## ES 250 2nd Midterm Exam - Fall 2013

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**1.** The switch in this circuit closes at time t = 0. Let i(0) denote the inductor current when the switch is open and the circuit is at steady state. Similarly, let  $i(\infty)$  denote the steady state inductor current when the switch is closed.

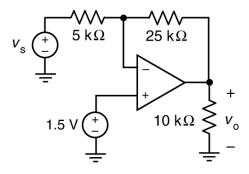
 $\begin{array}{c}
i(t) \\
2 \\
+30 \\
\end{array}$   $\begin{array}{c}
t = 0 \\
6 \\
\Omega
\end{array}$ 

Determine the values of i(0) and  $i(\infty)$ :

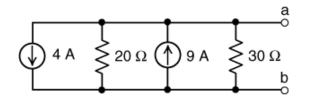
$$i(0) = ___2.5$$
\_A and  $i(\infty) = __7.5$ \_A.

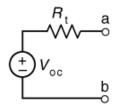
**2.** The input to this circuit is the voltage  $v_s$ . The output is the voltage  $v_o$ . The output is related to the input by the equation  $v_o = m v_s + b$  where m and b are constants. The values of m and b are:

$$m = ___5_V/V$$
 and  $b = ___9_V$ .



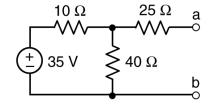
**3.** Here's a circuit and its Thevenin equivalent circuit. Determine the values of the Thevenin resistance,  $R_{\rm t}$ , and of the open-circuit voltage,  $V_{\rm oc}$ .

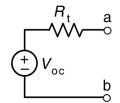




$$R_{\rm t} = \underline{\qquad} 12 \underline{\qquad} \Omega \text{ and } V_{\rm oc} = \underline{\qquad} 60 \underline{\qquad} V$$

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$$R_{\rm t} = \underline{\phantom{a}}33\underline{\phantom{a}}\Omega$$
 and  $V_{\rm oc} = \underline{\phantom{a}}28\underline{\phantom{a}}V$ 

5. Given that  $0 \le R \le \infty$  in this circuit, and given these two observations:

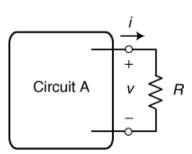
When 
$$R = 0$$
 then  $i = 1.5$  A.

When 
$$R = \infty$$
 then  $v = 24$  V.

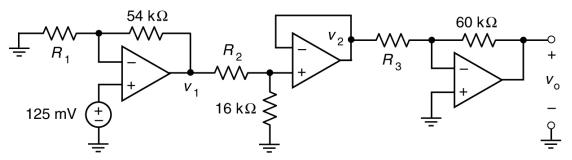
Fill in the blanks in the following statements:

a) When 
$$R = 1.4545 \Omega$$
 then  $v = 2 V$ .

a) When 
$$R = 104$$
  $\Omega$  then  $i = 0.20$  A...



**6.** 



The values of the node voltages  $v_1$ ,  $v_2$  and  $v_0$ , are  $v_1 = 875$  mV,  $v_2 = 350$  mV and  $v_0 = -600$  mV. Determine the value of the resistances  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$  and  $R_3$ :

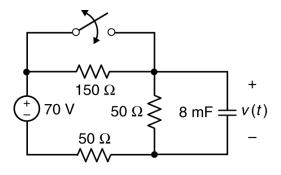
$$R_1 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 9 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} k\Omega, \quad R_2 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 24 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} k\Omega \text{ and } R_3 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 35 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} k\Omega.$$

**7. a)** Determine the time constant,  $\tau$ , and the steady state capacitor voltage,  $v(\infty)$ , when the switch is **open**:

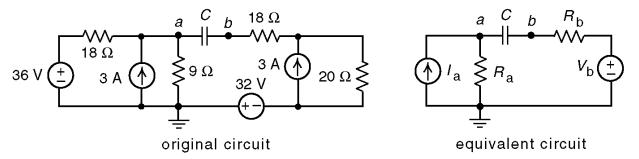
$$\tau = ___320___$$
 ms and  $v(\infty) = ___14___$  V

