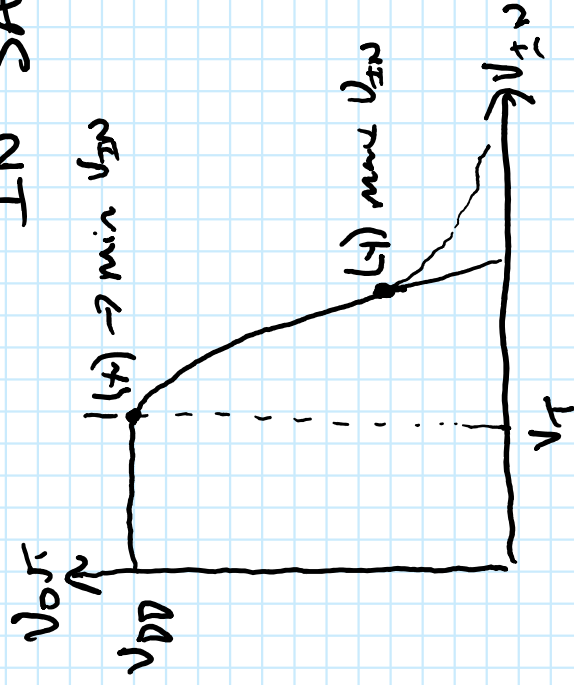


# LARGE-SIGNAL ANALYSIS

LARGE SIGNAL  $\rightarrow$  behavior under large changes in input voltage  
ANALYSIS

- Same magnitude as operating parameters

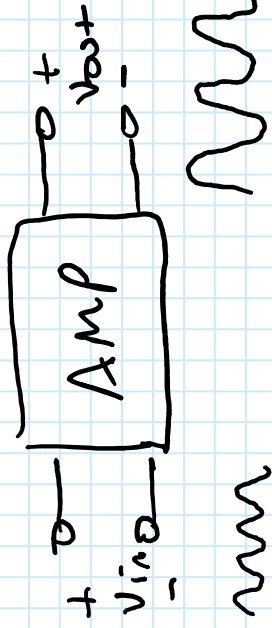
- ① FIND TRANSFER FUNCTION -  $V_{OUT}$  vs  $V_{IN}$
- ② RANGE OF VALID INPUTS TO REMAIN IN SAT & CORRESPONDING OUTPUTS



LOWEST VALID INPUT  $\rightarrow$  MAX OUTPUT  
(X)  $V_{IN} > V_T$   $V_{OUT} = V_{DD}$

(Y)  $V_{OUT} = V_{IN} - V_T \rightarrow$  BORDER OF TRIODE

# LARGE SIGNAL MODEL



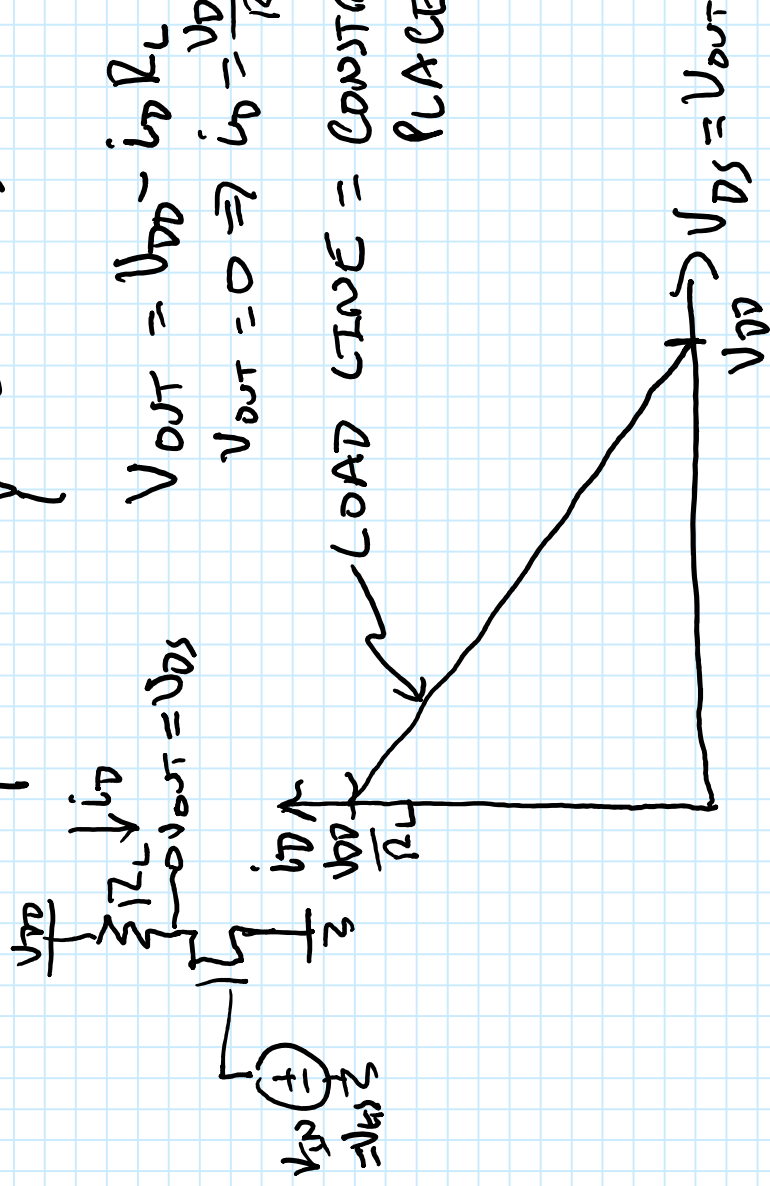
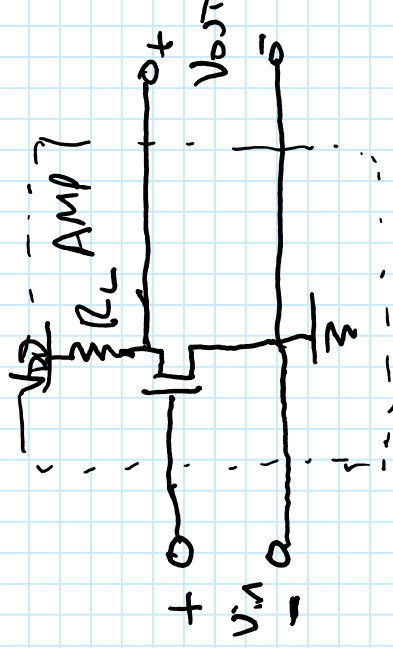
SCS MODEL  $\Rightarrow$  LARGE SIGNAL MODEL

