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Prelab2

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Part A: Proportionality

1 For the circuit of Figure 4.1, use PSPICE to generate a plot of (VO) (use differential voltage marker), for a V_{in} sweep from 0 to 15 V in a 1.5V step, use cursors to mark data point at $V_{in} = 5$ and 10 V.

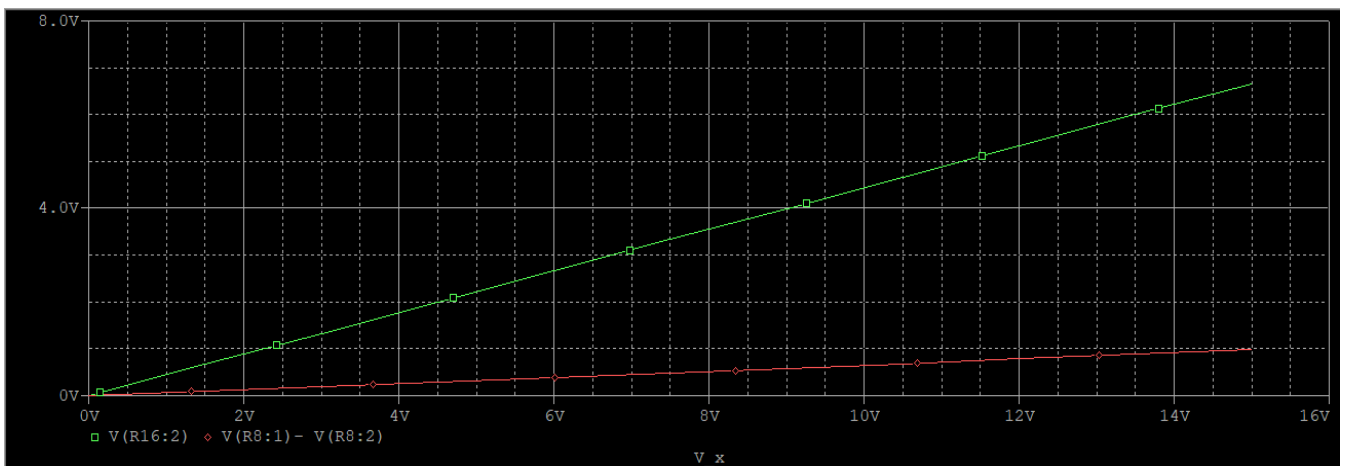
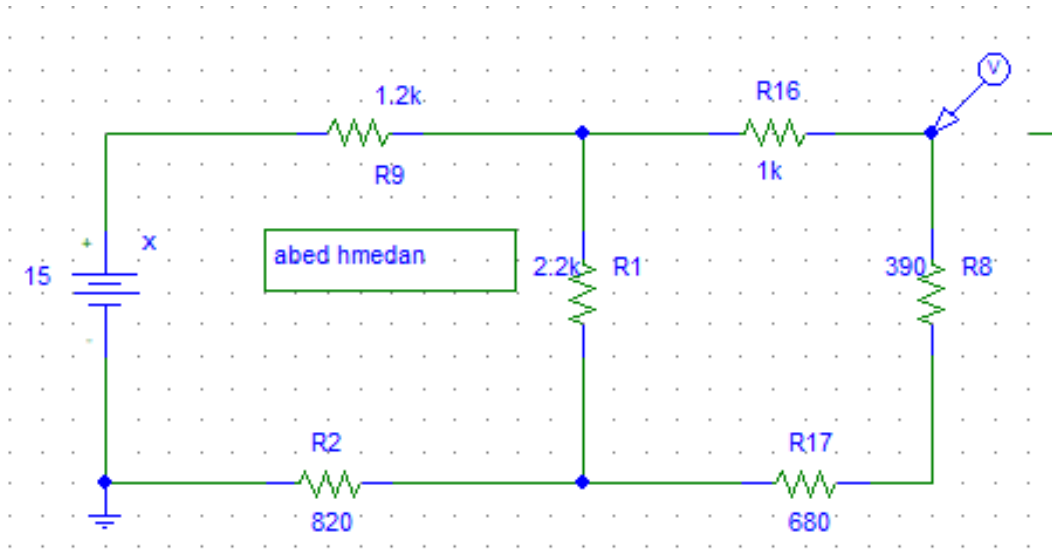


Fig 4.1

Part B: Superposition 1. Use PSPICE to determine the voltages at all nodes and the current in all the branches for the circuits in Figures 4.2 to 4.4.

