

# Chapter 4 - Techniques of circuit analysis

\* Cramer's rule - To solve simultaneous linear equations

$$25i_1 - 5i_2 - 20i_3 = 50$$

$$-5i_1 + 10i_2 - 4i_3 = 0$$

$$-5i_1 - 4i_2 + 9i_3 = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 25 & -5 & -20 \\ -5 & 10 & -4 \\ -5 & -4 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i_1 \\ i_2 \\ i_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 50 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 25 & -5 & -20 \\ -5 & 10 & -4 \\ -5 & -4 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \quad |D| = 25[(10)(9) - (-4)(-4)] - (-5)[(5)(9) - (-4)(-5)] + (-20)[(-5)(-4) - (-5)(10)]$$

$$= 25[90 - 16] + 5[-45 - 20] + 20[20 + 50]$$

$$= 125$$

$$D_{i1} = \begin{bmatrix} 50 & -5 & -20 \\ 0 & 10 & -4 \\ 0 & -4 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \quad |D_{i1}| = 50[90 - 16] - (-5)[0] + (-20)[0]$$

$$= 3700$$

$$D_{i2} = \begin{bmatrix} 25 & 50 & -20 \\ -5 & 0 & -4 \\ -5 & 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \quad |D_{i2}| = 25[0] - 50[-45 - 20] + (-20)[0]$$

$$= 3250$$

$$D_{i3} = \begin{bmatrix} 25 & -5 & 50 \\ -5 & 10 & 0 \\ -5 & -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad |D_{i3}| = 25[0] - (-5)[0] + 50[20 + 50]$$

$$= 3500$$

$$i_1 = \frac{|D_{i1}|}{|D|} = \frac{3700}{125} = 29.6$$

$$i_2 = \frac{|D_{i2}|}{|D|} = \frac{3250}{125} = 26A$$

$$i_3 = \frac{|D_{i3}|}{|D|} = \frac{3500}{125} = 28A$$

## 4.2 :- Introduction to the Node-Voltage Method

Node-Voltage Method is applicable to both planar and nonplanar circuits.

For the circuit shown, we can summarize the node-voltage methods as shown

① Identify all essential nodes  
(Do not select the non essential nodes)

② select one of the essential nodes (1, 2 or 3) as a reference node.

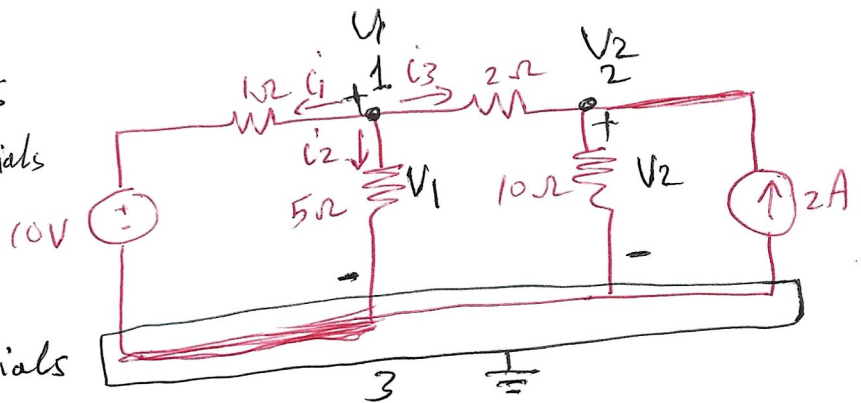
③ label all nonreference nodes with alphabetical label as  $V_1, V_2$

④ write KCL equation on all labeled non reference nodes as shown

KCL at node 1:-

$$i_1 + i_2 + i_3 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{V_1 - 10}{1} + \frac{V_1}{5} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{2} = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$10i_1 + 10 - V_1 = 0$$



KCL at node 2<sub>o</sub>-

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

we can solve the two equations

$$V_1 - 10 + \frac{V_1}{5} + \frac{V_1}{2} - \frac{V_2}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{17V_1}{10} - \frac{V_2}{2} = 10 \Rightarrow V_1 = \frac{100 + 5V_2}{17}$$

$$\frac{V_2}{2} - \frac{V_1}{2} + \frac{V_2}{10} - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{6V_2}{10} - \frac{V_1}{2} = 2$$

$$6V_2 - 5V_1 = 20$$

$$6V_2 - 5\left(\frac{100 + 5V_2}{17}\right) = 20$$

$$102V_2 - 500 - 25V_2 = 340$$

$$77V_2 = 840$$

$$V_2 = \frac{840}{77} = 10.9 \text{ V} \Rightarrow V_1 = \frac{100 + 5(10.9)}{17} = 9.09 \text{ V}$$

Example 9-

KCL at node 1<sub>o</sub>-

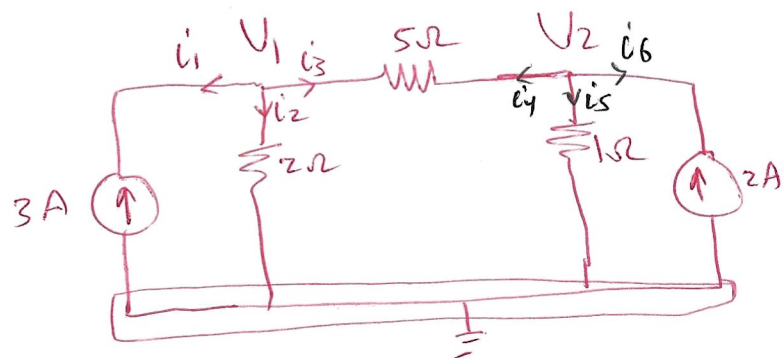
$$i_1 + i_2 + i_3 = 0$$

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

KCL at node 2<sub>o</sub>-

$$i_4 + i_5 + i_6 = 0$$

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



### Example 2

KCL at node 1

$$8 + 3(V_1 - V_2) + 3 + 4(V_1 - V_3) = 0$$

$$7V_1 - 3V_2 - 4V_3 = -11 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

KCL at node 2

$$-3 + 3(V_2 - V_1) + 1V_2 + 2(V_2 - V_3) = 0$$

$$-3V_1 + 6V_2 - 2V_3 = 3 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

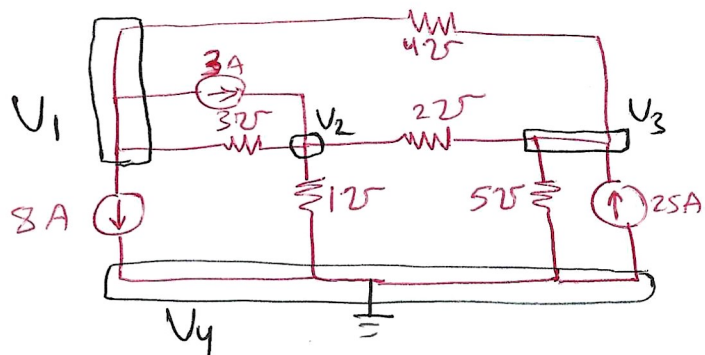
KCL at node 3

$$4(V_3 - V_1) + 2(V_3 - V_2) + 5(V_3) - 25 = 0$$

$$-4V_1 - 2V_2 + 11V_3 = 25 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Solving

$$V_1 = 1V \quad ; \quad V_2 = 2V \quad ; \quad V_3 = 3V$$



### 4.3 The node-voltage method and dependent sources

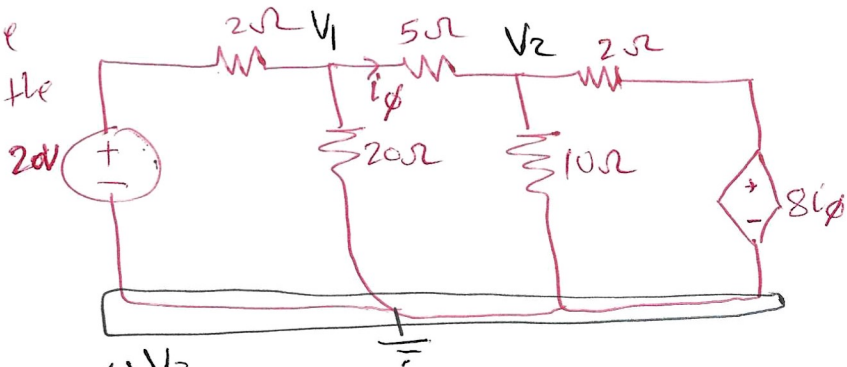
Example 3 Use the node-voltage method to find the power dissipated in the 5Ω resistor.

KCL at node 1

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

KCL at node 2

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





$$i\phi = \frac{V_1 - V_2}{5}$$

$$\frac{15V_1}{20} - \frac{V_2}{5} = 10 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$0.75V_1 - 0.2V_2 = 10 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

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

$$2V_2 - 2V_1 + V_2 + 5(V_2 - 8i\phi) = 0$$

$$2V_2 - 2V_1 + V_2 + 5V_2 - 8(V_1 - V_2) = 0$$

$$-10V_1 + 16V_2 = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Solving 2-

$$V_1 = 16V \quad ; \quad V_2 = 10V$$

$$i\phi = \frac{16 - 10}{5} = 1.2A \Rightarrow P_{5\Omega} = (1.2)^2(5) = 7.2W$$

Example

KCL at node 1-

$$2I_0 + \frac{V_1}{12K} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{6K} = 0$$

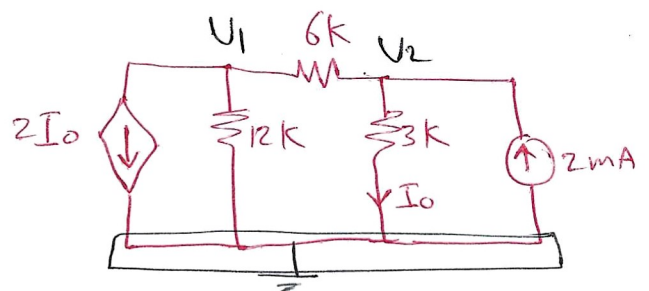
$$I_0 = \frac{V_2}{3K}$$

$$\frac{3V_1}{12K} + \frac{3V_2}{6K} = 0$$

KCL at node 2-

$$\frac{V_2 - V_1}{6K} + \frac{V_2}{3K} - 2mA = 0$$

$$\frac{3V_2}{6K} - \frac{V_1}{6K} - 2mA = 0$$



Solving 2-

$$V_1 = -\frac{24}{5}V$$

$$V_2 = \frac{12}{5}V$$

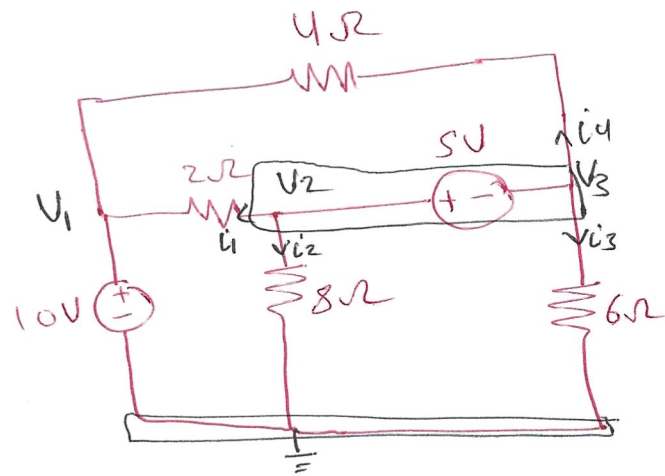
## 4.4 :- The node-voltage method & Some special cases

### Example :-

- ① The 10V voltage source is connected between non reference and reference node

$$\text{So } V_1 = 10V$$

No need to write an equation for node 1



- ② The 5V voltage source is connected between two non reference nodes so node 2 and node 3 called super node

1 equation is written for the super node as:-

$$i_1 + i_2 + i_3 + i_4 = 0$$

$$\frac{V_2 - V_1}{2} + \frac{V_2}{8} + \frac{V_3}{6} + \frac{V_3 - V_1}{4} = 0$$

$$\frac{V_2 - 10}{2} + \frac{V_2}{8} + \frac{V_3}{6} + \frac{V_3 - 10}{4} = 0$$

$$15V_2 + 10V_3 - 180 = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

and we have  $V_2 - V_3 = 5 \Rightarrow V_2 = 5 + V_3$

$$15(5 + V_3) + 10V_3 - 180 = 0$$

$$25V_3 = 180 - 75$$

$$= 105 \Rightarrow V_3 = 4.2$$

$$V_2 = 9.2$$

### Example 9

we have super super node

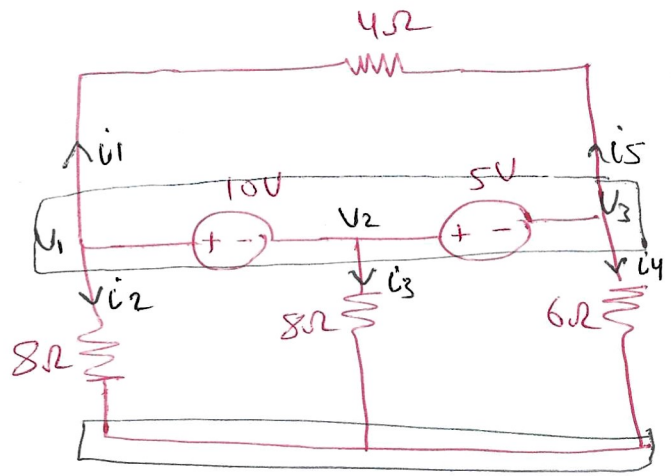
so one equation

$$i_1 + i_2 + i_3 + i_4 + i_5 = 0$$

$$\frac{V_1 - V_3}{4} + \frac{V_1}{8} + \frac{V_2}{8} + \frac{V_3}{8} + \frac{V_3 - V_1}{4} = 0$$

$$\frac{V_1}{8} + \frac{V_2}{8} + \frac{V_3}{8} = 0$$

and we have ①  $V_1 - V_2 = 10$   
 ②  $V_2 - V_3 = 5$



### Example 10

$$V_1 = 10V$$

$$\frac{V_2 - 10}{2} + \frac{V_2}{8} + \frac{V_3}{6} + \frac{V_3 - 10}{4} = 0$$

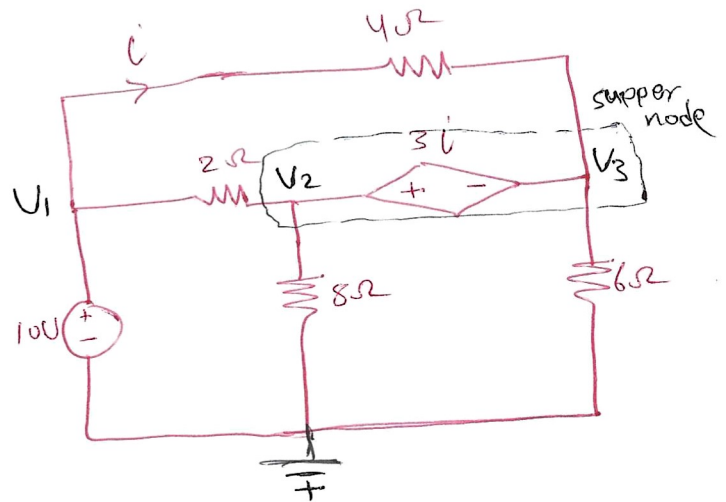
$$V_2 - V_3 = 3i$$

$$= 3 \left( \frac{V_1 - V_3}{4} \right)$$

$$= \frac{3(10 - V_3)}{4}$$

$$4V_2 - 4V_3 = 30 - 3V_3$$

$$V_3 = 4V_2 - 30$$



### Example 8

Supper-Supper node

$$i_1 + i_2 + i_3 + i_4 + i_5 = 0$$

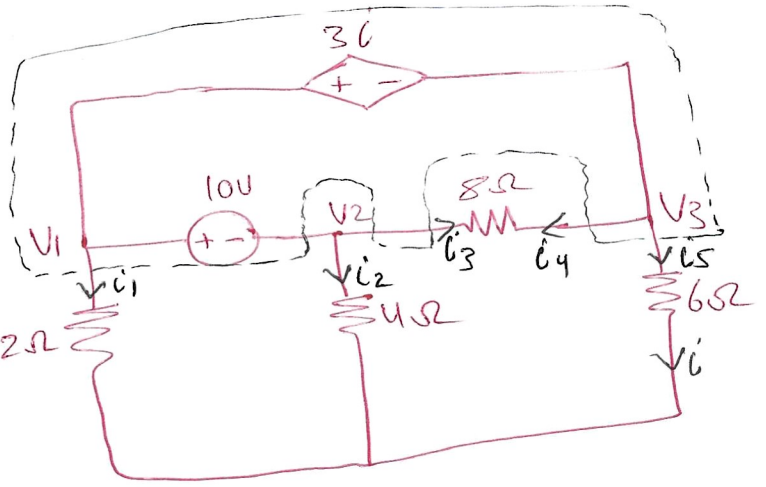
$$\frac{V_1}{2} + \frac{V_2}{4} + \frac{V_2 - V_3}{8} + \frac{V_3 - V_2}{8} + \frac{V_3}{6} = 0$$

$$\frac{V_1}{2} + \frac{V_2}{4} + \frac{V_3}{8} = 0 \quad \text{---(1)}$$

$$V_1 - V_2 = 10 \quad \text{---(2)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_1 - V_3 &= 3i \\ &= 3 \left( \frac{V_3}{6} \right) \\ &= \frac{V_3}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore V_1 = 1.5 V_3 \quad \text{---(3)}$$



