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Sections: 1 to 24

## Set - A

Final Examination

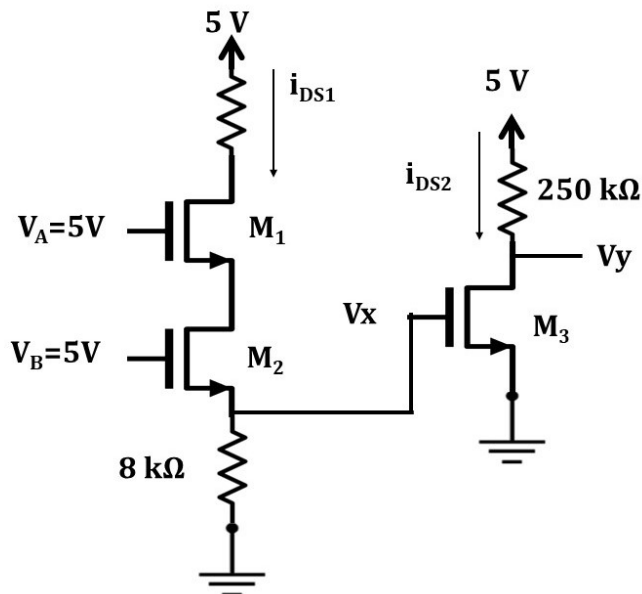
Full Marks: 30

Time: 1.5 hours

Date: Dec 15, 2023

Answer any 3 questions. All the questions carry equal marks.

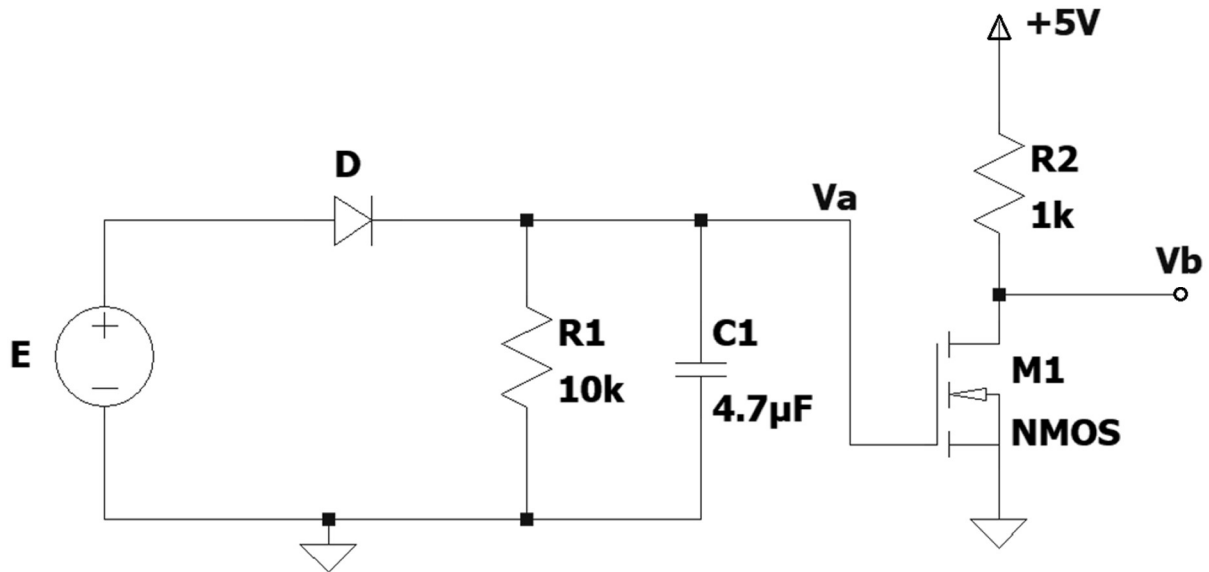
### Question 1



For the following circuit with MOSFETs, assume that  $V_T = 1\text{ V}$ ,  $k_n' = 50\text{ }\mu\text{A/V}^2$  and the aspect ratio  $W/L$  is 1 for all the MOSFETs.

