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Chapter 7 Circuit Analysis with Capacitors and Inductors

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KVL and KCL involving circuits with capacitors and inductors result in differential equations (D.E.) rather than algebraic equations.

The order of a differential equation is equal to highest derivative.

1st-order DE: $\frac{dx}{dt} + a_0x(t) = f(t)$

2nd-order DE: $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + a_1 \frac{dx}{dt} + a_0x(t) = f(t)$

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nth-order DE: $\frac{d^n x}{dt^n} + a_{n-1} \frac{d^{n-1} x}{dt^{n-1}} + \dots + a_1 \frac{dx}{dt} + a_0 x(t) = f(t)$

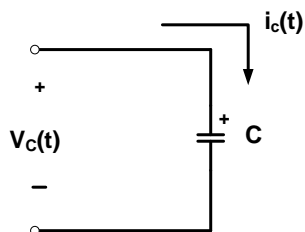
Capacitors and inductors:

- Resistors are passive elements which dissipate energy only.
- Two important passive linear circuit elements: capacitor, and inductor.
- Capacitors and inductors do not dissipate but store energy, which can be retrieved at a later time.
- Capacitors and inductors are called storage elements.

$$W_C(t) = \frac{1}{2} * C v_C^2(t)$$

$$W_L(t) = \frac{1}{2} * L i_L^2(t)$$

Some of the important characteristics of a capacitor:



$$i_C(t) = C \frac{dv_C(t)}{dt}$$

$$v_C(t) = v_C(0^-) + \frac{1}{C} \int_0^t i_C(t) dt$$

, for $t \geq 0$

1. The current through a capacitor is zero if the voltage across it is not changing with time.

A capacitor is therefore an open circuit to DC.

2. A finite amount of energy can be stored in a capacitor even if the current through the capacitor is zero.

$$W_C(t) = \frac{1}{2} * C v_C^2(t)$$

3. The capacitor never dissipate energy, but only store it.
4. $v_C(t) = v_C(0^-) + \frac{1}{C} \int_{0^-}^t i_C(t) dt$; for $t \geq 0$.

at $t = 0^+$

$$v_C(0^+) = v_C(0^-) + \frac{1}{C} \int_{0^-}^{0^+} i_C(t) dt$$

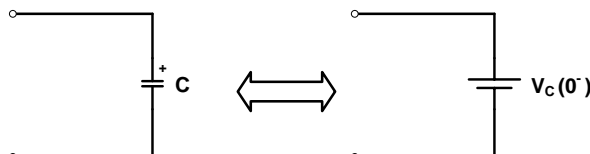
$$v_C(0^+) = v_C(0^-)$$

➔ The Capacitor is a continuous voltage device

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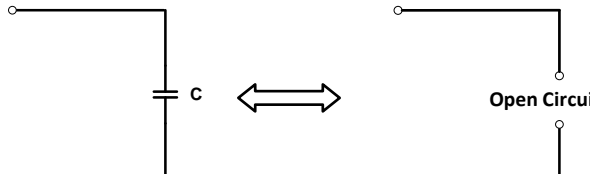
→ It is impossible to change the voltage across a capacitor by a finite amount in zero time, for this requires an infinite current through the capacitor.

At $t = 0^+$

$$i_C(t) = C \frac{dv_C(t)}{dt}$$


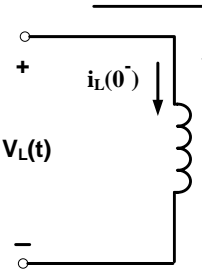
A capacitor is therefore an open circuit to DC.

At $t = 0^-$, and $t = \infty$ (after the change and the circuit have reached steady state)



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Some of the important characteristics of an Inductor:



$$v_L(t) = L \frac{di_L(t)}{dt}$$

$$i_L(t) = i_L(0^-) + \frac{1}{L} \int_{0^-}^t v_L(t) dt \quad ; \text{ for } t \geq 0.$$

1. There is no voltage across an inductor if the current through it is not changing with time.

An inductor is therefore a short circuit to DC.

2. A finite amount of energy can be stored in an inductor even if the voltage across inductor is zero.
3. The inductor never dissipate energy, but only store it.

$$4. i_L(t) = i_L(0^-) + \frac{1}{L} \int_{0^-}^t v_L(t) dt, \quad \text{for } t \geq 0$$

at $t = 0^+$

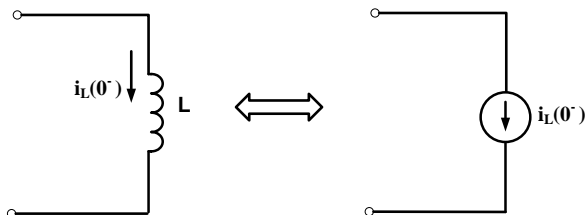
$$i_L(0^+) = i_L(0^-) + \frac{1}{L} \int_{0^-}^{0^+} v_L(t) dt$$

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

It is impossible to change the current through an inductor by a finite amount in zero time, for this requires an infinite voltage across the inductor.

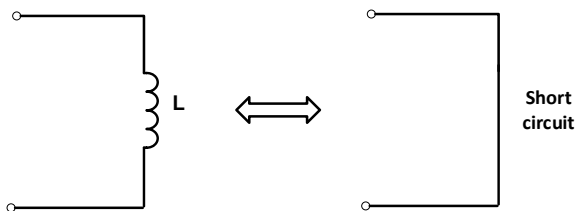
at $t = 0^+$

$$v_L(t) = L \frac{di_L(t)}{dt}$$



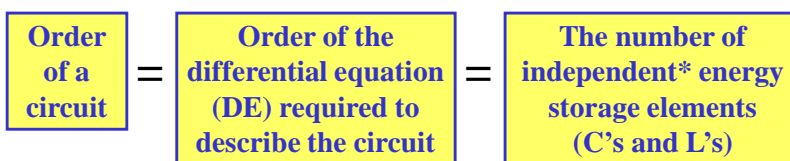
An inductor is therefore a short circuit to DC

At $t = 0^-$, and $t = \infty$ (after the change)



First order circuits:

- A first-order circuit can only contain one energy storage element (a capacitor or an inductor) or a combination of capacitors or inductors that can be reduced to one capacitor or inductor.
- The circuit will also contain one or more resistances.
- A first-order circuit is characterized by a first-order differential equation.



