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**Transient Analysis (P1)**

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# Reference Chapter 16

Schaum's Outline Of Theory And Problems Of Electric Circuits

<https://archive.org/details/TheoryAndProblemsOfElectricCircuits>

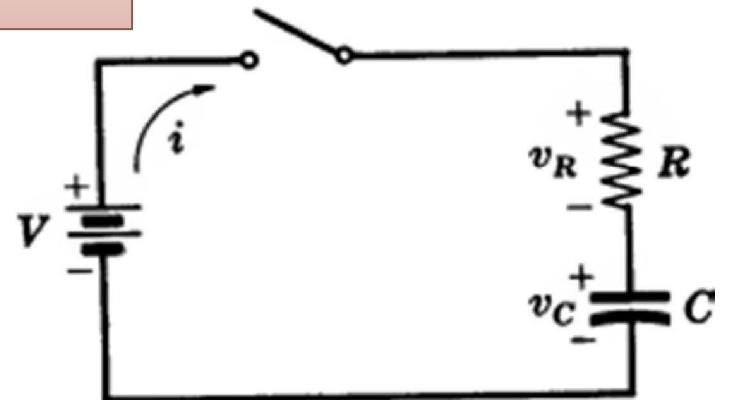
**1<sup>st</sup> Order R-C**

**DC**

## First-Order RC Transient Step-Response

- Assume the switch S is closed at  $t = 0$
- Apply KVL to the series RC circuit shown:

$$\frac{1}{C} \int i dt + Ri = V$$



- Differentiating both sides which gives:

$$\frac{i}{C} + R \frac{di}{dt} = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \left( D + \frac{1}{RC} \right) i = 0$$

- The solution to this homogeneous equation consists of only the complementary function since the particular solution is zero.
- To find the complementary Solution, solve the auxiliary equation:

$$m + \frac{1}{RC} = 0$$

$$m = \frac{-1}{RC} = \frac{-1}{\tau}$$

$$\tau = RC$$

Time constant

The complementary Solution is :

$$i = A e^{mt}$$

$$i = A e^{\frac{-t}{\tau}}$$

## First-Order RC Transient Step-Response

- To determine the constant “A” we note that :

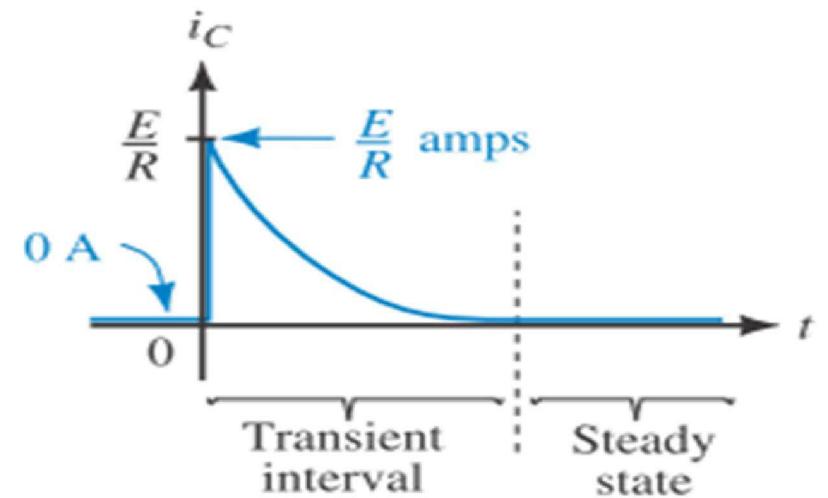
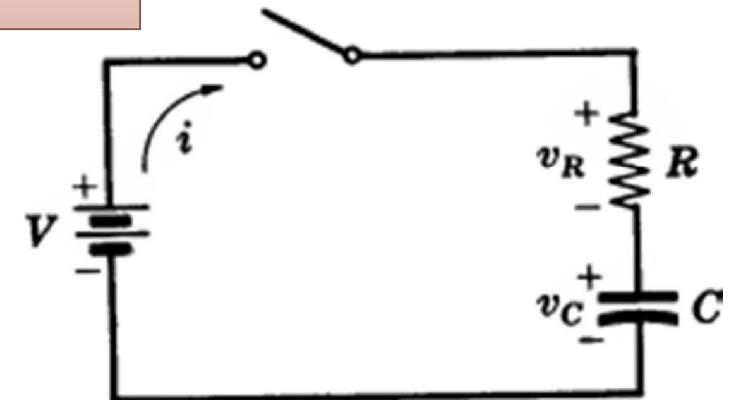
at  $t = 0$  is  $Ri_0 = V$  or  $i_0 = V/R$ .

