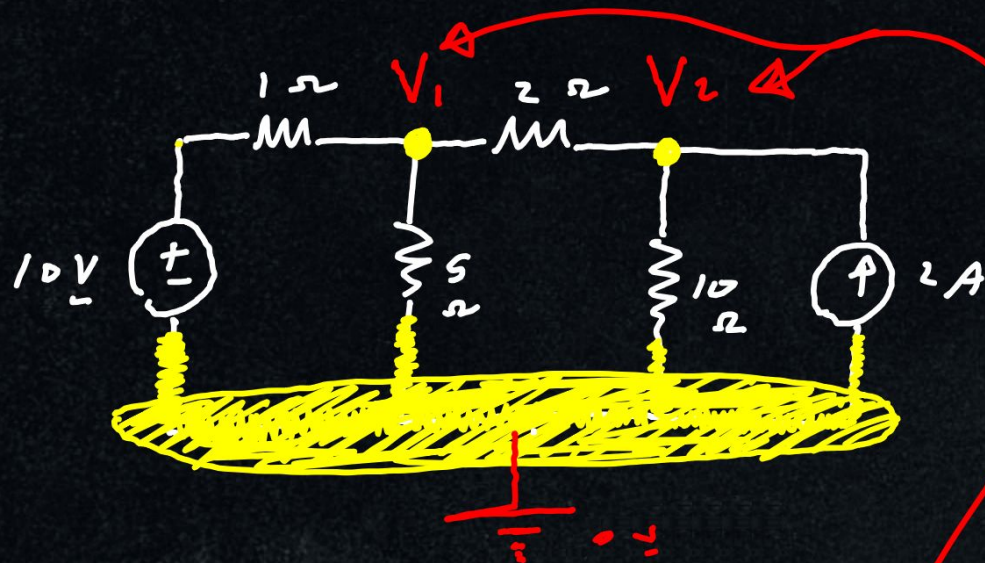


# CH4: Techniques of Circuit Analysis

## ① Node-Voltage Method



step 1: Determine the number of essential nodes,  $n_e$ .

$$n_e = 3$$

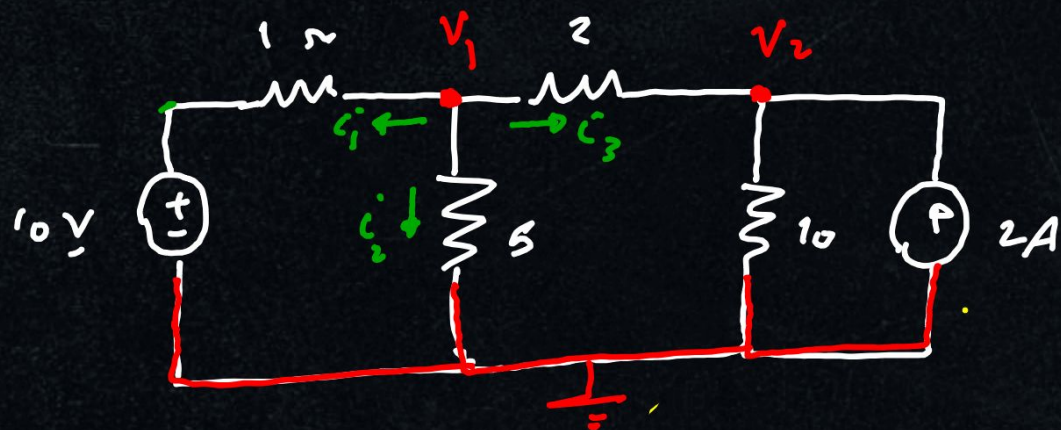
step 2: select one of these nodes as a reference node.

↓     ⊥  
ref    ground  
1, 2, ...    0

(Note: Node with the most branches is usually a good choice)

step 3: Define the node voltages on the circuit

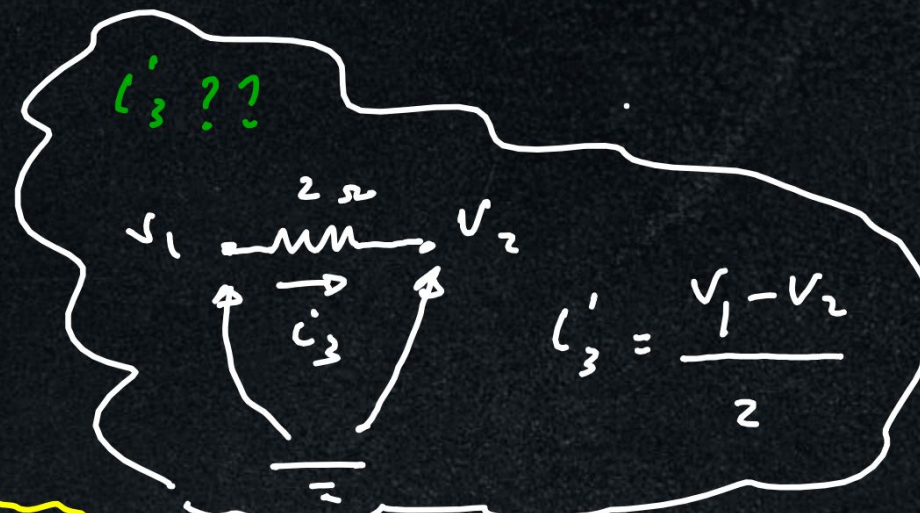
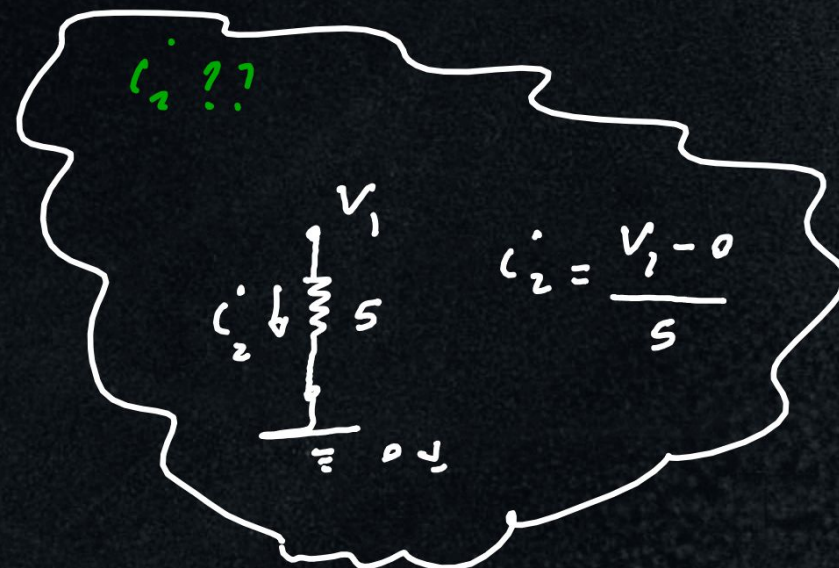
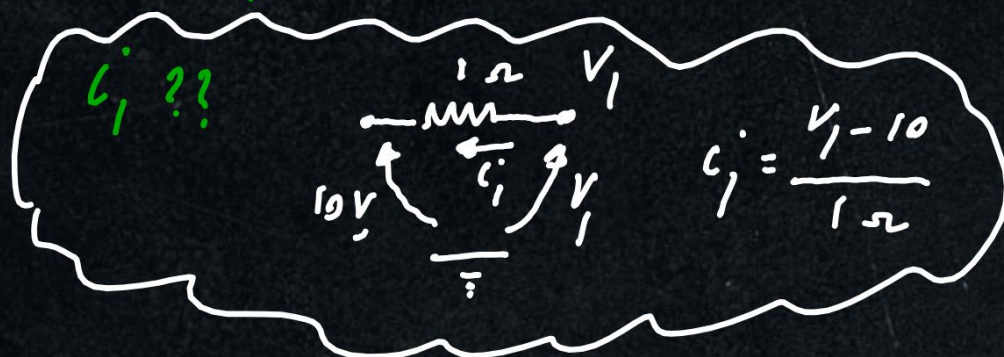




step 4: Apply KCL at each node

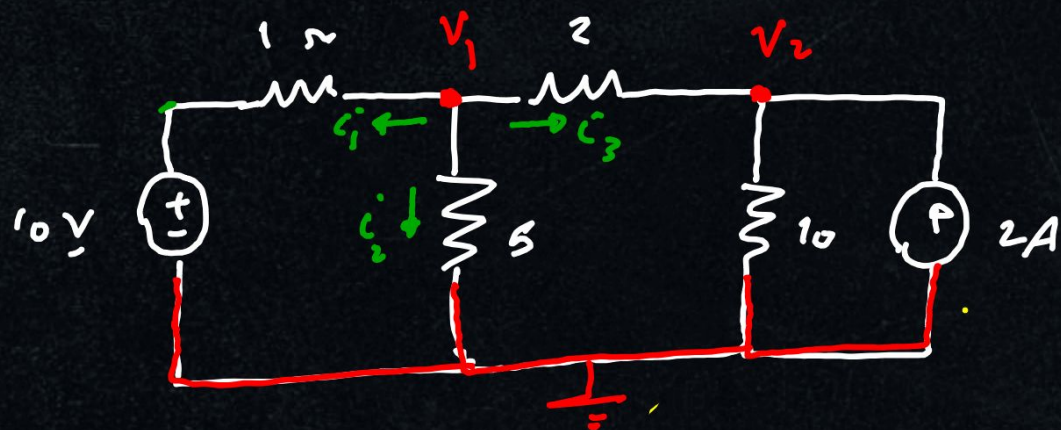
KCL at node  $V_1$ :

$$i_1 + i_2 + i_3 = 0$$



$$\left( \frac{V_1 - 10}{1} \right) + \left( \frac{V_1 - 0}{5} \right) + \left( \frac{V_1 - V_2}{2} \right) = 0 \dots \textcircled{1}$$

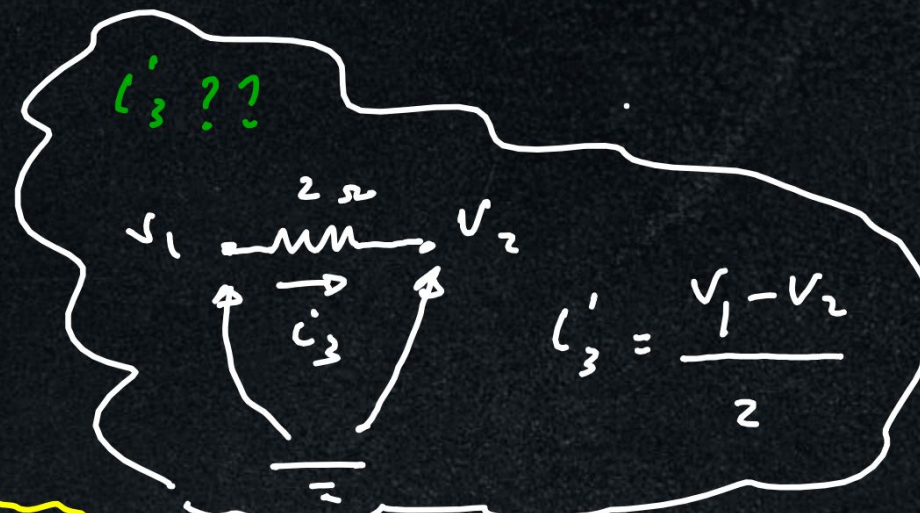
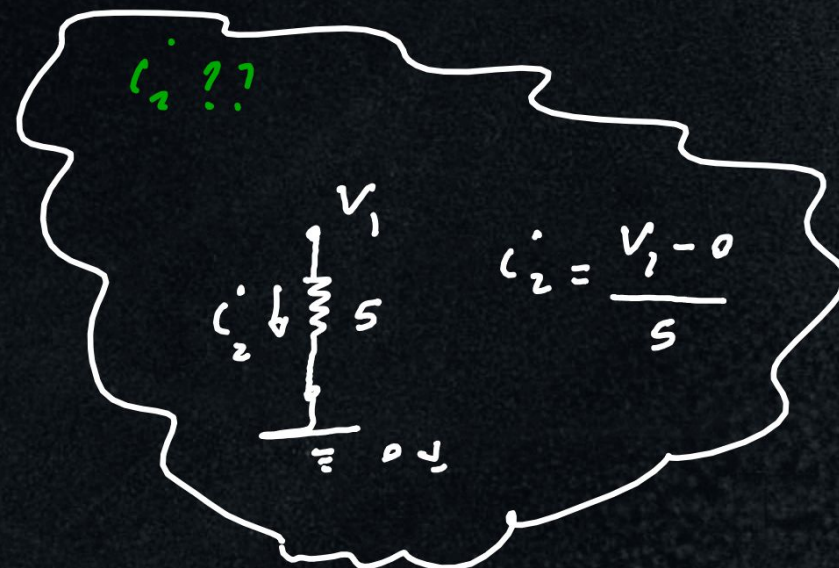
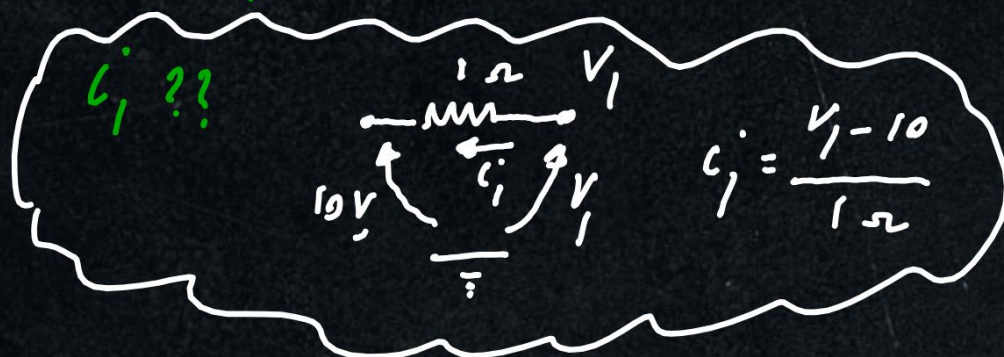




