

CAD of Digital VLSI Systems

Homework 4

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1. V_{IH} : PMOS (sat) NMOS (sat)

$$\text{PMOS: } I_D = \frac{1}{2} \mu_p \frac{W}{L} C_{ox} (|V_{gs}| - |V_T|)^2 (1 + \lambda |V_{ds}|)$$

$$\mu_p C_{ox} = k_p \quad \frac{W}{L} = 40 \quad V_{gs} = V_g - V_s = V_{in} - 5 \quad V_{ds} = V_d - V_s = V_o - 5 \quad \lambda = \frac{0.19}{V_o}$$

$$I_D = \frac{1}{2} \times 5 \times 4 \times 40 (V_{in} - 5 - 0.74)^2 (1 + 0.19 (V_o - 5))$$

$$= 108 (4.26 - V_{in})^2 (1.95 - 0.19 V_o)$$

$$\text{NMOS: } I_D = \frac{1}{2} \mu_n \frac{W}{L} C_{ox} (V_{gs} - V_T)^2 (1 + \lambda \frac{V_{ds}}{V_o})$$

$$\mu_n C_{ox} = k_n \quad \frac{W}{L} = \frac{1}{40} \quad V_{gs} = V_o - 0 \quad V_{ds} = V_o \quad \lambda = 0.06$$

$$I_D = \frac{1}{2} \times 19.6 \times \frac{1}{40} (V_o - 0.74)^2 (1 + 0.06 V_o)$$

$$= 0.245 (V_o - 0.74)^2 (1 + 0.06 V_o)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{108}{0.245} (4.26 - V_{in})^2 (1.95 - 0.19 V_o) = 0.245 (V_o - 0.74)^2 (1 + 0.06 V_o)$$

diff w.r.t. V_{in}

$$441 \times (-2) \times (4.26 - V_{in}) (1.95 - 0.19 V_o) + (4.26 - V_{in})^2 (-0.19) \frac{dV_o}{dV_{in}} = 0$$

$$= [2 (V_o - 0.74) (1 + 0.06 V_o) + 0.06 (V_o - 0.74)^2] \frac{dV_o}{dV_{in}}$$

$$V_{in} = 4.26 \quad \checkmark = V_{IH}$$

$$V_{out} = 0.74 \quad \checkmark$$

V_{IL} : PMOS (linear) NMOS (sat)

$$\text{PMOS: } I_D = \mu_p \frac{W}{L} C_{ox} \left[(|V_{GS}| - |V_{TH}|) |V_{DS}| - \frac{1}{2} |V_{DS}|^2 \right]$$

$$k_p = 5 \cdot 4 \cdot \frac{W}{L} = 40 \quad V_{GS} = V_{in} - 5 \quad V_{DS} = V_o - 5$$

$$I_D = 5 \cdot 4 \times 40 \left[(4.26 - V_{in})(5 - V_o) - \frac{(5 - V_o)^2}{2} \right]$$

$$\text{NMOS: } I_D = \frac{1}{2} \mu_n C_{ox} \frac{W}{L} (V_{GS} - V_T)^2 (1 + \lambda V_{DS})$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{40} \times 19.6 (V_o - 0.74)^2 (1 + 0.06 V_o)$$

$$= 0.245 (V_o - 0.74)^2 (1 + 0.06 V_o)$$

$$\frac{216}{0.245} \left[(4.26 - V_{in})(5 - V_o) - \frac{(5 - V_o)^2}{2} \right] = (V_o - 0.74)^2 (1 + 0.06 V_o)$$

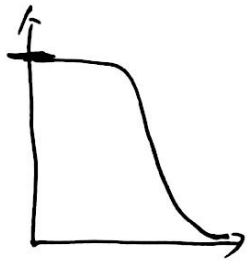
diff w.r.t V_{in}

$$\frac{216}{0.245} \left[(V_o - 5) + (-1) \frac{dV_o}{dV_{in}} (4.26 - V_{in}) - (V_o - 5) \frac{dV_o}{dV_{in}} \right] = \left[2(V_o - 0.74)(1 + 0.06 V_o) + (V_o - 0.74)^2 \times 0.06 \frac{dV_o}{dV_{in}} \right]$$

$$V_{in} = 4.01 = V_{IL}$$

$$V_o = 4.87$$

V_{OH} : when $V_{in} = 0$. $P(\text{lin}) - N(\text{sat})$.



$$\frac{216}{0.245} \left[(4.26 - V_{in})(5 - V_o) - \frac{(5 - V_o)^2}{2} \right] = (V_o - 0.74)(1 + 0.06 V_o)$$

$$V_{in} = 0 \quad V_o = V_{OH} = 4.99 \approx 5 \text{ V}$$

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V_{OL} : Since NMOS is always in saturation, the minimum $V_{out} = 0.74 \text{ V} = V_{OL}$.

