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EECE 210 - Electric Circuits
Quiz 2
Closed Book - No Programmable Calculators - 90 minutes

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1. In the circuit shown in Fig. 1, $R_1 = 0.25 \text{ k}\Omega$, $R_2 = 0.05 \text{ k}\Omega$, $R_3 = 0.2 \text{ k}\Omega$, $I_1 = 5 \text{ mA}$, $I_2 = 50 \text{ mA}$, and $V_S = 5 \text{ V}$. Find v_o .

- (a) 1.5 V
(b) 2.0 V
(c) 2.5 V
(d) 3.0 V
(e) None of the above

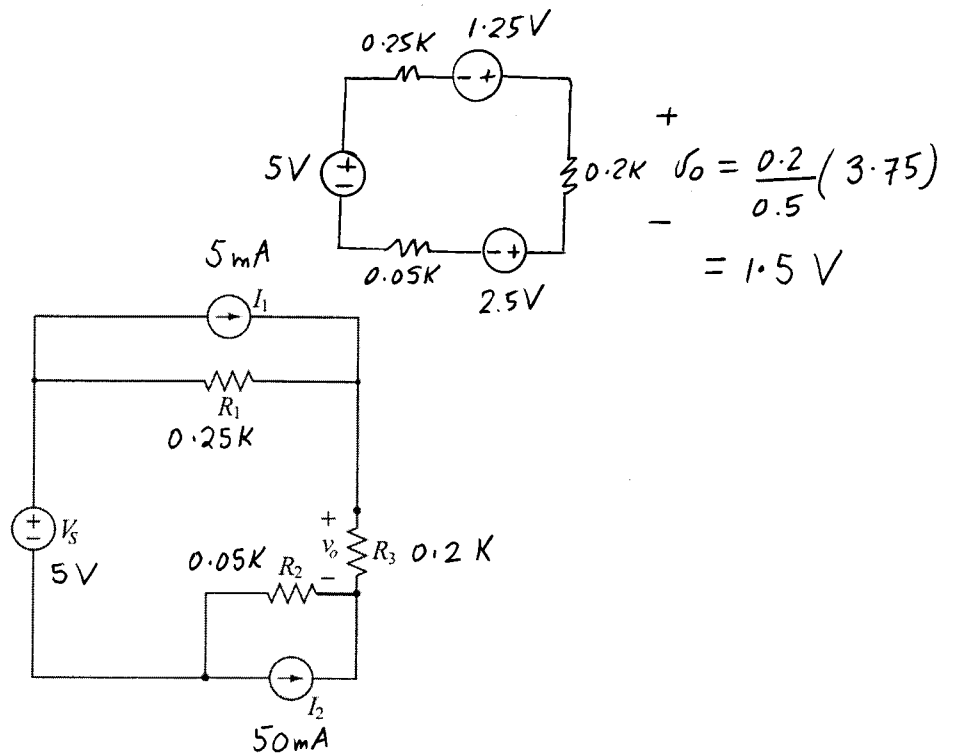


Fig. 1: Circuit for Problem 1

2. In the circuit shown in Fig. 2, $R_1 = 300 \Omega$, $R_2 = 600 \Omega$, and $R_3 = 200 \Omega$. Find the value of R_L that results in maximum power being transferred to R_L .

- (a) 300 Ω
(b) 400 Ω
(c) 500 Ω
(d) 600 Ω
(e) None of the above

$$R_L = R_{Th} = 200 + 300 // 600 = 400 \Omega$$

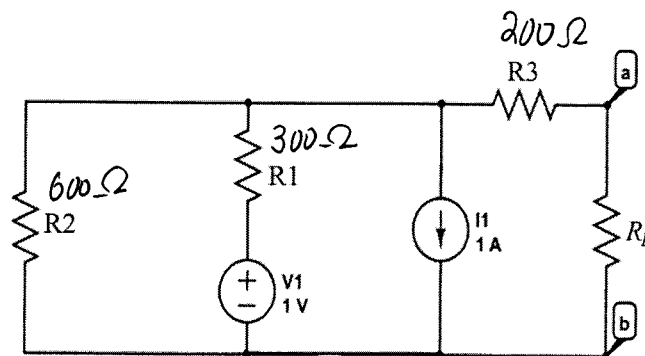


Fig. 2: Circuit for Problem 2

3. If $R = 8 \text{ k}\Omega$ in the circuit shown in Fig. 3, find the Thévenin voltage (V_{Th}) between terminals a, b .

