



ALTERNATIVE POWER

fifteen lecture

Electrical engineering

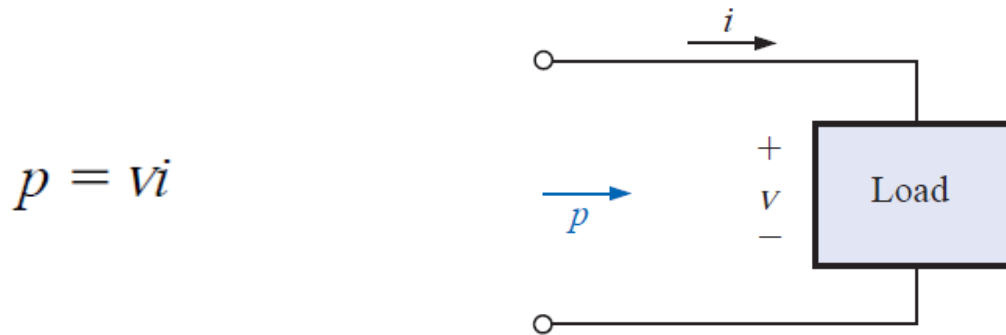
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15.1 Alternative power

Average Power and Power Factor The average power, or **real power** as it is sometimes called, is the power delivered to and dissipated by the load. It corresponds to the power calculations performed for dc networks.



Since V and I are sinusoidal quantities, let us establish a general case where:

$$v = V_m \sin(\omega t + \theta)$$

$$i = I_m \sin \omega t$$

* The angle (θ) is the phase angle between v and I .

Substituting the above equations for V and I into the power equation will result in

$$p = V_m I_m \sin \omega t \sin(\omega t + \theta)$$

If we now apply a number of trigonometric identities, the following form for the power equation will result

$$p = VI \cos \theta (1 - \cos 2\omega t) + VI \sin \theta (\sin 2\omega t)$$

- where V and I are the rms values.

$$V = \frac{V_m}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \text{and} \quad I = \frac{I_m}{\sqrt{2}}$$

So that the power is

$$p = \underbrace{VI \cos \theta}_{\text{Average}} - \underbrace{VI \cos \theta}_{\text{Peak}} \underbrace{\cos 2\omega t}_{2x} + \underbrace{VI \sin \theta}_{\text{Peak}} \underbrace{\sin 2\omega t}_{2x}$$

The average power equal

$$P = VI \cos \theta$$

The magnitude of average power delivered is independent of whether v leads i or I lead V.

- for resistor $\theta = 0$ then $\mathbf{P = VI \cos 0 = VI}$
- for Inductor V leads I by 90° , then $\mathbf{P = VI \cos 90 = 0}$
- for Capacitor i leads v by 90° , then $\mathbf{P = VI \cos 90 = 0}$

15.2 Power factor:

The power factor is the factor that has significant control over the delivered power level.

$$\text{Power factor} = F_p = \cos \theta$$

- Capacitive networks have leading امامي power factors,
- Inductive networks have lagging متاخر power factors.

15.2 Apparent Power

It is a power rating of significant usefulness فائدة in the description and analysis of sinusoidal ac networks and in the maximum rating of a number of electrical components and systems.

