



- Vacuum Tubes, BJT or FET?
- Circuit Analysis: Amplifier & Feedback
- Classic BJT Circuits
- Arduino Intro

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 Neamen, Donald: Microelectronics Circuit Analysis and Design, 3rd Edition

Vacuum Tubes



Linear without feedback
 Characteristics independent
 of temperature
 Wider dynamic range

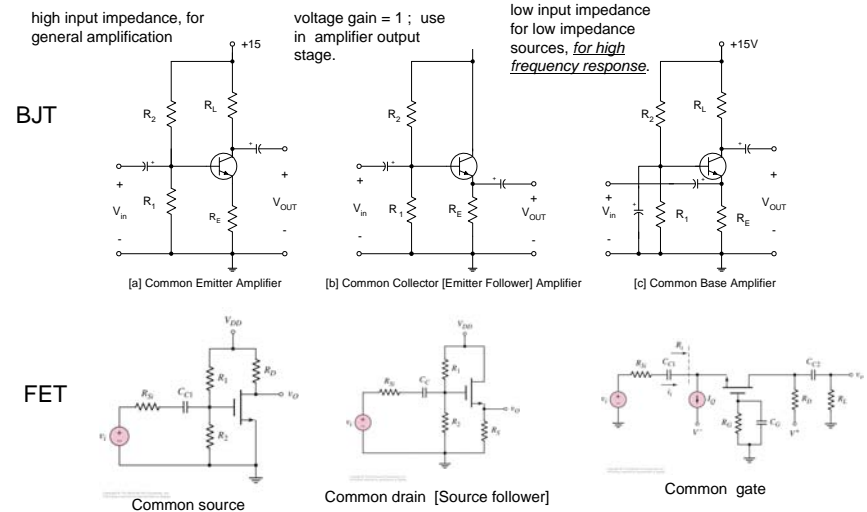
- NY Times
 - “Guitar heroes favor vacuum tube amplifiers in their instruments”
 - “Many recording engineers tend to use vacuum-tube equipment in their studios”
 - “Some listeners pay thousands of dollars for high-end tube-based stereo systems and CD players.”

BJT or FET

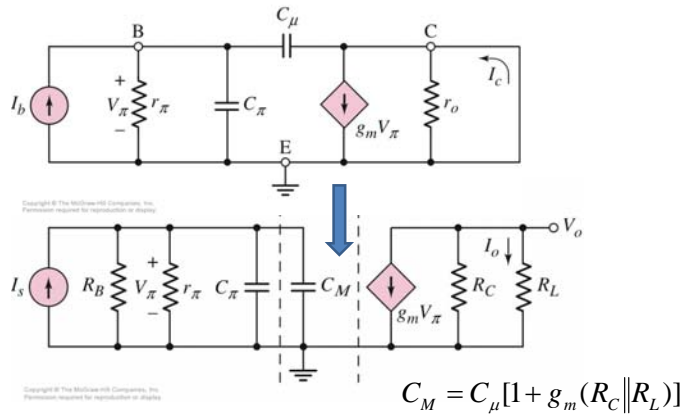
- Depends on application
- Amplifiers
 - BJT
 - are more linear than MOSFET, better fidelity (low harmonic distortion)
 - can drive low impedances at higher power
 - lower noise with low source impedance
 - Operate at < 2 V
 - MOSFET
 - high input impedance
 - Voltage controlled device => lower power

