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SECTION "A"  
[20Q.  $\times$  0.5 = 10 marks]

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- A damaged  $1500\ \Omega$  resistor in a radio circuit is to be replaced, but the available resistors with you are of  $1000\ \Omega$  only. For the replacement with  $1000\ \Omega$  resistors you would connect \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. three in parallel  
b. three in series  
c. two parallel and one series  
d. two in series and one in parallel
- In a resistor, the color coding is given as follows 1<sup>st</sup> band: brown, 2<sup>nd</sup> band : black , 3<sup>rd</sup> band :black, 4<sup>th</sup> band, tolerance in %: gold . What is the value of resistance?  
a.  $10\ \Omega$  1% tolerance  
b.  $100\ \Omega$  1%tolerance  
c.  $10\ \Omega$  5% tolerance  
d.  $100\ \Omega$  5%tolerance
- A good electric conductor is one that \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Has low conductance.  
b. Is always made of copper wire.  
c. Produces a minimum voltage drop.  
d. Has few electrons.
- The value of total resistance ( $R_T$ ) of the given Figure 1 is \_\_\_\_\_.  
a.  $4\ \Omega$   
b.  $6\ \Omega$   
c.  $8\ \Omega$   
d.  $10\ \Omega$

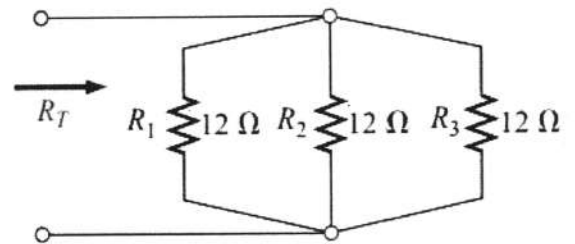


Figure 1

- The load resistance needed to extract maximum power from the circuit as shown in Figure 2 is \_\_\_\_\_ Ohm.  
a. 2 Ohm.  
b. 9 Ohm.  
c. 6 Ohm.  
d. 18 Ohm.

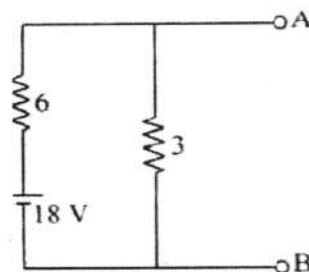


Figure 2

6. If the resistance of  $R_2$  of the circuit as shown in Figure 3 becomes open circuited then the reading of the voltmeter will be \_\_\_\_\_.
- Zero volts.
  - 150 volts.
  - 50 volts.
  - 200 volts.

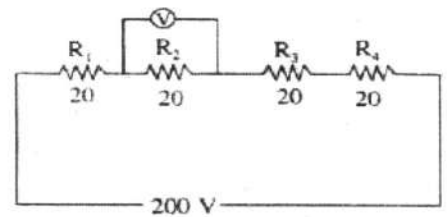


Figure 3

7. The voltage  $V_1$  for the network in Figure 4 is \_\_\_\_\_.

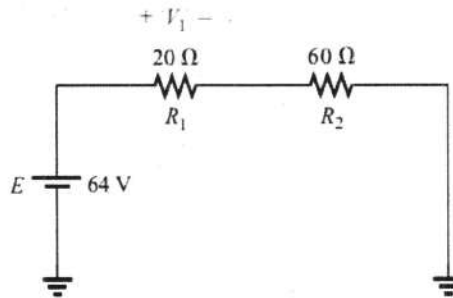


Figure 4

- 10V
  - 16V
  - 20V
  - 26V
8. The value of the Thevenin's voltage ( $V_{Th}$ ) for the shaded region in Figure 5 is \_\_\_\_\_.

