



**KING FAHD UNIVERSITY OF PETROLEUM & MINERALS**  
**ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT**  
**EE204 - Fundamentals of Electric Circuits**  
**FIRST SEMESTER 2010-2011 (Term 101)**

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**EE 204 Fundamentals of Electric Circuits**

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Basic laws: Ohm's, KVL, KCL. Resistive networks, mesh and node equations. Network theorems. Inductance and capacitance. Sinusoidal analysis and phasor methods. Power concepts of AC circuits. Polyphase circuits.

**Pre-requisite:** MATH 102 and PHYS 102

**Textbook:** Clayton R. Paul, *FUNDAMENTALS OF ELECTRIC CIRCUIT ANALYSIS*, 1<sup>st</sup> Edition, Wiley & Sons. Inc. 2001.

**Other reference:** James Nilsson and Susan Riedel, *Electric Circuits*, 8<sup>th</sup> edition, Prentice Hall, 2008.

**Tentative Schedule:**

Wk	Date	Topics	Text	Laboratory/Tutorial
1	Sep 25	Voltage, Current , Power, KCL, KVL	1.2 – 1.6	No Meeting
2	Oct 2	Conservation of power, Series & Parallel Connection of Elements, Ohm's Law	1.7 – 1.8, 2.1 – 2.2	No Meeting
3	Oct 9	Single loop and single node-pair circuits Resistors in Series and in Parallel, Voltage and Current Division	2.3 – 2.5	<b>Exp #1</b> Resistors and Ohm's Law
4	Oct 16	Direct Method, Source Transformation	2.6, 2.7	<b>Exp #2</b> Kirchhoff's Laws
5	Oct 23	Principle of Superposition, Review	3.1	<b>Problem Session # 1</b>
<i>Major Exam I, Wed. October 27<sup>th</sup> (7:00-9:00 PM) (1.2-2.7) Location set by Section Instructor</i>				
6	Oct 30	Thevenin Theorem, Norton Theorem, Maximum Power Transfer	3.2 – 3.4	<b>Exp#3a</b> Computer Simulation of DC Circuits
7	Nov 6	Node Voltage Method, System of Equations	3.5	<b>Exp #3b</b> Experimental Part
<i>Midterm Vacation 11-21 November 2010.</i>				
8	Nov 20	Mesh Current Method, System of Equations	3.6	<b>Exp #4</b> Current & Voltage Divider
9	Nov 27	Mesh Current Method, Capacitors, Inductors,	3.6, 5.1 – 5.2,	<b>Exp#5</b> Superposition, Thevinin & Norton Theorems
10	Dec 4	Series and Parallel Connections of inductors and capacitors, review	5.4	<b>Problem Session # 2</b>
<i>Major Exam II, Wed, December 8<sup>th</sup> (7:00-9:00 PM) (3.1-5.4) Location set by Section Instructor</i>				
11	Dec 11	Sinusoidal Source, Complex Numbers, Frequency Domain Analysis	6.1-6.3	<b>Exp #6a</b> Frequency Domain Analysis
12	Dec 18	Frequency Domain Analysis, Power concepts	6.4-6.6.1;	<b>Exp #6b</b> Frequency Domain Analysis
13	Dec 25	Power Factor, Superposition of Average power	6.6.2, 6.6.4	<b>Exp #7</b> Max. Power Transfer
14	Jan 1	Superposition of Average power, Maximum power transfer	6.6.4, 6.6.3;	<b>Exp #8</b> Average and RMS Values
15	Jan 8	RMS Values, Commercial Power Distribution, Three Phase Circuits, Star-Delta Connections,	6.6.5, 6.9; 6.9.1; 6.9.2	<b>Final Lab Exam</b>
16	Jan 15	review		
<b>Final Exam (Comprehensive ) 12:30 PM January 20, 2011 Thursday</b>				

### Course Outcomes:

- Outcome 1: An ability to apply knowledge of mathematics, science, and engineering to the analysis and design of electric circuits
- Outcome 2: An ability to identify, formulate, and solve engineering problems in the area of circuits.
- Outcome 3: An ability to use the techniques, skills, and modern programming tools such as PSPICE, necessary for engineering practice.
- Outcome 4: An ability to function on multi-disciplinary teams
- Outcome 5: An ability to design a system, components or process to meet desired needs within realistic constraints

### Grading:

- Class work (15 %):** 3 homework problems (6 marks), 6 quizzes (6 marks), and one design problem (3 marks).
- Two Major Exams (15% each)** Common exams. Location of major exams will be reserved and posted by each section instructor.
- Laboratory (20%):** reports (7 marks), prelab (3 marks), performance (2 marks), theoretical final exam (4 marks), experimental final exam (4 marks).
- Final Exam (35%):** Common and Comprehensive

### Suggested Practice problems:

HW # 1	Ch. 1:	1.3-1, 1.4-5, 1.5-5, 1.6-2, 1.6-6, 1.7-2, 1.8-2
HW # 2	Ch. 2:	2.2-5, 2.2-7, 2.3-2, 2.3-8, 2.4-3, 2.4-10, 2.5-7, 2.5-11
HW # 3	Ch. 2: & Ch. 3:	Ch.2: 2.6-4, 2.7-3, 2.7-5, Ch.3: 3.1-2, 3.1-4, 3.2-2, 3.2-4
HW # 4	Ch. 3:	3.2-6, 3.2-12, 3.3-2, 3.3-4, 3.3-6, 3.3-12
HW # 5	Ch. 3:	3.5-2, 3.5-7, 3.6-2, 3.6-7
HW # 6	Ch. 5:	5.1-3, 5.1-6, 5.1-8, 5.2-3, 5.2-6, 5.2-8, 5.4-2
HW # 7	Ch. 6:	6.1-1(b,f), 6.1-2(a,f,g), 6.2-1(d,f), 6.2-5(b,d)
HW # 8	Ch. 6:	6.3-4, 6.3-7, 6.4-4, 6.4-7, 6.4-12
HW # 9	Ch. 6:	6.4-16, 6.4-17, 6.5-1, 6.5-4, 6.5-8

### Important Points to Remember:

- Practice Problems:** Practice problems are to be solved completely by the students ( they are not for submission). Solutions will be posted in **Blackboard CE8**.
- Homework:** Your Instructor will provide you with 4 homework sets to be submitted for grading
- Problem Sessions:** All problem sessions will be held during the lab periods.
- Lab. Makeup:** No lab makeup will be allowed without an official excuse from students affairs.
- Attendance:** According to the university regulations, any student that exceeds 20% of the scheduled class meeting without an official excuse will receive a grade of DN in the course.
- Official excuses:** All official excuses must be submitted to the instructor no later than one week of the date of the official excuse. The instructor may not accept late excuses.

*This information and more will be available on Blackboard CE8*