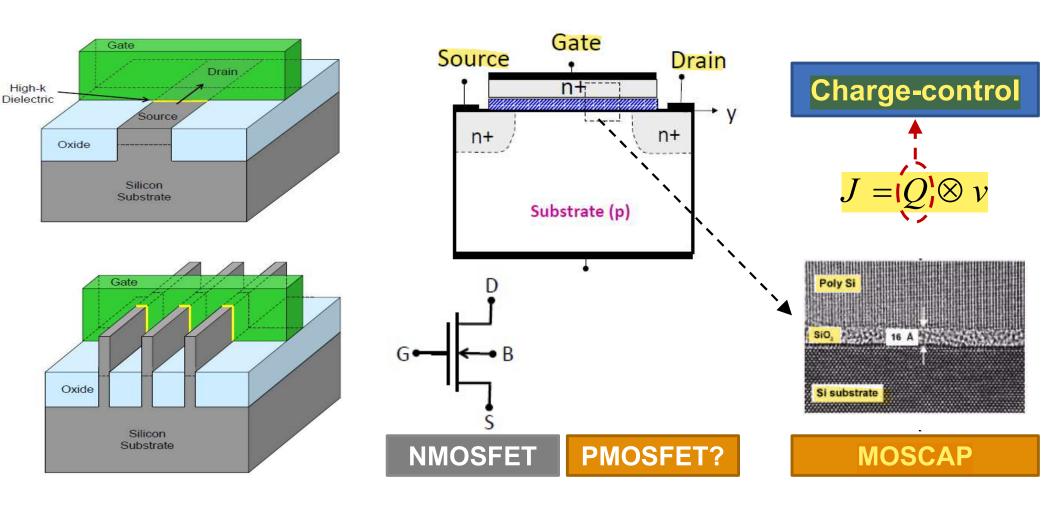
MOS Field-Effect Transistor (MOSFET)

MOS-based devices (MOSFET, FinFET, Power-MOSFET...)

Low-power, integration



Digital logic/memory, analog, RF, power...