### Example 8

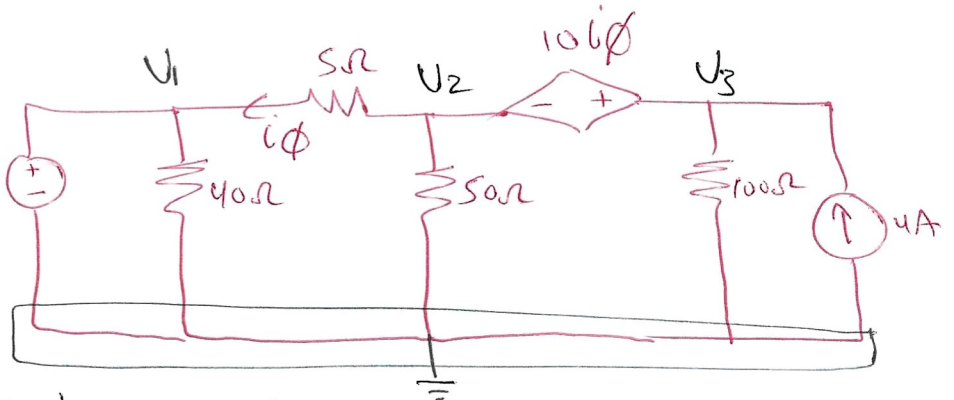
$$V_1 = 50V$$

$V_2$  and  $V_3$  are Suppernode

$$\frac{V_2 - 50}{5} + \frac{V_2}{50} + \frac{V_3}{100} + (-4) = 0 \quad \text{---(1)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_3 - V_2 &= 10i \\ &= 10 \left( \frac{V_2 - 50}{5} \right) \\ &= 2V_2 - 100 \end{aligned}$$

$$V_3 = 3V_2 - 100 \quad \text{---(2)}$$



## Example 8

Supper node 1:  $V_1$  and  $V_2$

$$\frac{V_1}{2} + \frac{V_1 - V_4}{3} - 10 + \frac{V_2 - V_3}{6} = 0 \quad \text{---(1)}$$

Supper node 2:  $V_3$  and  $V_4$

$$\frac{V_3 - V_2}{6} + \frac{V_3}{4} + \frac{V_4}{1} + \frac{V_4 - V_1}{3} = 0 \quad \text{---(2)}$$

we have also

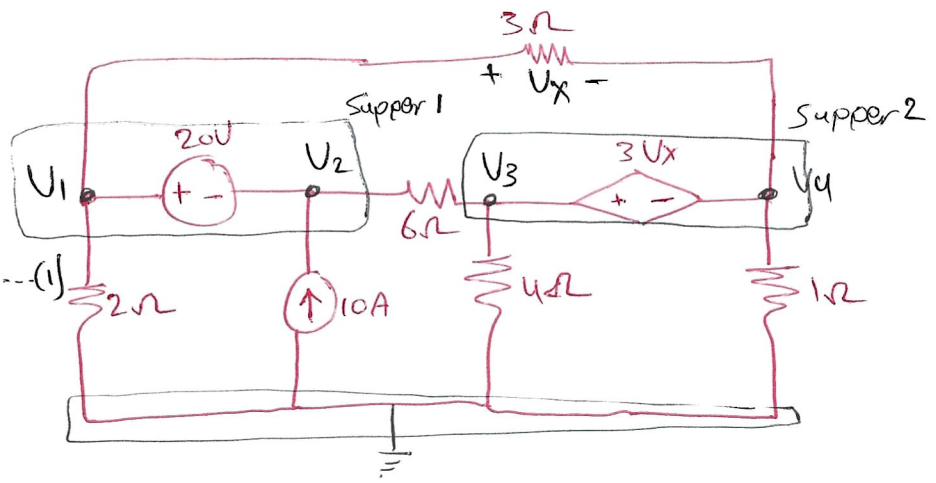
$$V_1 - V_2 = 20V \quad \text{---(3)}$$

$$V_3 - V_4 = 3V_x \quad \text{---(4)}$$

$$= 3(V_1 - V_4)$$

$$= 3V_1 - 3V_4$$

$$\Rightarrow V_3 = 3V_1 - 2V_4$$



## Example 9

Supper node:  $V_1$  and  $V_2$

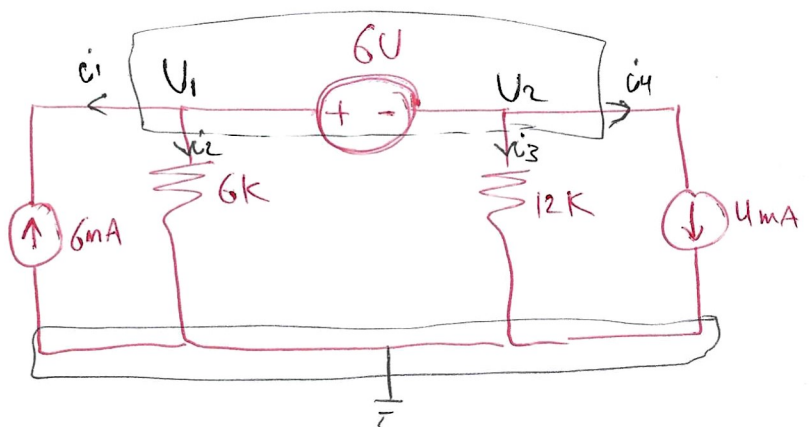
$$i_1 + i_2 + i_3 + i_4 = 0$$

$$-6mA + \frac{V_1}{6K} + \frac{V_2}{12K} + 4mA = 0$$

and we have

$$V_1 - V_2 = 6$$

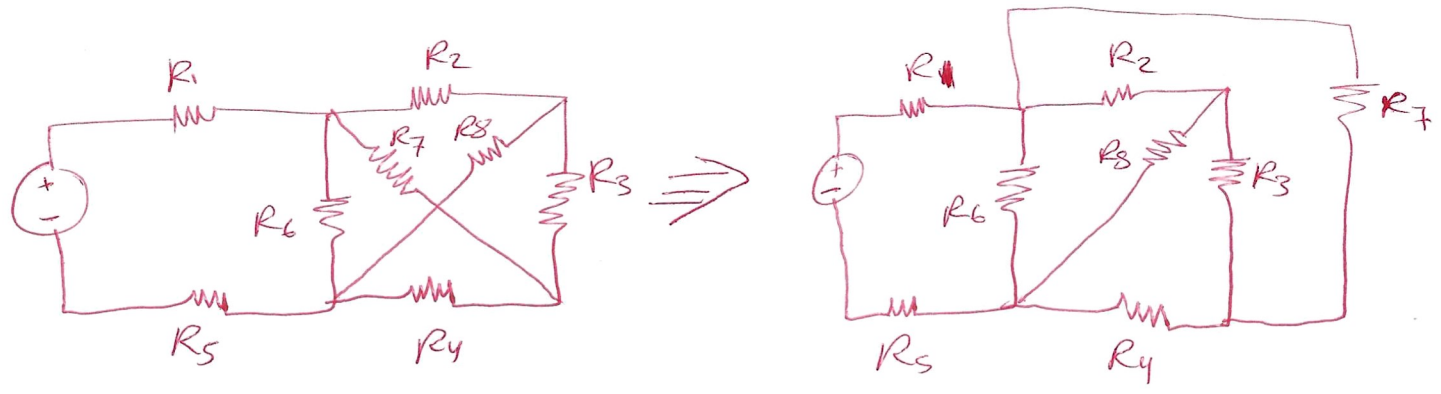
$$V_1 = 6 + V_2$$



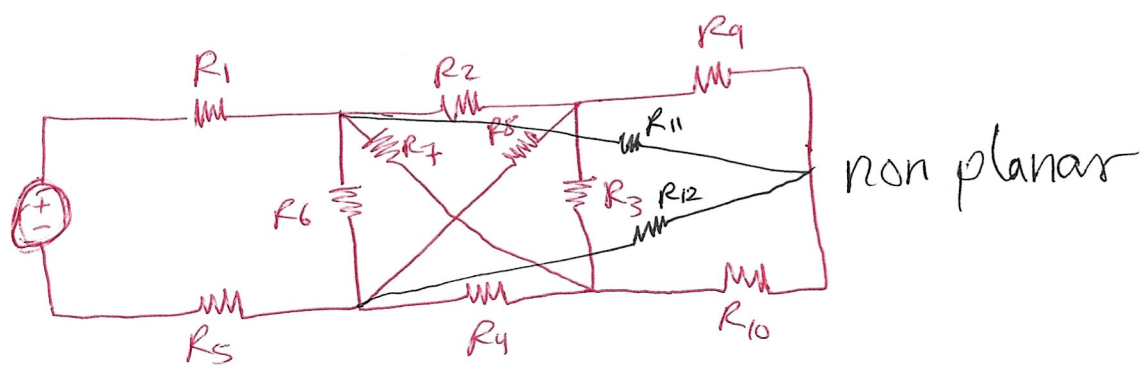


# 4.5g- Introduction to Mesh Current Method

\* planar circuit :- a circuit that can be drawn on a plane with no crossing branches as shown



So planar



Mesh current method is valid for planar circuits only

Example :-

KVL for mesh (1)

$$-42 + I_1(6+3) - I_2(3) = 0$$

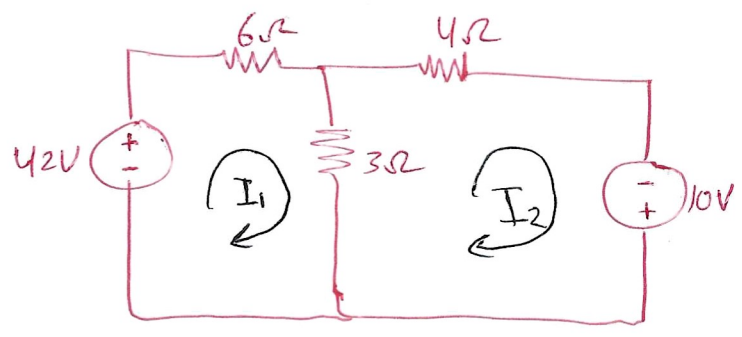
KVL for mesh (2)

$$-10 + I_2(4+3) - I_1(3) = 0$$

solving for  $I_1$  and  $I_2$

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$$I_1 = 6A \quad I_2 = 4A$$



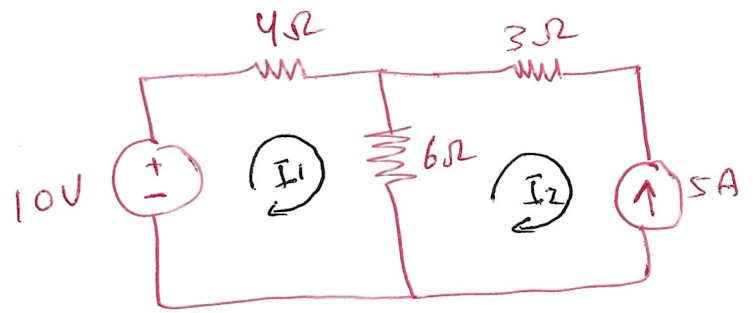
### Example 8-

From the circuit  $I_2 = -5A$

KVL for mesh ①

$$-10 + I_2(4+6) - I_2(6) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow I_1 = -2A$$



### Example 9-

KVL for mesh ①

$$-40V + I_1(2+8) - I_2(8) = 0$$

KVL for mesh ②

$$I_2(8+6+6) - I_1(8) - I_3(6) = 0$$

KVL for mesh ③

$$20 + I_3(6+4) - I_2(6) = 0$$

$$10I_1 - 8I_2 + 0I_3 = 40$$

$$-8I_1 + 20I_2 - 6I_3 = 0$$

$$0I_1 - 6I_2 + 10I_3 = -20$$

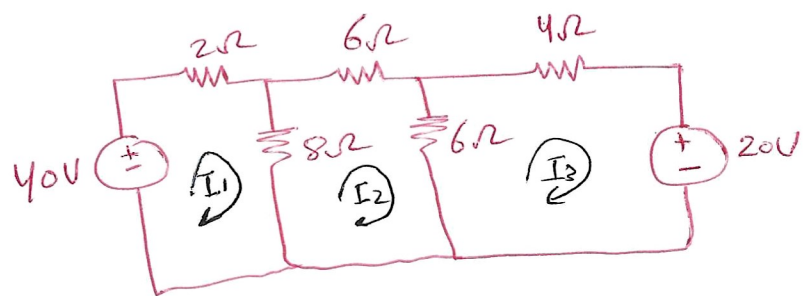
$$\begin{bmatrix} 10 & -8 & 0 \\ -8 & 20 & -6 \\ 0 & -6 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_1 \\ I_2 \\ I_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 40 \\ 0 \\ -20 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solving:-

$$I_1 = 5.6 A$$

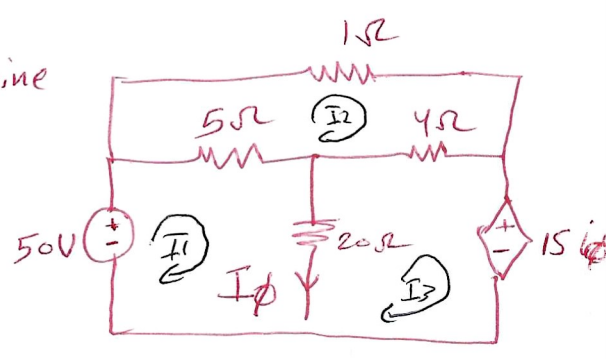
$$I_2 = 2 A$$

$$I_3 = -0.8 A$$



## 4.6 The mesh current method and dependent sources

Example: use the mesh-current method to determine dissipated in the 4Ω resistor



mesh(1)  

$$-50 + I_1(5+20) - I_2(5) - I_3(20) = 0$$

mesh(2)  

$$25I_1 - 5I_2 - 20I_3 = 50 \quad \dots (1)$$

mesh(2)  

$$I_2(5+4+1) - I_1(5) - I_3(4) = 0$$

mesh(2)  

$$-5I_1 + 10I_2 - 4I_3 = 0 \quad \dots (2)$$

mesh(3)  

$$I_3(20+4) - I_2(4) - I_1(20) + 15I_φ = 0$$

$$I_φ = I_1 - I_3$$

$$24I_3 - 4I_2 - 20I_1 + 15(I_1 - I_3) = 0$$

mesh(3)  

$$-5I_1 - 4I_2 + 9I_3 = 0 \quad \dots (3)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 25 & -5 & -20 \\ -5 & 10 & -4 \\ -5 & -4 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_1 \\ I_2 \\ I_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 50 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$I_1 = 29.6 \text{ A}$$
  

