

3) Calculate noise factor (F) under the impedance matched condition (10pt).

$$\begin{aligned}
 F &= 1 + \frac{4kTR_f \Delta f \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 4kTR_b \Delta f \left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{R_F}{R_S}\right)^2 + 4kTR_L \Delta f \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 4kT r_{gm} \Delta f \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2}{4kTR_S \Delta f \left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{R_F}{R_S}\right)^2} \\
 &= 1 + \frac{R_S}{R_F} + \frac{R_b}{R_S} + \frac{R_L}{R_S} \left(\frac{R_S}{R_F}\right)^2 + \frac{r_{gm}}{R_S} \left(\frac{R_S}{R_F}\right)^2 \cdot R_L \\
 &= 1 + \frac{R_S}{R_F} + \frac{R_b}{R_S} + \frac{R_L}{R_S} \left(\frac{R_S}{R_F}\right)^2 + r \frac{R_L}{R_F} \\
 &= 1 + 0.1 + 0.1 + (0.1)^2 + 3 \times 0.1 = 1.51 \rightarrow 1.79 \text{ dB}
 \end{aligned}$$

4) Calculate THD without feedback ($R_F = \infty$). Assume that $V_S = 40 \text{ mV}_p$ (10pt).

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_b &= \frac{1}{2} \mu_n C_{ox} \frac{W}{L} (V_{GS} - V_{th} + V_S \cos \omega t)^2 \\
 &= I_{D1} + \underbrace{\mu_n C_{ox} \frac{W}{L} (V_{GS} - V_{th}) V_S \cos \omega t}_{= g_m = \alpha_1} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \mu_n C_{ox} \frac{W}{L} V_S^2 \cos^2 \omega t}_{= \alpha_2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \text{THD} = \text{HD}_2 &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{\alpha_2}{\alpha_1} V_S = \frac{V_S}{4(V_{GS} - V_{th})} = \frac{40 \text{ mV}_p}{4 \times 0.2} \\
 &= 0.05 \\
 &= 5\%
 \end{aligned}$$

5) With R_F , determine feedback factor and loop gain (10pt).

$$\begin{aligned}
 - \text{feedback factor } f &= \frac{R_S}{R_F + R_S} \approx \frac{R_S}{R_F} = 0.1 \\
 - \text{loop gain} &= (g_m \cdot R_L) \cdot f = \frac{R_F}{R_S} \cdot \frac{R_S}{R_F} = 1
 \end{aligned}$$

6) Calculate THD with feedback. Also assume that $V_S = 40 \text{ mV}_p$ (10pt).

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{When applying feedback, } \alpha_1 &\rightarrow \frac{\alpha_1}{1 + \text{loop gain}} \\
 \alpha_2 &\rightarrow \frac{\alpha_2}{(1 + \text{loop gain})^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{HD}_2)_{\text{with feedback}}$$

$$= (\text{HD}_2)_{\text{without feedback}} \times \frac{1}{(1 + \text{loop gain})^2}$$

$$= 0.05 \times \frac{1}{4} = 0.0125 \rightarrow 1.25\%$$

$$A_v = g_m R_L$$

