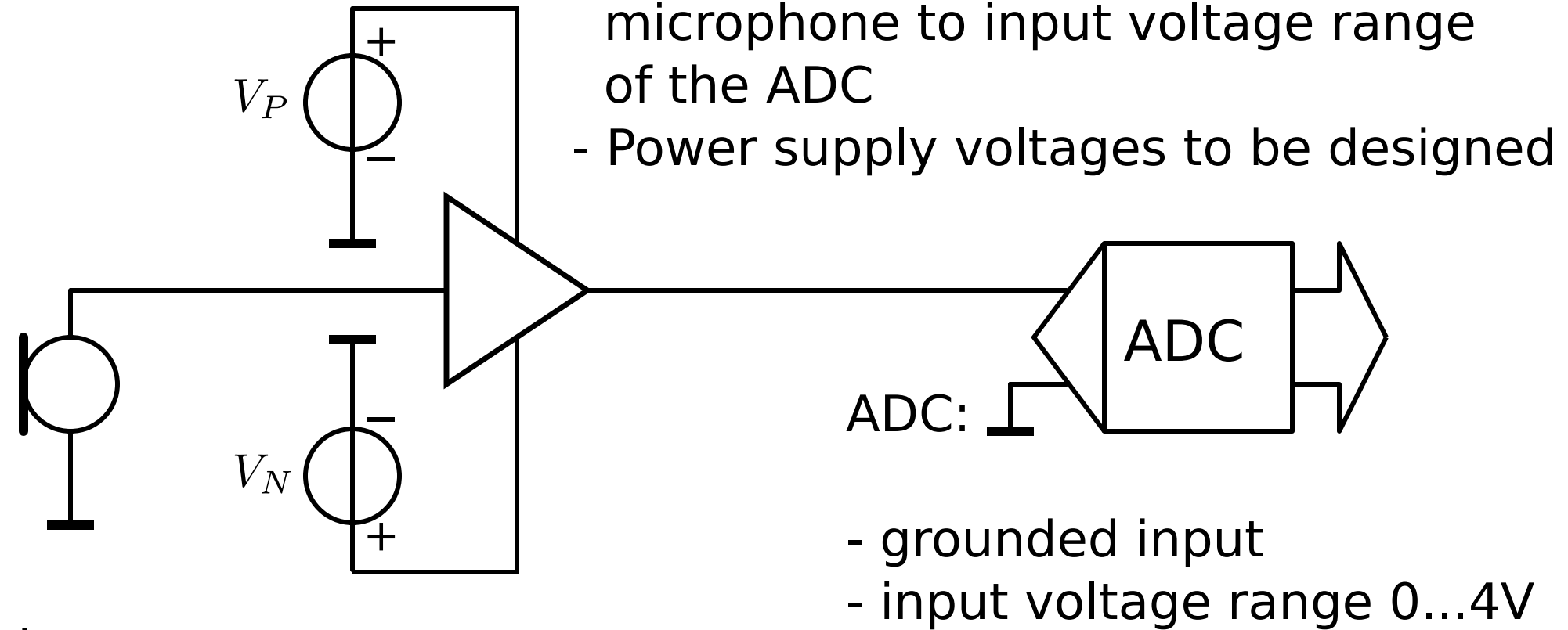
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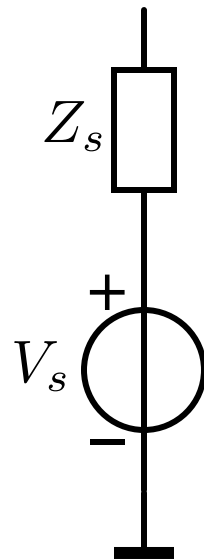


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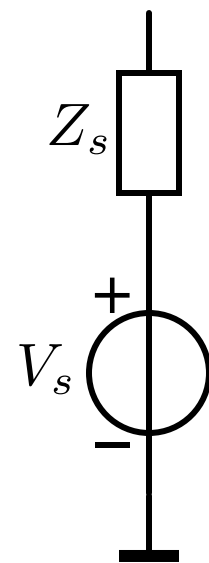
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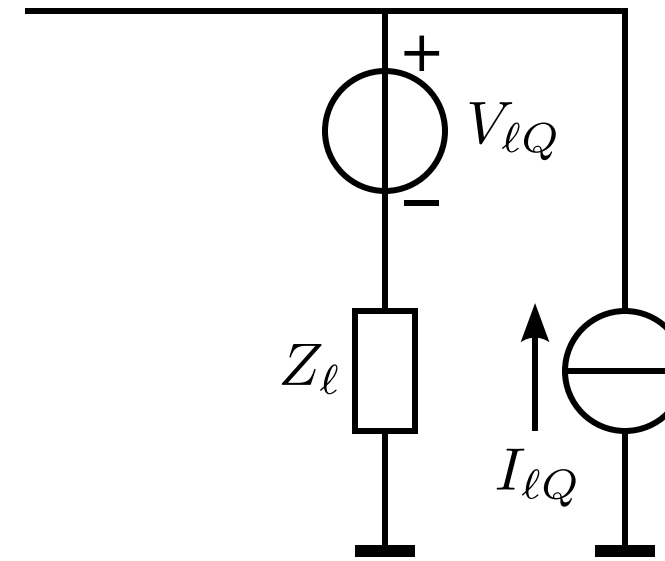


Source
model

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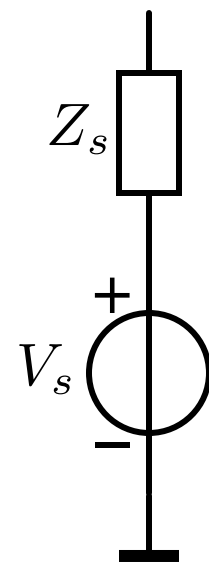


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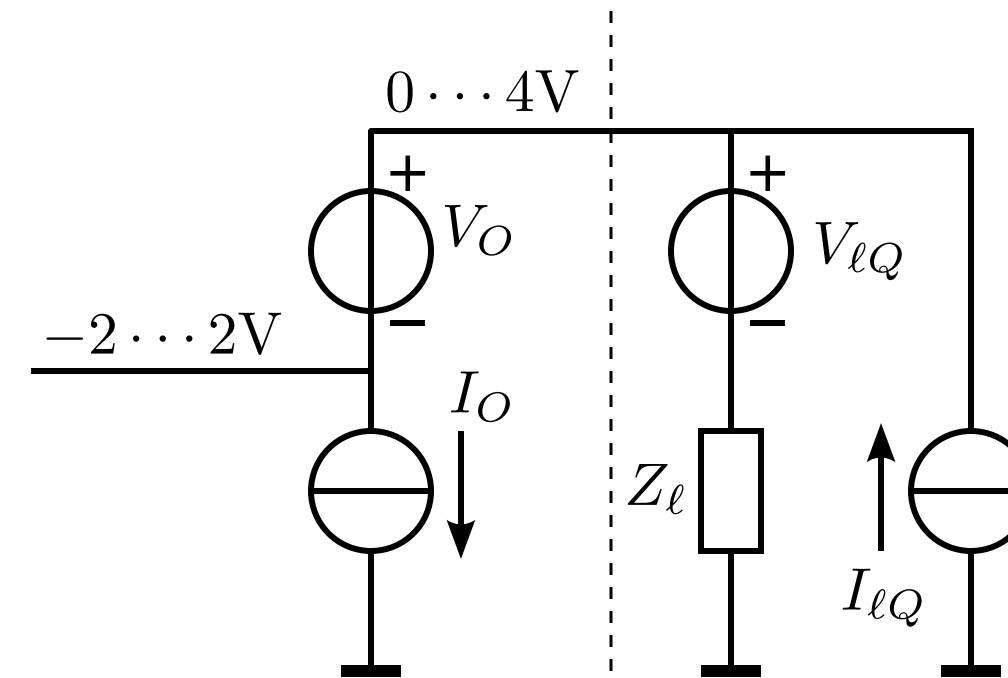


