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Solution Problem Set # 3 (by Farinaz Koushanfar)

3.1 Capacitance.

- Charge accumulation rate \times time = $Q(t) = (9 \times 10^5 \text{ m/hr})(1/3600 \text{ s/hr})(10^{17} \text{ e/m})(-1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C/e})t = 4t \text{ C}$.
- $V(t) = (1/C_{\text{PLANE}})Q(t) = 10^{+3} \times 4t = 4.0 \times 10^3 t \text{ V}$.
- $100 \text{ KV} / (4.0 \times 10^3 \text{ V/s}) = 25 \text{ s}$
- $(1/2)CV^2 = (1/2)(10^{-3})(10^5)^2 = 5.0 \text{ MJ}$

3.2 Capacitance and voltage versus time.

- From 0 to 2 μs , $v(t) = V(t=0) + (1/C)i(t)t = 0 + (1/10^{-12})(1 \times 10^{-6})t = 0 + 1t \text{ (V)}$
From 2 to 4 μs , $v(t) = V(t=2) + (1/C)i(t)(t-2\mu\text{s}) = 2 + (1/10^{-12})(2 \times 10^{-6})(t - 2\mu\text{s})$
 $= 2 + 2(t - 2\mu\text{s}) \text{ (V)}$
From 4 to 7 μs , $v(t) = V(t=4) + (1/C)i(t)(t-4\mu\text{s}) = 6 + (1/10^{-12})(-4 \times 10^{-6})(t - 2\mu\text{s}) = 6 - 4(t - 4\mu\text{s}) \text{ (V)}$
If $v(t)=0 \Rightarrow 6 - 4(t - 4\mu\text{s}) = 0 \Rightarrow 22 - 4t = 0 \Rightarrow t = 5.5\mu\text{s}$

$$b) E = \int_{v=V_{\text{Initial}}}^{v=V_{\text{Final}}} CV dv = \frac{1}{2} CV_{\text{Final}}^2 - \frac{1}{2} CV_{\text{Initial}}^2 = (1/2) \times 10^{-12} \times (4-0) = 2 \text{ pJ}$$

$$c) E = \int_{v=V_{\text{Initial}}}^{v=V_{\text{Final}}} CV dv = \frac{1}{2} CV_{\text{Final}}^2 - \frac{1}{2} CV_{\text{Initial}}^2 = - (1/2)(10^{-12})2^2 + (1/2)(10^{-12})6^2 = 16 \text{ pJ}$$

$$d) E = \frac{1}{2} C(V_{\text{Final}} - V_{\text{Initial}})^2 = (1/2)(10^{-12})(6-2)^2 = 8 \text{ pJ which is NOT correct!}$$

Since $(V_{\text{Final}} - V_{\text{Initial}})^2$ is not the solution to the integral

$$E = \int_0^{\infty} i(t) \cdot v(t) \cdot dt$$

3.3 Equivalent Circuits.

- For $V_{\text{OUT}} = 1.2\text{V}$, we know from last weeks HW that this is the open circuit voltage and so $I_{\text{OUT}} = 0$. This means that there is really no external element and the circuit to the left of V_{OUT} can be analyzed by itself. $I_{\text{SS}} \times R_2 || R_3 = 1.2\text{V}$ as expected.

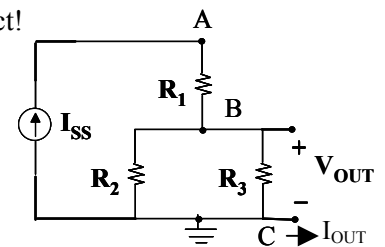
For $V_{\text{OUT}} = 0.6\text{V}$ the current through R_1 plus through R_2 is:

$$(0.6\text{V}/2\text{k}\Omega) + (0.6\text{V}/3\text{k}\Omega) = 0.3 \text{ mA} + 0.2 \text{ mA} = 0.5\text{mA} \Rightarrow I_{\text{OUT}} = 1 \text{ mA} - 0.5 \text{ mA} = 0.5\text{mA}.$$

For $V_{\text{OUT}} = 0\text{V}$ there is no voltage drop on R_2 or $R_3 \Rightarrow$ there is no current through them.

