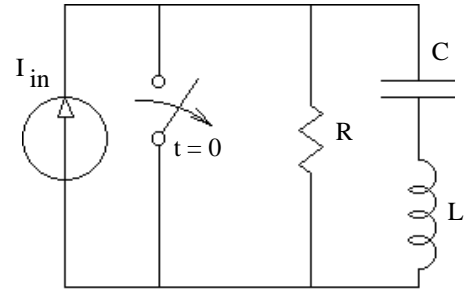


4. In the circuit shown, when the switch is opened, the current I_{in} (current source) is forced to flow through the circuit.

a) Write a differential equation for i_L . Hint: use LaPlace impedance method.

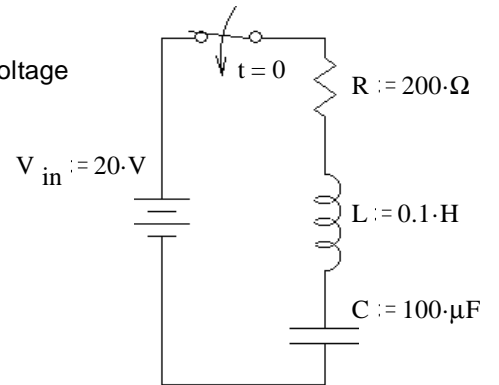


b) Write a differential equation for v_C .

c) Find the characteristic equation for the circuit shown.

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1. A series RLC circuit with $R = 200 \Omega$, $L = 0.1 \text{ H}$ and $C = 100 \mu\text{F}$ has a constant voltage $V = 20$ volts applied at $t = 0$. The capacitor has no initial charge.
- a) Find the characteristic equation of the circuit at right.
(hint: take $i(t)$ as the "output")



- b) Find the solutions to the characteristic equation.
- c) Is this circuit over, under, or critically damped?
- d) The switch is switched down at time $t = 0$. Find the final and initial conditions: final: $i(\infty)$ initial: $i(0)$, $v_C(0)$ and $\frac{d}{dt}i(0)$

e) Write the full expression for $i(t)$, including all the constants that you find.

2. A series RLC circuit with $R = 200 \Omega$, $L = 0.1 \text{ H}$ and $C = ? \mu\text{F}$ is to be made critically damped by the selection of the capacitance. Find the required value of C .

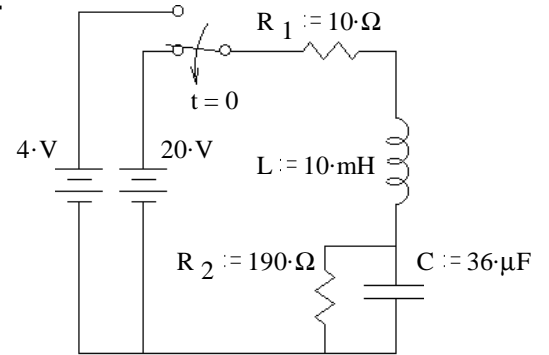
3. Find the ringing frequency of a series RLC circuit in which $R = 200 \Omega$, $L = 0.1 \text{ H}$ and $C = 5 \mu\text{F}$. (The ringing frequency is the ω part of $s_1 = \alpha + j\omega$). Express your answer in Hz.

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5. The characteristic equation of the circuit shown is:

$$0 = s^2 + \left(\frac{R_1}{L} + \frac{1}{C \cdot R_2} \right) \cdot s + \left(\frac{R_1}{L \cdot C \cdot R_2} + \frac{1}{L \cdot C} \right)$$

a) Find the solutions to the characteristic equation.



b) Is this circuit over, under, or critically damped?

c) The switch has been in the top position for a long time and is switched down at time t = 0. Find the final and initial conditions:

d) Write the full expression for $i_L(t)$, including all the constants that you find.

Answers

1. a) $\frac{R}{L} \frac{d}{dt} i_{in} = \frac{d^2}{dt^2} i_L + \frac{R}{L} \frac{d}{dt} i_L + \frac{1}{L \cdot C} i_L$ b) $\frac{R}{L \cdot C} i_{in} = \frac{d^2}{dt^2} v_c + \frac{R}{L} \frac{d}{dt} v_c + \frac{1}{L \cdot C} v_c$ c) $s^2 + \frac{R}{L} s + \frac{1}{L \cdot C} = 0$

2. a) $0 = s^2 + \frac{R}{L} s + \frac{1}{L \cdot C}$ b) $-51.3 \cdot \frac{1}{sec}$ $-1949 \cdot \frac{1}{sec}$ c) overdamped

d) $i(\infty) = 0 \cdot A$ $i(0) = 0$ $V_C(0) = 0$ $\frac{d}{dt} i(0) = 200 \cdot \frac{A}{sec}$ e) $i(t) = 0.1054 \cdot e^{-\frac{51.3}{sec} \cdot t} - 0.1054 \cdot e^{-\frac{1949}{sec} \cdot t}$

3. $10 \cdot \mu F$ 4. $159 \cdot Hz$

5. a) $-573.1 \pm 1611j$ 1/sec b) underdamped c) $19 \cdot V$ $100 \cdot mA$ $3.8 \cdot V$ $20 \cdot mA$ $0 \cdot \frac{V}{sec}$ $1600 \cdot \frac{A}{sec}$

d) $i_L(t) := 100 \cdot mA + e^{-\frac{573.1}{sec} \cdot t} \cdot \left(-80 \cdot \cos\left(\frac{1611}{sec} \cdot t\right) + 964.7 \cdot \sin\left(\frac{1611}{sec} \cdot t\right) \right) \cdot mA$

