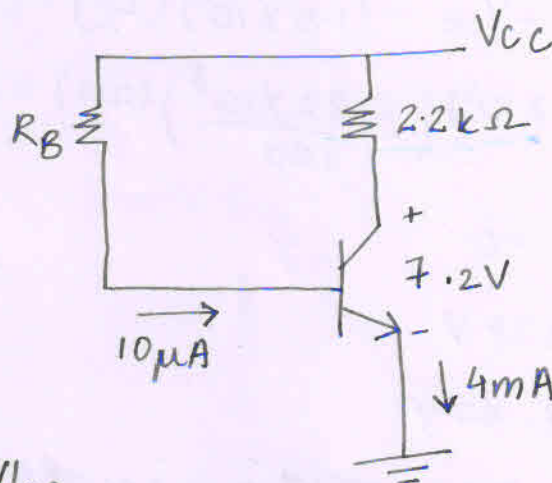


ESC201 Assignment 7 Solutions

Ans 1.



Applying KVL,

$$V_{CC} - (4 \times 10^{-3}) (2.2 \times 10^3) - 7.2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{CC} = 8.8 + 7.2 \text{ V}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{CC} = 16 \text{ V}$$

Applying KVL,

$$V_{CC} - (10 \times 10^{-6}) (R_B) - V_{BE} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{CC} = (10 \times 10^{-6}) (R_B) + V_{BE}$$

$$\text{or } R_B = \frac{16 - 0.7}{10} \text{ M}\Omega = 1.53 \text{ M}\Omega$$

Ans 2. Assume the transistor to be in forward active mode.

Applying KVL,

$$20 - (510 \times 10^3) (I_B) - V_{BE} - (1.5 \times 10^3) (I_E) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 20 - (510 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{I_C}{\beta} \right) - V_{BE} - (1.5 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{I_C}{\alpha} \right) = 0$$

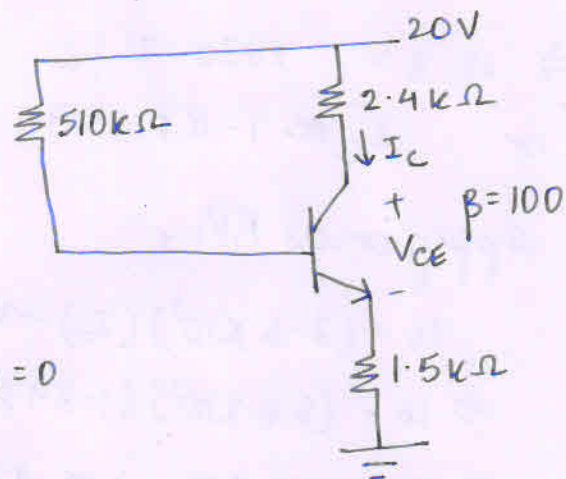
$$\Rightarrow 20 - (510 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{I_C}{100} \right) - 0.7 - (1.5 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{I_C}{\beta} \right) (\beta + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 20 - 5100 I_C - 0.7 - \left(\frac{1.5 \times 10^3}{100} \times 101 \right) I_C = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 19.3 = 5100 I_C + 1515 I_C$$

$$\text{or } 6615 I_C = 19.3$$

$$\Rightarrow I_C = \frac{19.3}{6615} \text{ A} = 2.917 \text{ mA} \approx 2.92 \text{ mA}$$



Applying KVL,

$$20 - (2.92 \times 10^3)(2.4 \times 10^3) - V_{CE} - (1.5 \times 10^3)(I_E) = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow 20 - 7.008 - V_{CE} - (1.5 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{2.92 \times 10^3}{100} \right) (101) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 12.992 - V_{CE} - 4.4238 = 0$$

$$\text{or } V_{CE} = 12.992 - 4.4238 \text{ V}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{CE} = 8.5682 \text{ V} \approx 8.57 \text{ V}$$

Since $V_{CE} > 0.2 \text{ V}$, our assumption is correct.

Ans 5. Assume the transistor to be in forward active mode.