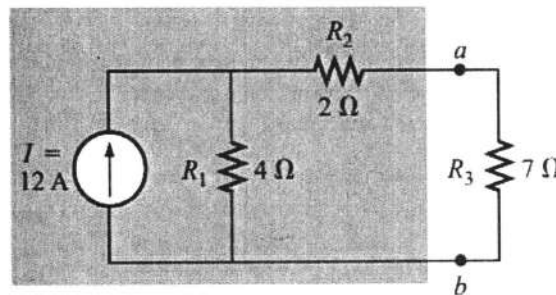


Figure 5

- 20 V
  - 32 V
  - 48 V
  - 56 V
9. Which of the following expression is valid for three phase power?
- $P_T = V_L I_L \cos\theta$
  - $P_T = 3V_L I_L \cos\theta$
  - $P_T = \sqrt{3}V_L I_L \cos\theta$
  - $P_T = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} V_L I_L \cos\theta$
10. If  $e_1 = A \sin\omega t$  and  $e_2 = B \sin(\omega t - \theta)$ , then \_\_\_\_\_.
- $e_1$  lags  $e_2$  by  $\theta$
  - $e_2$  lags  $e_1$  by  $\theta$
  - $e_2$  leads  $e_1$  by  $\theta$
  - $e_1$  is in phase with  $e_2$
11. An electrical load has a power factor of 0.8 lagging. It dissipates 8 KW at a voltage of 220 V. The impedance of this load in rectangular coordinates is \_\_\_\_\_.
- $3.2 - j2.4$
  - $3.2 + j2.4$
  - $4 + j3$
  - $4 - j3$

12. If a sinusoidal wave has frequency of 50 Hz with 30 A RMS current, which of the following equation represent this wave?  
 a.  $42.42 \sin 314 t$     b.  $60 \sin 25 t$     c.  $30 \sin 50t$     d.  $84.84 \sin 25t$
13. The reactance offered by a capacitor to an alternating current of frequency 50 Hz is  $20 \Omega$ . If frequency is increased to 100 Hz, then the reactance becomes \_\_\_\_\_ ohms.  
 a. 2.5    b. 5    c. 10    d. 15
14. The apparent power drawn by an AC circuit is 10kVA and active power is 8KW. The reactive power in the circuit is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a. 2 kVAR    b. 6 kVAR    c. 8 kVAR    d. 10 kVAR
15. The form and peak factor of the waveform as shown in Figure 6 will be \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a. 1.57 and 2 respectively  
 b. 2 and 1.57 respectively  
 c. 0 and 0  
 d. 0 and 1.11 respectively

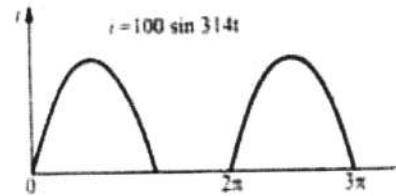


Figure 6

16. The voltages induced in the three windings of a 3 phase generator are \_\_\_\_\_ degree apart in time phase.  
 a. 120    b. 60    c. 90    d. 30
17. If the supply frequency of a transformer increases, the secondary output voltage of the transformer \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a. Increases    b. Decreases  
 c. Remain the same    d. Increases or decreases
18. An air gap is usually inserted in magnetic circuits to \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a. Increase MMF    b. Increase flux  
 c. Prevent saturation    d. Increase conductivity
19. A  $12 \Omega$  resistor, a  $40 \mu\text{F}$  capacitor and an 8 mH coil are in series across an ac source. The resonant frequency is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a. 25.1 Hz    b. 281 Hz    c. 2810 Hz    d. 300 Hz
20. The induction generators deliver power at \_\_\_\_\_ power factor.  
 a. Lagging    b. Leading    c. Unity    d. Zero



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SECTION "B"  
[4Q. × 10 = 40 marks]

- ✓ Attempt ANY FOUR questions.
- ✓ Assume any suitable data if necessary.
- ✓ Figures in margin indicate full marks for each questions.

1. a. Convert voltage sources of Figure 1 into current sources and  
i. Find the voltage  $V_{ab}$   
ii. Find the magnitude and direction of the current  $I$ . [5]

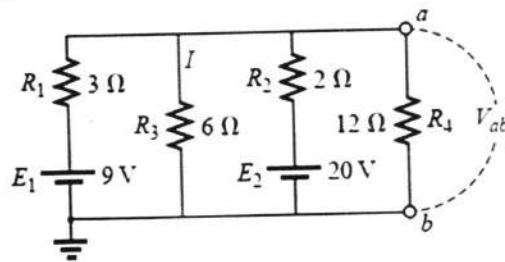


Figure 1

- b. Calculate the indicated currents ( $I_S, I_5$ ) and voltage ( $V_7$ ) of Figure 2 [5]

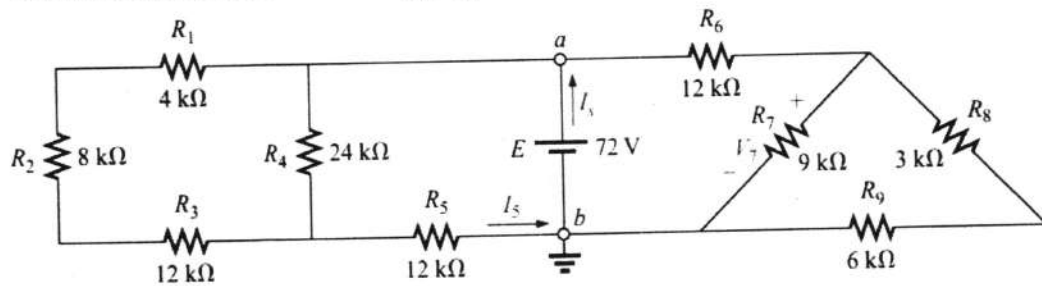


Figure 2

2. a. For the network shown in Figure 3, determine the Thevenin's equivalent circuit for the network external to the load resistance  $R_L$  [5]

