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**EECS 215**  
**Midterm Exam #2**  
**November 16, 2016**

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**This exam consists of 6 problems with points as indicated to total 60 points.**

Read through the entire exam before beginning.

**Show all work** (on the pages provided in this booklet) to earn partial credit.

Briefly explain major steps, include units, and write your final answers in the areas provided.

Do not unstaple the pages.

**No credit will be given if no work is shown.**

**Exam policies**

- No food allowed during exam.
- No books allowed (closed book exam).
- One, 8.5x11 inch notes page (ONE SIDED) allowed
- Calculators allowed (But **you may not use the following functions: graphs, integrals, derivatives**).
- Full credit will not be awarded if you do not show your work.
- No communication of any kind is allowed. No use of cell phones, computers, or any devices besides calculators. Violation of this will be treated as an honor code violation.
- No credit will be given for this exam without a signed honor pledge.

In which section are you enrolled? ☐EECS 215-001 (Finelli) ☐EECS 215-002 (Zhang)

Write and sign the honor pledge:

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

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Problem 1: [     ]/10

Problem 2: [     ]/10

Problem 3: [     ]/10

Problem 4: [     ]/10

Problem 5: [     ]/10

Problem 6: [     ]/10

**Total score [     ]/60**

1. (10 points total) A 6H inductor has a voltage and current defined according to the passive sign convention. The initial current on the inductor is  $i_L(0) = 5mA$ . The voltage across the inductor is defined as follows:

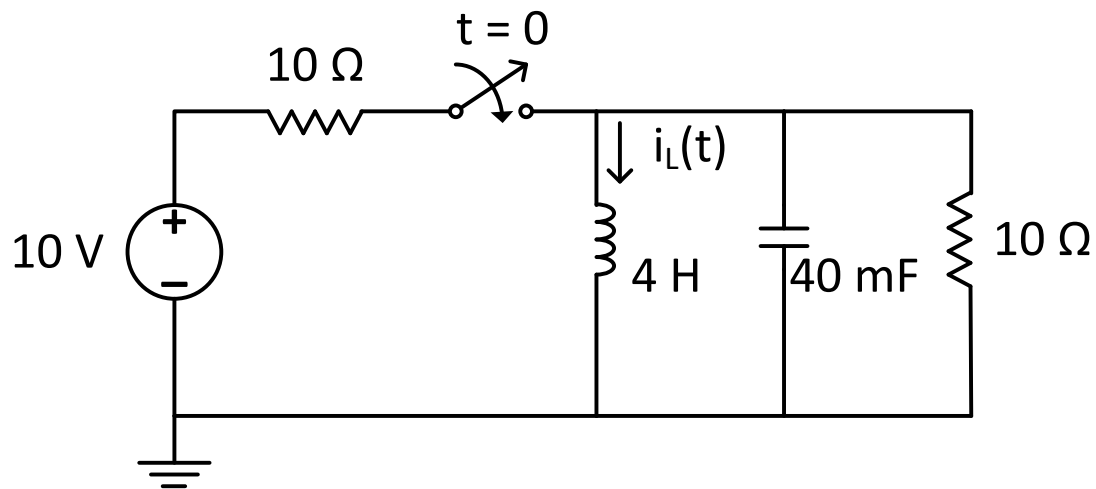
$$v_L(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 0 \\ 4V, & 0 \leq t < 15 \text{ ms} \\ -2V, & 15 \leq t < 30 \text{ ms} \\ 0, & t \geq 30 \text{ ms} \end{cases}$$

- (2 points) Plot the voltage versus time for  $-5 < t < 35 \text{ ms}$ .
- (5 points) Find a piecewise expression for the current through the inductor  $i_L(t)$ .
- (3 points) Plot the current versus time for  $-5 < t < 35 \text{ ms}$ .

Clearly circle your plots of  $v_L(t)$  and  $i_L(t)$  and your solution for  $i_L(t)$ .

Problem 1 score: [     ]/10

2. (10 points) The switch in the circuit below has been open for a long time and the circuit has reached steady state. Then, the switch is closed at  $t = 0$ . Solve completely for the current through the inductor,  $i_L(t)$  for  $t > 0$ .

