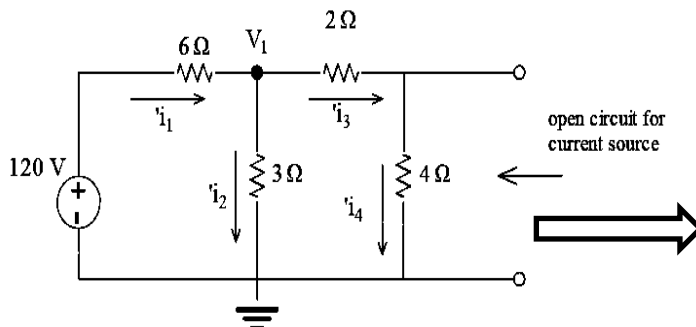


Chapter 3 solved problem

1. Use superposition to find i_1, i_2, i_3, i_4 ?

Solution

- If independent voltage source is activated 120 V on



- Using KCL at V_1 (nodal analysis)

$$i_1 - i_2 - i_3 = 0$$

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

$$20 - V_1 \left(\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{6} \right) = 0$$

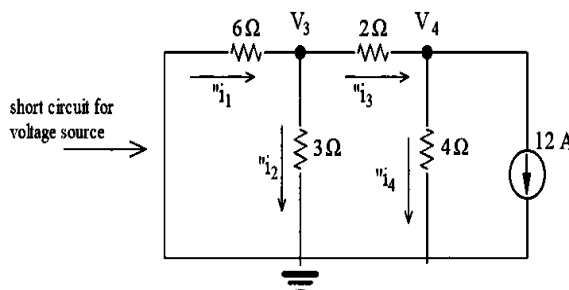
$$\Rightarrow V_1 = 30 \text{ V}$$

$$i_1 = \frac{120 - V_1}{6} = \frac{90}{6} = 15 \text{ A}$$

$$i_2 = \frac{V_1}{3} = \frac{30}{3} = 10 \text{ A}$$

$$i_3 = i_4 = \frac{V_1}{6} = 5 \text{ A}$$

- If independent current source is activated



KCL at V_4 : $i_3 - i_4 - 12 = 0$

$$\frac{V_3 - V_4}{2} - \frac{V_4}{4} - 12 = 0$$

$$2V_3 - 2V_4 - V_4 = 48$$

$$2V_3 - 3V_4 = 48 \quad \dots\dots(2)$$

$$V_3 = -12 \text{ V}$$

$$V_4 = -24 \text{ V}$$

KCL at V_3 :

$$i_1 - i_2 - i_3 = 0$$

$$\frac{-V_3}{6} - \frac{V_3}{3} - \frac{V_3 - V_4}{2} = 0$$

$$-V_3 - 2V_3 - 3(V_3 - V_4) = 0$$

$$-6V_3 + 3V_4 = 0 \quad \dots\dots(1)$$

$$i_1 = \frac{-V_3}{6} = \frac{12}{6} = 2 \text{ A}$$

$$i_2 = \frac{V_3}{3} = \frac{-12}{3} = -4 \text{ A}$$

$$i_3 = \frac{V_3 - V_4}{2} = \frac{-12 + 24}{2} = 6 \text{ A}$$

$$i_4 = \frac{V_4}{4} = \frac{-24}{4} = -6 \text{ A}$$

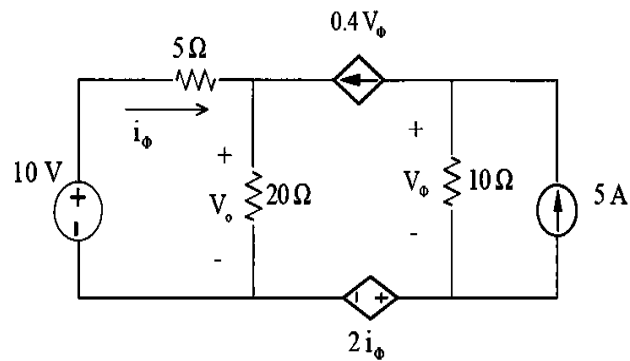
$$i_1 = i_1' + i_1'' = 15 + 2 = 17 \text{ A}$$

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

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

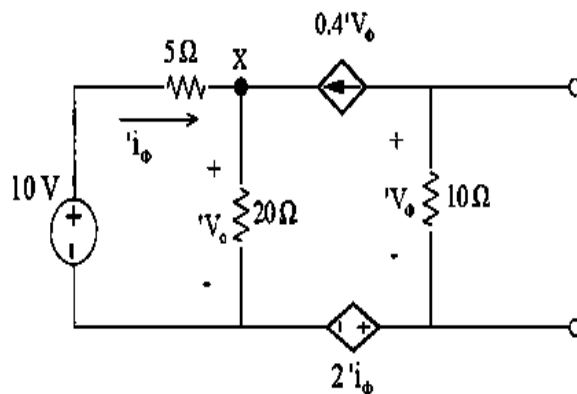
$$i_4 = i_4' + i_4'' = 5 - 6 = -1 \text{ A}$$

2. Use super position to find V_0 ?



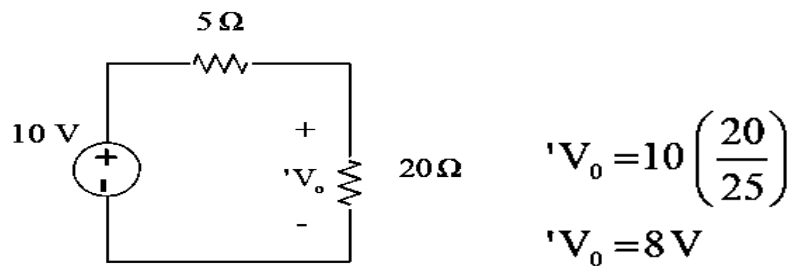
Solution:

➤ Activate voltage source only:

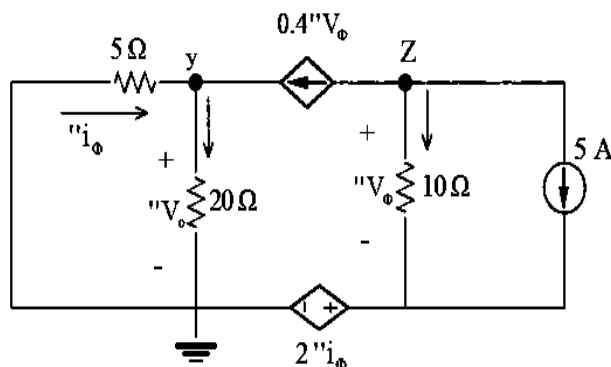


$$\begin{aligned} V_φ &= 10 (0.4 V_φ) = 4 V_φ \\ V_φ &= 4 V_φ \Rightarrow V_φ = 0 \end{aligned}$$

This indicates Dependent current source is open



➤ Activate independent current source only:



KCL at node (y):

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{-V_φ}{5} - \frac{V_φ}{20} + 0.4 V_φ &= 0 \\ -4 V_φ - V_φ + 8 V_φ &= 0 \\ -5 V_φ + 8 V_φ &= 0 \quad \dots\dots(1) \end{aligned}$$

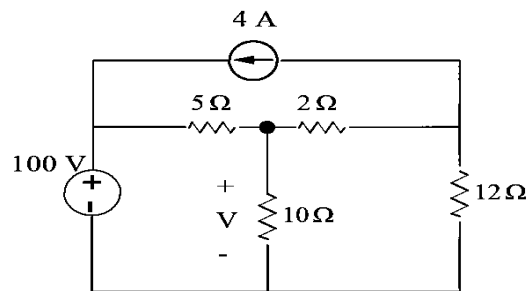
$$5 + \frac{{}^nV_\phi}{10} + 0.4 {}^nV_\phi = 0$$

$$0.5 {}^nV_\phi = -5 \Rightarrow {}^nV_\phi = -10 \text{ V}$$

$$\therefore {}^nV_0 = \frac{8}{5} {}^nV_\phi = \frac{-80}{5} = -16 \text{ V}$$

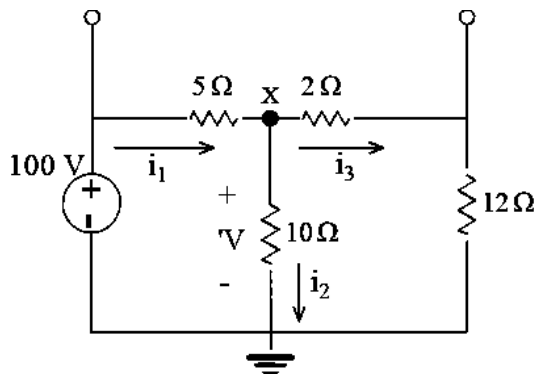
$$V_0 = {}^nV_0 + {}^nV_0 = 8 - 16 = -8 \text{ V}$$

3. Use superposition to find V?



Solution

➤ Activate voltage source only:



Apply KCL at node (x) :

$$i_1 - i_2 - i_3 = 0$$

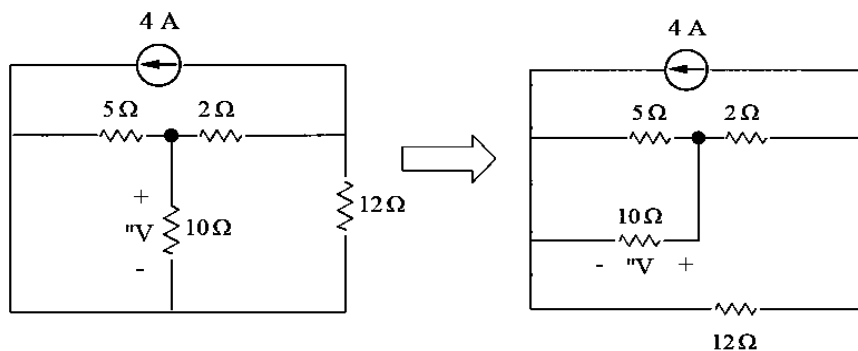
$$\frac{100 - {}^nV}{5} - \frac{{}^nV}{10} - \frac{{}^nV}{14} = 0$$

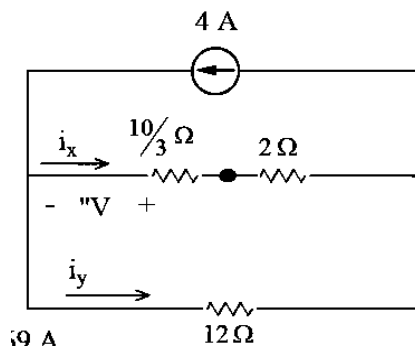
$$22 - \frac{{}^nV}{5} - \frac{{}^nV}{10} - \frac{{}^nV}{14} = 0$$

$${}^nV \left[\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{14} \right] = 22$$

$${}^nV = 59.23 \text{ V}$$

➤ Activate independent current source only:



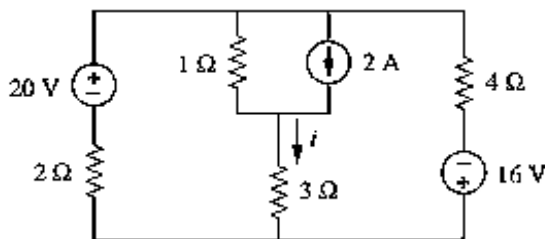


$$i_x = 4 \text{ A} \left(\frac{12}{12 + \frac{10}{3} + 2} \right) = 2.769 \text{ A}$$

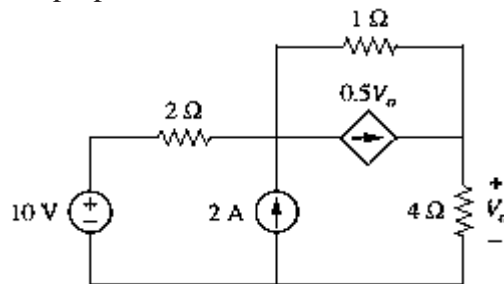
$$"V = -i_x \left(\frac{10}{3} \right) = -9.23 \text{ V}$$

$$V = 'V + "V = 59.23 - 9.23 = 50 \text{ V}$$

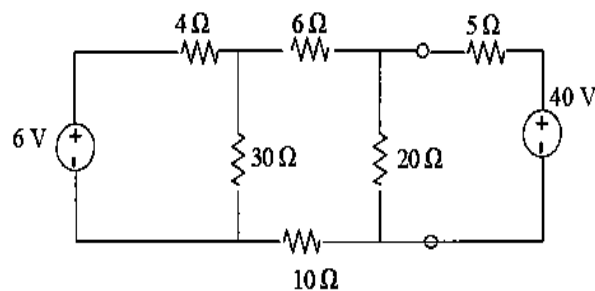
4. For the following circuit, use superposition to find i . Calculate the power delivered to the resistor. 3 ohms.



