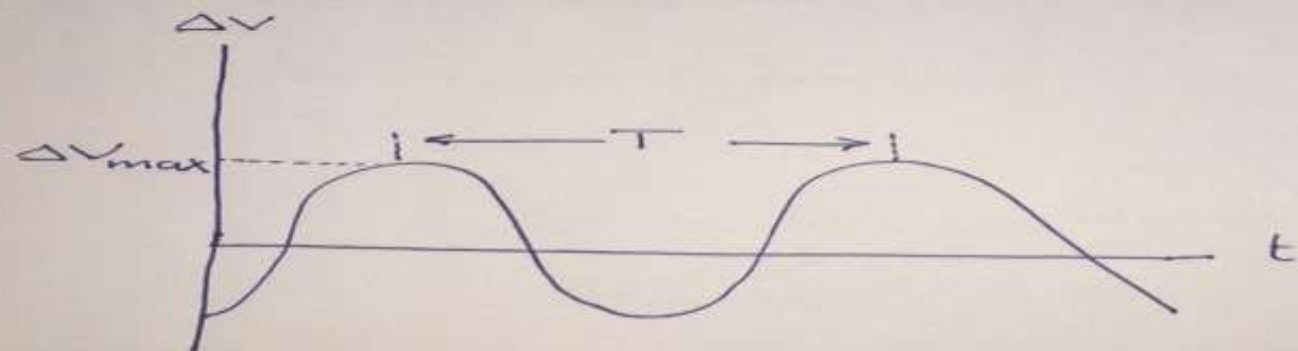


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An A.C circuit consists of circuit elements and power source the provides an alternating voltage ΔV . This time-varying voltage from the source is described by

$$\Delta V = \Delta V_{\max} \sin \omega t$$

where ΔV_{\max} : is the maximum output voltage of the source



The voltage applied by an A.C source

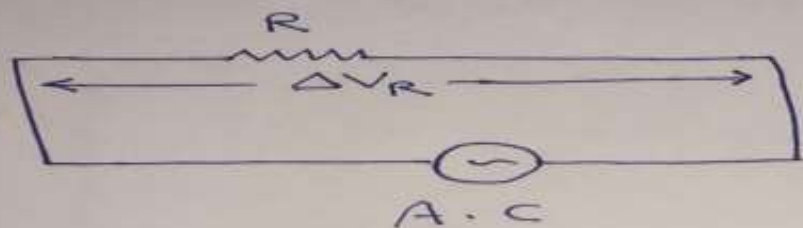
$$f = \frac{1}{T} \Rightarrow T = \frac{1}{f}$$

