

Fundamentals of Electronic Circuits and Systems I

# Circuit Analysis in Frequency Domain

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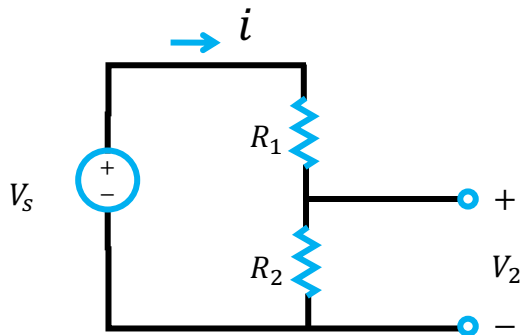
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# Outlines

- Transfer function
- Filters
- Bode plot
- Circuit element models in  $s$ -domain

# Recall: voltage divider

## VOLTAGE DIVIDER



According to KVL  $V_s = iR_1 + iR_2$

$$\rightarrow i = \frac{V_s}{R_1 + R_2}$$

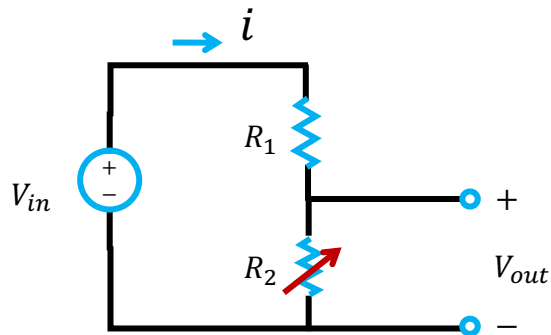
$$V_2 = iR_2 = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} V_s$$

Voltage divided  
over resistors

# Transfer function

**QUESTION:** calculate the voltage transfers from input to output based on varying  $R_2$

## VOLTAGE DIVIDER



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$$V_{out} = iR_2 = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} V_{in}$$

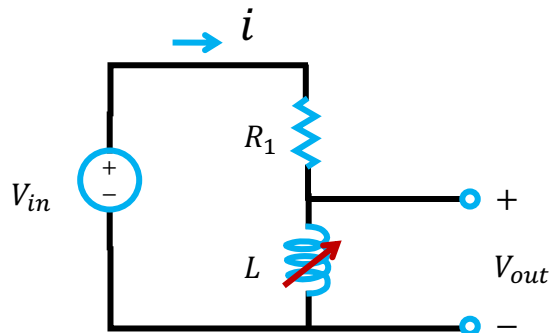
- Ratio between input & output voltages

$$G(R_2) = \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}} = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2}$$

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**QUESTION:** calculate the voltage transfers from input to output based on varying  $L$

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$$V_{out} = iZ_L = \frac{j\omega L}{R_1 + j\omega L} V_{in}$$

- The transfer function

$$\mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}} = \frac{j\omega L}{R_1 + j\omega L} = \frac{1}{\frac{R_1}{j\omega L} + 1}$$

This is a “frequency-dependent” variable voltage divider.

Transfer is dependent on the value of  $\omega$

# Transfer function

**TRANSFER FUNCTION** of a circuit or system describes the output response to an input excitation as a function of the angular frequency  $\omega$

$$\mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{V_{out}(\omega)}{V_{in}(\omega)} \quad \leftarrow \text{Voltage gain}$$

$$= M(\omega)e^{j\phi(\omega)}$$

where

$$M(\omega) = |\mathbb{G}(\omega)|$$



**Magnitude**

$$\phi(\omega) = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{\Im[\mathbb{G}(\omega)]}{\Re[\mathbb{G}(\omega)]} \right]$$

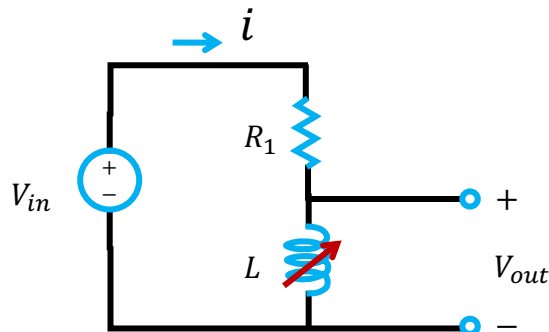


**Phase**

# Transfer function

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## VOLTAGE DIVIDER



$$\left[ \mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{1}{1 - j \frac{R_1}{\omega L}} \right]$$

- The magnitude of  $\mathbb{G}(\omega)$

$$|\mathbb{G}(\omega)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{R_1}{\omega L}\right)^2}}$$

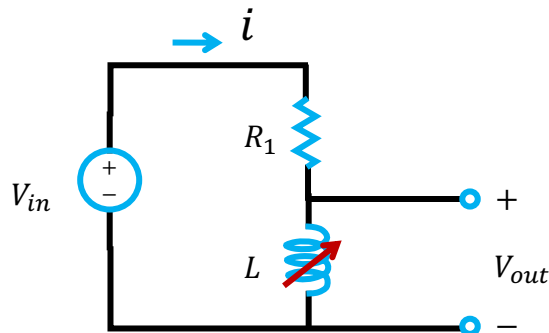
- The phase of  $\mathbb{H}(\omega)$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( -\frac{R_1}{\omega L} \right)$$

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$$\mathbb{G}(R_2) = \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}} = \frac{j\omega L}{R_1 + j\omega L} = \frac{1}{\frac{R_1}{j\omega L} + 1}$$

$$\omega = 2\pi f$$

- If frequency is very high

$$\mathbb{G}(R_2) \rightarrow 1$$

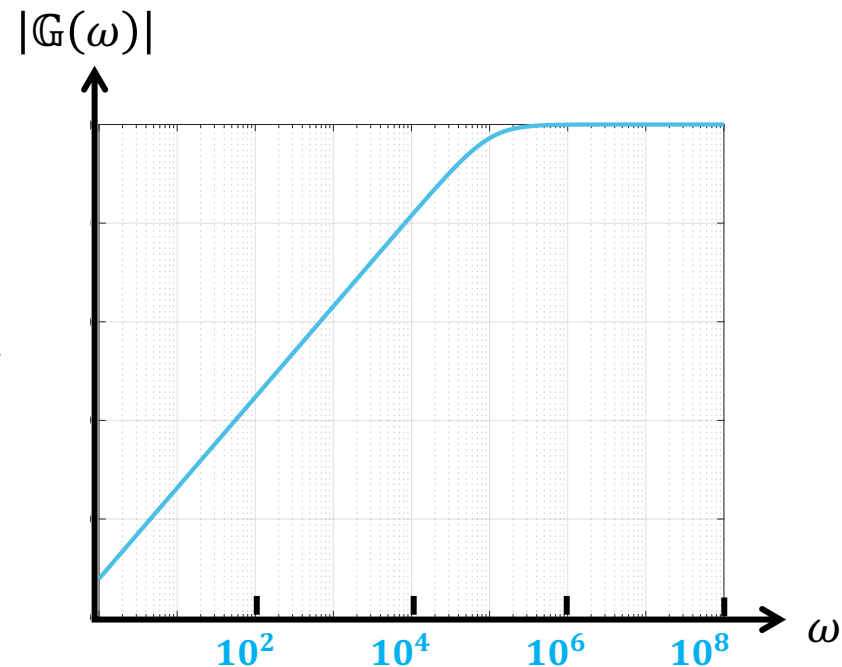
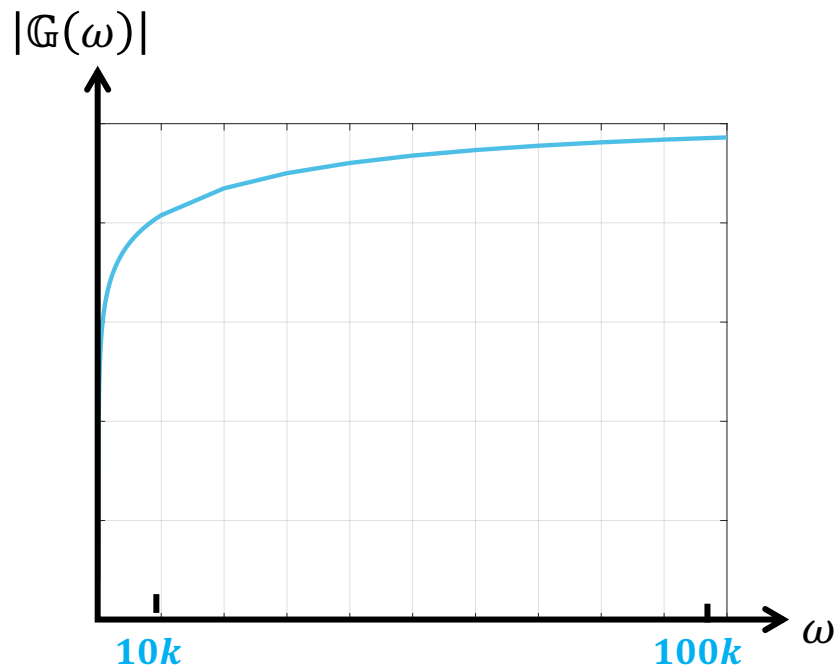
- If frequency is very low

$$\mathbb{G}(R_2) \approx \frac{j\omega L}{R_1} \rightarrow 0$$



# Transfer function

Let's try to plot the transfer function  $|\mathbb{G}(\omega)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{R_1}{\omega L}\right)^2}}$

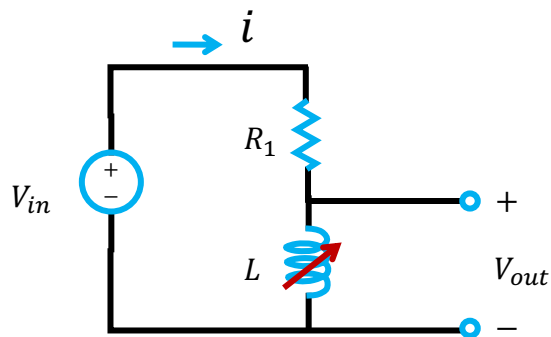


While plot the transfer function, the x-axis is usually plot in logarithmic scale

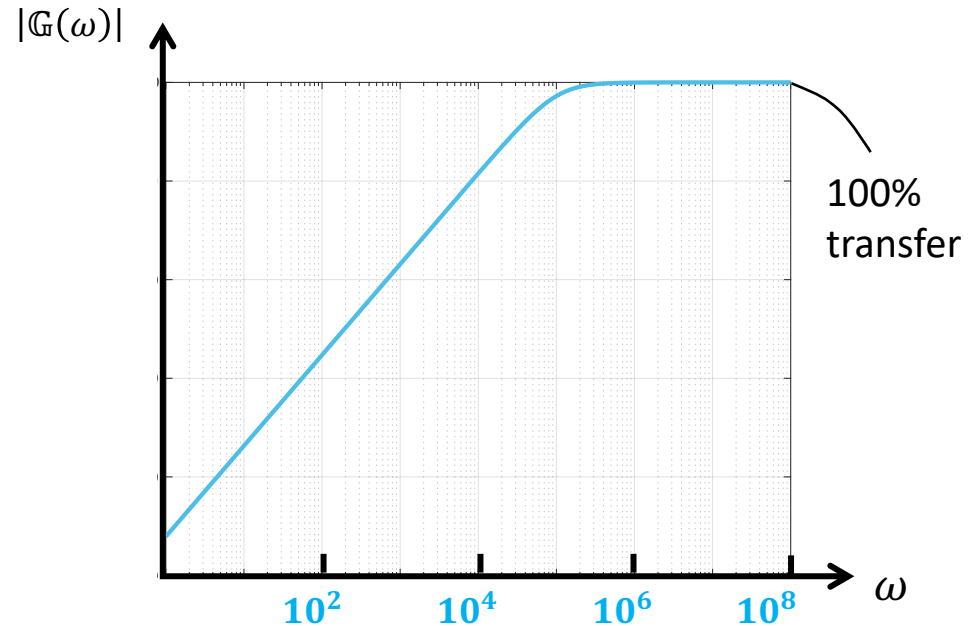
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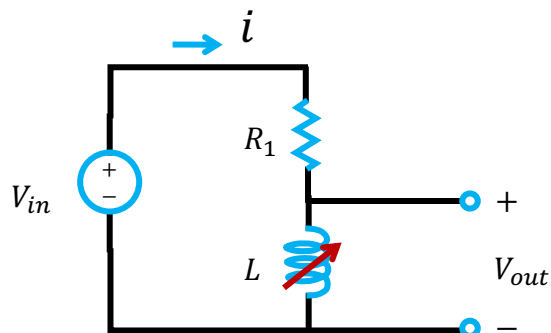


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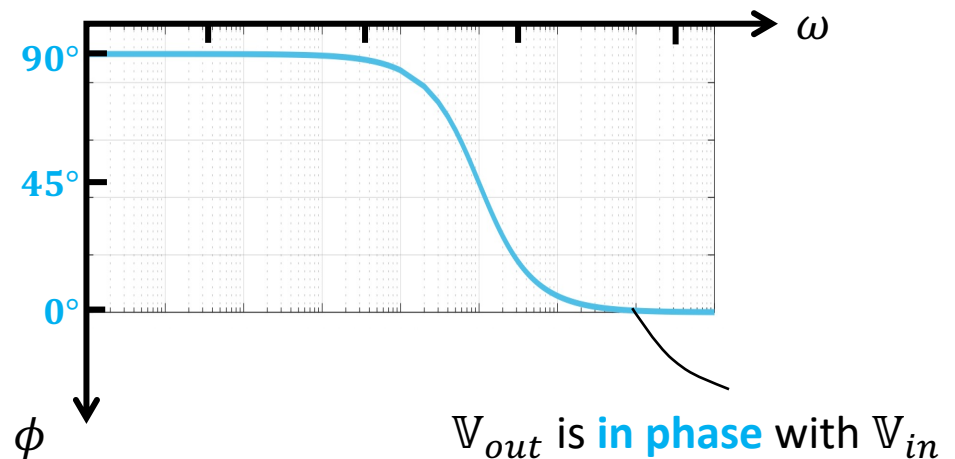
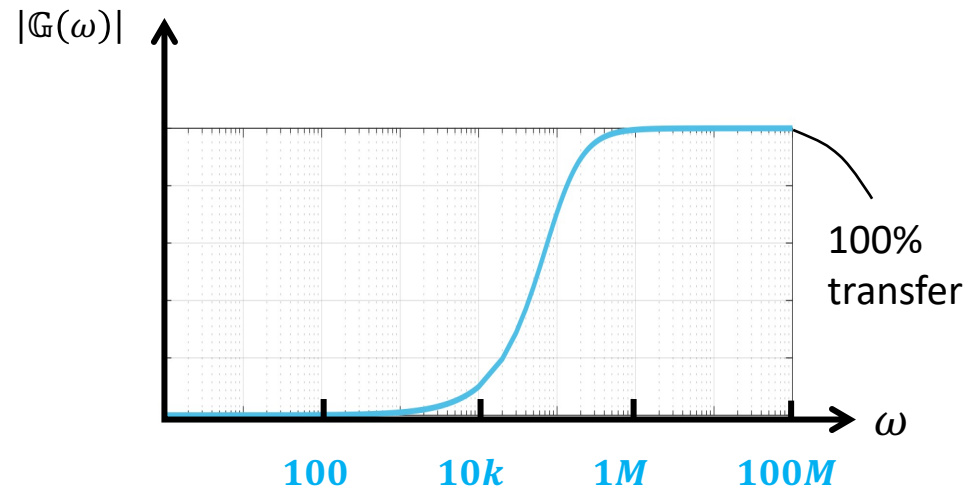
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$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} |G(\omega)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{R_1}{\omega L}\right)^2}} \\ \phi = \tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{R_1}{\omega L}\right) \end{array} \right]$$

