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Exam #3

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You have 75 minutes to complete this exam. The questions should not take long to answer if you know the material. I recommend that you first read all the problems so that you can think about it as you work on other problems. Do the easier ones first so that you get the majority of the exam complete early.

You are not to use any other electronic device besides your calculator.

There are some equations on the last page that you may find helpful.

Circle your answers.

Turn off your phone, laptop, I-pad, I-pod, and any other electronic device.

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1. Compute the sum of $V_1(t)$ and $V_2(t)$ and put into the form of $V(t) = A \cos(\omega t + \theta)$.

$$V_1(t) = 25 \sin(\omega t - 10^\circ)$$

$$V_2(t) = 30 \cos(\omega t + 15^\circ)$$

$$V(t) = V_1(t) + V_2(t) = A \cos(\omega t + \theta)$$

$$\sin(x) = \cos(x - 90^\circ)$$

$$V_1(t) = 25 \cos(\omega t - 10^\circ)$$

$$V_1(t) = 25 \cos[(\omega t - 10^\circ) - 90^\circ]$$

$$= 25 \cos(\omega t - 100^\circ)$$

$$\vec{V}_1 = 25 \angle -100^\circ$$

$$\vec{V}_1 = 25 [\cos(-100^\circ) + j \sin(-100^\circ)]$$

$$= -4.34120 - j24.62$$

$$\vec{V}_2 = 30 [\cos 15^\circ + j \sin 15^\circ]$$

$$= 30(0.9659 + j0.2598)$$

$$= 28.98 + j7.764$$

$$\vec{V} = \vec{V}_1 + \vec{V}_2 \quad V = (-4.34120 - j24.62) + (28.98 + j7.764)$$

