

## Model cards structure and usage

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# Original structure for RF CMOS model



e.g.

TT\_RFMOS

SS RFMOS

FF\_RFMOS

SF\_RFMOS

FS\_RFMOS

.lib for monte-carlo

e.g.

MC\_RFMOS\_pro

MC\_RFMOS\_mis

MC\_RFMOS\_both



.lib for device

e.g.

.subckt nmos\_rf

.subckt pmos\_rf

including

Discrepancy: Monte-Carlo all the MOS in a circuit when calling .lib MC\_RFMOS\_mis, in spite they are not in the mismatch\_pair.\_\_\_\_\_

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# Corrected Structure for RF CMOS model

#### .lib for corner skew

TT RFMOS

SS\_RFMOS

FF\_RFMOS

SF\_RFMOS

FS\_RFMOS

.lib for monte-carlo (process)

MC\_RFMOS



#### .lib for normal device

.subckt nmos\_rf

.subckt pmos\_rf

#### for mismatch device

.subckt nmos\_rf\_mis

.subckt pmos\_rf\_mis

Specify the mismatch devices to distinguish from the normal devices. Monte-Carlo the mismatch devices only and keep normal devices unchanged while performing MC simulation.



#### Structure for baseband CMOS model

.lib for corner skew

TT

SS

FF

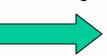
SF

FS

.lib for monte-carlo (process)

MC

including



.lib for normal device

.model nch

.model pch

for mismatch device

.subckt nch\_mis

.subckt pch\_mis

Specify the mismatch devices to distinguish from the normal devices. Monte-Carlo the mismatch devices only and keep normal devices unchanged while performing MC simulation.



## **Device selection table**

library	device	description	
тт	nch	Typical baseband NMOS	
TT	nch_mis	Typical baseband NMOS with mismatch	
FF	nch	FF corner baseband NMOS	
FF	nch_mis	FF corner baseband NMOS with mismatch	
МС	nch	statistical baseband NMOS (die-to-die variation)	
МС	nch_mis	statistical baseband NMOS (die-to-die variation) with mismatch	
TT_RFMOS	nmos_rf	Typical RF NMOS	
TT_RFMOS	nmos_rf_mis	Typical RF NMOS with mismatch	
FF_RFMOS	nmos_rf	FF corner RF NMOS	
FF_RFMOS	nmos_rf_mis	FF corner RF NMOS with mismatch	
MC_RFMOS	nmos_rf	statistical RF NMOS (die-to-die variation)	
MC_RFMOS	nmos_rf_mis	statistical RF NMOS (die-to-die variation) with mismatch	

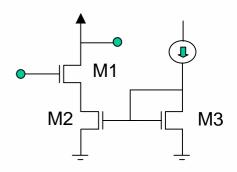
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## **Example in HSPICE, ELDO**

- M1(main NMOS): RF NMOS => chose normal device model: nmos rf
- M2, M3( biasing ckt): baseband NMOS with mismatch => chose device model with mismatch: nch\_mis
- for typical case simulation (Monte-Carlo simulation not performed)=>choose .lib TT and TT\_RFMOS
- for typical case with M2 and M3 mismatch (monte-carlo simulation) => choose .lib TT and TT\_RFMOS alone with monte-carlo simulation (only M2 and M3 are changed in each MC test, M1 keep its typical case value for M1 is a normal device)
- for die-to-die (process) Monte-Carlo simulation

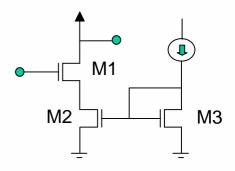
  => choose .lib MC and MC\_RFMOS (M1, M2 and M3 all are changed in each MC test)
- if mismatch in M2 and M3 is not to be simulated in the MC tests
  -> change M2 and M3 to normal devices (nch instead of nch\_mis)





