

# ECE 2210 / 00 Phasor Examples

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1. Add the sinusoidal voltages  $v_1(t) = 4.5 \cdot V \cdot \cos(\omega \cdot t - 30 \cdot \text{deg})$   
and  $v_2(t) = 3.2 \cdot V \cdot \cos(\omega \cdot t + 15 \cdot \text{deg})$

using phasor notation, draw a phasor diagram of the three phasors, then convert back to time domain form.

$$v_1(t) = 4.5 \cdot V \cdot \cos(\omega \cdot t - 30 \cdot \text{deg})$$

$$\mathbf{V}_1(\omega) = 4.5V \angle -30^\circ \quad \text{or:} \quad \mathbf{V}_1(\omega) = 4.5 \cdot V \cdot e^{-j30 \text{deg}}$$

and

$$v_2(t) = 3.2 \cdot V \cdot \cos(\omega \cdot t + 15 \cdot \text{deg})$$

$$\mathbf{V}_2(\omega) = 3.2V \angle 15^\circ \quad \text{or:} \quad \mathbf{V}_2(\omega) = 3.2 \cdot V \cdot e^{j15 \text{deg}}$$

I'm going to drop the  $(\omega)$  notation from the phasor notation, it gets cumbersome, but remember that phasors are in the frequency domain..

$$\mathbf{V}_1 = 4.5V \angle -30^\circ \quad \text{or:} \quad \mathbf{V}_1 := 4.5 \cdot V \cdot e^{-j30 \text{deg}}$$

$$\mathbf{V}_2 = 3.2V \angle 15^\circ \quad \text{or:} \quad \mathbf{V}_2 := 3.2 \cdot V \cdot e^{j15 \text{deg}}$$

$$4.5 \cdot V \cdot \cos(-30 \cdot \text{deg}) = 3.897 \cdot V \quad 4.5 \cdot V \cdot \sin(-30 \cdot \text{deg}) = -2.25 \cdot V$$

$$3.2 \cdot V \cdot \cos(15 \cdot \text{deg}) = 3.091 \cdot V \quad 3.2 \cdot V \cdot \sin(15 \cdot \text{deg}) = 0.828 \cdot V$$

$$\text{Add real parts:} \quad 3.897 + 3.091 = 6.988$$

$$\text{Add imaginary parts:} \quad -2.25 + 0.828 = -1.422$$

$$\mathbf{V}_1 = 3.897 - 2.25j \cdot V \quad \backslash$$

$$\mathbf{V}_2 = 3.091 + 0.828j \cdot V \quad / \quad \text{add}$$

$$\mathbf{V}_3 := \mathbf{V}_1 + \mathbf{V}_2$$

$$\mathbf{V}_3 = 6.988 - 1.422j \cdot V \quad \text{sum}$$

Change  $\mathbf{V}_3$  back to polar coordinates:

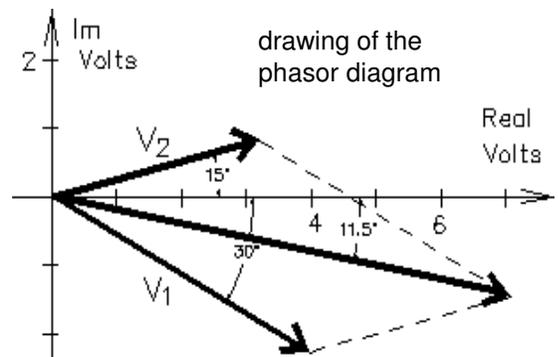
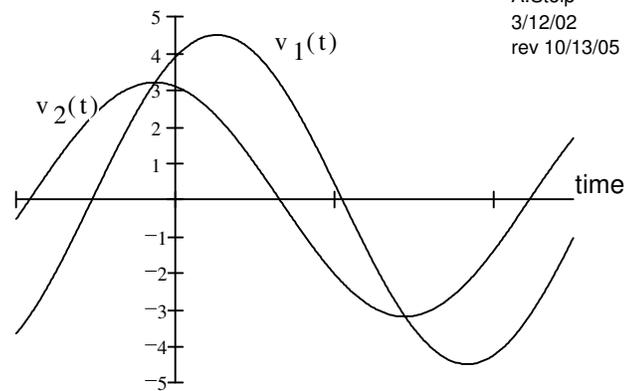
$$\sqrt{6.988^2 + 1.422^2} = 7.131 \quad \text{atan}\left(\frac{-1.422}{6.988}\right) = -11.502 \cdot \text{deg}$$

