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Test 1

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Course Title : **Electronics Analysis & Design II**
Date : **1 December 2018**
Time Allowed : **2 hours**

Instructions to the candidates:

1. Write your Name and Student ID Number. Indicate your Section Number and Lecturer's Name. Write also your Table Number.
2. **Write all your answers using pen. DO NOT USE PENCIL** except for the diagram.
3. **ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. Show all calculations clearly.** Every value or parameter **must** be written with its correct **Unit**.
4. **WRITE YOUR ANSWER ON THIS QUESTION PAPER.**

NOTE: DO NOT OPEN THE QUESTION PAPER UNTIL INSTRUCTED TO DO SO.



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Question Number	Q1 (a-d)	Q2 (a)	Q2 (b)	Q3 (a)	Q3 (b)	Q4 (a-b)	Total
Marks							

BASIC FORMULA FOR TRANSISTOR

BJT

$$i_C = I_S e^{v_{BE}/V_T}; \text{nnp}$$

$$i_C = I_S e^{v_{EB}/V_T}; \text{pnp}$$

$$i_C = \alpha i_E = \beta i_B$$

$$i_E = i_B + i_C$$

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

;Small signal

$$\beta = g_m r_\pi$$

$$g_m = \frac{I_{CQ}}{V_T}$$

$$r_\pi = \frac{\beta V_T}{I_{CQ}}$$

$$r_o = \frac{V_A}{I_{CQ}}$$

$$V_T = 26 \text{ mV}$$

Quadratic formula :

$$Ax^2 + Bx + C = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad x = \frac{-B \pm \sqrt{B^2 - 4AC}}{2A}$$

MOSFET

;N – MOSFET

$$v_{DS}(\text{sat}) = v_{GS} - V_{TN}$$

$$i_D = K_n [v_{GS} - V_{TN}]^2$$

$$K_n = \frac{k'_n}{2} \cdot \frac{W}{L}$$

;P – MOSFET

$$v_{SD}(\text{sat}) = v_{SG} + V_{TP}$$

$$i_D = K_p [v_{SG} + V_{TP}]^2$$

$$K_p = \frac{k'_p}{2} \cdot \frac{W}{L}$$

;Small signal

$$g_m = 2\sqrt{K_n I_{DQ}} \quad ; \text{N - MOSFET}$$

$$g_m = 2\sqrt{K_p I_{DQ}} \quad ; \text{P - MOSFET}$$

$$r_o \cong \frac{1}{\lambda I_{DQ}}$$

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QUESTION 1 [30 marks]

For all **BJT current sources mentioned in this Question 1**, all transistors are matched and have same parameters. The transistor parameters are: $\beta = 40$, $V_{BE(\text{on})} = 0.7 \text{ V}$, and $V_A = 120 \text{ V}$. The circuit parameters for the current sources are: $V^+ = 12 \text{ V}$ and $V^- = -12 \text{ V}$.

- (a) **Design** a **Two-transistor** current source, a **Three-transistor** current source, and a **Wilson** current source such that $I_{REF} = 1.2 \text{ mA}$. **[7.5 marks]**
- (b) **Calculate** values of **output current (I_O)** and **output resistance (R_O)** for all the BJT current sources given in **part (a)**. **[13.5 marks]**
- (c) **Find the change in the output current (dI_O)** as the **output voltage** for all the BJT current sources given in **part (a)** had **changed by +2.3 V**. **[6 marks]**
- (d) Based on your calculations in **part (b)** and **part (c)**, **which current source** has the most stable I_O , **which current source** has the medium stable I_O , and **which current source** has the least stable I_O from all the BJT current sources given in **part (a)**? **Explain** clearly your answers. **[3 marks]**

Answers for Question 1

Answers for Question 1 (Continued)

QUESTION 2 [30 marks]

(a) It is required that a **PMOS current mirror** circuit is implemented using transistors M_1 and M_2 , and a resistor R_1 .

