

# BJT Amplifier Spice Simulations (H.21)

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# References

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[www.allaboutcircuits.com](http://www.allaboutcircuits.com)

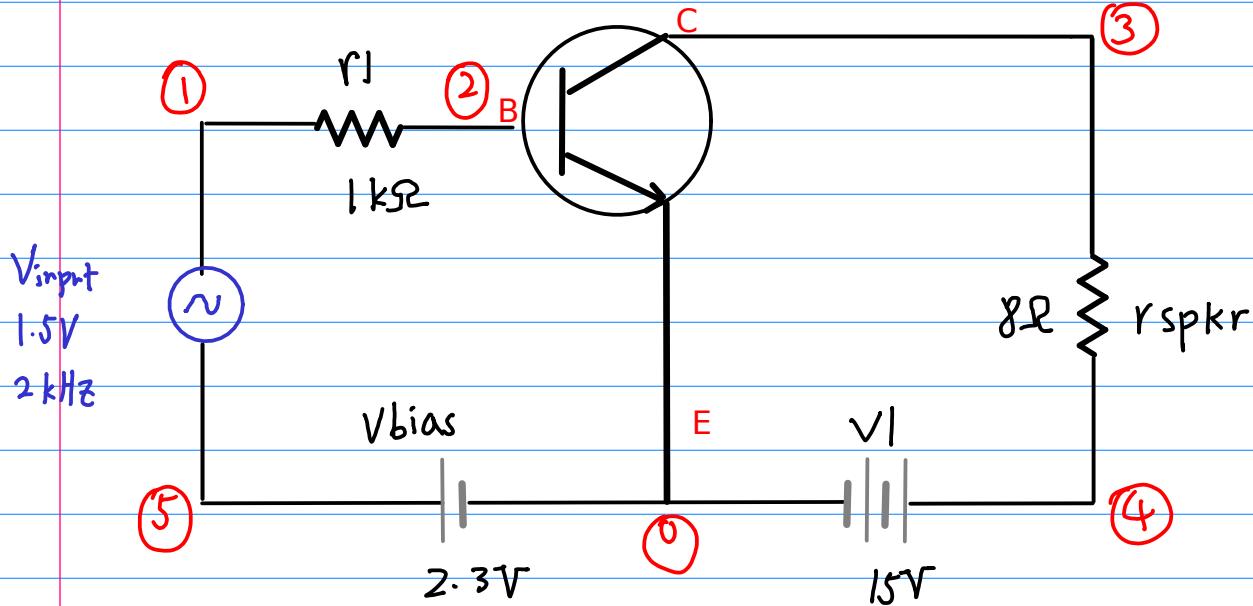
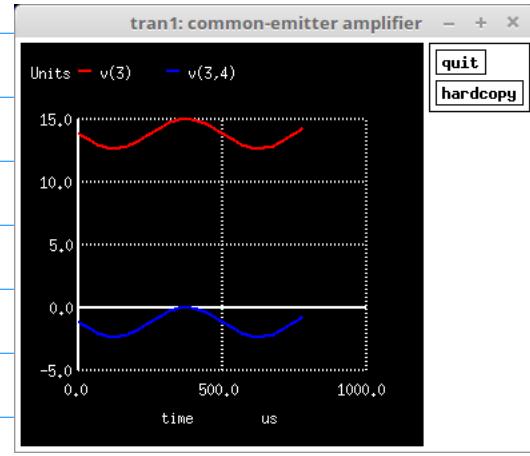
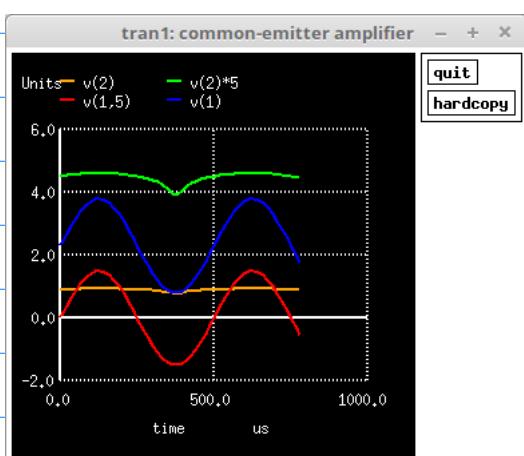
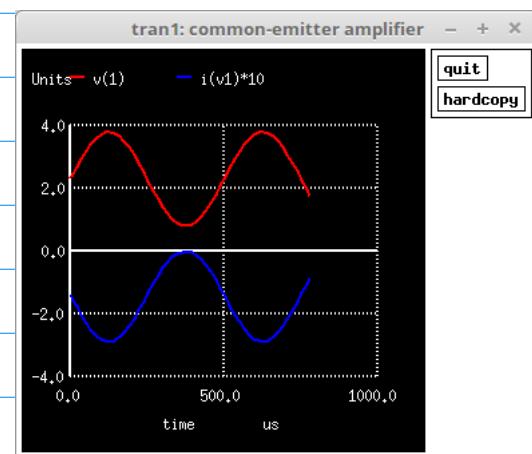
common emitter