ADC input
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Initial Bias



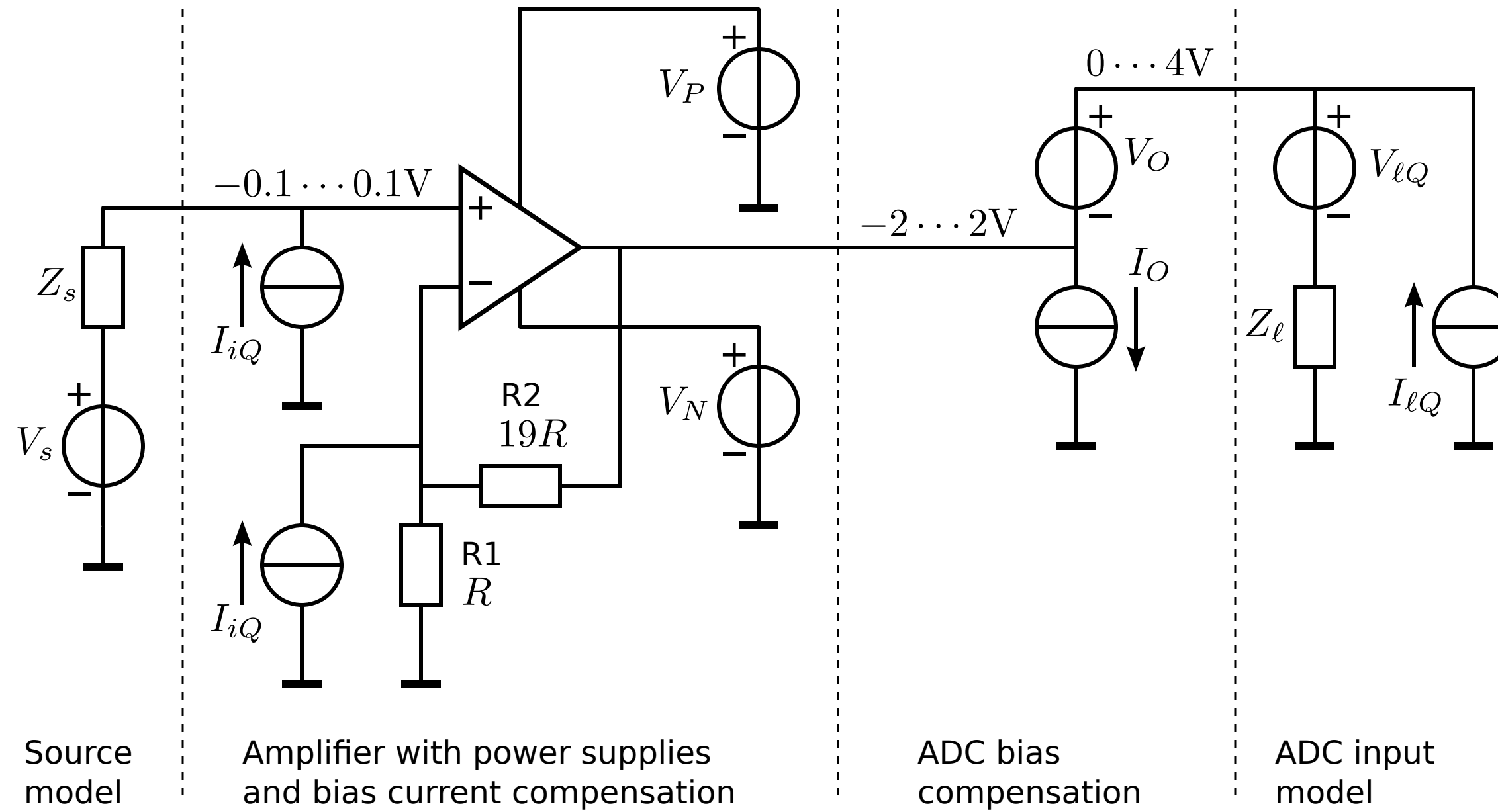
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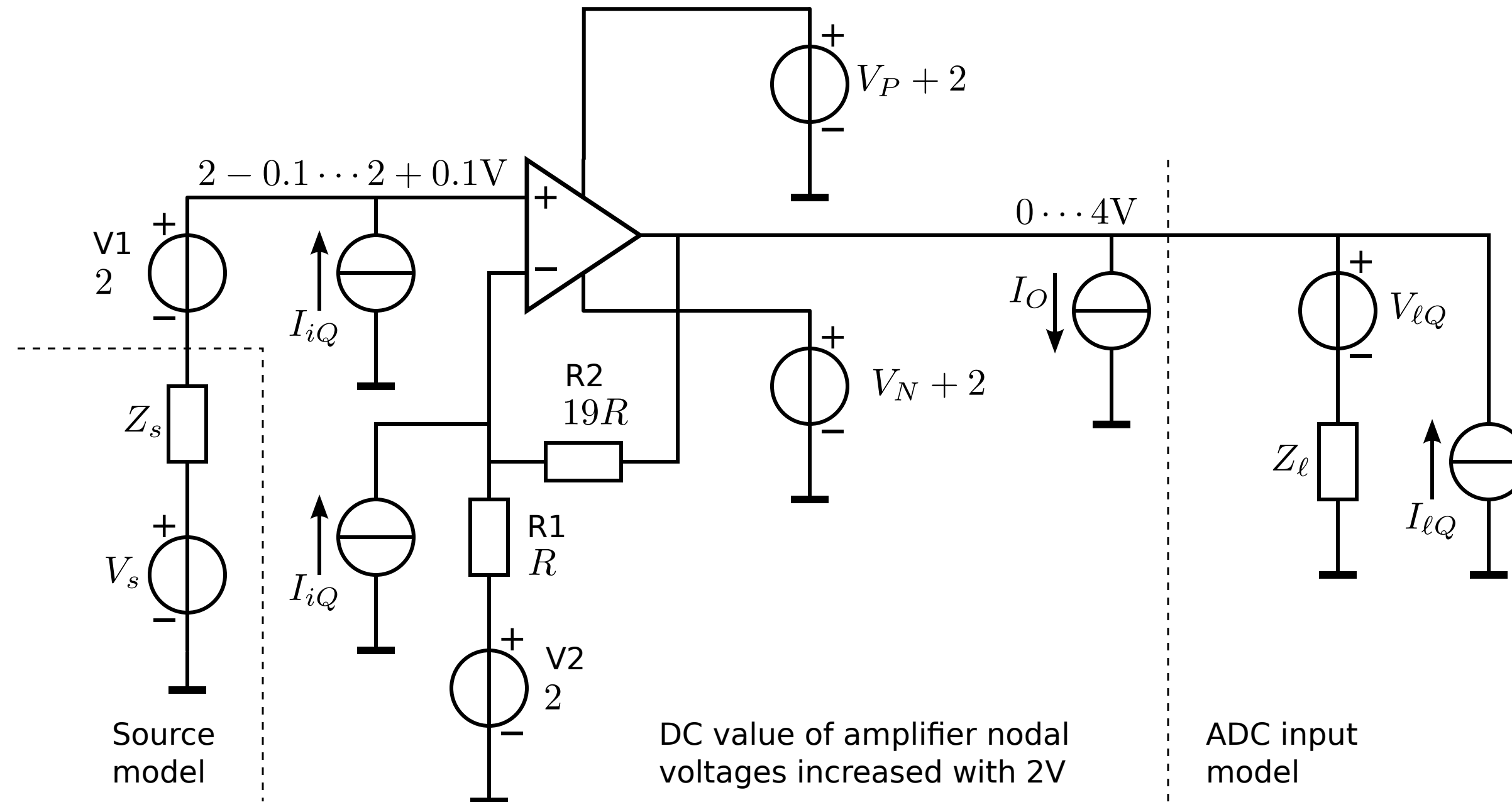
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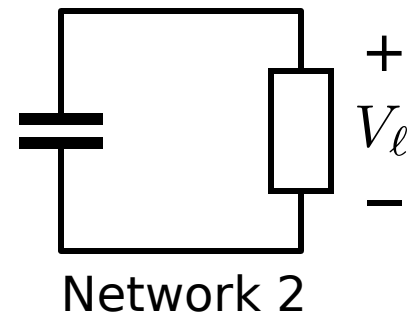
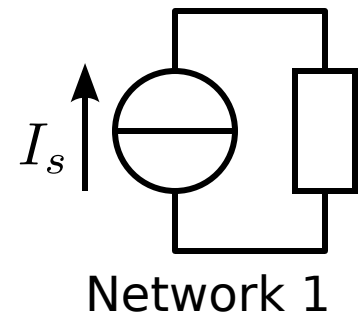


Add level shift



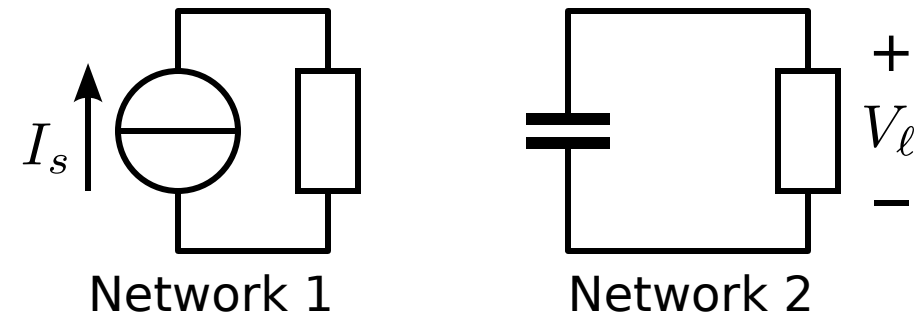
AC coupling

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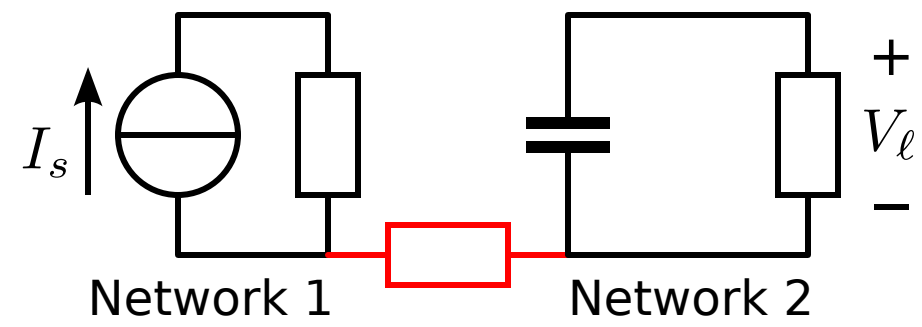


