

## UEE 201 - THEORY OF ELECTRICITY

0900 - 1200 hrs

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Answer **FIVE** Questions Only. Question 1 carries 28 marks, and all other Questions carry 18 marks each

Permeability of free space  $\mu_0 = 4 \pi \times 10^{-7}$  H/m

Permittivity of free space  $\epsilon_0 = 8.854 \times 10^{-12}$  F/m

- 1 (a) Obtain from first principles an equivalent circuit for the circuit shown in figure Q1ab in terms of non-coupled circuit elements only. [4 marks]

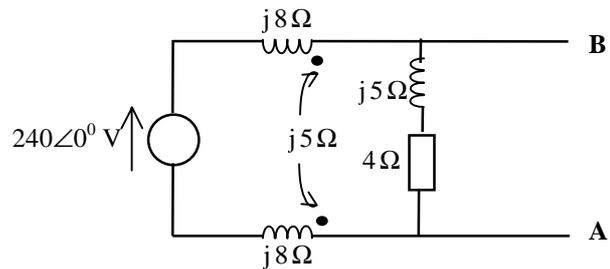


Figure Q1ab

- (b) Using the results of (a) or otherwise, obtain the Norton's equivalent circuit across terminals **A** and **B** in figure Q1ab. [3 marks]

- (c) For the circuit shown in figure Q1cde, calculate the value of the impedance connected across AC in the delta equivalent. [3 marks]

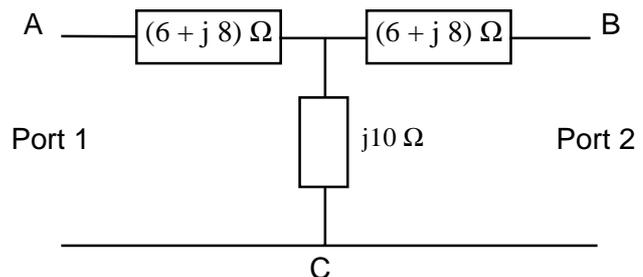


Figure Q1 cde

- (d) Obtain the ABCD parameters of the two-port network shown in figure Q1cde. [4 marks]

- (e) Port 1 of the circuit shown in figure Q1cde is supplied from an alternating supply of 250 V, with port 2 on open circuit. Calculate and sketch the phasor diagram showing all the voltages and currents in the circuit. [4 marks]

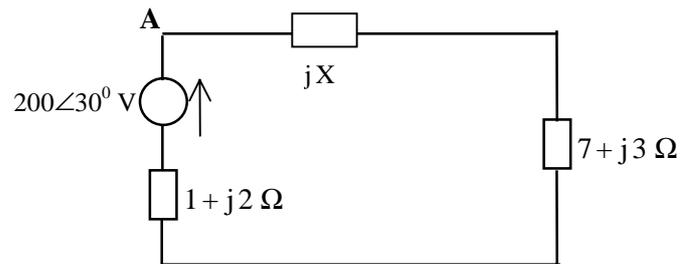


Figure Q1f

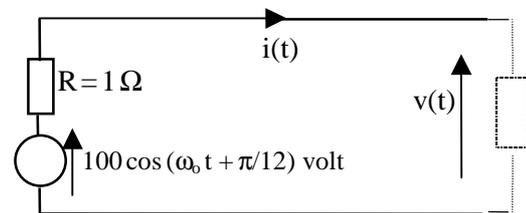
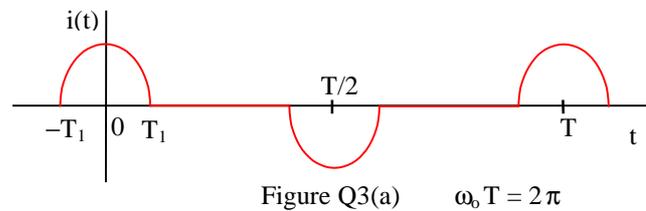
- (f) For the circuit shown in figure Q1f, what value of X will give maximum power to the load of  $7 + j 3 \Omega$ , and what will be the load voltage and load power under this condition. [4 marks]

- (g) A transformer with a magnetic material of relative permeability of 2000, equivalent magnetic length 150 mm and cross section area  $75 \text{ mm}^2$  has an effective air gap of 1 mm in its perimeter. Determine the effective reluctance of the magnetic path. If one of the coils wound on a limb has 1000 turns, what would be the inductance of that coil. [3 marks]

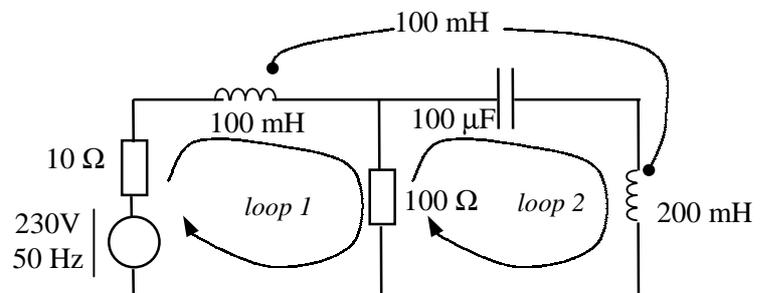
- (h) A capacitor is made up of two dielectric materials A and B of relative permittivity of 2.5 and 4, and thickness 1 mm and 3 mm respectively. If the cross-section of each dielectric is  $500 \text{ mm}^2$  determine the total capacitance. If a potential difference of 200 V is applied across the composite dielectric, what would be voltage across each dielectric. [3 marks]

