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Homework 3

EECS 247

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Design an elliptic filter with the following specifications:

f_{pass}	20 MHz
f_{stop}	35 MHz
r_{pass}	< 0.2 dB
r_{stop}	> 65 dB

- a) What is the required filter order?
- b) Obtain the doubly-terminated, denormalized LC ladder prototype using a table (e.g. the attached copy from Williams) or a synthesis program.
- c) Synthesize a parasitic insensitive G_m-C filter based on the ladder prototype. Note all element values.
You may use SPICE G-elements for the transconductors. Add a noise to simulate the noise ($4k_B T/G_m$). Do not use resistors for any other purpose—synthesize them from transconductors.
- d) Scale the filter elements to obtain a peak gain of unity from the filter input to each integrator output and to achieve a total integrated noise at the output of $100\mu\text{V}$ rms integrated from DC to 100MHz. Verify your design with a SPICE AC analysis that you compare to the LC ladder. Show the output of each integrator and indicate the filter output. Note all element values on your filter schematic.
- e) Consider the effect of finite amplifier bandwidth f_u . Using first order pole cancellation, determine the minimum unity gain frequency that meets specifications and explain why some poles are not cancelled.