

Physics 294H

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- Homework will be with Mastering Physics (and an average of 1 hand-written problem per week)
 - ◆ **Help-room hours: 12:40-2:40 Monday (note change); 3:00-4:00 PM Friday**
 - ◆ **hand-in problem for Wed Mar. 23: 34.60**
 - ◆ **Note I revised Homework assignment 9 (due 3/23) adding some problems that were due a week later**
- Quizzes by iclicker (sometimes hand-written)
- 2nd exam next Thursday
- **Final exam Thursday May 5 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM 1420 BPS**
- Course website: www.pa.msu.edu/~huston/phy294h/index.html
 - ◆ lectures will be posted frequently, mostly every day if I can remember to do so

Circuits with an inductor

- I can write the voltage across the inductor as

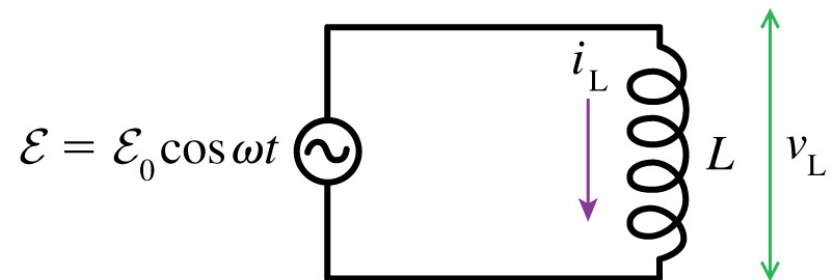
$$v_L = \varepsilon_o \cos \omega t = V_L \cos \omega t$$

- Next calculate the current in the circuit

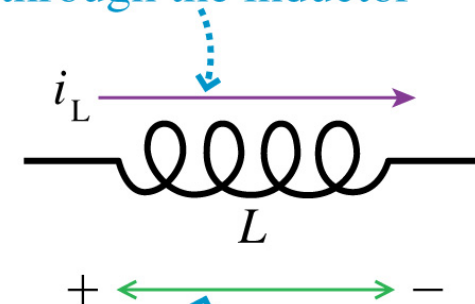
$$di_L = \frac{v_L dt}{L} = \frac{V_L}{L} \cos \omega t dt$$

$$i_L = \frac{V_L}{L} \int \cos \omega t dt = \frac{V_L}{\omega L} \sin \omega t = \frac{V_L}{\omega L} \cos \left(\omega t - \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

(b)



(a) The instantaneous current through the inductor



The instantaneous inductor voltage is $v_L = L(di_L/dt)$.

Circuits with an inductor

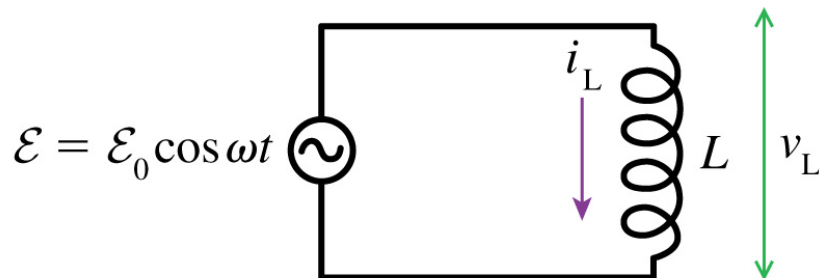
- The voltage leads the current by $\pi/2$ or 90°

◆ does this make sense?

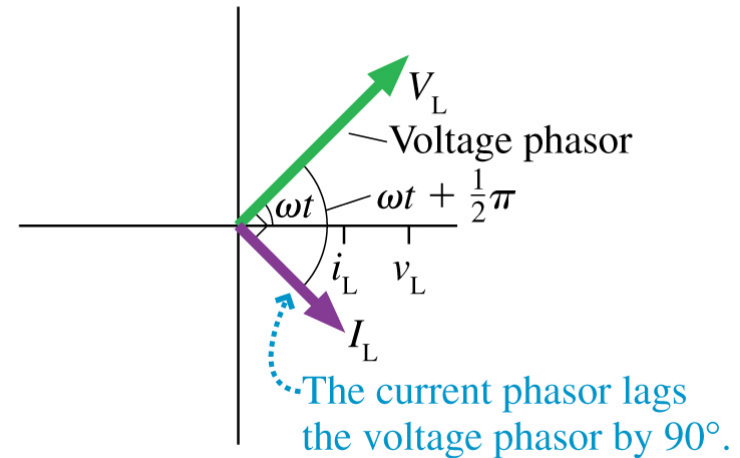
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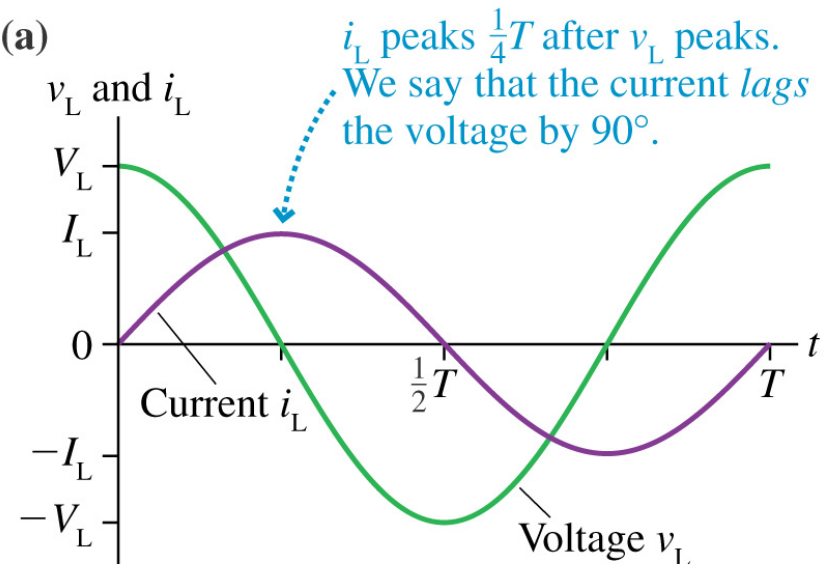
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(a)



