

# Superposition theorem

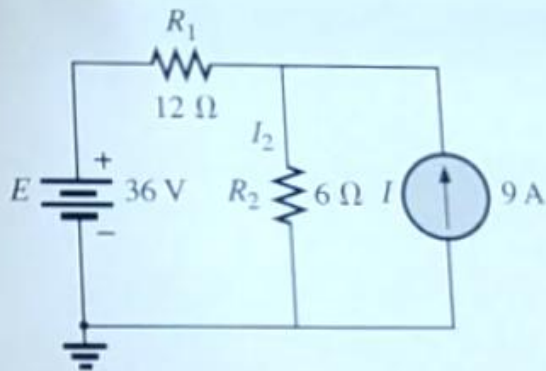
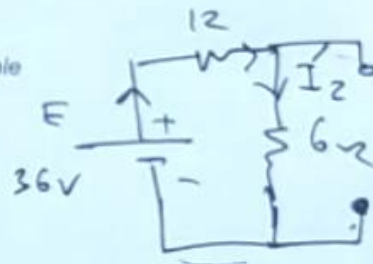
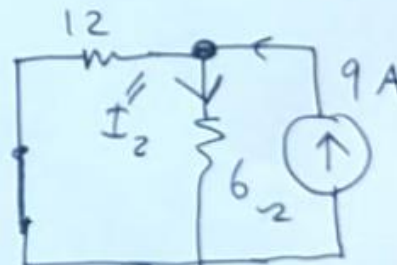


FIG. 9.2 Network to be analyzed in Example 9.1 using the superposition theorem.

$$I_2' = \frac{36V}{12 + 6} = 2A \downarrow$$



$$I_2'' = 9A \times \frac{12}{12 + 6} = 6A \downarrow$$



$$I_2 = I_2' + I_2'' = 8A \downarrow$$

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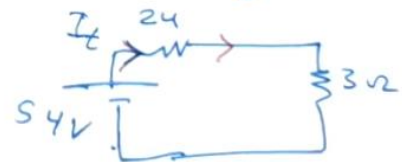
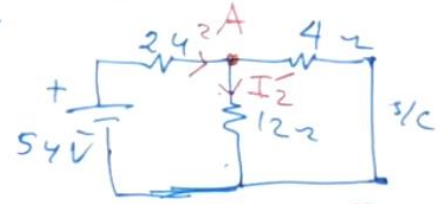
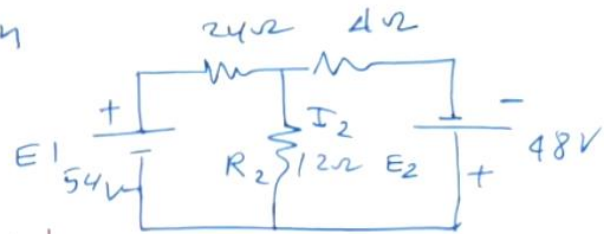
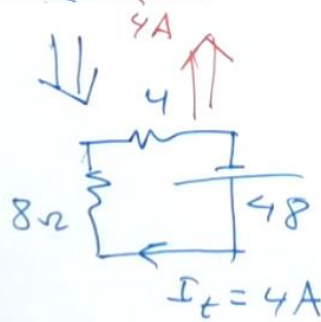
$$I_t = \frac{54V}{24\Omega} = 2A$$

