

Q1. RMS Value and Power

(15 marks)

a) For the periodic waveform in Figure 1:

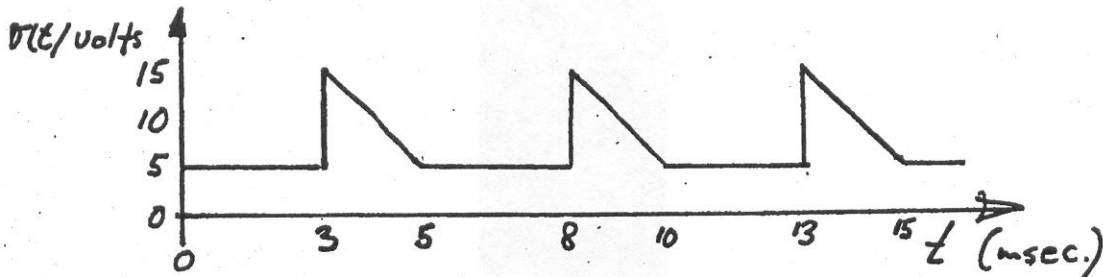


Figure 1.

ai) What are the equations for the parts of the waveform?

Answer: $v(t) = \underline{5 \text{ volts}, 0 < t < 3 \text{ msec etc.}}$
 $\underline{-5000t + 30, 3 < t < 5 \text{ msec etc.}}$ marks /3:

aii) Using the equations above, what is the equation for calculating the RMS value of the waveform?

Answer: $\text{RMS} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{.005} \left[\int_0^{.003} 5^2 dt + \int_{.003}^{.005} (-5000t + 30)^2 dt \right]}$ marks /3:

aiii) What is the RMS value of the waveform?

Answer: $\text{RMS} = \underline{7.64 \text{ volts RMS}}$ marks /2:

1b) Find the power that is absorbed or supplied by each of the elements in the following circuit:

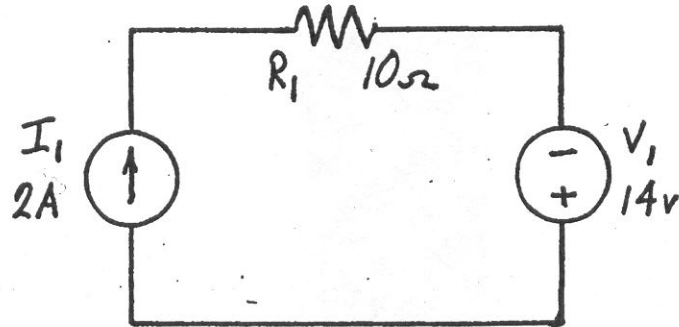


Figure 2.

Answer: Power in I_1 : -12 watts
 Power in R_1 : +40 watts
 Power in V_1 : -28 watts

marks/3:

1c) Given the circuit of Figure 3:

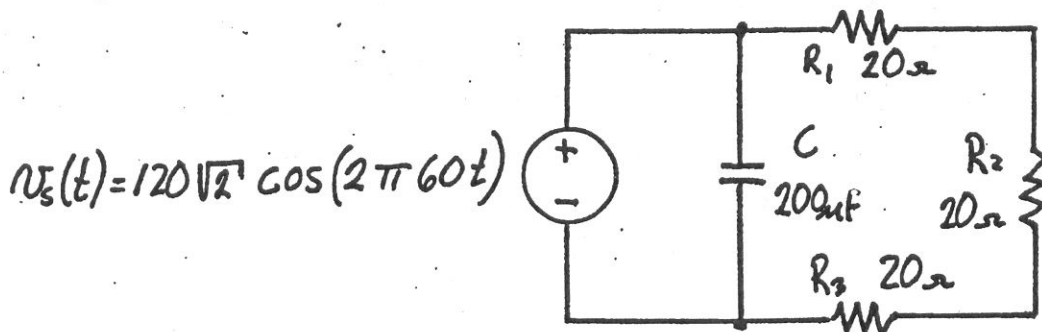


Figure 3.

