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Numerical

1. In Collpits oscillator, amplifier components are:

$R_1 = 100\text{k}\Omega$, $R_2 = 18\text{ k}\Omega$, $R_E = 1\text{ k}\Omega$, $C_{C1} = 1\text{ }\mu\text{F}$, $C_E = 150\text{ }\mu\text{F}$, $C_{C2} = 1\text{ }\mu\text{F}$,
 $V_{CC} = 10\text{ V}$

Select LC tank circuit elements such that the frequency of oscillation is close to 80 kHz

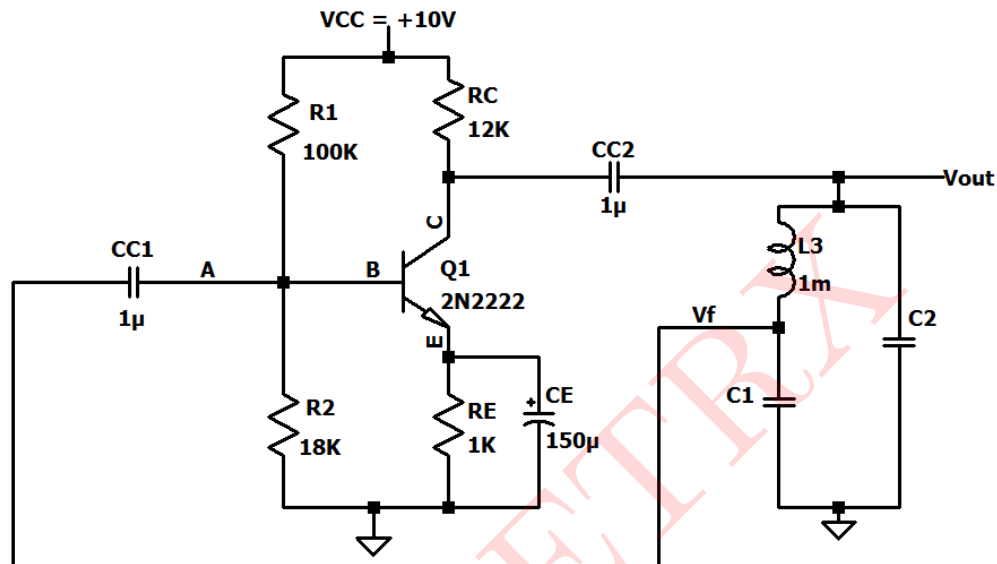


Figure 1: Circuit 1

Solution:

$$f_o = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{C_{eq} \times L_3}}$$

$$C_{eq} = \frac{C_1 \times C_2}{C_1 + C_2}$$

$$L_3 = 1\text{ mH}, f_o \approx 80\text{ kHz}$$

$$80 \times 10^3 = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{10^{-3} \times C_{eq}}}$$

$$\therefore C_{eq} = 3.957\text{ nF}$$

$$\text{Let } C_1 = C_2 = 2 \times 3.957 \times 10^{-9} = 7.914\text{ nF}$$

$$\text{Feedback fraction (k)} = \frac{C_1}{C_2} = 1$$

$$\text{Time period of oscillations} = \frac{1}{f_o} = 12.5\text{ }\mu\text{s}$$

$$\text{Phase shift offered by LC tank circuit} = 180^\circ$$

SIMULATED RESULTS:

Above circuit is simulated using LTspice and the results are presented below:

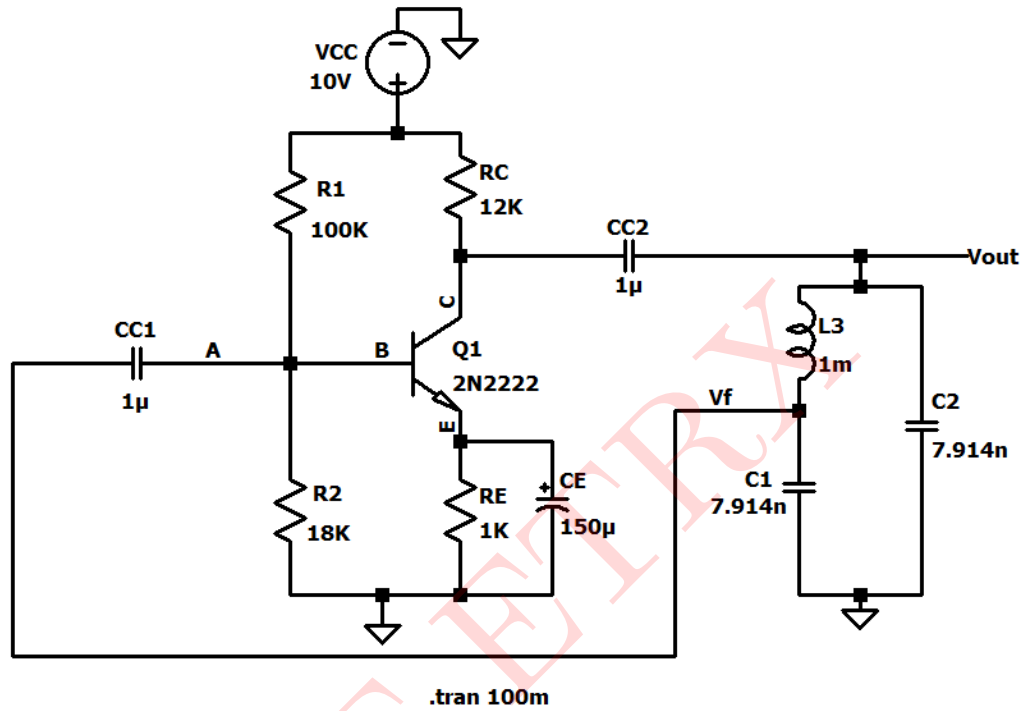


Figure 2: Circuit schematic

The waveform for output voltage V_{out} is shown in Figure 3

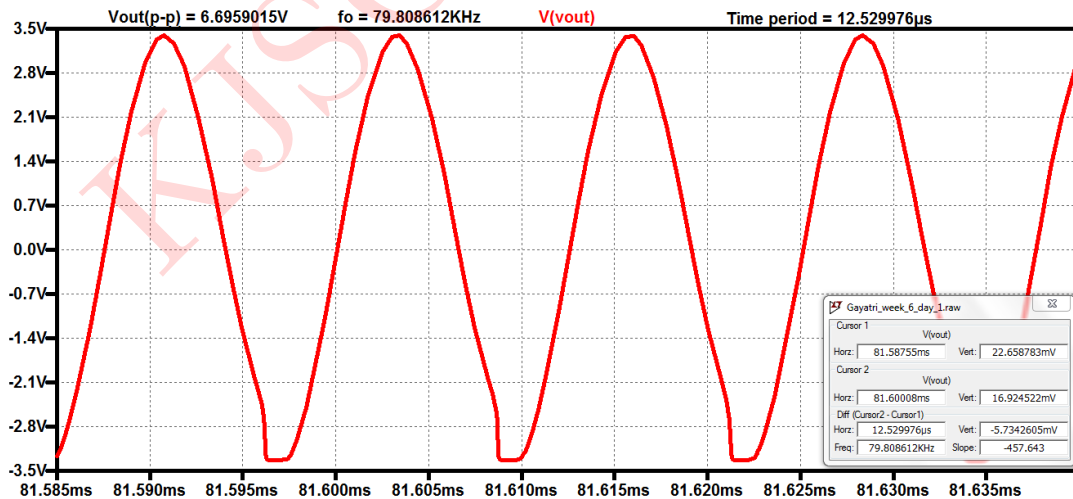


Figure 3: Waveform for V_{out}

The waveforms for feedback signal V_f and output signal V_{out} are shown in Figure 4

