

Lab 4: AC Circuits (II)

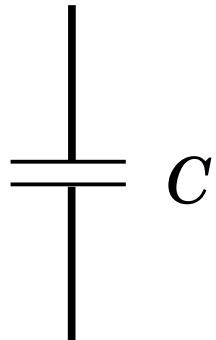
REVIEW

AC analysis of circuits using complex numbers

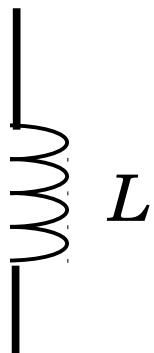
Assumptions:

- i) Steady-state
- ii) Sinusoidal waveforms: $V_o \sin \omega t$

Ohm's Law for L and C: Impedance (Z) Measured in ohms



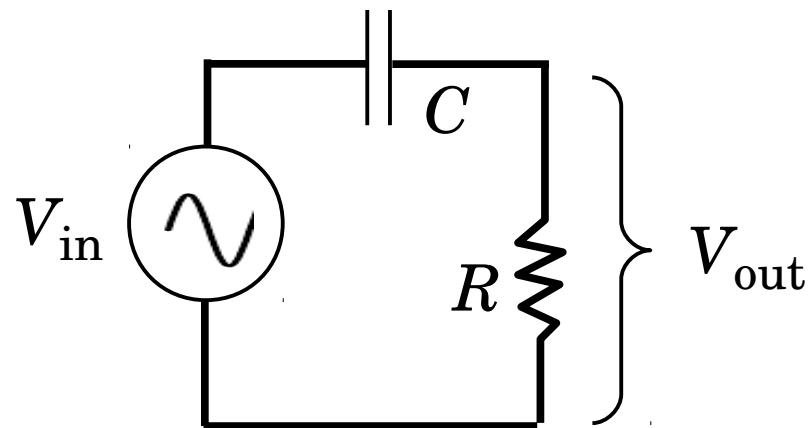
$$Z_C = \frac{V_C}{I_C} = \frac{1}{j\omega C}$$



$$Z_L = \frac{V_L}{I_L} = \frac{\omega L}{-j} = j\omega L$$

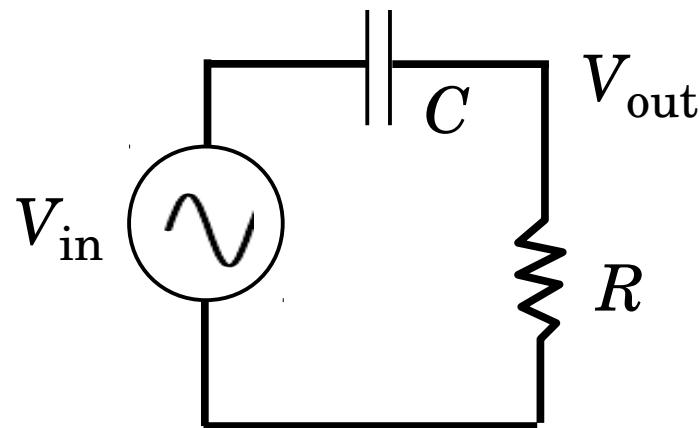
90° phase-shift in polar form: $e^{j\frac{\pi}{2}} = \cos(\frac{\pi}{2}) + j \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) = j$

AC circuit: High-pass

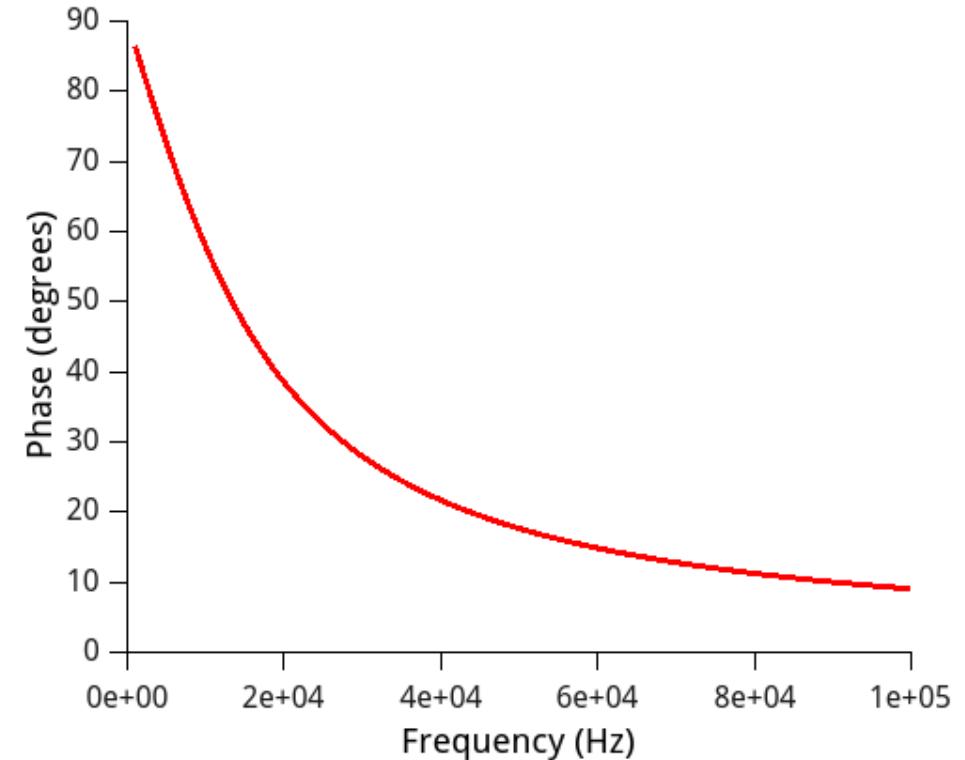
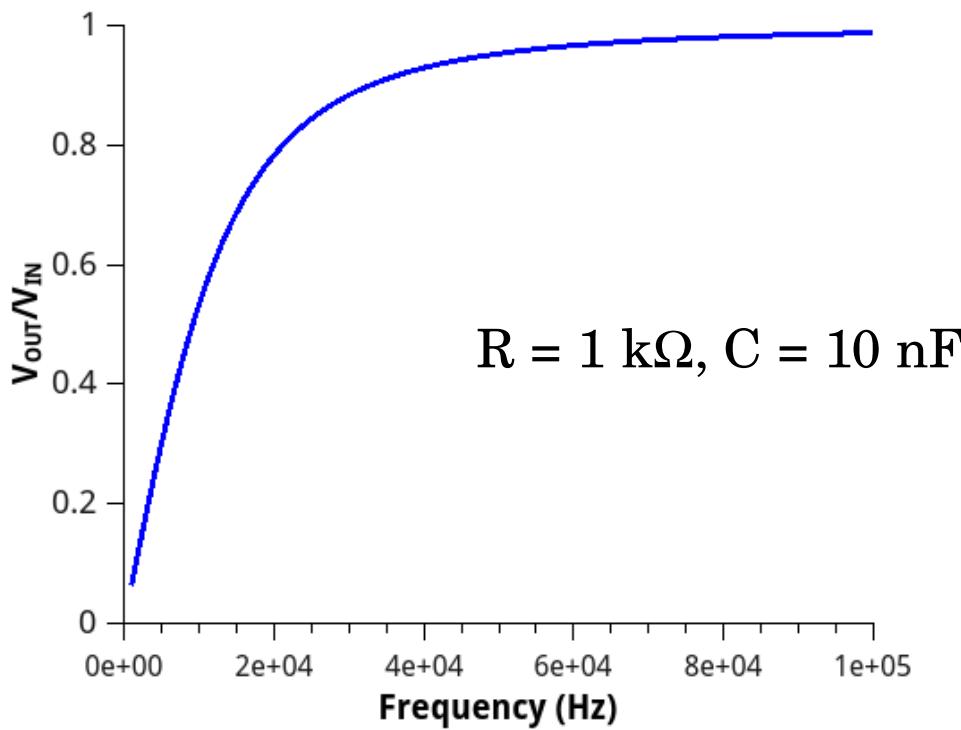