Inductive reactance

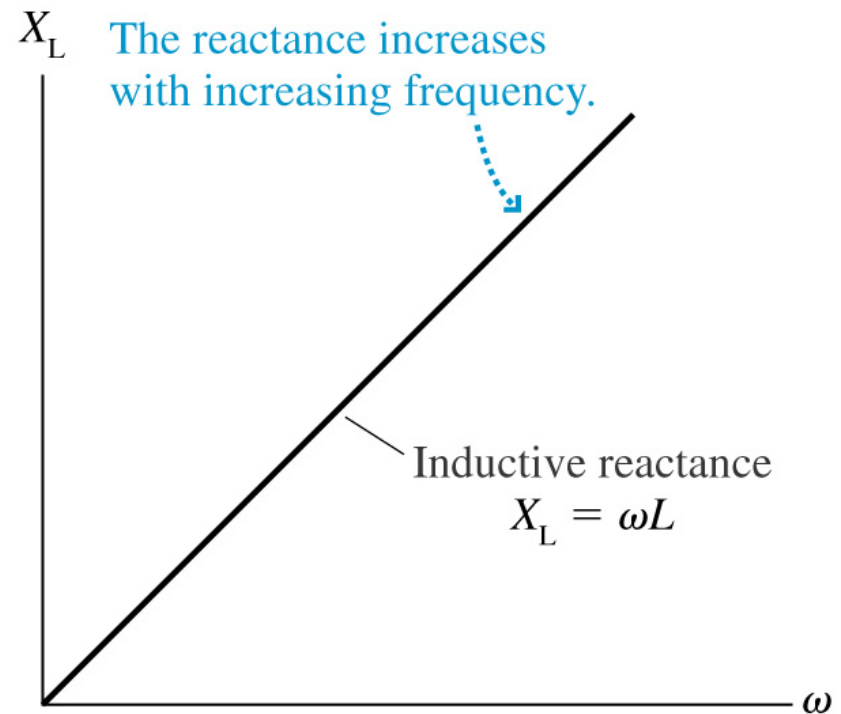
- We can define the inductive reactance as

$$X = \omega L$$

$$I_L = \frac{V_L}{X_L}$$

$$V_L = I_L X_L$$

- The unit of the inductive reactance is Ω



Inductive circuits with a resistor

- Using similar reasoning as for circuits with and R and C, we can write the peak current as

$$I = \frac{\varepsilon_o}{\sqrt{R^2 + X_L^2}} = \frac{\varepsilon_o}{\sqrt{R^2 + \omega^2 L^2}}$$

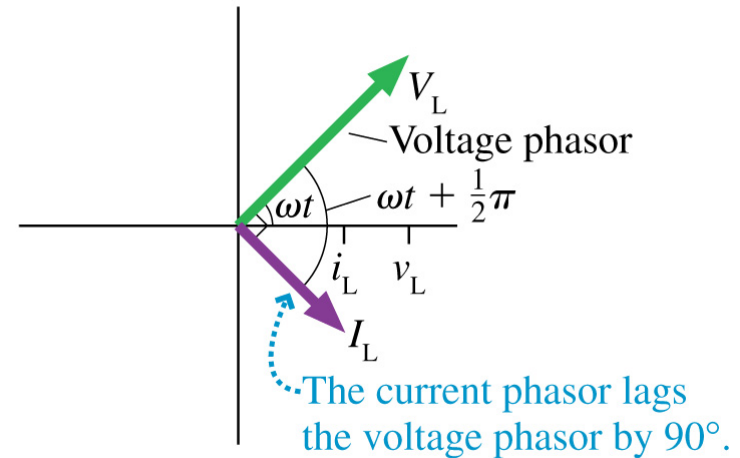
- And the peak voltages as

$$V_R = IR = \frac{\varepsilon_o R}{\sqrt{R^2 + X_L^2}} = \frac{\varepsilon_o R}{\sqrt{R^2 + \omega^2 L^2}}$$

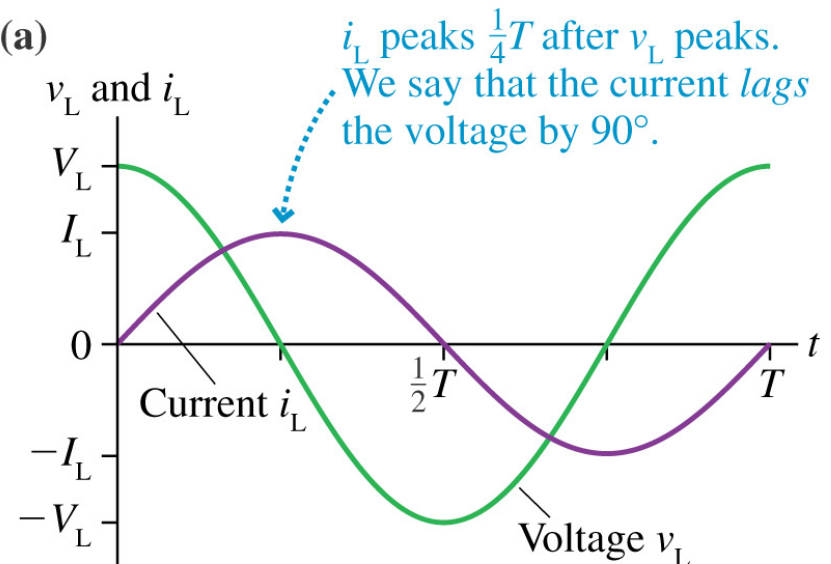
$$V_L = IX_L = \frac{\varepsilon_o X_L}{\sqrt{R^2 + X_L^2}} = \frac{\varepsilon_o X_L}{\sqrt{R^2 + \omega^2 L^2}}$$

For high frequencies, $V_L \gg V_R$.

(b)



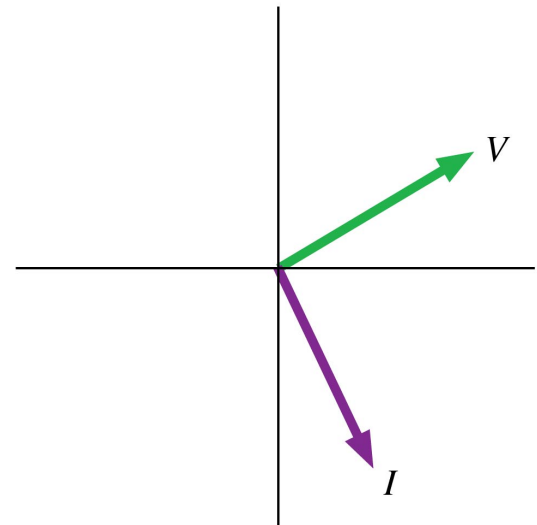
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In the circuit represented by these phasors, the current _____ the voltage

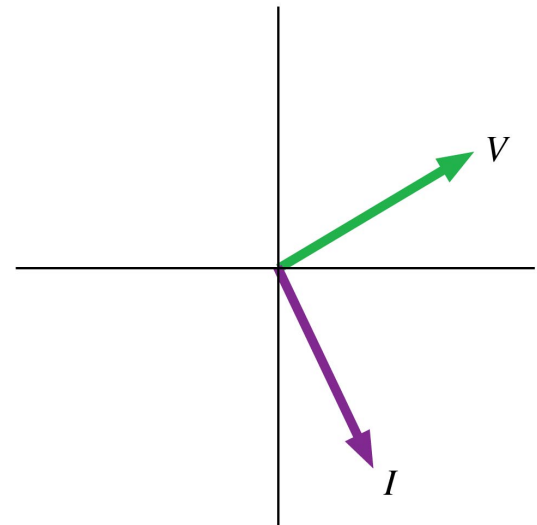
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RLC circuits

