

Homework 5 Solutions

Solution 5.9

$$(a) \quad V_C = I_C(5) - 10$$

$$-1.2 = I_C(5) - 10 \Rightarrow I_C = 1.76 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_E = \frac{I_C}{\alpha} = \frac{1.76}{0.986} = 1.785 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_B = I_E - I_C = 1.785 - 1.76 \Rightarrow I_B = 25 \mu \text{ A}$$

$$(b) \quad I_E = I_{Eo} \exp\left(\frac{V_{EB}}{V_T}\right)$$

$$1.785 \times 10^{-3} = 2 \times 10^{-15} \exp\left(\frac{V_{EB}}{V_T}\right)$$

$$V_{EB} = (0.026) \ln\left(\frac{1.785 \times 10^{-3}}{2 \times 10^{-15}}\right) = 0.7154 \text{ V}$$

Solution 5.17

$$I_E = \frac{-0.7 - (-10)}{5} = 1.86 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_C = (1.86) \left(\frac{75}{76} \right) = 1.836 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_C = -0.7 + 4 = 3.3 \text{ V}$$

$$(a) \quad R_C = \frac{10 - 3.3}{1.836} \Rightarrow R_C = 3.65 \text{ K}$$

$$I_B = \frac{0.5}{76} = 0.00658 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_B = I_B R_B = (0.00658)(25) \Rightarrow V_B = 0.164 \text{ V}$$

$$I_C = (0.5) \left(\frac{75}{76} \right) = \underline{0.493 \text{ mA}}$$

$$(b) \quad R_C = \frac{-1 - (-5)}{0.493} \Rightarrow R_C = 8.11 \text{ K}$$

$$O = \frac{I_E}{76}(10) + 0.7 + I_E(4) - 8$$

$$7.3 = I_E(4 + 0.132) \Rightarrow I_E = 1.767 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_C = (1.767) \left(\frac{75}{76} \right) = \underline{1.744 \text{ mA}}$$

$$V_{CE} = 8 - (1.744)(4) - [(1.767)(4) - 8]$$

$$(c) \quad = 16 - 6.972 - 7.068 \Rightarrow V_{CE} = 1.96 \text{ V}$$

$$5 = I_E(10) + \left(\frac{I_E}{76} \right)(20) + 0.7 + I_E(2) = I_E(10 + 0.263 + 2) + 0.7$$

$$I_E = 0.3506 \text{ mA} \Rightarrow \underline{I_B = 4.61 \mu\text{A}} \quad V_C = 5 - (0.3506)(10)$$

$$(d) \quad \underline{V_C = 1.49 \text{ V}}$$

Solution 5.19

$$(a) \quad V_{CC} = I_C R_C + V_{CE}$$

$$I_C = \frac{2.5 - 1.1}{4} = 0.35 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_C = I_S \exp\left(\frac{V_{BE}}{V_T}\right)$$

$$V_{BE} = V_{BB} = (0.026) \ln\left(\frac{0.35 \times 10^{-3}}{5 \times 10^{-16}}\right) = 0.7091 \text{ V}$$

$$(b) \quad I_E = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{CE}}{R_E} = \frac{2.5 - 1.1}{2} = 0.7 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_C = \left(\frac{\beta}{1 + \beta}\right) \cdot I_E = \left(\frac{90}{91}\right)(0.70) = 0.6923 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_{BE} = (0.026) \ln\left(\frac{0.6923 \times 10^{-3}}{5 \times 10^{-16}}\right) = 0.7269 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{BB} = V_{BE} + I_E R_E = 0.7269 + (0.7)(2) = 2.127 \text{ V}$$

Solution 5.21

$$(a) \quad I_E = \frac{2 - (0.7 + 0.2)}{1.5} = 0.7333 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_C = \left(\frac{\beta}{1 + \beta} \right) \cdot I_E = \left(\frac{120}{121} \right) (0.7333) = 0.7273 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_{EC} = V_E = 0.9 \text{ V}$$

$$(b) \quad I_C = \beta I_B = (120)(15) \Rightarrow I_C = 1.8 \text{ mA} - \text{Not possible}$$

Transistor in saturation

$$V_{EC} = 0.2 \text{ V}$$

$$I_E = \frac{2 - 0.2}{1.5} = 1.2 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_C = I_E - I_B = 1.2 - 0.015 = 1.185 \text{ mA}$$

(c) Transistor cutoff

$$I_C = 0, \quad V_{EC} = 2 \text{ V}$$

Solution 5.23

(a)

$$V_B = -I_B R_B \Rightarrow I_B = \frac{-V_B}{R_B} = \frac{-(-1)}{500}$$

$$I_B = 2.0 \mu\text{A}$$

$$V_E = -1 - 0.7 = -1.7 \text{ V}$$

$$I_E = \frac{V_E - (-3)}{R_E} = \frac{-1.7 + 3}{4.8} = 0.2708 \text{ mA}$$

$$\frac{I_E}{I_B} = (1 + \beta) = \frac{0.2708}{0.002} = 135.4 \Rightarrow \underline{\beta = 134.4}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\beta}{1 + \beta} \Rightarrow \underline{\alpha = 0.9926}$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B \Rightarrow \underline{I_C = 0.269 \text{ mA}}$$

$$V_{CE} = 3 - V_E = 3 - (-1.7) \Rightarrow \underline{V_{CE} = 4.7 \text{ V}}$$

(b)

$$I_E = \frac{5 - 4}{2} \Rightarrow I_E = 0.5 \text{ mA}$$

$$4 = 0.7 + I_B R_B + (I_B + I_C) R_C - 5$$

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$$4 = 0.7 + I_B (100) + (0.5)(8) - 5$$

$$I_B = 0.043 \Rightarrow \frac{I_E}{I_B} = (1 + \beta) = \frac{0.5}{0.043} = 11.63$$

$$\underline{\beta = 10.63}, \alpha = \frac{\beta}{1 + \beta} \Rightarrow \underline{\alpha = 0.9140}$$