

$$\frac{r_o(\nu)}{1 + \phi_s(\nu)/\phi_{sat}}$$

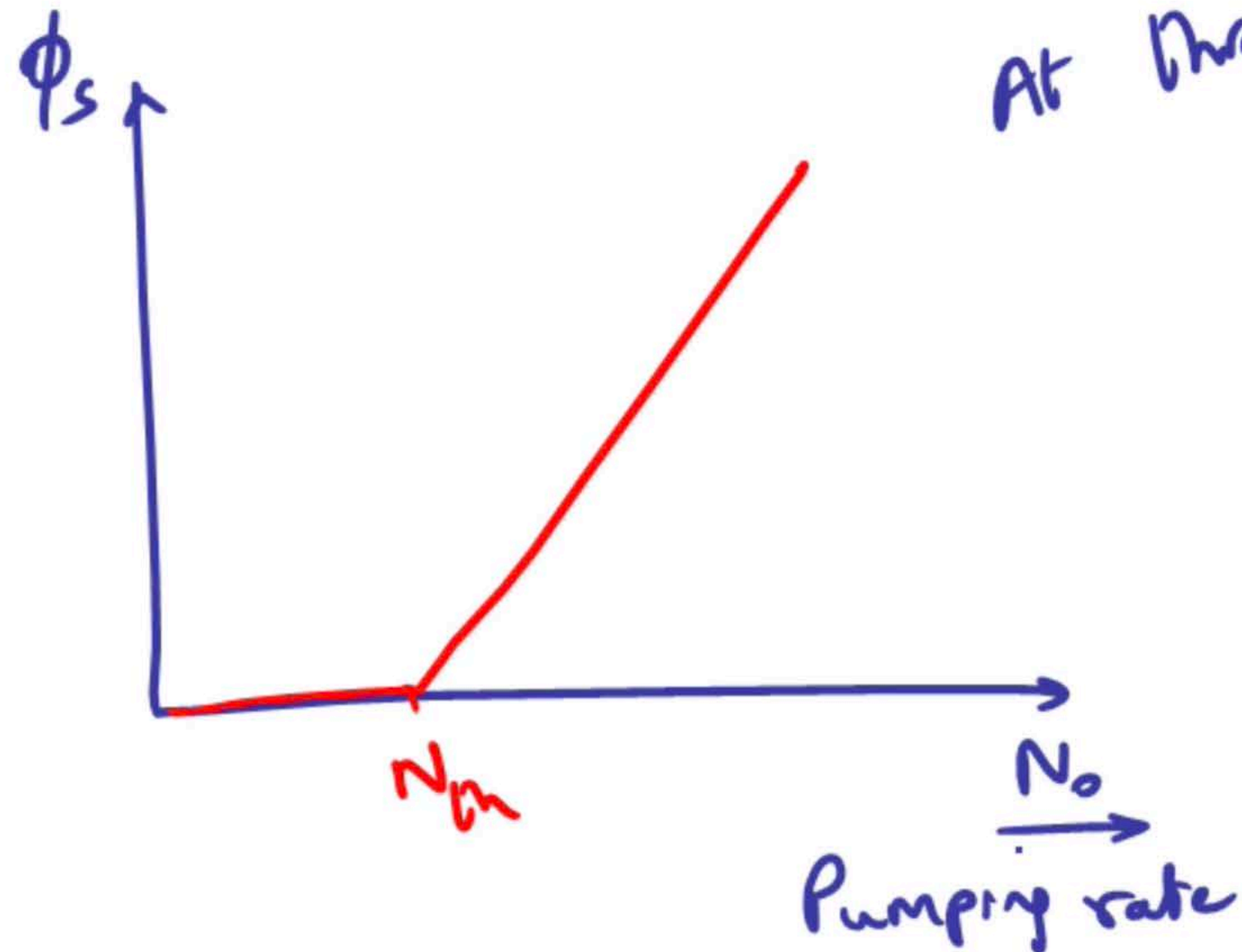
$$= \alpha_r$$

$$\Rightarrow$$

$$\phi_s(\nu) = \begin{cases} \phi_{sat} \cdot \left[\frac{r_o(\nu)}{\alpha_r} - 1 \right] \\ 0 \end{cases}$$

