

for RL Step Response

$$i(t) = \frac{V_s}{R} + \left(I_0 - \frac{V_s}{R} \right) e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}$$

Need Voltage Source

I_0 = constant in
Inductor at $t = 0$

for RC Step Response

$$V_c(t) = I_s R t \left(V_0 - I_s R \right) e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}$$

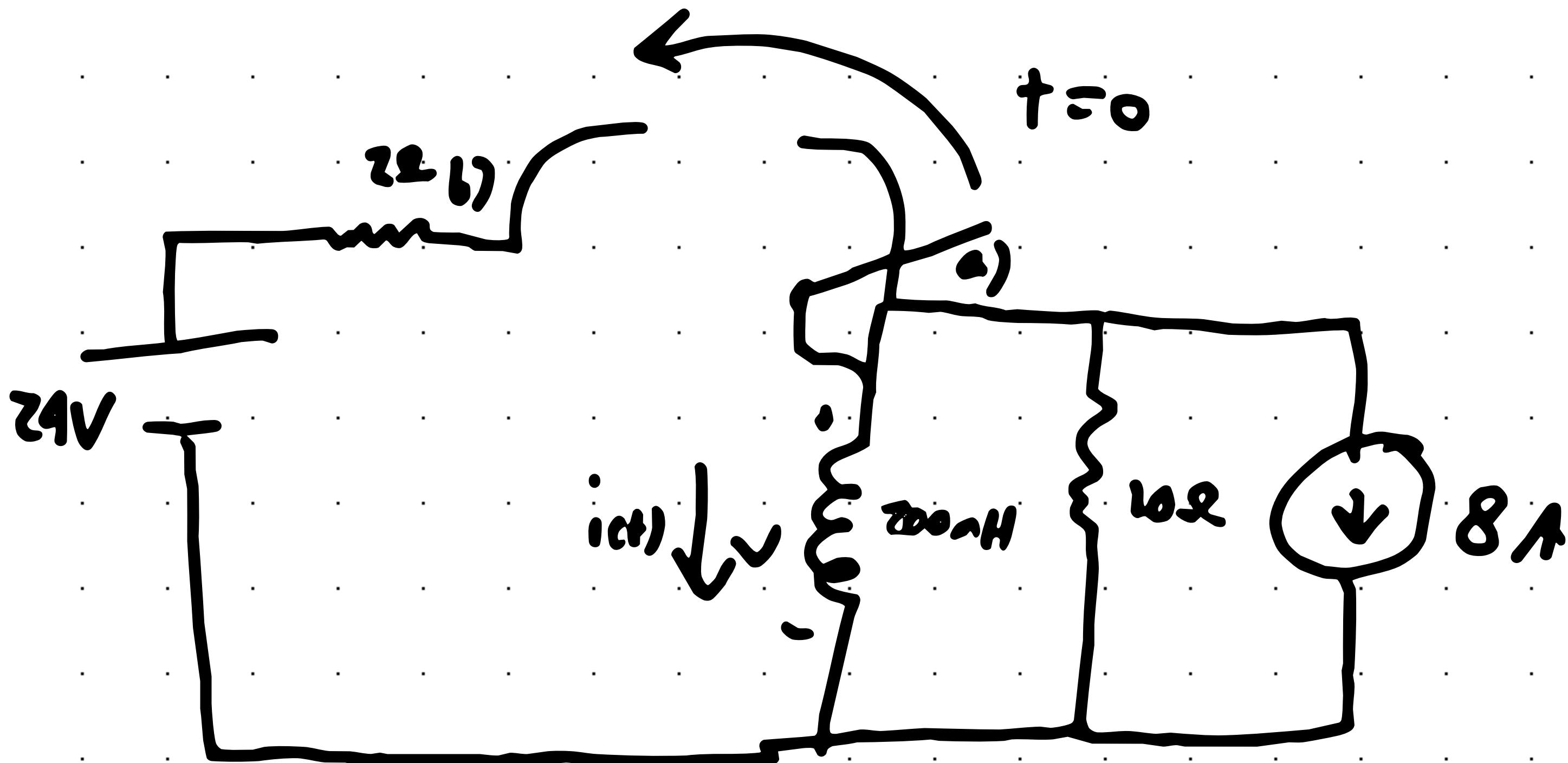
Need Current Source

Example

a) Find an Expression for $i(t)$ for $t > 0$

b) What is the initial voltage across the inductor just after the switch has been moved to position B?

c) How many milliseconds after the switch has been moved does the inductor voltage equal 21V?