V_{LT} : $V_o = V_{in}$ $N(\text{sat})$ $P(\text{sat})$

$$\frac{\beta_p}{2} (V_{sg} - |V_{tp}|)^2 (1 + \lambda V_{sd}) = \frac{\beta_n}{2} (V_{gs} - V_{tn})^2 (1 + \lambda V_{ds})$$

$$216 (4.26 - V_{in})^2 (1 + 0.19(5 - V_{in})) = 0.49 (V_{in} - 0.74)^2 (1 + 0.06 V_{in})$$

$$V_{in} = 4.09 = V_{LT}$$

$$NML = |V_{OL} - V_{IL}| = 4.01 - 0.74 = 3.27$$

$$NMH = |V_{OH} - V_{IH}| = 5 - 4.26 = 0.74$$

$T_r \cdot T_f$:

$$C_{gd1} = 2 \times 6.6 \times 10^{-12} \times 20 \times 10^{-6} = 2.64 \times 10^{-16} \quad C_{gd2} = 0$$

$$C_{db1} = 1.836 \times 10^{-17} \text{ F} \quad C_{db2} = 2.359 \times 10^{-17}$$

$$C_{gs} = C_{gs} = 11 \times 10^{-15}$$

$$C_L = \Sigma = \cancel{2.2} \times 10^{-14} \text{ F}$$

$$T_r = 3.48 \times 10^{-8} \text{ s}$$

$$T_f = 1.264 \times 10^{-7} \text{ s}$$

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$$V_{LT} = \frac{V_{tn} + \sqrt{\beta_p/\beta_n} (V_{dd} - |V_{tp}|)}{1 + \sqrt{\beta_p/\beta_n}} = 1$$

$$\sqrt{\beta_p/\beta_n} = A \quad V_{tn} = 0.74 \quad V_{dd} = 1.8 \quad |V_{tp}| = 0.74$$

$$\frac{0.74 + A(1.8 - 0.74)}{1 + A} = 1$$

$$0.74 + 1.06 A = 1 + A$$

$$A = 4.33 = \sqrt{\beta_p/\beta_n}$$

$$\frac{\beta_p}{\beta_n} = 18.78 = \frac{\mu_p C_{ox} W_p/L_p}{\mu_n C_{ox} W_n/L_n} = \frac{k_p}{k_n} \times \frac{W_p/L_p}{W_n/L_n}$$

$$\frac{k_p}{k_n} = \frac{5.4}{17.6} = 0.2755$$

$$\frac{W_p/L_p}{W_n/L_n} = 68.2 //$$

$$T_f = t_{HL} = \frac{C_L}{\beta_n (V_H - V_{tn})} \left\{ \frac{2V_{tn}}{(V_H - V_{tn})} + \ln \left[\frac{2(V_H - V_{tn})}{V_L} - 1 \right] \right\}$$

$$= \frac{100 \times 10^{-15}}{\beta_n \times 0.88} \left[\frac{1.48}{0.88} + \ln \left(\frac{1.76}{0.18} - 1 \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{438 \times 10^{-15}}{\beta_n} < 2 \times 10^{-7}$$

$$\beta_n > \frac{438 \times 10^{-15}}{2 \times 10^{-7}} = k_n \frac{W_n}{L_n} \Rightarrow \frac{W_n}{L_n} > \frac{219 \times 10^{-6}}{17.6 \times 10^{-6}} = 11.17 //$$

$$T_r = t_{LH} = \frac{C_L}{\beta_p (V_H - |V_{tp}|)} \left\{ \frac{2 |V_{tp}|}{(V_H - |V_{tp}|)} + \ln \left(\frac{2(V_H - |V_{tp}|)}{V_L} - 1 \right) \right\}$$

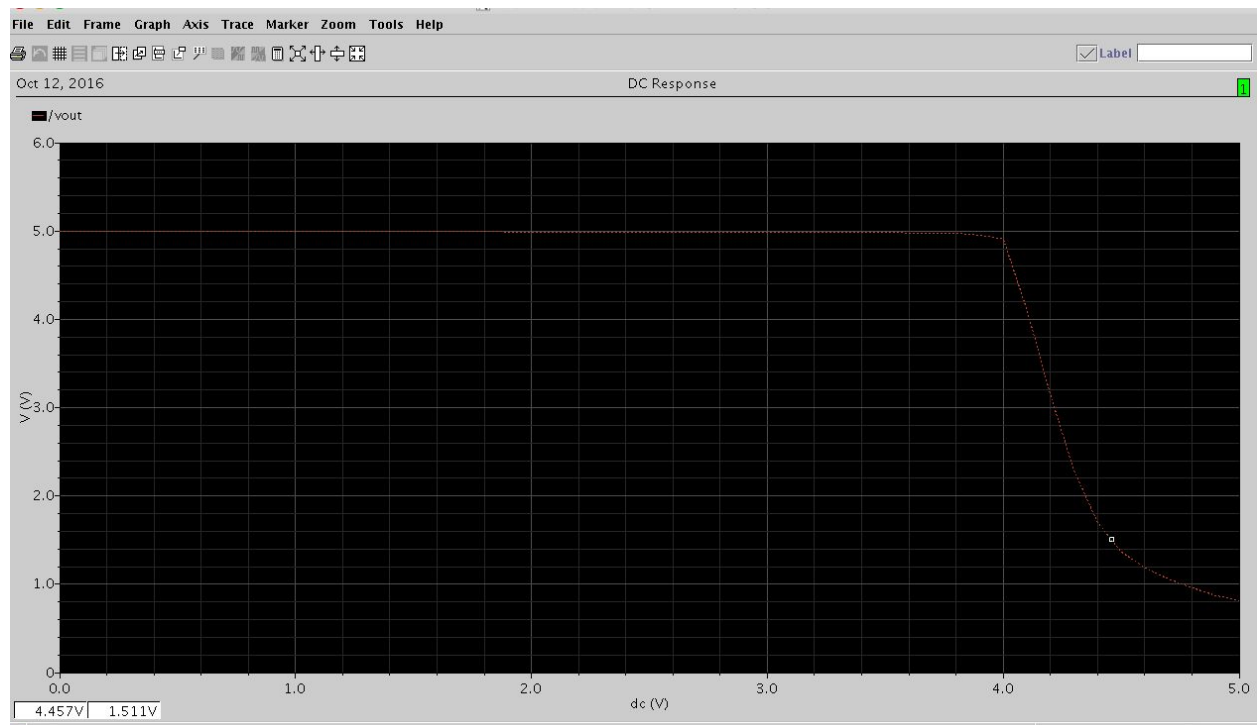
$$= \frac{100 \times 10^{-15}}{\beta_p \times 0.88} \left[\frac{1.48}{0.88} + \ln \left(\frac{1.76}{0.18} - 1 \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{438 \times 10^{-15}}{\beta_p} < 2 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$\beta_p > 219 \times 10^{-6} = k_p \frac{W_p}{L_p} \quad \frac{W_p}{L_p} > \frac{219 \times 10^{-6}}{5.4 \times 10^{-6}} = 40.56 //$$

