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## **Electronic Circuit Analysis and Design**

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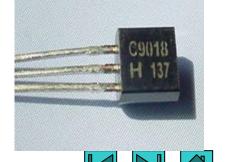
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# Ch6. Basic BJT Amplifiers

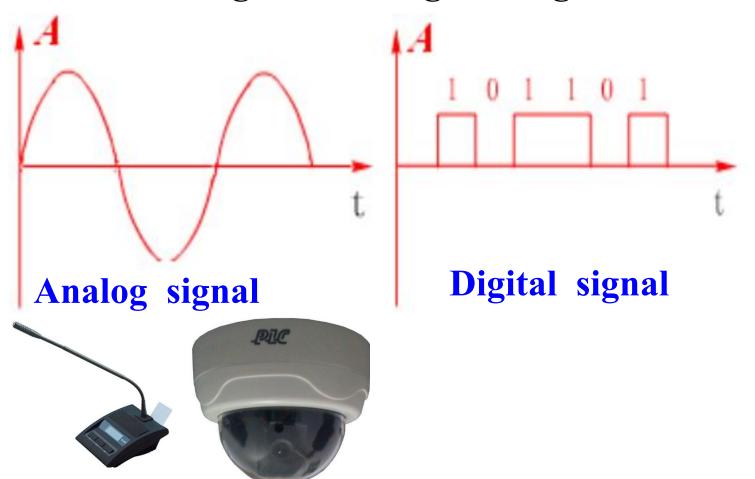
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## **6.1 Analog Signals and Linear Amplifiers**

## Signals

 A signal contains some type of information. There are two kinds of signals: analog and digital.



## **6.1 Analog Signals and Linear Amplifiers**

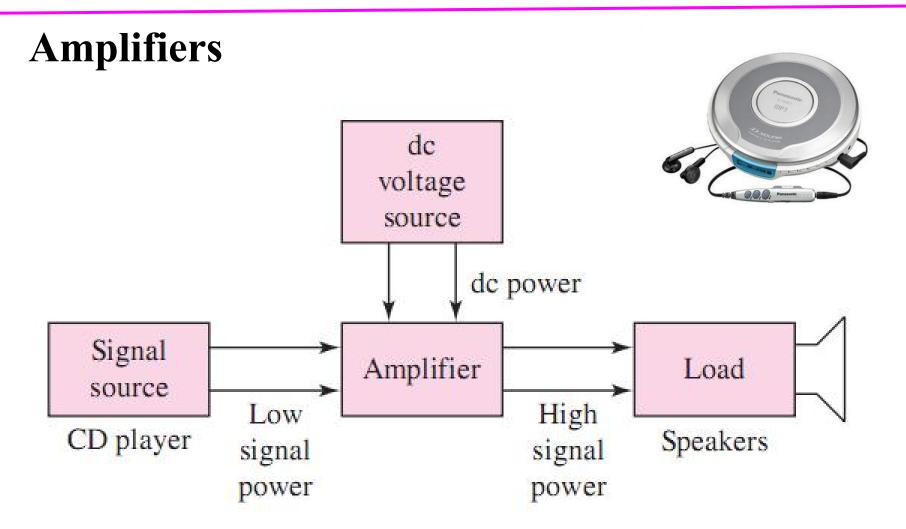
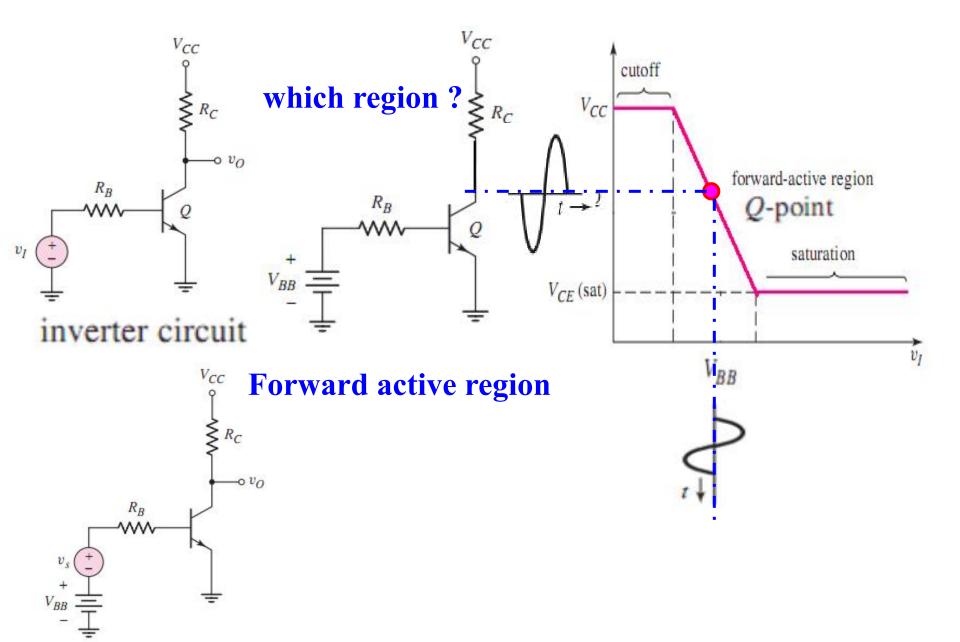
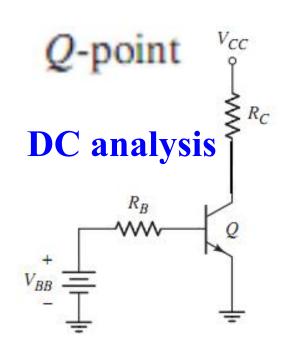


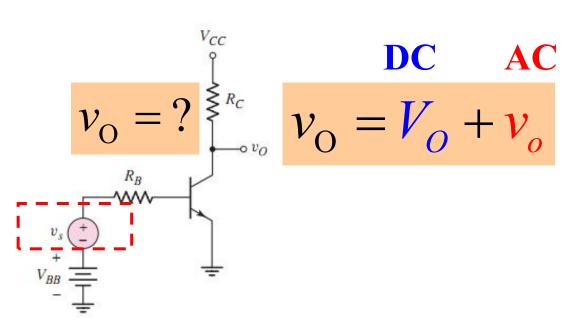
Figure 6.1 Block diagram of a compact disc player system

## 6.2 The Bipolar Linear Amplifier



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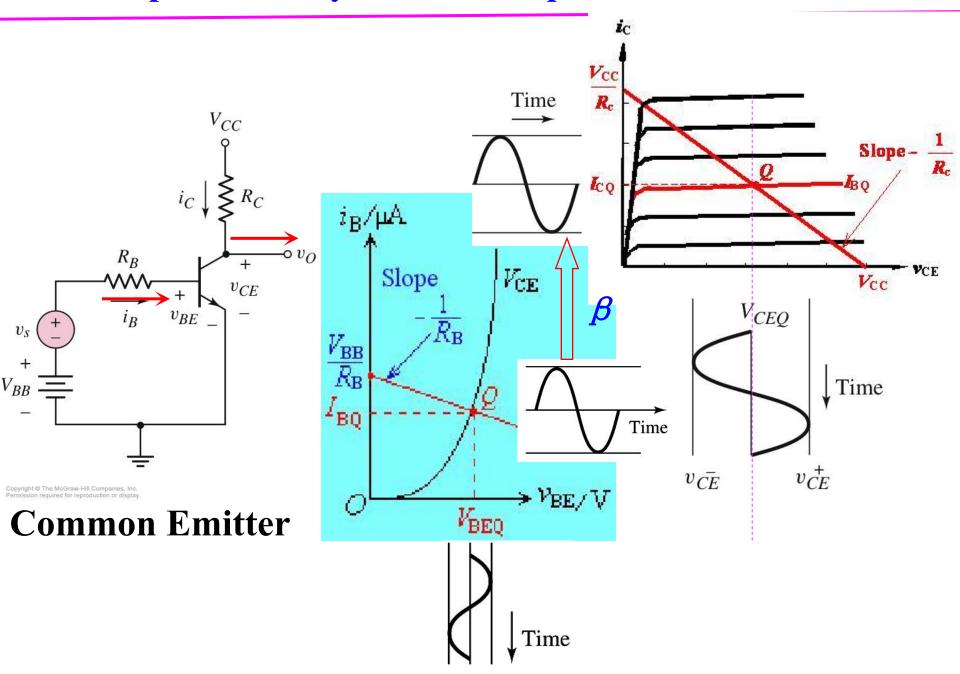
$$I_{\rm B} = \frac{V_{\rm BB} - V_{\rm BE}}{R_{\rm B}}$$

$$I_{\rm C} = \beta I_{\rm B}$$

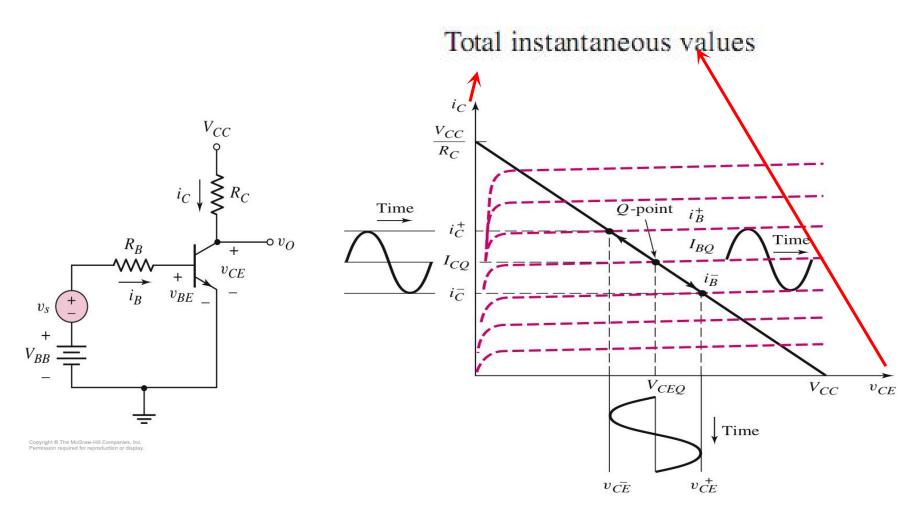
$$V_{\rm CE} = V_{\rm CC} - I_{\rm C} R_{\rm C}$$

Table 6.1	Summary of notation		
Variable	Meaning		
$i_B, v_{BE}$	Total instantaneous values		
$I_B, V_{BE}$	DC values		
$i_b, v_{be}$ $I_b, V_{be}$	Instantaneous ac values Phasor values		

## 6.2.1 Graphical Analysis and ac Equivalent Circuit



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How to get the small signal model?

## 6.2.1Graphical Analysis and ac Equivalent Circuit

## $i_{\rm B}$ Versus $v_{\rm BE}$ Characteristic

$$i_B = \frac{i_C}{\beta} = \frac{I_S e^{\frac{v_{BE}}{V_T}}}{\beta}$$

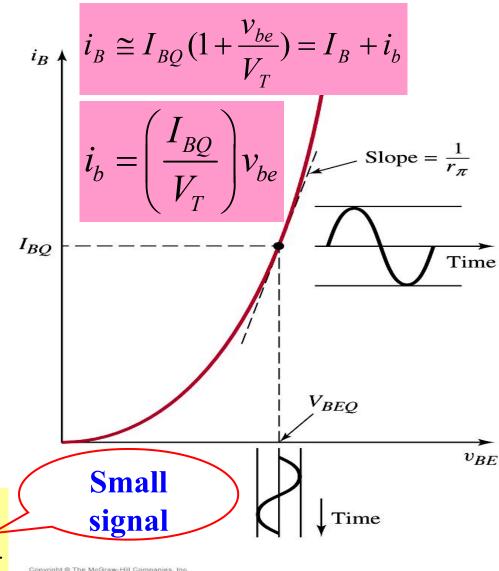
$$v_{BE} = V_{BE} + v_{be}$$

$$i_{B} = \frac{I_{S}}{\beta} e^{\frac{V_{BE} + v_{be}}{V_{T}}} = \frac{I_{S}}{\beta} e^{\frac{V_{BE}}{V_{T}} + \frac{v_{be}}{V_{T}}}$$

$$=\frac{I_{S}}{\beta} \cdot e^{\frac{V_{BE}}{V_{T}}} \cdot e^{\frac{v_{be}}{V_{T}}} = I_{BQ} \cdot e^{\frac{v_{be}}{V_{T}}}$$

$$v_{be} \ll V_T$$

Taylor series  $e^{V_T} = 1$ 



 $T = 1 + \frac{V_{be}}{V_{be}}$ 

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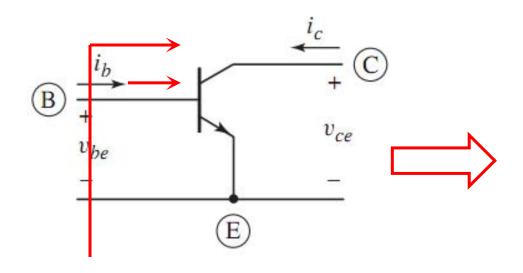
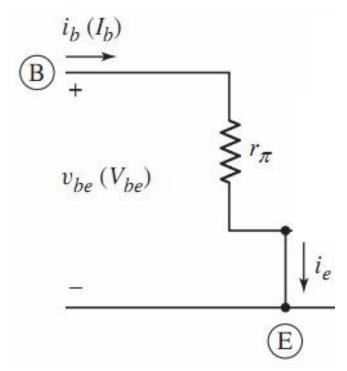


Figure 6.8 The BJT as a small-signal, two-port

$$v_{be} = i_b r_{\pi} \quad i_b = \left(\frac{I_{BQ}}{V_T}\right) v_{be}$$

$$r_{\pi} = \frac{V_T}{I_{BQ}} = \frac{\beta V_T}{I_{CQ}}$$



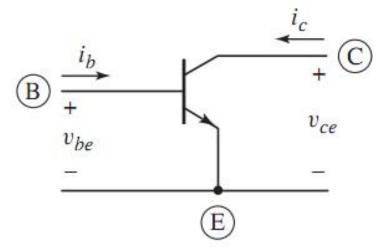
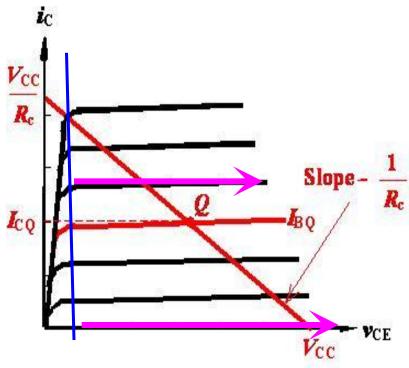


Figure 6.8 The BJT as a small-signal, two-port network

$$i_C = I_S \exp\left(\frac{v_{BE}}{V_T}\right)$$



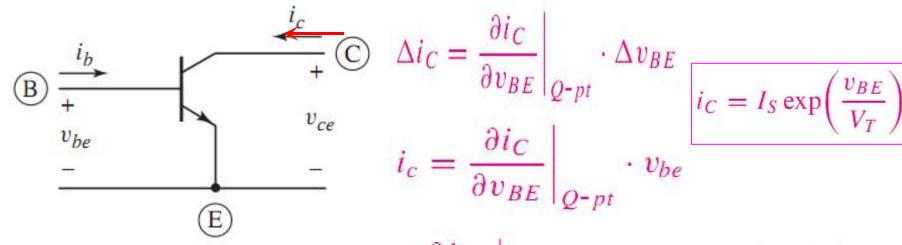


Figure 6.8 The BJT as a small-signal, two-port network

## **Transconductance**

$$g_m = \frac{I_{CQ}}{V_T}$$

$$\frac{\partial i_C}{\partial v_{BE}} \Big|_{Q-pt} = \frac{1}{V_T} \cdot I_S \exp\left(\frac{v_{BE}}{V_T}\right) \Big|_{Q-pt}$$

$$= \frac{I_{CQ}}{V_T}$$

$$i_c = g_m \cdot v_{be}$$

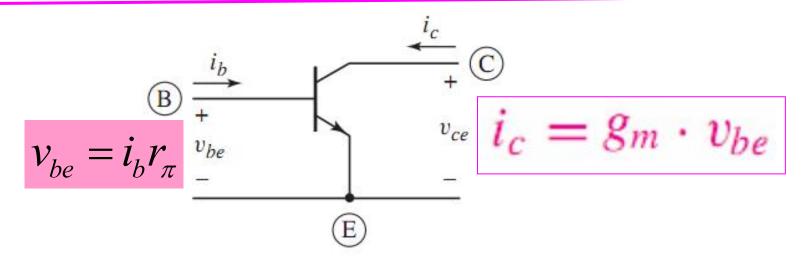
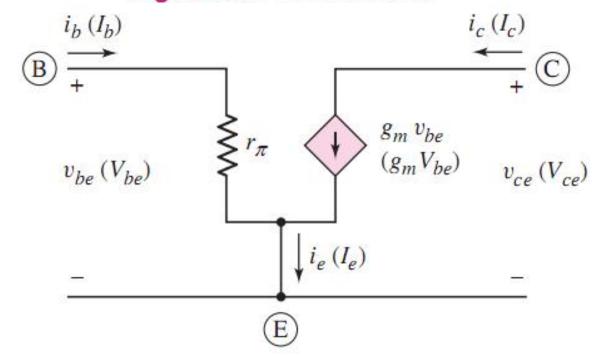
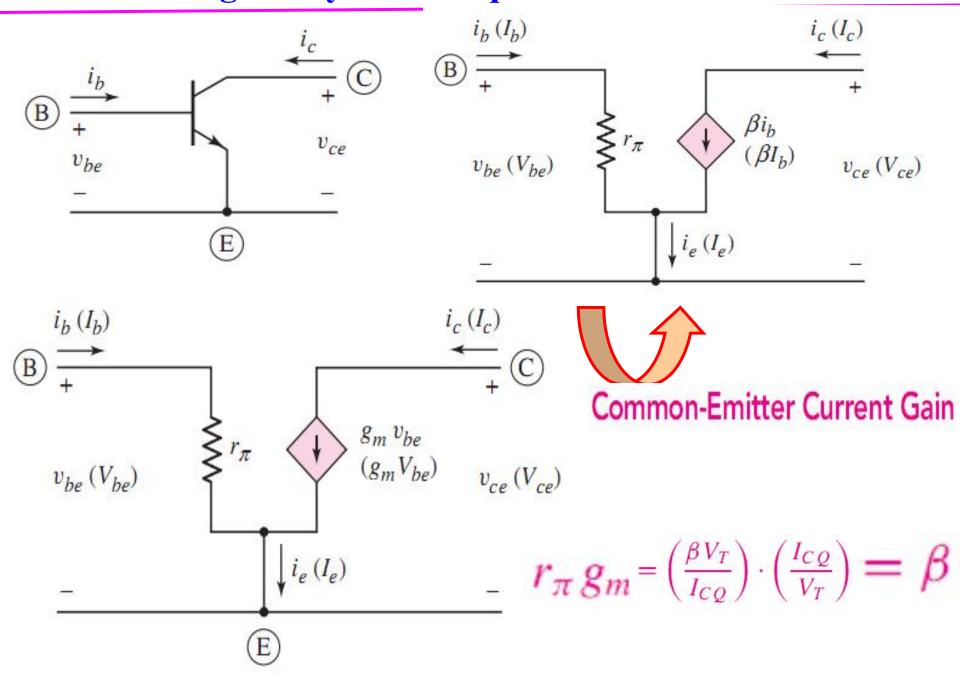
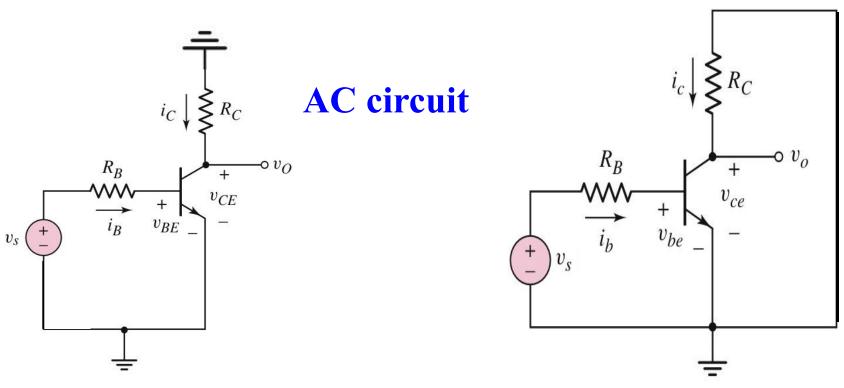


