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CAI-401/BEC/4th Sem/2017/M

BASIC ELECTRICAL CIRCUITS

Full Marks – 70

Pass Marks – 28

Time – Three hours

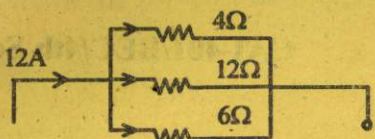
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for the questions.

Answer any *seven* questions.

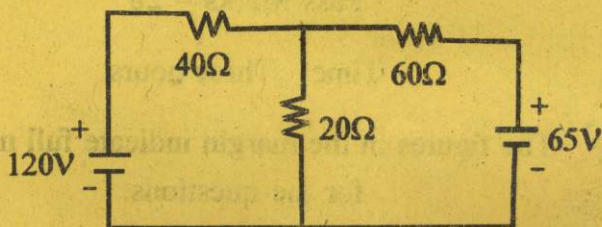
1. (a) The elements of 500 Watt electric iron is designed for use on a 200V supply. What value of resistance is required to be connected in series in order that the iron can be operated from 240V supply ? 5

- (b) As shown in figure below, three resistors 4Ω , 12Ω and 6Ω are connected in parallel. If the total current taken is 12A, find the current through each resistor. 5

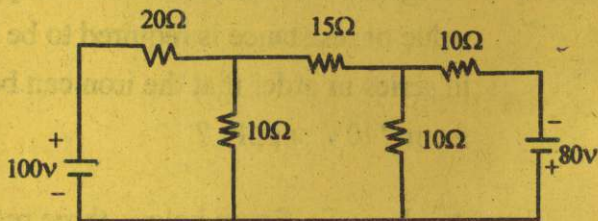
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2. (a) Find the magnitude and direction of each branch currents by Mesh current method. 5

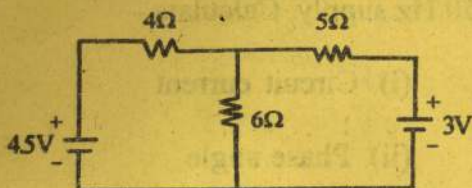


- (b) Find the currents in various branches of the circuit by Nodal analysis. 5



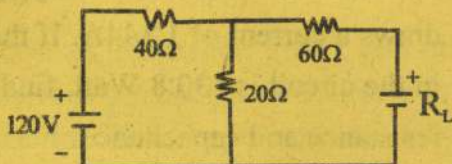
3. (a) Verify the answer of Question No. 2(b) using superposition theorem. 5

- (b) Using Thevenin's theorem, find the current in 6Ω resistance. 5

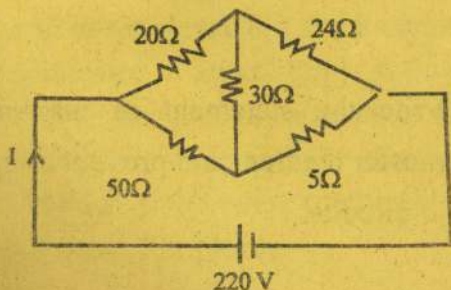


4. (a) Verify the answer of the Question No. : 3(b) using Norton's theorem. 5

- (b) Calculate the value of load resistance (R_L) to which maximum power may be transferred from the circuit. 5



5. (a) Determine the value of the current delivered (I) by the source using delta-star conversion. 6



(b) A coil having a resistance of 7Ω and an inductance of 31.3 mH are connected to 230V , 50 Hz supply. Calculate – 4

(i) Circuit current

(ii) Phase angle

(iii) Power factor

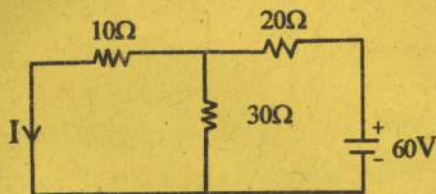
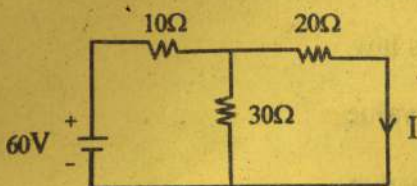
(iv) Power consumed.

6. (a) A capacitor and resistor are connected in series across a 120V , 50 Hz supply. The circuit draws a current of 1.144A . If the power loss in the circuit is 130.8 Watt , find the value of resistance and capacitance. 5

(b) Apply Millman's theorem to Question No. 3(b) to find the current through 6Ω resistor. 5

7. (a) Write the statement of maximum power transfer theorem and prove it as applicable to dc circuits. 5

- (b) Establish the validity of Reciprocity theorem for the following circuit : 5



8. (a) A coil of resistance 100Ω and inductance $100\mu\text{H}$ is connected in series with a 100pF capacitor. The circuit is connected to a 10V variable frequency supply.

Calculate – (i) the resonant frequency

(ii) current at resonance. 5

- (b) A coil of resistance 8Ω and inductance 0.03H is connected to an ac supply at 240V , 50Hz . Calculate the value of capacitance which when connected in series with the above coil causes no change in the value of current and power taken from the supply. 5

9. Write short notes on :

2.5×4=10

- (i) Form factor
- (ii) Ohm's law
- (iii) RMS value
- (iv) Resonance.