$$\text{set } \frac{W_n}{L_n} \text{ be minimum} \quad \frac{W_n}{L_n} = 12 \quad \frac{W_p/L_p}{W_n/L_n} = 68.2 \bullet \frac{W_p}{L_p} = 818.4 > 40.56 //$$

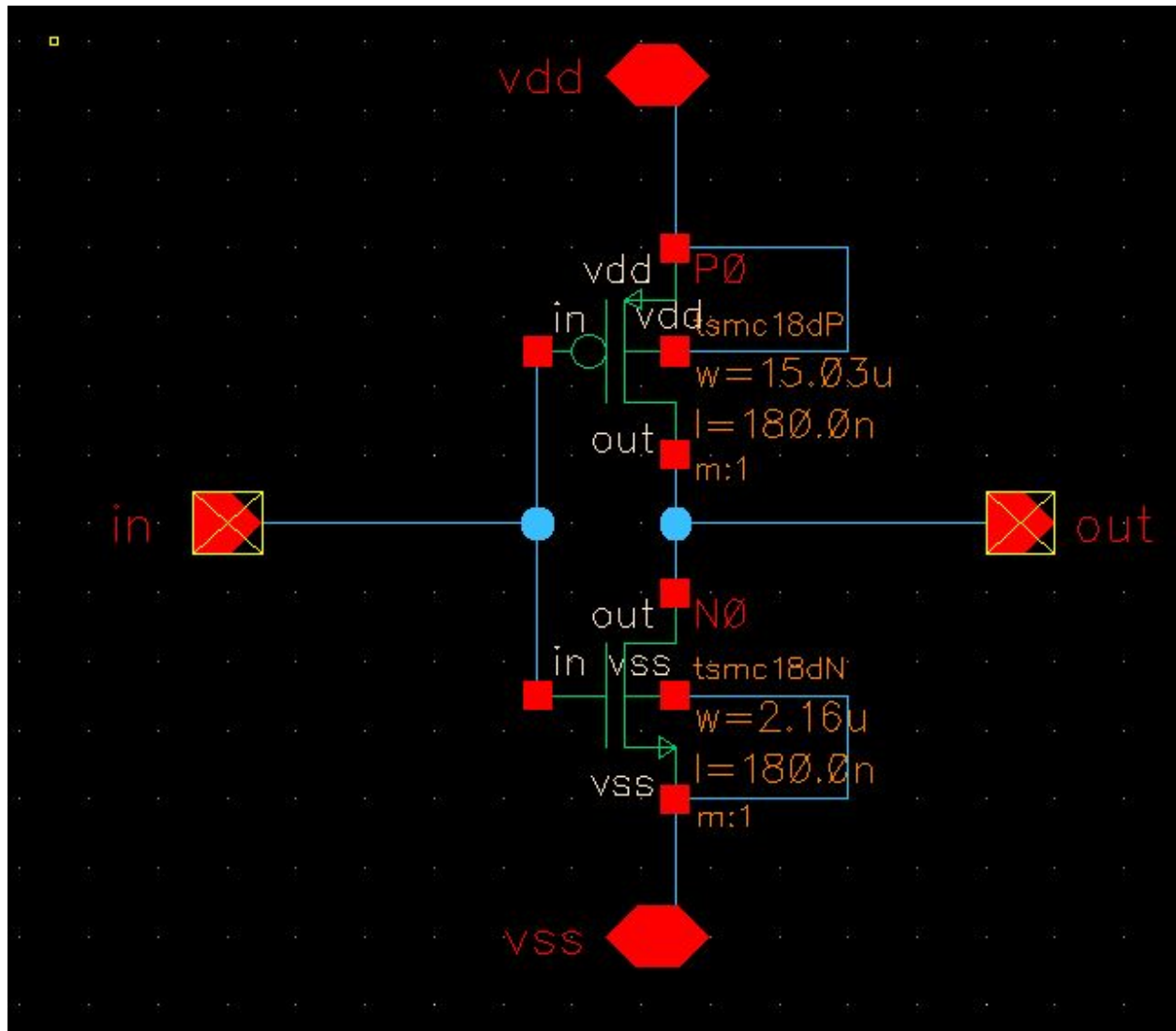
Q1 simulation verification



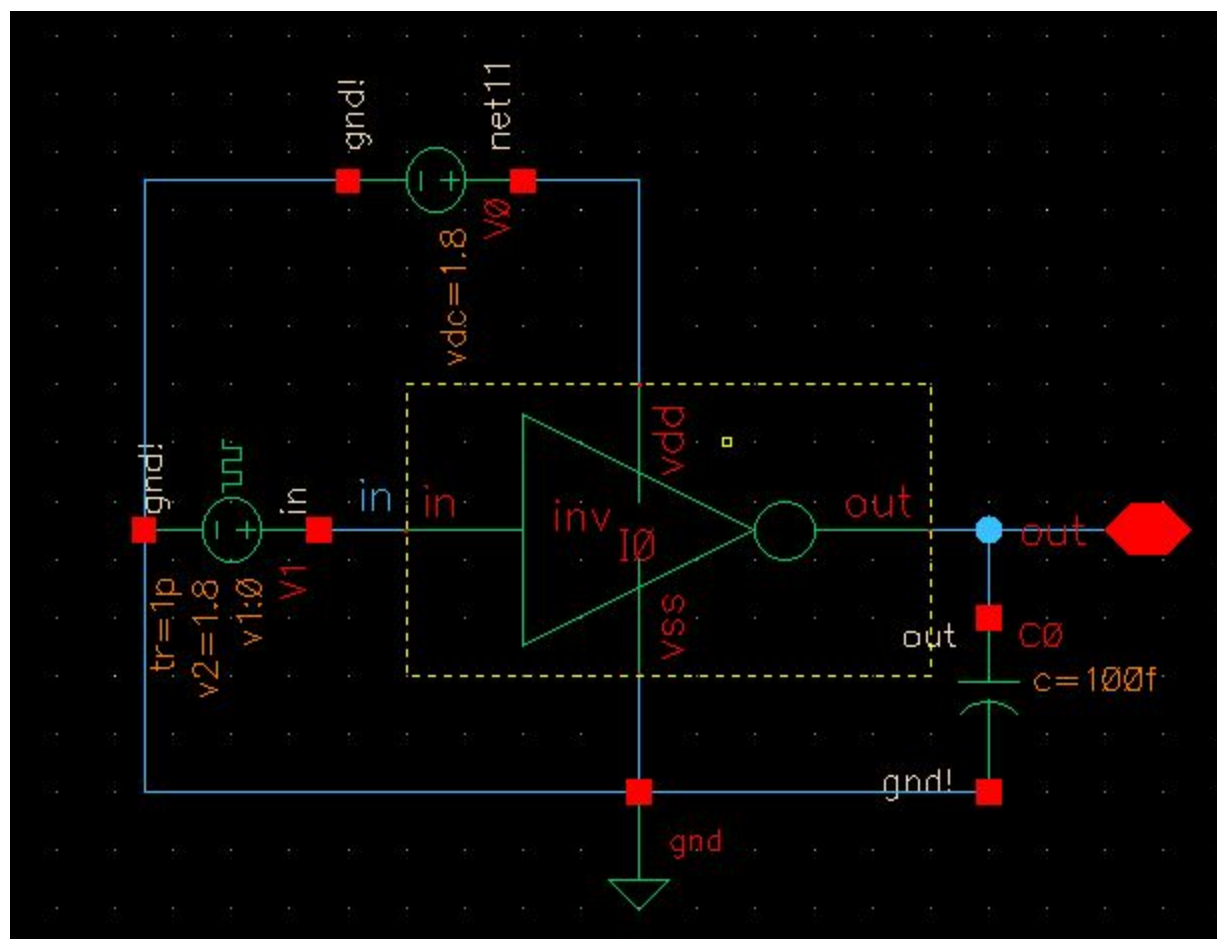
Q2

According to calculation, $W_p/L_p=818.4$, which is impossible to draw the layout.

