

## Homework 3

Due date:

Mar.26th, 2018

Turn in your homework in class

Rules:

- Work on your own. Discussion is permissible, but extremely similar submissions will be judged as plagiarism.
- Please show all intermediate steps: a correct solution without an explanation will get zero credit.
- Please submit on time. No late submission will be accepted.
- Please prepare your submission in English only. No Chinese submission will be accepted.

1. Find the equivalent resistance in the circuit  $R_{ab}$  in Fig. 1 by using Y- $\Delta$  transformation.

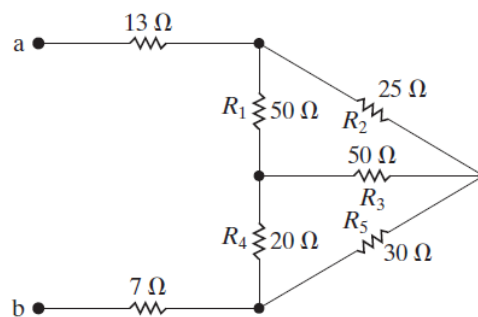


Figure 1

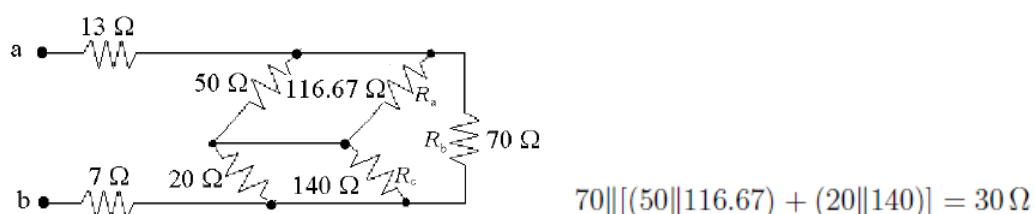
Use the figure below to transform the Y to an equivalent  $\Delta$ :

$$R_a = \frac{(25)(30) + (25)(50) + (30)(50)}{30} = \frac{3500}{30} = 116.67 \Omega$$

$$R_b = \frac{(25)(30) + (25)(50) + (30)(50)}{50} = \frac{3500}{50} = 70 \Omega$$

$$R_c = \frac{(25)(30) + (25)(50) + (30)(50)}{25} = \frac{3500}{25} = 140 \Omega$$

Then we can obtain such a figure:

Right side of the circuit:  $70 \parallel [(50 \parallel 116.67) + (20 \parallel 140)] = 30 \Omega$ 

$$R_{ab} = 13 + 7 + 30 = 50 \Omega$$

2. For the circuit in Fig. 2, determine the value of  $R$  such that the maximum power delivered to the load is 3 mW.

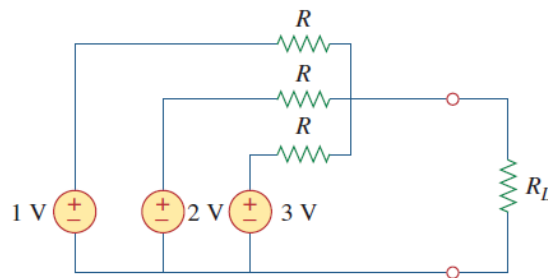
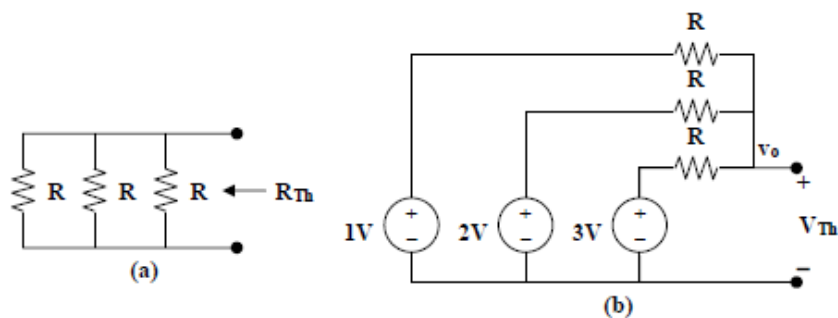


Figure 2



$$R_{Th} = \frac{R}{3}$$

$$((1 - v_o)/R) + ((2 - v_o)/R) + ((3 - v_o)/R) = 0$$

$$v_o = 2 = V_{Th}$$

Maximum power:

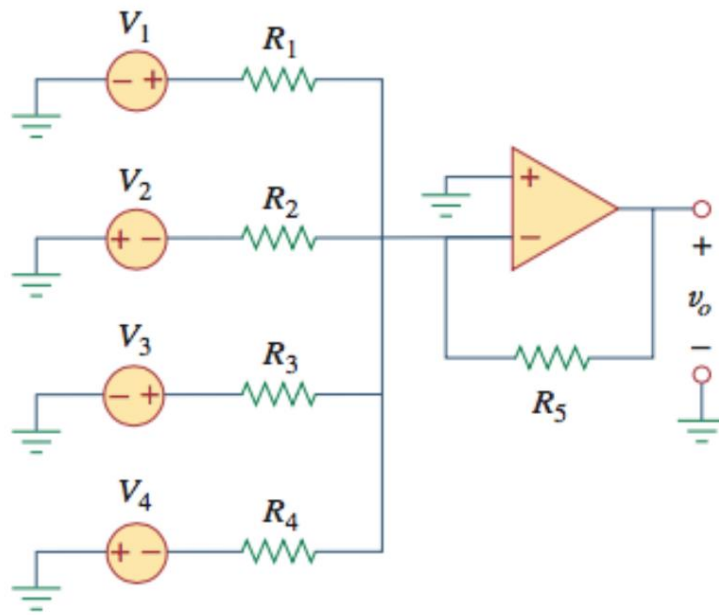
$$R_L = R_{Th} = R/3$$

$$P_{max} = [(V_{Th})^2 / (4R_{Th})] = 3 \text{ mW}$$

$$R_{Th} = [(V_{Th})^2 / (4P_{max})] = 4 / (4 \times 3 \times 10^{-3}) = 1/P_{max} = R/3$$

$$R = 3 / (3 \times 10^{-3}) = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$$

3. Calculate  $v_o$  in this circuit.

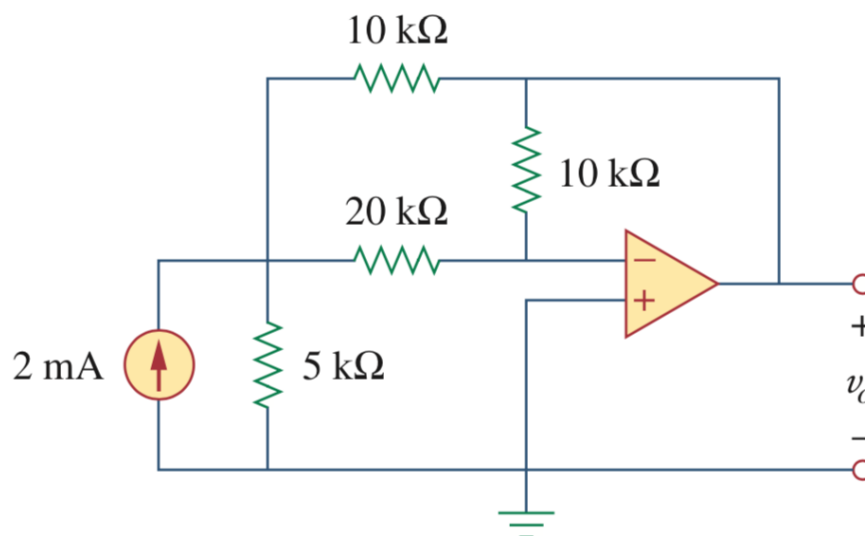


Solution :

$$\frac{V_o}{R_5} = \frac{0 - V_1}{R_1} + \frac{0 + V_2}{R_2} + \frac{0 - V_3}{R_3} + \frac{0 + V_4}{R_4}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_o = \left( -\frac{V_1}{R_1} + \frac{V_2}{R_2} - \frac{V_3}{R_3} + \frac{V_4}{R_4} \right) R_5$$

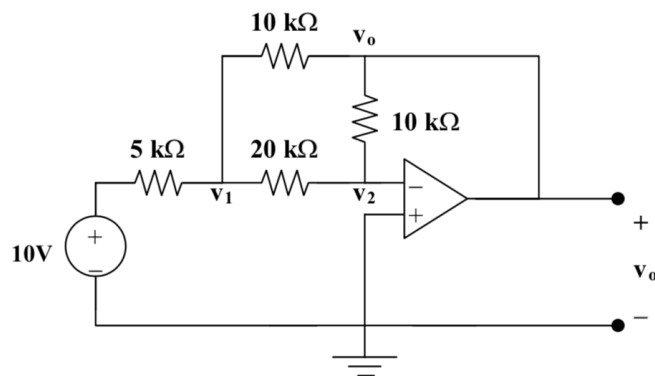
4. Determine the output voltage  $v_o$  in the circuit below.