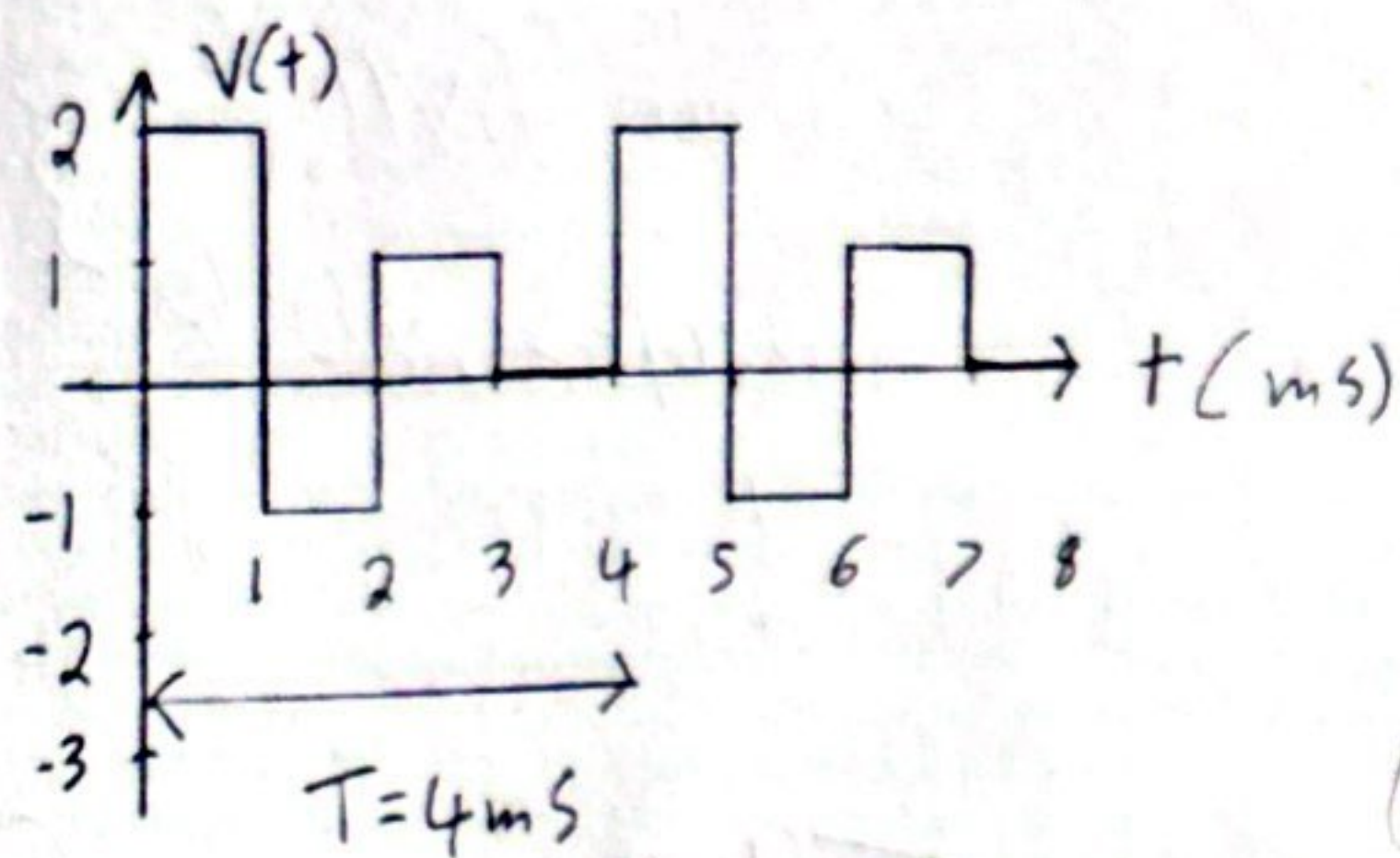
$$= 24.64 - j16.856$$

$$A = |V| = \sqrt{(24.64)^2 + (-16.856)^2} = 29.86$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{-16.856}{24.64}\right) \quad \theta = -34.4^\circ$$

$$V = 29.86 \angle -34.4^\circ$$

2. Compute the root-mean-square value of $v(t)$ for the following wave. Use the formula as this is not a sinusoidal wave.



$$T = 4 \text{ ms}$$

0-4 ms (repeats)

$$V_{\text{rms}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{T} \int_0^T v^2(t) dt}$$

$$(2)^2 = 4 \quad (1)^2 = 1 \quad (-2)^2 = 4 \quad (1)^2 = 1$$

$$\int_0^T v^2(t) dt = 4(1) + 1(1) + 4(1) + 1(1) = 10$$

$$V_{\text{rms}} = \sqrt{\frac{10}{4}} \quad T = 4 \text{ ms} \quad V_{\text{rms}} = \sqrt{\frac{10}{4}} = 1.5811 \text{ V}$$

Work for 3

$$v(t) = 25 \cos(100t + 45^\circ) = V_{\text{rms}} = \frac{25}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$i(t) = 50 \cos(100t + 15^\circ) = I_{\text{rms}} = \frac{50}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\theta = \theta_v - \theta_i = 45^\circ - 15^\circ = 30^\circ$$

3. A source has $v(t) = 25 \cos(100t + 45^\circ)$ across it and produces a current of $i(t) = 50 \cos(100t + 15^\circ)$.

- a. Compute the power factor.

$$\text{PF} = \cos(\theta) = \cos(30^\circ) \quad \text{PF} = 0.8660$$

- b. Compute the apparent power delivered by the source.

$$S = V_{\text{rms}} \cdot I_{\text{rms}} = \left(\frac{25}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{50}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \frac{1250}{2} = 625 \text{ VA}$$