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

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

to calculate the power dissipated in the 4Ω we need only  $I_2$  and  $I_3$

$$P_{4\Omega} = 4(I_3 - I_2)^2 = 4(28 - 26)^2 = 16 \text{ W}$$

## 4.7 The mesh current method, some special cases

super mesh  
 $I_1$  and  $I_3$  are super mesh

$$I_3 - I_1 = 5 \text{ A} \quad \dots (1)$$

super mesh  

$$-100 + I_1(3+6) + I_3(2+4) + 50 - I_2(3+2) = 0$$

super mesh  

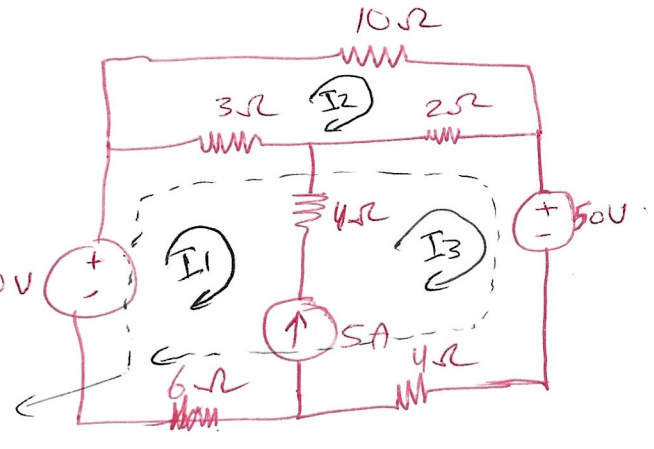
$$9I_1 - 5I_2 + 6I_3 - 50 = 0 \quad \dots (2)$$

mesh(2)  

$$I_2(3+10+2) - I_1(3) - I_3(2) = 0$$

mesh(2)  

$$-3I_1 + 15I_2 - 2I_3 = 0 \quad \dots (3)$$



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

### Example 8-

Supper mesh

$I_1$  and  $I_3$  are supper mesh

$$-7V + I_1(1) + I_3(3+1) - I_2(1+3) = 0$$

$$I_1 - 4I_2 + 4I_3 = 7 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

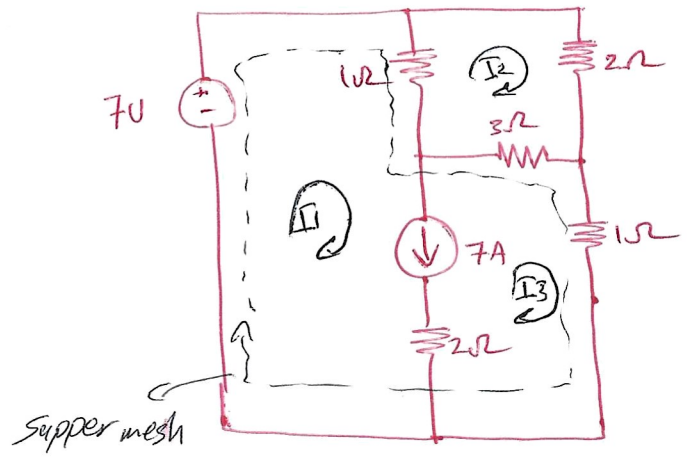
$$I_1 - I_3 = 7A \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

mesh (2)

$$I_2(1+2+3) - I_1(1) - I_3(3) = 0$$

$$-I_1 + 6I_2 - 3I_3 = 0 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Solving :-  $I_1 = 9A$  ,  $I_2 = 2.5A$  ,  $I_3 = 2A$



### Example 9-

$I_1$  and  $I_3$  are supper mesh

but  $I_1 = 15A$  --- (1)

$$I_3 - I_1 = \frac{V_x}{9} \quad , \quad V_x = 3(I_3 - I_2)$$

$$\therefore I_3 - 15 = \frac{3(I_3 - I_2)}{9} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

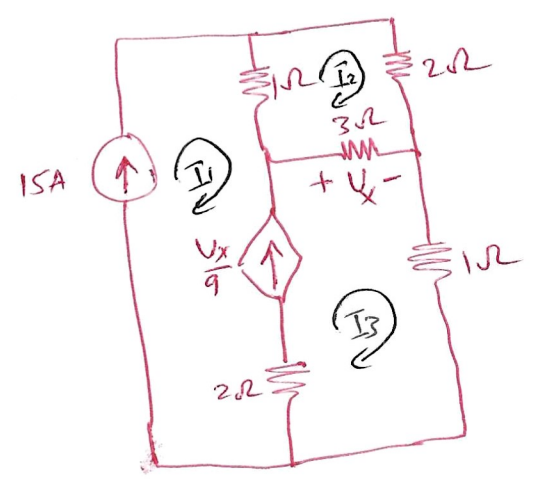
mesh (2)

$$I_2(1+2+3) - I_1(1) - I_3(3) = 0$$

Solving :-

$$I_1 = 15A$$

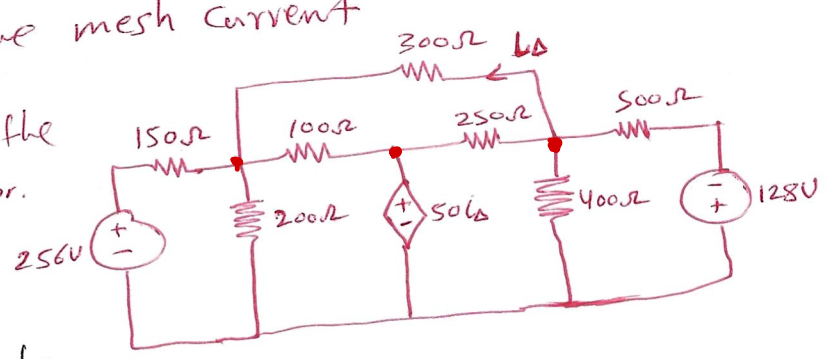
$$I_2 = 11A$$





## 4.8 The node-voltage Versus the mesh current

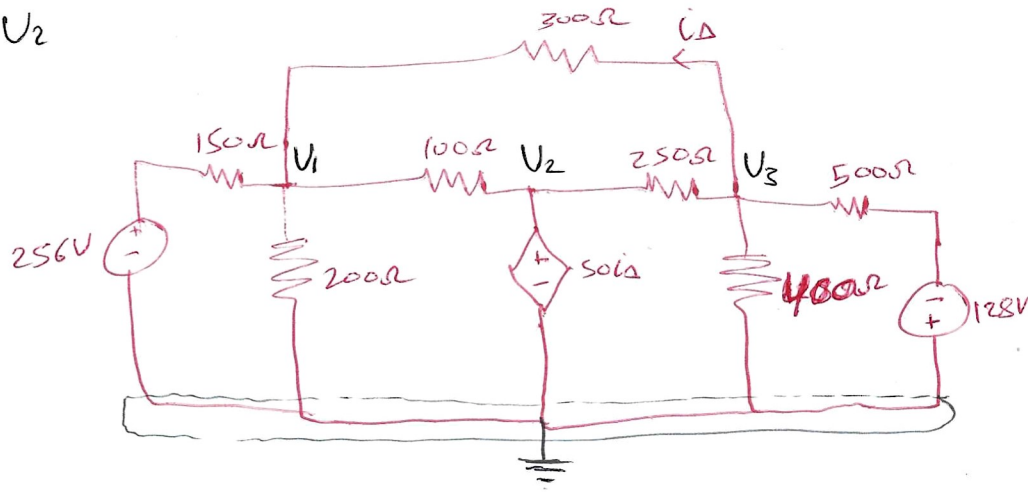
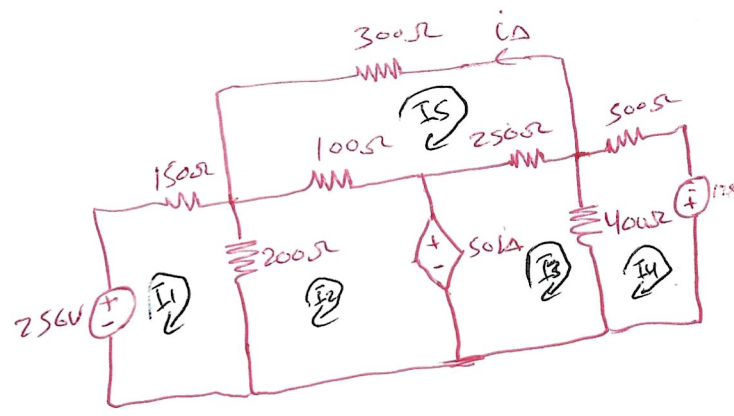
Example 2: For the circuit shown, find the power dissipated in the  $300\ \Omega$  resistor.



The circuit shown could be solved by both mesh and nodal methods using mesh 5 equations are required,

however, using nodal only 2 equations are required we need to solve for

$V_1$  and  $V_3$  because  $V_2$  is known



$$\frac{V_1 - 256}{150} + \frac{V_1}{200} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{100} + \frac{V_1 - V_3}{300} = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\frac{V_3 - V_1}{300} + \frac{V_3 - V_2}{250} + \frac{V_3}{400} + \frac{V_3 + 128}{500} = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

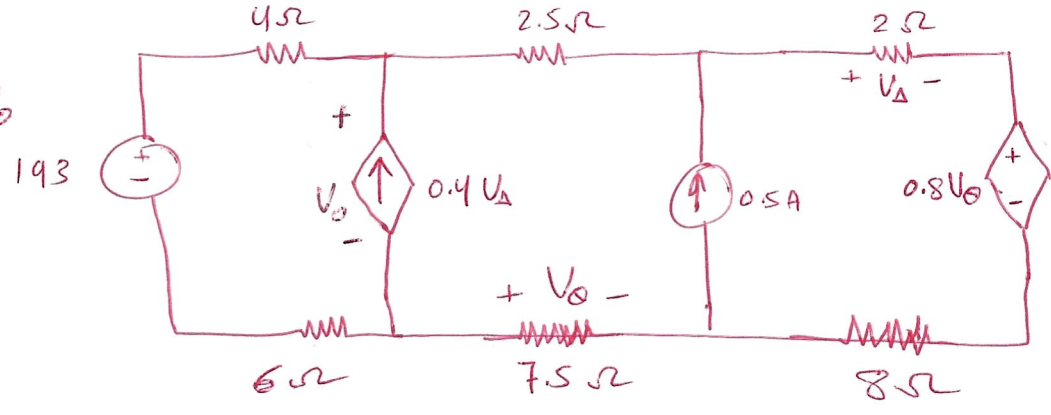
$$V_2 = 50\ \text{A} = \frac{50(V_3 - V_1)}{300} = \frac{V_3 - V_1}{6}$$

Solving:  $V_1 = 62.5\ \text{V}$ ,  $V_3 = -8\ \text{V}$

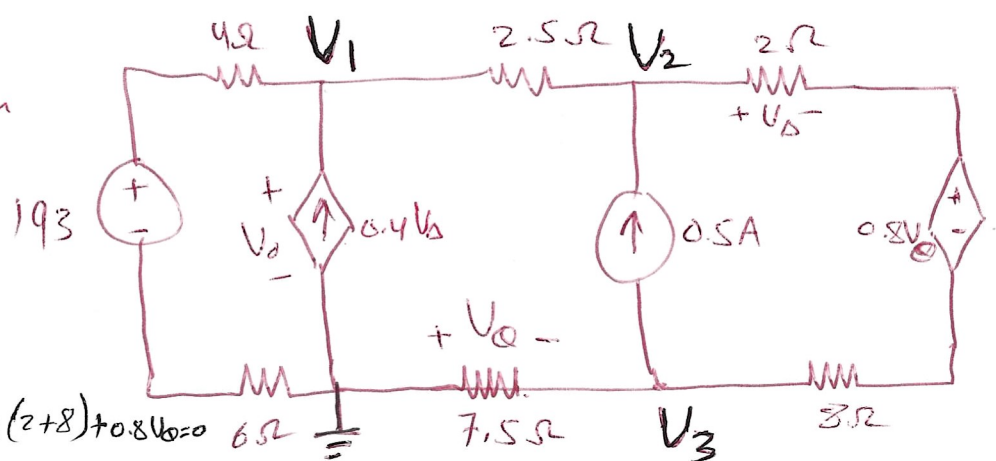
$$P_{300\ \Omega} = \frac{(62.5 - (-8))^2}{300} = 16.5675\ \text{W}$$



Example: For the circuit shown, find  $V_0$  using nodal analysis we need 3 equations to solve for  $V_0$ .



However, using mesh analysis only 1 equation is required.



