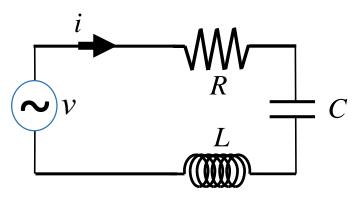
Computer Work Unit 13 RLC oscillation and transient behavior

An RLC circuit, with $R=30~(\Omega)$, $L=200~(\mathrm{mH})$, $C=20~(\mu\mathrm{F})$. The driving voltage source is

$$v(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } t < 0 \\ 36 \cdot \sin(2\pi f_d t) & \text{if } 0 \le t < 12T \\ 0 & \text{if } 12T \le t \end{cases}$$

where $f_d = 120$ (Hz), $T = 1/f_d$.

(1) Solve this circuit numerically and plot the voltage v(t), and current i(t) as a function of t for t=0 to 20T in scene1 and the total energy E(t) stored in the system in scene2.



- (2) You will see a transient behavior of the current i(t) before it reaches a steady-state oscillation around t=9T. Find I, the amplitude of the oscillating current, and ϕ the phase constant of the oscillating current relative to the voltage source during the 9-th period. Compare them to the theoretical values.
- (3) After the voltage is turned off at t=12T, you will see both the current and the total energy decays. Find the time t such that the energy decays to 10% of the energy at the time the voltage is just turned off, i.e. 0.1E(t=12T).

from vpython import*

fd = 120 # 120Hz #(Your Parameters here)

t = 0

dt = 1.0/(fd * 5000) # 5000 simulation points per cycle

scene1 = graph(align = 'left', xtitle='t', ytitle='i (A) blue, v (100V) red,', background=vector(0.2, 0.6, 0.2)) scene2 = graph(align = 'left', xtitle='t', ytitle='Energy (J)', background=vector(0.2, 0.6, 0.2))

i t = gcurve(color=color.blue, graph = scene1)

v t = gcurve(color=color.red, graph = scene1)

E_t = gcurve(color=color.red, graph = scene2)

#(Your program here)