

# Experiment - 5

Aim : Interconnection of a T network and a pi network in cascade form and determination of ABCD Parameters and verification of results.

Apparatus and Auxiliaries: D.C. power supply (0-12V) carbon Resistors of 1K - 6K, Panel type DC voltmeter (0-20V), Panel type DC Ammeter (0-25mA), connecting wires or patch cords.

## Theory :

- When input voltage and current are expressed in terms of output voltage and load current, the parameters are known as Transmission Parameters
- ABCD parameters are same as transmission parameters and for any resistive network, these values are always positive.
- When two or more than 2 networks are connected in cascade, their T-parameter matrices get multiplied.

CASCADE : output of first subsystem acts as input for the second.

## Interconnection constraints

$$I_{2a} = -I_{1b}$$

$$V_{2a} = V_{1b}$$

$$V_1 = V_{1a}$$

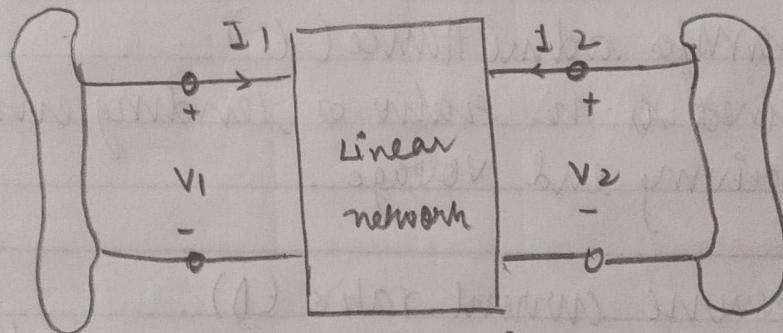
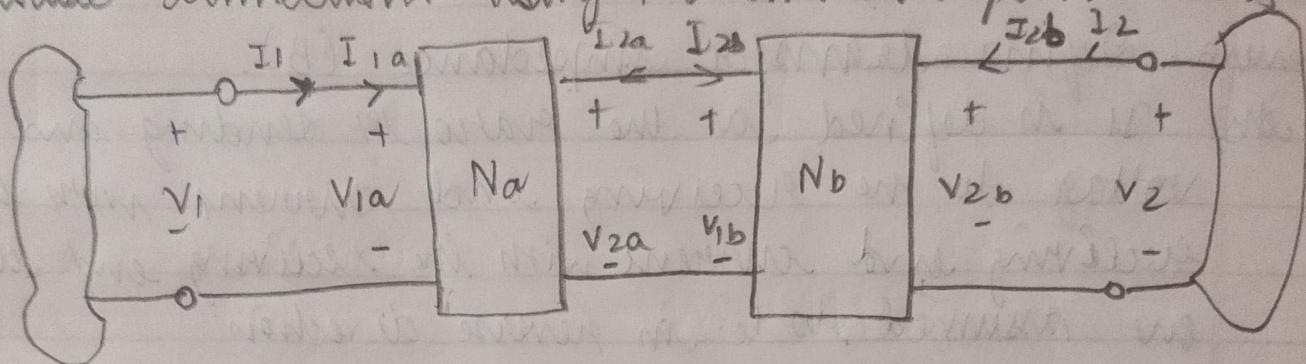
$$V_2 = V_{2b}$$

$$I_1 = I_{1a}$$

$$I_2 = I_{2b}$$

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Cascade connection using transmission parameters



$$V_1 = AV_2 - BJ_2$$

$$I_1 = CJ_2 - DJ_1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_1 \\ J_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_2 \\ -J_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_{1a} \\ I_{1a} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_a & B_a \\ C_a & D_a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_{2a} \\ -I_{2a} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_{1b} \\ I_{1b} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_b & B_b \\ C_b & D_b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_{2b} \\ -I_{2b} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_1 \\ I_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_a & B_a \\ C_a & D_a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_b & B_b \\ C_b & D_b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_2 \\ -I_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Permissibility of cascade interconnection :

- Both 3 terminal, and 4 terminal two port networks can be connected in cascade without any problem or complication.
- Always the output port of first network is connected to the input port of the second network and so on.

