Due: Mon 4/8/13

- 1) You decide to attend a rock concert without earplugs. You sit where the sound power level is 109 dB. How long until you have permanent hearing loss?
- 2) At the rock concert in (1), you decide to sit in the back where the sound power level is only 103 dB. How long until you have permanent hearing loss?
- 3) A doubled clamped spring style accelerometer consists of a Si proof mass (500µm thick and 1mm by 1mm) and a suspension system (2 rectangular beams, one on one side and one on the other side of the PM, 100µm long, 10µm wide and 5µm thick). For a Young's modulus of 190GPA and a density of 2.3g/cm³, what is the sensitivity of the accelerometer?
- 4) For an accelerometer with a natural frequency of 1000Hz, what is the proof mass / frame relative displacement for a 10 G acceleration $(1G = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2)$?
- 5) What is the natural frequency (in Hz) for an accelerometer where a 10 G acceleration (1G = 9.8 m/s^2) results in a proof mass / frame relative displacement of $10\mu\text{m}$?
- 6) For a(t) = 2u(t), what is Vout(t)?

