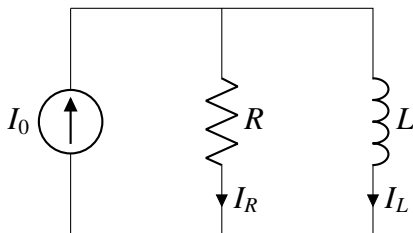
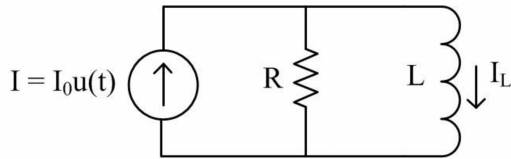


NCERT Question 11.9.3.9

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Question: The R-L circuit with $R = 10k\Omega$ and $L = 1mH$ is excited by a step current $I_0 u(t)$. At $t = 0^-$, there is a current $I_L = I_0/5$ flowing through the inductor. The minimum time taken for the current through the inductor to reach 99% of its final value is ... μs (rounded off to two decimal places).

Solution:



Transform	Signal
$\frac{1}{s(s+a)}$	$\frac{1}{a}(1 - e^{-at})$
$\frac{1}{s+a}$	e^{-at}

TABLE 1

INVERSE LAPLACE TRANSFORM PAIRS

$$I_0 u(t) = I_R + I_L \quad (1)$$

From KVL, we have:

$$\left(\frac{I_0}{s} - I(s)\right)R - L(sI(s) - I_L(0^-)) = 0 \quad (2)$$

After Simplifying we have:

$$I(s) = \frac{I_0 R + L s I(0^-)}{s(R + L s)} \quad (3)$$

$$I(s) = \frac{I_0 R}{L} \frac{1}{s(s + \frac{R}{L})} + \frac{I_0}{5} \frac{1}{\frac{R}{L} + s} \quad (4)$$

From Table 1, we have:

$$I(t) = \frac{I_0 R}{L} \left[\frac{1}{\frac{R}{L}} (1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}) \right] + \frac{I_0}{5} e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \quad (5)$$

$$I(t) = I_0 - \frac{4}{5} I_0 e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \quad (6)$$

$$I(t) = I_0 - \frac{4}{5} I_0 e^{-10^7 t} \quad (7)$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} I(t) = I_0 \quad (8)$$

Now time when current in inductor is 99% of its final value is given by:

$$0.99 I_0 = I_0 - \frac{4}{5} I_0 e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \quad (9)$$

$$0.01 I_0 = \frac{4}{5} I_0 e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \quad (10)$$

$$t = \frac{L}{R} \ln(80) \quad (11)$$

$$t = 10^{-7} \ln(80) \mu s \quad (12)$$

$$t = 0.43 \mu s \quad (13)$$

