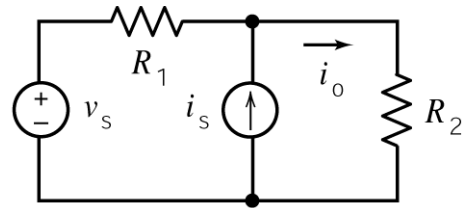


## Another Sample ES 250 Final Exam

1. This circuit has two inputs,  $v_s$  and  $i_s$ , and one output  $i_o$ . The output is related to the inputs by the equation

$$i_o = a i_s + b v_s$$



Given the following two facts:

The output is  $i_o = 0.45$  A when the inputs are  $i_s = 0.25$  A and  $v_s = 15$  V.

and

The output is  $i_o = 0.30$  A when the inputs are  $i_s = 0.50$  A and  $v_s = 0$  V.

Determine the following:

The values of the constants  $a$  and  $b$  are  $a = \underline{\quad 0.6 \quad}$  and  $b = \underline{\quad 0.02 \quad}$  A/V.

The values of the resistances are  $R_1 = \underline{\quad 30 \quad}$   $\Omega$  and  $R_2 = \underline{\quad 20 \quad}$   $\Omega$ .

From the 1<sup>st</sup> fact:

$$0.45 = a(0.25) + b(15)$$

From the 2nd fact:

$$0.30 = a(0.50) + b(0) \Rightarrow a = \frac{0.30}{0.50} = 0.60$$

Substituting gives  $0.45 = (0.60)(0.25) + b(15) \Rightarrow b = \frac{0.45 - (0.60)(0.25)}{15} = 0.02$

Next, consider the circuit:

$$a i_s = i_{o1} = i_o \Big|_{v_s=0} = \left( \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2} \right) i_s$$

so

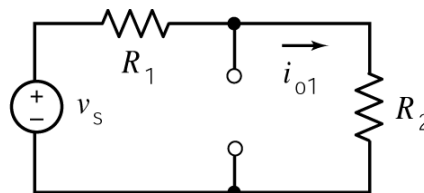
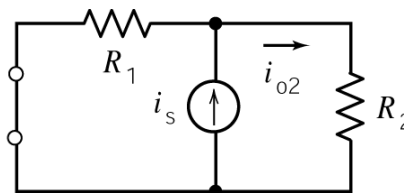
$$0.60 = \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2} \Rightarrow 2R_1 = 3R_2$$

and

$$b v_s = i_{o2} = i_o \Big|_{i_s=0} = \frac{v_s}{R_1 + R_2}$$

so

$$0.02 = \frac{1}{R_1 + R_2} \Rightarrow R_1 + R_2 = \frac{1}{0.02} = 50 \Omega$$



Solving these equations gives  $R_1 = 30 \Omega$  and  $R_2 = 20 \Omega$ .

2. Determine the values of the node voltages  $v_a$ ,  $v_b$ ,  $v_c$  and  $v_o$ :

$$v_a = \underline{2.75} \text{ V}, \quad v_b = \underline{2.8125} \text{ V},$$

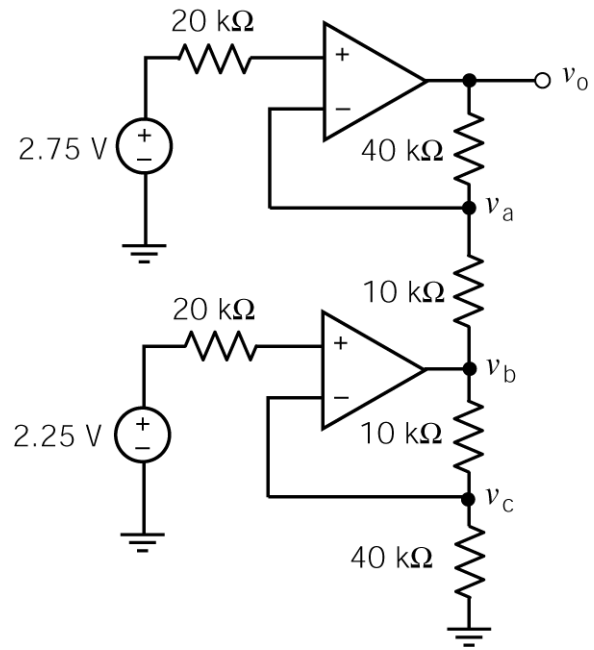
$$v_c = \underline{2.25} \text{ V}, \quad \text{and} \quad v_o = \underline{2.50} \text{ V}.$$