Application of Cascade Interconnection :

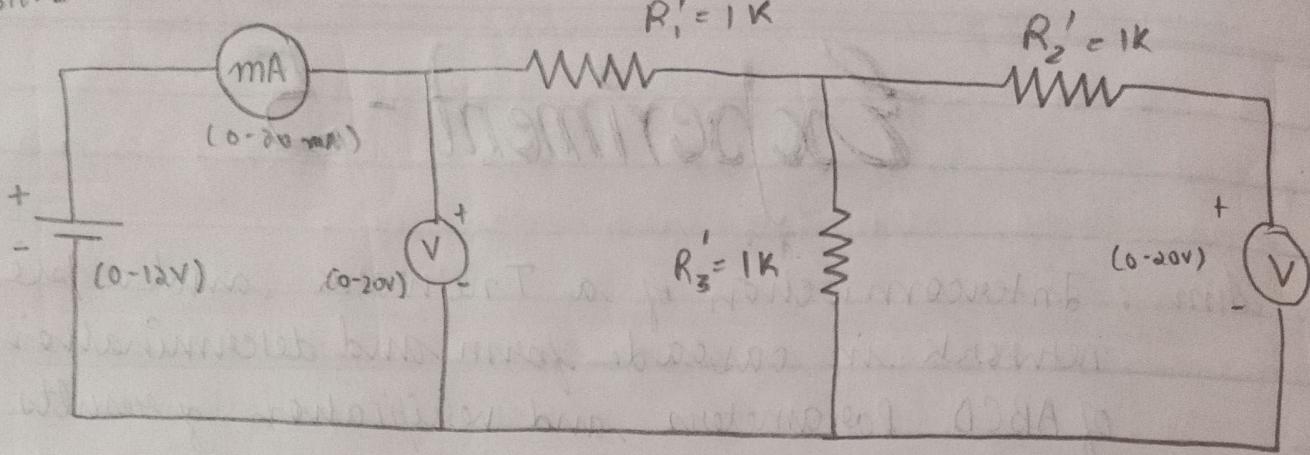
- Transmission line utilizes the concept of cascade mechanism by treating a long line as a cascaded network of short lines.
- Cascade amplifiers used in analog circuits also based on the concept of cascade connection where the output of first stage of amplifier becomes the second stage and so on. It results in magnification of voltage gain, and current gain, etc.

Procedure :

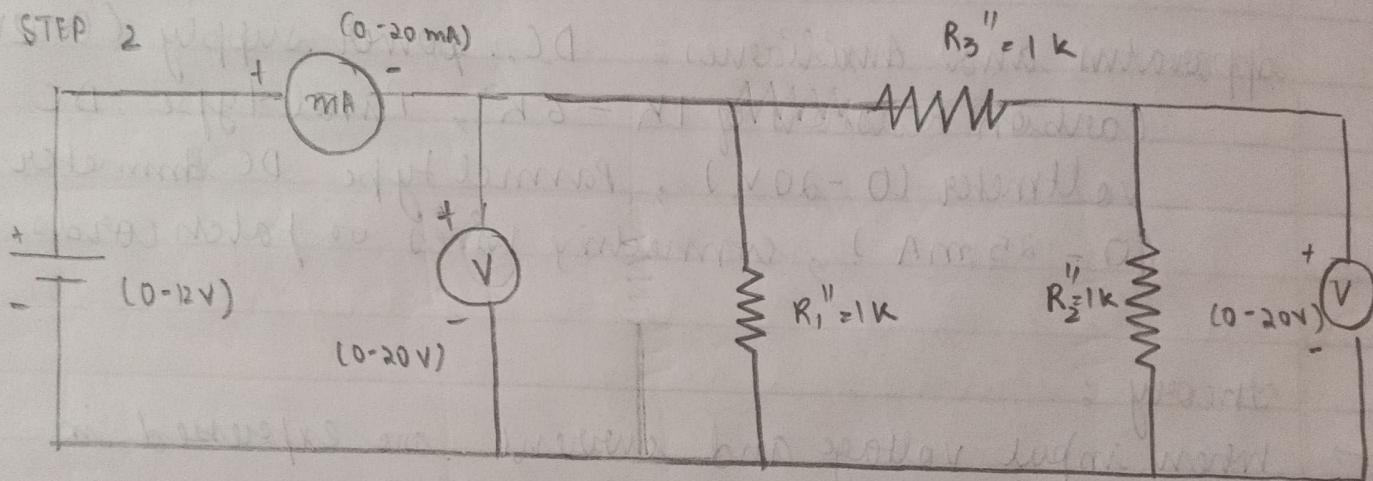
connect the circuit as shown in step 1, step 2, step 3, step 4, step 5 and step 6.

