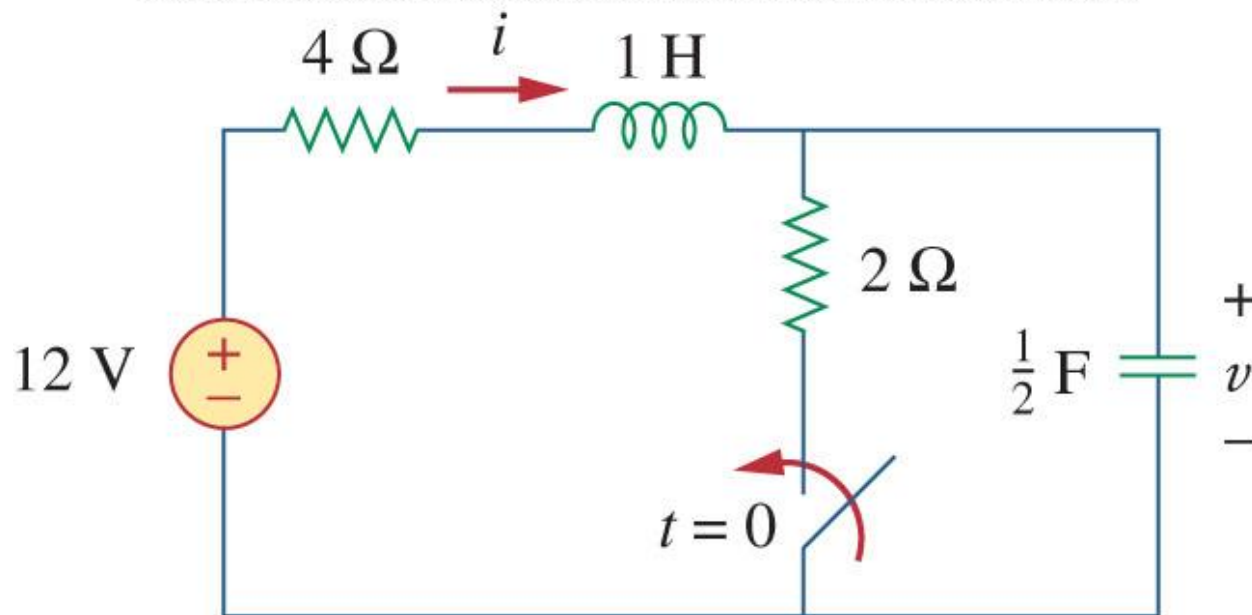


General Second-Order Circuits

- An example

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General Second-Order Circuits

- The principles of solving the series/parallel forms of RLC circuits can **be applied** to **general second-order circuits**, by taking the following six steps:
 1. First determine the initial conditions, $x(0)$ and $dx(0)/dt$.
 2. **Applying KVL and KCL**, to find the general second-order differential equation to describe $x(t)$.
 3. **Depending on the roots of C.E. , the form of the general solution $x_{g.s.}(t)$ (3 cases) of homogeneous equation can be determined.**
 4. We obtain the **particular solution** by observation/calculation, **specially** for a DC/step response

$$x_{p.s.}(t) = x(\infty)$$

5. The total response = general solution + particular solution.

$$X(t) = x_{p.s.}(t) + x_{g.s.}(t)$$

6. Using the initial conditions to determine the constants of $X(t)$.



General solution for second-order circuits for $t \geq 0$.

$x(t)$ = unknown variable (voltage or current)

Differential equation: $x'' + ax' + bx = c$

Initial conditions: $x(0)$ and $x'(0)$

Final condition: $x(\infty) = \frac{c}{b}$

$$\alpha = \frac{a}{2} \quad \omega_0 = \sqrt{b}$$

Overdamped Response $\alpha > \omega_0$

$$x(t) = [A_1 e^{s_1 t} + A_2 e^{s_2 t} + x(\infty)]$$

$$s_1 = -\alpha + \sqrt{\alpha^2 - \omega_0^2} \quad s_2 = -\alpha - \sqrt{\alpha^2 - \omega_0^2}$$

$$A_1 = \frac{x'(0) - s_2[x(0) - x(\infty)]}{s_1 - s_2} \quad A_2 = -\left[\frac{x'(0) - s_1[x(0) - x(\infty)]}{s_1 - s_2} \right]$$