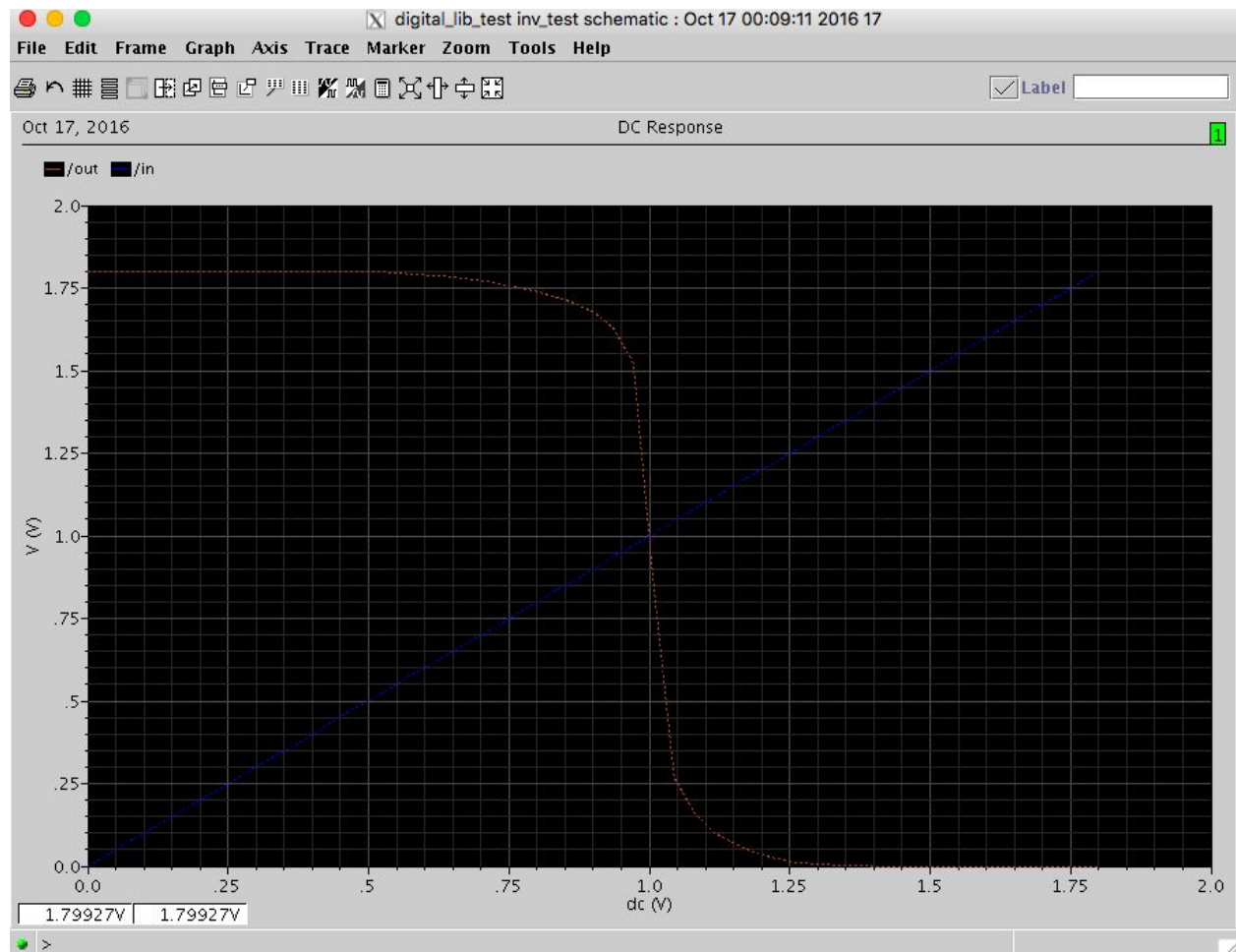
We tune the numbers and get the following result to