## CASCADE CONNECTION OF NETWORKS

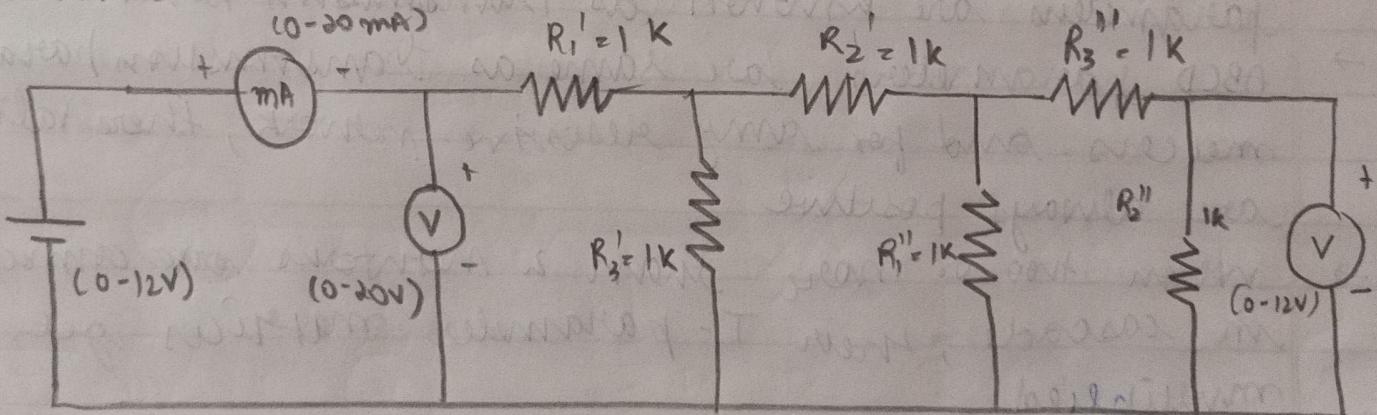
STEP 1



STEP 2



STEP 3

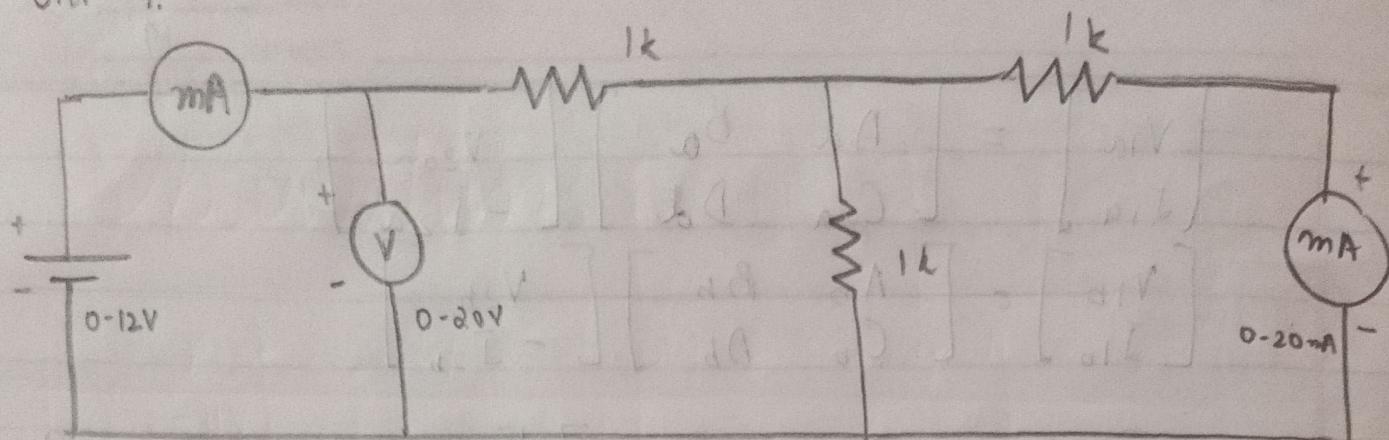


$$V_1 = V_{ab} = 11V$$

$$I_1 = I_{ab} = 6mA$$

$$V_2 = V_{abc} = 1V$$

STEP 4.

