

**Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering
The University of Kansas**

EECS 212- Circuits II

Spring, 2026

Catalog Data: EECS 212 Circuits II (4). Continued study of electrical circuits: Steady state power analysis, three-phase circuits, transformers, frequency response, two-port network analysis. Prerequisites: EECS 202

Textbook: **Fundamentals of Electric Circuits**, 7th edition by Alexander and Sadiku, McGraw Hill, 2021

Instructional Mode:

In person class. G415, LEEP2, 2:00-2:50 pm, MWF

Software: **Cadence** (which includes Pspice and PCB Layout) is available on EECS network computers under the program heading “Cadence PSD”

Course Objectives:

This course is to complete the study by sophomores in electrical engineering and computer engineering of the basics of the analysis of linear electrical circuits and to provide an introduction to their design.

Prerequisites by Topics:

Basic dc and ac circuit analysis
Pspice computer program for circuit analysis

Course Topics:

Review of steady state sinusoidal analysis
Frequency response, Bode diagrams
Magnetically coupled networks
ac power analysis
Polyphase circuits
Two-port networks
Distributed Circuits & Transmission Lines

Tools Usage:

Pspice circuit analysis and pcb layout software
Circuit test equipment

Laboratory topics:

AC/DC circuits
Transient circuits
Operational Amplifiers
Transformers
Frequency response and filters
Two-port network measurement techniques

Estimated Course Content: Engineering science: 4.0 hours or 100%

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1:30-3:00 Tu,Th

Zoom: Meeting ID: 955 1144 2187 Passcode: 411316 (arrange with email)

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Grading: The following percentages will be used to arrive at the final grade scores

Exam I	22.5
Exam II	22.5
Final Exam	25
Laboratory	20
Homework	10

Course grades will be A, B, C, D, and F. Final letter grades are determined from the final grade scores using a scale similar to the traditional 90-100 A, 80-90 B, etc. scale, but the break points between letter grades may be a point or two higher than the traditional scale to ensure that the final grades properly reflect the exam scores. **A passing score (60%) must be earned in all categories (exams, quizzes, homework) to earn a passing grade for the course. In addition, a composite exam score of C (70%) or above must be attained to earn a course grade of C or above.** Changes announced in class supersede these written instructions. EECS 212 will *not* utilize +/- grading system. Changes announced in class supersede these written instructions.

Homework: Homework will be collected at the beginning of class on roughly a weekly basis. Late homework is not accepted, except for unusual circumstances. Collaboration with classmates is permitted. Copying from any source is *not* permitted and will be penalized.

Special Needs: Any student who has a disability that demands special accommodations should contact the instructor personally in order to make arrangements. Also, members of KU sanctioned organizations (band, athletic teams, etc.) that have special needs should also contact the instructor as the need arises.

Attendance Policy: Attendance at all class meetings is expected. Although there is no direct grading component based on attendance, anything presented in class is considered required material.

Make-ups: Make-up exams are given rarely, and only if: 1) I am informed IN ADVANCE, and 2) I deem the reason to be sufficiently meritorious (job interviews and pleasure trips are not). If the reason is illness, I REQUIRE documentation of the illness from a health-care professional. I do not consider a cold to be an illness.

Academic Misconduct: Instances of cheating failure of class and referral to the Dean. Cheating includes, but is not limited to: copying another exam or lab report, copying of hardcopy or online solution manuals or previously worked homework papers, having another person do your work, etc.

Course Evaluation: A course evaluation will be available to students at the end of the semester.

Schedule

<u>Week</u>	<u>Topic/Chapter</u>
1	Laplace/Phasor Analysis Review/ Chapter 10, 16 & Instructor Notes
2	AC power / Chapter 11
3-4	3-phase power / Chapter 12
5	Magnetically coupled circuits and Transformers/ Chapter 13
. Exam I (Wednesday, March 4- tentative).	
6-9	Network Transfer Functions/ Frequency response / Chapter 14
10-11	Two-port networks/ Chapter 19
. Exam II (Wednesday, April 15 - tentative).	
12-15	Distributed circuits & transmission lines
. Final Exam (comprehensive, Monday, May 11 from 1:30 – 4:00pm).	

Important Resource and Policy Information

- Explanation of instructional time expected for out-of-class student work per credit:
see <https://policy.ku.edu/registrar/credit-hour>.
- Accommodations and/or information for students with disabilities:
see <https://access.ku.edu/syllabus-statement>.
- Sexual Harrassment Policy:
see <https://policy.ku.edu/civil-rights/sexual-harassment>.
- Nondiscrimination, Equal Opportunity, and Affirmative Action Policy:
see <https://policy.ku.edu/IOA/nondiscrimination>.
- KU Statement on Diversity and Inclusion: see <https://policy.ku.edu/provost/diversity-inclusion>.
- Academic Misconduct (USRR 2.7.1):
see <https://policy.ku.edu/governance/USRR#art2sect6>.
- Change of Grade:
see <https://policy.ku.edu/registrar/grade-change> and
<https://policy.ku.edu/governance/USRR#art2sect3>.
- Code of Student Rights and Responsibilities:
see <https://policy.ku.edu/student-affairs/student-code>.
- Commercial Note-Taking:
see <https://policy.ku.edu/provost/commercial-note-taking>.
- Mandatory Reporting:
see <https://policy.ku.edu/civil-rights/mandatory-reporting>.
- Racial and Ethnic Harassment Policy:
see <https://policy.ku.edu/civil-rights/racial-ethnic-harassment-policy>.