

Lecture 10 -- Common Base Amplifiers and Project Q&A

Why is a voltage gain, A_v , expressed in decibels as $20 \cdot \log(A_v)$ while a power gain, A_p , is expressed in decibels as $10 \cdot \log(A_p)$

How many decibels correspond to voltage gains of 10, 100, $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$?

Draw an emitter follower and list two common uses of the amplifier.

What are R_{in} , R_{out} and A_v of an emitter follower?

Draw a common base amplifier and list a common application

What are R_{in} , R_{out} and A_v of a common base amplifier

Describe how to develop a T-model for common base amplifier analysis

What is the current gain of a common base amplifier?