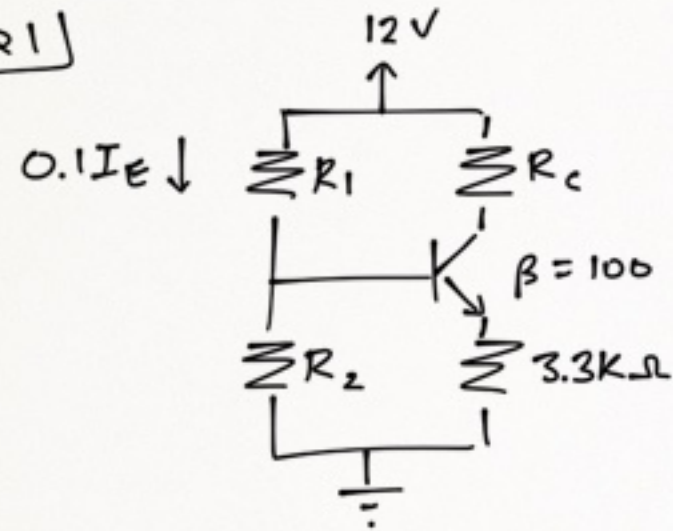


# EECE 356 - CIRCUITS

Q1)



FIND R<sub>1</sub>, R<sub>2</sub>, R<sub>C</sub>, r<sub>π</sub>, g<sub>m</sub>

$$V_B = \frac{1}{3} V_{CC} = 4V$$

$$V_C = \frac{2}{3} V_{CC} = 8V$$

$$I_E = \frac{V_E}{R_E} = \frac{\frac{1}{3} V_{CC} - 0.7}{R_E} = 1mA$$

$$I_1 = 0.1 I_E = 0.1mA$$

$$R_{B1} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{V_{CC}}{I_1} = 80k\Omega$$

$$R_{B2} = \frac{\frac{1}{3} V_{CC}}{\frac{I_E}{\beta} - \frac{I_1}{\beta}} = 44.4k\Omega$$

$$I_B = I_1 - \frac{V_B}{R_{B2}} = 0.1mA - \frac{4V}{44.4k} = 10\mu A$$

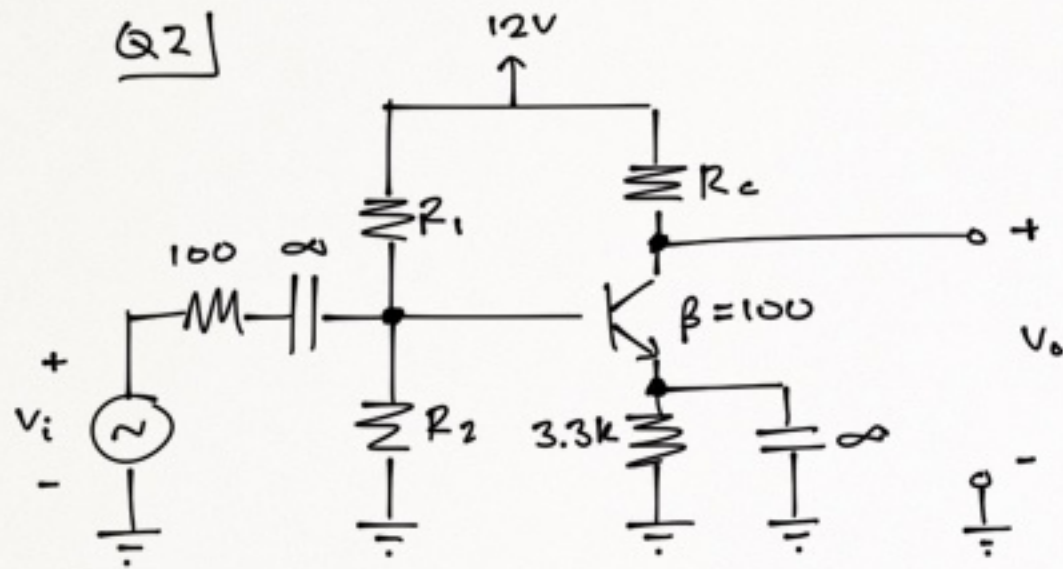
$$R_C = \frac{1}{3} \frac{V_{CC}}{I_C} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{V_{CC}}{\beta I_B} = 4k\Omega$$

$$g_m = \frac{I_C}{V_{th}} = \frac{\beta I_B}{V_{th}} = \frac{100 \cdot 10\mu A}{25.8mV} = 38.76mS$$

$$r_{\pi} = \frac{\beta}{g_m} = 2.58k\Omega$$

USING 1/3<sup>rd</sup> RULE VERSION #1

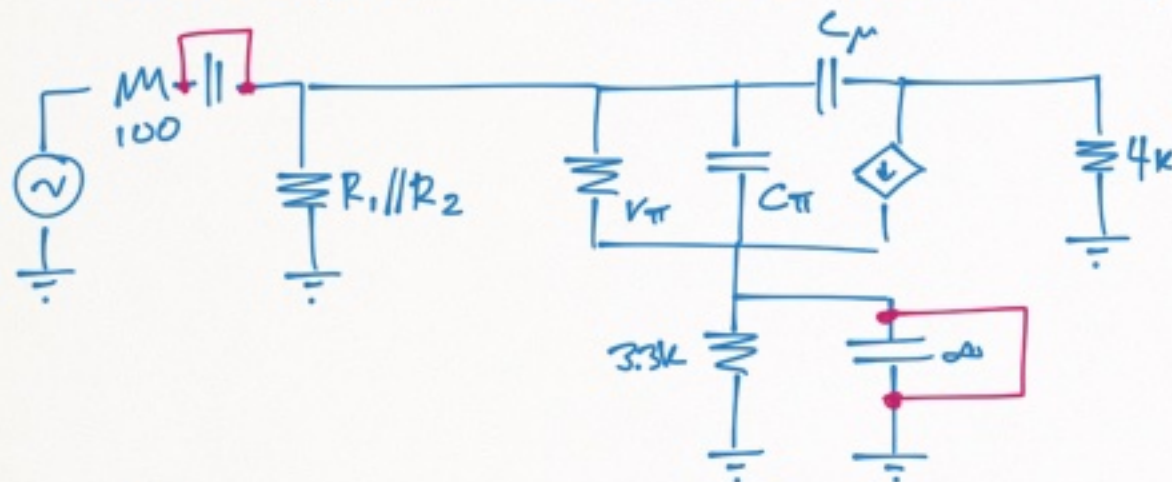
Q2



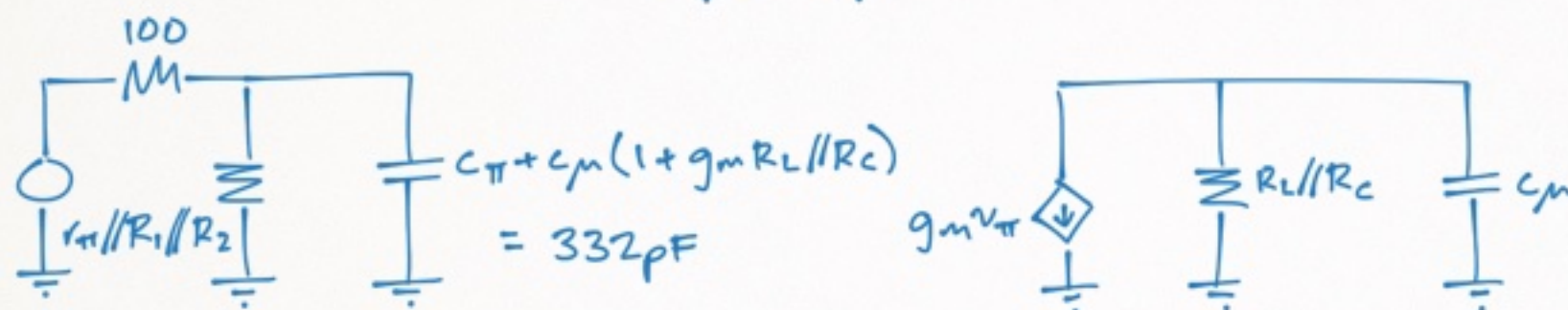
USING  $R_1 = 80k\Omega$ ,  $R_2 = 44.4k\Omega$ ,  $R_C = 4k\Omega$ ,  $r_\pi = 2.5k$

FWD UPPER CUTOFF FREQUENCY  $C_\pi = 10pF$ ,  $C_\mu = 2pF$

infinite capacitors are  $\infty$  @ DC, SC @ AC, this is a common emitter amplifier



