

EE 206: Solution to Homework #11

Fourier Transform and Superposition with Phasors
Due Monday, April 15th

Let V_{in} be a 100Hz half-rectified sine wave

$$V_{in} = \begin{cases} 10 \sin(628t) & \sin(628t) > 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

1) Find $y(t)$ by approximating V_{in} as

$$V_{in} = a + b \sin(628t)$$

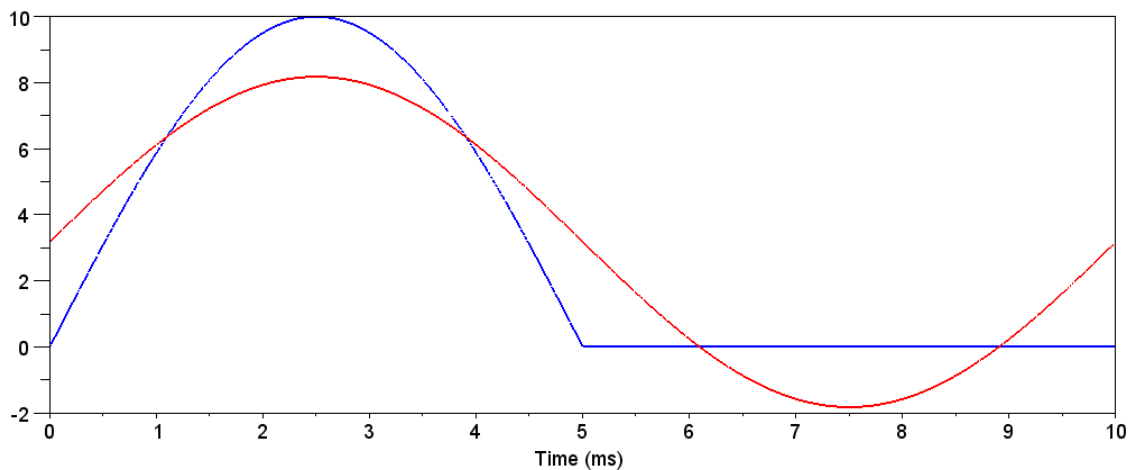
where

- $a = \text{average}(V_{in})$
- $b = 1/2$ of the peak-to-peak voltage of V_{in}

The DC voltage is (using Matlab)

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w = 628;  
T = 2*pi/w  
  
T = 0.01  
  
t = [0:0.0001:1]' * T;  
Vin = max(0, 10*sin(200*t));  
a = mean(Vin)  
  
a = 3.1827805  
  
b = (max(Vin) - min(Vin)) / 2  
  
b = 5.
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$$V_{in} \approx 3.18 + 5 \sin(628t)$$



V_{in} (blue) and an approximation for V_{in} (red)
The red line has i) The same DC voltage, ii) The same frequency, and iii) The same peak-to-peak ripple as V_{in}

2) Determine the first 3 terms of the Fourier series approximation for V_{in}

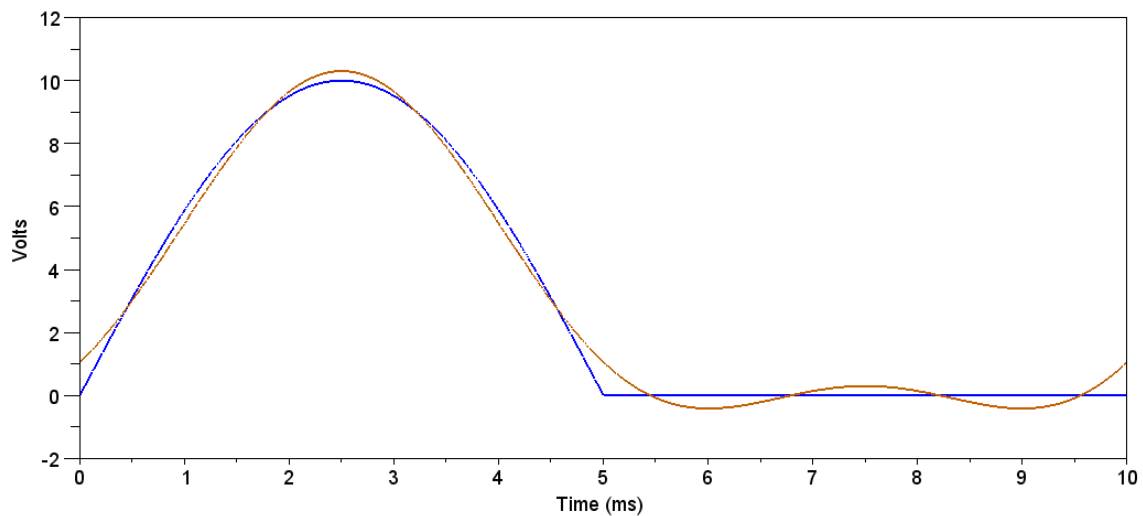
$$V_{in} \approx a_0 + a_1 \cos(628t) + b_1 \sin(628t) + a_2 \cos(1256t) + b_2 \sin(1256t)$$