C's and L's are independent if they cannot be combined with other C's and L's (in series or parallel, for example)

Natural response of first-order circuits:

Find $i(t)$ for $t > 0$

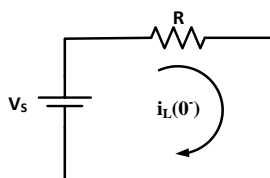
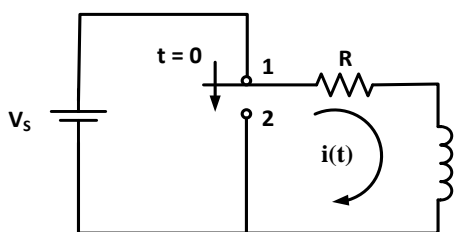
Solution Steps:

1) For $t < 0$; $t = 0^-$

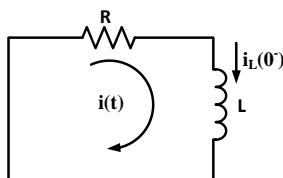
Switch in position 1
and L ==> short

$$i_L(0^-) = \frac{V_S}{R}$$

This is initial condition for current through the inductor



2) For $t > 0$



Switch have just switched to position 2
Current through inductor is equal to initial condition
since the inductor is a continuous current device

KVL

$$R i(t) + L \frac{di(t)}{dt} = 0 \quad \text{Homogeneous first order differential equation}$$

$$i(t) = A e^{st} \quad \text{for } t > 0$$

$$R A e^{st} + L A S e^{st} = 0$$

$$A e^{st} (R + L S) = 0 \quad \therefore S = -\frac{R}{L} \quad \text{To find A:} \implies$$

\implies To find A:

$$i(t) = A e^{st} \quad \text{for } t > 0 \quad \longrightarrow \quad i(0^+) = A$$

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

$$\therefore A = i_L(0^-) = \frac{V_S}{R}$$

$$\therefore i(t) = \frac{V_S}{R} e^{-\frac{R}{L} t} \quad t > 0$$

$$\text{let } \tau = \frac{L}{R} \quad \tau = \text{Time constant}$$

$$\therefore i(t) = \frac{V_S}{R} e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t > 0$$

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t	$i(t)$
0	$\frac{V_S}{R}$
τ	$0.37 \frac{V_S}{R}$
2τ	$0.14 \frac{V_S}{R}$
3τ	$0.05 \frac{V_S}{R}$
4τ	$0.018 \frac{V_S}{R}$
5τ	$0.0067 \frac{V_S}{R}$

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➤ τ is related to the rate of exponential decay in a circuit as shown below

$$x(t) = x(0)e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}$$

➤ It is typically easier to sketch a response in terms of multiples of τ than to be concerning with scaling of the graph (otherwise choosing an appropriate scale can be difficult).

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Time for a circuit to completely decay

From the last page note that $\mathbf{x(5\tau)} = \mathbf{x(0)e^{-5\tau/\tau}} = \mathbf{x(0)e^{-5}} = \mathbf{0.007x(0)}$

This means that magnitude of $x(t)$ is only 0.7% of its initial value by time 5τ (or the function has lost 99.3% of its original value). Technically a decaying exponential function never reaches zero, but we see that by time $t = 5\tau$ it is very close. So we generally use the approximation that:

$5\tau =$ time for a circuit to decay or to reach steady state

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Find $i_L(t)$ for $t > 0$

Solution:

1) For $t < 0$; $t = 0^-$

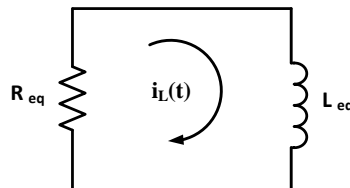
Switch is closed and $L \implies$ short

$$i_L(0^-) = \frac{18\text{ V}}{50\ \Omega} = 0.36\text{ A}$$

This is initial condition for current through the inductor

2) For $t > 0$

Switch is open



$$R_{eq} = (90\Omega // 180\Omega) + 50\Omega = 110\Omega$$

$$L_{eq} = 1\text{ mH} + 1.2\text{ mH} = 2.2\text{ mH}$$

$$\tau = \frac{L_{eq}}{R_{eq}} = 20\ \mu\text{s}$$

$$i_L(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad \text{for } t > 0$$

$$i_L(t) = 0.36 e^{-50,000 t} \quad \text{for } t > 0$$

Equivalent Resistance seen by an Inductor

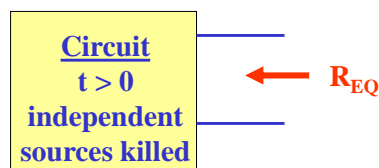
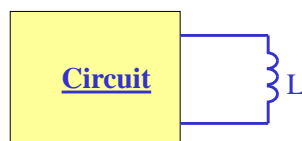
For the RL circuit in the previous example, it was determined that $\tau = L/R$. As with the RC circuit, the value of R should actually be the equivalent (or Thevenin) resistance seen by the inductor.

