
Chapter 8

Basic RL and RC Circuits

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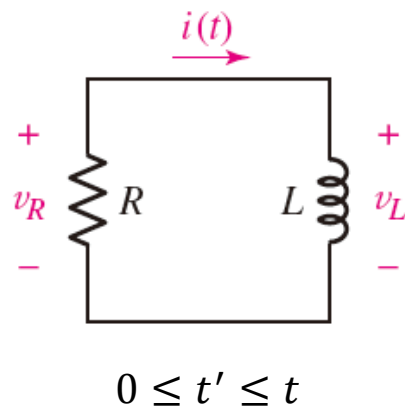
- Natural response vs. Forced response

Natural Response : depends upon the general "nature" of circuit (the type of elements, their sizes, the interconnection of the elements)

Source-free response, transient response, complementary function

Forced Response : resemble the nature of the particular source (or forcing function)

Particular solution, steady-state response,



Energy is stored
in the inductor at $t = 0$

$$Ri + L \frac{di}{dt} = 0 \rightarrow \frac{di}{dt} + \frac{R}{L}i = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{i} di = -\frac{R}{L} dt \Rightarrow \int_{I_0}^{i(t)} \frac{1}{i'} di' = -\frac{R}{L} \int_0^t dt' \leftarrow i(0) = I_0$$

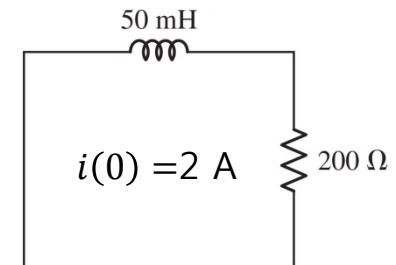
$$\Rightarrow \ln i' \Big|_{I_0}^i = -\frac{R}{L} t \Big|_0^t \Rightarrow \ln i - \ln I_0 = -\frac{R}{L} (t - 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln \frac{i}{I_0} = -\frac{R}{L} t \Rightarrow i(t) = I_0 e^{-\frac{R}{L} t}$$

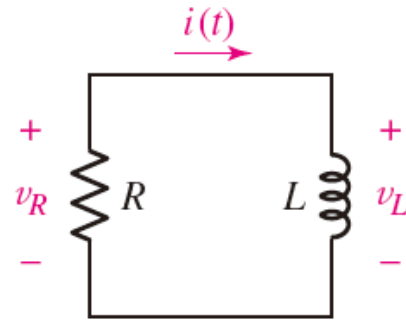
$$i(t) = 2e^{-4000t}$$

$$0 \leq t$$

Example 8.1



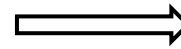
- Alternative Approach



$$\int \frac{di}{i} = - \int \frac{R}{L} dt + K$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln i = -\frac{R}{L}t + K$$

$$i(t=0) = I_0$$



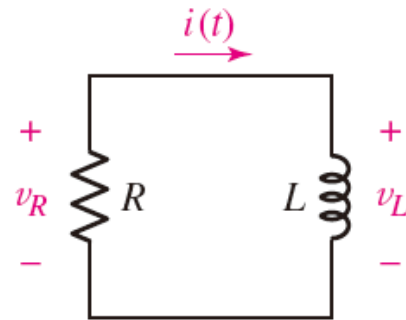
$$\ln I_0 = K$$

$$\rightarrow \ln i = -\frac{R}{L}t + \ln I_0$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln \frac{i}{I_0} = -\frac{R}{L}t$$

$$\Rightarrow i(t) = I_0 e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}$$

- A More General Solution Approach



$$\text{Let } i(t) = Ae^{s_1 t}$$

$$Ri + L \frac{di}{dt} = 0 \rightarrow RAe^{s_1 t} + LAs_1 e^{s_1 t} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow (R + Ls_1)Ae^{s_1 t} = 0 \Rightarrow s_1 = -\frac{R}{L}$$

$$\therefore i(t) = Ae^{s_1 t} = Ae^{-\frac{R}{L}t}$$

$$i(0) = Ae^{-\frac{R}{L}0} = A = I_0$$

$$\Rightarrow i(t) = I_0 e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}$$

- A Direct Route: The Characteristic Equation

Consider $a \frac{df}{dt} + bf = 0$

Assume $f(t) = Ae^{st}$

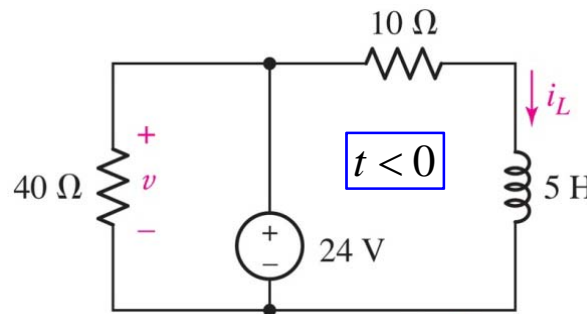
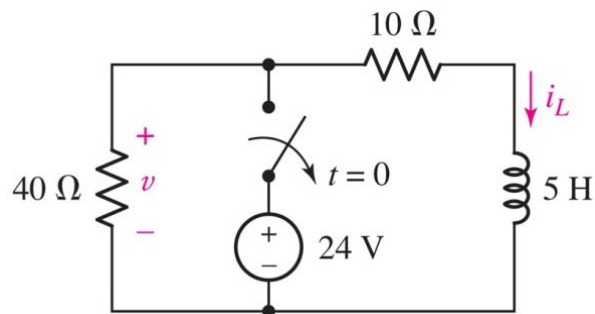
$$a \frac{df}{dt} + bf = as + b = 0$$

$$\rightarrow s = -\frac{b}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow f = Ae^{-\frac{b}{a}t}$$

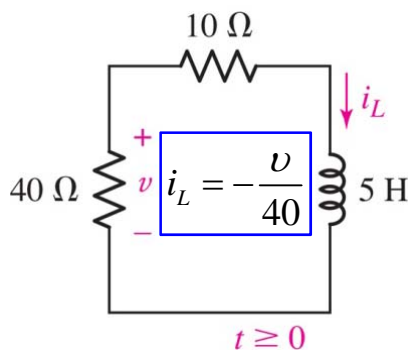
$$\begin{aligned} f &\rightarrow s^0 = 1, \\ \frac{df}{dt} &\rightarrow s^1, \\ \frac{d^2f}{dt^2} &\rightarrow s^2, \\ &\vdots \\ \frac{d^nf}{dt^n} &\rightarrow s^n \end{aligned}$$

Example 8.2 Find the voltage v at $t=200\text{ms}$



$$i_L(0) = \frac{24}{10} = 2.4 \text{ A}$$

$$\rightarrow v(0) = -40i_L(0) = -96 \text{ V}$$



$$-v + 10i_L + 5 \frac{di_L}{dt} = 0$$

$$-v + 10 \left(-\frac{v}{40} \right) + 5 \left(-\frac{1}{40} \right) \frac{dv}{dt} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dt} + 10v = 0$$

$$\rightarrow s + 10 = 0 \Rightarrow s = -10$$

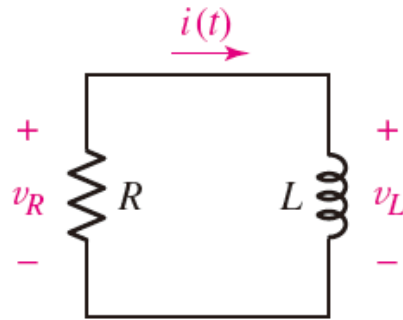
Let $v = Ae^{-10t}$

$$v(0) = -96 \text{ V}$$

$$\Rightarrow v(t) = -96e^{-10t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore v(0.2) &= -96e^{-10 \times 0.2} \\ &= -12.99 \text{ V} \end{aligned}$$

