

Introduction to Electrical Engineering

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2 Required Reading

C.A. Desoer and E.S. Kuh: *Basic Circuit Theory*, Mc-Graw-Hill, International Edition.

Part I

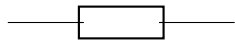
Basic Definitions and Laws

1 Basic Definitions

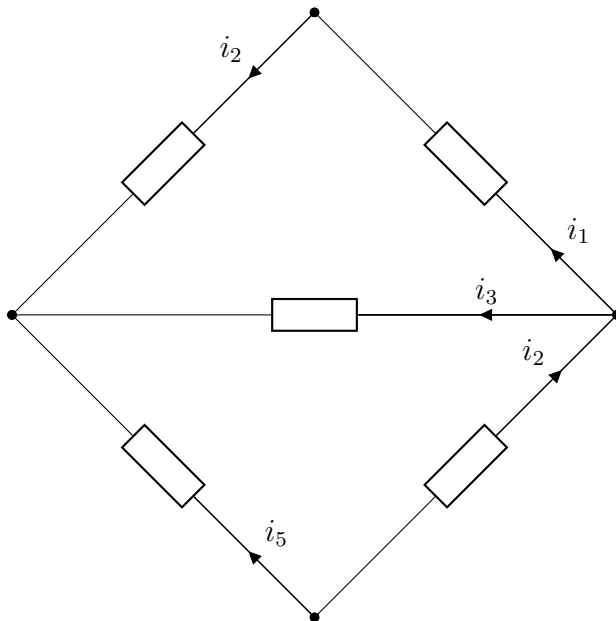
Definition 1 (Electrical circuit). A collection of interconnected components.

Definition 2 (Lumped component). An electrical component whose dimensions are very very small compared to the wavelength of the electromagnetic waves passing through it is called a lumped component.

Definition 3 (One port device). An electrical component with two terminals is called a one port device.



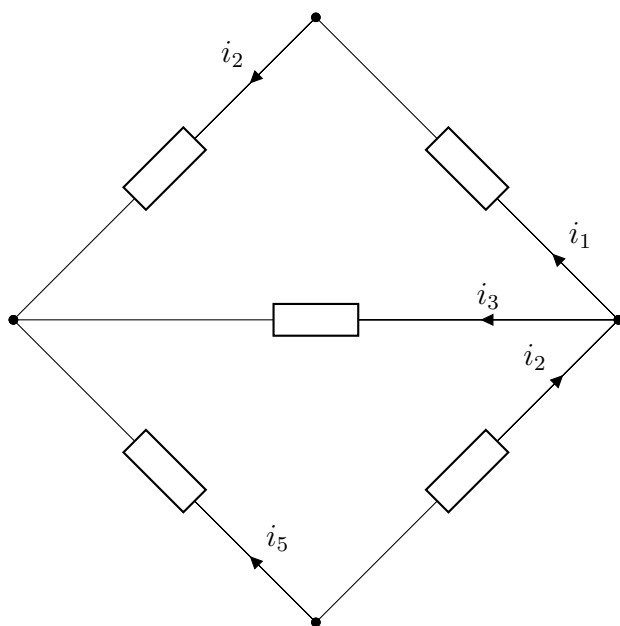
Definition 4 (Nodes and branches). In the figure, all the black dots are called nodes. The parts of the circuit between two nodes are called branches.



2 Kirchhoff's Laws

2.1 Kirchhoff's Current Law

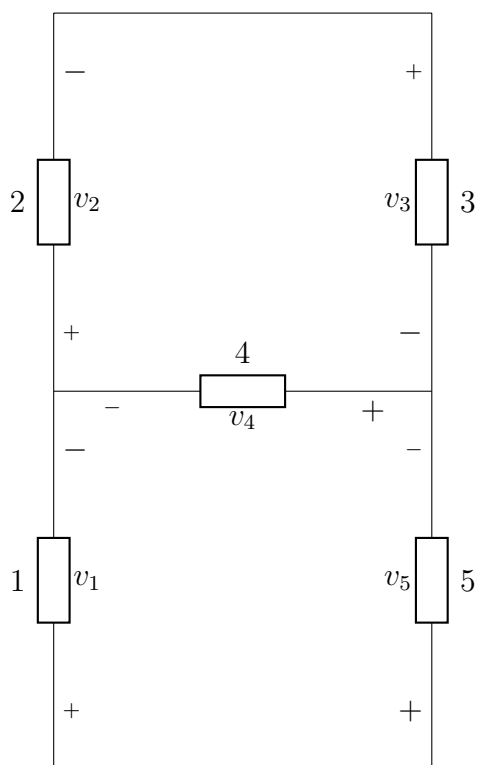
The sum of all currents entering or exiting a node is zero.



$$i_1 + i_3 - i_4 = 0$$

2.2 Kirchoff's Voltage Law

The sum of all branch voltages along a closed loop is zero.



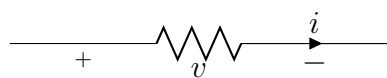
$$\begin{aligned}
 v_1 - v_4 - v_5 &= 0 \\
 v_2 + v_3 + v_4 &= 0 \\
 v_1 + v_2 + v_3 - v_5 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

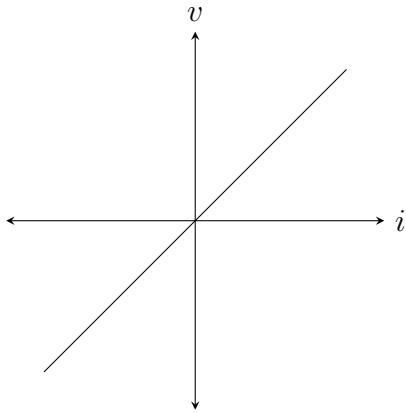
3 Components

3.1 Resistors

Definition 5 (Resistor). A two terminal component is called a resistor if the voltage across it at any given time t is a function of the current at the same time t .

3.1.1 Linear Time Independent Resistor



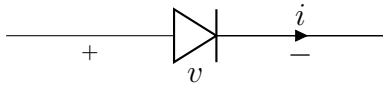


$$v(t) = R \cdot i(t)$$

$$i(t) = G \cdot v(t)$$

R is called the resistance and G is called the conductance.

3.1.2 Non-linear Resistors (Diodes)



$$i(t) = I_s \left(e^{\frac{q \cdot v(t)}{kT}} - 1 \right)$$

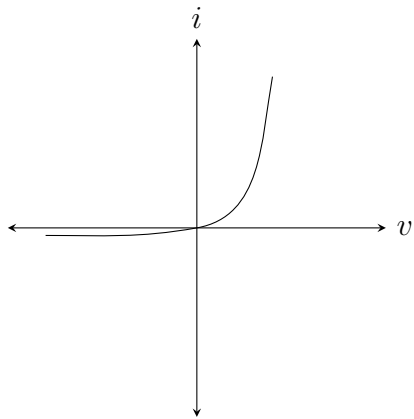
I_s = reverse current

k = Boltzman constant

T = absolute temperature

q = electronic charge

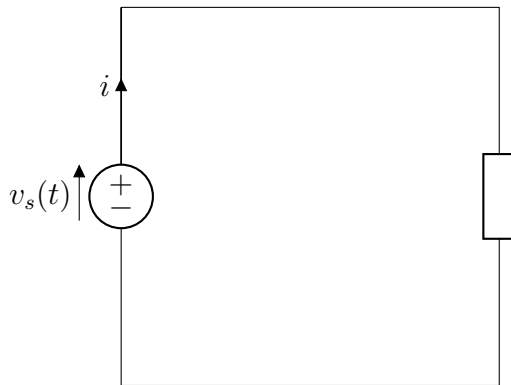
$$\frac{kT}{q} = 0.026 \text{ (at 300K)}$$

