



Circuit Analysis and Design

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Agenda

- Review of previous lecture
- Independent sources
- Dependent sources
- Elementary signals
- Summary



Independent Sources

- These source **directly convert energy** from another form to electrical energy
- A **voltage source** with voltage V_s **provides a constant potential difference** to the circuit connected between the positive terminal and the negative terminal. The circuit notations for voltage source are shown in Figure 1.6.
- If a positive charge Δq is moved from the negative terminal to the positive terminal through the voltage source, the potential energy of the charge is increased by $\Delta q V_s$.
- If a negative charge with magnitude Δq is moved from the positive terminal to the negative terminal through the voltage source, the potential energy of the charge is increased by $\Delta q V_s$.
- A **current source** with **current I_s** provides a **constant current of I_s** amperes to the circuit connected to the two terminals. The circuit notation for current source is shown in Figure 1.7.

FIGURE 1.6

Circuit symbols for voltage sources.

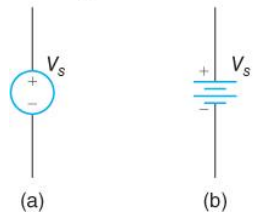
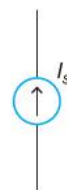


FIGURE 1.7

A circuit symbol for the current source.



DC Sources and AC Sources

- If the **voltage** from the voltage **source is constant with time**, the voltage source is called the direct **current (dc) voltage source**. Likewise, if the **current from** the current source is **constant with time**, the current source is called the **direct current (dc) current source**.
- If the **voltage** from the voltage source is a **sinusoid** as shown in Figure 1.8, the voltage source is called **alternating current (ac) voltage source**. Likewise, if the **current** from the current source is a sinusoid, the **current source** is called **alternating current (ac) current source**.
- A circuit notation for ac voltage source and ac current source are shown in Figure 1.9.

FIGURE 1.8

Plot of a cosine wave with period T , amplitude V_m , and phase zero.

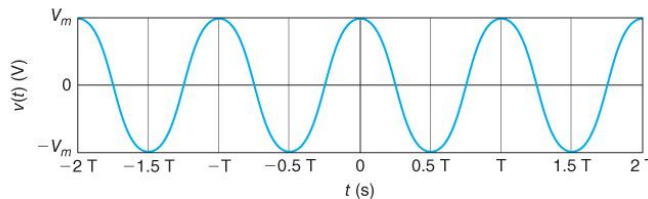
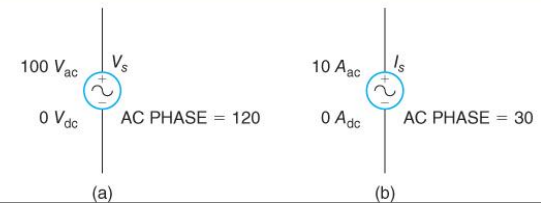


FIGURE 1.9

Circuit symbols for (a) ac voltage source; (b) ac current source.

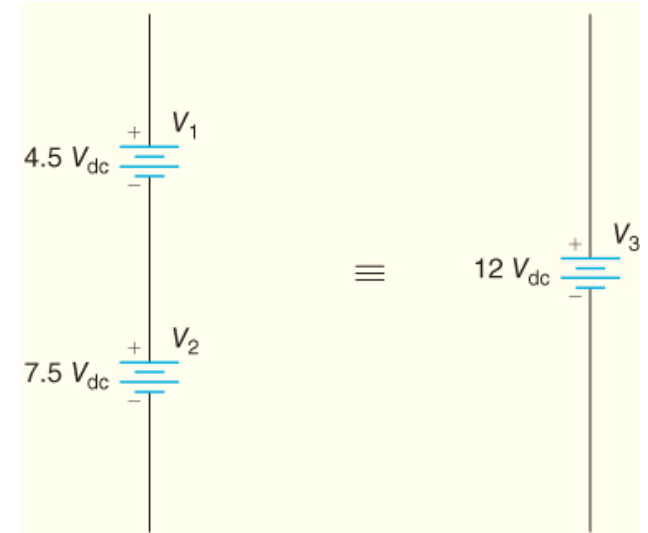


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Equivalent Voltage Source and Equivalent Current Source

- When **dc voltage sources** are connected in **series**, they can be **combined into single** equivalent dc voltage source as shown in Figure

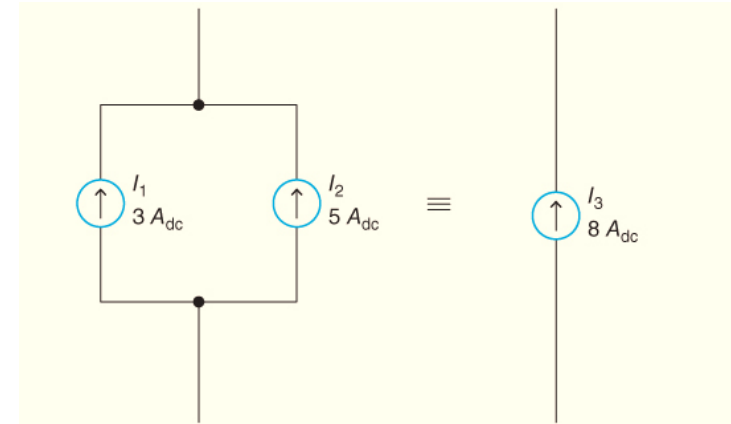
$$V_3 = V_1 + V_2 = 4.5\text{ V} + 7.5\text{ V} = 12\text{ V}$$



Equivalent voltage source

- When **dc current sources** are connected in **parallel**, they can be combined **into single equivalent dc current source** as shown in Figure

