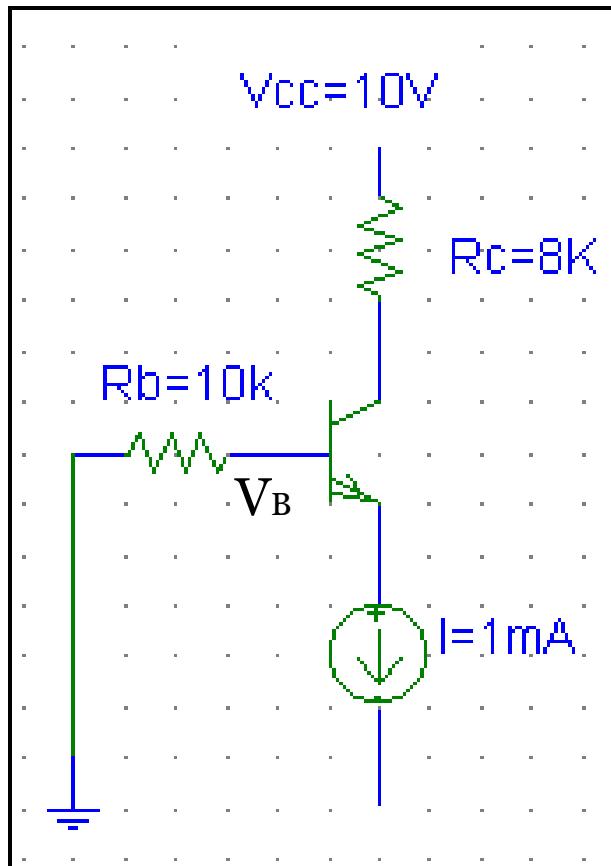


# BJT transistors



# Exercise

(a) Find  $V_C$ ,  $V_B$ , and  $V_E$ , given:  $\beta = 100$ ,  $V_A = 100V$



$$I_E = 1 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_B \approx I_E/\beta = 0.01 \text{ mA}$$

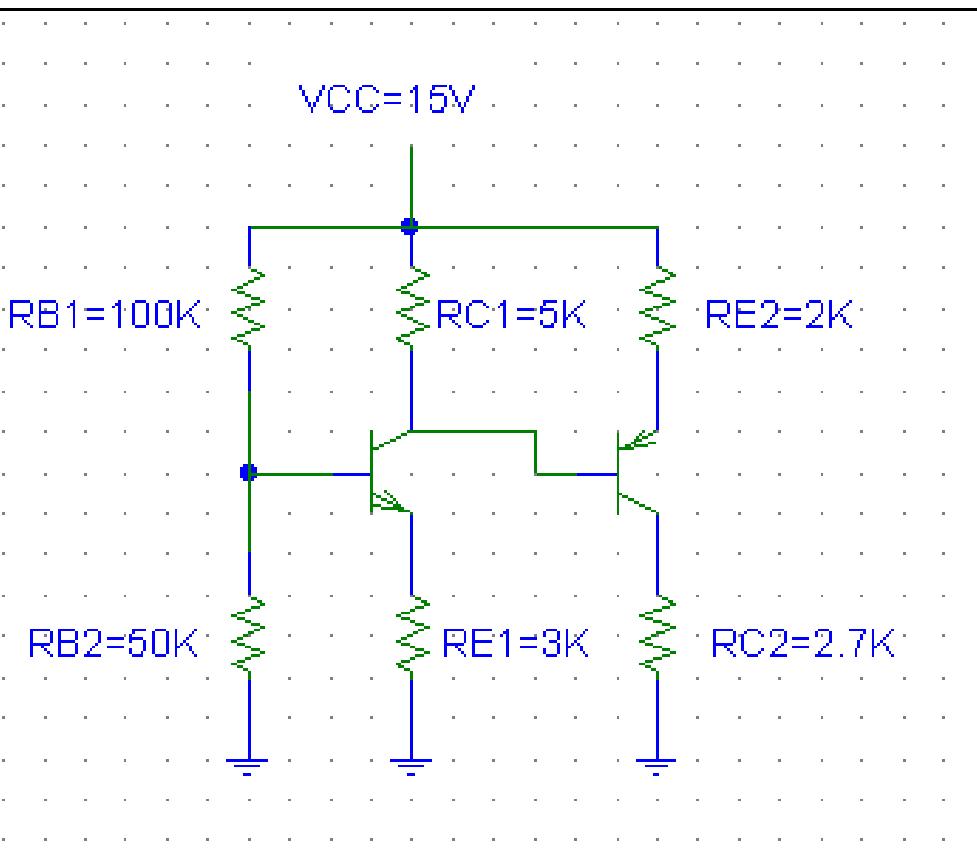
$$V_B = 0 - I_B 10\text{k} = -0.1 \text{ V}$$

$$V_E = V_B - V_{BE} = -0.1 - 0.7 = -0.8 \text{ V}$$

$$V_C = 10 \text{ V} - I_C 8\text{k} = 10 - 1(8) = 2 \text{ V}$$

# Example 1

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- 2-stage amplifier, 1st stage has an npn transistor; 2nd stage has an pnp transistor.