$$\omega = 2\pi f = \frac{2\pi}{T}$$

where f : is the frequency

T : is the period

① Resistors in an A.C circuit



$$\Delta V = \Delta V_{\max} \sin \omega t$$

$$\Delta V - i_R R = 0$$

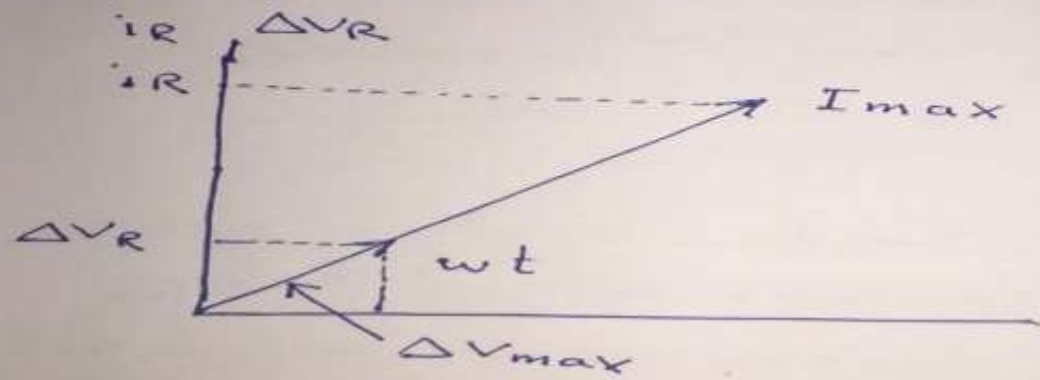
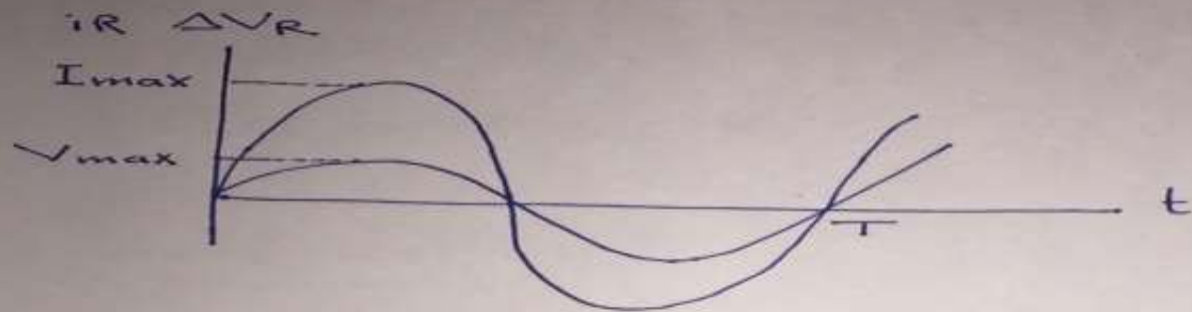
$$i_R = \frac{\Delta V}{R} = \frac{\Delta V_{\max} \sin \omega t}{R}$$

$$i_R = I_{\max} \sin \omega t$$

where I_{\max} is the maximum current

$$I_{\max} = \frac{\Delta V_{\max}}{R}$$

$$\Delta V_R = iR R = I_{\max} R \sin \omega t$$



rms current

$$I_{rms} = \sqrt{(i^2)_{ave}}$$

$$I_{rms} = \frac{I_{max}}{\sqrt{2}} = 0.707 I_{max}$$

$$P_{ave} = I_{rms}^2 R$$

rms voltage

$$\Delta V_{rms} = \frac{\Delta V_{max}}{\sqrt{2}} = 0.707 \Delta V_{max}$$

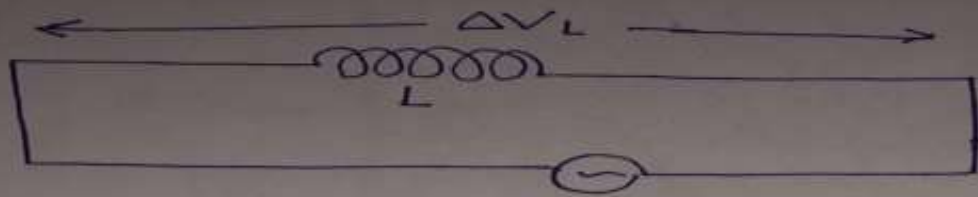
Exp: The voltage output of an AC source is given by the expression $\Delta V = (200V) \sin \omega t$. Find the rms current in the circuit when the source is connected to a 100Ω resistor (R)

Solution:

$$\Delta V_{rms} = \frac{\Delta V_{max}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{200}{\sqrt{2}} = 141 \text{ Volt}$$