Figure 6.8 The BJT as a



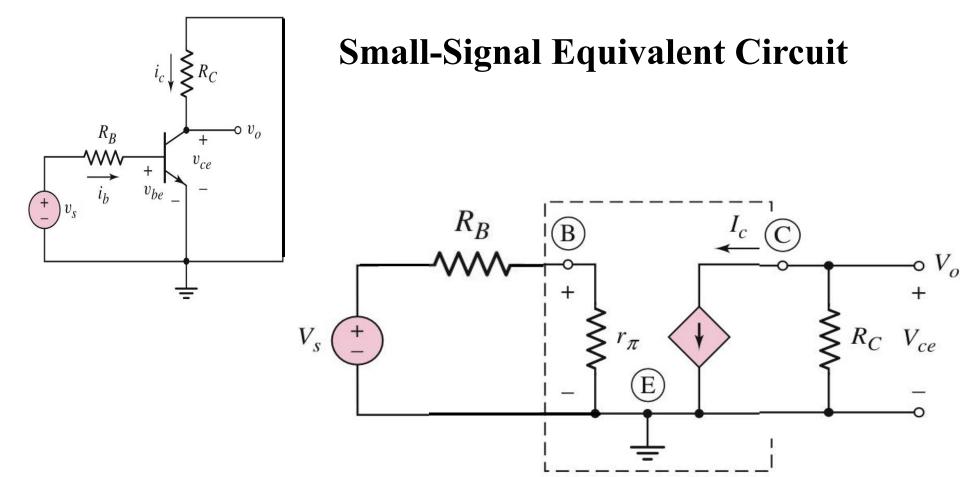


## Small signal voltage gain



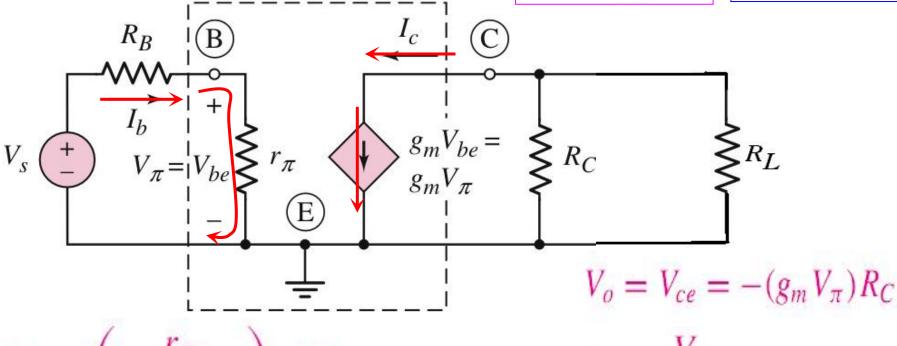
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## Small signal voltage gain



## Small signal voltage gain

$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_\pi} = ? - g_m R_C /\!\!/ R_L$$



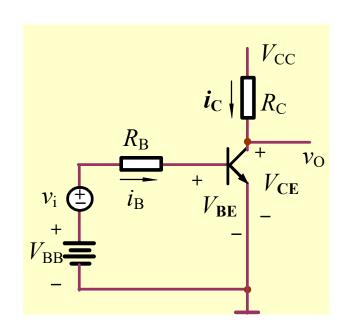
$$V_{\pi} = \left(\frac{r_{\pi}}{r_{\pi} + R_B}\right) \cdot V_s$$

$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_{\pi}}$$

$$A_{vs} = \frac{V_o}{V_s} = -(g_m R_C) \cdot \left(\frac{r_\pi}{r_\pi + R_B}\right) \qquad A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_\pi} = -g_m R_C$$

## Example 1

Calculate the small-signal voltage gain of the bipolar transistor circuit shown in Fig. Assume  $\beta$ =100,  $V_{\rm CC}$ =12V,  $V_{\rm BE}$ =0.7V,  $R_{\rm C}$ =6k $\Omega$ ,  $R_{\rm B}$ =50k $\Omega$ ,  $V_{\rm BB}$ =1.2V. If  $v_{\rm i}$ =0.25sin $\omega$ t V, find  $v_{\rm o}$ .



## **Sol:** (1) Find the Q-point values

$$I_{\rm B} = \frac{V_{\rm BB} - V_{\rm BE}}{R_{\rm B}} = \frac{1.2 - 0.7}{50} = 10 \,\text{uA}$$
 $I_{\rm C} = \beta \,\,I_{\rm B} = 100 \times 10 \,\text{uA} = 1 \,\text{mA}$ 
 $V_{\rm CE} = V_{\rm CC} - I_{\rm C} R_{\rm C} = 12 - 1 \,\text{mA} \times 6 \,\text{k} \Omega = 6 \,\text{V}$ 

## Which region?

## Example 1

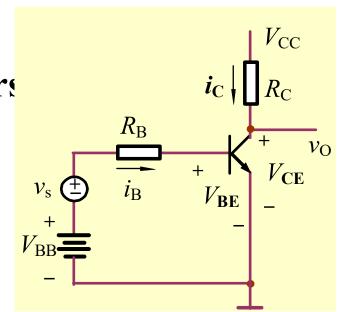
## (2) Find the small-signal parameters

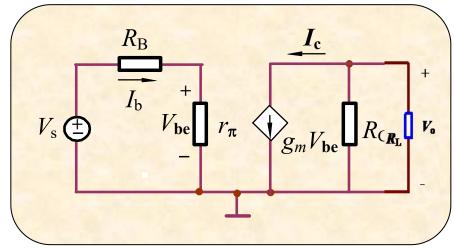
$$r_{\pi} = \frac{\beta V_T}{I_{\text{CQ}}} = \frac{100 \times 0.026}{1} = 2.6 \text{k}\Omega$$
  
and  $g_{\text{m}} = \frac{I_{\text{CQ}}}{V_T} = \frac{1}{0.026} = 38.5 \text{mA/V}$ 

## (3) Find AC parameters

$$A_{vs} = \frac{V_{o}}{V_{i}} = -g_{m}R_{C}\frac{r_{\pi}}{r_{\pi} + R_{B}}$$

$$= -38.5 \times 6 \times \frac{2.6}{2.6 + 50}$$





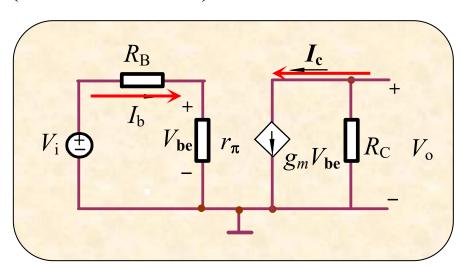
## Example 1

## (3) In small-signal circuit, ac base current is given by

$$i_{b} = \frac{v_{i}}{R_{B} + r_{\pi}} = \frac{0.25 \sin \omega t}{50 + 2.6} = 4.75 \sin \omega t (\mu A)$$

$$i_{c} = \beta \ i_{b} = 100 \times 4.75 \sin \omega t = 0.475 \sin \omega t (mA)$$

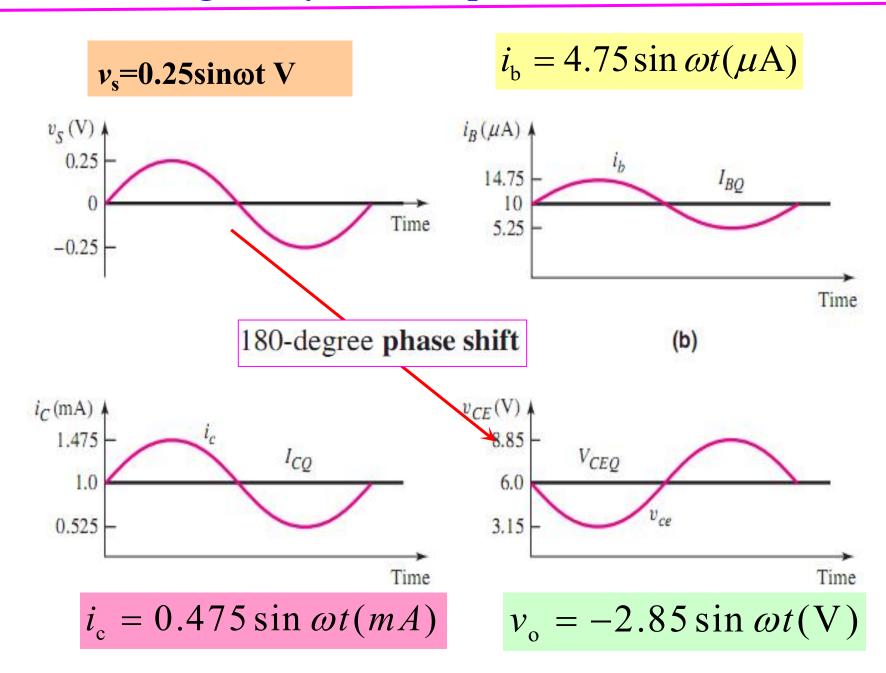
$$v_{o} = -i_{c} R_{c} = -(0.475 \sin \omega t) \times 6 = -2.85 \sin \omega t (V)$$







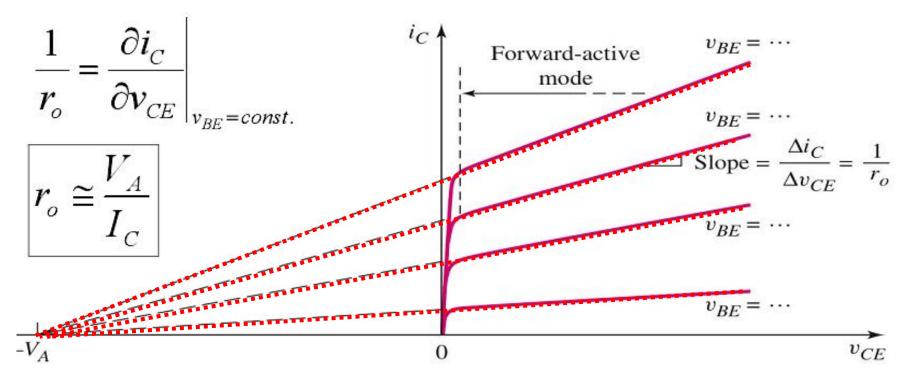




# Problem-Solving Technique: BJT AC Analysis

- 1. Analyze circuit with only dc sources to find Q point.
- 2. Replace each element in circuit with small-signal model, including the hybrid  $\pi$  model for the transistor.
- 3. Analyze the small-signal equivalent circuit after setting dc source components to zero.

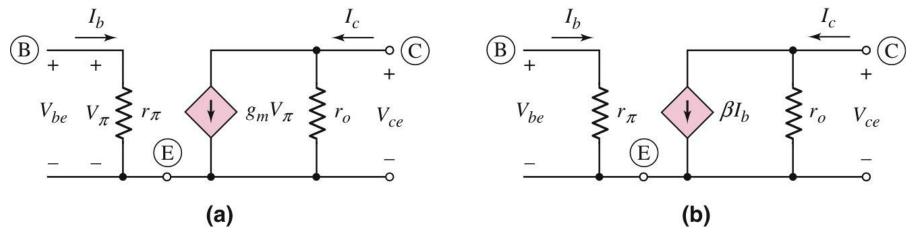
Table 6.2	Transformation of elements in dc and small-signal analysis		
Element	I-V relationship	DC model	AC model
Resistor	$I_R = \frac{V}{R}$	R	R
Capacitor	$I_C = sCV$	Open → ⊶	C
Inductor	$I_L = \frac{V}{sL}$	Short	L
Diode	$I_D = I_S(e^{v_D/V_T} - 1)$	$rac{+V_{\gamma}-r_{f}}{  +  +  +  +  +  +  +  +  +  +  +  +  +$	$r_d = V_T/I_D$ $-$
Independent voltage sour	$v_c = constant$	$+V_S - \mathbf{l} $	Short →⊶⊶
Independent current source	/ - constant	$I_S$	Open →



 V<sub>A</sub>: Early voltage : a point at negative voltage axis where all curves meet

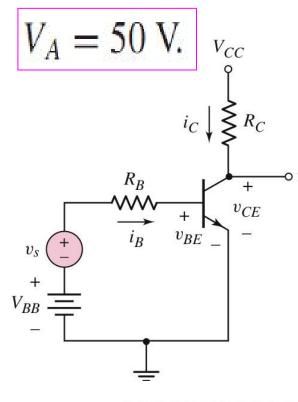
$$r_o = \frac{V_A}{I_{CO}}$$
 small-signal transistor output resistance

## Hybrid $\pi$ Model for npn with Early Effect



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$$r_o = \frac{V_A}{I_{CQ}}$$

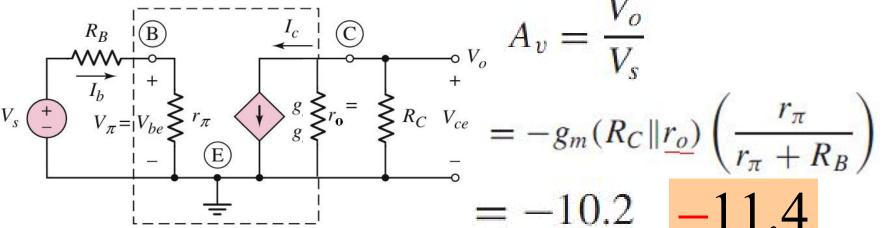


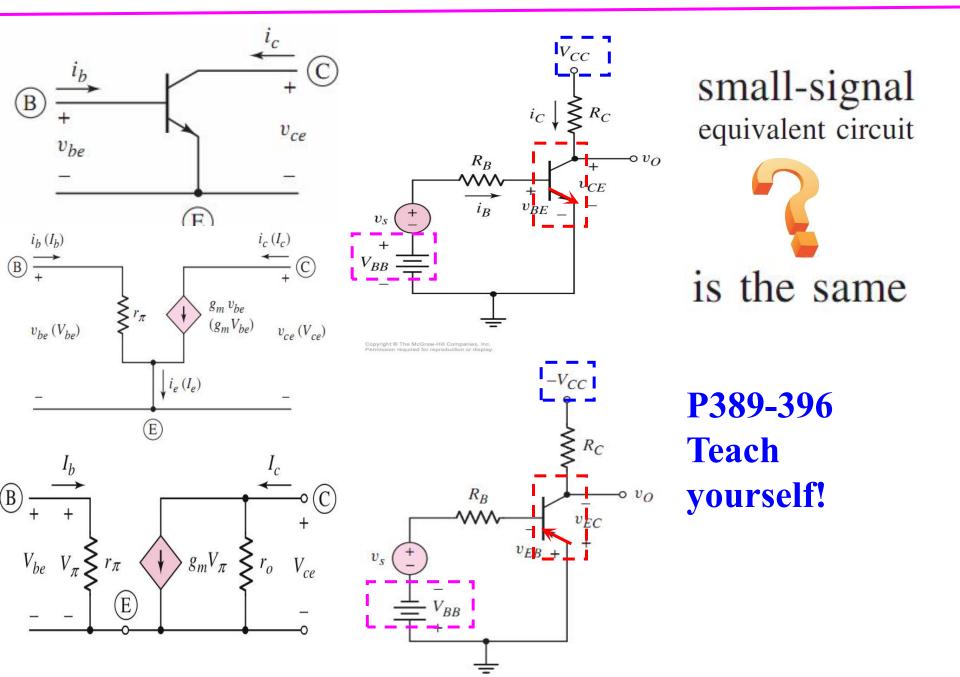
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## Solution:

$$r_o = \frac{V_A}{I_{CQ}} = \frac{50}{1 \text{ mA}} = 50 \text{ k}\Omega$$

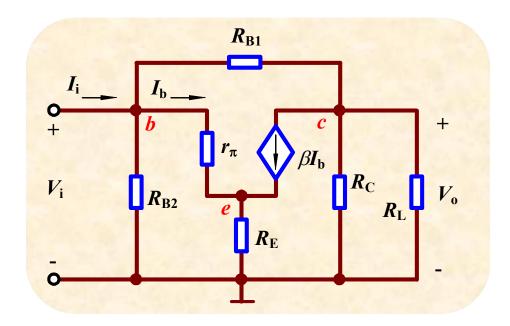


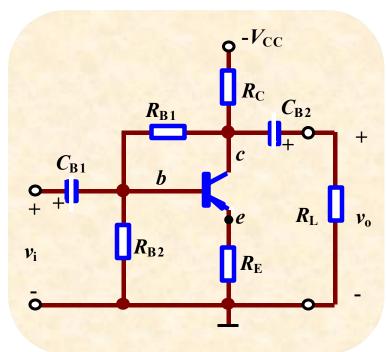


## Example

The circuit shown in Fig.

Draw its small-signal equivalent circuit.





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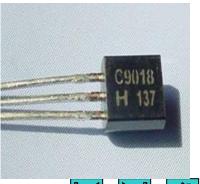
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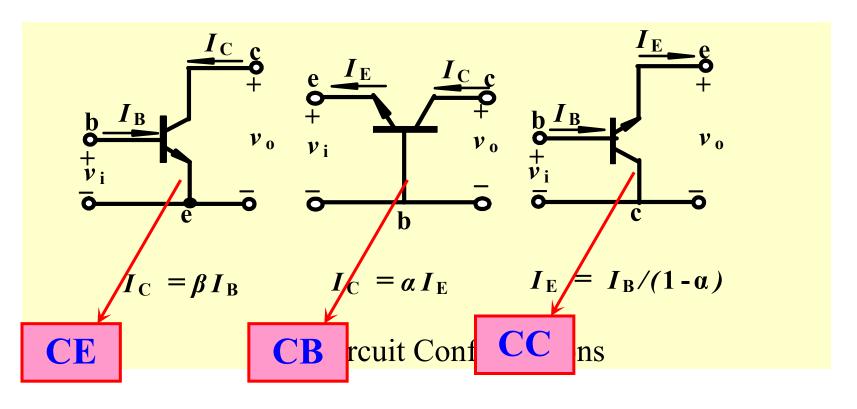
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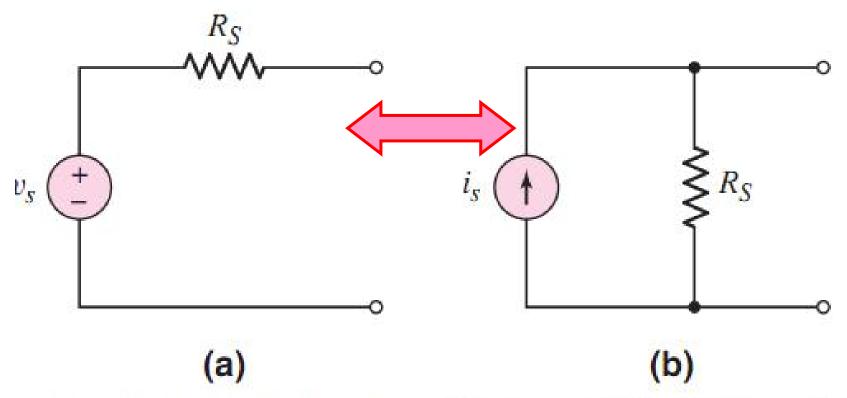






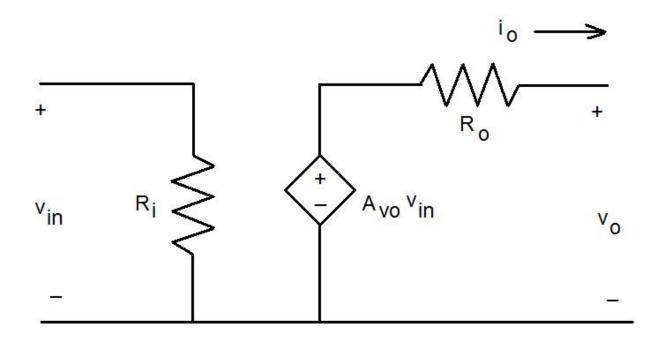
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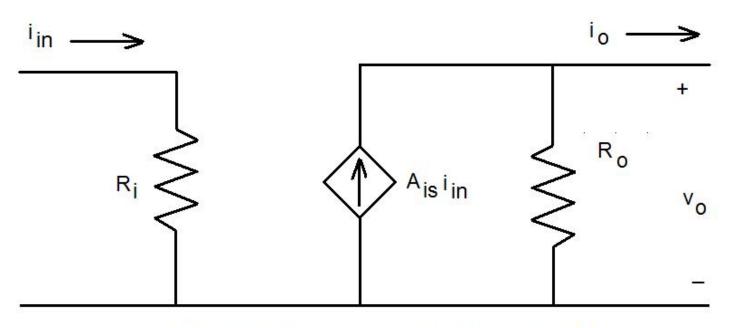
Thevenin equivalent source Norton equivalent source

## **Voltage Amplifier**



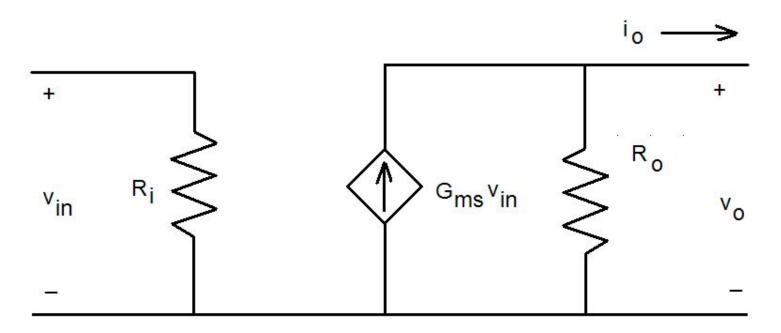
Output voltage proportional to input voltage

## **Current Amplifier**



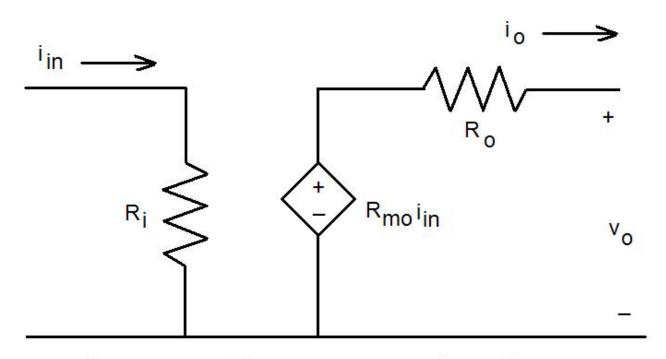
Output current proportional to input current

## **Transconductance Amplifier**



Output current proportional to input voltage

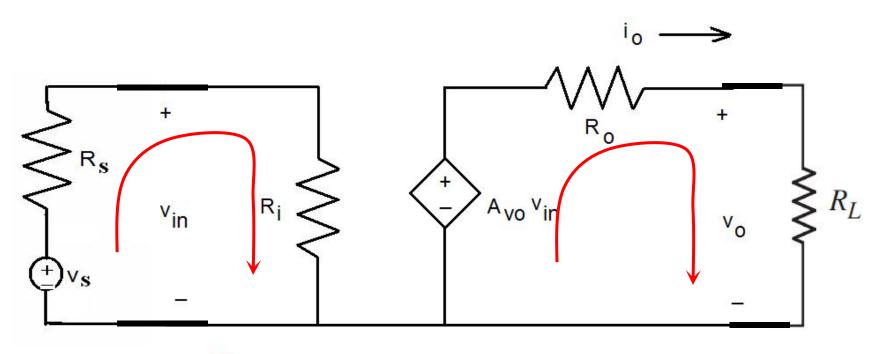
# **Transresistance Amplifier**



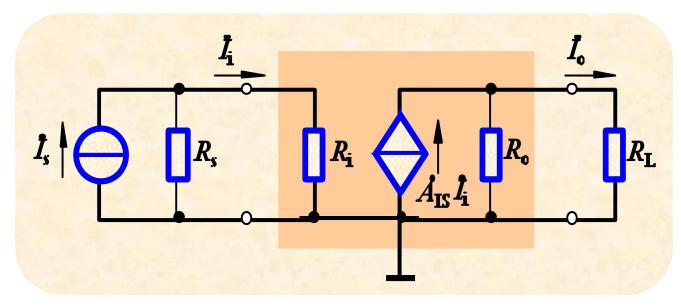
Output voltage proportional to input current

Туре	Equivalent circuit	Gain property
Voltage amplifier	•	Output voltage proportional to input voltage
	$v_{\rm in}$ $R_i$ $A_{vo}v_{\rm in}$	<i>v₀</i>
Current amplifier	· in	Output current proportional to input current
	$R_l \longrightarrow A_{ls}i_{in} \longrightarrow R_o$	<i>v₀</i>
Transconductance amplifier	÷	Output current proportional to input voltage
	$v_{\rm in}$ $R_l$ $G_{ms}v_{\rm in}$ $R_o$	
Transresistance amplifier	R <sub>o</sub> l <sub>o</sub>	Output voltage proportional to input current
	$R_l$ $R_{mo}i_{in}$	$v_o$

# **Voltage Amplifier**



$$v_{
m in} = rac{R_i}{R_i + R_S} \cdot v_s$$
  $v_o = rac{R_L}{R_L + R_o} \cdot A_{vo} v_{
m in}$   $R_i >> R_s$   $R_o << R_L$ 



$$\dot{I}_{i} = \dot{I}_{s} \frac{R_{s}}{R_{s} + R_{i}}$$

Current amplifier

$$R_{\rm i} << R_{\rm s}$$

$$R_{\rm o} >> R_{\rm L}$$

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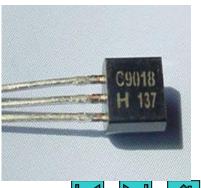
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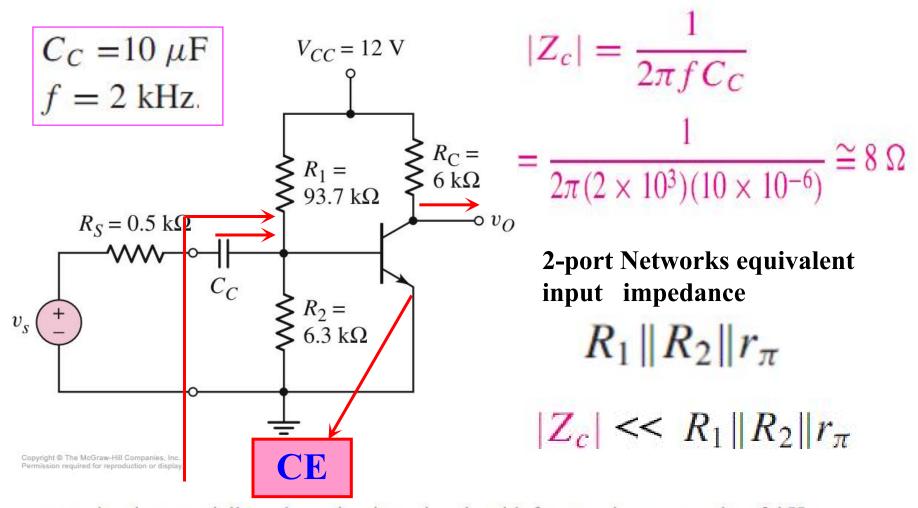
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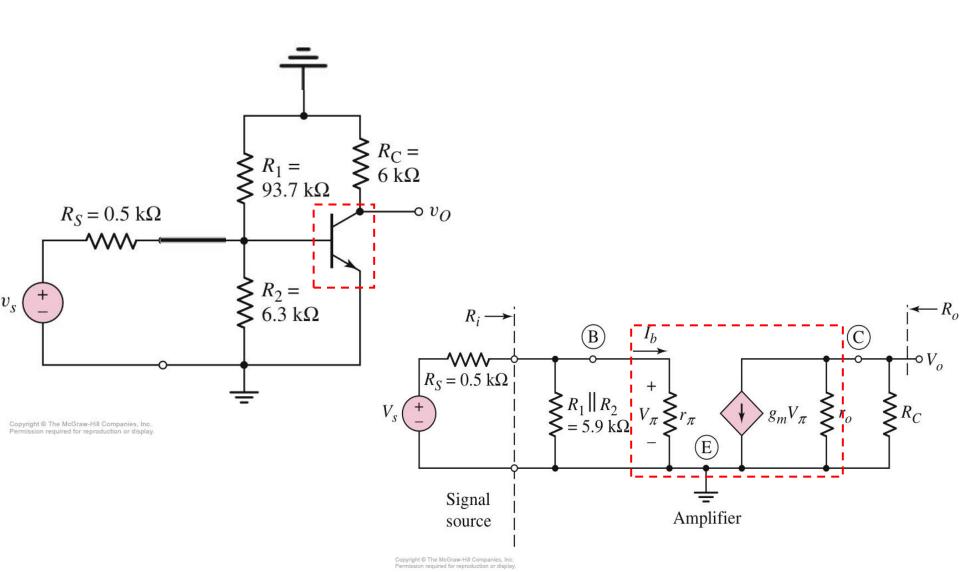


# 6.4.1 Common-Emitter Amplifier Circuit

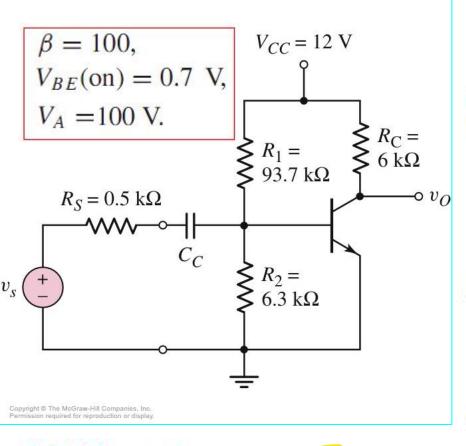


capacitor is essentially a short circuit to signals with frequencies greater than 2 kHz.

# **6.4.1 Common-Emitter Amplifier Circuit**



# 6.4.1 Common-Emitter Amplifier Circuit



$$I_{CQ} = 0.95 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_{CEQ} = 6.31 \text{ V},$$

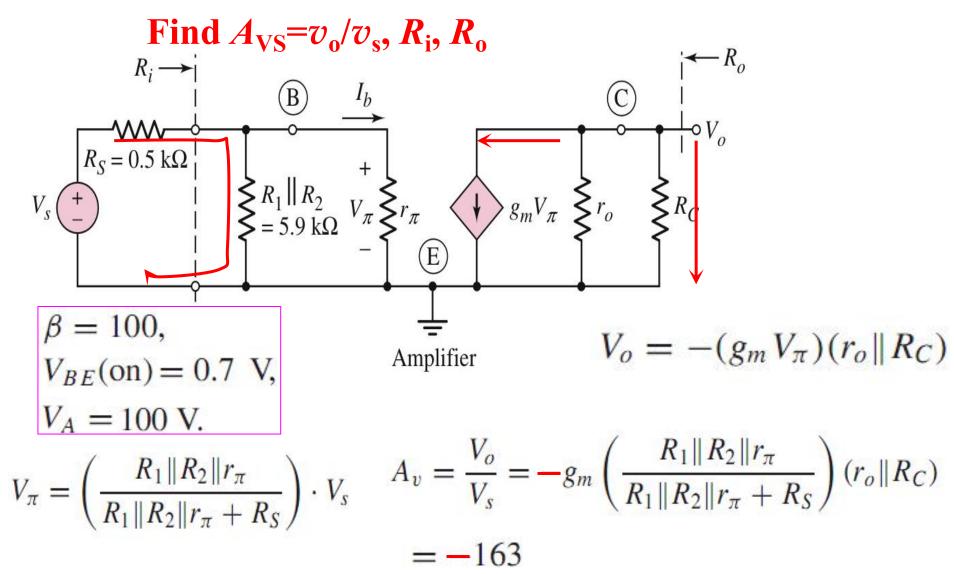
forward-active mode

$$r_{\pi} = \frac{V_T \beta}{I_{CQ}} = \frac{(0.026)(100)}{(0.95)} = 2.74 \,\mathrm{k}\Omega$$

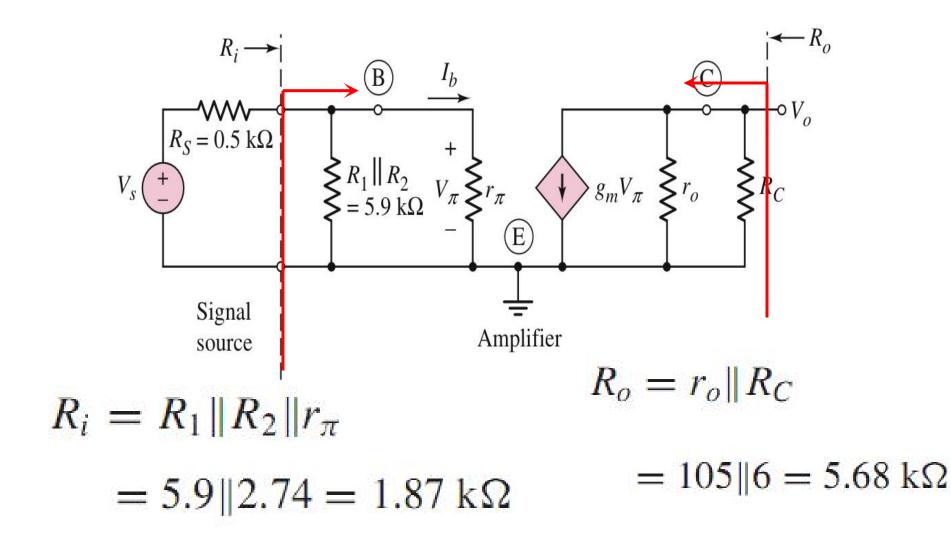
$$g_m = \frac{I_{CQ}}{V_T} = \frac{0.95}{0.026} = 36.5 \,\text{mA/V}$$

DC Solution: 
$$r_o = \frac{V_A}{r_o} = \frac{100}{r_o} = 1$$

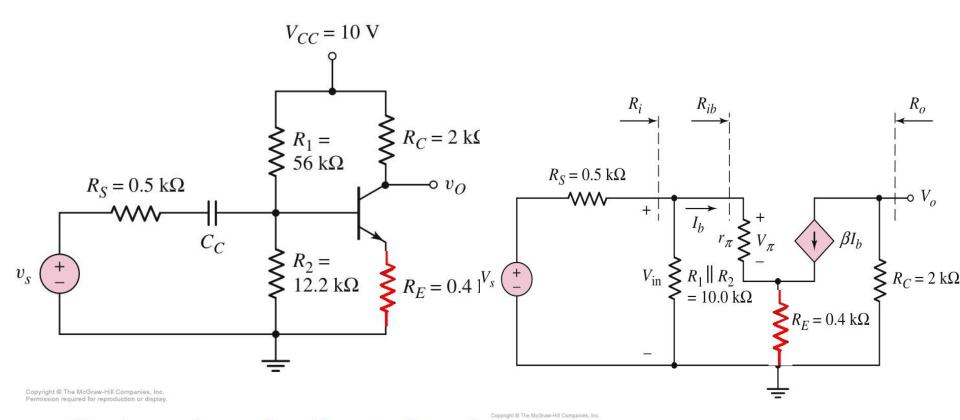
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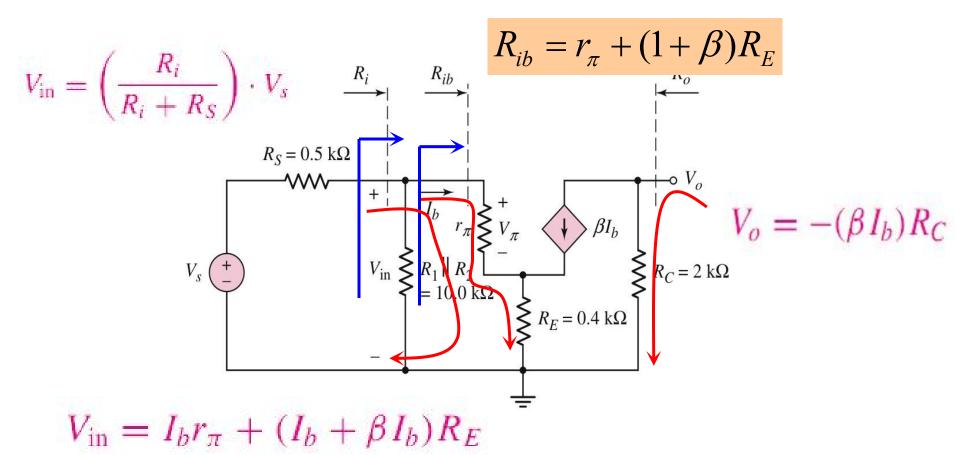
#### 6.4.2 Circuit with Emitter Resistor



small-signal equivalent circuit

$$A_{\rm V}=v_{\rm o}/v_{\rm in}, R_{\rm i}, R_{\rm o}$$
 Become smaller or larger?

