7.5 In the circuit of Fig. 7.79, the capacitor voltage just before t = 0 is:

(a) 
$$10 V$$
 (b)  $7 V$  (c)  $6 V$   
(d)  $4 V$  (e)  $0 V$ 

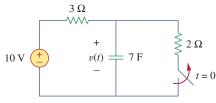


Figure 7.79

For Review Questions 7.5 and 7.6.

7.6 In the circuit in Fig. 7.79,  $v(\infty)$  is:

(a) 
$$10 V$$
 (b)  $7 V$  (c)

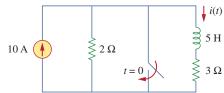
(d) 4 V (e) 0 V

7.7 For the circuit in Fig. 7.80, the inductor current just before t = 0 is:

6 V

(a) 8 A	(b) 6 A	(c) 4 A
(d) 2 A	(e) 0 A	





## Figure 7.80

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For Review Questions 7.7 and 7.8.

**7.8** In the circuit of Fig. 7.80,  $i(\infty)$  is:

(a) 10 A	(b) 6 A	(c) 4 A
(d) 2 A	(e) 0 A	

**7.9** If  $v_s$  changes from 2 V to 4 V at t = 0, we may express  $v_s$  as:

(a) $\delta(t)$ V	(b) $2u(t)$ V
(c) $2u(-t) + 4u(t)$ V	(d) $2 + 2u(t)$ V
(e) $4u(t) - 2$ V	

7.10 The pulse in Fig. 7.116(a) can be expressed in terms of singularity functions as:

(a) $2u(t) + 2u(t-1)$ V	(b) $2u(t) - 2u(t-1)$ V
(c) $2u(t) - 4u(t-1)$ V	(d) $2u(t) + 4u(t-1)$ V

Answers: 7.1d, 7.2b, 7.3c, 7.4b, 7.5d, 7.6a, 7.7c, 7.8e, 7.9c,d, 7.10b.

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## Section 7.2 The Source-Free RC Circuit

7.1 In the circuit shown in Fig. 7.81

$$v(t) = 56e^{-200t}$$
 V,  $t > 0$   
 $i(t) = 8e^{-200t}$  mA,  $t > 0$ 

- (a) Find the values of *R* and *C*.
- (b) Calculate the time constant  $\tau$ .
- (c) Determine the time required for the voltage to decay half its initial value at t = 0.

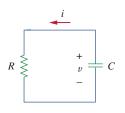
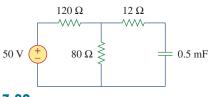


Figure 7.81 For Prob. 7.1.

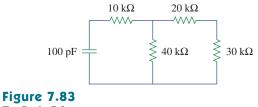
7.2 Find the time constant for the *RC* circuit in Fig. 7.82.



# Figure 7.82

For Prob. 7.2.

7.3 Determine the time constant for the circuit in Fig. 7.83.



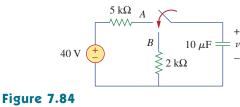
For Prob. 7.3.

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7.4 The switch in Fig. 7.84 has been in position A for a long time. Assume the switch moves instantaneously from A to B at t = 0. Find v for t > 0.

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For Prob. 7.4.

**7.5** Using Fig. 7.85, design a problem to help other **evod** students better understand source-free RC circuits.

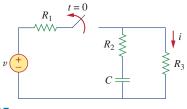
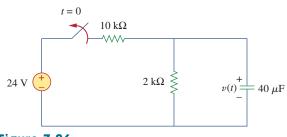


Figure 7.85

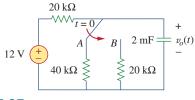
For Prob. 7.5.

**7.6** The switch in Fig. 7.86 has been closed for a long time, and it opens at t = 0. Find v(t) for  $t \ge 0$ .





7.7 Assuming that the switch in Fig. 7.87 has been in position *A* for a long time and is moved to position *B* at t = 0, find  $v_o(t)$  for  $t \ge 0$ .



**Figure 7.87** For Prob. 7.7.

7.8 For the circuit in Fig. 7.88, if

$$= 10e^{-4t}$$
 V and  $i = 0.2 e^{-4t}$ 

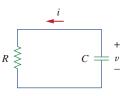
(a) Find R and C.

v

- (b) Determine the time constant.
- (c) Calculate the initial energy in the capacitor.
- (d) Obtain the time it takes to dissipate 50 percent of the initial energy.

t > 0

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**7.9** The switch in Fig. 7.89 opens at t = 0. Find  $v_o$  for t > 0.