common collector

common base

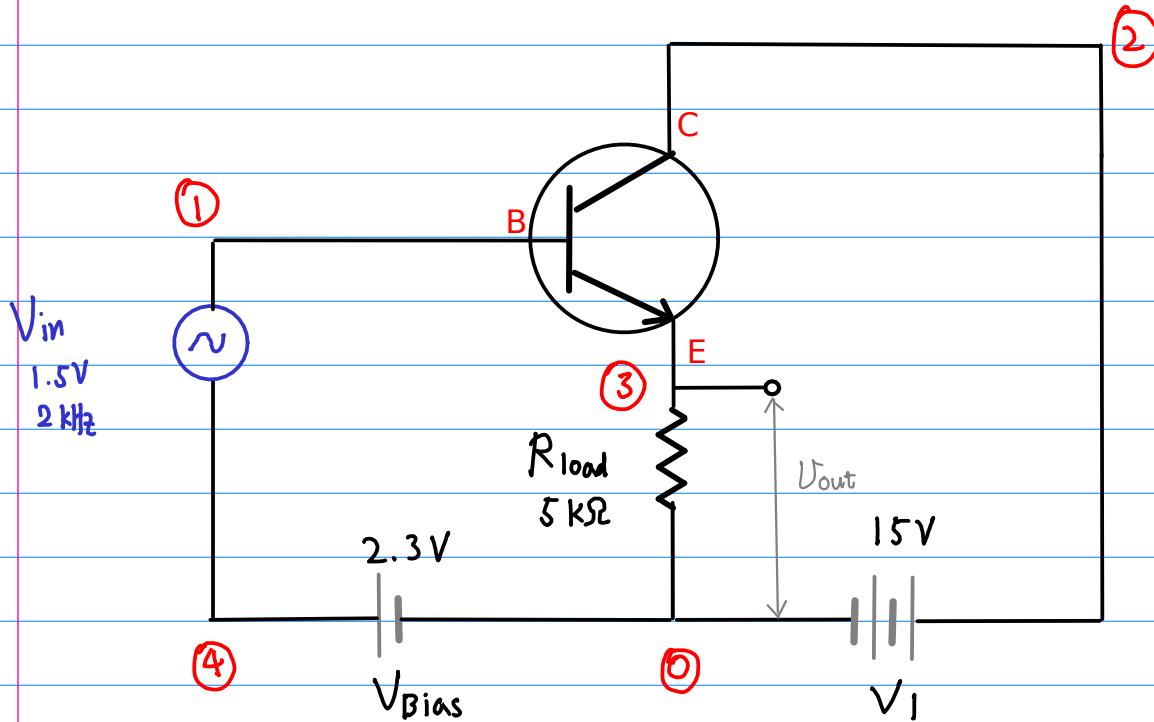
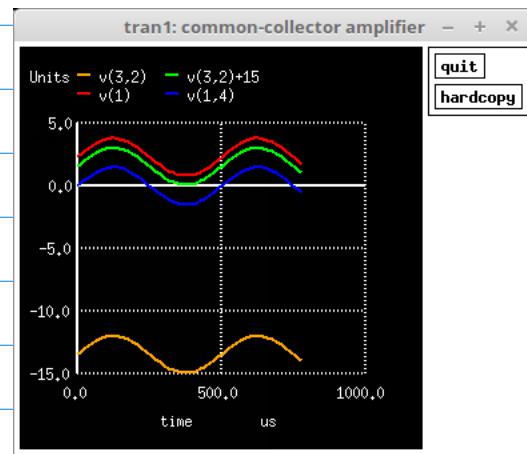
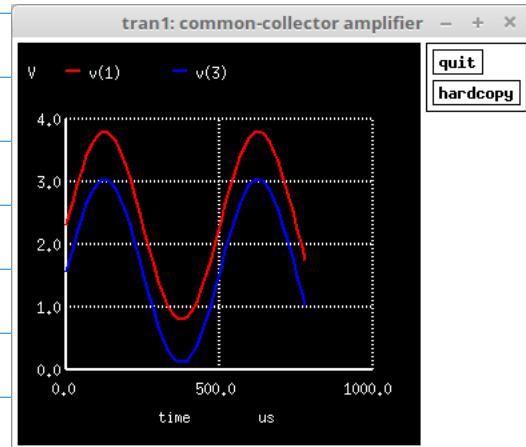
CE

common-emitter amplifier  
vinput 1 5 sin (0 1.5 2000 0 0)  
vbias 5 0 dc 2.3  
r1 1 2 1k  
q1 3 2 0 mod1  
rspkr 3 4 8  
v1 4 0 dc 15  
.model mod1 npn  
.tran 0.02m 0.78m  
.plot tran v(1) i(v1)\*10  
.end

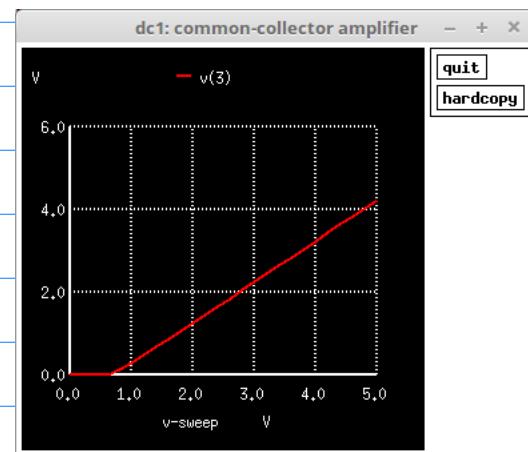


CC

common-collector amplifier  
vin 1 4 sin (0 1.5 2000 0 0)  
vbias 4 0 dc 2.3  
q1 2 1 3 mod1  
v1 2 0 dc 15  
rload 3 0 5k  
.model mod1 npn  
.tran .02m .78m  
.plot tran v(1) v(3)  
.end