SMALL SIGNAL MODEL  
HIGH FREQUENCY MODEL



$$\omega_{PH1} = [100 / (80k // 44.4k // 2.5k \cdot 332pF)]^{-1}$$

$$= 31.43 M \frac{rad}{s}$$

$$\omega_{PH2} = [4k \cdot 2pF]^{-1}$$

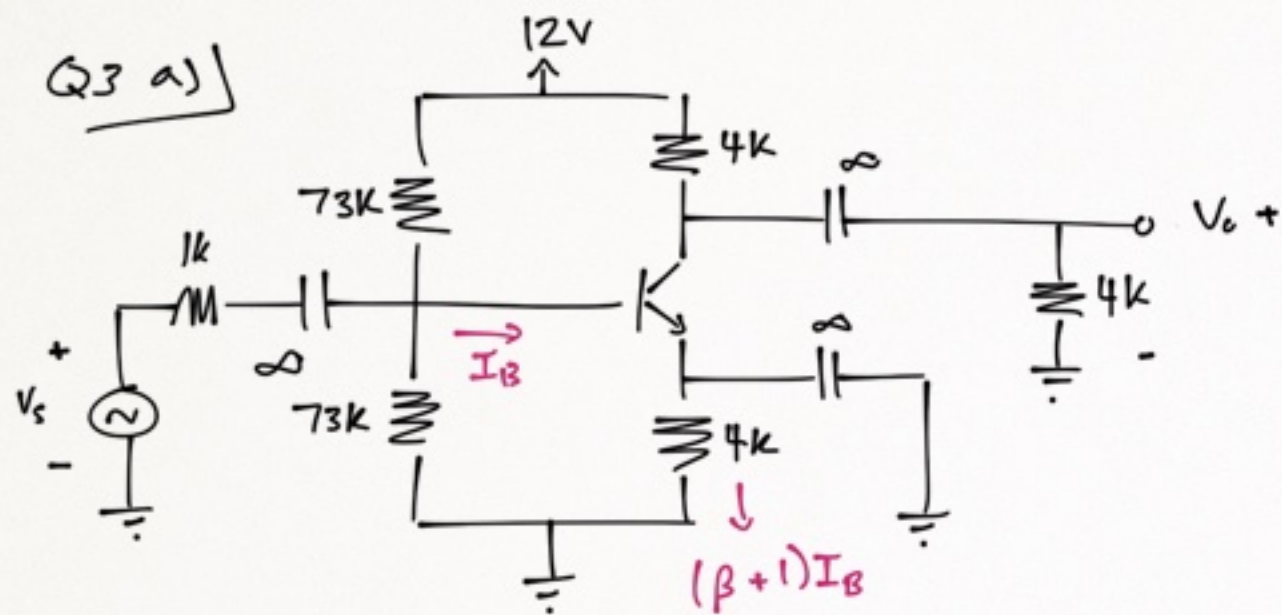
$$= 125 M \frac{rad}{s}$$

$\omega_{PH2}$  is about 2 octaves above  $\omega_{PH1}$

so we can approximate  $\omega_{H3dB} = 31.43 M \frac{rad}{s}$

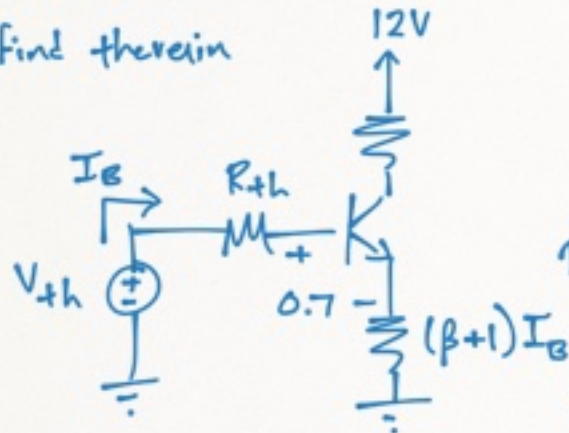


Q3 a)



in order to bias, we must calculate  $I_c$

find therein



$$V_{th} = V_{cc} \frac{R_{B2}}{R_{B1} + R_{B2}} = 6V$$

$$R_{th} = R_{B1} // R_{B2} = 36.5k\Omega$$

$$V_{th} = I_B R_{th} + 0.7V + (\beta + 1) I_B (4k)$$

$$6V = I_B (36.5k) + 0.7 + I_B (401 \cdot 4k)$$

$$\rightarrow I_B = 3.23\mu A$$

$$\beta = \frac{I_c}{I_B} \rightarrow I_c = 1.29mA$$

$$V_c = V_{cc} - I_c (4k) = 6.84V$$

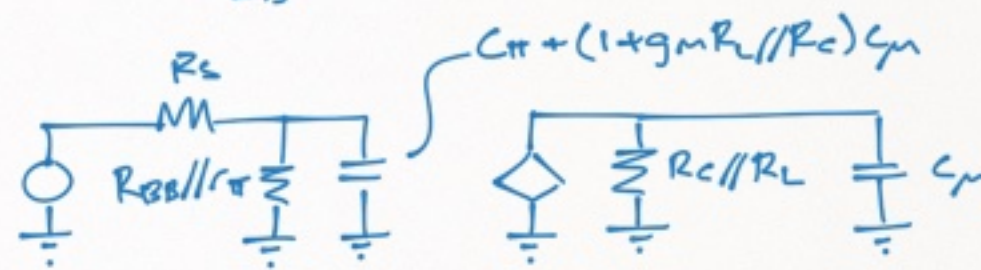
$$V_E = (\beta + 1) I_B (4k) = 5.18V$$

$$V_B = V_E + 0.7 = 5.88V$$

calculate midband gain & location of dominant high frequency pole

$$\beta = 400, V_T = 25mV, C_\pi = 10pF, C_\mu = 1pF$$

$$r_\pi = \frac{25mV}{I_B} = 7.7399k\Omega$$



$$\omega_{PH1} = \left[ R_s // R_{th} // r_\pi \cdot [C_\mu (1 + g_m R_L // R_c) + C_\pi] \right]^{-1}$$

$$= 10.12 (10^6) \frac{rad}{s}$$

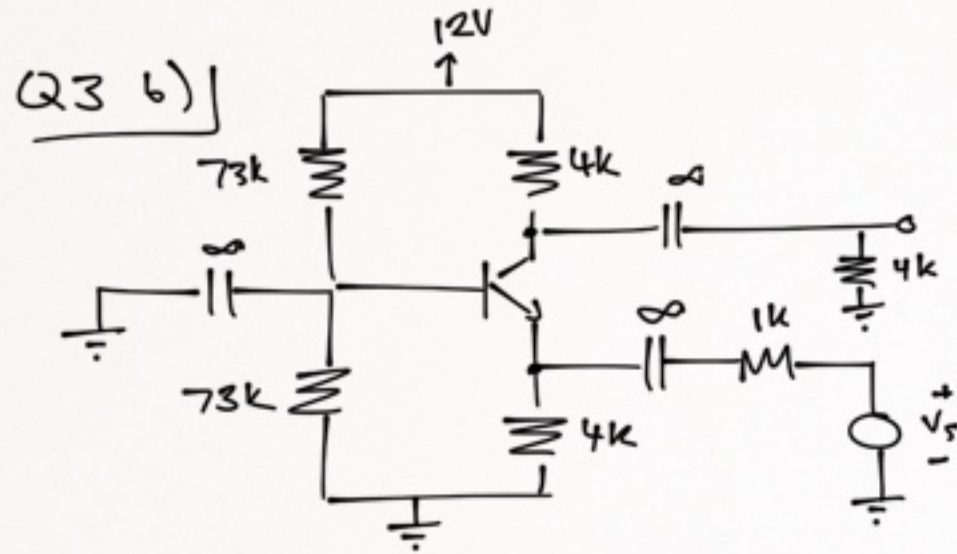
$$\omega_{PH2} = [R_c // R_L \cdot C_\mu]^{-1}$$

$$= 500 (10^6) \frac{rad}{s}$$

dominant pole

$$A_M = \frac{\beta}{r_\pi} R_c // R_L \frac{R_{B1} // R_{B2} // r_\pi}{R_{B1} // R_{B2} // r_\pi + R_s}$$

$$= -89.26 \frac{V}{V}$$



Calculate midband gain & location of dominant pole

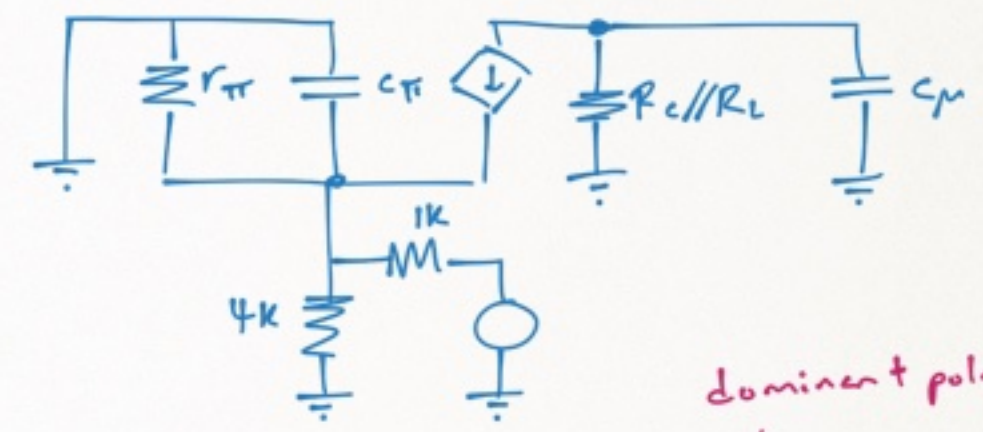
$\beta = 400, V_T = 25\text{mV}, C_{\pi} = 10\text{pF}, C_{\mu} = 1\text{pF}$