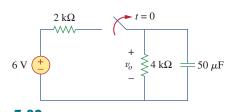


Figure 7.89 For Prob. 7.9.

> **7.10** For the circuit in Fig. 7.90, find  $v_o(t)$  for t > 0. Determine the time necessary for the capacitor voltage to decay to one-third of its value at t = 0.

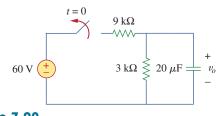


Figure 7.90 For Prob. 7.10.

## Section 7.3 The Source-Free RL Circuit

**7.11** For the circuit in Fig. 7.91, find  $i_0$  for t > 0.

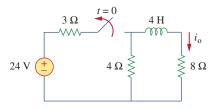
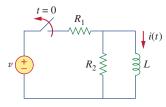


Figure 7.91 For Prob. 7.11.

7.12 Using Fig. 7.92, design a problem to help other e students better understand source-free RL circuits.



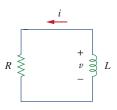
# Figure 7.92

For Prob. 7.12.

7.13 In the circuit of Fig. 7.93,

$$v(t) = 20e^{-10^3 t}$$
 V,  $t > 0$   
 $i(t) = 4e^{-10^3 t}$  mA,  $t > 0$ 

- (a) Find R, L, and  $\tau$ .
- (b) Calculate the energy dissipated in the resistance for 0 < t < 0.5 ms.



## Figure 7.93 For Prob. 7.13.

7.14 Calculate the time constant of the circuit in Fig. 7.94.

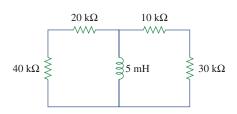
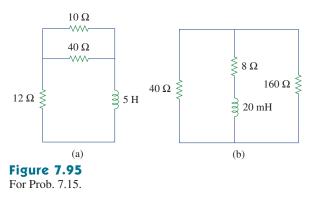


Figure 7.94 For Prob. 7.14.

- - 7.15 Find the time constant for each of the circuits in Fig. 7.95.



7.16 Determine the time constant for each of the circuits in Fig. 7.96.

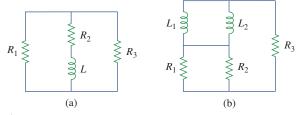
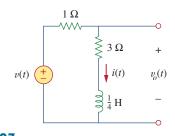


Figure 7.96 For Prob. 7.16.

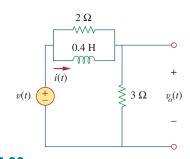
**7.17** Consider the circuit of Fig. 7.97. Find  $v_o(t)$  if i(0) = 2 A and v(t) = 0.



### Figure 7.97 For Prob. 7.17.

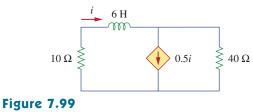
**7.18** For the circuit in Fig. 7.98, determine  $v_o(t)$  when

i(0) = 1 A and v(t) = 0.



### Figure 7.98 For Prob. 7.18.

**7.19** In the circuit of Fig. 7.99, find i(t) for t > 0 if i(0) = 2 A.





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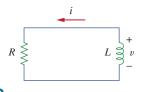
**7.20** For the circuit in Fig. 7.100,

 $v = 150e^{-50t} V$ 

and

$$i = 30e^{-50t} A, \quad t > 0$$

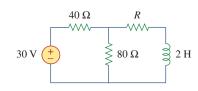
- (a) Find *L* and *R*.
- (b) Determine the time constant.
- (c) Calculate the initial energy in the inductor.
- (d) What fraction of the initial energy is dissipated in 10 ms?



# Figure 7.100

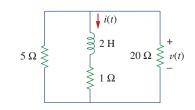
For Prob. 7.20.

7.21 In the circuit of Fig. 7.101, find the value of *R* forwhich the steady-state energy stored in the inductor will be 0.25 J.



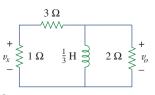
**Figure 7.101** For Prob. 7.21.