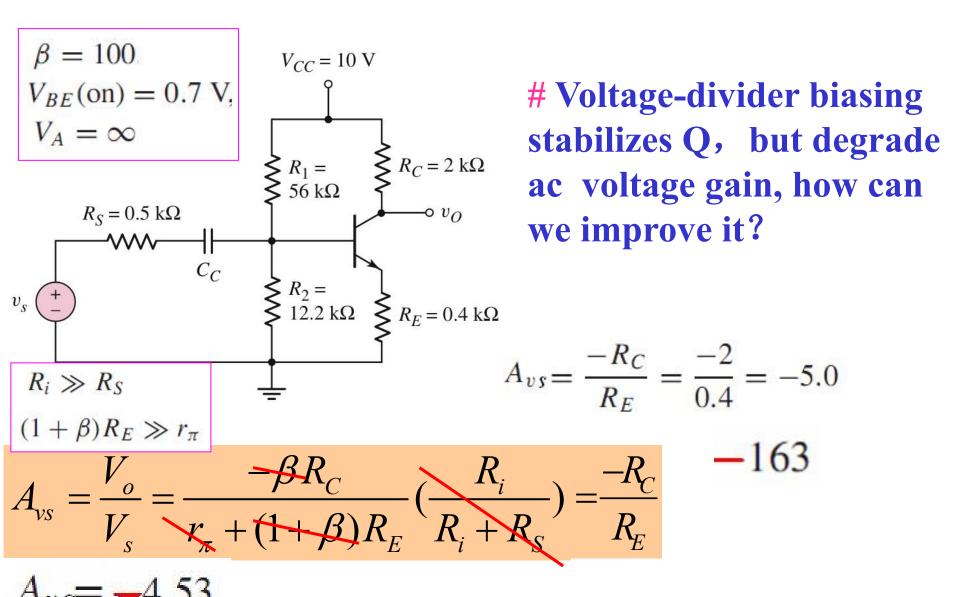
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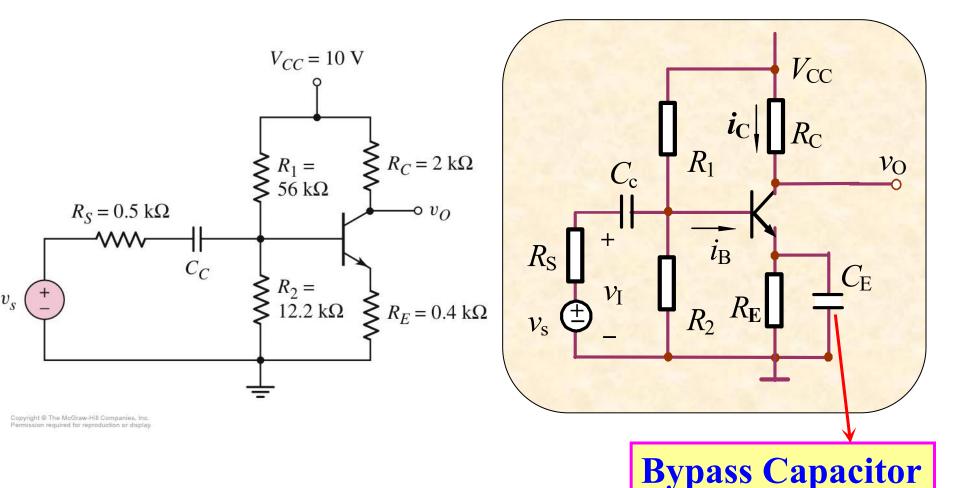
$$R_{i} = R_{1} \| R_{2} \| R_{ib}$$

$$R_{i} = R_{1} \| R_{2} \| R_{ib}$$
 
$$A_{VS} = \frac{V_{o}}{V_{s}} = \frac{-\beta R_{C}}{r_{\pi} + (1 + \beta)R_{E}} (\frac{R_{i}}{R_{i} + R_{S}})$$

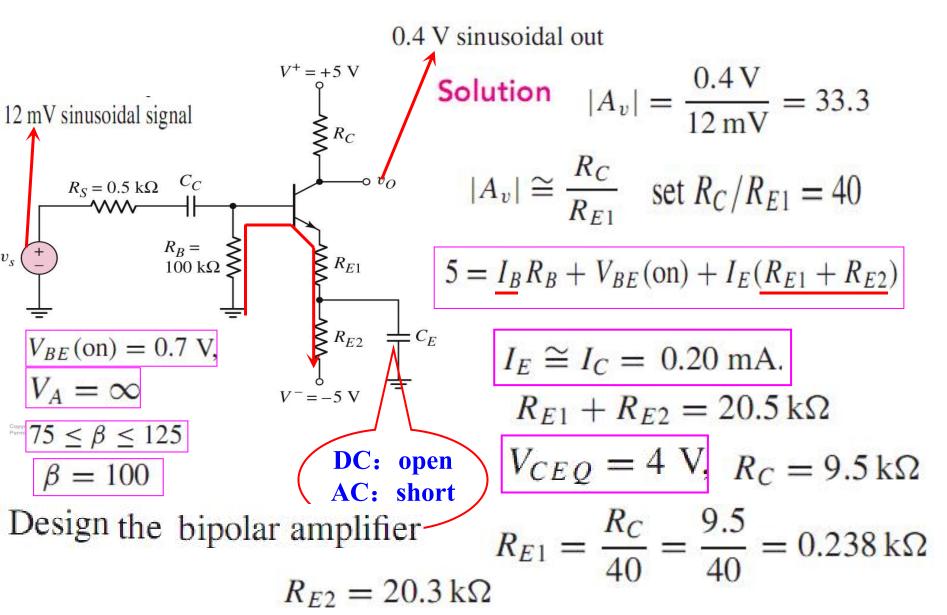
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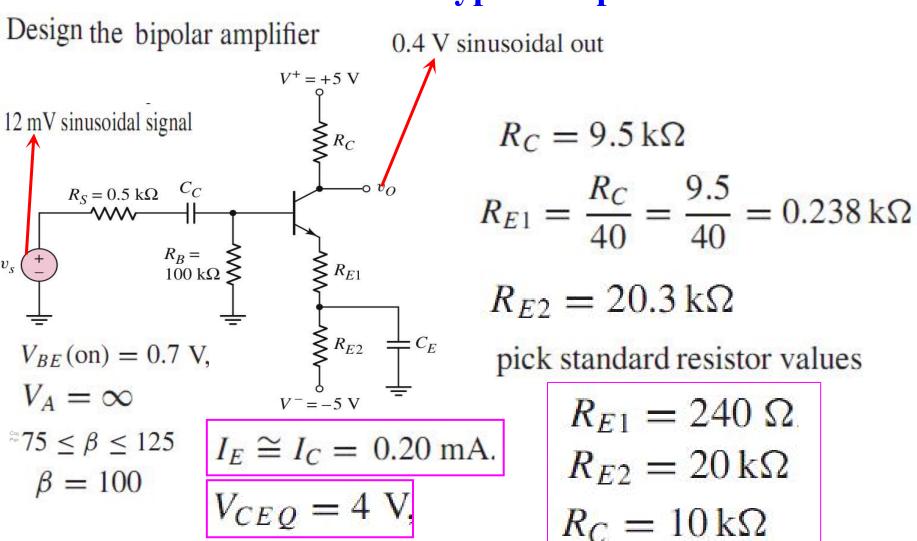
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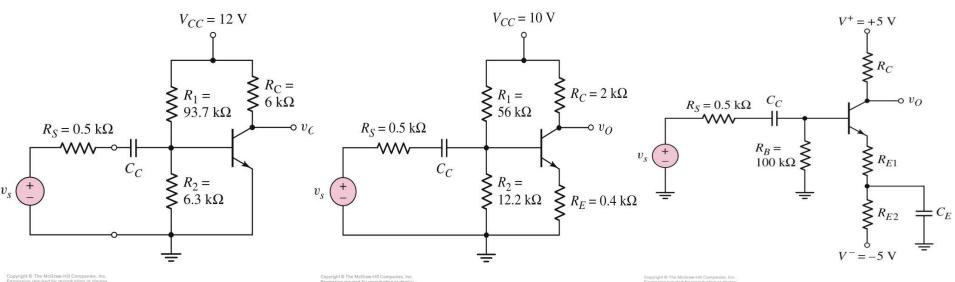


# 6.4.3 Circuit with Emitter Bypass Capacitor



# 6.4.3 Circuit with Emitter Bypass Capacitor





**Small Signal Voltage Gain** 

$$-g_{\rm m}R_{\rm C}//r_o$$

$$= \frac{-\beta \left[ R_C / / r_o \right]}{r_\pi + (1+\beta) R_E}$$

$$a \mid a$$

$$= \frac{-\beta \left[ R_C / / r_o \right]}{r_\pi + (1+\beta) R_{E1}}$$

$$R_1 \| R_2 \| r_\pi$$

Input impedance 
$$R_1 || R_2 || r_{\pi}$$
  $R_1 //R_2 //[r_{\pi} + (1+\beta)R_{\rm E}]$ 

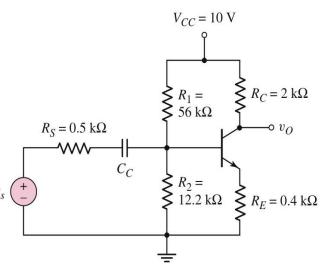
$$R_1 / R_2 / [r_{\pi} + (1+\beta)R_{E1}]$$

**Output** impedance

$$\approx R_c$$

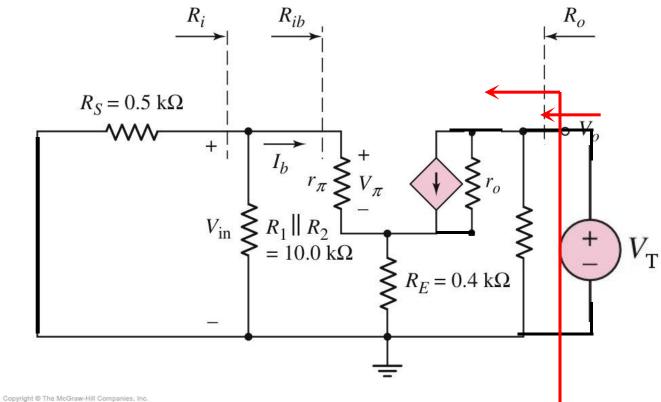
$$\approx R_{\rm c}$$

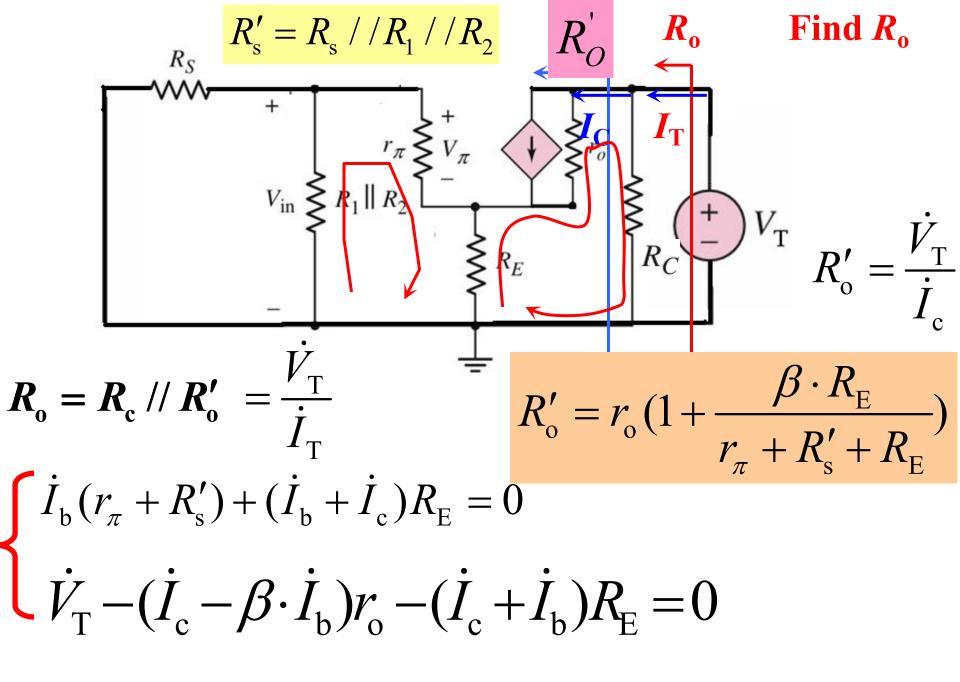
$$\approx R_{\rm c}$$

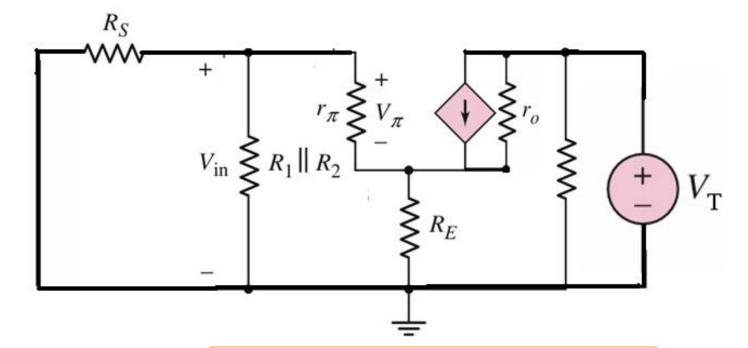


# Find $R_0$

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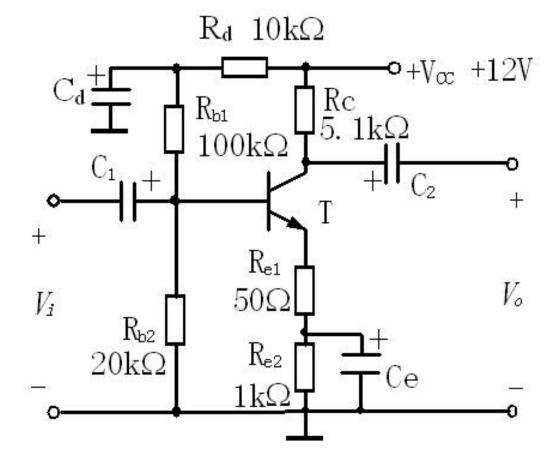
$$R_{\rm o} = R_{\rm c} // R_{\rm o}'$$
  $R_{\rm o}' = r_{\rm o} (1 + \frac{\beta \cdot R_{\rm E}}{r_{\pi} + R_{\rm s}' + R_{\rm E}})$ 

$$R'_{\rm o} >> R_{\rm c}$$
  $R_{\rm o} \approx R_{\rm c}$ 

# Summary of CE amplifier

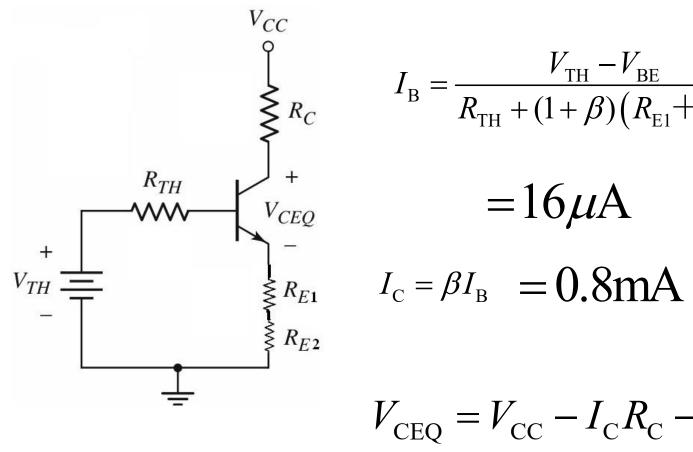
- Large voltage gain  $-g_{\rm m}R_{\rm C}//r_{o}$
- Inverting amplifier
- Large current gain  $I_{\rm C} = \beta I_{\rm B}$
- Input resistance is relatively low.  $R_1 ||R_2|| r_{\pi}$
- Output resistance is relatively high.  $R_0$

$$V_{\rm BE} = 0.7 {
m V}$$



- 1. Calculate  $(I_{\rm B}, I_{\rm C}, V_{\rm CE})$ ;
- 2. Sketch the small signal equivalent circuit;
- 3. Find  $R_i$  and  $R_o$ ;
- 4. Find  $A_v = V_o / V_i$ ;