$$\frac{V_{OUT}(\omega)}{V_{IN}(\omega)} = \frac{R}{R + 1/j\omega C}$$

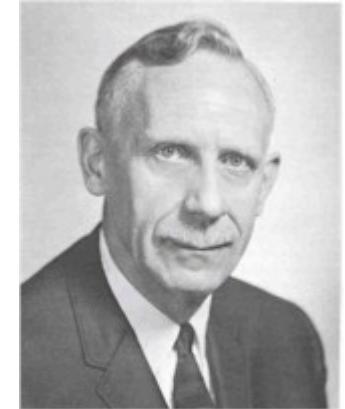
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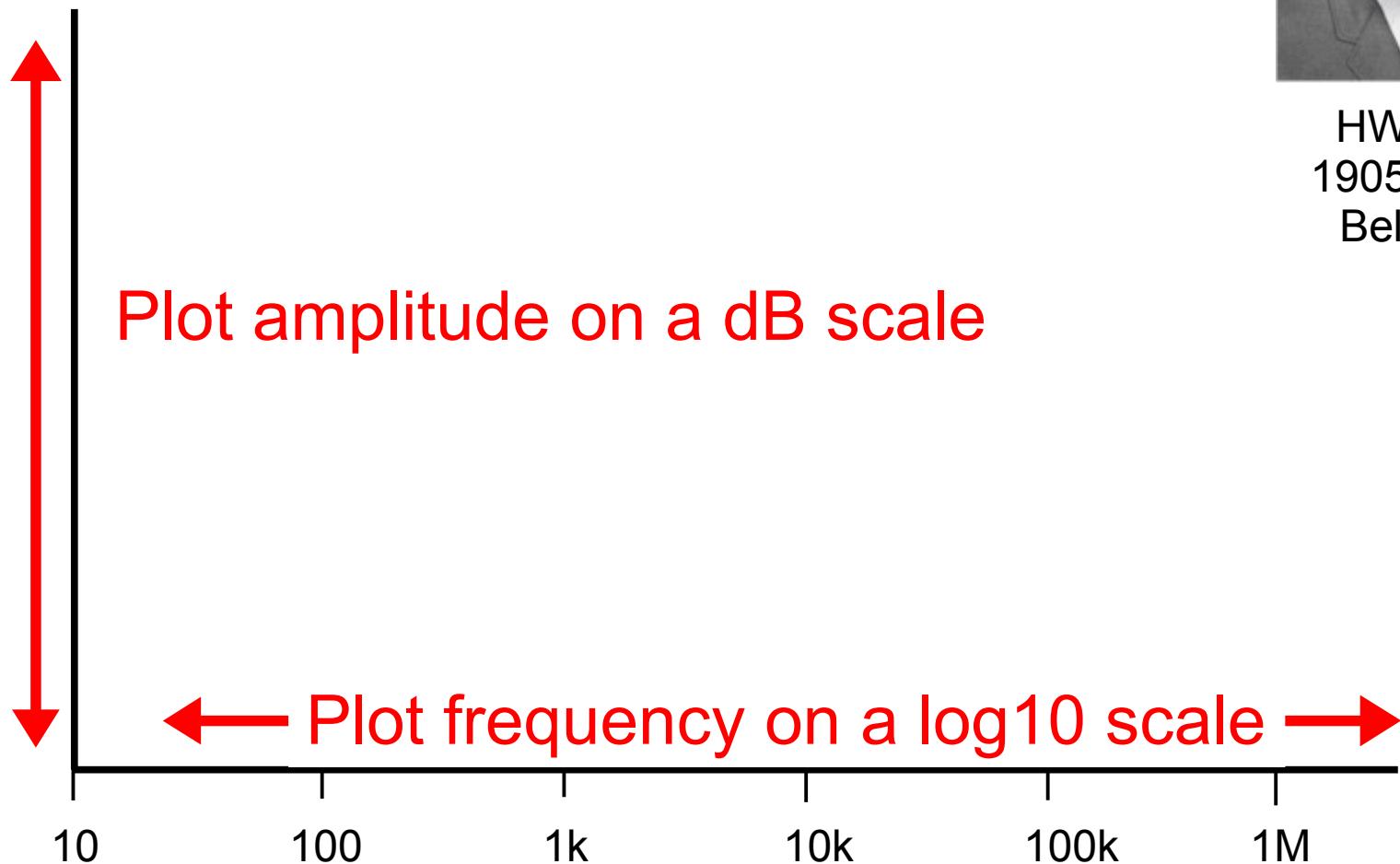
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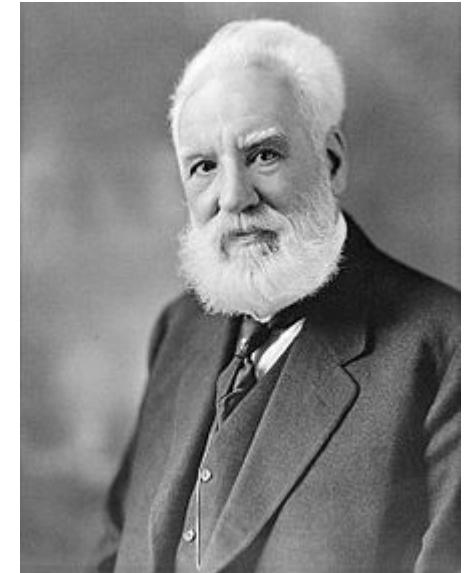
The Bode Plot for $|V_{out}/V_{in}|$



HW Bode
1905—1982
Bell Labs



The Decibel: A Ratio



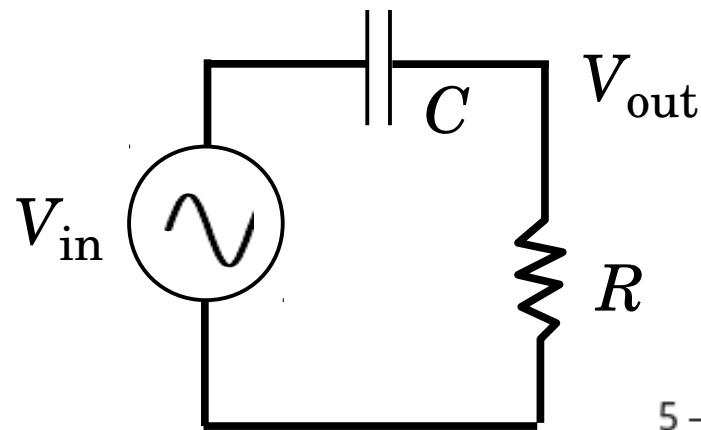
RATIO	POWER	FIELD
1	0 dB	0 dB
10	10 dB	20 dB
100	20 dB	40 dB
2	3 dB	6 dB
0.01	-20 dB	-40 dB

In honor of
Alexander Graham Bell

$$\text{dBm: } 10 \log_{10} \left\{ \frac{P_{\text{signal}}}{1 \text{ mW}} \right\}$$

