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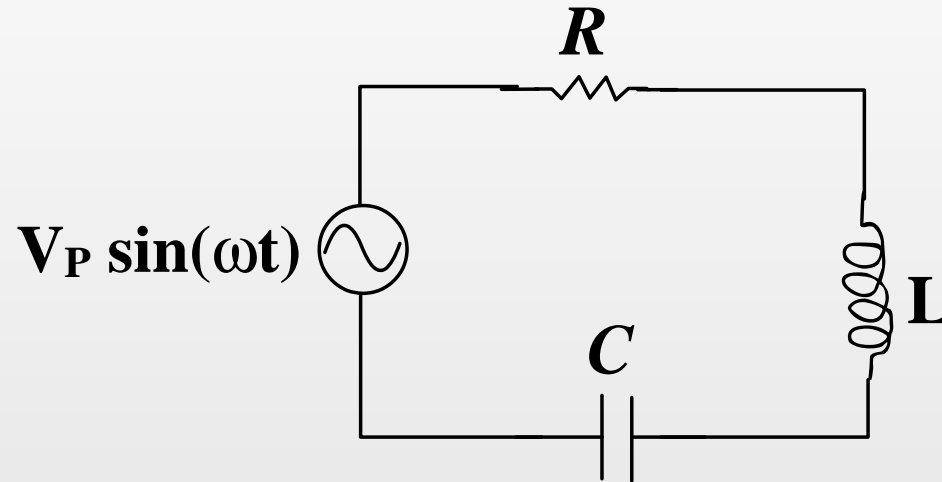
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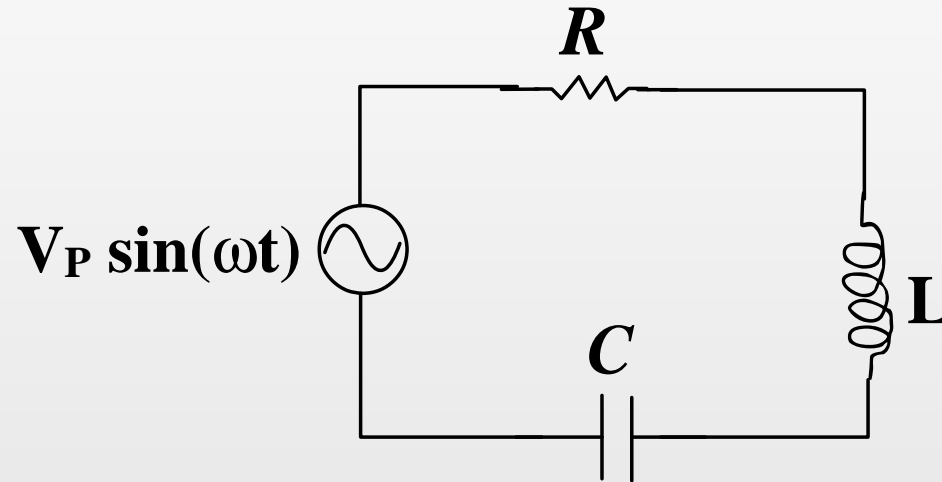
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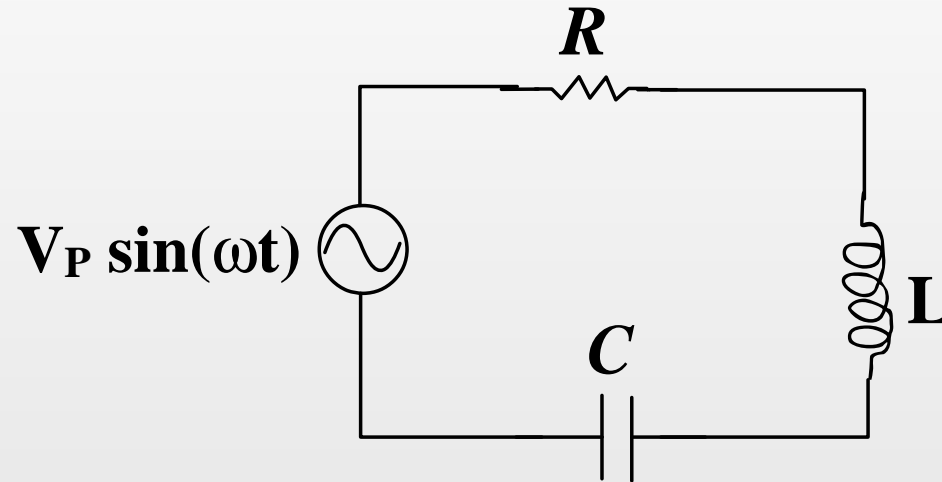
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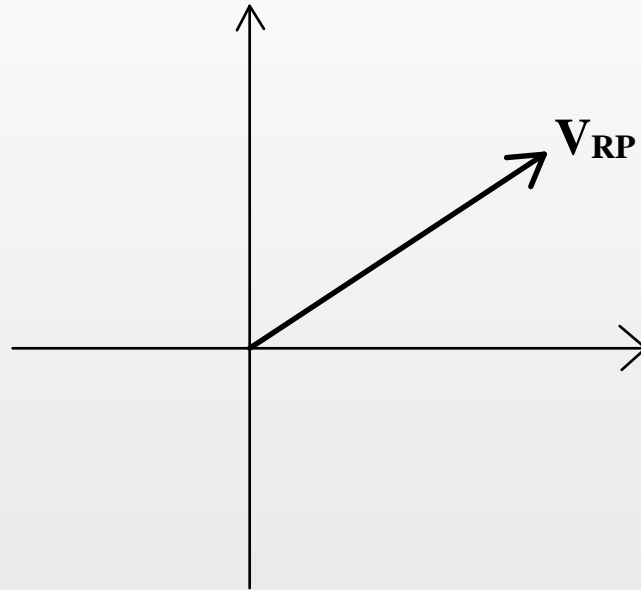