$$r_o(\nu) > \alpha_r$$

$$r_o(\nu) \leq \alpha_r$$



At threshold,

$$N_m \cdot \sigma(\nu) = \alpha_r$$

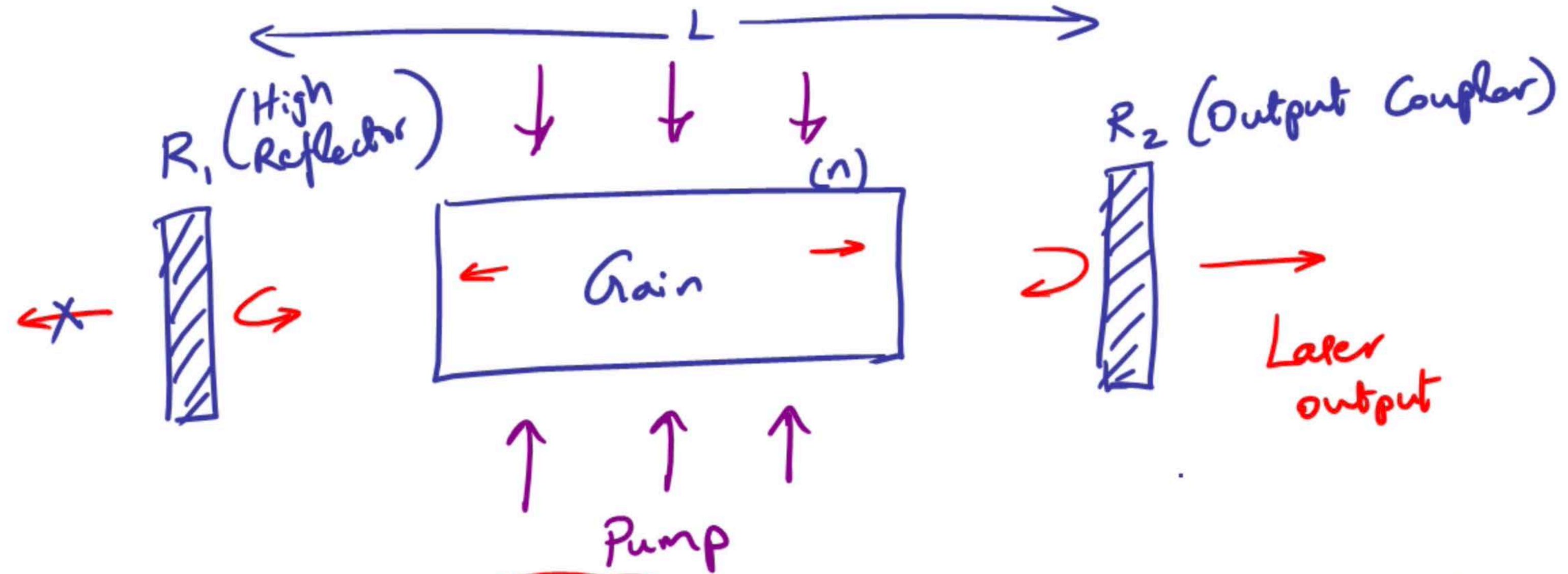
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$$N_0 > N_m$$

$$N_0 \leq N_m$$

Lo: Identify the fundamental principles of laser & quantify their characteristics

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Laser
oscillation
condition

$$E_0 e^{+\gamma/2 \cdot 2L} e^{-\alpha_{int}/2 \cdot 2L} \sqrt{R_1 R_2} \cdot e^{-j k_0 n \cdot 2L} = E_0$$

