

PHYS 1220, Engineering Physics, Chapter 30 – Inductance

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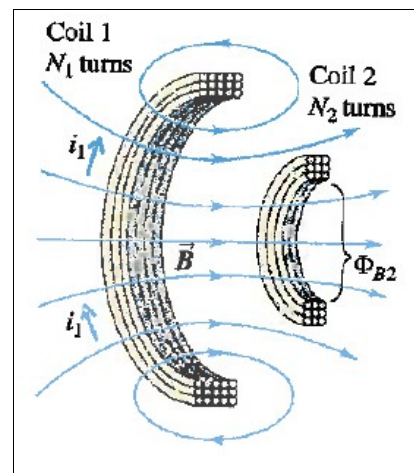
Goal of this chapter is to learn how the magnetic inductance behaves in circuits

- Mutual Inductance between two coils nearby.

- $\epsilon_2 = -N_2 \frac{d\Phi_{B2}}{dt}$; $\epsilon_1 = -N_1 \frac{d\Phi_{B1}}{dt}$ (Faraday's law of induction)

- We know that the magnetic flux Φ_{B1} and Φ_{B2} is proportional to the current of the other coil. (Note: for Φ_{B2} , $\Phi_{B2} = \oint \vec{B}_1 \cdot d\vec{A}$, where B_1 is the magnetic field produced by coil #1 on the axis of coil #1 as: $B_1 = \frac{\mu_0 N_1 I_1 a^2}{2(x^2 + a^2)^{3/2}}$ (Eq, 28.16 on page 933).

Though this equation is only valid on the axis, we could know that the magnetic field is proportional to the current.)



- We can write the relationship between Φ_{B2} and I_1 as: $N_2 \Phi_{B2} = M_{21} I_1$ (and also for $N_1 \Phi_{B1} = M_{12} I_2$). And it could be prove that $M_{21} = M_{12}$, and we call it **mutual inductance**, M . So does the relationship:

$$M = \frac{N_2 \Phi_{B2}}{I_1} = \frac{N_1 \Phi_{B1}}{I_2}$$

- The first two equations could be rewritten as: $\epsilon_2 = -M \frac{dI_1}{dt}$; $\epsilon_1 = -M \frac{dI_2}{dt}$

- Unit for the mutual inductance: henry (H)

$$1 H = 1 Wb/A = 1 V \cdot s/A = 1 \Omega \cdot s = 1 J/A^2$$

- The mutual inductance is the physics how the transformer works.

- Self-inductance and Inductors


- The magnetic field produced by a current in a circuit, if it changes over time, it could induce emf (Ampere's Law). This is the origin of the self-induction, L .

- $L = \frac{N \Phi_B}{I}$

- $\epsilon = -N \frac{d\Phi_B}{dt} = -L \frac{dI}{dt}$ (The first equal notation is Ampere's Law. This equation

describes the self induced emf)

- **In other words, when the current-carrying wire is bended into coil shape and placed in a circuit, the time-dependent current will produce a self-induced emf and affect the circuit behavior.**

- The notation used for inductor in circuit is: 

- This self-induced emf in circuit is described as: $\Delta V = L \frac{dI}{dt}$

You Do Example 30.3 on page 997.

I Do Exercise 30.15 (a) on page 1014.

- Magnetic field energy stored in inductor

- $\frac{dU}{dt} = P = Vi = Li \frac{di}{dt}$

- $dU = Li di$; so $U = \int_0^I Li di = \frac{1}{2} LI^2$

- energy density (energy per volume) stored in magnetic field: $u = \frac{U}{V} = \frac{B^2}{2\mu_0}$

- Circuits: (R-L circuit, L-C circuit, and R-L-C circuit)

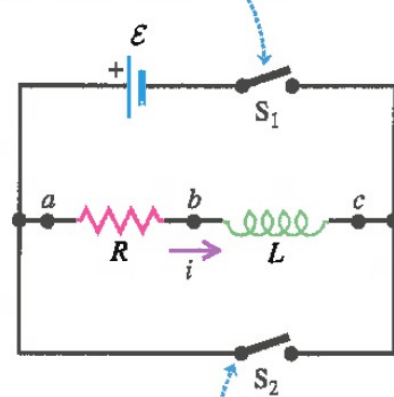
- R-L circuit

- $I(t) = \frac{\mathcal{E}}{R} (1 - e^{-(R/L)t})$ (When S_1 closed while S_2 opened). Current increases and saturates .

- $I(t) = I_0 e^{-(R/L)t}$ (When S_2 closed while opened) Current decays exponentially.