Due to the properties of the ideal op amp,  $v_a = 2.75 \text{ V}$  and  $v_c = 2.25 \text{ V}$ . The node equation at node c is

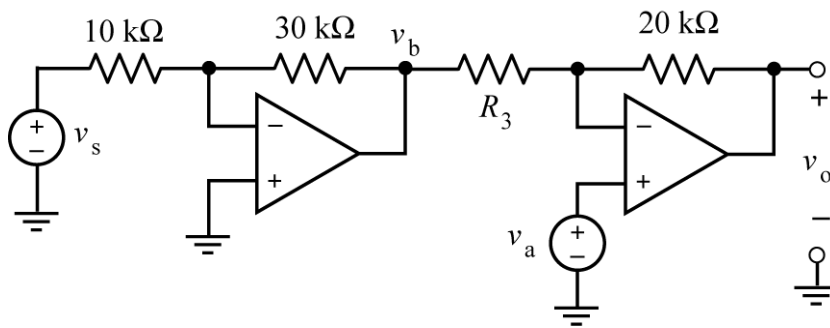
$$\frac{v_b - v_c}{10 \times 10^3} = \frac{v_c}{40 \times 10^3} \Rightarrow v_b = \frac{5}{4} v_c = 2.8125 \text{ V}$$

The node equation at node c is

$$\frac{v_o - v_a}{40 \times 10^3} = \frac{v_a - v_b}{10 \times 10^3} \Rightarrow v_o = 5v_a - 4v_b = 2.5 \text{ V}$$



3.



The node voltage  $v_b$  is given by  $v_b = -3v_s$

The input to this circuit is the voltage  $v_s$ . The output is the node 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.

(a) Suppose  $v_o = 18 \text{ V}$  when  $v_s = 1 \text{ V}$  and  $v_o = 6 \text{ V}$  when  $v_s = -1 \text{ V}$ . Determine the values of  $m$  and  $b$ :

$$m = \underline{6} \text{ V/V} \quad \text{and} \quad b = \underline{12} \text{ V}.$$

(b) Instead, suppose that  $R_3 = 12 \text{ k}\Omega$  and  $v_a = 3 \text{ V}$ . Determine the values of  $m$  and  $b$ :

$$m = \underline{5} \text{ V/V} \quad \text{and} \quad b = \underline{8} \text{ V}.$$

(c) Instead, suppose that we require  $v_o = 4 v_s + 7$ . Determine the required values of  $R_3$  and  $v_a$ :

$$R_3 = \underline{15} \text{ k}\Omega \quad \text{and} \quad v_a = \underline{3} \text{ V}.$$

**Solution:**

(a) From the given data:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} 18 &= m(1) + b \\ 6 &= m(-1) + b \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow 18 + 6 = m - m + 2b \Rightarrow b = \frac{24}{2} = 12$$

Then

$$18 = m(1) + 12 \Rightarrow m = 6$$

Writing node equations at the inverting input nodes of the op amps gives:

$$\frac{v_s}{10} + \frac{v_b}{30} = 0 \Rightarrow v_b = -3v_s \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{v_b - v_a}{R_3} + \frac{v_o - v_a}{20} = 0 \Rightarrow v_o = -\frac{20}{R_3}v_b + \left(1 + \frac{20}{R_3}\right)v_a$$

So 
$$v_o = -\frac{20}{R_3}(-3v_s) + \left(1 + \frac{20}{R_3}\right)v_a = \frac{60}{R_3}v_s + \left(1 + \frac{20}{R_3}\right)v_a$$

