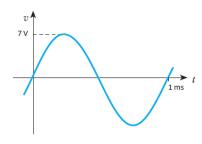
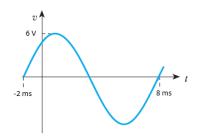
CHAPTER 6 ALTERNATING VOLTAGES AND CURRENTS

- 6.1 A signal v is described by the expression v = 15 sin 100t. What is the angular frequency of this signal, and what is its peak magnitude?
- 6.2 A signal v is described by the expression v = 25 sin 250t. What is the frequency of this signal (in Hz), and what is its r.m.s. magnitude?
- **6.3** Give an expression for a sinusoidal signal with a peak voltage of 20 V and an angular frequency of 300 rad/s.
- **6.4** Give an expression for a sinusoidal signal with an r.m.s. voltage of 14.14 V and a frequency of 50 Hz.
- **6.5** Give an expression for the waveform shown in the following diagram.

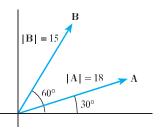


6.6 Give an expression for the waveform shown in the following diagram.



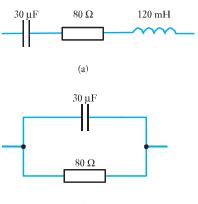
- **6.7** Give an expression relating the voltage across a resistor to the current through it.
- **6.8** Give an expression relating the voltage across an inductor to the current through it.
- **6.9** Give an expression relating the voltage across a capacitor to the current through it.
- **6.10** If a sinusoidal current is passed through a resistor, what is the phase relationship between this current and the voltage across the component?
- **6.11** If a sinusoidal current is passed through a capacitor, what is the phase relationship between this current and the voltage across the component?
- **6.12** If a sinusoidal current is passed through an inductor, what is the phase relationship between this current and the voltage across the component?
- **6.13** How can the word 'civil' assist in remembering the phase relationship between currents and voltages in inductors and capacitors?
- 6.14 Explain what is meant by the term 'reactance'.
- **6.15** What is the reactance of a resistor?
- **6.16** What is the reactance of an inductor?
- **6.17** What is the reactance of a capacitor?

- **6.18** Calculate the reactance of an inductor of 20 mH at a frequency of 100 Hz, being sure to include the units in your answer.
- **6.19** Calculate the reactance of a capacitor of 10 nF at an angular frequency of 500 rad/s, being sure to include the units in your answer.
- **6.20** A sinusoidal voltage of 15 V r.m.s. at 250 Hz is applied across a 50 μ F capacitor. What will be the current in the capacitor?
- **6.21** A sinusoidal current of 2 mA peak at 100 rad/s flows through an inductor of 25 mH. What voltage will appear across the inductor?
- **6.22** Explain briefly the use of a phasor diagram.
- **6.23** What is the significance of the length and direction of a phasor?
- 6.24 Estimate the magnitude and phase of (A + B) and (A B) in the following phasor diagram.



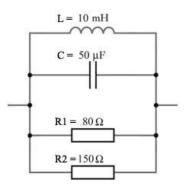
- **6.25** A voltage is formed by summing two sinusoidal waveforms of the same frequency. The first has a magnitude of 20 V and is taken as the reference phase (that is, its phase angle is taken as 0°). The second has a magnitude of 10 V and leads the first waveform by 45°. Draw a phasor diagram of this arrangement and hence estimate the magnitude and phase of the resultant signal.
- **6.26** A sinusoidal current of 3 A at 100 Hz flows through a series combination of a resistor of 25 Ω and an inductor of 75 mH. Use a phasor diagram to determine the voltage across the combination and the phase angle between this voltage and the current.
- **6.27** A sinusoidal voltage of 12 V at 500 Hz is applied across a series combination of a resistor of 5 k Ω and a capacitor of 100 nF. Use a phasor diagram to determine the current through the combination and the phase angle between this current and the applied voltage.
- **6.28** Use a phasor diagram to determine the magnitude and phase angle of the impedance formed by the series combination of a resistance of 25Ω and a capacitance of 10μ F, at a frequency of 300 Hz.
- **6.29** If x = 5 + j7 and y = 8 j10, evaluate (x + y), (x y), $(x \times y)$ and $(x \div y)$.
- **6.30** What is the complex impedance of a resistor of 1 kΩ at a frequency of 1 kHz?
- **6.31** What is the complex impedance of a capacitor of 1 μF at a frequency of 1 kHz?

- **6.32** What is the complex impedance of an inductor of 1 mH at a frequency of 1 kHz?
- **6.33** Determine the complex impedance of the following arrangements at a frequency of 200 Hz.





6.34 Determine the complex impedance of the following arrangement at a frequency of 100 Hz.



- **6.35** Use your answer to Exercise 6.34 to devise a simpler arrangement of components that would have a similar behaviour to the circuit of Exercise 6.34 at a frequency of 100 Hz.
- **6.36** Repeat the calculations of Exercise 6.34 assuming that the circuit will be used at a frequency of 200 Hz.
- **6.37** Use your answer to Exercise 6.36 to devise a simple arrangement of components that would have a similar behaviour to the circuit of Exercise 6.34 at a frequency of 200 Hz.
- **6.38** Express x = 20 + j30 in polar form and in exponential form.
- **6.39** Express $y = 25 \angle -40^{\circ}$ in rectangular form and in exponential form.
- **6.40** A voltage $v = 60 \sin 314t$ is applied across a series combination of a 10 Ω resistor and an inductance of 50 mH. Determine the magnitude and phase of the resulting current.
- **6.41** A current of $i = 0.5 \sin 377t$ is passed through a parallel combination of a resistance of 1 k Ω and a capacitance of 5 μ F. Determine the magnitude and phase of the resulting voltage across the combination.