$$\textcircled{1} e^{\gamma L} e^{-\alpha_{int} L} \sqrt{R_1 R_2} = 1$$

$$k_0 \cdot n \cdot 2L = 2\pi m \quad \textcircled{2}$$

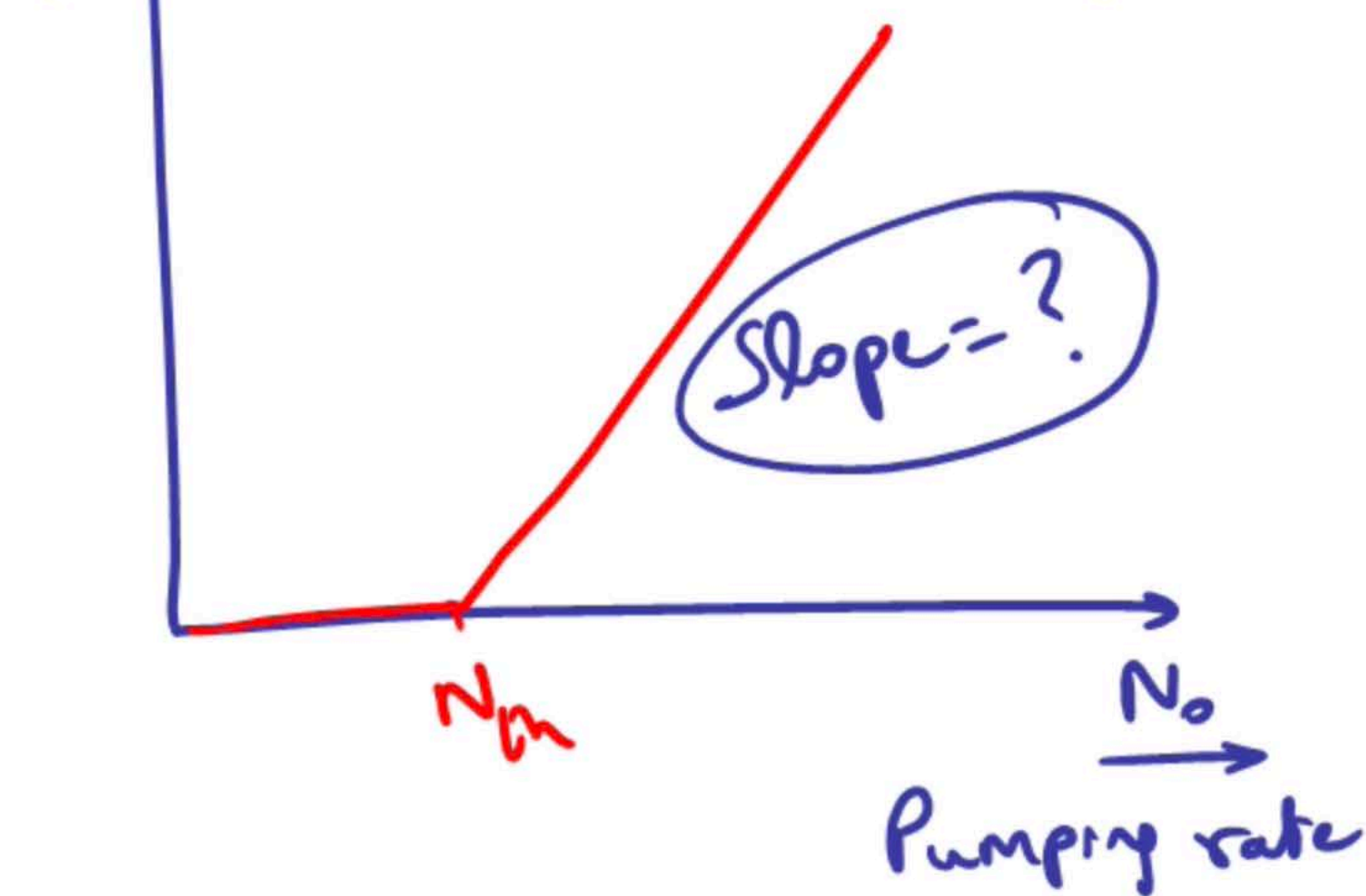
$$\frac{r_o(\nu)}{1 + \phi_s(\nu)/\phi_{sat}} = \alpha_r \Rightarrow$$

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$$\Rightarrow$$

$$\phi_s(\nu) = \begin{cases} \phi_{sat} \left[\frac{r_o(\nu)}{\alpha_r} - 1 \right] & r_o(\nu) > \alpha_r \\ 0 & r_o(\nu) \leq \alpha_r \end{cases}$$

