Part one

Alternating Sinusoidal Volage

Casee of Resistor:

 $Voltage\ across\ resistor: U_{R} = RI$

Where: R:resis tan ce of resistor and I:int ensity of current

U_R and i are in phase.

Casee of pure coil(L):

 $Voltage\ across\ coil: U_L = Z_L I;\ Z_L = Lw$

Where: L:induc tan c of coil and I:intensity of current

 U_L leads above current i by 90^0 ($\varphi = \frac{\pi}{2}rd$)

Casee of Resistive coil (L, r):

Voltage across coil: $U_L = Z_{coil}I$; $Z_{coil} = \sqrt{r^2 + (L\omega)^2}$

Where: L:induc tan c of coil and I:intensity of current

 ω : angular frequency (rd/s) and $\omega = 2\pi f$ (f: frequency)

r:resis tan ce of coil

$$\cos \varphi = \frac{r}{Z}$$

 U_L leads above current i φ

Casee of capacitor C:

Voltage across capacitor: $U_C = Z_c I$; $Z_c = \frac{1}{C \omega}$

Where: C: capacitan c of capacitor and I: intensity of current ω : angular frequency (rd/s) and $\omega = 2\pi f$ (f: frequency)

 U_C lags behind current i by 90^0 ($\varphi = \frac{\pi}{2}rd$)

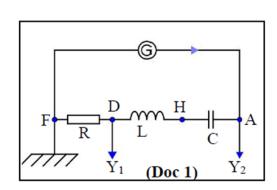
Case of RLC series circuit

Voltage across generator: $U_G = ZI$; $Z = \sqrt{R^2 + (Z_L - Z_C)^2}$

$$\cos \varphi = \frac{R}{Z}$$

The amplitude I_m of current *i* reaches a maximum value when the frequency f of the applied voltage is equal to a particular value f_0 .

$$f_0$$
: is called proper frequency. $f_0 = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{LC}}$



When $f = f_0$, the current and voltage are in phase. This phenomenon is called current resonance. So, the proper frequency is also called resonance frequency.

At resonance: $Z_L = Z_C \Rightarrow L\omega_0^2 C = 1$

- a. When $f < f_0$ (below resonance), the current leads the voltage by φ , then circuit is capacitive.
- b. When $f = f_0$ (resonance), the current and voltage are in phase $\phi = 0$, then circuit is resistive.
- c. When $f > f_0$ (above resonance), the current lags behind the voltage by φ , then circuit is inductive.

Remark:

In case of RLC series circuit: $U_G = \sqrt{U_R^2 + (U_L - U_C)^2}$

In case of RL series circuit : $U_G = \sqrt{U_R^2 + U_L^2}$

In case of RC series circuit: $U_G = \sqrt{U_R^2 + U_C^2}$

 $u_G = U_m \sin(\omega t)$ and $i = I_m \sin(\omega t + \varphi)$

Power: $P = U.I.\cos \varphi$

where $:U = \frac{U_m}{\sqrt{2}}$ And $I = \frac{I_m}{\sqrt{2}}$

U_m is the max voltage and U is the effective voltage.

 I_{m} is the max current, and I is the effective current.

 Φ is the phase difference.

Part 2

Charging and Discharging a Capacitor

Charge of capacitor: q = CV OR Q = CU

Where:

C: Capacitance of a capacitor (Unit in SI system is Farad: F)

Q or q: charge (quantity of electricity) of the capacitor (Unit in SI system is Coulomb: C)

U or u: voltage across the terminals of a capacitor. (Volt: V)

Energy stored in a capacitor:

$$W = \frac{1}{2}CU^2$$
 or $W = \frac{1}{2}QU$ or $W = \frac{1}{2}\frac{Q^2}{C}$. W is expressed in Joules (J).

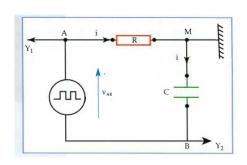
Charging of capacitor:

Differential equation: $E = RC \frac{du_C}{dt} + u_C$

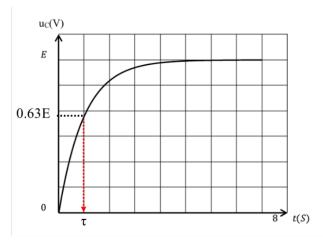
Solution of the differential equation:

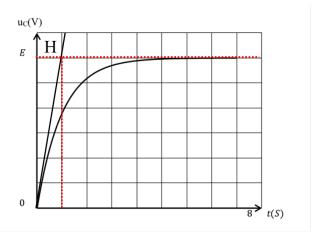
$$u_C = E(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}})$$
 where $\tau = RC$ is time constant.

after
$$t = \tau \Rightarrow u_C = E(1 - e^{-\frac{\tau}{\tau}}) \Rightarrow u_C = E(1 - e^{-1}) = 0.63E$$



Time constant τ is the interval of time after which the voltage across the capacitor reaches 63% of its maximum value during charging of the capacitor.





after
$$t = 5\tau \Rightarrow u_C = E(1 - e^{-\frac{5\tau}{\tau}}) \Rightarrow u_C = E(1 - e^{-5}) = 0.99E \approx E$$

After $t = 5\tau$, the capacitor is practically completely charged

The tangent to u_C at t=0, meets the asymptote in a point of abscissa τ .

Discharging of capacitor

Differential equation: $RC \frac{du_C}{dt} + u_C = 0$

Solution of the differential equation: $u_C = E e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}$ where $\tau = RC$ is time constant.

after
$$t = \tau \Rightarrow u_C = Ee^{-\frac{\tau}{\tau}} \Rightarrow u_C = Ee^{-1} = 0.37E$$

Time constant τ is the interval of time after which the voltage across the capacitor reaches 37% of its maximum value during discharging of the capacitor.

after
$$t = 5\tau \Rightarrow u_C = Ee^{-\frac{5\tau}{\tau}} \Rightarrow u_C = Ee^{-5} = 0.006E \approx 0$$

After $t = 5\tau$, the capacitor is practically completely discharged.

The tangent to u_C at t=0, meets the asymptote in a point of abscissa τ .

