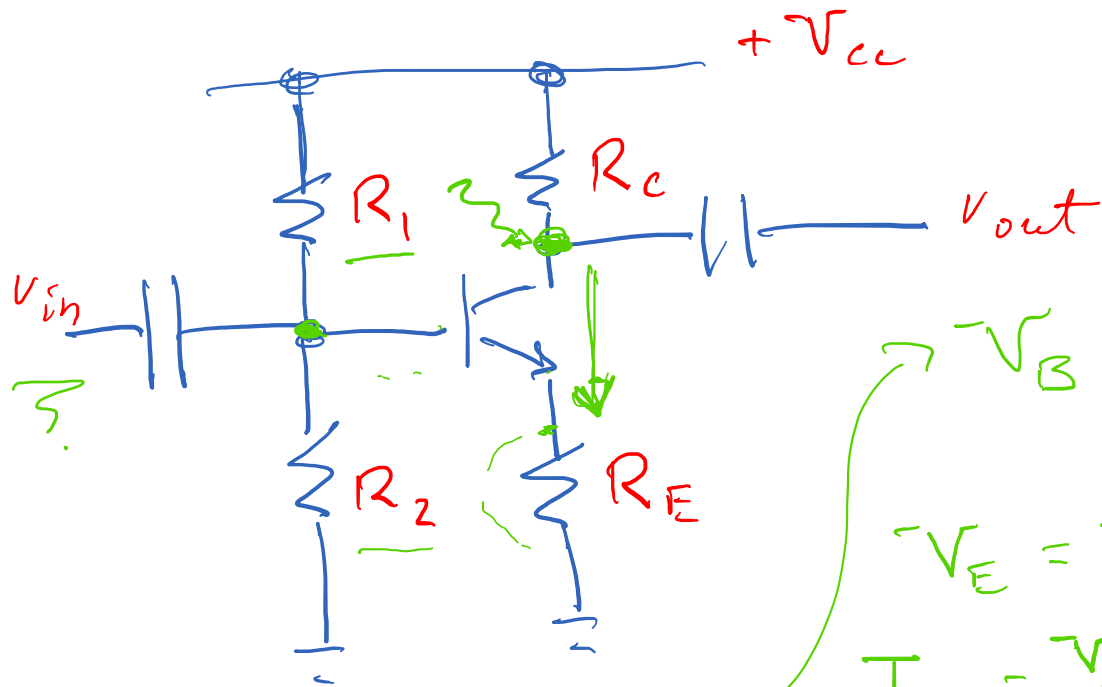


Common Emitter Amp.



$$I_C \approx \frac{V_{CC}}{2(R_E + R_C)}$$

$$R_1 \parallel R_2 \approx 0.1 \beta R_E$$

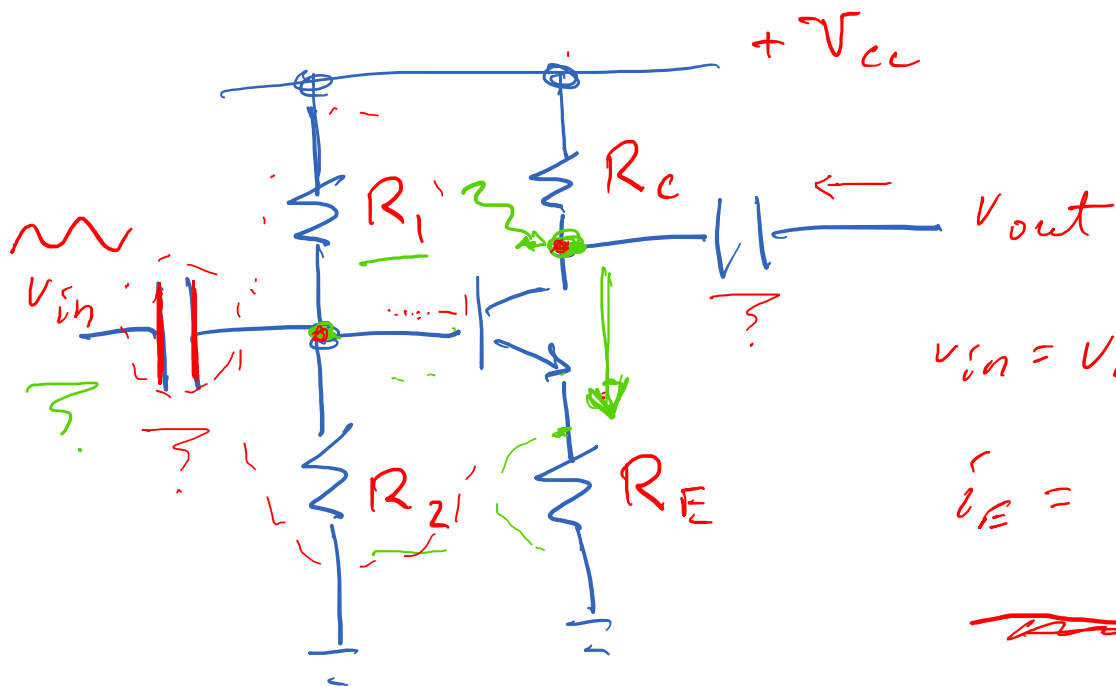
$$V_B \approx \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} V_{CC}$$