Where  $V_C(0) = 0$

- Now substituting the value of  $i_0$  into current equation
- We obtain  $A = V/R$  at  $t = 0$ .

$$i = \frac{V}{R} e^{-t/RC}$$

has the form of an exponential decay starting from the transient value to the final steady-state value of 0 ampere in 5 time-constants



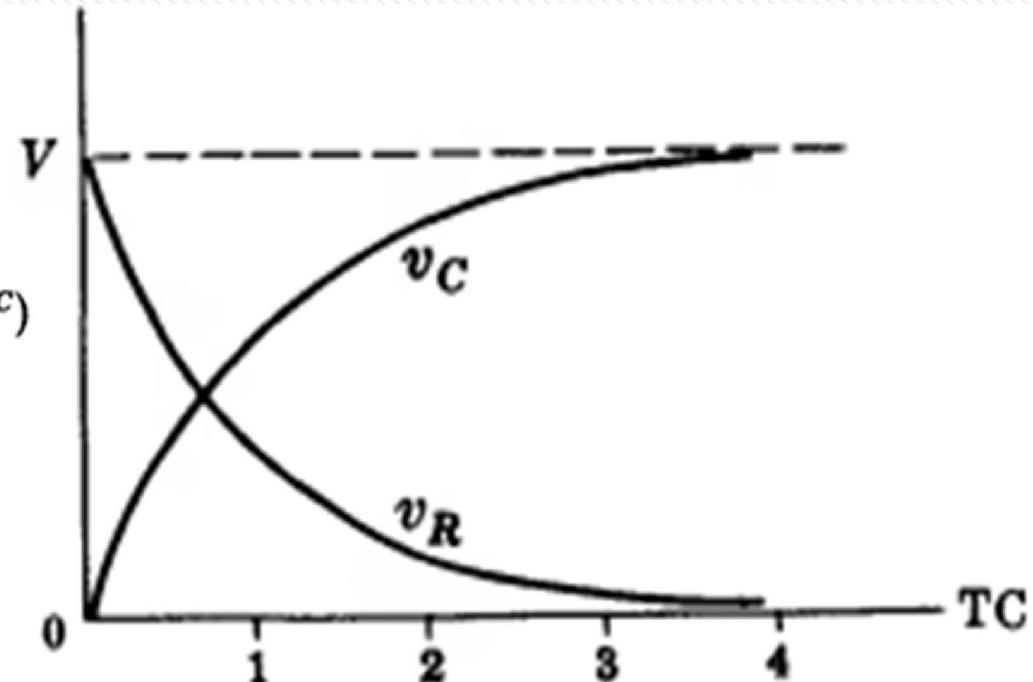
## First-Order RC Transient Step-Response

