

ELI the ICE Man

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ELI the ICE Man, who lives in a cave,
Knows how inductors and capacitors behave.
Determining their phases is his favorite game.
If you ever need help, just call out his name.

The current through inductors lag, you can tell,
Because when you spell "ELI," "I" is after "L."
When you look at "ICE," you will see,
The current of a cap leads; "I" is before "C."

If you spell out his name, "E" is in sight,
But we do not talk about voltage relationships,
It's impolite.