OR, in Mathcad notation (you'll see these in future solutions):

$$|\mathbf{V}_3| = 7.131 \cdot V \quad \text{arg}(\mathbf{V}_3) = -11.5 \cdot \text{deg}$$

Change  $\mathbf{V}_3$  back to the time domain:

$$v_3(t) = v_1(t) + v_2(t) = 7.13 \cdot \cos(\omega \cdot t - 11.5 \cdot \text{deg}) \cdot V$$



2. Two sinusoidal voltages:  $v_1(t) = 5 \cdot V \cdot \cos(\omega \cdot t + 36.87 \cdot \text{deg})$  and  $v_2(t) = 3.162 \cdot V \cdot \cos(\omega \cdot t - 18.44 \cdot \text{deg})$

a) using phasor notation, find  $v_3 = v_1 - v_2$

$$\mathbf{V}_1 := 5 \cdot V \cdot e^{j(36.87 \cdot \text{deg})} \quad 5 \cdot V \cdot \cos(36.87 \cdot \text{deg}) = 4 \cdot V$$

$$5 \cdot V \cdot \sin(36.87 \cdot \text{deg}) = 3 \cdot V$$

$$\mathbf{V}_1 = 4 + 3j \cdot V$$

$$\mathbf{V}_2 := 3.162 \cdot V \cdot e^{j(-18.44 \cdot \text{deg})} \quad 3.162 \cdot V \cdot \cos(-18.44 \cdot \text{deg}) = 3 \cdot V$$

$$3.162 \cdot V \cdot \sin(-18.44 \cdot \text{deg}) = -1 \cdot V$$

$$\mathbf{V}_2 = 3 - j \cdot V$$

$$\text{Subtract real parts:} \quad 4 \cdot V - 3 \cdot V = 1 \cdot V$$

$$\text{Subtract imaginary parts:} \quad 3 \cdot V - -1 \cdot V = 4 \cdot V$$

$$\mathbf{V}_3 := \mathbf{V}_1 - \mathbf{V}_2$$

$$\mathbf{V}_3 = 1 + 4j \cdot V$$

$$v_1(t) - v_2(t) = (1 + 4j) \cdot V$$

$$\text{Magnitude:} \quad \sqrt{(1 \cdot V)^2 + (4 \cdot V)^2} = 4.123 \cdot V$$

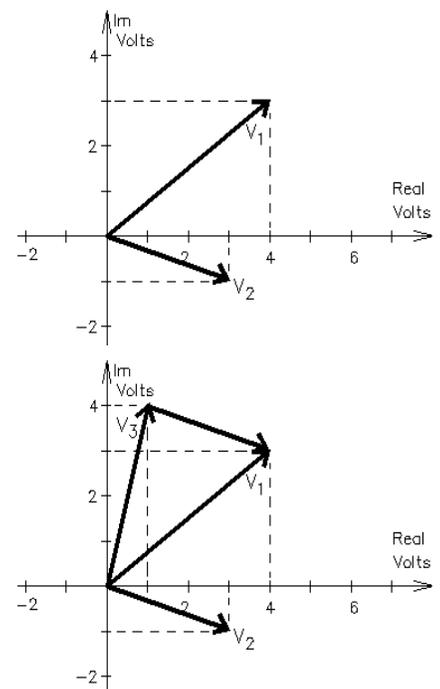
OR:

$$|\mathbf{V}_3| = 4.123 \cdot V$$

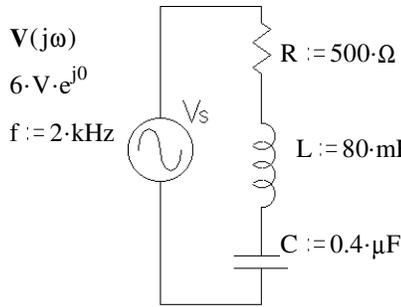
$$\text{Angle:} \quad \text{atan}\left(\frac{4 \cdot V}{1 \cdot V}\right) = 75.96 \cdot \text{deg}$$

$$\text{arg}(\mathbf{V}_3) = 75.96 \cdot \text{deg}$$

$$\text{So:} \quad v_3(t) = v_1(t) - v_2(t) = 4.123 \cdot V \cdot \cos(\omega \cdot t + 75.96 \cdot \text{deg}) \cdot V$$



3 Find  $V_R$ ,  $V_L$ , and  $V_C$  in polar phasor form.  $f := 2 \cdot \text{kHz}$



$\omega := 2 \cdot \pi \cdot f$        $\omega = 1.257 \cdot 10^4 \cdot \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{sec}}$

$Z_L := j \cdot \omega \cdot L$        $Z_L = 1.005j \cdot \text{k}\Omega$

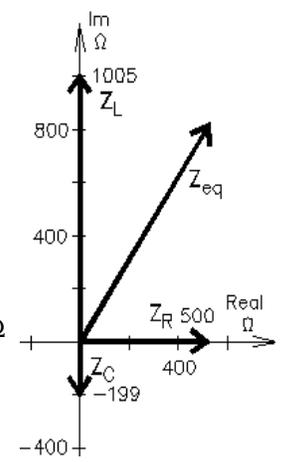
$Z_C := \frac{1}{j \cdot \omega \cdot C}$        $Z_C = -0.199j \cdot \text{k}\Omega$

$Z_{eq} := R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L + \frac{1}{j \cdot \omega \cdot C}$        $Z_{eq} = 500 + 806.366j \cdot \Omega$

$\sqrt{500^2 + 806^2} = 948.491$

$\text{atan}\left(\frac{806}{500}\right) = 58.187 \cdot \text{deg}$

$Z_{eq} = 948.5 \Omega / 58.2^\circ$



find the current:  $I := \frac{6 \cdot V \cdot e^{j0}}{Z_{eq}}$       magnitude:  $\frac{6 \cdot V}{948.5 \cdot \Omega} = 6.326 \cdot \text{mA}$       angle:  $0 \cdot \text{deg} - 58.2 \cdot \text{deg} = -58.2 \cdot \text{deg}$

$I = 6.326 \text{mA} / -58.2^\circ$

find the magnitude

find the angle

$V_R := I \cdot R$        $6.326 \cdot \text{mA} \cdot 500 \cdot \Omega = 3.163 \cdot \text{V}$        $-58.2 \cdot \text{deg} + 0 \cdot \text{deg} = -58.2 \cdot \text{deg}$        $V_R = 3.163 \text{V} / -58.2^\circ$

$V_L := I \cdot Z_L$        $6.326 \cdot \text{mA} \cdot 1005 \cdot \Omega = 6.358 \cdot \text{V}$        $-58.2 \cdot \text{deg} + 90 \cdot \text{deg} = 31.8 \cdot \text{deg}$        $V_L = 6.358 \text{V} / 31.8^\circ$

$V_C := I \cdot Z_C$        $6.326 \cdot \text{mA} \cdot (-199) \cdot \Omega = -1.259 \cdot \text{V}$        $-58.2 \cdot \text{deg} + (90) \cdot \text{deg} = 31.8 \cdot \text{deg}$        $V_C = -1.259 \text{V} / 31.8^\circ$

