

UNIT-2 (A.C. Circuits)

Ques. 1 > For a given A.C. Voltage

$$V = 200\sqrt{2} \sin(100\pi t - 30^\circ)$$

Find (i) Max value (ii) r.m.s. Value (iii) frequency (iv) Phase angle
(v) average value (vi) Angular velocity (vii) Form & Peak Factor

Ans. > $V = 200\sqrt{2} \sin(100\pi t - 30^\circ)$

general eq. $V = V_m \sin(\omega t - \phi)$

on comparing $\rightarrow V_m = 200\sqrt{2}$

$$\omega = 100\pi$$

$$\phi = 30^\circ$$

(vii)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Form Factor} &= \frac{V_{rms}}{V_{av}} \\ &= \frac{V_m/\sqrt{2}}{2V_m/\pi} \\ &= 1.11 \\ \text{Peak Factor} &= 1.414 \end{aligned}$$

(i) Max Value $V_m = 200\sqrt{2}$

(ii) R.m.s. Value $V_{rms} = V_m/\sqrt{2} = 200$

(iii) $\omega = 2\pi f = 100\pi$
 $f = 50 \text{ Hz.}$

(iv) $\phi = 30^\circ$ Phase angle = 30°

(v) $V_{av} = \frac{2V_m}{\pi} = \frac{400\sqrt{2}}{\pi}$

(vi) angular velocity $\Rightarrow \omega = 100\pi \text{ rad/sec.}$

Ques. 2 > Explain form factor & Crest or Peak factor.

Ans. > (a) Form Factor \rightarrow The ratio of Effective or R.M.S. Value to Average Value is known as Form Factor

$$\text{Form Factor} = \frac{\text{R.M.S. Value of A.C.}}{\text{Average Value of A.C.}}$$

(b) Peak Factor \rightarrow The ratio of Max. Value to R.M.S. Value is known as peak or Crest Factor.

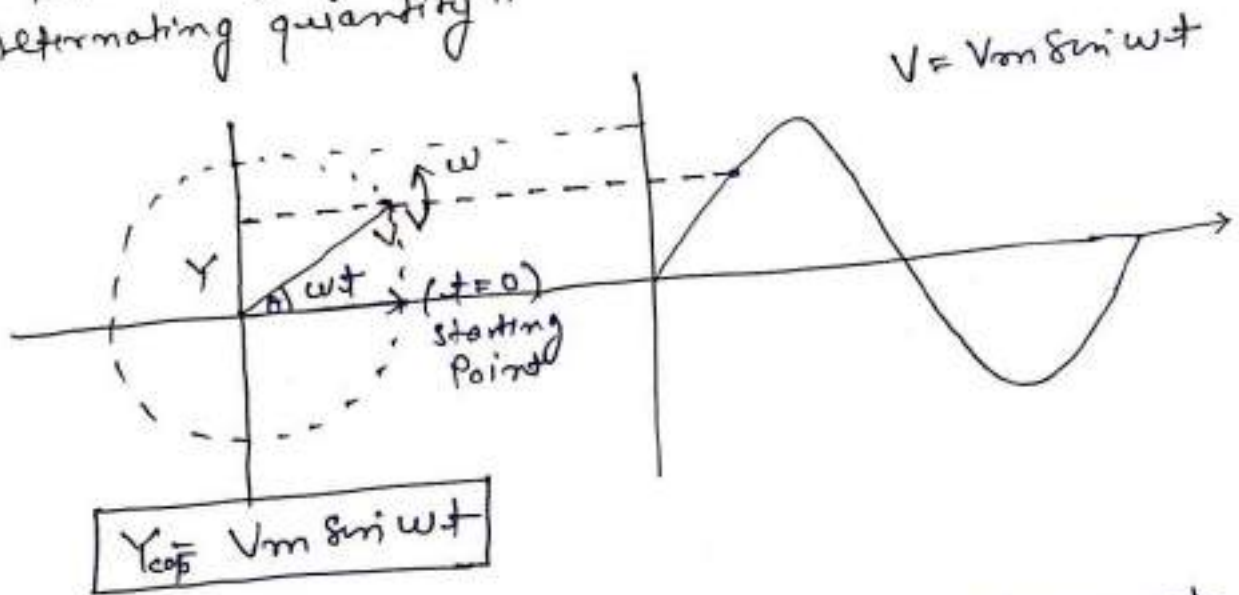
$$\text{Peak Factor} = \frac{\text{Maximum Value of A.C.}}{\text{R.M.S. Value of A.C.}}$$

Ques. 3 > What is The Physical Significance of Phasor. :

Ans. > As we know Alternating quantities change its Magnitude and Direction continuously So Mathematical analysis of A.C. is very complicated For Representing A.C. we use Phasor Method for Simplicity of Mathematical analysis

Phasor > Phasor is basically a Rotating line whose Magnitude is equal to R.M.S value of alternating quantity and which is Rotating in anticlockwise direction with angular velocity ω .

" Y component of Phasor gives the Instantaneous Value of particular Alternating quantity, the starting point ($t=0$) of Phasor depend upon the equation of Alternating quantity "



* For Mathematical Analysis we represent Phasor at ($t=0$) only and this is used for addition and Substraction of alternating quantities.

Ques. 4 > Represent following Alternating quantities in phasor form then find the resultant of all.

$$V_1 = 100 \sin 500t$$

$$V_2 = 200 \sin(500t + 45)$$

$$V_3 = -50 \cos 500t$$

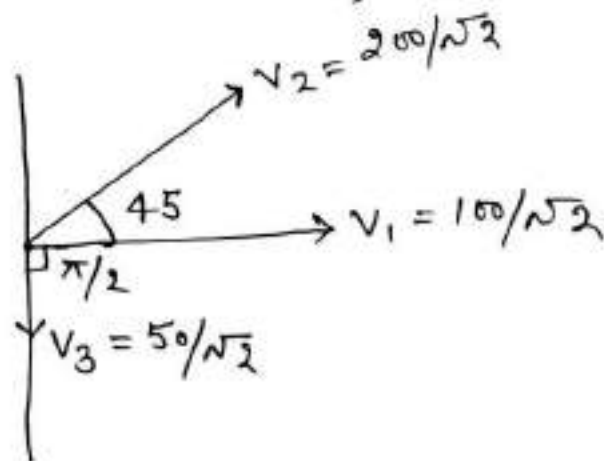
Ans. → For analysis all quantities must in phasor form

$$V_1 = 100 \sin 500t$$

$$V_2 = 200 \sin(500t + 45)$$

$$V_3 = 50 \sin(500t - \pi/2)$$

Phasor Representation >



Addition >

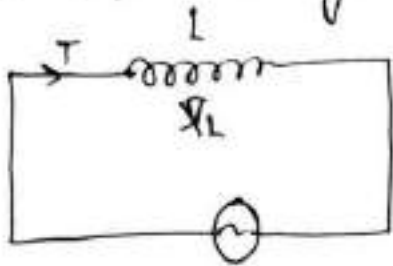
	V_x	V_y
V_1	$100/\sqrt{2}$	0
V_2	$100\sqrt{2}$	141.42
V_3	0	-50
V_R	241.42	91.42

$$V_R = \sqrt{V_x^2 + V_y^2} = V_{Rmax} = 258.15 \text{ V}$$

$$\tan \phi = \frac{91.42}{241.42} \quad \phi =$$

Ques-5 > Prove that in purely Inductive & Capacitive ckt Power Consumed is zero.

Ans. > (i) Purely Inductive ckt \rightarrow



$$V = V_m \sin \omega t$$

the applied voltage and is given by

$$e_L = -L \frac{di}{dt}$$

$$V = -e_L$$

$$V = L \frac{di}{dt}$$

$$di = \frac{V}{L} dt$$

Integrating both sides

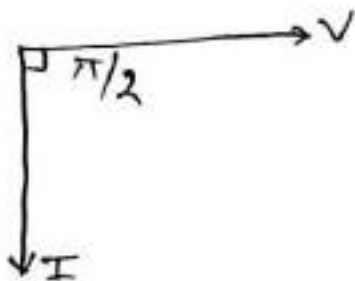
$$\int di = \int \frac{V}{L} dt$$

$$\int di = \int \frac{V_m \sin \omega t dt}{L}$$

$$I = \frac{V_m}{\omega L} \sin(\omega t - \pi/2)$$

$$I = I_m \sin(\omega t - \pi/2)$$

$$I_m = \frac{V_m}{\omega L} = \frac{V_m}{X_L}$$



\Rightarrow When alternating current flows through the inductor an e.m.f. known as self induced e.m.f. is induced across the inductor and this induced e.m.f. opposes

Now Instantaneous Power P

$$P_{in} = VI$$

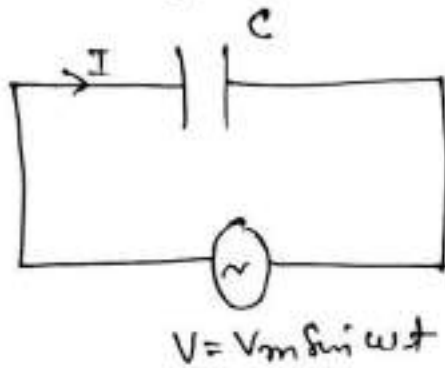
$$= V_m \sin \omega t I_m \sin(\omega t - \pi/2)$$

$$P_{in} = \frac{V_m I_m}{2} \sin 2\omega t$$

$$\boxed{P_{av} = 0}$$

because average value of $\sin 2\omega t$ in half cycle is zero.