#### $R_d 10k\Omega$ DC Solution: •+V∞ +12V $\frac{\mathrm{Rc}}{5.1\mathrm{k}\Omega}$ $R_{b1}$ $100 k\Omega$ $R_{TH} = (R_{b1} + R_d) / / R_{b2} = 16.9 \Omega$ $R_{e1}$ $V_{TH} = [R_{b2} / (R_{b1} + R_{b2} + R_d)V_{CC}]$ $50\Omega$ $R_{b2}$ =1.846 $R_{e2}$ $20k\Omega$ $1 \text{k}\Omega$ $R_{TH}$ $V_{CEQ}$ $\sim$ + $V_{TH}$



$$I_{\rm B} = \frac{V_{\rm TH} - V_{\rm BE}}{R_{\rm TH} + (1+\beta)(R_{\rm E1} + R_{\rm E2})}$$

$$=16\mu A$$

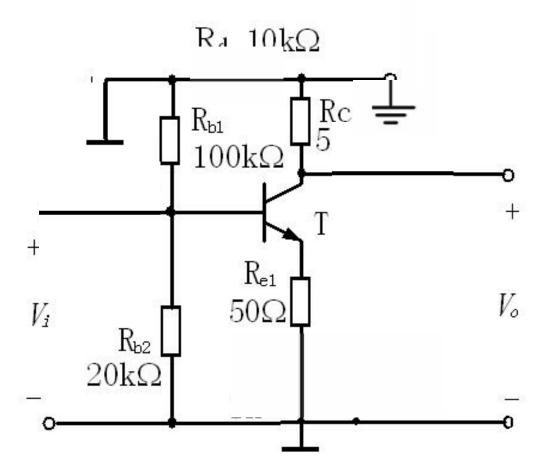
$$I_{\rm C} = \beta I_{\rm B} = 0.8 \text{mA}$$

$$V_{\text{CEQ}} = V_{\text{CC}} - I_{\text{C}} R_{\text{C}} - I_{\text{E}} (R_{\text{E1}} + R_{\text{E2}})$$

$$= V_{\text{CC}} - I_{\text{C}} (R_{\text{C}} + R_{\text{E1}} + R_{\text{E2}})$$

$$= 7.1 \text{V}$$

# **AC CIRCUIT**



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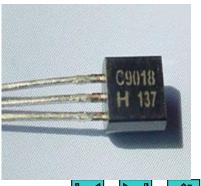
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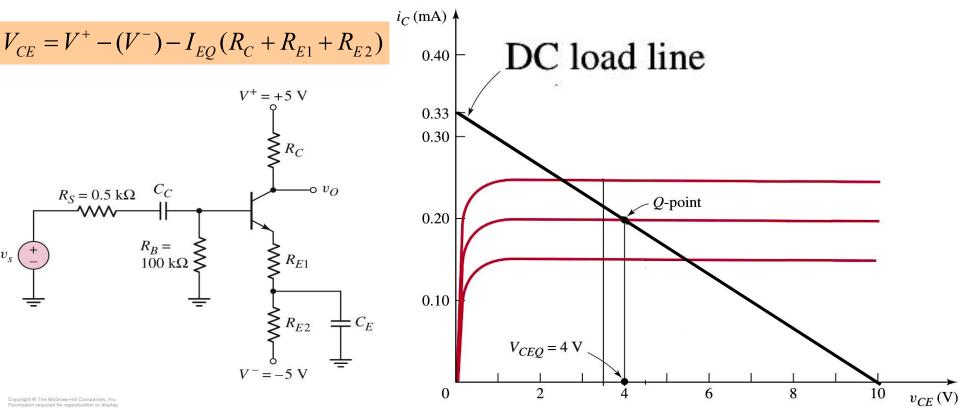




#### 6.5.1 AC load line

slope 
$$\cong \frac{-1}{R_C + R_{E1} + R_{E2}} = \frac{-1}{30.2 \text{ k}\Omega}$$

#### **Review DC load line**



For the same

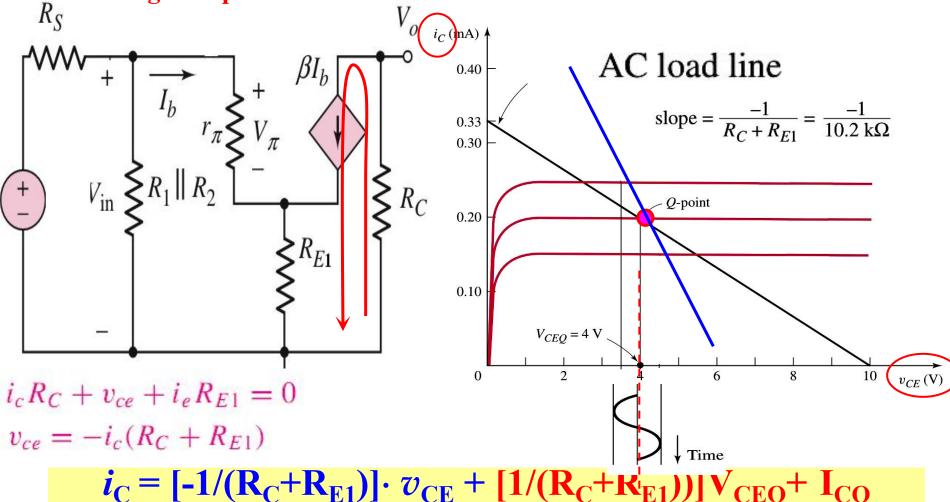
$$V_{CE} = (V^+ - V^-) - I_C \left[ R_C + (R_{E1} + R_{E2}) \right]$$

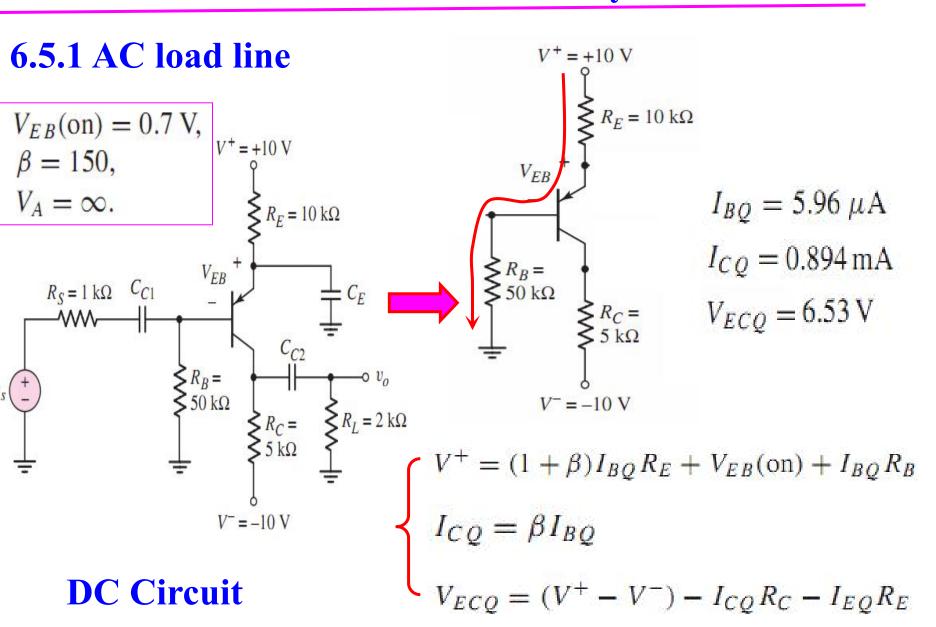
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$$v_{\text{ce}} = v_{\text{CE}} - V_{\text{CEQ}}$$

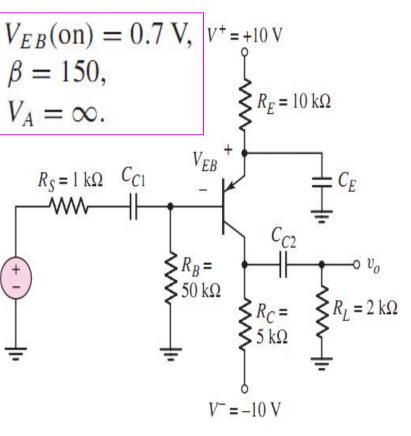
$$i_{\text{c}} = i_{\text{C}} - I_{\text{CQ}}$$
Slope =  $\frac{-1}{R_C + R_{E1}}$ 

The small-signal equivalent circuit

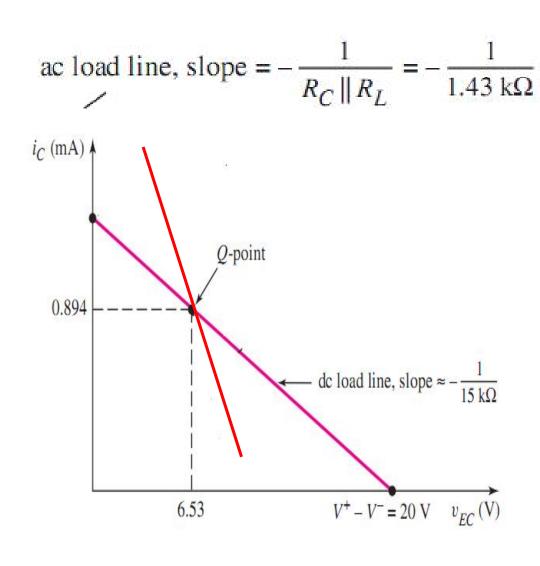




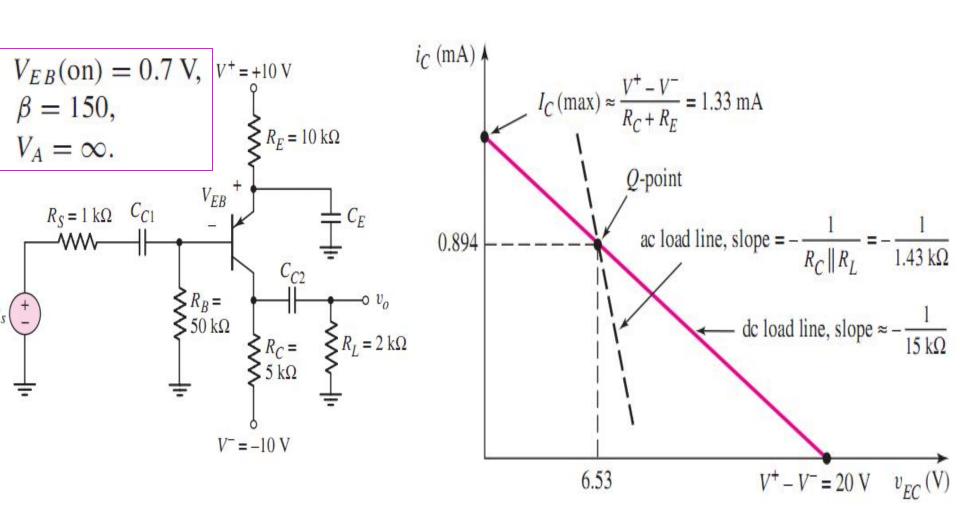
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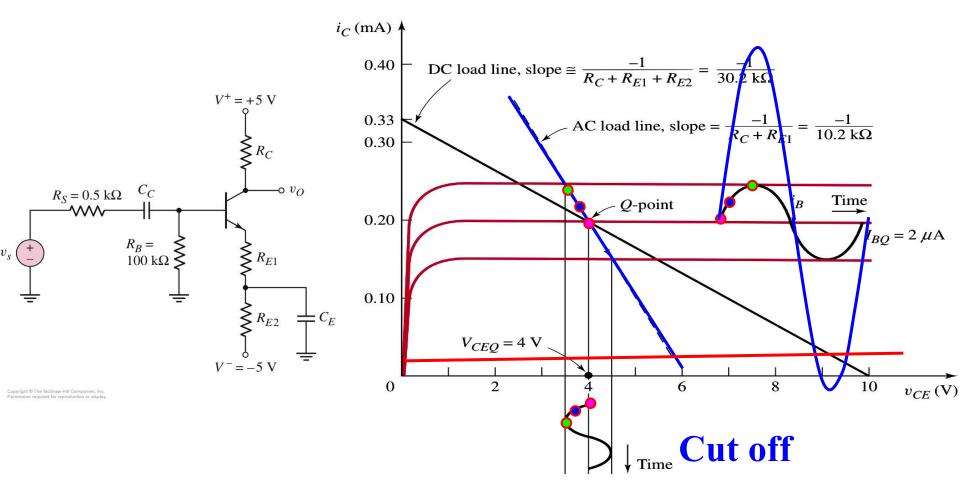
 $I_{BQ} = 5.96 \,\mu\text{A}$   $I_{CQ} = 0.894 \,\text{mA}$  $V_{ECQ} = 6.53 \,\text{V}$ 



#### 6.5.1 AC load line

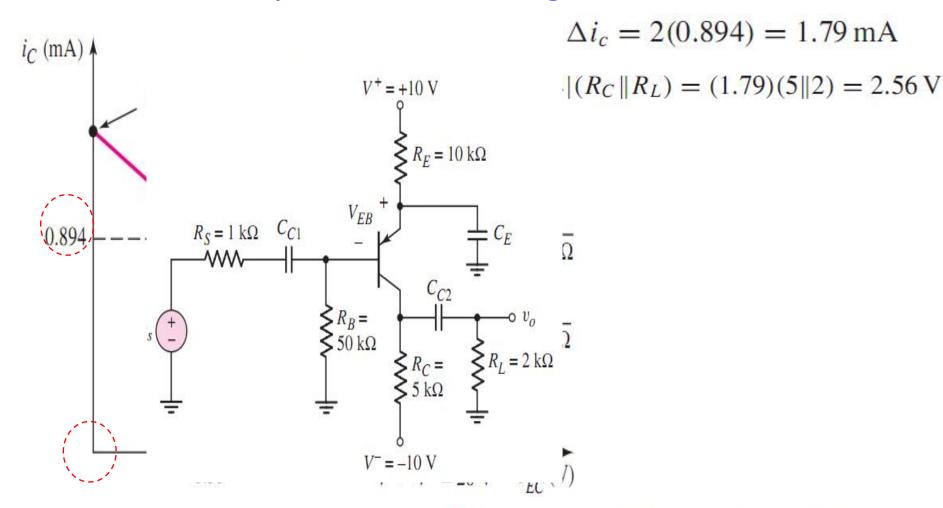


# 6.5.2 Maximum Symmetrical Swing



Maximum Symmetrical Swing

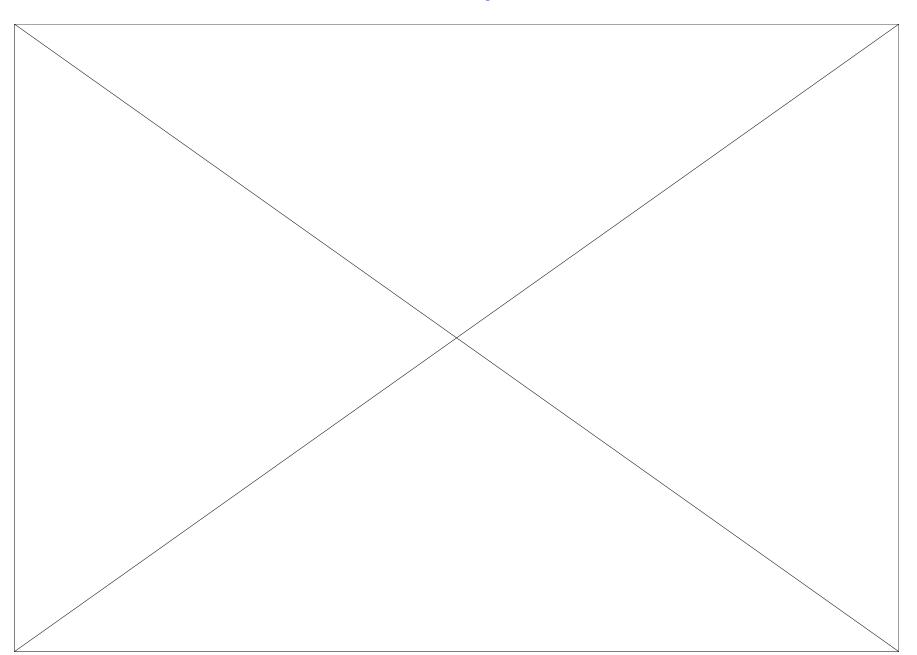
# 6.5.2 Maximum Symmetrical Swing



**Figure 6.46** 

$$i_C = I_{CQ} + \frac{1}{2}|\Delta i_c| = 0.894 + 0.894 = 1.79 \,\text{mA}$$

The max of  $v_o$ 



#### **6.5 AC Load line Analysis**

### 6.5.2 Maximum Symmetrical Swing

Problem-Solving Technique: Maximum Symmetrical Swing

- 1. Write dc load line equation that relates  $I_{CQ}$  and  $V_{CEQ}$ .
- 2. Write ac load line equations that relates  $i_c$  and  $v_{ce}$
- 3. In general,  $i_c = I_{CQ} I_{C}(min)$ , where  $I_{C}(min)$  is zero or other minimum collector current.
- 4. In general,  $v_{ce} = V_{CEQ} V_{CE}(min)$ , where  $V_{CE}(min)$  is some specified minimum collector-emitter voltage.
- 5. Combine above 4 equations to find optimum  $I_{CQ}$  and  $V_{CEQ}$ .