- Accounting for the Energy



$$i(t) = I_0 e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}$$

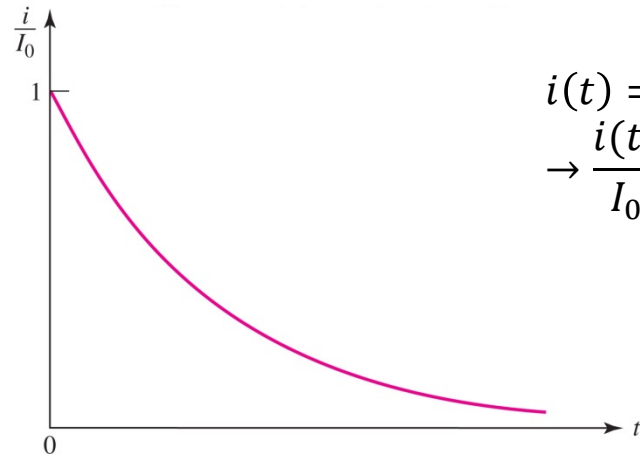
$$p_R = i^2 R = I_0^2 R e^{-\frac{2R}{L}t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} w_R &= \int_0^{\infty} p_R dt = I_0^2 R \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\frac{2R}{L}t} dt \\ &= I_0^2 R \left(-\frac{L}{2R} \right) e^{-\frac{2R}{L}t} \Big|_0^{\infty} = \frac{1}{2} L I_0^2 \end{aligned}$$

Energy stored initially in the inductor

- There is no longer any energy stored in the inductor for at infinite time since its current eventually drops to zero
- All the initial energy is accounted for by dissipation in the resistor

8.2 Properties of the Exponential Response

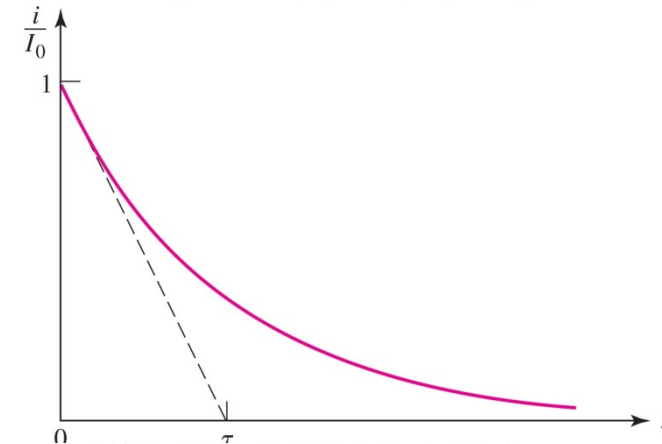


$$i(t) = I_0 e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{i(t)}{I_0} = e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}$$

The initial rate of decay

$$\left. \frac{d}{dt} \frac{i(t)}{I_0} \right|_{t=0} = -\frac{R}{L} e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \Big|_{t=0} = -\frac{R}{L}$$

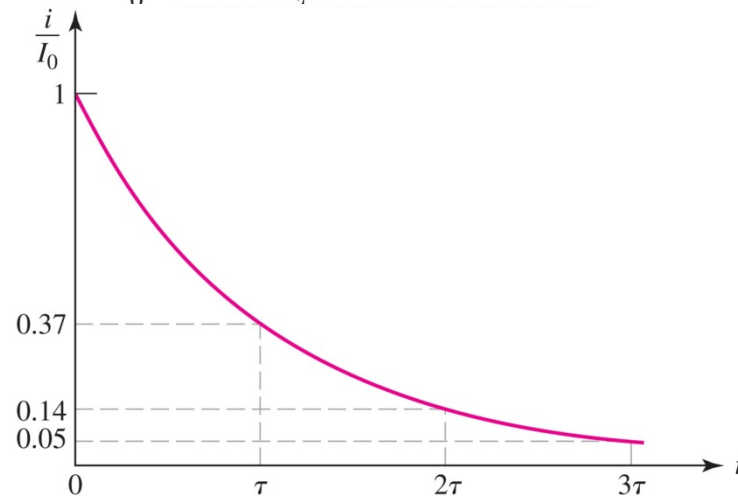


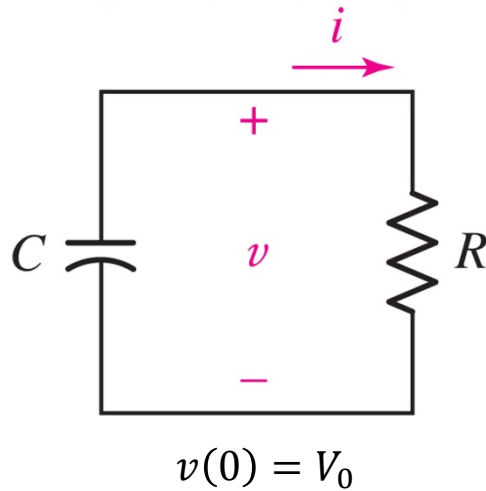
Time constant

$$\frac{i(t)}{I_0} = e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} = \frac{1}{e} \text{ at } t = \tau \rightarrow \tau = \frac{L}{R}$$

$$\frac{i(\tau)}{I_0} = e^{-\frac{R}{L}\tau} = e^{-\frac{RL}{LR}} = e^{-1} = 0.3679$$

$$\Rightarrow i(\tau) = e^{-1}I_0 = 0.3679I_0$$





$$C \frac{dv}{dt} + \frac{v}{R} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{dv}{dt} + \frac{v}{RC} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow s + \frac{1}{RC} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow s = -\frac{1}{RC}$$

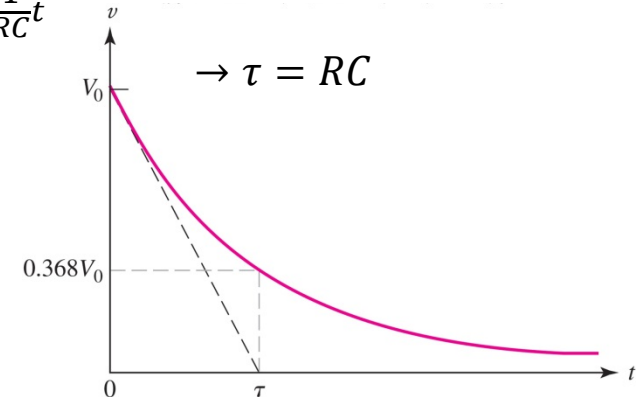
$$v(t) = Ae^{-st}$$

$$\rightarrow v(0) = A = V_0$$

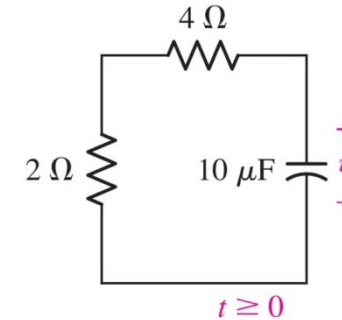
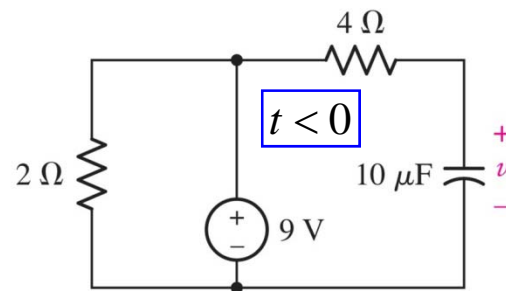
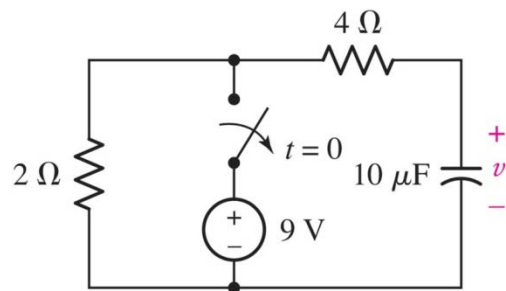
$$v(t) = V_0 e^{-\frac{1}{RC}t}$$

