

EE 205

Electric Circuits II

Balanced Three Phase Circuits

Lecture # 02

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The material to be covered in this lecture is as follows:

- Three-phase Voltage source connections.
- The single phase equivalent circuit
- The line voltage quantities for a balanced three phase circuits.
- Complete Analysis of Y-Y circuit

After finishing this lecture, you should be able to:

- Identify the difference between Y connected source and Δ connected source.
- Extract the single phase equivalent circuit for Y-Y three phase circuit
- Deduce the line voltage quantities for positive and negatives sequences
- Conduct a complete analysis for Y-Y circuit.

Three-phase voltage source.

- The three phase source could be connected whether in Δ or in Y.

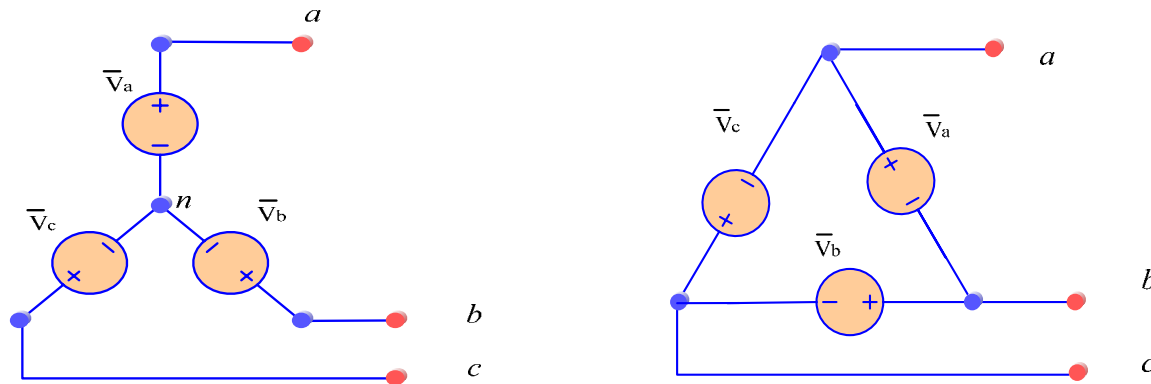


Figure 6 (a) Ideal three phase Y connected source. Figure 6 (b) Ideal three phase Δ connected source.

- The load can be connected in Y or in Δ and similarly to the source
- These two configurations are source connection and load connection

Three-phase voltage source (Cont)

- The load can be connected in Y or in Δ and similarly to the source .

Source Connection	Load Connection
Y	Y
Y	Δ
Δ	Y
Δ	Δ

Table 1. Source and Load Connection Types.

Three-phase voltage source (Cont)

- Three phase source model that includes winding impedance is for both connections is shown here
- The winding impedance represents the internal reactance and the internal resistance

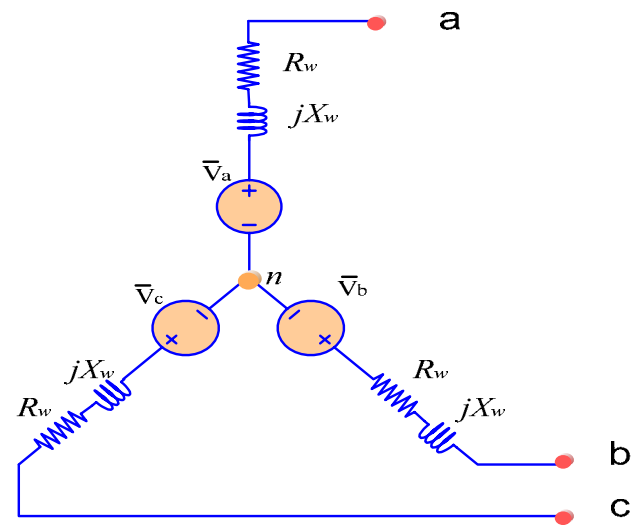


Figure 7(a) Y Connected Three Phase Source Model

Three-phase voltage source (Cont)

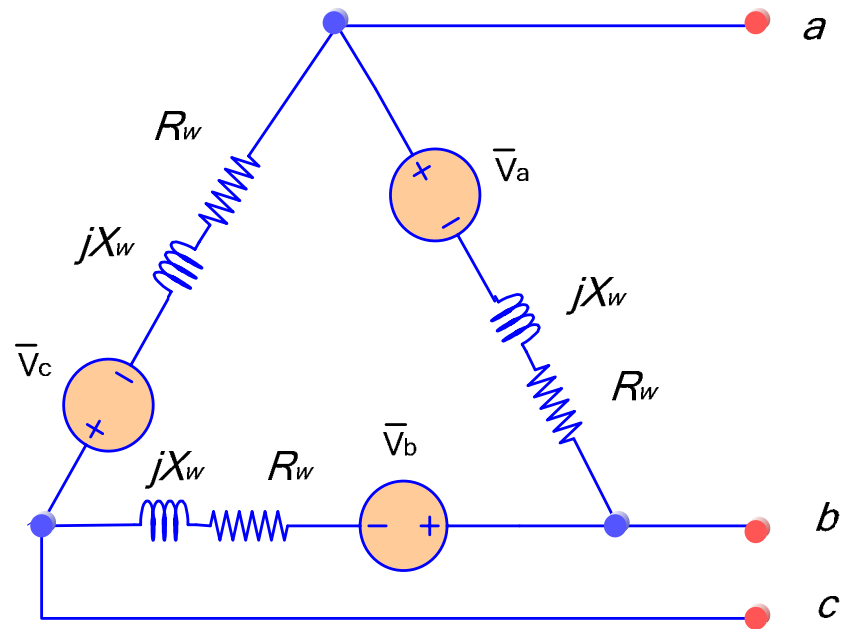


Figure 7 (b) Δ Connected Three Phase Source Model

Analysis of Y-Y circuit

- Consider the following three-phase circuit Y-Y system.
- The source is Y connected and the load is also Y, connected and in between is the transmission line or the connecting three-phase circuit.

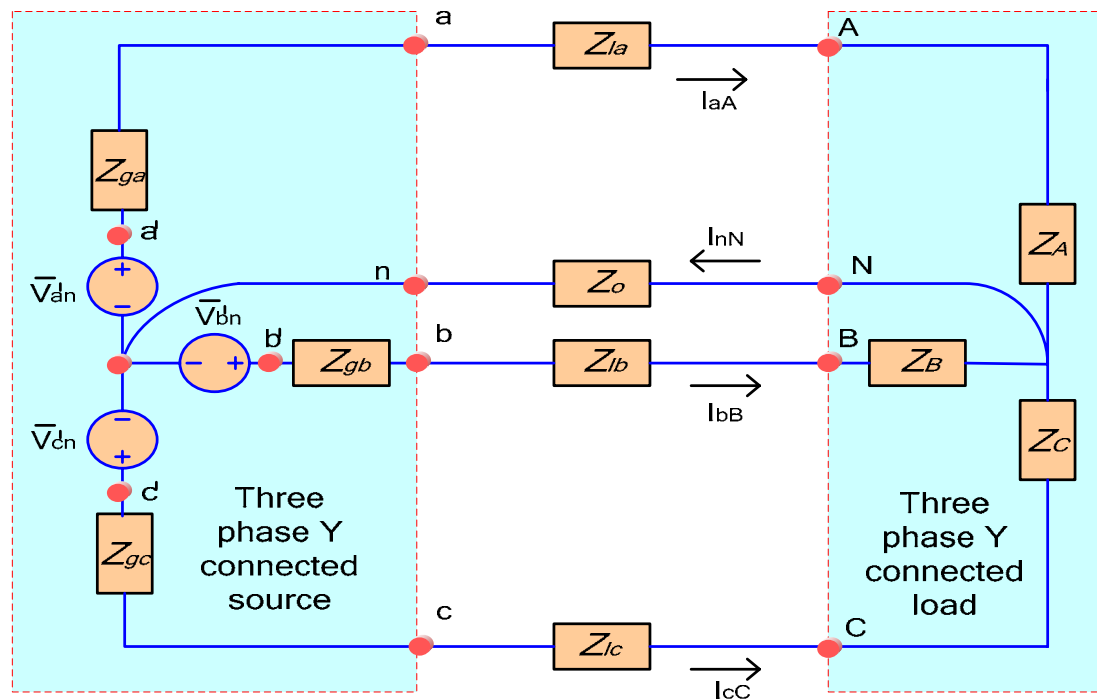


Figure 8 Three Phase Y-Y Connected System

Analysis of Y-Y circuit (cont)

- Note that the source neutral is taken as reference voltage and V_N as the voltage difference between the nodes N & n.
- Apply nodal voltage at point N then obtain the node voltage relation.

$$\frac{\bar{V}_N}{Z_0} + \frac{\bar{V}_N - \bar{V}_{b'n}}{Z_B + Z_{lb} + Z_{gb}} + \frac{\bar{V}_N - \bar{V}_{a'n}}{Z_A + Z_{la} + Z_{ga}} + \frac{\bar{V}_N - \bar{V}_{c'n}}{Z_C + Z_{lc} + Z_{gc}} = 0$$

- The above equation could be applied to any Y-Y configuration.
- For a three-phase balanced circuit, the circuit should satisfy the following conditions.

- ❖ $Z_{ga} = Z_{gb} = Z_{gc}$ (Internal generator impedance)
- ❖ $Z_{la} = Z_{lb} = Z_{lc}$ (Transmission or connection line impedance)
- ❖ $Z_A = Z_B = Z_C$ (Load Impedance)
- ❖

$$\text{❖ } \bar{V}_{a'n}, \bar{V}_{b'n}, \bar{V}_{c'n} \begin{cases} \bar{\theta}_{a'n} = 0^\circ \\ \bar{\theta}_{b'n} = -120^\circ \\ \bar{\theta}_{c'n} = -240^\circ \end{cases}$$

Analysis of Y-Y circuit (cont)

❖ Then equation (11-x) becomes.

$$\bar{V}_N \left(\frac{1}{Z_0} + \frac{3}{Z_\phi} \right) = \left(\frac{\bar{V}_{a'n} + \bar{V}_{b'n} + \bar{V}_{c'n}}{Z_\phi} \right) \quad (11-2x)$$

❖ Where

$$Z_\phi = Z_A + Z_{la} + Z_{ga} = Z_B + Z_{lb} + Z_{gb} = Z_C + Z_{lc} + Z_{gc}$$

❖ Since $\bar{V}_{a'n} + \bar{V}_{b'n} + \bar{V}_{c'n} = 0$ and $Z_\phi \& Z_0 \neq 0$

❖ Then $\bar{V}_N = 0$ and $I_0 = 0$

❖ If the system is balanced then the three line currents are

$$\bar{I}_{aA} = \frac{\bar{V}_{a'n} - \bar{V}_N}{Z_\phi} = \bar{V}_{a'n} / Z_\phi \quad \bar{I}_{aB} = \frac{-\bar{V}_N + \bar{V}_{b'n}}{Z_\phi} = \bar{V}_{b'n} / Z_\phi \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{I}_{aC} = \bar{V}_{c'n} / Z_\phi$$

Analysis of Y-Y circuit (cont)

- ❖ The three circuits are similar; we can conduct the system calculations based on single phase, phase a circuit.

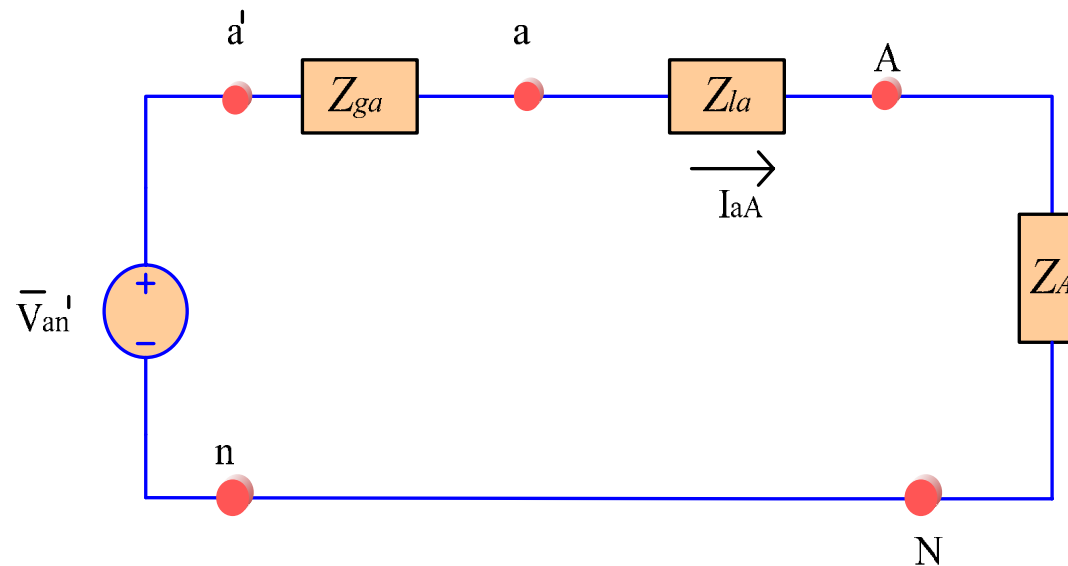


Figure 9 The equivalent single- Phase.

- a) The line voltage is defined as the potential difference between any two phase voltages so

$$\bar{V}_{AB} = \bar{V}_{AN} - \bar{V}_{BN} \quad \bar{V}_{BC} = \bar{V}_{BN} - \bar{V}_{CN} \quad \bar{V}_{CA} = \bar{V}_{CN} - \bar{V}_{AN}$$

Analysis of Y-Y circuit (cont)

- ❖ When V_ϕ is taken as magnitude of any phase voltage then

$$\bar{V}_{AN} = V_\phi \angle 0^\circ, \quad \bar{V}_{BN} = V_\phi \angle -120^\circ, \quad \bar{V}_{CN} = V_\phi \angle -240^\circ$$

- ❖ So the line voltages are deduced

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{V}_{AB} &= V_\phi \angle 0^\circ - V_\phi \angle -120^\circ = V_\phi - \left(-V_\phi \frac{1}{2} - jV_\phi \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) \\ &= V_\phi + \frac{V_\phi}{2} - jV_\phi \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{3}{2}V_\phi + jV_\phi \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \sqrt{3} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + j \frac{V_\phi}{2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{V}_{AB} = \sqrt{3}V_\phi \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{j}{2} \right) = \sqrt{3}V_\phi \angle 30^\circ$$

- ❖ In the same way we can show that

$$\bar{V}_{BC} = \bar{V}_{BN} - \bar{V}_{CN} = \sqrt{3}V_\phi \angle -90^\circ \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{V}_{CA} = \bar{V}_{CN} - \bar{V}_{AN} = \sqrt{3}V_\phi \angle 150^\circ$$

Analysis of Y-Y circuit (cont)

