

Homework 5 Solutions

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Prob. 1

$$a) N_D \gg N_A \rightarrow n + N_A \approx N_D$$

$$\rightarrow n \approx N_D - N_A = 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3} - 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3} = 99 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$p = \frac{n_i^2}{n} = \frac{(1.45 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}^{-3})^2}{99 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}} = 2.124 \times 10^3 \text{ cm}^{-3} = p$$

$$b) N_A = N_D \rightarrow n = p = n_i = 1.45 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

Prob. 2

$$I_{B2} + I_{C1} + I_{B1} = 1 \text{ mA}$$

Because the transistors are identical and have equal v_{BE} , we conclude that $I_{B2} = I_{B1}$ and $I_{C2} = I_{C1}$. Furthermore $I_{C1} = \beta I_{B1}$.

$$I_{B1} + 100 I_{B1} + I_{B1} = 1 \text{ mA} \Rightarrow I_{B1} = 9.804 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_{C1} = I_{C2} = \beta I_{B1} = 0.9804 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_{E1} = (\beta + 1) I_{B1} = 0.9902 \text{ mA}$$

Solving Eq. 4.1 for v_{BE} we have:

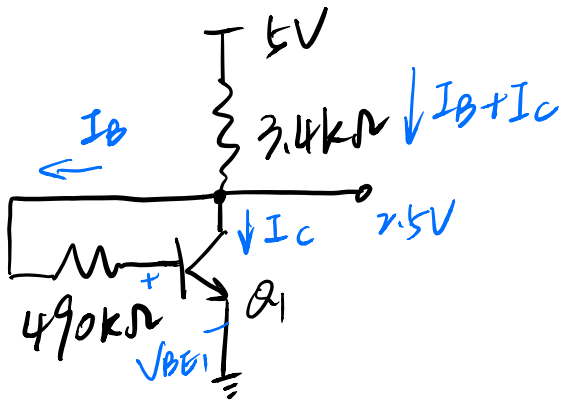
$$v_{BE} = V_T \ln \left(\frac{I_E}{I_{ES}} + 1 \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow v_{BE} = 0.026 \ln \left[\frac{(0.9902 \times 10^{-3}) / 10^{-14}}{1} + 1 \right]$$

$$v_{BE} = 0.6583 \text{ V}$$

Problem (3)

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assume Q_1 is in active region.

$$V_{B1} = V_{BE1} = 0.7V$$

$$I_B = \frac{V_C - V_B}{490k\Omega} = \frac{2.5 - 0.7}{490 \times 10^3} = 3.673 \mu A$$

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

$$I_E = \frac{5 - 2.5}{3.4k\Omega} = 735.29 \mu A$$

$$\beta = \frac{I_E}{I_B} - 1 = 199.189$$

check

① $V_{BE} = V_C - I_B \times 490k\Omega = 0.7V \rightarrow$ active/saturation

② $V_{CE} = 2.5V > 0.2V \rightarrow$ active region ✓

Prob. 4

(4)

a) $\beta = 100$

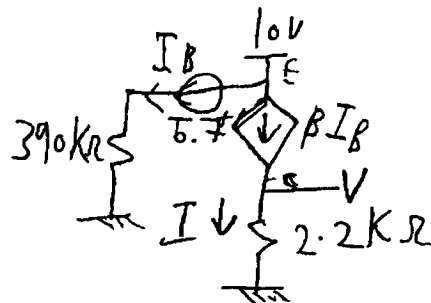
equivalent circuit assuming operation in active:-

$$I_B = \frac{10 - 0.7}{390 \text{ K}\Omega} = 23.8462 \mu\text{A}$$

$$I_C = \beta I_B = 2.38 \text{ mA} > 0$$

$$V_C = V_{CE} = 2.38 \times 2.2 = 5.25 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{EC} = 10 - 5.25 = 4.75 \text{ V} > 0.2 \text{ V} \rightarrow \text{active.}$$