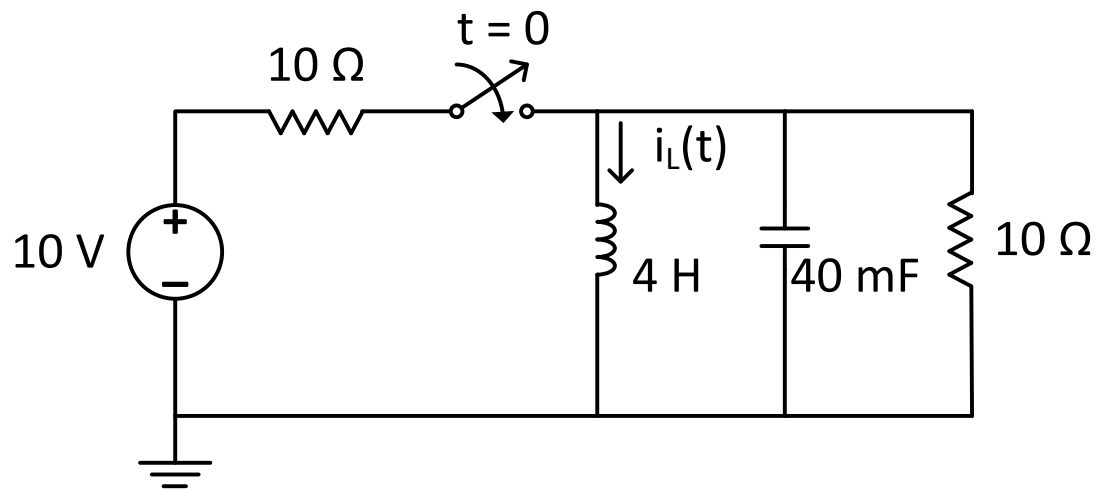


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$i_L(t) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

Problem 2 score: [    ]/10

3. (10 points) The switch in the circuit below has been closed for a long time, and the circuit has reached steady state. Then, the switch is opened at  $t = 1$  second. Solve completely for the current through the inductor,  $i_L(t)$  for  $t \geq 1$ .

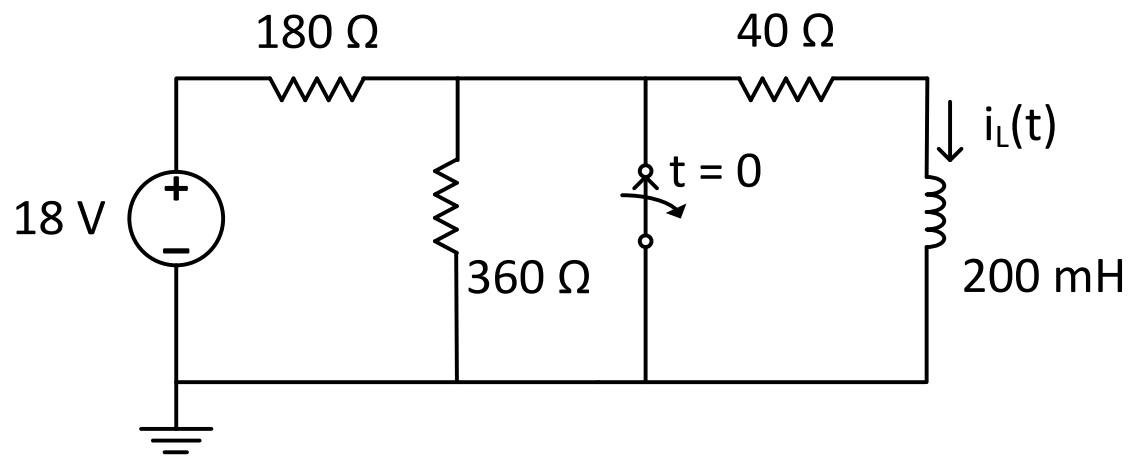


Write your answer here:

$i_L(t) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

Problem 3 score: [    ]/10

4. (10 points total) The switch in the following circuit has been closed for a long time. At  $t = 0$  the switch opens.



