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DESIGN 01: NMOS-E type Voltage divider biasing

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[Maximum Marks: 05]

1. Follow similar approach for Self biasing design

1. Design an N-channel Enhancement type MOSFET using voltage-divider biasing for the following specifications:

$$I_{DQ} = 5mA, V_{DSQ} = 5V$$

$$\text{MOSFET parameters given are: } K_n = 25mA/V^2, V_{TN} = 1V$$

Solution:

1. Since we want the operating point on the center of DC load line. We select the supply voltage $V_{DD} = 2 \times V_{DSQ} = 10V$

$$\text{Assume } V_G = 0.25 \times V_{DD} = 0.25 \times 10 = 2.5V$$

$$\text{Also, assume } R_2 = 100K\Omega, \frac{1}{4}W$$

$$\text{i.e } V_G = 2.5 = \frac{R_2 \times V_{DD}}{R_1 + R_2} = \frac{100K \times 10}{100K + R_1}$$

$$\text{i.e } R_1 = 300K\Omega, \frac{1}{4}W$$

$$\text{Selecting nearest standard value of resistor } \underline{R_1 = 300K\Omega, \frac{1}{4}W, R_2 = 100K\Omega, \frac{1}{4}W}$$

3. Drain Current $I_D = K_n(V_{GS} - V_{TN})^2$

$$\text{i.e } 5 \times 10^{-3} = 25 \times 10^{-3}(V_{GS} - 1)^2$$

$$\text{i.e } V_{GS} = 1.447V$$

$$\text{Now, } V_{GS} = V_G - I_D \times R_S$$

$$R_S = \frac{V_G - V_{GS}}{I_D} = \frac{2.5 - 1.447}{5 \times 10^{-3}} = 210.6\Omega$$

$$\text{Selecting nearest standard value of resistor } \underline{R_S = 220\Omega, \frac{1}{4}W}$$

4. Drain to source voltage $V_{DS} = V_{DD} - I_D \times R_D - I_D \times R_S$

$$\text{i.e } R_D = \frac{V_{DD} - V_{DS} - I_D \times R_S}{I_D} = \frac{10 - 5 \times 10^{-3} \times 220}{5 \times 10^{-3}} = 780\Omega$$

$$\text{Selecting nearest standard value of resistor } \underline{R_D = 820\Omega, \frac{1}{4}W}$$

Hence, the Designed Voltage divider circuit using NMOS E-type is