@ High frequency  $V_B = \phi, I_1 = \frac{12 - 0\text{V}}{73\text{k}\Omega} = 164.38\mu\text{A}$

$I_1 = \frac{I_E}{\sqrt{\beta}} \rightarrow I_E = 3.288\text{mA}$

$I_E = (1 + \beta)I_B$

don't need to rederive  $r_{\pi}$



dominant pole  
↓

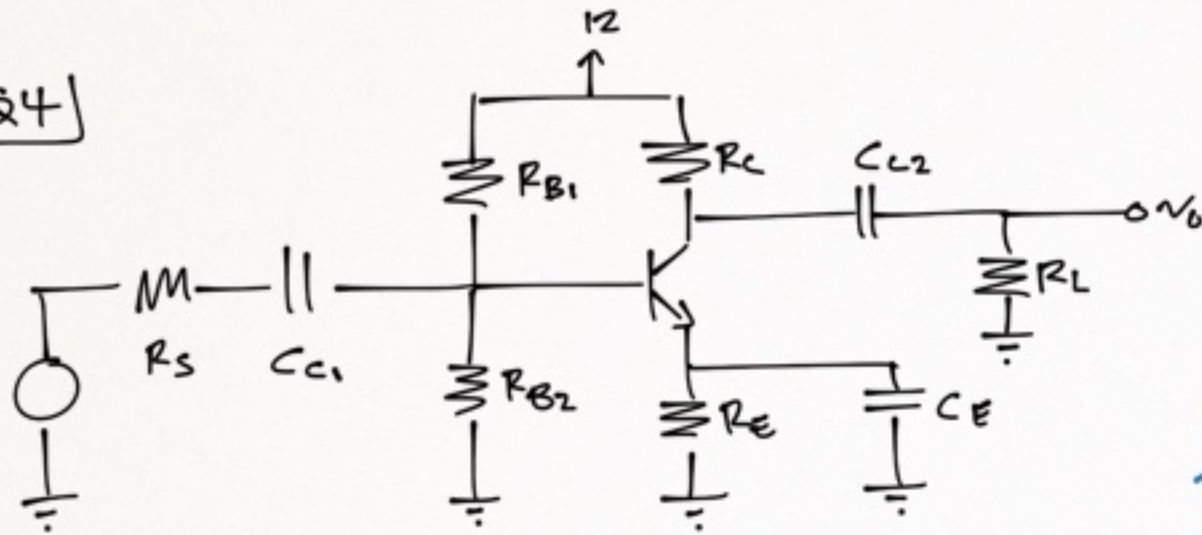
$\omega_{HP1} = [R_C // R_L \cdot C_{\mu}]^{-1} = \underline{500(10^6) \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}}$

$\omega_{HP2} = [R_E // R_S // \frac{r_{\pi}}{1 + \beta} C_{\pi}]^{-1} = \underline{5.3(10^9) \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}}$

$A_M = \frac{-\beta}{r_{\pi}} (R_C // R_L) \frac{\frac{r_{\pi}}{1 + \beta} // R_E}{\frac{r_{\pi}}{1 + \beta} // R_E + R_S} = \underline{1.94 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{V}}}$



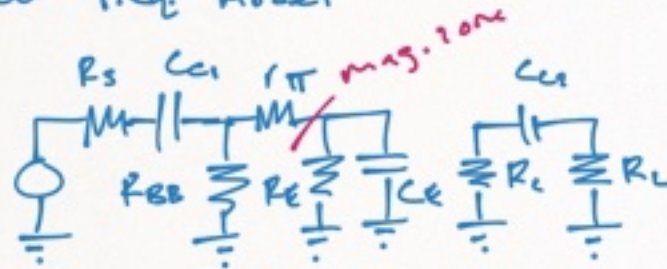
Q4]



Find  $R_{B1}$ ,  $R_{B2}$ ,  $R_C$ ,  $R_E$ ,  $A_m$ , dominant low frequency pole, dominant high frequency pole

$I_E = 2\text{mA}$ ,  $R_S = 50\Omega$ ,  $C_{c1} = C_E = 50\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_{c2} = 1\mu\text{F}$   
 $C_{\pi} = 10\text{pF}$ ,  $C_{\mu} = 1\text{pF}$ ,  $R_L = 1\text{k}\Omega$

low freq. model



ASSUMING  $C_{c1}$  IS SC

$$\omega_{p1L} = \left[ C_E \left( \frac{R_S // R_{B1} // R_{B2} + r_{\pi}}{\beta + 1} // R_E \right) \right]^{-1} = 1.566(10^3) \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$$

ASSUMING  $C_{c1}$  IS OC

$$\omega_{p1L} = \left[ C_E \left( \frac{R_{B1} // R_{B2} + r_{\pi}}{\beta + 1} // R_E \right) \right]^{-1} = 142.14 \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$$

ASSUMING  $C_E$  IS SC

$$\omega_{p2L} = \left[ C_{c1} (R_S + R_{B1} // R_{B2} // r_{\pi}) \right]^{-1} = 16.675 \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$$

ASSUMING  $C_E$  IS OC

$$\omega_{p2L} = \left[ C_{c1} (R_S + R_{B1} // R_{B2} // (r_{\pi} + R_E(\beta + 1))) \right]^{-1} = 1.5134 \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$$

$\frac{1}{3}$ rd rule

$V_B = \frac{1}{3} V_{CC} = 4\text{V}$        $V_E = 3.3\text{V}$   
 $V_C = \frac{2}{3} V_{CC} = 8\text{V}$

$I_E = \frac{V_E}{R_E} \rightarrow R_E = \frac{3.3\text{V}}{2\text{mA}} = 1.65\text{k}\Omega$

$I_1 = \frac{I_E}{\sqrt{\beta}} = 0.2\text{mA} = \frac{V_{CC} - V_B}{R_{B1}} \rightarrow R_{B1} = 40\text{k}\Omega$

$R_{B2} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{V_{CC}}{I_1 - I_B} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{V_{CC}}{\frac{I_E}{\sqrt{\beta}} - \frac{I_E}{\beta}} = 22.2\text{k}\Omega$

$R_C = \frac{1}{3} \frac{V_{CC}}{I_B \cdot \beta} = \frac{4}{I_E} = 2\text{k}\Omega$

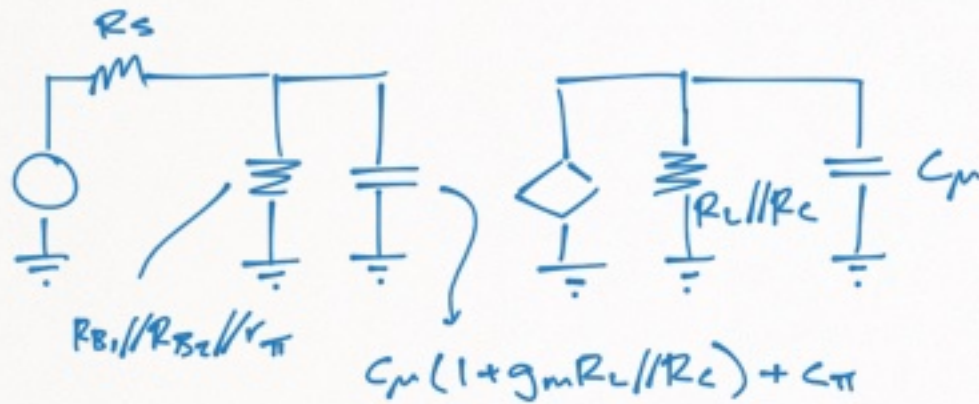
$A_m = \frac{-\beta}{r_{\pi}} R_C // R_L \frac{R_{B1} // R_{B2} // r_{\pi}}{R_{B1} // R_{B2} // r_{\pi} + R_S} = -51.11$

$\omega_{p13} = \left[ C_{c2} (R_C + R_L) \right]^{-1} = 1\mu\text{F} (3\text{k}) = 333 \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$

dominant low frequency pole

Q4 cont'd

high frequency model.