$$V_E = V_B - 0.6 \text{ V}$$

$$I_E = V_E / R_E \approx I_C$$

$$V_C = V_{CC} - I_C R_C$$

Common Emitter Amp.



VOLTAGE GAIN

$$A_v = \frac{v_{out}}{v_{in}} = -\frac{R_c}{R_E}$$

$$v_{in} = v_B = v_E$$

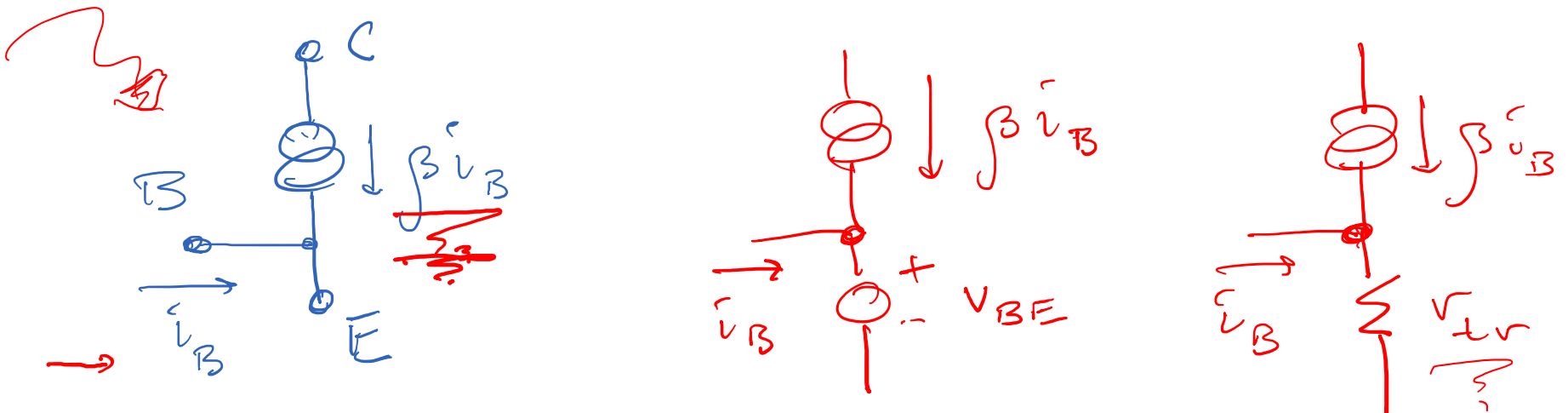
$$i_E = \frac{v_E}{R_E} \approx i_C \quad [\beta \gg 1]$$

$$v_C = -i_C R_C$$

$$v_C = v_{out} = -\frac{R_C}{R_E} \cdot v_{in}$$

$$R_1 \parallel R_2 \approx 0.1 \beta R_E$$

BIPOLAR TRANSISTOR: SMALL-SIGNAL EQUIVALENT

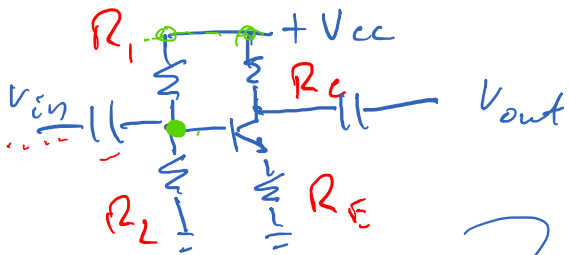


$$\frac{\partial I}{\partial V} \approx \left(\frac{k_B T}{e} \right) \frac{1}{I} \approx \left[\frac{25}{I(\text{mA})} \Omega \right]^{-1}$$