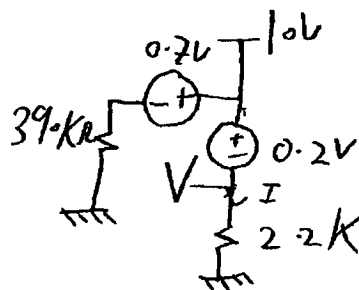


$\beta = 300$

assume saturation

$$I_C = \frac{10 - 0.2}{2.2} = 4.45455 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_C = 10 - 0.2 = 9.8 \text{ V}$$



$$\beta I_B > I_C > 0 \rightarrow I_B = \frac{10 - 0.7}{390 \text{ K}\Omega} = 23.8462 \mu\text{A}$$

$$\beta I_B = 7.15385 \text{ mA} > I_C \rightarrow \text{Saturation}$$

b) $\beta = 100$

assume cutoff

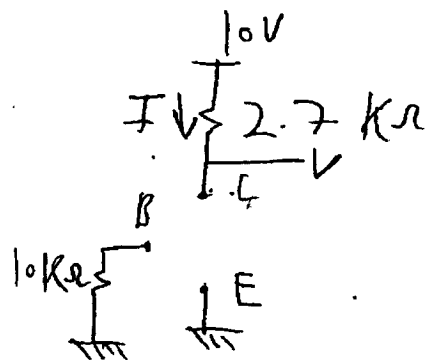
$$V_C = 10 \text{ V} = V_{CE}$$

$$V_B = 0 \text{ V}$$

$$I = 0 \text{ A}$$

$$V_{BE} = 0 - 0 = 0 \text{ V} < 0.5 \text{ V} \rightarrow \text{Cond 1}$$

$$V_{BC} = 0 - 10 = -10 \text{ V} < 0.5 \text{ V} \rightarrow \text{Cond 2} \rightarrow \text{cutoff.}$$



Cont. Problem 4

b) $\beta = 300$

assume cutoff.

$V_B = 0V$

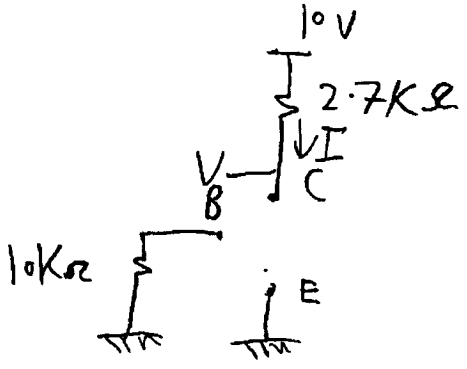
$V_C = 10V$

$V_E = 0V$

$I = I_C = 0A$, $V = V_C = 10V$

$V_{BE} = 0 - 0 = 0V < 0.5V \rightarrow \text{Cond 1} \rightarrow \text{Cutoff.}$

$V_{BC} = 0 - 10 = -10V < 0.5V \rightarrow \text{Cond 2} \rightarrow \text{Cutoff.}$