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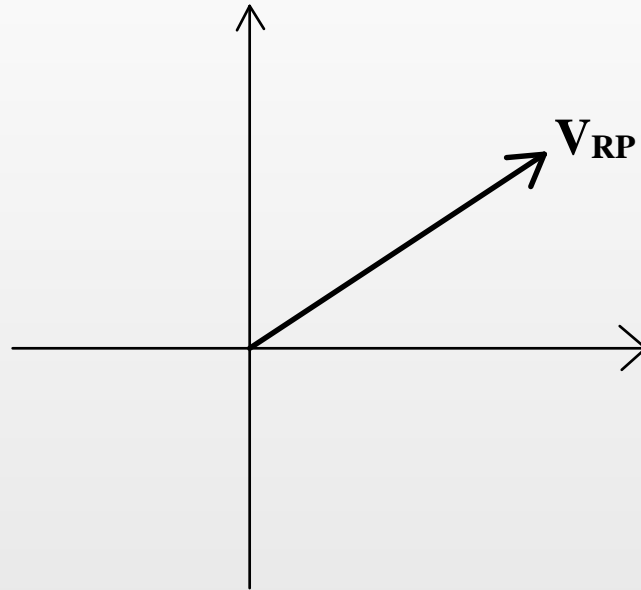
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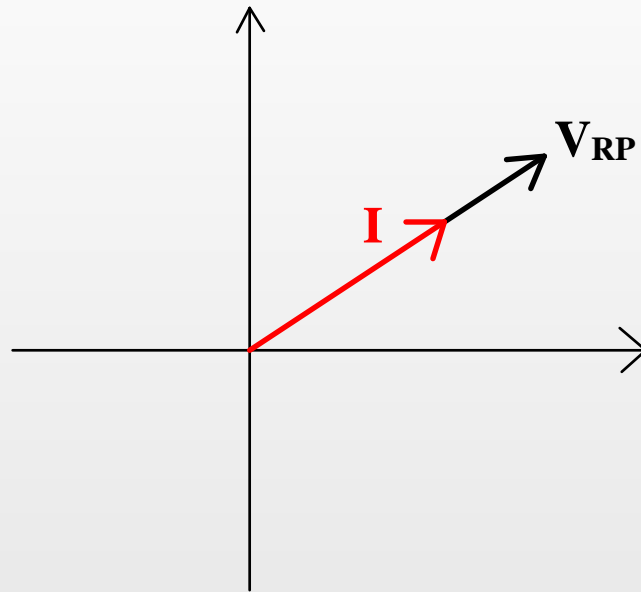
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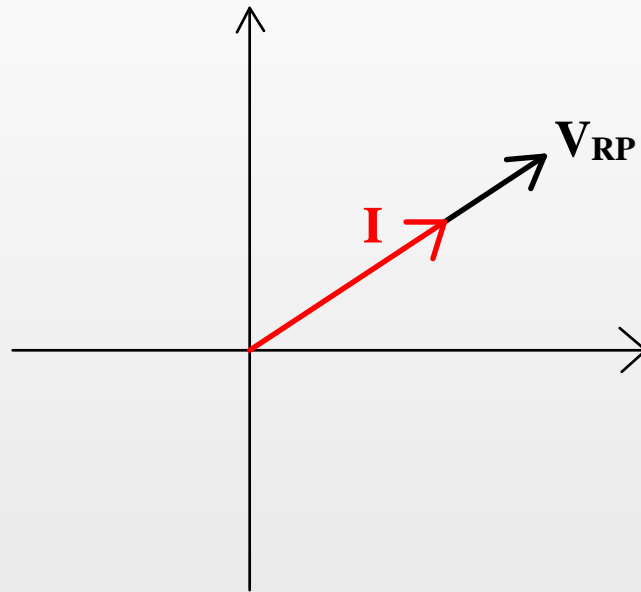
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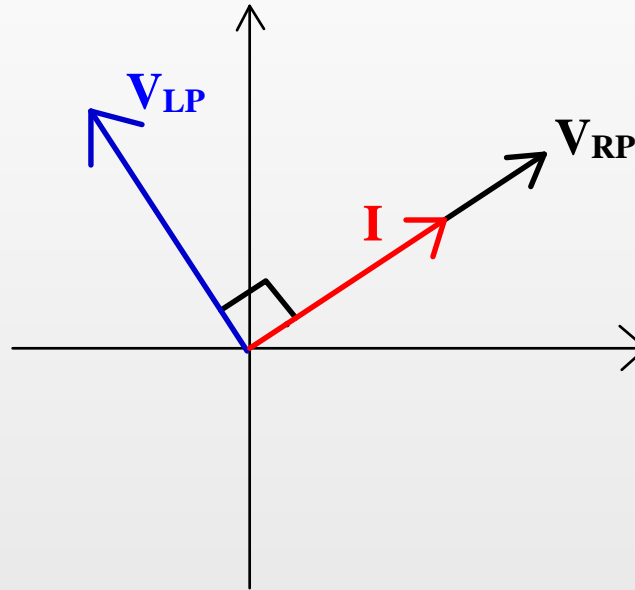
