

COLLECTOR FEEDBACK BIASING

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Collector Feedback Biasing

- This self biasing collector feedback configuration is another beta dependent biasing method which requires two resistors to provide the necessary DC bias for the transistor.
- The collector to base feedback configuration ensures that the transistor is always biased in the active region regardless of the value of Beta (β).

- The DC base bias voltage is derived from the collector voltage V_C , thus providing good stability.

Demerits

- If β is large, a high V_{CE} is necessary, which increases cost as well as precautions necessary while handling.
- If β is low, the reverse **bias** of the **collector–base** region is small, which limits the range of **collector** voltage swing that leaves the transistor in active mode.

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Properties

- the biasing voltage is derived from the voltage drop across the load resistor, R_L , if the load current increases there will be a larger voltage drop across R_L , and a corresponding reduced collector voltage, V_C .

- The opposite reaction will also occur when the transistors collector current reduces. Then this method of biasing is called self-biasing with the transistors stability using this type of feedback bias network being generally good for most amplifier designs.