

# PSPICE

# ***What is Spice?***

- Spice is the short form of:
  - **S**imulated
  - **P**rogram with
  - **I**ntegrated
  - **C**ircuit
  - **E**mphasis

# ***PSPICE Programming***

- Why PSPICE Programming
- Steps of Programming
- Statements
- Data Statements
- Control Statements
- Example Circuits

# ***Why PSPICE Programming***

- Don't have to draw the circuit
- More control over the parts
- More control over the analysis
- Don't have to search for parts
- Some SPICE software (HSPICE etc.) don't have GUI at all
- Quick and efficient

# ***Steps of Programming***

- Draw the circuit and label the nodes
- Create net list (\*.cir) file
- Add in control statements
- Add in title, comment & end statements
- Run PSPICE
- Evaluate the results of the output



# *Statements*

- **Different statements:**
  - Not case sensitive
  - **title** - first line of code or keep Blank (always)
  - **.end** - last line of code (always)
  - Comment: line denoted by \*
  - Data: resistor, capacitor, etc.
  - Control: analysis and output

# ***Data Statements***

- **Resistor**
  - **R**<name><node1><node2><value>
  - Example: R1 1 2 100
- **Capacitor**
  - **C**<name><node1><node2><value>
  - Example: C1 13 0 1u
- **Inductor**
  - **L**<name><node1><node2><value>
  - Example: L1 5 4 1m

# ***Data Statements***

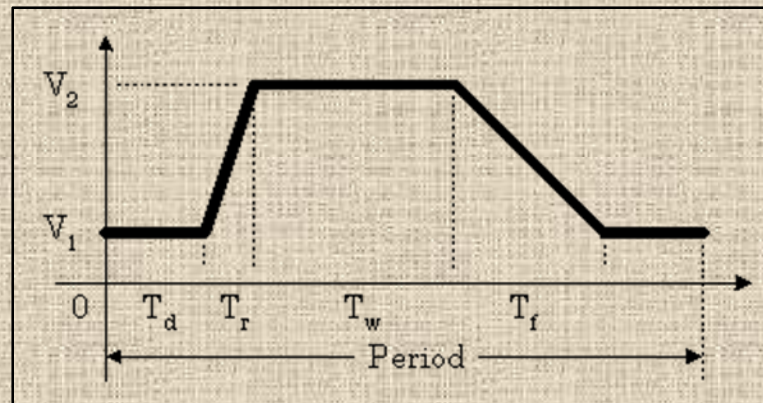
- **Independent Voltage Source**
  - **V**<name><+ node><- node> [[DC] <value>]  
[AC <magnitude> [phase]] [transient +  
specification]
- **3 types of sources:**
  - **DC:** Vin 1 0 5
  - **AC:** Va 4 0 AC 25
  - **Transient**



# ***Data Statements***

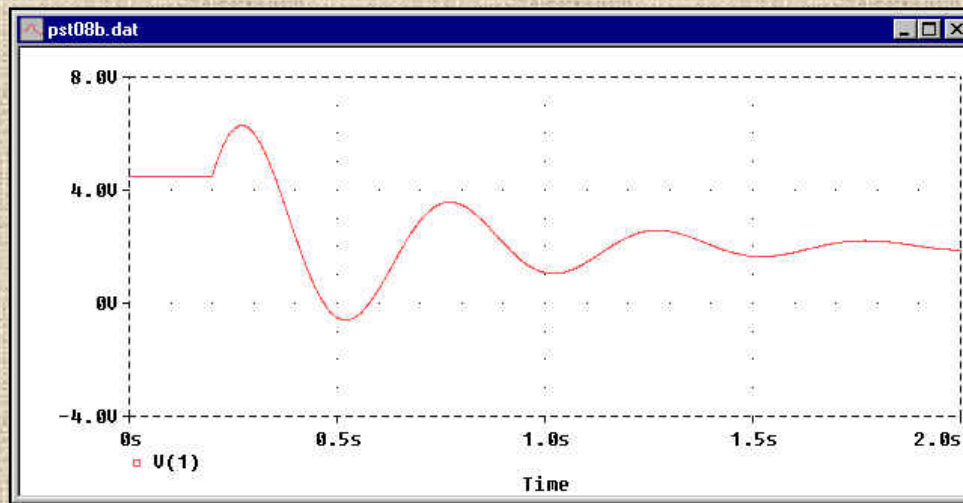
- **Transient Source**

- `vname <n+><n-> pulse(V1 V2 Td Tr Tf Tw Period)`
- Example 1: `va 2 0 pulse(5 0 0 1p 1p 10n 20n)`
- Example 2: `vb 3 0 pulse(5 0 0 1p 1p 5n 10n)`



# Data Statements

- **Transient Source**
  - vname <n+> <n-> sin(Vo Va freq td phase)
  - vname <n+> <n-> pwl(t1,v1,t2,v2,...,tn,vn)



