

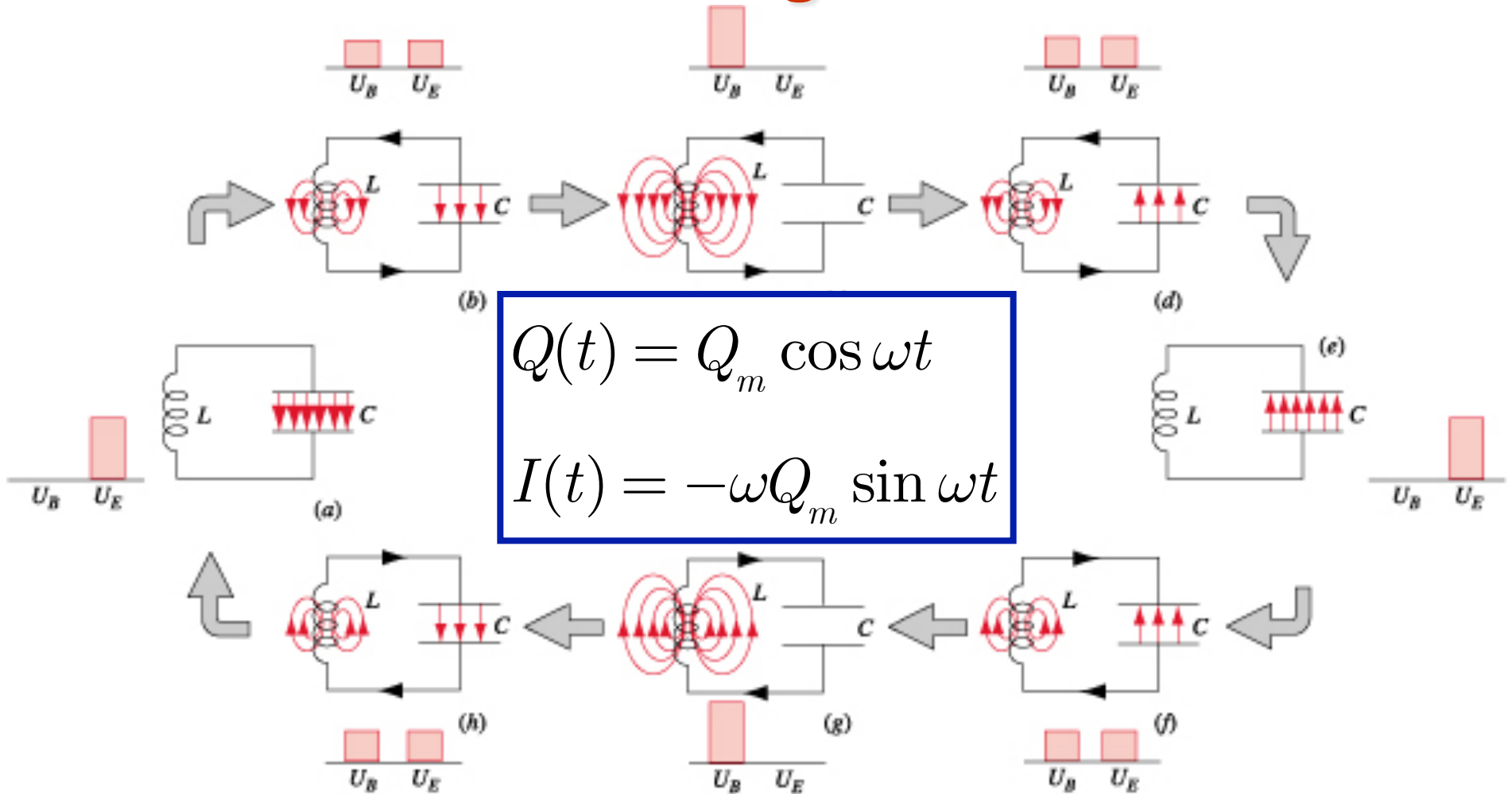
Chapter 28: Alternating-Current Circuits

Thursday November 3rd

- Review of energy and oscillations in *LC* circuits
- Alternating current theory
 - Defⁿ of terms, e.g., rms values
 - Resistance
 - Capacitive reactance
 - Inductive reactance
- Putting it all together - *LRC* circuits
 - Voltage/phase relations
 - Impedance
 - Resonance

Reading: up to page 501 in the text book (Ch. 28)

Ch. 28: Electromagnetic oscillations



$$U = U_B + U_E = \frac{1}{2} LI^2 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{Q^2}{C}$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC}}$$

Ch. 28: Alternating Current

$$V(t) = V_P \sin(\omega t + \phi_V); \quad I(t) = I_P \sin(\omega t + \phi_I)$$

Here
 $\omega t + \phi = 0$.

Voltage completes
a full cycle when
 ωt advances by 2π .

Angular frequency:

$$\omega = 2\pi f$$

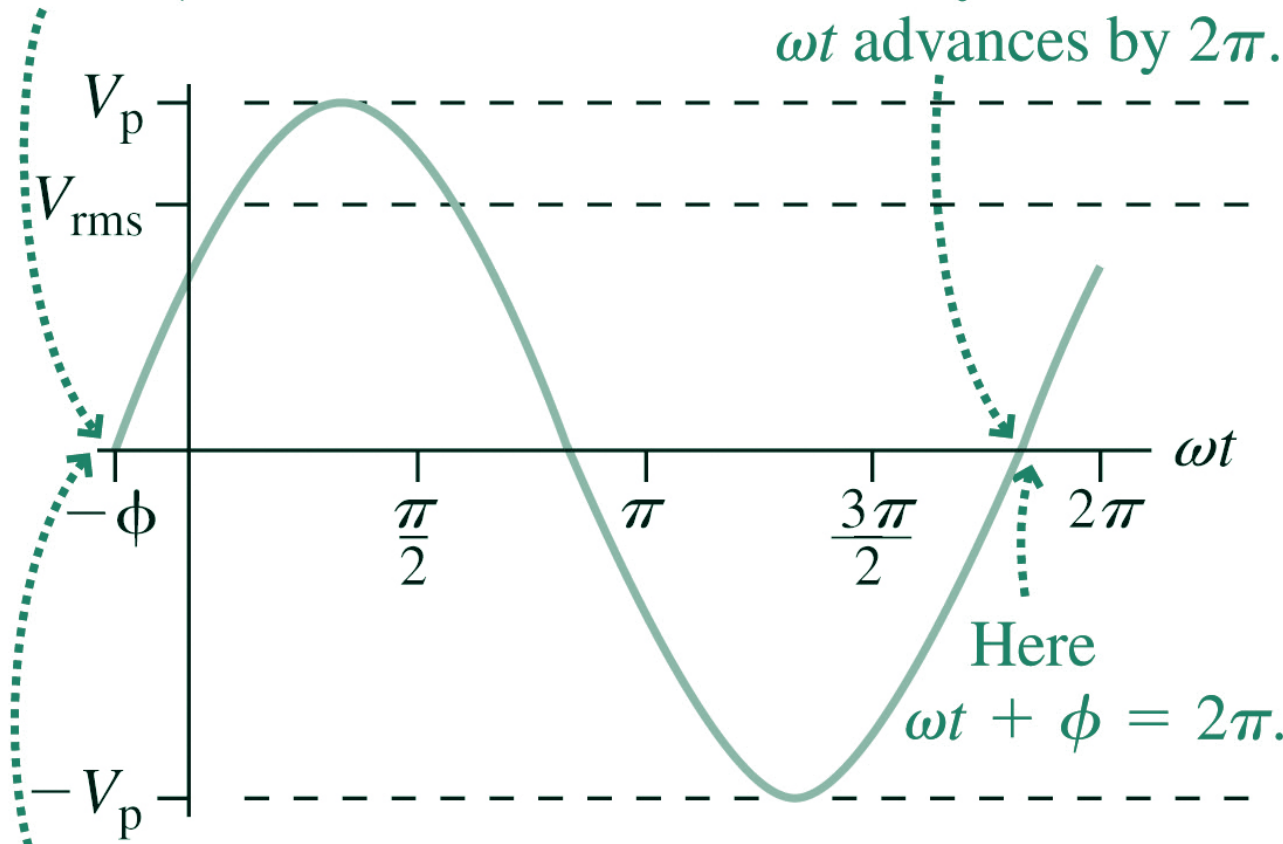
In this example:

$$\phi_V = +\pi/6 \text{ or } 30^\circ$$

Root-Mean-Square:

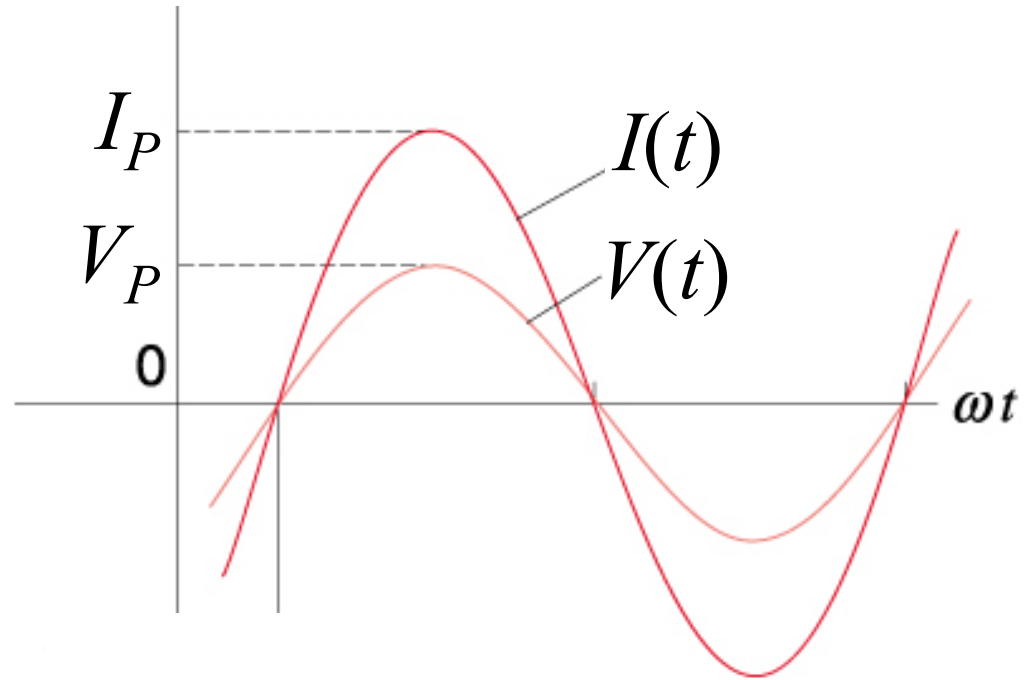
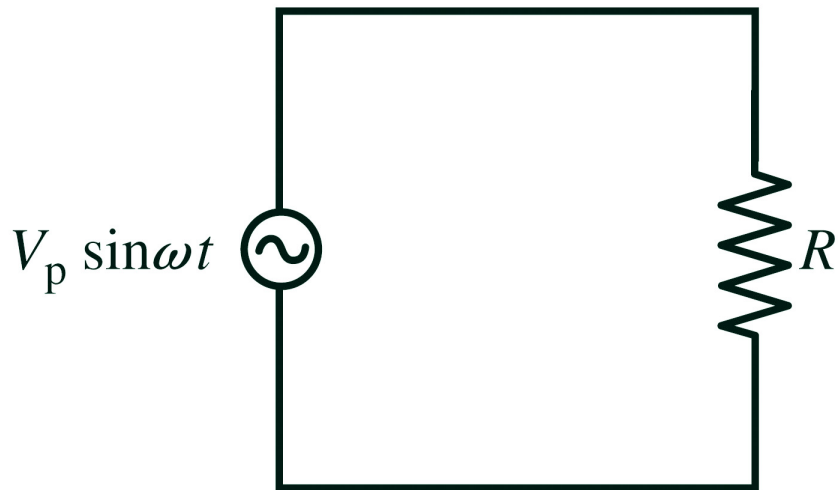
$$V_{rms} = \frac{V_P}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$I_{rms} = \frac{I_P}{\sqrt{2}}$$