In general, a first-order RL circuit has the following time constant:

$$\tau = \frac{L}{R_{EQ}}$$

where

$$R_{EQ} = R \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{seen from the terminals of the inductor for } t > 0 \\ \text{with independent sources killed} \end{array} \right.$$

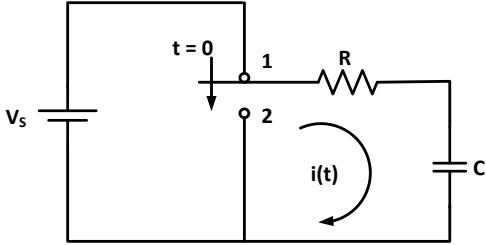


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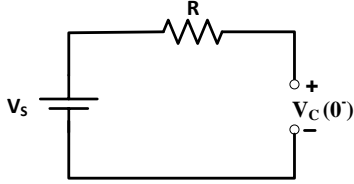
RC Circuits

Find $i(t)$ for $t > 0$

1) For $t < 0$; $t = 0^-$



Switch in position 1 and capacitor is open (DC or steady state)

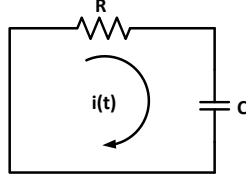
$$v_C(0^-) = V_S$$


Initial condition for voltage across the capacitor
(note cap is continuous voltage device, i.e voltage cannot change instantaneously)

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2) For $t > 0$

Switch in position 2, cap acts as voltage source



$$R i(t) + v_C(0^-) + \frac{1}{C} \int_{0^-}^t i(t) dt = 0 \quad , \quad t > 0$$

$$R \frac{di(t)}{dt} + \frac{1}{C} i(t) = 0$$

Homogeneous first order differential equation

$$\therefore i(t) = A e^{st} \quad t > 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad R A S e^{st} + \frac{1}{C} A e^{st} = 0$$

$$A e^{st} \left(RS + \frac{1}{C} \right) = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \therefore S = -\frac{1}{RC}$$

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$\therefore i(t) = A e^{-\frac{1}{RC}t} \quad t > 0$

let $\tau = RC = \text{time constant}$

$\therefore i(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t > 0$

To find A: $i(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t > 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad i(0^+) = A$

To find $i(0^+)$

at $t = 0^+ \rightarrow i(0^+) = -\frac{v_C(0^-)}{R} = -\frac{V_S}{R}$

$\therefore i(t) = -\frac{V}{R} e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}$

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Calculate $v_C(t)$ and $i(t)$ for $t > 0$

1) For $t < 0$; $t = 0^-$

$v_C(0^-) = \frac{3K}{3K + 6K} 12V = 4V$

2) For $t > 0$

KCL: $\frac{v_C(t)}{6K} + \frac{v_C(t)}{3K} + C \frac{dv_C(t)}{dt} = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{dv_C(t)}{dt} + 5v_C(t) = 0$

$\therefore v_C(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t > 0$

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$\tau = R_{eq} C$ $R_{eq} = 6K\Omega // 3K\Omega = 2K\Omega$ $C = 100 \mu\text{F}$ $\tau = R_{eq} C = 0.2 \text{ s}$ $v_C(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{0.2}} \quad t > 0$ <p><u>To find A:</u></p> $v_C(0^+) = A = v_C(0^-) = 4 \text{ V}$ $\therefore v_C(t) = 4 e^{-5t} \quad t > 0$	$i(t) = \frac{v_C(t)}{R_2}$ $i(t) = \frac{4}{3} e^{-5t} \text{ mA} \quad t > 0$
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Equivalent Resistance seen by a Capacitor

For the RC circuit in the previous example, it was determined that $\tau = RC$. But what value of R should be used in circuits with multiple resistors?

In general, a first-order RC circuit has the following time constant:

$\tau = R_{EQ} C$

where R_{eq} is the Thevenin resistance seen by the capacitor.

More specifically,

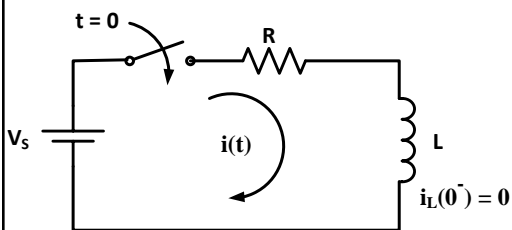
$R_{EQ} = R \Big|_{\substack{\text{seen from the terminals of the capacitor for } t > 0 \\ \text{with independent sources killed}}}$

The diagram illustrates the process of finding equivalent resistance. On the left, a yellow box labeled 'Circuit' is connected to a capacitor 'C'. On the right, a yellow box labeled 'Circuit t > 0 independent sources killed' has two terminals. A red arrow labeled 'R_{EQ}' points from the right towards these terminals, indicating the equivalent resistance seen from the capacitor's perspective.

The step response of RC and RL circuits:

The response of a circuit to the sudden application of a constant voltage or current source is referred to as the step response of the circuit.

The step response of an RL circuit



Find it for $t > 0$

KVL:

$$V_S = R i(t) + L \frac{di(t)}{dt} \quad t > 0$$

Nonhomogeneous first order differential equation

$$\therefore i(t) = i_n(t) + i_f(t)$$

$$i_n(t) \equiv \text{natural response}$$

$$i_f(t) \equiv \text{forced response}$$

To find $i_f(t)$

$$\text{Let } i_f(t) = k$$

$$V_S = R i(t) + L \frac{di(t)}{dt}$$

$$V_S = R K + L (0)$$

$$V_S = R K$$

$$\therefore K = \frac{V_S}{R} = i_f(t)$$

Now

$$i(t) = i_n(t) + i_f(t) \quad t > 0$$

$$i(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} + K \quad t > 0$$

$$\tau = \frac{L}{R}$$

$$i(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} + \frac{V_S}{R} \quad t > 0$$

To find A

$$i(t) = \frac{V_S}{R} + A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad \text{for } t > 0$$

$$i(0^+) = \frac{V_S}{R} + A$$

$$\text{But } i(0^+) = i_L(0^+) = i_L(0^-) = 0$$

$$\therefore A = -\frac{V_S}{R}$$

$$\therefore i(t) = \frac{V_S}{R} - \frac{V_S}{R} e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t \geq 0$$

