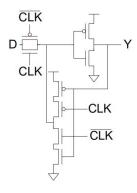
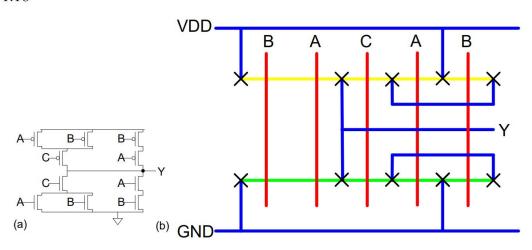


1.15 This latch is nearly identical save that the inverter and transmission gate feedback has been replaced by a tristate feedaback gate.



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2.2 In (a), the transistor sees  $V_{gs} = V_{DD}$  and  $V_{ds} = V_{DS}$ . The current is

$$I_{DS1} = \frac{\beta}{2} \left( V_{DD} - V_t - \frac{V_{DS}}{2} \right) V_{DS}$$

In (b), the bottom transistor sees  $V_{gs} = V_{DD}$  and  $V_{ds} = V_1$ . The top transistor sees  $V_{gs} = V_{DD}$  -  $V_1$  and  $V_{ds} = V_{DS}$  -  $V_1$ . The currents are

$$I_{DS2} = \beta \left( V_{DD} - V_t - \frac{V_1}{2} \right) V_1 = \beta \left( \left( V_{DD} - V_1 \right) - V_t - \frac{\left( V_{DS} - V_1 \right)}{2} \right) \left( V_{DS} - V_1 \right)$$

Solving for  $V_1$ , we find

$$V_{1} = (V_{DD} - V_{t}) - \sqrt{(V_{DD} - V_{t})^{2} - (V_{DD} - V_{t} - \frac{V_{DS}}{2})V_{DS}}$$

Substituting  $V_1$  indo the  $I_{DS2}$  equation and simplifying gives  $I_{DS1} = I_{DS2}$ .

2.10 (a)  $(1.2 - 0.3)^2 / (1.2 - 0.4)^2 = 1.26 (26\%)$ 

(b) 
$$\frac{e^{\frac{-0.3}{1.4 \cdot 0.026}}}{e^{\frac{-0.4}{1.4 \cdot 0.026}}} = 15.6$$

(c) 
$$v_T = kT/q = 34 \text{ mV};$$
  $\frac{e^{\frac{-0.3}{1.4 \cdot 0.034}}}{e^{\frac{-0.4}{1.4 \cdot 0.034}}} = 8.2;$  note, however, that the total leakage

will normally be higher for both threshold voltages at high temperature.

2.16 Set the currents through the transistors equal and solve the nasty quadratic for  $V_{\rm out}$ .

In region B, the nMOS is saturated and pMOS is linear:

$$\frac{\beta}{2} (V_{\text{in}} - V_t)^2 = \beta \left( (V_{\text{in}} - V_{DD}) - \frac{(V_{\text{out}} - V_{DD})}{2} + V_t \right) (V_{\text{out}} - V_{DD})$$

$$V_{\text{out}} = (V_{\text{in}} + V_t) + \sqrt{(V_{\text{in}} + V_t)^2 - (V_{\text{in}} - V_t)^2 + V_{DD} (V_{DD} - 2V_{\text{in}} - 2V_t)}$$

In region D, the nMOS is linear and the pMOS is saturated:

$$\frac{\beta}{2} \left( V_{\text{in}} - V_{DD} + V_t \right)^2 = \beta \left( V_{\text{in}} - V_t - \frac{V_{\text{out}}}{2} \right) \left( V_{\text{out}} \right)$$

$$V_{\text{out}} = \left( V_{\text{in}} - V_t \right) - \sqrt{\left( V_{\text{in}} - V_t \right)^2 - \left( V_{DD} - V_{\text{in}} - V_t \right)^2}$$

2.20 (a) 0; (b)  $2|V_{tp}|$ ; (c)  $|V_{tp}|$ ; (d)  $V_{DD}$  -  $V_{tn}$