**Chapter 5, Solution 14.**

Transform the current source as shown below. At node 1,

$$\frac{10 - v_1}{5} = \frac{v_1 - v_2}{20} + \frac{v_1 - v_o}{10}$$

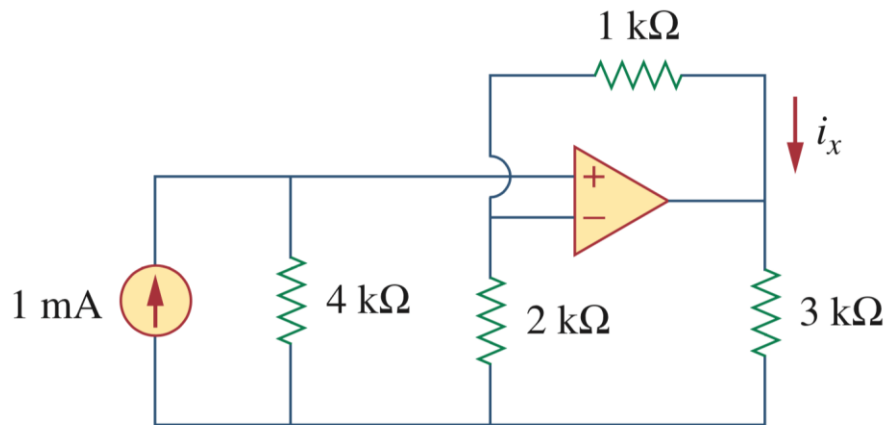


But  $v_2 = 0$ . Hence  $40 - 4v_1 = v_1 + 2v_1 - 2v_o \longrightarrow 40 = 7v_1 - 2v_o$  (1)

At node 2,  $\frac{v_1 - v_2}{20} = \frac{v_2 - v_o}{10}$ ,  $v_2 = 0$  or  $v_1 = -2v_o$  (2)

From (1) and (2),  $40 = -14v_o - 2v_o \longrightarrow v_o = -2.5V$

5. Refer to the op amp circuit in Fig below. Calculate  $i_x$  and the power absorbed by the 3-k $\Omega$  resistor.



This is a noninverting amplifier.

$$v_o = \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}\right)v_i = \frac{3}{2}v_i$$

Since the current entering the op amp is 0, the source resistor has a 0 V potential drop. Hence  $v_i = 4\text{V}$ .

$$v_o = \frac{3}{2}(4) = 6\text{V}$$

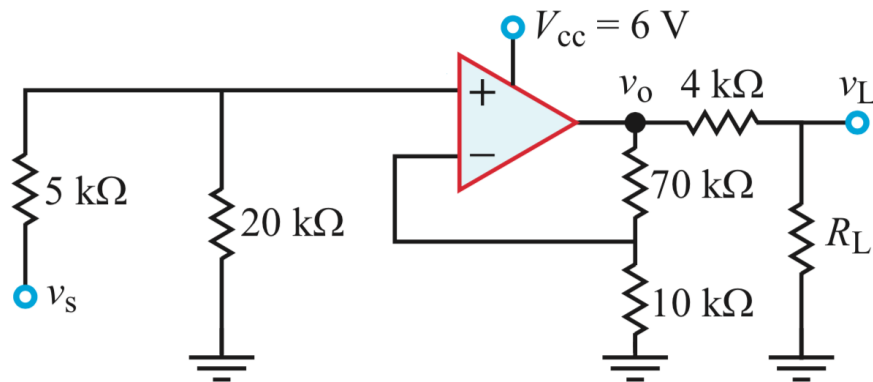
Power dissipated by the 3k $\Omega$  resistor is