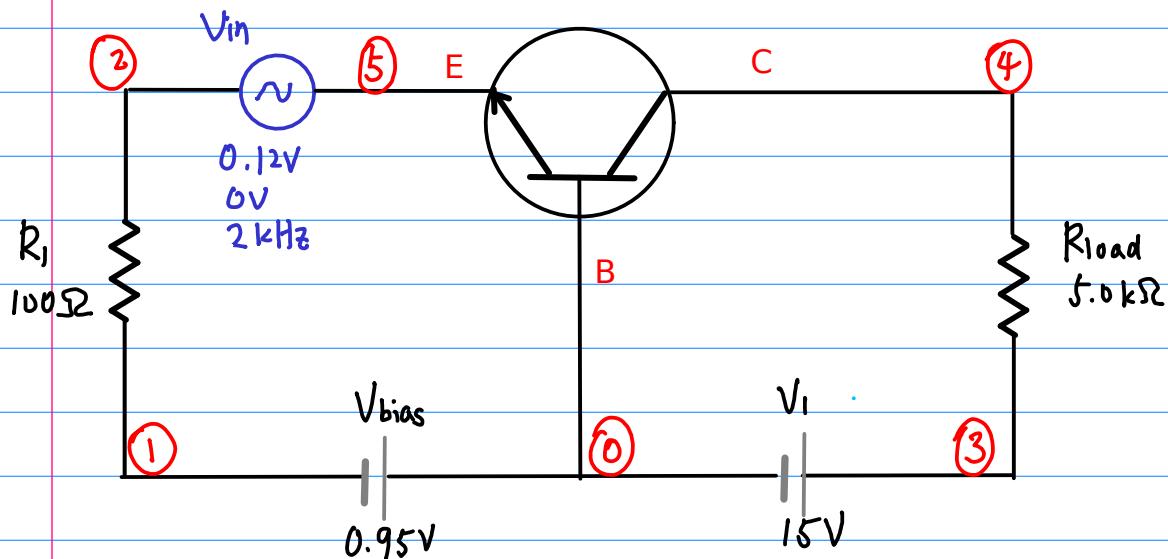
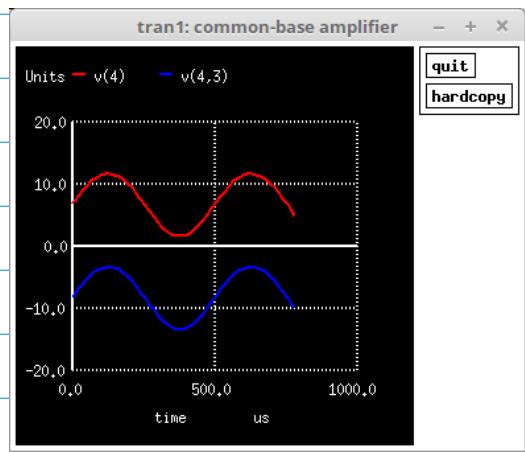
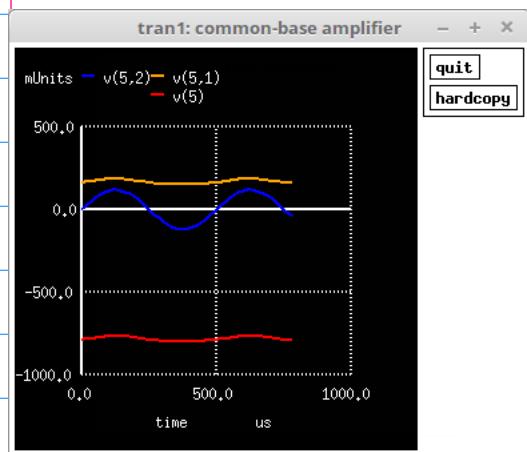
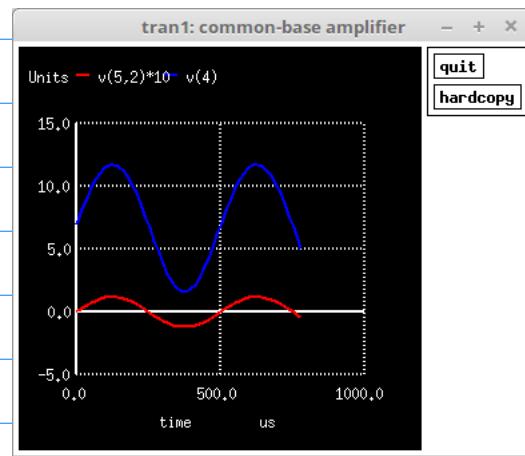


```
common-collector amplifier
vin 1 0
q1 2 1 3 mod1
v1 2 0 dc 15
rload 3 0 5k
.model mod1 npn
.dc vin 0 5 0.2
.plot dc v(3,0)
.end
```



CB

```
common-base amplifier
vin 5 2 sin (0 0.12 2000 0 0)
vbias 0 1 dc 0.95
r1 2 1 100
q1 4 0 5 mod1
v1 3 0 dc 15
rload 3 4 5k
.model mod1 npn
.tran 0.02m 0.78m
.plot tran v(5,2)*10 v(4)
.end
```



