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## SECOND SEMESTER M.TECH. (ME) DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION APRIL/MAY 2019

## SUBJECT: CMOS MIXED SIGNAL DESIGN (ECE - 5222)

## **TIME: 3 HOURS**

MAX. MARKS: 50

- Instructions to candidates
  - Answer **ALL** questions.
  - Missing data may be suitably assumed.
- 1A. Give the block diagram and Opamp-RC circuit implementation of KHN biquad filter to realise HP, LP and BP transfer functions based on two-integrator loop approach. Explain the digitally programmable version of this filter using MDAC.
- 1B. Discuss OTA-C realisation of RLC low-pass biquad. Give the expression for pole-frequency and pole-Q.
- 1C. Illustrate how virtual ground can be established in an op-amp based inverting amplifier.

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- 2A. Derive the transfer function for the circuit structure given in **Fig. 2A.** Give your comments about filter type and tunability of pole-Q.
- 2B. Derive and analyze the transfer functions for fully differential active-RC realization of Tow-Thomas biquad filter.
- 2C. Discuss the OTA-C realisation of FDNR.

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- 3A. Derive the transfer function for the circuit structure given in **Fig. 3A.** Identify the filter structure. Give your comments about filter type.
- 3B. Derive the transfer function for fully differential OTA-C circuit in **Fig. 3B**. Give your comments.
- 3C. Derive the transfer function for fully differential OTA-C circuit in **Fig. 3B** considering nonidealities of OTA.

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- 4A. i. Discuss the method(s) used for compensation of the effects of frequency dependence of OTA transconductance.
  - ii. Discuss the layout considerations for the capacitor array used in charge scaling DAC.
- 4B. Realize a third-order all-pole OTA-C filter using leap-frog approach. Obtain the parameter determination formulas.
- 4C. For the 4 bit DAC shown in **Fig. 4C** find the output voltage.

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- 5A. i. Discuss the design methods and layout guidelines used in analog and mixed-signal circuit design with respect to following: [a] Guard rings [b] Shielding
  - ii. Discuss the linearity related errors as applicable to DACs.

- 5B. Analyse the CCII based active-RC structure in Fig. 5B and give your comments.
- 5C. Give the op-amp based circuit for simulating grounded negative impedance and derive the expression.





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Fig. 3A