(i) **Sketch** the PMOS current mirror. **Indicate** the currents I_{REF} and I_O . [6 marks]

(ii) **Show** that the current relationships are as is **Equation 1**. [4 marks]

$$I_O = \frac{(W/L)_2}{(W/L)_1} \cdot I_{REF} \quad \text{Equation 1}$$

Answers for Question 2(a)

- (b) An NMOS cascode current source is shown in **Figure 1**. The currents are $I_{REF} = 2\text{mA}$ and $I_O = 40\ \mu\text{A}$. It is given that $K_{n1} = K_{n3} = K_{n4} = 25\ \text{mA/V}^2$. The transistor parameters are $k_n' = 0.5\text{mA/V}^2$, $V_{TN} = 0.9\ \text{V}$ and $\lambda = 0.02\ \text{V}^{-1}$.
- Find all V_{GS} voltages for the circuit. [5 marks]
 - Design the current source to produce $I_{REF} = 2\ \text{mA}$ and $I_O = 40\ \mu\text{A}$. [5 marks]
 - Find output impedance (R_O) of the cascode current source. [4 marks]
 - Calculate percent change in output current I_O if V_{D4} changes by $2.5\ \text{V}$. [4 marks]
 - If a 2-transistor current source is used instead, will the percent change in I_O increase or decrease? Justify your answer. [2 marks]

Answers for Question 2(b)

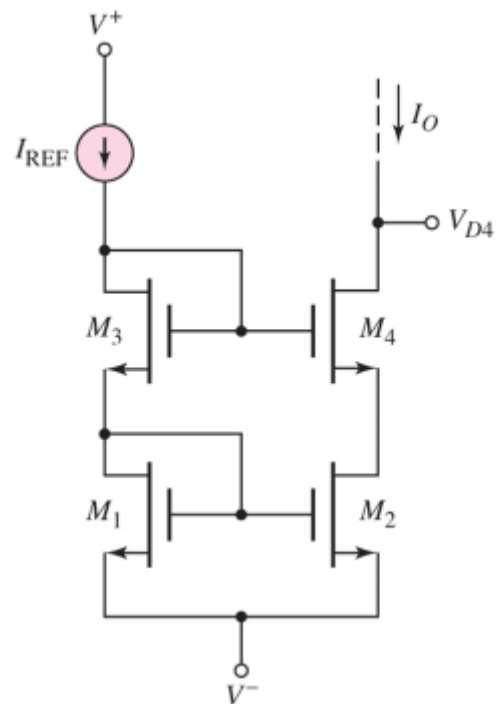


Figure 1

QUESTION 3 [20 marks]

- (a) **Draw** a complete circuit diagram for a **PNP** differential amplifier with resistive load biased by a **cascode** current source. Transistors Q_1 and Q_2 are used in the differential amplifier while transistors Q_3 until Q_6 are used in the **cascode** current source. **Label the diagram clearly**, showing all necessary currents, resistors, and **PNP** BJTs used in the circuit.

[5 marks]

Answers for Question 3(a)

- (b) **Figure 2** has the transistor parameters of $\beta = 120$, $V_{BE(\text{on})} = 0.7 \text{ V}$, $V_A = \infty$ for Q_1 and Q_2 , and $V_A = 100 \text{ V}$ for Q_3 and Q_4 . Given $R_C = 5 \text{ k}\Omega$.
- (i) Calculate R_1 such that $I_Q = 4 \text{ mA}$. [5 marks]
- (ii) Determine output of the differential amplifier, V_{O2} , if $v_1 = v_2 = v_{cm} = 0$. [5 marks]
- (iii) Determine V_{CE4} for $v_1 = v_2 = v_{cm} = 0$. [5 marks]

Answers for Question 3(b)