Critically Damped $\alpha = \omega_0$

$$x(t) = [(B_1 + B_2 t)e^{-\alpha t} + x(\infty)]$$

$$B_1 = x(0) - x(\infty) \quad B_2 = x'(0) + \alpha[x(0) - x(\infty)]$$

Underdamped $\alpha < \omega_0$

$$x(t) = [D_1 \cos \omega_d t + D_2 \sin \omega_d t] e^{-\alpha t} + x(\infty)$$

$$D_1 = x(0) - x(\infty) \quad D_2 = \frac{x'(0) + \alpha[x(0) - x(\infty)]}{\omega_d}$$

$$\omega_d = \sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \alpha^2}$$



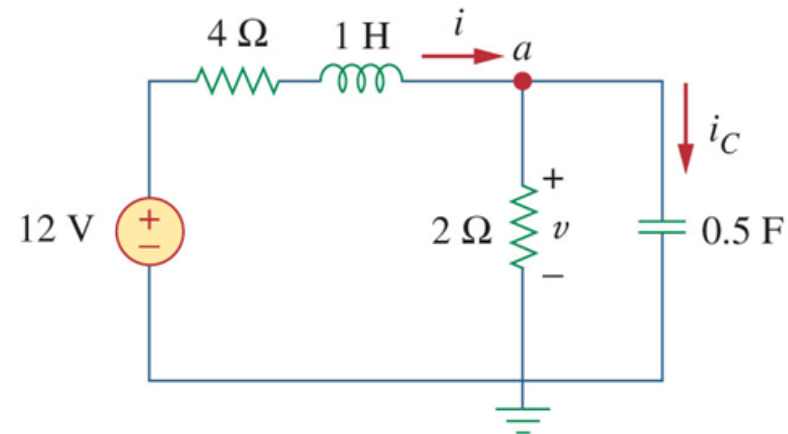
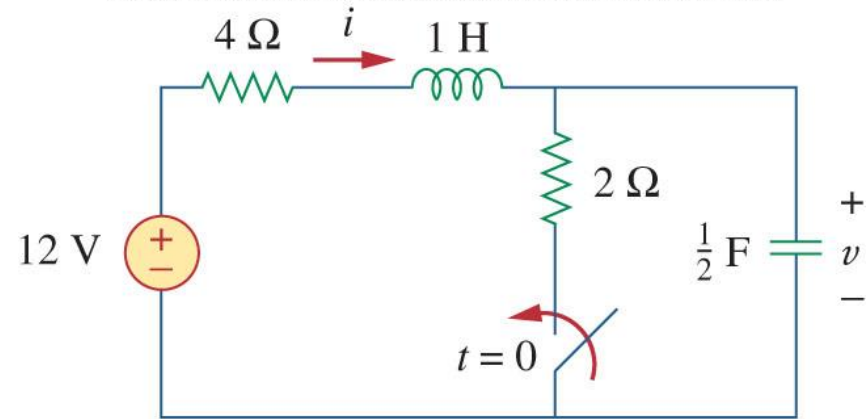
General RLC Circuits

- Find the complete response $v(t)$ for $t > 0$ in the circuit.