$$S = VI \quad (\text{volt-amperes, VA})$$

$$S = I^2 Z \quad (\text{VA})$$

$$S = \frac{V^2}{Z} \quad (\text{VA})$$

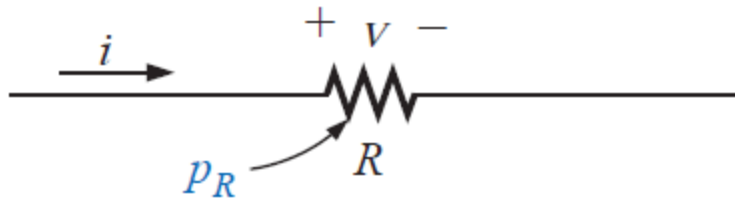
Therefore

$$P = S \cos \theta \quad (\text{W})$$

$$F_p = \cos \theta = \frac{P}{S}$$

1. Resistive Circuit:

For a purely resistive circuit, v and i are in phase, and $\theta = 0^\circ$,



$$p_R = VI \cos(0^\circ)(1 - \cos 2\omega t) + VI \sin(0^\circ) \sin 2\omega t$$

$$= VI(1 - \cos 2\omega t) + 0$$

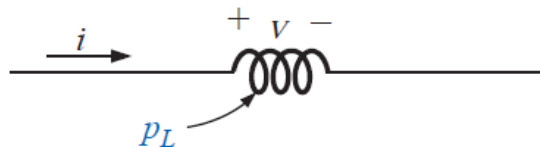
$$p_R = VI - VI \cos 2\omega t$$

The average (real) power is

$$P = VI = \frac{V_m I_m}{2} = I^2 R = \frac{V^2}{R} \quad (\text{watts, W})$$

2. Inductive Circuit

For a purely inductive circuit, v leads i by 90° , $\theta = 90^\circ$.



$$p_L = VI \cos(90^\circ)(1 - \cos 2\omega t) + VI \sin(90^\circ)(\sin 2\omega t)$$

$$= 0 + VI \sin 2\omega t$$

$$p_L = VI \sin 2\omega t$$

The reactive power is

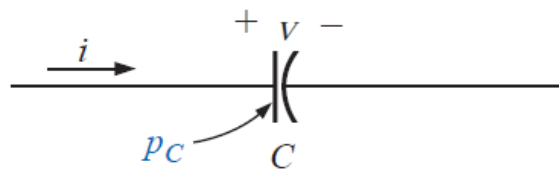
$$Q = VI \sin \theta \quad (\text{volt-ampere reactive, VAR})$$

$$Q_L = I^2 X_L \quad (\text{VAR})$$

$$Q_L = \frac{V^2}{X_L} \quad (\text{VAR})$$

3. Capacitive Circuit

For a purely capacitive circuit, I leads V by 90° , $\theta = -90^\circ$



$$\begin{aligned} p_C &= VI \cos(-90^\circ)(1 - \cos 2\omega t) + VI \sin(-90^\circ)(\sin 2\omega t) \\ &= 0 - VI \sin 2\omega t \end{aligned}$$

$$p_C = -VI \sin 2\omega t$$

The reactive power is:

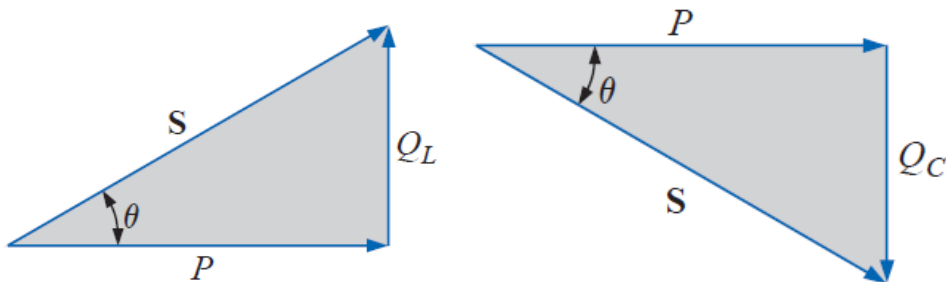
$$Q = VI \sin \theta \quad (\text{volt-ampere reactive, VAR})$$