Time constant

$$\frac{v(t)}{V_0} = e^{-\frac{1}{RC}t} = \frac{1}{e} \text{ at } t = \tau$$



Example 8.3 Find the voltage v at $t=200 \mu s$



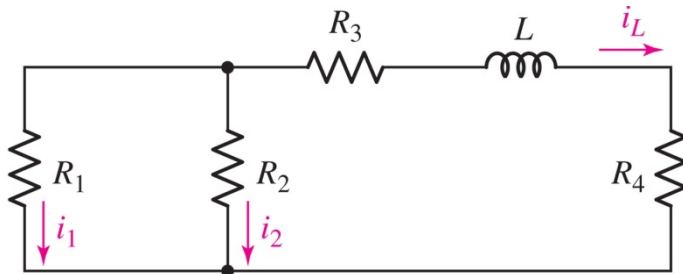
$$v(0) = 9 V$$

$$\tau = RC = (2 + 4)(10 \times 10^{-6}) = 60 \mu s$$

$$v(t) = v(0)e^{-\frac{1}{RC}t} = 9e^{-\frac{t}{60 \times 10^{-6}}} V$$

$$\Rightarrow v(200 \times 10^{-6}) = 321.1 mV$$

- General RL Circuits



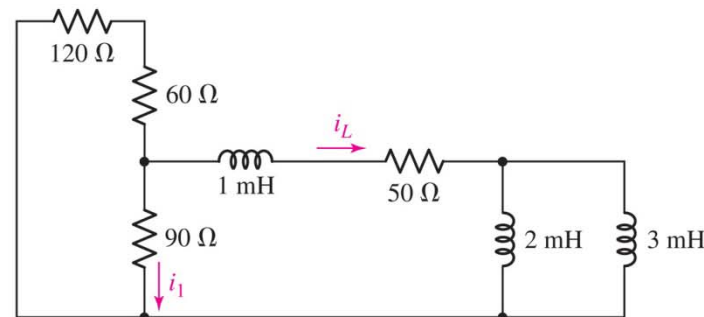
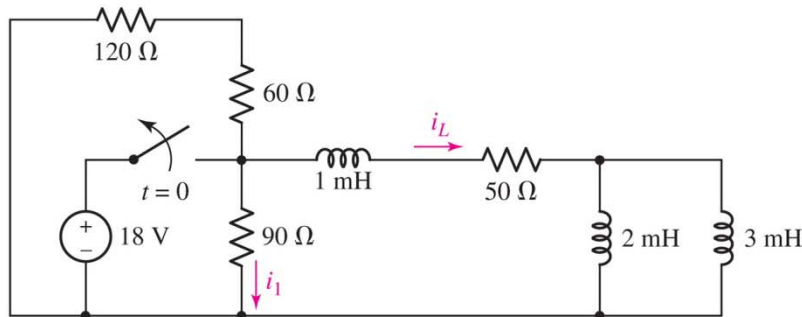
$$R_{eq} = R_1 \parallel R_2 + (R_3 + R_4)$$

$$= R_3 + R_4 + \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2}$$

$$\tau = \frac{L}{R_{eq}},$$

$$\text{Generally } \tau = \frac{L_{eq}}{R_{eq}}$$

Example 8.4 Determine both i_1 and i_L for $t > 0$



$$t < 0 : i_L(0^-) = \frac{18}{50} = 360 \text{ mA}, \quad L_{eq} = 1 + (2 \parallel 3) = 2.2 \text{ mH}$$

$$i_1(0^-) = \frac{18}{90} = 200 \text{ mA} \quad R_{eq} = 50 + (90 \parallel (120 + 60)) = 110 \Omega$$

$$\tau = \frac{L_{eq}}{R_{eq}} = \frac{2.2 \times 10^{-3}}{110} = 20 \mu\text{s}$$

$$i_L(0^+) = i_L(0^-)$$

$$i_1(0^+) = -i_L(0^+) \frac{180}{90 + 180} = -\frac{2}{3} \times 360 = -240 \text{ mA}$$

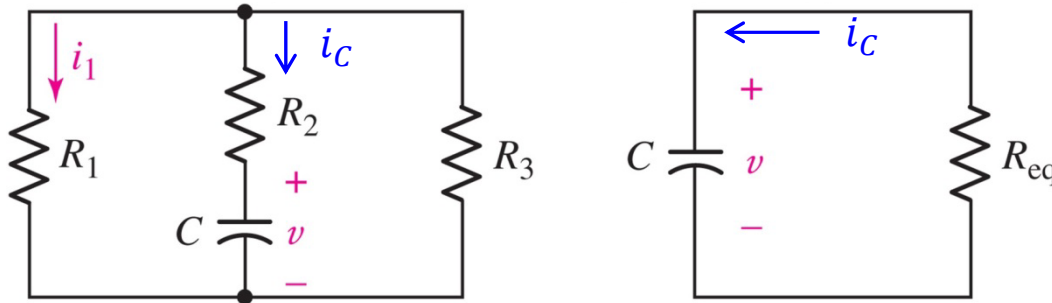
$$t \geq 0 : i_L = i_L(0^+) e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} = 360 e^{-50000t} \text{ mA}$$

$$i_1 = i_1(0^+) e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} = -240 e^{-50000t} \text{ mA}$$

- General RC Circuits

$$\tau = R_{eq}C_{eq}$$

Example 8.5 Find $v(0^+)$ and $i_1(0^+)$ if $v(0^-) = V_0$



$$\begin{aligned} R_{eq} &= R_2 + (R_1 \parallel R_3) \\ &= R_2 + \frac{R_1 R_3}{R_1 + R_3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\tau = R_{eq}C = \left(R_2 + \frac{R_1 R_3}{R_1 + R_3} \right) C$$

$$v(0^-) = V_0$$

$$v(0^+) = v(0^-) = V_0$$

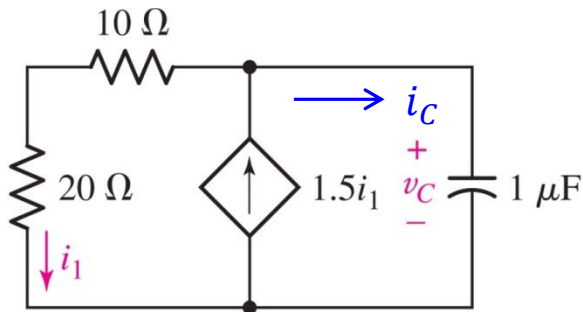
$$v = V_0 e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} = V_0 e^{-\frac{t}{R_{eq}C}}$$

$$i_1 = -\frac{R_3}{R_1 + R_3} i_c = -\frac{R_3}{R_1 + R_3} \frac{-v}{R_{eq}}$$

$$i_1 = i_1(0^+) e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} = \frac{V_0}{R_2 + \frac{R_1 R_3}{R_1 + R_3}} \frac{R_3}{R_1 + R_3} e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow i_1(0^+) &= \frac{R_3}{R_1 + R_3} \frac{v(0^+)}{R_{eq}} \\ &= \frac{V_0}{R_2 + \frac{R_1 R_3}{R_1 + R_3}} \frac{R_3}{R_1 + R_3} \end{aligned}$$