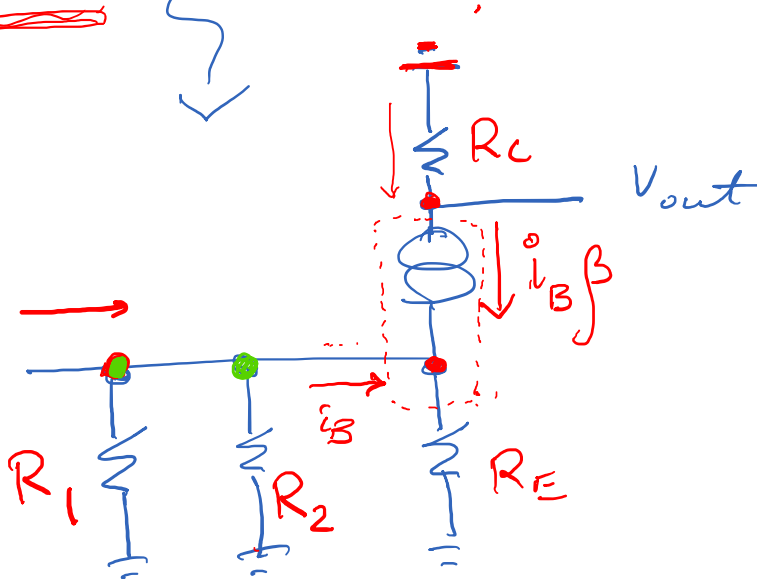
$$r_{tr} = r_{dyn} + r_{ohmic}$$

$$= \frac{25}{I(\text{mA})} \Omega \quad \sim \text{few } \Omega$$

Common Emitter Amp: Small Signal



v_{in}



1

$$R_{in} = R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel R(\text{into BASE}) = R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta R_E$$