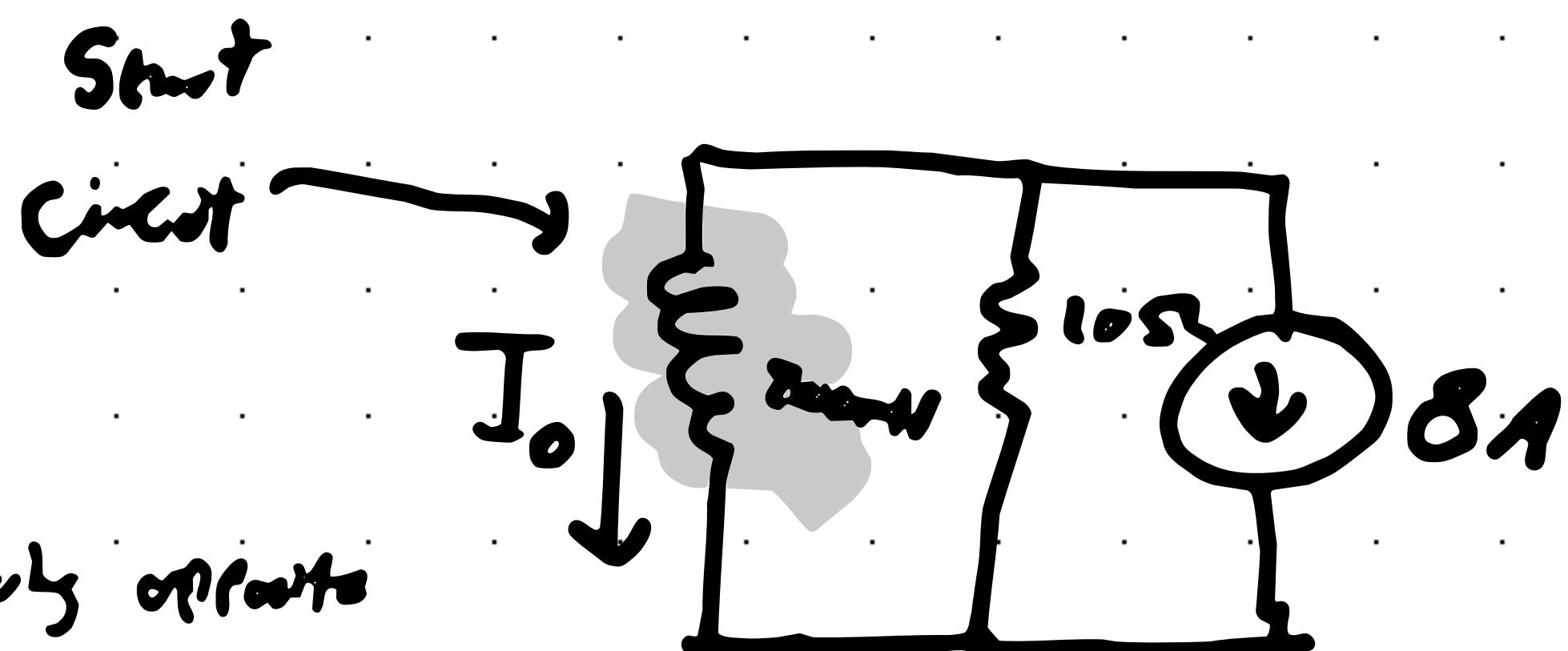


Solution

Before moving the switch

$$I_0 = -8A$$

(current only opposite to sense)

