

Noise Model for Charge Signal

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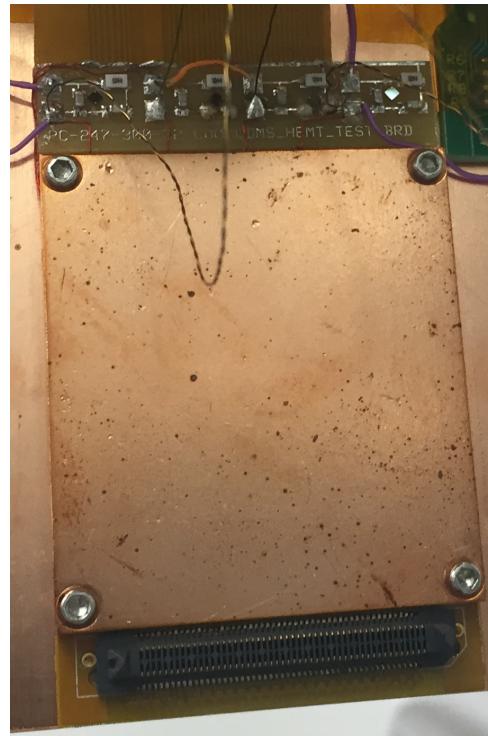


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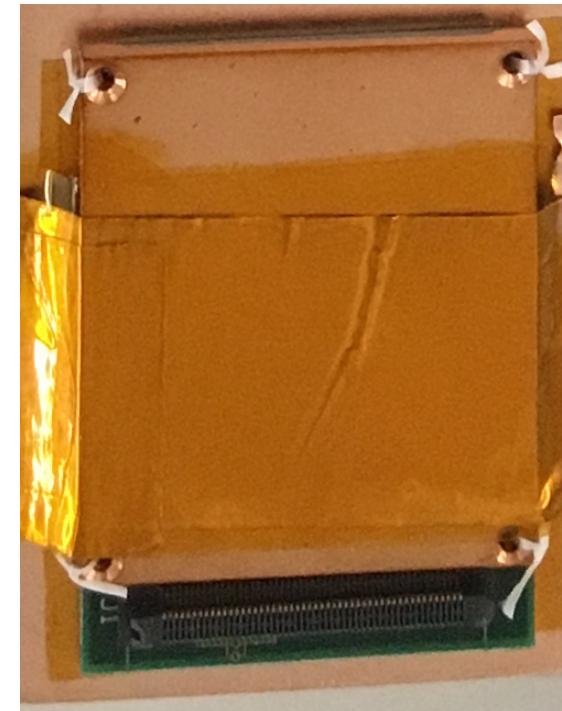
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- Noise model was updated based on Gary's note
- New HEMT chips were tested with simplified setup
 - No additional board to avoid unknown stray capacitance etc.
 - $V_{gs} \sim -170\text{mV}$ (was $\sim 0\text{mV}$) for $I_d \sim 0.9\text{mA}$ as expected

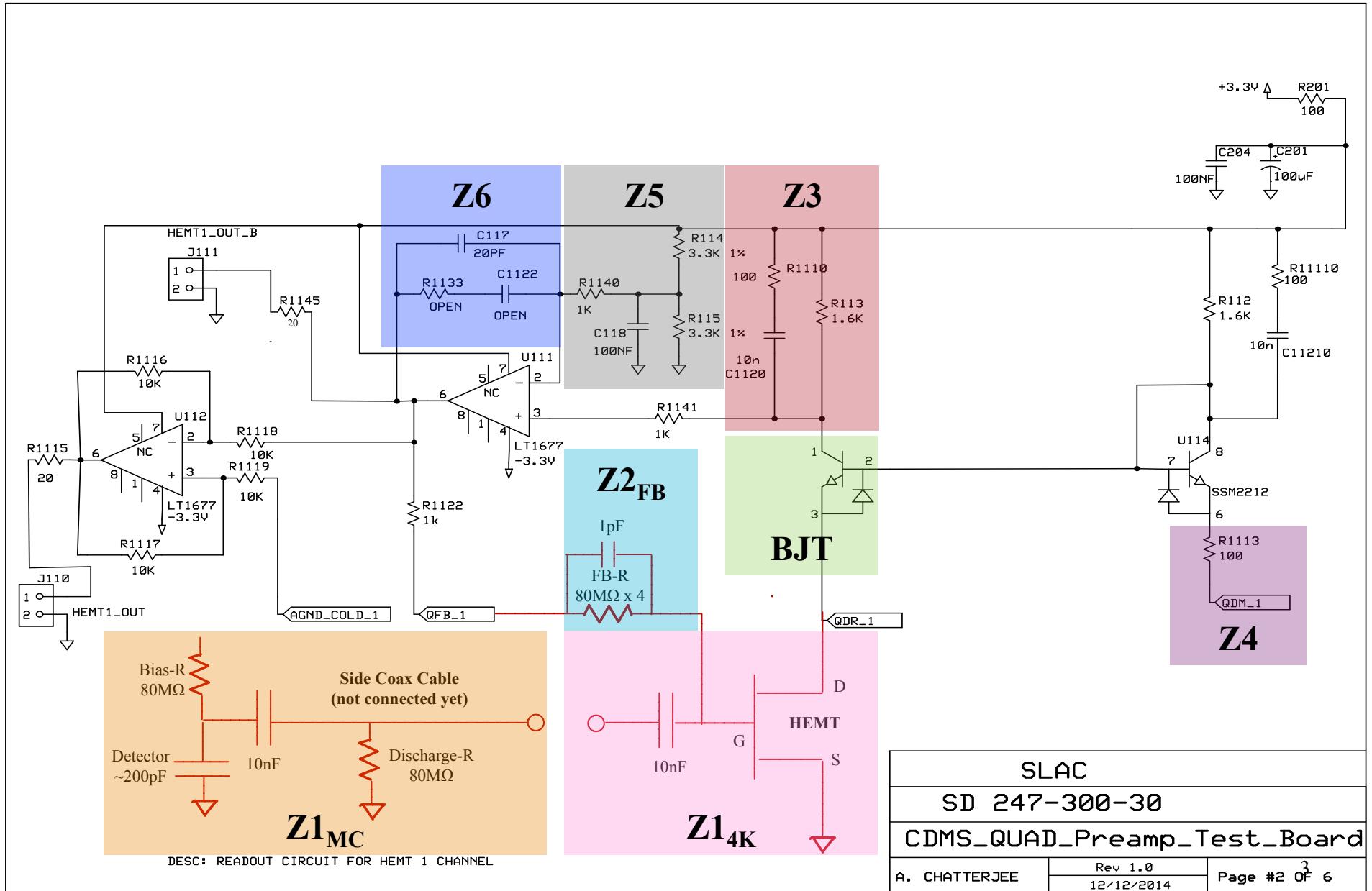
Old (VFC#1)