$$I_3 = I_1 + I_2 = 3\text{ A} + 5\text{ A} = 8\text{ A}$$

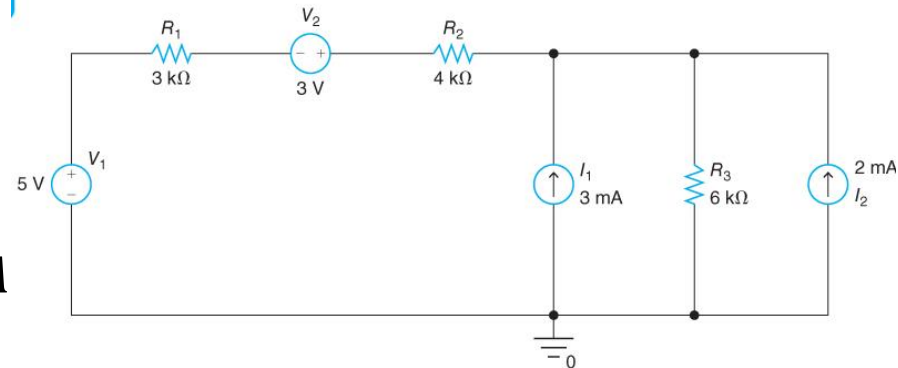


Equivalent voltage source

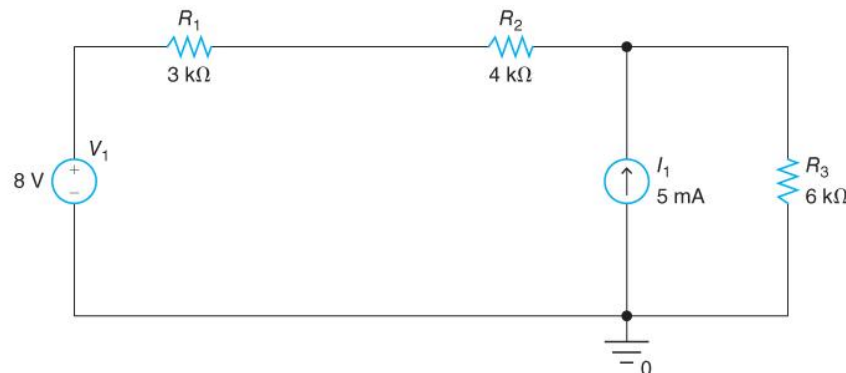
EXAMPLE 1.4

- Redraw the circuit shown in Figure 1.12 with one voltage source and one current source without affecting the voltages across and currents through the resistors in the circuit.

- $V_3 = V_1 + V_2 = 5\text{ V} + 3\text{ V} = 8\text{ V}$
- $I_3 = I_1 + I_2 = 3\text{ mA} + 2\text{ mA} = 5\text{ mA}$

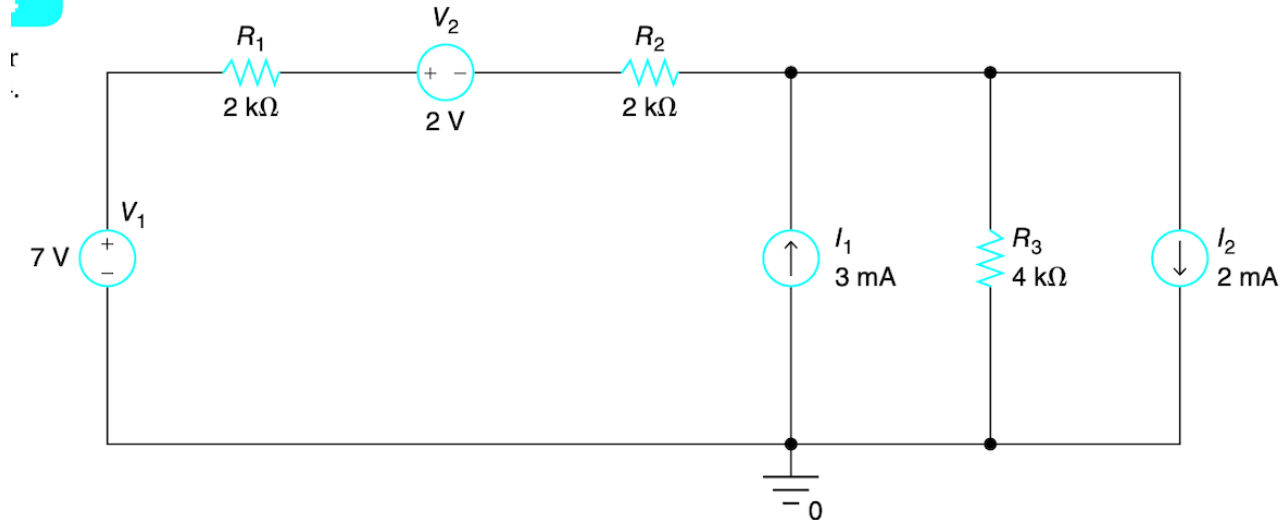


- Equivalent circuit with one voltage source and one current source is.



Class Task

- What is the equivalent voltage and current source in the following circuit.



Options

- A. $V=7\text{V}$, $I = 5\text{ mA}$
- B. $V = 5\text{V}$, $I=1\text{mA}$
- C. $V = 7\text{V}$, $I = 3\text{mA}$

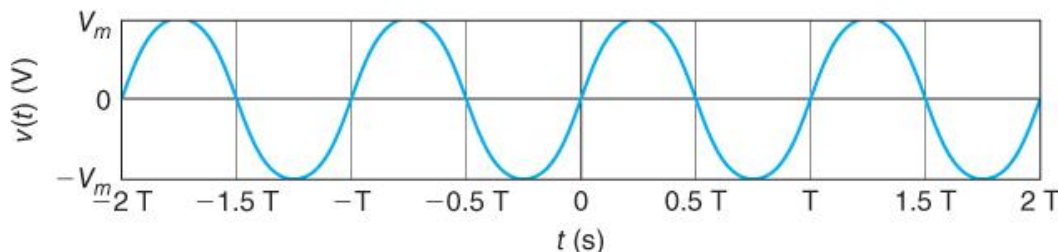
Can you redraw the new circuit with one voltage source and one current source

★ Multiple Choice

Sinusoidal Signal

- An ac voltage waveform can be represented as:
 - $v(t) = V_m \cos(2\pi t/T + \phi) V$
 V_m = peak amplitude (V), T = period (s), ϕ = phase (rad or deg).
- If $f = 1/T$ = frequency (Hz), then
 - $v(t) = V_m \cos(2\pi f t + \phi) V$
- $\omega = 2\pi f = 2\pi/T$ = angular velocity (rad/s).
 - $v(t) = V_m \cos(\omega t + \phi) V$

$$v(t) = V_m \cos\left[2\pi(t - T/4)/T\right] = V_m \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{T}t - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = V_m \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{T}t\right) = V_m \sin(2\pi f t) = V_m \sin(\omega t)$$

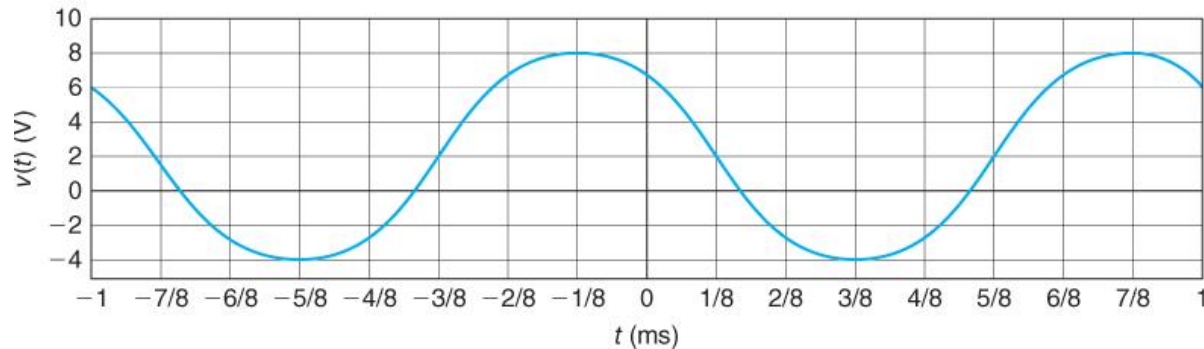


- An ac current waveform can be written as

$$i(t) = I_m \cos\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T} + \phi\right) = I_m \cos(2\pi f t + \phi) = I_m \cos(\omega t + \phi) \text{ A}$$

EXAMPLE 1.5

- Find the equation of the sinusoidal signal shown in Figure 1.17.