$$I_{rms} = \frac{\Delta V_{rms}}{R} = \frac{141}{100} = 1.41 \text{ Amp}$$

② Inductors in A.C circuit



$$\Delta V = \Delta V_{\max} \sin \omega t$$

$$\Delta V_L = V_L = -L \left(\frac{di_L}{dt} \right)$$

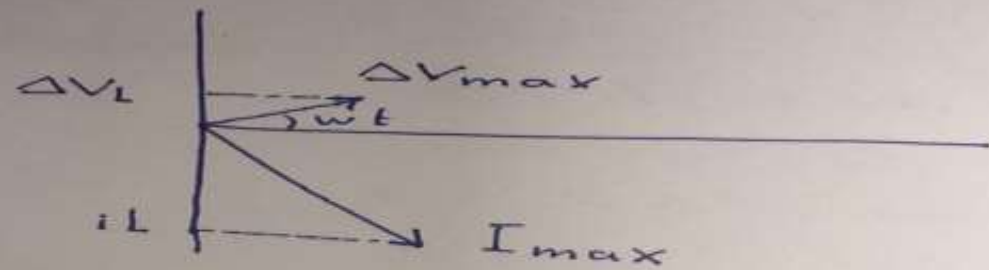
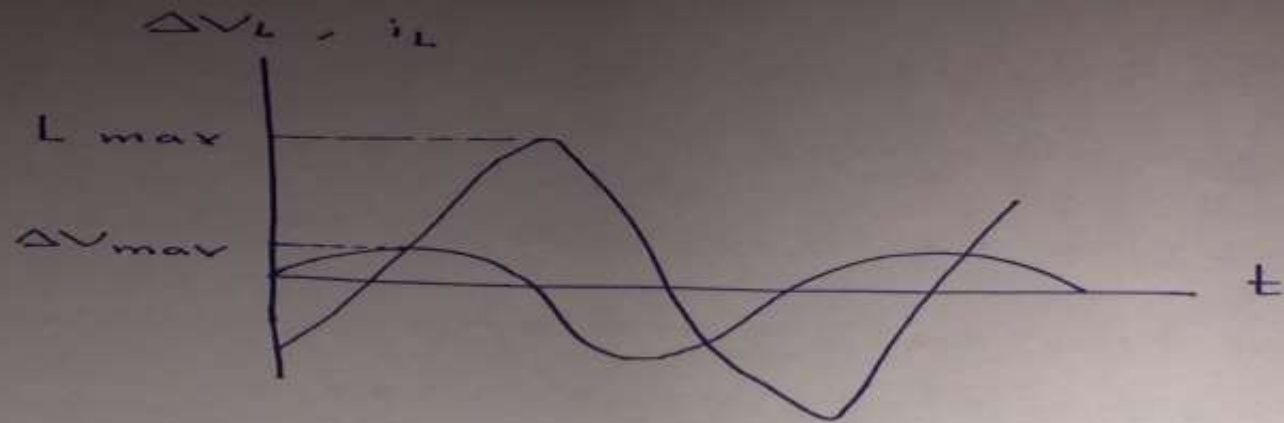
$$\Delta V + \Delta V_L = 0$$

$$\Delta V - L \frac{di_L}{dt} = \Delta V_{\max} \sin \omega t$$

$$di_L = \frac{\Delta V_{\max}}{L} \sin \omega t dt$$

$$i_L = \frac{\Delta V_{\max}}{L} \int \sin \omega t dt = \frac{\Delta V_{\max}}{\omega L} \cos \omega t$$

$$i_L = \frac{\Delta V_{\max}}{\omega L} \sin \left(\omega t - \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$



when maximum value $\cos \omega t = \pm 1$

$$I_{\max} = \frac{\Delta V_{\max}}{\omega L}$$

Inductive reactance X_L

$$X_L = \omega L = 2\pi fL$$

$$I_{\max} = \frac{\Delta V_{\max}}{X_L}$$

Exp: In a purely inductive A.C circuit
 $L = 25 \text{ mH}$ and rms voltage is 150 volts
Calculate: The inductive reactance (X_L)
and rms current in the circuit
if frequency is $f = 60 \text{ Hz}$.

Solution:

$$\textcircled{a} X_L = \omega L = 2\pi fL$$

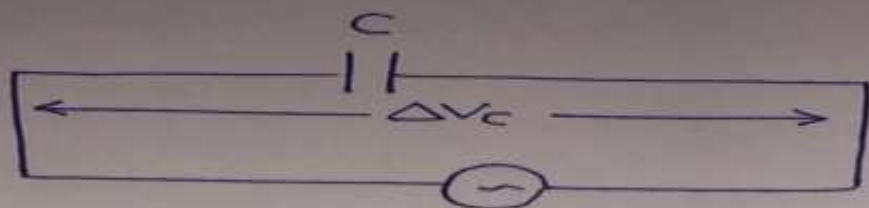
$$X_L = 2\pi (60 \times 25 \times 10^{-3})$$

