

# **ENGR12**

# **Circuit Theory**

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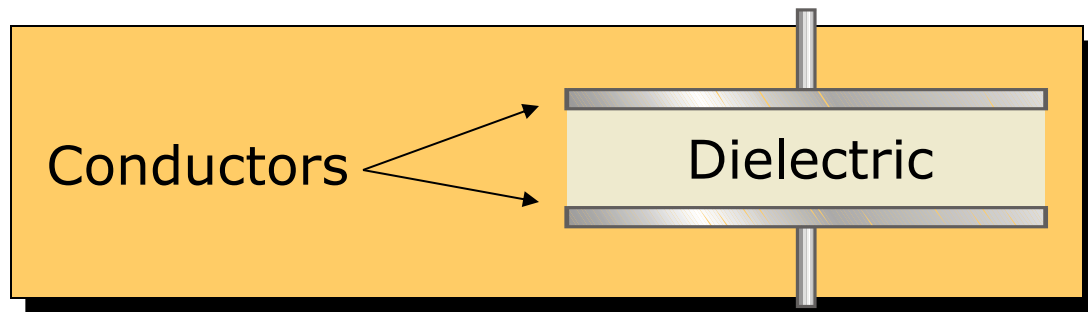
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## The Capacitor

**Capacitors** are one of the fundamental passive components. In its most basic form, it is composed of two plates separated by a dielectric.

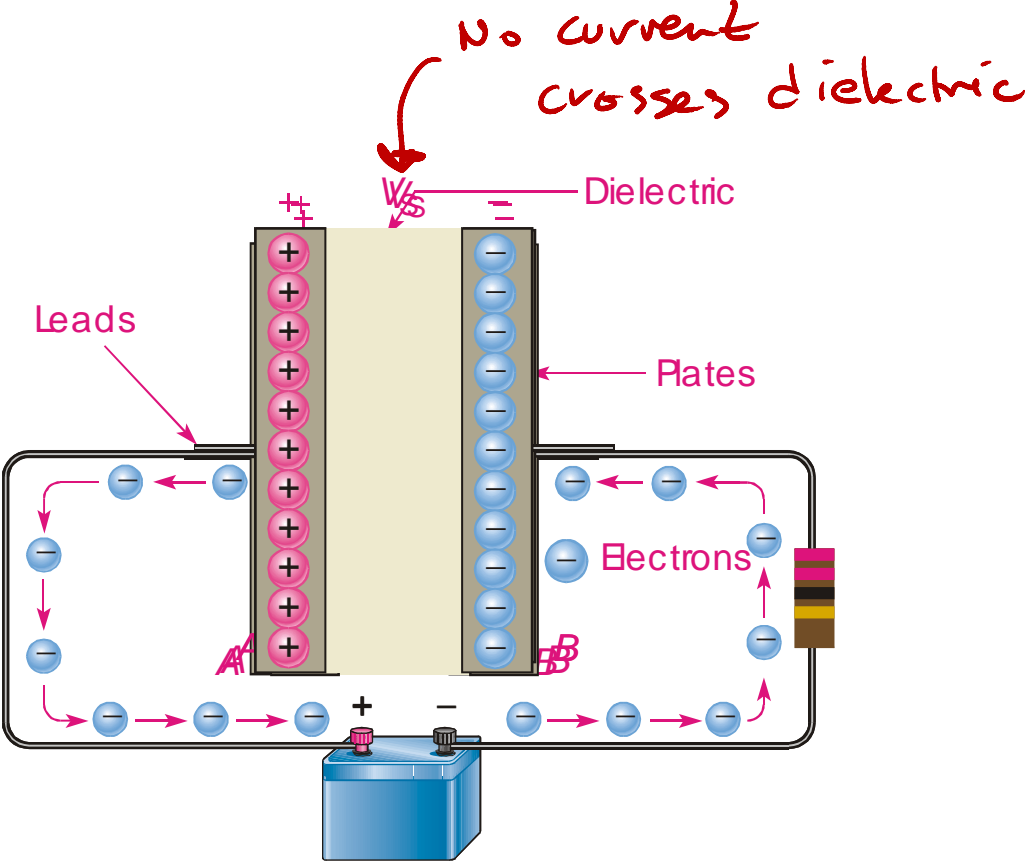
The ability to store charge is the definition of **capacitance**.



# The Capacitor

The charging process...

Still being charged



A capacitor with stored charge can act as a temporary battery.

## The Capacitor

Capacitance is the ratio of charge to voltage

$$C = \frac{Q}{V}$$

Rearranging, the amount of charge on a capacitor is determined by the size of the capacitor ( $C$ ) and the voltage ( $V$ ).

$$Q = CV$$

**Example**

If a 22  $\mu\text{F}$  capacitor is connected to a 10 V source, the charge is **220  $\mu\text{C}$**

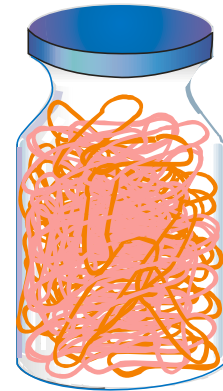
## The Capacitor

An analogy:

Imagine you store rubber bands in a bottle that is nearly full.

You could store more rubber bands (like charge or  $Q$ ) in a bigger bottle (capacitance or  $C$ ) *or* if you push them in more (voltage or  $V$ ). Thus,

$$Q = CV$$



## The Capacitor

A capacitor stores energy in the form of an electric field that is established by the opposite charges on the two plates. The energy of a charged capacitor is given by the equation

$$W = \frac{1}{2} CV^2$$

where

$W$  = the energy in joules

$C$  = the capacitance in farads

$V$  = the voltage in volts

## The Capacitor

The capacitance of a capacitor depends on three physical characteristics.

$$C = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m} \left( \frac{\epsilon_r A}{d} \right)$$

$C$  is directly proportional to  
the **relative dielectric constant**  
and the **plate area**.

$C$  is inversely proportional to  
the **distance** between the plates



## Capacitance

### Example

Find the capacitance of a 4.0 cm diameter sensor immersed in oil if the plates are separated by 0.25 mm. ( $\epsilon_r = 4.0$  for oil)

$$C = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m} \left( \frac{\epsilon_r A}{d} \right)$$

The plate area is  $A = \pi r^2 = \pi (0.02 \text{ m})^2 = 1.26 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^2$

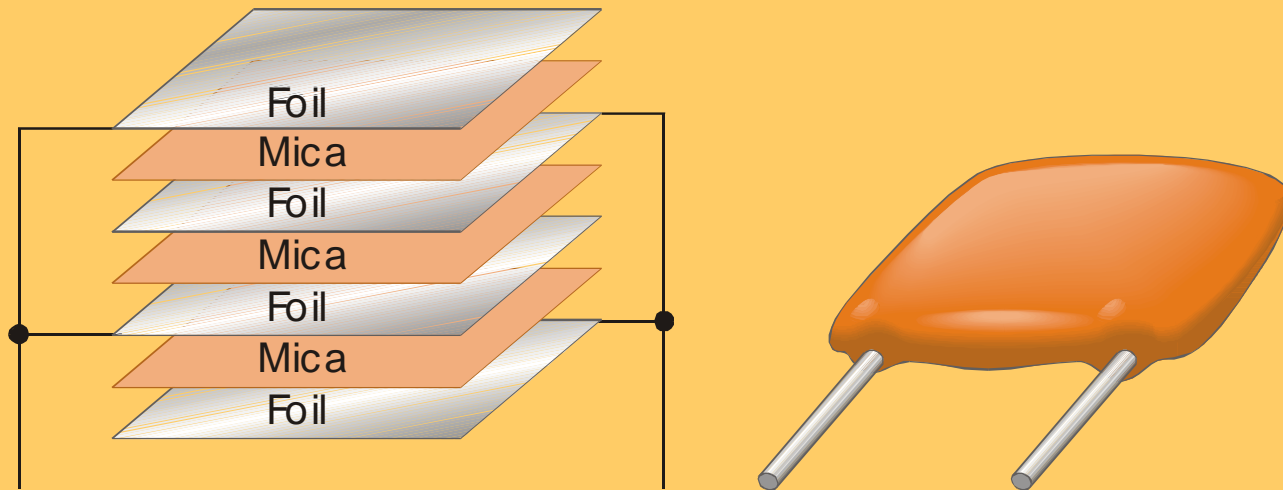
The distance between the plates is  $0.25 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$

$$C = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m} \left( \frac{(4.0)(1.26 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^2)}{0.25 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}} \right) = 178 \text{ pF}$$

## Capacitor types

### Mica

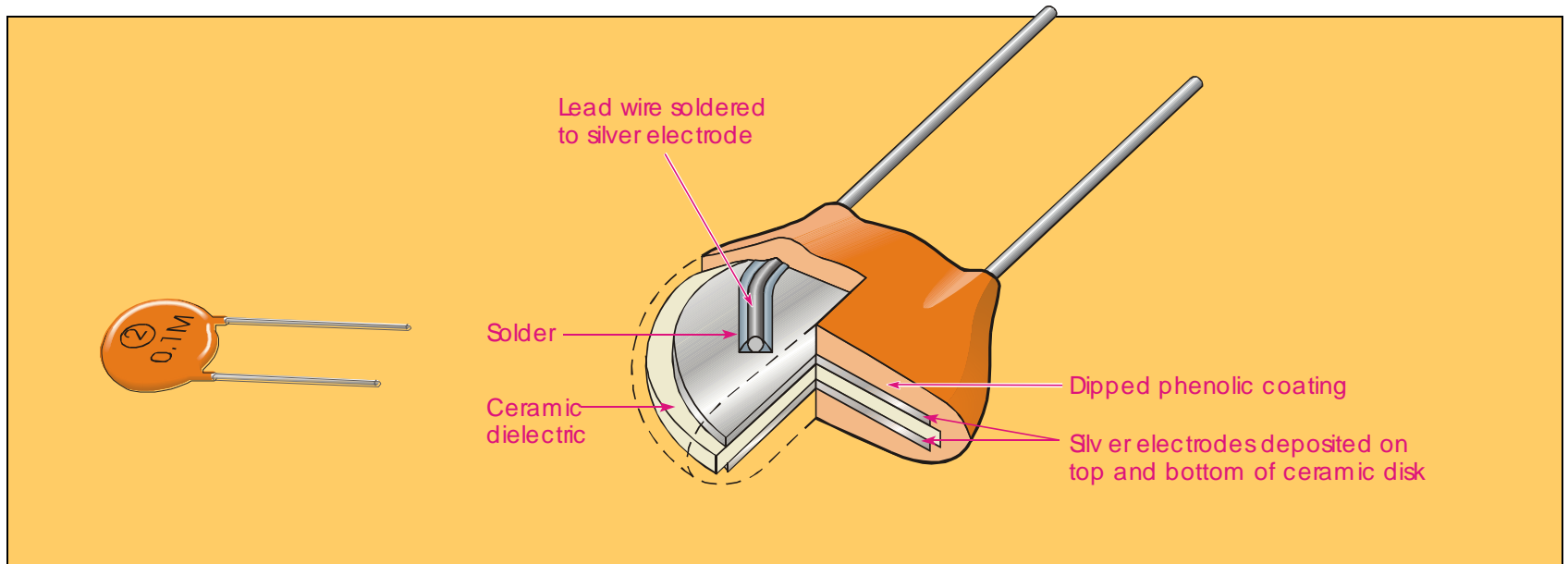
Mica capacitors are small with high working voltage. The **working voltage** is the voltage limit that cannot be exceeded.



# Capacitor types

## Ceramic disk

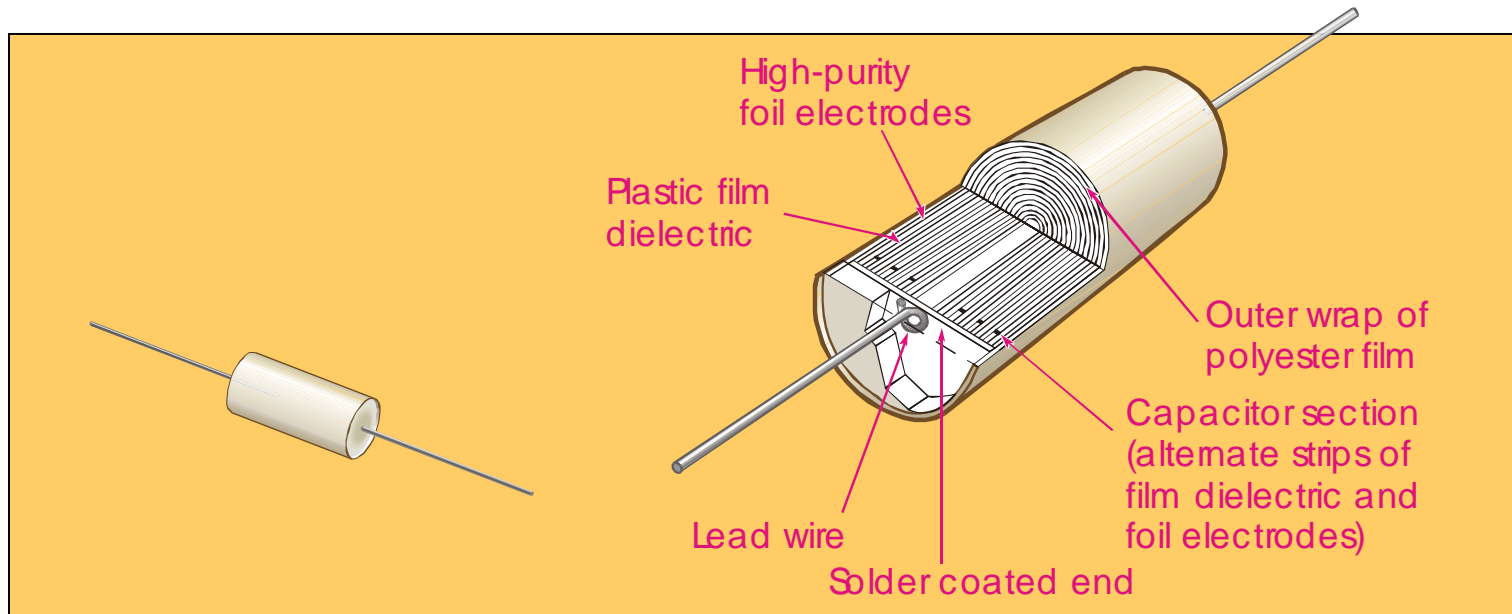
Ceramic disks are small nonpolarized capacitors. They have relatively high capacitance due to high  $\epsilon_r$ .



