

# Mid-Term Exam

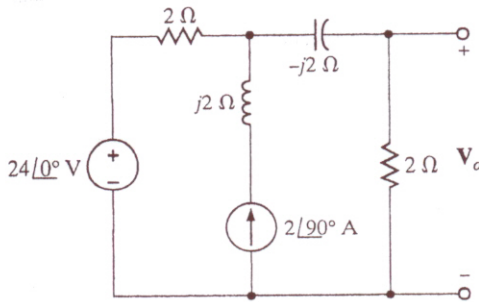
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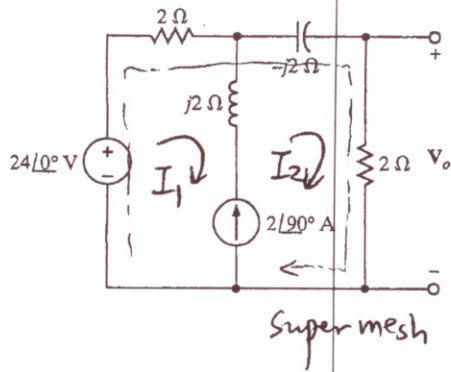
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Choose 3 (and only 3) out of 4 problems to solve. Each chosen problem carries equal weight. 100 points total. Do all work in the spaces provided. Show all work and organize it for partial credit. Include units in your answer. Open book, open notes.

**Problem 1.** Given the circuit shown below, find its Thevenin equivalent circuit in the frequency domain.





Solution: ① - Find  $V_o$ :  
KVL along supermesh:

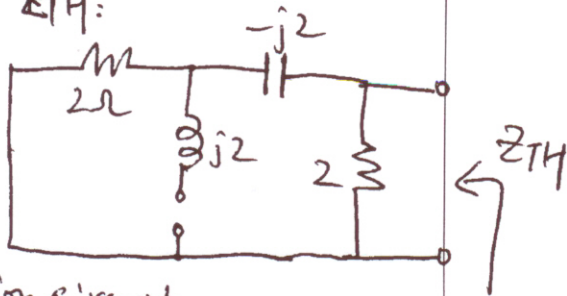
$$\begin{cases} -24\angle 0^\circ + 2I_1 - j2I_2 + 2I_2 = 0 \\ I_2 - I_1 = 2\angle 90^\circ \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} 2I_1 + (2-j2)I_2 = 24 \\ I_1 = I_2 - j2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_2 = 4.4 + j3.2 = 5.44 \angle 36^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow V_o = 2 \cdot I_2 = 10.88 \angle 36^\circ$$

②. Find  $Z_{TH}$ :



$$\begin{aligned} Z_{TH} &= 2 \parallel (2-j2) \\ &= \frac{2 \times (2-j2)}{2 + (2-j2)} \\ &= \frac{6}{5} - j\frac{2}{5} \\ &= 1.2 - j0.4 \\ &= 1.26 \angle -18.4^\circ \end{aligned}$$

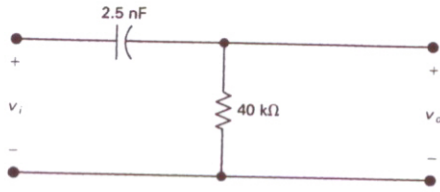
③. Thevenin circuit:



**Problem 2.** For the high-pass filter shown below,

- 1) find its transfer function  $H(j\omega) = \frac{V_o}{V_i}$ ;
- 2) find its break frequency  $\omega_c$ ;
- 3) find the magnitude and angle of  $H(j\omega)$  at  $\omega_c$ ,  $0.1 \omega_c$ , and  $10 \omega_c$ ;
- 4) If  $v_i = 800 \cos(\omega t)$  mV, write the steady-state expression for  $V_o$  when  $\omega = \omega_c$ .