Example 8.6 Find $v_C(t)$ for $t > 0$ if $v_C(0^-) = 2$ V



$$i_C = 1.5i_1 - i_1 = 0.5i_1$$

$$i_1 = \frac{v_C}{10 + 20}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{dv_C}{dt} - \frac{1}{60 \times 10^{-6}} v_C = 0$$

$$\rightarrow v_C(t) = 2e^{t/(60 \times 10^{-6})} \text{ V} \quad \leftarrow v_C(0^-) = v_C(0^+) = 2$$

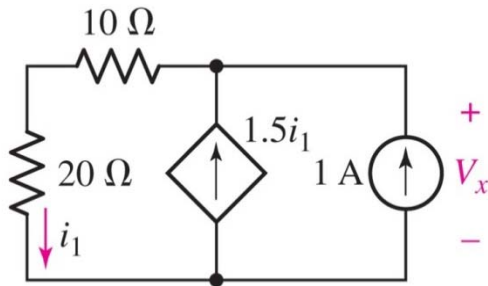
$$i_C = 10^{-6} \frac{dv_C}{dt}$$

$$\rightarrow 0.5i_1 = 10^{-6} \frac{dv_C}{dt}$$

$$\rightarrow 0.5 \frac{v_C}{30} = 10^{-6} \frac{dv_C}{dt}$$

$$\rightarrow s = \frac{1}{60 \times 10^{-6}} = \tau$$

Another method for Example 8.6 Finding R_{TH} on the left side of capacitor



$$i_1 = \frac{V_x}{30}$$

$$V_x = (1 + 1.5i_1)(30)$$

$$= 30 + 45i_1 = 30 + 1.5V_x$$

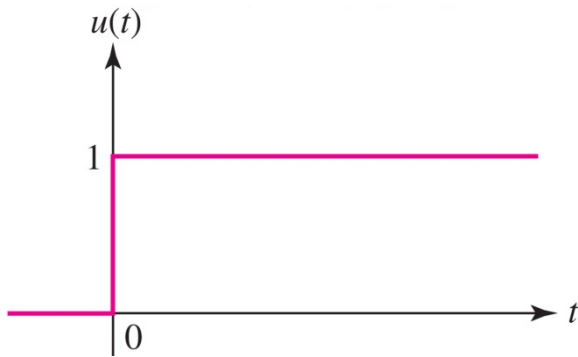
$$\rightarrow V_x = -60 \text{ V}$$

$$\therefore R_{TH} = \frac{V_x}{1} = -60 \text{ } \Omega$$

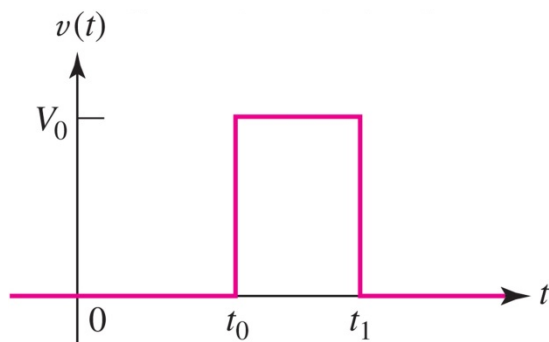
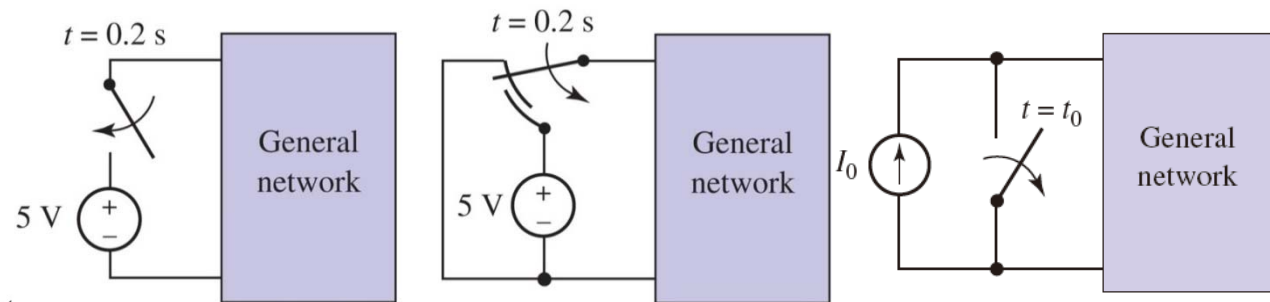
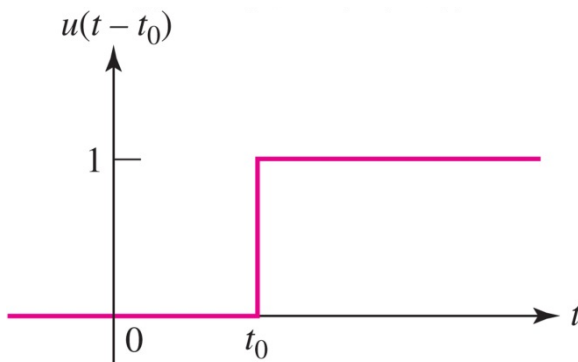
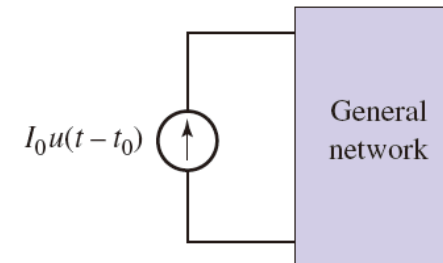
$$\tau = RC = -60 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s}$$

$$v_C(t) = 2e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} = 2e^{-\frac{t}{-60 \times 10^{-6}}} = 2e^{\frac{t}{60 \times 10^{-6}}} \text{ V}$$

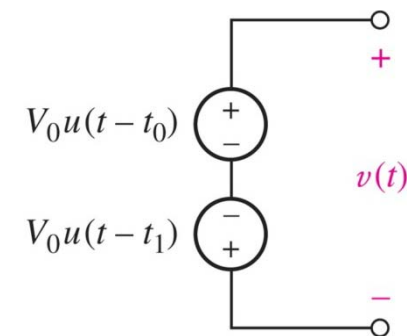
8.5 The Unit-Step Function



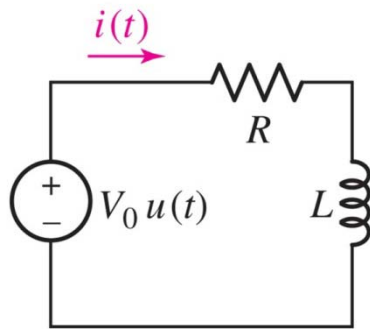
$$u(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0 \\ 1 & t > 0 \end{cases}$$



$$v(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < t_0 \\ V_0 & t_0 < t < t_1 \\ 0 & t > t_1 \end{cases}$$



$$v(t) = V_0[u(t - t_0) - u(t - t_1)]$$



$$Ri + L \frac{di}{dt} = V_0 u(t)$$

$$t < 0: i(t) = 0$$

$$t > 0: Ri + L \frac{di}{dt} = V_0$$

$$i(0^-) = i(0^+) = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{L di}{V_0 - Ri} = dt$$