- If the gate voltage to **M3** MOSFET,  $V_x = 0.938\text{ V}$ , and MOSFET **M2** is in triode mode, find the voltage  $V_1$ . [3]
- Determine the value of  $V_y$ . [2]
- If  $W/L=2$ , then  $V_1 = 2.1454\text{ V}$ . Find  $V_x$  for this case. [2]
- Will there be any changes in the output voltage at  $V_y$  for  $W/L = 2$  from that in '**part-b**'? Explain briefly. Also, comment on whether a larger or smaller value of  $W/L$  ratio is preferred in this case. [2+1]

## Question 2

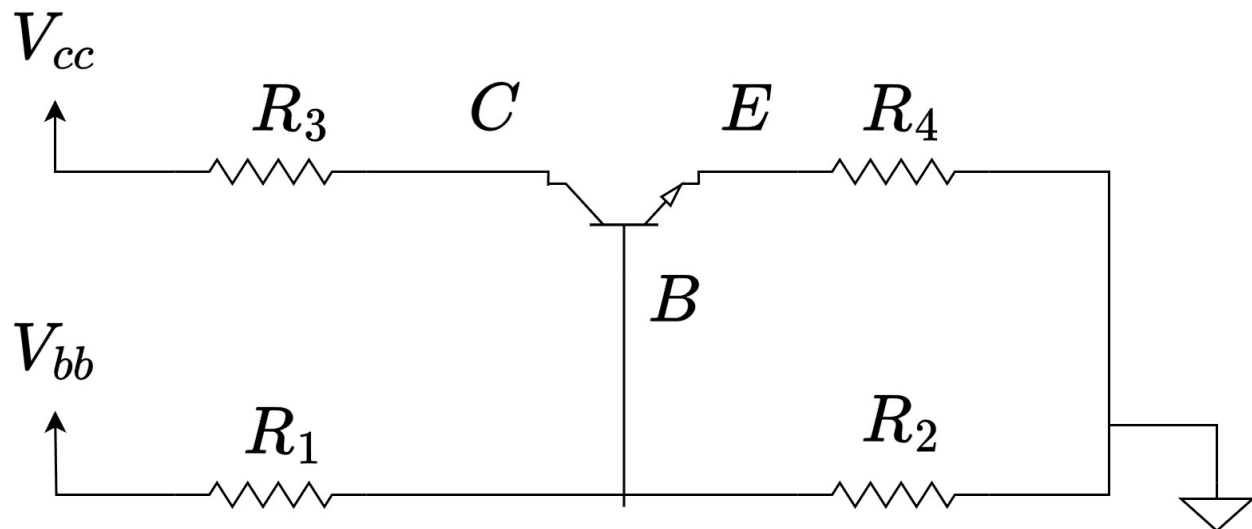


The Half-wave rectifier circuit has been cascaded with an inverter. You are given the following information about the circuit: **[For HW rectifier:  $V_o = V_{dc} \pm V_{ripple} / 2$ ]**

$E = 5 \sin(400\pi t) V$	$K_n = 2 mA/V^2$	$V_T = 1 V$	$V_{Do} = 0.7 V$
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- Determine** the peak-to-peak ripple value of the half-wave rectifier output,  $V_a$ . What is the lowest value of  $V_a$ ? [3+1]
- At the lowest value of  $V_a$ , **determine** the output  $V_b$  of the inverter. [4]
- Now disconnect the capacitor. In this case, **find out** the voltage  $V_b$  for the lowest value of  $V_a$ . [2]
- [BONUS]** Draw an approximate plot of  $V_b$  without the capacitor connection. [2]