OR:  $6.326 \cdot \text{mA} \cdot (199) \cdot \Omega = 1.259 \cdot \text{V}$        $-58.2 \cdot \text{deg} + (-90) \cdot \text{deg} = -148.2 \cdot \text{deg}$        $V_C = 1.259 \text{V} / -148.2^\circ$

OR, you can also find these voltages directly, using a voltage divider. I.E. to find  $V_C$  directly:

$$V_C := \frac{\frac{1}{j \cdot \omega \cdot C}}{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L + \frac{1}{j \cdot \omega \cdot C}} \cdot 6 \cdot V = \frac{1}{R \cdot (j \cdot \omega \cdot C) + j \cdot \omega \cdot L \cdot (j \cdot \omega \cdot C) + 1} \cdot 6 \cdot V = \frac{1}{R \cdot (j \cdot \omega \cdot C) - \omega^2 \cdot L \cdot C + 1} \cdot 6 \cdot V$$

$= \frac{1}{(1 - \omega^2 \cdot L \cdot C) + j \cdot \omega \cdot R \cdot C} \cdot 6 \cdot V$        $(1 - \omega^2 \cdot L \cdot C) = -4.053$        $j \cdot \omega \cdot R \cdot C = 2.513j$

$= \frac{6 \cdot V}{-4.053 + 2.513j} \cdot \frac{(-4.053 - 2.513j)}{(-4.053 - 2.513j)} = \frac{6 \cdot V \cdot (-4.053 - 2.513j)}{(-4.053)^2 + 2.513^2}$

$6 \cdot V \cdot (-4.053 - 2.513j) = -24.318 - 15.078j \cdot \text{V}$   
 $(-4.053)^2 + 2.513^2 = 22.742$

$= \left( \frac{-24.318}{22.742} - \frac{15.078j}{22.742} \right) \cdot \text{V} = -1.069 - 0.663j \cdot \text{V}$

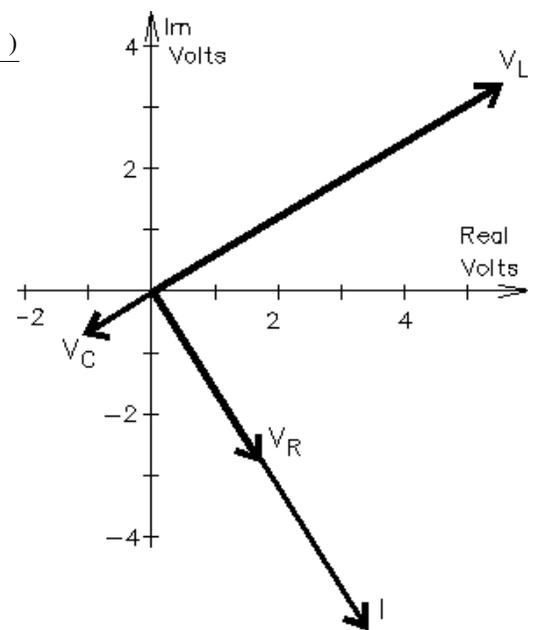
magnitude:  $\sqrt{1.069^2 + 0.663^2} = 1.258$

angle:  $\text{atan}\left(\frac{-0.663}{-1.069}\right) = 31.81 \cdot \text{deg}$

but this is actually in the third quadrant, so modify your calculator's results:

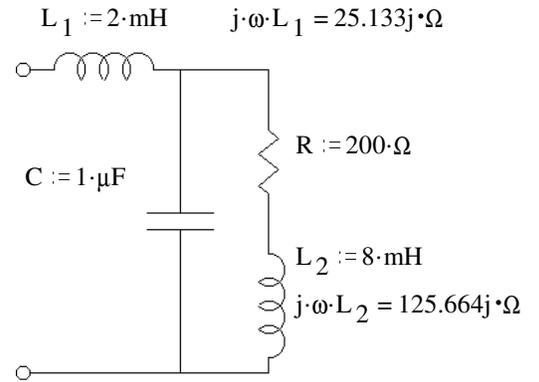
$31.81 \cdot \text{deg} - 180 \cdot \text{deg} = -148.19 \cdot \text{deg}$