Super mesh

$$-193 + I_1(4+6) + I_2(2.5+7.5) + I_3(2+8) + 0.8V_0 = 0$$

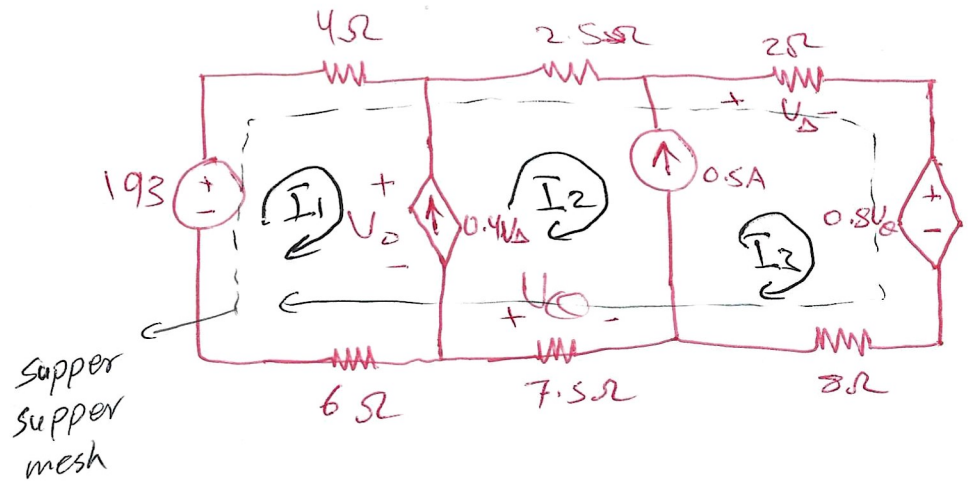
$$I_2 - I_1 = 0.4 V_\Delta$$

$$= 0.4(2I_3)$$

$$= 0.8 I_3$$

$$I_3 - I_2 = 0.5 A$$

$$V_0 = -(7.5) I_2$$



super mesh

$$I_2 = I_3 - 0.5$$

$$I_3 = \frac{I_2 - I_1}{0.8}, \quad I_1 = I_2 - 0.8 I_3$$

$$-193 + 10 I_1 + 10 I_2 + 10 I_3 + 0.8(-7.5) I_2 = 0$$

$$-193 + 10 I_1 + 10 I_3 - 5 + 10 I_3 - 6 I_3 + 3 = 0$$

$$-195 + 10(I_2 - 0.8 I_3) + 14 I_3 = 0$$

$$-200 + 16 I_3 = 0 \Rightarrow I_3 = 12.5 A, \quad I_2 = 12 A, \quad I_1 = 2 A$$

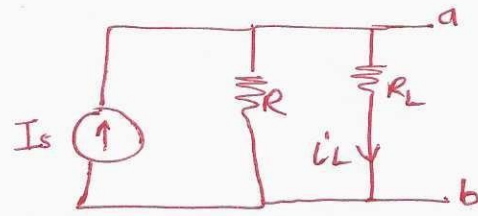
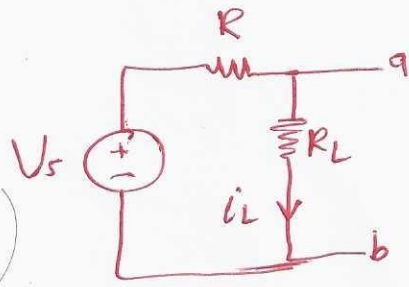
KVL

$$-193 + 10 I_1 + V_0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow V_0 = 193 - (10)(2) = 173 V$$

# 4.9 Source Transformations

source transformation will allow the transformations of a Voltage Source in series with a resistor to a current source in parallel with resistor

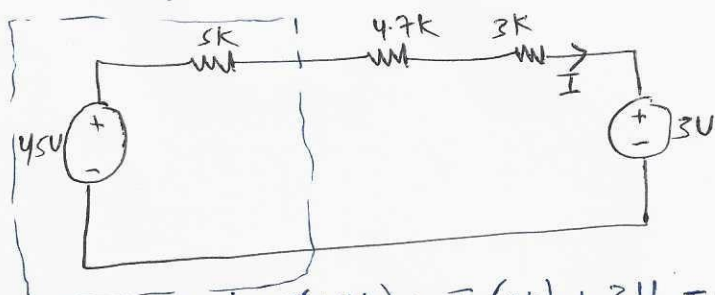
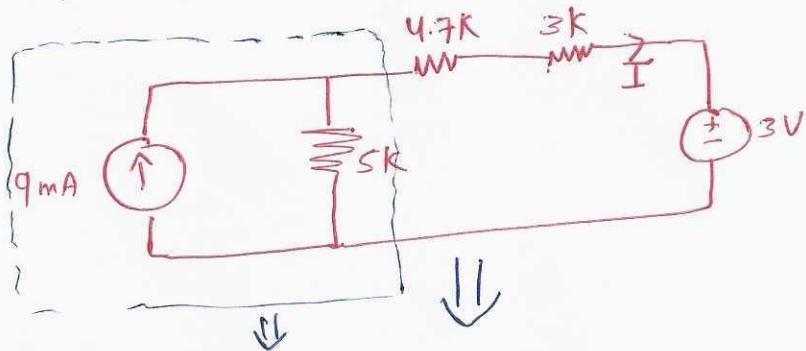


$$i_L = \frac{V_s}{R + R_L}$$

$$i_L = \frac{R I_s}{R + R_L}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{V_s}{R + R_L} = \frac{R I_s}{R + R_L} \quad \therefore V_s = R I_s \quad \text{or} \quad I_s = \frac{V_s}{R}$$

Examples- Find the current I using source transformation.



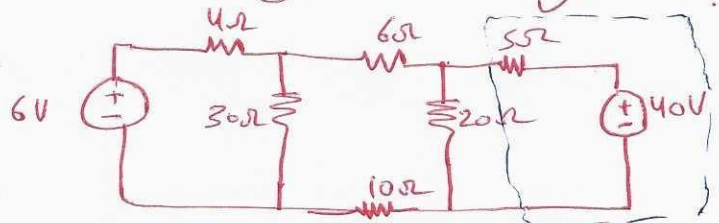
$$-45 + I(5k) + I(4.7k) + I(3k) + 3V = 0$$

$$I = \frac{45 - 3}{5k + 4.7k + 3k} = 3.3 \text{ mA}$$

Example 9- a) Find the power associated with the 6V source?

b) state whether the 6V source is absorbing or delivering power?

We are going to use source transformation to reduce the circuit, however, note that we will not alter or transvere the 6V source because it is the objective



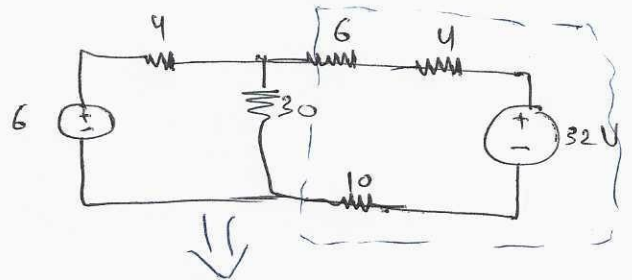
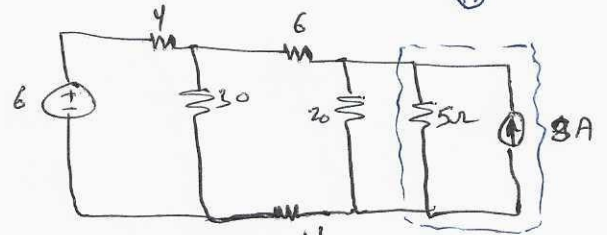
$$\frac{40}{5} = 8A$$

$$5 \parallel 20 = \frac{5 \times 20}{25} = 4\Omega$$

$$4 \times 8 = 32V$$

$$4 + 6 \neq 10 = 20\Omega$$

$$\frac{32}{20} = 1.6A$$



$$20 \parallel 30 = \frac{20 \times 30}{50} = 12\Omega$$

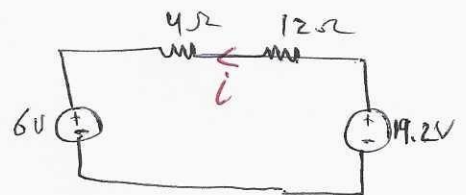
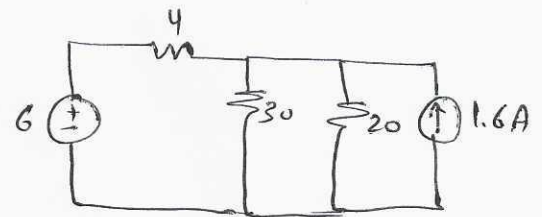
$$12 \times 1.6 = 19.2V$$

$$-19.2 + i(4 + 12) + 6 = 0$$

$$i = \frac{19.2 - 6}{16} = 0.825A$$

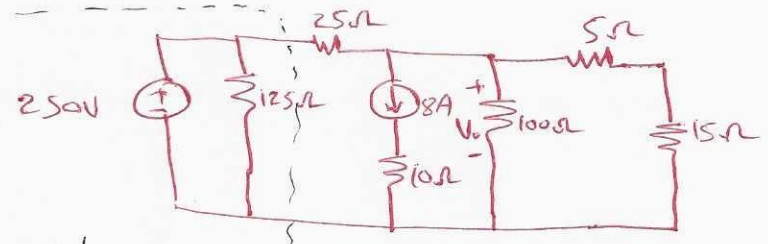
$$P_{6V} = Vi = (6)(0.825) = 4.95W$$

The 6V source is absorbing power.



Example 2 - use source transformations to find the voltage  $V_0$ ?

our objective is  $V_0$

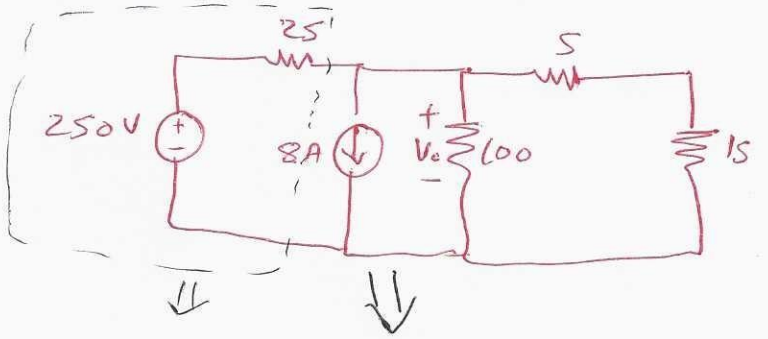


أبداً نريد أن نحذف الـ 125Ω resistor

Since the 125Ω resistor is connected across or in parallel to the 250V source then we can remove it without altering any voltage or current in the circuit except the 250V current which is not an objective any how. Therefore, we remove the 125Ω

similarly, the 10Ω resistor is connected in series with the 8A source, then we can remove it without altering any voltage or current in the circuit.

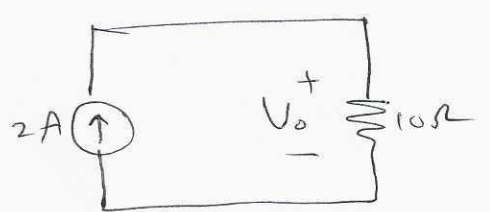
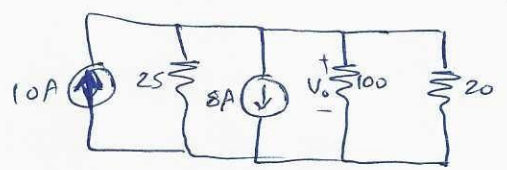
So the circuit become  $\Rightarrow$



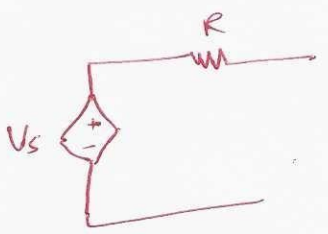
$$\frac{250}{25} = 10A$$

$$20 \parallel 100 \parallel 25 = 10\Omega$$

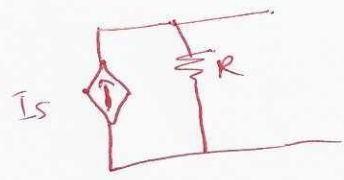
$$V_0 = (2)(10) = 20V$$



\* Dependent source



$$V_s = I_s R$$



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



Example: Find  $V_o$  using source transformation

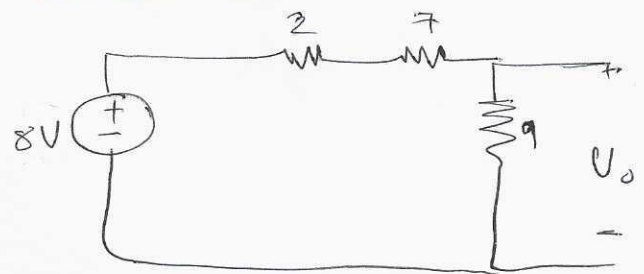
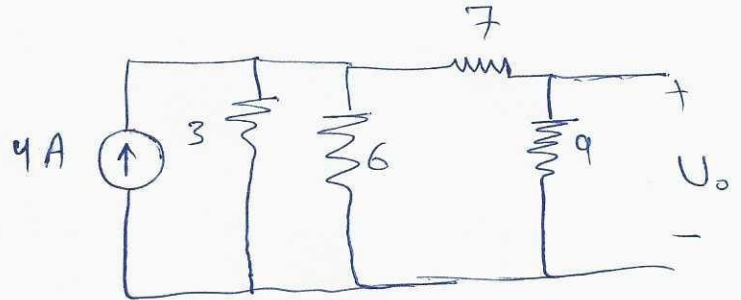
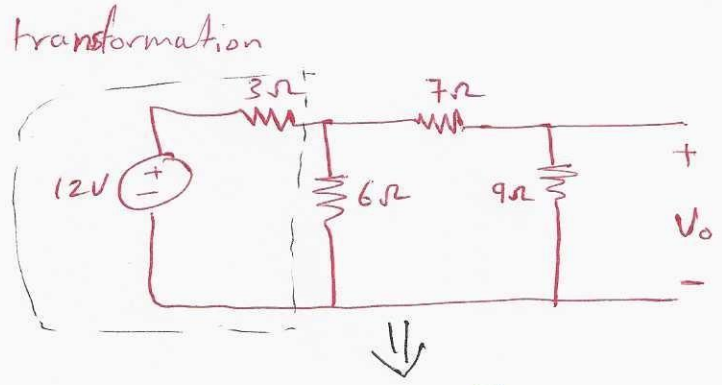
$$\frac{12}{3} = 4A$$

$$3 \parallel 6 = \frac{3 \times 6}{9} = 2 \Omega$$

$$2 \times 4 = 8V$$

$$2 + 7 = 9 \Omega$$

$$V_o = \frac{9}{9+9} \times 8 = 4V$$



### 4.13 Superposition

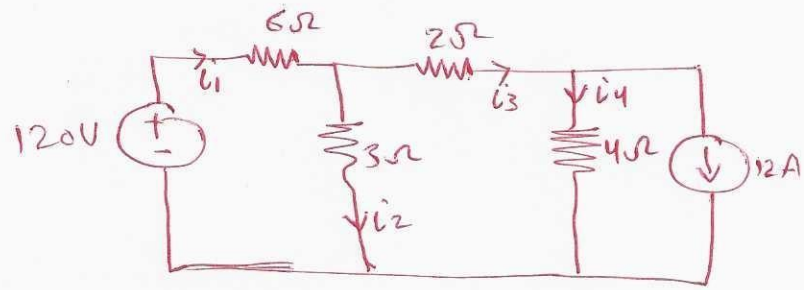
Whenever a linear system is excited or driven by more than one independent source of energy, the total response is the sum of the individual responses by the independent sources.

Dependent sources are left intact because they are controlled by circuit variables.

- 1- Turn off all independent sources except one source. Find the output (voltage or current) due to that source using nodal, mesh, Kirchhoff...
- 2- Repeat step 1 for each of the other independent sources
- 3- Find the total contribution by adding algebraically all the contributions due to each independent sources.