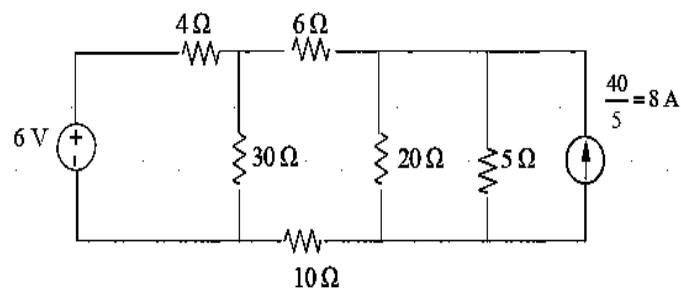
5. Use superposition to find V_o in the circuit



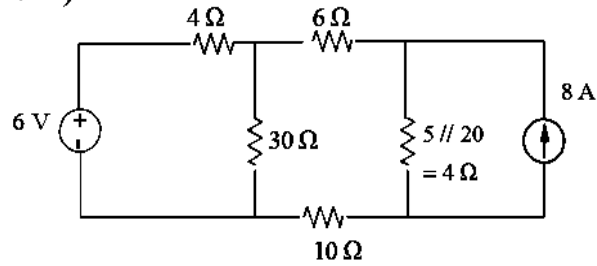
6. Using source transformation, find the power associated with the 6 V source.



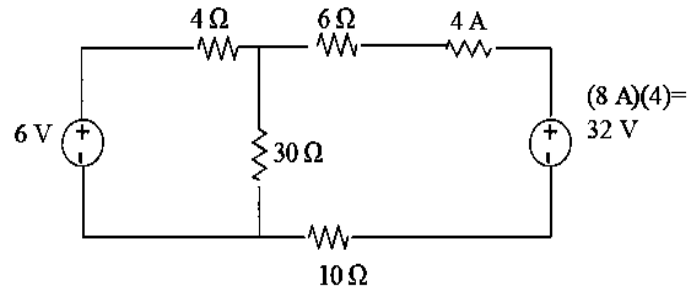
Consider the 40 V source in series with (5Ω)



Take (5// 20 Ω)

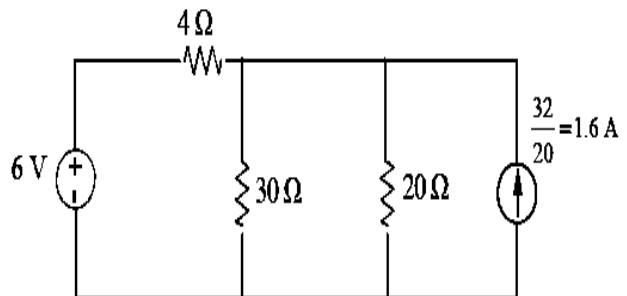
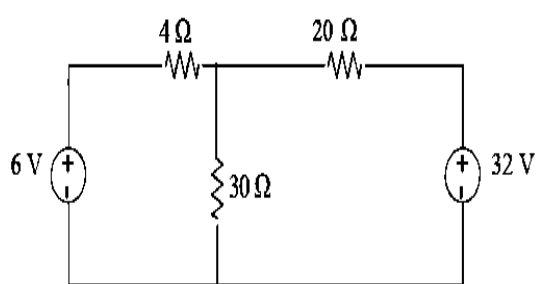


Consider 8A in parallel with (4 Ω)



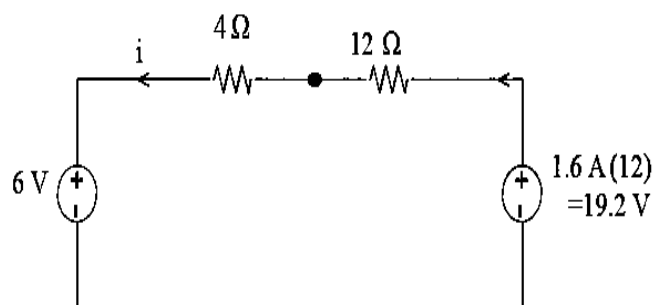
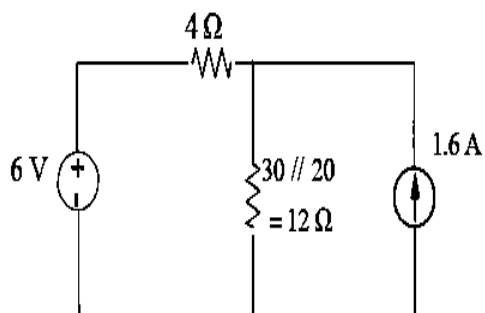
Take (4+6+10) in series

Consider 32 V in series with (20 Ω)



Take (30//20 Ω)

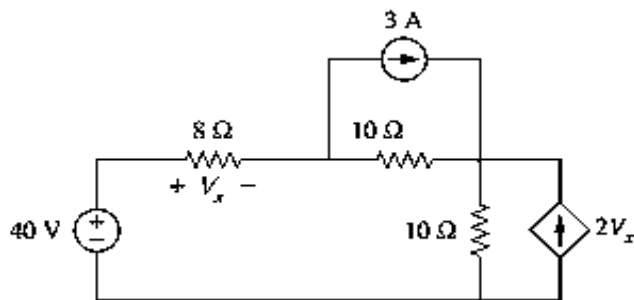
Consider 1.6A in parallel with (15 Ω)



$$i = \frac{19.2 - 6}{4 + 12} = 0.825 \text{ A} \Rightarrow P_{6V} = v i = 6 (0.825)$$

