

# U5. Resonant Circuits

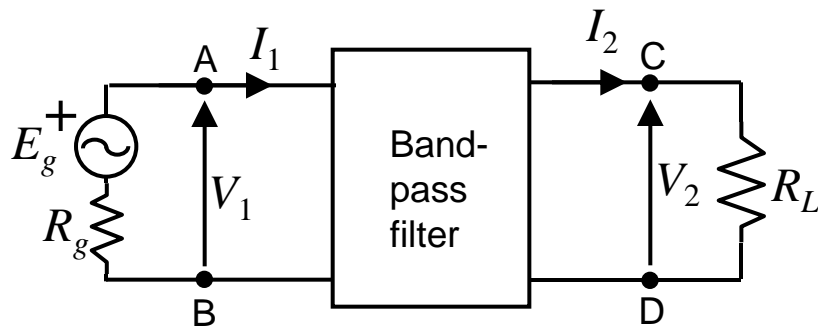
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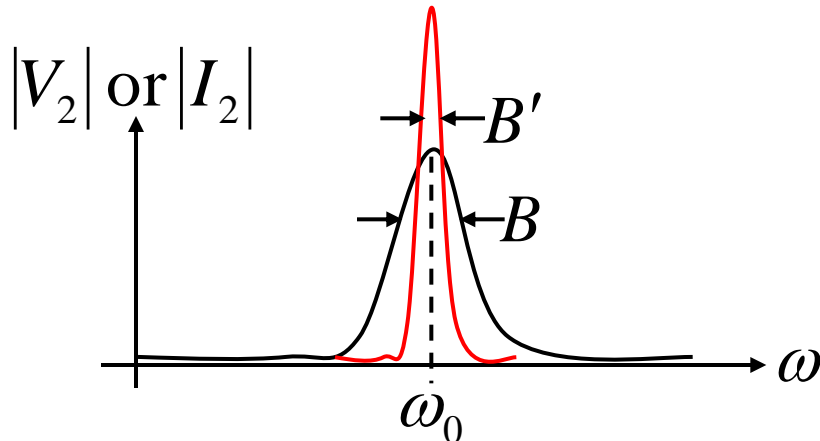


# Introduction

- Resonant circuits are band-pass filters



- $\omega_0$ : Resonance frequency
- $B$ : Bandwidth
- $Q$ : Quality factor,  $Q = \frac{\omega_0}{B_{3dB}}$

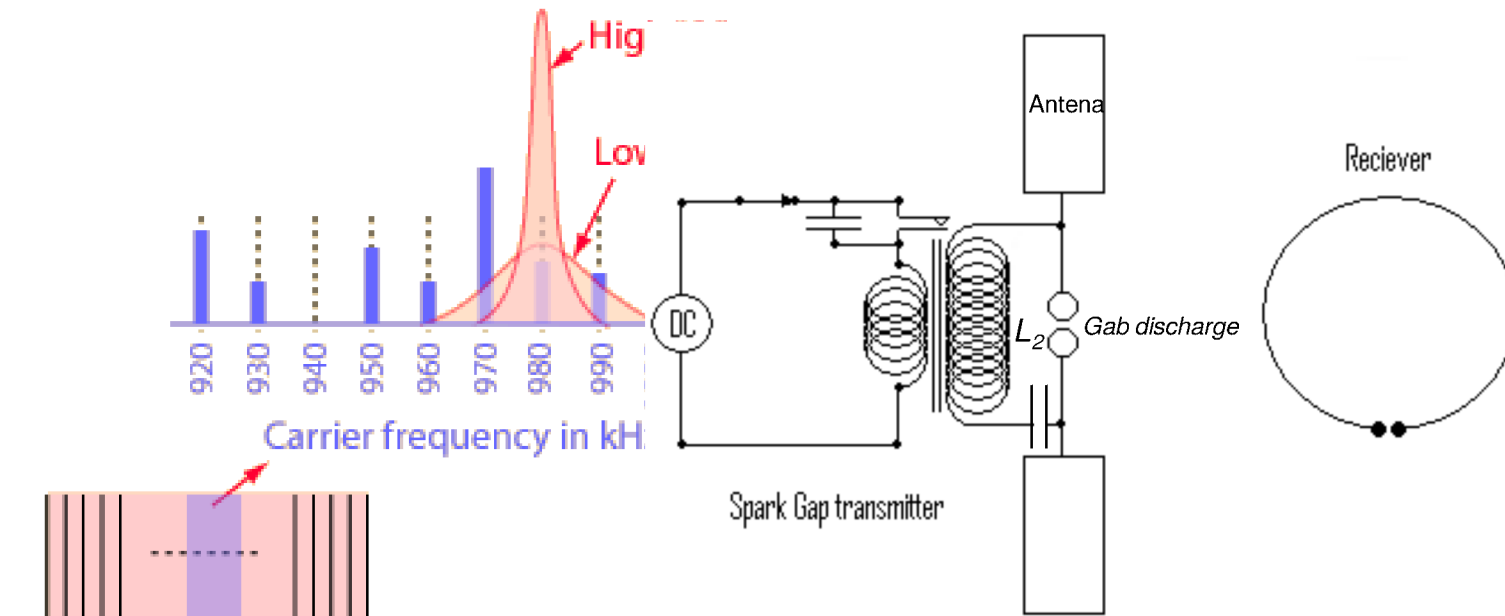


$$Q' = \frac{\omega_0}{B'_{3dB}} > Q = \frac{\omega_0}{B_{3dB}}$$

The higher  $Q$  the more selective is the circuit

# Introduction

- Resonant circuits select signals of different frequencies (<http://hyperphysics.phy-astr.gsu.edu/hbase/electric/serres.html> )



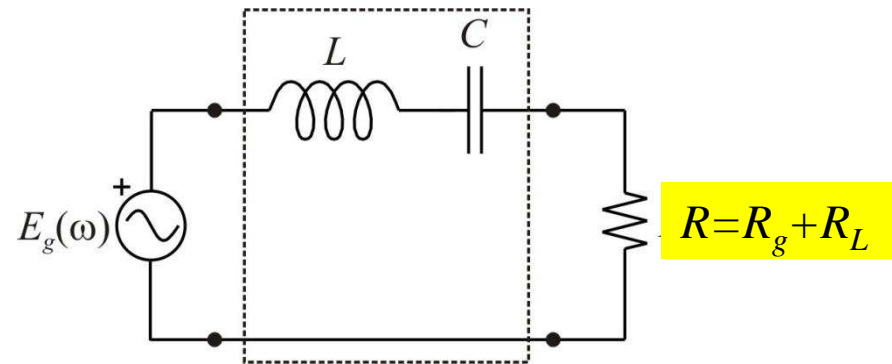
10 kHz bandwidth from  
540-1600 kHz for  
106 possible bands