**7.22** Find i(t) and v(t) for t > 0 in the circuit of Fig. 7.102 if i(0) = 20 A.



**Figure 7.102** For Prob. 7.22.

**7.23** Consider the circuit in Fig. 7.103. Given that  $v_o(0) = 2$  V, find  $v_o$  and  $v_x$  for t > 0.



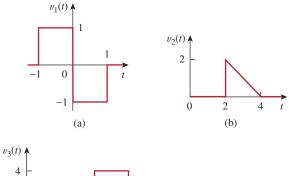
**Figure 7.103** For Prob. 7.23.

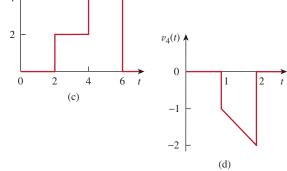
## Section 7.4 Singularity Functions

**7.24** Express the following signals in terms of singularity functions.

(a) 
$$v(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 0 \\ -5, & t > 0 \end{cases}$$
  
(b)  $i(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 1 \\ -10, & 1 < t < 3 \\ 10, & 3 < t < 5 \\ 0, & t > 5 \end{cases}$   
(c)  $x(t) = \begin{cases} t - 1, & 1 < t < 2 \\ 1, & 2 < t < 3 \\ 4 - t, & 3 < t < 4 \\ 0, & \text{Otherwise} \end{cases}$   
(d)  $y(t) = \begin{cases} 2, & t < 0 \\ -5, & 0 < t < 1 \\ 0, & t > 1 \end{cases}$ 

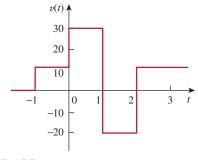
- **7.25** Design a problem to help other students better understand singularity functions.
  - **7.26** Express the signals in Fig. 7.104 in terms of singularity functions.





**Figure 7.104** For Prob. 7.26.

## **7.27** Express v(t) in Fig. 7.105 in terms of step functions.



# **Figure 7.105**

For Prob. 7.27.

7.28 Sketch the waveform represented by

$$i(t) = r(t) - r(t - 1) - u(t - 2) - r(t - 2) + r(t - 3) + u(t - 4)$$

7.29 Sketch the following functions:

(a) 
$$x(t) = 5e^{-t}u(t-1)$$
  
(b)  $y(t) = 20e^{-(t-1)}u(t)$   
(c)  $z(t) = 5\cos 4t\delta(t-1)$ 

7.30 Evaluate the following integrals involving the impulse functions:

(a) 
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} 4t^2 \delta(t-1) dt$$
  
(b) 
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} 4t^2 \cos 2\pi t \delta(t-0.5) dt$$

7.31 Evaluate the following integrals:

(a) 
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-4t^2} \delta(t-2) dt$$
  
(b) 
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} [5\delta(t) + e^{-t} \delta(t) + \cos 2\pi t \delta(t)] dt$$

7.32 Evaluate the following integrals:

(a) 
$$\int_{1}^{t} u(\lambda) d\lambda$$
  
(b) 
$$\int_{0}^{4} r(t-1) dt$$
  
(c) 
$$\int_{1}^{5} (t-6)^{2} \delta(t-2) dt$$

- 7.33 The voltage across a 10-mH inductor is  $20\delta(t-2)$  mV. Find the inductor current, assuming that the inductor is initially uncharged.
- 7.34 Evaluate the following derivatives:

(a) 
$$\frac{d}{dt}[u(t-1)u(t+1)]$$
  
(b) 
$$\frac{d}{dt}[r(t-6)u(t-2)]$$
  
(c) 
$$\frac{d}{dt}[\sin 4tu(t-3)]$$

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7.35 Find the solution to the following differential equations:

(a) 
$$\frac{dv}{dt} + 2v = 0$$
,  $v(0) = -1$  V  
(b)  $2\frac{di}{dt} - 3i = 0$ ,  $i(0) = 2$ 

7.36 Solve for v in the following differential equations, subject to the stated initial condition.

> (a) dv/dt + v = u(t), v(0) = 0(b) 2 dv/dt - v = 3u(t), v(0) = -6

7.37 A circuit is described by

$$4\frac{dv}{dt} + v = 10$$

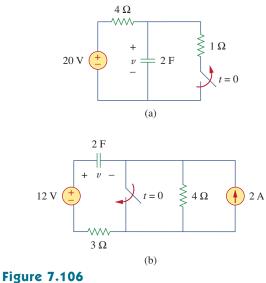
- (a) What is the time constant of the circuit?
- (b) What is  $v(\infty)$ , the final value of v?
- (c) If v(0) = 2, find v(t) for  $t \ge 0$ .
- 7.38 A circuit is described by

$$\frac{di}{dt} + 3i = 2u(t)$$

Find i(t) for t > 0 given that i(0) = 0.