$$\frac{v_o^2}{R} = \frac{36}{3\text{k}} = \mathbf{12\text{mW}}$$

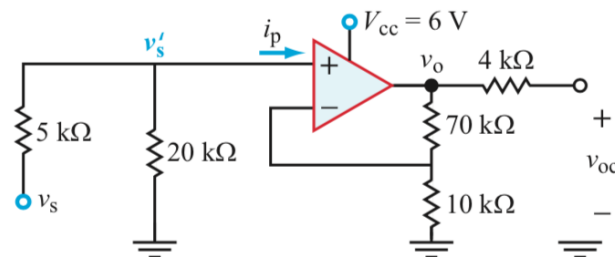
$$i_x = \frac{v_a - v_o}{R} = \frac{4 - 6}{1\text{k}} = \mathbf{-2\text{mA}}.$$

**12mW, -2mA**

6. For the circuit of the Fig below, what should the resistance of  $R_L$  be so as to have the maximum transfer of power into it?



**Solution:** We seek to find the Thévenin circuit as seen by  $R_L$ . With  $R_L$  removed, we need to find the open-circuit voltage  $v_{oc}$ :



Since there is no voltage drop across the 4-k $\Omega$  resistor,

$$v_{oc} = v_o.$$

At the input side, in view of  $i_p = 0$ , voltage division gives:

$$v'_s = \frac{v_s \times 20k}{(5 + 20)k} = 0.8v_s.$$

As a noninverting amplifier,

$$v_o = \frac{(70 + 10)k}{10k} v'_s = 8v'_s = 8 \times 0.8v_s = 6.4v_s.$$

Hence,

$$v_{Th} = v_{oc} = v_o = 6.4v_s.$$

Next, we seek to find  $R_{Th}$  by calculating the short-circuit current at the output. Replacing  $R_L$  with a short circuit, the current through it is simply

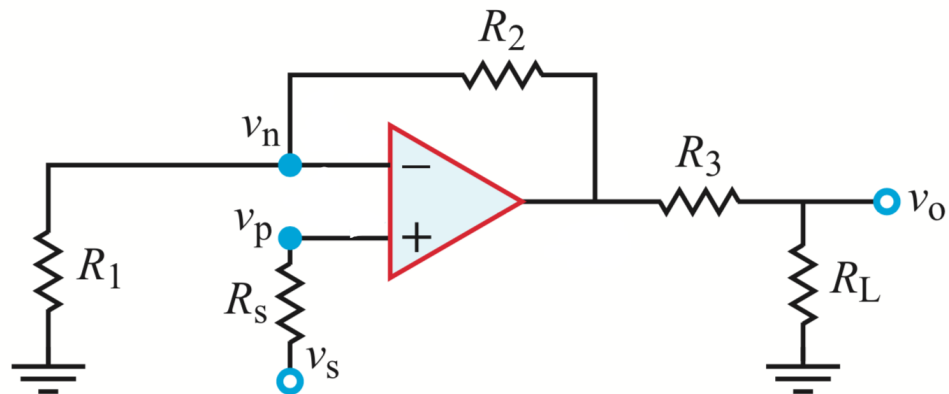
$$i_{sc} = \frac{v_o}{4 \text{ k}\Omega} = \frac{v_{Th}}{4 \text{ k}\Omega}.$$

Hence,

$$R_{Th} = \frac{v_{oc}}{i_{sc}} = 4 \text{ k}\Omega.$$

To maximize power transfer into  $R_L$ , its value should be 4 k $\Omega$ .

7. Obtain an expression for the voltage gain  $G=v_o/v_s$  for the circuit in Fig below.



**Solution:** Since  $i_n = 0$  (ideal op-amp constraint),

$$v_n = \frac{v_o' R_1}{R_1 + R_2}.$$

Also,  $v_p = v_s$  (because  $i_p = 0$ ), and  $v_p = v_n$ .