What is the average power dissipated in each of R_1 and C ?

Answer: Average power in R_1 is 80w watts marks/3:

Average power in C is 0 watts marks/1:

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Q2. Thevenin, Norton and Superposition

(21 marks)

a) For the circuit shown in Figure 4, find the Thevenin equivalent source between the terminals A and B.

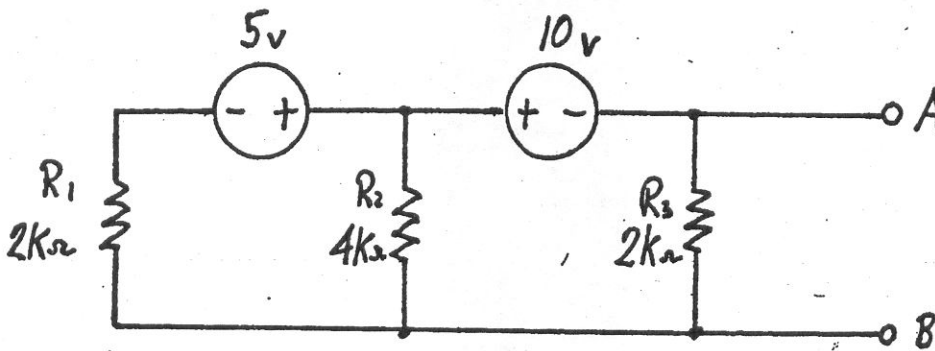
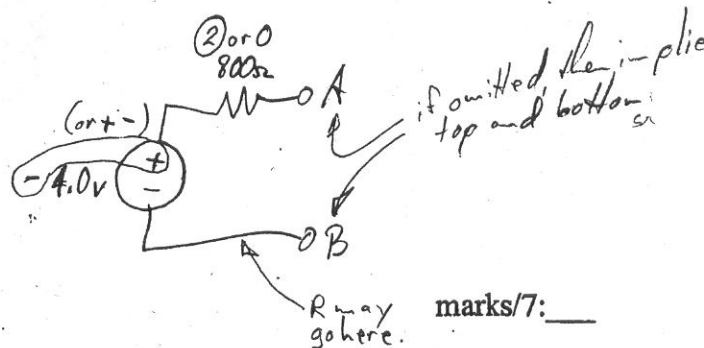


Figure 4.

Answer: Thevenin equivalent source:



b) For the circuit shown in Figure 5, find the Norton equivalent source between the terminals A and B.

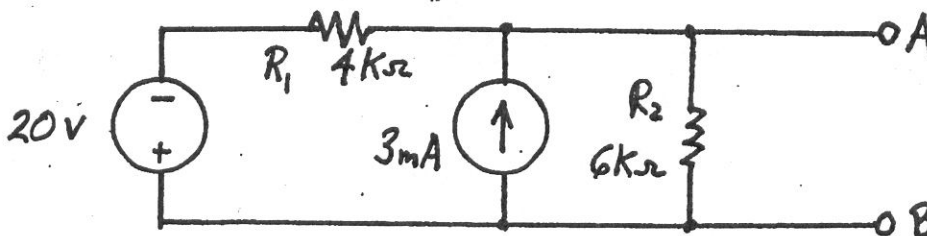
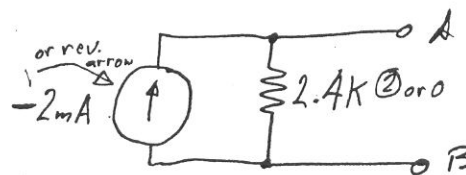


Figure 5.