Sine curve starts at $\omega t = -\pi/6$ or -30°

AC circuits: the resistive term



Voltage (driving term):

$$V(t) = V_P \sin \omega t$$

Current response:

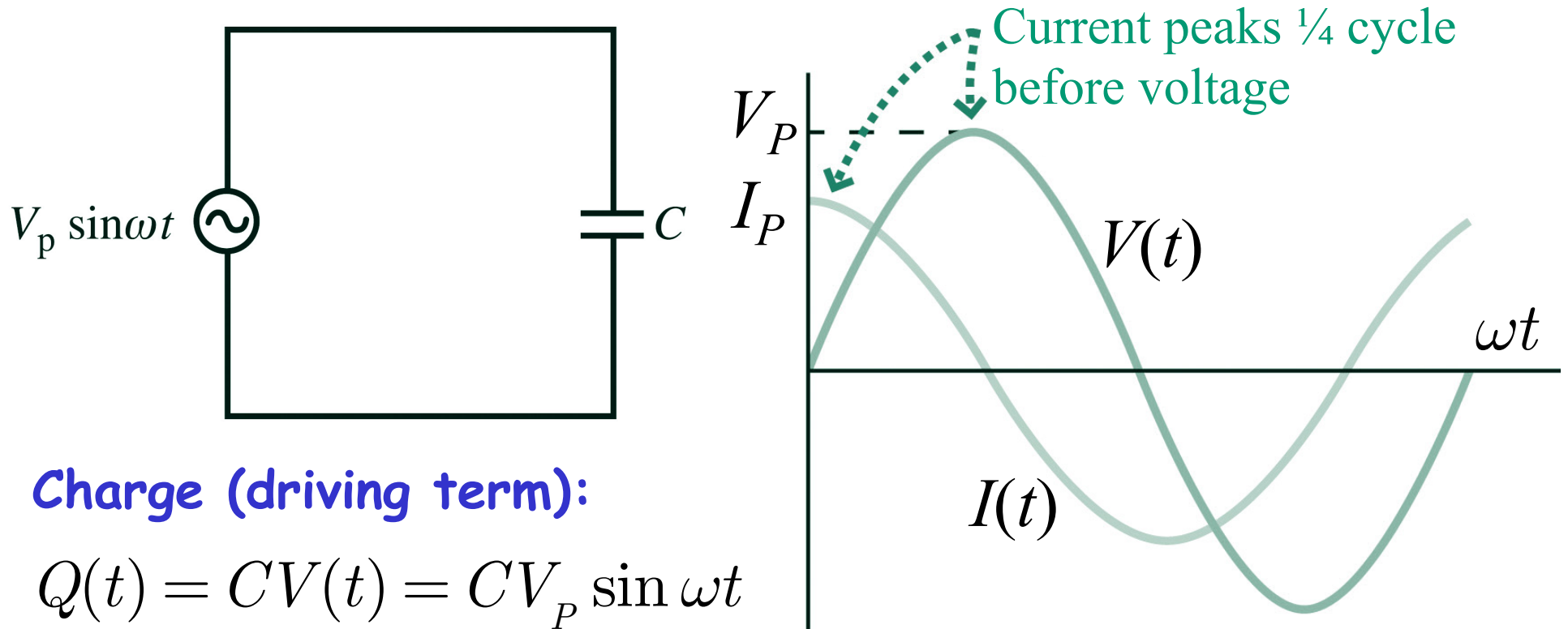
$$I(t) = \frac{V}{R} = \frac{V_P}{R} \sin \omega t$$

For a resistor **ONLY**:
Current and voltage in phase

$$\Rightarrow I_P = V_P / R$$

$$I_{rms} = V_{rms} / R$$

AC circuits: the capacitive term



Charge (driving term):

