

ELEN30009 - Electrical Network Analysis and Design

Assignment 4

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1. (a) INSERT DIAGRAM HERE

Using KVL in loop 1:

$$\begin{aligned}\Sigma V_{drops} &= 0 \\ \implies V_i + I_i R_i &= 0 \\ \implies V_i &= -I_i R_i\end{aligned}$$

Using KVL in loop 2:

$$\begin{aligned}\Sigma V_{drops} &= 0 \\ \implies -V_o + I_o R_o + A_{voc} V_i &= 0 \\ \implies -V_o + I_o R_o + A_{voc} I_i R_i &= 0 \\ \implies I_i &= \frac{V_o - I_o R_o}{A_{voc} R_i} \\ \implies V_i &= \frac{V_o - I_o R_o}{A_{voc}}\end{aligned}$$

We know that for a two port network, the general matrix equation written in a parameters is:

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_i \\ I_i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & -a_{12} \\ a_{21} & -a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_o \\ I_o \end{bmatrix}$$

From the equation obtained before, we can re-write them in matrix form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_i \\ I_i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{A_{voc}} & -\frac{R_o}{A_{voc}} \\ \frac{1}{A_{voc} R_i} & -\frac{R_o}{A_{voc} R_i} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_o \\ I_o \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore, the A matrix of this voltage amplifier model is:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{A_{voc}} & -\frac{R_o}{A_{voc}} \\ \frac{1}{A_{voc} R_i} & -\frac{R_o}{A_{voc} R_i} \end{bmatrix}$$

- (b) This circuit can be thought of as 3 cascaded two port networks forming a single two port network with a loaded output and a voltage input with source impedance. To find the A parameter matrix of the single two port network, first find the A parameter matrices of each amplifier stage and matrix multiply them together to.

$$\begin{aligned}
A_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{10} & -\frac{1 \times 10^3}{10} \\ \frac{1}{101 \times 10^6} & -\frac{1 \times 10^3}{101 \times 10^6} \end{bmatrix} \\
A_2 &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{100} & -\frac{2 \times 10^3}{100} \\ \frac{1}{100200 \times 10^3} & -\frac{2 \times 10^3}{100200 \times 10^3} \end{bmatrix} \\
A_3 &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{50 \times 10^3}{2} \\ \frac{1}{225 \times 10^3} & -\frac{50 \times 10^3}{225 \times 10^3} \end{bmatrix} \\
A &= A_1 A_2 A_3 \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} 457 \times 10^{-6} & 22.885 \, \Omega \\ 457 \times 10^{-12} \, \text{V} & 22.885 \times 10^{-6} \end{bmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

2. (a) i. We know that in a Thevenin equivalent circuit, maximum power transfer to the load occurs when $Z_L = Z_{Th}^*$, or for entirely resistive circuits, $R_L = R_{Th}$.

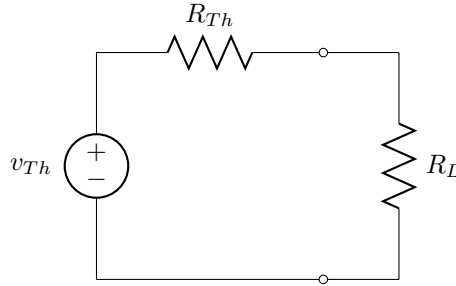


Figure 1: Thevenin equivalent circuit

Now by the formula sheet:

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{Th} &= \frac{a_{12} + a_{22} \cdot R_g}{a_{11} + a_{21} \cdot R_g} \\
&= \frac{10 + 1.5 \cdot 2}{4 + 0.5 \cdot 2} \\
&= 2.6 \, \Omega
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, when $R_L = 2.6 \, \Omega$, maximum power is transferred to the load resistor.

- ii. Maximum power transferred to load can be found from the formula:

$$P_{L \max} = \frac{v_L^2}{R_L}$$

For the Thevenin equivalent circuit, v_L , the voltage drop across the load, can be found by voltage division. However, since $R_L = R_{Th}$, we know half of v_{Th} will drop across R_L , the other half dropped across R_{Th} .

Now by the formula sheet:

$$\begin{aligned}
v_{Th} &= \frac{v_g}{a_{11} + a_{21} \cdot R_g} \\
&= \frac{10}{4 + 0.5 \cdot 2} \\
&= 2 \, \text{V}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore v_L &= \frac{v_{Th}}{2} \\ &= 1 \text{ V}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore P_{L \text{ max}} &= \frac{1^2}{2.6} \\ &= 384.62 \text{ mW}\end{aligned}$$

The maximum power delivered to the load is $P_{L \text{ max}} = 384.62 \text{ mW}$.

