

Chapter 3
DC Transients
Lecture 2

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Switching at $t=0$

$$v(t) = v(\infty) + (v(0^+) - v(\infty)) e^{-t/\tau} \quad ; \quad t \geq 0$$

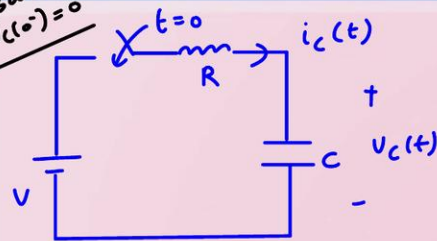
$$i(t) = i(\infty) + (i(0^+) - i(\infty)) e^{-t/\tau} \quad ; \quad t \geq 0$$

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Assume $V_C(0^-) = 0$



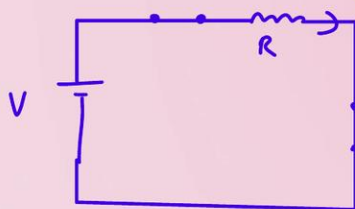
Nature of Response : Exponential

$$\begin{aligned} V_C(t) &\Rightarrow 0 \rightarrow V \\ i_C(t) &\Rightarrow \frac{V}{R} \rightarrow 0 \\ V_C(0^-) &= 0 \\ I_L(0^-) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Note : $t=0^-$: ONLY TAKE AWAY

Here $V_C(0^-) = 0V$

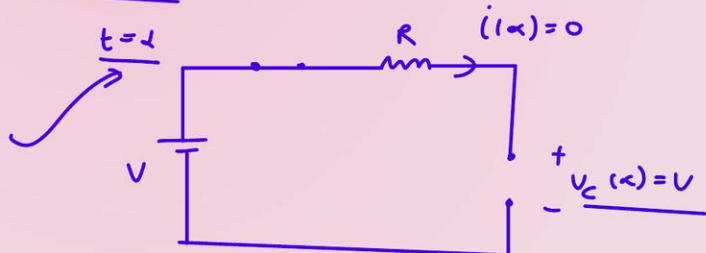
$t=0^+$



$$i_C(0^+) = V/R$$

$$V_C(0^+) = 0V$$

$t=\infty$: SS after switching



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Exp Rise from 0
 $A(1 - e^{-t/\tau})$
Exp fall to 0
 $Be^{-t/\tau}$

$$\begin{aligned} i_C(t) &= i_C(\infty) + (i_C(0^+) - i_C(\infty))e^{-t/\tau} \\ &= 0 + \left(\frac{V}{R} - 0\right)e^{-t/\tau} \end{aligned}$$

$$\tau = RC$$

$$\therefore i_C(t) = \frac{V}{R} e^{-t/\tau} ; t \geq 0$$

$$\tau = R_{eq} C$$

Eq. R across C after SW

$$\begin{aligned} V_C(t) &= V_C(\infty) + (V_C(0^+) - V_C(\infty))e^{-t/\tau} \\ &= V + (0 - V)e^{-t/\tau} \end{aligned}$$

$$V_C(t) = \underline{V(1 - e^{-t/\tau}) ; t \geq 0}$$

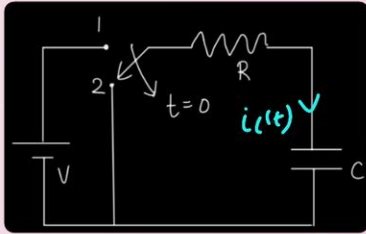
$$\underline{\underline{\tau = RC}}$$

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Source Free Circuits

After switching



Note :

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For Source free circuits

$$\left. \begin{aligned} V(t) &= V(0^+) e^{-t/\tau} \\ i(t) &= i(0^+) e^{-t/\tau} \end{aligned} \right\} t \geq 0$$

$V(\infty) = i(\infty) = 0$

$V(t) = \cancel{V(\infty)} + (V(0^+) - \cancel{V(\infty)}) e^{-t/\tau}$

$t=0^- \quad V_C(0^-) = V$ ⊗⊗

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sw

$C \rightarrow \infty$

$\therefore V_C(0^+) = V_C(0^-) = V$

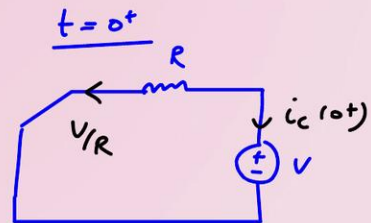
$V_C(t) = V_C(0^+) e^{-t/\tau} ; t \geq 0$

$V_C(t) = V e^{-t/\tau} ; t \geq 0$

$t=0^+$

$i_C(t) = i_C(0^+) e^{-t/\tau} ; t \geq 0$

$\therefore i_C(0^+) = -V/R$



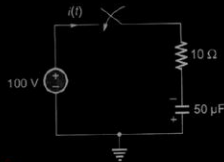
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$\therefore i_C(t) = -V/R e^{-t/\tau} ; t \geq 0$