## Capacitor types

### Plastic Film

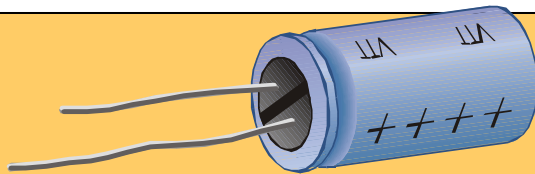
Plastic film capacitors are small and nonpolarized. They have relatively high capacitance due to larger plate area.



## Capacitor types

### **Electrolytic** (two types)

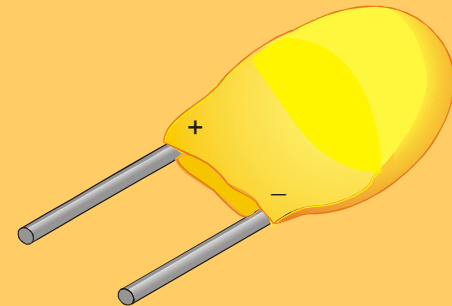
Electrolytic capacitors have very high capacitance but they are not as precise as other types and tend to have more leakage current. Electrolytic types are polarized.



Al electrolytic



Symbol for any electrolytic capacitor



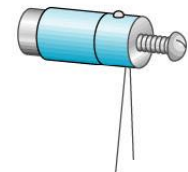
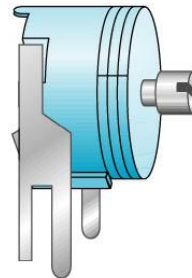
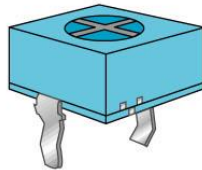
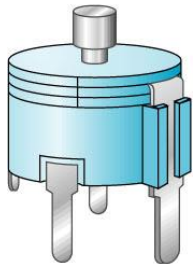
Ta electrolytic

## Capacitor types

### Variable

Variable capacitors typically have small capacitance values and are usually adjusted manually.

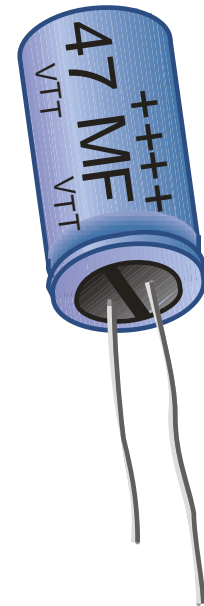
A solid-state device that is used as a variable capacitor is the varactor diode; it is adjusted with an electrical signal.



## Capacitor labeling

Capacitors use several labeling methods. Small capacitors values are frequently stamped on them such as .001 or .01, which have units of microfarads.

Electrolytic capacitors have larger values, so are read as  $\mu\text{F}$ . The unit is usually stamped as  $\mu\text{F}$ , but some older ones may be shown as MF or MMF).



## Capacitor labeling

A label such as 103 or 104 is read as  $10 \times 10^3$  (10,000 pF) or  $10 \times 10^4$  (100,000 pF) respectively. (Third digit is the multiplier.)

When values are marked as 330 or 6800, the units are picofarads.

**Example**

What is the value of each capacitor? **Both are 2200 pF.**



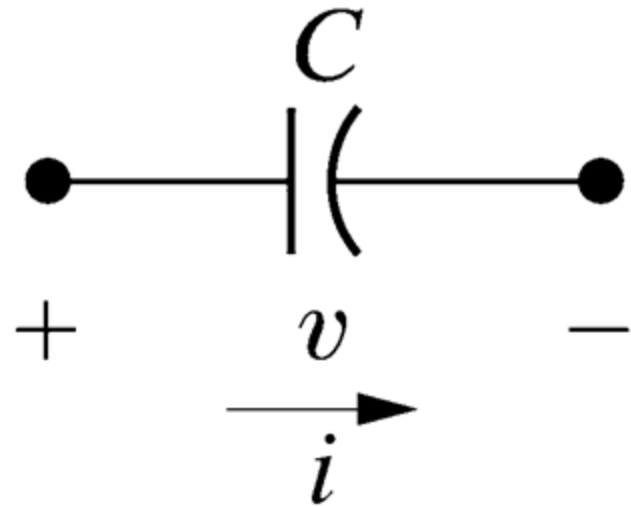


# Capacitance, a Recap

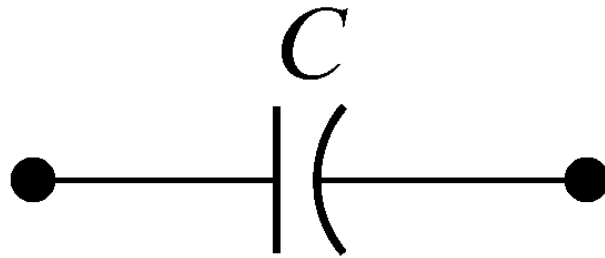
- Capacitance occurs whenever electrical conductors are separated by a dielectric, or insulating material.
- Applying a voltage to the conductors displaces the charge within the dielectric.
- Current does not actually flow through the dielectric.

# Capacitor

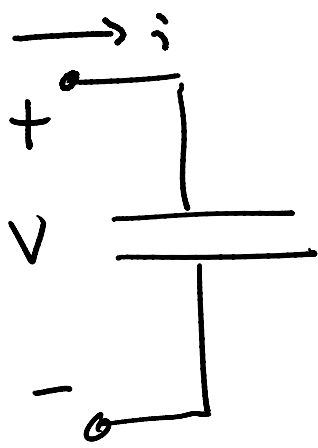
- Circuit Symbol
- Component designation (C)
- Units – Farads
  - Usually  $\mu\text{F}$  or  $\text{pF}$
- Reference directions for voltage and current



# Voltage-Current Relationship

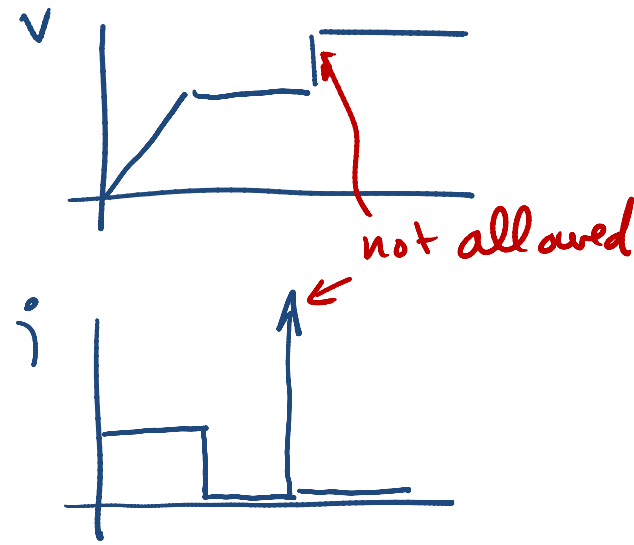


$$i = C \frac{dv}{dt}$$



## Observations

$$i = C \frac{dv}{dt}$$



The **voltage across a capacitor cannot change instantaneously** (the current would be infinite).

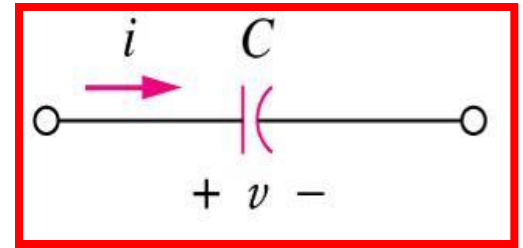
If the voltage across the terminals is constant, the current will be zero.

(**looks like an open circuit at DC**).

*Only a time-varying voltage can produce a displacement current.*

## Example 1

The voltage across a 100- $\mu$ F capacitor is



$$v(t) = 50 \sin(120 \pi t) \text{ V}$$

Find the displacement current  $i$  flowing into capacitor as a function of time

$$\begin{aligned} i &= C \frac{dV}{dt} = (100 \times 10^{-6} \text{ F}) 50 (120 \pi) \cos(120 \pi t) \text{ V/s} \\ &= 1.89 \cos(120 \pi t) \text{ A} \end{aligned}$$

**Answer:**

$$i(t) = 1.8850 \cos(120 \pi t)$$

Express the voltage across the capacitor as a function of the current

$$i = C \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$i dt = C dv \rightarrow dv = \frac{1}{C} i dt$$

$$\int_{v(t_0)}^{v(t)} dx = \frac{1}{C} \int_{t_0}^t i d\tau$$

$$v(t) = \frac{1}{C} \int_{t_0}^t i d\tau + v(t_0)$$

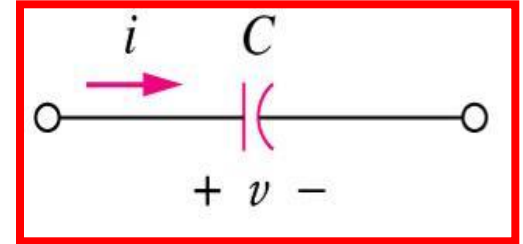
$$v(t) = \frac{1}{C} \int_0^t i d\tau + v(0)$$

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$$\text{or } v(t) = v(t_0) + \frac{1}{C} \int_{t_0}^t i d\tau$$

# In English, please?

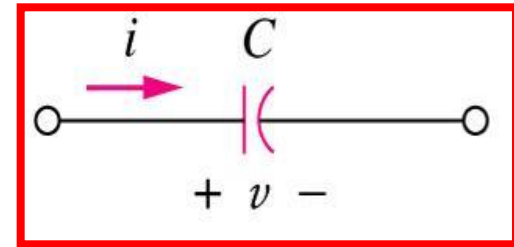
$$v(t) = v(t_0) + \frac{1}{C} \int_{t_0}^t i d\tau$$



- Translation: to find the voltage at time t:
  - take the known voltage at some start time  $t_0$
  - add to it the integral from  $t_0$  to  $t$  of the current, divided by  $C$

# What this looks like graphically

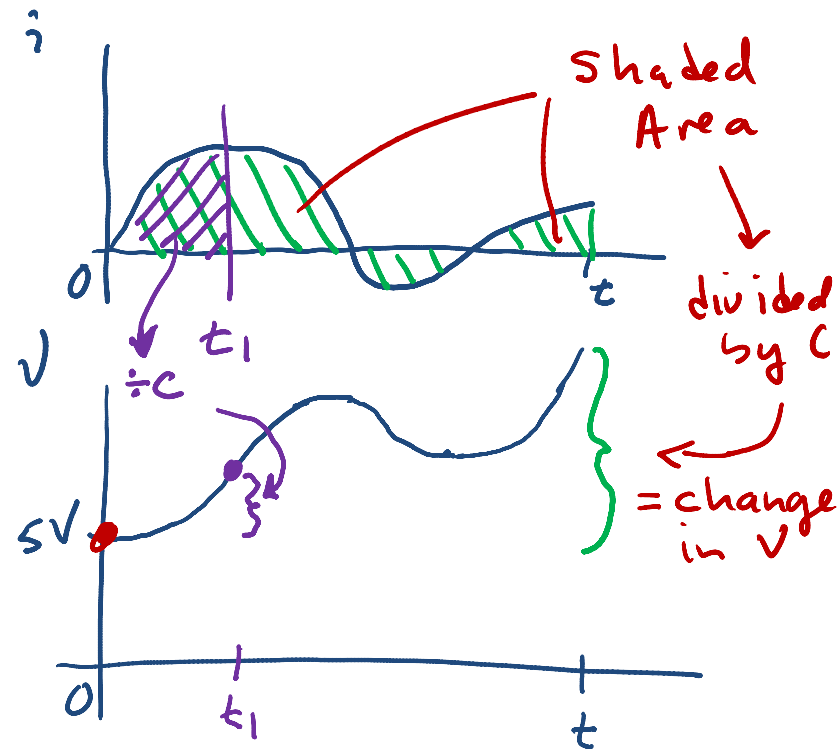
$$v(t) = v(t_0) + \frac{1}{C} \int_{t_0}^t i d\tau$$



- At time 0 we measure capacitor  $v = 5 \text{ V}$ .
- A time varying current is then applied to the capacitor
- Voltage at any time  $t$  is then found as

$$v(t) = v(0) + [\text{area under } i \text{ from } 0 \text{ to } t]/C$$

*works for any t*





## Example 2

An initially uncharged 1-mF capacitor has the current shown below across it.

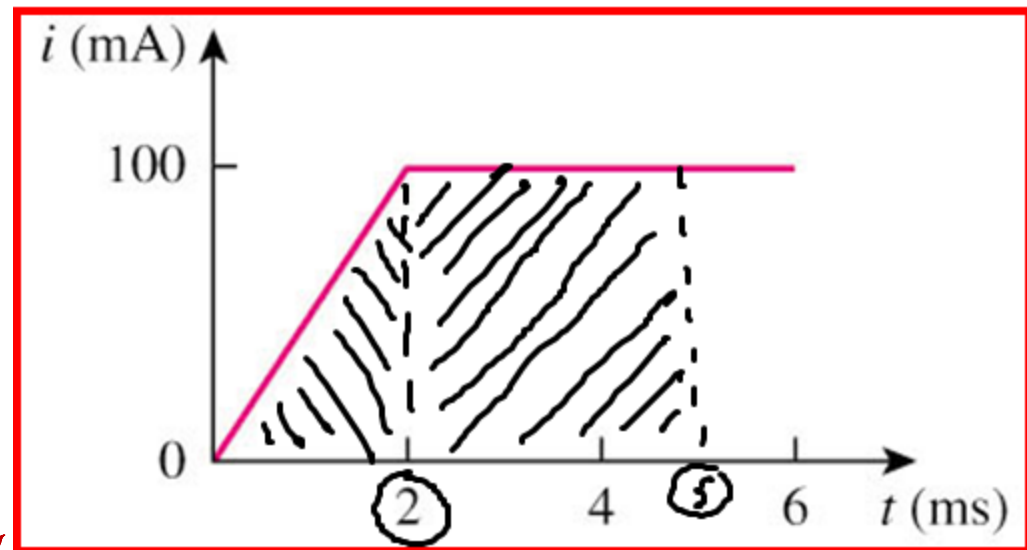
Calculate the voltage across it at  $t = 2$  ms and  $t = 5$  ms.

$$V(2) = 0 + [\text{area of Triangle}] / .001\text{F}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{2} (.002\text{s}) (.1\text{A})}{.001\text{F}} = \underline{\underline{0.1\text{V}}}$$

$$V(5) = v(2) + [\text{area of square}] / .001\text{F}$$

$$= \overset{\uparrow}{0.1} + \frac{(.003\text{s}) (.1\text{A})}{.001\text{F}} = \underline{\underline{0.4\text{V}}}$$



**Answer:**

$$v(2\text{ms}) = 100\text{ mV}$$

$$v(5\text{ms}) = 400\text{ mV}$$

# Power and Energy for the Capacitor

$$p = vi = Cv \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$p = i \left[ \frac{1}{C} \int_i^t id\tau + v(t_0) \right]$$

$$P = \frac{dw}{dt} = Cv \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$dw = Cv dv$$

$$\int_0^w dx = C \int_0^v y dy$$

gives us energy →

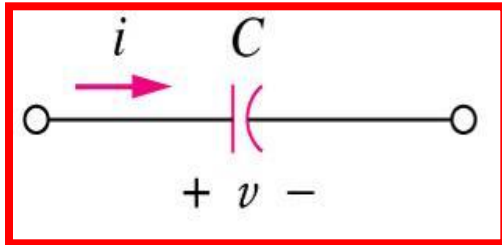
integrate v to whatever voltage is

not time dependant

$$\underline{w = \frac{1}{2} Cv^2}$$

# Example 6.4

- A voltage pulse described as follows is applied across the terminals of a  $0.5\mu\text{F}$  capacitor:



$$v(t) = 0 \text{ Volts}, \quad t \leq 0\text{s}$$

$$v(t) = 4t \text{ Volts}, \quad 0\text{s} \leq t \leq 1\text{s}$$

$$v(t) = 4e^{-(t-1)} \text{ Volts}, \quad t \geq 1\text{s}$$

- Derive the expressions for the capacitor a) current, b) power, and c) energy.