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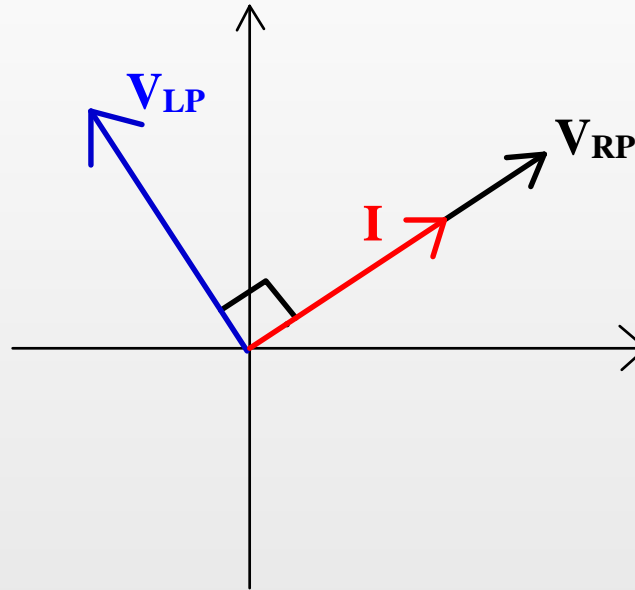
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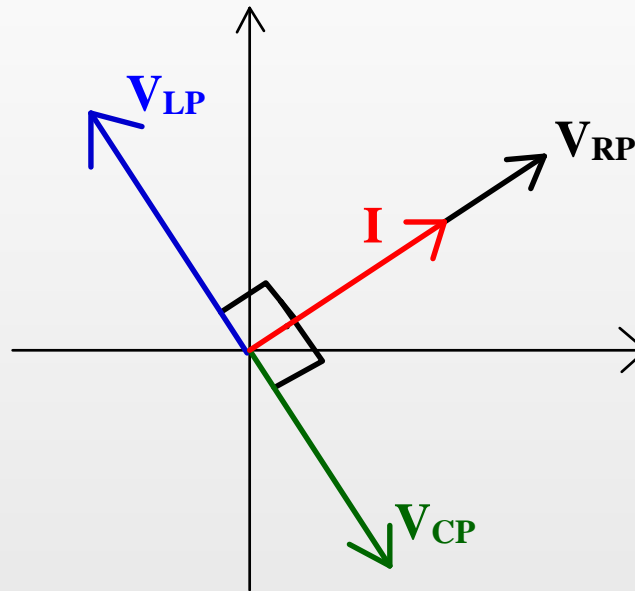
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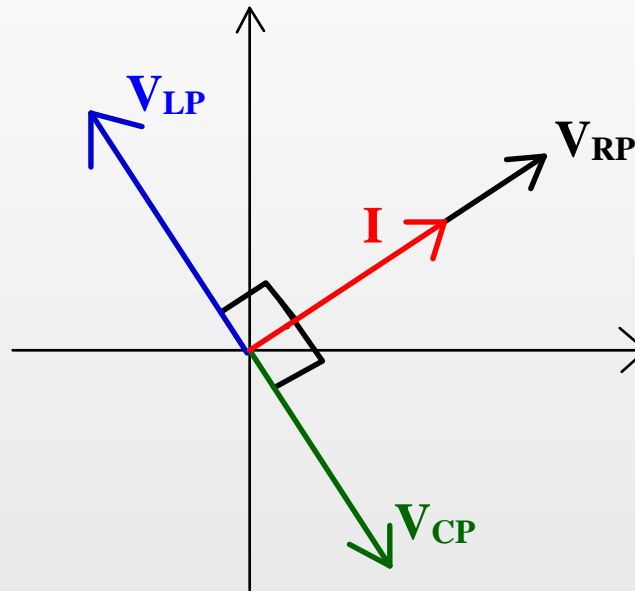
