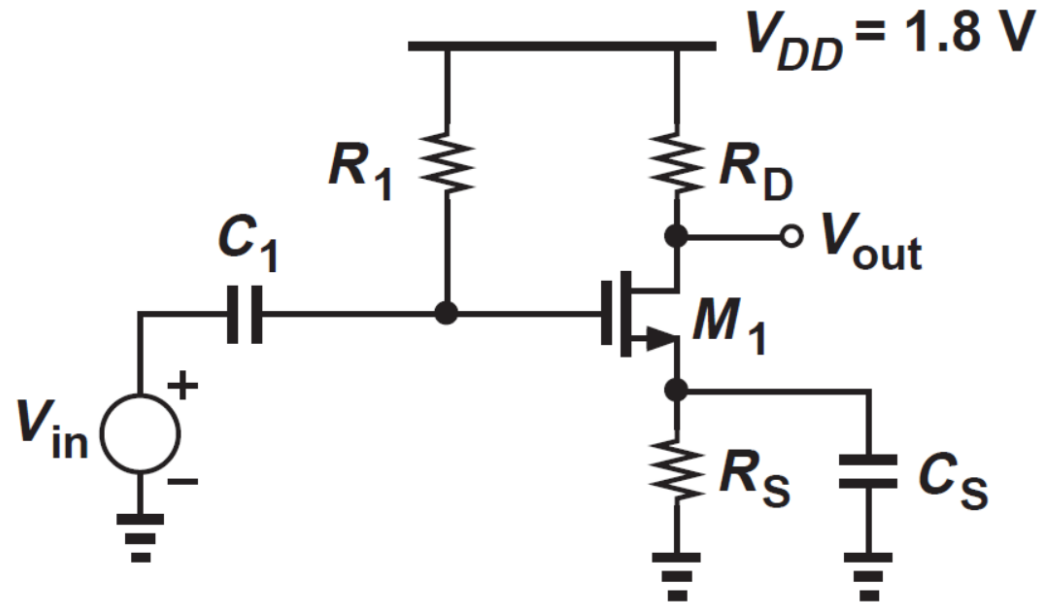


Q1. The circuit below has a voltage gain of 6. Assuming a power budget ( $V_{DD} \times I_D$ ) of 2 mW and an input impedance of 20 k $\Omega$ , find  $R_D$  and a range of  $R_S$  in the circuit such that  $M_1$  operates 200 mV away from the triode region.  $V_{TH} = 0.4$  V and no gate leakage.  $A_v = \frac{g_m R_D}{1 + g_m R_S}$ .



Q2. Due to a manufacturing error, a parasitic resistor  $R_P$  has appeared in the circuit below. We know that circuit samples free from this error exhibit  $V_{GS} = V_{DS} + 100 \text{ mV}$  whereas defective samples exhibit  $V_{GS} = V_{DS} + 50 \text{ mV}$ . Determine the value of  $W/L$  and  $R_P$ .  $\mu_n c_{ox} = 200 \mu$ ;  $V_{TH} = 0.4 \text{ V}$ . *Hint: find  $W/L$  from the MOSFET without defect first.*