1. Initial conditions

$$v(0^+) = v(0^-) = 12V, i(0^+) = i(0^-) = 0$$

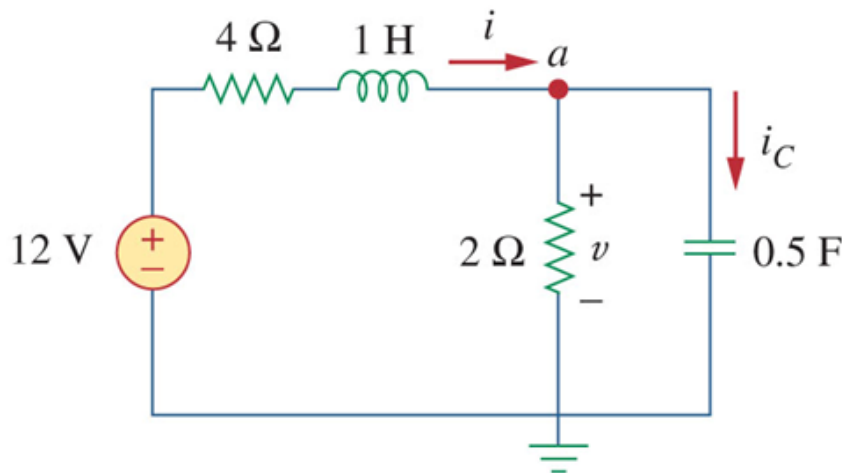
$$\frac{dv(0^+)}{dt} = \frac{i_C(0^+)}{C} = \frac{-12/2}{0.5} = -12 V/s$$





General RLC Circuits

- Find the complete response $v(t)$ for $t > 0$ in the circuit.

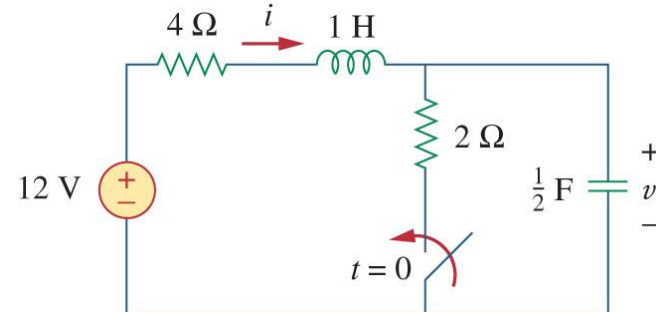


2. KCL at node a : $i = \frac{v}{2} + 0.5 \frac{dv}{dt}$

KVL on left mesh: $4i + 1 \frac{di}{dt} + v = 12$

➔ $\frac{d^2v}{dt^2} + 5 \frac{dv}{dt} + 6v = 24$

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$$\frac{d^2v}{dt^2} + 5 \frac{dv}{dt} + 6v = 24$$

3. General Solution:

➡ General Solution $v_t(t) = A_1 e^{-2t} + A_2 e^{-3t}$

4. Particular Solution : Steady-state response $v_{ss}(t) = 4V$

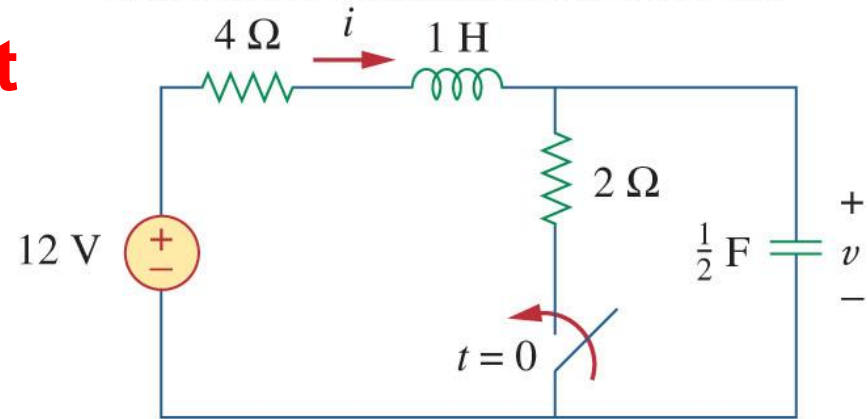
5. Put together : $v(t) = 4 + A_1 e^{-2t} - A_2 e^{-3t}$