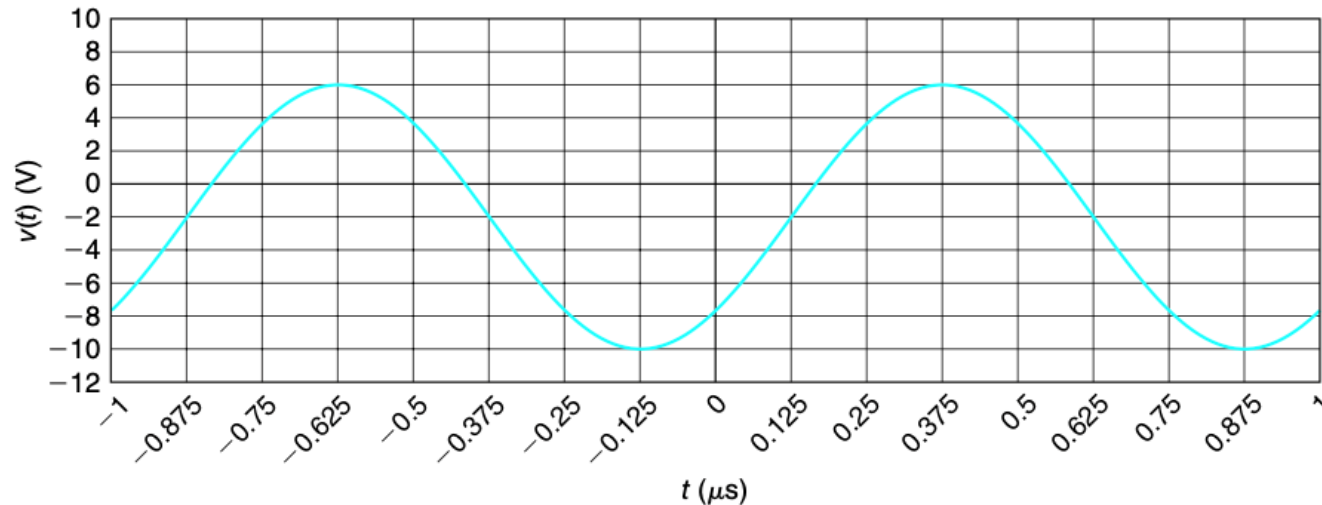


- $T = 1 \text{ ms}$, $f = 1/T = 1000 \text{ Hz} = 1 \text{ kHz}$, $\omega = 2\pi f = 6283.1853 \text{ rad/s}$
- Peak-to-peak amplitude $= V_{p-p} = 8 - (-4) = 12 \text{ V}$,
- peak amplitude $= V_m = V_{p-p}/2 = 6 \text{ V}$
- DC offset $=$ average amplitude $= V_{dc} = [8 + (-4)]/2 = 2 \text{ V}$
- Cosine wave is shifted to the left by $T/8 \text{ ms}$, which is $\pi/4 \text{ rad} = 45^\circ$.
- The equation is given by:

$$v(t) = 2 + 6 \cos(2\pi 1000t + 45^\circ) \text{ V}$$

Class Task

- Find the equation of the sinusoid



- Options

- A. $v(t) = -2 + 8 \cos(2\pi 10^6 t - 135^\circ) \text{ V}$
- B. $v(t) = 6 \cos(2\pi 10^6 t - 135^\circ) \text{ V}$
- C. $v(t) = 2 - 8 \cos(2\pi 10^6 t - 90^\circ) \text{ V}$

★ Multiple Choice

Dependent Sources

- Voltage or current on **dependent sources depend** solely on **controlling voltage or controlling current**. The dependent sources are used to model integrated circuit (IC) devices.
- Depending on whether dependent source is a voltage source or a current source and whether dependent source is controlled by a voltage or a current, there are **four different dependent sources**:

1. Voltage-Controlled Voltage Source (VCVS):

$$v_d = k_v v_c$$

k_v is constant

2. Voltage-Controlled Current Source (VCCS):

$$i_d = g_m v_c$$

g_m is conductance

3. Current-Controlled Voltage Source (CCVS):

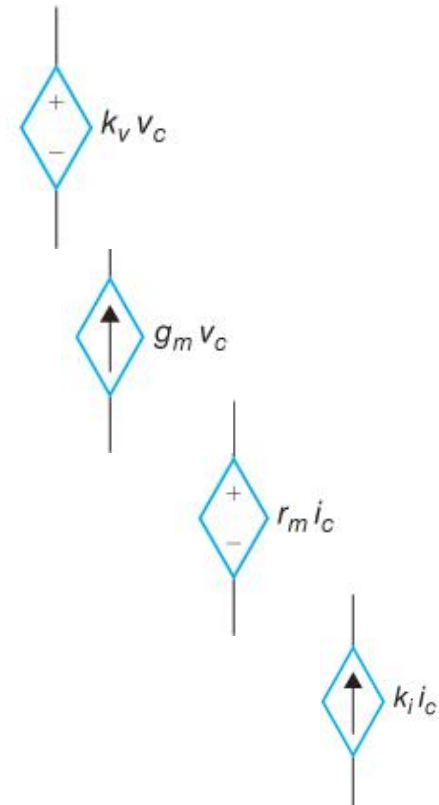
$$v_d = r_m i_c$$

r_m resistance

4. Current-Controlled Current Source (CCCS):

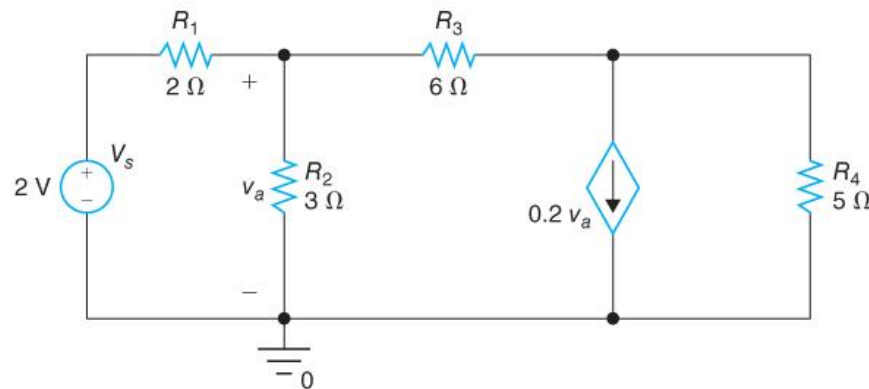
$$i_d = k_i i_c,$$

k_i is ?



EXAMPLE 1.6

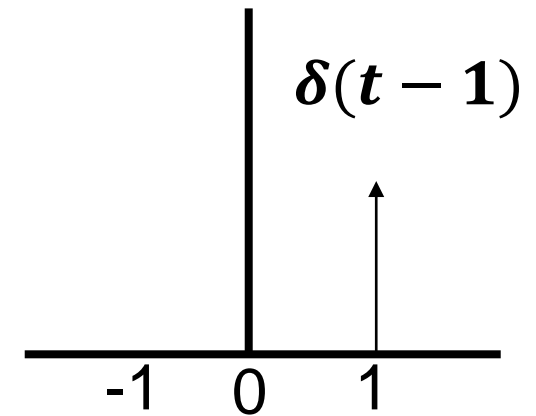
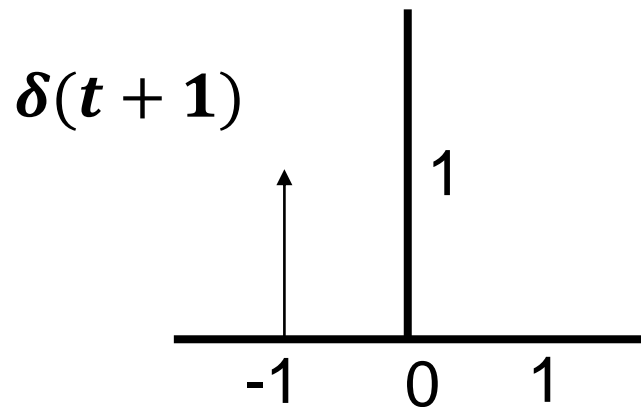
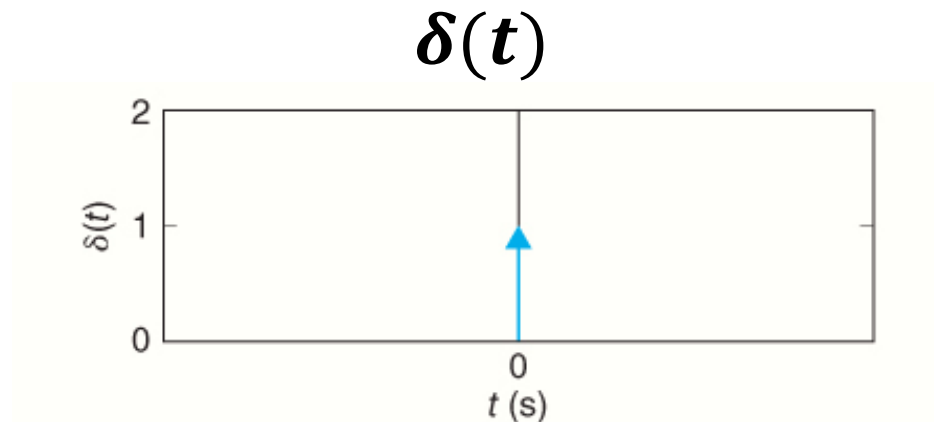
- In the circuit shown controlling voltage, across R_2 , is $v_a = 0.9851$ V.
- Find controlled current through the VCCS.



- Current through the VCCS in the direction indicated in Figure 1.23 (\downarrow) is
$$0.2 v_a = 0.2\ (\text{A/V}) \times 0.9851\ \text{V} = 0.1970\ \text{A}$$

Dirac Delta Function

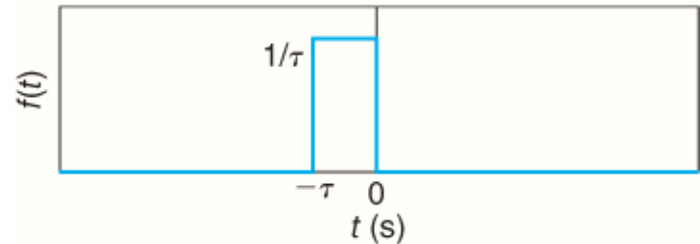
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Dirac Delta Function

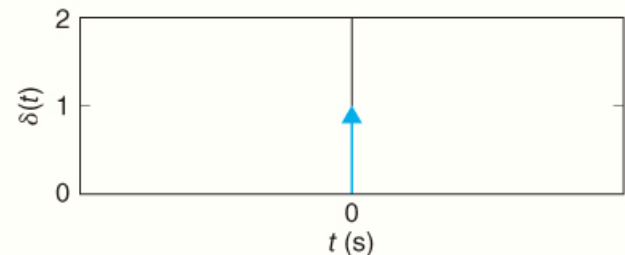
- A rectangular pulse with height $1/\tau$ and width τ is shown in Figure 1.25. The pulse is centered at $-\tau/2$ and the area of the pulse is one. The rectangular pulse can be written as

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{\tau} \text{rect} \left(\frac{t + \frac{\tau}{2}}{\tau} \right)$$



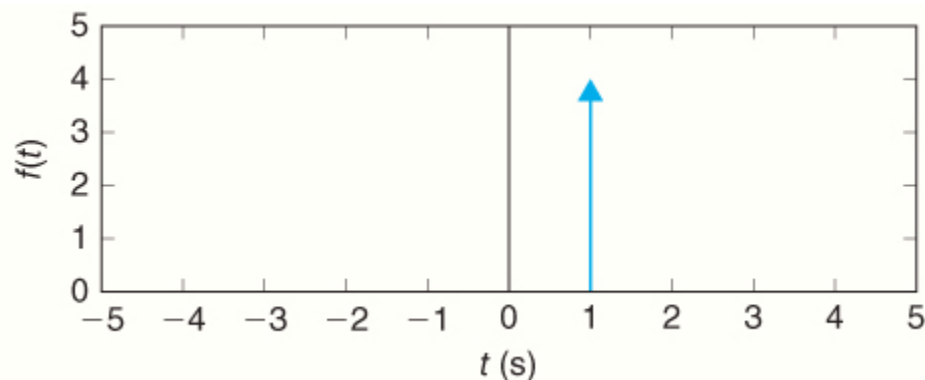
- If pulse width τ is decreased to zero, height of the pulse is increased to infinity while maintaining the area at one. The limiting form of a rectangular pulse shown in Figure 1.25 as $\tau \rightarrow 0$ is defined as Dirac delta function (or delta function) and is denoted by $\delta(t)$:

$$\delta(t) = \lim_{\tau \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\tau} \text{rect} \left(\frac{t + \frac{\tau}{2}}{\tau} \right)$$



