Practice Exam Problems

Medium Difficulty

Problem 1:

For the circuit below, find the current I, and determine which batteries are being charged up.



Problem 2: (Problem 1.11 from Oldham & Schwartz)

The power output (as light) of a certain automobile headlight is 10 W, and the lamp is known to be 28% efficient as a converter of electric power to light. The voltage applied to the lamp is 12 V.

- a) Construct a diagram showing the lamp, and the direction that positive current will flow.
- b) What is the value of the current?

Problem 3:

Assume that A, B, C have been at logic zero for a long time, and simultaneously change to logic 1 at time t=0. Draw a timing diagram for the circuit below, assuming that each circuit has a time delay T.



Problem 4:

Find a one-gate equivalent for each of the following circuits:



Problem 5:

Consider our usual model for gate delay, with R = 10 k Ω and C = 50pF.



Suppose Vin has been at 3 V for a long time, and goes to zero at t=0.

- a) Plot Vout(t) over a range of five time constants.
- b) Write the equation for Vout(t).
- c) Write the equation for I(t), the current flowing in the circuit, associated with the capacitor voltage Vout.
- d) Determine the energy dissipated in the resistor over the time interval t=0 to $t\rightarrow\infty$.
- e) Since the voltage source was at zero volts, it did not deliver any energy to the circuit during the time period t=0 to $t \rightarrow \infty$. Where did the resistor get its energy to dissipate?
- f) Does the energy produced = energy dissipated over this time period?

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1. In the circuit below, find v1 and I.



2. What is wrong (if any) with the **IDEAL** circuit below?



3. In the circuit below, find V_{GS} , V_{DS} and V_{DG} .



¹These problems are difficult

4. In the circuit below, find V and I.



5. In the circuit below, switch S has been in position A for a long time. At t = 0, switch S **instantaneously** moves to position B. Find v at $t = 0^+$ and plot v1 as a function of time (for all t).