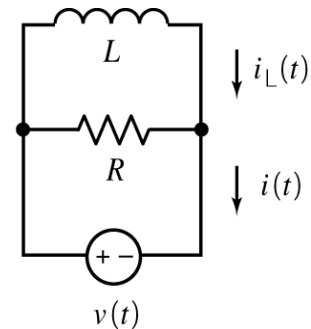
(b) Substituting values gives 
$$v_o = \frac{60}{12}v_s + \left(1 + \frac{20}{12}\right)(3) = 5v_s + 8$$

(c) Comparing coefficients gives

$$4 = \frac{60}{R_3} \Rightarrow R_3 = 15 \Omega \quad \text{and} \quad 7 = \left(1 + \frac{20}{R_3}\right)v_a = \left(1 + \frac{20}{15}\right)v_a = \frac{7}{3}v_a \Rightarrow v_a = 3 \text{ V}$$

**4.** The input to this circuit is the voltage:

$$v(t) = 4e^{-20t} \text{ V for } t > 0$$

The output is the current:  $i(t) = -1.2e^{-20t} - 1.5 \text{ A for } t > 0$ The initial condition is  $i_L(0) = -3.5 \text{ A}$ . Determine the values of the resistance and inductance:

$$R = \underline{\quad 5 \quad} \Omega \quad \text{and} \quad L = \underline{\quad 0.1 \quad} \text{ H.}$$

**Solution:** Apply KCL at either node to get

$$i(t) = \frac{v(t)}{R} + i_L(t) = \frac{v(t)}{R} + \left[ \frac{1}{L} \int_0^t v(\tau) d\tau + i(0) \right]$$

That is

$$\begin{aligned} -1.2e^{-20t} - 1.5 &= \frac{4e^{-20t}}{R} + \frac{1}{L} \int_0^t 4e^{-20\tau} d\tau - 3.5 = \frac{4e^{-20t}}{R} + \frac{4}{L(-20)}(e^{-20t} - 1) - 3.5 \\ &= \left( \frac{4}{R} - \frac{1}{5L} \right) e^{-20t} + \frac{1}{5L} - 3.5 \end{aligned}$$

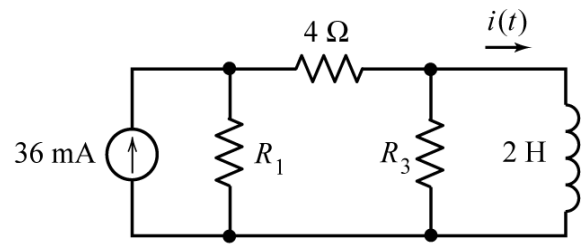
Equating coefficients gives

$$-1.5 = \frac{1}{5L} - 3.5 \Rightarrow L = 0.1 \text{ H}$$

And

$$-1.2 = \frac{4}{R} - \frac{1}{5L} = \frac{4}{R} - \frac{1}{5(0.1)} = \frac{4}{R} - 2 \Rightarrow R = 5 \Omega$$

5. After time  $t = 0$ , a given circuit is represented by this circuit diagram.



a. Suppose that the inductor current is

$$i(t) = 21.6 + 28.4e^{-4t} \text{ mA for } t \geq 0$$

Determine the values of  $R_1$  and  $R_3$ :  $R_1 = \underline{6} \text{ } \Omega$  and  $R_3 = \underline{40} \text{ } \Omega$ .

b. Suppose instead that  $R_1 = 16 \text{ } \Omega$ ,  $R_3 = 20 \text{ } \Omega$ , the initial condition is  $i(0) = 10 \text{ mA}$ , and the inductor current is  $i(t) = A + Be^{-at}$  for  $t \geq 0$ . Determine the values of the constants  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $a$ :

$$A = \underline{28.8} \text{ mA}, \quad B = \underline{-18.8} \text{ mA} \quad \text{and} \quad a = \underline{5} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

