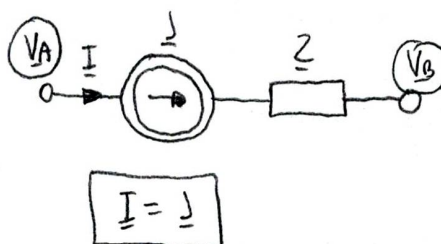
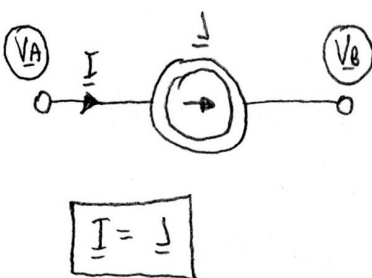
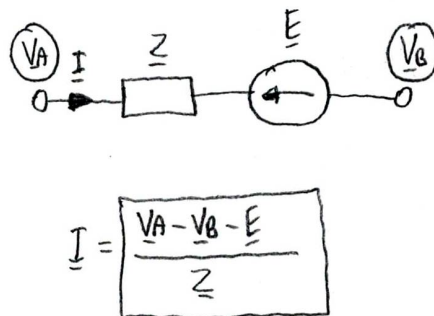
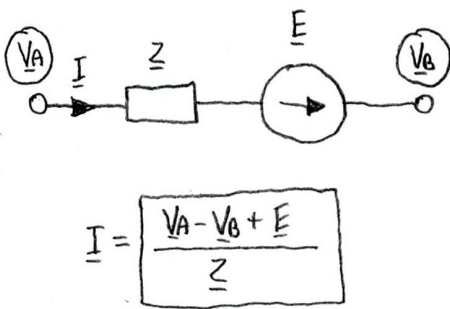
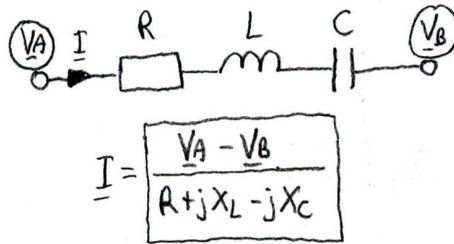
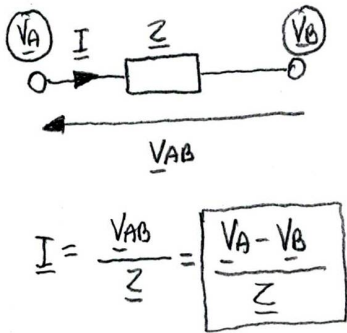


NODE-VOLTAGE METHOD IN AC CIRCUITS

* the sequence of the steps:

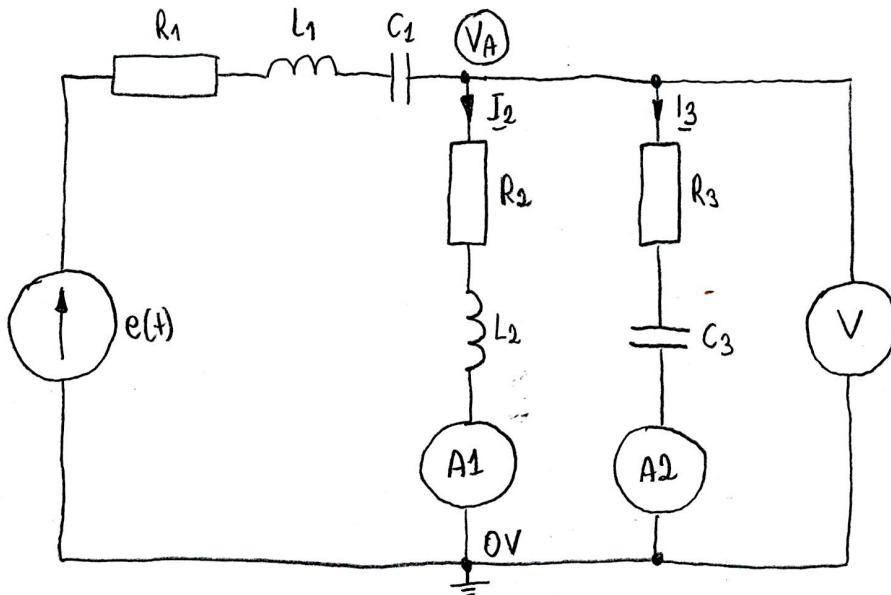
- identify all nodes
- choose a reference node (the ground node) with potential equal to 0 V (which one? choose the node at the ideal voltage source or the one to which the most branches are connected)
- assign voltage variables to the other nodes (node voltages)
- write a KCL equation for each node
- apply Ohm's law to any current
- solve the resulting system of equations for all node voltages
- calculate currents using Ohm's Law

