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EHB222E INTRODUCTION TO ELECTRONICS (12006, 12084, 12085, 15189)

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1. A transistor level amplifier shown in the figure1 below utilizes an NPN transistor Q_1 that is known to have V_{BE} - I_C characteristic shown in the figure2 below. (25 points)
 - a) Assuming transistor current gain of $\beta = 100$ find out the optimum R_B resistor value to yield a good symmetric headroom for the V_{out} at the collector output of this amplifier?
 - b) Assuming a microphone with 100KOhm source impedance and 1mV peak AC small signal, what is the output AC small signal peak level?

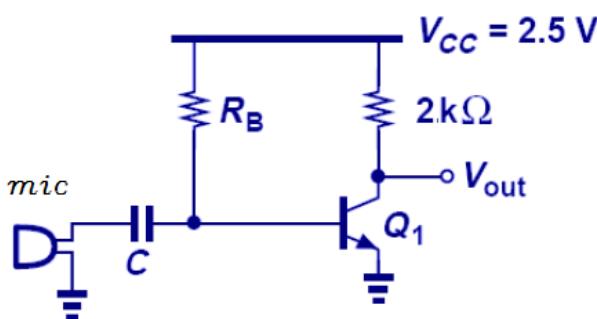


Figure 1

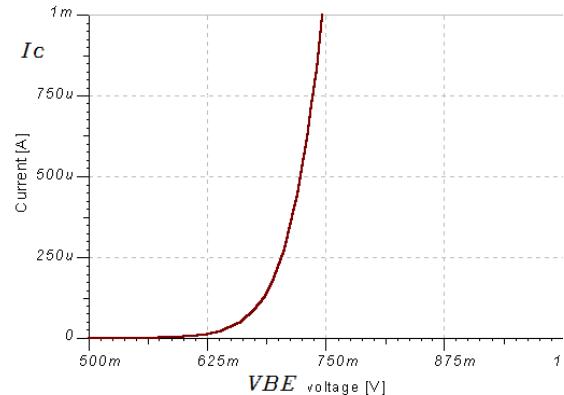


Figure 2

2. $V_{CC} = 9V$, $V_{BE} = 0.7V$, $\beta_F \rightarrow \infty$ is given for the circuit in figure3. Assume all transistors have equal bias currents. (25 points)
 - a) Derive the expression for I_o in terms of the resistors, V_{CC} and V_{BE} .
 - b) Calculate the value of R_1 , R_2 and R_3 so that $I_o = 1mA$ assuming $R_1 = R_2$.
 - c) Calculate the minimum value of V_o so that all transistors remain in the forward active region.

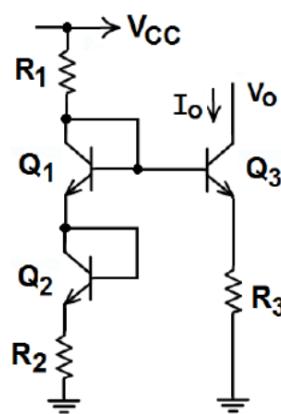


Figure 3

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3. For the circuit in the figure 4, Zener diode with $V_Z = 6,7\text{V}$. NPN BJT properties are $V_{BE} = 0,7\text{V}$, $h_{FE} = \beta = 100$. Find operating point I_{CQ} and V_{CEQ} . Calculate I_B and I_Z . (25 points)

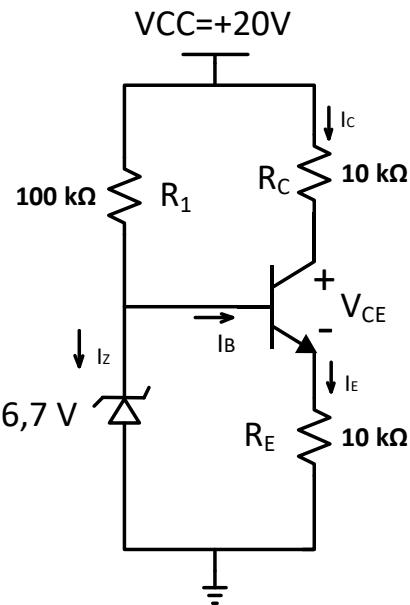


Figure 4

4. Analyze the 3-stage amplifier circuit in the figure 5. For all transistors $h_{FE} = h_{fe} = 200$, $|V_{BE}| = 0.6\text{V}$, $h_{re} \leq 0$, $h_{oe} \leq 0$ and $V_T = 25\text{mV}$. (25 points)

- Find the collector currents of all 4 transistors.
- Calculate the total voltage gain.
- Calculate input resistance (r_i) and output resistance (r_o).