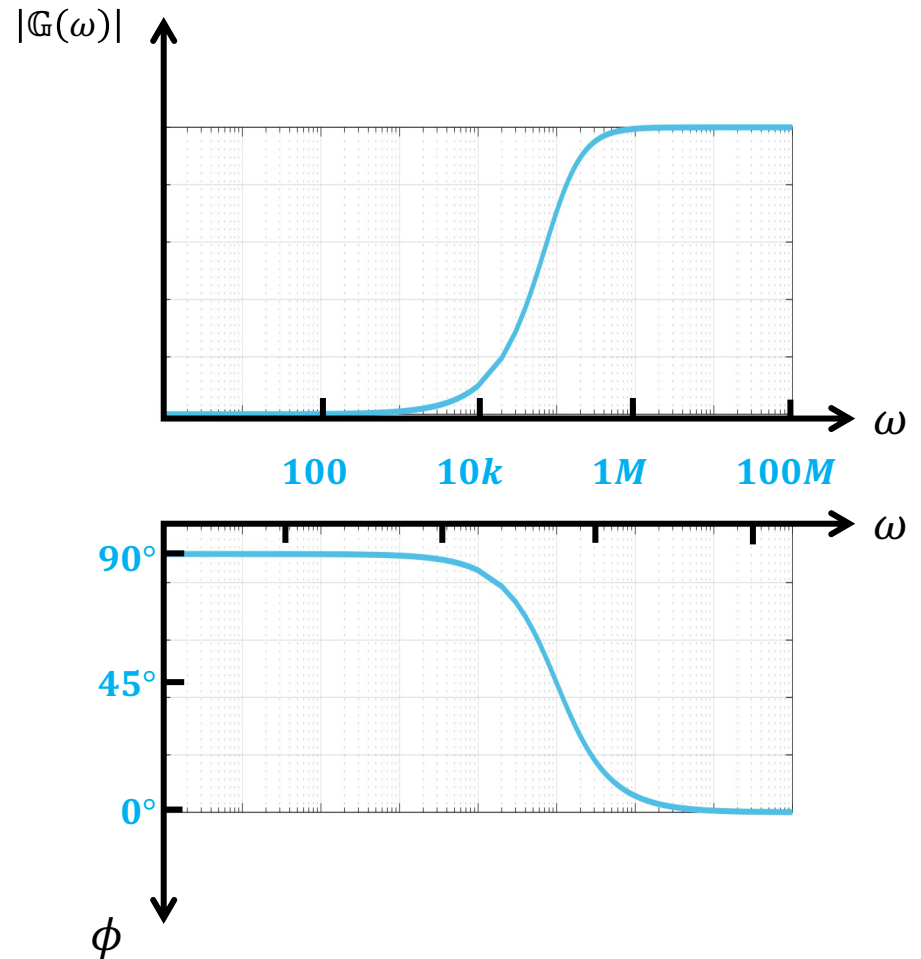


# High pass filter

This is a **HIGH PASS FILTER**  
Which passes high frequencies  
and block low frequencies



- If  $V_{in}$  has **high** frequency, **nearly all** of  $V_{in}$  will transfer to output
- If  $V_{in}$  has **low** frequency, **little** of  $V_{in}$  will transfer to output



# Different forms of the transfer function

**TRANSFER FUNCTION** of a circuit or system describes the output response to an input excitation as a function of the angular frequency  $\omega$

$$\mathbb{G}_v(\omega) = \frac{V_{out}(\omega)}{V_{in}(\omega)} \quad \leftarrow \text{Voltage gain}$$

$$\mathbb{G}_i(\omega) = \frac{I_{out}(\omega)}{I_{in}(\omega)} \quad \leftarrow \text{Current gain}$$




$$\mathbb{Z}(\omega) = \frac{V_{out}(\omega)}{I_{in}(\omega)} \quad \leftarrow \text{Transimpedance}$$

$$\mathbb{Y}(\omega) = \frac{I_{out}(\omega)}{V_{in}(\omega)} \quad \leftarrow \text{Transadmittance}$$

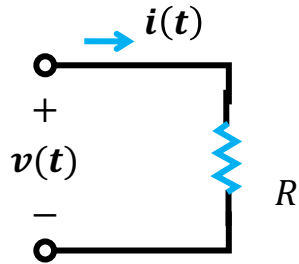
# Recall: Impedance

Impedance,  $Z$ ,

is defined as the ratio of the phasor voltage to the phasor current

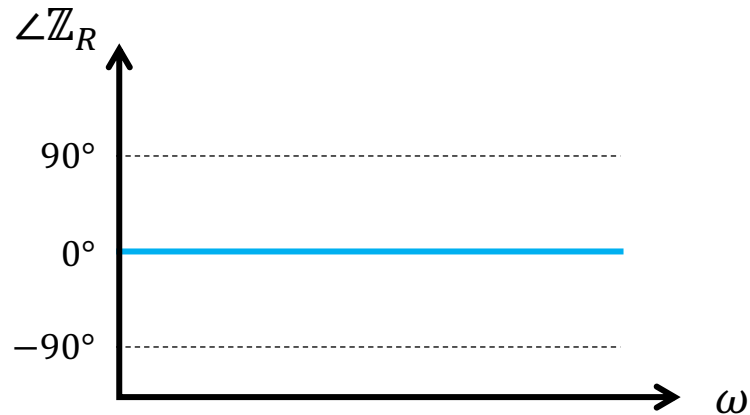
			
$i$ - $v$ relation	$i = \frac{v}{R}$	$i(t) = C \frac{dv(t)}{dt}$	$i(t) = i(t_0) + \frac{1}{L} \int_{t_0}^t v(x) dx$
$v$ - $i$ relation	$v = iR$	$v(t) = v(t_0) + \frac{1}{C} \int_{t_0}^t i(x) dx$	$v(t) = L \frac{di(t)}{dt}$
<b>Impedance</b>	$R$	$\frac{1}{j\omega C}$	$j\omega L$

# Transfer function of a resistor

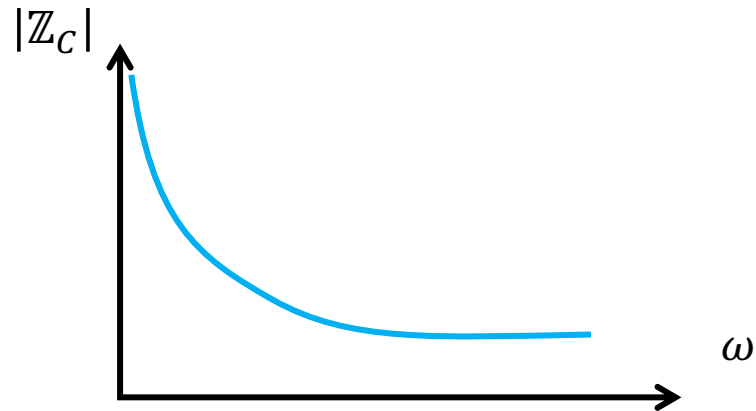
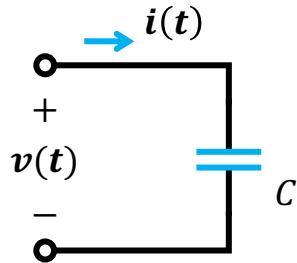


$$Z_R(\omega) = R$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} |Z_R| = R \\ \angle Z_R = 0^\circ \end{array} \right.$$

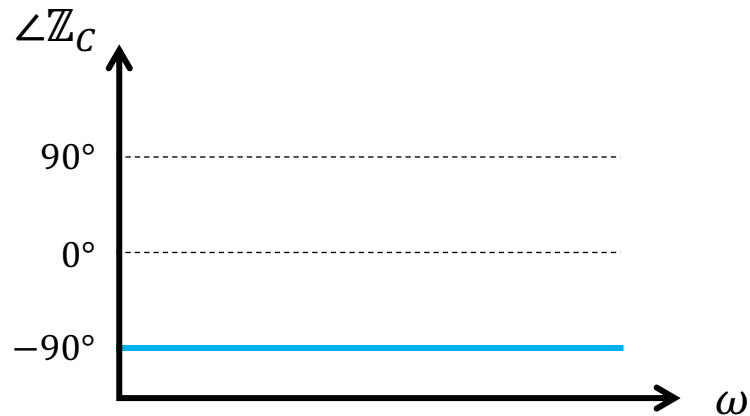


# Transfer function of a capacitor



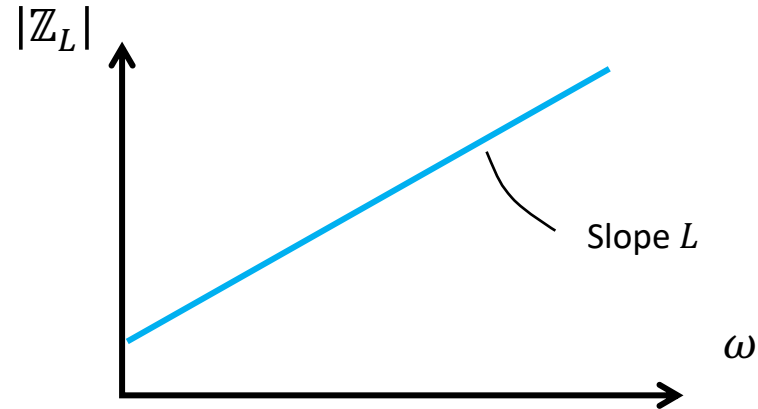
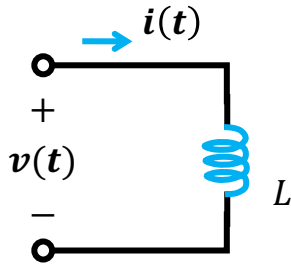
$$Z_C(\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega C}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} |Z_C| = \frac{1}{\omega C} \\ \angle Z_C = -90^\circ \end{array} \right.$$



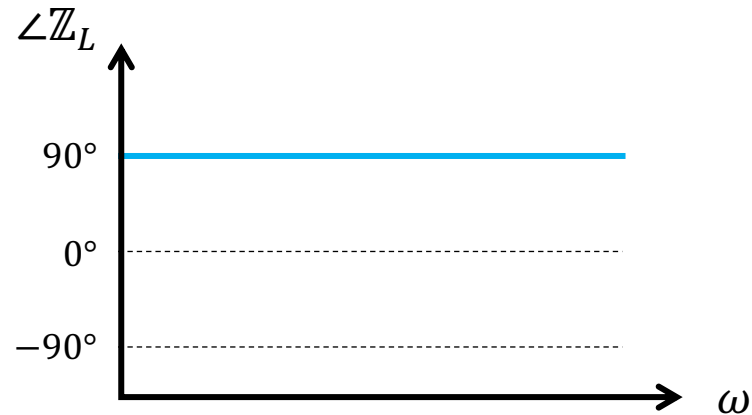


# Transfer function of an inductor



$$Z_L(\omega) = j\omega L$$

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# Outlines

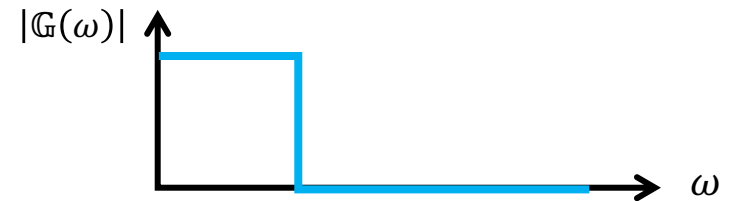
- Transfer function
  - Voltage gain
  - Transimpedance
- **Filters**

# Common ideal filters

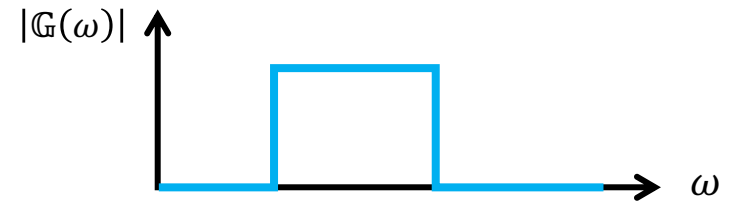
High pass filter



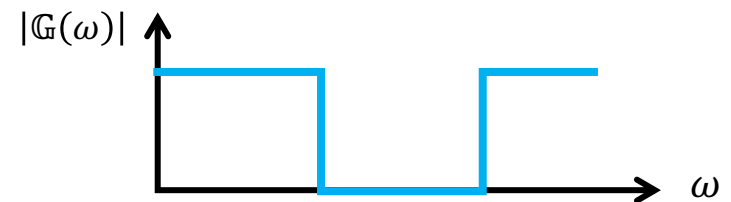
Low pass filter



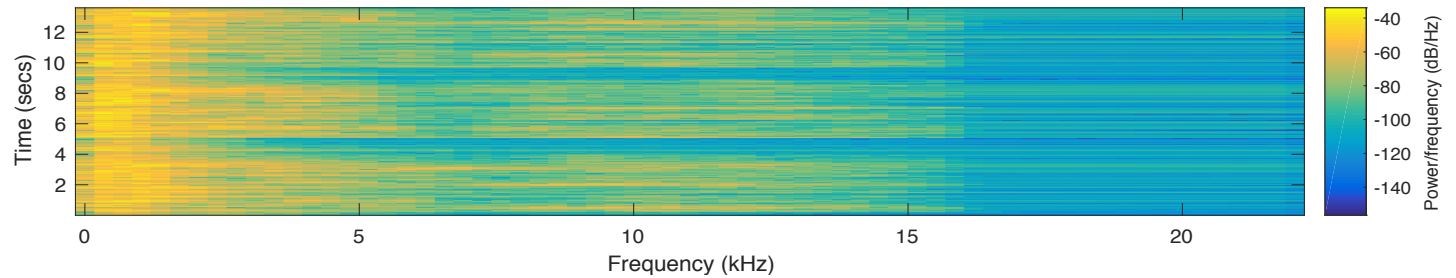
Band pass filter



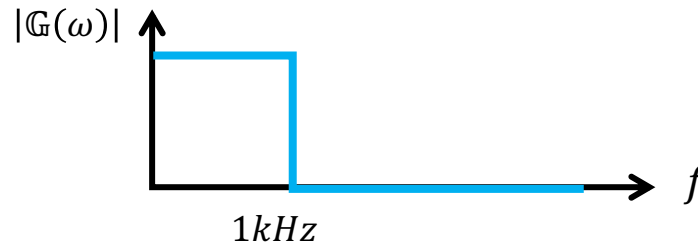
Band stop filter



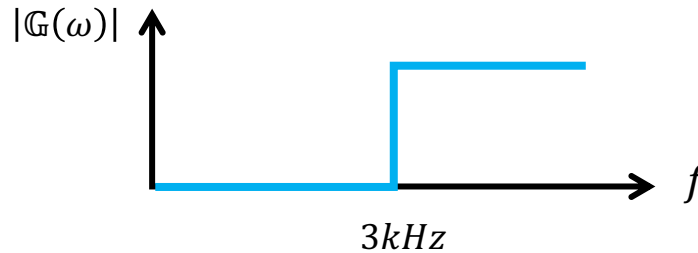
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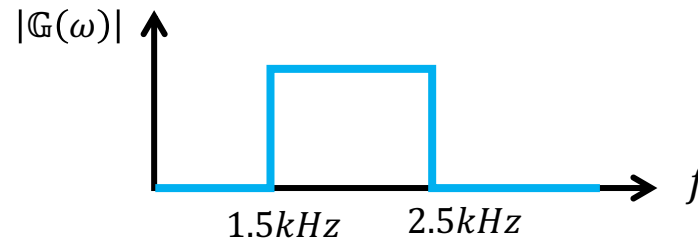
Low pass filter



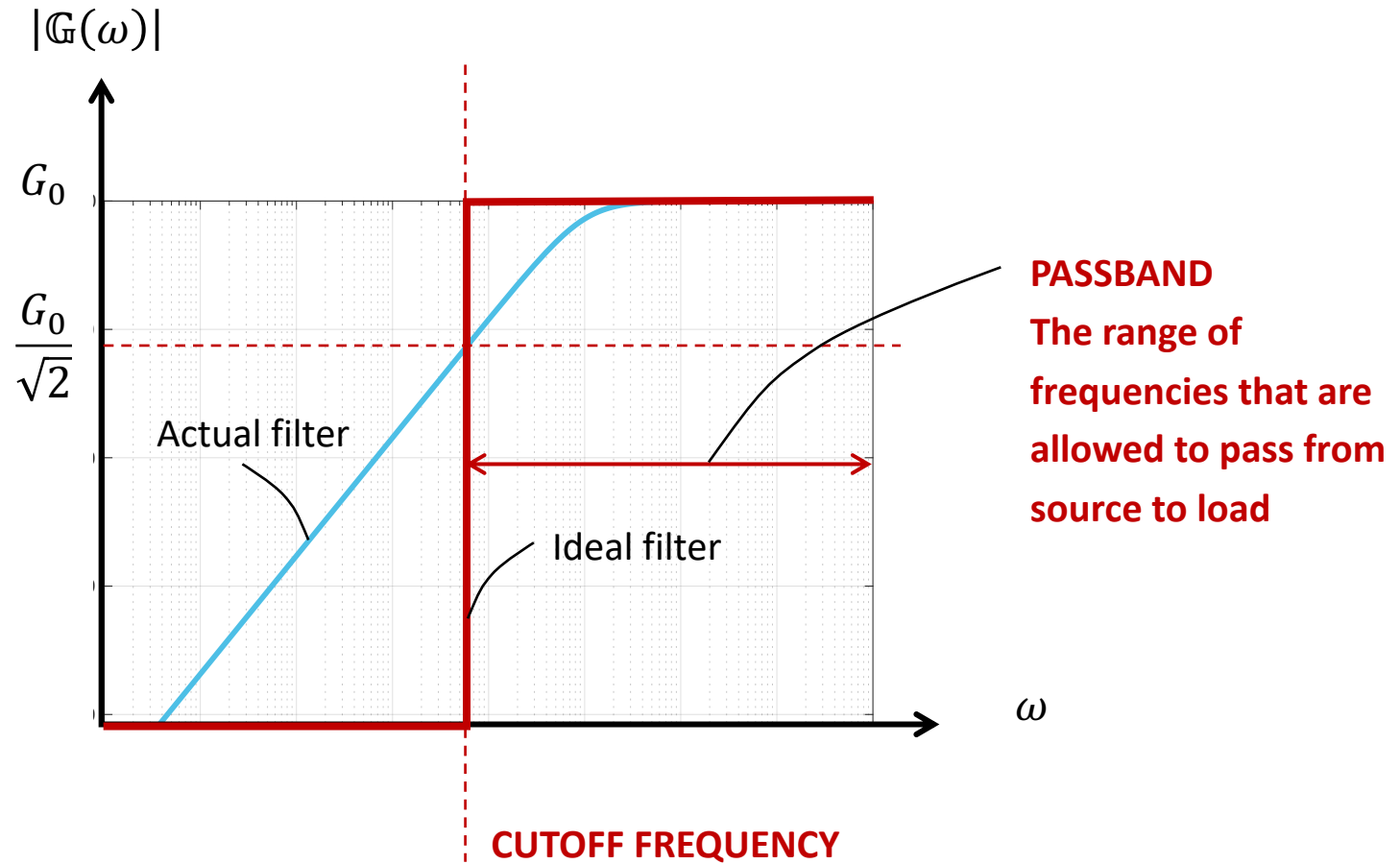
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Band pass filter