Transistor Configurations

TRANSISTOR AMPLIFIER CONFIGURATIONS

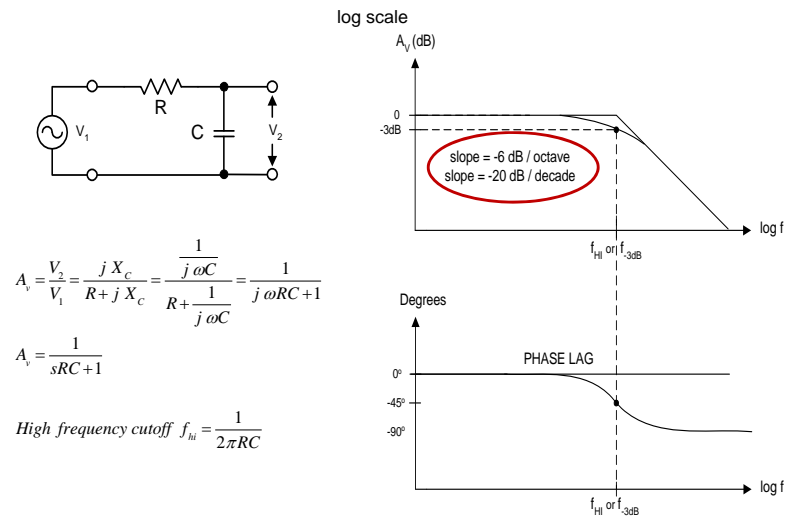


Miller Effect* – Common Emitter



* Agarwal & Lang Foundations of Analog & Digital Electronics Circuits p 861

Input Impedance and Frequency Response

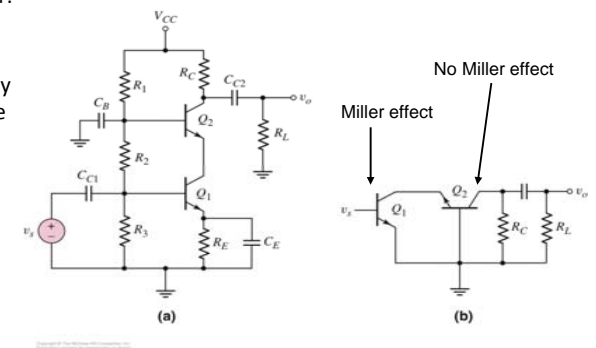


Low Frequency Hybrid- π Equation Chart

| Characteristic | Common Emitter | CE with R_E | CC [E. Follower] | Common Base |
|----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|
| Voltage Gain [if $r_o \gg R_L$] | $A_v = -g_m R_L$ | $A_v \approx -\frac{R_L}{R_E}$ | $A_v \approx 1$ | $A_v = \frac{\beta_o R_L}{r_\pi // R_B + (\beta_o + 1)R_E}$ |
| Current Gain | β_o | β_o | $\beta_o + 1$ | $\frac{\beta_o}{\beta_o + 1}$ |
| Input Impedance | $r_\pi // R_B$ | $[r_\pi + (\beta_o + 1)R_E] // R_B$ | $[r_\pi + (\beta_o + 1)R_E] // R_B$ | $\frac{r_\pi}{\beta_o + 1}$ |
| Output Impedance | R_L [if $r_o \gg R_L$] | R_L [if $r_o \gg R_L$] | $\left[\frac{(r_\pi + R_E // R_B)}{\beta_o + 1} \right] // R_E$ | R_L [if $r_o \gg R_L$] |
| Phase Reversal? | Yes | Yes | No | No |
| | High gain applications Moderate input resistance High output resistance | Unity gain, low output resistance High input resist. | High gain, better high frequency response Low input resistance | |

Cascode Amplifier

- Two transistor amplifier: common emitter (CE) with a common base
- Miller effect avoided by setting gain of CE stage low.
- CE stage provides high input impedance
- Common base (CB) provides gain without Miller effect; base is grounded.

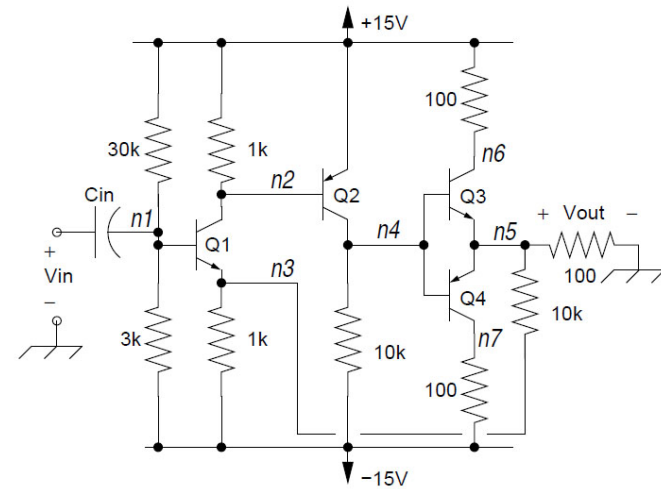


Neamen p445

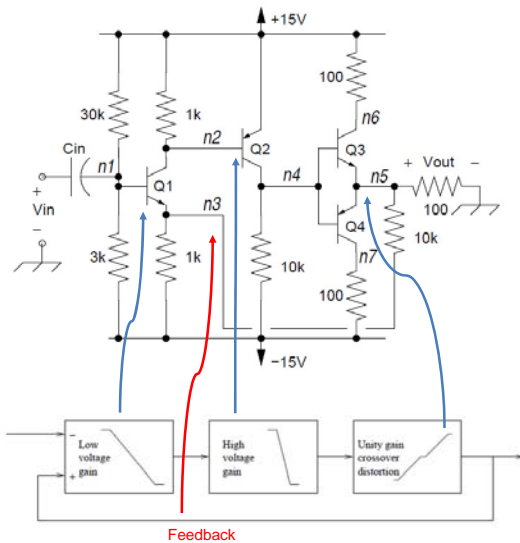
Objectives

- Perform an analysis into the behavior of a complicated circuit using basic properties of BJT's (nnp, pnp)
- Calculate gain of the system
- Discuss crossover distortion issues in push-pull amplifiers
- Understand feedback

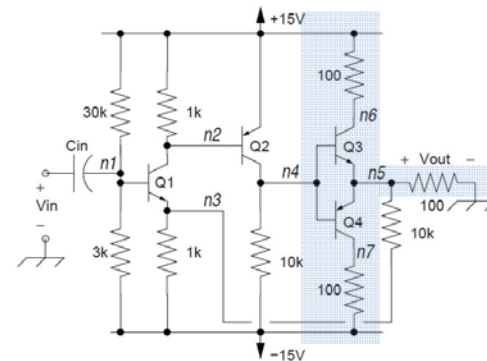
Three Stage – Push Pull Amplifier



Three Stage Amplifier – Block Diagram

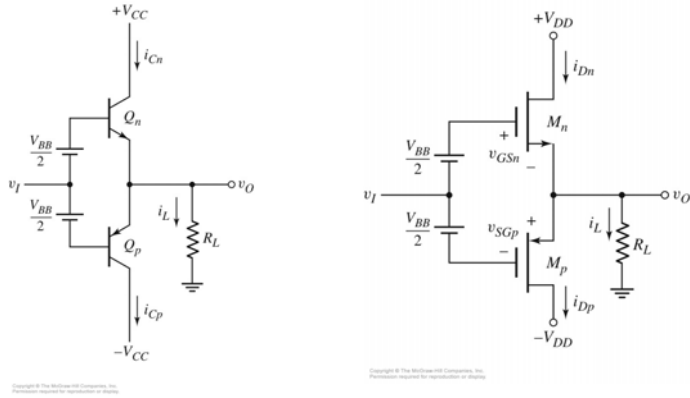


Q3-Q4 Push Pull

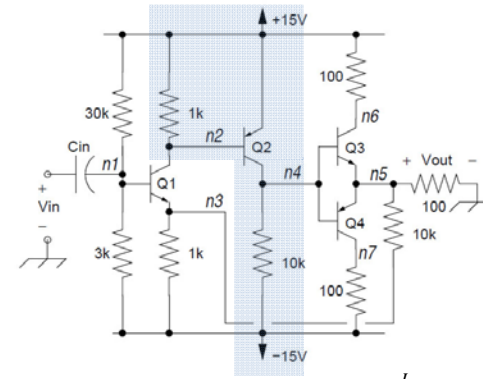


- Q3: Emitter Follower (positive cycle)
- Q4: Emitter Follower (negative cycle)
- Overall gain ~ 1
- Q3 & Q4 V_{be} are always one diode drop
- Crossover distortion about zero crossing

