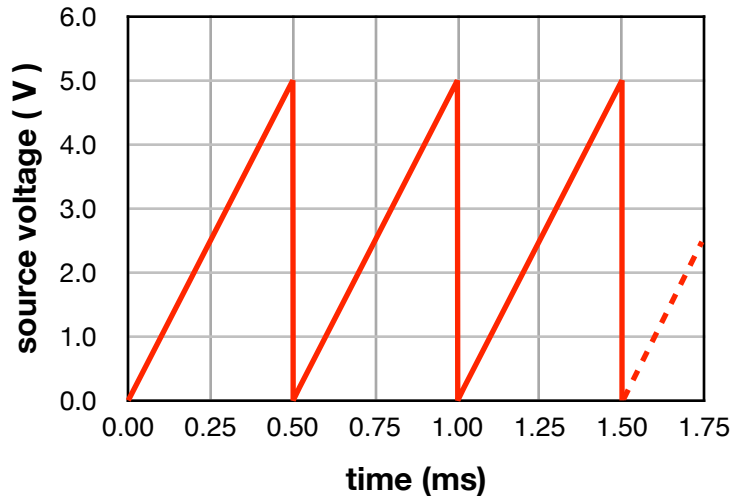
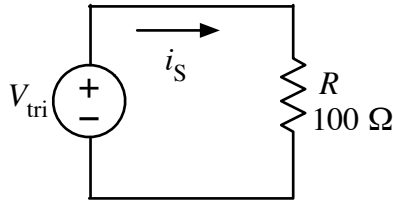


A “ramp” voltage source is applied to a resistor, as show in the circuit. The voltage source is periodic, with a functional form shown in the graph.



a) Calculate the RMS voltage of the time-varying source. $v_{rms} =$ _____

b) Calculate the average power being dissipated by the resistor. $P_{avg} =$ _____

c) What is the average power if the source voltage ramps *down* from 0 to -5 V during each period?

$P_{avg} =$ _____

d) How does the average power change if the period is increased from 0.5 ms to 2 ms?

$P_{avg} =$ _____