obtain $V_{It}=1$.



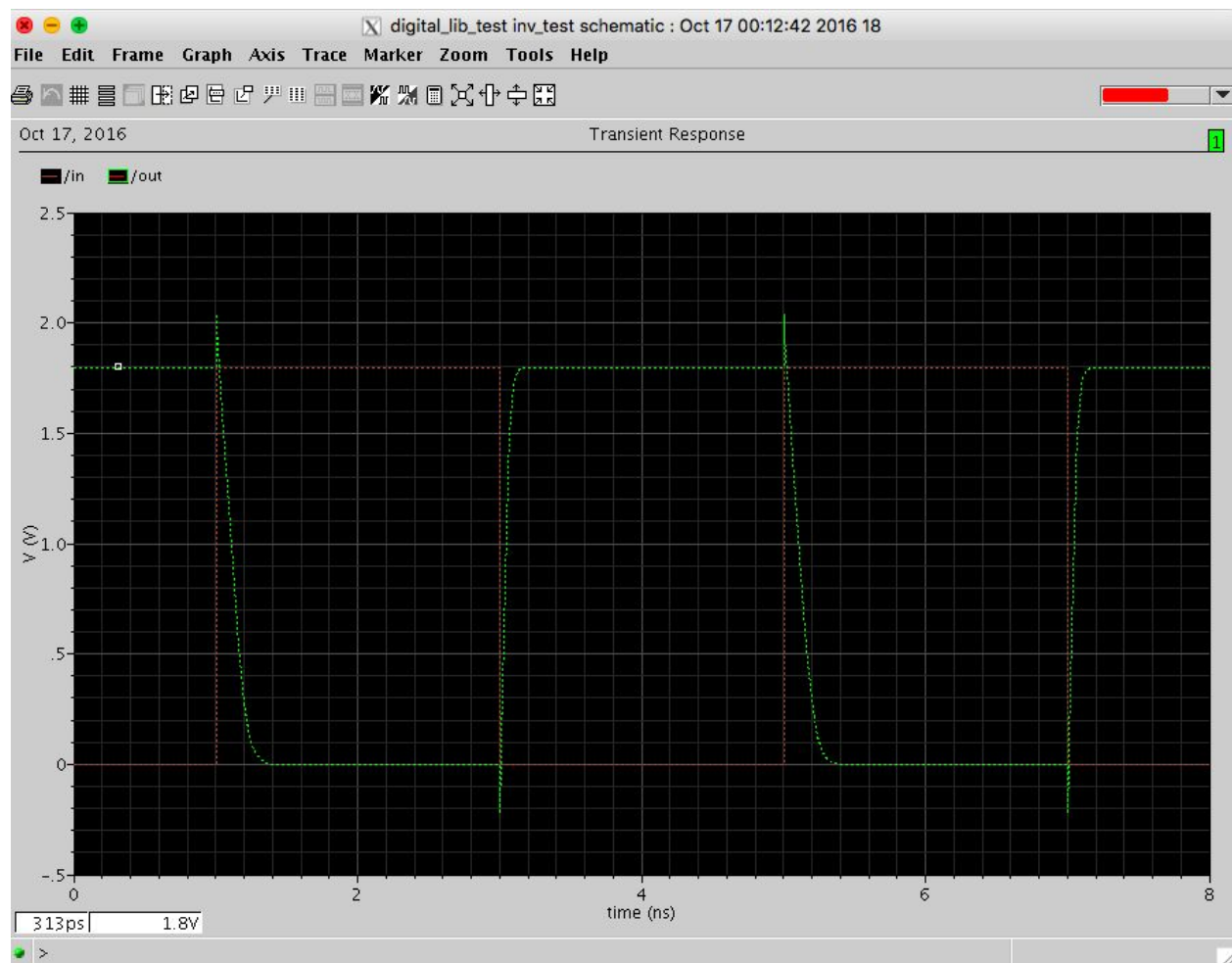
Schematic of inverter designed.



