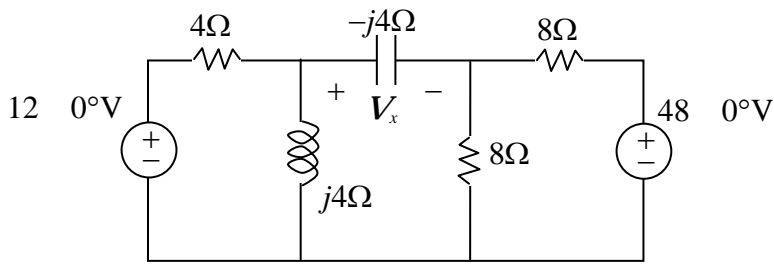
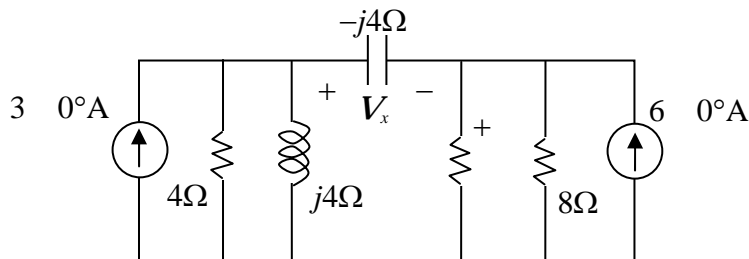


1. Determine voltage  $V_x$  in the following circuit. (15%)

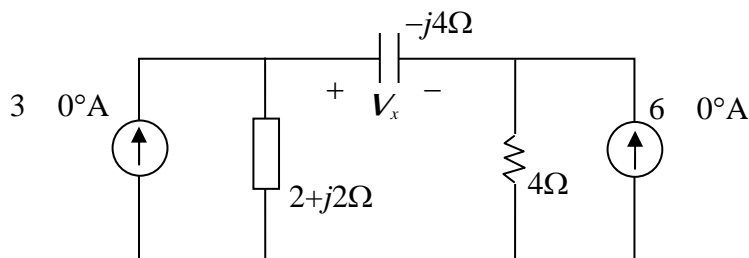


**Solution:**

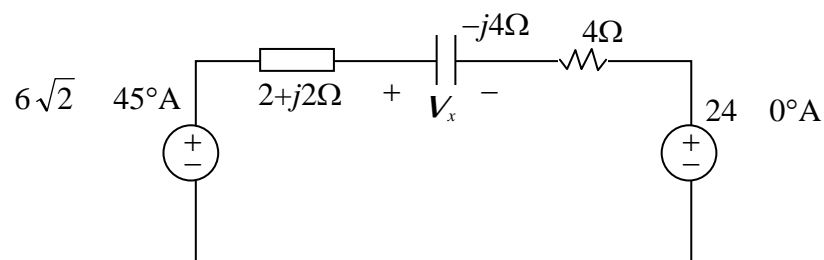
Use source transformation, the circuit is redrawn as below:



Further, it is changed as below:



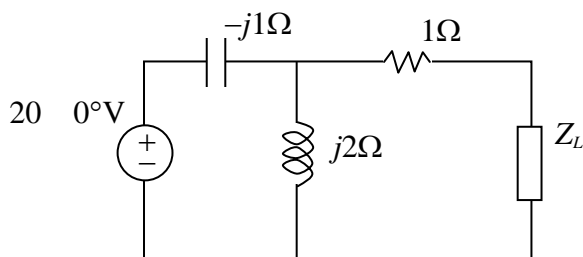
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Hence,

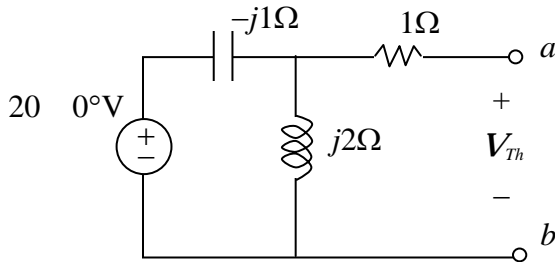
$$V_x = \frac{-j4}{2+j2-j4+4} (6\sqrt{2}\angle 45^\circ - 24\angle 0^\circ) = j12 \text{ A} = 12\angle 90^\circ \text{ A}$$