A) Derive the expressions for the capacitor current

$$i = C \frac{dV}{dt} \quad C = .5 \mu F$$

$$v = \begin{cases} v(t) = 0 \text{ Volts}, & t \leq 0s \\ v(t) = 4t \text{ Volts}, & 0s \leq t \leq 1s \\ v(t) = 4e^{-(t-1)} \text{ Volts}, & t \geq 1s \end{cases}$$

$$\underline{t < 0}$$

$$i = (.5 \times 10^{-6}) (0) = 0$$

$$\underline{0 \leq t \leq 1s}$$

$$i = (.5 \times 10^{-6}) (4) = 2 \mu A$$

$$\underline{t \geq 1s}$$

$$i = (.5 \times 10^{-6}) (-4 e^{-(t-1)}) = -2 e^{-(t-1)} \mu A$$

B) Derive the expressions for the capacitor power

$$P = v i$$

$$\underline{t \leq 0}$$

$$\underline{P = 0}$$

$$\underline{0 \leq t \leq 1s}$$

$$P = (4t)(2\mu A) = \underline{8t \mu W}$$

$$\underline{t \geq 1s}$$

$$P = (4e^{-(t-1)})(-2e^{-2(t-1)}) = \underline{-8e^{-2(t-1)} \mu W}$$

C) Derive the expressions for the capacitor energy

$$W = \frac{1}{2} C v^2$$

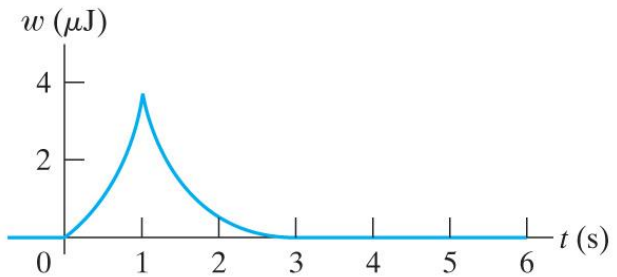
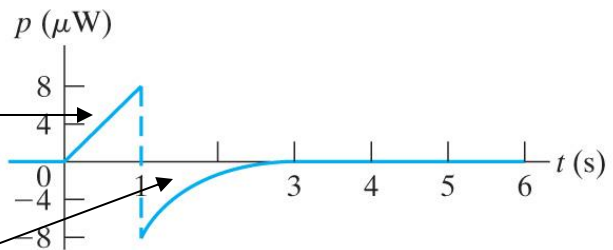
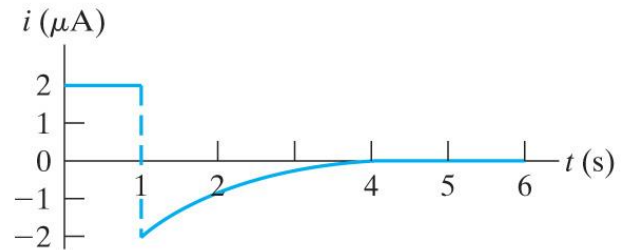
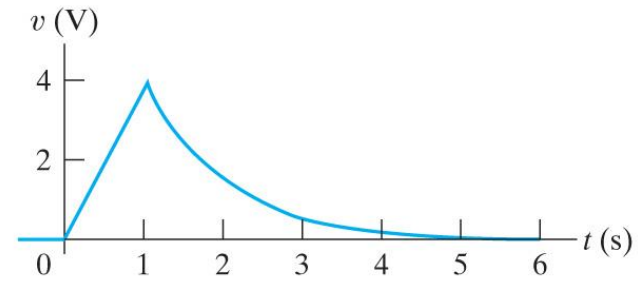
$$\frac{t \leq 0}{W = 0}$$

$$\frac{0 \leq t \leq 1 \text{ s}}$$

$$W = \frac{1}{2} (1.5 \times 10^{-6}) (16 t^2) = 4 t^2 \mu \text{ J}$$

$v^2$   
↓

$$\frac{t \geq 1 \text{ s}}{W = \frac{1}{2} (1.5 \times 10^{-6}) (16 e^{-2(t-1)}) = 4 e^{-2(t-1)} \mu \text{ J}}$$

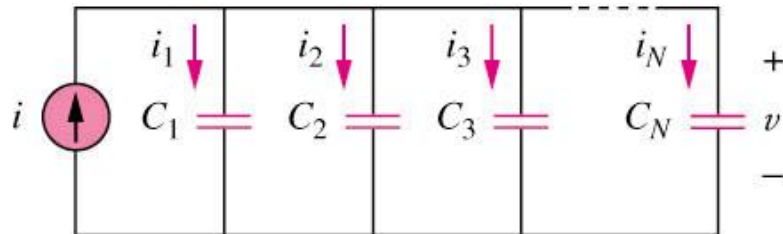


Energy is being stored whenever the power is positive.

Energy is being delivered by the capacitor whenever the power is negative.

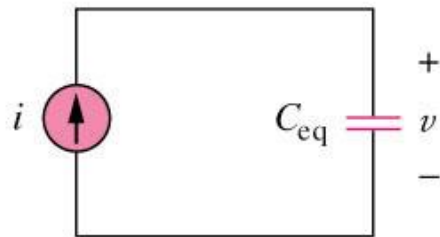
# 6.2 Series and Parallel Capacitors (1)

- The equivalent capacitance of  $N$  **parallel-connected** capacitors is the sum of the individual capacitances.



(a)

$$C_{eq} = C_1 + C_2 + \dots + C_N$$

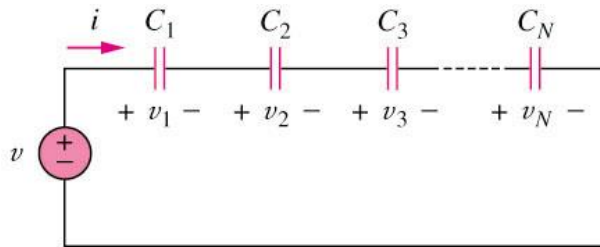


(b)



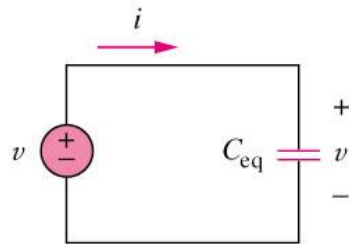
# 6.2 Series and Parallel Capacitors (2)

- The equivalent capacitance of  $N$  **series-connected** capacitors is the reciprocal of the sum of the reciprocals of the individual capacitances.



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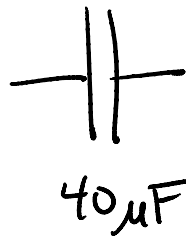
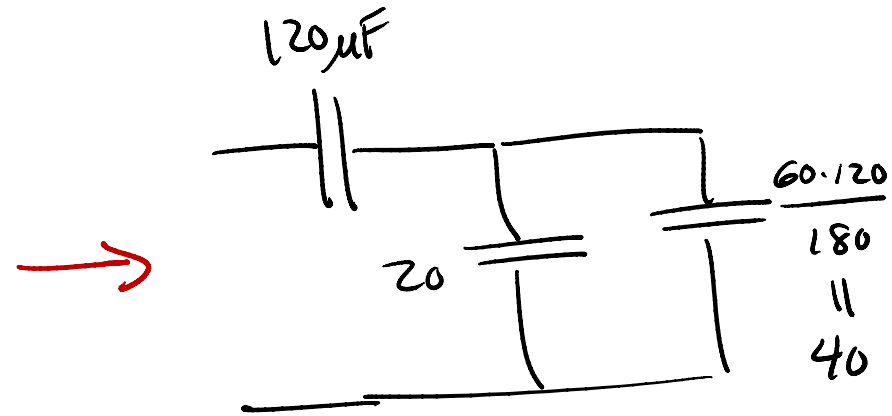
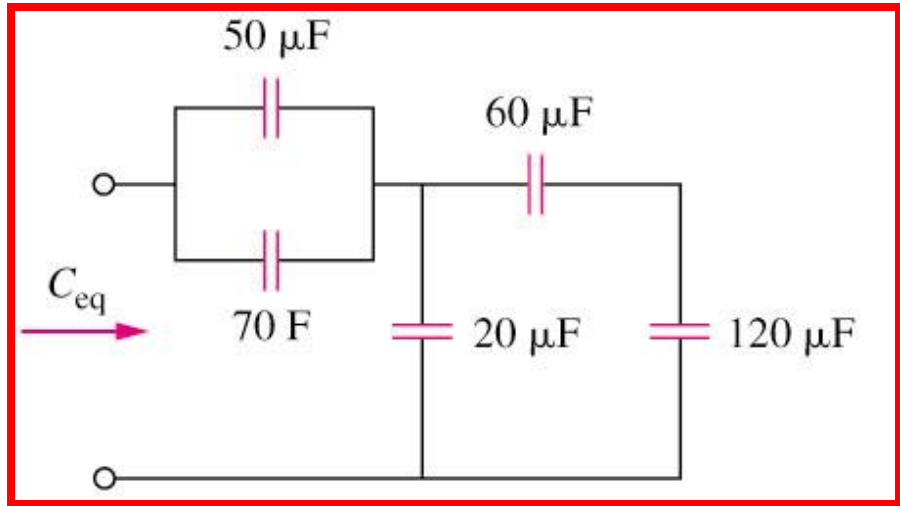
$$\frac{1}{C_{eq}} = \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} + \dots + \frac{1}{C_N}$$



(b)

## Example 3

Find the equivalent capacitance seen at the terminals of the circuit in the circuit shown below:

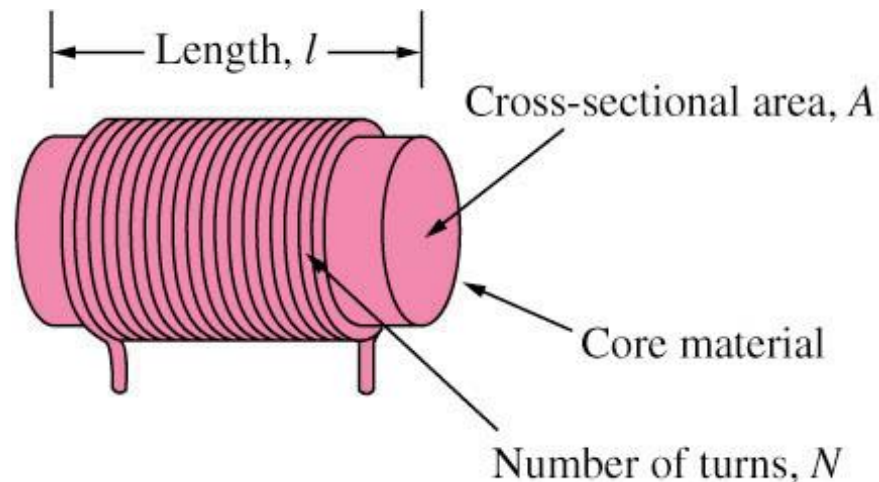


**Answer:**

$$C_{eq} = \underline{40 \mu\text{F}}$$

## 6.3 Inductors (1)

- An inductor is a passive element designed to store energy in its magnetic field.

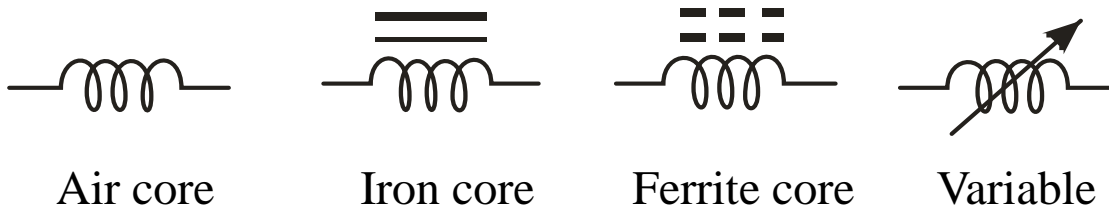


- An inductor consists of a coil of conducting wire.

# Inductance

Inductance is the property of a conductor to oppose a change in current. The effect of inductance is greatly magnified by winding a coil on a magnetic material.

Common symbols for inductors (coils) are



## Self Inductance

Self-inductance is usually just called inductance, symbolized by  $L$ . Self-inductance is a measure of a coil's ability to establish an induced voltage as a result of a change in its current. The induced voltage always opposes the change in current, which is basically a statement of Lenz's law.

The unit of inductance is the **henry (H)**. One henry is the inductance of a coil when a current, changing at a rate of one ampere per second, induces one volt across the coil.