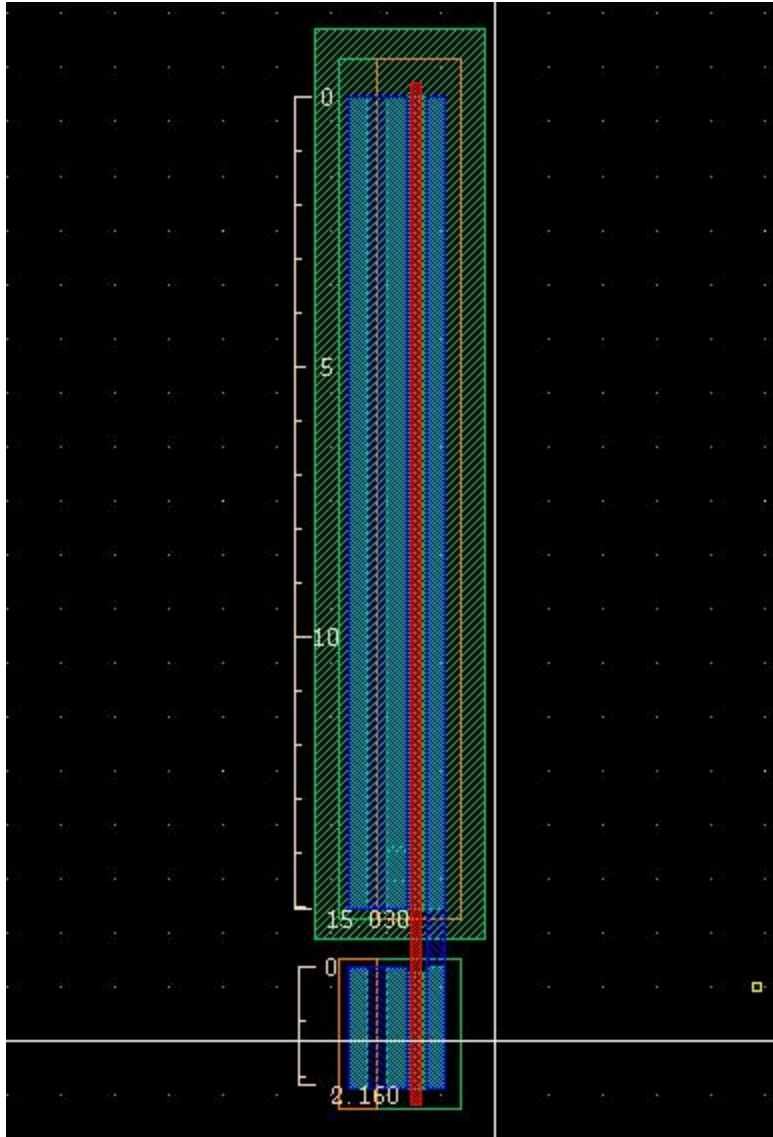
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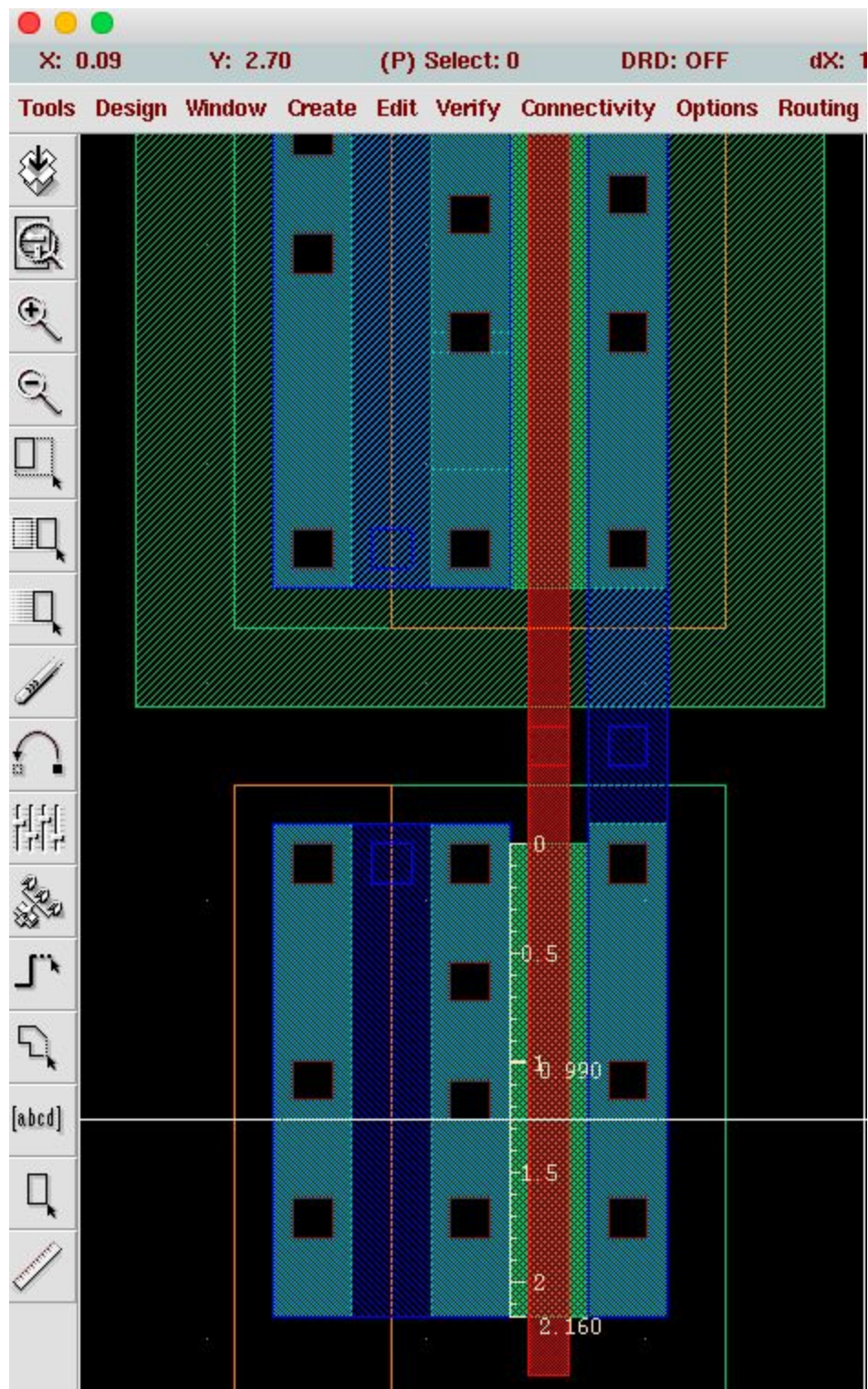
DC analysis