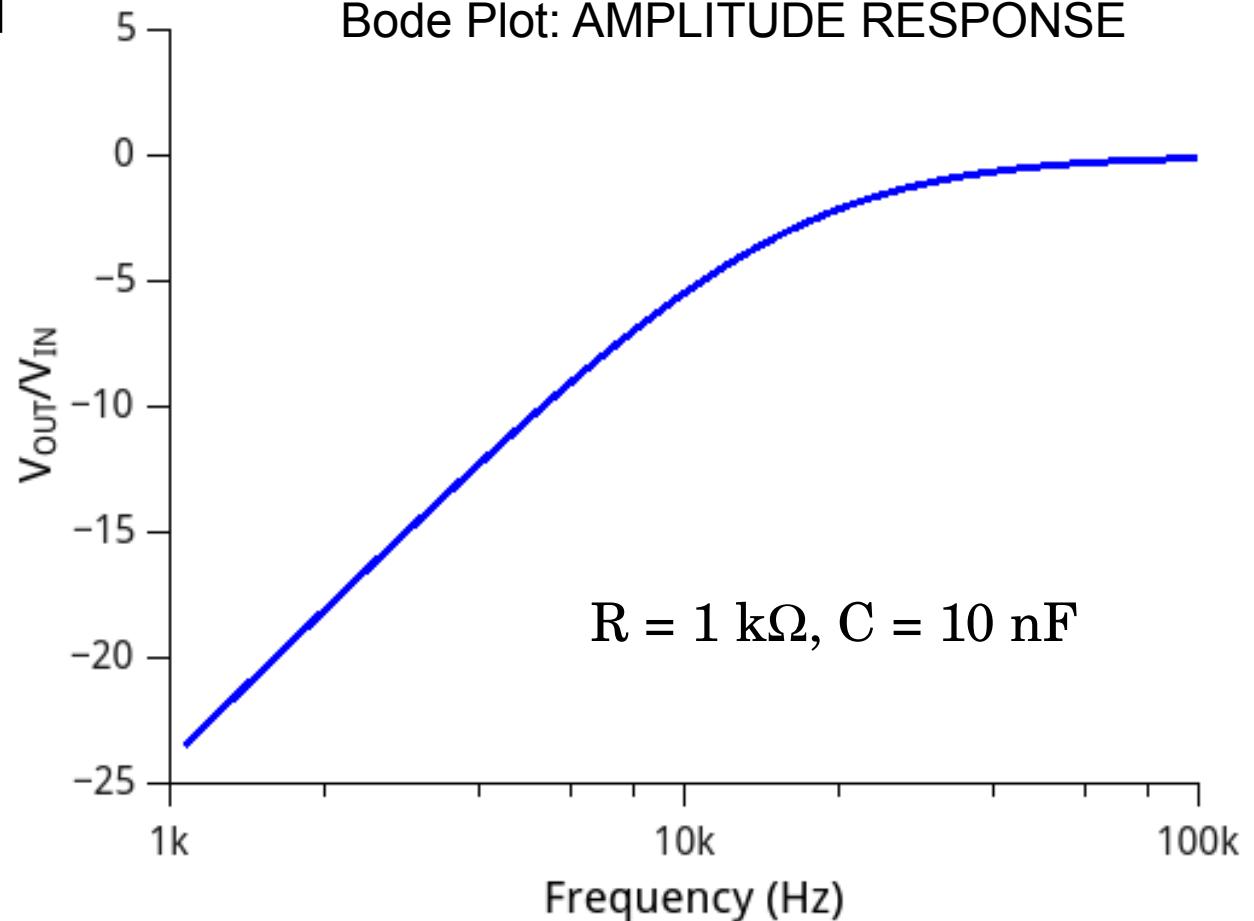
$$0 \text{ dBm} = 1 \text{ mW}$$

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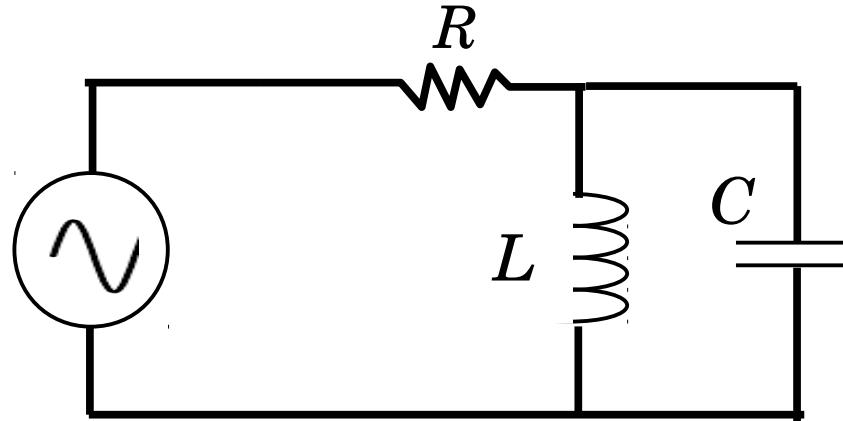
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Bode Plot: AMPLITUDE RESPONSE



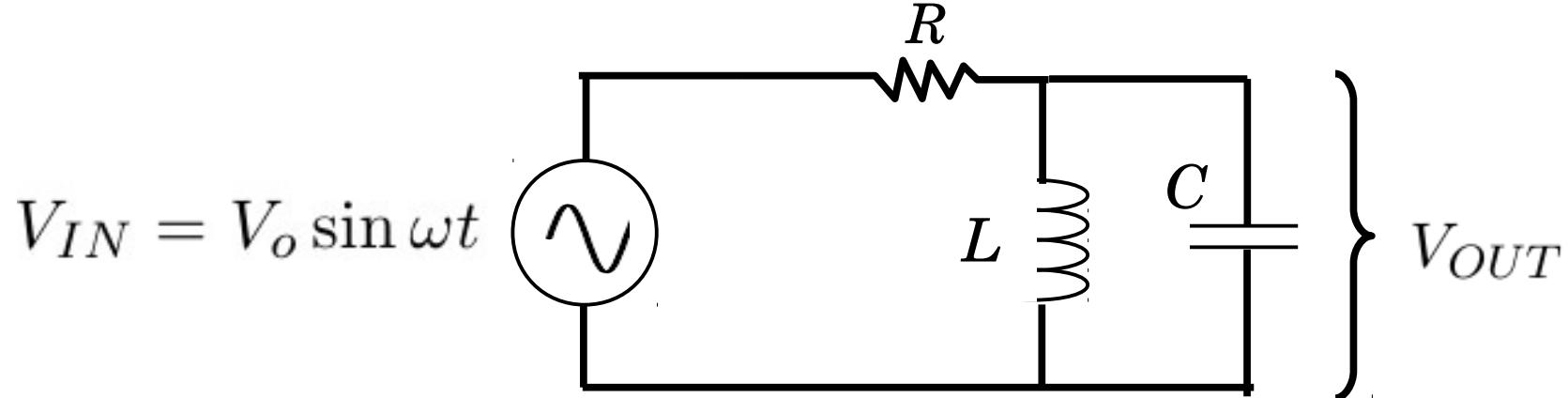
Inductor-capacitor in AC circuit: Resonance

$$V_{IN} = V_o \sin \omega t$$



Parallel LC circuit

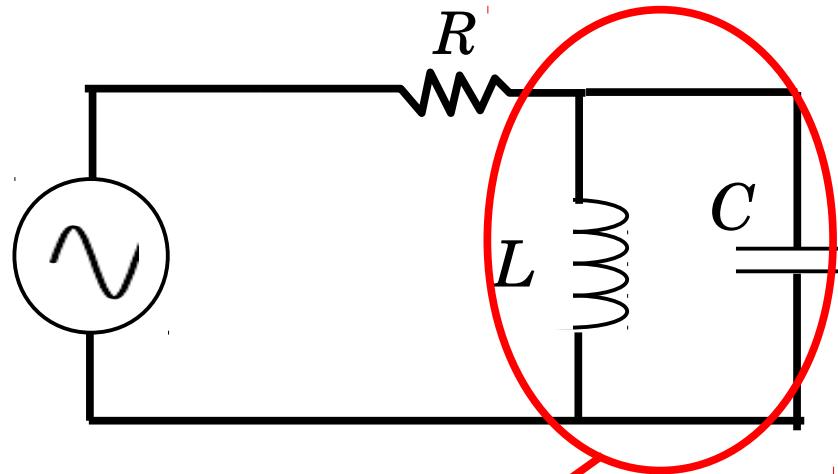
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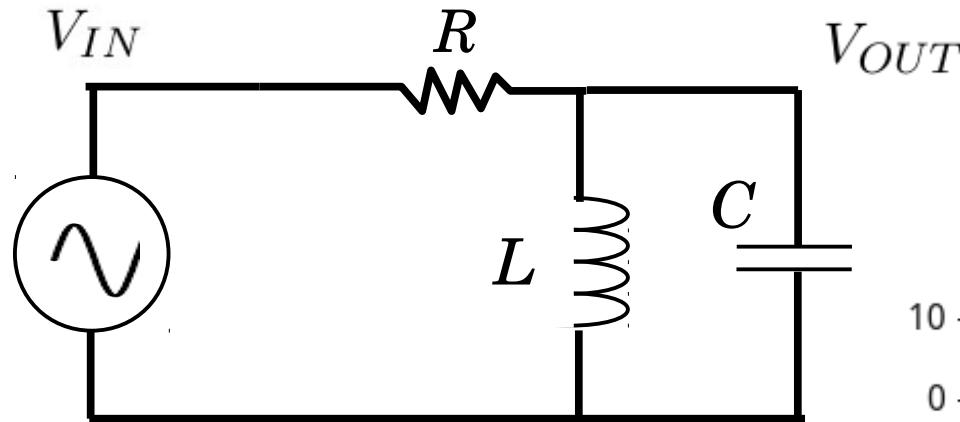
$$V_{IN} = V_o \sin \omega t$$