(ii) Purely Capacitive circuit



at particular time charge stored in capacitor is given by

$$Q = CV$$

$$Q = C V_m \sin \omega t$$

now.

$$I = \frac{dQ}{dt}$$

$$I = \frac{d}{dt} (C V_m \sin \omega t) = V_m \omega C \cos \omega t$$

$$I = V_m \omega C \sin(\omega t + \pi/2)$$

$$I = \frac{V_m}{1/\omega C} \sin(\omega t + \pi/2) = \frac{V_m}{X_c} \sin(\omega t + \pi/2)$$

where $X_c \rightarrow$ capacitive reactance

* Now instantaneous power across capacitor

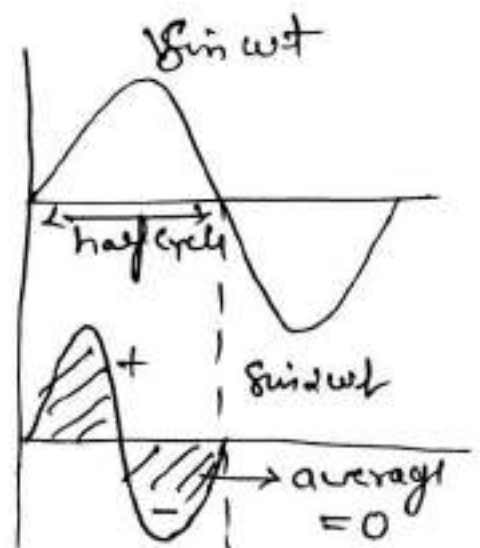
$$\begin{aligned} P_{in} &= VI \\ &= V_m \sin \omega t I_m \sin(\omega t + \pi/2) \\ &= \frac{V_m I_m}{2} (\sin \omega t \cos \omega t) \end{aligned}$$

$$P_{in} = \frac{V_m I_m}{2} \sin 2\omega t$$

+ now average power \rightarrow

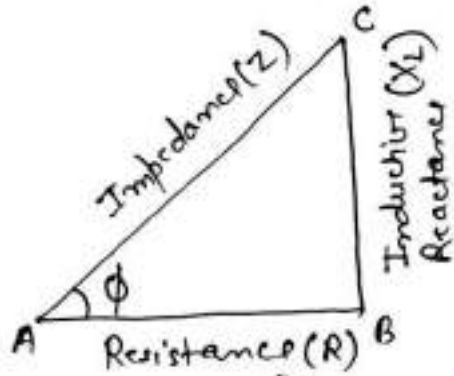
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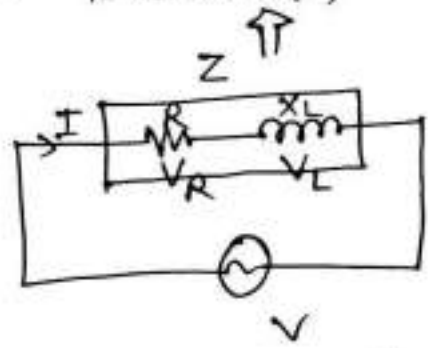


Ques. 6 → Explain Impedance Triangle with Suitable Diagram.

Ans. → When Resistance, Inductance and Impedance are represented by three sides of right angle triangle. Such a triangle is known as Impedance Triangle.



$$\left. \begin{aligned} AB &= \frac{V_R}{I} = R \\ BC &= \frac{V_L}{I} = X_L \\ AC &= \frac{V}{I} = Z \end{aligned} \right\}$$



* the angle b/w AB & AC is known as Phase angle

$$\boxed{\cos \phi = R/Z}$$

* $\cos \phi$ is the Power Factor of the circuit.

Ques. 7 → Discuss about Apparent, True and Reactive Power.

Ans. → (i) Apparent Power → The product of r.m.s value of Voltage & current is known as Apparent Power. $P_a = VI$ unit → V-A or KVA (Volt-Ampere)

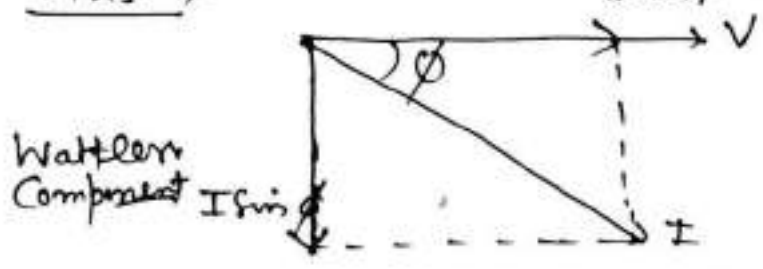
(ii) True Power → When Apparent Power is multiply by power factor then this product is known as True Power. $P_T = VI \cos \phi$ unit W or KW (Watt) or (Kilowatt)

(iii) Reactive Power → The product of Apparent Power to the sine of angle b/w Voltage and current is known as Reactive Power. $P_R = VI \sin \phi$ unit VA or KVAR (Volt-Ampere Reactive)

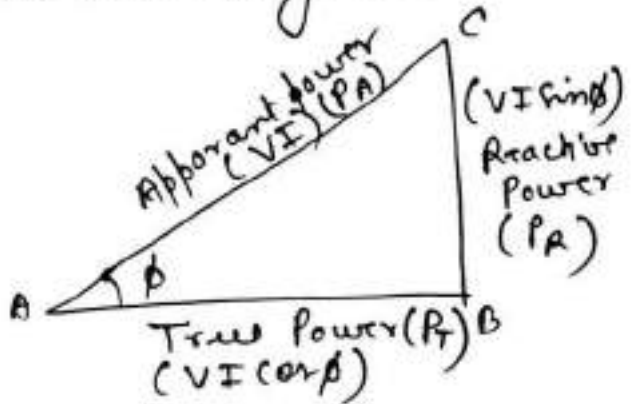
Ques 8 → Explain Power Triangle the Discuss about Watt and Wattless Component of current.

