

# 1 Chapter 2 Dynamic Simulation

1. A voltage source is serving an RLC series connected circuit. Let  $R = 0.01\Omega$ ,  $L = 0.01$  H,  $C = 0.001$  F. The compensation degree of the system is  $X_c/X_L$ , approximately 70.36%. Find its current response for a step response of the voltage source, and a sinusoidal 60 Hz input (amplitude 1 V) of the voltage source. Use Laplace transformation to find the current in Laplace domain and current in time domain.

**Solution:** We will first find the transfer function from the source voltage to the current by implementing the impedance model. The impedance model of the circuit is  $R + Ls + \frac{1}{Cs}$ . Therefore, the transfer function is

$$\frac{I(s)}{V_s(s)} = \frac{1}{R + Ls + \frac{1}{Cs}}. \quad (1)$$

Next, we consider two cases. Case 1, the source voltage is a step response and its Laplace transform is  $\frac{1}{s}$ . Case 2, the source voltage is sinusoidal.

Case 1:  $V_s(s) = \frac{1}{s}$  for a step response. Therefore, we may find the current's Laplace transform as

$$I(s) = \frac{1}{s} \frac{Cs}{LCs^2 + RCs + 1} = \frac{0.001}{10^{-5}s^2 + 10^{-5}s + 1} = \frac{100}{s^2 + s + 10^5} \quad (2)$$

A few algebraic manipulations will lead to

$$I(s) = \frac{100}{(s + 0.5)^2 + 316^2}. \quad (3)$$

Since the inverse Laplace transform for  $\frac{b}{(s-a)^2+b^2}$  is  $e^{at} \sin(bt)$ , we then find  $i(t)$  in the following expression.

$$i(t) = 0.3162e^{-0.5t} \sin(316t) \text{ A} \quad (4)$$

Case 2:  $v_s(t) = \sin(377t)$ . Its Laplace transform is  $V_s(s) = \frac{377}{s^2 + 377^2}$ . We may find the current's Laplace transform as

$$I(s) = \frac{377}{s^2 + 377^2} \frac{0.001s}{10^{-5}s^2 + 10^{-5}s + 1} = \frac{37700s}{(s^2 + 377^2)(s^2 + s + 10^5)} \quad (5)$$

The denominator has four roots:  $\pm j377$  and  $-0.5 \pm j316$ . In order to find  $i(t)$ , we need to carry out inverse Laplace transform. The technique used is Partial Fraction Expansion to split up a complicated fraction into forms that are in the Laplace transform table. For the above  $I(s)$ , its fraction expansion expression is

$$I(s) = \frac{k_1s + k_2}{s^2 + 377^2} + \frac{k_3s + k_4}{s^2 + s + 10^5} \quad (6)$$

where  $k_i$ s are real numbers.

To find  $k_1$  and  $k_2$ , let (5) and (6) both be multiplied by  $(s^2 + 377^2)$ . Then we evaluated the right side terms of the two equations at  $\pm j377$ . Note that  $\frac{k_3s + k_4}{s^2 + s + 10^5}(s^2 + 377)$  will be 0 if it is evaluated

at  $s = \pm j377$ . Therefore the following equations will be found.

$$k_1 s + k_2 \Big|_{-j377} = \frac{37700s}{s^2 + s + 10^5} \Big|_{-j377} \quad (7a)$$

$$k_1 s + k_2 \Big|_{j377} = \frac{37700s}{s^2 + s + 10^5} \Big|_{j377} \quad (7b)$$

$$\implies k_1 = -0.8948, k_2 = 3.0187$$

Similarly, we can find  $k_3 = 0.8948$  and  $k_4 = -2.1239$ .

The inverse Laplace transform is

$$\begin{aligned} i(t) &= k_1 \cos(377t) + \frac{k_2}{377} \sin(377t) + k_3 e^{-0.5t} \sin(316t) + \frac{k_4}{316} e^{-0.5t} \cos(316t) \\ &= -0.8948 \cos(377t) + 0.008 \sin(377t) + 0.8948 e^{-0.5t} \sin(316t) - 0.0067 e^{-0.5t} \cos(316t) \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

The above expression can be further arranged as follows.

$$i(t) = 0.8948 \sin(377t - 1.5618) + 0.8948 e^{-0.5t} \sin(316t - 0.0075) \quad (9)$$

**Remarks:** We may examine the above expression and know that the steady-state response of the current is  $0.8948 \sin(377t - 1.5618)$ . This time-domain function can also be obtained by phasor-based calculation.

The impedance at 60 Hz or 377 rad/s is  $Z = R + j377L - j\frac{1}{377C} = 1.1175e^{j1.5618}$ .

Therefore the current phasor magnitude should be the voltage source magnitude divided by  $|Z| = 1.1175$  and the phase shift should be  $-1.5618$  radian. The steady-state current should be

$$i(t) = \frac{1}{1.1175} \sin(377t - 1.5618) = 0.8948 \sin(377t - 1.5618).$$

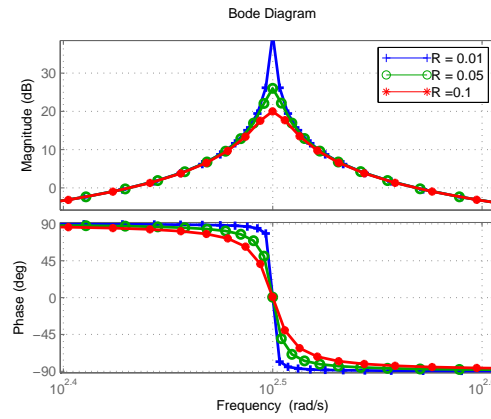
2. Use MATLAB linear system analysis tools to define a linear system for the above RLC circuit. Treat the voltage source as the input while the current as the output. Give a set of Bode plots of the system by varying  $R$ . Notate the plot properly. Use MATLAB function *step* to examine the dynamic response of the current with a step response of the voltage source. Use Matlab function *lsim* to examine the dynamic response of the current with a sinusoidal input.