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In the circuit shown below, the initial charge on the capacitor is 2.5 mC, with the voltage polarity as indicated. The switch is closed at time $t = 0$. The current $i(t)$ at a time t after the switch is closed is

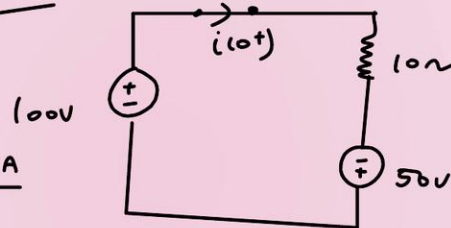


- (a) $i(t) = 15 \exp(-2 \times 10^3 t)$ A
 (b) $i(t) = 5 \exp(-2 \times 10^3 t)$ A
 (c) $i(t) = 10 \exp(-2 \times 10^3 t)$ A
 (d) $i(t) = -5 \exp(-2 \times 10^3 t)$ A

$$t = 0^- \quad q = CV \quad \therefore V = q/C \quad \therefore V_c(0^-) = \frac{2.5 \text{ mC}}{50 \mu\text{F}} = \frac{2500}{50} \text{ V} = 50 \text{ V}$$

$$V_c(0^+) = V_c(0^-) = 50 \text{ V}$$

$$t = 0^+$$



$$\therefore i(0^+) = \frac{100 + 50}{10} = 15 \text{ A}$$

$t = \infty$: SS after SW
 Cap $\Rightarrow \infty \quad \therefore i(\infty) = 0$

$$\tau = R_{eq}C = (10)(50 \mu) = 500 \mu = 0.5 \text{ m}$$

$$\therefore i(t) = i(\infty) + (i(0^+) - i(\infty))e^{-t/\tau} \quad ; t \geq 0$$

$$i(t) = i(0^+)e^{-t/\tau} \quad ; t \geq 0$$

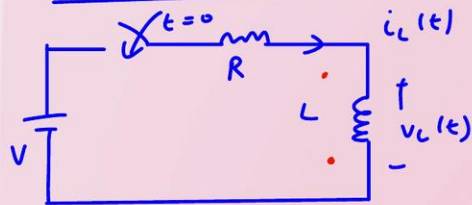
$$i(t) = 15 e^{-t/\tau} \quad ; t \geq 0$$

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$$i(t) = 15 e^{-2000t} \quad ; t \geq 0$$

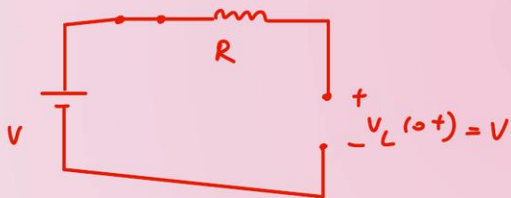
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First order RL Circuit



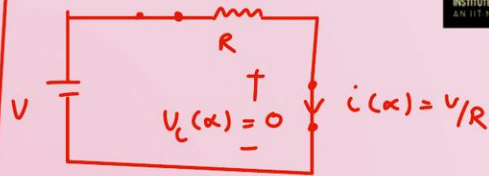
$$t=0^- \quad i_L(0^-) = 0 \text{ A}$$

$$t=0^+ \quad i_L(0^+) = i_L(0^-) = 0 \text{ A}$$



RL
Circuit

$t = \infty$ \downarrow
SS after SW



$$i_L(t) \rightarrow 0 \text{ to } V/R$$

$$v_L(t) \rightarrow V \text{ to } 0$$

$$i_L(t) = \frac{V}{R} (1 - e^{-t/\tau}) ; t \geq 0$$

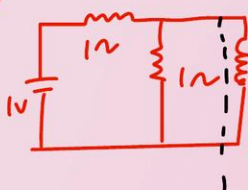
$$v_L(t) = V e^{-t/\tau} ; t \geq 0$$

$$\tau = \frac{L}{R_{eq}} = \frac{L}{R}$$

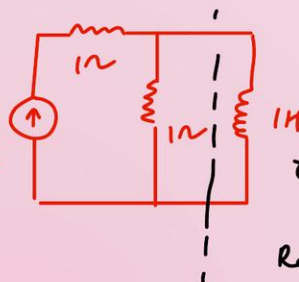
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Find Time Constant