Disconnected
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AC coupling

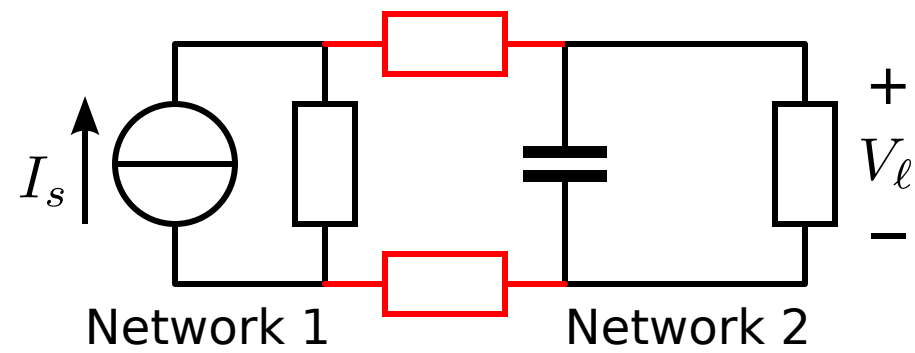
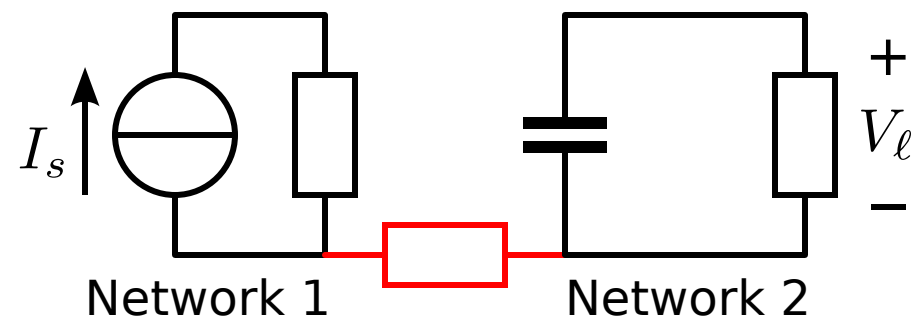
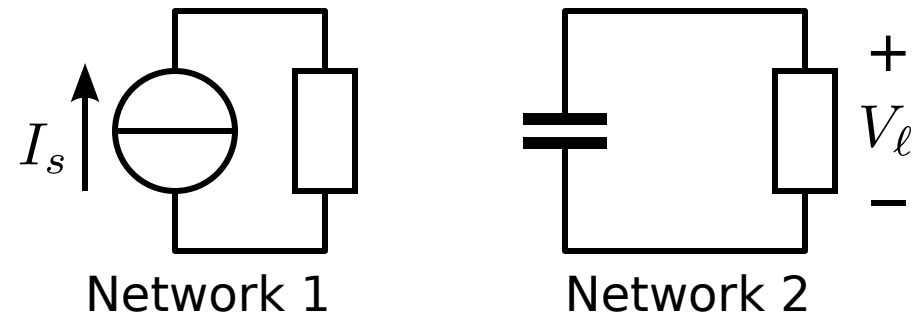


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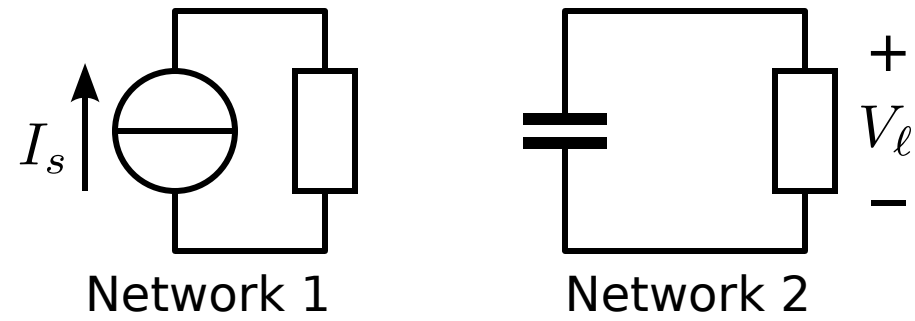


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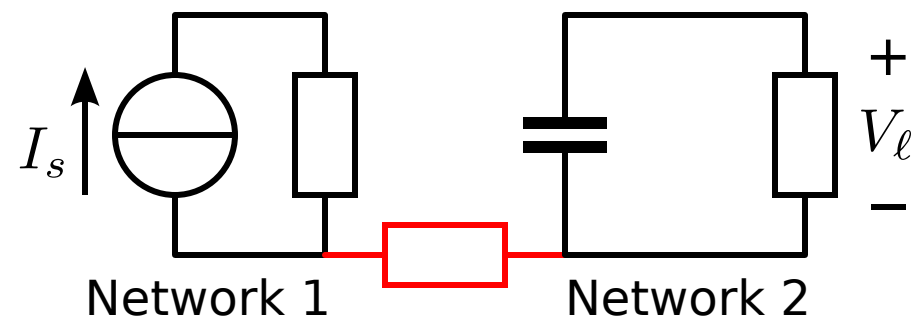
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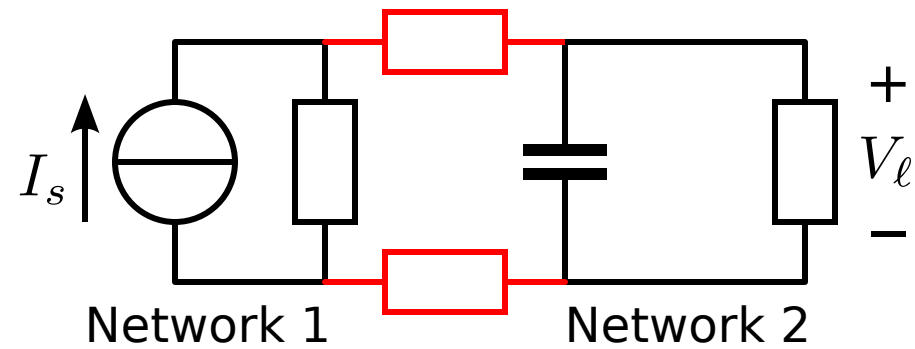
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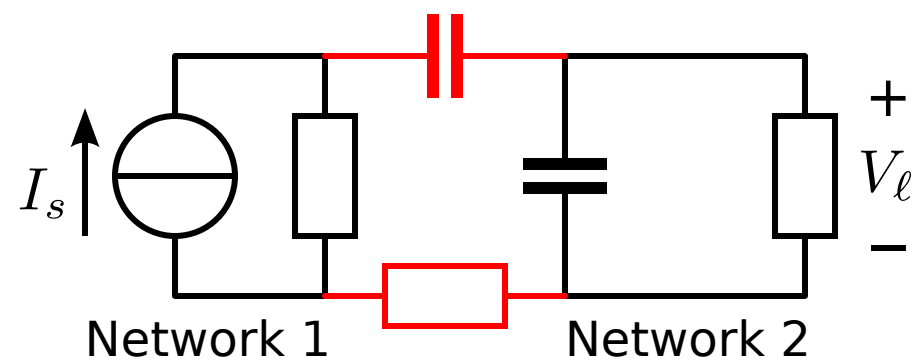
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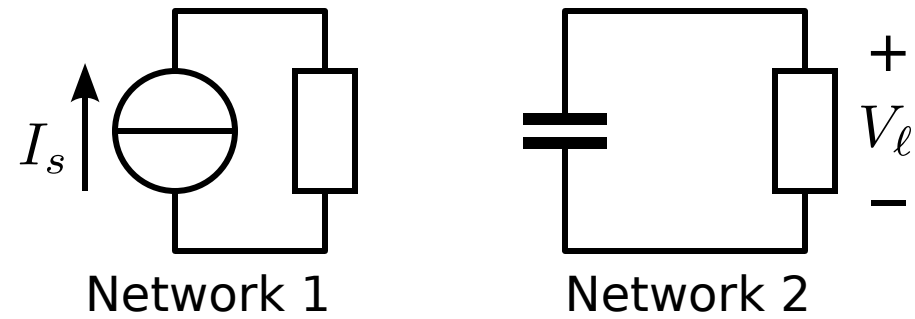