(a) 150 V

(b) 60 V

(c) 37.5 V

☒ (d) 24 V

(e) None of the above

$$70 = 8(21 I_x) + 7 I_x$$

$$\Rightarrow I_x = 0.4 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_{Th} = 20 \times 0.4 \times 3 = 24 \text{ V}$$

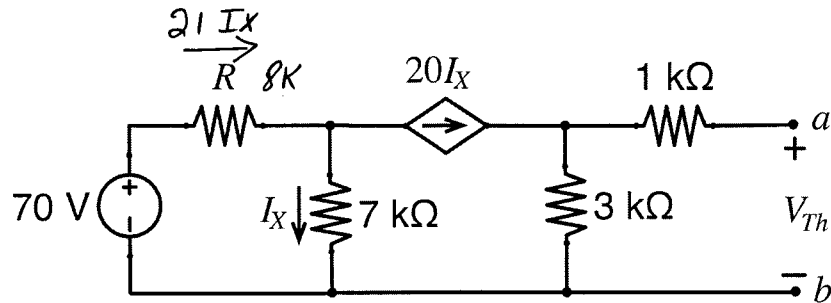


Fig. 3: Circuit of Problem 3

4. If $R = 8 \text{ k}\Omega$ in the circuit shown in Fig. 4, find the short-circuit current (I_{SC}) directed from terminal a to terminal b .

☒ (a) 6 mA

(b) 9.375 mA

(c) 15 mA

(d) 37.5 mA

(e) None of the above

$$70 = 8(21 I_x) + 7 I_x$$

$$\Rightarrow I_x = 0.4 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_{SC} = 20 \times 0.4 \times \frac{3}{4} = 6 \text{ mA}$$

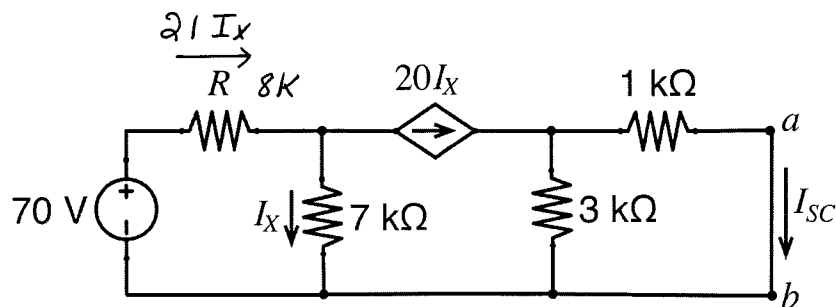


Fig. 4: Circuit of Problem 4

5. In the circuit shown in Fig. 5, $V_s = 20\text{ V}$, $R_1 = 1\text{ k}\Omega$, $R_2 = 3\text{ k}\Omega$, $R_3 = R_4 = 4\text{ k}\Omega$, and $R_5 = 2\text{ k}\Omega$. Find the maximum power that can be delivered to R_L .

