Course: ECE 53a Quiz #2 Instructor: Pamela Cosman Date: 2/11/09

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There are 4 problems. Each problem is worth 10 points.

Problem	Possible	Score
1	10	
2	10	
3	10	
4	10	
Total	40	

On this quiz you may use one page of notes (8.5 by 11 inches, both sides of the page). No other notes or books allowed. No calculators. You need to show your work for all problems. Problem 1: In the following circuit, find the output voltage  $V_o$  in terms of the source voltage  $V_s$ . Assume that the op amp shown is an ideal (infinite gain) operational amplifier.



Problem 2: (a) Given a box of 10-k $\Omega$  resistors and an ideal (infinite gain) op-amp, show how to design a circuit that would have an output voltage that equals one third of the input voltage, regardless of the load that might be attached to the output terminals. (b) Suppose it turns out now that the amplifier which you thought could be treated as having infinite gain actually has a gain of only 100. With the circuit configured as you have it in part (a), what is the relation between the input and output voltages? Problem 3: Find the current  $I_o$  through the  $2\Omega$  resistor using Thevenin's theorem. That is, find the Thevenin equivalent for the circuit without the  $2\Omega$  resistor present, across the terminals where the  $2\Omega$  resistor is connected. Draw the Thevenin equivalent circuit. Attach a  $2\Omega$  resistor to the Thevenin equivalent and compute the current through it using that simple circuit.



Problem 4: For this circuit, suppose that  $V_c(t)$  is described by the function given below right. That is,  $V_c(t) = 0$  for  $t \le 0$ ,  $V_c(t) = t$  for  $0 < t \le 1$ , and  $V_c(t) = 1$  for t > 1.

Find expressions for the following 5 things: (a) i(t), (b)  $i_R(t)$ , (c)  $V_R(t)$ , (d)  $V_s(t)$ , and (e)  $V_o(t)$ . Your final expressions should be functions of t but you should not have any variables such as  $V_c(t)$  in your final expressions. (You do not need to sketch any of them).