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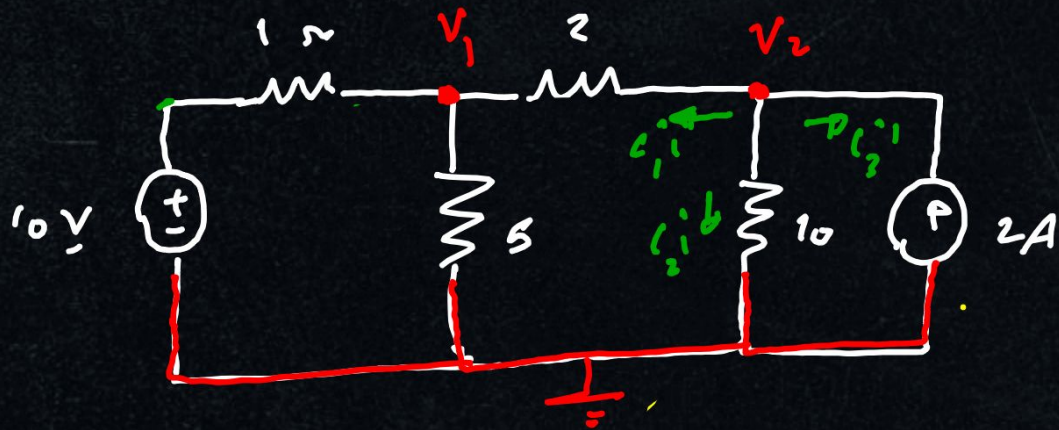
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$$\left( \frac{V_1 - 10}{1} \right) + \left( \frac{V_1 - 0}{5} \right) + \left( \frac{V_1 - V_2}{2} \right) = 0 \dots \textcircled{1}$$





step 4: Apply KCL at each node

KCL at node  $V_2$

$$i_1' + i_2' + i_3' = 0$$

$$\left( \frac{V_2 - V_1}{2} \right) + \left( \frac{V_2 - 0}{10} \right) + (-2) = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

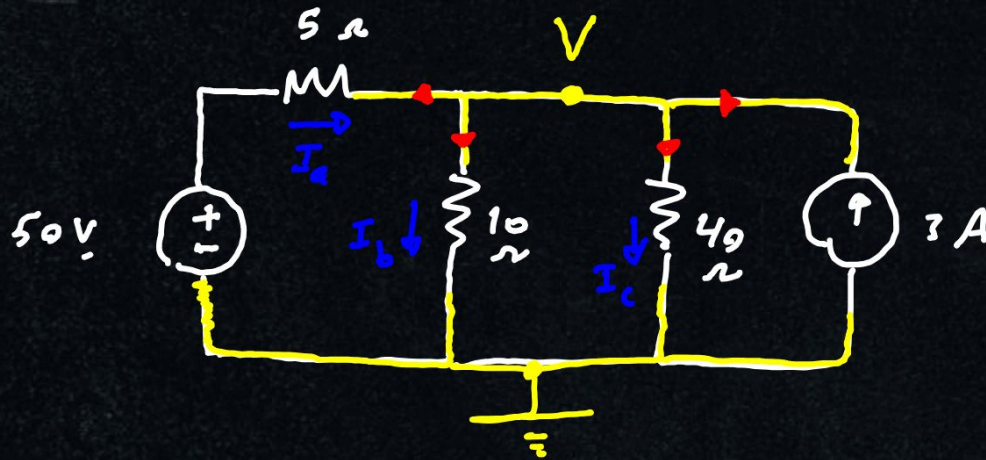
$$\frac{V_1 - 10}{1} + \frac{V_1 - 0}{5} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{2} = 0$$

$$\frac{V_2 - V_1}{2} + \frac{V_2 - 0}{10} + (-2) = 0$$

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} V_1 &= 9.09 \text{ V} \\ V_2 &= 10.91 \text{ V} \end{aligned}}$$



EX : Find  $I_a$ ,  $I_b$ , &  $I_c$  using Node-Voltage method



KCL at  $V$  :-

$$\left( \frac{V-50}{5} \right) + \left( \frac{V-0}{10} \right) + \left( \frac{V-0}{40} \right) + (-3) = 0$$

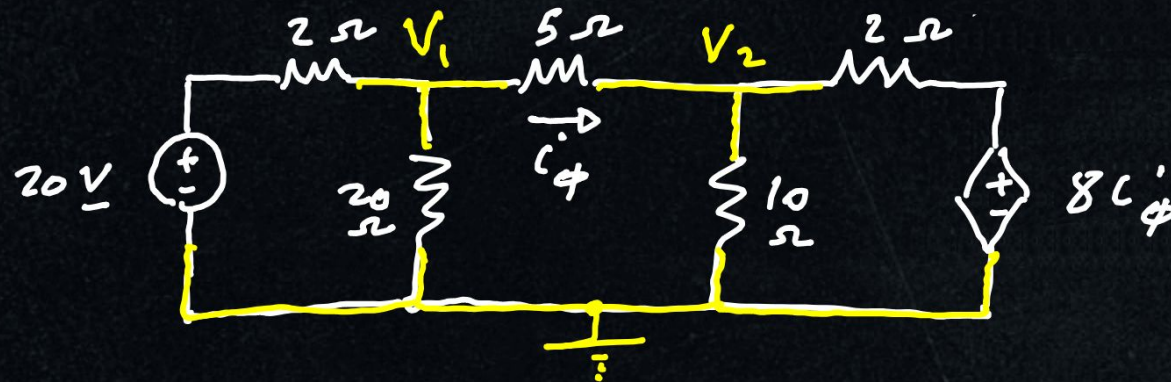
$$8V - 400 + 4V + V = 120$$

$$V = 40 \text{ V}$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_a &= \frac{50-V}{5} = 2 \text{ A} \\ I_b &= \frac{V-0}{10} = 4 \text{ A} \\ I_c &= \frac{V-0}{40} = 1 \text{ A} \end{aligned}$$



EX



$$P = i_{\phi}^2 (5) \\ = (1.2)^2 (5) \\ = \boxed{7.2 \text{ W}}$$

Find the power absorbed by the  $5 \Omega$  resistor?

"Using Node voltage method"

$$\left( \frac{V_1 - 20}{2} \right) + \left( \frac{V_1 - 0}{20} \right) + \left( \frac{V_1 - V_2}{5} \right) = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\left( \frac{V_2 - V_1}{5} \right) + \left( \frac{V_2 - 0}{10} \right) + \left( \frac{V_2 - 8i_{\phi}}{2} \right) = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$i_{\phi} = \frac{V_1 - V_2}{5} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

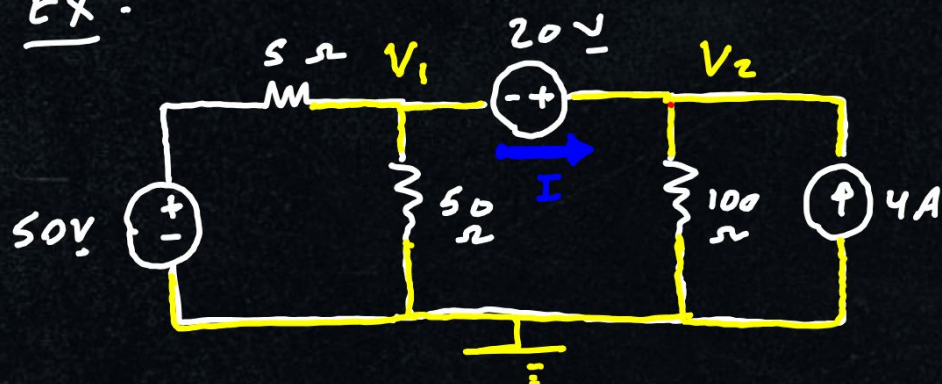
$$V_1 = 16 \text{ V}$$

$$V_2 = 10 \text{ V}$$

$$i_{\phi} = 1.2 \text{ A}$$



EX:



Solve for  $V_1$  &  $V_2$

using equations (3) & (4)

$$V_1 = 60 \text{ V}$$

$$V_2 = 80 \text{ V}$$

$$\frac{V_1 - 50}{5} + \frac{V_1 - 0}{50} + \cancel{I} = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

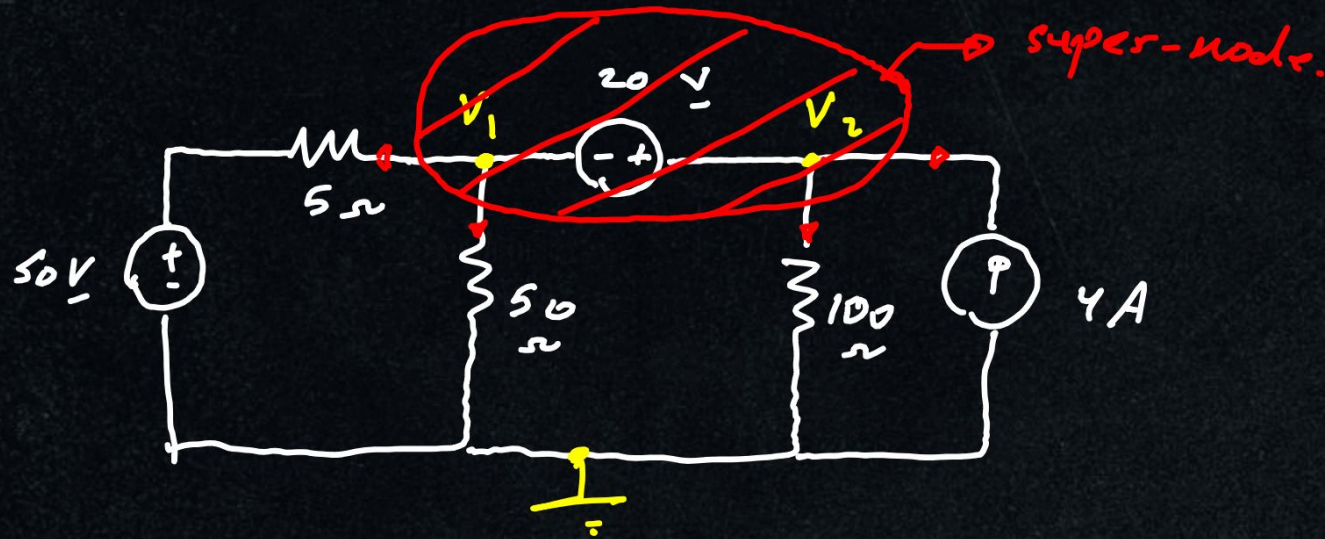
$$\cancel{-I} + \frac{V_2 - 0}{100} + (-4) = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{V_1 - 50}{5} + \frac{V_1}{50} + \frac{V_2}{100} + (-4) = 0} \quad \text{--- (3) = (1) + (2)}$$

$$\boxed{V_2 - V_1 = 20 \text{ V}} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$



When a voltage source is between two essential nodes, we can combine these nodes to form a super-node.