Fig4.2

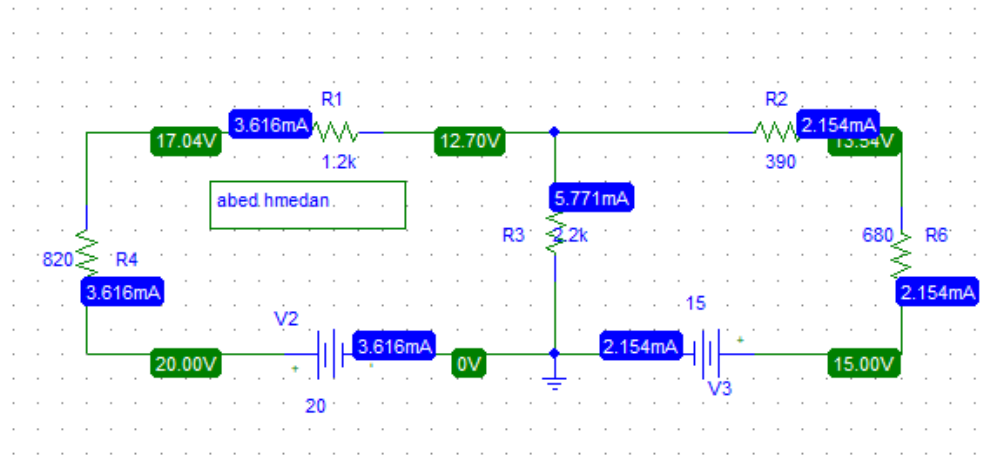
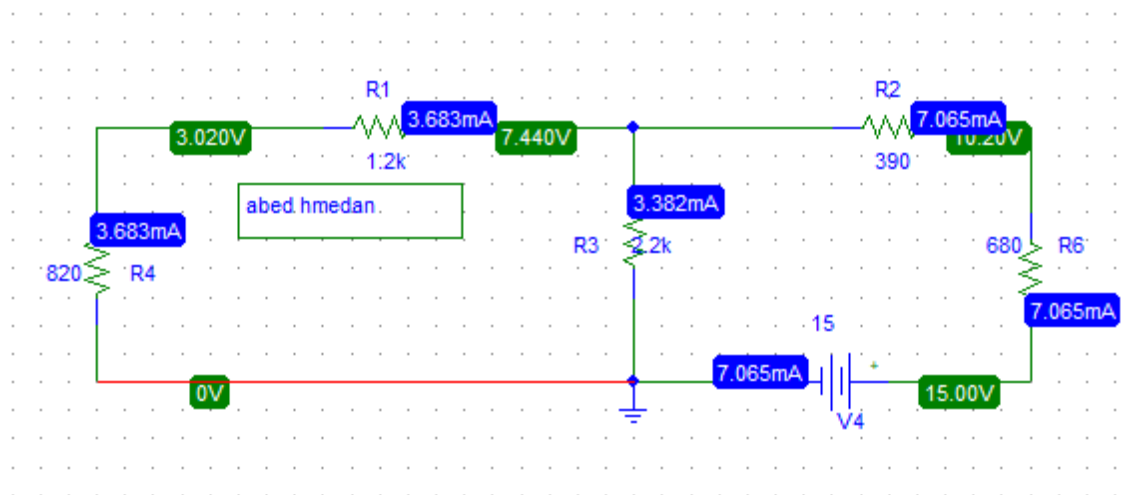
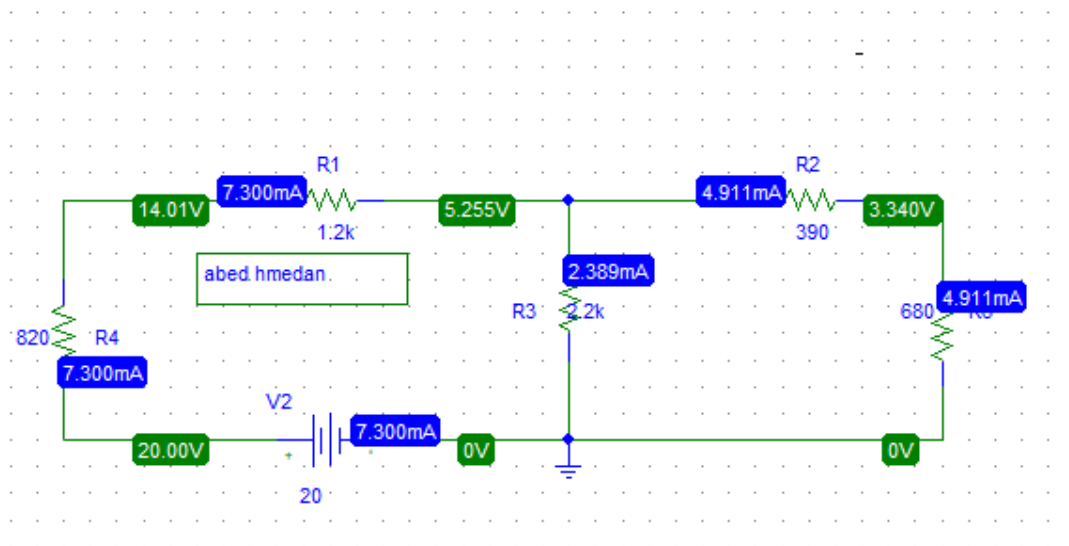


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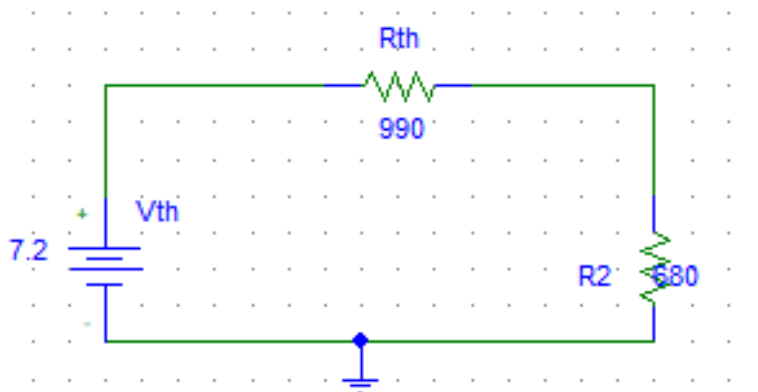


Part C: Thevenin's Theorem

1. Find and draw the Thevenin equivalent with respect to the terminals X, Y for the circuit in Figure 4.5 (Show calculation of $V_{Thevenin}$ and $R_{Thevenin}$).

$$V_{th} = (2.2 / (2.2 + .82)) * 10 = 7.2 \text{ V}$$

$$R_{th} = (820 // 2.2k) + 390 = 990 \text{ ohm}$$



2. Simulate the circuit of Figure 4.5 using PSpice to determine the value of voltage across and current through the 680 Ω resistor