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- Apply Kirchhoff's Loop rule to find a relationship between all the voltages.

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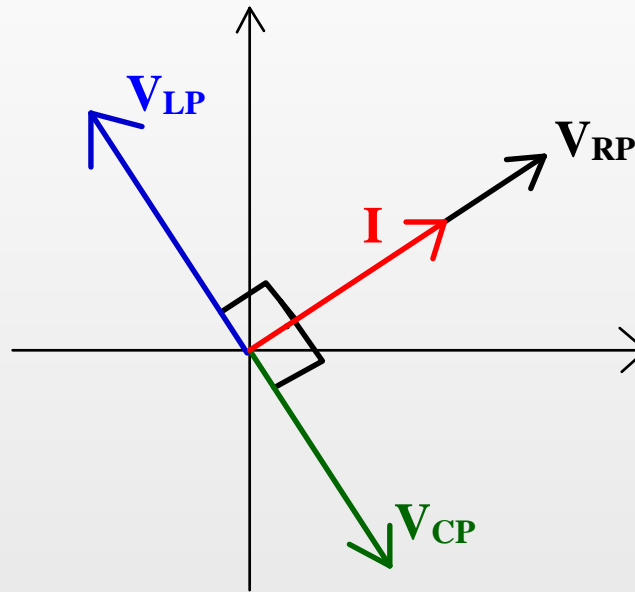
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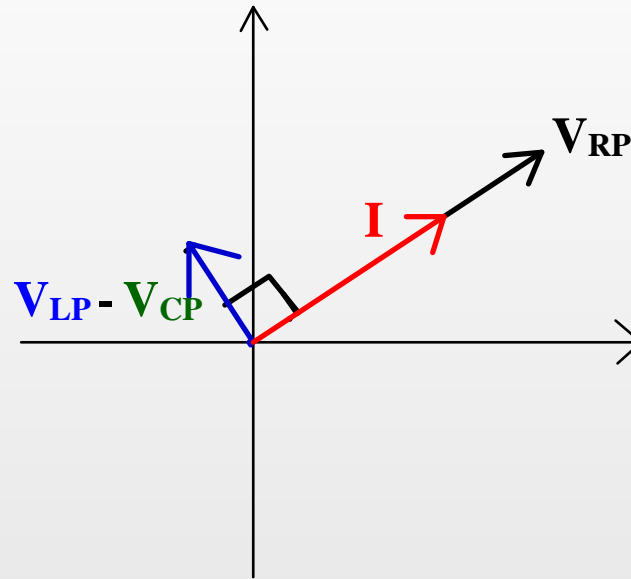
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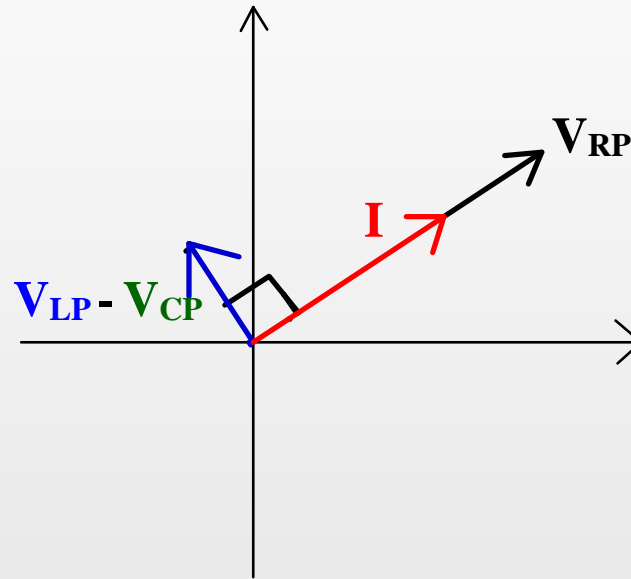