Note that  $1 \text{ nF} = 10^{-9} \text{ F}$ .



$$V_i = V_i$$

$$1) \quad H(j\omega) = \frac{V_o}{V_i} = \frac{R}{R + \frac{1}{j\omega C}} = \frac{j\omega RC}{j\omega RC + 1} = \frac{j\omega \times 40 \times 10^3 \times 2.5 \times 10^{-9}}{j\omega \times 40 \times 10^3 \times 2.5 \times 10^{-9} + 1}$$

$$= \frac{j\omega}{j\omega + 10^4}$$

$$2) \quad H(j\omega) = \frac{j\omega}{j\omega + 10^4} = \frac{\omega}{\sqrt{\omega^2 + 10^8}} \angle (90^\circ - \tan^{-1} \frac{\omega}{10^4})$$

$$\text{Let } \frac{\omega}{\sqrt{\omega^2 + 10^8}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad \Rightarrow \omega = 10^4 \text{ this is the break frequency}$$

$$3) \quad H(j\omega) \Big|_{\omega=10^4} = \frac{j10,000}{j10,000 + 10,000} = 0.7071 \angle 45^\circ$$

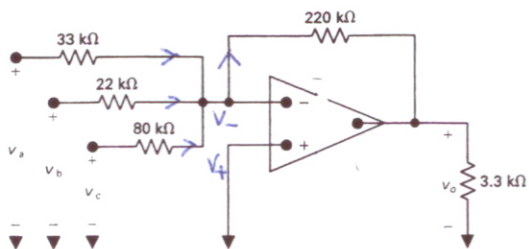
$$H(j\omega) \Big|_{\omega=0.1 \times 10^4} = \frac{j1,000}{j1,000 + 10,000} = 0.0995 \angle 84.29^\circ$$

$$H(j\omega) \Big|_{\omega=10 \times 10^4} = \frac{j100,000}{j100,000 + 10,000} = 0.9950 \angle 5.71^\circ$$

$$4) \quad V_o = V_i \cdot H(j\omega_c) = 800 \angle 0^\circ \times \frac{j \times 10,000}{j10,000 + 10,000} = 565.69 \angle 45^\circ$$

$$\text{So } v_o(t) = 565.69 \cos(10,000t + 45^\circ) \text{ mV}$$

**Problem 3.** An op amp circuit is shown below. The bottom of the circuit is connected to the ground. Find  $v_0$  if  $v_a=1.2V$ ,  $v_b=-1.5v$ , and  $v_c=4V$ .



$$\frac{-V_- + V_a}{33k} + \frac{-V_- + V_b}{22k} + \frac{-V_- + V_c}{80k} = \frac{V_- - V_o}{220k}$$

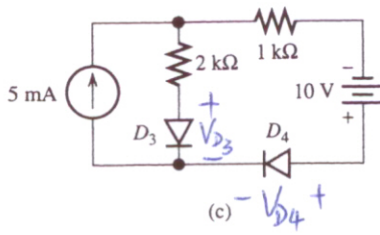
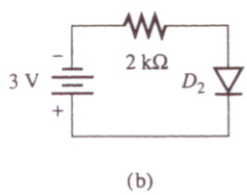
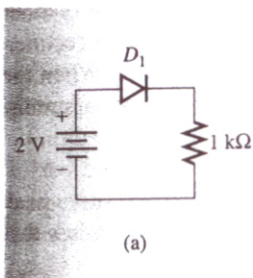
$$V_- = V_+ = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow V_o = - \left( \frac{220}{33} V_a + \frac{220}{22} V_b + \frac{220}{80} V_c \right)$$

$$= - \left( \frac{220}{33} \times 1.2 + \frac{220}{22} \times (-1.5) + \frac{220}{80} \times 4 \right)$$

$$= -4V.$$

**Problem 4.** Determine the diode states (i.e., on or off) for the circuits shown below. Assume ideal diodes.



answer:

a).  $D_1$  is on.

b).  $D_2$  is off.

c).  $D_3$  is off and  $D_4$  is on.

This can be seen by replacing  $D_3$  and  $D_4$  with very small resistances

$r_{D3}$ ,  $r_{D4}$ , and working out  $V_{D3} <$

$V_{D4} > 0$ .