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$$i(t) = \frac{V_S}{R} \left(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \right) \quad t \geq 0$$

t	i(t)
0	0
τ	$0.63 \frac{V_S}{R}$
2τ	$0.86 \frac{V_S}{R}$
3τ	$0.95 \frac{V_S}{R}$
4τ	$0.98 \frac{V_S}{R}$
5τ	$0.99326 \frac{V_S}{R}$

$\tau = \frac{L}{R}$

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Find $i(t)$ for $t > 0$

for $t > 0$

KCL:

$$I_S = i_R(t) + i(t) \quad t > 0$$

$$I_S = \frac{v(t)}{R} + i(t) \quad t > 0$$

$$v(t) = v_R(t) = v_L(t) = L \frac{di(t)}{dt}$$

$$I_S = \frac{L}{R} \frac{di(t)}{dt} + i(t) \quad t > 0$$
$$\therefore i(t) = i_n(t) + i_f(t)$$

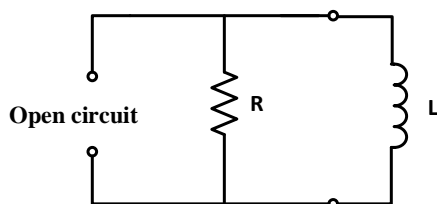
let $i_f(t) = K$

$$I_S = \frac{L}{R} * 0 + K$$

$$\therefore K = I_S = i_f(t)$$

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

R_{eq} = the thevenin resistor seen by the inductor



$$\therefore R_{eq} = R$$

$$i(t) = K + A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad ; t > 0$$

$$i(t) = I_S + A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad ; t > 0$$

To find A

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

$$i(0^+) = I_S + A = i_L(0^-) = 0$$

$$\therefore A = -I_S$$

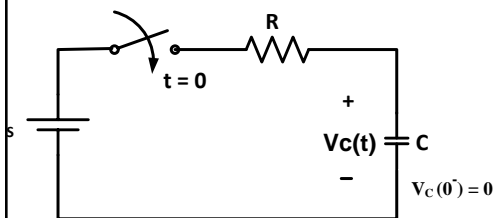
$$\therefore i(t) = i_n(t) + i_f(t) \quad ; t > 0$$

$$i(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} + I_S \quad ; t > 0$$

$$i(t) = -I_S e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} + I_S \quad ; t > 0$$

$$\therefore i(t) = I_S (1 - e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}) \quad ; t \geq 0$$

The step response of an RC circuit:

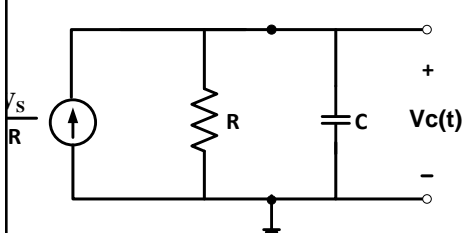


Find $v_C(t)$ for $t > 0$

KCL:

$$\frac{V_S}{R} = i_R(t) + i_C(t) \quad t > 0$$

for $t > 0$



$$\frac{V_S}{R} = \frac{v_C(t)}{R} + C \frac{dv_C(t)}{dt} \quad t > 0$$

$$\frac{V_S}{R} = \frac{v_C(t)}{R} + C \frac{dv_C(t)}{dt}$$

First order nonhomogeneous differential equation

$$\therefore v_C(t) = v_{cn}(t) + v_{cf}(t) \quad t > 0$$

$$v_C(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} + K$$

To find K

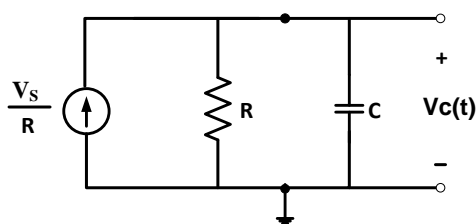
$$\frac{V_S}{R} = \frac{K}{R} + 0$$

$$\therefore K = V_S$$

$$\therefore v_C(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} + V_S \quad t > 0$$

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

$$R_{eq} = R$$



To find A

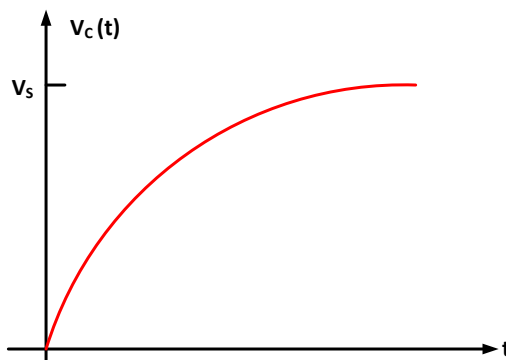
$$v_C(0^+) = V_C(0^-) = 0$$

$$v_C(0^+) = K + A = V_C(0^-) = 0$$

$$\therefore A = -K = -V_S$$

$$\therefore v_C(t) = V_S - V_S e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t \geq 0$$

$$v_C(t) = V_S \left(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}\right) \quad t \geq 0$$



General Solution

When all the independent sources are constant, the response of the first order circuit has the form

$$r(t) = r_n(t) + K \quad t > 0$$

$$r(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} + K \quad t > 0$$

$$r(\infty) = K$$

$$\therefore r(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} + r(\infty) \quad t > 0$$

