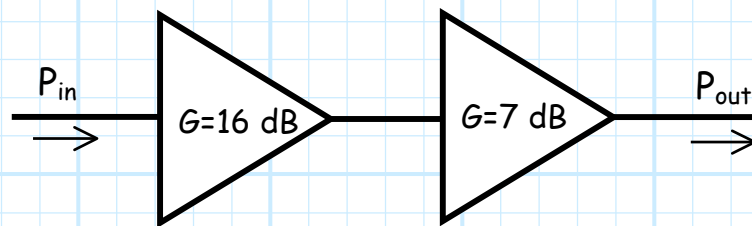


Special Problem II.A-25

1. The input power to an amplifier is -50 dBm and its output is -60 dBW. What is the gain of this amplifier in dB?
2. An amplifier with a gain of 23 dB has an output power of -20 dBm. Determine the input power in dBm, dBW, and Watts.
3. Two amplifiers are cascaded as shown below:



If the input power to the first amplifier is -73 dBm, determine the power out of the second amplifier. What is the total effective gain is achieved by cascading these two amps?

4. The power out of a certain device is $P_{out} = x^3$ mW. If $P_{out} = -47$ dBm, find the value of x .