AM Radio

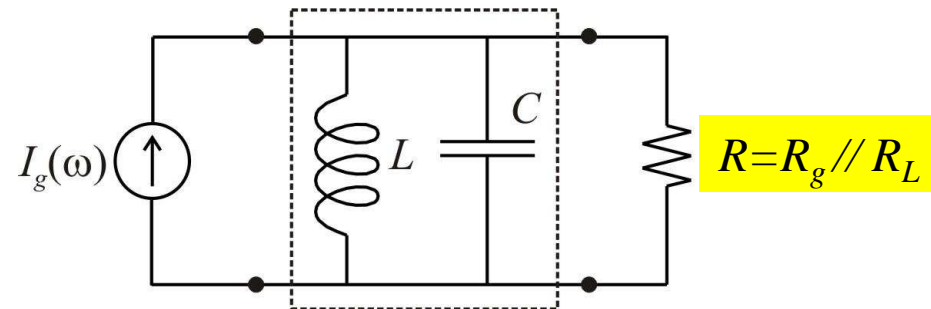
1887 experimental setup of Hertz's apparatus,  
**spark-gap transmitter**:  $C$  is charged and then “abruptly”  
discharged with a under-damped oscillation with frequency  $\omega_0$ .  
([http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Spark-gap\\_transmitter](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Spark-gap_transmitter))

# Examples of resonant circuits

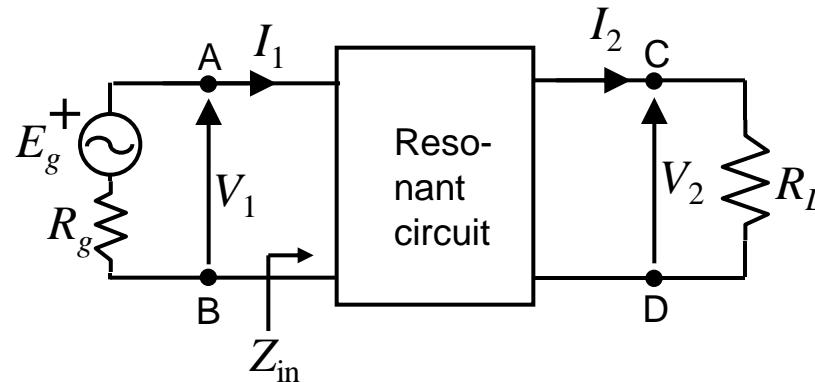
- RLC-Serial



- RLC-Parallel



# Resonance frequency ( $\omega_0$ )



- It is the frequency for which:
  - $|I_2|$  and  $|V_2|$  **becomes maximum**
  - The input impedance,  $Z_{in}$ , **becomes real** since the reactive inductance and capacitance cancels each other:

$$\omega L \Big|_{\omega=\omega_0} = \frac{1}{\omega C} \Big|_{\omega=\omega_0} \Rightarrow \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$$

- The stored energy in both elements  $C$  and  $L$  **is the same and maximum** (the stored energy oscillates between  $C$  and  $L$ ).

# Quality factor ( $Q$ )

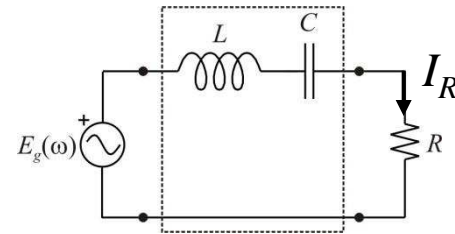
- It is the ratio of two energies:

$$Q = 2\pi \frac{\text{Maximum amount of stored energy (in } C, L)}{\text{Energy lost in a period (in } R)} = \omega_0 \frac{W_{\max}}{P_R}$$

(The maximum stored energy produces at  $\omega = \omega_0$ )

- $Q$  of a RLC-series circuit:

$$Q_S = \frac{\omega_0 L}{R} = \frac{1}{R\omega_0 C}$$

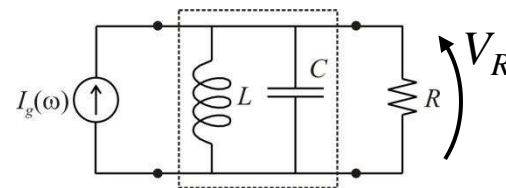


$$W_{\max} = \frac{1}{2} L |I_R|^2$$

$$P_R = \frac{1}{2} |I_R|^2 R$$

- $Q$  of a RLC-parallel circuit:

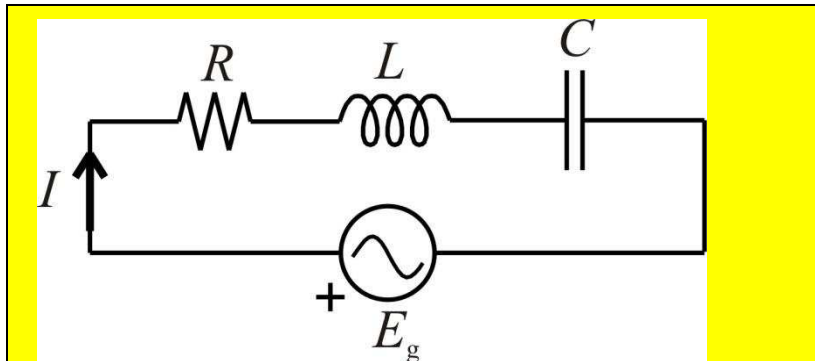
$$Q_P = R\omega_0 C = \frac{R}{\omega_0 L}$$