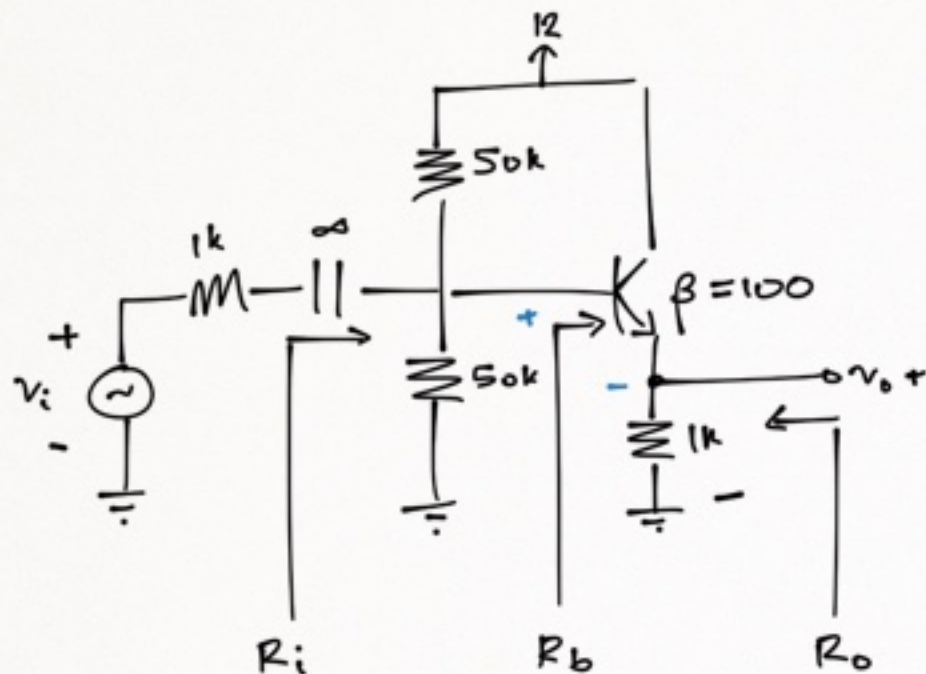


$$\omega_{p1} = [C_\mu \cdot R_L/R_C]^{-1} = 1.5(10^9) \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\omega_{p2} = [(R_s // R_{B1} // R_{B2} // r_\pi)(C_\mu(1 + g_m R_L/R_C) + C_\pi)]^{-1} = 313(10^6) \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$$



Q5



Find  $I_c$ ,  $g_m$ ,  $A_m$ ,  $R_i$ ,  $R_b$ ,  $R_o$

use Thevenin equivalent to find  $I_c$

$$V_{th} = V_{cc} \frac{R_{B1}}{R_{B1} + R_{B2}} = 12 \frac{50k}{100k} = 6V$$

$$R_{th} = R_{B1} // R_{B2} = 25k\Omega$$

$$6V - I_B(R_{th}) - 0.7 - I_E R_E = 0$$

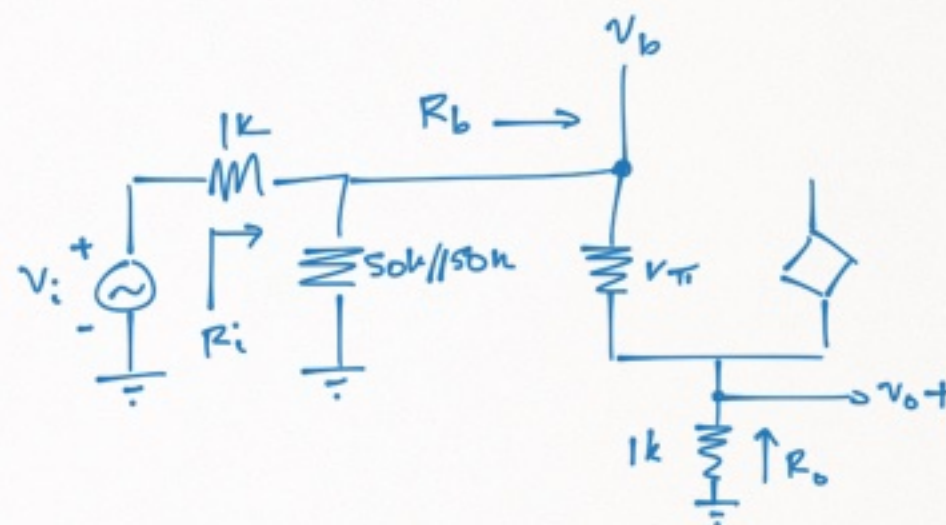
$$6 - I_B(25k) - 0.7 - (\beta + 1)I_B = 0 \rightarrow I_B = 42\mu A$$

$$I_c = \beta I_B = \underline{4.2mA}$$

$$g_m = \frac{I_c}{V_T} = \frac{4.2mA}{25mV} = \underline{168mS}$$

$$r_{\pi} = \frac{\beta}{g_m} = 595\Omega$$

$$A_m = \frac{v_o}{v_i} \quad v_o = v_b \frac{1k(\beta + 1)}{r_{\pi} + 1k(\beta + 1)} = v_b(0.994)$$



$$R_o = 1k // \frac{r_{\pi} + 50k // 50k // 1k}{1 + \beta} = \underline{15.2\Omega}$$

$$R_i = 50k // 50k // (r_{\pi} + 1k(101)) = \underline{20.06\Omega}$$

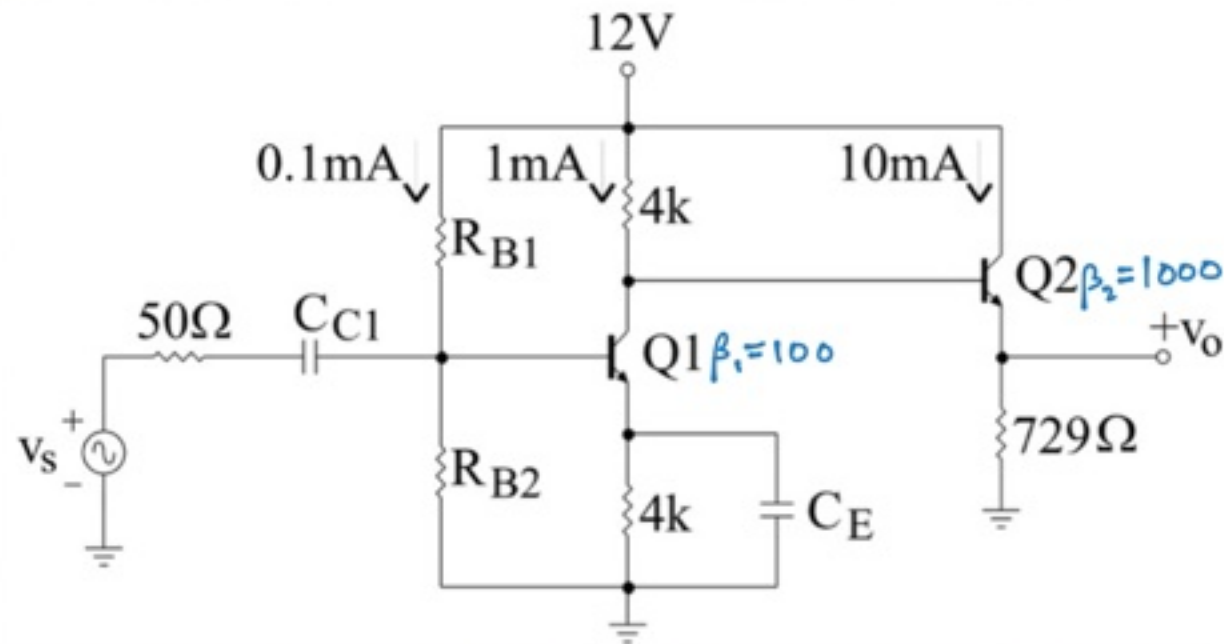
$$R_b = r_{\pi} + 1k(101) = \underline{101.6k\Omega}$$

REVIEW

$$v_b = v_i \frac{50k // 50k // (r_{\pi} + (\beta + 1)1k)}{50k // 50k // (r_{\pi} + (\beta + 1)1k) + 1k} = v_i(0.953)$$

$$A_m = \frac{v_o}{v_i} = \underline{0.947}$$

Q61



The designers of the circuit have used a 1/3 rule to bias the amplifier shown. They have also used “pole-zero cancellation” to give the amplifier the low frequency amplitude response of a single time-constant circuit and have put  $\omega_{L-3dB}$  at 1000/s. Assume that  $\beta_1 = 100$  and that  $\beta_2 = 1000$ . What are the values of  $C_E$  and  $C_{C1}$ ?

