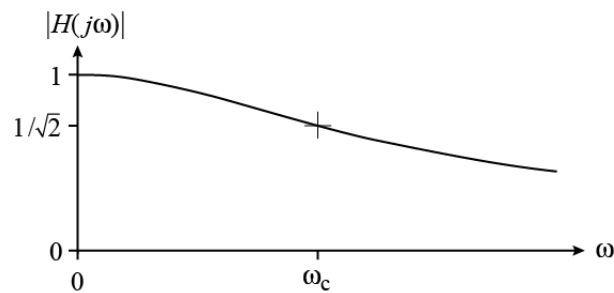
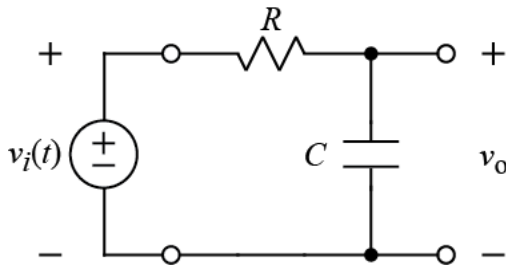


TOOL: The *RC* and *RL* circuits shown below act as one-pole low-pass filters.

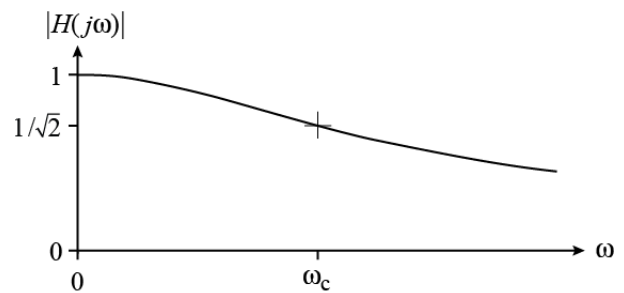
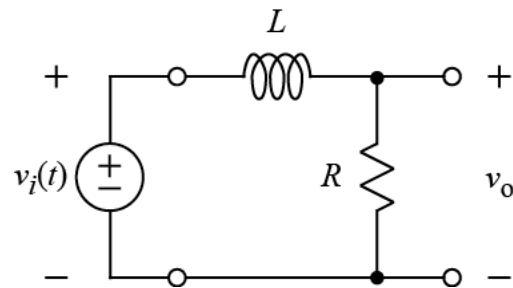
RC cutoff frequency: $\omega_c = \frac{1}{RC}$



$$H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{R + \frac{1}{j\omega C}} = \frac{1}{1 + j\omega RC}$$

Fig. 1. *RC* low-pass filter.

RL cutoff frequency: $\omega_c = \frac{R}{L}$

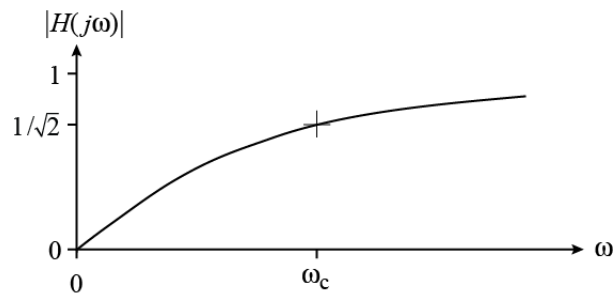
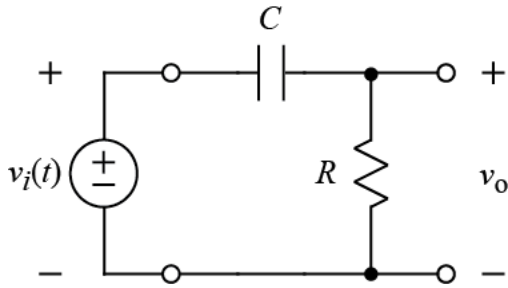


$$H(j\omega) = \frac{R}{R + j\omega L} = \frac{1}{1 + j\omega \frac{L}{R}}$$

Fig. 2. *RL* low-pass filter.

TOOL: The RC and RL circuits shown below act as one-pole high-pass filters.

RC cutoff frequency: $\omega_c = \frac{1}{RC}$

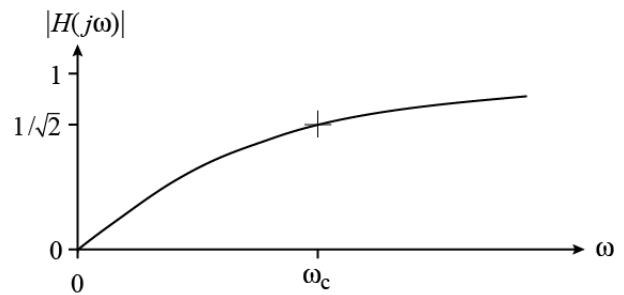
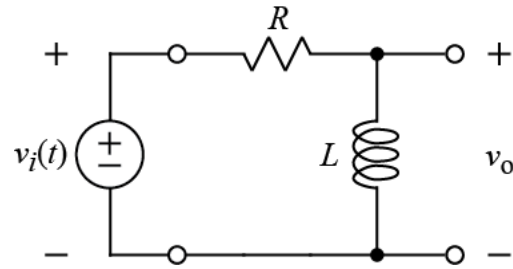


$$H(j\omega) = \frac{R}{R + \frac{1}{j\omega C}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{j\omega RC}}$$

Fig. 1. RC high-pass filter.

RL cutoff frequency: $\omega_c = \frac{R}{L}$



$$H(j\omega) = \frac{j\omega L}{R + j\omega L}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{R}{j\omega L}}$$

Fig. 2. RL high-pass filter.