- (a) 3.125 mW
(b) 2.5 mW
(c) 1.25 mW
(d) 1 mW
(e) None of the above

$$V_{Th} = \frac{4}{8} 20 = 10\text{ V}$$

$$R_{Th} = 4 + 2 + 4 \parallel 4 = 8\text{ k}\Omega$$

$$P_{Lmax} = \frac{10^2}{4 \times 8} = 3.125\text{ mW}$$

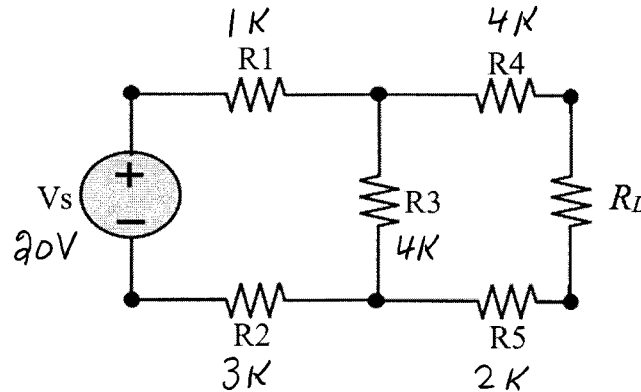


Fig. 5: Circuit of Problem 5

6. In the circuit shown in Fig. 6, $I_s = 3\text{ A}$. Find the component of I_o resulting from the I_s current source acting alone, with all the other voltage and current sources deactivated.

- (a) 3.20 A
(b) 2.67 A
(c) 2.13 A
(d) 1.60 A
(e) None of the above

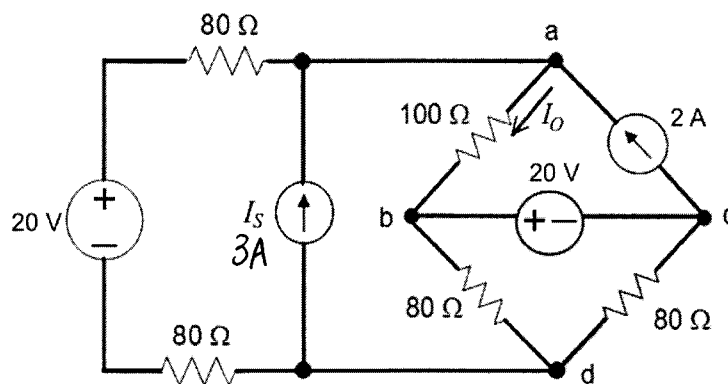
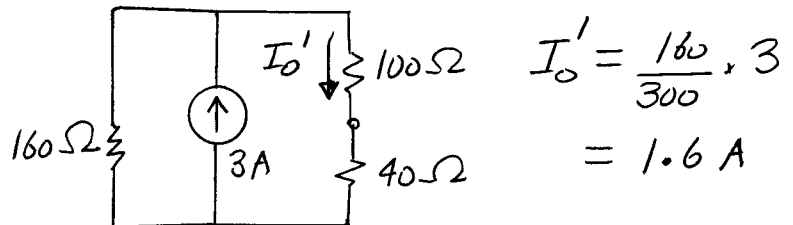


Fig. 6: Circuit of Problem 6

7. In the circuit shown in Fig. 7, $V_s = 8\text{ V}$ and $V_{cc} = 15\text{ V}$. Find the minimum value of R that can be used such that the op-amp operates in its linear region.

- (a) $10\ \Omega$
 (b) $8\ \Omega$
 (c) $4\ \Omega$
 (d) $2\ \Omega$
 (e) None of the above