c) $\beta = 100$ assume active

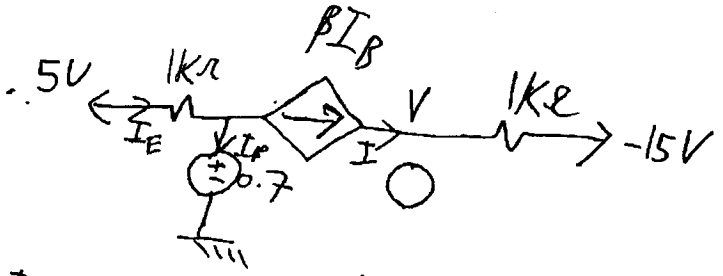
$I_E = I_B + I_C$

$\frac{5V - 0.7V}{1k} = I_B + \beta I_B \rightarrow I_B = 42.5743 \mu A$

$I = I_C = \beta I_B = 4.25743 \text{ mA} > 0A$

$V = -15V + I \times 1k = -10.7426 \text{ V.}$

$V_{EC} = 0.7 - (-10.7426) = 11.4426V > 0.2V \rightarrow \text{active}$



$\beta = 300$ assume Active

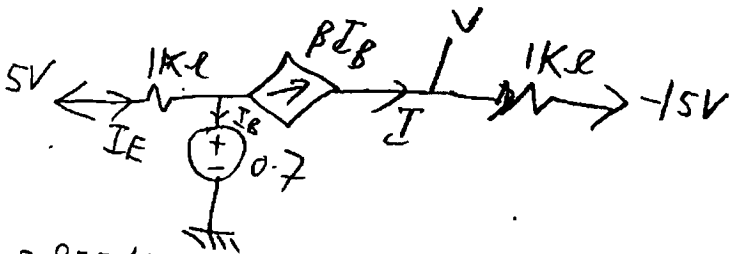
$I_E = I_B + I_C$

$\frac{5 - 0.7}{1k} = I_B + \beta I_B \rightarrow I_B = 14.2857 \mu A$

$I = I_C = \beta I_B = 4.28571 \text{ mA} > 0A$

$V = -15V + I \times 1k = -10.7143 \text{ V}$

$V_{EC} = 0.7 - (-10.7143) = 11.4143V > 0.2V \rightarrow \text{active}$



Cont. problem 4

a) $\beta = 100$

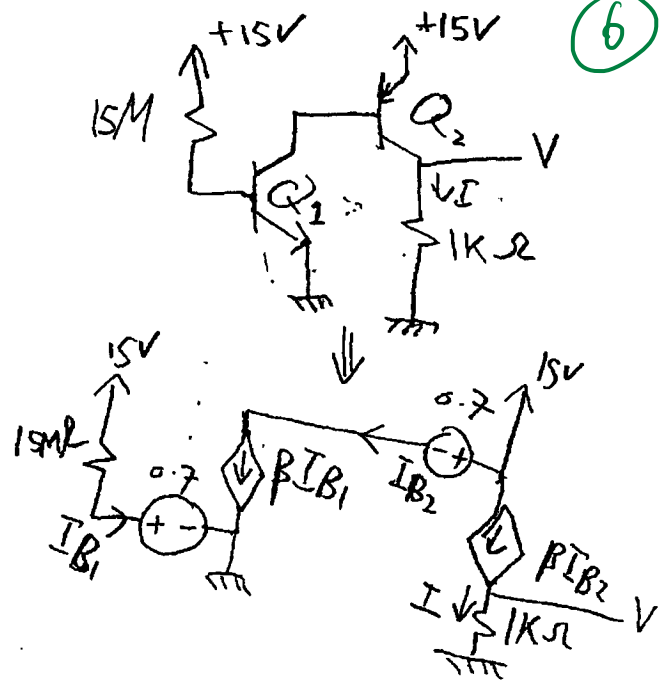
assume Q_1 active, Q_2 active

$$I_{B1} = \frac{15 - 0.7}{15M} = 0.95333 \mu A$$

$$I_{B2} = \beta I_{B1} = 95.3333 \mu A$$

$$I = I_{C2} = \beta I_{B2} = 9.53 \text{ mA}$$

$$V = I \times 1K = 9.53 \text{ mV}$$



$$15 - 0.7 = V_{CE1} > 0.2V \rightarrow \text{active}$$

$$I_{C1} = \beta I_{B1} = 95.3333 \mu A > 0 \rightarrow \text{active}$$

$$V_{CE2} = 15 - I \times 1K = 5.46667 \text{ V} > 0.2V \rightarrow \text{active}$$

$$I_{C2} = I = 9.53 \text{ mA} > 0$$

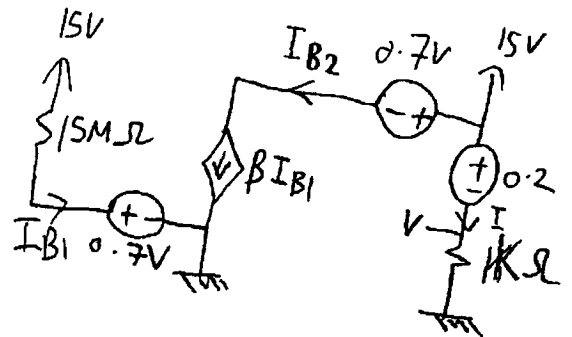
$\beta = 300$ assume Q_1 active, Q_2 in saturation