2

$$R_{out} = R_C$$

3

$$v_{in} = v_E = (\beta + 1) i_B R_E$$

$$v_{out} = -\beta i_B R_C$$

$$A_v = \frac{v_{out}}{v_{in}} = -\frac{\beta}{\beta + 1} \frac{R_C}{R_E}$$



COMMON EMITTER AMP: DESIGN

1. CHOOSE R_C FOR DESIRED R_{out}

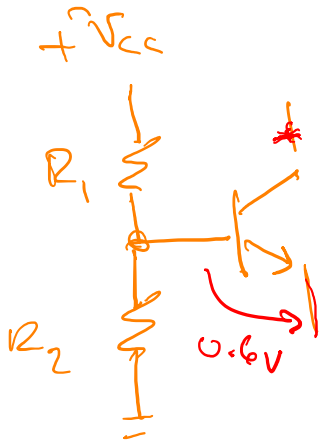
$$R_{out} = R_C$$

→ 2. CHOOSE R_E FOR DESIRED GAIN $A_v = -R_C/R_E$

3. CHOOSE R_1, R_2 SO THAT $R_1 \parallel R_2 \lesssim 0.1 \beta R_E$

ALSO, WANT

$$I_C \approx \frac{V_{CC}}{2(R_E + R_C)}$$



$$V_B = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} V_{CC}$$

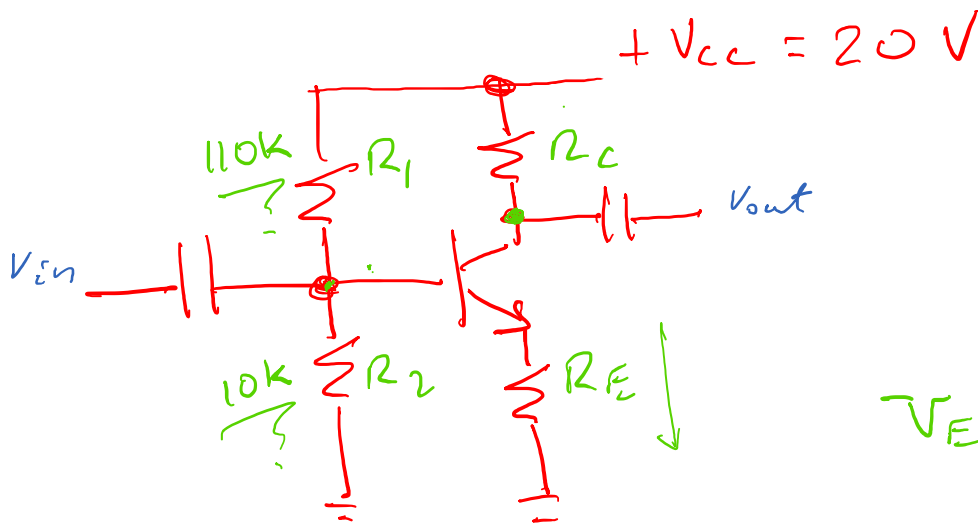
DESIGN EXAMPLE

WANT

$$R_{out} = 10k\Omega$$

$$A_v = -10$$

HAVE $V_{CC} = +20V$



① $R_c = 10k\Omega$

② $R_E = 1k\Omega$

③ $R_1 \parallel R_2 \ll 100 \cdot \frac{1k\Omega}{\beta}$

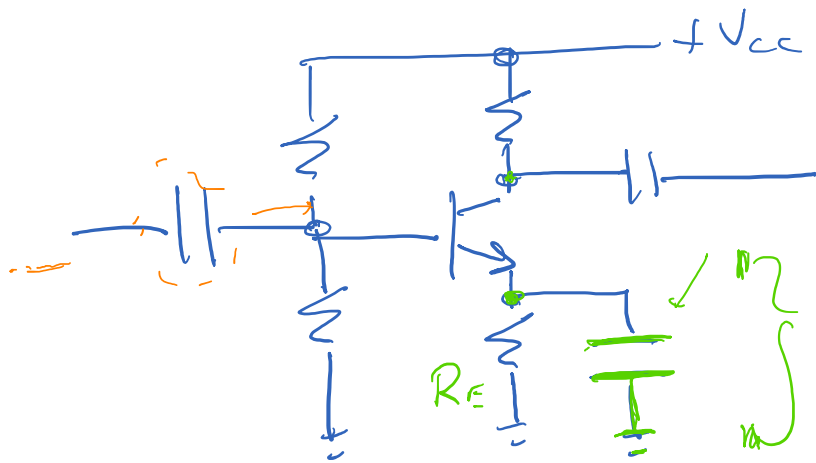
$R_1 \parallel R_2 \sim 10k\Omega$

$V_c \sim 10V$

$I_c \sim 1mA$

$V_E \sim 1V ; V_B \sim 1.6V$

BYPASS R_E TO INCREASE GAIN?

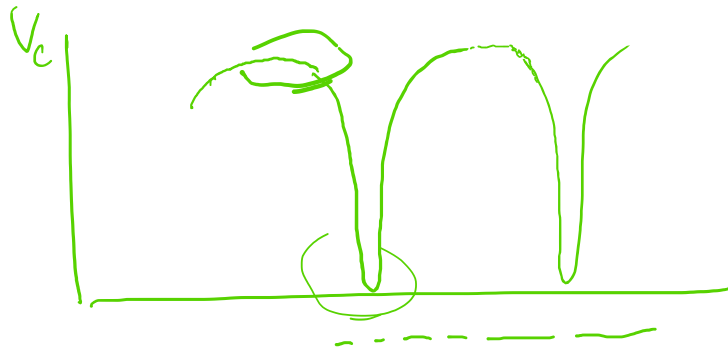


$$A_v = -\frac{R_c}{R_{E \checkmark}}$$

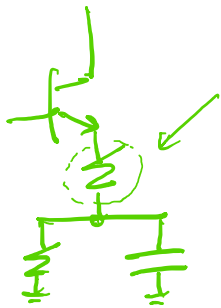
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$$v_{tr} = \frac{25 \Omega}{I_c (\text{mA})} + 2 \Omega$$

$$A_v = -\frac{R_c}{r_{tr}}$$



BETTER IS...



# EMITTER RESISTOR AS NEGATIVE FEEDBACK



$$V_{BE} = \underbrace{V_{in}} - \underbrace{I_E R_E}$$

SAMPLE OUTPUT,  
SUBTRACT FROM INPUT SIGNAL

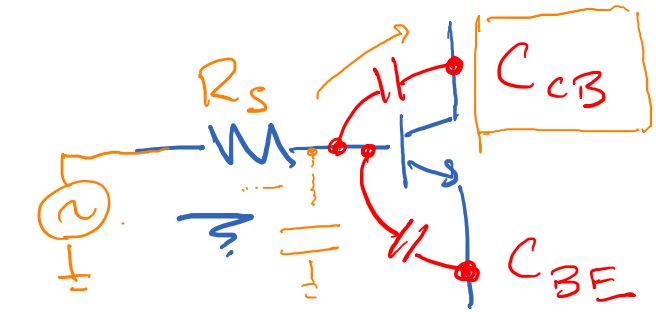
→ IMPROVED LINEARITY ←

→ INCREASED  $Z_{in}$  ←

→ REDUCED SENSITIVITY TO DETAILS OF DEVICE ←



# INPUT CAPACITANCE OF BJT



$$V_c = -|A_v|V_B$$

$$\text{RECALL, } \underline{I} = C \frac{dV}{dt}$$

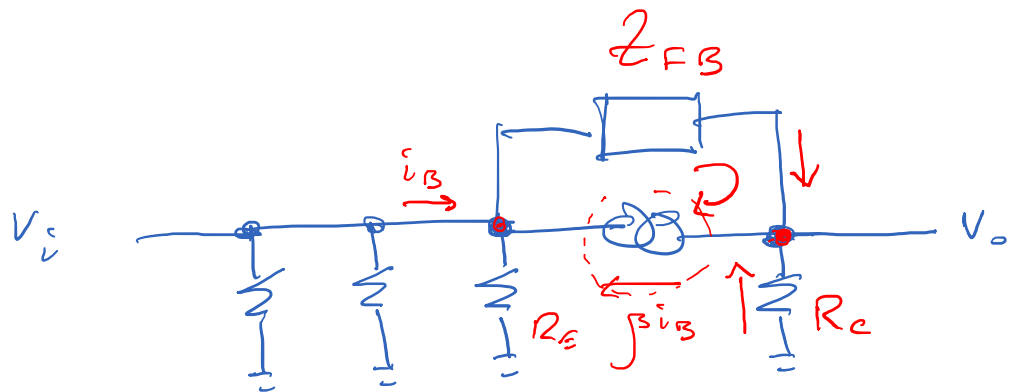
$\Rightarrow$  CURRENT THRU  $C_{CB}$  ENHANCED BY

