

ECE 100 (Spring 2021) - Homework #7

Due Date: Sunday, May 16th @ 11:59pm PDT

Recommended Readings: 6.2-6.5, 9.1-9.7, 11.1-11.2

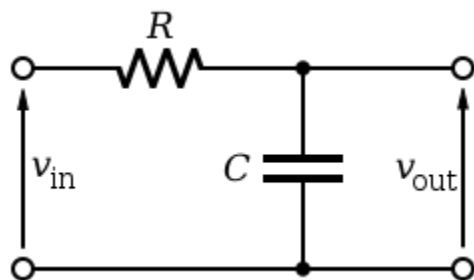
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Required problems: 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 13, 14, 16, 19

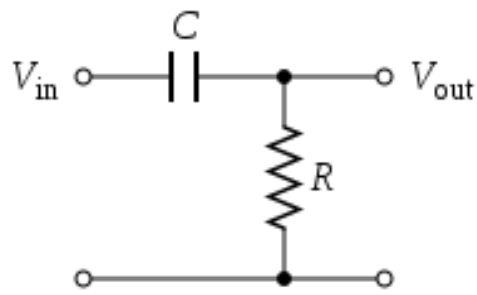
Problem 1 (10 points)

(a) Draw the expected frequency response of each of the following: (i) low-pass, (ii) high-pass, (iii) band-pass, and (iv) band-stop filters.

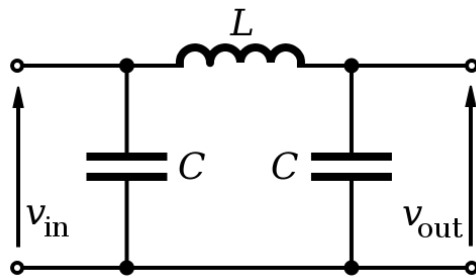
For (b)-(g), indicate whether the circuit is a low-pass, high-pass, band-pass, or band-reject (also known as band-stop) filter.



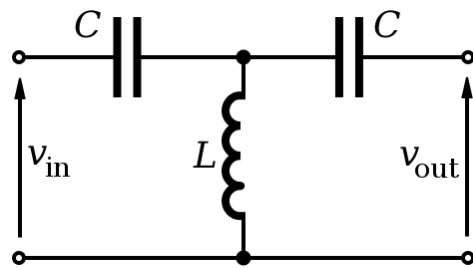
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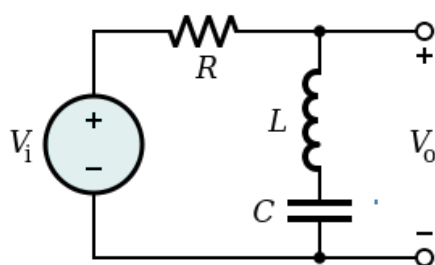
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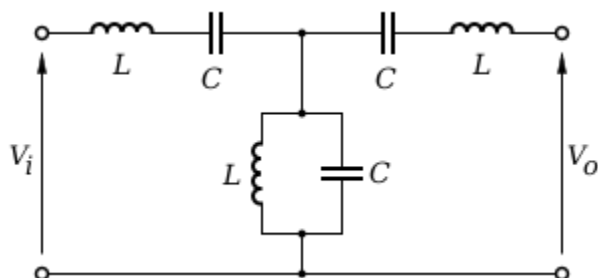
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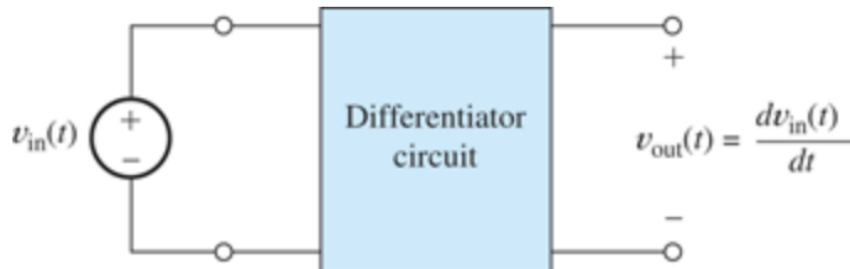
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Problem 2 (10 points)

P6.20. Suppose we have a circuit for which the output voltage is the time derivative of the input voltage, as illustrated in [Figure P6.20](#). For an input voltage given by $v_{in}(t) = V_{max} \cos(2\pi ft)$, find an expression for the output voltage as a function of time. Then, find an expression for the transfer function of the differentiator. Plot the magnitude and phase of the transfer function versus frequency.

