

PHYS 1444 – Section 003

Lecture #23

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- LR circuit
- LC Circuit and EM Oscillation
- LRC circuit
- AC Circuit w/ Resistance only
- AC Circuit w/ Inductance only
- AC Circuit w/ Capacitance only



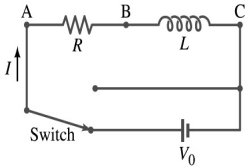
Announcements

- Term exam results
 - Class average: 68.5/101
 - Equivalent to 67.8/100
 - Previous exams: 59/100 and 66/100
 - Top score: 95/101
- Your planetarium extra credit
 - Please bring your planetarium extra credit sheet by the beginning of the class next Tuesday, Dec. 6
 - Be sure to tape one edge of the ticket stub with the title of the show on top
 - Be sure to write your name onto the sheet
- Quiz #4
 - Coming Tuesday, Dec. 6
 - Covers CH30.1 through CH30.11
- Reading Assignments
 - CH30.7 – CH30.11
- Final comprehensive exam
 - Date and time: 11am, Thursday, Dec. 15, in SH103
 - Covers CH1.1 – what we cover coming Tuesday, Dec. 6 + Appendices A and B



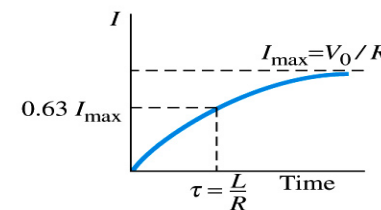
LR Circuits

- What happens when an emf is applied to an inductor?
 - An inductor has some resistance, however negligible



- So an inductor can be drawn as a circuit of separate resistance and coil. What is the name this kind of circuit? **LR Circuit**

- What happens at the instance the switch is thrown to apply emf to the circuit?
 - The current starts to flow, gradually increasing from 0
 - This change is opposed by the induced emf in the inductor → the emf at point B is higher than point C
 - However there is a voltage drop at the resistance which reduces the voltage across inductance
 - Thus the current increases less rapidly
 - The overall behavior of the current is a gradual increase, reaching to the maximum current $I_{\max} = V_0/R$.

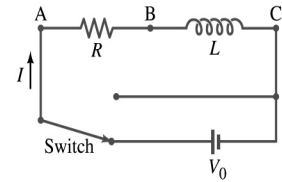


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LR Circuits



- This can be shown w/ Kirchhoff rule loop rules

- The emfs in the circuit are the battery voltage V_0 and the emf $\mathcal{E} = -\mathcal{L} (dI/dt)$ in the inductor opposing the current increase

- The sum of the potential changes through the circuit is

$$V_0 + \mathcal{E} - IR = V_0 - L dI/dt - IR = 0$$

- Where I is the current at any instance

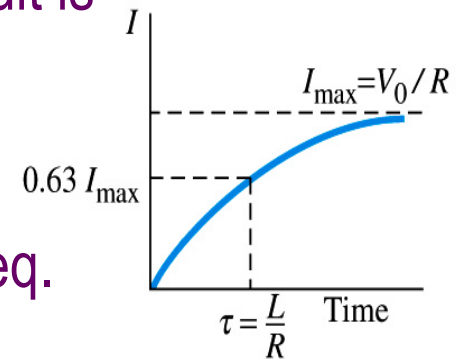
- By rearranging the terms, we obtain a differential eq.

- $L dI/dt + IR = V_0$

- We can integrate just as in RC circuit

- So the solution is $-\frac{1}{R} \ln \left(\frac{V_0 - IR}{V_0} \right) = \frac{t}{L}$

- Where $\tau = L/R$



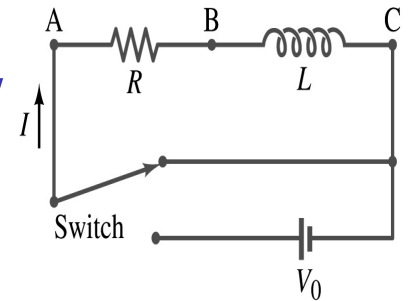
$$\int_{I=0}^I \frac{dI}{V_0 - IR} = \int_{t=0}^t \frac{dt}{L}$$

$$I = V_0 (1 - e^{-t/\tau}) / R = I_{\max} (1 - e^{-t/\tau})$$

- This is the time constant τ of the LR circuit and is the time required for the current I to reach 0.63 of the maximum