$$I_2' = 2A \times \frac{4}{4+12} = 0.5A \downarrow$$



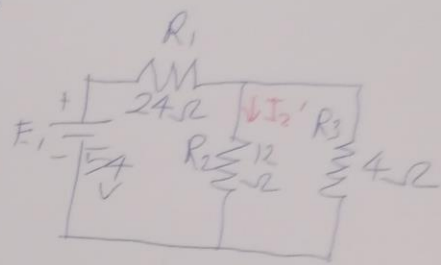
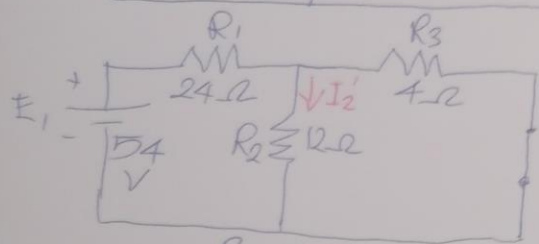
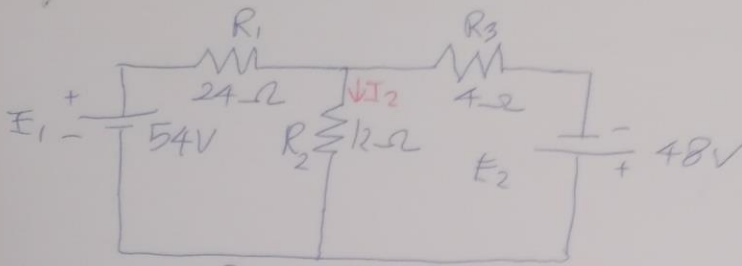
$$I_2'' = 4 \times \frac{24}{24+12} = 2.6A \uparrow$$

$$I_2 = 2.6 - 0.5 = 2.1A \uparrow$$



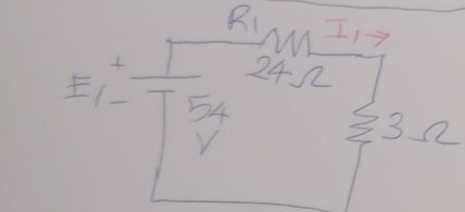
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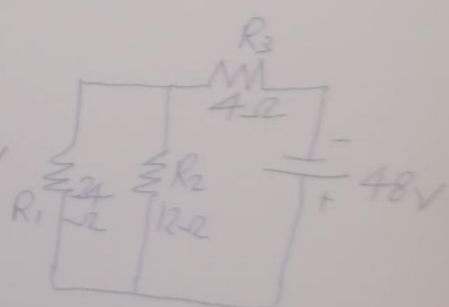
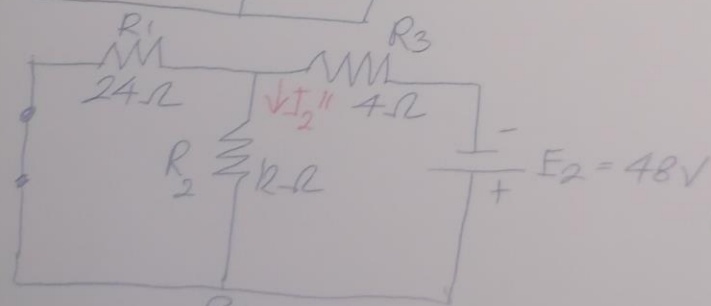
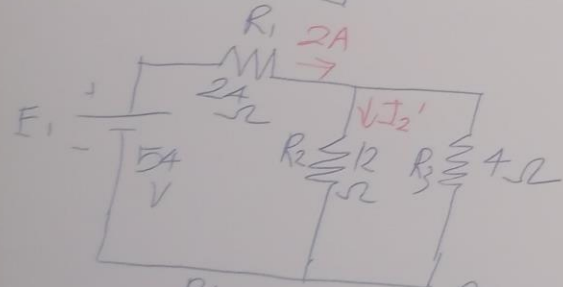