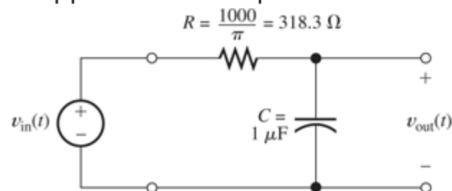


Problem 3 (10 points)

***P6.25.** An input signal given by

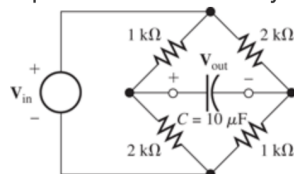
$$v_{in}(t) = 5 \cos(500\pi t) + 5 \cos(1000\pi t) + 5 \cos(2000\pi t)$$

is applied to the lowpass RC filter shown in [Figure P6.25](#). Find an expression for the output signal.



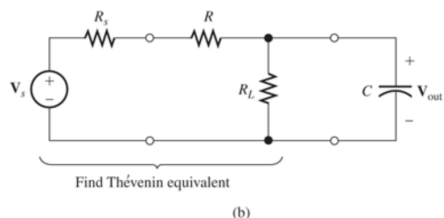
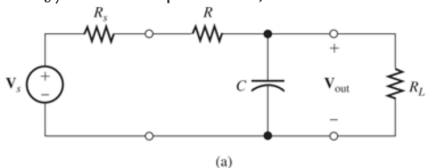
Problem 4 (optional)

***P6.30.** Sketch the magnitude of the transfer function $H(f) = \mathbf{V}_{out}/\mathbf{V}_{in}$ to scale versus frequency for the circuit shown in [Figure P6.30](#). What is the value of the half-power frequency? [Hint: Start by finding the Thévenin equivalent circuit seen by the capacitance.]



Problem 5 (20 points)

P6.32. Consider the circuit shown in [Figure P6.32\(a\)](#). This circuit consists of a source having an internal resistance of R_s , an RC lowpass filter, and a load resistance R_L .



a. Show that the transfer function of this circuit is given by

$$H(f) = \frac{V_{out}}{V_s} = \frac{R_L}{R_s + R + R_L} \times \frac{1}{1 + j(f/f_B)}$$

in which the half-power frequency f_B is given by

$$f_B = \frac{1}{2\pi R_t C} \quad \text{where} \quad R_t = \frac{R_L (R_s + R)}{R_L + R_s + R}$$

Notice that R_t is the parallel combination of R_L and $(R_s + R)$. [Hint: One way to make this problem easier is to rearrange the circuit as shown in [Figure P6.32\(b\)](#) and then to find the Thévenin equivalent for the source and resistances.]

b. Given that $C = 0.2 \mu\text{F}$, $R_s = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$, $R = 47 \text{ k}\Omega$, and $R_L = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$, sketch (or use MATLAB to plot) the magnitude of $H(f)$ to scale versus f/f_B from 0 to 3.

Problem 6 (optional)

***P6.46.** Two first-order lowpass filters are in cascade as shown in [Figure P6.46](#). The transfer functions are

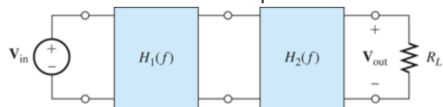


Figure P6.46

$$H_1(f) = H_2(f) = \frac{1}{1 + j(f/f_B)}$$

a. Write an expression for the overall transfer function.

b. Find an expression for the half-power frequency for the overall transfer function in terms of f_B .