Crossover Distortion



Q2 – High Gain Stage



$$g_m = \frac{I_{CQ}}{V_{TH}} = 38 * I_{CQ}$$

$$I_{CQ} = \frac{15}{10^4} \quad A_v = -570$$

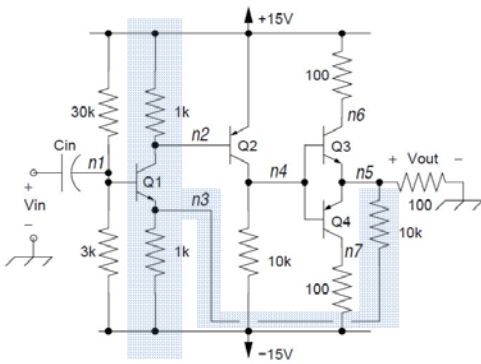
- Since last stage is an emitter follower, node n4 should be biased near zero volts.
- Q2 is a common emitter configuration with a pnp transistor.
- For pnp configuration, reverse the polarity of the voltages from a npn.

$$\beta_0 = g_m r_\pi$$

$$g_m = \frac{I_{CQ}}{V_{TH}} \quad V_{TH} = 26\text{mV}$$

$$A_v = \frac{-\beta_0 R_L}{g_m} = -g_m R_L$$

Q1 Analysis



The emitter follows the base by 0.6v,
 v_e incrementally follows v_b

The emitter current
$$i_e = \frac{v_b - (-15)}{1000} + \frac{v_b - v_{out}}{10000}$$

The collector voltage, assuming large β ($i_g = i_c$)
 is $v_c = 15 - 10000i_c$

Then
$$\Delta v_c = -\frac{11}{10} \Delta v_b + \frac{1}{10} v_{out}$$

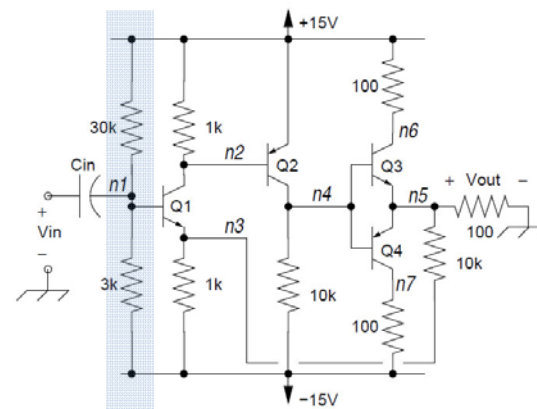
Now we have enough information, i.e. equations
 to put everything together.

$$v_{out} = -570 \left(-\frac{11}{10} v_{in} + \frac{1}{10} v_{out} \right)$$

$$v_{out} \left(1 + \frac{570}{10} \right) = 570 \left(\frac{11}{10} \right) v_{in}$$

$$\frac{v_{out}}{v_{in}} = \frac{570 \left(\frac{11}{10} \right)}{1 + \frac{570}{10}} \approx 10.8$$

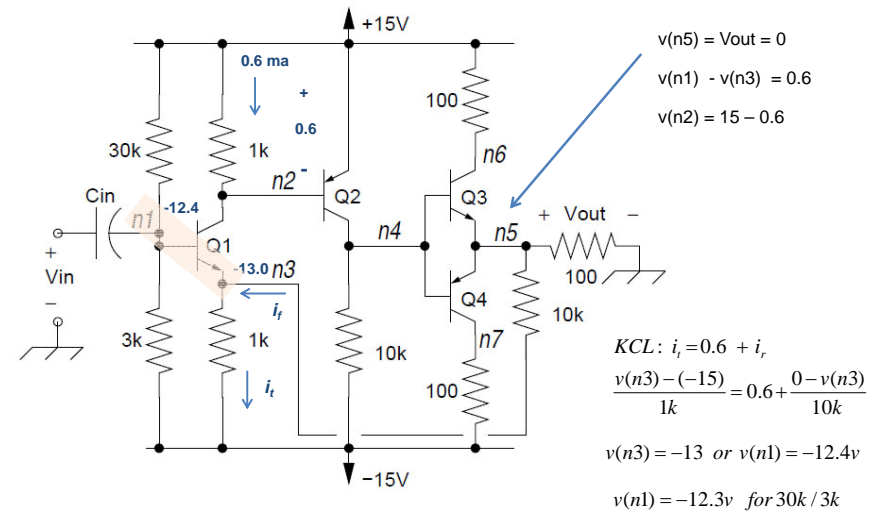
Biasing



Biasing – Quiescent Point

- Determine the quiescent point
- For BJT
 - assume $V_{be} = 0.6V$
 - assume base current negligible
- Apply KVL, KCL

Biasing – Quiescent Point



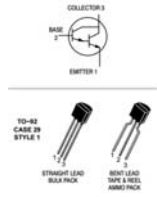
Key Observations

- Crossover distortion caused by base emitter voltage.
- Feedback results in overall gain independent of β
- Biasing not precise, highly dependent on supply voltage (poor supply voltage rejection)

Classic BJT Circuits/components

- Darlington Pair
- Matched transistors
- Short circuit protection
- Current mirror
- Schottky diode
- Baker Clamp
- V_{be} multiplier

