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Midterm 2

4 December 2013, 18:00
(4 questions, 120 minutes)

- This is a **closed book**, closed notes exam. No cheat sheet allowed.
- All cell-phones should be completely **turned off**.
- Use a calculator for numerical computations. Carry at least **4 significant digits** during calculations. Your final answer should be at least **3 significant digits**.
- Be sure to write the **units** of all numerical results.
- **Show** all work clearly.
- Please put your **final answer** for each part inside a box for easy identification. Do not give multiple answers, they will not be graded.
- Do not remove the **staple** from the exam sheets or separate pages of the exam. All extra pages must be stamped to your exam.
- You may leave the exam room when you are done. However, please do not leave during the **last five minutes** of the exam.
- At the end of the exam, please stay seated until **all** exam papers are collected.

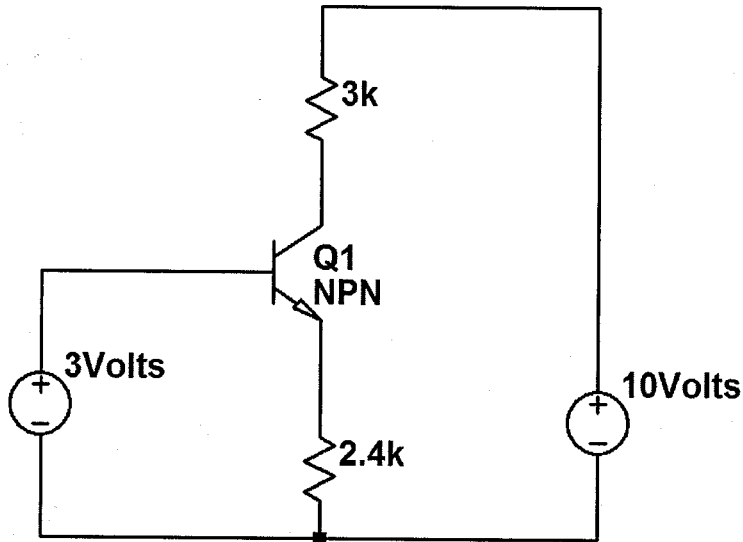
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1. 25 pts.	
2. 20 pts.	
3. 30 pts.	
4. 25 pts.	
Total 100 pts.	

- 1) (25 points) Find the states of the BJT transistors at the circuits given below
 ($\beta=100$, $V_{BEON} = 0.6$ Volts, $V_{CEONSAT} = 0.6$ Volts):

a) (6 points)

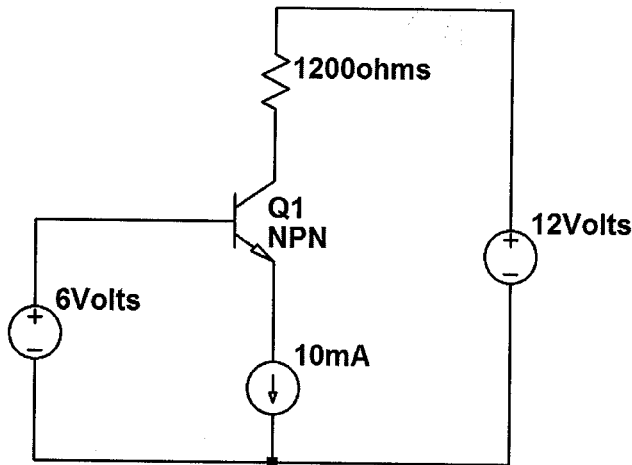
0.4



$$I_E = \frac{3 - 0.6}{2400\Omega} = \frac{2.4}{2400} =$$

$$V_{CE} = 10V - 0.001A [2400 + 3000] \\ = 10 - 5.4 = 4.6V \Rightarrow F.A.$$

b) (6 points)