$$I_{B1} = \frac{15 - 0.7}{15M} = 0.95333 \mu A$$

$$I_{B2} = \beta I_{B1} = 286 \mu A$$

$$I = \frac{15 - 0.2}{1K} = 14.8 \text{ mA}$$

$$V = 15 - 0.2 = 14.8 \text{ V}$$



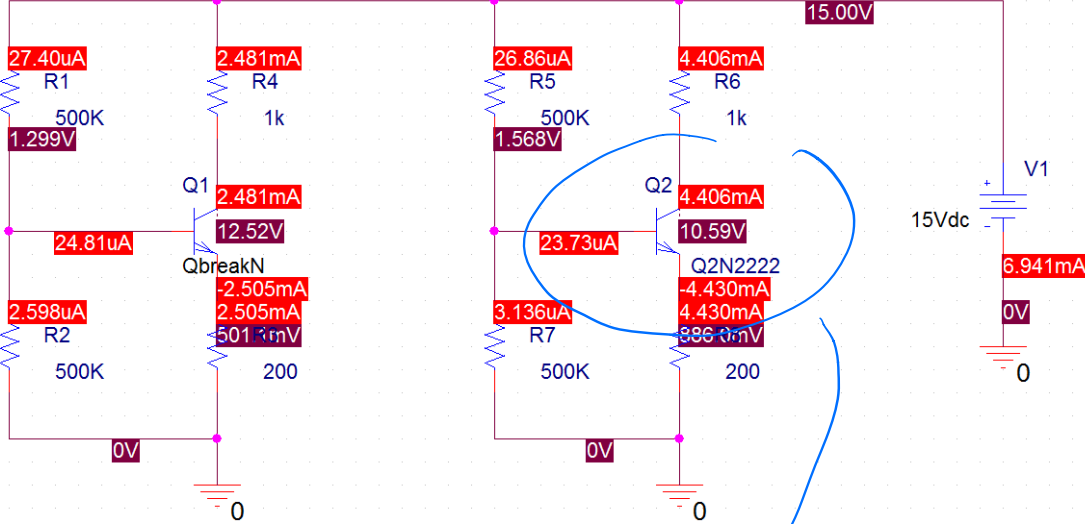
$$V_{CE1} = 15 - 0.7 = 14.3 \text{ V} > 0.2 \text{ V} \rightarrow \text{Active}$$

$$I_{C1} = \beta I_{B1} = 286 \mu A > 0 \rightarrow \text{Active}$$

$$I = I_{C2} > 0, \beta I_{B2} = 85.8 \text{ mA} > I_{C2} \rightarrow \text{Saturation}$$

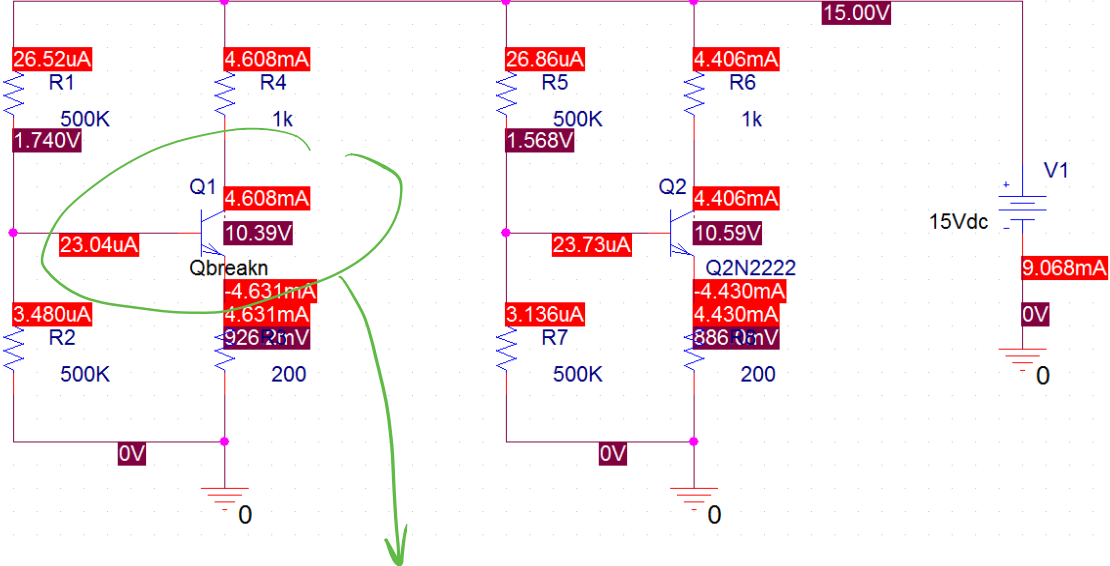
Problem (5)

(a)



Q2N2222:
$$\beta_2 = \frac{I_{C2}}{I_{B2}} = \frac{4.406mA}{23.73\mu A} = 185.672$$

(b)



QbreakN:
$$\beta_1 = \frac{I_{C1}}{I_{B1}} = \frac{4.608mA}{23.04\mu A} = 200$$

(10)