New (VFC#2)

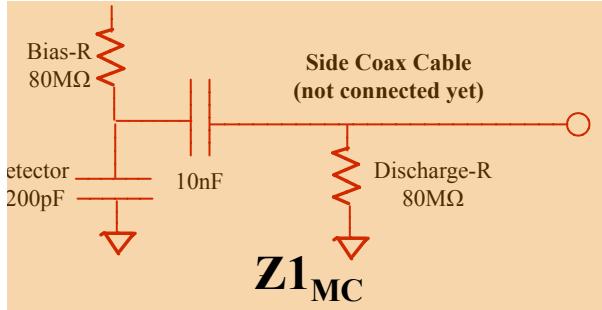


Schematics

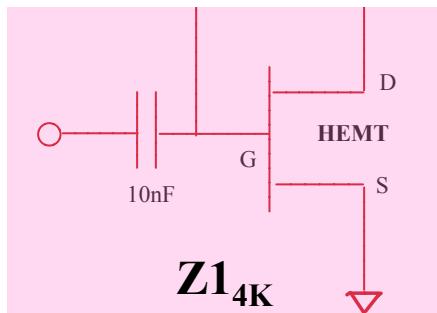


Impedance Calculation

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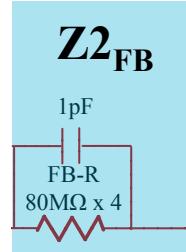


$$Z_{1_{MC}} = \left(\left(\left(i\omega C_{det} + \frac{1}{R_{bias}} \right)^{-1} + \frac{1}{i\omega C_{cc}} \right)^{-1} + \frac{1}{R_{dis}} \right)^{-1}$$

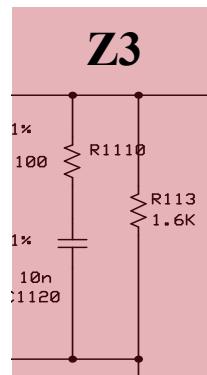


$$Z_{1_{4K}} = \left(\left(R_{open} + \frac{1}{i\omega C_{cc}} \right)^{-1} + i\omega C_{HEMT} \right)^{-1}$$

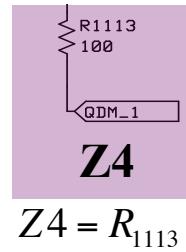
$$Z_{1_{total}} = \left(\frac{1}{Z_{1_{MC}}} + \frac{1}{Z_{1_{4K}}} \right)^{-1} \quad C_{HEMT} = 100\text{pF}$$



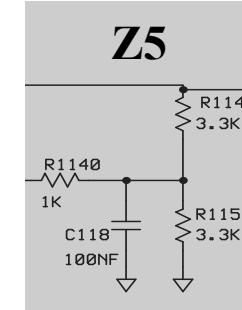
$$Z_{2_{FB}} = \left(i\omega C_{FB} + \frac{1}{R_{FB}} \right)^{-1}$$



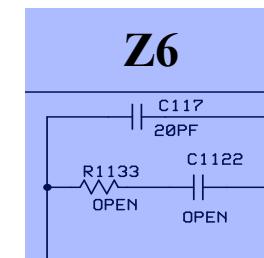
$$Z_3 = \left(\frac{1}{R_{1113}} + \left(R_{1110} + \frac{1}{i\omega C_{1120}} \right)^{-1} \right)^{-1}$$



$$Z_4 = R_{1113}$$



$$Z_5 = R_{1140} + \left(i\omega C_{1118} + \frac{1}{R_{115}} + \frac{1}{R_{114}} \right)^{-1}$$