First find  $R_{B1}$  &  $R_{B2}$

$$I_{B2} = \frac{I_{C2}}{\beta_2} = \frac{10mA}{1000} = 10\mu A$$

$$I_{C1} = 1mA - I_{B2} = 0.99mA$$

$$I_{E1} = (\beta_1 + 1) I_{B1} = 101 \frac{0.99mA}{100} = 999.9\mu A$$

$$V_{E1} = R_E I_{E1} = 4k(999.9\mu A) \approx 4V$$

$$V_{B1} = V_{E1} + 0.7 = 4.7V$$

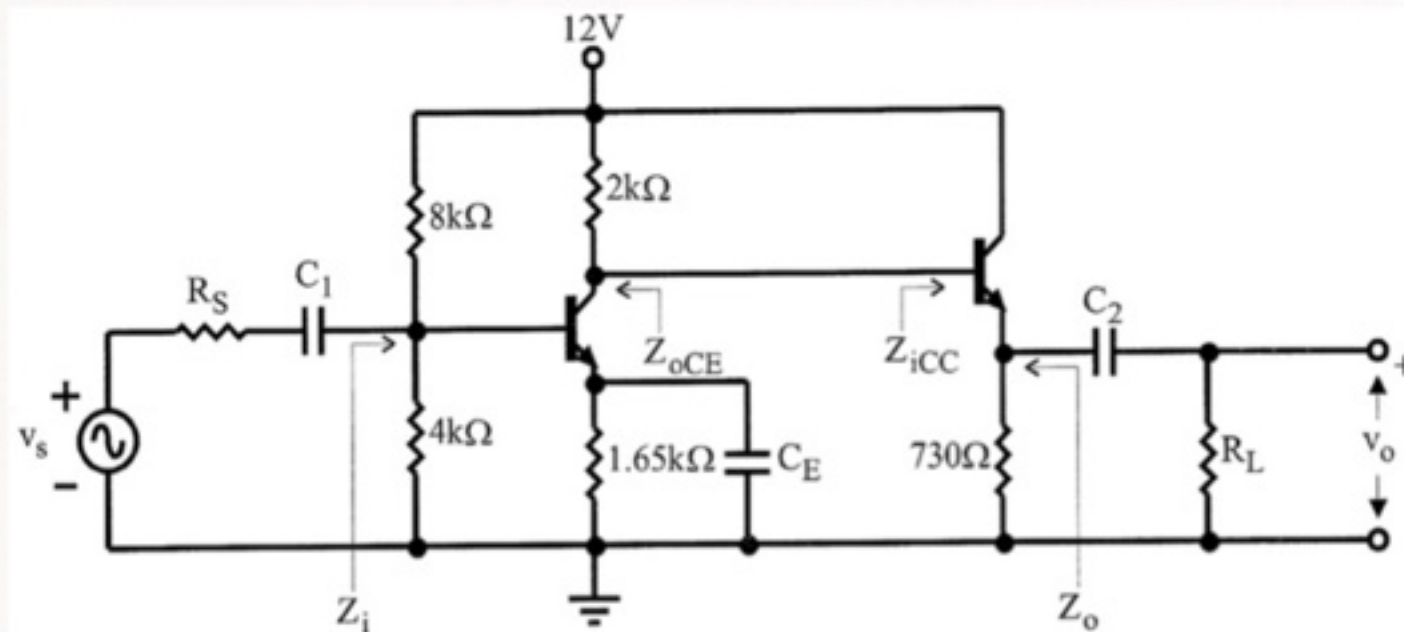
$$R_{B1} = \frac{12 - 4.7}{0.1mA} = 73k\Omega$$

$$R_{B2} = \frac{V_{B1}}{I_{C1} - I_{B1}} = \frac{4.7}{0.1mA - \frac{0.99mA}{100}} = 52.16k\Omega$$

REVISIT



Q7



Calculate input impedance of amp  
output impedance of amp  
output impedance of CE  
input impedance of CC  
gain at midband

$$\beta = 200, V_T = 25\text{mV}, R_S = 100, R_L = 730$$

$$V_{B1} \approx V_{CC} \frac{R_{B2}}{R_{B1} + R_{B2}} = 12 \frac{4\text{k}}{12\text{k}} = 4\text{V}$$

$$V_{E1} \approx 4\text{V} - 0.7\text{V} = 3.3\text{V}$$

$$I_{E1} \approx \frac{3.3\text{V}}{1.65\text{k}} = 2\text{mA}$$

$$I_{C1} \approx I_{E1} = 2\text{mA}$$

$$I_{B1} \approx \frac{I_{C1}}{200} = 0.01\text{mA}$$

$$r_{\pi 1} = \frac{V_T}{I_B} = \frac{25\text{mV}}{0.01\text{mA}} = 2.5\text{k}$$

@ MIDBAND  $C_E = C_1 = C_2 = \text{SHORTS}$   
 $C_{\pi} = C_{\mu} = \text{BREAKS}$

$$Z_i = R_{B1} \parallel R_{B2} \parallel r_{\pi 1} = 4\text{k} \parallel 8\text{k} \parallel 2.5\text{k} = \underline{1.3\text{k}\Omega}$$

$$\underline{Z_{oCE} = 2\text{k}}$$

$$V_{B2} = V_{C1} = V_{CC} - I_{C1} R_C = 12 - 2\text{mA} \cdot 2\text{k} = 8\text{V}$$

$$V_{E2} = V_{B2} - 0.7 = 7.3\text{V}$$

$$I_{E2} = \frac{V_{E2}}{730} = 10\text{mA} \approx I_{C2}$$

$$I_{B2} = \frac{I_{C2}}{\beta} = \frac{10\text{mA}}{200} = 50\mu\text{A}$$

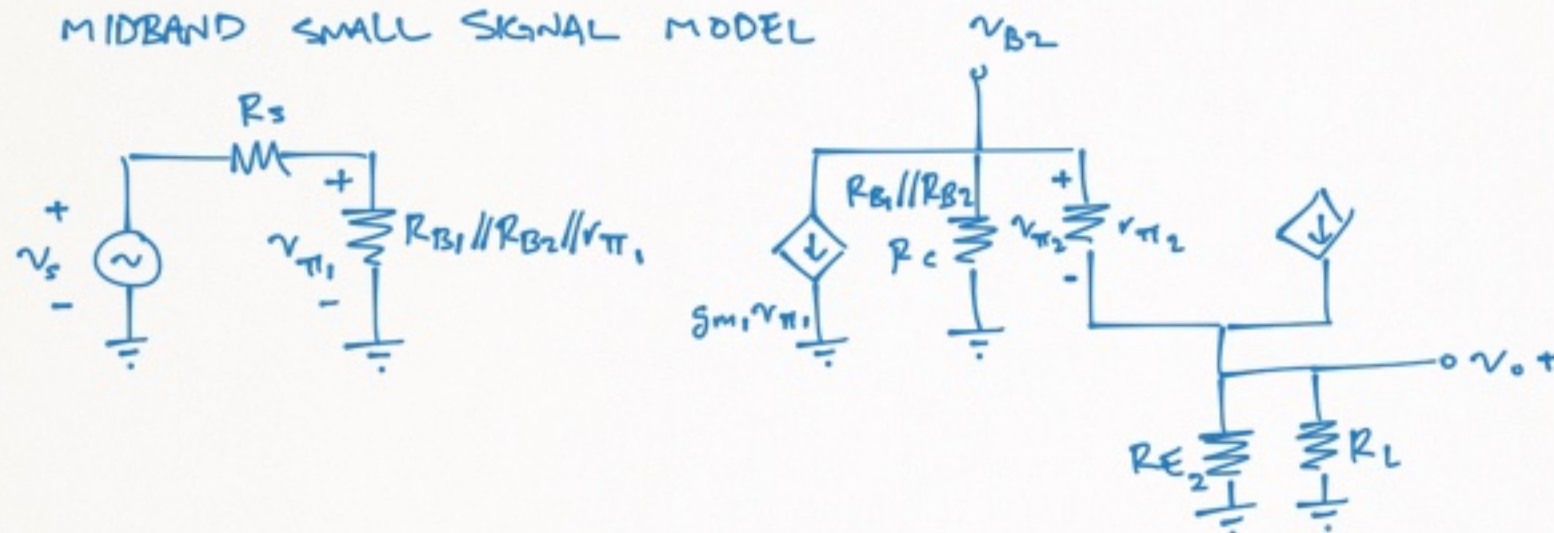
$$r_{\pi 2} = \frac{V_T}{I_{B2}} = \frac{25\text{mV}}{50\mu\text{A}} = 500\Omega$$

$$Z_{iCC} = r_{\pi 2} + (1 + \beta) R_E \parallel R_L = 500 + 101 \frac{730}{2} = \underline{73.5\text{k}\Omega}$$

$$Z_o = R_E \parallel \frac{r_{\pi 2} + R_C}{1 + \beta} = 730 \parallel \frac{2.5\text{k}}{201} \approx \underline{12.5\Omega}$$