$$1200 \times 0.01 = \frac{1200}{100} = 12V$$

$$\Rightarrow V_C = 12 - 12 = 0V \text{ but}$$

$V_B = 6V \Rightarrow V_{CB}$ is forward biased

\Rightarrow SAT

to verify

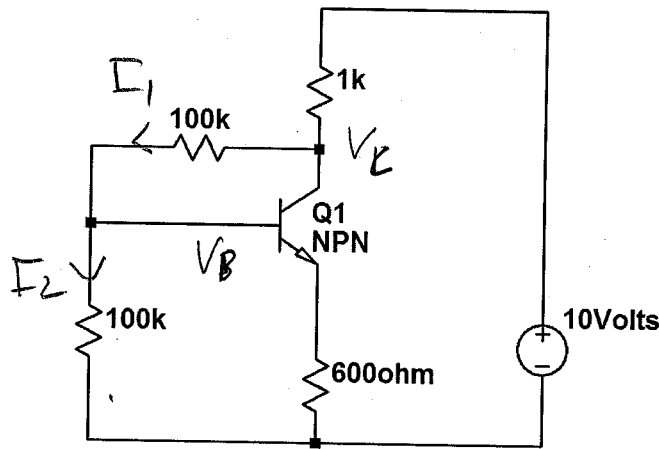
$$V_{CE, SAT} = 0.4V \Rightarrow I_C = \frac{12V - 0.4V}{1200} = 9.66 \text{ mA}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_B = 10 - 9.6666 = 3.33 \times 10^{-4} = 333 \mu A$$

$$\beta I_B = 3.33 \times 10^{-4} \times 100 = 3.33 \times 10^{-2} = 33.3 \text{ mA} > I_C = 9.66 \text{ mA}$$

\Rightarrow SAT

c) (7 points)



Assume F.A.

$$V_B = \frac{V_C}{2} \quad \text{neglect } I_1 \text{ \& } I_2$$

$$1000 \times \frac{\frac{V_C}{2} - 0.6}{600} + V_C = 10V$$

R_C $I_E \approx I_C$

$$1.667 \times \frac{V_C}{2} - 1.667 \times 0.6 + V_C = 10V$$

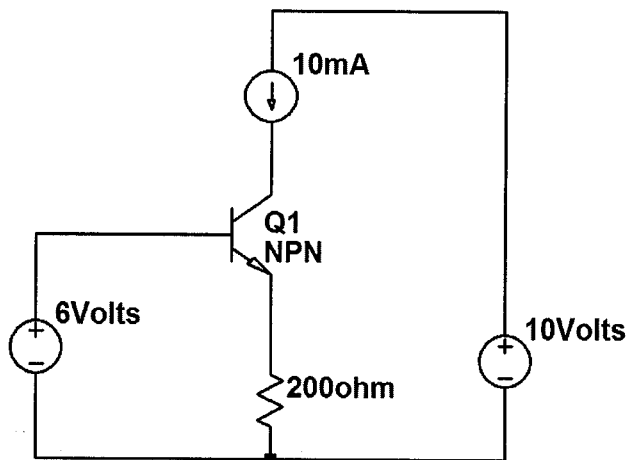
$$0.833 V_C - 1 + V_C = 10$$

$$1.835 V_C = 11 \Rightarrow V_C = 5.99V$$

$$\frac{V_C}{2} = 2.997 \approx 3V \Rightarrow V_{CB} = 5.99 - 3 = 2.99V$$

\Rightarrow F.A.

d) (6 points)



$$I_E = \frac{6 - 0.6}{200} = \frac{5.4}{200} = 27\text{mA} \Rightarrow$$

$$I_B = I_E - I_C = 27 - 10 = 17\text{mA}$$

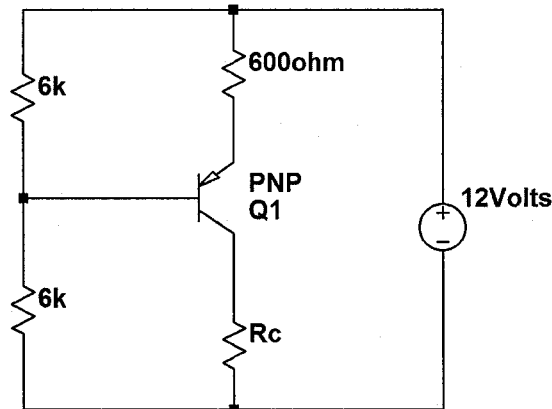
$$\beta I_B = 17 \times 100 = 1700 > I_C = 10\text{mA}$$
$$\Rightarrow \text{SAT}$$