- Let's go for broke and put all three elements in the same circuit

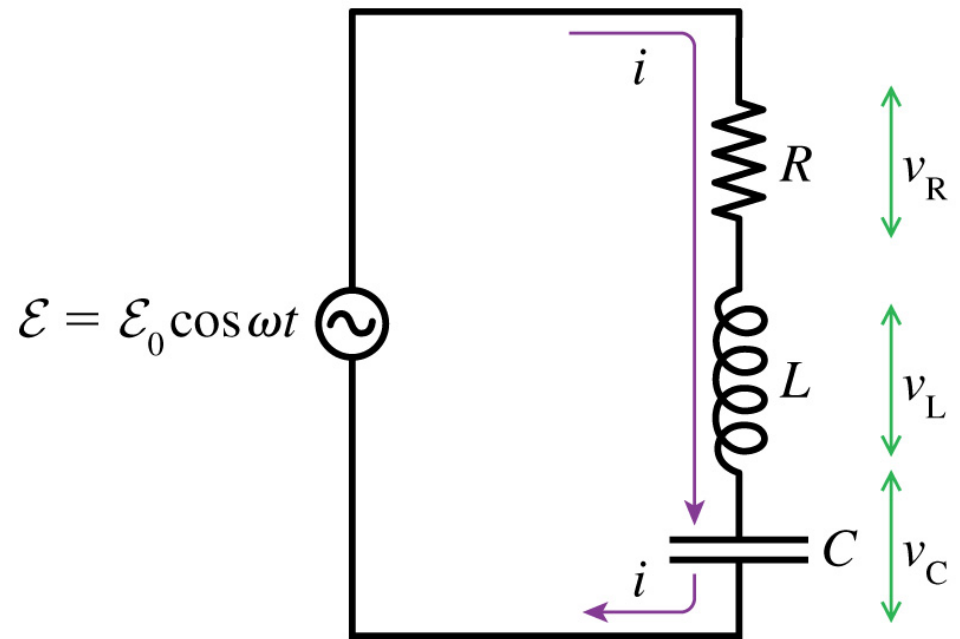
- So what do we know

- ◆ the instantaneous current through all 3 elements is the same

- ◆ $i = i_R = i_L = i_C$

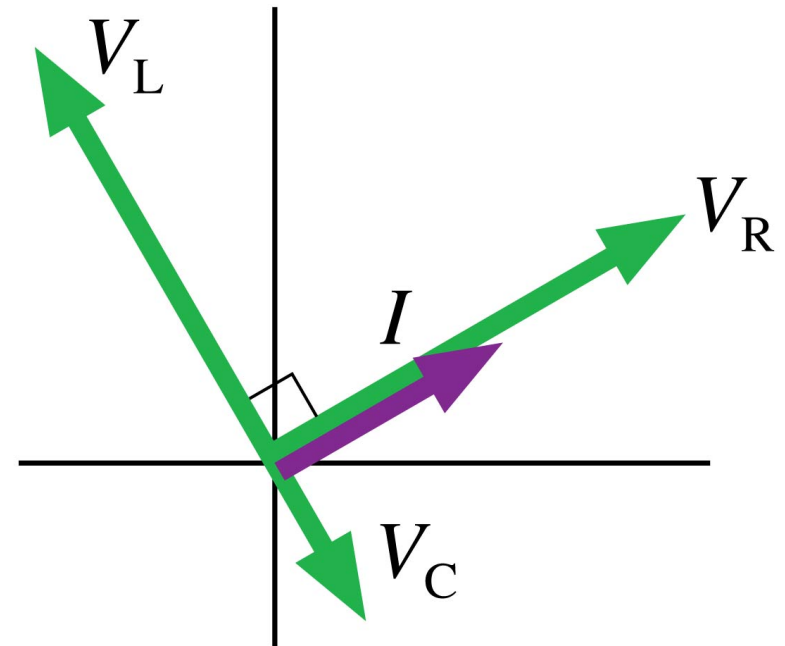
- ◆ The sum of the instantaneous voltages matches the emf

- ◆ $\varepsilon = V_R + V_L + V_C$



RLC circuits

- Now we have all 3 circuit elements
- Draw phasors for the current, V_R , V_L and V_C
- Note that again the current I and V_R are in phase and V_L and V_C are each 90° out of phase with the current
 - ◆ so V_L and V_C are 180° out of phase with each other



RLC circuits

- Write the current as

- ◆ $i = I \cos(\omega t - \phi)$
- ◆ ϕ can be between $+90^\circ$ and -90°
- ◆ here we've drawn $V_L > V_C$ so ϕ is +; voltage leads I

- I can calculate the current

$$\varepsilon_o = V_R^2 + (V_L - V_C)^2 = [R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2] I^2$$

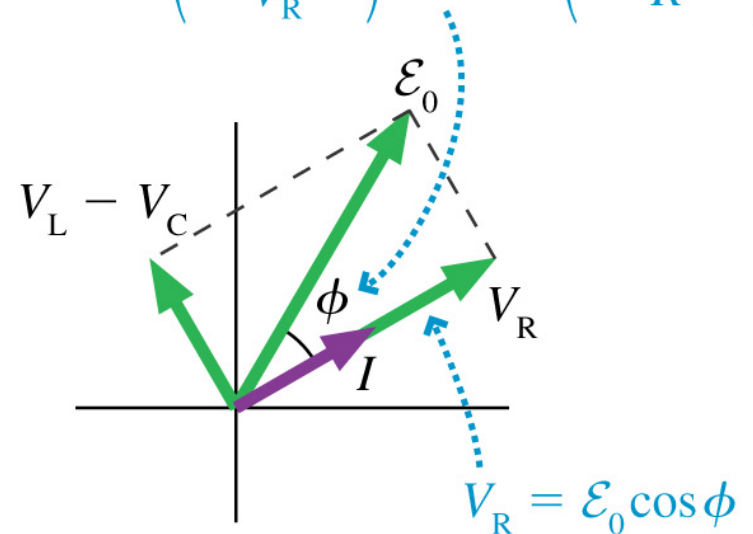
$$I = \frac{\varepsilon_o}{\sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2}} = \frac{\varepsilon_o}{\sqrt{R^2 + \left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)^2}}$$

- Define the impedance Z

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

The current lags the emf by

$$\phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{V_L - V_C}{V_R}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{X_L - X_C}{R}\right)$$