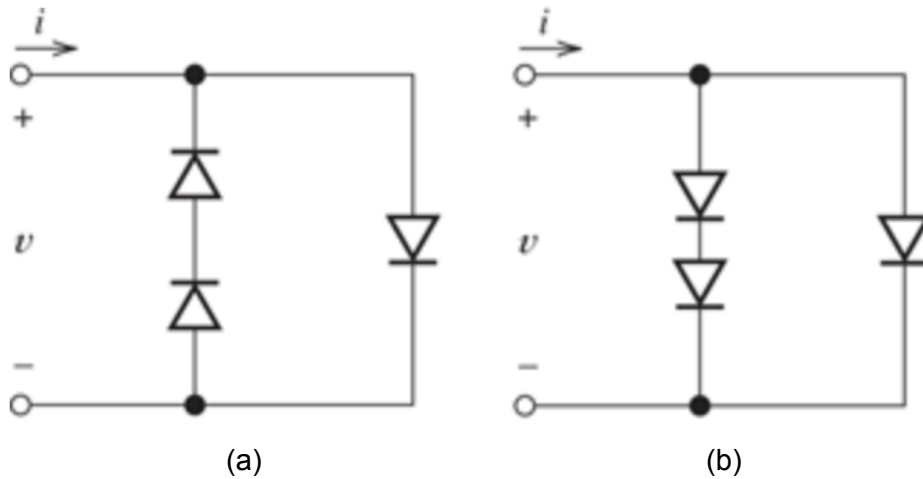
[Comment: This filter cannot be implemented by cascading two simple RC lowpass filters like the one shown in [Figure 6.7](#) on page 296 because the transfer function of the first circuit is changed when the second is connected. Instead, a buffer amplifier, such as the voltage follower discussed in [Section 14.3](#), must be inserted between the RC filters.]

Problem 7 (optional)

P6.67. Suppose we need a first-order highpass filter (such as [Figure 6.19](#) on page 309) to attenuate a 60-Hz input component by 60 dB. What value is required for the break frequency of the filter? By how many dB is the 600-Hz component attenuated by this filter? If $R = 5 \text{ k}\Omega$, what is the value of C ?

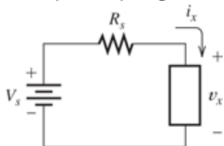
Problem 8 (optional)

Sketch i vs v for the following circuits. Assume voltages of 0.6V for all diodes when current flows in the forward direction.



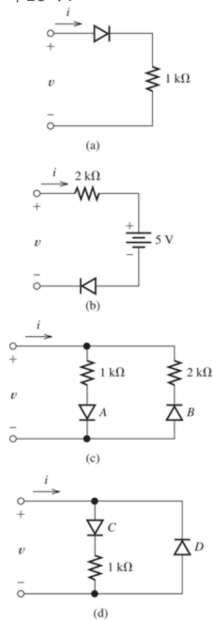
Problem 9 (optional)

***P9.16.** The nonlinear circuit element shown in [Figure P9.16](#) has $i_x = [\exp(v_x) - 1]/10$. Also, we have $V_s = 3 \text{ V}$ and $R_s = 1 \Omega$. Use graphical load-line techniques to solve for i_x and v_x . (You may prefer to use a computer program to plot the characteristic and the load line.)



Problem 10 (10 points)

P9.39. Sketch i versus v to scale for each of the circuits shown in [Figure P9.39](#). Assume that the diodes are ideal and allow v to range from -10 V to $+10$ V.



Problem 11 (optional)

P9.49. Draw the circuit diagram of a half-wave rectifier for producing a nearly steady dc voltage from an ac source. Draw two different full-wave circuits.

Problem 12 (optional)

P9.52. Consider the half-wave rectifier shown in [Figure 9.26](#) on page 477. The ac source has an rms value of 20 V and a frequency of 60 Hz. The diodes are ideal, and the capacitance is very large, so the ripple voltage V_r is very small. The load is a $100\text{-}\Omega$ resistance. Determine the PIV across the diode and the charge that passes through the diode per cycle.