1) $R_{eq} = 1\Omega || 1\Omega = 0.5\Omega$

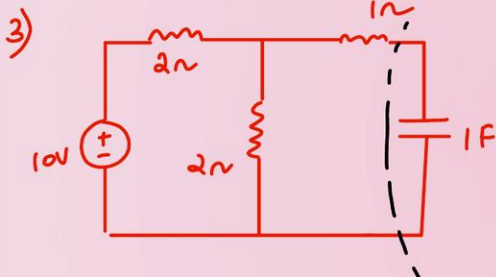


$$\tau = \frac{L}{R_{eq}} = \frac{1}{0.5} = 2 \text{ sec}$$



$$\tau = \frac{L}{R_{eq}} = \frac{1}{1} = 1 \text{ sec}$$

$$R_{eq} = 1\Omega$$

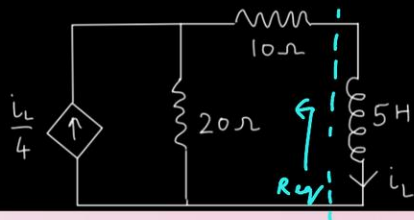


$$\tau = R_{eq}C = 2(1) = 2 \text{ sec}$$

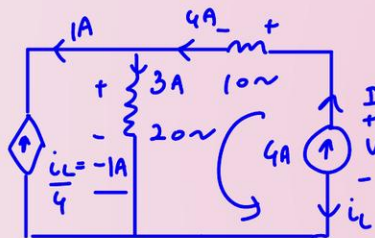
$$R_{eq} = (2 || 2) + 1 = 2$$

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Q) Find the time constant



$$\tau = \frac{L}{R_{eq}} = \frac{5}{25} = \underline{\underline{0.2 \text{ sec}}}$$



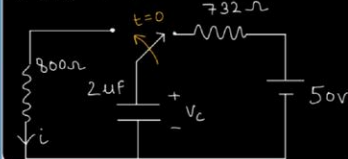
$$R_{eq} = \frac{V}{I} = \frac{V}{4} = \frac{100}{4} = \underline{\underline{25 \Omega}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{i_L = -4A}}$$

$$V = (4)(10) + (3)(20) = 100 \text{ V}$$

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Q) Find $V_C(t)$ for $t \geq 0$



$$V_C(t) = V_C(0^+) e^{-t/\tau} ; t \geq 0 \quad (\text{Source Free})$$

$$V_C(0^-) = V_C(0^+)$$

$$t=0^- : V_C(0^-) : \underline{\text{SS bfr SW}}$$

$$\therefore V_C(0^-) = 50 \text{ V}$$

$$V_C(t) = 50 e^{-t/\tau} ; t \geq 0$$

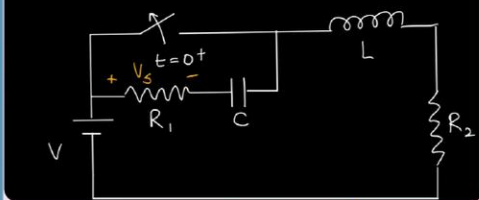
$$\tau = R_{eq} C$$

$$= (0.8 \text{ k})(2 \mu) = \underline{\underline{1.6 \text{ ms}}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{V_C(t) = 50 e^{-\frac{1000t}{1.6}} ; t \geq 0}}$$

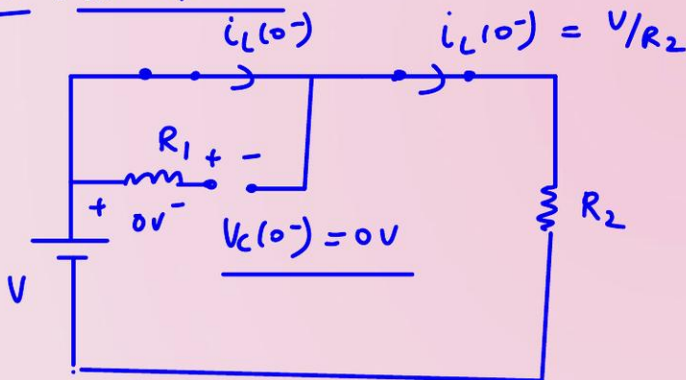
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Q) Find $V_S(0^+)$

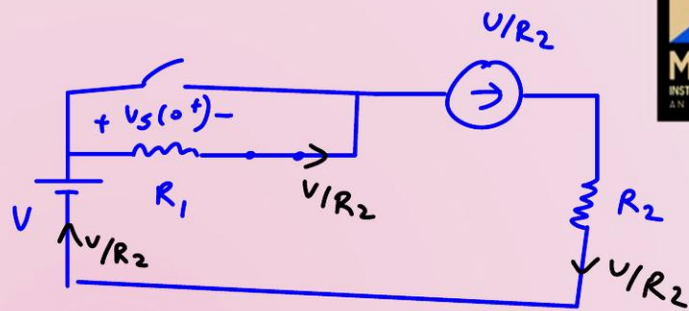


$t=0^-$ $\begin{cases} V_C(0^-) \\ I_L(0^-) \end{cases}$

$t=0^-$: ss bfr sw



$t=0^+$



$$V_S(0^+) = \left(\frac{V}{R_2} \right) (R_1)$$