## Self Inductance

The induced voltage is given by the formula  $v_{\text{ind}} = L \frac{di}{dt}$

**Example**

What is the inductance if 37 mV is induced across a coil if the current is changing at a rate of 680 mA/s?

$$v_{\text{ind}} = L \frac{di}{dt}$$

Rearranging,

$$L = \frac{v_{\text{ind}}}{\frac{di}{dt}} = \frac{0.037 \text{ V}}{0.68 \text{ A/s}} = 54 \text{ mH}$$

## Factors affecting inductance

Four factors affect the amount of inductance for a coil. The equation for the inductance of a coil is

$$L = \frac{N^2 \mu A}{l}$$

where

$L$  = inductance in henries

$N$  = number of turns of wire

$\mu$  = permeability in H/m (same as Wb/At-m)

$l$  = coil length on meters

## Example

What is the inductance of a 2.0 cm long, 150 turn coil wrapped on an low carbon steel core that is 0.50 cm diameter? The permeability of low carbon steel is  $2.5 \times 10^{-4}$  H/m (Wb/At-m).

$$A = \pi r^2 = \pi (0.0025 \text{ m})^2 = 7.85 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}^2$$

$$L = \frac{N^2 \mu A}{l}$$

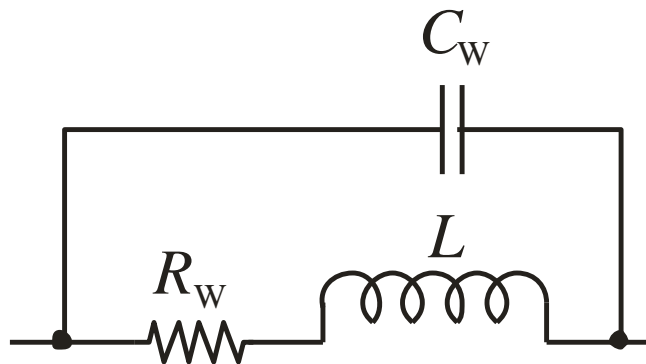
$$= \frac{(150 \text{ t})^2 (2.5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Wb/At-m}) (7.85 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}^2)}{0.020 \text{ m}}$$

$$= 22 \text{ mH}$$



## Physical parameters affecting inductance

The inductance given by the equation in the previous slide is for the ideal case. In practice, inductors have winding resistance ( $R_w$ ) and winding capacitance ( $C_w$ ). An equivalent circuit for a practical inductor including these effects is:



## Lenz's law

Recall Lenz's law states,

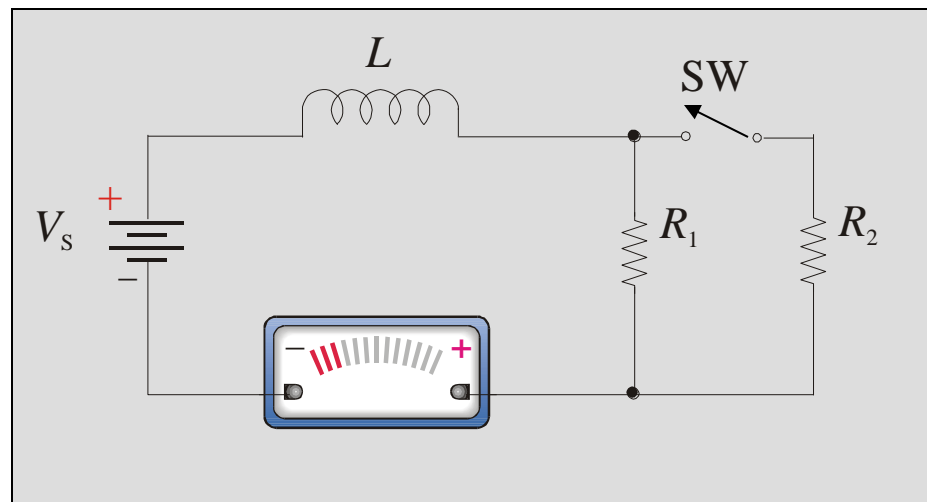
**When the current through a coil *changes*, an induced voltage is created across the coil that always opposes the change in current.**

In a practical circuit, the current can change because of a change in the load as shown in the following circuit example...

## Lenz's law

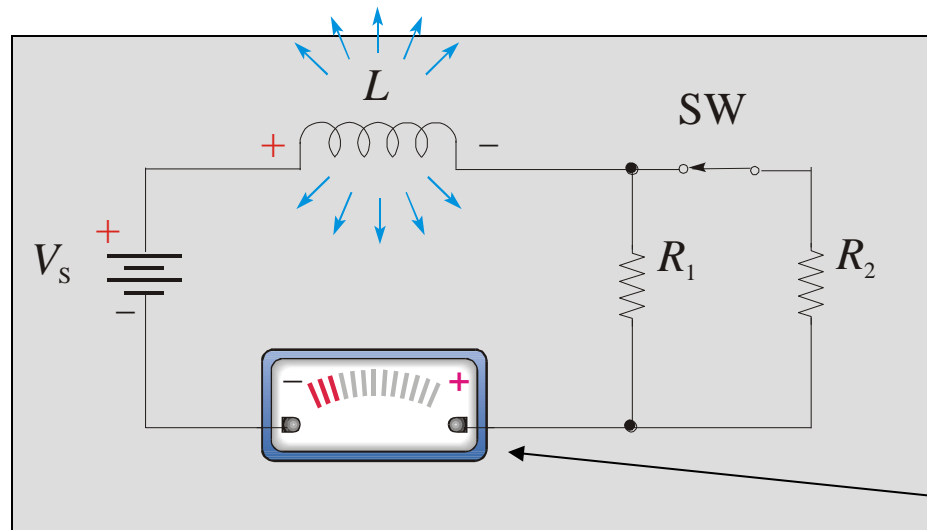
A basic circuit to demonstrate Lenz's law is shown.

Initially, the SW is open and there is a small current in the circuit through  $L$  and  $R_1$ .



# Lenz's law

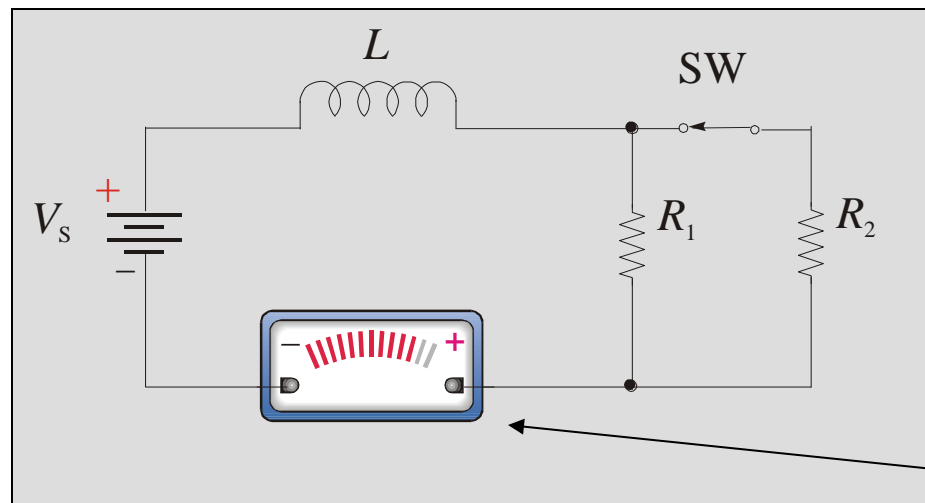
SW closes and immediately a voltage appears across  $L$  that tends to oppose any *change* in current.



Initially, the meter reads same current as before the switch was closed.

## Lenz's law

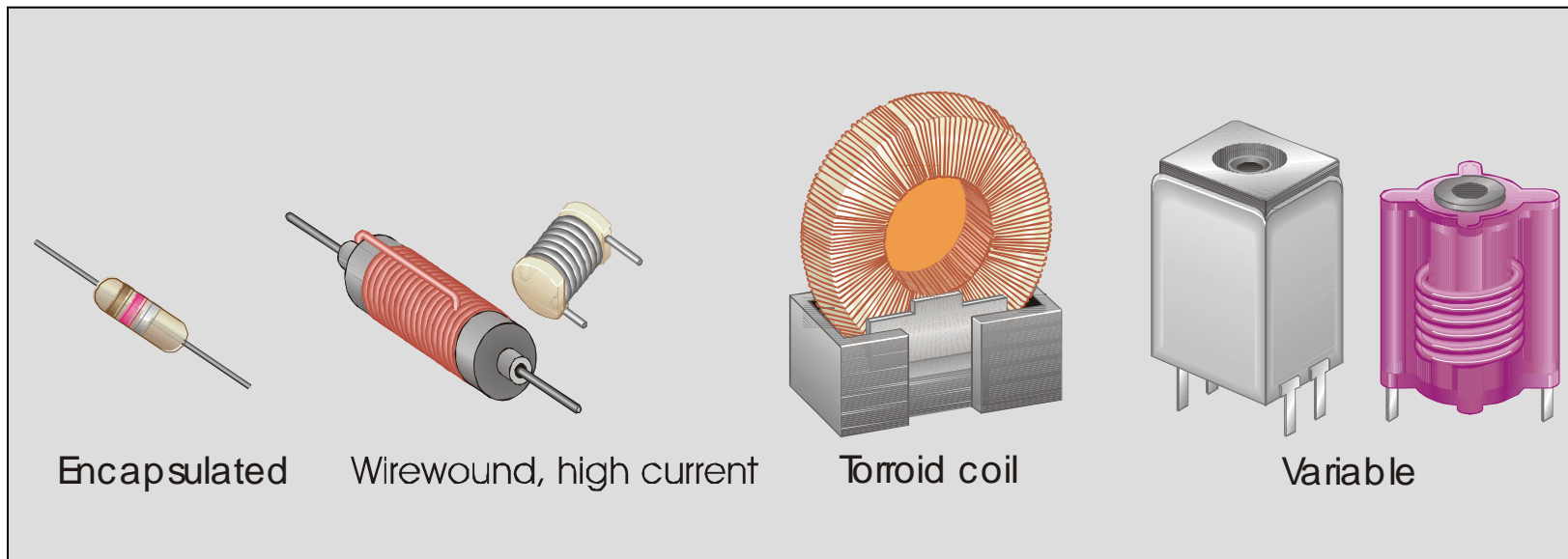
After a time, the current stabilizes at a higher level (due to  $R_2$ ) as the voltage decays across the coil.



Later, the meter reads a higher current because of the load change.

## Practical inductors

Inductors come in a variety of sizes. A few common ones are shown here.

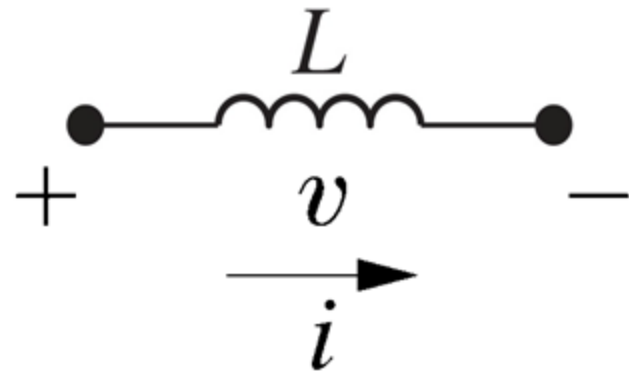


# Inductance

- Inductor
  - A coil of wire wrapped around a supporting core (magnetic or non-magnetic)
  - The time-varying current in the wire produces a time-varying magnetic field around the wire
  - A voltage is induced in any conductor linked by the magnetic field
  - Inductance relates the induced voltage to the current

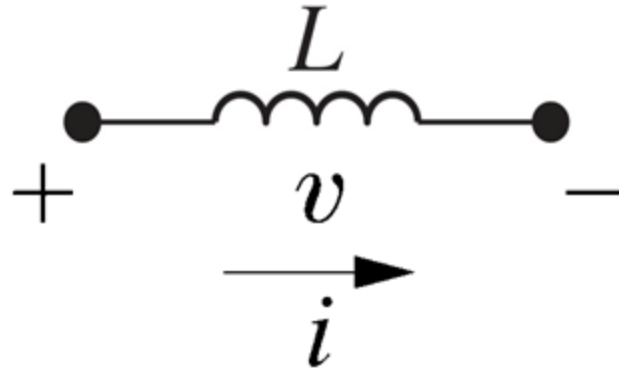
# Inductor

- Circuit Symbol
- Component designation ( $L$ )
- Units -- Henry(s)
  - Usually mH or  $\mu\text{H}$
- Reference directions for voltage and current

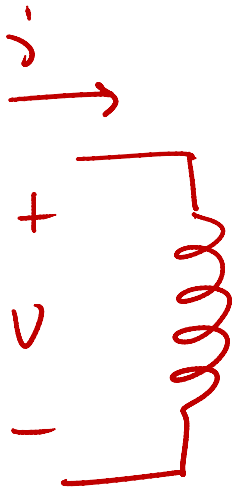




# Voltage-Current Relationship

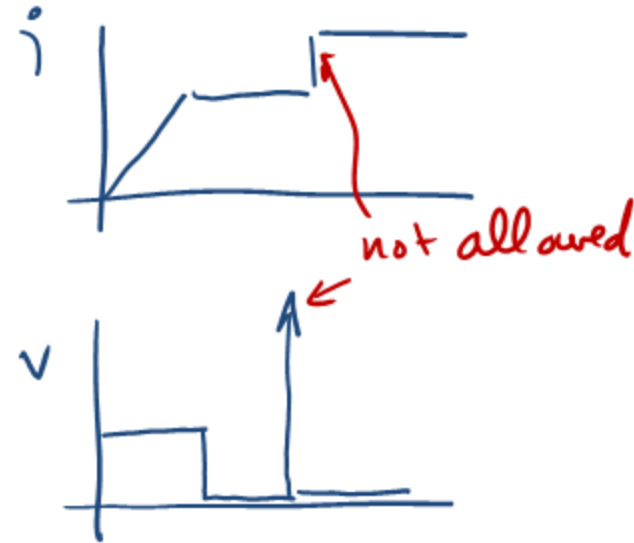


$$v = L \frac{di}{dt}$$



## Observations

$$v = L \frac{di}{dt}$$



The **current across an inductor cannot change instantaneously** (the voltage would be infinite).

If the current through the inductor is constant, the voltage will be zero.