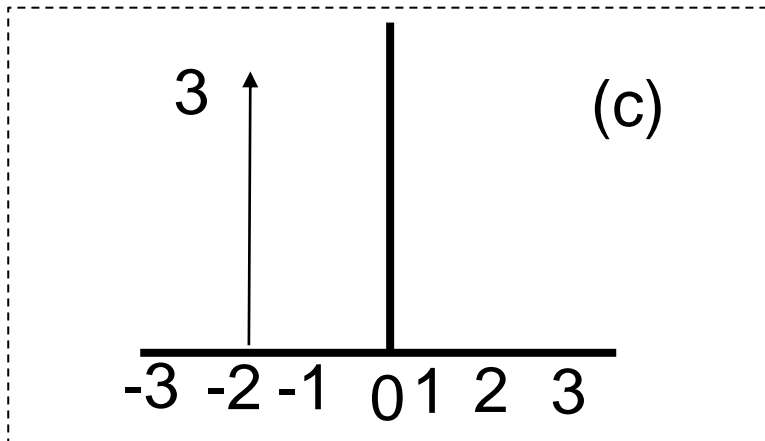
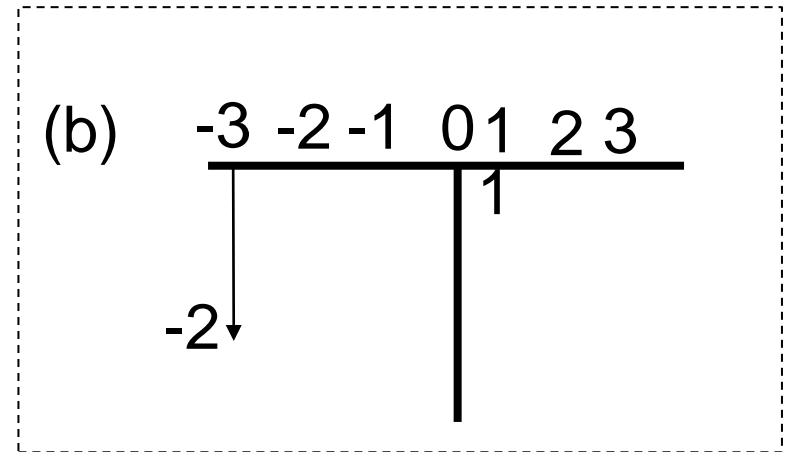
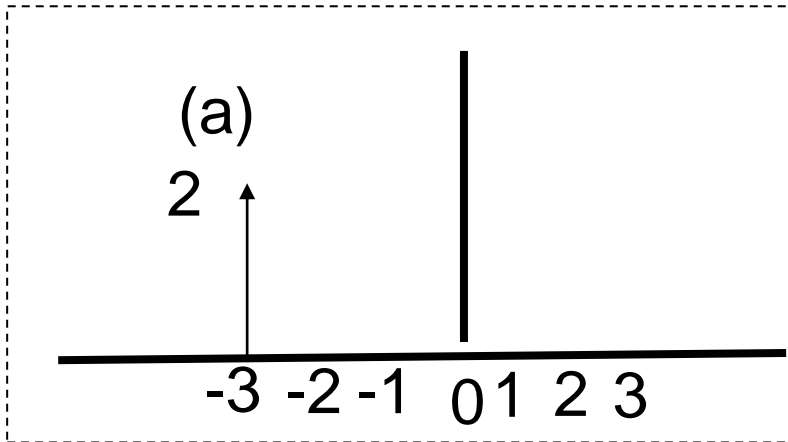
EXAMPLE 1.7

- Plot $f(t) = 4 \delta(t - 1)$.
- The Dirac delta function is located at $t = 1$ and has area of 4. The signal $f(t)$ is shown in Figure 1.27.



Class Task

- Plot $f(t) = -2\delta(t + 3)$



★ Multiple Choice

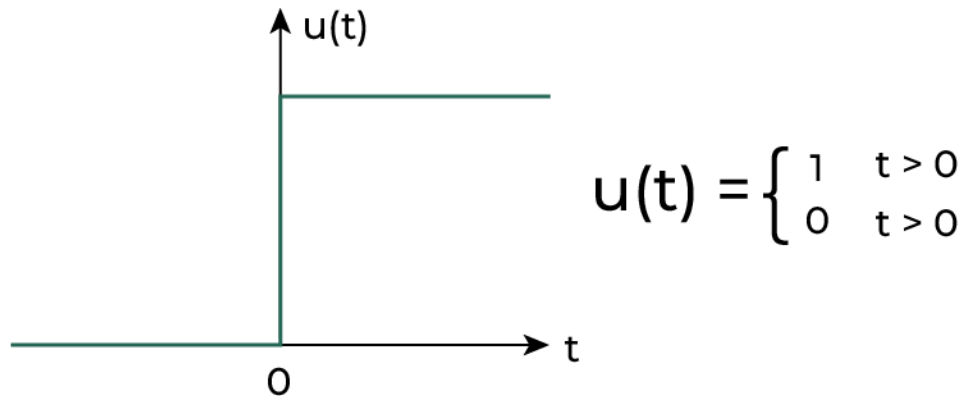
Sifting Property

- When a continuous signal $f(t)$ is multiplied by $\delta(t - a)$ and integrated from $-\infty$ to ∞ , we obtain $f(a)$, that is,

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)\delta(t-a)dt = f(a)$$

- This is called **sifting property of the delta function**. It sifts out a single value of $f(t)$, at the location of the delta function ($t = a$).

Step Function



Integrate $\delta(t)$

$$u(t) = \int \delta(t) dt = \int 1 dt = 1 \text{ for } t \geq 0$$

Step Function

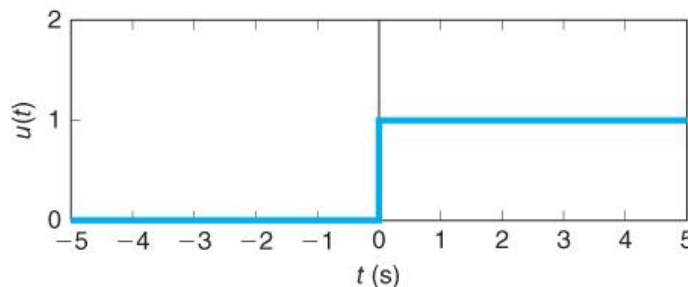
- Unit step function $u(t)$ is **integral** of the **Dirac delta function** $\delta(t)$. If a rectangular pulse $f(t) = \left(\frac{1}{\tau}\right) \text{rect}\left[\frac{\left(t + \frac{\tau}{2}\right)}{\tau}\right]$ is integrated, we obtain

$$\int_{-\infty}^t f(\lambda) d\lambda = \frac{1}{\tau} \int_{-\infty}^t \text{rect}\left[\frac{\lambda + \frac{\tau}{2}}{\tau}\right] d\lambda = \begin{cases} 0, & t < -\tau \\ \frac{t}{\tau} + 1, & -\tau \leq t < 0 \\ 1, & 0 \leq t \end{cases}$$