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DC coupling



Connected
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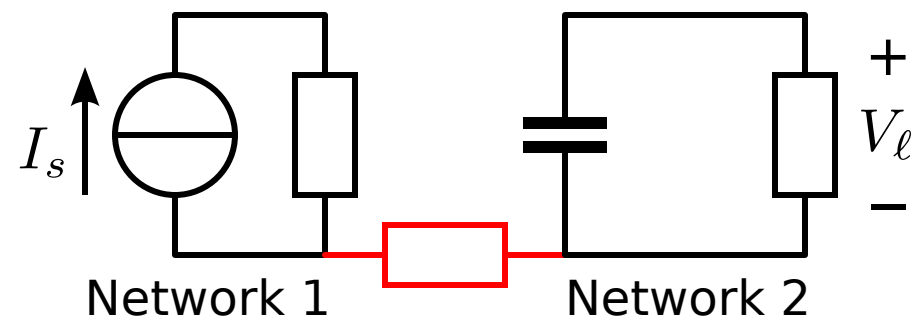
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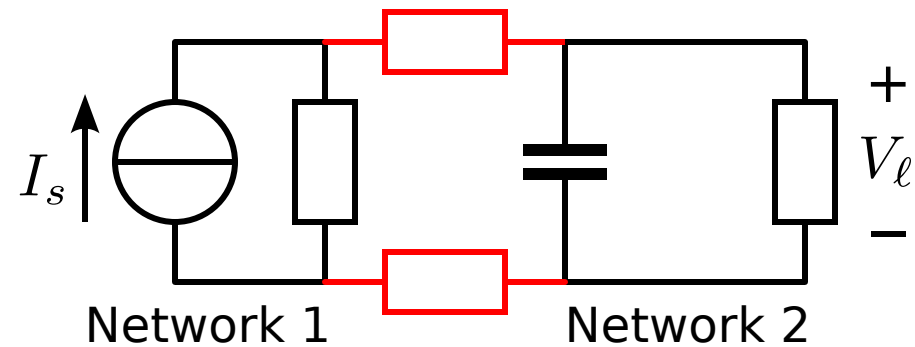
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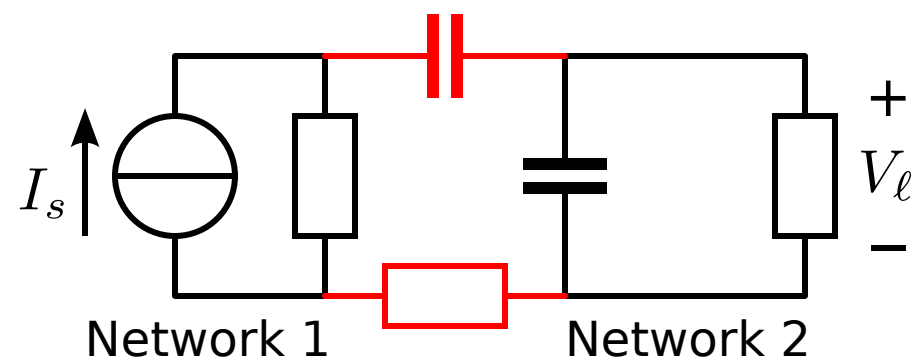
Possible:
If signal components with
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interest



Connected
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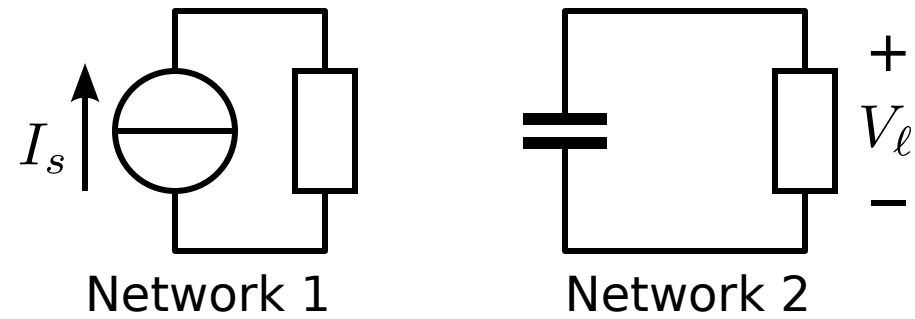


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AC coupling



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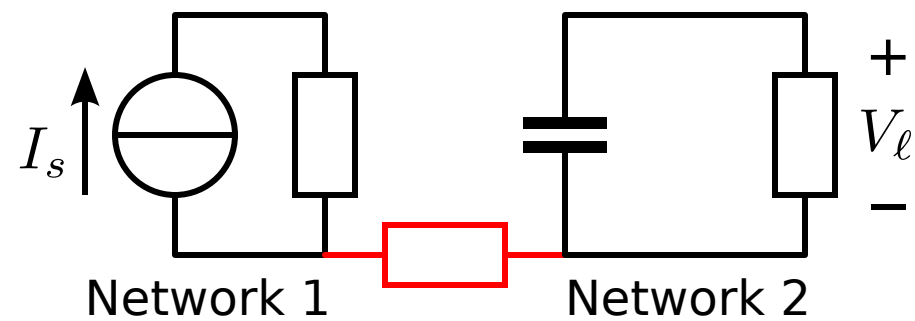
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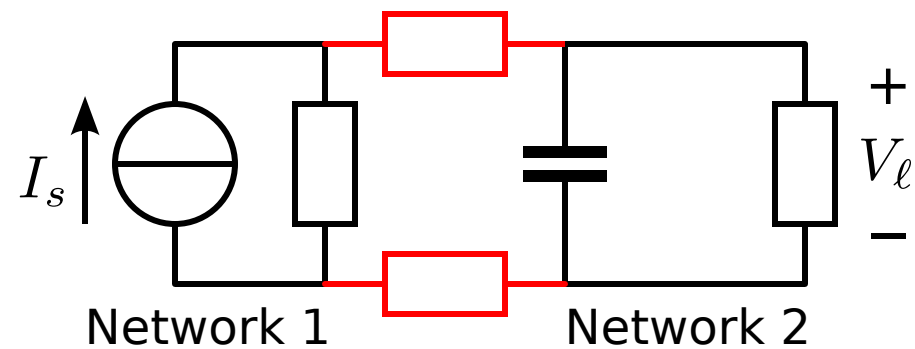
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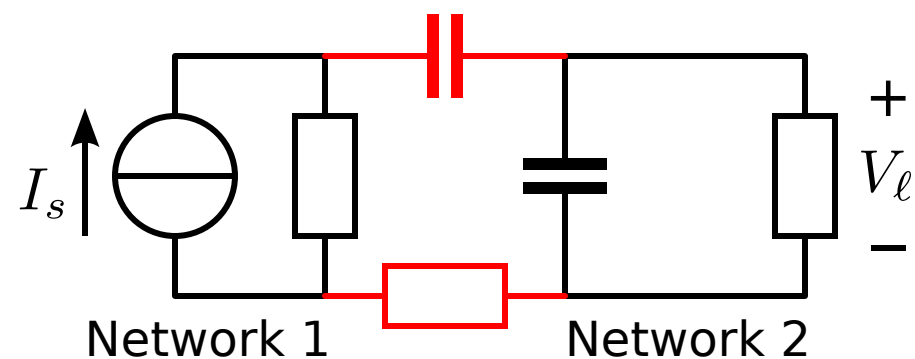
If port bias voltages and/or currents
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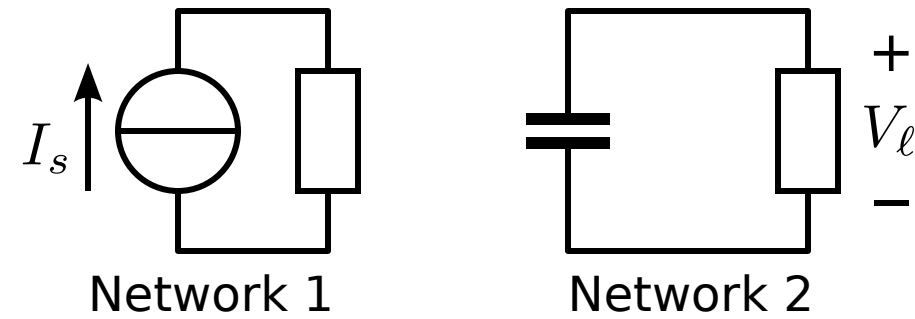


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AC coupling

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Disconnected
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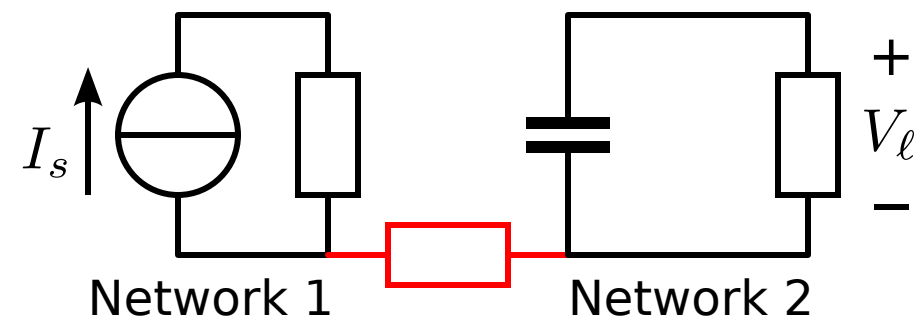
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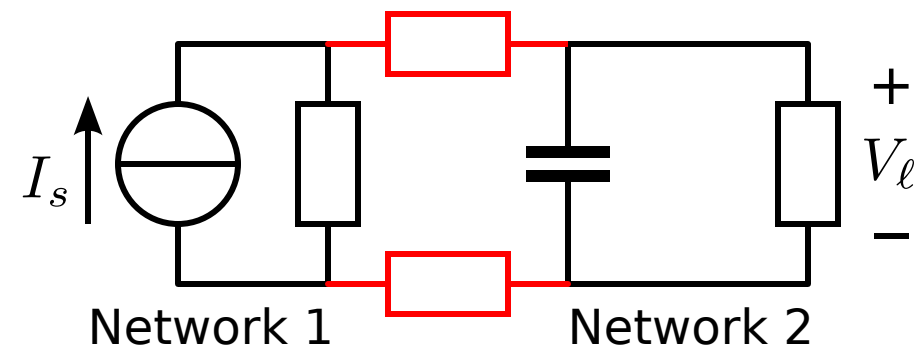
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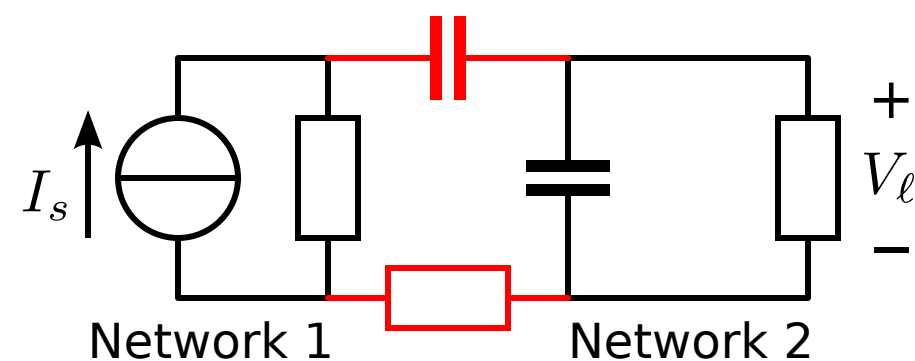
High-pass transfer