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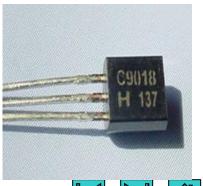
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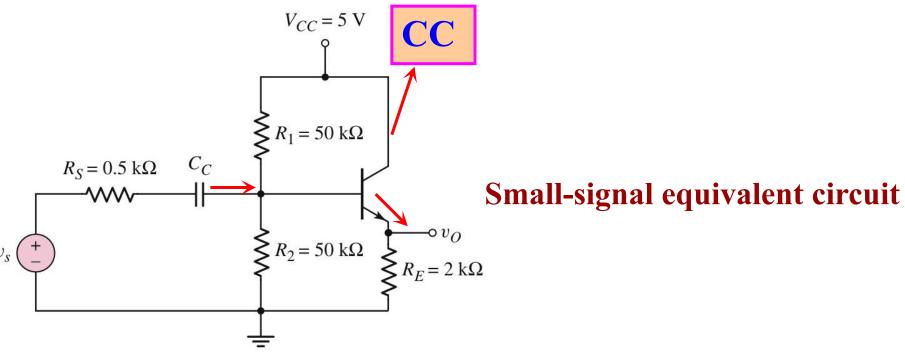
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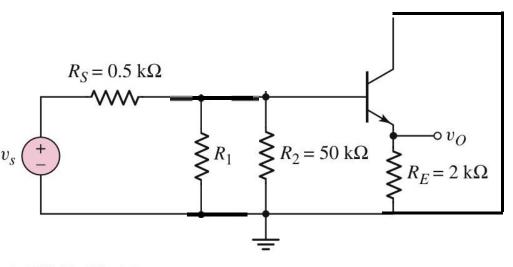
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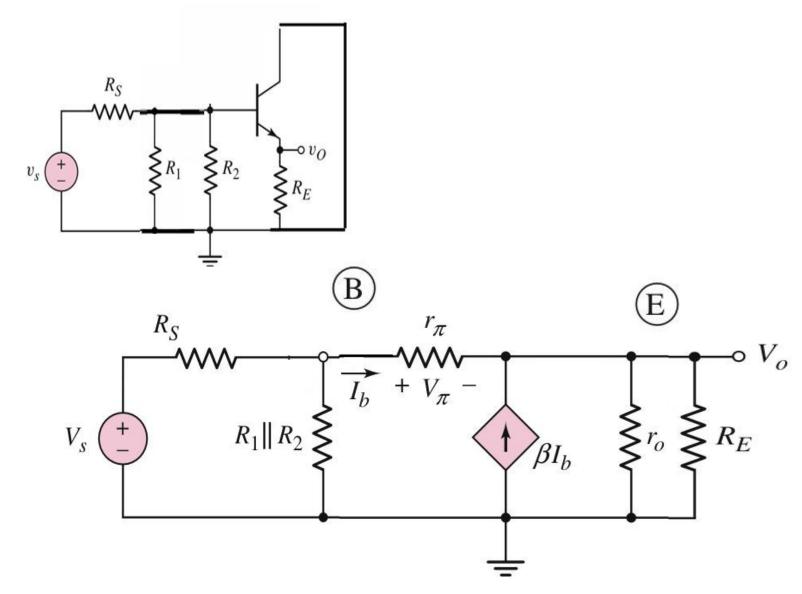
Emitter–Follower

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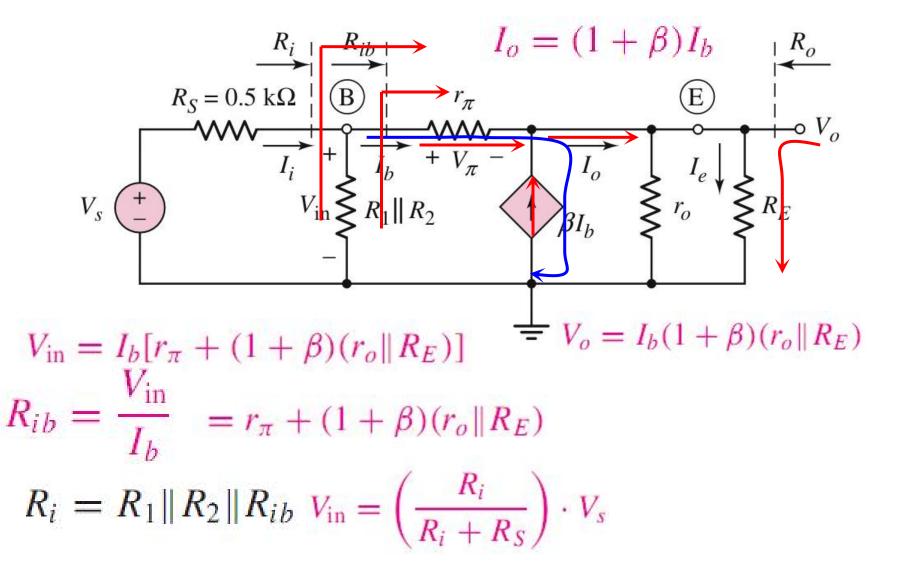


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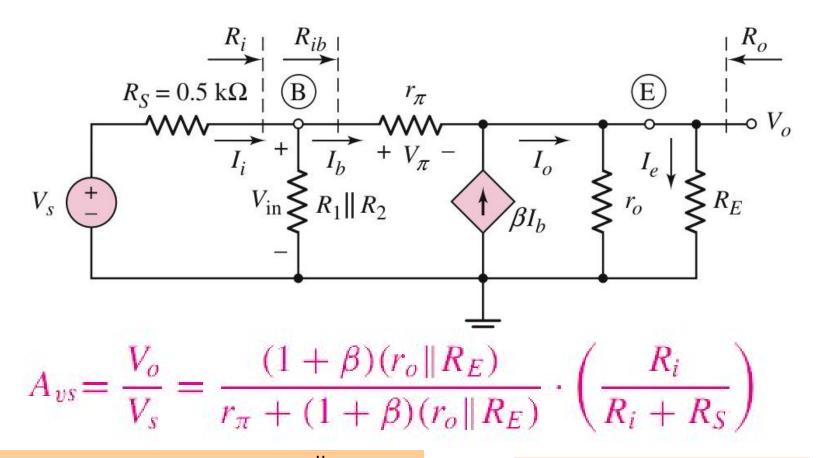
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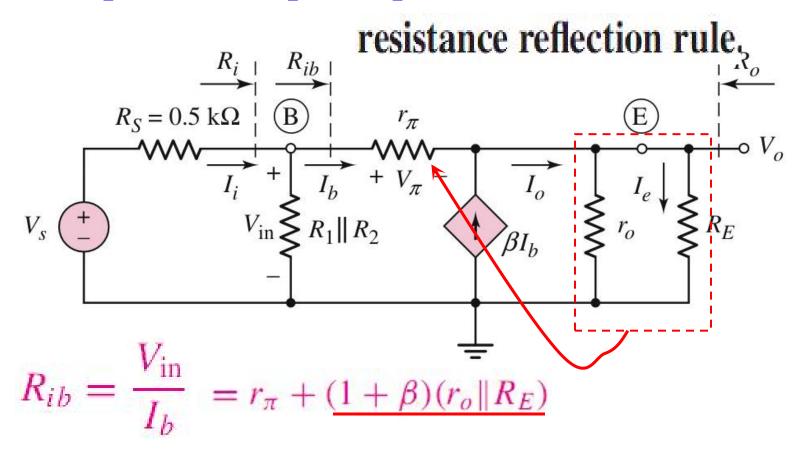
$$A_{v} = \frac{V_{O}}{V_{i}} = \frac{(1+\beta)(r_{o} \| R_{E})}{r_{\pi} + (1+\beta)(r_{o} \| R_{E})} < 1$$

$$(1+\beta)(r_{o} \| R_{E}) \gg r_{\pi}$$

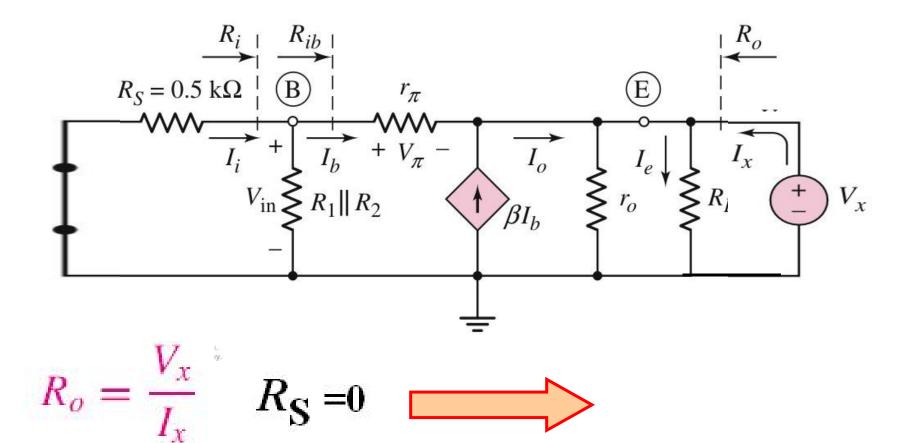
$$A_{v} = 1$$
Follower

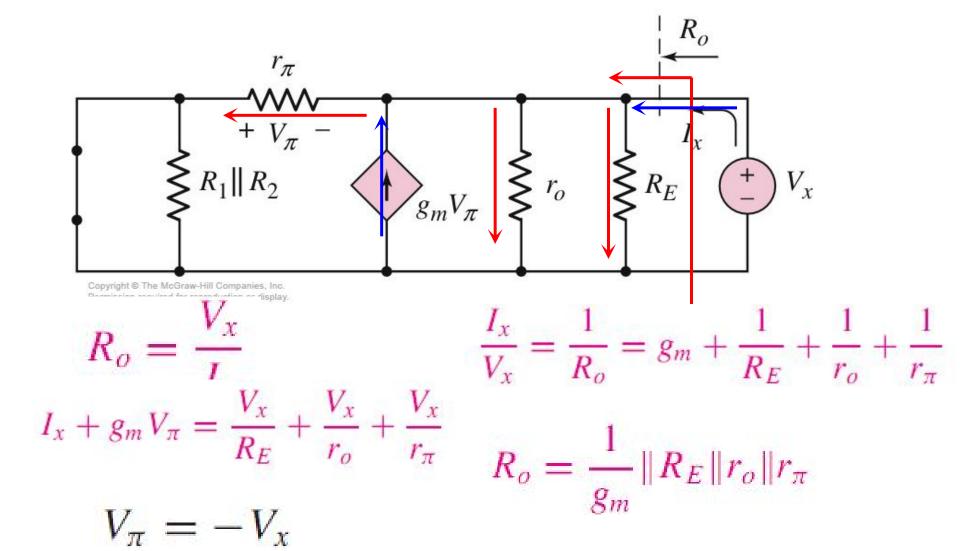
$$(1+\beta)(r_o \| R_E) \gg r_{\pi}$$

$$A_{\nu} = 1 \quad \text{Follower}$$

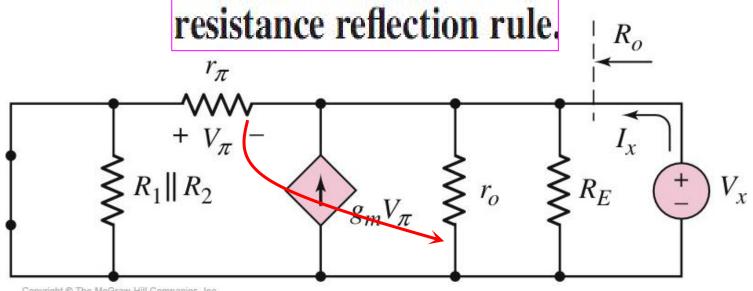


$$R_i = R_1 || R_2 || R_{ib}$$





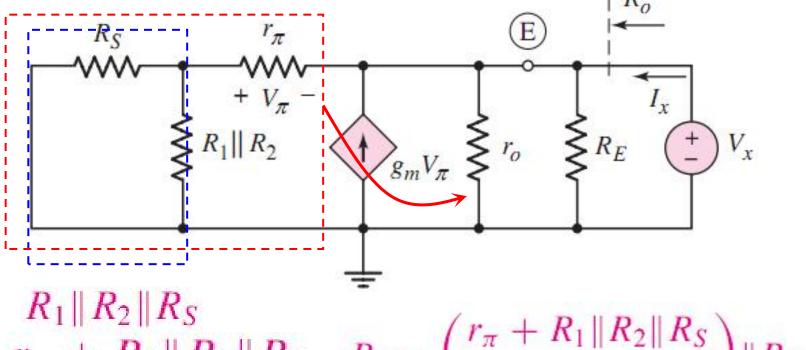
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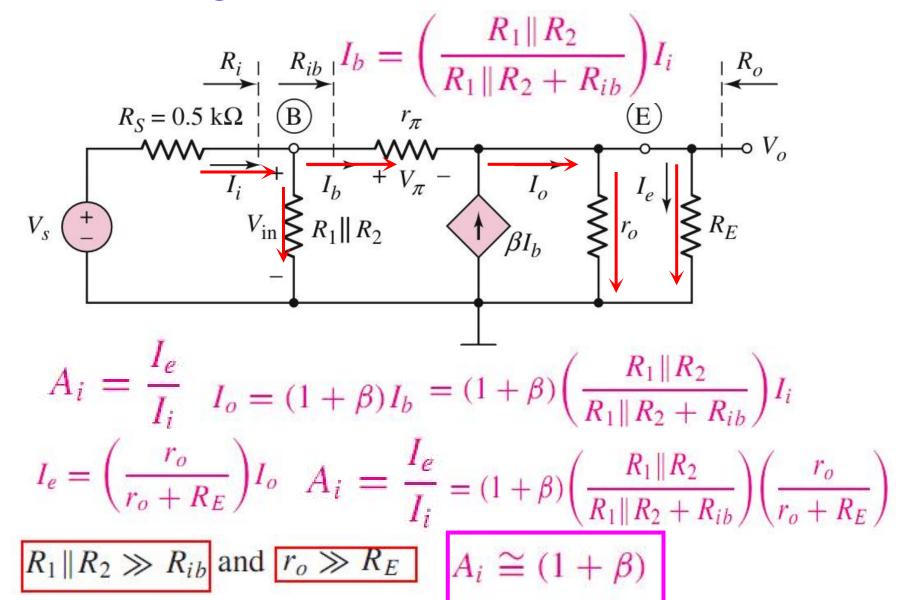
$$R_o = \frac{1}{g_m} \|R_E\| r_o \|r_\pi$$
 
$$R_o = \frac{r_\pi}{1+\beta} \|R_E\| r_o$$
 
$$\frac{1}{R_o} = \left(g_m + \frac{1}{r_\pi}\right) + \frac{1}{R_E} + \frac{1}{r_o} = \left(\frac{1+\beta}{r_\pi}\right) + \frac{1}{R_E} + \frac{1}{r_o}$$

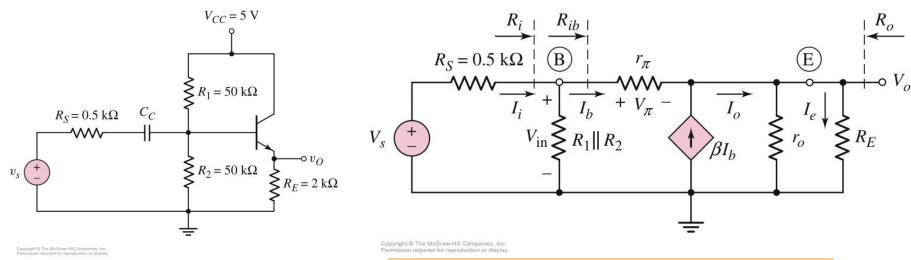




$$r_{\pi} + R_1 \| R_2 \| R_S$$
  $R_o = \left(\frac{r_{\pi} + R_1 \| R_2 \| R_S}{1 + \beta}\right) \| R_E \| r_o$ 

#### 6.6.3 Small Signal Current Gain





### Small signal voltage gain

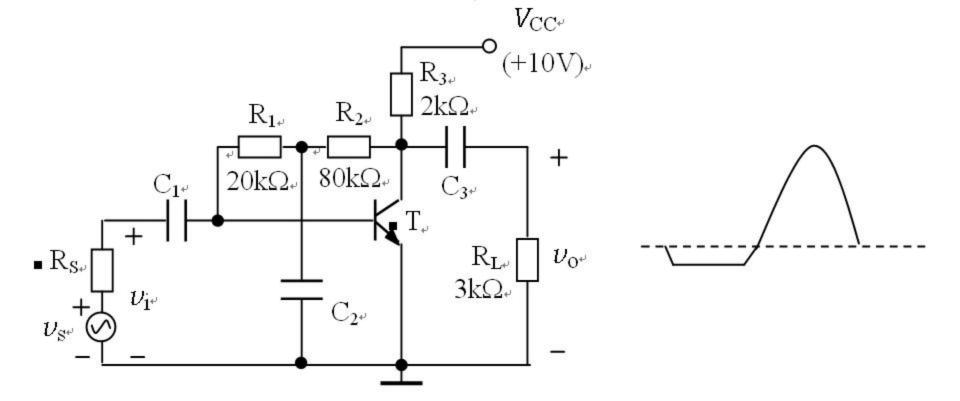
$$A_{v} = \frac{V_{O}}{V_{i}} = \frac{(1+\beta)(r_{o} \| R_{E})}{r_{\pi} + (1+\beta)(r_{o} \| R_{E})}$$

#### **Input impedance**

$$R_i = R_1 || R_2 || [r_{\pi} + (1+\beta)(r_o || R_E)]$$

**Output impedance** 

$$R_o = \left(\frac{r_{\pi} + R_1 || R_2 || R_S}{1 + \beta}\right) || R_E || r_o$$



- 1. Calculate  $(I_{\rm B}, I_{\rm C}, V_{\rm CE})$ ;
- 2. Sketch the small signal equivalent circuit;
- 3. Find  $R_i$  and  $R_o$ ;
- 4. Find  $A_v = V_0 / V_i$ ;
- 5.  $R_{\rm S}=200\Omega$ , Find  $A_{\rm vs}=V_{\rm o}/V_{\rm s}$ ;
- 6. The output voltage is shown as figure, which distortion?