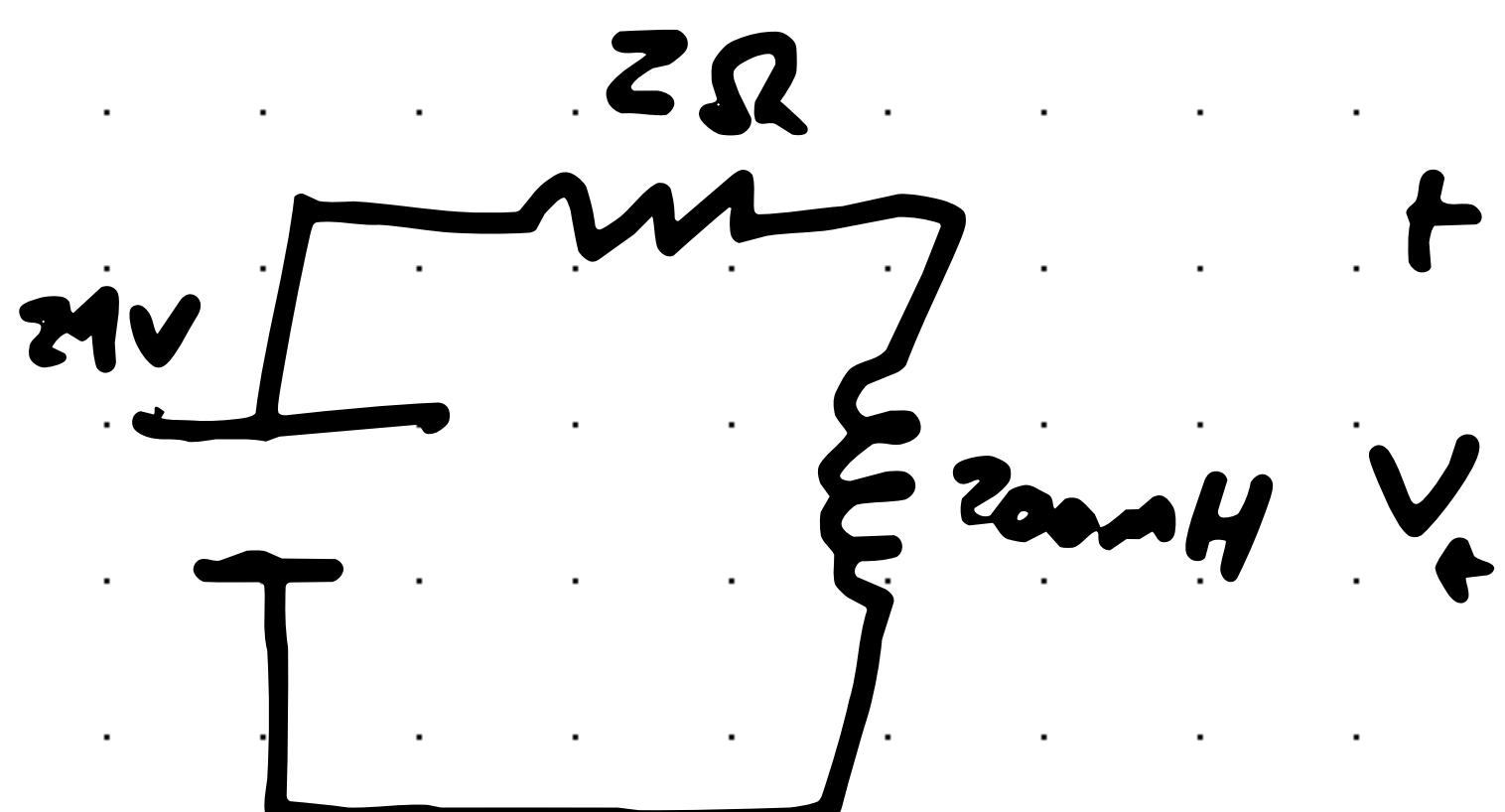


After moving the switch

$$i(t) = \frac{V_s}{R} + \left(I_0 - \frac{V_s}{R} \right) e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}$$