Hence,

$$v_o' = \left( \frac{R_1 + R_2}{R_1} \right) v_s.$$

At the output side, voltage division gives:

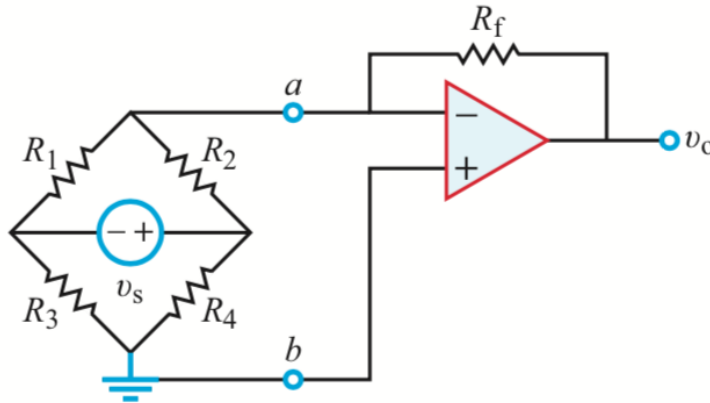
$$v_o = \frac{v_o' R_L}{R_3 + R_L}.$$

Hence,

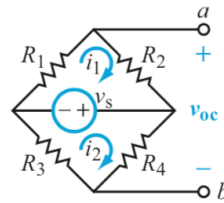
$$v_o = \left( \frac{R_1 + R_2}{R_1} \right) v_s \times \frac{R_L}{R_3 + R_L} = \left[ \frac{R_L}{R_1} \left( \frac{R_1 + R_2}{R_3 + R_L} \right) \right] v_s.$$

$$G = \frac{v_o}{v_s} = \frac{R_L (R_1 + R_2)}{R_1 (R_3 + R_L)}.$$

8. In the circuit of Fig below, a bridge circuit is connected at the input side of an inverting op-amp circuit.
- (a) Obtain the Thevenin equivalent at terminals (a, b) for the bridge circuit.
- (b) Use the result in (a) to obtain an expression for  $G = v_o/v_s$ .
- (c) Evaluate  $G$  for  $R_1 = R_4 = 100\Omega$ ,  $R_2 = R_3 = 101\Omega$ , and  $R_f = 100k\Omega$ .



**Solution: (a)** The Thévenin equivalent circuit at (a, b):



$$v_s + i_1(R_1 + R_2) = 0$$

or

$$i_1 = \frac{-v_s}{R_1 + R_2}.$$

Also,

$$-v_s + i_2(R_3 + R_4) = 0$$

and

$$i_2 = \frac{v_s}{R_3 + R_4}.$$

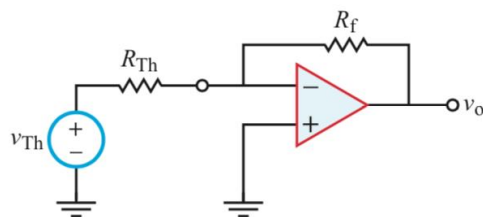
$$\begin{aligned} v_{Th} = v_{oc} &= i_1 R_2 + i_2 R_4 \\ &= \frac{-v_s R_2}{R_1 + R_2} + \frac{v_s R_4}{R_3 + R_4} = \frac{[R_4(R_1 + R_2) - R_2(R_3 + R_4)]v_s}{(R_1 + R_2)(R_3 + R_4)}. \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

Suppressing  $v_s$  (by replacing it with a short circuit) leads to

$$\begin{aligned} R_{Th} &= (R_1 \parallel R_2) + (R_3 \parallel R_4) \\ &= \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} + \frac{R_3 R_4}{R_3 + R_4} = \frac{R_1 R_2 (R_3 + R_4) + R_3 R_4 (R_1 + R_2)}{(R_1 + R_2)(R_3 + R_4)}. \end{aligned}$$

**(b)** For the new circuit:





$$v_o = -\frac{R_f}{R_{Th}} v_{Th} \quad (\text{inverting amplifier}) \quad (3)$$

Inserting Eqs. (1) and (2) into (3) leads to

$$G = \frac{v_o}{v_s} = \frac{-R_f[R_4(R_1 + R_2) - R_2(R_3 + R_4)]}{R_1 R_2(R_3 + R_4) + R_3 R_4(R_1 + R_2)}$$

(c) For  $R_1 = R_4 = 100 \, \Omega$ ,  $R_2 = R_3 = 101 \, \Omega$ , and  $R_f = 10^5 \, \Omega$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} G &= \frac{-10^5[100(100 + 101) - 101(100 + 101)]}{100 \times 101(100 + 101) + 100 \times 101(100 + 101)} \\ &= 4.9505 \simeq 5. \end{aligned}$$