$$I = \frac{\varepsilon_o}{Z}$$

Resonance

- Let's look again at the formula for the impedance

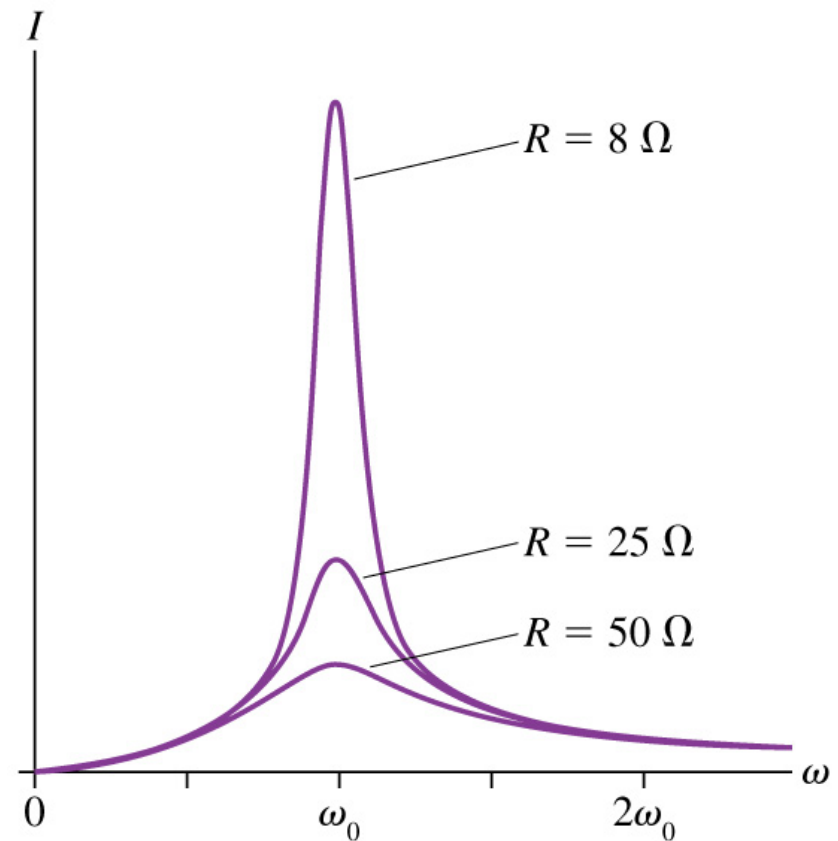
$$Z = \sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2} = \sqrt{R^2 + \left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)^2}$$

- Note that it has a minimum when $X_L = X_C$

$$Z = R$$

- The current has its maximum value at that frequency

$$I = \frac{\mathcal{E}_o}{Z} = \frac{\mathcal{E}_o}{R}$$



$$\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C} = 0$$

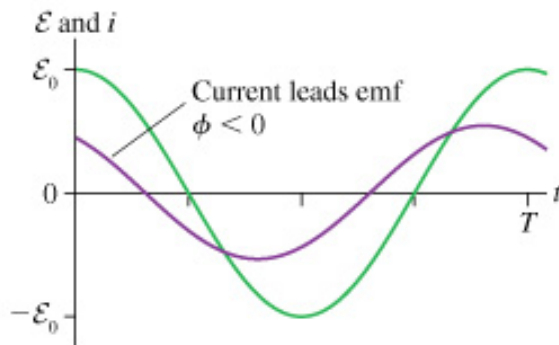
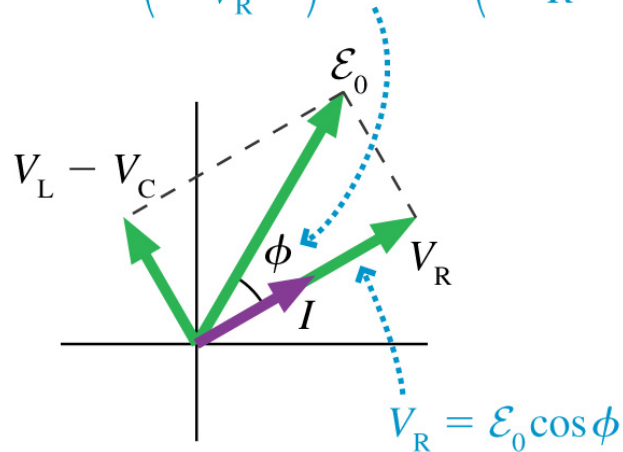
$$\omega_o = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$$

Phase angle for RLC circuit

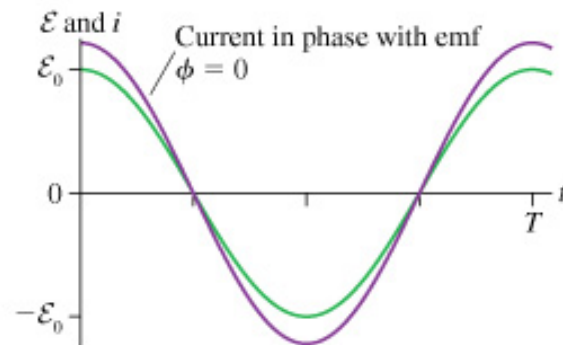
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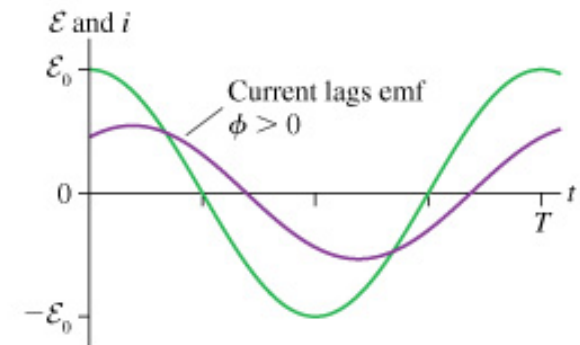
$$i = I \cos(\omega t - \phi)$$



Below resonance: $\omega < \omega_0$



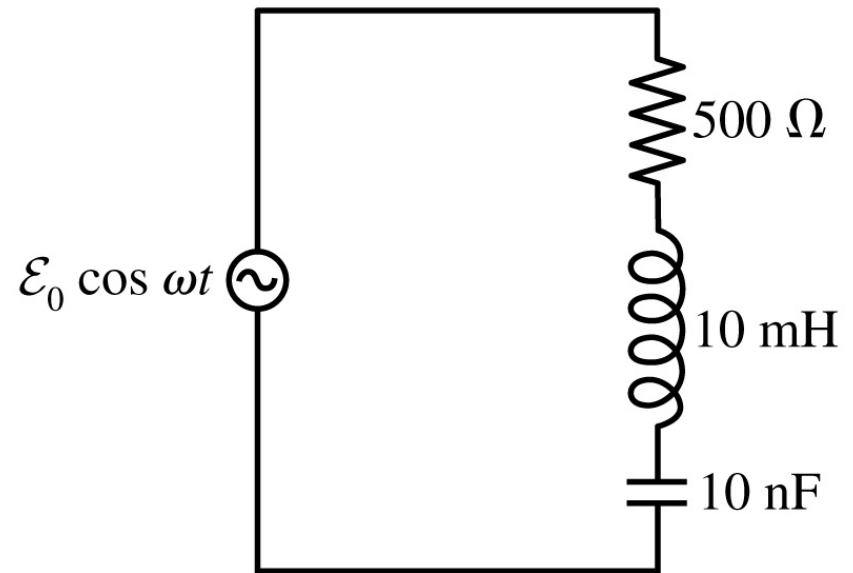
Resonance: $\omega = \omega_0$
Maximum current