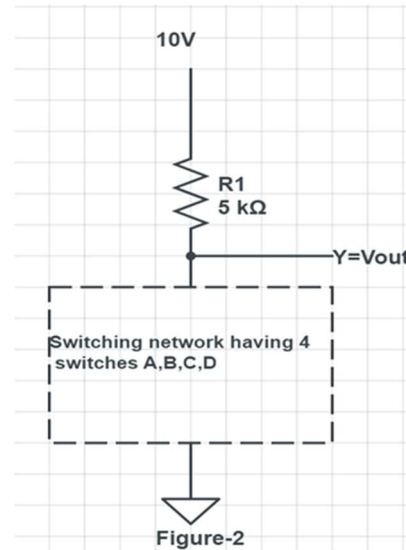
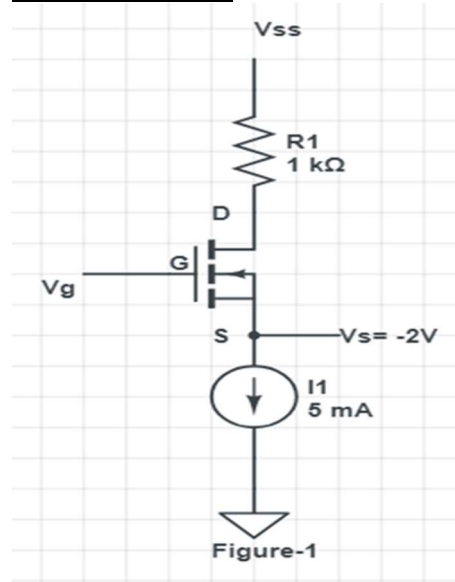
### Question 3



In the circuit above,  $V_{bb} = 5\text{ V}$ ,  $V_{cc} = 15\text{ V}$ ,  $R_1 = 20\text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $R_2 = 80\text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $R_3 = 2\text{ k}\Omega$  and  $R_4 = 1\text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $\beta = 100$ .

- Draw** the equivalent circuit of BJT during saturation and active modes. [1]
- Analyze** the following circuit to **calculate** the values of  $I_b$ ,  $I_c$ ,  $I_e$ ,  $V_{CE}$  and  $V_C$  using the method of assumed states. You must validate your assumptions. [6]  
(Hint: find the Thevenin equivalent of the bottom circuit from the B terminal and ground)
- If  $V_{bb}$  is changed **from 5V to 5.1V**, calculate  $I_b$ ,  $I_c$ ,  $I_e$ ,  $V_{CE}$  and  $V_C$  again. Now for a 0.1V increase in input  $V_{bb}$ , what is the change of  $I_c$ ? [3]  
Use the equation,  $\Delta I_c = I_{c(NEW)} - I_{c(OLD)}$
- [BONUS]** Explain any use case of the differences in voltage increase between input and output. What could the use case be to such a phenomenon? [1]