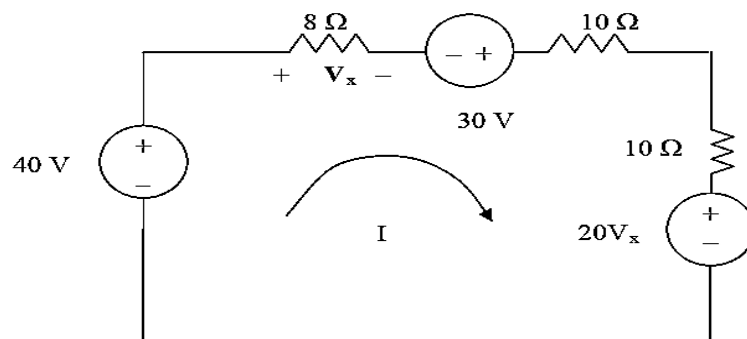
$$P_{6V} = 4.95 \text{ W (absorbing)}$$

7. Use source transformation to find the voltage in V_x the circuit



Solution:

Transform the two current sources in parallel with the resistors into their voltage source equivalents yield, a 30-V source in series with a 10-Ω resistor and a $20V_x$ -V sources in series with a 10-Ω resistor.

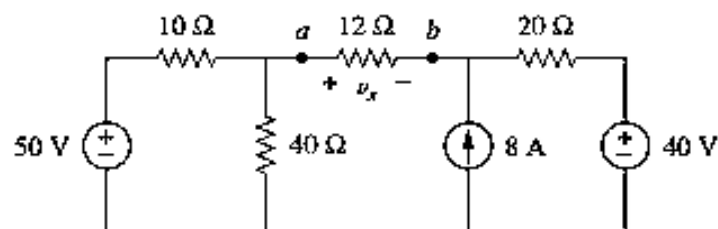


We now write the following mesh equation and constraint equation which will lead to a solution for V_x ,

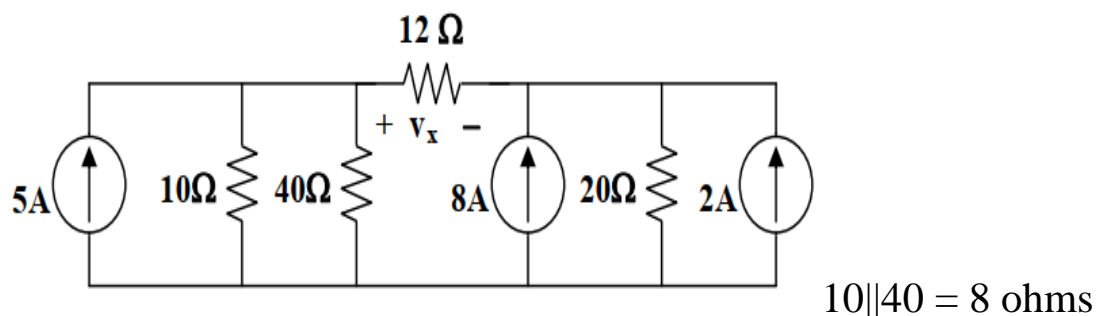
$$28I - 70 + 20V_x = 0 \text{ or } 28I + 20V_x = 70, \text{ but } V_x = 8I \text{ which leads to}$$

$$28I + 160I = 70 \text{ or } I = 0.3723 \text{ A or } V_x = \mathbf{2.978 \text{ V}}$$

8. Apply source transformation to find V_x in the circuit

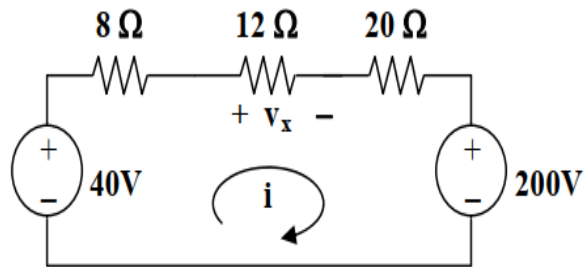


Transforming the voltage sources to current sources gives the circuit



$$10 \parallel 40 = 8 \text{ ohms}$$

Transforming the current sources to voltage sources yields the circuit

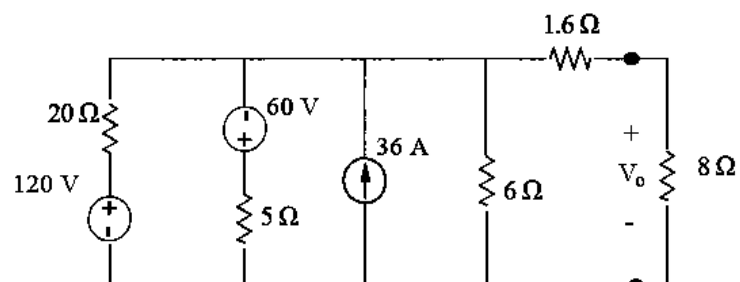


Applying KVL to the loop

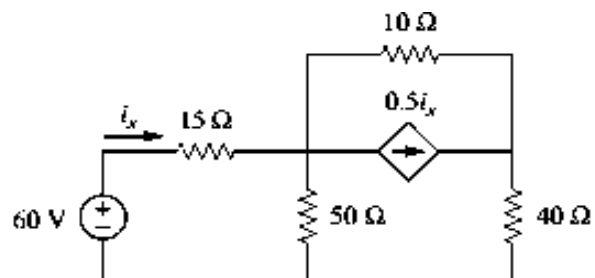
$$-40 + (8 + 12 + 20)i + 200 = 0 \text{ leads to } i = -4$$

$$v_x = 12i = \mathbf{-48 \text{ V}}$$

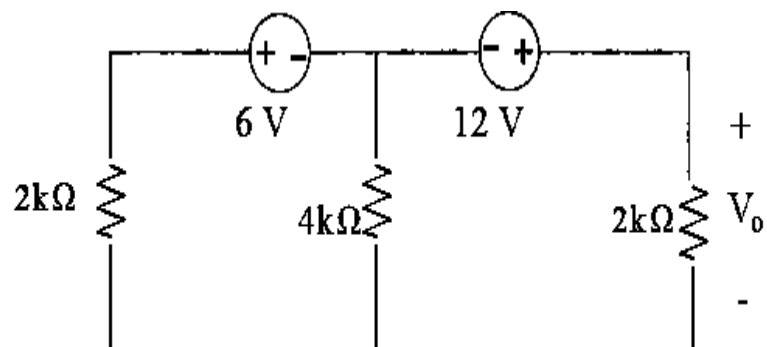
9. Use source transformation to find V_0



