

Final Exam Study Sheet Answers

- 1) Switch S in the figure is closed at time $t = 0$, to begin charging an initially uncharged capacitor of capacitance $C = 10 \mu\text{F}$ through a resistor of resistance $R = 20 \text{ M}\Omega$.
- A) What is the time constant of the circuit? **[200s]**
- B) At what time is the electric potential across the capacitor equal to twice that across the resistor? **[220s]**
- C) A capacitor is added to decrease the time constant by half. What capacitance needs to be added, and is it in series or parallel to the original capacitor?**[10 μF ; in series]**
- 2) Consider the circuit below and the following events. $\mathcal{E} = 12\text{V}$; $C_1 = C_2 = 47 \mu\text{F}$ and $R_1 = 15 \text{ M}\Omega$. Switch S_1 is closed, C_1 and C_2 are allowed to charge up completely and then S_1 is opened. Now switch S_2 is closed.
- A) What is the total energy of the circuit after S_1 is opened and before S_2 is closed? **[6.77mJ]**
- B) What is the time constant of the circuit after S_2 is closed? **[1,410s]**
- C) At what time is the potential the same across the both capacitors and the resistor?**[Always]**
- D) What value capacitor if added between S_2 and R_1 decreases the time constant by 30%?**[219 μF]**
- 3) In a homogenous particle beam, singly charged ions of mass $3.0 \times 10^{-23} \text{ kg}$ are accelerated from rest through an electric potential of 250 kV and the directed into a perpendicular uniform magnetic field, as in a mass spectrometer. The ions travel in a circular arc of radius 95.0 cm and are collected in a cup. The cup collects 180.0 mg/hour.
- A) What is the strength of the magnetic field? **[10.2 T]**
- B) What is the current of the particle beam? **[267 μA]**
- C) What magnetic force do the particles experience? Give the magnitude and direction.**[8.42 $\times 10^{-14} \text{ N}$ toward the center of curvature]**
- 4) In a cyclotron a singly ionized Hydrogen atom travels in a circular arc of radius 25.0 cm in a magnetic field of 0.85 T.
- A) Find the frequency of the oscillator.**[1.29 $\times 10^7 \text{ Hz}$]**
- B) What is the energy of the Hydrogen ion in joules? **[3.45 $\times 10^{-13} \text{ J}$]**
- C) In eV? **[2.16 MeV]**
- 5) An electron is moving at a speed of $1.2 \times 10^4 \text{ m/s}$ in a circular path of radius $r = 1.8 \text{ cm}$ inside a solenoid. The magnetic field of the solenoid is perpendicular to the plane of the electron's path.
- A) Find the magnitude of the magnetic field inside the solenoid. **[3.80 μT]**
- B) Find the current in the solenoid if the solenoid has 30 turns per cm. **[1.00 mA]**

- 6) A thinly insulated copper wire of length 80.0 m is wound as a single layer (long, narrow) solenoid of effective radius 3.0 cm. the wire has a diameter of 0.25 mm and a resistivity of $3.5 \times 10^{-8} \Omega \text{m}$.
- A) Determine the resistance of the solenoid. [**57.0 Ω**]
 - B) What is the physical length of the solenoid? [**10.6 cm**]
 - C) If the solenoid is connected to a 100 volt dc power supply, determine the magnetic field in the solenoid. [**8.84 mT**]
 - D) What current does the solenoid draw? [**1.75A**]
- 7) A uniform magnetic field is created within a circle of radius $R = 10.0$ cm. A copper ring of radius $r = 2.0$ cm is placed concentric and coaxial in the field (that is the plane of the ring is perpendicular to the field). The magnetic field points into the page and has a time dependence of $\mathbf{B}(t) = 0.015t + 0.120t^2$, with B in Teslas and t in seconds.
- A) Which way will the induced current flow in the ring, CW or CCW? [**CCW**]
 - B) Which point is at a higher potential, **A** or **B**? [**Equipotentials**]
 - C) What is the electric field at point **B**, magnitude and direction at $t=3\text{s}$? [**7.35×10^{-3} V/m to the right**]
 - D) If an electron is placed at point that same point (**B**), what is the instantaneous acceleration of the electron due to this electric field? Give the magnitude and direction. [**$1.29 \times 10^9 \text{m/s}^2$ to the right**]
- 8) The inductance of a tightly wound coil is such that an emf of 3.00 mV is induced when the current changes at a rate of 5.00 A/s. A steady current of 8.00 A produces a magnetic flux of 40.0 μWb through each turn.
- A) Find the inductance of the coil.
 - B) Find the number of turns the coil has.
- 9) A rigid semi-circular current segment of radius 15.0 cm subtends an angle of 57° and carries a steady current of 2.0 A in a CCW direction. A uniform magnetic field of strength 50.0 mT is directed downward, into the page. By integration, determine the net magnetic force (magnitude and direction) acting on this loop.
- 10) At a specific location the Earth's magnetic field is 0.06×10^{-4} T pointing at 75° below the horizontal in a North - South plane. A 15 A current is sent through a 10.0 m long straight wire.
- A) If the wire is directed horizontally toward the East, what is the magnitude and direction of the magnetic force on the wire?
 - B) If the wire is now pointed vertically upward, what is the magnitude and direction of the magnetic force on the wire?
- 11) An inductor with a value of 12 μH is placed in series with a 4.7 k Ω resistor; A 12 V potential is applied to the pair.
- A) What is the time constant (τ) of the circuit?
 - B) At what time does the current through the resistor reach half its maximum value?
 - C) What is the current through the resistor at $t = 0.5 \tau$?

- 12)** A particular coil has a resistance of 1.5Ω . With a current of 6A in this coil the magnetic flux is 30 mWb .
- A)** What is the inductance of the coil?
 - B)** If a 6V emf source were attached to it, how long would it take for the current to rise from 0 to 2A ?
- 13)** An RLC series circuit is composed of a 25Ω resistor, a 14.8 mH inductor and a $47 \mu\text{F}$ capacitor. The circuit is driven by an emf with an angular frequency of 1500 rad/s .
- A)** What is the resonant frequency of this circuit?
 - B)** What is the phase angle between the emf and the current at 1500 rad/s ?
 - C)** Is the circuit inductor or capacitor dominated?
 - D)** In order to make the circuit resonate at 1500 rad/s , should an additional inductor be placed in series or parallel with the existing inductor?
 - E)** What should the value of this additional inductor be?
- 14)** An RLC series circuit driven by an 120VAC source, $\omega_d = 2000 \text{ rad/s}$, is composed of a 15Ω resistor, a 4.8 mH inductor and a $10.0 \mu\text{F}$ capacitor.
- A)** Find the capacitive reactance.
 - B)** Find the inductive reactance.
 - C)** Find the impedance.
 - D)** Find I_o .
 - E)** Find I_{Rms} .
 - F)** Find the power factor of the circuit.