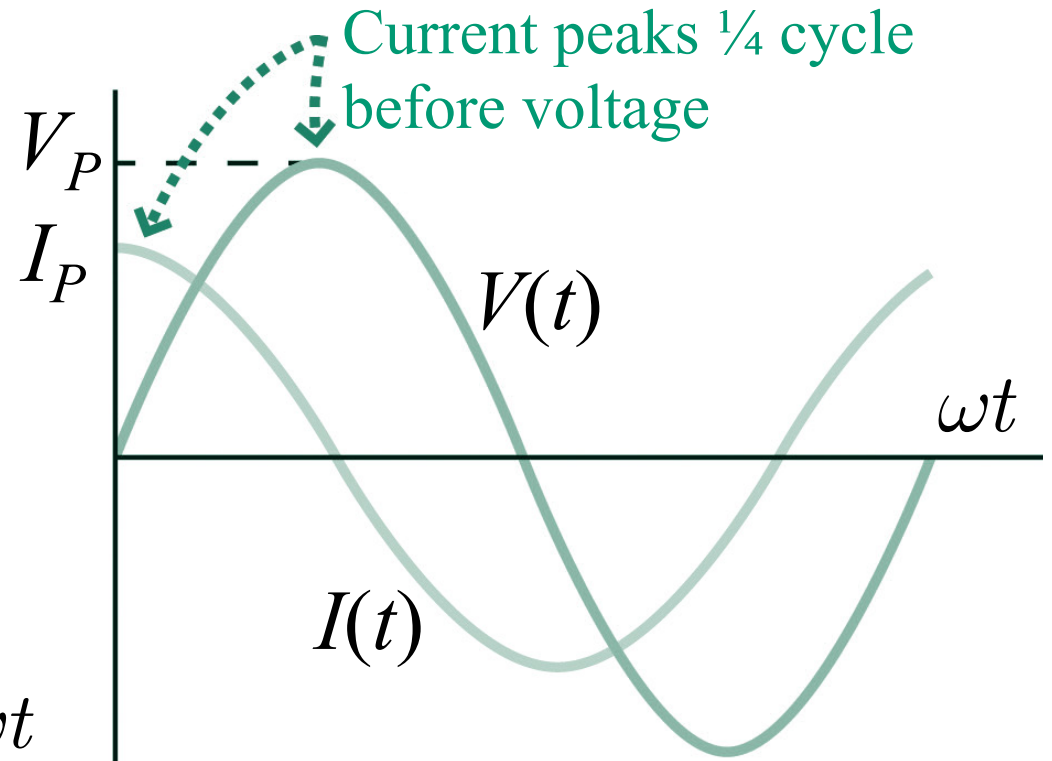
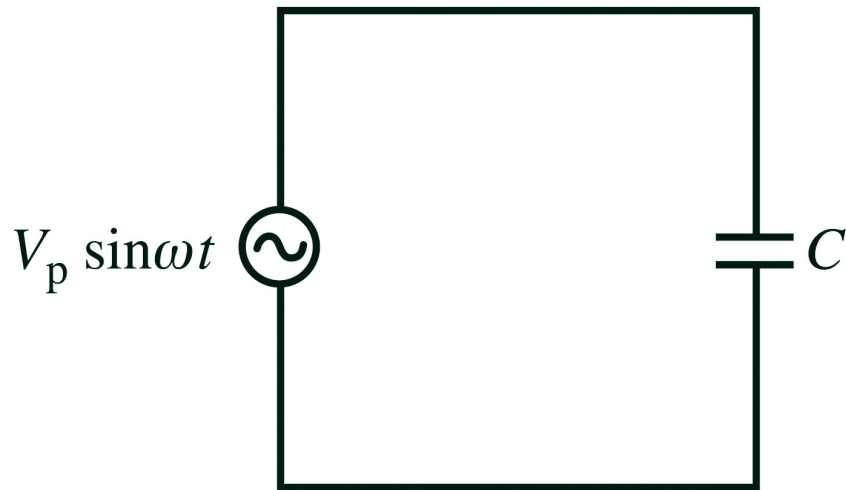
$$Q(t) = CV(t) = CV_P \sin \omega t$$

Current response:

$$I(t) = \frac{dQ}{dt} = CV_P \frac{d}{dt}(\sin \omega t)$$

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

AC circuits: the capacitive term



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Current response:

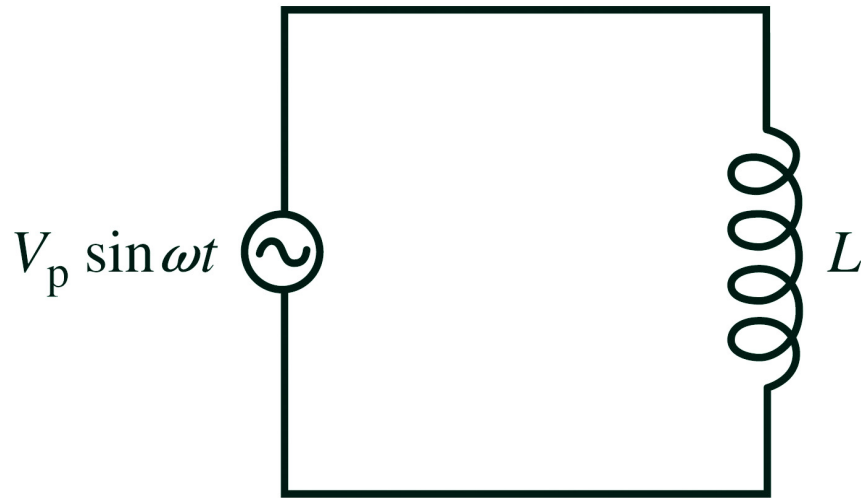
$$I(t) = \omega CV_P \sin(\omega t + \frac{\pi}{2})$$

Current leads voltage by 90°

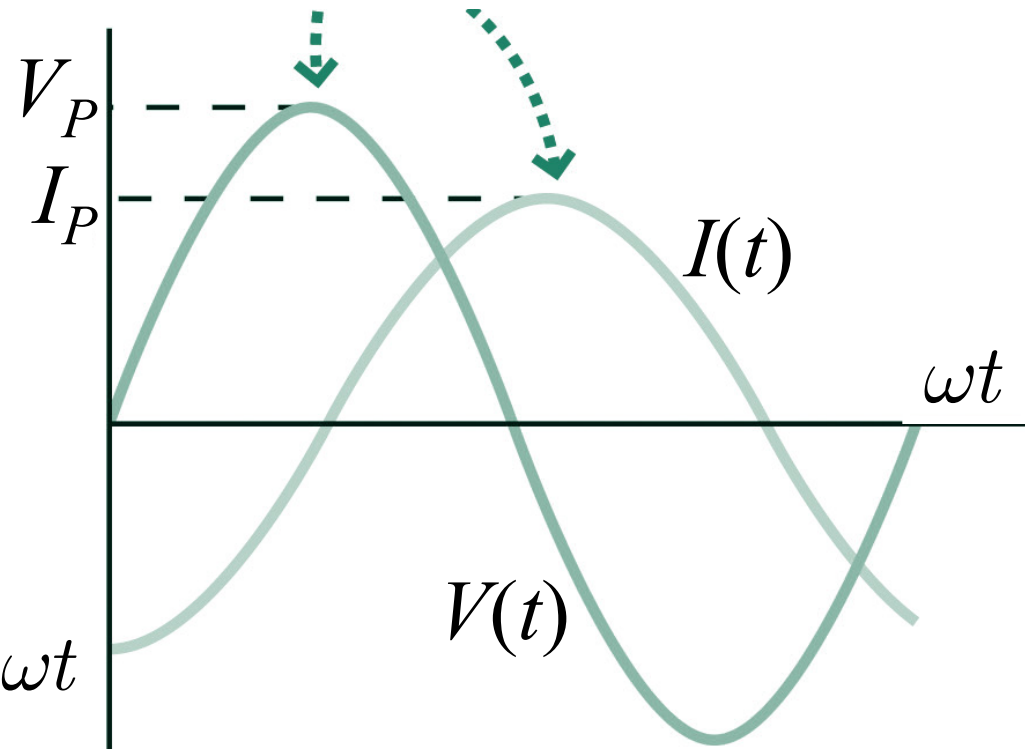
$$I_P = \frac{V_P}{1 / \omega C} = \frac{V_P}{X_C}$$