Connected
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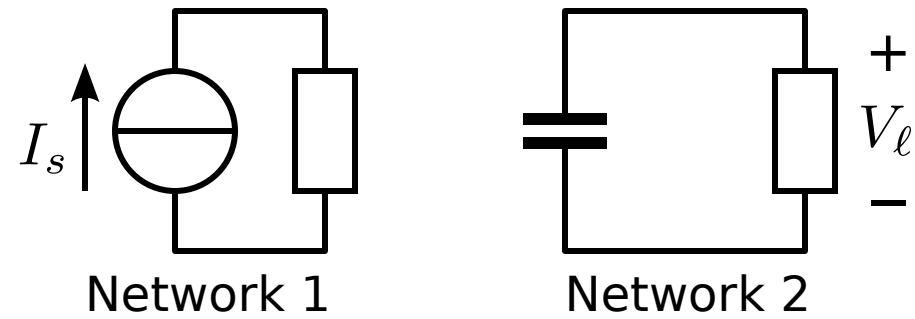


Connected
DC coupling



Connected
AC coupling

AC coupling



Disconnected
no coupling

AC coupling:

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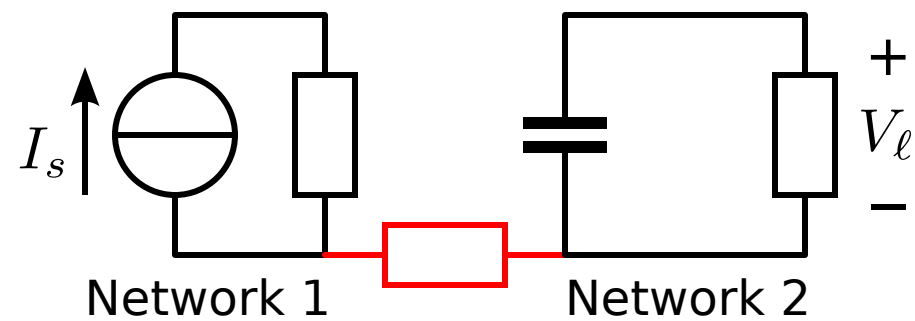
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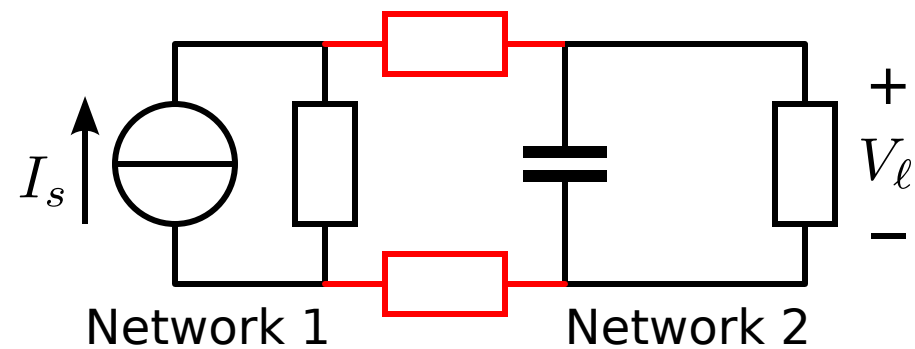
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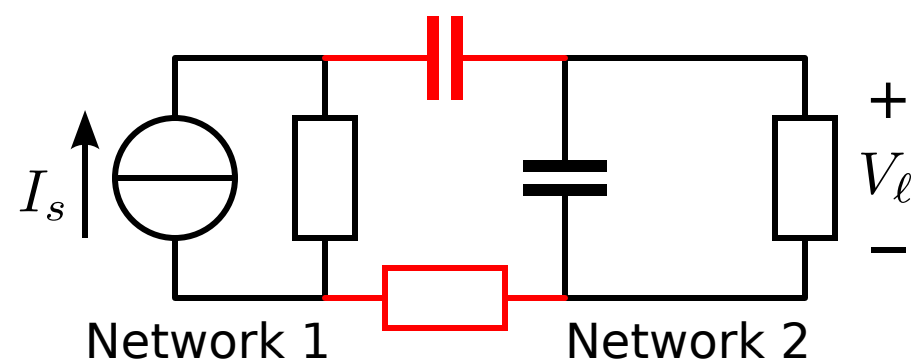
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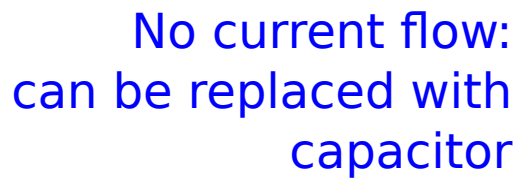


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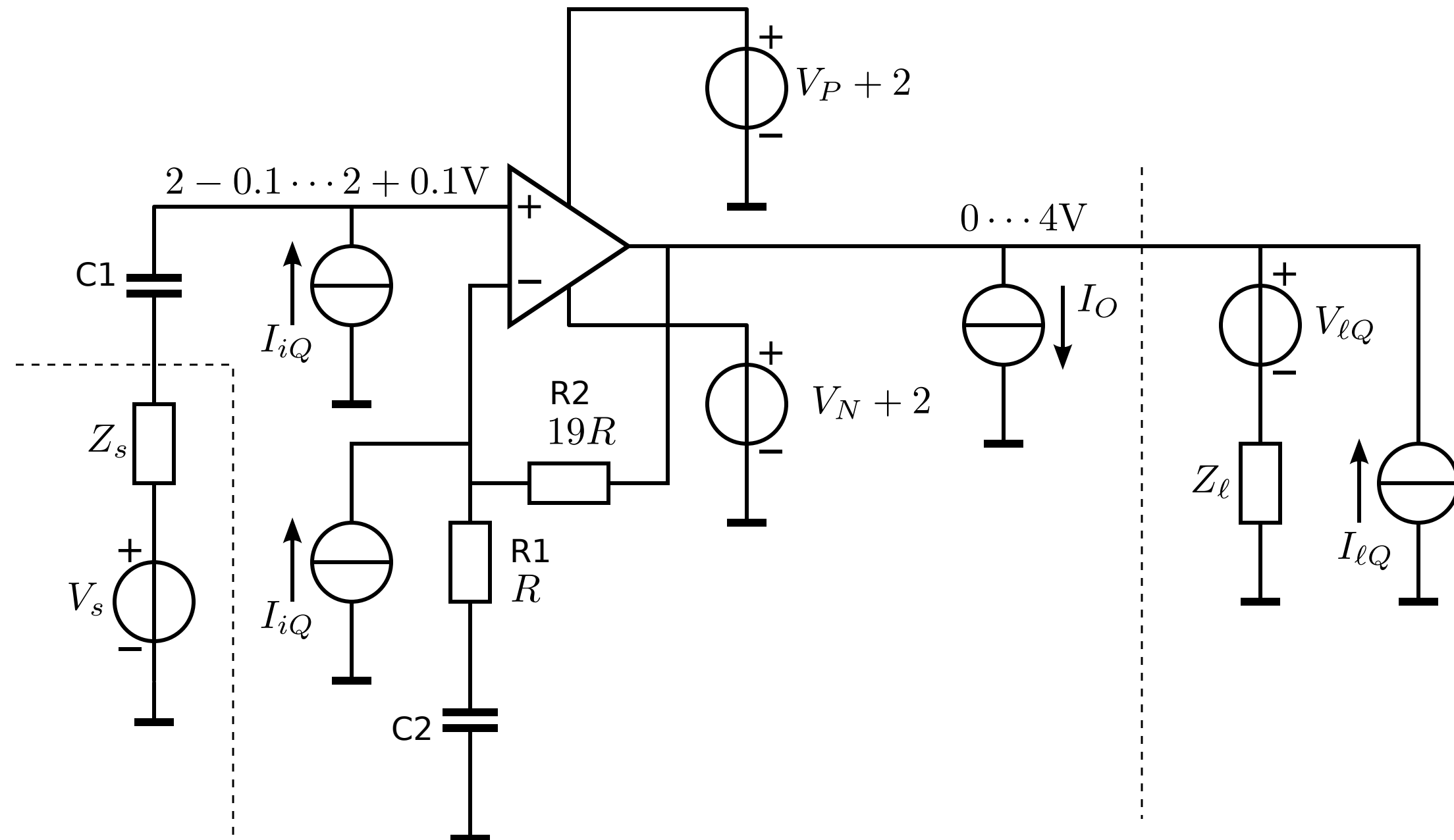