Discharge of LR Circuits

- If the switch is flipped away from the battery



- The differential equation becomes

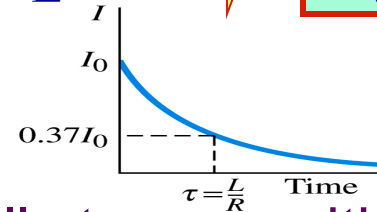
- $L \frac{dI}{dt} + IR = 0$

- So the integration is $\int_{I_0}^I \frac{dI}{IR} = \int_{t=0}^t \frac{dt}{L}$

$$\ln \frac{I}{I_0} = -\frac{R}{L} t$$

- Which results in the solution

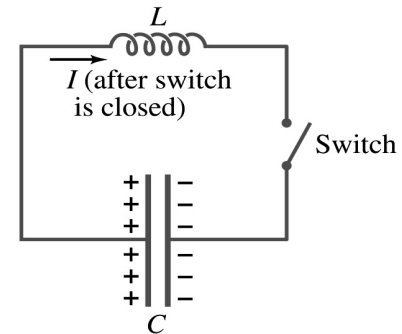
$$I = I_0 e^{-\frac{R}{L} t} = I_0 e^{-t/\tau}$$



- The current decays exponentially to zero with the time constant $\tau = L/R$
- So there always is a reaction time when a system with a coil, such as an electromagnet, is turned on or off.
- The current in LR circuit behaves almost the same as that in RC circuit but the time constant is inversely proportional to R in LR circuit unlike the RC circuit

LC Circuit and EM Oscillations

- What's an LC circuit?
 - A circuit that contains only an inductor and a capacitor
 - How is this possible? There is no source of emf!!
 - Well, you can imagine a circuit with a fully charged capacitor
 - In this circuit, we assume the inductor does not have any resistance
- Let's assume that the capacitor originally has $+Q_0$ on one plate and $-Q_0$ on the other
 - Suppose the switch is closed at $t=0$
 - The capacitor starts discharging
 - The current flowing through the inductor increases
 - Applying Kirchhoff's loop rule, we obtain $-L dI/dt + Q/C = 0$
 - Since the current flows out of the plate with positive charge, the charge on the plate reduces, so $I = -dQ/dt$. Thus the differential equation can be rewritten



$$\frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} + \frac{Q}{LC} = 0$$

LC Circuit and EM Oscillations

- This equation looks the same as that of the harmonic oscillation
 - So the solution for this second order differential equation is
 - $Q = Q_0 \cos(\omega t + \phi)$  The charge on the capacitor oscillates sinusoidally
 - Inserting the solution back into the differential equation
 - $\frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} + \frac{Q}{LC} = -\omega^2 Q_0 \cos(\omega t + \phi) + Q_0 \cos(\omega t + \phi)/LC = 0$
 - Solving this equation for ω , we obtain $\omega = 2\pi f = 1/\sqrt{LC}$
 - The current in the inductor is
 - $I = -dQ/dt = \omega Q_0 \sin(\omega t + \phi) = I_0 \sin(\omega t + \phi)$
 - So the current also is sinusoidal with the maximum value

$$I_0 = \omega Q_0 = Q_0 / \sqrt{LC}$$



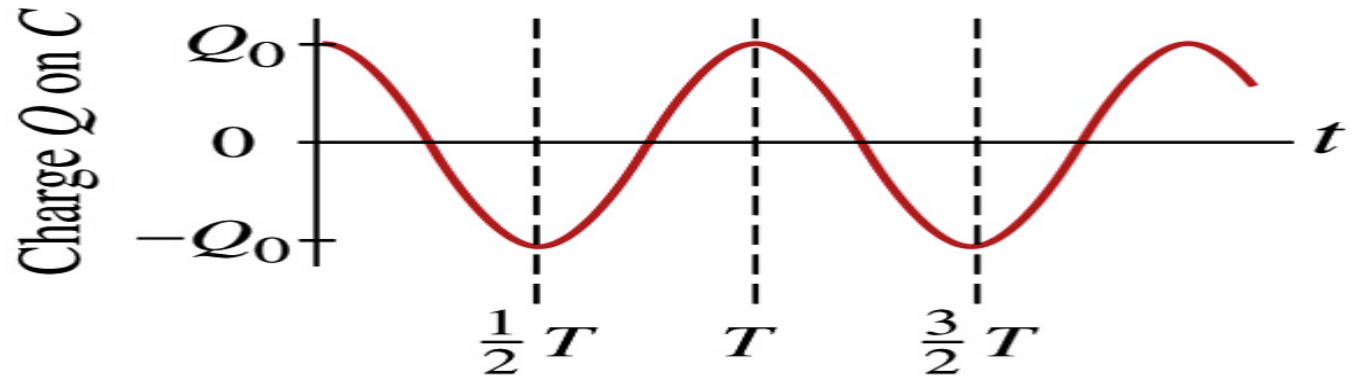
Energies in LC Circuit & EM Oscillation

- The energy stored in the electric field of the capacitor at any time t is $U_E = \frac{1}{2} \frac{Q^2}{C} = \frac{Q_0^2}{2C} \cos^2 (\omega t + \phi)$
- The energy stored in the magnetic field in the inductor at the same instant is $U_B = \frac{1}{2} LI^2 = \frac{Q_0^2}{2C} \sin^2 (\omega t + \phi)$
- Thus, the total energy in LC circuit at any instant is
$$U = U_E + U_B = \frac{1}{2} \frac{Q^2}{C} + \frac{1}{2} LI^2 = \frac{Q_0^2}{2C} [\cos^2 (\omega t + \phi) + \sin^2 (\omega t + \phi)] = \frac{Q_0^2}{2C}$$
- So the total EM energy is constant and is conserved.
- This LC circuit is an LC oscillator or EM oscillator
 - The charge Q oscillates back and forth, from one plate of the capacitor to the other
 - The current also oscillates back and forth as well