* currents and Ohm's Law



PROBLEM #1

Calculate the meter readings in the circuit shown in the figure using the Node-Voltage method. The parameters are as follows: $e(t) = 141.4 \sin(1000t)$ V, $R_1 = R_2 = R_3 = 50 \Omega$, $L_1 = L_2 = 100$ mH, $C_1 = 20$ μ F, $C_3 = 10$ μ F.



$$E = \frac{141.4}{\sqrt{2}} (\cos 0^\circ + j \sin 0^\circ) = 100 \text{ V}$$

$$X_{L1} = \omega L_1 = 1000 \cdot 0.1 = 100 \Omega$$

$$X_{L2} = \omega L_2 = 1000 \cdot 0.1 = 100 \Omega$$

$$X_{C1} = \frac{1}{\omega C_1} = \frac{1}{1000 \cdot 20 \cdot 10^{-6}} = 50 \Omega$$

$$X_{C3} = \frac{1}{\omega C_3} = \frac{1}{1000 \cdot 10 \cdot 10^{-6}} = 100 \Omega$$

$$\underline{I}_1 - \underline{I}_2 - \underline{I}_3 = 0$$

$$\underline{I}_1 = \frac{0 - \underline{V}_A + E}{R_1 + jX_{L1} - jX_{C1}}$$

$$\underline{I}_2 = \frac{\underline{V}_A - 0}{R_2 + jX_{L2}}$$

$$\underline{I}_3 = \frac{\underline{V}_A - 0}{R_3 - jX_{C3}}$$

$$\frac{E - \underline{V}_A}{R_1 + jX_{L1} - jX_{C1}} - \frac{\underline{V}_A}{R_2 + jX_{L2}} - \frac{\underline{V}_A}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} = 0 \quad | \cdot (-1)$$

$$\underline{U}_V = \underline{V}_A - 0 = (66.04 - j 18.87) \text{ V}$$

$$|\underline{U}_V| = \boxed{68.68 \text{ V}}$$

$$\frac{\underline{V}_A - E}{R_1 + jX_{L1} - jX_{C1}} + \frac{\underline{V}_A}{R_2 + jX_{L2}} + \frac{\underline{V}_A}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} = 0$$

$$\underline{I}_2 = \frac{\underline{V}_A}{R_2 + jX_{L2}} = \frac{66.04 - j 18.87}{50 + j 100} =$$

$$= (0.11 - j 0.6) \text{ A}$$

$$|\underline{I}_2| = |\underline{I}_{A1}| = \boxed{0.61 \text{ A}}$$

$$\underline{V}_A \left(\frac{1}{R_1 + jX_{L1} - jX_{C1}} + \frac{1}{R_2 + jX_{L2}} + \frac{1}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} \right) = \frac{E}{R_1 + jX_{L1} - jX_{C1}}$$

$$\underline{I}_3 = \frac{\underline{V}_A}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} = \frac{66.04 - j 18.87}{50 - j 100} =$$

$$= (0.42 + j 0.45) \text{ A}$$

$$|\underline{I}_3| = |\underline{I}_{A2}| = \boxed{0.61 \text{ A}}$$

$$\underline{V}_A \left(\frac{1}{50 + j100 - j50} + \frac{1}{50 + j100} + \frac{1}{50 - j100} \right) = \frac{100}{50 + j100 - j50}$$

$$\underline{V}_A \left(\frac{1}{50 + j50} + \frac{1}{50 + j100} + \frac{1}{50 - j100} \right) = \frac{100}{50 + j50}$$

$$\underline{V}_A (0.01 - j 0.01 + 0.004 - j 0.008 + 0.004 + j 0.008) = 1 - j 1$$

