

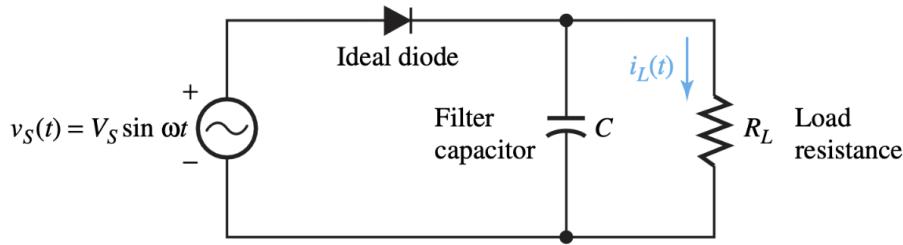
Mechatronics HW9

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Problem 1

The input to the following circuit is $v_s(t) = V_s \sin \omega t = 5 \sin 10\pi t$. The capacitor is $0.1 \mu F$ and the resistor is $1 M\Omega$. Please plot the voltage on the load resistor R_L in time domain in the figure below.



- $\omega = 10\pi$
- $T = 2\pi/\omega = 0.2s$
- $R_L = 1M\Omega = 1 \times 10^6 \Omega$
- $C = 0.1\mu F = 0.1 \times 10^{-6}$

The time constant equals

$$\begin{aligned}\tau &= R_L \times C \\ \tau &= 1 \times 10^6 \times 0.1 \times 10^{-6} = 0.1s\end{aligned}$$

At $0 < t < 0.05s$, as the source voltage initially increases positively, the diode is forward-biased since the load voltage is zero and the source is directly connected across the load. Once the source reaches its maximum value V_S and begins to decrease.

At $t = 0.5s$, the load voltage and the capacitor voltage are momentarily maintained at V_S , the diode becomes reverse-biased.

Then, the capacitor discharges from $0.05s$ to the next voltage increase interval.

During this interval, we apply KCL:

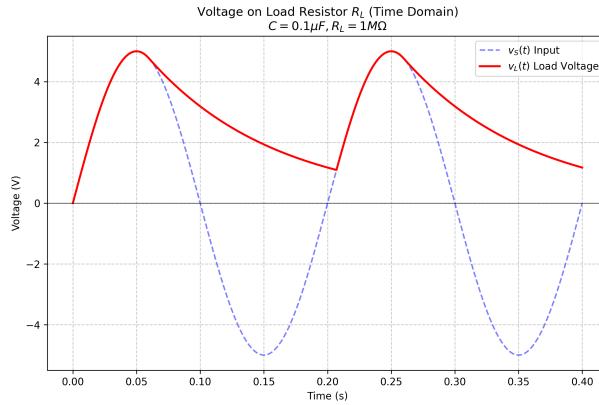
$$V_C - V_L = 0$$

$$V_C - R_L C \dot{V}_C = 0$$

Then we get:

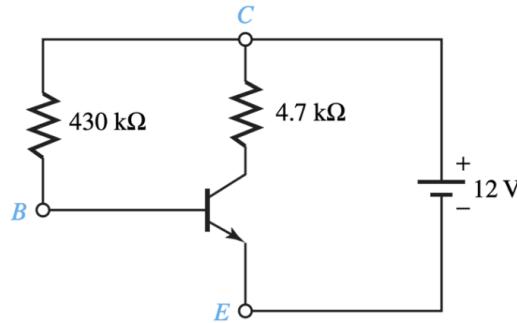
$$V_C = 5e^{-\frac{1}{R_L C}(t-0.05)} = 5e^{-\frac{1}{\tau}(t-0.05)}$$

Where $\tau = 0.1s$. Thus the voltage on the load R_L is $5 \sin(10\pi t)$ when $0 < t < 0.05$, after 0.05 s, the voltage decreases until the source voltage $v_s(t)$ has increased to a value equal to the load voltage.



Problem 2

2. Consider the circuit of Figure below in which the silicon BJT has $\beta = 85$ and other typical values at room temperature.
- (a) Compute i_B , i_C , and i_E .
 - (b) Check what happens if β is reduced by 10%.
 - (c) Check what happens if β is increased by 20%.



(a)

$$i_E = i_B + i_C$$

$$i_C = \beta i_B$$

We assume $V_{BE} = 0.07V$, we calculate the current in BC branch:

$$i_B = \frac{V - 0.07}{430K} \approx 0.02628mA$$

$$i_C = \beta i_B \approx 2.2337mA$$

$$i_E = i_C + i_B = 2.26mA$$

(b)

$$i_C = (1 - 0.1)\beta i_B = 0.9\beta i_B = 2.01mA$$

$$i_E = i_B + i_C \approx 2.0366mA$$

(c)

$$i_C = 0.8\beta i_B \approx 1.787A$$

$$i_E = i_B + i_C = 1.813mA$$

Problem 3

Please process the data you collected from Lab task 2 and 3. Please plot the $I_B - I_C$ curve, $U_{GS} - I_D$ curve.

