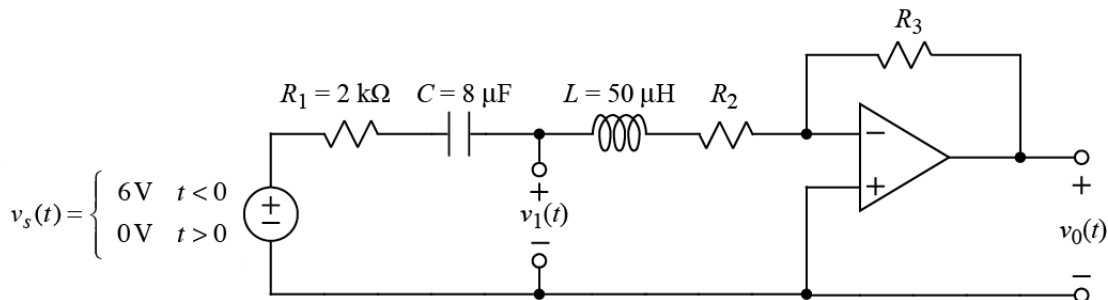


Ex:



The voltage source in the above circuit is off for  $t > 0$ .

- Find a symbolic expression for the Laplace-transformed output,  $V_o(s)$ , in terms of not more than  $R_1, R_2, R_3, L, C$ , and values of sources or constants.
- Choose a numerical value for  $R_2$  to make

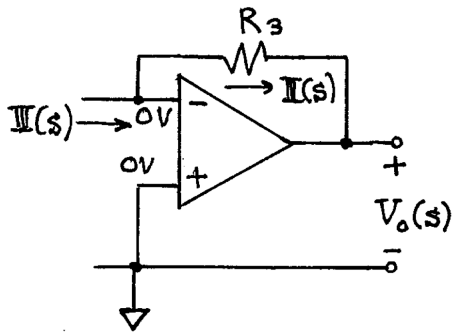
$$v_1(t) = v_m e^{-\alpha t} \cos(\beta t)$$

where  $v_m, \alpha$ , and  $\beta$  are real-valued constants.

sol'n: a) No current flows into the op-amp inputs. Thus, current flowing toward the  $-$  input from the left will flow through  $R_3$  (and into the op-amp then into the  $+$  or  $-$  power supply connections to the op-amp [which are not shown] then through the  $+$  or  $-$  power supply and back to the reference on the bottom rail [which was not shown]).

Since the op-amp has negative feedback, we expect that  $v_- = v_+$  at the op-amp inputs. In other words,  $v_- = v_+ = 0V$ , and we have a virtual ground (or reference) at the  $-$  input of the op-amp.

We can find  $V_o(s)$  from current,  $I(s)$ , flowing toward the  $-$  input of the op-amp.

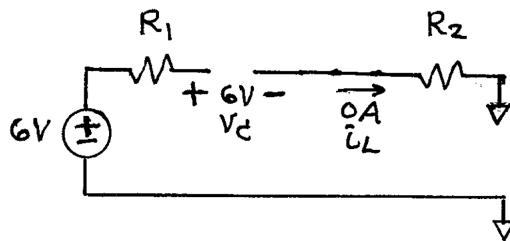


We have  $V_o(s) = -I(s) R_3$ .

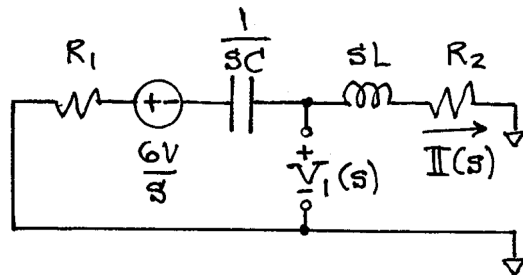
To find  $I(s)$ , we may treat the - input as reference.

First, however, we find initial conditions for the L and C.

$t=0^-$ :  $v_s(t) = 6V$ ,  $C = \text{open}$ ,  $L = \text{wire}$



We move to  $t > 0$  and include initial conditions on C.  $V_s(t) = 0V = \text{wire}$  for  $t > 0$ .



We have 
$$I(s) = -\frac{6V}{s} \frac{1}{sL + R_1 + R_2 + \frac{1}{sC}}$$

$$\text{or } \mathbb{I}(s) = \frac{-6V/L}{s^2 + \frac{R_1+R_2}{L}s + \frac{1}{LC}}$$

$$\text{So } V_o(s) = -\mathbb{I}(s)R_3$$

$$V_o(s) = \frac{6V R_3/L}{s^2 + \frac{R_1+R_2}{L}s + \frac{1}{LC}}$$

b)  $V_1(s)$  is the same as the  $V$ -drop across  $L$  and  $R_2$ .

$$V_1(s) = \mathbb{I}(s)(sL + R_2)$$

or

$$V_1(s) = \frac{-(6V/L)(sL + R_2)}{s^2 + \frac{R_1+R_2}{L}s + \frac{1}{LC}}$$

or

$$V_1(s) = -6V \frac{s + R_2/L}{s^2 + \frac{R_1+R_2}{L}s + \frac{1}{LC}}$$

From the form of  $v_1(t)$  given in the problem, we have another form for  $V_1(s)$ :

$$V_1(s) = \mathcal{L} \{ v_m e^{-\alpha t} \cos(\beta t) \}$$

$$V_1(s) = v_m \frac{s + \alpha}{(s + \alpha)^2 + \beta^2}$$

$$V_1(s) = v_m \frac{s + \alpha}{s^2 + 2\alpha s + \alpha^2 + \beta^2}$$

Matching coefficients of the powers of  $s$  in the two forms of  $V_1(s)$ , we have the following equations:

$$R_2/L = \alpha, \quad \frac{R_1+R_2}{L} = 2\alpha, \quad \frac{1}{LC} = \alpha^2 + \beta^2$$

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We have  $\frac{R_2}{L} = \alpha = \frac{R_1 + R_2}{2L}$ .

The solution is  $R_2 = R_1 = 2k\Omega$ .

$$R_2 = 2k\Omega$$