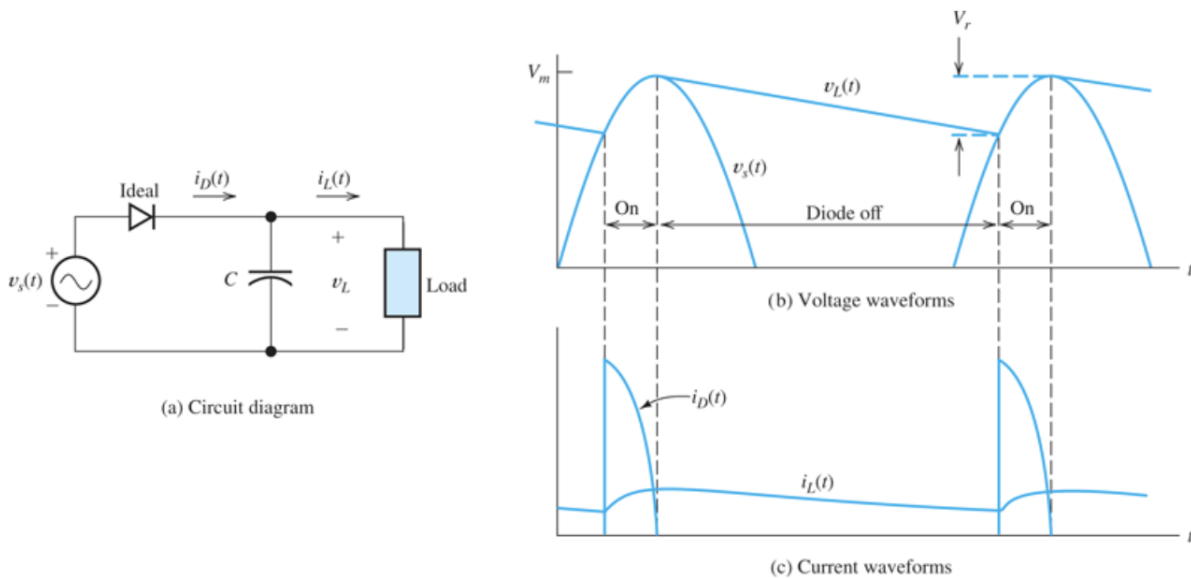


Figure 9.26

Half-wave rectifier with smoothing capacitor.

Problem 13 (10 points)

***P9.54.** Design a half-wave rectifier power supply to deliver an average voltage of 9 V with a peak-to-peak ripple of 2 V to a load. The average load current is 100 mA. Assume that ideal diodes and 60-Hz ac voltage sources of any amplitudes needed are available. Draw the circuit diagram for your design. Specify the values of all components used.

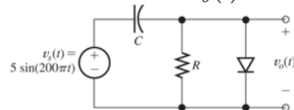
P9.55. Repeat [Problem P9.54](#) with a full-wave bridge rectifier.

P9.56. Repeat [Problem P9.54](#) with two diodes and out-of-phase voltage sources to form a full-wave rectifier.

P9.57. Repeat [Problem P9.54](#), assuming that the diodes have forward drops of 0.8 V.

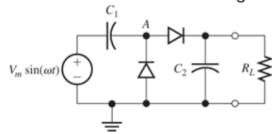
Problem 14 (10 points)

P9.69. Consider the circuit shown in [Figure P9.69](#), in which the RC time constant is very long compared with the period of the input and in which the diode is ideal. Sketch $v_o(t)$ to scale versus time.