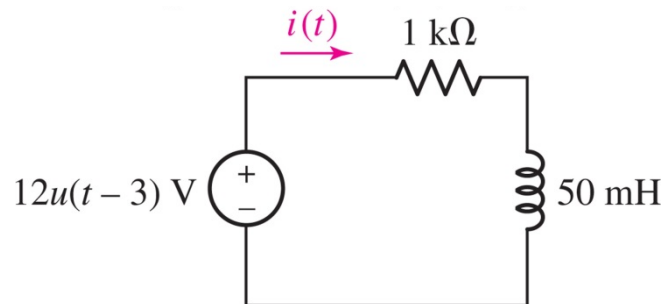
$$\rightarrow -\frac{L}{R} \ln(V_0 - Ri) = t + K$$

$$\text{at } t = 0^+ : -\frac{L}{R} \ln V_0 = K$$

$$-\frac{L}{R} [\ln(V_0 - Ri) - \ln V_0] = t \rightarrow \frac{V_0 - Ri}{V_0} = e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \Rightarrow i(t) = \frac{V_0}{R} - \frac{V_0}{R} e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}, t > 0$$

$$\therefore i(t) = \frac{V_0}{R} (1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}) u(t)$$

Example 8.7 Find $i(t)$ for $t = \infty$, 3^- , 3^+ , and 3.0001 s.



$$\frac{V_0}{R} = \frac{12}{1000} = 12 \text{ mA}, \quad \frac{R}{L} = \frac{1 \times 10^3}{50 \times 10^{-3}} = 20000$$

For $12u(t)$ input,

$$i(t) = \left(\frac{V_0}{R} - \frac{V_0}{R} e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \right) u(t) = (12 - 12e^{-20000t}) u(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow i(t) = (12 - 12e^{-20000(t-3)}) u(t-3)$$

$$i(3.0001) = 10.38 \text{ mA}$$

$$i(3^+) = i(3^-) = 0$$

$$i(\infty) = 12 \text{ mA}$$

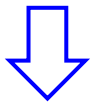
Consider general equation

$$\frac{di}{dt} + Pi = \underbrace{Q(t)}_{\text{forcing function}}$$

$$\rightarrow di + Pidt = Q(t)dt$$

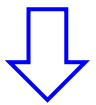
multiply e^{Pt} (P : positive constant)

$$e^{Pt}di + Pie^{Pt}dt = Qe^{Pt}dt$$



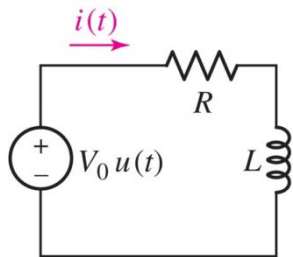
$$d(ie^{Pt}) = e^{Pt}di + iPe^{Pt}dt$$

$$d(ie^{Pt}) = Qe^{Pt}dt$$



integration

$$ie^{Pt} = \int Qe^{Pt}dt + A \Rightarrow i = e^{-Pt} \int Qe^{Pt}dt + Ae^{-Pt}$$



$$Ri + L \frac{di}{dt} = V_0 u(t)$$

$$P = \frac{R}{L}, \quad Q = \frac{V_0}{L}$$

source-free case: $Q = 0$

$$\Rightarrow i_n = Ae^{-Pt} \quad \text{natural response}$$

$$t \rightarrow \infty, i_n \rightarrow 0$$

After the natural response has disappeared

Q : dc

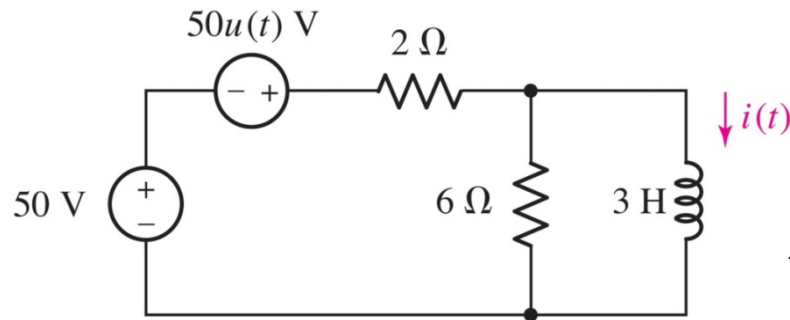
$$i_f = e^{-Pt} Q \int e^{Pt} dt = \frac{Q}{P} e^{-Pt} (e^{Pt}) = \frac{Q}{P}$$

forced response

complete response

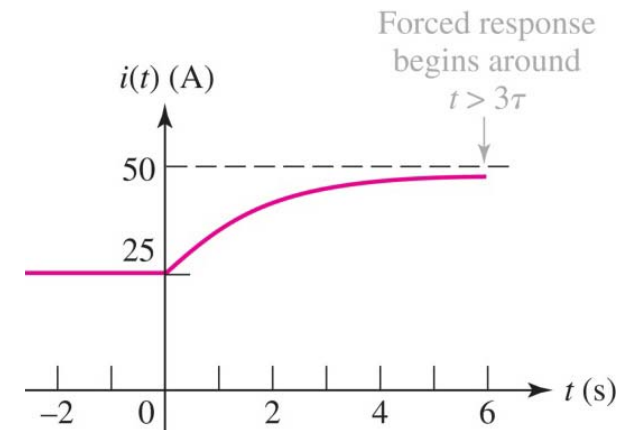
$$i(t) = i_f + i_n = \frac{Q}{P} + Ae^{-Pt}$$

Example 8.8 Find $i(t)$ for all values of time



$$R_{eq} = 2 \parallel 6 = \frac{2 \times 6}{2 + 6} = 1.5$$

$$\tau = \frac{L}{R_{eq}} = \frac{3}{1.5} = 2 \text{ s}$$



$$\frac{100 - 3 \frac{di}{dt}}{2} = \frac{3 \frac{di}{dt}}{6} + i \rightarrow \frac{di}{dt} + \frac{1}{2}i = 25 \rightarrow i(t) = \frac{Q}{P} + Ke^{-Pt} = 50 + Ke^{-\frac{t}{2}} \quad t \geq 0$$

$$i_n = Ke^{-t/\tau} = Ke^{-t/2} \text{ A}, \quad t > 0,$$

$$i_f = \frac{50 + 50}{2} = 50 \text{ A}$$

$$\Rightarrow i = i_f + i_n = 50 + Ke^{-t/2} \text{ A}, \quad t > 0$$

$$\text{at } t = 0 : \frac{50}{2} = 50 + K \Rightarrow K = -25$$

Therefore,

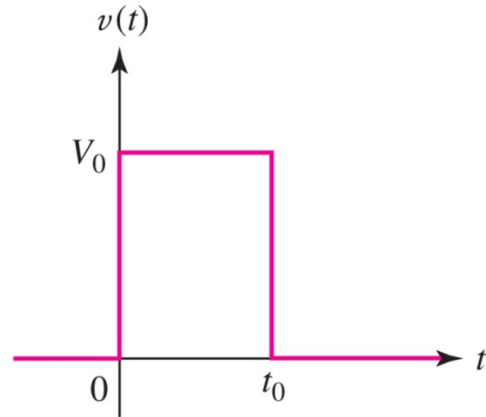
$$i(t) = 50 - 25e^{-\frac{t}{2}} \text{ A}, \quad t > 0$$

$$i(t) = 25 \text{ A}, \quad t < 0$$

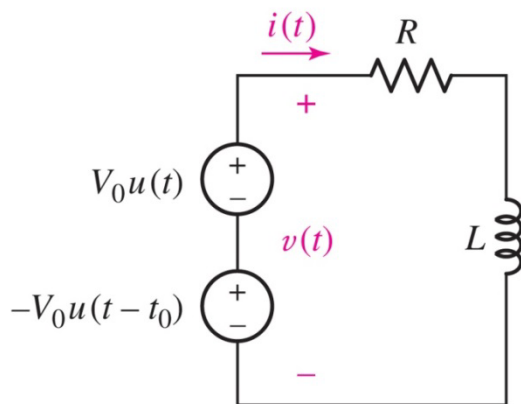


$$i(t) = 25 + 25(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{2}})u(t) \text{ A}$$

Example 8.9 Find $i(t)$ for a rectangular voltage pulse forcing function.