$$R_2 // R_3 = \frac{(12)(4)}{12+4} = 3\Omega$$

$$I_1 = \frac{54}{24+3} = 2A$$

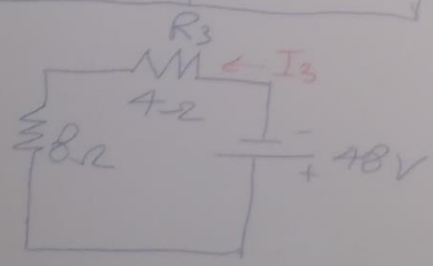


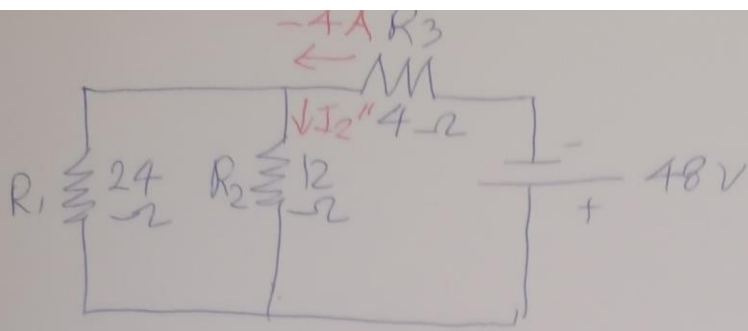
$$I_2' = \frac{4}{4+12} \times 2 = 0.5A$$



$$R_1 // R_2 = \frac{(24)(12)}{24+12} = 8\Omega$$

$$I_3 = \frac{-48}{4+8} = -4A$$





$$I_2'' = \left( \frac{24}{24 + 12} \right) (-4)$$

$$I_2'' = -2.67A$$

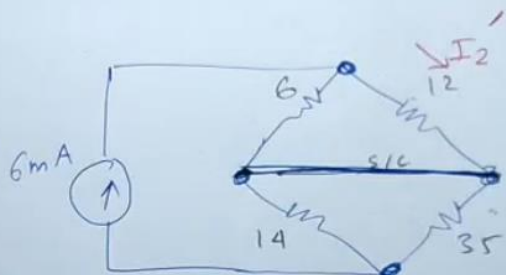
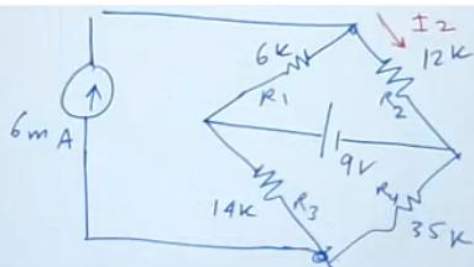
Diagram showing a 12Ω resistor ( $R_2$ ) with two current sources in parallel:

- A downward current source of  $I_2' = 0.5A$ .
- An upward current source of  $I_2'' = 2.67A$ .

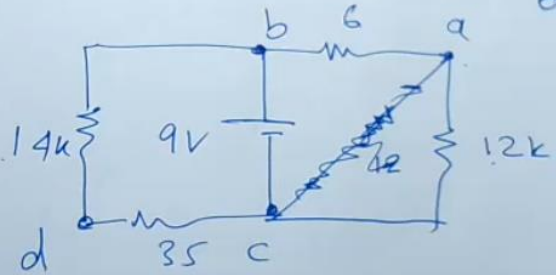
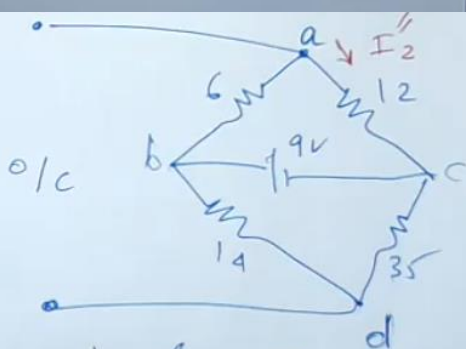
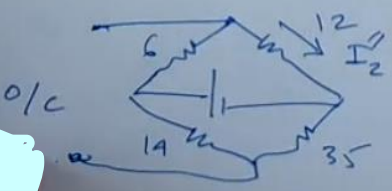
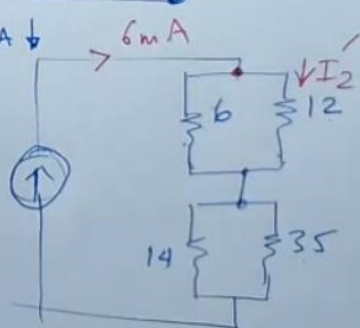
$$I_2 = 2.67 - 0.5$$