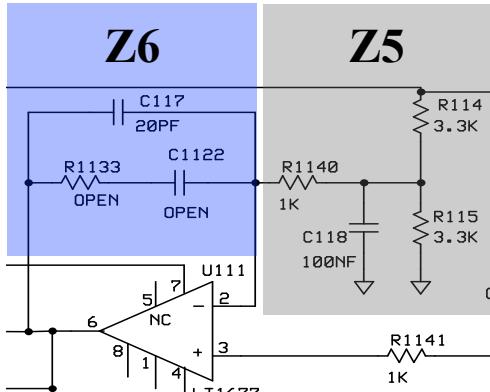
$$Z_6 = \left(i\omega C_{1117} + \frac{1}{R_{open}} \right)^{-1}$$

$R_{open} \sim 10^{15}\Omega$

Gain Calculation

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Op-Amp gain



$$A = \frac{A_{open}}{1 + A_{open}B_1}$$

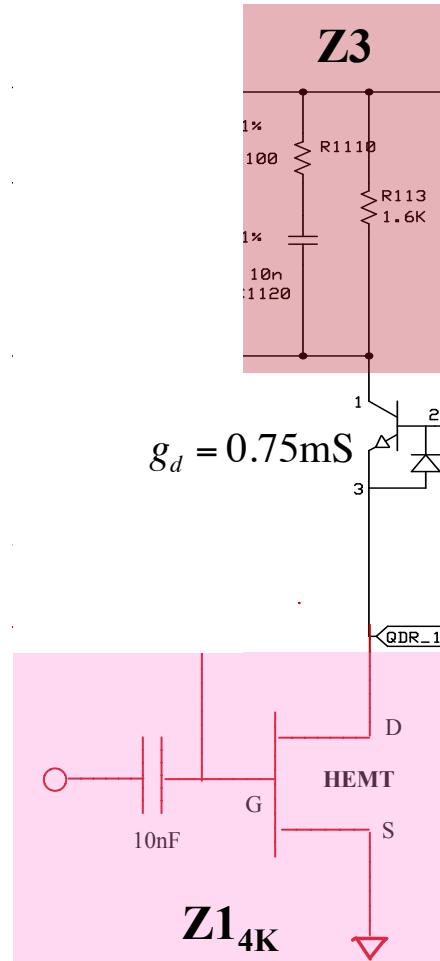
$$A_{open} = \frac{2 \cdot 10^7}{\left(1 + i \frac{\omega}{\omega_1}\right) \left(1 + i \frac{\omega}{\omega_2}\right)}$$