One Resistor ✓

Voltage Source ✓



$$I_{(C)} = \frac{24}{2} + \left(-8 - \frac{24}{2}\right) e^{-\frac{t}{200 \times 10^3}} +$$

(a) $i(t) = 12 - 20e^{-10t}$ $t \geq 0$

(b) $V_{(C)} = L \frac{di}{dt} = 200 \times 10^3 (0 - 20e^{-10t} (-10))$

$V(t) = 40e^{-10t}$ $t \geq 0$

Initial voltage at $T=0$ is 40V ($40e^{-10 \times 0}$)

(c) $24 = 40e^{-10t}$

$$\ln(24) = \ln(40) + \ln e^{-10t}$$

$$\ln 24 - \ln 40 = -10t$$

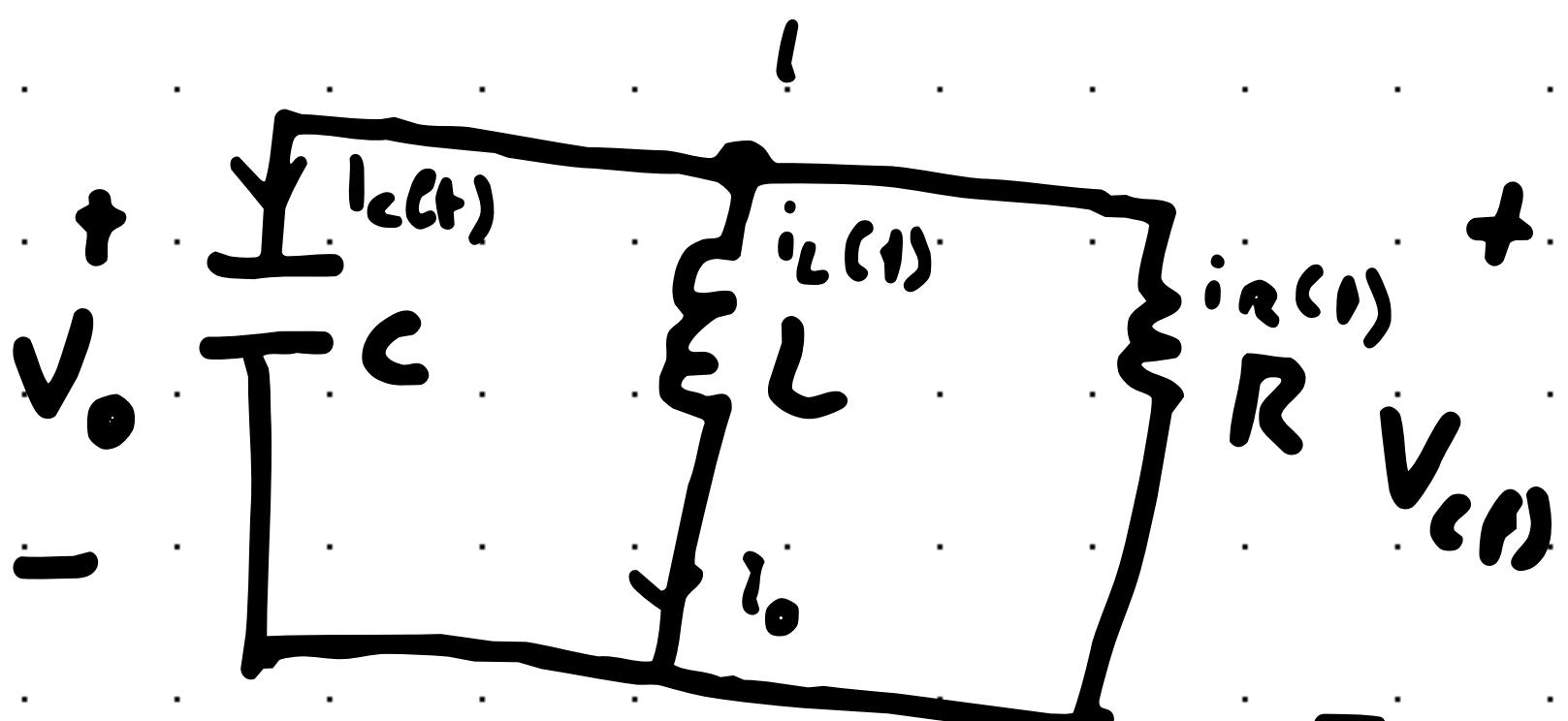
$$t = 51.08 \text{ ms}$$

Introduction to the Natural Response of a Parallel RLC Circuit

$$\sum I = 0$$

make

C_{small} is
 $i_c(t)$, not worthy
 to simplify.)