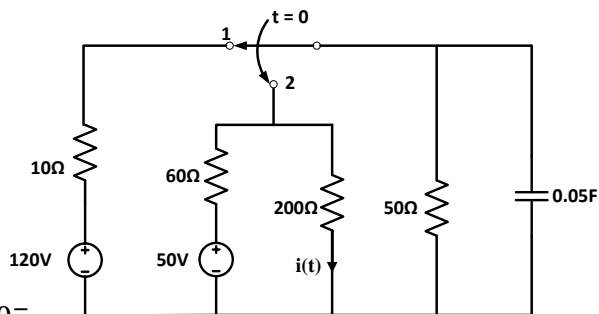
$$r(0^+) = A + r(\infty)$$

$$\therefore A = r(0^+) - r(\infty)$$

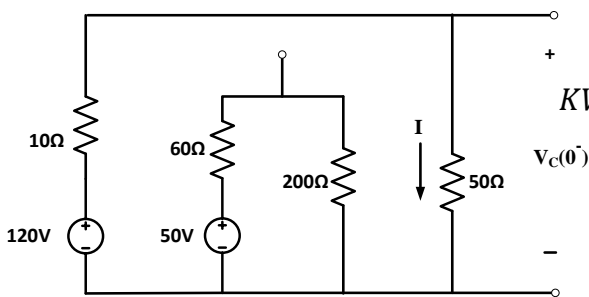
$$\therefore r(t) = r(\infty) + [r(0^+) - r(\infty)] e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t > 0$$

$$\tau = \frac{L}{R_{eq}} \quad \text{or} \quad \tau = R_{eq}C$$

Find $i(t)$ for $t > 0$



1) For $t < 0$; $t = 0^-$

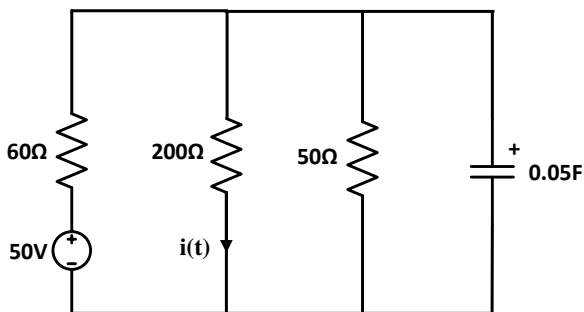


$$KVL: -120 + 10I + 50I = 0$$

$$\therefore I = 2A$$

$$v_C(0^-) = 50I = 100V$$

For $t > 0$

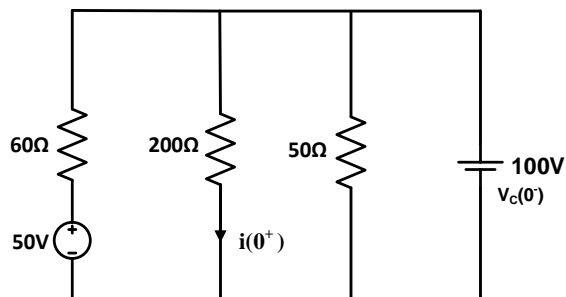


$$r(t) = r(\infty) + [r(0^+) - r(\infty)] e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t > 0$$

$$i(t) = i(\infty) + [i(0^+) - i(\infty)] e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t > 0$$

To find $i(0^+)$

at $t = 0^+$



$$i(0^+) = \frac{v_c(0^-)}{200} = \frac{100}{200} = 0.5 \text{ A}$$

To find $i(\infty)$

at $t = \infty$

$$i(\infty) = \frac{50}{50 + 200} I_s$$

$$I_s = \frac{50}{50\Omega // 200\Omega + 60\Omega} = 0.5 \text{ A}$$

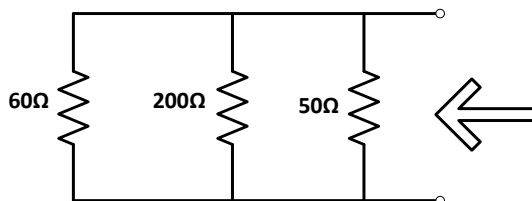
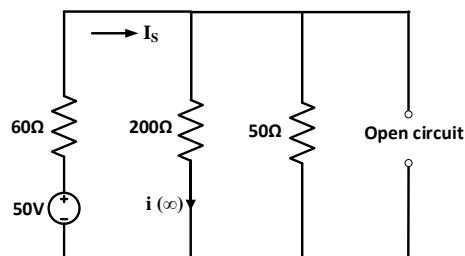
$$\therefore i(\infty) = 0.1 \text{ A}$$

To find τ

for $t > 0$

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

$$R_{eq} = R_{Th} \text{ seen by the capacitor}$$



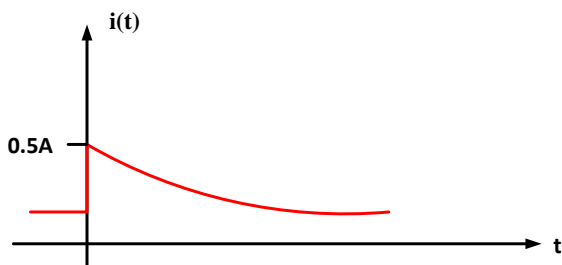
$$R_{Th} = 60\Omega // 200\Omega // 50\Omega$$

$$R_{Th} = 24\Omega$$

$$\tau = (0.5)(24) = 1.2\text{ s}$$

$$\therefore i(t) = (0.1 + 0.4 e^{-\frac{t}{1.2}}) \text{ A} \quad ; t > 0$$

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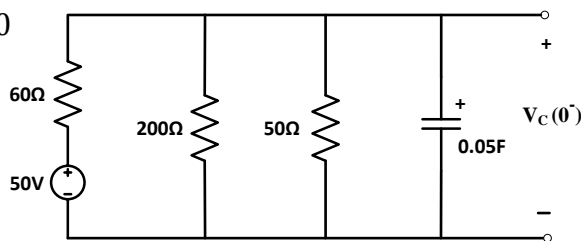


$$i(0^-) = 0.192 \text{ A}$$

$$i(0^+) = 0.5 \text{ A}$$

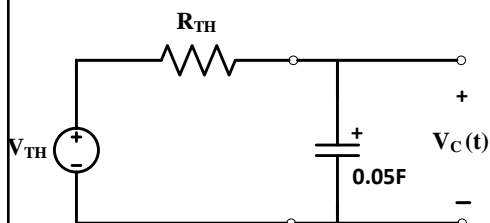
$$i(\infty) = 0.1 \text{ A}$$

To find $v_C(t)$ for $t > 0$



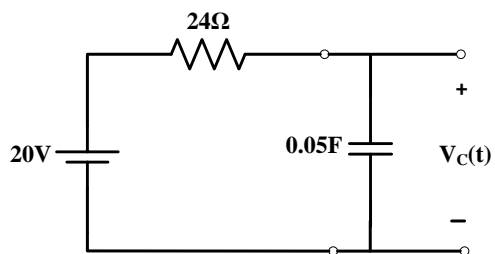
for $t > 0$

The circuit can be simplified to



$$R_{Th} = 60\Omega // 200\Omega // 50\Omega = 24\Omega$$

$$V_{Th} = \frac{50\Omega // 200\Omega}{50\Omega // 200\Omega + 60\Omega} \cdot 50 = 20\text{ V}$$

