

EE 321
Fall 2002

Homework #12

Solutions

5.3)



$$k_n \frac{w}{l} = 4mA/V^2 = K_n$$

$$V_t = -2$$

$$V_{DS} = 1 - V_S \quad V_{GS} = 0 - V_S = -V_S \quad V_{GS} - V_t = -V_S - (-2) = 2 - V_S$$

$V_{DS} < V_{GS} - V_t$, so MOSFET will be in triode mode

$$I_D = K_n [(V_{GS} - V_t)(V_{DS} - \frac{1}{2}V_{DS}^2)]$$

$$2 = 4 \left[(2 - V_S)(1 - V_S) - \frac{1}{2}(1 - V_S)^2 \right]$$

$$2 = 6 - 8V_S + 2V_S^2$$

$$V_S^2 - 4V_S + 2 = 0$$

$$V_S = 3.414 \text{ V or } 0.586 \text{ V}$$

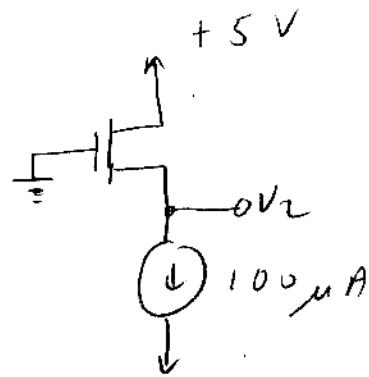
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Impossible, must be $< 1 \text{ V}$

$$\therefore V_S = 0.586 \text{ V}$$

5.11

(b)



$$k_n \frac{W}{L} = 0.5 \text{ mA/V}^2 = k_n$$

$$V_t = 2 \text{ V}$$

$$V_D = 5 \text{ V} \quad V_G = 0 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{DS} = V_{GS} + 5 \text{ V} > V_{GS} - V_t, \text{ so Q in saturation}$$

$$I_D = \frac{1}{2} k_n (V_{GS} - V_t)^2$$

$$0.1 \text{ mA} = \frac{1}{2} (0.5 \text{ mA/V}^2) (V_{GS} - 2)^2$$

$$0.4 \text{ V}^2 = (V_{GS} - 2)^2$$

$$0.623 \text{ V} = V_{GS} - 2$$

$$V_{GS} = 2.623 \text{ V}$$

$$V_t = V_s = V_G - V_{GS} = 0 - 2.623 \text{ V} = -2.623 \text{ V}$$

(d)