- (2 points) Find the initial current through the inductor,  $i_L(0)$ .
- (8 points) Find an expression for the current through the inductor,  $i_L(t)$ ,  $t \geq 0$ .



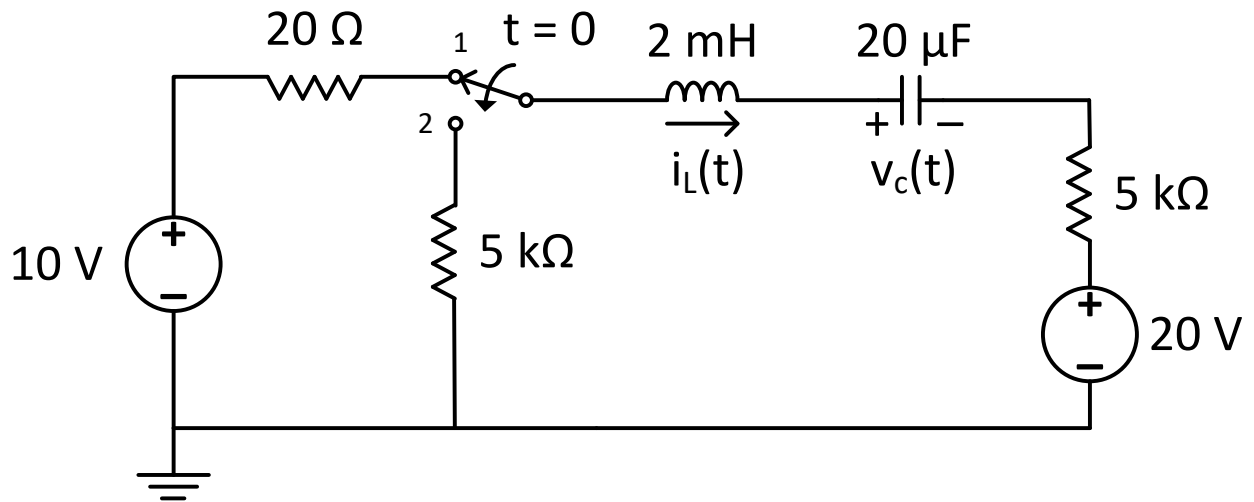
Write your answers here:

$i_L(0) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

$i_L(t) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

Problem 4 score: [     ]/10

5. (10 points total) The switch in the circuit below has been in position 1 for a long time, and it moves to position 2 at  $t = 0$ .



Determine the initial and final conditions as follows:

- (3 points)  $i_L(0^+), v_C(0^+)$
- (4 points)  $i'_L(0^+), v'_C(0^+)$
- (3 points)  $i_L(\infty), v_C(\infty)$

Write your answers here:

$$i_L(0^+) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \qquad v_C(0^+) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$i'_L(0^+) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \qquad v'_C(0^+) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$i_L(\infty) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \qquad v_C(\infty) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

Problem 5 score: [    ]/10

6. (10 points total) Given the function

$$v_1(t) = -5 \sin(20t + 30^\circ) \text{ V}$$

- a. (2 points) Express the function in the standard cosine form (e.g., as a cosine function with a positive amplitude and an angle between  $-180^\circ$  and  $180^\circ$ ).
- b. (6 points) Determine the amplitude, frequency ( $f$ ), period ( $T$ ), and phase angle of the function.
- c. (2 points) For a second function

$$v_2(t) = 2\cos(20t - 30^\circ) \text{ V}$$

does  $v_1(t)$  lead or lag  $v_2(t)$  and by what angle?

Write your answers here:

$v_1(t)$  in standard cosine form = \_\_\_\_\_

Amplitude = \_\_\_\_\_ Frequency = \_\_\_\_\_

Period = \_\_\_\_\_ Phase = \_\_\_\_\_

$v_1(t)$  leads/lags (circle correct answer)  $v_2(t)$  by \_\_\_\_\_ degrees.

Problem 6 score: [    ]/10