Example 8 Consider the following circuit, use the principle of superposition to find the branch currents  $i_1, i_2, i_3$  and  $i_4$



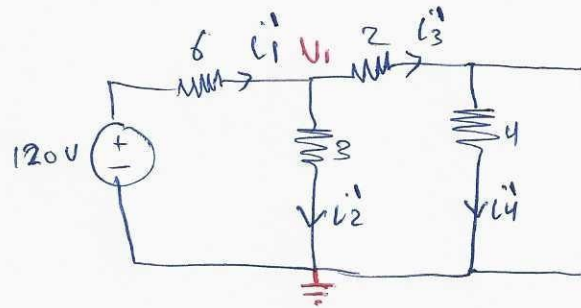
① Voltage source is active and deactivate the current source by opening it

using nodal, we can solve for  $V_1$

$$\frac{V_1 - 120}{6} + \frac{V_1}{3} + \frac{V_1}{2+4} = 0$$

$$V_1 - 120 + 2V_1 + V_1 = 0$$

$$V_1 = \frac{120}{4} = 30V$$



$$\text{So } i_1' = \frac{120 - 30}{6} = 15A, \quad i_2' = \frac{30}{3} = 10A, \quad i_3' = i_4' = \frac{30}{6} = 5A$$

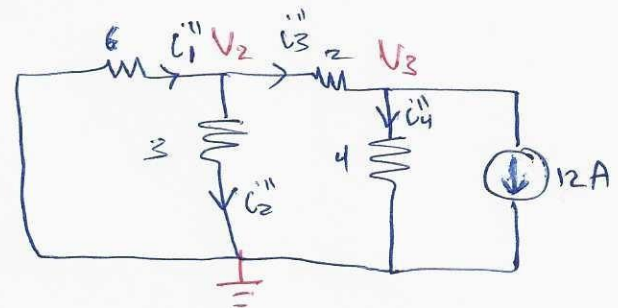
② Current source is active and deactivate the voltage source by shorting it

Using Nodal

$$\text{at } V_2: \quad \frac{V_2}{6} + \frac{V_2}{3} + \frac{V_2 - V_3}{2} = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$V_2 + 2V_2 + 3V_2 - 3V_3 = 0$$

$$V_2 = \frac{V_3}{2}$$



at  $V_3$

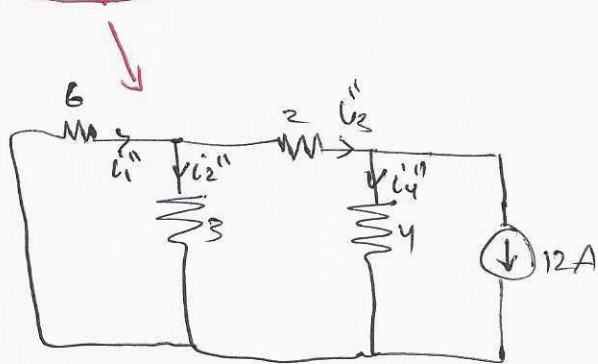
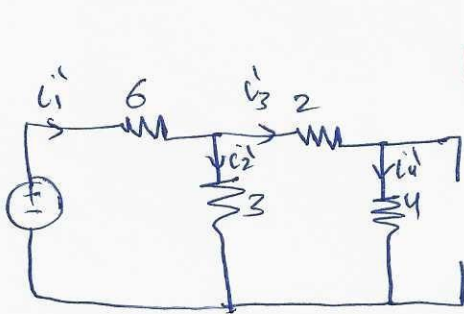
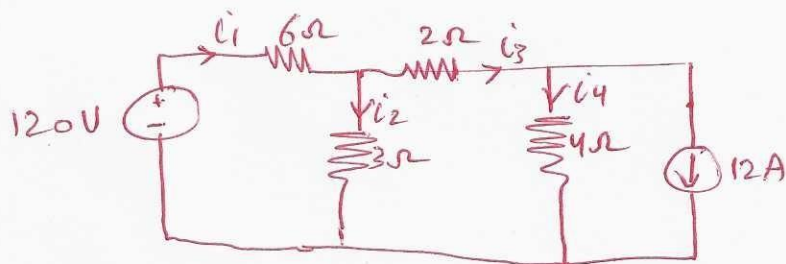
$$\frac{V_3 - V_2}{2} + \frac{V_3}{4} + 12 = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$4V_3 - 4V_2 + 2V_3 + 96 = 0$$

$$4V_3 - 4\left(\frac{V_3}{2}\right) + 2V_3 + 96 = 0$$

$$4V_3 = 96 \Rightarrow V_3 = \frac{96}{4} = 24 \Rightarrow V_2 = -12$$

$$\text{So } i_1'' = \frac{V_2}{6} = \frac{-12}{6} = -2A, \quad i_2'' = \frac{V_2}{3} = \frac{-12}{3} = -4A, \quad i_3'' = \frac{V_3}{2} = \frac{24}{2} = 12A, \quad i_4'' = \frac{V_3}{4} = \frac{24}{4} = 6A$$



Now

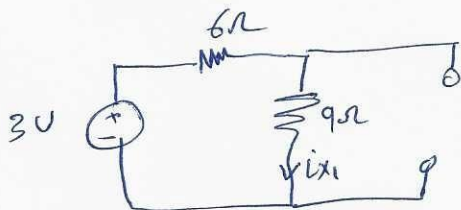
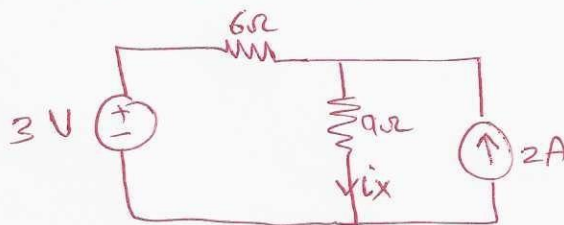
$$i_1 = i_1' + i_1'' = 15 + 2 = 17 \text{ A}$$

$$i_2 = i_2' + i_2'' = 10 + (-4) = 6 \text{ A}$$

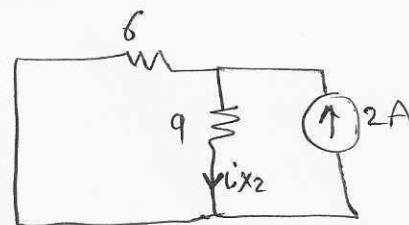
$$i_3 = i_3' + i_3'' = 5 + 6 = 11 \text{ A}$$

$$i_4 = i_4' + i_4'' = 5 + (-6) = -1 \text{ A}$$

Example - use superposition to solve for  $i_x$



$$i_{x1} = \frac{3}{15} = 0.2 \text{ A}$$

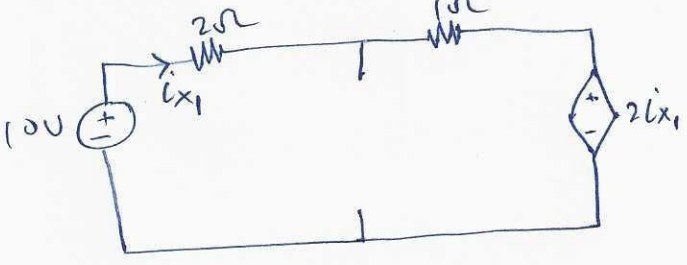
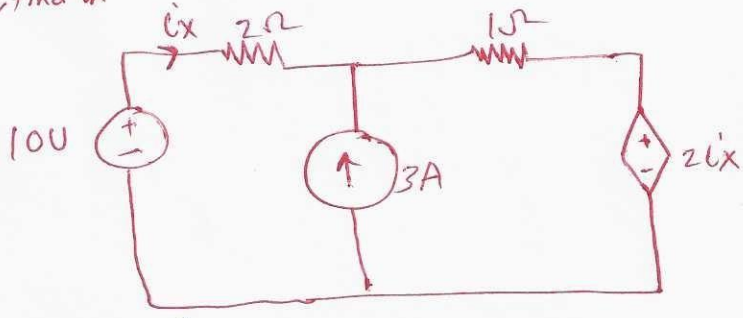


$$i_{x2} = \frac{6}{6+9} (2) = 0.8 \text{ A}$$

$$i_x = i_{x1} + i_{x2} = 0.2 + 0.8 = 1 \text{ A}$$

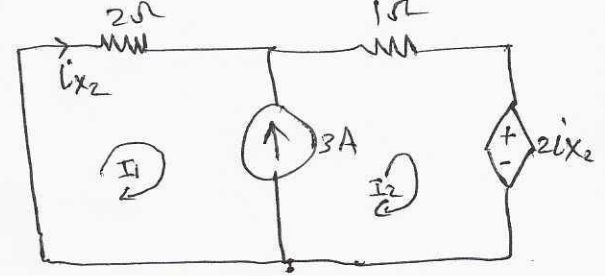
# Superposition with dependant source

Example: Using superposition, find  $i_x$



$$-10 + 3i_{x1} + 2i_{x1} = 0$$

$$\therefore i_{x1} = 2A$$



$$I_2 - I_1 = 3A, \quad I_1 = i_{x2}$$

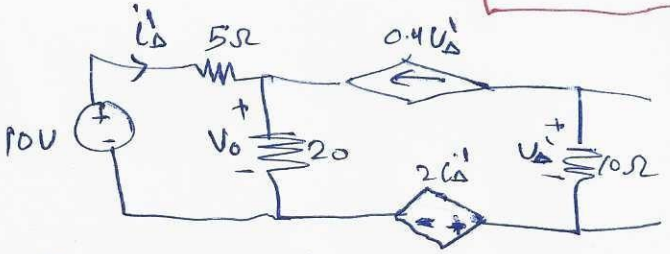
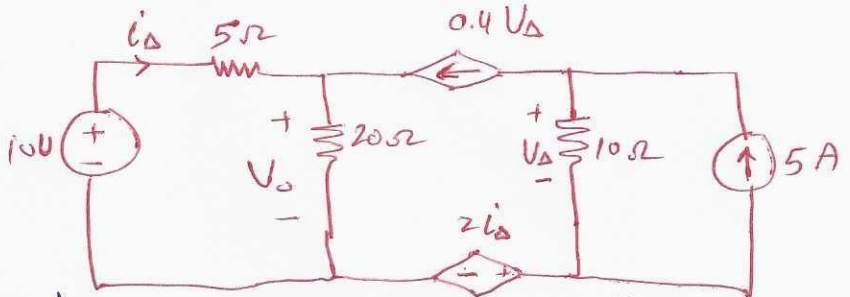
$$I_1(2) + I_2(1) + 2i_{x2} = 0$$

$$2i_{x2} + (3 + i_{x2}) + 2i_{x2} = 0$$

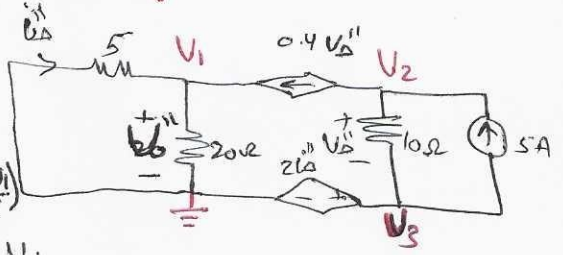
$$\therefore i_{x2} = -0.6A$$

$$\Rightarrow i_x = i_{x1} + i_{x2} = 2A + (-0.6A) = 1.4A$$

## Examples



From the circuit  
 $V_o' = (0.4V_o') (10) = 4V_o'$   
 This valid only if  $V_o' = 0$   
 So  $V_o' = \frac{20}{5}(10) = 8V$



$$V_1 = V_o''$$

$$V_2 = V_o'' + V_3$$

$$V_3 = 2i_d'' = 2\left(\frac{V_1}{5}\right)$$

at  $V_1$ :

$$\frac{V_1}{20} + \frac{V_1}{5} - 0.4V_o'' = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$5V_1 - 8V_2 + 8V_3 = 0$$

at  $V_2$ :

$$0.4V_o'' + V_2 - V_3$$

$$5V_1 - 8V_2 + 8V_3 = 0$$

$$V_3 = -\frac{2V_1}{5}$$

$$5V_1 - 8V_2 + 8\left(-\frac{2V_1}{5}\right) = 0$$

$$25V_1 - 40V_2 - 16V_1 = 0$$

$$9V_1 - 40V_2 = 0 \Rightarrow V_2 = \frac{9V_1}{40}$$

From (2)

$$0.4V_0'' + \frac{V_2 - V_3}{10} - 5 = 0$$

$$0.4(V_2 - V_3) + \frac{V_2 - V_3}{10} - 5 = 0$$

$$4V_2 - 4V_3 + V_2 - V_3 - 5 = 0$$

$$5V_2 - 5\left(-\frac{2V_1}{5}\right) - 5 = 0$$

$$5V_2 + 2V_1 - 5 = 0$$

$$5\left(\frac{9V_1}{40}\right) + 2V_1 - 5 = 0$$

$$9V_1 + 16V_1 - 40 = 0$$

$$V_1 = \frac{400}{25} = 16V = V_0''$$

$$\therefore N_0 = V_0' + V_0''$$

$$= 8 + 16 = 24V$$



## 4.10 Thevenin and Norton Equivalents

### Thevenin's theorem -

A linear two terminals circuit can be replaced by an equivalent circuit consisting of voltage source  $U_{th}$  in series with a resistor  $R_{th}$  where  $U_{th}$  is the open circuit voltage at the terminals and  $R_{th}$  is the input or equivalent resistance at the terminals when the independent sources are killed.

### Norton's theorem -

A linear two terminals circuit can be replaced by an equivalent circuit of a current source  $I_N$  in parallel with a resistor  $R_N$ , where  $I_N$  is the short circuit current through the terminals.

To find  $R_{th}$  or  $R_N$

Case I: If the circuit has no dependent sources, kill all independent sources and apply series and parallel combination.

Case II: If the circuit has dependent sources

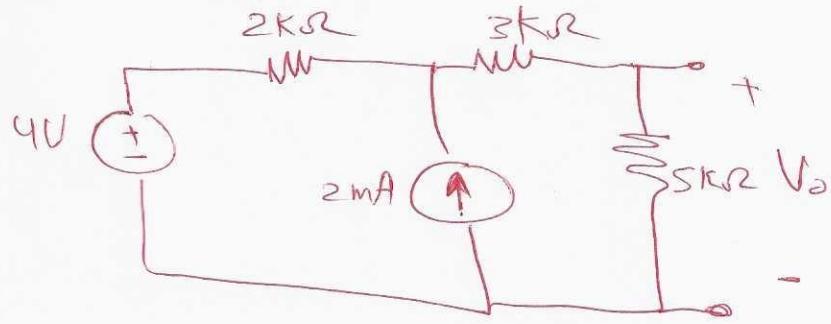
① Either by  $\frac{U_{th}}{I_N} = R_{th}$

② or by applying voltage source  $V_T$  or current source  $I_T$  and obtain  $R_{th} = \frac{V_T}{I_T}$  (kill all independent sources)



Example - Find  $V_o$  using Thevenin's theorem

To find  $V_{th}$ , we need to calculate  $V_{o.c}$ , we replace the  $5k\Omega$  by an open circuit.