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**** BIPOLAR JUNCTION TRANSISTORS

	Qbreakn	Q2N2222
	NPN	NPN
IS	100.000000E-18	14.340000E-15
BF	200	255.9
NF	1	1
VAf		74.03
IKF		.2847
ISE		14.340000E-15
NE		1.307
BR	1	6.092
NR	1	1
RB		10
RC		1
CJE		22.010000E-12
MJE		.377
CJC		7.306000E-12
MJC		.3416
TF		411.100000E-12
XTF		3
VTF		1.7
ITF		.6
TR		46.910000E-09
XTB		1.5
CN	2.42	2.42
D	.87	.87

NAME	Q_Q1	Q_Q2
MODEL	Qbreakn	Q2N2222
IB	2.30E-05	2.37E-05
IC	4.61E-03	4.41E-03
VBE	8.14E-01	6.82E-01
VBC	-8.65E+00	-9.03E+00
VCE	9.47E+00	9.71E+00
BETADC	2.00E+02	1.86E+02
GM	1.78E-01	1.68E-01
RPI	1.12E+03	1.19E+03
RX	0.00E+00	1.00E+01
RO	1.00E+12	1.88E+04
CBE	0.00E+00	1.06E-10
CBC	0.00E+00	3.04E-12
CJS	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
BETAAC	2.00E+02	1.99E+02
CBX/CBX2	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
FT/FT2	2.84E+18	2.44E+08

(d)



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TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

temperature

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T_A = +25°C, unless otherwise noted)

Parameters / Test Conditions	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Unit
ON CHARACTERISTICS (2)				
Forward-Current Transfer Ratio I _C = 0.1mA _{dc} , V _{CE} = 10V _{dc}	2N2221A, L, UA, UB, UBC 2N2222A, L, UA, UB, UBC	30 50		
I _C = 1.0mA _{dc} , V _{CE} = 10V _{dc}	2N2221A, L, UA, UB, UBC 2N2222A, L, UA, UB, UBC	35 75	150 325	
I _C = 10mA _{dc} , V _{CE} = 10V _{dc}	2N2221A, L, UA, UB, UBC 2N2222A, L, UA, UB, UBC	40 100		
I _C = 150mA _{dc} , V _{CE} = 10V _{dc}	2N2221A, L, UA, UB, UBC 2N2222A, L, UA, UB, UBC	40 100	120 300	
I _C = 500mA _{dc} , V _{CE} = 10V _{dc}	2N2221A, L, UA, UB, UBC 2N2222A, L, UA, UB, UBC	20 30		
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage I _C = 150mA _{dc} , I _B = 15mA _{dc} I _C = 500mA _{dc} , I _B = 50mA _{dc}	V _{CE(sat)}		0.3 1.0	V _{dc}
Base-Emitter Voltage I _C = 150mA _{dc} , I _B = 15mA _{dc} I _C = 500mA _{dc} , I _B = 50mA _{dc}	V _{BE(sat)}	0.6	1.2 2.0	V _{dc}

β
h_{FE}
DC current gain

β ≥ 100

DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS

Parameters / Test Conditions	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Unit
Small-Signal Short-Circuit Forward Current Transfer Ratio I _C = 1.0mA _{dc} , V _{CE} = 10V _{dc} , f = 1.0kHz	2N2221A, L, UA, UB, UBC 2N2222A, L, UA, UB, UBC	h _{fe}	30 50	
Magnitude of Small-Signal Short-Circuit Forward Current Transfer Ratio I _C = 20mA _{dc} , V _{CE} = 20V _{dc} , f = 100MHz	h _{fe}	2.5		
Output Capacitance V _{CB} = 10V _{dc} , I _E = 0, 100kHz ≤ f ≤ 1.0MHz	C _{obo}		8.0	pF
Input Capacitance V _{EB} = 0.5V _{dc} , I _C = 0, 100kHz ≤ f ≤ 1.0MHz	C _{ibo}		25	pF

SWITCHING CHARACTERISTICS

Parameters / Test Conditions	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Unit
Turn-On Time See figure 8 of MIL-PRF-19500/255	t _{on}		35	ns
Turn-Off Time See Figure 9 of MIL-PRF-19500/255	t _{off}		300	ns

(2) Pulse Test: Pulse Width = 300µs, Duty Cycle ≤ 2.0%.