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SUBJECT CODE : FED 10202
SUBJECT TITLE : ELECTRICAL PRINCIPLES
LEVEL : DIPLOMA
TIME / DURATION : 2 HOURS
DATE :

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Please read the instructions given in the question paper **CAREFULLY**.
 2. This question paper is printed on both sides of the paper.
 3. Please write your answers on the answer booklet provided.
 4. Answers should be written in blue or black ink except for sketching, graphic and illustration.
 5. This question paper consists of **TWO (2)** sections. Section A and B. Answer all questions in Section A. For Section B, answer two (2) question only.
 6. Answer all questions in English.
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SECTION A(Total:60marks)**INSTRUCTION: Answer ALL questions.****Please use the answer booklet provided.****Question 1**

- (a) Perform the indicated conversion:
- (i) 25000 k Ω to M Ω (3 marks)
 - (ii) 0.0368 μ A to nF (3 marks)
- (b) Express the following number in scientific notation and engineering notation using metric prefixes:
- (i) 0.0000563 A (3 marks)
 - (ii) 58900000 Ω (3 marks)

Question 2

- (a) Define:
- (i) Voltage (1 mark)
 - (ii) Resistance (1 mark)
- (b) If 500J energy is used to move 20 C of charge through a resistor, calculate the voltage across the resistor (2 marks)
- (c) Determine the resistance and tolerance for each of the following 4-band resistors:
- (i) Green, Gray, Red, Gold (2 marks)
 - (ii) Orange, Black, Gold, Silver (2 marks)
- (d) Determine the colour bands for each of the following 4-band resistors. Assume each has a 5% tolerance.
- (i) 9.7 Ω (2 marks)
 - (ii) 68 k Ω (2 marks)

Question 3

Referring to **Figure 1** below, calculate the:

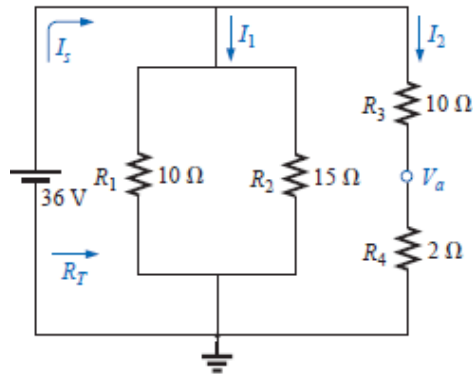


Figure 1

- (a) Total resistance, (R_T) (5 marks)
- (b) Total current, (I_s) (3 marks)
- (c) Currents (I_1) and (I_2) (6 marks)
- (d) Voltage (V_a) with respect to ground (3marks)
- (e) Power delivered by the source (P_s) (3 marks)

Question 4

- (a) State THREE (3) various sources of AC power (3 marks)
- (b) An alternating voltage is represented by $v = 80 \sin 200t$. Determine the:
 - (i) Frequency, (f) (2 marks)
 - (ii) V_{pp} and V_{rms} (4 marks)
 - (iii) The instantaneous voltage (v) at $t = 2$ ms (3 marks)
 - (iv) The angle (θ) when the voltage first reaches the instantaneous value of 25 V (4 marks)

SECTION B(Total:40marks)**INSTRUCTION: Answer TWO (2) questions only.****Please use the answer booklet provided.****Question 5**

The instantaneous value of voltage in an AC circuit at any time t seconds is given by

$$V = 100 \cdot \sin(50\pi t - 0.523) \text{ V. Find:}$$

- (a) V_{pp} , the peak-to-peak voltage (2 marks)
- (b) V_{rms} , the rms voltage (2 marks)
- (c) T , the periodic time and f , the frequency (2 marks)
- (d) ϕ , the phase angle in degrees. (2 marks)
- (e) the voltage when $t=8$ ms (3 marks)
- (f) time of first occurrence in the first cycle when the voltage is 60 V (3 marks)
- (g) time of first occurrence when the voltage is a maximum. (3 marks)
- (h) Sketch the signal from $t=0$ s until end of first cycle, showing and labelling important points: peaks and zero crossings points. (3 marks)

Question 5

- (a) State three(3) applications of capacitor in electrical and electronic area. (3 marks)
- (b) Determine the capacitance of a parallel plate capacitor having a plate area of 0.01 m^2 and a plate separation of 0.5 mil ($1.27 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}$). The dielectric is mica, which has a dielectric constant of 5.0. Given $\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m}$. (3 marks)

(c) An electronic circuit is shown in **Figure 2**. Determine :

(i) Reactances of **C1** and **C2** and total reactance.