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$$i_1(t) = \frac{V_0}{R} (1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}), \quad t > 0$$

$$i_2(t) = -\frac{V_0}{R} (1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}(t-t_0)}),$$

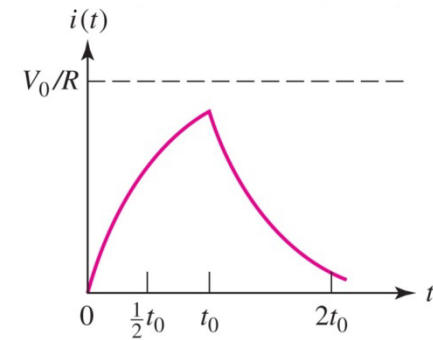
$$i(t) = 0, \quad t < 0$$

$$i(t) = \frac{V_0}{R} (1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}), \quad 0 < t < t_0$$

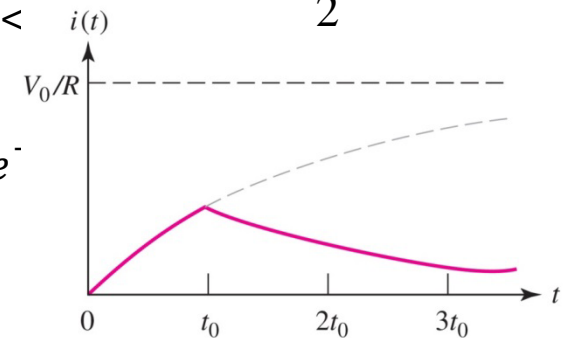
$$i(t) = \frac{V_0}{R} (1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}t}) - \frac{V_0}{R} (1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}(t-t_0)})$$

$$= \frac{V_0}{R} e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} (e^{\frac{R}{L}t_0} - 1)$$

$$t > t_0$$

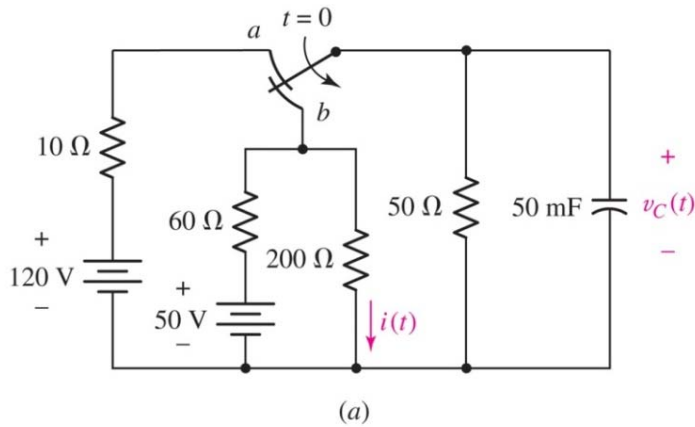


$$\tau = \frac{t_0}{2}$$



$$\tau = t_0$$

Example 8.10 Find $v_C(t)$ and $i(t)$ for all time

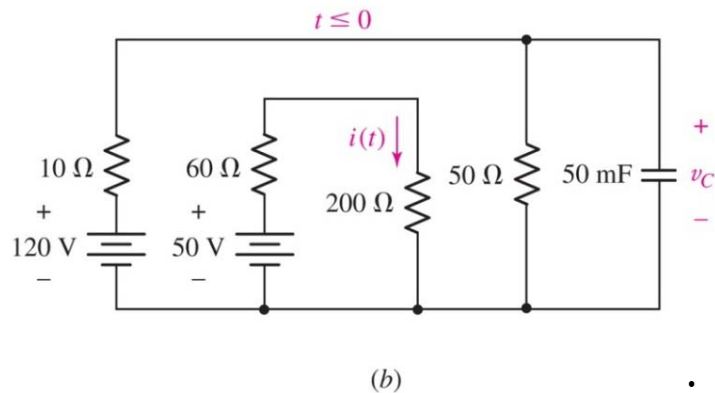


$$v_C(0^+) = v_C(0^-) = \frac{50}{10 + 50} 120 = 100 \text{ V}$$

$$R_{eq} = 60 \parallel 200 \parallel 50 = 24 \Omega \quad \rightarrow \tau = R_{eq}C = 1.2 \text{ s}$$

$$v_{C_n} = Ae^{-t/\tau} = Ae^{-t/1.2}$$

$$v_{C_f} = v_C(\infty) = \frac{200 \parallel 50}{60 + (200 \parallel 50)} 50 = 20 \text{ V}$$



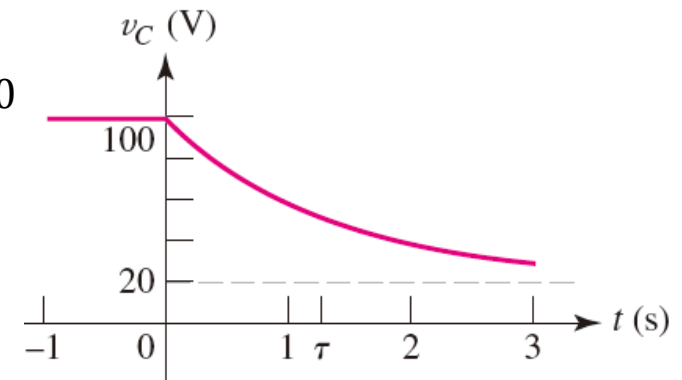
$$v_C = v_{C_n} + v_{C_f} = 20 + Ae^{-t/1.2}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{at } t = 0: v_C(0) = 20 + A = 100$$

