

EE 223 Homework 4

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Design of High-Swing Cascode Bias and Cascode
OTA Circuit

1. Schematic and DC Operating Points of the Circuit

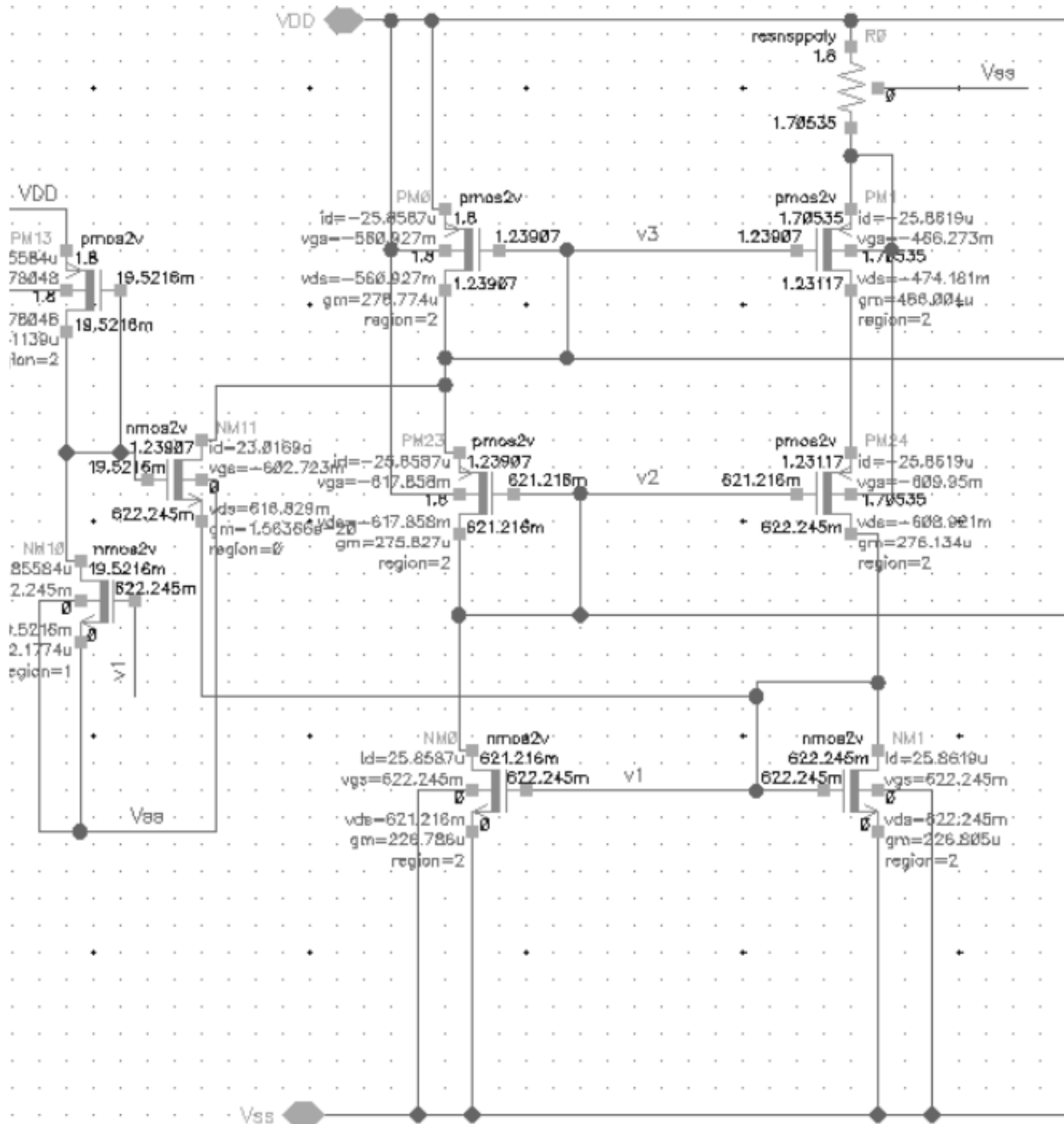


Figure 1: Start Up Circuit and Beta Multiplier DC Operating Points and Node Voltages

