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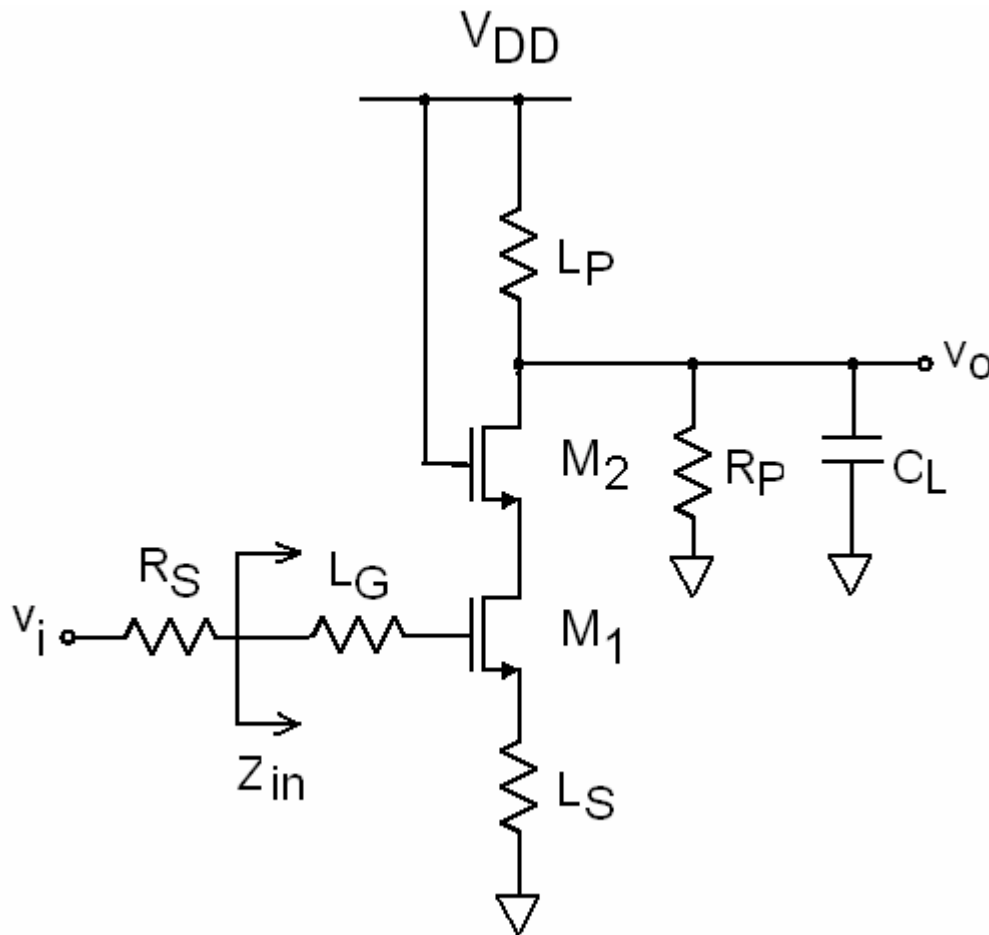


Fig. 1

Fig.1 is part of a RF amplifier (biasing circuit not shown here). The operation frequency of the circuit is 10Grad/s,  $g_{m1} = 23.45\text{mS}$ ,  $C_{gs}$  of M1 is 0.67pF,  $R_S = 50\Omega$ ,  $L_G = 13.6\text{nH}$ ,  $L_S = 1.4\text{nH}$ ,  $L_P = 5\text{nH}$ ,  $R_P = 100\Omega$  and  $C_L = 2\text{pF}$ . Ignore the other capacitors.

- a) What is the small signal voltage gain from input to output at the operation frequency?
- b) What is the input impedance  $Z_{in}$  at the operation frequency?