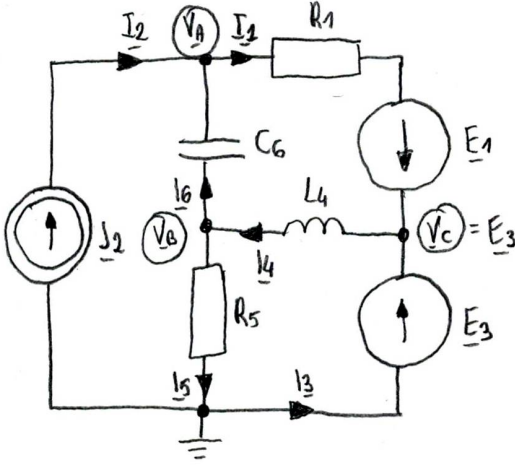
$$\underline{V}_A (0.018 - j 0.01) = 1 - j 1$$

$$\underline{V}_A = \frac{1 - j 1}{0.018 - j 0.01} = (66.04 - j 18.87) \text{ V}$$

PROBLEM #2

Calculate the currents in all branches of the circuit shown in the figure using the Node-Voltage Method. The parameters are as follows:

$$R_1 = 20\Omega, X_{L4} = 20\Omega, R_5 = 10\Omega, X_{C6} = 20\Omega, E_1 = j20V, E_3 = 20V, \underline{J}_2 = 10A$$



$$\begin{cases} \underline{V}_A: I_2 + I_6 - I_1 = 0 \\ \underline{V}_B: I_4 - I_5 - I_6 = 0 \\ \underline{V}_C: V_C = E_3 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{I}_1 &= \frac{V_A - V_C + E_1}{R_1} & \underline{I}_2 &= \underline{J}_2 & \underline{I}_4 &= \frac{V_C - V_B}{jX_{L4}} \\ \underline{I}_5 &= \frac{V_B - 0}{R_5} & \underline{I}_6 &= \frac{V_B - V_A}{-jX_{C6}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{cases} \underline{J}_2 + \frac{V_B - V_A}{-jX_{C6}} - \frac{V_A - V_C + E_1}{R_1} = 0 \\ \frac{V_C - V_B}{jX_{L4}} - \frac{V_B}{R_5} - \frac{V_B - V_A}{-jX_{C6}} = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} V_A \left(\frac{1}{-j20} + \frac{1}{20} \right) - V_B \left(\frac{1}{-j20} \right) = \frac{20}{20} - \frac{j20}{20} + 10 \\ -V_A \left(\frac{1}{-j20} \right) + V_B \left(\frac{1}{j20} + \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{-j20} \right) = \frac{20}{j20} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} -\frac{V_A}{-jX_{C6}} - \frac{V_A}{R_1} + \frac{V_B}{-jX_{C6}} + \frac{E_3}{R_1} - \frac{E_1}{R_1} + \underline{J}_2 = 0 \quad | \cdot (-1) \\ V_A \left(\frac{1}{-jX_{C6}} \right) - \frac{V_B}{jX_{L4}} - \frac{V_B}{R_5} - \frac{V_B}{-jX_{C6}} + \frac{E_3}{jX_{L4}} = 0 \quad | \cdot (-1) \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} V_A(0.05 + j0.05) - V_B(j0.05) = 1 - j + 10 \quad | \cdot 100 \\ -V_A(j0.05) + V_B(0.1) = -j \quad | \cdot 100 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} V_A \left(\frac{1}{-jX_{C6}} + \frac{1}{R_1} \right) - V_B \left(\frac{1}{-jX_{C6}} \right) = \frac{E_3}{R_1} - \frac{E_1}{R_1} + \underline{J}_2 \\ -V_A \left(\frac{1}{-jX_{C6}} \right) + V_B \left(\frac{1}{jX_{L4}} + \frac{1}{R_5} + \frac{1}{-jX_{C6}} \right) = \frac{E_3}{jX_{L4}} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} V_A(5 + j5) - V_B(j5) = 1100 - j100 \\ -V_A(j5) + V_B(10) = -j100 \end{cases}$$

$$W = \begin{vmatrix} 5 + j5 & -j5 \\ -j5 & 10 \end{vmatrix} = 10 \cdot (5 + j5) - (-j5) \cdot (-j5) = 50 + j50 + 25 = 75 + j50$$