KCL at super-node :-

$$\frac{V_1 - 50}{5} + \frac{V_1 - 0}{50} + \frac{V_2 - 0}{100} + (-4) = 0$$

$$V_2 - V_1 = 20$$

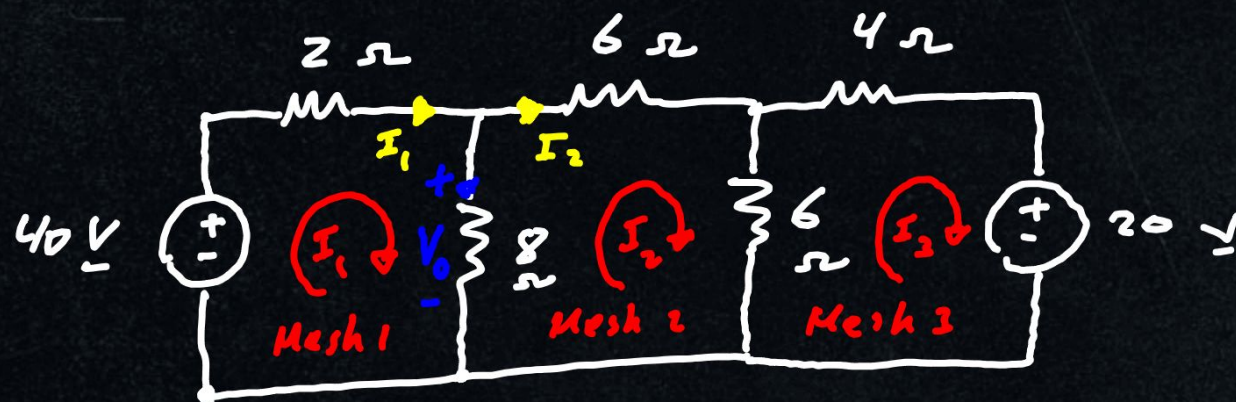
solve for  $V_1$  &  $V_2$

$$V_1 = 60 \text{ V}$$

$$V_2 = 80 \text{ V}$$



## ② Mesh-current method



KVL in mesh 1 :-

$$-40 + 2I_1 + 8(I_1 - I_2) = 0 \quad \dots\dots ①$$

KVL in mesh 2 :-

$$8(I_2 - I_1) + 6I_2 + 6(I_2 - I_3) = 0 \quad \dots\dots ②$$

KVL in mesh 3 :-

$$6(I_3 - I_2) + 4I_3 + 20 = 0 \quad \dots\dots ③$$

By solving ①, ②, + ③

$$I_1 = 5.6 \text{ A}$$

$$I_2 = 2 \text{ A}$$

$$I_3 = -0.8 \text{ A}$$

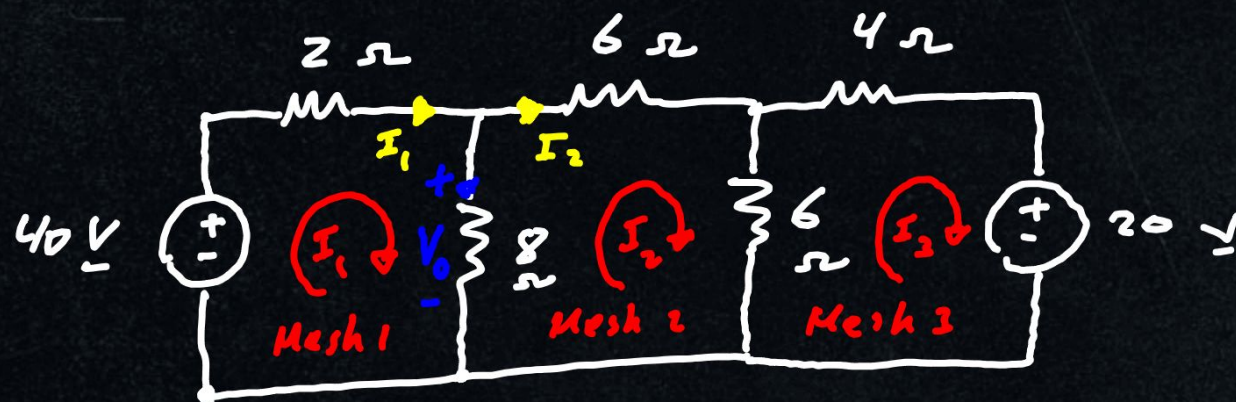
Find  $V_0$  using mesh-current method :-

$$V_0 = 8(I_1 - I_2)$$

$$= \boxed{28.8} \text{ V}$$



## ② Mesh-current method



KVL in mesh 1 :-

$$-40 + 2I_1 + 8(I_1 - I_2) = 0 \quad \dots\dots ①$$

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KVL in mesh 3 :-

$$6(I_3 - I_2) + 4I_3 + 20 = 0 \quad \dots\dots ③$$

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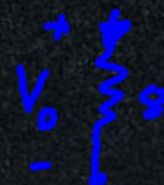
$$I_2 = 2 \text{ A}$$

$$I_3 = -0.8 \text{ A}$$

Find  $V_0$  using mesh-current method :-

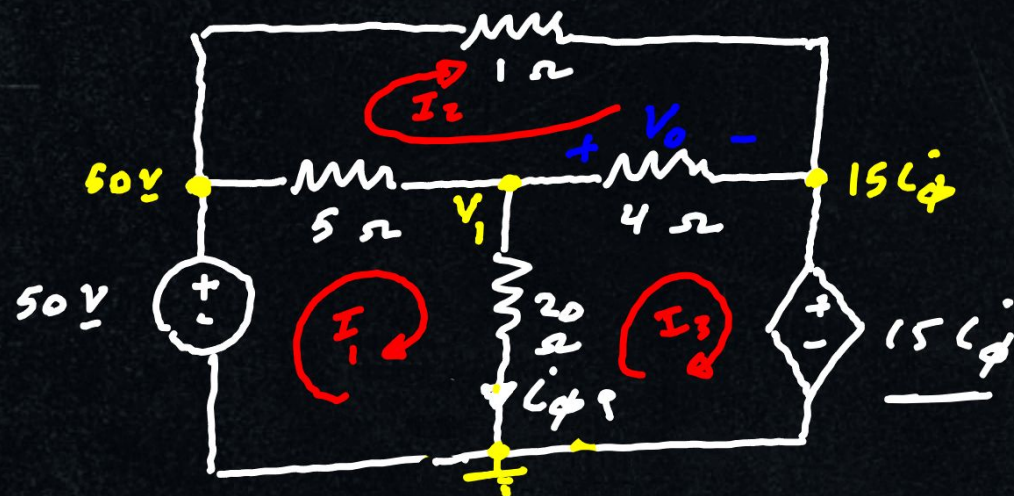
$$V_0 = 8(I_1 - I_2)$$

$$= \boxed{28.8} \text{ V}$$





EX: Find  $V_o$  using Mesh-current method :-



$$\begin{aligned} -50 + 5(I_1 - I_2) + 20(I_1 - I_3) &= 0 \\ 1I_2 + 4(I_2 - I_3) + 5(I_2 - I_1) &= 0 \\ 20(I_3 - I_1) + 4(I_3 - I_2) + 15I_\phi &= 0 \\ I_\phi &= I_1 - I_3 \end{aligned}$$

Node-voltage method

$$\frac{V_1 - 50}{5} + \frac{V_1}{20} + \frac{V_1 - 15I_\phi}{4} = 0$$

$$I_\phi = \frac{V_1}{20}$$

Find  $V_1$  &  $V_o = V_1 - 15I_\phi$   
 $I_\phi$

solve for  $I_2$  &  $I_3$

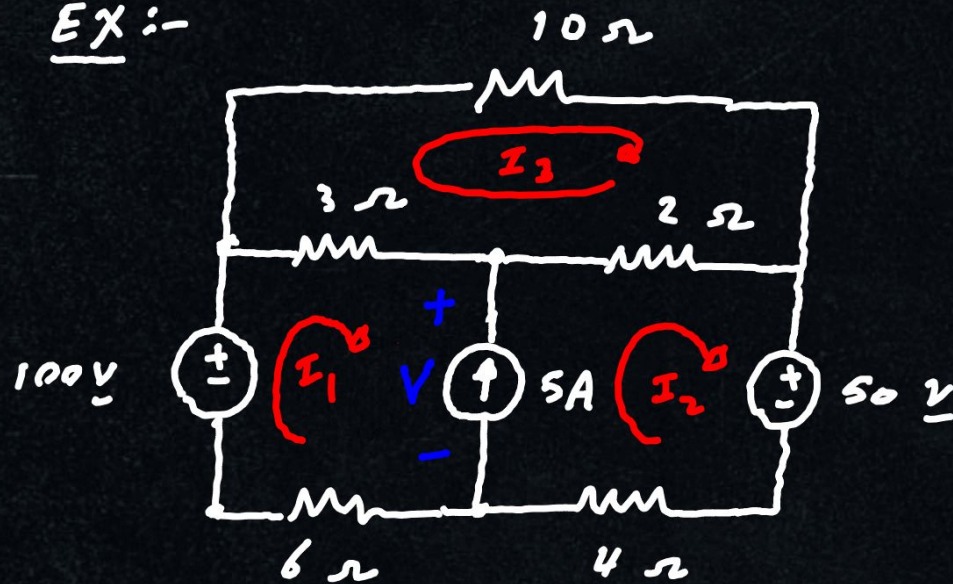
$$I_2 = 26 \text{ A}$$

$$I_3 = 28 \text{ A}$$

$$V_o = 4(I_3 - I_2) = \boxed{8 \text{ V}}$$



EX:-



Mesh: It is a loop with no loops inside it

$$\left. \begin{aligned} -100 + 3(I_1 - I_3) + V + 6I_1 &= 0 \\ -V + 2(I_2 - I_3) + 50 + 4I_2 &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} -100 + 3(I_1 - I_3) + 6I_1 + 2(I_2 - I_3) \\ + 50 + 4I_2 &= 0 \quad \text{--- (1)} \end{aligned}$$

$$10I_3 + 2(I_3 - I_2) + 3(I_3 - I_1) = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$5 = I_2 - I_1 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

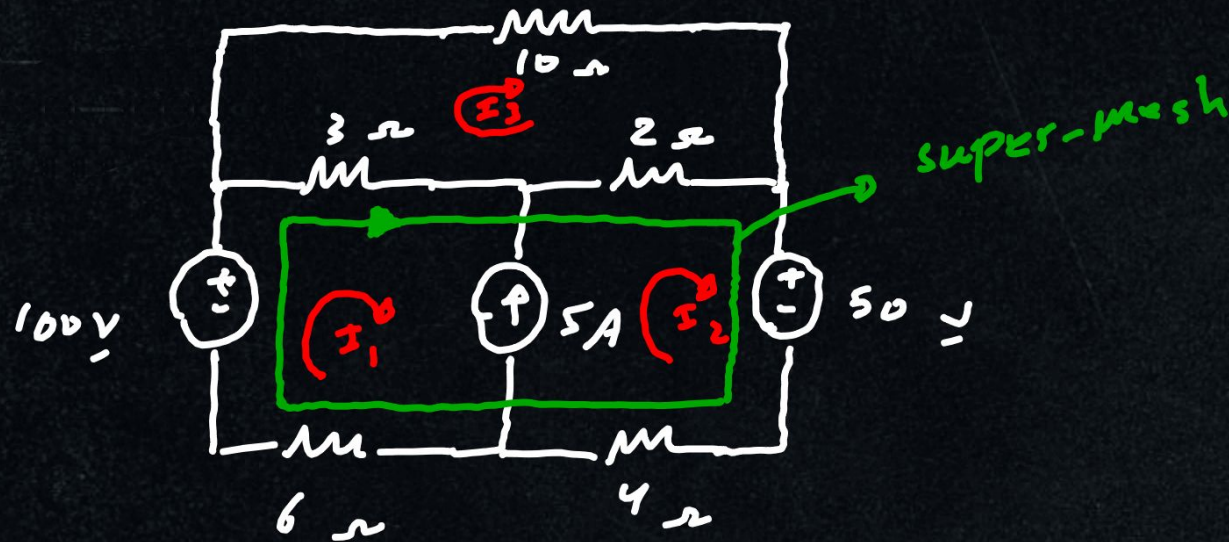
$$I_1 = 1.75 \text{ A}$$

$$I_2 = 6.75 \text{ A}$$

$$I_3 = 1.25 \text{ A}$$



## The concept of supermesh



$$-100 + 3(I_1 - I_3) + 2(I_2 - I_3) + 50 + 4I_2 + 6I_1 = 0 \quad \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$I_2 - I_1 = 5A \quad \dots \textcircled{2}$$

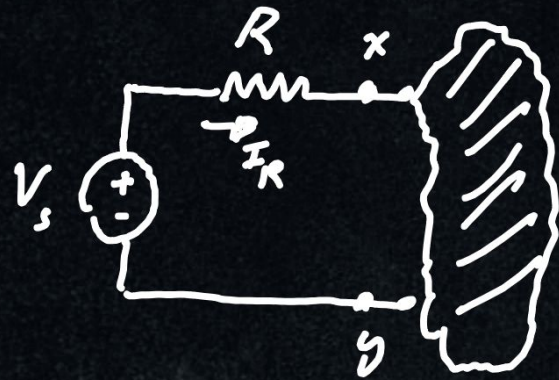
$$10I_3 + 2(I_3 - I_2) + 3(I_3 - I_1) = 0 \quad \dots \textcircled{3}$$

$$I_1 = 1.75A, \quad I_2 = 6.75A, \quad \text{and} \quad I_3 = 1.25A$$

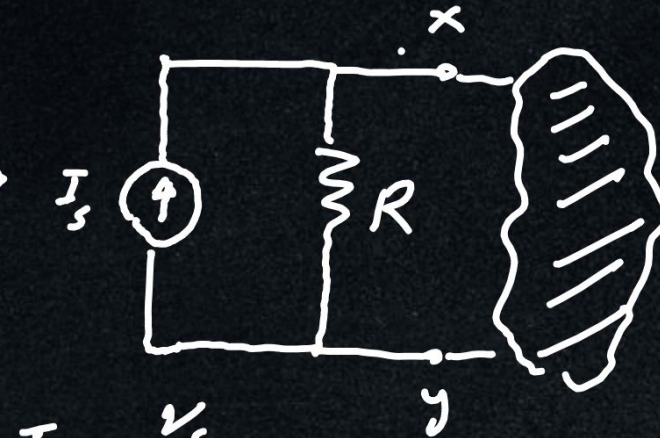


### ③ Source Transformation

It allows a voltage source in series with a resistor to be replaced by a current source in parallel with the same resistor.



$\Leftrightarrow$



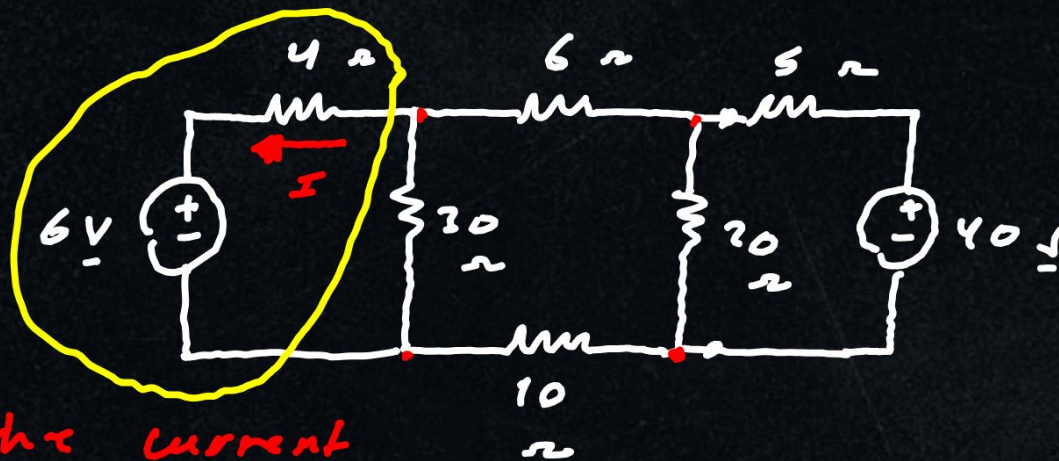
$$I_s = \frac{V_s}{R}$$

$$V_s = R I_R + V_{xy} \quad \text{KVL}$$

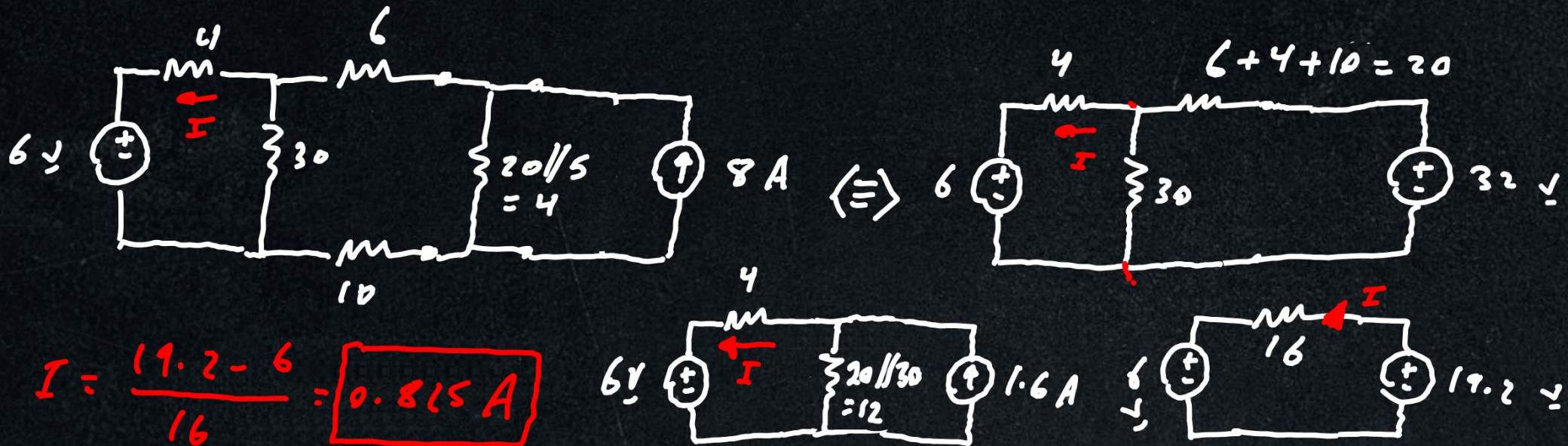
$$\frac{V_s}{R} = I_R + \frac{V_{xy}}{R} \quad \text{KCL}$$



EX:-



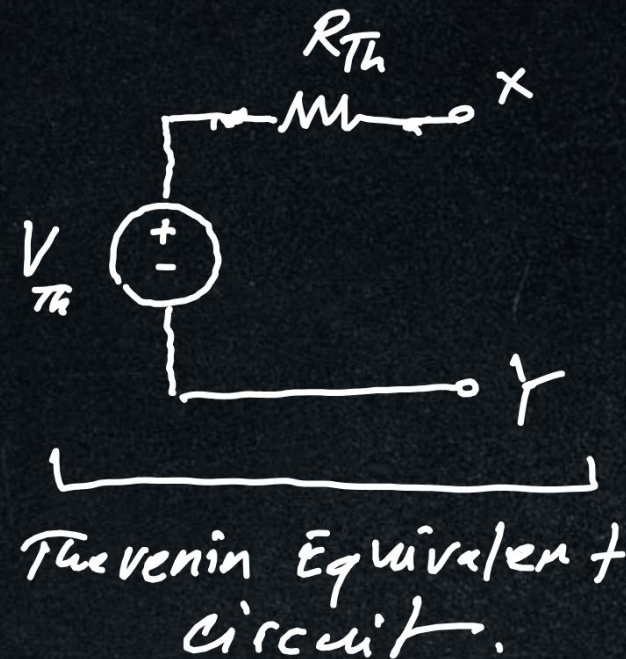
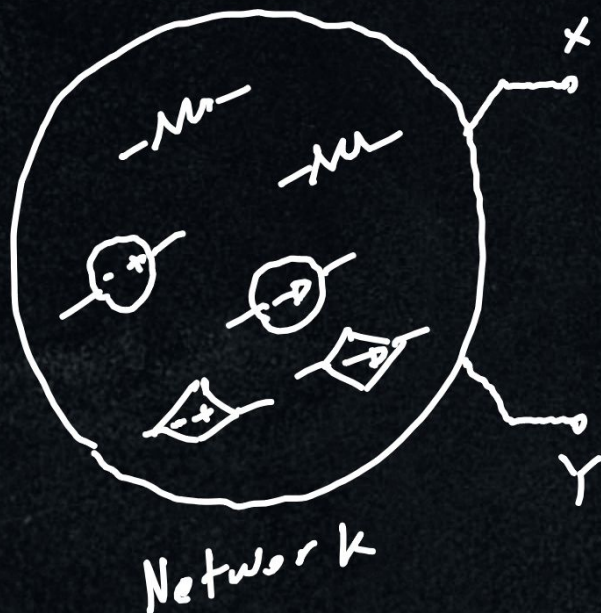
Find the current  
I in the circuit  
using source transformation  
method.





#### ④ Thevenin Method

Thevenin Equivalent circuit: It is an independent voltage source ( $V_{Th}$ ) in series with a resistor ( $R_{Th}$ ) which replace an interconnection of sources + resistors





# Methods to find the Thevenin equivalent circuit

## Method 1

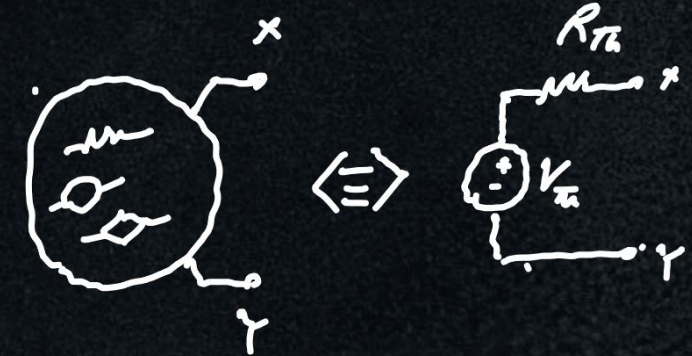
step 1: calculate the open-circuit voltage across the terminals

$x, y$



$V_{oc}$ : open-circuit voltage

$$\Rightarrow V_{oc} = V_{Th}$$



A diagram showing a resistor  $R$  connected between terminals  $a$  and  $b$ . Below it, the current  $I$  is given by the equation:

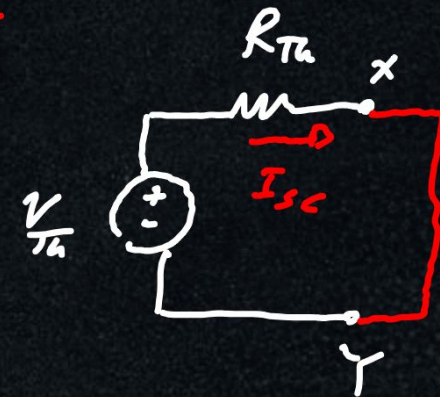
$$I = 0 = \frac{V_a - V_b}{R}$$



step 2: calculate the short circuit current  
between the terminals X & Y.



$I_{sc}$ : short-circuit current.



$$I_{sc} = \frac{V_{th}}{R_{th}}$$

step 3: calculate  $R_{th}$

$$R_{th} = \frac{(V_{th} = V_{oc})}{I_{sc}}$$

← step 1

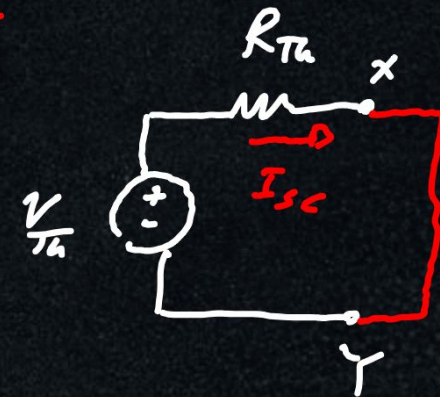
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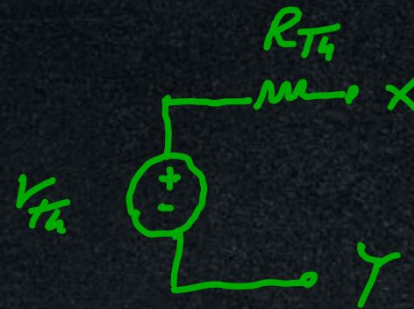
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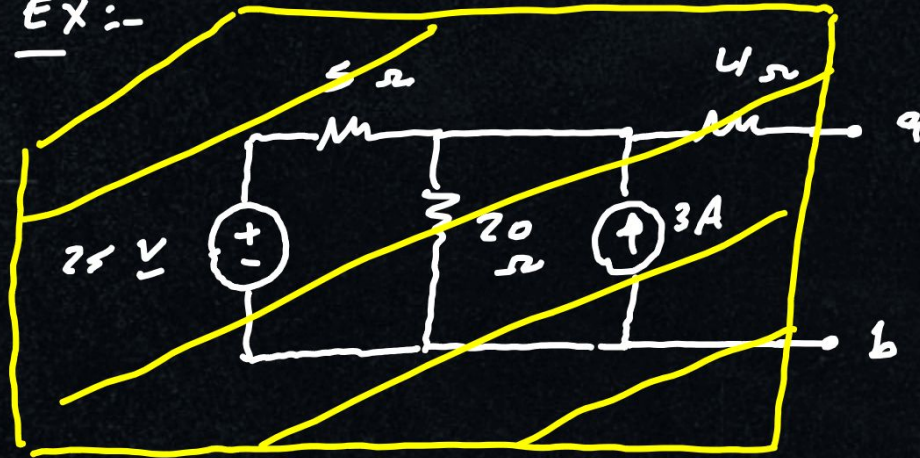
← step 1

$I_{sc}$  ← step 2

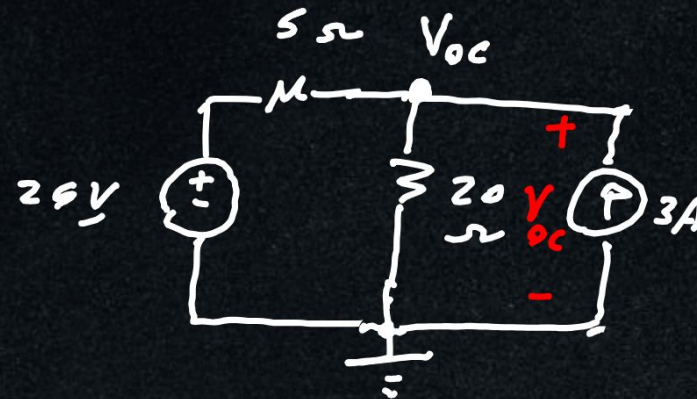
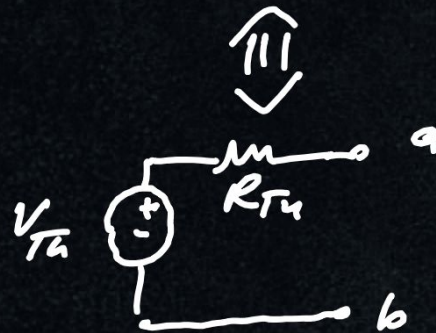




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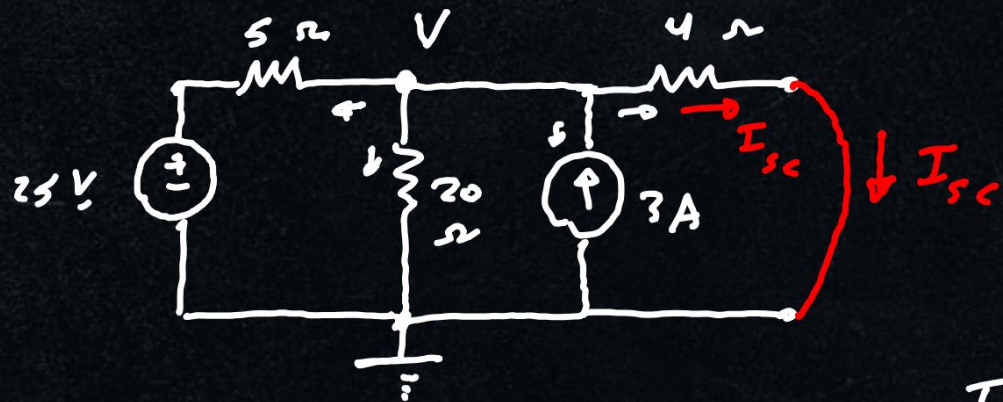
Find the Thevenin equivalent circuit across  $a b$ .



KCL at  $V_{OC}$  :

$$\frac{V_{OC} - 25}{5} + \frac{V_{OC}}{20} - 3 = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{V_{OC} = V_{TH} = 32 \text{ V}}$$



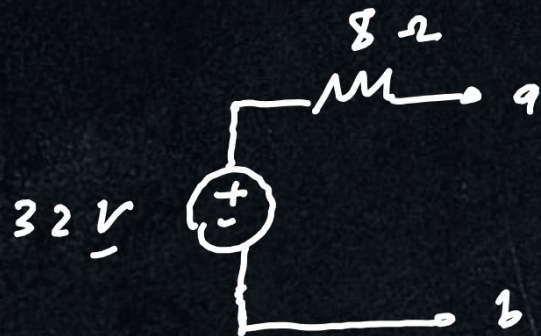


$$\frac{V - 25}{5} + \frac{V}{20} - 3 + \frac{V}{4} = 0$$

$$V = 16 \text{ V}$$

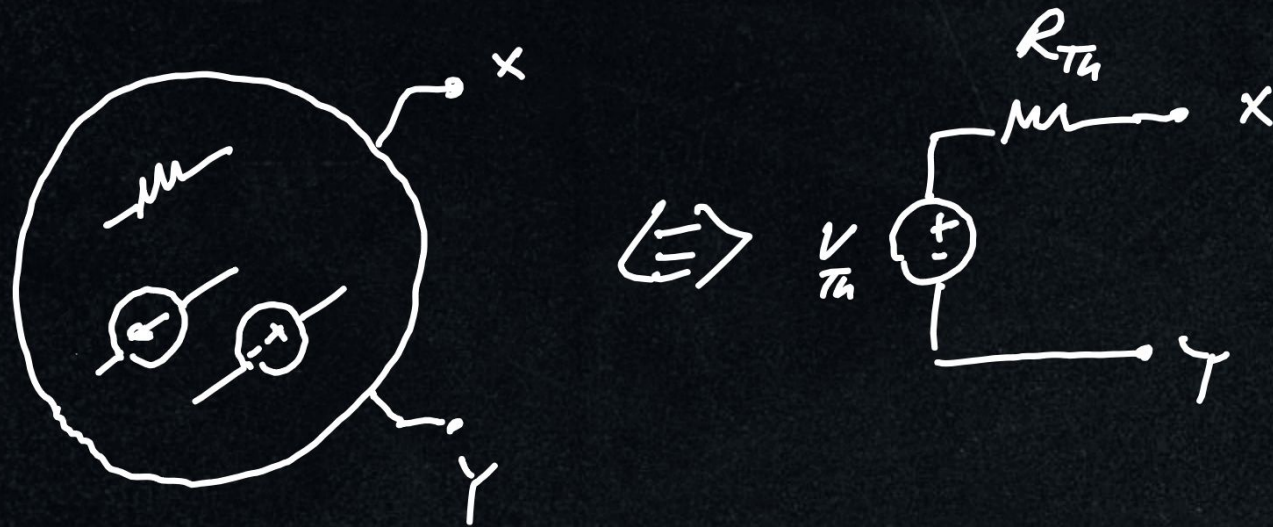
$$I_{sc} = \frac{V}{4} = \frac{16}{4} = 4 \text{ A.}$$

$$R_{Th} = \frac{V_{Th}}{I_{sc}} = \frac{32}{4} = 8 \Omega$$

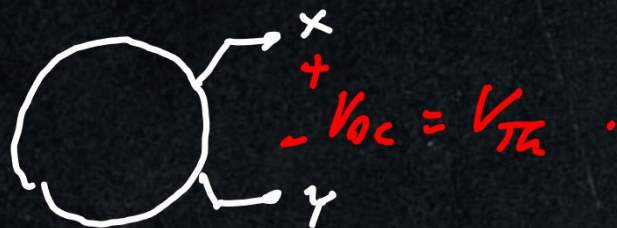




Method 2 :- It is useful if the network contains only indep. sources and resistors

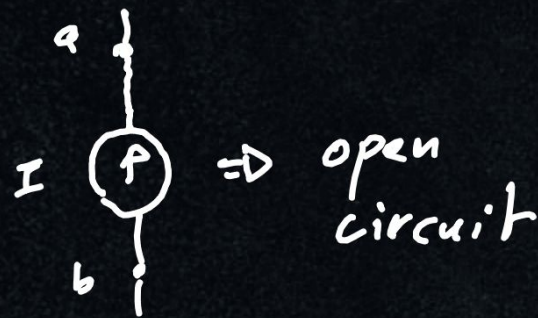
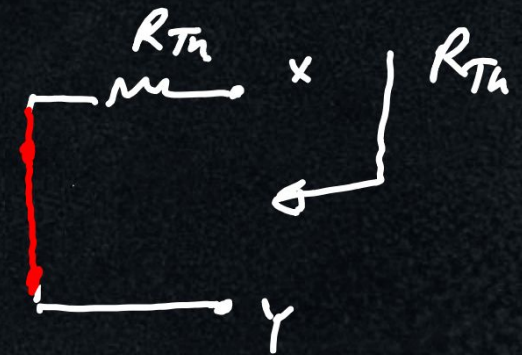
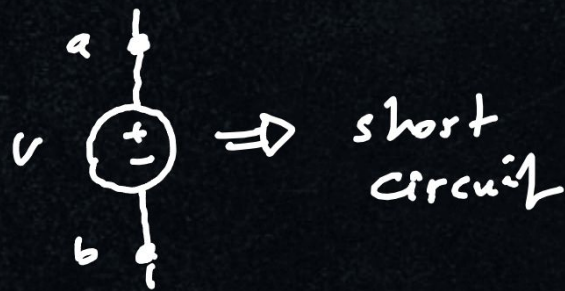


step 1: calculate the open circuit voltage across the terminals x & y





step 2: Kill all indep. sources in the circuit



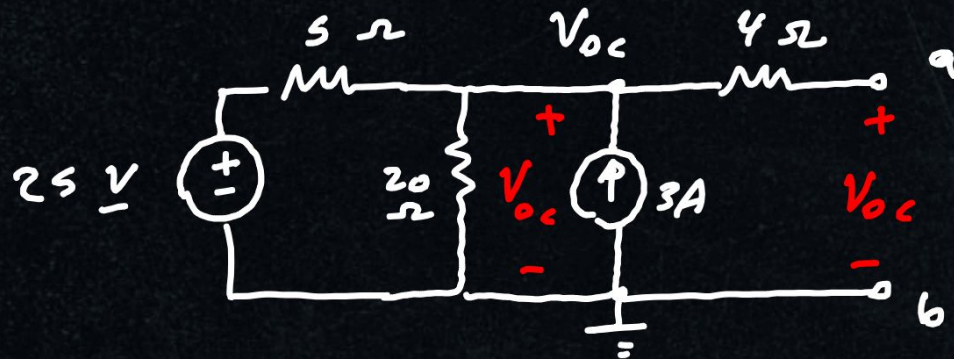
step 3:- Calculate the resistance seen at terminals  
x & y



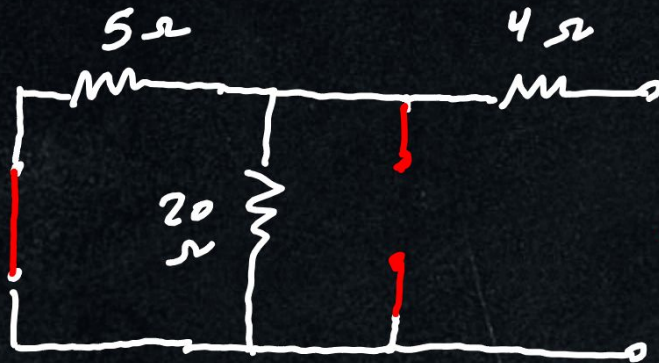
$$R_{eq} = R_{Th}$$



Find the Thevenin Equivalent circuit across the terminals a b



$$\frac{V_{oc} - 25}{5} + \frac{V_{oc}}{20} - 3 = 0 \Rightarrow V_{Th} = V_{oc} = 32 \text{ V}$$

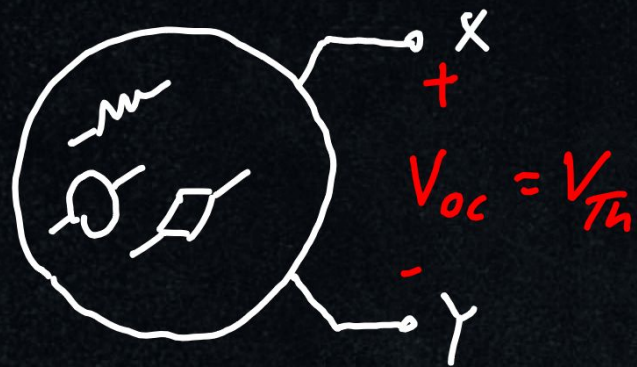


$$R_{Th} = [5 \parallel 20] + 4 = 8 \Omega$$



Method 3 :- It is useful if the circuit contains dep. sources

step 1: calculate the open circuit voltage across  $x+y$



step 2: Kill all indep. sources in the circuit





step 3 :- Apply a test source on the terminals  $X$   $Y$ .

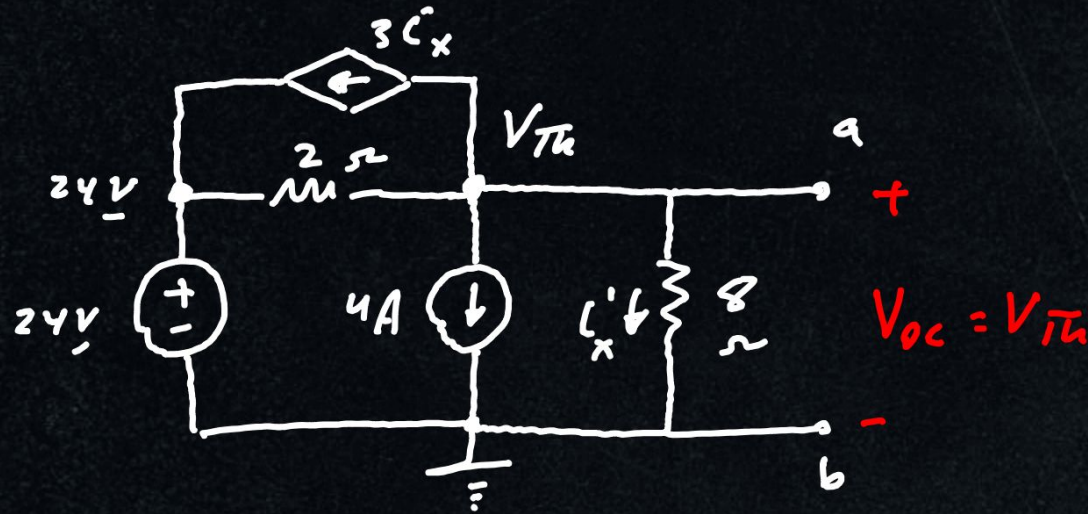


step 4: Calculate  $R_{Th}$ .

$$R_{Th} = \frac{V_T}{I_T}$$



EX:- Find the Thevenin equivalent circuit with respect to terminals a b



KCL at  $V_{Th}$ :

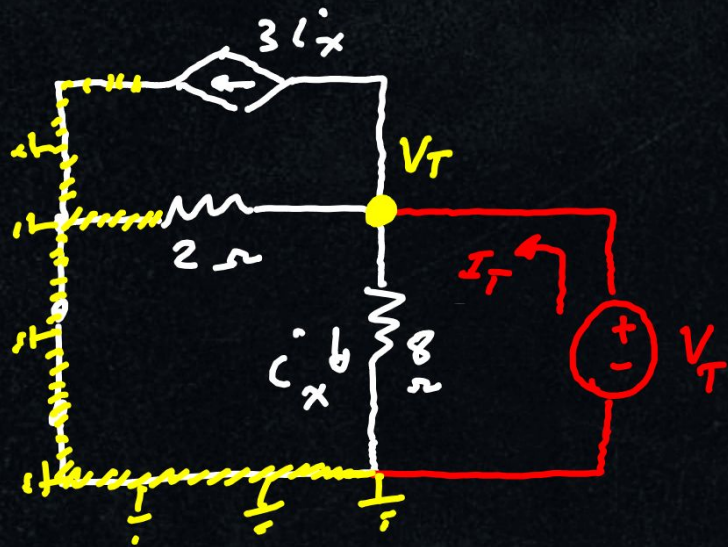
$$3I_x + 4 + \frac{V_{Th}}{8} + \frac{V_{Th} - 24}{2} = 0$$

$$I_x = \frac{V_{Th}}{8}$$

$$\frac{3}{8} V_{Th} + 4 + \frac{V_{Th}}{8} + \frac{V_{Th}}{2} - 12 = 0$$

$$V_{Th} = 8 \text{ V}$$





KCL at  $V_T$

$$-I_T + \frac{V_T}{8} + \frac{V_T}{2} + 3i_x = 0$$

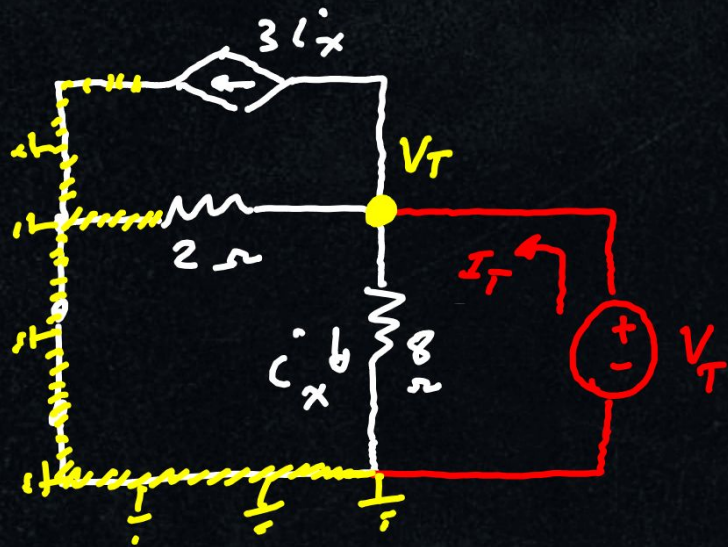
$$i_x = \frac{V_T}{8}$$

$$-I_T + \frac{V_T}{8} + \frac{V_T}{2} + \frac{3}{8} V_T = 0$$

$$-I_T + V_T = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{V_T}{I_T} = 1$$

$$R_{Th} = \frac{V_T}{I_T} = 1\ \Omega$$





KCL at  $V_T$

$$-I_T + \frac{V_T}{8} + \frac{V_T}{2} + 3i_x = 0$$

$$i_x = \frac{V_T}{8}$$

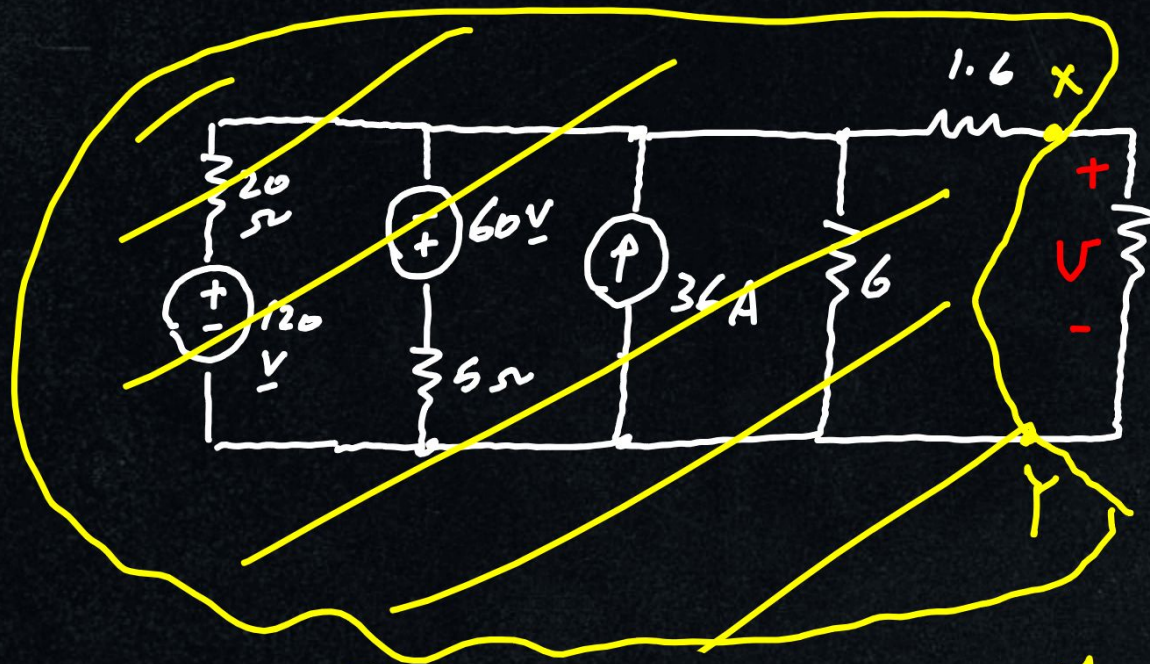
$$-I_T + \frac{V_T}{8} + \frac{V_T}{2} + \frac{3}{8} V_T = 0$$

$$-I_T + V_T = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{V_T}{I_T} = 1$$

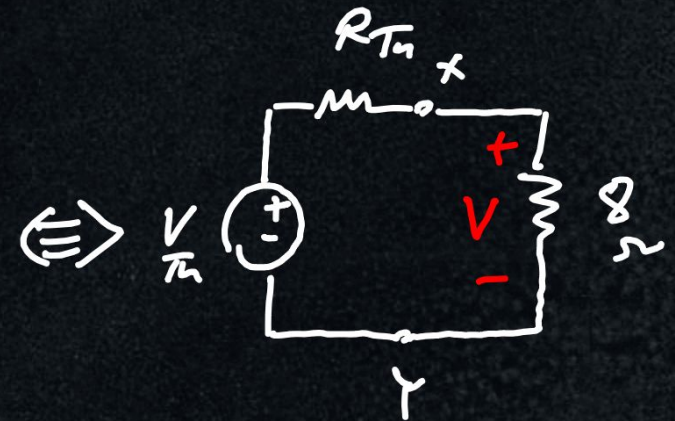
$$R_{Th} = \frac{V_T}{I_T} = 1\ \Omega$$



EX: Calculate  $V$  using Thevenin method



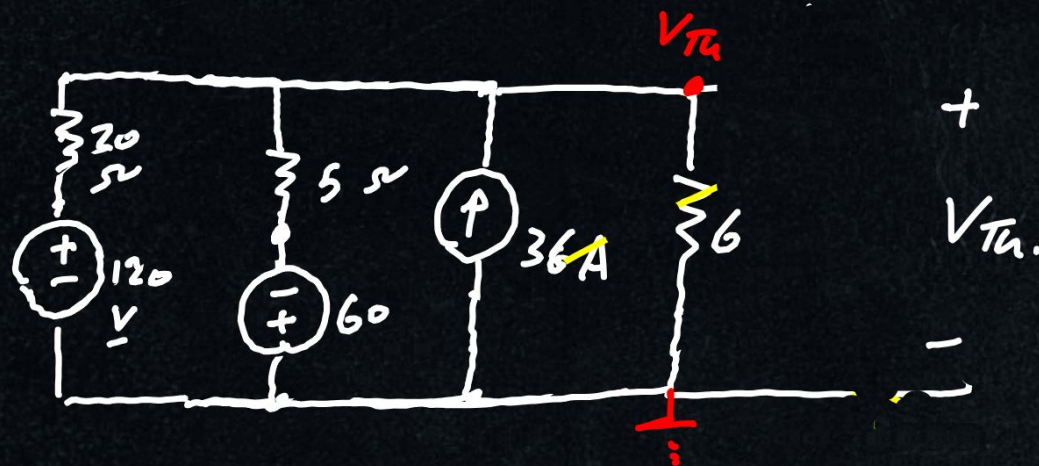
Thevenin Equivalent circuit



$$V = \frac{8}{8 + R_{th}} \cdot V_{th}$$



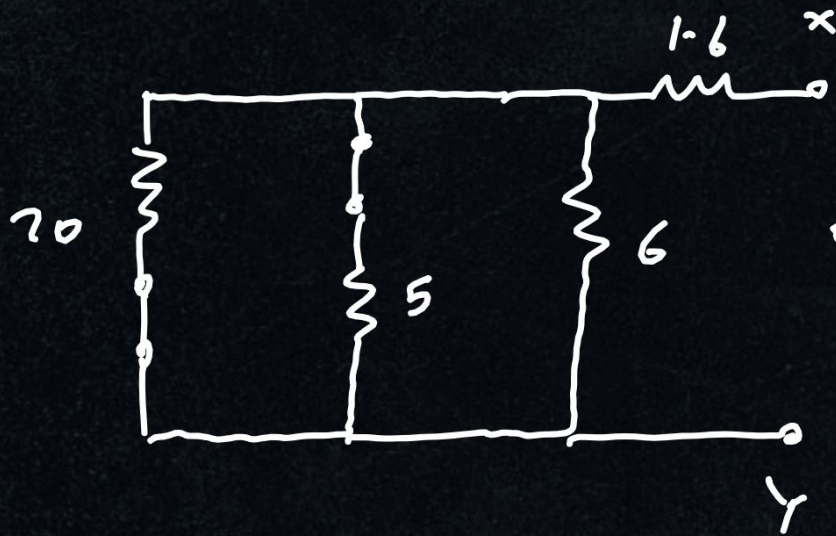
EX: Calculate  $V$  using Thevenin method



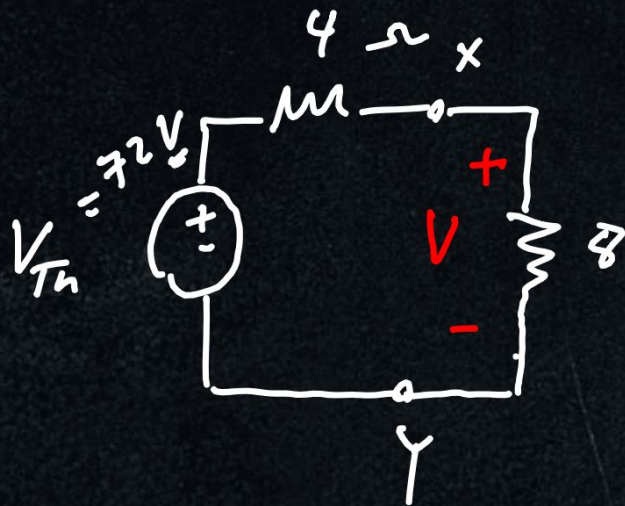
$$\frac{V_{Th}}{6} + (-36) + \frac{V_{Th} - 120}{20} + \frac{V_{Th} + 60}{5} = 0$$

solve for  $V_{Th}$





$$R_{Th} = (20 // 5 // 6) + 1.6 = 4 \Omega$$



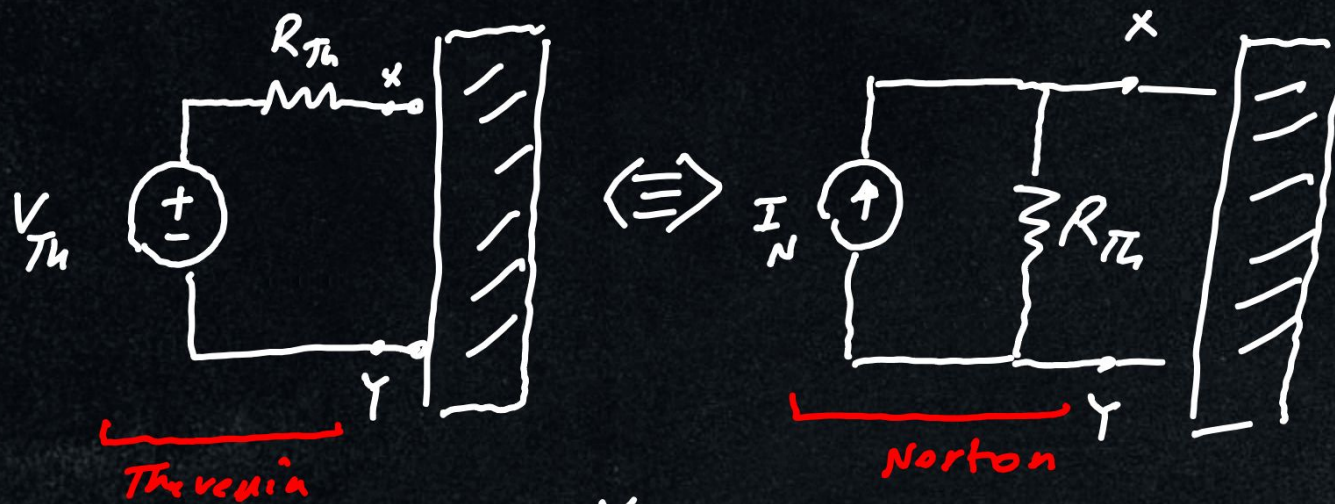
$$V = \frac{8}{8+4} V_{Th} = 48 \text{ V}$$

Voltage divider



## Norton Equivalent circuit

It is the source transformation of Thevenin equivalent circuit.