Applying KVL,

$$16 - (3.6 \times 10^3) I_C - (470 \times 10^3) I_B - V_{BE} - 510 I_E = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16 - (3.6 \times 10^3) I_C - (470 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{I_C}{120} \right) - 0.7 - 510 \left(\frac{I_C}{120} \right) (121) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{15.3}{16} = (3.6 \times 10^3 + 3916.66 + 514.25) I_C$$

$$\Rightarrow 15.3 = 8030.91 I_C$$

$$\text{or } I_C \approx 1.89 \text{ mA}$$

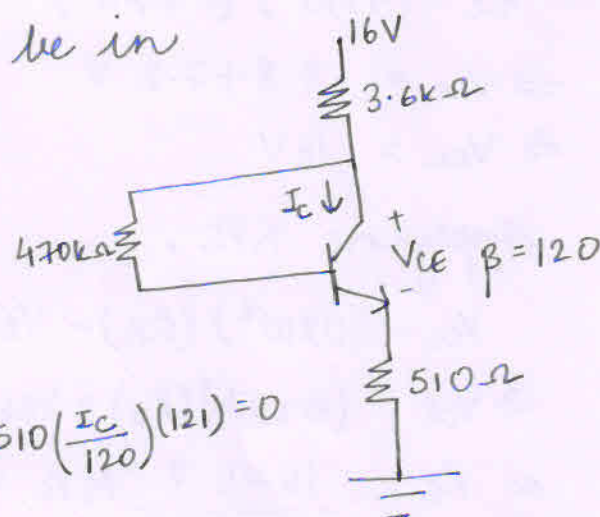
Applying KVL,

$$16 - (3.6 \times 10^3) (I_C) - V_{CE} - 510 I_E = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16 - (3.6 \times 10^3) (1.89 \times 10^{-3}) - V_{CE} - 510 \left(\frac{1.89 \times 10^{-3}}{120} \right) (121) = 0$$

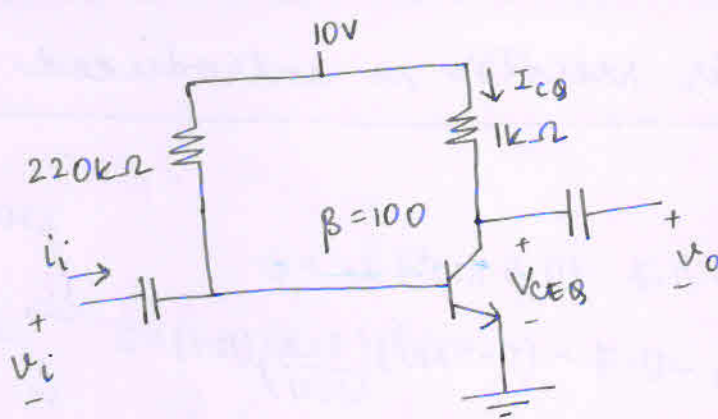
$$\Rightarrow 16 - 6.804 - 0.972 = V_{CE}$$

$$\text{or } V_{CE} = 8.2 \text{ V} > 0.2 \text{ V} \Rightarrow \text{Our assumption is correct.}$$



Ans 4.

Assume the transistor to be in forward active mode.



Applying KVL,

$$10 - (220 \times 10^3) I_B - V_{BE} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 - (220 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{I_C}{\beta} \right) - 0.7 = 0$$

$$\text{or } \left(\frac{220 \times 10^3}{100} \right) I_C = 9.3$$

$$\Rightarrow I_C = 4.227 \text{ mA} \approx 4.23 \text{ mA}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\beta}{\beta + 1}$$

Applying KVL,

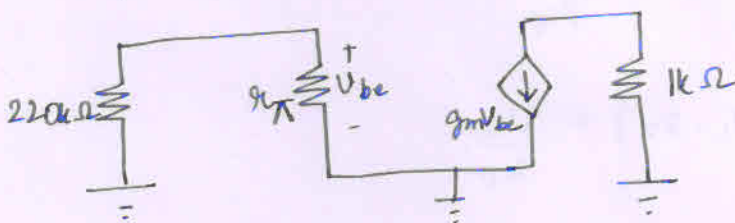
$$10 - (10^3) (I_C) - V_{CE} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 - (10^3) (4.23 \times 10^{-3}) = V_{CE}$$

$$\text{or } V_{CE} = 5.77 \text{ V} > 0.2 \text{ V} \rightarrow \text{correct assumption of forward active mode}$$

$$g_m = \frac{\alpha I_E}{V_T} = \frac{I_C}{V_T} = \frac{4.23 \times 10^{-3}}{26 \times 10^{-3}} \text{ A/V} = 0.163 \text{ A/V}$$

$$A_v = -g_m R_C = -(0.163) (1 \times 10^3) = -163$$



$$Z_i = 220 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel r_{\pi}$$

$$r_{\pi} = \frac{\beta}{g_m} = \frac{100}{0.163} \Omega = 613.49 \Omega \approx 613.5 \Omega$$

$$\therefore Z_i = 220 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 613.5 \Omega \approx 613.5 \Omega$$

After the emitter resistor is introduced:

Applying KVL,

$$10 - (220 \times 10^3) I_B - 0.7 - (0.5 \times 10^3) I_E = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 - (220 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{I_{CQ}}{100} \right) - 0.7 - (0.5 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{I_{CQ}}{100} \right) (101) = 0$$

$$\text{or } (2200 + 505) I_{CQ} = 9.3$$

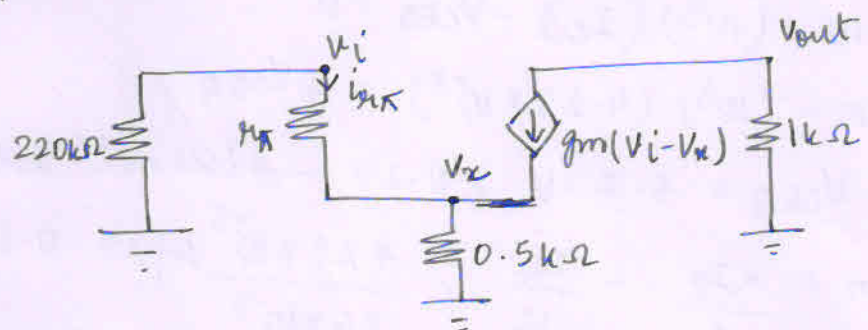
$$\Rightarrow I_{CQ} = \frac{9.3}{2705} \text{ A} = 3.438 \text{ mA} \approx 3.44 \text{ mA}$$

Applying KVL,

$$10 - (10^3) (3.44 \times 10^{-3}) - V_{CEQ} - (0.5 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{3.44 \times 10^{-3}}{100} \right) (101) = 0$$

$$\text{or } V_{CEQ} = 10 - 3.44 - 1.7372 \text{ V}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{CEQ} = 4.82 \text{ V}$$



Applying KCL at V_x ,

$$\frac{V_i - V_x}{r_{\pi}} + g_m(V_i - V_x) = \frac{V_x}{r_E}$$

$$(r_E = 0.5 \text{ k}\Omega, r_c = 1 \text{ k}\Omega)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(V_i - V_x) g_m}{\beta} + g_m(V_i - V_x) = \frac{V_x}{r_E}$$

$$\Rightarrow g_m(V_i - V_x) \left[\frac{1 + \beta}{\beta} \right] = \frac{V_x}{r_E}$$

$$\Rightarrow g_m V_i \left(\frac{\beta + 1}{\beta} \right) r_E = V_x \left[1 + g_m r_E \left(\frac{\beta + 1}{\beta} \right) \right]$$

$$\text{or } V_x = \frac{V_i g_m \left(\frac{\beta + 1}{\beta} \right) r_E}{1 + g_m \left(\frac{\beta + 1}{\beta} \right) r_E} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$V_{out} = -g_m (V_i - V_x) r_c$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{out} = -g_m \left[V_i - \frac{V_i g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E}{1 + g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E} \right] r_c \quad (\text{from (1)})$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{out} = -g_m V_i r_c \left[\frac{1 + g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E - g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E}{1 + g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow A_v = \frac{V_{out}}{V_i} = \frac{-g_m r_c}{1 + g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$g_m = \frac{\alpha I_E}{V_T} = \frac{I_C}{V_T} = \frac{3.44 \times 10^{-3} \text{ A}}{26 \times 10^{-3} \text{ V}} = 0.132 \text{ A/V}$$

$$\Rightarrow A_v = \frac{-0.132 \times 10^3}{1 + (0.132) \left(\frac{101}{100} \right) (0.5 \times 10^3)}$$

