

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO  
FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

ECE 110H1 S -- ELECTRICAL  
FUNDAMENTALS FINAL EXAMINATION,  
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First Year -- Computer, Electrical, Industrial, Mechanical, Materials,  
and Track One Engineering Programs.

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$(\epsilon_0 = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}, \mu_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m}, \mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}, g = 9.81 \text{ N/kg})$

NAME : (PLEASE PRINT)	Family (Last) Name	Given (First) Name
STUDENT NUMBER : _____		

EXAMINATION TYPE : D (Students may use a single double sided 8.5" x 11" aid sheet)

CALCULATORS : Casio FX-991 (EX, EX Plus, or MS), Sharp EL-520 (X or W)

DURATION : 2.5 hours

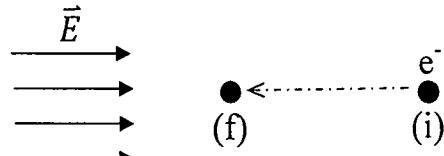
- INSTRUCTIONS :
- Answer all five questions. Put the final answers in the boxes provided.
  - All work is to be done on these pages. Show steps, compute numerical results and state units. Write down any assumption made.
  - Please note that the exam papers are double-sided
  - **The last 2 blank pages may be removed for rough work.**

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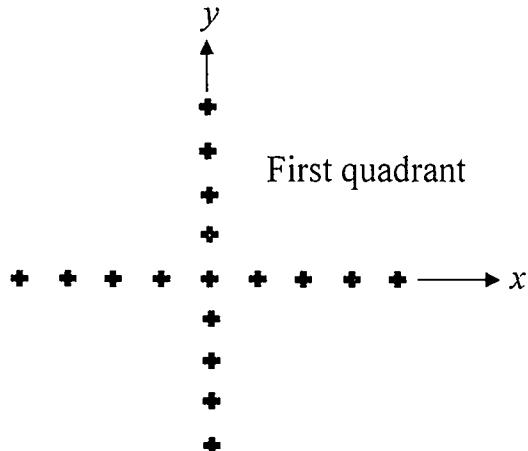
1.4 (1 mark) An electron ( $e^-$ ) in the presence of a uniform electric field  $\vec{E}$  moves from the initial position ( $i$ ) to the final position ( $f$ ). Let  $\Delta U$  represent the change in potential energy and  $\Delta V$  the change in electrostatic potential.

- a.  $\Delta U > 0$  and  $\Delta V < 0$
- b.  $\Delta U < 0$  and  $\Delta V < 0$
- c.  $\Delta U > 0$  and  $\Delta V > 0$
- d.  $\Delta U < 0$  and  $\Delta V > 0$



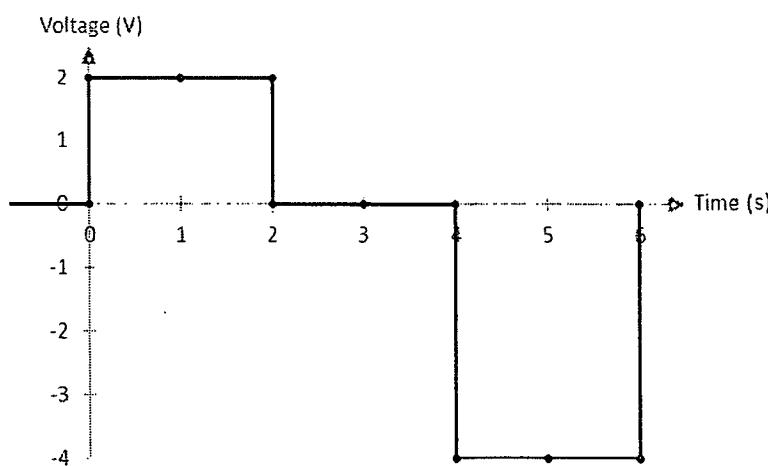
1.5 (2 marks) Figure shows the cross section of two uniform sheets of positive charges placed at the right angle to each other. What angle do the equipotential surfaces make with the positive  $x$ -axis in the first quadrant (see figure)?

- a.  $90^\circ$
- b.  $0^\circ$
- c.  $60^\circ$
- d.  $135^\circ$



1.6 (1 mark) The voltage across a 2 [H] inductor is shown. What is the value of the current through the inductor at  $t = 6$  [s]?