\* BJT characteristics

RB 1 2 1Meg

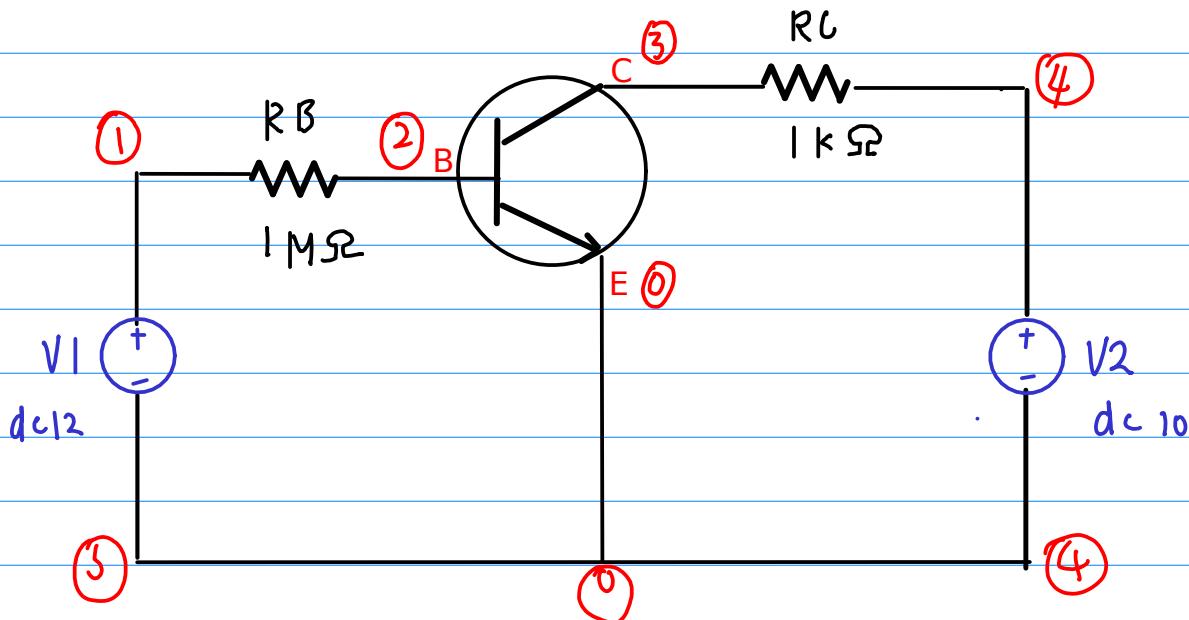
RC 4 3 1k

QBJT 3 2 0 2N3904

V1 1 0 dc 12

V2 4 0 dc 10

```
.model 2N3904 NPN(Is=6.734f Xti=3 Eg=1.11 Vaf=74.03 Bf=416.4 Ne=1.259
+     Ise=6.734f Ikf=66.78m Xtb=1.5 Br=.7371 Nc=2 Isc=0 Ikr=0 Rc=1
+     Cjc=3.638p Mjc=.3085 Vjc=.75 Fc=.5 Cje=4.493p Mje=.2593 Vje=.75
+     Tr=239.5n Tf=301.2p Itf=.4 Vtf=4 Xtf=2 Rb=10)
*     Fairchild      pid=23      case=TO92
*     88-09-08 bam creation
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```
.control  
dc V2 10 0 -0.1 V1 3.0  
run
```

```
dc V2 10 0 -0.1 V1 3.5  
run
```

```
dc V2 10 0 -0.1 V1 4.0  
run
```

```
dc V2 10 0 -0.1 V1 4.5  
run
```

```
dc V2 10 0 -0.1 V1 5.0  
run
```