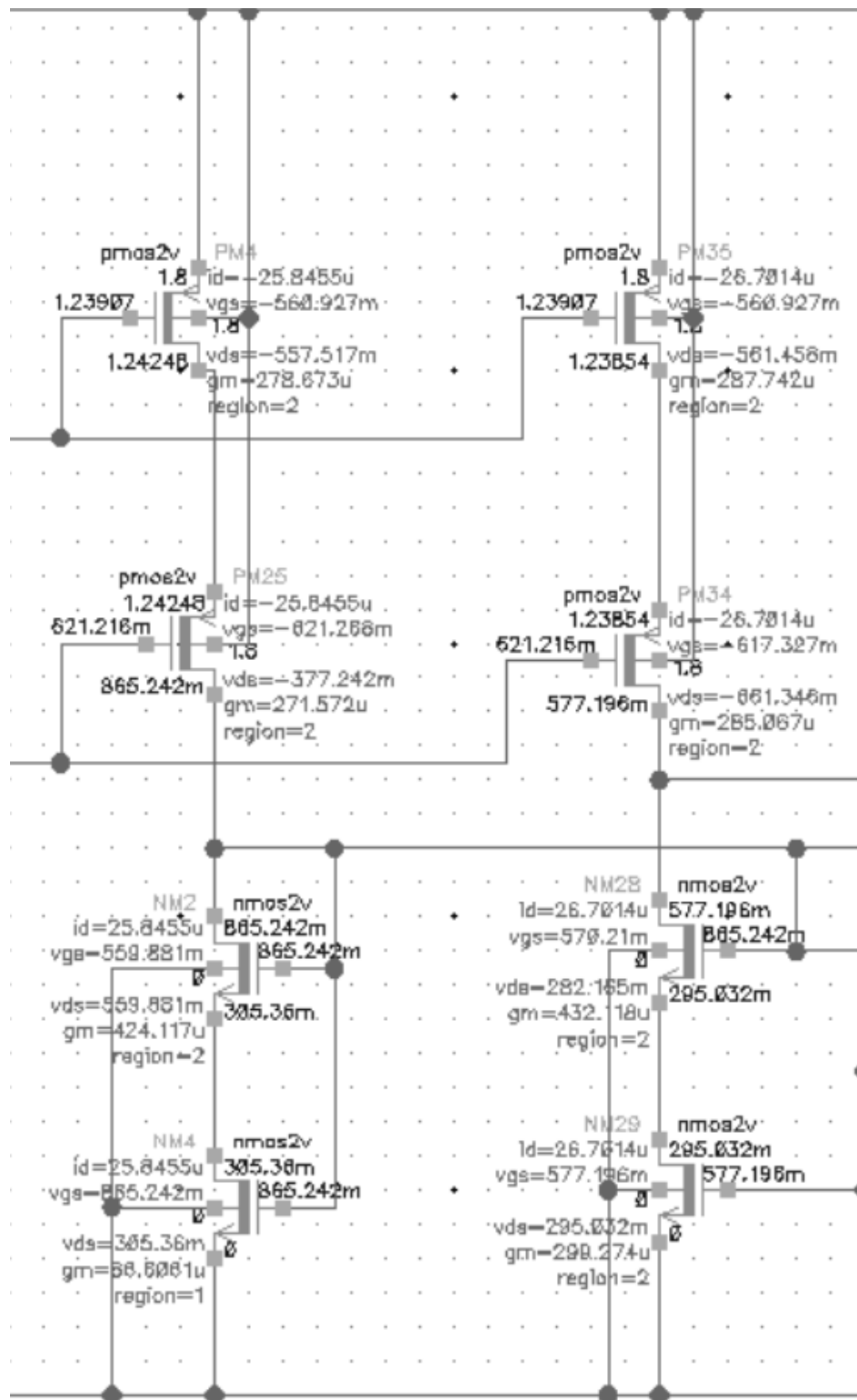


Figure 2: Nmos High Swing Current Cascode DC operating point and Node Voltage.

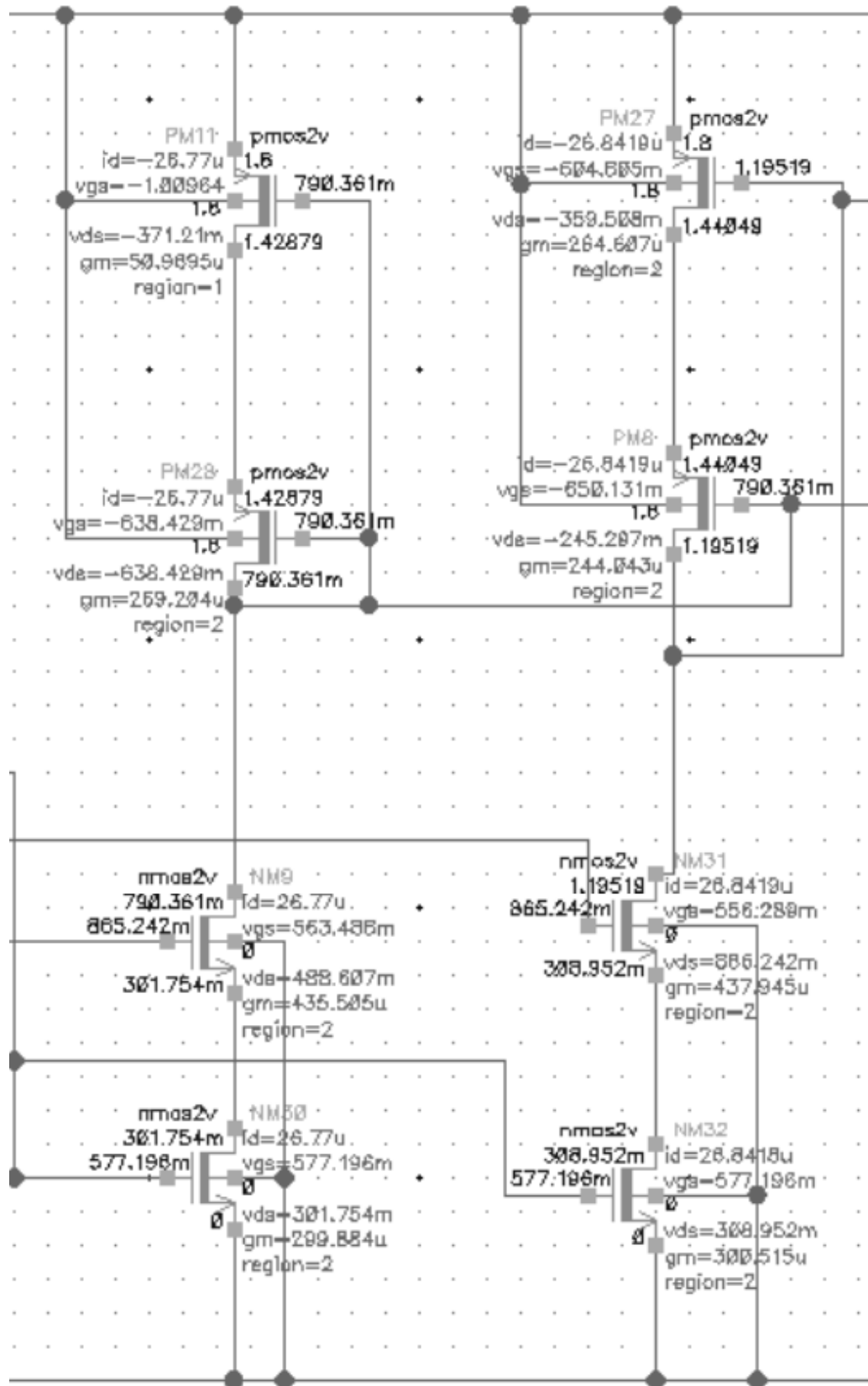


Figure 3: Pmos High Swing Current cascode DC operating Point and Node voltage.

