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This paper comprises **TWO** sections, **A** and **B**. You may gain up to **60 MARKS** from **SECTION A** and **40 MARKS** from **SECTION B**. Attempt **ALL** the questions in **SECTION A**. Marks will be awarded for your best **TWO** solutions in **SECTION B**. Trial answers will be ignored if they are clearly crossed out. A formula sheet is included at the end of the exam paper. **The numbers given after each section of a question indicate the relative weighting of that section.**

SECTION A

1. a. Simplify $\sqrt{\frac{x^{-5}}{x^{-2}}}$ (1)
- b. Transpose $p = \frac{a^2x + a^2y}{r}$ to make **a** the subject. (1)
- c. Simplify $\frac{2}{2v+1} - \frac{3}{3v+2}$ (2)
- d. Transpose $Z = \sqrt{R^2 + \left(\frac{wL}{wC} \right)^2}$ to make **C** the subject. (2)
- e. Differentiate $y = \sqrt{5x^2 - 4x - 1}$ with respect to **x**. (4)
2. a. Find the general solution of $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2+y}{3+x}$ (3)
- b. Solve the differential equation $3\frac{dv}{dt} = 3 + 5v$
subject to the initial conditions $v = 2$ when $t = 0$, giving your answer in the form
 $v = \dots$ (7)

3. a. A time varying current is described by the equation

$$i(t) = 6 \sin\left(50\pi t - \frac{P}{4}\right) \text{Amps.}$$

For this equations write down:

- (i) the peak-to-peak current,
- (ii) the angular frequency (in radians),
- (iii) the phase shift (in radians),
- (iv) the period.

(4)

- b. For the same time varying current as described in part a. sketch the waveform shape between $t = -20$ ms and $t = +60$ ms. On this sketch label clearly:

- (i) all the points in time where the waveform crosses the time axis (giving the times at which this occurs) between $t = -20$ ms and $t = +60$ ms.
- (ii) the amplitude of the waveform (giving it's value in Amps).

(5)

- c. Re-write the same time varying current equation as described in part a. as a **cosine** expression rather than a **sine** expression.

(1)

4. a. Express $-3.2 \sin(\omega t) - 4.7 \cos(\omega t)$ in the form $R \sin(\omega t + \alpha)$ giving α in radians in the range $-\pi \leq \alpha \leq +\pi$.

(2)

- b. An alternating current circuit has voltage $v(t) = 6 \sin(\omega t)$ across it and current

$$i(t) = 4 \sin\left(\omega t - \frac{P}{3}\right). \text{ Given that instantaneous power can be found from the equation } p(t) = v(t)i(t) \text{ show, using trig. identities, that the power in this circuit can also be described as } p(t) = 6 \left[1 - 2 \cos\left(2\omega t - \frac{P}{3}\right) \right]$$

(8)

5. a.

Find the value of the following determinant $A = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{vmatrix}$

(3)

- b. Solve the following simultaneous equations using the method of **Gaussian elimination** only, that is the method that uses an augmented matrix (NOT by Cramer's Rule and NOT by substitution) to find the values of x , y & z .

$$x - 4y - 2z = 21$$

$$3x + 2y - z = -2$$

$$2x + y + 2z = 3$$

(7)

6. a. Exponential voltage decay in electronic circuits is sometimes described by equations of the form $v(t) = V_o e^{-t/\tau}$ where V_o is the starting voltage, t is the time and τ is the time constant. How many multiples of the time constant must pass by for the voltage to have fallen to less than 1% of the starting voltage? (1)
- b. In a particular circuit voltage decays exponentially according to the equation given in part a. above where the starting voltage $V_o = 12$ V and the time constant $\tau = 40$ ms. Find the value of time t when the voltage has fallen to 1.8 V. (3)
- c. Exponential current growth in electronic circuits is sometimes described by equations of the form $i(t) = I_o (1 - e^{-t/\tau})$ where I_o is the current after an infinite length of time, τ is the time constant and t is the time. (6)
- For a particular circuit $I_o = 40$ A and $\tau = 10$ ms. How long will it take for the current to rise from 26 A to 38 A? (6)

SECTION B

7. a. Using loop current analysis (by defining closed current loops using Kirchoff's voltage law) derive 3 equations for loop currents I_1 , I_2 , and I_3 for the circuit shown below in figure 1 below. (6)
- b. Solve the 3 simultaneous equations formed in answer to part a. above using the method of **Cramer's Rule** only that is the method that uses determinants (NOT by Gaussian Elimination and NOT by substitution). (11)
- c. Using the loop currents found in part b. above, determine the actual current flowing in the following two resistors and the direction in which it flows: (3)
- (i) the 6Ω resistor,
 - (ii) the 1Ω resistor.

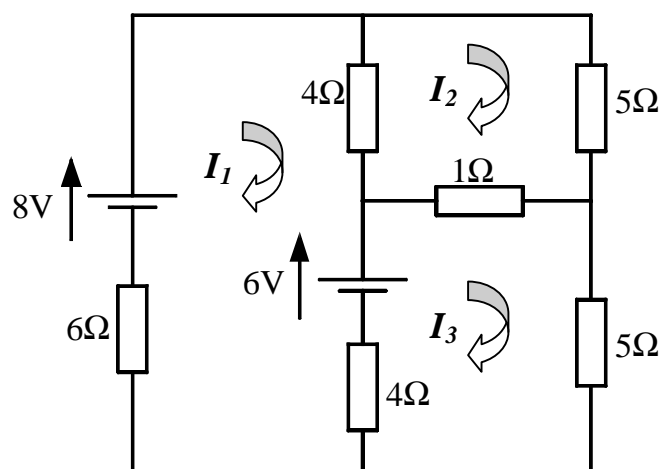


Figure 1.