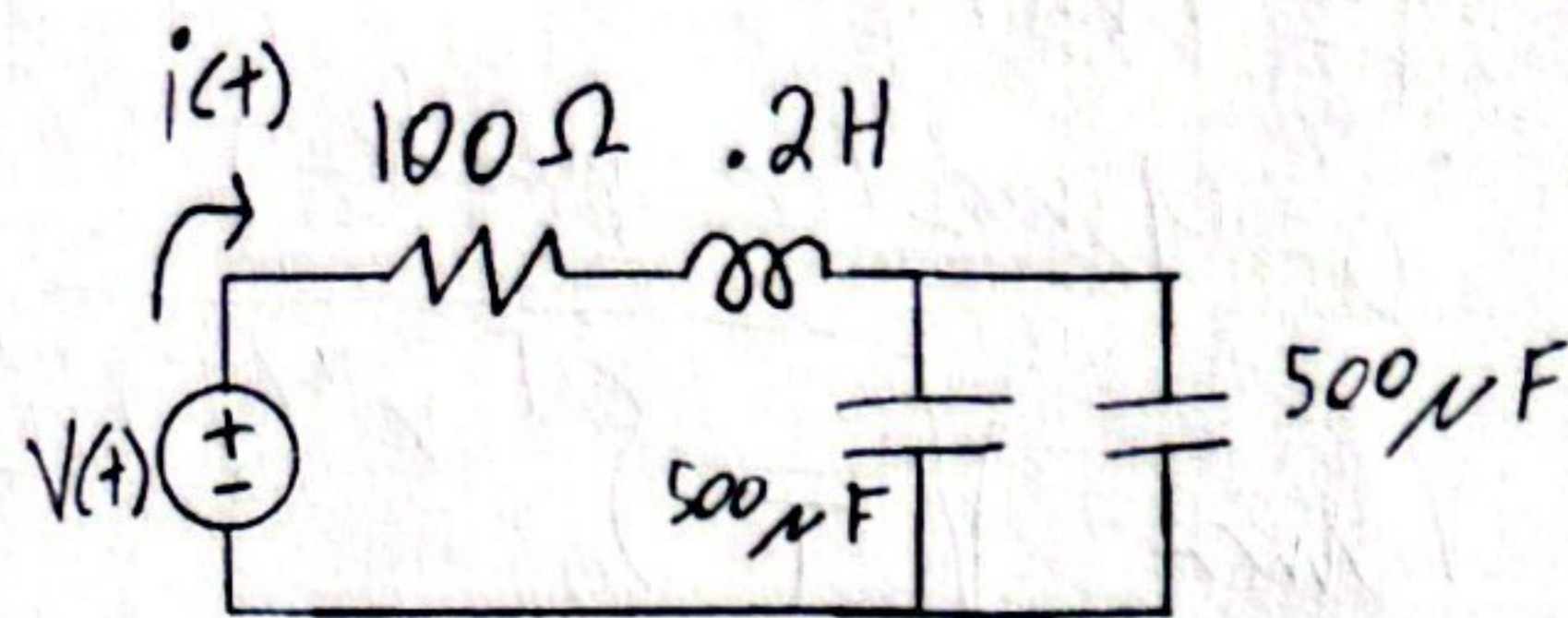
- c. Compute the real power delivered by the source.

$$P = S \cos(\theta) \quad P = 625 (0.866) \quad P = 541.3 \text{ W}$$

- d. Compute the reactive power delivered by the source.

$$Q = S \sin(\theta) \quad Q = 625 \sin(30^\circ) \quad Q = 312.5 \text{ Var}$$

4. For the following circuit with $v(t) = 10\cos(100t)$.



$$V(t) = 10\cos$$

$$R_1 = 100\Omega$$

$$L = 0.2H$$

$$C_1 = 500\mu F = 5 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$C_2 = 500\mu F = 5 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$i(t) = ?$$

- a. find the expression for the current $i(t)$.

