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<u>Analog Electronics – II</u> <u>Project Proposal</u>

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<u>Topic</u>: Cascode Amplifier using BJT (Hardware + Simulation)

Abstract:

A Cascode amplifier consists of a CE amplifier followed by a CB amplifier. The CE amplifier is directly coupled to the CB amplifier. Hence a Cascode amplifier is defined as a direct coupled *CE-CB amplifier*. The CE amplifier drives a CB amplifier for both DC and AC inputs.

The first stage operates as a current amplifier, while the second stage provides a low input-resistance loading and (nearly) unity current gain transfer to the output resistance. This configuration provides a *reduced internal capacitive coupling* between input and output, improving *high frequency performance*. We will use *LTspice* to compute the DC bias voltages and currents, and the AC voltage gain.