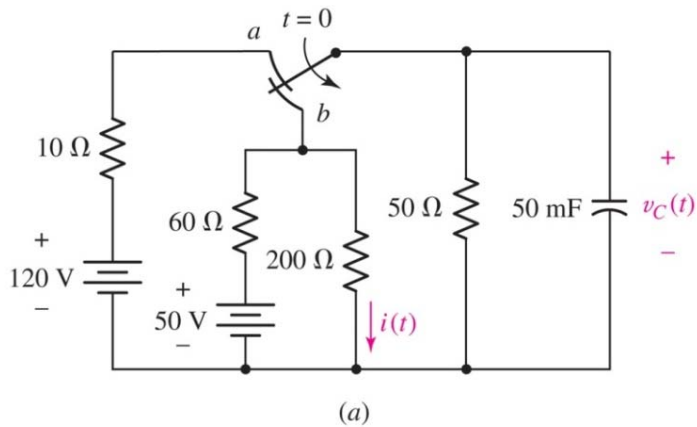
$$\Rightarrow A = 80$$

$$\therefore v_C = 20 + 80e^{-t/1.2}, t \geq 0$$

$$v_C = 100, t < 0$$

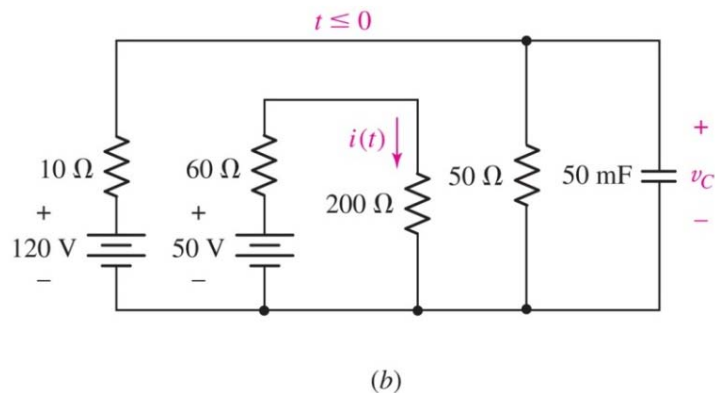
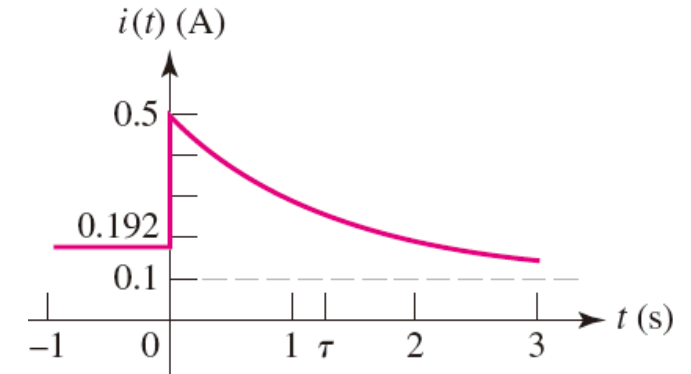


Example 8.10 Find $v_C(t)$ and $i(t)$ for all time



$t < 0$:

$$i(0^-) = \frac{50}{60 + 200} = 0.1923 \text{ A}$$

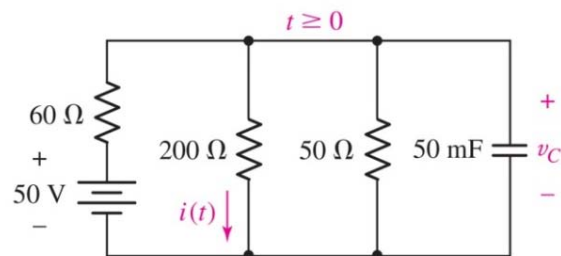


$$i_f = i(\infty) = \frac{50}{60 + (200 \parallel 50)} \frac{50}{200 + 50} = 0.1 \text{ A}$$

$$i(t) = i_f + i_n = 0.1 + Ae^{-t/1.2} \quad t > 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{from } v_C(0^+) &= 100 \text{ V} \\ \Rightarrow i(0^+) &= \frac{100}{200} = 0.5 \text{ A} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} i(0^+) &= 0.1 + A = 0.5 \\ \rightarrow A &= 0.4 \end{aligned}$$



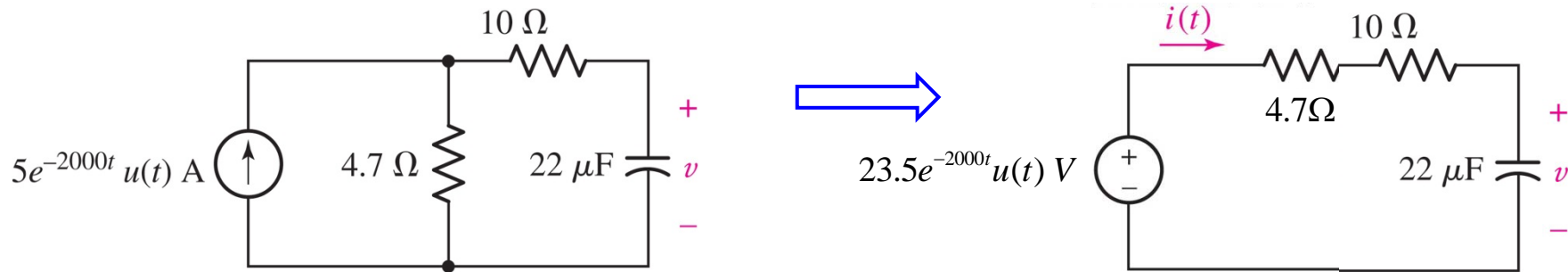
$$i(t) = 0.1923 \text{ A}, \quad t < 0$$

$$i(t) = 0.1 + 0.4e^{-t/1.2}, \quad t > 0$$

$$i = 0.1923 + (-0.1923 + 0.4e^{-\frac{t}{1.2}})u(t)$$

1. With all independent sources zeroed out, simplify the circuit to determine R_{eq} , C_{eq} , and the time constant $\tau = R_{\text{eq}}C_{\text{eq}}$.
2. Viewing C_{eq} as an open circuit, use dc analysis methods to find $v_C(0^-)$, the capacitor voltage just prior to the discontinuity.
3. Again viewing C_{eq} as an open circuit, use dc analysis methods to find the forced response. This is the value approached by $f(t)$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$; we represent it by $f(\infty)$.
4. Write the total response as the sum of the forced and natural responses: $f(t) = f(\infty) + Ae^{-t/\tau}$.
5. Find $f(0^+)$ by using the condition that $v_C(0^+) = v_C(0^-)$. If desired, C_{eq} may be replaced by a voltage source $v_C(0^+)$ [a short circuit if $v_C(0^+) = 0$] for this calculation. With the exception of capacitor voltages (and inductor currents), other voltages and currents in the circuit may change abruptly.
6. $f(0^+) = f(\infty) + A$ and $f(t) = f(\infty) + [f(0^+) - f(\infty)]e^{-t/\tau}$,
or total response = final value + (initial value - final value) $e^{-t/\tau}$.

Example 8.11 Determine an expression for $v(t)$ for $t > 0$



$$R_{eq} = 4.7 + 10 = 14.7 \Omega$$

$$\tau = R_{eq}C = 14.7 \times (22 \times 10^{-6}) = 323.4 \mu\text{s}$$

$t > 0$

$$i(t) = (22 \times 10^{-6}) \frac{dv}{dt} \quad \rightarrow \quad 23.55e^{-2000t} = v + 14.7 \times (22 \times 10^{-6}) \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{dv}{dt} + 3.092 \times 10^3 v = 72.67 \times 10^3 e^{-2000t}$$

$$P = \frac{1}{\tau} = 3.092 \times 10^3$$

$$Q(t) = 72.67 \times 10^3 e^{-2000t}$$

$$v(t) = e^{-Pt} \int Q e^{Pt} dt + A e^{-Pt} = e^{-3092t} \int 72.67 \times 10^3 e^{-2000t} e^{3092t} dt + A e^{-3092t} =$$

$$\rightarrow v(t) = 66.55 e^{-2000t} + A e^{-3092t} \text{ V}$$

$$v(0^-) = v(0^+) = 0 \rightarrow A = -66.55$$

$$v(t) = 66.55(e^{-2000t} - e^{-3092t})u(t) \text{ V}$$

8.9 Predicting the Response of Sequentially Switched Circuits

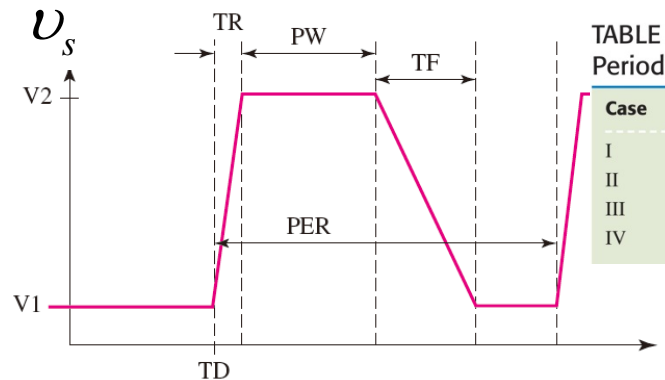
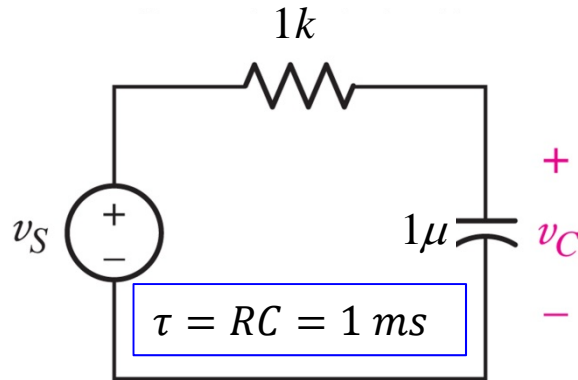
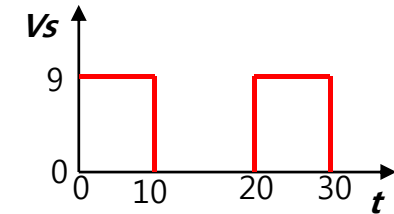