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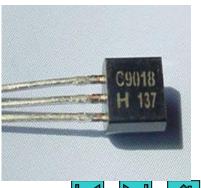
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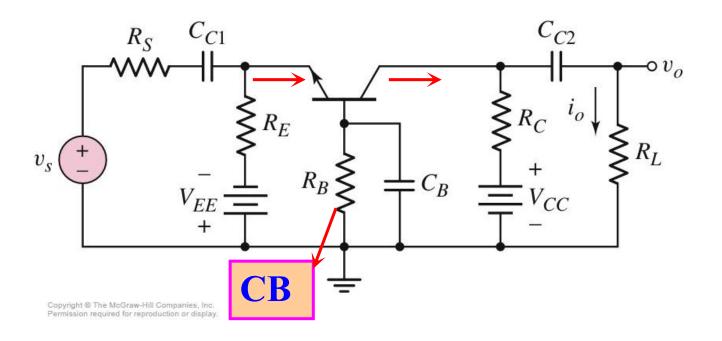
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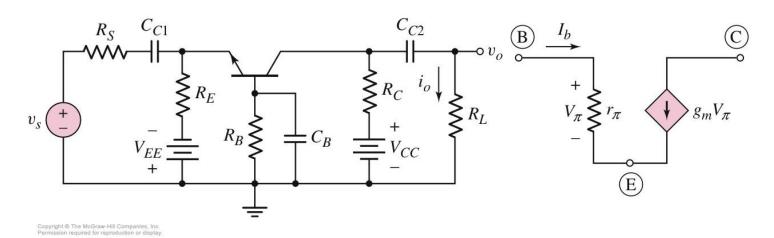




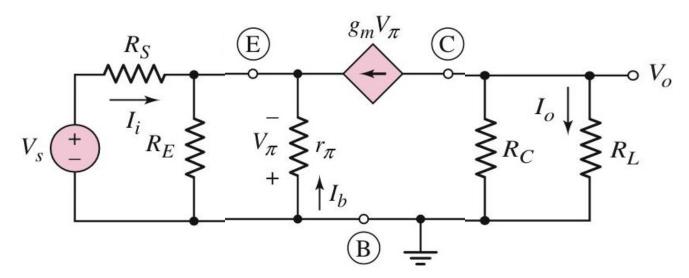




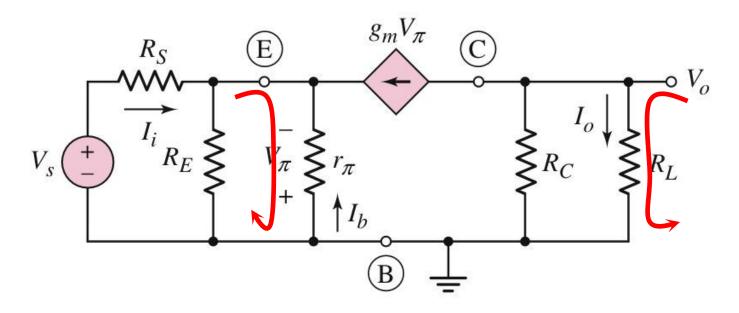
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#### Small-signal equivalent circuit



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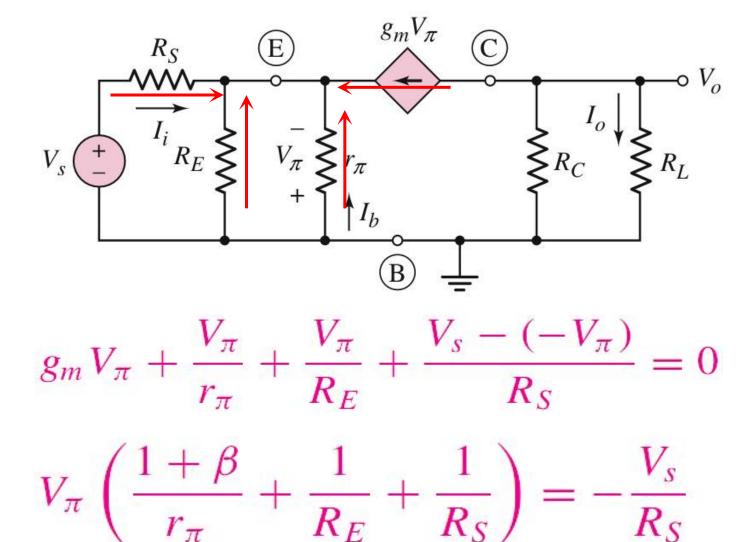
Input loop 
$$V_{\rm in} = -I_{\rm b} r_{\rm m}$$

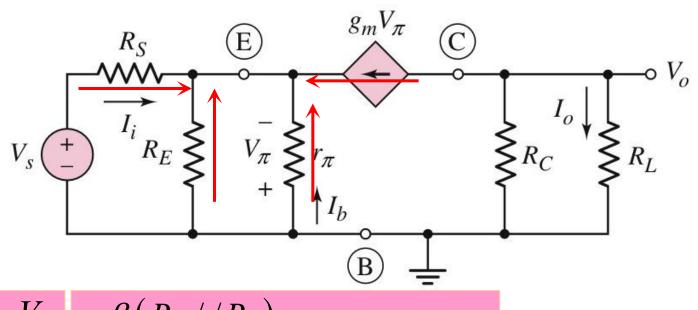
Output loop 
$$V_o = -I_c R'_L = -\beta I_b R'_L$$
  $R'_L = R_c // R_L$ 

Voltage gain

$$A_{v} = \frac{V_{o}}{V_{in}} = \frac{-\beta I_{b} R'_{L}}{-I_{b} r_{\pi}} = \frac{\beta R'_{L}}{r_{\pi}} \quad A_{vs} = \frac{V_{o}}{V_{s}} = ?$$

$$A_{\rm vs} = \frac{V_{\rm o}}{V_{\rm S}} = ?$$

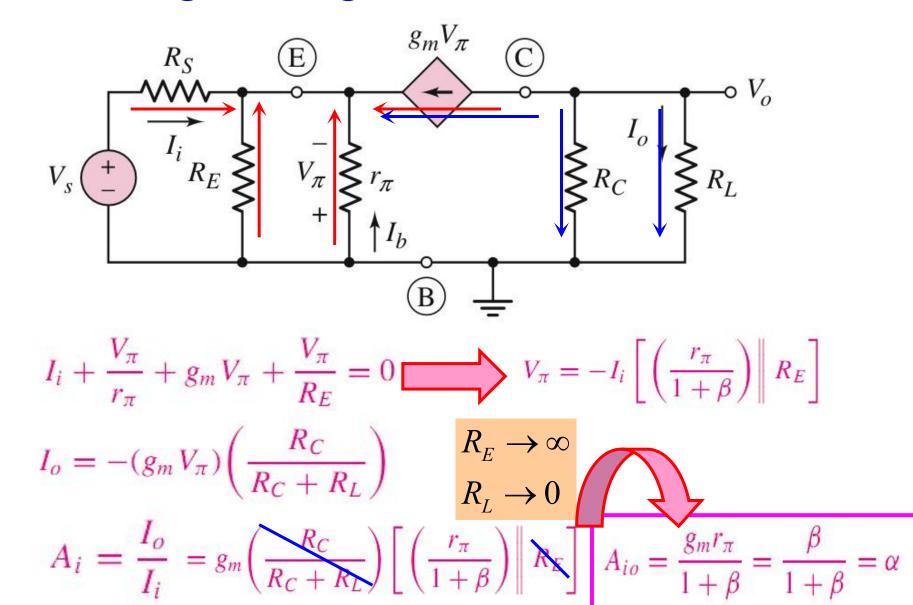


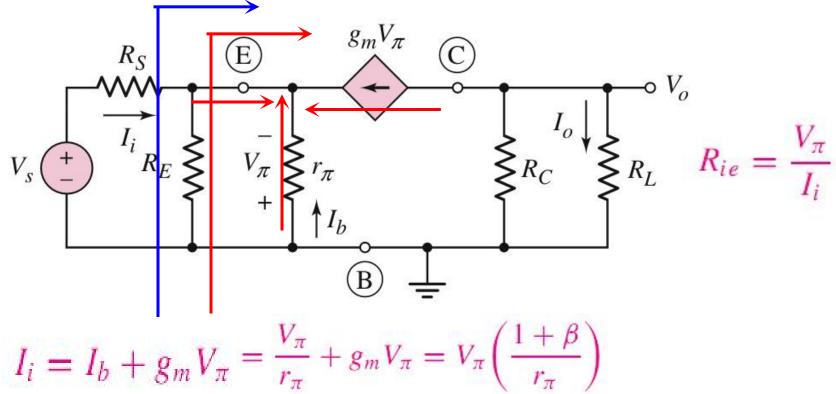


$$A_{v} = \frac{V_{o}}{V_{in}} = \frac{\beta(R_{C} / / R_{L})}{r_{\pi}} = g_{m}(R_{C} / / R_{L})$$

$$V_{\pi} = -\frac{V_{S}}{R_{S}} \left[ \left( \frac{r_{\pi}}{1+\beta} \right) \middle\| R_{E} \middle\| R_{S} \right]$$

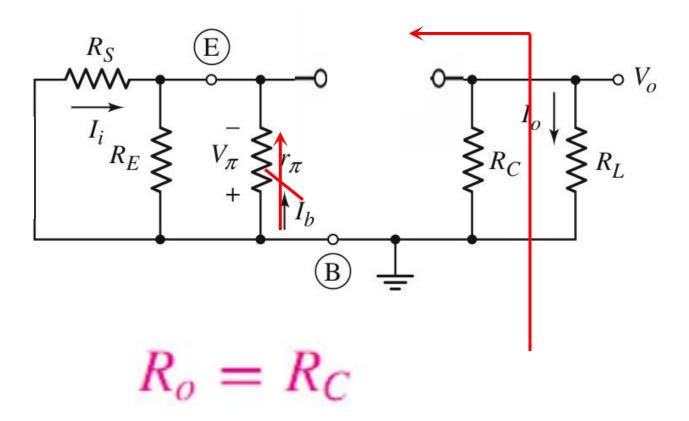
$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_s} = +g_m \left( \frac{R_C \| R_L}{\langle R_S \rangle} \right) \left[ \left( \frac{r_\pi}{1+\beta} \right) \| R_E \| R_S \right]$$

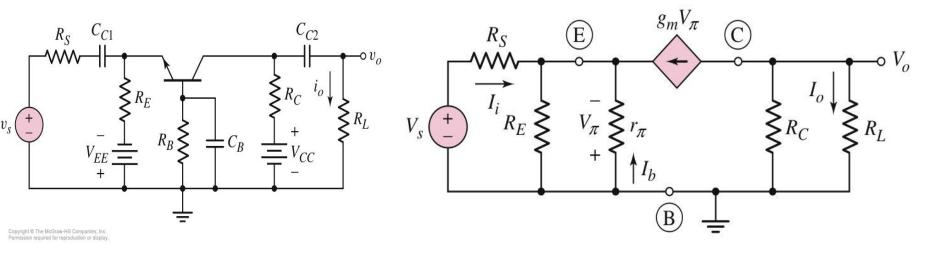




$$I_i = I_b + g_m V_{\pi} = \frac{V_{\pi}}{r_{\pi}} + g_m V_{\pi} = V_{\pi} \left(\frac{1+\beta}{r_{\pi}}\right)$$

$$R_{ie} = \frac{V_{\pi}}{I_i} = \frac{r_{\pi}}{1+\beta} \equiv r_e R_E / R_{ie} = R_E / \frac{r_{\pi}}{1+\beta}$$





### **Small Signal Voltage Gain**

$$A_{v} = \frac{V_{o}}{V_{\pi}} = \frac{\beta R_{L}'}{r_{\pi}}$$

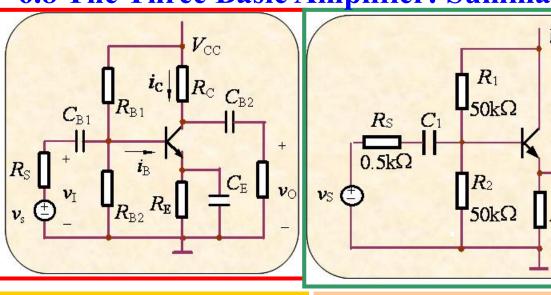
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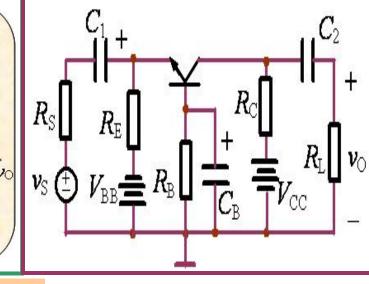
$$R_{i} = R_{E} / / R_{ie} = R_{E} / / \frac{r_{\pi}}{1 + \beta}$$

**Output impedance** 

$$R_o = R_C$$

#### 6.8 The Three Basic Amplifier: Summary and Comparison





$$A_{V} = -\frac{\beta \cdot (R_{C}//R_{L})}{r_{\pi}}$$

$$\frac{(1+\beta)(R_{\rm E}//r_{\rm o})}{r_{\pi}+(1+\beta)(R_{\rm E}//r_{\rm o})}$$

$$\frac{\beta \cdot (R_{\rm C}//R_{\rm L})}{r_{\pi}}$$

$$R_{\rm i} = R_{\rm B1} / / R_{\rm B2} / / r_{\pi}$$

$$R_{1}/R_{2}/[r_{\pi}+(1+\beta)(R_{E}/r_{o})]$$
Large

$$\frac{R_E / / \frac{r_{\pi}}{1 + \beta}}{\mathbf{Small}}$$

$$R_{\rm o} \approx R_{\rm C}$$

$$R_{\rm E}$$
 //  $\frac{R_{\rm S}' + r_{\pi}}{1 + eta}$ 

$$R_{\rm o} \approx R_{\rm C}$$

#### 6.8 The Three Basic Amplifier: Summary and Comparison

### Summary of Single Stage BJT Amplifiers

	C-E (R <sub>E</sub> =0)	Emitter Degenerated C-E	C-C	С-В
Terminal Voltage Gain	Inverting & large	Inverting & moderate	1	Non-inverting & Large
Terminal Current Gain	Inverting & large	Inverting & large	Non- inverting & Large	1
Input Resistance	Moderate	Large	Large	Low
Output Resistance	Moderate	Moderate	Low	Moderate

1. The basic BJT amplifiers has:

- $(A) \cdot CE$   $(B) \cdot CC$   $(C) \cdot CB$
- 1) which has the lest input resistance ( C )
- 2) which has the lest output resistance (B)
- 3) which can amplify the ac voltage (AC)
- 4) which can amplify the ac current (AB)
- 5) the input and the output has the same phase is  $(B_{\bullet})C$
- 6) the input and the output has the opposite phase is (A)

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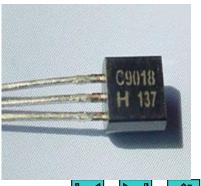
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#### **6.9 Multistage Amplifiers**

#### (1) The Reason of Using Multistage Circuit

A single transistor amplifier will not be able to meet the combined specifications of a given amplification factor, input resistance, and output resistance.

#### (2) Cascade Configuration

3 circuits are connected in series, or cascaded. Each circuit can be CE, CC, or CB configuration

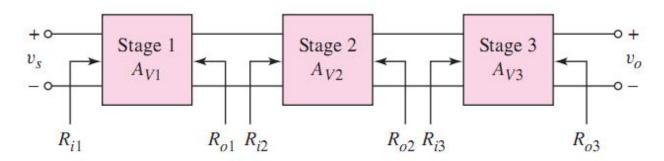


Figure 6.68 A generalized three-stage amplifier

#### **6.9 Multistage Amplifiers**

#### (3) Loading effect

E.g.  $R_{i2}$  is the load of stage 1.

$$R_{i2} = R_{L1} \qquad R_{o1} = R_{S2}$$

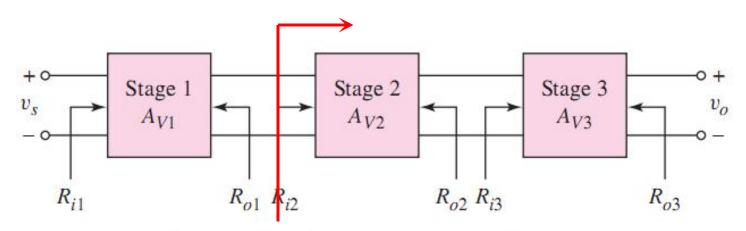
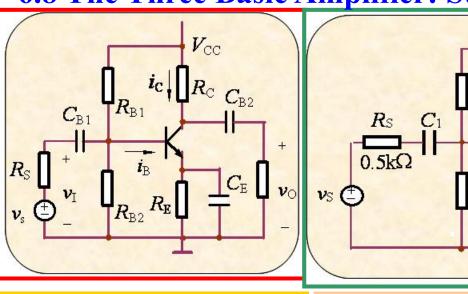
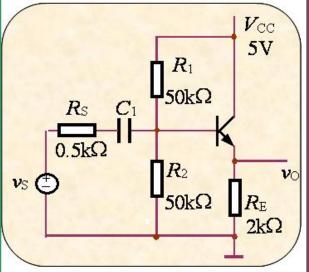
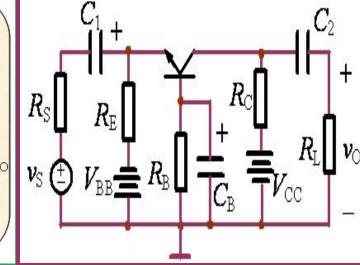


Figure 6.68 A generalized three-stage amplifier

#### 6.8 The Three Basic Amplifier: Summary and Comparison







$$A_{V} = -\frac{\beta \cdot (R_{C}//R_{L})}{r_{\pi}}$$

$$\frac{(1+\beta)(R_{\rm E}//r_{\rm o})}{r_{\rm \pi}+(1+\beta)(R_{\rm E}//r_{\rm o})}$$

$$\frac{\beta \cdot (R_{\rm C} / / R_{\rm L})}{r_{\pi}}$$

$$R_{\rm i} = R_{\rm B1} / / R_{\rm B2} / / r_{\pi}$$

$$R_{1}/R_{2}/[r_{\pi}+(1+\beta)(R_{\rm E}//r_{\rm o})]$$
 Large

$$\frac{R_E / / \frac{r_{\pi}}{1 + \beta}}{\mathbf{Small}}$$

$$R_{\rm o} \approx R_{\rm C}$$

$$R_{\rm E}$$
 //  $\frac{R_{\rm S}' + r_{\pi}}{1 + \beta}$ 

$$R_{\rm o} \approx R_{\rm C}$$

#### 6.9 Multistage Amplifiers

#### 6.9.1 Multistage Analysis: Cascade Configuration

$$A_{V1S} = \frac{V_{O1}}{V_S} = -g_{m1}(R_C / / R_{L1}) \frac{R_i}{R_i + R_S}$$

$$= -g_{m1}(R_{C1} / / R_{L2}) \frac{R_i}{R_i + R_S}$$

$$= -g_{m1}(R_{C1} / / r_{\pi 2}) \frac{R_i}{R_i + R_S}$$

$$= -g_{m1}(R_{C1} / / r_{\pi 2}) \frac{R_i}{R_i + R_S}$$

$$= R_{C1} = 5 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_{E2} = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$$