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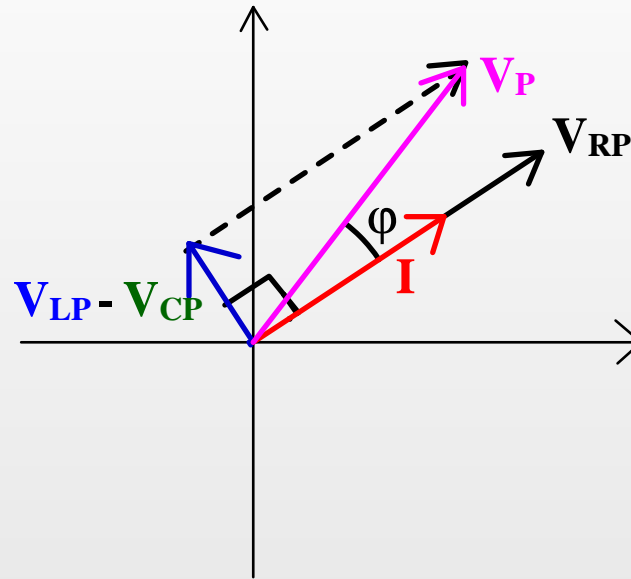
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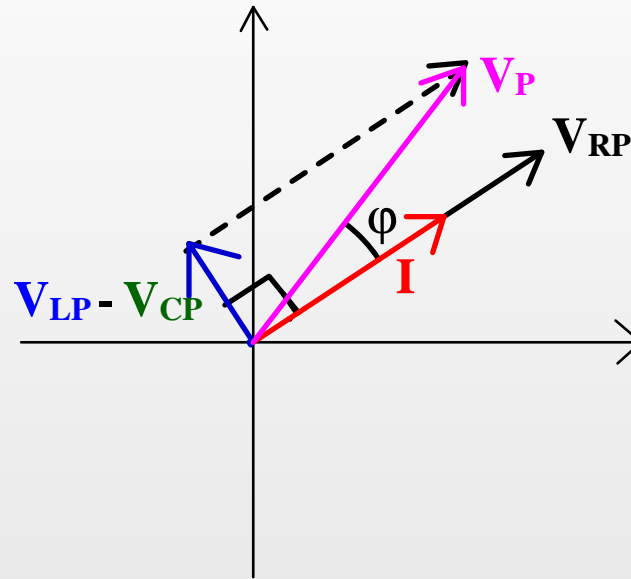
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- The length of the resultant phasor represents the peak voltage supplied by the AC Voltage source.