$$W_{\max} = \frac{1}{2} C |V_R|^2$$

$$P_R = \frac{1}{2} \frac{|V_R|^2}{R}$$

# RLC-Series

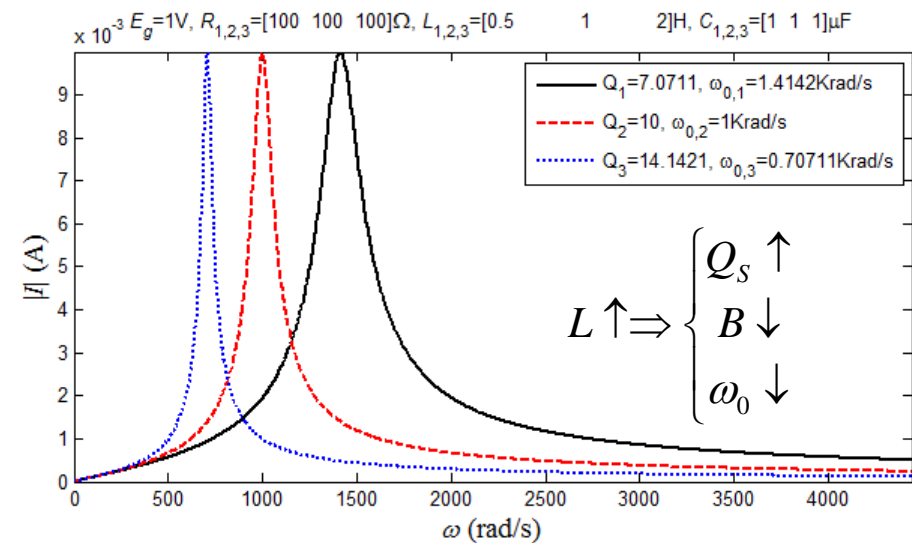
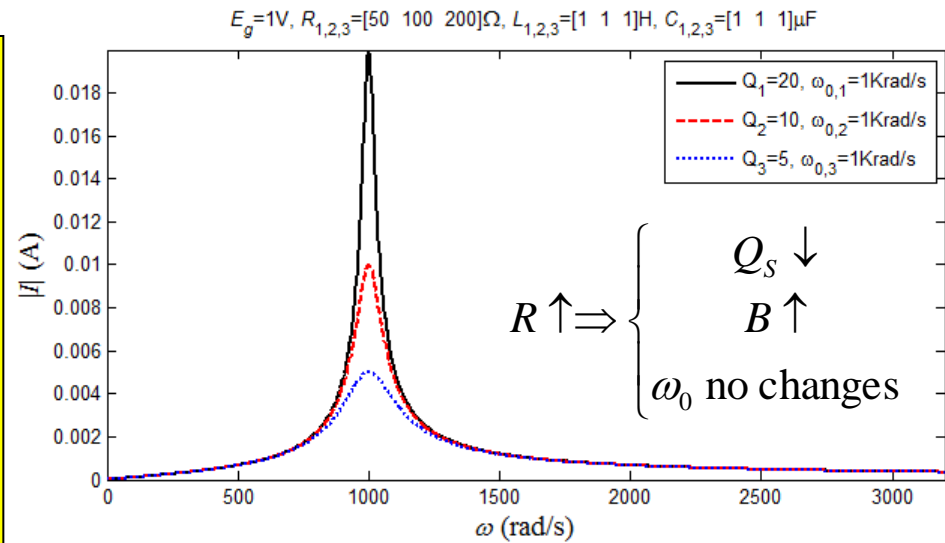


$$RLC \text{ - series: } Q_s = \frac{\omega_0 L}{R} = \frac{1}{R\omega_0 C}$$

$$I = \frac{E_g}{R + j\left(\omega L - \frac{1}{\omega C}\right)} = \frac{I_{\max}}{1 + jQ_s \delta \left(\frac{\delta + 2}{\delta + 1}\right)}$$

$$I \cong \frac{I_{\max}}{1 + j2Q_s \delta} \text{ for } \delta \ll 1,$$

$$\delta = \frac{\omega - \omega_0}{\omega_0}, \quad I_{\max} = \frac{E_g}{R}, \quad \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}.$$



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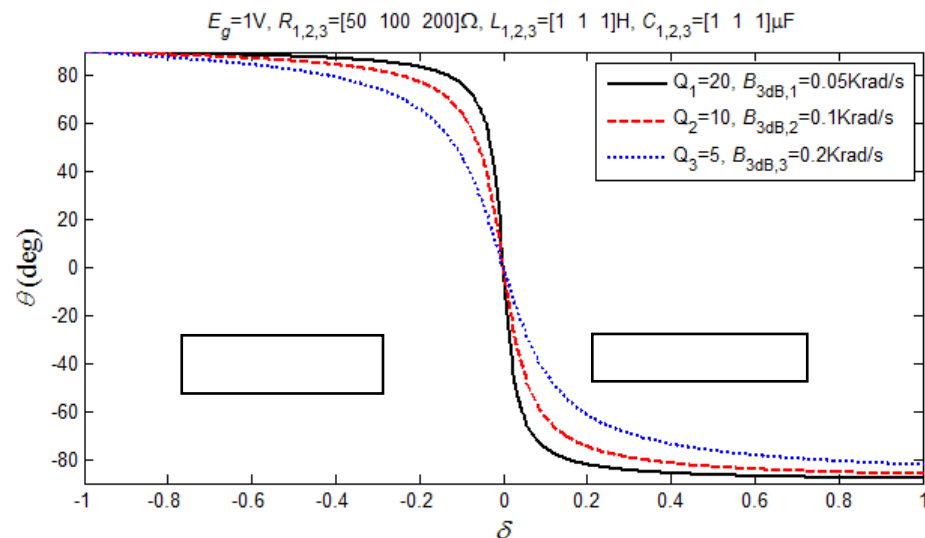
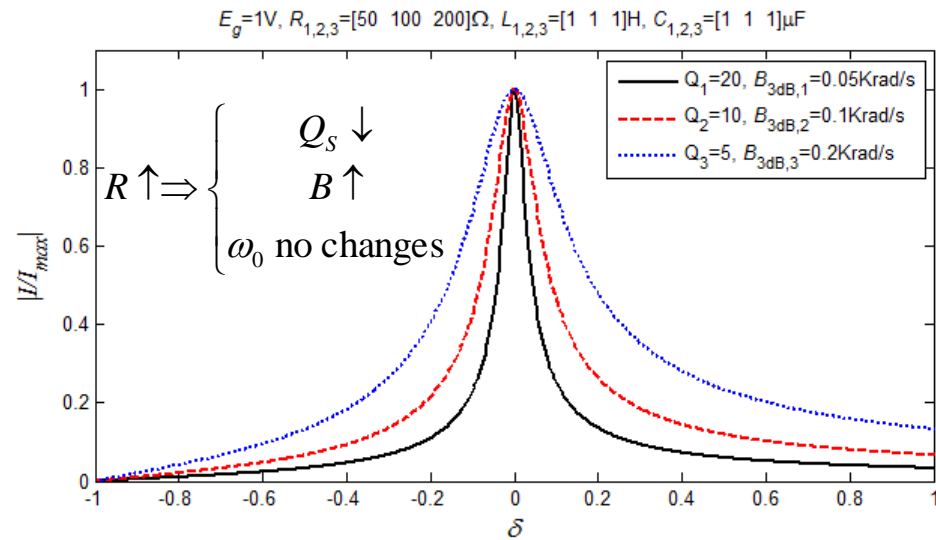
$$\left| \frac{I}{I_{\max}} \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left( Q_S \delta \frac{\delta + 2}{\delta + 1} \right)^2}},$$