# Q7 cont'd | Finding midband gain

MIDBAND SMALL SIGNAL MODEL



$$A_m = \frac{v_o}{v_s} = \frac{v_o}{v_{B2}} \cdot \frac{v_{B2}}{v_{\pi1}} \cdot \frac{v_{\pi1}}{v_s}$$

$$v_o = v_{B2} \frac{R_{E2} // R_L}{R_{E2} // R_L + \frac{r_{\pi2}}{\beta+1}} = v_{B2} \frac{730 // 730}{730 // 730 + \frac{500}{201}} \approx \underline{1 v_{B2}}$$

$$v_{\pi1} = v_s \frac{R_{B1} // R_{B2} // r_{\pi1}}{R_s + R_{B1} // R_{B2} // r_{\pi1}} = v_s \frac{1.3k}{1.35k} = \underline{0.96 v_s}$$

$$v_{B2} = v_{\pi1} (-g_{m1}) [R_C // (r_{\pi2} + (\beta+1) R_{E2} // R_L)]$$

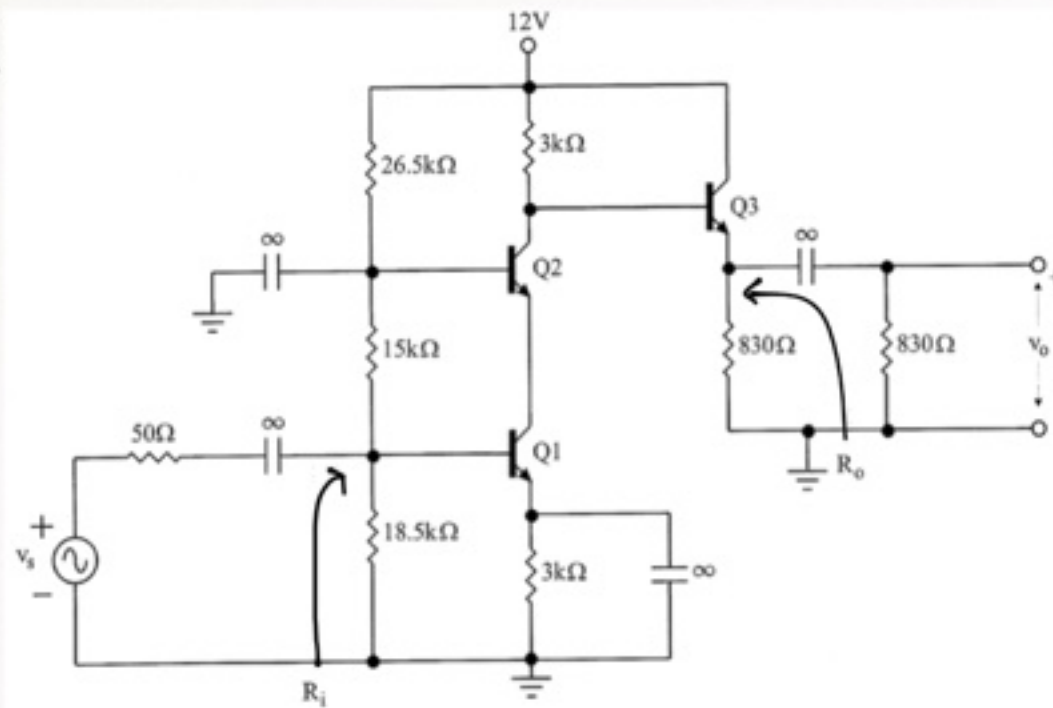
$$= v_{\pi1} \frac{-200}{500} \left[ 2k // \left( 500 + 201 \frac{730}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$= \underline{-156 v_{\pi1}}$$

$$A_m = 1 (-156) (0.96) = \underline{-150}$$

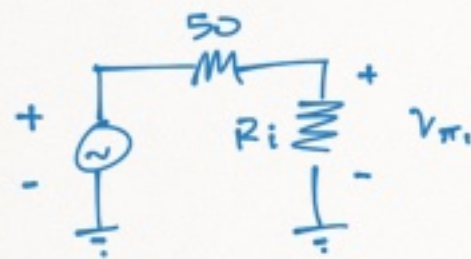


Q8



- a) draw small signal model  
b) show  $\frac{v_{\pi 2}}{v_{\pi 1}}$  is exactly 1

- c) calculate  $R_i$ ,  $R_o$ ,  $A_m$   
 $\beta = 100$   $V_T = 25\text{mV}$

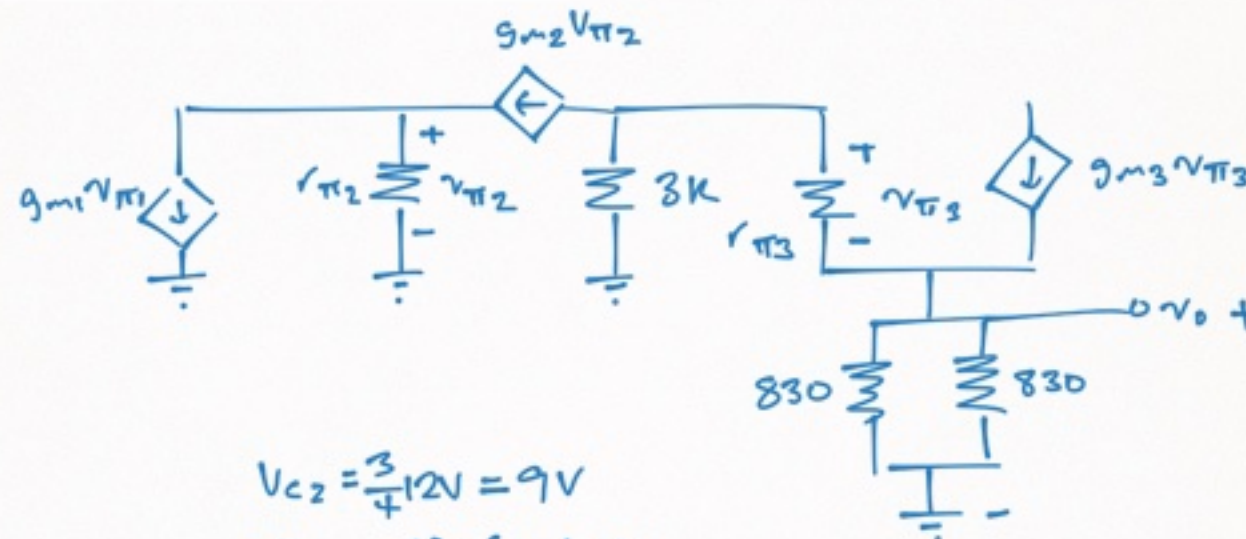


$$R_i = 18.5\text{k} \parallel 15\text{k} \parallel r_{\pi 1}$$

$$I_{C2} = \frac{\beta}{\beta + 1} I_{E2}$$

$$v_{\pi 2} \frac{I_{E2}}{V_T} = v_{\pi 1} \frac{I_{C1}}{V_T}$$

$$I_{C1} = I_{E2} \quad \therefore \underline{v_{\pi 2} = v_{\pi 1}}$$



$$V_{C2} = \frac{3}{4} 12\text{V} = 9\text{V}$$

$$I_{C2} = \frac{12 - 9}{3\text{k}} = 1\text{mA}$$

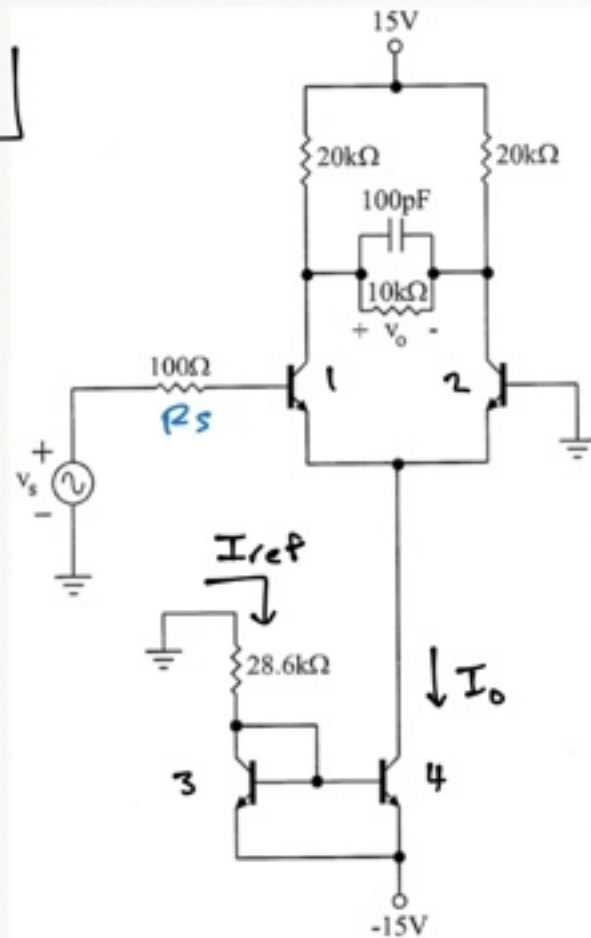
$$R_i = 18.5\text{k} \parallel 15\text{k} \parallel \frac{V_T}{I_{B2}} = 18.5\text{k} \parallel 15\text{k} \parallel \frac{25\text{mV}}{\frac{I_{C2}}{\beta}} = \underline{1.9\text{k}\Omega}$$

