

# EELE 250: Circuits, Devices, and Motors

Lecture 11

# Assignment Reminder

- Read 4.1 - 4.3 AND 5.1 – 5.4
- Practice problems:
  - P3.46, P3.54, P3.62, P3.63
  - P4.3, P4.5, P4.33, P4.39
- D2L Quiz #5 by 11AM on Monday 3 Oct.
- REMINDER: Work on your Lab #3 formal report. The reports are due at lab time during the week of Oct. 3. Lab #4 will be performed this week—be sure to do the pre-lab assignment calculations!

# Sinusoidal Current and Voltage

- $v(t) = V_m \cos(\omega t + \theta)$
- $\omega = 2 \pi f$  [radians / sec]
- $f =$  frequency [cycles / sec] or [Hz]
- $T = 1 / f =$  period [sec]
- Root mean square (RMS) concept

# Sinusoids

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  - B.  $\cos(\theta) = \sin(\theta - \pi/2)$
  - C.  $\cos(\theta) = \sin(\theta + \pi)$
  - D.  $\cos(\theta) = \sin(\theta - \pi)$
  - E.  $\cos(\theta) = -\sin(\theta)$
- (answer is A)

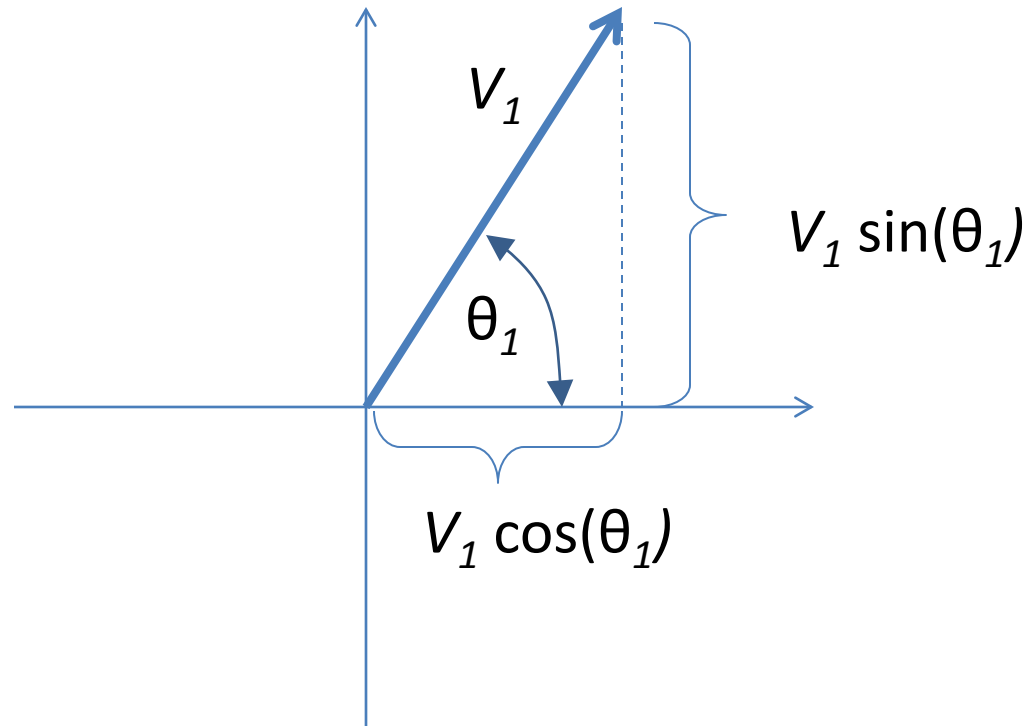
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- (answer is D)

# Phasors

- Represent a sinusoid  $v(t) = V_1 \cos(\omega t + \theta_1)$  as a vector of length  $V_1$  and angle  $\theta_1$  with respect to the real axis
- This vector is equivalent to a *complex number*  
real part is  $V_1 \cos(\theta_1)$   
*and*  
imaginary part is  $V_1 \sin(\theta_1)$
- (Polar form vs. rectangular form)

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- Circuits with sinusoidal signals often result in KVL or KCL expressions like:

$$V_1 \cos(\omega t + \theta_1) + V_2 \cos(\omega t + \theta_2) + V_3 \cos(\omega t + \theta_3)$$

It is a pain to add these signals via trigonometric identities!

Fortunately, it is easier to add using phasors: add the vectors as complex numbers.



# Phasors (cont.)

$$V_1 \cos(\omega t + \theta_1) + V_2 \cos(\omega t + \theta_2) + V_3 \cos(\omega t + \theta_3)$$

Phasors:  $V_1 \angle \theta_1 + V_2 \angle \theta_2 + V_3 \angle \theta_3$

Real parts:  $V_1 \cos(\theta_1) + V_2 \cos(\theta_2) + V_3 \cos(\theta_3)$

Imag parts:  $V_1 \sin(\theta_1) + V_2 \sin(\theta_2) + V_3 \sin(\theta_3)$

Sum phasor:

$$\text{sqrt}( \text{real}^2 + \text{imag}^2 ) \angle \text{atan}(\text{imag}/\text{real})$$

# Complex impedances

- Inductor:  $v(t) = L \, di/dt$
- If  $i(t) = I_m \cos(\omega t)$ , then  $v(t) = -\omega I_m L \sin(\omega t)$   
 $\Rightarrow$  note that  $-\sin(\omega t) = \cos(\omega t + 90^\circ)$

- As phasors:

$$I = I_m \angle 0^\circ \qquad V = \omega I_m L \angle 90^\circ$$

which means:

$$V = (\omega L \angle 90^\circ) \cdot (I)$$

Note:  $\omega L \angle 90^\circ$  is the complex number  $j \omega L$

# Complex Impedances (cont.)

- $V = (\omega L \angle 90^\circ) \cdot (I) = (j \omega L) \cdot (I)$
- Ohm's Law:  $V = I \cdot R$ , can be generalized to

$V = I \cdot Z$ , where  $Z$  is the *impedance*.

- $Z$  can be a real or a complex number
  - Impedance of a resistor:  $Z = R$
  - Impedance of an inductor:  $Z = j \omega L$
  - Impedance of a capacitor:  $Z = 1/(j \omega C)$

# Complex Impedances (cont.)

- NOTE that the impedance of an inductor or capacitor depends upon the sinusoidal frequency,  $\omega$

$$Z_L = j\omega L$$

$$Z_C = \frac{1}{j\omega C}$$

- Impedance magnitude of inductor goes *up* as frequency increases
- Impedance magnitude of capacitor goes *down* as frequency increases

# Summary and Review

- Represent a group of sinusoids with the same frequency as *phasors*
- Add phasors by interpreting them as complex numbers
- Generalize Ohm's Law to be  $\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{I} \mathbf{Z}$
- Impedance of a resistor:  $\mathbf{Z} = R$
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