Above resonance: $\omega > \omega_0$

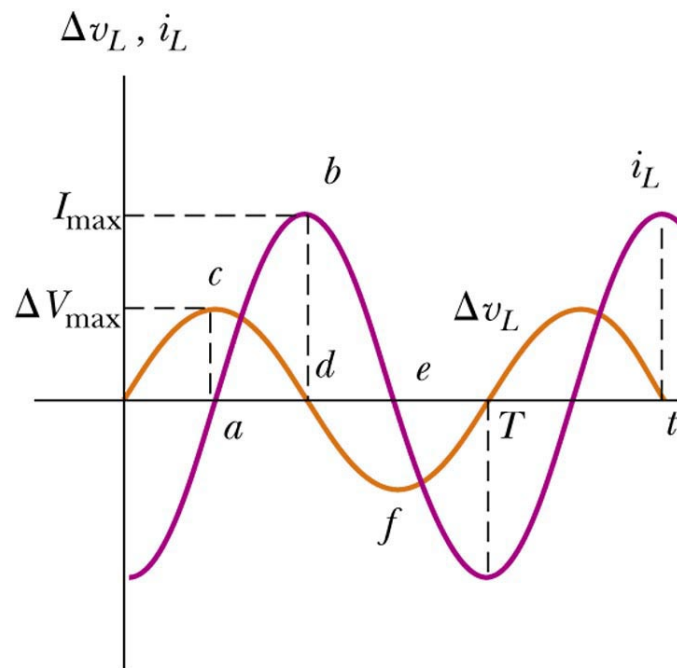
Example

- What is the phase angle when the frequency is 14 kHz, 18 kHz?



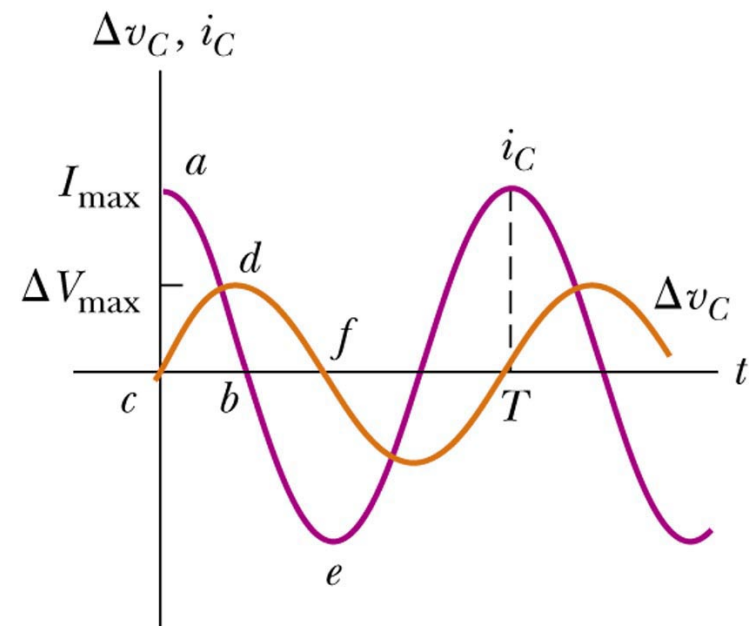
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- ELI
- emf leads the current in an inductive circuit



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- ICE
- current before the emf in a capacitive circuit



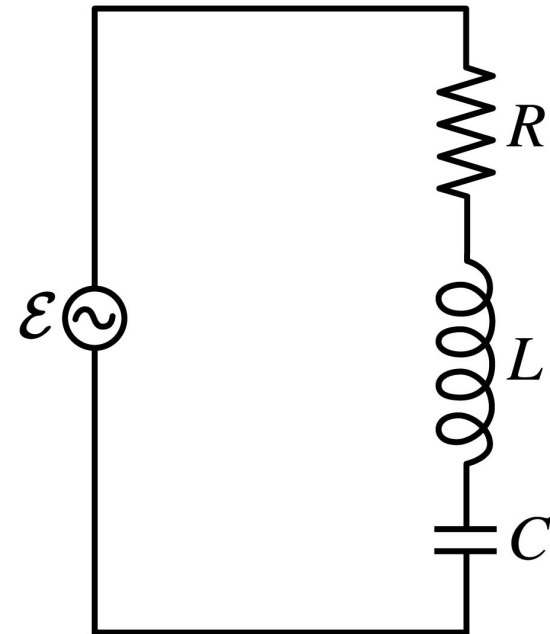
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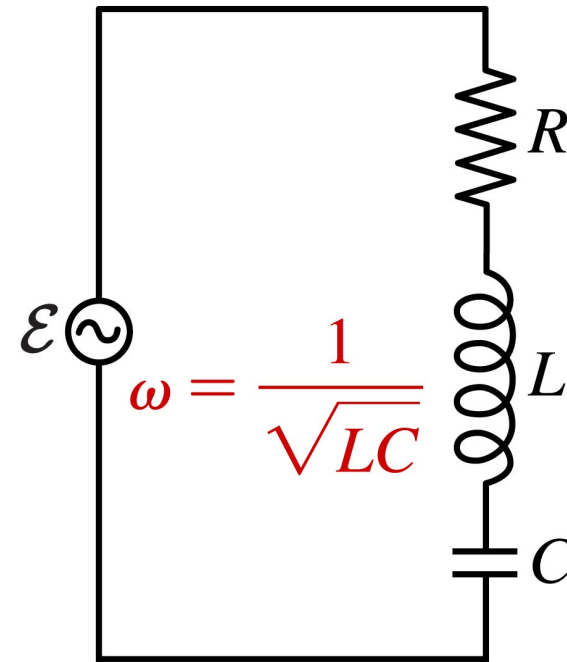
If the value of R is increased, the resonance frequency of this circuit

- A. Increases.
- B. Decreases.
- C. **Stays the same.**

The resonance frequency depends on C and L but not on R .

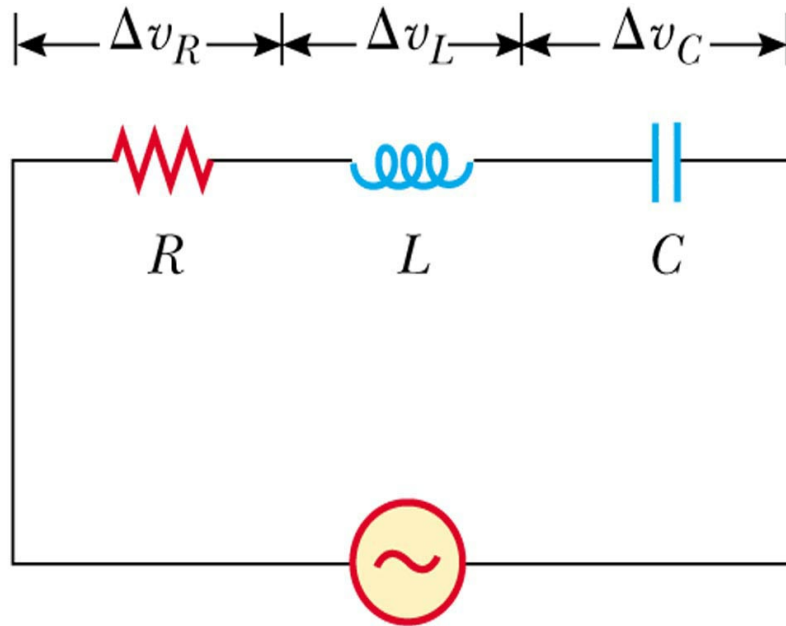


The resonance frequency of this circuit is 1000 Hz. To change the resonance frequency to 2000 Hz, replace the capacitor with one having capacitance