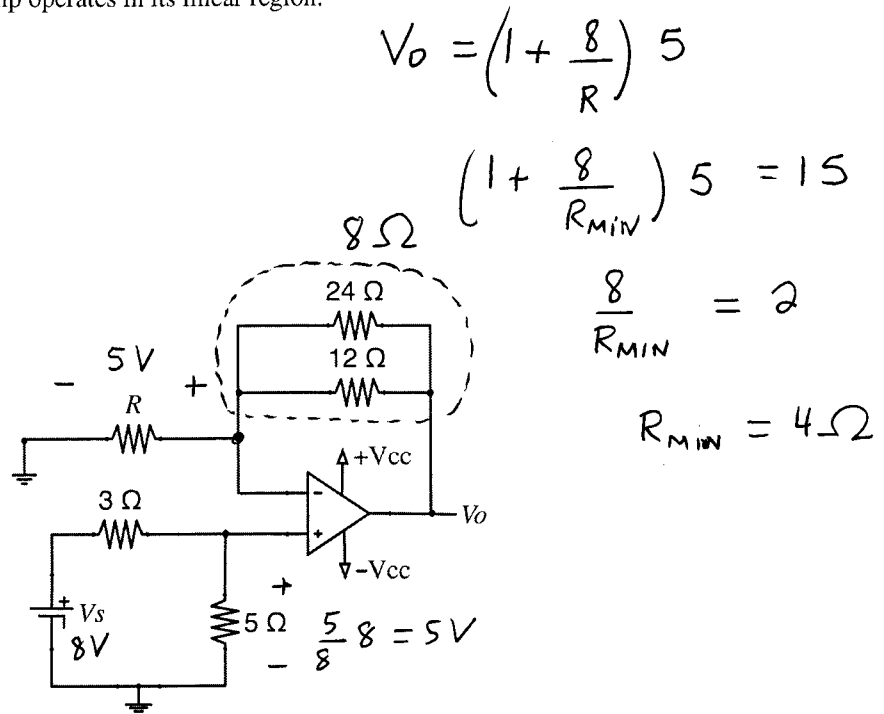


Fig. 7: Circuit of Problem 7

8. The op-amp shown in Fig. 8 is operating in the linear region and $R = 4\text{ k}\Omega$. Find V_o .

- (a) -13.5 V
 (b) -10.8 V
 (c) -9 V
 (d) -6 V
 (e) None of the above

$$V_o = - \frac{18}{4+2} (1+2)$$

$$= -9\text{ V}$$

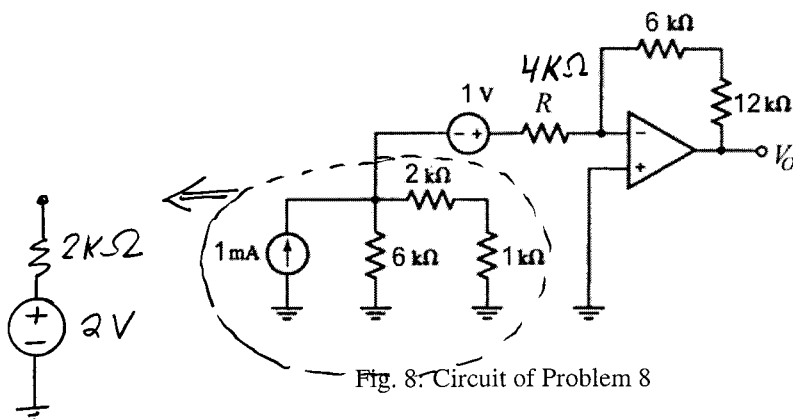


Fig. 8: Circuit of Problem 8

9. The op-amp shown in Fig. 9 is operating in the linear region. $V_S = 1\text{ V}$ and $I_S = 0.03\text{ A}$. Find V_O .

- (a) 2 V
- (b) 3 V
- (c) 4 V
- (d) 5 V
- (e) None of the above

$$V_P = \left(\frac{1}{100} + 0.03 \right) 50 = 2\text{ V}$$

$$V_n = 2 = \frac{V_O}{2} \Rightarrow V_O = 4\text{ V}$$

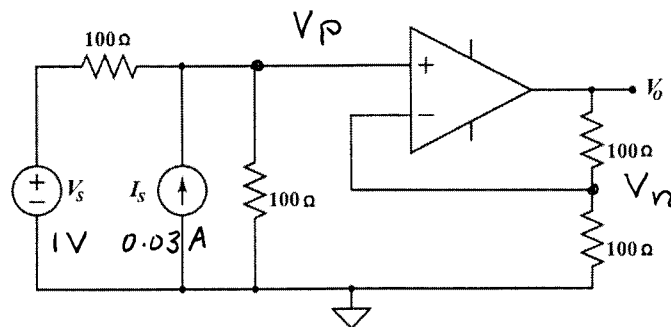
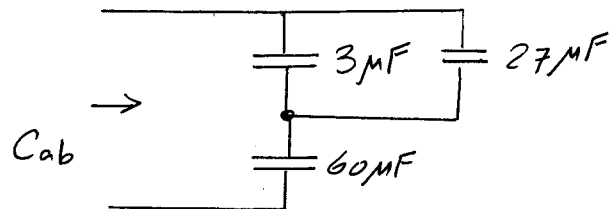


Fig. 9: Circuit of Problem 9

10. If $C_1 = 27\text{ }\mu\text{F}$ in the network shown in Fig. 10, find the equivalent capacitance with respect to the terminals a, b .

