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Electrical and Electronics Engineering

EE 3251 — ELECTRIC CIRCUIT ANALYSIS

(Common to Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering/Instrumentation and Control Engineering)

(Regulations 2021)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

Answer ALL questions.

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

1. State ohm's Law and specify the limitations of ohm's Law.
2. Three resistors R_A , R_B and R_C are connected in series to a 220 V source as shown in Fig. 1. Determine the value of resistors, R_B , and R_C .

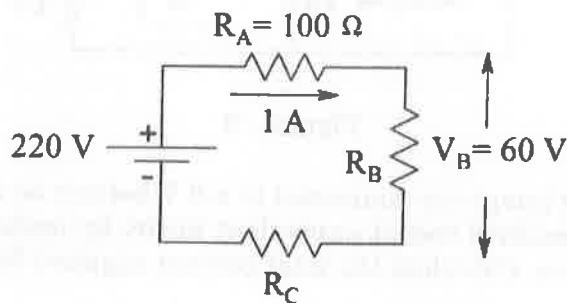


Figure – 1

3. State Reciprocity Theorem.
4. Determine the voltage across the 10Ω resistor in Fig.2.

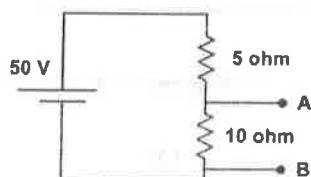


Figure – 2

5. Define the time constant of RL circuit.
6. A series RC circuit consists of resistor of 10Ω and capacitor of 0.1 F . A constant voltage 10 of 20 V is applied to the circuit at time $t = 0$. Obtain the current equation.
7. Define Quality factor of the coil.
8. Two identical coils, each have self-inductance, $L = 0.03 \text{ H}$. If coefficient of coupling, k is 0.8 , determine the value of mutual inductance between the coils, M .
9. In two wattmeter method of three phase power measurement, compute the readings of wattmeters in terms of voltage, V_L and current, I_L if the power factor is unity.
10. What is power factor leading and power factor lagging?

PART B — ($5 \times 13 = 65$ marks)

11. (a) (i) Determine the mesh currents I_1 and I_2 in the circuit shown in the Fig. 3. (7)

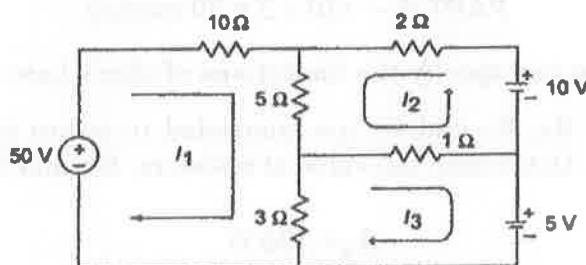


Figure – 3

- (ii) Three lamps are connected to a 9 V battery as shown in Fig. 4. Draw the resistive circuit equivalent model by modelling each lamp as a resistor. Calculate the total current supplied by the battery. (6)

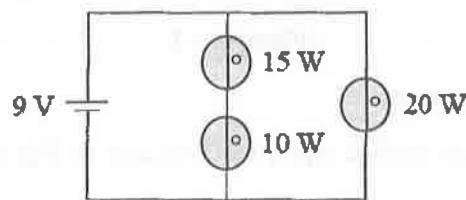


Figure – 4

Or

- (b) (i) Using node voltage method, determine the voltages at node 1 and 2 in the circuit shown in Fig. 5. (7+6)

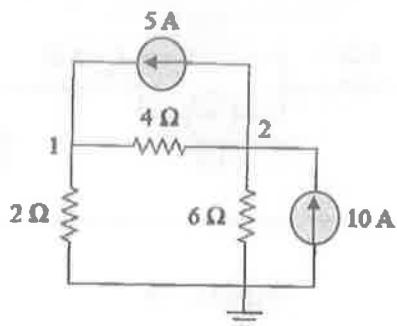


Figure – 5

- (ii) If $R_{eq} = 50\Omega$, in the circuit shown in Fig. 6, determine the value of R . (7+6)

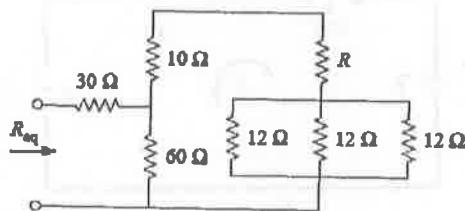


Figure – 6

12. (a) For the circuit shown in Fig. 7, find the Thevenin's equivalent circuit and find the value of (i) R_L for maximum power transfer and (ii) the maximum power transferred to R_L using maximum power transfer theorem. (13)

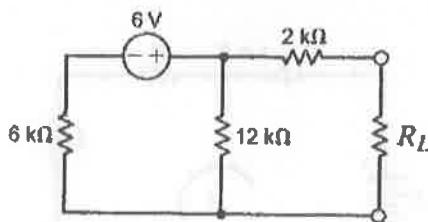


Figure – 7

Or

- (b) Determine the current, I in the circuit shown in Fig. 8 using the superposition theorem. (13)