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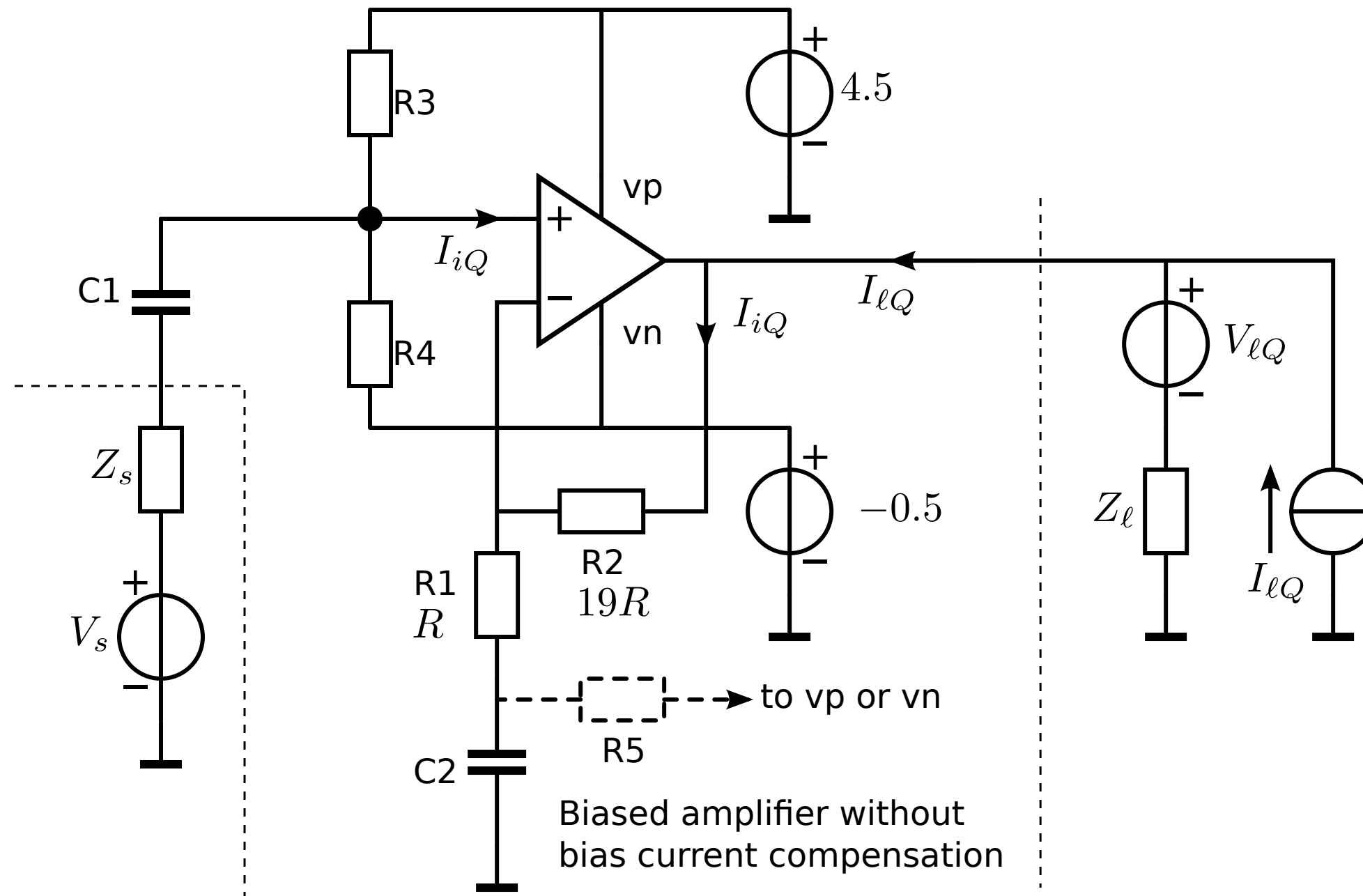
AC coupled amplifier