Answer: Norton equivalent source:



marks/7: ___

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2c) For the circuit shown in Figure 6:

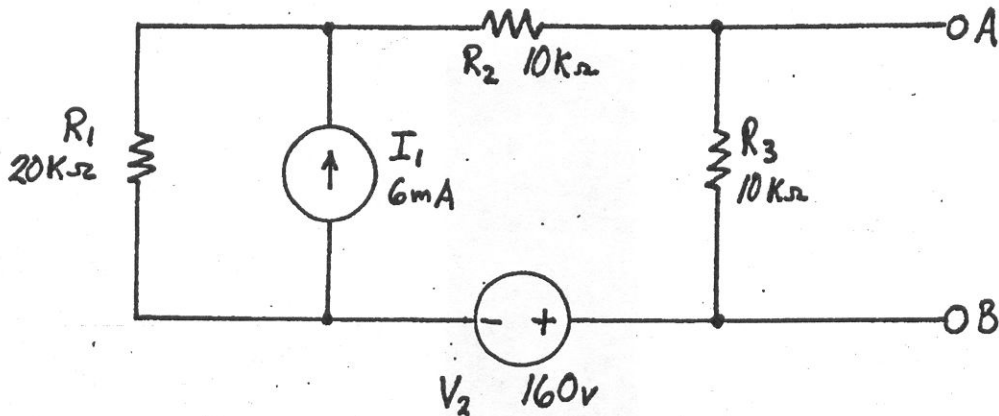


Figure 6.

Use superposition to find the contribution of each source to the output voltage V_{AB} , and then find the total output voltage V_{AB} .

Answer: Contribution to V_{AB} made by the source I_1 : +30v marks/3:

Contribution to V_{AB} made by the source V_2 : -40v marks/3:

Total V_{AB} using superposition theorem: -10v marks/1:

Q3. Nodal Analysis and Loop Analysis

(12 marks)

a) Given the circuit in Figure 7:

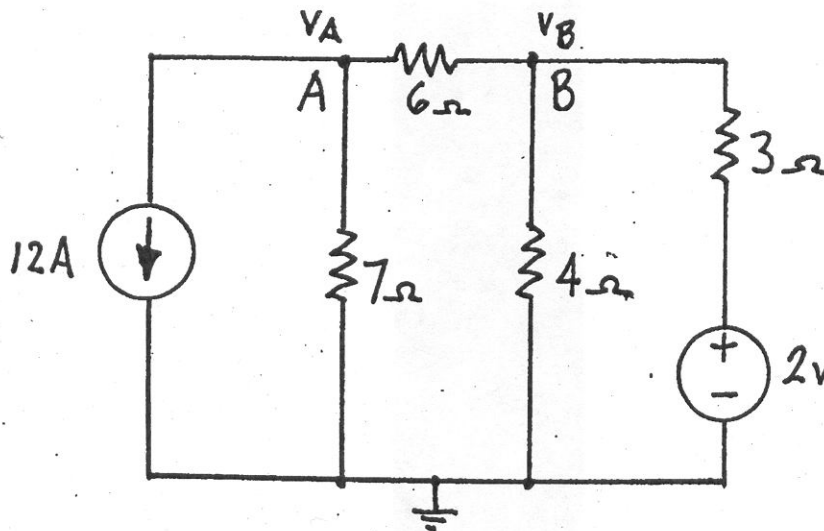


Figure 7.

Write the nodal equations at nodes A and B, using the convention that currents entering a node are positive.

Answer: At node A: $-12A + \frac{0 - V_A}{7\Omega} + \frac{V_B - V_A}{6\Omega} = 0$ marks/3: _____

At node B: $\frac{V_A - V_B}{6\Omega} + \frac{0 - V_B}{4\Omega} + \frac{2V - V_B}{3\Omega} = 0$ marks/3: _____

b) Given the circuit of Figure 8:

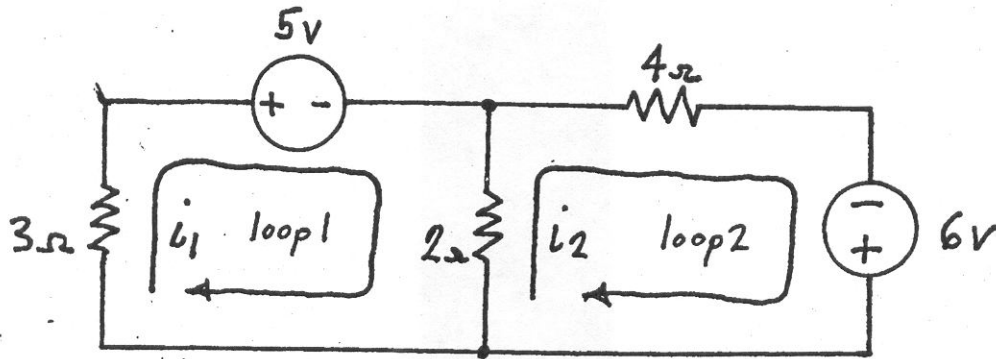


Figure 8.

Write the loop equations for the two loops.

Answer: Around loop1: $+3i_1 + 5v + 2(i_1 - i_2) = 0$ marks/3: _____

Around loop2: $+2(i_2 - i_1) + 4i_2 - 6v = 0$ marks/3: _____

(18 marks)

Q4. Phasor Analysis

Note: Answers may be in either polar or Cartesian form, but still must be simplified, e.g. $15 \angle 30^\circ$ volts, or e.g. $30-j27$ ohms.

a) For the circuit given in Figure 9:

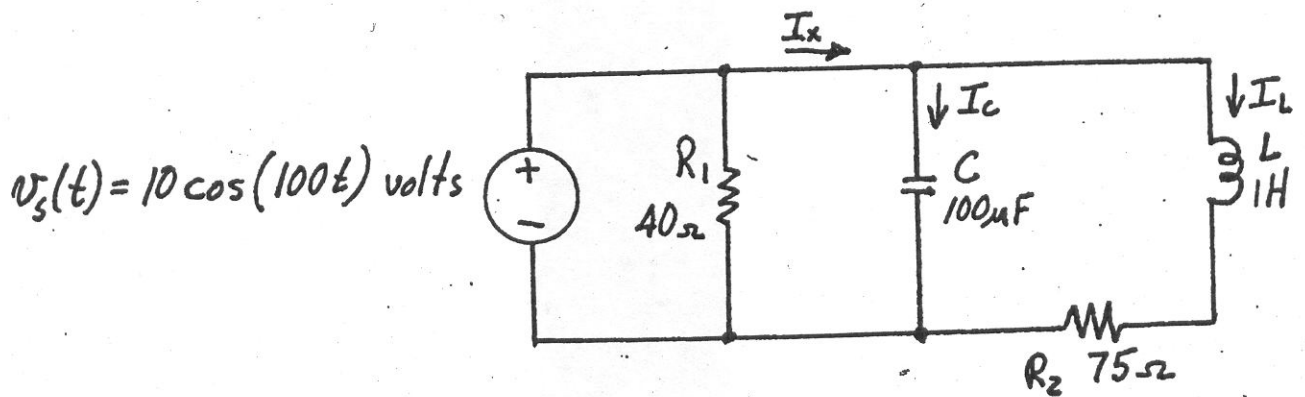


Figure 9.

a i) Find the impedance of the capacitor and the impedance of the inductor.

Answer: $Z_C = -j100$ (or $100 \angle -90^\circ$)

marks /2: ___

Answer: $Z_L = +j100$ (or $100 \angle +90^\circ$)

marks /1: ___

a ii) Find the capacitor and inductor currents as phasors.

Answer: $I_C = 0.1 \angle +90^\circ$ Amps (or $0.1j$ Amps)

marks /2: ___

Answer: $I_L = 0.08 \angle -53.13^\circ$ (or $0.048 - j0.064$)

marks /4: ___

a iii) Find the current I_x as a phasor.