~~$f_1 = 0.2\text{Hz}, f_2 = 100\text{kHz}$~~

$f_1 = 1\text{Hz}, f_2 = 1\text{MHz}$

$$B_1 = \frac{Z5}{Z5 + Z6}$$

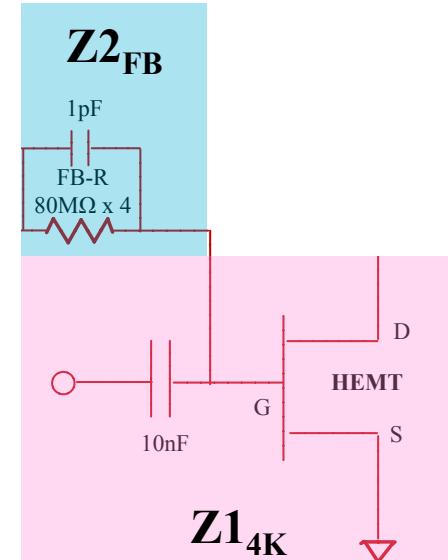
HEMT gain



$$A_{HEMT} = g_m Z3$$

$$g_m = 35\text{mS}$$

Total gain



$$gain = -\frac{A_{total}(1 - B_2)}{1 + A_{total}B_2}$$

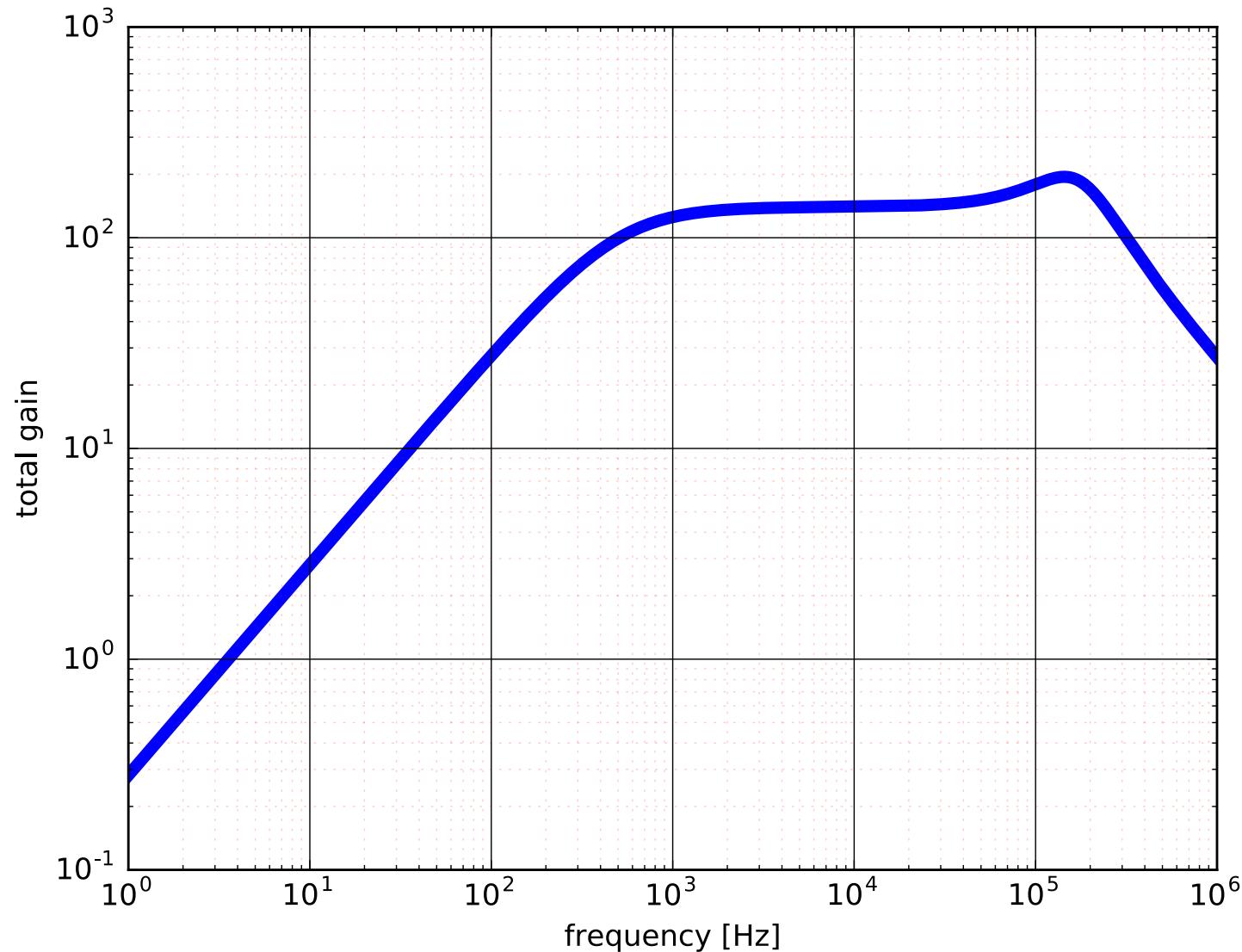
$$B_2 = \frac{Z1}{Z1 + Z2}$$

$$A_{total} = A_{HEMT} A$$

Gain vs. Frequency

No detector, discharge-R, bias-R, $T_{4K} = 5.5K$

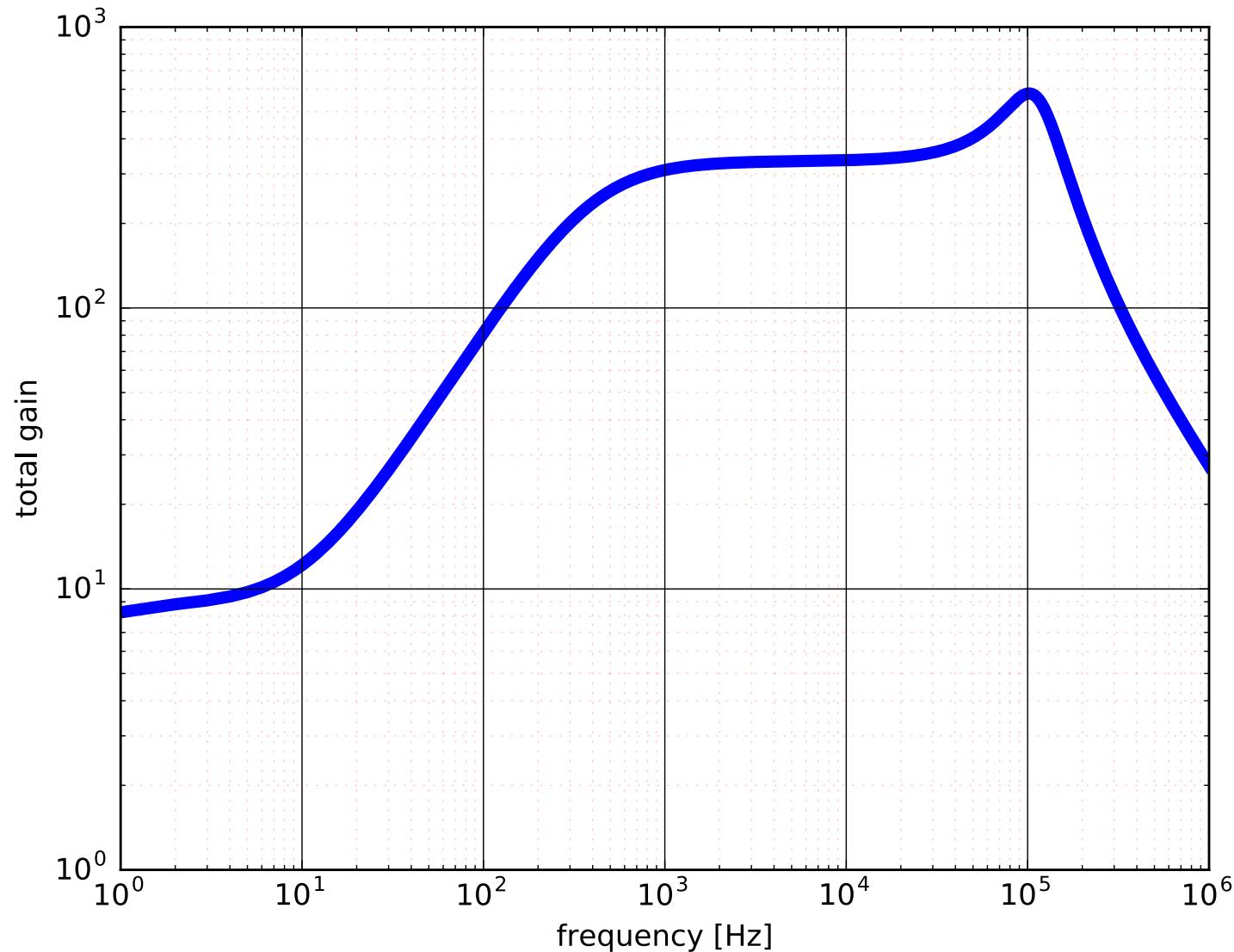
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Gain vs. Frequency