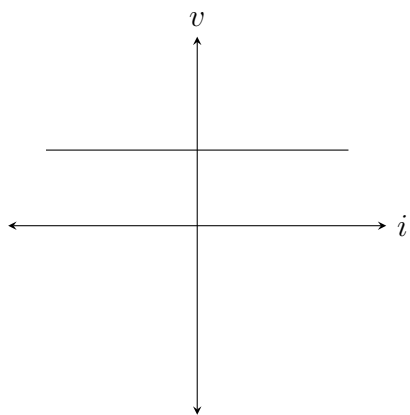


3.2 Independent Sources

3.2.1 Voltage Sources

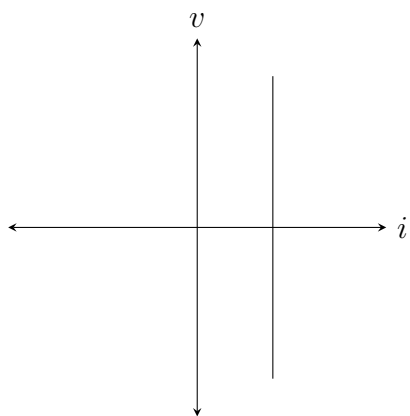
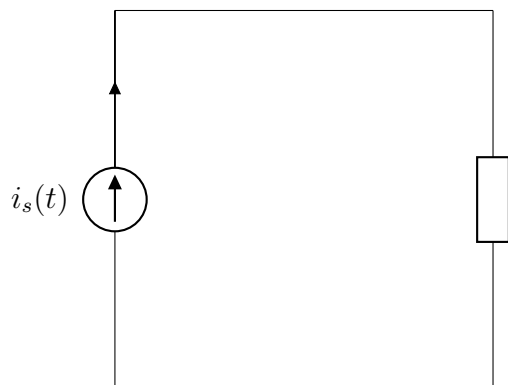
Definition 6 (Voltage source). A two terminal component is called a voltage source if the voltage on its terminals is independent of the current through it.



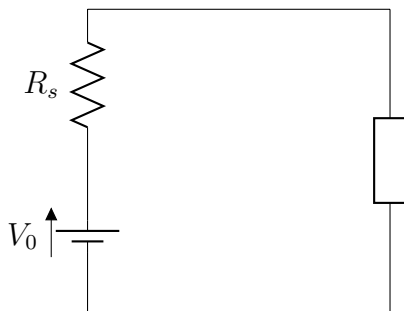
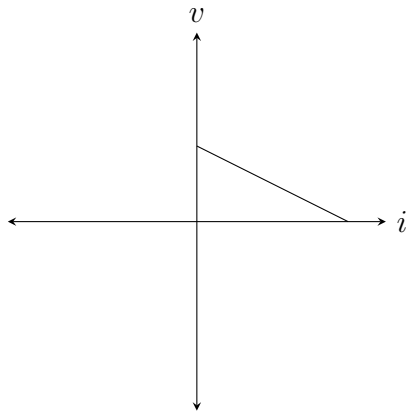


3.2.2 Current Sources

Definition 7 (Current source). A two terminal component is called a current source if it can supply a current $i_s(t)$ independent of the voltage across its terminals.



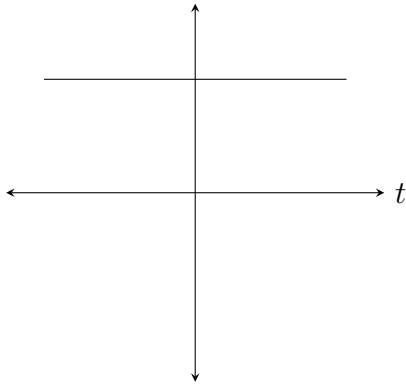
3.2.3 Real Batteries



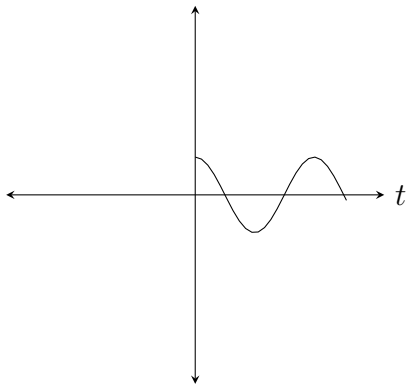
$$\begin{aligned}0 &= -V_0 + v_R + v \\v &= V_0 - v_R \\ \therefore v &= V_0 - R_s i\end{aligned}$$

4 Waveforms

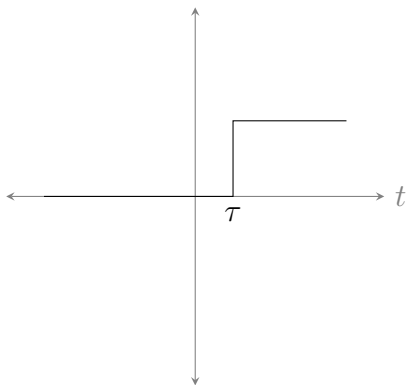
4.1 DC (Constant Function)



4.2 Sinusoidal Wave

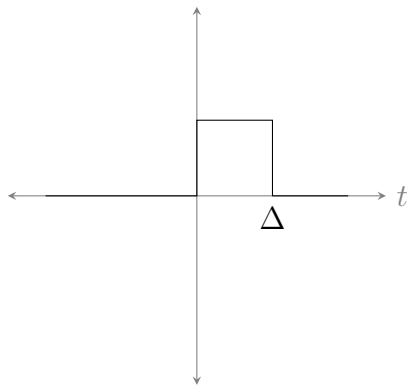


4.3 Step Function



$$u(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & ; \quad t < 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & ; \quad t = \tau \\ 1 & ; \quad t > \tau \end{cases}$$

