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**Question Paper Code: R3403**

B.E./B.Tech. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOV 2024

Third Semester

Electronics and Communication Engineering

R21UEC303 – CIRCUIT THEORY

(Regulations R2021)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

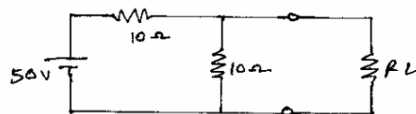
Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (5 x 1 = 5 Marks)

- The path between two nodes is a \_\_\_\_\_ CO1-U  
(a) Branch (b) Node (c) Tree (d) Co-tree
- When the superposition theorem is applied to any circuit, the dependent voltage source in that circuit is always? CO1-U  
(a) Opened (b) Shorted (c) Active (d) None of the above
- What is the phase angle of a series RLC circuit at resonance? CO1-U  
(a) Zero (b)  $90^\circ$  (c)  $45^\circ$  (d)  $30^\circ$
- The time constant of a series RC circuit is \_\_\_\_\_ CO1-U  
(a)  $1/RC$  (b)  $R/C$  (c)  $RC$  (d)  $e^{-RC}$
- The number of possible combination generated by four variables taken two at a time in a two-port network is \_\_\_\_\_ CO1-U  
(a) four (b) two (c) six (d) None of the above

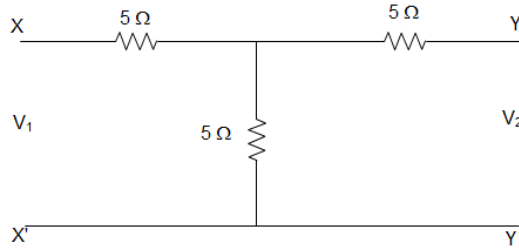
PART – B (5 x 3 = 15 Marks)

- State Kirchhoff's Laws. CO1-U
- Calculate the value of load resistance, so that maximum power is transferred CO3 -App



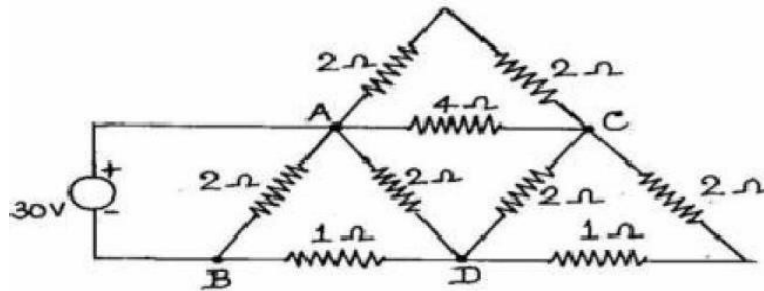
from battery.

8. What is resonant frequency and bandwidth of series RLC circuit? Given that  $R=5\Omega$ ,  $L=40\text{mH}$ ,  $C=1\mu\text{F}$ . CO4 -App
9. Write the expression for transient current for series RL and RC circuits. CO1 -U
10. Determine the value of the hybrid parameter  $h_{21}$  in the circuit given below. CO6-App



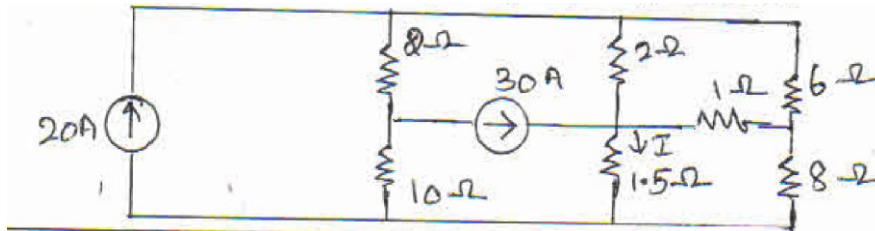
PART – C (5 x 16= 80 Marks)

11. (a) Interpret the current delivered by the source shown in the circuit below. CO2 - App (16)

