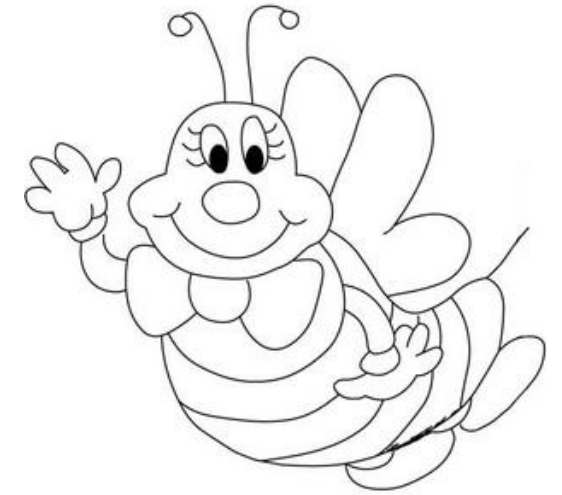


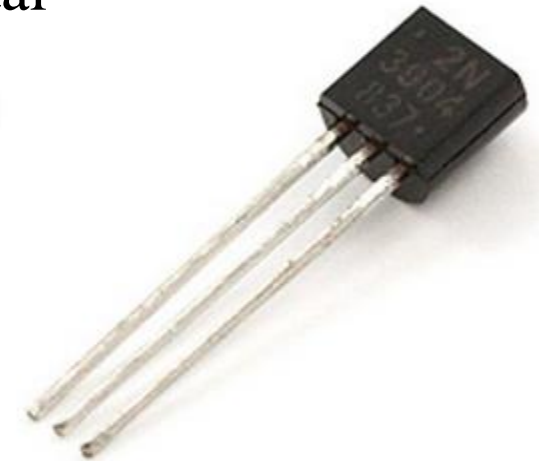
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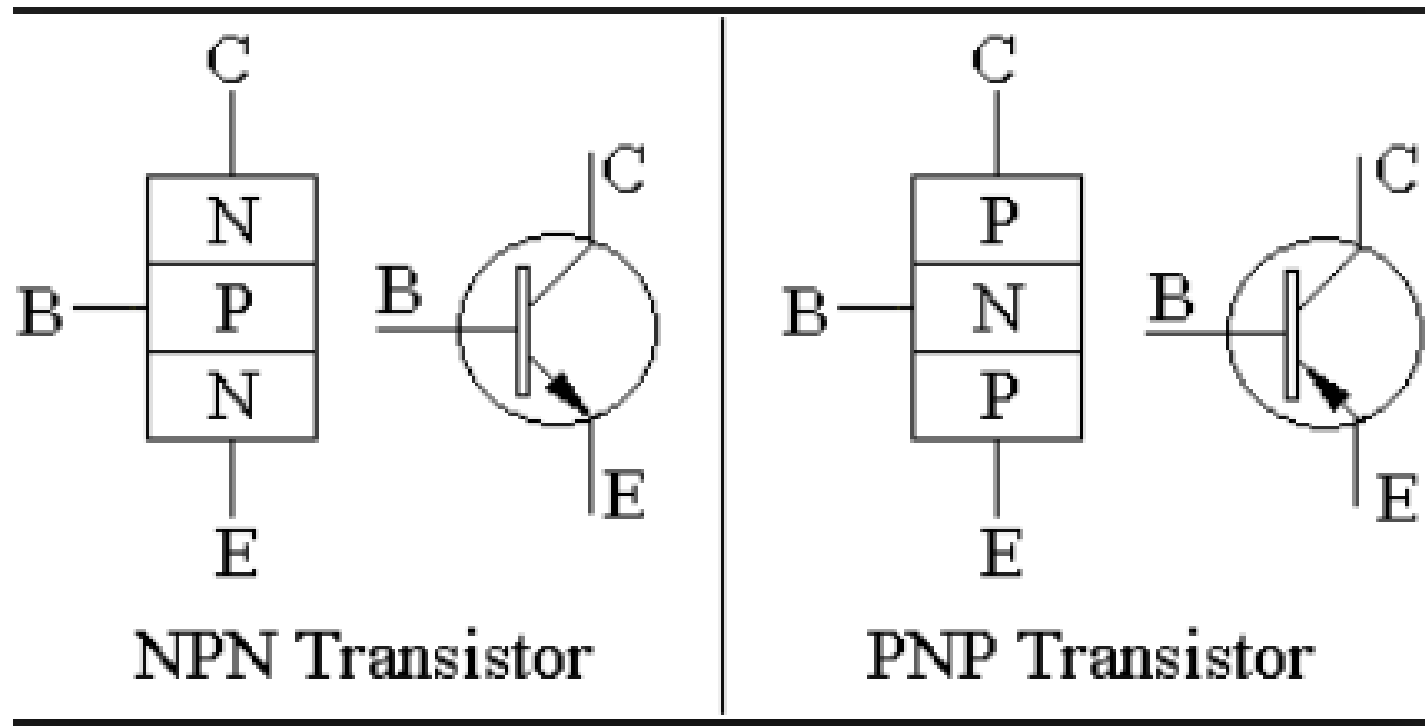
BJT:

1. It's a semiconductor device that can amplify electrical signals such as radio or television signals.
2. Its essential ingredient of every electronic circuits; from the simplest amplifier or oscillator to the most elaborate digital computer.
3. It's a three terminal device; **Base**, **Emitter**, and **Collector**.



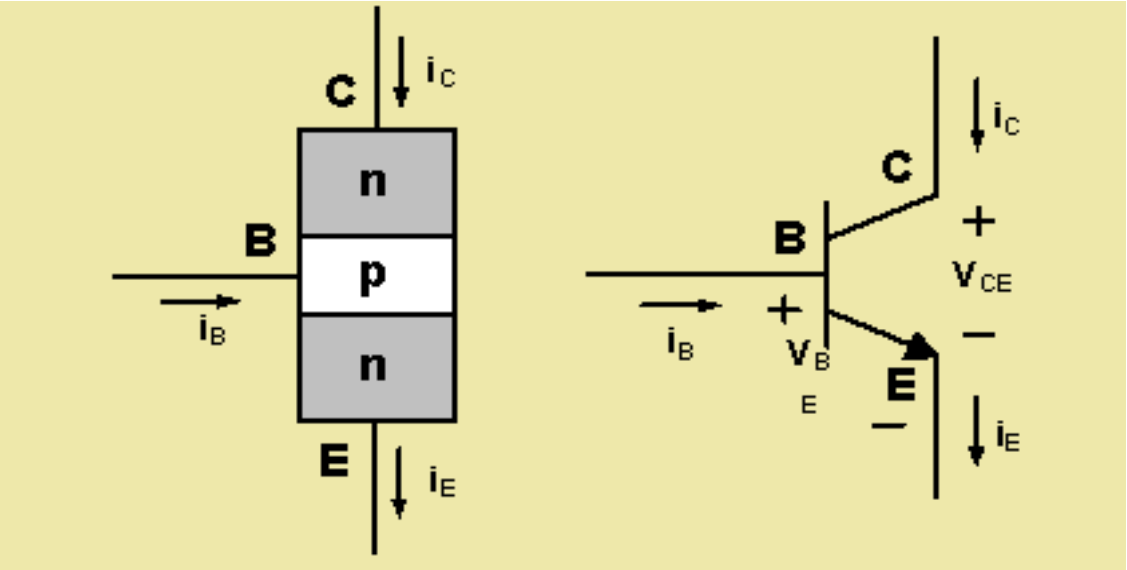
There are two type of BJT:

- **npn** type
- **pnp** type

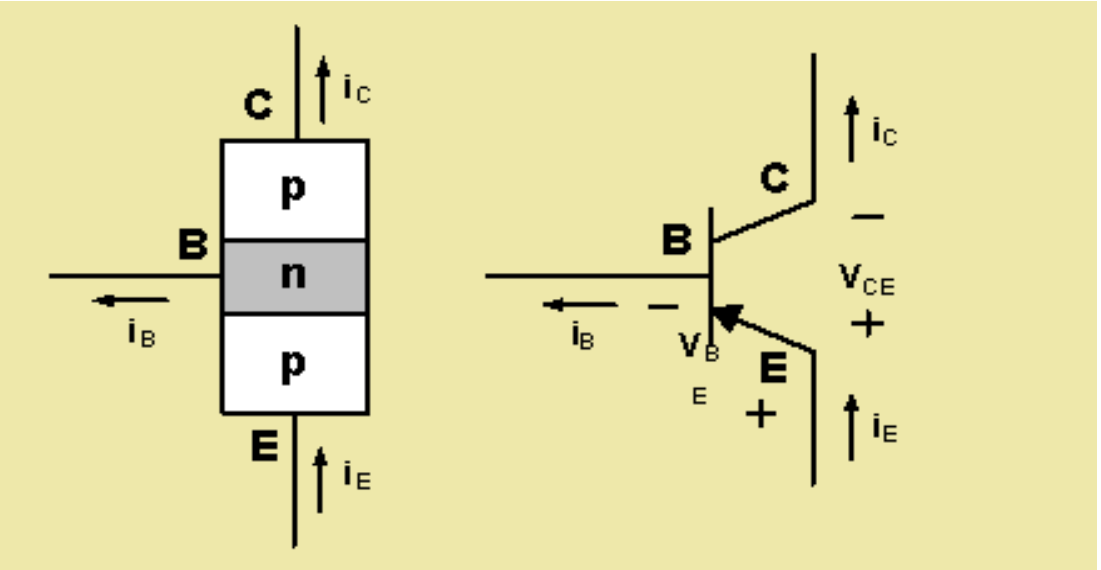


# Transistor structure:

➤ npn type



➤ pnp type



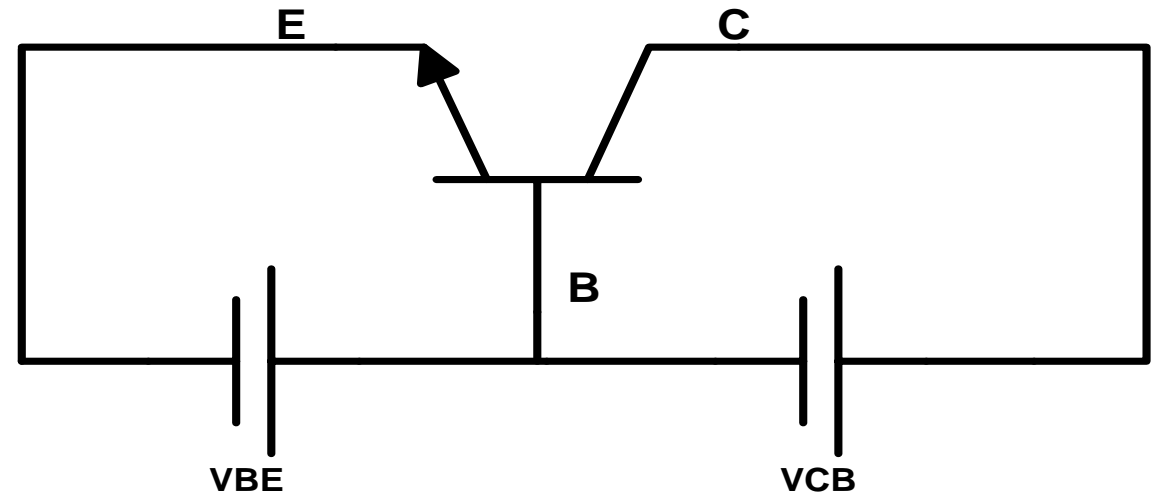
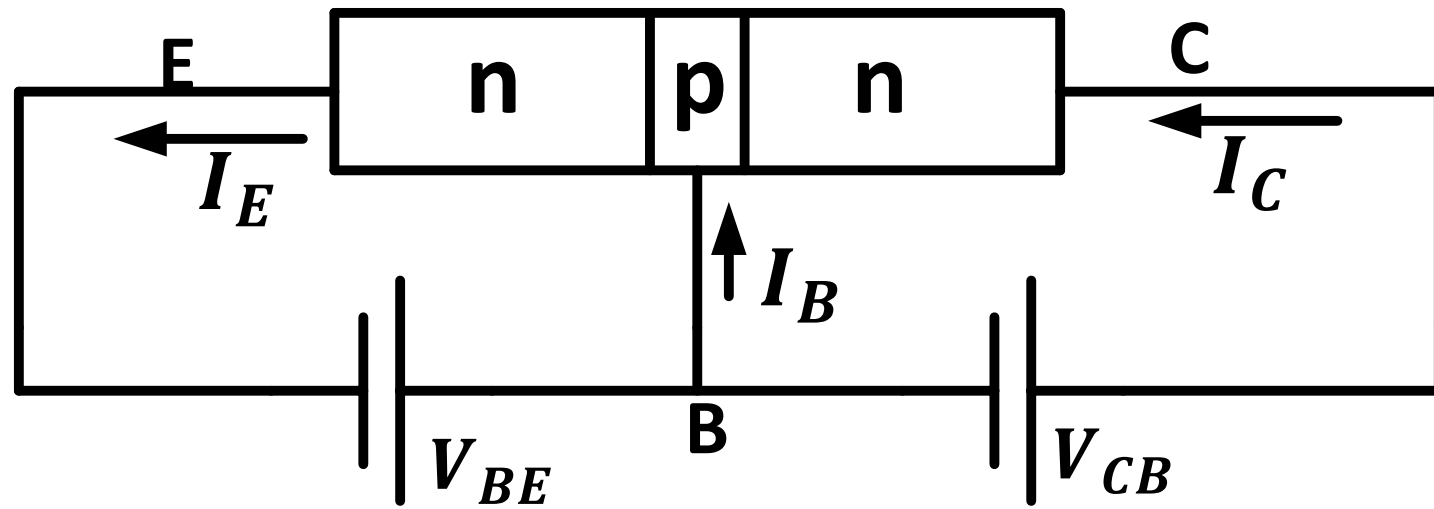
# Transistor biasing:

- ✓ In order to operate properly as an amplifier, it's necessary to correctly bias the two pn-junctions with external voltages.
- ✓ Depending upon external bias voltage polarities used; the transistor works in one of **four regions** (modes).
- ✓ For transistor to be used as an Active device (**Amplifier**); the **emitter-base** junction must be **forward** bias, while the **collector-base** junction must be **reverse** biased.

Region	Base-Emitter junction	Base-collector junction
Active	Forward Bias	Revers Bias
Saturation	Forward Bias	Forward Bias
Cut-off	Revers Bias	Revers Bias
Invers	Revers Bias	Forward Bias

## In active region

- ✓ The base region is thin and lightly doped
- ✓ The emitter-base junction is forward biased, thus the depletion region at this junction is reduced.
- ✓ The base-collector junction is reverse biased, thus the depletion region at this junction is increased.
- ✓ The forward biased BE-junction causes the electrons in the n-type emitter to flow toward the base; this constitutes the emitter current  $I_E$ .
- ✓ As these electrons flow through the P-type base; they tend to recombine with holes in p-type base.



✓ Since the **base** region is **lightly doped**; very few of the electrons injected into the base from the emitter recombine with holes to constitute base current  $I_B$  and the remaining large number of electrons cross the base and move through the collector region to the positive terminal of the external DC source; this constitute collector current  $I_C$

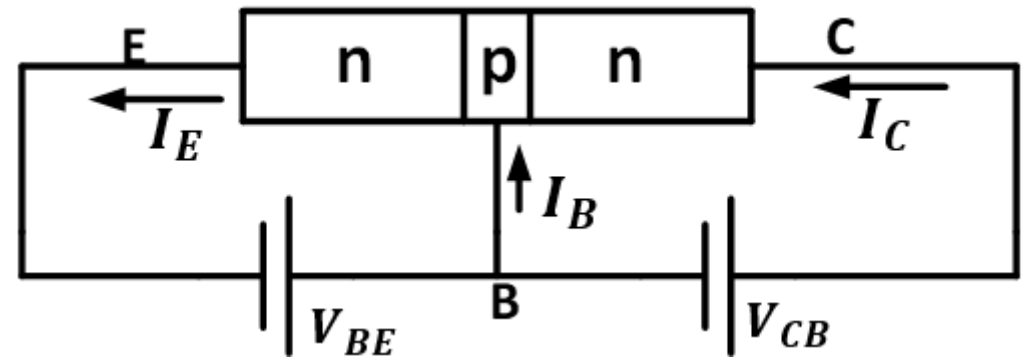
✓ There is another component for  $I_C$  due to the minority carrier;  $I_{CBO}$

$$I_C = \alpha I_E + I_{CBO}$$

Majority

Minority

$$0.998 > \alpha > 0.9$$



$$I_C = \alpha I_E + I_{CB0}$$

$$I_E = I_C + I_B$$

$$I_C = \alpha(I_C + I_B) + I_{CB0}$$

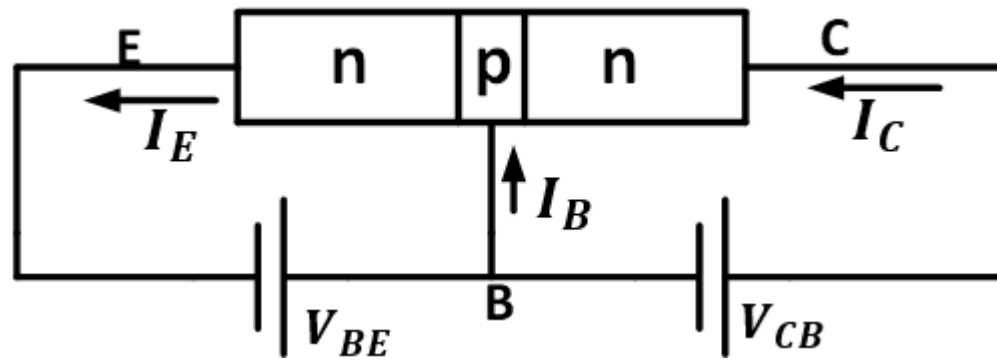
$$\diamond I_C = \frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha} I_B + \frac{1}{1-\alpha} I_{CB0}$$

Let Beta,  $\beta = \frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha}$

$$\diamond I_C = \beta I_B + (\beta + 1) I_{CB0}$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B + I_{CE0}$$

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



If  $\alpha = 0.99$   $\longrightarrow$   $\beta = 99$

If  $\alpha = 0.995$   $\longrightarrow$   $\beta = 199$



**In active region:**

$$I_C = \alpha I_E + I_{CB0}$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B + (\beta + 1)I_{CB0}$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B + I_{CE0}$$

$$I_E = I_C + I_B$$

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

**Approximate relationships:**

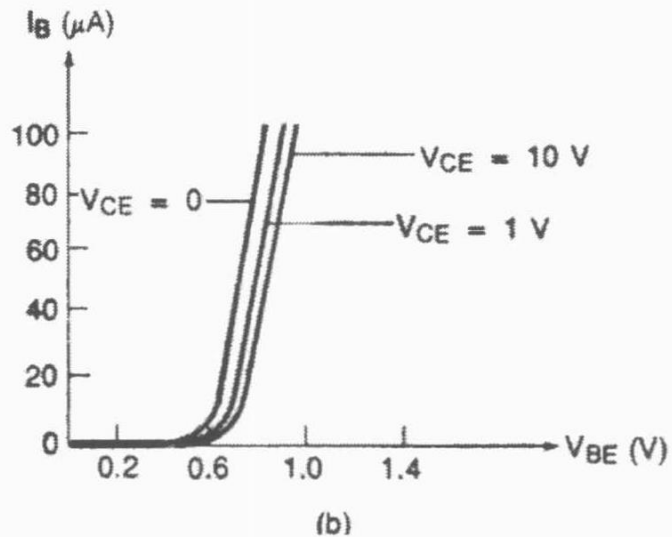
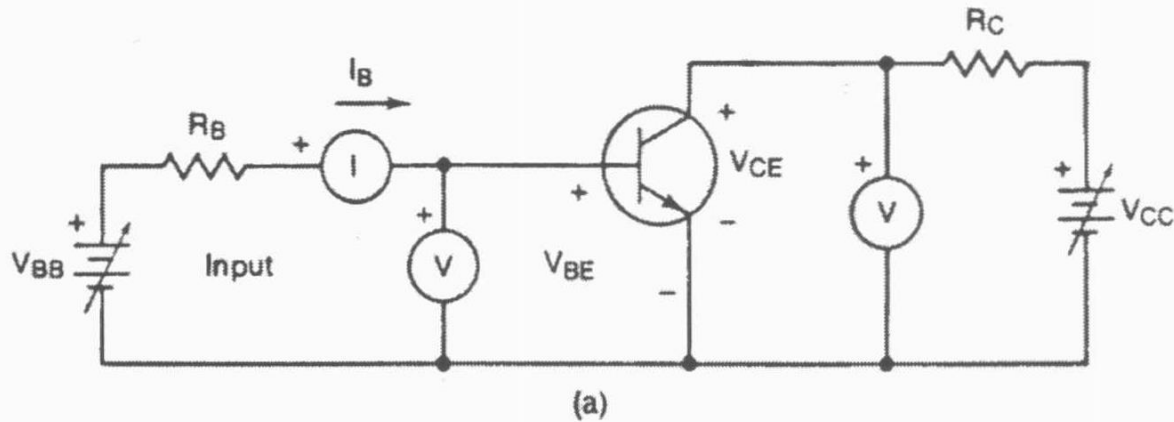
$$I_C \cong \alpha I_E \cong I_E$$

$$I_C \cong \beta I_B$$

$$I_E \cong (\beta + 1)I_B$$



## Input characteristic curve:

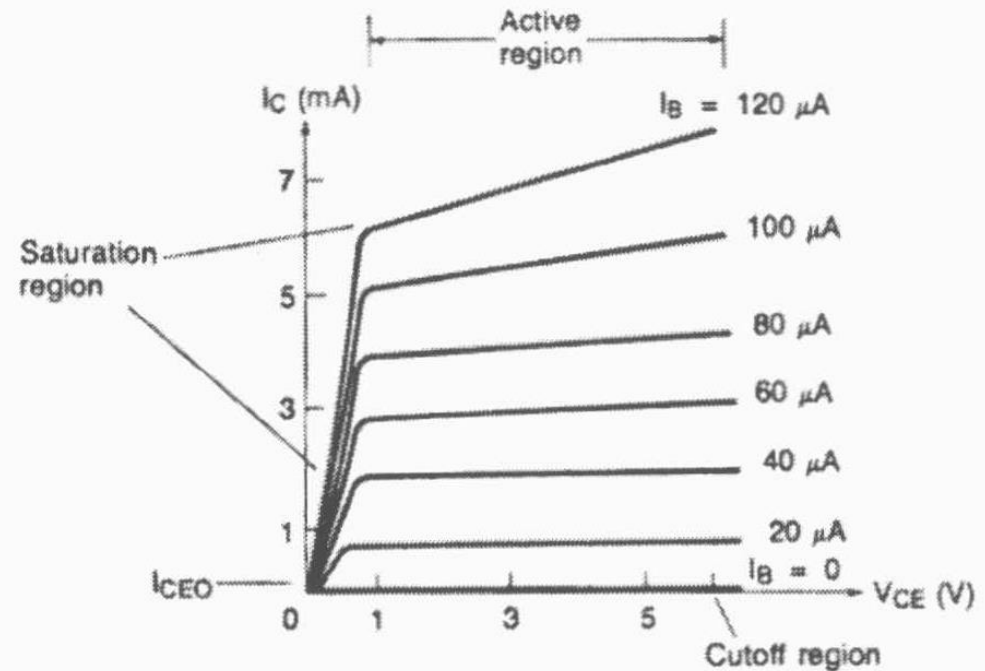
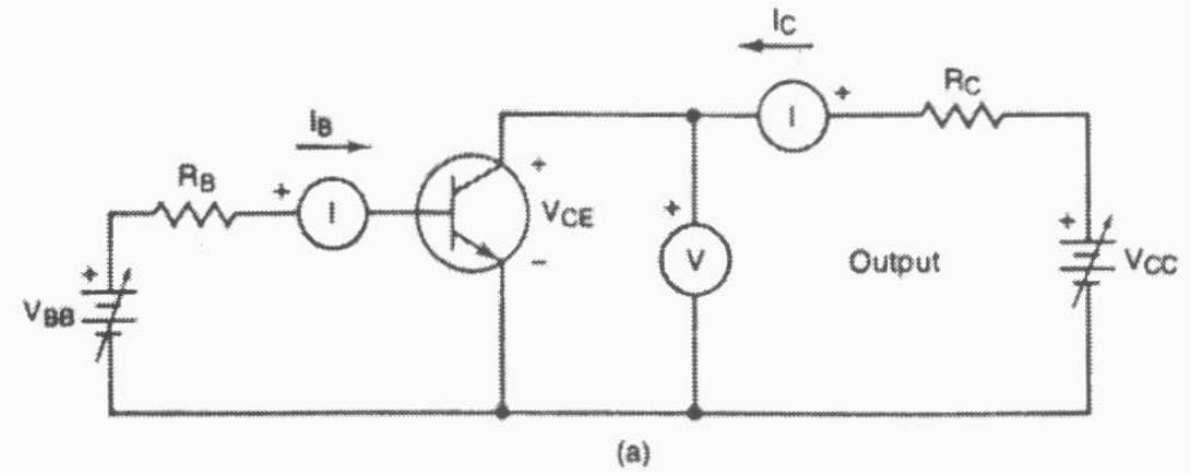


$$i_B(t) = I_{B0} \left( e^{\frac{V_{BE}(t)}{\eta V_T}} - 1 \right)$$

$$i_B(t) \cong I_{B0} \left( e^{\frac{V_{BE}(t)}{\eta V_T}} \right)$$

$$i_C(t) \cong I_S \left( e^{\frac{V_{BE}(t)}{\eta V_T}} \right)$$

## Output characteristic curve:



1. In the **cutoff** region :

$$I_B = I_C = I_E = 0$$

2. In the **active** region :

$$I_C = \alpha I_E$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B$$

$$I_E = (\beta + 1) I_B$$

$$V_{BE} = 0.7 V \quad , \quad \text{Si} \quad , \quad \text{npn}$$

$$V_{BE} = -0.7 V \quad , \quad \text{Si} \quad , \quad \text{pnp}$$

$$V_{CE} > V_{CE,sat} = 0.2 V \quad , \quad \text{Si} \quad , \quad \text{npn}$$

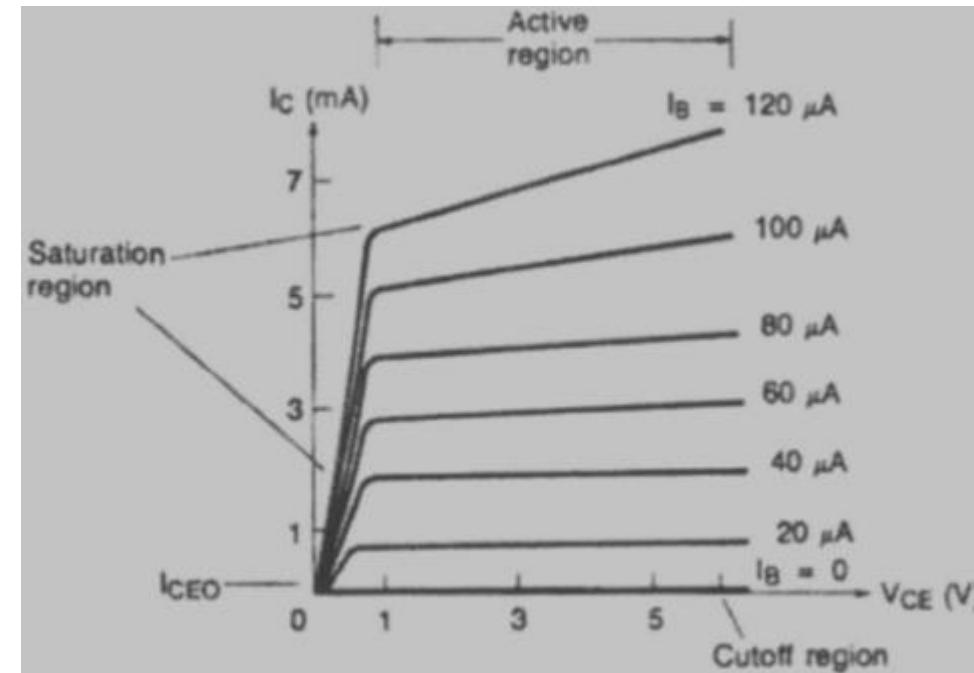
$$V_{CE} < V_{CE,sat} = -0.2 V \quad , \quad \text{Si} \quad , \quad \text{pnp}$$

3. In the **saturation** region :

$$V_{CE} = V_{CE,sat}$$

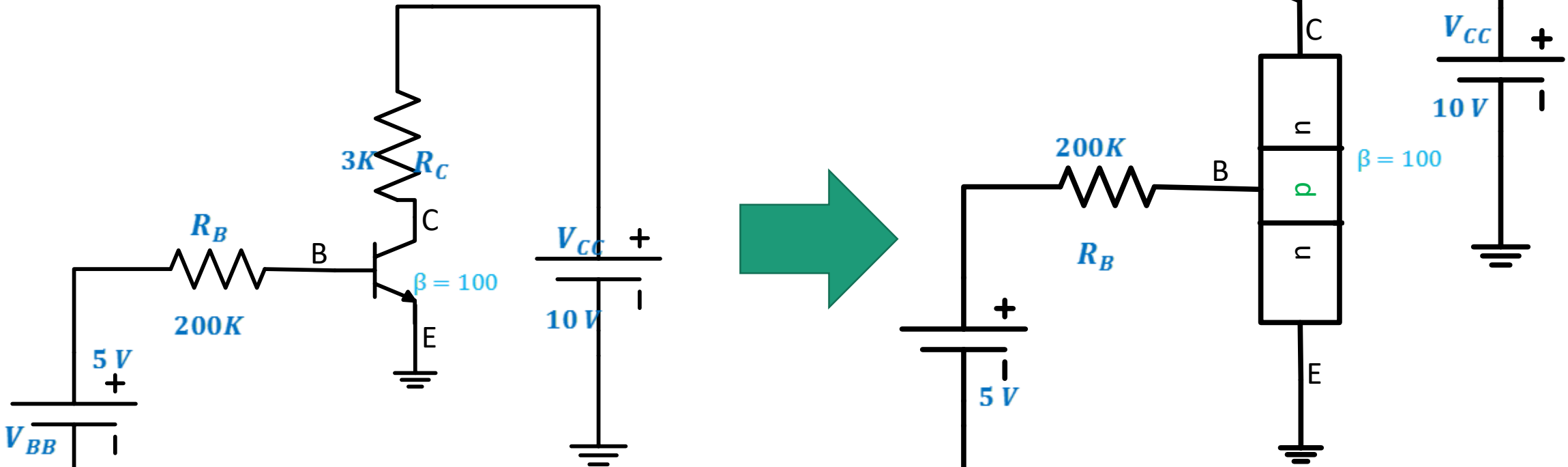
$$V_{BE} = 0.8 V \quad , \quad \text{Si} \quad , \quad \text{npn}$$

$$V_{BE} = -0.8 V \quad , \quad \text{Si} \quad , \quad \text{pnp}$$



Example:

Find the Q point  $V_{CEQ}$ ,  $I_{CQ}$



Since the base emitter junction is forward bias; the transistor could be either in the active or the saturation region





➤ Assume that the transistor in the **active** region:

**KVL:**  $5 = 200k I_B + V_{BE}$

$$I_B = \frac{5 - 0.7}{200k} = 0.0215 \text{ mA}$$

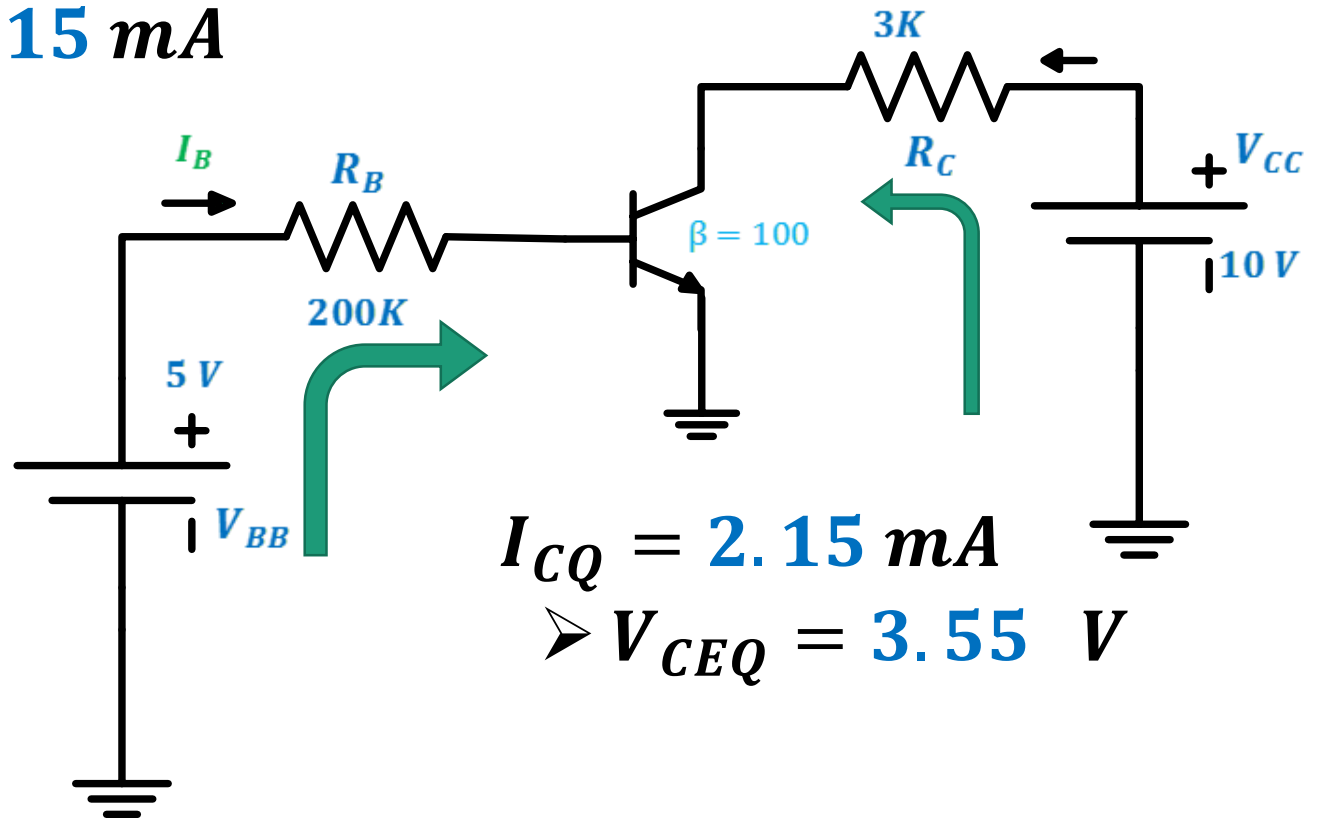
$$I_C = \beta I_B = 100 * 0.0215 = 2.15 \text{ mA}$$

**KVL:**  $10 = R_C I_C + V_{CE}$

$$V_{CE} = 10 - R_C I_C$$

❖  $V_{CE} = 10 - 3k * 2.15 \text{ mA}$

❖  $V_{CE} = 3.55 \text{ V}$



➤ Since  $V_{CE} > V_{CE,sat} \gg \gg$  The transistor is in the **active** region

**Example** Find the Q point  $V_{CEQ}$  ,  $I_{CQ}$

**Solution:**

Since the base emitter junction is forward bias ; the transistor could be either in the active or the saturation region

➤ Assume that the transistor in the active region

**KVL:**  $5 = 200k I_B + V_{BE} + 2k I_E$

$$I_E = (\beta + 1) I_B$$

$$I_B = \frac{5 - 0.7}{200k + 101 * 2k} = 0.0107 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B = 100 * 0.0107 = 1.07 \text{ mA}$$

**KVL:**  $10 = R_C I_C + V_{CE} + R_E I_E$

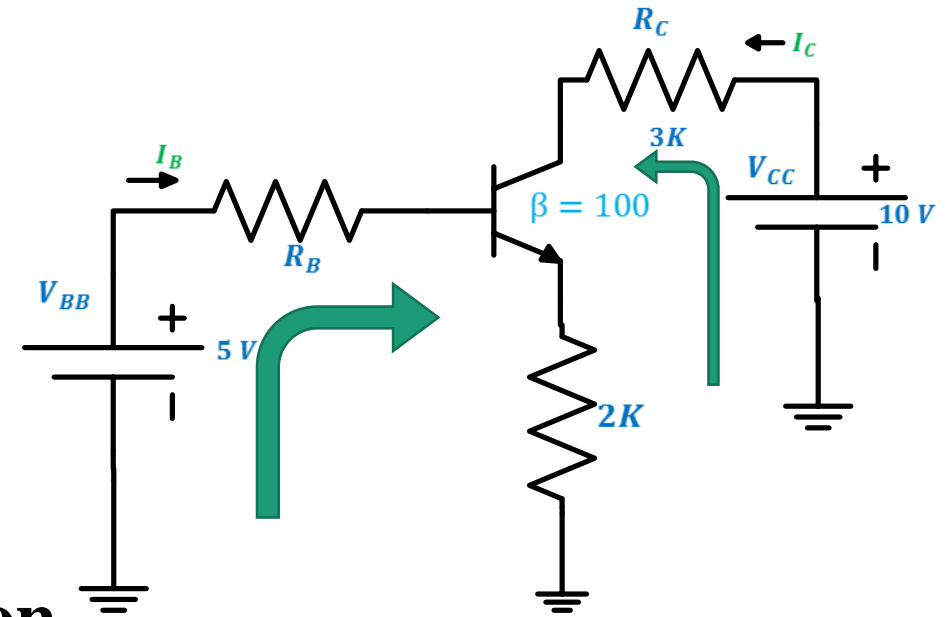
$$V_{CE} = 10 - R_C I_C - R_E I_E$$

❖  $V_{CE} = 4.63 \text{ V}$

Since  $V_{CE} > V_{CE,sat}$

∴ The transistor is in the **active** region

∴  $V_{CEQ} = 4.63 \text{ V}$  and  $I_{CQ} = 1.07 \text{ mA}$



Second method:

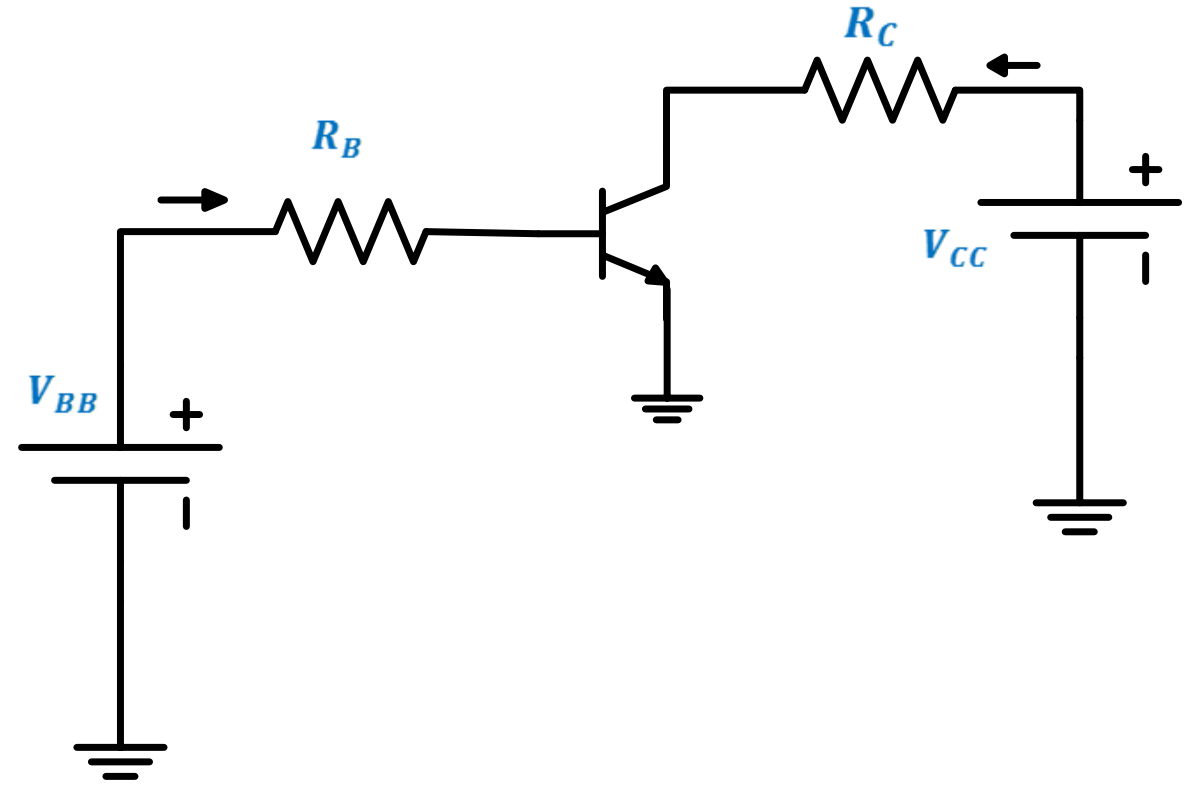
1) In the active region:

$$I_B = \frac{V_{BB} - V_{BE}}{R_B}$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B$$

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

As :  $R_B \downarrow$      $I_B \uparrow$      $I_C \uparrow$      $V_{CE} \downarrow$



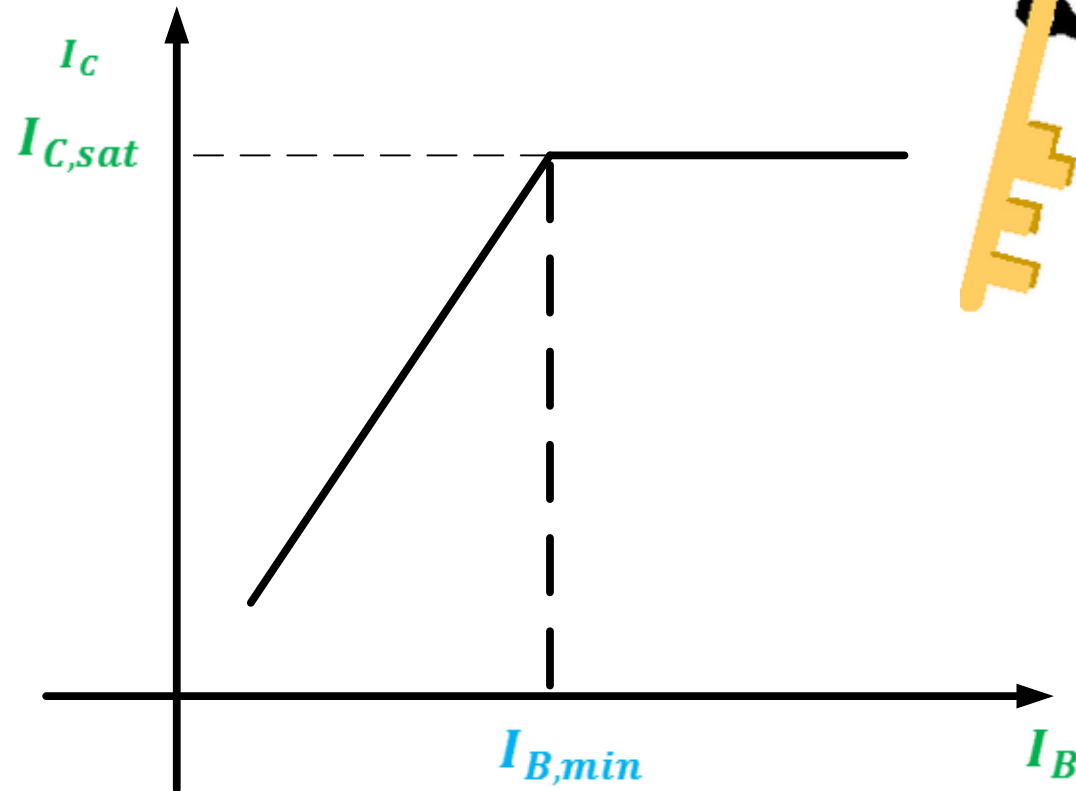
2) In the saturation region:

$$V_{CE} = V_{CE,sat} = 0.2 \text{ V} \quad , \quad \text{Si} \quad , \quad \text{npn}$$

$$I_C = I_{C,sat} = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{CE,sat}}{R_C}$$



Let define:  $I_B(\min) = \frac{I_{C,sat}}{\beta}$



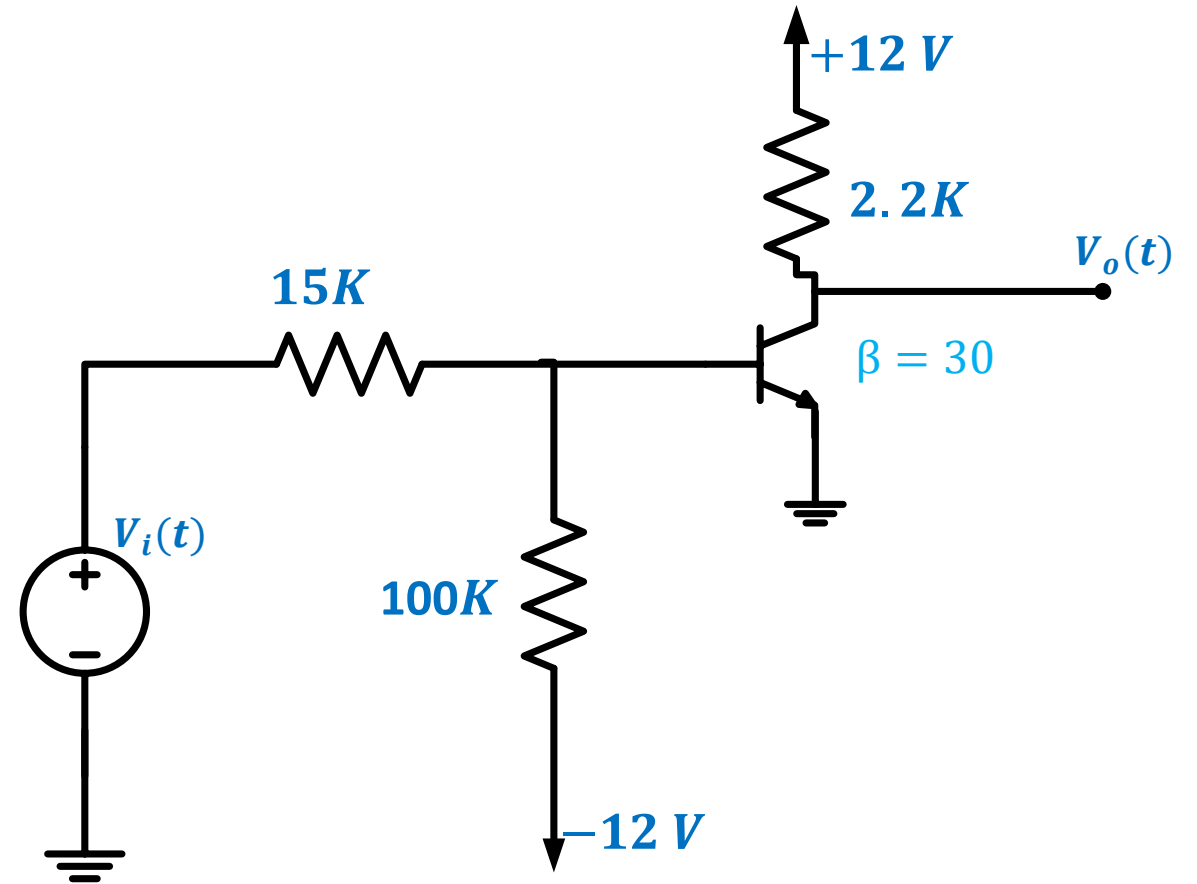
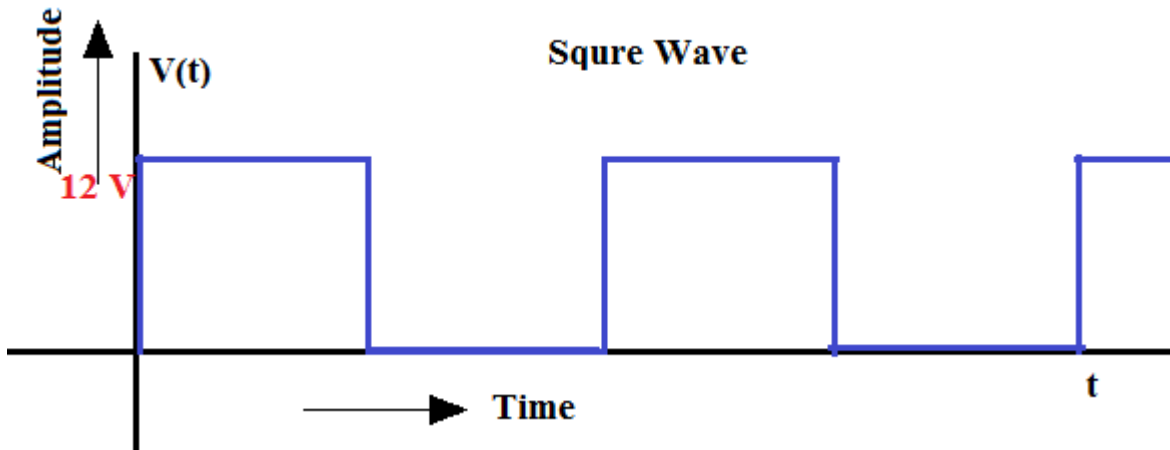
$$I_B(\min) = \frac{I_{C,sat}}{\beta}$$

- ✚ If  $I_B > I_B(\min)$  the transistor is in the **saturation** region.
- ✚ If  $I_B < I_B(\min)$  the transistor is in the **Active** region.

