ELEC-E8422 An Introduction to Electric Energy

Homework 2 - Lecture 2 (3-phases system)

A 3-phases source is feeding two parallel connected 3-phase loads. Both loads are wyeconnected. The current of the fist load is 20 A and its power factor is 0,9 leading (capacitive). The current of the second load is 30 A and its power factor is 0,8 lagging (indictive).

- a. Draw the sketch of the 3-phases circuit and its corresponding single-phase equivalent circuit
- b. Calculate the line current of the source.
- c. Calculate the power factor of the whole load (it is not the average of the two 0,5*(0,8+0,9)=0,85!)