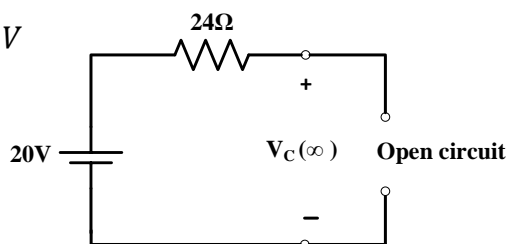


$$v_C(t) = v_C(\infty) + [v_C(0^+) - v_C(\infty)] e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t > 0$$

1) $v_C(0^+) = v_C(0^-) = 100 \text{ V}$

2) To find $v_C(\infty)$

$$\therefore v_C(\infty) = 20 \text{ V}$$



3) $\tau = R_{Th} C = 1.2 \text{ s}$

$$v_C(t) = 20 + (100 - 20) e^{-\frac{t}{1.2}} \text{ V} \quad t \geq 0$$

$$v_C(t) = (20 + 80 e^{-\frac{t}{1.2}}) \text{ V} \quad t \geq 0$$

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Find $v_o(t)$ for $t > 0$

For $t < 0$; $t = 0^-$

$i_A = \frac{12}{4} = 3A$

KVL:

$$-12 + 6 i_L(0^-) - 2i_A = 0$$

$$\therefore i_L(0^-) = 3A$$

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$v_o(t) = v_o(\infty) + [v_o(0^+) - v_o(\infty)] e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}$ $t > 0$

To find $v_o(0^+)$

$v_o(0^+) = (3A)(6\Omega) = 18V$

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To find $v_o(\infty)$

KVL for mesh 1 :

$$36 = 6I_1 - 4I_2$$

KVL for mesh 2 :

$$2i_A = -4I_1 + 10I_2$$

$$i_A = I_1 - I_2$$

solving for I_2 ; we get $I_2 = \frac{36}{8} A$

$$v_o(\infty) = (6 \Omega) \left(\frac{36}{8} A \right) = 27 V$$

To find $\tau = \frac{L}{R_{Th}}$

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To find R_{Th}

$$R_{Th} = \frac{V_{Th}}{I_{Sc}}$$

$V_{Th} = (4 \Omega) i_A + 2i_A = 6i_A$

$$i_A = \frac{36}{6} = 6 A$$

$\therefore V_{Th} = 36 V$

To find I_{Sc}

KVL for mesh 1:

$$36 = 6I_1 - 4I_2$$

KVL for mesh 2:

$$2i_A = -4I_1 + 10I_2$$

$$i_A = I_2 - I_1$$

$$\text{Solving for } I_2 = I_{SC} = \frac{36}{8} \text{ A}$$

$$\therefore R_{Th} = \frac{V_{Th}}{I_{SC}} = 8 \Omega$$

$$\therefore \tau = \frac{L}{R_{Th}} = \frac{3}{8} \text{ s}$$

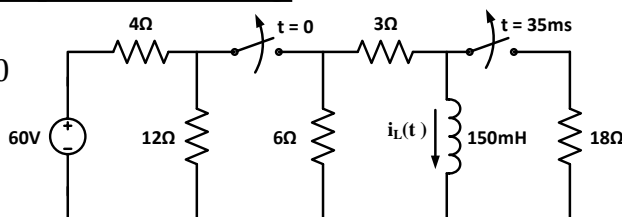
$$\therefore v_o(t) = v_o(\infty) + [v_o(0^+) - v_o(\infty)] e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t > 0$$

$$\therefore v_o(t) = 27 + [18 - 27] e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t > 0$$

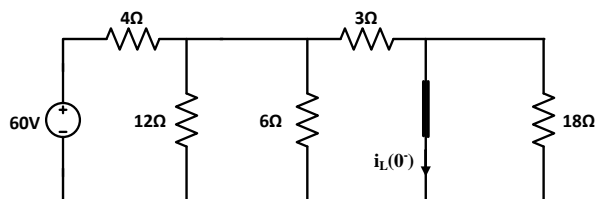
$$\therefore v_o(t) = (27 - 9 e^{-\frac{8}{3}t}) \text{ V} \quad \text{for } t > 0$$

Sequential Switching

Find $i_L(t)$ for $t > 0$



For $t < 0$; $t = 0^-$



$$i_L(0^-) = \frac{2}{2+3} * 15$$

$$i_L(0^-) = 6 \text{ A}$$

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2) For $35\text{ ms} \geq t \geq 0$