MPSA13 Darlington



ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted)

| Characteristic | Symbol | Min | Max | Unit |
|---|---------------|--------|-----|------|
| OFF CHARACTERISTICS | | | | |
| Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage ($I_C = 100\ \mu\text{Adc}$, $I_B = 0$) | $V_{(BR)CES}$ | 30 | - | Vdc |
| Collector Cutoff Current ($V_{CE} = 30\ \text{Vdc}$, $I_B = 0$) | I_{CBO} | - | 100 | nAdc |
| Emitter Cutoff Current ($V_{EB} = 10\ \text{Vdc}$, $I_C = 0$) | I_{EBO} | - | 100 | nAdc |
| ON CHARACTERISTICS (Note 1) | | | | |
| DC Current Gain ($I_C = 10\ \text{mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 5.0\ \text{Vdc}$) | h_{FE} | 5,000 | - | - |
| ($I_C = 100\ \text{mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 5.0\ \text{Vdc}$) | | 10,000 | - | - |
| ($I_C = 100\ \text{mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 5.0\ \text{Vdc}$) | | 10,000 | - | - |
| ($I_C = 100\ \text{mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 5.0\ \text{Vdc}$) | | 20,000 | - | - |
| Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage ($I_C = 100\ \text{mAdc}$, $I_B = 0.1\ \text{mAdc}$) | $V_{CE(sat)}$ | - | 1.5 | Vdc |
| Base-Emitter On Voltage ($I_C = 100\ \text{mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 5.0\ \text{Vdc}$) | $V_{BE(on)}$ | - | 2.0 | Vdc |
| SMALL-SIGNAL CHARACTERISTICS | | | | |
| Current-Gain - Bandwidth Product (Note 2) ($I_C = 10\ \text{mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 5.0\ \text{Vdc}$, $f = 100\ \text{MHz}$) | f_T | 125 | - | MHz |

1. Pulse Test: Pulse Width $\leq 300\ \mu\text{s}$; Duty Cycle $\leq 2.0\%$.
2. $f_T = |h_{FE}| \cdot \text{freq}$.

Matched Pair

National Semiconductor December 1994

LM3045/LM3046/LM3086 Transistor Arrays

General Description
The LM3045, LM3046 and LM3086 each consist of five general purpose silicon NPN transistors on a common monolithic substrate. Two of the transistors are internally connected to form a differentially-connected pair. The transistors are well suited to a wide variety of applications in low power systems in the DC through VHF range. They may be used as discrete transistors in conventional circuits however, in addition, they provide the very significant inherent integrated circuit advantages of close electrical and thermal matching. The LM3045 is supplied in a 14-lead cavity dual-in-line package suited for operation over the full military temperature range. The LM3046 and LM3086 are electrically identical to the LM3045 but are supplied in a 14-lead molded dual-in-line package for applications requiring only a limited temperature range.

Features

- Two matched pairs of transistors
- V_{BE} matched $\pm 5\ \text{mV}$
- Input offset current $2\ \mu\text{A}$ max at $I_C = 1\ \text{mA}$
- Five general purpose monolithic transistors
- Operation from DC to 120 MHz
- Wide operating current range
- Low noise figure
- Full military temperature range (LM3045) -55°C to $+125^\circ\text{C}$
- 3.2 dB typ at 1 kHz

Applications

- General use in all types of signal processing systems operating anywhere in the frequency range from DC to VHF
- Custom designed differential amplifiers
- Temperature compensated amplifiers

Schematic and Connection Diagram

Dual-In-Line and Small Outline Packages

Top View
Order Number LM3045L, LM3046M, LM3046N or LM3086N
See NS Package Number J14A, M14A or N14A.

- Close electrical and thermal characteristics
- Supermatched pairs also available
- Used in differential amplifiers and measurement equipment

Super Matched Pair

LM194/LM394 Supermatch Pair

General Description

The LM194 and LM394 are junction isolated ultra well-matched monolithic NPN transistor pairs with an order of magnitude improvement in matching over conventional transistor pairs. This was accomplished by advanced linear processing and a unique new device structure.

Electrical characteristics of these devices such as drift versus initial offset voltage, noise, and the exponential relationship of base-emitter voltage to collector current closely approach those of a theoretical transistor. Extrinsic emitter and base resistances are much lower than presently available pairs, either monolithic or discrete, giving extremely low noise and theoretical operation over a wide current range. Most parameters are guaranteed over a current range of $1\ \mu\text{A}$ to $1\ \text{mA}$ and $0\ \text{V}$ up to $40\ \text{V}$ collector-base voltage, ensuring superior performance in nearly all applications.

To guarantee long term stability of matching parameters, internal clamp diodes have been added across the emitter-base junction of each transistor. These prevent degradation due to reverse biased emitter current—the most common cause of field failures in matched devices. The parasitic isolation junction formed by the diodes also clamps the substrate region to the most negative emitter to ensure complete isolation between devices.

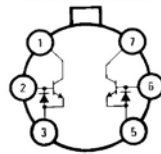
The LM194 and LM394 will provide a considerable improvement in performance in most applications requiring a closely

matched transistor pair. In many cases, trimming can be eliminated entirely, improving reliability and decreasing costs. Additionally, the low noise and high gain make this device attractive even where matching is not critical. The LM194 and LM394/LM394B/LM394C are available in an isolated header 6-lead TO-5 metal can package. The LM394/LM394B/LM394C are available in an 8-pin plastic dual-in-line package. The LM194 is identical to the LM394 except for tighter electrical specifications and wider temperature range.