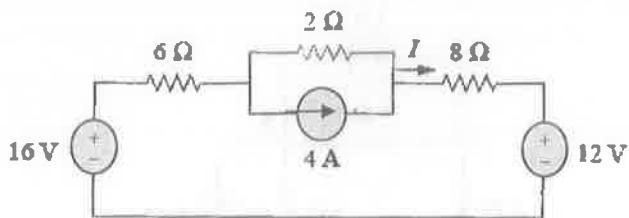


Figure – 8

13. (a) A series RL circuit as shown in Fig. 9, has a dc input voltage, E applied to it at $t = 0$ seconds through switch. At the instant of switching, the current, i is zero. Derive and find the expression for the transient current, $i(t)$. Also, draw the transient response of the current (13)

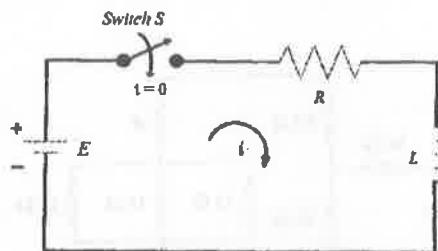


Figure – 9

Or

- (b) A series RLC circuit as shown in Fig. 10 has a dc input voltage of E applied to it at $t = 0$ seconds through switch. Derive and find the expression for the transient current, $i(t)$ for the overdamped condition. Assume initial relaxed circuit conditions. (13)

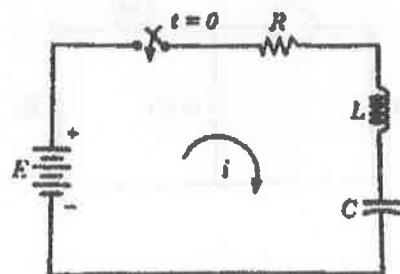


Figure – 10

14. (a) Derive the expression for equivalent inductance, L for the circuit shown in Fig. 11. L_1 , L_2 are the self inductances and M is the mutual inductance.

(13)

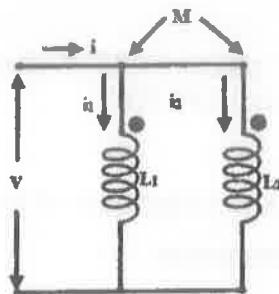


Figure – 11

Or

- (b) Draw the frequency response of a series RLC circuit and derive the expression for bandwidth, B and Quality factor, Q in terms of resistance, R and inductance, L . (13)

15. (a) A balanced star connected load takes 9 kW at a lagging power factor of 0.8 when connected to a three phase, star connected 400 V, 50 Hz supply. Find the per phase values of load elements. Given supply voltage is line voltage. (13)

Or

- (b) Three coils of resistance 4Ω and inductive reactance 3Ω are connected in delta across 400 V, 50 Hz supply. Find the current in the coil, line current, active, reactive and apparent power. (13)

PART C — (1 × 15 = 15 marks)

16. (a) (i) Why an unbalanced star connected load is not normally used in 3 wire 3 phase system? (6)
(ii) A balanced delta connected 3ϕ load is fed from 3ϕ , 400 V supply. The line current is 20 A and total power absorbed by load is 10 kw.

Calculate

- (1) The impedance in each branch
- (2) The power factor
- (3) Total power consumed if some impedances are star connected. (9)

Or

- (b) (i) Three single phase loads can be connected in either star or in delta to form a 3 phase load. Which of these connections results in higher current when connected to a 3 phase supply? (6)
- (ii) A balanced 3ϕ star connected load is fed from 400V, 3ϕ , 50 Hz supply.

The current per phase is 25 A (lagging) and total active power observed by load is 13.86 KW.

Determine

- (1) Resistance and inductance of load per phase
- (2) Total reactive power
- (3) Total apparent power. (9)

1. $\text{Base } P = 13.86 \text{ KW}$

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all electric load having 25A current is fed from a 400V three phase supply. If the total active power observed by load is 13.86 KW.

total current through each of the 3ϕ load is 25A. Then find the angle θ and $P^2 + Q^2$ of maximum reactive power which is to be supplied by the system. Given $\tan \theta = 0.8$. Also load is resistive and non-inductive.

Q:

Given that a 3ϕ load has a total active power of 13.86 KW. If the total current through each of the 3ϕ load is 25A. Then find the angle θ and $P^2 + Q^2$ of maximum reactive power which is to be supplied by the system. Given $\tan \theta = 0.8$.

$$\text{given } P = 13.86 \text{ KW}$$

so base quantity and all load quantities will be taken as 100%.

Given $\tan \theta = 0.8$ but as load is resistive and non-inductive so angle θ is lagging in load. So load current phasor lags behind voltage phasor by 72° .

so $\cos \theta = \frac{P}{S} = \frac{13.86}{100} = 0.1386$ and $\sin \theta = \frac{Q}{S} = \frac{Q}{100}$

so $\sin \theta = \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 \theta} = \sqrt{1 - 0.1386^2} = 0.986$

so $\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \frac{0.986}{0.1386} = 7.18$

so $\theta = 72^\circ$ and $\sin \theta = 0.986$ and $\cos \theta = 0.1386$

so $P = 13.86 \text{ KW}$ and $Q = 13.86 \times 0.986 = 13.62 \text{ KVAR}$

so $S = \sqrt{P^2 + Q^2} = \sqrt{13.86^2 + 13.62^2} = 19.02 \text{ KVA}$