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Answer the following questions:

1. Determine the voltage gain for the CE amplifier in the following figure.



2. If a load resistance of 600Ω is placed on the output of the amplifier in the following figure, what is the maximum gain?



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3. For the CB amplifier in the following figure, compute $V_{\rm B}$, $V_{\rm E}$, $V_{\rm C}$, $V_{\rm CE}$, r'_e , A_v .



4. The transistor in the following figure has $\beta_{DC} = 100$. Determine the maximum value of RB that will ensure saturation when V_{IN} is 5 V.



5. In an out of circuit *pnp* transistor, what should your readings be as your test across the terminals

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of a good transistor, both in a forward- and a reverse-biased direction?

- 6. What is the most probable problem, if any, in each circuit of the following figure? Assume β_{DC} =
 - 75.



7. What is the value of the DC beta of each transistor in the following figure?



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