Using Matlab:

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a0 = mean(Vin)
a0 = 3.1827805
a1 = 2*mean(Vin .* cos(628*t))
a1 = 0
b1 = 2*mean(Vin .* sin(628*t))
b1 = 4.9995
a2 = 2*mean(Vin .* cos(1256*t))
a2 = -2.1218539
b2 = 2*mean(Vin .* sin(1256*t))
b2 = 0
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This means

$$V_{in} \approx 3.18 + 5 \sin(628t) - 2.12 \cos(1256t)$$



V_{in} (blue) and its Fourier Series approximation (red)

Note: Using the DC level and the peak-to-peak value (problem #1) was

- Exact for the DC term, and
- Close for the 1st harmonic (in amplitude) but not phase, and
- *Much* easier to compute than the Fourier series approximation,

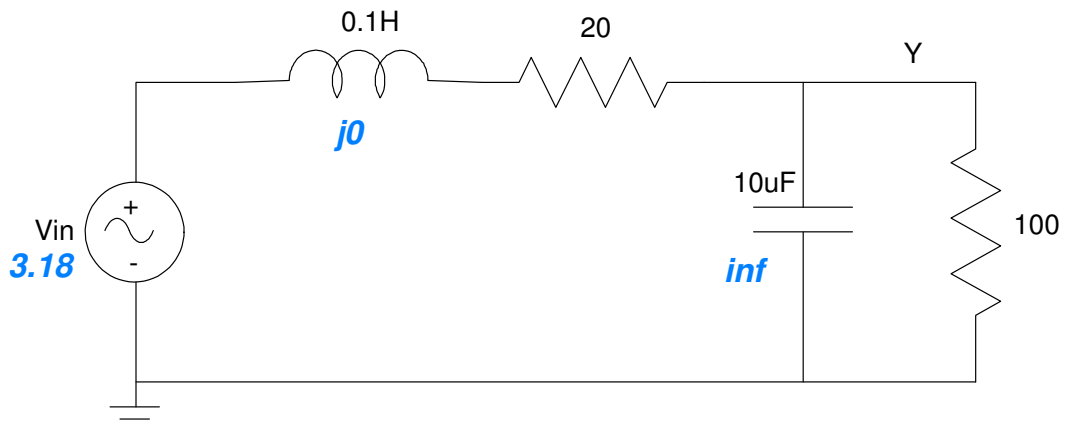
3) For your result of problem #2, determine $y(t)$

DC: $V_{in} = 3.18$

$$\omega = 0$$

$$L \rightarrow j\omega L = 0$$

$$C \rightarrow \frac{1}{j\omega C} = \infty$$



By voltage division

$$Y = \left(\frac{100}{100+20} \right) \cdot 3.18$$

$$Y = 2.65$$

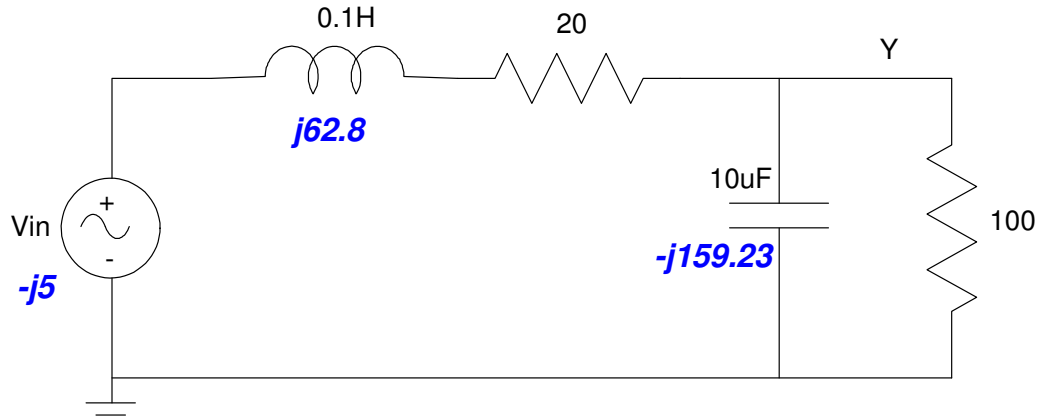
ii) $V_{in} = 5 \sin(628t)$

$\omega = 628$

$V_{in} \rightarrow 0 - j5$

$L \rightarrow j\omega L = j62.8$

$C \rightarrow \frac{1}{j\omega C} = -j159.23$



Adding R and C in parallel:

$$100 \parallel -j159.23 = \left(\frac{1}{100} + \frac{1}{-j159.23} \right)^{-1} = 71.71 - j45.04$$