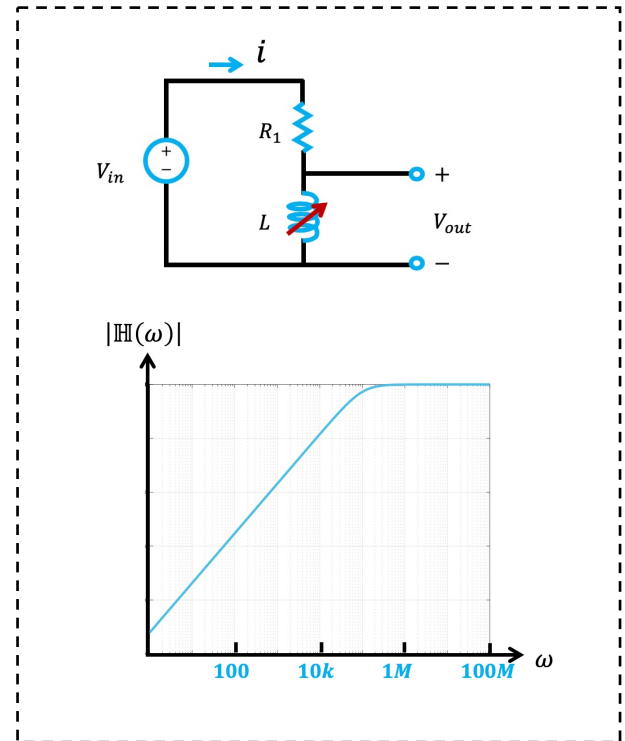
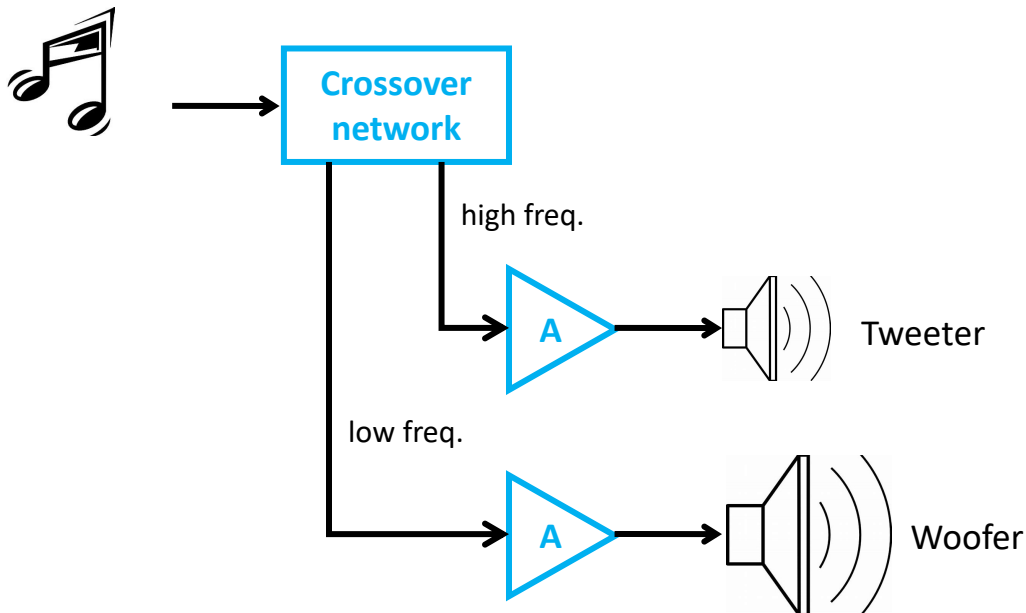


# Ideal v.s. actual filters



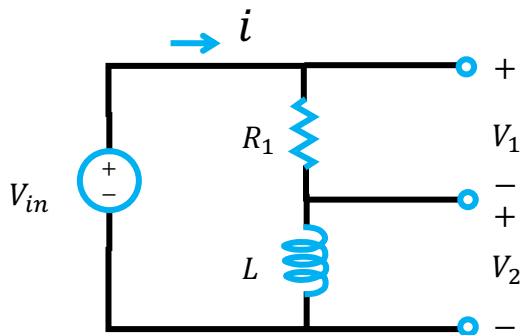
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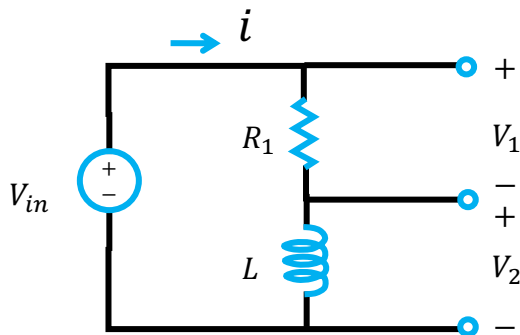
- The transfer function

$$\mathbb{G}_1(\omega) = \frac{V_1}{V_{in}} = \frac{R_1}{R_1 + j\omega L}$$

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$$|\mathbb{G}_1(\omega)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{\omega^2 L^2}{R_1^2}}}$$

$$\text{When } |\mathbb{G}_1(\omega_c)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\rightarrow \omega_{c1} = \frac{R_1}{L}$$

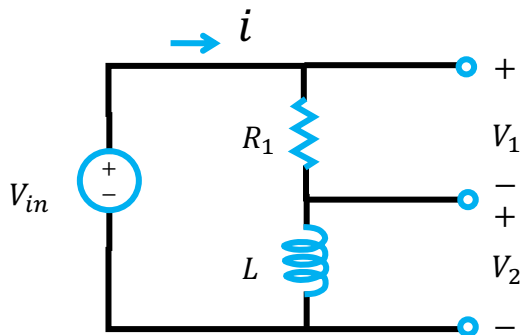
Similar for the cutoff freq. of  $\mathbb{G}_2(\omega)$

$$\omega_{c2} = \frac{R_1}{L}$$

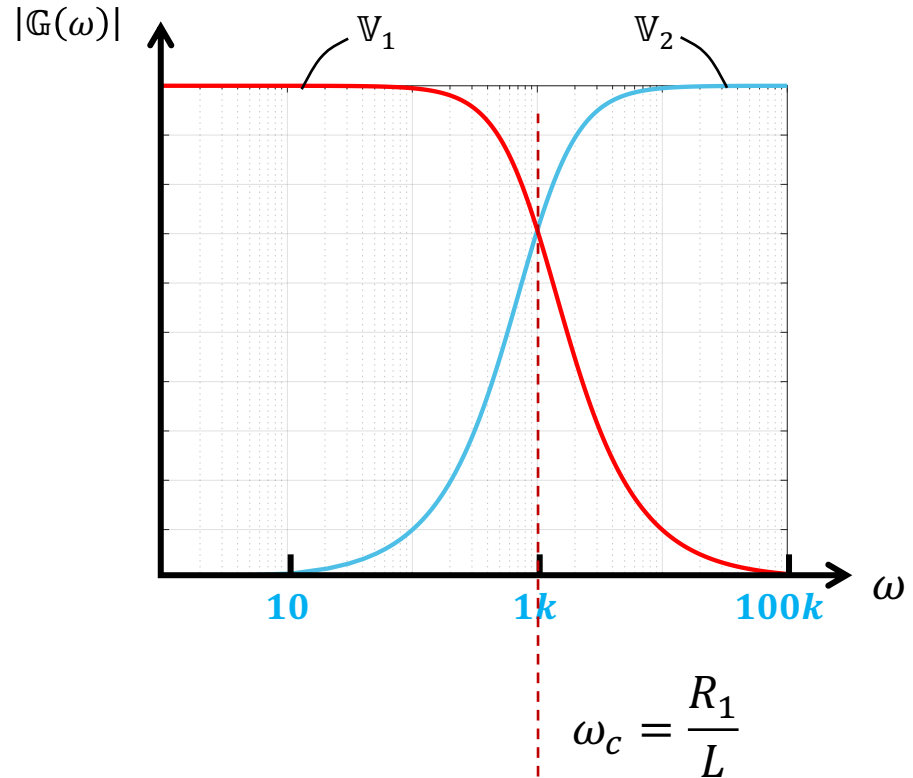


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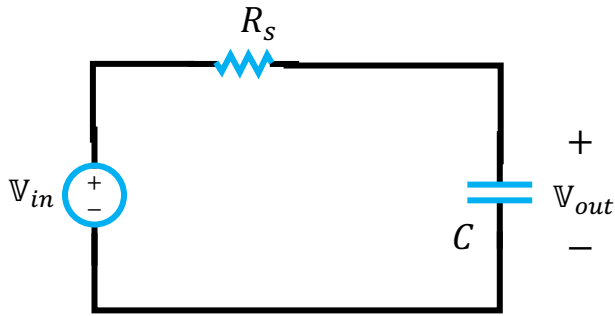


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# Example 2

**QUESTION:** find the transfer function of the circuit below



## How to vary $Z_C$ ?

- Not practical to vary  $C$
- Much easier to vary  $\omega$

- According to KVL

$$V_{out} = iZ_C = \frac{Z_C}{R_s + Z_C} V_{in}$$

- If  $Z_C$  is very low

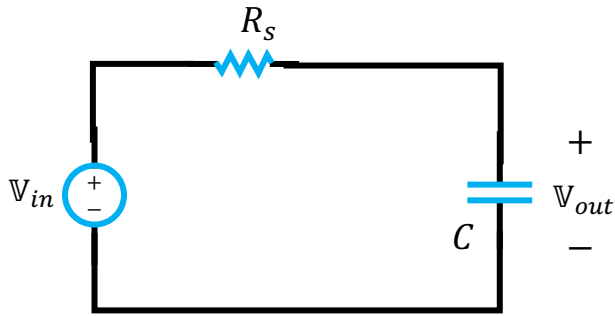
$$\mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{Z_C}{R_s + Z_C} \xrightarrow{Z_C \rightarrow 0} 0$$

- If  $Z_C$  is very high

$$\mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{Z_C}{R_s + Z_C} \xrightarrow{Z_C \rightarrow \infty} 1$$

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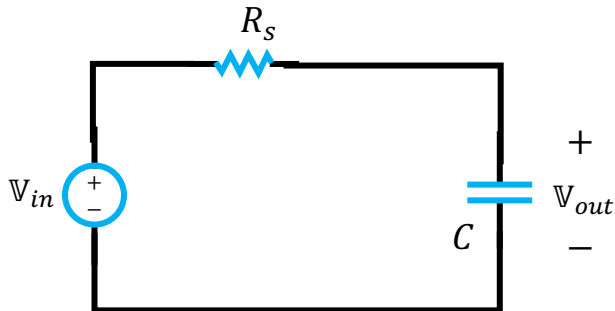
$$\mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{Z_C}{R_s + Z_C}$$

$$= \frac{1}{j\omega C} \frac{1}{R_s + \frac{1}{j\omega C}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{j\omega C R_s + 1}$$

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$$\left[ \mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega CR_s + 1} \right]$$

- If frequency is very high,  $Z_C$  is very low

$$Z_C = \frac{1}{j\omega C} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{short circuit}$$

$$\mathbb{G}(\omega) \rightarrow 0$$

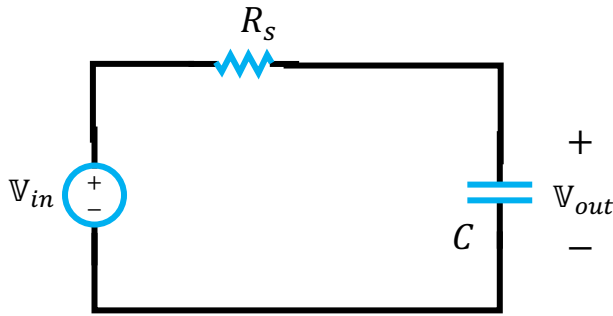
- If frequency is very low,  $Z_C$  is very high

$$Z_C = \frac{1}{j\omega C} \rightarrow \infty \quad \text{open circuit}$$

$$\mathbb{G}(\omega) \rightarrow 1$$

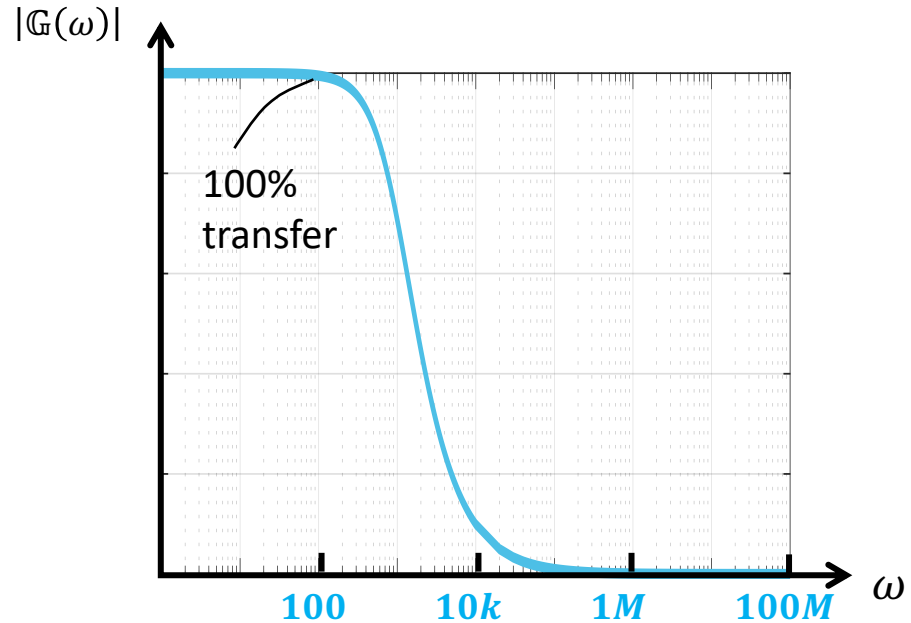
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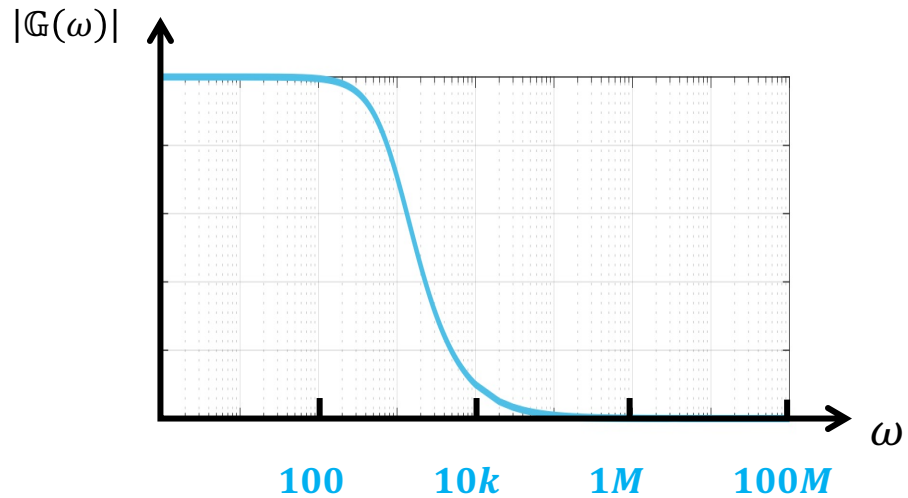
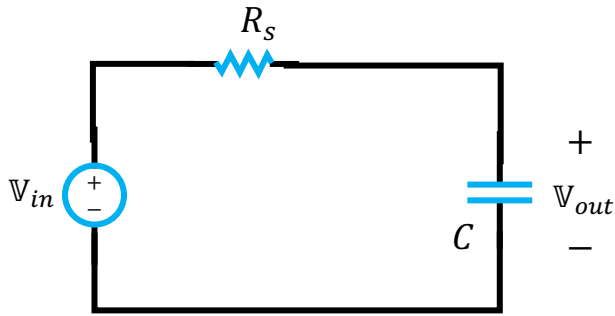
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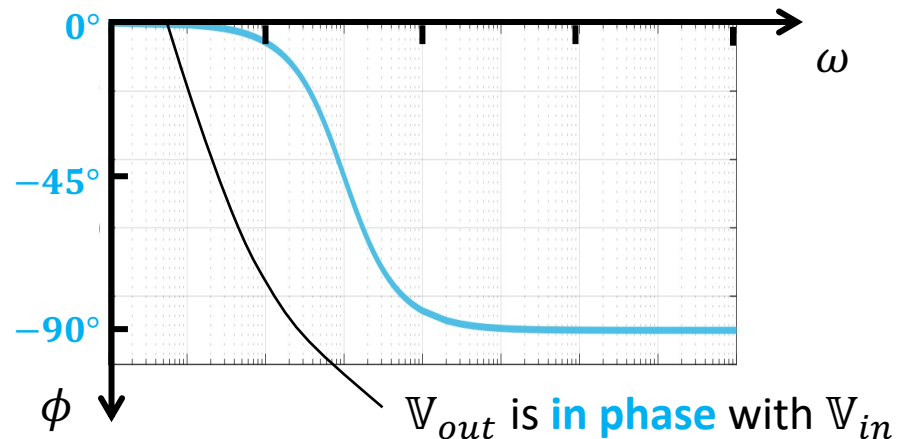
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$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} G(\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega CR_S + 1} \\ |G(\omega)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \omega^2 R_S^2 C^2}} \\ \phi = -\tan^{-1}(\omega CR_S) \end{array} \right]$$



