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PREFACE

It is an immense pleasure to present topic wise previous years solved paper of Engineering Services Exam. This booklet has come out after long observation and detailed interaction with the students preparing for Engineering Services Exam and includes detailed explanation to all questions. The approach has been to provide explanation in such a way that just by going through the solutions, students will be able to understand the basic concepts and will apply these concepts in solving other questions that might be asked in future exams.

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Director–IES Master

Note: Direction of all **Assertion Reasoning (A-R)** type of questions covered in this booklet is as follows:

DIRECTIONS:

The following four items consist of two statements, one labelled as '**Assertion A**' and the other labelled as '**Reason R**'. You are to examine these two statements carefully and select the answer to these two statements carefully and select the answer to these items using the codes given below:

- (a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
- (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
- (c) A is true but R is false
- (d) A is false but R is true.

Note: Direction of all **Statement-I** and **Statement-II** type of questions covered in this booklet is as follows:

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- (a) Both Statement : (I) and Statement (II) are individually true and Statement (II) is the correct explanation of Statement (I).
- (b) Both Statement (I) and Statement (II) are individually true but Statement (II) is not the correct explanation of Statement (I).
- (c) Statement (I) is true but Statement (II) is false
- (d) Statement (I) is false but Statement (II) is true.

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Unit

1

Circuit Theory

SYLLABUS

Circuits elements. Kirchoff's Laws. Mesh and nodal analysis. Network Theorems and applications. Natural response and forced response. Transient response and steady state response for arbitrary inputs. Properties of networks in terms of poles and zeros. Transfer function. Resonant circuits. Three-phase circuits. Two-port networks. Elements of two-element network synthesis.

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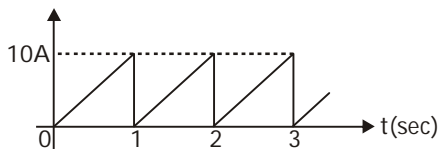
Network Elements

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1. The number of turns of a coil having a time constant T are doubled. Then the new time constant will be

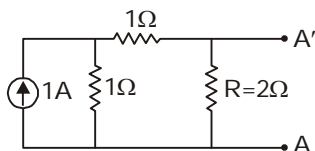
(a) T (b) $2T$
(c) $4T$ (d) $T/2$

2. Current having wave form shown is flowing in a resistance of 10 ohms. The average power is



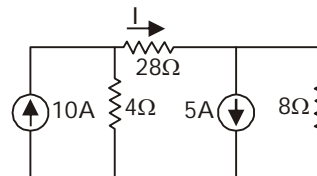
(a) $\frac{1000}{1}$ W (b) $\frac{1000}{2}$ W
(c) $\frac{1000}{3}$ W (d) $\frac{1000}{4}$ W

3. In the figure shown, if we connect a source of 2 V, with internal resistance of 1Ω at $A'A$, with positive terminal at A' , then the current through R is



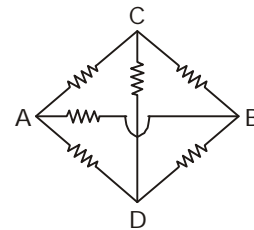
(a) 2 A (b) 1.66 A
(c) 1 A (d) 0.625 A

4. In the circuit shown the value of I is



(a) 1 A (b) 2 A
(c) 4 A (d) 8 A

5. When all the resistances in the circuit are of one ohm each, the equivalent resistance across the points A and B will be

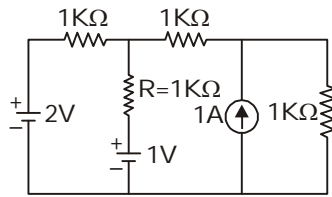


(a) 1Ω (b) 0.5Ω
(c) 2Ω (d) 1.5Ω

6. A battery is connected to a resistance causing a current of 0.5 A in the circuit. The current drops to 0.4 A when additional resistance of 5Ω is connected in series. The current will drop to 0.2 A when the resistance is