# BJT as switch:

## Example:

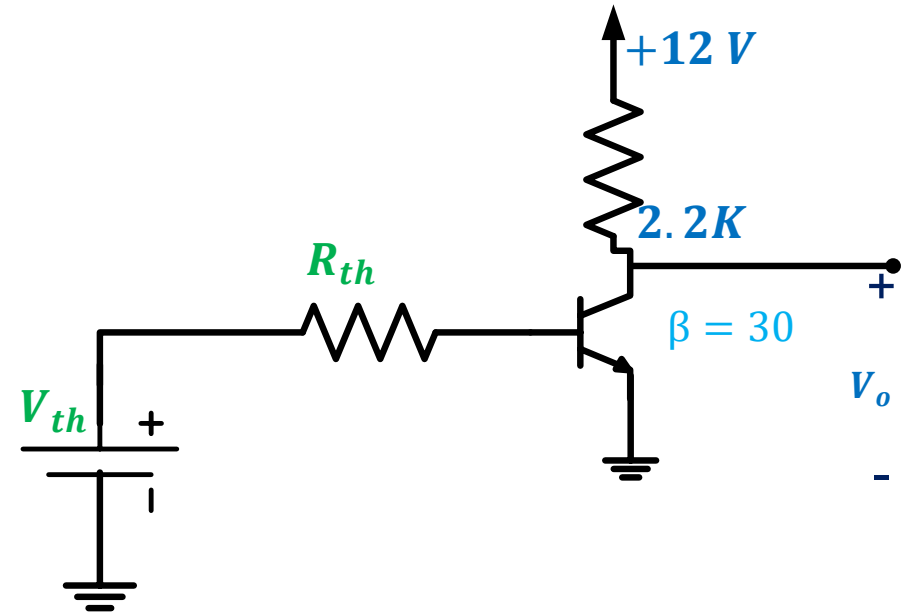
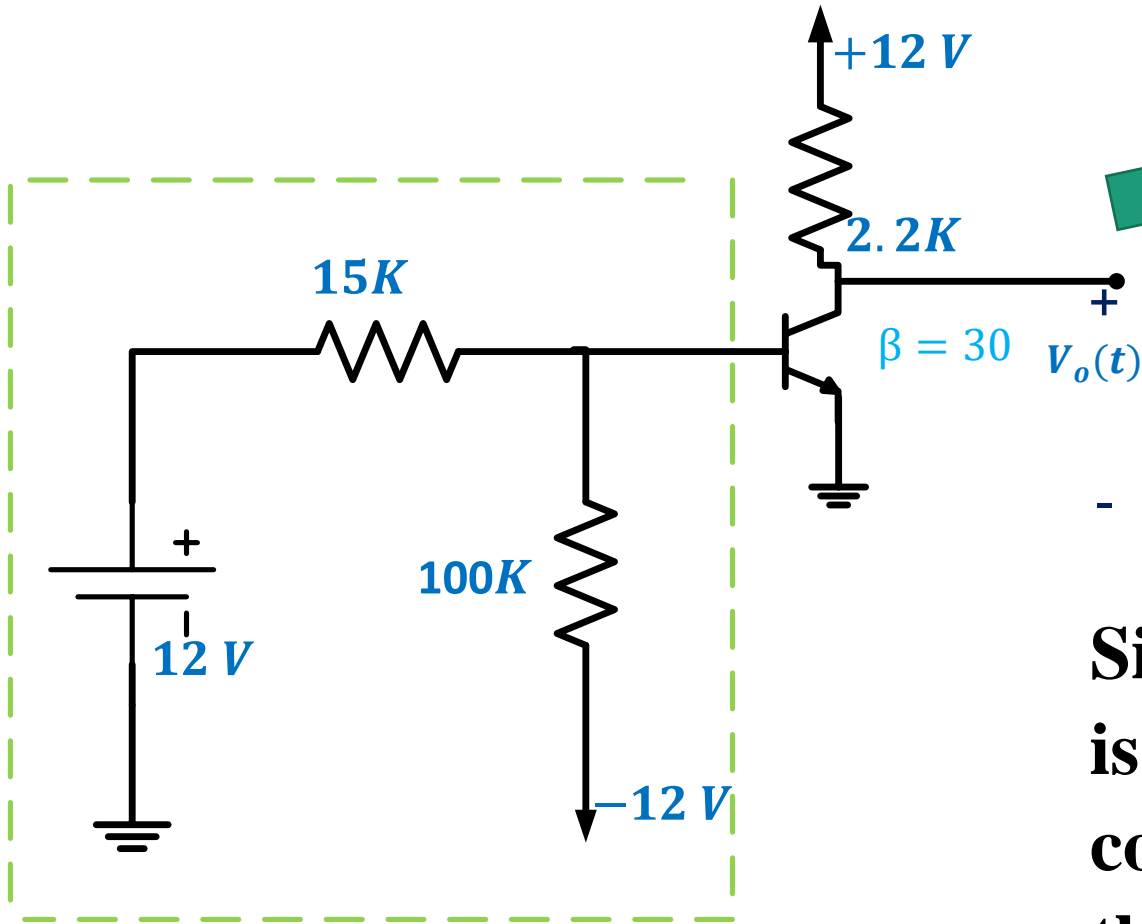
Find  $V_o(t)$  for the input given below:



## Solution:

❖ Let  $V_i(t) = +12 \text{ volt}$

Calculate  $V_{th}$  &  $R_{th}$



$$R_{th} = 15k // 100k = \frac{100k \cdot 15k}{15k + 100k} = 13k$$

$$V_{th} = 8.9 \text{ volt} \quad \text{Proof!!}$$

Since the **base emitter junction** is **forward** bias; the transistor could be either in the **active** or the **saturation** region

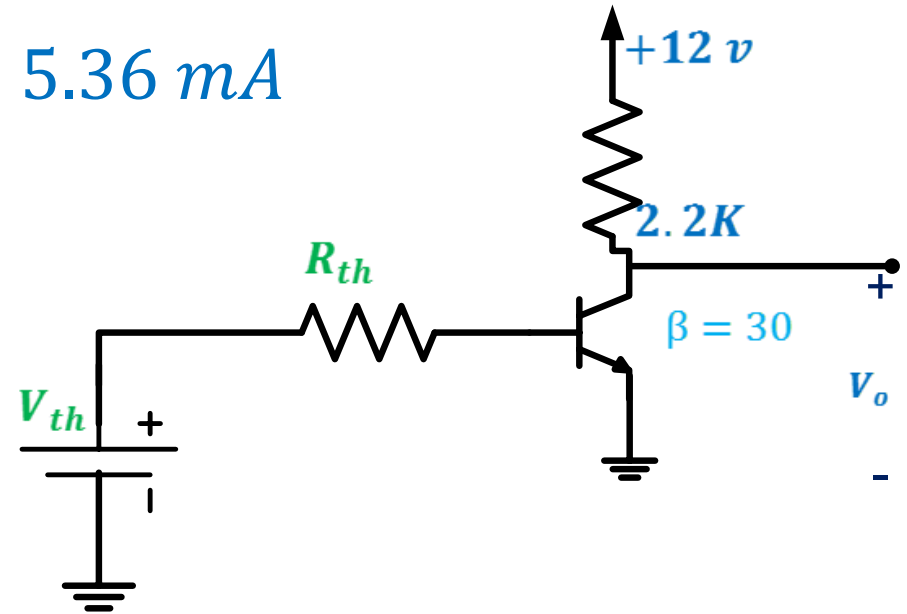


➤ Assume that the transistor is in the **saturation** region

$$I_C = I_{C,sat} = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{CE,sat}}{R_C} = \frac{12 - 0.2}{2.2k} = 5.36 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_B(\text{min}) = \frac{I_{C,sat}}{\beta} = \frac{5.36 \text{ mA}}{30} = 0.18 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_B = \frac{V_{th} - V_{BE}}{R_{TH}} = \frac{8.9 - 0.8}{13k} = 0.62 \text{ mA}$$

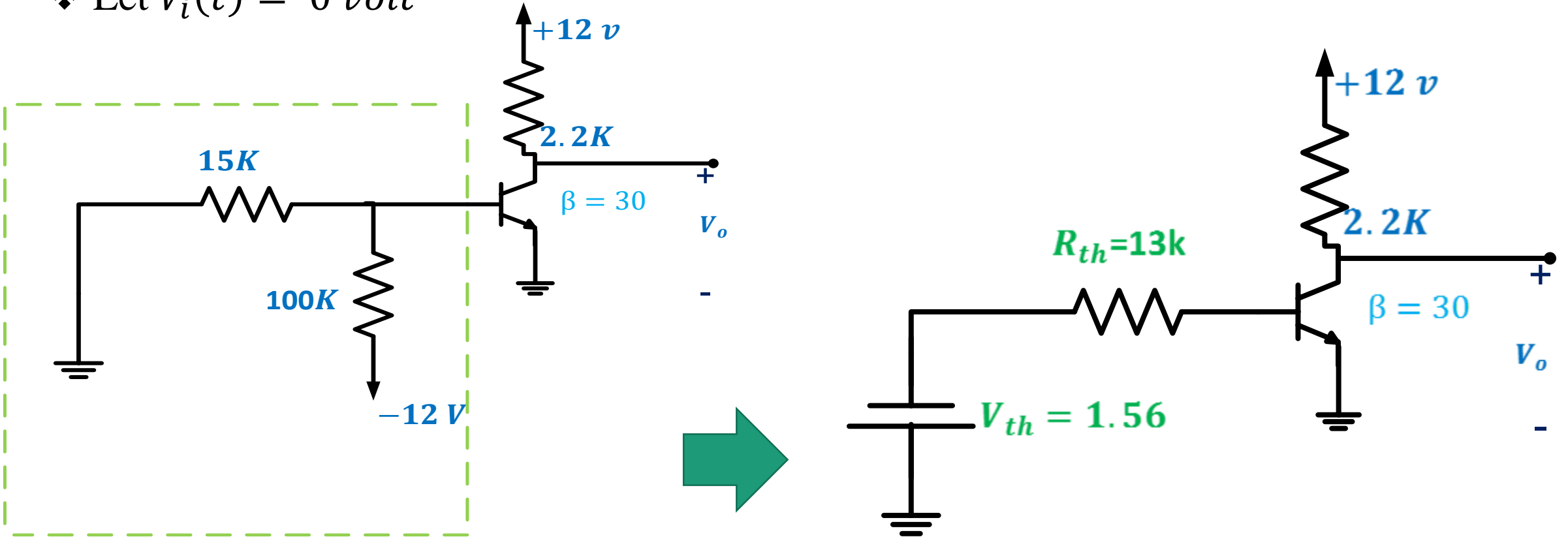


✚ Since  $I_B > I_B(\text{min})$  the transistor is in the **saturation** region.

✓  $V_o = V_{CE,sat} = 0.2 \text{ volt}$

✓  $I_C = 5.36 \text{ mA}$

❖ Let  $V_i(t) = 0 \text{ volt}$

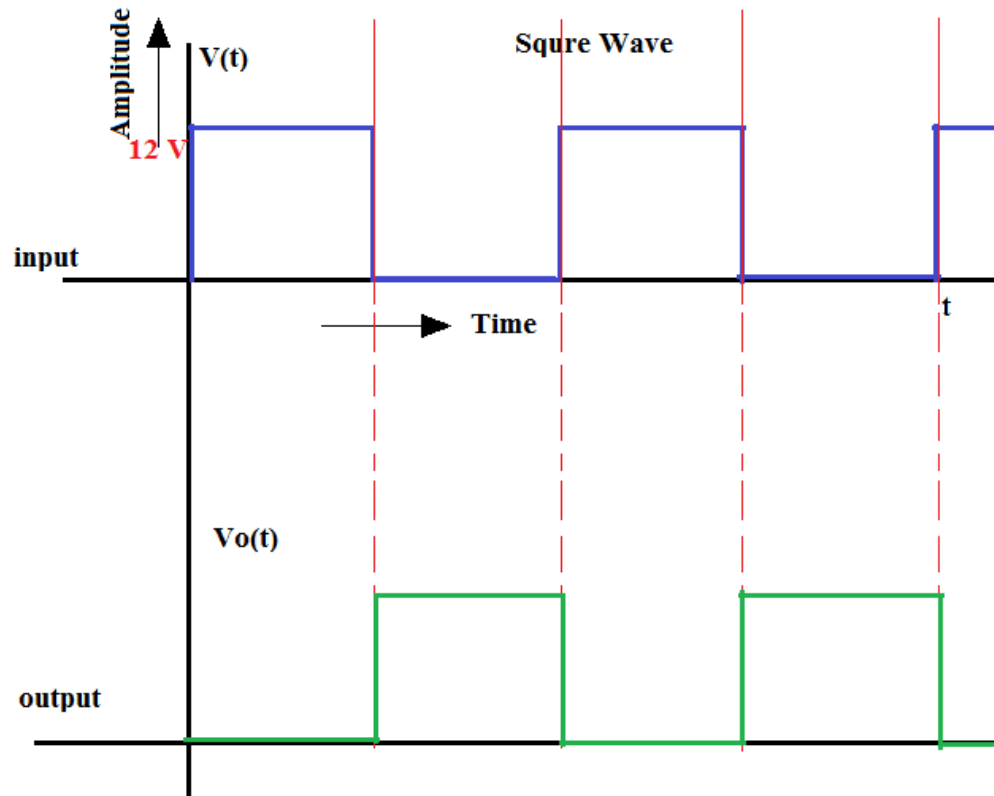


Since  $V_{th} = -1.56 \text{ volt}$

Base emitter junction is reverse biased the transistor in cutoff region

✓  $V_o = V_{CE} = 12 \text{ volt}$  ,  $I_C = 0 \text{ mA}$

The circuit acts as inverter or not gate



*NOT gate truth table*

Input  Output

Input	Output
0	1
1	0

## Transistor biasing circuits:

### 1. Fixed current bias circuit

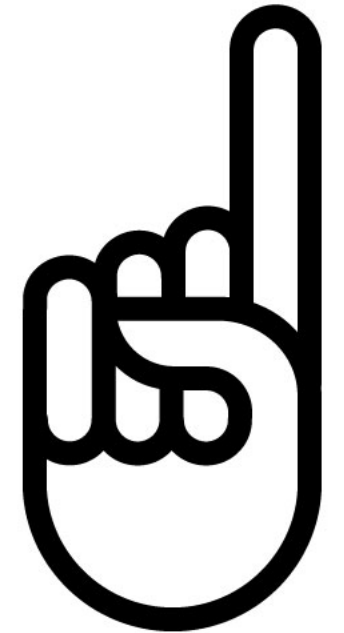
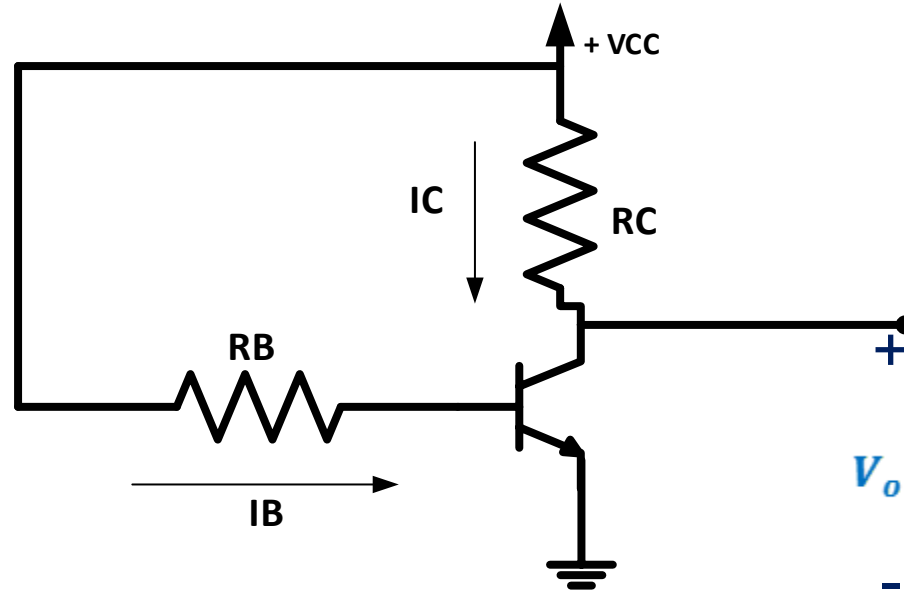
$$\text{KVL} : V_{CC} = R_B I_B + V_{BE}$$

$$I_B = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{BE}}{R_B}$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B$$

$$\text{KVL} : V_{CC} = R_C I_C + V_{CE}$$

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



## Transistor biasing circuits:

**Example:** Design a fixed current bias circuit using a silicon transistor having

$$\beta(\min) = 25, \quad \beta(\max) = 75$$

Such that  $I_C = 1\text{mA}$ , and  $V_{CE} = 5\text{ volt}$  given  $V_{CC} = 10\text{ volt}$

### Solution:

Using equations of the fixed current bias circuit:

$$I_B = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{BE}}{R_B}, \quad V_{BE} = 0.7\text{ V} \quad - (1)$$

$$V_{CE} = V_{CC} - R_C I_C \quad - (2)$$

From eq.2:

$$5 = 10 - R_C(1\text{mA})$$

$$\triangleright R_C = 5\text{k}\Omega$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B$$

$$\text{Let } \beta = \frac{25+75}{2} = 50$$

the average between max && min

$$I_B = \frac{I_C}{\beta} = \frac{1\text{mA}}{50} = 20\ \mu\text{A}$$

From eq.1

$$I_B = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{BE}}{R_B} = \frac{10 - 0.7}{R_B}$$

$$\triangleright R_B = 465\text{ k}\Omega$$



## Transistor biasing circuits:

✚ If  $\beta = 50 \gg R_c = 5k\Omega, R_B = 465k\Omega, I_C = 1mA, V_{CE} = 5V$



BUT:

✚ When  $\beta = \beta(\min) = 25$

$$I_B = 20 \mu A$$

$$I_C = 0.5mA$$

$$V_{CE} = 7.5V$$

For:

$$75 \geq \beta \geq 25$$

$$1.5mA \geq I_C \geq 0.5mA$$

✚ When  $\beta = \beta(\max) = 75$

$$I_B = 20 \mu A$$

$$I_C = 1.5mA$$

$$V_{CE} = 2.5V$$

❖ The fixed current bias circuit is **not** a very satisfactory circuit of obtaining good bias point stability.



## Transistor biasing circuits:

2. Collector to base feedback bias circuit:

$$\text{KVL: } V_{CC} = R_c I + R_B I_B + V_{BE}$$

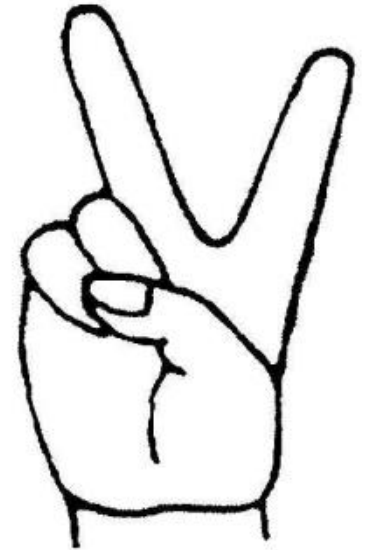
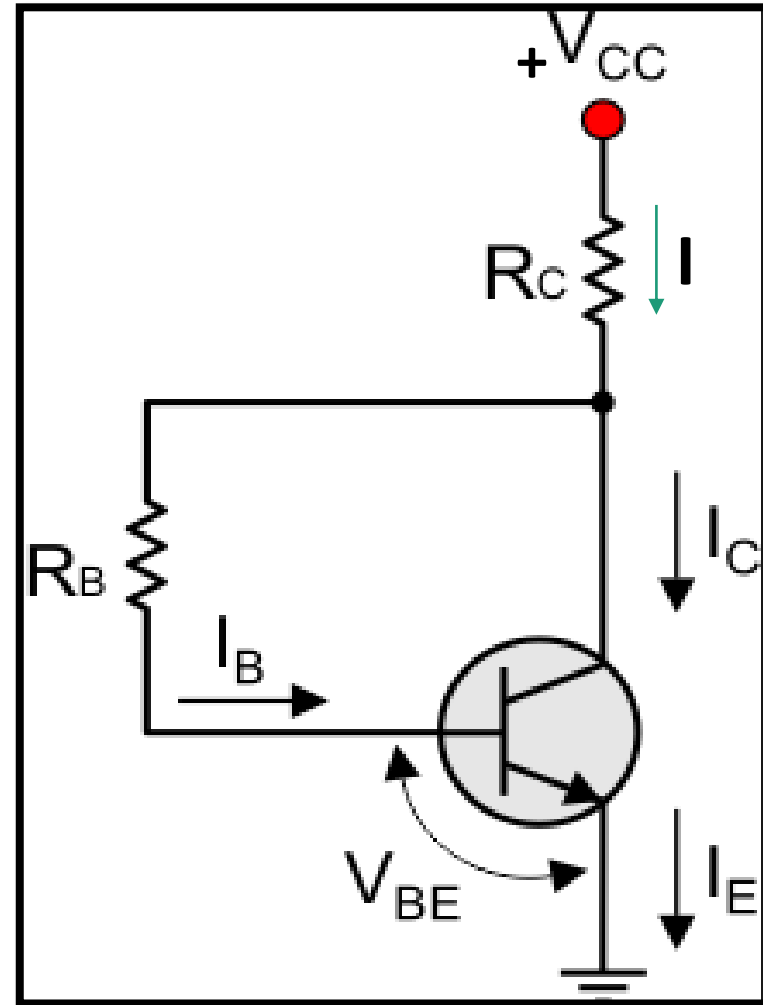
$$I = I_B + I_c$$

$$I_B = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{BE}}{R_B + (\beta + 1)R_c} \dots (1)$$

$$I_c = \beta I_B$$

$$\text{KVL: } V_{CC} = R_c(I_B + I_c) + V_{CE}$$

$$V_{CE} = V_{CC} - R_c(I_B + I_c) \dots (2)$$



## Transistor biasing circuits:

**Example:** Design a **collector to base feedback bias circuit** using a silicon transistor having

$$\beta(\text{min}) = 25, \quad \beta(\text{max}) = 75$$

Such that  $I_C = 1\text{mA}$ , and  $V_{CE} = 5\text{ volt}$  given  $V_{CC} = 10\text{ volt}$

### Solution:

Let  $\beta = \frac{25+75}{2} = 50$  the average between max & min

$$I_B = \frac{I_C}{\beta} = \frac{1\text{mA}}{50} = 20\ \mu\text{A}$$

From eq.2:

$$V_{CE} = V_{CC} - R_C(I_B + I_C)$$

$$5 = 10 - R_C(1\text{mA} + 20\ \mu\text{A})$$

➤  $R_C \approx 4.9\text{k}\Omega$



From eq.1:

$$I_B = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{BE}}{R_B + (\beta + 1)R_C}$$
$$= \frac{10 - 0.7}{R_B + (50 + 1) \cdot 4.9\text{k}} \dots, I_B = 20\ \mu\text{A}$$

➤  $R_B \approx 215\text{k}\Omega$

As before we can proof that:

$$75 \geq \beta \geq 25$$

$$1.19\text{mA} \geq I_C \geq 0.68\text{mA}$$

**There is an improvement over the fixed bias circuit.**

## Transistor biasing circuits:

### 3. Biasing circuit with stabilization resistor ( $R_E$ ):

$$\text{KVL: } V_{CC} = R_B I_B + V_{BE} + R_E I_E$$

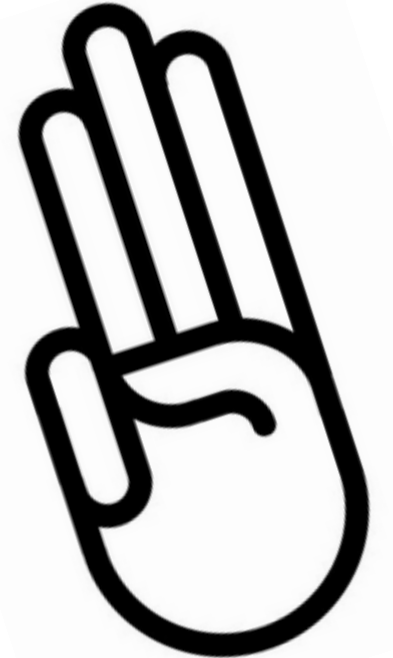
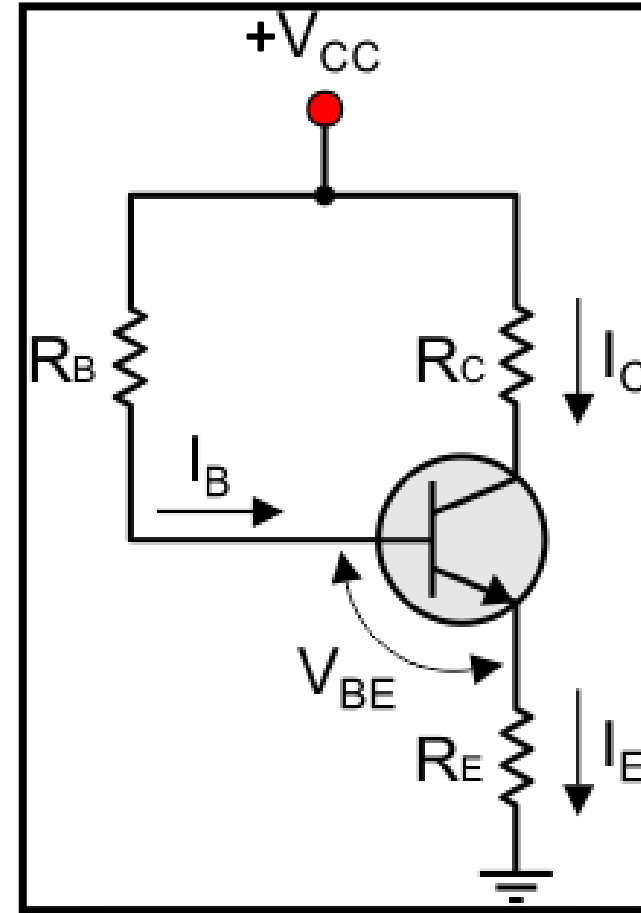
$$I_E = (\beta + 1) I_B$$

$$I_B = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{BE}}{R_B + (\beta + 1) R_E} \dots (1)$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B$$

$$\text{KVL: } V_{CC} = R_C I_C + V_{CE} + R_E I_E$$

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## Transistor biasing circuits:

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Such that  $I_C = 1\text{mA}$ , and  $V_{CE} = 5\text{ volt}$  given  $V_{CC} = 10\text{ volt}$

### Solution:

In this circuit we have **3-unknowns** ( $R_B, R_C, R_E$ ) & **two equations!**



From eq.1 :  $I_B = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{BE}}{R_B + (\beta + 1)R_E}$

➤  $R_B = 365\text{k}\Omega$

From eq.2 :

$$V_{CE} = V_{CC} - R_C I_C - R_E I_E$$

➤  $R_C = 3\text{k}\Omega$

We must make a new assumption :

$$\frac{V_{CC}}{5} \geq V_{RE} \geq \frac{V_{CC}}{10} \quad ; \quad \beta = 50$$

let  $V_{RE} = \frac{V_{CC}}{5} = \frac{10}{5} = 2\text{ volt}$

$$V_{RE} = R_E I_E$$

➤  $R_E = \frac{2}{1.02\text{ mA}} \cong 2\text{k}\Omega$



**Proof that :**

$$75 \geq \beta \geq 25$$

$$1.349\text{mA} \geq I_C \geq 0.55755\text{mA}$$

**There is an improvement over the fixed bias circuit.**

## Transistor biasing circuits:

### 4) Voltage divider bias circuit:

#### a) Approximate method:

$I_B$  Very small  $\gg \gg I_B = 0$

$$\diamond I_1 = I_2$$

$$V_B = \frac{R_2}{R_2 + R_1} V_{CC} \quad \text{Voltage divider}$$

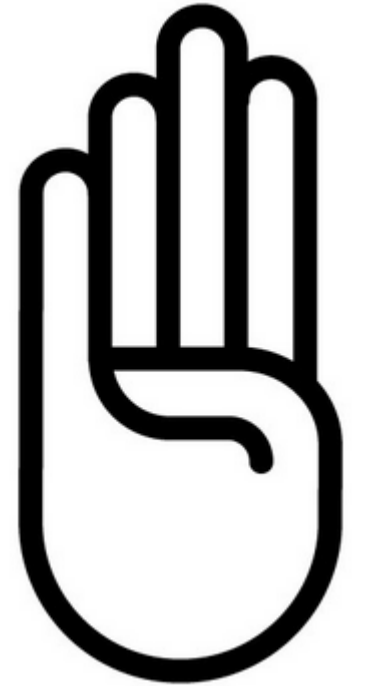
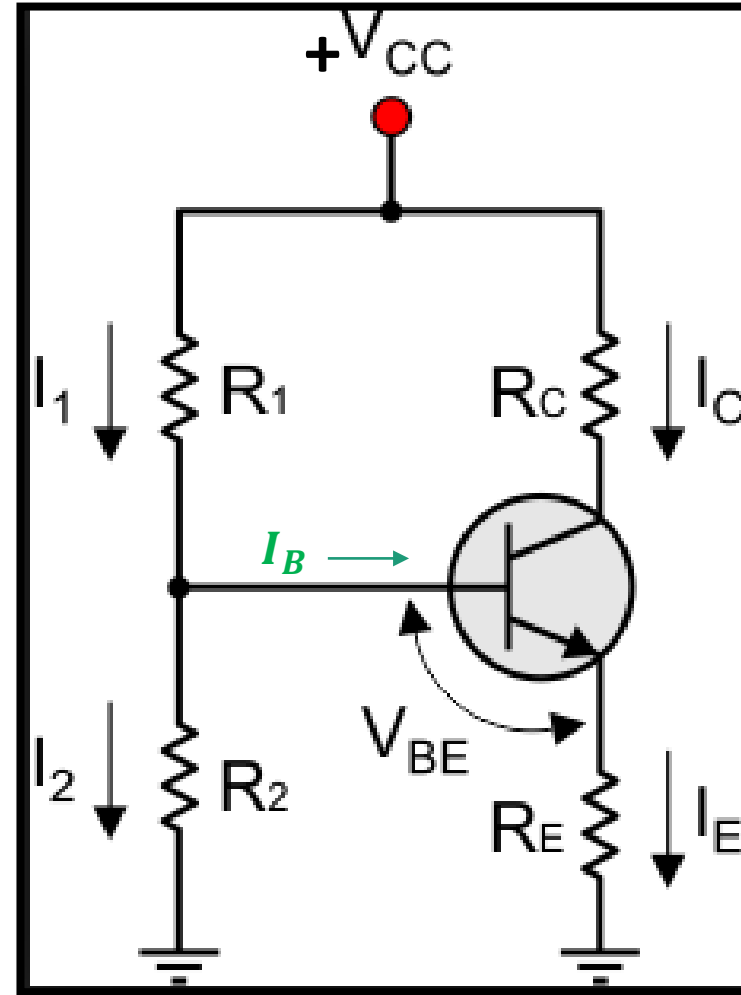
$$V_{BE} = V_B - V_E$$

$$\diamond V_E = V_B - V_{BE}$$

$$I_{E1} = \frac{V_E}{R_E} = \frac{V_B - V_{BE}}{R_E}$$

$$I_C = \alpha I_E \approx I_E$$

$$V_{CE} = V_{CC} - R_C I_C - R_E I_E$$



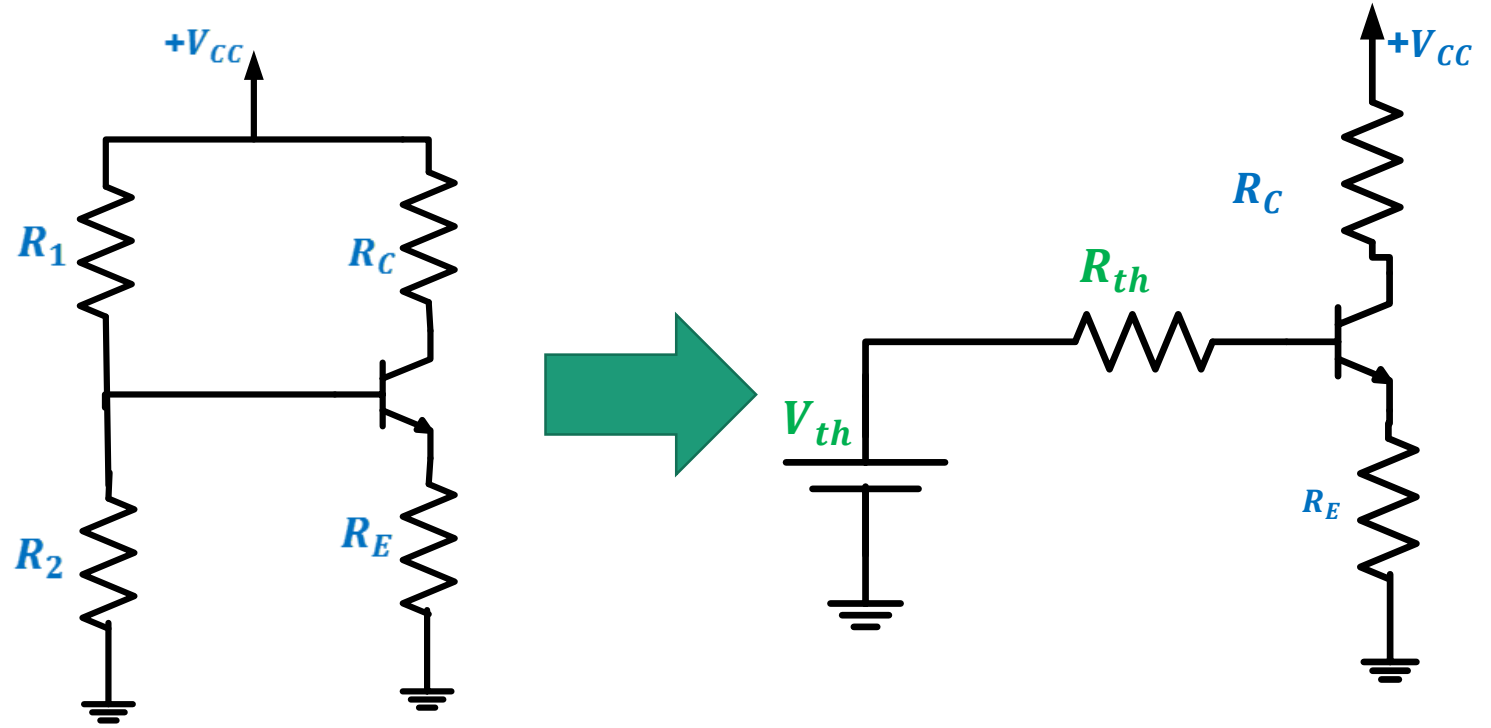
The Q point is completely independent of the Beta

## Transistor biasing circuits:

### b) Exact method:

$$R_{th} = \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2}$$

$$V_{th} = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} V_{CC}$$



**KVL:**  $V_{th} = R_{th} I_B + V_{BE} + R_E I_E$

$$I_E = (\beta + 1) I_B$$

$$I_{E2} = \frac{V_{th} - V_{BE}}{\frac{R_{th}}{\beta + 1} + R_E}$$

## Transistor biasing circuits:

Using approximate method, we get:

$$I_{E1} = \frac{V_B - V_{BE}}{R_E}$$

Where:

$$V_B = \frac{R_2}{R_2 + R_1} V_{CC}$$

Using exact method, we get:

$$I_{E2} = \frac{V_{th} - V_{BE}}{\frac{R_{th}}{\beta + 1} + R_E}$$

Where:

$$R_{th} = \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} \quad \text{,,,} \quad V_{th} = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} V_{CC}$$

To make  $I_{E2} \cong I_{E1}$  :

$$\frac{R_{th}}{\beta + 1} + R_E \cong R_E$$

$$\frac{R_{th}}{\beta + 1} \ll R_E$$

$$R_{th} \ll (\beta + 1)R_E$$

$$R_{th} = \frac{(\beta + 1)R_E}{10, 20, 30..}$$





**Example:** Design a Voltage divider bias circuit using a silicon transistor having

$$\beta(\min) = 25, \quad \beta(\max) = 75$$

Such that  $I_c = 1mA$ , and  $V_{CE} = 5 \text{ volt}$  given  $V_{CC} = 10 \text{ volt}$

**Solution:**

$$\text{Let } V_{RE} = \frac{V_{CC}}{10} = \frac{10}{10} = 1 \text{ volt}$$

$$V_{RE} = R_E I_E$$

$$\triangleright R_E = \frac{1}{1.02mA} \cong 1k\Omega$$

$$\text{From : } R_{th} = \frac{(\beta+1)R_E}{10,20,30..}$$

$$\text{Let } R_{th} = \frac{(\beta+1)R_E}{51}, \text{ where } \beta = 50$$

$$\triangleright R_{th} = 1k\Omega$$

$$\text{KVL: } V_{CC} = V_{CE} + R_c I_c + R_E I_E$$

$$\triangleright R_c = 4k\Omega$$

To find  $R_1, R_2$ , we need to find  $R_{th}, V_{th}$  :

$$\text{From: } I_E = \frac{V_{th} - V_{BE}}{\frac{R_{th}}{\beta+1} + R_E}$$

$$\text{We find } V_{th} = 1.72 \text{ volt}$$

$$\text{We have : } V_{th} = 1.72 \text{ volt} \quad \&\& \quad R_{th} = 1k\Omega$$

From:

$$R_{th} = \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} \quad \text{and} \quad V_{th} = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} V_{CC}$$

We get:

$$\triangleright R_1 = 5.8 k\Omega$$

$$\triangleright R_2 = 1.2 k\Omega$$

## Our design @ $\beta = 50$

- $R_E = 1k\Omega$
- $R_C = 4k\Omega$
- $R_1 = 5.8k\Omega$
- $R_2 = 1.2k\Omega$
- $I_C = 1mA$ ,
- $V_{CE} = 5\text{ volt}$

But:

$$75 \geq \beta \geq 25$$

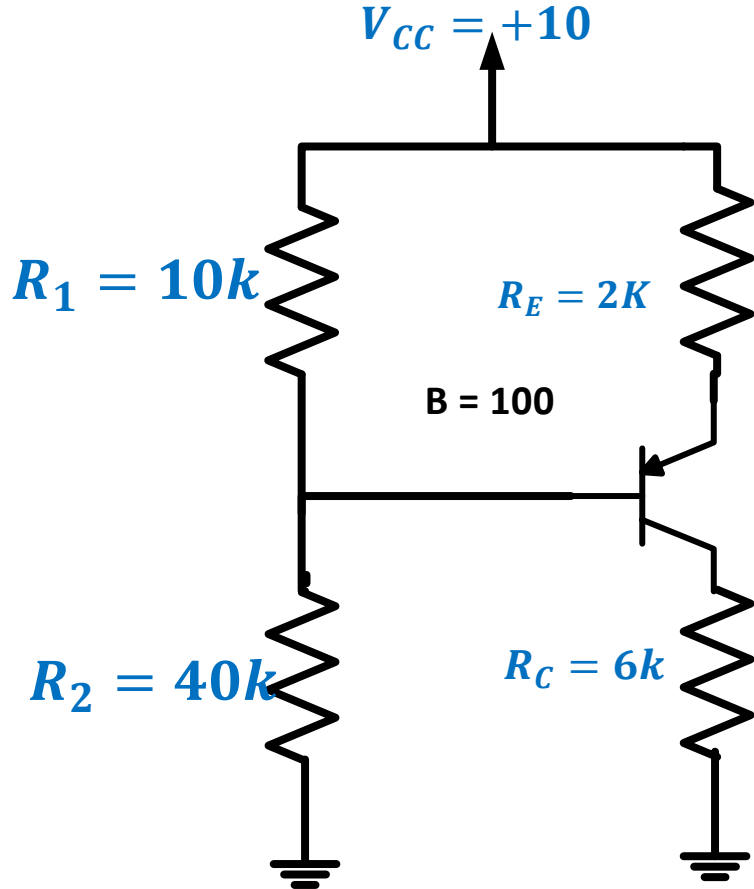
$$1.0067mA \geq I_C \geq 0.982mA$$



Circuit using pnp transistor:

Example:

Find  $I_E$ ,  $V_{EC}$ , for the circuit below:

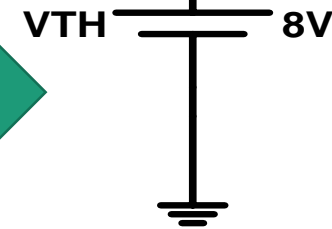


$$V_{CE} = -5V$$

Which is  $< -0.2V$

solution

Using thevenin's theorem:



$$R_{th} = \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} = \frac{10 * 40}{10 + 40} k = 8k\Omega$$

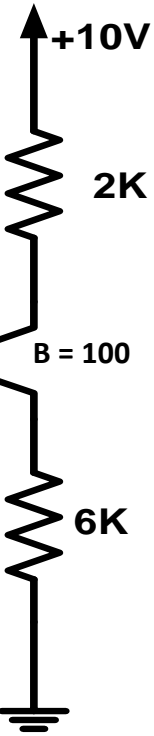
$$V_{th} = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} V_{CC} = \frac{40}{10 + 40} * 10 = 8 \text{ volt}$$

$$\text{KVL: } 10 = 2kI_E + V_{EB} + R_{th}I_B + V_{th}$$

$$\text{➤ } I_E = 0.625mA$$

$$\text{KVL: } 10 = 2kI_E + V_{EC} + 6kI_C$$

$$\text{➤ } V_{EC} = 5 \text{ volt}$$



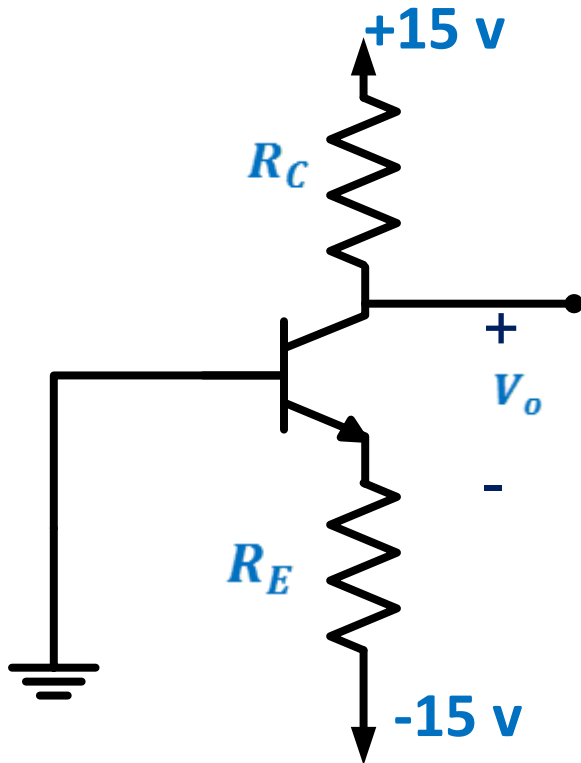
Example:

Design the given circuit so that

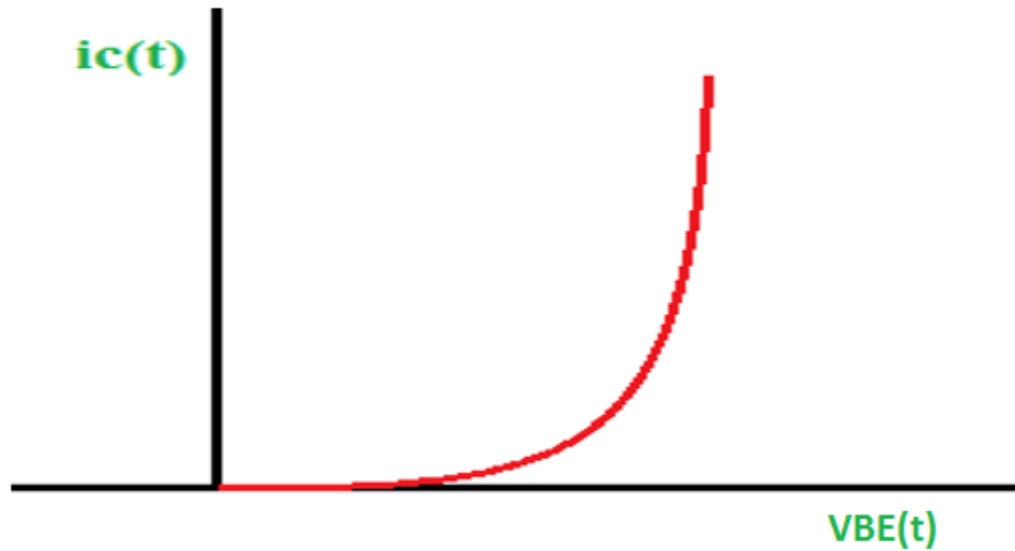
$$I_{CQ} = 2mA, \text{ and } V_C = 5 \text{ volt}$$

Given that  $V_{BE} = 0.7 \text{ volt @ } I_C = 1mA$

$$\beta = \infty$$



## Solution:



$$i_{C(t)} \cong I_s e^{\frac{V_{BE}(t)}{V_T}}$$

$$I_C \cong I_s e^{\frac{V_{BE}}{V_T}}$$

$$V_{BE} = V_T \ln\left(\frac{I_C}{I_s}\right)$$

In our circuit  $I_C = 2mA$  we must find the corresponding  $V_{BE}??$

$V_{BE} @ I_C = 2mA ??$

$$V_{BE1} = 0.7 = V_T \ln\left(\frac{1mA}{I_s}\right)$$

$$V_{BE2} = V_T \ln\left(\frac{2mA}{I_s}\right)$$

$$V_{BE2} - V_{BE1} = V_T \ln\left(\frac{I_{C2}}{I_{C1}}\right)$$

$$V_{BE2} = V_{BE1} + V_T \ln\left(\frac{2mA}{1mA}\right)$$

➤  $V_{BE2} = 0.717 V$



$$V_{BE2} = 0.717 \quad @ \quad I_C = 2mA$$

$$\text{KVL: } V_C = V_{CC} - R_C I_C$$

$$R_C = \frac{(V_{CC} - V_C)}{I_C}$$

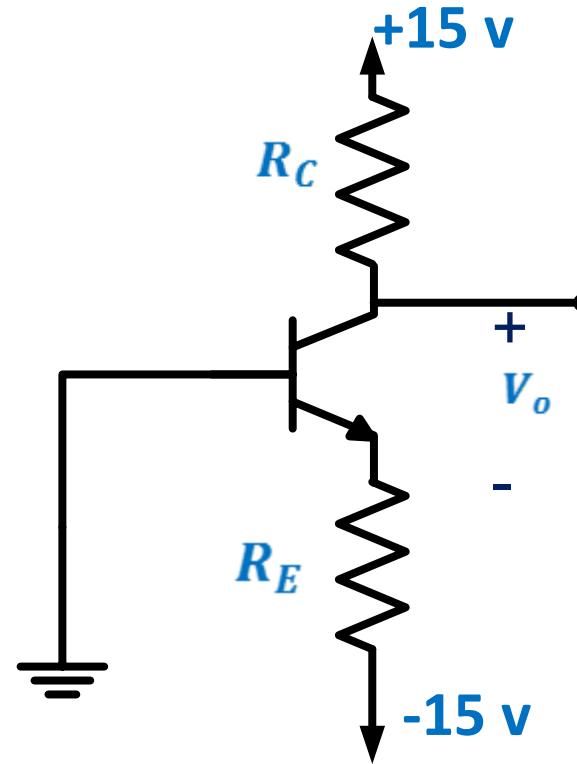
$$R_C = \frac{(15 - 5)}{2mA}$$

➤  $R_C = 5k\Omega$

$$\text{KVL: } V_{BE} + R_E I_E - 15 = 0$$

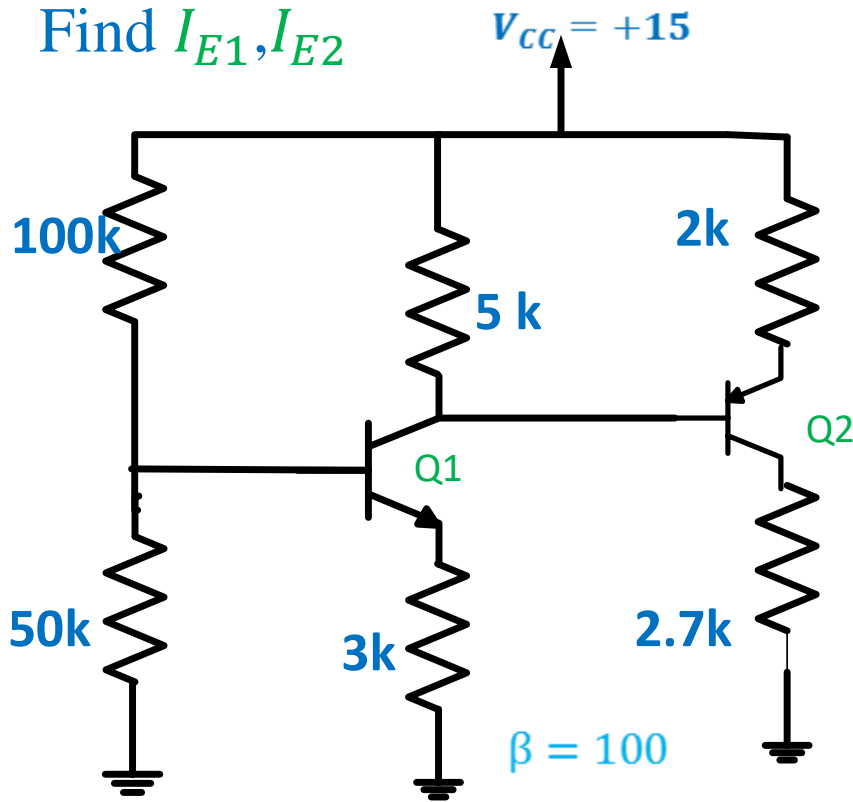
$$R_E = \frac{15 - V_{BE}}{I_E}$$

➤  $R_E = 7k\Omega$



Example:

Find  $I_{E1}, I_{E2}$



**Solution**

$$R_{th} = \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} = \frac{50 * 100}{50 + 100} k = 33.3 k\Omega$$

$$V_{th} = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} V_{CC} = \frac{50}{50 + 100} * 15 = 5 \text{ volt}$$

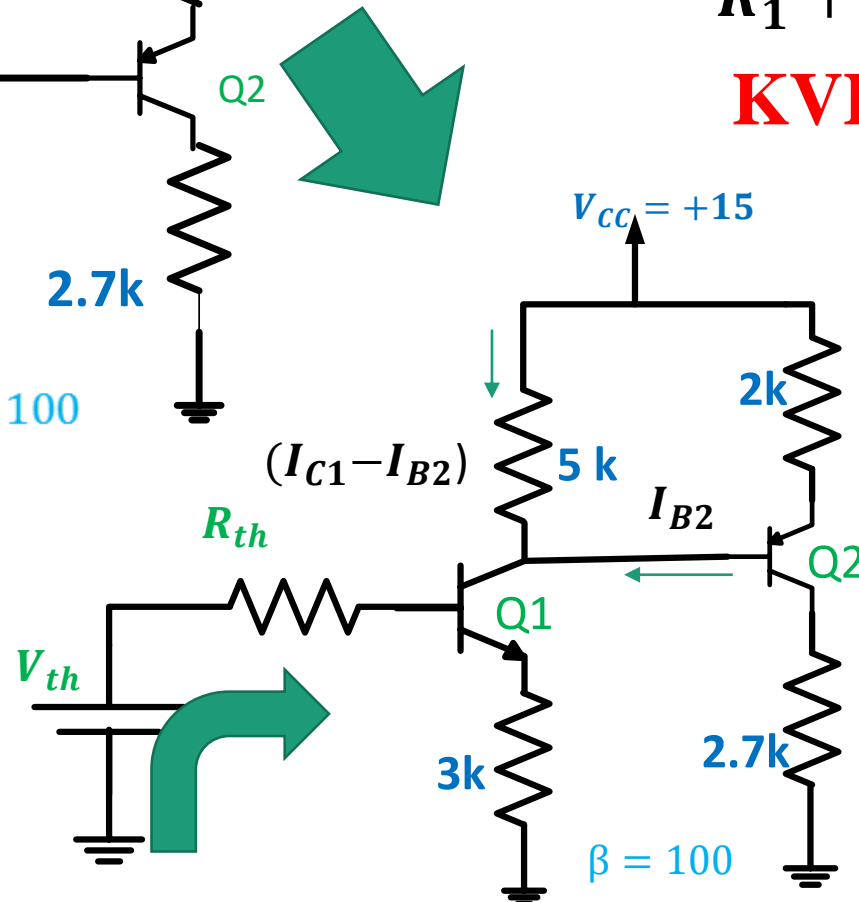
**KVL:**

$$I_{E1} = \frac{V_{th} - V_{BE}}{\frac{R_{th}}{\beta + 1} + R_E} = \frac{5 - 0.7}{\left(\frac{33.3k}{101}\right) + 3k} = 1.28 \text{ mA}$$

**KVL:**

$$2k I_{E2} + V_{EB} - 5k(I_{C1} - I_{B2}) = 0$$

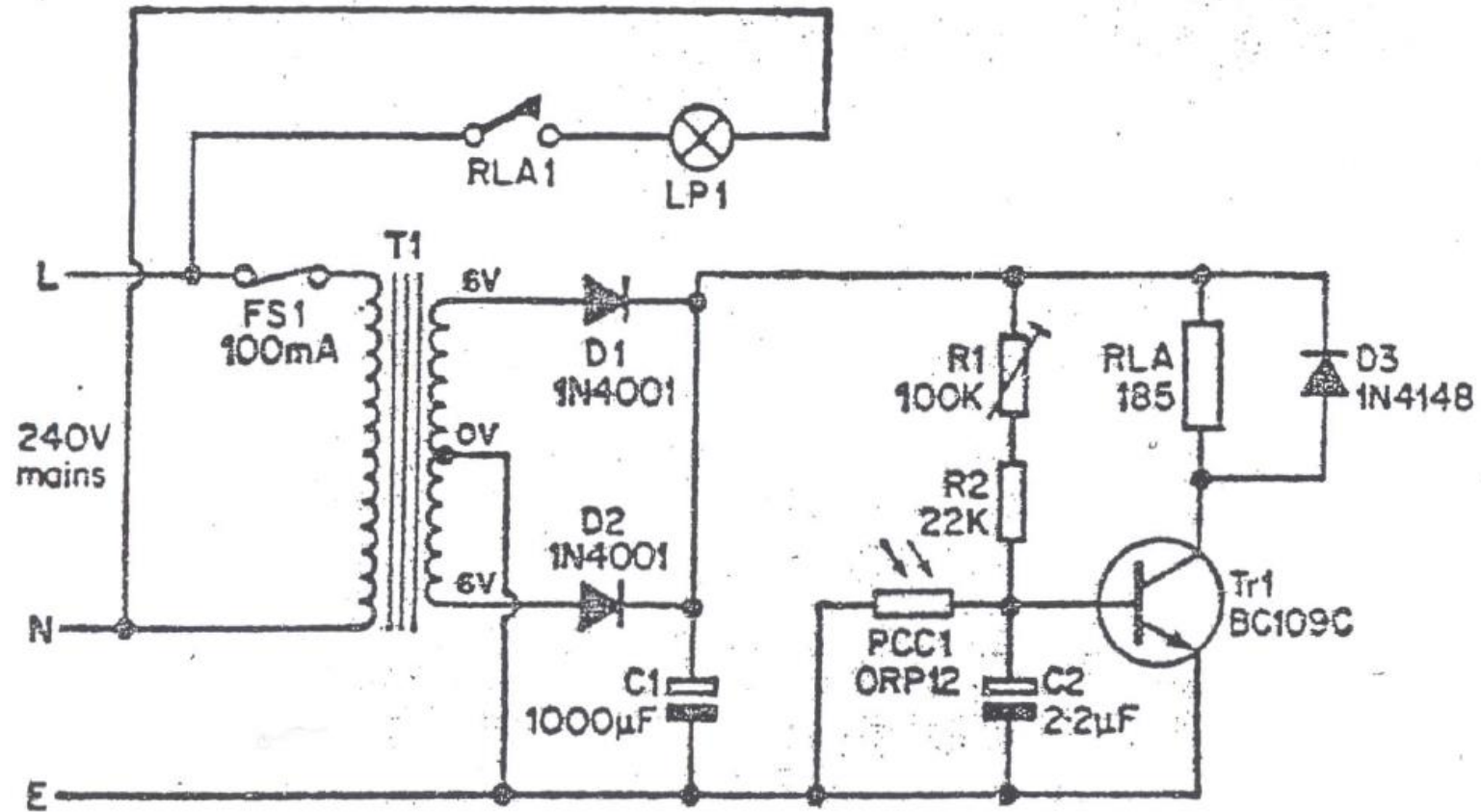
$$I_{E2} = 2.78 \text{ mA}$$



# **The first project**



# Automatic Light Controller



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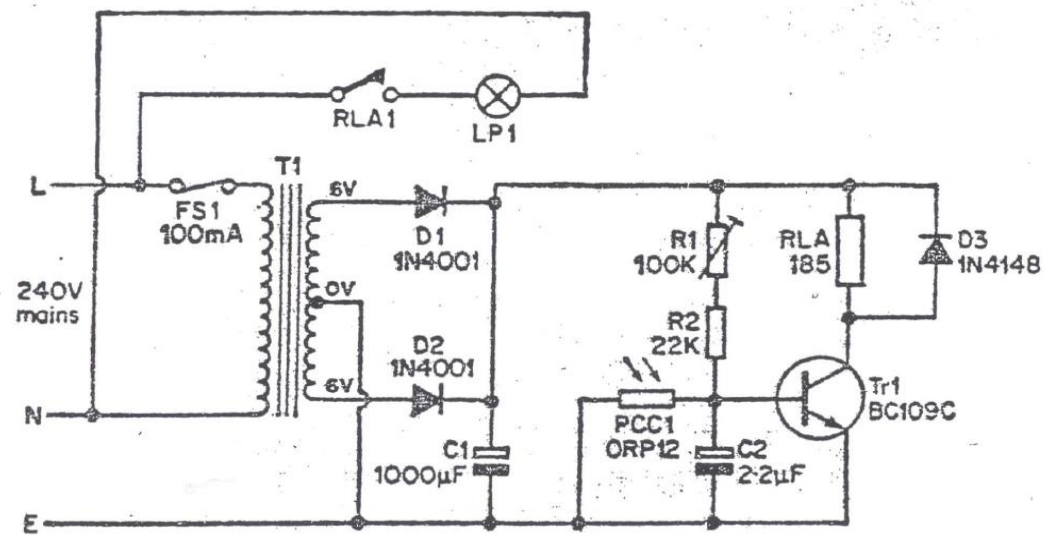
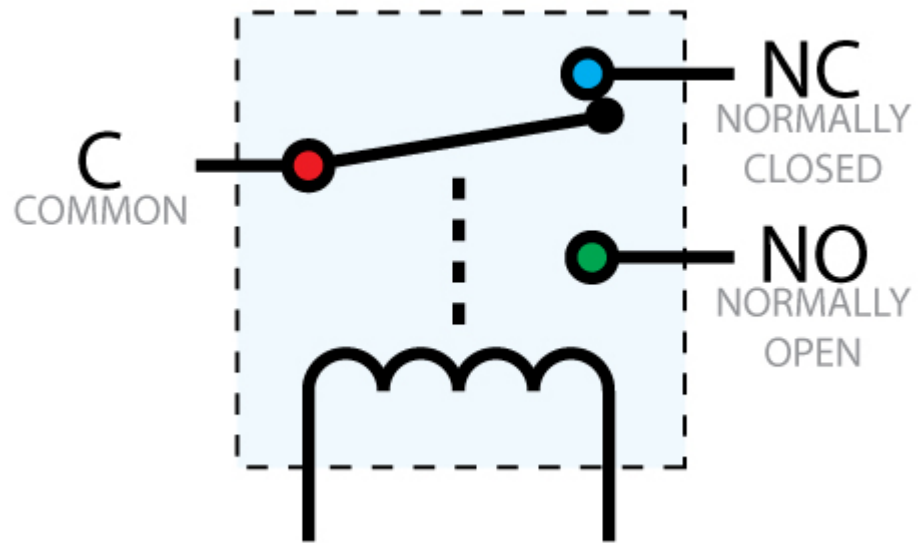




FIGURE 1

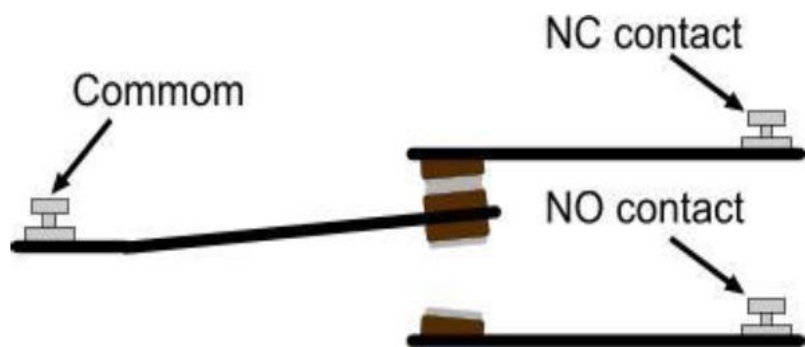
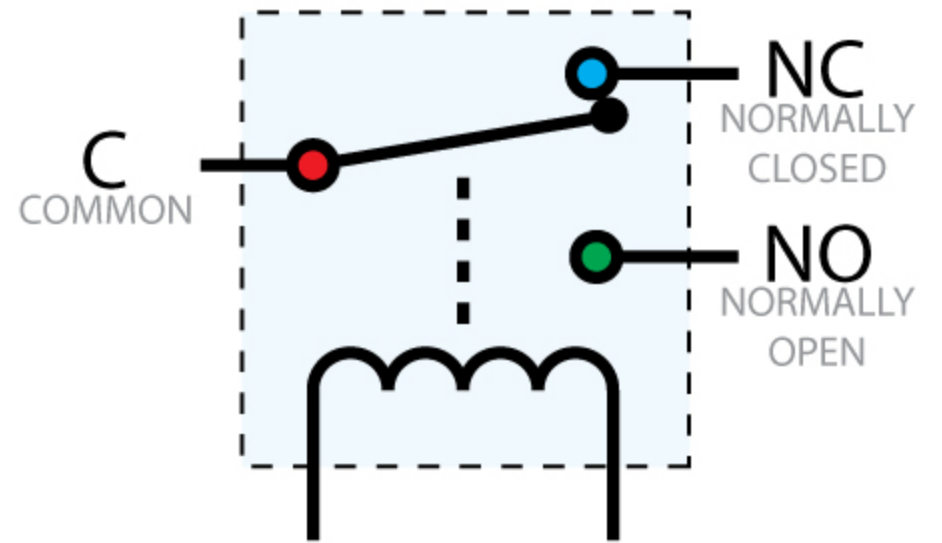
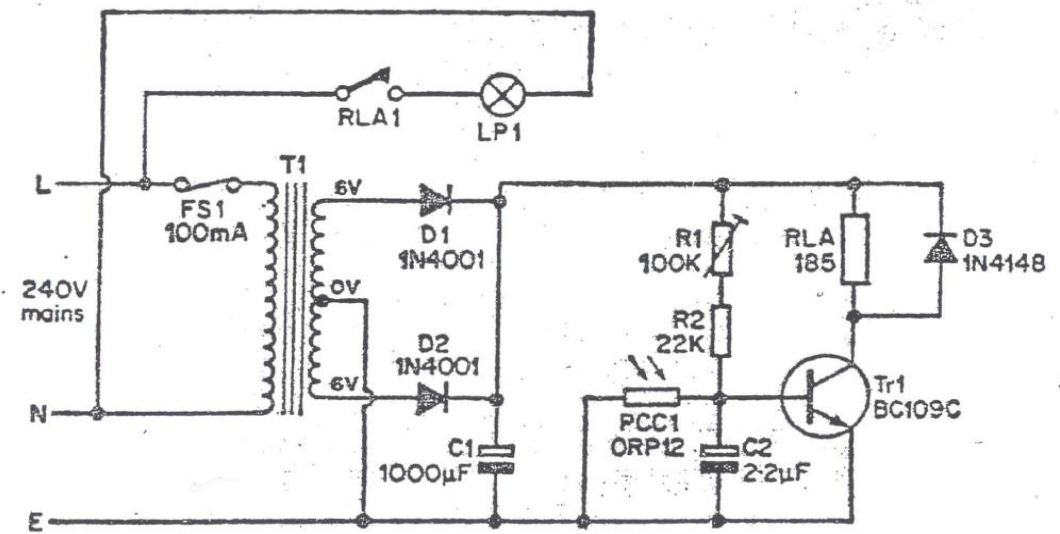
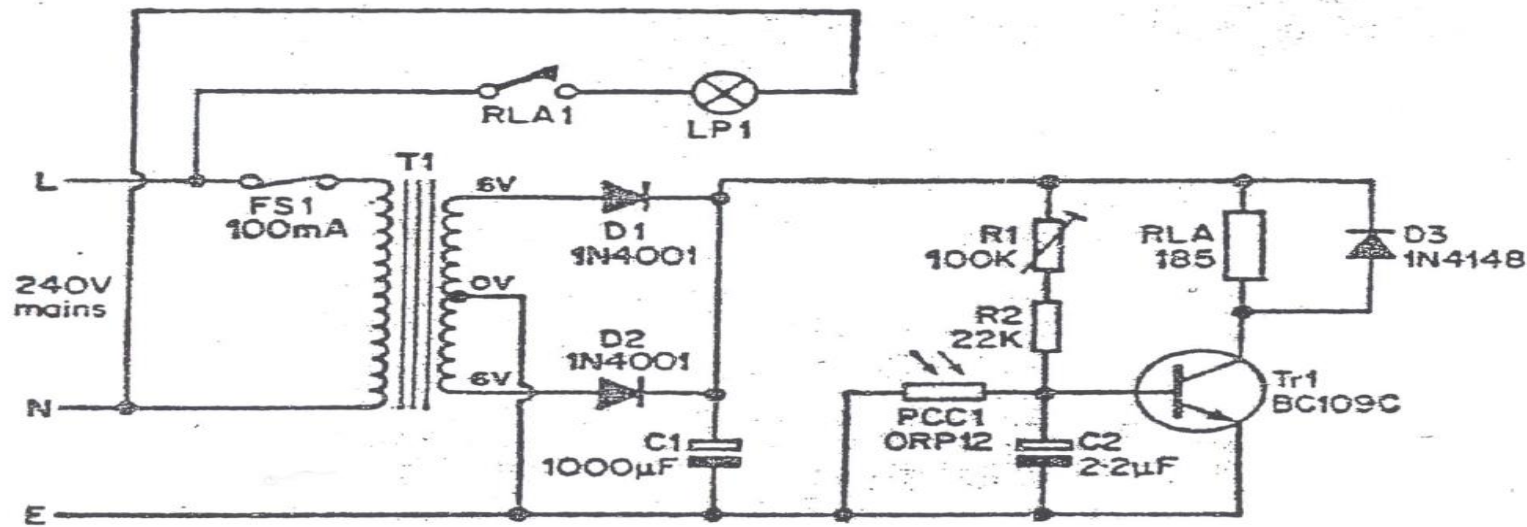


FIGURE 2





In day time

$R_{pc}$  is small, so that

$$V_{BE} < 0.7V$$

- ∴ Transistor is in cutoff
- ∴ Relay is deenergized
- ∴ Switch is open
- ∴ Lamp is OFF

At night

$R_{pc}$  becomes large, so that

$$V_{BE} \approx 0.7V$$

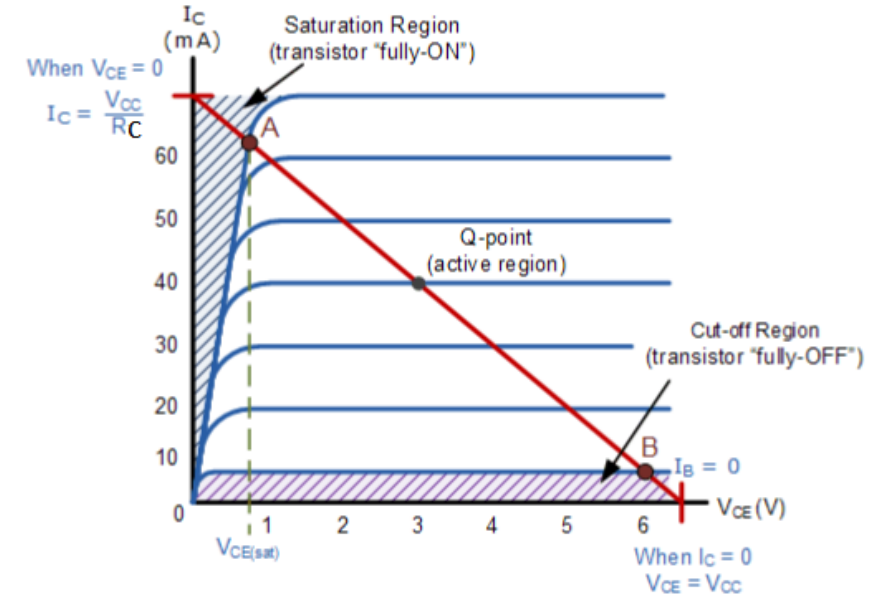
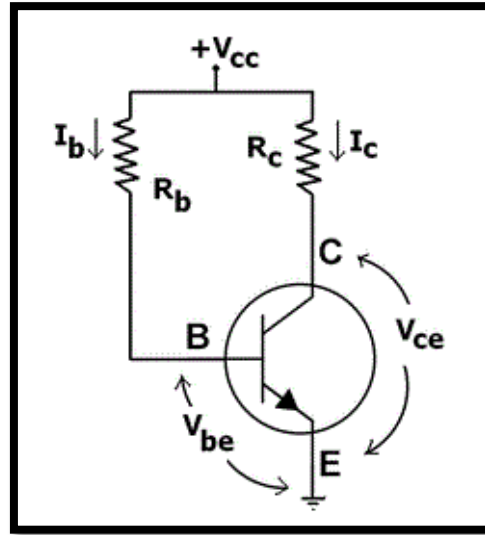
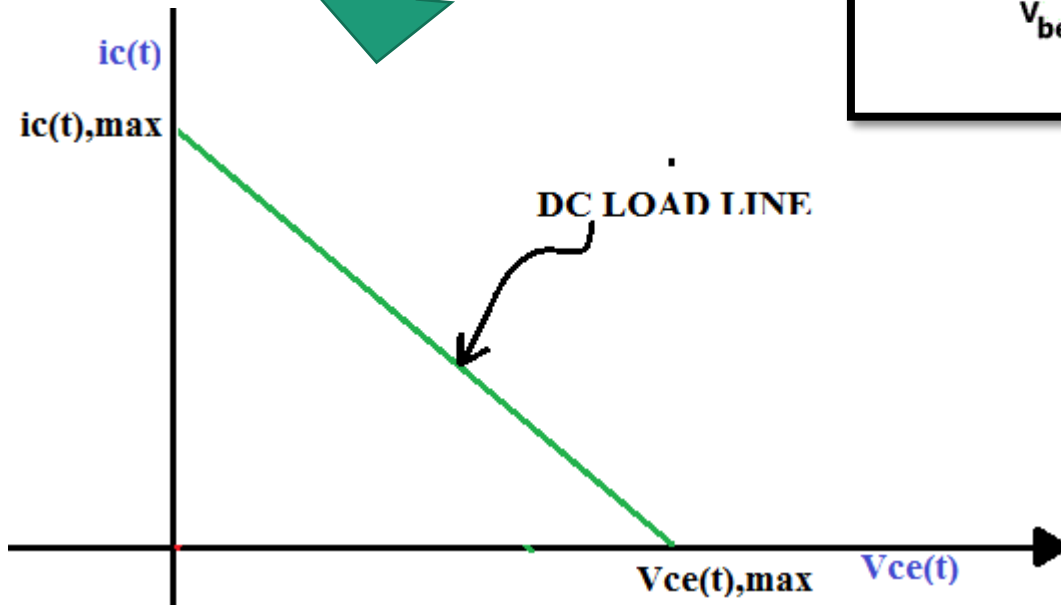
- ∴ The Transistor is on
- ∴ Relay is energized
- ∴ Switch is close
- ∴ Lamp is On

# BJT Ac-Small signal analysis using Graphical method:

Graphical method:

**KVL:**  $V_{CC} = R_c I_c + V_{CE}$

$$I_c = -\frac{1}{R_c} V_{CE} + \frac{V_{CC}}{R_c}$$



$$i_c(t)_{,max} = \frac{V_{CC}}{R_c} \quad \text{Saturation}$$

$$V_{CE(t),max} = V_{CC} \quad \text{Cutoff}$$

## Small signal BJT amplifier:

### DC Analysis:

From **KVL**:

$$I_B = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{BE}}{R_B} = \frac{18 - 0.65}{576k}$$

➤  $I_B = 30\mu A$

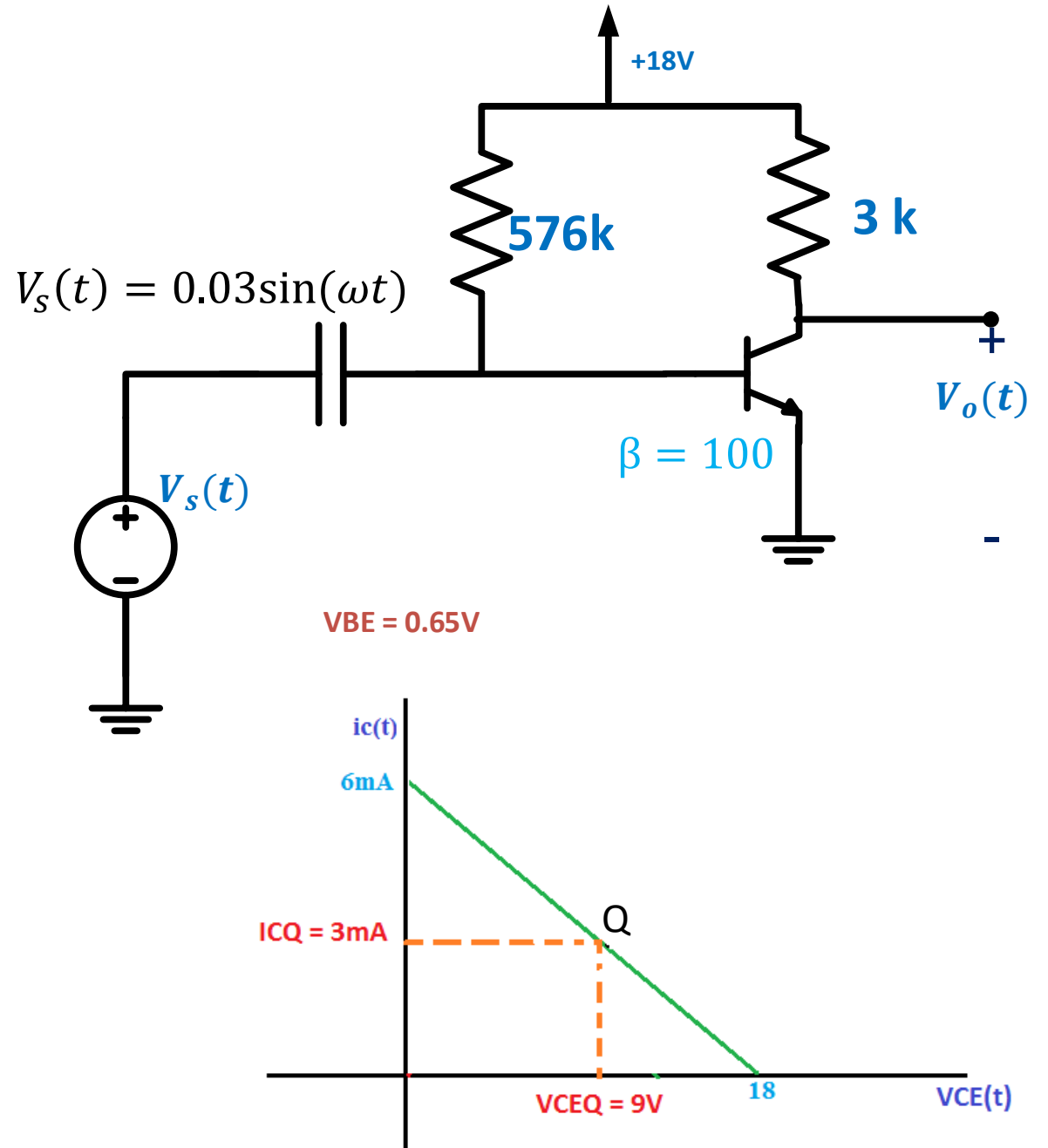
But:  $I_C = \beta I_B$

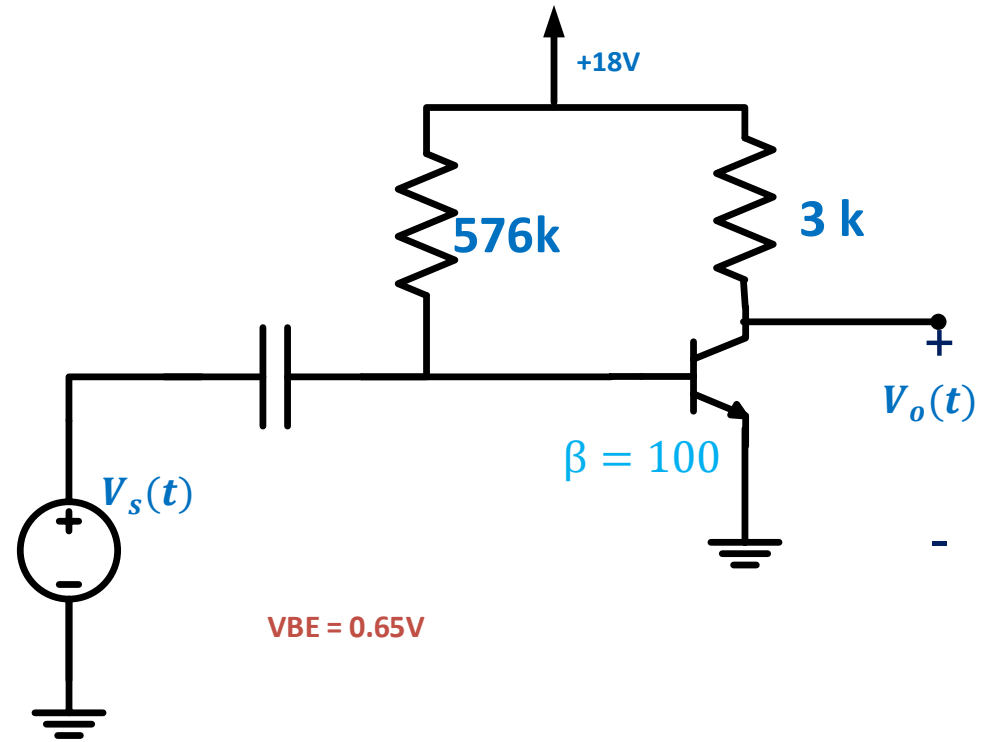
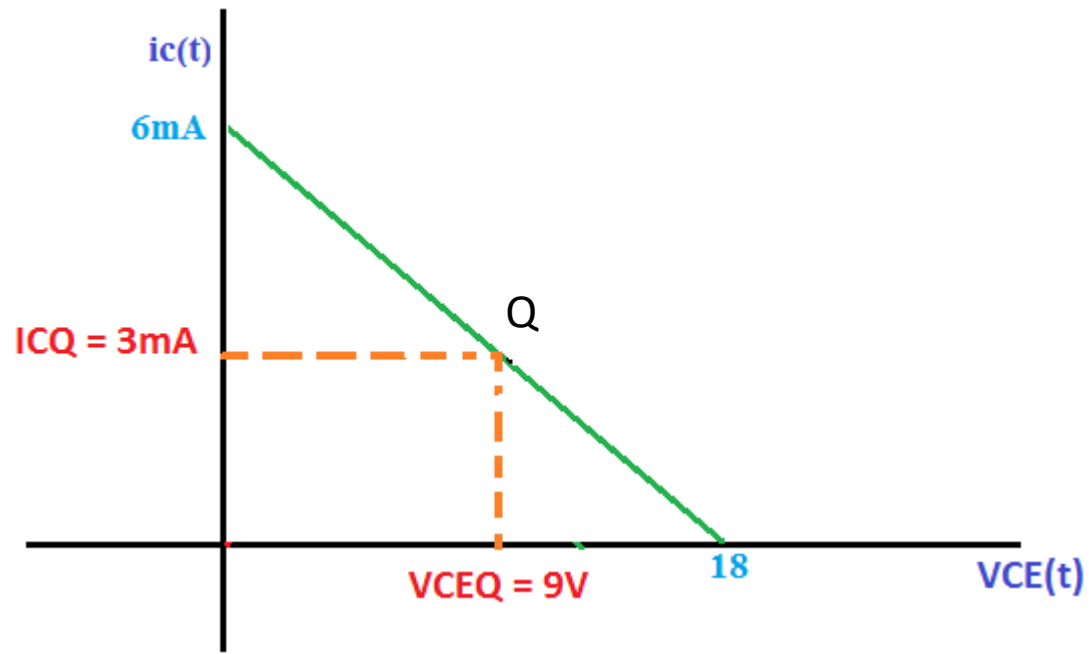
➤  $I_C = 3mA$

**KVL**:

$$V_{CC} = R_C I_C + V_{CE}$$

➤  $V_{CE} = 9 \text{ volt}$





## Using superposition

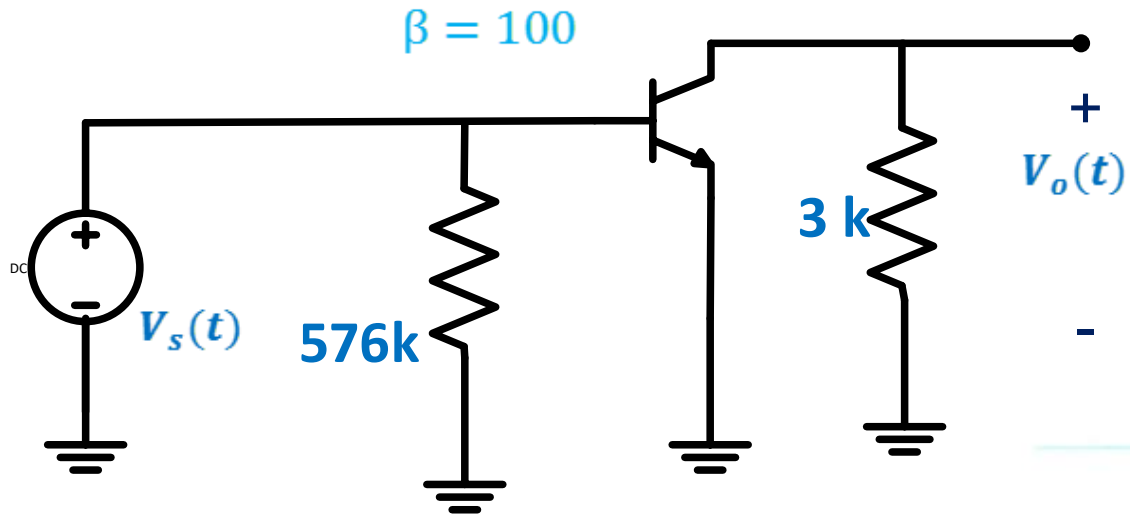
$$V_{BE}(t) = V_{BE} + v_{be}$$

$$i_c(t) = I_{CQ} + i_c$$

$$V_{CE}(t) = V_{CEQ} + v_{ce}$$

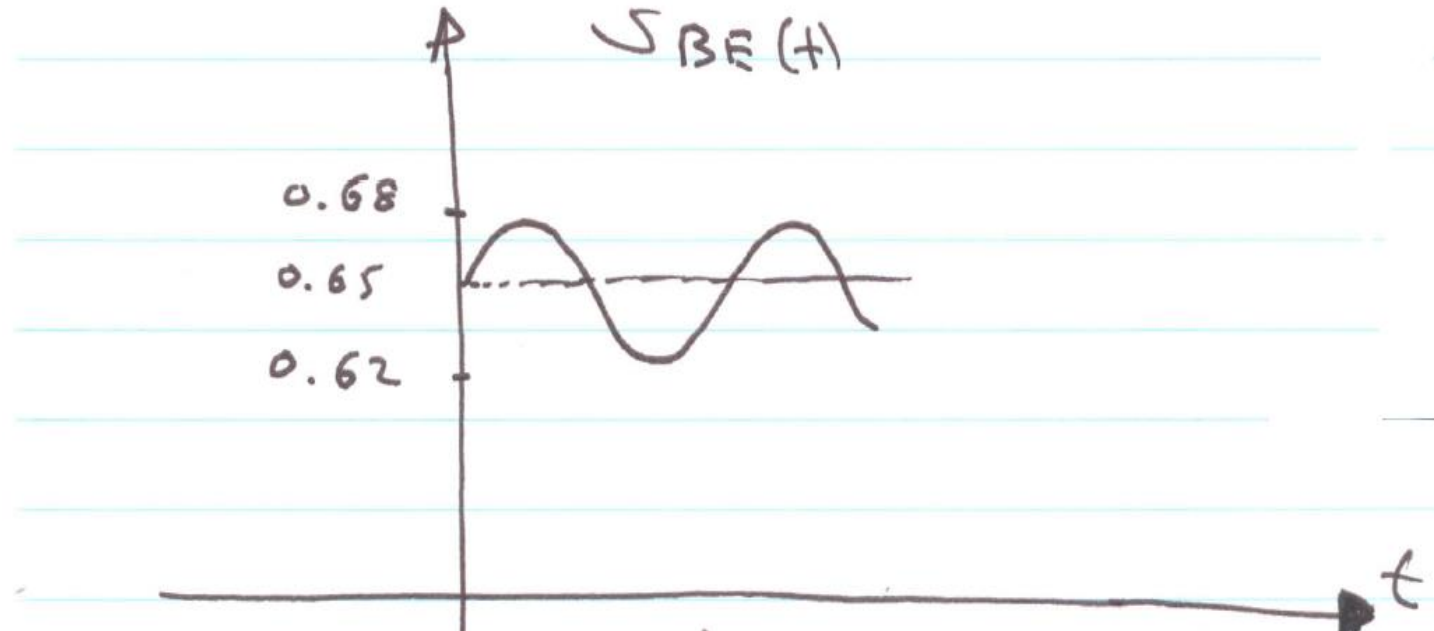
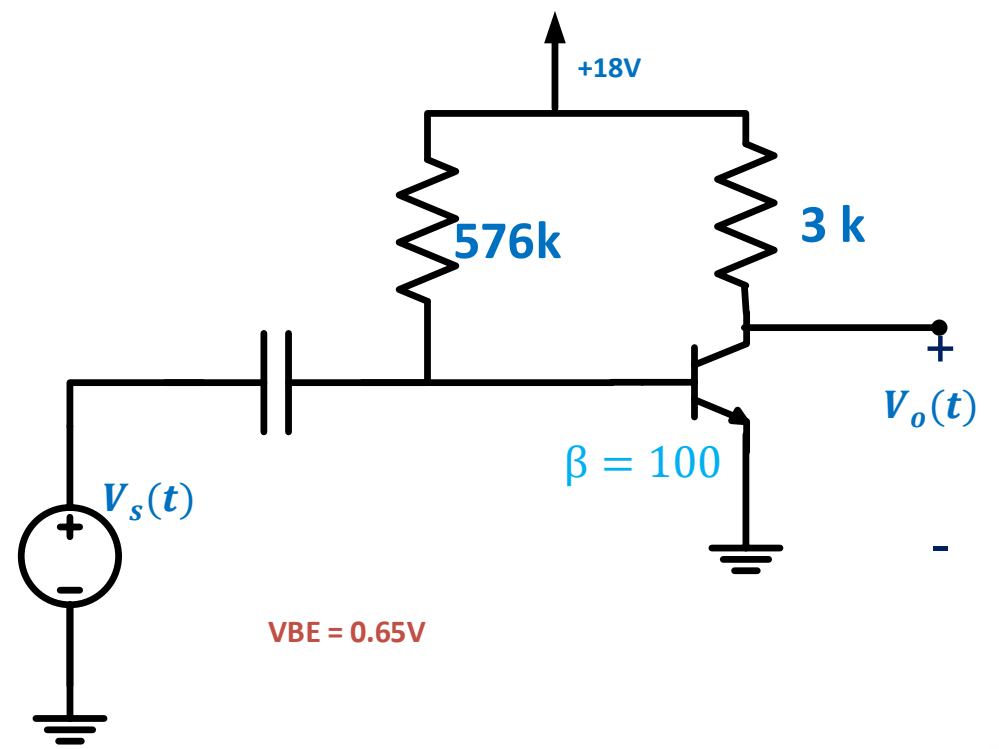
Ac analysis:

Ac equivalent circuit:



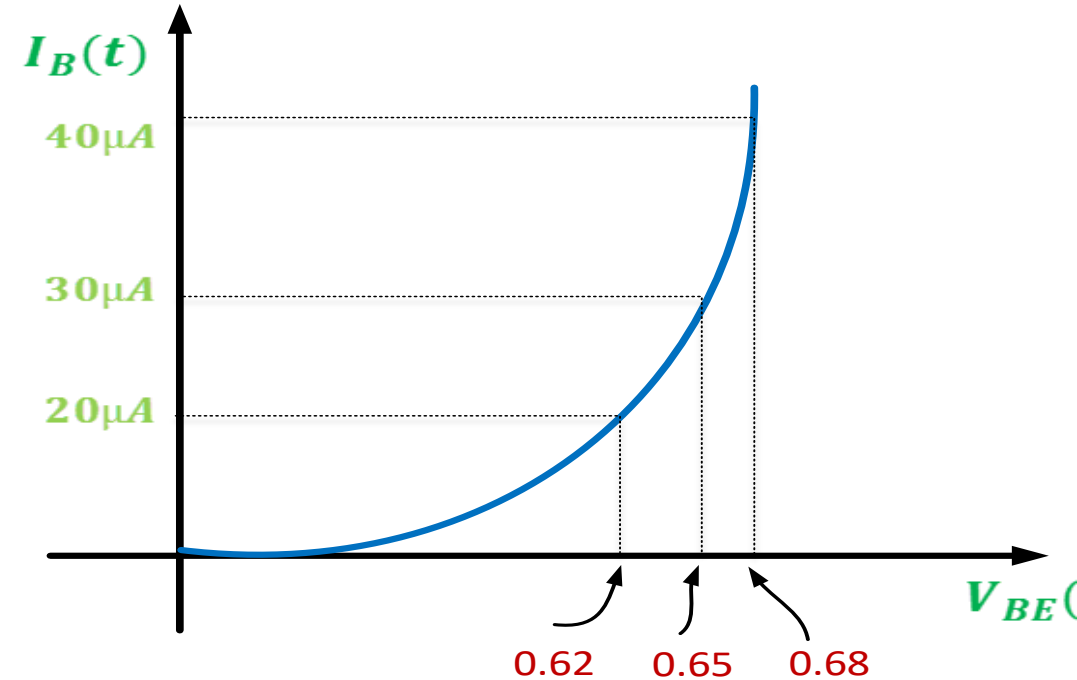
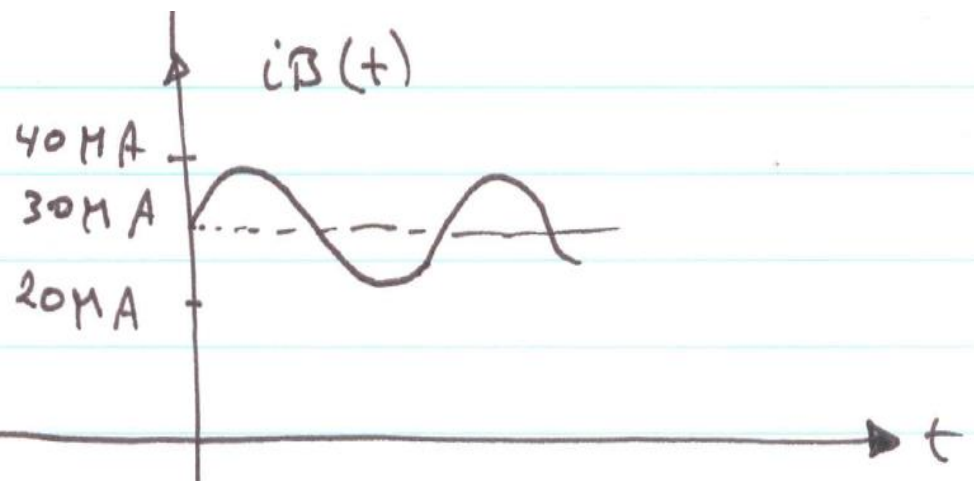
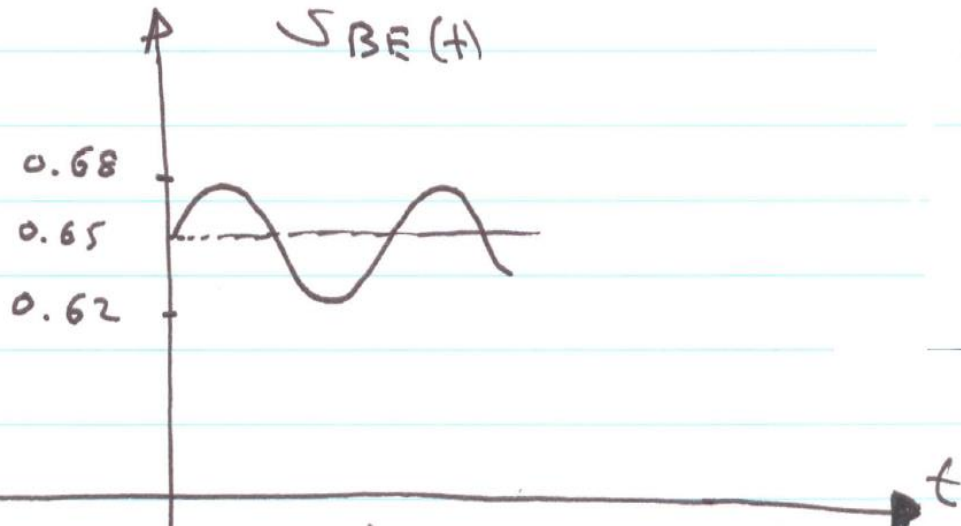
$$v_{be} = V_s(t) = 0.03\sin(\omega t)$$

$$V_{BE}(t) = 0.65 + 0.03\sin(\omega t)$$





# Ac small signal analysis



**Assumption:**

**An increase in  $v_{BE}(t)$  by 0.03V will cause an increase in  $i_B(t)$  by 10  $\mu A$**

**A decrease in  $v_{BE}(t)$  by 0.03V will cause an a decrease in  $i_B(t)$  by 10  $\mu A$**

When:  $V_{BE}(t) = 0.65$  ;  $i_B(t) = 30\mu A$

$V_{BE}(t) = 0.68$  ;  $i_B(t) = 40\mu A$

$V_{BE}(t) = 0.62$  ;  $i_B(t) = 20\mu A$

Using:

$$i_C(t) = \beta i_B(t)$$

$$V_{CE}(t) = V_{CC} - R_C i_C(t)$$

When :  $i_B(t) = 30\mu A$  ;

$$i_C(t) = 3mA$$

$$V_{CE}(t) = 9 \text{ volt}$$

When :  $i_B(t) = 40\mu A$  ;

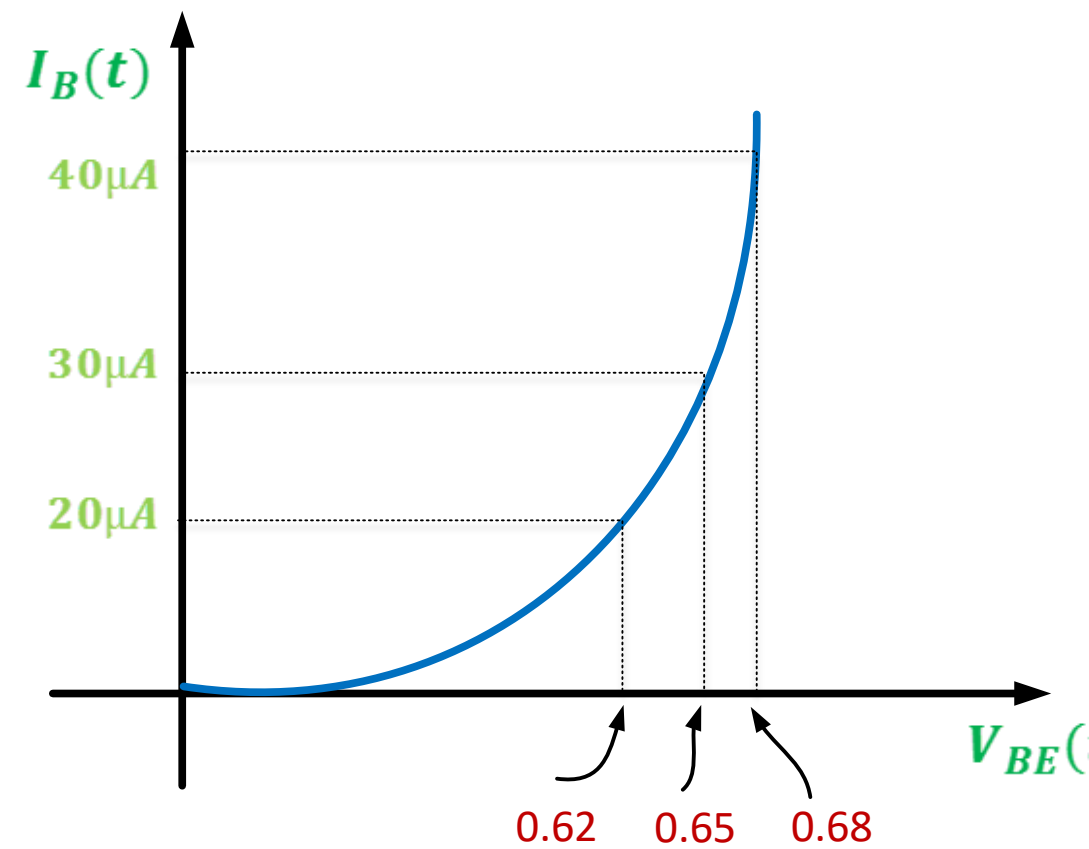
$$i_C(t) = 4mA$$

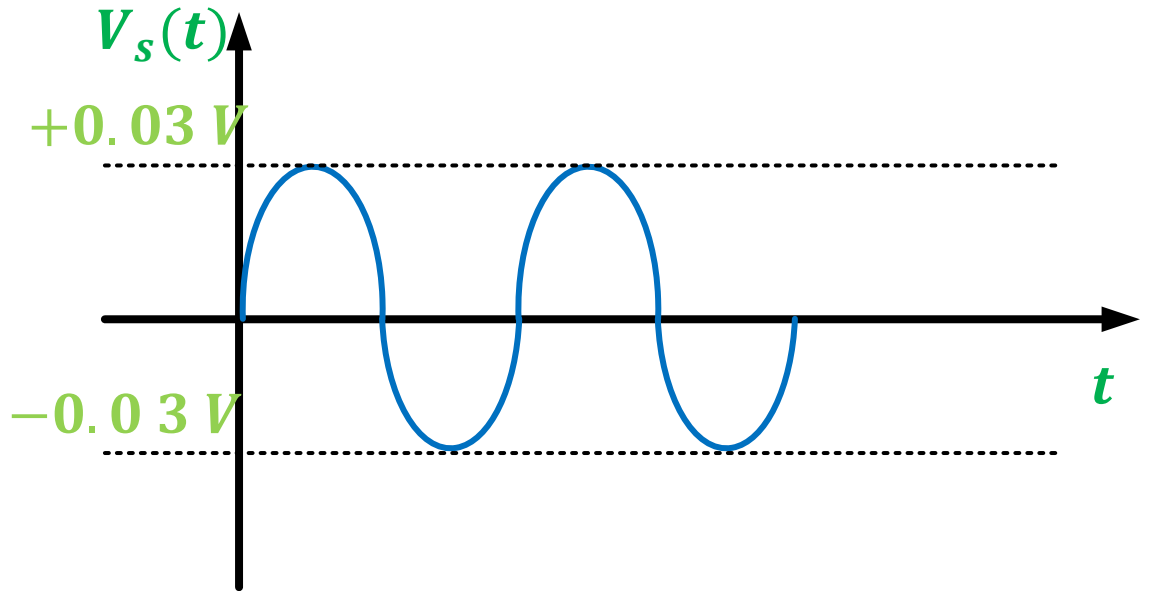
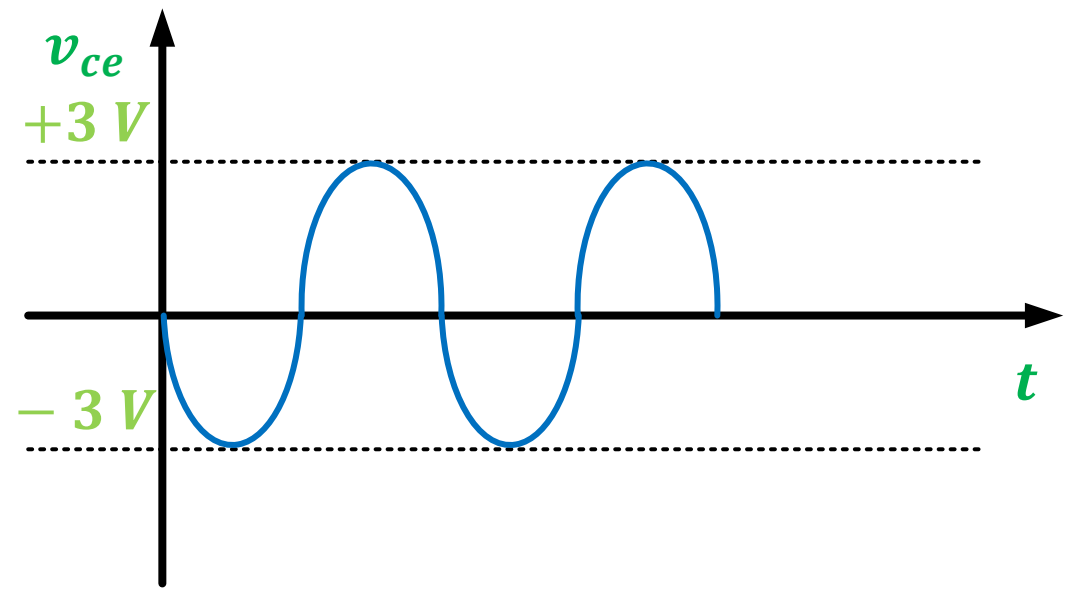
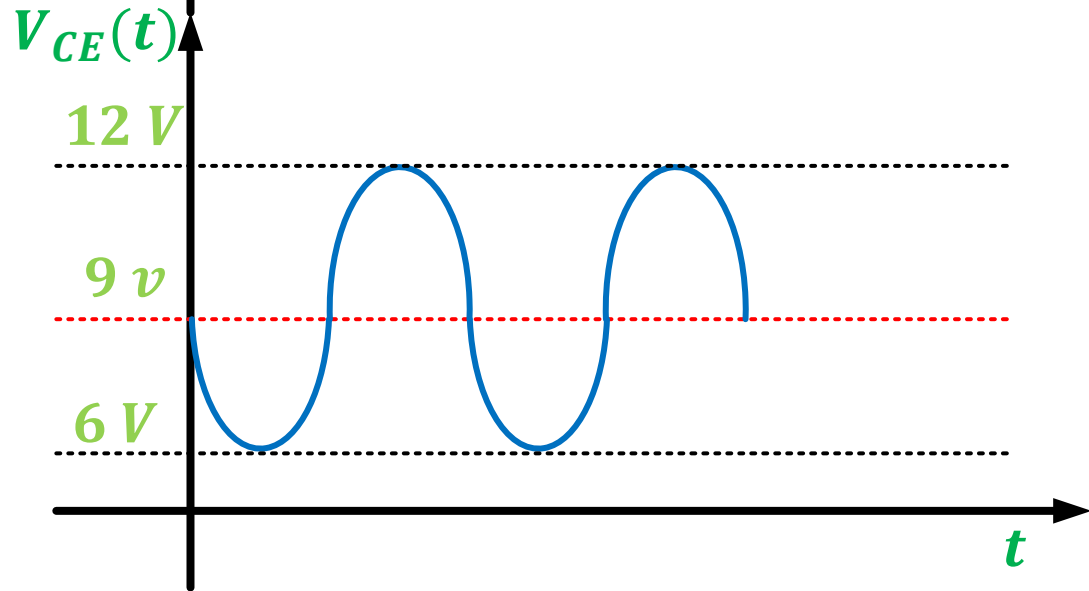
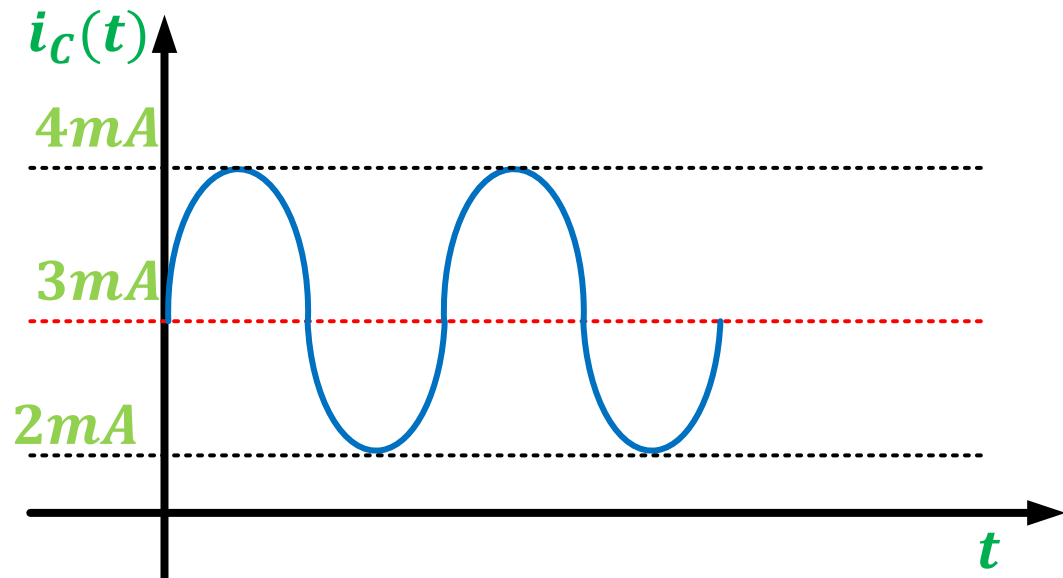
$$V_{CE}(t) = 6 \text{ volt}$$

When :  $i_B(t) = 20\mu A$  ;

$$i_C(t) = 2mA$$

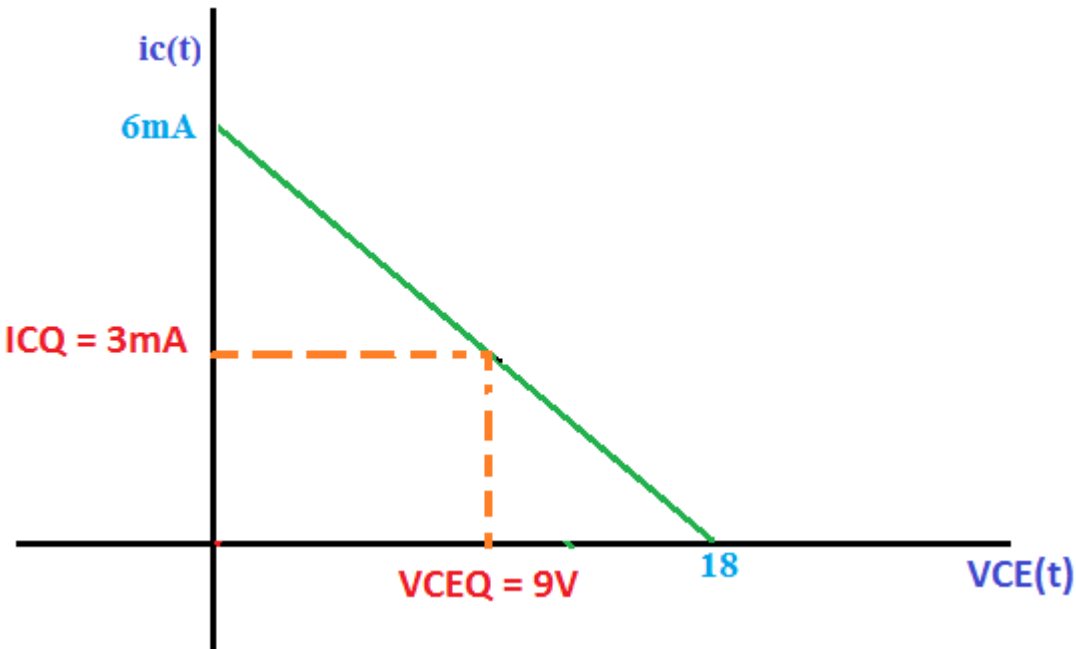
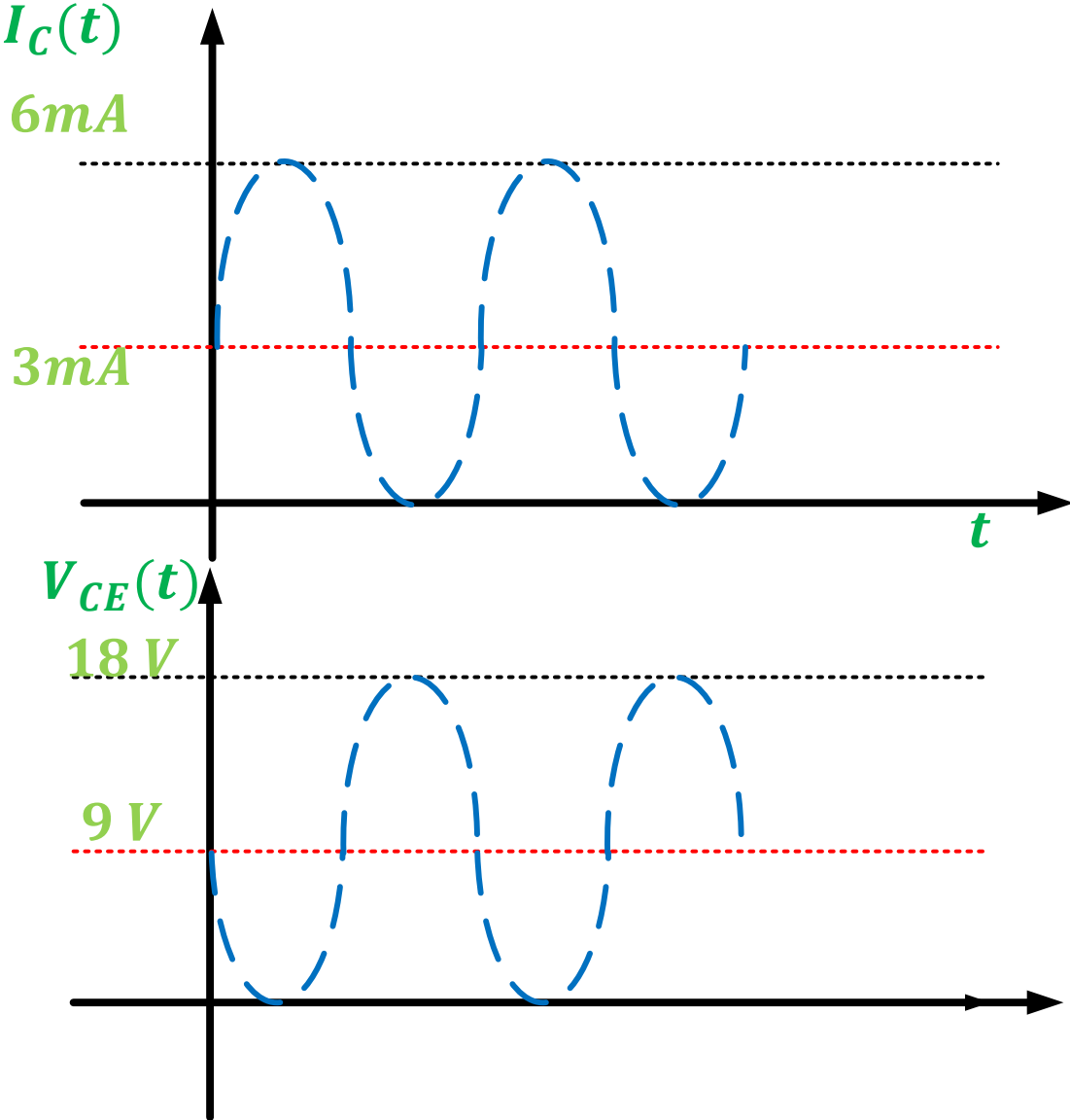
$$V_{CE}(t) = 12 \text{ volt}$$





**The output voltage is an amplified version of the input signal**

# Maximum possibility swing:

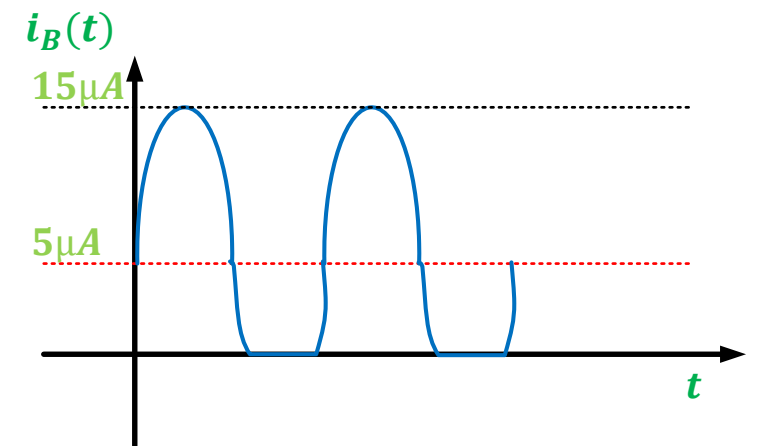
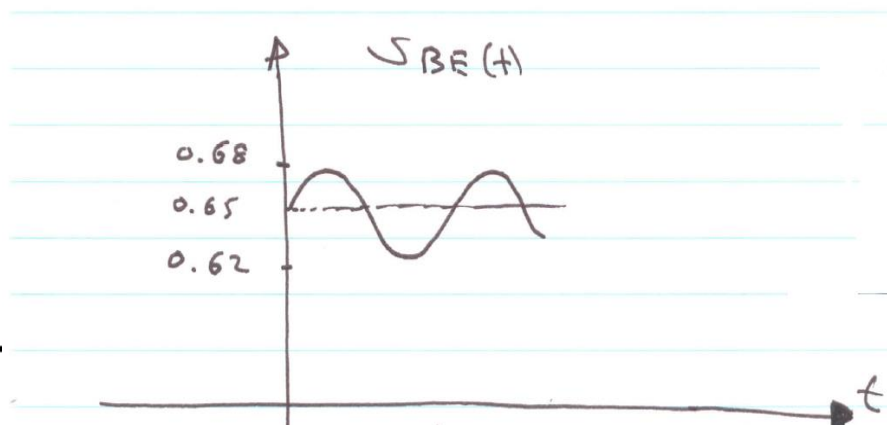
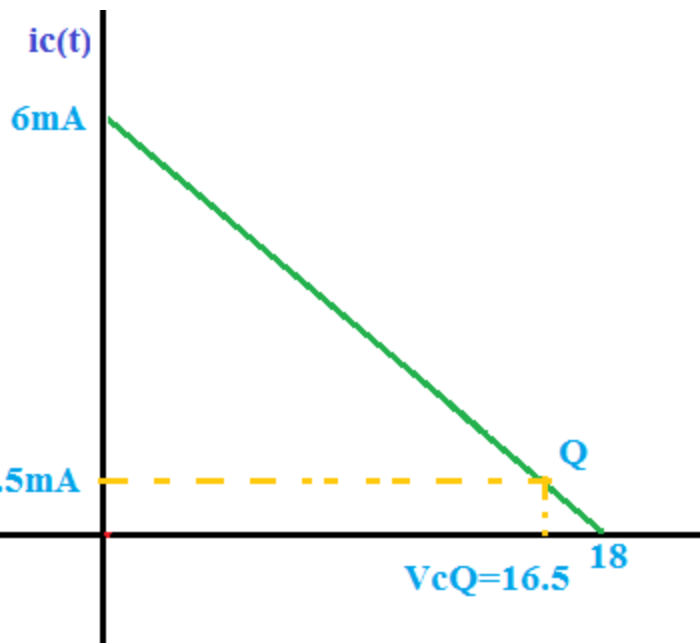
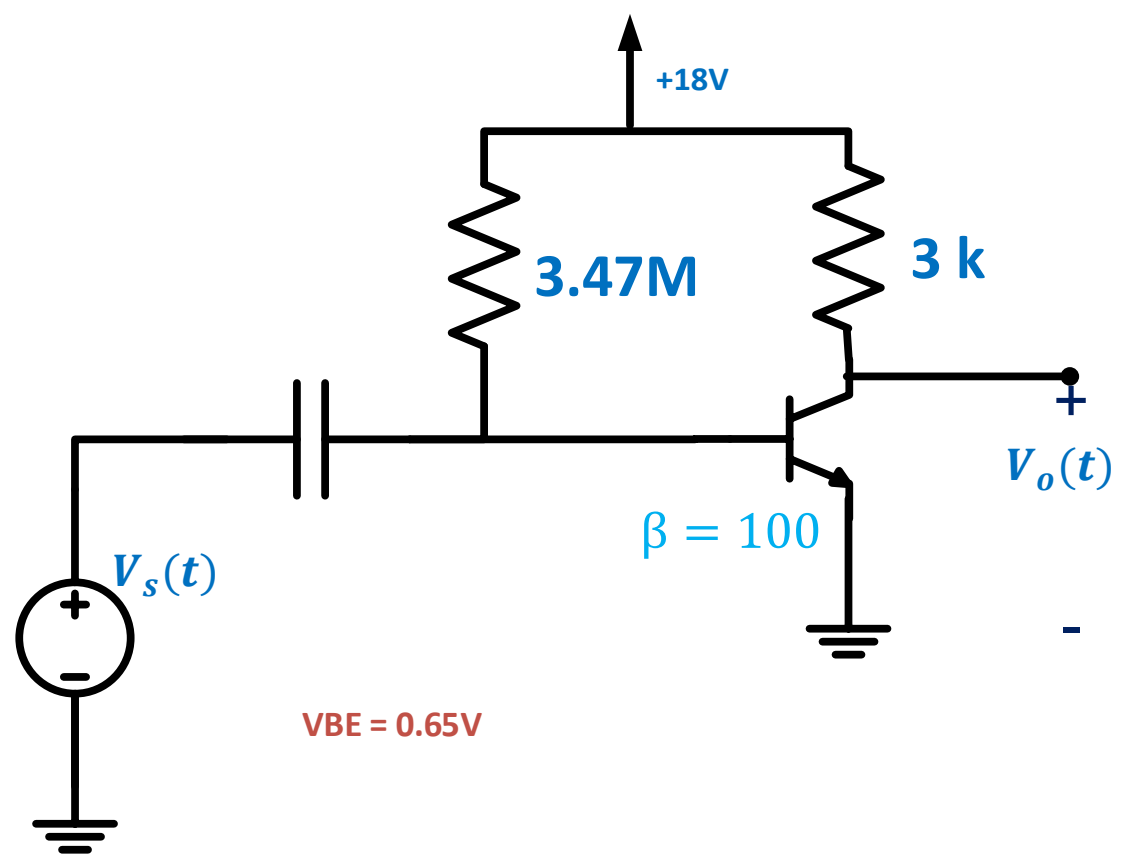


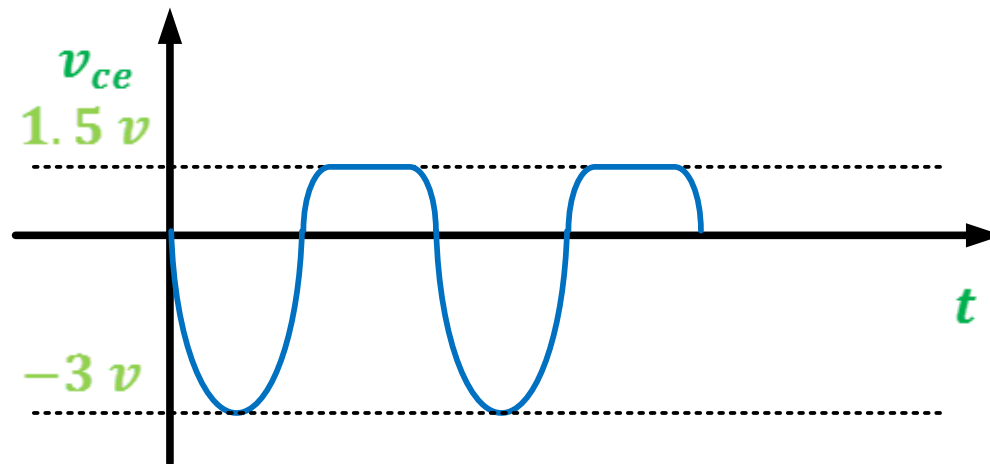
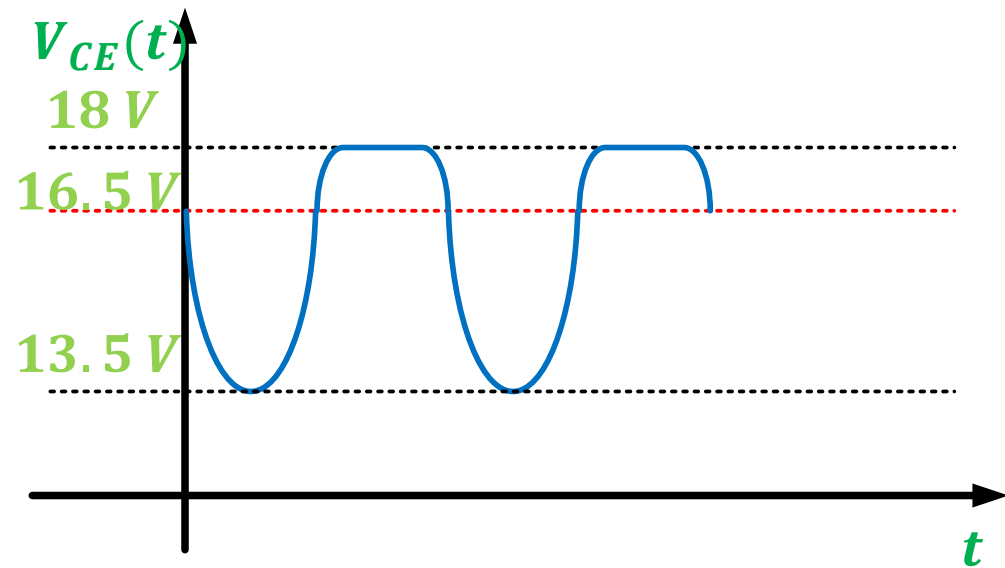
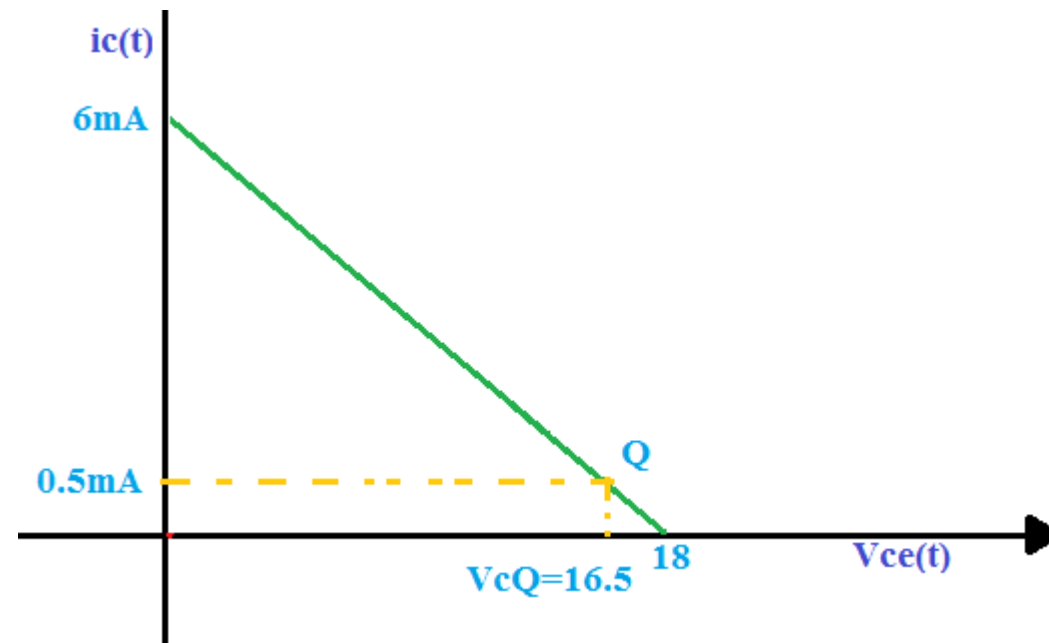
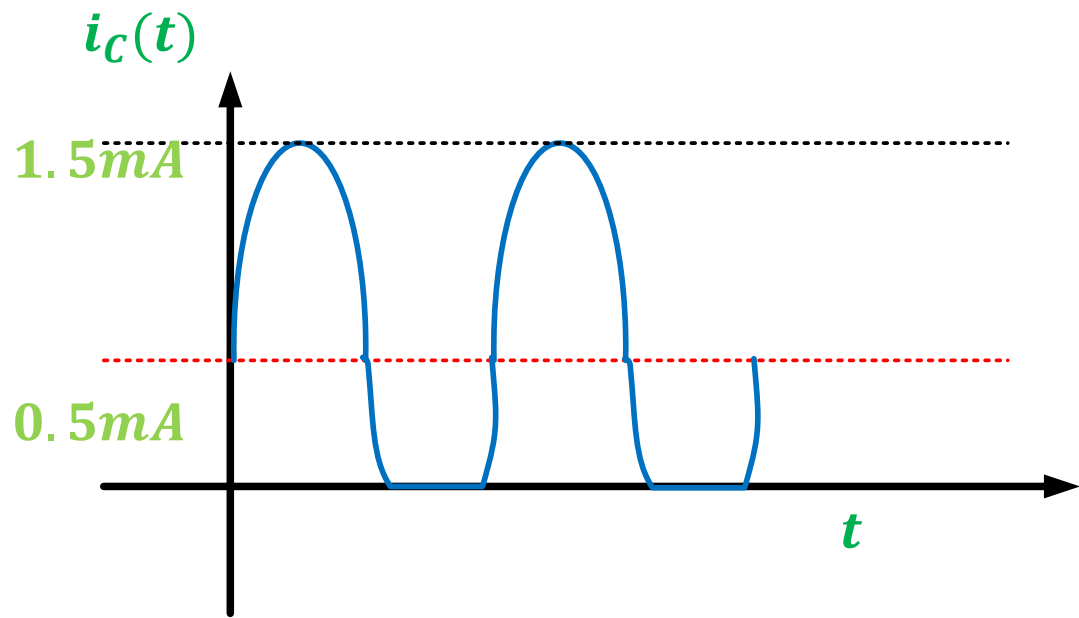
Let  $R_B = 3.47M\Omega$

