

CE211-L Circuit Analysis Lab



Lab report # 06

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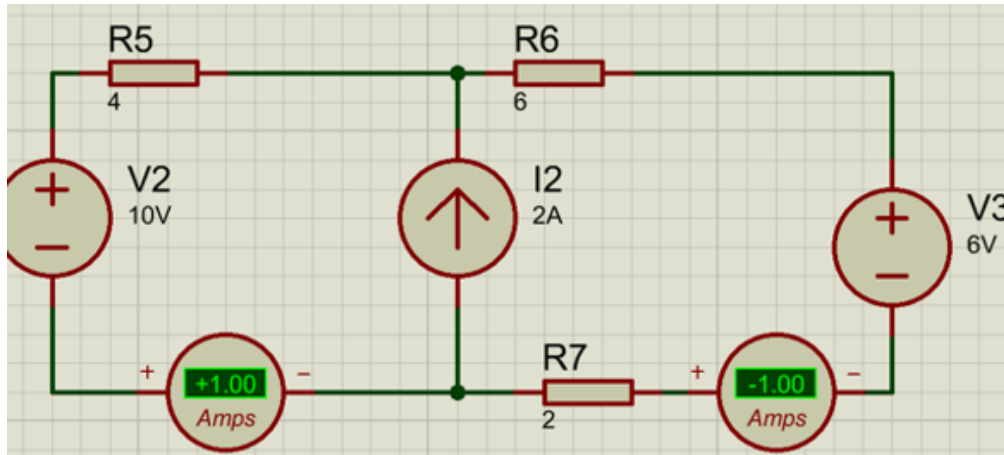
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Task Statement:

Examine DC resistive circuits by applying the mesh current method, incorporating scenarios that involve a supermesh.

Circuit 1:



Solution

$$I_2 - I_1 = 2A$$

$$\text{Hence, } I_2 = 2 + I_1 \quad (1)$$

Applying KVL around the supermesh, we get:

$$4I_1 + 6I_2 + 6 + 2I_2 - 10 = 0$$

$$\text{Simplifying gives } 4I_1 + 8I_2 = 4 \quad (2)$$

Substitute Equation (1) into Equation (2):

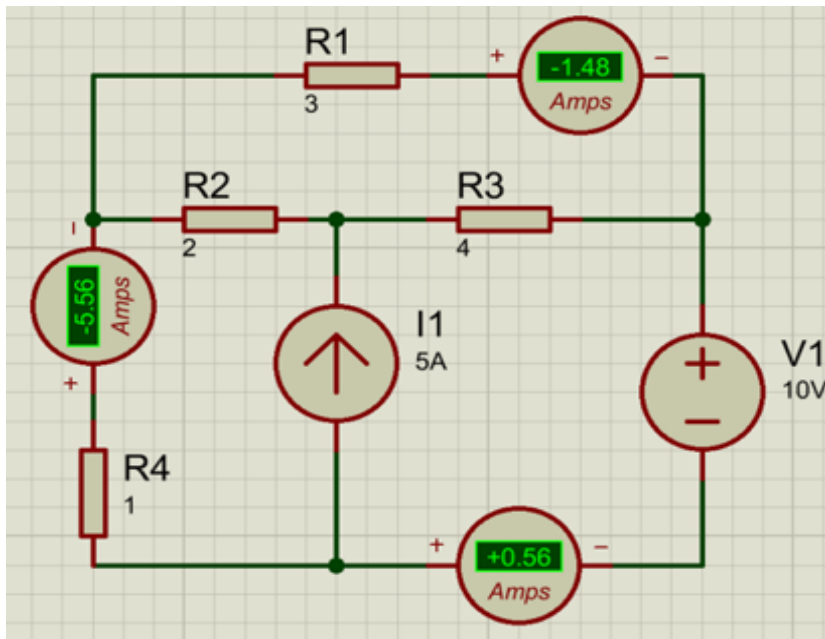
$$4I_1 + 8(2 + I_1) = 4$$

$$\text{After simplification: } 12I_1 = -12 \rightarrow I_1 = -1A$$

$$\text{Using Equation (1): } I_2 = 2 + (-1) = 1A$$

Therefore, $I_1 = -1A$ and $I_2 = 1A$.

Circuit 2:



Solution

$$I_2 - I_1 = 5A$$

Applying KVL to the supermesh gives:

$$I_1 + 2(I_1 - I_3) + 4(I_2 - I_3) + 10 = 0$$

Simplifying, we obtain $3I_1 + 4I_2 - 6I_3 = -10$

For Loop 3, applying KVL results in:

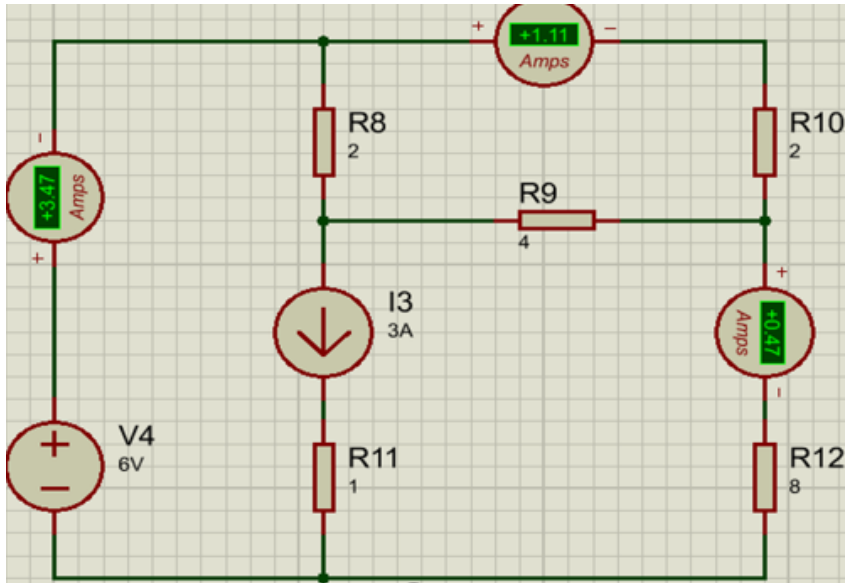
$$3I_3 + 4(I_3 - I_2) + 2(I_3 - I_1) = 0$$

Expanding and simplifying: $2I_1 + 4I_2 - 9I_3 = 0$

Solving these equations simultaneously gives:

$$I_1 = -5.56A, \quad I_2 = -0.56A, \quad I_3 = -1.48A$$

Circuit 3:



Solution

For Loop 2: $2I_2 + 4(I_2 - I_3) + 2(I_2 - I_1) = 0 \rightarrow 2I_1 - 8I_2 + 4I_3 = 0$ (1)

The current source provides the constraint: $I_1 - I_3 = 3A$ (2)

Applying KVL to the supermesh:

$$2(I_1 - I_2) + 4(I_3 - I_2) + 8I_3 - 6 = 0$$

Simplifying gives $2I_1 - 6I_2 + 12I_3 = 6$ (3)

Solving Equations (1), (2), and (3) simultaneously, we obtain:

$$I_1 = 3.47A, \quad I_2 = 1.11A, \quad I_3 = 0.47A$$

These are the final mesh current values for the circuit.