$$R_o = 830 \parallel \frac{r_{\pi 3} + 3\text{k}}{\beta + 1} = 830 \parallel \frac{250 + 3\text{k}}{101} \approx \underline{31\Omega}$$

$$r_{\pi 3} = \frac{V_T}{I_{B3}} = \frac{25\text{mV}}{\frac{I_{C2}}{\beta}} = \frac{25\text{mV}}{\frac{10\text{mA}}{\beta}} = 250\Omega$$

$$I_{C2} \approx I_{E3} = \frac{V_{E3}}{R_{E3}} = \frac{V_{C2} - 0.7}{830} = 10\text{mA}$$

Q9



$$V_{B4} = -15 + 0.7 = -14.3V$$

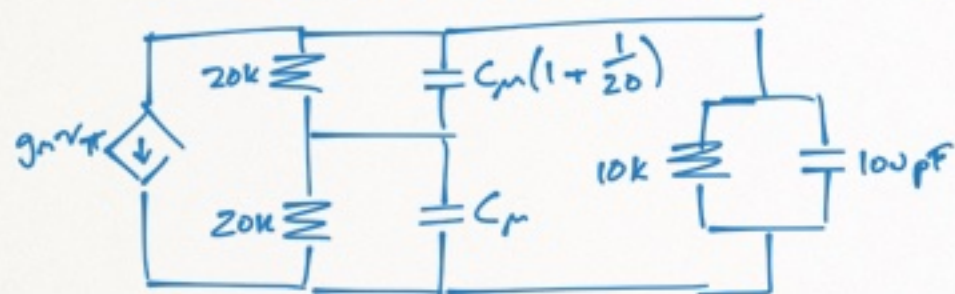
$$I_{REF} = \frac{0 - (-14.3V)}{28.6k} = 0.5mA$$

$$I_0 \approx I_{REF} = 0.5mA$$

$$I_{C1} = I_{C2} \approx \frac{1}{2} I_0 = 0.25mA$$

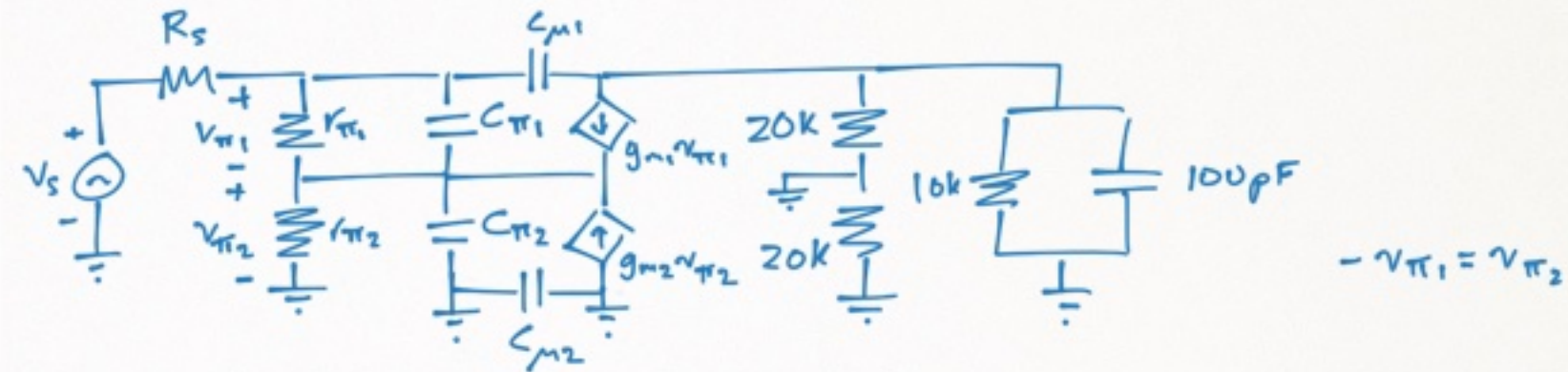
CBT (collector-base junction)

$$V_{C1} = V_{C2} = 15 - (0.25mA)20k = 10V$$

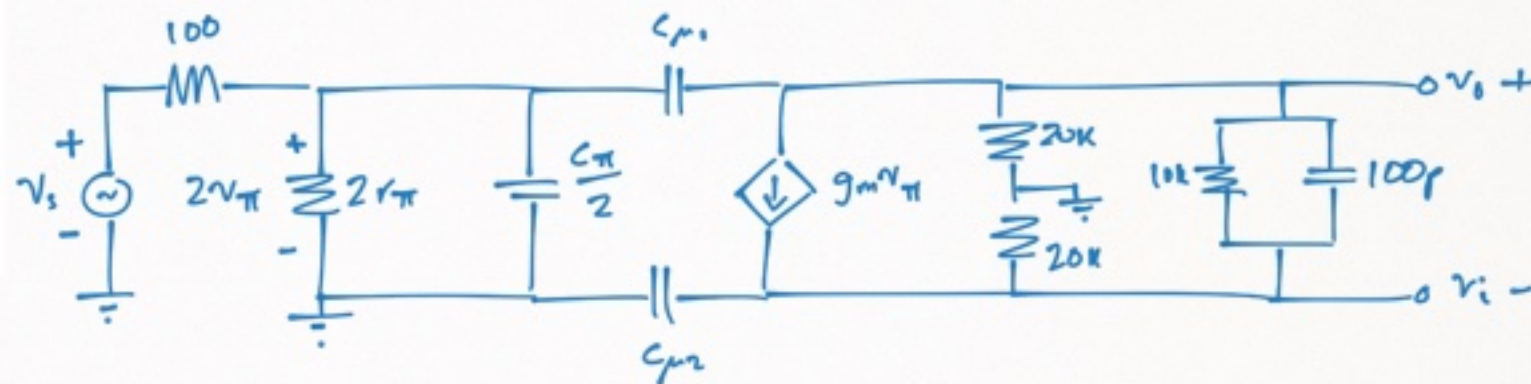


FIND  $A_d$  &  $\omega_{H3dB}$

SMALL SIGNAL MODEL



$$-v_{\pi 1} = v_{\pi 2}$$



MILLERS

$$C_{\mu} \left( 1 - \frac{v_i}{2v_{\pi}} \right) = C_{\mu} \left( 1 - \frac{I_1 20k}{2 \frac{25m}{I_c}} \right) \quad I_1 = -g_m v_{\pi} \frac{10k}{20k + 10k + 20k}$$

$$A_d = \frac{v_o}{v_s} = \frac{v_o}{v_{\pi}} \cdot \frac{v_{\pi}}{v_s} = -g_m 40k // 10k \cdot \frac{1}{2} \frac{2r_{\pi}}{2r_{\pi} + 100} = -40$$

$$\omega_{PH1}^{OC} = \frac{1}{100 // 2r_{\pi} (2p + 84p)} = 113 (10^6) \frac{rad}{s}$$

