## **Equations for BJT Amplifier Configurations**

**Equations Based on Large-Signal Characteristics:** 

Active Region: 
$$i_E = I_{ES} \left( e^{\frac{v_{BE}}{V_T}} - 1 \right)$$

$$r_{\pi} = \frac{V_T}{I_{BQ}} = \frac{\beta V_T}{I_{CQ}}$$

## **Common Emitter:**

$$A_v = \frac{v_o}{v_{in}} = -\frac{\beta R_L'}{r_\pi + (\beta + 1)R_{E1}}$$

$$A_i = A_v \frac{Z_{in}}{R_L}$$

$$Z_{in} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{R_B} + \frac{1}{Z_{it}}} \text{ where } Z_{it} = \frac{v_{in}}{i_b} = r_\pi + (\beta + 1)R_{E1}$$

$$Z_o = R_C$$

## Common Collector (Emitter Follower):

$$A_{v} = \frac{v_{o}}{v_{in}} = \frac{(1+\beta)R'_{L}}{r_{\pi} + (1+\beta)R'_{L}}$$

$$A_{i} = A_{v} \frac{Z_{in}}{R_{L}}$$

$$Z_{in} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{R_{B}} + \frac{1}{Z_{it}}} \text{ where } Z_{it} = \frac{v_{in}}{i_{b}} = r_{\pi} + (1+\beta)R'_{L}$$

$$Z_{o} = \frac{1}{\frac{(1+\beta)}{(R'_{S} + r_{\pi})} + \frac{1}{R_{E}}}$$

# Common Base:

$$A_{v} = \frac{v_{o}}{v_{in}} = \frac{\beta R_{L}'}{r_{\pi}}$$

$$A_{i} = A_{v} \frac{Z_{in}}{R_{L}}$$

$$Z_{in} = \frac{R_{E}}{\left(\frac{r_{\pi}}{\beta + 1}\right)}$$

$$Z_{o} = R_{C}$$

# **Equations for FET Amplifier Configurations**

### Equations Based on Large-Signal Characteristics:

Triode Region: 
$$i_D = K[2(v_{GS} - V_{to})v_{DS} - v_{DS}^2]$$
 where  $K = \left(\frac{W}{L}\right)\frac{KP}{2}$   
Saturation Region:  $i_D = K(v_{GS} - V_{to})^2$  where  $K = \left(\frac{W}{L}\right)\frac{KP}{2}$   
 $g_m = 2\sqrt{KI_{DO}}$ 

### Common Source:

$$A_v = \frac{v_o}{v_{in}} = -g_m R_L'$$

$$A_i = A_v \frac{Z_{in}}{R_L}$$

$$Z_{in} = R_G$$

$$Z_o = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{R_D} + \frac{1}{r_d}}$$

#### Common Drain (Source Follower):

$$A_v = \frac{v_o}{v_{in}} = \frac{g_m R_L'}{1 + g_m R_L'}$$

$$A_i = A_v \frac{Z_{in}}{R_L}$$

$$Z_{in} = R_G$$

$$Z_o = \frac{1}{g_m + \frac{1}{R_S} + \frac{1}{r_d}}$$

#### Common Gate:

$$A_{v} = \frac{v_{o}}{v_{in}} = g_{m}R'_{L}$$

$$A_{i} = A_{v}\frac{Z_{in}}{R_{L}}$$

$$Z_{in} = \frac{1}{g_{m} + \frac{1}{R_{S}}}$$

$$Z_{o} = R_{D}$$