

# Capacitor Experiment Process Analysis

What is the purpose of the capacitor experiment?

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- o To study charging and discharging process through capacitors.
- o To determine the time constant  $\tau$  of an RC-circuit.

Equipment to be Used:

- o Electronic design experimenter.
- o 220 k $\Omega$  resistor.
- o 470  $\mu$ F capacitor.
- o Multimeter.

What is the experiment of charging and discharging of a capacitor?

Experiment 3 44 Kuwait University Physics Department Physics 107 Charging and Discharging of a Capacitor Introduction In this experiment, we will study charging a capacitor by connecting it to an emf source through a resistor. The experiment also includes the study of discharging phenomena of a capacitor through a resistor.

How do you measure a capacitor Energy dissipated in time?

Energy sent by the source in charging a capacitor. A part of it is dissipated in the circuit and the remaining energy is stored up in the capacitor. In this experiment we shall try to measure these energies. With fixed values of C and R measure the current I as a function of time. The energy dissipated in time dt is given by  $I^2R dt$

How is capacitance determined in a capacitor?

For a capacitors are electronic the capacitance depends on the physical and geometrical properties of the device. It is given operationally by the ratio of the charge Q stored in the device and the voltage difference across the device  $\Delta V$ . The schematic symbol of a capacitor is two parallel lines which represent the capacitor plates.

How do you test a capacitor?

(Why?) You can check this experimentally. The trick is to first keep the charging voltage to  $V_0/2$ , let the capacitor charge for a time much greater than RC of the circuit, disconnect the power supply, increase its voltage to  $V_0$ , reconnect it and let the capacitor charge to  $V_0$ . Plot  $I^2, t$  curves for the two parts and find out

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Experimental Theory: The three common passive circuit elements are resistor, capacitor and inductor. We study DC capacitor and inductor circuits today. 3.1. Capacitor: A capacitor ...

Objectives of this experiment 1. Estimate the time constant of a given RC circuit by studying  $V_c$  (voltage across the capacitor) vs  $t$  (time) graph while charging/discharging the capacitor. Compare with the theoretical calculation. [See sub-sections 5.4 & 5.5]. 2. Estimate the leakage resistance of the given capacitor by studying a series RC ...

In this experiment you explore how voltages and charges are distributed in a capacitor circuit. Capacitors can be connected in several ways: in this experiment we study the series and the parallel combinations.

100  $\mu$ F capacitor, the 470 k $\Omega$  resistor, and the oscilloscope as the voltmeter shown. 4. Move the switch or the flying lead so that the capacitor C charges up and record this potential difference as  $V_0$ . 5. Change the switch, or move the flying lead, so that the capacitor begins to discharge and at the same time start the stop clock.

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In this experiment, we will, 1. learn about charging and discharging of a capacitor, 2. practice data acquisition, 3. understand the relation between mathematical expressions, through curve fitting ...

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