- The voltage across the resistor is:

$$v_R = Ri = Ve^{-t/RC}$$

- The voltage across the capacitor is:

$$v_C = \frac{1}{C} \int i dt = V(1 - e^{-t/RC})$$



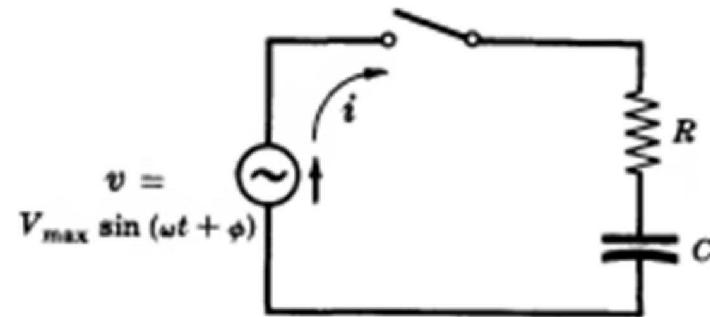
Transient-response is almost finished after  $5\tau$ ,  
then steady state

**1<sup>st</sup> Order R-C**

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## Alternating Current Transients

### RC Sinusoidal Transient



$$Ri + \frac{1}{C} \int i dt = V_{\max} \sin(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$\left(D + \frac{1}{RC}\right)i = \frac{\omega V_{\max}}{R} \cos(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$i_c = ce^{-t/RC}$$

$$i_p = \frac{V_{\max}}{\sqrt{R^2 + (1/\omega C)^2}} \sin(\omega t + \phi + \tan^{-1} 1/\omega CR)$$

$$i = ce^{-t/RC} + \frac{V_{\max}}{\sqrt{R^2 + (1/\omega C)^2}} \sin(\omega t + \phi + \tan^{-1} 1/\omega CR)$$

## Alternating Current Transients

### RC Sinusoidal Transient

To determine the constant  $c$ , let  $t = 0$  then the initial current  $i_0 = \frac{V_{\max}}{R} \sin \phi$ . Substituting this into (63) and setting  $t = 0$ , we obtain

$$\frac{V_{\max}}{R} \sin \phi = c(1) + \frac{V_{\max}}{\sqrt{R^2 + (1/\omega C)^2}} \sin(\phi + \tan^{-1} 1/\omega CR)$$

or

$$c = \frac{V_{\max}}{R} \sin \phi - \frac{V_{\max}}{\sqrt{R^2 + (1/\omega C)^2}} \sin(\phi + \tan^{-1} 1/\omega CR)$$

Substitution of  $c$  from (65) into (63) results in the complete current

$$\begin{aligned} i &= e^{-t/RC} \left[ \frac{V_{\max}}{R} \sin \phi - \frac{V_{\max}}{\sqrt{R^2 + (1/\omega C)^2}} \sin(\phi + \tan^{-1} 1/\omega CR) \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{V_{\max}}{\sqrt{R^2 + (1/\omega C)^2}} \sin(\omega t + \phi + \tan^{-1} 1/\omega CR) \end{aligned}$$

## Examples

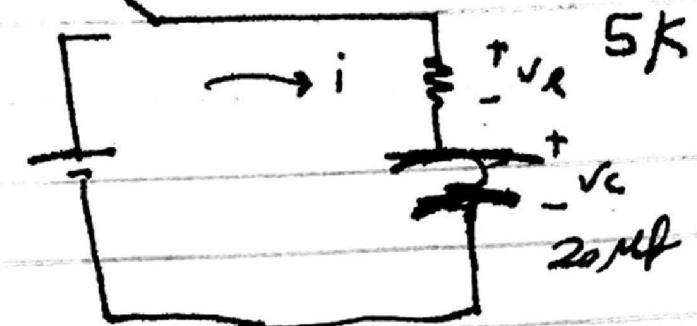
## Example (4-sheet6)

A series RC circuit with  $R = 5000$  ohms and  $C = 20 \mu F$  has a constant voltage  $V = 100$  v applied at  $t = 0$  and the capacitor has no initial charge. Find the equations of  $i$ ,  $V_R$  and  $V_c$ .

