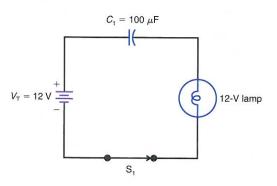
- 8. Referring to Fig. 17–8, draw three similar curves but for a sine wave of voltage with a period  $T=12~\mu s$  for the full cycle. Use the same C of 240 pF. Compare the value of  $X_{\rm C}$  obtained as  $1/(2\pi fC)$  and  $v_{\rm C}/i_{\rm C}$ .
- 9. (a) What is the relationship between charge q and current i? (b) How is this comparison similar to the relation between the two formulas Q = CV and  $i_c = C(dv/dt)$ ?

### **Problems**

# SECTION 17-1 ALTERNATING CURRENT IN A CAPACITIVE CIRCUIT

- 17-1 With the switch, S<sub>1</sub>, closed in Fig. 17-9, how much is
  - a. the current, /, in the circuit?
  - b. the dc voltage across the 12-V lamp?
  - c. the dc voltage across the capacitor?

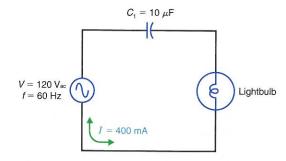
Figure 17-9



- 17–2 In Fig. 17–9 explain why the bulb will light for just an instant when  $S_1$  is initially closed.
- 17–3 In Fig. 17–10, the capacitor and the lightbulb draw 400 mA from the 120-Vac source. How much current flows
  - a. to and from the terminals of the 120-Vac source?
  - b. through the lightbulb?
  - c. to and from the plates of the capacitor?
  - d. through the connecting wires?
  - e. through the dielectric of the capacitor?

Figure 17-10

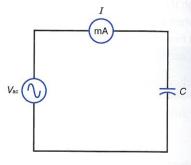
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- **17–4** In Fig. 17–11, calculate the capacitive reactance,  $X_{C}$ , for the following values of Vac and I?
  - a. Vac = 10 V and I = 20 mA.
  - b. Vac = 24 V and I = 8 mA.

- c.  $Vac = 15 \text{ V} \text{ and } I = 300 \ \mu\text{A}.$
- d.  $Vac = 100 \text{ V} \text{ and } l = 50 \mu\text{A}$ .

Figure 17–11



**17–5** In Fig. 17–11, list three factors that can affect the amount of charge and discharge current flowing in the circuit.

## SECTION 17–2 THE AMOUNT OF $X_c$ EQUALS $\frac{1}{2\pi fC}$

- 17–6 Calculate the capacitive reactance,  $X_c$ , of a 0.1- $\mu$ F capacitor at the following frequencies:
  - a. f = 10 Hz.
  - b. f = 50 Hz.
  - c. f = 200 Hz.
  - d. f = 10 kHz.
- 17–7 Calculate the capacitive reactance,  $X_{\rm cr}$  of a 10- $\mu$ F capacitor at the following frequencies:
  - a. f = 60 Hz.
  - b. f = 120 Hz.
  - c. f = 500 Hz.
  - d. f = 1 kHz.
- **17–8** What value of capacitance will provide an  $X_c$  of 1 k $\Omega$  at the following frequencies?
  - a. f = 318.3 Hz.
  - b. f = 1.591 kHz.
  - c. f = 3.183 kHz.
  - d. f = 6.366 kHz.
- 17–9 At what frequency will a 0.047– $\mu$ F capacitor provide an  $X_{\rm C}$  value of
  - a. 100 k $\Omega$ ?
  - b. 5 k $\Omega$ ?
  - c. 1.5 k $\Omega$ ?
  - d. 50  $\Omega$ ?