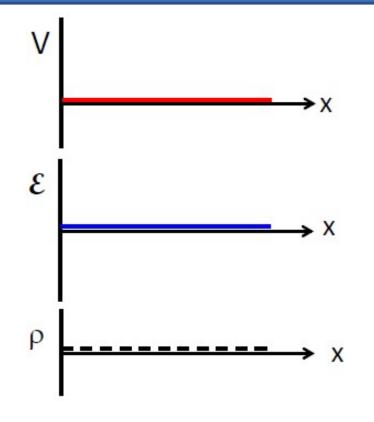
MOS band-diagram – ideal, equilibrium

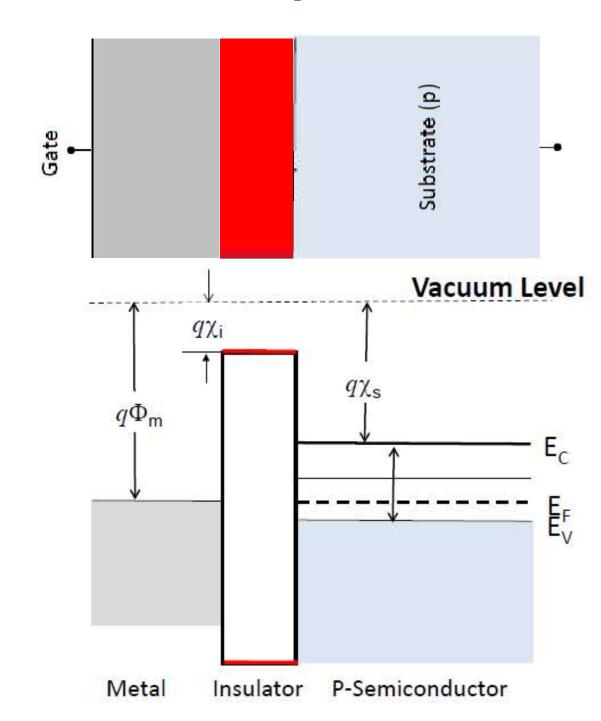
Ideal

$$\Phi_{ms} = \Phi_m - \Phi_s = 0$$

$$V_{bi} = 0$$

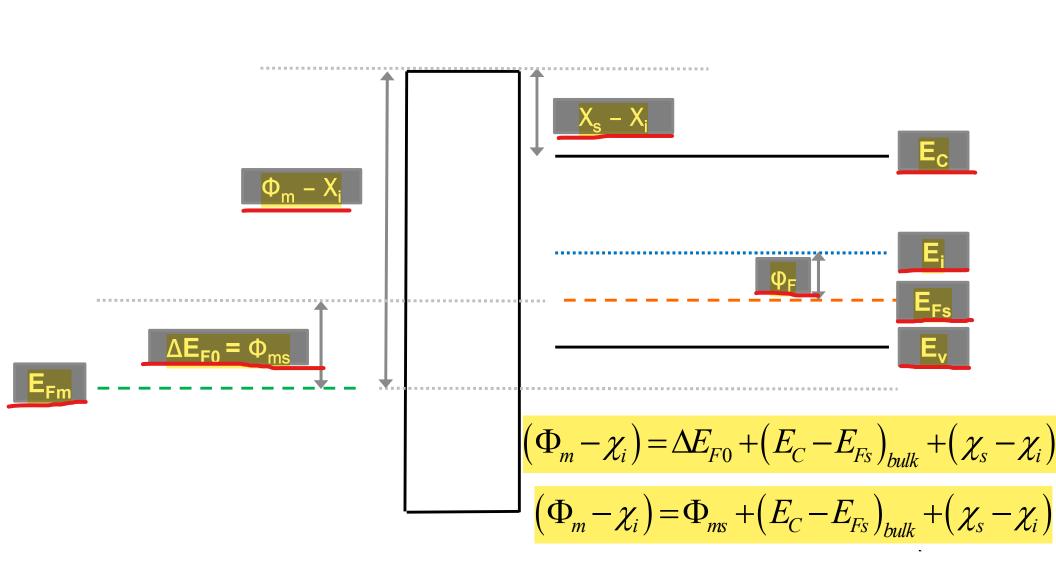
"Flatband" in equilibrium



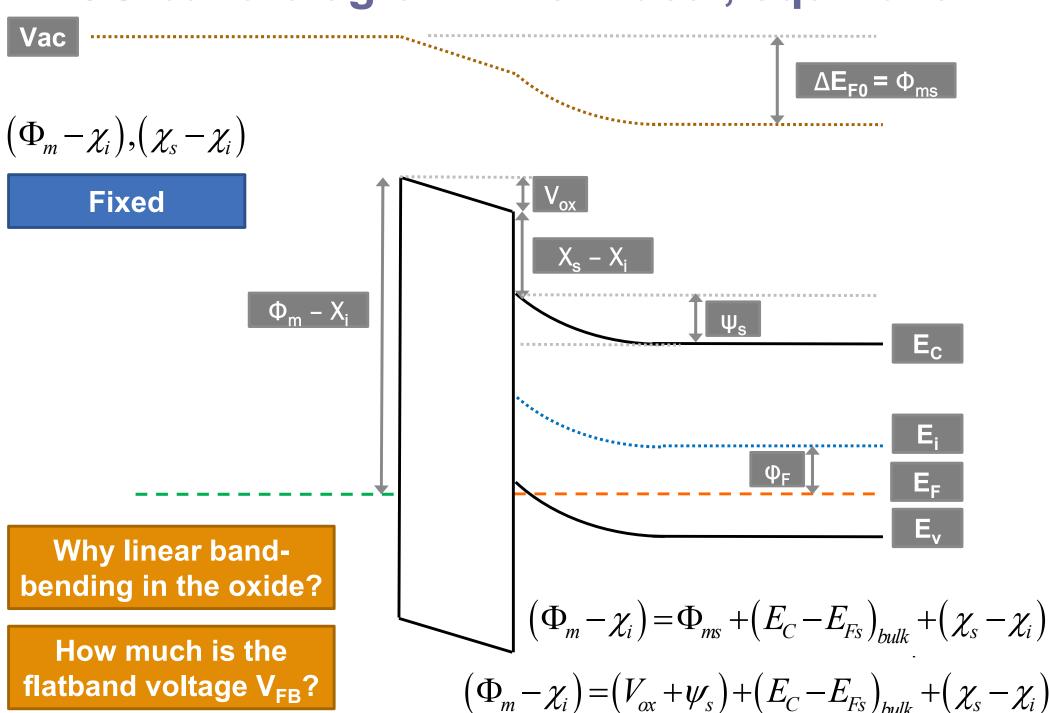


MOS band-diagram – non-ideal, equilibrium