2. Find  $Z_L$  that will absorb the maximum power and determine the maximum power. (10%)



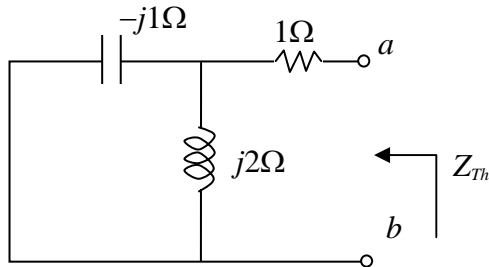
**Solution:**

First, find the Thevenin circuit. The Thevenin voltage  $V_{Th}$  is the voltage across the open terminals  $a$  to  $b$  as below:



It can be found that  $V_{Th} = 20 \times \frac{j2}{-j1 + j2} = 40 = 40 \angle 0^\circ$

The Thevenin impedance is obtained by eliminating the voltage source as below:



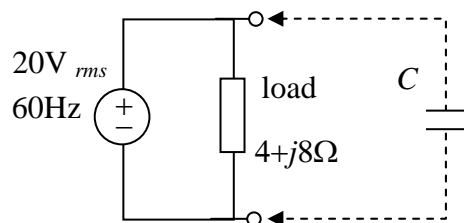
Hence,

$$Z_{Th} = 1 + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{-j1} + \frac{1}{j2}} = 1 - j2$$

Clearly,  $Z_L = R_L + jX_L = Z_{Th}^* = 1 + j2 \Omega$  will absorb the maximum power and the maximum power is

$$P_L = \frac{V_{Th}^2}{8R_L} = \frac{40^2}{8} = 200 \text{ W}$$

3. Consider the circuit on the right. First, if the capacitor is not connected, find (12%)
- (A) the average power dissipated in the load,
  - (B) the reactive power delivered by the source,
  - (C) the power factor.



Then, connect the capacitor to the circuit and adjust the power factor to 1.

- (D) What is the capacitance  $C$ ?

**Solution:**

When the capacitor is not connected to the circuit, the effective current through the load is

$$I_L = \frac{20}{4 + j8} = 1 - j2$$

The complex power is  $S_L = V_L I_L^* = 20(1 + j2) = 20 + j40 \text{ VA}$ .

(A) The average power is 20 W.

(B) The reactive power is 40 VAR

(C) The power factor is  $pf = \frac{20}{\sqrt{20^2 + 40^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} = 0.4472$

(D) The admittance of the load is  $\frac{1}{4 + j8} = \frac{1 - j2}{20}$ .

To get a unity power factor, the capacitance must satisfy  $j\omega C = j\frac{2}{20}$ , i.e.,

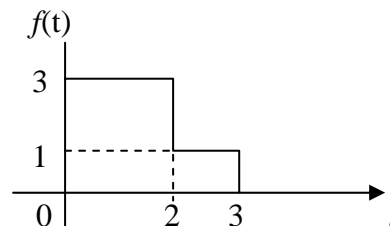
$$C = \frac{2}{20\omega} = \frac{2}{20 \times 2\pi \times 60} = 265 \mu\text{F}$$

4. Find the Laplace transform of the following signals: (15%)

(A)  $f(t)$  shown on the right.

(B)  $g(t) = ((t+2)e^{-t} \cos 2t)u(t)$

(C)  $h(t) = (t^2 + 2t + 2 - e^{-t} \cos 2t)\delta(t)$



**Solution:**

$$(A) F(s) = \int_0^{\infty} f(t)e^{-st} dt = \int_0^2 3e^{-st} dt + \int_2^3 e^{-st} dt = \frac{3}{s} - \frac{2}{s}e^{-2s} - \frac{1}{s}e^{-3s}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (B) G(s) &= \int_0^{\infty} g(t)e^{-st} dt = 2 \int_0^{\infty} e^{-t} \cos(2t)e^{-st} dt + \int_0^{\infty} t \cdot e^{-t} \cos(2t)e^{-st} dt \\ &= 2 \frac{s+1}{(s+1)^2 + 4} - \frac{d}{ds} \left[ \frac{s+1}{(s+1)^2 + 4} \right] = \frac{2(s+1)}{(s+1)^2 + 4} + \frac{(s+1)^2 - 4}{((s+1)^2 + 4)^2} \\ &= \frac{2(s+1)^3 + (s+1)^2 + 8(s+1) - 4}{((s+1)^2 + 4)^2} \end{aligned}$$

(C) Since  $h(t) = (t^2 + 2t + 2 - e^{-t} \cos 2t)\delta(t) = \delta(t)$ , we have  $H(s)=1$ .

