

Introduction to 3-Phase Circuits

Sections 11.1 — 11.3

Lecture 1 P.1

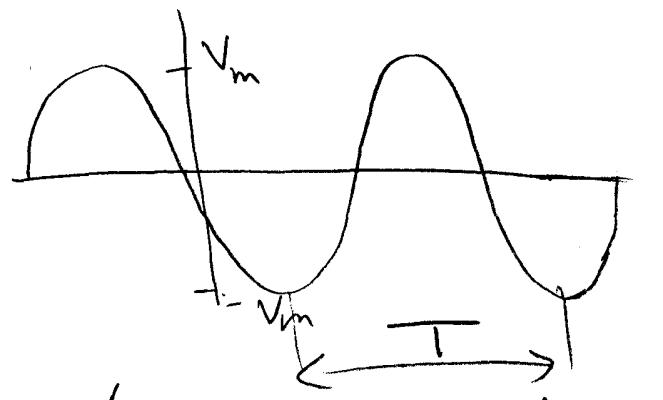
Background.

- The Sinusoidal Source

- sinusoidal voltage source
- sinusoidal current source.

$$v(t) = V_m \cos(\omega t + \phi)$$

Amplitude ↑
frequency
 $\omega = 2\pi f = \frac{2\pi}{T}$



Phase angle
"The value of
 $v(0) = V_m \cos(\phi)$ "
 $f = \frac{1}{T} \text{ (Hz)}$

- V_{rms} ≡ Root Mean Square

$$V_{rms} = \frac{V_m}{\sqrt{2}}$$

- The phasor

- Euler's identity

$$e^{\pm j\theta} = \cos \theta \pm j \sin \theta \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos \theta &= R \{ e^{j\theta} \} \\ \sin \theta &= I \{ e^{j\theta} \} \end{aligned}$$

- For a sinusoidal voltage

$$v(t) = V_m \cos(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$= V_m R \{ e^{j(\omega t + \phi)} \}$$

$$= V_m R \{ e^{j\omega t} e^{j\phi} \}$$

$$v(t) = R \{ V_m e^{j\phi} e^{j\omega t} \}$$

complex
number
"phasor
representation"

- Phasor transform

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Polar Form}} \vec{V} = V_m e^{j\phi} = \Re\{V_m \cos(\omega t + \phi)\}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Rectangular Form}} \vec{V} = V_m \cos\phi + j V_m \sin\phi$$

the phasor transform transfers the sinusoidal function from the time domain to the complex-number domain.

- Angle Notation

$$\vec{V} = V_m e^{j\phi} = V_m \angle \phi^\circ \xrightarrow{\text{Change from Radian to degrees.}}$$

- Polar Form Vs. Rectangular Form

$$\text{Let } \vec{V} = x + jy$$

$$\Rightarrow V_m = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\text{and } \phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$$

- Multiplication and Division

$$\text{Let } \vec{V}_1 = V_1 e^{j\phi_1} = V_1 \angle \phi_1$$

$$\vec{V}_2 = V_2 e^{j\phi_2} = V_2 \angle \phi_2$$

$$\therefore \vec{V}_1 \cdot \vec{V}_2 = V_1 V_2 \angle \phi_1 + \phi_2$$

$$\frac{\vec{V}_1}{\vec{V}_2} = \frac{V_1}{V_2} \angle \phi_1 - \phi_2$$

- Addition and Subtraction

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{V} &= \vec{V}_1 + \vec{V}_2 \\ &= V_1 \angle \phi_1 + V_2 \angle \phi_2 \end{aligned}$$

(1) Change to
Rectangular $\Rightarrow V_1 \cos\phi_1 + j V_1 \sin\phi_1 + V_2 \cos\phi_2 + j V_2 \sin\phi_2$

"Complex numbers" $\Rightarrow \underbrace{[V_1 \cos\phi_1 + V_2 \cos\phi_2]}_{\text{Real Part}} + j \underbrace{[V_1 \sin\phi_1 + V_2 \sin\phi_2]}_{\text{Imaginary Part}}$

(2) Add complex number

$$\vec{V} = V \angle \phi$$

11.1 Balanced Three-Phase Voltages

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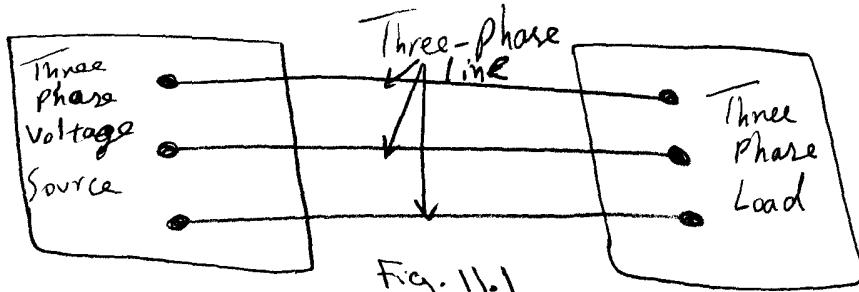


Fig. 11.1

- A Balanced Three-phase Voltages Consist of

- Three sinusoidal voltages ~~that~~.

Two phasor diagrams are shown side-by-side. The top diagram is labeled "Positive Phase Sequence" and shows three vectors originating from a common point: $\vec{V}_a = V_m \angle 0^\circ$, $\vec{V}_b = V_m \angle -120^\circ$, and $\vec{V}_c = V_m \angle +120^\circ$. The bottom diagram is labeled "Negative Phase Sequence" and shows the same vectors but with a different orientation: $\vec{V}_a = V_m \angle 0^\circ$, $\vec{V}_b = V_m \angle +120^\circ$, and $\vec{V}_c = V_m \angle -120^\circ$. Both diagrams include a central point and arrows indicating the direction of the vectors.

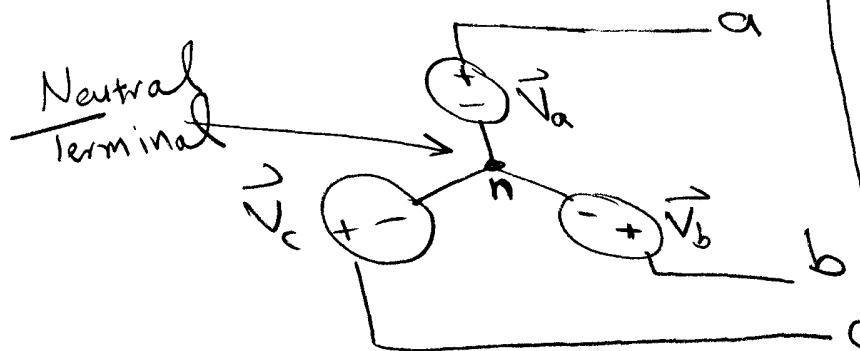
- Important Notes:

- The sum of balanced three phase voltages is $3\pi 0^\circ \Rightarrow \vec{V}_a + \vec{V}_b + \vec{V}_c = 0$ → verify from phasor diagram
- If we know the phase sequence and one voltage in the set, we know the entire set.

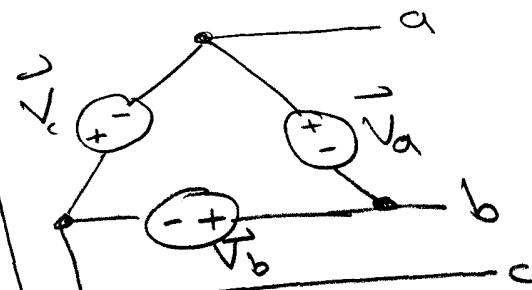
11.2 Three-Phase Voltage Sources

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γ -Connected Source

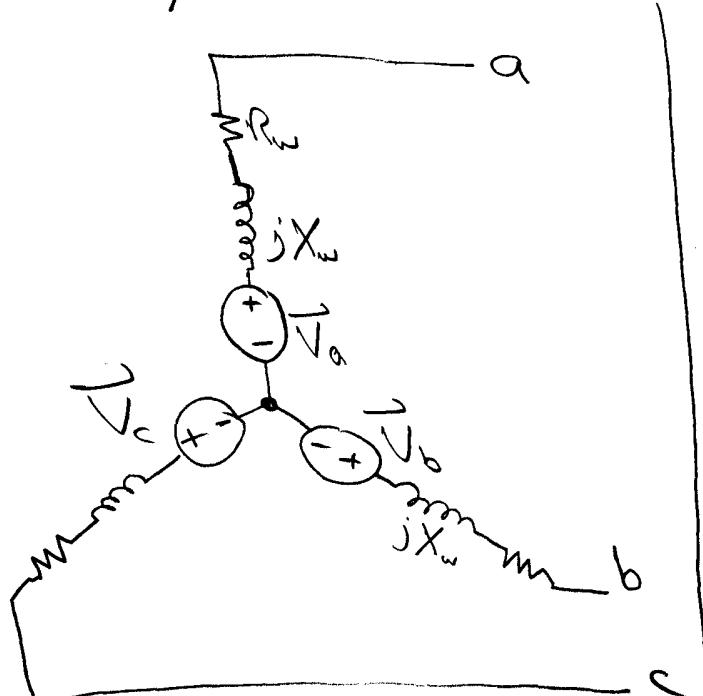


Δ -Connected Source

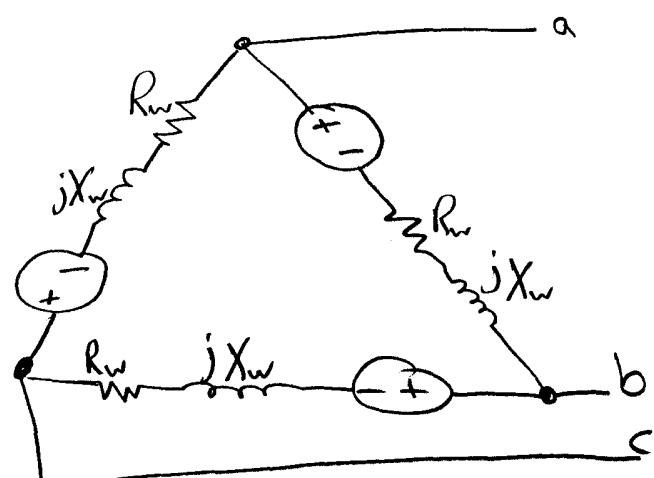


— Three-Phase source model with winding impedance

γ -Connected



Δ -Connected



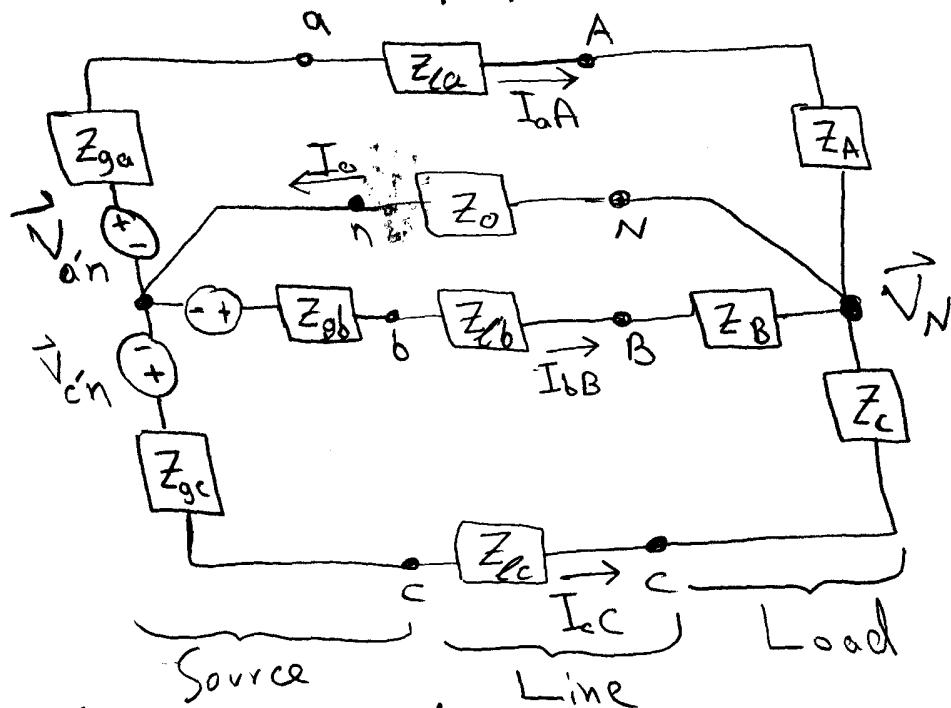
Since three-phase sources and loads can be either Δ or Y connected, there are four possible configurations:

Source	Load
Y	Y
Y	Δ
Δ	Y
Δ	Δ

11.3 Analysis of Y-Y Circuit

- We begin by analyzing the Y-Y circuit, the remaining three arrangements can be reduced to a Y-Y equivalent circuit.

- A three-phase Y-Y system.



The node voltage equation at node N is:

$$\frac{\vec{V}_N}{\vec{V}_N} + \frac{\vec{V}_N - \vec{V}_{a'n}}{\vec{V}_{a'n}} + \frac{\vec{V}_N - \vec{V}_{b'n}}{\vec{V}_{b'n}} + \frac{\vec{V}_N - \vec{V}_{c'n}}{\vec{V}_{c'n}} = 0$$

- For a balanced three-phase circuit, we have the following conditions:
 - 1- The voltage sources form a set of balanced three-phase voltages.
 - 2- The impedance at each phase at the voltage source is the same $\Rightarrow Z_{gA} = Z_{gB} = Z_{gC}$
 - 3- The impedance at each line conductor is the same.
 $\Rightarrow Z_{LA} = Z_{LB} = Z_{LC}$
 - 4- The impedance at each phase at the load is the same
 $\Rightarrow Z_A = Z_B = Z_C$

Thus, the three phase Y-Y system is:

$$\vec{V}_N \left(\frac{1}{Z_0} + \frac{3}{Z_\phi} \right) = \frac{\vec{V}_{An} + \vec{V}_{Bn} + \vec{V}_{Cn}}{Z_\phi}$$

where,

Single Phase $\Rightarrow Z_\phi = Z_A + Z_{LA} + Z_{gA} = Z_B + Z_{LB} + Z_{gB} = Z_C + Z_{LC} + Z_{gC}$
 Impedance

Since $\vec{V}_{An} + \vec{V}_{Bn} + \vec{V}_{Cn} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{V}_N = 0$$

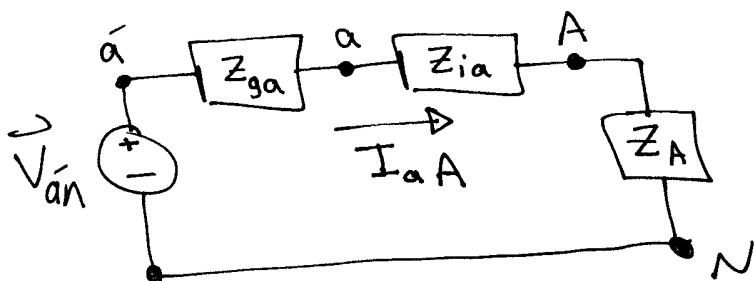
when the circuit is Balanced,
the three line currents are

$$\vec{I}_{aA} = \frac{\vec{V}_{an}}{Z_\phi}$$

$$\vec{I}_{bA} = \frac{\vec{V}_{bn}}{Z_\phi}$$

$$\vec{I}_{cA} = \frac{\vec{V}_{cn}}{Z_\phi}$$

- Single-Phase Equivalent Circuit

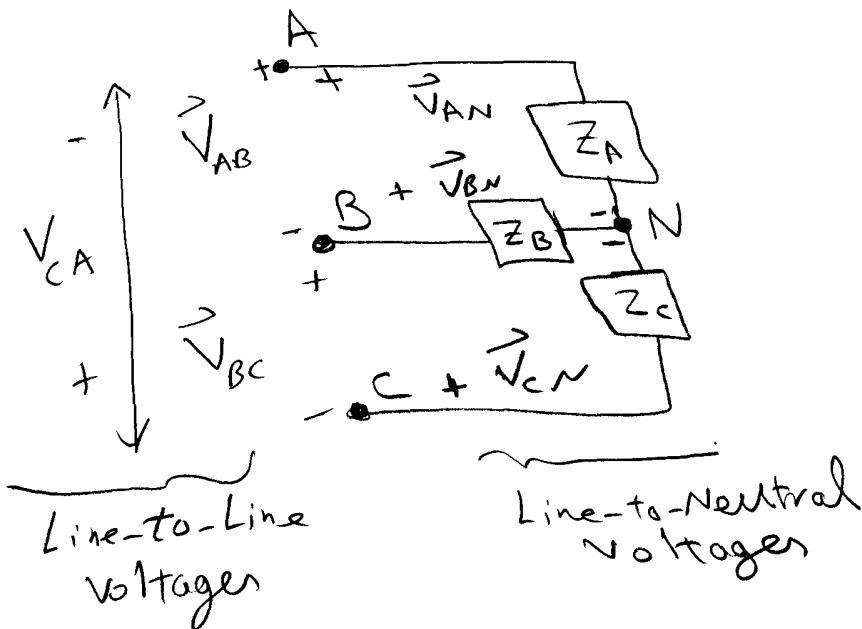


- If we analyse a single-phase, we can get the values of other phases

- Note that the current in the neutral conductor is

$$I_o = I_{aA} + I_{bB} + I_{cC}$$

$= 0 \Rightarrow$ for a balanced three-phase circuit.



Q - What is the relation between Line-to-line and Line-to-Neutral voltages?

- Assume a positive phase sequence, Let the line-to-neutral voltages be:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{V}_{AN} &= V_\phi \angle 0^\circ \\ \vec{V}_{BN} &= V_\phi \angle -120^\circ \\ \vec{V}_{CN} &= V_\phi \angle +120^\circ\end{aligned}$$

V_ϕ is the magnitude of the line-to-neutral voltage.

- Using Kirchhoff's voltage law, the line-to-line voltages are:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{V}_{AB} &= \vec{V}_{AN} - \vec{V}_{BN} = V_\phi \angle 0^\circ - V_\phi \angle -120^\circ \\ &= \sqrt{3} V_\phi \angle 30^\circ\end{aligned}$$

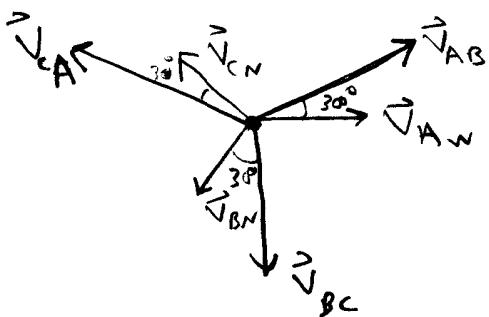
$$\vec{V}_{BC} = \vec{V}_{BN} - \vec{V}_{CN} = \sqrt{3} V_\phi \angle -90^\circ$$

$$\vec{V}_{CA} = \vec{V}_{CN} - \vec{V}_{AN} = \sqrt{3} V_\phi \angle 150^\circ$$

- Thus, Line-to-Line voltages

- Perform a balanced three-phase voltage
- the magnitude is $\sqrt{3}$ by the line-to-neutral.
- the phase is 30° plus the line-to-neutral phase.

- phasor Diagrams



- Terminology

Line voltage: refers to the voltage across any pair of lines

(V_{ϕ}) Phase voltage: refers to the voltage across a single phase

Line current: refers to the current in a single line

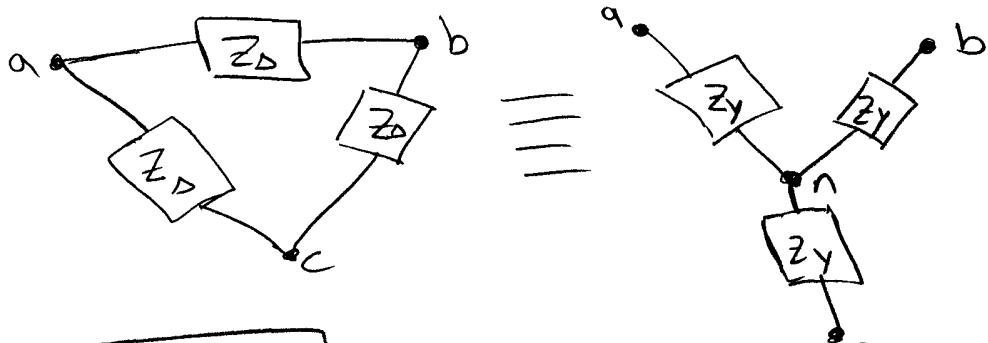
(I_{ϕ}) Phase current: refers to the current in a single phase

" ϕ letter used to denote phase"

- Exam will be 11.1 in class assignment.

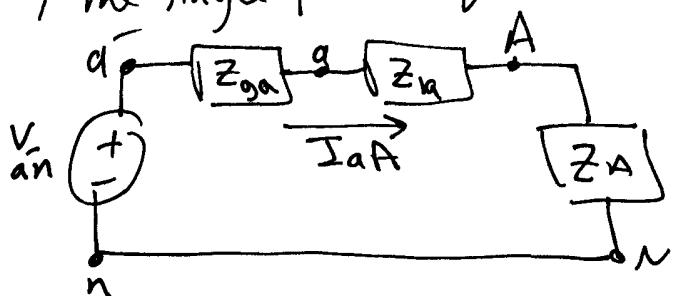
III.4 Analysis of the Y-Δ Circuit

- Δ connected load can be transformed to Y connected load.



$$Z_y = \frac{Z_\Delta}{3} \rightarrow \text{See section 9.6}$$

- Then, the single phase equivalent circuit is



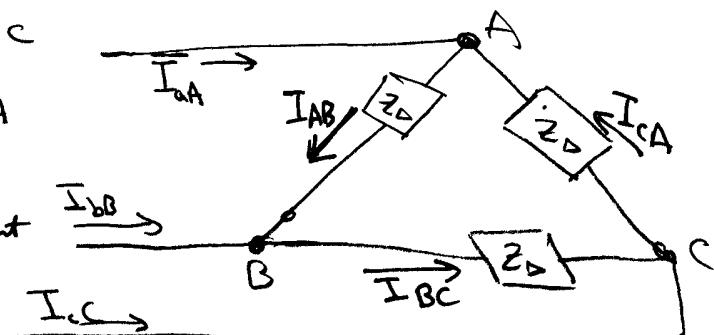
* Note that the phase voltages are the same as the line voltages.

- What is the Relation between phase currents and Line currents?

Line Currents: \vec{I}_{AA} , \vec{I}_{BB} , and \vec{I}_{CC}

Phase Currents: \vec{I}_{AB} , \vec{I}_{BC} and \vec{I}_{CA}

- First find the line currents from the single phase equivalent circuit as shown above.



- There is a Relation between Line and phase currents.

Let the phase currents be:

$$\vec{I}_{AB} = I_\phi \angle 0^\circ, \quad \vec{I}_{BC} = I_\phi \angle -120^\circ \text{ and } \vec{I}_{CA} = I_\phi \angle 120^\circ$$

then the line currents will be:

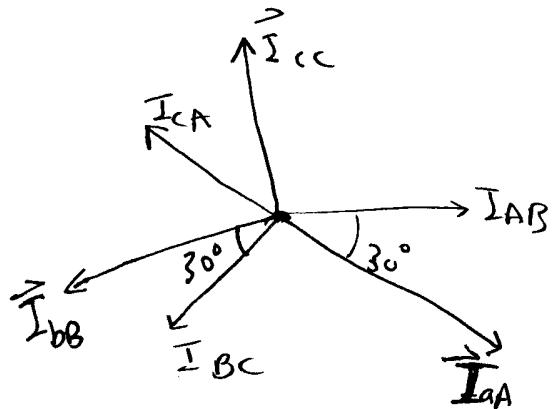
$$\begin{aligned}\vec{I}_{aA} &= \vec{I}_{AB} - \vec{I}_{CA} = I_\phi \angle 0^\circ - I_\phi \angle 120^\circ \\ &= \sqrt{3} I_\phi \angle -30^\circ\end{aligned}$$

line current
lags phase
current by
 30°

Similarly,

$$\vec{I}_{bB} = \sqrt{3} I_\phi \angle -150^\circ$$

$$\vec{I}_{cC} = \sqrt{3} I_\phi \angle 90^\circ$$



See Example 11.2

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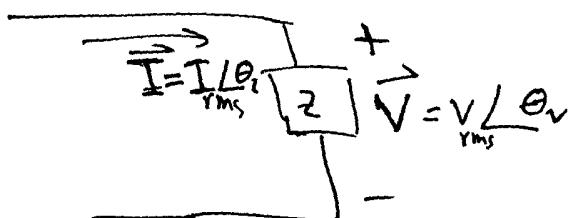
Power Calculations

in Balanced Three-Phase Circuits.

Lecture 2

P-3

Background



The complex power is

$$S = P + j Q$$

Complex Power \uparrow average Power \uparrow Reactive Power

$ S $	\equiv	volt-amps
P	\equiv	Watts
Q	\equiv	Var

$$S = \vec{V} \vec{I}^* \xrightarrow{\text{conjugate}}$$

$$= V_{\text{rms}} I_{\text{rms}} \angle \theta_v - \theta_i$$

$$|S| = \sqrt{P^2 + Q^2}$$

Average power $\Rightarrow P = V_{\text{rms}} I_{\text{rms}} \cos(\theta_v - \theta_i)$

Reactive Power $\Rightarrow Q = V_{\text{rms}} I_{\text{rms}} \sin(\theta_v - \theta_i)$

Power factor $\Rightarrow \text{pf} = \cos(\theta_v - \theta_i)$

Reactive factor $\Rightarrow \text{rf} = \sin(\theta_v - \theta_i)$

- Average Power in a Balanced Y load

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The Power in the a-phase,

$$P_A = |V_{AN}| / |I_{aA}| \cos(\theta_{VA} - \theta_{iA})$$

similarly, at other phases

$$P_B = |V_{BN}| / |I_{bB}| \cos(\theta_{VB} - \theta_{iB})$$

$$P_C = |V_{CN}| / |I_{cC}| \cos(\theta_{VC} - \theta_{iC})$$

in a Blanced three-phase system;

$$V_\phi = |V_{AN}| = |V_{BN}| = |V_{CN}|$$

$$\text{and } I_\phi = |I_{aA}| = |I_{bB}| = |I_{cC}|$$

$$\theta_\phi = \theta_{VA} - \theta_{iA} = \theta_{VB} - \theta_{iB} = \theta_{VC} - \theta_{iC}$$

For phase power \Rightarrow

$$P_A = P_B = P_C = P_\phi = V_\phi I_\phi \cos \theta_\phi$$

\therefore The total power is

$$P_T = 3 P_\phi = 3 V_\phi I_\phi \cos \theta_\phi$$

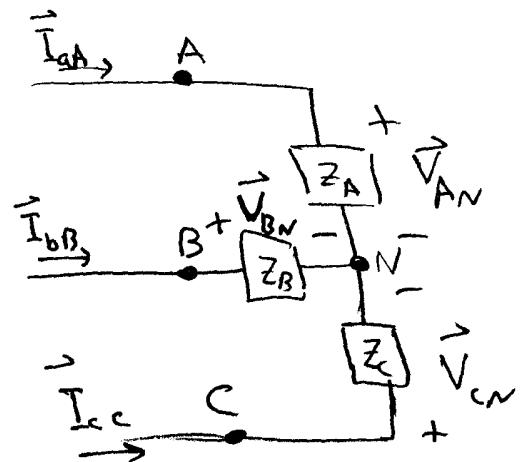
↑ Phase voltage ↑ Phase current

In Terms of Line currents and Voltages.

Average Real Power

$$P_T = 3 \left(\frac{V_L}{\sqrt{3}} \right) I_L \cos \theta_\phi$$

$$= \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \theta_\phi$$



$$\text{Reactive Power} \Rightarrow Q_\phi = V_\phi I_\phi \sin \theta_\phi$$

$$\text{Total reactive power} \Rightarrow Q_T = 3 Q_\phi = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \sin \theta_\phi$$

$$\text{Complex Power} \Rightarrow S_\phi = P_\phi + j Q_\phi = \vec{V}_\phi \vec{I}_\phi^*$$

$$\text{Total Complex Power} \Rightarrow S_T = 3 S_\phi = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \angle \theta_\phi$$

For Balanced Δ load:

For a balanced Δ load;

Average Power per phase

$$P_\phi = V_\phi I_\phi \cos \theta_\phi$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Total power } P_T &= 3 V_\phi I_\phi \cos \theta_\phi \\ &= 3 k_2 \left(\frac{I_L}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \cos \theta_\phi \\ &= 3 V_L I_L \cos \theta_\phi\end{aligned}$$

Total Reactive Power

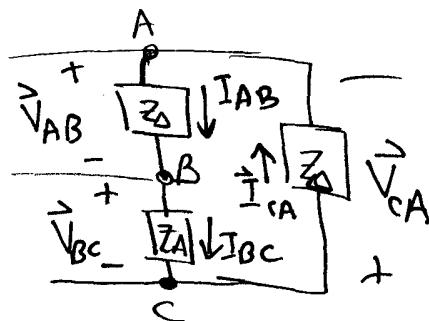
$$Q_T = 3 Q_\phi = 3 V_\phi I_\phi \sin \theta_\phi$$

Complex Power per phase:

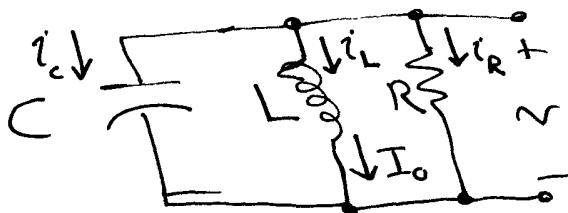
$$S_\phi = P_\phi + j Q_\phi = \vec{V}_\phi \vec{I}_\phi^*$$

$$S_T = 3 S_\phi = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \angle \theta_\phi$$

See Examples 11-3, 11-4, 11-5.



8.1 Parallel RLC Circuit



"Second-Order" Circuits

$$\frac{V}{R} + \frac{1}{L} \int_0^t v dt + I_0 + C \frac{dv}{dt} = 0$$

↑
 constant
 "initial
 condition"

Differentiate once

$$\frac{1}{R} \frac{dv}{dt} + \frac{V}{L} + C \frac{d^2 V}{dt^2} = 0$$

Second Order Differential Equation

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 V}{dt^2} + \frac{1}{RC} \frac{dV}{dt} + \frac{V}{LC} = 0$$

How can we solve this?

- It makes sense to assume that the solution will be exponential. Why?

Thus, Assume that

$$V = A e^{st} ; \text{ where } A \text{ is a constant}$$

$$\Rightarrow A s^2 e^{st} + \frac{As}{RC} e^{st} + \frac{A}{LC} e^{st} = 0$$

or

$$A e^{st} \left(s^2 + \frac{s}{RC} + \frac{1}{LC} \right) = 0$$

the roots are; $\boxed{s^2 + \frac{s}{RC} + \frac{1}{LC} = 0} \Rightarrow$ Characteristic equation, parallel

The roots are:

$$s_1 = -\frac{1}{2RC} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2RC}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{LC}}$$

$$s_2 = -\frac{1}{2RC} - \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2RC}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{LC}}$$

Thus we have two solutions:

$$v_1 = A_1 e^{s_1 t} \quad \text{and} \quad v_2 = A_2 e^{s_2 t}$$

The sum is also a solution:

$$v = v_1 + v_2 = \underbrace{A_1 e^{s_1 t} + A_2 e^{s_2 t}}_{\text{Natural Response}}$$

∴ The Natural Response of parallel RLC circuit is

$$v = A_1 e^{s_1 t} + A_2 e^{s_2 t} \quad \begin{matrix} \leftarrow \text{Natural Response} \\ \text{in parallel RLC} \end{matrix}$$

Let $\alpha = \frac{1}{2RC}$ and $\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$

∴ The roots of the characteristic equation are:

$$s_1 = -\alpha + \sqrt{\alpha^2 - \omega_0^2}$$

$$s_2 = -\alpha - \sqrt{\alpha^2 - \omega_0^2}$$

Case 1 $\alpha^2 > \omega_0^2 \Rightarrow s_1$ and s_2 are Real
 \Rightarrow Overdamped

$\alpha \Rightarrow$ Neper frequency
 "rad/s"

$\omega_0 \Rightarrow$ Resonant radian frequency.
 "rad/s"

Case 2 $\alpha^2 < \omega_0^2 \Rightarrow s_1$ and s_2 are complex and conjugates
 \Rightarrow Underdamped

Case 3 $\alpha^2 = \omega_0^2 \Rightarrow s_1$ and s_2 are Real and equal.
 \Rightarrow Critically damped.

8.2 Forms of the Natural Response of a Parallel RLC Circuit

Case 1 Overdamped Voltage Response

The Natural Response is in this Form:

$$v = A_1 e^{\sigma_1 t} + A_2 e^{\sigma_2 t}$$

Q) How to Find the constants A_1 and A_2 ?

- We can Find them from the initial Conditions, which are the values at $v(0^+)$ and $\frac{dv}{dt}(0^+)$.

- These values are determined from $\frac{dt}{dt}$.

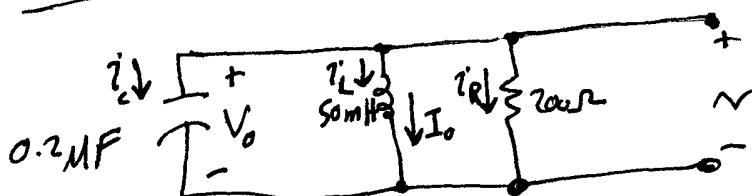
the initial voltage on the capacitor V_0 and the initial current in the inductor I_0 .

Then, $v(0^+) = A_1 + A_2$; where $v(0^+)$ is the initial voltage on the capacitor $\frac{V_0}{C}$
 $\frac{dv(0^+)}{dt} = \sigma_1 A_1 + \sigma_2 A_2$; where $\frac{dv(0^+)}{dt} = \frac{i_c(0^+)}{C}$ -

and

$$i_c(0^+) = -\frac{V_0}{R} - I_0$$

Example 8.2:



For the above circuit, $v(0^+) = 12 \text{ V}$ and $i_L(0^+) = 30 \text{ mA}$

- Find the initial current in each branch of the circuit
- Find the initial value of $\frac{dv}{dt}$
- Find the expression for $v(t)$
- sketch $v(t)$ in the interval $0 \leq t \leq 250 \text{ ms}$

Underdamped Voltage Response

ζ_1 and ζ_2 are complex conjugates

$$\text{Let } \zeta_1 = -\alpha + j\sqrt{\omega_n^2 - \alpha^2}$$

$$= -\alpha + j\omega_d \quad ; \quad \omega_d \equiv \text{damped frequency}$$

$$\zeta_2 = -\alpha - j\omega_d = \sqrt{\omega_n^2 - \alpha^2}$$

* the underdamped voltage response is

$$v(t) = B_1 e^{-\alpha t} \cos \omega_d t + B_2 e^{-\alpha t} \sin \omega_d t \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{Voltage} \\ \text{Natural Response} \\ \text{"Underdamped"} \end{array}$$

Proof From Euler identity:

$$e^{\pm j\theta} = \cos \theta \pm j \sin \theta$$

$$\text{Thus } v(t) = A_1 e^{(-\alpha + j\omega_d)t} + A_2 e^{(-\alpha - j\omega_d)t}$$

$$= A_1 e^{-\alpha t} e^{j\omega_d t} + A_2 e^{-\alpha t} e^{-j\omega_d t}$$

$$= e^{-\alpha t} (A_1 \cos \omega_d t + j A_1 \sin \omega_d t + A_2 \cos \omega_d t \cancel{j A_2 \sin \omega_d t})$$

$$= e^{-\alpha t} [(A_1 + A_2) \cos \omega_d t + j(A_1 - A_2) \sin \omega_d t]$$

$$\text{Let } B_1 = A_1 + A_2 \text{ and } B_2 = j(A_1 - A_2)$$

since A_1 and A_2 are complex conjugates,

$\Rightarrow B_1$ and B_2 are Real

$$\text{Thus, } v(t) = B_1 e^{-\alpha t} \cos \omega_d t + B_2 e^{-\alpha t} \sin \omega_d t$$

* To find B_1 and B_2

From the initial conditions,

$$V(0^+) = V_0 = B_1$$

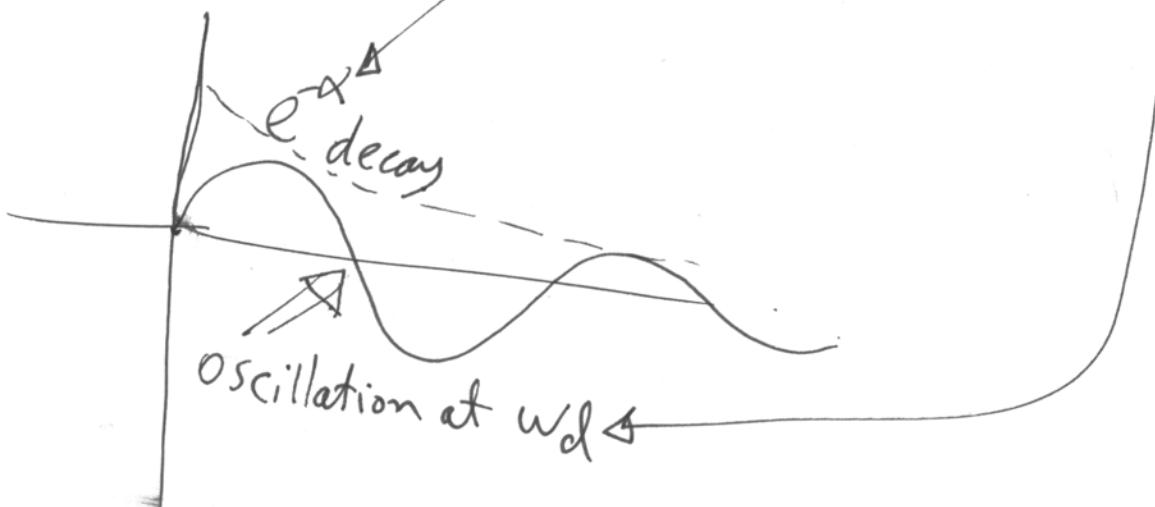
$$\frac{dV(0^+)}{dt} = \frac{i_c(0^+)}{C} = -\alpha B_1 + w_d B_2$$

* Closer look at the underdamped Response.

$$V = B_1 e^{-\alpha t} \cos \omega_d t + B_2 e^{-\alpha t} \sin \omega_d t$$

damping factor.

damped freq.



The Critically Damped Voltage Response

When $\omega_0 = \alpha \Rightarrow s_1$ and s_2 are real and equal

$$s_1 = s_2 = -\alpha = \frac{1}{2RC}$$

$$\Rightarrow v = (A_1 + A_2 t) e^{-\alpha t} - A_0 e^{-\alpha t} \quad \times$$

However, this equation can't satisfy two independent initial conditions.

Thus, the correct response for critically damped parallel RLC circuit is

$$v(t) = D_1 t e^{-\alpha t} + D_2 e^{-\alpha t}$$

\leftarrow This is from differential eqn theory.

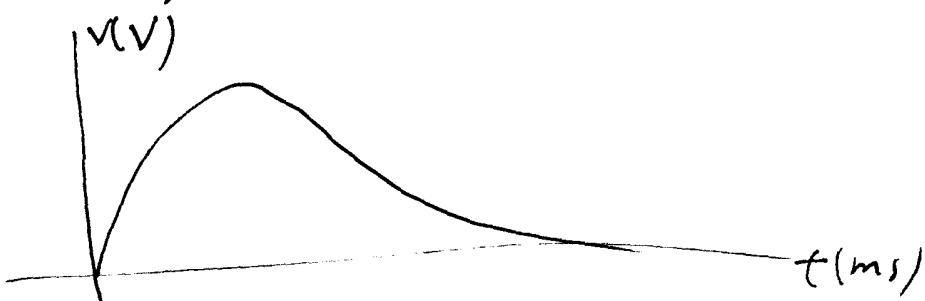
To Find D_1 and D_2 , solve:

$$v(0^+) = V_0 = D_2$$

$$\frac{dv(0^+)}{dt} = \frac{i_c(0^+)}{C} = D_1 - \alpha D_2$$

Example 8.5

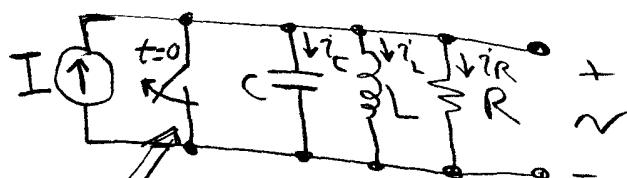
$$v(t) = 98,000 t e^{-1000t} \quad \checkmark$$



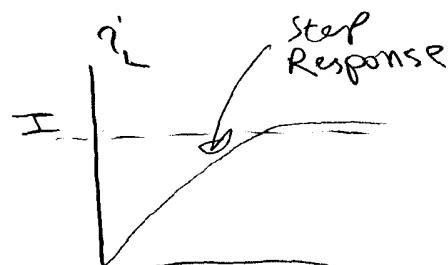
8.3 The Step Response of a Parallel RLC Circuit.

What is the Step Response?

It is the response of an RLC circuit caused by the sudden input of a DC current.



open the
short circuit
at time = 0



it takes some time
for the circuit
to catch the input I .

* We focus on the current in the inductive branch $\{i_L\}$.

* We assume that the initial energy is zero.

* The inductor current i_L :

From Kirchhoff's Current Law,

$$i_L + i_R + i_C = I$$

or

$$i_L + \frac{v}{R} + C \frac{dv}{dt} = I$$

$$\text{Since } v = L \frac{di_L}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dt} = L \frac{d^2 i_L}{dt^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{d^2 i_L}{dt^2} + \frac{1}{RC} \frac{di_L}{dt} + \frac{i_L}{LC} = \frac{I}{LC}$$

- Similar to the Natural Response

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① - Find the roots of the characteristic Equation

$$s^2 + \frac{s}{R_C} + \frac{1}{L_C} = 0 \Rightarrow s = -\alpha \pm \sqrt{\alpha^2 - \omega_0^2}$$
$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2R_C}, \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$$

② - Based on the roots $\{s_1, s_2\}$, we have three possible cases.

Case 1: $i_L = I + A_1 e^{s_1 t} + A_2 e^{s_2 t} \Rightarrow$ Overdamped

Case 2: $i_L = I + B_1 e^{-\alpha t} \cos \omega_d t + B_2 e^{-\alpha t} \sin \omega_d t \Rightarrow$ Underdamped

Case 3: $i_L = I + D_1 e^{-\alpha t} + D_2 e^{-\alpha t} \Rightarrow$ Critically Damped

③ Find the constant from the initial conditions.

at $i_L(0)$ and $\frac{di_L(0)}{dt}$.

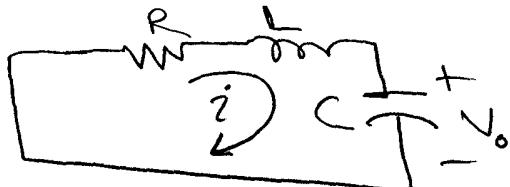
* Solve Examples 8.6, 8.7, 8.8, 8.9, and 8.10

+ Solve Assessment Problem 8.6

Lecture 4 P.3

8.4 The Natural and Step Response at a series RLC Circuit.

Part 1: The Natural Response



— Summing the voltages inside the loop:

$$Ri + L \frac{di}{dt} + \frac{1}{C} \int_0^t i d\tau + V_o = 0$$

— Differentiate and rearrange terms:

$$\frac{d^2i}{dt^2} + \frac{R}{L} \frac{di}{dt} + \frac{i}{LC} = 0$$

— The characteristic equation for series RLC is

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

$$\Rightarrow s_{1,2} = -\alpha \pm \sqrt{\alpha^2 - \omega_0^2}$$

where, $\alpha = \frac{R}{2L}$ rad/s \Rightarrow Naper freq.

$\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$ rad/s \Rightarrow Resonant freq.

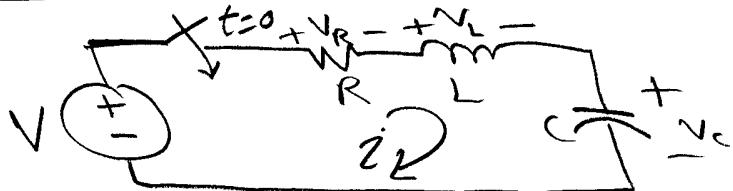
— Three possible cases:

Overdamped: $i(t) = A_1 e^{s_1 t} + A_2 e^{s_2 t}$

Underdamped: $i(t) = B_1 \bar{e}^{\alpha t} \cos \omega_d t + B_2 \bar{e}^{\alpha t} \sin \omega_d t$

(critically damped): $i(t) = D_1 t \bar{e}^{-\alpha t} + D_2 \bar{e}^{-\alpha t}$

Part 2: Step Response of a Series RLC Circuit



- Applying Kirchhoff's Voltage Law,

$$V = Ri + L \frac{di}{dt} + v_c$$

$$\text{since } i = C \frac{dv_c}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{di}{dt} = C \frac{d^2v_c}{dt^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2v_c}{dt^2} + \frac{R}{L} \frac{dv_c}{dt} + \frac{v_c}{LC} = \frac{V}{LC}$$

- Three possible solutions:

$$\text{Overdamped: } v_c = V_f + A_1 e^{s_1 t} + A_2 e^{s_2 t}$$

$$\text{Underdamped: } v_c = V_f + B_1 e^{-\alpha t} \cos \omega_d t + B_2 e^{-\alpha t} \sin \omega_d t$$

$$\text{Critically damped: } v_c = V_f + D_1 t e^{-\alpha t} + D_2 e^{-\alpha t}$$

- Solve Example 8.11 and 8.12
- Solve Assessment problem 8.7, 8.8.