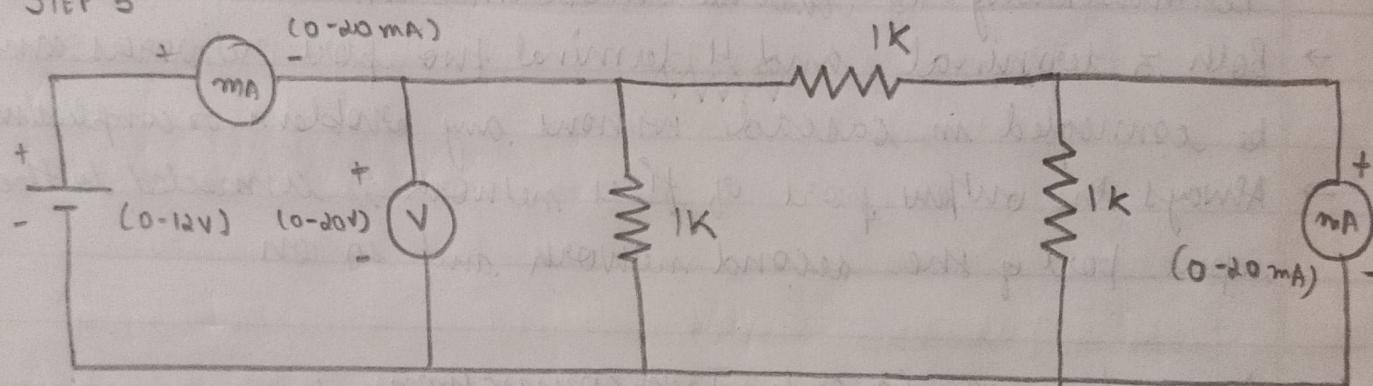


$$V_{1a} = 12V$$

$$I_{1a} = 7.5 \text{ mA}$$

$$-I_{2a} = 4 \text{ mA}$$

STEP 5

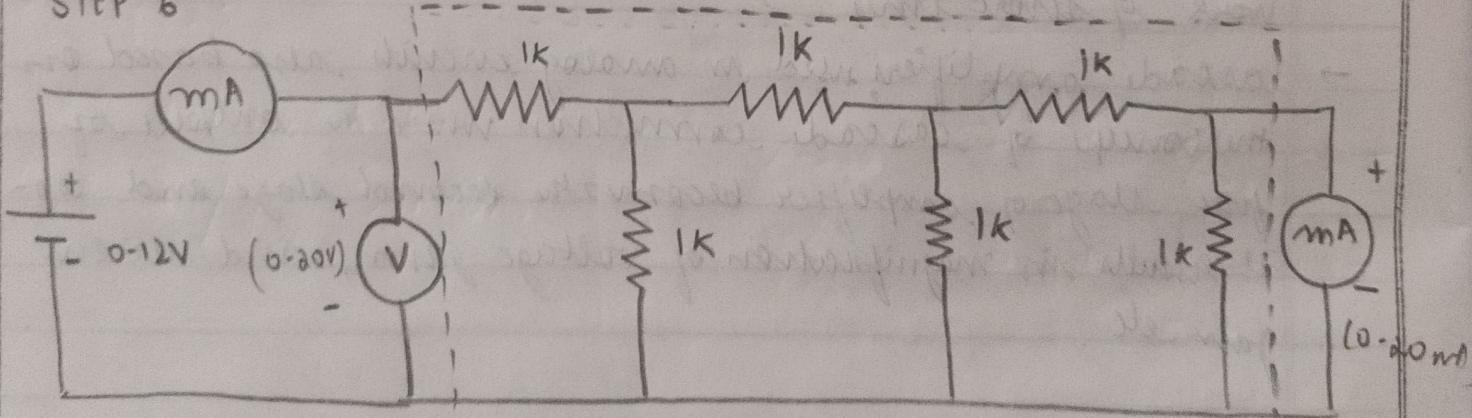


$$V_{1b} = 12V$$

$$I_{1b} = 7.5 \text{ mA}$$

$$-I_{2b} = 4 \text{ mA}$$

STEP 6



LADDER NETWORK

⇒ Interconnect again in cascade

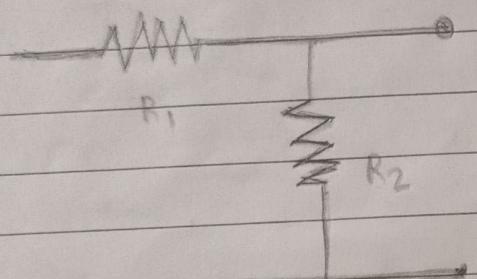
Result :

$$[T] = \begin{bmatrix} 13.84 & 8.548 \\ 7.81 & 4.92 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$AD - BC = 1.33 \approx 1$$

