

# ECE 321 - Homework #5

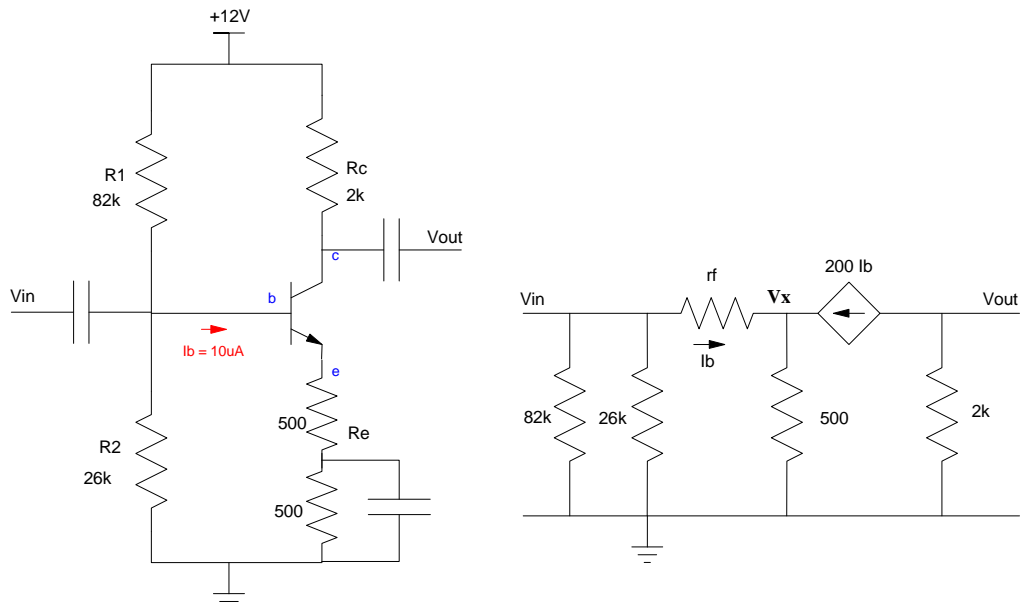
Common Emitter / Base / Collector Amplifiers. Due Monday, April 30th, 2018

For the following transistor amplifiers, assume

- $\beta = 200$
- The Q-point (DC operating point) is
  - $V_{ce} = 6V$
  - $I_c = 2mA$
  - $I_b = 10\mu A$

1) Common Emitter:

Draw the small signal model for the amplifier connected in a common-emitter configuration (note:  $C_e = 0$ )



Determine the 2-port model

$R_{in}$ : Apply 1V to  $V_{in}$ , short  $V_{out}$ , determine  $I_{in}$

$$\left(\frac{V_x - 1}{5200}\right) + \left(\frac{V_x}{500}\right) + 200\left(\frac{V_x - 1}{5200}\right) = 0$$

$$V_x = 0.9508V$$

$$I_{in} = \frac{1}{82k} + \frac{1}{26k} + \left(\frac{1 - 0.9508}{5200}\right) = 60.1\mu A$$

$$R_{in} = \frac{1}{I_{in}} = 16.6k$$

$A_{in}$ : Apply 1V to  $V_{out}$ . Compute  $V_{in}$

$$V_{in} = 0$$

$R_{out}$ : Short  $V_{in}$ . Find the resistance at the output

When  $V_{in} = 0$ ,  $V_x = 0$  and  $I_b = 0$ .

$$R_{out} = 2k$$

Ao: Apply 1V at Vin, Compute Vout

From before

$$V_x = 0.9508$$

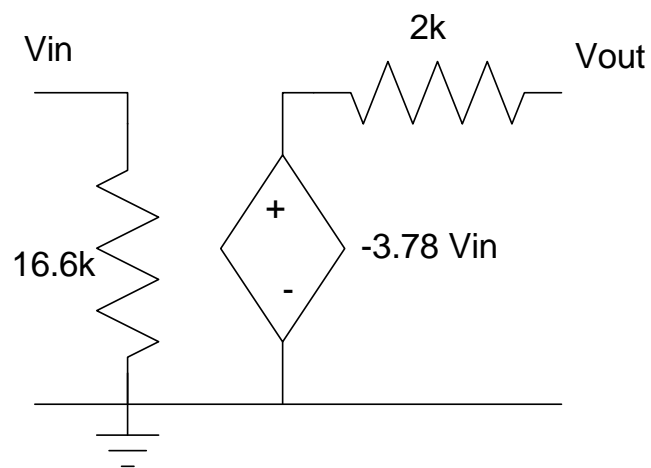
$$I_b = \left( \frac{1 - 0.9508}{5200} \right) = 9.46 \mu A$$