$$\theta = -\arctan Q_S \delta \frac{\delta + 2}{\delta + 1},$$

for  $\delta \ll 1$  and  $Q_S \geq 10$ :

$$\left| \frac{I}{I_{\max}} \right| \cong \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + (2Q_S \delta)^2}},$$

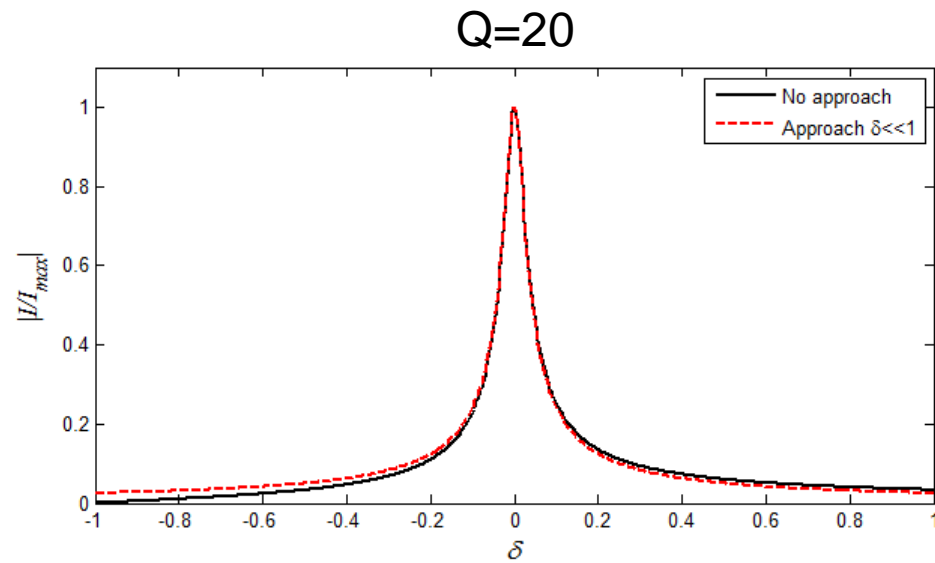
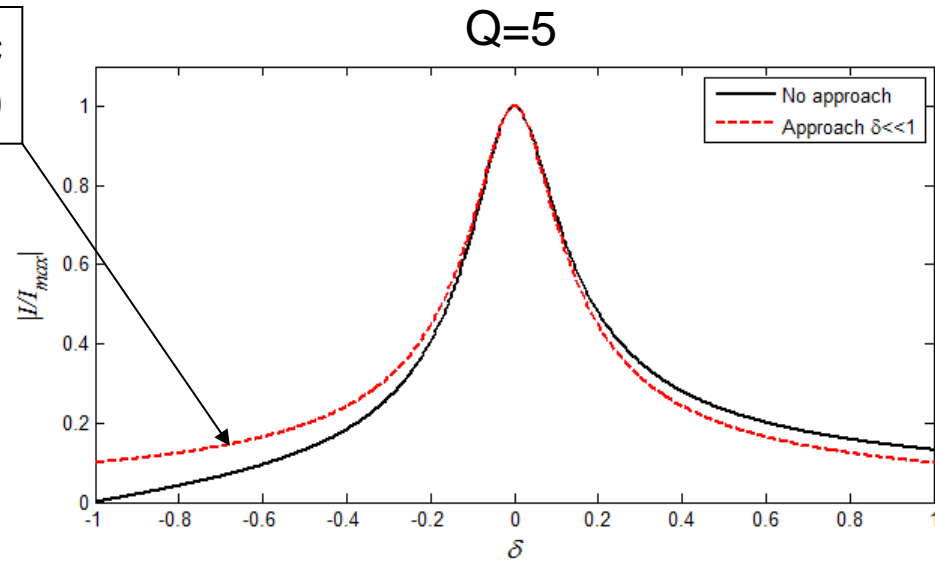
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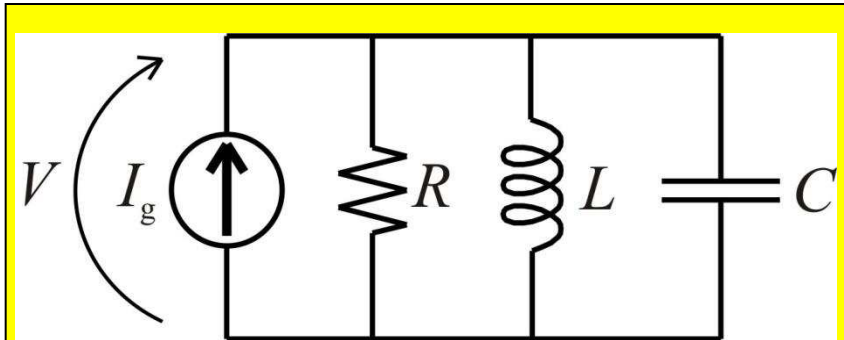


