



# **Linear Circuits**

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An introduction to electric circuit elements and a study of circuits containing such devices.







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Transient response of an RLC circuit





## **Module 3: Reactive Circuits**

- Sinusoids and Phasors
- Impedance
- Analysis of Sinusoidal Systems
- Transfer Functions
- Frequency Spectrum
- Frequency Response
- Filtering





#### **RLC Circuit Schematic**







#### Lab Demo: RLC Circuit Frequency Response





### Summary

- Low R means low damping and high resonant peak
- The Bode plot is generated by a sine sweep
  - Input sinusoids of different frequencies and calculate the gain (A<sub>o</sub>/A<sub>i</sub>) and phase for each response
  - Compute and plot  $20*log_{10}(A_o/A_i)$  vs f
  - Plot phase vs f





#### **Next Lesson**

#### Introduction to filtering