Ans. →

$I \cos \phi$ → active Component



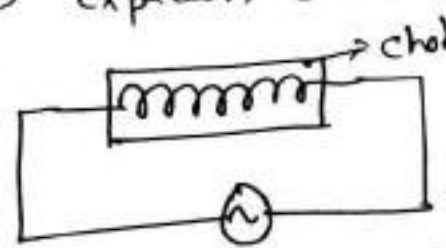
- * The Component of current in phase with Voltage is known as active component or in Watt Component of current because it is responsible for power consumption.
- * Wattless Component → The Component of current quadrature to Voltage is called Wattless Component it does not consume any power.



$$P_A = \sqrt{P_T^2 + P_R^2}$$

Ques 9 → Explain Choke coil then define quality Factor.

Ans. →



"A coil having high inductance and low resistance is known as choke coil"

$$\text{Power loss in choke coil} = \text{Iron loss} + \text{Copper loss}$$

Q Factor → Reciprocal of Power Factor is known as quality Factor

$$Q = \frac{1}{\cos \phi}$$

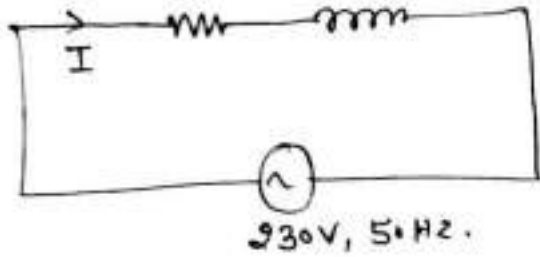
"The quality Factor of choke coil is very high because $\phi \rightarrow 90^\circ$ "

Ques. 9 → A coil having Resistance $6\ \Omega$ and Inductance $0.0255\ \text{H}$ is connected across $230\ \text{V}$, $50\ \text{Hz}$.

A.C. Supply Calculate.

- (i) Impedance of coil (ii) Current in circuit (iii) Power factor
 (iv) Power consumed (v) Instantaneous Value of Voltage & Current
 (vi) Apparent & Reactive power

Ans. →



$$X_L = 2\pi fL$$

$$= 2 \times 3.14 \times 50 \times 0.0255$$

$$= 8\ \Omega$$

(i) $Z = \sqrt{R^2 + X_L^2} = \sqrt{6^2 + 8^2} = 10\ \Omega$

(ii) $I = V/Z = \frac{230}{10} = 23\ \text{A}$

(iii) $\cos\phi = R/Z = 0.6$ $\phi = 53$

(iv) $P = VI \cos\phi$
 $= 230 \times 23 \times 0.6 = 3174\ \text{W}$

(v) $V = 230\sqrt{2} \sin \omega t$
 $I = 23\sqrt{2} \sin(\omega t - 53)$

(vi) Apparent & Reactive Power

⇒ Apparent $P_A = VI$
 $= 230 \times 23 = 5290\ \text{VA}$
 $\underline{5.290\ \text{KVA}} \quad \text{Ans}$

⇒ Reactive power $= VI \sin\phi$
 $= 230 \times 23 \times 0.8$
 $= 4232\ \text{VAR}$
 $\underline{4.232\ \text{KVAR}} \quad \text{Ans}$

Ques. 10 → The Instantaneous Value of Voltage and Current in particular circuit is given by

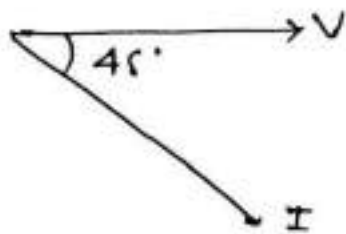
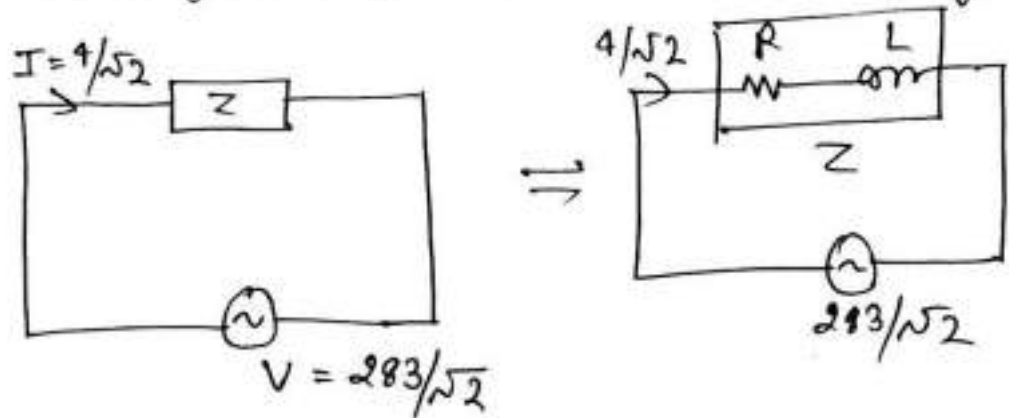
$$V = 283 \sin 314t$$

$$I = 4 \sin (314t - 45^\circ)$$

find (i) circuit elements & their Value

(ii) Power factor and Power Consumed by ckt.