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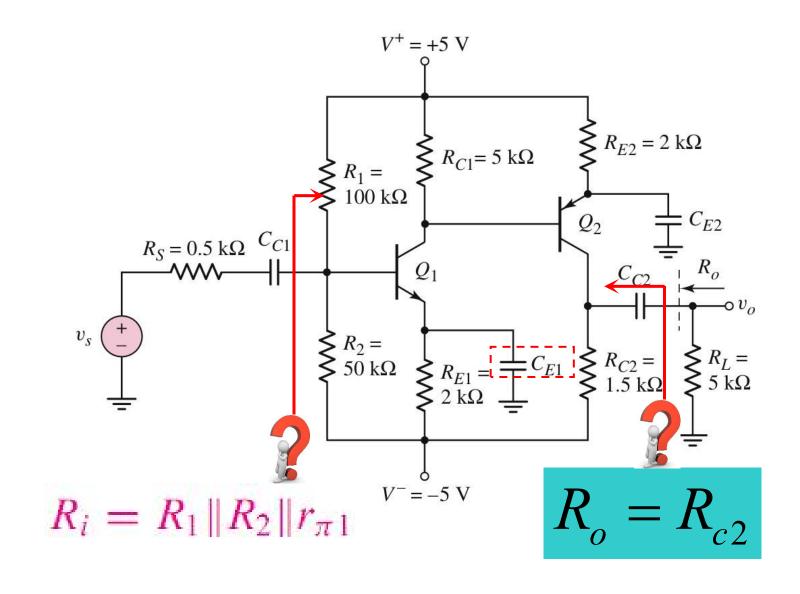
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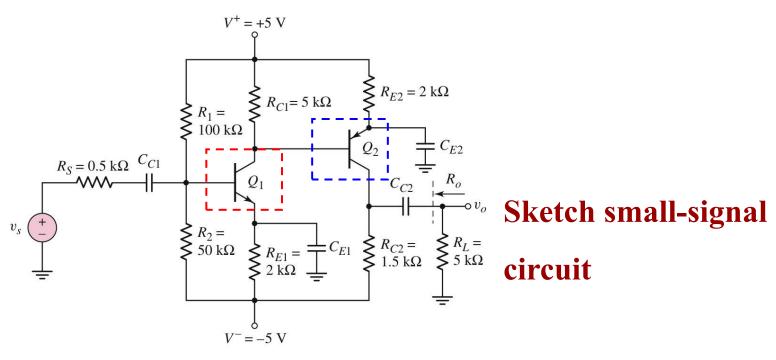
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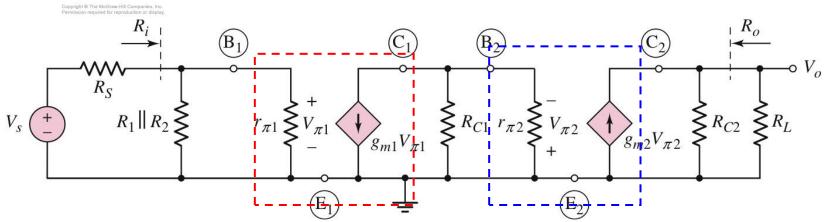
$$R_{E3} = C_{E3} \times R_{E$$

#### 6.9.1 Multistage Analysis: Cascade Configuration

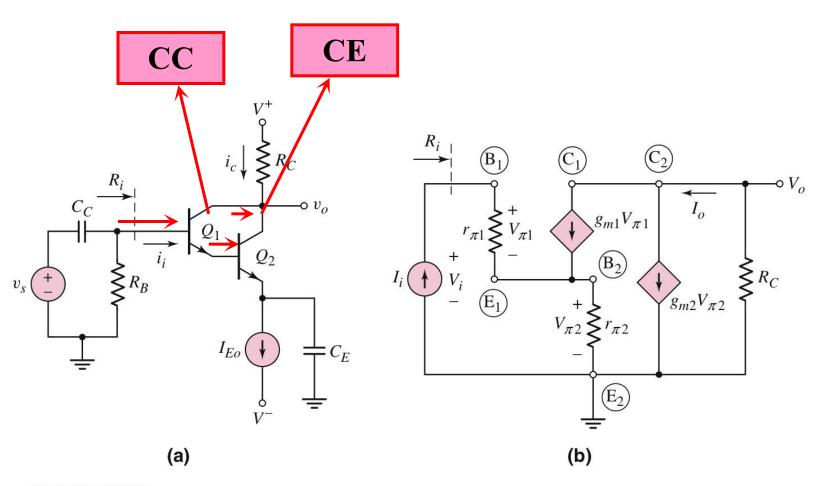


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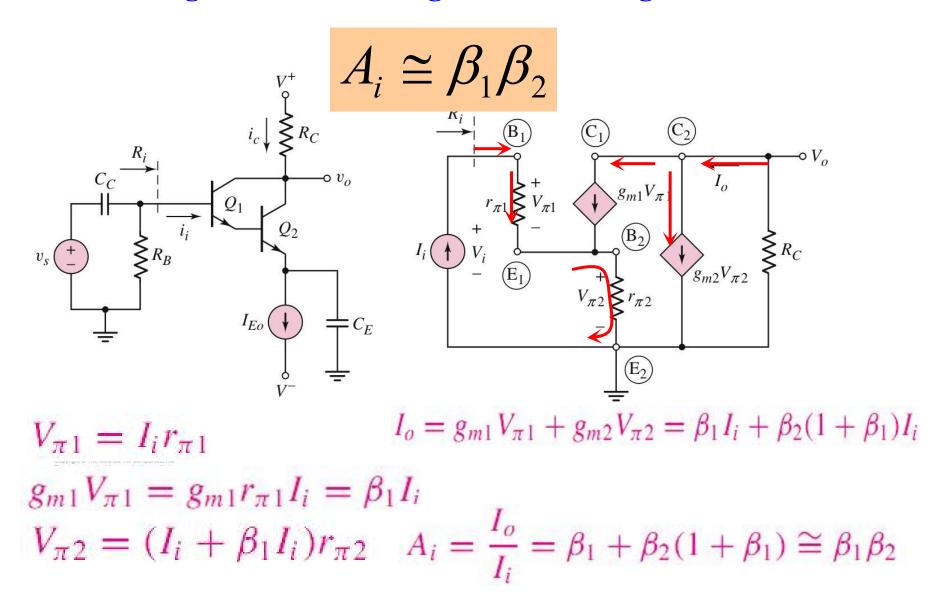


#### 6.9.2 Multistage Circuit: Darlington Pair Configuration

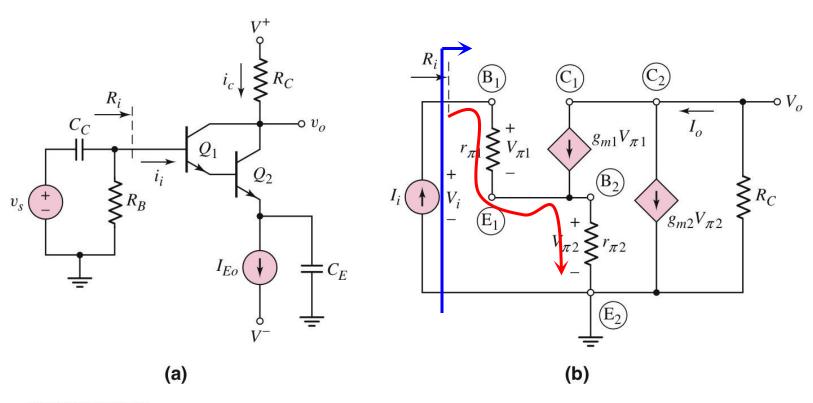


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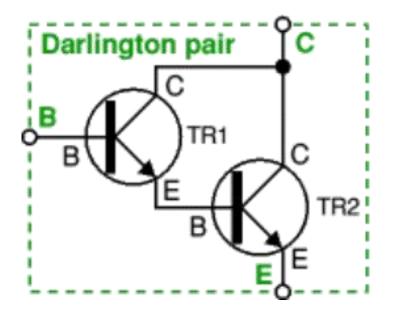


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$$V_i = V_{\pi 1} + V_{\pi 2} = I_i r_{\pi 1} + I_i (1 + \beta_1) r_{\pi 2}$$
  

$$R_i = r_{\pi 1} + (1 + \beta_1) r_{\pi 2}$$

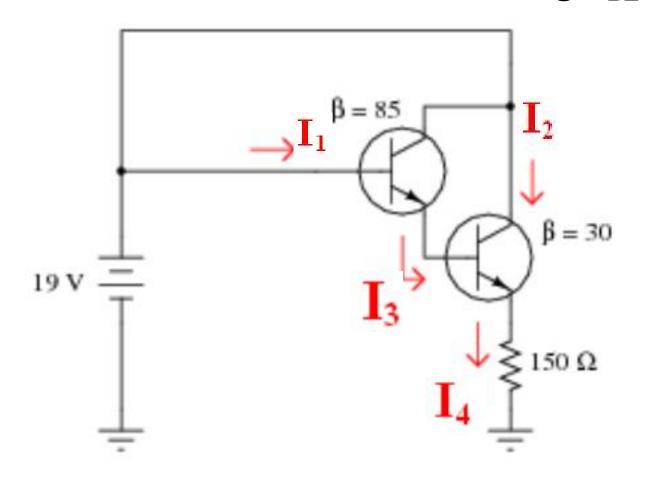
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A Darlington pair behaves like a single transistor with a very high current gain

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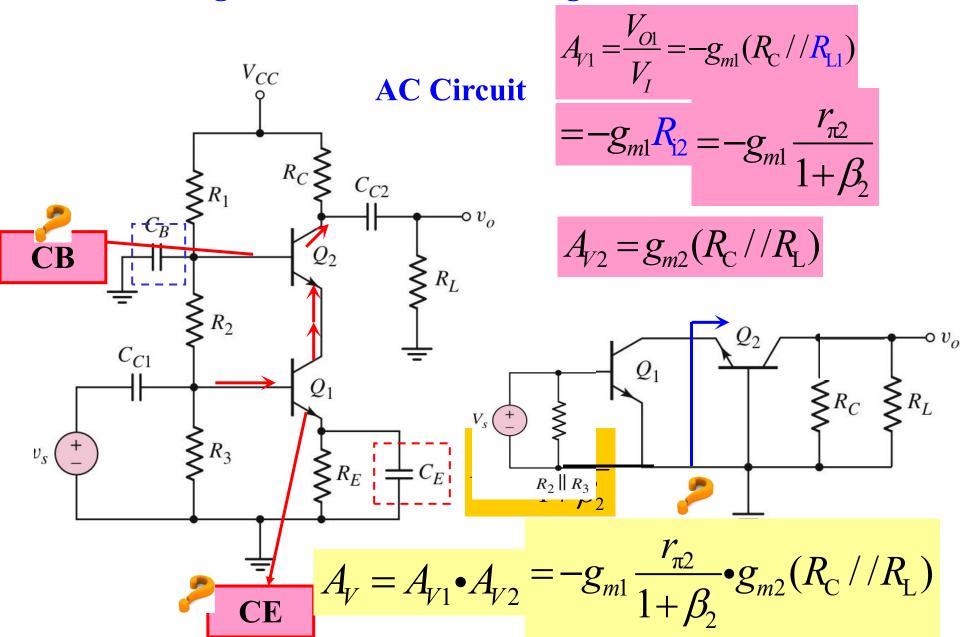
Calculate all labeled currents in this Darlington pair circuit, for all transistors, assuming  $V_{\rm BE}$ =0.7 V



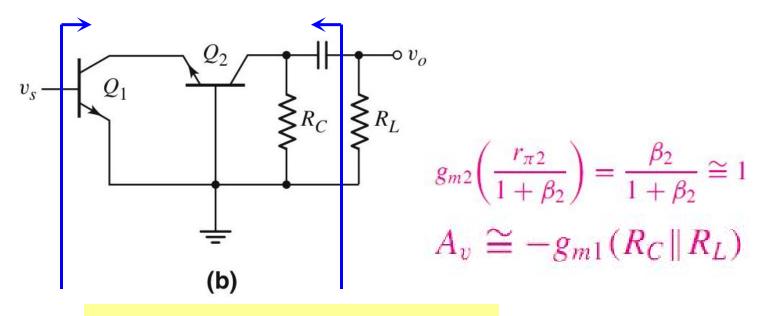
٠	$I_1$	=	44.01 μΑ
٠	$I_2$	=	113.5 mA
۰	$I_3$	=	3.785 mA

$$\bullet I_{A} = 117.3 \text{ m/s}$$

#### 6.9.3 Multistage Circuit: Cascode Configuration



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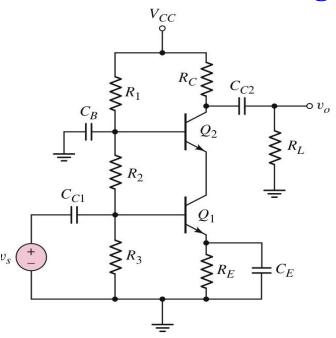


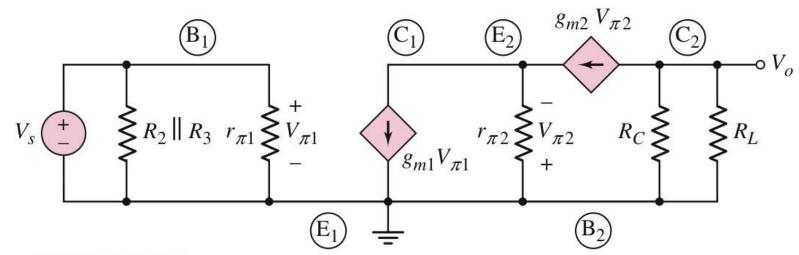
$$A_{V} = A_{V1} \cdot A_{V2} = -g_{m1} \frac{r_{\pi 2}}{1 + \beta_{2}} \cdot g_{m2} (R_{C} / / R_{L})$$

$$R_i = R_2 ||R_3|| r_{\pi 1}$$

$$R_o = R_c$$

#### 6.9.3 Multistage Circuit: Cascode Configuration





## Example 2

Find 
$$A_{v} = \frac{V_{o}}{V_{i}}$$
,  $\beta = 50$ .

#### Sol:

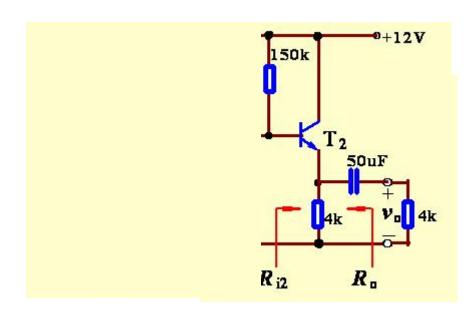
#### (1) Find the Q-point values

$$I_{\text{B1}} = \frac{V_{\text{CC}} - V_{\text{BE}}}{R_{\text{B1}}} \approx 40 \mu \text{A}$$

$$I_{\text{C1}} = \beta \cdot I_{\text{B1}} = 2 \text{mA}$$

$$I_{\text{B2}} = \frac{V_{\text{CC}} - V_{\text{BE}}}{R_{\text{B2}} + (1 + \beta)R_{\text{E}}} \approx 34.3 \mu \text{A}$$

$$I_{\text{C2}} = \beta \cdot I_{\text{B2}} = 1.7 \text{mA}$$



# (2) Determine small-signal parameters

$$r_{\pi 1} = \frac{26 (\text{mV})}{I_{\text{B1}} (\text{mA})} = 650 \Omega$$

$$r_{\pi 2} = \frac{26 (\text{mV})}{I_{\text{B2}} (\text{mA})} = 758\Omega$$

#### (3) Find voltage gain

$$R_{i2} = R_{B2} / [r_{\pi 2} + (1 + \beta)(R_{E2} / R_{L})]$$

$$= 61 k\Omega$$

$$A_{v1} = \frac{V_{o1}}{V_{i}} = -\frac{\beta \cdot (R_{C1} / R_{i2})}{r_{\pi 1}} = -217.5$$

$$\dot{A}_{v2} = \frac{V_o}{V_{i2}} \approx 1$$
  $A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_i} = \frac{V_{o1}}{V_i} \cdot \frac{V_o}{V_{o1}} = A_{v1} \cdot A_{v2} = -217.5$ 

(4) Determine input and output resistances

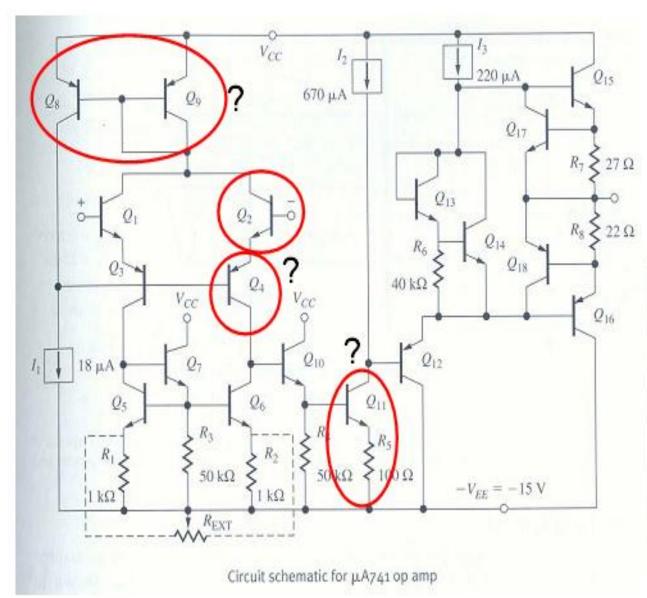
$$R_{\rm i} = R_{\rm B1} / / r_{\pi 1} \approx r_{\pi 1} = 650 \Omega$$

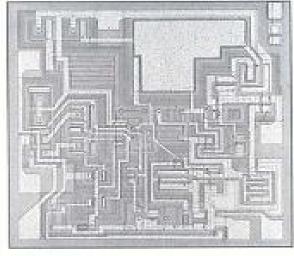
$$\dot{A}_{\rm V} = -115.87$$

$$R_{\circ} = R_{E2} / \frac{(R_{\odot} / / R_{B}) + r_{\pi 2}}{1 + \beta} = R_{E2} / \frac{(R_{\circ 1} / / R_{B2}) + r_{\pi 2}}{1 + \beta}$$

$$= 4k // \frac{(4k // 150k) + 0.758k}{1 + 50} \approx 95\Omega$$

## More Complicated Amplifier ...





uA741 Die Photograph (Courtesy of Fairchild Semiconductor)