**Solution:**

The inductor current is given by  $i(t) = i_{sc} + (i(0) - i_{sc})e^{-at}$  for  $t \geq 0$  where  $a = \frac{1}{\tau} = \frac{R_t}{L}$ .

a. Comparing this to the given equation gives  $21.6 = i_{sc} = \frac{R_1}{R_1 + 4}(36) \Rightarrow R_1 = 6 \text{ } \Omega$  and

$$4 = \frac{R_t}{2} \Rightarrow R_t = 8 \text{ } \Omega. \text{ Next } 8 = R_t = (R_1 + 4) \parallel R_3 = 10 \parallel R_3 \Rightarrow R_3 = 40 \text{ } \Omega.$$

b.  $R_t = (16 + 4) \parallel 20 = 10 \text{ } \Omega$  so  $a = \frac{1}{\tau} = \frac{10}{2} = 5 \text{ s}^{-1}$ . also  $i_{sc} = \frac{16}{16 + 4}(36) = 28.8 \text{ mA}$ . Then

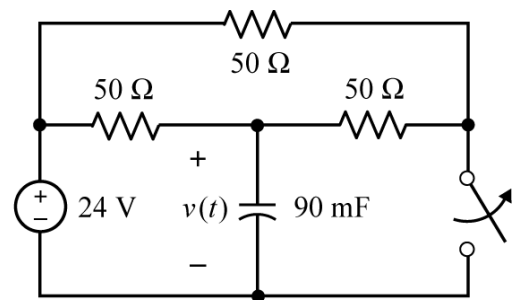
$$i(t) = i_{sc} + (i(0) - i_{sc})e^{-at} = 28.8 + (10 - 28.8)e^{-5t} = 28.8 - 18.8e^{-5t}.$$

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

$$\tau = \underline{3} \text{ s} \quad \text{and} \quad v(\infty) = \underline{24} \text{ V}$$

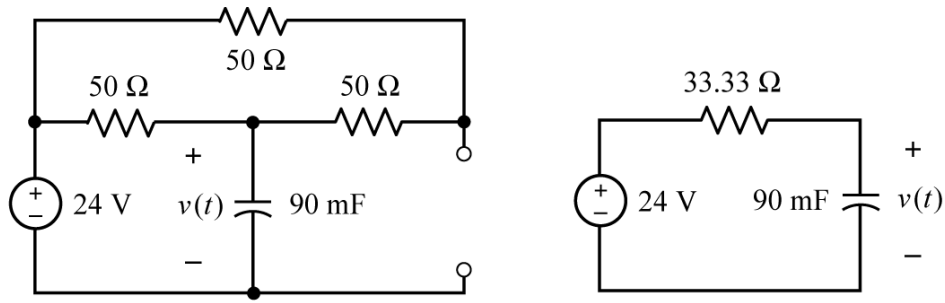
b) Determine the time constant,  $\tau$ , and the steady state capacitor voltage,  $v(\infty)$ , when the switch is closed:

$$\tau = \underline{2.25} \text{ s} \quad \text{and} \quad v(\infty) = \underline{12} \text{ V}$$



**Solution:**

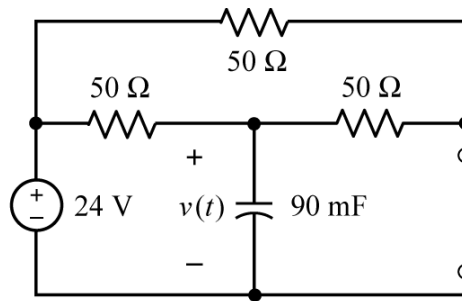
a.) When the switch is open we have



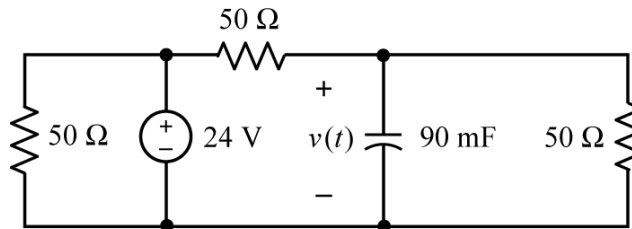
After replacing series and parallel resistors by equivalent resistors, the part of the circuit connected to the capacitor is a Thevenin equivalent circuit with  $R_t = 33.33 \Omega$ . The time constant is  $\tau = R_t C = 33.33(0.090) = 3 \text{ s}$ .