# ***Data Statements***

- **Independent Current Source**
  - I<name><+ node><- node> [[DC] <value>][AC <magnitude> [phase]]  
[transient + specification]
- Same as Independent Voltage Source

# ***Data Statements***

- **MOSFET**
  - **m**<name><drain><gate><source><substrate><model>[W=<value>][L=<value>]
  - **.model** <name><NMOS or PMOS>[params]
- Example:
  - mp1 4 2 1 1 ptype w=5u l=2.5u
  - mn1 5 2 0 0 ntype w=5u l=5u
  - .model ptype PMOS(VTO=-1V KP=15u)
  - .model ntype NMOS(VTO=1V KP=30u)

# ***Data Statements***

- Suffixes**

f	femto	$10^{-15}$
p	pico	$10^{-12}$
n	nano	$10^{-9}$
u	micro	$10^{-6}$
m	milli	$10^{-3}$
k	kilo	$10^3$
meg	mega	$10^6$
g	giga	$10^9$
t	tera	$10^{12}$



# ***Control Statements***

- **Analysis Types**
  - DC Analysis: **.dc**
  - AC Analysis: **.ac**
  - Transient Analysis: **.tran**
- **Output Format**
  - Text Output: **.print, .plot**
  - Graph Output: **.probe**

# ***DC Analysis***

- **Format**

- **.dc** <source> <vstart> <vstop> <vincr> [src2 start2 stop2 incr2]

- **Example:**

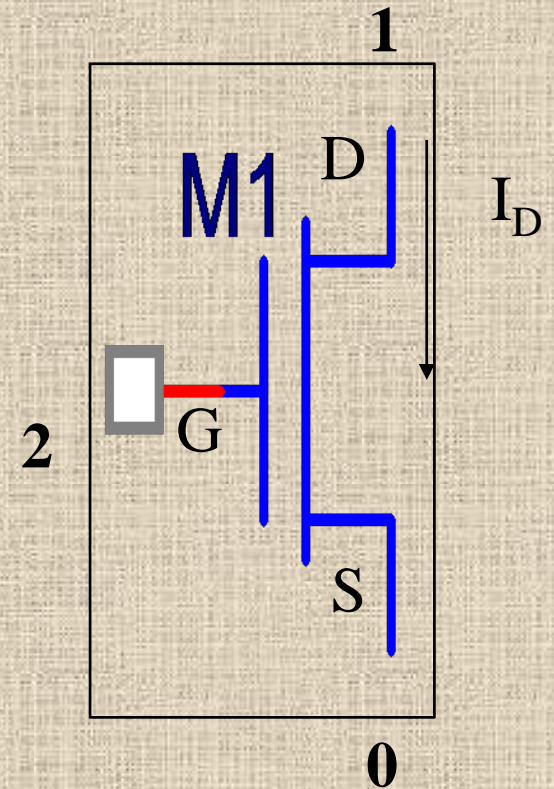
- **.dc** Vin 0.25 5.0 0.25

- **.dc** Vds 0 10 0.5 Vgs 0 5 1

# DC Analysis

## Plot I-V Characteristics of NMOS

```
m1 1 2 0 0 ntype  
.model ntype NMOS(vto=1 kp=30u)  
vgs 2 0 5  
vds 1 0 5  
.probe  
.print dc i(vds)  
.dc vds 0 5 .5 vgs 0 5 1  
.end
```





## MOSFET I-V Characteristics

```
M1 1 2 0 0 NTYPE
.MODEL NTYPE NMOS(VT0=1 KP=30u)
Vgs 2 0 5
Vds 1 0 5
.PROBE
.PRINT DC I(Vds) |
.DC Vds 0 5 .5 Vgs 0 5 1
.END
```

cir1.cir (active) cir1.dat (act...) cir1.out (act...)

----- Simulation Circuit File: cir1 -----

Simulation running...