## Question 4

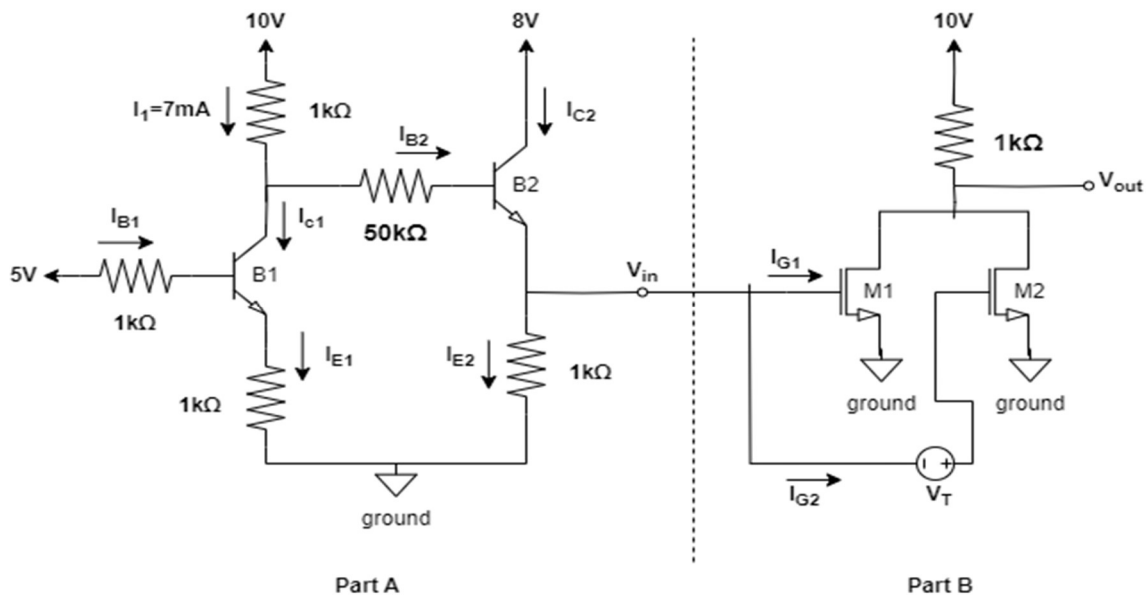


- a) For the MOSFET in Figure-1,  $V_T = 1\text{ V}$  and  $k_n' = 2\text{ mA/V}^2$ . Assume that the MOSFET is in **Saturation mode**. Determine the gate voltage,  $V_g$  and the minimum supply voltage,  $V_{ss}$  to operate the device in this condition. [Hint:  $V_{OV} = V_{DS}$ ] [3+2]
- b) In Figure-2, the MOSFET switching network turns ON the following conditions MUST be fulfilled -
- 'A' MUST be ON
  - 'B' and 'C' MUST be ON or 'D' MUST be ON

**Deduce** the logic function, F, using Boolean variables A, B, C, and D to implement these conditions. [2]

- c) Assume, only A and D switches are ON in the switching network of Figure-2. **Find out** the output voltage,  $V_{out}$ . Let,  $R_{ON} = 0.1\text{ k}\Omega$  and use the SR model. [3]
- d) **[BONUS]** In Figure-2, assume the input on a NOT gate is connected to  $V_{out}$ . **Explain** mathematically whether it will be possible to turn OFF the NOT gate when  $V_{out}$  is LOW. Assume,  $V_T = 0.5\text{ V}$ ,  $V_{out} = V_{out(LOW)}$  of 'part-b'. [2]

## Question 5



In the circuit above, the BJTs have the following specification:  $\beta=100$ , Forward Active Region:  $V_{BE} = 0.7\text{ V}$ ,  $I_C = \beta I_B$ , Saturation Region:  $V_{BE} = 0.8\text{ V}$ ,  $V_{CE} = 0.2\text{ V}$ , or the MOSFETs:  $V_T =$  Threshold Voltage of M1 and M2.

- Determine  $i_{g1}$  and  $i_{g2}$ .** [1]
- The SR model of MOSFET is more efficient than the S model- Justify this statement. [1]
- Assume, B1 and B2 are in the **Saturation region**. Calculate  $i_{c2}$ . [2]
- Assume, B1 is in the **Forward Active region**. Calculate  $V_{in}$ . [4]
- Draw the VTC** of Part- B assuming,  $V_T = 8\text{ V}$ . [Use S model of MOSFETs]. [2]

Equations for MOSFET

$$I_D = 0, \text{ if } V_{GS} < V_T$$

$$I_D = k \left[ (V_{GS} - V_T) V_{DS} - \frac{1}{2} V_{DS}^2 \right], \text{ if } V_{GS} \geq V_T \text{ and } V_{DS} < (V_{GS} - V_T)$$

$$I_D = \frac{1}{2} k (V_{GS} - V_T)^2, \text{ if } V_{GS} \geq V_T \text{ and } V_{DS} \geq (V_{GS} - V_T)$$