10. Use source transformation to find i_x in the circuit

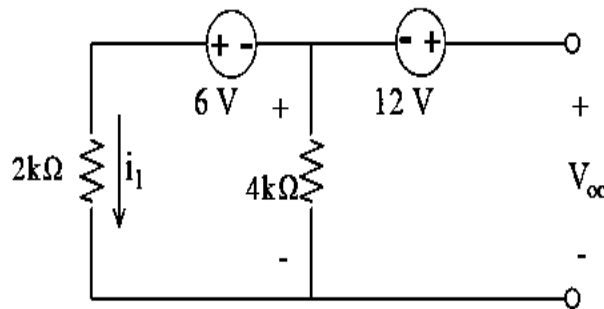


11. Use Thevenin's and Norton Theorems to find V_0 .



i. Using Thevenin Theorem:

First find VOC and Voc is equal to Thevenin voltage

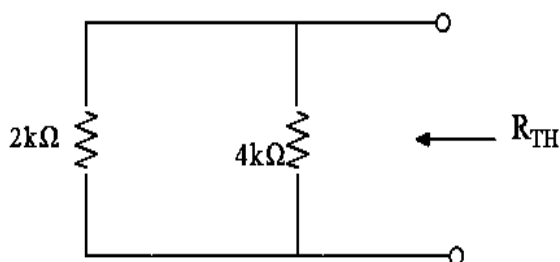


$$i_1 = \frac{6 \text{ V}}{2 \text{ k} + 4 \text{ k}} = 1 \text{ m A}$$

$$V_{4\text{k}\Omega} = i_1 (4 \text{ k}) = -4 \text{ V}$$

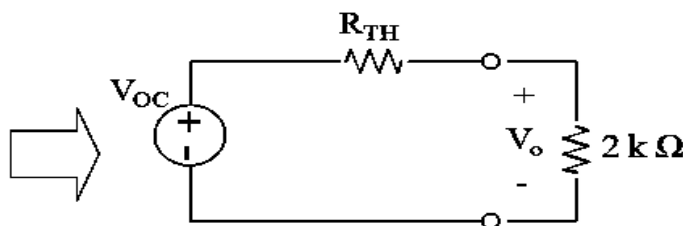
$$V_{oc} = 12 \text{ V} - 4 \text{ V} = 8 \text{ V}$$

Second, find RTH, by making all independent source zero



$$R_{TH} = 2\text{k} // 4\text{k} = 4/3 \text{ k } \Omega$$

Thevenin equivalent circuit is



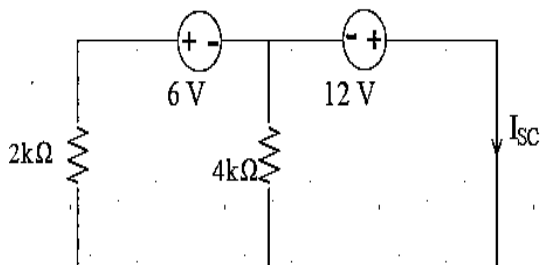
$$V_o = \frac{2 \text{ k } \Omega}{2 \text{ k} + R_{TH}} V_{oc}$$

$$= \frac{2 \text{ k}}{10/3 \text{ k}} (8 \text{ V})$$

$$V_o = 4.8 \text{ V}$$

ii. Using Norton Theorem

First find Isc



$$i_1 = \frac{12 \text{ V}}{4 \text{ k}} = 3 \text{ m A}$$

KVL around outer loop:

$$12 - 6 + V_{2k} = 0 \Rightarrow V_{2k} = -6 \text{ V}$$

$$i_2 = \frac{V_{2k}}{2 \text{ k}} = \frac{-6}{2 \text{ k}} = -3 \text{ m A}$$

$$i_1 = \frac{12 \text{ V}}{4 \text{ k}} = 3 \text{ mA}$$

KCL at x :

$$i_1 - i_2 - i = 0$$

$$3 \text{ mA} + 3 \text{ mA} - i = 0$$

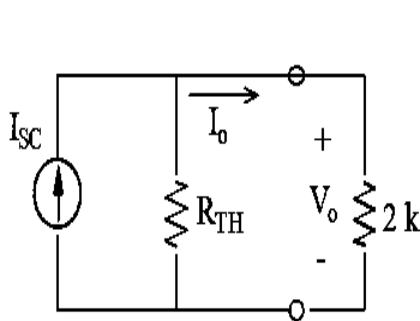
KVL around outer loop:

$$12 - 6 + V_{2k} = 0 \Rightarrow V_{2k} = -6 \text{ V}$$

$$i = 6 \text{ mA} \Rightarrow I_{sc} = 6 \text{ mA}$$

$$i_2 = \frac{V_{2k}}{2 \text{ k}} = \frac{-6}{2 \text{ k}} = -3 \text{ mA}$$

RTH is the same as before:



$$I_0 = \frac{R_{TH}}{R_{TH} + 2 \text{ k}} (I_{sc}) = \frac{\frac{4}{3} \text{ k}}{\frac{4}{3} \text{ k} + 2 \text{ k}} (6 \text{ mA})$$

$$= 2.4 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_0 = I_0 (2 \text{ k}) = (2.4 \text{ mA}) (2 \text{ k}) = 4.8 \text{ V}$$

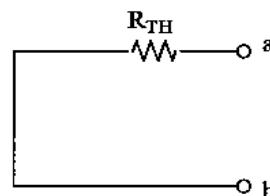
Note : Circuits containing only dependent sources

Here there is NO energy source in the circuit.