$$200 I_b = 1.89 mA$$

$$2000 \cdot 200 I_b = 3.78$$

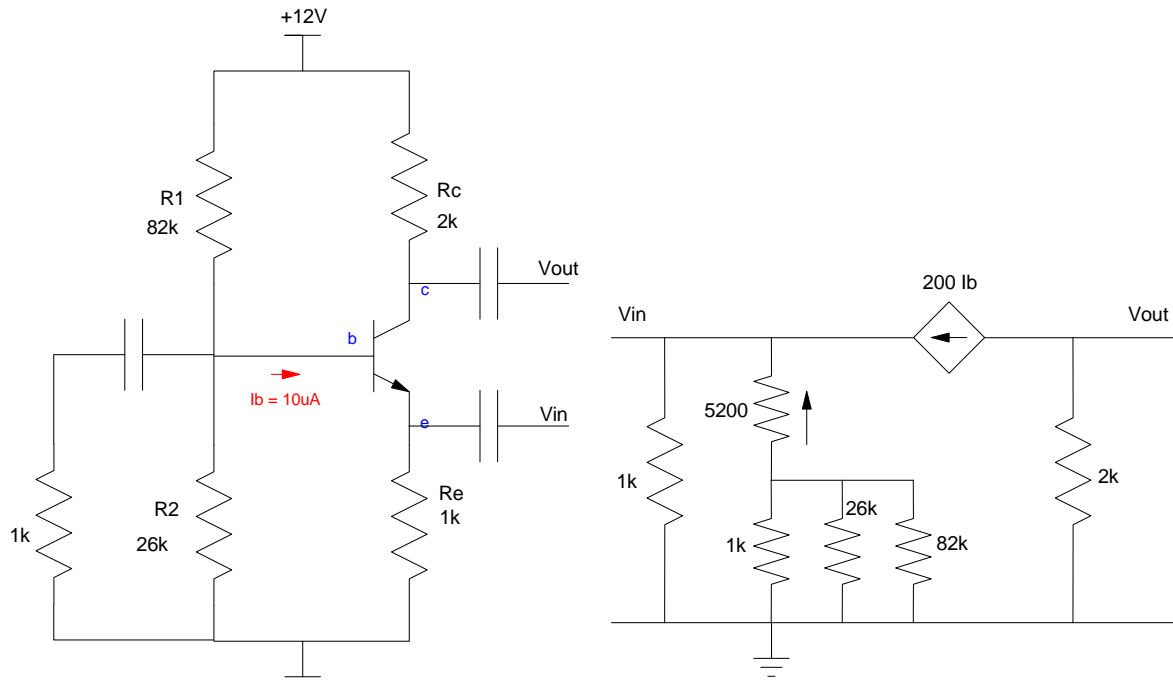
Current goes in from bottom to top, so you get a minus sign

$$A_o = -3.78$$



2) Common Base:

Draw the small signal model for the amplifier connected in a common-base configuration



Determine the 2-port model

Rin: Short Vout. Apply 1V to Vin. Compute the current

$$I_{in} = \left(\frac{1}{1k}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{5200+1k||26k||82k}\right) + 200\left(\frac{1}{5200+1k||26k||82k}\right)$$

$$I_{in} = \left(\frac{1}{1k}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{6152}\right) + \left(\frac{200}{6152}\right)$$

$$I_{in} = 33.67mA$$

$$R_{in} = \frac{1}{I_{in}} = 29.7\Omega$$

Ai: Apply 1V to the output, measure Vin

$$V_{in} = 0$$

$$A_i = 0$$

Rout: Short Vin. Measure the resistance at the output

$$\text{If } V_{in} = 0, I_b = 0$$

$$R_{out} = 2k$$

Ao: Apply 1V to the input. Compute the output voltage.

