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Introduction: The objectives of this experiment are-

- To determine phase relationship between I_L and I_C in a RLC parallel circuit.
- Draw the complete vector diagram for a RLC parallel circuit.
- Verification of KCL in AC circuits.

Theory and Methodology: In dc circuits, conductance (G) was defined as being equal to $1/R$. The total conductance of a parallel circuit was then found by adding the conductance of each branch. The total resistance R_T is simply $1/G_T$. In ac circuits, we define admittance (Y) as being equal to $1/Z$. The unit of measure for admittance as defined by the SI system is Siemens, which has the symbol S . Admittance is a measure of how well an Ac circuit will admit, or allow, current to flow in the circuit. The larger its value, therefore, the heavier the current flow for the same applied potential. The total admittance of a circuit can also be found by finding the sum of the parallel admittances. The total impedance Z_T of the circuit is then $1/Y_T$; that is, for the network of Fig.

$$Y_T = Y_1 + Y_2 + Y_3 + \dots + Y_N$$

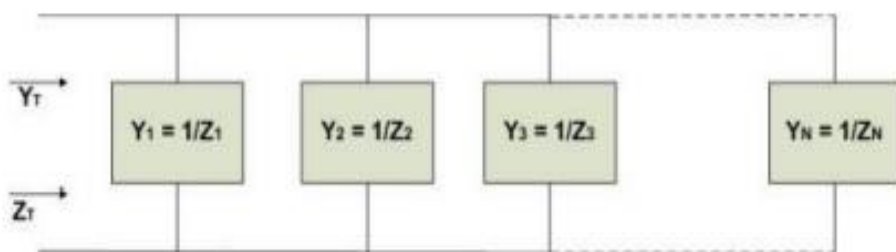


Fig. 1

Or, Since $Z = 1/Y$,

$$1/Z_T = 1/Z_1 + 1/Z_2 + 1/Z_3 + \dots + 1/Z_N$$

For two impedances in parallel,

$$\begin{aligned} 1/Z_T &= 1/Z_1 + 1/Z_2 \\ Z_T &= Z_1 Z_2 / (Z_1 + Z_2) \end{aligned}$$

For three parallel impedances,

$Z_T = Z_1 Z_2 Z_3 / (Z_1 Z_2 + Z_2 Z_3 + Z_1 Z_3)$ As pointed out in the introduction to this section, conductance is the reciprocal of resistance, and $Y_R = 1/Z_R = 1/R \angle 0^\circ = G \angle 0^\circ$

The reciprocal of reactance ($1/X$) is called susceptance and is a measure of how susceptible an element is to the passage of current through it. Susceptance is also measured in Siemens and is represented by the capital letter B . For the inductor,

$$Y_L = 1/Z_L = 1/X_L \angle 90^\circ = 1/X_L (\angle - 90^\circ)$$

Defining $B_L = 1/X_L$ (siemens, S)

$$Y_L = B_L \angle - 90^\circ$$

Note that for inductance, an increase in frequency or inductance will result in a decrease in susceptance or, correspondingly, in admittance.

For the capacitor,

$$YC = 1/ZC = 1/(XC \angle -90^\circ) = 1/XC \angle 90^\circ$$

Defining $BC = 1/XC$ (semens, S) $YC = BC \angle 90^\circ$

For the capacitor, therefore, an increase in frequency or capacitance will result in an increase in its susceptibility. For any configuration (series, parallel, seriesparallel, etc.), the angle associated with the total admittance is the angle by which the source current leads the applied voltage. For inductive networks, θT is negative, whereas for capacitive networks, θT is positive.

Apparatus:

- Oscilloscope
- Function generator
- Resistor: 100 Ω (3)
- Inductor: 6.3 mH
- Capacitor: 1 μ F
- Connecting wire.
- Bread board

Given Circuit:

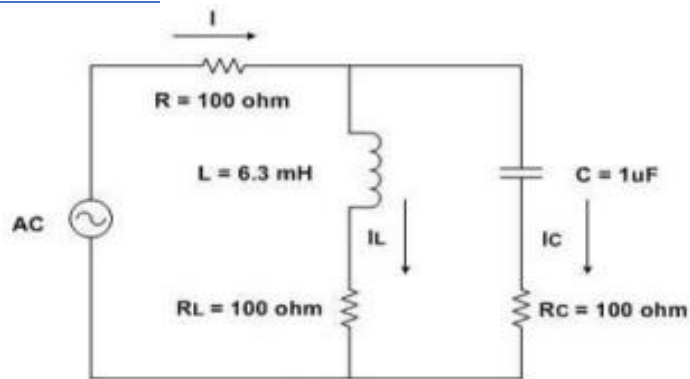
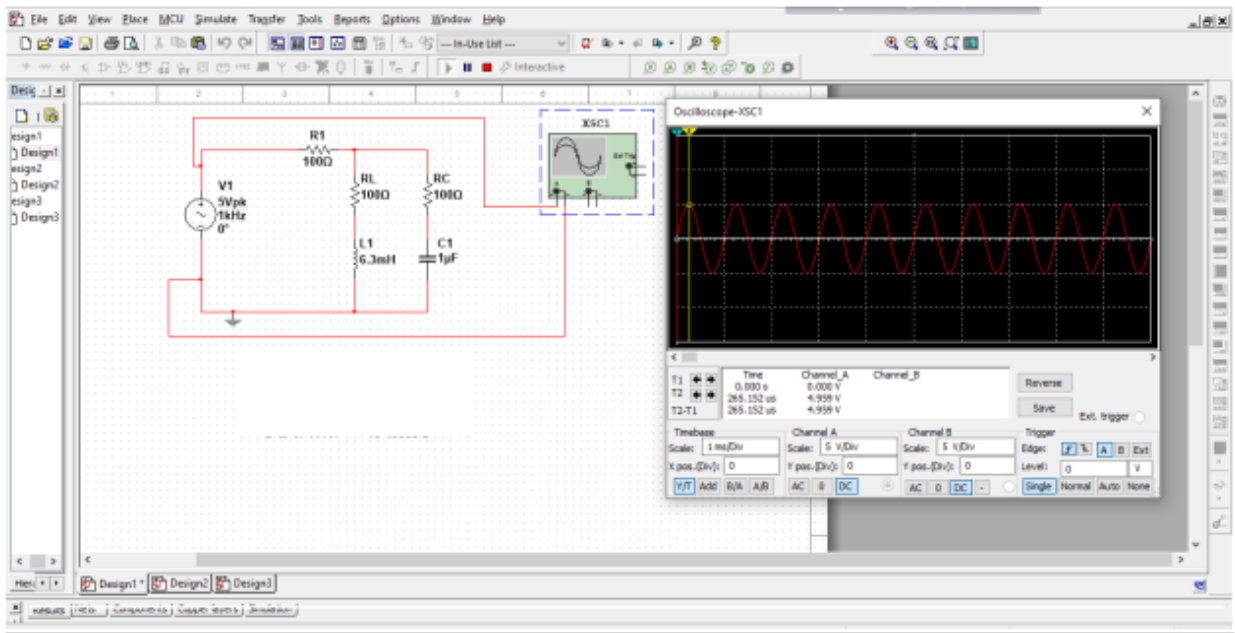
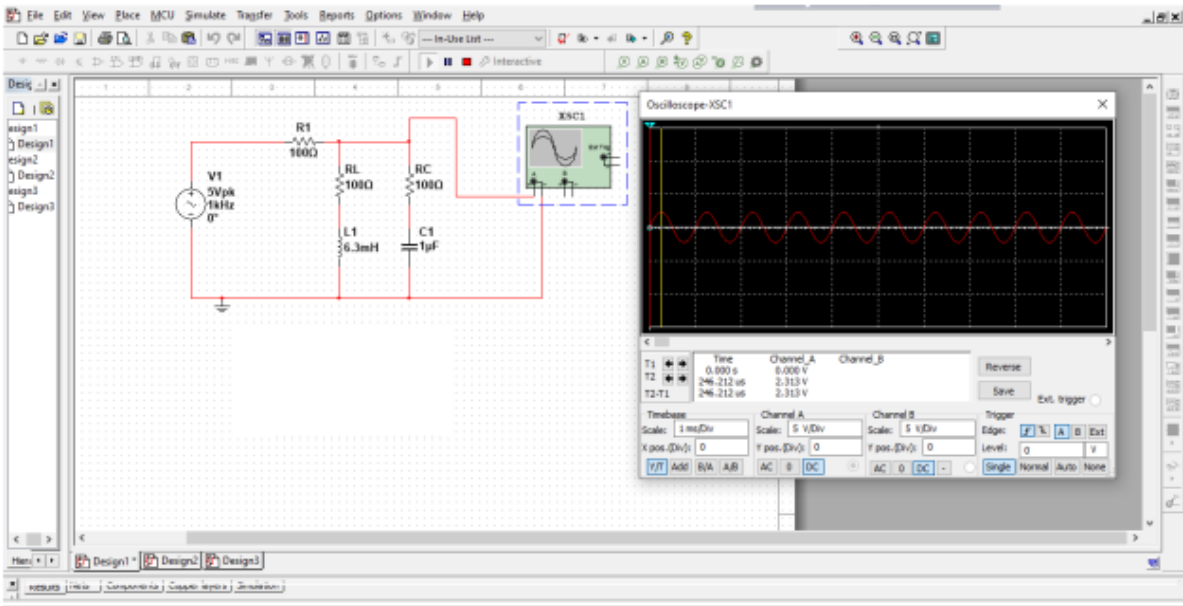
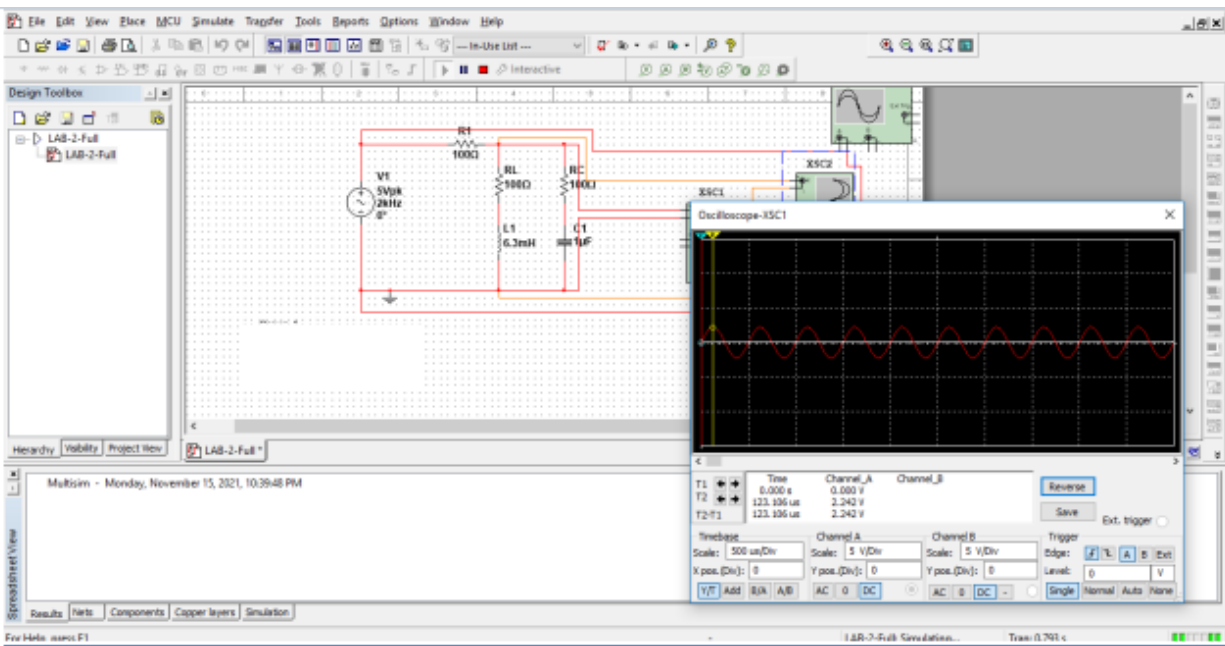
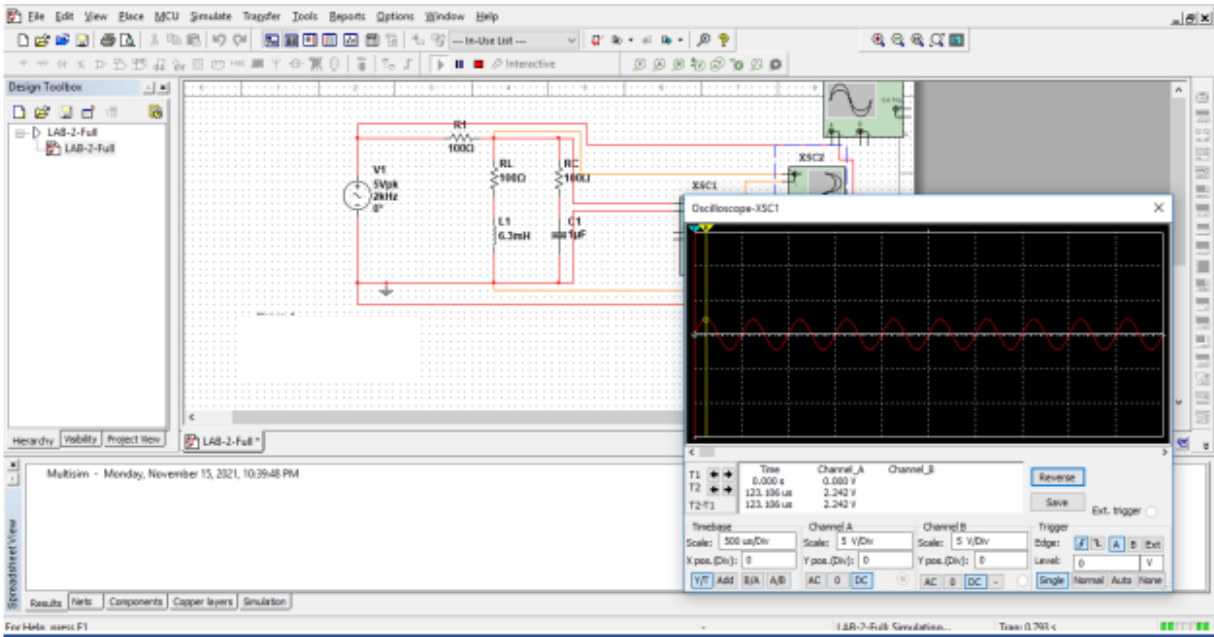


Fig. 2

Simulation & Result:

For Fig-01:





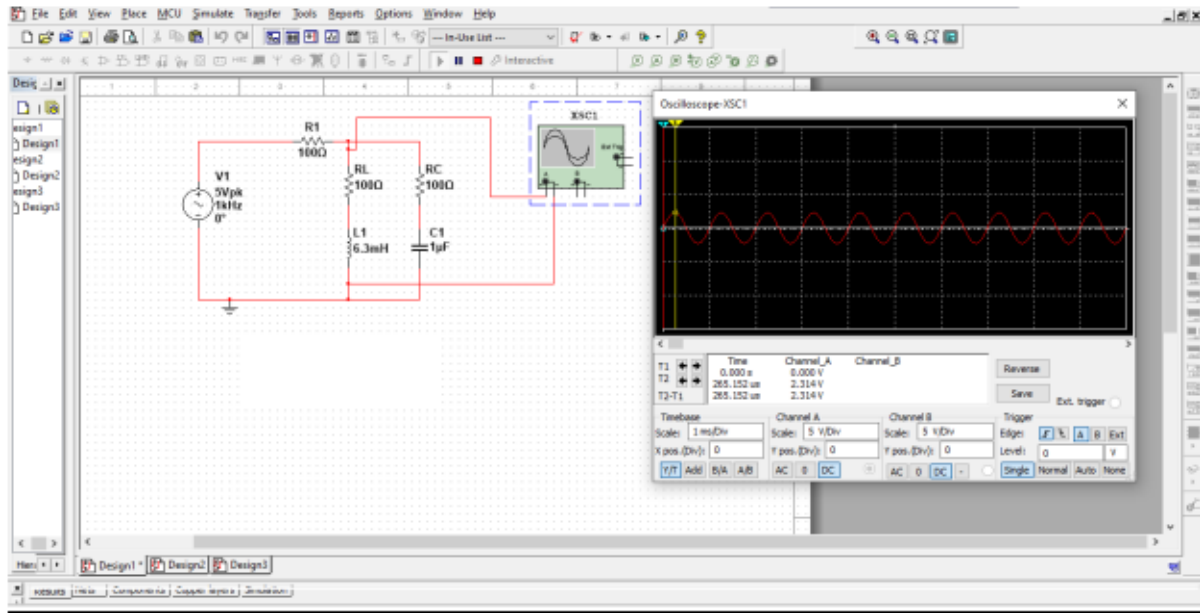


Table 1:

f (KHz)	E	V _{RL} (volts)	I _L =V _{RL} /R _L A	θ _L	V _{RC} (Volts)	I _c =V _{rc} /R _c A	θ _c	I _L +I _C A	V _R (volts)	I=V _R /R A
1Khz	5	2.313	0.02313	21.6	2.313	0.02313	-57.85	0.05	4.959	0.05
2Khz	5	2.229	0.223	38.16	2.242	0.0224	-38.50	0.0447	4.447	0.0447
4Khz	5	2.297	0.02297	57.72	2.297	0.02297	-21.69	0.04597	4.594	0.04597