**(looks like a short circuit at DC).**

*Only a time-varying current can produce an induced voltage.*

# Current in an inductor in terms of the Voltage across the inductor

$$v = L \frac{di}{dt}$$

$$vdt = Ldi = L \left( \frac{di}{dt} \right) dt$$

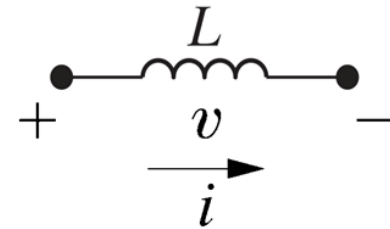
$$vdt = Ldi$$

$$\int_{t_0}^t v d\tau = L \int_{i(t_0)}^{i(t)} dx$$

$$i(t) = \frac{1}{L} \int_{t_0}^t v d\tau + i(t_0) \rightarrow \frac{1}{L} \int_{t_0}^t v d\tau + i(0)$$

# Again, in English

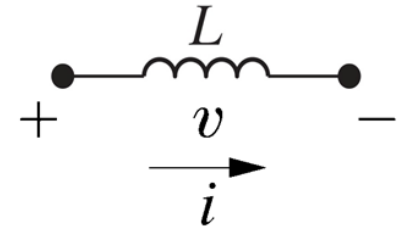
$$i(t) = i(t_0) + \frac{1}{L} \int_{t_0}^t v d\tau$$



- Translation: to find the current at time t:
  - take the known current at some start time  $t_0$
  - add to it the integral from  $t_0$  to  $t$  of the voltage, divided by  $L$

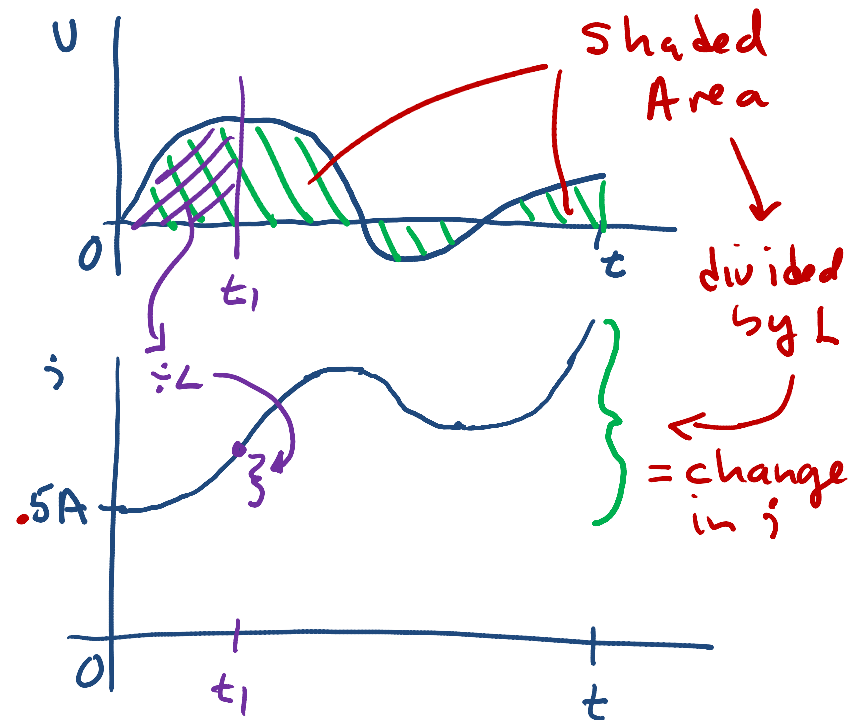
# What this looks like graphically

$$i(t) = i(t_0) + \frac{1}{L} \int_{t_0}^t v d\tau$$



- At time 0 we measure inductor  $i = .5$  A.
- A time varying voltage is then applied to the inductor
- Current at any time  $t$  is then found as

$$i(t) = i(0) + [\text{area under } v \text{ from } 0 \text{ to } t]/L$$



# Power and Energy in an Inductor

$$p = vi = Li \frac{di}{dt}$$

$$p = vi = v \left[ \frac{1}{L} \int_{t_0}^t v d\tau + i(t_0) \right]$$

$$p = \frac{dw}{dt} = Li \frac{di}{dt}$$

$$dw = Lidi$$

$$\int_0^w dx = L \int_0^i ydy$$

$$w = \frac{1}{2} Li^2$$

## Example 5

The terminal voltage of a 2-H inductor is

$$v = 10(1-t) \text{ V}$$

Find the current flowing through it at  $t = 4 \text{ s}$   
and the energy stored in it at  $t = 4 \text{ s}$ .

Assume  $i(0) = 2 \text{ A}$ .

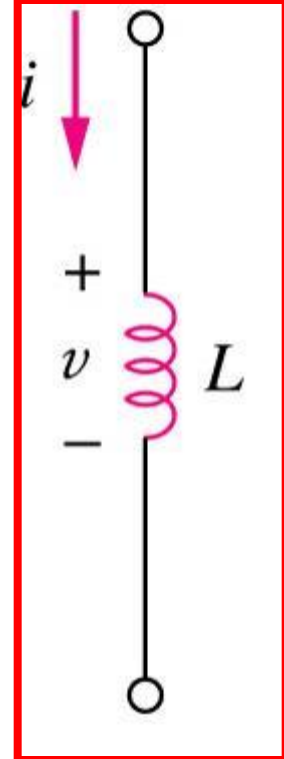
$$i(t) = i(0) + \frac{1}{L} \int_{t_0}^t v \, dt = 2 + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^4 10(1-x) \, dx$$

$$= 2 + \frac{1}{2} \left[ 10x - \frac{10x^2}{2} \right]_0^4$$

$$= 2 + \frac{1}{2} \left[ 40 - \frac{160}{2} \right] = 2 - 20 = \underline{\underline{-18 \text{ A}}}$$

$$w = \frac{1}{2} L i^2 = \frac{1}{2} (2) (-18)^2 = \underline{\underline{324 \text{ J}}}$$

$$2 + 0.5 \int_0^4 10(1-x) \, dx$$



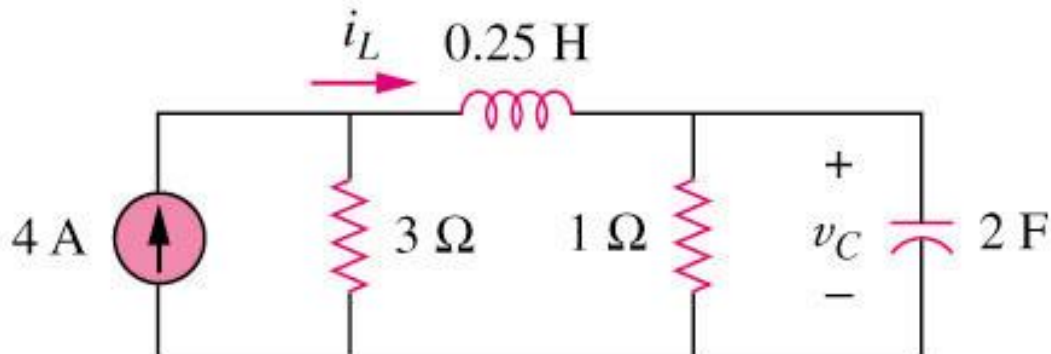
**Answer:**

$$i(4s) = -18A$$

$$w(4s) = 320J$$

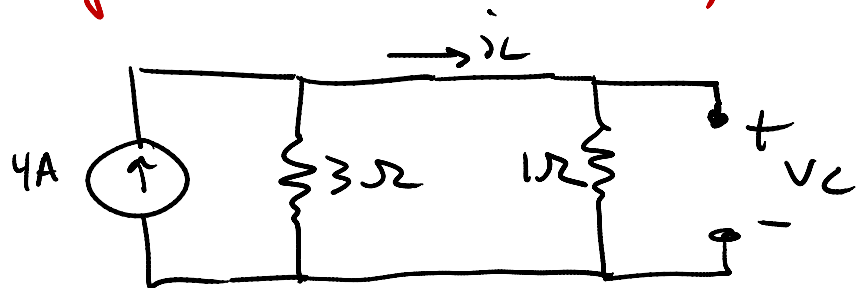
## Example 6

Determine  $v_C$ ,  $i_L$ , and the energy stored in the capacitor and inductor in the circuit of circuit shown below under dc conditions.



At DC steady state  $C \rightarrow$  open,  $L \rightarrow$  short

Redraw



$$i_L = 4 \left( \frac{3}{3+1} \right) = \underline{\underline{3A}}, \quad w_L = \frac{1}{2} L i^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{4} \right) (3)^2 = \underline{\underline{1.125J}}$$

$$v_C = i_L (1\Omega) = \underline{\underline{3V}}, \quad w_C = \frac{1}{2} C v^2 = \frac{1}{2} (2) (3)^2 = \underline{\underline{9J}}$$

**Answer:**

$$i_L = 3A$$

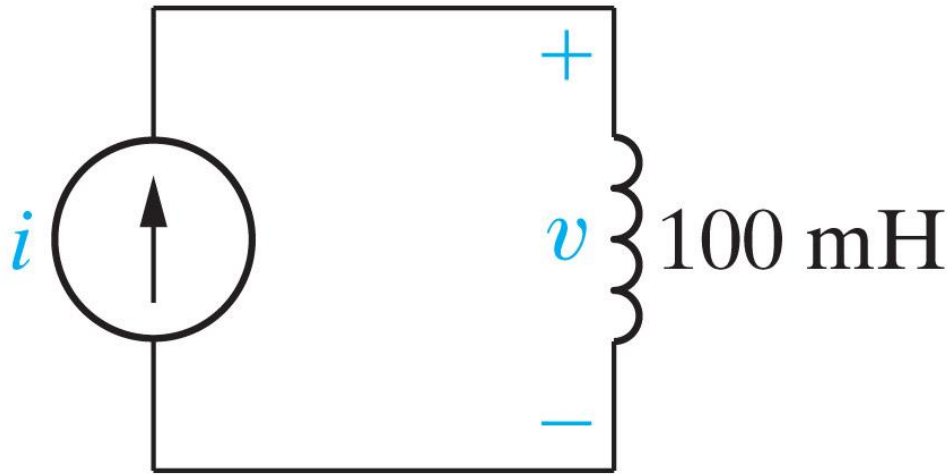
$$v_C = 3V$$

$$w_L = 1.125J$$

$$w_C = 9J$$



# Example 6.1 – Sketch current, find max using Wolfram Alpha

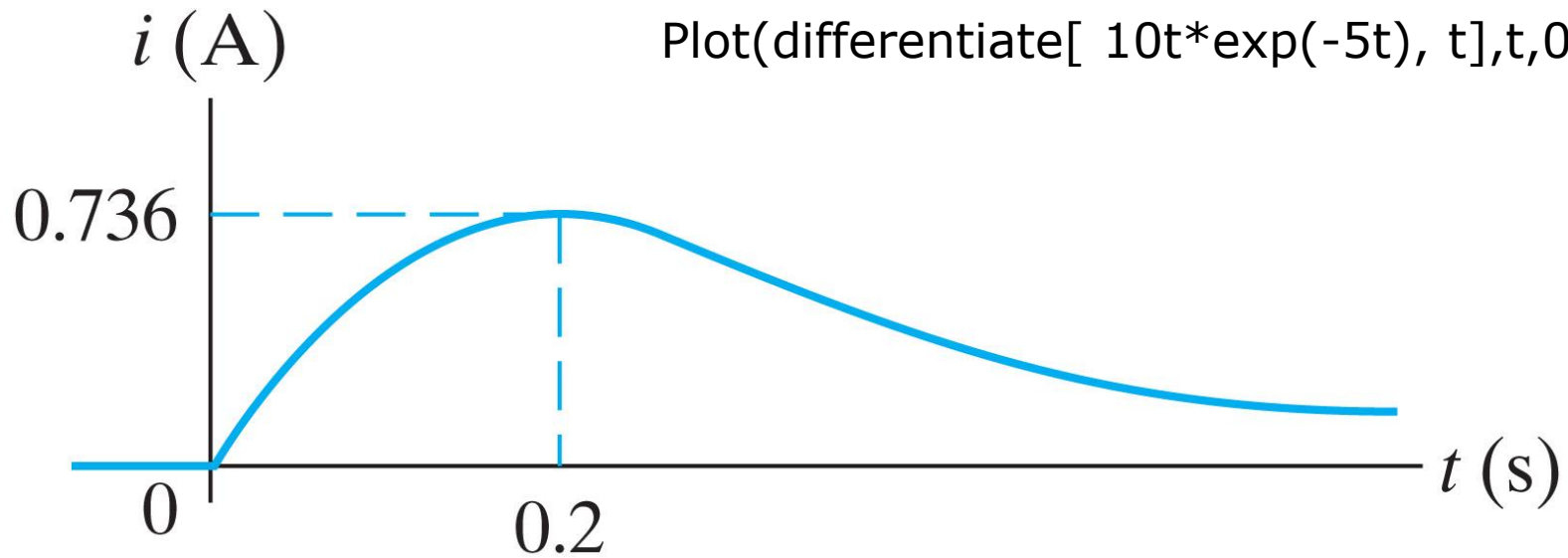


$$i = 0, \quad t < 0$$

$$i = 10te^{-5t} \text{ A}, \quad t > 0$$

- First, sketch the current waveform.
- At what instant of time is the current maximum?
- Wolfram Alpha: `Plot[ 10t*exp(-5t), t, 0, 1]`