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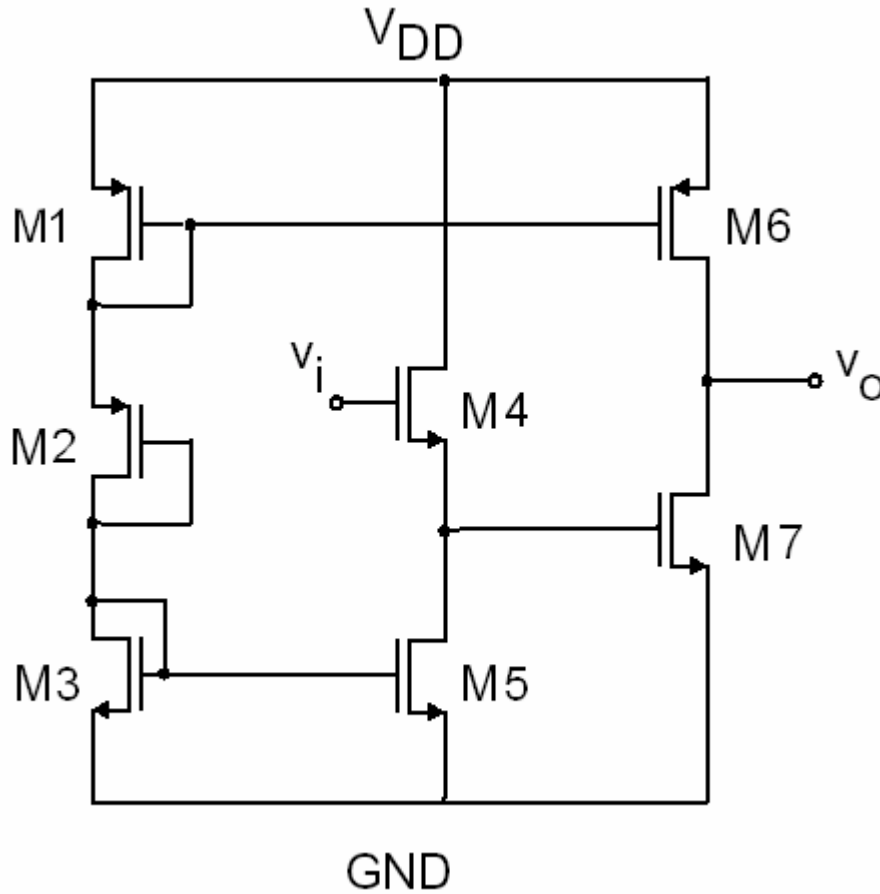


Fig.2

A CMOS amplifier stage is shown in Fig.2. All the transistor bulks are tied to the sources except M4.  $(W/L)_1=(W/L)_6=(W/L)_3=(W/L)_5=(W/L)_7=100\mu/2\mu$ . Select  $W/L$  for M2 and M4 to give  $V_i = V_o = 2.5V$  dc and  $I_D = 100\mu A$  bias in all devices. The minimum value of  $L$  and  $W$  is  $2\mu$ . Calculate the small-signal, low-frequency gain and the -3dB frequency of the stage. Verify with SPICE. Use  $\mu_n C_{ox} = 60\mu A/V^2$ ,  $\mu_p C_{ox} = 30\mu A/V^2$ ,  $t_{ox} = 20nm$ ,  $C_{ol} = 0.3fF/\mu$ ,  $C_{db0} = C_{sb0} = 0.8fF/\mu$ ,  $\Phi = 0.6V$ ,  $V_{t0n} = -V_{t0p} = 0.7V$ ,  $\gamma = 0.4$  and  $\lambda = 0.03$ .  $V_{DD} = 5V$

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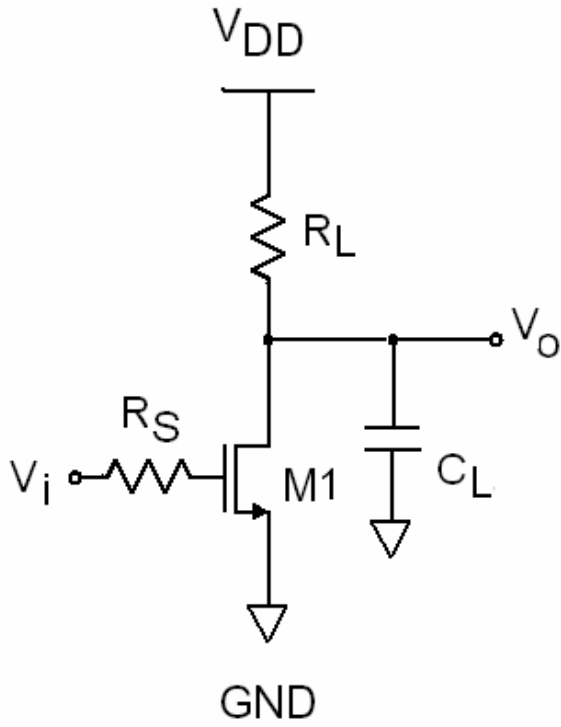