Answer: $I_x = 0.048 + j0.036$ (or $0.06 \angle 36.87^\circ$)

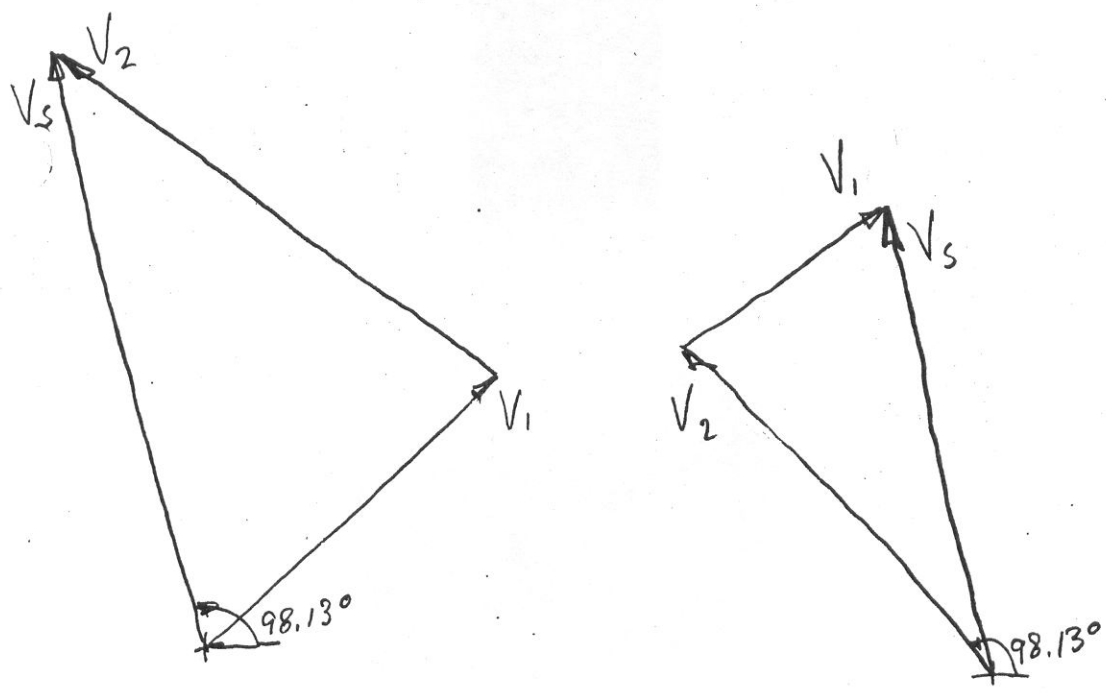
marks /2: ___

b) Given the KVL phasor equation $V_S = V_1 + V_2$ in which $V_1 = 30 \angle +45^\circ$ volts and $V_2 = 40 \angle +135^\circ$ volts: $V_S = V_1 + V_2 = (21.21 + j21.21) + (-28.28 + j28.28)$

b i) Calculate V_S as a phasor: (or $50.0 \angle +98.13^\circ$)
 Answer: $V_S = \underline{-7.07 + j49.49}$ volts marks /2:

b ii) For $V_S = V_1 + V_2$, show KVL is satisfied in a clear phasor diagram, approximately to scale:

Answer: Phasor diagram showing KVL:



marks/3:

c) A series RLC resonant circuit has $L = 0.1$ mH. What value of C is required to make the circuit resonate at a frequency of 100,000 Hz? $\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$

Answer: $C = \underline{0.023 \mu F}$ $1 \mu F$ worth ① marks /2:

Q5. Frequency Response and Bode Plots

(11 marks)