(6 marks)

(ii) The voltage across **C2**.

(2 marks)

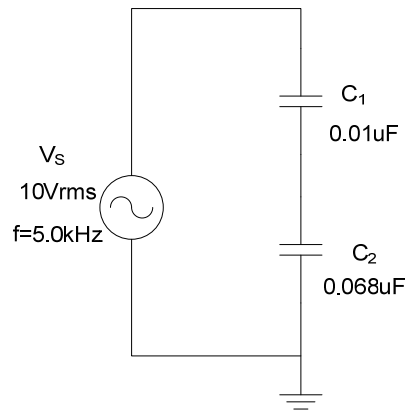


FIGURE 2

(d) Briefly describe the phenomena of inductance.

(3 marks)

(e) An electronic circuit containing inductances is shown in **Figure 3**. Calculate the total rms current flowing through the circuit.

(3 marks)

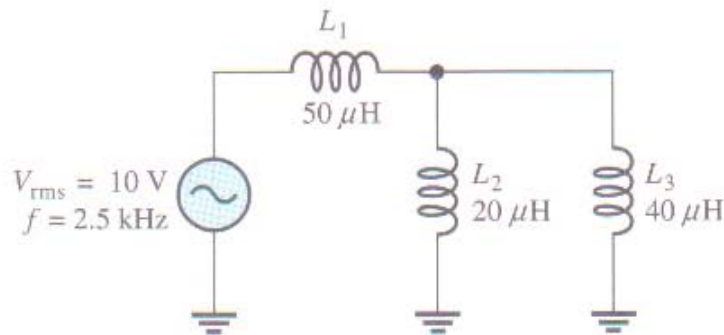


Figure 3

Question 6

- (a) Briefly explain the following:
- (i) Step-up transformer (2 marks)
 - (ii) Step-down transformer (2 marks)
- (b) Referring to **Figure 4** below, determine the:

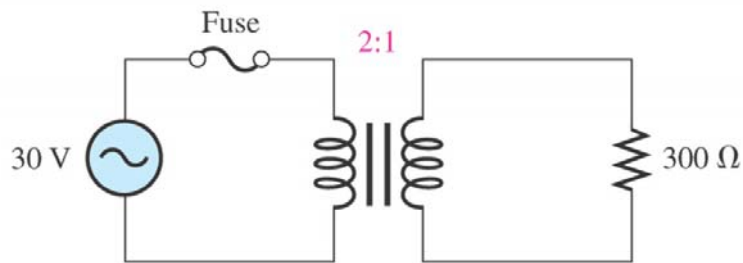


Figure 4

- (i) Turns ratio (2 marks)
- (ii) Secondary voltage (3 marks)
- (iii) Secondary current (3 marks)
- (iv) Primary current (3 marks)
- (v) Reflected resistance seen by the source (3 marks)
- (vi) Power in the load (2 marks)

END OF QUESTION PAPER

FORMULA

CAPACITANCE

$$\text{Capacitance, } C = \frac{Q}{V}$$

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$$\text{Capacitive reactance, } X_C = \frac{1}{2\pi \cdot f \cdot C}$$

$$\text{Time constant, } \tau = R \cdot C$$

INDUCTANCE

$$\text{Voltage induced } V_L = L \cdot \frac{\Delta i}{\Delta t}$$

$$\text{Circle area} = \pi \times r^2$$

$$\text{Inductance, } L = \frac{N^2 \times \mu \times A}{l}$$

$$\text{Inductive reactance, } X_L = 2\pi \cdot f \cdot L$$

$$\text{Time constant, } \tau = \frac{L}{R}$$

CHARGE/DISCHARGE

$$\text{Voltage } V = V_F + (V_F - V_I) \cdot e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}$$

$$\text{Current } I = I_F + (I_F - I_I) \cdot e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}$$