S closed

Sol.

$$100 = i(5000) + \frac{1}{C} \int i dt \rightarrow 100 = 5000i + \frac{1}{20 \times 10^{-6}} \int i dt$$



$$100 = 5000i + \frac{1}{20 \times 10^{-6}} \int i dt$$

$$100 = 5000i + 50000 \int i dt$$

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$$0 = 5000 \frac{di}{dt} + 50000i$$

$$0 = (5000D + 50000)i$$

## Example (4-sheet6)

$$(D+10)i = 0$$

it has only one solution (P.I.)

$$m+10=0$$

$$m=-10$$

$$i = A e^{mt} = A e^{-10t}$$

$$at t \leq 0 \rightarrow \text{sub in 1} \quad \therefore 100 = 5000i \quad \text{or } i = 100/500$$

$$i = 0.02A$$

$$i = 0.02e^{-10t}$$

~~$$VR = Ri = \frac{5000 \times i}{5000} = 0.02e^{-10t} = 100e^{-10t}$$~~

$$\begin{aligned} V_C &= N - VR \\ &= 100 - 100e^{-10t} \end{aligned}$$

## Example (8-sheet 7)

A series RC circuit with  $R = 100$  ohms and  $C = 25 \mu F$  has a sinusoidal voltage source  $v = 250 \sin(500t + \phi)$  applied at a time when  $\phi = 0^\circ$ . Find the current, assuming there is no initial charge on the capacitor.

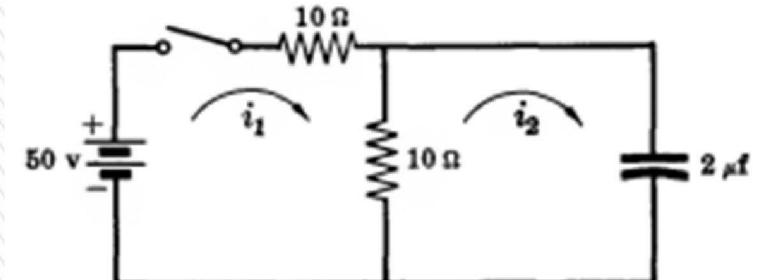
$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Sol.} \\
 & 100i + \frac{1}{C} \int i dt = 250 \sin 500t \\
 & \text{OR } \text{G} \quad (\phi + 400) i = 1250 \cos(500t) \quad \text{جواب مطلوب}
 \end{aligned}$$
  

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Sol.} \quad i = C e^{-400t} + \frac{V_{\max}}{\sqrt{R^2 + (\omega_{\text{crit}})^2}} \sin(wt + \phi + \tan^{-1}(\frac{L}{R})) \\
 & \text{at } t=0 \quad \boxed{i = C e^{-400t} + 1.955 \sin(500t + 38.7^\circ)} \\
 & \therefore 2.5 = C e^{400 \times 0} + 1.955 \sin(0 + 38.7^\circ) \quad \text{or } i_{\text{cap}} = t \rightarrow \text{initial} \\
 & \therefore C = -1.22 \\
 & \therefore \boxed{i = -1.22 e^{-400t} + 1.955 \sin(500t + 38.7^\circ)}
 \end{aligned}$$

## Example (6-sheet 7)

In the two-mesh network shown in Fig.4 the switch is closed at  $t = 0$ . Find the transient mesh currents  $i_1$  and  $i_2$  shown in the diagram, and the transient capacitor voltage  $V_c$ .

Loop 1  $50 = 20i_1 - 10i_2$   
 $\therefore 0 = 20D i_1 - 10D i_2$   
 or  $2D i_1 = D i_2$



بعض حلول

Loop 2  $0 = 10i_2 - 10i_1 + \frac{1}{C} \int i_2 dt$  بعض حلول  
 $0 = 10D i_2 - 10D i_1 + \frac{1}{C} i_2$   
 or  $-Di_1 + i_2(D + \frac{1}{10C}) = 0$   $2 \times 10^{-6}$   
 $-Di_1 + i_2(D + 5 \times 10^4) \neq 0$  ②

