

## Level 3 Cambridge Technical in Engineering

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### Unit 4: Principles of electrical and electronic engineering

**Tuesday 23 May 2017 – Morning**

**Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes**

**You must have:**

- the formula booklet for Level 3 Cambridge Technicals in Engineering (inserted)
- a ruler (cm/mm)
- a scientific calculator

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Use black ink. You may use an HB pencil for graphs and diagrams.
- Complete the boxes above with your name, centre number, candidate number and date of birth.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If additional space is required, you should use the lined page(s) at the end of this booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.

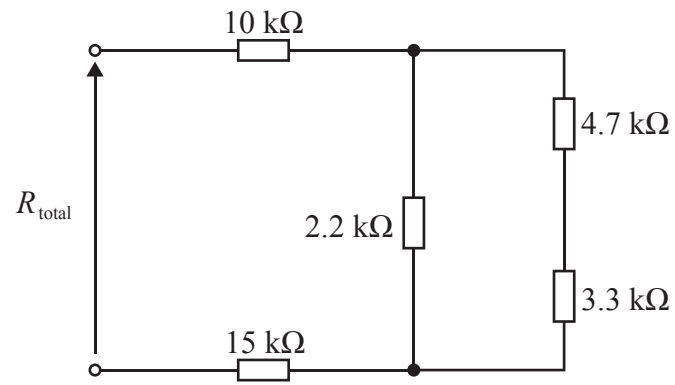
**INFORMATION**

- The total mark for this paper is **60**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [ ].
- Where appropriate, your answers should be supported with working.
- Marks may be given for a correct method even if the answer is incorrect.
- An answer may receive no marks unless you show sufficient detail of the working to indicate that a correct method is being used.
- Final answers should be given to a degree of accuracy appropriate to the context.
- This document consists of **12** pages.

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Question No	Mark
1	/12
2	/12
3	/6
4	/12
5	/6
6	/12
<b>Total</b>	<b>/60</b>

Answer **all** the questions.

- 1 Fig.1 shows a five resistor network.



**Fig.1**

- (a) Calculate the total resistance  $R_{total}$ .

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(b) Fig. 2 shows a circuit with two fixed resistors.

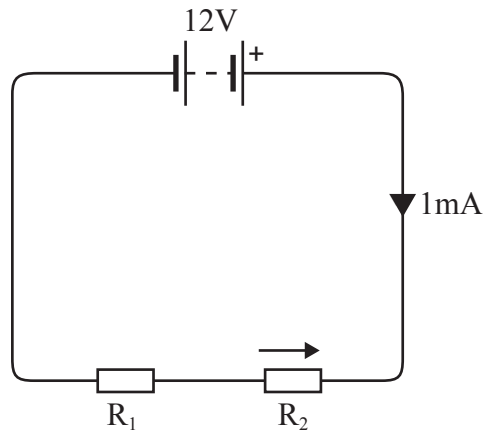


Fig. 2

Calculate  $V_2$ , the voltage drop across  $R_2$ , when  $R_1 = 4.7 \text{ k}\Omega$ .

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(c) A DC supply has an internal resistance of  $3 \Omega$  and an open circuit voltage of  $24 \text{ V}$ .

(i) State the value of the load that will enable maximum power transfer.

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(ii) Calculate the power dissipated in the load.

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- 2 Fig. 3 shows an AC circuit with a  $70\ \Omega$  resistor,  $33\ \mu\text{F}$  capacitor and  $0.5\text{H}$  inductor connected in series with a  $240\text{V}$ ,  $50\text{Hz}$  supply.

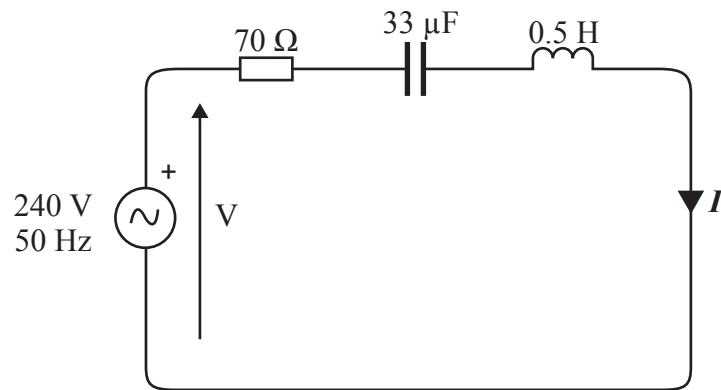


Fig. 3

- (a) (i) Calculate the phase angle  $\phi$ .

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- (ii) Calculate  $I$ .

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(iii) Draw a phasor diagram to represent the circuit shown in Fig. 3.

Show the **values** of  $V$ ,  $I$  and the phase angle  $\phi$  clearly on this diagram.

[3]

(b) The instantaneous value of a voltage waveform is represented by  $v = 25 \sin 628.3t$ .

(i) Calculate the frequency of the waveform.