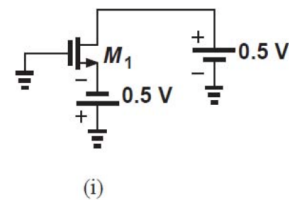
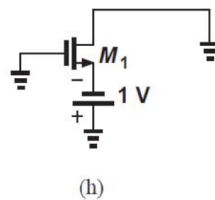
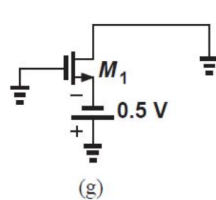
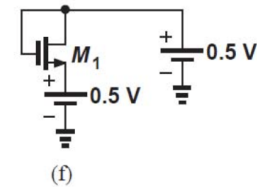
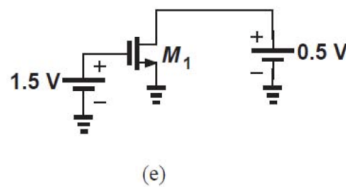
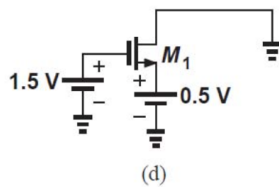
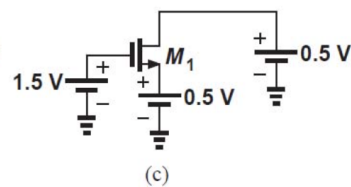
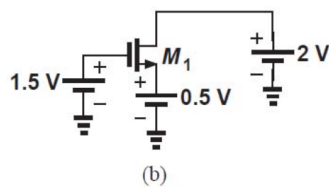
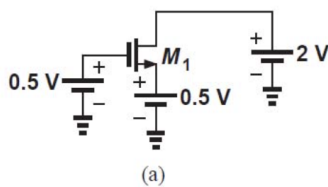
Problem 15 (optional)

P9.71. Voltage-doubler circuit. Consider the circuit of [Figure P9.71](#). The capacitors are very large, so they discharge only a very small amount per cycle. (Thus, no ac voltage appears across the capacitors, and the ac input plus the dc voltage of C_1 must appear at point A.) Sketch the voltage at point A versus time. Find the voltage across the load. Why is this called a voltage doubler? What is the PIV across each diode?



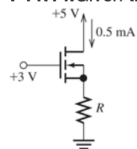
Problem 16 (10 points)

MOSFET as a Resistor: If the threshold is equal to 0.7 V, for each circuit determine whether the device is off or acts as a resistor or neither:



Problem 17 (optional)

P11.14. Given that the enhancement transistor shown in [Figure P11.14](#) has $V_{to} = 1\text{ V}$ and $K = 0.5\text{ mA/V}^2$, find the value of the resistance R .



Problem 18 (optional)

***P11.19.** Consider the circuit shown in [Figure 11.10](#) on page 567. The transistor characteristics are shown in [Figure 11.11](#). Suppose that V_{GG} is changed to 0 V. Determine the values of V_{DSQ} , $V_{DS\min}$, and $V_{DS\max}$. Find the gain of the amplifier.

Problem 19 (10 points)

P11.20. Consider the amplifier shown in [Figure P11.20](#).

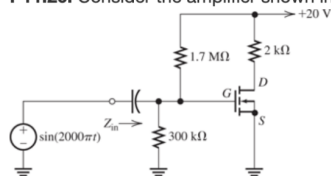


Figure P11.20

- Find $v_{GS}(t)$, assuming that the coupling capacitor is a short circuit for the ac signal and an open circuit for dc. [Hint: Apply the superposition principle for the ac and dc sources.]
- If the FET has $V_{to} = 1\text{ V}$ and $K =$ sketch its drain characteristics to scale for $v_{GS} = 1, 2, 3,$ and 4 V .
- Draw the load line for the amplifier on the characteristics.
- Find the values of V_{DSQ} , $V_{DS\min}$, and $V_{DS\max}$.

Problem 20 (optional)

P11.22. Use a load-line analysis of the circuit shown in [Figure P11.22](#) to determine the values of V_{DSQ} , $V_{DS\min}$, and $V_{DS\max}$. The characteristics of the FET are shown in [Figure 11.21](#) on page 576. [Hint: First, replace the 15-V source and the resistances by their Thévenin equivalent circuit.]