$C_{\text{det}} = 200\text{pF}$ $R_{\text{dis}} = 80\text{M}\Omega$, $R_{\text{bias}} = 80\text{M}\Omega$, $T_{4\text{K}} = 4\text{K}$, $T_{\text{MC}} = 30\text{mK}$

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Noise Calculation (at HEMT input)

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Thermal Johnson Noise at Z1

$$v_1 = \sqrt{4kT_{MC} \operatorname{Re}(Z1_{MC}) + 4kT_{4K} \operatorname{Re}(Z1_{4K})}$$

Thermal Johnson Noise at Z2_FB

$$v_2 = \frac{\sqrt{4kT_{MC} \operatorname{Re}(Z2_{FB})}}{|gain|}$$

Thermal Johnson Noise at Z3

$$v_3 = \frac{\sqrt{4kT_{MC} \operatorname{Re}(Z3)}}{|A_{HEMT}|}$$

Thermal Johnson Noise at Z4

$$v_4 = \frac{g_d}{g_m} \sqrt{4kT_{MC} \operatorname{Re}(Z4)}$$

Op-amp (LT1677) noise

$$v_{amp} = \sqrt{(1.8 \cdot 10^{-9})^2 + (30 \cdot 10^{-9})^2 \frac{2\pi}{\omega}}$$

~~Shot noise at BJT~~

$$v_{shot} = \frac{\sqrt{2qI_d}}{g_m}$$

R_{emitter} ~ 26Ω, R_{drain} ~ a few kΩ -> most no Shot noise going through HEMT (by Sten)

HEMT noise

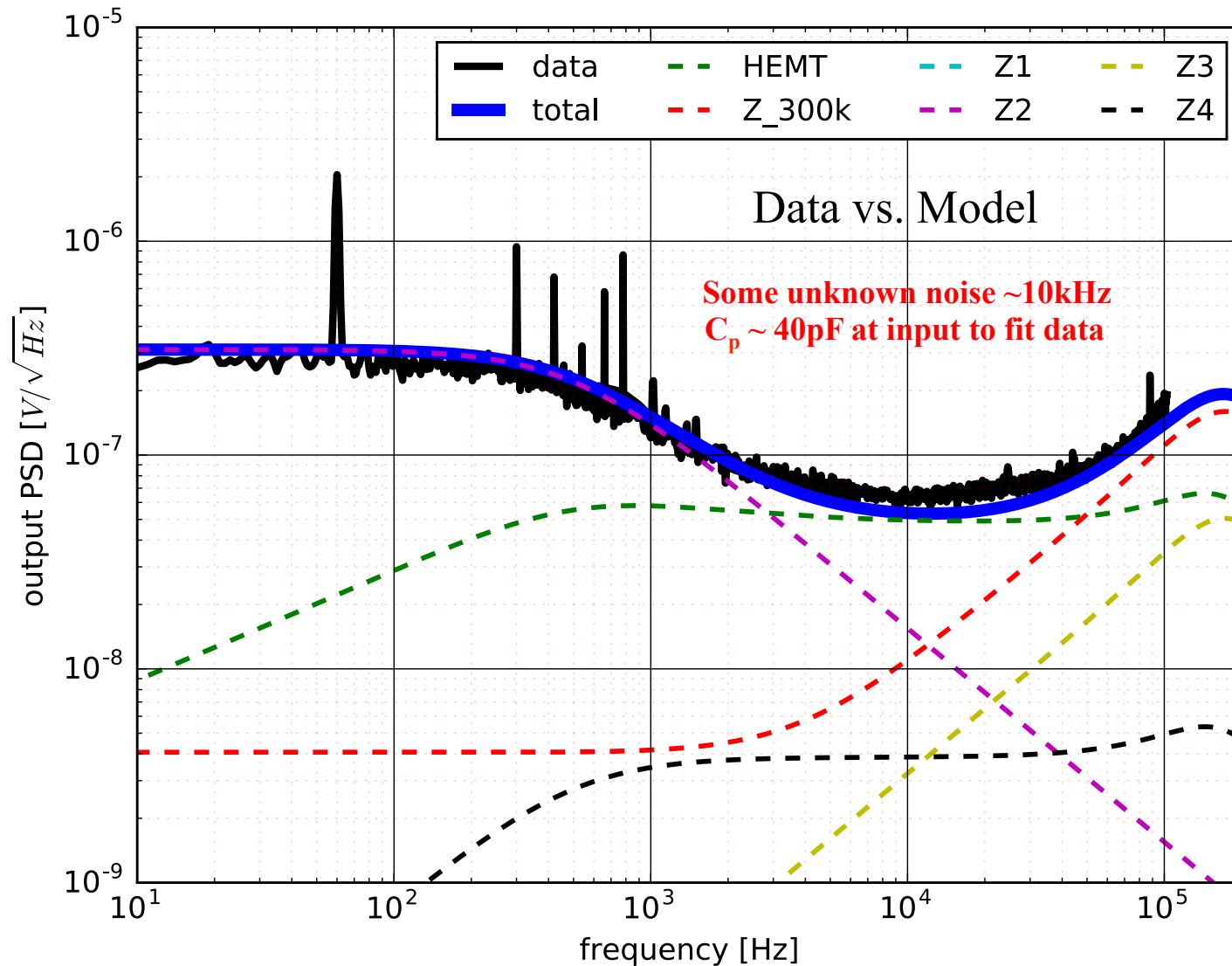
(fit to Yon Jin's plot by Gary)

