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DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING

COURSE NAME: 19EIB201/ELECTRONIC DEVICES

II YEAR / III SEMESTER

Unit 3– Small Signal Amplifier

Topic 2: Transistor as Amplifier

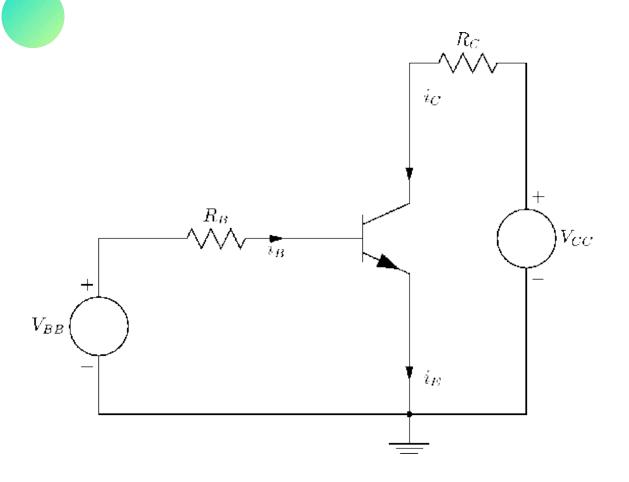


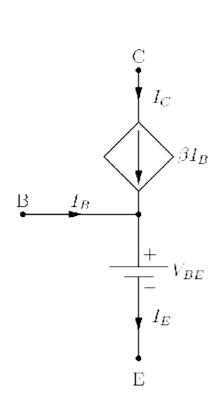


DC Model and Parameters



Consider the CE configuration of transistor for analysis.





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

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

Common value would be around 0.99

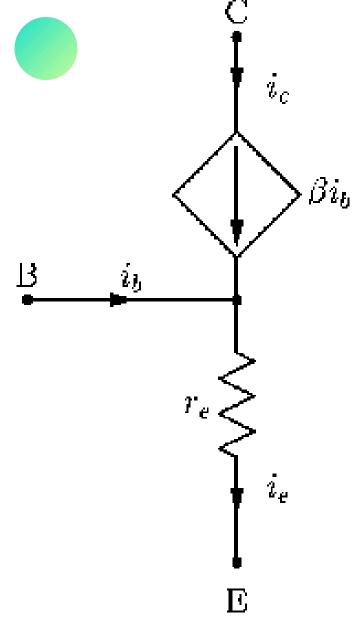
$$\beta = \frac{\alpha}{1 - \alpha}$$
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Common values would be around 20 to 400



AC Model Parameters





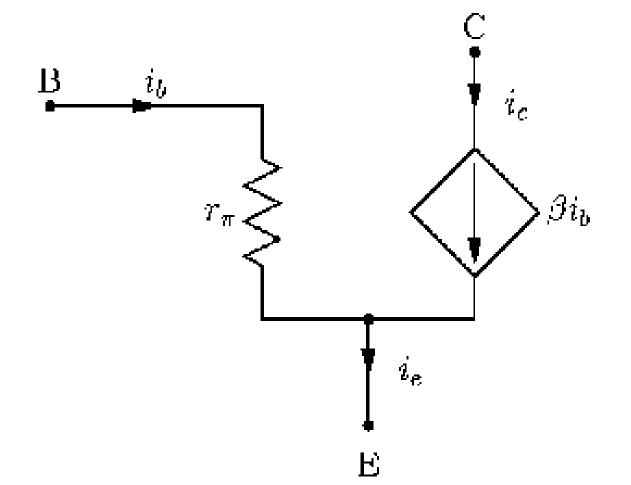
$$i_c = \beta i_b$$
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$$i_c = \alpha i_e$$
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$$i_e = i_b + i_c$$