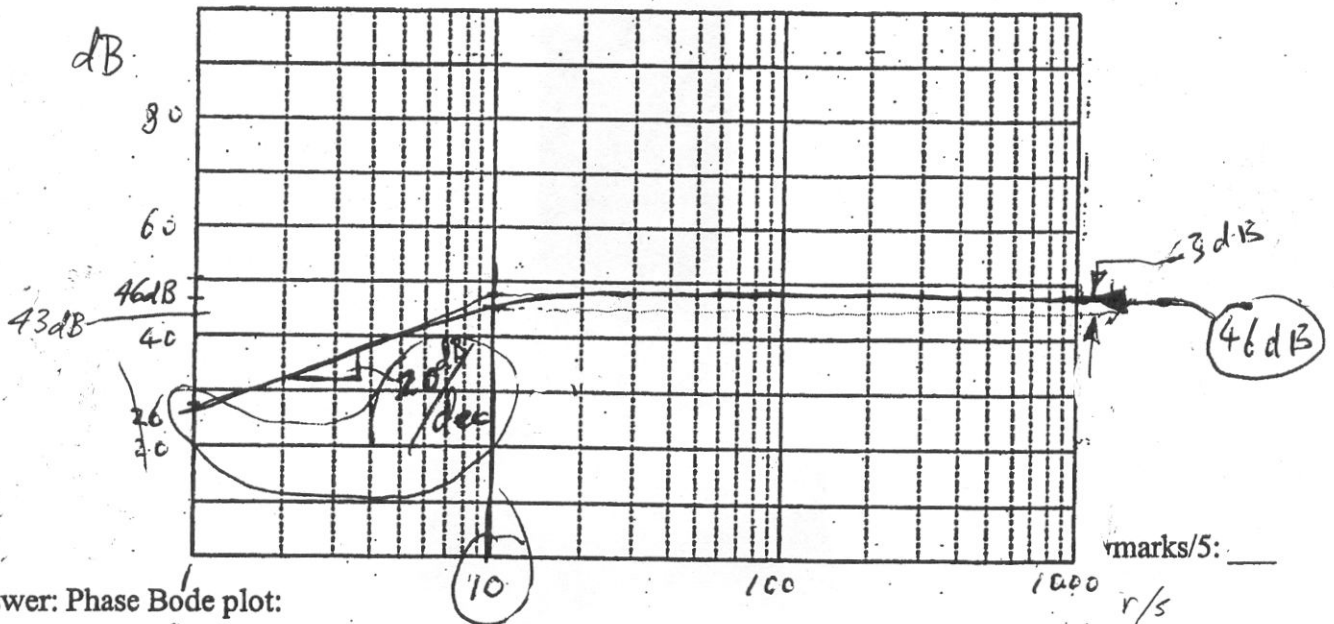
Given the transfer function $H(j\omega) = V_{OUT} / V_{IN} = j20\omega / (1+j0.1\omega)$:

a) What is the value of the corner frequency in radians per second?

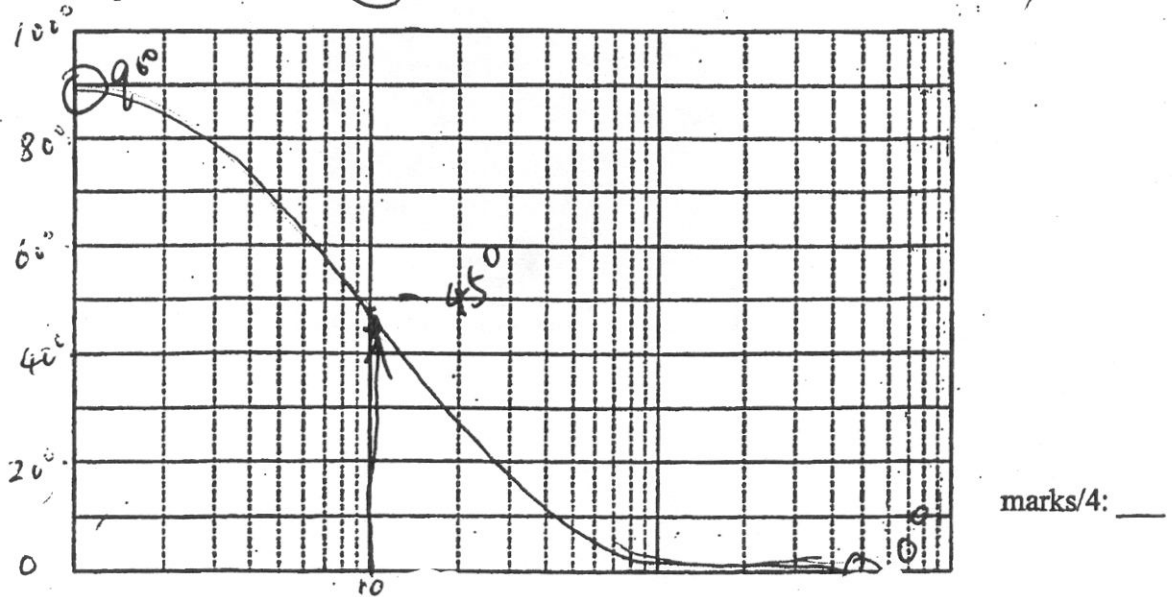
Answer: The corner frequency is 10 Rad/s marks/2:
1.59 Hz

