

## Appendix A

### Analytical treatments for the results shown in Table 3.1

Generally, a sensitivity of  $y$  to a variation of  $x$  is given by  $S_x^y = [\partial y / \partial x][x/y]$  where  $y$  is a parameter of interest and  $x$  is a parameter of variation. For the Techniques 1 and 2, it can be seen from Equations 3.9 that  $y = \omega_{HQ}$ ,  $x = C_1, V_T, I_2$  and  $\beta$ , and therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{C_1}^{\omega_{HQ}} &= \frac{C_1}{\omega_{HQ}} \frac{\delta \omega_{HQ}}{\delta C_1} = \frac{C_1}{\omega_{HQ}} \frac{\delta \left( \frac{I_2}{4C_1 V_T} \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\beta+1}} \right)}{\delta C_1} = \frac{C_1 \left( \frac{I_2}{4V_T} \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\beta+1}} \right) \delta C_1^{-1}}{\omega_{HQ} \delta C_1} \\
 &= \frac{C_1^2 \omega_{HQ}}{\omega_{HQ}} \frac{\delta C_1^{-1}}{\delta C_1} = C_1^2 \frac{\delta C_1^{-1}}{\delta C_1} = -1.0 \\
 S_{V_T}^{\omega_{HQ}} &= \frac{V_T}{\omega_{HQ}} \frac{\delta \omega_{HQ}}{\delta V_T} = \frac{V_T}{\omega_{HQ}} \frac{\delta \left( \frac{I_2}{4C_1 V_T} \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\beta+1}} \right)}{\delta V_T} = \frac{V_T \left( \frac{I_2}{4C_1} \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\beta+1}} \right) \delta V_T^{-1}}{\omega_{HQ} \delta V_T} \\
 &= \frac{V_T^2 \omega_{HQ}}{\omega_{HQ}} \frac{\delta V_T^{-1}}{\delta V_T} = V_T^2 \frac{\delta V_T^{-1}}{\delta V_T} = -1.0 \\
 S_{I_2}^{\omega_{HQ}} &= \frac{I_2}{\omega_{HQ}} \frac{\delta \omega_{HQ}}{\delta I_2} = \frac{I_2}{\omega_{HQ}} \frac{\delta \left( \frac{I_2}{4C_1 V_T} \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\beta+1}} \right)}{\delta I_2} = \frac{I_2 \left( \frac{1}{4C_1 V_T} \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\beta+1}} \right) \delta I_2}{\omega_{HQ} \delta I_2} \\
 &= \frac{\omega_{HQ}}{\omega_{HQ}} \frac{\delta I_2}{\delta I_2} = 1.0 \\
 S_{\beta}^{\omega_{HQ}} &= \frac{\beta}{\omega_{HQ}} \frac{\delta \omega_{HQ}}{\delta \beta} = \frac{\beta}{\omega_{HQ}} \frac{\delta \left( \frac{I_2}{4C_1 V_T} \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\beta+1}} \right)}{\delta \beta} = \frac{\beta \left( \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{I_2}{4C_1 V_T} \sqrt{\frac{\beta+1}{\beta}} \right) \delta \left( \frac{\beta}{\beta+1} \right)}{\omega_{HQ} \delta \beta} \\
 &= \frac{(\beta+1)\omega_{HQ}}{2\omega_{HQ}} \left[ \frac{(\beta+1) \frac{\delta \beta}{\delta \beta} - \beta \frac{\delta(\beta+1)}{\delta \beta}}{(\beta+1)^2} \right] = \frac{(\beta+1)}{2} \left[ \frac{\beta+1-\beta}{(\beta+1)^2} \right] = \frac{1}{2[\beta+1]}
 \end{aligned}$$

For the Techniques 1, it can be seen from Equations 3.10 that  $y = Q_{HQ1}$ ,  $x = \beta$ , and

therefore 
$$S_{\beta}^{Q_{HQ1}} = \frac{\beta}{Q_{HQ1}} \frac{\delta\beta}{\delta\beta} = \frac{Q_{HQ1}}{Q_{HQ1}} = 1$$

For the Techniques 2, it can be seen from Equations 3.13 that  $y = Q_{HQ2}$ ,

$x = R_C, V_T$ , and  $I_3$ , and therefore

$$\begin{aligned} S_{R_C}^{Q_{HQ2}} &= \frac{R_C}{Q_{HQ2}} \frac{\delta Q_{HQ2}}{\delta R_C} = \frac{R_C}{Q_{HQ2}} \frac{\delta \left( \frac{1/2}{1 - \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T}} \right)}{\delta R_C} = - \frac{4R_C \left( \frac{1/2}{1 - \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T}} \right)^2 \delta \left( 1 - \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} \right)}{2Q_{HQ2} \delta R_C} \\ &= - \frac{2R_C (Q_{HQ2})^2 \delta \left( -\frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} \right)}{Q_{HQ2} \delta R_C} = 2 \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} Q_{HQ2} = 2Q_{HQ2} \quad \text{where } \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} = 1 \text{ for High-Q} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} S_{V_T}^{Q_{HQ2}} &= \frac{V_T}{Q_{HQ2}} \frac{\delta Q_{HQ2}}{\delta V_T} = \frac{V_T}{Q_{HQ2}} \frac{\delta \left( \frac{1/2}{1 - \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T}} \right)}{\delta V_T} = - \frac{4V_T \left( \frac{1/2}{1 - \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T}} \right)^2 \delta \left( 1 - \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} \right)}{2Q_{HQ2} \delta V_T} \\ &= - \frac{2V_T (Q_{HQ2})^2 \delta \left( -\frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} \right)}{Q_{HQ2} \delta V_T} = -2 \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} Q_{HQ2} = -2Q_{HQ2} \quad \text{where } \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} = 1 \text{ for High-Q} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} S_{I_3}^{Q_{HQ2}} &= \frac{I_3}{Q_{HQ2}} \frac{\delta Q_{HQ2}}{\delta I_3} = \frac{I_3}{Q_{HQ2}} \frac{\delta \left( \frac{1/2}{1 - \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T}} \right)}{\delta I_3} = - \frac{4I_3 \left( \frac{1/2}{1 - \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T}} \right)^2 \delta \left( 1 - \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} \right)}{2Q_{HQ2} \delta I_3} \\ &= - \frac{2I_3 (Q_{HQ2})^2 \delta \left( -\frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} \right)}{Q_{HQ2} \delta I_3} = 2 \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} Q_{HQ2} = 2Q_{HQ2} \quad \text{where } \frac{R_C I_3}{V_T} = 1 \text{ for High-Q} \end{aligned}$$