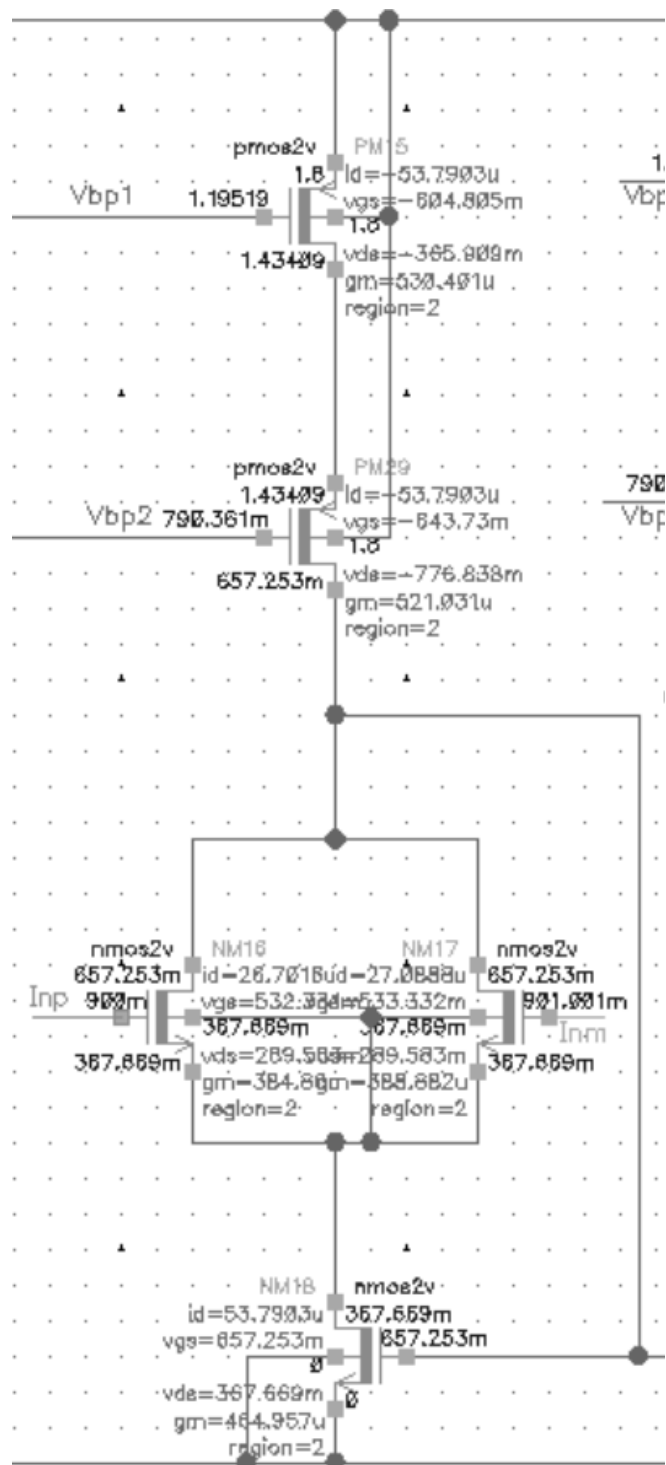


Figure 4: Fully differential DC Operating point and Node voltage.