Calculation (Theoretically):

3. For 1 kHz

$$E = 5V$$

$$V_{RL} = 2.313V$$

$$I_L = \frac{V_{RL}}{R_L} = \frac{2.313}{100}$$

$$= 0.02313A$$

$$\begin{aligned} X_L &= 2\pi fL \\ &= 2 \times 3.1416 \times 1000 \times 6.3 \times 10^{-3} \\ &= 39.58 \end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_L &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{X_L}{R} \right) \\ &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{39.58}{100} \right) \\ &= 21.6 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} X_C &= \frac{1}{2\pi fC} = \frac{1}{2 \times 3.1416 \times 1000 \times 1 \times 10^{-6}} \\ &= 159.15 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_C &= \tan^{-1} \left(-\frac{X_C}{R} \right) \\ &= \tan^{-1} \left(-\frac{159.15}{100} \right) = -57.25 \end{aligned}$$

$$V_{Re} = 2.313$$

$$I_e = \frac{V_{Re}}{R_e} = \frac{2.313}{100}$$

$$= 0.02313$$

$$I_L + I_e = 0.02313 + 0.02313$$

$$= 0.05$$

$$V_R = 4.959V$$

Now

$$I = \frac{V_R}{R} = \frac{4.959}{100}$$

$$= 0.04959$$

$$= 0.05$$

For 2 kHz:

$$E = 5V$$

$$V_{RL} = 2.229$$

$$I_L = \frac{V_{RL}}{R_L} = \frac{2.229}{100}$$

$$= 0.0223$$

We know,

$$X_L = 2\pi fL$$

$$= 2 \times 3.1416 \times 2000 \times 6.3 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$= 79.16$$

Now,

$$\theta_L = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{X_L}{R} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{79.16}{100} \right)$$

$$= 38.36$$

$$X_C = \frac{1}{2\pi fC} = \frac{1}{2 \times 3.1416 \times 2000 \times 1 \times 10^{-6}}$$

$$= 79.57$$

$$\theta_C = \tan^{-1} \left(-\frac{X_C}{R} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(-\frac{79.57}{100} \right)$$

$$= -38.50$$

$$V_{Rc} = 2.242$$

$$I_C = \frac{V_{Rc}}{R_C} = \frac{2.242}{100} = 0.02242$$

Now

$$I_L + I_E = 0.0223 + 0.0224$$

$$= 0.0447 \text{ A}$$

$$V_R = 4.447$$

$$I = \frac{V_R}{R} = \frac{4.447}{100}$$

$$= 0.0447 \text{ A}$$

for 4 kHz:

$$E = 5 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{RL} = 2.297$$

$$I_L = \frac{V_{RL}}{R_L} = \frac{2.297}{100}$$

$$= 0.02297 \text{ A}$$

$$X_L = 2\pi fL$$

$$= 2 \times 3.1416 \times 4000 \times 6.3 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$= 152.33$$

Now,

$$\theta_L = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{152.33}{100} \right)$$

$$= 57.72$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 X_C &= \frac{1}{2\pi f C} = \frac{1}{2\pi \times 1416 \times 1000 \times 10^{-6}} \\
 &= 20.79 \\
 \theta &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{-X_C}{R} \right) \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{-20.79}{100} \right) \\
 &= -21.69 \\
 V_{pe} &= 2.297 \\
 I_C &= \frac{V_{pe}}{X_C} = \frac{2.297}{100} \\
 &= 0.02297 \\
 \text{Now,} \\
 I_L + I_C &= 0.12297 + 0.02297 \\
 &= 0.14594 \text{ A} \\
 V_R &= 4.594 \\
 I &= \frac{V_R}{R} = \frac{4.594}{100} \\
 &= 0.04594
 \end{aligned}$$

Discussion:

1. In this experiment, firstly we checked the oscilloscope & if the probs were perfect so that we could start.
2. Then we connected the probs to the channels & gave frequency to the function generator to get respective sinusoidal wave.
3. After doing all the steps, we got a value which was very close to our expected value.

Conclusions: Analyzing of RLC parallel circuit & verification of KCL in AC circuits are done in this experiment. So the experiment is successful.

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