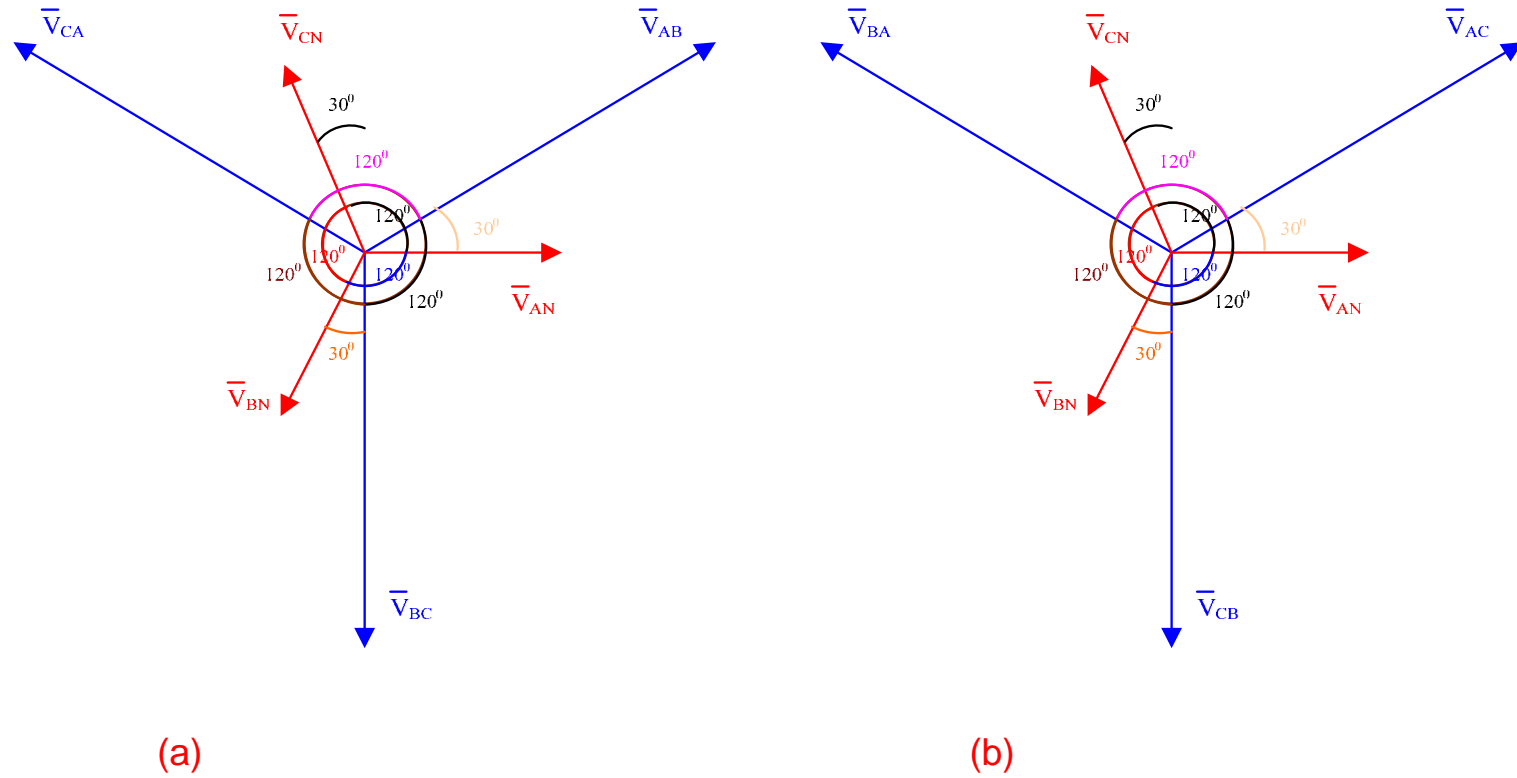


Figure 10. Phasor diagrams for line and phase voltages, a) For positive sequence and b) for negative sequence.

Example:

A balanced three phase Y connected generator with positive sequence has an impedance of $0.2 + j0.5 \Omega/\phi$ and an internal voltage of $120V/\phi$. The generator feeds a balanced three-phase Y connected load having an impedance of $39 + j28 \Omega/\phi$, $Z_l = 0.8 + j1.5 \Omega/\phi$, \bar{V}_a is reference.

a) Construct the phase equivalent circuit of the system.