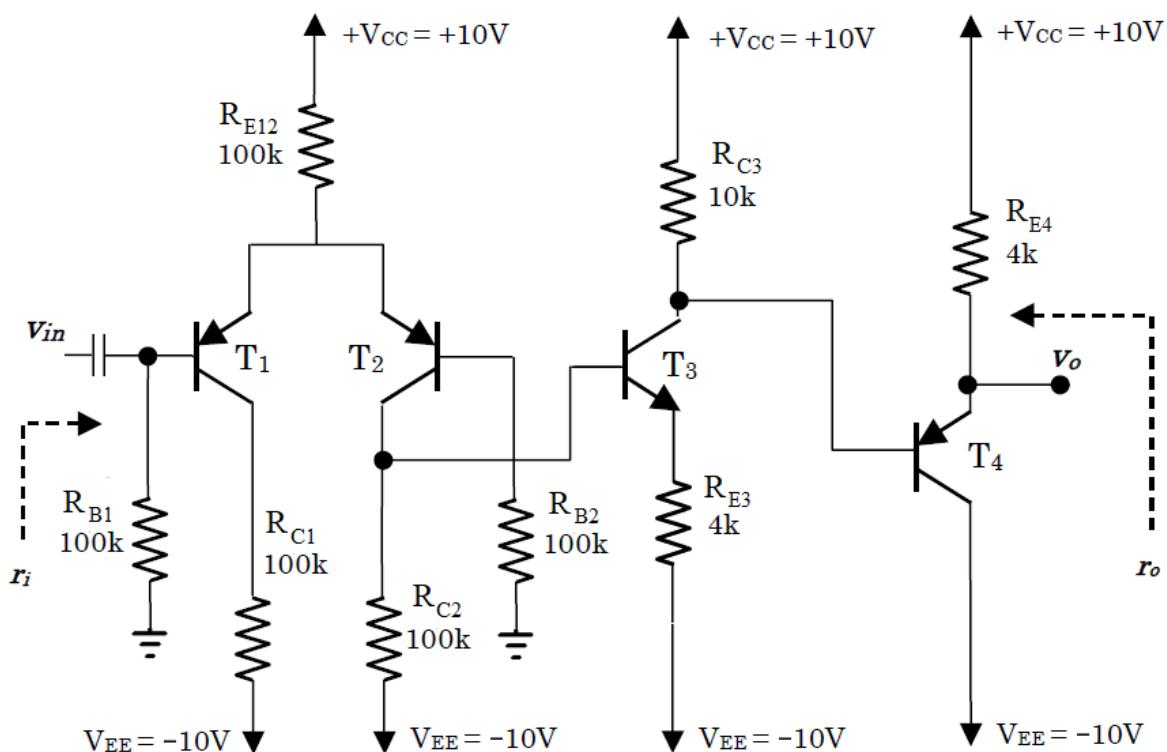
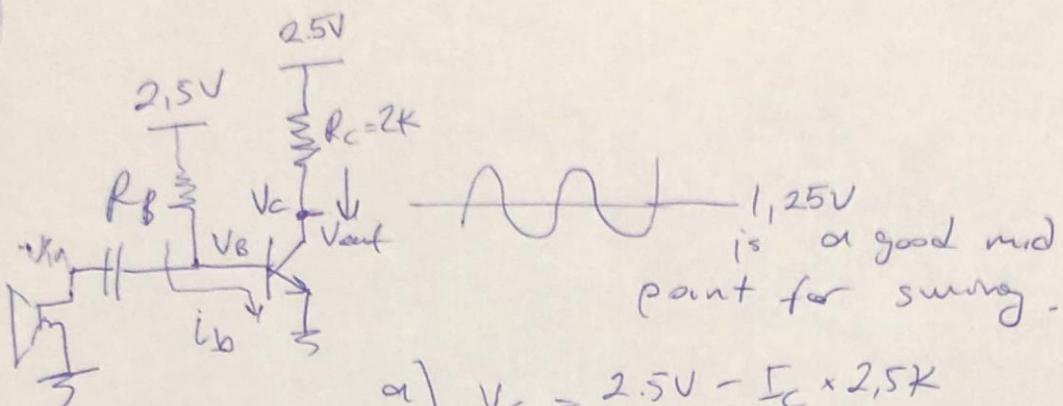


Figure 5

Solutions:

1.