4.4 Rectangular Pulse



$$P_{\Delta}(t) = \frac{u(t) - u(t - \Delta)}{\Delta}$$

$$P_{\Delta}(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & ; \quad t < 0 \\ \frac{1}{\Delta} & ; \quad t = 0 \\ 1 & ; \quad t > 0 \end{cases}$$

4.5 Dirac δ function

$$\delta(t) = \lim_{\Delta \rightarrow 0} P_{\Delta}(t)$$

$$S(\Delta) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P_{\Delta}(t) f(t) dt$$

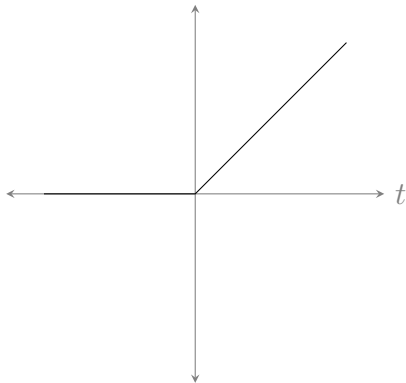
As $\Delta \rightarrow 0$,

$$\begin{aligned} S(\Delta) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P_{\Delta}(t) f(0) \, dt \\ &= f(0) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P_0(t) \, dt \\ &= f(0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & ; \quad t \neq 0 \\ \infty & ; \quad t = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t) f(t) \, dt &= f(0) \\ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - \tau) f(t) \, dt &= f(\tau) \\ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(at) f(t) \, dt &= \frac{1}{|a|} \delta(t) \end{aligned}$$

4.6 Ramp Function



$$r(t) = tu(t)$$

4.7 Doublet Function

$$\delta'(t) = \frac{d\delta(t)}{dt}$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^t u(t') dt' = r(t)$$

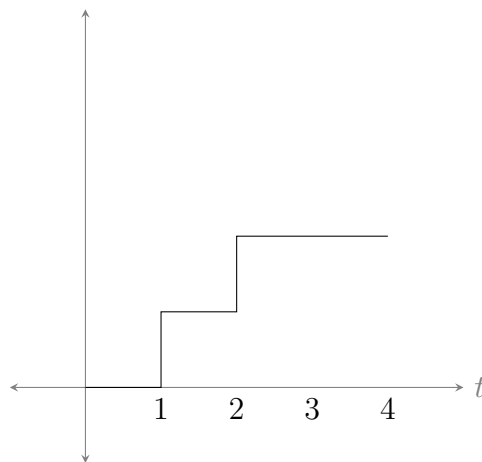
$$\frac{d}{dt} r(t) = u(t)$$

$$u(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t \delta(t') dt$$

$$r(t) \overset{\frac{d}{dt}}{\underset{\int_{-\infty}^t}{\rightleftharpoons}} u(t) \overset{\frac{d}{dt}}{\underset{\int_{-\infty}^t}{\rightleftharpoons}} \delta(t) \overset{\frac{d}{dt}}{\underset{\int_{-\infty}^t}{\rightleftharpoons}} \delta'(t)$$

Exercise 1.

Express the following wave as a sum of standard waveforms.

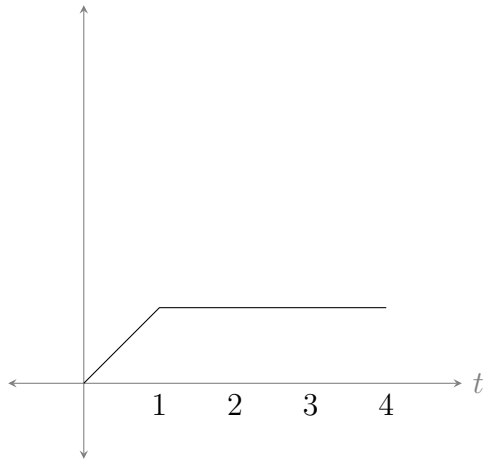


Solution 1.

$$f(t) = u(t - 1) + u(t - 2)$$

Exercise 2.

Express the following wave as a sum of standard waveforms.



Solution 2.

$$f(t) = r(t) + r(t - 1)$$