Hence, verified

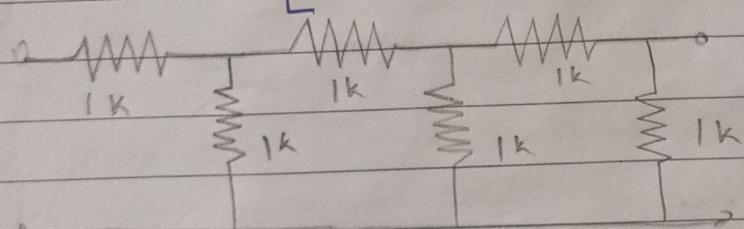
Theoretical Verification :



$$\Rightarrow [T_a] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 + \frac{R_1}{R_2} & R_1 \\ \frac{1}{R_2} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{as } R_1 = 1\text{k} \quad R_2 = 1\text{k}$$

$$[T_a] = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1000\Omega \\ 1 \times 10^{-3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ or } \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1\text{k} \\ 1\text{mV} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Three such networks  
in cascade

$$[T] = [T_a] [T_b] [T_c] = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1\text{k} \\ 1\text{mV} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1\text{k} \\ 1\text{mV} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1\text{k} \\ 1\text{mV} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1\text{k} \\ 1\text{mV} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3\text{k} \\ 3\text{mV} & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 13 & 2\text{k} \\ 1\text{mV} & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Ans

Sources of Error :

1. Parallel error in taking readings
2. Zero error of instruments
3. The resistance of connecting wire (lead also)

# Observations:

Step 1	Step 2	Step 3	Step 4	Step 5	Step 6
$V_{1a} = 11V$	$V_{1b} = 11V$	$V_2 = V_{2b} = 1V$	$V_{1a} = 12V$	$V_{1b} = 12V$	$V_1 = V_{1a} = 12V$
$J_{1a} = 5mA$	$J_{1b} = 15mA$	$V_1 = V_{1a} = 11V$	$J_{1a} = 7.5mA$	$J_{1b} = 22.5mA$	$J_1 = J_{1a} = 7mA$
$V_{2a} = 5V$	$V_{2b} = 5V$	$J_1 = J_{1a} = 6mA$	$-J_{da} = 4mA$	$-J_{db} = 11mA$	$-J_2 = -J_{2a} = 1.5mA$

# Calculations:

## Step 1:

$$A_a = V_{1a}/V_{2a} = 2.2$$

$$C_a = J_{1a}/V_{2a} = 1 \text{ mMoh}$$

## Step 2:

$$A_b = V_{1b}/V_{2b} = 2.2$$

$$C_b = J_{1b}/V_{2b} = 3 \text{ mMoh}$$

## Step 3:

$$A = V_1/V_2 = 11$$

$$C = J_1/V_1 = 6 \text{ mMoh}$$

## Step 5:

$$B_b = V_{1b}/-J_{da} = 1.09k\Omega$$

$$D_b = J_{1b}/-J_{2b} = 2.045$$

## Step 4:

$$B_a = V_{1a}/-J_{da} = 3k\Omega$$

$$D_a = J_{1a}/-J_{da} = 1.875$$

## Step 6:

$$B = V_1/-J_1 = 8k\Omega$$

$$D = J_1/-J_2 = 4.67$$

Results:

4. The internal resistance of the supply.  
 5. High "least count" of the instruments

### Precautions :

1. Never connect ammeter directly across the supply (even by mistake else it will get damaged and you would be fined)
2. Keep the pot of the power supply at zero position initially and gradually increase the voltage
3. Connecting wires must be properly connected (because current cannot flow through air gap).
4. Don't pull the connecting cords, as it would get damaged.

### VIVA - VOICE

Ques 1. Why are chain parameters (ABCD) known as transmission parameters?

A, B, C, D are the constants also known as transmission parameters or chain parameter. These are used for the analysis of electric network. It is used for determining performance of input, output voltage and current of transmission network.

Ques 2. What is difference between transmission and inverse transmission parameter?