$$I_b = \left(\frac{-1}{5200+1k||26k||82k}\right)$$

$$I_b = -162.6\mu A$$

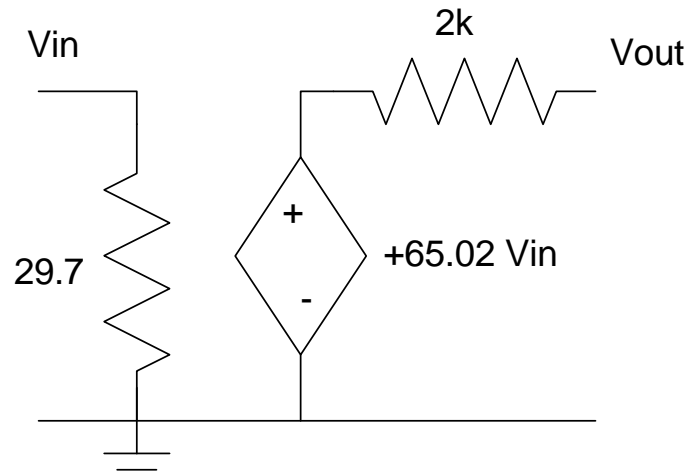
$$200I_b = -32.51mA$$

$$V_{out} = -2000I_b$$

$$V_{out} = 65.02$$

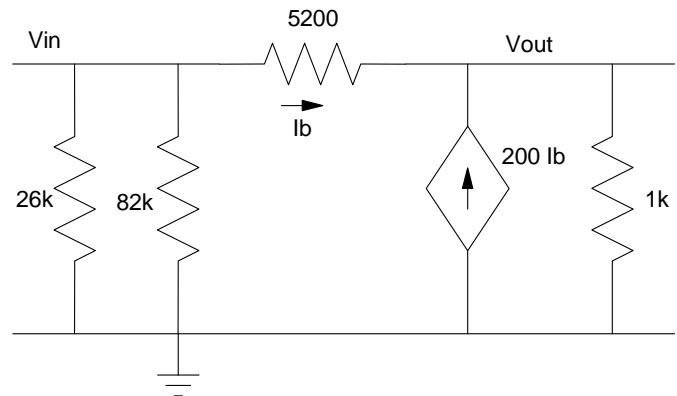
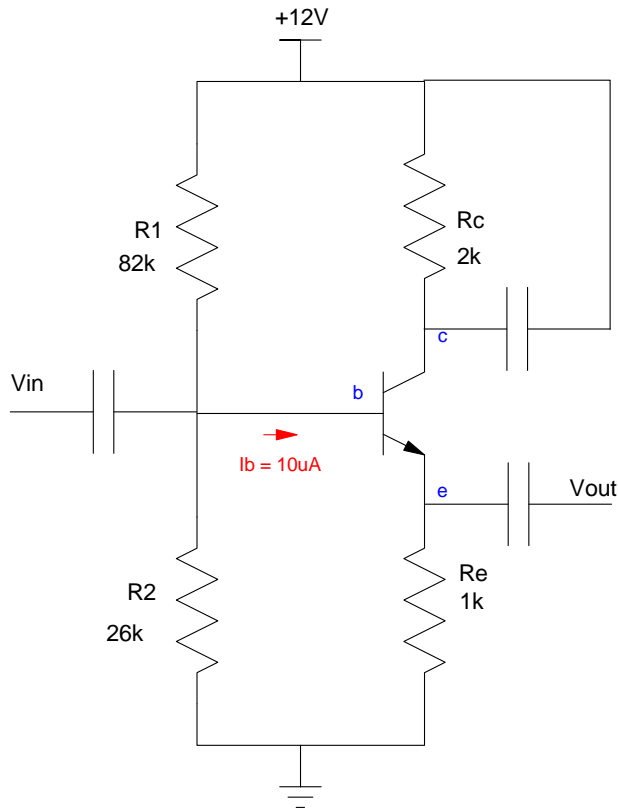
$$A_{out} = +65.02$$