- (a) 10 μF
- (b) 12 μF
- (c) 15 μF
- (d) 20 μF
- (e) None of the above



$$C_{ab} = \frac{30 \times 60}{30 + 60} = 20\text{ }\mu\text{F}$$

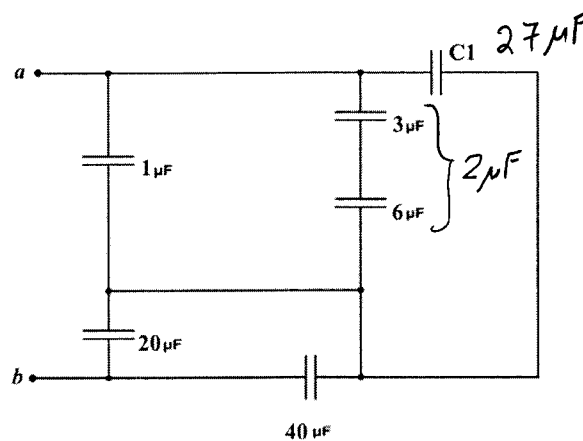


Fig. 10: Circuit of Problem 10

11. In the circuit shown in Fig. 11, $L = 5 \text{ H}$. Write the mesh-current equation around mesh 1 (corresponding to mesh-current i_1).

- (a) $V_{SRC} - 15i_1 + 5i_2 - 3(di_1/dt) + 2(di_2/dt) = 0$
 (b) $V_{SRC} - 15i_1 + 5i_2 - 8(di_1/dt) - 2(di_2/dt) = 0$
 (c) $V_{SRC} - 15i_1 + 5i_2 - 3(di_1/dt) - 2(di_2/dt) = 0$
 (d) $V_{SRC} - 15i_1 + 5i_2 - 8(di_1/dt) + 2(di_2/dt) = 0$
 (e) None of the above

$$\begin{aligned}
 & -V_{SRC} + 10\dot{i}_1 + \frac{3d\dot{i}_1}{dt} - 2\frac{d\dot{i}_2}{dt} \\
 & + 5(\dot{i}_1 - \dot{i}_2) + 5\frac{d\dot{i}_1}{dt} = 0 \\
 \Rightarrow & V_{SRC} - 15\dot{i}_1 + 5\dot{i}_2 - 8\frac{d\dot{i}_1}{dt} + 2\frac{d\dot{i}_2}{dt} = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

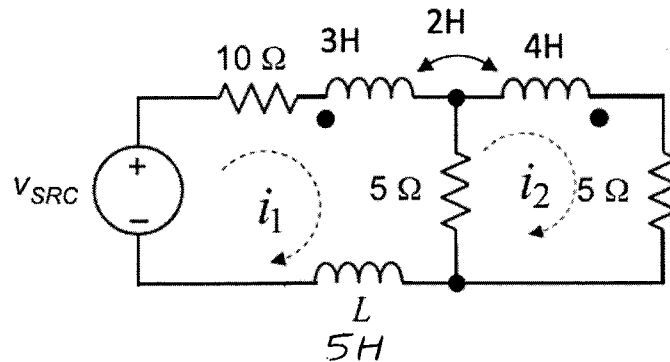


Fig. 11: Circuit of Problem 11

12. In the circuit shown in Fig. 12, $V_S = 30 \text{ V}$ and $C = 20 \mu\text{F}$. The switch has been in position x for a long time, and is moved to position y at $t = 0$. How much energy is delivered to the 40Ω resistor in the time interval $0 \leq t < \infty$?

