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Question 1: (CLO2-PLO2)

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Marks)

Analyse the circuit of Figure 1. to find voltage at each node and current through every branch  
i.e.  $V_B$ ,  $V_C$ ,  $V_E$ ,  $I_C$ ,  $I_B$ ,  $I_E$ ,  $\alpha$ ,  $V_{CE}$ ,  $I_{Cmax}$ .

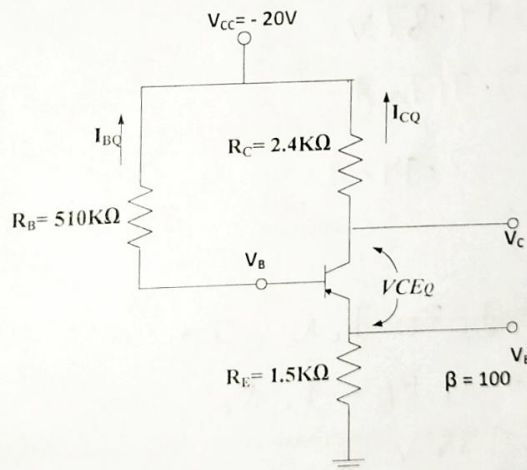
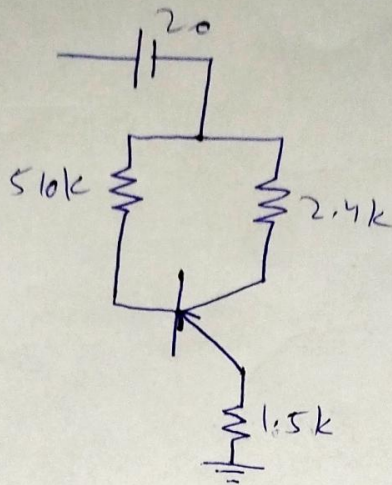


Figure 1.

# Q1



Loop  $I_B$ ,

$$I_E R_E + V_{EB} + R_B I_B - 20 = 0$$

$$I_B (\beta + 1) R_E + V_{EB} + R_B I_B - 20 = 0$$

$$I_B = \frac{20 - 0.7}{510k + (\beta + 1)1.5k} = 29.17 \mu A$$

$$V_B = I_B R_B = 14.87 V$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B = 2.917 mA$$

$$I_E = (\beta + 1) I_B = 2.94 mA$$

Loop 2,

$$I_E R_E + V_{EC} + I_C R_C - 20 = 0$$

$$V_{EC} = 20 - I_E R_E - I_C R_C$$

$$V_{EC} = 8.5988 V$$

$$V_{CE} = -8.5988 V$$

$$V_B = 0.7 V$$

$$V_E = I_E R_E = 2.94 mA \times 1.5k = 4.41 V$$

Now,

$$V_{CE} = V_C - V_E$$

$$V_C = V_{CE} + V_E = -8.5988 + 4.41 = -4.18 V$$



**Question 2- (CLO2-PLO2)**

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Analyze the circuit of figure 2 to find  $V_{CE}$ ,  $V_{BE}$  and  $V_{CB}$  in the circuit given in Figure 2.

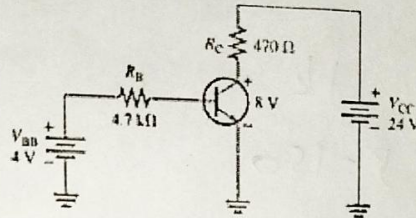


Figure 2.

**Question 3- (CLO2-PLO2)**

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Analyze the circuit of Figure 3 to find  $I_C$  and  $V_{EC}$  for the *pn*p transistor circuit in Figure 3.

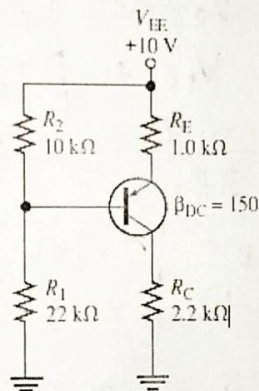


Figure 3.