The net 2-port model is then:



### 3) Common Emitter:

Draw the small signal model for the amplifier connected in a common-collector configuration



Determine the 2-port model

Rin: Short Vout. Find the resistance at the input.

$$R_{in} = 26k || 82k || 5200$$

$$R_{in} = 4116\Omega$$

Ai: Apply 1V at the output. Measure the voltage at the input

$$V_{in} = \left( \frac{26k || 82k}{26k || 82k + 5200} \right)$$

$$V_{in} = 0.7915$$

$$A_i = 0.7915$$

Rout: Short Vin. Apply 1V at Vout. Measure Iout

$$I_{out} = \left( \frac{1}{5200} \right) + 200 \left( \frac{1}{5200} \right)$$

$$I_{out} = 38.65mA$$

$$R_{out} = \frac{1}{I_{out}} = 25.87\Omega$$

Ao: Apply 1V to Vin. Measure Vout.

Write the voltage node equation at Vout:

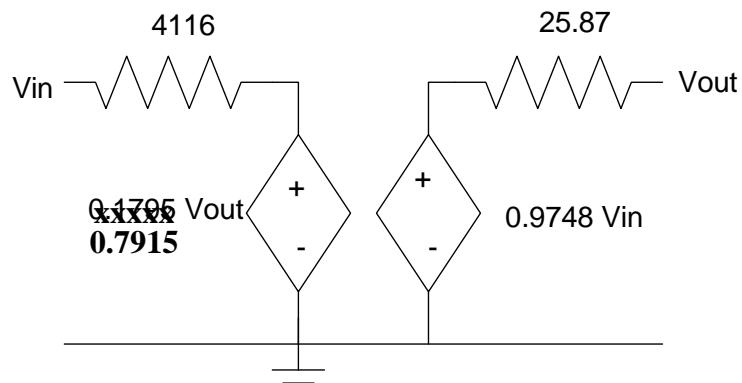
$$\left(\frac{V_{out}-1}{5200}\right) + 200\left(\frac{V_{out}-1}{5200}\right) + \left(\frac{V_{out}}{1k}\right) = 0$$

$$V_{out} = \left(\frac{\left(\frac{201}{5200}\right)}{\left(\frac{201}{5200}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{1000}\right)}\right)$$

$$V_{out} = 0.9748$$

$$A_o = 0.9748$$

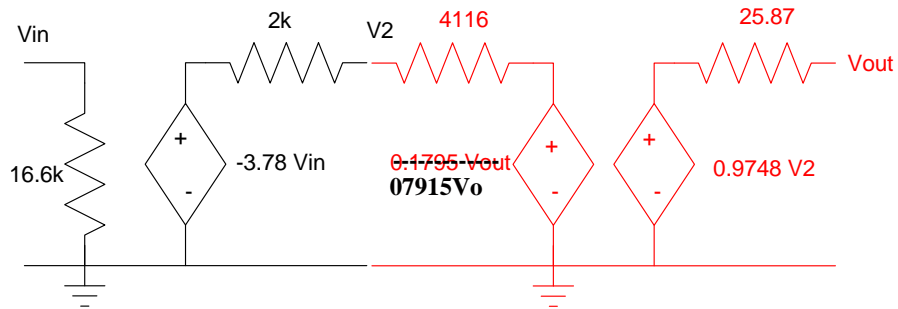
The net 2-port model is then:



4) Using your resulting 2-port models, find the 2-port model for a four-stage amplifier:

CB : CE : CE : CC

Start with a CE : CC



The 2-port model for this is...

$$R_{in} = 16.6k$$

$$A_{in} = 0$$

Rout: Short Vin. Apply 1V to Vout. Measure Iout

V2 is

$$V_2 = \left( \frac{2k}{2k+4116} \right) (0.7915) = 0.2588$$

$$0.9748V_2 = 0.2523$$

$$I_{out} = \left( \frac{1-0.2523}{25.87} \right) = 28.9mA$$

$$R_{out} = \frac{1}{I_{out}} = 34.6\Omega$$

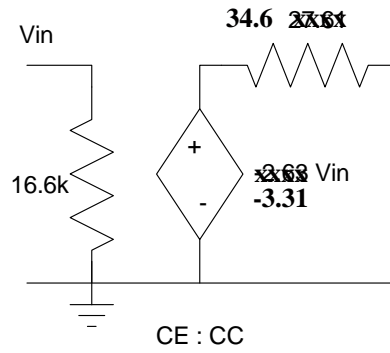
Ao: Apply 1V to Vin. Compute Vout

$$V_2 = \left( \frac{4116}{4116+2000} \right) (-3.78) + \left( \frac{2k}{2k+4116} \right) (0.7915)(0.9748V_2)$$

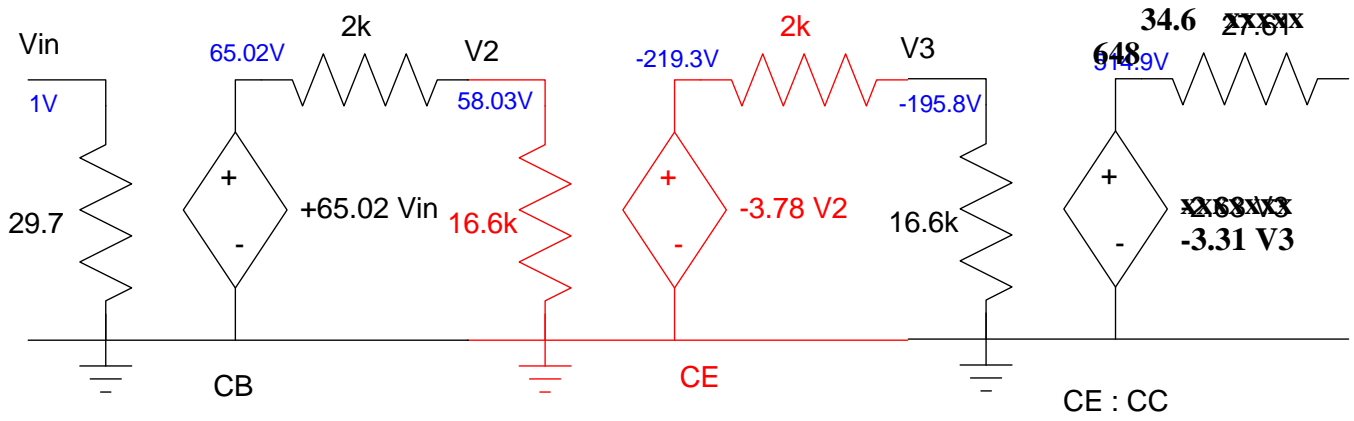
$$V_2 = -3.40$$

$$V_{out} = 0.9748V_2 = -3.31$$

So the 2-port model for a CE : CC amplifier is



Adding in the CB : CE



The net 2-port model is:

$$R_{in} = 29.7$$

$$A_{in} = 0$$

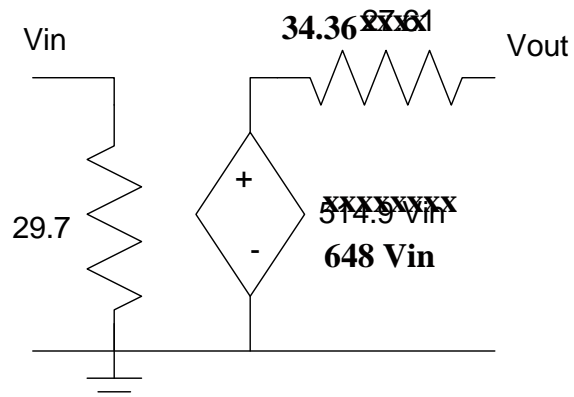
$$R_{out} = 27.61$$

Aout: Apply 1V to the input. Compute Vout

$$A_o = V_{out} = 648$$

The net 2-port model of a CB : CE : CE : CC amplifier is





5) (Lab - 20pt) Build the three-stage circuit from homework #4 and collect data in lab to verify it meets the overall requirements.