$$i_D = \frac{K}{2} (V_{GS} - V_T)^2$$

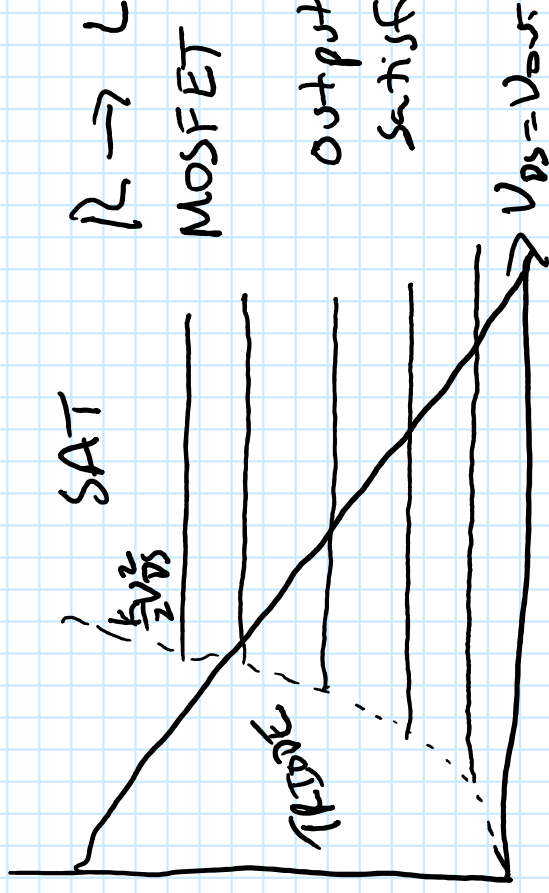
$$V_{OUT} = V_{DD} - i_D R_L$$

$$V_{OUT} = 0 \Rightarrow i_D = \frac{V_{DD}}{R_L}$$

LOAD LINE = CONSTANT LINEAR ELEMENT  
PLACE ON NON-LINEAR DEVICE



# LOAD LINE



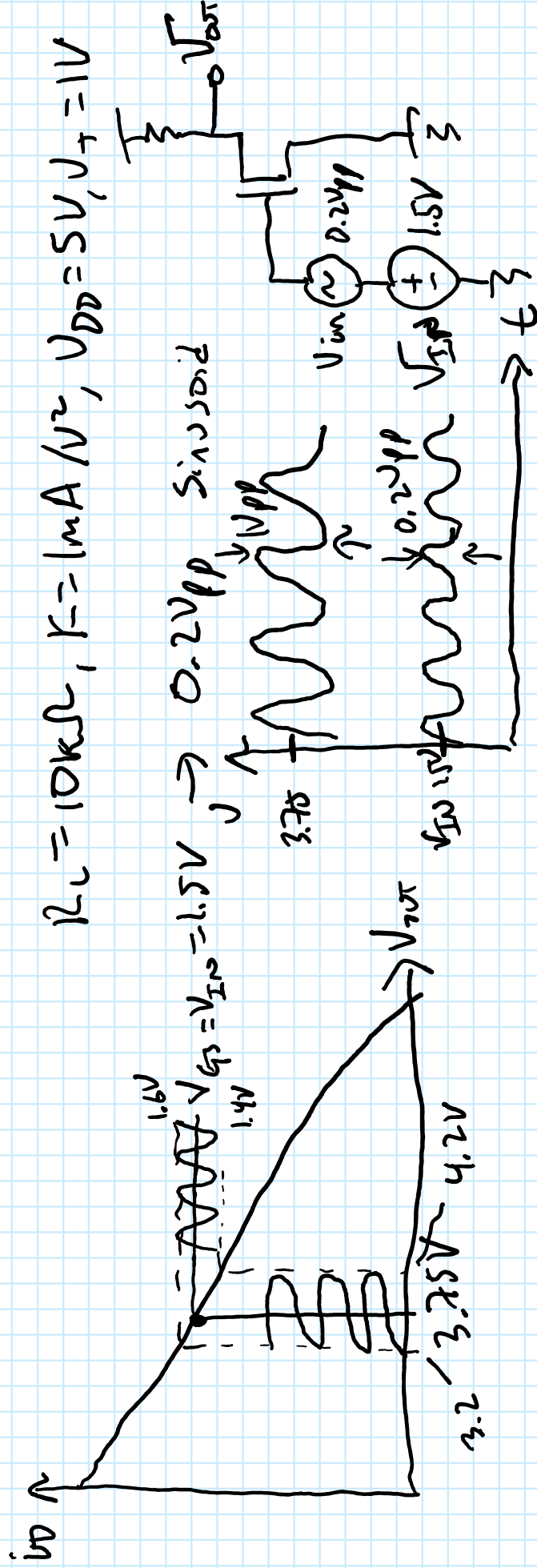
SAT

$R_L \rightarrow$  LOAD LINE

$$i_D = \frac{K}{2} (V_{GS} - V_T)^2 \quad \text{SAT}$$

output voltage & current must

satisfy both load line & MOSFET  
( $V_{DS} > V_D$ )



$$R_L = 10k\Omega, K = 1mA/V^2, V_{DD} = 5V, V_T = 1V$$

1.6V

$V_{GS} = V_{IN} = 1.5V \rightarrow 0.2V_{pp}$  Sinusoid

3.75

0.2V<sub>pp</sub>

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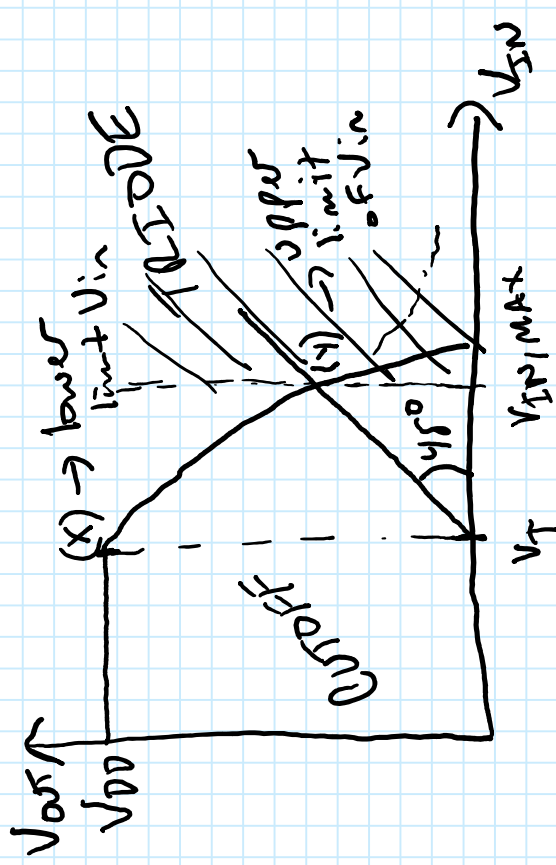
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# VALID OPERATING RANGES