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(ii) Calculate the periodic time.

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- 3 Fig. 4 shows the circuit diagram for a shunt wound DC motor.

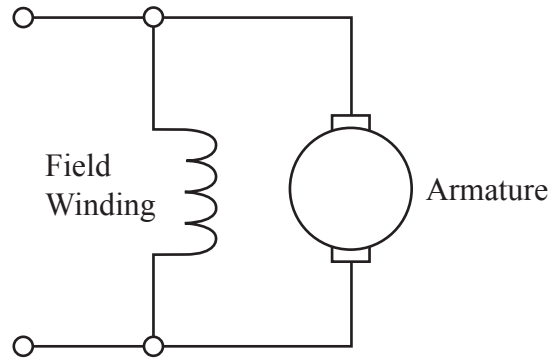


Fig. 4

- (a) Explain with the aid of circuit diagrams **two** methods of controlling the speed of a shunt wound DC motor.

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Method 2

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4 A star connected three phase four wire network is widely used as a system of three phase electricity supply in the UK.

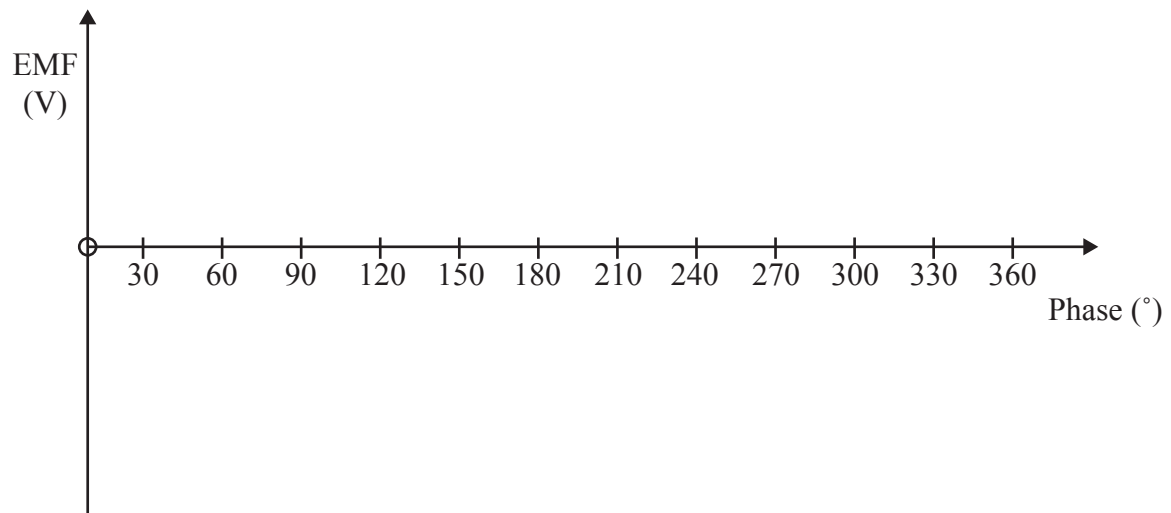
(a) Draw a circuit diagram that shows how this network is connected.

Indicate the phase voltages and the line voltages on the diagram.

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(b) Sketch the waveforms which show one voltage cycle of a three phase supply.

Label phase 1, phase 2 and phase 3 on the sketch.



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(c) State the typical voltage of a three phase supply in the UK.

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(d) Explain with the aid of a circuit diagram how half wave rectification of an AC waveform can be achieved by using a single diode.

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5 A summing amplifier is required for use in an audio mixer circuit.

(a) Draw a circuit diagram of a **three** input summing amplifier.

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(b) State the formula for  $V_{out}$  in a **three** input summing amplifier.

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(c) The input resistors in a **three** input summing amplifier each have a value of  $10\text{k}\Omega$ . The feedback resistor is  $50\text{k}\Omega$ .

Calculate the value of  $V_{out}$  if the input voltages are  $0.2\text{ V}$ ,  $0.5\text{ V}$  and  $0.25\text{ V}$ .

..... [2]

- 6 (a) Complete the table below by drawing the correct logic gate symbol for each Boolean expression.

Boolean Expression	Logic Gate Symbol
$Q = \overline{A \cdot B}$	
$Q = A + B$	
$Q = A \oplus B$	
$Q = \overline{A}$	

[4]

- (b) A digital system will only operate if three switches **X**, **Y** and **Z** are correctly set. An output signal,  $Q=1$ , will occur if switches **X and Y** are both in the ON position **or** if **X** is in the OFF position **and** **Z** is in the ON position. Assume ON=1, OFF =0.

- (i) Complete the truth table for the above system.

X	Y	Z	Q
0	0	0	
0	0	1	
0	1	0	
0	1	1	
1	0	0	
1	0	1	
1	1	0	
1	1	1	

[4]

- (ii) Draw a circuit diagram of the combinational logic that will be required in the digital system.

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