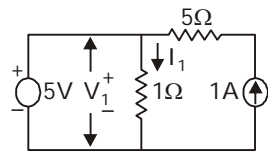
(a) 10Ω (b) 15Ω
(c) 25Ω (d) 30Ω

7. The current in resistor R shown in figure will be



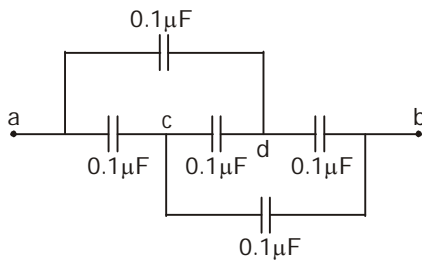
- (a) 0.2 A (b) 0.4 A
(c) 0.6 A (d) 0.8 A

8. The circuit shown is a linear time invariant one and the sources are ideal. Choose from the answers given below, the values of voltage across and current through 1Ω resistor.



- (a) 1V, 1A
(b) 1V, 6A
(c) 5V, 5A
(d) None of the above

9. The equivalent capacitance across ab will be :



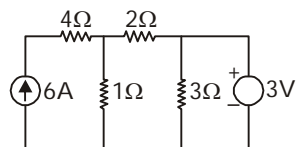
- (a) $0.2\mu F$ (b) $0.1\mu F$
(c) $0.5\mu F$ (d) 0

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10. **Assertion (A)** : Kirchoff's current law is valid for an ac circuit containing R, L and C.

Reason (R) : The sum of rms currents at any junction of the circuit is always zero.

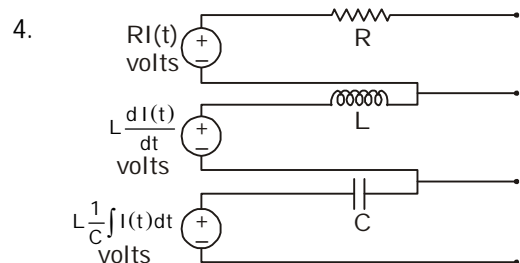
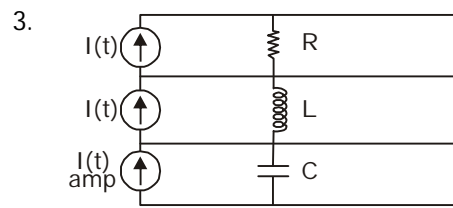
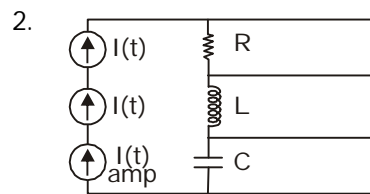
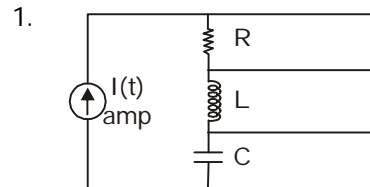
11. In the circuit shown in the figure, the voltage across the 2 ohm resistor is



- (a) 6 V (b) 4 V
(c) 2 V (d) zero

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12. Four networks are shown below in figures (1), (2), (3) and (4)



Of these networks,

- (a) all the four networks are equivalent
(b) no two networks are equivalent
(c) networks shown in figures (2), (3) and (4) are equivalent
(d) networks shown in figures (3) and (4) are equivalent

13. The number of $2\mu F$, 400 V capacitors needed to obtain a capacitance value of $1.5\mu F$ rated for 1600 V is

- (a) 12 (b) 8
(c) 6 (d) 4

ANSWER KEY

1. (c)	30. (c)	59. (c)	88. (b)
2. (c)	31. (c)	60. (b)	89. (d)
3. (d)	32. (c)	61. (c)	90. (c)
4. (b)	33. (a)	62. (a)	91. (c)
5. (b)	34. (a)	63. (c)	92. (a)
6. (d)	35. (b)	64. (a)	93. (b)
7. (a)	36. (b)	65. (d)	94. (c)
8. (c)	37. (b)	66. (a)	95. (c)
9. (b)	38. (b)	67. (a)	96. (b)
10. (c)	39. (d)	68. (c)	97. (a)
11. (c)	40. (b)	69. (c)	98. (d)
12. (a)	41. (c)	70. (d)	99. (a)
13. (a)	42. (c)	71. (a)	100. (c)
14. (b)	43. (b)	72. (a)	101. (a)
15. (c)	44. (b)	73. (d)	102. (d)
16. (d)	45. (b)	74. (b)	103. (b)
17. (c)	46. (a)	75. (b)	104. (b)
18. (a)	47. (c)	76. (b)	105. (b)
19. (d)	48. (a)	77. (c)	106. (c)
20. (d)	49. (d)	78. (b)	107. (b)
21. (d)	50. (b)	79. (c)	108. (d)
22. (c)	51. (a)	80. (b)	109. (a)
23. (b)	52. (a)	81. (b)	110. (a)
24. (c)	53. (b)	82. (b)	111. (a)
25. (c)	54. (a)	83. (a)	112. (b)
26. (d)	55. (none)	84. (d)	113. (c)
27. (a)	56. (c)	85. (d)	114. (a)
28. (c)	57. (b)	86. (c)	115. (c)
29. (b)	58. (a)	87. (a)	116. (none)

117. (d)	127. (d)	137. (b)	147. (b)
118. (b)	128. (b)	138. (b)	148. (b)
119. (a)	129. (c)	139. (b)	149. (b)
120. (d)	130. (c)	140. (b)	150. (a)
121. (c)	131. (d)	141. (c)	151. (a)
122. (a)	132. (b)	142. (b)	152. (b)
123. (none)	133. (b)	143. (a)	153. (a)
124. (b)	134. (c)	144. (d)	154. (b)
125. (d)	135. (none)	145. (c)	155. (b)
126. (b)	136. (d)	146. (d)	

SOLUTION...

Sol-1: (c)

$$\text{Inductance (L)} = \mu_0 \mu_r \frac{N^2 A}{l}$$

$$\text{Resistance (R)} = \frac{\rho l}{A}$$

$$\therefore \text{Time constant} = \frac{L}{R} = \frac{\mu_0 \mu_r N^2 A^2}{\rho l^2}$$

or $T \propto N^2$

When no. of turns of a coil is doubled
 $N' = 2N$, new time constant is T'

$$\Rightarrow \frac{T'}{T} = \frac{N'^2}{N^2} = \frac{(2N)^2}{N^2} = 4$$

$$T' = 4T$$

Sol-2: (c)

Given: $R = 10\Omega$, $T = 1\text{sec}$

$$i(t) = 10t; \quad 0 < t < 1$$

$$\therefore \text{Power [P(t)]} = i^2(t) R$$

$$= (10t)^2 \times 10 = 1000 t^2$$

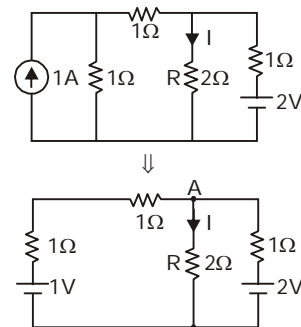
$$\therefore \text{Average power (P}_{\text{avg}}\text{)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T P(t) dt = \frac{1}{1} \int_0^1 1000t^2 dt$$

$$= 1000 \left[\frac{t^3}{3} \right]_0^1 = \frac{1000}{3} \text{ W}$$

Sol-3: (d)

Connect source of 2V with internal resistance of 1Ω in the given figure. The figure is