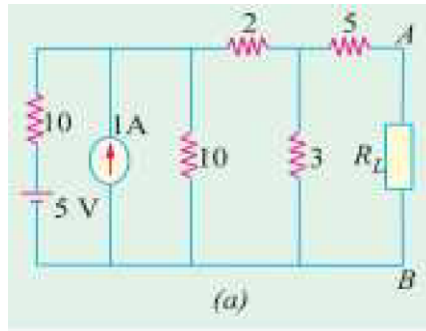


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- (b) Determine the current  $I$  in the circuit by using loop analysis method CO2 - App (16)

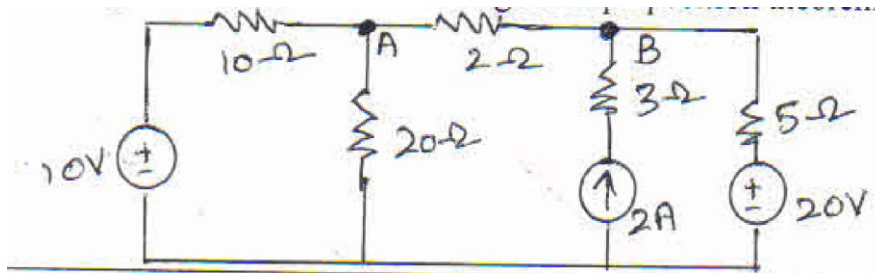


12. (a) In the circuit shown in the figure obtain the condition from maximum power transfer to the load  $R_L$ . Hence determine the maximum power transferred. CO3 - App (16)



Or

- (b) Find the voltage across the  $2\Omega$  resistor using the superposition theorem CO3 - App (16) theorem



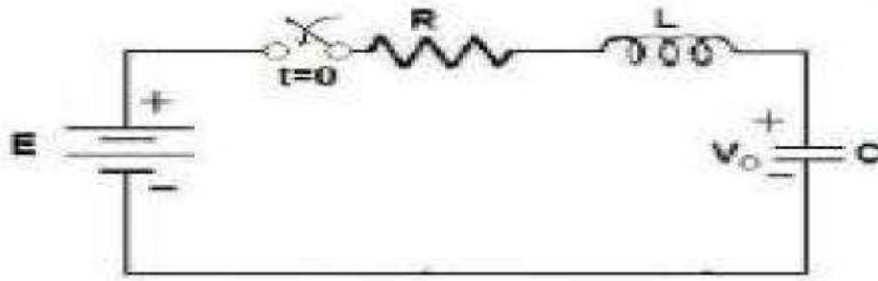
13. (a) A series RLC circuit has  $R=20\text{ ohm}$ ,  $L= 0.005H$  and  $C = 0.2 \times 10^{-6} F$ . It is fed from a  $100V$  variable frequency source. Find (i) frequency at which current is maximum (ii) impedance at this frequency and (iii) voltage across inductance at this frequency. CO4 - App (16)

Or

- (b) Derive bandwidth for a series RLC circuit as a function of resonant frequency. CO4 - App (16)
14. (a) A series RL circuit with  $R= 100\Omega$  and  $L = 20H$  has a DC voltage of  $200v$  applied through a switch at  $t=0$ . Find (a) the equation for the current and voltage across the different elements. (b) Analyze the current at  $t = 0.5$  secs and the current at  $t = 1$  sec. CO5 - Ana (16)

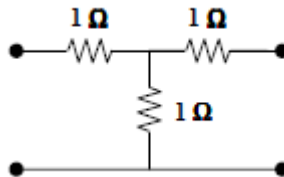
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- (b) A step voltage  $V(t) = 100 u(t)$  is applied to a series RLC circuit with  $L=10H$ ,  $R=2\text{ohm}$  and  $C=5F$ . The initial current in the circuit is zero but there is an initial voltage of  $50V$  on the capacitor in a direction which opposes the applied source. Find the expression for the current in the circuit. If the initial voltage is  $100V$  what will be the change in current. CO5 - Ana (16)

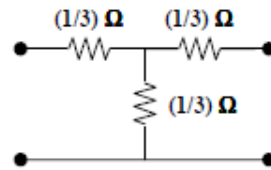


15. (a) Determine the Z parameter of the given circuit. (8)

CO6- App (16)



Determine the Y parameter of the given circuit. (8)



Or

(b) Determine the Z parameter of the two port circuit show in the figure. CO6- App (16)