$$I_B = \frac{18 - 0.65}{3.47M} = 5\mu A$$

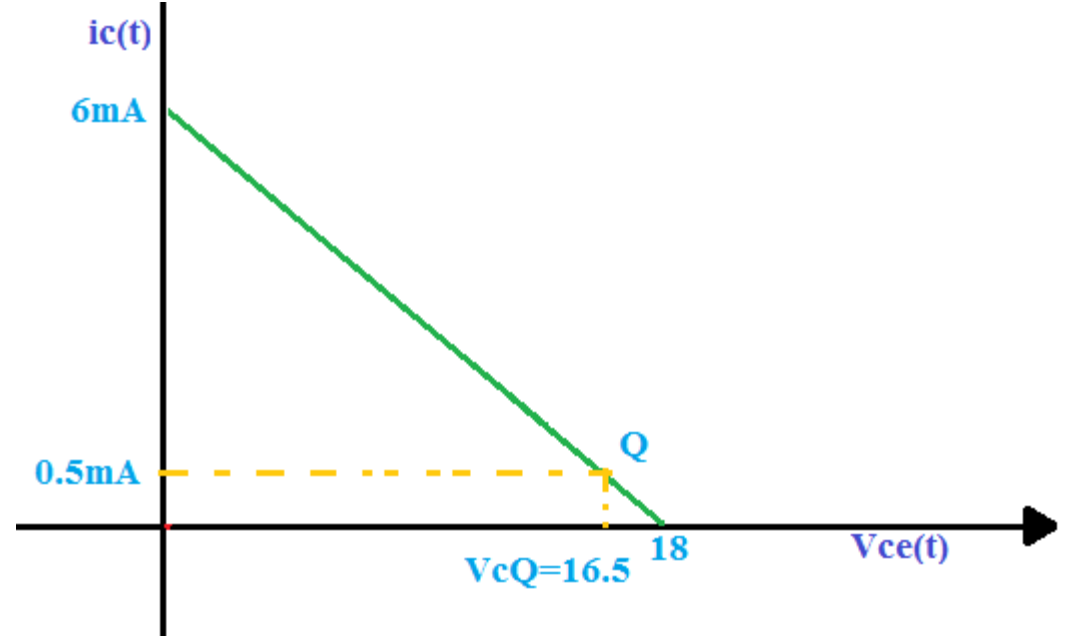
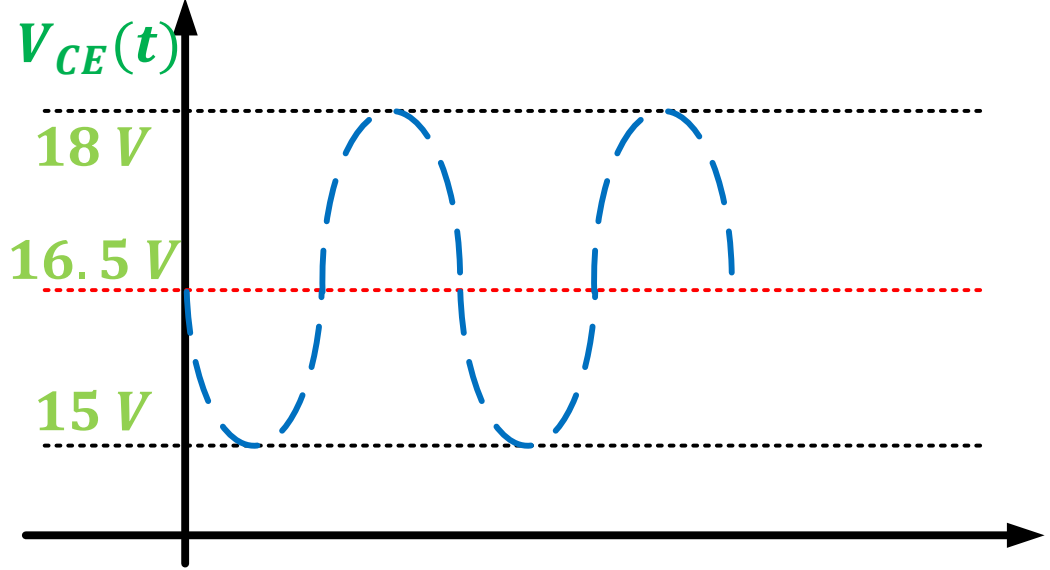
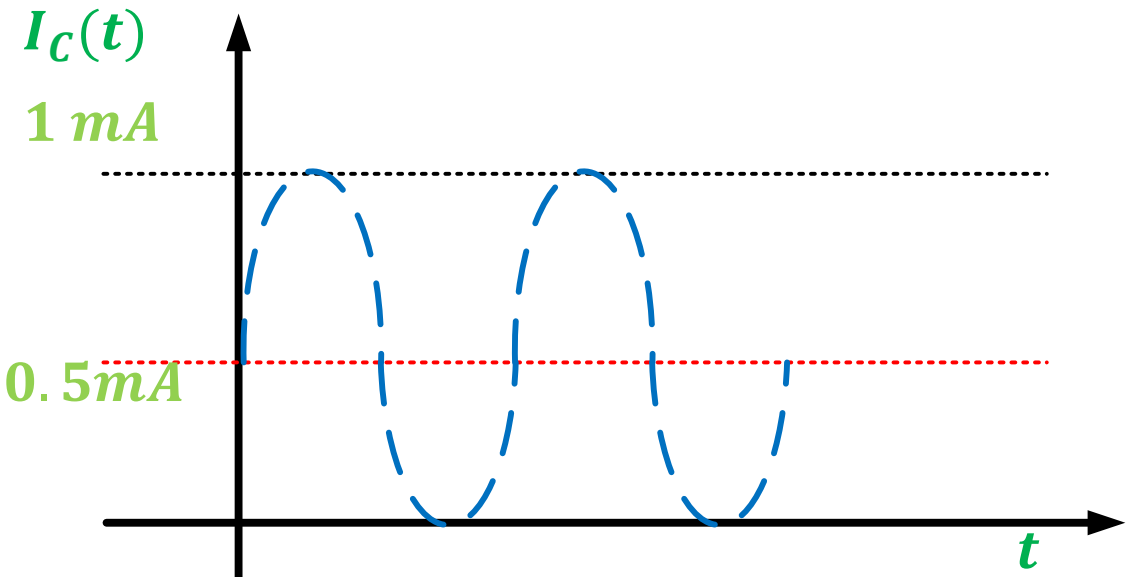
$$I_C = 0.5mA$$

$$V_{CE} = 16.5 \text{ volt}$$

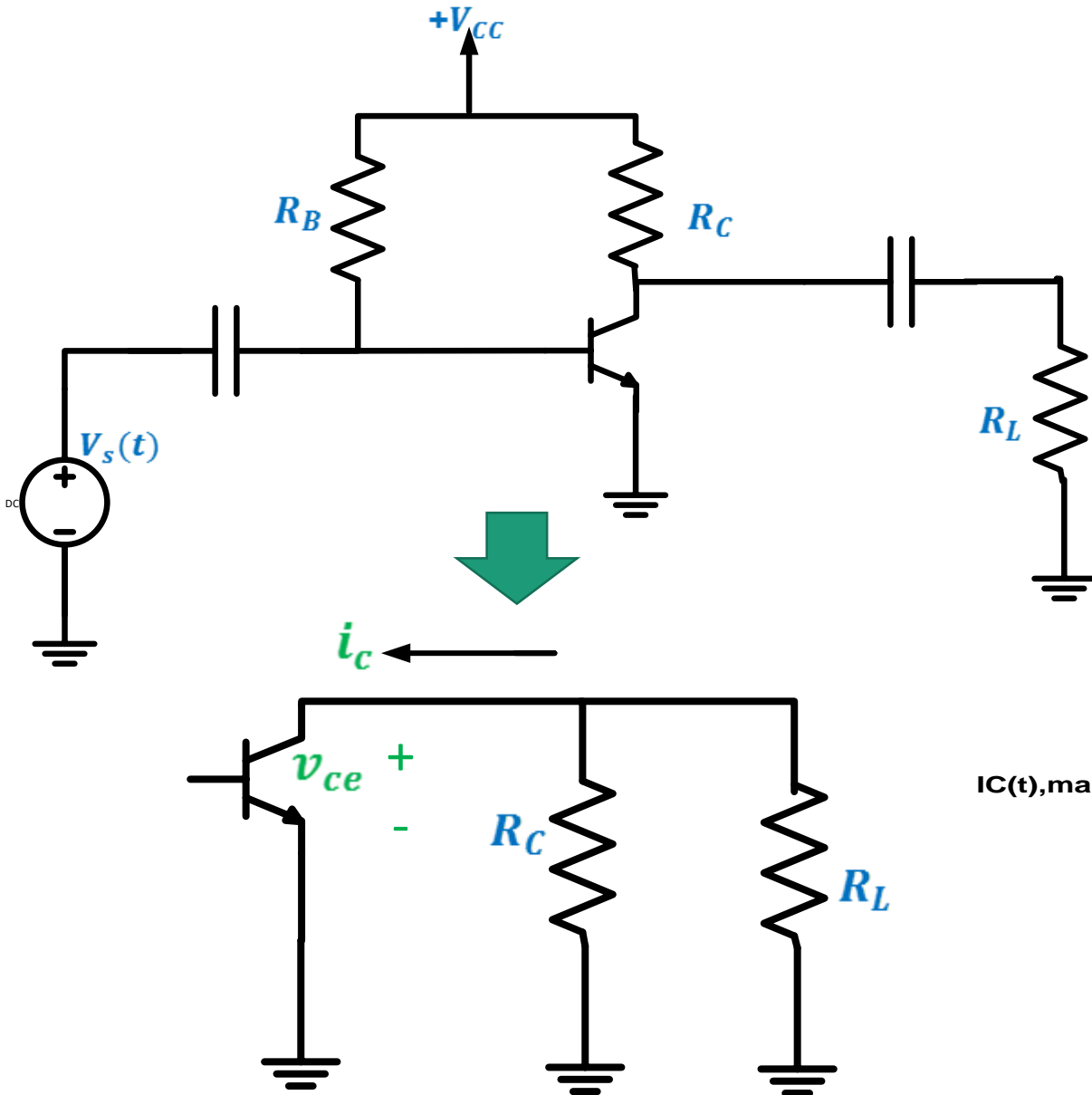




# Maximum possibility swing:



## Ac load line:



$$v_{ce} = -(R_C || R_L) i_c ;$$

$$v_{ce} = -R_{ac} i_c ;$$

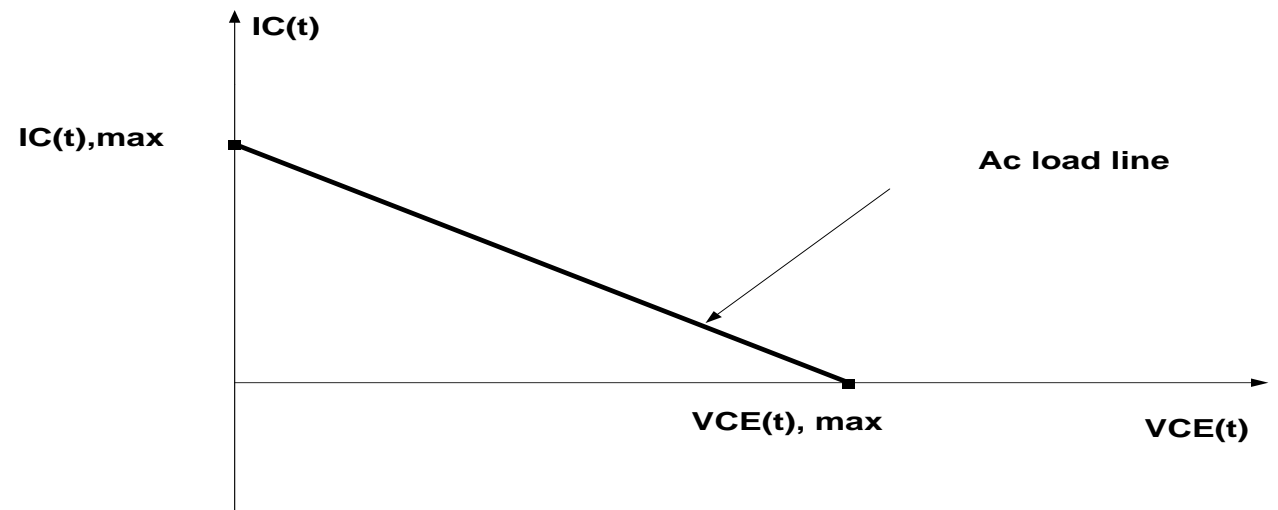
$$V_{CE}(t) - V_{CEQ} = -R_{ac}(i_c(t) - I_{CQ})$$

To find  $i_{c,max}(t)$  set  $V_{CE}(t) = V_{CE,sat} \cong 0$

$$\triangleright i_{c,max}(t) = I_{CQ} + \frac{V_{CEQ}}{R_{ac}}$$

To find  $V_{CE,max}(t)$  set  $i_c(t) = 0$

$$\triangleright V_{CE,max}(t) = V_{CEQ} + R_{ac} I_{CQ}$$





**For maximum symmetrical swing:**

$$I_{CQ} = \frac{1}{2} i_{c,max}(t)$$

$$i_{c,max}(t) = I_{CQ} + \frac{V_{CEQ}}{R_{ac}} = 2I_{CQ}$$

$$\triangleright I_{CQ} = \frac{V_{CEQ}}{R_{ac}}$$

**For DC condition:**

$$V_{CC} = R_C I_C + V_{CE}$$

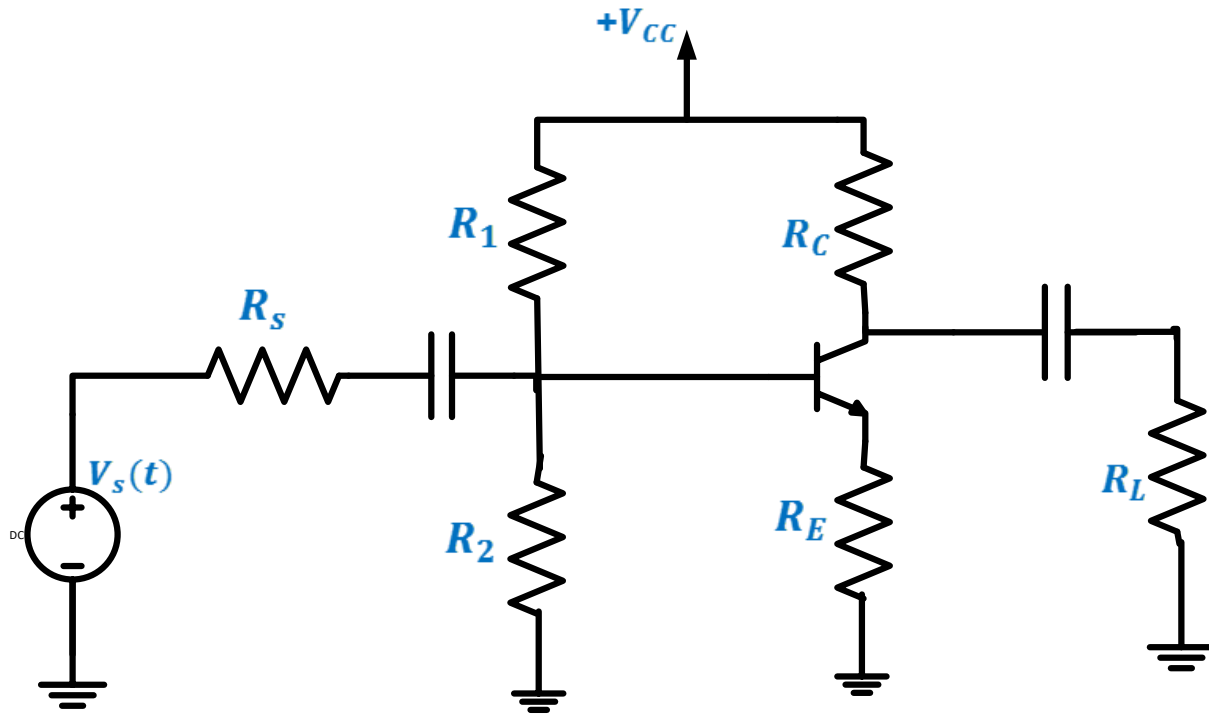
$$V_{CC} = R_{dc} I_C + V_{CE}$$

$$V_{CC} = R_{dc} I_C + R_{ac} I_C$$

$$\triangleright I_C = \frac{V_{CC}}{R_{dc} + R_{ac}}$$

## Example:

Find  $R_{dc}$ ,  $R_{ac}$



For maximum symmetrical swing:

$$\triangleright I_C = \frac{V_{CC}}{R_{dc} + R_{ac}}$$

$$R_{dc} = R_C + R_E$$

$$R_{ac} = R_E + (R_C || R_L)$$

$$V_{CEQ} = R_{ac} * I_{CQ}$$

# Ac small signal equivalent circuits for BJT configuration:



Hybrid parameters “h- parameters”:

$$v_1 = h_{11}i_1 + h_{12}v_2$$

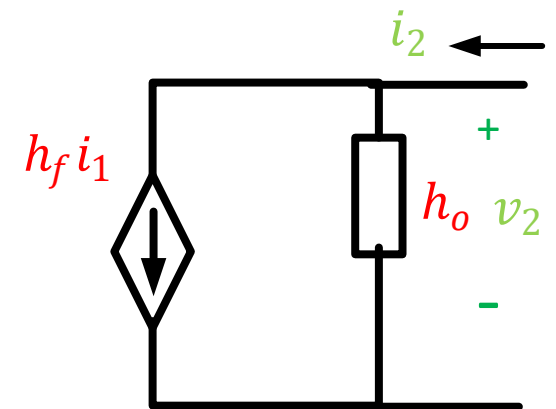
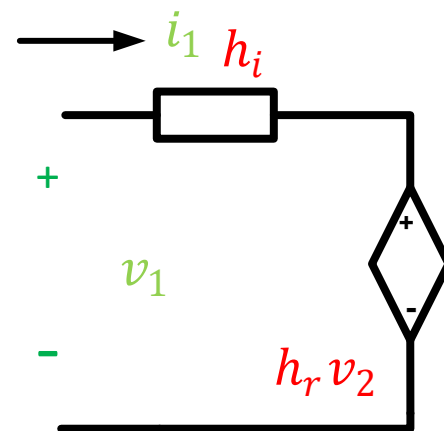
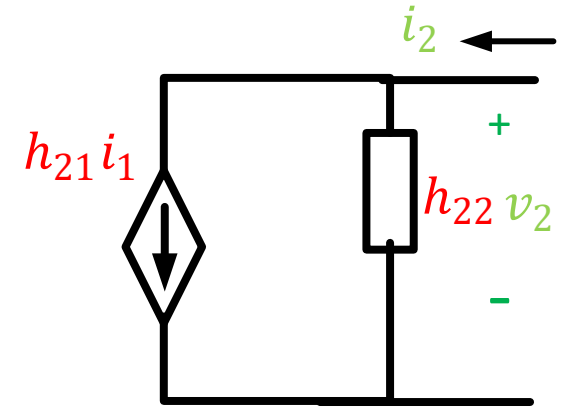
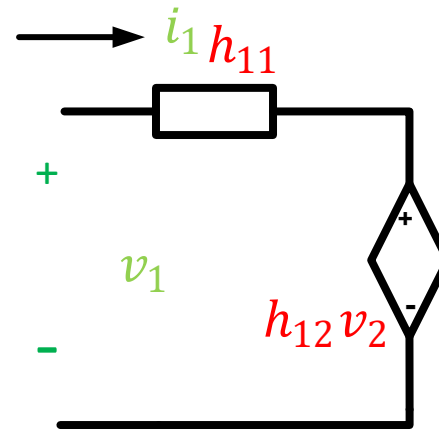
$$i_2 = h_{21}i_1 + h_{22}v_2$$

$$h_{11} = \left. \frac{v_1}{i_1} \right|_{v_2 = 0} \text{ Short circuit input impedance, } \Omega (h_i)$$

$$h_{12} = \left. \frac{v_1}{v_2} \right|_{i_1 = 0} \text{ Open circuit reverse voltage ratio, } (h_r)$$

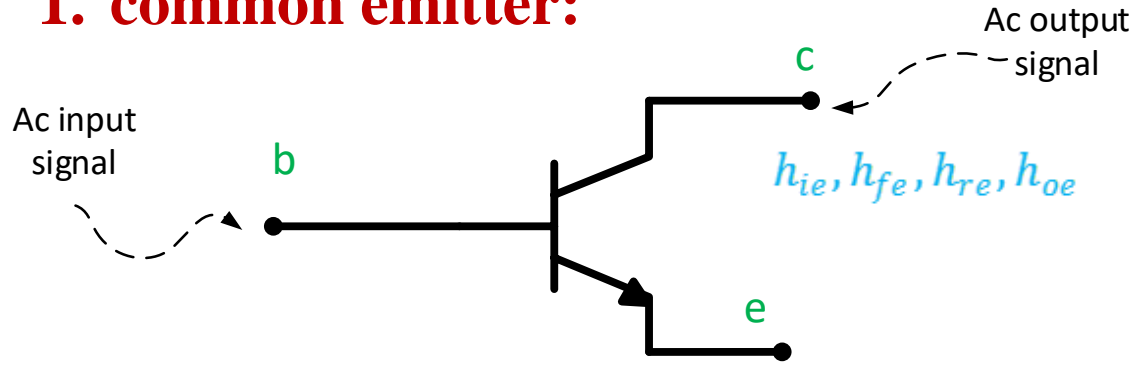
$$h_{21} = \left. \frac{i_2}{i_1} \right|_{v_2 = 0} \text{ Short circuit forward current ratio, } (h_f)$$

$$h_{22} = \left. \frac{i_2}{v_2} \right|_{i_1 = 0} \text{ Open circuit output admittance, } \bar{\Omega} (h_o)$$

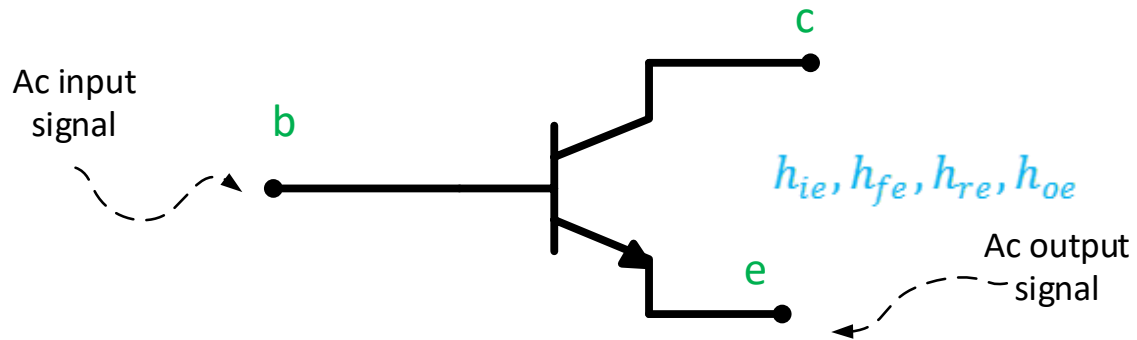


# Transistor configuration:

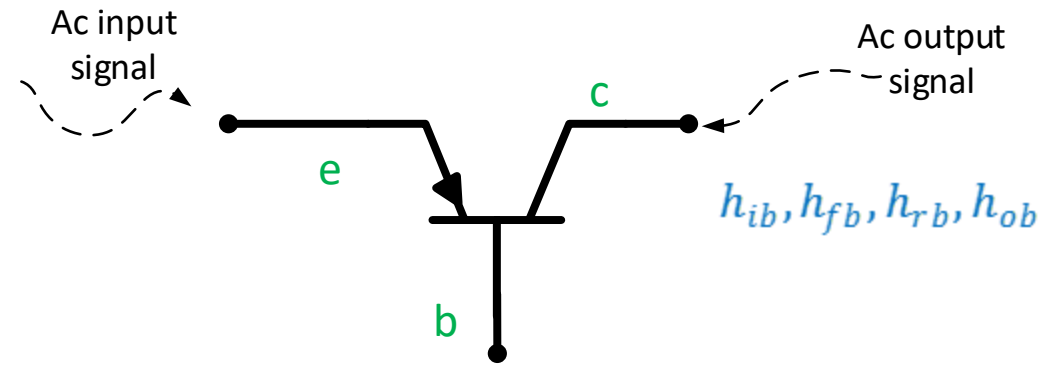
## 1. common emitter:



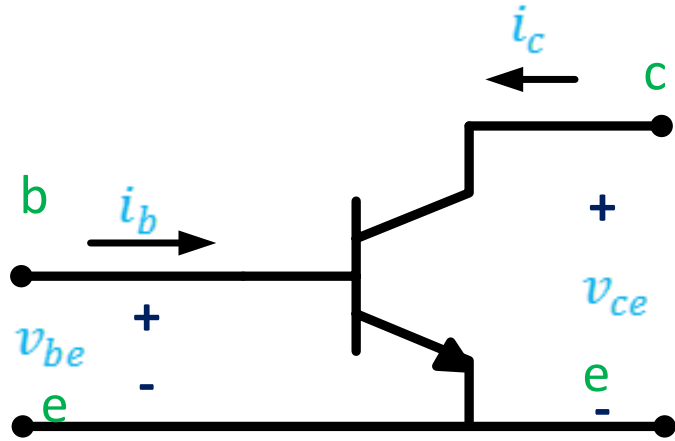
## 2. common collector



## 3. common base

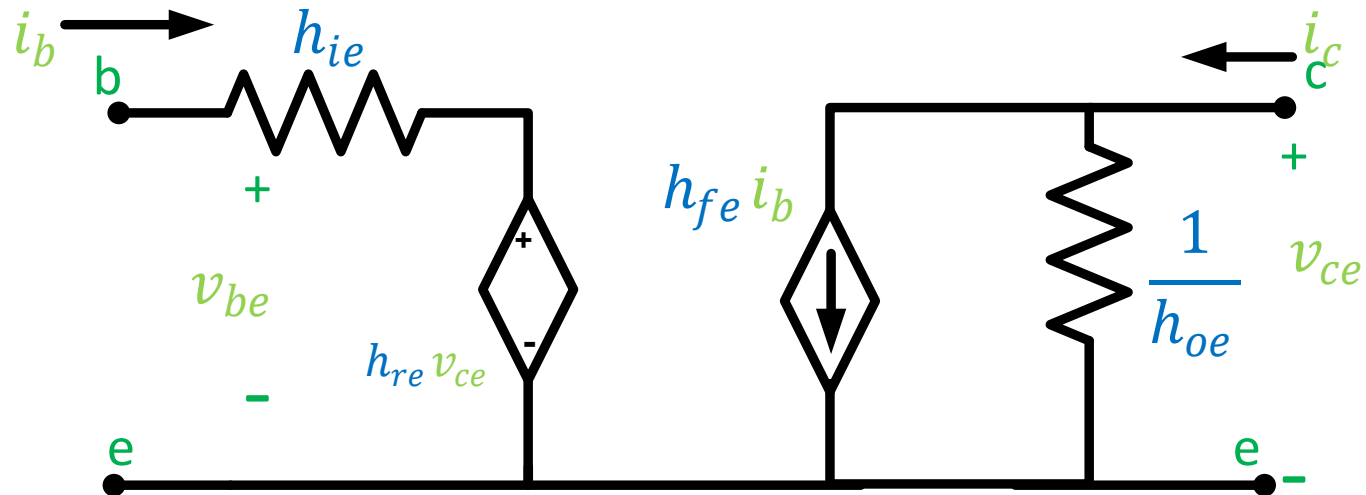


## Common emitter & common collector:

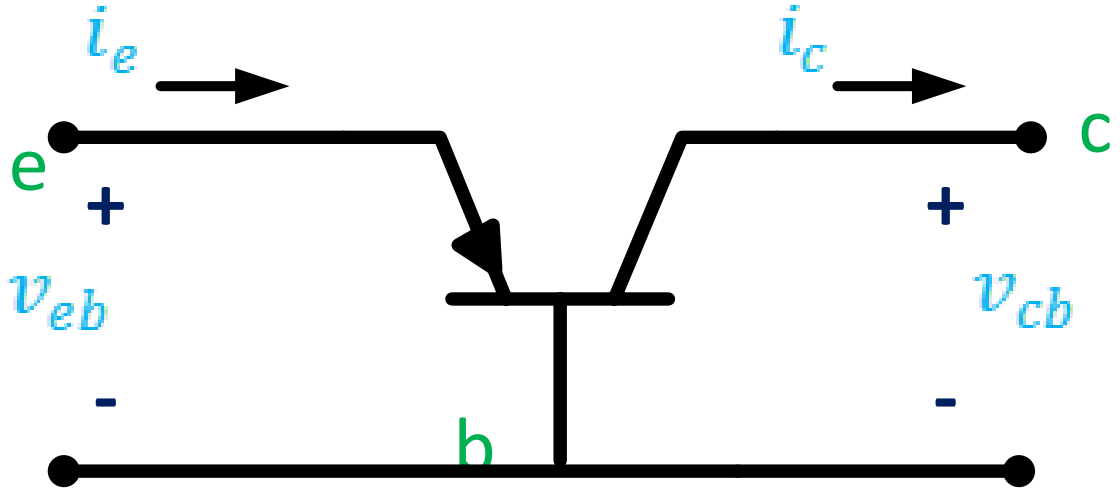


$$v_{be} = h_{ie}i_b + h_{re}v_{ce}$$

$$i_c = h_{fe}i_b + h_{oe}v_{ce}$$

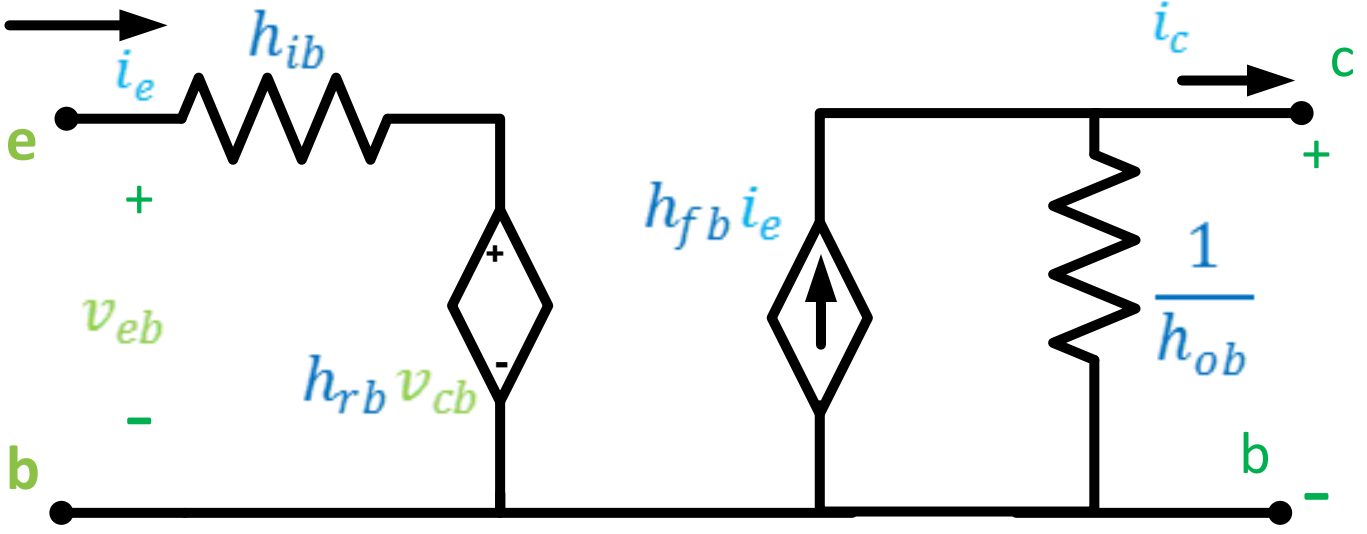


# Common base:



$$v_{eb} = h_{ib}i_e + h_{rb}v_{cb}$$

$$i_c = h_{fb}i_e + h_{ob}v_{cb}$$



## h-parameter typical value:

$$h_{ie} = 1600\Omega$$

$$h_{oe} = 20 * 10^{-6} \text{ } \overline{\cup}$$

$$h_{fe} = 80$$

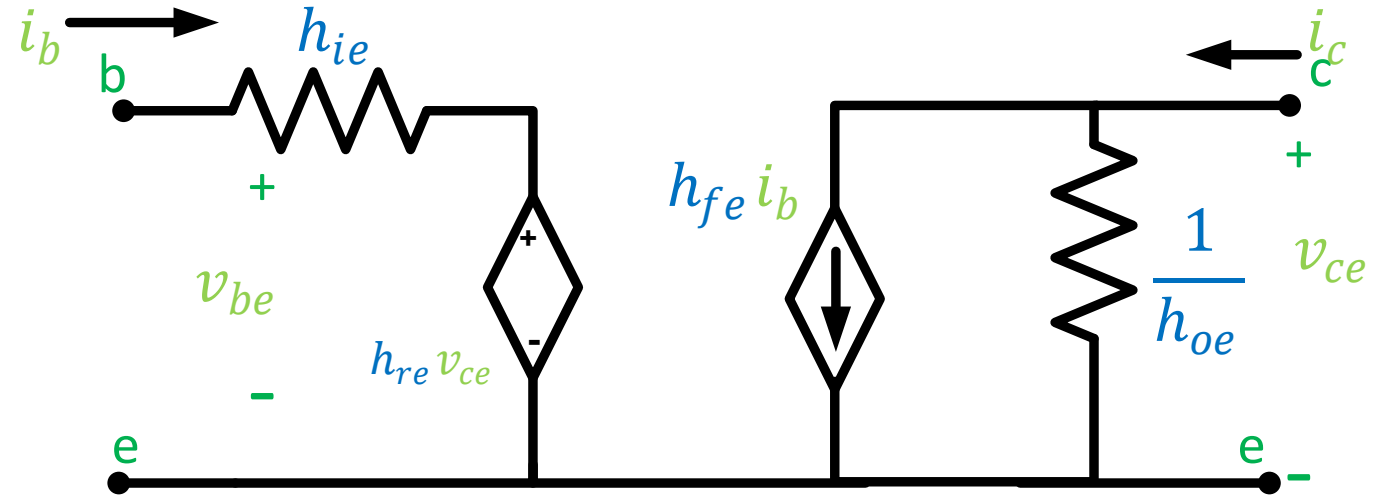
$$h_{re} = 20 * 10^{-4}$$

$$h_{oe} = 20 * 10^{-6} \text{ } \overline{\cup} \longrightarrow 0;$$

We replace  $\frac{1}{h_{oe}}$  with open circuit.

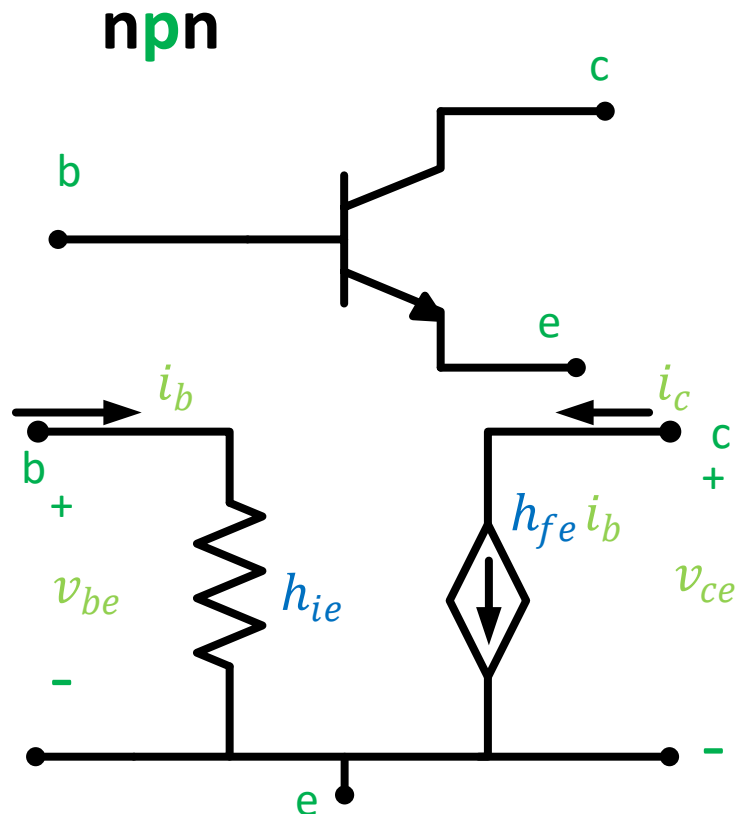
$$h_{re} = 20 * 10^{-4} \longrightarrow 0;$$

We replace  $h_{re}v_{ce}$  with short circuit.

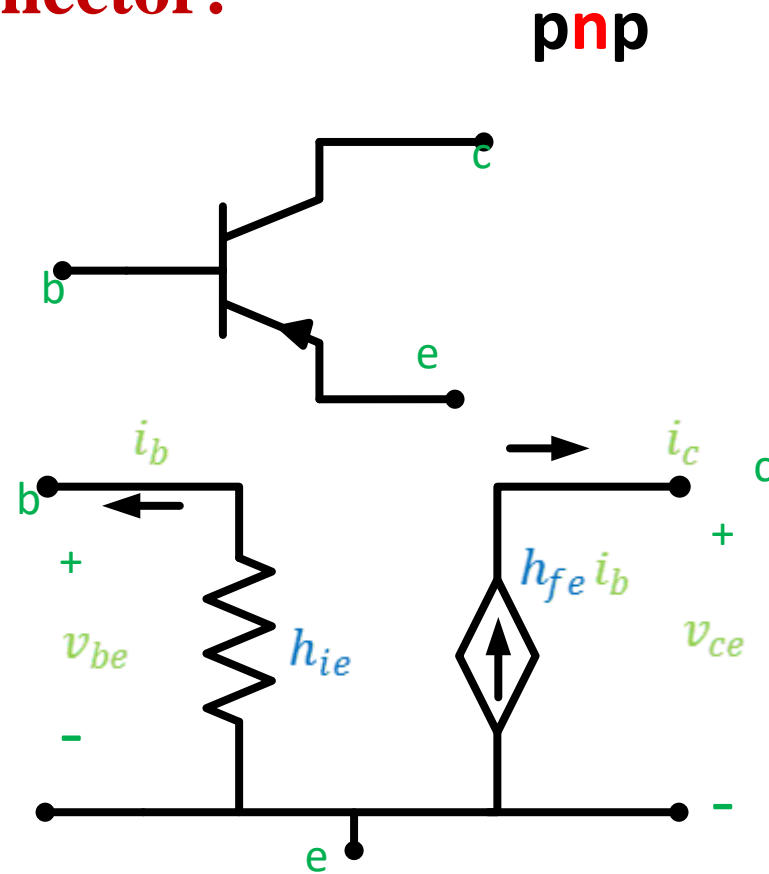


# Approximate BJT models:

## 1) Common emitter & common collector:

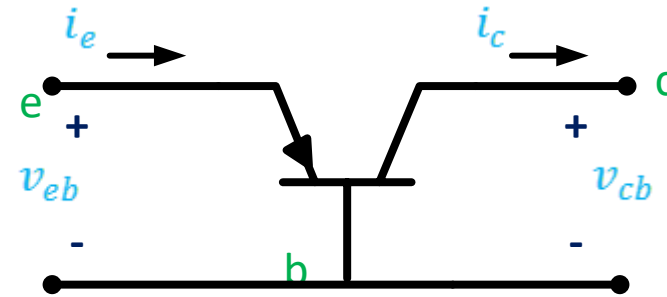
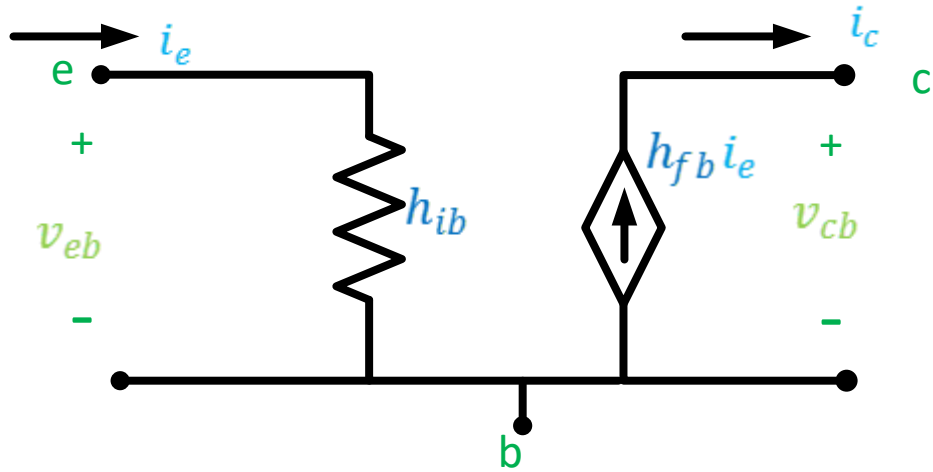


➤  $h_{fe} = \beta$





## 2-commom base:



$$i_c = h_{fb} i_e = \alpha i_e$$

$$\triangleright h_{fb} = \alpha$$

$$h_{ib} = \frac{V_T}{I_E}$$

$$h_{ie} = (h_{fe} + 1) h_{ib}$$



## BJT ac amplifiers:

1-common base amplifiers:

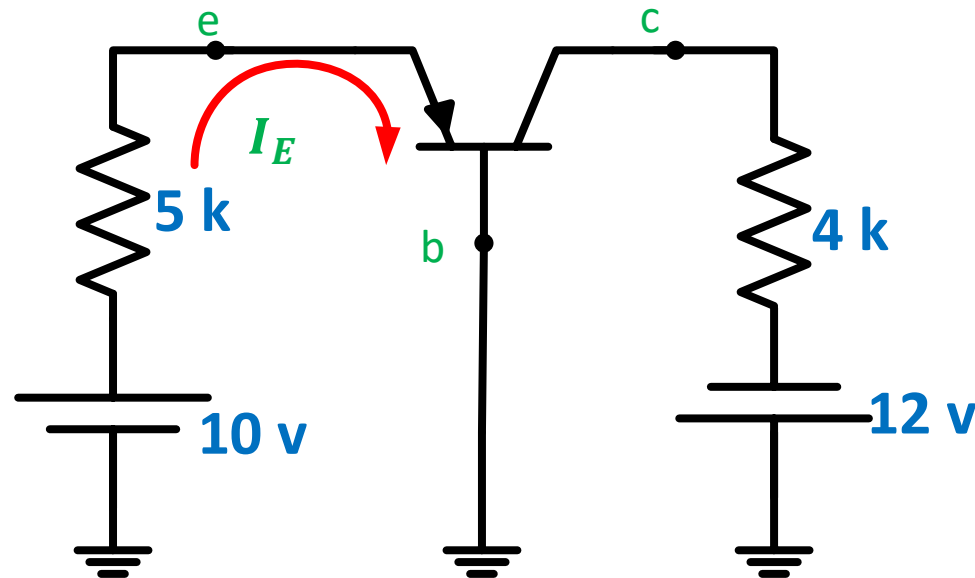
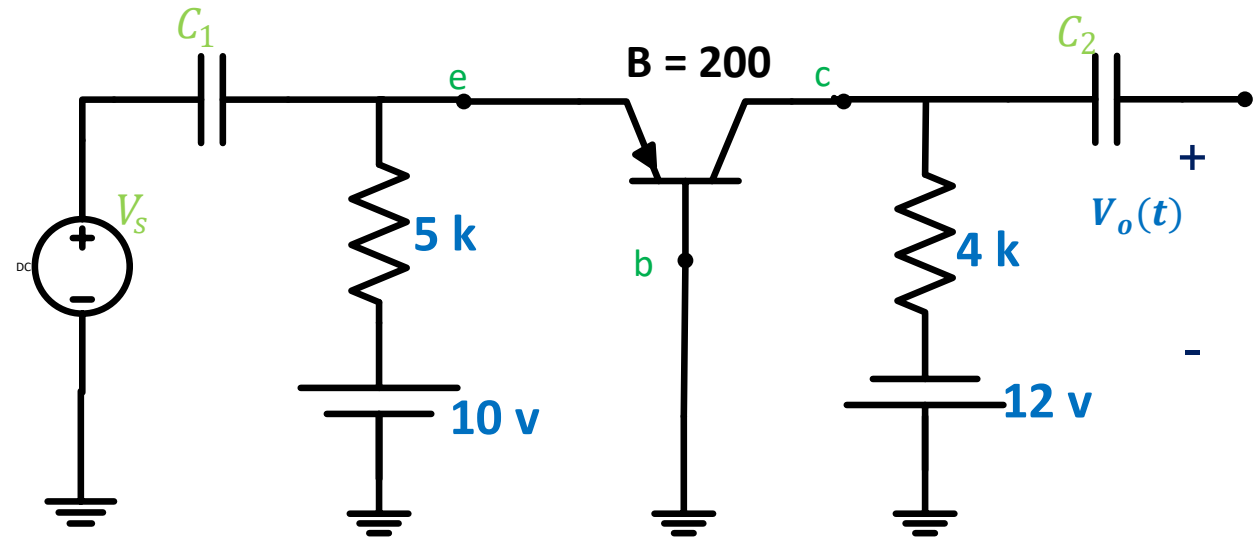
Find :

1. voltage gain
2. Current gain
3. output impedance
4. Input impedance

a) Dc analysis:

$$I_E = \frac{10 - V_{EB}}{5k} = \frac{10 - 0.7}{5k} = 1.86mA$$

$$h_{ib} = \frac{V_T}{I_{EQ}} = 13.98\Omega$$



# BJT ac amplifiers:

## 1-common base amplifiers:

### b) Ac small signal analysis:

#### Ac small signal equivalent circuit:

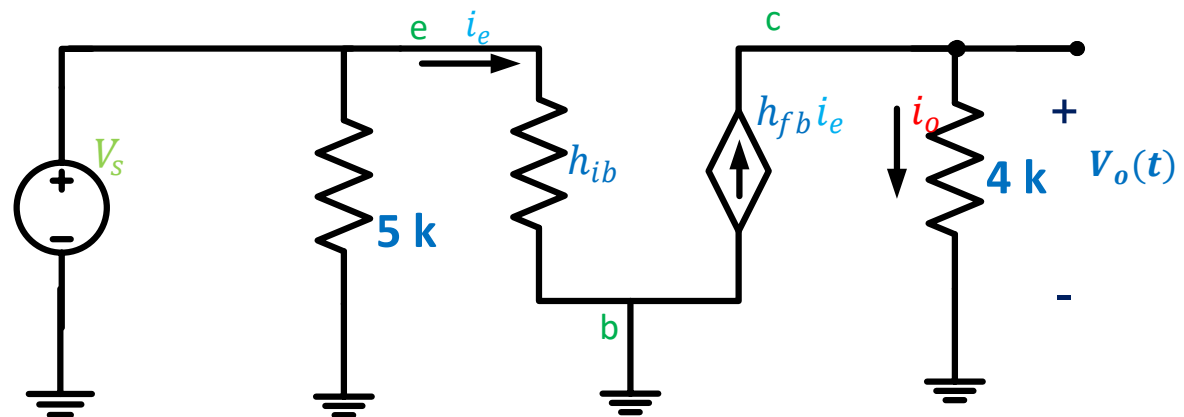
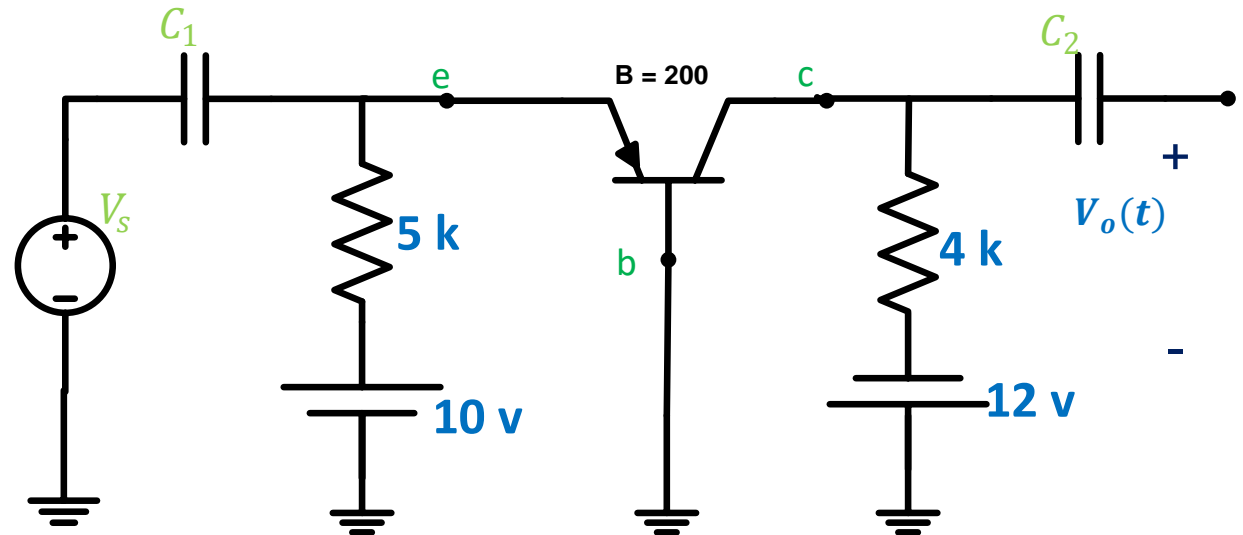
1. Voltage gain  $A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_s}$

$$V_o = h_{fb} i_e (4k)$$

$$i_e = \frac{V_s}{h_{ib}}$$

$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_s} = \frac{h_{fb}(4k)}{h_{ib}} = 286 > 1$$