Ans. →



The current is lag behind the supply voltage by 45° so circuit contain R & L

now
$$Z = \frac{V}{I} = \frac{283/\sqrt{2}}{4/\sqrt{2}} = \underline{70.75 \Omega}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos \phi &= R/Z \text{ so } R = Z \cos \phi \\ &= 70.75 \cos 45 \\ &= 50 \Omega \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} X_L &= Z \sin \phi \\ &= 50 \Omega \end{aligned}$$

$$2\pi fL = 50 \Omega \Rightarrow L = \frac{50}{2\pi f} = \underline{0.159 H}$$

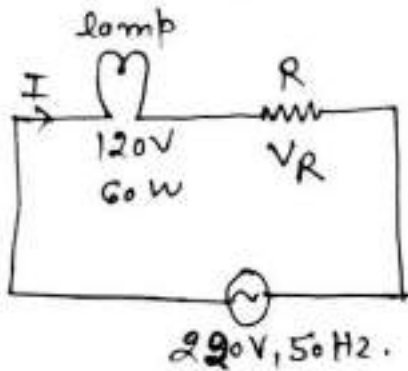
(ii) Power Factor $\Rightarrow \cos \phi = \cos 45 = 0.707$ (lagging)

$$\begin{aligned} P &= VI \cos \phi \\ &= \frac{283}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} \times 0.707 \end{aligned}$$

Q.71 > A, 60W, 120V lamp Connected across 220V, 50Hz.

A.C. Supply find the Value of (i) Resistor (ii) Inductor Connected in Series with the lamp so that lamp run on Correct Voltage.

Ans. > (i)



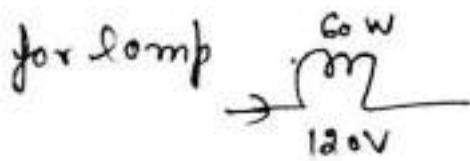
"lamp to be considered as pure Resistor"

$$V_R + 120 = 220$$

$$V_R = 100V$$

$$IR = 100V$$

$$R = 200\Omega \text{ Ans}$$

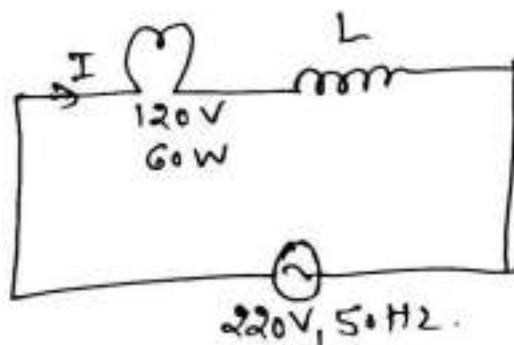


$$P = VI$$

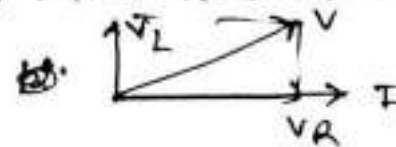
$$I = 60/120$$

$$= 0.5A$$

(ii) for Inductor →



• If Inductor is Connected in Series then it behave as like R-L circuit



$$V_R^2 + V_L^2 = V^2$$

$$(120)^2 + (IX_L)^2 = 220^2$$

$$IX_L = 184.4$$

$$X_L = \frac{184.4}{0.5}$$

$$L = 1.174H \text{ Ans}$$

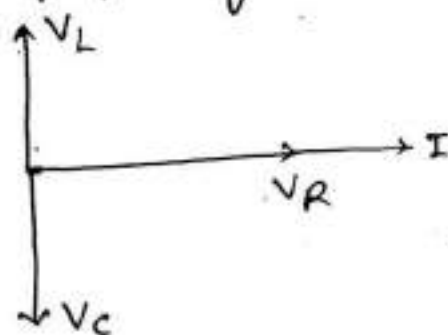
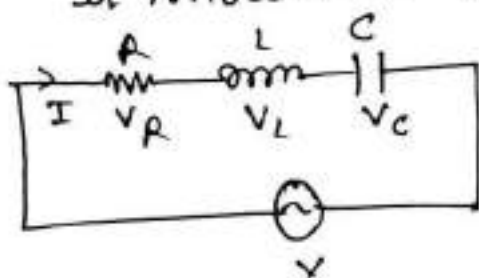
Ques. 12 > What is Resonance?

Ans. > The Resonance is a phenomenon which takes place in the circuit containing two types of Energy storing element (like Inductor & Capacitor) such that Energy can interchange b/w them.

" At Resonance the Voltage & Current of R-L-C ckt becomes in same phase "

Ques. 13 > Define Resonant frequency and Derive the expression for it. (for Series R-L-C ckt).

Ans. > The frequency at which Resonance takes place is known as Resonant frequency.



Resonance takes place when

$$V_L = V_C$$

$$IX_L = IX_C$$

$$X_L = X_C$$

$$2\pi f_r L = \frac{1}{2\pi f_r C}$$

$$f_r = \frac{1}{2\pi \sqrt{LC}}$$

$$V_L = IX_L$$

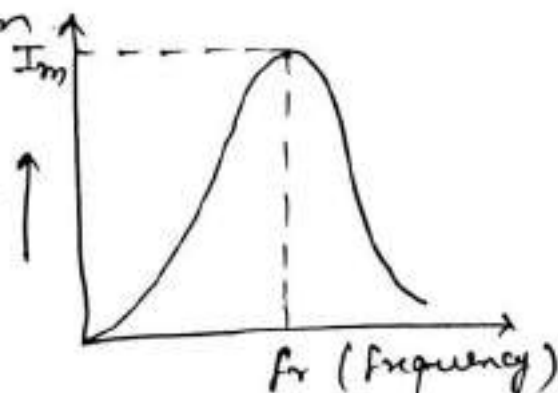
$$V_C = IX_C$$

$$V_R = IR$$

Ques. 14 > What is Resonance curve.

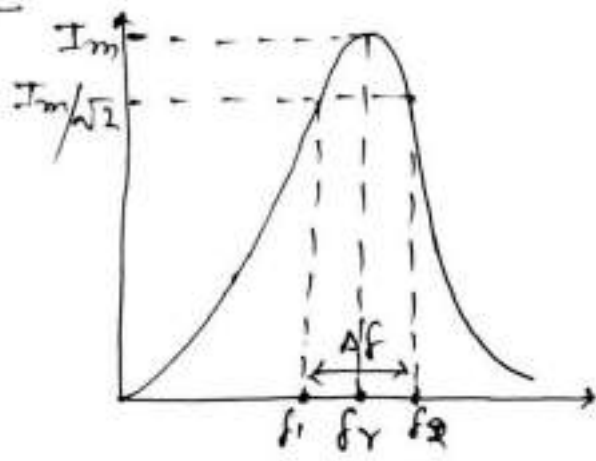
Ans. > The Curve Drawn b/w Current & Frequency for Series R-L-C ckt is known as Resonance curve

f_r → frequency at which Voltage & Current becomes in same phase.



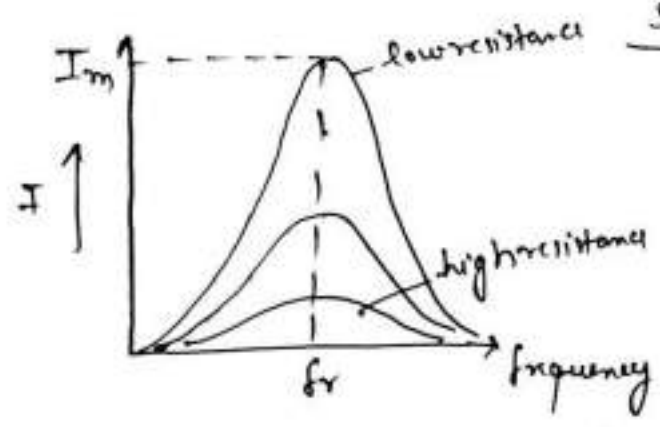
Ques. 15 > Explain Selectivity & Bandwidth.

Ans. >



Bandwidth → The band of frequencies either side of Resonance frequency where current becomes $1/\sqrt{2}$ times maximum current.

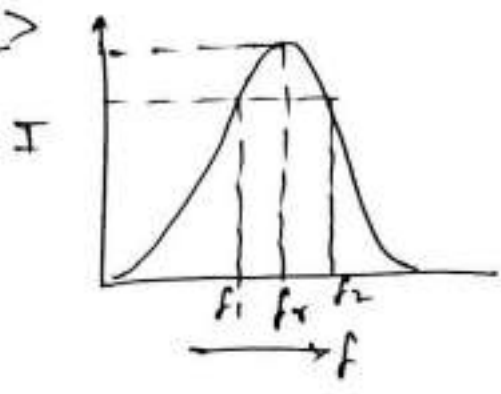
$\Delta f = f_2 - f_1$ bandwidth



Selectivity → If Resonant curve is highly peaked then it is high selective & if the curve is flat then it is low selective. Selectivity depends upon Resistance of ckt.

