

## MATHEMATICAL QUESTIONS

### Question 1

For the circuit of Fig. 1,

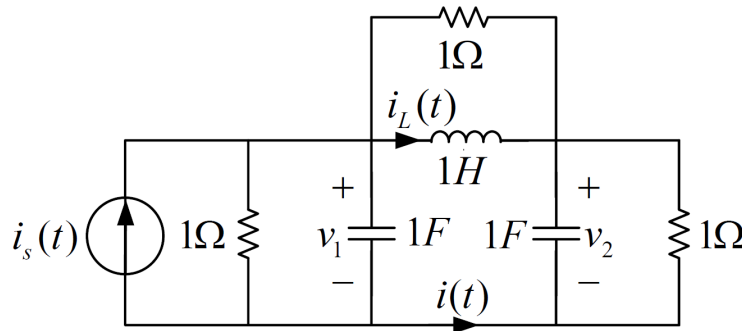


Figure 1: A circuit for which the natural frequencies are required.

(a) Find the natural frequencies of the node voltages.

(b) Find the natural frequencies of the circuit.

### Question 2

Calculate the natural frequencies of the circuits shown in Fig. 2.

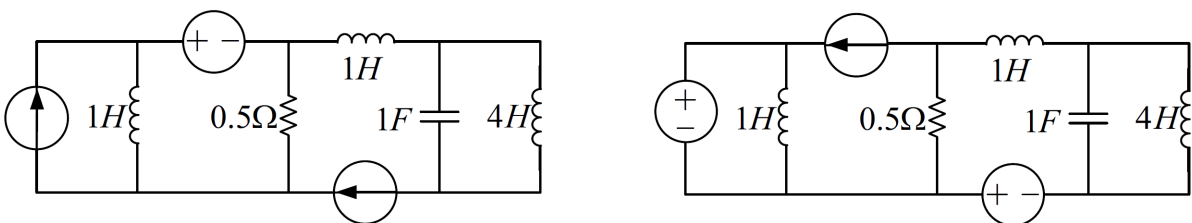


Figure 2: Two circuits with different types of independent sources.

### Question 3

For the circuit of Fig. 3,

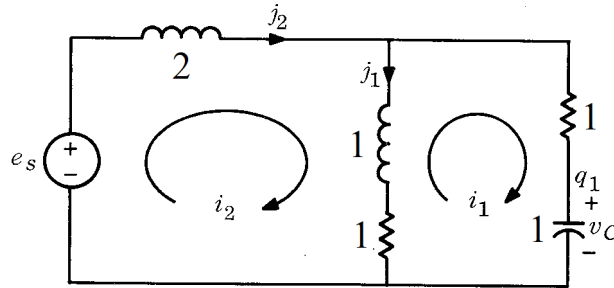


Figure 3: A circuit for which the minimal differential equation of  $j_2$  is required.

(a) Find the minimal differential equation of  $j_2$ .

(b) Find the natural frequencies of  $j_2$ .

### Question 4

Calculate the natural frequencies of the circuits shown in Fig. 4. How many zero natural frequencies does each circuit have?

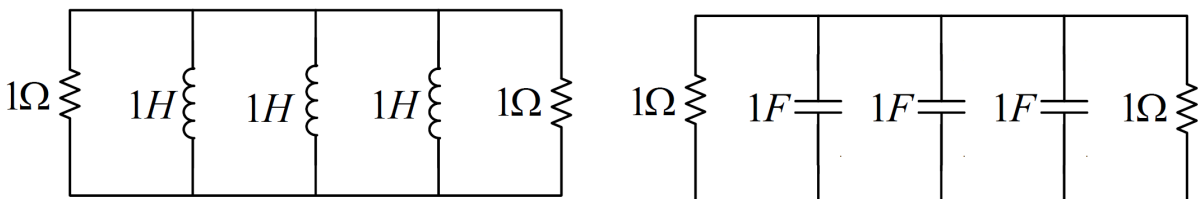


Figure 4: Two circuits with different types of energy storage elements.

### Question 5

For the circuit shown in Fig. 5,

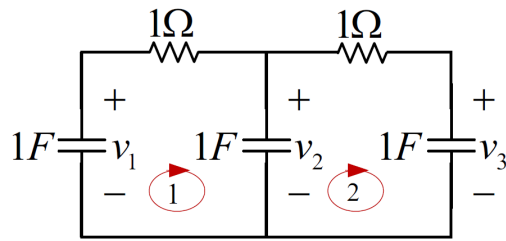


Figure 5: A circuit with three energy storage elements.

(a) Find the natural frequencies using the governing state equations.

(b) Introduce a set of initial conditions for which only one natural frequency exist in zero-input response of the state variables.



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## SOFTWARE QUESTIONS

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### Question 6

Write a MATLAB function that finds the minimal differential equation and natural frequencies corresponding to the last variable in the matrix differential equation

$$A(D)X = F$$

**Note 1:** Here, we have a matrix differential equation, where the elements of  $A(D)$  are polynomials of the differentiation operator  $D^n, n \geq 0$ . No element contains the integral operator  $D^{-1}$ .

**Note 2:** A polynomial can be expressed as a vector, i.e.,

$$\sum_{i=0}^n p_i D^i \equiv [p_n \quad p_{n-1} \quad \cdots \quad p_1 \quad p_0]$$



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## BONUS QUESTIONS

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### Question 7

Return your answers by filling the  $\LaTeX$  template of the assignment. If you want to add a circuit schematic, you can draw it directly using TikZ package, or draw it in a secondary application such as Microsoft Visio and then, import it as a figure.

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### EXTRA QUESTIONS

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### Question 8

Feel free to solve the following questions from the book "*Basic Circuit Theory*" by C. Desoer and E. Kuh.

1. Chapter 14, question 1.
2. Chapter 14, question 2.
3. Chapter 14, question 4.
4. Chapter 14, question 5.
5. Chapter 14, question 6.