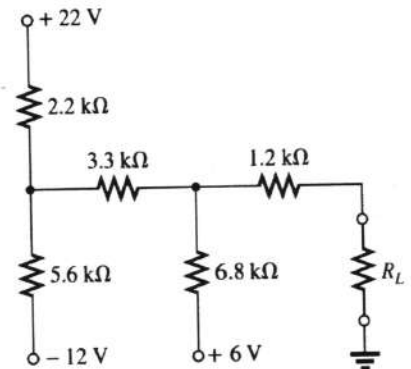


Figure 3

- b. Using superposition, find the current through  $R_1$  for each network in Figure 4. [5]

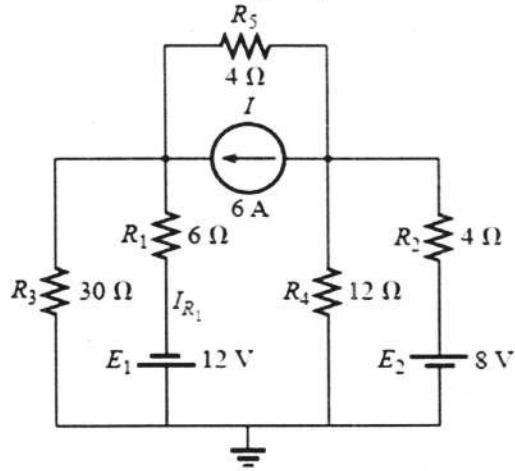


Figure 4

3. a. For the network in Figure 5 [5]
- Find the total impedance  $Z_T$ .
  - Determine the current  $I_S$ .
  - Calculate  $I_C$  using current divider rule.
  - Calculate  $V_L$  using voltage divider rule.

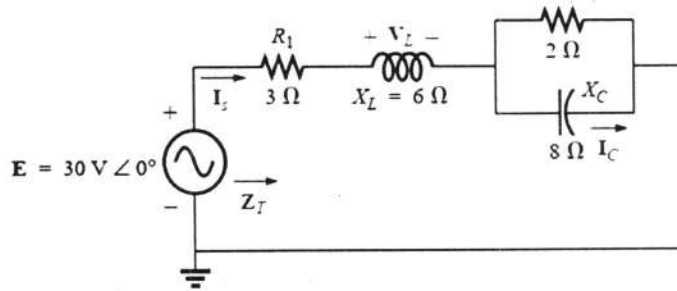


Figure 5

- b. Find the value of  $I$  required to establish a magnetic flux of  $\Phi = 0.75 \times 10^{-4}$  Wb in the series magnetic circuit of Figure 6. (Given  $H_{cast-steel} = 280 \text{ At/m}$ ) [5]

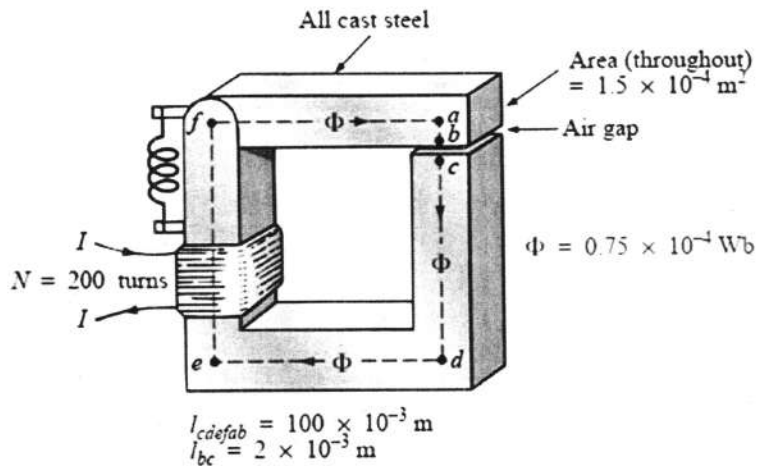


Figure 6

4. a. For the three-phase system of Figure 7: [5]
- Find the phase angles  $\theta_2$  and  $\theta_3$ .
  - Find the current in each phase of the load.
  - Find the magnitude of the line currents.