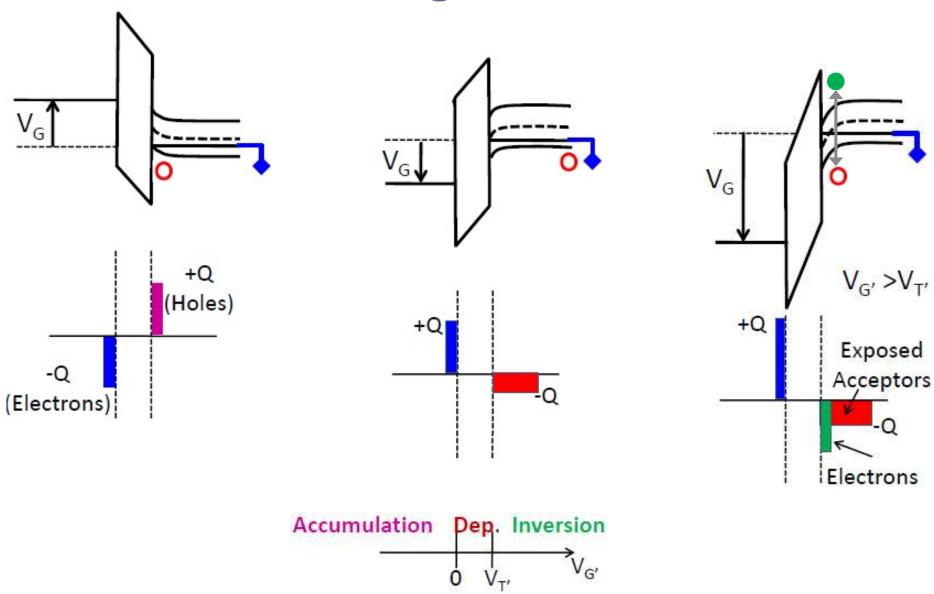
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MOS band-diagram – non-ideal, equilibrium



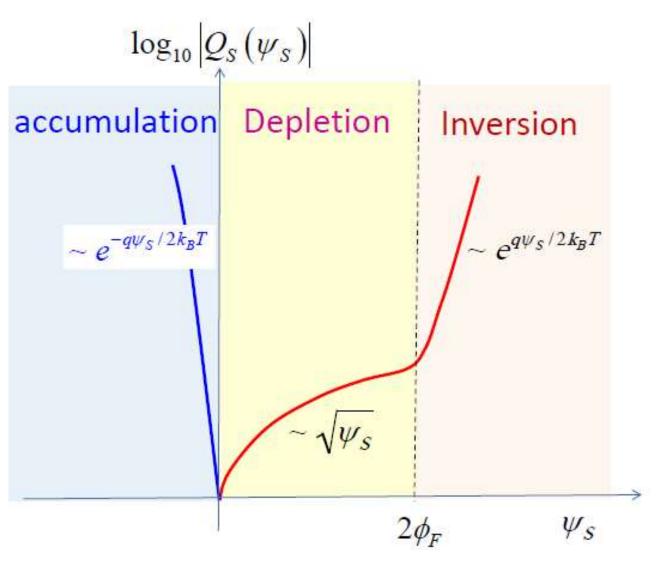
MOS band-diagram – under bias



Where does the excess charge come from?

Which layer forms quicker, accumulation or inversion?