$$\frac{V_{Th} = V_{oc}}{I_{sc}} = R_{Th}$$

$$I_N = \frac{V_{Th}}{R_{Th}} = I_{sc}$$

↓  
short circuit  
current between  $x$  &  $y$



## Methods to find the Norton equivalent circuit

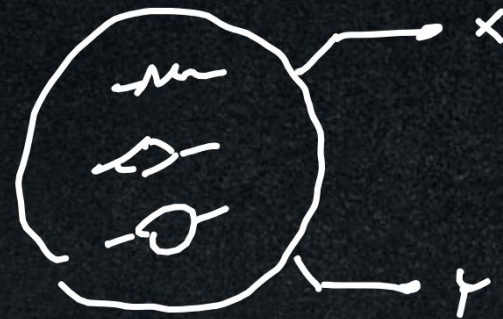
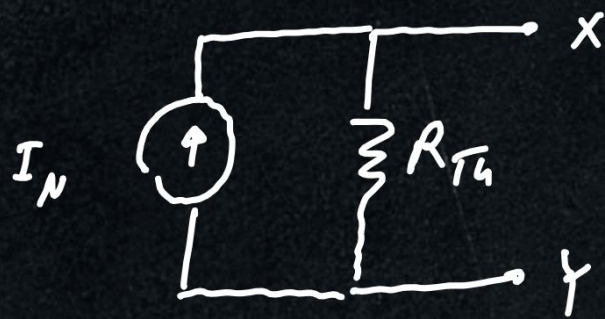
1] step 1: calculate the open circuit voltage,  $V_{oc}$

$$V_{Th} = V_{oc}$$

step 2: Calculate the short circuit current,  $I_{sc}$

$$I_N = I_{sc}$$

step 3: calculate  $R_{Th} = \frac{V_{Th}}{I_N}$

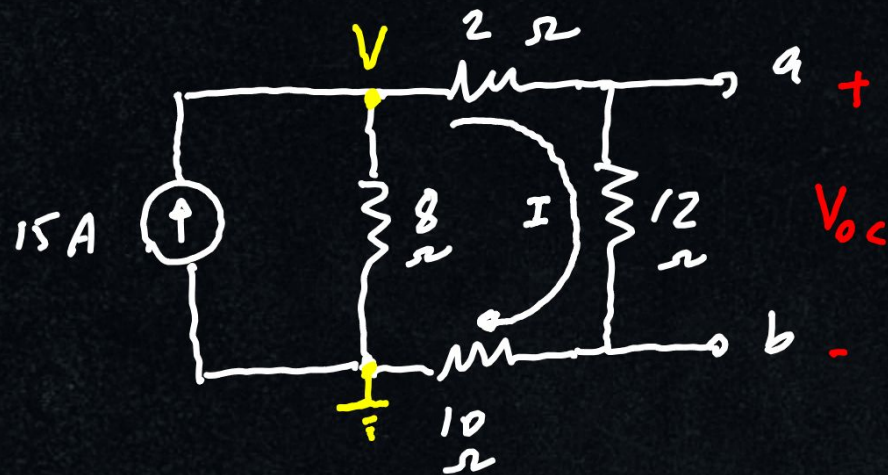


Transformation

2] Using the methods of Thevenin equivalent circuit with source



Ex:- Find the Norton equivalent circuit with respect to the terminals ab



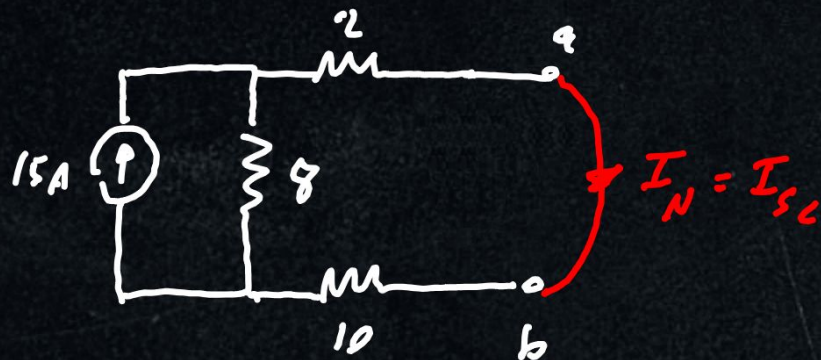
$$I = \frac{8}{8+24} \cdot 15 = 3.75 \text{ A}$$

$$V_{Th} = V_{OC} = 12 I = 45 \text{ V}$$

$$\frac{V}{8} + \frac{V}{24} + (-15) = 0$$

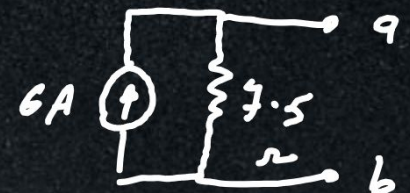
Find V

$$V_{OC} = \frac{12}{12+2+10} \cdot 15 = 45 \text{ V}$$



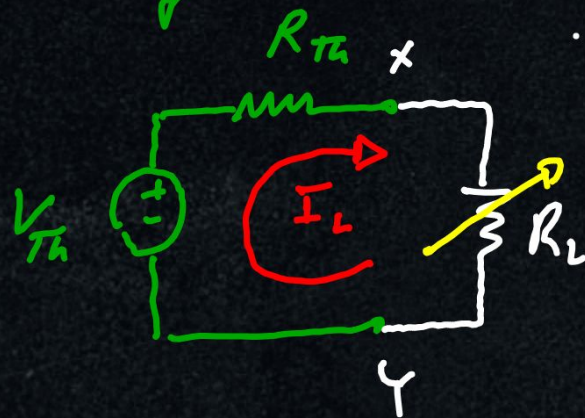
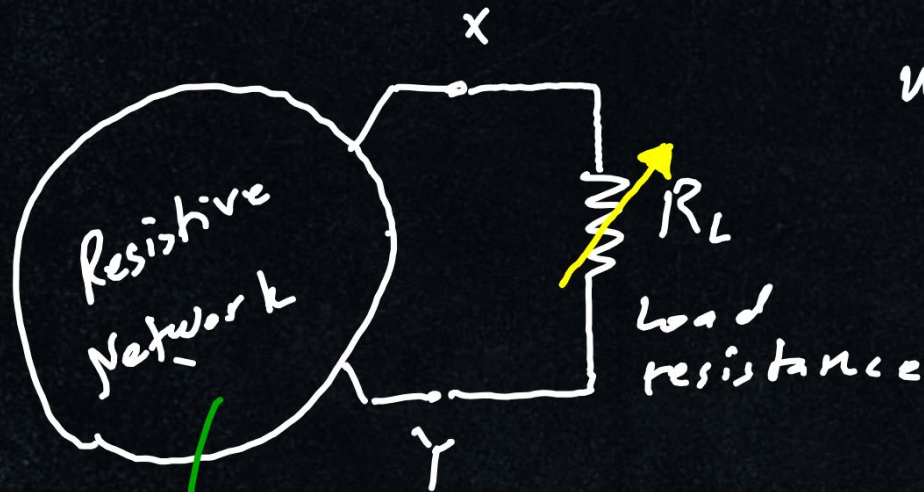
$$I_N = \frac{8}{8+12} \cdot 15 = 6 \text{ A}$$

$$R_{Th} = \frac{V_{Th}}{I_N} = 7.5 \Omega$$





# Maximum Power Transfer



What is the value of  $R_L$  such that the power absorbed by  $R_L$  is maximum?

$I_L$ : Load current

$$I_L = \frac{V_{Th}}{R_{Th} + R_L}$$

The power absorbed by  $R_L$ :

$$P_L = I_L^2 R_L = \left( \frac{V_{Th}}{R_{Th} + R_L} \right)^2 \cdot R_L$$



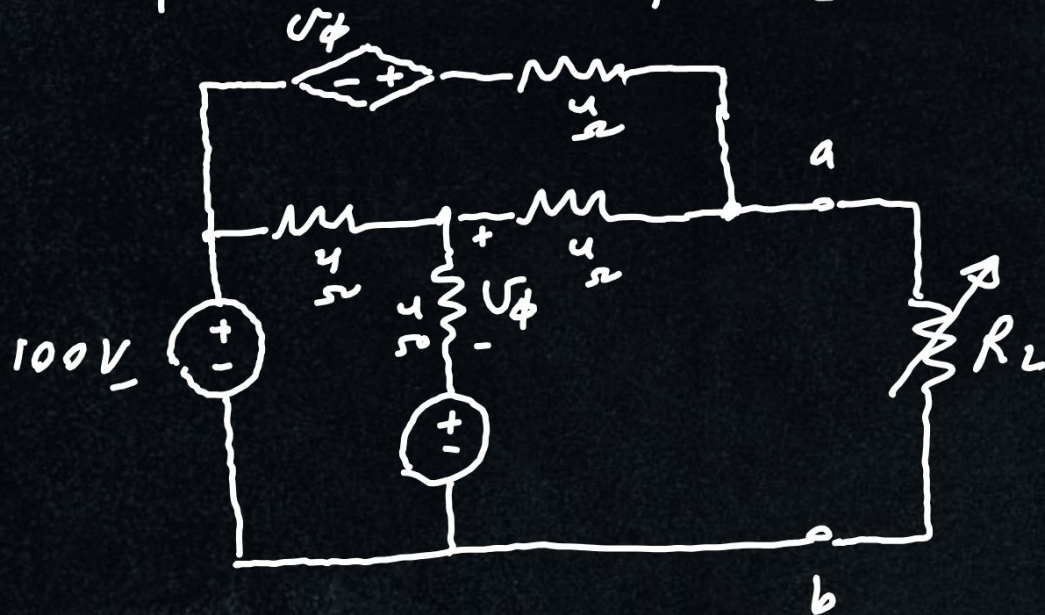
$$P_L = \left( \frac{V_{Th}}{R_L + R_{Th}} \right)^2 \cdot R_L, \quad f(x) = \left( \frac{V_{Th}}{x + R_{Th}} \right)^2 \cdot x$$

$$\frac{\partial P_L}{\partial R_L} = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{R_L = R_{Th} = x}$$

$$\boxed{P_{L, max} = \frac{V_{Th}^2}{4R_{Th}}}$$



Ex:- Find the value of  $R_L$  to enable the circuit to deliver maximum power and find the maximum power delivered to  $R_L$ .

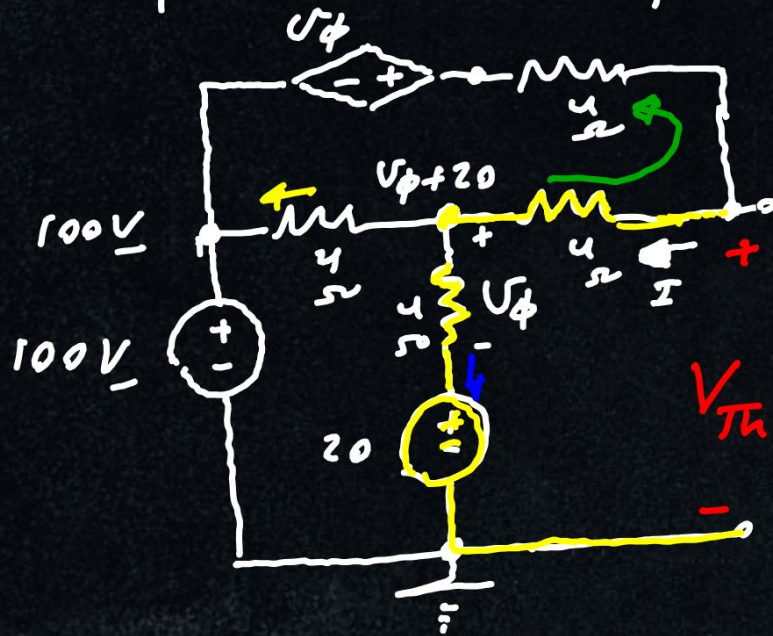


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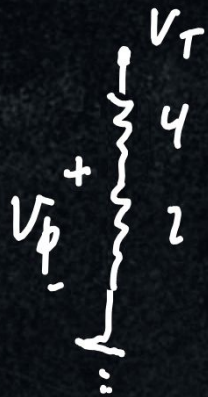
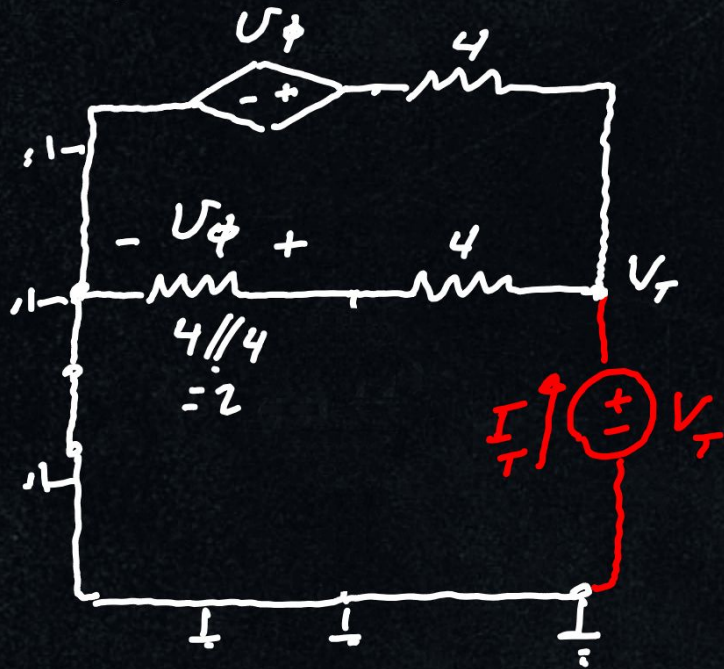
$$\frac{V_\phi}{4} + \frac{(V_\phi + 20) - (V_\phi + 100)}{8} + \frac{(V_\phi + 20) - 100}{4} = 0$$

$$\frac{V_\phi}{2} - 10 - 20 = 0 \Rightarrow V_\phi = 60 \text{ V}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} V_{Th} &= 4I + V_\phi + 20 \\ I &= \frac{(V_\phi + 100) - (V_\phi + 20)}{8} = 10 \text{ A} \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \boxed{V_{Th} = 120 \text{ V}}$$



$R_{Th}$  "Method 3"