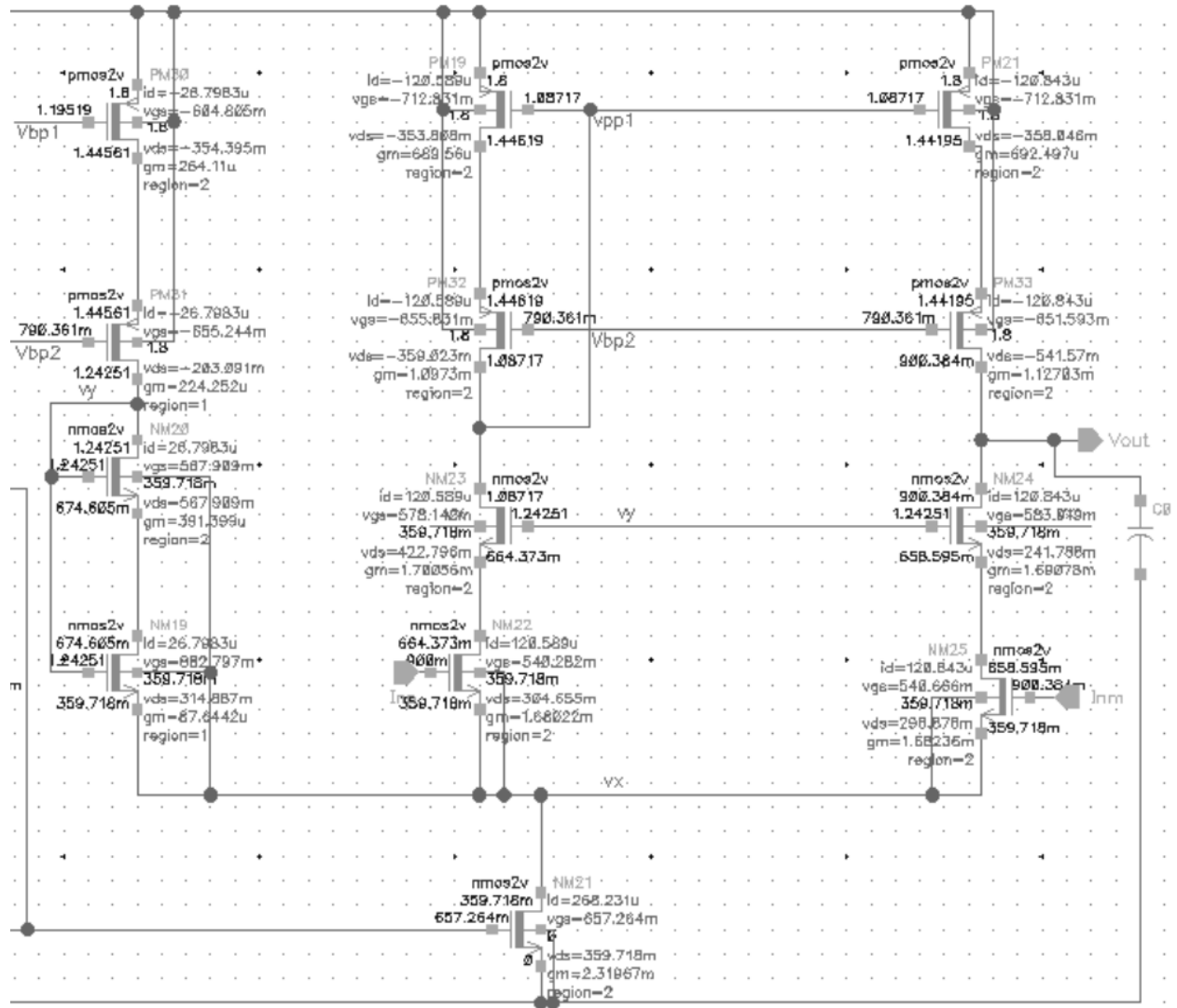


Figure 5: Operational Transconductance Amplifier DC Operating point and Node Voltage.

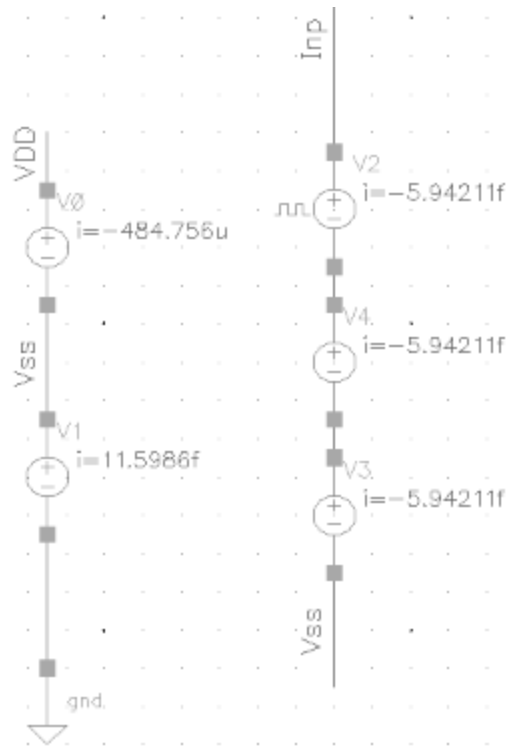


Figure 5: Circuit Power dissipation VDD= 1.8V, I=484.755uA, P=872.561uW (VDD*I).

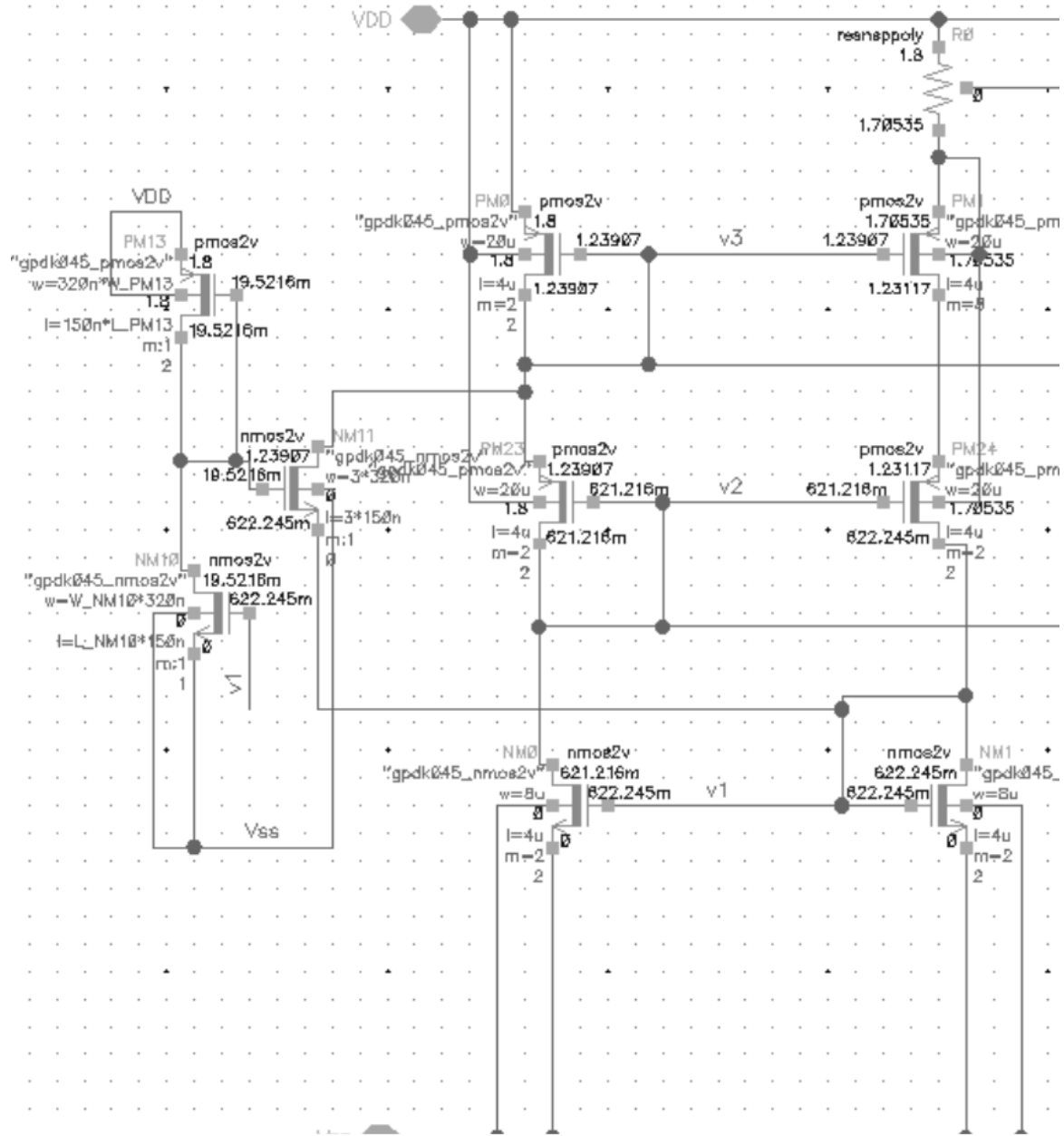


Figure 6: Start Up and Beta multiplier device size and region of operation. Where $w_{pm13}=1$, $W_{PM13} = 50$, $L_{NM10}=2$ and $W_{NM10}=10$.

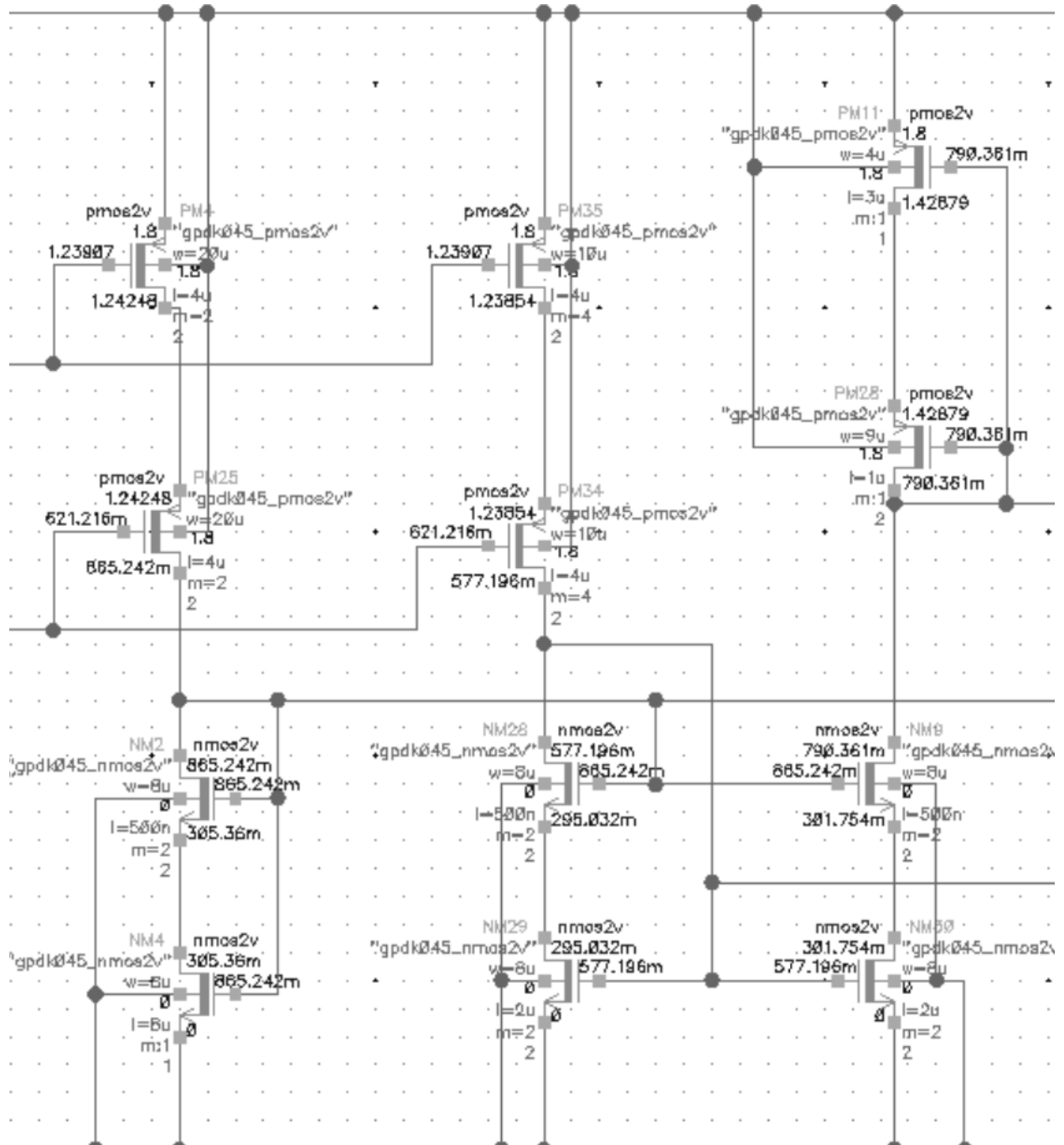


Figure 7: NMOS high swing current cascode device size and DC operating region.

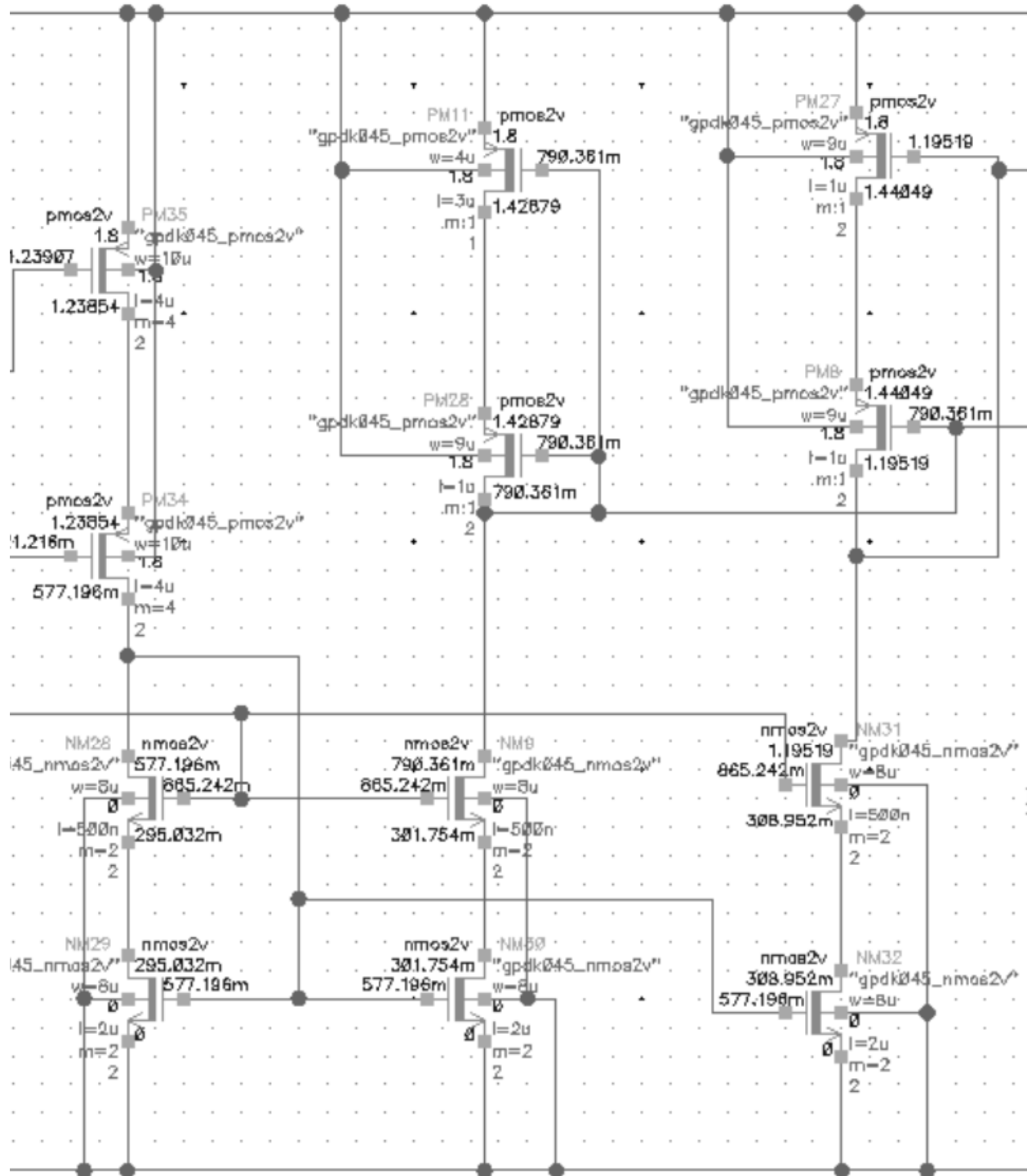


Figure 8: PMOS high swing current cascode device size and DC operating region.