MOSFET I-V Characteristics

Reading and checking circuit

Circuit read in and checked, no errors

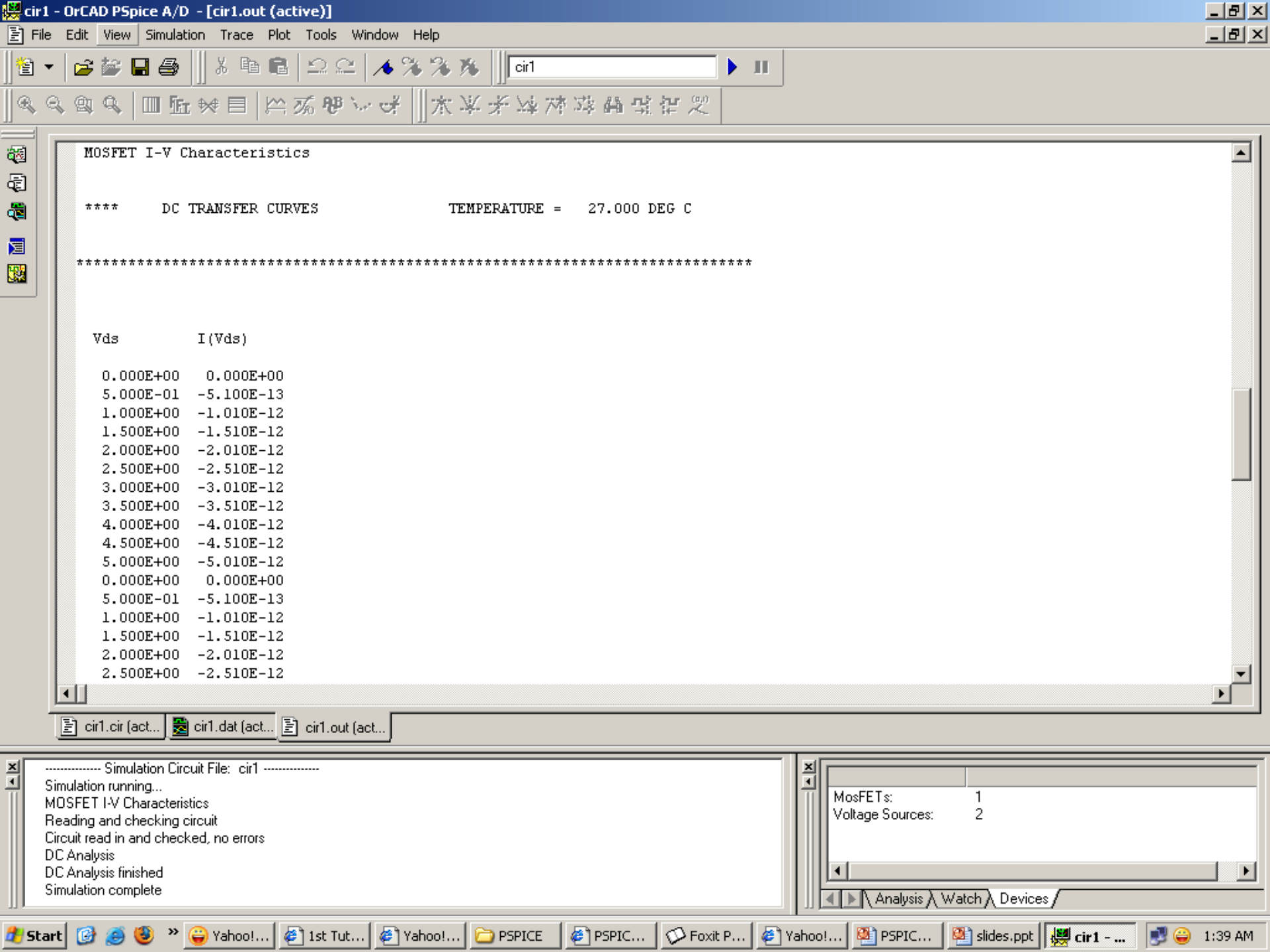
DC Analysis

DC Analysis finished

Simulation complete

MosFETs:	1
Voltage Sources:	2

Analysis Watch Devices



# MOSFET I-V Characteristics

\*\*\*\* DC TRANSFER CURVES TEMPERATURE = 27.000 DEG C

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Vds	I(Vds)
0.000E+00	0.000E+00
5.000E-01	-5.100E-13
1.000E+00	-1.010E-12
1.500E+00	-1.510E-12
2.000E+00	-2.010E-12
2.500E+00	-2.510E-12
3.000E+00	-3.010E-12
3.500E+00	-3.510E-12
4.000E+00	-4.010E-12
4.500E+00	-4.510E-12
5.000E+00	-5.010E-12
0.000E+00	0.000E+00
5.000E-01	-5.100E-13
1.000E+00	-1.010E-12
1.500E+00	-1.510E-12
2.000E+00	-2.010E-12
2.500E+00	-2.510E-12

----- Simulation Circuit File: cir1 -----

Simulation running...