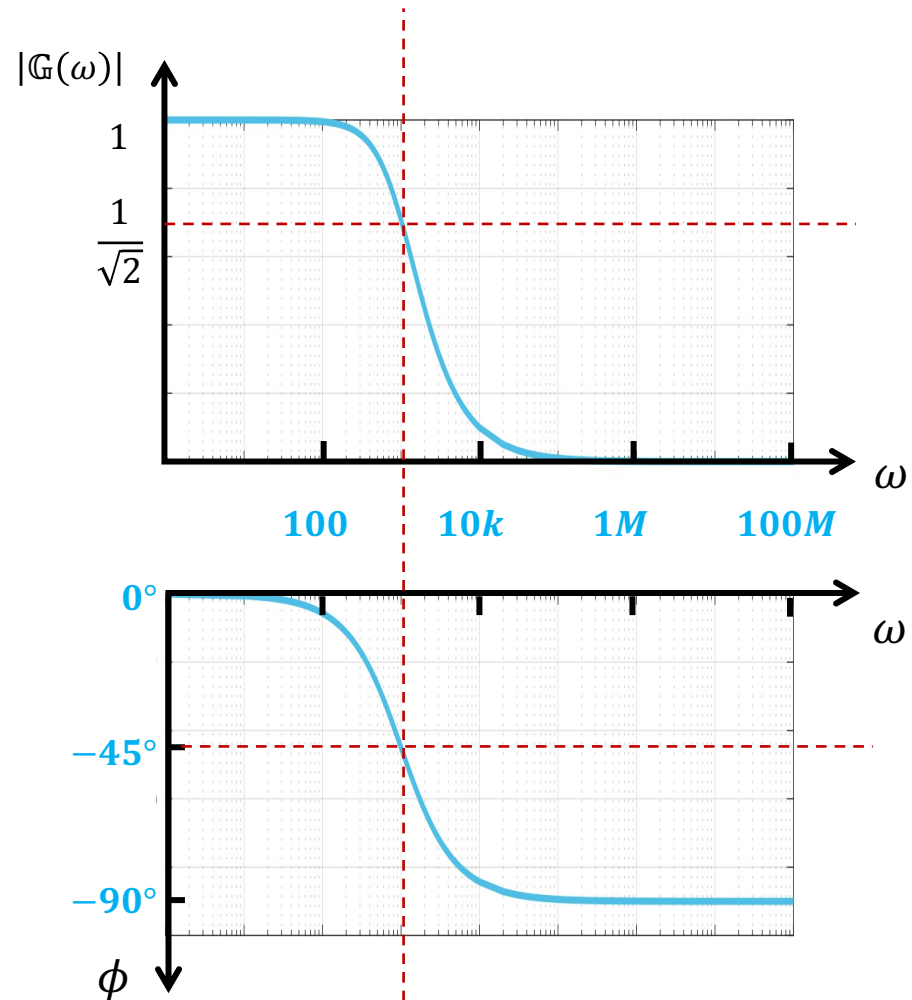
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$$\begin{cases} |G(\omega)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \omega^2 R_s^2 C^2}} \\ \phi = -\tan^{-1}(\omega C R_s) \end{cases}$$

When  $|G(\omega_c)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

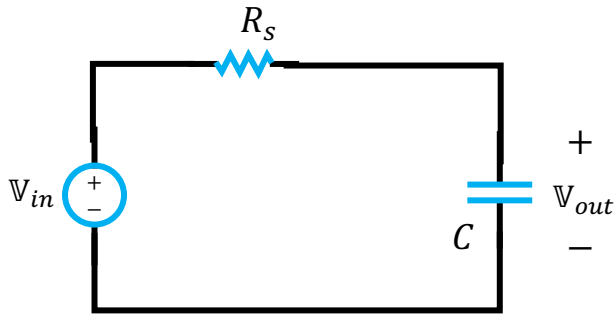
$$\rightarrow \omega_c = \frac{1}{R_s C}$$

$$\phi_c = -\tan^{-1}(\omega_c C R_s) = -45^\circ$$



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$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega CR_s + 1} \\ \phi = -\tan^{-1}(\omega CR_s) \end{array} \right]$$

- If  $v_{in}(t) = V_S \sin(\omega t)$
- According to KVL

$$\frac{d}{dt} v(t) + \frac{1}{R_s C} v(t) = \frac{1}{R_s C} v_{in}(t)$$

$$v(t) = K_1 \cos(\omega t) + K_2 \sin(\omega t) + K_3 e^{-\frac{1}{R_s C} t}$$

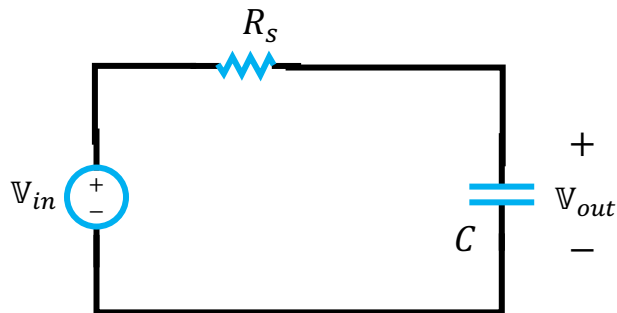
where

$$\begin{cases} K_1 = \frac{-\omega R_s C}{1 + \omega^2 R_s^2 C^2} V_S \\ K_2 = \frac{1}{1 + \omega^2 R_s^2 C^2} V_S \\ K_3 = \frac{\omega R_s C}{1 + \omega^2 R_s^2 C^2} V_S \end{cases}$$



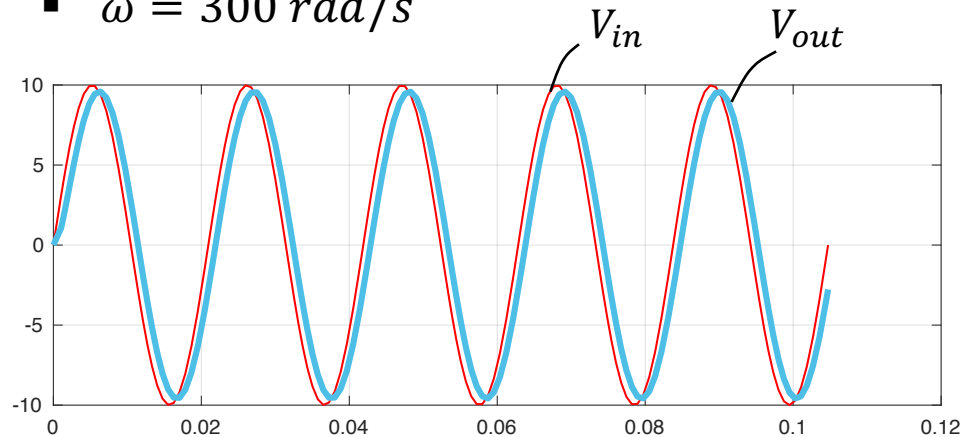
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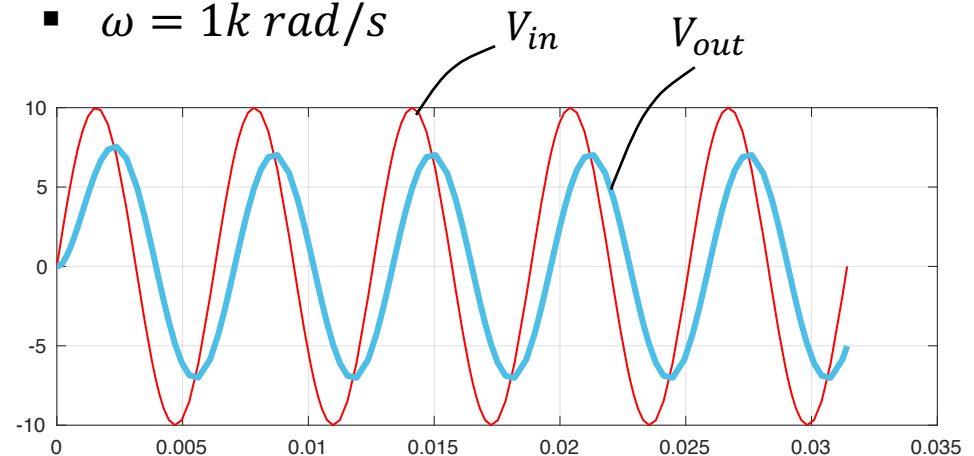


$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega CR_S + 1} \\ \phi = -\tan^{-1}(\omega CR_S) \end{array} \right]$$

■  $\omega = 300 \text{ rad/s}$

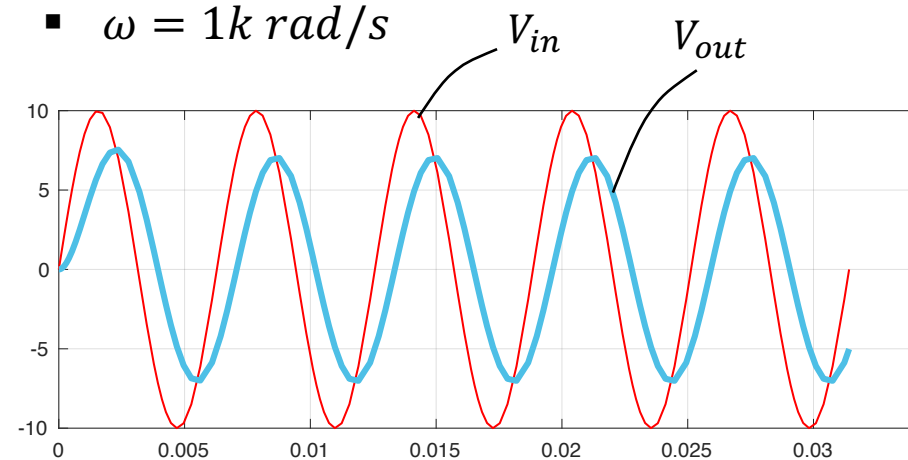
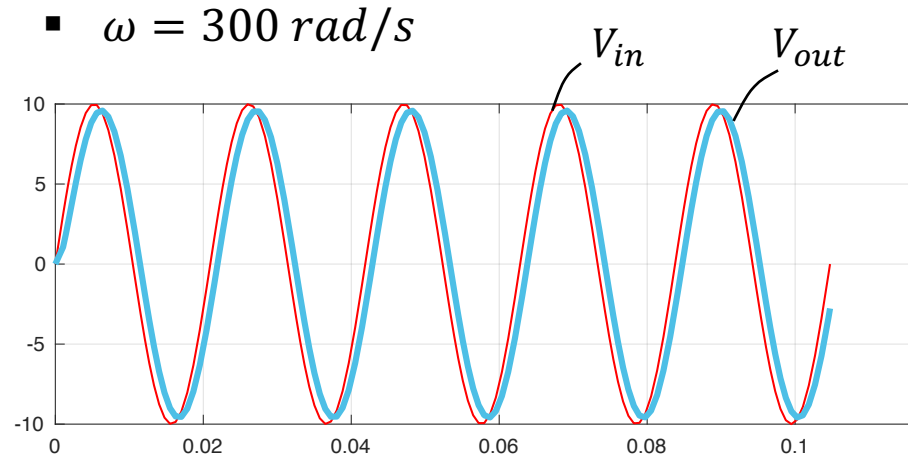
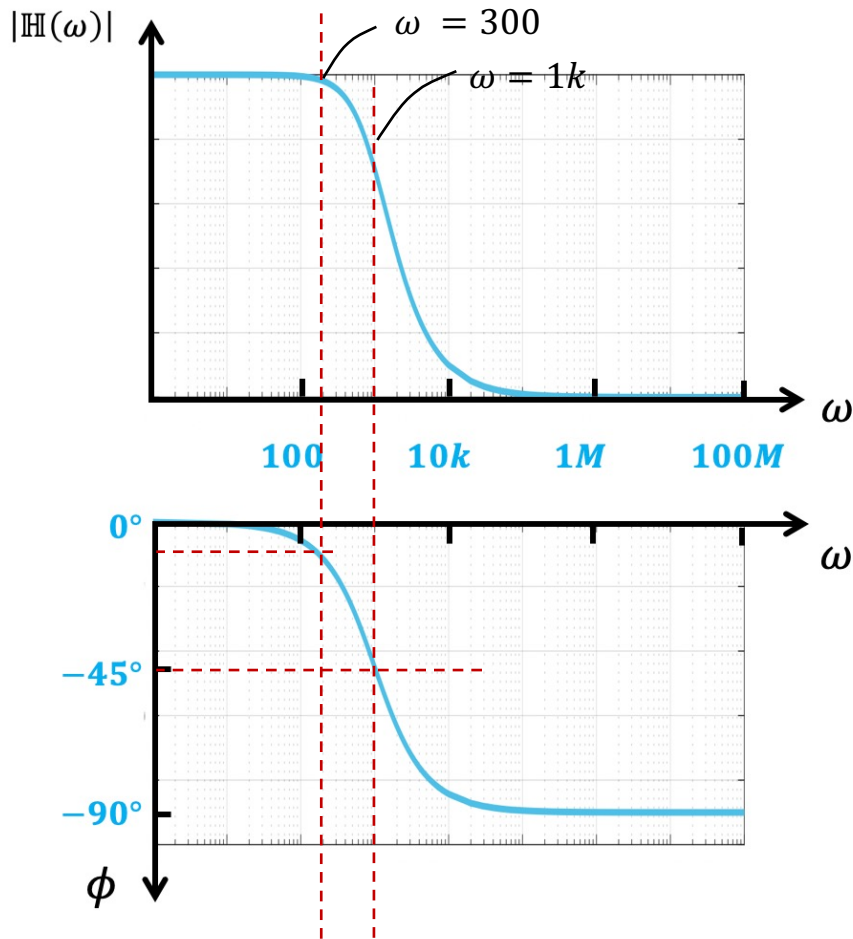


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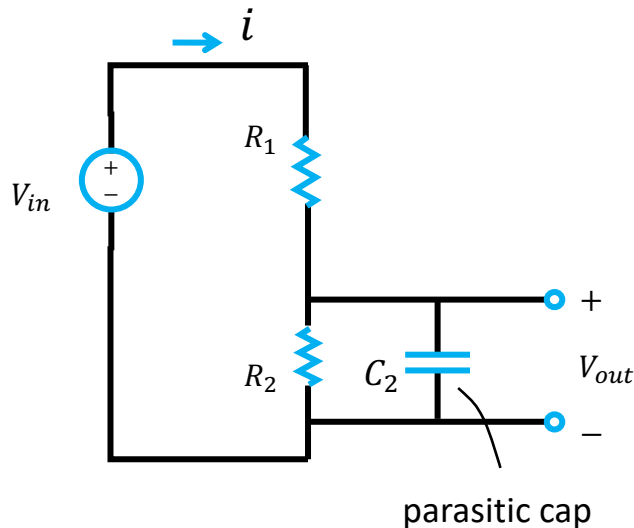
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- If there is no parasitic cap, according to KVL

$$V_{out} = iR_2 = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} V_{in}$$

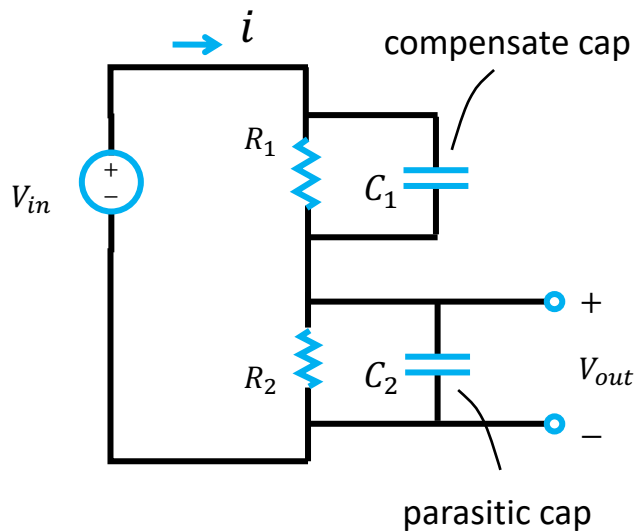
- If consider the parasitic cap, according to KVL

$$V_{out} = \frac{R_2 || Z_{C_2}}{R_1 + R_2 || Z_{C_2}} V_{in}$$

$$G_2(\omega) = \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}} = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2 + j\omega R_1 R_2 C_2}$$