$V_s$  is in phase with  $V_o$



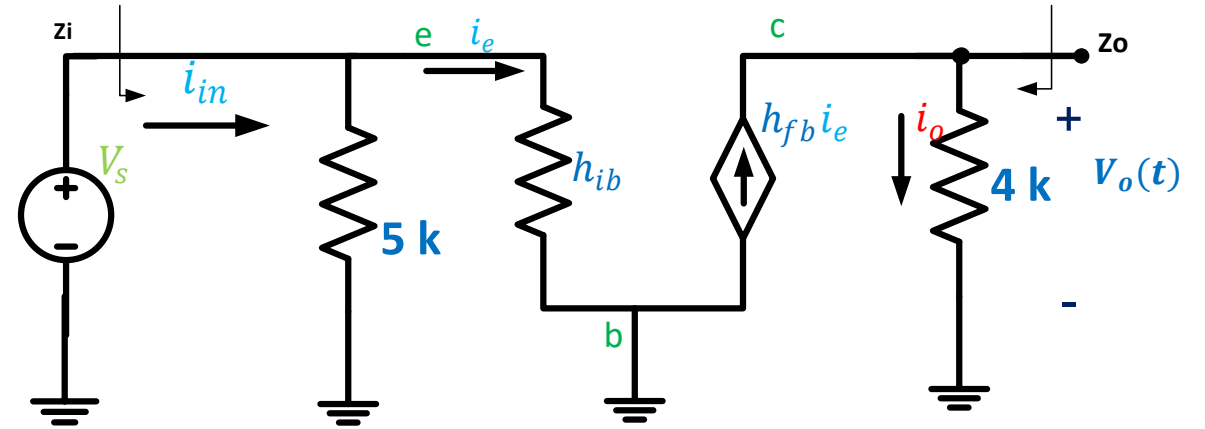
$$h_{fb} = \frac{h_{fe}}{h_{fe} + 1}$$

2. Current gain  $A_i = \frac{i_o}{i_{in}}$

$$i_o = h_{fb} i_e$$

$$i_e = i_{in} \frac{5k}{5k + h_{ib}}$$

$$A_i = \frac{5k}{5k + h_{ib}} h_{fb} < 1$$



$$h_{fb} = \frac{h_{fe}}{h_{fe} + 1}$$

3. Input impedance  $Z_i$

$$Z_i = \frac{V_s}{i_{in}}$$

$$i_{in} = \frac{V_s}{5k} + \frac{V_s}{h_{ib}}$$

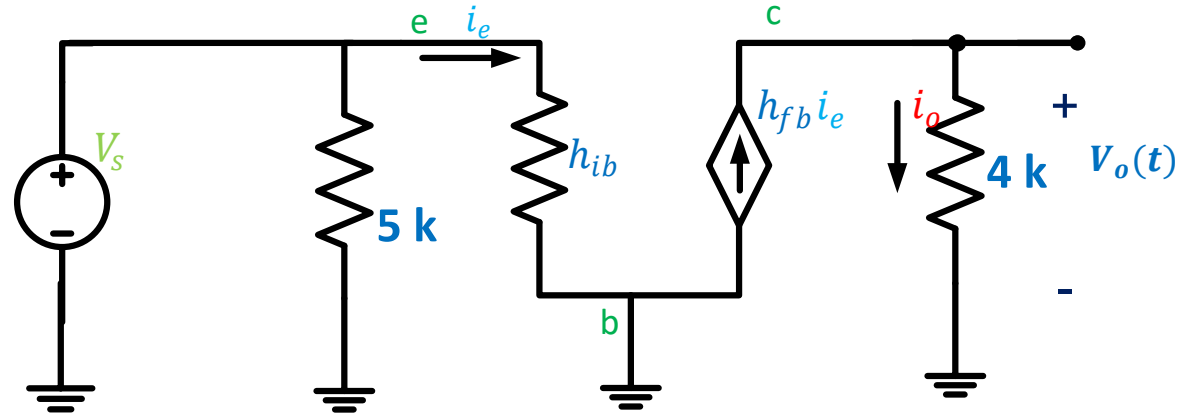
$$\frac{V_s}{i_{in}} = (5k || h_{ib}) \cong h_{ib}$$

$Z_i \cong h_{ib}$  Very small;

## Output impedance $Z_o$

$Z_o$  is  $R_{th}$  seen by the load

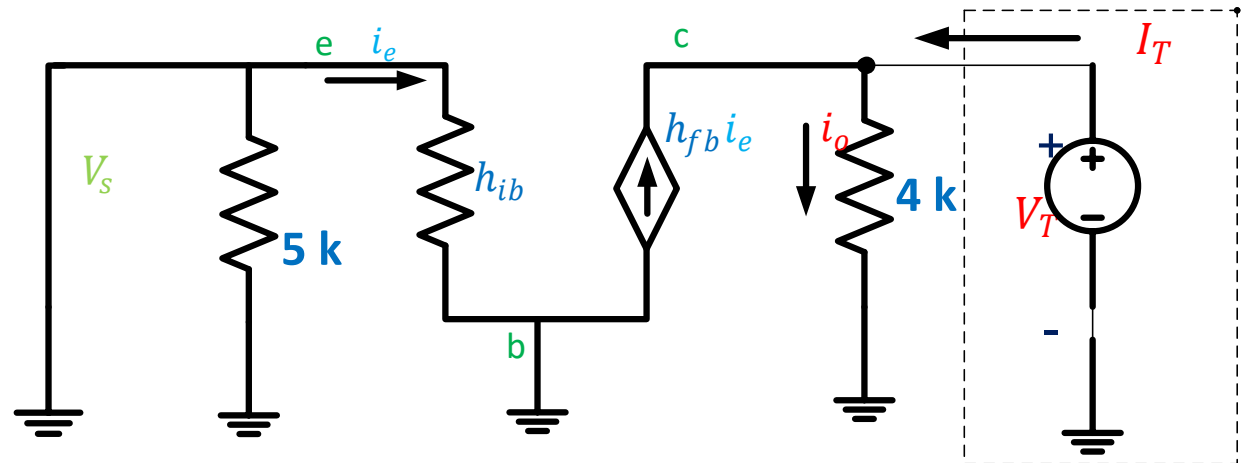
$$Z_o = \left. \frac{V_T}{I_T} \right|_{V_s = 0}$$



$$I_T = \frac{V_T}{4k} - h_{ib} i_e$$

$$i_e = 0$$

$$\frac{V_T}{I_T} = 4k \quad (\text{Large})$$



# Common base amplifier

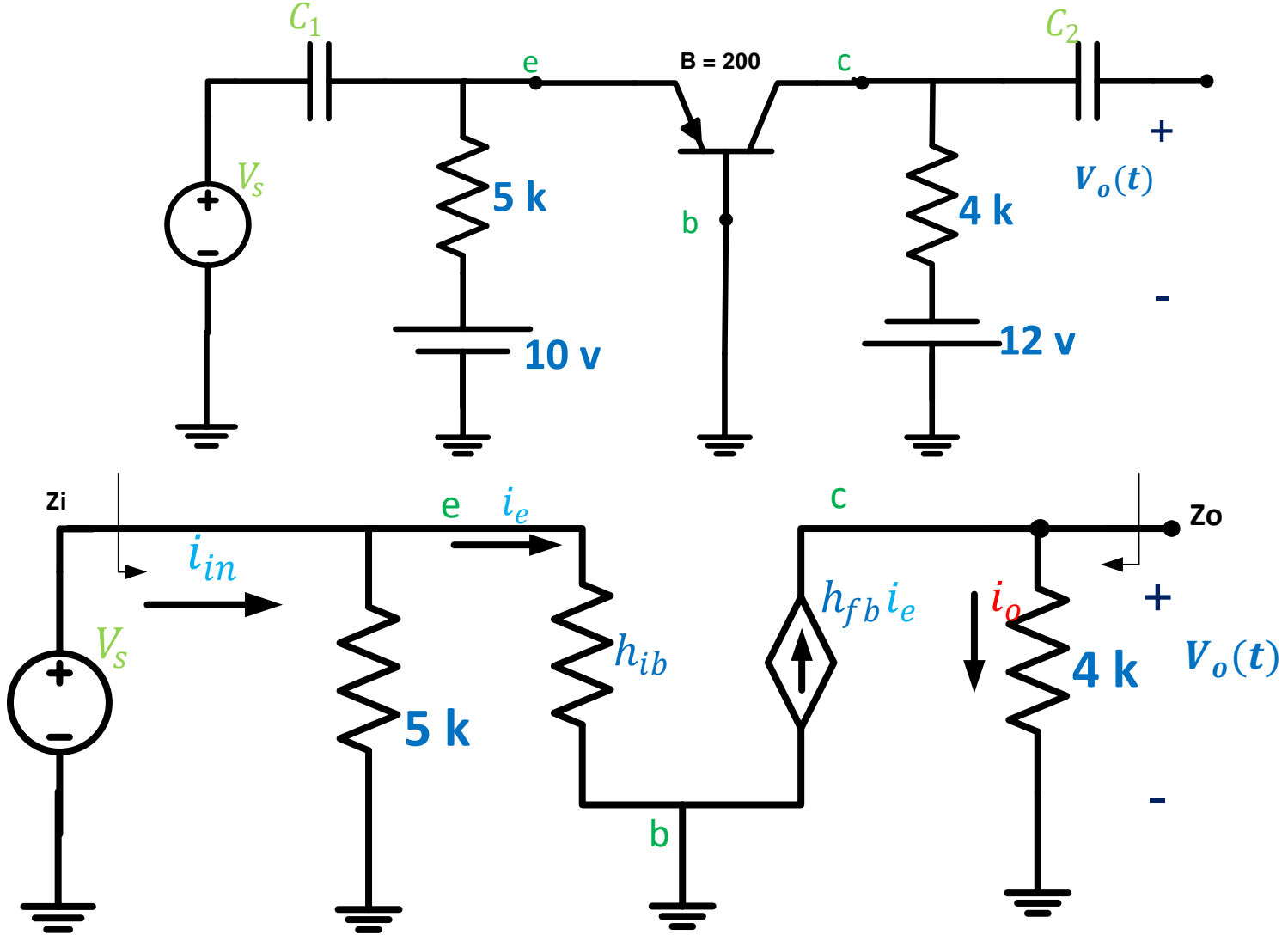
$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_s} = \frac{h_{fb}(4k)}{h_{ib}} = 286 > 1$$

$$A_i = \frac{5k}{5k + h_{ib}} h_{fb} < 1$$

$$Z_i = (5k || h_{ib})$$

$$Z_i \cong h_{ib} \quad \text{(Very small)}$$

$$Z_o = 4k \quad \text{(Large)}$$



## The effect of $R_s$

$$V_o = h_{fb} i_e (4k)$$

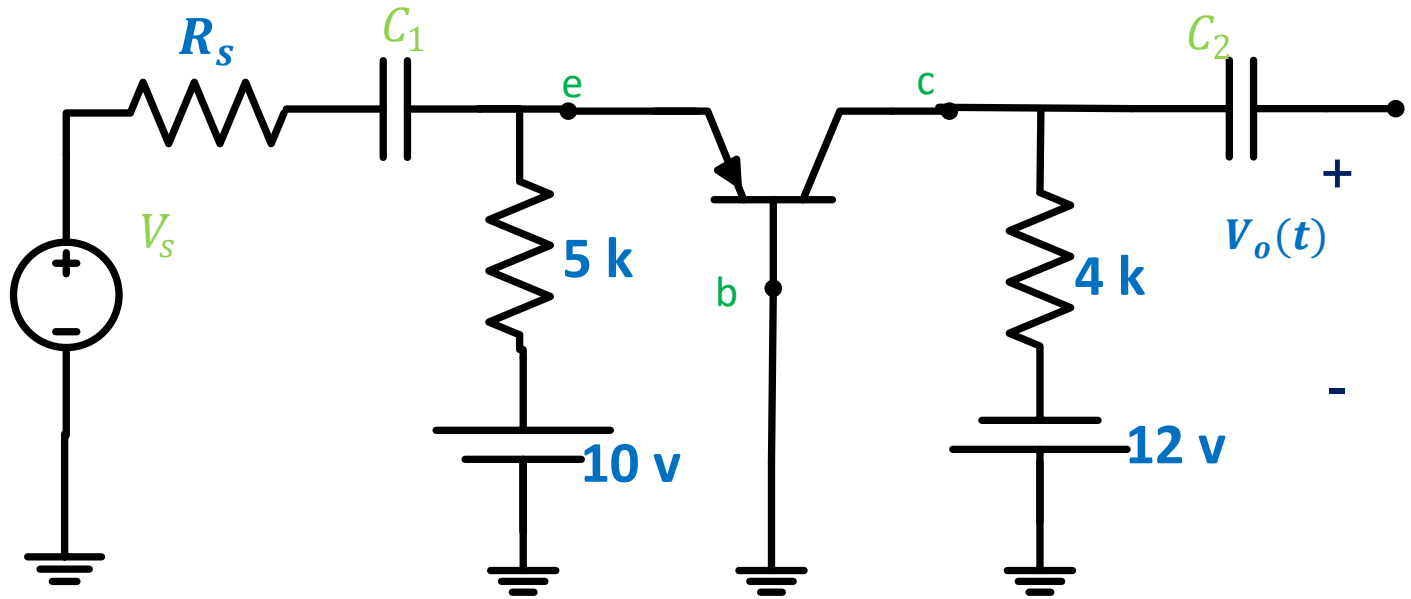
$$i_e = \frac{V_i}{h_{ib}}$$

$$V_i = (5k || h_{ib}) / ((5k || h_{ib}) + R_s) V_s$$

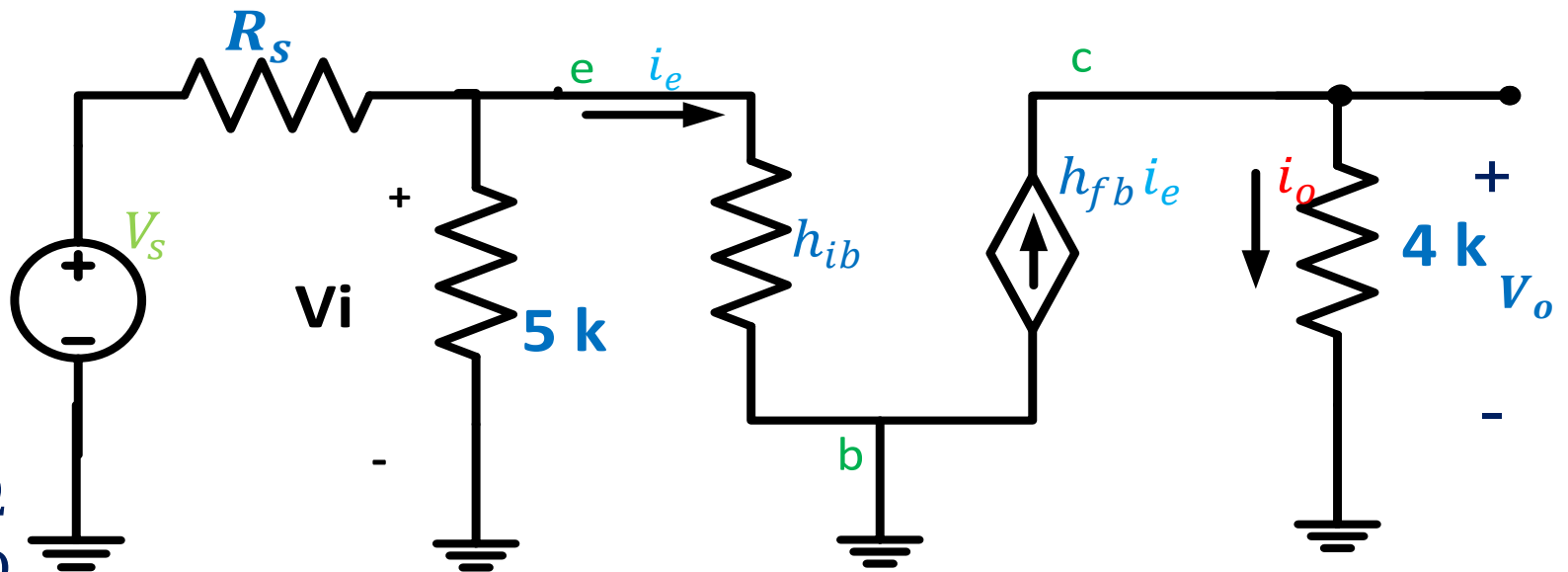
$$V_i = \frac{Z_i}{Z_i + R_s} * V_s$$

$$A_{vs} = \frac{V_o}{V_s} = \frac{h_{fb}(4k)}{h_{ib}} \frac{Z_i}{Z_i + R_s}$$

$$A_{vs} = \begin{cases} 62.5 & R_s = 50\Omega \\ 0.4 & R_s = 10k\Omega \end{cases}$$



Ac small signal equivalent circuit:

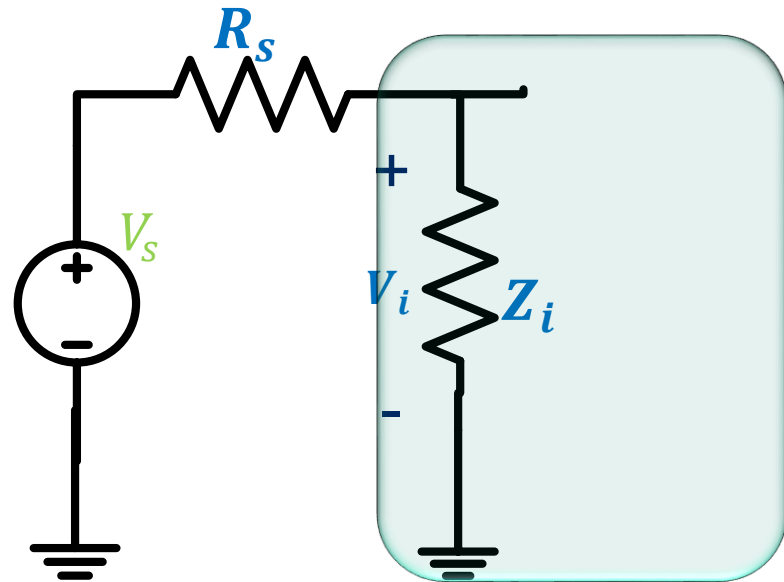
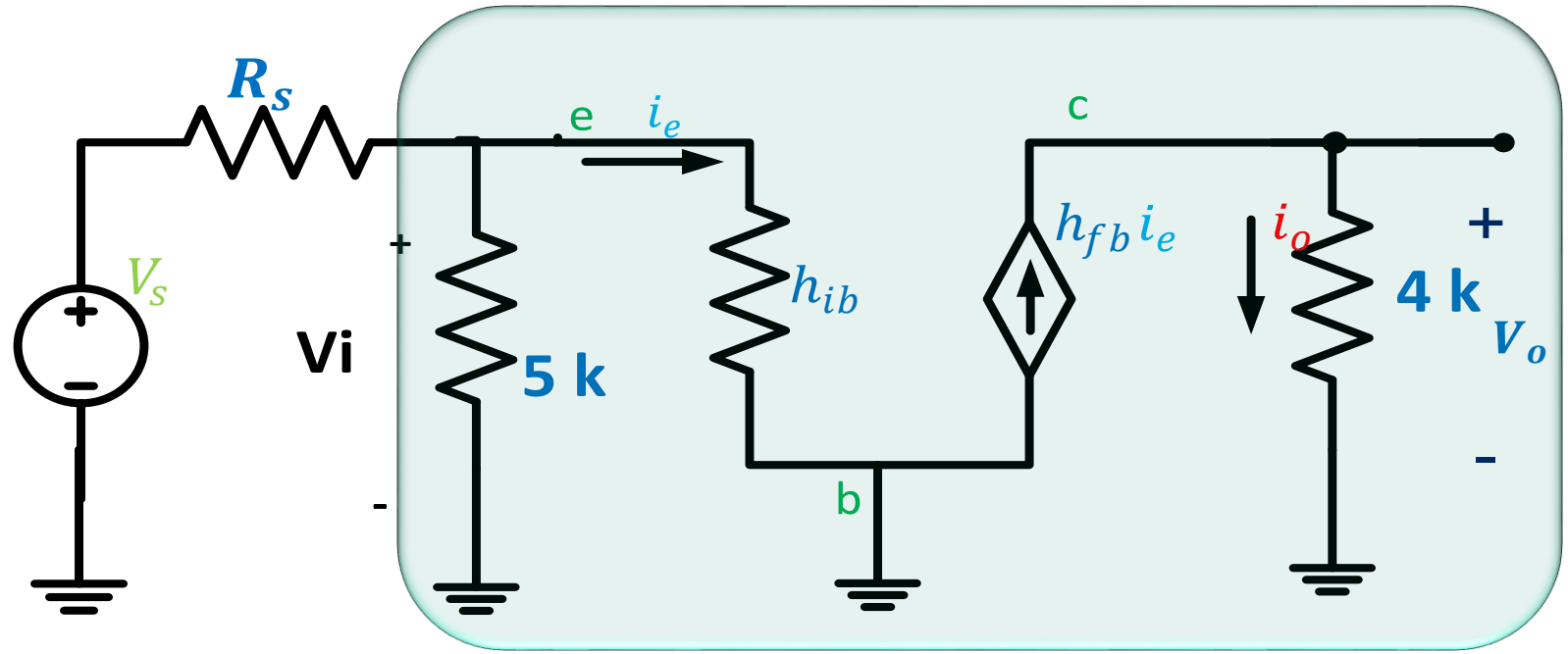


$$V_o = 286 V_i$$

$$V_i = \frac{Z_i}{Z_i + R_s} * V_s$$

$$V_o = \frac{Z_i}{Z_i + R_s} 286 V_s$$

$Z_i$  Must be as large as could be 





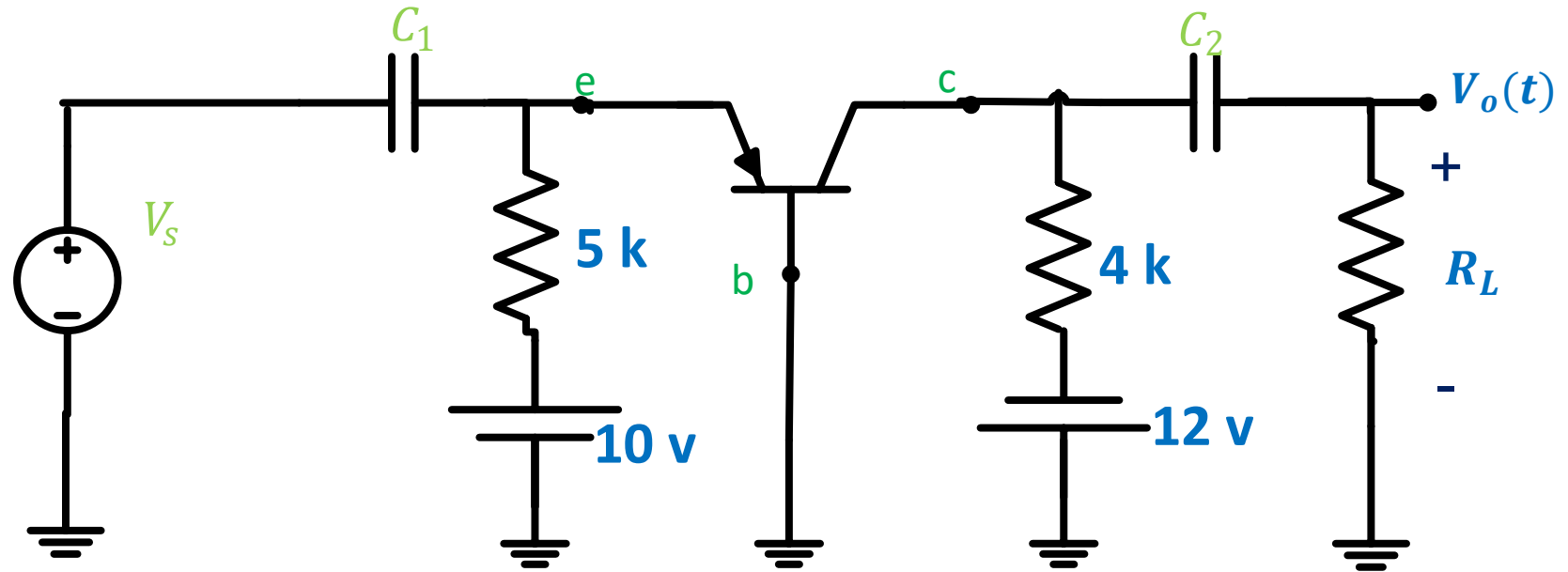
# The effect of $R_L$

$$V_o = h_{fb} i_e (4k || R_L)$$

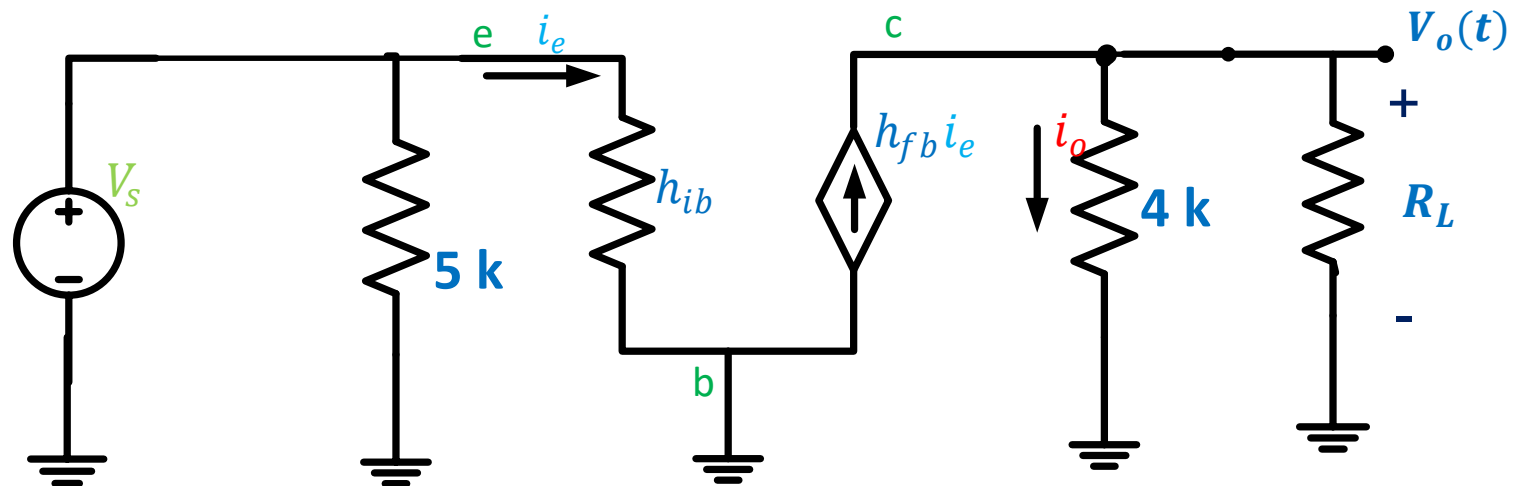
$$i_e = \frac{V_s}{h_{ib}}$$

$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_s} = \frac{h_{fb} (4k || R_L)}{h_{ib}}$$

$$A_v = \begin{cases} 0.7135 & R_L = 10\Omega \\ 204.4 & R_L = 10k\Omega \end{cases}$$

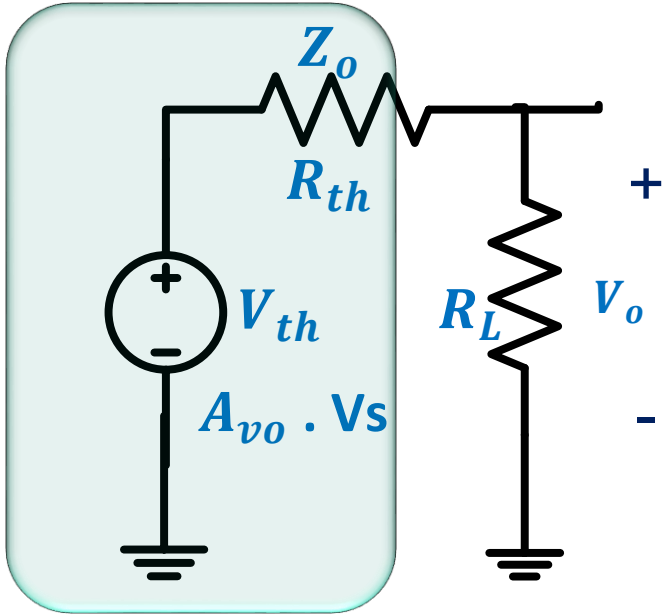


Ac small signal equivalent circuit:



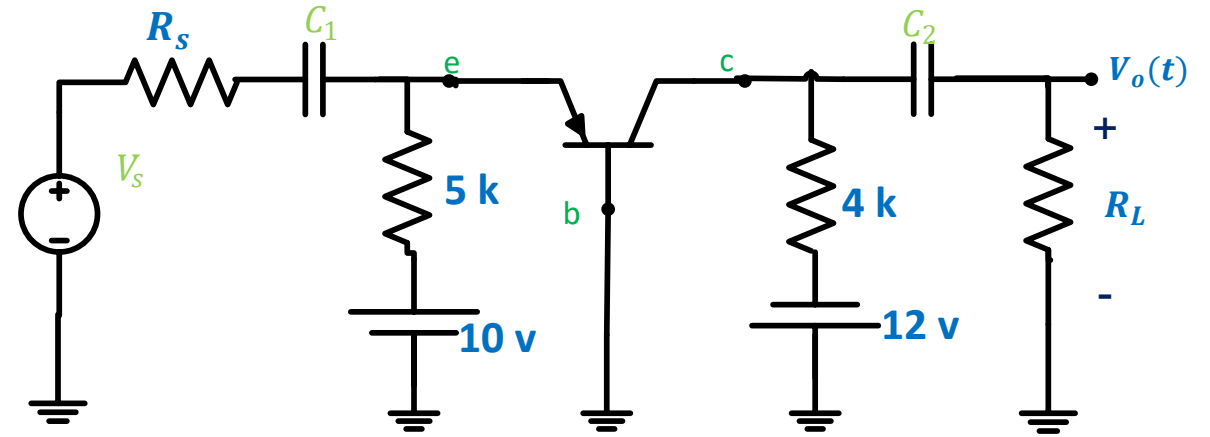
# The effect of $R_L$ and $R_S$

Using thevenin's theorem:

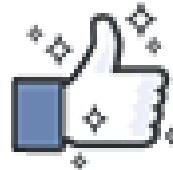
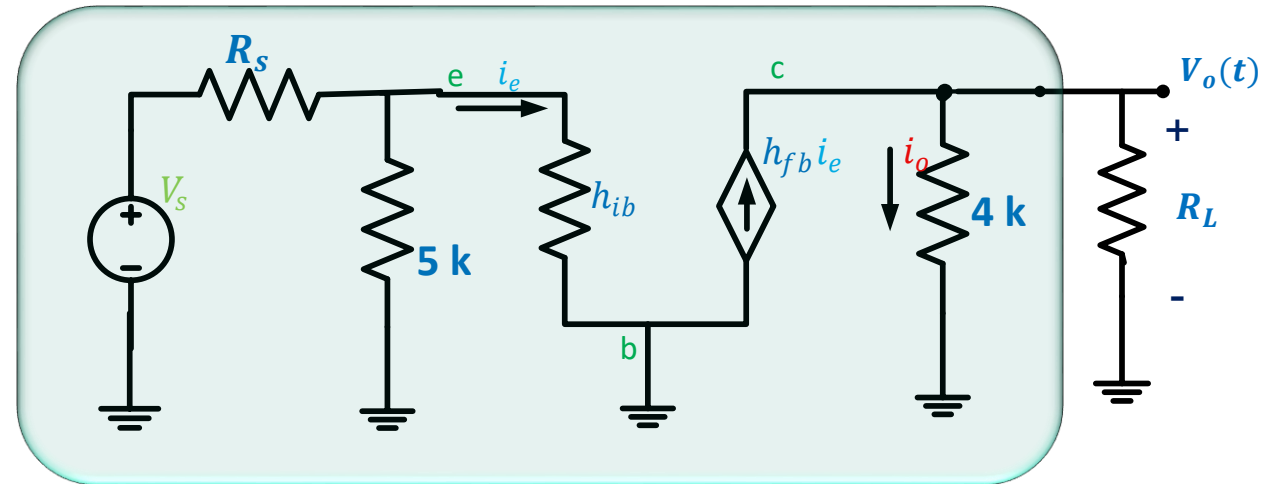


$$V_o = \frac{R_L}{R_L + Z_o} A_{V_o} V_s$$

$Z_o$  Must be as small as could be;



Ac small signal equivalent circuit:



## 2) Common emitter amplifier:

Find:

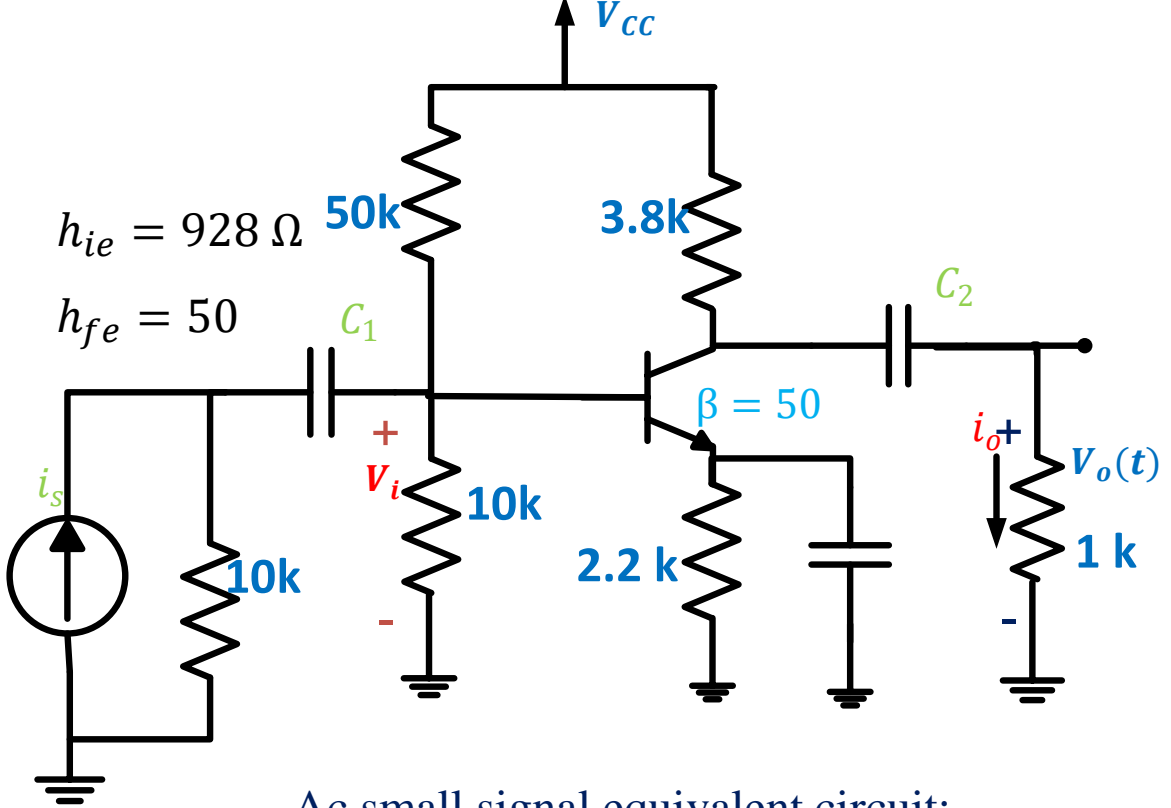
1. voltage gain
2. Current gain
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$$A_i = \frac{i_o}{i_s}$$

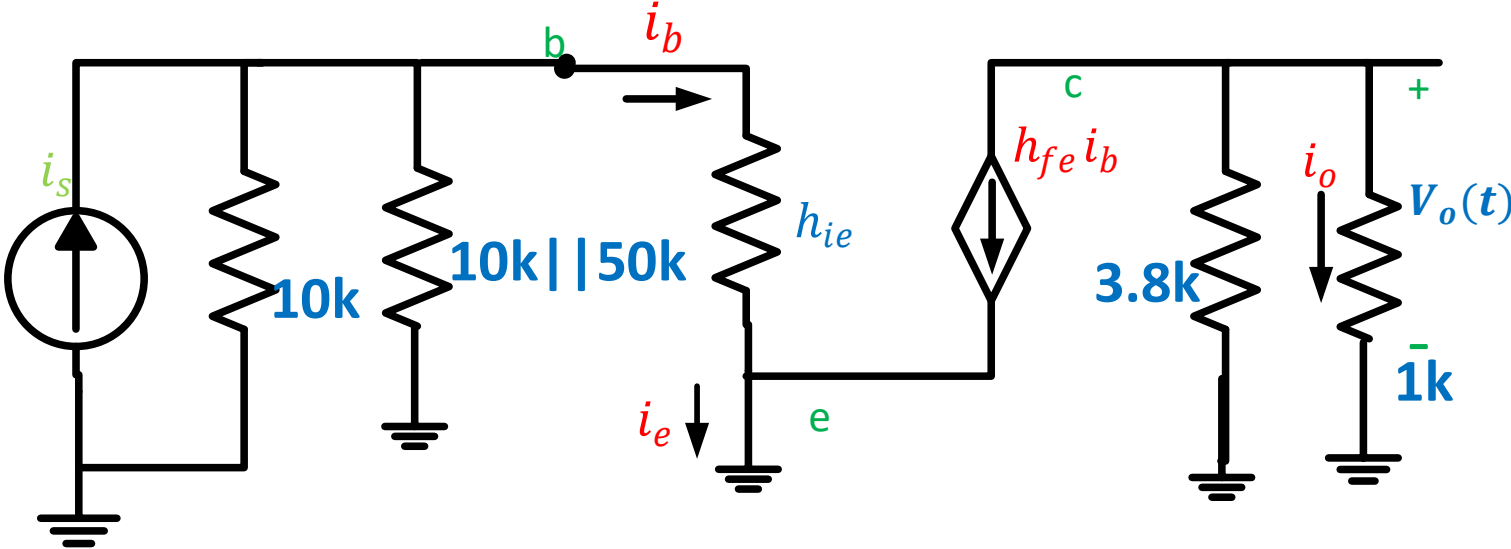
$$i_o = -h_{fe} i_b * \frac{3.8k}{3.8 + 1k}$$

$$i_b = i_s \cdot \frac{10k || 10k || 50k}{10k || 10k || 50k + h_{ie}}$$

➤  $A_i = -33$



Ac small signal equivalent circuit:



$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_i}$$

$$V_o = -h_{fe}i_b(1k||3.8k)$$

$$i_b = \frac{V_i}{h_{ie}}$$

$$\text{➤ } A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_i} = -42.7$$

$$\text{➤ } Z_i = 10k||50k||h_{ie}$$

$$\text{➤ } Z_o = 3.8k$$

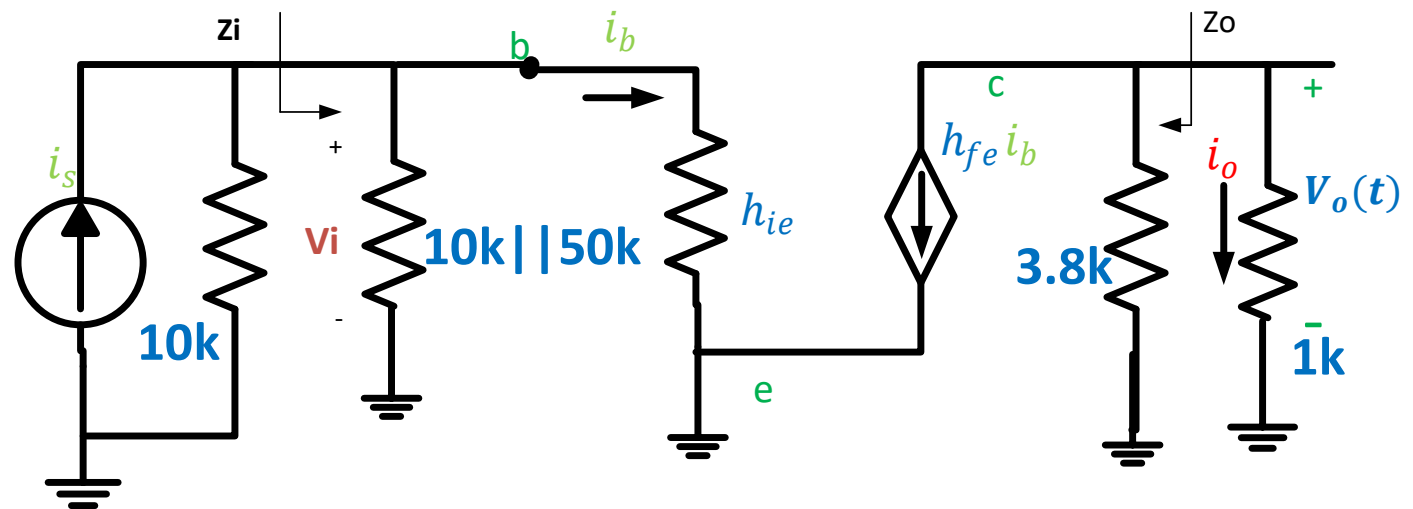
For Common emitter amplifier:

$$|A_v| > 1$$

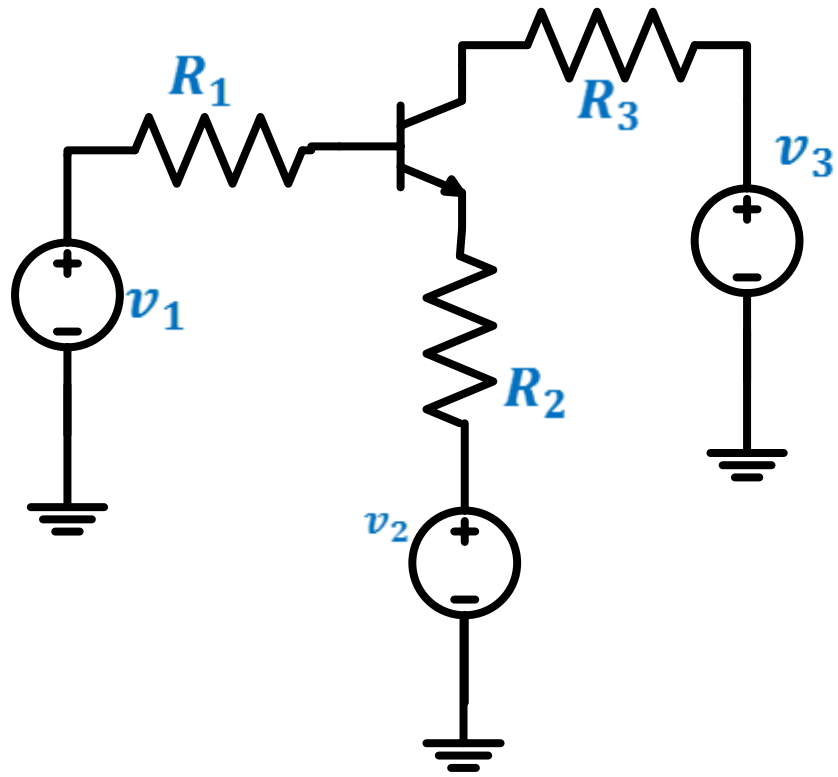
$$|A_i| > 1$$

$Z_i$  Large

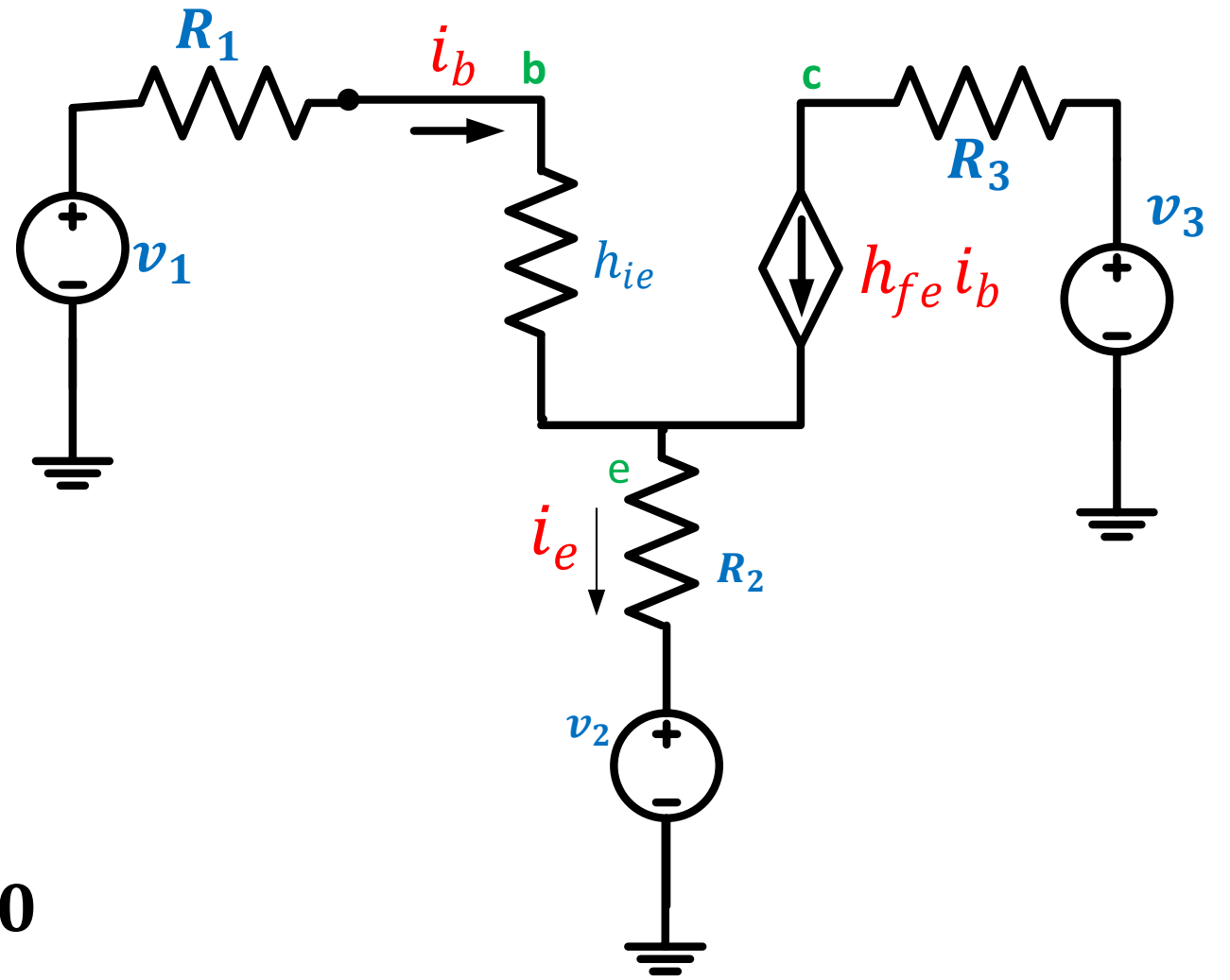
$Z_o$  Large



# Impedance reflection:



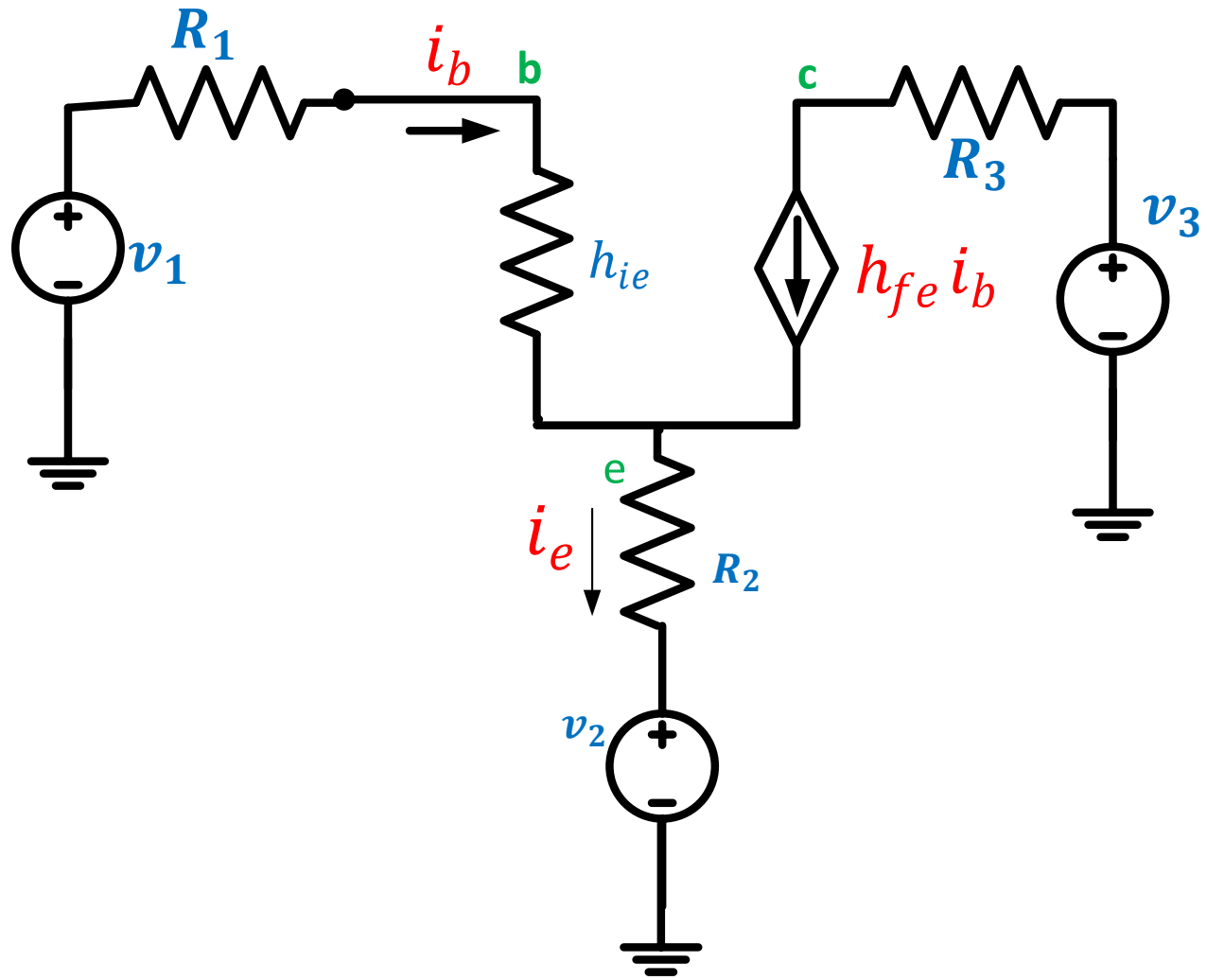
Ac small signal equivalent circuit:



KVL:

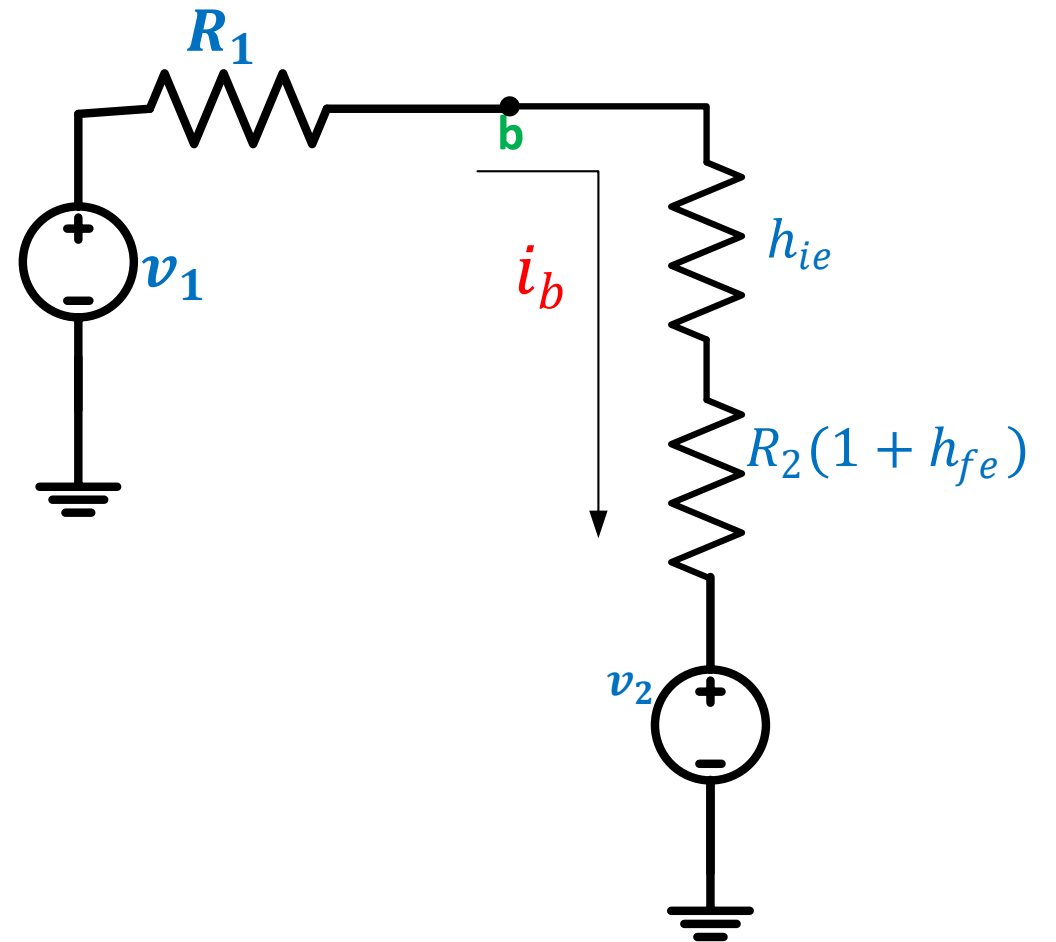
$$-v_1 + (R_1 + h_{ie})i_b + R_2 i_e + v_2 = 0$$

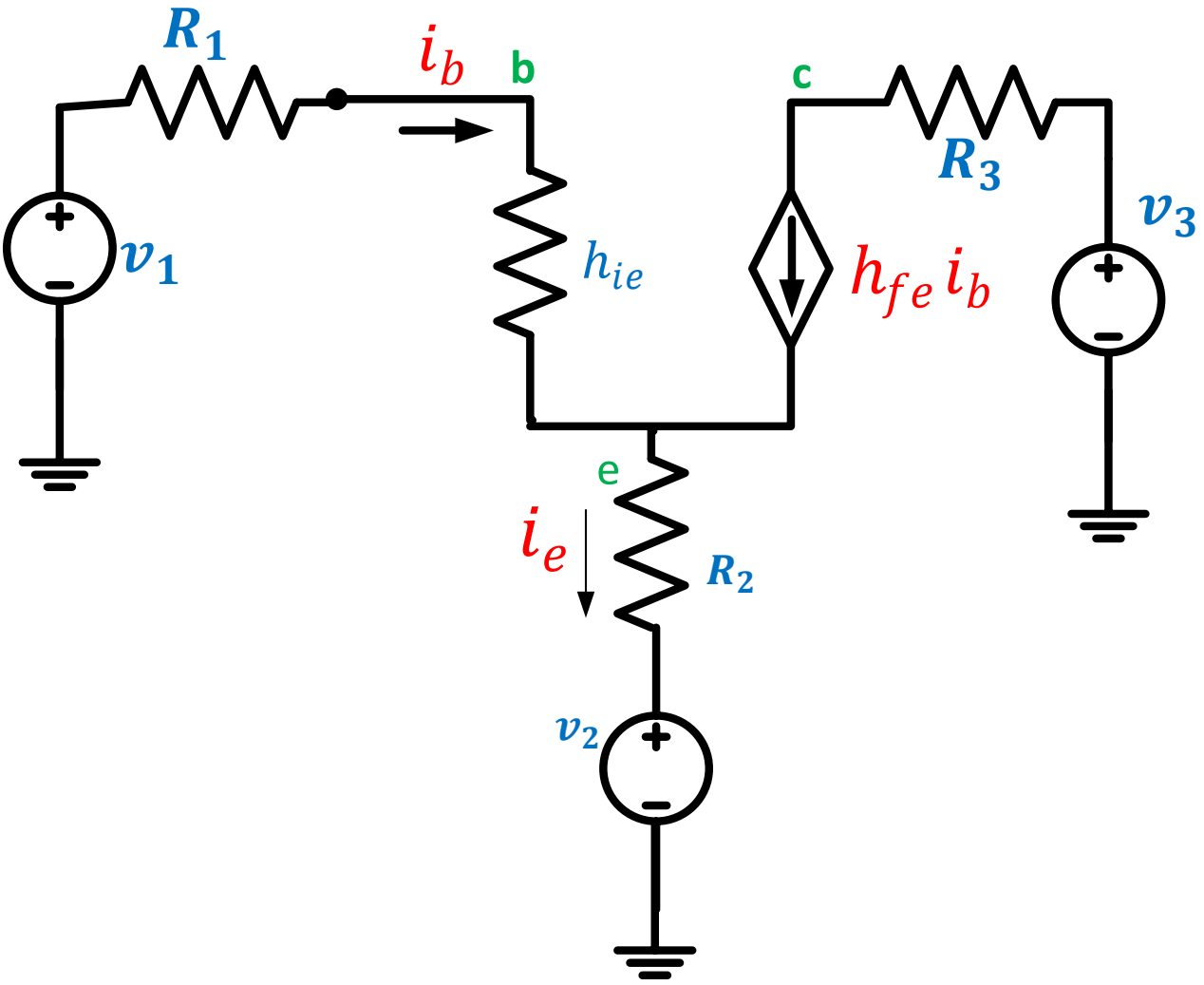
$$i_b = \frac{v_1 - v_2}{R_2(1 + h_{fe}) + R_1 + h_{ie}}$$



**Base equivalent circuit:**

$$i_b = \frac{v_1 - v_2}{R_2(1 + h_{fe}) + R_1 + h_{ie}}$$

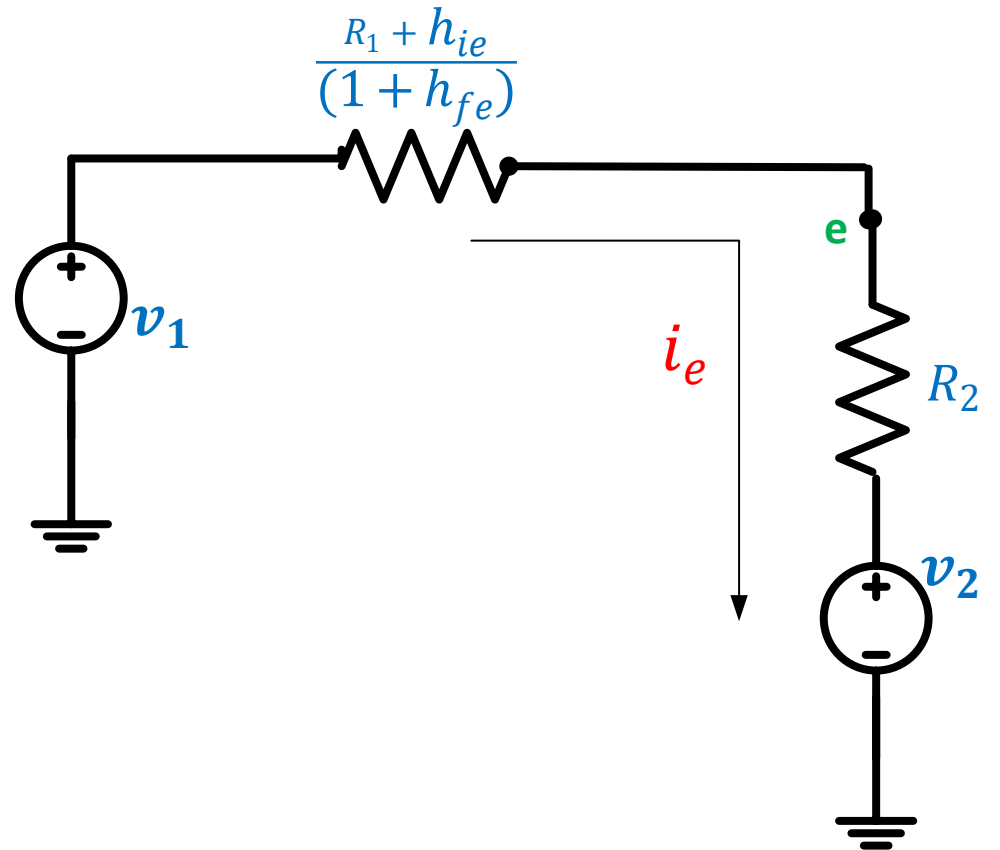




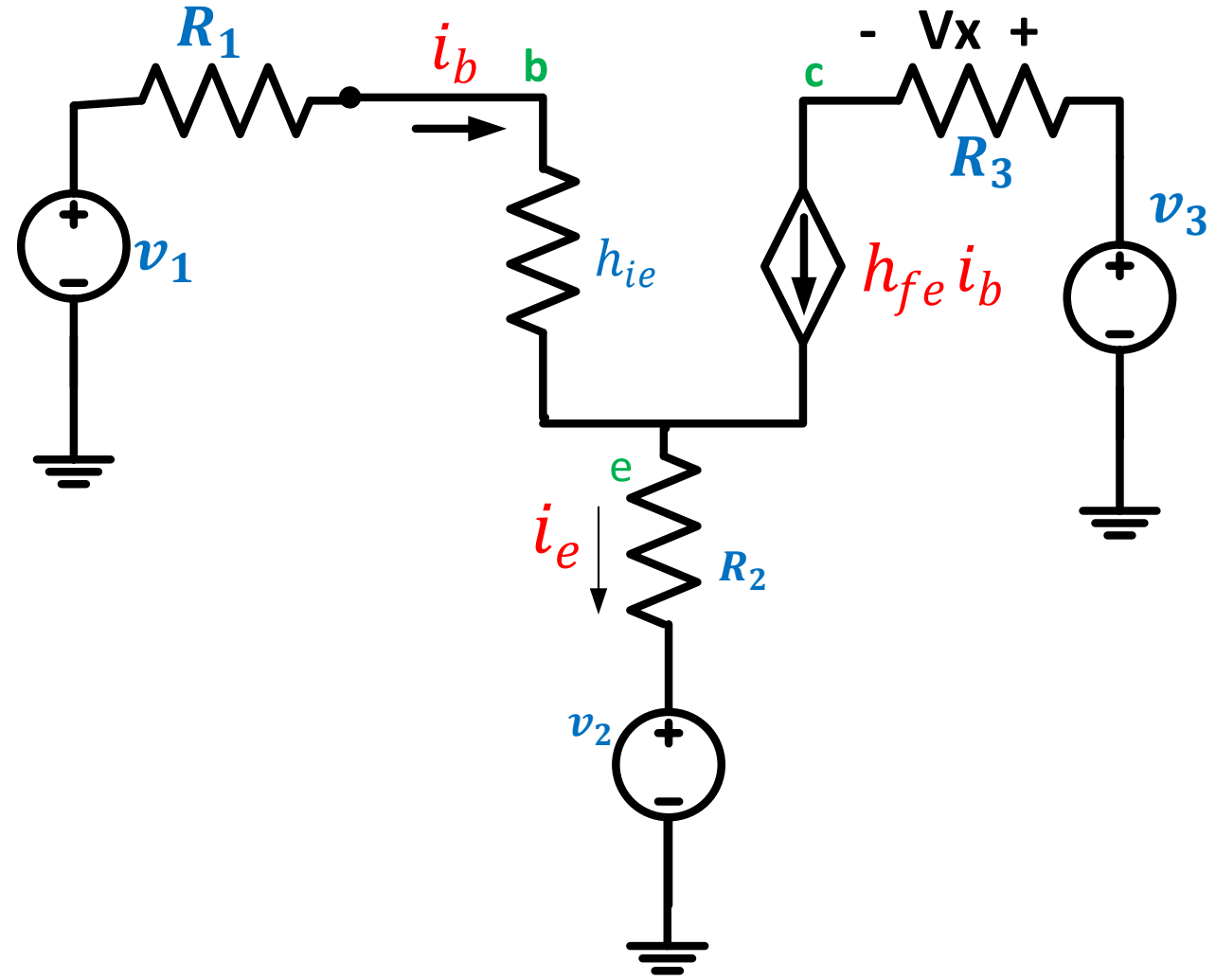
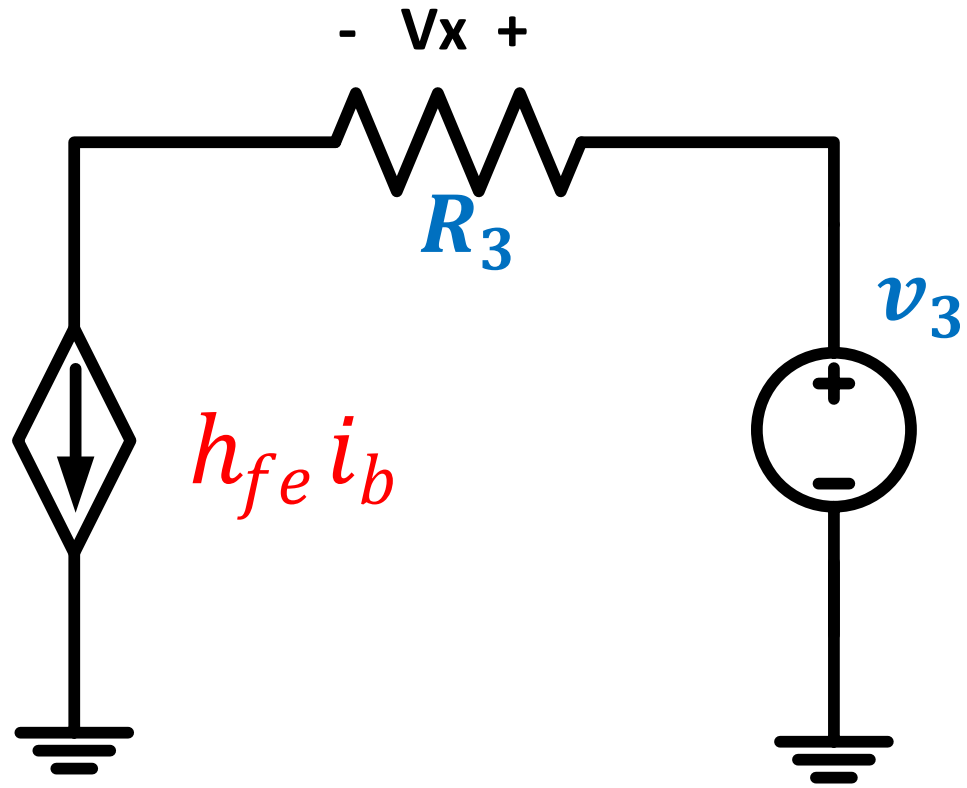
$$i_b = \frac{v_1 - v_2}{R_2(1 + h_{fe}) + R_1 + h_{ie}}$$

**Emitter equivalent circuit:**

$$i_e = \frac{v_1 - v_2}{R_2 + \frac{R_1 + h_{ie}}{(1 + h_{fe})}}$$



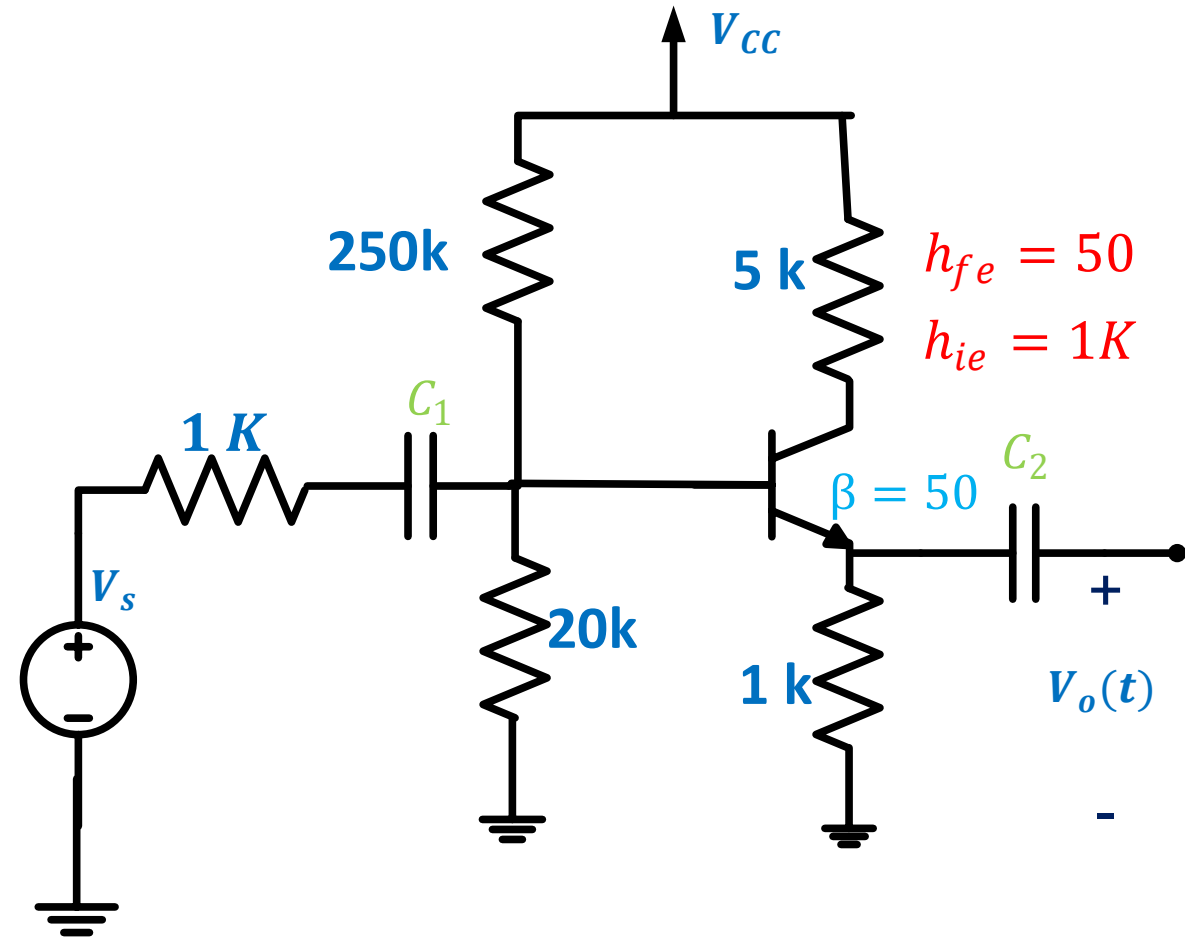
### Collector equivalent circuit:



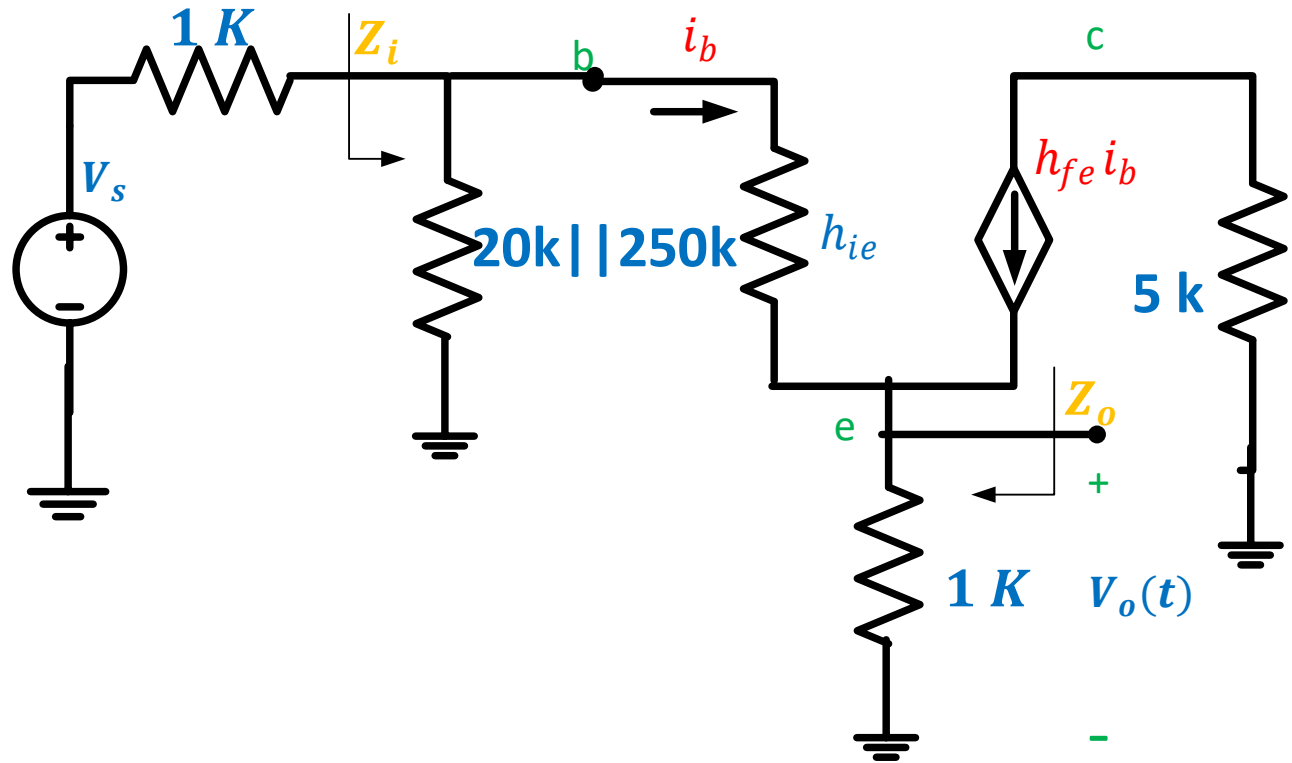
$$V_x = R_3 h_{fe} i_b$$



### 3) Common collector amplifier:




### Ac small signal equivalent circuit:



$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_s}$$

$$V_o = 1k * i_e$$

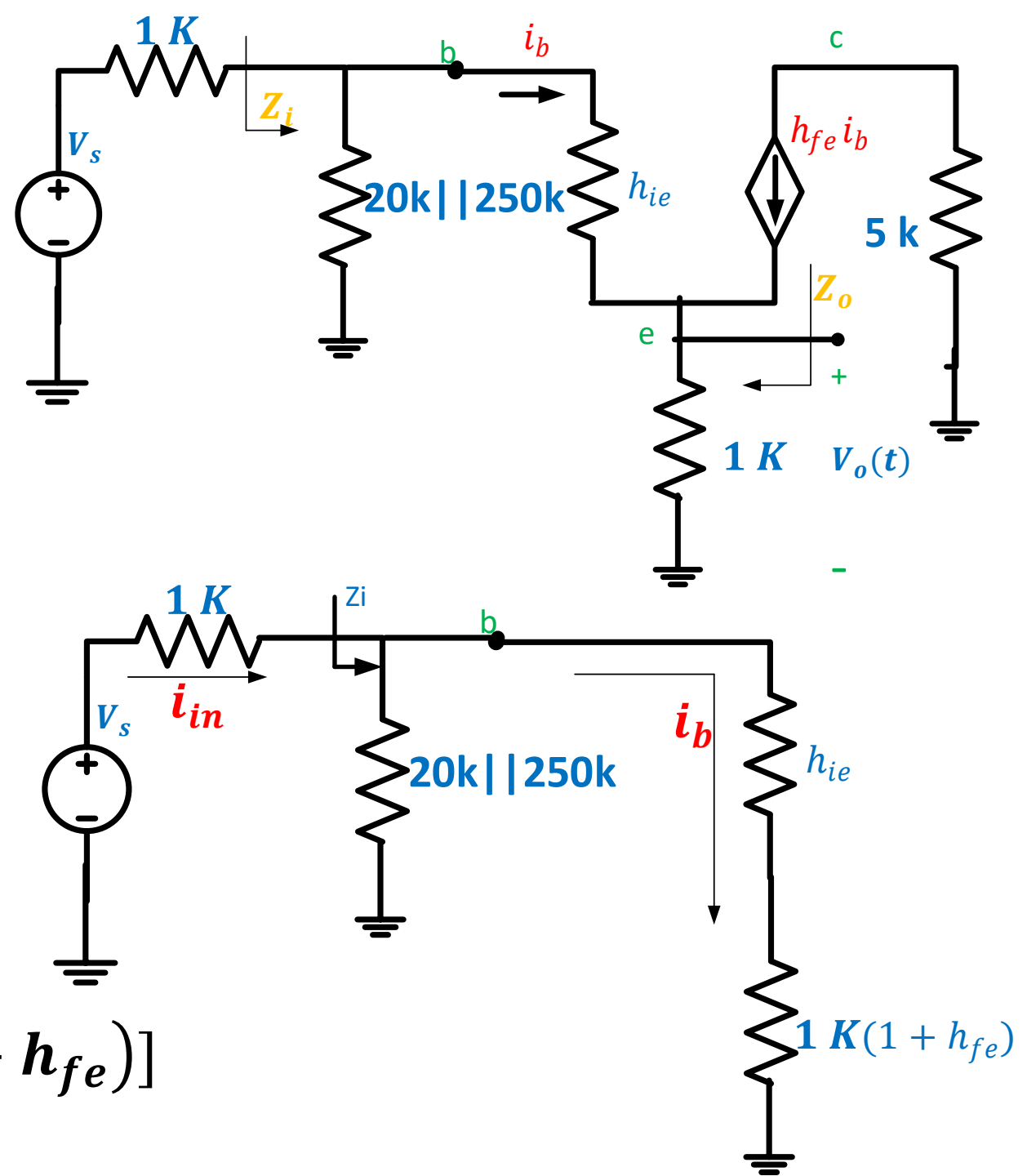
$$i_e = (1 + h_{fe})i_b$$

To find  $i_b$   base equivalent circuit:

$$i_b = \frac{(20k || 250k) i_{in}}{(20k || 250k) + h_{ie} + 1k(1 + h_{fe})}$$

$$i_{in} = \frac{v_s}{1k + Z_{in}}$$

$$Z_{in} = [(20k || 250k) || [h_{ie} + 1k(1 + h_{fe})]]$$

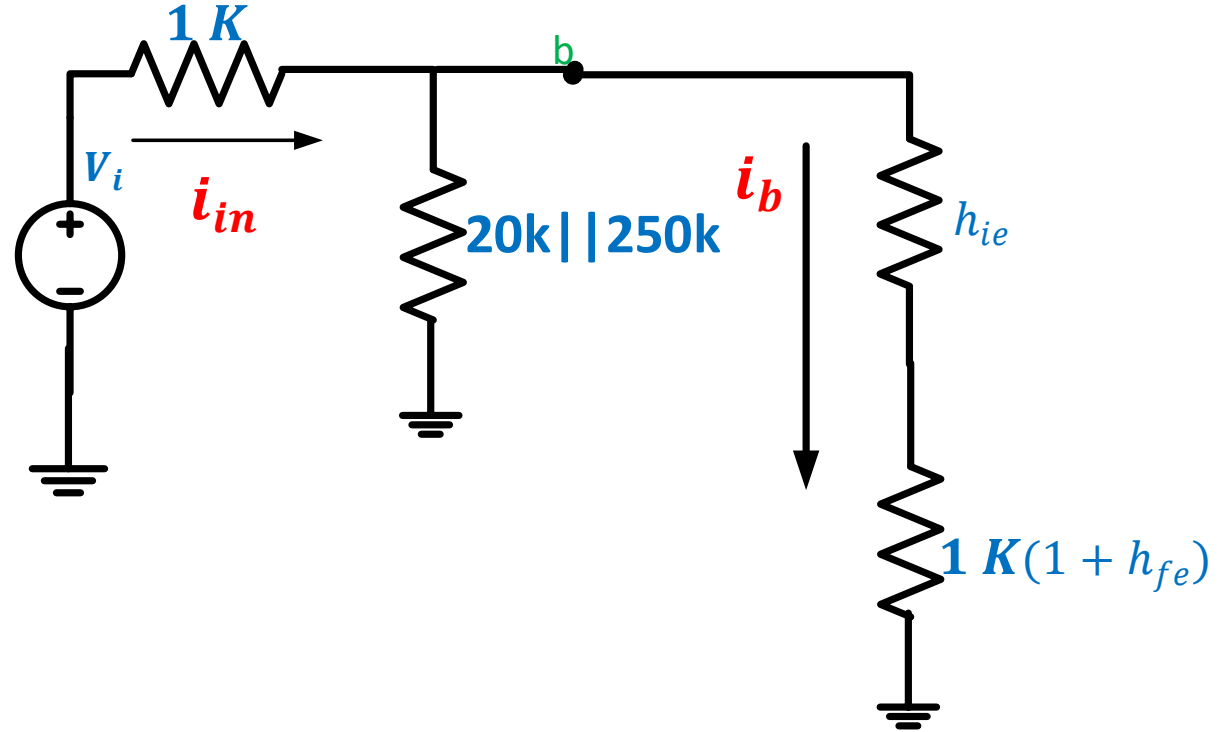


$$i_{in} = \frac{v_{in}}{1k + [(20k || 250k) || [h_{ie} + 1k(1 + h_{fe})]]}$$

➤  $Z_{in} = 13.66K$

➤  $A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_{in}} = 0.9149$

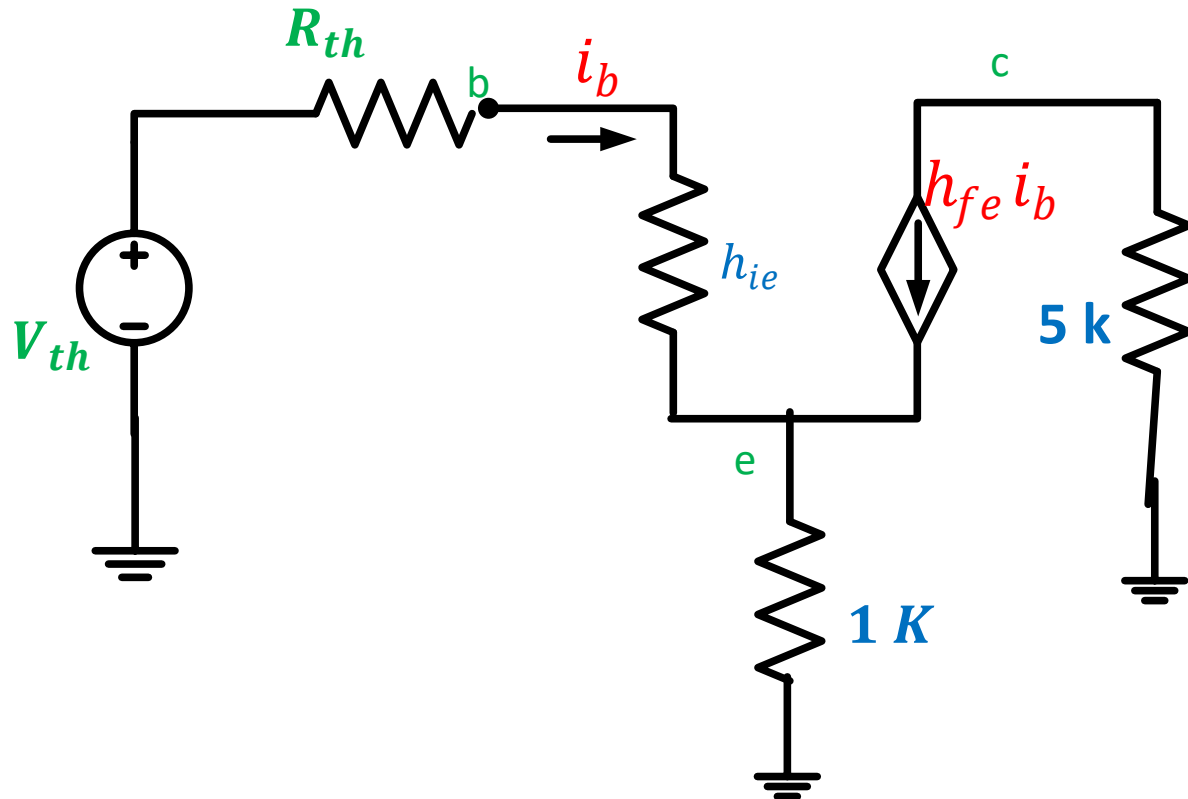
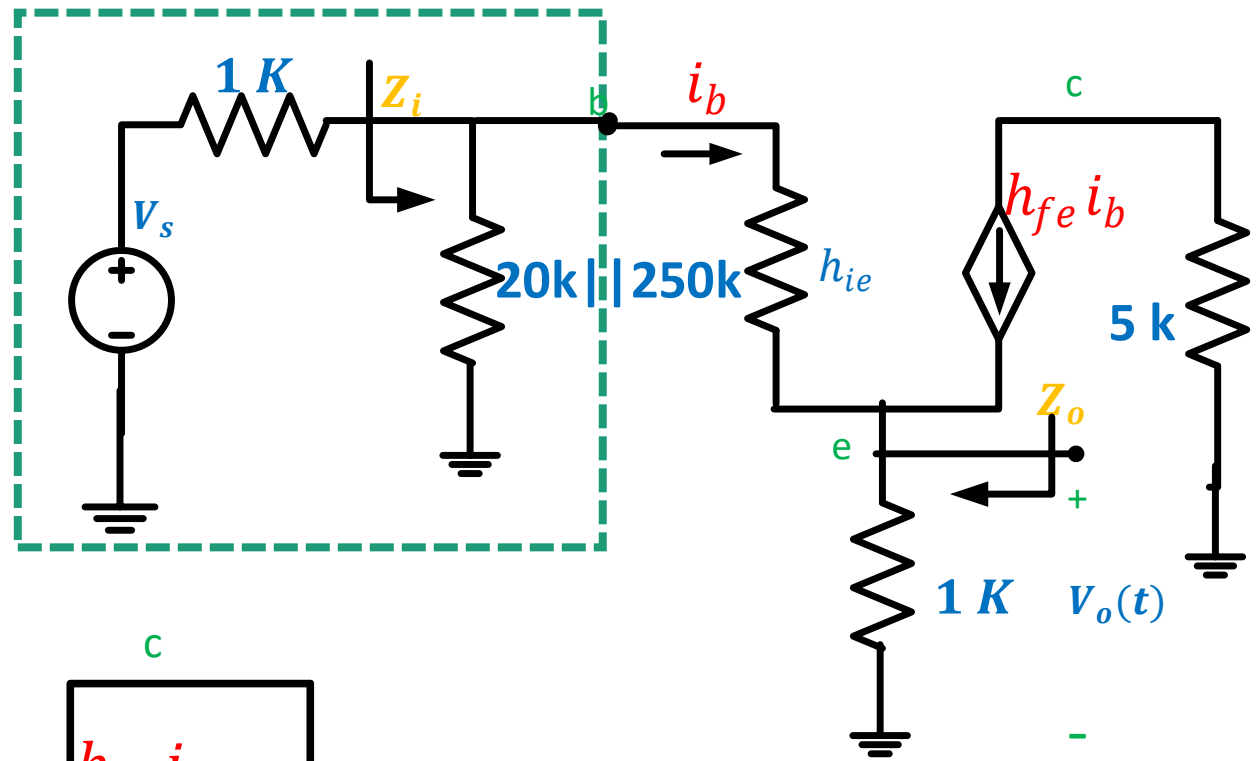
➤  $A_i = \frac{i_o}{i_{in}} = 13.9$