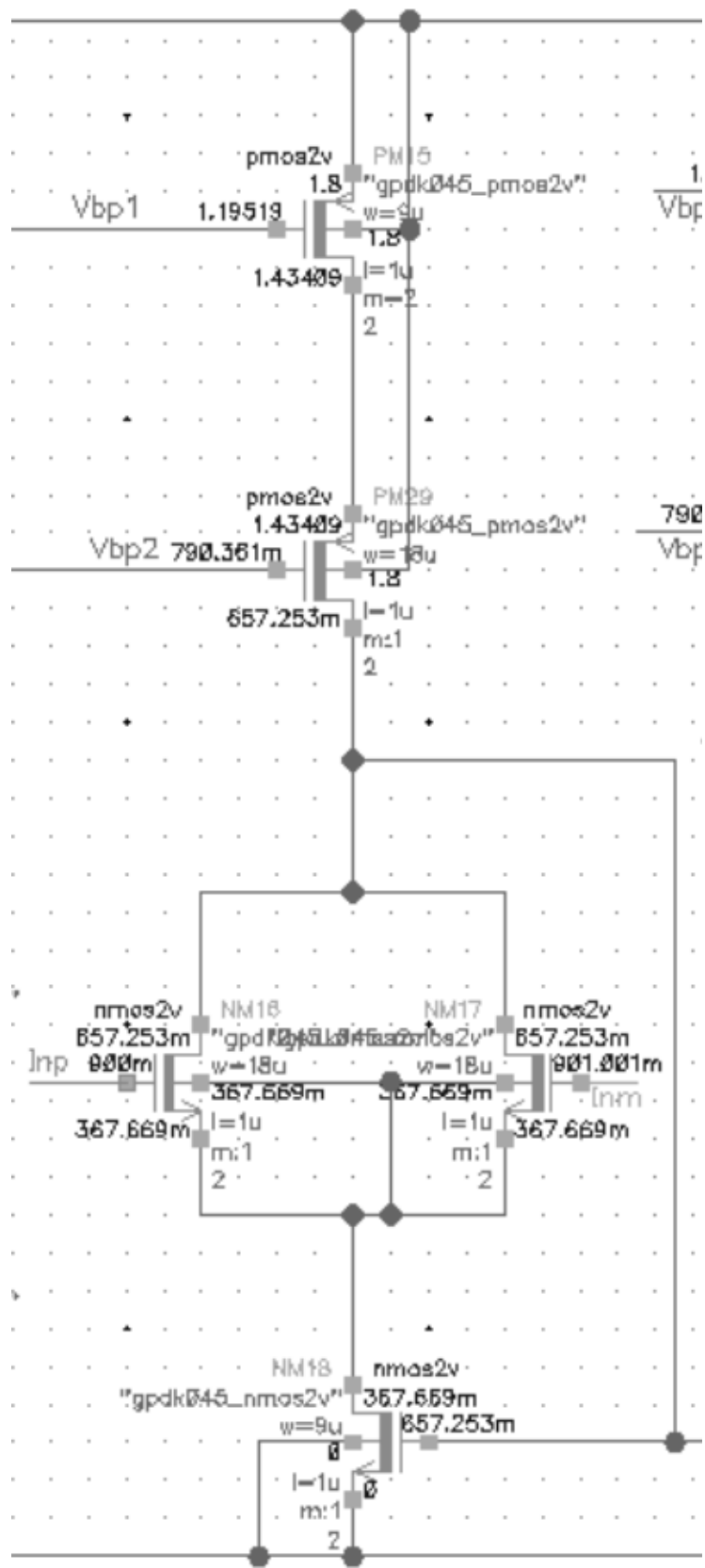


Figure 9: Fully differential circuit device size and DC operating region.