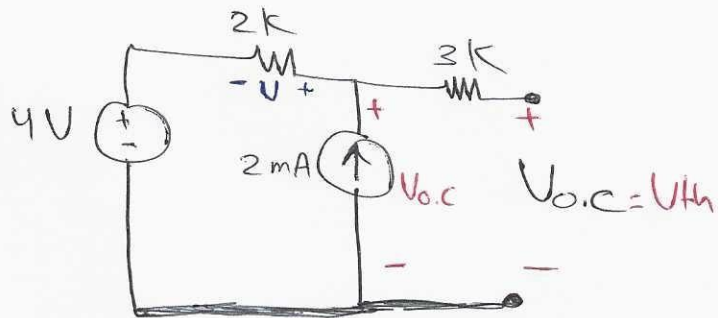
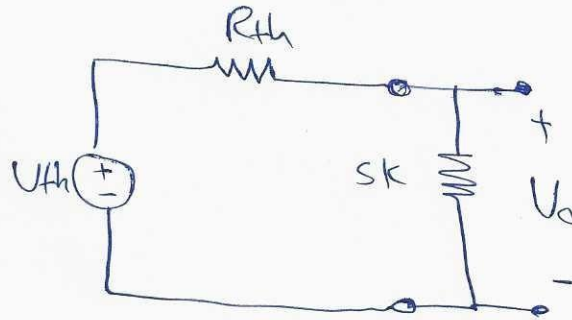


$$-4 + (-V) + V_{o.c} = 0$$

$$-4 + (-(2k)(2m)) + V_{o.c} = 0$$

$$-4 - 4 + V_{o.c} = 0$$

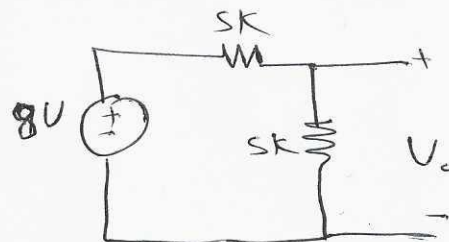
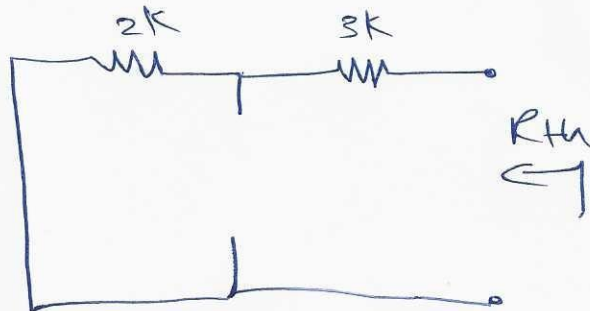
$$\therefore V_{o.c} = 8V = V_{th}$$



To find  $R_{th}$ , kill all independent sources

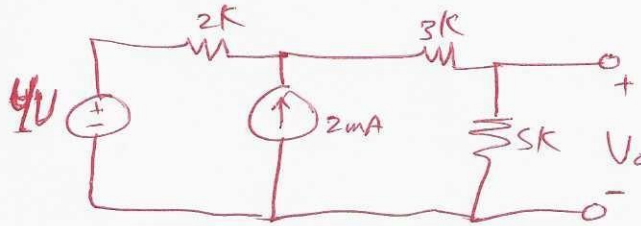
$$R_{th} = 2k + 3k = 5k\Omega$$

$$\therefore V_o = \frac{5}{5+5} (8) = 4V$$



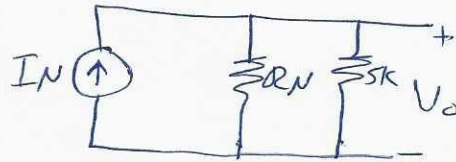
Example: Find  $V_o$  using Norton's theorem

To find  $I_N$ , we replace the  $5k\Omega$  by a short circuit



$$I_2 - I_1 = 2\text{mA} \Rightarrow I_2 = 2\text{mA} + I_1$$

$$I_2 = I_{sc} = I_N$$



$$-4 + 2k I_1 + 3k I_2 = 0$$

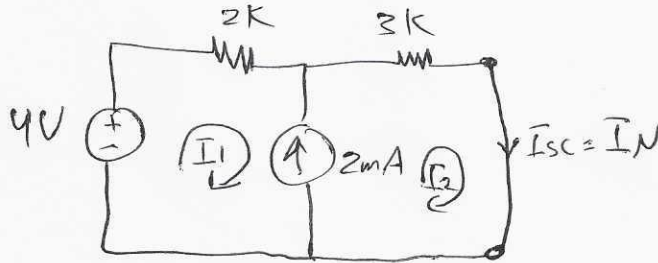
$$-4 + 2000 I_1 + 3000(2\text{mA} + I_1) = 0$$

$$-4 + 2000 I_1 + 6 + 3000 I_1 = 0$$

$$5000 I_1 = -2$$

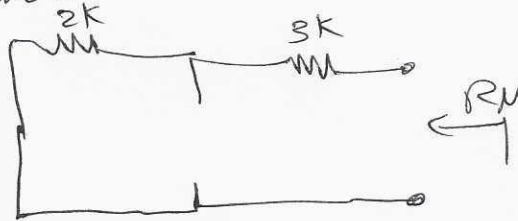
$$\therefore I_1 = \frac{-2}{5000} = -0.4\text{mA}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_2 = I_{s.c} = I_N = 2\text{mA} + (-0.4\text{mA}) = 1.6\text{mA}$$



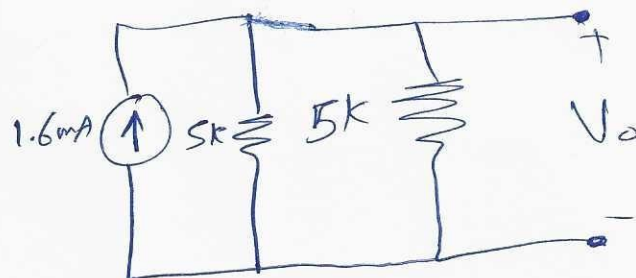
To find  $R_N$ , kill all independent sources

$$R_N = 2 + 3 = 5k\Omega$$



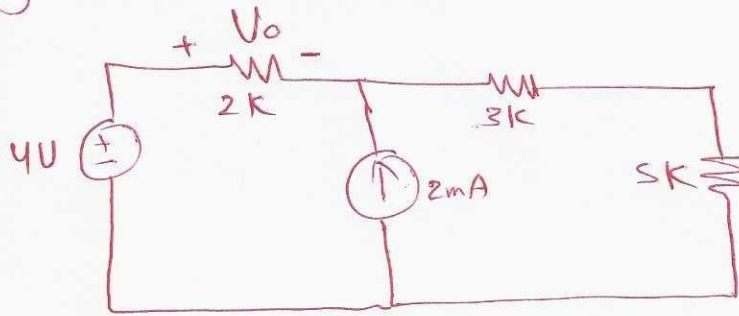
$$V_o = (1.6\text{mA})(5k\Omega)$$

$$= 4\text{V}$$



Example - Find  $V_o$  using Thevenin's theorem

To find  $V_{th}$ , replace the  $2k\Omega$  resistor by an open circuit



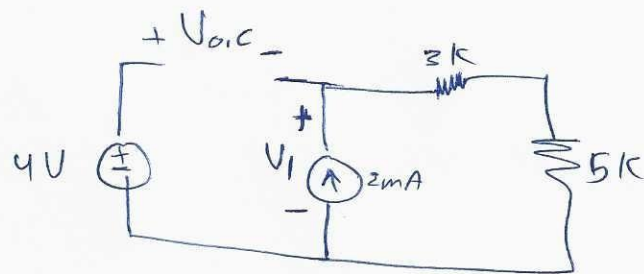
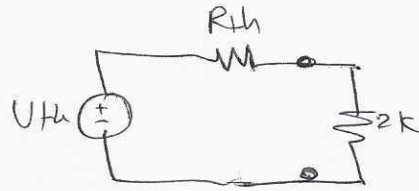
$$-4V + V_o.c + V_1 = 0$$

$$-V_1 + 2mA(3 + 5k\Omega) = 0$$

$$-V_1 + 16V = 0$$

$$\therefore V_1 = 16V$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{o.c} = -16 + 4 = -12V$$

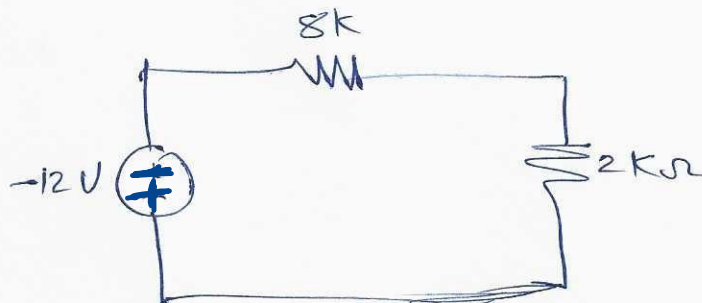
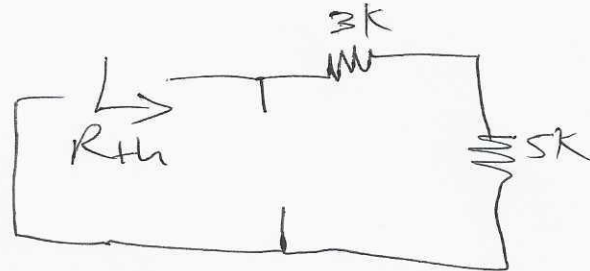


To find  $R_{th}$ , kill all independent sources

$$R_{th} = 3 + 5 = 8k$$

$$V_o = -12 \left( \frac{2}{2+8} \right)$$

$$= -2.4V$$



Example 8- for the circuit shown, find thevenin equivalent circuit with respect to the terminals a and b

$$V_{oc} = V_3 \left( \frac{10}{10+4} \right)$$

$$V_1 = 17.4V$$

at  $V_2$  :-

$$\frac{V_2 - 17.4}{40} + \frac{V_2}{15} + 0.1 = 0$$

at  $V_3$  :-

$$-0.1 + \frac{V_3}{14} + \frac{V_3 - 17.4}{26} = 0$$

$$-36.4 + 26V_3 + 14V_3 - 243.6 = 0$$

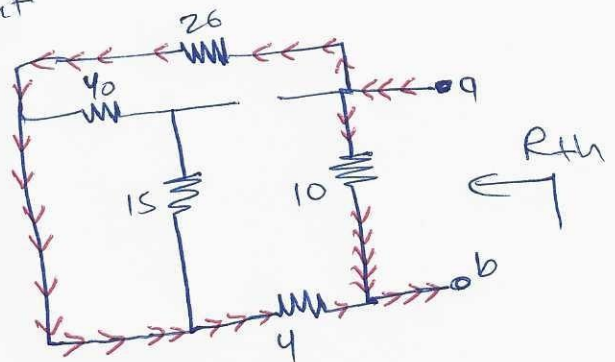
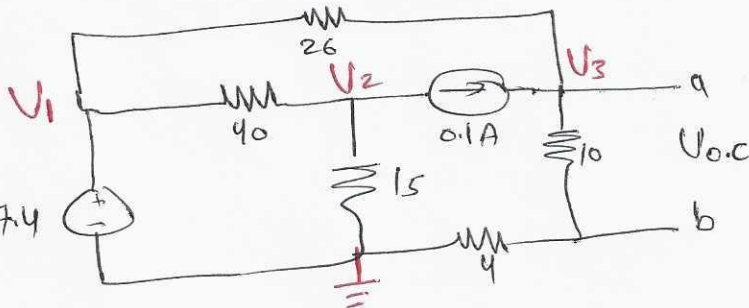
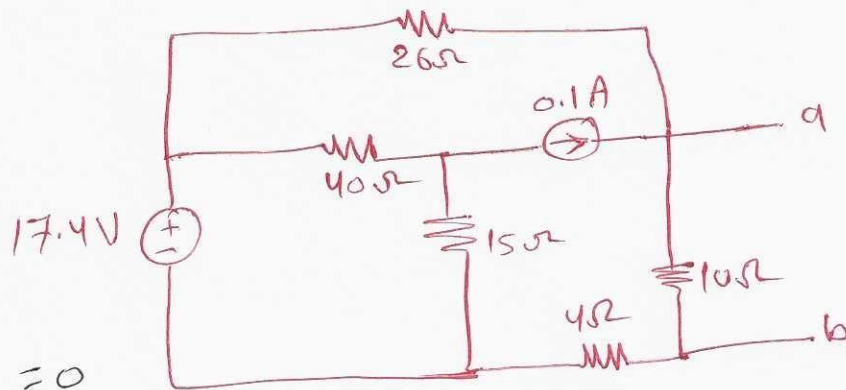
$$40V_3 = 280 \Rightarrow V_3 = 7V$$

$$\therefore V_{th} = V_{o.c} = 7 \left( \frac{10}{14} \right) = 5V$$

To find  $R_{th}$ , we kill all independent sources as :-

$$(26+4) \parallel (10) =$$

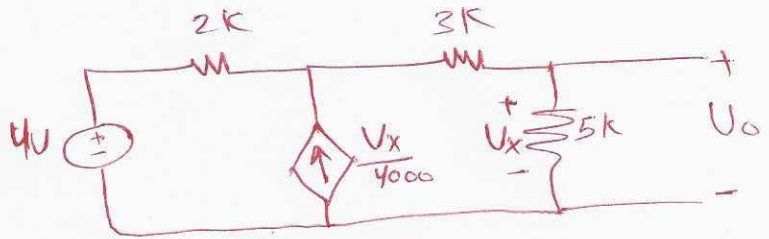
$$(30 \parallel 10) = \frac{30 \times 10}{40} = 7.5\Omega$$





Example 2 - Find  $V_o$  using thevenin's theorem

To find  $V_{th}$ , Replace the  $5k\Omega$  by an open circuit



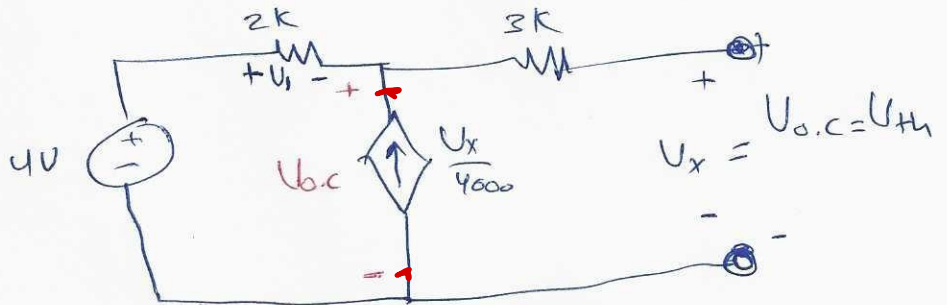
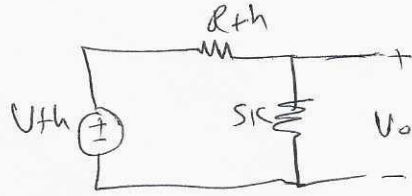
$$-4 + V_1 + V_o \cdot C = 0$$

$$-4 + \left(2k \left(\frac{V_x}{4000}\right)\right) + V_o \cdot C = 0$$

$$-4 - \frac{1}{2} V_x + V_x = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{2} V_x = 4V$$

$$V_x = V_o \cdot C = V_{th} = 8V$$



To find  $R_{th}$ , we can not use series parallel combination due to dependent sources but we can solve for  $R_{th}$  by two cases:-

$$\textcircled{1} R_{th} = \frac{V_{th}}{I_N} = \frac{V_{o.c}}{I_{s.c}}$$

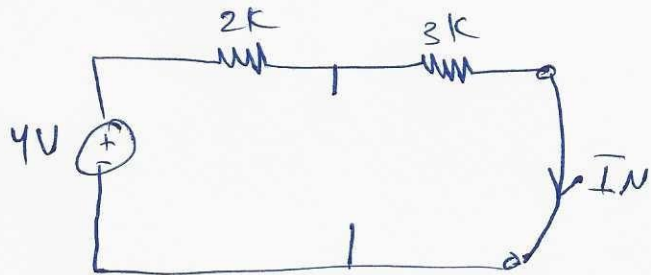
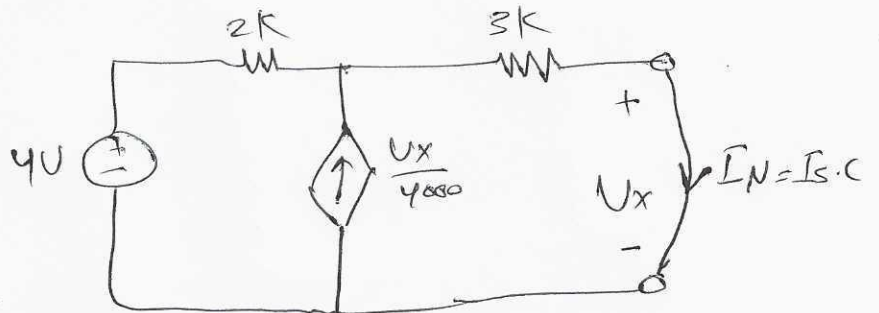
$$V_x = 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  dependent current source