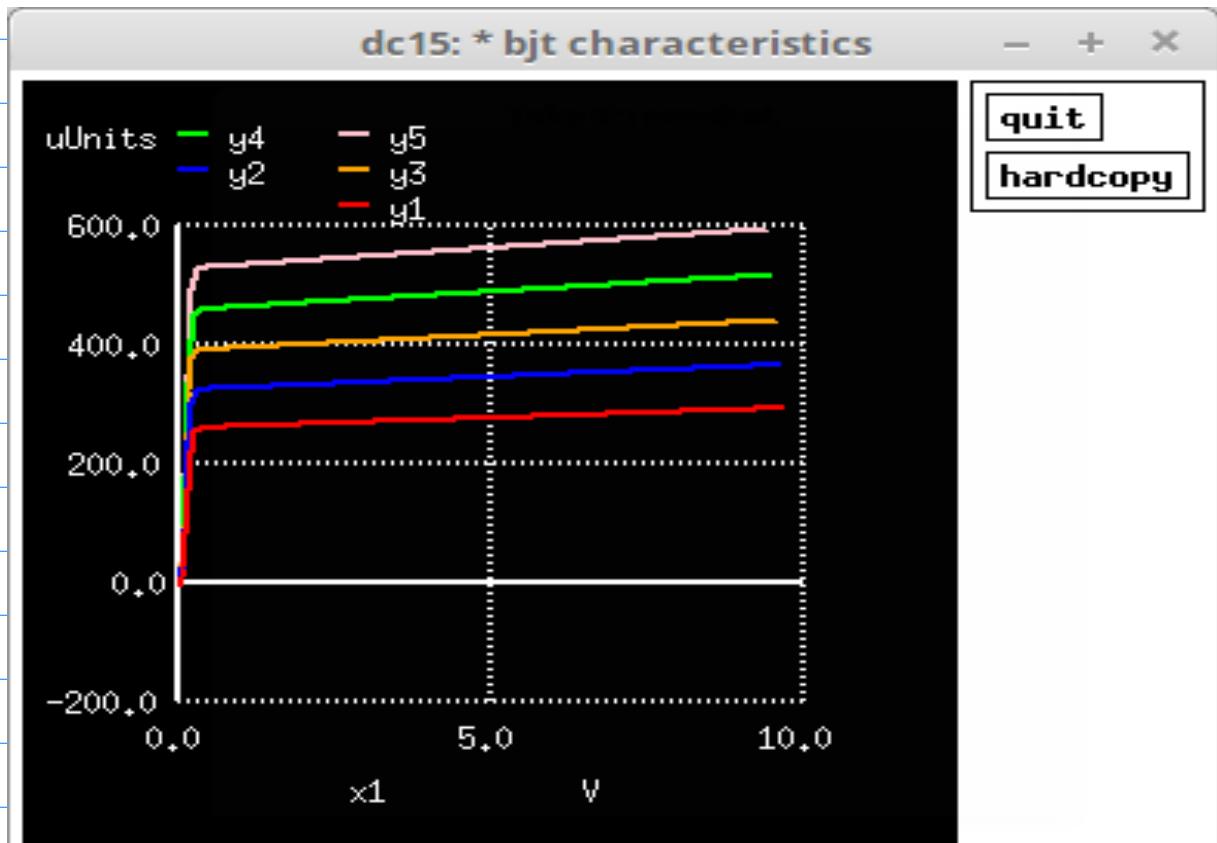
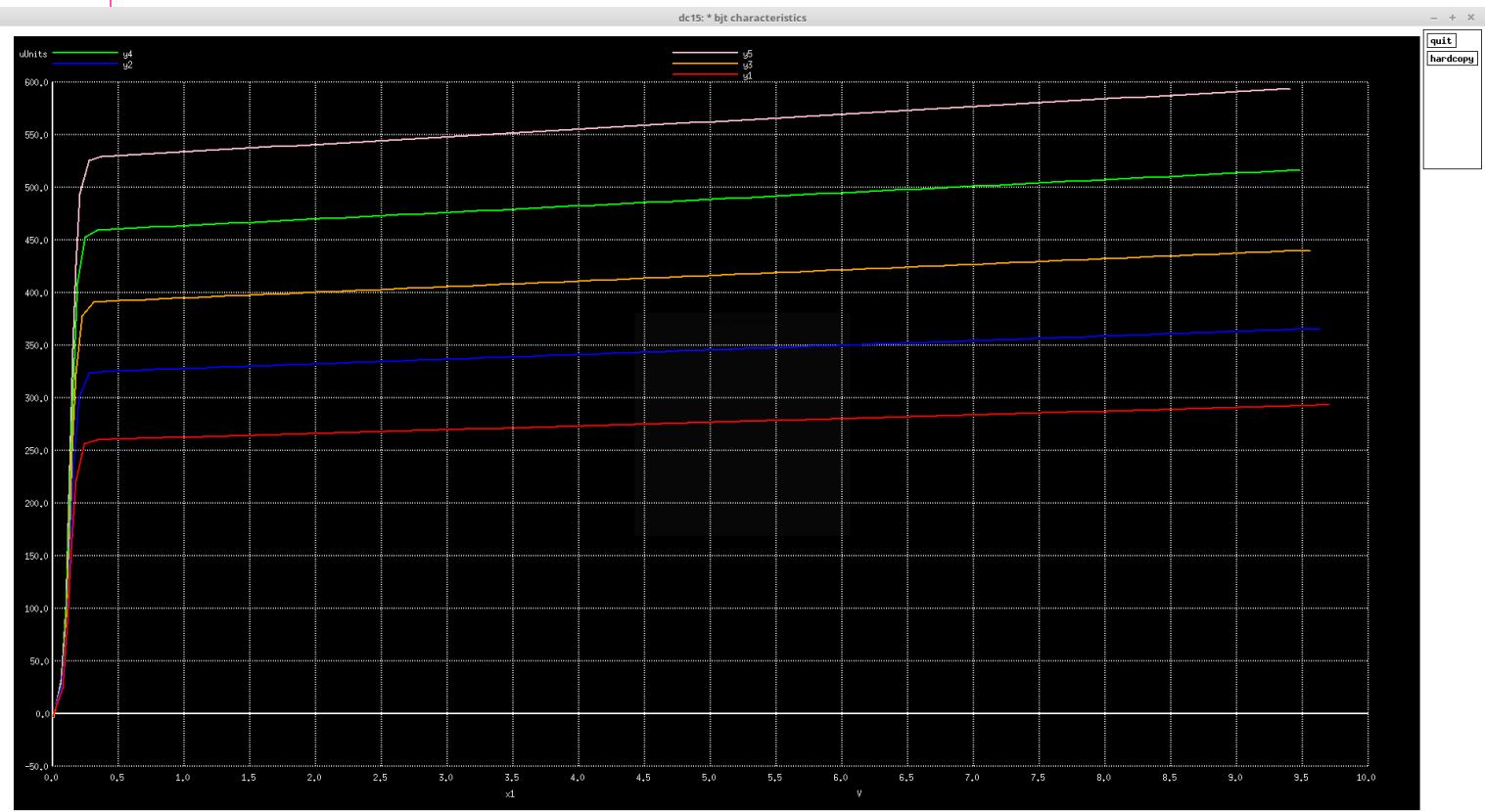
```
let y1= (dc1.v(4)-dc1.v(3))/1k  
let y2= (dc2.v(4)-dc2.v(3))/1k  
let y3= (dc3.v(4)-dc3.v(3))/1k  
let y4= (dc4.v(4)-dc4.v(3))/1k  
let y5= (v(4)-v(3))/1k
```

```
let x1= dc1.v(3)  
let x2= dc2.v(3)  
let x3= dc3.v(3)  
let x4= dc4.v(3)  
let x5= v(3)
```

```
plot y1 vs x1 y2 vs x2 y3 vs x3 y4 vs x4 y5 vs x5  
* plot y1 vs x1  
* plot y2 vs x2  
* plot y3 vs x3  
* plot y4 vs x4  
* plot y5 vs x5
```

