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MODULE NO. AME5004

Date: Friday 11th January 2019

Time: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

There are FOUR questions on this paper.

Answer ALL questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

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- Q1 a) An LCR model circuit is one that includes a resistor, a capacitor and an inductor, connected in series with a voltage source, $e(t)$ as shown in **Fig.Q1 a)**

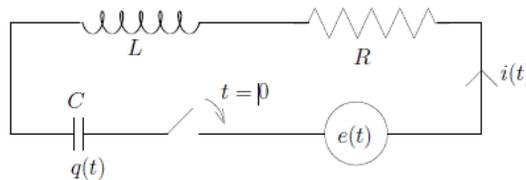


Fig.Q1 a) : An LCR model circuit

Before closing the switch at time $t = 0$ (s), the charge, $q(C)$, on the capacitor and the resulting current, $i = \frac{dq}{dt}$ (A), in the circuit are zero. Applying Kirchhoff's second law to the circuit gives a second-order inhomogeneous differential equation for the charge on the capacitor,

$$L \frac{d^2 q}{dt^2} + R \frac{dq}{dt} + \frac{1}{C} q = e(t)$$

In the circuit equation given above the parameters have the following values: $R = 160 \Omega$, $L = 1H$, $C = 10^{-4}F$ and $e(t) = 20V$.

- i) Use Laplace transformation to solve the second-order homogeneous differential equation for the charge on the capacitor q , in terms of t with the initial conditions $q(0) = 0$ and $q'(0) = 0$.

(8 marks)

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Question 1 cont'd...

- ii) Determine an expression for the charge q , using inverse Laplace transform by partial fraction expansion method. (7 marks)

- b) The impulse response of the analogue mechanical system is

$$H(s) = \frac{2 + s}{(s + 1)(s + 3)}$$

- i) Apply the inverse Laplace transform to obtain the continuous impulse input signal. (4 marks)
- ii) From the second order differential characteristics equation obtained in part i), sketch the poles and zeros of the system. (6 marks)

(Total 25 marks)

- Q2 a) Solve the following system of linear simultaneous equations using the method of Gaussian elimination:

$$2I_1 - 4I_2 - 12I_3 = 24$$

$$2I_1 + 4I_2 + 12I_3 = -17$$

$$3I_1 - 12I_2 - 36I_3 = 66$$

(12 marks)

- b) Find by the double integration the volume of the following solids.

- i) The solid lying under the graph of $z = \sin^2 x$ and over the region R bounded below by the x -axis and above by the central arch of the graph of $\cos x$ (4 marks)

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Question 2 cont'd...

- ii) The solid lying over the finite region R in the first quadrant between the graphs of x and x^2 , and underneath the graph of $z = xy$ (4 marks)
- iii) The finite solid lying underneath the graph of $x^2 - y^2$, above the xy -planes $x = 0$ and $x = 1$ (5 marks)

(Total 25 marks)

- Q3 a) Obtain a numerical solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + 1 = -\frac{y}{x}$$

by using the Runge-Kutta method in the range of $x = 2.0(0.1)2.2$

given the initial condition $x = 2, y = 1$.

(9 marks)

- b) Solve a) by using Euler's method.

(9 marks)

- c) Determine the actual solution of the above differential equation. Then, compare the exact solution with analytical solution in a) and b). Justify your answers.

(7 marks)

(Total 25 Marks)

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Q4 a) A single pulse signal $v(t)$ is represented as shown in **Fig.Q4 a)**

$$v(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & -T/2 \leq t \leq T/2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

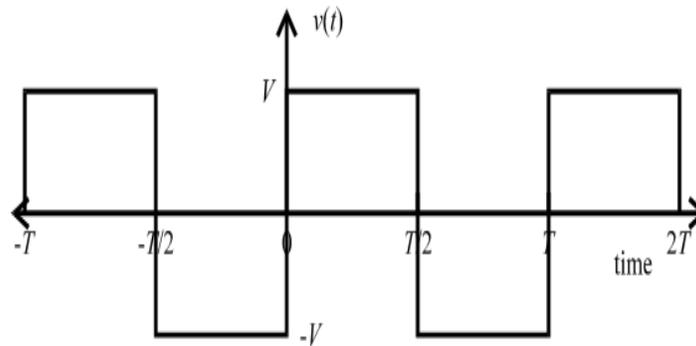


Fig.Q4 a)

- i) Apply the Fourier transform on the pulse to obtain the spectrum of the signal. (9 marks)
- ii) Sketch the frequency spectrum of the pulse signal. (4 marks)
- b) A manufacturer of metal pistons finds that on the average 12% of his pistons are rejected because they are either oversize or undersize. What is the probability that a batch of 10 pistons will contain:
- i) no more than two rejects (6 marks)
- ii) at least 2 rejects. (6 marks)

(Total 25 Marks)

END OF QUESTIONS