# RLC-Series

Symmetric  
around  $\delta=0$



# RLC-Parallel

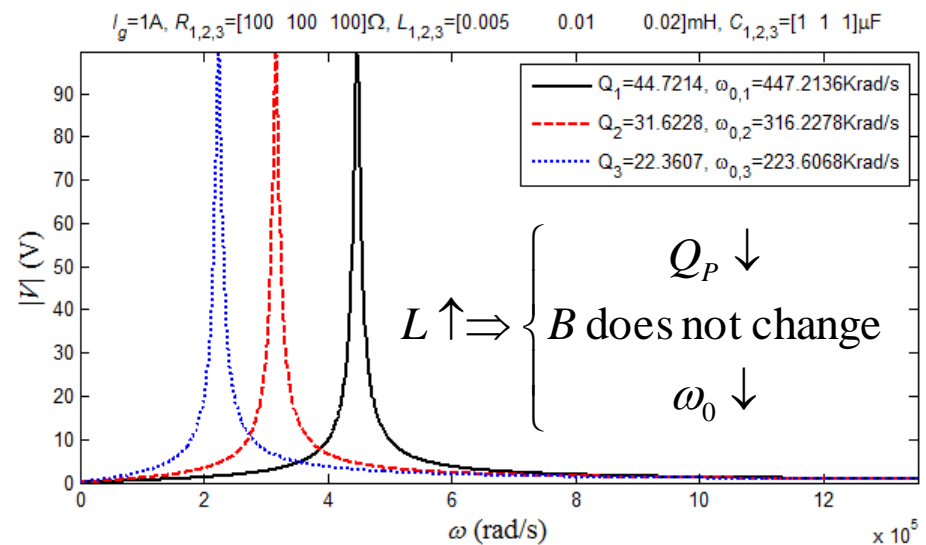
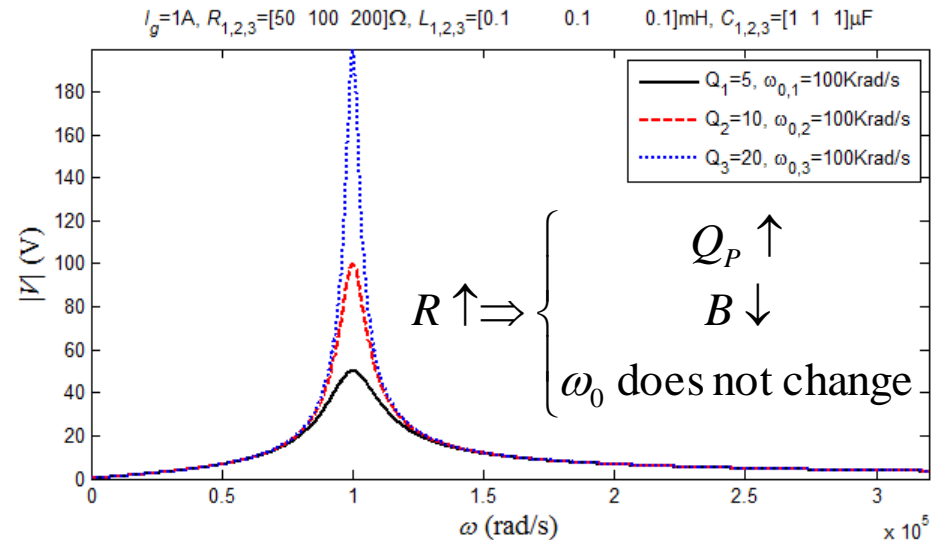


$$RLC - \text{parallel: } Q_P = \frac{R}{\omega_0 L} = R\omega_0 C$$

$$V = \frac{I_g}{\frac{1}{R} + j\left(\omega C - \frac{1}{\omega L}\right)} = \frac{V_{\max}}{1 + jQ_P \delta \left(\frac{\delta + 2}{\delta + 1}\right)},$$

$$\delta = \frac{\omega - \omega_0}{\omega_0}, \quad V_{\max} = I_g R, \quad \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}.$$

$$V \cong \frac{V_{\max}}{1 + j2Q_P \delta} \text{ for } \delta \ll 1.$$



# Bandwidth ( $\delta \ll 1$ , $Q \geq 10$ )

For example RLC-parallel:

$$B_{XdB} = \omega_2 - \omega_1,$$

$$\omega_2 = \omega_0(1 + \delta_C),$$

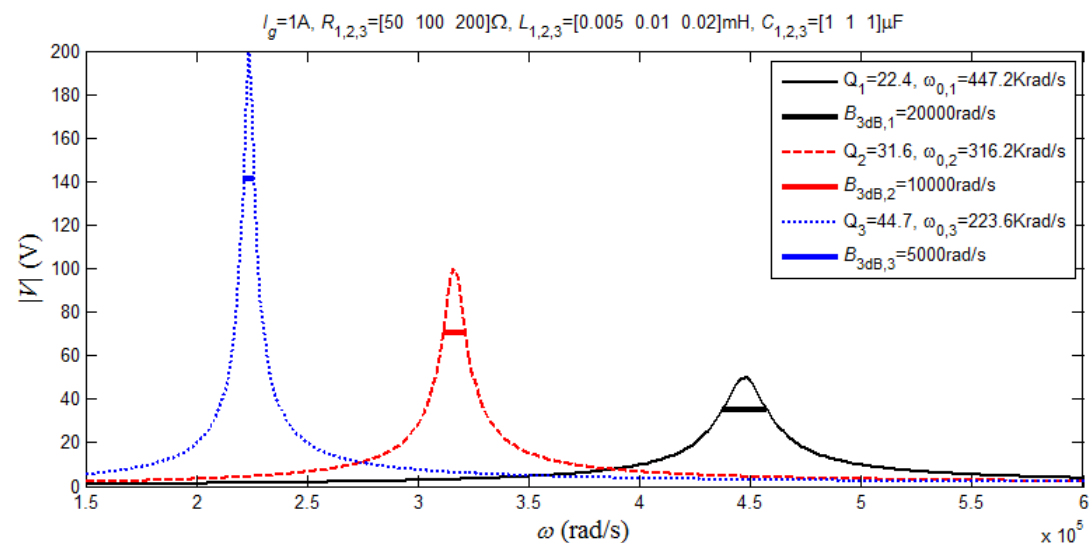
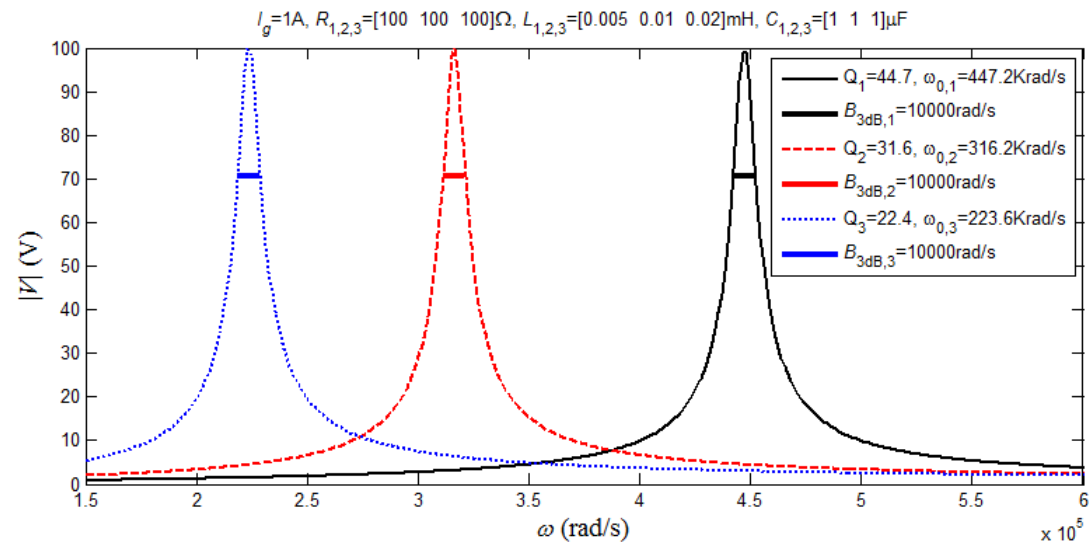
$$\omega_1 = \omega_0(1 - \delta_C),$$