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- By applying the compensate cap, according to KVL

$$V_{out} = \frac{R_2 || Z_{C_2}}{R_1 || Z_{C_1} + R_2 || Z_{C_2}} V_{in}$$

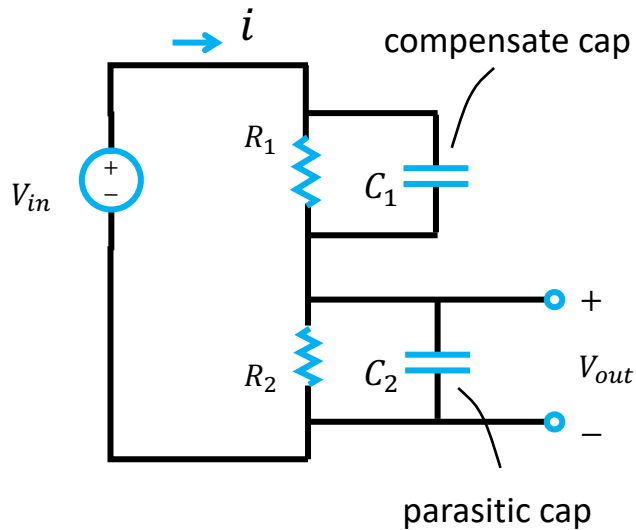
- The transfer function

$$G_2(\omega) = \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}}$$

$$= \frac{R_2(1 + j\omega R_1 C_1)}{R_1(1 + j\omega R_2 C_2) + R_2(1 + j\omega R_1 C_1)}$$

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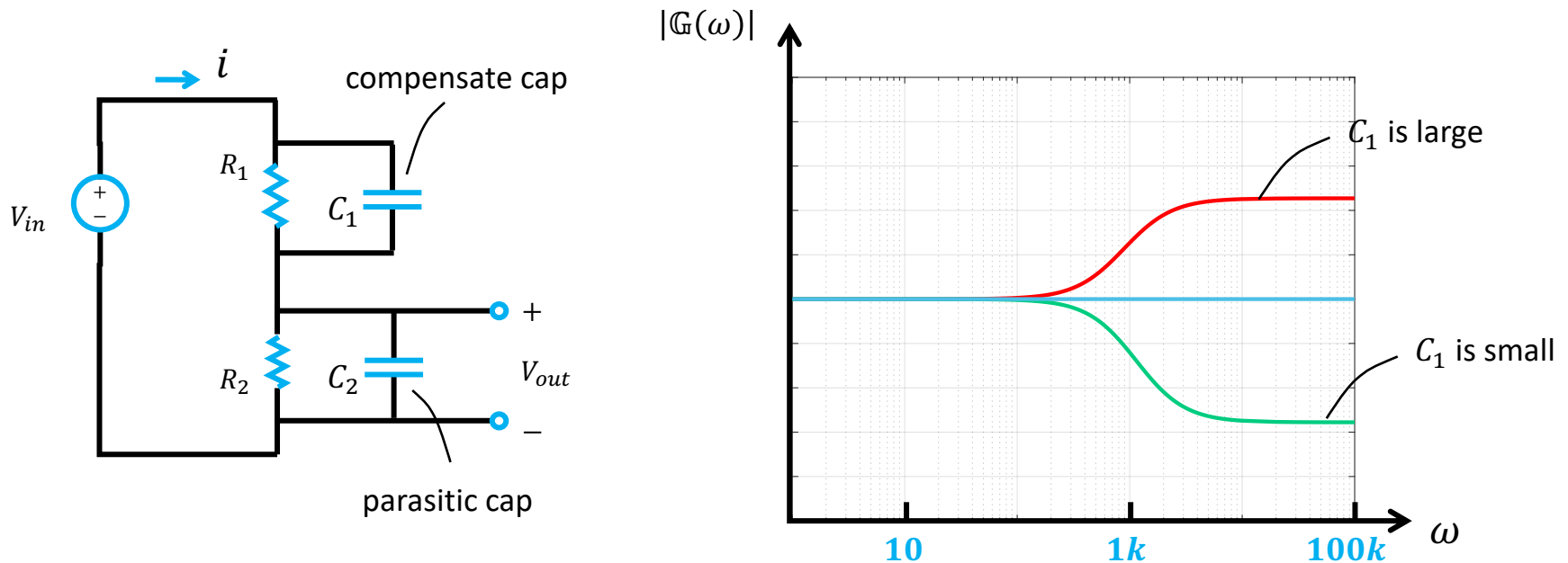
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$$\text{If } R_1 C_1 = R_2 C_2 \quad \rightarrow \quad \mathbb{G}_2(\omega) = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2}$$

**Independent of frequency**

# Example 3

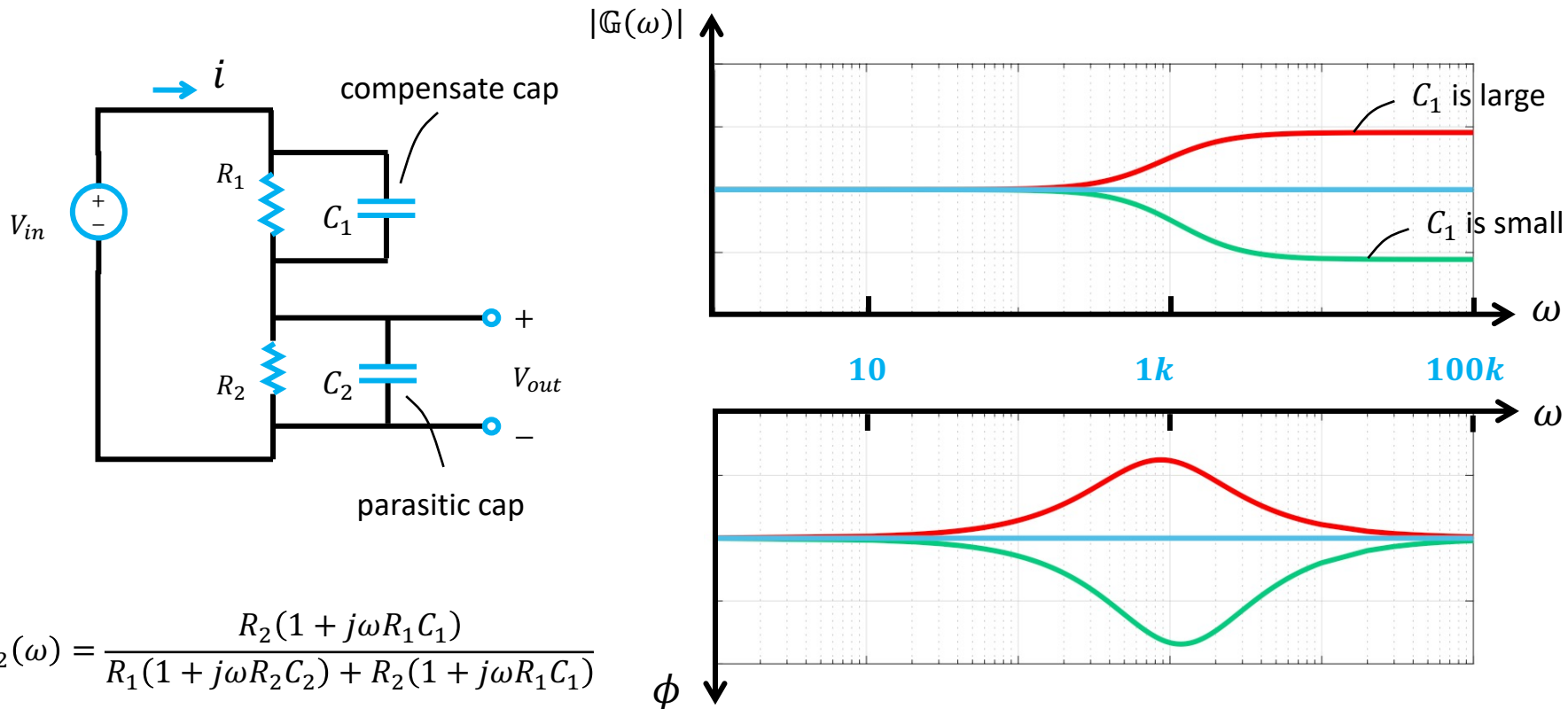
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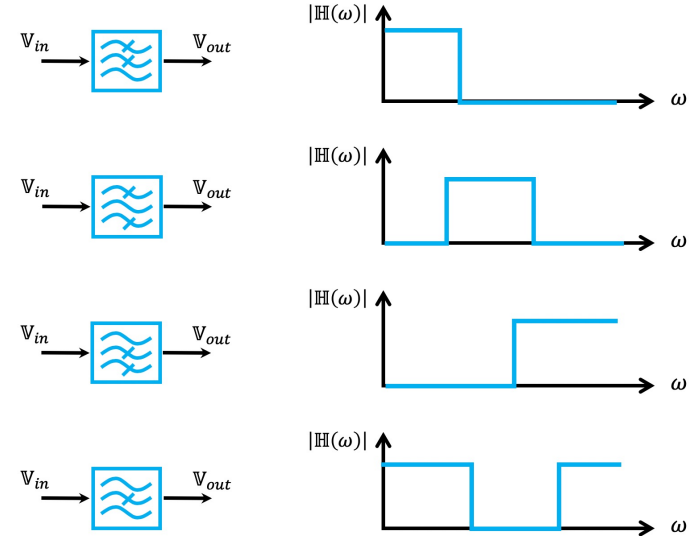
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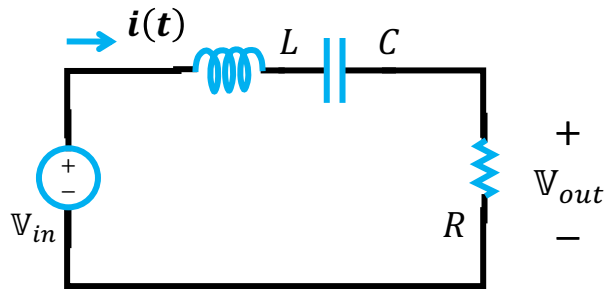
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# Example 4

**QUESTION:** calculate the voltage transfers from input to output based on varying  $R$



- According to KVL

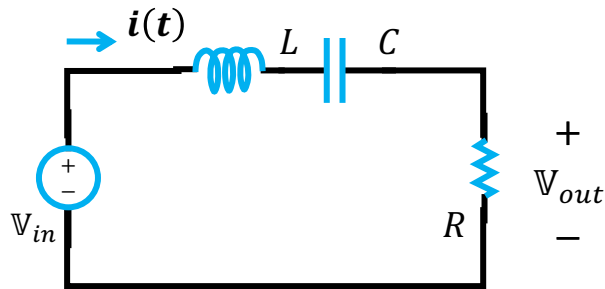
$$V_{out} = IR = \frac{R}{R + Z_L + Z_C} V_{in}$$

- The transfer function

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{G}(\omega) &= \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}} = \frac{R}{R + Z_L + Z_C} \\ &= \frac{R}{R + j\left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)} \end{aligned}$$

# Example 4

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$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{R}{R + j\left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)} \\ \omega = 2\pi f \end{array} \right]$$

- If frequency is very low,  $\omega \rightarrow 0$

$$\mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{R}{R + j\left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)} \rightarrow 0$$

$\downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow$   
 $0 \quad \quad \quad \infty$

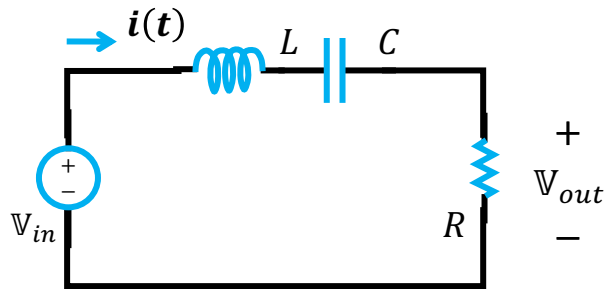
- If frequency is very high,  $\omega \rightarrow \infty$

$$\mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{R}{R + j\left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)} \rightarrow 0$$

$\downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow$   
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# Example 4

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- If frequency is very low,  $\mathbb{G}(\omega) \rightarrow 0$
- If frequency is very high,  $\mathbb{G}(\omega) \rightarrow 0$
- What if  $\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C} = 0$

$$\rightarrow \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \quad \text{RESONANCE FREQUENCY}$$

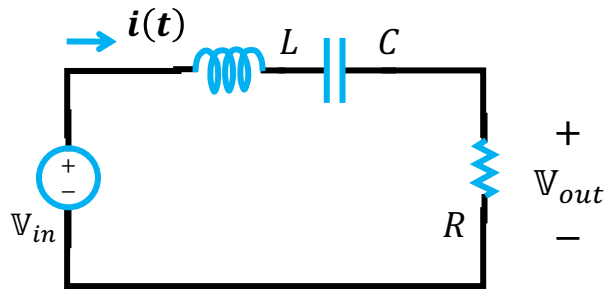
$$\mathbb{G}(\omega_0) = 1 \quad \text{thus, } \mathbb{V}_{out} = \mathbb{V}_{in}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{R}{R + j\left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)} \\ \omega = 2\pi f \end{array} \right]$$

**The RESONANCE FREQUENCY,  $\omega_0$ , at which the impedance of the circuit is purely real. The circuit itself at  $\omega_0$  is called IN RESONANCE.**

# Example 4

**QUESTION:** calculate the voltage transfers from input to output based on varying  $R$



- Find the cutoff frequency  $\omega_c$

$$|\mathbb{G}(\omega)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{1}{R} \left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)\right)^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

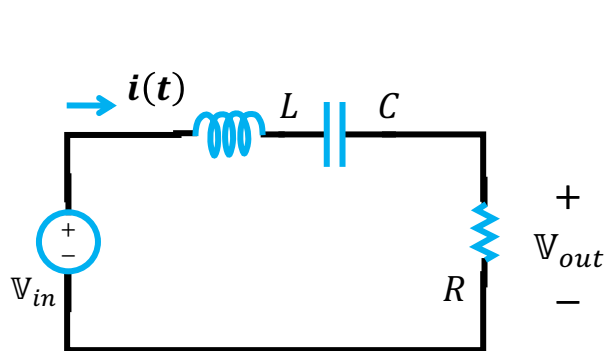
$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{R}{R + j\left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)} \\ \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \\ |\mathbb{G}(\omega_c)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \omega_{c1} = -\frac{R}{2L} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{R}{2L}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}\right)^2} \\ \omega_{c2} = +\frac{R}{2L} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{R}{2L}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}\right)^2} \end{array} \right.$$

**Note:**  $\omega_{c1}$  and  $\omega_{c2}$  are not symmetric around  $\omega_0$

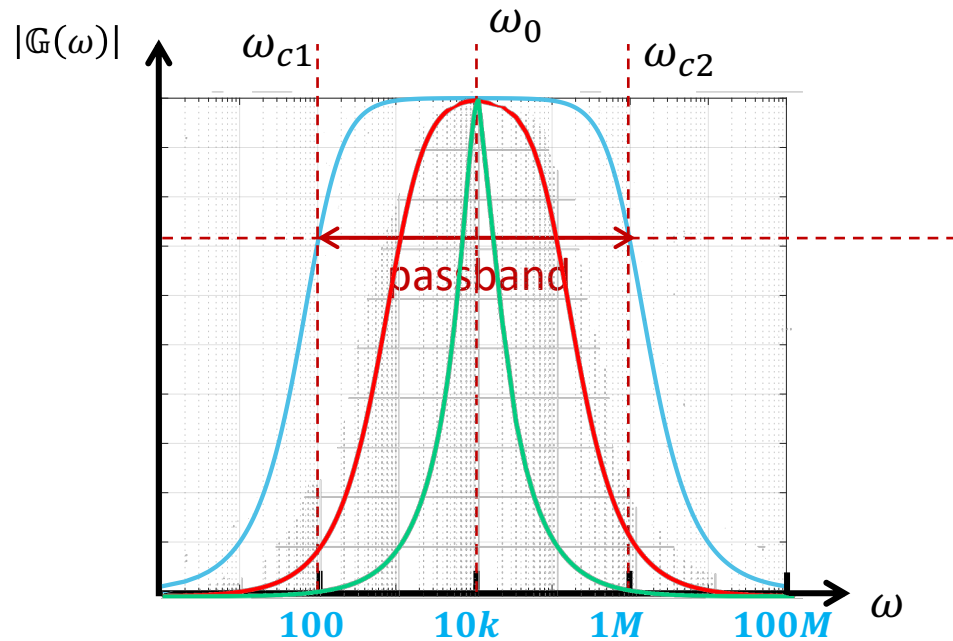
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- The bandwidth