$$I_2 = 2.17A$$

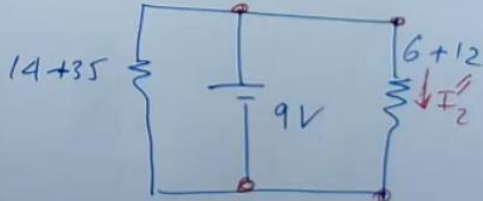
Diagram showing a 12Ω resistor ( $R_2$ ) with an upward current source of  $I_2 = 2.17A$ .



$$I_2' = 6\text{mA} \times \frac{6}{6+12} = 2\text{mA} \downarrow$$

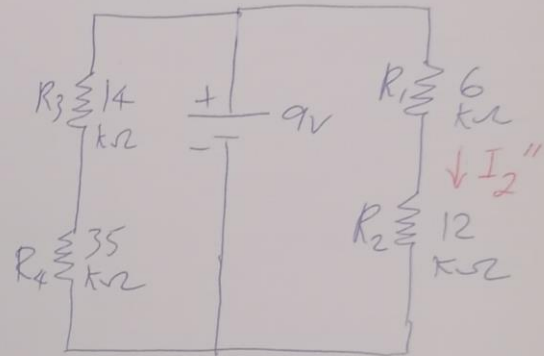
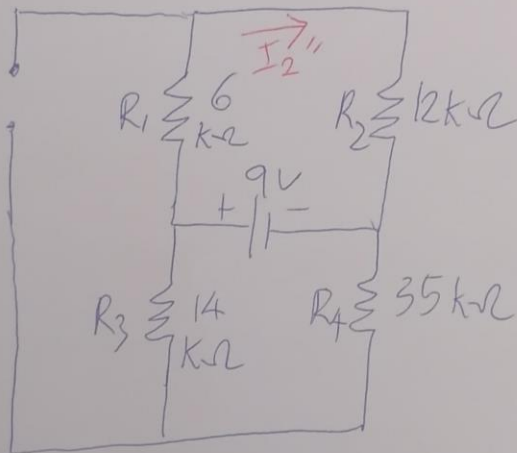
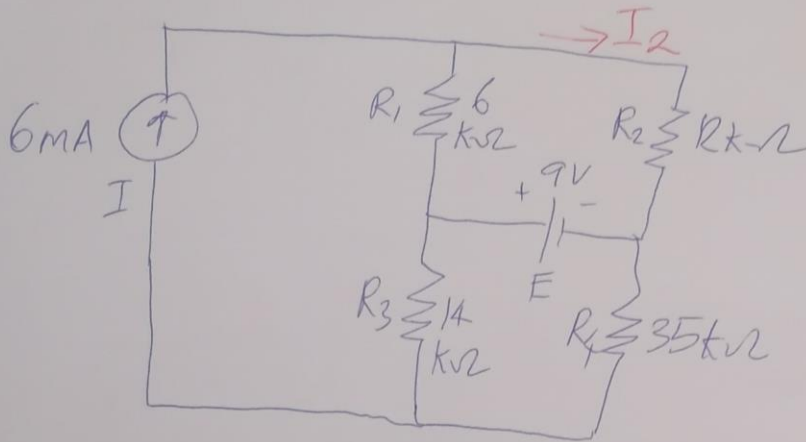