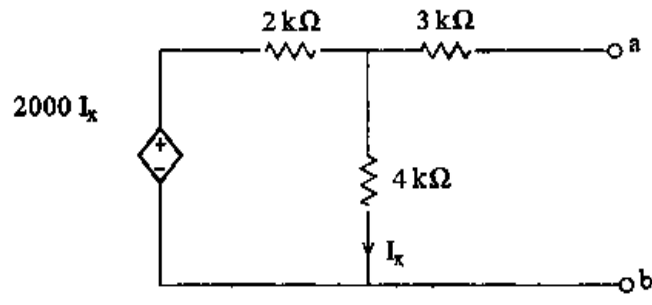
- V_{oc} is always zero and I_{sc} is always zero
- So we can only find R_{TH}

Procedure for finding R_{TH}

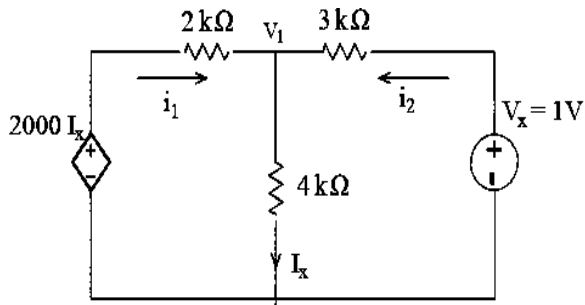
1. Connect an independent voltage (or current) source at the terminals , V_x (or I_x)
2. Find the corresponding current (or voltage) at the terminal , I_o (or V_o)
3. Find $R_{TH} = V_x / I_o$ or $R_{TH} = V_o / I_x$



12. Find the Thevenin equivalent circuit



Apply voltage source at the terminals ($V_x=1V$)



KCL at node V1 :

$$i_1 + i_2 - I_x = 0$$

$$\frac{2000 I_x - V_1}{2 \text{ k}} + \frac{1 - V_1}{3 \text{ k}} - I_x = 0$$

where $V_1 = (4 \text{ k}) I_x$

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

$$I_x - 2 I_x + \frac{1}{3 \text{ k}} - \frac{4}{3 \text{ k}} I_x - I_x = 0$$

$$I_x \left[2 + \frac{4}{3} \right] = \frac{1}{3000}$$

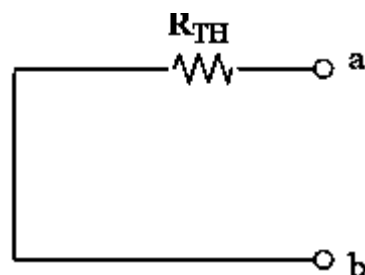
$$I_x = 0.1 \text{ m A}$$

$$i_2 = \frac{V_x - V_1}{3 \text{ k}}$$

$$= \frac{V_x - (4 \text{ k}) I_x}{3 \text{ k}} = \frac{1 - (4 \text{ k})(0.1 \text{ m A})}{3 \text{ k}}$$

$$i_2 = 0.2 \text{ m A}$$

$$R_{TH} = \frac{V_x}{i_2} = \frac{1 \text{ V}}{0.2 \text{ m A}} = 5 \text{ k } \Omega$$

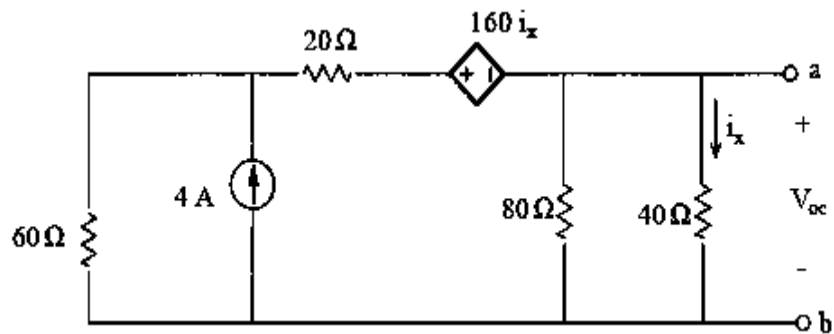


Note: Circuits containing both independent and dependent sources

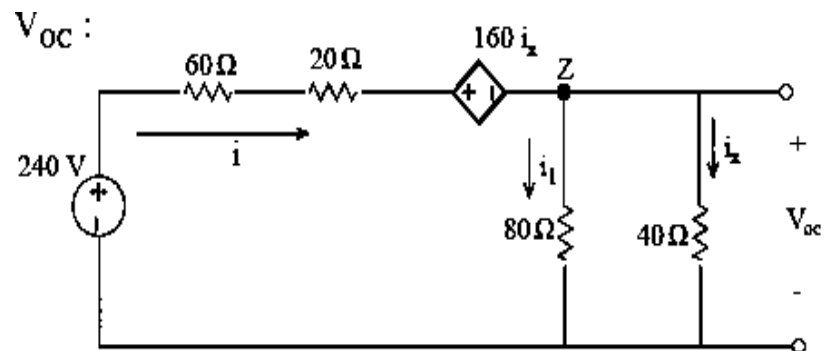
Procedure of Thevenin or Norton Theorms:

- Find the open circuit voltage and the terminals, VOC
- Find the short circuit current at the terminals, ISC.
- Compute $R_{TH} = V_{OC}/I_{SC}$

13. Find the Thevenin equivalent circuit with respect to the terminals a, b



i. Find VOC



KVL around the left loop :

$$-240 + 80i + 160i_x + 40i_x = 0$$

$$80i + 200i_x = 240 \quad \text{.....(1)}$$

KVL around right loop :

$$80i_1 = 40i_x$$

$$2i_1 - i_x = 0 \quad \text{.....(2)}$$

KCL at Z:

$$i - i_1 - i_x = 0 \quad \text{.....(3)}$$

$$i = 1.125 \text{ A}$$

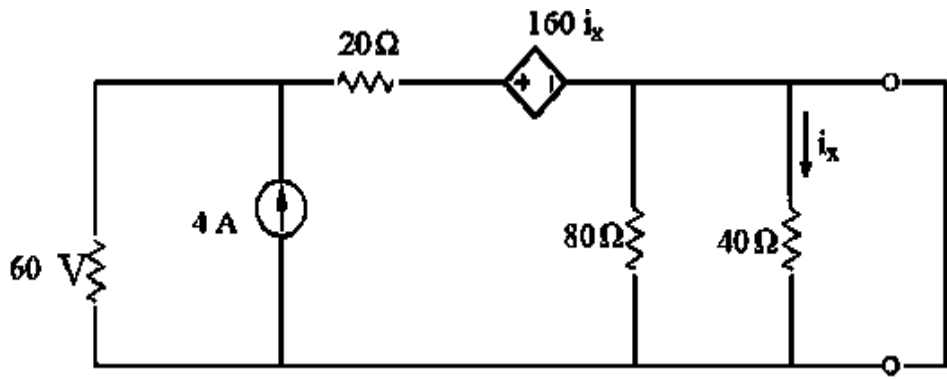
$$i_1 = 0.375 \text{ A}$$

$$i_x = 0.75 \text{ A}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore V_{OC} &= i_x (40 \Omega) \\ &= (0.75 \text{ A}) (40 \Omega) \end{aligned}$$