Capacitive reactance: $X_C = 1 / \omega C$ (units - Ω)

AC circuits: the inductive term



Voltage peaks $\frac{1}{4}$ cycle before current



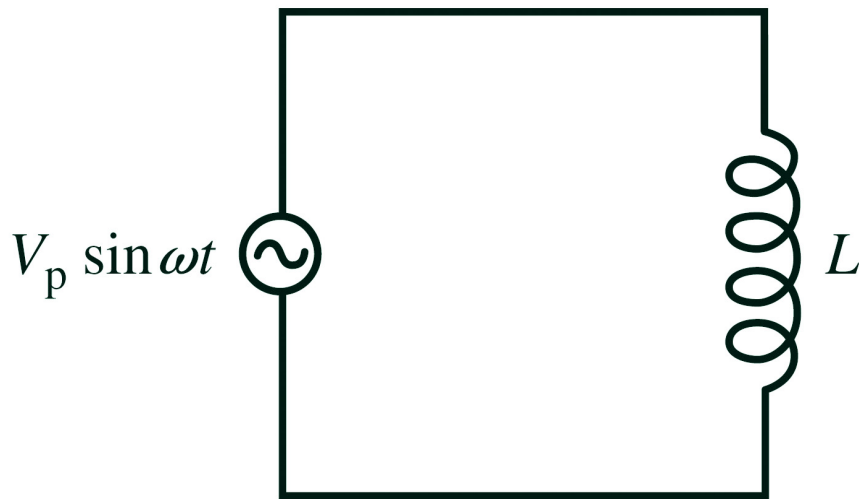
Current (driving term):

$$V_L = -L dI / dt = -V_P \sin \omega t$$

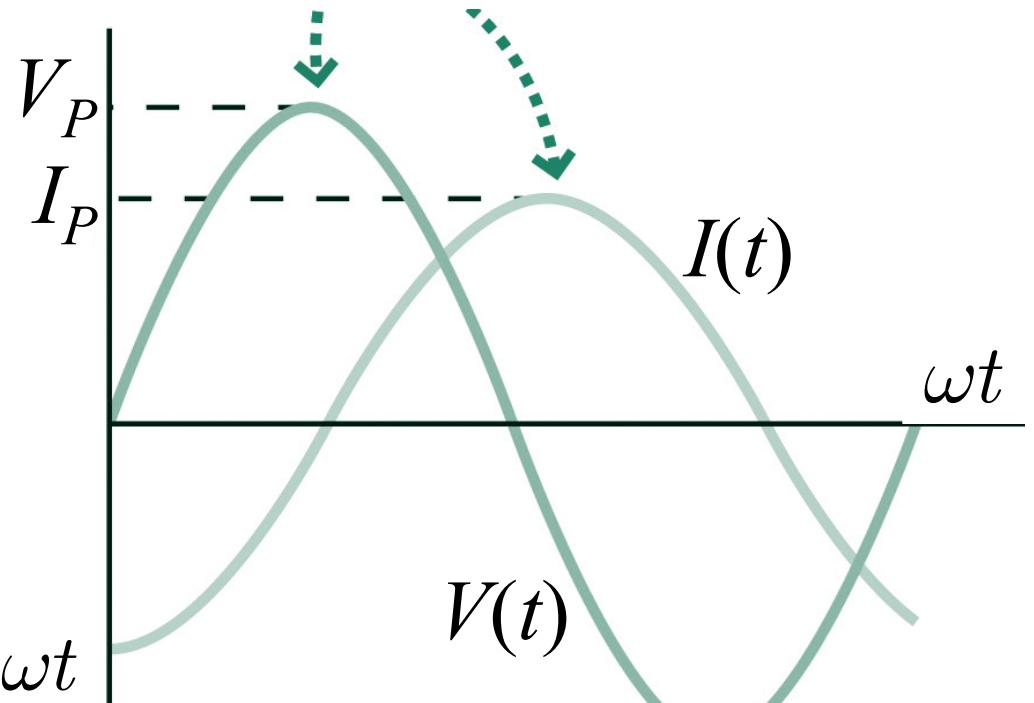
Current response:

$$\begin{aligned} I(t) &= \frac{V_P}{L} \int \sin \omega t \, dt \\ &= -\frac{V_P}{\omega L} \cos \omega t = \frac{V_P}{\omega L} \sin\left(\omega t - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

AC circuits: the inductive term



Voltage peaks $\frac{1}{4}$ cycle before current



Current (driving term):

$$V_L = -LdI / dt = -V_P \sin \omega t$$

Current response:

$$I(t) = \frac{V_P}{\omega L} \sin\left(\omega t - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

Voltage leads current by 90°

$$I_P = \frac{V_P}{\omega L} = \frac{V_P}{X_L}$$

Inductive reactance: $X_L = \omega L$ (units - Ω)