$$V_{DS} = V_{GS} > V_{GS} - V_t, \text{ so Q in saturation}$$

$$I_D = \frac{1}{2} k_n (V_{GS} - V_t)^2$$

$$0.01 \text{ mA} = \frac{1}{2} (0.5 \text{ mA/V}^2) (V_{GS} - 2)^2$$

$$0.04 \text{ V}^2 = (V_{GS} - 2)^2$$

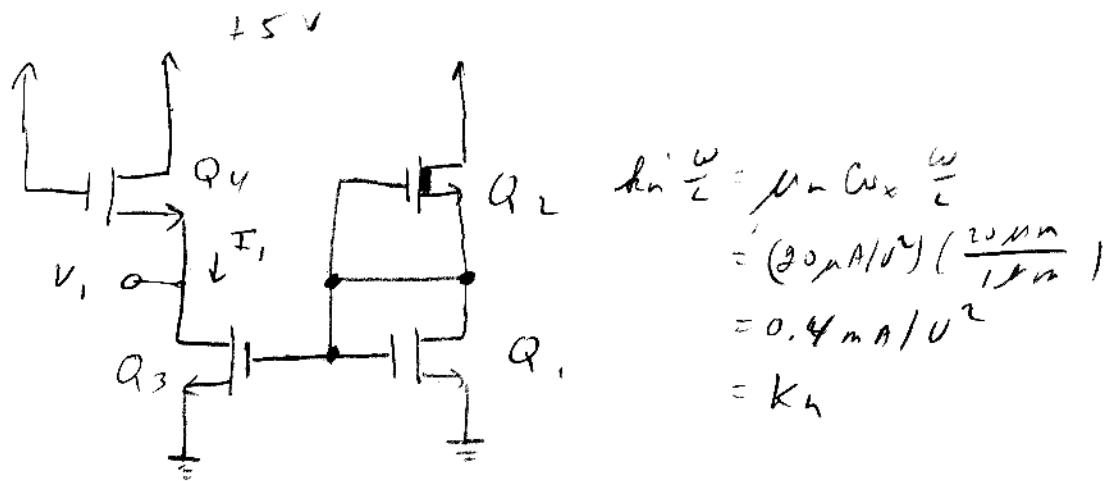
$$0.2 \text{ V} = V_{GS} - 2$$

$$V_{GS} = 2.2 \text{ V}$$

$$V_Y = V_G = V_{GS} - V_t = 2.2 \text{ V} - 0 \text{ V}$$

$$V_Y = 2.2 \text{ V}$$

5.45(a)



$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dI}{dV} &= \mu_n C_x \frac{W}{L} \\ &= (20 \mu A/V^2) \left(\frac{20 \mu m}{1 \mu m} \right) \\ &= 0.4 mA/V^2 \\ &= K_n \end{aligned}$$

For Q_1, Q_3 and Q_4 , $V_t = 1V$

For Q_3 , $V_{t3} = -1V$

For Q_1 , $V_{DS} = V_{GS}$ $\therefore V_{DS} > V_{GS} - V_t$, so saturation

Also $I_{D1} = I_{D2}$

Assume Q_2 saturated

$$I_{D1} = I_{D2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} K_n (V_{GS1} - V_{t1}) = \frac{1}{2} K_n (V_{GS2} - V_{t2})$$

$$\frac{1}{2} K_n (V_{GS1} - 1) = \frac{1}{2} K_n (V_{GS2} + 1)$$

$$V_{GS1} = V_{GS2} + 2$$

$$V_{GS2} = 0, \text{ so } V_{GS1} = 2V \Rightarrow V_G = 2V \text{ and } V_{S2} = 2V$$

$$V_{DS2} = V_{D2} - V_{S2} = 5 - 2 = 3V$$

$$V_{GS2} - V_{t2} = 0 - (-1) = 1V$$

$V_{DS2} > V_{GS2} - V_{t2}$, so assumption Q_2 in saturation is correct

$$V_{G_3} = V_{G_1} = 2 \text{ V} \quad V_{GS_3} = V_{G_3} - V_{S_3} = 2 \text{ V}$$

$V_{D_4} = V_{G_4} \Rightarrow V_{DS_4} = V_{GS_4} \Rightarrow V_{DS_4} > V_{GS_4} - V_{t_4}$
 $\Rightarrow Q_4 \text{ is saturation}$

$$\text{Also } I_{D_3} = I_{D_4}$$

Assume Q_3 is saturation

$$I_{D_3} = I_{D_4}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} k_n (V_{GS_3} - V_{t_3})^2 = \frac{1}{2} k_n (V_{GS_4} - V_{t_4})^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_{GS_4} &= V_{GS_3} - V_{t_3} + V_{t_4} \\ &= 2 - 1 + ? \\ &= 2 \text{ V} \end{aligned}$$

$$V_{GS_4} = V_{G_4} - V_{S_4} = V_{D_3} - V_{S_4} \Rightarrow$$

$$V_{S_4} = V_{AD} - V_{GS_4} = 5 - 2 = 3 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{D_3} = V_{S_4}, \text{ so } V_{DS_3} = V_{D_3} - V_{S_3} = 3 - 0 = 3 \text{ V}$$