**Solution:** The MATLAB codes are as follows.

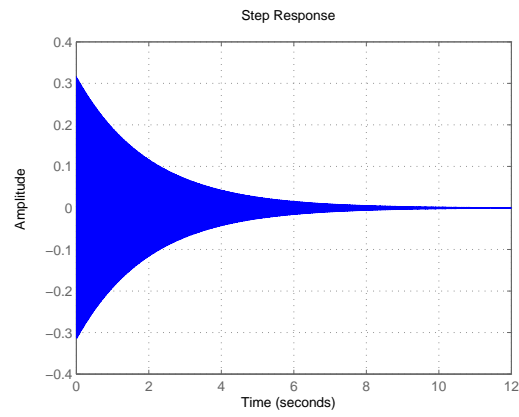
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R = [0.01, 0.05, 0.1] ; L = 0.01; C = 0.001;
s = tf('s');
for i=1: length(R)
    plant(i) = 1/(R(i) + L*s + 1/(C*s));
    bode(plant(i)); hold on;
end

figure
step(plant(1)); grid on;

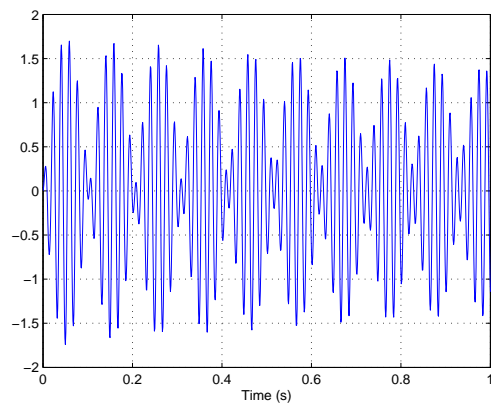
t=0:0.001:1; u = sin(377*t);
y = lsim(plant(1), u, t, 0);
figure
plot(t,y);
xlabel('Time (s)'); grid on;
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(a) Bode plots for three different  $R$ s.



(b) Problem 2: *step* output for a step input.



(c) Problem 2: *lsim* output for a sinusoidal input.

Figure 1: Problem 2.

The generated figures are shown in Figs. 1a, 1b, and 1c.

3. For the above RLC circuit, build a two-order state-space model. The state variables are the current and the voltage across the capacitor. Use MATLAB function *ode* to simulate the dynamic response of the current for a step input and a sinusoidal input.

**Solution:** The state-space model has been built in (2.19). The MATLAB codes to conduct the two simulation case studies are as follows.

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R = 0.1 ; L = 0.01; C = 0.001;
dxdt_step = @(t, x, R, L, C) [(1-R*x(1)-x(2))/L; x(1)/C] ;
dxdt_sin = @(t, x, R, L, C) [(sin(377*t)-R*x(1)-x(2))/L; x(1)/C] ;
[T1,y1]= ode23(@(t,x)dxdt_step(t, x, R, L, C), [0 1],[0; 0]);
[T2,y2]= ode23(@(t,x)dxdt_sin(t, x, R, L, C), [0 1],[0; 0]);

figure
plot(T1,y1); grid on; xlabel('Time (s)');
figure
plot(T2,y2); grid on; xlabel('Time (s)');
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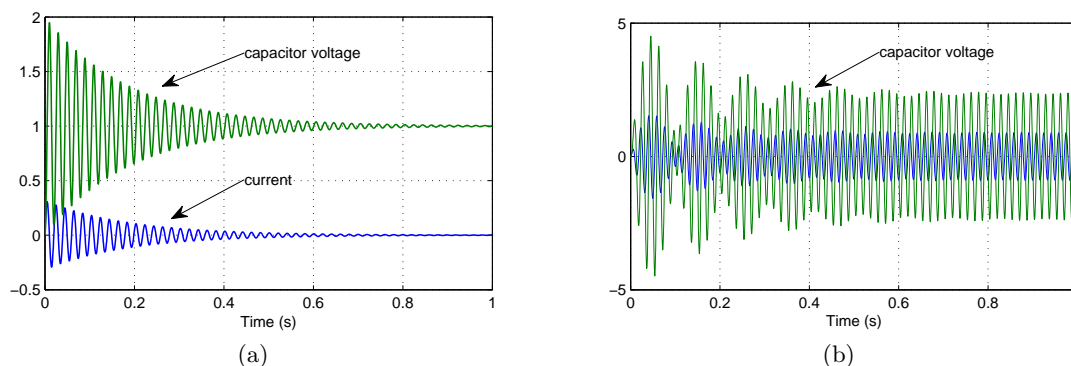


Figure 2: Problem 3: (a) Dynamic response for a step input; (b) Dynamic response for a sinusoidal input.

## 2 Chapter 3 Frequency Control

1. Use parameters in Example 1 Fig. 3.29. For a single generator load serving system, derive the linear system model and build the model in MATLAB/Simulink. Find the droop to make  $\Delta\omega = -0.2$  for  $\Delta P_L = 0.1$ .

- Find the bandwidth of the system with only primary frequency control.
- Provide the dynamic simulation of the system frequency due to a step response of load increase 0.1.
- Specify  $\Delta P_c$  to bring  $\Delta\omega$  back to zero.