$$\phi_s \cdot P_{out} = h\nu \phi_{out}$$

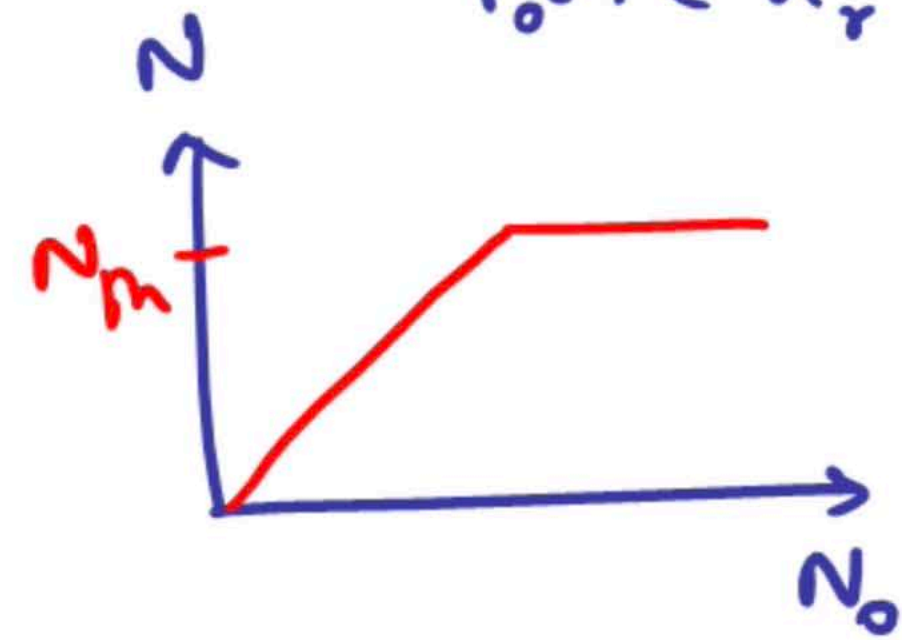


At threshold,

$$N_m \cdot \sigma(\nu) = \alpha_r$$

Photon flux

$$\phi_s(\nu) = \begin{cases} \phi_{sat} \left(\frac{N_0}{N_m} - 1 \right) & N_0 > N_m \\ 0 & N_0 \leq N_m \end{cases}$$

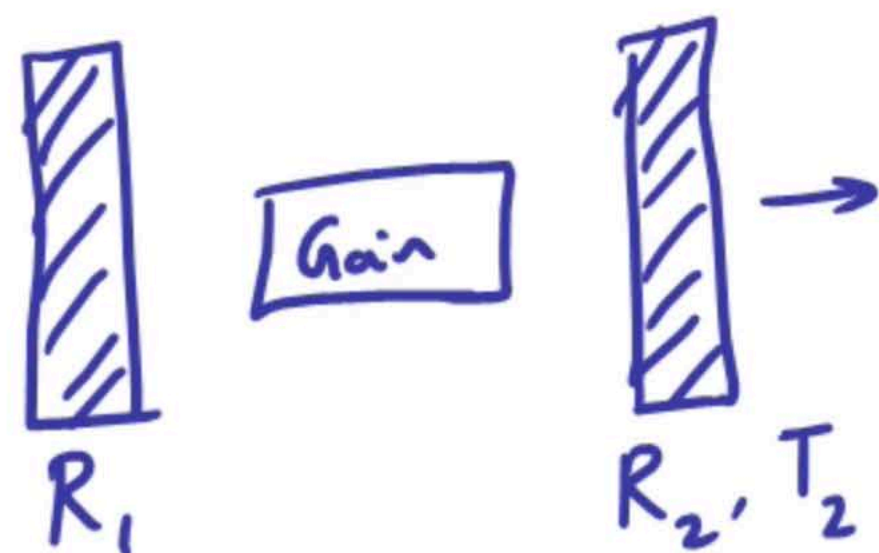


$$N_0 > N_m$$

$$N_0 \leq N_m$$

Output power, $P_{out} = \eta_e (P - P_m)$

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slope efficiency



$$\eta_e = \frac{\alpha_{m2}}{\alpha_r}$$

$$\eta_e = \frac{C T_{ph}}{2L} \ln \left(\frac{1}{R_2} \right)$$

$$\eta_e \approx \frac{T_{ph}}{T_{st}} \overset{\text{Optimum?}}{\circlearrowleft} T_2$$