$V_{DS_3} > V_{GS_3} - V_{t_1}$, so Q_3 is saturation as assumed

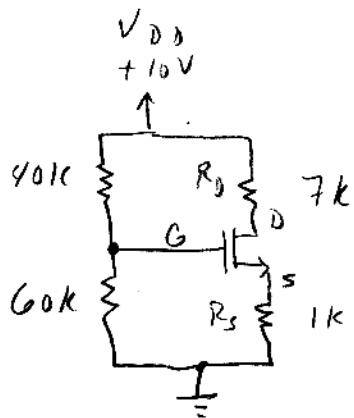
$$\therefore V_1 = V_{D_3} = 3 \text{ V}$$

$$I_1 = I_{D_4} = \frac{1}{2} k_n (V_{GS_4} - V_{t_4})^2 = \frac{1}{2} (0.4) (2 \text{ V} - 1 \text{ V}) = 0.2 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_1 = 3 \text{ V}$$

$$I_1 = 0.2 \text{ mA}$$

4.



$$k_n \frac{W}{L} = 0.25 \text{ mA/V}^2 = k_n$$

$$V_t = 2 \text{ V}$$

$$V_G = \frac{60k}{40k + 60k} 10 \text{ V} = 6 \text{ V}$$

$$V_D = V_{DD} - I_D R_D \quad V_S = I_D R_S \quad V_{GS} = 6 \text{ V} - I_D R_S$$

$$V_{DS} = V_{DD} - I_D (R_D + R_S)$$

Assume saturation

$$I_D = \frac{1}{2} k_n (V_{GS} - V_t)^2 = \frac{1}{2} (0.25) (6 \text{ V} - I_D R_S - 2 \text{ V})^2$$

$$8I_D = (4 - I_D)^2 = 16 - 8I_D + I_D^2$$

$$I_D^2 - 16I_D + 16 = 0$$

$$I_D = 14.9 \text{ mA} \quad \text{or} \quad 1.1 \text{ mA}$$

$$T_{DS} = 9.9 \text{ mA} \quad V_D = 10 - I_D R_D = 10 - (14.9)(7) = -109 \text{ V} \quad \text{impossible}$$

$$T_{DS} = 1.1 \quad V_{DS} = 10 - I_D (R_D + R_S) = 10 - 1.1 (7 + 1) = 1.43 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{GS} = 6 \text{ V} - I_D R_S = 6 - (1.1)(1) = 4.93 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{GS} - V_t = 1.93 \text{ V}$$

$V_{DS} < V_{GS}$ - cannot be (we assumed saturation, so should get $V_{DS} > V_{GS}$)

Assume triode

$$I_D = K_n [(V_{GS} - V_t) V_{DS} - \frac{1}{2} V_{DS}^2]$$

$$= 0.25 [(6 - I_D R_S - 2)(10 - I_D R_D) - \frac{1}{2} (10 - I_D R_D)^2]$$

$$4I_D = (4 - I_D)(10 - 8I_D) - \frac{1}{2} (10 - 8I_D)^2$$

$$4I_D = -10 + 38I_D - 24I_D^2$$

$$24I_D^2 - 34I_D + 10 = 0$$

$$I_D = 0.42 \text{ mA or } 1.0 \text{ mA}$$

Try 0.42 mA:

$$V_{DS} = 10 - I_D(R_D + R_S) = 10 - (0.42)(8) = 6.7 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{GS} = 6 - I_D R_S = 6 - (0.42)(1) = 5.6 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{GS} - V_t = 5.6 \text{ V} - 2 \text{ V} = 3.6 \text{ V}$$

This makes $V_{DS} > V_{GS} - V_t \Rightarrow$ saturation, but we assumed triode, so this is wrong.

Try 1 mA

$$V_{DS} = 10 - I_D(R_D + R_S) = 10 - (1)(8) = 2 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{GS} = 6 - I_D R_S = 6 - (1)(1) = 5 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{GS} - V_t = 5 \text{ V} - 2 \text{ V} = 3 \text{ V}$$

Now $V_{DS} < V_{GS} - V_t$, so triode as we assumed

$$V_D = V_{DS} - I_D R_D = 10 - (1)(7) = 3 \text{ V}$$

$$V_S = I_D R_S = (1)(1) = 1 \text{ V}$$