

## Q4) NMOS inverter.

a)  $V_{OH} \Rightarrow$  Since  $V_{IN} = 0V$   
 $\Rightarrow$  No major current  $\Rightarrow$  ~~Major drop~~  
across  $R_L$

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$$\Rightarrow \boxed{V_{out} = 2.5V} \Rightarrow V_{OH}$$

\*  $V_{OL}$  :-  $V_{IN} = 2.5V (V_{DD})$

\* Here NMOS in linear region.

$$\frac{k'W}{L} \left( (V_{GS} - V_T) V_{OL} - \frac{V_{OL}^2}{2} \right) = \frac{V_{DD} - V_{OL}}{R_L}$$

$$\Rightarrow k' = 345 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\Rightarrow (345 \times 10^{-6})(75 \times 10^3) \left( 2.07 V_{OL} - \frac{V_{OL}^2}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2.5 - V_{OL}}{R_L}$$

$$\Rightarrow (25.87) \left( 2.07 V_{OL} - \frac{V_{OL}^2}{2} \right) = 2.5 - V_{OL}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{V_{OL} = 46.33 \text{ mV}}$$

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\*  $V_M$ :  $\therefore V_{IN} = V_{out}$

$\Rightarrow$   $k/w$  (NMOS in saturation)



$$\Rightarrow \frac{k/w}{2L} (V_M - V_T)^2 = \frac{V_{DD} - V_M}{R_L}$$

$$\Rightarrow 172.5 \times 10^6 (V_M - 0.43)^2 = \frac{2.5 - V_M}{75 \times 10^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 12.9 (V_M - 0.43)^2 = 2.5 - V_M$$

$\Rightarrow$  Solving the Quad eqn.

$$V_M = 0.79 \text{ V}$$

(b) \*  $V_{IL}, V_{IH} = ?$

For  $V_{IL}, V_{IH} \Rightarrow \frac{dV_{out}}{dV_{in}}, -1$

①  $V_{IL}$  (NMOS is saturation region)

$$\frac{V_{DD} - V_{out}}{R_L} = \frac{K'_N}{2L} (V_{in} - V_T)^2$$

$\Rightarrow$  Derivating wrt.  $V_{in}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-1}{R_L} \left( \underbrace{\frac{dV_{out}}{dV_{in}}}_{-1} \right) = \frac{K'_N}{2L} (2) (V_{in} - V_T)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{R_L} = \frac{K'_N}{L} (V_{in} - V_T)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cancel{V_{IL}} V_{IL} = V_{in} = \frac{L}{K'_N R_L} + V_T$$

$$= \frac{10^6}{(1035) * (15 \times 10^3)} + 0.43$$

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$$\boxed{V_{IL} = 0.468 \text{ V}}$$

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\*  $V_{IH}$  (NMOS in linear regn)

$$\frac{V_{DD} - V_{out}}{R_L} = \frac{K'W}{L} \left[ (V_{in} - V_T) V_{out} - \frac{V_{out}^2}{2} \right] \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{-1}{R_L} \frac{dV_{out}}{dV_{in}} = \frac{K'W}{L} \left[ (V_{in} - V_T) \frac{dV_{out}}{dV_{in}} + V_{out} - 2 \frac{V_{out}}{2} \frac{dV_{out}}{dV_{in}} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{R_L} = \frac{K'W}{L} [V_T - V_{in} + 2V_{out}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{L}{R_L K'W} = V_T - V_{in} + 2V_{out}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{in} = V_T + 2V_{out} - \frac{L}{R_L K'W} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Solving (2), (1) =

$$\Rightarrow 2.5 - V_{out} = \frac{R_L K'W}{L} \left[ \left( 2V_{out} - \frac{L}{R_L K'W} \right) V_{out} - \frac{V_{out}^2}{2} \right]$$

on Solving this;

$$\boxed{V_{out} = } \Rightarrow 0.253 \text{ V}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{IH} = V_{in} = 2V_{out} + V_T \approx 0.012$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{V_{IH} = V_{in} = } \Rightarrow 0.899 \text{ V}$$

b) contd.

Noise margin

$$N_{MH} = V_{OH} - V_{IH} = 2.5 - 0.9 \\ = 1.6 \text{ V}$$

$$N_{ML} = V_{IL} - V_{OL} \\ = 0.468 - 0.046 \\ = 0.42 \text{ V}$$



(c) Peak gain  $\Rightarrow$  happens at  $V_m$   
( $V_{in} = V_{out}$ )  $\Rightarrow$  Saturation sign

$$\frac{k'W}{2L}(V_m - V_T)^2 = \frac{V_{DD} - V_{out}}{R_L}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \frac{\partial V_{out}}{\partial V_{in}} \right|_{V_{in}=V_m} \Rightarrow \text{gain}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{k'W}{2L}(2(V_m - V_T)) = -\frac{1}{R_L} \left( \frac{\partial V_{out}}{\partial V_{in}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-R_L k'W}{L}(V_m - V_T) = \text{gain (peak)}$$

Solving

$$\text{Peakgain} : \Rightarrow 25.875 (0.793 - 0.43)$$

$$\Rightarrow 9.38 \underline{\underline{V}}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Peakgain} = -9.38V}$$