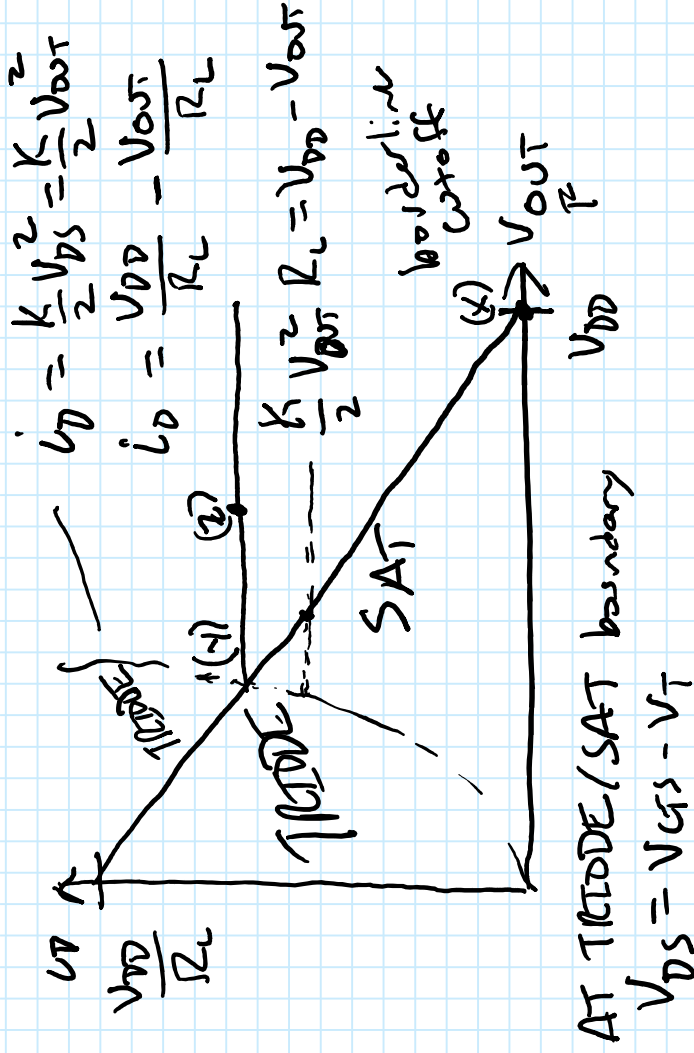
HIGHEST VALID  $V_{IN}$  IN SAT

$$V_{OUT} = V_{DD} - \frac{K}{2}(V_{IN} - V_T)^2 R_L$$

$$(V_{IN} - V_T) = V_{DD} - \frac{K}{2}(V_{IN} - V_T)^2 R_L$$

$$R_L \frac{K}{2} (V_{IN} - V_T)^2 + (V_{IN} - V_T) - V_{DD} = 0$$

$$V_{IN} - V_T = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 + 2V_{DD} R_L K}}{R_L K}$$



AT TRIODE/SAT boundary

$$V_{DS} = V_{GS} - V_T$$

$$V_{OUT} = V_{IN} - V_T$$

$$\frac{-1 + \sqrt{1 + 2V_{DD} R_L K}}{R_L K} + V_T > V_{IN} \geq V_T$$

$$\frac{-1 + \sqrt{1 + 2V_{DD} R_L K}}{R_L K} < V_{OUT} \leq V_{DD}$$

$$\frac{K}{2}(V_{IN} - V_T)^2 > i_D > 0$$

plug in  $V_{DD, max}$

# OPERATING RANGE

## EXAMPLE

LOW END OF INPUT RANGE?

$$V_T$$

$$V_{GS} = V_{IN} \geq V_T \text{ CUTOFF}$$

WHAT'S  $V_{OUT}$ ?

$$V_{DD} = 5V$$

HIGH END  $V_{IN}$

$$V_{IN} \leq V_T + \frac{-1 + \sqrt{1 + 2V_{DD}R_LK}}{R_LK}$$

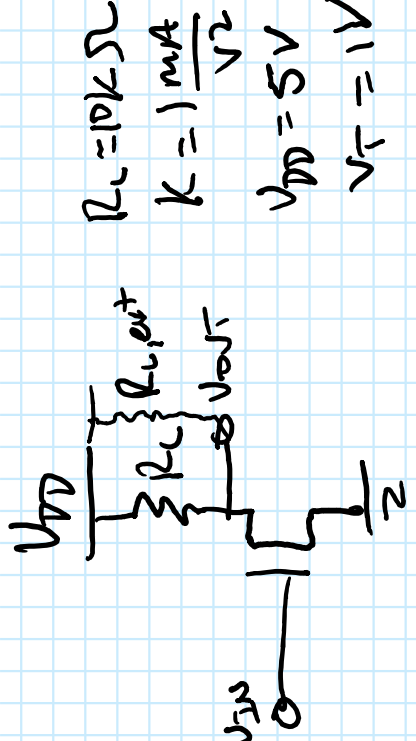
$$\leq 1.9V$$

WHAT'S  $V_{OUT, min}$ ?

