

# INTRODUCTION TO ELECTRONICS

**The Prefixes Used with SI Units**

| <b>Prefix</b> | <b>Symbol</b> | <b>Meaning</b>            | <b>Scientific Notation</b> |
|---------------|---------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| exa-          | E             | 1,000,000,000,000,000,000 | $10^{18}$                  |
| peta-         | P             | 1,000,000,000,000,000,000 | $10^{15}$                  |
| tera-         | T             | 1,000,000,000,000         | $10^{12}$                  |
| giga-         | G             | 1,000,000,000             | $10^9$                     |
| mega-         | M             | 1,000,000                 | $10^6$                     |
| kilo-         | k             | 1,000                     | $10^3$                     |
| hecto-        | h             | 100                       | $10^2$                     |
| deka-         | da            | 10                        | $10^1$                     |
| —             | —             | 1                         | $10^0$                     |
| deci-         | d             | 0.1                       | $10^{-1}$                  |
| centi-        | c             | 0.01                      | $10^{-2}$                  |
| milli-        | m             | 0.001                     | $10^{-3}$                  |
| micro-        | $\mu$         | 0.000 001                 | $10^{-6}$                  |
| nano-         | n             | 0.000 000 001             | $10^{-9}$                  |
| pico-         | p             | 0.000 000 000 001         | $10^{-12}$                 |
| femto-        | f             | 0.000 000 000 000 001     | $10^{-15}$                 |
| atto-         | a             | 0.000 000 000 000 000 001 | $10^{-18}$                 |

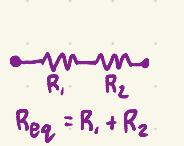
# Basic Circuit Analysis

## ▷ KIRCHHOFF'S LAWS

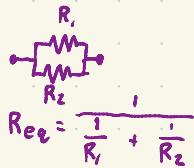
- Loop rule: The sum of  $\Delta V$  across all elements in a loop is 0.
- Junction rule: The sum of current entering a junction equals current exiting.

Note:  $\Delta V_{AB}$  means  $V_A - V_B$

## ▷ EQUIVALENT RESISTANCE



$$R_{eq} = R_1 + R_2$$



$$R_{eq} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2}}$$

## ▷ I & V SOURCES



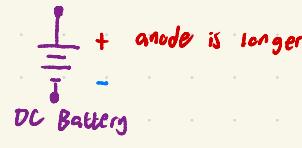
constant V source



sinusoidal V source

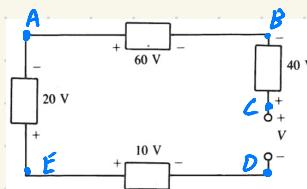


constant I source



+ anode is longer  
DC Battery

## ▷ LOOP RULE EXAMPLE

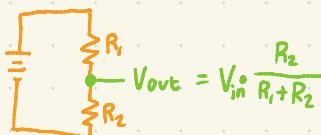


$$\begin{aligned}V_{AB} + V_{BC} + V_{CD} + V_{DE} + V_{EA} &= 0 \\60 + (-40) + V + (-10) + 20 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

## ▷ OHM'S LAW

$$V = IR$$

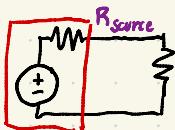
## ▷ EX. VOLTAGE DIVIDER



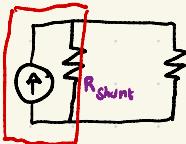
## ▷ VOLTMETERS & AMMETERS

- Voltmeters should go in parallel & have resistance much greater than the element
- Ammeters should go in series & have resistance much smaller than the element

## ▷ NON-IDEAL V&I SOURCES

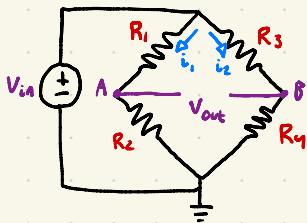


V Source with internal resistance



I source with internal parallel resistance

## ▷ EX. WHEATSTONE BRIDGE



$$i_1 = \frac{V_{in}}{R_1 + R_2}$$

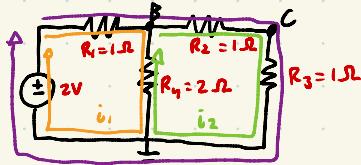
$$i_2 = \frac{V_{in}}{R_3 + R_4}$$

$$V_A = V_{in} - i_1 R_1 = V_{in} - \frac{V_{in} R_1}{R_1 + R_2}$$

$$V_B = V_{in} - i_2 R_3 = V_{in} - \frac{V_{in} R_3}{R_3 + R_4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_A - V_B &= \left( V_{in} - \frac{V_{in} R_1}{R_1 + R_2} \right) - \left( V_{in} - \frac{V_{in} R_3}{R_3 + R_4} \right) \\ &= V_{in} \left( \frac{R_3}{R_3 + R_4} - \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

## ▷ EX. LOOP METHOD



$$2 - i_1 R_1 - i_2 R_2 - i_2 R_3 = 0$$

$$(i_1 - i_2) R_4 - i_2 R_2 - i_2 R_3 = 0$$

$$\rightarrow 2 - i_1(1) - i_2(1) - i_2(1) = 0 \rightarrow 2 = i_1 + 2i_2 \rightarrow i_1 = 2(1 - i_2)$$

$$\rightarrow (2(1 - i_2) - i_2)(2) - i_2(1) - i_2(1) = 0 \rightarrow i_2 = \frac{1}{2} A$$

$$i_1 = 2(1 - 0.5) = 1A$$

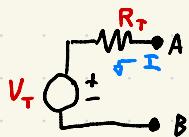
$$V_B = 2V - i_1 R_1 = 1V$$

$$V_C = 1 - (0.5)(1) = 0.5 V$$

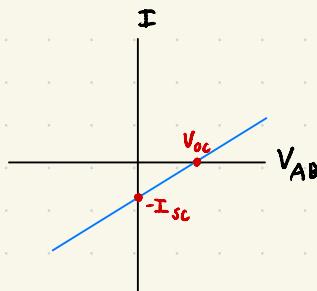
# Thévenin & Norton

## ► THEVENIN

- An unknown linear circuit can be characterized by its open circuit voltage ( $V_{OC}$ ) & short circuit current ( $I_{SC}$ ).
- Any linear circuit can be replaced with an equivalent circuit w/ only a V source & a resistor.



$$R_T = \frac{V_{OC}}{I_{SC}}$$



$$V = V_T - I R_T$$

$$I = \frac{(V - V_T)}{R_T} = \frac{V}{R_T} - \frac{V_T}{R_T}$$

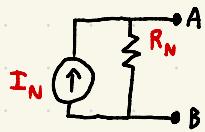
- The equivalent resistance  $R_T$  of a linear circuit is the  $R$  if you short all  $V$  sources & cut all  $I$  sources



$$V_{OC} = I_{SC} R_T$$

## ▷ NORTON

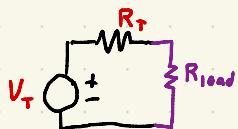
- Any linear circuit can also be replaced with an I source & a resistor, in parallel.



- $R_T = R_N$  for any linear circuit

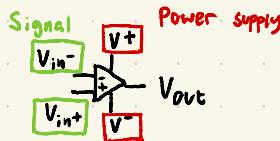
## ▷ MAX POWER

- Max power delivery is when  $R_{\text{load}} = R_T$ .



# Amplification

## OP-AMPS



The output strength is proportional to the difference in signal voltages.

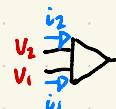
$$V_{out} = A \cdot (V_{in+} - V_{in-})$$

$\curvearrowleft$  Amplification amount

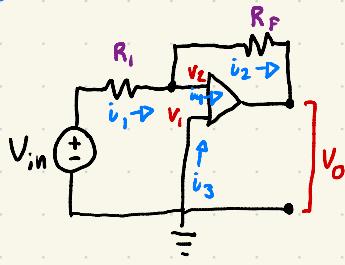
The output voltage is bounded / clipped by the power voltages.

## IDEAL OP-AMP

- In an ideal op-amp,  
 $V_2 = V_1$  &  
 $i_1 = i_2 = 0$ .
- $\therefore \infty$  input resistance,  $0$  output resistance
- To achieve this, you can use a negative feedback loop:



## ▷ INVERTING AMP



It is known that

$$v_3 = v_4 = 0 \therefore i_1 = i_2$$

$$V_1 = V_2 = 0$$

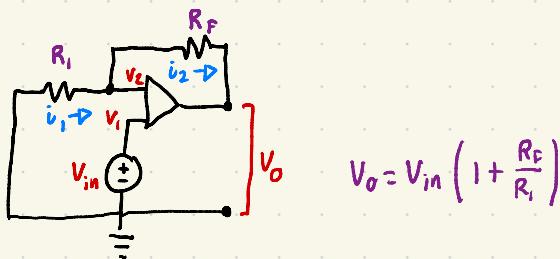
Ohm's Law:

$$i_1 = \frac{V_{in}}{R_1} \quad i_2 = \frac{V_0}{R_F}$$

So

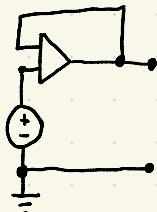
$$V_0 = -V_{in} \left( \frac{R_F}{R_1} \right)$$

## ▷ NON-INVERTING AMP



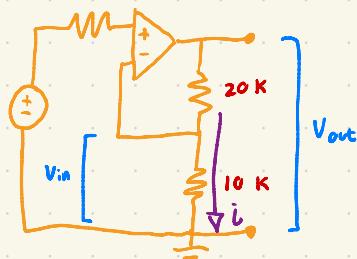
$$V_0 = V_{in} \left( 1 + \frac{R_F}{R_1} \right)$$

## ▷ VOLTAGE FOLLOWER



High input resistance, low output resistance

Ex. 22K

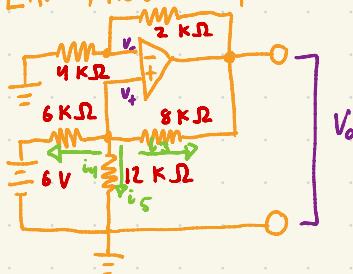


$$V_{in} = i(10\text{ k}\Omega)$$

$$V_{out} = i(30\text{ k}\Omega)$$

$$\text{gain} = \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}} = 3$$

Ex. Midterm problem #1



1 Voltage divider across 4 kΩ & 2 kΩ  $\Rightarrow V_- = \frac{2}{3} V_0$

$$2 i_3 = \frac{V_+ - V_0}{8\text{ k}\Omega}, \quad i_4 = \frac{V_+ - 6V}{6\text{ k}\Omega}, \quad i_5 = \frac{V_+}{12\text{ k}\Omega}$$

Because i into + of op-amp is 0,  $i_3 + i_4 + i_5 = 0$

$$\frac{V_+ - V_0}{8\text{ k}\Omega} + \frac{V_+ - 6V}{6\text{ k}\Omega} + \frac{V_+}{12\text{ k}\Omega} = 0$$

3 But,  $V_+ = V_-$ , and  $V_- = \frac{2}{3} V_0$  from 1, so

$$V_0 = 3\left(\frac{2}{3} V_0\right) - 8 \Rightarrow V_0 = 8V$$

# AC

$$F(t) = A \sin(\omega t + \varphi)$$

- $F$  can be  $V$  or  $I$
- $A$  is amplitude
- $\omega$  is angular frequency (rad/s)
  - $V$  is frequency (Hz);  $\omega = 2\pi V$
- $\varphi$  is phase angle

## ► COMPLEX NUMBERS

*like  $i$ , but  $j$  is used for current*

- $Z = x + jy$
- Complex conjugate: for  $Z = a + bj$ , conjugate  $Z^* = a - bj$
- Polar to complex rectangular:  $Re^{j\theta} = R \cos \theta + Rj \sin(\theta)$
- Complex rectangular to polar:  $R = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ ,  $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$   
*(you may need to add/subtract  $180^\circ$ )*

## D PHASORS

- A time-varying sinusoidal function

$$F(t) = A \sin(\omega t + \varphi)$$

can be represented independent of time by a phasor

$$F = A e^{j\varphi}$$

\* phasors are in bold

- Phasors carry amplitude & phase info, not frequency

$$F = A e^{j\varphi} \equiv A \angle \varphi \equiv A \cos \varphi + j A \sin \varphi$$

- To convert to time domain, multiply by  $e^{j\omega t}$  & take real part

$$F = 5 e^{j37^\circ} \rightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned} F(t) &= \operatorname{Re}(5 e^{j37^\circ} e^{j\omega t}) = \operatorname{Re}(5 e^{j(\omega t + 37^\circ)}) \\ &= \operatorname{Re}(5 \cos(\omega t + 37^\circ) + 5 j \sin(\omega t + 37^\circ)) = 5 \cos(\omega t + 37^\circ) \end{aligned}$$

- To get amplitude:

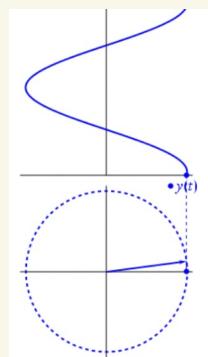
$$|V| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \sqrt{V V^*}$$

- Adding & subtracting: operate on real & imaginary components
- Multiplying & dividing: operate on polar coordinates

## D DIFFERENTIATION

Given  $V(t) = V_1$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = j\omega V$$



# Capacitors

Capacitance:

$$C = \frac{\kappa \epsilon_0 A}{d}$$

- $\kappa$ : dielectric constant
- $\epsilon_0$ : permittivity of free space =  $8.854 \cdot 10^{-12}$
- $A$ : plate surface area
- $d$ : distance between plates

$$Q = CV$$

- At DC equilibrium, treat capacitor as open circuit ( $I = 0$ )
- At high frequency, treat capacitor as a short

$$Q = CV \rightarrow \frac{dQ}{dt} = C \frac{dV}{dt}$$

$$I = C \frac{dV}{dt}$$

$$P = \frac{1}{2} CV^2$$

## ► CAPACITORS UNDER AC

- $I = C \frac{dV}{dt} = CV_0 \omega \cos(\omega t)$
- Voltage lags current by  $90^\circ$   
 $I \propto E$  - Current before Field in capacitor

## ► MULTIPLE CAPACITORS

- Series:  $C_{eq} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2}}$

- Parallel:  $C_{eq} = C_1 + C_2$

# Inductors

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

- Series:  $C_{eq} = C_1 + C_2$  (like resistors)
- Parallel:  $C_{eq} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2}}$
- In DC at equilibrium, treat inductor as short circuit ( $V=0$ )
- At high frequency, treat inductor as open circuit

$$P = \frac{1}{2} LI^2$$

Voltage leads current by  $90^\circ$

ELI - Field before current in Inductor  
ICE - Current before field in Capacitor

# AC Power

$P = IV$ , so if  $I$  &  $V$  are out of phase,  $P$  is sinusoidal.

$$P_{avg} = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T I_0 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_2) V_0 \cos(\omega t + \varphi_1) dt$$

$$P_{avg} = \frac{V_0 I_0}{2} \cos(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)$$

- For capacitor-only & inductor-only circuits:  $P_{avg} = 0$
- For resistor-only circuits:  $P = \frac{1}{2R} V_0^2$
- In phasor notation,  $\text{Avg}(V_i) = \frac{1}{2} \text{Re}(V_i^*)$

## D RMS

To equate DC & AC power, we define  $V_{rms}$  &  $I_{rms}$ .

$$V_{rms} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} V_0$$

$$I_{rms} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} I_0$$

$$P_{avg} = I_{rms} V_{rms}$$

## ▷ IMPEDANCE & REACTANCE

Impedance is a phasor made up of a resistive part and a reactive part.

$$| Z = R + jX |$$

For a capacitor,

$$\bar{v} = C \frac{d\bar{i}}{dt}$$

in phasor notation this is:

$$\bar{v} = C \cdot j\omega \cdot \bar{v}$$

So:

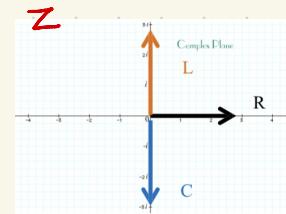
$$\frac{v}{i} = \frac{1}{j\omega C} = Z$$

| CAPACITATIVE IMPEDANCE

$$X_C = \frac{-1}{\omega C} \rightarrow Z_C = \frac{-j}{\omega C}$$

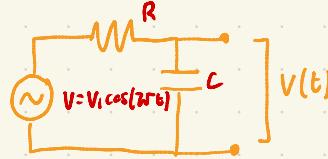
| INDUCTIVE IMPEDANCE

$$X_L = \omega L \rightarrow Z_L = j\omega L$$



# Example RC - AC Circuits

Ex.



$$\frac{V - V(t)}{R} - I_C = 0$$

$$\frac{V_1 \cos(\omega t) - V(t)}{R} - C \frac{dV(t)}{dt} = 0$$

$$\frac{V(t)}{R} - \frac{V_1 \cos(\omega t)}{R} + C \frac{dV(t)}{dt} = 0$$

Instead of solving this diff. eq. we can switch to phasors:

$$\frac{V}{R} - \frac{V_1}{R} + C \cdot j\omega V = 0 \rightarrow V = \frac{V_1}{1 + j\omega RC}$$

treat as a constant

Treating it as an impedance voltage divider:

$$V_{out} = V_1 \frac{\frac{1}{j\omega C}}{\frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{j\omega C}} = V_1 \frac{\frac{1}{j\omega C}}{1 + j\omega RC}$$

Phasor

Ex.

$$\Sigma V = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{j\omega L}} = \frac{1}{R + j\omega L}$$

# Filters

- A filter passes desired frequencies and rejects others.
- Low pass: allows low frequencies
- High pass: allows high frequencies
- Band pass: allows frequencies in a desired range

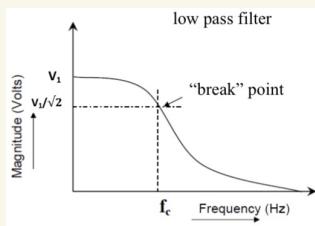
Ex. passive low pass filter



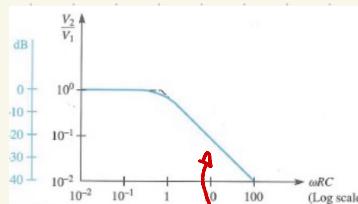
$$V_{out} = V_1 \frac{\frac{1}{j\omega C}}{R + \frac{1}{j\omega C}} = V_1 \frac{1}{1 + j\omega RC}$$

$$|V_{out}| = \sqrt{V_{out} V_{out}^*} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{V_1}{1 + j\omega RC}\right) \left(\frac{V_1}{1 - j\omega RC}\right)} = V_1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \omega^2 R^2 C^2}}$$

Slope: 20 dB/decade



Log-log plot



Decibels:

$$dB = 20 \log_{10} \frac{V_2}{V_1}$$

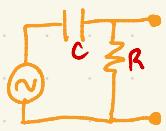
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Reference Signal

Important point @  $\omega RC = 1$

$$\therefore |V_{out}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} V_1$$

$$\therefore \text{Define break point } \omega_b = \frac{1}{RC}$$

Ex. High pass Filter

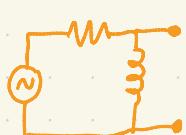


$$V_{out} = V_i \frac{R}{R + \frac{1}{j\omega C}} = V_i \frac{j\omega RC}{1 + j\omega RC}$$

$$\omega_B = \frac{1}{RC}$$

$$|V_{out}| = V_i \frac{\omega RC}{\sqrt{1 + \omega^2 (RC)^2}}$$

Ex. RL high pass filter



$$|V_{out}| = V_i \frac{1}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{R}{\omega L}\right)^2 + 1}}$$

$$\omega_B = \frac{R}{L}$$

Ex. RL low pass filter

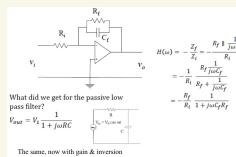


(voltage divider)

$$V_{out} = V_{in} \frac{R}{R + j\omega L} = \frac{R(R - j\omega L)}{R^2 - \omega^2 L^2}$$
$$|V_{out}| = \sqrt{|V_{out}| |V_{out}|^*} = V_{in} \sqrt{\frac{R^2 (R - j\omega L) (R + j\omega L)}{(R^2 - \omega^2 L^2)^2}} = V_{in} \sqrt{\frac{R^2 (R^2 - \omega^2 L^2)}{(R^2 - \omega^2 L^2)^2}}$$
$$=$$

## D ACTIVE FILTERS

- You can use op amps to make active filters

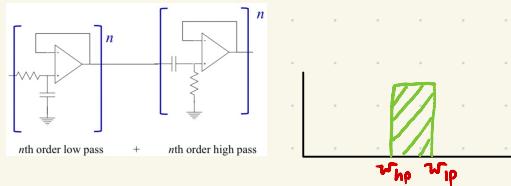


$$H(s) = -\frac{Z_f}{Z_i} = -\frac{R_f}{R_1} \frac{1}{1 + j\omega R_f C_f}$$

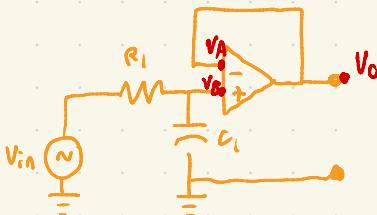
$$= -\frac{R_f}{R_1} \frac{1}{R_f + j\omega R_f C_f}$$

$$= -\frac{R_f}{R_1} \frac{1}{1 + j\omega R_f C_f}$$

- Putting active filters in series adds the slopes of the log-log curves
- You can combine active high & low pass filters to make a band pass filter.



Ex. Low Pass Active Filter

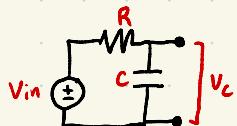


$V_o = V_A$ , and  $V_A = V_B$  (ideal op amp), so  $V_o = V_B$   
 But this is just a voltage divider, so

$$V_o = V_{in} \frac{\frac{1}{j\omega C}}{R_1 + \frac{1}{j\omega C}} = V_{in} \frac{1}{1 + j\omega R C}$$

# Transient Response

Step response: given an instantaneous connection of a power source, determine  $V(t)$



Initial conditions:  $V_c(0) = 0$

$$Q_c(t) = C V_c(t) \rightarrow \frac{dQ_c(t)}{dt} = I(t) = C \frac{dV_c(t)}{dt}$$

$$\text{loop rule } V_{in} - I(t)R - V_c(t) = 0 \rightarrow \frac{V_{in} - V_c(t)}{R} = i(t)$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{dt}{RC} = \frac{dV_c(t)}{V_{in} - V_c(t)}$$

$$\int \frac{dt}{RC} = \int_0^{V_c(t)} \frac{dV_c(t)}{V_{in} - V_c(t)} \quad \text{let } u = V_{in} - V_c(t); \quad dV_c = -du$$

$$= \int_{V_c=0}^{V_c(t)} -\frac{du}{u}$$

$$= -\ln(u) \Big|_0^{V_c(t)} = -\ln(V_{in} - V_c(t)) \Big|_0^{V_c(t)}$$

$$= -\ln(V_{in} - V_c(t)) - \ln(V_{in} - 0)$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{V_{in} - V_c(t)}{V_{in}} = e^{-t/RC}$$

$$V_c(t) = V_{in} (1 - e^{-t/RC})$$

Time constant  $T = RC$  : ohms  $\times$  farads (secs)

After 1 time constant, 63% charged

2

86.5%

3

95%

## ► RC CIRCUIT WITHOUT DIFF EQ

- First equation: loop rule relating  $V_{in}$  &  $V_{out}$
- Second equation: general form  $A + Be^{-t/\tau}$
- Third equation: initial conditions  $V_c(0) = ?$

$$\frac{V_{in} - V_c(t)}{R} = C \frac{dV_c(t)}{dt}$$

and

$$V_c(t) = A + Be^{-t/\tau}$$
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} \frac{V_{in} - A - Be^{-t/\tau}}{R} = \frac{-BC}{\tau} e^{-t/\tau}$$

equate coefficients:

$$\frac{V_{in} - A}{R} = 0 \rightarrow V_{in} = A$$

$$\frac{-B}{R} = -\frac{BC}{\tau} \rightarrow \tau = RC$$

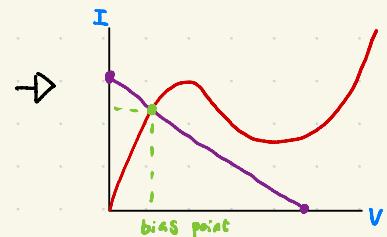
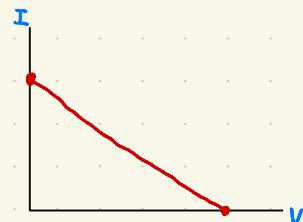
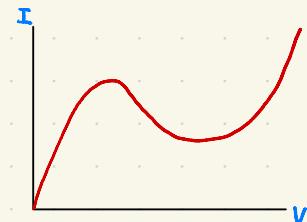
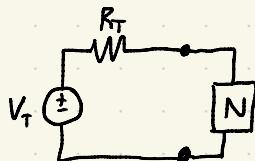
Then, use initial conditions to find B:

$$V_c(0) = 0 = V_{in} - Be^{-0/RC} \rightarrow B = -V_{in}$$

# Nonlinear Elements

## ▷ LOAD LINE

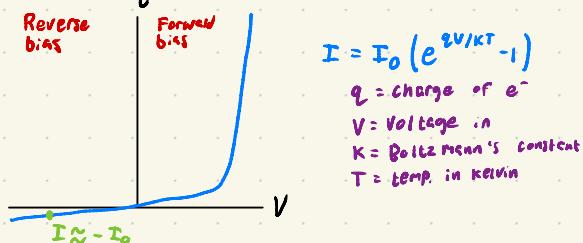
- A nonlinear element can have any  $I$  vs.  $V$  relationship
- When connected to a linear circuit  $I$  &  $V$  are constrained linearly
- The operating conditions are the intersections between the complex & linear curves, called the BIAS POINT



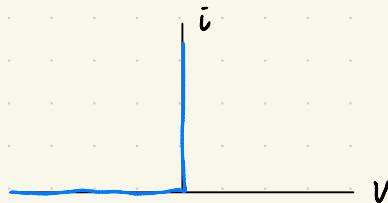
## D Diodes



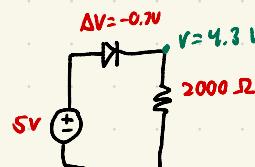
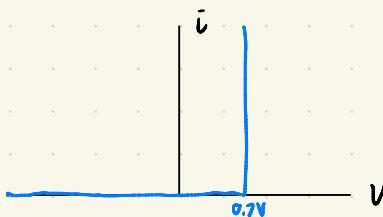
### REAL DIODE



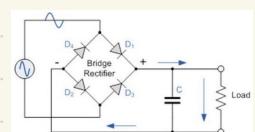
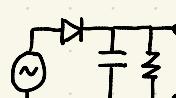
### IDEAL DIODE



- Large Signal diode: current only flows when voltage is high enough (usually  $\geq 0.7 \text{ V}$ ); voltage drop when ON is  $0.7 \text{ V}$
- Assume D means large signal diode w/ drop of  $0.7 \text{ V}$

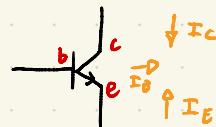
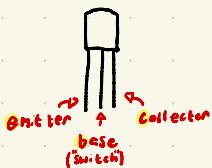


## D RECTIFIERS



# Bipolar Junction Transistors

- A BJT is a current amplifier.



$$V_{CE} = V_{BE} + V_{CB}$$

$$i_E + i_B + i_C = 0$$

**ALL  $i$ 's are flowing inwards**

Current transfer ratio:

$$i_C = -\alpha i_E \quad \alpha > 0.98 \quad \text{usually}$$

$$\beta = \frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha}$$

Current gain:

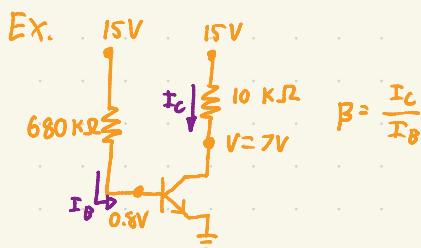
$$i_C = \beta i_B \quad 50 < \beta < 1000 \quad \text{usually}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\beta}{1+\beta}$$

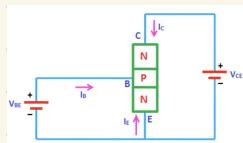
Base-Emitter voltage:

$$V_{BE} = 0.7 \text{ V}$$

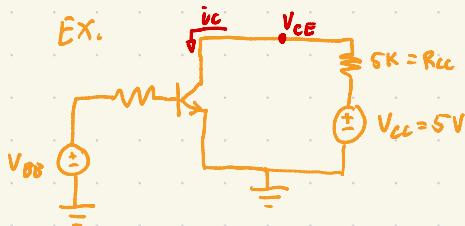
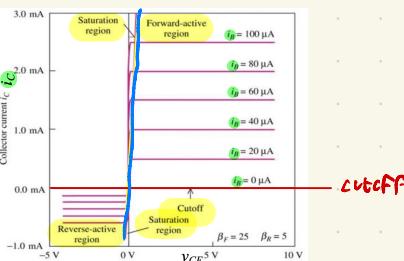
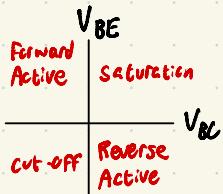
**\* IN ACTIVE MODE**



# D COMMON Emitter

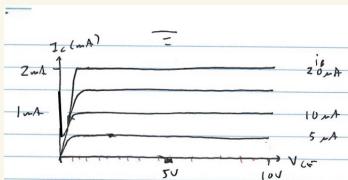


E is connected in a loop with B's voltage source



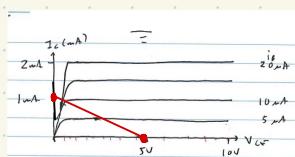
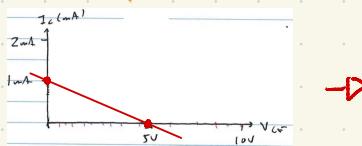
Find  $I_C$ ,  $V_{CE}$  for  $V_{BB} = 0, 1.2, 2.7V$ .

You are given the following spec sheet:



$$\therefore \beta = 100$$

$I_C$  &  $V_{CE}$  are dictated by a Thevenin circuit so



Case 1,  $V_{BB} = 0$

below cutoff;  $I_C = 0$

intersect;  $V_{CE} = 5V$

Case 2,  $V_{BB} = 1.2V$

$$I_B = \frac{1.2 - 0.7}{100K} = 5 \text{ nA}; I_C = \beta I_B = 0.5 \text{ mA}$$

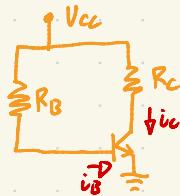
$$V_{CE} = V_{CC} - I_C R_C = 5 - (0.5 \text{ mA})(5K) = 2.5V \quad (\text{intersect})$$

As  $V_{BB}$  increases,  $I_C$  will increase at a fast rate, decreasing  $V_{CE}$ !

## ▷ BIASING

- Resistors can be used to "bias" a transistor to rest at an "operating point" when no signal is applied

Ex. Find  $R_B$  &  $R_C$  such that  $I_C = 1 \text{ mA}$ ,  $\beta = 100$ ,  $V_{CC} = 10 \text{ V}$ .



$$I_C = \beta I_B \rightarrow I_B = 10^{-5} \text{ A}$$

$V_B = 0.7 \text{ V}$  due to voltage drop

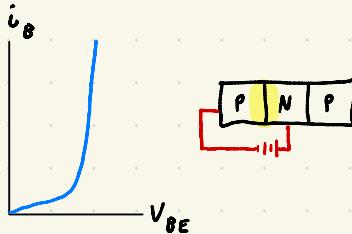
$$I_B = \frac{V_{CC} - V_B}{R_B} \rightarrow 10^{-5} \text{ A} = \frac{10 \text{ V} - 0.7 \text{ V}}{R_B} \rightarrow R_B = 9.3 \cdot 10^5 \Omega$$

To choose  $V_C$ , it should be  $> 0$  to keep collector junction reverse biased, but cannot be larger than  $V_{CC}$ . So  $0 < V_C < 10$ . To keep operating point reasonable, choose midpoint of  $V_C = V_{CC}/2 = 5 \text{ V}$ .

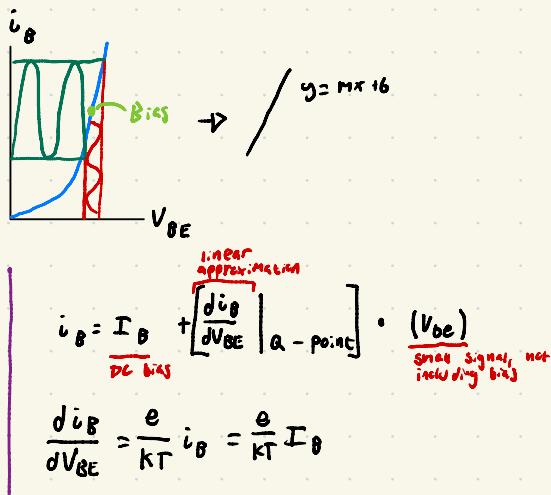
$$I_C = \frac{V_{CC} - V_C}{R_C} \rightarrow R_C = 5000 \Omega$$

## ▷ SMALL SIGNAL MODEL

- When configured with a common emitter,  $i_B$  &  $V_{BE}$  have the exponential relationship of a diode



- When a small AC signal is applied you can approximate BJT response as linear  
\* AC signal on top of a DC bias



Note:

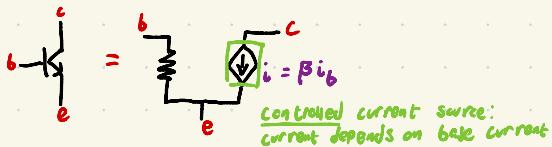
$i_B$  - total signal  
 $I_B$  - DC bias  
 $i_b$  - small signal  
 $i_B = I_B + i_b$

$$i_E \approx I_{ES} \left( e^{\frac{eV_{BE}}{kT}} \right)$$

$$i_B \approx \frac{I_{ES}}{\beta+1} \left( e^{\frac{eV_{BE}}{kT}} \right)$$

$$i_b = \boxed{\frac{kT}{eI_B}} \quad \text{This follows form } V=IR, \quad \text{This is the "resistance" you can model with!}$$

And thus, we can treat the BJT under small signal as a resistor.



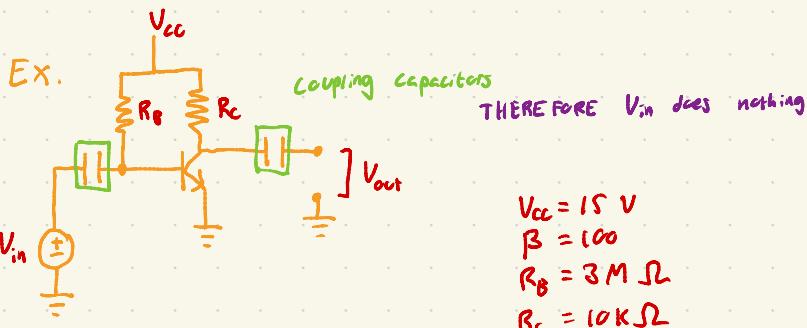
The resistance of the model resistor is

$$r_\pi = \frac{kT}{eI_B} \approx \frac{26 \text{ mV}}{I_B}$$

Note:

With respect to small signals, treat DC Voltage sources as shorts, and DC current sources as open circuits.

Treat capacitors as small signal shorts



$$V_{CC} = 15 \text{ V}$$

$$\beta = 100$$

$$R_B = 3 \text{ M}\Omega$$

$$R_C = 10 \text{ k}\Omega$$

1 Find DC operating point

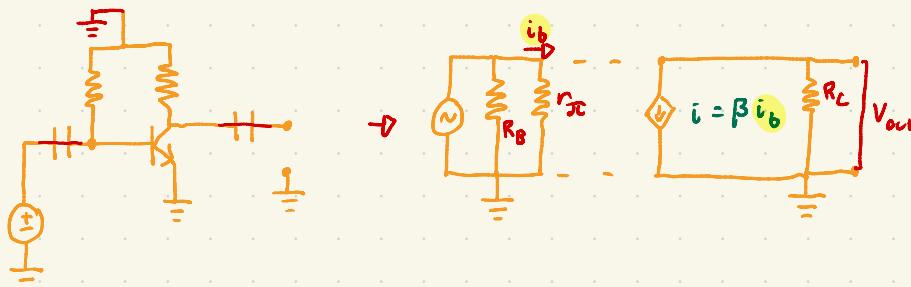
$$I_B = \frac{15 - 0.7}{3 \text{ M}} = 4.8 \mu\text{A}$$

$$\rightarrow I_C = \beta I_B = 480 \mu\text{A}$$

$$V_C = V_{CC} - I_C R_C = 15 - (.48 \text{ mA})(10 \text{ k}) = 10.2 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{CE} = 10.2 - 0.7 = 9.5 \text{ V}$$

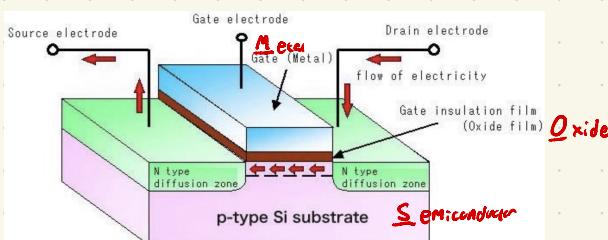
2 Draw equivalent small signal circuit



$$V_{out} = -i_C R_C = -\beta i_b R_C = -\beta \frac{V_{in}}{r_\pi + R_B} R_C \approx -\beta \frac{V_{in}}{r_\pi} R_C$$

- Find  $r_\pi$  using steady state  $I_B$

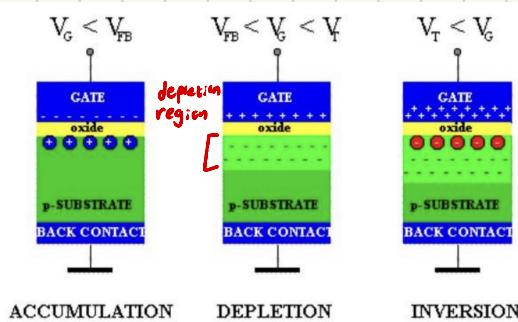
# MOSFETS



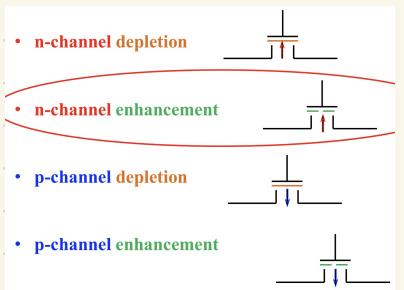
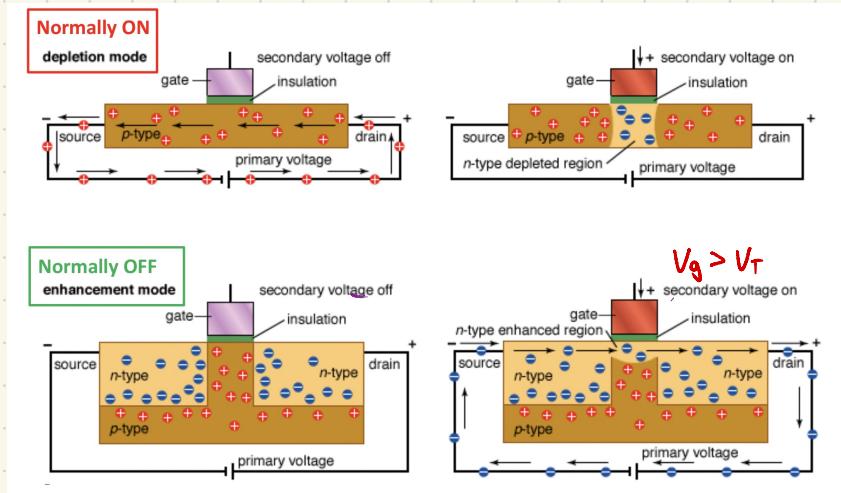
Treat M-O-S sandwich as a capacitor w/ one plate as a semiconductor

Source (emitter)      Gate (base)      Drain (collector)

$\Delta$       i

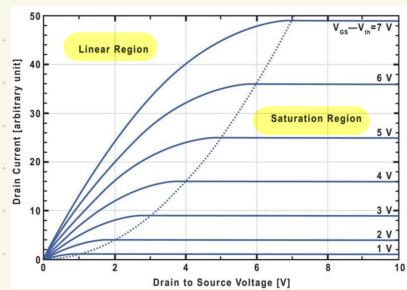


- Accumulation: gate is negatively charged, mobile charge carriers (holes) accumulate and semiconductor is conductive
- Depletion: gate is positive, mobile holes are pushed away, depletion region grows and conductivity lessens
- Inversion: as gate becomes more positive, electrons become mobile charge carriers and semiconductor becomes conductive again
- $V_T$  is the threshold voltage at which the transistor starts to turn on



normally OFF

normally ON



- [1] Find  $V_{GS}$
- [2] Find Thevenin load line
- [3] Overlay load line with spec graph to get  $i_D$  &  $V_D$
- [4] Find  $K$  with  $I_{D,sat} = \frac{1}{2} K(V_{GS} - V_T)^2$
- [5] Find  $g_m = K(V_{GS} - V_T)$

In triode (linear) region:

$$I_D = K \left[ (V_{GS} - V_T) V_{DS} - \frac{1}{2} V_{DS}^2 \right] \text{ in triode/linear region}$$

$$I_{D,\text{sat}} = \frac{1}{2} K (V_{GS} - V_T)^2 \text{ in saturation region}$$

A MOSFET is in linear region when:

$$V_{GS} \geq V_T \quad \&$$

$$V_{GD} = V_{GS} - V_{DS} < V_T$$

## D SMALL SIGNAL

- A MOSFET under small signal is a **voltage-controlled current source**.



- The relation between  $V_{GS}$  &  $i_{DS}$  is:

$$i_{DS} = g_m V_{GS}$$

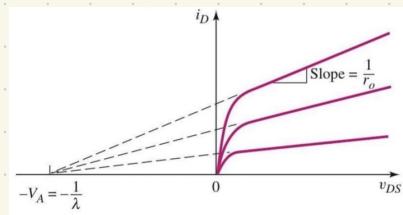
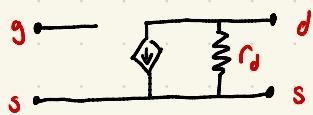
Where  $g_m$  is the transconductance

$$g_m = K(V_{GS} - V_T) = \frac{2 I_{DS}}{V_{GS} - V_T} \quad * \text{ at Q-point}$$

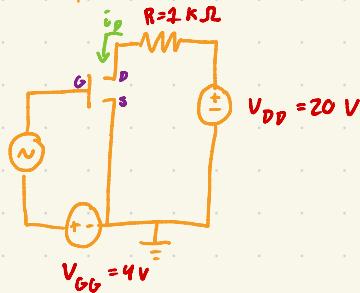
Find K from  $I_{D,\text{sat}}$  &  $(V_{GS} - V_T)$  eqn