- 17-10 How much is the capacitance of a capacitor that draws 2 mA of current from a 10-Vac generator whose frequency is 3.183 kHz?
- 17–11 At what frequency will a 820-pF capacitance have an  $X_c$  value of 250  $\Omega$ ?
- 17-12 A  $0.01-\mu F$  capacitor draws 50 mA of current when connected directly across a 50-Vac source. What is the value of current drawn by the capacitor when
  - a. the frequency is doubled?
  - b. the frequency is decreased by one-half?
  - c. the capacitance is doubled to 0.02  $\mu$ F?
  - d. the capacitance is reduced by one-half to 0.005  $\mu$ F?
- 17–13 A capacitor has an  $X_{\rm C}$  value of 10 k $\Omega$  at a given frequency. What is the new value of  $X_{\rm C}$  when the frequency is
  - a. cut in half?
  - b. doubled?
  - c. quadrupled?
  - d. increased by a factor of 10?
- 17–14 Calculate the capacitive reactance,  $X_c$ , for the following capacitance and frequency values:
  - a.  $C = 0.47 \,\mu\text{F}, f = 1 \,\text{kHz}.$
  - b.  $C = 100 \mu F$ , f = 120 Hz.
  - c. C = 250 pF, f = 1 MHz.
  - d.  $C = 0.0022 \,\mu\text{F}$ ,  $f = 50 \,\text{kHz}$ .
- 17–15 Determine the capacitance value for the following frequency and  $X_c$  values:
  - a.  $X_{\rm C} = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$ , f = 3.183 kHz.
  - b.  $X_c = 200 \Omega$ , f = 63.66 kHz.
  - c.  $X_c = 25 \text{ k}\Omega$ , f = 1.592 kHz.
  - d.  $X_{\rm C}=1~{\rm M}\Omega$ ,  $f=100~{\rm Hz}$ .
- 17–16 Determine the frequency for the following capacitance and  $X_c$  values:
  - a.  $C = 0.05 \,\mu\text{F}, X_{C} = 4 \,\text{k}\Omega$ .
  - b.  $C = 0.1 \ \mu\text{F, } X_{\text{C}} = 1.591 \ \text{k}\Omega.$
  - c.  $C = 0.0082 \ \mu\text{F}, X_{\text{C}} = 6.366 \ \text{k}\Omega.$
  - d.  $C = 50 \mu F$ ,  $X_C = 100 \Omega$ .

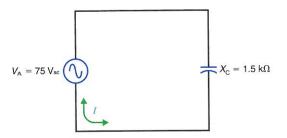
# SECTION 17-3 SERIES OR PARALLEL CAPACITIVE REACTANCES

- 17–17 How much is the total capacitive reactance,  $X_{C_i}$  for the following series capacitive reactances:
  - a.  $X_{C_1} = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $X_{C_2} = 1.5 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $X_{C_3} = 2.5 \text{ k}\Omega$ .
  - b.  $X_{C_1}=500~\Omega$ ,  $X_{C_2}=1~\mathrm{k}\Omega$ ,  $X_{C_3}=1.5~\mathrm{k}\Omega$ .
  - c.  $X_{c} = 20 \text{ k}\Omega_{r} X_{c} = 10 \text{ k}\Omega_{r} X_{c} = 120 \text{ k}\Omega$ .
  - d.  $X_{c_1} = 340 \,\Omega$ ,  $X_{c_2} = 570 \,\Omega$ ,  $X_{c_3} = 2.09 \,\mathrm{k}\Omega$ .
- 17–18 What is the equivalent capacitive reactance,  $X_{C_{EQ}}$ , for the following parallel capacitive reactances:
  - a.  $X_{\rm c} = 100 \ \Omega$  and  $X_{\rm c} = 400 \ \Omega$ .
  - b.  $X_C = 1.2 \text{ k}\Omega$  and  $X_{C_2} = 1.8 \text{ k}\Omega$ .
  - c.  $X_{c} = 15 \Omega_{r} X_{c_{2}} = 6 \Omega_{r} X_{c_{3}} = 10 \Omega_{r}$
  - d.  $X_{c_1}^{1} = 2.5 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $X_{c_2} = 10 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $X_{c_3} = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $X_{c_4} = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$ .

### SECTION 17-4 OHM'S LAW APPLIED TO X<sub>C</sub>

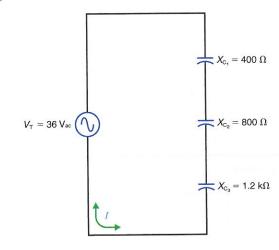
17–19 In Fig. 17–12, calculate the current, I.

#### Figure 17-12



- 17–20 In Fig. 17–12, what happens to the current, *l*, when the frequency of the applied voltage
  - a. decrease?
  - b. increase?
- 17-21 In Fig. 17-13, solve for
  - a. X<sub>C<sub>T</sub></sub>.
  - b. *I*.
  - c.  $V_{C_1}$ ,  $V_{C_2}$ , and  $V_{C_3}$ .

#### Figure 17-13



- 17-22 In Fig. 17-14, solve for
  - a.  $X_{C_1}, X_{C_2}$  and  $X_{C_3}$ .
  - b. *X*<sub>C<sub>T</sub></sub>. c. *I*.
  - d.  $V_{C_1}$ ,  $V_{C_2}$ , and  $V_{C_3}$
  - e.  $C_{FO}$ .
- **17–23** In Fig. 17–13, solve for  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$ ,  $C_3$ , and  $C_{EQ}$  if the applied voltage has a frequency of 318.3 Hz.
- 17-24 In Fig. 17-15, solve for
  - a.  $I_{C_1}$ ,  $I_{C_2}$ , and  $I_{C_3}$ .
  - b. *I*<sub>T</sub>.
  - c.  $X_{C_{EQ}}$ .