$$\delta_C = \frac{1}{2Q} \sqrt{10^{\frac{XdB}{10}} - 1}.$$

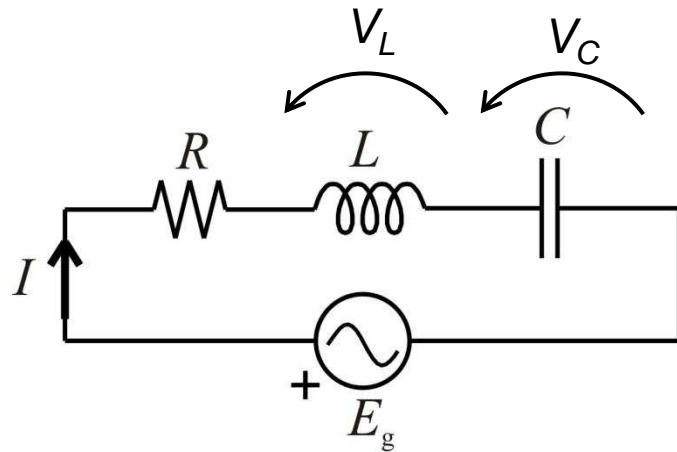
for  $X = 3dB$ :

$$B_{3dB} = \frac{\omega_0}{Q}.$$

$$B_{3dB}|_P = \frac{1}{RC}, \quad B_{3dB}|_S = \frac{R}{L}$$



# Over-voltage factor ( $Q_S$ )



$$V_L = j\omega LI$$

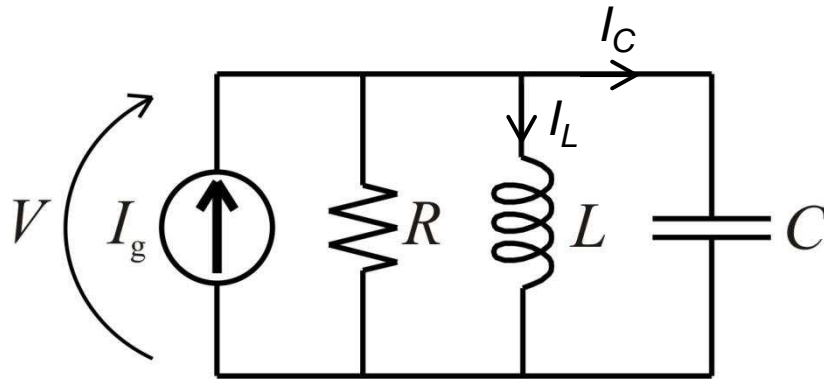
$$V_C = -j\frac{1}{\omega C} I$$

$$\text{for } \omega = \omega_0 : I = I_{\max} = \frac{E_g}{R}, V_L = j\frac{\omega_0 L}{R} E_g$$

$$V_C = -j\frac{1}{\omega_0 CR} E_g$$

$$V_L = -V_C, |V_L| = |V_C| = Q_S E_g$$

# Over-current factor ( $Q_P$ )



$$I_L = -j \frac{1}{\omega L} V$$

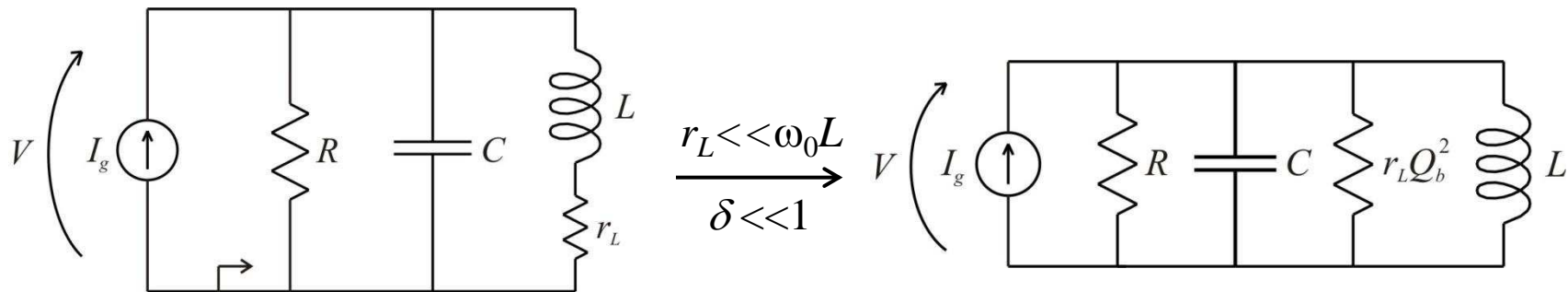
$$I_C = j\omega CV$$

$$\text{for } \omega = \omega_0 : V = V_{\max} = RI_g, I_L = -j \frac{R}{\omega_0 L} I_g$$