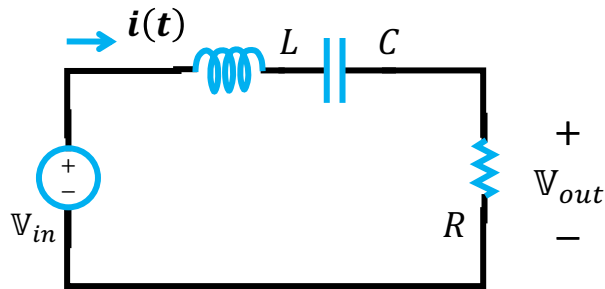
$$BW = \omega_{c2} - \omega_{c1} = \frac{R}{L}$$



**This is a BAND PASS FILTER**  
**which passes some particular band of frequencies and reject all**  
**frequencies outside the range**

# Quality factor

**QUESTION:** calculate the voltage transfers from input to output based on varying  $R$



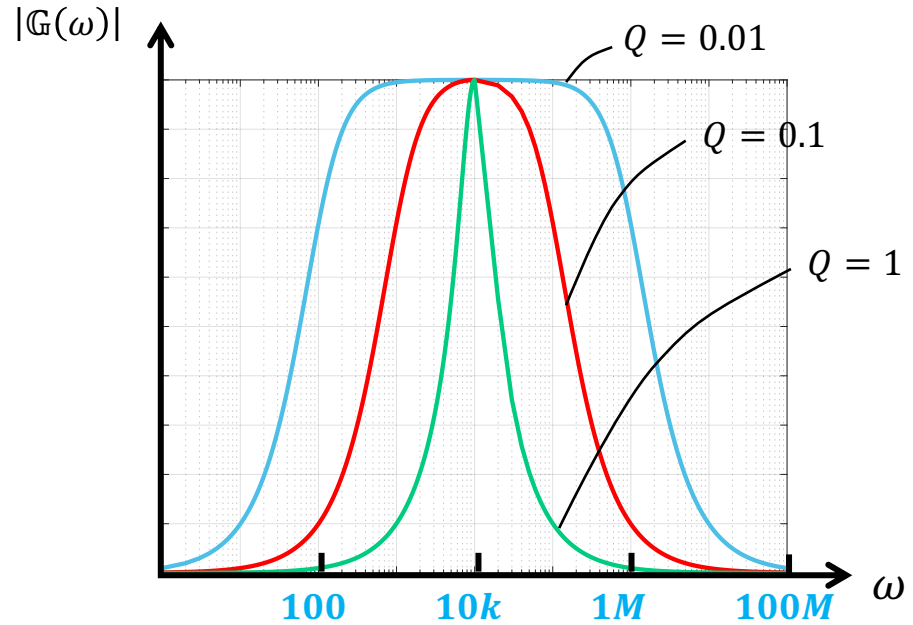
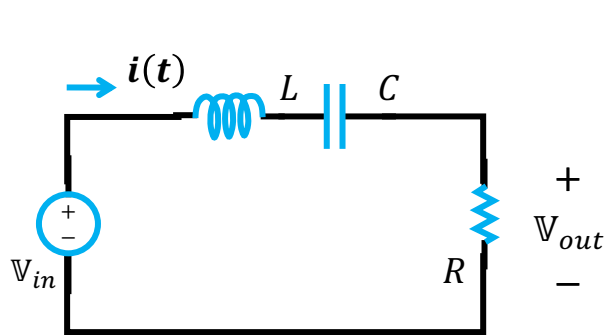
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{G}(\omega) &= \frac{R}{R + j\left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + j\frac{1}{R}\left(\frac{\omega L}{\omega_0\sqrt{LC}} - \frac{\omega_0\sqrt{LC}}{\omega C}\right)} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + j\frac{1}{R}\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_0} - \frac{\omega_0}{\omega}\right)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{R}{R + j\left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)} \\ \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \\ |\mathbb{G}(\omega_c)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{array} \right]$$

**Define QUALITY FACTOR**  $Q = \frac{1}{R}\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}$

# Quality factor

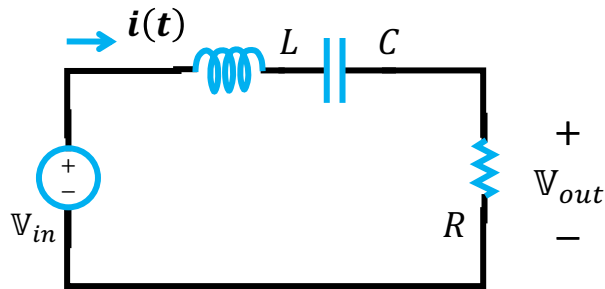
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$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} G(\omega) = \frac{1}{1 + jQ \left( \frac{\omega}{\omega_0} - \frac{\omega_0}{\omega} \right)} \\ \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \\ Q = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} \end{array} \right]$$

# Quality factor

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Let's recalculate the bandwidth  $BW$  with  $Q$

- The magnitude  $|\mathbb{G}(\omega)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + Q^2 \left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_0} - \frac{\omega_0}{\omega}\right)^2}}$
- According to  $|\mathbb{G}(\omega_c)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{1}{1 + jQ \left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_0} - \frac{\omega_0}{\omega}\right)} \\ \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \\ Q = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{cases} \omega_{c1} = \omega_0 \left[ -\frac{1}{2Q} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{4Q^2 + 1}} \right] \\ \omega_{c2} = \omega_0 \left[ +\frac{1}{2Q} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{4Q^2 + 1}} \right] \end{cases}$$

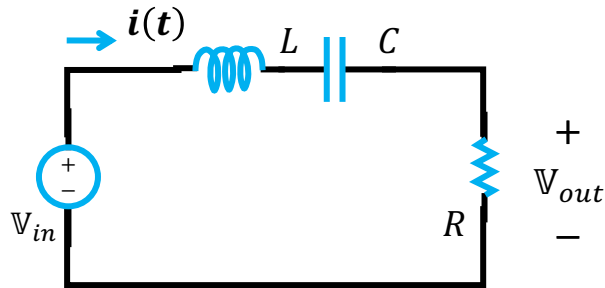
$$BW = \frac{\omega_0}{Q}$$

**A relationship between  $BW$ ,  $Q$  and  $\omega_0$**



# Quality factor

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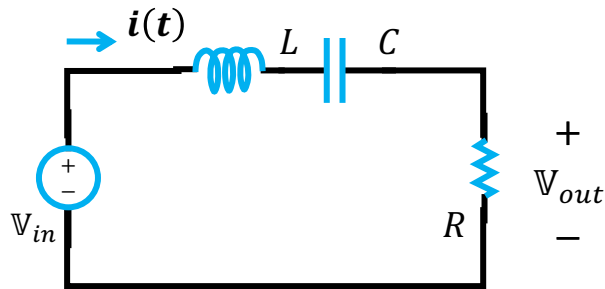


Let's go back to time domain @ resonant freq  $\omega_0$

- Assume  $v_{in}(t) = V_0 \cos(\omega_0 t)$
- The equivalent impedance @  $\omega_0$ ,  $Z_{eq} = R$
- According to KVL, the current of the circuit  $i(t) = \frac{V_0}{R} \cos(\omega_0 t)$
- Energy stored in  $L$ ,  $w_L(t) = \frac{1}{2} L i^2(t) = \frac{V_0^2 L}{2R^2} \cos^2(\omega_0 t)$
- Energy stored in  $C$ ,  $w_C(t) = \frac{1}{2} C v_C^2(t) = \frac{1}{2} C \left( \frac{1}{C} \int i dt \right)^2 = \frac{V_0^2}{2\omega_0^2 R^2 C} \sin^2(\omega_0 t)$

# Quality factor

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Let's go back to time domain @ resonant freq  $\omega_0$

- Total stored energy

$$w_S = w_L(t) + w_C(t) = \frac{V_0^2 L}{2R^2}$$

- Total dissipated energy per cycle

$$w_D = \int_0^T i^2(t) R dt = \frac{V_0^2 T}{2R}$$

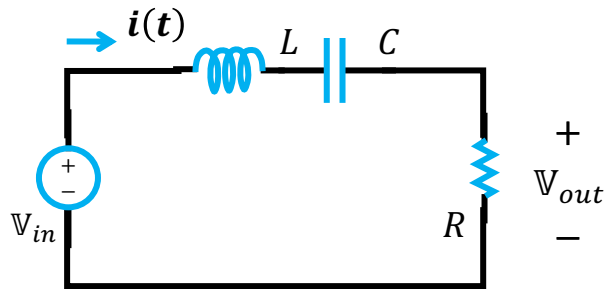
$$w_L(t) = \frac{V_0^2 L}{2R^2} \cos^2(\omega_0 t)$$

$$w_C(t) = \frac{V_0^2}{2\omega_0^2 R^2 C} \sin^2(\omega_0 t)$$

$$\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \quad Q = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}$$

# Quality factor

**QUESTION:** calculate the voltage transfers from input to output based on varying  $R$



Let's go back to time domain @ resonant freq  $\omega_0$

- The ratio of  $w_S$  and  $w_D$

$$\frac{w_S}{w_D} = \frac{\frac{V_0^2 L}{2R^2}}{\frac{V_0^2 T}{2R}} = \frac{L}{RT} = \frac{\omega_0 L}{2\pi R}$$

- Recall  $Q = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{L/C}$

$$Q = 2\pi \frac{w_S}{w_D}$$

**$Q$  is the ratio of energy stored to energy lost at the resonant frequency**

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} w_S = w_L(t) + w_C(t) = \frac{V_0^2 L}{2R^2} \\ w_D = w_R(t) = \frac{V_0^2 T}{2R} \\ \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \end{array} \right]$$

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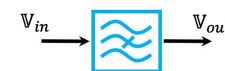
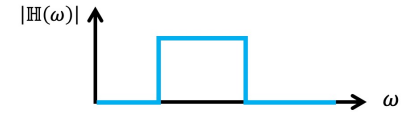
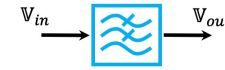
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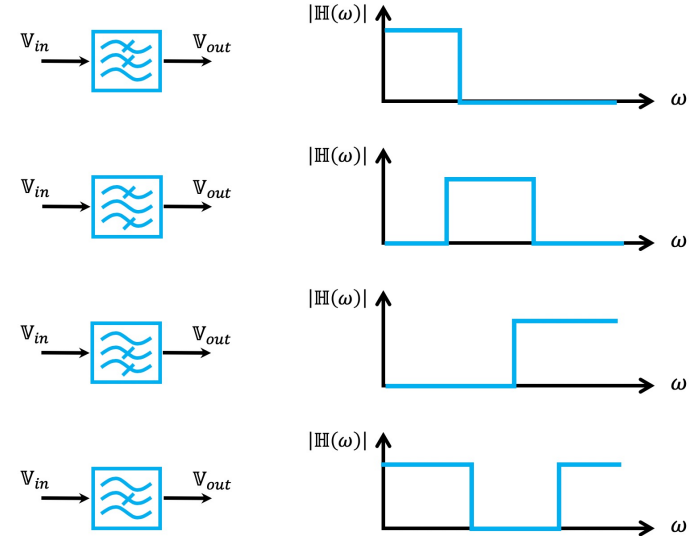
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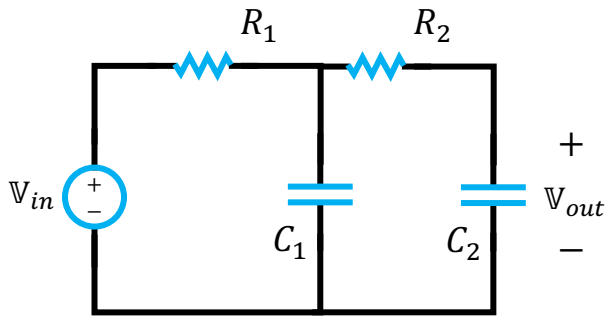
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# Example 5: Cascading filters

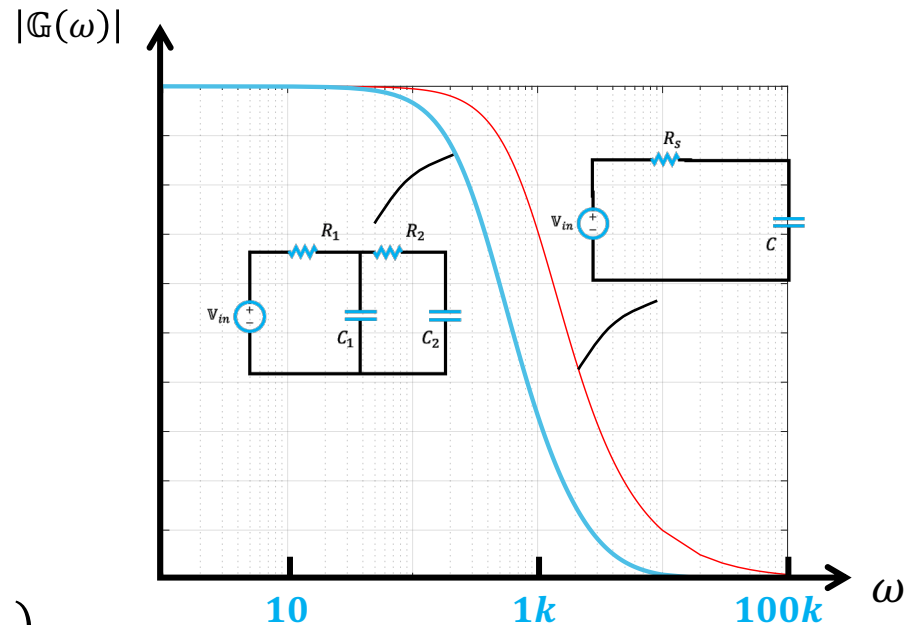
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- According to KVL

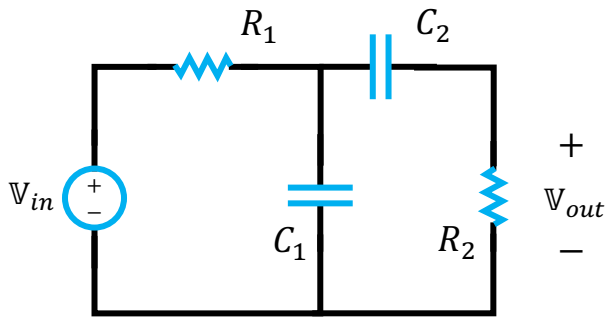
$$V_{out} = \frac{Z_{C_2}}{R_2 + Z_{C_2}} \cdot \frac{Z_{C_1} \parallel (R_2 + Z_{C_2})}{R_1 + Z_{C_1} \parallel (R_2 + Z_{C_2})} V_{in}$$

- The transfer function 
$$\mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{Z_{C_2}}{R_2 + Z_{C_2}} \cdot \frac{Z_{C_1} \parallel (R_2 + Z_{C_2})}{R_1 + Z_{C_1} \parallel (R_2 + Z_{C_2})}$$



# Example 6

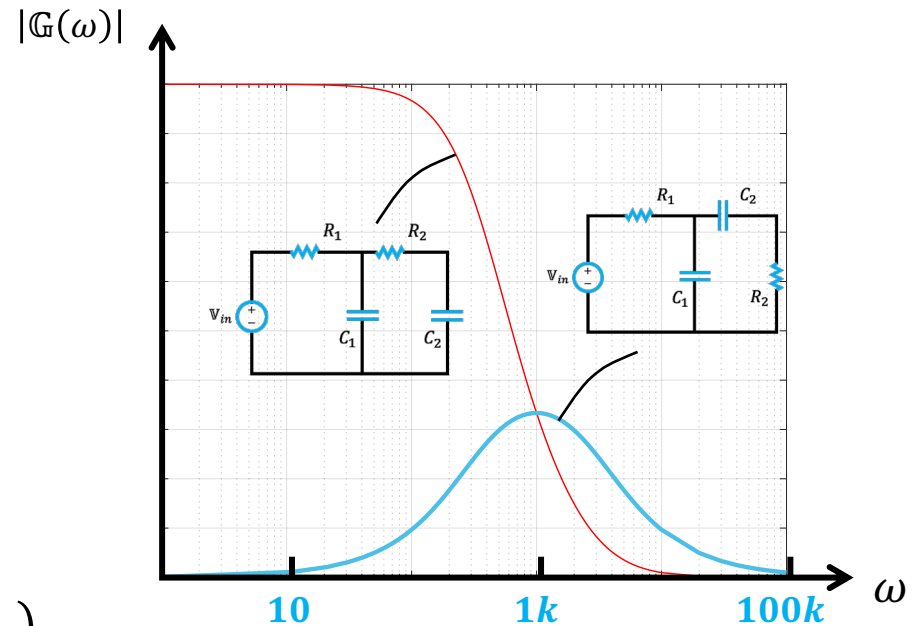
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- The transfer function  $\mathbb{G}(\omega) = \frac{R_2}{R_2 + Z_{C_2}} \cdot \frac{Z_{C_1} \parallel (R_2 + Z_{C_2})}{R_1 + Z_{C_1} \parallel (R_2 + Z_{C_2})}$



