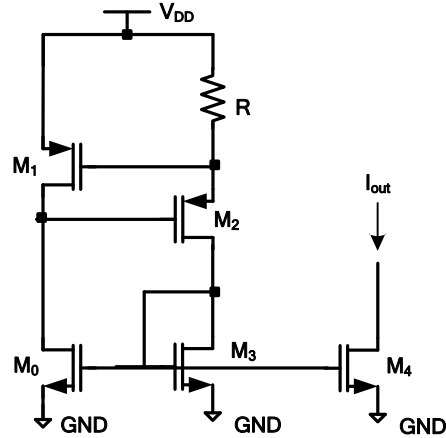


**ELEC 401 Analog CMOS Integrated Circuit Design**  
**Assignment 4**  
**Due: Tuesday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 at 11:59pm**

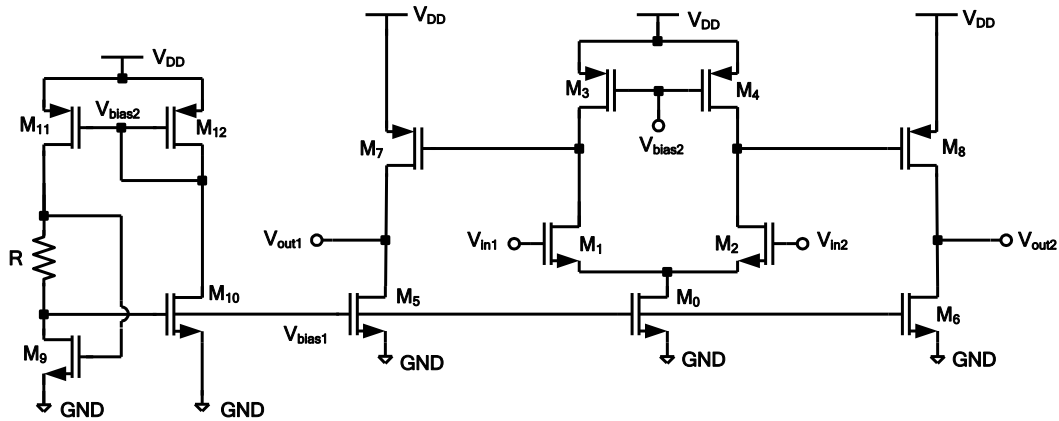
1. Consider the following circuit. (This circuit is sometimes referred to as a self-biased current source).



Assume all transistors are operating in saturation region and  $\lambda=\gamma=0$ ,  $V_{DD}=3$  V,  $V_{TH(NMOS)}=0.5$  V,  $V_{TH(PMOS)} = -0.5$  V,  $\mu_n C_{ox}=200$   $\mu\text{A}/\text{V}^2$ , and  $\mu_p C_{ox}=100$   $\mu\text{A}/\text{V}^2$ . Also, assume that  $M_0$ ,  $M_3$  and  $M_4$  have the same aspect ratio.

Given that  $I_{out} = 50$   $\mu\text{A}$  and  $(W/L)_1 = 16$ , find  $R$ .

2. Design a two-stage differential amplifier based on the topology shown below:



Use the following design specifications (Note that the gate of  $M_{12}$  is also connected to the gate of  $M_3$ ):

- $V_{DD}=1.8$  V
- Total power consumption of 1.98 mW
- Total gain of 4000
- $L=0.4$   $\mu\text{m}$  for all the devices
- $W_{11}=W_{12}$
- $W_{10}=4W_9$
- $R=1$  k $\Omega$

Furthermore, assume:

- The op-amp circuit is symmetric
- The bias currents of the first stage and second stage are equal (i.e.,  $I_0 = I_5 + I_6$ ) and  $I_{11}$  is 10% of  $I_0$ .
- The magnitude of overdrive voltages of  $M_4$ ,  $M_6$ , and  $M_8$  are equal

The technology parameters are:

$\lambda_{(NMOS)} = \lambda_{(PMOS)} = 0.1 \text{ V}^{-1}$ ,  $\gamma = 0$ ,  $V_{DD} = 1.8 \text{ V}$ ,  $V_{TH(NMOS)} = |V_{TH(PMOS)}| = 0.4 \text{ V}$ ,  $\mu_n C_{ox} = 1 \text{ mA/V}^2$ ,  $\mu_p C_{ox} = 0.5 \text{ mA/V}^2$ .

**Note:** Use the parameter  $\lambda$  only for calculating the  $r_o$  of the transistors. **Do not** use  $\lambda$  in any other calculation including your bias currents.

Find all transistor widths (namely,  $W_0, W_1, W_2, W_3, W_4, W_5, W_6, W_7, W_8, W_9, W_{10}, W_{11}$  and  $W_{12}$ ).

Good luck!