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## SECOND SEMESTER M.TECH. (ME) DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION JUNE 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 OTA-C current-mode Tow-Thomas[TT] biquad circuit and derive expressions for two current-in current-output transfer functions. Give the expression for pole frequency and pole-Q.
- 1B. Define the following terms:

i) Dynamic range ii) Total Harmonic Distortion (THD) iii) Sensitivity

1C. Derive the transfer function for fully differential OTA-C circuit in Fig. 1C. Give your comments.

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- 2A. Design a RLC band-pass biquad using active transconductor blocks with a Q of 10 and a cutoff frequency of 1.59MHz. Give comments about sensitivity and tunability.
- 2B. Show that the switched-capacitor circuits shown in **Fig. 2B** behave like resistors, for  $f < f_{clk}$  with the resistor values shown.
- 2C. Realise the switched capacitor equivalent of the active RC filter structure in **Fig. 2C** and analyse the behaviour.

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- 3A. i) State the advantages offered by current-mode signal processing over conventional analog voltage signal processing.
  - ii) With a schematic circuit explain the working of 4-bit charge scaling DAC.
- 3B. Give the  $g_m$ -C current-mode realisation of RLC parallel resonator circuit shown in **Fig. 3B**. Derive the expressions for different transfer functions. Give your comments.
- 3C. Demonstrate the advantages of using Deboo integrator in active-RC Tow-Thomas Biquad realization.

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- 4A. Derive the expression for all current-mode transfer functions for the circuit in **Fig. 4A**. Are the biquads independently tunable? Give your comments about the filter structure.
- 4B. Explain the practical OTA macro models.
- 4C. Give OTA-C implementation of :i) floating resistor (series element) ii) floating resistor (shunt element)

- 5A. i) Show how Miller's theorem can be used to realize negative capacitance circuit using OTA.
  - ii) Design a OTA-C voltage-mode first-order all-pass filter for a cut-off frequency of 10MHz.
- 5B. Explain the single bit sigma-delta ADC structure.
- 5C. Discuss the analog layout considerations for following:

i) MOS devices in differential amplifier ii) Capacitor array in charge scaling DAC.

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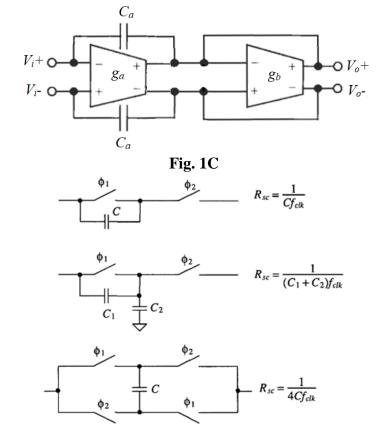


Fig. 2B

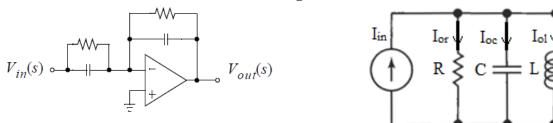




Fig. 3B

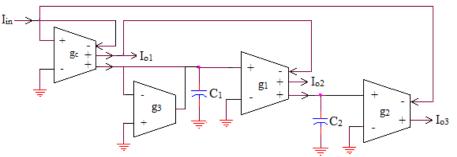


Fig. 4A