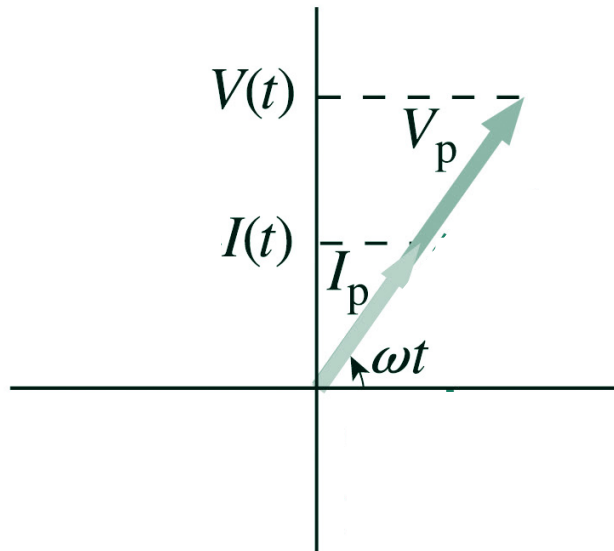
Summary

Table 28.1 Amplitude and Phase Relations in Circuit Elements

| Circuit Element | Peak Current versus Voltage | Phase Relation |
|-----------------|--|-----------------------------|
| Resistor | $I_p = \frac{V_p}{R}$ | V and I in phase |
| Capacitor | $I_p = \frac{V_p}{X_C} = \frac{V_p}{1/\omega C}$ | I leads V by 90° |
| Inductor | $I_p = \frac{V_p}{X_L} = \frac{V_p}{\omega L}$ | V leads I by 90° |