MOSFET I-V Characteristics

Reading and checking circuit

Circuit read in and checked, no errors

DC Analysis

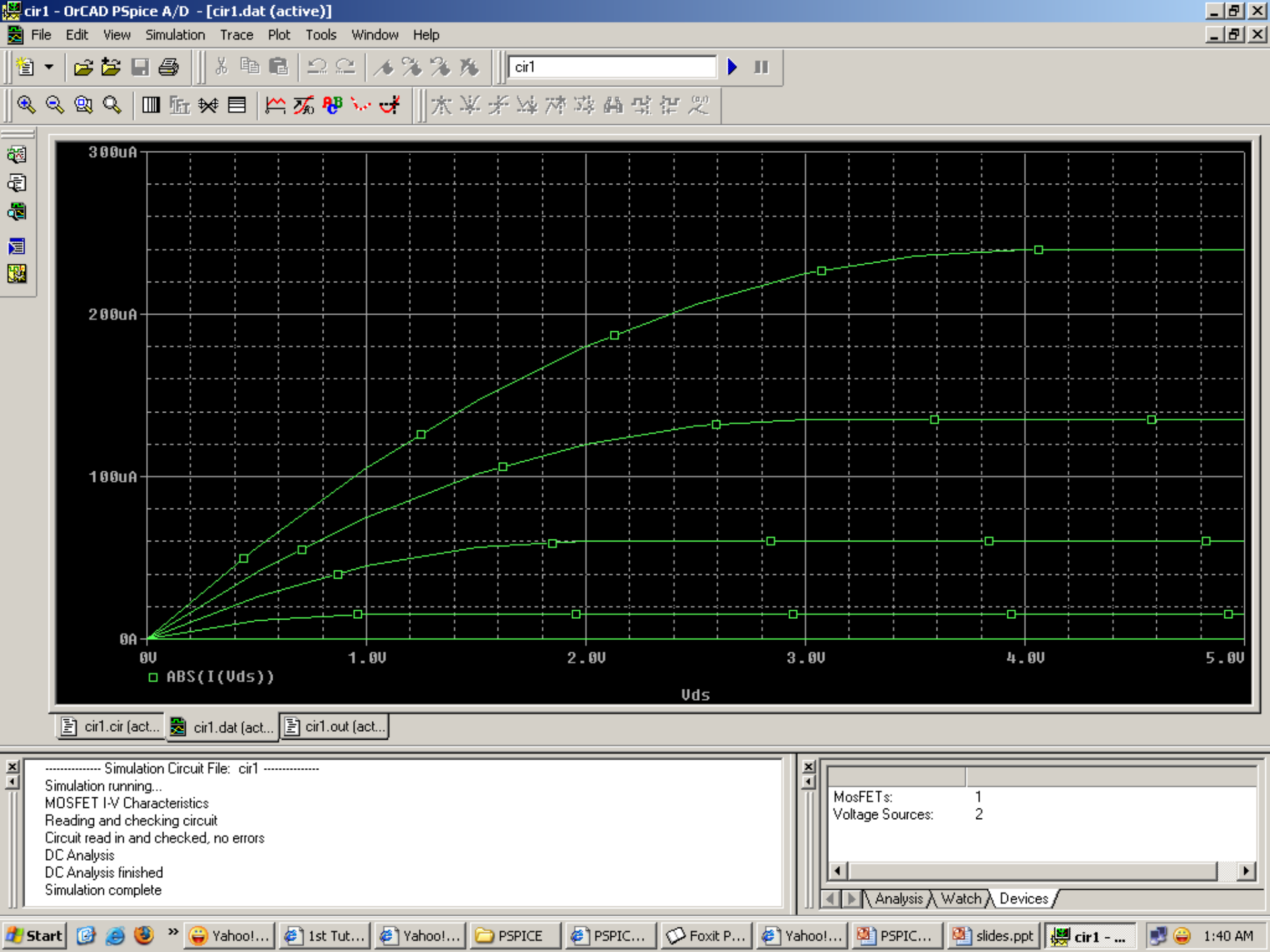
DC Analysis finished

Simulation complete

MosFETs: 1  
Voltage Sources: 2

Analysis Watch Devices





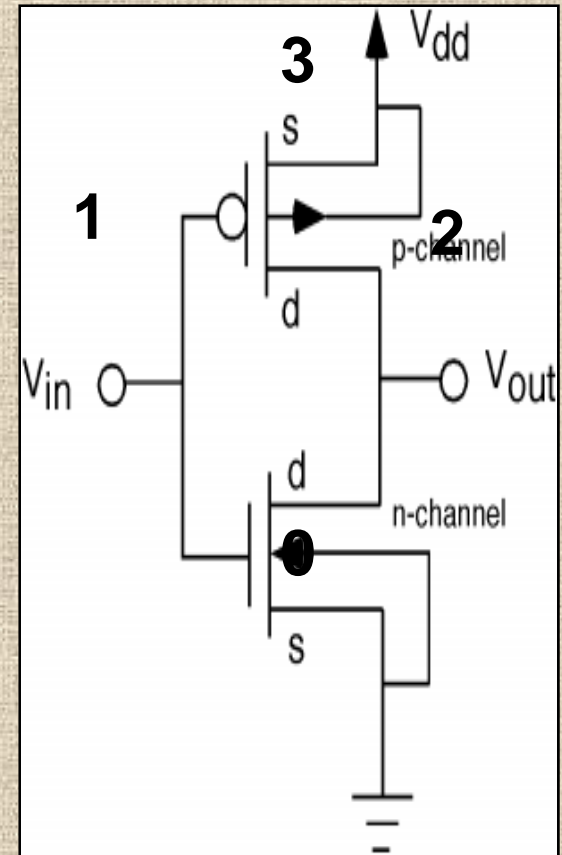
# ***Transient Analysis***

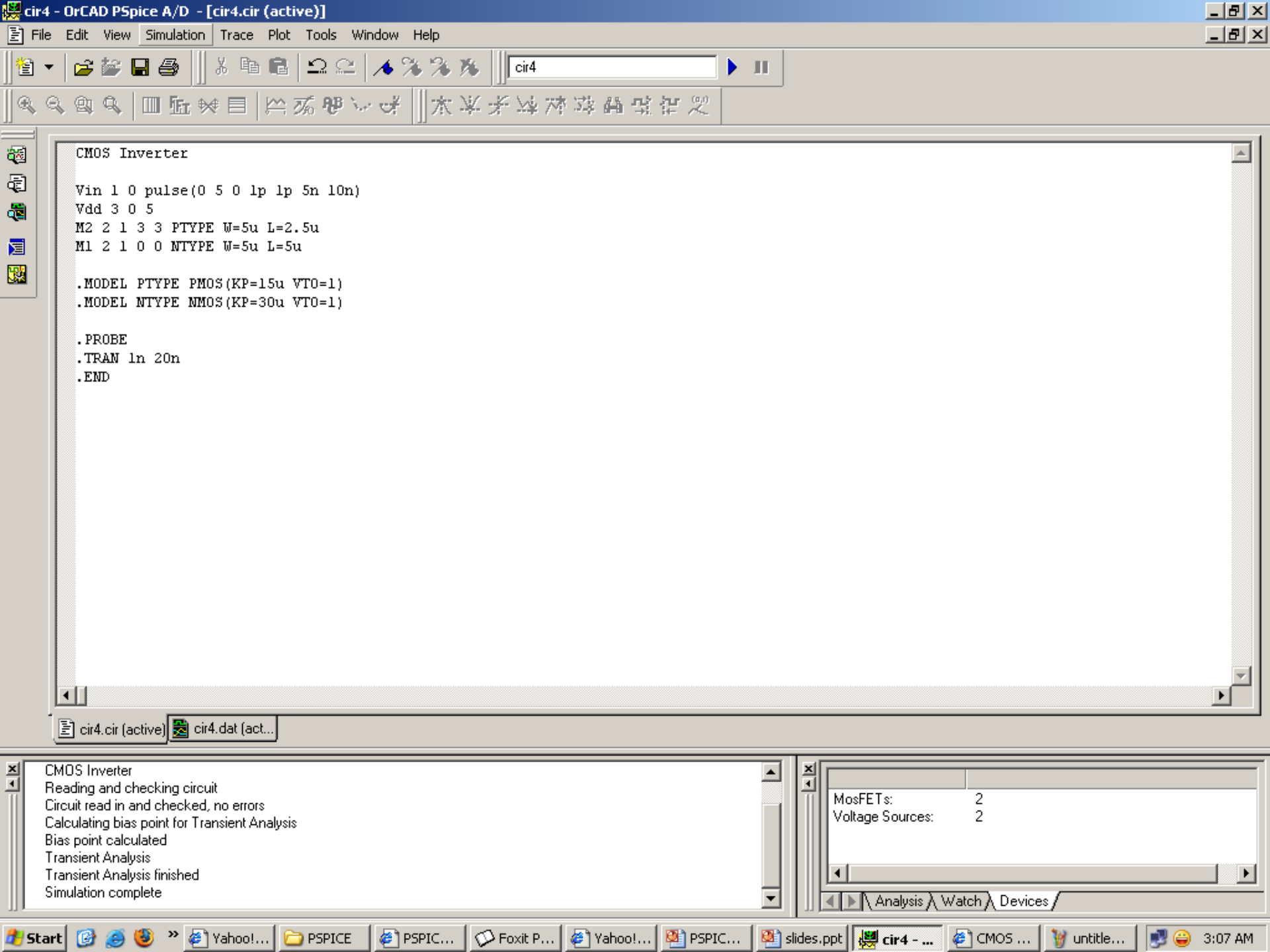
- **Format**
  - **.tran** <print step><final time>
- **Example**
  - .tran 1n 1000n

# Transient Analysis

## CMOS Inverter

```
vin 1 0 pulse(0 5 0 1p 1p 5n 10n)
vdd 3 0 5
m2 2 1 3 3 ptype w=5u l=2.5u
m1 2 1 0 0 ntype w=5u l=5u
.model ptype PMOS(kp=15u vto=-1)
.model ntype NMOS(kp=30u vto=1)
.probe
.tran 1n 20n
.end
```