- Unit step function is defined as limiting form of this equation. In the limit as $\tau \rightarrow 0$, this equation becomes

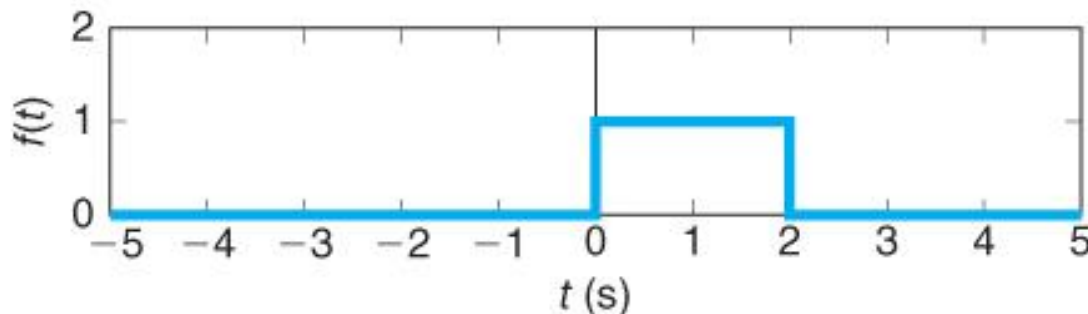
$$u(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 0 \\ 1, & 0 \leq t \end{cases}$$

- Notice that at $t = 0$, $u(t) = 1$. The unit step function is shown in Figure 1.29.



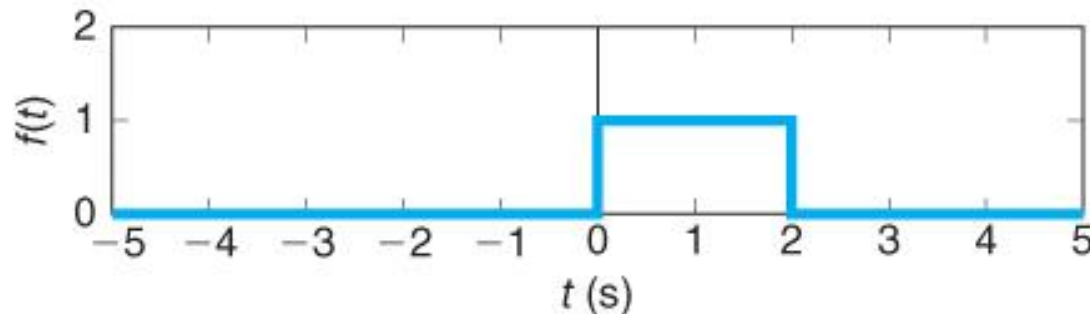
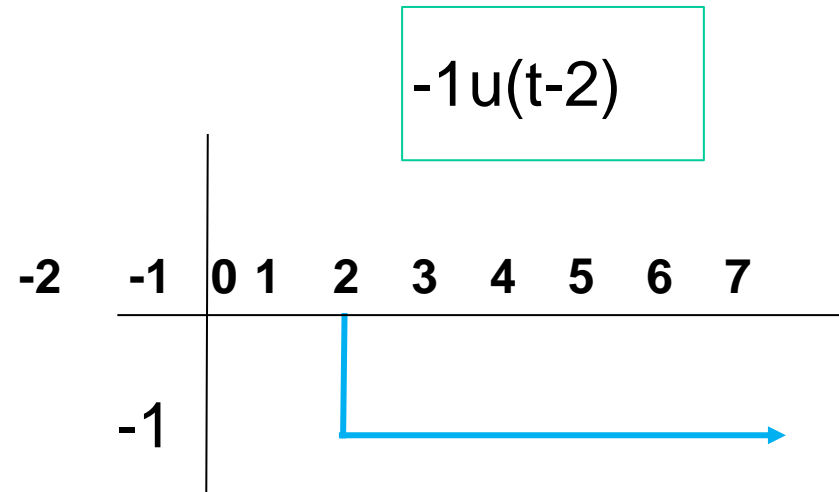
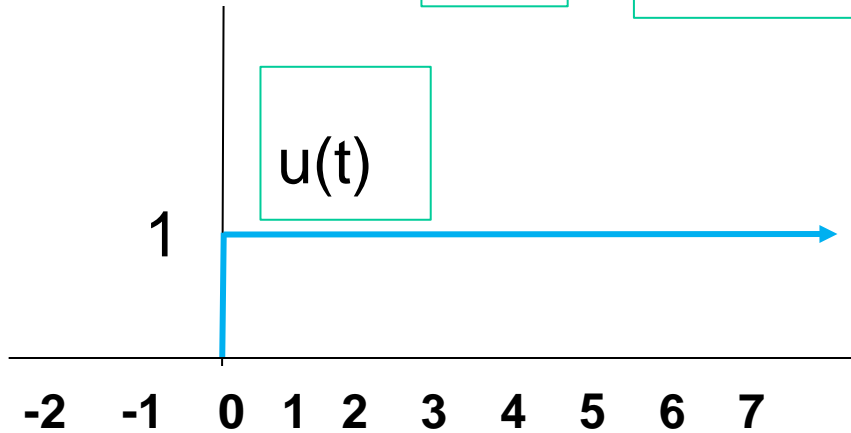
EXAMPLE 1.8

- Plot $f(t) = u(t) - u(t - 2)$.
- Notice that $u(t) = 1$ for $t \geq 0$ and zero for $t < 0$, and $u(t - 2) = 1$ for $t \geq 2$ and zero for $t < 2$.
- Thus, $u(t) - u(t - 2) = 0$ for $t \geq 2$, and $u(t) - u(t - 2) = 1$ for $0 \leq t < 2$, and zero for $t < 0$. The signal $f(t)$ is shown in Figure 1.30.



EXAMPLE 1.8 (continue)

- Plot $f(t) = u(t) - u(t - 2)$.

