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This paper presents an overview of the low frequency noise performances of both "abrupt" and "gradual" SiGe HBTs. We demonstrated that when an appropriate device is used, a 1/f corner noise frequency of 1 kHz is obtained. We further presented a correlation with phase noise performances which outperform those reported for III-V devices.

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