# CMOS Inverter

```
Vin 1 0 pulse(0 5 0 1p 1p 5n 10n)
Vdd 3 0 5
M2 2 1 3 3 PTMOS W=5u L=2.5u
M1 2 1 0 0 NTMOS W=5u L=5u

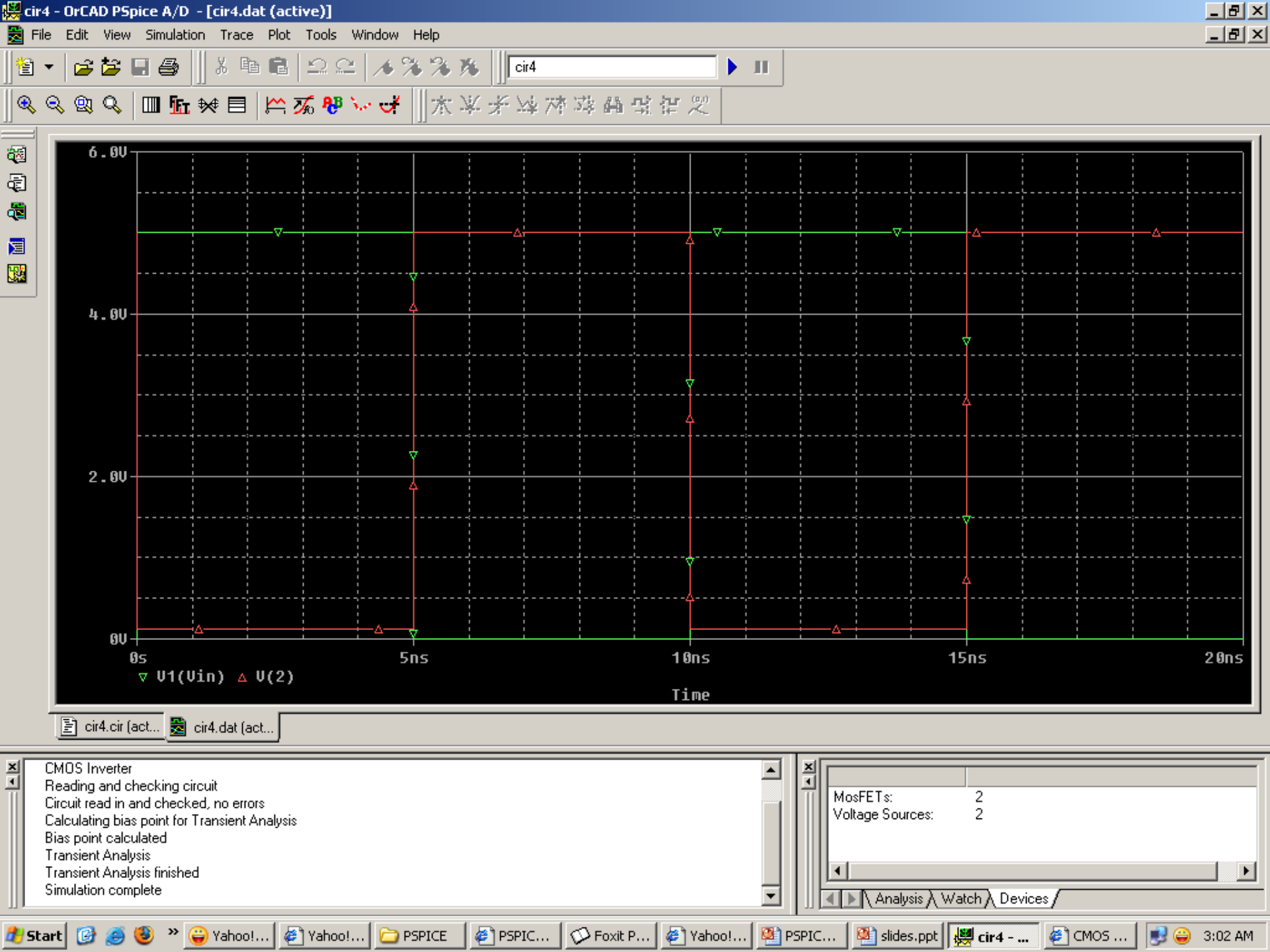
.MODEL PTMOS PMOS(KP=15u VTO=1)
.MODEL NTMOS NMOS(KP=30u VTO=1)

.PROBE
.TRAN 1n 20n
.END
```

CMOS Inverter  
Reading and checking circuit  
Circuit read in and checked, no errors  
Calculating bias point for Transient Analysis  
Bias point calculated  
Transient Analysis  
Transient Analysis finished  
Simulation complete