## Section 7.5 Step Response of an RC Circuit

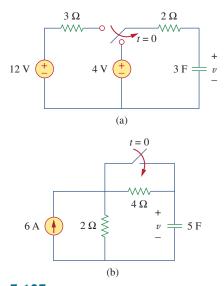
**7.39** Calculate the capacitor voltage for t < 0 and t > 0for each of the circuits in Fig. 7.106.



For Prob. 7.39.

**7.40** Find the capacitor voltage for t < 0 and t > 0 for each of the circuits in Fig. 7.107.

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7.41 Using Fig. 7.108, design a problem to help othere tudents better understand the step response of an *RC* circuit.

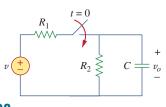


Figure 7.108 For Prob. 7.41.

- **7.42** (a) If the switch in Fig. 7.109 has been open for a long time and is closed at t = 0, find  $v_a(t)$ .
  - (b) Suppose that the switch has been closed for a long time and is opened at t = 0. Find  $v_o(t)$ .

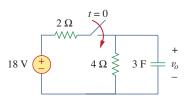
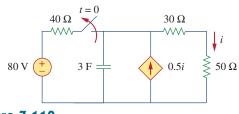


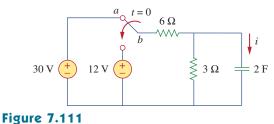
Figure 7.109 For Prob. 7.42.

**7.43** Consider the circuit in Fig. 7.110. Find i(t) for t < 0 and t > 0.



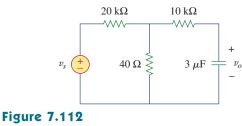
**Figure 7.110** For Prob. 7.43.

**7.44** The switch in Fig. 7.111 has been in position *a* for a long time. At t = 0, it moves to position *b*. Calculate i(t) for all t > 0.



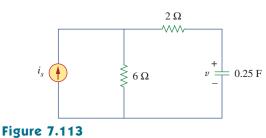
For Prob. 7.44.

**7.45** Find  $v_o$  in the circuit of Fig. 7.112 when  $v_s = 6u(t)$ . Assume that  $v_o(0) = 1$  V.



For Prob. 7.45.

**7.46** For the circuit in Fig. 7.113,  $i_s(t) = 5u(t)$ . Find v(t).



For Prob. 7.46.

**7.47** Determine v(t) for t > 0 in the circuit of Fig. 7.114 if v(0) = 0.

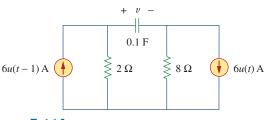
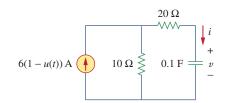


Figure 7.114 For Prob. 7.47.



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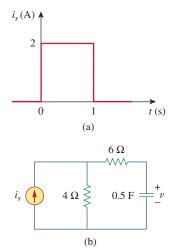
**7.48** Find v(t) and i(t) in the circuit of Fig. 7.115.



# Figure 7.115



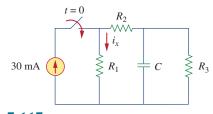
**7.49** If the waveform in Fig. 7.116(a) is applied to the circuit of Fig. 7.116(b), find v(t). Assume v(0) = 0.



# Figure 7.116

For Prob. 7.49 and Review Question 7.10.

\*7.50 In the circuit of Fig. 7.117, find  $i_x$  for t > 0. Let  $R_1 = R_2 = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $R_3 = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$ , and C = 0.25 mF.



### **Figure 7.117** For Prob. 7.50.

## Section 7.6 Step Response of an RL Circuit

- **7.51** Rather than applying the short-cut technique used in Section 7.6, use KVL to obtain Eq. (7.60).
- **7.52** Using Fig. 7.118, design a problem to help other students better understand the step response of an *RL* circuit.

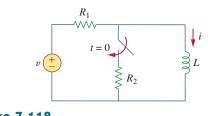


Figure 7.118 For Prob. 7.52.