$$I_2'' = \frac{9\text{V}}{18\text{k}\Omega} = 0.5\text{mA} \downarrow$$



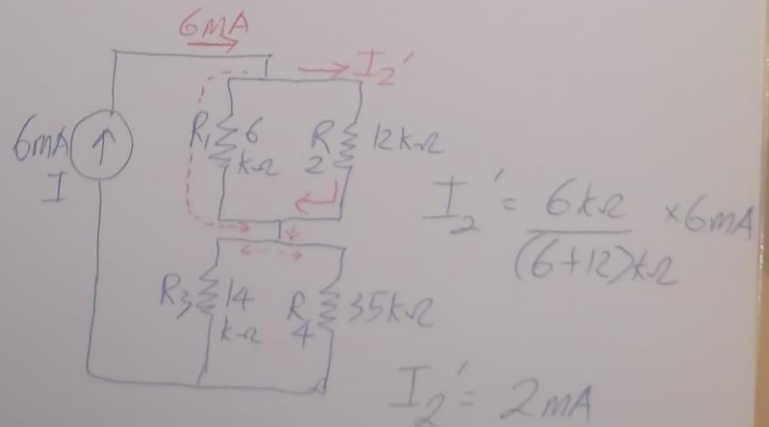
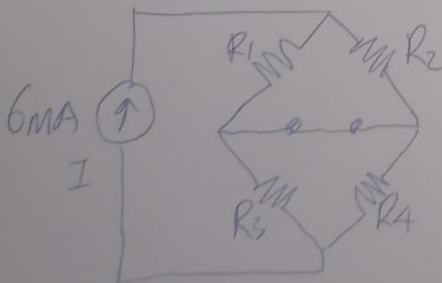
$$I_{2\text{ total}} = 2\text{mA} + 0.5\text{mA} = 2.5\text{mA}$$

OR



$$I_2'' = \frac{9V}{6k\Omega + 12k\Omega}$$

$$I_2'' = 0.5mA$$



$$I_2 = I_2' + I_2''$$

$$I_2 = 2mA + 0.5mA = 2.5mA$$

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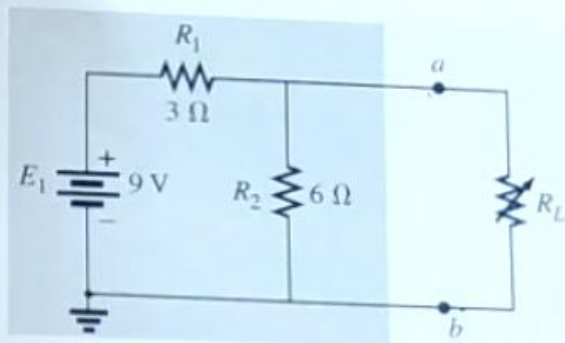
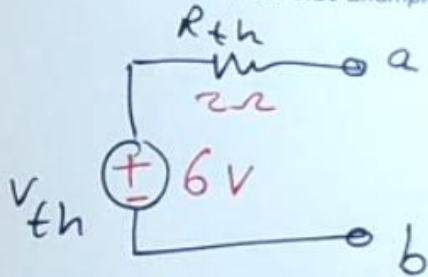
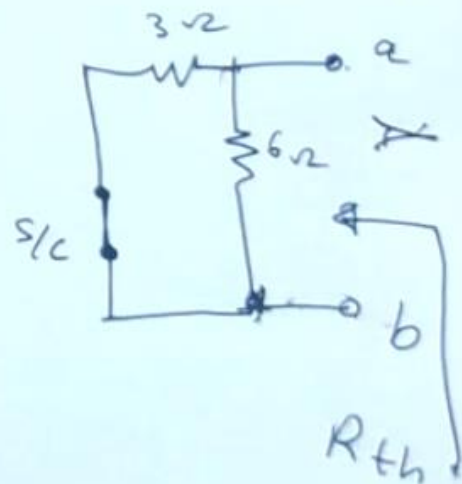
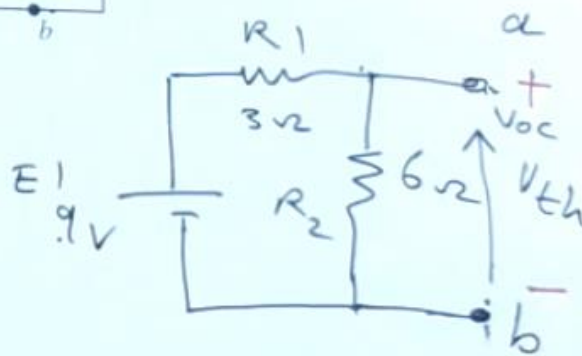


FIG. 9.26 Example 9.6.