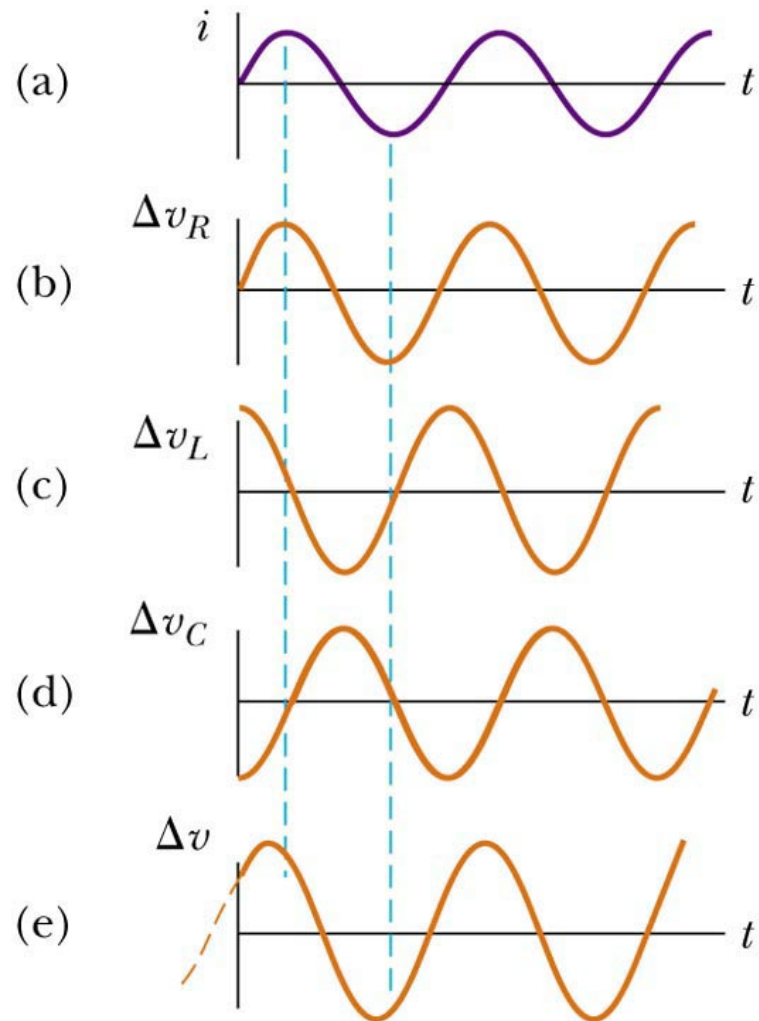
- A. $C/4$.
- B. $C/2$.
- C. $2C$.
- D. $4C$.
- E. It's impossible to change the resonance frequency by changing only the capacitor.

Kirchoff' s loop rule



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$\Delta v = \Delta v_R + \Delta v_C + \Delta v_L$
instantaneous voltage supplied by
generator equals sum of
instantaneous voltages across
resistor, capacitor and inductor


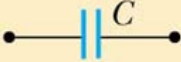



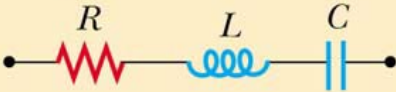


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Handy guide to AC circuits

TABLE 21.2

Impedance Values and Phase Angles for Various Combinations of Circuit Elements^a

Circuit Elements	Impedance Z	Phase Angle ϕ
	R	0°
	X_C	-90°
	X_L	$+90^\circ$
	$\sqrt{R^2 + X_C^2}$	Negative, between -90° and 0°
	$\sqrt{R^2 + X_L^2}$	Positive, between 0° and 90°
	$\sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2}$	Negative if $X_C > X_L$ Positive if $X_C < X_L$

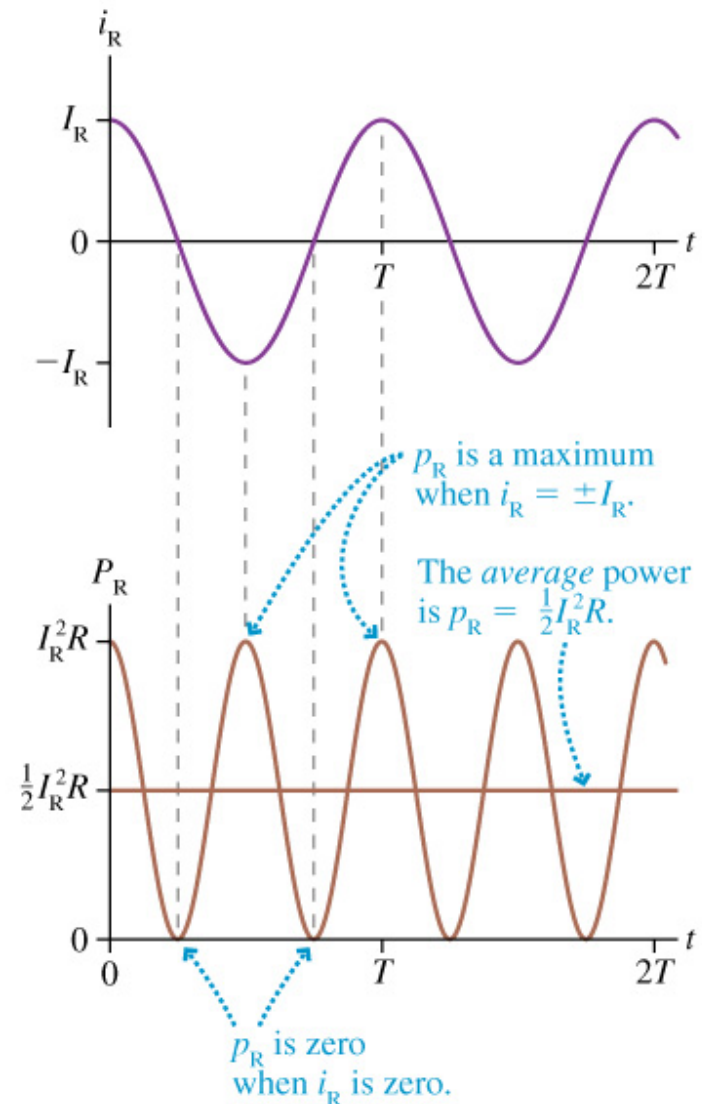
^a In each case, an AC voltage (not shown) is applied across the combination of elements (that is, across the dots).