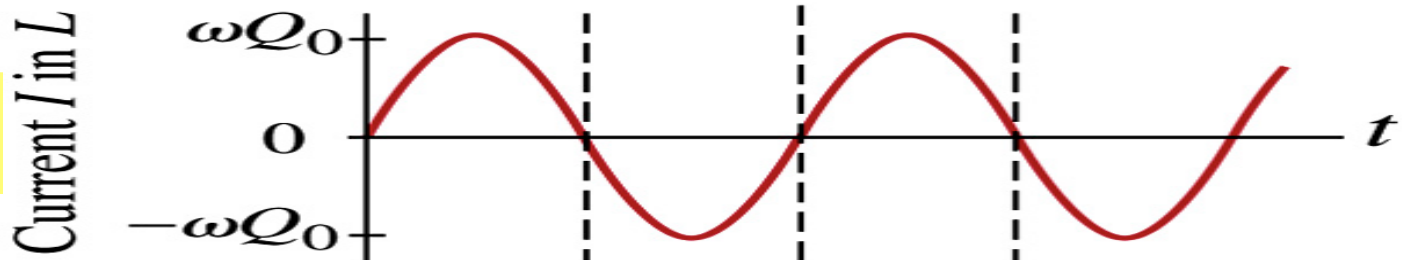


LC Circuit Behaviors

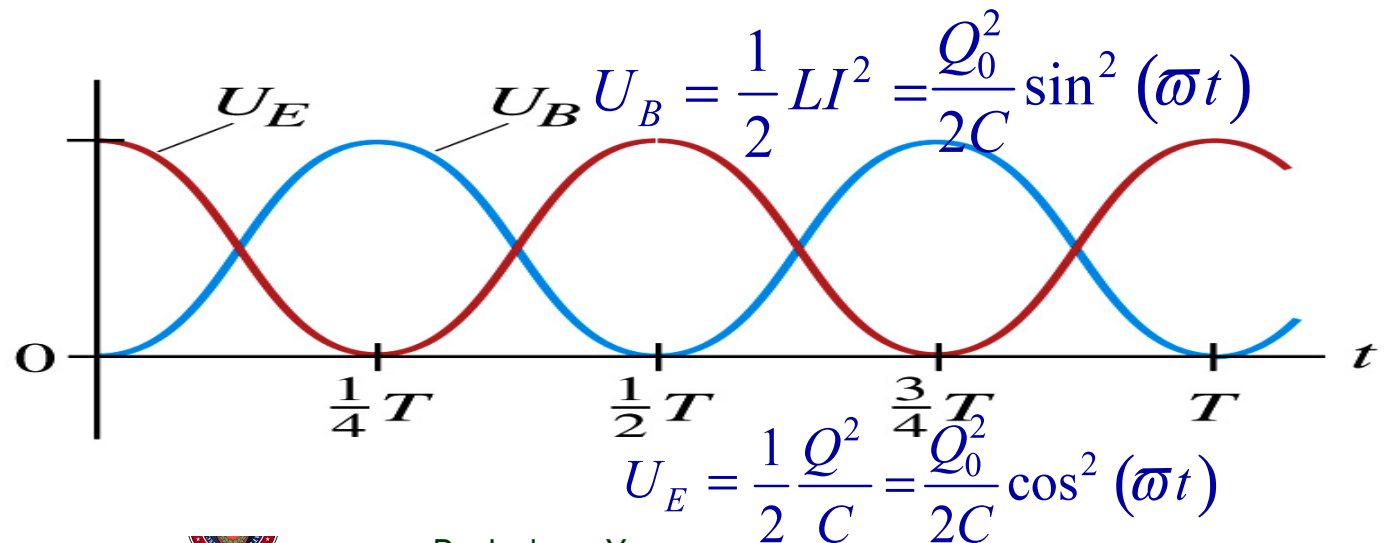
$$Q = Q_0 \cos(\omega t)$$



$$I = \omega Q_0 \sin(\omega t)$$



$$U = \frac{Q_0^2}{2C}$$



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Example 30 – 7

LC Circuit. A 1200-pF capacitor is fully charged by a 500-V dc power supply. It is disconnected from the power supply and is connected, at $t=0$, to a 75-mH inductor. Determine: (a) The initial charge on the capacitor, (b) the maximum current, (c) the frequency f and period T of oscillation; and (d) the total energy oscillating in the system.