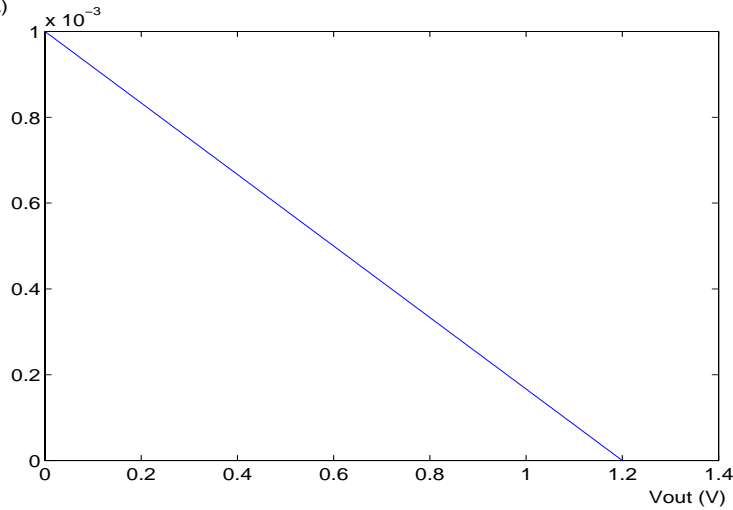
This greatly simplifies the circuit to the left by removing R_1 and R_2 and $I_{\text{OUT}} = 1.0 \text{ mA}$.

- The short circuit case $V_{\text{OUT}} = 0\text{V}$ was easiest followed by the open circuit case $V_{\text{OUT}} = 1.2\text{V}$. The solution technique for $V_{\text{OUT}} = 0.6\text{V}$ is completely general and could be used for any output voltage.



$I_{\text{SS}} = 1\text{mA}$, $R_1 = 1\text{k}\Omega$, $R_2 = 2\text{k}\Omega$, $R_3 = 3\text{k}\Omega$
Fig. P3.3

c) $I_{OUT} = 1\text{mA} - V_{OUT}/(R_2||R_3) = (1 - V_{OUT}/(1.2\text{k}\Omega))$
 $I_{out} \text{ (A)} \times 10^{-3}$



d) Slope = $10^{-3}/1.2$ (A/V). The inverse of the slope gives $1.2\text{k}\Omega$ and the voltage is 1.2V .

e) Show that $R_T = -V_{OC}/I_{SC} = -(1.2\text{V}/-1\text{mA}) = 1.2\text{k}\Omega$.

f) This value is $R_2||R_3$. Turning the current source to zero makes $I_{SS} = 0$ and there is no current path through I_{SS} . Thus only R_2 and R_3 are in the circuit in this case.

3.4 Equivalent Circuits and Ideal Supplies.

a) $V_{OC} = V_{AA} = 1\text{V}$ as there is no current through R_2 . $V_{AA} = 1\text{V}$, $I_{SS} = 1\text{mA}$, $R_1 = 1\text{k}\Omega$, $R_2 = 2\text{k}\Omega$

b) In the book I_{SC} flows into the output. $I_{SC} = (-V_{AA}/R_2) = (-1\text{V}/2\text{k}\Omega) = -0.5\text{mA}$.

c) $I_N = -I_{SC} = 0.5\text{mA}$. $R_N = R_{TH} = -(V_{OC}/I_{SC}) = -(1\text{V}/(-0.5\text{mA})) = 2\text{k}\Omega$.

d) $V_{SS} = I_{SS} \times R_1 + V_{AA} = 1\text{mA} \times 1\text{k}\Omega + 1\text{V} = 2\text{V}$.

e) $I_{AA} = I_{SS} - \text{Current through } R_2 = 1\text{mA} - V_{AA}/R_2$
 $= 1\text{mA} - 1\text{V}/2\text{k}\Omega = 0.5\text{mA}$.

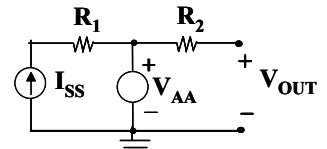


Fig. P3.4

3.5 Nonlinear Load and Power. Use a graphical method to find the solution for the following loads when attached to V_{OUT} in Fig. P3.3. For a) The answer is around 0.9V and 0.225mA with 0.20mW into the load. For b) it is about 0.7V , 0.4mA and 0.28mW . For c) it is at about 1.35V , -0.2mA and 0.3mW .