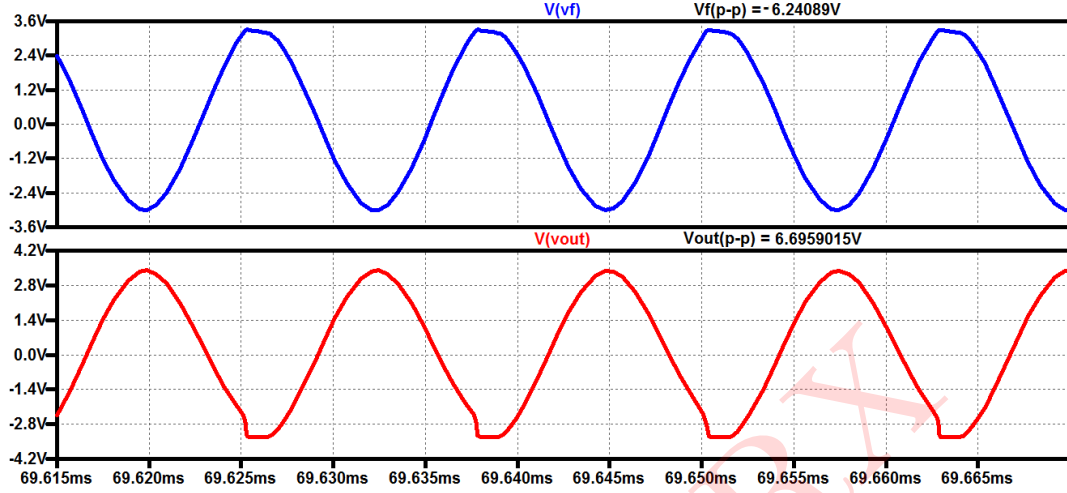


Figure 4: Waveforms for V_f and V_{out}

Comparison of theoretical and simulated values:

Parameters	Theoretical	Simulated
Frequency of oscillation(f_o)	80 kHz	79.808612 kHz
Time period of oscillations	12.5 μs	12.529976 μs
Amplitude of oscillations	—	6.6959015 V
Feedback signal (V_f) amplitude and phase w.r.t. V_{out}	—	6.24089 V, 180°
Feedback fraction and phase shift offered by LC tank circuit	1, 180°	0.932046, 180°

2. In Collpits oscillator, amplifier components are
 $R_1 = 100\text{k}\Omega$, $R_2 = 1\text{k}\Omega$, $R_E = 1\text{k}\Omega$, $C_{C1} = 1\mu\text{F}$, $C_{C2} = 1\mu\text{F}$, $V_{CC} = 10\text{V}$
 Select LC tank circuit elements such that the frequency of oscillation is close to 650 kHz

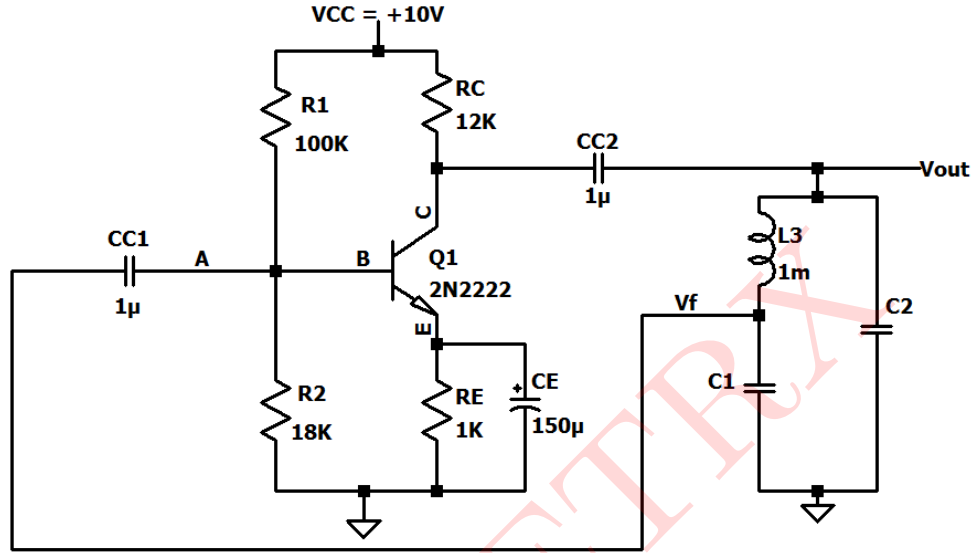


Figure 5: Circuit 1

Solution:

$$f_o = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{C_{eq} \times L_3}}$$

$$C_{eq} = C_3$$

$$L_3 = 0.1\text{ mH}, f_o \approx 650\text{ kHz}$$

$$650 \times 10^3 = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{10^{-4} \times C_3}}$$

$$\therefore C_3 = 0.5995\text{ nF}$$

$$C_1 = C_2 = 0.01\mu\text{F}$$

$$\text{Feedback fraction (k)} = \frac{C_1}{C_2} = 1$$

$$\text{Time period of oscillations} = \frac{1}{f_o} = 12.5\mu\text{s}$$

$$\text{Phase shift offered by LC tank circuit} = 180^\circ$$

SIMULATED RESULTS:

Above circuit is simulated using LTspice and the results are presented below: The

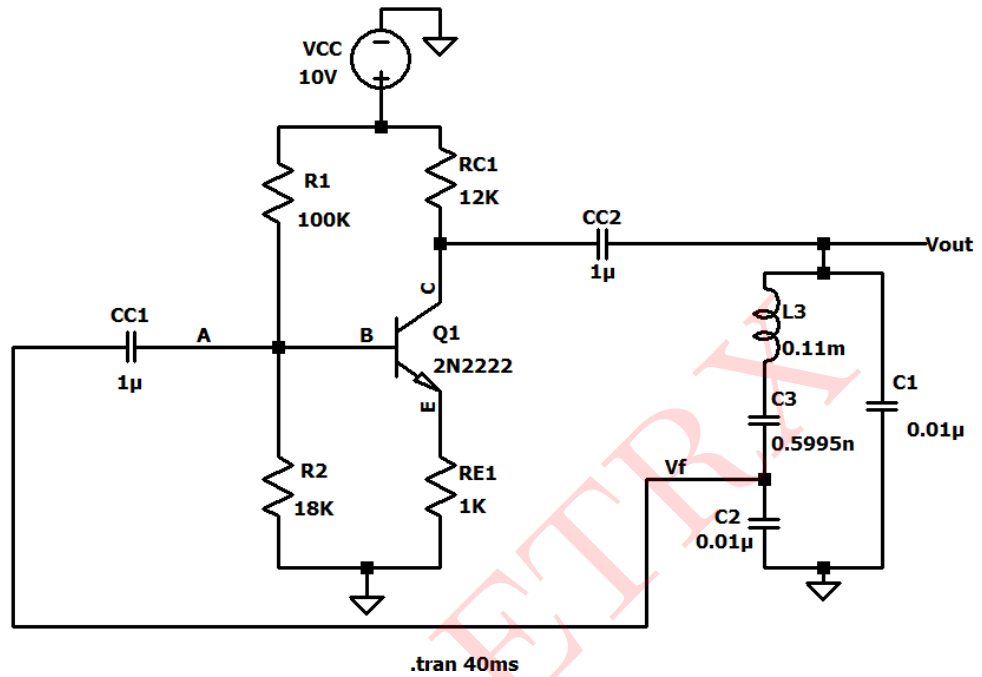


Figure 6: Circuit schematic