- (a) 5 mJ
 (b) 11.25 mJ
 (c) 20 mJ
 (d) 31.25 mJ
 (e) None of the above

$$V_C(0^-) = \frac{50}{60}(30) = 25 \text{ V}$$

$$\tau = 20 \times 10^{-6} \times 50 = 10^{-3} \text{ s}$$

$$V_C(t) = 25e^{-1000t} \text{ V}$$

$$V_{40\Omega}(t) = \frac{40}{50}V_C(t) = 20e^{-1000t} \text{ V}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{40\Omega}(t) &= \frac{1}{40}V_{40\Omega}^2 = 10e^{-2000t} \text{ W} \Rightarrow W_{40\Omega} = \int_0^\infty 10e^{-2000t} dt \\
 &= \frac{10}{2000} \\
 &= 5 \text{ mJ}
 \end{aligned}$$

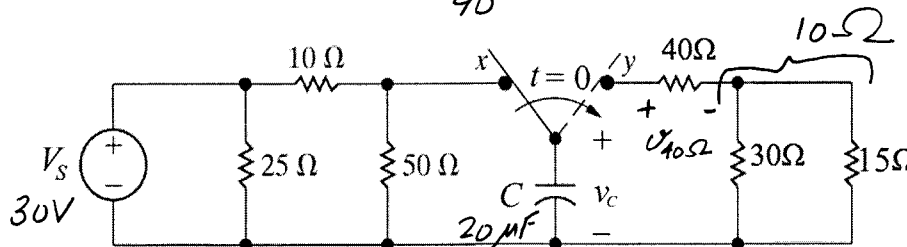


Fig. 12: Circuit of Problem 12

13. In the circuit shown in Fig. 13, the initial current in the inductor (I_0) is 10 A at $t = 0$. Find the value of the voltage $v_3(t)$ across resistor R3 at $t = 3$ s.

(a) 11.036 V

(b) 4.060 V

(c) 1.494 V

(d) 0.549 V

(e) None of the above

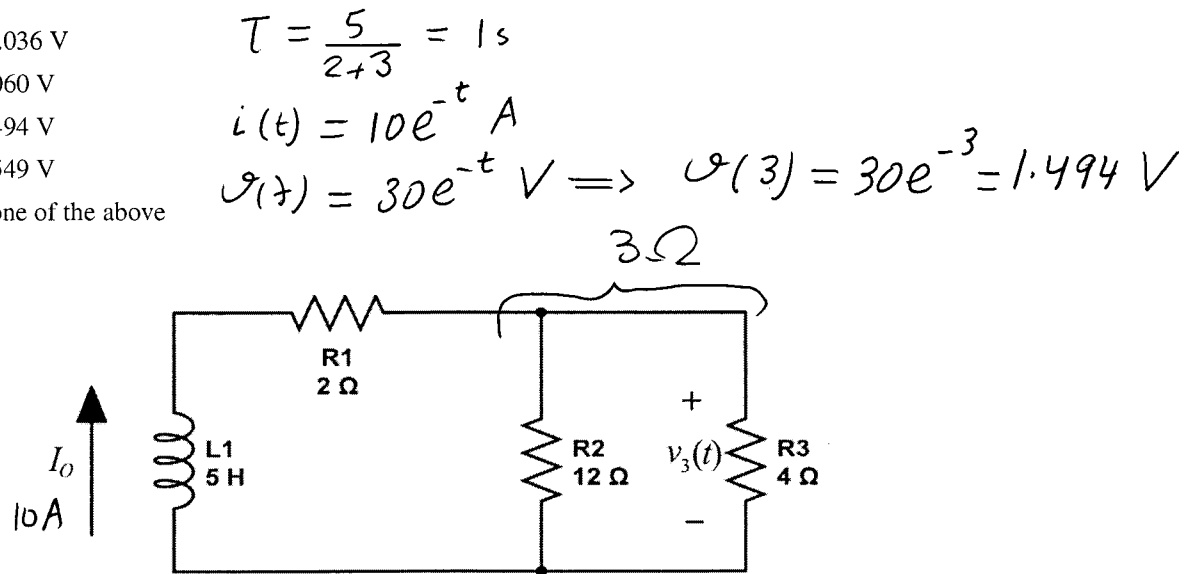


Fig. 13: Circuit of Problem 13

14. In the circuit shown in Fig. 14, $V_s = 10$ V, $L = 0.2$ H, and $R = 5$ Ω. The switch has been closed for a long time before it is opened at $t = 0$. The equation of $i(t)$ for $t \geq 0$ is: $i(t) = I_0 e^{-\alpha t}$ A. Find the value of α .

