

MOSFET Small Signal model

- assume always in saturation
- 4 independent parameters i_G, i_D, V_{GS}, V_{DS} (NMOS)

$$i_G(V_{GS}, V_{DS}) = 0$$

$$i_D(V_{GS}, V_{DS}) = \frac{1}{2} k_n \frac{W}{L} (V_{GS} - V_T)^2 (1 + \lambda V_{DS})$$

Bias point parameters are I_D, V_{GS}, V_{DS} ($I_G=0$)

$$i_D = I_D + i_d, \quad V_{GS} = V_{GS} + v_{gs}, \quad V_{DS} = V_{DS} + v_{ds}$$

Use Taylor series expansion in terms of 2 variables

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x, y_0 + \Delta y) \approx f(x_0, y_0) + \Delta x \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}|_{x_0, y_0} + \Delta y \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}|_{x_0, y_0}$$

$$i_D(V_{GS} + v_{gs}, V_{DS} + v_{ds}) = i_D(V_{GS}, V_{DS}) + \underbrace{v_{gs} \frac{\partial i_D}{\partial V_{GS}}|_Q + v_{ds} \frac{\partial i_D}{\partial V_{DS}}|_Q}_{\text{Signal component}},$$

$$\text{Define } g_m = \left. \frac{\partial i_D}{\partial V_{GS}} \right|_Q = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} k_n \frac{W}{L} (V_{GS} - V_T)(1 + \lambda V_{DS})|_Q$$

$$g_m = \frac{2 I_D}{V_{GS} - V_T}$$

$$\text{Define } \frac{1}{r_o} = \left. \frac{\partial I_D}{\partial V_{DS}} \right|_Q = \left. \frac{1}{2} k_n \frac{W}{L} (V_{GS} - V_T)^2 \right|_Q$$

$$\frac{1}{r_o} = \frac{\lambda I_D}{1 + \lambda V_{DS}} \rightarrow r_o = \frac{V_A + V_{DS}}{I_D} \approx \frac{V_A}{I_D} \text{ when } V_T = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

MOSFET small signal equations

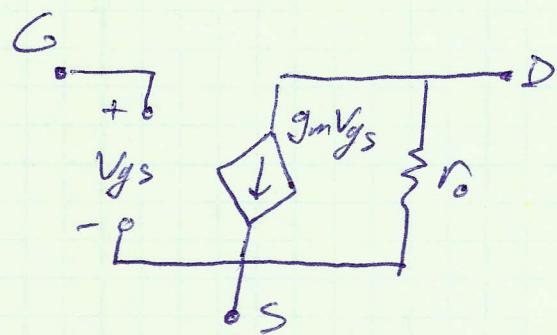
$$i_g = 0$$

$$i_d = g_m v_{gs} + \frac{v_{ds}}{r_o}$$

small signal circuit

$$g_m = \frac{2 I_D}{V_{GS} - V_T}$$

$$r_o = \frac{V_A + V_{DS}}{I_D} \approx \frac{V_A}{I_D}$$

for PMOS

$$g_m = \frac{2 I_D}{V_{SG} - V_T}$$

$$r_o = \frac{V_A + V_{SD}}{I_D} \approx \frac{V_A}{I_D}$$

the circuit looks the same

we do not need to replace v_{gs} with v_{sg}

BJT small signal model

$$i_B = \frac{I_s}{\beta} e^{\frac{V_{BE}}{nV_T}}$$

$$i_C = I_s e^{\frac{V_{BE}}{nV_T}} \left(1 + \frac{V_{CE}}{V_A} \right)$$

- assume active state; bias point params $\bar{I}_B, \bar{I}_C, \bar{V}_{CE}, \bar{V}_{BE}$

$$\dot{i}_B = \bar{i}_B + i_b \quad \dot{i}_C = \bar{i}_C + i_c, \quad V_{BE} = \bar{V}_{BE} + v_{be}, \quad V_{CE} = \bar{V}_{CE} + v_{ce}$$

Use Taylor series expansion

- $i_b (\bar{V}_{BE} + v_{be}) = i_b (\bar{V}_{BE}) + v_{be} \frac{\partial i_b}{\partial V_{BE}} |_Q$

$$i_b = \frac{\partial i_b}{\partial V_{BE}} |_Q \cdot v_{be} \equiv \frac{v_{be}}{r_\pi}$$

$$\frac{1}{r_\pi} = \frac{\partial i_b}{\partial V_{BE}} |_Q = \frac{1}{nV_T} \cdot \frac{\bar{I}_s}{\beta} e^{\frac{\bar{V}_{BE}}{nV_T}} = \frac{\bar{I}_s}{nV_T}$$

$$\rightarrow r_\pi = \frac{nV_T}{\bar{I}_s}$$

- $i_c (\bar{V}_{BE} + v_{be}, \bar{V}_{CE} + v_{ce}) = i_c (\bar{V}_{BE}, \bar{V}_{CE}) + v_{be} \frac{\partial i_c}{\partial V_{BE}} |_Q + v_{ce} \frac{\partial i_c}{\partial V_{CE}} |_Q$

$$i_c = v_{be} \frac{\partial i_c}{\partial V_{BE}} |_Q + v_{ce} \frac{\partial i_c}{\partial V_{CE}} |_Q \equiv g_m v_{be} + \frac{v_{ce}}{r_o}$$

$$g_m = \frac{\partial i_c}{\partial v_{be}} |_Q = \frac{1}{nV_T} \bar{I}_s e^{\frac{\bar{V}_{BE}}{nV_T}} \left(1 + \frac{V_{CE}}{V_A} \right) = \frac{\bar{I}_c}{nV_T}$$

$$\frac{1}{r_o} = \frac{\partial i_c}{\partial V_{CE}} |_Q = \frac{1}{V_A} \bar{I}_s e^{\frac{\bar{V}_{BE}}{nV_T}} = \frac{\bar{I}_c}{V_A (1 + V_{CE}/V_A)} = \frac{\bar{I}_c}{V_A + V_{CE}}$$

BJT small signal equivalent

$$i_b = \frac{V_{be}}{r_a}$$

$$i_c = g_m V_{be} + V_{ce}/r_o$$

small signal circuit

$$r_a = \frac{nV_T}{I_B}$$

$$g_m = \frac{I_c}{nV_T} = \frac{I_c}{I_D} \cdot \frac{I_D}{nV_T} = \frac{\beta}{r_a}$$

$$r_o = \frac{V_A + V_{CE}}{I_c} \approx \frac{V_A}{I_c}$$

PNP is the same, but with V_{EC} instead of V_{CE}

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