$$I_C = \beta I_B$$

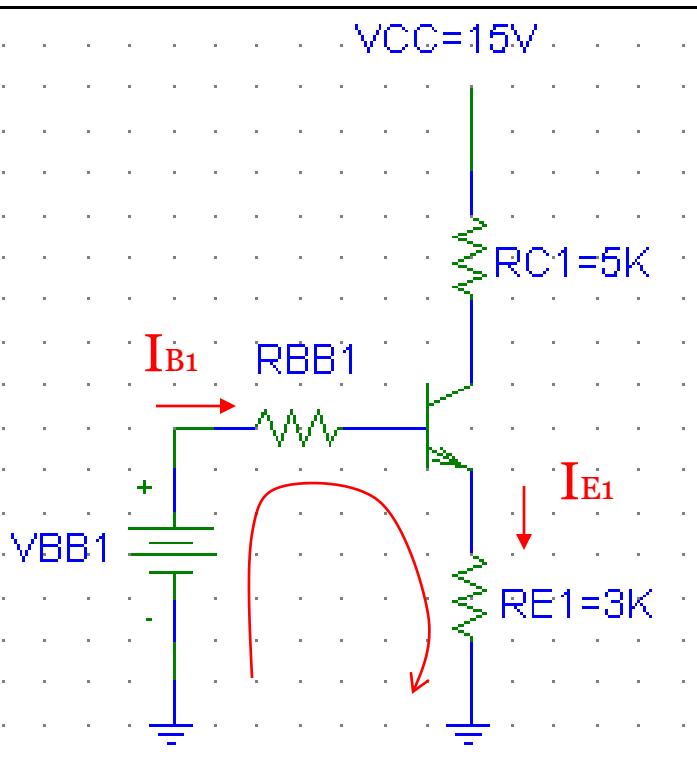
$$I_C \approx I_E$$

$$V_{BE} = 0.7(\text{npn}) = -0.7(\text{pnp})$$

$$\beta = 100$$

Find  $I_{C1}$ ,  $I_{C2}$ ,  $V_{CE1}$ ,  $V_{CE2}$

- Use Thevenin circuits.