Charge vs. Voltage (Q-V)



$$n = n_i e^{(E_F - E_i)/k_B T}$$

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$$n = n_0 e^{+q\psi/k_BT}$$

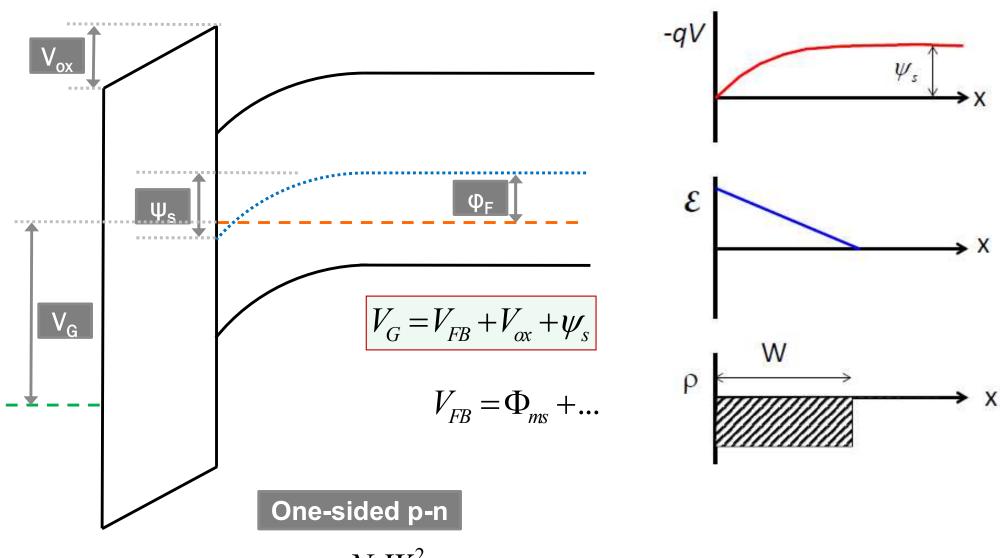
$$p = p_0 e^{-q\psi/k_B T}$$

$$\frac{dE}{dx} = \frac{q(p-n+N_d^+ - N_a^-)}{\varepsilon_s}$$

Charge vs. Surface Potential

$$\frac{dE}{d\psi}\frac{d\psi}{dx} = -E\frac{dE}{d\psi} = f(\psi)$$

Q-V: depletion



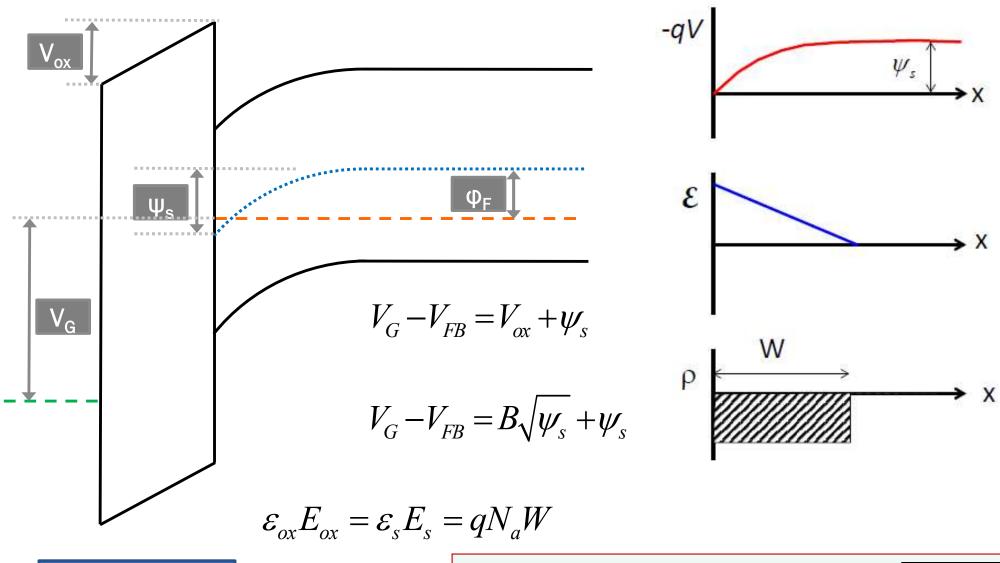
Depletion:

$$\psi_s = \frac{qN_aW^2}{2\varepsilon_s}$$

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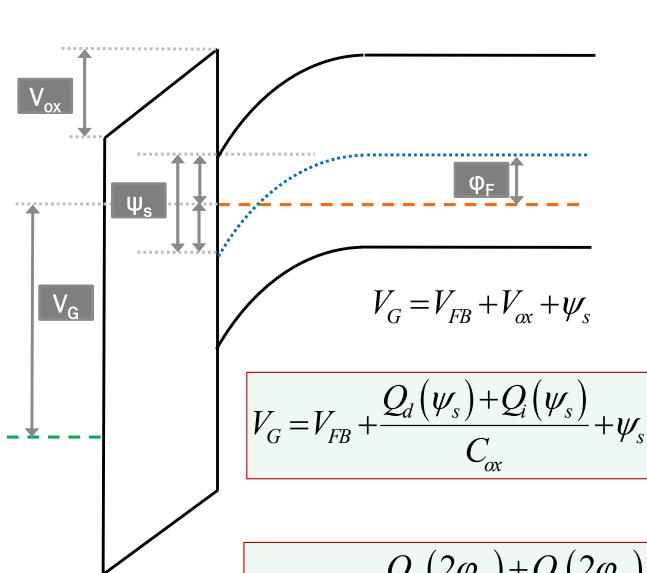


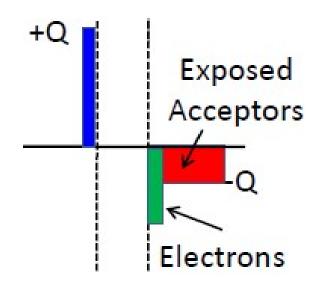
Depletion:

$$E_{s} = \frac{qN_{a}W}{\mathcal{E}_{s}}$$

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Q-V: inversion



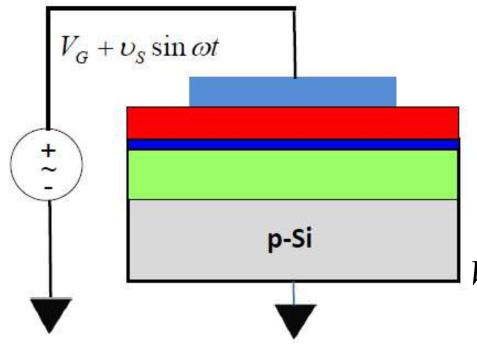


$$Q_i = C_{ox} \left(V_G - V_T \right)$$

'Textbook' threshold

$$V_{T} = V_{FB} + \frac{Q_{d}(2\varphi_{F}) + Q_{i}(2\varphi_{F})}{C_{ox}} + 2\varphi_{F} \approx V_{FB} + \frac{Q_{d}(2\varphi_{F})}{C_{ox}} + 2\varphi_{F}$$

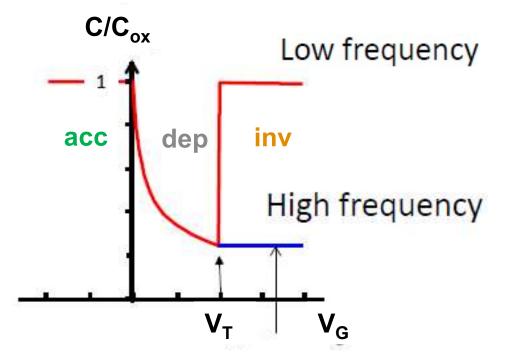
Capacitance vs. Voltage (C-V) - ideal



Small-signal capacitance

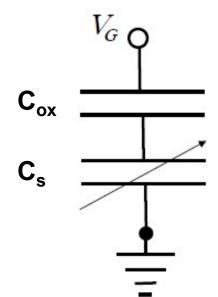
$$C_G \cong \frac{dQ_G}{dV_G} = \frac{d(-Q_s)}{dV_G}$$

$$V_G = \psi_s - \frac{Q_s}{C_{ox}} \Rightarrow \frac{dV_G}{d(-Q_s)} = \frac{d\psi_s}{d(-Q_s)} + \frac{1}{C_{ox}}$$



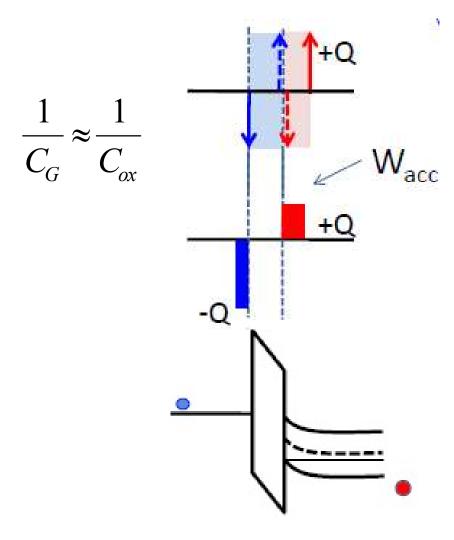
$$\frac{1}{C_G} = \frac{1}{C_s} + \frac{1}{C_{ox}}$$