2. AC Simulation and results.

Schematic

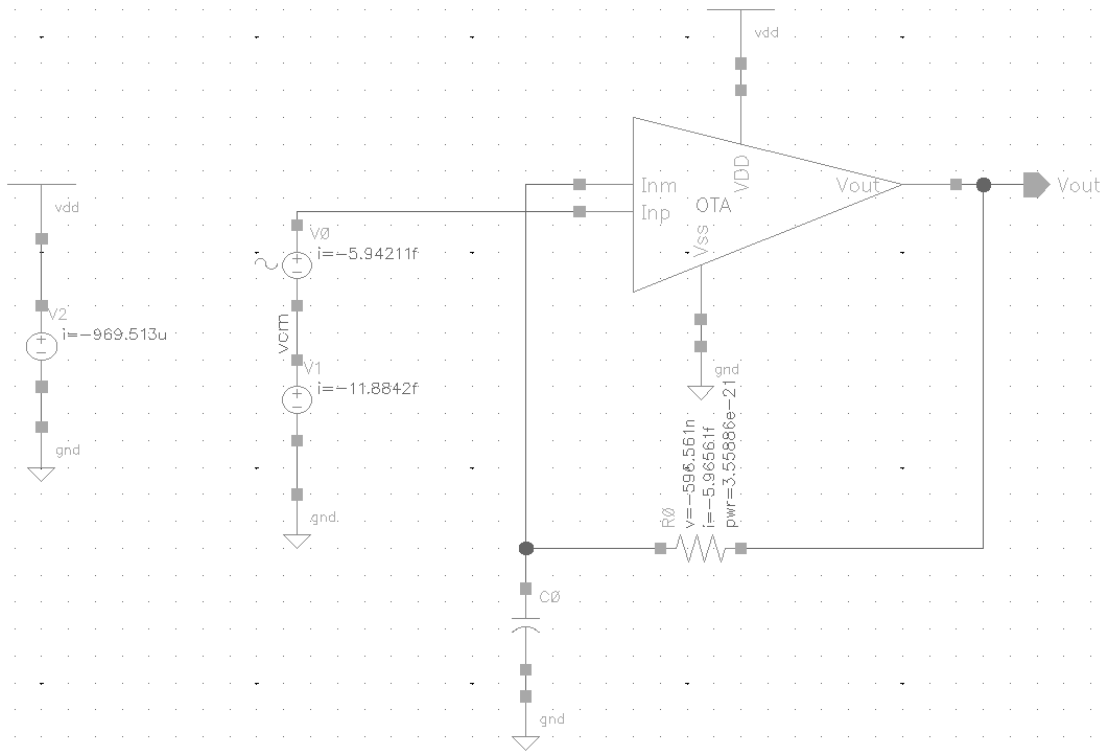


Figure 11: AC response schematic

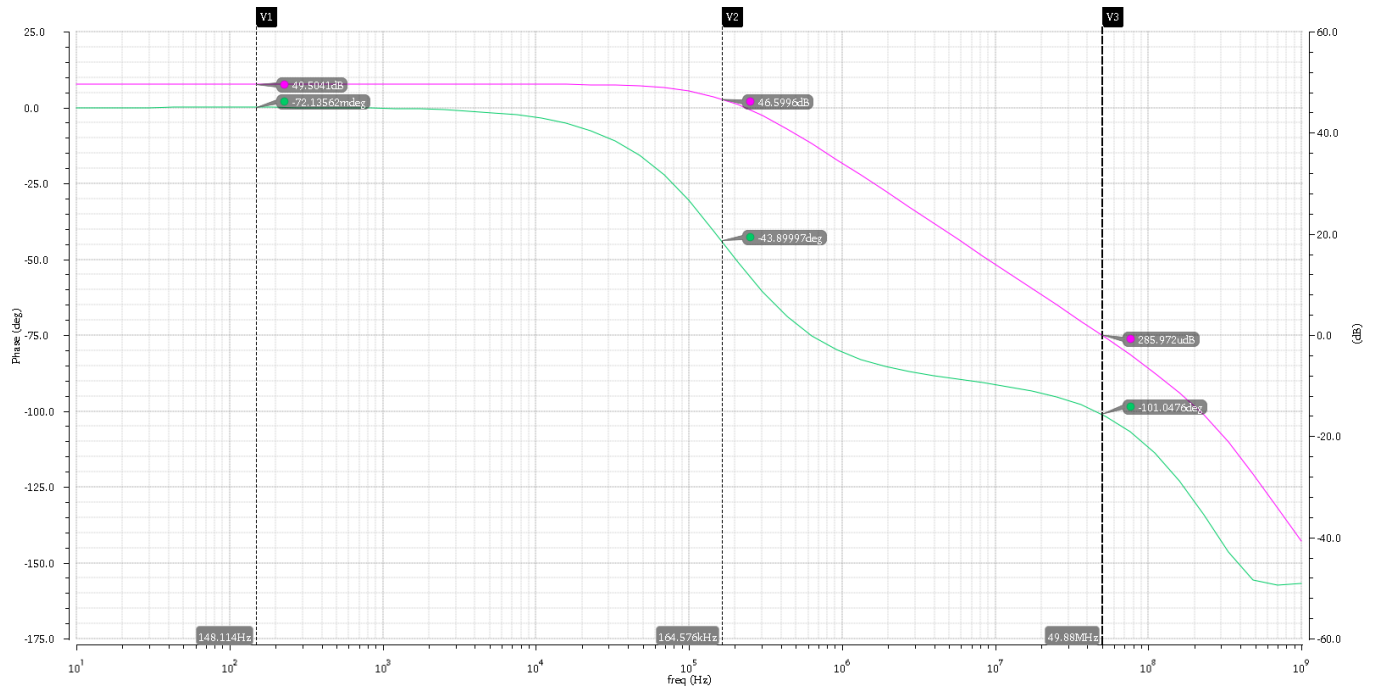


Figure 12: AC response plot

Table 1: AC response Results

Parameter	Gain[dB]	Frequency[HZ]
A0	49.501	0
-3dB BW	46.59	164.57K
Wu	0	49.88M
A0*-3dB BW		49.1182M

3. Transient simulation of Buffer configuration

Schematic

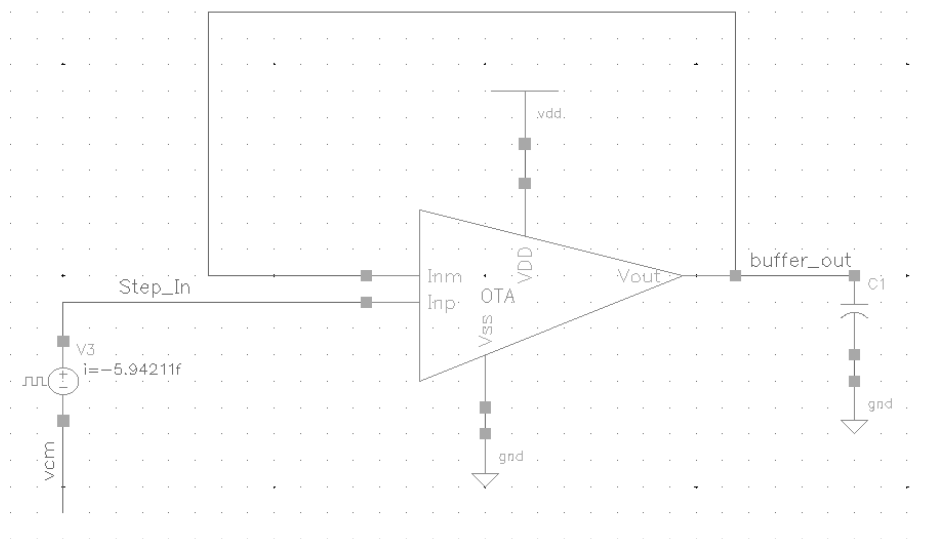


Figure 13: Unity gain configuration circuit.

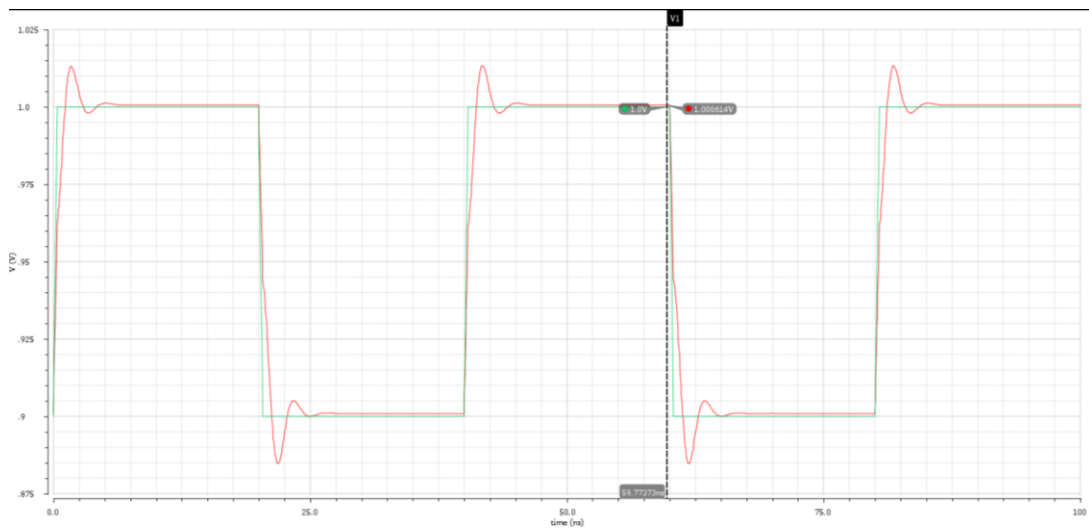


Figure 14: Transient Response of the Unity gain configuration (red trace is output, and green is input).