AT TRIODE / SAT BORDER

$$V_{OUT} = V_{IN} - V_T$$

$$V_{OUT} \geq 0.9V$$



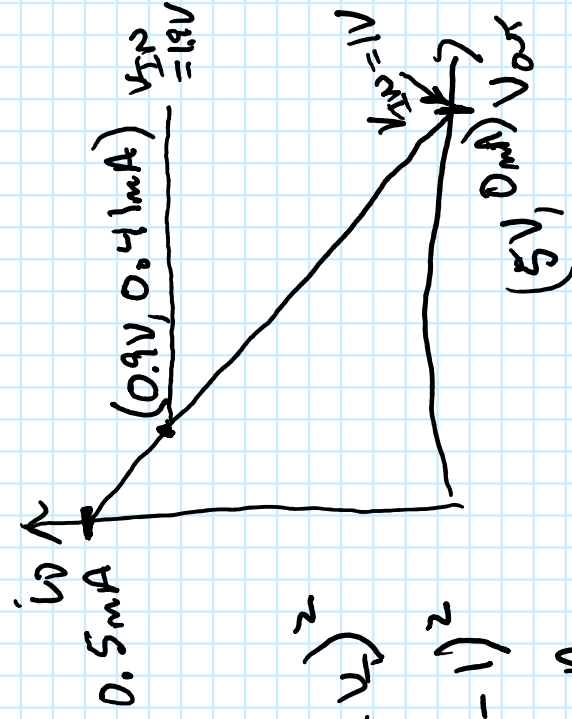
$$R_L = 10k\Omega$$

$$K = 1 \frac{mA}{V^2}$$

$$V_{DD} = 5V$$

$$V_T = 1V$$

$$V_{DS} \geq V_{GS} - V_T$$



$$I_D = \frac{K}{2} (V_{IN} - V_T)^2$$

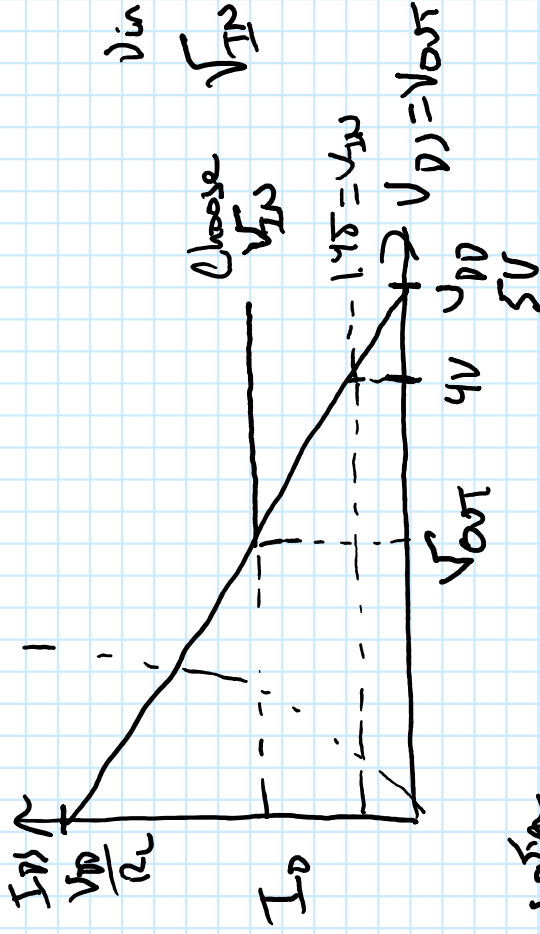
$$= \frac{1m}{2} (1.9 - 1)^2$$

$$= 0.41mA$$

# OPERATING POINT SELECTION

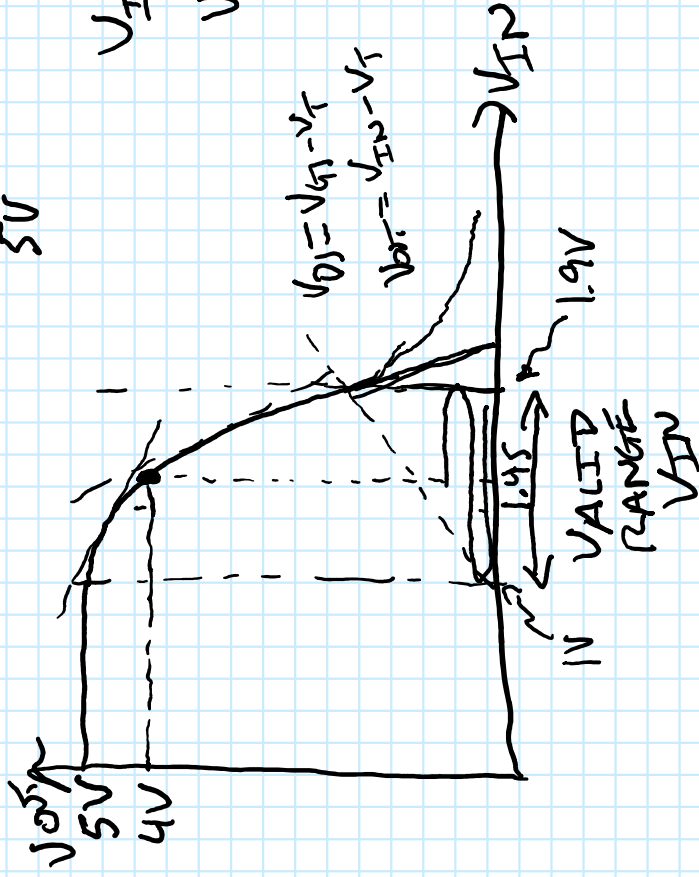
ADD DC OFFSET (OR BIAS) AT  $V_{IN}$   $\rightarrow$  OUTPUT OFFSET