**7.53** Determine the inductor current i(t) for both t < 0 and t > 0 for each of the circuits in Fig. 7.119.

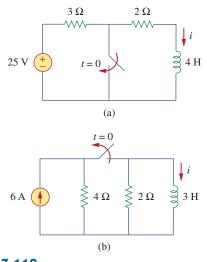
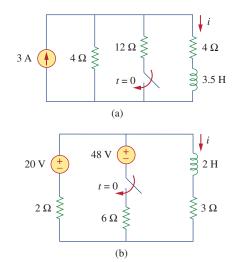


Figure 7.119 For Prob. 7.53.

**7.54** Obtain the inductor current for both t < 0 and t > 0 in each of the circuits in Fig. 7.120.



**Figure 7.120** For Prob. 7.54.

<sup>\*</sup> An asterisk indicates a challenging problem.

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**7.55** Find v(t) for t < 0 and t > 0 in the circuit of Fig. 7.121.

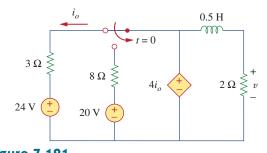
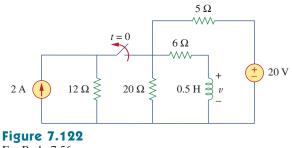


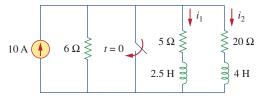
Figure 7.121 For Prob. 7.55.

**7.56** For the network shown in Fig. 7.122, find v(t) for t > 0.



For Prob. 7.56.

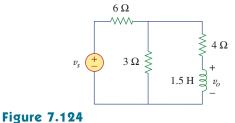
\*7.57 Find  $i_1(t)$  and  $i_2(t)$  for t > 0 in the circuit of Fig. 7.123.



**Figure 7.123** 

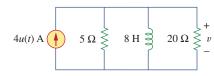
For Prob. 7.57.

- **7.58** Rework Prob. 7.17 if i(0) = 10 A and v(t) = 20u(t) V.
- **7.59** Determine the step response  $v_o(t)$  to  $v_s = 9u(t)$  V in the circuit of Fig. 7.124.



For Prob. 7.59.

**7.60** Find v(t) for t > 0 in the circuit of Fig. 7.125 if the initial current in the inductor is zero.

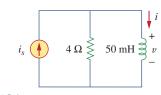


# Figure 7.125

For Prob. 7.60.

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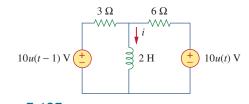
**7.61** In the circuit of Fig. 7.126,  $i_s$  changes from 5 A to 10 A at t = 0; that is,  $i_s = (5 + 5u(t))$  A. Find v and i.



# Figure 7.126

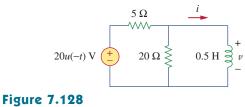
For Prob. 7.61.

**7.62** For the circuit in Fig. 7.127, calculate i(t) if i(0) = 0.



**Figure 7.127** For Prob. 7.62.

**7.63** Obtain v(t) and i(t) in the circuit of Fig. 7.128.



For Prob. 7.63.

**7.64** Find  $v_o(t)$  for t > 0 in the circuit of Fig. 7.129.

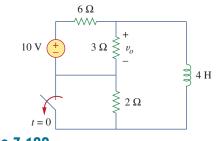
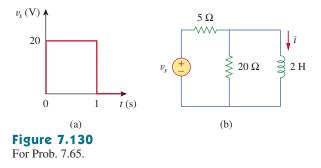


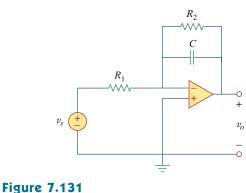
Figure 7.129 For Prob. 7.64.

**7.65** If the input pulse in Fig. 7.130(a) is applied to the circuit in Fig. 7.130(b), determine the response i(t).



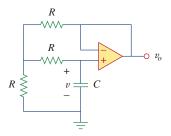
## Section 7.7 First-order Op Amp Circuits

**7.66** Using Fig. 7.131, design a problem to help other students better understand first-order op amp circuits.

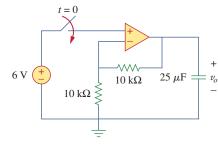




**7.67** If v(0) = 10 V, find  $v_o(t)$  for t > 0 in the op amp circuit of Fig. 7.132. Let R = 10 k $\Omega$  and  $C = 1 \mu$ F.





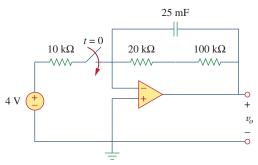


# Figure 7.133

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For Prob. 7.68.