.endc

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# CE Characteristics Curves

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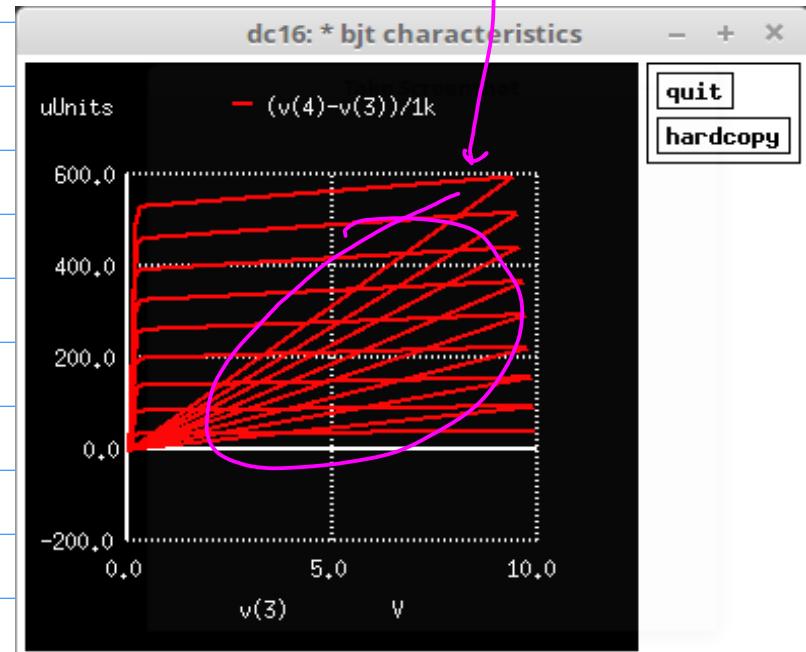
.control  
dc V2 10 0 -0.1 V1 1.0 5.0 0.5  
run

plot (v(4)-v(3))/1k vs v(3)

.endc

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may be  
different # of  
data points  
v(3)



# CC Characteristics Curves

\* BJT characteristics

RB 1 2 1Meg  
RC 4 3 1k  
QBJT 3 2 0 2N3904  
V1 1 0 dc 12  
V2 4 0 dc 10

.model 2N3904 NPN(Is=6.734f Xti=3 Eg=1.11 Vaf=74.03 Bf=416.4 Ne=1.259  
+ Ise=6.734f Ikf=66.78m Xtb=1.5 Br=.7371 Nc=2 Isc=0 Ikr=0 Rc=1  
+ Cjc=3.638p Mjc=.3085 Vjc=.75 Fc=.5 Cje=4.493p Mje=.2593 Vje=.75  
+ Tr=239.5n Tf=301.2p Itf=.4 Vtf=4 Xtf=2 Rb=10)  
\* Fairchild pid=23 case=TO92  
\* 88-09-08 bam creation

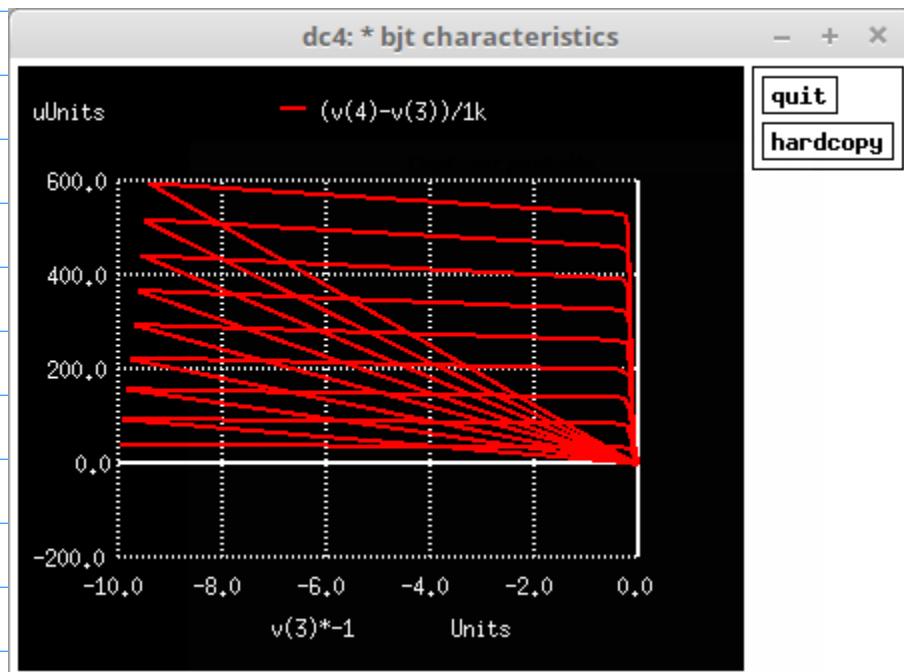
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.control  
dc V2 10 0 -0.1 V1 1.0 5.0 0.5  
run

plot (v(4)-v(3))/1k vs v(3)\*-1

.endc

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# CB Characteristics Curves

\* BJT characteristics

RB 1 2 1Meg

RC 4 3 1k

QBJT 3 2 0 2N3904

V1 1 0 dc 12

V2 4 0 dc 10

```
.model 2N3904 NPN(Is=6.734f Xti=3 Eg=1.11 Vaf=74.03 Bf=416.4 Ne=1.259
+     Ise=6.734f Ikf=66.78m Xtb=1.5 Br=.7371 Nc=2 Isc=0 Ikr=0 Rc=1
+     Cjc=3.638p Mjc=.3085 Vjc=.75 Fc=.5 Cje=4.493p Mje=.2593 Vje=.75
+     Tr=239.5n Tf=301.2p Itf=.4 Vtf=4 Xtf=2 Rb=10)
*     Fairchild      pid=23      case=TO92
*     88-09-08 bam - creation
```