$$v_{HEMT} = 0.24 \cdot 10^{-9} \sqrt{2 \left(1 + 850 \frac{2\pi}{\omega} \right)}$$

Output Noise

No detector, no $R_{\text{discharge}}$, no R_{bias} , $T_{\text{4K}} = 5.5\text{K}$

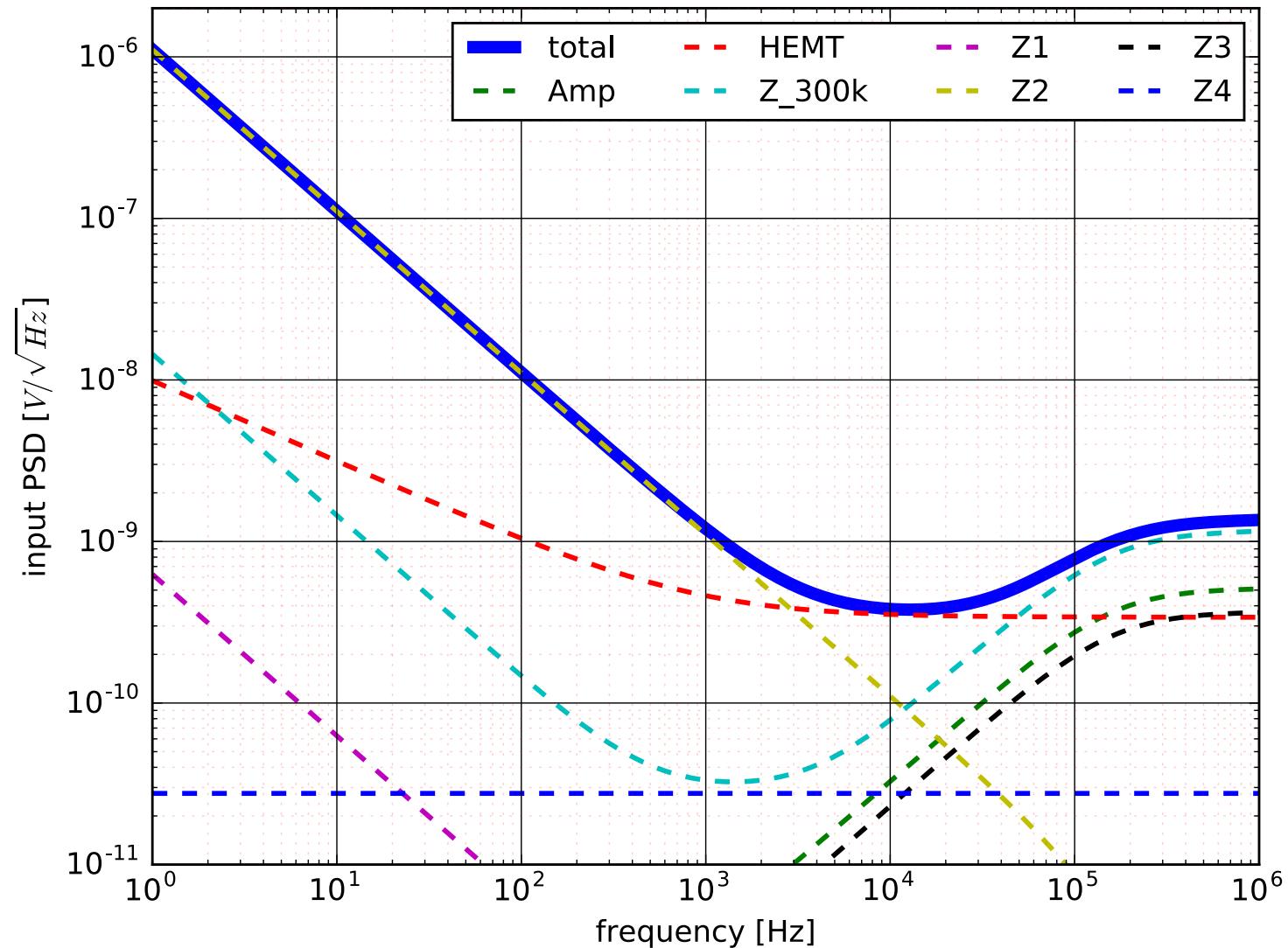
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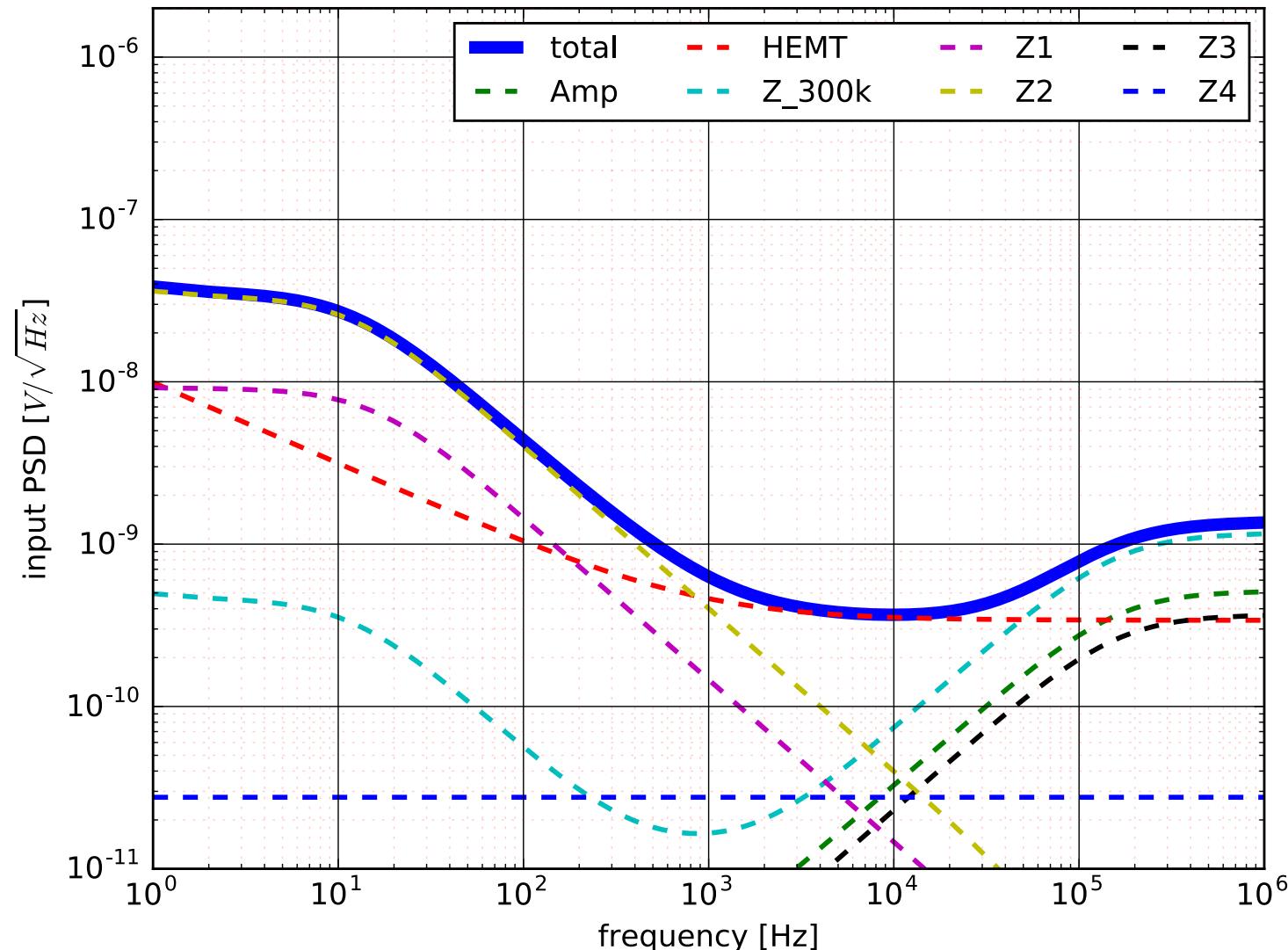
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Input Noise with Detector

$C_{\text{det}} = 200\text{pF}$ $R_{\text{discharge}} = 100\text{M}\Omega$, $R_{\text{bias}} = 100\text{M}\Omega$, $T_{4\text{K}} = 4\text{K}$, $T_{\text{MC}} = 30\text{mK}$

