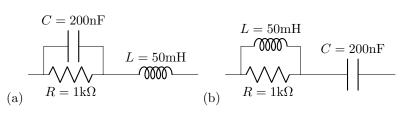
# Physics 2250: Problem Set IX

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**Problem 1.** Determine both the DC impedance and the impedance at a frequency of f = 1 kHz of the circuits shown below.



Solution 1. Here  $f = 1 \text{kHz} \implies \omega = 2000 \pi \text{rad s}^{-1}$ 

(a)

$$Z = \left(\frac{1}{R} + j\omega C\right)^{-1} + j\omega L$$

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

$$= \frac{R + (j\omega L)(1 + j\omega CR)}{1 + j\omega CR}$$

$$= \frac{R(1 - j\omega CR) + (j\omega L)(1 + (\omega CR)^2)}{1 + (\omega CR)^2}$$

$$= \frac{R - j\omega CR^2 + j\omega L + j\omega L(\omega CR)^2}{1 + (\omega CR)^2}$$

$$= \frac{R}{1 + (\omega CR)^2} + \frac{-\omega CR^2 + \omega L + \omega L(\omega CR)^2}{1 + (\omega CR)^2}j$$

Which means that the DC impedance ( $\omega=0$ ) is just R, and impedance with a frequency of 1kHz is  $\approx 91.9997-25.1338j\Omega$ 

(b)

$$Z = \left(\frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{j\omega L}\right)^{-1} + \frac{1}{j\omega C}$$

$$= \frac{j\omega LR}{R + j\omega L} + \frac{1}{j\omega C}$$

$$= \frac{j\omega LR^2 + (\omega L)^2 R}{R^2 + (\omega L)^2} - \frac{j}{\omega C}$$

$$= \frac{j\omega LR^2 (\omega C) + (\omega L)^2 R (\omega C)}{(\omega C) \left(R^2 + (\omega L)^2\right)} - \frac{j\left(R^2 + (\omega L)^2\right)}{(\omega C) \left(R^2 + (\omega L)^2\right)}$$

$$= \frac{j\omega LR^2 (\omega C) + (\omega L)^2 R (\omega C) - \left(R^2 + (\omega L)^2\right)j}{(\omega C) \left(R^2 + (\omega L)^2\right)}$$

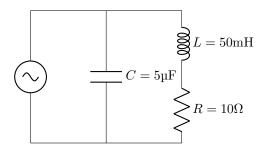
$$= \frac{j\omega LR^2 (\omega C) + (\omega L)^2 R (\omega C) - \left(R^2 + (\omega L)^2\right)j}{(\omega C) \left(R^2 + (\omega L)^2\right)}$$

$$= \frac{(\omega L)^2 R}{R^2 + (\omega L)^2} + \frac{L (\omega R)^2 C - \left(R^2 + (\omega L)^2\right)j}{(\omega C) \left(R^2 + (\omega L)^2\right)}j$$

Which means that the DC impedance is infinite, and the impedance at a frequency of 1kHz is  $89.8302 - 32.2716j\Omega$ 

**Problem 2.** A purely sinusoidal voltage of  $V_s(t)$  of amplitude 10V and frequency  $\omega = 300 \text{rad s}^{-1}$  is applied in the circuit shown below.

- (a) Find the equivalent circuit impedance,  $\widetilde{Z}_{tot}$
- (b) Find the total circuit current,  $\widetilde{I}(t)$
- (c) Find the average power expended in the circuit, and compare this to the DC power expended in the circuit (i.e. the power expended when powered by a simple 10V battery)



#### Solution 2.

(a)

$$\begin{split} Z &= \left( j\omega C + \frac{1}{R+j\omega L} \right)^{-1} \\ &= \left( \frac{1+(R+j\omega L)\,j\omega C}{R+j\omega L} \right)^{-1} \\ &= \frac{R+j\omega L}{1+(R+j\omega L)\,j\omega C} \\ &= \frac{R+j\omega L}{1-\omega^2 LC+j\omega CR} \\ &= \frac{(R+j\omega L)(1-\omega^2 LC-j\omega CR)}{(1-\omega^2 LC)^2+(\omega CR)^2} \\ &= \frac{j\omega L-j\omega^3 L^2 C+\omega^2 LR C+R-\omega^2 LR C-j\omega CR^2}{(1-\omega^2 LC)^2+(\omega CR)^2} \\ &= \frac{j\omega L-j\omega^3 L^2 C-j\omega CR^2+R}{(1-\omega^2 LC)^2+(\omega CR)^2} \\ &= \frac{R}{(1-\omega^2 LC)^2+(\omega CR)^2} + \frac{\omega L-\omega^3 L^2 C-\omega CR^2}{(1-\omega^2 LC)^2+(\omega CR)^2} j \\ &= 10.4632+15.5367 i\Omega \end{split}$$

In phasor notation this is  $\sqrt{10.4632^2 + 15.5367^2}e^{i\arctan(\frac{15.5367}{10.4632})} = 18.7315e^{0.9782j}$ 

(b)  $V_s(t)$  in phasor notation is  $10e^{300tj}$ 

$$\widetilde{I}(t) = \frac{\widetilde{V}_s(t)}{\widetilde{Z}_{tot}}$$

$$\widetilde{I}(t) = \frac{10e^{300tj}}{18.7315e^{0.9782j}}$$

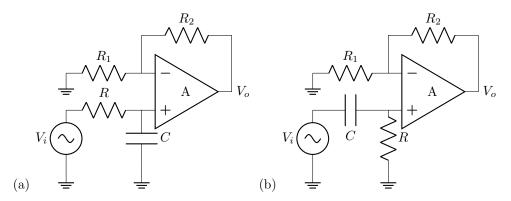
$$\widetilde{I}(t) = 0.5339e^{(300t - 0.9782)j}$$

(c)

$$\begin{split} \langle P \rangle &= \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \left[ \widetilde{V}_s(t) \widetilde{I}^*(t) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \left[ 10 e^{300tj} \cdot 0.5339 e^{-j(300t - 0.9782)} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \left[ 5.339 e^{0.9782j} \right] \\ &= 2.6695 \operatorname{Re} \left[ \cos(0.9782) + j \sin(0.9782) \right] \\ &= 1.4909 \mathrm{W} \end{split}$$

DC power is just  $P = \frac{V^2}{R} = \frac{10 \text{V}^2}{10 \Omega} = 10 \text{W}$ 

**Problem 3.** Consider the two Op-Amp filter circuits shown below. Each has a sinusoidal input,  $V_i$ , and component values of C = 500nF, R = 1k $\Omega$ ,  $R_1 = 100\Omega$ ,  $R_2 = 10$ k $\Omega$ .

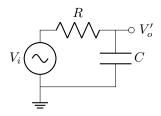


For each filter:

- (a) Use qualitative reasoning to predict the output  $(V_o)$  at low and at high input frequencies to determine the broad filter type.
- (b) Find analytical expressions for
  - i. The output voltage in terms of the input voltage,  $V_o(V_i)$ .
  - ii. The magnitude of the output relative to the input,  $\left| \frac{V_o}{V_i} \right|$ .
  - iii. The phase difference between the output and input,  $\Delta \phi_{V_o-V_i}$
- (c) Use any software of your choice to plot  $\left|\frac{V_o}{V_i}\right|$  and  $\Delta\phi_{V_o-V_i}$  for frequencies up to  $\omega=2$ MHz. Make sure to annotate your plots with proper and legible labels. Plot  $\left|\frac{V_o}{V_i}\right|$  on a log-log scale and  $\Delta\phi_{V_o-V_i}$  on a linear-log scale.
- (d) Find the (exact or approximate) frequency and phase difference at which  $\left|\frac{V_o}{V_i}\right|=1$

#### Solution 3.

- (a) At  $\omega = 0$  in filter (a) the capacitor acts like an open meaning that the op-amp is in a non-inverting configuration where  $V_o = \left(1 + \frac{R_2}{R_1}\right) V_i = 101 V_i$ . As  $\omega \to \infty$  in filter (a) the capacitor acts like a wire, meaning the op-amp does nothing so  $V_o = 0$ . So, filter (a) is a low pass filter with some gain. In filter (b) at  $\omega = 0$  the capacitor acts like an open, dropping all of  $V_i$ , meaning that  $V_o = 0$ . As  $\omega \to \infty$  the capacitor acts like a wire meaning that the op-amp is in a non-inverting configuration where  $V_o = \left(1 + \frac{R_2}{R_1}\right) V_i = 101 V_i$ . So, filter (b) is a high pass filter with some gain.
- (b) I'm separating this into one part per circuit so it doesn't get super cluttered.
  - i(a). Treating circuit (a) as a two stage circuit where the amplifier is a separate multiplier of 101 makes this conceptually much easier for me. To do this, I'll analyze the circuit below, finding  $V'_o(V_i)$  and then just multiply  $V'_o$  by 101 to get  $V_o$



We're trying to find the voltage dropped across the capacitor here which is given by  $V'_o = \widetilde{I}(t)\widetilde{Z}_C$ . Here  $\widetilde{I}(t) = \frac{\widetilde{V}_i(t)}{\widetilde{Z}_R + \widetilde{Z}_C}$  so

$$\begin{split} V_o' &= \frac{\widetilde{V}_i(t)\widetilde{Z}_C}{\widetilde{Z}_R + \widetilde{Z}_C} \\ &= \frac{\widetilde{V}_i(t)\left(-\frac{j}{\omega C}\right)}{R - \frac{j}{\omega C}} \\ &= \frac{\widetilde{V}_i(t)\left[(\omega C)^{-2} - R(\omega C)^{-1}j\right]}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} \\ &= \frac{\widetilde{V}_i(t)(\omega C)^{-2}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} - \frac{\widetilde{V}_i(t)R(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}}j \\ &\therefore V_o &= 101\widetilde{V}_i(t)\left[\frac{(\omega C)^{-2}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} - \frac{R(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}}j\right] \end{split}$$

ii(a).

$$= 101 \left| \widetilde{Y}_{i}(t) \frac{\left[ \frac{(\omega C)^{-2}}{R^{2} + (\omega C)^{-2}} - \frac{R(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^{2} + (\omega C)^{-2}} j \right]}{\widetilde{Y}_{i}(t)} \right|$$

$$= 101 \sqrt{\left( \frac{(\omega C)^{-2}}{R^{2} + (\omega C)^{-2}} \right)^{2} + \left( \frac{R(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^{2} + (\omega C)^{-2}} \right)^{2}}$$

$$= \frac{101}{R^{2} + (\omega C)^{-2}} \sqrt{(\omega C)^{-4} + R^{2}(\omega C)^{-2}}$$

$$= \frac{101}{(\omega C)(R^{2} + (\omega C)^{-2})} \sqrt{\frac{1}{(\omega C)^{2}} + R^{2}}$$

$$= \frac{101\sqrt{1 + R^{2}(\omega C)^{2}}}{(\omega C)^{2}(R^{2} + (\omega C)^{-2})}$$

iii(a).

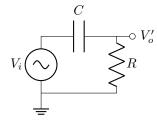
$$\Delta \phi_{V_o - V_i} = \arctan\left(\frac{\operatorname{Im}\left[\frac{\widetilde{V}_o(t)}{\widetilde{V}_i(t)}\right]}{\operatorname{Re}\left[\frac{\widetilde{V}_o(t)}{\widetilde{V}_i(t)}\right]}\right)$$

$$= \arctan\left(\frac{\operatorname{Im}\left[\frac{(\omega C)^{-2}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} - \frac{R(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}}j\right]}{\operatorname{Re}\left[\frac{(\omega C)^{-2}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} - \frac{R(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}}j\right]}\right)$$

$$= \arctan\left(\frac{-\frac{R(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}}}{\frac{(\omega C)^{-2}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}}}\right)$$

$$= \arctan\left(-R\omega C\right)$$

i(b). Treating circuit (b) as a two stage circuit where the amplifier is a separate multiplier of 101 makes this conceptually much easier for me. To do this, I'll analyze the circuit below, finding  $V'_o(V_i)$  and then just multiply  $V'_o$  by 101 to get  $V_o$ 



We're trying to find the voltage dropped across the capacitor here which is given by  $V_o' = \widetilde{I}(t)\widetilde{Z}_R$ . Here

$$\widetilde{I}(t) = \frac{\widetilde{V}_i(t)}{\widetilde{Z}_R + \widetilde{Z}_C}$$
 so

$$\begin{split} V_o' &= \frac{\widetilde{V}_i(t)\widetilde{Z}_R}{\widetilde{Z}_R + \widetilde{Z}_C} \\ V_o' &= \frac{\widetilde{V}_i(t)R}{R - j(\omega C)^{-1}} \\ V_o' &= \widetilde{V}_i(t) \frac{R^2 - jR(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} \\ V_o' &= \widetilde{V}_i(t) \left[ \frac{R^2}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} - \frac{R(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} j \right] \\ &\therefore V_o &= 101\widetilde{V}_i(t) \left[ \frac{R^2}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} - \frac{R(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} j \right] \end{split}$$

ii(b).