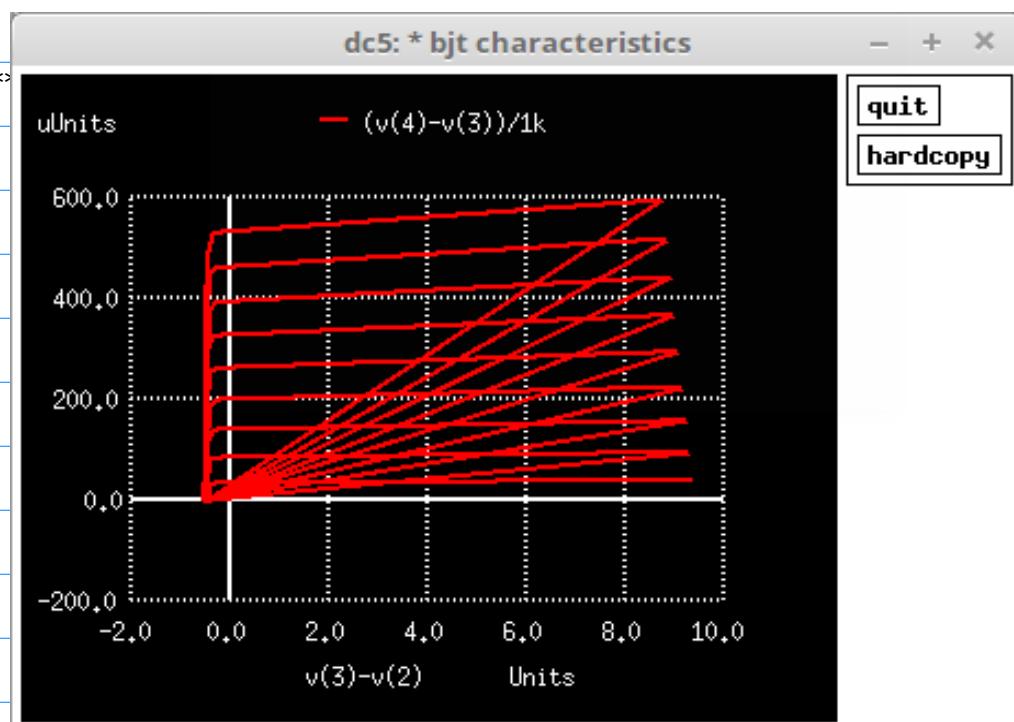
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```
.control
dc V2 10 0 -0.1 V1 1.0 5.0 0.5
run
```

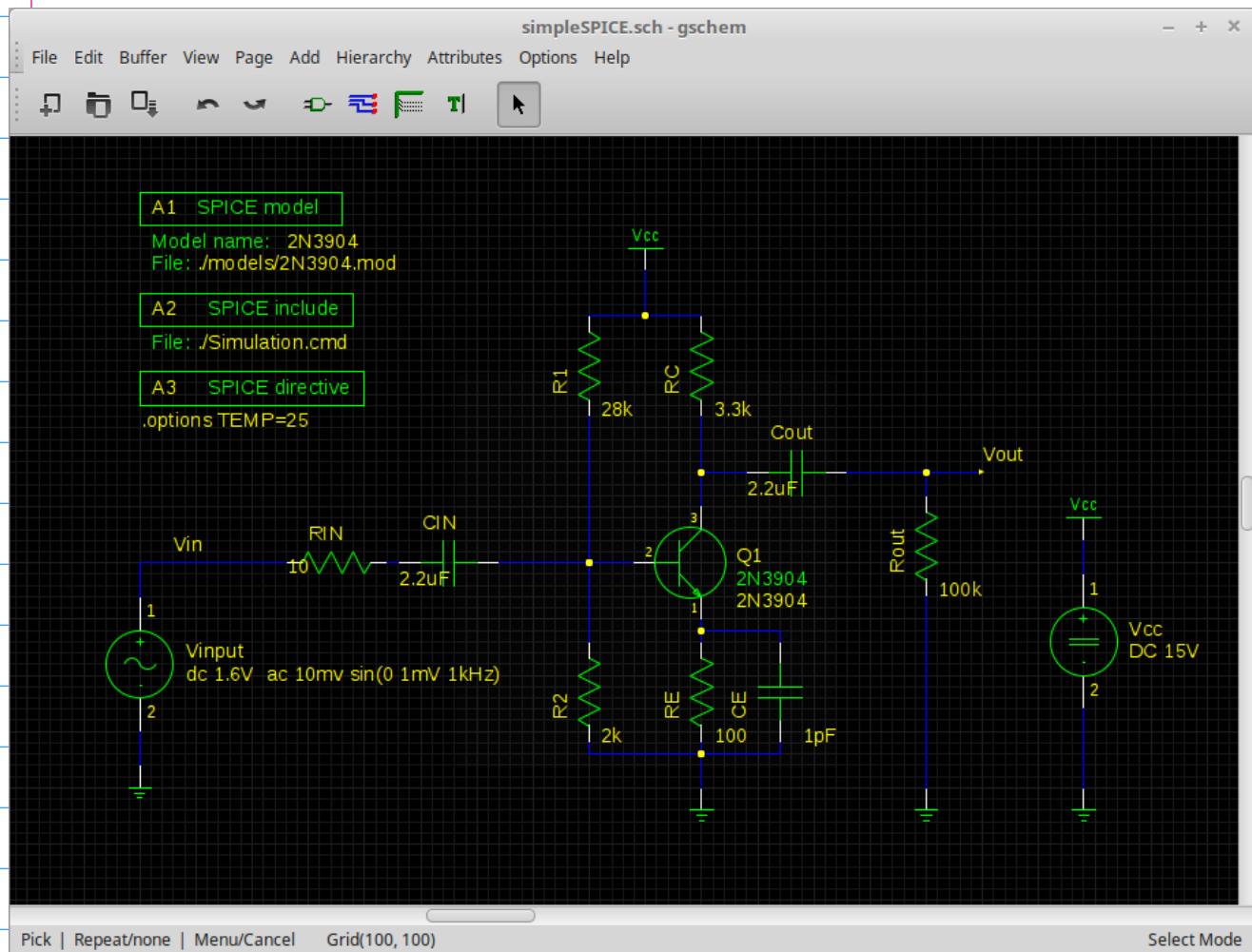
plot (v(4)-v(3))/1k vs v(3)-v(2)

.endc

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# gschem



[http://wiki.geda-project.org/geda:ngspice\\_and\\_gschem](http://wiki.geda-project.org/geda:ngspice_and_gschem)

```
gnetlist -g spice-sdb -o spice.net simpleSPICE.sch
```

```
ngspice -b spice.net > result.txt
```

```
'./Simulation.cmd'
```

```
.OP
```

```
.AC DEC 20 1Hz 100MegHz
```

```
* .DC VINPUT 0 5 .01
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```
* .DC VINPUT 1 2 .01
```

```
.plot ac v(Vout) v(Vin)
```

```
.print ac v(Vout) v(Vin)
```

```
'./models/2N3904.mod'
```

```
.model 2N3904 NPN(Is=6.734f Xti=3 Eg=1.11 Vaf=74.03 Bf=416.4 Ne=1.259
+           Ise=6.734f Ikf=66.78m Xtb=1.5 Br=.7371 Nc=2 Isc=0 Ikr=0 Rc=1
+           Cjc=3.638p Mjc=.3085 Vjc=.75 Fc=.5 Cje=4.493p Mje=.2593 Vje=.75
+           Tr=239.5n Tf=301.2p Itf=.4 Vtf=4 Xtf=2 Rb=10)
*           Fairchild      pid=23      case=TO92
*           88-09-08 bam    creation
```

```
* gnetlist -g spice-sdb -o spice.net simpleSPICE.sch
*****
* Spice file generated by gnetlist *
* spice-sdb version 4.28.2007 by SDB -- *
* provides advanced spice netlisting capability. *
* Documentation at http://www.brorson.com/gEDA/SPICE/ *
*****
*vvvvvvvvv Included SPICE model from ./models/2N3904.mod vvvvvvvv
.model 2N3904 NPN(Is=6.734f Xti=3 Eg=1.11 Vaf=74.03 Bf=416.4 Ne=1.259
+ Ise=6.734f Ikf=66.78m Xtb=1.5 Br=.7371 Nc=2 Isc=0 Ikr=0 Rc=1
+ Cjc=3.638p Mjc=.3085 Vjc=.75 Fc=.5 Cje=4.493p Mje=.2593 Vje=.75
+ Tr=239.5n Tf=301.2p Itf=.4 Vtf=4 Xtf=2 Rb=10)
* Fairchild pid=23 case=TO92
* 88-09-08 bam creation
*^^^^^^^ End of included SPICE model from ./models/2N3904.mod ^^^^^^
*
*===== Begin SPICE netlist of main design =====
Vcc Vcc 0 DC 15V
Vin Vin 0 dc 1.6V ac 10mv sin(0 1mV 1kHz)
.options TEMP=25
.INCLUDE ./Simulation.cmd
Q1 3 1 2 2N3904
CE 0 2 1pF
Cout 3 Vout 2.2uF
CIN 4 1 2.2uF
RIN Vin 4 10
Rout 0 Vout 100k
RC 3 Vcc 3.3k
RE 0 2 100
R2 0 1 2k
R1 1 Vcc 28k
.end
```

Circuit: \* gnetlist -g spice-sdb -o spice.net simplespice.sch

Doing analysis at TEMP = 25.000000 and TNOM = 27.000000

No. of Data Rows : 161

No. of Data Rows : 1

Node	Voltage
V(4)	1.600000e+00
vout	0.000000e+00
V(2)	2.735815e-01
V(1)	9.675157e-01
V(3)	6.029239e+00
vin	1.600000e+00
vcc	1.500000e+01

Source Current

vcc#branch	-3.21957e-03
vin#branch	0.000000e+00

BJT models (Bipolar Junction Transistor)

model 2n3904

Capacitor models (Fixed capacitor)

Resistor models (Simple linear resistor)

BJT: Bipolar Junction Transistor

Capacitor: Fixed capacitor

Resistor: Simple linear resistor

Resistor: Simple linear resistor

Vsource: Independent voltage source

```
* gnetlist -g spice-sdb -o spice.net simplespice.sch
AC Analysis Sat Aug 12 22:41:43 2017
```

Legend: + = v(vout) \* = v(vin)

```
frequency v(vout) -3.00e-01 -2.00e-01 -1.00e-01 0.00e+00 1.00e-01
frequency v(vout) -3.00e-01 -2.00e-01 -1.00e-01 0.00e+00 1.00e-01
^L
frequency v(vout) -3.00e-01 -2.00e-01 -1.00e-01 0.00e+00 1.00e-01
frequency v(vout) -3.00e-01 -2.00e-01 -1.00e-01 0.00e+00 1.00e-01
^L
frequency v(vout) -3.00e-01 -2.00e-01 -1.00e-01 0.00e+00 1.00e-01
frequency v(vout) -3.00e-01 -2.00e-01 -1.00e-01 0.00e+00 1.00e-01
frequency v(vout) -3.00e-01 -2.00e-01 -1.00e-01 0.00e+00 1.00e-01
```

```
* gnetlist -g spice-sdb -o spice.net simplespice.sch
AC Analysis Sat Aug 12 22:41:43 2017
```

Index frequency v(vout)

Index frequency v(vout)

Index frequency v(vout)

160 1.000000e+08 4.637889e-03, 6.081329e-02
^L

```
* gnetlist -g spice-sdb -o spice.net simplespice.sch
AC Analysis Sat Aug 12 22:41:43 2017
```

Index frequency v(vin)

Index frequency v(vin)

Index frequency v(vin)

CPU time since last call: 0.020 seconds.

Total CPU time: 0.020 seconds.

Total DRAM available = 7961.742188 MB.

DRAM currently available = 5046.386719 MB.

Total ngspice program size = 14.780273 MB.

Resident set size = 1.942383 MB.

Shared ngspice pages = 1.708008 MB.

Text (code) pages = 1.333008 MB.

Stack = 0 bytes.

Library pages = 411.000 kB.