Q-1)



is a good mid point for swing.

$$a) V_C = 2.5V - I_C \times 2.5K$$

$$I_C = 0.5mA \text{ optimum}$$

from the $I_C - V_{BE}$ curve for $I_C = 0.5mA$ $V_{BE} = 680mV$

$$\text{Hence if } I_C = 0.5mA \Rightarrow I_B = \frac{0.5mA}{100} = 5\mu A$$

$$\text{for } V_B = 680mV \Rightarrow I_B = \frac{2.5V - V_B}{R_B} = 5\mu A$$

$$R_B = \frac{1.82V}{5\mu A} = 364K\Omega$$

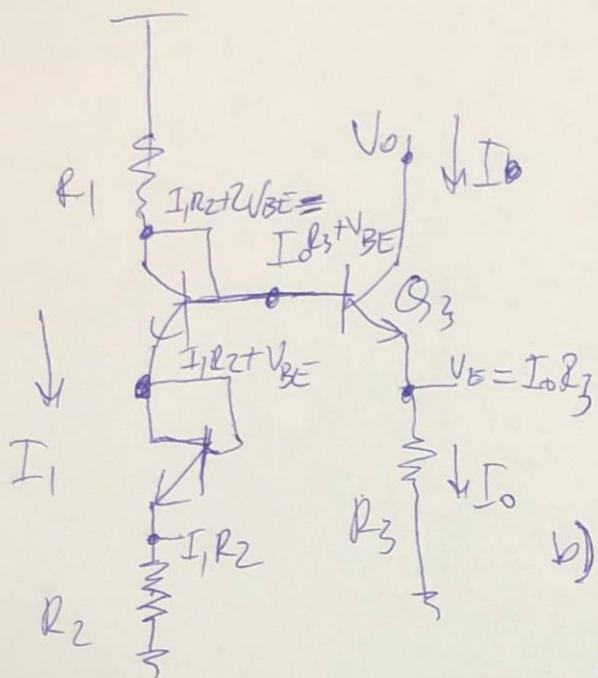
$$b) V_{outss} = \frac{(V_{iss} \cdot B \cdot R_C)}{\sqrt{\pi}} = \frac{200K \cdot 1.155}{5.2K} \rightarrow f_T = \frac{V_I = 26mV}{I_B = 5\mu A} = 5.2K$$

$$A_V = \frac{V_{outss}}{V_{iss}} = \frac{200}{5.2} \approx 38.5$$

2.

(Q-2)