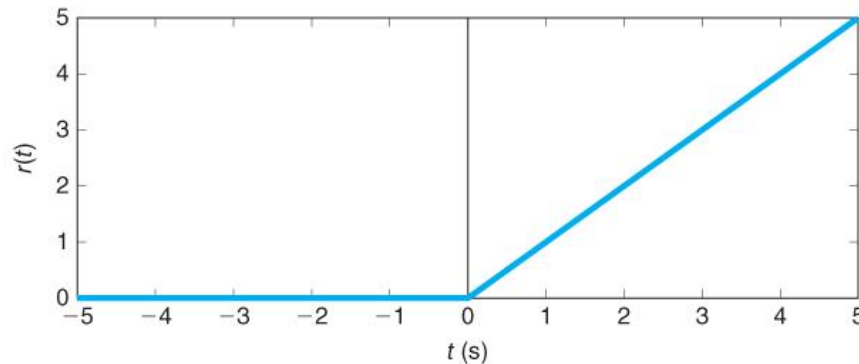


Ramp Function

- A unit ramp function is defined by

$$r(t) = t u(t)$$

- Unit ramp function is shown here



- Unit ramp function is the integral of the unit step function:

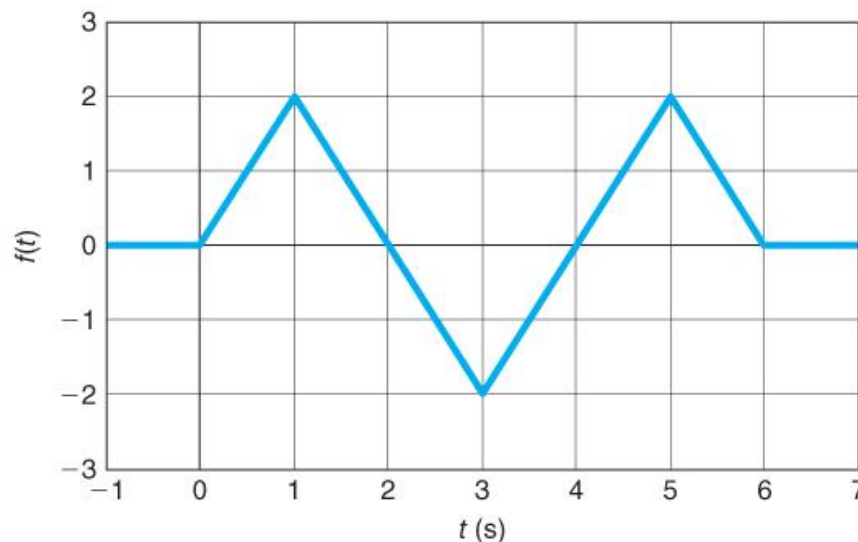
$$r(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t u(\lambda) d\lambda$$

- Derivative of unit ramp function is unit step function:

$$u(t) = \frac{dr(t)}{dt}$$

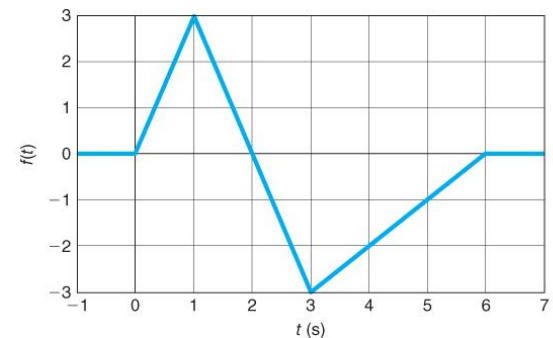
EXAMPLE 1.9

- Plot $f(t) = 2tu(t) - 4(t - 1)u(t - 1) + 4(t - 3)u(t - 3) - 4(t - 5)u(t - 5) + 2(t - 6)u(t - 6)$.
- For $t < 0$, $f(t) = 0$
- For $0 \leq t < 1$, $f(t)$ is a linear line with slope of 2.
- For $1 \leq t < 3$, $f(t)$ is a linear line with slope of -2 . (Add 2 and -4)
- For $3 \leq t < 5$, $f(t)$ is a linear line with slope of 2. ($-2 + 4$)
- For $5 \leq t < 6$, $f(t)$ is a linear line with slope of -2 . ($2 - 4$)
- For $6 \leq t$, $f(t) = 0$. ($-2 + 2$)



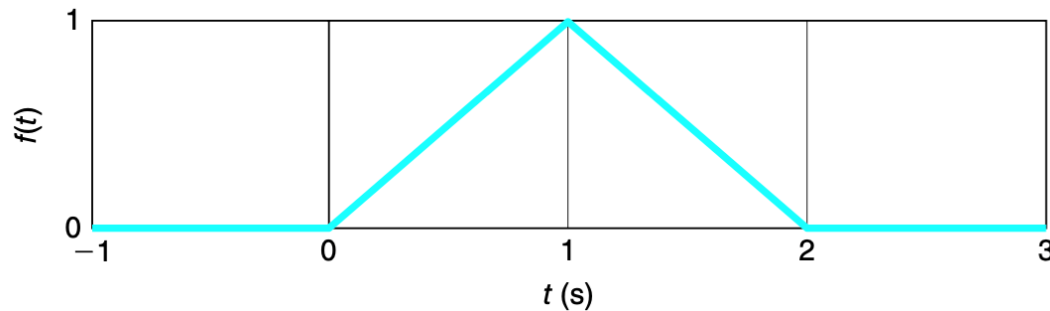
EXAMPLE 1.10

- Find equation of the waveform shown in Figure 1.35.
- For $t < 0$, $f(t) = 0$.
- For $0 \leq t < 1$, $f(t)$ is a linear line with slope of 3. Thus, $f(t) = 3tu(t)$.
- For $1 \leq t < 3$, $f(t)$ is a linear line with slope of -3 . To change the slope from 3 to -3 , we need to add $-6(t - 1)u(t - 1)$. At this point, we have $f(t) = 3tu(t) - 6(t - 1)u(t - 1)$.
- For $3 \leq t < 6$, $f(t)$ is a linear line with slope of 1. To change the slope from -3 to 1, we need to add $4(t - 3)u(t - 3)$. At this point, we have $f(t) = 3tu(t) - 6(t - 1)u(t - 1) + 4(t - 3)u(t - 3)$.
- For $6 \leq t$, $f(t) = 0$. To change the slope from 1 to 0, we need to add $-(t - 6)u(t - 6)$.
- The final equation is given by
$$f(t) = 3tu(t) - 6(t - 1)u(t - 1) + 4(t - 3)u(t - 3) - (t - 6)u(t - 6).$$



Class work

- Find the equation



Options

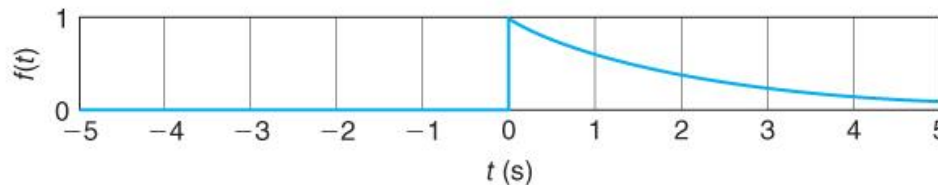
- A. $tu(t) + 2(t - 1)u(t - 1) - (t - 2)u(t - 2)$
- B. $tu(t) - 2(t - 1)u(t - 1) + (t - 2)u(t - 2)$
- C. $tu(t) + (t - 2)u(t - 2)$