$= 1.258 \text{V} / -148.2^\circ$



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4. a) Find  $Z_{eq}$ .  $f := 2.5 \cdot \text{kHz}$   $\omega := 2 \cdot \pi \cdot f$   $\omega = 1.571 \cdot 10^4 \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{sec}}$



Left branch

$$Z_L := \frac{1}{j \cdot \omega \cdot C} \quad Z_L = -63.662j \cdot \Omega$$

Right branch

$$Z_R := j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2 + R \quad Z_R = 200 + 125.664j \cdot \Omega$$

$$Z_{eq} := j \cdot \omega \cdot L_1 + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2} + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{j \cdot \omega \cdot C}}} = j \cdot \omega \cdot L_1 + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2} + j \cdot \omega \cdot C} = j \cdot \omega \cdot L_1 + \frac{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2}{1 + j \cdot \omega \cdot C \cdot (R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2)}$$

$$= j \cdot \omega \cdot L_1 + \frac{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2}{1 - \omega^2 \cdot C \cdot L_2 + j \cdot \omega \cdot C \cdot R}$$

Sometimes it's worth simplifying a little before putting in numbers.

$$Z_{eq} = 31.416j \cdot \Omega + \frac{(200 + 125.664j) \cdot \Omega \cdot (-0.974 - 3.142j)}{-0.974 + 3.142j \cdot (-0.974 - 3.142j)} = 25.133j \cdot \Omega + \frac{(200 + 125.664j) \cdot (-0.974 - 3.142j)}{0.974^2 + 3.142^2}$$

$$= 31.416j \cdot \Omega + \frac{((200 \cdot (-0.974)) - 125.664 \cdot (-3.142)) + (125.664 \cdot (-0.974) - 200 \cdot 3.142) \cdot j \cdot \Omega}{0.974^2 + 3.142^2}$$

$$= 31.416j \cdot \Omega + \frac{(200.036288 - 750.796736j) \cdot \Omega}{10.82084} = 31.416j \cdot \Omega + 18.486 \cdot \Omega - 69.384j \cdot \Omega = 18.486 - 37.968j \cdot \Omega$$

$$\sqrt{18.49^2 + 37.97^2} = 42.233 \quad \text{atan}\left(\frac{-37.97}{18.49}\right) = -64.036 \cdot \text{deg} \quad Z_{eq} = 42.24 \Omega \angle -64.04^\circ$$

b)  $V_{in} := 12 \cdot V \cdot e^{j20 \cdot \text{deg}}$  Find  $I_{L1}$ ,  $V_C$   $I_{L1} := \frac{V_{in}}{Z_{eq}} = \frac{12 \cdot V}{42.24 \cdot \Omega} = 284.091 \cdot \text{mA}$   $20 \cdot \text{deg} - (-64.04) \cdot \text{deg} = 84.04 \cdot \text{deg}$

$$I_{L1} = 284 \text{mA} \angle 84.04^\circ = 284 \cdot \text{mA} \cdot e^{j84.04 \cdot \text{deg}} \quad I_{L1} = 29.485 + 282.569j \cdot \text{mA}$$

$$V_C := I_{L1} \cdot (18.486 - 69.384j) \cdot \Omega \quad 284 \cdot \text{mA} \cdot \sqrt{18.486^2 + 69.384^2} \cdot \Omega = 20.392 \cdot V$$

$$84.04 \cdot \text{deg} + \text{atan}\left(\frac{-69.384}{18.486}\right) = 8.959 \cdot \text{deg} \quad V_C = 20.4 \text{V} \angle 8.96^\circ$$