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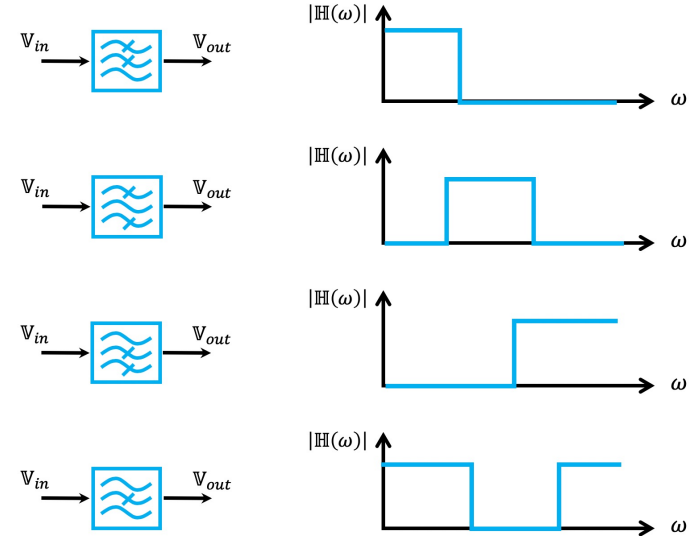
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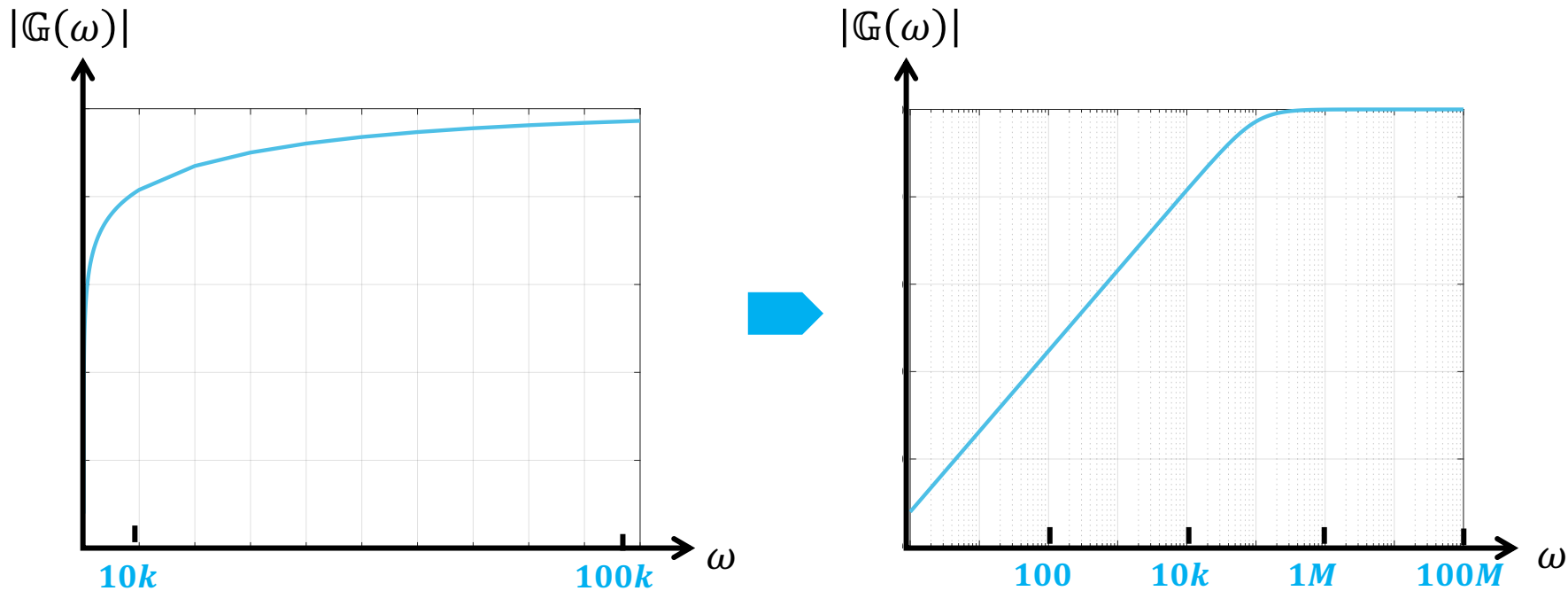
## ■ Bode plot





# Recall: logarithmic scale

Let's try to plot the transfer function  $|\mathbb{G}(\omega)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{R_1}{\omega L}\right)^2}}$



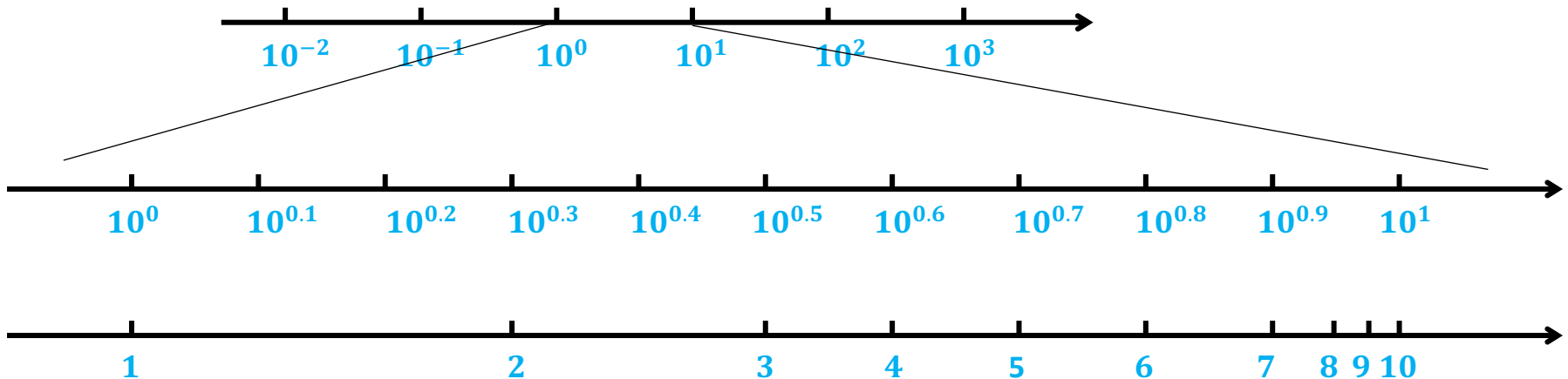
While plot the transfer function, the x-axis is usually plot in logarithmic scale

# Logarithms v.s. Decibels

- Linear scale



- Powers of ten scale



**Logarithms scale is a non-linear scale**

# Recall: Power in dB

**Decibel (dB)** is a unitless measurement for expressing ratios

- For power  $10 \log_{10} \frac{P}{1W} \rightarrow \text{dB}$

$$10 \log_{10} \frac{P}{1mW} \rightarrow \text{dBm}$$

- For voltage  $20 \log_{10} \frac{v}{1V} \rightarrow \text{dBV}$

$$20 \log_{10} \frac{v}{1mV} \rightarrow \text{dBmV}$$

# Power gain in dB

- Define power gain as  $\frac{P_{out}}{P_{in}}$
- Power gain in dB  $10\log_{10}\frac{P_{out}}{P_{in}}$
- Special cases

$$\text{If } P_{out} = P_{in} \quad \text{Power Gain (dB)} = 10\log_{10}\frac{P_{out}}{P_{in}} = 0\text{dB}$$

$$\text{If } P_{out} = \frac{1}{2}P_{in} \quad \text{Power Gain (dB)} = 10\log_{10}\frac{P_{out}}{P_{in}} = -3\text{dB}$$

$$\text{If } P_{out} = 2P_{in} \quad \text{Power Gain (dB)} = 10\log_{10}\frac{P_{out}}{P_{in}} = 3\text{dB}$$

# Voltage gain in dB

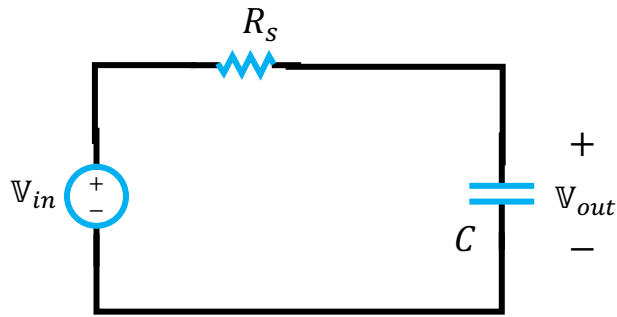
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Power Gain (dB)} &= 10 \log_{10} \frac{P_{out}}{P_{in}} \\ &= 10 \log_{10} \left( \frac{V_o^2}{R_o} / \frac{V_i^2}{R_i} \right) \\ &= 10 \log_{10} \left( \frac{V_o}{V_i} \right)^2 + 10 \log_{10} \left( \frac{R_i}{R_o} \right) \\ &= 20 \log_{10} \left( \frac{V_o}{V_i} \right) + 10 \log_{10} (1) \end{aligned}$$

↓ **If  $R_i = R_o$**

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$$\text{Power Gain (dB)} = 10 \log_{10} \frac{P_{out}}{P_{in}} = 20 \log_{10} \left( \frac{V_o}{V_i} \right) = \text{Voltage Gain}$$

# Transfer function with logs & dB plot



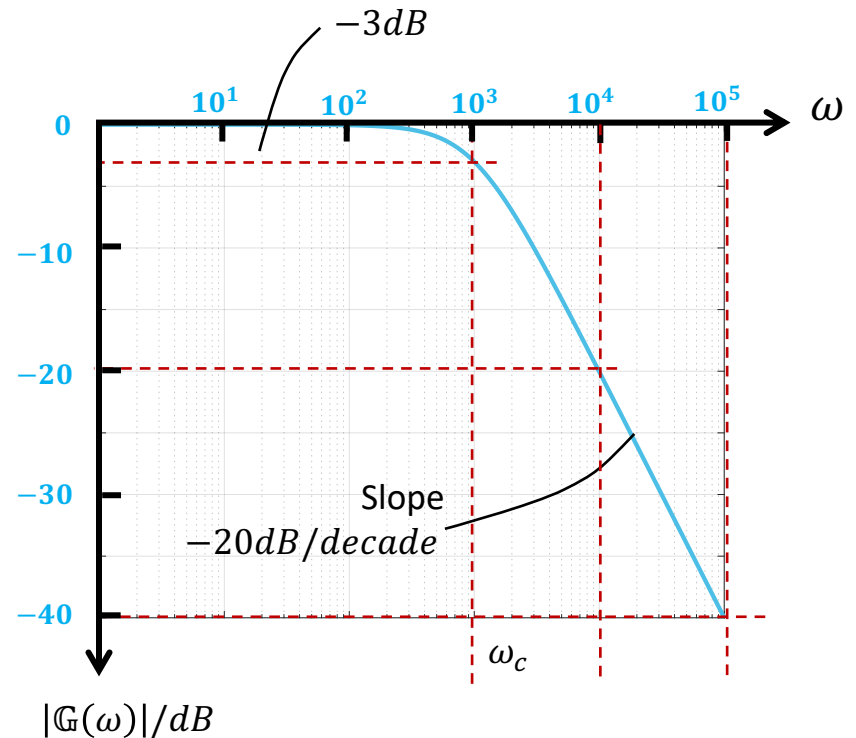
$$|\mathbb{G}(\omega)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + (\omega CR_s)^2}}$$

$$|\mathbb{G}(10\omega_c)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + (10\omega_c CR_s)^2}}$$

$$\approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{(10\omega_c CR_s)^2}} = \frac{1}{10\sqrt{(\omega_c CR_s)^2}}$$

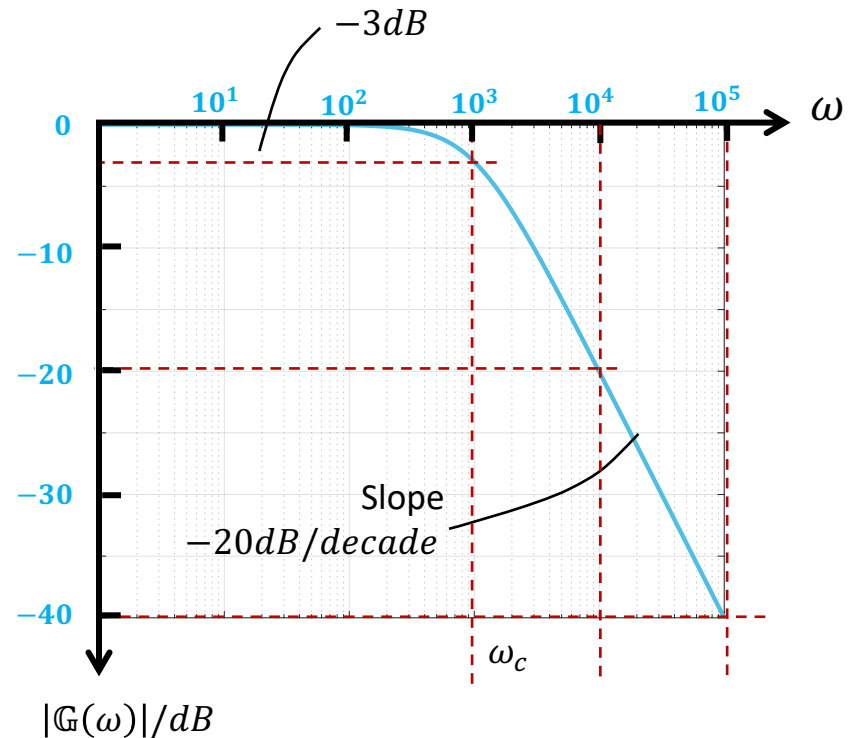
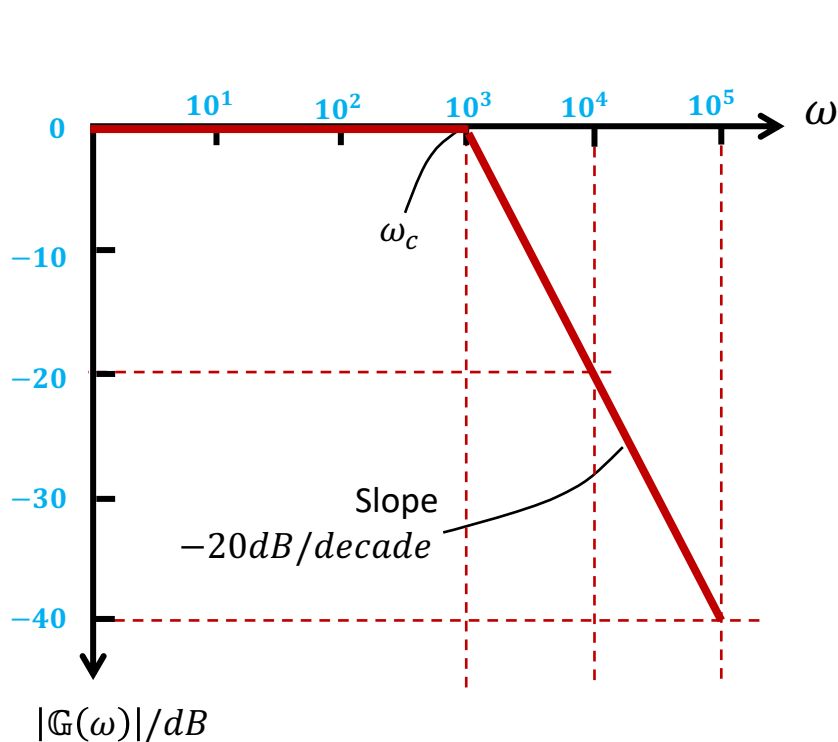
$$\approx \frac{1}{10\sqrt{1 + (\omega_c CR_s)^2}} = \frac{1}{10} |\mathbb{G}(\omega_c)|$$

$$|\mathbb{G}(\omega_c)|(dB) - |\mathbb{G}(10\omega_c)|(dB) = 20 \log_{10} \left( \frac{|\mathbb{G}(\omega_c)|}{|\mathbb{G}(10\omega_c)|} \right) \approx \mathbf{20dB}$$



# Bode plot

**BODE PLOT** generates a “straight-line” approximation of the transfer function



The slope of the dB plot is called the “roll-off” rate

The amplitude of the output signal is attenuated faster with higher roll-off

# Bode plot

Transfer function in general form

$$\mathbb{H}(\omega) = H_0 \frac{\left(1 + \frac{j\omega}{\omega_{z1}}\right) \left(1 + \frac{j\omega}{\omega_{z2}}\right) \cdots \left(1 + \frac{j\omega}{\omega_{zm}}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{j\omega}{\omega_{p1}}\right) \left(1 + \frac{j\omega}{\omega_{p2}}\right) \cdots \left(1 + \frac{j\omega}{\omega_{pn}}\right)}$$
$$\omega_{z1} < \omega_{z2} < \cdots < \omega_{zm}$$
$$\omega_{p1} < \omega_{p2} < \cdots < \omega_{pn}$$

$$= H_0 \frac{A_{z1} \angle \phi_{z1} \cdot A_{z2} \angle \phi_{z2} \cdots A_{zm} \angle \phi_{zm}}{A_{p1} \angle \phi_{p1} \cdot A_{p2} \angle \phi_{p2} \cdots A_{pn} \angle \phi_{pn}}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} |\mathbb{H}(\omega)| = |H_0| \frac{A_{z1} \cdot A_{z2} \cdots A_{zm}}{A_{p1} \cdot A_{p2} \cdots A_{pn}} \\ \angle \mathbb{H}(\omega) = \phi_{z1} + \phi_{z2} + \cdots + \phi_{zm} - \phi_{p1} - \phi_{p2} - \cdots - \phi_{pn} \end{array} \right.$$

