

MATHEMATICAL QUESTIONS

**Question 1**

Design a circuit with the lowest number of op-amps that implements  $v_o(t) = -4v_{s1}(t) + 7v_{s2}(t)$ .

**Question 2**

Consider the non-inverting amplifier shown in Fig. 1(a).

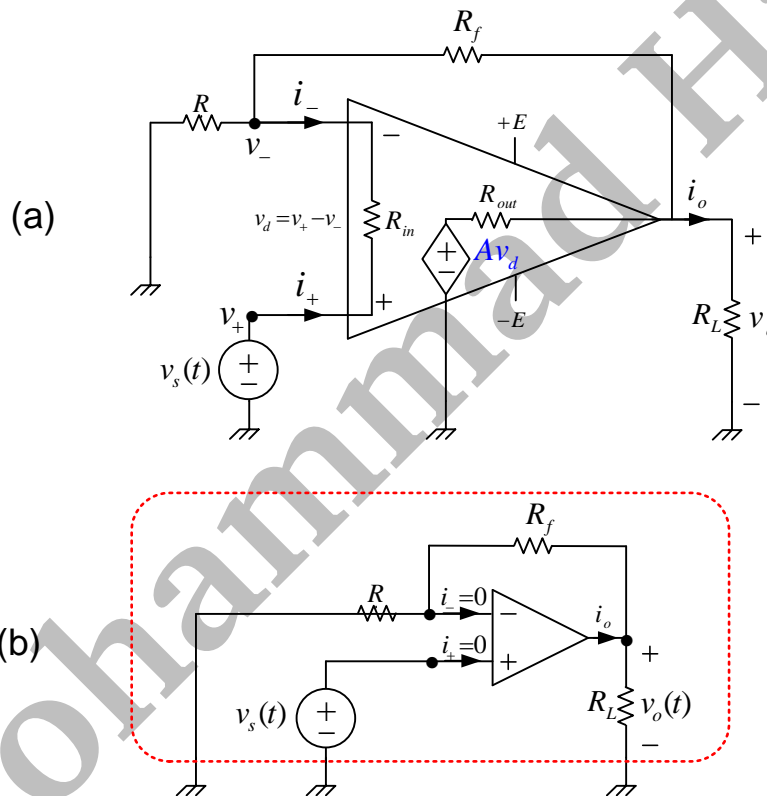


Figure 1: A non-inverting amplifier.

(a) Calculate  $G = \frac{v_o}{v_s}$  in Fig. 1(a).

(b) Under which conditions the calculated  $G = \frac{v_o}{v_s}$  equals the gain of ideal non-inverting amplifier in Fig. 1(b)?

(c) Do the currents crossing the red closed surface of Fig. 1(b) constitute a KCL?

### Question 3

Consider the circuit shown in Fig. 2, where  $V_{ref}$  is provided by a regulated voltage source. Show that the circuit can act like a current source and find the constant current  $I_s$  flowing to the resistive load  $R_L$ .

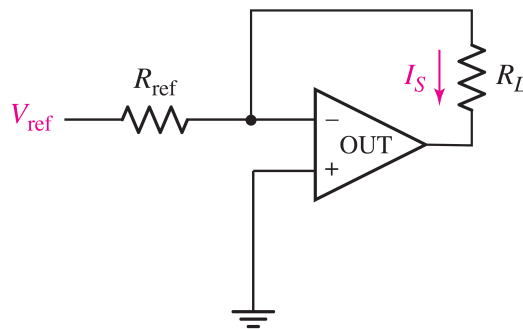


Figure 2: An op amp-based current source.

### Question 4

Apply a unit-step function,  $x(t) = u(t)$ , as the input to a system whose impulse response is  $h(t) = u(t) - 2u(t - 1) + u(t - 2)$ , and determine the corresponding output  $y(t) = x(t) * h(t)$ .

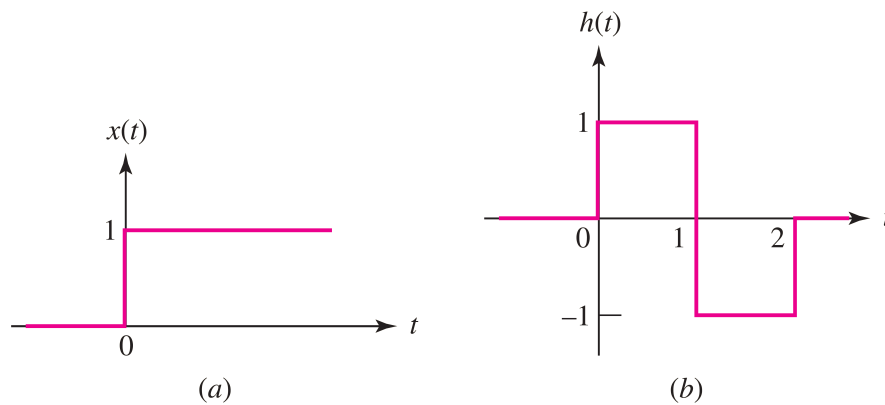


Figure 3: Sketches of (a) the input signal and (b) the unit impulse response for a linear system.

### Question 5

Find the convolution of the two exponential signals  $e^{-\alpha t}u(t)$  and  $e^{-\beta t}u(t)$ . Feel free to use graphical, analytical, or any other method you know.

### Question 6

Consider a series RL circuit driven with the voltage source  $v(t)$ , where the loop current  $i(t)$  should be calculated.

(a) Find the zero-input response if the initial current is  $i(0) = I_0$ .

(b) Find the step response.

(c) Find the impulse response.

(d) Find the zero-state response if  $v(t) = V_0 e^{-t}u(t)$ .

(e) Find the complete response if  $v(t) = V_0 e^{-t} u(t)$  and  $i(0) = I_0$ .

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## SOFTWARE QUESTIONS

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### Question 7

**Simulate a non-inverting amplifier with the gain 2 and an inverting amplifier with the gain  $-2$  in PSpice. Use LM324 for the op amp. Apply a suitable periodic voltage to each amplifier and investigate the corresponding output. Increase the frequency and amplitude of the input and observe the results.**

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## BONUS QUESTIONS

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### Question 8

Repeat Question 6 if  $v(t) = V_0 \cos(\omega t + \theta) u(t)$ .

### Question 9

Return your answers by filling the  $\LaTeX$  template of the assignment.

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## EXTRA QUESTIONS

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### Question 10

Feel free to solve the following questions from the book "*Engineering Circuit Analysis*" by W. Hayt, J. Kemmerly, and S. Durbin.

1. Chapter 6, question 12.
2. Chapter 6, question 13.

3. Chapter 6, question 14.
4. Chapter 6, question 17.
5. Chapter 6, question 20.
6. Chapter 6, question 21.
7. Chapter 6, question 23.
8. Chapter 6, question 28.
9. Chapter 6, question 29.
10. Chapter 6, question 34.
11. Chapter 6, question 38.
12. Chapter 6, question 40.
13. Chapter 6, question 45.

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