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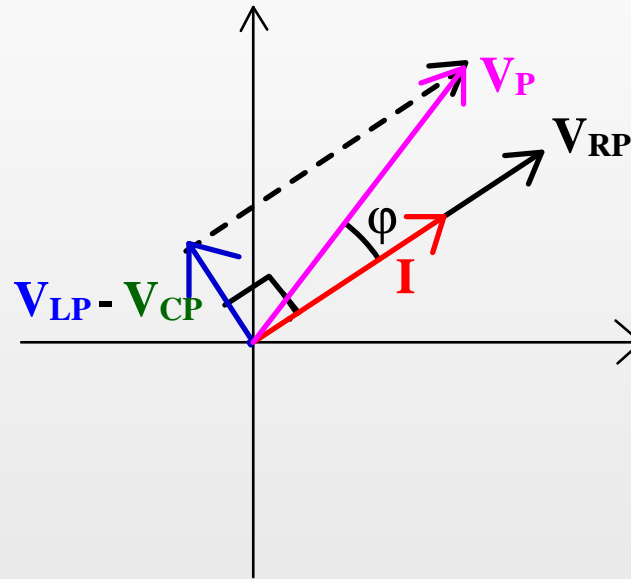
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- Finding relationships between the peak current in the circuit and the peak voltages is now a trigonometry problem.

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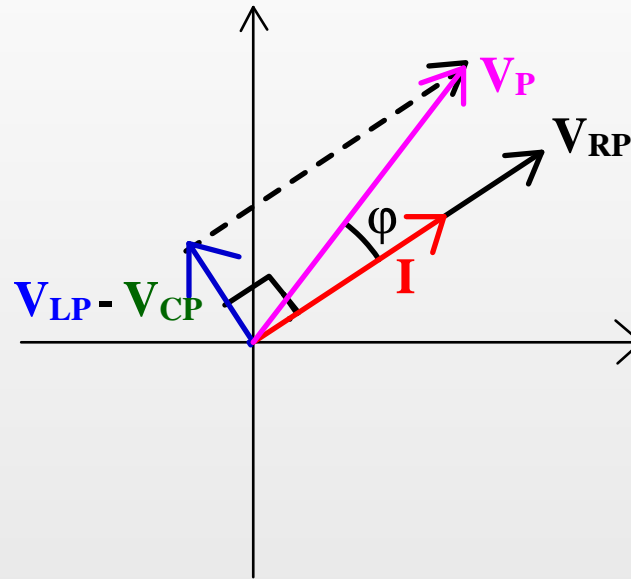