$V_{OUT} \rightarrow$  only when  $V_{IN}$  applied



OP POINT SELECTION

- ① Signal Gain =  $\frac{\Delta V_{OUT}}{\Delta V_{IN}}$
- ② MAX DYNAMIC RANGE  
max +ve & -ve excursions



$$V_{IN0} = 1.45V$$

$$V_{OUT} = V_{DD} - \frac{k}{2} (V_{IN} - V_T)^2 R_L$$

$$= 5 - \frac{10^{-3}}{2} (1.45V - 1V)^2 \cdot 10^4 = 4V$$

$$= 4V$$

$\rightarrow$  MAX RANGE

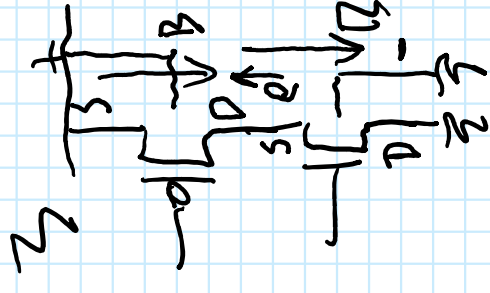
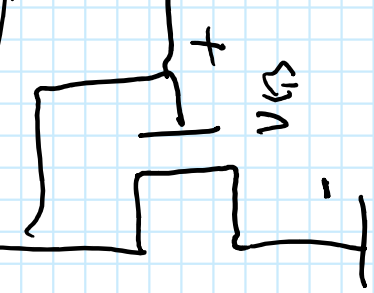
VERY NON UNIFORM GAIN  
 $=$  DISTORTION AT OUTPUT