$$\Rightarrow A_v = \frac{-0.132 \times 10^3}{1 + 66.66}$$

$$\Rightarrow A_v = -1.95$$

$$i_{x_k} = \frac{V_i - V_x}{r_k} = \frac{1}{r_k} \left[V_i - \frac{V_i g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E}{1 + g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow i_{x_k} = \frac{V_i}{r_k} \left[\frac{1 + g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E - g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E}{1 + g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow i_{x_k} = \frac{V_i}{r_k} \left[\frac{1}{1 + g_m \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta} \right) r_E} \right]$$

$$\text{or } \frac{V_i}{i_{x_k}} = \frac{1}{r_k + \frac{r_k g_m (\beta+1) r_E}{\beta}} = \frac{1}{r_k + g_m (\beta+1) r_E}$$

$$\therefore Z_i = \left[r_k + (\beta+1) r_E \right] \parallel 220 \text{ k}\Omega \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$r_{\pi} = \frac{\beta}{g_m} = \frac{100}{0.132} \Omega = 757.57 \Omega$$

$$\therefore Z_i = [757.57 + (101)(0.5 \times 10^3)] \parallel (220 \times 10^3) \Omega$$

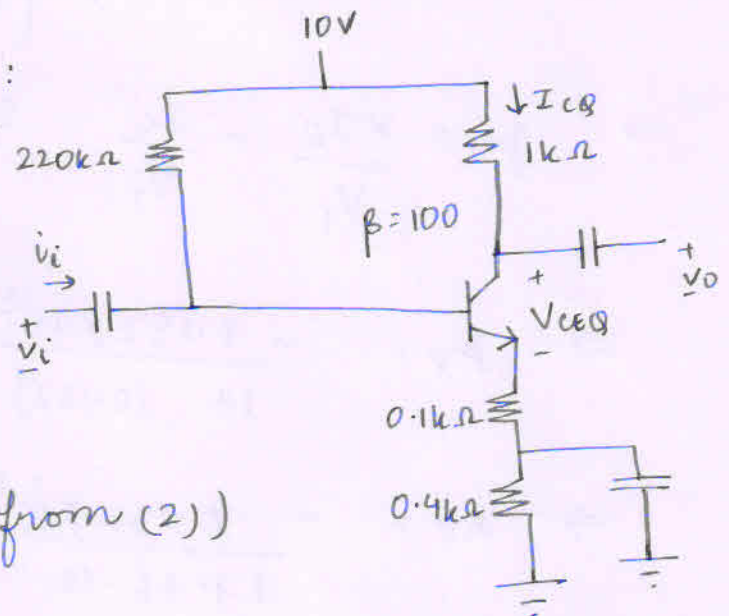
$$\Rightarrow Z_i \approx (51.26 \times 10^3) \parallel (220 \times 10^3) \Omega$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_i = \frac{51.26 \times 220 \times 10^3}{51.26 + 220} \Omega$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_i = 41.57 \text{ k}\Omega$$

After circuit modification:

Now the effective emitter resistance is $0.1 \text{ k}\Omega$ as $0.4 \text{ k}\Omega$ is shorted by the capacitor across it.



$$\therefore A_v = \frac{-g_m r_c}{1 + (\beta + 1) \left(\frac{r_e}{r_{\pi}} \right)} \quad (\text{from (2)})$$

$$= \frac{-0.132 \times 10^3}{1 + (101) \left(\frac{0.1 \times 10^3}{757.57} \right)} = -9.21$$