2. (20 points) The transistor in the common-emitter circuit shown below has the following parameters:

$\beta=100$, $V_{BE_{ON}} = 0.7$ Volts, $V_{CE_{ONSAT}} = 0.4$ Volts

Please find the state and the bias (voltages and currents) of the transistor for:

- a) (10 points) $R_c=300 \Omega$,
- b) (10 points) $R_c=1200 \Omega$

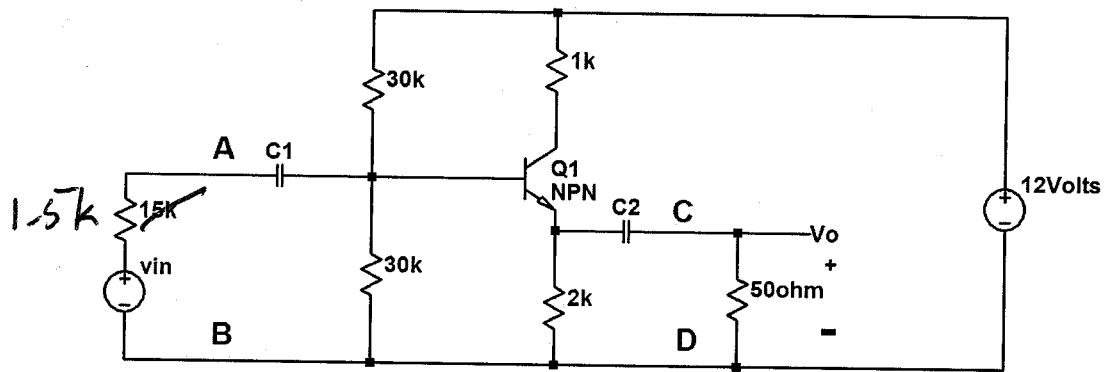


$$a-) \frac{6V - 0.7}{\frac{3000}{101} + 600} = I_E = \frac{5.3}{629.7} = 8.416mA$$

$$V_{CE} = 12V - 8.416 \times 10^{-3} (600 + 300) = 12 - 7.575 = 4.425 \Rightarrow \text{F.A.}$$

$$b-) V_{CE} = 12 - 8.416 \times 10^{-3} (600 + 1200) = 12 - 15.15 = -3.15V$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{not F.A.} \Rightarrow \text{SAT}$$



3. (30 points) At the circuit given above:

$\beta=74$, $V_{BE_{ON}} = 0.7$ Volts, $V_{CE_{ONSAT}} = 0.3$ Volts, C_1 and C_2 are very large

Please answer the following:

- (6 points) Find the DC bias of the transistor,
- (6 points) Draw the AC equivalent circuit,
- (6 points) Find the gain of the circuit defined as V_o/V_{in}
- (6 points) Find the input impedance (between points A and B),
- (6 points) Find the output impedance (between points C and D) by taking the source as only V_{in} .

$$a-) \frac{12}{2} - 0.7 = 15000 I_B + 75 \times 2000 I_B = (15000 + 150000) I_B$$

$$\Rightarrow I_B = \frac{5.3}{165000} = 3.21 \times 10^{-5} A = 32.1 \mu A$$

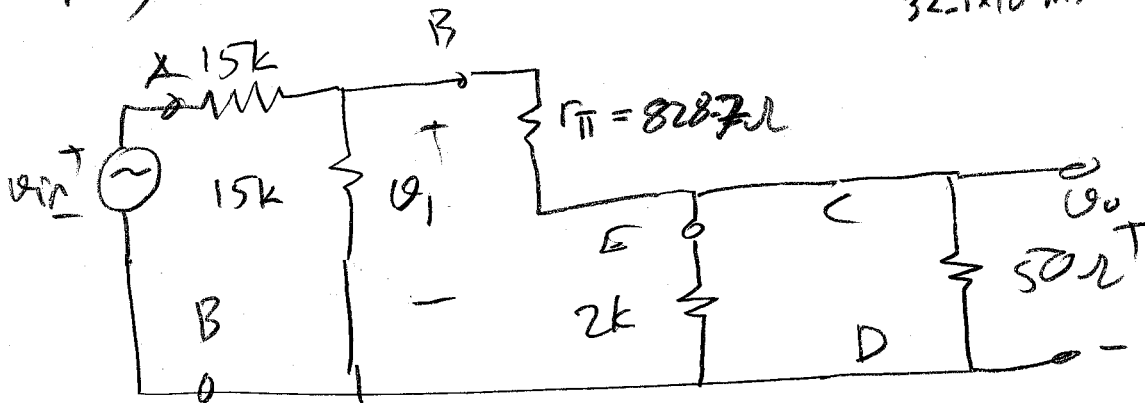
$$I_E = 75 \times I_B = 2.41 mA, I_C = 74 \times I_B = 2.38 mA$$