$$\rightarrow |A_v| + 1$$

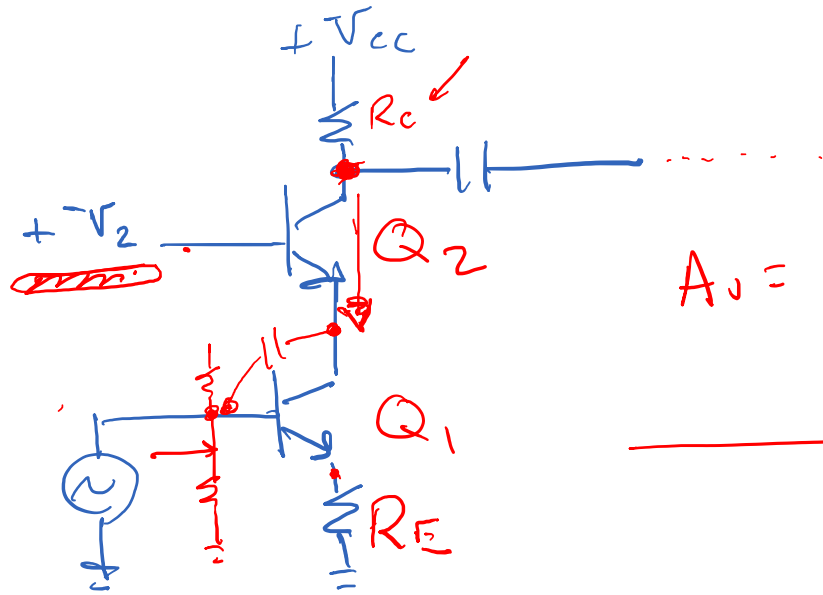
$$|V_{CB}| = (|A_v| + 1) |V_B|$$

$$\rightarrow C_{eff} = [ |A_v| + 1 ] C_{CB}$$

$\rightsquigarrow$  MILLER EFFECT



# CIRCUMVENTING MILLER



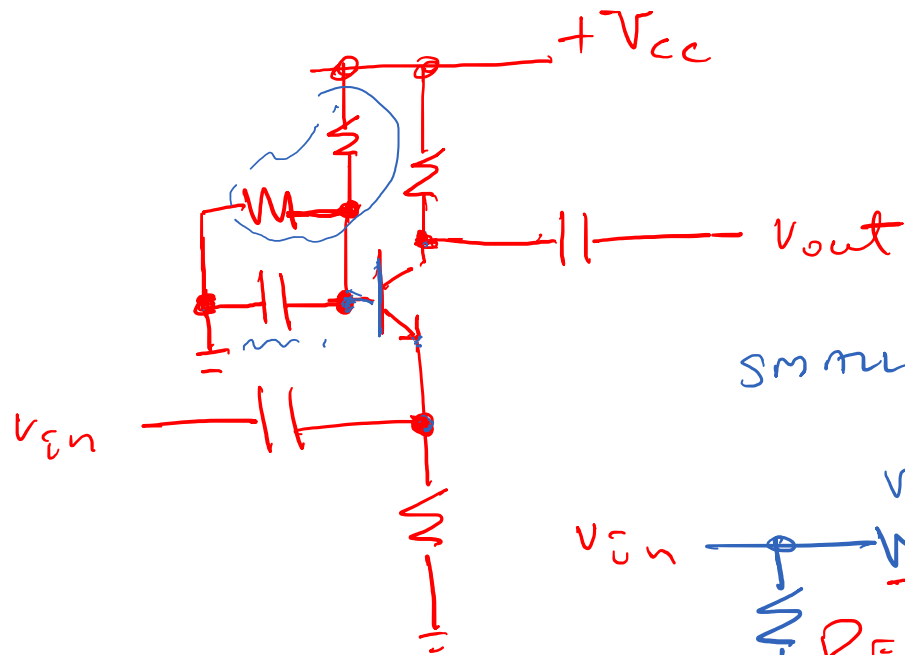
$$A_v = -\frac{R_C}{R_E}$$

CASCODE

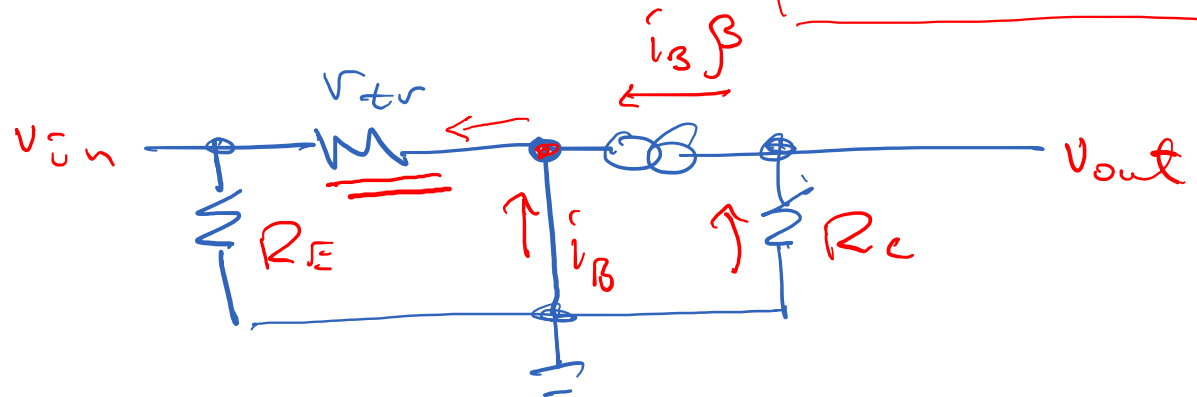


# CIRCUMVENTING MILLER :

## COMMON BASE AMPLIFIER



SMALL SIGNAL



$$V_o = -i_B \beta R_C$$

$$V_o = -i_B (\beta + 1) v_{tr}$$

$$A_v = \frac{\beta}{\beta + 1} \frac{R_C}{v_{tr}}$$