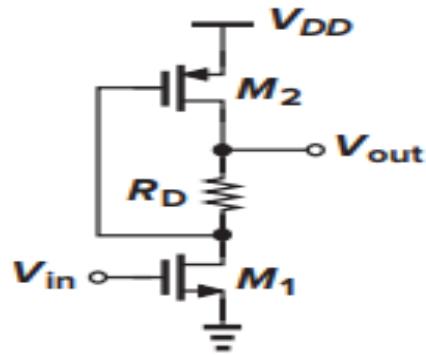


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## PRACTICE SHEET-2

**Q1)** Assuming all MOSFETs are in saturation, calculate the small-signal voltage gain of circuit in Fig. 1. ( $\lambda = 0$ ,  $\gamma = 0$ ) **(fig 1.)**

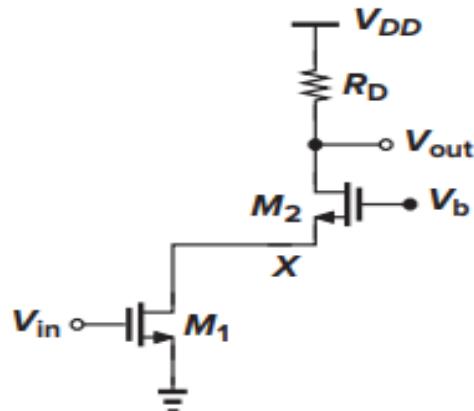


**(fig 1.)**

**Q2)** In the cascode stage of Fig. 2, assume that  $(W/L)1 = 50/0.5$ ,  $(W/L)2 = 10/0.5$ ,  $ID1 = ID2 = 0.5$  mA, and  $R_D = 1$  k.  $V_{th}=0.77$ v Ignore Body effect. **(fig 2.)**

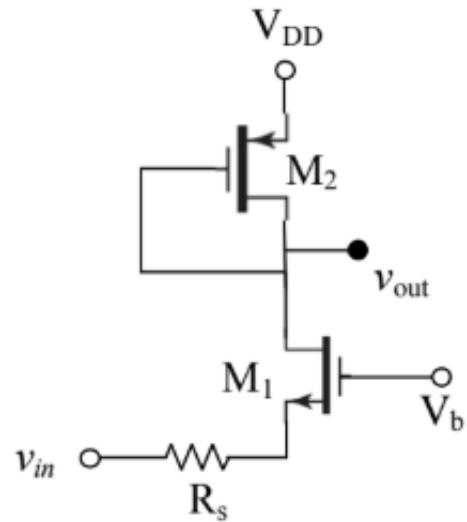
(a) Choose  $V_b$  such that  $M_1$  is 50 mV away from the triode region.

(b) Calculate the small-signal voltage gain.



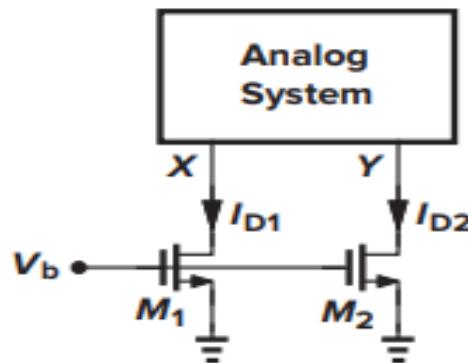
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- Q3)** Assuming all the MOSFETs in Fig. 3 are in saturation and  $\lambda = 0$ ,  $\gamma = 0$ ,
- draw a simplified small-signal equivalent model of the circuit in Fig 3.
  - calculate the small-signal voltage gain of the circuit. **(fig 3.)**



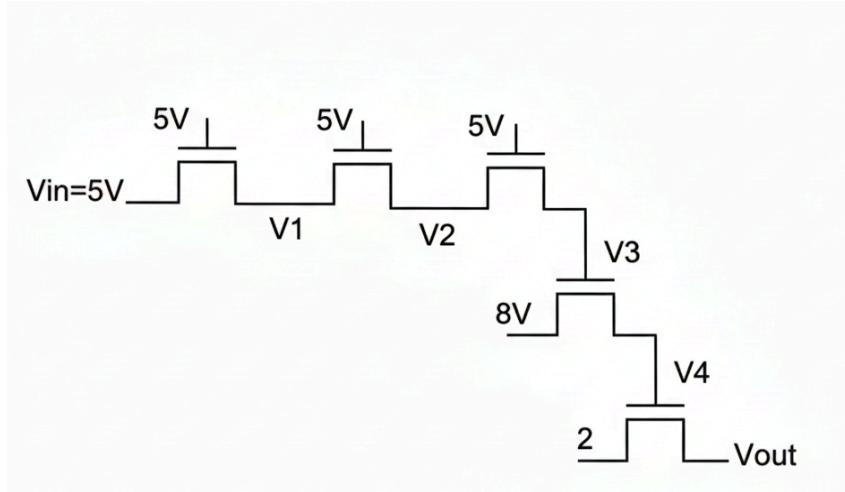
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- Q4)** Two identical NMOS transistors are used as constant current sources in a system Fig. 4. However, due to the internal circuitry of the system,  $V_X$  is higher than  $V_Y$  by  $V$ .
- Calculate the resulting difference between  $I_{D1}$  and  $I_{D2}$  if  $\lambda = 0$ . **(fig 4.)**



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**Q5)** What will be the voltage at node Vout for the following circuit? (V<sub>th</sub> for all NMOS is 1V). **(fig 5.)**



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