$$a) I_{R_2} + 2V_{BE} = I_o R_3 + V_{BE}$$



$$I_o R_3 = V_{BE} + I_{R_2}$$

$$I_o = \frac{V_{BE} + I_{R_2}}{R_3}$$

$$I_{R_2} = \frac{V_{CC} - 2V_{BE}}{R_1 + R_2}$$

$$I_o = V_{BE} + \left(\frac{V_{CC} - 2V_{BE}}{R_1 + R_2} \right) R_3$$

$$b) I_{mA} = \frac{0.7V + \frac{7.6}{2}}{R_3}$$

$$R_3 = \frac{4.5V}{1mA} = \underline{\underline{4.5k\Omega}}$$

$$c) \text{ for } Q_3 \quad V_E = I_o R_3 = 4.5V$$

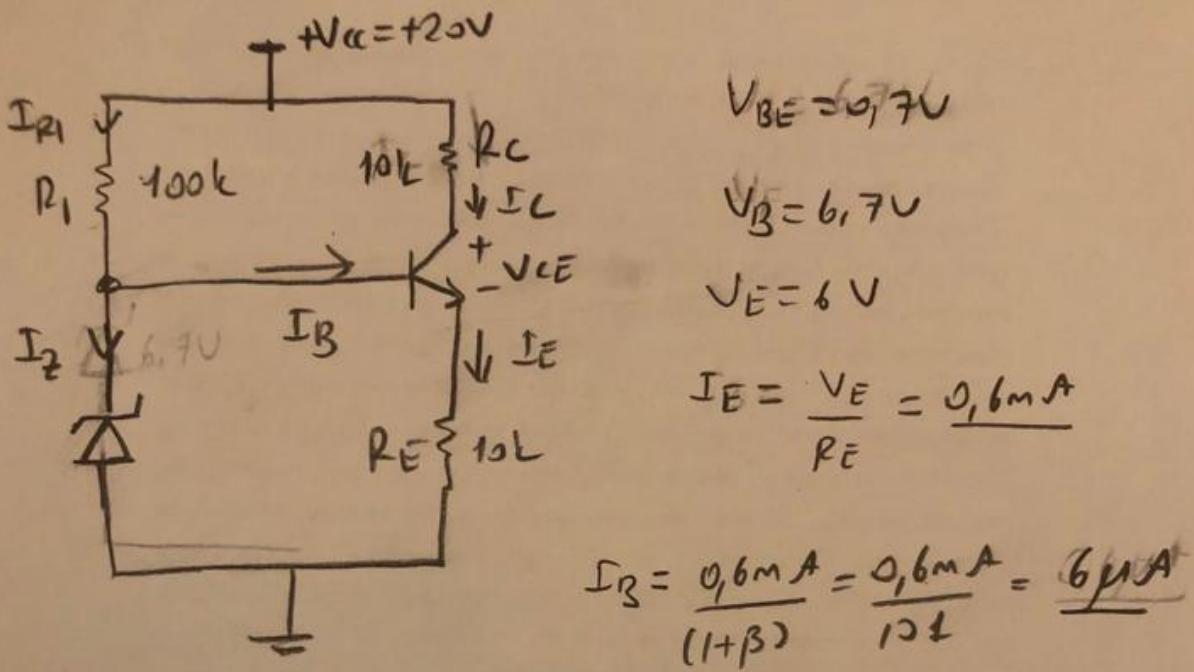
Hence for Q_3 to be in active region,

$$V_o - V_E \geq V_{CE(\text{sat})}$$

$$\text{Hence } V_o \geq \underline{\underline{4.8V}}$$

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$$I_{R1} = \frac{20 - 6,7}{100\text{k}\Omega} = \frac{13,3}{100\text{k}\Omega} = 133\mu\text{A}$$

$$I_2 = I_{R1} - I_B = 133\mu\text{A} - 6\mu\text{A} = 127\mu\text{A}$$

$$\boxed{I_C \approx I_E = 0,6\text{mA}} \rightarrow V_{CEg} = \frac{20 - 10\text{k}\Omega \cdot 0,6\text{mA}}{6\text{V}}$$

$$\leftarrow V_{CP} = 16\text{V}$$

$$V_{CEg} = 14\text{V} - 6\text{V}$$

$$\boxed{V_{CEg} = 8\text{V}}$$

4. a.

$$V_{cc} = 2I_{E1} \cdot 100k + V_{EB1} + I_{B1} \cdot 100k = 2 \frac{(\beta+1)}{\beta} I_{C1} \cdot 100k + 0,6V + \frac{I_{C1}}{\beta} \cdot 100k$$

$$I_{C1} = I_{C2} = \frac{\beta \cdot (V_{cc} - 0,6V)}{2(\beta+1) \cdot 100k} = 0,0467mA$$

$$-100k \cdot (I_{C2} - I_{B3}) + V_{BE3} + 4k \cdot I_{E3} = 0$$

$$-100k \cdot (0,0467mA - \frac{I_{C3}}{\beta}) + 0,6V + 4k \cdot \frac{(\beta+1)}{\beta} I_{C3} = 0$$

$$I_{C3} = \frac{\beta \cdot (100k \cdot 0,0467mA - 0,6V)}{4k \cdot (\beta+1) + 100k} = 0,9mA$$

$$10k \cdot (I_{C3} - I_{B4}) - V_{EB4} - 4k \cdot I_{E4} = 0$$

$$10k \cdot (0,9mA - \frac{I_{C4}}{\beta}) - 0,6V - 4k \cdot \frac{(\beta+1)}{\beta} I_{C4} = 0$$

$$I_{C4} = \frac{\beta \cdot (10k \cdot 0,9mA - 0,6V)}{10k + 4k \cdot (\beta+1)} = 2,064mA$$

b.

$$r_{e1} = r_{e2} = \frac{V_T}{I_{C2}} = \frac{25mV}{0,0467mA} = 536\Omega \quad r_{e3} = \frac{25mV}{0,9mA} = 27,8\Omega \quad r_{e4} = \frac{25mV}{2,064mA} = 12,11\Omega$$

$$A_{v4} = \frac{R_{e4}}{R_{e4} + r_{e4}} = \frac{4k}{4k + 12,11} = 0,997 \quad r_{i4} = h_{fe}(R_{e4} + r_{e4}) = 200(4k + 12,11) = 802,4k$$

$$A_{v3} = -\frac{R_{e3}/r_{i4}}{R_{e3} + r_{e3}} = -\frac{10k/802,4k}{4k + 27,8} = -2,452 \quad r_{i3} = h_{fe}(R_{e3} + r_{e3}) = 200(4k + 27,8) = 805,56k$$

$$A_{vd} = \frac{R_4/r_{i3}}{2r_{e2} + \frac{100k}{h_{fe}}} = 56,6$$

$$A_v = A_{vd} \cdot A_{v3} \cdot A_{v4} = 56,6 \cdot (-2,452) \cdot 0,997 = -138$$

c.

$$r_i' = 2h_{fe}r_{e1} + 100k = 314,4k$$

$$r_i = 100k // r_i' = 75,87k$$

$$r_o = r_{e4} + \frac{10k}{h_{fe}} = 62,11\Omega$$