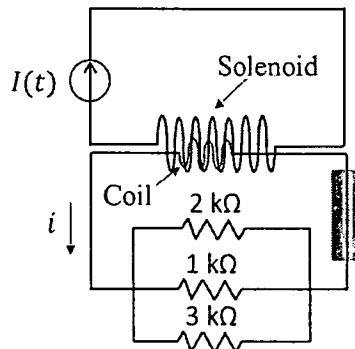
- a. 2 [A]
- b. -4 [A]
- c. 4 [A]
- d. -2 [A]



**Q2 [10 marks]**

Consider the following diagram where the two parts of the circuit are electromagnetically coupled by placing a coil inside a solenoid. The dimensions of the solenoid and coil are provided in the table below:

	Solenoid	Coil
Length (cm)	7	3
Diameter (mm)	5	2
Number of Turns	10,000	5,000

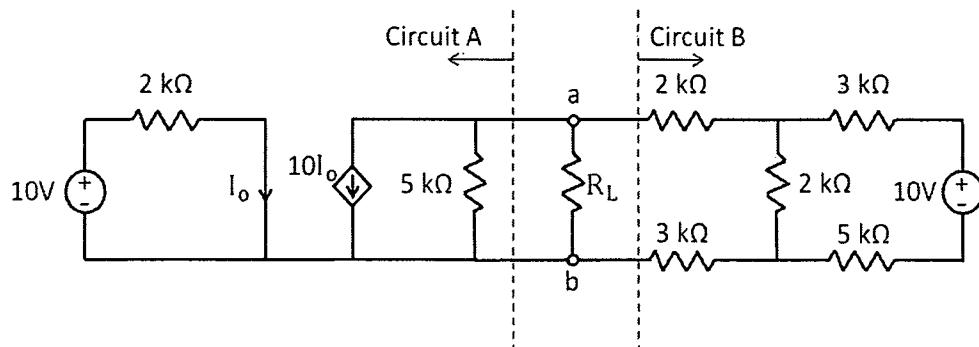


- (a) (2 marks) For a current  $I(t)$  applied by the independent current source, determine the magnitude of the electromotive force ( $|\varepsilon|$ ) induced in the coil.

$$|\varepsilon| =$$

**Q3 [10 marks]**

Consider the following circuit:



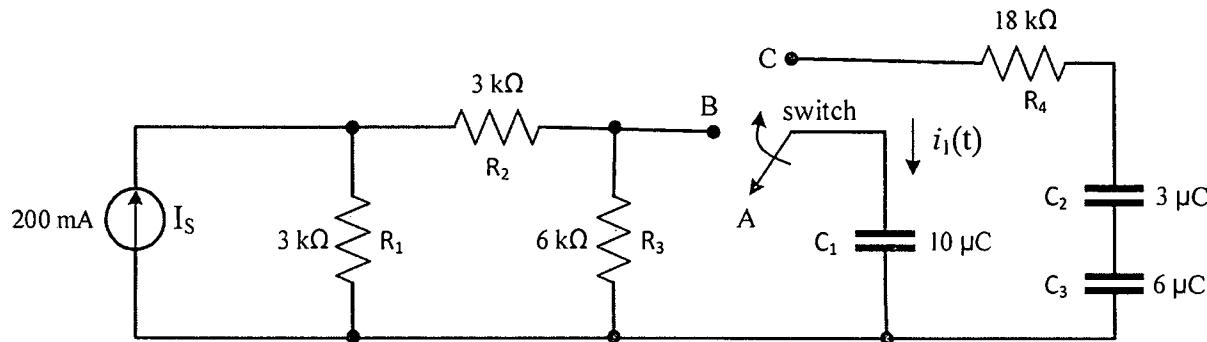
- (a) (4 marks) Find the Thévenin equivalent of Circuit A between terminals a-b.

$$V_{th} =$$

$$R_{th} =$$

**Q4 [10 marks]**

In the circuit shown below, the switch is initially at position A. At  $t = 0$  s, the switch moves to position B. At  $t = 5$  s, the switch moves to position C. Assume that all of the capacitors have zero stored energy at  $t = 0$  s. Answer the following questions.



- (a) (1 mark) Calculate the time constant of the circuit when the switch is in position B.

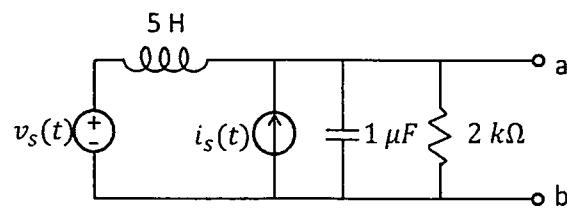
$$\tau =$$

- (b) (2 marks) Calculate the voltage across the capacitor  $C_1$  at  $t = 1 \text{ s}$ .

$$V_{C_1}(1) =$$

**Q5 [10 marks]**

Consider the circuit shown:



$$i_s(t) = 5 \cos(\omega t) \text{ mA.}$$

$$v_s(t) = 10 \cos(\omega t - 90^\circ) \text{ V}$$

- (a) (7 marks) Compute the Thévenin equivalent circuit between terminals a & b for  $\omega = 200 \text{ rad/s}$  in the frequency domain.

$$V_{th} =$$

$$Z_{th} =$$

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