MosFETs: 2  
Voltage Sources: 2

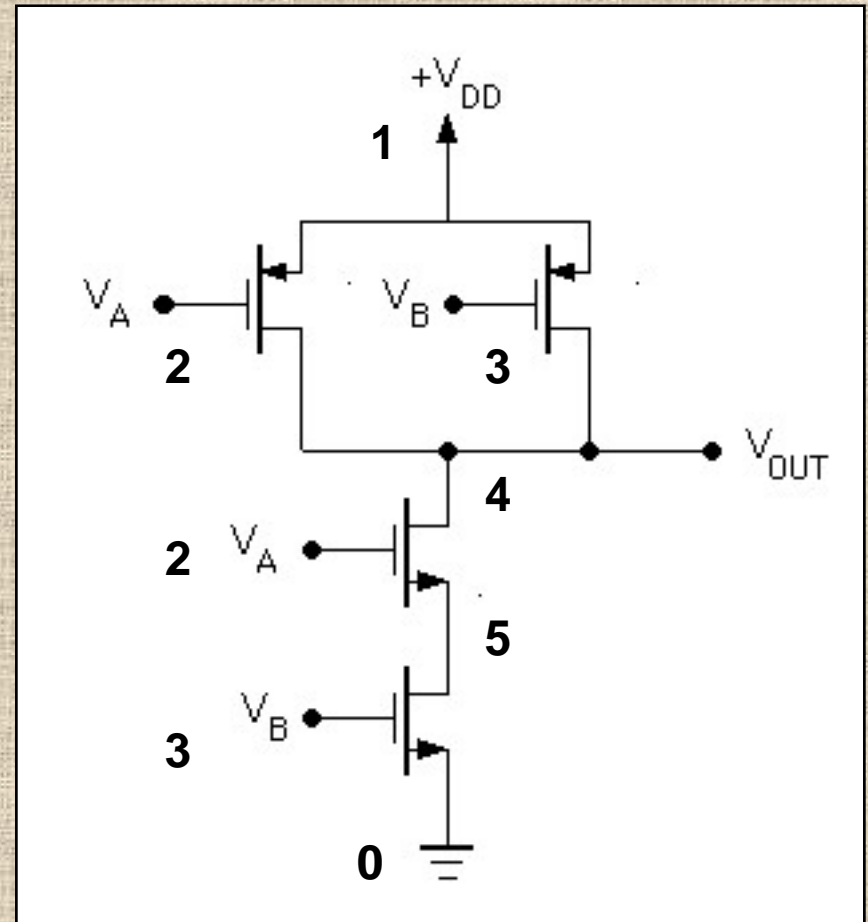
Analysis Watch Devices





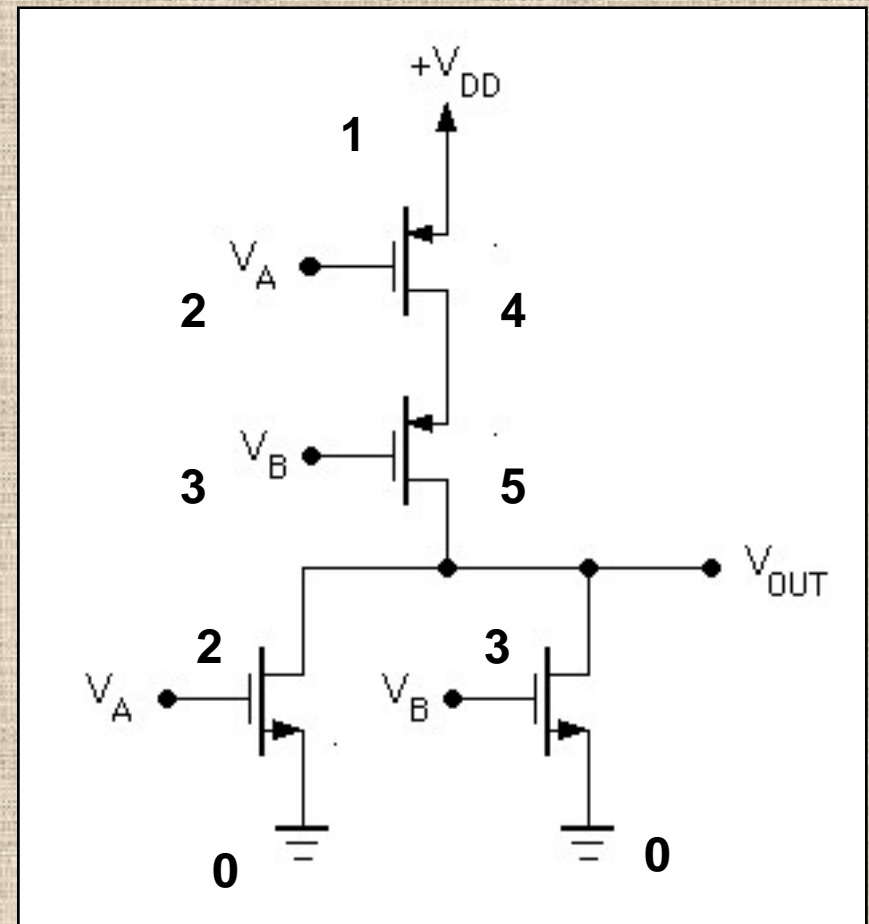
# CMOS NAND

```
mp1 4 2 1 1 p w=5u l=2.5u
mp2 4 3 1 1 p w=5u l=2.5u
mn1 4 2 5 0 n w=5u l=5u
mn2 5 3 0 0 n w=5u l=5u
.model p PMOS(VTO=-1 KP=15u)
.model n NMOS(VTO=1 KP=30u)
vin1 2 0 pulse(0 5 0 1n 1n 5u 10u)
vin2 3 0 pulse(0 5 2.5u 1n 1n 5u 10u)
vp 1 0 5
.probe
.tran 0 30u .1u
.end
```