$$i_C + i_R + i_L = 0$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$

$$C \frac{dv}{dt} + \frac{v}{R} + \frac{1}{L} \int v dt = 0$$

ugly DE

$$C \frac{d^2v}{dt^2} + \frac{1}{R} \frac{dv}{dt} + \frac{1}{L} (v) = 0 \quad \leftarrow$$

$$\frac{d^2v}{dt^2} + \frac{1}{RC} \frac{dv}{dt} + \frac{1}{LC} v = 0$$

$$\text{Assume } v(t) = A e^{st}$$

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = A s e^{st}$$

$$\frac{d^2v}{dt^2} = A s^2 e^{st}$$

$$A s^2 e^{st} + \frac{A s}{RC} e^{st} + \frac{1}{LC} e^{st} = 0$$

$$AS^2c^{st} + \frac{AS}{RC} c^{st} + \frac{A}{LC} c^{st} = 0$$

$$(S^2 + \frac{1}{RC}S + \frac{1}{LC}) Ac^{st} = 0$$

$$S^2 + \frac{1}{RC}S + \frac{1}{LC} = 0$$

Note:

$$S = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$S = -\frac{1}{2RC} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2RC}\right)^2 - 4(1)\left(\frac{1}{LC}\right)}$$

$$S_1 = -\frac{1}{2RC} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2RC}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{1}{LC}\right)}$$

$$S_2 = -\frac{1}{2RC} - \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2RC}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{1}{LC}\right)}$$

These are known
as complex
frequencies

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2RC}$$

Natural
frequency

$$\omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC}}$$

Resonant natural
frequency

$$S_1 = -\alpha + \sqrt{\alpha^2 - \omega_0^2},$$

$$S_2 = -\alpha - \sqrt{\alpha^2 - \omega_0^2}$$

Based on α and ω_0 values, we are expecting three different cases.

Case ①

$$\text{If } \alpha^2 > \omega_0^2$$

(Two distinct real solutions)

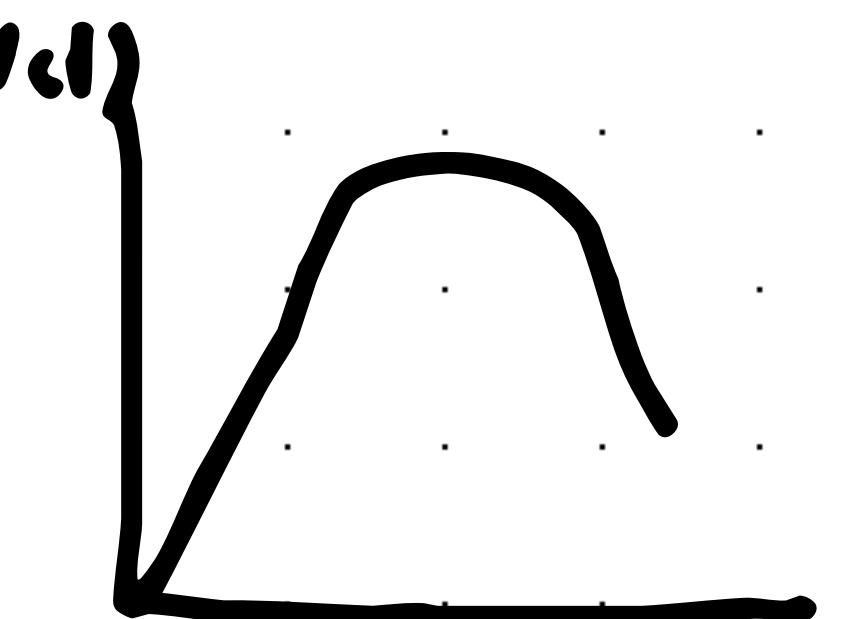
Solution

$$V(t) = A_1 e^{s_1 t} + A_2 e^{s_2 t}$$

For A_1 and A_2 calculations, we use initial conditions.