Power in AC circuits

- An AC current by definition changes direction twice each period
- The instantaneous power provided by the emf is
 - ♦ $p_{\text{source}} = i\varepsilon$
- The power dissipated in the resistor is given by
 - ♦ $p_R = i_R v_R = i_R^2 R$
 - ♦ $p_R = i_R^2 R = I_R^2 R \cos^2 \omega t$
 - ♦ note that the power peaks twice every cycle
- Consider the average power

$$P_R = I_R^2 R \cos^2 \omega t = I_R^2 R \left[\frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos 2\omega t) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} I_R^2 R + \frac{1}{2} I_R^2 R \cos 2\omega t$$



Power in AC circuits

- The average power loss in a resistor is

$$P_R = \frac{1}{2} I_R^2 R$$

- or

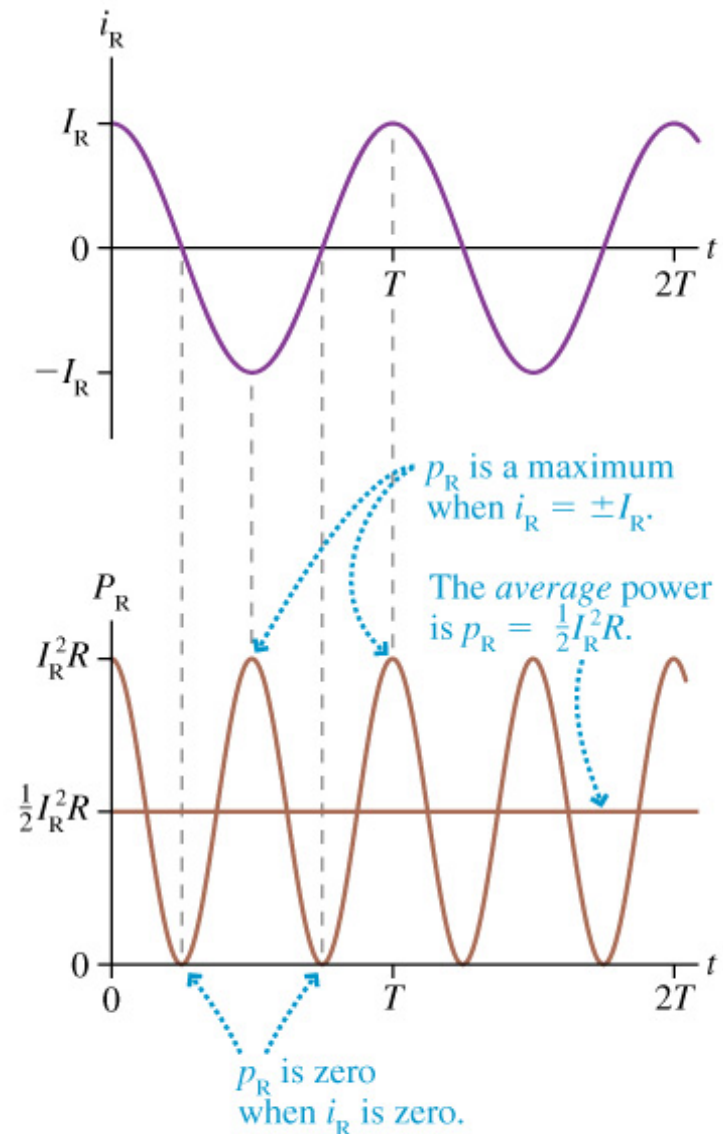
$$P_R = \left(\frac{I_R}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 R = (I_{rms})^2 R$$

- where I_{rms} is the rms current

$$I_{rms} = \frac{I_R}{\sqrt{2}}$$

- I can also define rms values for the voltage and emf

$$V_{rms} = \frac{V_R}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \mathcal{E}_{rms} = \frac{\mathcal{E}_o}{\sqrt{2}}$$