$$I_D = \frac{k}{2} (V_{IN} - V_T)^2$$

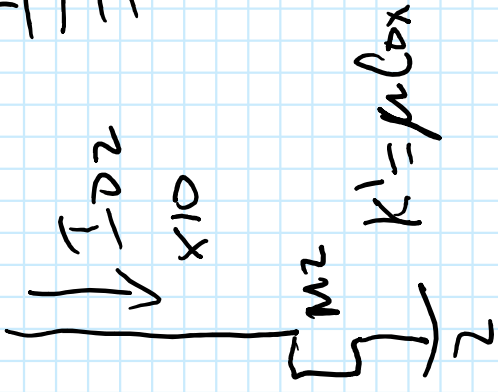
$$= 0.1mA$$

# HOMEWORK DISCUSSION

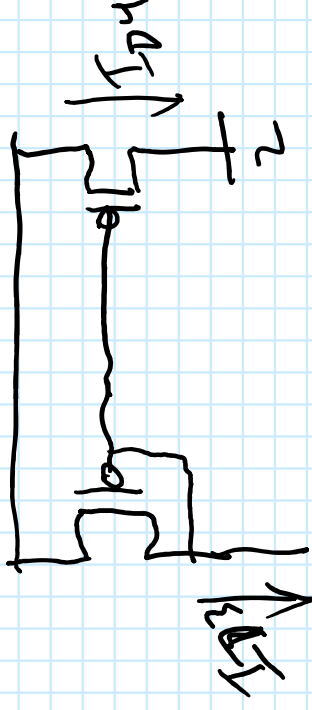
$I_{D1}$



$I_{D1}$



$$\frac{I_{D2}}{I_{D1}} = \frac{\frac{k_2}{2} (V_{GS} - V_T)^2}{\frac{k_1}{2} (V_{GS} - V_T)^2} = \frac{k_2 \left(\frac{W_2}{L_2}\right)}{k_1 \left(\frac{W_1}{L_1}\right)} = \frac{W_2}{W_1}$$



# HOMEWORK

## DISCUSSION

$$V_{out} = V_{DD} - I_D R_L$$

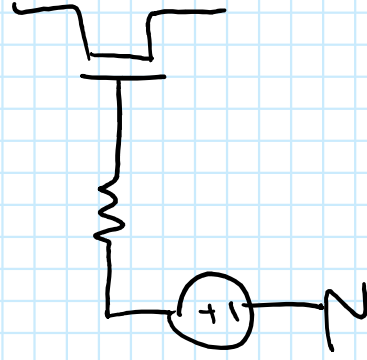
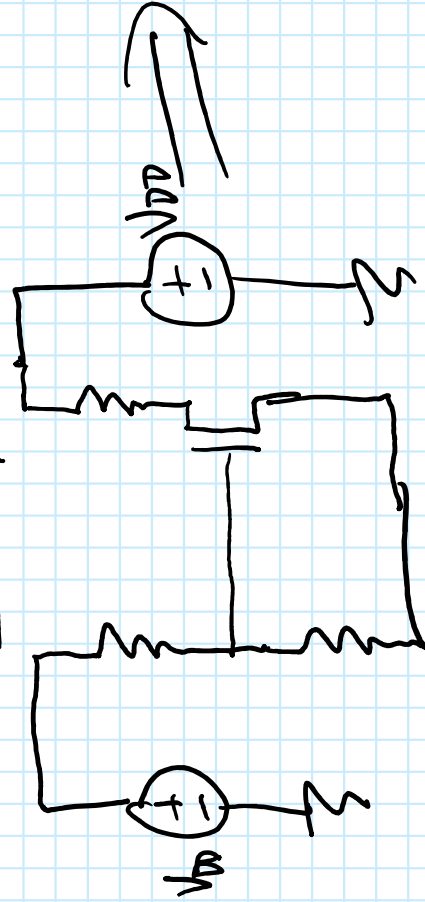
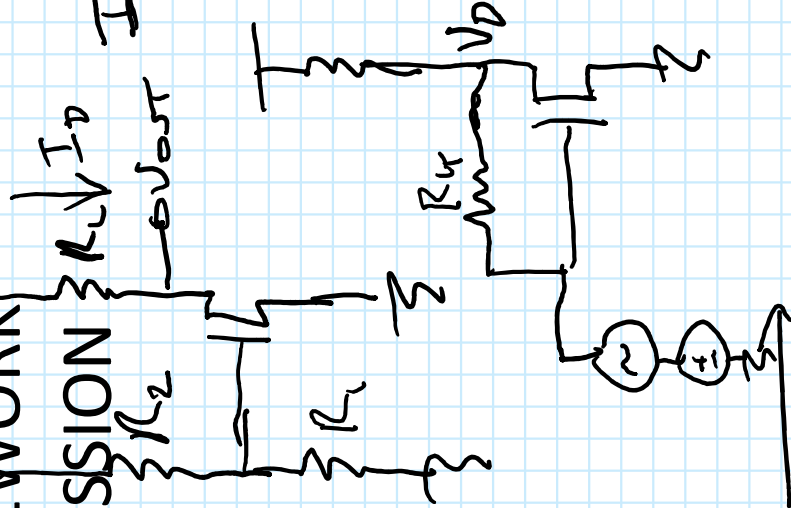
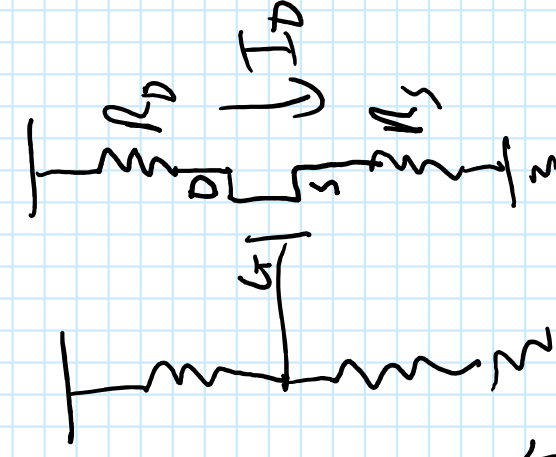
$$I_D = -\frac{k}{2} (V_{GS} - V_T)^2$$