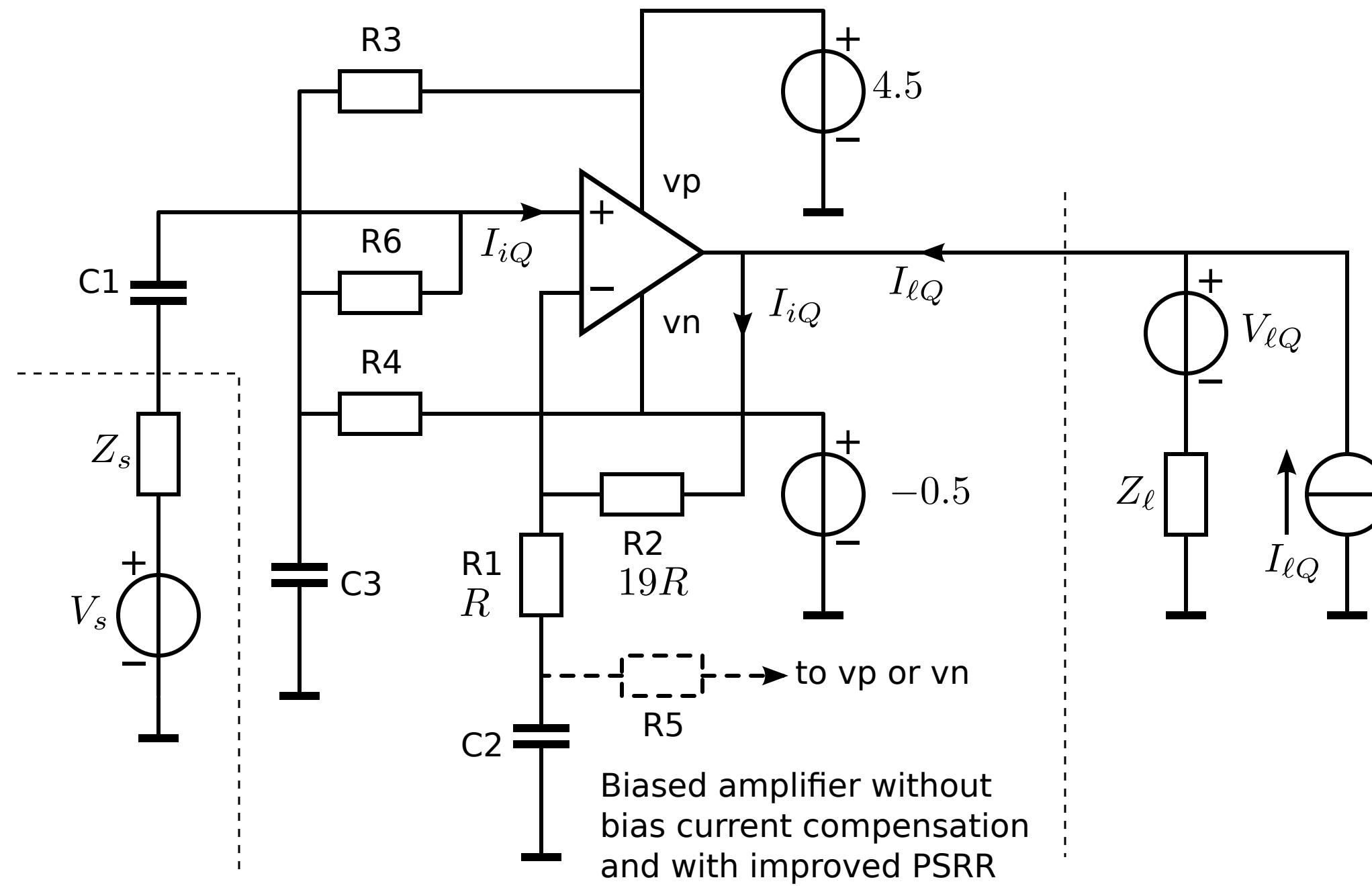
AC coupled amplifier



Biased amplifier

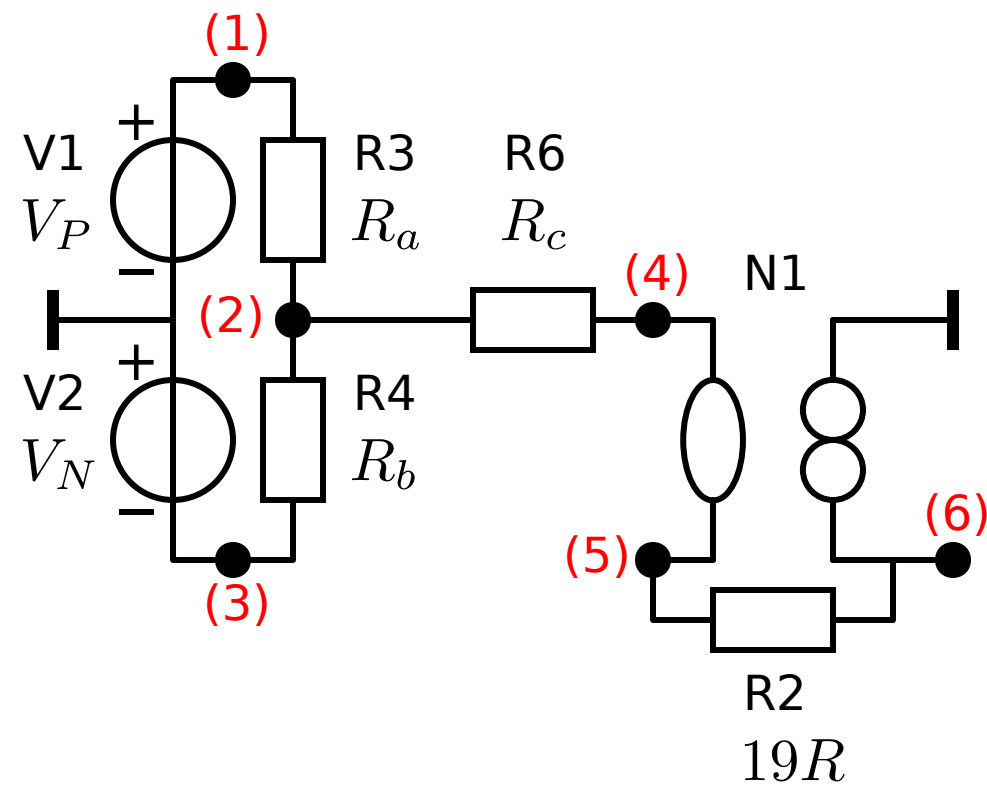


Improved biasing

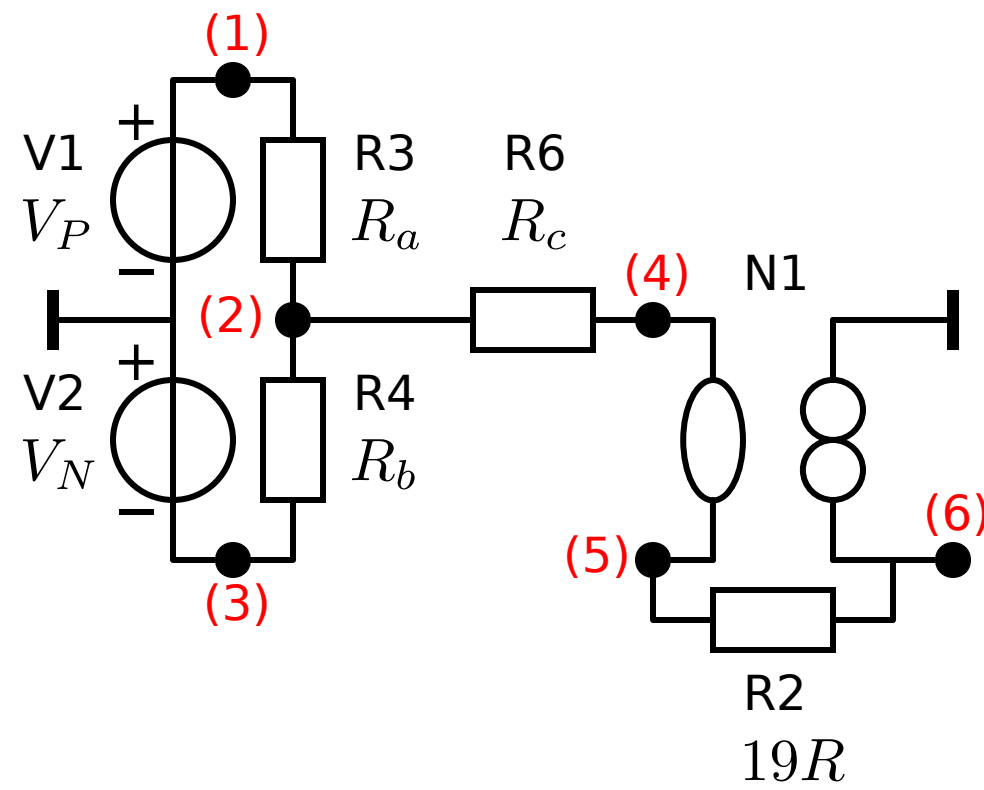


Bias design equations

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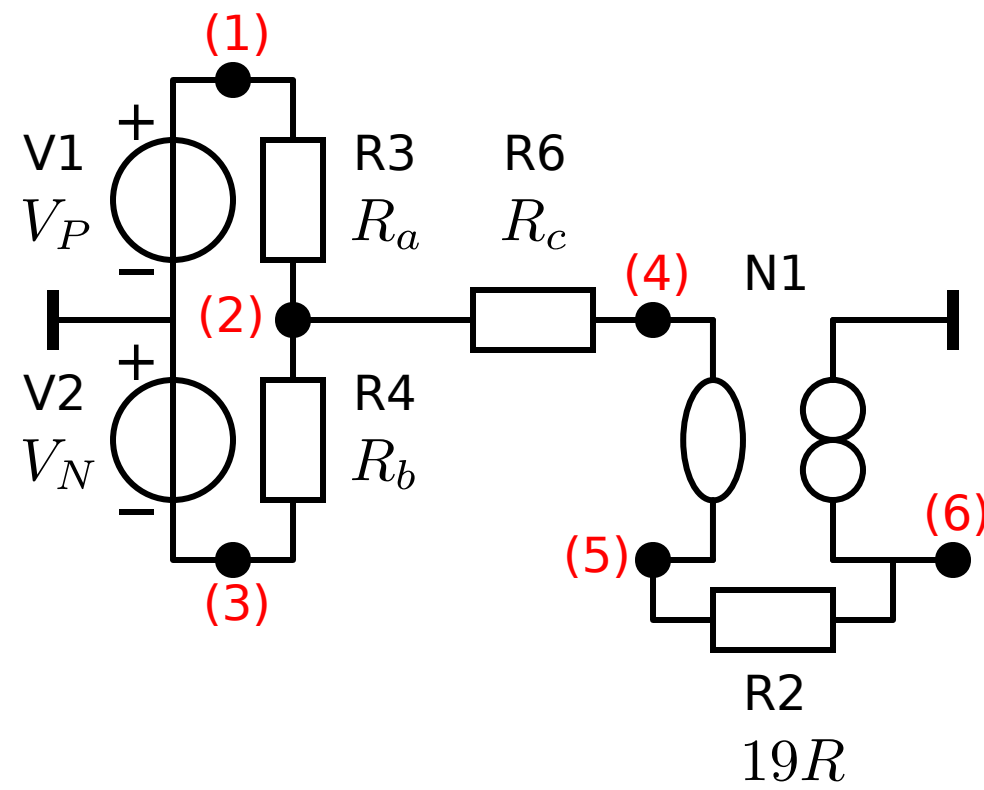


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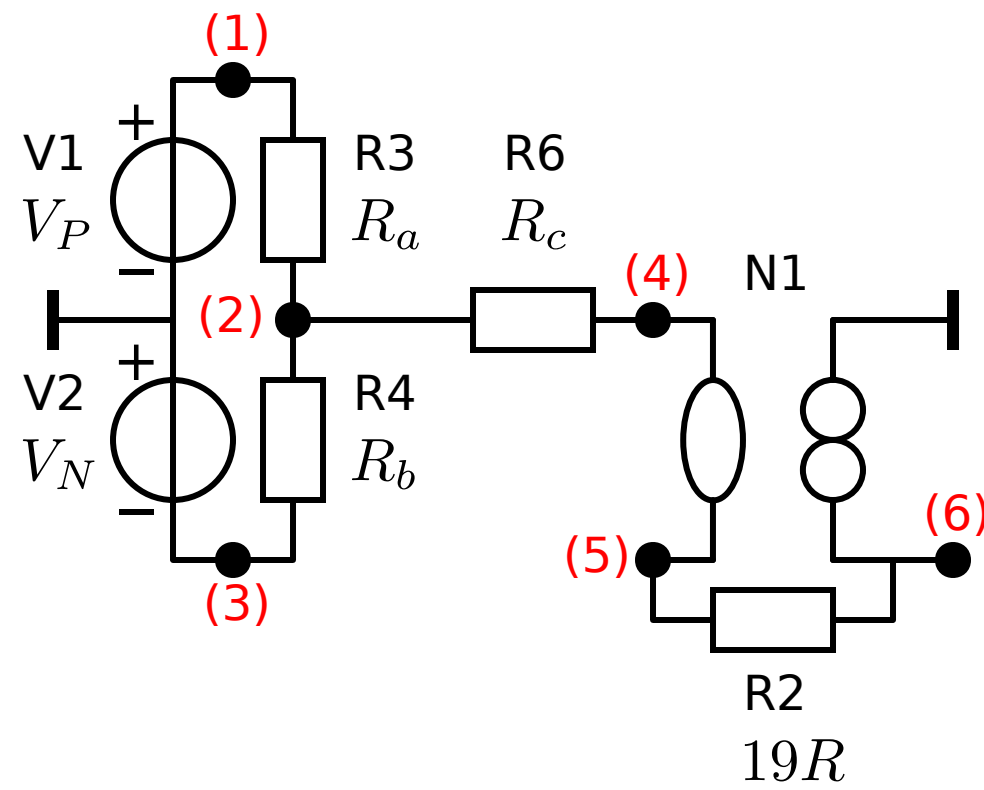
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Bias design equations