- 2 A capacitor of impedance  $100 \Omega$ , and two resistors each of value  $141.4 \Omega$  are connected in star, with star point S, from a balanced  $400 \text{ V}$ ,  $50 \text{ Hz}$ , three phase supply ABC.
- Taking the A-phase voltage to be the reference, determine the voltage  $V_{SN}$  of the star point to the supply neutral N. [4 marks]
  - Hence determine the voltages across the branches AS, BS and CS. [6 marks]
  - Determine the power consumed by each of the resistors BS and CS. [2 marks]
  - Sketch a phasor diagram showing all the voltages in the circuit. [3 marks]
  - State and explain a practical use of this circuit. [3 marks]

- 3 (a) Determine the rms value of the periodic current  $i(t)$  shown in figure Q3(a), if it is periodic and has the value  $5 \cos 6\omega_0 t$  in the region  $-T_1$  to  $T_1$ . [ $\omega_0 T = 2\pi$ ] [3 marks]
- (b) Determine the first 4 significant terms of the Fourier series of the current  $i(t)$ . [5 marks]
- (c) Determine an expression for the terminal voltage  $v(t)$  shown in figure Q3(b). [3 marks]
- (d) Determine the average power supplied from the source of figure Q3(b) if the current is same as that shown in figure Q3(a). [2 marks]
- (e) Determine the average power loss in R of figure Q3(b). [2 marks]
- (f) Determine an expression for the current  $i_c(t)$  through a capacitor of value  $4 \mu\text{F}$  if the voltage  $v(t)$  above is applied across it at an angular frequency  $\omega_0 = 250 \text{ rad/s}$  [3 marks]



- 4 For the circuit shown in figure Q4, replace the mutually coupled branches by equivalent self inductances and redraw the circuit. [proof not required] [2 marks]
- By suitably numbering a minimum number of branches, determine the branch-mesh incidence matrix. [2 marks]
- Hence obtain the mesh impedance matrix. [proof not required] [6 marks]
- Using mesh analysis determine the current supplied from the source. [8 marks]



- 5 Determine the phase 'A' current supplied by a balanced  $400 \text{ V}$ , 3 phase,  $50 \text{ Hz}$  supply 'ABC' to each of the following loads.
- a star connected load with each arm consisting of a resistance of  $100 \Omega$  in series with an inductance of  $75 \text{ mH}$  [3 marks]
  - a balanced three-phase fluorescent lighting load of  $500 \text{ W}$  at a power factor of  $0.65 \text{ lag}$ . [3 marks]
  - a composite load comprised of (a) and (b) above. [3 marks]
  - the overall power factor, the active power and the reactive power when supplying (a) and (b) above. [3 marks]
  - value of the delta connected capacitor bank required to improve the overall power factor to  $0.95$  lagging when supplying (a) and (b) above and the terminal voltage remaining unchanged. [6 marks]

6 A balanced, 400V, 50 Hz, 3 phase source supplies from a 4-wire line 'RYBN' an unbalanced load as shown in figure Q6.

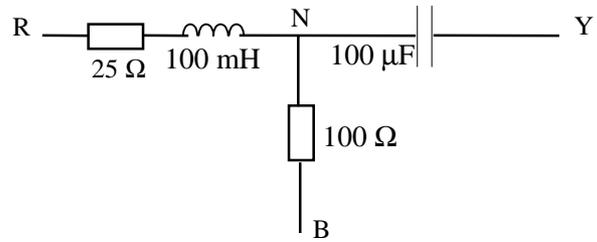


Figure Q6

- (a) Determine the currents in all three phases of the load. [3 marks]
- (b) Determine the symmetrical components of the three phase currents. [9 marks]
- (c) Determine the power supplied to the load using symmetrical components. [4 marks]
- (d) Verify the value using the expression for power loss in resistors. [2 marks]

7 (a) Determine the resonant frequency of the circuit shown in figure Q7. [4 marks]

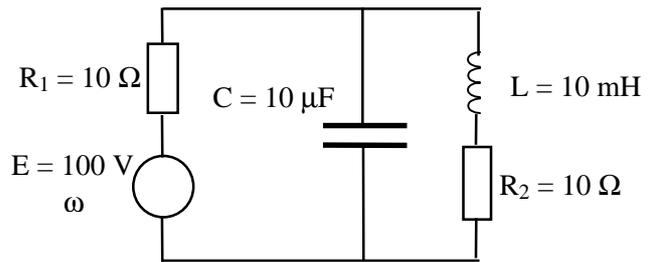


Figure Q7

- (b) Determine the voltage across the capacitor at resonant frequency. [4 marks]
- (c) Determine from first principles the Laplace transform of the causal function **sin ωt**. [4 marks]
- (d) Derive the transformed circuits for an inductor and a capacitor which have initial stored energy. [6 marks]