(a) The 500-V power supply, charges the capacitor to

$$Q = CV = (1200 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F}) \cdot 500 \text{ V} = 6.0 \times 10^{-7} \text{ C}$$

(b) The maximum current is $I_{\max} = \omega Q_0 = \frac{Q_0}{\sqrt{LC}} = \frac{6.0 \times 10^{-7} \text{ C}}{\sqrt{75 \times 10^{-3} \text{ H} \times 1.2 \times 10^{-9} \text{ F}}} = 63 \text{ mA}$

(c) The frequency is $f = \frac{\omega}{2\pi} = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{LC}} = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{75 \times 10^{-3} \text{ H} \cdot 1.2 \times 10^{-9} \text{ F}}} = 1.7 \times 10^4 \text{ Hz}$

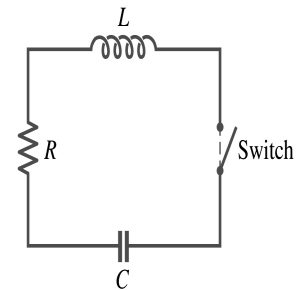
The period is $T = \frac{1}{f} = 6.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ s}$

(d) The total energy in the system $U = \frac{Q_0^2}{2C} = \frac{(6.0 \times 10^{-7} \text{ C})^2}{2 \cdot 1.2 \times 10^{-9} \text{ F}} = 1.5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ J}$



LC Oscillations w/ Resistance (LRC circuit)

- There is no such thing as zero resistance coil so all LC circuits have some resistance
 - So to be more realistic, the effect of the resistance should be taken into account
 - Suppose the capacitor is charged up to Q_0 initially and the switch is closed in the circuit at $t=0$
 - What do you expect to happen to the energy in the circuit?
 - Well, due to the resistance we expect some energy will be lost through the resistor via a thermal conversion
 - What about the oscillation? Will it look the same as the ideal LC circuit we dealt with?
 - No? OK then how would it be different?
 - The oscillation would be damped due to the energy loss.



LC Oscillations w/ Resistance (LRC circuit)

- Now let's do some analysis
- From Kirchhoff's loop rule, we obtain

$$-L \frac{dI}{dt} - IR + \frac{Q}{C} = 0$$

- Since $I = dQ/dt$, the equation becomes

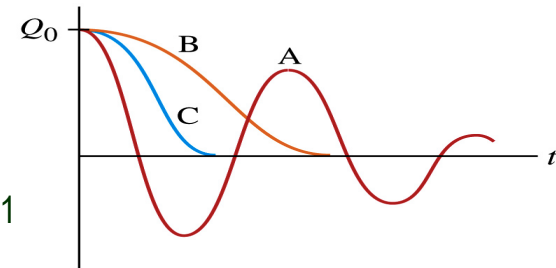
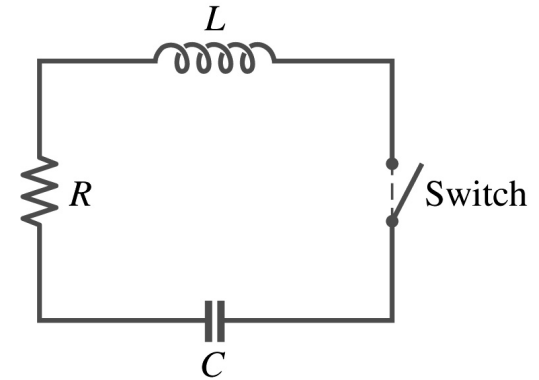
$$-L \frac{d^2 Q}{dt^2} - R \frac{dQ}{dt} + \frac{Q}{C} = 0$$

– Which is identical to that of a damped oscillator

- The solution of the equation is $Q = Q_0 e^{-\frac{R}{2L}t} \cos(\omega' t + \phi)$

– Where the angular frequency is $\omega' = \sqrt{1/LC - R^2/4L^2}$

- $R^2 < 4L/C$: Underdamped
- $R^2 > 4L/C$: Overdamped



Why do we care about circuits on AC?

- The circuits we've learned so far contain resistors, capacitors and inductors and have been connected to a DC source or a fully charged capacitor
 - What? This does not make sense.
 - The inductor does not work as an impedance unless the current is changing. So an inductor in a circuit with DC source does not make sense.
 - Well, actually it does. When does it impede?
 - Immediately after the circuit is connected to the source so the current is still changing. So?
 - It causes the change of magnetic flux.
 - Now does it make sense?
- Anyhow, learning the responses of resistors, capacitors and inductors in a circuit connected to an AC emf source is important. Why is this?
 - Since most the generators produce sinusoidal current
 - Any voltage that varies over time can be expressed in the superposition of sine and cosine functions



AC Circuits – the preamble

- Do you remember how the rms and peak values for current and voltage are related?