Features

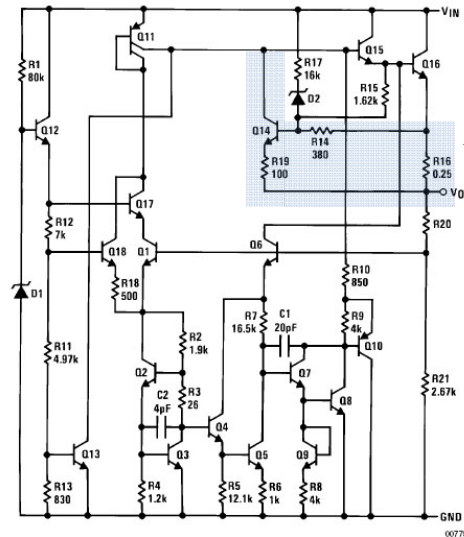
- Emitter-base voltage matched to $50\ \mu\text{V}$
- Offset voltage drift less than $0.1\ \mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$
- Current gain (h_{FE}) matched to 2%
- Common-mode rejection ratio greater than 120 dB
- Parameters guaranteed over $1\ \mu\text{A}$ to $1\ \text{mA}$ collector current
- Extremely low noise
- Superior logging characteristics compared to conventional pairs
- Plug-in replacement for presently available devices

Metal Can Package



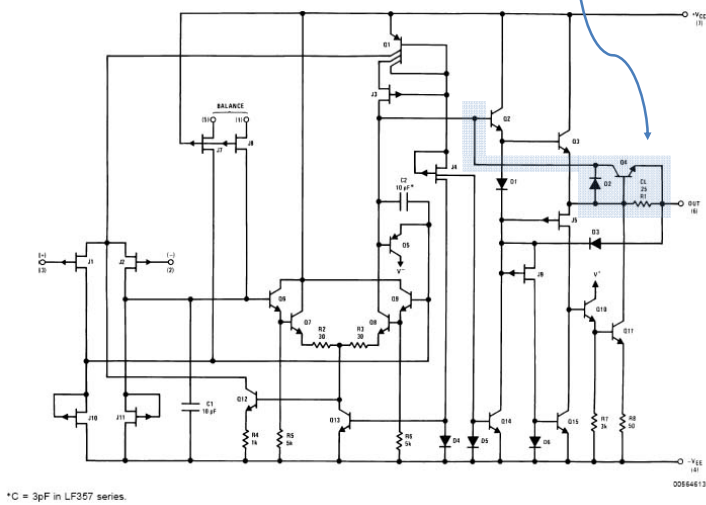
- Characteristics approach theoretical transistor
- V_{BE} matched to $50\ \mu\text{V}$
- h_{FE} matched to 2%

7805 Regulator Short Circuit Protection



- When voltage across R16 exceeds $\sim 0.6\ \text{V}$, Q14 diverts away base drive to Q15.
- Note Darlington pair Q15, Q16

356 Op-Amp Short Circuit Protection



*C = 3pF in LF357 series.

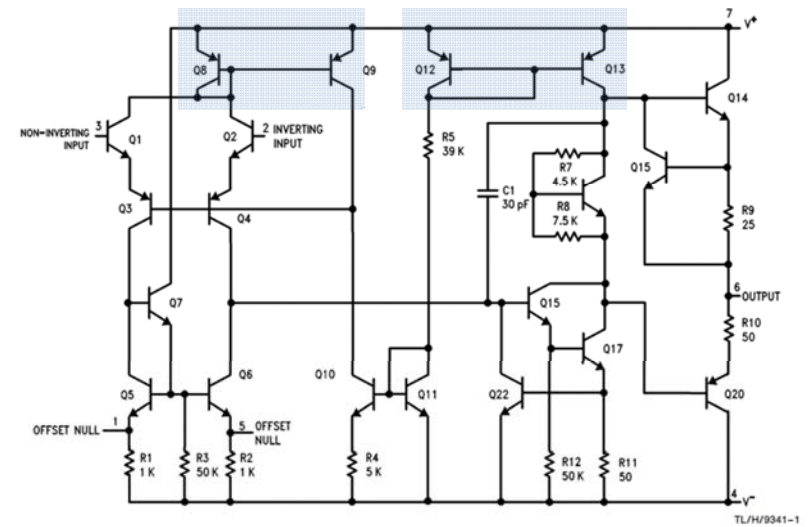
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Current Mirror



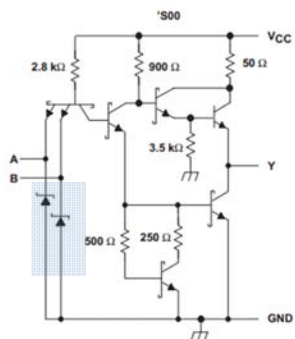
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Schottky* Diode



- Schottky diode formed with metal-semiconductor junction vs pn junction
- Lower forward voltage drop: 0.15-0.45 vs 0.6-0.7 for pn junction
- Almost zero reverse recovery times.
- Used in 74LS series logic Low-power Schottky

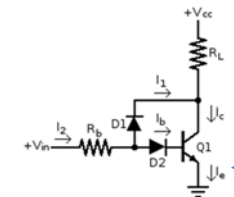
* Walter Schottky

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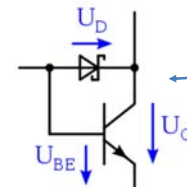
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Baker* Clamps



- Reduces turn off time by limiting saturation
- Baker Clamp with diodes



- Baker clamp with Schottky diode

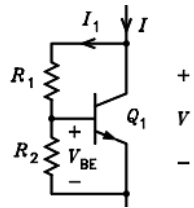
*named by Richard Baker (1956); drawings from http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Baker_clamp

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V_{be} Multiplier



$$V = \frac{(R_1 + R_2)}{R_2} V_{BE}$$

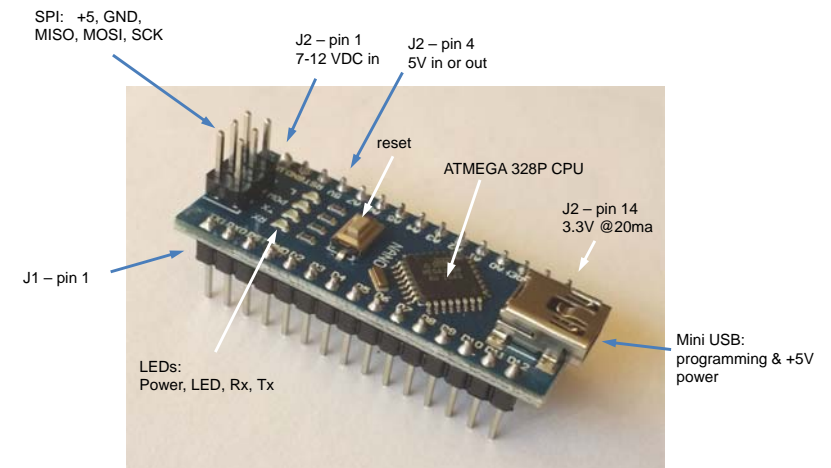
Arduino, Teensyduino

- Low cost open source microcontroller and development system
- Many variants: Uno, Nano, Pro, Teensy
- Arduino Nano
 - 16MHz ATmega328, 32KB flash, 1KB EEPROM, 2KB SRAM
 - 22 I/O ports: analog/digital
 - 5V (19ma) operation
- Teensy 3.2
 - 72MHz MK20DX256, 256KB flash, 2KB EEPROM, 16KB SRAM
 - 34 I/O ports, 21 analog input (2 16bit ADC), 1 12bit DAC
- Ideal for prototyping, process controller or state machines
- Maybe useful for final project but only in a secondary manner:
 - data display, control logic
- Originals vs clones

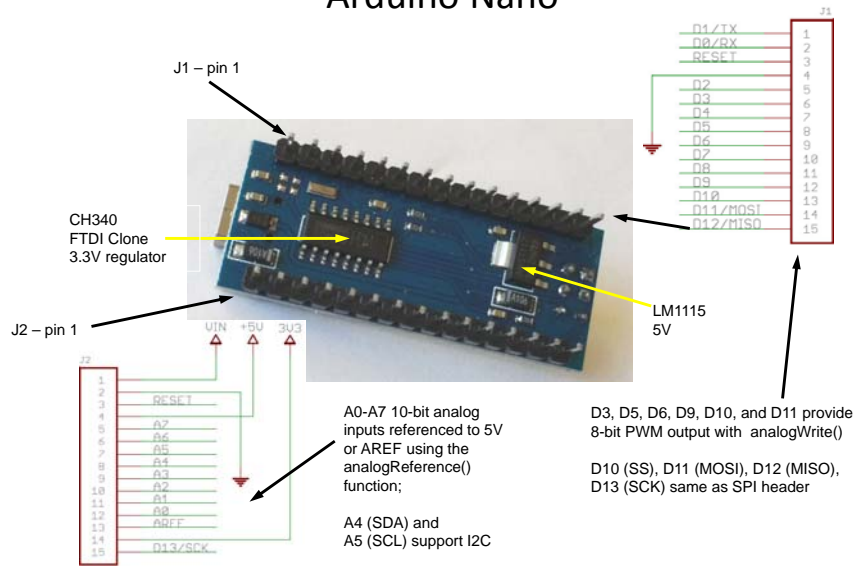
Teensy 3.2 - Nano

| | Teensy 3.2 | Nano |
|-------------------|------------|-----------|
| Processor: | MK20DX256 | ATmega328 |
| Clock Speed: | 72 MHz | 16 Mhz |
| Flash Memory: | 256 KB | 1 KB |
| RAM: | 64 KB | 2KB |
| Operating Voltage | 3.3 V | 3.3 V |
| GPIO | 34 | 14 |
| Analog Inputs | 21 | 8 |
| DAC | 1 | 0 |
| PWM | 12 | 6 |
| UART | 3 | external |

Arduino Nano



Arduino Nano



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Nano Multifunction I/O Pins Partial List

| Pin | Function 1 | Function 2 | Function 3 |
|----------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| D13 | digital I/O | SCK (SPI) | Built-in LED |
| D12 | digital I/O | MISO | |
| D11 | digital I/O | MOSI | |
| D3,5,6,9,10,11 | digital I/O | PWM | |
| D3 | digital I/O | Interrupt 1 | |
| D2 | digital I/O | Interrupt 0 | |
| D1 | digital I/O | Tx | |
| D0 | digital I/O | Rx | |
| A5 | analog in | SCL | |
| A4 | analog in | SDA | |

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Serial Interface

- Arduino Nano clone uses CH340G; need to install serial port driver.
- Drivers on <http://web.mit.edu/6.101/www/s2020/drivers/> have been tested.
 - CH341SER_MAC: OSX Mojave serial port: cu.wchusbserial1410
 - CH34x_Install_Windows_v3_4.zip: Windows serial port: COM3... COMx
 - CH340_LINUX.zip: Ubuntu 14.04 serial port: /dev/ttyUSB0

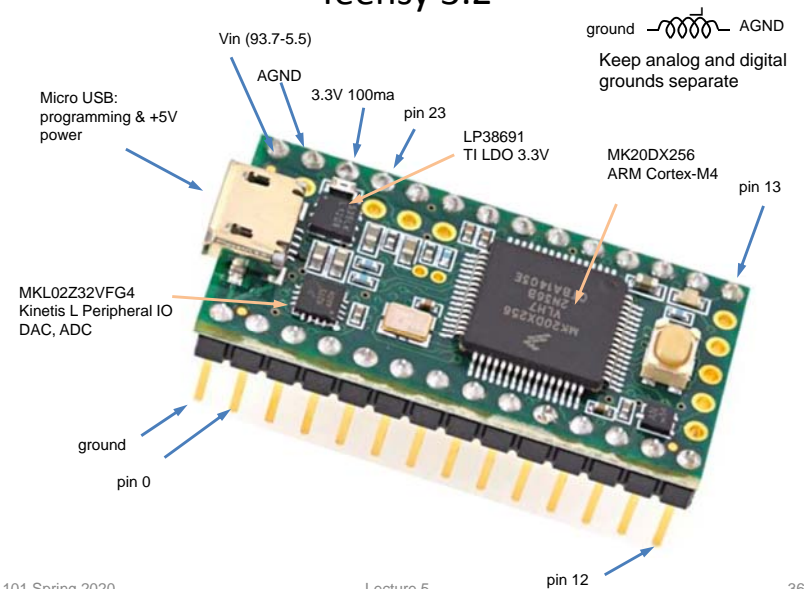
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// driver install
make
sudo make load
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Teensy 3.2

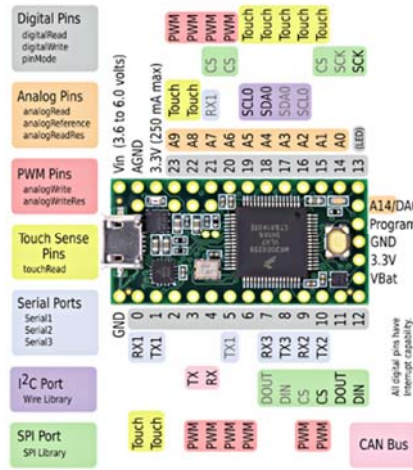


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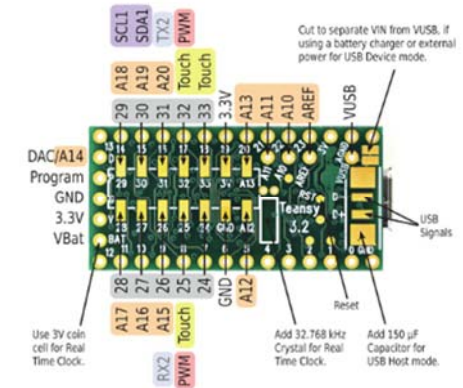
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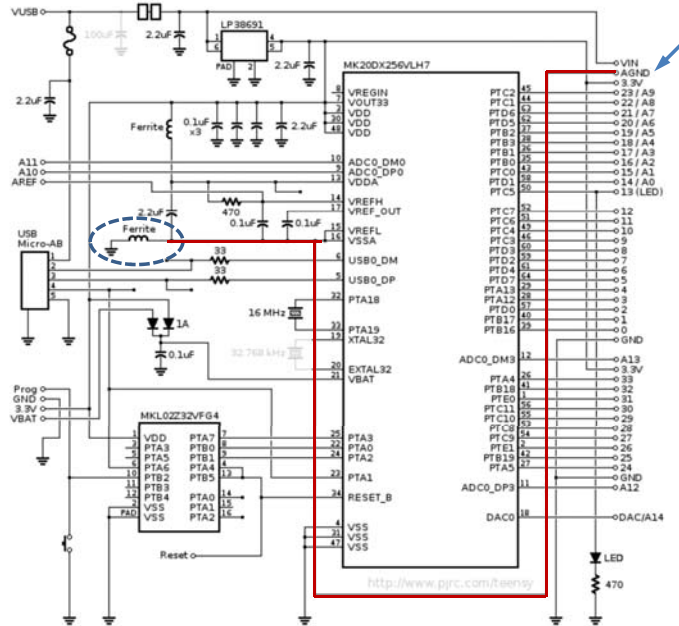
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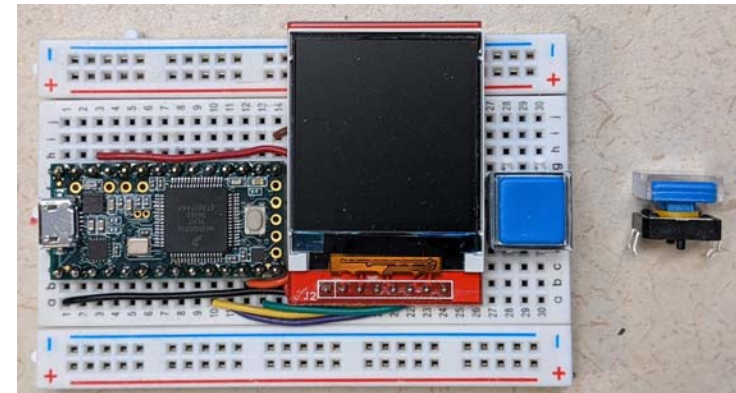
Teensy 3.2 Bottom



Teensy 3.2



Teensy - Lab 3 part 2

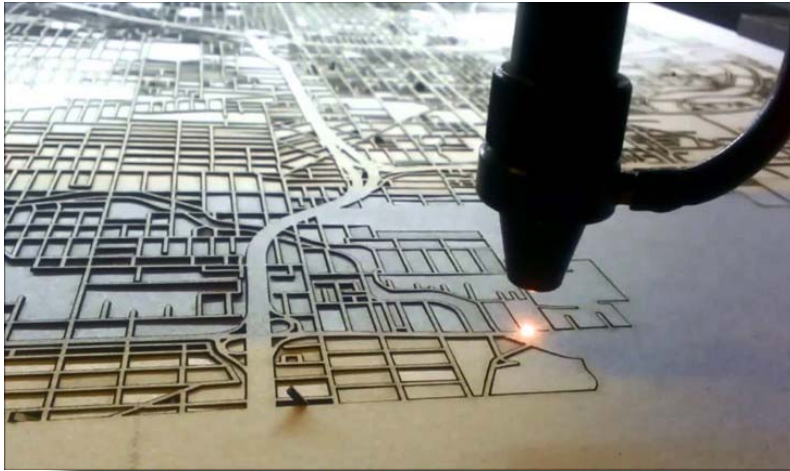


Solder headers to Teensy
Attached spacer to TFT display
Wire circuit

Load sketch & verify display
Circuit will be used in PPG and ECG labs

Laser Cutting

(it's just as cool as it sounds)



source: cutmaps.com

Process

- high-power laser beam optically guided to machine head
- head moves in 2D (x, y)
- beam fired in rapid pulses while head moves
- material is ablated or vaporized
- fumes extracted