By voltage division

$$Y = \left(\frac{71.71 - j45.04}{(71.71 - j45.04) + (20 + j62.8)} \right) (0 - j5) = -3.10 - j3.31$$

meaning

$$y(t) = -3.10 \cos(628t) + 3.31 \sin(628t)$$

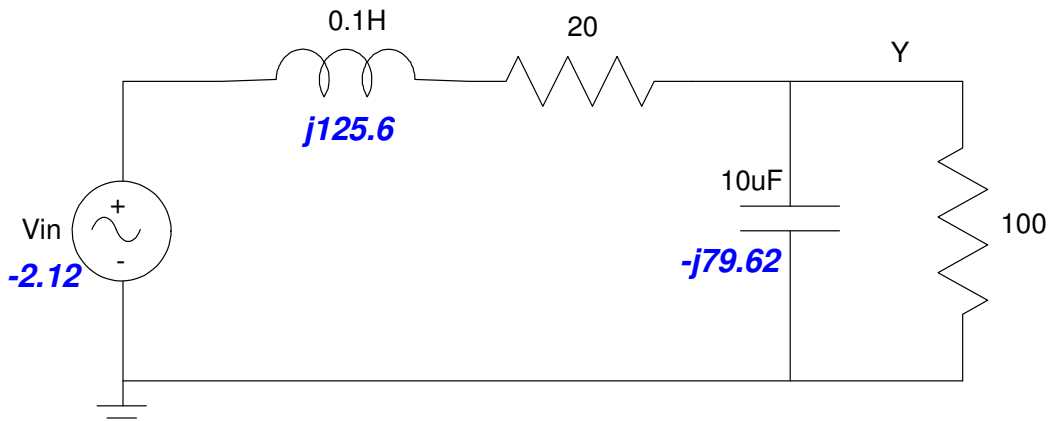
iii) $V_{in} = -2.12 \cos(1256t)$

$\omega = 1256$

$V_{in} \rightarrow -2.12 + j0$

$L \rightarrow j\omega L = j125.6$

$C \rightarrow \frac{1}{j\omega C} = -j79.62$



Adding R and C in parallel

$$100 \parallel -j79.62 = \left(\frac{1}{100} + \frac{1}{-j79.62} \right)^{-1} = 38.80 - j48.73$$

From voltage division

$$Y = \left(\frac{(38.80 - j48.73)}{(38.80 - j48.73) + (20 + j125.6)} \right) (-2.12 + j0)$$

$$Y = 0.33 + j1.32$$

meaning

$$y(t) = 0.33 \cos(1256t) - 1.32 \sin(1256t)$$

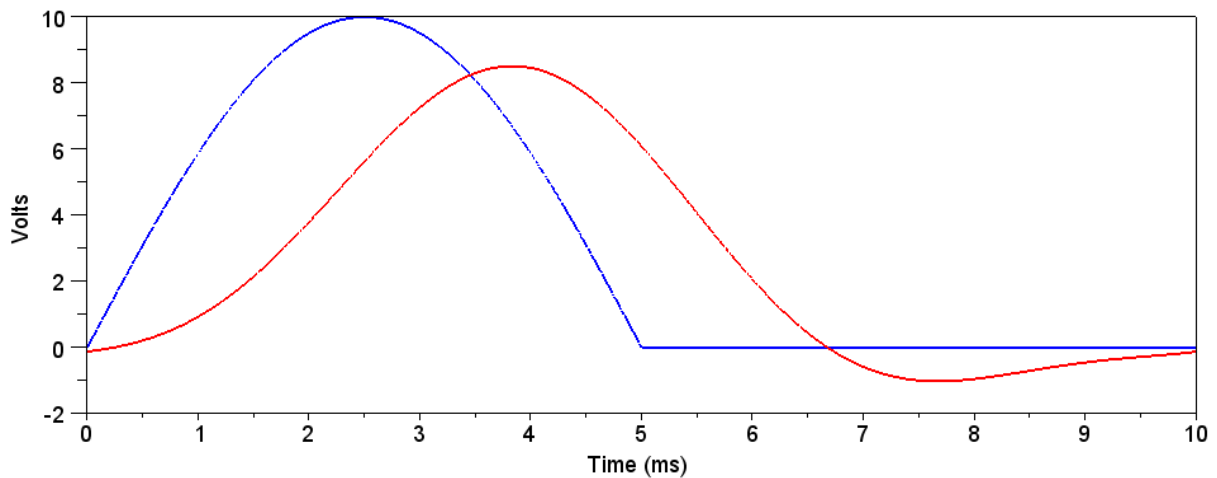
The total input is the sum of all three terms (DC, 628, 1256 rad/sec)

The total output is the sum of all three outputs

$$y(t) = 2.65 - 3.10 \cos(628t) + 3.31 \sin(628t) + 0.33 \cos(1256t) - 1.32 \sin(1256t)$$

In Matlab

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y1 = 2.65;  
y2 = -3.10*cos(628*t) + 3.31*sin(628*t);  
y3 = 0.33*cos(1256*t) - 1.32*sin(1256*t);  
plot(t*1000, Vin, t*1000, y1+y2+y3);  
xlabel('Time (ms)');  
ylabel('Volts');
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Vin (blue) and Y (red)