**b)** Determine the time constant,  $\tau$ , and the steady state capacitor voltage,  $v(\infty)$ , when the switch is **closed**:

$$\tau = __200__$$
 ms and  $v(\infty) = __35__$  V



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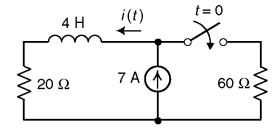
The equivalent circuit on the right is obtained from the original circuit on the left using source transformations and equivalent resistances. (The lower case letters a and b identify the nodes of the capacitor in both the original and equivalent circuits.) Determine the values of  $R_a$ ,  $I_a$ ,  $R_b$  and  $V_b$  in the equivalent circuit:

$$R_{a}$$
, = \_\_\_6\_\_  $\Omega$ ,  $I_{a}$  = \_\_\_5\_\_  $A$ ,  $R_{b}$  = \_\_\_38\_\_  $\Omega$  and  $V_{b}$  = \_\_\_28\_\_  $V$ .

**9.** This circuit is at steady state before the switch closes. The inductor current can be represented as

$$i(t) = A + Be^{-at}$$
 Amps for  $t > 0$ 

Determine the values of the real constants A, B and a:



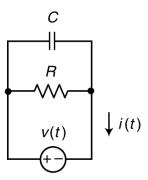
$$A = ___5.25$$
 Amps,  $B = ___1.75$  Amps and  $a = ___20$  1/s.

**10.** The input to this circuit is the voltage:  $v(t) = 20 + 4e^{-7t}$  V for t > 0

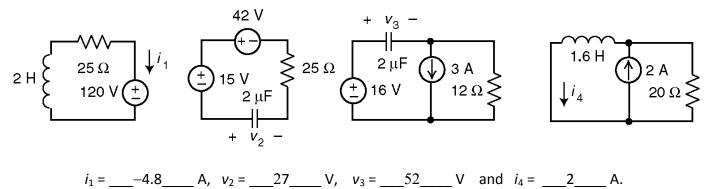
The output is the current:  $i(t) = 4 - 2.7 e^{-7t}$  A for t > 0

Determine the values of the resistance and capacitance:

$$R = \underline{\qquad} 5 \underline{\qquad} \Omega \text{ and } C = \underline{\qquad} 125 \underline{\qquad} \mathbf{mF}.$$



**11.** Here are 4 separate dc circuits. Because they are dc circuits, the capacitors in these circuits act like open circuits and the inductors act like short circuits. Determine the values of  $i_1$ ,  $v_2$ ,  $v_3$  and  $i_4$ .



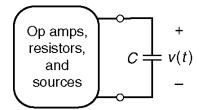
### **Element Equations**

Capacitor: 
$$v(t) = \frac{1}{C} \int_{-\infty}^{t} i(\tau) d\tau$$
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$$i(t) = C \frac{dv(t)}{dt}$$

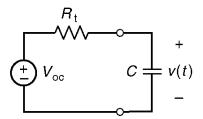
Inductor: 
$$i(t) \downarrow \begin{cases} + & i(t) = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-\infty}^{t} v(\tau) d\tau \\ v(t) & v(t) = L \frac{di(t)}{dt} \end{cases}$$

#### **First-Order Circuits**

## FIRST-ORDER CIRCUIT CONTAINING A CAPACITOR



Replace the circuit consisting of op amps, resistors, and sources by its Thévenin equivalent circuit:



The capacitor voltage is:

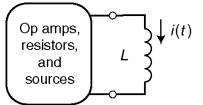
$$v(t) = V_{\text{oc}} + \left(v(0) - V_{\text{oc}}\right)e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}$$

where the time constant,  $\tau$ , is

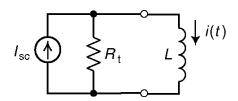
$$\tau = R_{t} C$$

and the initial condition, v(0), is the capacitor voltage at time t = 0.

# FIRST-ORDER CIRCUIT CONTAINING AN INDUCTOR



Replace the circuit consisting of op amps, resistors, and sources by its Norton equivalent circuit:



The inductor current is

$$i(t) = I_{sc} + (i(0) - I_{sc})e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}$$

where the time constant,  $\tau$ , is

$$\tau = \frac{L}{R_{\star}}$$

and the initial condition, i(0), is the inductor current at time t = 0.