$$\frac{V_x}{4000} = 0 \Rightarrow \text{open circuit}$$

$$-4 + I_N(2k + 3k) = 0$$

$$I_N = \frac{4}{5k} = 0.8 \text{ mA}$$



$\therefore R_{th} = \frac{8V}{0.8 \text{ mA}} = 10k\Omega$

$$(2) R_{th} = \frac{V_T}{I_T} \quad (\text{kill all independent sources})$$

To find  $I_T$ , we solve for  $V_1$

$$\frac{V_1}{2k} - \frac{V_x}{4000} + \frac{V_1 - 1}{3000} = 0$$

$$V_x = 1V$$

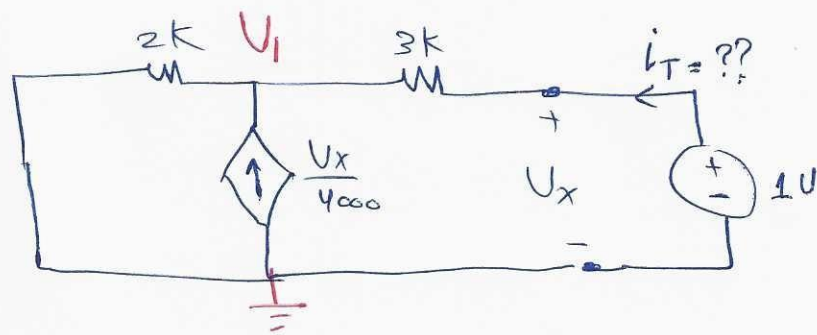
$$\frac{V_1}{2000} - \frac{1}{4000} + \frac{V_1 - 1}{3000} = 0$$

$$6V_1 - 3 + 4V_1 - 4 = 0$$

$$V_1 = \frac{7}{10}$$

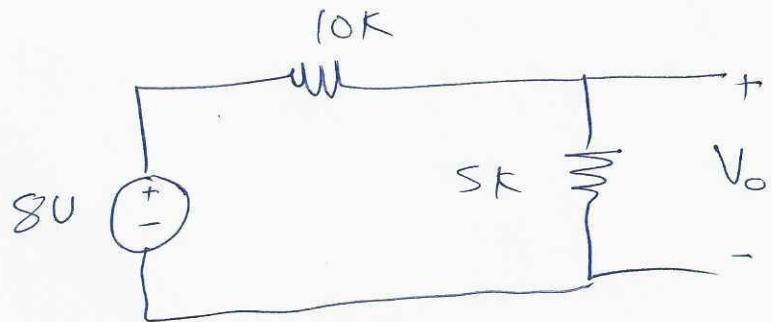
$$\therefore I_T = \frac{1 - 0.7}{3000} = \frac{0.3}{3000} = 0.1 \text{ mA}$$

$$\Rightarrow R_{th} = \frac{1}{0.1 \text{ mA}} = 10 \text{ k}\Omega$$



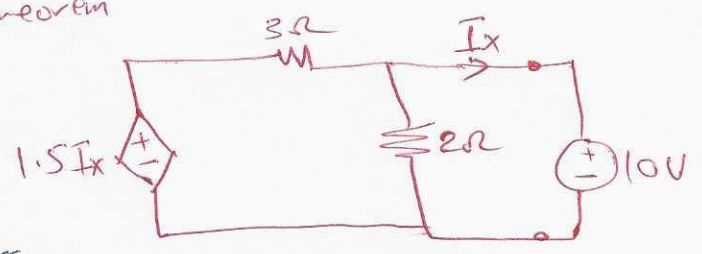
$$V_o = \frac{8}{5+10} (8)$$

$$= \frac{8}{3} \text{ V}$$



Example:- Find  $I_x$  using Thevenin's theorem

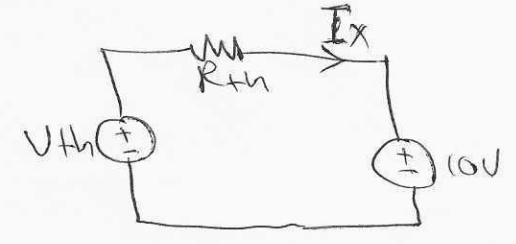
To find  $V_{th}$



Since there is no independent sources

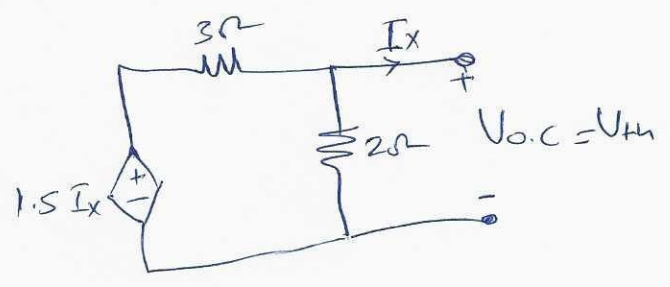
$$\therefore V_{th} = 0$$

to find  $R_{th}$  we can't use  $\frac{V_{th}}{I_N} = \frac{0}{0}$

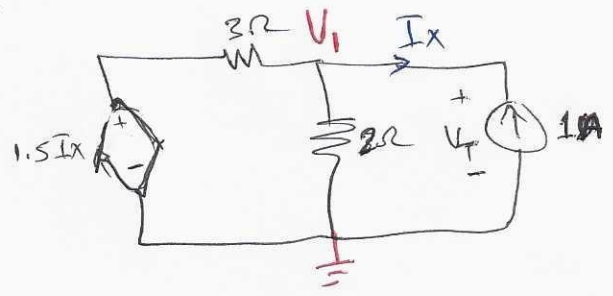


so we use  $\frac{V_T}{I_T}$

so we either apply a test voltage or a test source



so we solve for  $V_1$  which is equal to  $V_T$



$$\frac{V_1 - 1.5I_x}{3} + \frac{V_1}{2} - 1 = 0$$

$$I_x = -1A$$

$$\frac{V_1 - 1.5(-1)}{3} + \frac{V_1}{2} - 1 = 0$$

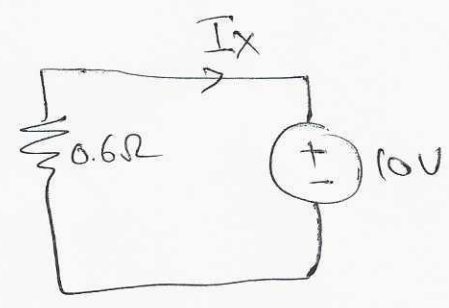
$$\frac{V_1 + 1.5}{3} + \frac{V_1}{2} - 1 = 0$$

$$2V_1 + 3 + 3V_1 - 6 = 0$$

$$5V_1 = 3 \Rightarrow V_1 = 0.6V$$

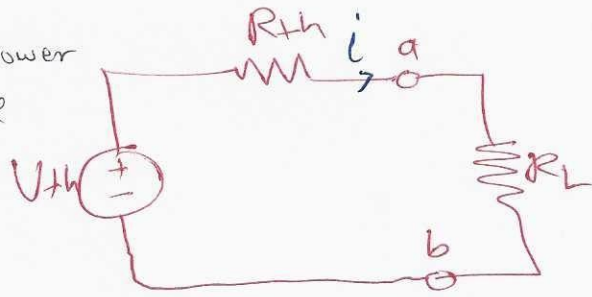
$$\therefore R_{th} = \frac{V_T}{I_T} = \frac{0.6}{1} = 0.6\Omega$$

$$\therefore I_x = -\frac{10}{0.6} = -16.67A$$



## 4.12 Maximum Power Transfer:-

A load resistance will receive maximum power from a circuit when the resistance of the load is exactly the same as the Thevenin's resistance.



$$P = i^2 R_L = \left( \frac{V_{th}}{R_{th} + R_L} \right)^2 R_L$$

$$\frac{dP}{dR_L} = V_{th}^2 \left[ \frac{(R_{th} + R_L)^2 - R_L \cdot 2(R_{th} + R_L)}{(R_{th} + R_L)^4} \right]$$

P is maximum when the derivative is zero and

$$(R_{th} + R_L)^2 - R_L \cdot 2(R_{th} + R_L) = 0$$

$$(R_{th} + R_L) [(R_{th} + R_L) - 2R_L] = 0$$

$$\therefore R_{th} + R_L - 2R_L = 0$$

$$R_{th} = R_L$$

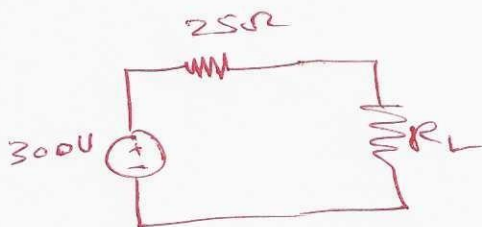
$$P_{max} = \left( \frac{V_{th}}{R_{th} + R_L} \right)^2 R_L, \quad R_L = R_{th}$$

$$= \frac{V_{th}^2}{(R_{th} + R_{th})^2} R_{th} = \frac{V_{th}^2}{(2R_{th})^2} R_{th} = \frac{V_{th}^2}{4R_{th}}$$



Example 2 - what is the value of  $R_L$  that will absorb the maximum power.

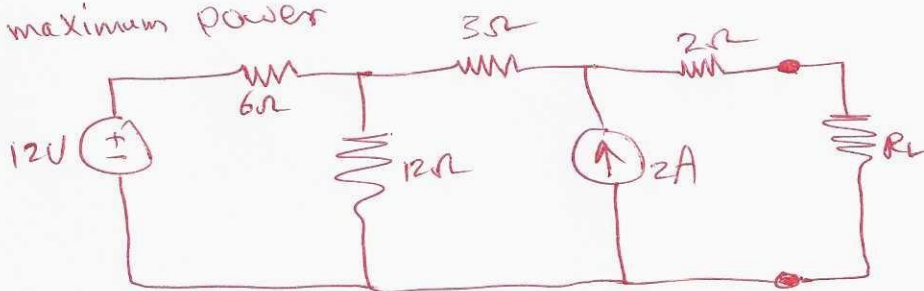
$R_L$	$P(w)$
15	843.75
20	888.88
25	900
30	892.56
35	875



$\therefore$  for  $R_L = R_{th} = 25\Omega$   
 $P$  will be the maximum

Example 2 - Find the value of  $R_L$  for maximum power transfer in the circuit shown

- Find the maximum power



To find  $V_{th}$   
 for mesh 2 -

$$I_2 = -2A$$

for mesh 1 -

$$-12 + I_1(6+12) - I_2(12) = 0$$

$$-12 + 18I_1 + 24 = 0$$

$$I_1 = \frac{-12}{18} = -\frac{2}{3}A$$

$$-12 + 6I_1 + 3I_2 + V_{o.c} = 0$$

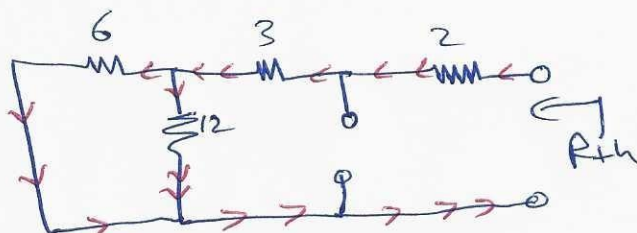
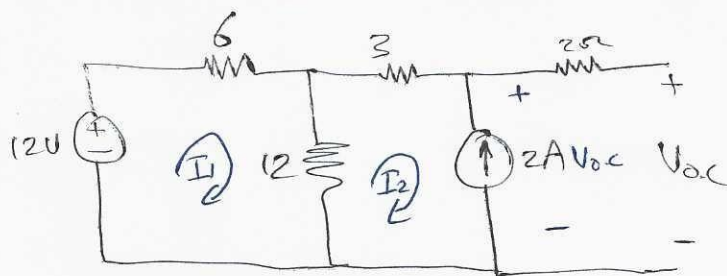
$$-12 + 6\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) + 3(-2) + V_{o.c} = 0$$

$$V_{o.c} = 22V = V_{th}$$

To find  $R_{th}$

$$R_{th} = (6 \parallel 12) + 3 + 2 = 4 + 3 + 2 = 9\Omega$$

$$\therefore R_L = R_{th} = 9\Omega$$



Example 8: Find the value of  $R_L$  for maximum power transfer in the circuit shown.

- Find the maximum power

To find  $V_{th}$   
for mesh (1)

$$I_1 = 2 \text{ mA}$$

for mesh (2)

$$I_2(3+6)k - I_1(3k) + 3V = 0$$

$$9000 I_2 - 6 + 3 = 0$$

$$I_2 = \frac{1}{3} \text{ mA}$$

$$V_{th} - V_2 - V_1 = 0$$

$$V_{th} - (6k)(\frac{1}{3} \text{ mA}) - (4k)(2 \text{ mA}) = 0$$

$$V_{th} - 2 - 8 = 0$$

$$V_{th} = 10 \text{ V}$$

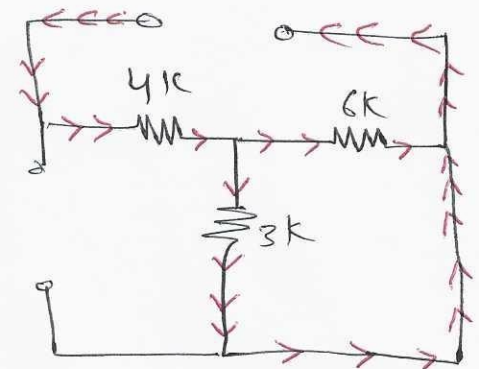
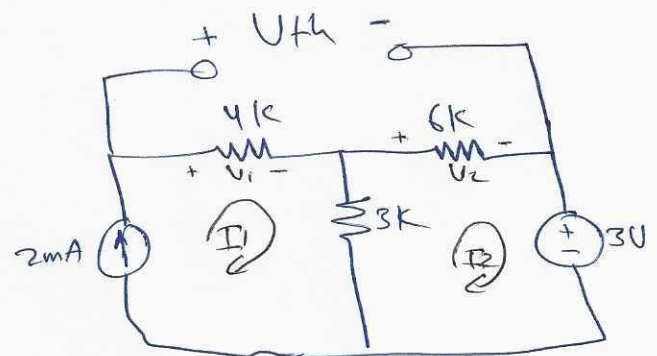
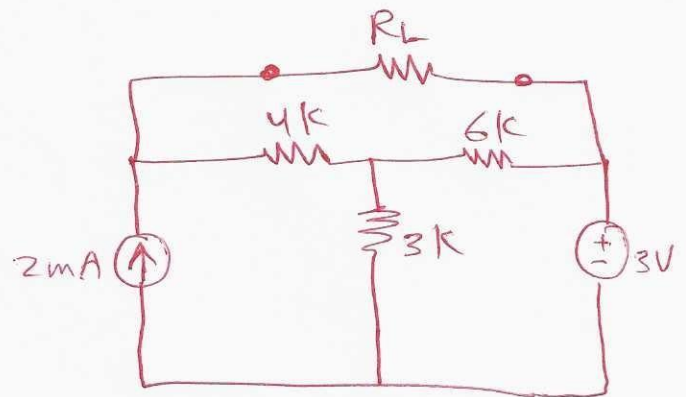
To find  $R_{th}$

$$R_{th} = 4 + (3 \parallel 6)$$

$$= 4k + 2k = 6k\Omega$$

$$\therefore R_L = R_{th} = 6k\Omega$$

$$P_{Lmax} = \frac{V_{th}^2}{4R_{th}} = \frac{(10)^2}{4(6)} = \frac{25}{6} \text{ mW}$$



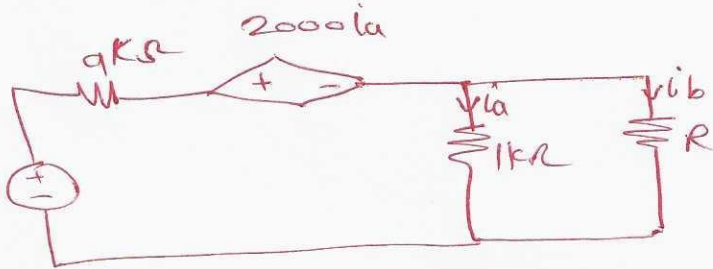
Example: For the circuit shown below, the current  $i_a$  has units of Amps. Determine:

- The resistance  $R$  that will cause the current  $i_b$  in the circuit to be  $4\text{mA}$ .
- The resistance  $R$  that will cause maximum power transfer to  $L$  from the circuit.