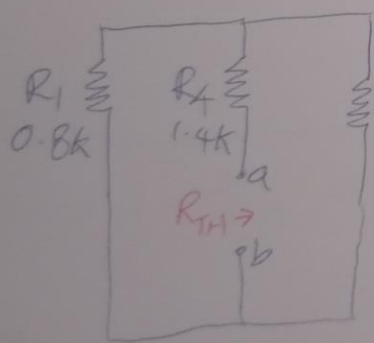
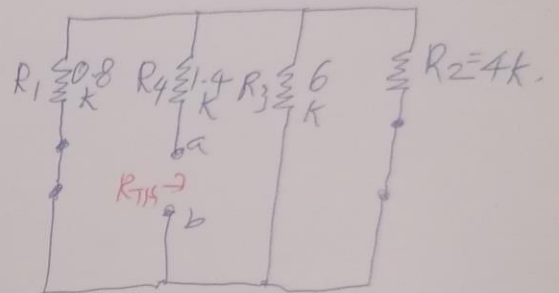
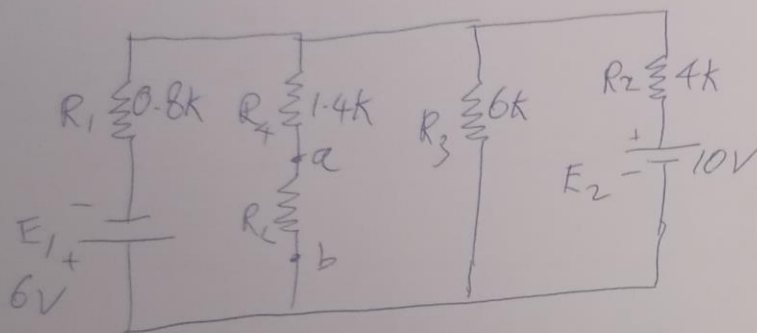
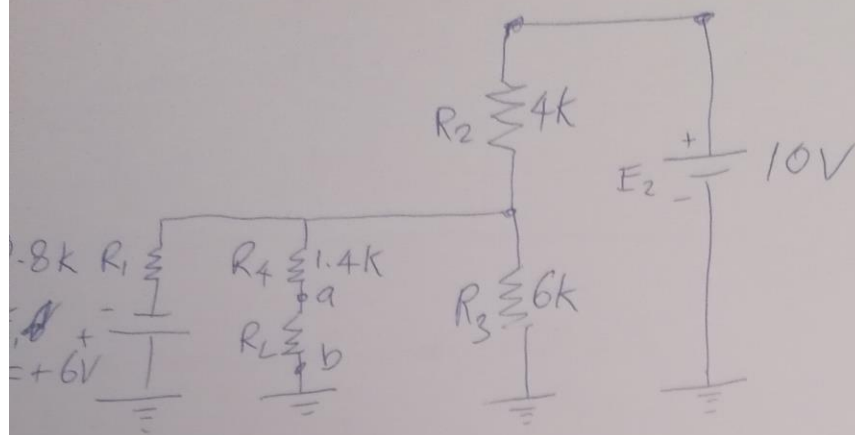


$$R_{th} = \frac{3 \times 6}{3 + 6} = 2\Omega$$

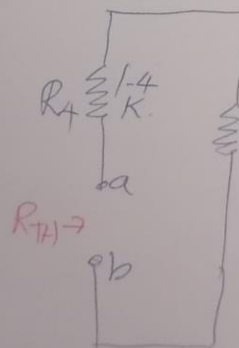
$$V_{th} = 9V \times \frac{6}{3 + 6} = 6V$$