#### **Example in SPECTRE**

- M1(main NMOS): RF NMOS => chose normal device model: nmos\_rf
- M2, M3( biasing ckt): baseband NMOS with mismatch => chose device model with mismatch: nch mis
- for typical case simulation (Monte-Carlo simulation not performed)=>choose .lib TT and TT RFMOS
- for typical case with M2 and M3 mismatch (performing monte-carlo simulation and select the "mismatch" button) => choose .lib TT and TT\_RFMOS alone with monte-carlo simulation (only M2 and M3 are changed in each MC test, M1 keep its typical case value for M1 is a normal device)
- for die-to-die (process) Monte-Carlo simulation (performing monte-carlo simulation and select the "process" button)
  - => choose .lib MC and MC\_RFMOS (M1, M2 and M3 all are changed in each MC test, however mismatch in M2 and M3 is not simulated in the MC tests)
- for die-to-die (process) and device-to-device (mismatch) Monte-Carlo simulation (performing monte-carlo simulation and select the "both" button )
  - choose .lib MC and MC\_RFMOS (M1, M2 and M3 all are changed in each MC test and mismatch in M2 and M3 is simulated in the MC tests)





## Usage and function in HSPICE, ELDO

.library	not performing Monte-Carlo	performing Monte-Carlo	
baseband (RF)			
TT(TT_RFMOS)	nch (nmos_rf): typical case nch_mis(nmos_rf_mis): same as	nch (nmos_rf) : typical case ( not changed)	
	nch	nch_mis (nmos_rf_mis) : MC test for mismatch with their mean equal to nch (typical)	
FF(FF_RFMOS) and other corners	nch (nmos_rf): fast fast corner nch_mis(nmos_rf_mis): same as nch	nch (nmos_rf) : fast fast corner( not changed)	
		nch_mis (nmos_rf_mis) : MC test for mismatch with their mean equal to nch (fast-fast corner)	
MC(MC_RFMOS)	nch (nmos_rf): typical case nch_mis(nmos_rf_mis): same as nch	nch (nmos_rf) : MC test for die-to- die(process) variation	
		nch_mis (nmos_rf_mis) : MC test for both die-to-die(process) and device-to-device variation (mismatch)	



# **Usage and function in SPECTRE**

.library baseband (RF)	not performing Monte- Carlo	performing Monte- Carlo of process	performing Monte- Carlo of mismatch	performing Monte-Carlo of process of both
TT(TT_RFMOS)	nch (nmos_rf): typical case nch_mis(nmos_rf_mis): same as nch	nch (nmos_rf): typical case nch_mis(nmos_rf_mis ): same as nch MC test not functioning	nch (nmos_rf) : typical case ( not changed) nch_mis (nmos_rf_mis) : MC test for mismatch with their mean equal to	nch (nmos_rf) : typical case ( not changed) nch_mis (nmos_rf_mis) : MC test for mismatch with their mean equal to nch (typical)
FF(FF_RFMOS) and other corners	nch (nmos_rf): fast fast corner nch_mis(nmos_rf_mis): same as nch	nch (nmos_rf): fast fast corner nch_mis(nmos_rf_mis ): same as nch MC test not functioning	nch (typical)  nch (nmos_rf) : fast fast corner( not changed)  nch_mis (nmos_rf_mis) : MC test for mismatch with their mean equal to nch (fast-fast corner)	nch (nmos_rf) : fast fast corner( not changed) nch_mis (nmos_rf_mis) : MC test for mismatch with their mean equal to nch (fast-fast corner)
MC(MC_RFMOS)	nch (nmos_rf): typical case nch_mis(nmos_rf_mis): same as nch	nch (nmos_rf): performing die-to- die(process) MC test nch_mis(nmos_rf_mis ): performing die-to- die(process) MC test (same as nch)	nch (nmos_rf) : typical case ( not changed) nch_mis (nmos_rf_mis) : MC test for mismatch with mean equal to nch (typical)	nch (nmos_rf) : MC test for die- to-die(process) variation nch_mis (nmos_rf_mis) : MC test for both die-to-die(process) and device-to-device variation (mismatch)