Fig. 3a

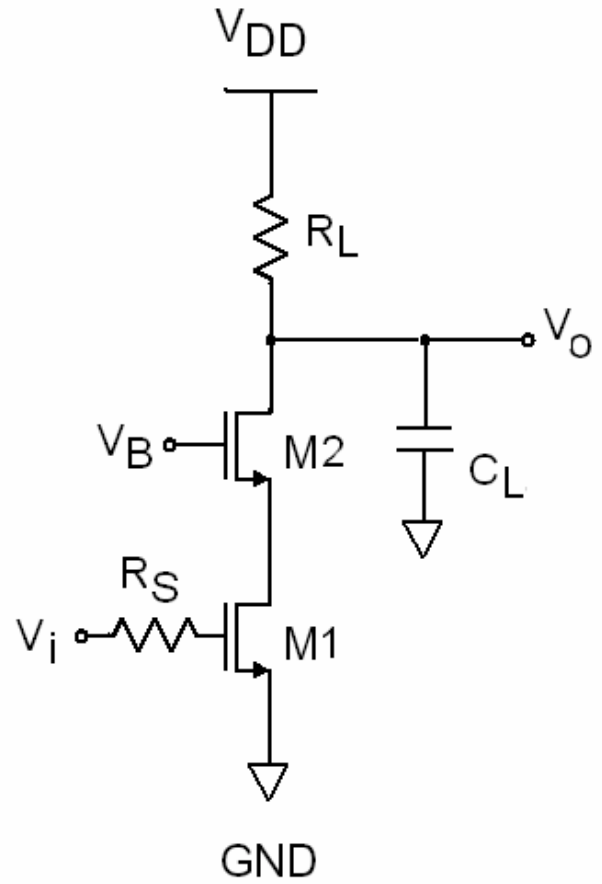


Fig. 3b

Assume  $R_L C_L \ll g_{m1} R_L R_S C_{gd}$  and estimate all the poles in fig.3a and fig.3b ( ignore  $C_{gb}$  in both circuits but **do** consider all the other capacitors) . Compare the dominant poles of the two circuits, what conclusion you can get.

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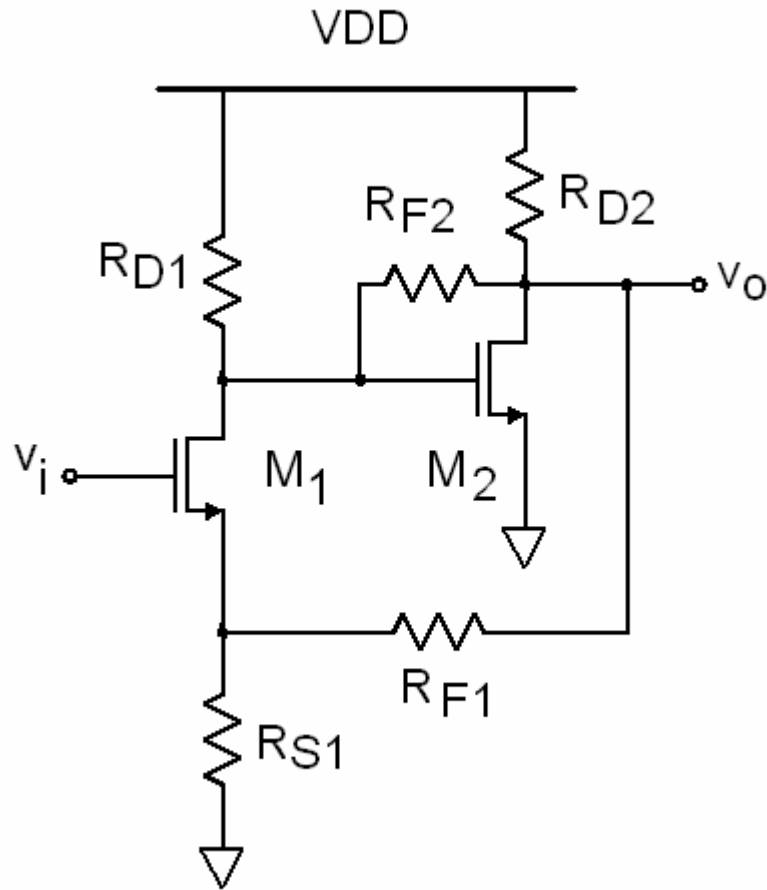


Fig. 4

For the circuit in Fig.4, suppose all resistors are equal to  $2\text{k}\Omega$  and  $g_{m1} = g_{m2} = 1/200\text{ S}$ . Assume  $\lambda = \gamma = 0$ .

- Identify the feedback loops in the circuit.
- What kind of feedback of each feedback loop.
- For the feedback loop include input and output, find expression for the forward gain  $A$ , the feedback gain  $f$  and the loop gain  $T$ .
- Using feedback theory, find expression for the closed loop gain  $V_o/V_i$ , the input resistance and the output resistance.