To find  $Z_o$  ; emitter equivalent circuit:

$$R_{th} = 1k \parallel 20k \parallel 250k$$

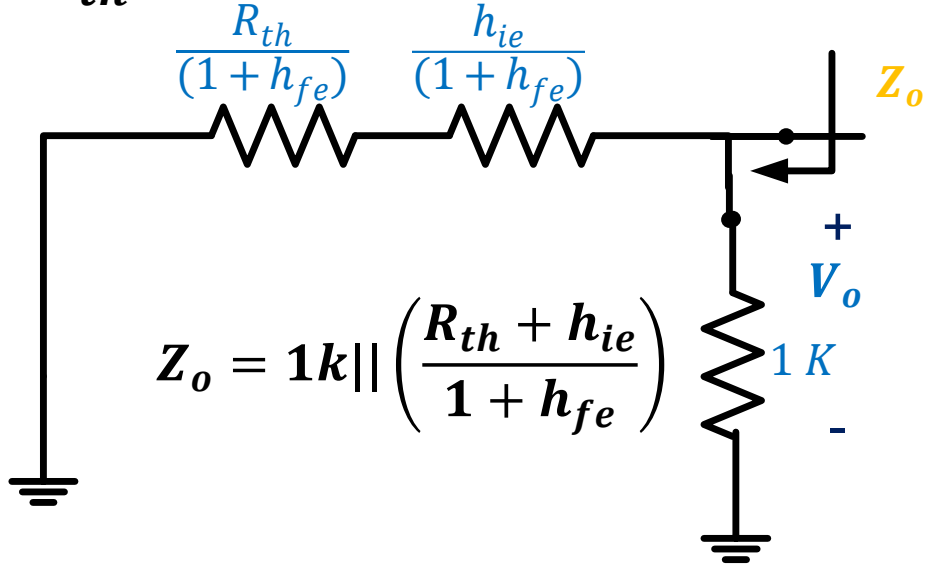
$$V_{th} = \frac{(20k \parallel 250k)}{(20k \parallel 250k) + 1k} V_{in}$$



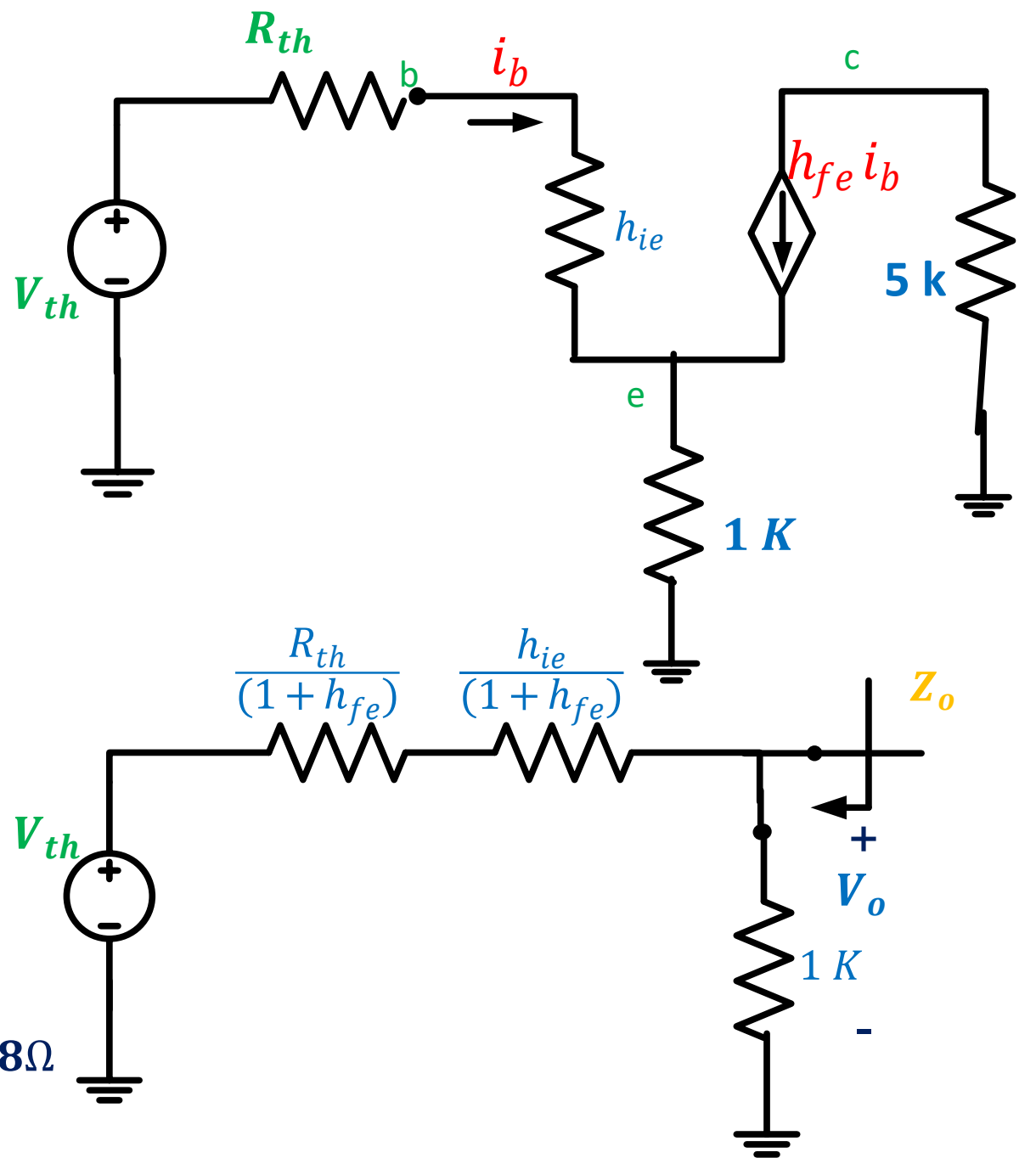
## Emitter equivalent circuit:

To find  $Z_o$  we set  $V_{in} = 0$

❖  $V_{th} = 0$



$$Z_o = 1k \parallel \left( \frac{1k \parallel 20k \parallel 250k + h_{ie}}{1 + h_{fe}} \right) = 36.8\Omega$$



**For common collector amplifier:**

$$A_v < 1$$

$$A_i > 1$$

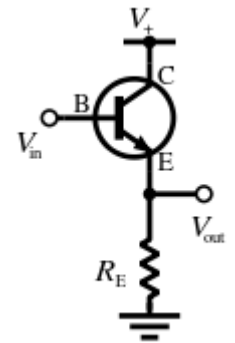
$Z_o$  very small

$Z_i = \text{very large}$



**The common collector as a buffer:**

**Although the small signal voltage gain of the common collector (emitter follower) is less than 1, it can be used to improve the total voltage gain of a multistage amplifier.**

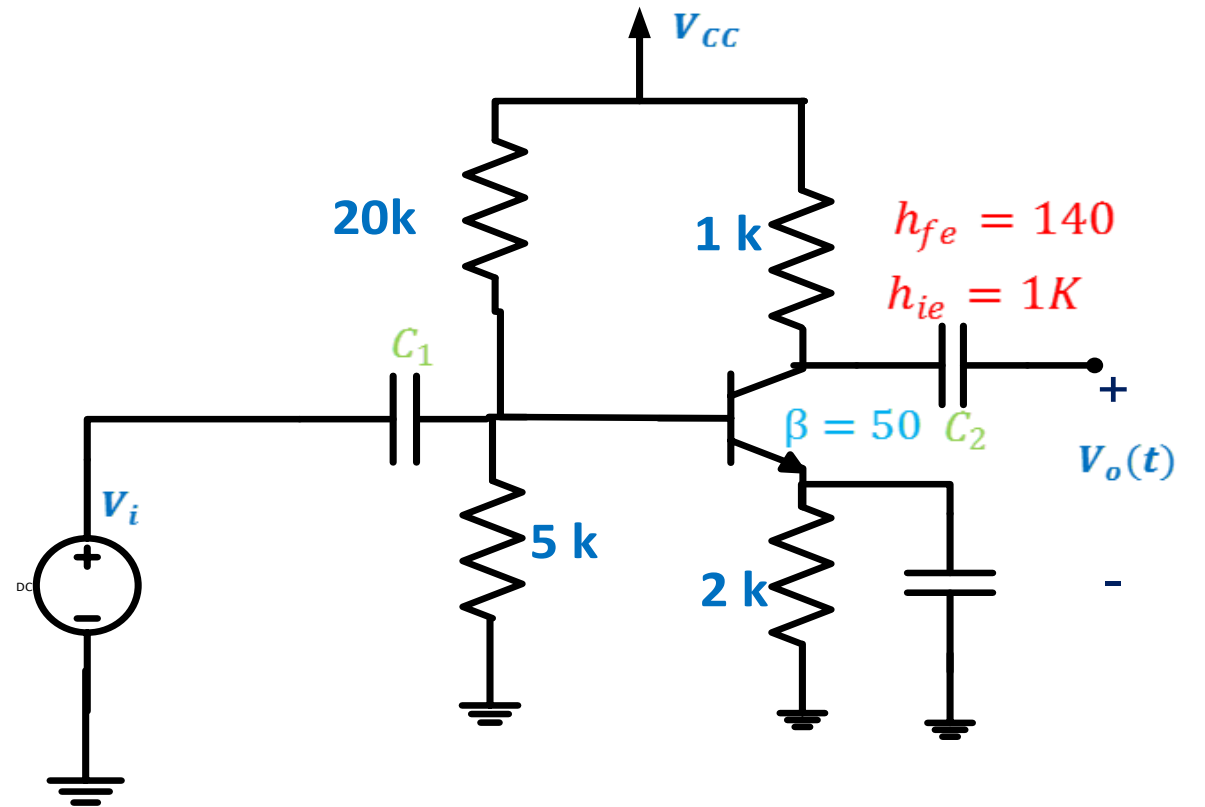


# Common emitter amplifier

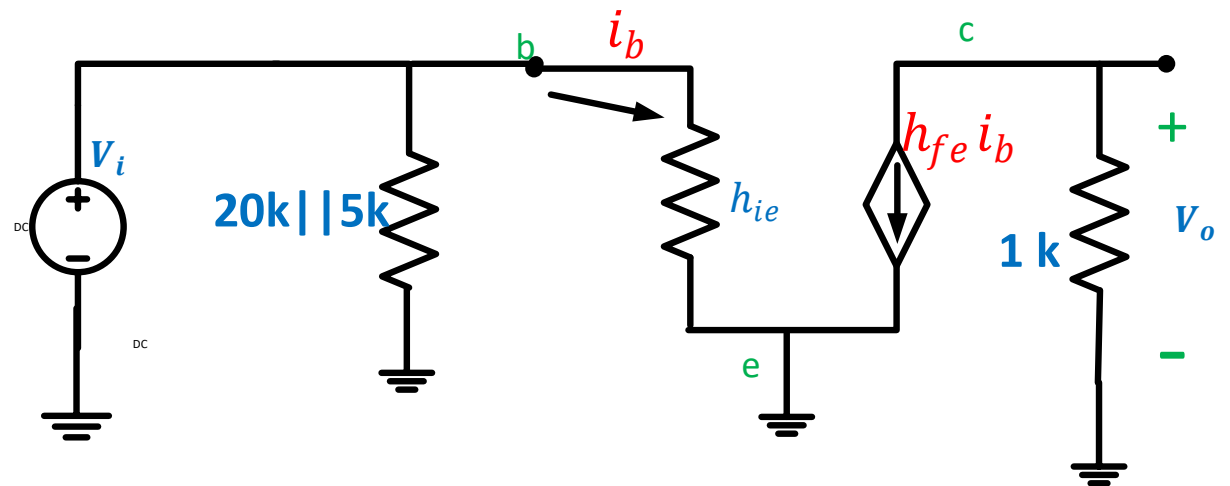
$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_{in}} = -140$$



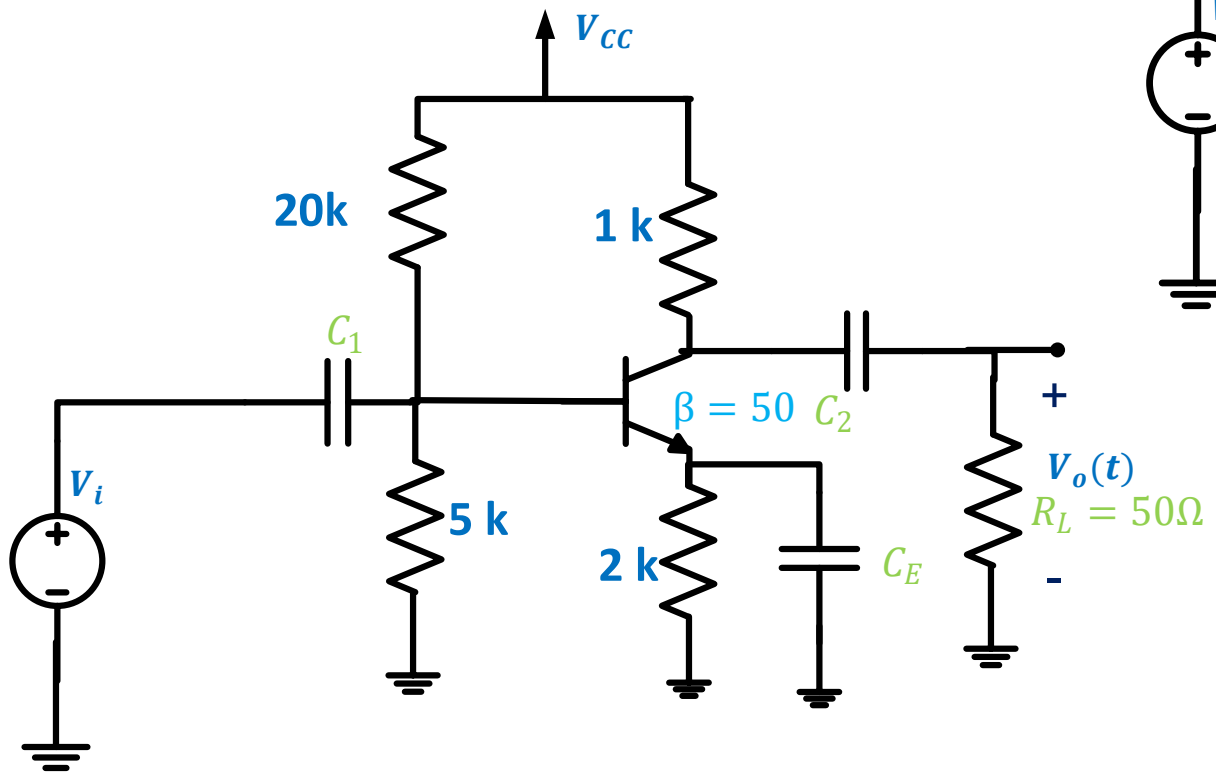
Proof!!



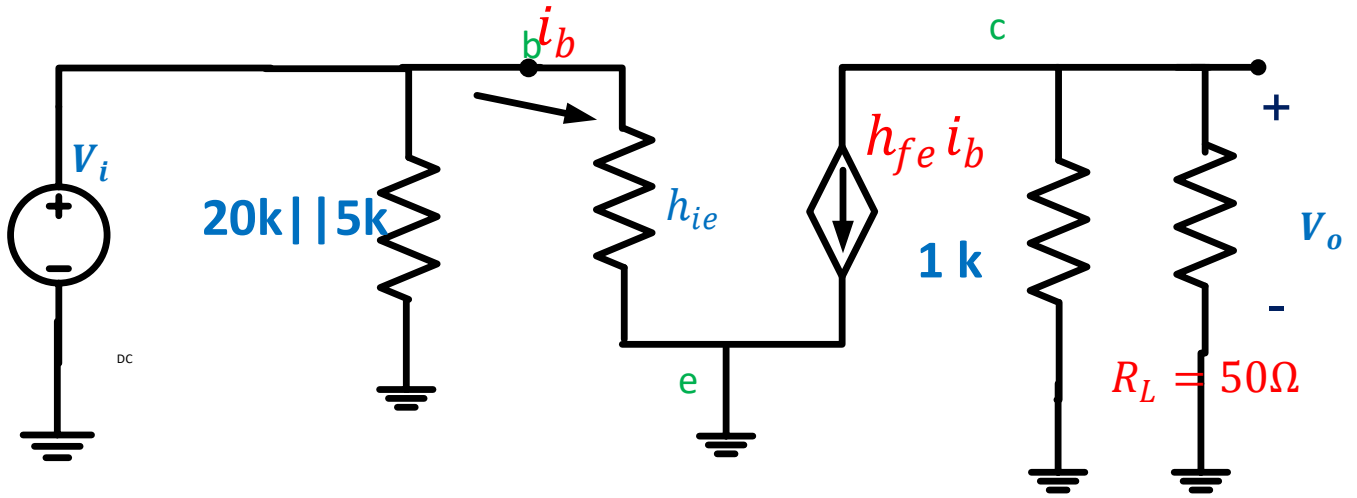
Ac small signal equivalent circuit:



Common emitter amplifier with  $R_L$ :



Ac small signal equivalent circuit:



$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_{in}} = -6.67$$



Do it

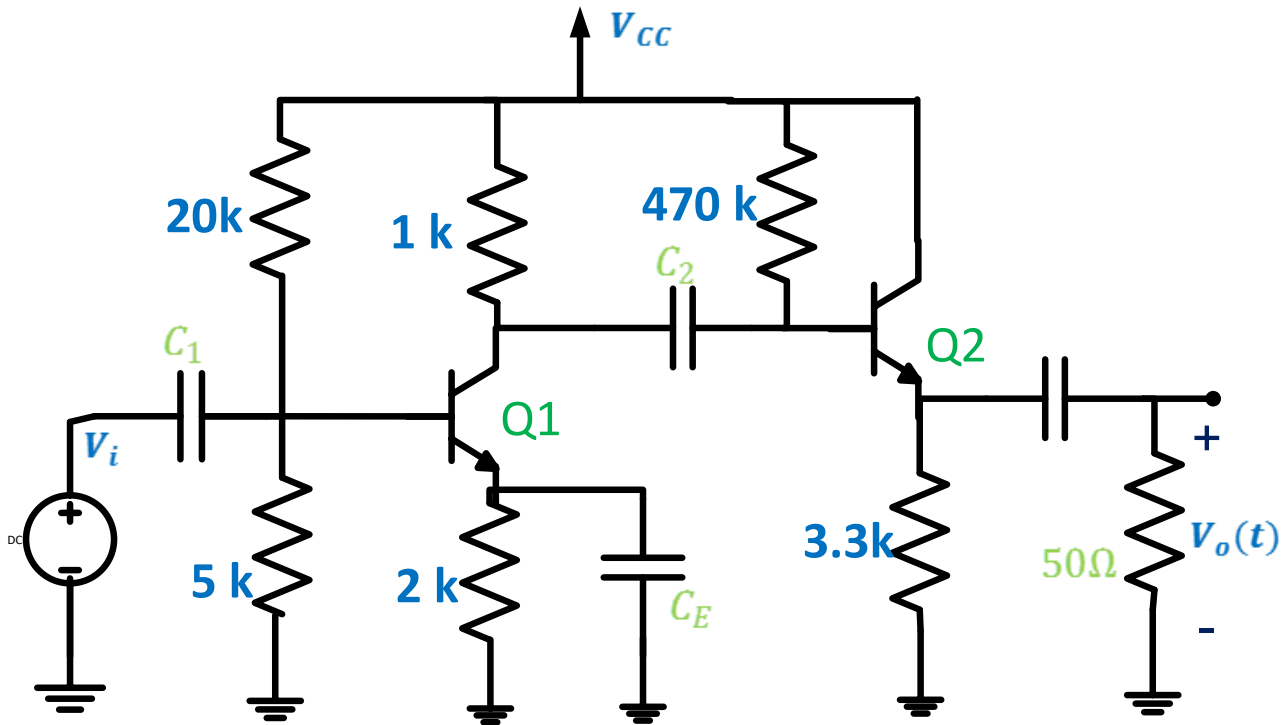


# Multistage amplifier:

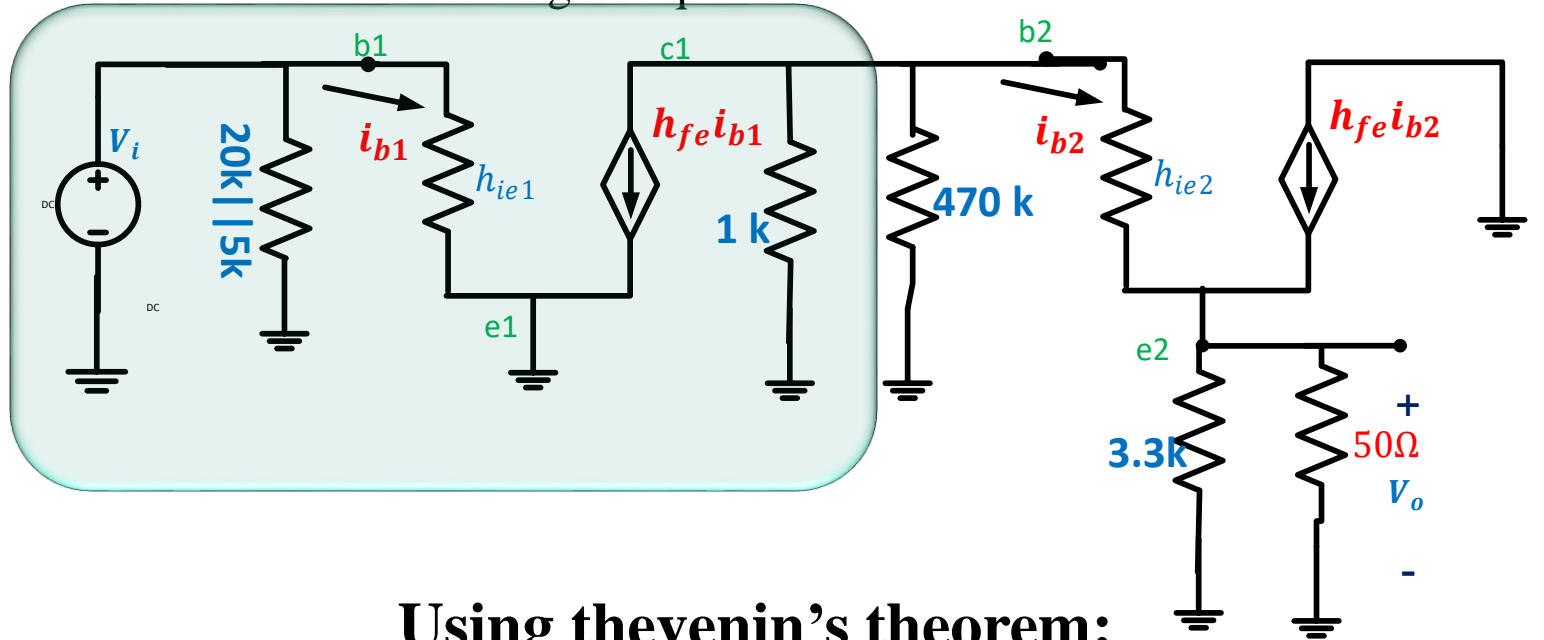
Find the voltage gain

$$h_{ie1} = 1k, h_{ie2} = 2.24k,$$

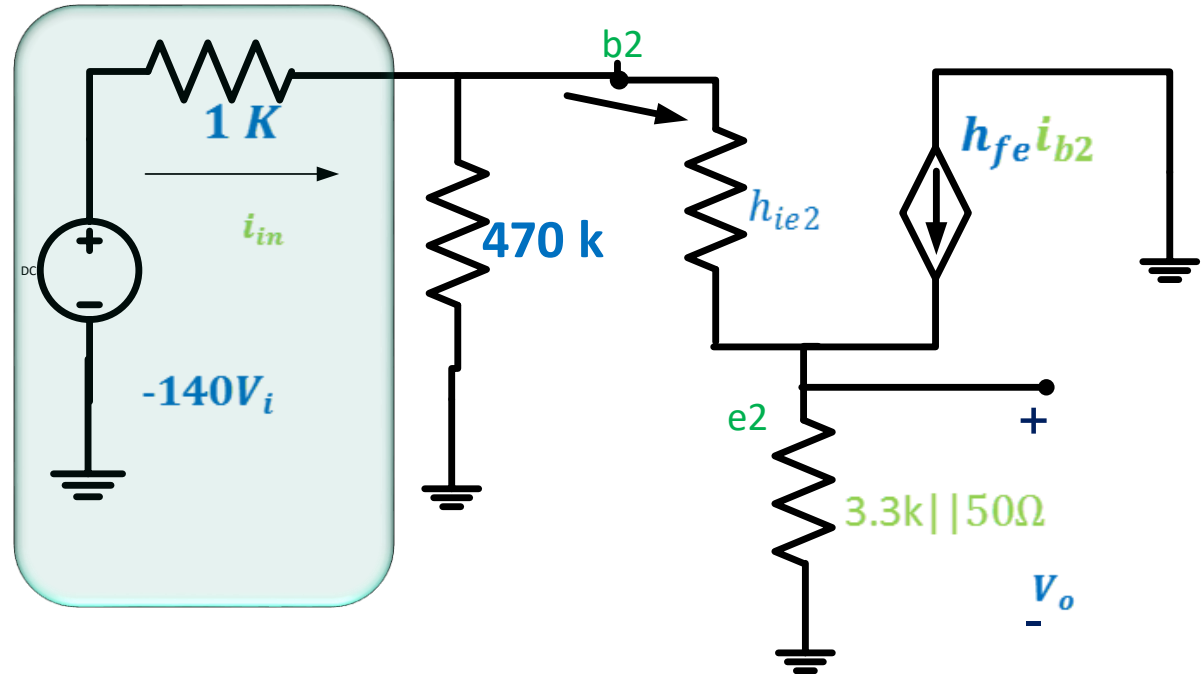
$$h_{fe1} = 140, h_{fe2} = 100$$



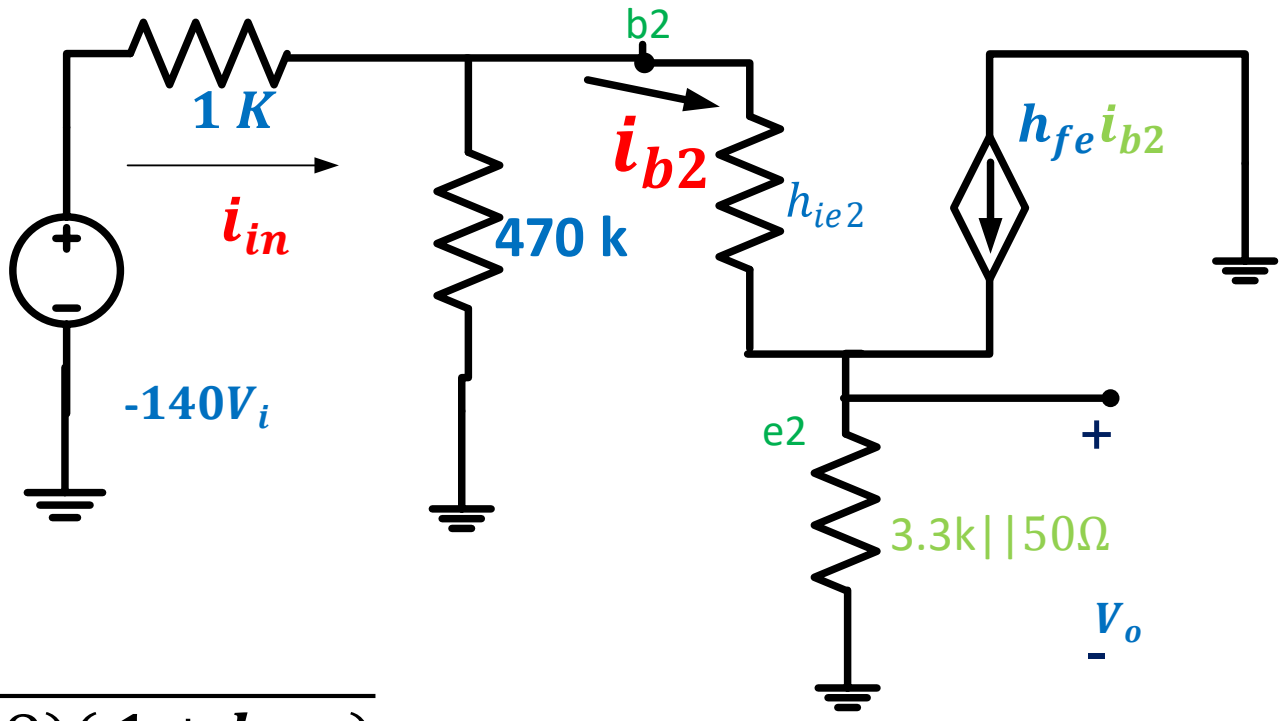
Ac small signal equivalent circuit:



Using thevenin's theorem:



To Find the voltage gain



$$V_o = (3.3k \parallel 50\Omega)(1 + h_{fe2})i_{b2}$$

$$i_{b2} = i_{in} * \frac{470k}{470k + h_{ie2} + (3.3k \parallel 50\Omega)(1 + h_{fe2})}$$

$$i_{in} = \frac{-140v_{in}}{1k + 470k \parallel [h_{ie2} + (3.3k \parallel 50\Omega)(1 + h_{fe2})]}$$

➤  $A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_{in}} = -85$

## The common emitter amplifier design:

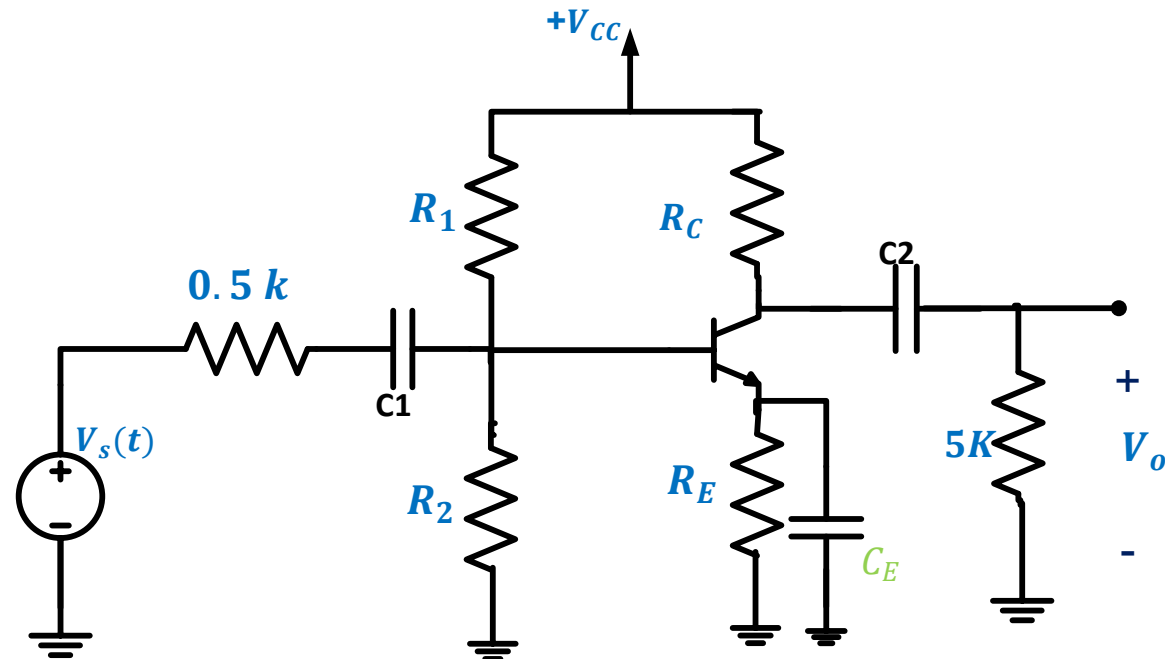
Design a common emitter amplifier using a transistor having

$$\beta(\min) = 480, \quad \beta(\max) = 1500$$

To provide a voltage gain  $\left| \frac{V_o}{V_s} \right| \geq 200$ , between a small signal voltage source having a resistance  $500\Omega$  and load  $R_L = 5k$

Its specified that  $Z_{in} \geq 5k$

**Solution :**



## Solution:

Ac small signal equivalent circuit:

$$V_o = -(R_C \parallel R_L) h_{fe} i_b$$

$$i_b = \frac{V_i}{h_{ie}}$$

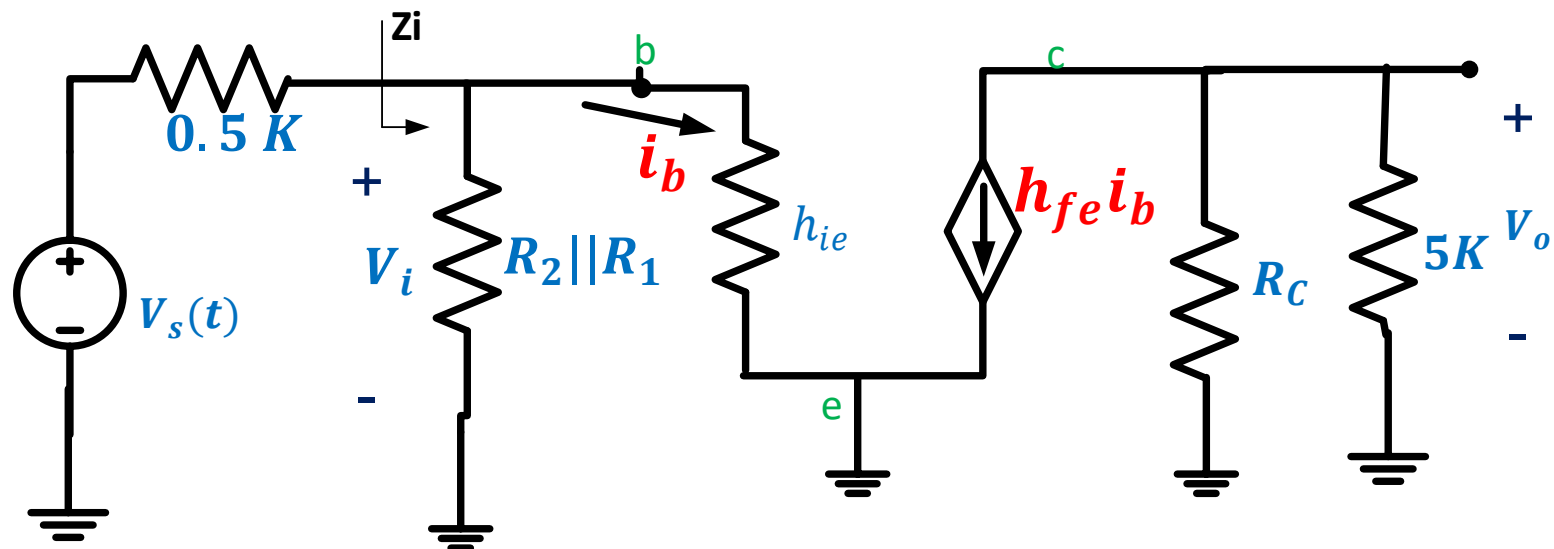
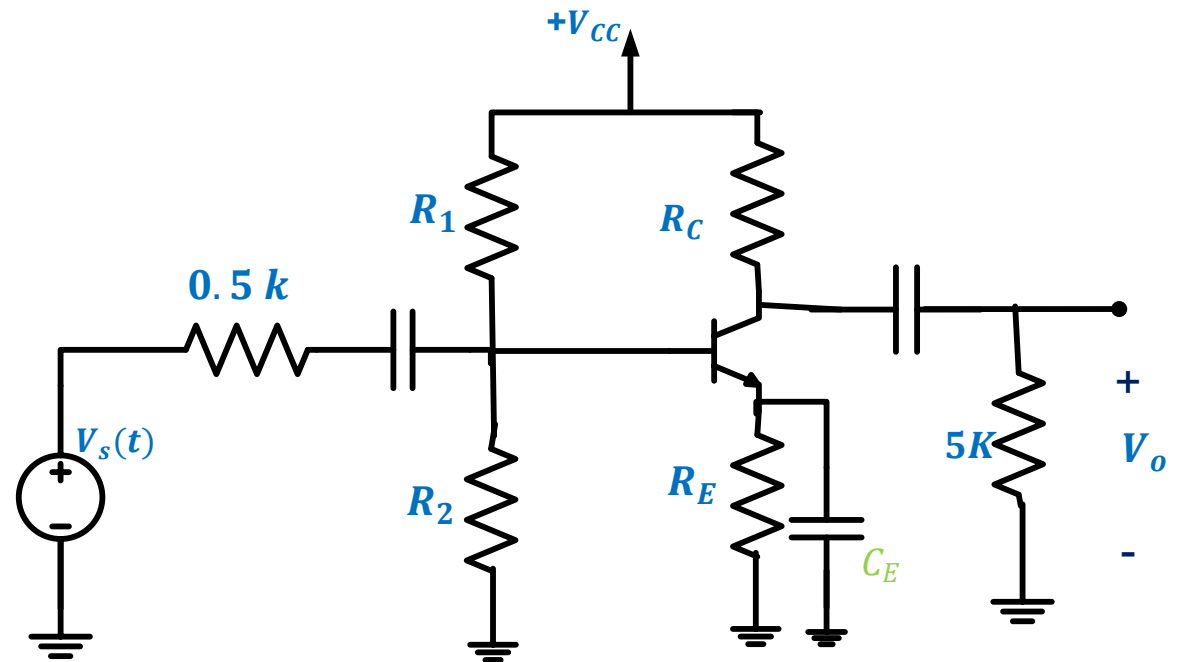
$$V_i = \frac{Z_i}{Z_i + R_s} V_s$$

$$\diamond |A_v| = \frac{h_{fe}}{h_{ie}} \frac{Z_i}{Z_i + R_s} (R_C \parallel R_L)$$

$$1 > \frac{Z_i}{Z_i + R_s} > 0.9$$

$$\diamond |A_v| = \frac{h_{fe}}{h_{ie}} (0.9) (R_C \parallel 5k)$$

$$\text{Let } g_m = \frac{h_{fe}}{h_{ie}} = 38.92 I_{CQ}$$



$$\diamond |A_v| = (g_m)(0.9)(R_C \setminus 5k) \geq 200$$

$$\text{Let } R_C = 8k, \text{ then: } g_m \geq 72.2$$

$$\text{Let } g_m = 77.86, \text{ then } I_{CQ} = 2mA$$

$$\text{Since } V_{RC} = 16V; \text{ let } V_{CC} = 30V$$

$$\text{Let } V_{RE} = \frac{V_{CC}}{5} = 6\text{volt}$$

$$R_E = \frac{V_{RE}}{I_E} = 3k\Omega$$

$$R_{th} = \frac{\beta(\text{min})R_E}{20} = 72k\Omega$$

$$\text{From: } I_E = \frac{V_{th} - V_{BE}}{\frac{R_{th}}{\beta+1} + R_E}$$

$$V_{th} = 7\text{ volt}$$

$$V_{th} = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} V_{CC}$$

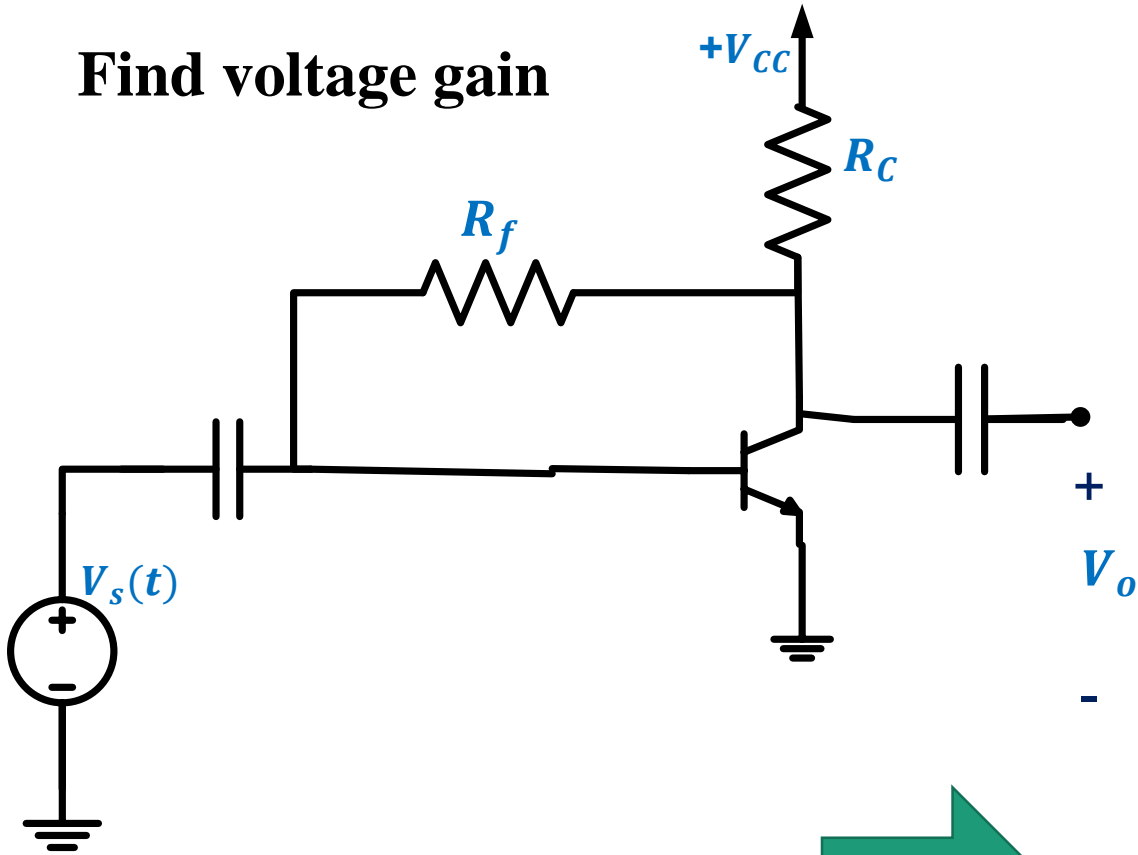
$$R_{th} = \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2}$$

$$\triangleright R_1 = 93.9k$$

$$\triangleright R_2 = 308.6k$$

**Example :**

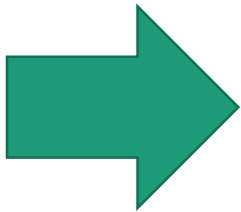
**Find voltage gain**



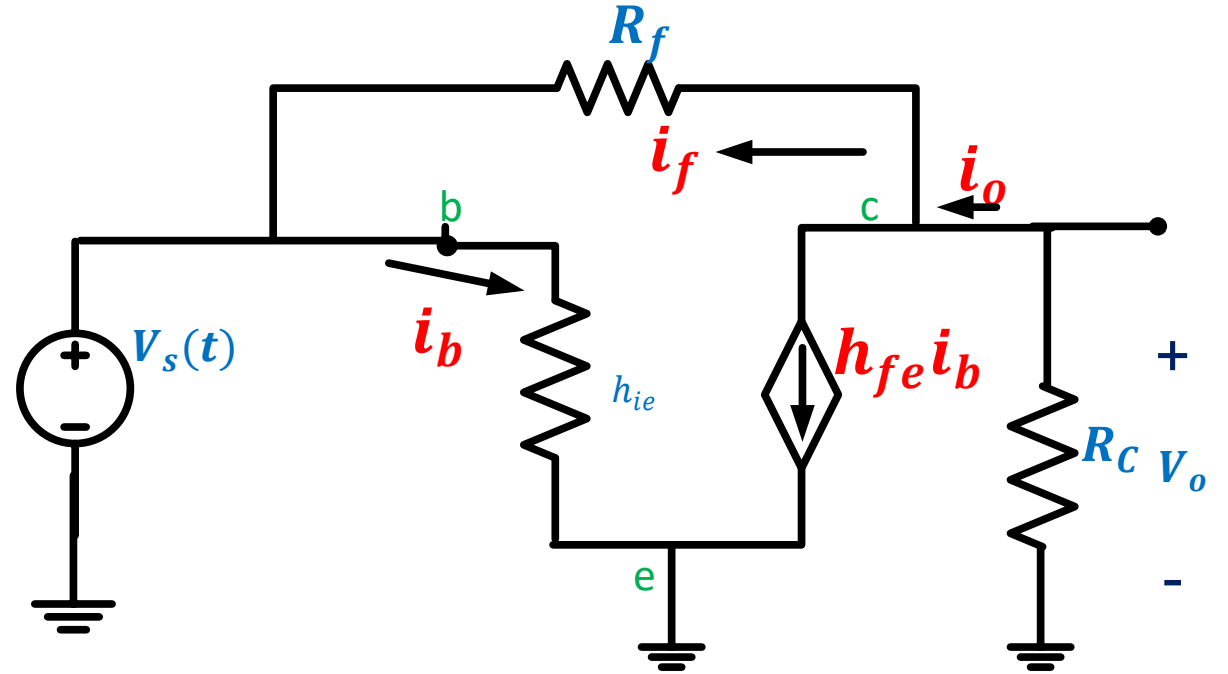
$$V_o = -R_C i_o$$

$$i_o = h_{fe} i_b + i_f$$

$$i_f = \frac{V_o - V_s}{R_f}$$



**Ac small signal equivalent circuit:**



$$i_b = \frac{V_s}{h_{ie}}$$

$$A_v = - \frac{\frac{R_C}{R_E} - R_C \frac{h_{fe}}{h_{ie}}}{1 + \frac{R_C}{R_E}}$$

Early voltage  $V_A$

$$\frac{1}{h_{oe}} = \frac{V_{CEQ} + V_A}{I_{CQ}}$$

$$\frac{1}{h_{oe}} \cong \frac{V_A}{I_{CQ}}$$

$V_A = 100, 150, 200$

If  $V_A$  is given, we must include  $\frac{1}{h_{oe}}$  in  
 Ac small signal equivalent circuit:

