

Inductor properties (continued)

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$$v = L \frac{di}{dt} \rightarrow = 0, \text{ when } i \text{ is constant}$$

- current cannot change instantaneously; this would produce an infinite voltage.

Inductor current in terms of voltage

$$v = L \frac{di}{dt}$$

$$v dt = L di$$

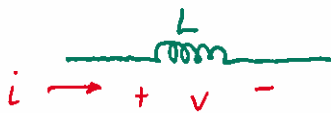
Integrate both sides

$$\int_{t_0}^t v d\tau = L \int_{i(t_0)}^{i(t)} d\tau = L [i(t) - i(t_0)]$$

$$\text{so } i(t) = \frac{1}{L} \int_{t_0}^t v d\tau + i(t_0)$$

As before, usually $t_0 = 0$.

Power and energy in the inductor



$$p = vi$$

$$p = \frac{dw}{dt} = L i \frac{di}{dt}$$

$$dw = L i di$$

Integrate both sides

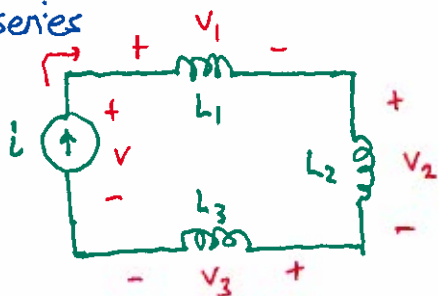
$$\int_0^w d\tau = L \int_0^i y dy$$

$$w = \frac{1}{2} L i^2$$

ENERGY IN
INDUCTOR

Inductors in series and parallel

In series



By KVL,

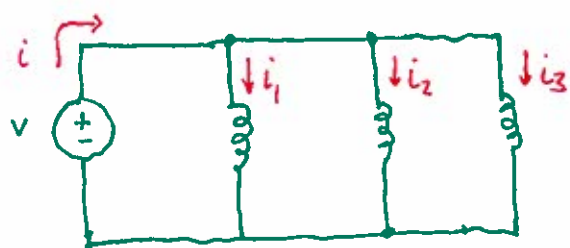
$$v = V_1 + V_2 + V_3$$

$$\text{so } v = L_1 \frac{di}{dt} + L_2 \frac{di}{dt} + L_3 \frac{di}{dt}$$

$$= (L_1 + L_2 + L_3) \frac{di}{dt}$$

so $L_{eq} = L_1 + L_2 + L_3$ INDUCTANCES IN SERIES ADD

In parallel



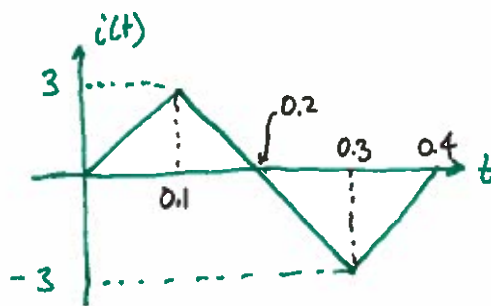
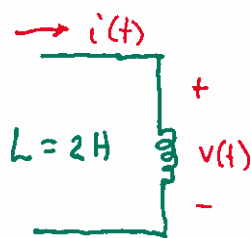
By KCL,

$$i = i_1 + i_2 + i_3$$

$$\text{so } i = \frac{1}{L_1} \int_0^t v dx + \frac{1}{L_2} \int_0^t v dx + \frac{1}{L_3} \int_0^t v dx$$

so $\frac{1}{L_{eq}} = \frac{1}{L_1} + \frac{1}{L_2} + \frac{1}{L_3}$ INDUCTANCES IN PARALLEL ARE LIKE PARALLEL RESISTANCES.

Example: Given an inductor with $i(t)$ sketched below, find $v(t)$, $p(t)$, $w(t)$.



For the inductor $v(t) = L \frac{di(t)}{dt}$

Interval: $0 < t \leq 0.1$

$$\frac{di(t)}{dt} = \text{slope} = \frac{3}{0.1} = 30$$

$$\text{so } v(t) = L \times 30 = 60 \text{ V}$$

Interval $0.1 < t \leq 0.3$ $\frac{di(t)}{dt} = \frac{-6}{0.2} = -30$

so $v(t) = L \times -30 = -60\text{V}$

Interval $0.3 < t \leq 0.4$ $\frac{di(t)}{dt} = 30$, so $v = 60\text{V}$.

Sketch:

