

The capacitor is going to discharge with time constant $\tau = RC$ and so

$$\Delta V_R(t) = \Delta V_C(t) \cancel{e^{-t/\tau}} = \Delta V_C(t_0) e^{-(t-t_0)/\tau}$$

① $\tau = RC = \left(\frac{10 \times 10^3 \Omega}{3} \right) \left(4.8 \times 10^{-11} F \right) = 1.6 \times 10^{-7} s = 0.16 \mu s$

$$i_{R_2}(t) = \frac{\Delta V_{R_2}(t)}{R_2} = \frac{\Delta V_C(t)}{R_2} = \frac{(20.0 V)}{(5 k\Omega)} e^{-(t-t_0)/\tau}$$

① $= (4 \text{ mA}) e^{-(t-t_0)/(0.16 \mu s)}$

① $\tau = RC = \left(\frac{10 \times 10^3 \Omega}{3} \right) \left(3.6 \times 10^{-11} F \right) = 1.2 \times 10^{-7} s = 0.12 \mu s$

$$i_{R_2}(t) = \frac{\Delta V_{R_2}(t)}{R_2} = \frac{\Delta V_C(t)}{R_2} = \left(\frac{40 V}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \left(\frac{1}{5 k\Omega} \right) e^{-t/\tau}$$

② $= \left(\frac{8}{\sqrt{3}} \text{ mA} \right) e^{-(t-t_0)/(0.12 \mu s)}$

$$= (4.6 \text{ mA}) e^{-(t-t_0)/(0.12 \mu s)}$$