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Experiment Name - (CE) Single stage Amplifier.

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## Experiment 1: Single Stage Amplifier

- Objective:- To observe the operating characteristics of the common emitter (CE) configuration and to learn how it can be used for small signal amplification.
- To determine voltage gain of amplifier
  - To find out the clipping voltages for positive and negative polarity peaks of the output signal.
  - To study the frequency response to calculate bandwidth for sinusoidal wave.
  - To compare the input and output frequency spectrum.

## Formulae:-

(i) Voltage Gain  $A_v = \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}}$

$A_v (\text{theoretical}) = \frac{R_c}{R_E}$

$A_v (\text{in decibels}) = 20 \log_{10} \left( \frac{V_{out(p-p)}}{V_{in(p-p)}} \right)$

$V_{out(p-p)}$  = Output voltage (peak to peak).

$V_{in(p-p)}$  = Input voltage (peak to peak)

Bandwidth =  $(f_2 - f_1) \text{ Hz}$

$f_1$  &  $f_2$  = lower & upper cut-off frequencies.

$I_E = I_B + I_C$

$\alpha = \frac{I_C}{I_E}$

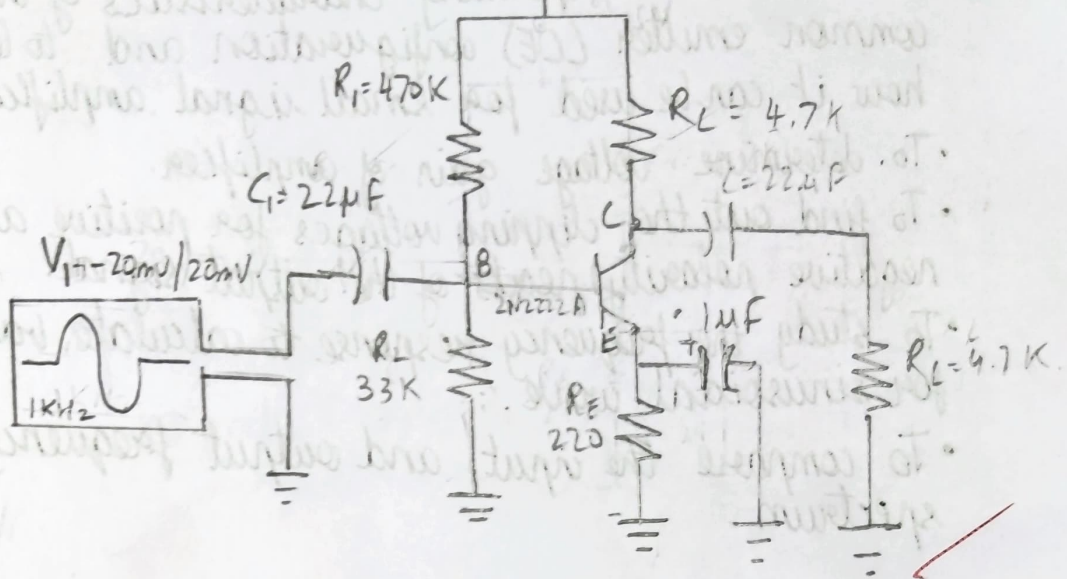
$\beta = \frac{I_C}{I_B}$

$I_E$  = Emitter Current

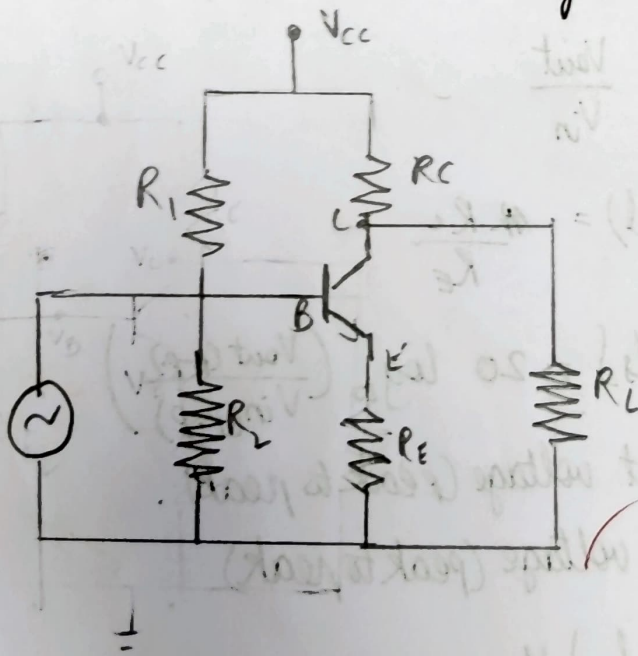
$I_C$  = ~~Base~~ Collector Current

$I_B$  = Base Current.

# General Circuits



## DC Equivalent Circuit and Analysis



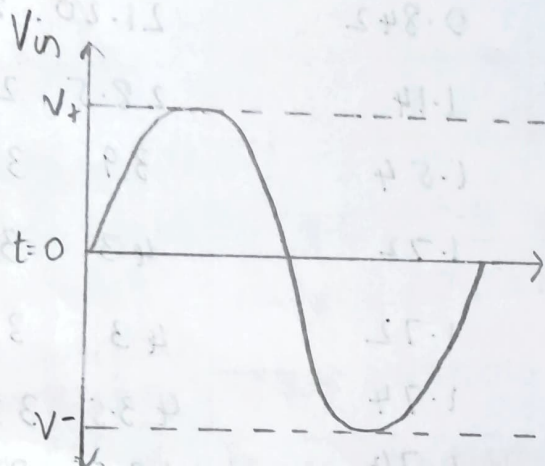
$$I_E = I_B + I_C$$

$$\beta = \frac{I_C}{I_B}$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B$$

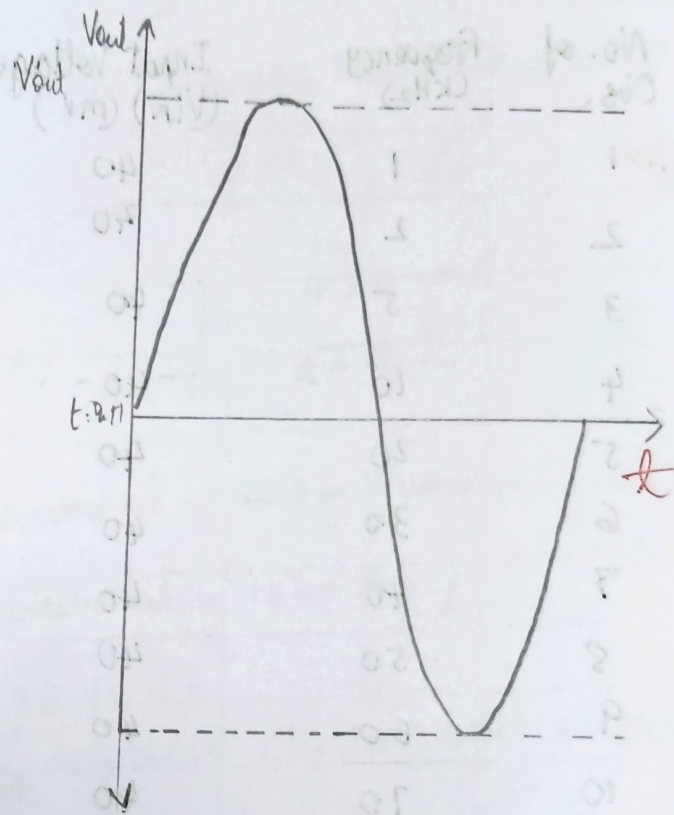


# Expected Waveform:



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# Observation:



No. of Cycles	Frequency (Hz)	Input (V)	Output (V)
1	1	0.0	0.845
2	2	0.0	1.14
3	3	0.0	1.24
4	4	0.0	1.25
5	5	0.0	1.25
6	6	0.0	1.25
7	7	0.0	1.25
8	8	0.0	1.25
9	9	0.0	1.25
10	10	0.0	1.25
11	11	0.0	1.25
12	12	0.0	1.25
13	13	0.0	1.25
14	14	0.0	1.25
15	15	0.0	1.25
16	16	0.0	1.25
17	17	0.0	1.25
18	18	0.0	1.25
19	19	0.0	1.25
20	20	0.0	1.25
21	21	0.0	1.25
22	22	0.0	1.25
23	23	0.0	1.25
24	24	0.0	1.25
25	25	0.0	1.25

# Observation:

No. of Obs.	Frequency (KHz)	Input Voltage (Vin) (mv)	Output Voltage (Vout) in V	Voltage Gain (Av)	
					In Decibel
1	1	40	0.842	21.20	26.53
2	2	40	1.14	28.5	29.10
3	5	40	1.54	39	31.82
4	10	40	1.72	43	32.67
5	20	40	1.72	43	32.67
6	30	40	1.74	43.5	32.77
7	40	40	1.74	43.5	32.77
8	50	40	1.78	44	32.87
9	60	40	1.82	45.5	33.16
10	70	40	1.82	45.5	33.16
11	80	40	1.82	45.5	33.16
12	90	40	1.76	44	32.87
13	100	40	1.74	43.5	32.77
14	150	40	1.72	43	32.67
15	200	40	1.70	42.5	32.56
16	300	40	1.60	40.0	32
17	400	40	1.40	38.5	30.88
18	500	40	1.16	29	29.24
19	600	40	1.06	26.5	28.46
20	1000	40	0.908	22.7	27.12
21	2000	40	0.828	20.7	26.32

obs = 10



Materials: Breadboard, Digital Storage Oscilloscope, Function Generator, Power Supply, Resistors: [470K, 4.7K, 33K, 220Ω]  
Capacitors: (22μF-2, 1μF-1) 2N2222 Transistors, wires

$E_{V_{CE}} = 10$

## Calculation

- Bandwidth =  $f_2 - f_1$   
(from graph = 470 - 3 KHz  
calculated = 467 KHz.  
at -3decibels from peaks to get 50% of  $A_v$ )
- +ve clipping occurs at = 104mV P-P
  - -ve clipping occurs at = 144mV P-P
  - Voltage gain (stable) = 33.16 dB
  - ~~no clipping in positive and negative~~ positive and negative clipping was observed on changing voltage.

## Summary of Results:

→ Output signal and input signal is 180° out of phase.

→ Bandwidth = 467 KHz.

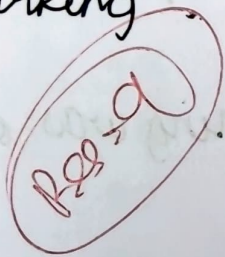
3.  $A_v$  at  $f_2 = 33.16$  KHz.

- +ve clipping was at 104mV P-P
- -ve clipping was at 144mV P-P
- The graph remains constant from 60 KHz to 90 KHz.  
~~It is~~ The graph of voltage gain initially increases from 1 KHz to 60 KHz and then stabilizes from 60 KHz to 90 KHz.
- The voltage gain then decreases from 100 KHz - 2000 KHz.
- The common emitter amplifier tremendously amplifies the amplitude of voltage. The amplification is highest in the bandwidth region of 10 KHz to 200 KHz.
- Positive clipping occurs when the b.j.t is cut off i.e. it becomes an open circuit while negative clipping occurs at saturated region.



## Precautions:

- Make sure the connections are tight.
- $V_{in}$  should remain constant.
- Make sure the transistor is working in the active region.
- Check the resistances of the resistors.
- If there is noise in the signal make sure no wires are loose.
- Check and make sure the transistor is not broken.
- Make sure all apparatus and machines are working.



Input

sin wave :

freq. 1 kHz

$V_{p-p} = 40\text{mV}$

Output

$V_{p-p} = 854\text{mV}$

gain = 21.35

phase difference

b/w input & output =  $180^\circ$

=  $\pi$  rad.



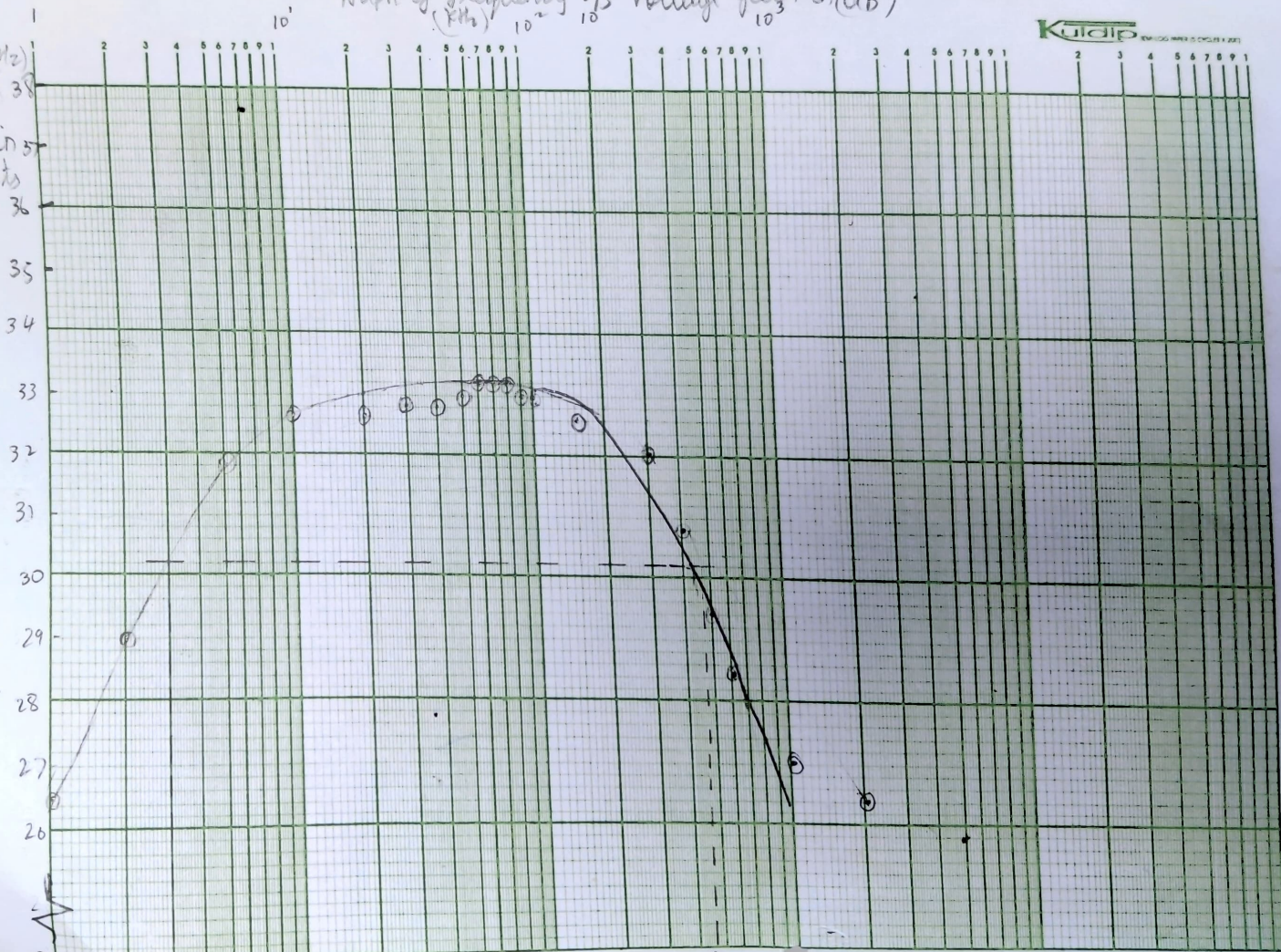


# Graph of frequency vs Voltage gain in (dB)

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Y-axis:  
frequency (kHz)  
(log scale)  
Gain:  
Voltage gain  
0.5 graph units  
= 2dB.

Voltage gain (dB)



3 V/V

Frequency (kHz)

30 kHz