

**PROBLEMS YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO DO  
BEFORE YOU TAKE ECE 207**

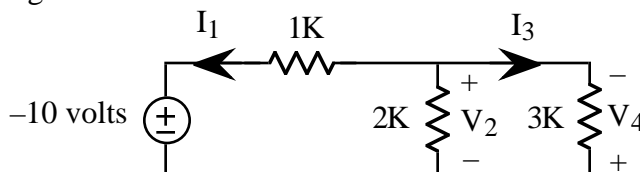
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1. Sketch each of the following functions for  $t \geq 0$

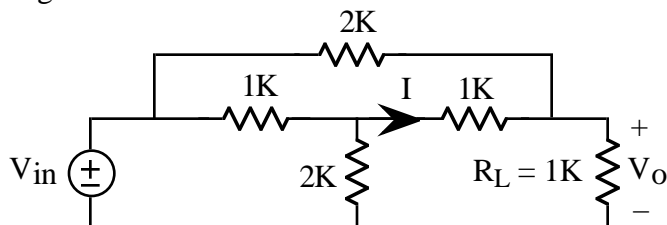
- a.  $x(t) = 1 - e^{-t}$
- b.  $x(t) = 2 - e^{-t}$
- c.  $x(t) = 2 \cos 10t$
- d.  $x(t) = 2 \cos (10t - \pi/4)$
- e.  $x(t) = 1 + 2 \cos (10t - \pi/4)$

2. Given the following circuit



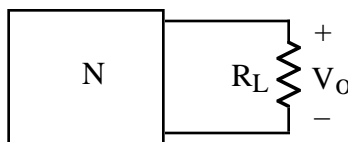
- a. Find  $I_1$ ,  $V_2$ ,  $I_3$  and  $V_4$
- b. Explain how the choice of reference directions affects
  - (i) What's going on inside the circuit
  - (ii) The values of the voltages and currents

3. Given the following circuit



- a. Write and put in matrix the node equations
- b. Solve your equations in part (a) for the node voltages and then use the results to calculate  $I$  for  $V_{in} = 5$  volts
- c. Find the power being supplied by the source  $V_{in}$  and the power being received by the load  $R_L$  if  $V_{in} = 5$  volts
- d. Find  $R_{eq}$  as seen by the source  $V_{in}$
- e. Find the transfer function  $G = V_O/V_{in}$ . Then make use of your result to find  $V_O$  if  $V_{in} = 5$  volts. Make sure you get the same result as in part (b)
- f. Find and draw the Thevenin Equivalent as seen by  $R_L$  if  $V_{in} = 5$  volts
- g. Make use of your Thevenin Equivalent circuit in part (f) to find  $V_O$ . Make sure you get the same results as in parts (b) and (e)
- h. Make use of SPICE to check your result for  $V_O$

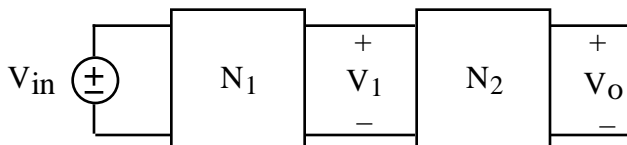
4. Given the following circuit



with open circuit voltage  $V_{OC} = -10$  volts

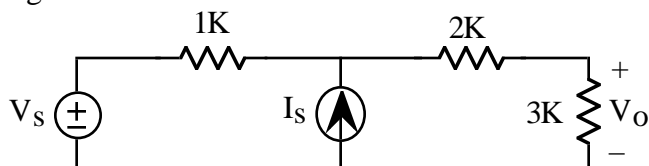
- Sketch  $V_O$  as a function of  $R_L$ . Describe your curve. Then explain why it looks the way it does
- Sketch  $V_O$  as a function of  $R_{TH}$  of N if  $R_L = 1K$ . Describe your curve. Then explain why it looks the way it does

5. Under what circumstances does the overall voltage gain  $G = V_O/V_{in}$  of the following cascade circuit



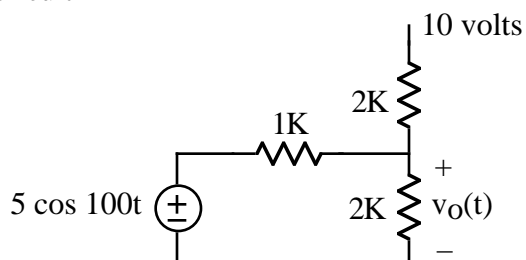
equal the product of the open circuit voltage gains of the individual sections. Explain why

6. Given the following circuit



make use of superposition to find  $V_O$  as a function of  $V_S$  and  $I_S$

7. Given the following circuit



- Find and sketch  $v_O(t)$
- Use SPICE to obtain a plot of  $v_O(t)$