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- NOTE: The driving peak voltage is out of phase with the peak current through the circuit.

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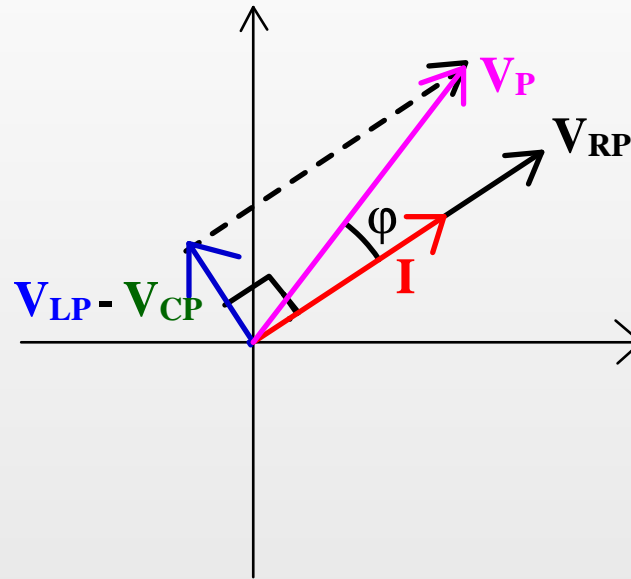
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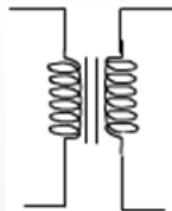
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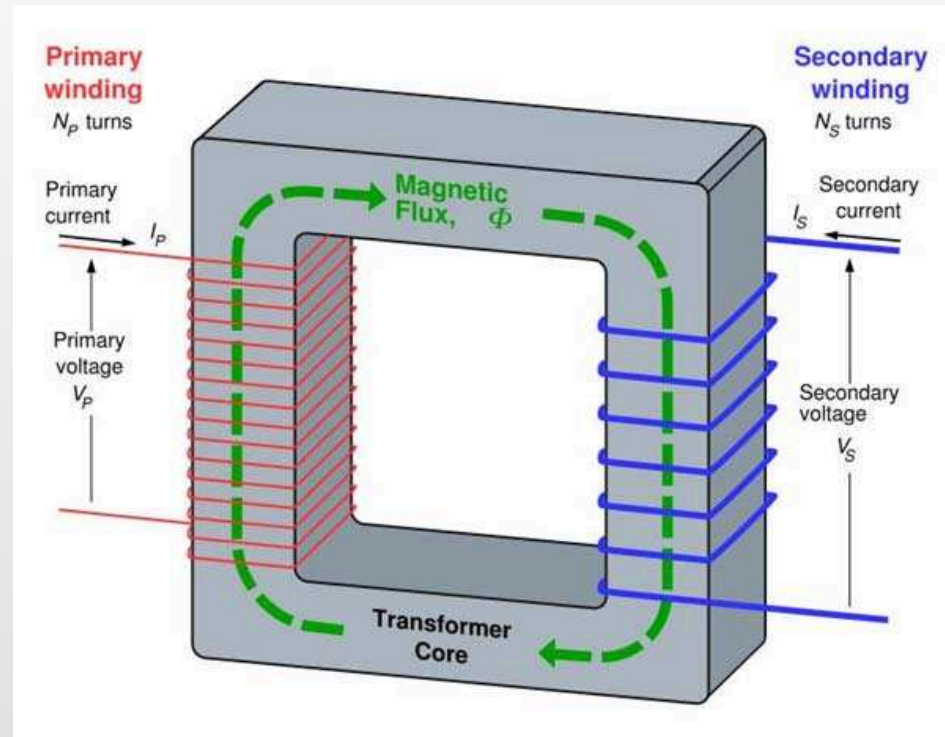