Phasor Diagrams

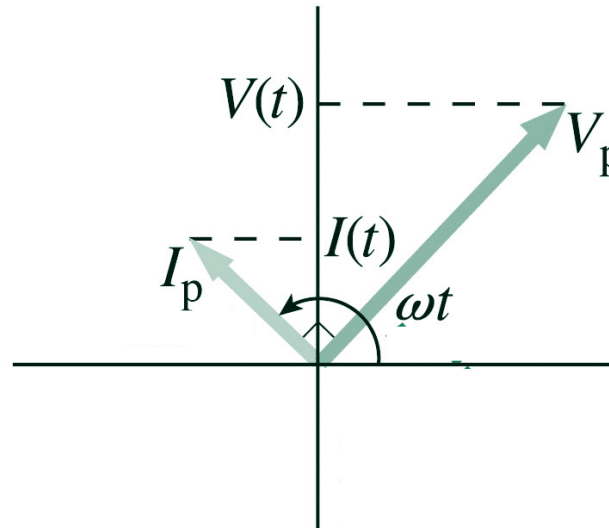
Resistor



$$V_{Rp} = I_p R$$

V, I in phase

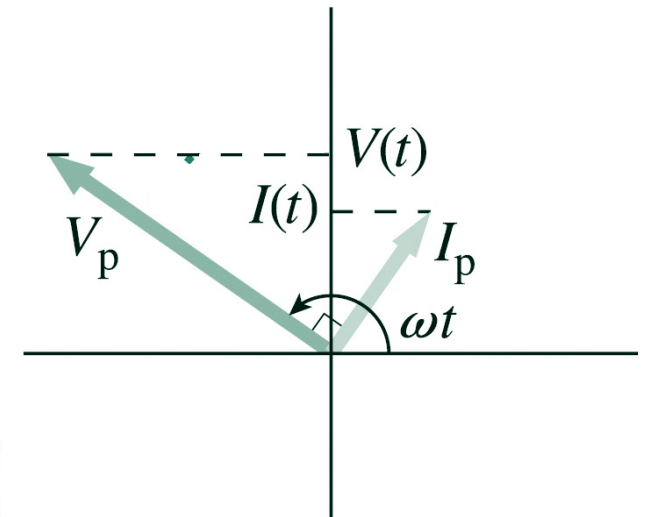
Capacitor



$$V_{Cp} = I_p X_C$$

V lags I by 90°

Inductor



$$V_{Lp} = I_p X_L$$

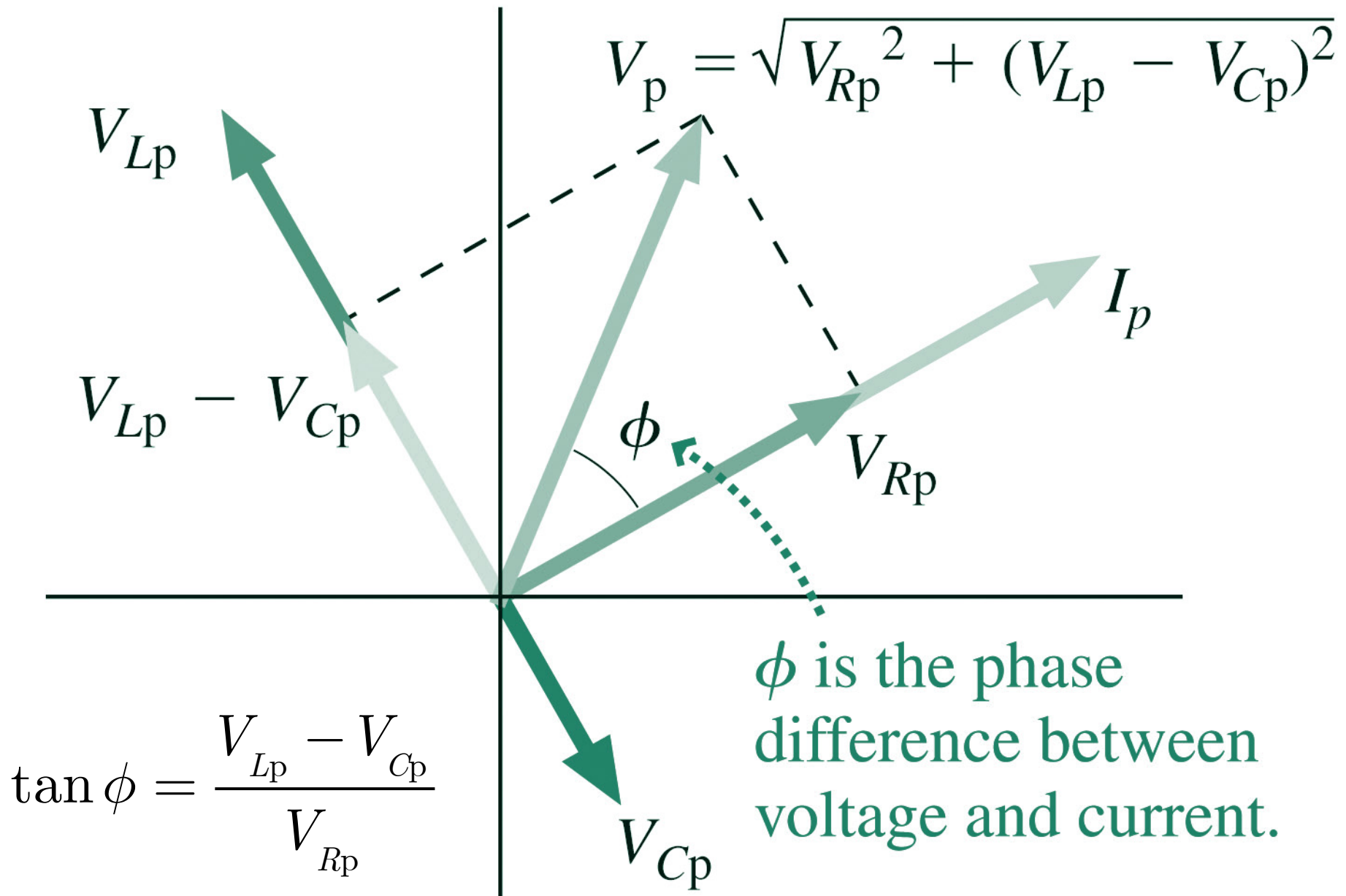
V leads I by 90°

$$V(t) = \sin \omega t;$$

$$I(t) = \sin(\omega t - \phi)$$

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Phasor_\(sine_waves\)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Phasor_(sine_waves))

Phasor Diagrams: Adding the Voltages



Phasor Diagrams: Adding the Voltages

$$V_p = \sqrt{I_p R^2 + (I_p X_L - I_p X_C)^2}$$

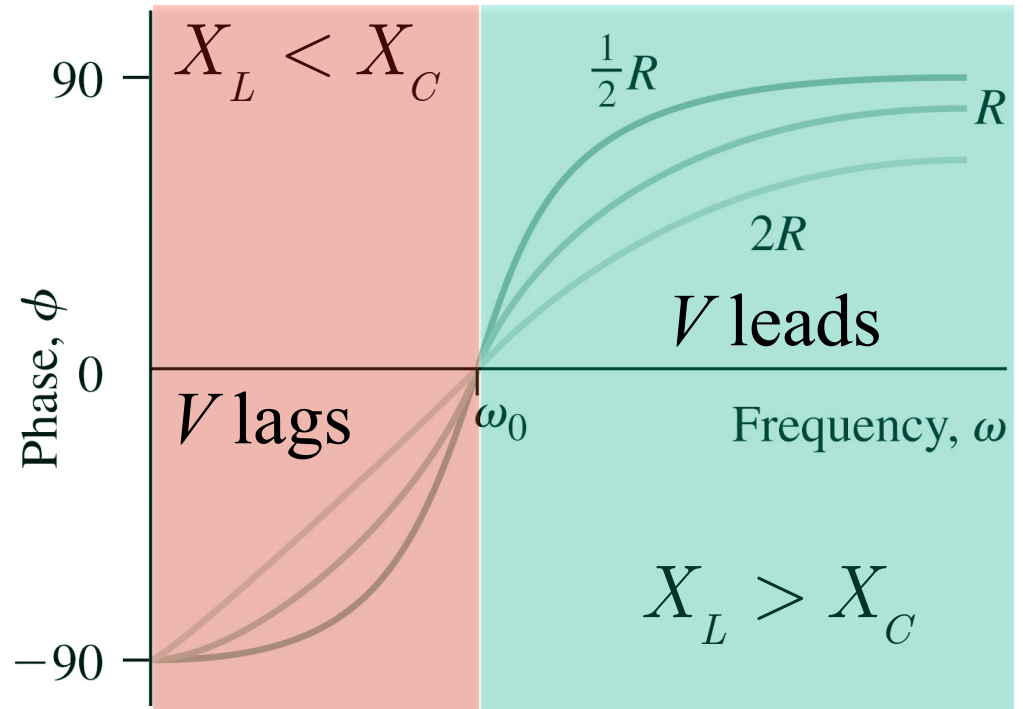
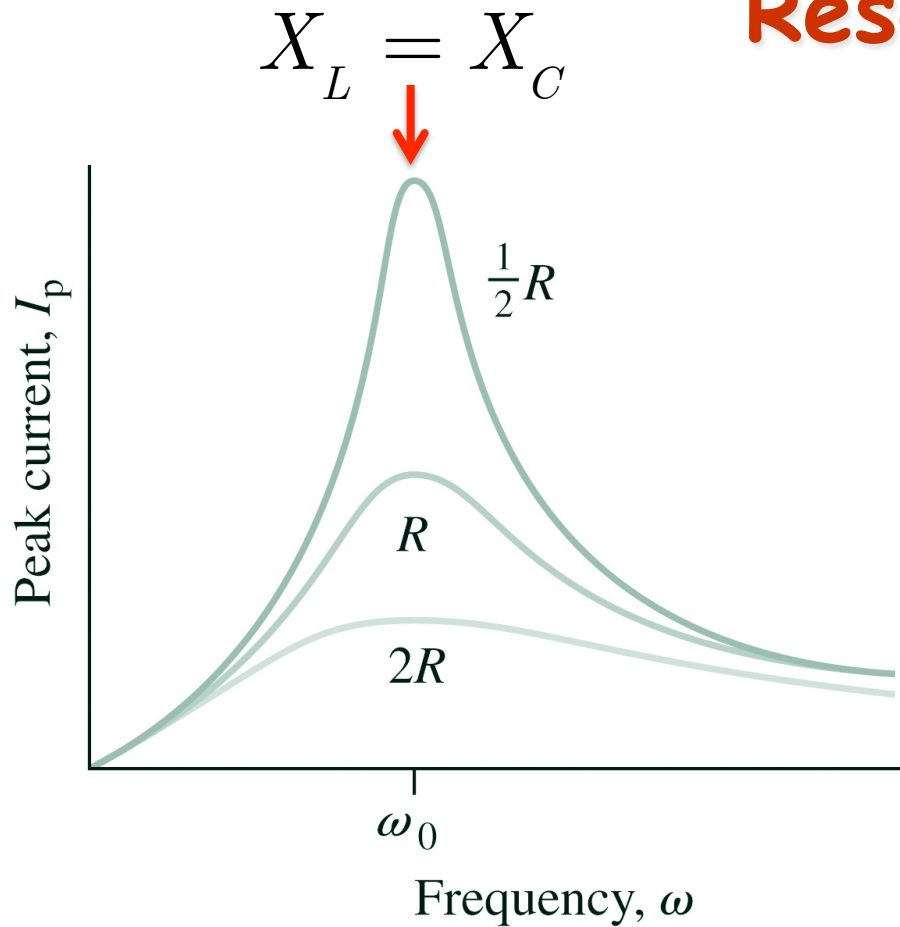
Modified Ohm's law:

$$\Rightarrow I_p = \frac{V_p}{\sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2}} = \frac{V_p}{Z}$$

Impedance: $Z = \sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2}$ [Units: ohms]

Phase: $\tan \phi = \frac{X_L - X_C}{R} = \frac{\omega L - 1 / \omega C}{R}$

Resonance

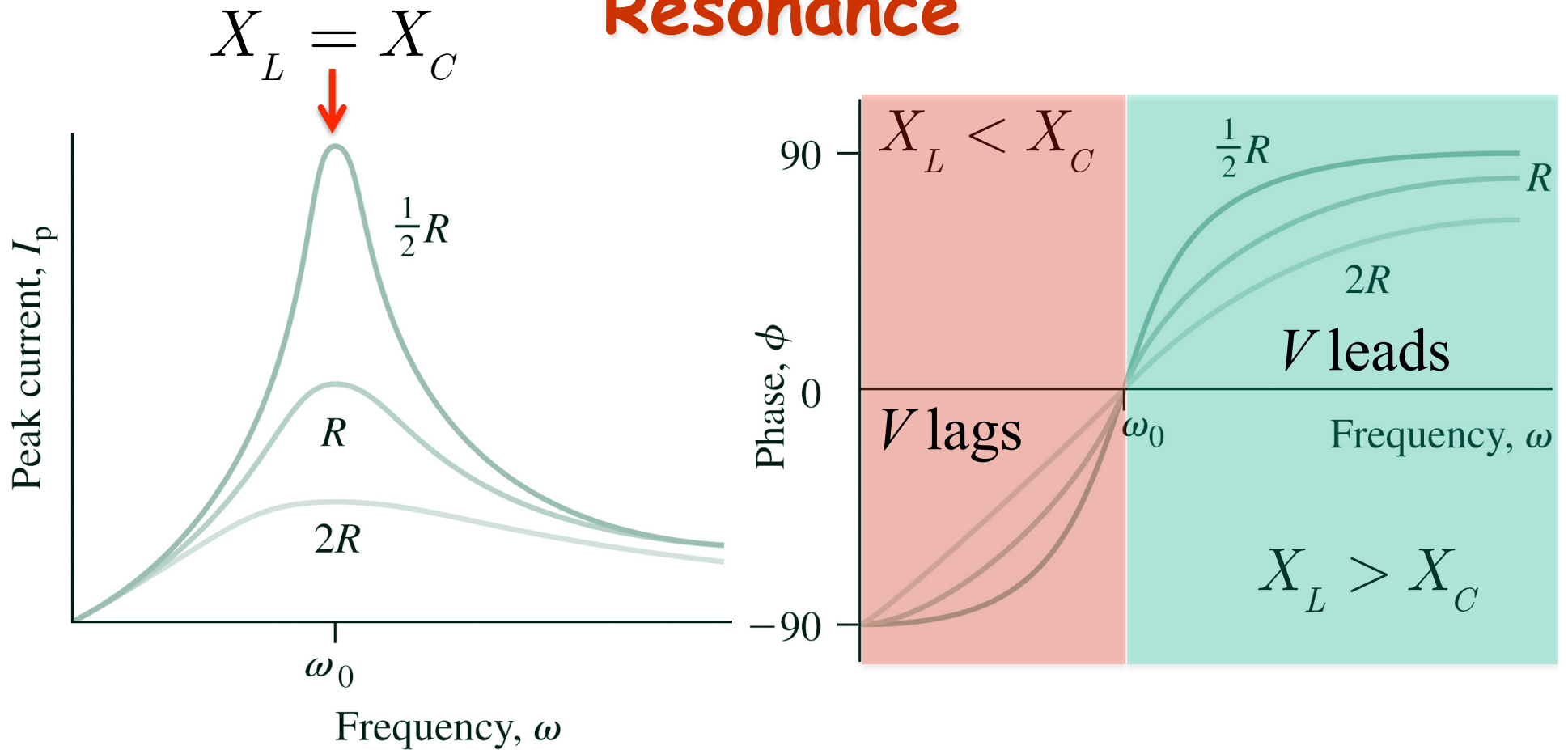


$$I_p = \frac{V_p}{\sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2}}$$

$$\omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC}}$$

At resonance, $Z = R$, and $\phi = 0$ (just like a DC circuit)

Resonance



Power delivered to the circuit:

$$\langle P \rangle = \frac{1}{2} I_p V_p \cos \phi = I_{rms} V_{rms} \cos \phi$$