- $R_{BB1} = R_{B1} \mid R_{B2} = 33K$
  - $V_{BB1} = V_{CC} [R_{B2}/(R_{B1}+R_{B2})]$
- $$V_{BB1} = 15[50K/150K] = 5V$$

Stage 1

- B-E loop

$$V_{BB1} = I_{B1}R_{BB1} + V_{BE} + I_{E1}R_{E1}$$

Use  $I_{B1} \approx I_{E1}/\beta$

$$5 = I_{E1}33K / 100 + .7 + I_{E1}3K$$

$$I_{E1} = 1.3mA$$

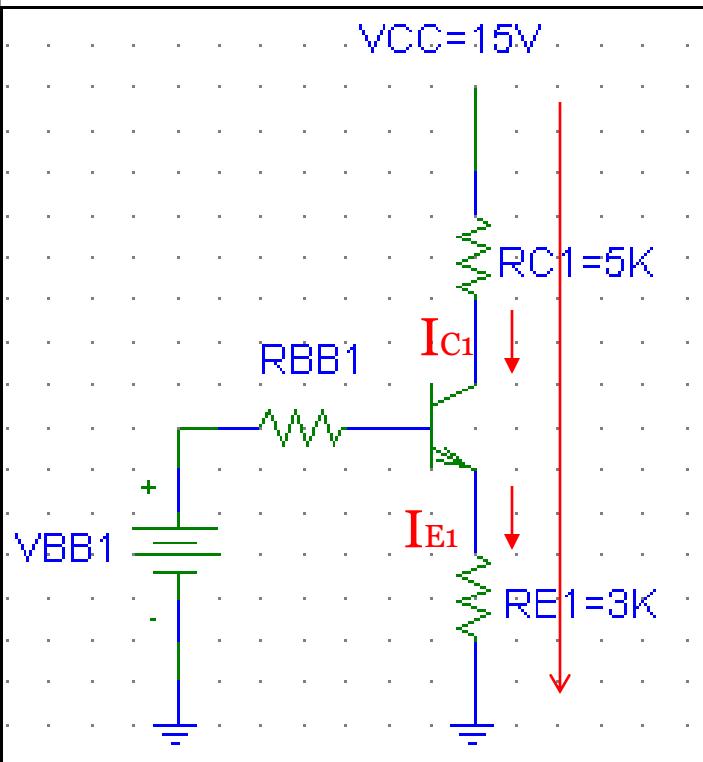
## C-E loop

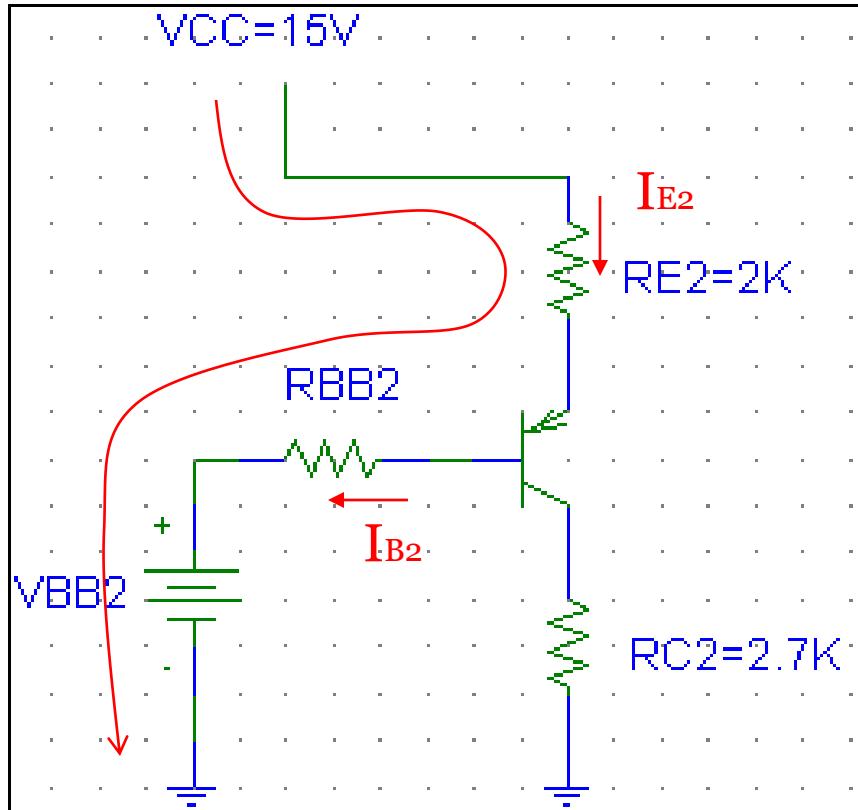
neglect  $I_{B2}$  because it is  $I_{B2} \ll I_{C1}$

$$V_{CC} = I_{C1}R_{C1} + V_{CE1} + I_{E1}R_{E1}$$

$$15 = 1.3(5) + V_{CE1} + 1.3(3)$$

$$V_{CE1} = 4.87V$$





## Stage 2

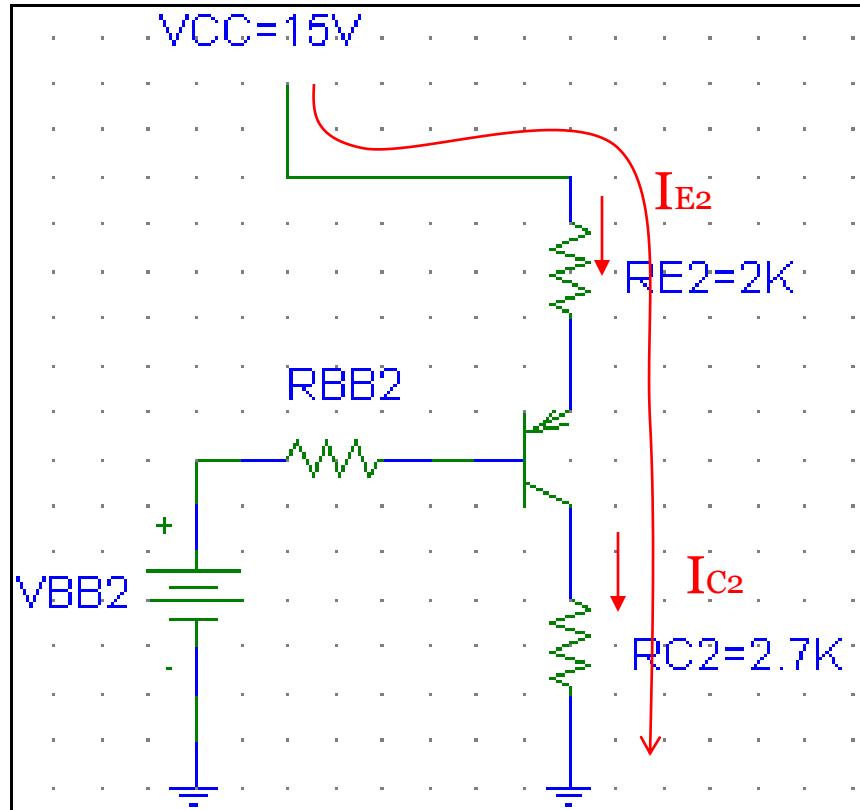
- B-E loop

$$V_{CC} = I_{E2}R_{E2} + V_{EB} + I_{B2}R_{BB2} + V_{BB2}$$

$$15 = I_{E2}(2K) + .7 + I_{B2}(5K) + 4.87 + 1.3(3)$$

Use  $I_{B2} \approx I_{E2}/\beta$ , solve for  $I_{E2}$

$$I_{E2} = 2.8mA$$



## Stage 2

- C-E loop

$$V_{CC} = I_{E2}R_{E2} + V_{EC2} + I_{C2}R_{C2}$$

$$15 = 2.8(2) + V_{EC2} + 2.8(2.7)$$

solve for  $V_{EC2}$

$$V_{CE2} = 1.84V$$