# Spring 2004

## Midterm Exam # 1 March 2, 2004 Time Allowed: 90 minutes

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This is a closed-book exam, except for use of one  $8.5 \times 11$  inch sheet of your notes. Show all your work to receive full or partial credit. Write your answers clearly in the spaces provided.

Problem #:	Points:
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a) (2 points)

1.

In the circuit shown in Figure 1(a), the independent source values and resistances are known. Given the indicated reference potential, list the unknown node potentials in the circuit of Figure 1(a).

## b) (8 points)

Write down a complete set of node equations sufficient to solve for the node potentials you listed in part (a). Do not solve! Write your node equations in the box below.

#### c) (2 points)

How many meshes would be required to solve the circuit of Figure 1(a) by the mesh analysis method?

d) (8 points)



In the circuit of Figure 1 (d), the independent source values and resistances are known. Use the node voltage method to write three equations sufficient to solve for the node potentials  $V_a$ ,  $V_b$ , and  $V_c$ . Write your equations in the box below. Do not solve!



Figure 2(a)

a) (10 points)

Determine the Thevenin equivalent circuit for the circuit in Figure 2(a). **Hint:** superposition. Write your answer in the box at the bottom of the page.

$V_{th} =$	
R <sub>th</sub> =	



Figure 2(b)

One-port Networks #1 and #2 are interconnected as shown in Figure 2(b). Each of the one-port networks in Figure 2(b) is characterized by its indicated  $\nu$ -i graph. Determine the Thevenin equivalent network and the Norton equivalent networks for the one-port network shown in the figure by accessing the circuit at the terminals labeled a and b. Write your answer in the box below.

V <sub>th</sub> =	R <sub>th</sub> =
I <sub>N</sub> =	R <sub>N</sub> =

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The op-amp in Figure 3 is ideal. The figure shows a temperature sensor modeled as a temperature-controlled current source. This device senses absolute temperature  $T_A$  in the (°K) Kelvin scale and delivers a current  $kT_A$ , where  $k = 1\mu A/{}^{\circ}K$ .

a) (5 points)

Determine the output voltage as a function of temperature  $T_A(^{\circ}K)$  in terms of the circuit parameters.

## b) (5 points)

Determine values for  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  so that the output voltage sensitivity is

100  $mV/^{\circ}K$  and the output is zero volts at  $300^{\circ}K$ . Write your answer in the box below.

$R_1 =$	
$R_2 =$	