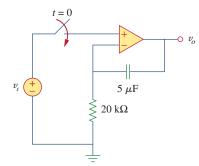
**7.69** For the op amp circuit in Fig. 7.134, find  $v_o(t)$  for t > 0.



## **Figure 7.134**

## For Prob. 7.69.

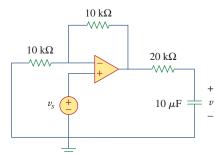
**7.70** Determine  $v_o$  for t > 0 when  $v_s = 20$  mV in the op amp circuit of Fig. 7.135.



# Figure 7.135

# For Prob. 7.70.

**7.71** For the op amp circuit in Fig. 7.136, suppose  $v_0 = 0$  and  $v_s = 3$  V. Find v(t) for t > 0.



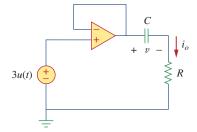
**Figure 7.136** For Prob. 7.71.

**7.68** Obtain  $v_o$  for t > 0 in the circuit of Fig. 7.133.

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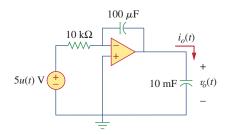
**7.72** Find  $i_o$  in the op amp circuit in Fig. 7.137. Assume that v(0) = -2 V,  $R = 10 \text{ k}\Omega$ , and  $C = 10 \mu\text{F}$ .



## Figure 7.137

For Prob. 7.72.

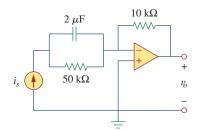
**7.73** For the circuit shown in Fig. 7.138, solve for  $i_o(t)$ .



# Figure 7.138

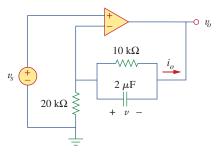
For Prob. 7.73.

**7.74** Determine  $v_o(t)$  for t > 0 in the circuit of Fig. 7.139. Let  $i_s = 10u(t) \mu A$  and assume that the capacitor is initially uncharged.



# Figure 7.139

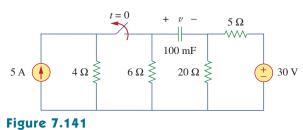
- For Prob. 7.74.
  - **7.75** In the circuit of Fig. 7.140, find  $v_o$  and  $i_o$ , given that  $v_s = 4u(t)$  V and v(0) = 1 V.



**Figure 7.140** For Prob. 7.75.

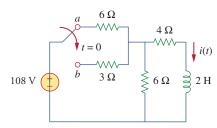
# Section 7.8 Transient Analysis with *PSpice*

- 7.76 Repeat Prob. 7.49 using *PSpice*.
- 7.77 The switch in Fig. 7.141 opens at t = 0. Use *PSpice* to determine v(t) for t > 0.



# For Prob. 7.77.

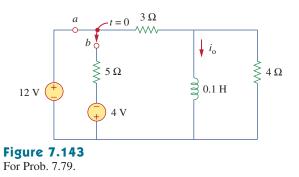
**7.78** The switch in Fig. 7.142 moves from position *a* to *b* at t = 0. Use *PSpice* to find i(t) for t > 0.



## Figure 7.142

For Prob. 7.78.

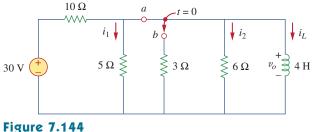
**7.79** In the circuit of Fig. 7.143, the switch has been in position *a* for a long time but moves instantaneously to position *b* at t = 0. Determine  $i_o(t)$ .



**7.80** In the circuit of Fig. 7.144, assume that the switch has been in position *a* for a long time, find:

(a) *i*<sub>1</sub>(0), *i*<sub>2</sub> (0), and *v<sub>o</sub>*(0)
(b) *i<sub>L</sub>*(*t*)
(c) *i*<sub>1</sub>(∞), *i*<sub>2</sub>(∞), and *v<sub>o</sub>*(∞).



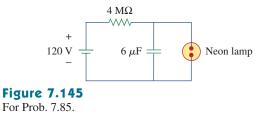


For Prob. 7.80.

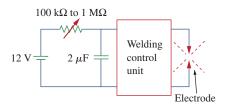
7.81 Repeat Prob. 7.65 using PSpice.