## Example (6-sheet 7)

$$\therefore -\frac{D i_2}{2} + (D + 5 \times 10^4) i_2 = 0$$

$$\text{or } (D + 10^5) i_2 = 0$$

$$\therefore \text{sol } i_2 = A e^{mt} = A e^{-10^5 t}$$

$$\text{at } t=0 \rightarrow \text{From eq 2} \quad \therefore 0 = 10i_2 - 10i_1$$

$$\therefore i_1 = i_2$$

$$\text{From 1} \quad 50 = 20i_1 - 10i_2 = 10i_2 = 10i_1 \quad \text{للحالة 1}$$

$$\therefore i_1 = i_2 = 5$$

$$\therefore \text{at } t=0 \quad i_2 = 5 = A e^0 \quad \therefore A = 5$$

$$\text{or } i_2 = 5 e^{-10^5 t}$$

$$50 = 20i_1 - 10 \times 5 e^{-10^5 t} \quad \text{للحالة 2}$$

$$\therefore i_1 = \frac{5}{2} + \frac{5}{2} e^{-10^5 t}$$

$$V_C = \frac{1}{C} \int i_2 dt$$

*i<sub>2</sub> must be noted*

$$V_C = 25(1 - e^{-10^5 t})$$

## Example (5-sheet 7)

In the RC circuit of Fig. 3 the switch is closed on position 1 at  $t=0$  and after 1 TC is moved to position 2. Find the complete current transient.

At Position 1

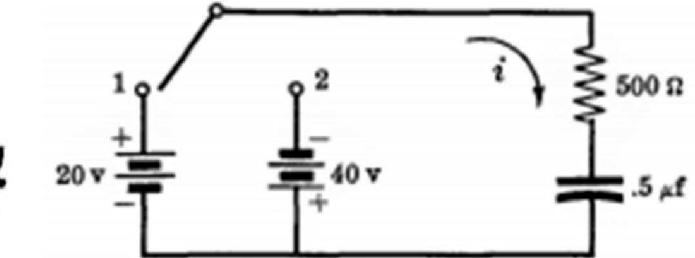
$$20 = 500 i + \frac{1}{C} \int i dt$$

Follow:  $D = 500 \frac{di}{dt} + \frac{1}{0.5 \mu F} i$

$$0 = 500 Di + 2000000 i$$

$$0 = Di + 4000 i$$

$$i_1 = A e^{-4000 t_1}$$



$$i(D + 4000) = 0$$

## Example (5-sheet 7)

$$\text{at } t=0 \rightarrow i = \frac{20}{500} = 0.04 = A$$

$\therefore i_1 = 0.04 e^{-4000t}$

$250\text{ msec} = 1TC = 1RC$  ~~initial value~~

after  $1TC = 1RC = 250\text{ msec}$

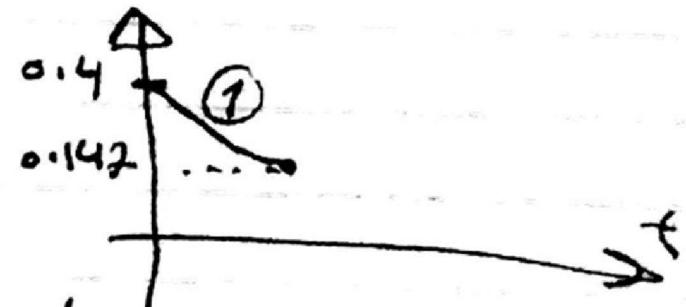
$$i = 0.04 \times e^{-4000 \times 250 \mu s} = 0.147 A$$