$$100\Omega + j\omega L = j100(0.2) = j200$$

$$Z_L = j\omega L = j(100)(0.2) = j200$$

$$Z_C = \frac{1}{j(100)(5 \times 10^{-4})} = -j10$$

$$Z_{total} = R + Z_L + Z_C = 100 + j200 - j10 = 100 + j190$$

$$|Z| = \sqrt{(100)^2 + (190)^2} = \sqrt{46100} \quad |Z| = 214.68\Omega$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{190}{100}\right) = 62.47^\circ \quad Z_{total} = 214.68 \angle 62.47^\circ$$

$$V = 10 \angle 0^\circ \quad \bar{I} = \frac{V}{Z} = \frac{10 \angle 0^\circ}{214.68 \angle 62.47^\circ} \quad \bar{I} = 0.0466 \angle -62.47^\circ$$

$$i(t) = I_m \cos(\omega t + \phi) = 0.0466 \cos(100t - 62.47^\circ) A$$

- b. Find the angular frequency, ω , that results in zero reactive power. That is, the equivalent impedance is purely real.

$$X_L + X_C = 0$$

$$\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C_{eq}} = 0$$

$$L = 0.2H$$

$$C_{eq} = 1000\mu F = 0.001nF$$

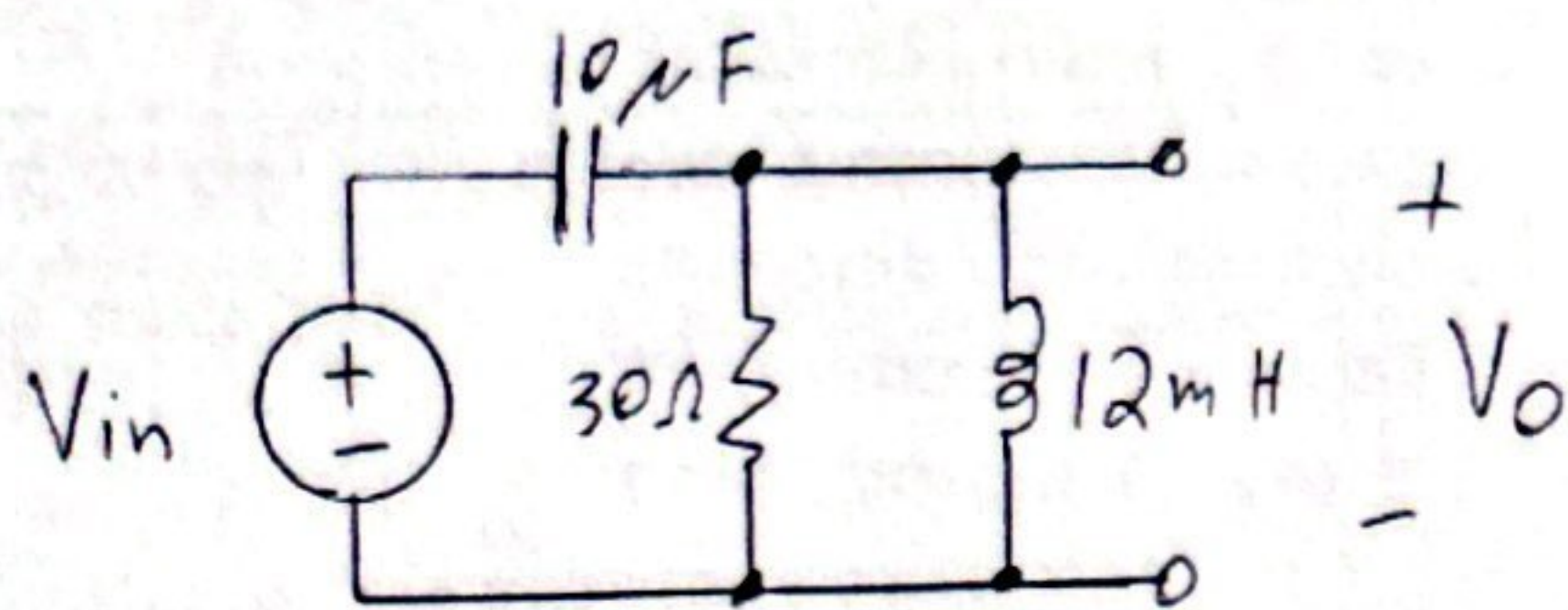
$$\omega L = \frac{1}{\omega C} \quad \omega^2 = \frac{1}{LC}$$

$$\omega^2 = \frac{1}{(0.2)(0.001)}$$

$$\omega^2 = \frac{1}{0.0002} = 5000$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{5000} \quad \omega = 70.71 \text{ rad/s}$$