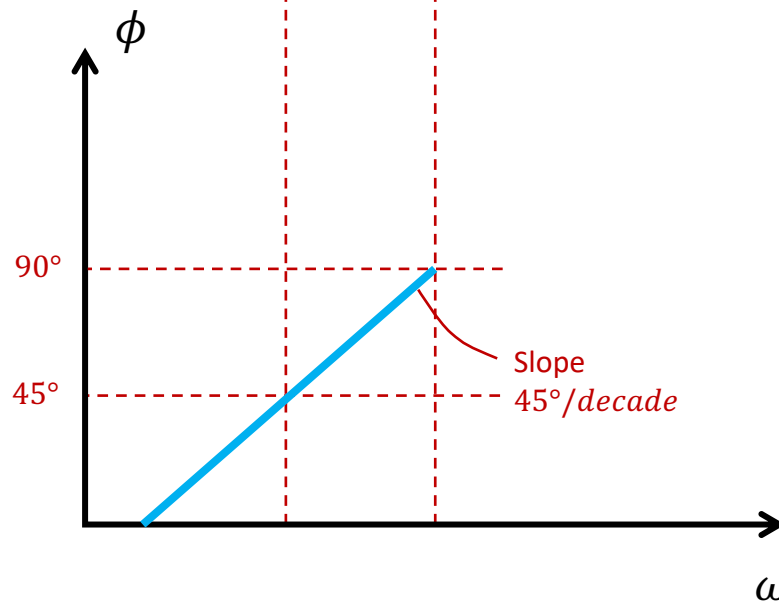
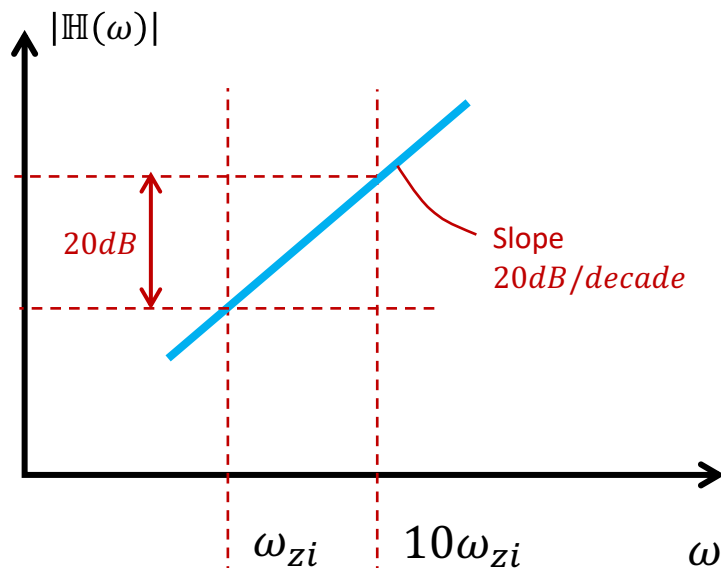


# Bode plot

- When is  $\omega$  very low  $\mathbb{H}(\omega) \xrightarrow{\omega \rightarrow 0} H_0$

- Consider  $\mathbb{H}_{zi}(\omega) = 1 + \frac{j\omega}{\omega_{zi}}$

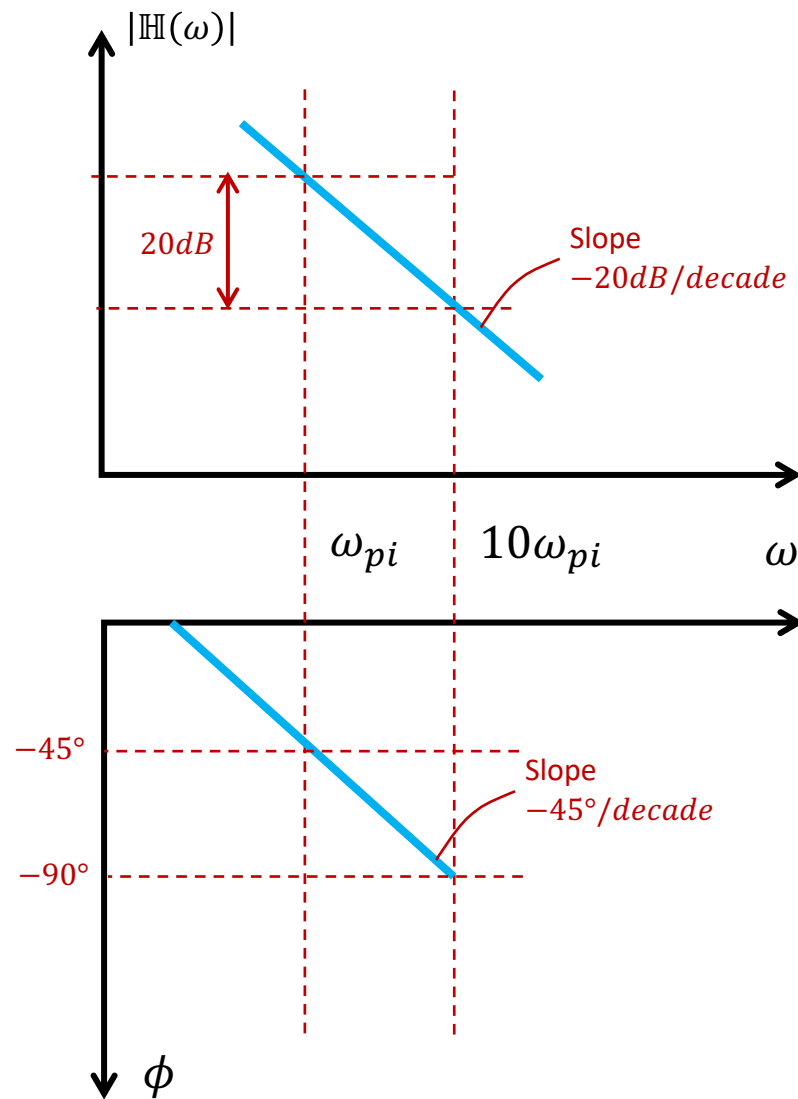
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{H}_{zi}(\omega) \xrightarrow{\omega \ll \omega_{zi}} 1 \\ \mathbb{H}_{zi}(\omega) \xrightarrow{\omega = \omega_{zi}} 1 + j \\ \mathbb{H}_{zi}(\omega) \xrightarrow{\omega = 10\omega_{zi}} 10j \approx 10\mathbb{H}_{zi}(\omega_{zi}) \\ \mathbb{H}_{zi}(\omega) \xrightarrow{\omega \gg \omega_{zi}} \frac{j\omega}{\omega_{zi}} \end{array} \right.$$



# Bode plot

Consider  $\mathbb{H}_{pi}(\omega) = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{j\omega}{\omega_{pi}}}$

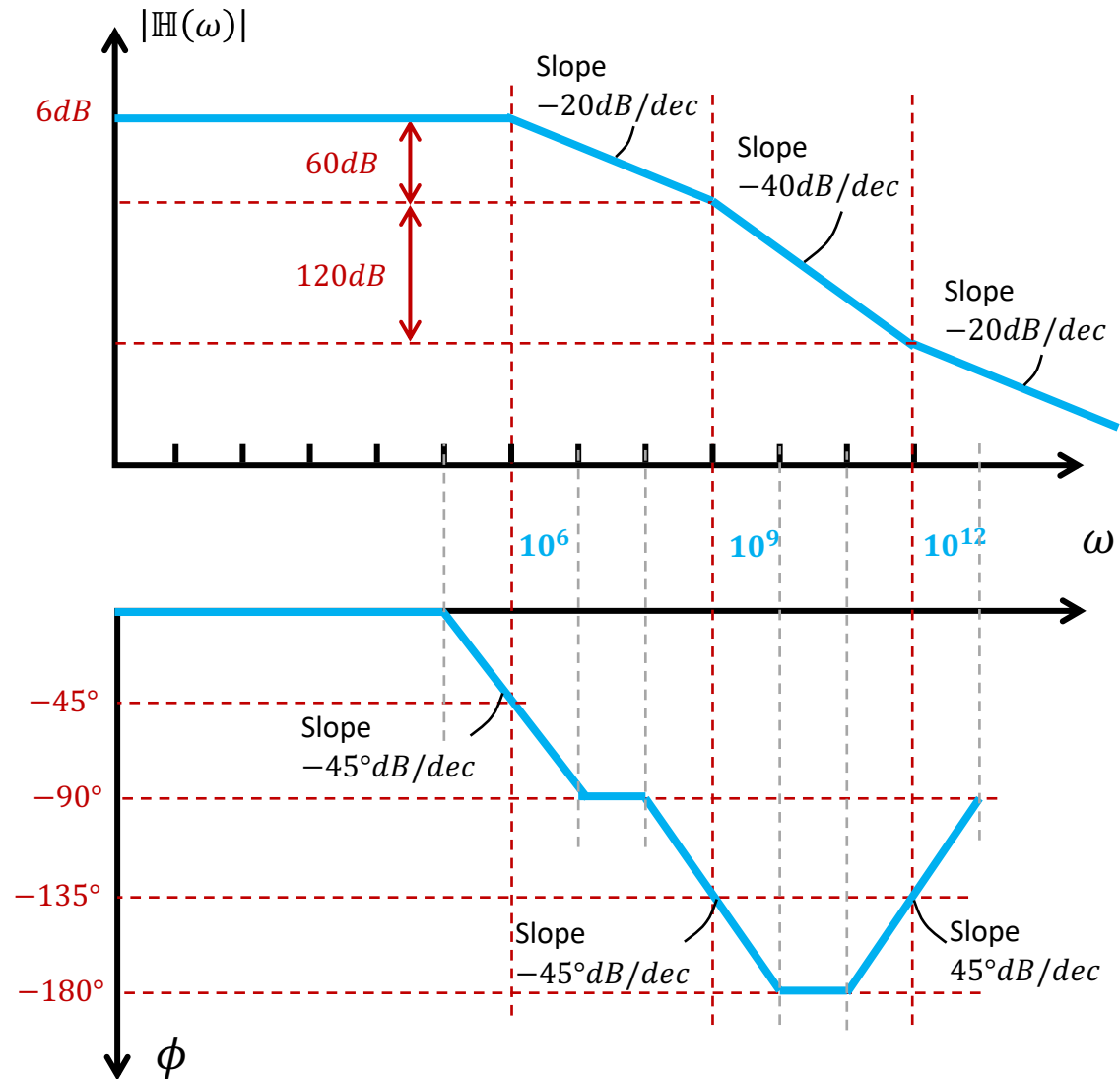
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{H}_{pi}(\omega) \xrightarrow{\omega \ll \omega_{pi}} 1 \\ \mathbb{H}_{pi}(\omega) \xrightarrow{\omega = \omega_{pi}} \frac{1}{1 + j} \\ \mathbb{H}_{pi}(\omega) \xrightarrow{\omega = 10\omega_{pi}} \frac{1}{10j} \approx \frac{1}{10} \mathbb{H}_{pi}(\omega_{pi}) \\ \mathbb{H}_{pi}(\omega) \xrightarrow{\omega \gg \omega_{pi}} \frac{\omega_{pi}}{j\omega} \end{array} \right.$$



# Example 7

$$\mathbb{H}(\omega) = 2 \frac{\left(1 + \frac{j\omega}{10^{12}}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{j\omega}{10^6}\right)\left(1 + \frac{j\omega}{10^9}\right)}$$

$$|\mathbb{H}(\omega = 0)| = 20 \log_{10} 2 = 6 \text{ dB}$$



# Outlines

## ■ Transfer function

## ■ Filters

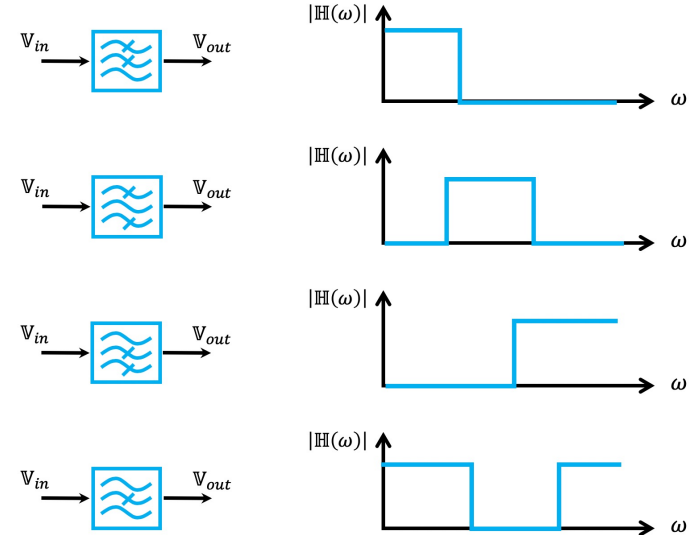
### □ Common ideal filters

### □ Actual filters

- High pass filters / low pass filters
- Band pass filters / band stop filters
- Quality factor  $Q = 2\pi \frac{W_s}{W_D}$
- Cascading filters

## ■ Bode plot

## ■ Circuit element models in s-domain



# The Laplace transform

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The Laplace transform of a function is defined as

$$\mathcal{L}[f(t)] = F(s) = \int_0^{\infty} f(t)e^{-st} dt \quad \text{where } s = \sigma + j\omega$$




The inverse Laplace transform is defined as

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}[F(s)] = f(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi j} \int_{\sigma_1 - j\infty}^{\sigma_1 + j\infty} F(s)e^{-st} dt$$

The useful Laplace transform pairs

$$\delta(t) \leftrightarrow 1 \quad u(t) \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{s} \quad e^{-at} \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{s+a} \quad t \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{s^2}$$

# Circuit element models

			
<i>i-v</i> characteristic	$i = \frac{v}{R}$	$i(t) = C \frac{dv(t)}{dt}$	$i(t) = i(t_0) + \frac{1}{L} \int_{t_0}^t v(x) dx$
<i>v-i</i> characteristic	$v = iR$	$v(t) = v(t_0) + \frac{1}{C} \int_{t_0}^t i(x) dx$	$v(t) = L \frac{di(t)}{dt}$
Impedance	$R$	$\frac{1}{j\omega C}$	$j\omega L$
<b>s-domain model</b>	<b><math>R</math></b>	<b><math>\frac{1}{sC}</math></b>	<b><math>sL</math></b>
<b>s-domain <i>i-v</i> characteristic</b>	<b><math>I(s) = \frac{V(s)}{R}</math></b>	<b><math>I(s) = sCV(s)</math></b>	<b><math>I(s) = \frac{V(s)}{sL}</math></b>

# Outlines

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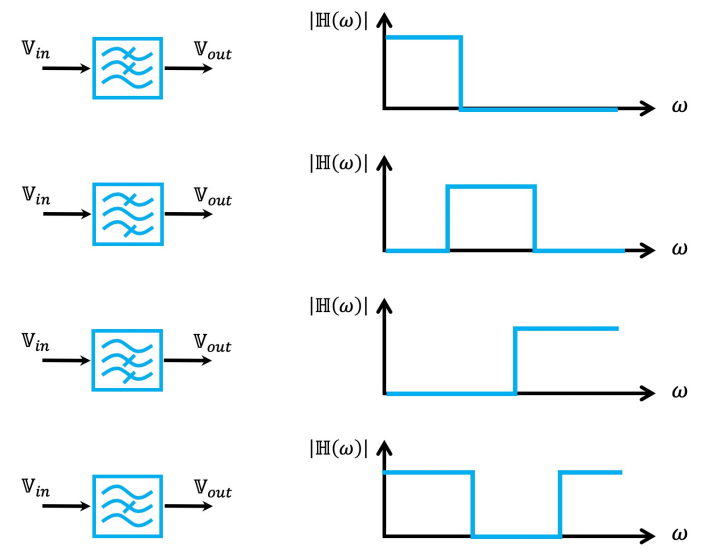
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# Reading tasks & learning goals

## ■ Reading tasks

- Basic Engineering Circuit Analysis, 10<sup>th</sup> edition
  - Chapter 12.1-12.4, 12.5 before active filters

## ■ Learning goals

- Understand the variable-frequency performance of  $R$ ,  $L$  and  $C$
- Be able to sketch and to understand a **Bode plot**
- Know how to analyze series and parallel **resonant circuits**
- Understand the concept of **magnitude/frequency/Quality factor**
- Understand the characteristics of **basic filters**
- Understand  $s$ -domain representations of basic circuit elements