$$K \uparrow V_{out} \downarrow$$

$$K \downarrow I_D \downarrow V_{GS} \uparrow$$

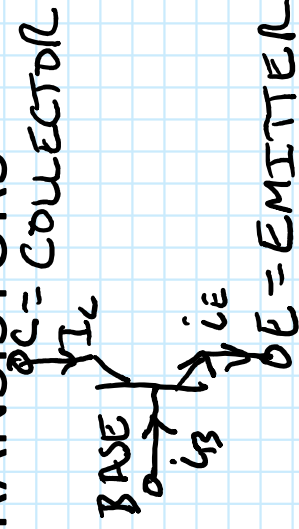
$$I_D \uparrow$$

$$K \uparrow I_D \uparrow V_{GS} \downarrow$$

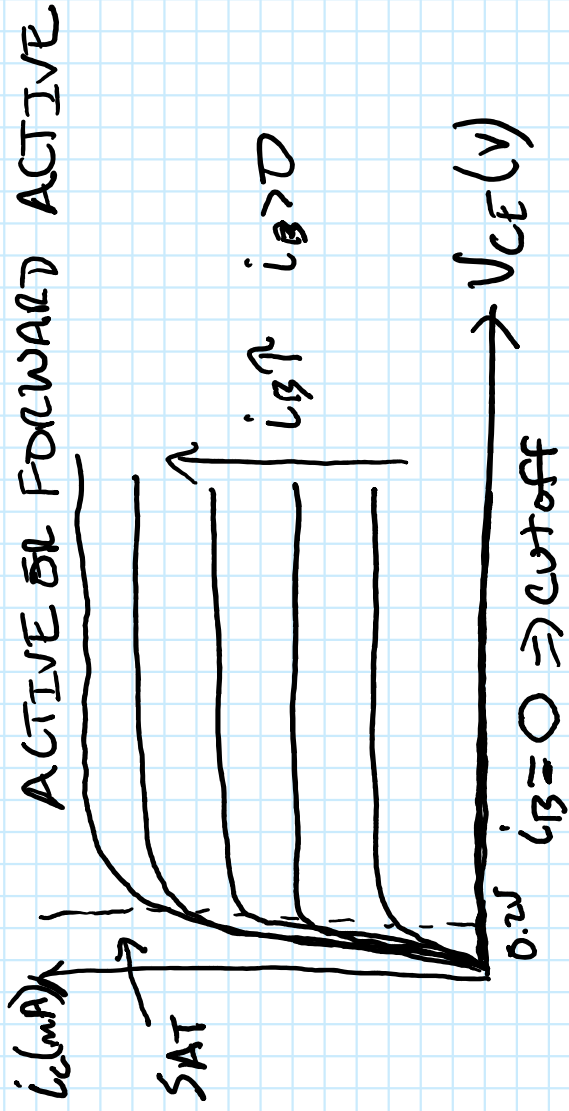




# BIPOLAR JUNCTION TRANSISTORS



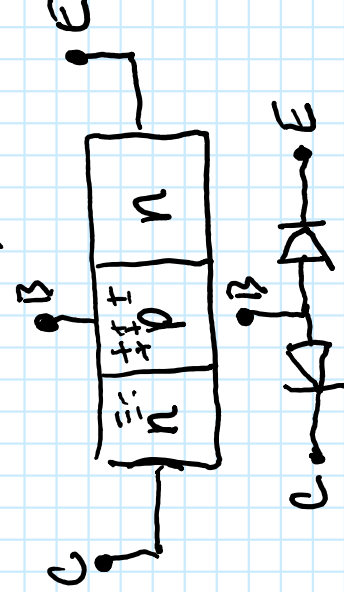
BJT = BIPOLAR JUNCTION TRANSISTOR



IN ACTIVE MODE LOOKS LIKE CURRENT SOURCE

$i_C \sim 100 \times i_B$   
 $i_B > 0; V_{CE} > 0.2V$

MODE CUTOFF ACTIVE SAT  $i_B$



EMITTER-BASE JUNCTION  
 CBJT  
 Reverse Reverse  
 FORWARD REVERSED  
 F F