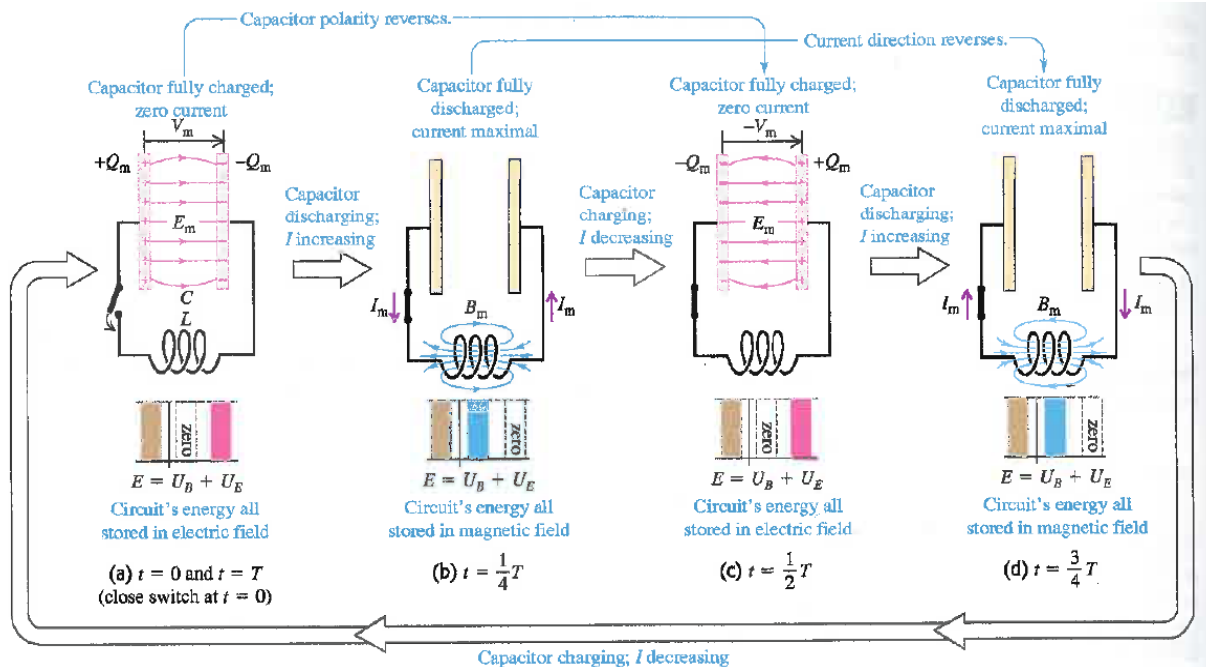
- Time constant: $\tau = \frac{L}{R}$

Closing switch S_1 connects the R-L combination in series with a source of emf \mathcal{E} .



Closing switch S_2 while opening switch S_1 disconnects the combination from the source.

- L-C circuit

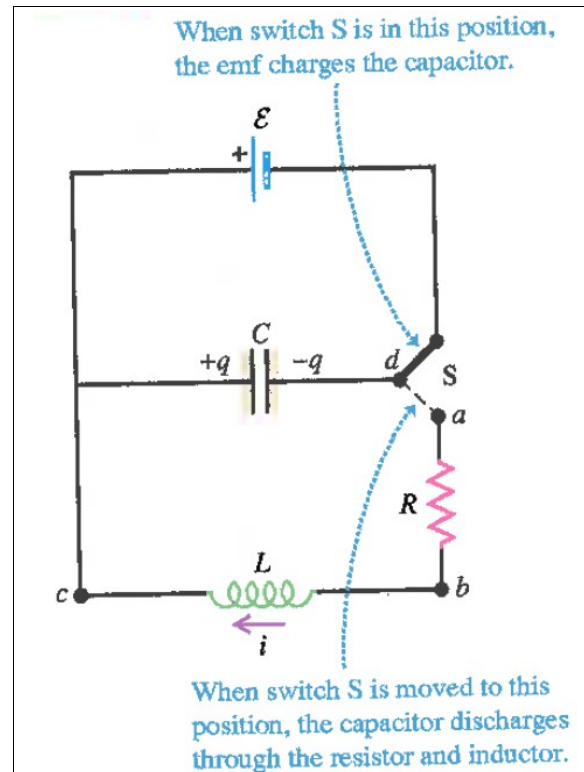


- $q(t) = Q \cos(\omega t + \phi)$
- $I(t) = -\omega Q \sin(\omega t + \phi)$
- oscillation frequency, f , and phase frequency, ω : $\omega = 2\pi f = \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC}}$
- The current and charge are oscillating back and forth between capacitor and inductor. The energy is transferred back and forth between **electric field** (in capacitor) and **magnetic field** (in inductor).

- R-L-C circuit
- We know that the resistor, R , is the damping source (consume the energy); while capacitor and inductor store energy in them. When combine these three together, you should expect to see the oscillation of current and charge between capacitor and inductor with damping through the resistor.

- $q(t) = A e^{-(R/2L)t} \cos\left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{LC} - \frac{R^2}{4L^2}} t + \phi\right)$

- oscillation phase frequency in R-L-C circuit: $\omega' = \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC} - \frac{R^2}{4L^2}}$



Math Preview for Chapter 31:

- Trigonometric functions
- Oscillation as functions of time

Questions to think about for Chapter 31:

- We only discussed the circuits with dc voltage (current). And we know that the induction depends on the change of current as function of time. What if the ac voltage (sin function) is applied to the circuit. How will the circuit react?