5. Determine the inverse Laplace transform of the following signals: (15%)

$$(A) F(s) = \frac{2s+3}{(s+1)(s+3)(s+5)}$$

$$(B) G(s) = \frac{s^2+5}{(s+2)^2(s+4)}$$

$$(C) H(s) = \frac{s+6}{(s+1)(s^2+4s+8)}$$

**Solution:**

$$(A) \text{ Since } F(s) = \frac{2s+3}{(s+1)(s+3)(s+5)} = \frac{1/8}{s+1} + \frac{3/4}{s+3} + \frac{-7/8}{s+5},$$

$$\text{we have } f(t) = \frac{1}{8}e^{-t} + \frac{3}{4}e^{-3t} - \frac{7}{8}e^{-5t}, t > 0.$$

$$(B) \text{ Since } G(s) = \frac{s^2+5}{(s+2)^2(s+4)} = \frac{21/4}{s+4} + \frac{-17/4}{s+2} + \frac{9/2}{(s+2)^2},$$

$$\text{we have } g(t) = \frac{21}{4}e^{-4t} - \frac{17}{4}e^{-2t} + \frac{9}{2}te^{-2t}, t > 0.$$

$$(C) \text{ Since } H(s) = \frac{s+6}{(s+1)(s^2+4s+8)} = \frac{1}{s+1} - \frac{s+2}{(s+2)^2+2^2},$$

$$\text{we have } h(t) = e^{-t} - e^{-2t} \cos 2t, t > 0.$$

6. Let  $F(s) = \frac{s^2+3}{s^3-4s^2+2s+1}$  and determine the initial and final values of  $f(t)$ . (6%)

**Solution:**

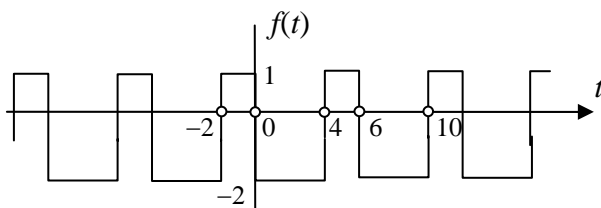
From initial value theorem, we have  $f(0) = \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} sF(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \frac{s(s^2+3)}{s^3-4s^2+2s+1} = \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \frac{s^3}{s^3} = 1.$

For the truth of final value theorem  $f(\infty) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sF(s)$ , it is required that  $F(s)$  is stable, i.e., all its poles are located on the left-half plane, otherwise  $f(\infty) = \infty$ . Since  $F(s)$  has a pole at  $s=1$ , not on the left-half plane, we know that  $f(\infty) = \infty$ .

7. The periodic function  $f(t)$  can be expressed as the following Fourier series: (12%)

$$f(t) = a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos(n\omega_0 t) + b_n \sin(n\omega_0 t))$$

Find  $a_k, k=0,1,2,3,4$ , and  $b_k, k=1,2,3,4,5$ .



**Solution:**

The Fourier series expansion is

$$f(t) = a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos(n \omega_0 t) + b_n \sin(n \omega_0 t))$$

where  $\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T} = \frac{2\pi}{6} = \frac{\pi}{3}$  and  $a_0 = \frac{1}{6} \left[ \int_{-2}^0 dt + \int_0^4 (-2) dt \right] = -1$

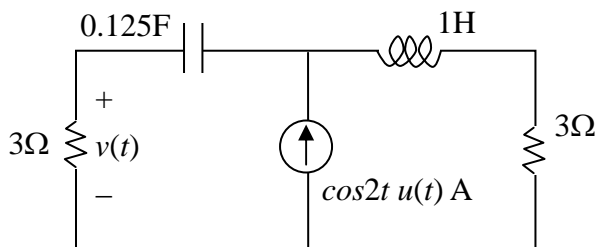
$$\begin{aligned} a_n &= \frac{2}{6} \left[ \int_{-2}^0 \cos(n \omega_0 t) dt + \int_0^4 (-2) \cos(n \omega_0 t) dt \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{\sin(n \omega_0 t)}{n \omega_0} \Big|_{-2}^0 - 2 \frac{\sin(n \omega_0 t)}{n \omega_0} \Big|_0^4 \right] = \frac{3 \sin(2n \pi / 3)}{n \pi} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b_n &= \frac{2}{6} \left[ \int_{-2}^0 \sin(n \omega_0 t) dt + \int_0^4 (-2) \sin(n \omega_0 t) dt \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \left[ -\frac{\cos(n \omega_0 t)}{n \omega_0} \Big|_{-2}^0 + 2 \frac{\cos(n \omega_0 t)}{n \omega_0} \Big|_0^4 \right] = -\frac{3}{n \pi} + \frac{3 \cos(2n \pi / 3)}{n \pi} \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $a_0 = 1$ ,  $a_1 = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2\pi}$ ,  $a_2 = \frac{-3\sqrt{3}}{4\pi}$ ,  $a_3 = 0$ ,  $a_4 = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8\pi}$