$$Z_{parallel} = \frac{j\omega L}{1 - \omega^2 LC}$$

Resonance at: $f = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{LC}}$

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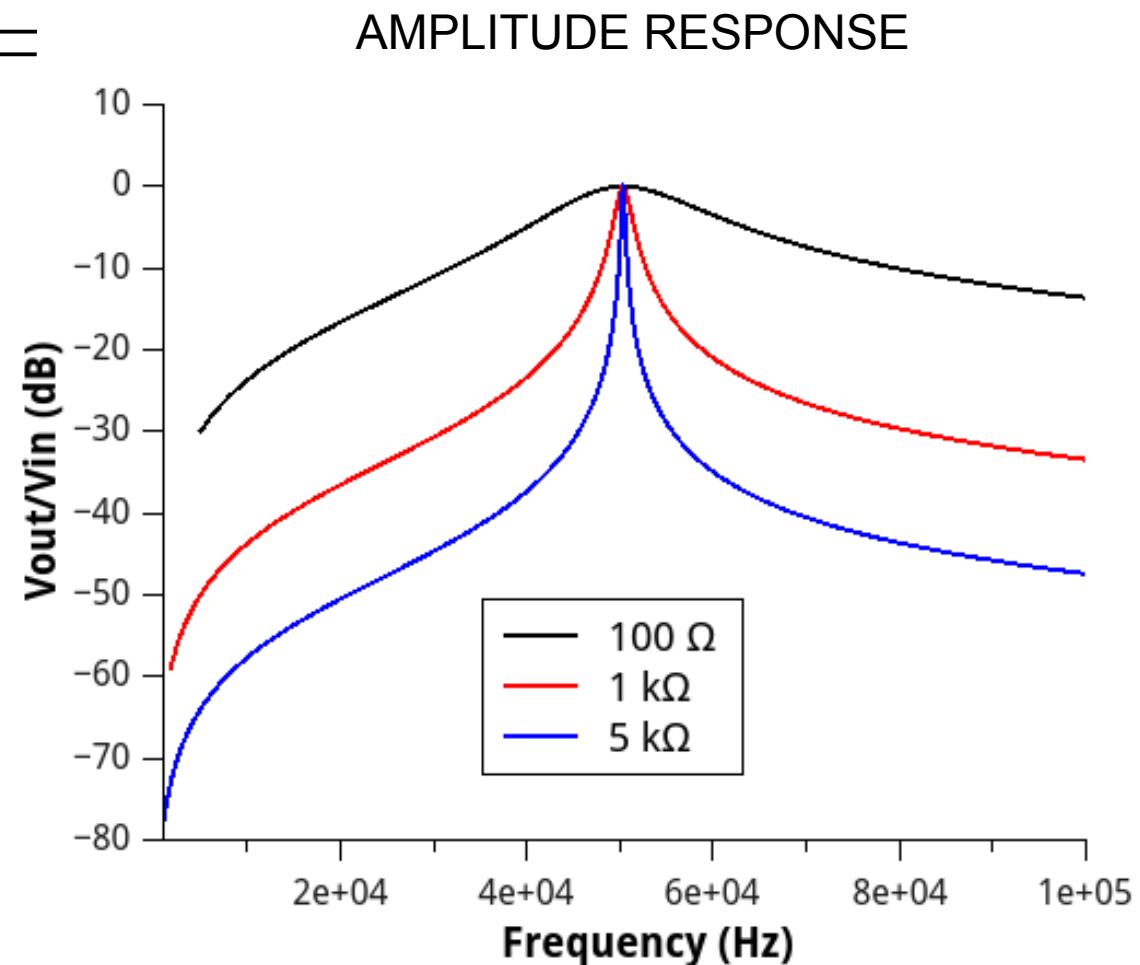