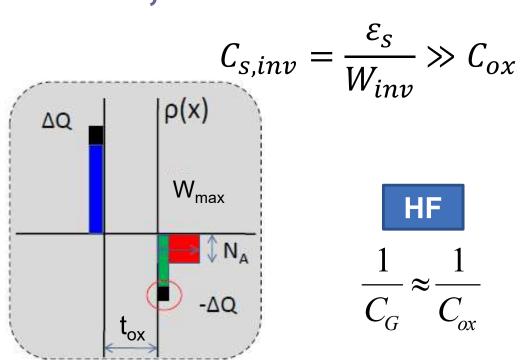
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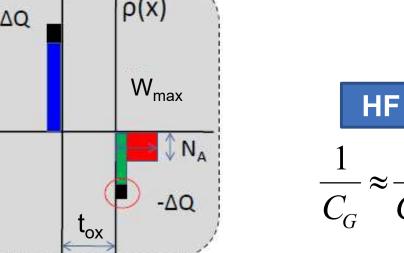


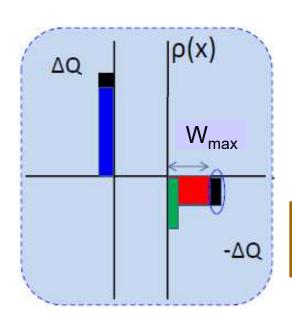
Ideal C-V: accumulation, inversion

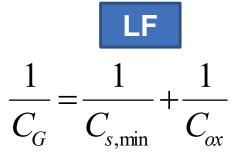
$$C_{s,acc} = \frac{\varepsilon_s}{W_{acc}} \gg C_{ox} = \frac{\varepsilon_{ox}}{t_{ox}}$$





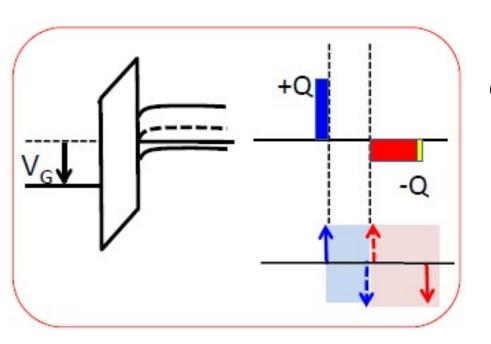






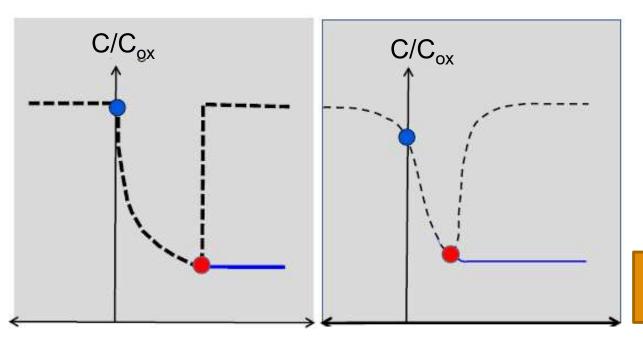
Why are the electrons slow?

Ideal C-V: depletion



$$C_{G} = \frac{C_{ox}C_{s}}{C_{ox} + C_{s}} = \frac{C_{ox}}{1 + C_{ox}/C_{s}} = \frac{C_{ox}}{1 + C_{ox}W/\varepsilon_{s}}$$

$$V_G = V_{ox} + \psi_s = \frac{qN_aW}{C_{ox}} + \frac{qN_aW^2}{2\varepsilon_s}$$



$$C_{s,\text{min}} \Leftarrow W_{\text{max}} = \sqrt{\frac{2\varepsilon_{s} \cdot 2\varphi_{F}}{qN_{a}}}$$

How do you calculate C_{FB}?