$$W_A = \begin{vmatrix} 1100 - j100 & -j5 \\ -j100 & 10 \end{vmatrix} = (1100 - j100) \cdot 10 - (-j100) \cdot (-j5) = 11000 - j1000 + 500 = 11500 - j1000$$

$$W_B = \begin{vmatrix} 5 + j5 & 1100 - j100 \\ -j5 & -j100 \end{vmatrix} = (5 + j5)(-j100) - (-j5)(1100 - j100) = 500 - j500 + 500 + j5500 = 1000 + j5000$$

$$\underline{V}_A = \frac{W_A}{W} = \frac{1500 - j1000}{75 + j50} = \boxed{(100 - j80)V}$$

$$\underline{V}_B = \frac{W_B}{W} = \frac{1000 + j5000}{75 + j50} = \boxed{(40 + j40)V}$$

$$\underline{I}_1 = \frac{\underline{V}_A - \underline{V}_C + \underline{E}_1}{R_1} = \frac{100 - j80 - 20 + j20}{20} = \frac{80 - j60}{20} = \boxed{(4 - j3)A}$$

$$\underline{I}_2 = \underline{J}_2 = \boxed{10A}$$

$$\underline{I}_4 = \frac{\underline{V}_C - \underline{V}_B}{jX_{L4}} = \frac{20 - 40 - j40}{j20} = \frac{-20 - j40}{j20} = \boxed{(-2 + j1)A}$$

$$\underline{I}_3 = \underline{I}_4 - \underline{I}_1 = -2 + j1 - 4 + j3 = \boxed{(-6 + j4)A}$$

$$\underline{I}_5 = \frac{\underline{V}_B}{R_5} = \frac{40 + j40}{20} = \boxed{(4 + j4)A}$$

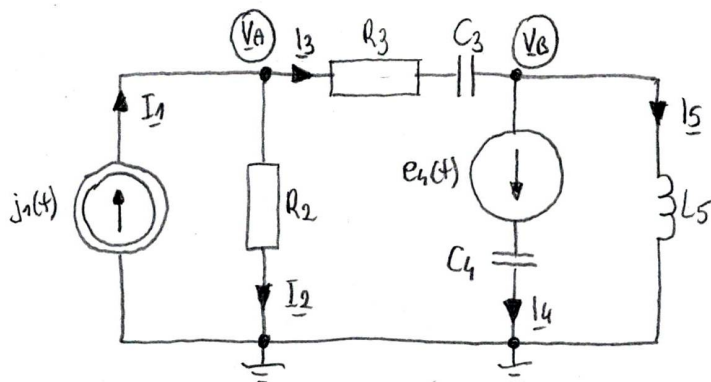
$$\underline{I}_6 = \frac{\underline{V}_B - \underline{V}_A}{-jX_{C6}} = \frac{40 + j40 - 100 + j80}{-j20} = \frac{-60 + j120}{-j20} = \boxed{(-6 - j3)A}$$

PROBLEM #3

Calculate the currents in all branches of the circuit shown in the figure using the Node-Voltage Method. The parameters are as follows:

$$j_1(t) = 10\sqrt{2} \sin(\omega t)A, \quad e_4(t) = 100\sqrt{2} \sin(\omega t + 90^\circ)V, \quad \omega = 1000 \text{ rad/s}$$

$$R_2 = 10\Omega, \quad R_3 = 10\Omega, \quad C_3 = 50\mu F, \quad C_4 = 50\mu F, \quad L_5 = 10\text{mH}.$$



$$\underline{J}_1 = 10A \quad \underline{E}_4 = j100V$$

$$X_{C3} = X_{C4} = \frac{1}{\omega C_3} = \frac{1}{1000 \cdot 50 \cdot 10^{-6}} = 20\Omega$$