$$C = 100 \text{ nF}$$

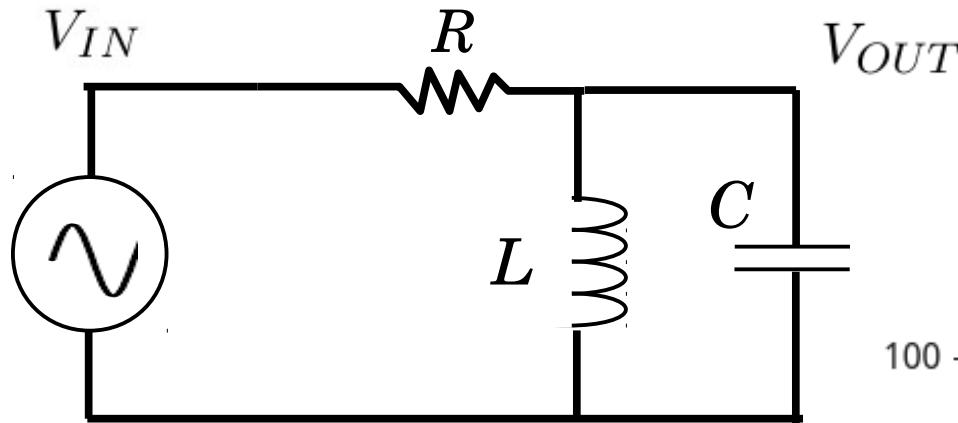
$$L = 100 \text{ uH}$$

$$f_{\text{res}} = 50.3 \text{ kHz}$$

$$R = 100\Omega, 1 \text{ k}\Omega, 5\text{k}\Omega$$



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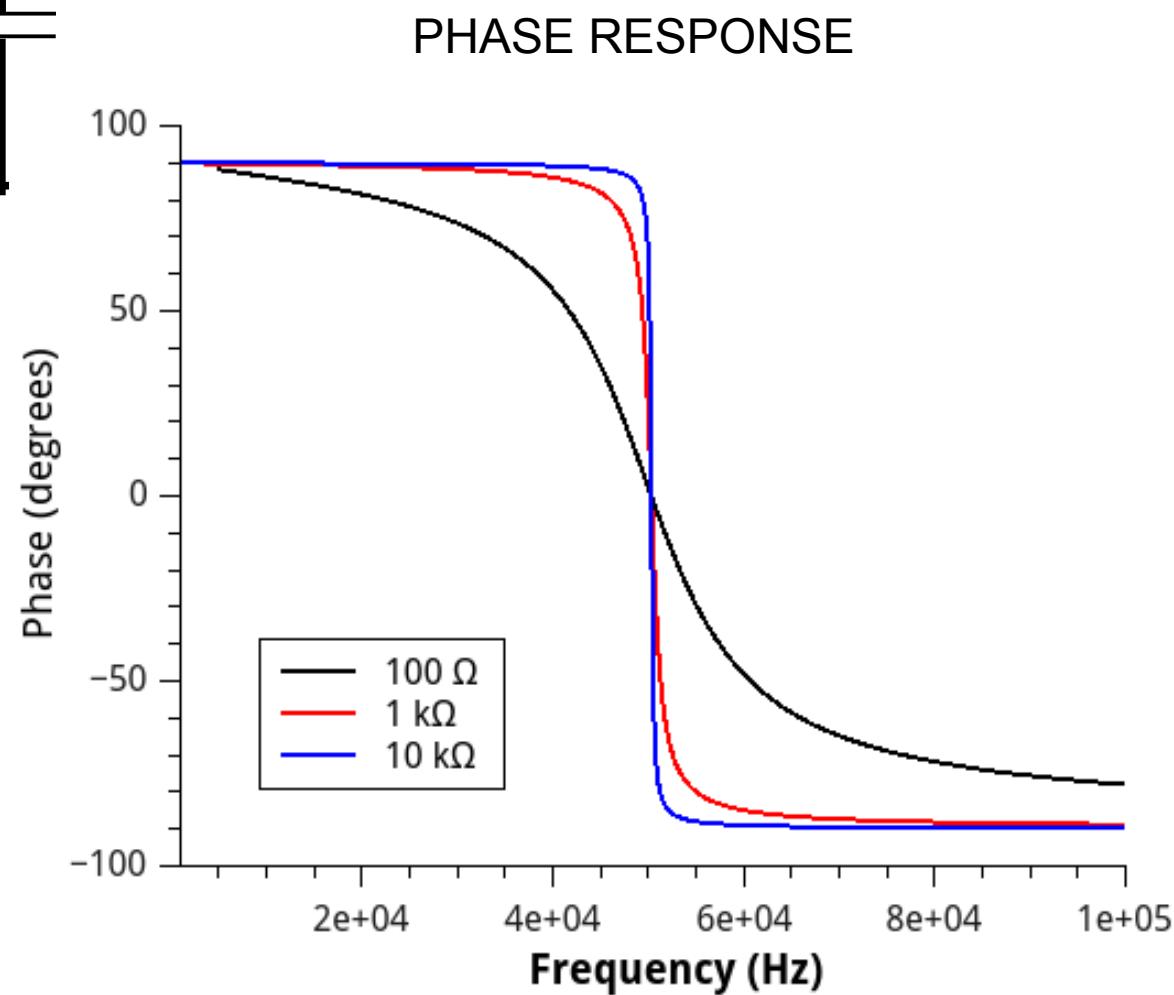


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Q-factor: Sharpness of Resonance

$$Q = \frac{\omega_0}{\Delta\omega} = \frac{f_0}{\Delta f}$$

Sharper resonance → Higher Q

Δf = frequency range between the – 3 dB points

– 3 db ≈ 0.707 of the peak

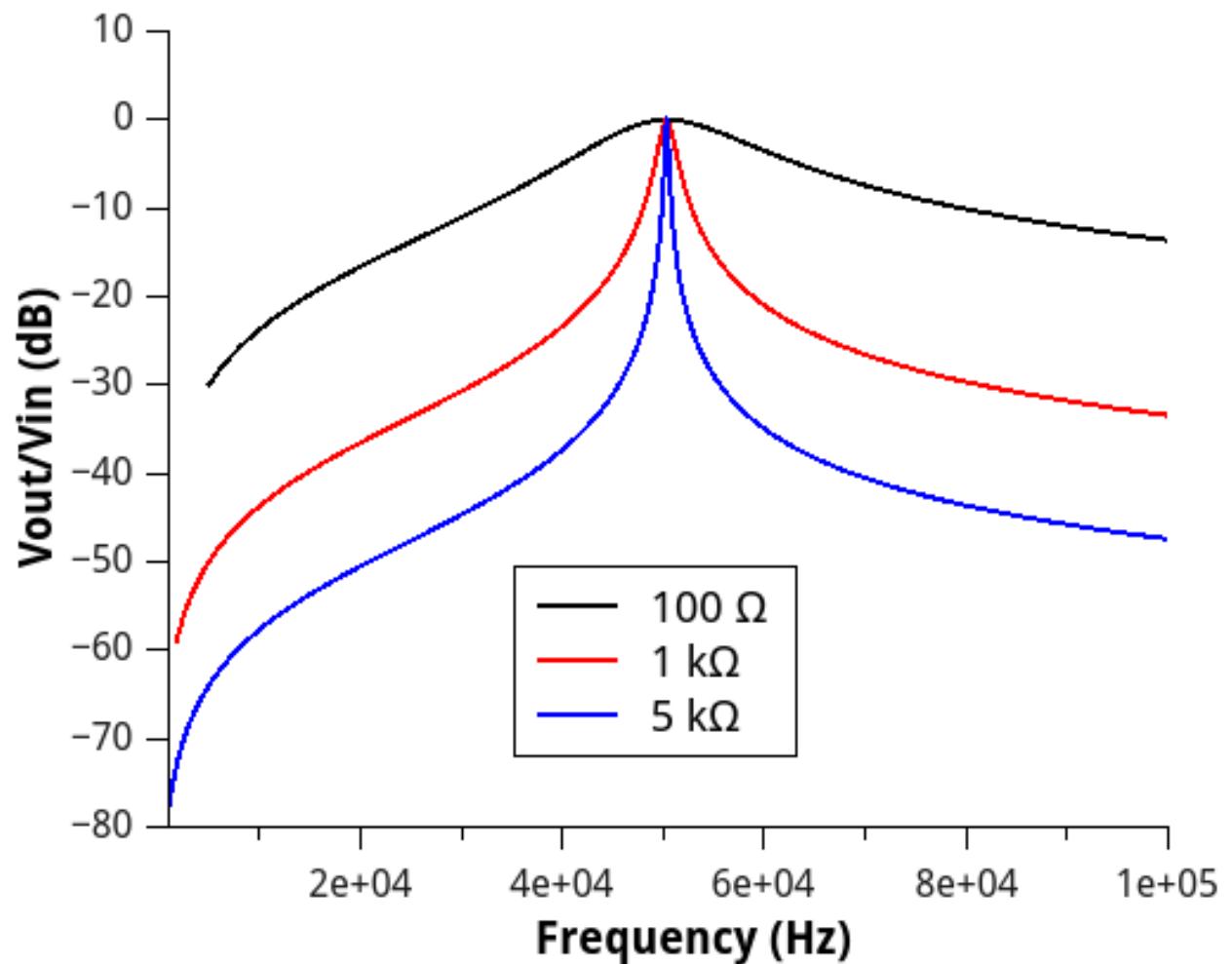
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Example RLC circuit:

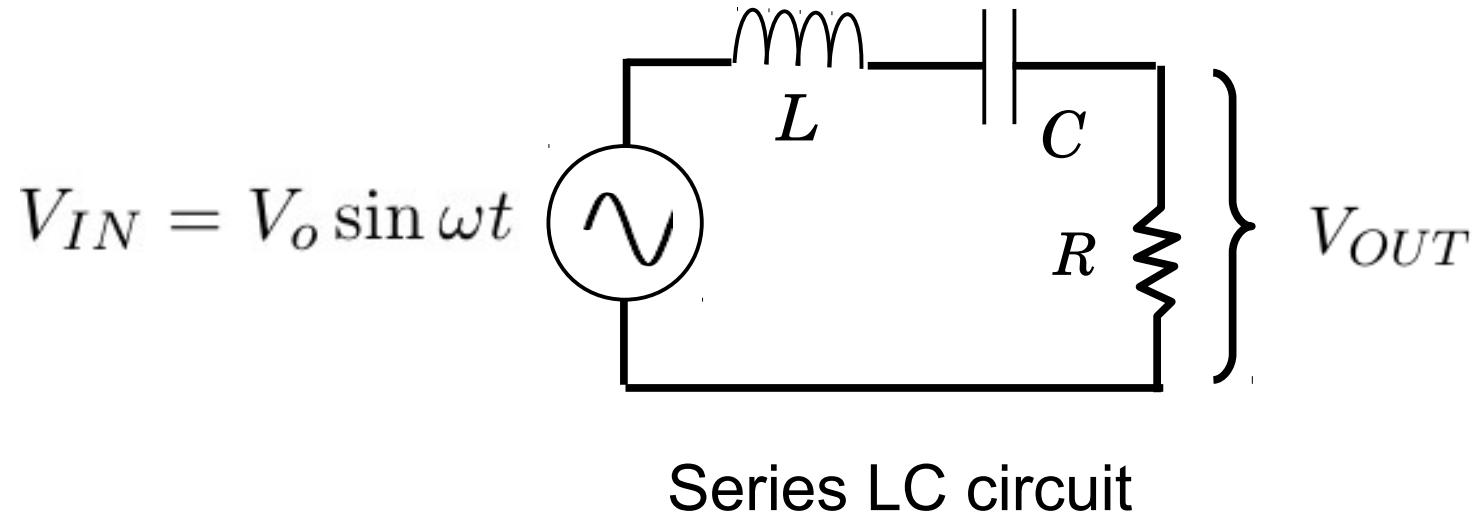
$R = 100 \Omega, 1 \text{ k}\Omega, 5 \text{ k}\Omega$