① To solve for  $R$

$$-8 + 9000i + 2000i_a + 1000i_a = 0 \quad 8V$$

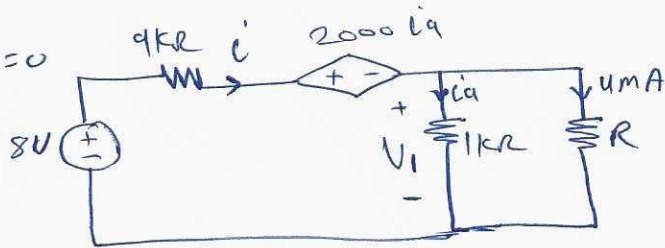
$$i = i_a + 4\text{mA}$$



$$-8 + 9000(i_a + 4\text{mA}) + 2000i_a + 1000i_a = 0$$

$$-8 + 9000i_a + 36 + 2000i_a + 1000i_a = 0$$

$$-8 + 12000i_a + 36 = 0$$



$$i_a = \frac{-28}{12000} = -2.33\text{mA}$$

$$V_1 = i_a (1k\Omega) = -2.33\text{V}$$

$$R = \frac{V_1}{4\text{mA}} = \frac{-2.33\text{V}}{4\text{mA}} = -582.5\Omega$$

② To find  $R_{th} = \frac{V_{o.c}}{I_{sc}}$

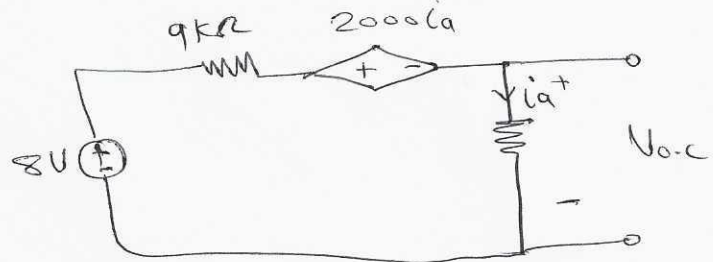
To find  $V_{o.c}$

$$-8V + 9000i_a + 2000i_a + 1000i_a = 0$$

$$-8 + 12000i_a = 0$$

$$i_a = \frac{8}{12}\text{mA} = \frac{2}{3}\text{mA}$$

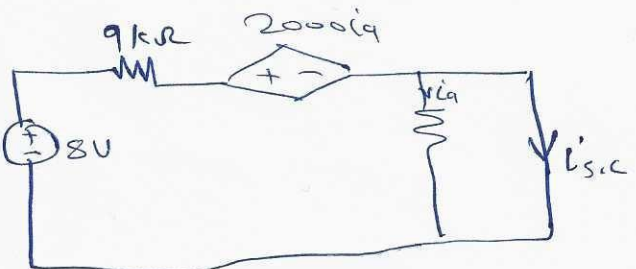
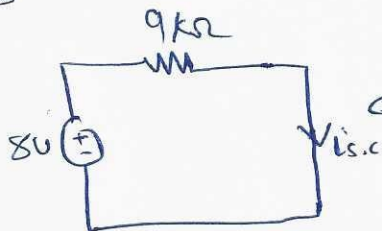
$$V_{o.c} = 1000i_a = \frac{2}{3}\text{V}$$



To find  $I_{sc}$

$$i_a = 0$$

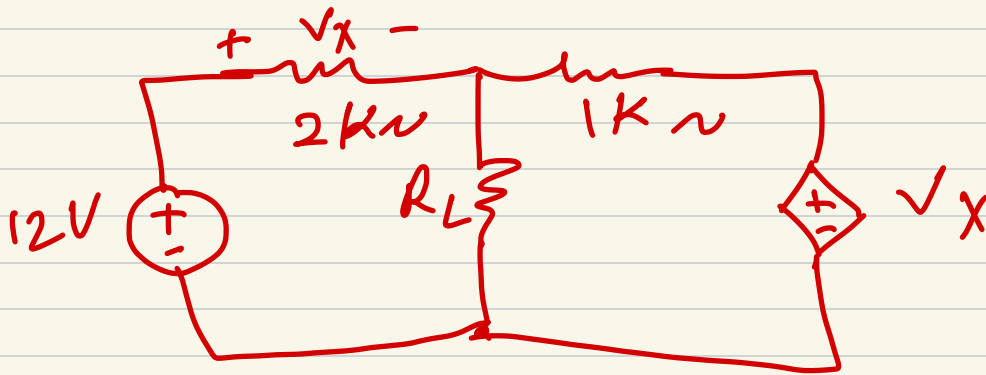
$$-8V + 9000i_{sc} = 0$$



$$I_{sc} = \frac{8}{9}\text{mA}$$

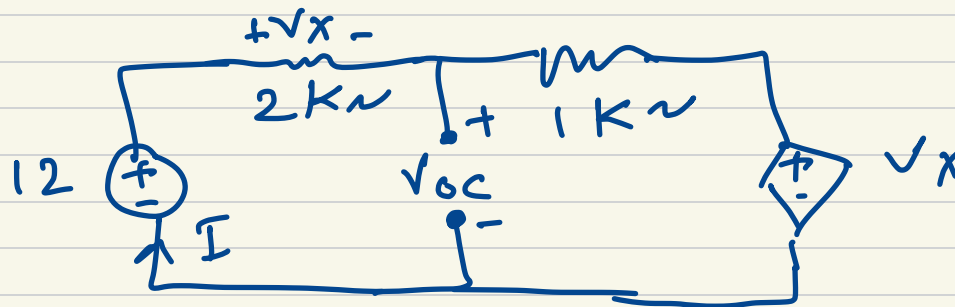
$$R_{th} = \frac{V_{o.c}}{I_{sc}} = \frac{\frac{2}{3}\text{V}}{\frac{8}{9}\text{mA}} = 0.75k\Omega = 750\Omega$$

Find  $P_{max}$  on  $R_L$



$$P = \frac{V_{TH}^2}{4R_L}$$

to find  $V_{TH}$



$$V_x = I(2k) = 2I \text{ k}$$

$$I = \frac{12 - V_x}{3k} = \frac{12 - 2I}{3} \rightarrow 3I = 12 - 2I$$

$$I = \frac{12}{5} = 2.4 \text{ mA}$$

$$-12 + 2(2.4) + V_{o.c} = 0$$

$$V_{o.c} = 7.2 \text{ Volt}$$

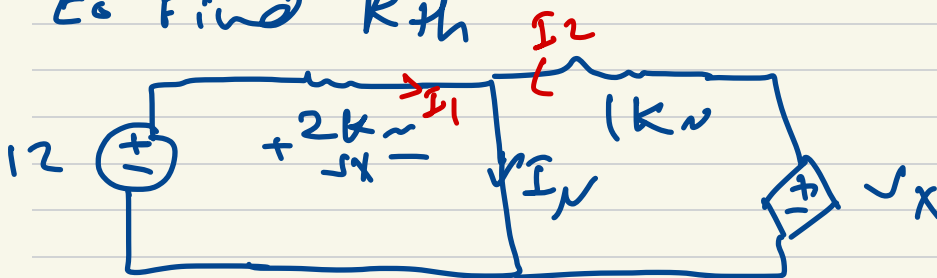
to find  $R_{th}$

$$R_{th} = \frac{V_{th}}{I_N} = \frac{7.2}{18}$$

$$= 0.4 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$P_{max} = \frac{V_{th}^2}{4R_{th}} = \frac{(7.2)^2}{4(0.4)}$$

$$= 32.4 \text{ mW}$$



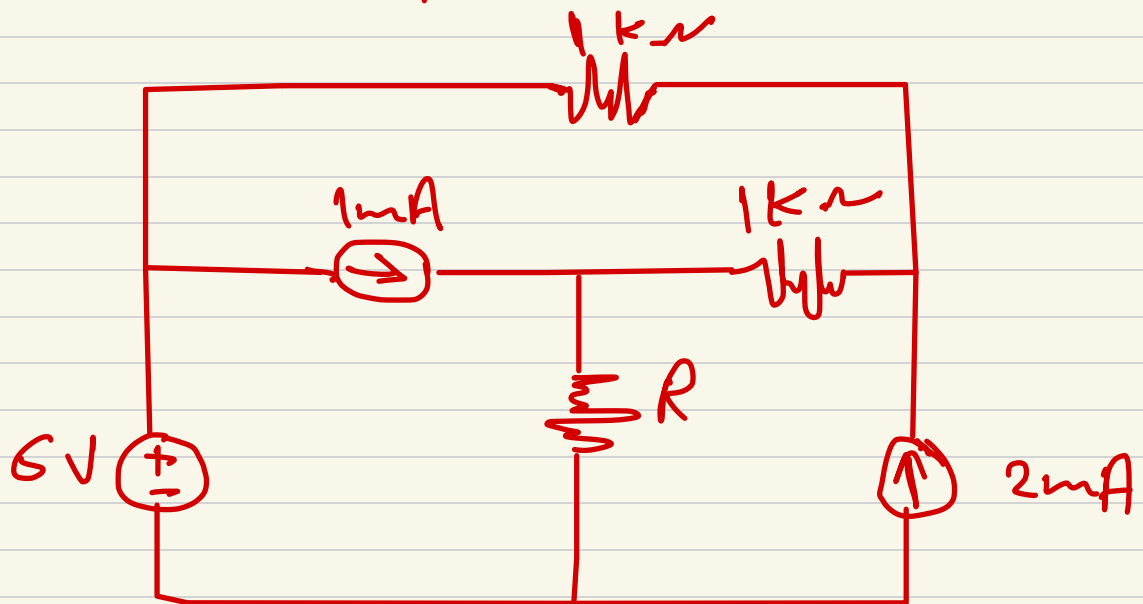
$$I_1 = \frac{12}{2} = 6 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_2 = \frac{V_x}{1k} \text{ (} V_x = 12 \text{)} = 12 \text{ mA}$$

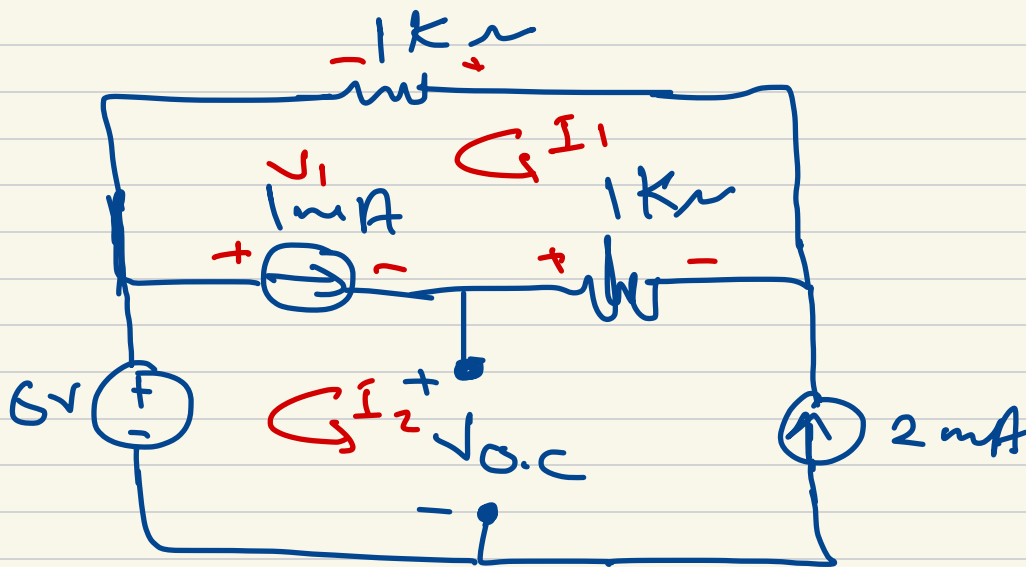
$$I_N = I_1 + I_2 = 18 \text{ mA}$$



Find maximum Power transfer on R



to Find  $V_{th}$



$$I_1 - I_2 = 1\text{mA} \rightarrow I_1 = 3\text{mA}$$

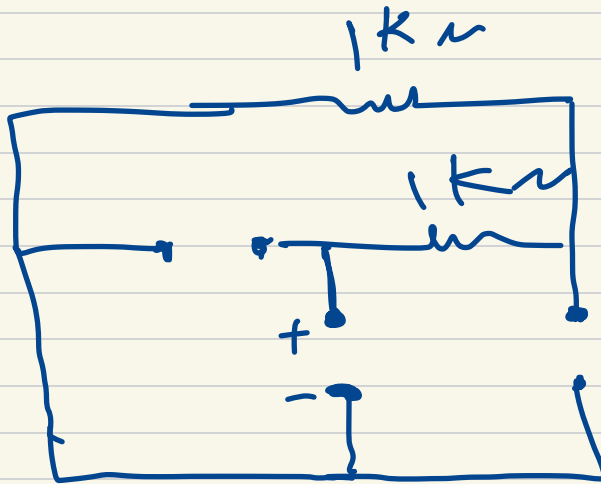
$$I_2 = 2\text{mA}$$

$$V_1 + 1 + 3 = 0 \rightarrow V_1 = -4\text{ Volt}$$

$$V_{o.c} - 6 + V_1 = 0$$

$$V_{o.c} - 6 - 4 = 0 \rightarrow V_{o.c} = 10\text{ Volt}$$

to find  $R_{th}$



$$R_{th} = 1k\Omega + 1k\Omega = 2k\Omega$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } P_{max} &= \frac{V_{th}^2}{4R_{th}} \\ &= \frac{(10)^2}{(4)(2)} = 12.5\text{mW} \end{aligned}$$