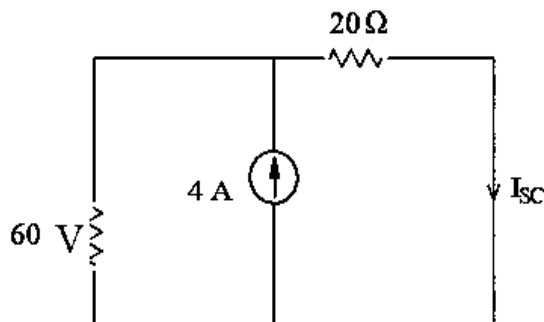
$$V_{OC} = 30 \text{ V}$$

ii Find ISC



Since we have short circuit, $80 \parallel 40 \parallel 0 = 0$

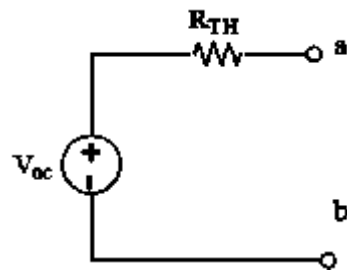
$i_x = 0$
 $160i_x$ source is zero



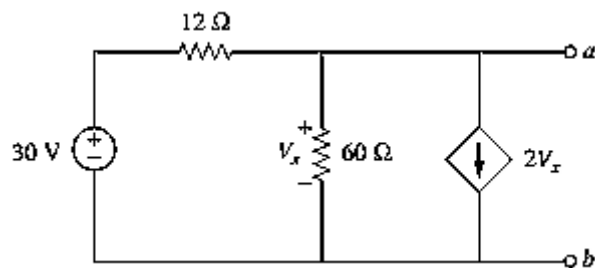
$$I_{sc} = \frac{60}{60 + 20} (4) = 3 \text{ A}$$

Find R_{TH}

$$R_{TH} = \frac{V_{oc}}{I_{sc}} = \frac{30 \text{ V}}{3 \text{ A}} = 10 \Omega$$



14. Obtain the Thevenin and Norton equivalent circuits of the circuit shown below with respect to terminals a and b .

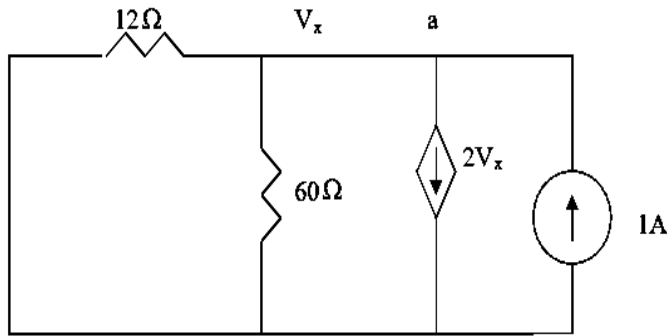


Solution

Since $V_{Th} = V_{ab} = V_x$, we apply KCL at the node a and obtain

$$\frac{30 - V_{Th}}{12} = \frac{V_{Th}}{60} + 2V_{Th} \longrightarrow V_{Th} = 150/126 = 1.1905 \text{ V}$$

To find R_{Th} , consider the circuit below.



At node a, KCL gives

$$1 = 2V_x + \frac{V_x}{60} + \frac{V_x}{12}$$

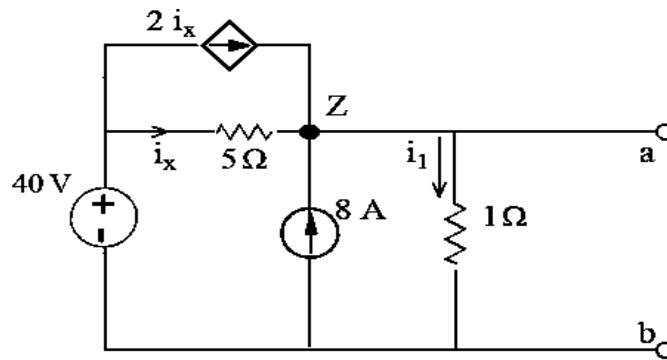
$$V_x = 60/126 = 0.4762$$

$$R_{Th} = \frac{V_x}{1} = 0.4762\Omega, \quad I_N = \frac{V_{Th}}{R_{Th}} = 1.19/0.4762 = 2.5$$

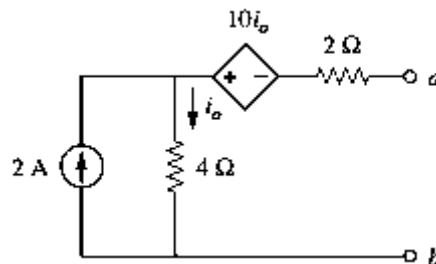
Thus,

$V_{Thev} = 1.1905 \text{ V}$, $R_{eq} = 476.2 \text{ m}\Omega$, and $I_N = 2.5 \text{ A}$.

