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A self-consistent method for complete small-signal parameter extraction of InP-based heterojunction bipolar transistors (HBT's)

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A complete method for parameter extraction from small-signal measurements of InP-based heterojunction bipolar transistors (HBT's) is presented. Employing analytically derived equations, a numerical solution is sought for the best fit between the model and the measured data.

Through parasitics extraction and an optimization process, a realistic model for a self-aligned HBT technology is obtained. The results of the generated s-parameters from the model for a $2/\text{spl times}/10/\text{spl}$ $\mu\text{/m}^2$ emitter area device are presented over a frequency range of 250 MHz-36 GHz with excellent agreement to the measured data.

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