$$V_{rms} = \frac{V_0}{\sqrt{2}} \qquad I_{rms} = \frac{I_0}{\sqrt{2}}$$

- The symbol for an AC power source is



- We assume that the voltage gives rise to current

$$I = I_0 \sin 2\pi ft = I_0 \sin \omega t$$

– where $\omega = 2\pi f$

AC Circuit w/ Resistance only

- What do you think will happen when an AC source is connected to a resistor?
- From Kirchhoff's loop rule, we obtain

$$V - IR = 0$$

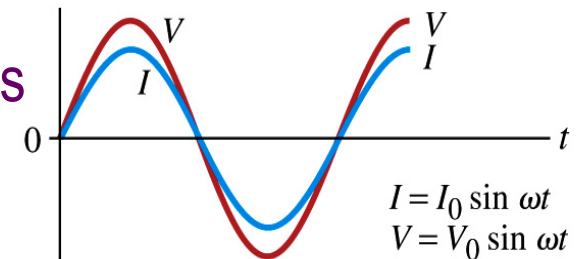
- Thus

$$V = I_0 R \sin \omega t = V_0 \sin \omega t$$

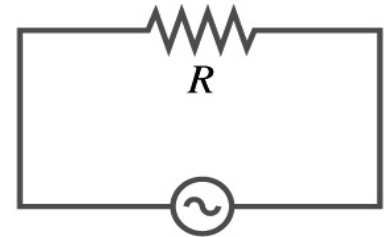
– where $V_0 = I_0 R$

- What does this mean?

- Current is 0 when voltage is 0 and current is in its peak when voltage is in its peak.
- Current and voltage are “in phase”



- Energy is lost via the transformation into heat at an average rate $\bar{P} = \bar{I} \bar{V} = I_{rms}^2 R = V_{rms}^2 / R$



AC Circuit w/ Inductance only

- From Kirchhoff's loop rule, we obtain

$$V - L \frac{dI}{dt} = 0$$

- Thus

$$V = L \frac{dI}{dt} = L \frac{d(I_0 \sin \omega t)}{dt} = \omega L I_0 \cos \omega t$$

- Using the identity $\cos \theta = \sin(\theta + 90^\circ)$

- $V = \omega L I_0 \sin(\omega t + 90^\circ) = V_0 \sin(\omega t + 90^\circ)$

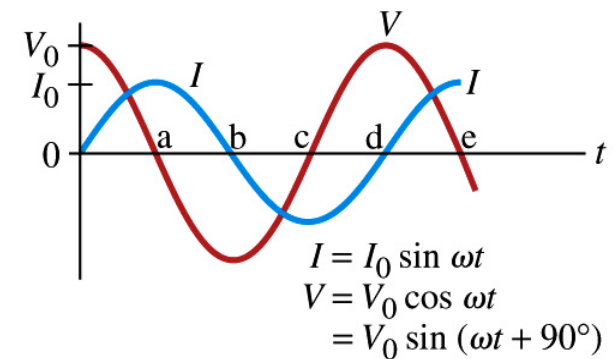
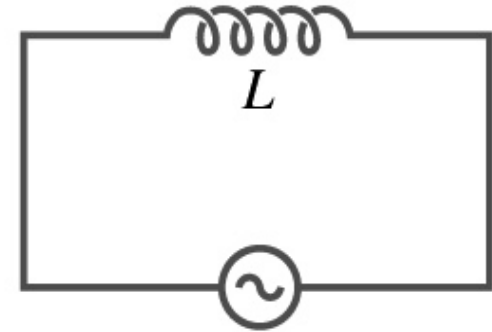
- where $V_0 = \omega L I_0$

- What does this mean?

- Current and voltage are “out of phase by $\pi/2$ or 90° ” in other words the current reaches its peak $\frac{1}{4}$ cycle after the voltage

- What happens to the energy?

- No energy is dissipated
- The average power is 0 at all times
- The energy is stored temporarily in the magnetic field
- Then released back to the source



AC Circuit w/ Inductance only

- How are the resistor and inductor different in terms of energy?
 - Inductor Stores the energy temporarily in the magnetic field and then releases it back to the emf source
 - Resistor Does not store energy but transforms it to thermal energy, getting it lost to the environment
- How are they the same?
 - They both impede the flow of charge
 - For a resistance R , the peak voltage and current are related to $V_0 = I_0 R$
 - Similarly, for an inductor we may write $V_0 = I_0 X_L$
 - Where X_L is the inductive reactance of the inductor $X_L = \omega L$ 0 when $\omega=0$.
 - What do you think is the unit of the reactance? Ω
 - The relationship $V_0 = I_0 X_L$ is not valid at a particular instance. Why not?
 - Since V_0 and I_0 do not occur at the same time

Example 30 – 9

Reactance of a coil. A coil has a resistance $R=1.00\Omega$ and an inductance of 0.300H . Determine the current in the coil if (a) 120 V dc is applied to it; (b) 120 V AC (rms) at 60.0Hz is applied.