8. a. Two complex number are given by $H = 1 + j3$ and $K = 4 - j2$. Plot both H and K on the same ARGAND diagram. (2)
- b. Using the same H and K as in part a. find the results of the following two equations giving the answers in both rectangular (also called Cartesian) form ($\mathbf{Re+jIm}$) and also in polar from ($r\angle q$):
- (i) $H - K$
- (ii) K / H (4)
- c. A series connected circuit consisting of two components has a total impedance of $50\angle -60^\circ \Omega$
- (i) Determine the value of the resistance and the series connected reactance that make up this circuit giving your answers in ohms.
- (ii) What sort of component will the reactance be and what will its value be if the supply frequency is 400 Hz? (4)
- d. For the circuit shown in figure 2 below determine,
- (i) the current flowing in impedance Z_I , (3)
- (ii) the value of the unknown impedance Z_I in ohms, (5)
- (iii) the components comprising Z_I if the supply frequency is 1kHz. (2)

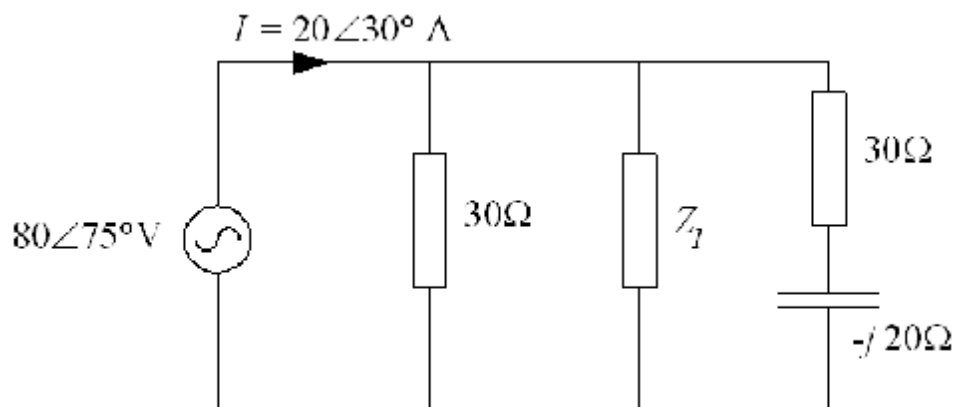


Figure 2.

9. a. Write down the general expression for the **mean** (sometimes called the **average**) value of a periodic current $i(t)$ of period T . (2)
- b. Several cycles of a voltage waveform are shown in Figure 3 below. Calculate both the mean value and rms value for this waveform.

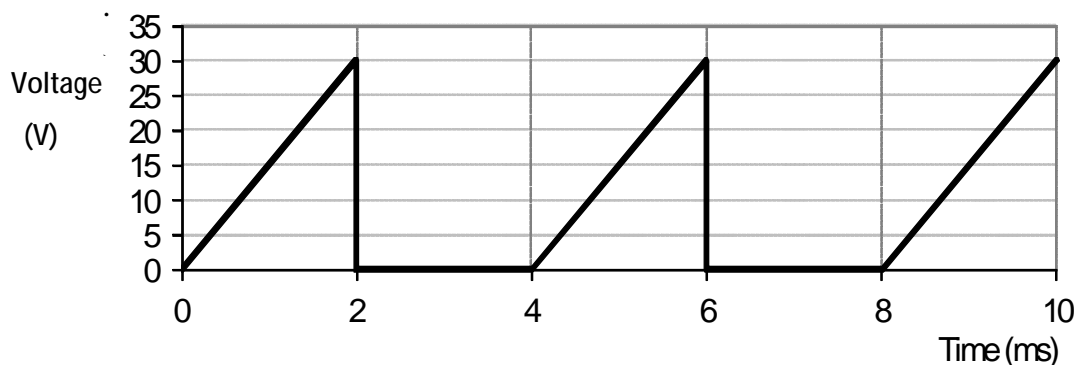


Figure 3.

- c. A voltage is described by $v(t) = \cos(t) - 3$ (Volts). Calculate the r.m.s value of the voltage waveform over the period $t = 0$ to $t = 2\pi$. (8)
10. a. Show that when data behaves according to a relationship of the form $y = a.x^n$ (where a and n are both constants) it can be plotted on logarithmic graph paper as a straight line, by manipulating the equation. (Hint: take log.s). (2)
- b. The following data is believed to behave according to the relationship of the form $y = a.x^n$ (where a and n are both constants). Using the graph paper provided, show that the data does indeed correspond with this relationship.

x	y
1	3
3	11
8	36
20	109
50	328
120	937

- c. Using the data given in part **b.** above find the values of:
- the constant n
 - the constant a .

FORMULA SHEET**Trig. Identities**

$$\sin(A + B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$$

$$\cos(A + B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$$

$$\sin(A - B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B$$

$$\cos(A - B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B$$

$$\sin A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} \sin(A + B) + \sin(A - B)$$

$$\cos A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} \cos(A - B) + \cos(A + B)$$

$$\sin A \sin B = \frac{1}{2} \cos(A - B) - \cos(A + B)$$

$$\sin^2 q = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2q)$$

$$\cos^2 q = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2q)$$

Logarithmic Laws

$$\log_a x^n = n \log_a x$$

$$\log_a xy = \log_a x + \log_a y$$

$$\log_a \left(\frac{x}{y} \right) = \log_a x - \log_a y$$

Integration for $f(x)$

$$\int \sin x = -\cos x + c$$

$$\int \sin k.x = -\frac{1}{k} \cos k.x + c$$

$$\int \cos x = \sin x + c$$

$$\int \cos k.x = \frac{1}{k} \sin k.x + c$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} = \ln(x) + c$$

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