$$r_e = \frac{0.025}{I_E} \ \Omega$$

$$r_{\pi} = (\beta + 1)r_e$$

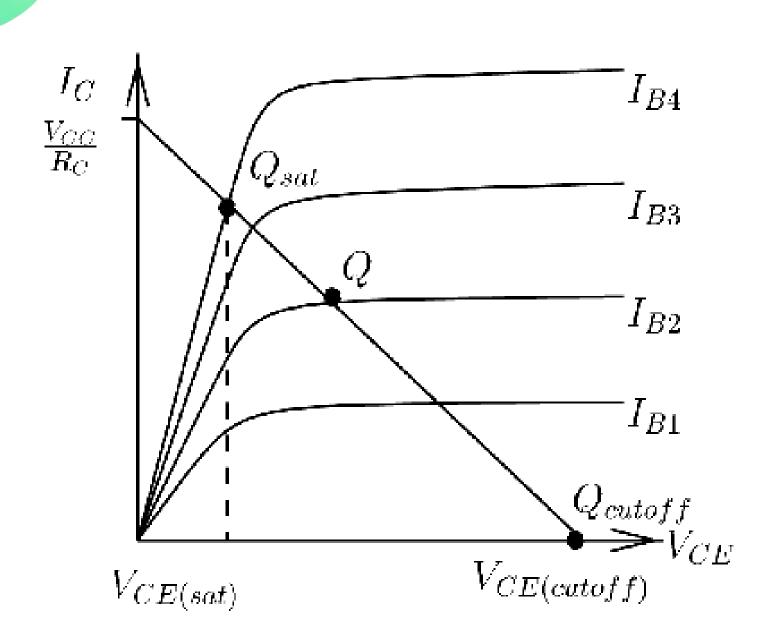




BJT Circuit - DC Analysis



$$V_{BE} = 0.7 \ V, \quad I_C = \beta I_B, \quad I_E = I_B + I_C$$



The left part of the circuit gives, using KVL,

$$V_{BB} = I_B R_B + V_{BE}$$

$$I_B = \frac{V_{BB} - 0.7 V}{R_B}.$$

The right part of the circuit gives

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

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

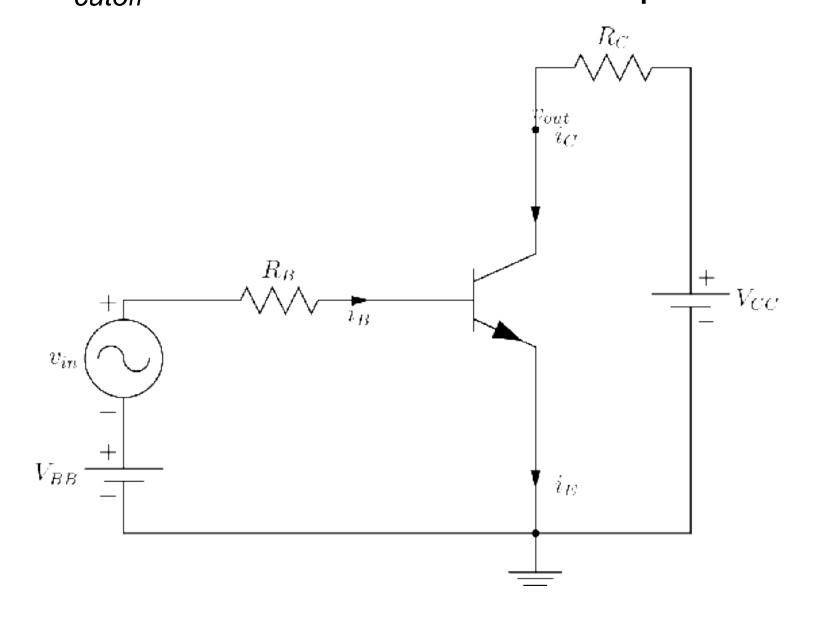
one can solve for V_{CE} to find the *quiescent* or *operating point* Q.



The Transistor as an Amplifier



When the DC operating point Q is in the active region, the transistor can act as an amplifier to AC signals. For such purpose, Q should be set midway between Q_{sat} and Q_{cutoff} to allow for the maximum possible voltage excursions.

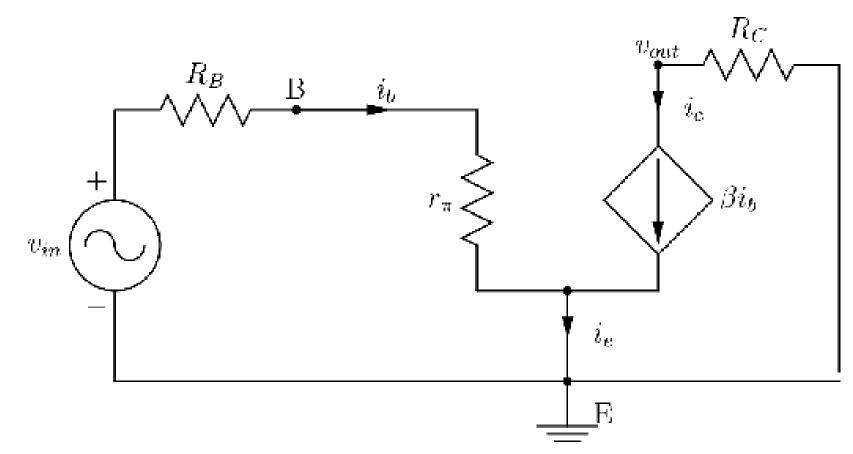




The Transistor as an Amplifier



It is convenient to re-draw the circuit showing only the AC signals. Here, the DC sources have been zeroed out; the AC component does not see them.



the input voltage v_{in} is amplified at the output (i.e. collector voltage v_c) by a gain factor

$$A = -\frac{\beta R_C}{R_B + (\beta + 1)r_e}$$

$$v_{in} = i_b(R_B + r_\pi)$$

$$i_b = \frac{v_{in}}{R_B + r_\pi} = \frac{v_{in}}{R_B + (\beta + 1)r_e}.$$

$$V_c = -i_c R_C$$

$$v_c = -\beta R_C i_b$$
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$$v_c = -\frac{\beta R_C}{R_B + (\beta + 1)r_e} v_{in}.$$





SUMMARY





ASSESMENT

Dear student,

Quiz is posted in your Google class room

Allotted time for quiz is 5 min

No of Questions is 10







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