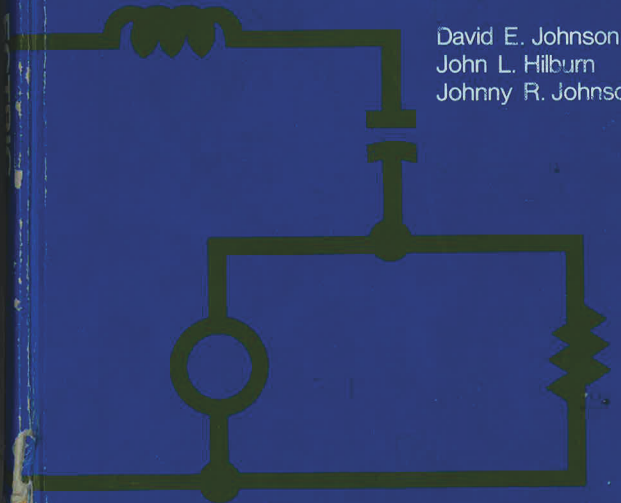


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EXERCISES

10.6.1 Using phasors, find the ac steady-state current i if $v = 12 \cos(1000t + 30^\circ)$ V in (a) Fig. 10.9(a) for $R = 4 \text{ k}\Omega$, (b) Fig. 10.11(a) for $L = 20 \text{ mH}$, and (c) Fig. 10.13(a) for $C = 1 \text{ }\mu\text{F}$.

Ans. (a) $3 \cos(1000t + 30^\circ)$ mA, (b) $0.6 \cos(1000t - 60^\circ)$ A, (c) $12 \cos(1000t + 120^\circ)$ mA

10.6.2 In Ex. 10.6.1, find i in each case at $t = 1 \text{ ms}$.

Ans. (a) 0.142 mA, (b) 0.599 A, (c) -11.987 mA

10.7 IMPEDANCE AND ADMITTANCE

Let us now consider a general phasor circuit with two accessible terminals, as shown in Fig. 10.15. If the time-domain voltage and current at the terminals are given by (10.38), then the phasor quantities at the terminals are

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{V} &= V_m \angle \theta \\ \mathbf{I} &= I_m \angle \phi \end{aligned} \quad (10.46)$$

We define the ratio of the phasor voltage to the phasor current as the *impedance* of the circuit, which we denote by \mathbf{Z} . That is,

$$\mathbf{Z} = \frac{\mathbf{V}}{\mathbf{I}} \quad (10.47)$$

which by (10.46) is

$$\mathbf{Z} = |\mathbf{Z}| \angle \theta_z = \frac{V_m}{I_m} \angle \theta - \phi \quad (10.48)$$

where $|\mathbf{Z}|$ is the magnitude and θ_z the angle of \mathbf{Z} . Evidently,

$$|\mathbf{Z}| = \frac{V_m}{I_m}, \quad \theta_z = \theta - \phi$$

Impedance, as is seen from (10.47), plays the role, in a general circuit, of resistance in resistive circuits. Indeed, (10.47) looks very much like Ohm's law; also like resistance, impedance is measured in ohms, being a ratio of volts to amperes.

It is important to stress that impedance is a complex number, being the ratio of two complex numbers, but it is *not* a phasor. That is, it has no corresponding sinusoidal time-domain function of any physical meaning, as current and voltage phasors have.

The impedance \mathbf{Z} is written in polar form in (10.48); in rectangular form it is

generally denoted by

$$\mathbf{Z} = R + jX \quad (10.49)$$

where $R = \text{Re } \mathbf{Z}$ is the *resistive component*, or simply *resistance*, and $X = \text{Im } \mathbf{Z}$ is the *reactive component*, or *reactance*. In general, $\mathbf{Z} = \mathbf{Z}(j\omega)$ is a complex function of $j\omega$, but $R = R(\omega)$ and $X = X(\omega)$ are real functions of ω . Both R and X , like \mathbf{Z} , are measured in ohms. Evidently, comparing (10.48) and (10.49) we may write

$$|\mathbf{Z}| = \sqrt{R^2 + X^2}$$

$$\theta_z = \tan^{-1} \frac{X}{R}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} R &= |\mathbf{Z}| \cos \theta_z \\ X &= |\mathbf{Z}| \sin \theta_z \end{aligned}$$

These relations are shown graphically in Fig. 10.16.

As an example, suppose in Fig. 10.15 that $\mathbf{V} = 10 \angle 56.1^\circ$ V and $\mathbf{I} = 2 \angle 20^\circ$ A. Then we have

$$\mathbf{Z} = \frac{10 \angle 56.1^\circ}{2 \angle 20^\circ} = 5 \angle 36.1^\circ \Omega$$

In rectangular form this is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Z} &= 5(\cos 36.1^\circ + j \sin 36.1^\circ) \\ &= 4 + j3 \Omega \end{aligned}$$

The impedances of resistors, inductors, and capacitors are readily found from their V-I relations of (10.40), (10.43), and (10.45). Distinguishing their impedances with subscripts R , L , and C , respectively, we have, from these equations and (10.47),

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Z}_R &= R \\ \mathbf{Z}_L &= j\omega L = \omega L \angle 90^\circ \\ \mathbf{Z}_C &= \frac{1}{j\omega C} = -j \frac{1}{\omega C} = \frac{1}{\omega C} \angle -90^\circ \end{aligned} \quad (10.50)$$

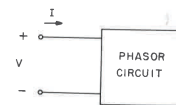


FIGURE 10.15 General phasor circuit

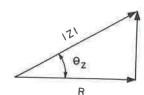


FIGURE 10.16 Graphical representation of impedance