$$V_{CE} = 12V - 2.41 \times 10^{-3} \times 2000 - 2.38 \times 10^{-3} \times 1000$$

$$= 12 - 7.2 = 4.8V \Rightarrow F.A.$$

b-)

$$r_{\pi} = \frac{26.6 mV}{32.1 \times 10^{-3} mA} = 828.7 \Omega$$



$$c-) \quad 2000 // 50 = \frac{2000 \times 50}{200} = 48.78 \Omega$$

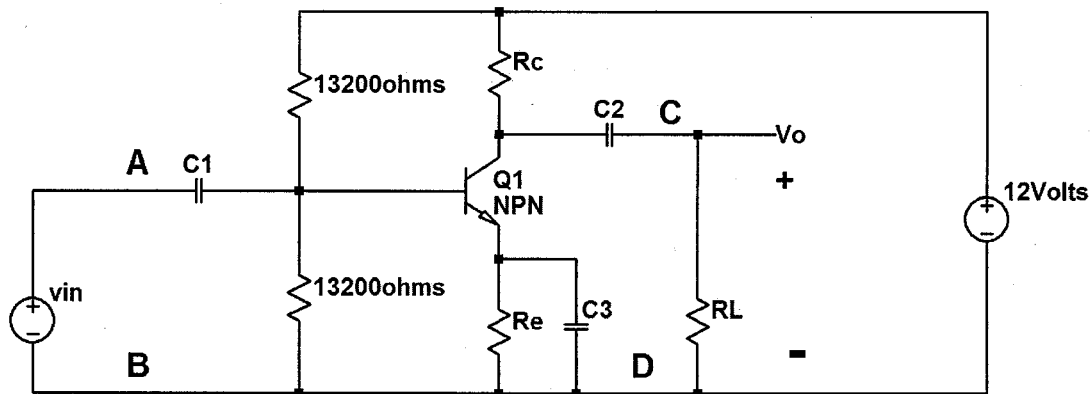
$$r_{\pi} + (\beta + 1) 48.78 \Omega = 828.7 + 75 + 48.78 = 4487.2$$

$$18000 // 4487.2 = 3454 \Omega$$

$$v_i = v_{in} \times \frac{3454 \Omega}{3454 + 1500} = 0.697$$

$$v_o = v_i \cdot \frac{48.78 \times 75}{48.78 \times 75 + 828.7 \Omega} = 0.0815$$

$$\frac{v_o}{v_{in}} = 0.5684$$



4. (20 points) At the BJT circuit given above:

$\beta=100$, $V_{BEON} = 0.8$ Volts, $V_{CEONSAT} = 0.2$ Volts, C_1 , C_2 and C_3 are very large :

The desired characteristics of the amplifier are:

$R_{in}=550 \Omega$, $R_o=1000 \Omega$, Voltage gain $A_v=100$ defined as V_o/V_{in}

Please note that R_{in} is between A and B, R_o is between C and D.