KCL at node A,

$$\frac{V_A - 1}{2} + \frac{V_A - 2}{1} + \frac{V_A}{2} = 0$$

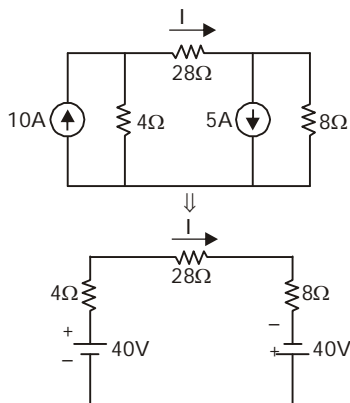
$$2V_A - 1 + 2V_A - 4 = 0$$

$$V_A = (5/4)V$$

\therefore Current through R is,

$$I = \frac{V_A}{2} = \frac{5/4}{2} = 0.625A$$

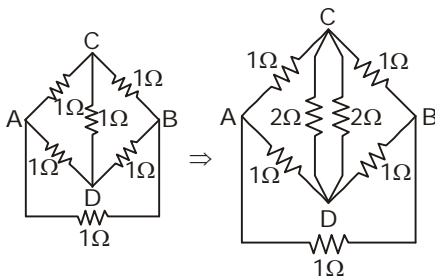
Sol-4: (b)



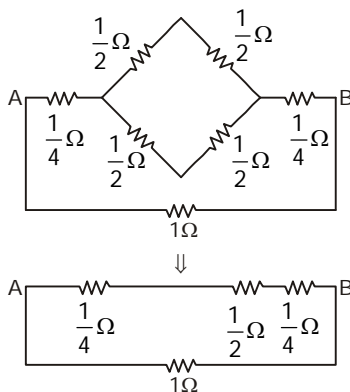
In the circuit, applying KVL,
 $-40 + 4I + 28I + 8I - 40 = 0$
 $40I = 80$
 $I = \frac{80}{40} = 2A$

Sol-5: (b)

Given all the resistance of the circuit are 1Ω .

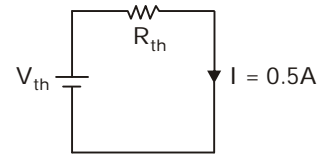


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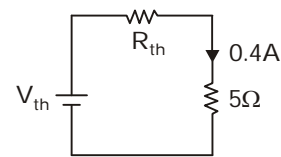
$\therefore R_{AB} = 1 \parallel 1 = 0.5\Omega$

Sol-6: (d)



$I = \frac{V_{th}}{R_{th}} = 0.5$
 $V_{th} = 0.5 R_{th} \dots(1)$

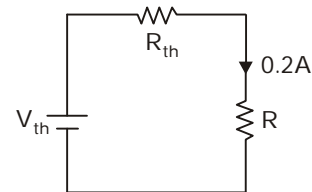
When additional resistance of 5Ω is connected in series, current drops to $0.4A$, then circuit is



$\Rightarrow 0.4 = \frac{V_{th}}{R_{th} + 5}$
 $0.4 R_{th} + 2 = V_{th} = 0.5 R_{th}$
 (from equation (1))

$R_{th} = 20\Omega$

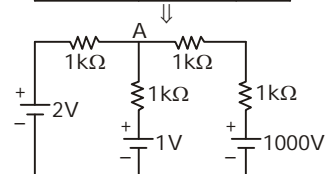
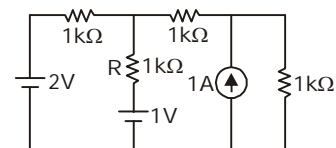
When connected resistance R in series, current drops to $0.2A$



$\therefore 0.2 = \frac{V_{th}}{R_{th} + R}$
 $0.2 R_{th} + 0.2R = V_{th} = 0.5 R_{th}$
 (from equation (1))

$R = \frac{3}{2} R_{th} = \frac{3}{2} \times 20 = 30\Omega$

Sol-7: (a)



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