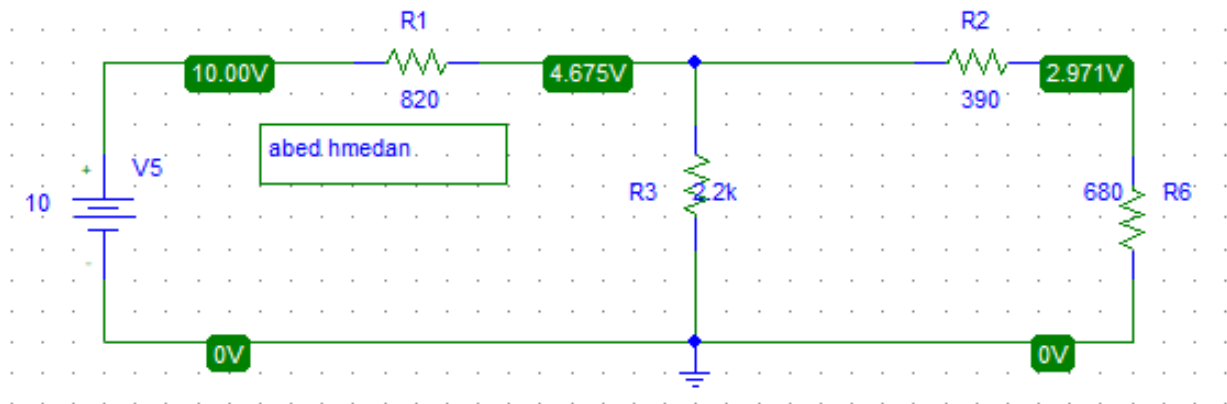
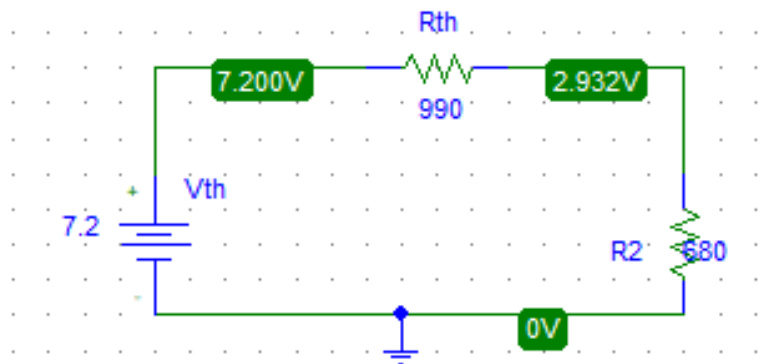


Fig 4.5

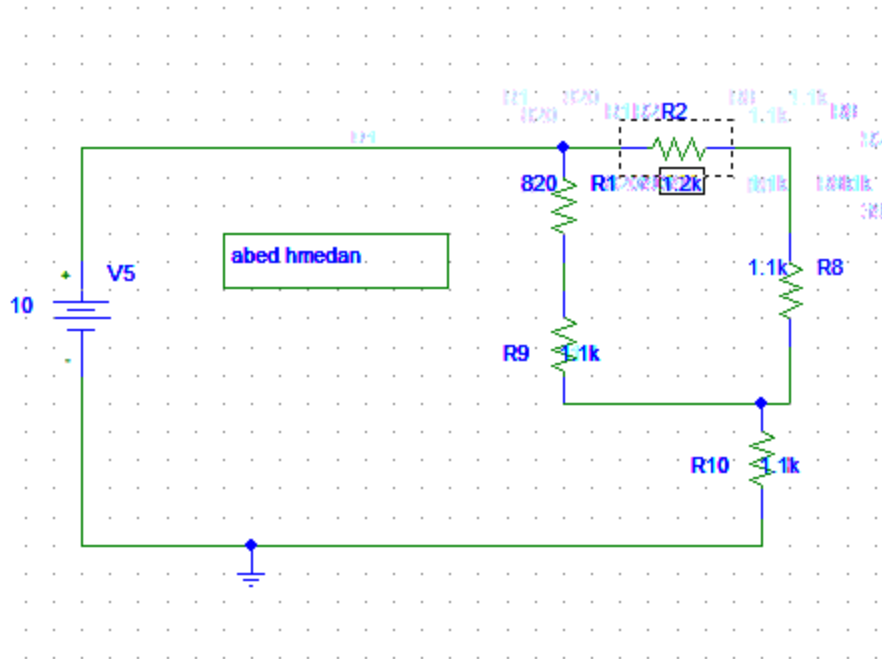
3. Simulate Thevenin equivalent circuit that you found in step 1 shown in Figure 4.7 using PSPICE to determine the value of voltage around and current through the 680 Ω resistor



Part D: Δ-Y Transformation

1. For the circuit of Figure 4.8 calculate the equivalent Y for the Δ formed by the three 3.3kΩ resistors, draw the resulting circuit.

$$R_{y1} = 1/3 * R_{\Delta} = 1.1k$$



2. Simulate the circuit of Figure 4.8 using PSPICE, find the value of the current I , and calculate voltage V_{ab} from simulation results.