Source-free circuit

$$\therefore i_L(t) = A e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad , t \geq 0$$

$$\tau_1 = \frac{L}{R_{Th_1}}$$

$$R_{Th_1} = 18\ \Omega // (6\ \Omega + 3\ \Omega) = 6\ \Omega$$

$$\therefore \tau_1 = \frac{150\text{ mH}}{6\ \Omega} = 25\text{ ms}$$

To find A

$$i(0^+) = A = i_L(0^-) = 6\text{ A}$$

$$\therefore i_L(t) = 6 e^{-40t}\text{ A}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 35\text{ ms}$$

at $t = 35\text{ ms}$
 $i_L(35\text{ ms}) = 1.48\text{ A}$

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3) For $t > 35\text{ ms}$

Source-free circuit

$$\therefore i_L(t) = A e^{-\left(\frac{t-35\text{ms}}{\tau_2}\right)}$$

$$\tau_2 = \frac{L}{R_{Th_2}}$$

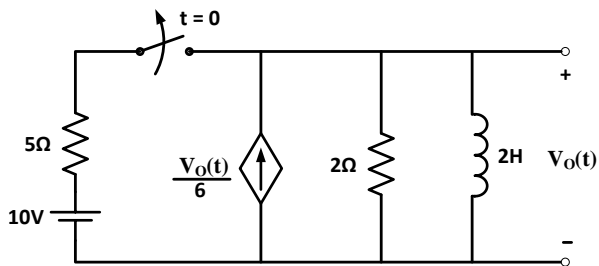
$$R_{Th_2} = 6\ \Omega + 3\ \Omega = 9\ \Omega$$

$$\therefore \tau_2 = 16.67\text{ ms}$$

$$\therefore i_L(t) = 1.48 e^{-\left(\frac{t-35\text{ms}}{16.67\text{ms}}\right)}$$

$$i_L(t) = (1.48 e^{-60(t-0.035)})\text{ A} \quad ; t > 35\text{ms}$$

Circuits with dependent sources

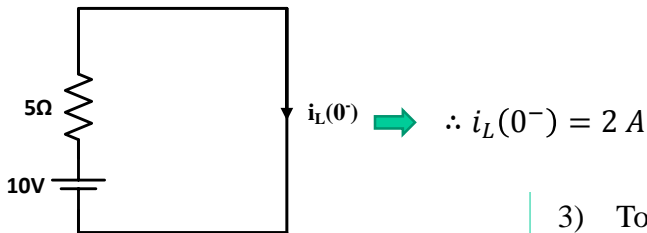
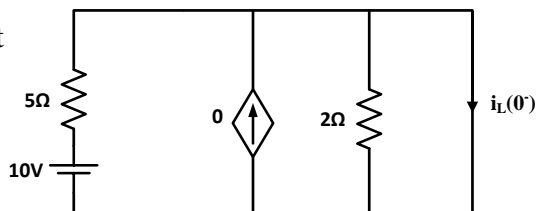


1) For $t < 0$; $t = 0^-$

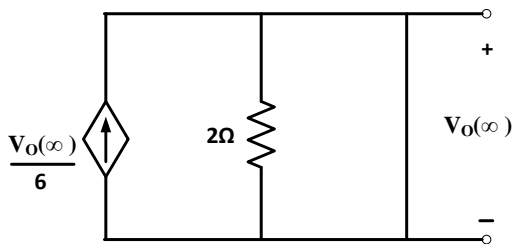
$\frac{v_o}{6} = 0$ Open circuit

$2\Omega // 0 = 0$ \rightarrow

$\rightarrow 2\Omega$ Open circuit



2) At $t = \infty$

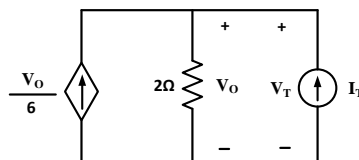


$\therefore v_o(\infty) = 0$

3) To find τ

$\tau = \frac{L}{R_{Th}}$

$R_{Th} = \frac{V_T}{I_T}$



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KCL:

$$\frac{v_O}{6} + I_T = \frac{v_O}{2}$$

$$v_O = v_T$$

$$\therefore \frac{V_T}{I_T} = 3\Omega = R_{Th}$$

$$\therefore \tau = \frac{L}{R_{Th}} = \frac{2}{3} \text{ s}$$

$$v_O(t) = v_O(\infty) + [v_O(0^+) - v_O(\infty)] e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad t > 0$$

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4) At $t = 0^+$

KCL:

$$\frac{v_O(0^+)}{6} = 2 + \frac{v_O(0^+)}{2}$$

$$\therefore v_O(0^+) = -6 \text{ V}$$

Now

$$v_O(t) = v_O(\infty) + [v_O(0^+) - v_O(\infty)] e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \quad ; t > 0$$

$$\therefore v_O(t) = -6 e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}} \text{ V} \quad ; t > 0$$

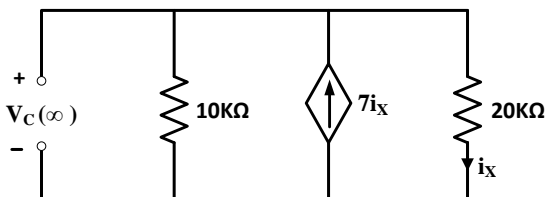
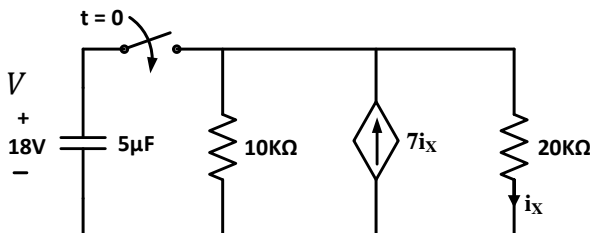
$$\therefore v_O(t) = -6 e^{-1.5t} \text{ V} \quad ; t > 0$$