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differentiate[ 10t*exp(-5t),t]  
Plot(differentiate[ 10t*exp(-5t), t],t,0,1)
```



$$i = 10te^{-5t}$$

$$\frac{di}{dt} = 10(-5te^{-5t} + e^{-5t}) = 10e^{-5t}(1 - 5t)$$

$$\frac{di}{dt} = 0 \rightarrow 1 - 5t = 0 \rightarrow t = \frac{1}{5} = 0.2s$$

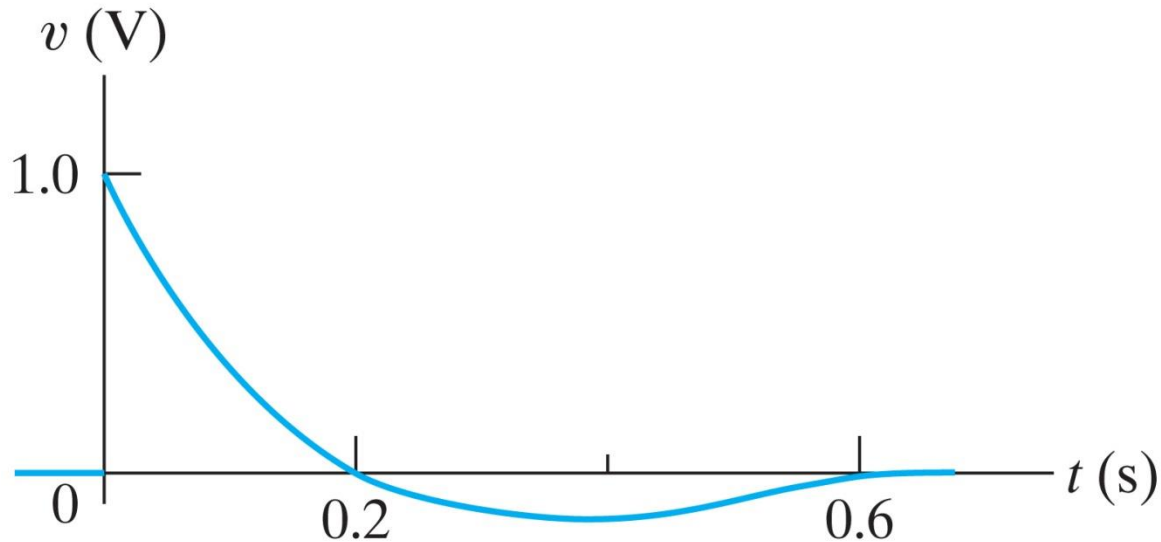
# Example 6.2 Using Derivative formula

Given: current thru inductor

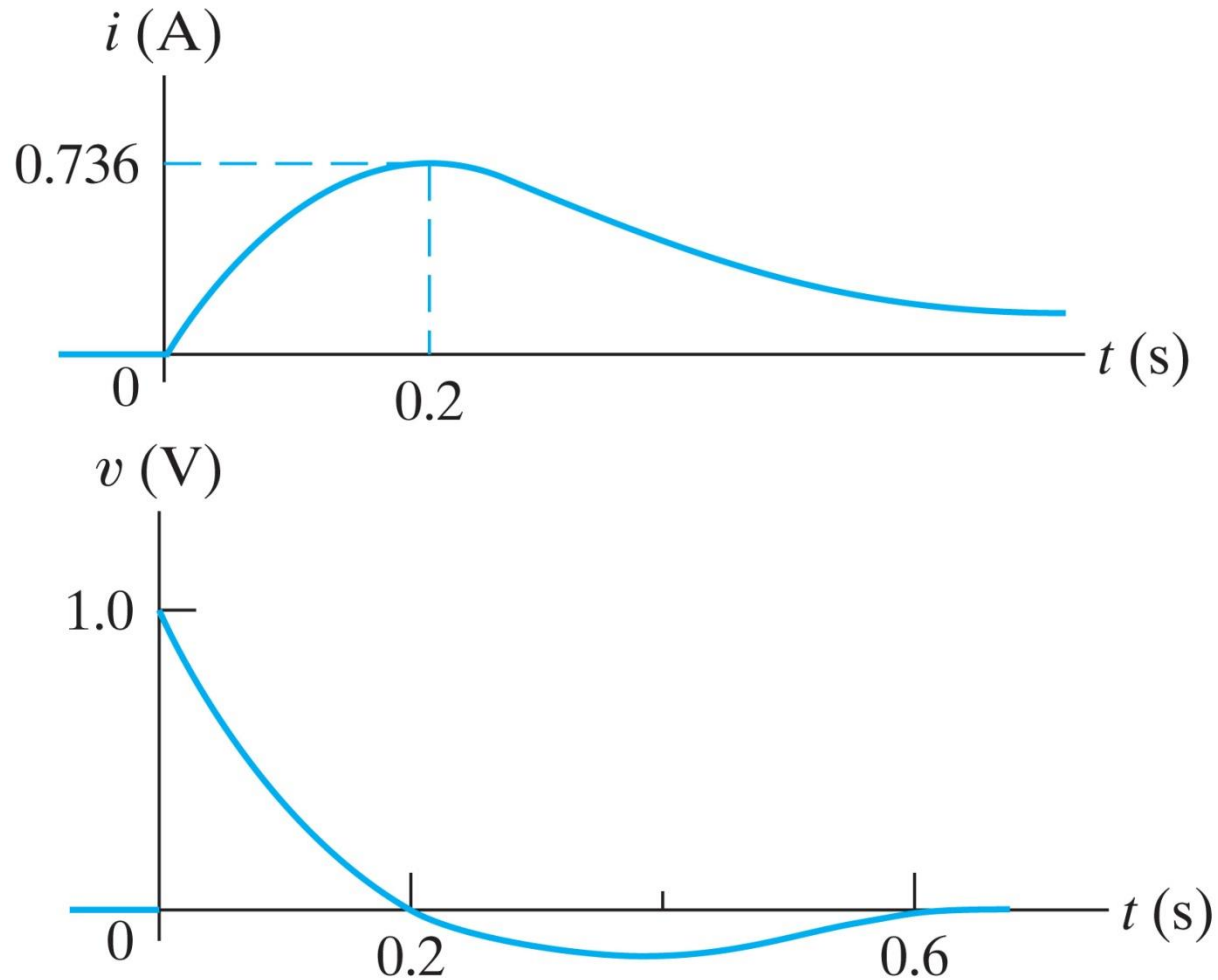
Find: voltage across inductor

$$i = 10te^{-5t}$$

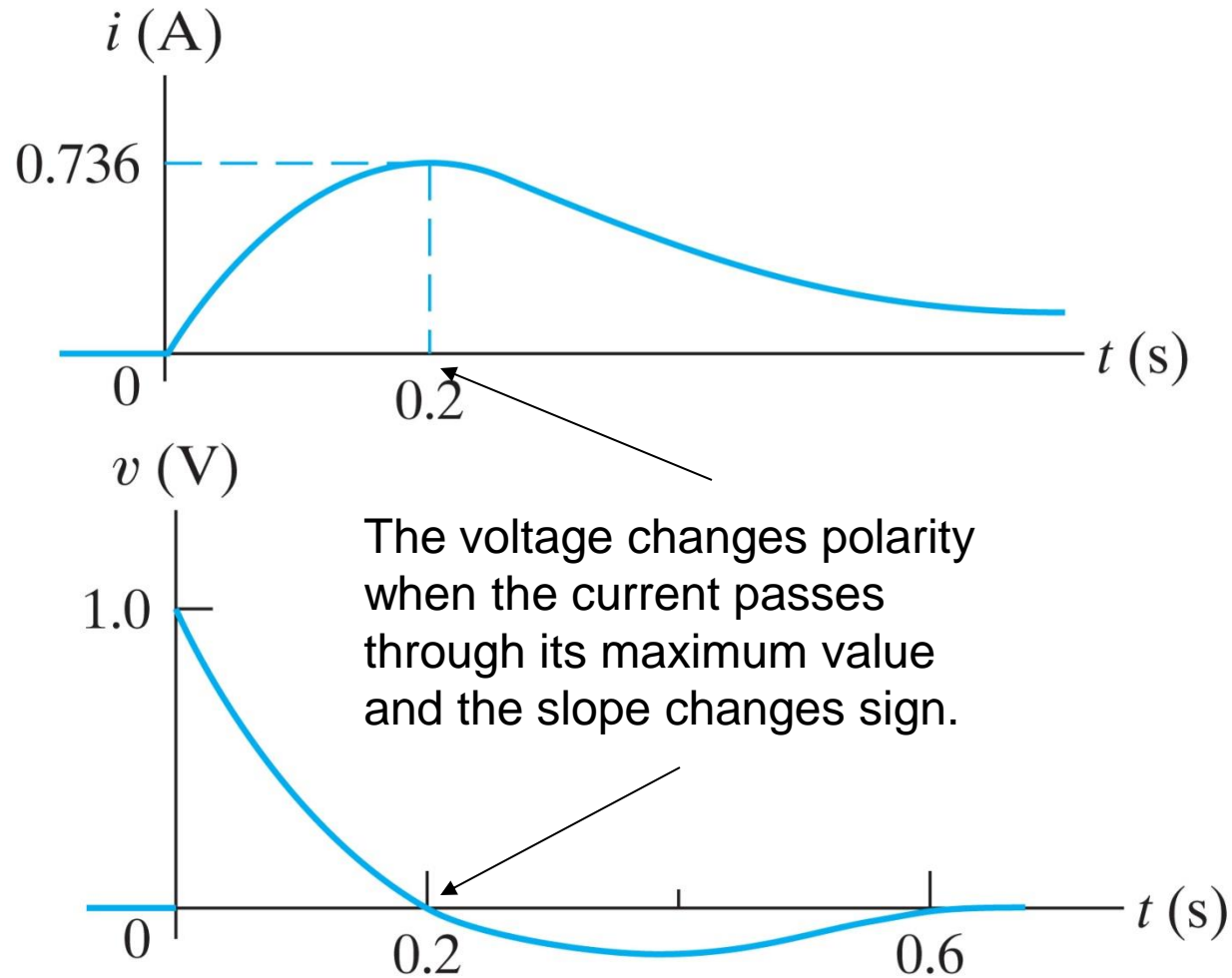
$$v = L \frac{di}{dt} = (0.1)10e^{-5t} (1 - 5t) = e^{-5t} (1 - 5t)$$



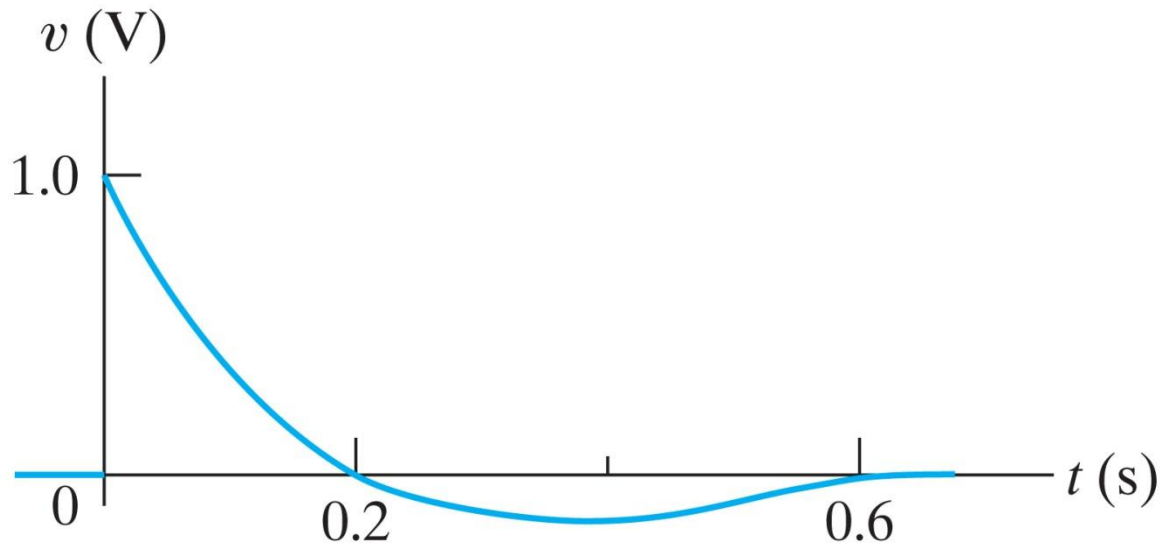
Are the voltage and current at maximum at the same time?



# At what instant of time does the voltage change polarity?



Is there ever an instantaneous change in voltage across the inductor? If so, when?



Yes.

The voltage across the inductor changes instantaneously at  $t=0$ .

# Using wolframalpha.com to differentiate

- `diff[ f(x), x ]` takes derivative of some  $f(x)$  wrt  $x$

$$e^{-5t}$$

$$E^{-5t}$$

- `diff[10t*exp(-5t),t]`

↳ works in WA

– Use \* when needed to clarify

– Use `exp( )` to raise  $e$  to some exponent

diff[10t\*exp(-5t),t]

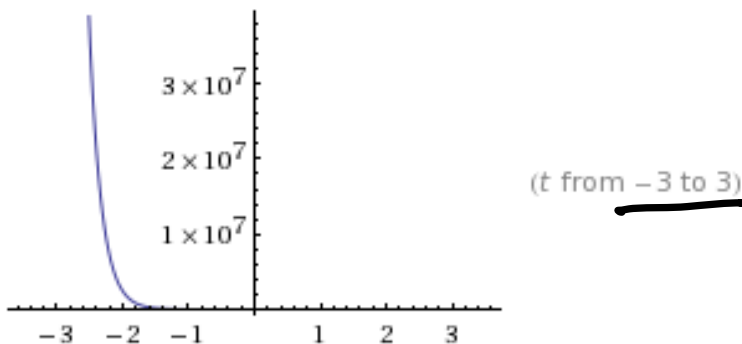
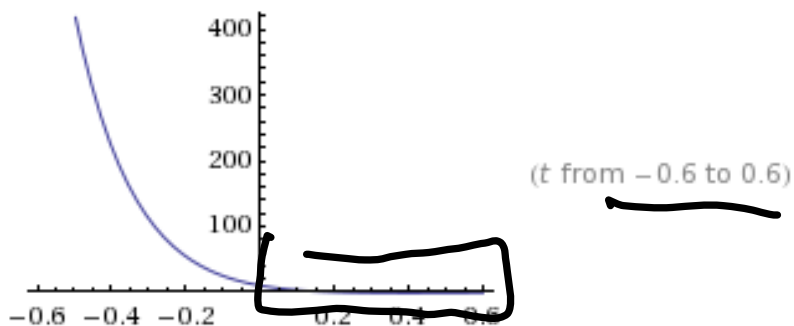


Derivative:

Show steps

$$\frac{d}{dt} (10 t \exp(-5 t)) = e^{-5 t} (10 - 50 t)$$

Plots:



Alternate forms:



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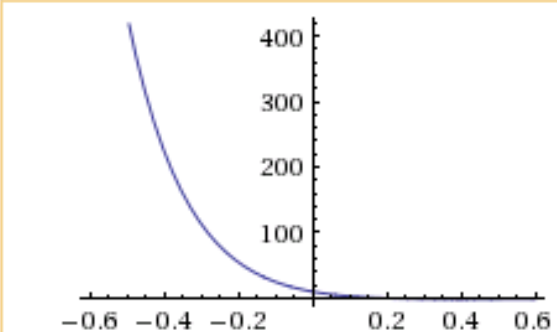
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Derivative: Show steps



$$\frac{d}{dt} (10 t \exp(-5 t)) = e^{-5 t} (10 - 50 t)$$

Plots:



(t from -0.6 to 0.6)

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differentiate[ 10t\*exp(-5t), t]



Examples Random

Derivative:

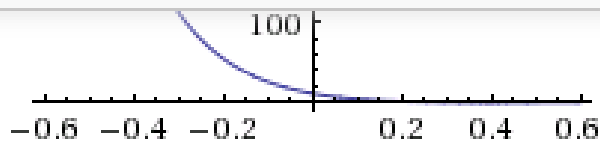
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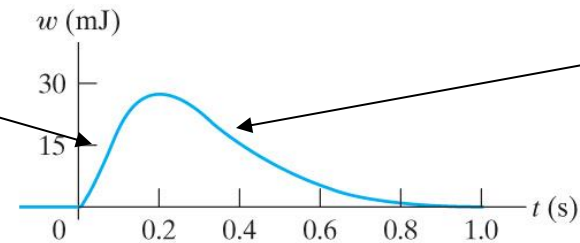
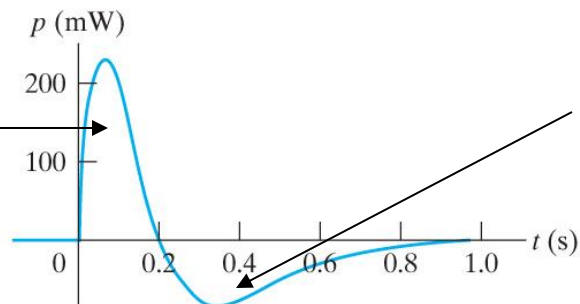
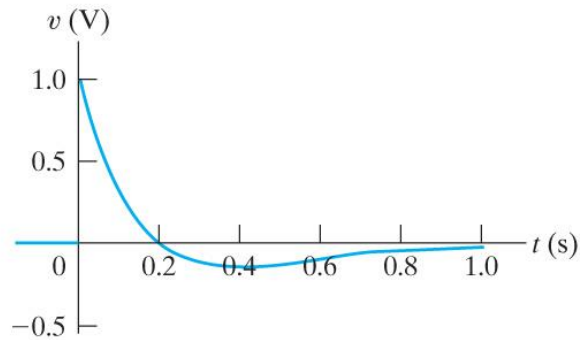
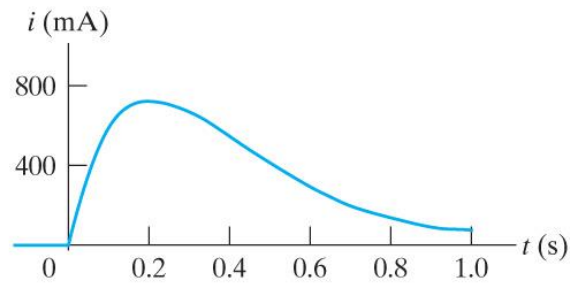
Plot[(10 - 50 t)/E^(5 t), {t -0.6, 0.6}]



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## Example 6.3

- Plot  $i$ ,  $v$ ,  $p$ , and  $w$  for Example 6.3. Line up the plots vertically to allow easy assessment of each variable's behavior.
- In what time interval is energy being stored in the inductor?
- In what time interval is energy being extracted from the inductor?



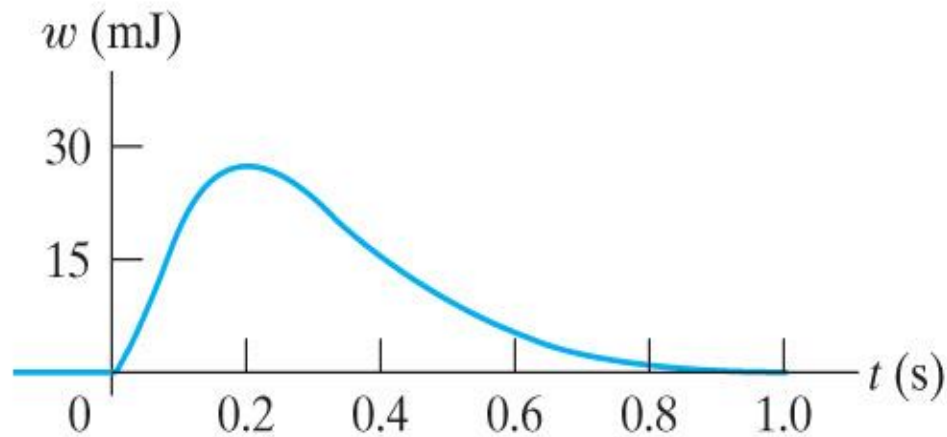
Energy is being stored when power is  $>0$ .

Energy is being extracted when power is  $<0$ .

An increasing energy curve indicates that energy is being stored in the inductor.

A decreasing energy curve indicates that energy is being extracted from the inductor

What is the maximum energy stored in the inductor?



$$w = \frac{1}{2} Li^2 = \frac{1}{2} (0.1)(0.736)^2$$

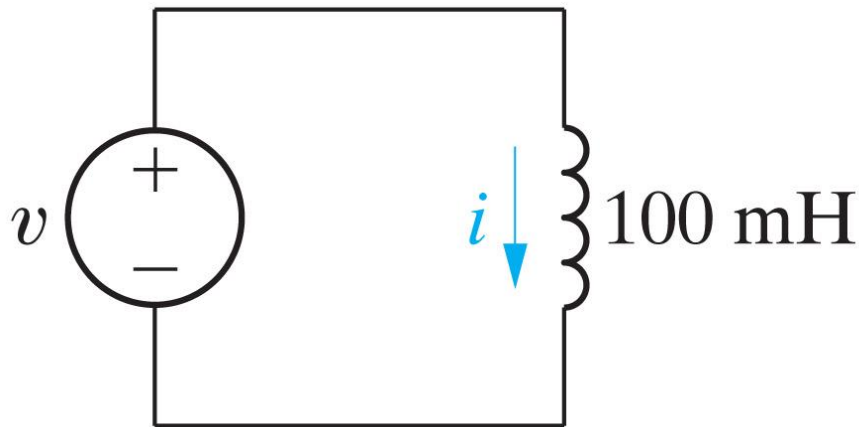
$\uparrow$  peak  $i$

$$w_{\max} = 27.07 \text{ mJ}$$

# Example 6.4 Using the integral formula

Given: voltage across inductor

Find: current through inductor



$$v = 0, \quad t < 0$$

$$v = 20te^{-10t} \text{ V}, \quad t > 0$$