Since the input is constant, the capacitor acts like an open circuit when the circuit is at steady state. Consequently, there is zero current in the  $33.33 \Omega$  resistor and KVL gives  $v(\infty) = 24 \text{ V}$ .

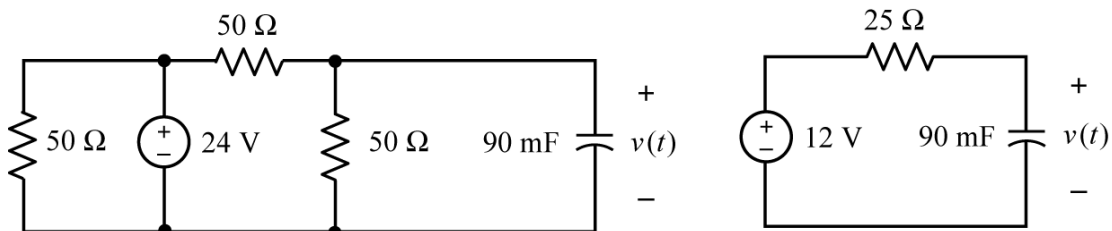
b.) When the switch is closed we have



This circuit can be redrawn as



Now we find the Thevenin equivalent of the part of the circuit connected to the capacitor:

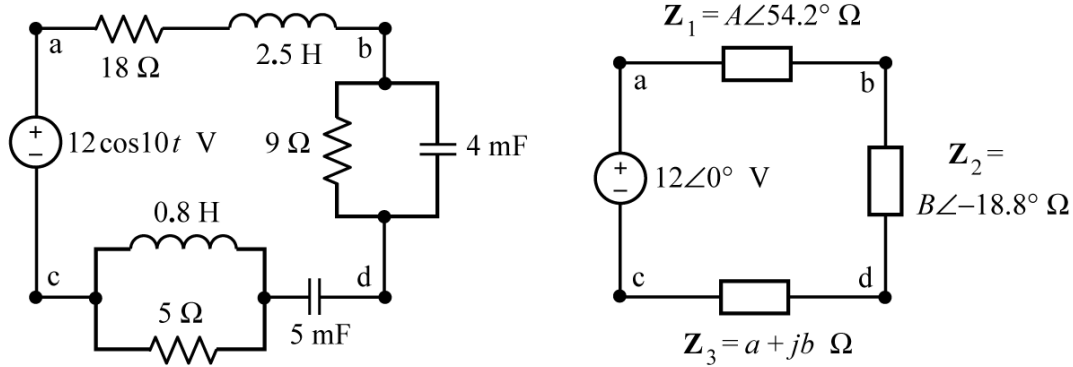


So  $R_t = 25 \Omega$  and

$$\tau = R_t C = 25(0.090) = 2.25 \text{ s}$$

Since the input is constant, the capacitor acts like an open circuit when the circuit is at steady state. Consequently, there is zero current in the  $25 \Omega$  resistor and KVL gives  $v(\infty) = 12 \text{ V}$ .

7. Here is an ac circuit represented in both the time domain and the frequency domain:



Determine the values of  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $a$  and  $b$ .

$$A = \underline{30.8} \text{ V}, B = \underline{8.47} \text{ } \Omega, a = \underline{3.57} \text{ } \Omega \text{ and } b = \underline{-17.75} \text{ } \Omega.$$