Is there a reactance for DC? Nope. Why not? Since $\omega=0$, $X_L = \omega L = 0$

So for DC power, the current is from Kirchhoff's rule $V - IR = 0$

$$I_0 = \frac{V_0}{R} = \frac{120\text{V}}{1.00\Omega} = 120\text{A}$$

For an AC power with $f=60\text{Hz}$, the reactance is

$$X_L = \omega L = 2\pi f L = 2\pi \cdot (60.0\text{s}^{-1}) \cdot 0.300\text{H} = 113\Omega$$

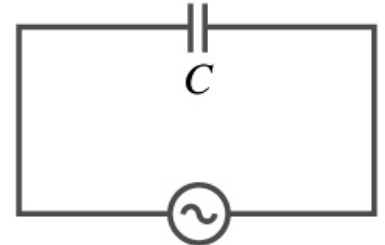
Since the resistance can be ignored compared to the reactance, the rms current is

$$I_{rms} \approx \frac{V_{rms}}{X_L} = \frac{120\text{V}}{113\Omega} = 1.06\text{A}$$



AC Circuit w/ Capacitance only

- What happens when a capacitor is connected to a DC power source?
 - The capacitor quickly charges up.
 - There is no steady current flow in the circuit
 - Since a capacitor prevents the flow of a DC current
- What do you think will happen if it is connected to an AC power source?
 - The current flows continuously. Why?
 - When the AC power turns on, charge begins to flow one direction, charging up the plates
 - When the direction of the power reverses, the charge flows in the opposite direction

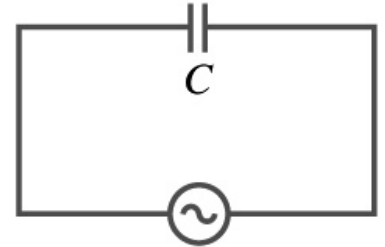


AC Circuit w/ Capacitance only

- From Kirchhoff's loop rule, we obtain

$$V = \frac{Q}{C}$$

- The current at any instance is $I = \frac{dQ}{dt} = I_0 \sin \omega t$



- The charge Q on the plate at any instance is

$$Q = \int_{Q=0}^Q dQ = \int_{t=0}^t I_0 \sin \omega t dt = -\frac{I_0}{\omega} \cos \omega t$$

- Thus the voltage across the capacitor is

$$V = \frac{Q}{C} = -I_0 \frac{1}{\omega C} \cos \omega t$$

- Using the identity $\cos \theta = -\sin(\theta - 90^\circ)$

$$V = I_0 \frac{1}{\omega C} \sin(\omega t - 90^\circ) = V_0 \sin(\omega t - 90^\circ)$$

- Where

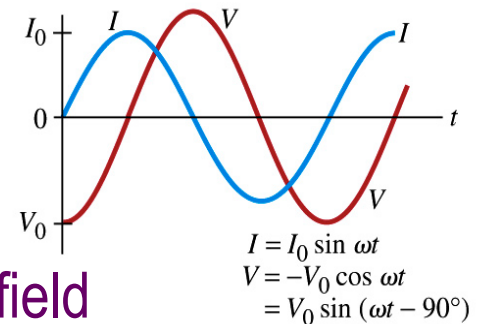
$$V_0 = \frac{I_0}{\omega C}$$

AC Circuit w/ Capacitance only

- So the voltage is $V = V_0 \sin(\omega t - 90^\circ)$
- What does this mean?
 - Current and voltage are “out of phase by $\pi/2$ or 90° ” but in this case, the voltage reaches its peak $1/4$ cycle after the current

- What happens to the energy?

- No energy is dissipated
- The average power is 0 at all times
- The energy is stored temporarily in the electric field
- Then released back to the source



- Applied voltage and the current in the capacitor can be written as $V_0 = I_0 X_C$

- Where the capacitive reactance X_C is defined as
- Again, this relationship is only valid for rms quantities

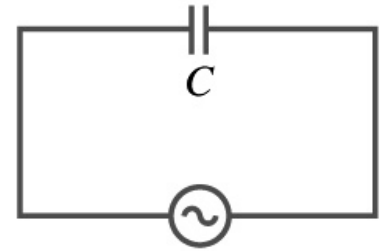
$$X_C = \frac{1}{\omega C}$$

Infinite
when
 $\omega=0$.

$$V_{rms} = I_{rms} X_C$$

Example 30 – 10

Capacitor reactance. What are the peak and rms current in the circuit in the figure if $C=1.0\mu\text{F}$ and $V_{\text{rms}}=120\text{V}$? Calculate for (a) $f=60\text{Hz}$, and then for (b) $f=6.0\times 10^5\text{Hz}$.