Now switch moved to  $\Sigma$

$$-40^+ = 500i + \frac{1}{C} \int i dt$$

$$0 = 500 di/dt + \frac{1}{0.5 \times 10^{-6}} i$$

$i_2 = B e^{-4000(t-t_1)}$  ~~initial~~



## Example (5-sheet 7)

$$\text{ملحوظة: } \frac{1}{RC} = 4000 \text{ sec}^{-1}$$

$$U_C = -20 \left( 1 - e^{-4000t} \right) = 20 \left( 1 - e^{-4000 \times \frac{250 \times 10^{-6}}{R \times C}} \right)$$

$$= 20(1 - e^1) = 12.65 \text{ Volt}$$

$i_2 = B e^{-4000(t-t_1)}$

at  $t = t_1 \Rightarrow i = \frac{U_{total}}{R}$

$$i = -\frac{40 + 12.65}{500} = -0.1053 \text{ A}$$

مكتوب على اليمين:  $i_2 = -0.1053 \text{ A}$

لذلك  $i_1 = 0.1053 \text{ A}$

$i_2 = -0.1053 e^{-4000(t-t_1)}$

## Example (5-sheet 7)

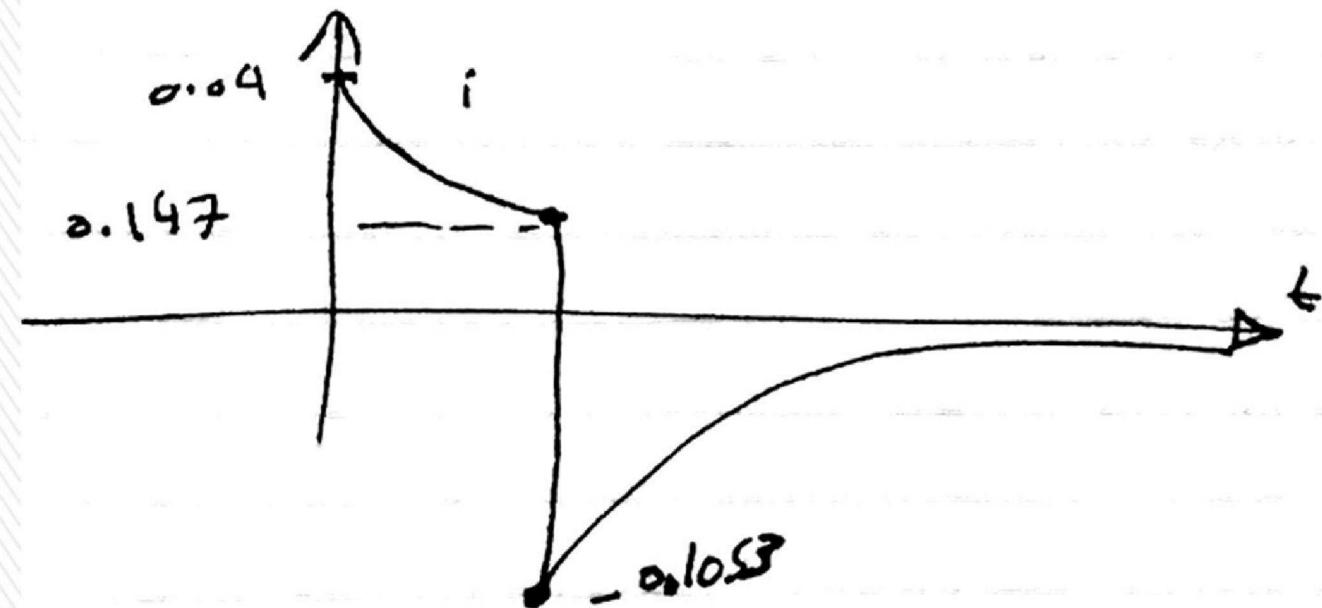
at  $t = t_1 = 250 \mu\text{sec}$

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$$\frac{0.10V}{0.5 \times 10^{-6}} - \frac{e^{4000t}}{e^{4000t} + 1} + K = \int_{0}^{t_1} i dt = V_C \quad \text{معنی } 1 \sim 61$$

$$V_C = -20e^{-4000t} + K$$

$$\therefore \text{at } t=0, V_C = 0 \quad (V_R = V) \quad \Rightarrow \quad V_C = 20(1 - e^{-4000t}) \rightarrow t = RC = 1/T_C$$



**Thank You**