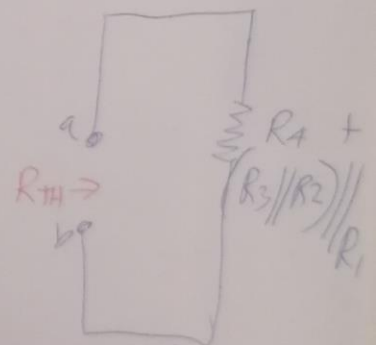




$$R_3 // R_2 = \frac{(6)(4)}{6+4} = 2.4 \text{ k}\Omega$$

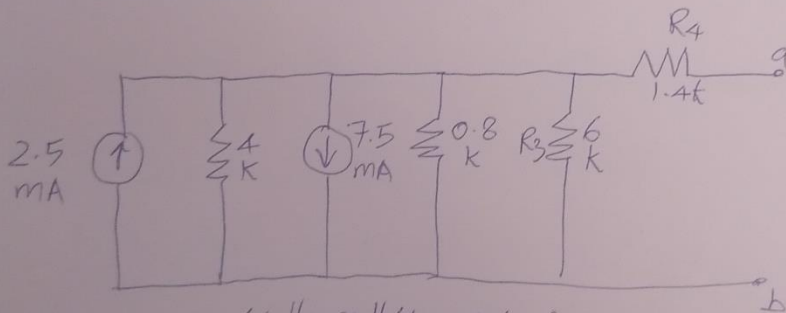
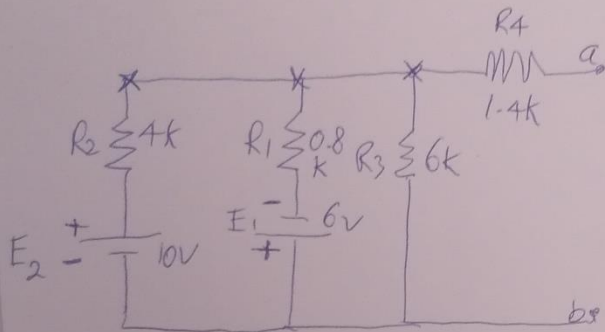
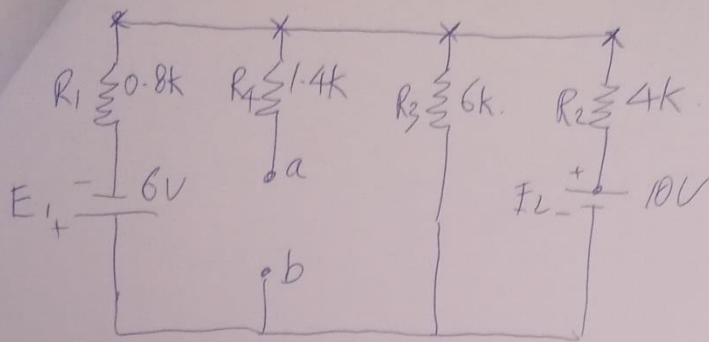


$$\begin{aligned} (R_3 // R_2) // R_1 &= 2.4 // 0.8 \\ &= \frac{(2.4)(0.8)}{2.4+0.8} \\ &= 0.6 \text{ k}\Omega \end{aligned}$$