The peak voltage is $V_0 = \sqrt{2}V_{\text{rms}} = 120\text{V} \cdot \sqrt{2} = 170\text{V}$

The capacitance reactance is

$$X_C = \frac{1}{\omega C} = \frac{1}{2\pi f C} = \frac{1}{2\pi \cdot (60\text{s}^{-1}) \cdot 1.0 \times 10^{-6}\text{F}} = 2.7\text{k}\Omega$$

Thus the peak current is

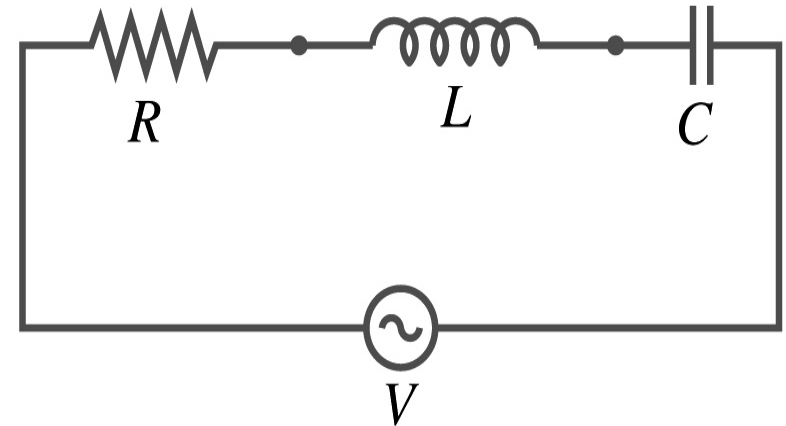
$$I_0 = \frac{V_0}{X_C} = \frac{170\text{V}}{2.7\text{k}\Omega} = 63\text{mA}$$

The rms current is

$$I_{\text{rms}} = \frac{V_{\text{rms}}}{X_C} = \frac{120\text{V}}{2.7\text{k}\Omega} = 44\text{mA}$$

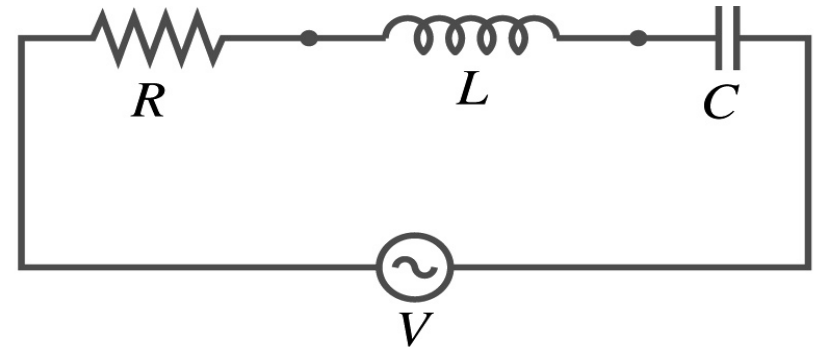
AC Circuit w/ LRC

- The voltage across each element is
 - V_R is in phase with the current
 - V_L leads the current by 90°
 - V_C lags the current by 90°
- From Kirchhoff's loop rule
- $V = V_R + V_L + V_C$
 - However since they do not reach the peak voltage at the same time, the peak voltage of the source V_0 will not equal $V_{R0} + V_{L0} + V_{C0}$
 - The rms voltage also will not be the simple sum of the three
- Let's try to find the total impedance, peak current I_0 and the phase difference between I_0 and V_0 .



AC Circuit w/ LRC

- The current at any instance is the same at all point in the circuit
 - The currents in each elements are in phase
 - Why?
 - Since the elements are in series
 - How about the voltage?
 - They are not in phase.



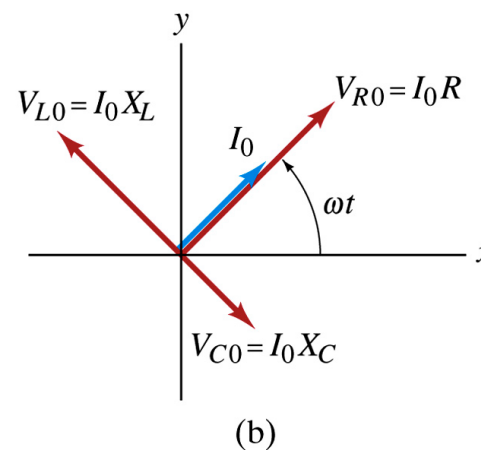
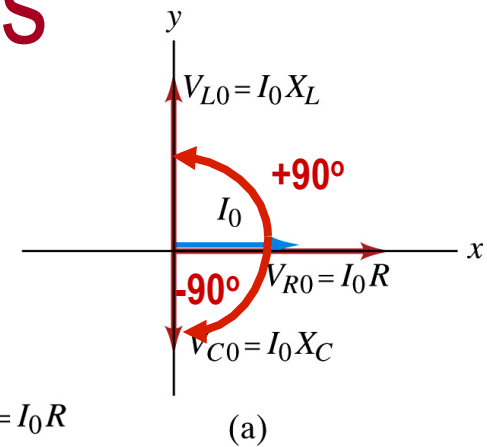
- The current at any given time is

$$I = I_0 \sin \omega t$$

- The analysis of LRC circuit is done using the “phasor” diagram in which arrows are drawn in an xy plane to represent the amplitude of each voltage, just like vectors
 - The lengths of the arrows represent the magnitudes of the peak voltages across each element; $V_{R0} = I_0 R$, $V_{L0} = I_0 X_L$ and $V_{C0} = I_0 X_C$
 - The angle of each arrow represents the phase of each voltage relative to the current, and the arrows rotate at angular frequency ω to take into account the time dependence.
 - The projection of each arrow on y axis represents voltage across each element at any given time