b) Draw the magnitude and phase Bode plots, clearly indicating the *important values* on each of them.

Answer: Magnitude Bode Plot:



Answer: Phase Bode plot:



Q6. Transient Analysis

(22 marks)

a) In the circuit of Figure 10, switch S is closed for all $t < 0$. At $t = 0$ the switch is opened.

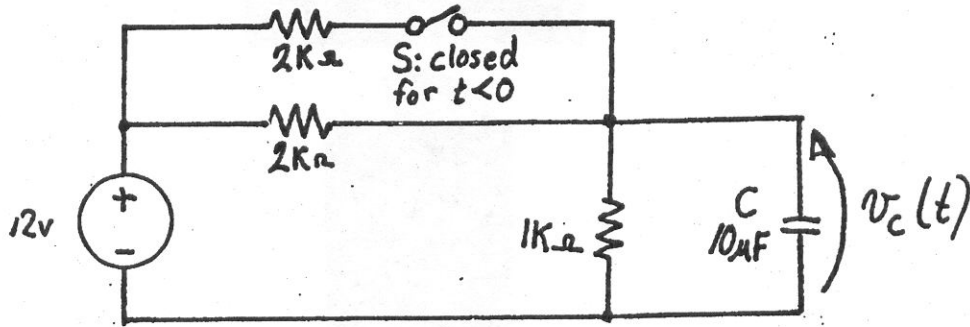


Figure 10.

a i) Find the voltage across the capacitor, v_C , for $t < 0$.

Answer: For $t < 0$, $v_C = \underline{0 \text{ V}}$ marks /1:

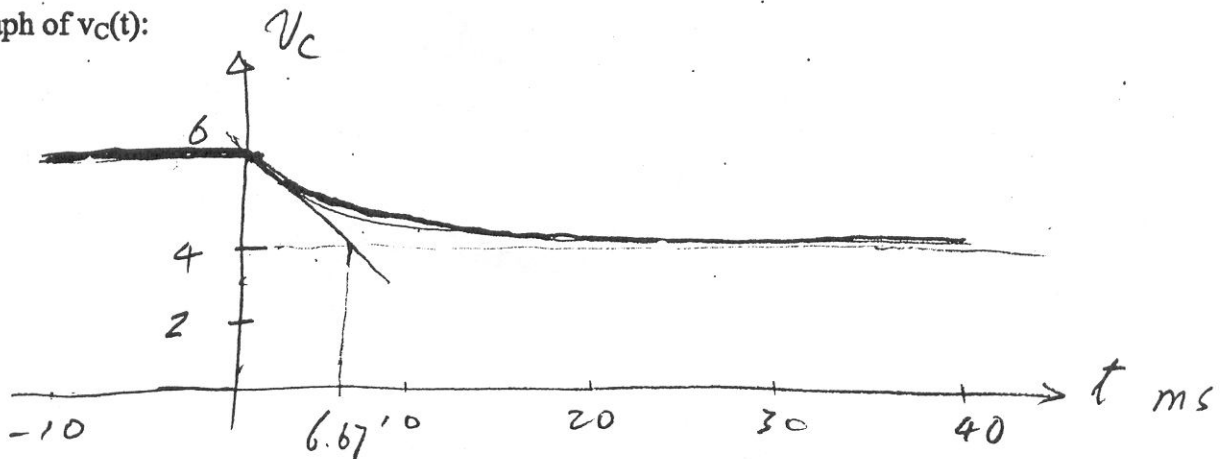
a ii) Derive an expression for the voltage across the capacitor, $v_C(t)$, for $t > 0$.