$$I_C = j\omega_0 CRI_g$$

$$I_L = -I_C, |I_L| = |I_C| = Q_P I_g$$

# Real RLC-Parallel



$$\frac{1}{Z_e} = \frac{1}{R} + j\omega C + \frac{1}{r_L + j\omega L},$$

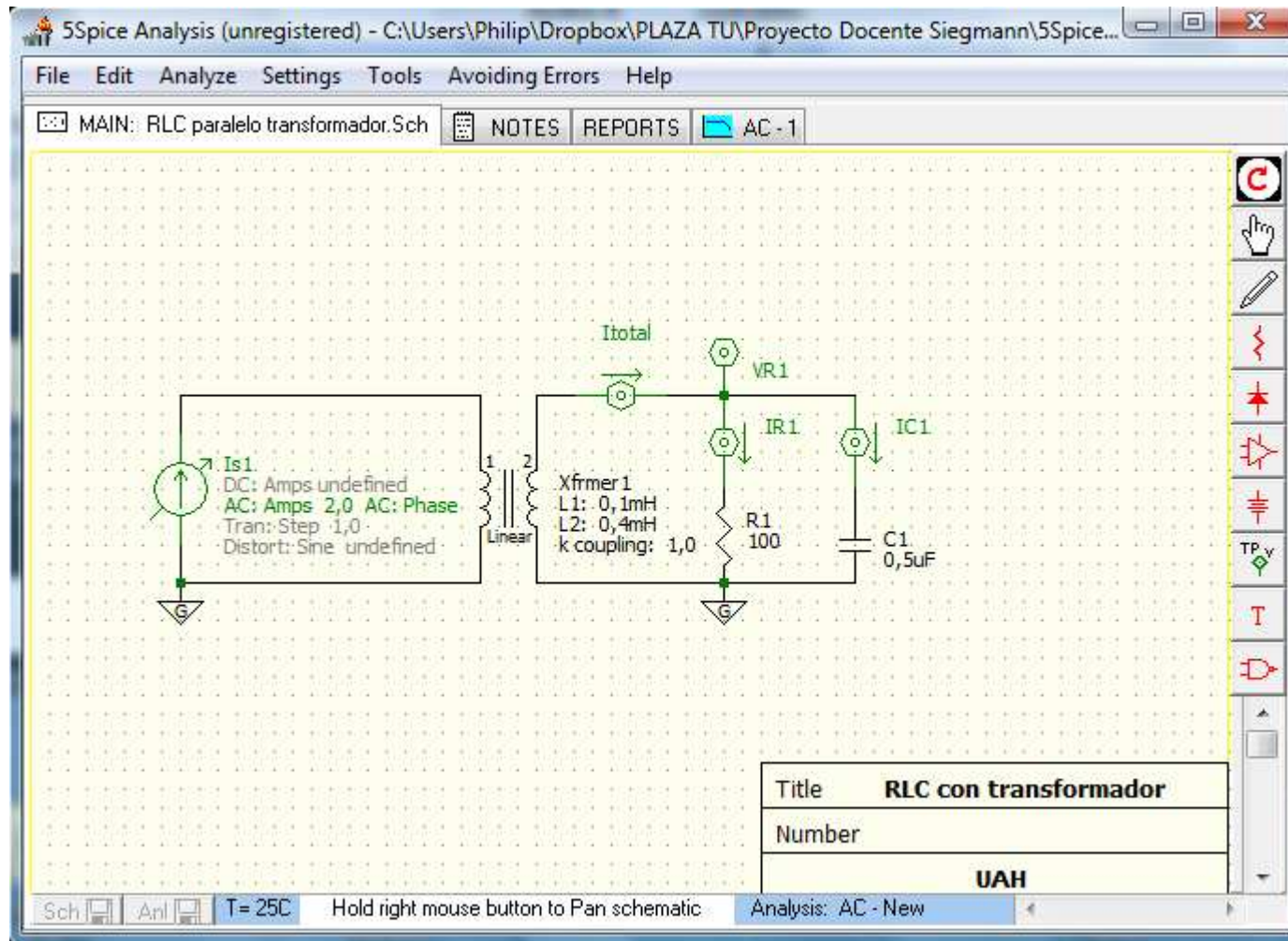
$$\frac{1}{r_L + j\omega L} \approx \frac{1}{r_L Q_b^2} - j\frac{1}{\omega L} \quad \text{si} \quad Q_b = \frac{\omega_0 L}{r_L} \gg 1 \ \& \ \delta \ll 1$$

$$\frac{1}{Z_e} \approx \frac{1}{R} + j\omega C + \frac{1}{r_L Q_b^2} - j\frac{1}{\omega L} \quad \text{parallel association } (R, C, r_L Q_b^2, L)$$