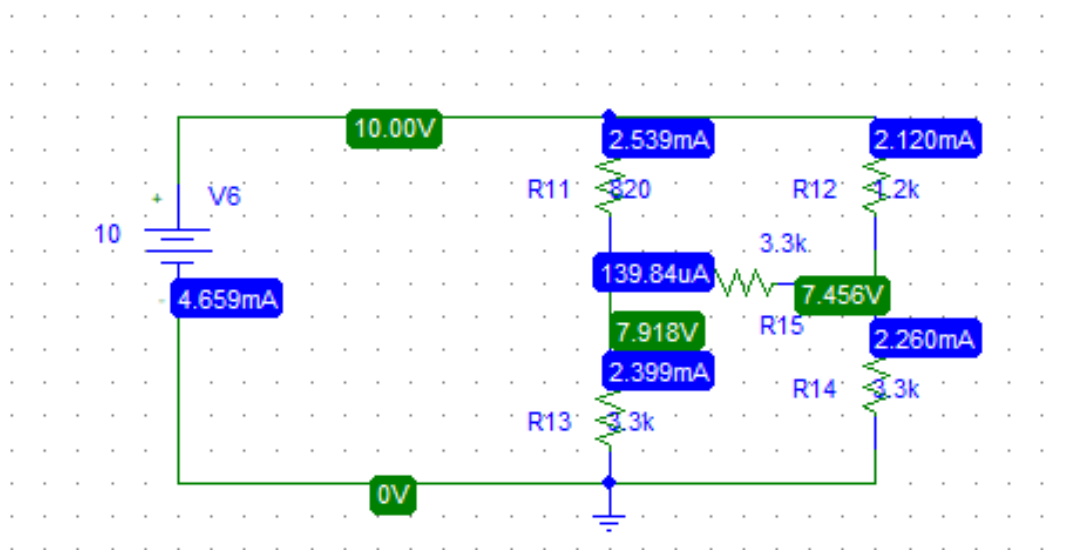
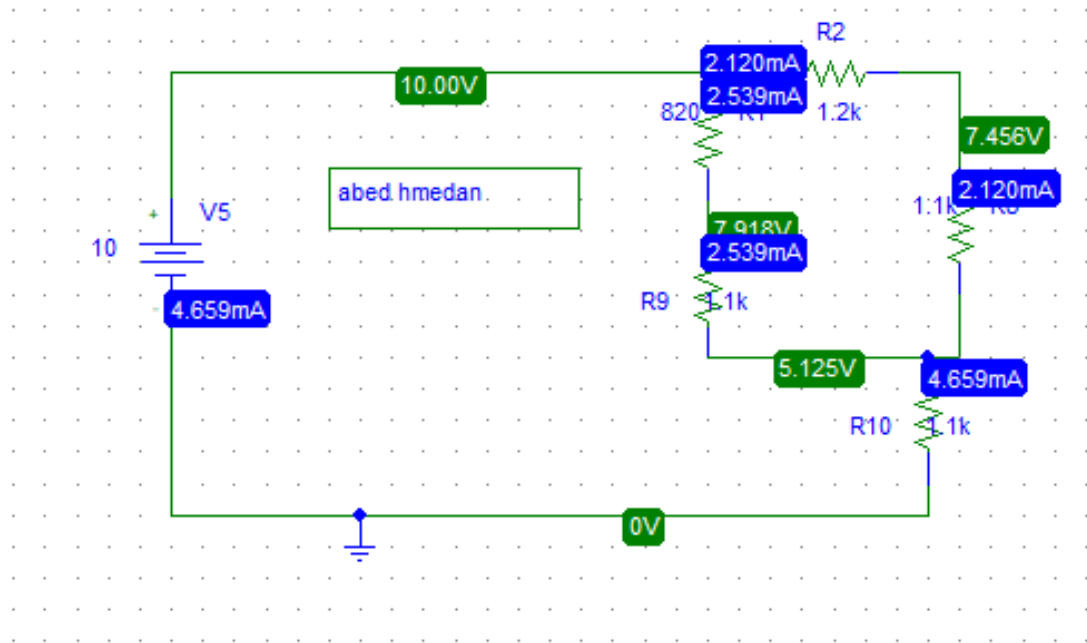


Fig 4.8

$$V_{ab} = 7.918 - 7.456 = .462 \text{ V}$$

$$I = 4.65 \text{ mA}$$

3. Simulate the circuit resulting from replacing the Δ formed by 3.3 k Ω resistors with the equivalent Y found in step 1.