$$X_L = 9.42 \ \Omega.$$

$$\textcircled{b} I_{\text{rms}} = \frac{\Delta V_{\text{max}}}{X_L} = \frac{150}{9.42}$$

$$I_{\text{rms}} = 15.9 \text{ Amperes.}$$

③ Capacitors in an A.C Circuit



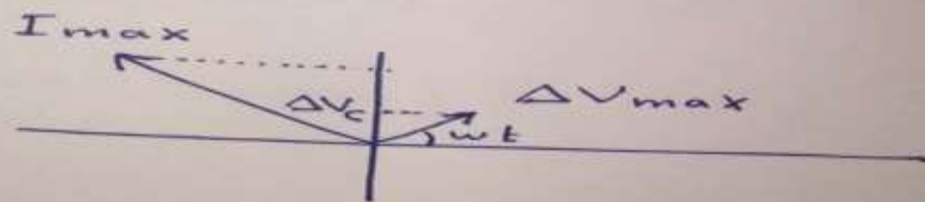
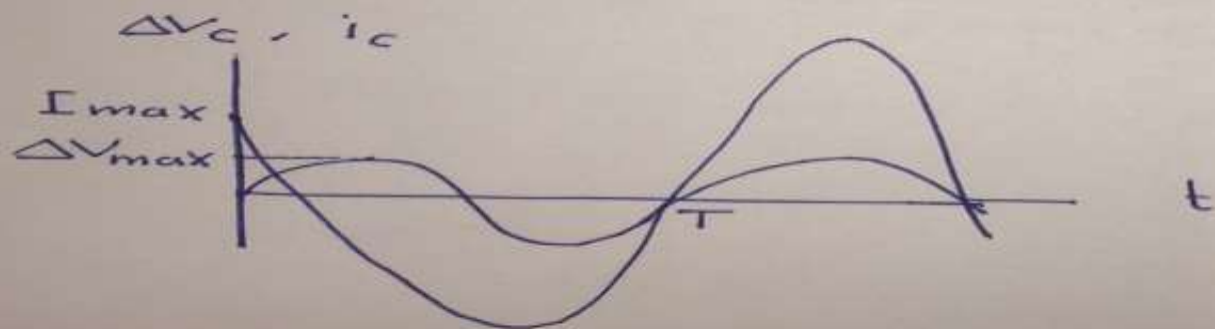
$$\Delta V = \Delta V_m \sin \omega t$$

$$\Delta V - \Delta V_c = 0$$

$$\Delta V - \frac{q}{C} = 0$$

$$q = C \Delta V_m \sin \omega t$$

$$i_c = \frac{dq}{dt} = \omega C \Delta V_m \cos \omega t$$



$$\cos \omega t = \sin \left(\omega t + \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

$$i_c = \omega C \Delta V_m \sin \left(\omega t + \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

$$I_{\max} = \omega C \Delta V_{\max} = \frac{\Delta V_{\max}}{\left(\frac{1}{\omega C}\right)}$$

Capacitive reactance (X_C)

$$X_C = \frac{1}{\omega C} = \frac{1}{2\pi f C}$$

$$I_{\max} = \frac{\Delta V_{\max}}{X_C}$$

$$\Delta V_C = \Delta V_{\max} \sin \omega t = I_{\max} X_C \sin \omega t.$$

Exp: An a $8 \mu\text{F}$ capacitor is connected to the terminals of a 60 Hz . A.C source whose rms voltage is 150 volts .

Find: The capacitive reactance and the rms current in the circuit.

Solution:

$$\textcircled{a} X_C = \frac{1}{\omega C} = \frac{1}{2\pi f C} = \frac{1}{2\pi (60 \times 8 \times 10^{-6})}$$
$$X_C = 332 \Omega$$

$$\textcircled{b} I_{\text{rms}} = \frac{\Delta V_{\text{rms}}}{X_C} = \frac{150}{332} = 0.452 \text{ Amperes}$$