$$X_{L5} = \omega L_5 = 1000 \cdot 0.01 = 10\Omega$$

$$\textcircled{V}_A: \begin{cases} \underline{I}_1 - \underline{I}_2 - \underline{I}_3 = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\textcircled{V}_B: \begin{cases} \underline{I}_3 - \underline{I}_4 - \underline{I}_5 = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\underline{I}_1 = \underline{J}_1 \quad \underline{I}_2 = \frac{\underline{V}_A - 0}{R_2} \quad \underline{I}_3 = \frac{\underline{V}_A - \underline{V}_B}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} \quad \underline{I}_4 = \frac{\underline{V}_B - 0 + \underline{E}_4}{-jX_{C4}} \quad \underline{I}_5 = \frac{\underline{V}_B - 0}{jX_{L5}}$$

$$\begin{cases} \underline{I}_1 - \frac{V_A}{R_2} - \frac{V_A - V_B}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} = 0 \\ \frac{V_A - V_B}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} - \frac{V_B + E_4}{-jX_{C4}} - \frac{V_B}{jX_{L5}} = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} -\frac{V_A}{R_2} - \frac{V_A}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} + \frac{V_B}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} = -\underline{I}_1 \quad | \cdot (-1) \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{V_A}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} - \frac{V_B}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} - \frac{V_B}{-jX_{C4}} - \frac{V_B}{jX_{L5}} = \frac{E_4}{-jX_{C4}} \quad | \cdot (-1) \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} \underline{V}_A \left(\frac{1}{R_2} + \frac{1}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} \right) - \underline{V}_B \left(\frac{1}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} \right) = \underline{I}_1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} -\underline{V}_A \left(\frac{1}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} \right) + \underline{V}_B \left(\frac{1}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} + \frac{1}{-jX_{C4}} + \frac{1}{jX_{L5}} \right) = -\frac{E_4}{-jX_{C4}} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} \underline{V}_A \left(\frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{10 - j20} \right) - \underline{V}_B \left(\frac{1}{10 - j20} \right) = 10 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} -\underline{V}_A \left(\frac{1}{10 - j20} \right) + \underline{V}_B \left(\frac{1}{10 - j20} + \frac{1}{-j20} + \frac{1}{j10} \right) = -\frac{j100}{-j20} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} \underline{V}_A (0.1 + 0.02 + j0.04) - \underline{V}_B (0.02 + j0.04) = 10 \quad | \cdot 100 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} -\underline{V}_A (0.02 + j0.04) + \underline{V}_B (0.02 + j0.04 + j0.05 - j0.1) = 5 \quad | \cdot 100 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} \underline{V}_A (12 + j4) - \underline{V}_B (2 + j4) = 1000 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} -\underline{V}_A (2 + j4) + \underline{V}_B (2 - j) = 500 \end{cases}$$

$$\underline{W} = \begin{vmatrix} 12 + j4 & -(2 + j4) \\ -(2 + j4) & 2 - j \end{vmatrix} = 40 - j20$$

$$\underline{W}_A = \begin{vmatrix} 1000 & -(2 + j4) \\ 500 & 2 - j \end{vmatrix} = 3000 + j1000$$

$$\underline{W}_B = \begin{vmatrix} 12 + j4 & 1000 \\ -(2 + j4) & 500 \end{vmatrix} = 8000 + j6000$$

$$\underline{V}_A = \frac{\underline{W}_A}{\underline{W}} = \frac{3000 + j1000}{40 - j20} = \boxed{(50 + j50) \text{ V}}$$

$$\underline{V}_B = \frac{\underline{W}_B}{\underline{W}} = \frac{8000 + j6000}{40 - j20} = \boxed{(100 + j200) \text{ V}}$$

$$\underline{I}_1 = \underline{I}_1 = \boxed{10 \text{ A}}$$

$$\underline{I}_2 = \frac{\underline{V}_A}{R_2} = \frac{50 + j50}{10} = \boxed{(5 + j5) \text{ A}}$$

$$\underline{I}_3 = \frac{\underline{V}_A - \underline{V}_B}{R_3 - jX_{C3}} = \frac{50 + j50 - 100 - j200}{10 - j20} = \boxed{(5 - j5) \text{ A}}$$

$$\underline{I}_4 = \frac{\underline{V}_B + E_4}{-jX_{C4}} = \frac{100 + j200 + j100}{-j20} = \boxed{(-15 + j5) \text{ A}}$$

$$\underline{I}_5 = \frac{\underline{V}_B}{jX_{L5}} = \frac{100 + j200}{j10} = \boxed{(20 - j10) \text{ A}}$$