Please design the circuit to have the desired characteristics (i.e., find the values of R_c , R_e , and R_L)

Solution :

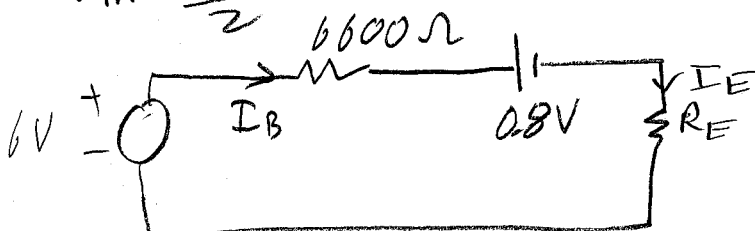
$$R_o = R_c = 1000 \Omega$$

$$R_{in} = 550 \Omega = (13200/2) \parallel r_{\pi} = 6600 \Omega \parallel r_{\pi} \Rightarrow$$

$$r_{\pi} = \frac{6600 \times 550}{6600 - 550} = 100 \Omega = \frac{\beta}{g_m} = \frac{\beta V_T}{I_{CQ}} \Rightarrow$$

$$I_{CQ} = \frac{\beta V_T}{100} = \frac{100 \times 26.6}{600} \text{ mA} = 4.43 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_{TH} = \frac{12}{2} = 6V \quad R_{TH} = 13200/2 = 6600 \Omega$$



$$6V - 0.8V = \frac{6600}{\beta + 1} I_E + R_E I_E$$

$$I_E = 4.43 \times \frac{\beta + 1}{\beta} = 4.477 \text{ mA} \Rightarrow$$

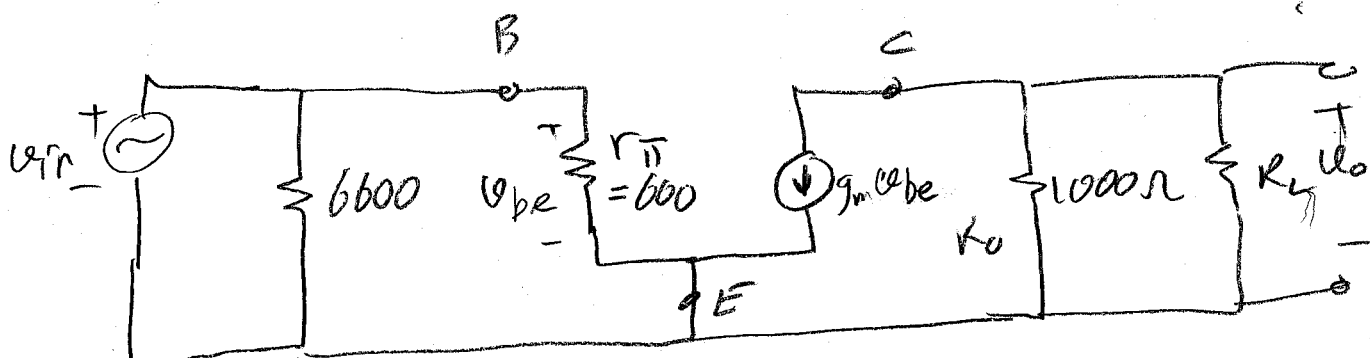
$$5.2 = \frac{6600}{101} 4.477 \times 10^{-3} + 4.477 \times 10^{-3} R_E = 0.2926 + 4.477 \times 10^{-3} R_E$$

$$R_E = \frac{5.2 - 0.2926}{4.477 \times 10^{-3}} = 1095.97 \approx 1096 \Omega$$

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$$V_{CE} = 12V - 4.477 \times 10^{-3} \times 1096 - 4.43 \times 10^{-3} \times 1000 \\ = 2.6626 \checkmark \text{ F.A.}$$

Drawing the A.C. equivalent circuit



$$A_V = \frac{v_o}{v_{in}} = g_m (1000 \parallel R_L) = 100$$

$$g_m = \frac{\beta}{r_{\pi}} = \frac{100}{600} = \frac{1}{6} = 0.1666 \text{ S}$$

$$\frac{1}{6} (1000 \parallel R_L) = 100 \Rightarrow 1000 \parallel R_L = 6 \times 100 = 600$$

$$\Rightarrow R_L = \frac{1000 \times 600}{1000 - 600} = \frac{600,000}{400} = 1500 \Omega$$

to check

$$1000 \parallel 1500 = \frac{1000 \times 1500}{1000 + 1500} = 600 \Omega$$

$$A_L = 100 = \frac{1}{6} \times 600 = 100$$