$$\omega_{PH2}^{OC} = \frac{1}{10k // 40k (100p)} = 1.25 (10^6) \frac{rad}{s}$$

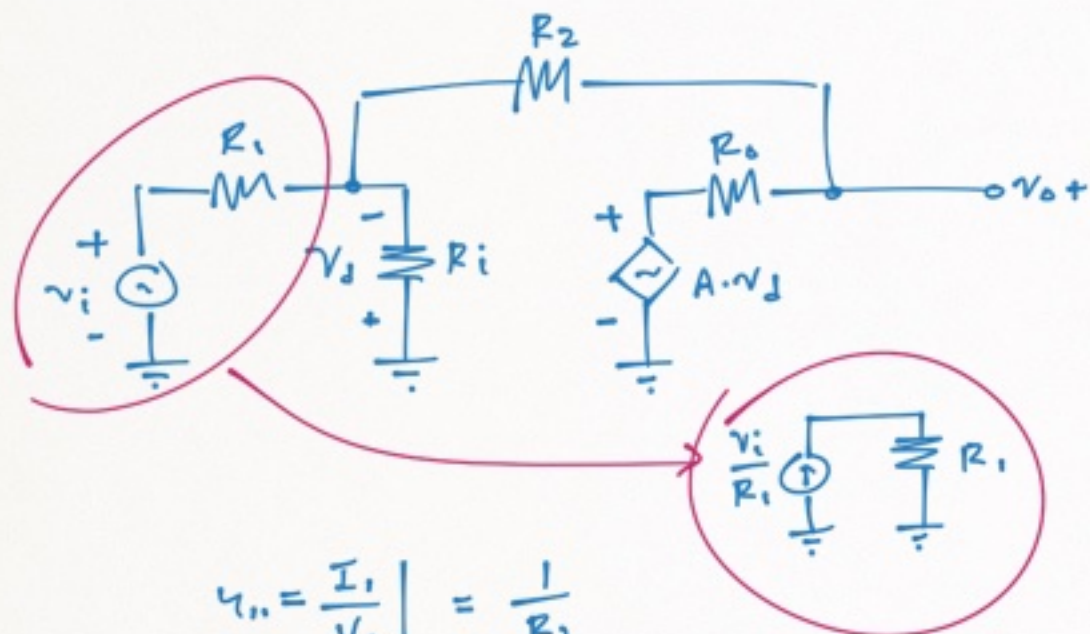
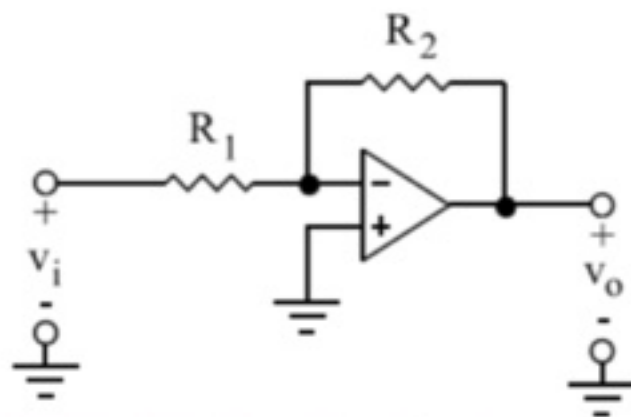
$$\omega_{PH3}^{OC} = \frac{1}{20k // 20k \frac{C_{\mu}}{2} (1 + \frac{1}{20})} = 41.7 (10^6) \frac{rad}{s}$$



P7Q2

Use feedback techniques to show that the circuit shown in figure 1 has a gain of  $-R_2/R_1$ .

USE SHUNT-SHUNT



$$y_{11} = \left. \frac{I_1}{V_1} \right|_{V_2=0} = \frac{1}{R_2}$$

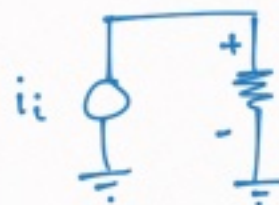
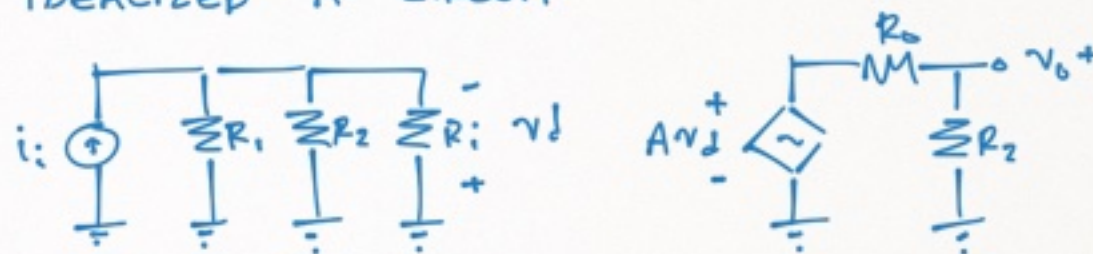
$$y_{12} = \left. \frac{I_1}{V_2} \right|_{V_1=0} = -\frac{1}{R_2}$$

$$y_{21} = \left. \frac{I_2}{V_1} \right|_{V_2=0} = y_{12} = -\frac{1}{R_2}$$

$$y_{22} = \left. \frac{I_2}{V_2} \right|_{V_1=0} = \frac{1}{R_2}$$



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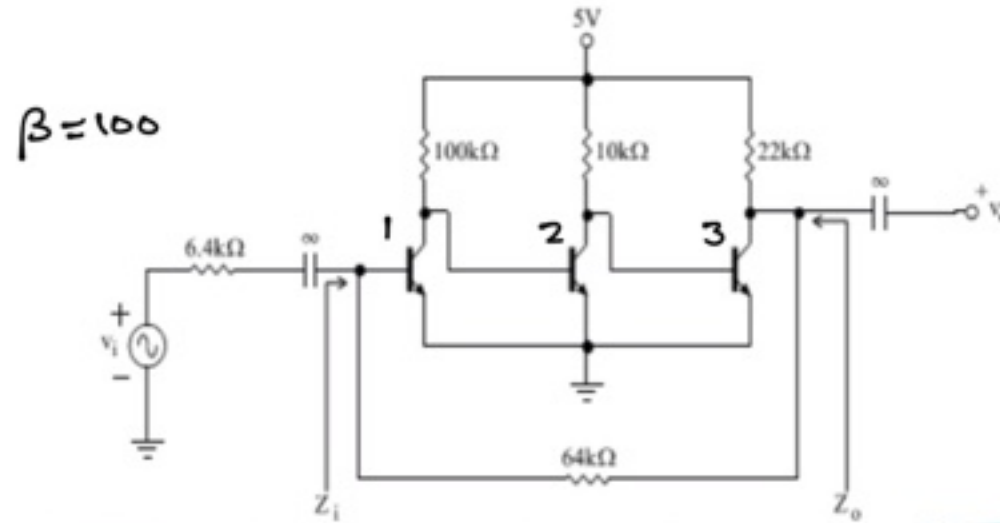


$$A_F = \frac{v_o}{i_i} \approx \frac{1}{\beta} = -R_2$$

$$A_{Fv} = \frac{v_o}{v_i} = \frac{v_o}{i_i R_1} = \frac{-R_2}{R_1}$$

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For the circuit shown in figure 3 calculate  $A_M$ ,  $Z_i$ , and  $Z_o$ , all at mid band.



get currents

$$I_{C2} = \frac{5 - 0.7}{10k} = 430 \mu A$$

$$I_{C1} = \frac{5 - 0.7}{100k} - I_{B2} = \frac{5 - 0.7}{100k} - \frac{430 \mu A}{100} = 38.7 \mu A$$

$$I_{C3} = \frac{5 - 0.7 - I_{B1}(64k)}{22k} - I_{B1} = 194 \mu A$$

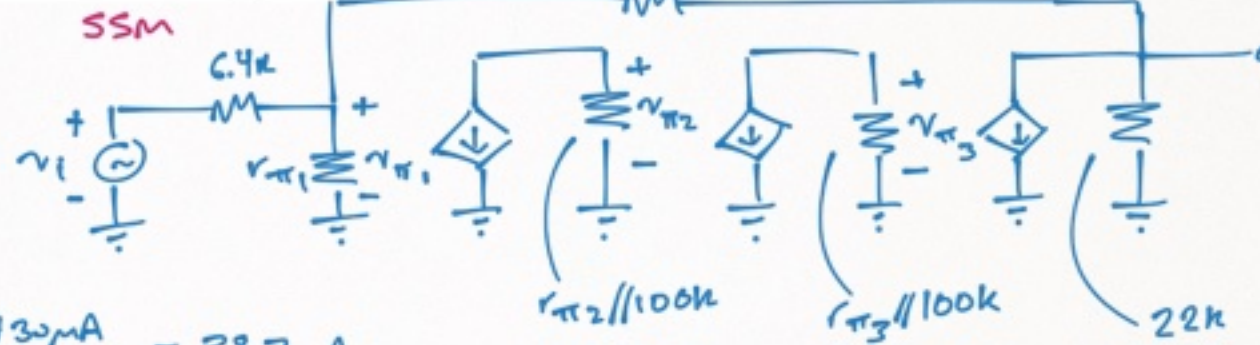
$\downarrow \frac{38.7 \mu A}{100}$

$r_{\pi}/g_m$

$$r_{\pi 1} = \beta \frac{V_T}{I_{C1}} = 100 \frac{25mV}{38.7 \mu A} = 64.6k$$

$$r_{\pi 2} = 100 \frac{25mV}{430 \mu A} = 5.18k$$

$$r_{\pi 3} = 100 \frac{25mV}{194 \mu A} = 12.9k$$



$$v_{\pi 2} = -5.5k g_{m2} v_{\pi 1} = -5.5k$$