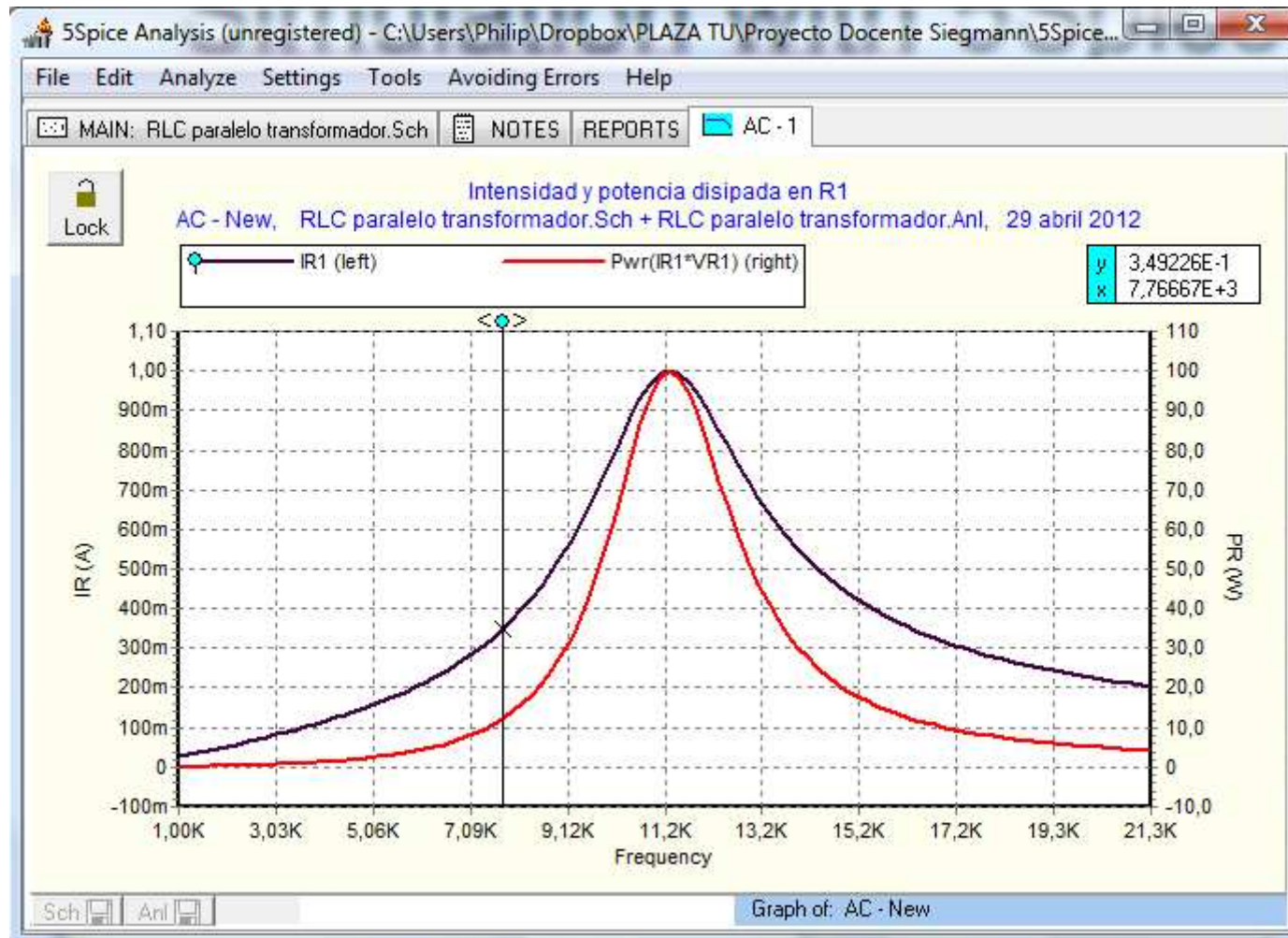
$$R_T = \frac{R r_L Q_b^2}{R + r_L Q_b^2}$$

Quality factor:  $Q = R_T \omega_0 C$

# Simulation with 5Spice

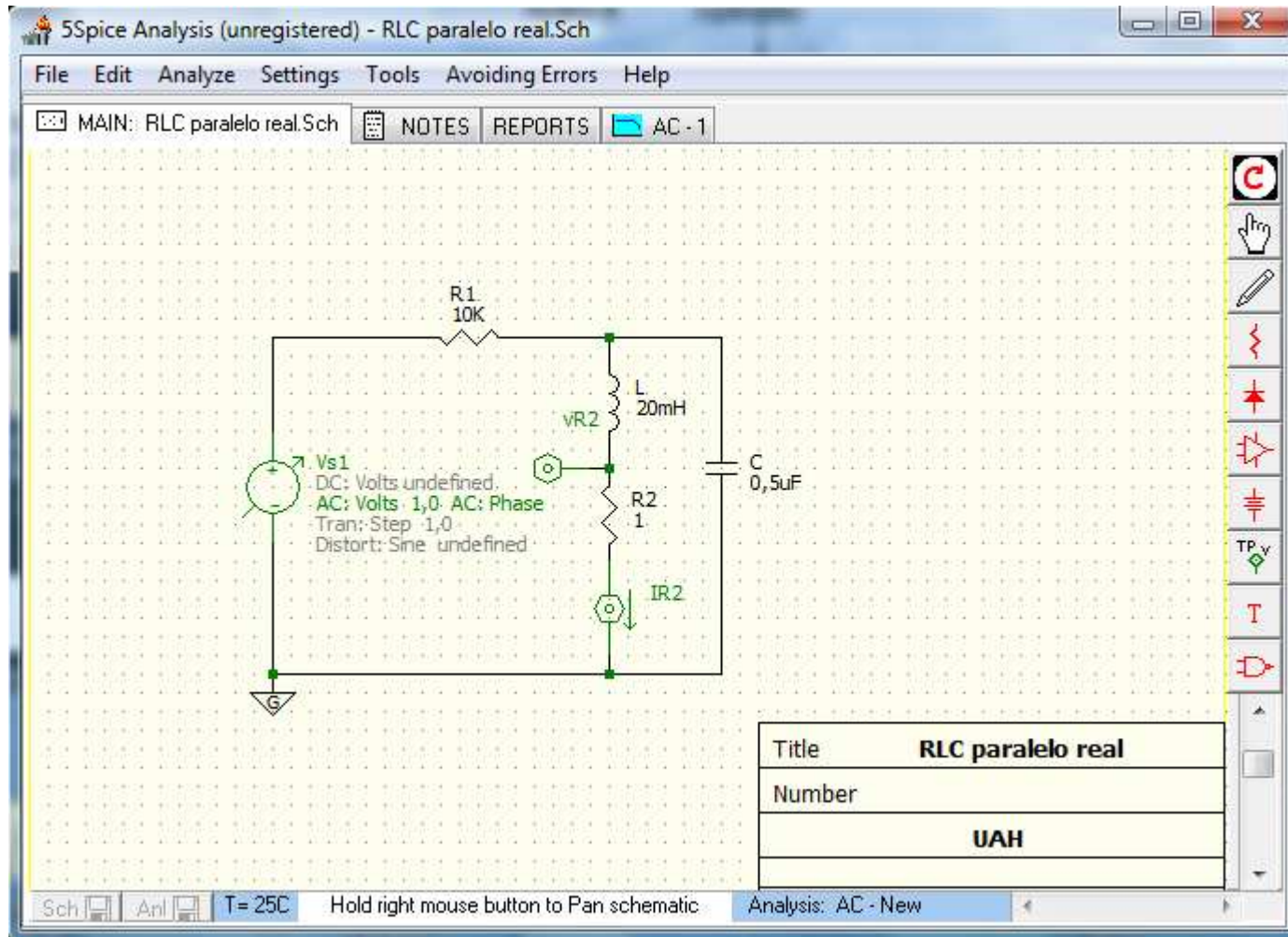


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