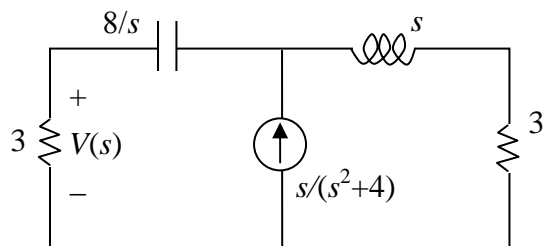
$$b_1 = -\frac{9}{2\pi}, b_2 = -\frac{9}{4\pi}, b_3 = 0, b_4 = -\frac{9}{8\pi}, b_5 = -\frac{9}{10\pi}$$

8. Determine  $v(t)$ . (15%)



**Solution:**

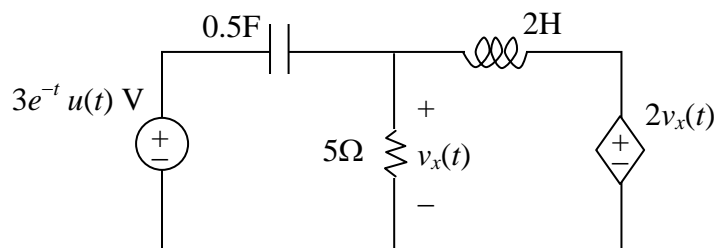
The circuit is redrawn as below:



$$V(s) = 3 \times \frac{s}{s^2+4} \times \frac{s+3}{s+3+3+8/s} = \frac{3s^2(s+3)}{(s^2+4)(s^2+6s+8)} = \frac{1.05s-2.7}{s^2+4} + \frac{0.25}{s+2} + \frac{1.2}{s+4}$$

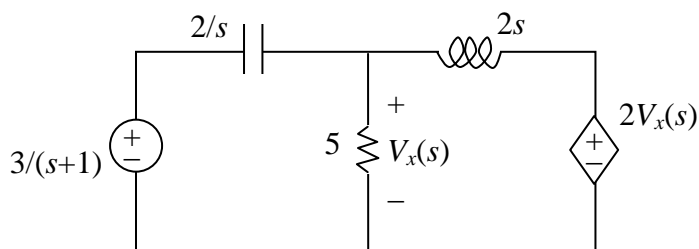
Hence,  $v(t) = 1.05 \cos 2t - 1.35 \sin 2t + 0.25 e^{-2t} + 1.2 e^{-4t}$

9. Find  $V_x(s)$ . (15%)



**Solution:**

The circuit is redrawn as below:



$$\begin{aligned} \frac{V_x(s)}{2s} &= \frac{V_x(s)}{5} + \frac{V_x(s) - \frac{3}{s+1}}{\frac{2}{s}} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{V_x(s)}{2s} &= \frac{V_x(s)}{5} + \frac{s(s+1)V_x(s) - 3s}{2(s+1)} \Rightarrow \frac{V_x(s)}{2s} = \frac{V_x(s)}{5} + \frac{sV_x(s)}{2} - \frac{3s}{2(s+1)} \\ \Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{2s} - \frac{1}{5} - \frac{s}{2}\right)V_x(s) &= -\frac{3s}{2(s+1)} \Rightarrow \frac{5 - 2s - 5s^2}{10s}V_x(s) = -\frac{3s}{2(s+1)} \\ \Rightarrow V_x(s) &= \frac{3s}{2(s+1)} \times \frac{10s}{5s^2 + 2s - 5} = \frac{15s^2}{(s+1)(5s^2 + 2s - 5)} = \frac{15s^2}{5s^3 + 7s^2 - 3s - 5} \end{aligned}$$