$$V(0)^+ = A_1 + A_2 ;$$

$$\frac{dV(0)^+}{dt} = S_1 A_1 + S_2 A_2 = \frac{i_C(0)}{C}$$



- Step one: solve for α and ω
- Step two: compare α and ω
- Step three: if α^2 is less than ω_0^2 , use case ①

Case ②

$$\text{If } \omega^2 < \omega_0^2$$

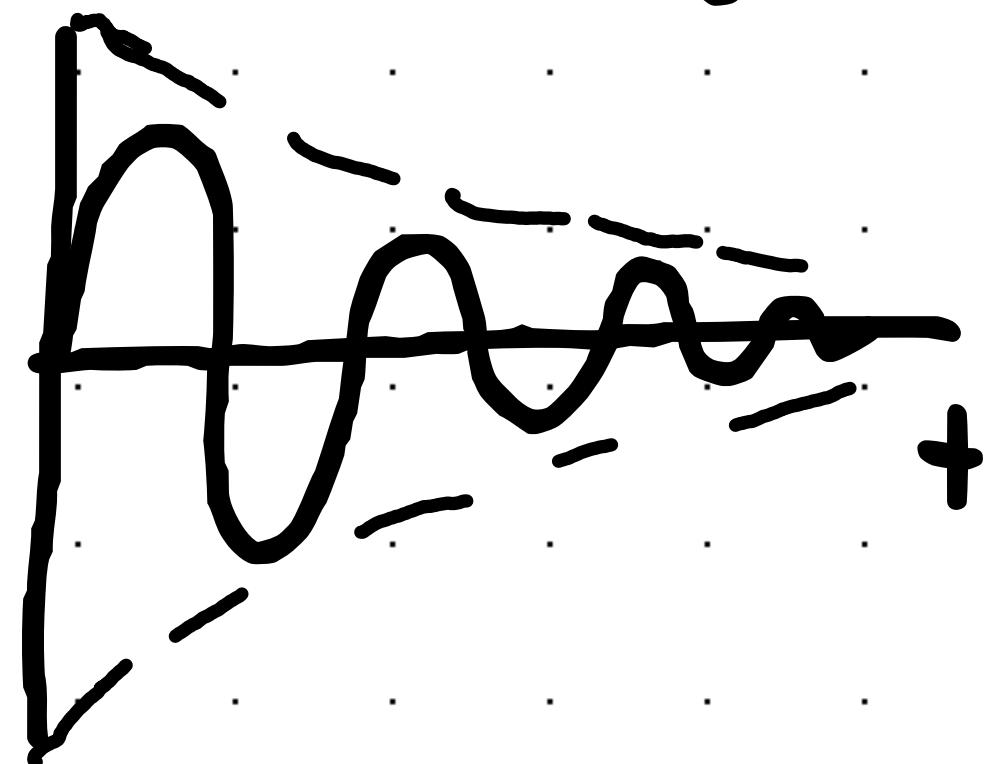
(Under damped case)
Two complex

$$V(t) = \beta_1 e^{-\alpha t} \cos \omega_d t + \beta_2 e^{-\alpha t} \sin \omega_d t$$

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

$$V(t)$$

conjugates



For finding β_1 and β_2 , use initial conditions

$$V(0)^+ = \beta_1$$

$$\frac{dV(0)}{dt} = -\alpha \beta_1 + \omega_d \beta_2$$

Case ③

$$\text{if } \omega^2 = \alpha^2$$

(critically damped)

(Repeated Roots)