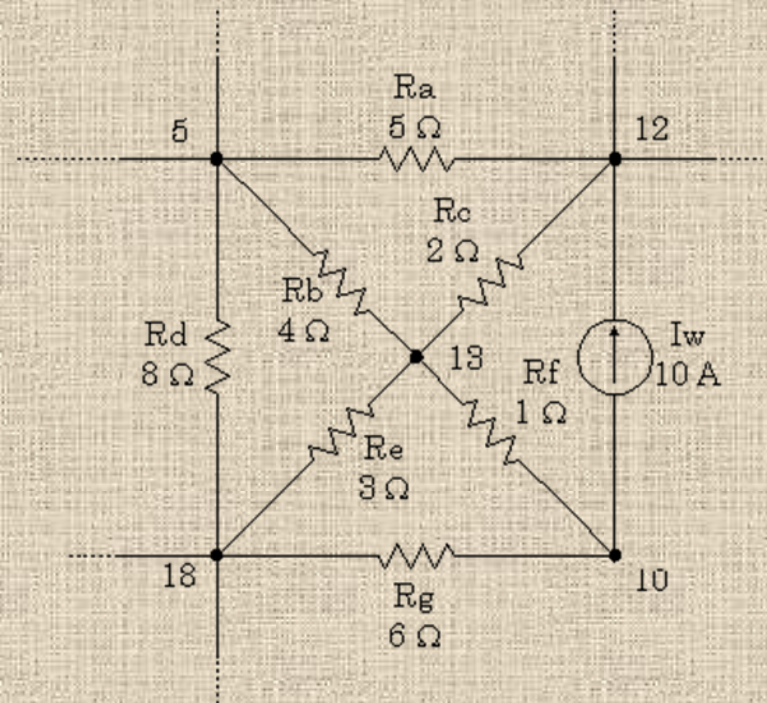
# CMOS NOR

```
mp1 4 2 1 1 p w=5u l=2.5u
mp2 5 3 4 1 p w=5u l=2.5u
mn1 5 2 0 0 n w=5u l=5u
mn2 5 3 0 0 n w=5u l=5u
.model p PMOS(VTO=-1 KP=15u)
.model n NMOS(VTO=1 KP=30u)
vin1 2 0 pulse(0 5 0 1n 1n 5u 10u)
vin2 3 0 pulse(0 5 2.5u 1n 1n 5u 10u)
vp 1 0 5
.probe
.tran 0 30u .1u
.end
```



# Sub Circuit

```
.subckt sub1 5 12 18  
Iw 10 12 10A  
Ra 5 12 5.0  
Rb 5 13 4.0  
Rc 12 13 2.0  
Rd 5 18 8.0  
Re 13 18 3.0  
Rf 10 13 1.0  
Rg 10 18 6.0  
.ends
```



# Sub Circuit

```
.include sub1.cir
```

```
Vs1 0 50
```

```
Iq 5 0 15
```

```
Ra 1 2 1
```

```
Rb 3 4 3
```

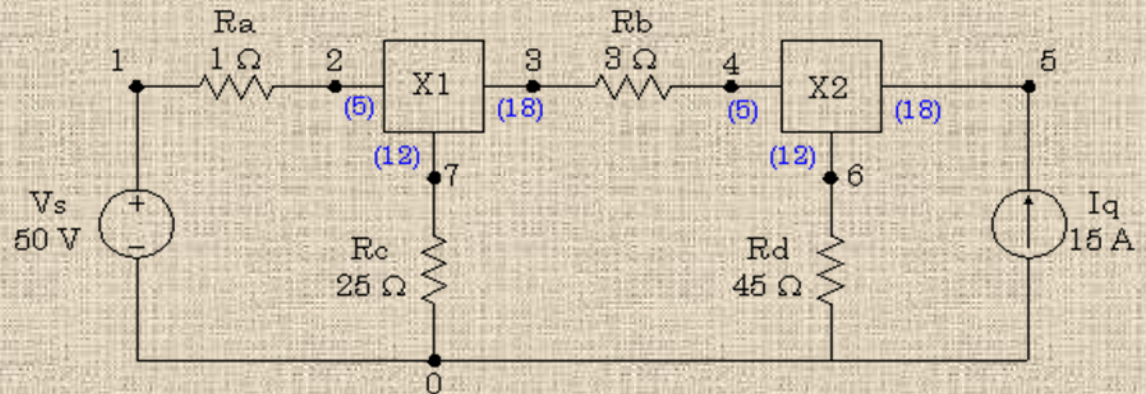
```
Rc7 0 25
```

```
Rd 6 0 45
```

```
X1 2 7 3 sub1
```

```
X2 4 6 5 sub1
```

```
.end
```



Thanks