$V_F + (V_I - V_F)e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}$

Answer: For $t > 0$, $v_C(t) = \underline{4 + 2e^{-\frac{t}{6.67 \text{ ms}}}}$ marks /7:

a iii) Sketch $v_C(t)$ from $t = -10 \text{ msec.}$ to $t = +40 \text{ msec.}$ clearly showing the time constant and its relationship to the waveform.

Answer: Graph of $v_C(t)$:



marks /3:

1.371010

a iv) If the response above is interrupted at $t = +8$ msec by the switch being closed, derive a new equation for $v_C(t)$ for $t > +8$ msec.

$(V_I + (V_I - V_F) e^{-\frac{t-t_0}{\tau}})$

Answer: For $t > +8$ msec., $v_C(t) = 6 - 1.4 e^{-\frac{(t-8\text{ms})}{5\text{ms}}}$ marks /5: _____

b) In the circuit shown below in Figure 11, switch S is closed for all $t < 0$. At $t = 0$ the switch is opened.

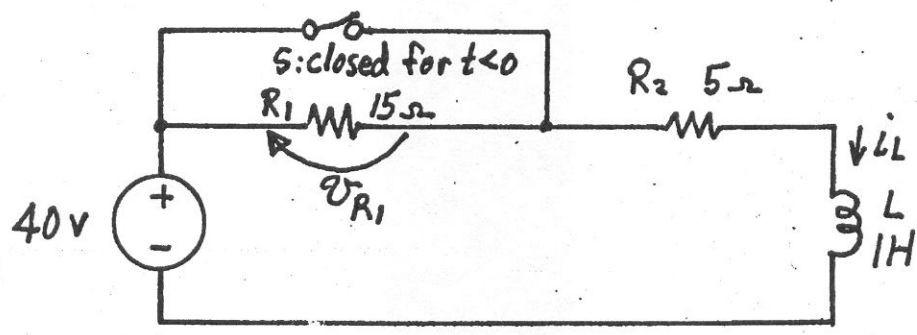
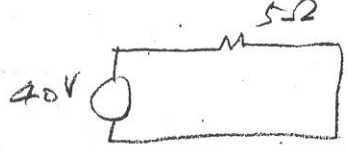


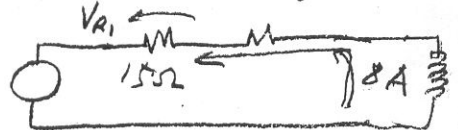
Figure 11.

b i) Find the inductor current, i_L , just before the switch is opened.



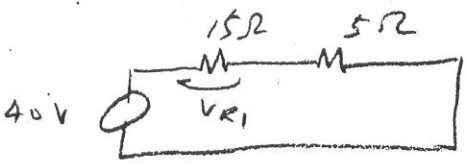
Answer: $i_L = 8 \text{ A}$ marks /2: _____

b ii) Find v_{R1} at the instant just after the switch is opened.



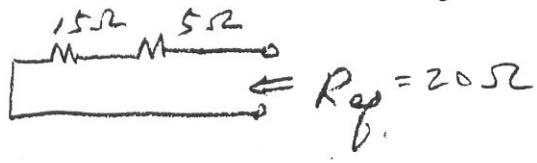
Answer: $v_{R1} = 120 \text{ V}$ marks /2: _____

b iii) Find the final value of v_{R1} .



Answer: $v_{R1} = 30 \text{ V}$ marks /1: _____

b iv) Find the time constant for the response of v_{R1} for $t > 0$.



Answer: Time Constant = $\frac{L}{R} = 0.05$ marks /1: _____
50ms