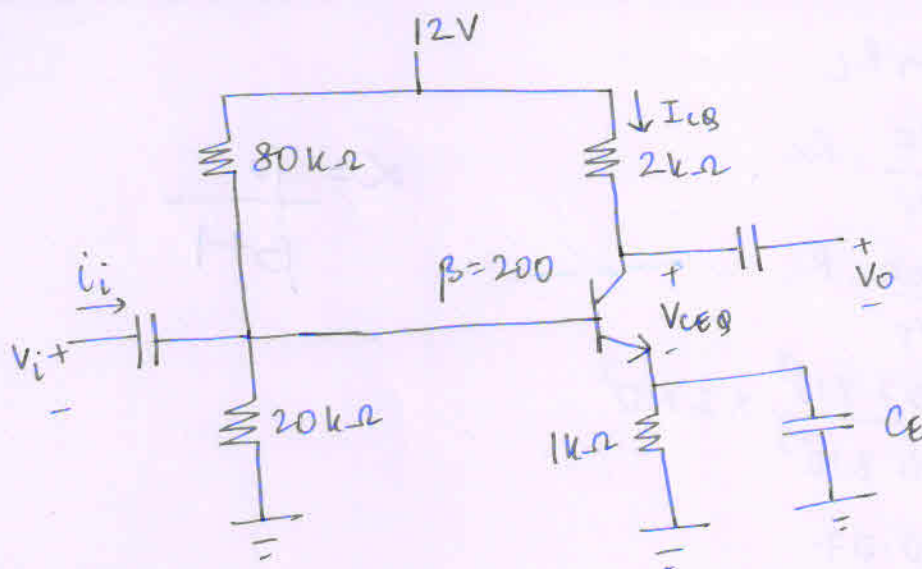
$$Z_i = [r_{\pi} + (\beta + 1) r_e] \parallel 220 \text{ k}\Omega \quad (\text{from (3)})$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_i = [757.57 + (101)(0.1 \times 10^3)] \parallel (220 \times 10^3) \Omega$$

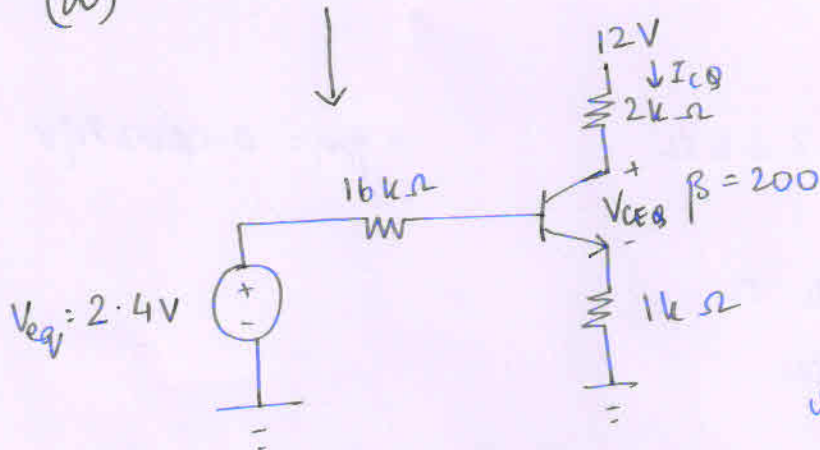
$$\Rightarrow Z_i \approx (10.86 \times 10^3) \parallel (220 \times 10^3) \Omega$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_i = \frac{10.86 \times 220 \times 10^3}{10.86 + 220} \Omega = 10.34 \text{ k}\Omega$$

Ans 5.



(a)



$$V_{eq} = \frac{20 \times 12V}{100} = 2.4V$$

$$80k \parallel 20k = 16k$$

Assume the transistor to be in forward active mode

Applying KVL,

$$2.4 - (16 \times 10^3) I_B - 0.7 - (10^3) I_E = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2.4 - (16 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{I_{CQ}}{\beta} \right) - 0.7 - (10^3) \left(\frac{I_{CQ}}{\beta} \right) (\beta + 1) = 0$$

$$\text{or } I_{CQ} \left[\frac{16 \times 10^3}{200} + \frac{10^3 \times 201}{200} \right] = 1.7$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{CQ} [80 + 1005] = 1.7$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{CQ} = 1.566 \text{ mA} \approx 1.57 \text{ mA}$$