To find  $V_C$  directly:

$$V_C := \frac{1}{j \cdot \omega \cdot L_1 + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2} + \frac{1}{j \cdot \omega \cdot C}}} \cdot V_{in} = \frac{1}{j \cdot \omega \cdot L_1 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2} + j \cdot \omega \cdot C\right) + 1} \cdot V_{in} = \frac{1}{\frac{j \cdot \omega \cdot L_1}{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2} - \omega^2 \cdot L_1 \cdot C + 1} \cdot V_{in}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\frac{j \cdot \omega \cdot L_1}{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2} - \omega^2 \cdot L_1 \cdot C + 1} \cdot V_{in} = \frac{1}{\frac{j \cdot \omega \cdot L_1 \cdot (R - j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2)}{R^2 + (\omega \cdot L_2)^2} - \omega^2 \cdot L_1 \cdot C + 1} \cdot V_{in}$$

You could then use another voltage divider to find  $V_R$  or  $V_{L2}$ .

$$= \frac{1}{\left[\frac{\omega^2 \cdot L_1 \cdot L_2}{R^2 + (\omega \cdot L_2)^2} - \omega^2 \cdot L_1 \cdot C + 1\right] + j \cdot \frac{\omega \cdot L_1 \cdot R}{R^2 + (\omega \cdot L_2)^2}} \cdot V_{in} = \frac{12 \cdot V \cdot e^{j20 \cdot \text{deg}}}{0.58816 \cdot e^{j11.039 \cdot \text{deg}}} = \frac{12 \cdot V}{0.58816} \angle 20 - 11.039^\circ$$

$$= 20.4 \text{V} \angle 8.96^\circ \quad \text{Same}$$

$$V_C = 20.153 + 3.178j \cdot V$$

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4. Continued Let's find  $I_{L2}$ .

$$Z_R := j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2 + R$$

$$Z_R = 200 + 125.664j \cdot \Omega \quad \sqrt{200^2 + 125.664^2} = 236.202 \quad \text{atan}\left(\frac{125.664}{200}\right) = 32.142 \cdot \text{deg}$$

$$I_{L2} = \frac{20.4 \cdot V \cdot e^{j \cdot 8.96 \cdot \text{deg}}}{236.202 \cdot \Omega \cdot e^{j \cdot 32.142 \cdot \text{deg}}} = \frac{20.4 \cdot V}{236.202 \cdot \Omega} \quad / \underline{8.96 - 32.142^\circ} = 86.4 \text{mA} \quad / \underline{-23.18}$$

Or, directly by  
Current divider:  $I_{L2} := \frac{1}{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2} \cdot I_{L1} = \frac{1}{j \cdot \omega \cdot C + \frac{1}{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2} + 1} \cdot I_{L1} = \frac{I_{L1}}{1 - \omega^2 \cdot C \cdot L_2 + j \cdot \omega \cdot C \cdot R}$

denominator:  $\sqrt{(1 - \omega^2 \cdot C \cdot L_2)^2 + (\omega \cdot C \cdot R)^2} = 3.289 \quad \text{atan}\left(\frac{\omega \cdot C \cdot R}{1 - \omega^2 \cdot C \cdot L_2}\right) + 180 \cdot \text{deg} = 107.224 \cdot \text{deg}$

$$I_{L2} = \frac{284 \cdot \text{mA} \cdot e^{j \cdot 84.04 \cdot \text{deg}}}{3.289 \cdot e^{j \cdot 107.224 \cdot \text{deg}}} = \frac{284 \cdot \text{mA}}{3.289} \quad / \underline{84.04 - 107.224^\circ} = 86.4 \text{mA} \quad / \underline{-23.18}$$

$$I_{L2} = 79.404 - 34.001j \cdot \text{mA}$$

How about  $I_C$ ?  $I_C := \frac{V_C}{\frac{1}{j \cdot \omega \cdot C}} = V_C \cdot j \cdot \omega \cdot C = 20.4 \text{V} \quad / \underline{8.96^\circ} \cdot 0.015708 \quad / \underline{90^\circ} \cdot \frac{1}{\Omega} = 320 \text{mA} \quad / \underline{98.96^\circ}$

