

3. For the circuit to the right, $I_g = 20 \angle 0^\circ$ mA(peak). The capacitor has impedance $-j50 \Omega$ and the inductor has impedance $j350 \Omega$.

- a) What is the complex power absorbed by the load (RL series)? (10)

See A for alternative approach

$$I_L = I_g \left(\frac{Z_g}{Z_L + Z_g} \right) = (20 \text{ mA}) \left(\frac{50 - j50}{300 + j300} \right) = (0.02 \text{ A}) \left(\frac{-j}{6} \right) = 3.33 \times 10^{-3} \text{ A}$$

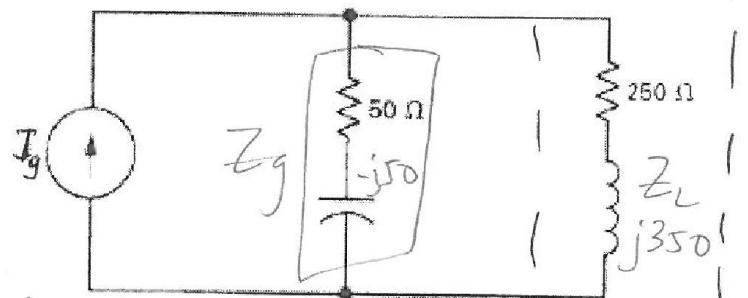
$$S = \frac{|I_L|^2 Z_L}{2} = \underline{\underline{1.39 \times 10^{-3} + j1.94 \times 10^{-3} \text{ VA}}}$$

OR

$$V_L = I_g (Z_g \parallel Z_L) = I_g \left(\frac{Z_L Z_g}{Z_L + Z_g} \right) = (2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ A}) \left(\frac{(50 \angle -45^\circ)(430.1 \angle 54.5^\circ)}{300 \sqrt{2} \angle 45^\circ} \right)$$

$$S = \frac{|V_L|^2}{2 Z_L^*} = \frac{(1.44 \text{ V})^2}{2(430.1 \angle -54.5^\circ)} = 2.41 \times 10^{-3} \angle 54.5^\circ = \underline{\underline{1.4 + j1.96 \text{ mVA}}}$$

- b) What value of pure reactance added to the circuit in series with the load (RL series combination) would maximize power transfer to the load? (8)



See A solutions