Applying KVL,

$$12 - (2 \times 10^3) (1.57 \times 10^{-3}) - V_{CEQ} - (10^3) \left(\frac{1.57 \times 10^{-3}}{200} \right) (201) = 0$$

$$\text{or } V_{CEQ} = 12 - 3.14 - 1.57 \text{ V}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{CEQ} = 7.28 \text{ V} \approx 7.3 \text{ V} > 0.2 \text{ V} \rightarrow \text{Correct assumption of forward active mode.}$$

$$(b) A_v = -g_m R_c$$

$$= -\frac{\alpha I_E}{V_T} \cdot R_c$$

$$= -\frac{I_{CQ}}{V_T} \cdot R_c$$

$$= -\frac{1.57 \times 10^{-3}}{26 \times 10^{-3}} \times 2 \times 10^3$$

$$= -120.07$$

$$Z_i = 80k \parallel 20k \parallel r_\pi$$

$$r_\pi = \frac{\beta}{g_m} = \frac{200 \times 26 \Omega}{1.57} = 3.3 k\Omega$$

$$g_m = 0.0603 A/V$$

$$\therefore Z_i = 80k \parallel 20k \parallel 3.3k \Omega$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_i = 16k \parallel 3.3k \Omega$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_i = \frac{16 \times 3.3 \times 10^3}{16 + 3.3} \Omega = 2.735k \Omega$$

(c) from equation (2) of Ans 4,

$$A_v = \frac{-g_m R_c}{1 + \left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta}\right) g_m R_E} = \frac{-g_m R_c}{1 + (\beta+1) \frac{R_E}{r_\pi}}$$

$$\Rightarrow A_v = \frac{-0.0603 \times 2 \times 10^3}{1 + \frac{(201) \times 10^3}{3.3 \times 10^3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow A_v = -1.948$$

from equation (3) of Ans 4,

$$Z_i = 80k \parallel 20k \parallel r_\pi + (\beta+1) R_E$$

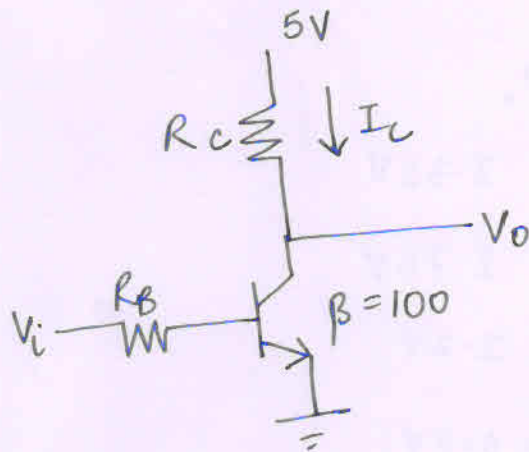
$$\Rightarrow Z_i = 16k \parallel 3.3k + (201) 1k \Omega$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_i = 16k \parallel 204.3k \Omega$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_i = \frac{16 \times 204.3 \times 10^3}{16 + 204.3} \Omega$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_i = 14.837 k\Omega$$

Ans 6.



For saturation, $V_{CE} = 0.2V$

$$\therefore R_C = \frac{5 - 0.2}{2 \times 10^{-3}} \Omega = 2.4 k\Omega$$

$$\beta = 20$$

$$\therefore I_B = \frac{2mA}{20} = 0.1mA$$

$$\therefore R_B = \frac{5 - 0.7}{0.1 \times 10^{-3}} \Omega = 43 k\Omega$$

$$V_O = V_{CC} - I_C R_C$$

$$\Rightarrow V_O = V_{CC} - \beta I_B R_C$$

$$\Rightarrow V_O = V_{CC} - \beta \left(\frac{V_i - 0.7}{R_B} \right) R_C \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

for $V_i < 0.7V$, the transistor is in cut-off mode

$$\therefore \text{for } V_i < 0.7V, V_O = 5V$$

When V_i increases beyond $0.7V$, the transistor enters the forward active mode and continues to remain till in forward active mode till a value of V_i where $V_O = 0.2V$ and the transistor goes in saturation. To find the value of V_i where $V_O = 0.2V$, from equation (1),

$$\therefore 0.2 = 5 - 100 \left(\frac{V_i - 0.7}{43 \times 10^3} \right) (2.4 \times 10^3)$$

$$\Rightarrow (V_i - 0.7) 5.58 = 4.8$$

$$\Rightarrow V_i = 1.56 \text{ V}$$

e.g. From equation (1),

for $V_i = 1 \text{ V}$, $V_o = 3.32 \text{ V}$

for $V_i = 1.1 \text{ V}$, $V_o = 2.76 \text{ V}$

for $V_i = 1.2 \text{ V}$, $V_o = 2.2 \text{ V}$

for $V_i > 1.56 \text{ V}$, $V_o = 0.2 \text{ V}$