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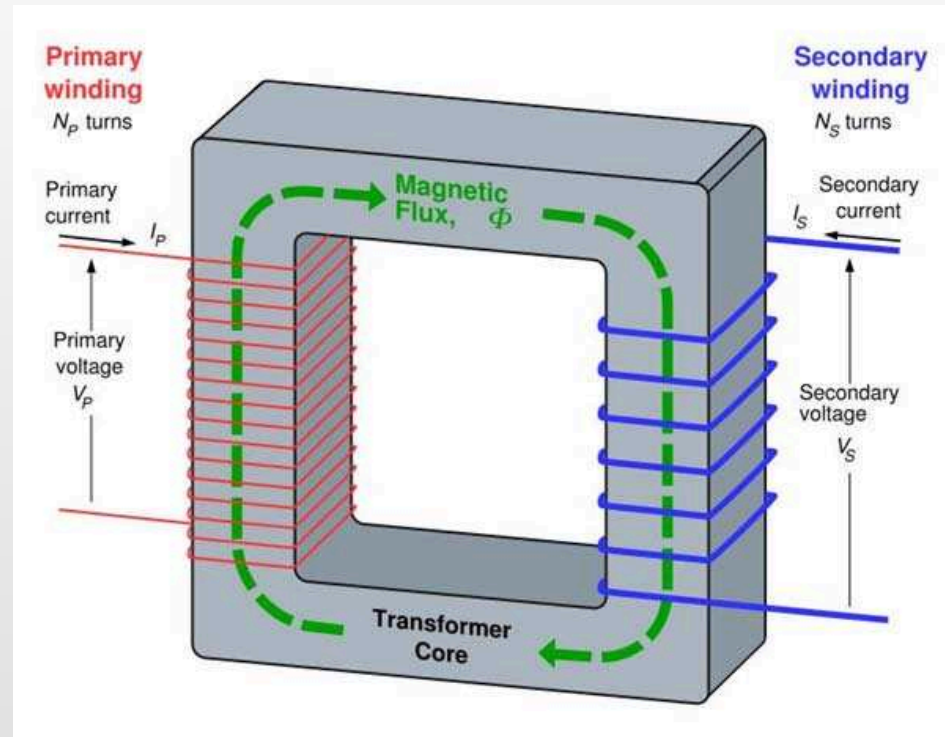
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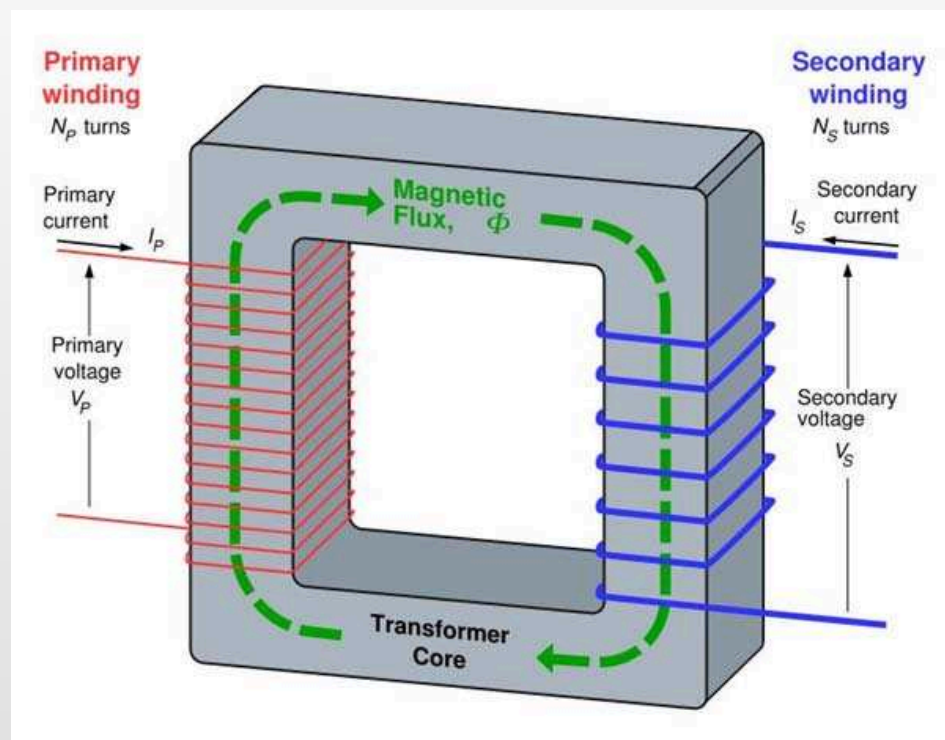
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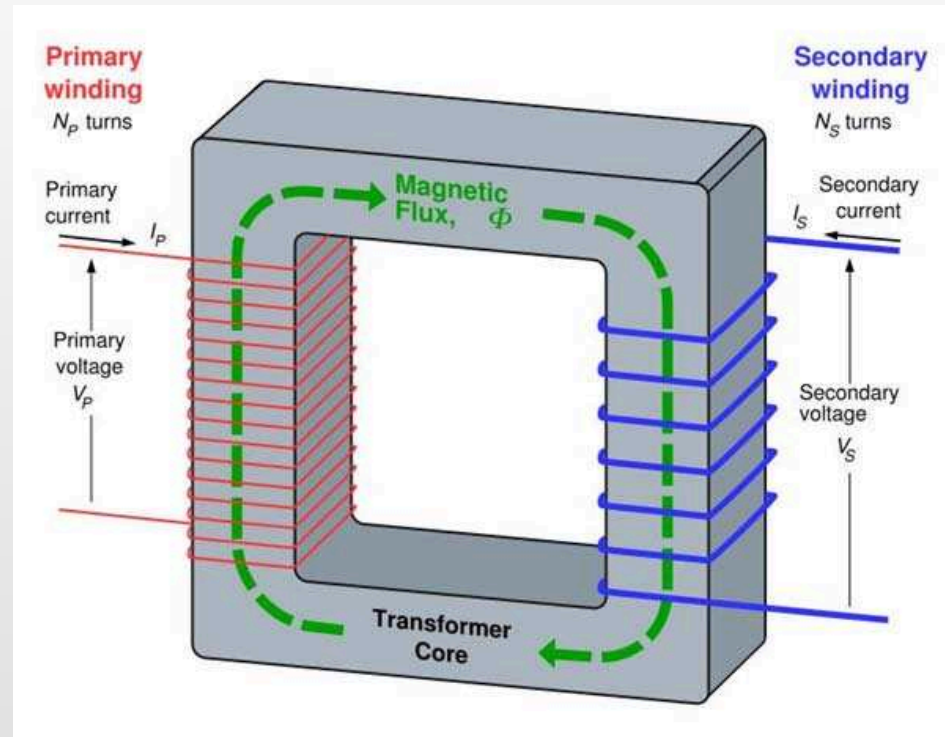
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