

Phys 2610 (2019) Pre-lab 4 solutions

Using $R = 100\Omega, 1k\Omega, 2k\Omega$, $L = 25mH$, $C = 2.2mF$

- a) Calculate the circuit resonant angular frequency ω_0 (in rad/s), and the resonant temporal frequency f_0 (in Hz) for which the current is maximum. Find the value of Q for each resistor value.

$$\text{Resonance: } \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} = 134.8 \text{ krad/s}$$
$$f_0 = \omega_0 / 2\pi = 21.46 \text{ kHz}$$

$$Q: Q = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} = \frac{3371\Omega}{R} = 33.7, 3.37, 1.68 \quad (\text{for } R = 100\Omega, 1k\Omega, 2k\Omega)$$

- b) The complex impedance of the circuit is given by $z = |Z|e^{j\theta}$, where

$$|Z| = \sqrt{R^2 + \left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)^2}, \quad \text{and} \quad \tan \theta = \frac{\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}}{R}$$

What are the values of the phase at low, resonant and high frequencies?

At resonance, $\omega = \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \rightarrow \tan \theta = 0 \rightarrow \theta = 0$

For $\omega \rightarrow 0$, $\tan \theta \rightarrow -\infty \rightarrow \theta \rightarrow -\pi/2$

For $\omega \rightarrow \infty$, $\tan \theta \rightarrow +\infty \rightarrow \theta \rightarrow +\pi/2$

- c) The voltage across the resistor is $v_R = iR = \frac{v}{z}R$, so the real signal is

$$v_R = V_R \cos(\omega t + \alpha), \quad \text{where } V_R = V_0 \frac{R}{|Z|}, \quad \text{and } \alpha = -\theta.$$

What are the expected amplitude and phase at resonance?

At resonance, $|Z| \rightarrow R$, and $\theta \rightarrow 0$, so

$$V_R = \frac{V_0 R}{|Z|} = V_0, \quad \text{and} \quad \alpha = -\theta = 0$$

d) The voltage across the capacitor is $v_C = iZ_C = \frac{v}{z} z_C$. Using the expression for z from (b) and $z_C = \frac{1}{j\omega C} = \frac{1}{\omega C e^{j\pi/2}}$, we can write

$$v_C = V_C \cos(\omega t + \beta), \quad \text{where } V_C = V_0 \frac{1}{\omega C |Z|} = \frac{V_0}{\sqrt{(\omega RC)^2 + (1 - \omega^2 LC)^2}}, \quad \text{and } \beta = -\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

(i) What is the ratio of amplitudes V_C/V_0 at resonance for each value of R ? How can this be greater than 1?

(ii) Determine the low, resonant, and high frequency values of β . Sketch a graph of β versus ω from low to high frequency, marking the resonance condition clearly.

$$(i) \quad \frac{V_C}{V_0} = \frac{1}{\omega C |Z|}$$

At resonance, $\omega = \omega_0 = 1/\sqrt{LC}$, and $|Z| = R$, so

$$\frac{V_C}{V_0} = \frac{1}{\omega_0 RC} = Q = \boxed{33.7, 3.37, 1.68} \quad (\text{for } R = 100\Omega, 1k\Omega, 2k\Omega)$$

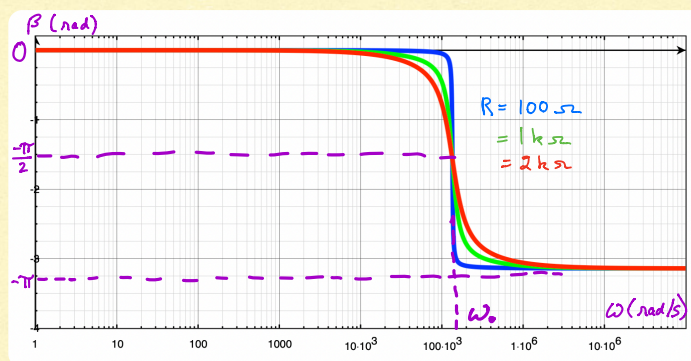
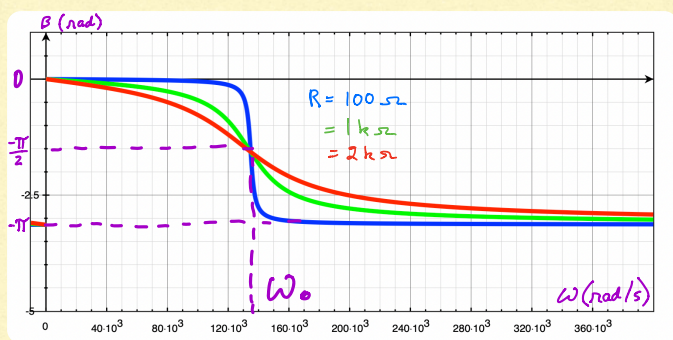
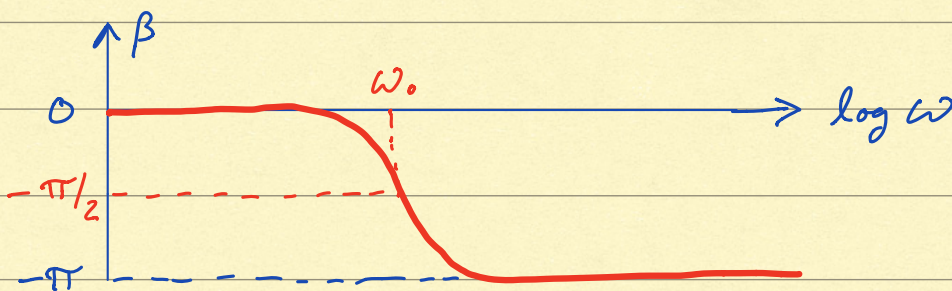
(larger than 1 because $\frac{V_C}{V_0}$ is also > 1 and π out of phase)

(ii) $\beta = -(\theta + \pi/2)$, so using (b) above,

at resonance, $\theta = 0$, $\beta = -\pi/2$

for $\omega = 0$, $\theta = -\pi/2$, $\beta = 0$

for $\omega \rightarrow \infty$, $\theta \rightarrow \pi/2$, $\beta \rightarrow -\pi$



- e) Defining "capacitor resonance" to be the condition for which the amplitude ratio V_C/V_0 is a maximum, give the expression for the value of ω at this resonance. What is the value of this resonance, and what is its value in the $R = 0$ limit? Calculate the amplitude ratio at this capacitor resonance for the 3 resistor values.

For maximum V_C ,
$$\omega = \omega' = \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC} - \frac{R^2}{2L^2}} = \sqrt{\omega_0^2 - \frac{R^2}{2L^2}}$$

Using the above components,
$$\omega' = 134.8, 131.8, 122.4 \text{ rad/s}$$

(for $R = 100, 1000, 2000 \text{ } \Omega$)

In the $R \rightarrow 0$ limit,
$$\omega' = \omega_0 = 134.8 \text{ rad/s}$$

Amplitude ratio:
$$\frac{V_C}{V_0} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(\omega RC)^2 + (1 - \omega^2 LC)^2}}$$
 For the above values of ω and R ,

$$\frac{V_C}{V_0} = 33.7, 3.41, 1.76$$
 (for $R = 100, 1000, 2000 \text{ } \Omega$
+ $\omega = 134.8, 131.8, 122.4 \text{ rad/s}$)

compared to
$$\frac{V_C}{V_0} = 33.7, 3.37, 1.68$$
 (for $R = 100, 1000, 2000 \text{ } \Omega$
+ $\omega = \omega_0 = 134.8 \times 10^3 \text{ rad/s}$)