Ques. 16 > Derive the Expression for Bandwidth in Series R-L-C ckt >

Ans. >



ω_1, ω_2 Corresponding frequencies of point where current is $I_m/\sqrt{2}$
 * for maximum current
 $Z = R$
 + if $I = I_m/\sqrt{2} = \frac{V}{\sqrt{2}R}$
 means $Z = \sqrt{2}R$

Now → $\sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2} = \sqrt{2}R$

$X_L - X_C = \pm R$

⇒ for lower cut off frequency ω_1 →

$\omega_1 L - 1/\omega_1 C = -R$

$\omega_1^2 LC - L + R\omega_1 C = 0$

→ Dividing whole eq. by LC

$$\omega_1^2 + \frac{R}{L} \omega_1 - \frac{1}{LC} = 0$$

now

$$\omega_1 = \frac{-R/L \pm \sqrt{(R/L)^2 + 4/LC}}{2}$$

$$\omega_1 = -R/2L \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{R}{2L}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2LC}\right)^2}$$

let $R/2L = \alpha$

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

$$\omega_1 = -R/2L \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{R}{2L}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}\right)^2}$$

$$\boxed{\omega_1 = -\alpha \pm \sqrt{\alpha^2 + \omega_r^2}}$$

Discarding Negative frequency

$$\omega_1 = -\alpha + \sqrt{\alpha^2 + \omega_r^2}$$

* for upper cutoff frequency $\omega_2 \rightarrow$

$$X_L - X_C = +R$$

$$\omega_2 L - \frac{1}{\omega_2 C} = R$$

$$\boxed{\omega_2 = +\alpha + \sqrt{\alpha^2 + \omega_r^2}}$$

now bandwidth $\omega_2 - \omega_1 = 2\alpha$

$$f_2 - f_1 = \frac{R}{2\pi L}$$

$$\boxed{\Delta f = R/2\pi L}$$

also $\omega_1 \omega_2 = \alpha^2 + \omega_r^2 - \alpha^2$

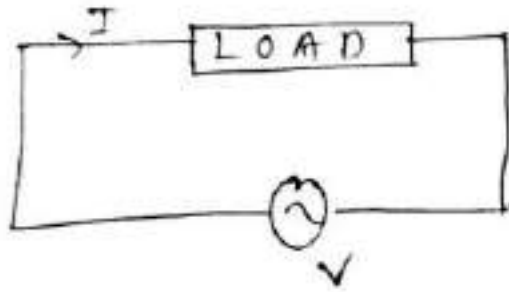
$$\omega_1 \omega_2 = \omega_r^2$$

$$\omega_1 \omega_2 = \omega_r^2$$

$$\boxed{f_1 f_2 = f_r^2}$$

Ques. 17) Write Down Disadvantages of low power factor How can we improve power factor.

Ans. 7



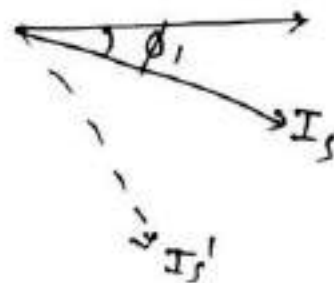
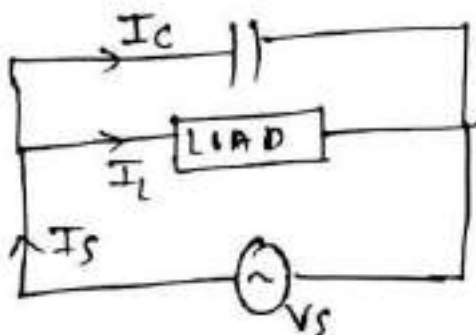
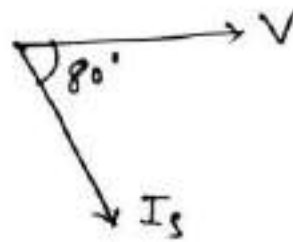
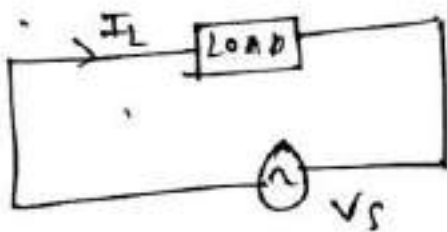
The current for a given load supplied at constant voltage is given by

$$I = \frac{P}{V \cos \phi}$$

If $\cos \phi$ is low then current is high which result following disadvantages →

- (i) Rating of generator's and Transformer's are proportional to their output current hence inversely proportional to power factor.
- (ii) The conducting material required is proportional to current so large conducting material required for transmission of power at low power factor.
- (iii) Copper loss is proportional to current so low power factor result high copper loss ($I^2 R$).

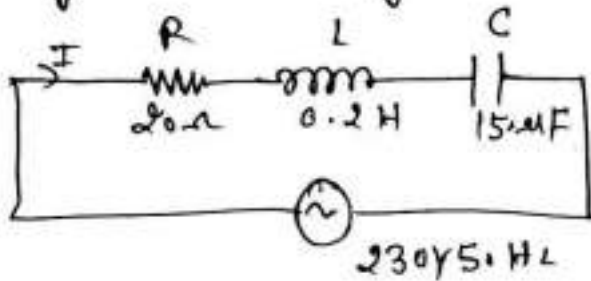
Power Factor Improvement → (i) by using capacitor with parallel to load ↓



(ii) by using induction motor with phase advancer.