- iii. From (2a ii), $R_L = 2.6 \Omega$ $\therefore v_L = 1 \text{ V}$.
From this, i_L can be found by Ohm's law:

$$\begin{aligned}i_L &= \frac{v_L}{R_L} \\ &= \frac{1}{2.6} \\ &= 384.62 \text{ mA}\end{aligned}$$

Now by the formula sheet:

$$\frac{i_2}{i_1} = \frac{-1}{a_{21} \cdot R_L + a_{22}}$$

And from this, i_1 can be found from i_L , where we note $i_2 = -i_L$:

$$\begin{aligned}i_1 &= -i_2 (a_{21} \cdot R_L + a_{22}) \\ &= i_L (a_{21} \cdot R_L + a_{22}) \\ &= 384.62 * 10^{-3} (0.5 \cdot 2.6 + 1.5) \\ &= 1.077 \text{ A}\end{aligned}$$

And so, the current flowing into port 1 is $i_1 = 1.077 \text{ A}$.

- (b) For measurement 1, we have the constraint that $V_2 = 0 \text{ V}$.
For measurement 2, we have the constraint that $V_1 = 0 \text{ V}$.

Therefore, we want to find a set of two-port network parameters that have V_1 and V_2 as the independent variables.

We find the y parameters meet this condition:

$$i_1 = y_{11} \cdot v_1 + y_{12} \cdot v_2 \qquad i_2 = y_{21} \cdot v_1 + y_{22} \cdot v_2$$

$$y_{11} = \left. \frac{i_1}{v_1} \right|_{v_2=0} \text{ S}$$

$$y_{12} = \left. \frac{i_1}{v_2} \right|_{v_1=0} \text{ S}$$

$$y_{21} = \left. \frac{i_2}{v_1} \right|_{v_2=0} \text{ S}$$

$$y_{22} = \left. \frac{i_2}{v_2} \right|_{v_1=0} \text{ S}$$

By measurement 1:

$$y_{11} = \frac{1}{10} = 100 \text{ mS}$$

$$y_{21} = \frac{-0.5}{10} = -50 \text{ mS}$$

By measurement 2:

$$y_{12} = \frac{-1}{20} = -50 \text{ mS}$$

$$y_{22} = \frac{3}{20} = 150 \text{ mS}$$

Now for cascade of two-port networks, $[A_T] = [A_1] \times [A_2]$, where these are the a parameter matrices for the overall network, network 1 and network 2 respectively.

Therefore convert above y parameters to a parameters to make finding overall network parameters easier (note $\Delta[Y]$ is the discriminant of the y parameter matrix):

$$\begin{aligned} a_{11} &= -\frac{y_{22}}{y_{21}} = 3 & a_{12} &= -\frac{1}{y_{21}} = 20 \, \Omega \\ a_{21} &= -\frac{\Delta[Y]}{y_{21}} = 0.25 \, \text{S} & a_{22} &= -\frac{y_{11}}{y_{21}} = 2 \end{aligned}$$

As stated above, we can find the a parameters of the overall two-port network by matrix multiplying the a parameters of the constituent cascaded two-port networks:

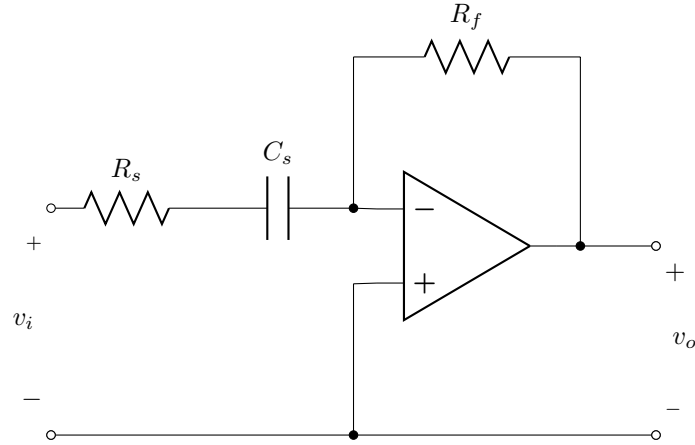
$$\begin{aligned} [A_T] &= [A_1] \times [A_2] \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 10 \, \Omega \\ 0.5 \, \text{S} & 1.5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 20 \, \Omega \\ 0.25 \, \text{S} & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 14.5 & 100 \, \Omega \\ 1.875 \, \text{S} & 13 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

And so we find that the a parameters of the cascaded network are $a_{11} = 14.5$, $a_{12} = 100 \, \Omega$, $a_{21} = 1.875 \, \text{S}$ and $a_{22} = 13$.

3. (a) Design 2nd order filter by cascading two first order filters together, followed by a gain stage.

Design the filter by starting with prototype stages then frequency and magnitude scaling to get desired properties.

Now a prototype first order active high pass filter has unity gain in the passband and a cutoff frequency of $\omega_c = 1 \, \text{rad/s}$, and is of form:



Noting that a circuit of this form has transfer function:

$$H_L(s) = \frac{-s}{s+1}$$

Now when two of these are connected in cascade, the overall transfer function is:

$$\begin{aligned} H(s) &= H_L(s) \cdot H_L(s) \\ &= \frac{s^2}{(s+1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

(b)

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