## ▷ RESISTANCE

- Real-life MOSFETs have output resistance, so model like this:



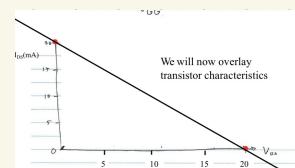
## Ex. Amplifier



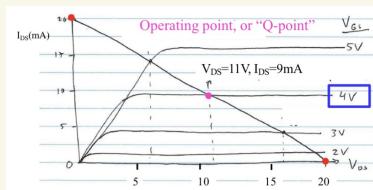
Thevenin:

$$V_T = 20 \text{ V}$$

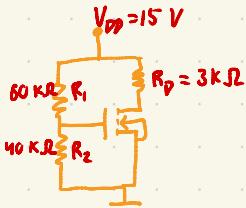
$$i_{SC} = \frac{20}{1000} = 20 \text{ mA}$$



Overlay w/ MOSFET graph, seeing intersection w/ the curve w/  $V_{GS} = 4 \text{ V}$  (DC bias)



Ex.



$$V_{GS} = V_{DD} \cdot \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} = 15 \cdot \frac{40}{100} = 6 \text{ V}$$

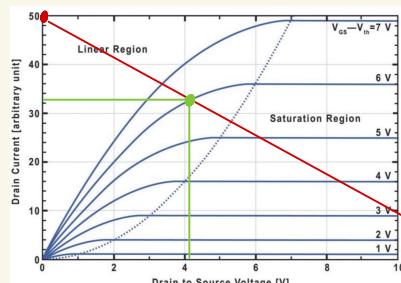
Voltage divider

Find load line:

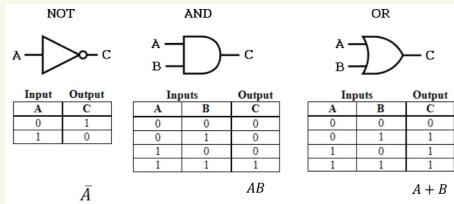
$$V_{oc} = 15 \text{ V}$$

$$I_{SC} = \frac{15 \text{ V}}{3 \text{ k}\Omega} = 5 \text{ mA}$$

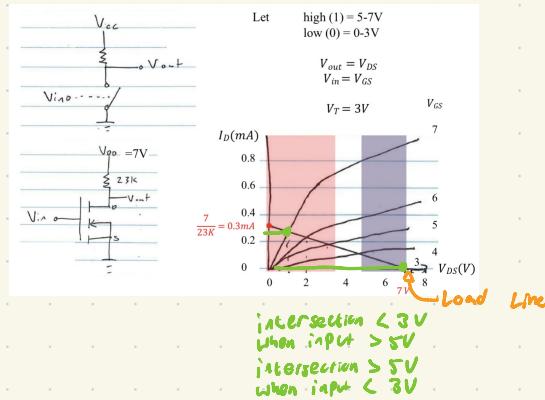
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# Digital Logic



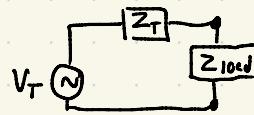
▷ NOT



# Impedance Matching

- Remember: max power transfer when  $R_{load} = R_{Thevenin}$

- Voltage divider



$$V_{load} = V_T \frac{Z_{load}}{Z_T + Z_{load}}$$

$$I_{load} = \frac{V_T}{Z_T + Z_{load}}$$

Time averaged Power

$$P_L = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re}(V_{load} I_{load}^*) = \operatorname{avg}(V I)$$

- The result of using calculus on the expanded equation is

Max Power @  $X_{load} = -X_T, R_{load} = R_T$

@  $Z_{load} = Z_T^*$

# T ransformers

Primary      Secondary



$V_s$

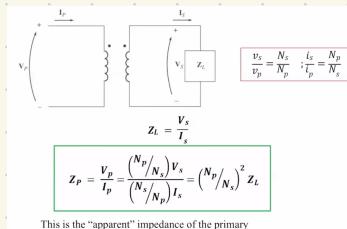
# turns of secondary

$$\frac{V_s}{V_p} = \frac{N_s}{N_p}; \quad \frac{i_s}{i_p} = \frac{N_p}{N_s}$$

# turns of primary

- Impedance:

$$Z_p = \left( \frac{N_p}{N_s} \right)^2 Z_L$$



This is the "apparent" impedance of the primary

# AC Power

$$P = \text{Avg}(vi) = \frac{1}{2} \text{Re}(vi^*) = V_{\text{rms}} I_{\text{rms}} \cos \theta$$

Power factor

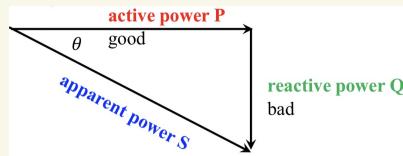


## POWER TRIANGLE

$$S \text{ (apparent power)} = VI = \frac{V^2}{Z}$$

$$P \text{ (active power)} = VI \cos \theta$$

$$Q \text{ (reactive power)} = VI \sin \theta$$



MAKE P & Q NEGATIVE DEPENDING ON SIGN OF Θ

V leads I for inductors

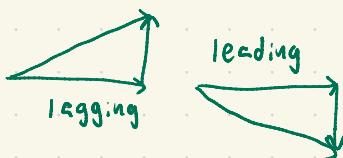
I leads V for capacitors

IF GIVEN Hz, REMEMBER  $\omega = 2\pi f$

The W value given in a problem (load power) is P.  
Divide by P.F. to get S.

POWER FACTOR

$$\text{P.F.} = \frac{P}{S} = \cos \theta$$



## IMPEDANCE MATCHING

- You can make a "flat" triangle by inserting a capacitor/inductor to get rid of reactivity.



$$Q_c = V_c I_c = V_c \frac{V_c}{| \frac{1}{j\omega C} |} = |V_c|^2 \omega C$$

- NOT ON EXAM
  - RLC Circuits, quality factor, bandwidth
  - Transient response analysis (except RC transient)
  - Flip flops
  - Optoelectronics
- Rumored to not be on exam
  - Digital circuits
  - Logic gates
  - MOSFETS