



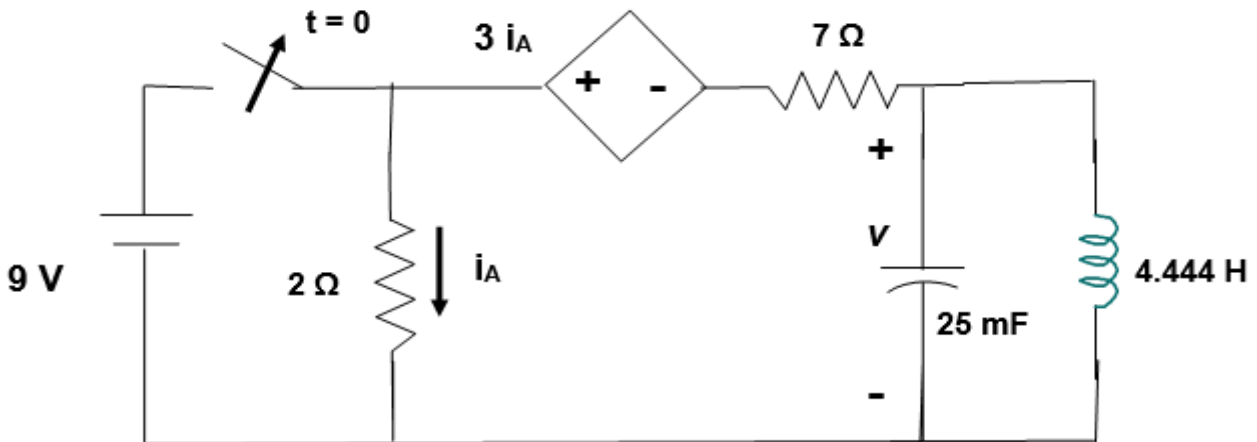
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**Home Assignment No 6: The RLC Circuit (CLO 3) AMENDED**

Determine the values of  $\alpha$  and  $\omega_0$  and show that it is an overdamped circuit.



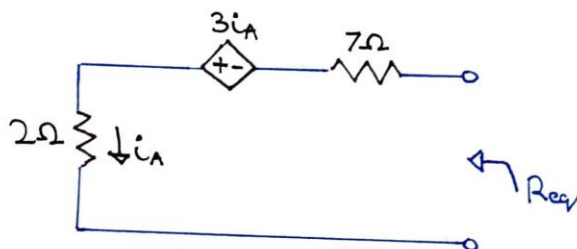
For  $t > 0$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2RC} \text{ (Parallel)} \quad \therefore L = 4.444 \text{ H} \quad C = 25 \text{ mF}$$

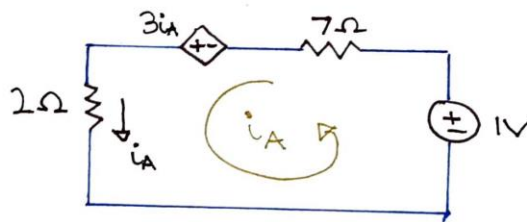
$$\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$$

Hence, we seek to find  $R_{eq}$  to determine the type of response.

Circuit:



Using a test voltage source



$$\begin{aligned} -1 + 7i_A - 3i_A + 2i_A &= 0 \\ 6i_A &= 1 \\ i_A &= 0.16667 \text{ A} \end{aligned}$$

$$R_{eq} = \frac{V_T}{i_T} = \frac{1}{0.16667} = \boxed{6 \Omega}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2(6)(25 \times 10^{-3})} = \boxed{3.33 \text{ s}^{-1}}$$

$$\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(4.444)(25 \times 10^{-3})}} = \boxed{3.00 \text{ rad s}^{-1}}$$

As  $\alpha > \omega_0$ , it is an overdamped circuit.