Unbounded response

Find $v_C(t)$ for $t > 0$

$$v_C(0^+) = v_C(0^-) = 18 \text{ V}$$

1) To find $v_C(\infty)$



Since the circuit is dead

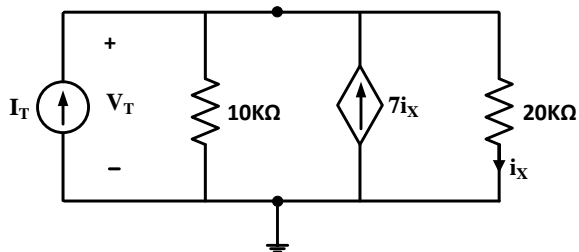
(no independent sources)

$$\therefore v_C(\infty) = 0$$

3) To find τ

$$\tau = R_{Th} C$$

$$R_{Th} = \frac{V_T}{I_T}$$



KCL:

$$I_T + 7i_x = \frac{V_T}{10K} + \frac{V_T}{20K}$$

$$i_x = \frac{V_T}{20K}$$

$$\therefore \frac{V_T}{I_T} = -5K = R_{Th} \quad **$$

$$\therefore \tau = R_{Th} C = -25 \text{ ms}$$

$$\therefore v_C(t) = 18 e^{+40t} \text{ V}$$

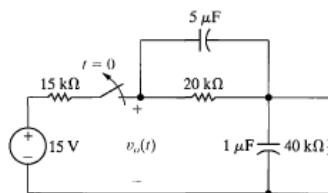
for $t \geq 0$

**Rth and is negative
which leads to
unbounded response
i.e. the output keeps
increasing**

Assessment 7.4

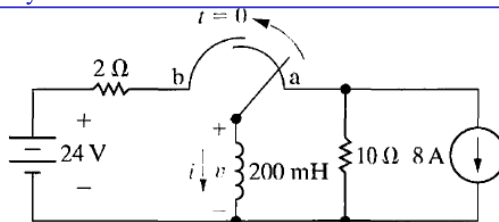
The switch in the circuit shown has been closed for a long time before being opened at $t = 0$.

Find $v_o(t)$ for $t > 0$.



Answer $8e^{-25t} + 4e^{-10t} \text{ V}$

Assessment 7.5



Assume that the switch in the circuit shown has been in position b for a long time, and at $t = 0$ it moves to position

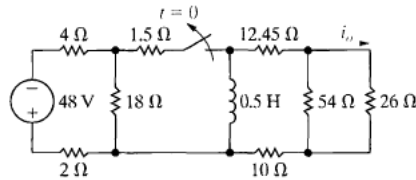
Find : $i(t), t > 0$; and $v(t), t > 0$..

Answer $-8 + 20e^{-50t} \text{ A}, t \geq 0$;
 $-200e^{-50t} \text{ V}, t \geq 0^+$.

Problem 7.6

The switch in the circuit has been closed a long time. At $t = 0$ it is opened.

Find $i_o(t)$ for $t > 0$.



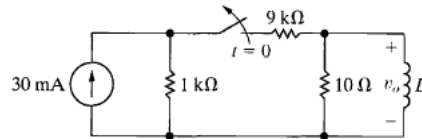
Answer

$$4.05e^{-80t} \text{ V}, \quad t \geq 0^+$$

Problem 7.10

In the circuit, the switch has been closed for a long time before opening at $t = 0$.

Find the value of L so that $v_o(t)$ equals to $0.5 v_o(0^+)$ when $t = 1 \text{ ms}$



Answer

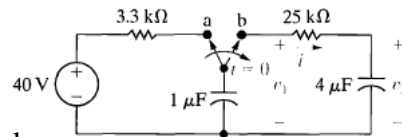
$$\therefore L = \frac{10 \times 10^{-3}}{\ln 2} = 14.43 \text{ mH}$$

Problem 7.23

The switch in the circuit has been in position a for a long time and $v_2 = 0 \text{ V}$. At $t = 0$, the switch is thrown to position b.

Calculate

i , v_1 and v_2 for $t > 0^+$.



Answer

$$i(t) = 1.6e^{-50t} \text{ mA}, \quad t \geq 0^+$$

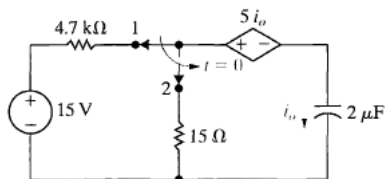
$$v_1(t) = 32e^{-50t} + 8 \text{ V}, \quad t \geq 0$$

$$v_2(t) = -8e^{-50t} + 8 \text{ V}, \quad t \geq 0$$

Problem 7.30

The switch in the circuit has been in position 1 for a long time before moving to position 2 at $t = 0$.

Find $i_o(t)$ for $t > 0^+$.



Answer

$$v_o = 15e^{-25,000t} \text{ V}, \quad t \geq 0$$

$$i_o = -\frac{v_o}{20} = -0.75e^{-25,000t} \text{ A}, \quad t \geq 0^+$$

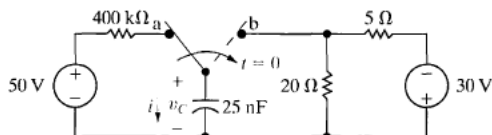
Problem 7.55

Assume that the switch in the circuit has been in position a for a long time and that at $t = 0$ it is moved to position b.

Find

(a) v_C , $t > 0$;

(b) i , $t > 0^+$.

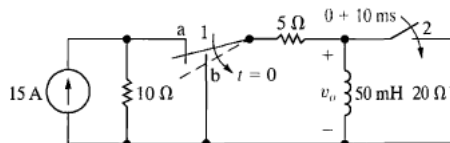


Answer

$$(a) -24 + 74e^{-10^7t} \text{ V}, \quad t \geq 0$$

$$(b) -18.5e^{-10^7t} \text{ A}, \quad t \geq 0^+$$

Problem 7.71



The action of the two switches in the circuit seen in is as follows.

For $t < 0$, switch 1 is in position a and switch 2 is open.

This state has existed for a long time.

At $t = 0$, switch 1 moves instantaneously from position a to position b, while switch 2 remains open. Ten milliseconds after switch 1 operates, switch 2 closes, remains closed for 10 ms and then opens.

Find $v_o(t)$ for $t > 20$ ms.

Answer
$$v_o = (50 \times 10^{-3})(-165)e^{-100(t-0.02)}$$

$$= -8.26e^{-100(t-0.02)} \text{ V}, \quad t > 20^+ \text{ ms}$$