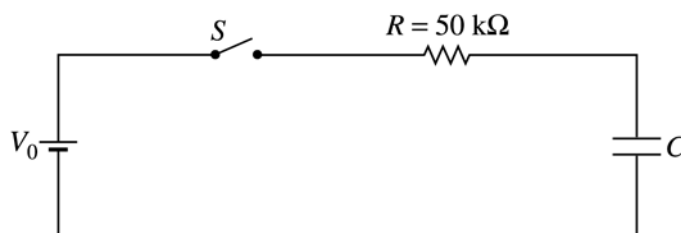


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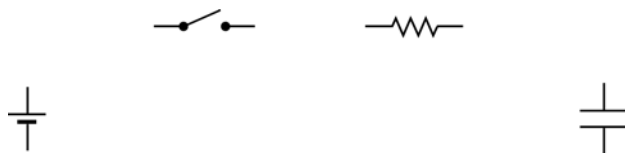
E&M 2.

Your engineering firm has built the RC circuit shown above. The current is measured for the time t after the switch is closed at $t = 0$ and the best-fit curve is represented by the equation $I(t) = 5.20 e^{-t/10}$, where I is in milliamperes and t is in seconds.

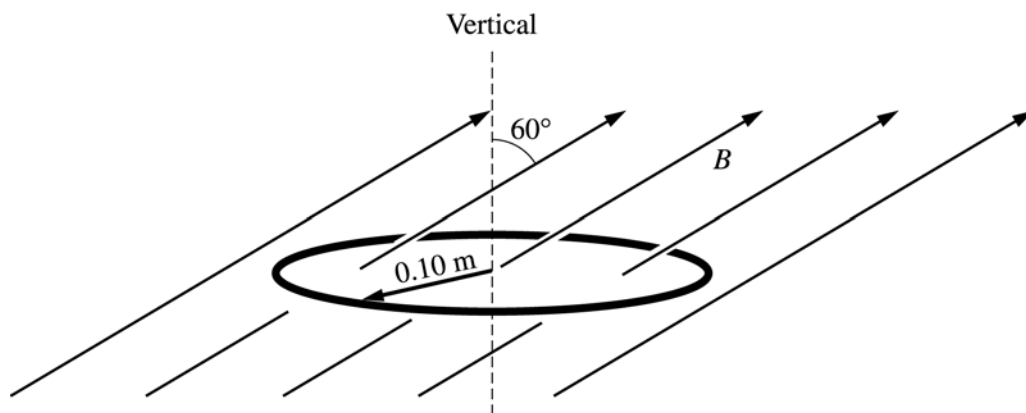
- Determine the value of the charging voltage V_0 predicted by the equation.
- Determine the value of the capacitance C predicted by the equation.
- The charging voltage is measured in the laboratory and found to be greater than predicted in part (a).
 - Give one possible explanation for this finding.
 - Explain the implications that your answer to part i has for the predicted value of the capacitance.
- Your laboratory supervisor tells you that the charging time must be decreased. You may add resistors or capacitors to the original components and reconnect the RC circuit. In parts i and ii below, show how to reconnect the circuit, using either an additional resistor or a capacitor to decrease the charging time.
 - Indicate how a resistor may be added to decrease the charging time. Add the necessary resistor and connections to the following diagram.



- Instead of a resistor, use a capacitor. Indicate how the capacitor may be added to decrease the charging time. Add the necessary capacitor and connections to the following diagram.



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E&M 3.

A circular wire loop with radius 0.10 m and resistance $50\ \Omega$ is suspended horizontally in a magnetic field of magnitude B directed upward at an angle of 60° with the vertical, as shown above. The magnitude of the field in teslas is given as a function of time t in seconds by the equation $B = 4(1 - 0.2t)$.

- (a) Determine the magnetic flux ϕ_m through the loop as a function of time.
- (b) Graph the magnetic flux ϕ_m as a function of time on the axes below.