Phasor Diagrams

- At $t=0$, $I=0$.
 - Thus $V_{R0}=0$, $V_{L0}=I_0X_L$, $V_{C0}=I_0X_C$
- At $t=t$, $I = I_0 \sin \omega t$

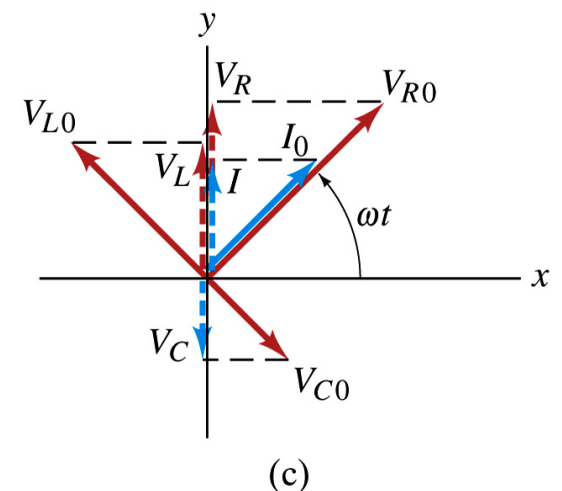


- Thus, the voltages (y-projections) are

$$V_R = V_{R0} \sin \omega t$$

$$V_L = V_{L0} \sin (\omega t + 90^\circ)$$

$$V_C = V_{C0} \sin (\omega t - 90^\circ)$$



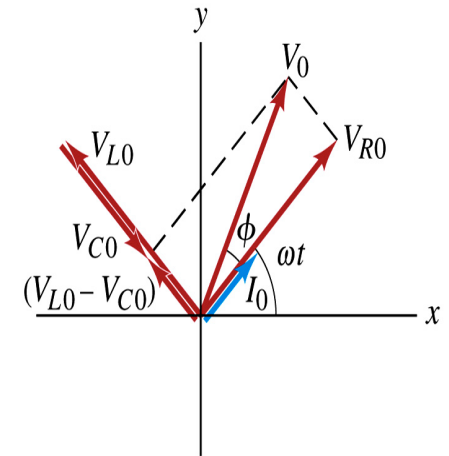
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AC Circuit w/ LRC

- Since the sum of the projections of the three vectors on the y axis is equal to the projection of their sum.
 - The sum of the projections represents the instantaneous voltage across the whole circuit which is the source voltage
 - So we can use the sum of all vectors as the representation of the peak source voltage V_0 .



- V_0 forms an angle ϕ to V_{R0} and rotates together with the other vectors as a function of time, $V = V_0 \sin(\omega t + \phi)$
- We determine the total impedance Z of the circuit defined by the relationship $V_{rms} = I_{rms} Z$ or $V_0 = I_0 Z$
- From Pythagorean theorem, we obtain

$$V_0 = \sqrt{V_{R0}^2 + (V_{L0} - V_{C0})^2} = \sqrt{I_0^2 R^2 + I_0^2 (X_L - X_C)^2} = I_0 \sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2} = I_0 Z$$

- Thus the total impedance is $Z = \sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2} = \sqrt{R^2 + \left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)^2}$

AC Circuit w/ LRC

- The phase angle ϕ is

$$\tan \phi = \frac{V_{L0} - V_{C0}}{V_{R0}} = \frac{I_0 (X_L - X_C)}{I_0 R} = \frac{(X_L - X_C)}{R}$$

- or

$$\cos \phi = \frac{V_{R0}}{V_0} = \frac{I_0 R}{I_0 Z} = \frac{R}{Z}$$

- What is the power dissipated in the circuit?

- Which element dissipates the power?
- Only the resistor

- The average power is $\bar{P} = I_{rms}^2 R$

- Since $R = Z \cos \phi$

- We obtain $\bar{P} = I_{rms}^2 Z \cos \phi = I_{rms} V_{rms} \cos \phi$

- The factor $\cos \phi$ is referred as the power factor of the circuit

- For a pure resistor, $\cos \phi = 1$ and $\bar{P} = I_{rms} V_{rms}$

- For a capacitor or inductor alone $\phi = -90^\circ$ or $+90^\circ$, so $\cos \phi = 0$ and $\bar{P} = 0$.