**Solution:**

The impedance between nodes a and b is given by

$$18 + j(10)(2.5) = 18 + j25 = 30.8 \angle 54.2^\circ$$

To find the impedance between nodes b and c we first find the impedance of the capacitor:

$$-j \frac{1}{(10)(0.004)} = -j \frac{1}{0.04} = -j25$$

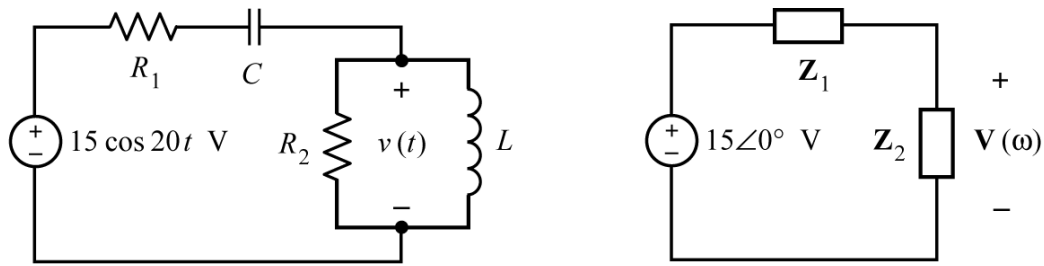
then

$$\frac{9(-j25)}{9 - j25} = \frac{-j225}{26.57 \angle -70.2^\circ} = \frac{225 \angle -90^\circ}{26.57 \angle -70.2^\circ} = 8.47 \angle -18.8^\circ \text{ } \Omega$$

The impedance between nodes c and d is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{(5)(j(10)(0.88))}{5 + j(10)(0.8)} - j \frac{1}{(10)(0.005)} &= \frac{j40}{5 + j8} - j \frac{1}{0.05} = \frac{j40}{5 + j8} \left( \frac{5 - j8}{5 - j8} \right) - j20 \\ &= \frac{320 + j200}{25 + 64} - j20 \\ &= 3.60 + j2.25 - j20 = 3.60 - j17.75 \text{ } \Omega \end{aligned}$$

8. Here is an ac circuit represented in both the time domain and the frequency domain:



Given that  $\mathbf{Z}_1 = 15.3\angle -24.1^\circ \Omega$ ,  $\mathbf{Z}_2 = 14.4\angle 36.9^\circ \Omega$  and  $\mathbf{V}(\omega) = A\angle 31.5^\circ \text{ V}$ , determine the values of  $A$ ,  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$ ,  $L$  and  $C$ .

$$A = \underline{8.43} \text{ V}, R_1 = \underline{14} \Omega, R_2 = \underline{24} \Omega, L = \underline{0.9} \text{ H and } C = \underline{8} \text{ mF.}$$

**Solution:**

Consider  $\mathbf{Z}_1$ :

$$R_1 - j\frac{1}{20C} = 15.3\angle -24.1^\circ = 14 - j6.25 \Rightarrow R_1 = 14 \Omega \text{ and } C = \frac{1}{20(6.25)} = 0.008 \text{ F} = 8 \text{ mF}$$

Next consider  $\mathbf{Z}_2$ :

$$\frac{1}{\frac{1}{R_2} + \frac{1}{j20L}} = 14.4\angle 53.1^\circ \Rightarrow \frac{1}{R_2} + \frac{1}{j20L} = \frac{1}{14.4\angle 53.1^\circ} = \frac{1}{14.4}\angle -53.1^\circ = 0.04167 - j0.05556$$

Equating coefficients gives

$$R_2 = \frac{1}{0.04167} = 24 \Omega \text{ and } L = \frac{1}{20(0.05556)} = 0.9 \text{ H}$$

Next, consider the voltage divider:

$$\begin{aligned} A\angle 31.5^\circ &= \frac{14.4\angle 36.9^\circ}{15.3\angle -24.1^\circ + 14.4\angle 36.9^\circ} (15\angle 0^\circ) = \frac{(15)(14.4)\angle 36.9^\circ}{(14 - j6.25)(11.52 + j8.64)} \\ &= \frac{216\angle 36.9^\circ}{25.52 + j2.39} \\ &= \frac{216\angle 36.9^\circ}{25.63\angle 5.4^\circ} = 8.43\angle 31.5^\circ \text{ V} \end{aligned}$$