

# ECE 341 - Homework #7

Uniform and Exponential Distributions. Due Monday, June 1st

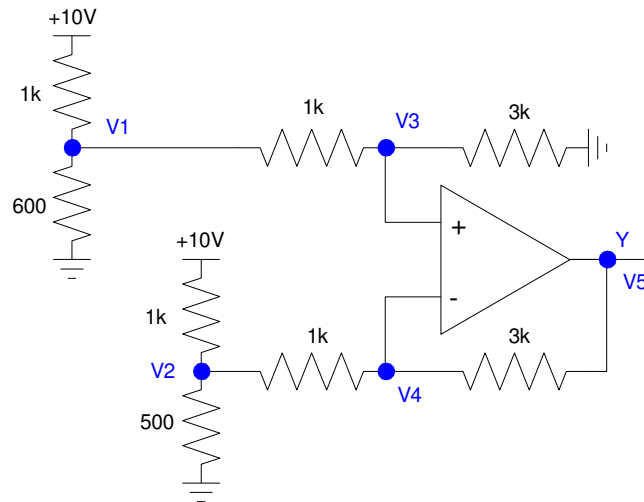
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## Uniform Distributions

Let

- $a$  be a sample from  $A$ , a uniform distribution over the range of  $(0, 1)$
- $b$  be a sample from  $B$ , a uniform distribution over the range of  $(0, 6)$
- $c$  be a sample from  $C$ , a uniform distribution over the range of  $(0, 10)$

- 1) Determine the pdf for  $a + b$  using moment generating functions (i.e. Laplace transforms)
- 2) Determine the pdf for  $a + b$  using convolution (by hand or Matlab)
- 3) Assume each resistor has a tolerance of 5% (i.e. a uniform distribution over the range of  $(0.95, 1.05)$ ) of the nominal value. Determine the mean and standard deviation for the voltage at  $Y$  for the following circuit.



## Exponential Distributions

Let

- $d$  be a sample from  $D$ , an exponential distribution with a mean of 5
- $e$  be a sample from  $E$ , an exponential distribution with a mean of 10
- $f$  be a sample from  $F$ , an exponential distribution with a mean of 15

- 4) Use moment generating functions to determine the pdf for  $d + d + d$  (i.e. the time for three events to be observed in  $D$ )
- 5) Use moment generating functions to determine the pdf for the sum:  $d + e + f$  (i.e. the time for one event from  $D$ ,  $E$ , and  $F$ )