Ques. 18 A Series R-L-C Circuit Consisting $R=20\Omega$, Inductance $0.2H$ and a Capacitance of $150\mu F$ is connected across a $230V, 50Hz$ source. Calculate:
 (i) Impedance (ii) the current (iii) Power Factor (iv) Resonant frequency (v) quality Factor.

Ans. >



$$X_L = 2\pi fL$$

$$= 2 \times \pi \times 50 \times 0.2$$

$$= 62.83\Omega$$

$$X_C = \frac{1}{2\pi fC} = 21.22\Omega$$

(i) Impedance $Z = \sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2}$

$$= \sqrt{(20)^2 + (62.83 - 21.22)^2}$$

$$Z = 46.167\Omega$$

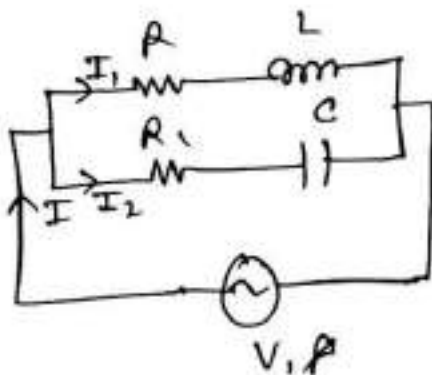
(ii) $I = \frac{V}{Z} = \frac{230}{46.167} = 4.98A$

(iii) $\cos\phi = \frac{R}{Z} = \frac{20}{46.167} = 0.4332$ lagging

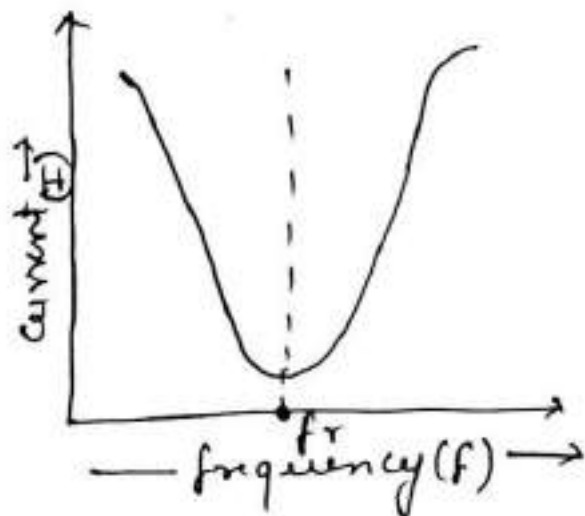
(iv) $f_r = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC}} = 29.06Hz$. (v) $Q = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}$

Ques. 19 Derive the Expression for band width in Parallel R-L-C circuit. (Current Resonance)

Ans. >



* Current is minimum at Resonance.



in case of Parallel circuit at bandwidth frequency \therefore
 the net Susceptance B is equal to Conductance G So at
 frequency f_1 the Net Susceptance

$$B_{L_1} - B_{C_1} = G$$

at f_2 $B_{C_2} - B_{L_2} = G$

Then $Y = \sqrt{G^2 + B^2} = \sqrt{2G}$

and $\phi = \tan^{-1} B/G = \tan^{-1} 1 = 45^\circ$

Q Factor $Q = \frac{\text{Circulating current } b/w \text{ L/C}}{\text{Line current}}$

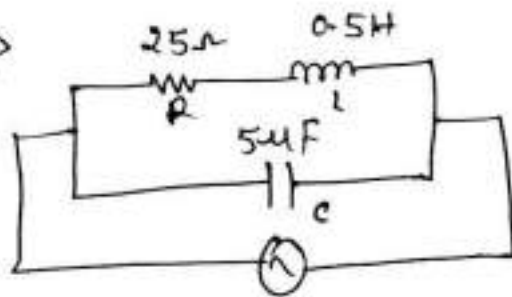
now $I_C = 2\pi f_r C V$

$$I = V/L/CR = VCR/L$$

$$Q = \frac{I_C}{I} = \frac{2\pi f_r L}{R} \quad \text{and } f_r = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC}}$$

$$Q = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} \quad \text{neglecting } R \text{ in } f_r$$

Ques. 20



for the circuit find
 (i) Resonant frequency
 (ii) Impedance at Resonance
 (iii) Bandwidth
 (iv) Quality Factor

(i) $f_r = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC} - \frac{R^2}{L^2}} = 100.34 \text{ Hz.}$

(ii) Impedance of ckt at Resonance $Z = L/CR = 4000 \Omega$

(iii) $\Delta f = R/2\pi L = \frac{25}{2\pi \times 0.5} = 7.958 \text{ Hz.}$

(iv) Quality Factor $Q = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} = \frac{1}{25} \sqrt{\frac{0.5}{5 \times 10^{-6}}} = 12.65$