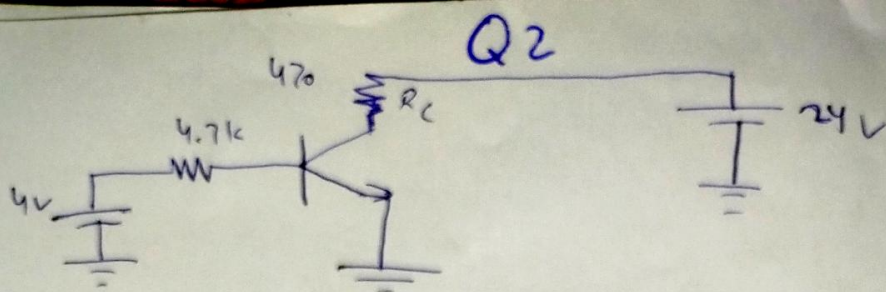
**Question 4- (CLO1-PLO1)**

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From the collector characteristic curves and the dc load line in Figure 4, Identify the following:

- (a) Collector saturation current
- (b)  $V_{CE}$  at cutoff
- (c) Q-point values of  $I_B$ ,  $I_C$ , and  $V_{CE}$



Input loop,

$$\therefore V_{BE} = 0.7V$$

$$-4 + I_B \times 4.7k + V_{BE} = 0$$

$$I_B = \frac{3.3}{4.7k}$$

$$I_B = 0.7mA$$

Output loop,

$$-24 + I_C R_C + 8 = 0$$

$$I_C = \frac{-8 + 24}{R_C} \Rightarrow \frac{16}{470} \Rightarrow 0.03A$$

$$I_C = 0.03A$$

$$V_{CE} = 8V$$

$$V_{CE} = V_C - V_E$$

$$\therefore V_E = 0$$

$$V_C = 8V$$

$$V_{CB} = V_C - V_B = 8 - 0.7 = 7.3$$

$$\cancel{V_B = V_C - V_{CB}} \quad V_{CB} = 7.3V$$

$$V_{BE} = \cancel{8 - 0.7} \quad V_B - V_E$$

$$V_{BE} = 0.7V$$

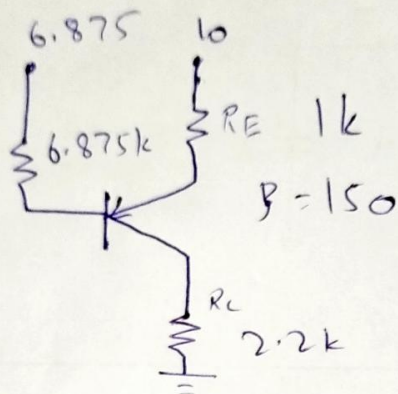


# Q-3

$$V_{th} = \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2} \times V_{CC}$$

$$= \frac{22k}{22k + 10k} \times 10 = 6.875 V$$

$$R_{th} = R_1 || R_2 = \frac{R_1 \times R_2}{R_1 + R_2} = 6875 \Omega = 6.875 k\Omega$$