- Sketch the voltage as a function of time.
- Find the inductor current as a function of time.
- Sketch the current as a function of time.

$$i = i(0) + \frac{1}{L} \int v dt$$

# Integrating with Wolfram Alpha

- Basic indefinite integral:

- Integrate[x^2, {x}]

$$\int x^2 dx = \frac{x^3}{3} + \text{constant}$$

- Basic definite integral

- Integrate[x^2, {x, 0, 5}]

$$\int_0^5 x^2 dx = \frac{125}{3}$$

# Integrating with Wolfram Alpha

- Our integrals must be done using “dummy variable substitution” which is a definite integral from  $t_0$  to  $t$ . In the last example,  $t_0=0$

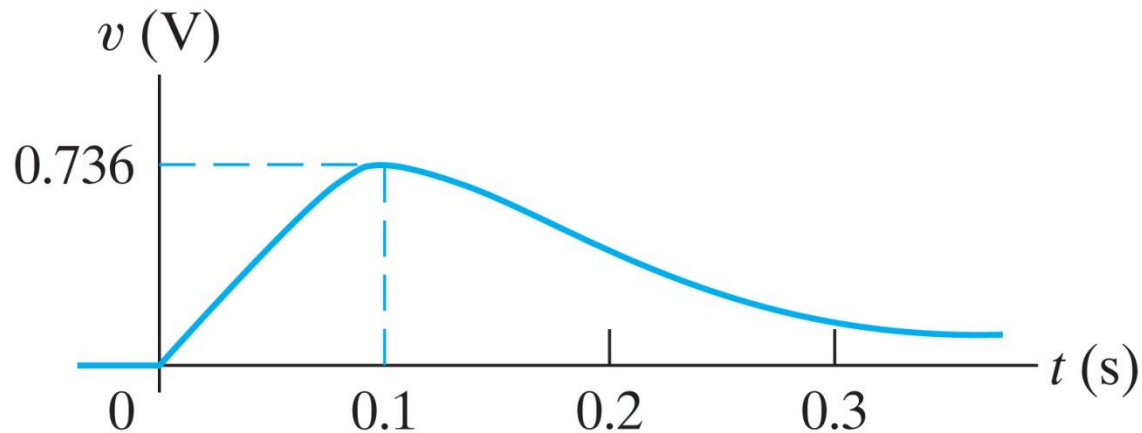
- In this example

–  $0 + (1/0.1)*\text{Integrate}[20x*E^{(-10x)},{x,0,t}]$

*Integrate wrt x  
from 0 to t*

$$0 + \frac{1}{0.1} \int_0^t 20x e^{-10x} dx \quad \Rightarrow \quad 2. (1 - e^{-10t} (10t + 1))$$





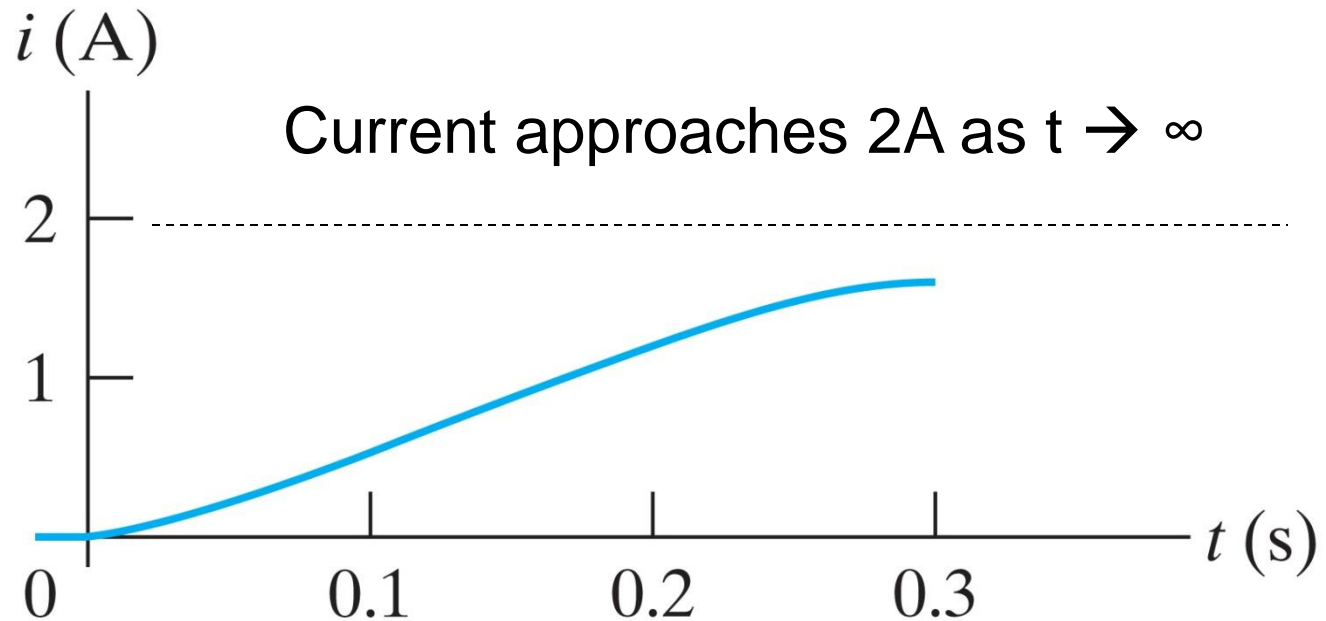
$$i(t) = \frac{1}{L} \int_0^t v d\tau + i(0)$$

$$i(t) = \frac{1}{0.1} \int_0^t 20\tau e^{-10\tau} d\tau + 0$$

$$i(t) = 200 \left[ \frac{-e^{-10\tau}}{100} (10\tau - 1) \right]_0^t$$

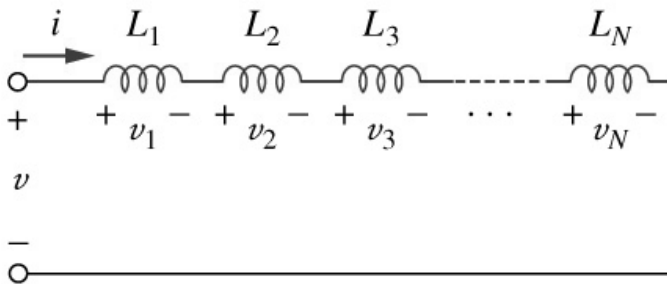
$$i(t) = 2(1 - 10te^{-10t} - e^{-10t})$$

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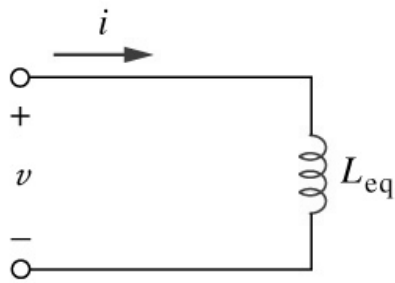


# 6.4 Series and Parallel Inductors (1)

- The equivalent inductance of **series-connected** inductors is the sum of the individual inductances.  
*just like resistors*



(a)

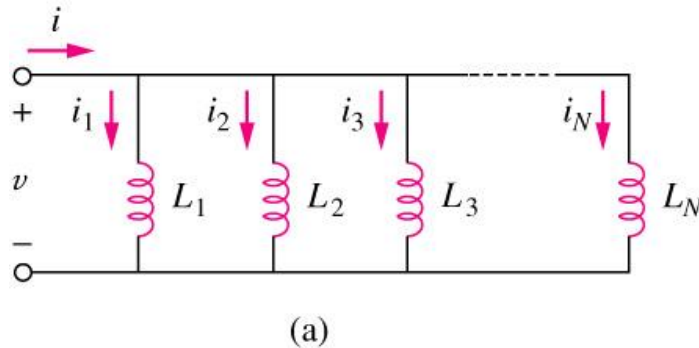


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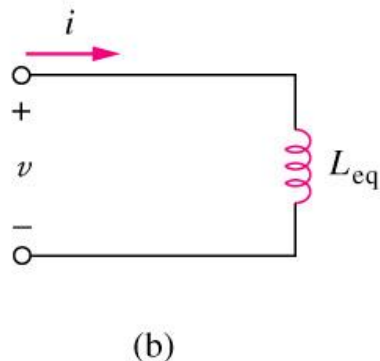
$$L_{eq} = L_1 + L_2 + \dots + L_N$$

# 6.4 Series and Parallel Inductors (2)

- The equivalent capacitance of **parallel** inductors is the reciprocal of the sum of the reciprocals of the individual inductances.

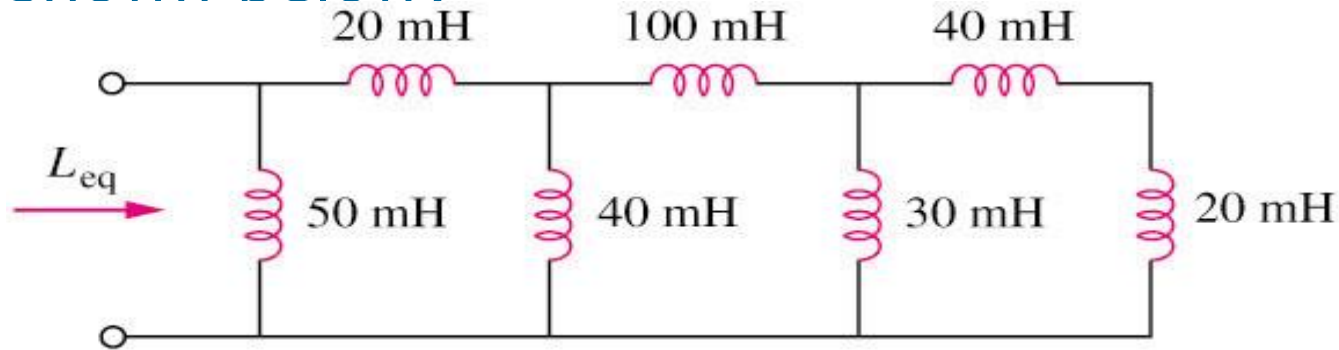


$$\frac{1}{L_{eq}} = \frac{1}{L_1} + \frac{1}{L_2} + \dots + \frac{1}{L_N}$$



## Example 7

Calculate the equivalent inductance for the inductive ladder network in the circuit shown below:



$$30 \parallel 60 = 20 \text{ mH}$$

$$40 \parallel 120 = 30 \text{ mH}$$




$$50 \parallel 50 = \underline{\underline{25 \text{ mH}}}$$

**Answer:**

$$L_{eq} = \underline{\underline{25 \text{ mH}}}$$

# 6.4 Series and Parallel Capacitors (4)

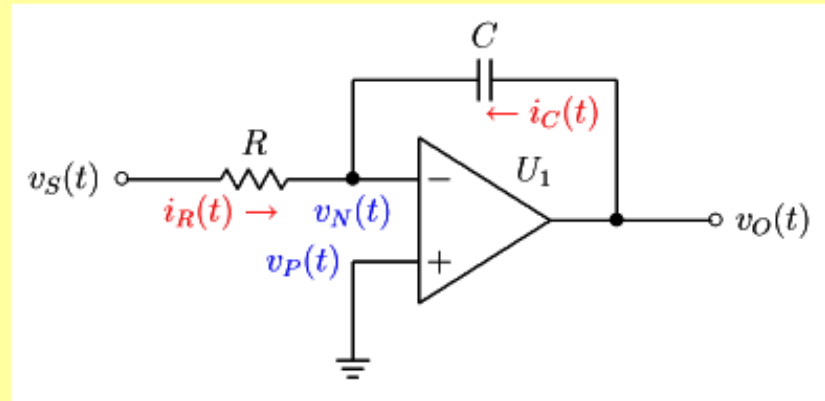
- Current and voltage relationship for R, L, C

Circuit element	Units	Voltage	Current	Power
 <p><b>Resistance</b></p>	ohms ( $\Omega$ )	$v = Ri$ <p>(Ohm's law)</p>	$i = \frac{v}{R}$	$p = vi = i^2 R$
 <p><b>Inductance</b></p>	henries (H)	$v = L \frac{di}{dt}$	$i = \frac{1}{L} \int v dt + k_1$	$p = vi = Li \frac{di}{dt}$
 <p><b>Capacitance</b></p>	farads (F)	$v = \frac{1}{C} \int i dt + k_2$	$i = C \frac{dv}{dt}$	$p = vi = Cv \frac{dv}{dt}$

# Analog Integration

<http://ecee.colorado.edu/~mathys/ecen1400/labs/lab06/index.html>

**Inverting Integrator.** The figure below shows the circuit of a inverting integrator.



In this case the capacitor provides some negative feedback, but since a capacitor acts like an open circuit for dc, the dc gain feedback the output of the OpAmp eventually goes into positive or negative saturation in practical implementations. To analyze the OpAmp to obtain