$$= 101 \left| \frac{R^2}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} - \frac{R(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} j \right|$$

$$= \frac{101}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} \sqrt{(R^2)^2 + (R(\omega C)^{-1})^2}$$

$$= \frac{101}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} \sqrt{\frac{R^4(\omega C)^{-2} + R^2(\omega C)^{-2}}{(\omega C)^{-2}}}$$

$$= \frac{101R\sqrt{1 + R^2}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}}$$

iii(b).

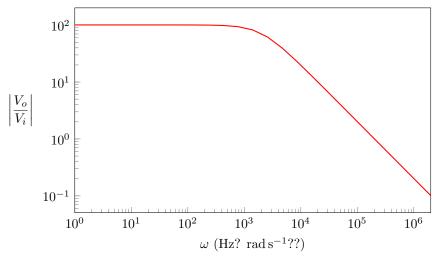
$$\Delta \phi_{V_o - V_i} = \arctan \left( \frac{\operatorname{Im} \left[ \frac{\tilde{V}_o(t)}{\tilde{V}_i(t)} \right]}{\operatorname{Re} \left[ \frac{\tilde{V}_o(t)}{\tilde{V}_i(t)} \right]} \right)$$

$$= \arctan \left( -\frac{R(\omega C)^{-1}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}} \right)$$

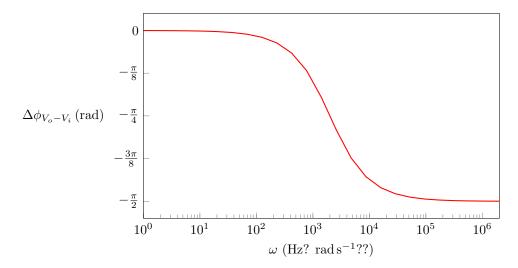
$$= \arctan \left( -\frac{1}{R\omega C} \right)$$

## (c) Plotted with TikZ

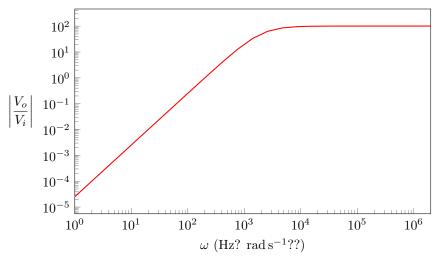
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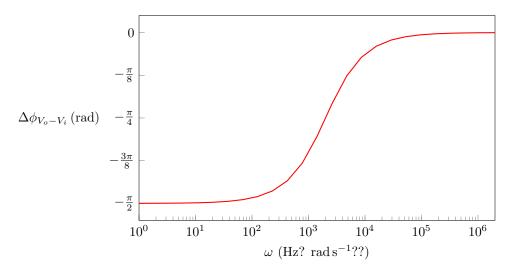
 $\Delta\phi_{V_o-V_i}$  as a function of frequency for an active low-pass filter (circuit (a))



 $\left|\frac{V_o}{V_i}\right|$  as a function of frequency for an active high-pass filter (circuit (b))



 $\Delta\phi_{V_o-V_i}$  as a function of frequency for an active high-pass filter (circuit (b))



### (d) For circuit (a)

$$\begin{split} 1 &= \frac{101\sqrt{1+R^2(\omega C)^2}}{(\omega C)^2 (R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2})} \\ (\omega C)^2 R^2 + 1 &= 101\sqrt{1+R^2(\omega C)^2} \\ &\frac{(\omega C)^2 R^2 + 1}{\sqrt{1+R^2(\omega C)^2}} = 101 \\ &\omega = \sqrt{\frac{101^2-1}{(RC)^2}} = 201990 whatever the unit of the graph above is \end{split}$$

For circuit (b)

$$1 = \frac{101R\sqrt{1+R^2}}{R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2}}$$

$$R^2 + (\omega C)^{-2} = 101R\sqrt{1+R^2}$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{1}{101RC^2\sqrt{1+R^2} - (RC)^2}} \approx 200$$