TABLE 8.1 Four Separate Cases of Pulse Width and Period Relative to the Circuit Time Constant of 1 ms

Case	Pulse Width W_p	Period T
I	10 ms ($\tau \ll W_p$)	20 ms ($\tau \ll T - W_p$)
II	10 ms ($\tau \ll W_p$)	10.1 ms ($\tau \gg T - W_p$)
III	0.1 ms ($\tau \gg W_p$)	10.1 ms ($\tau \ll T - W_p$)
IV	0.1 ms ($\tau \gg W_p$)	0.2 ms ($\tau \gg T - W_p$)



- Case I : Time Enough to Fully Charge and Fully Discharge

$$0 < t < 10 \text{ ms}$$

$$v_{Cn} = Ae^{-t/\tau} = Ae^{-1000t}$$

$$v_{Cf} = v_C(\infty) = 9 \text{ V}$$

$$v_C(t) = 9(1 - e^{-1000t})$$

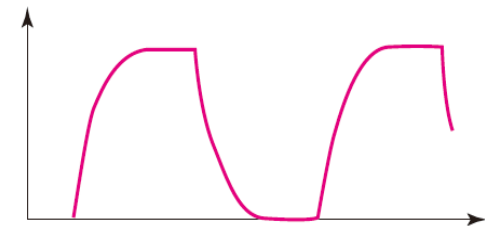
$$v_C(0.01) = 9(1 - e^{-10}) = 8.9959 = 9$$

$$10 < t < 20 \text{ ms}$$

$$v_C(t) = 8.9959e^{-1000(t-0.01)} \approx 9e^{-1000(t-0.01)}$$

$$v_C(t) = \begin{cases} 9(1 - e^{-1000t}) & 0 \leq t \leq 10 \text{ ms} \\ 9e^{-1000(t-0.01)} & 10 < t \leq 20 \text{ ms} \\ 9(1 - e^{-1000(t-0.02)}) & 20 < t \leq 30 \text{ ms} \\ 9e^{-1000(t-0.03)} & 30 < t \leq 40 \text{ ms} \\ \vdots & \end{cases}$$

Capacitor has time to fully charge



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- Case II : Time Enough to Fully Charge but Not Fully Discharge

$0 < t < 10 \text{ ms}$ Capacitor has time to fully charge

$$v_C(t) = 9(1 - e^{-1000t})$$

$10 < t < 10.1 \text{ ms}$ $v_C(t) = 9e^{-1000(t-0.01)}$

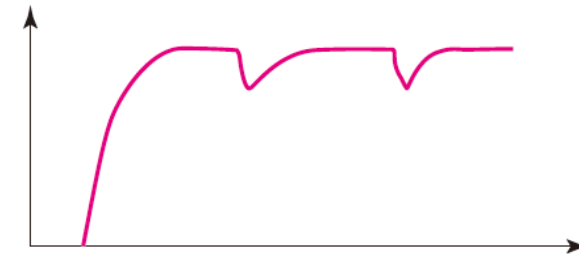
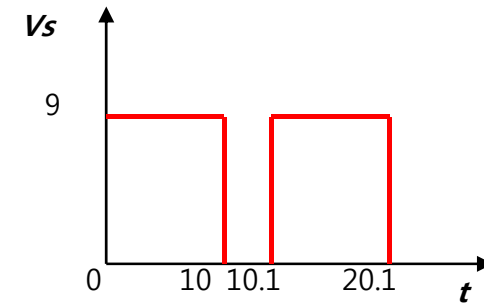
$$\rightarrow v_C(10.1 \text{ ms}) = 9e^{-1000(10.1 \times 10^{-3} - 0.01)} = 8.144 \text{ V}$$

$10.1 < t < 20.1 \text{ ms}$

$$v_C(t) = 9 + Ae^{-1000(t-10.1 \times 10^{-3})}$$

$$v_C(10.1 \text{ ms}) = 9 + A = 8.144 \rightarrow A = -0.856$$

$$v_C(t) = 9 - 0.856 e^{-1000(t-10.1 \times 10^{-3})}$$



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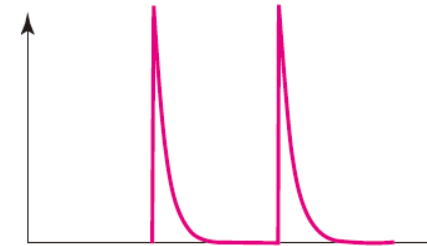
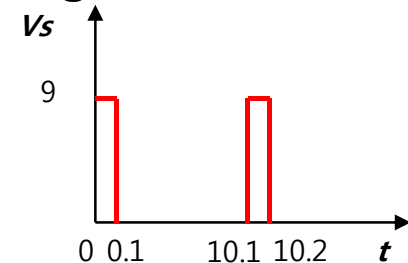
- Case III : No Time to Fully Charge but Time to Fully Discharge

$0 < t < 0.1 \text{ ms}$ $v_C(t) = 9(1 - e^{-1000t})$

$\rightarrow v_C(0.1 \times 10^{-3}) = 9(1 - e^{-1000(0.1 \times 10^{-3})}) = 0.8565$

$0.1 < t < 10.1 \text{ ms}$ $v_C(t) = Be^{-1000(t-0.1 \times 10^{-3})}$

$v_C(0.1 \times 10^{-3}) = B = 0.8565 \quad \rightarrow \quad v_C(t) = 0.8565e^{-1000(t-0.1 \times 10^{-3})}$



- Case IV: No Time to Fully Charge or Even Fully Discharge

$0 < t < 0.1 \text{ ms}$ $v_C(t) = 9(1 - e^{-1000t})$

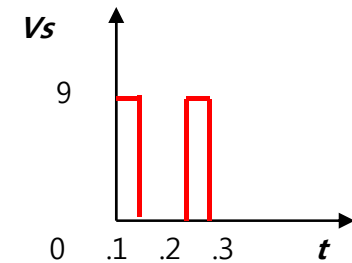
$0.1 < t < 0.2 \text{ ms}$ $v_C(t) = 0.8565e^{-1000(t-0.1 \times 10^{-3})}$

$v_C(0.2 \times 10^{-3}) = 0.7750$

$0.2 < t < 0.3 \text{ ms}$ $v_C(t) = 9 + Ce^{-1000(t-0.2 \times 10^{-3})} \quad C = -8.225$

$v_C(0.3 \times 10^{-3}) = 1.558$

$0.3 < t < 0.4 \text{ ms}$ $v_C(t) = 1.558e^{-1000(t-0.3 \times 10^{-3})}$



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