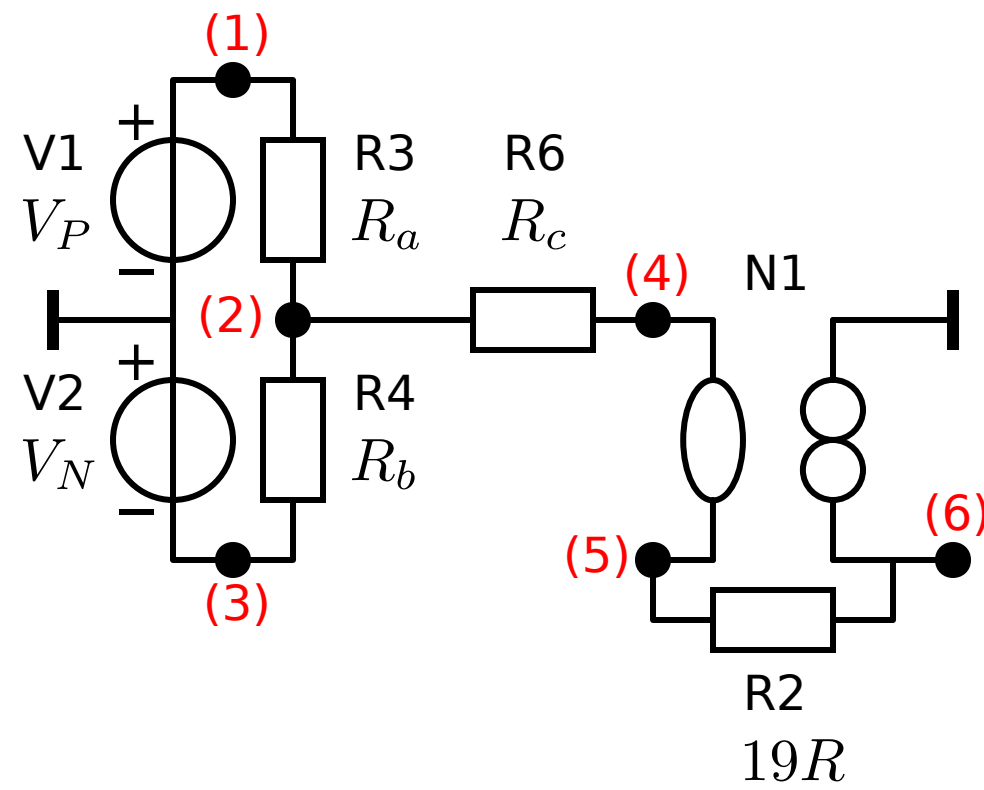
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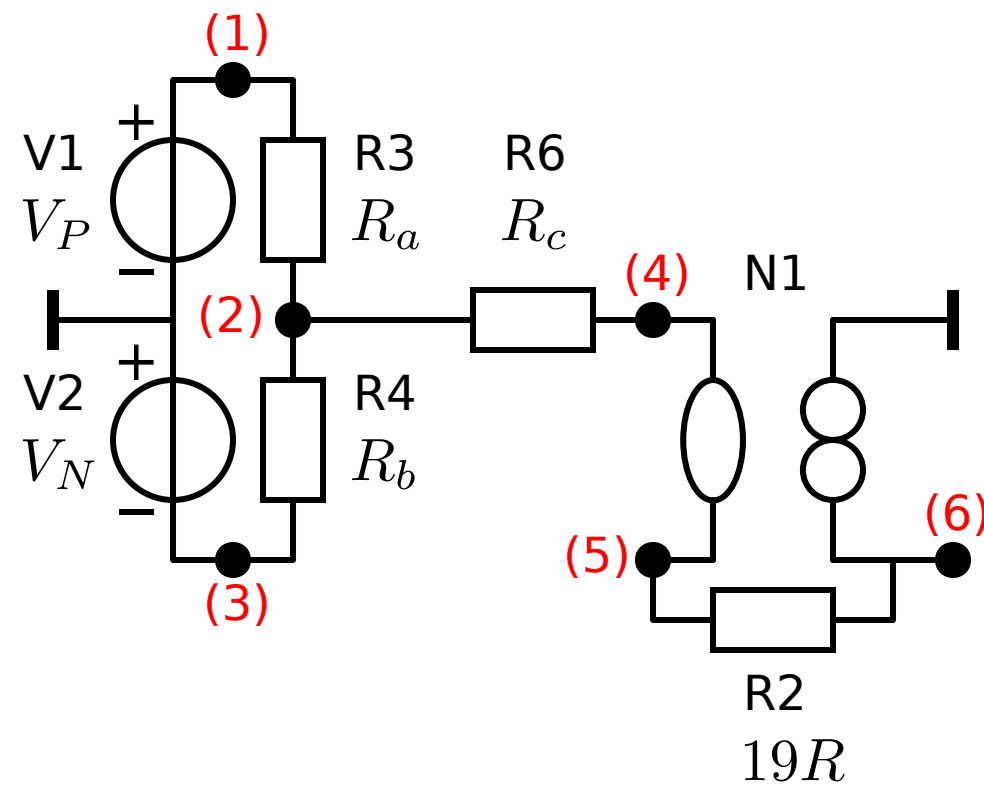
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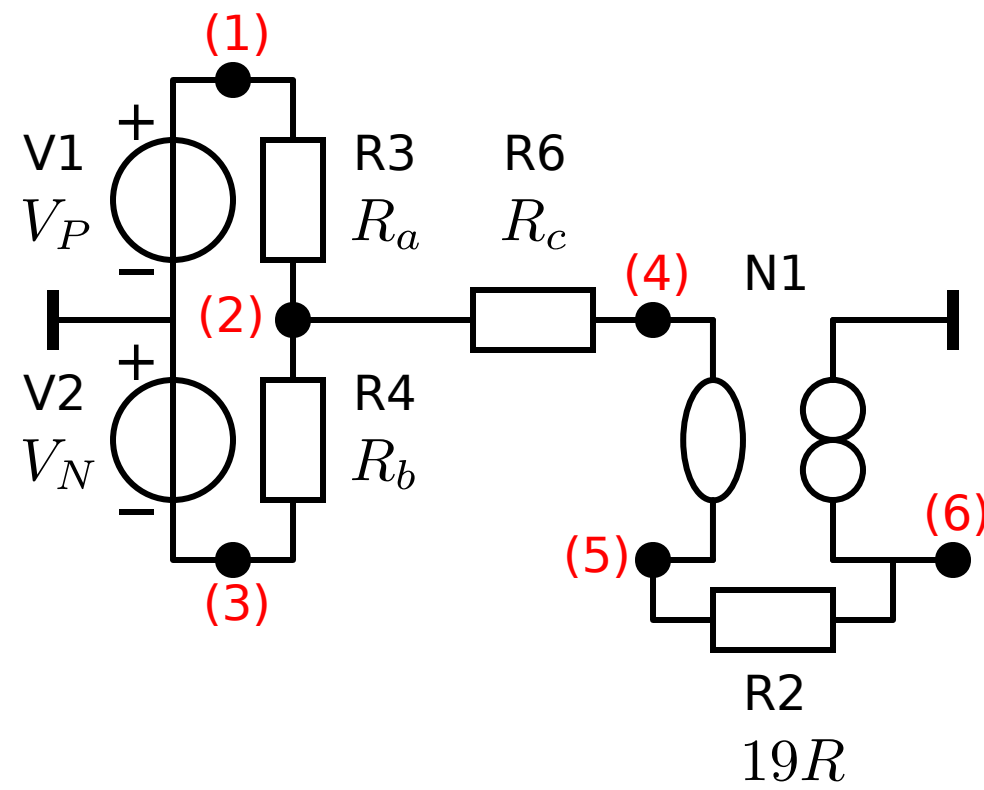
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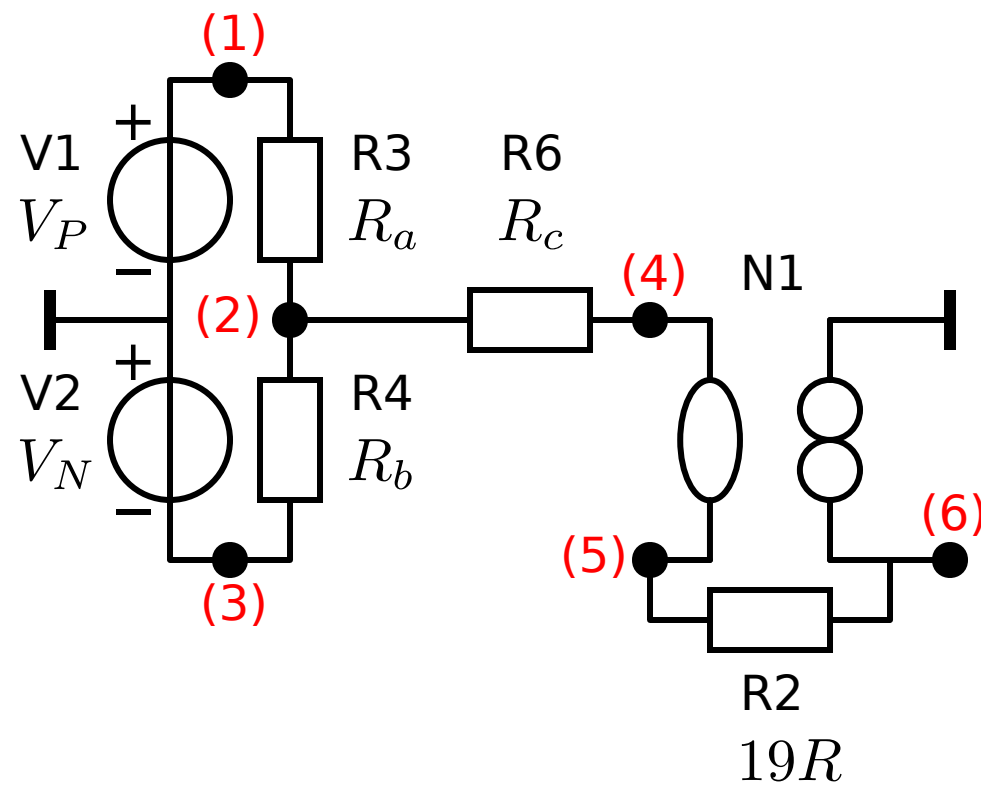
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