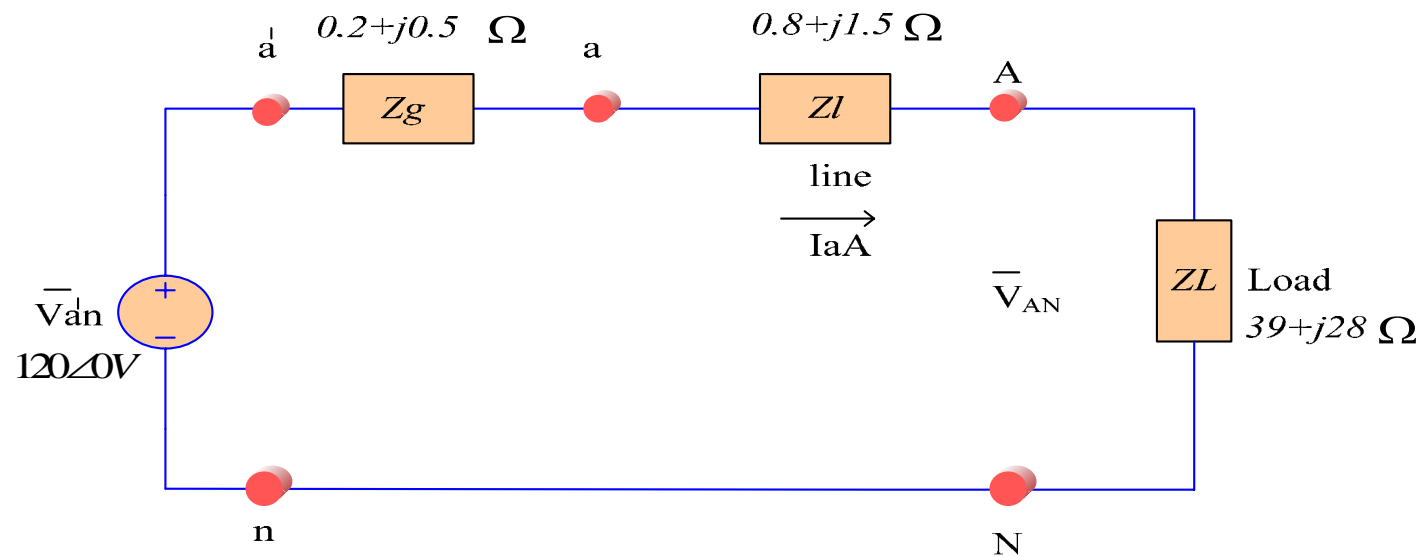


Figure 11. Single phase Equivalent Circuit

Example: (cont)

b) Calculate \bar{I}_{aA} , \bar{I}_{bB} , \bar{I}_{cC} .

$$\bar{I}_{aA} = \frac{\bar{V}_{an}}{Z_g + Z_l + Z_L} = \frac{120 \angle 0}{(0.2 + j0.5) + (0.8 + j1.5) + (39 + j28)} = \frac{120 \angle 0}{40 + j30}$$

$$\bar{I}_{aA} = 2.4 \angle -36.87^\circ \text{ A} \quad \text{The line current is lagging over the voltage then}$$

$$\bar{I}_{bA} = 2.4 \angle -36.87^\circ - 120^\circ \text{ A} = 2.4 \angle -156.87^\circ \text{ A} \quad \text{and}$$

$$\bar{I}_{cC} = 2.4 \angle +83.13^\circ \text{ A} = 2.4 \angle -36.87^\circ - 240^\circ \text{ A} = 2.4 \angle -276.87^\circ \text{ A}$$

c) Calculate the three phase voltage at the load \bar{V}_{AN} , \bar{V}_{BN} , \bar{V}_{CN} .

$$\bar{V}_{AN} = (39 + j28)(2.4 \angle -36.9^\circ) = 115.22 \angle -1.1^\circ \text{ V}$$

Example: (cont)

$$\bar{V}_{BN} = 115.22 \angle -121.1^\circ \text{V}, \bar{V}_{CN} = 115.22 \angle 118.9^\circ \text{V}$$

d) Calculate the line voltages $\bar{V}_{AB}, \bar{V}_{BC}, \bar{V}_{CA}$, at the terminals of the load.

$$\bar{V}_{BN} = 115.22 \angle -121.1^\circ \text{V}, \bar{V}_{CN} = 115.22 \angle 118.9^\circ \text{V}$$

$$\bar{V}_{BC} = 199.58 \angle 28.81 - 120 = 199.58 \angle -91.19^\circ \text{V}$$

$$\bar{V}_{CA} = 199.58 \angle 148.81^\circ \text{V}$$

e) Calculate the phase voltages at the phase voltage of the generator $\bar{V}_{an}, \bar{V}_{bn}, \bar{V}_{cn}$.

$$\bar{V}_{an} = \bar{V}_{a'n} - \bar{I}_{aA}(Z_g) = \bar{I}_{aA}(Z_l + Z_l) = \bar{I}_{aA}(Z_l) + \bar{V}_{an}$$

$$= 120 - (2.4 \angle -36.87)(0.2 + j0.5) = 118.9 \angle -0.32^\circ \text{V}$$

$$\bar{V}_{AN} = (2.4 \angle -36.87)(0.8 + j1.5) + (115.22 \angle -1.1)$$

$$\bar{V}_{bn} = 118.9 \angle -120.32^\circ \text{V}, \bar{V}_{cn} = 118.9 \angle 119.68^\circ \text{V}$$

Example: (cont)

f) Calculate the line voltage V_{ab} , V_{bc} , V_{ca} at the terminal of the generator.

$$\bar{V}_{ab} = \sqrt{3} \angle 30^\circ V_{AN} = 205.94 \angle 29.68^\circ V$$

$$\bar{V}_{bc} = 205.94 \angle -90.32^\circ V$$

$$\bar{V}_{ca} = 205.94 \angle 149.68^\circ V$$

Self Test:

- ❖ Solve the same example for negative Sequence
 - a) answer

No change for the single-phase equivalent circuit for negative sequence

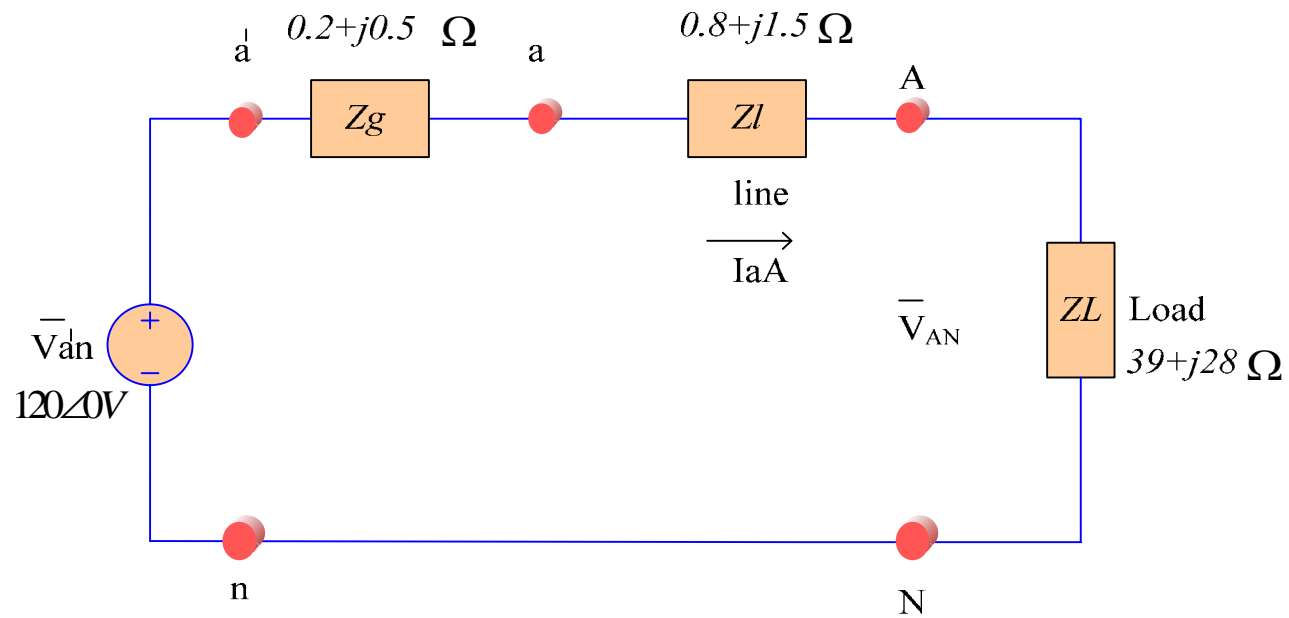


Figure12. Single phase Equivalent Circuit (for negative sequence)

Self Test(cont)

b) answer :

$$\bar{I}_{aA} = 2.4 \angle -36.87^\circ \text{ A}$$

$$\bar{I}_{bA} = 2.4 \angle 83.13^\circ \text{ A}$$

$$\bar{I}_{cC} = 2.4 \angle -156.87^\circ \text{ A}$$

c) answer :

$$\bar{V}_{AN} = 115.22 \angle -1.1^\circ \text{ V}$$

$$\bar{V}_{BN} = 115.22 \angle 118.81^\circ \text{ V}$$

$$\bar{V}_{CN} = 115.22 \angle -121.19^\circ \text{ V}$$

Self Test(cont)

d) answer :

$$\bar{V}_{AB} = (\sqrt{3} \angle 30^\circ) V_{AN} = 199.58 \angle -31.19^\circ V$$

$$\bar{V}_{BC} = 199.58 \angle 88.81^\circ V$$

$$\bar{V}_{CA} = 199.58 \angle -151.19^\circ V .$$

e) Answer

$$\bar{V}_{an} = 118.9 \angle -0.32^\circ V$$

$$\bar{V}_{bn} = 118.9 \angle 119.68^\circ V$$

$$\bar{V}_{cn} = 118.9 \angle -120.32^\circ V$$

Self Test(cont)

f) Answer:

$$\overline{V}_{ab} = (\sqrt{3} \angle -30^\circ) V_{an} = 205.94 \angle -30.32^\circ V$$

$$\overline{V}_{bc} = 205.94 \angle 89.68^\circ V$$

$$\overline{V}_{ca} = 205.94 \angle -150.32^\circ V$$