#### Section 7.9 Applications

- **7.82** In designing a signal-switching circuit, it was found that a  $100-\mu$ F capacitor was needed for a time constant of 3 ms. What value resistor is necessary for the circuit?
- 7.83 An RC circuit consists of a series connection of a
- **eCol** 120-V source, a switch, a 34-M $\Omega$  resistor, and a 15- $\mu$ F capacitor. The circuit is used in estimating the speed of a horse running a 4-km racetrack. The switch closes when the horse begins and opens when the horse crosses the finish line. Assuming that the capacitor charges to 85.6 V, calculate the speed of the horse.
- **7.84** The resistance of a 160-mH coil is 8  $\Omega$ . Find the time required for the current to build up to 60 percent of its final value when voltage is applied to the coil.
- 7.85 A simple relaxation oscillator circuit is shown in
- Fig. 7.145. The neon lamp fires when its voltage reaches 75 V and turns off when its voltage drops to 30 V. Its resistance is  $120 \Omega$  when on and infinitely high when off.
  - (a) For how long is the lamp on each time the capacitor discharges?
  - (b) What is the time interval between light flashes?



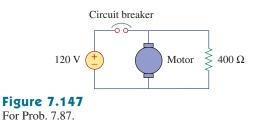
7.86 Figure 7.146 shows a circuit for setting the length of time voltage is applied to the electrodes of a welding machine. The time is taken as how long it takes the capacitor to charge from 0 to 8 V. What is the time range covered by the variable resistor?



#### **Figure 7.146** For Prob. 7.86.

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7.87 A 120-V dc generator energizes a motor whose coil
has an inductance of 50 H and a resistance of 100 Ω. A field discharge resistor of 400 Ω is connected in parallel with the motor to avoid damage to the motor, as shown in Fig. 7.147. The system is at steady state. Find the current through the discharge resistor 100 ms after the breaker is tripped.

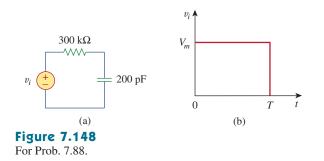


# **Comprehensive** Problems

**7.88** The circuit in Fig. 7.148(a) can be designed as an approximate differentiator or an integrator, depending on whether the output is taken across the resistor or the capacitor, and also on the time constant  $\tau = RC$  of the circuit and the width *T* of the input pulse in Fig. 7.148(b). The circuit is a differentiator if  $\tau \ll T$ , say  $\tau < 0.1T$ , or an integrator if  $\tau \gg T$ , say  $\tau > 10T$ .

- (a) What is the minimum pulse width that will allow a differentiator output to appear across the capacitor?
- (b) If the output is to be an integrated form of the input, what is the maximum value the pulse width can assume?

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- **7.89** An *RL* circuit may be used as a differentiator if the output is taken across the inductor and  $\tau \ll T$  (say  $\tau < 0.1T$ ), where *T* is the width of the input pulse. If *R* is fixed at 200 k $\Omega$ , determine the maximum value of *L* required to differentiate a pulse with  $T = 10 \ \mu$ s.
- **7.90** An attenuator probe employed with oscilloscopes was designed to reduce the magnitude of the input voltage  $v_i$  by a factor of 10. As shown in Fig. 7.149, the oscilloscope has internal resistance  $R_s$  and capacitance  $C_s$ , while the probe has an internal resistance  $R_p$ . If  $R_p$  is fixed at 6 M $\Omega$ , find  $R_s$  and  $C_s$ for the circuit to have a time constant of 15  $\mu$ s.

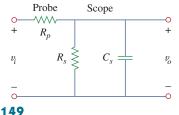
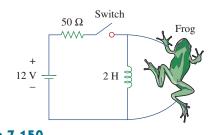


Figure 7.149 For Prob. 7.90.

7.91 The circuit in Fig. 7.150 is used by a biology studentto study "frog kick." She noticed that the frog kicked a little when the switch was closed but kicked violently for 5 s when the switch was opened. Model the frog as a resistor and calculate its resistance. Assume that it takes 10 mA for the frog to kick violently.



**Figure 7.150** For Prob. 7.91.

**7.92** To move a spot of a cathode-ray tube across the screen requires a linear increase in the voltage across the deflection plates, as shown in Fig. 7.151. Given that the capacitance of the plates is 4 nF, sketch the current flowing through the plates.

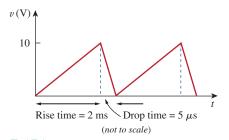


Figure 7.151 For Prob. 7.92.