$Q = 3.1, 31, 158$

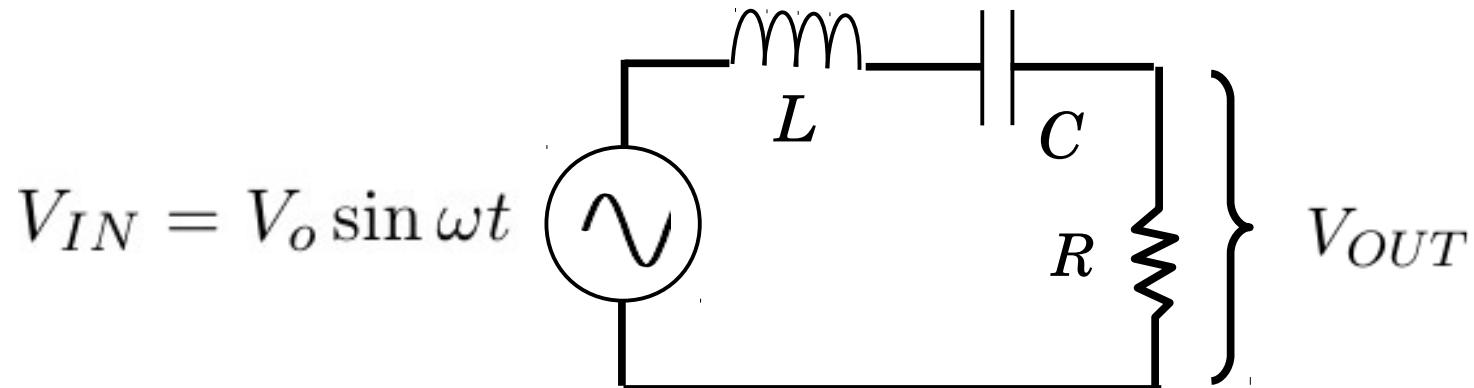
$$Q = R \sqrt{\frac{C}{L}}$$



Resonance in series LC circuit



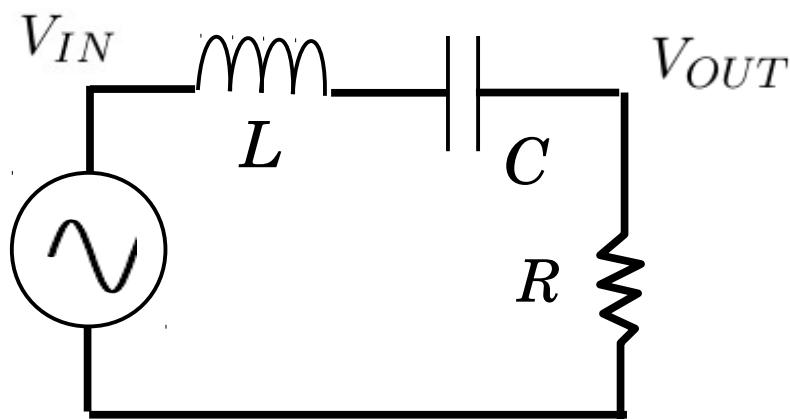
Resonance in series LC circuit



Series LC circuit

$$\frac{V_{OUT}}{V_{IN}} = \frac{R}{R + j\omega L + 1/j\omega C}$$

Resonance in series LC circuit



$$C = 10 \text{ nF}$$

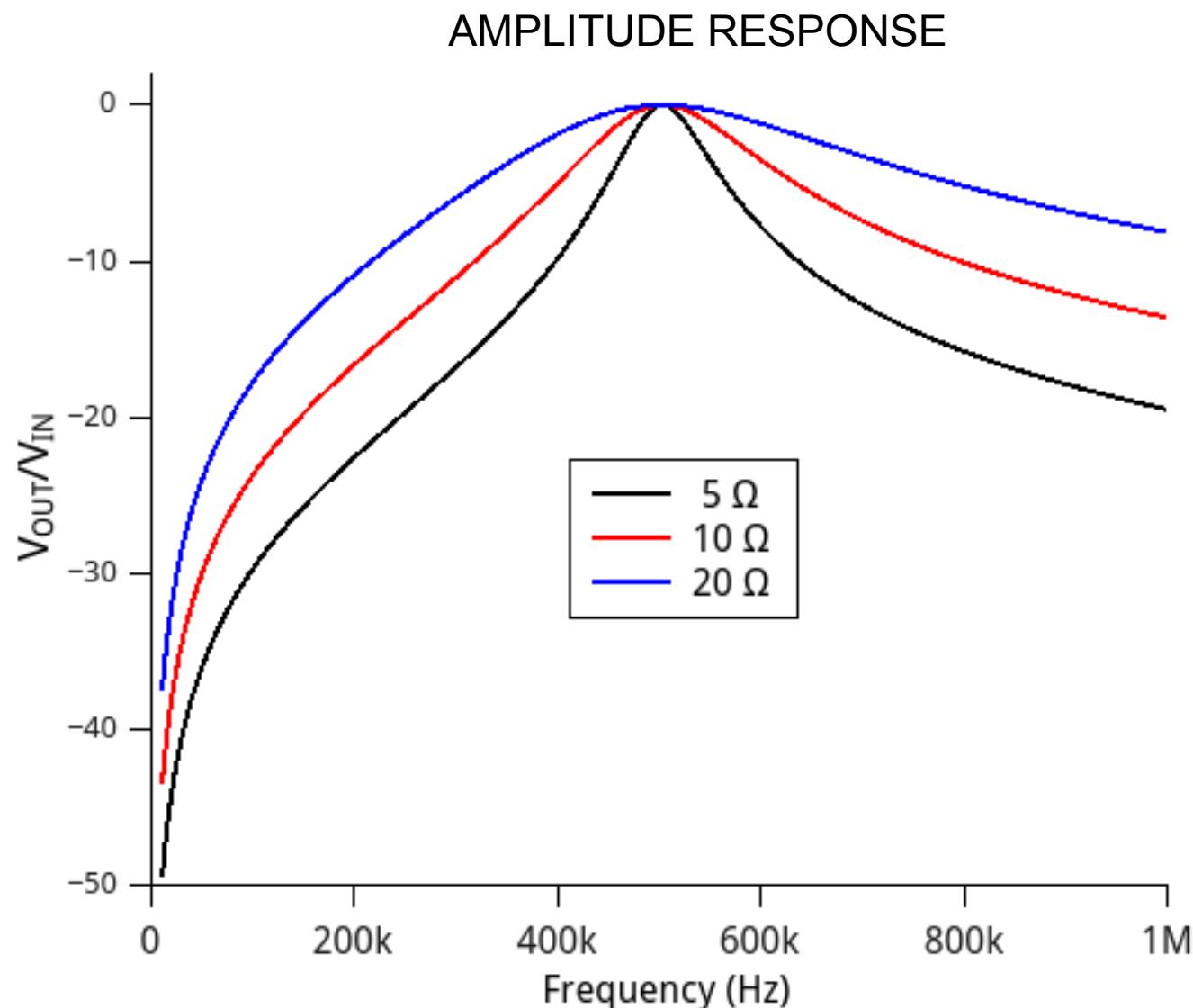
$$L = 10 \mu\text{H}$$

$$f_{\text{res}} = 503 \text{ kHz}$$

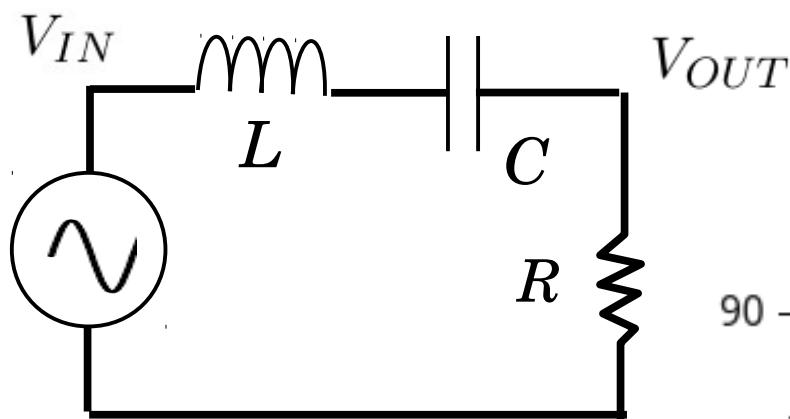
$$R = 5 \Omega, 10 \Omega, 20 \Omega$$

$$Q = 6.3, 3.1, 1.6$$

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



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