

A resistor (R) and an inductor (L) are in parallel. What is the effective impedance, Z_{eff} across these elements?

A. $R + L$

B. $R + i\omega L$

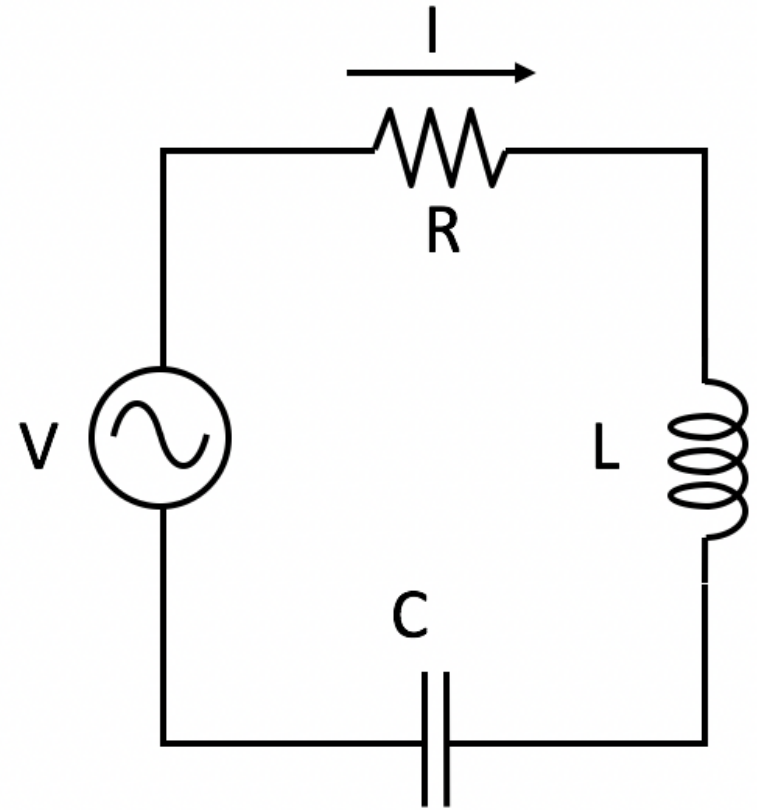
C. $1/(R + i\omega L)$

D. $\frac{1}{1/R - i/(\omega L)}$

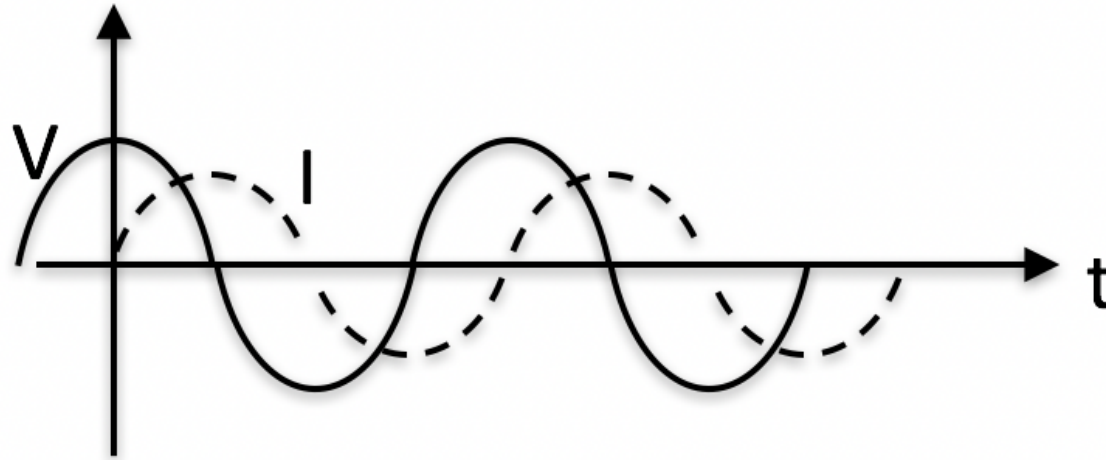
E. Something else?

What is the total impedance of this circuit, Z_{total} ?

- A. $R + i \left(\omega L + \frac{1}{\omega C} \right)$
- B. $R + i \left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C} \right)$
- C. $\frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{i\omega L} + i\omega C$
- D. $\frac{1}{\frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{i\omega L} + i\omega C}$
- E. None of these



AC voltage V and current I vs time t are as shown:



The graph shows that..

- A. I leads V (I peaks before V peaks)
- B. I lags V (I peaks after V peaks)
- C. Neither

Suppose you have a circuit driven by a voltage:

$$V(t) = V_0 \cos(\omega t)$$

You observe the resulting current is:

$$I(t) = I_0 \cos(\omega t - \pi/4)$$

Would you say the current is

A. leading

B. lagging

the voltage by 45 degrees?

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