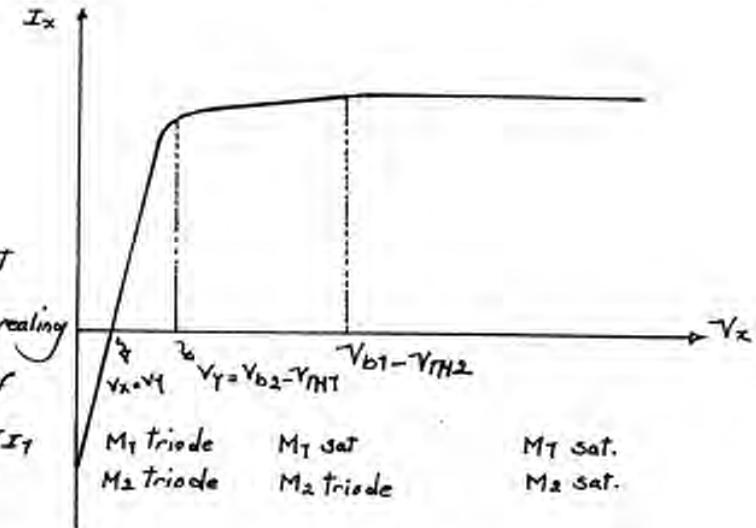


we assume  $V_{b1} > V_{b2}$  and both  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  operate in saturation region if  $V_x = V_{DD}$



Below  $V_x$ , for which  $V_x = V_Y$ , drain current of  $M_2$  flows in opposite direction, revealing the fact the drain and source terminals of  $M_2$  are reversed. As expected, most of  $I_T$  flows through  $M_2$  when  $V_x \approx 0$ , because we assume that  $V_{b1} > V_{b2}$ .