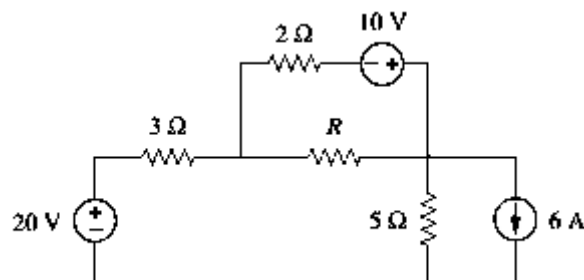
15. Use Thevenin theorem to find the Thevenin equivalent circuit with respect to a, b



16. Determine the Norton equivalent at terminals $a-b$ for the circuit shown below

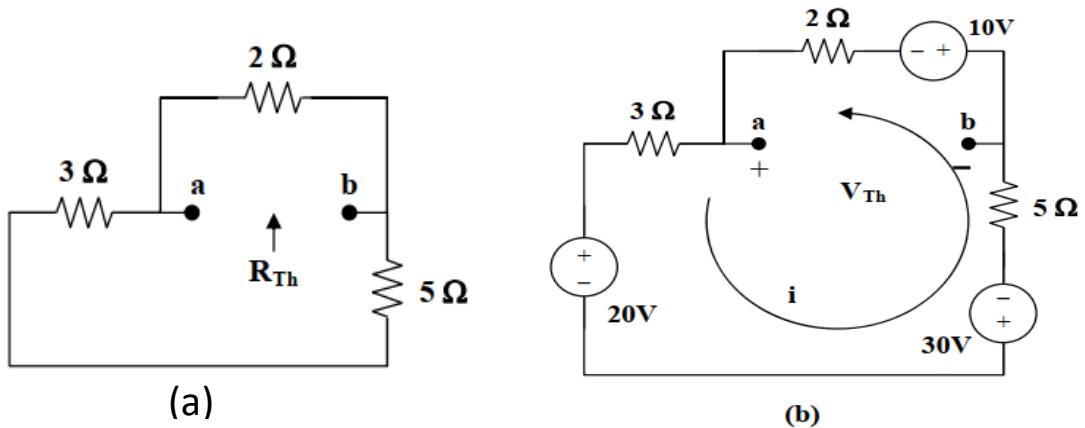


17. Find the maximum power that can be delivered to the resistor R in the circuit shown below.



Solution

We first find the Thevenin equivalent at terminals a and b. We find R_{Th} using the circuit (a)



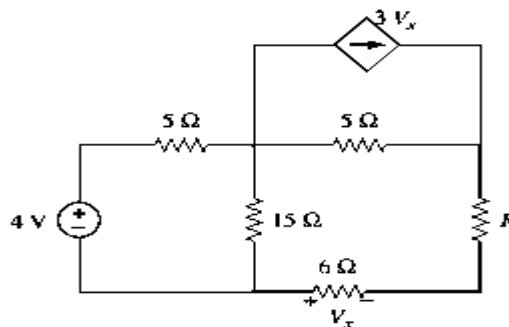
By performing source transformation on the given circuit, we obtain the circuit in (b). We now use this to find V_{Th} .

$$10i + 30 + 20 + 10 = 0, \text{ or } i = -6$$

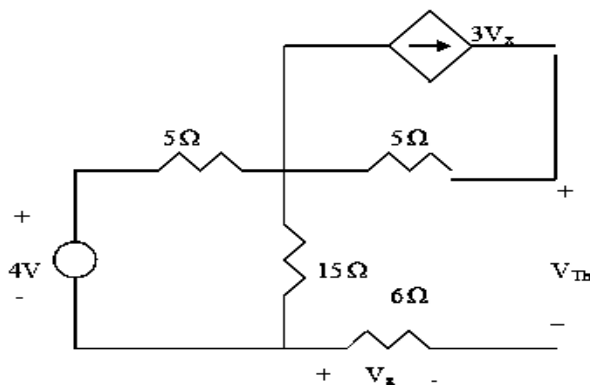
$$V_{Th} + 10 + 2i = 0, \text{ or } V_{Th} = 2\text{ V}$$

$$p = V_{Th}^2 / (4R_{Th}) = (2)^2 / [4(1.6)] = \mathbf{625\text{ m watts}}$$

18. Determine the maximum power delivered to the variable resistor R shown in the circuit of shown below



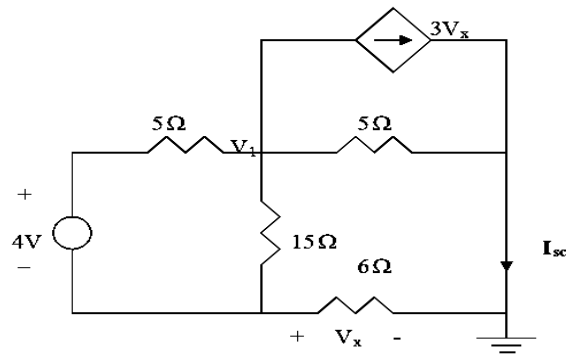
Solution: We find the Thevenin equivalent across the 10-ohm resistor. To find V_{Th} , consider the circuit below.



From the figure,

$$V_x = 0, \quad V_{Th} = \frac{15}{15+5}(4) = 3V$$

To find R_{eq} , consider the circuit below:



At node 1,

$$[(V_1 - V_x)/15] + [(V_1 - (4 + V_x))/5] + [(V_1 - 0)/5] + 3V_x = 0 \text{ or}$$

$$0.4667V_1 + 2.733V_x = 0.8 \quad (1)$$

At node x,

$$[(V_x - 0)/6] + [((V_x + 4) - V_1)/5] + [(V_x - V_1)/15] = 0 \text{ or}$$

$$-(0.2667)V_1 + 0.4333V_x = -0.8 \quad (2)$$

Adding (1) and (2) together lead to,

$$(0.4667 - 0.2667)V_1 + (2.733 + 0.4333)V_x = 0 \text{ or } V_1 = -(3.166/0.2)V_x = -15.83V_x$$

Now we can put this into (1) and we get,

$$0.4667(-15.83V_x) + 2.733V_x = 0.8 = (-7.388 + 2.733)V_x = -4.655V_x \text{ or}$$

$$V_x = -0.17186V$$

$$I_{sc} = -V_x/6 = 0.02864 \text{ and } R_{eq} = 3/(0.02864) = 104.75 \, \Omega$$

An alternate way to find R_{eq} is replace I_{sc} with a 1-amp current source flowing up and setting the 4 volts source to zero. We then find the voltage across the 1-amp current source which is equal to R_{eq} . First, we note that $V_x = 6$ volts;

$$V_1 = 6 + 3.75 = -9.75; V_2 = 19 \times 5 + V_1 = 95 + 9.75 = 104.75 \text{ or } R_{eq} = 104.75 \, \Omega$$

Clearly setting the load resistance to $104.75 \, \Omega$ means that the circuit will deliver maximum power to it. Therefore

$$p_{max} = [3/(2 \times 104.75)] \times 104.75 = \mathbf{21.48 \, mW}$$

19. Compute the value of R that results in maximum power transfer to the 10- resistor and Find the maximum power.