Or, directly by  
Current divider:  $I_C := \frac{j \cdot \omega \cdot C}{j \cdot \omega \cdot C + \frac{1}{R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2}} \cdot I_{L1} = \frac{j \cdot \omega \cdot C \cdot (R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2)}{j \cdot \omega \cdot C \cdot (R + j \cdot \omega \cdot L_2) + 1} \cdot I_{L1} = \frac{-\omega^2 \cdot C \cdot L_2 + j \cdot \omega \cdot C \cdot R}{1 - \omega^2 \cdot C \cdot L_2 + j \cdot \omega \cdot C \cdot R} \cdot I_{L1}$

numerator:  $\sqrt{(\omega^2 \cdot C \cdot L_2)^2 + (\omega \cdot C \cdot R)^2} = 3.71 \quad \text{atan}\left(\frac{\omega \cdot C \cdot R}{-\omega^2 \cdot C \cdot L_2}\right) + 180 \cdot \text{deg} = 122.142 \cdot \text{deg}$   
denominator is the same as above. Second quadrant

$$I_C = \frac{3.71 \cdot e^{j \cdot 122.14 \cdot \text{deg}}}{3.289 \cdot e^{j \cdot 107.224 \cdot \text{deg}}} \cdot 284 \cdot \text{mA} \cdot e^{j \cdot 84.04 \cdot \text{deg}} = \frac{3.71}{3.289} \cdot 284 \cdot \text{mA} \quad / \underline{122.14 - 107.224 + 84.04^\circ} = 320 \text{mA} \quad / \underline{98.96^\circ}$$

This current is greater than the input current. What's going on?

The angle between  $I_C$  &  $I_{L2}$  is big enough that they somewhat cancel each other out.

Check Kirchoff's Current Law:  $I_C + I_{L2} = 29.485 + 282.569j \cdot \text{mA} = I_{L1} = 29.485 + 282.569j \cdot \text{mA}$

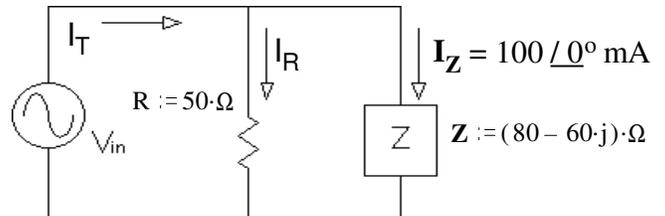
5. a) Find  $V_{in}$  in polar form.

$$I_Z := 100 \cdot \text{mA} \quad Z := (80 - 60j) \cdot \Omega$$

$$V_{in} := I_Z \cdot Z \quad V_{in} = 8 - 6j \cdot V$$

$$\sqrt{8^2 + 6^2} = 10 \quad \text{atan}\left(\frac{-6}{8}\right) = -36.87 \cdot \text{deg}$$

$$V_{in} = 10 \text{V} \quad / \underline{-36.9^\circ}$$



b) Find  $I_T$  in polar form.  $I_R := \frac{V_{in}}{R} = \frac{10 \cdot V}{50 \cdot \Omega} \quad / \underline{-36.9^\circ} = \frac{10 \cdot V}{50 \cdot \Omega} \cdot \cos(-36.9 \cdot \text{deg}) + j \cdot \frac{10 \cdot V}{50 \cdot \Omega} \cdot \sin(-36.9 \cdot \text{deg}) = 160 - 120j \cdot \text{mA}$

$$I_T := I_R + I_Z = (160 - 120j) \cdot \text{mA} + 100 \cdot \text{mA} \quad I_T = 260 - 120j \cdot \text{mA}$$

$$\sqrt{260^2 + 120^2} = 286.356 \quad \text{atan}\left(\frac{-120}{260}\right) = -24.78 \cdot \text{deg} \quad I_T = 286 \text{mA} \quad / \underline{-24.8^\circ}$$

c) Circle 1: i) The source current leads the source voltage      ii) The source voltage leads the source current  
answer i),  $-24.8^\circ > -36.9^\circ$