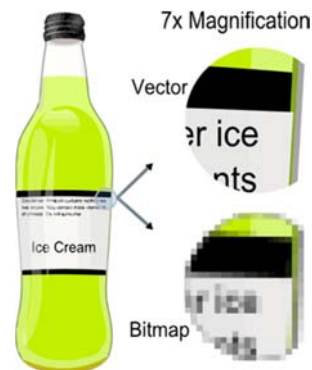
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source: n-e-r-v-o-u-s.com

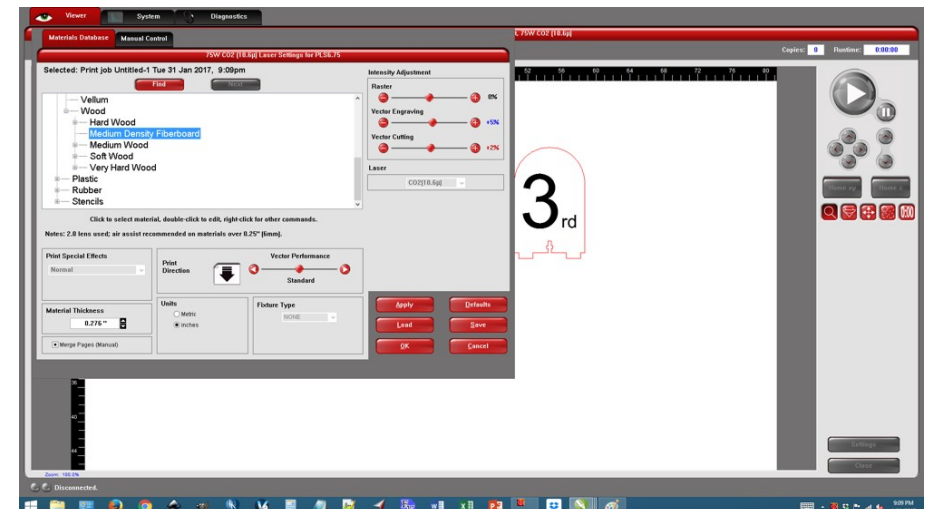
Design

- user generates 2D design
- vector vs. bitmap
- user sets power, speed for each color in file
- machine traces vectors
 - moves in steady line
 - line width < 0.001 inch
 - “hairline”
- or rasters bitmaps
 - sweeps back and forth to fill in

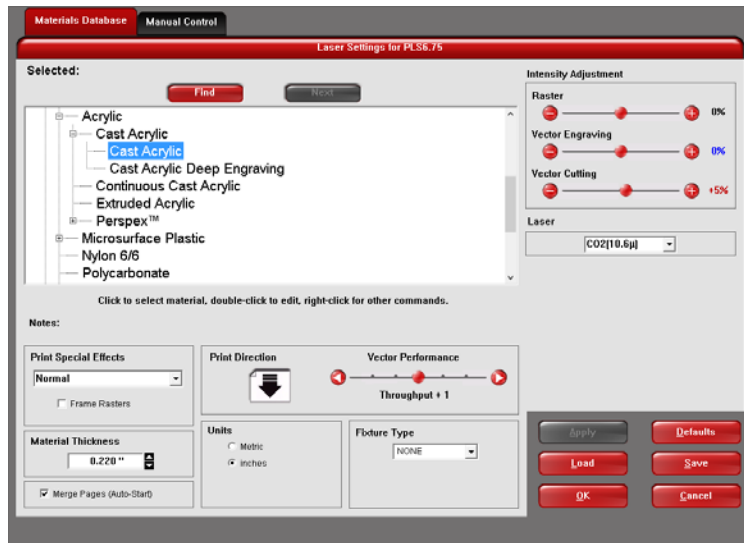


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UCP (Universal Control Panel)



Laser "Printing"

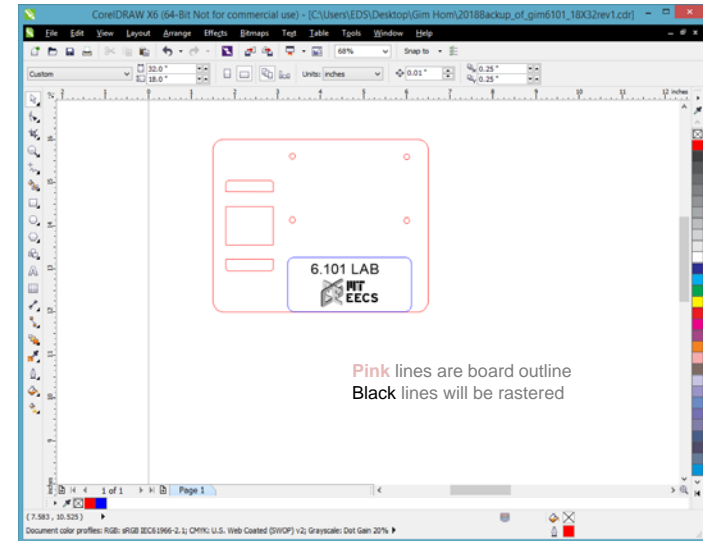


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Laser Cutting – CorelDraw



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Laser Cutting Lab (Optional)

- Mon 2/25 4:15 and 5:15p EDS
- Laser Cut base
- Mount RLC-BJT/MOSFET testor

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