Transmission and inverse transmission parameter are duals for each other. The quantities  $\lambda_2$  and

## Result

$$[T] = T_A \times T_B = \begin{bmatrix} A_a & B_a \\ C_a & D_a \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} A_b & B_b \\ C_b & D_b \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2.2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1.87 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2.2 & 1.09 \\ 3 & 2.05 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 13.84 & 8.548 \\ 7.81 & 4.92 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$AD - BC = (13.84 \times 4.92) - (8.548 \times 7.81)$$
$$= 68.0928 - 66.75988$$
$$= 1.33$$
$$\approx 1.33$$

$$3210V - A/V$$

Result of multiplication obtained from the  
above two matrices is the same as that obtained  
from the multiplication of the individual  
matrices.

$I_2$  are expressed in terms of  $V_1$  and  $I_1$  in inverse transmission parameters. The resulting parameters  $(A', B', C', D')$  are inverse transmission parameters.

$$V_2 = A' V_1 + B' (-I_1)$$

$$I_2 = C' V_1 + D' (-I_1)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{c} V_2 \\ I_2 \end{array} \right] = \left( \begin{array}{cc} A' & B' \\ C' & D' \end{array} \right) \left[ \begin{array}{c} V_1 \\ -I_1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$A' = \frac{V_2}{V_1}, \quad I_1 = 0$$

$$C' = \frac{I_2}{V_1}, \quad I_1 = 0$$

forward voltage ratio with sending end open circuited

transfer admittance with receiving end open circuited.

Ques 3. How do we convert T-parameter to Z-parameter and T to  $T'$  parameter?

Ans. Two-port network in T-parameter and z-parameter are:

#### T-PARAMETER

$$V_1 = AV_2 - BI_2$$

$$I_1 = CV_2 - DI_2$$

#### Z-PARAMETER

$$V_1 = Z_{11} I_1 + Z_{12} I_2$$

$$V_2 = Z_{21} I_1 + Z_{22} I_2$$

Hence, modified equation becomes

$$V_2 = Z_{12} I_2 = Z_{21} I_1$$

$$I_1 = \left( \frac{1}{Z_{21}} \right) V_2 = \left( \frac{Z_{12}}{Z_{21}} \right) I_2$$

$$I_1 = CV_2 - DI_2$$

$$C = \frac{1}{Z_{21}}$$

$$D = \frac{Z_{12}}{Z_{21}}$$

$$V_1 = A V_2 - B I_2 = \left( \frac{Z_{11}}{Z_{21}} \right) V_2 - \left( \frac{Z_{11} Z_{22} - Z_{12} Z_{21}}{Z_{21}} \right) I_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{A = \frac{Z_{11}}{Z_{21}}}$$

$$\boxed{B = \frac{Z_{11} Z_{22} - Z_{12} Z_{21}}{Z_{21}}}$$

T-parameter matrix :  $\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} Z_{11}/Z_{21} & \frac{(Z_{11} Z_{22} - Z_{12} Z_{21})}{Z_{21}} \\ V_{21}/Z_{21} & Z_{22}/Z_{21} \end{bmatrix}$

Ans 4. Write down symmetry condition of T to T' parameter.

$$\text{Ans} \quad \frac{V_1}{I_1} = \frac{V_2}{I_2} \quad \frac{A}{C} = \frac{D}{C} \Rightarrow A = D$$

Ans 5. Write down reciprocity condition of T and T' parameter

$$\frac{V_1}{I_1} = \frac{V_2}{I_2} \quad \frac{B}{AD - BC} = B$$

$$\Rightarrow AD - BC = 1$$

Ans 6. What are the applications of ABCD parameters in :

i) Electrical power system

They are a part of power system dealing in transmission of electrical power from one place to another.

ii) Communication system

They are used for determining the performance of input output voltage and current transmission networks in communication system.

iii) Electronic circuit.

They provide link between the supply and receiving end voltages and current, considering the circuit elements to be linear in nature.

Ques 7. Does the equivalent circuit to T parameter exists ? Why ?

Ans. No, the equivalent circuit of T parameter doesn't exist because both the equations of T-parameter are for one port only. So, this specific need calls for expressing  $V_1, I_1$  in terms of  $V_2, I_2$  but there exists no equivalent circuit.

Ques 8. Why is transmission line simplified into a 2-port network?

A 2-port network specifies the understanding and calculations. Hence, transmission lines are simplified in 2-port networks.