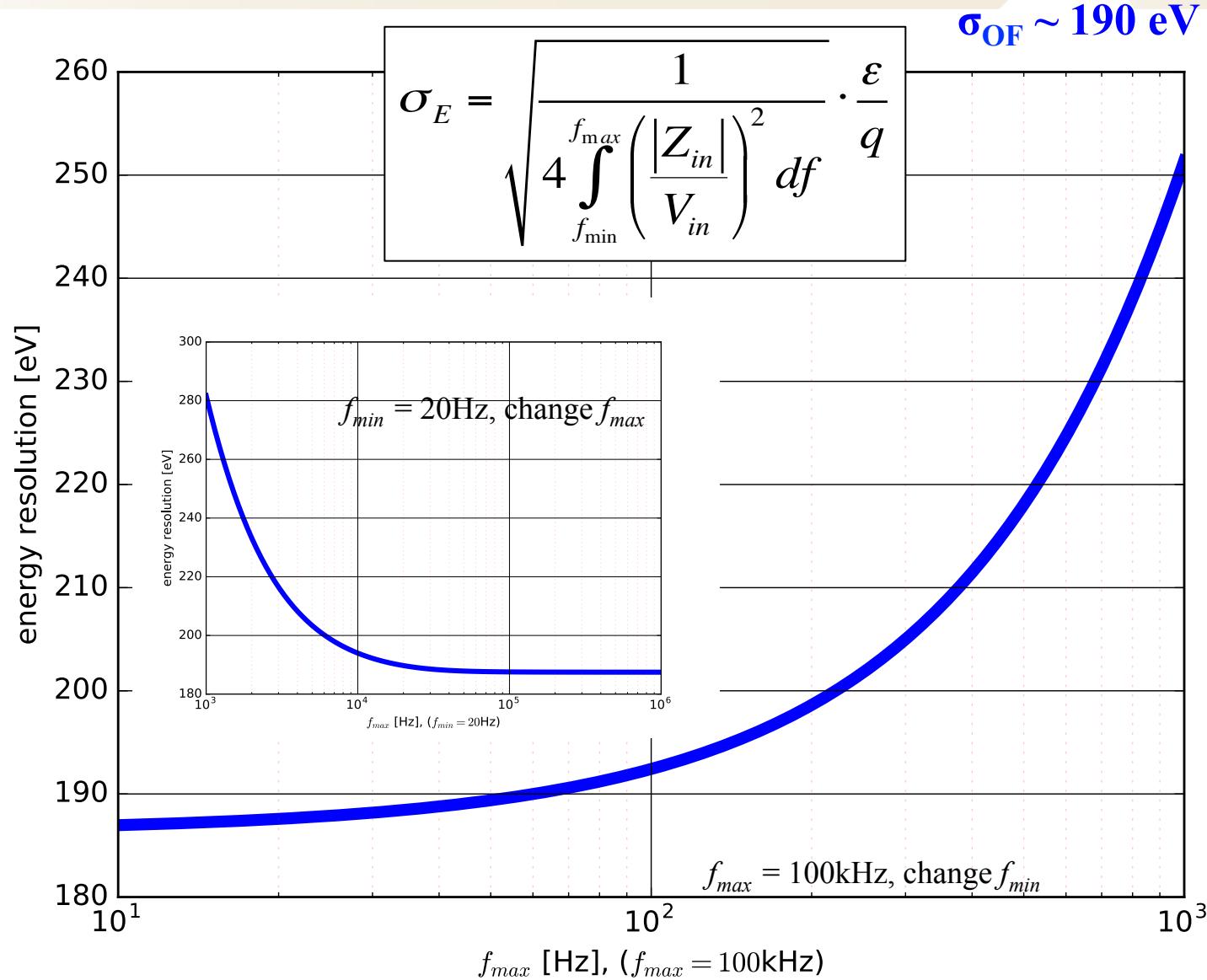
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Optimal Filter

$C_{\text{det}} = 200\text{pF}$ $R_{\text{discharge}} = 100\text{M}\Omega$, $R_{\text{bias}} = 100\text{M}\Omega$, $T_{4\text{K}} = 4\text{K}$, $T_{\text{MC}} = 30\text{mK}$

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Summary

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- With a HEMT chip (and no additional board), we obtained a consistent noise result with the calculated model.
 - Some unknown noise around 10kHz, which is equivalent with ~40pF parasitic capacitance at input.
- > Noise for HEMTs on Mezzanine board ($C_{FB} = 0.25\text{pF}$, $C_p = 1\text{pF}$) showed good agreement with the model (see next page)
- Future plan
 - Add more components (C_{det} , R_{dis} , R_{bias}) on the HEMT card and compare the noise with the model
 - Measure noise with Vacuum Coax Cable
 - Vibration susceptibility test
 - Vacuum Coax Cable vs. Twisted Pair of Wires
 - Active reset test

HEMTs at Mezzanine Board

No detector, no $R_{\text{discharge}}$, no R_{bias} , $T_{\text{4K}} \sim 4.0\text{K}$, $C_{\text{FB}} = 0.25\text{pF}$

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