waveform for output voltage V_{out} is shown in Figure 7

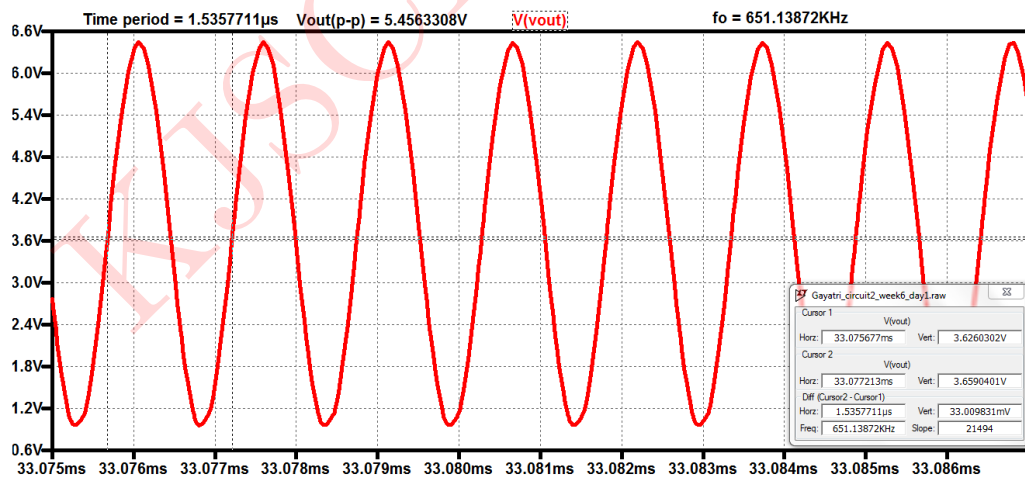


Figure 7: Waveform for V_{out}

The waveforms for feedback signal V_f and output voltage V_{out} are shown in Figure 8

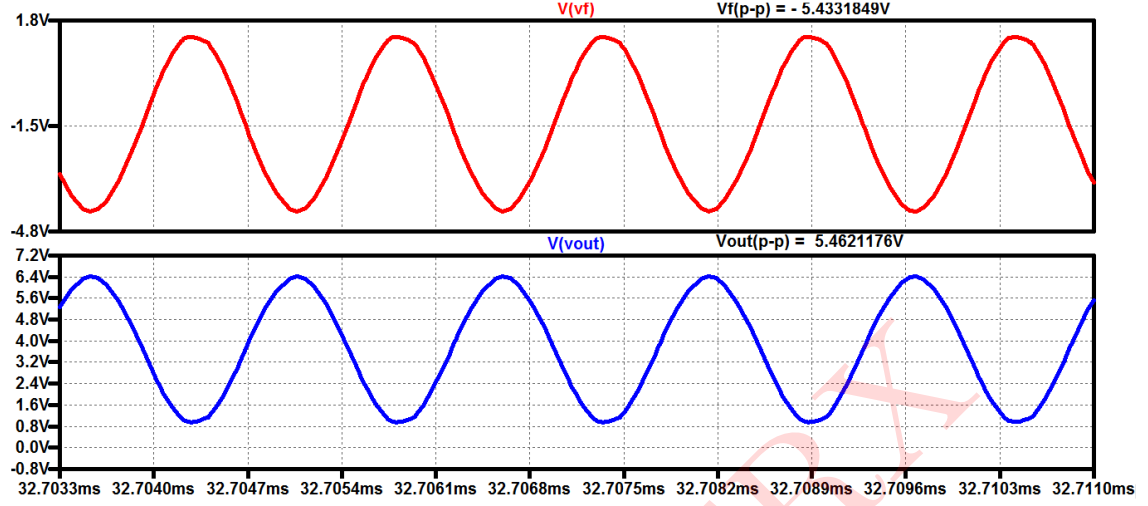


Figure 8: Waveforms for V_f and V_{out}

Comparison of theoretical and simulated values:

Parameters	Theoretical	Simulated
Frequency of oscillation(f_o)	650 kHz	65.1387 kHz
Time period of oscillations	1.538 μ s	1.53711 μ s
Amplitude of oscillations	—	5.4621176 V
Feedback signal (V_f) amplitude and phase w.r.t. V_{out}	—	5.433 V, 180°
Feedback fraction and phase shift offered by LC tank circuit	1, 180°	0.99466, 180°

Table 1: Numerical 1