6. Using initial conditions to determine A_1 , A_2



Self-test-General RLC Circuit

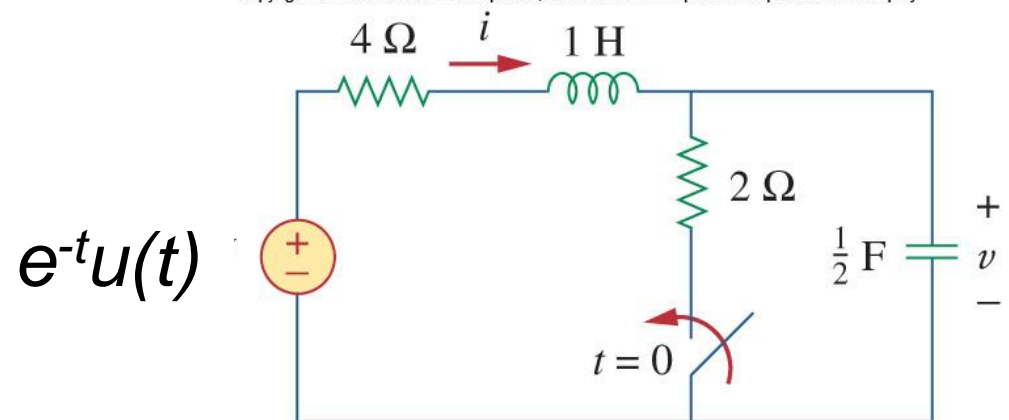
- Find the complete response $i(t)$ for $t > 0$ in the circuit.





Find $v(t)$ for $t > 0$

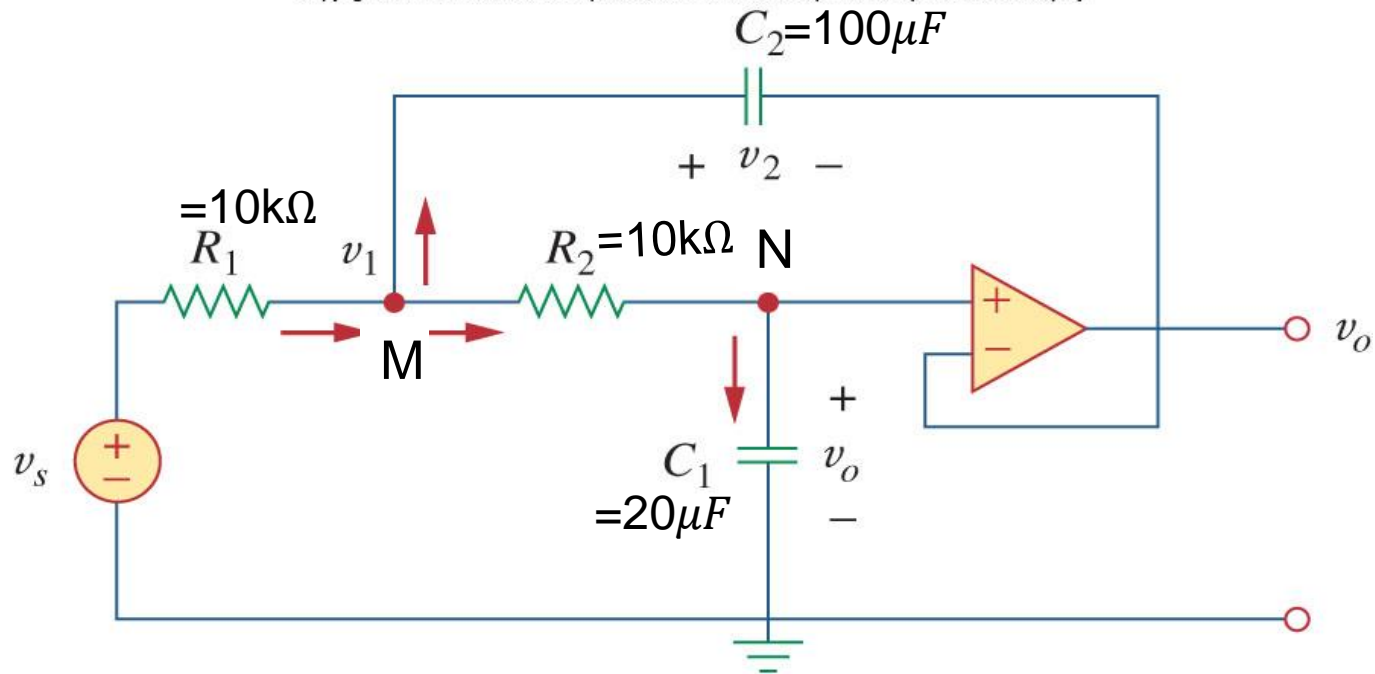
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Example of 2nd-order op-amp circuits

- Find v_o for $t > 0$
when $v_s = 10u(t)\text{mV}$.