$$Q_C = I^2 X_C$$

$$Q_C = \frac{V^2}{X_C}$$

15.3 The Power Triangle

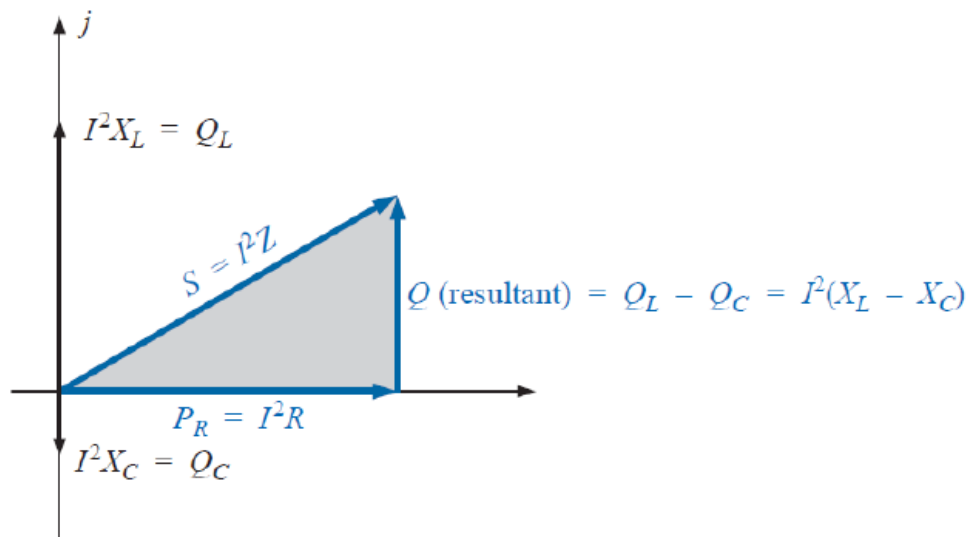
The three quantities average power (P), apparent power (S), and reactive power (Q) can be related in the vector domain by:



$$S^2 = P^2 + Q^2$$

$$S = P + jQ$$

$$Q = Q_L - Q_C$$



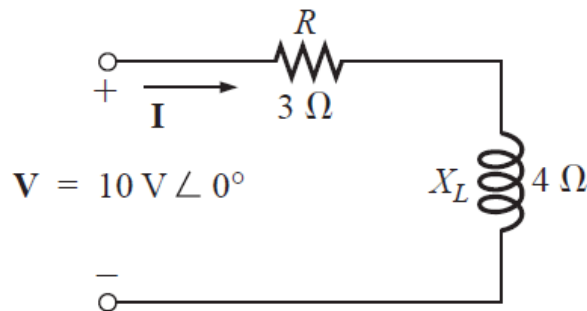
$$S = \sqrt{P^2 + Q^2}$$

$$F_p = \cos \theta = \frac{P}{S}$$

15.4 Steps for question answers:

1. Find the real power and reactive power for each branch of the circuit.
2. The total real power of the system (P_T) is then the sum of the average power delivered to each branch.
3. The total reactive power (Q_T) is the difference between the reactive power of the inductive loads and that of the capacitive loads.
4. The total apparent power is $S_T = \sqrt{P_T + Q_T}$
5. The total power factor is $\frac{P_T}{S_T}$.

Example: Find the total number of watts, volt-amperes reactive, and volt-amperes for the network.



Solution:

$$\mathbf{I} = \frac{\mathbf{V}}{\mathbf{Z}_T} = \frac{10 \text{ V} \angle 0^\circ}{3 \Omega + j4 \Omega} = \frac{10 \text{ V} \angle 0^\circ}{5 \Omega \angle 53.13^\circ} = 2 \text{ A} \angle -53.13^\circ$$

$$P = I^2 R = (2 \text{ A})^2 (3 \Omega) = 12 \text{ W}$$

$$Q_L = I^2 X_L = (2 \text{ A})^2 (4 \Omega) = 16 \text{ VAR (L)}$$

$$\mathbf{S} = P + j Q_L = 12 \text{ W} + j 16 \text{ VAR (L)} = 20 \text{ VA } \angle 53.13^\circ$$

Or

$$\mathbf{S} = \mathbf{VI}^* = (10 \text{ V } \angle 0^\circ)(2 \text{ A } \angle +53.13^\circ) = 20 \text{ VA } \angle 53.13^\circ$$