Loop  $I_B$ ,

$$-6.875 + I_B R_B + V_{BE} + I_C R_C = 0$$

$$-6.875 + I_B R_B + V_{BE} + \beta I_B R_C = 0$$

$$I_B = \frac{6.875 - 0.7}{R_B + \beta R_C} = 18.3 \mu A$$

Loop 2,

$$I_C = \beta I_B = \boxed{2.745 mA}$$

$$I_E = (\beta + 1) I_B = 2.7633 mA$$

$$-10 + I_E R_E + V_{EC} + I_C R_C = 0$$

$$V_{EC} = 10 - I_C R_C - I_E R_E$$

$$\boxed{V_{EC} = 1.1977 V}$$

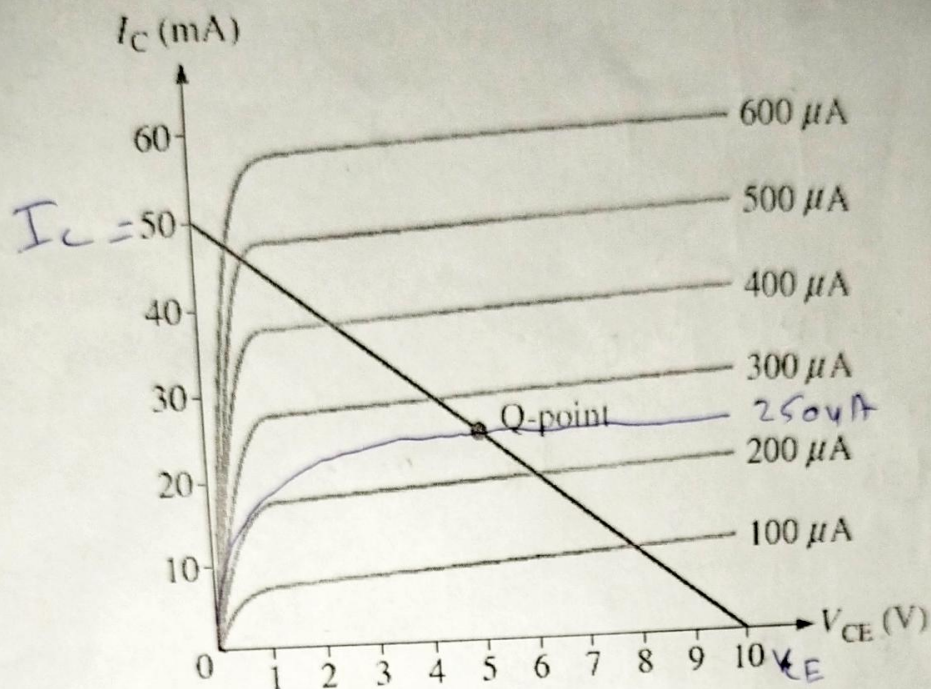


Figure 4.

$$I_B = 250 \mu A$$

$$V_{CEQ} = 5 V$$

$$I_{CQ} = 25 mA$$



Q5

a)  $I_{C_{max}} = 50 \text{ mA}$

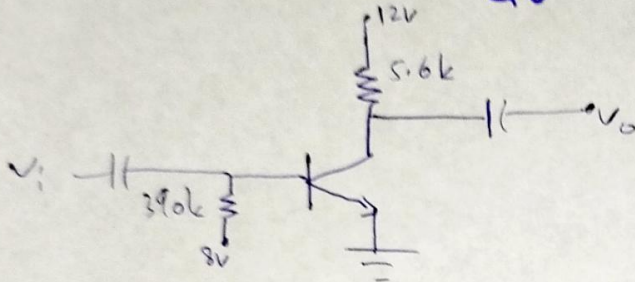
b)  $V_{CE_{cutoff}} = 10 \text{ V}$

c)  $I_C = 25 \text{ mA}$

$I_B = 250 \text{ } \mu\text{A}$

$V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$

Q6



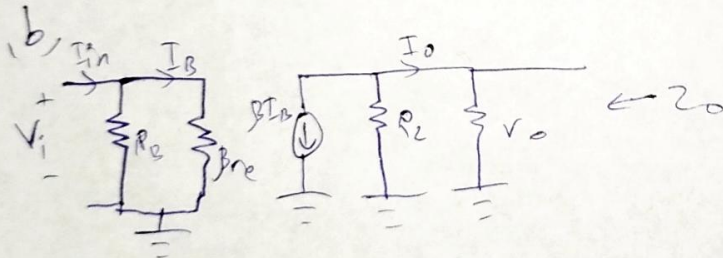
Applying DC analysis,

$$-9 \cdot I_B (390k) + V_{BE} = 0$$

$$I_B = \frac{9 - 0.7}{390k} = 18.72 \mu\text{A} = I_B$$

$$r_e = \frac{26 \text{ mV}}{(\beta + 1) I_B} = \frac{26 \text{ mV}}{(101)(18.72 \times 10^{-6})} = 13.75 \Omega = r_e$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B = 1.872 \text{ mA}$$



$Z_i = R_B \parallel r_e$  But  $\beta \times 10 (r_e) \ll R_B$  so  $Z_i = R_B$

$Z_i = 1375 \Omega$

$Z_o = (R_C \parallel R_L)$  since  $5600 \ll R_L$

c)  $A_v = \frac{-R_C}{r_e} = \frac{-5600}{13.75} = -407.27$

d)  $A_v = \frac{-R_C \parallel R_L}{r_e} = \frac{-(5600 \parallel 3 \times 10^4)}{13.75} = -343.2$