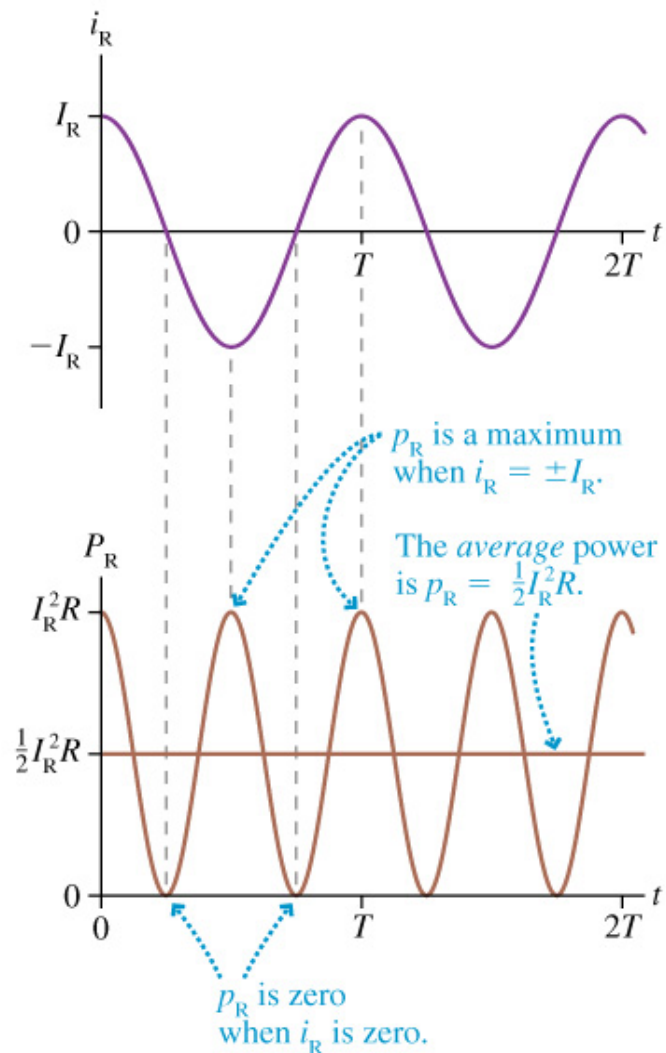
Power

- Can write the average power loss as

$$P_R = (I_{rms})^2 R = \frac{(V_{rms})^2}{R} = I_{rms} V_{rms}$$

- And average power supplied by emf as

$$P_{source} = I_{rms} \mathcal{E}_{rms}$$



Power in capacitors and inductors

- Consider the instantaneous power in a capacitor

- ♦ $p_C = v_C i_C$

- We can write the current as

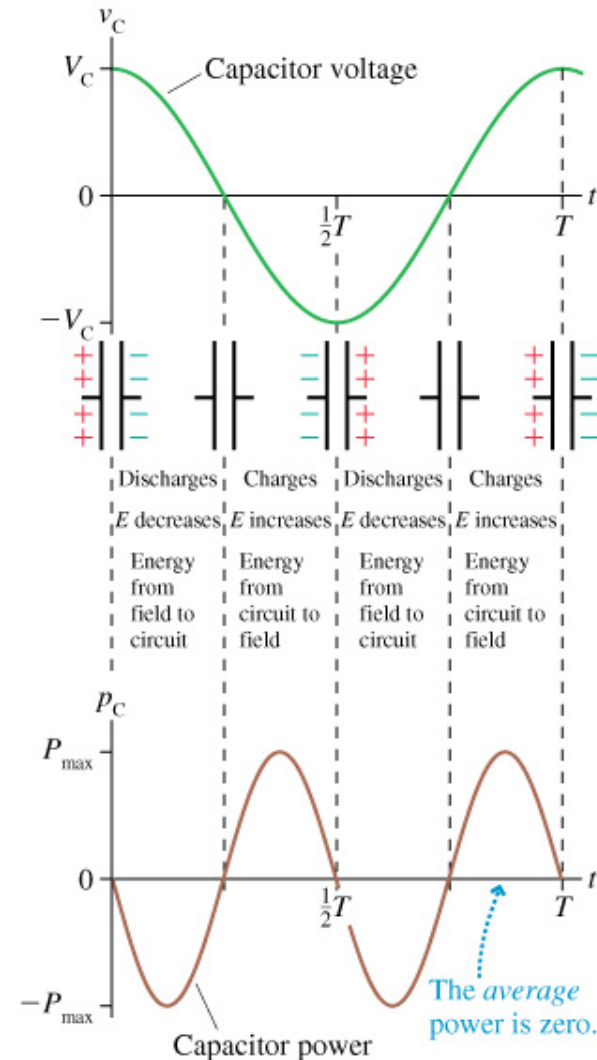
- ♦ $i_C = -\omega C V_C \sin \omega t$

- So

$$p_C = v_C i_C = (V_C \cos \omega t)(-\omega C V_C \sin \omega t)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \omega C V_C^2 \sin 2\omega t$$

- So the average power loss in a capacitor is zero
- Same with an inductor
- Energy is transferred in and out but there is no loss



Power factor

- In an RLC circuit, energy is supplied by the emf and is dissipated in the resistor
- But the current is not necessarily in phase with the emf voltage and this has consequences for the power

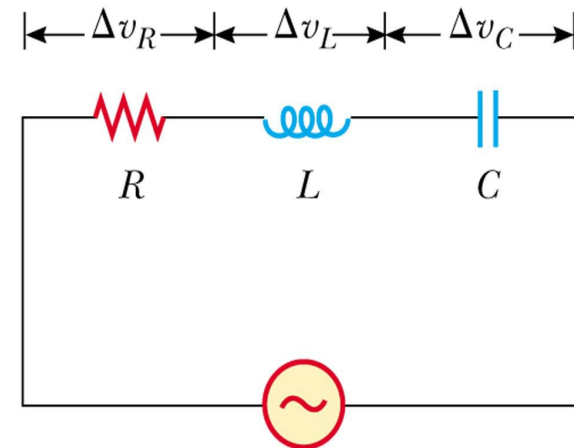
$$p_{source} = i\varepsilon = (I \cos(\omega t - \phi))(\varepsilon_o \cos \omega t)$$

$$= I\varepsilon_o \cos \omega t \cos(\omega t - \phi)$$

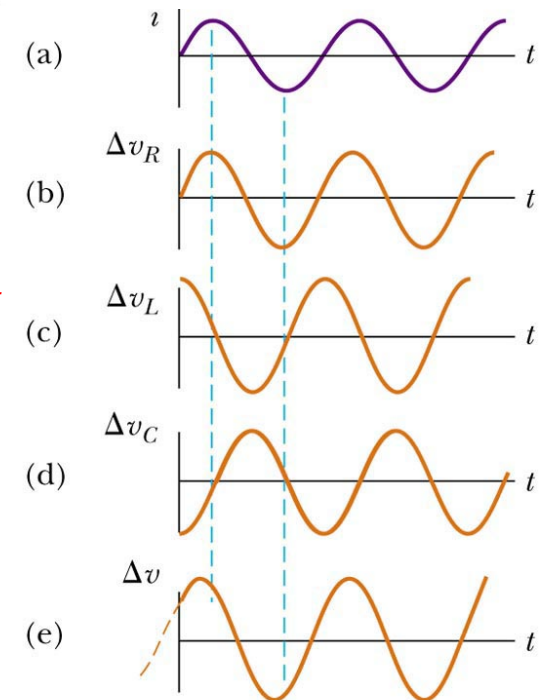
$$p_{source} = (I\varepsilon_o \cos \phi) \cos^2 \omega t + (I\varepsilon_o \sin \phi) \sin \omega t \cos \omega t$$

- The average power over a cycle then is

$$P_{source} = \frac{1}{2} I \varepsilon_o \cos \phi = I_{rms} \varepsilon_{rms} \cos \phi$$



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Power factor

$$P_{source} = \frac{1}{2} I \varepsilon_o \cos \phi = I_{rms} \varepsilon_{rms} \cos \phi$$

- Noting that $I = I_{max} \cos \phi$, we can write

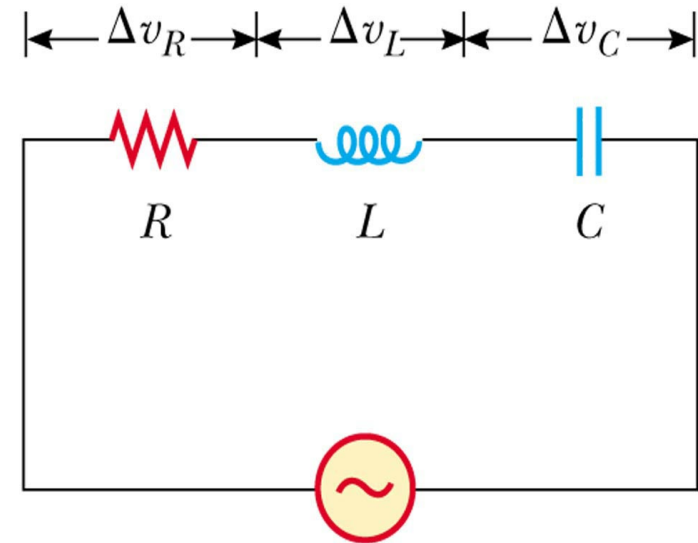
$$P_{source} = P_{max} \cos^2 \phi$$

- ◆ where $P_{max} = \frac{1}{2} I_{max} \varepsilon_o$

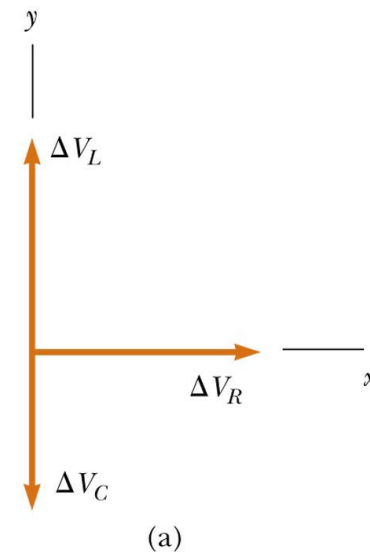
- Want to keep $\cos \phi$ close to 1 for efficient use of power

Example

- I have an AC circuit with a generator that supplies an rms voltage of 110 V at 50 hz connected in series with a 0.3 H inductor, a $4.5 \mu\text{F}$ capacitor and a 280Ω resistor
- What is the impedance of the circuit?
- What is the rms current through the resistor?
- What is the phase ϕ ?
- What is the power factor?



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Take Fermilab as an example

There's a four mile ring full of superconducting magnets, i.e. it's a huge inductance. What to do if you're an EE?

- Add a big capacitor
 - ♦ $\tan \phi = (X_L - X_C)/R$
 - ♦ if X_L is big, then make X_C big