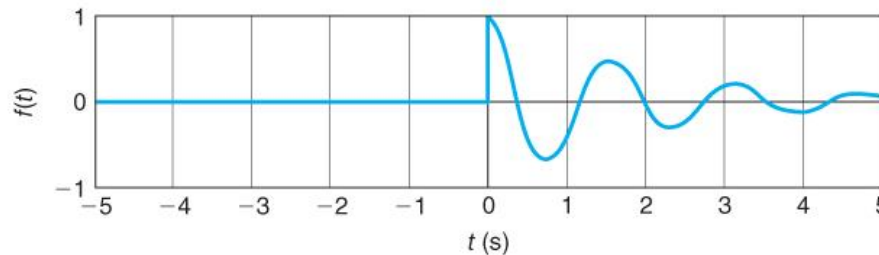
Multiple Choice

Exponential Decay

- A signal that decays exponentially can be written as $f(t) = e^{-at}u(t)$, $a > 0$.
- The signal $f(t)$ for $a = 0.5$ is shown in Figure 1.37.

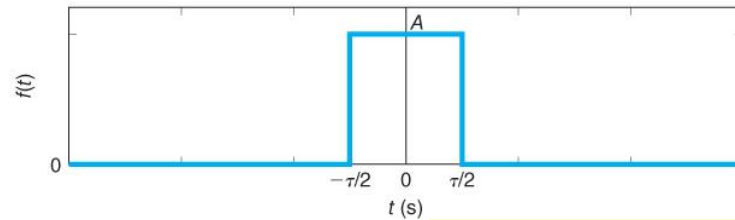


- Damped cosine and damped sine can be written respectively as
 $f(t) = e^{-at}\cos(bt)u(t)$, $a > 0$
 $f(t) = e^{-at}\sin(bt)u(t)$, $a > 0$
- Damped cosine signal is shown 1.38 for $a = 0.5$ and $b = 4$.



Rectangular Pulse and Triangular Pulse

- A **rectangular** pulse with amplitude A pulse width τ is shown in Figure. Center of the pulse is at $t = 0$.

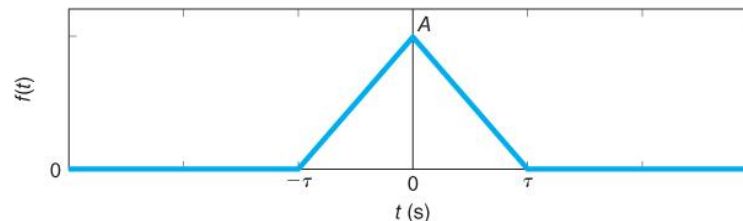


- Rectangular pulse shown in is denoted by: $f(t) = A \operatorname{rect}\left(\frac{t}{\tau}\right)$

- A **triangular** pulse with amplitude A and base 2τ is shown in Figur. The center of the pulse is at $t = 0$.

- Triangular pulse shown in Figure 1.42 is denoted by

$$f(t) = A \operatorname{tri}\left(\frac{t}{\tau}\right)$$



EXAMPLE 1.11

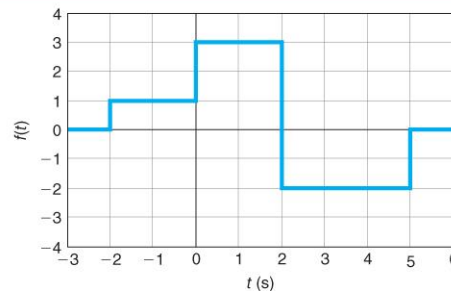
- Plot

$$f(t) = \text{rect}\left(\frac{t+1}{2}\right) + 3\text{rect}\left(\frac{t-1}{2}\right) - 2\text{rect}\left(\frac{t-3.5}{3}\right)$$

- The first rectangle is centered at $t = -1$ and has a height of 1 and width of 2. The second rectangle is centered at $t = 1$ and has a height of 3 and width of 2. The third rectangle is centered at $t = 3.5$ and has a height of -2 and width of 3. The waveform $f(t)$ is shown in Figure 1.40.

FIGURE 1.40

Waveform $f(t)$.



EXAMPLE 1.12

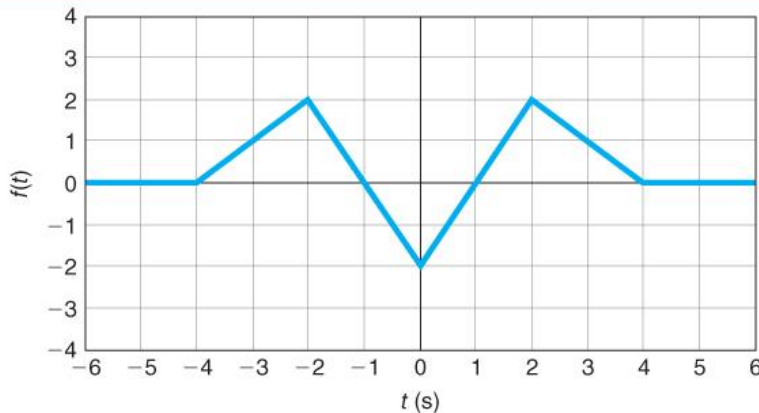
- Plot

$$f(t) = 2\text{tri}\left(\frac{t+2}{2}\right) - 2\text{tri}\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) + 2\text{tri}\left(\frac{t-2}{2}\right)$$

- The first triangle is centered at $t = -2$ and has a height of 2 and base of 4. The second triangle is centered at $t = 0$ and has a height of -2 and base of 4. The third triangle is centered at $t = 2$ and has a height of 2 and base of 4. The waveform $f(t)$ is shown in Figure 1.43.

FIGURE 1.43

Waveform $f(t)$.



Summary

- The seven base units of the International System of Units (SI) along with derived units relevant to electrical and computer engineering are presented.
- The electric field E is a force per unit charge.
- When electric field E is integrated along the path against the field, we get work (force \times displacement) done per unit charge.
- The potential difference between points A (final) and B (initial) is defined as the work done per unit charge against the force: $V_{AB} = V_A - V_B = dw_{AB}/dq$ (J/C)
- The current is defined as the rate of change of charge: $i(t) = dq(t)/dt$
- The power is the product of current and voltage: $p(t) = i(t)v(t)$
- The energy is the integral of power: $w(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t p(\lambda) d\lambda$
- Power is the derivative of energy: $p(t) = dw(t)/dt$
- Four types of dependent sources: VCVS, VCCS, CCVS, CCCS
- Elementary signals: Dirac delta, step, ramp, exponential, rectangular pulse, triangular pulse.
- What will we study in next lecture