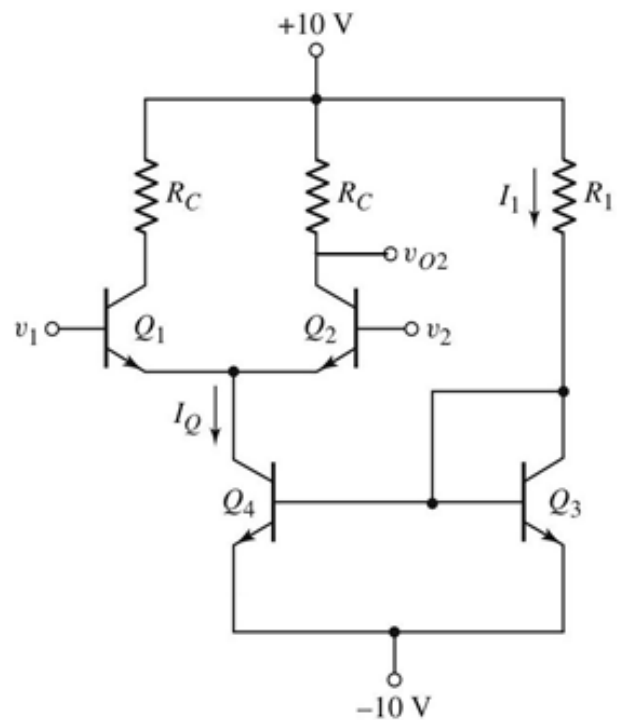


Figure 2

QUESTION 4 [20 marks]

Please refer to a **BJT** differential amplifier circuit in **Figure 3**. From small-signal analysis the expression of the output voltage at V_{C2} is shown in **Equation 2**. It is given that for the transistors $V_{BE(on)} = 0.7 \text{ V}$, $\beta = 250$, V_A for Q_1 and Q_2 is **infinity**, while for Q_3 and Q_4 , $V_A = 100 \text{ V}$. For the circuit $R_1 = 37 \text{ k}\Omega$, $R_C = 30 \text{ k}\Omega$, and $R_B = 500 \text{ }\Omega$. For the differential amplifier, **neglect the base currents**.

$$v_o = \frac{\beta R_C}{2(r_\pi + R_B)} \cdot v_d - \frac{g_m R_C}{1 + \frac{2(1 + \beta)R_O}{r_\pi + R_B}} \cdot v_{cm} \quad \text{Equation 2}$$

- (a) Find the **differential gain (A_d)**, the **common mode gain (A_{cm})**, and the **common mode rejection ratio $CMRR$ (dB)** of the circuit. [13 marks]
- (b) It is given for the inputs, $v_1 = 210 \times 10^{-6} \sin \omega t \text{ V}$ and $v_2 = 190 \times 10^{-6} \sin \omega t \text{ V}$. Calculate the output voltage v_o . [7 marks]

Answers for Question 4

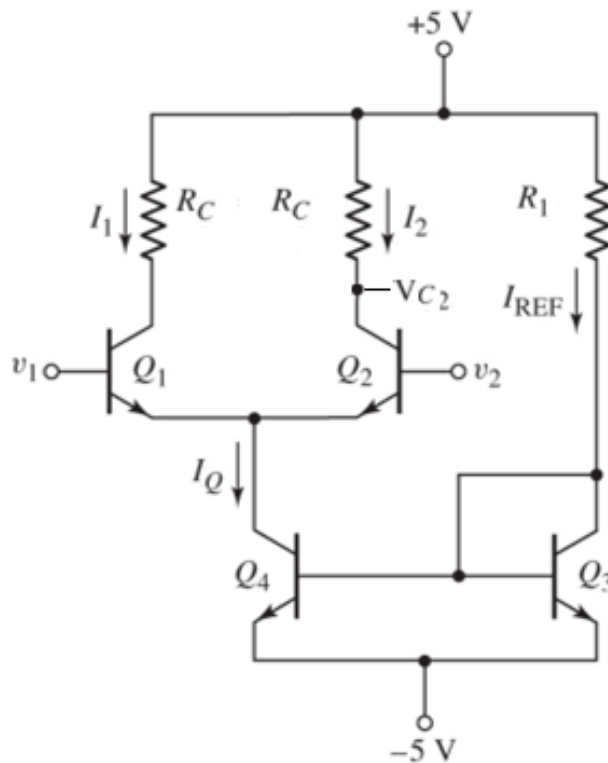


Figure 3

Answers for Question 4 (Continued)

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