Transient analysis



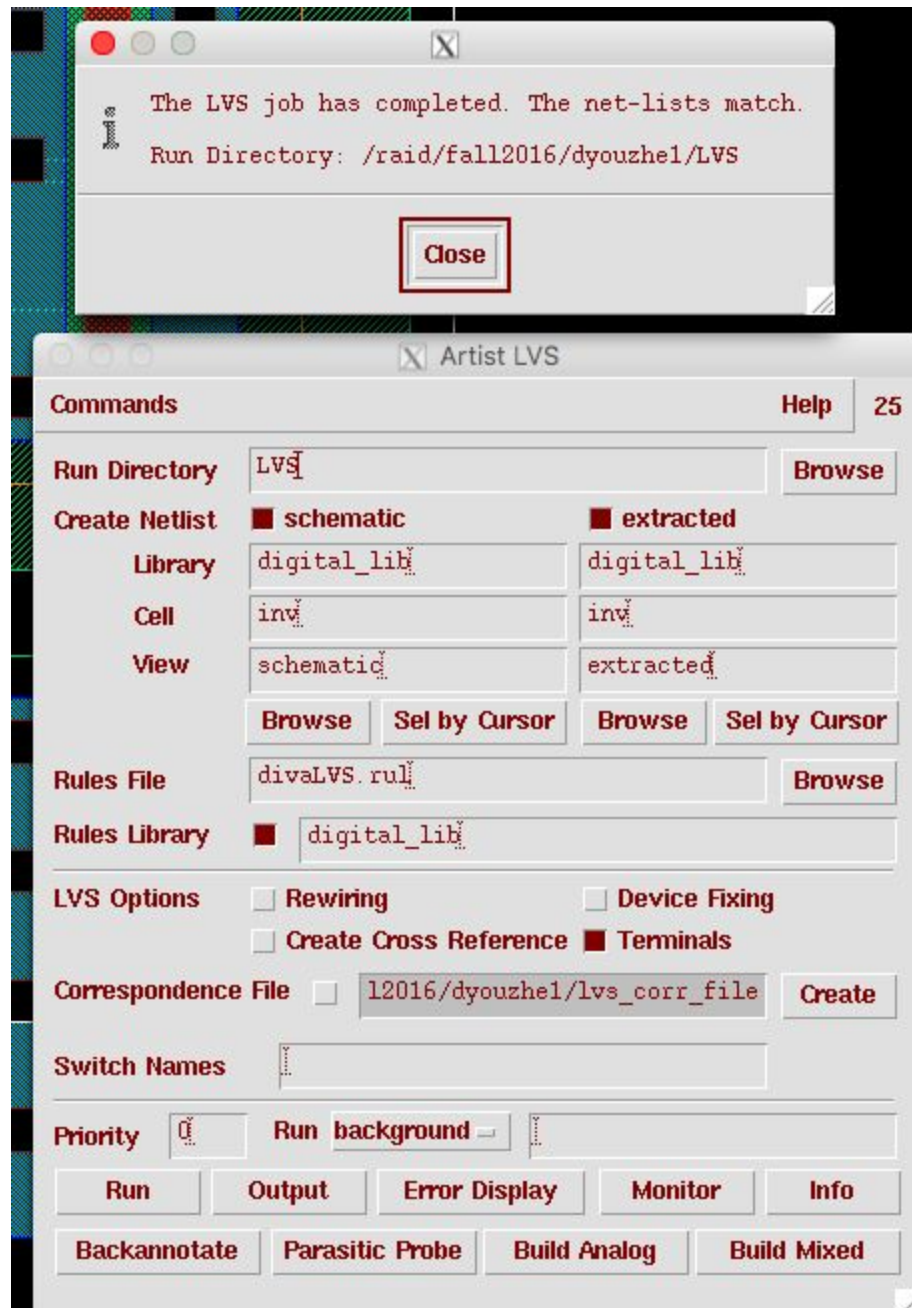
Layout full view



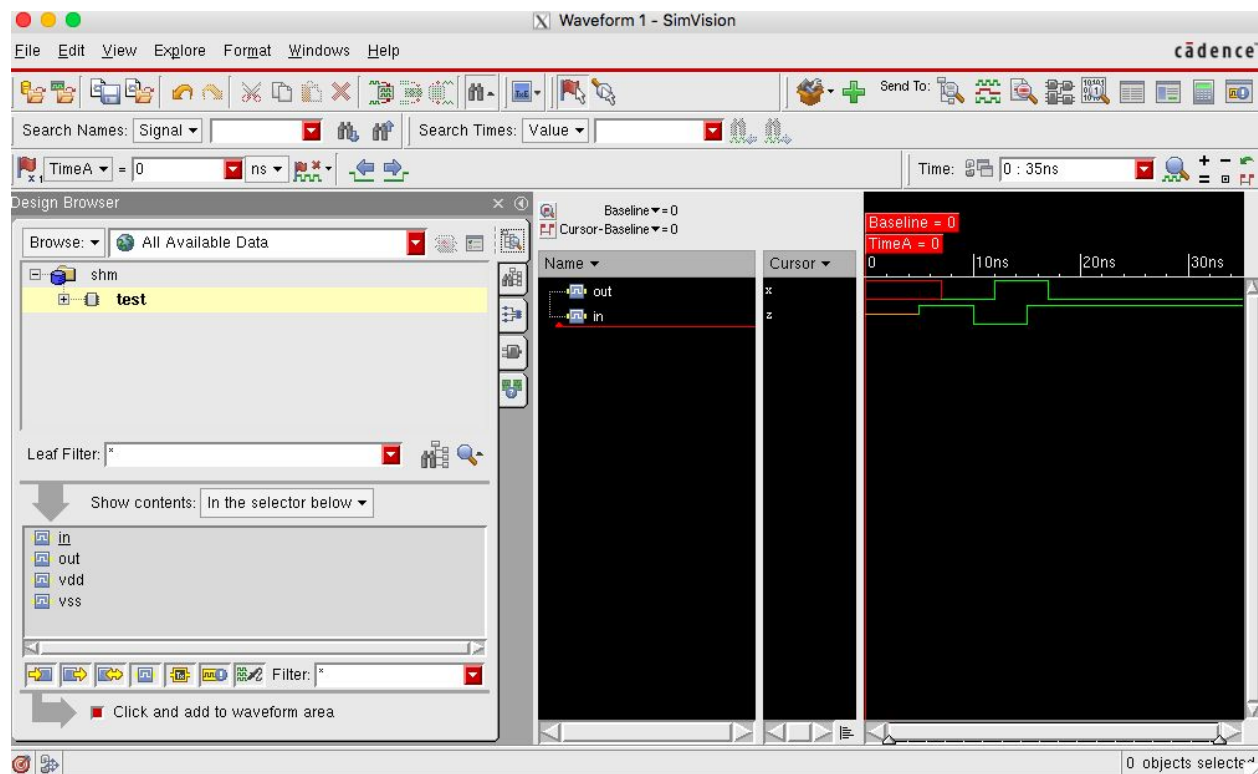
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DRC check



LVS check



Verilog simulation