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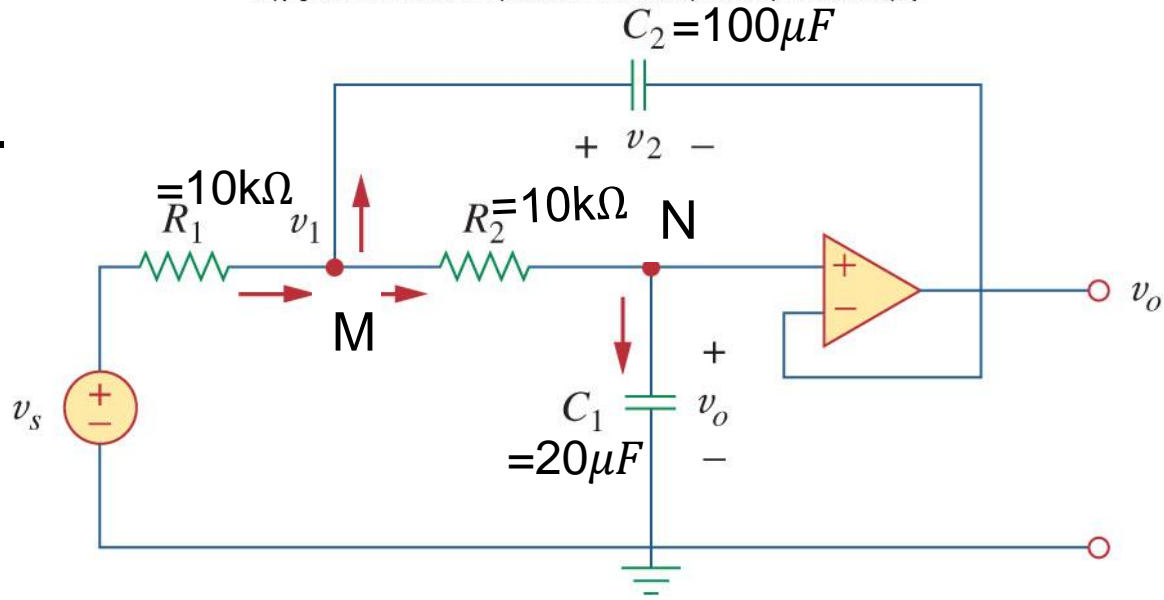


$$\text{Initial conditions: } v_o(0^+) = 0, C_1 \frac{dv_o(0^+)}{dt} = \frac{v_1(0^+) - v_o(0^+)}{R_2} = \frac{v_2(0^+)}{R_2} = 0$$

Example of 2nd-order op-amp circuits

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- Find v_o for $t > 0$
when $v_s = 10u(t)mV$.



KCL at node M:

$$\frac{v_s - v_1}{R_1} = C_2 \frac{dv_2}{dt} + \frac{v_1 - v_o}{R_2}$$

KCL at node N:

$$C_1 \frac{dv_o}{dt} = \frac{v_1 - v_o}{R_2}$$

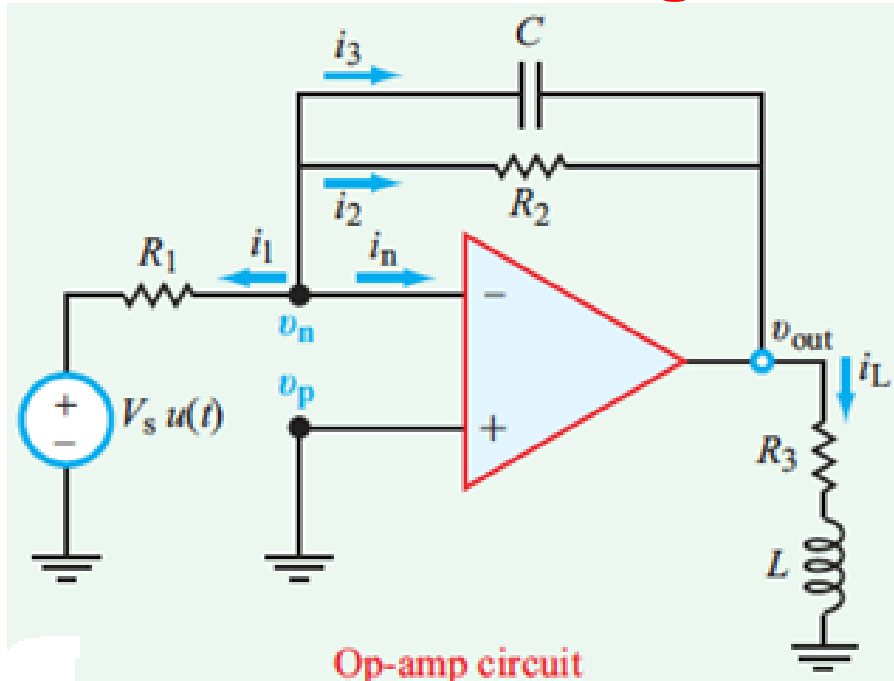
and we have $v_1 - v_2 = v_o$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 v_o}{dt^2} + \left(\frac{1}{R_1 C_2} + \frac{1}{R_2 C_2} \right) \frac{dv_o}{dt} + \frac{v_o}{R_1 R_2 C_1 C_2} = \frac{v_s}{R_1 R_2 C_1 C_2}$$

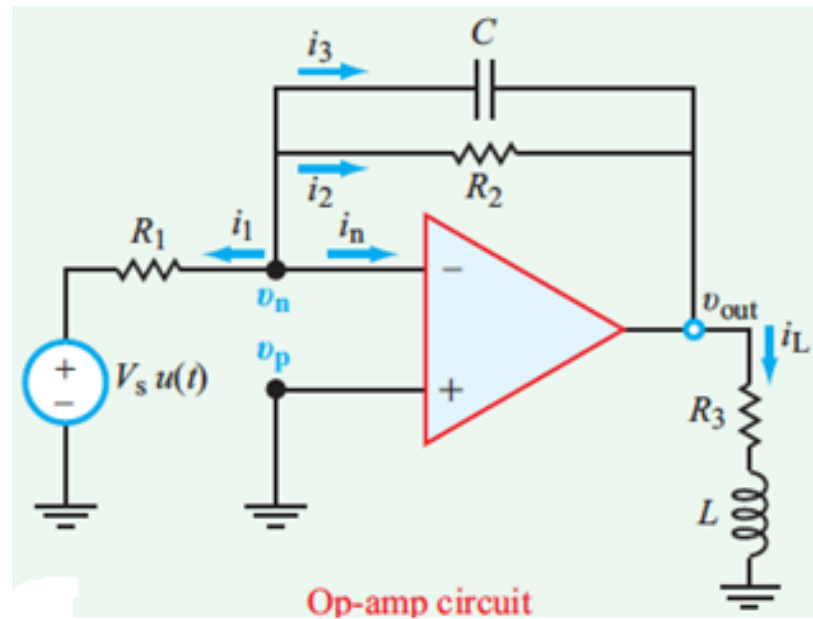


Example-2

find current through the inductor for $t > 0$



Example-2



$$i_L(0) = i_L(0^-) = 0, \quad i_L'(0) = \frac{1}{L} v_L(0) = 0.$$

$$\frac{R_3}{R_2} i_L + \left(\frac{L}{R_2} + R_3 C \right) \frac{di_L}{dt} + LC \frac{d^2 i_L}{dt^2} = -\frac{V_s}{R_1}$$

Example-3

In the op amp circuit shown in Fig. 8.34, $v_s = 10u(t)$ V, find $v_o(t)$ for $t > 0$. Assume that $R_1 = R_2 = 10 \text{ k}\Omega$, $C_1 = 20 \text{ }\mu\text{F}$, and $C_2 = 100 \text{ }\mu\text{F}$.