$$\alpha_r = \alpha_{m1} + \alpha_{m2} + \alpha_{int}$$

$$= \frac{1}{C T_{ph}}$$

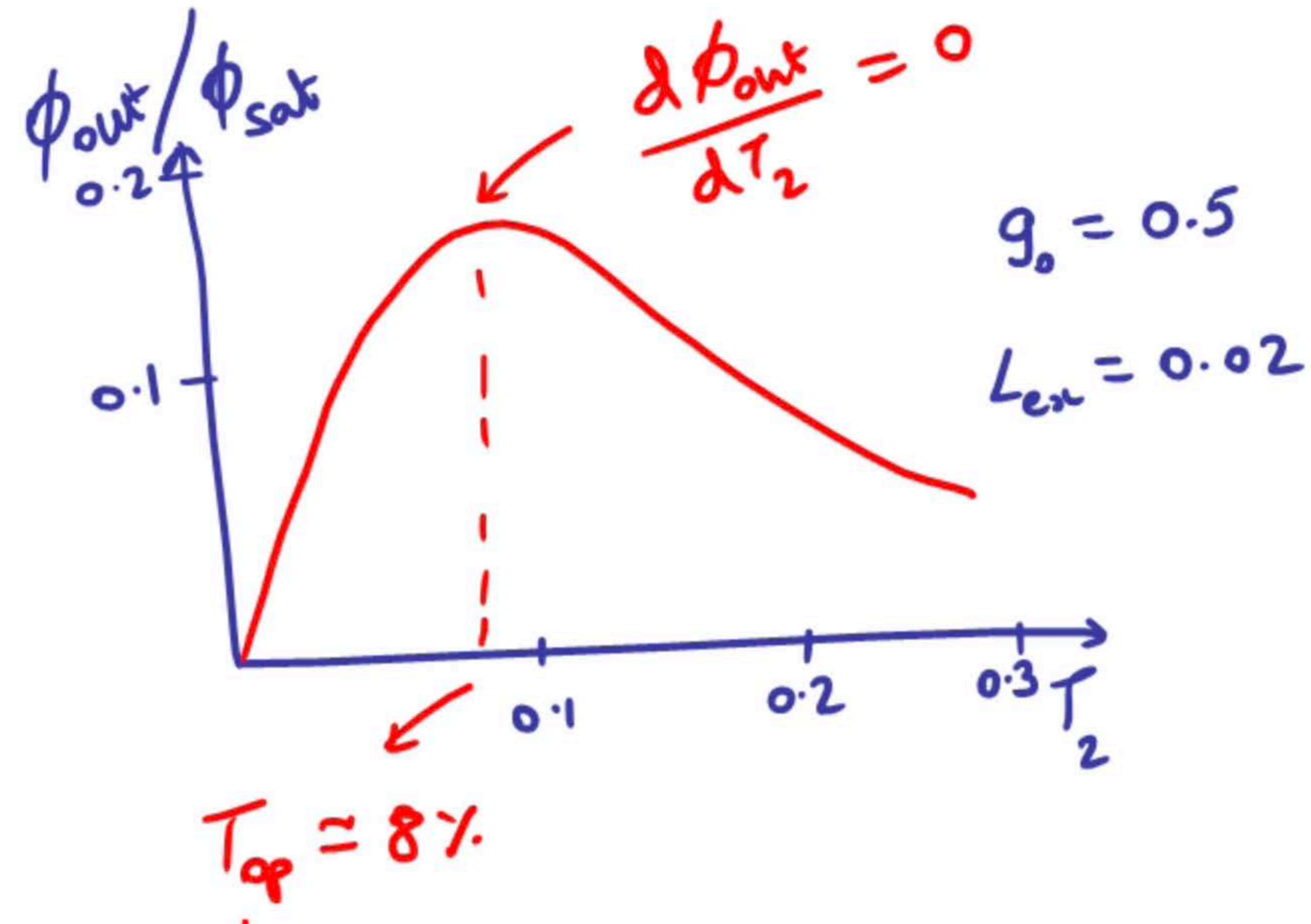
$$\alpha_{m2} = \frac{1}{2L} \ln \left(\frac{1}{R_2} \right)$$

$$\text{If } T_2 = 1 - R_2 \ll 1$$

$$\ln \left(\frac{1}{R_2} \right) \approx T_2$$

Optimization of Output Coupling.

Assume $R_1 = R_2$, $\phi_{out} = \frac{\phi_s}{2} \cdot T_2$



$$= \frac{\phi_{sat} T_2}{2} \left(\frac{r_0}{\alpha_r} - 1 \right)$$

$$= \frac{\phi_{sat} T_2}{2} \left[\frac{r_0 \cdot 2L}{L_{ex} - \ln(1-T_2)} - 1 \right]$$

$\frac{d\phi_{out}}{dT_2} = 0$ & when $T_2 \ll 1$

$$\ln(1-T_2) \approx -T_2$$

$$T_{op} = (g_0 L_{ex})^{1/2} - L_{ex}$$

$g_0 = r_0 \cdot 2L$
Gain factor

$$\alpha_r = \alpha_{int} + \alpha_{m1} + \alpha_{m2}$$

$$= \alpha_L + \frac{1}{2L} \ln\left(\frac{1}{R_2}\right)$$

$$= \alpha_L - \frac{1}{2L} \ln(1-T_2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2L} [L_{ex} - \ln(1-T_2)]$$

$$L_{ex} = 2L (\alpha_{int} + \alpha_{m1})$$