KCL at  $V_T$

$$-I_T + \frac{V_T}{6} + \frac{V_T - U_\phi}{4} = 0$$

$$U_\phi = \frac{2}{2+4} V_T = \frac{1}{3} V_T$$

$$-I_T + \frac{V_T}{6} + \frac{1}{6} V_T = 0$$

$$I_T = \frac{V_T}{3} \Rightarrow$$

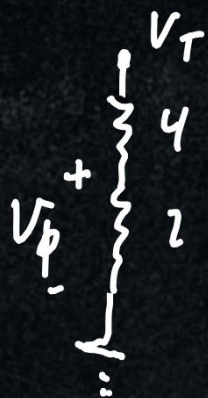
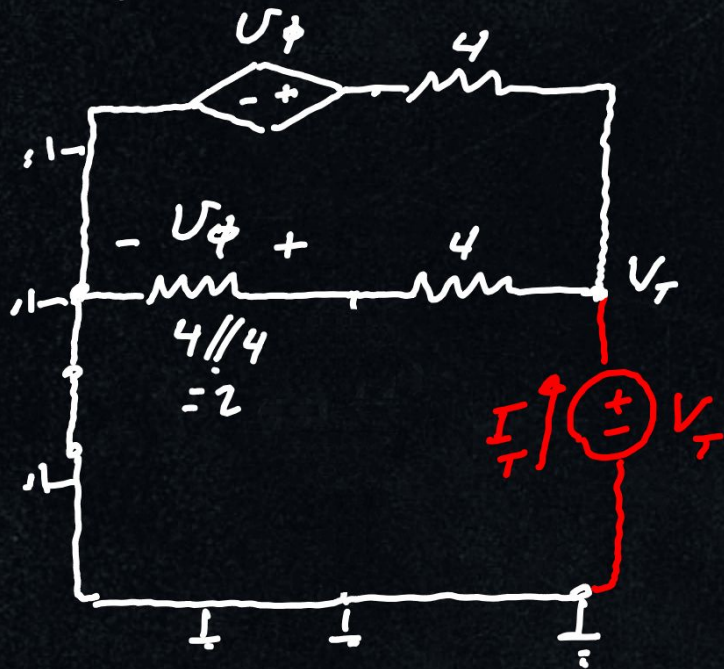
$$R_{Th} = \frac{V_T}{I_T} = 3 \Omega$$

$$R_L = 3 \Omega$$

$$P_{max} = \frac{V_{Th}^2}{4R_{Th}} = \frac{(120)^2}{4(3)} = 1.2 \text{ kW}$$



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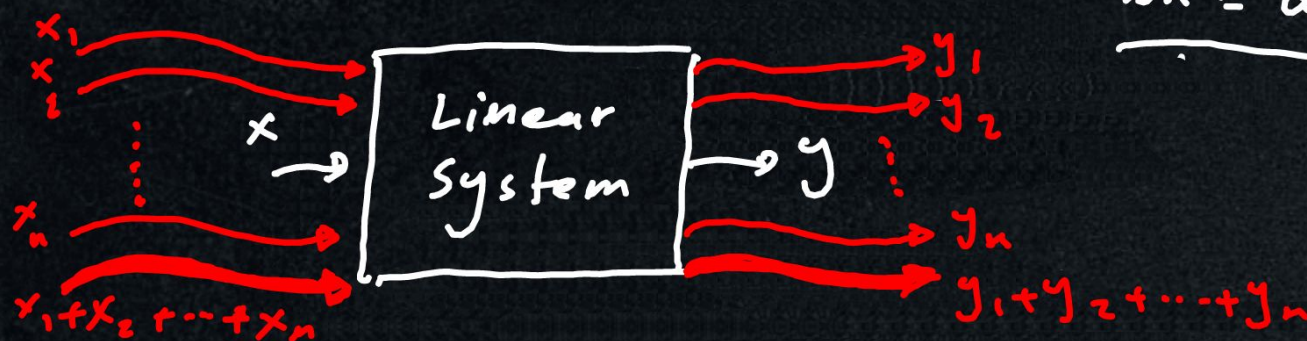
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## ⑤ Superposition

- A linear system obeys the principle of superposition, which states that when a linear system is excited, or driven, by more than one independent source, the total response is the sum of the individual responses.
- The electric circuit is made up of interconnected linear - circuit elements. Therefore, we can apply the superposition to the analysis of the circuit.



$$bX = a_n^{(n)}y + a_{n-1}^{(n-1)}y + \dots + a_2y + a_1y + a_0y$$

Linear differential equation



Assume that we have a network with  $n$  indep. sources

$$\text{Set} = \{u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots, u_n\}$$

We can take subsets  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_k$   $k \geq 1$

such that

$$A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3 \cup \dots \cup A_n = \text{Set}$$

$$A_i \cap A_j = \emptyset \quad (i \neq j)$$

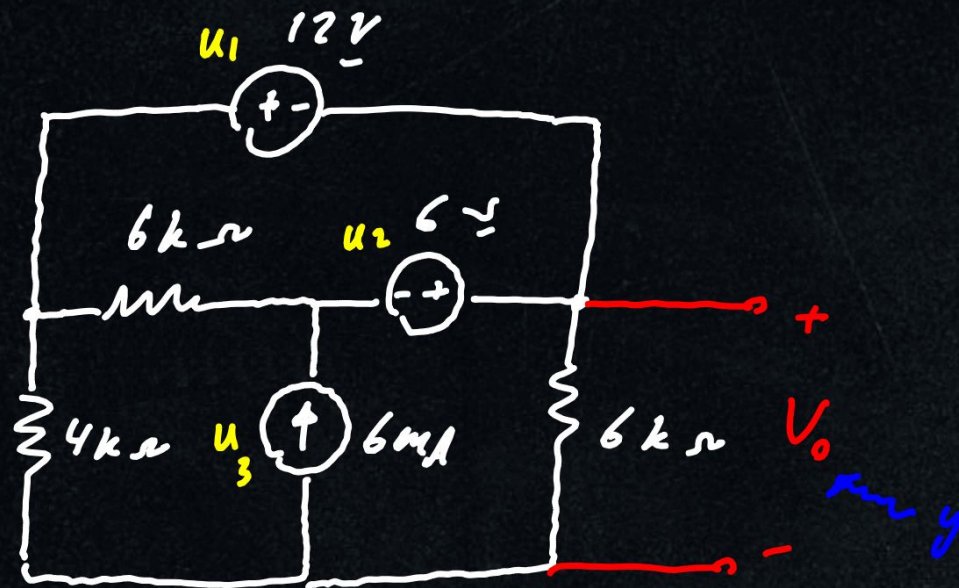
EX  $\therefore \text{Set} = \{u_1, u_2, u_3\}$

$$\begin{array}{ll} A_1 = \{u_1\} & A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3 = \text{Set} \\ A_2 = \{u_2\} & A_i \cap A_j = \emptyset \\ A_3 = \{u_3\} & \end{array}$$

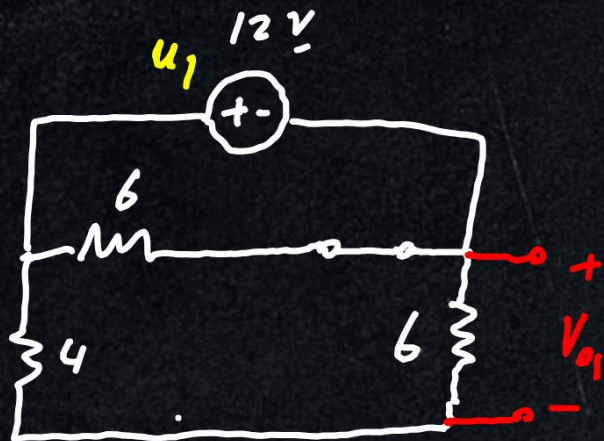
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} A_1 = \{u_1, u_2\} \text{ kill } u_3 \\ A_2 = \{u_3\} \text{ kill } u_1 + u_2 \\ A_1 \cup A_2 = \text{Set} \\ A_1 \cap A_2 = \emptyset \end{array} \right.$$



EX :- Find  $V_o$  using superposition :-



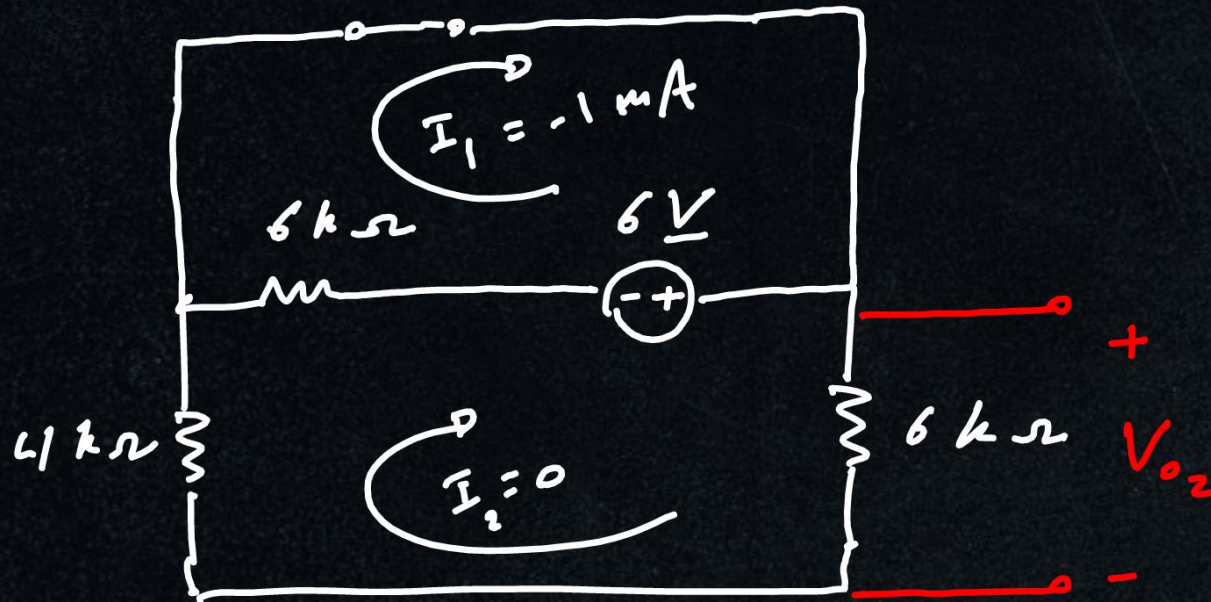
$A_1 = \{u_1\}$  kill  $u_2 + u_3$



$$V_{o1} = \frac{6}{6+4} \cdot (-12) = -6 \text{ V}$$



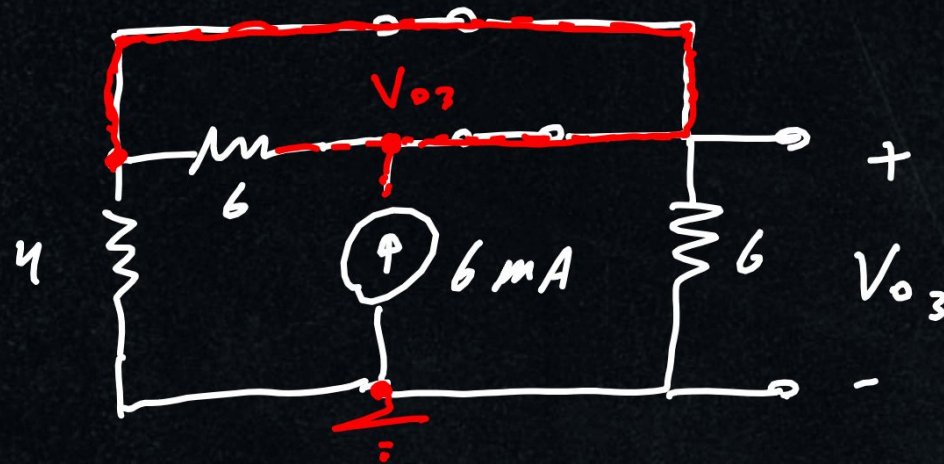
$$A_2 = \{u_2\}$$



$$V_{o2} = 0$$



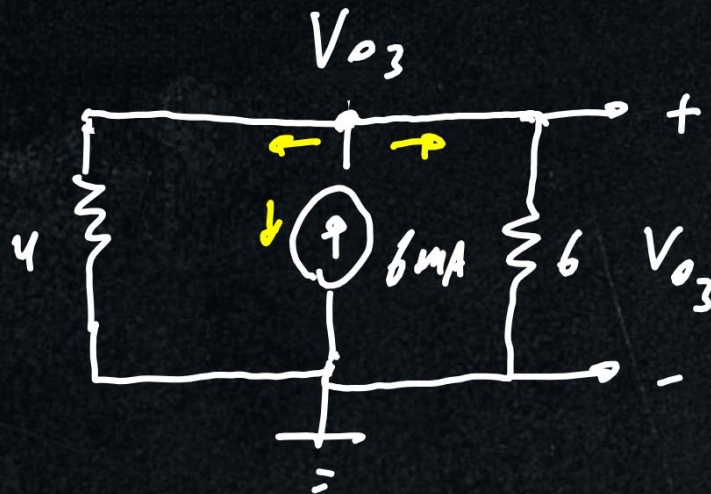
$A_3 = \{u_3\}$  kill  $u_1 + u_2$



$$-6 + \frac{V_{o3}}{4} + \frac{V_{o3}}{6} = 0$$

$$5V_{o3} = 6 \times 12$$

$$V_{o3} = 14.4 \text{ V}$$



$$V_o = V_{o1} + V_{o2} + V_{o3}$$

$$= -6 + 0 + 14.4$$

$$= 8.4 \text{ V}$$