(a) 6 s^{-1}

(b) 30 s^{-1}

(c) 60 s^{-1}

(d) 120 s^{-1}

(e) None of the above

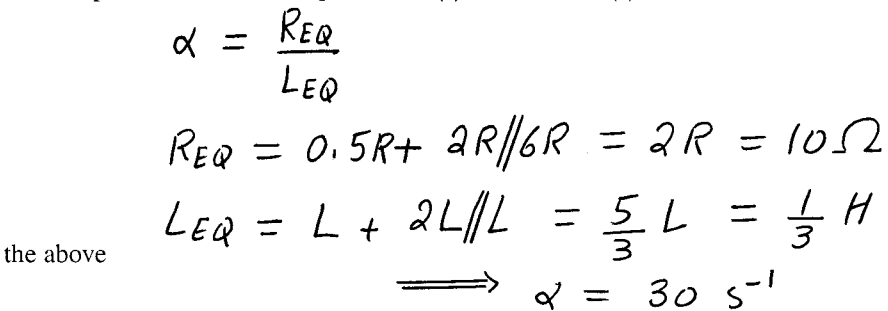


Fig. 14: Circuit of Problem 14

15. In the circuit shown in Fig. 15, $C_1 = 6 \mu\text{F}$, $C_2 = 4 \mu\text{F}$, and $R = 125 \text{ k}\Omega$. The initial voltages on capacitors C_1 and C_2 have been established by sources not shown: $v_1(0) = 20 \text{ V}$ and $v_2(0) = -10 \text{ V}$. The switch is closed at $t = 0$. Determine how much energy is stored in capacitor C_1 as $t \rightarrow \infty$.

- (a) $588 \mu\text{J}$
- (b) $768 \mu\text{J}$
- (c) $972 \mu\text{J}$
- (d) $1452 \mu\text{J}$
- (e) None of the above

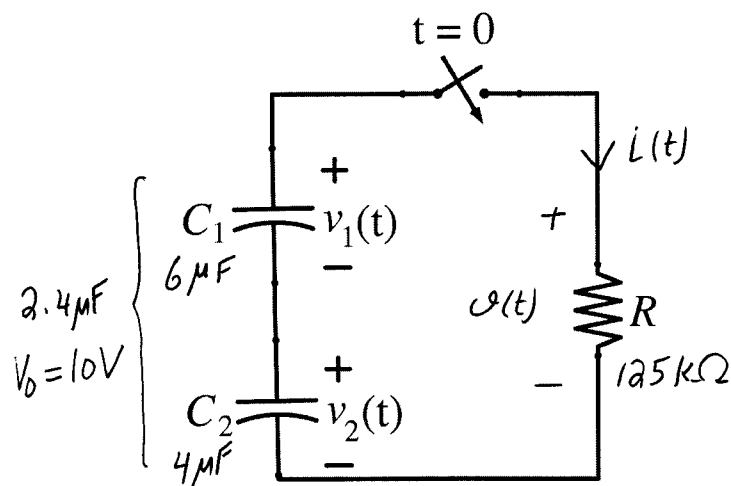


Fig. 15: Circuit of Problem 15

$$\tau = 2.4 \times 10^{-6} \times 125 \times 10^3 = 0.3 \text{ s}$$

$$v(t) = 10 e^{-t/0.3} \text{ V}$$

$$i(t) = 80 e^{-t/0.3} \mu\text{A}$$

$$v_1(\infty) = -\frac{1}{6} \int_0^{\infty} 80 e^{-t/0.3} dt + 20$$

$$= \frac{0.3 \times 80}{6} (0 - 1) + 20$$

$$= 16 \text{ V}$$

$$W_1(\infty) = \frac{1}{2} 6 (16)^2$$

$$= 768 \mu\text{J}$$