(Real)

$$V(t) = D_1 + D_2 e^{-\alpha t} + D_3 t e^{-\alpha t}$$

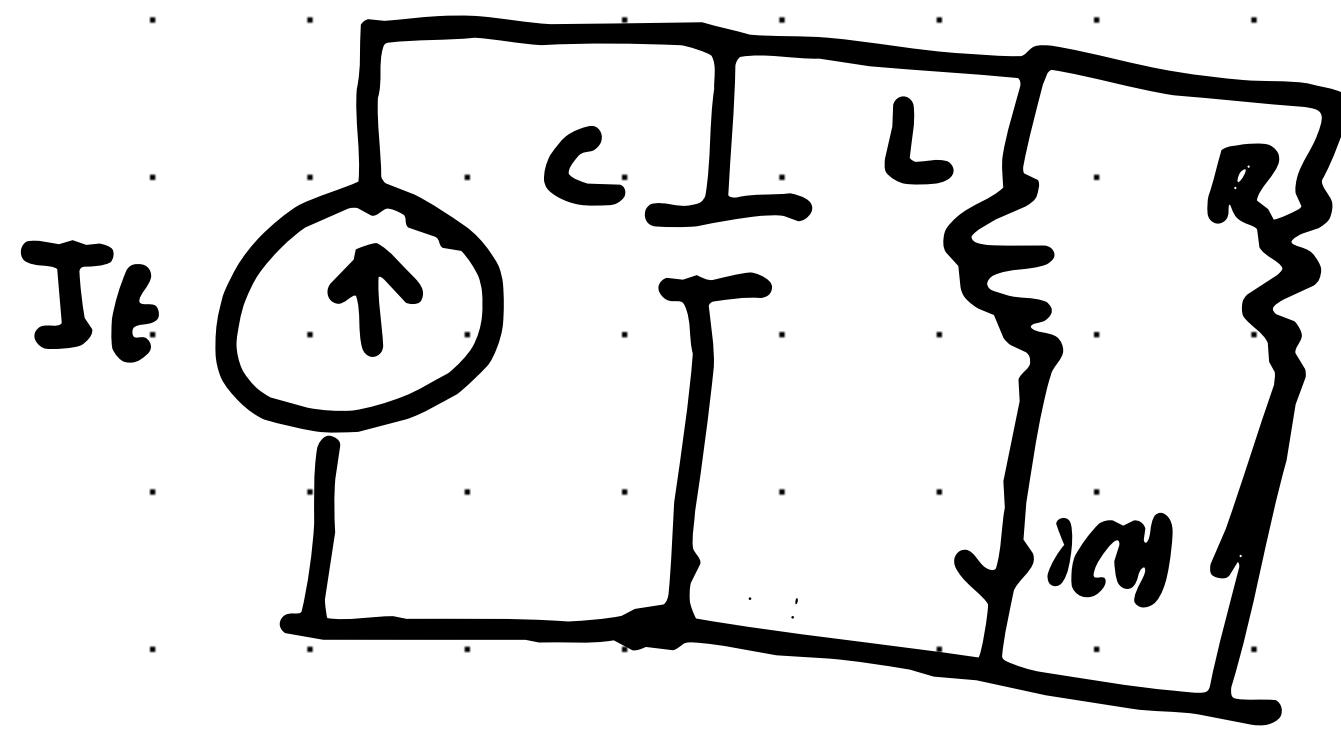
\rightarrow for D_1 and D_2 , use Initial conditions

$$V(0) = D_1$$

$$\frac{dV(0)}{dt} = D_2 - \alpha D_1$$

In Case of Step Response RLC

Parallel



Case ①

If $\alpha^2 > \omega_0^2$, then

$$i_L(t) = I_E + A_1 e^{s_1 t} + A_2 e^{s_2 t}$$

Case ②

If $\alpha^2 < \omega_0^2$, then

$$i_L(t) = I_E + \beta_1 e^{-\alpha t} \cos \omega_0 t + \beta_2 e^{-\alpha t} \sin \omega_0 t$$

Case ③

If $\alpha^2 = \omega_0^2$, then

$$i_L(t) = I_E + D_1 t e^{-\alpha t} + D_2 t^2 e^{-\alpha t}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2RC}$$

$$\omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC}}$$