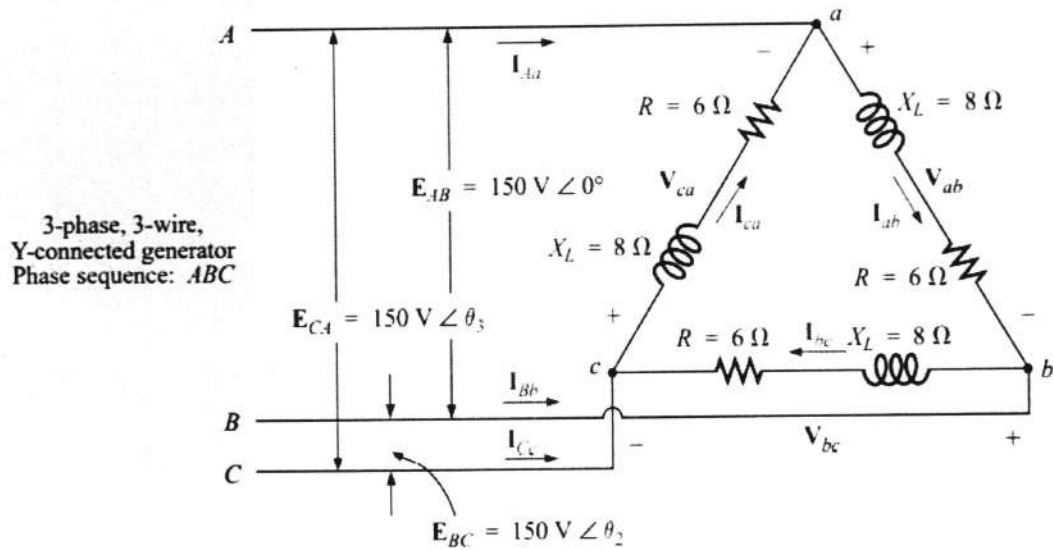


Figure 7

- b. Find the average and r.m.s value of the periodic waveform as shown in Figure 8. [5]

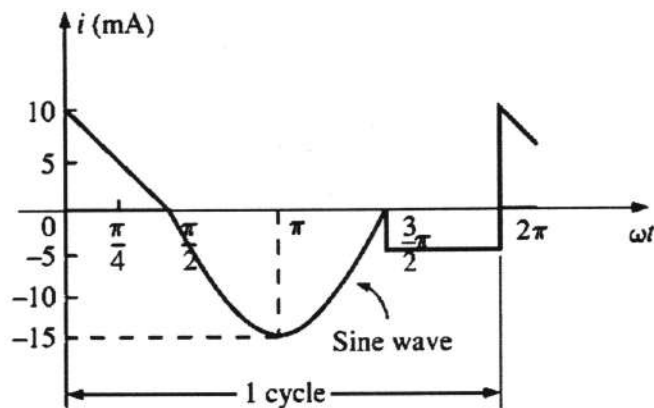


Figure 8

5. a. A series resonant circuit is having a resonant frequency of 6000 Hz and a Q of 15. Find
- Bandwidth [1]
  - Cutoff frequencies. [1]

If resistance of the circuit at resonance is  $3\Omega$  what are the values of

- $X_L$  and in Ohms [1]
- $X_C$  in Ohms [1]
- What is the power dissipated at the half-power frequencies if the maximum current flowing through the circuit is 0.5 A? [1]

b. Determine the voltages  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  of Figure 9 using the nodal analysis.

[5]

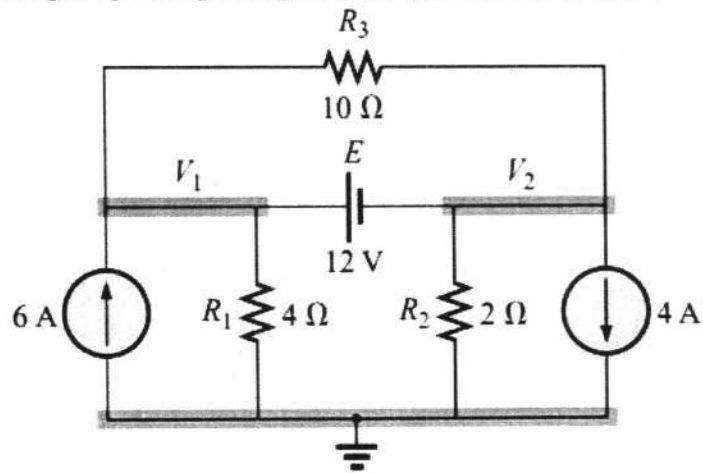


Figure 9