5. Use the voltage divider to find $V_o(t)$. Assume $V_{in}(t) = 40 \sin(5,000t)$.



$$V_o(t) = ?$$

$$V_{in}(t) = 40 \sin(5,000t)$$

$$C = 10 \mu F = 10 \times 10^{-6} F$$

$$R_1 = 30 \Omega \quad L = 12 mH$$

$$V_{in}(t) = 40 \sin(5,000t) = 40 \cos(5000t - 90^\circ)$$

$$\text{so, } V_{in} = 40 \angle (-90^\circ) V$$

$$\omega = 5000 \text{ rad/s}$$

$$Z_C = \frac{1}{j\omega C} = \frac{1}{j(5000)(10 \times 10^{-6})} = \frac{1}{j(0.05)} = \frac{1}{0.05} \cdot \frac{1}{j} = 20 \cdot (-j) = -j20 \Omega$$

$$Z_C = 20 \angle (-90^\circ) \Omega$$

$$Z_R = 30 \Omega = 30 \angle 0^\circ$$

$$Z_L = j\omega L = j(5000)(12 \times 10^{-3}) = j(60) = j60 \Omega = 60 \angle 90^\circ \Omega$$

$$Z_p = R \parallel L \quad Y_R = \frac{1}{Z_R} = \frac{1}{30} = 0.03, \quad Y_L = \frac{1}{Z_L} = \frac{1}{j60} = -\frac{j}{60} = -j0.01667$$

$$Y_p = Y_R + Y_L = 0.03 - j0.01667$$

$$|Y_p| = \sqrt{(0.03)^2 + (-0.01667)^2} = 0.03727$$

$$\angle Y_p = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{-0.01667}{0.03}\right) = -29.565^\circ$$

$$Y_p = 0.03727 \angle (-29.565^\circ)$$

$$Z_p = \frac{1}{Y_p} = \frac{1}{0.03727 \angle (-29.565^\circ)} = 26.82 \angle (29.565^\circ) \Omega$$

$$Z_p = (26.82 \cos 29.565^\circ) + j(26.82 \sin 29.565^\circ) = 24 + j12 \Omega$$

$$Z_{total} = Z_C + Z_p = (-j20) + (24 + j12) = 24 - j8 \Omega$$

$$V_o = V_{in} \cdot \frac{Z_p}{Z_C + Z_p} = V_{in} \cdot \frac{Z_p}{Z_{total}} \quad H = \frac{(24 + j12)(24 + j8)}{(24 - j8)(24 + j8)} = \frac{480 + j480}{640} = 0.75 + j0.75$$

$$|H| = \sqrt{(0.75)^2 + (0.75)^2} = 1.06066 \quad \angle H = \tan^{-1}(1) = 45^\circ$$

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More work for 5

$$\angle 14 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{0.85}{0.75}\right) = 45^\circ$$

$$14 = 1.06066 \angle 45^\circ$$

$$V_0 = V_{in} \cdot 14 = (40 \angle -90^\circ) \cdot (1.06066 \angle 45^\circ)$$

$$V_0 = 42.43 \angle (-45^\circ) V$$

$$V_0(t) = 42.43 \cos(5000t - 45^\circ) V$$

$$\cos(x) = \sin(x + 90^\circ)$$

$$V_0(t) = 42.43 \cos(5000t - 45^\circ) = 42.43 \sin(5000t - 45^\circ + 90^\circ)$$

$$V_0(t) = 42.43 \cos(5000t - 45^\circ) V$$

