





<u>Lecture – 13</u>

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• Transformer







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A transformer is generally a four-terminal device comprising two (or more) magnetically coupled coils.



- The resistances R_1 and R_2 account for the losses (power dissipation) in the coils.
- The transformer is *linear* if the coils are wound on a magnetically linear material—a material for which the magnetic permeability is constant. Such materials include air, plastic, Bakelite, and wood.
- In fact, most materials are magnetically linear.

A linear transformer may also be regarded as one whose flux is proportional to the currents in its windings.

Linear transformers are sometimes called *air-core transformers,* although not all of them are necessarily air-core.



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Transformer (contd.)



 $\mathbf{V} = (R_1 + j\omega L_1)\mathbf{I}_1 - j\omega M\mathbf{I}_2$ $0 = -j\omega M\mathbf{I}_1 + (R_2 + j\omega L_2 + \mathbf{Z}_L)\mathbf{I}_2$





It is as though this impedance is reflected to the primary and is called *reflected impedance* Z_R

$$\mathbf{Z}_R = \frac{\omega^2 M^2}{R_2 + j\omega L_2 + \mathbf{Z}_L}$$

Not affected by the location of the dots on the transformer







Transformer (contd.)

it is sometimes convenient to replace a magnetically coupled circuit by an equivalent circuit with no magnetic coupling.



For a T-Network







Transformer (contd.)

• For the T-model to be equivalent to the linear transformer:

$$L_a = L_1 - M, \qquad L_b = L_2 - M, \qquad L_c = M$$



• For the π -model to be equivalent to the linear transformer:

$$L_A = \frac{L_1 L_2 - M^2}{L_2 - M}, \qquad L_B = \frac{L_1 L_2 - M^2}{L_1 - M} \qquad L_C = \frac{L_1 L_2 - M^2}{M}$$

In the T- and π - Models, the inductors are not magnetically coupled



Example – 1

(a) Find the input impedance of the circuit using the concept of reflected impedance.

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(b) Obtain the input impedance by replacing the linear transformer by its T equivalent.



Example – 2

Find:

(a) the *T*-equivalent circuit, (b) the π -equivalent circuit.









Example – 3

Two linear transformers are cascaded as shown below. Show:

$$\mathbf{Z}_{in} = \frac{\omega^2 R (L_a^2 + L_a L_b - M_a^2)}{\omega^2 (L_a L_b + L_b^2 - M_b^2) - L_a M_b^2 - L_b M_a^2}$$