$$i_R(t) + i_C(t) = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{v_S(t) - v_N(t)}{R} + C \frac{d[v_O(t) - v_N(t)]}{dt} = 0.$$

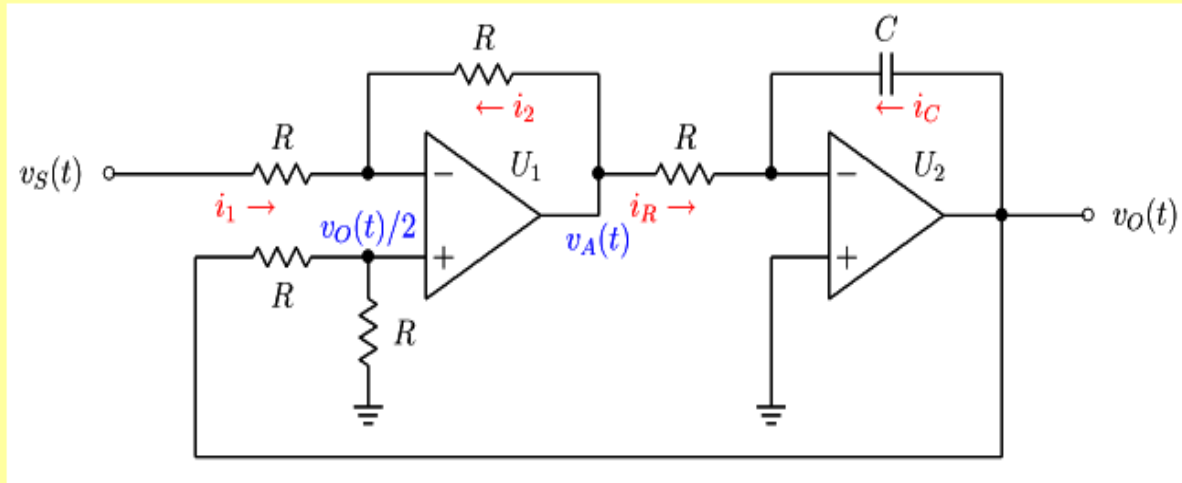
With  $v_N(t) = v_P(t) = 0$  this becomes

$$\frac{v_S(t)}{R} + C \frac{dv_O(t)}{dt} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{dv_O(t)}{dt} = -\frac{1}{RC} v_S(t).$$

Integrating both sides of the last expression then yields

$$v_O(t) = -\frac{1}{RC} \int_{-\infty}^t v_S(\tau) d\tau = -\frac{1}{RC} \int_{t_0}^t v_S(\tau) d\tau + v_O(t_0).$$

# A differential equation solver



The second OpAmp  $U_2$  is an inverting integrator. Assuming ideal OpAmps and using KCL at the inverting input node yields

$$i_R(t) + i_C(t) = 0 \implies \frac{v_A(t)}{R} + C \frac{dv_O(t)}{dt} = 0 \implies v_A(t) = -RC \frac{dv_O(t)}{dt}.$$

Using voltage division, the voltage at the non-inverting node of OpAmp  $U_1$  is found to be  $v_O(t)/2$ . Next, use KCL at the inverting input node of  $U_1$  to obtain

$$i_1(t) + i_2(t) = 0 \implies \frac{2v_S(t) - v_O(t)}{2R} + \frac{2v_A(t) - v_O(t)}{2R} = 0 \implies v_S(t) = v_O(t) - v_A(t).$$

Combining the two results to eliminate the intermediate quantity  $v_A(t)$  finally gives the differential equation

$$v_S(t) = v_O(t) + RC \frac{dv_O(t)}{dt}.$$

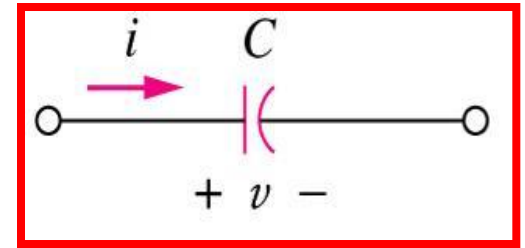
Thus, the output  $v_O(t)$  of the analog computer shown above is the solution of a first order differential equation with time constant  $RC$ .



# HANDOUTS

## Example 1

The voltage across a  $100\text{-}\mu\text{F}$  capacitor is



$$v(t) = 50 \sin(120 \pi t) \text{ V}$$

Find the displacement current  $i$  flowing into capacitor as a function of time

**Answer:**

$$i(t) = 1.8850 \cos(120 \pi t)$$

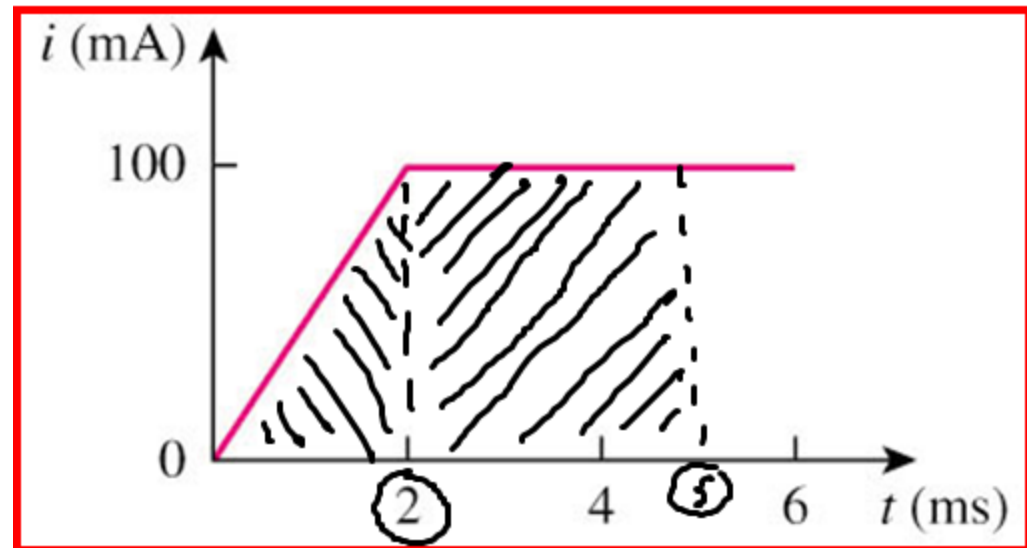
## Example 2

An initially uncharged 1-mF capacitor has the current shown below across it.

Find the voltage across it at  $t = 2$  ms and  $t = 5$  ms.

$$V(2) = 0 + [\text{area of Triangle}] / .001\text{F}$$

$$V(5) = v(2) + [\text{area of square}] / .001\text{F}$$



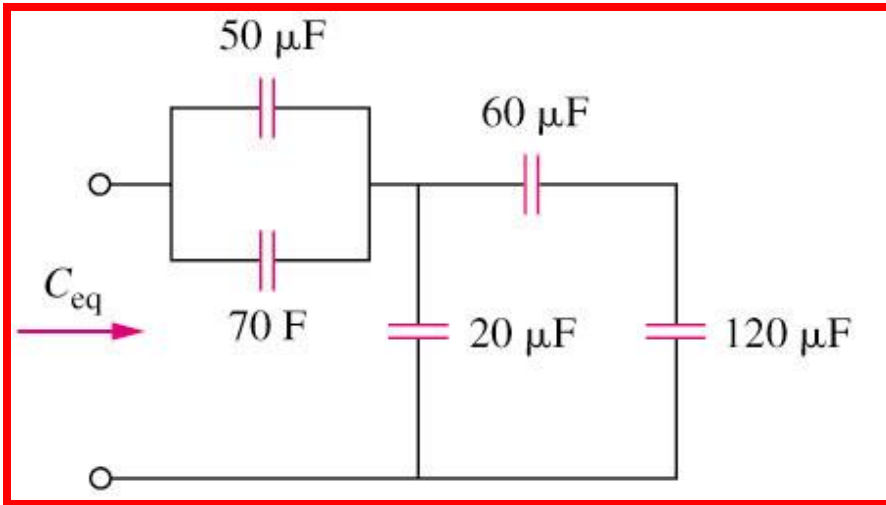
**Answer:**

$$v(2\text{ms}) = 100 \text{ mV}$$

$$v(5\text{ms}) = 400 \text{ mV}$$

## Example 3

Find the equivalent capacitance seen at the terminals of the circuit in the circuit shown below:



**Answer:**

$$C_{eq} = \underline{40 \mu\text{F}}$$

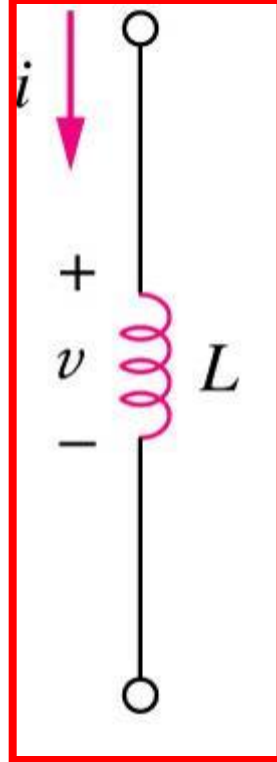
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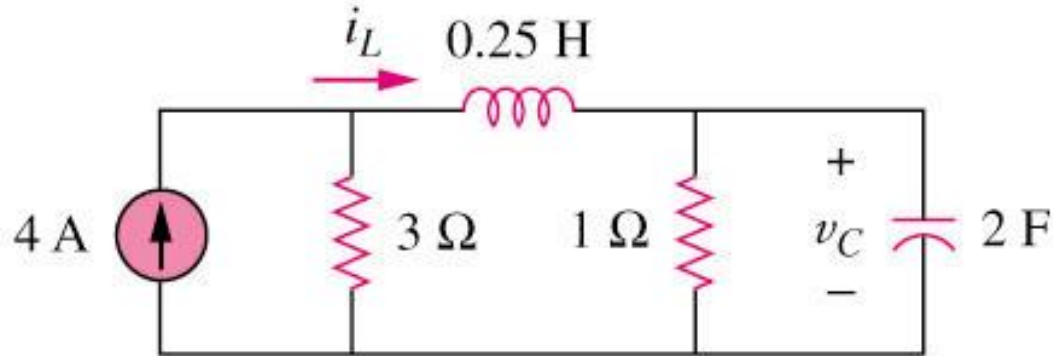
**Answer:**

$$i(4s) = -18\text{A}$$

$$w(4s) = 320\text{J}$$

## Example 6

Determine  $v_C$ ,  $i_L$ , and the energy stored in the capacitor and inductor in the circuit of circuit shown below under



**Answer:**

$$i_L = 3A$$

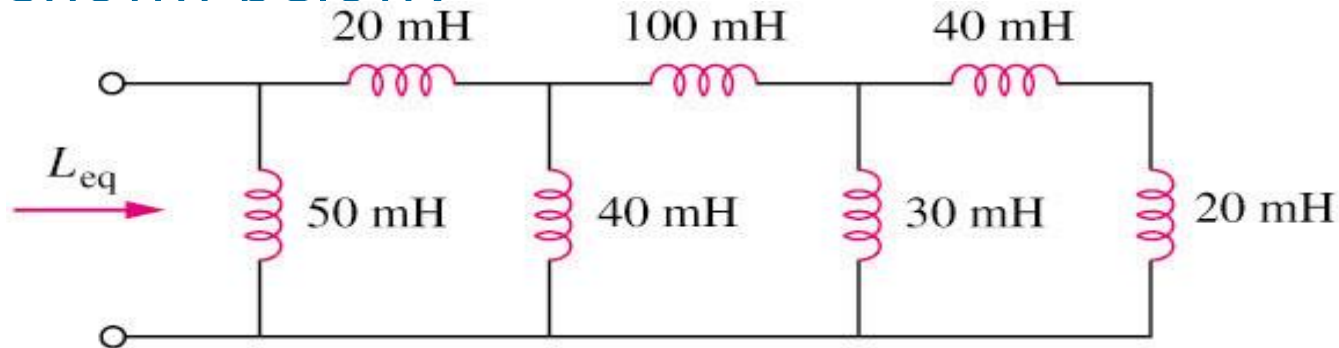
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$$w_L = 1.125J$$

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## Example 7

Calculate the equivalent inductance for the inductive ladder network in the circuit shown below:



**Answer:**

$$L_{eq} = \underline{25\text{mH}}$$