Part E: Reciprocity Theorem 1. Simulate the circuits of Figure 4.9 and Figure 4.10 using PSPICE to find the value of the current (I).

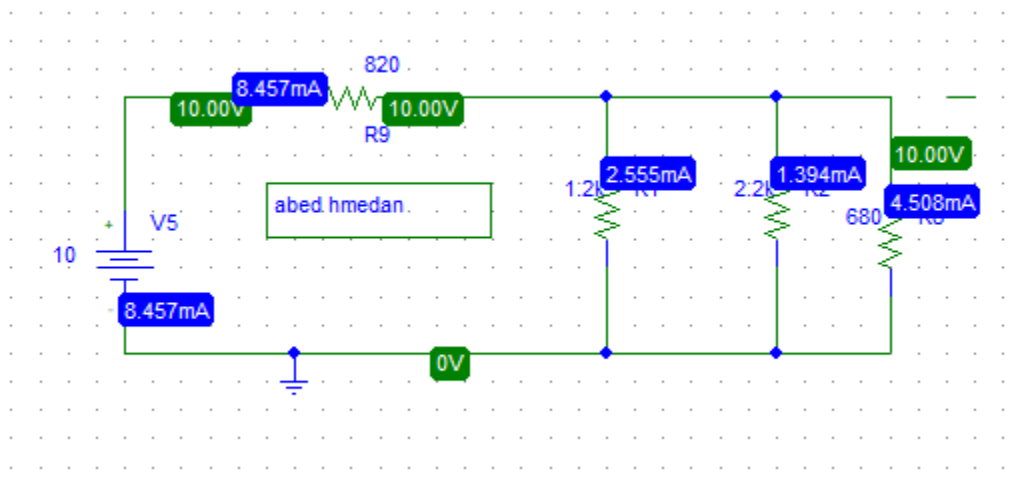


Fig 4.9

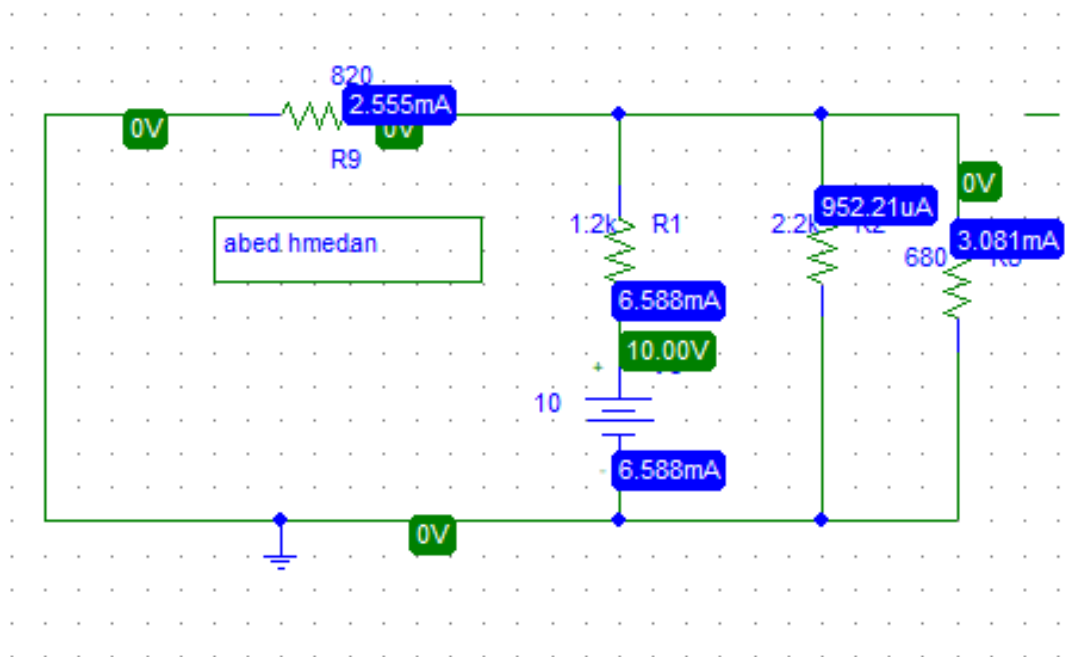


Fig 4.10