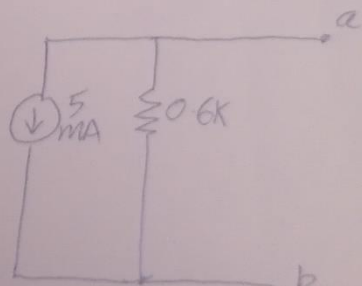
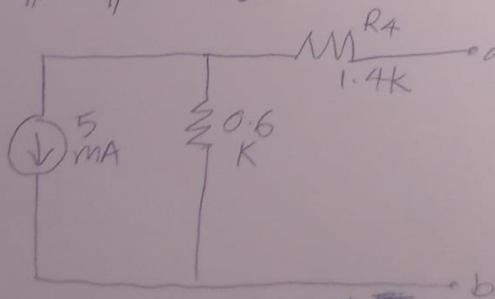


$$\begin{aligned} R_{TH} &= R_4 + [(R_3 // R_2) // R_1] \\ R_{TH} &= 1.4 \text{ k}\Omega + 0.6 \text{ k}\Omega \\ R_{TH} &= 2 \text{ k}\Omega \end{aligned}$$





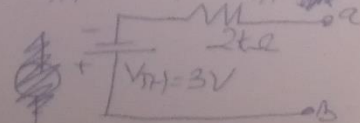
$$4k // 0.8k // 6k = 0.6k\Omega$$



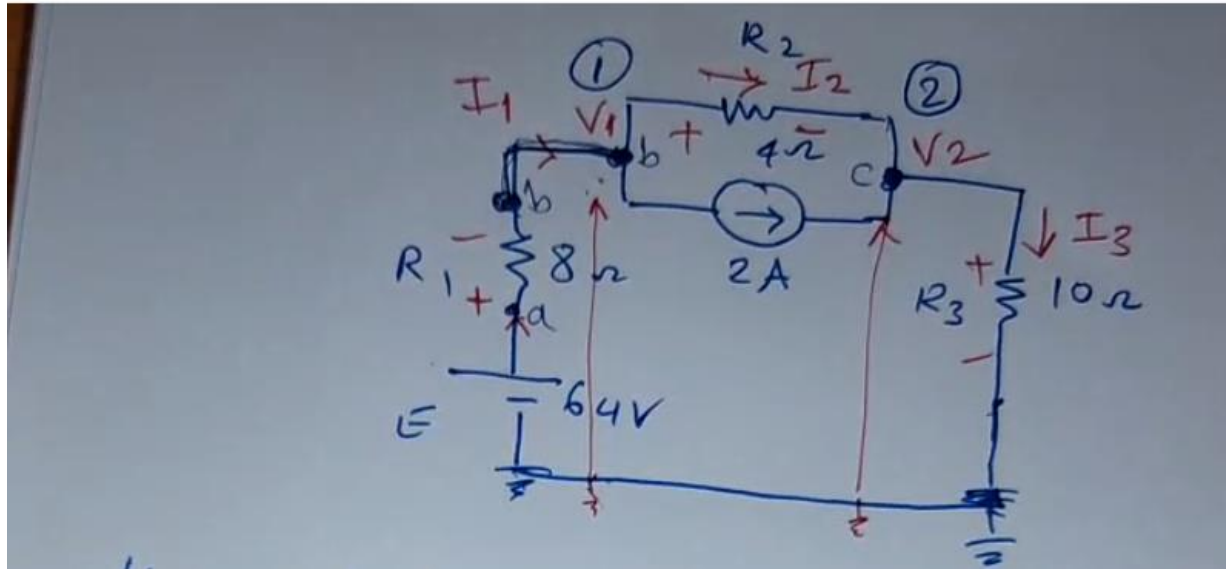
$$V_{TH} = -(5mA)(0.6k)$$

$$V_{TH} = -3V$$

$$R_{TH} = 2k\Omega$$



Additional example (This question is not included in lecture 5 slides)



KCL node ①

$$I_1 = I_2 + 2A \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

KCL node ②

$$I_2 + 2A = I_3 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\frac{64 - V_1}{8} = \frac{V_1 - V_2}{4} + 2A \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\frac{V_1 - V_2}{4} + 2A = \frac{V_2}{R_3} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$I_1 = \frac{V_{R1}}{R_1} = \frac{V_{ab}}{R_1}$$

$$I_1 = \frac{V_a - V_b}{R_1}$$

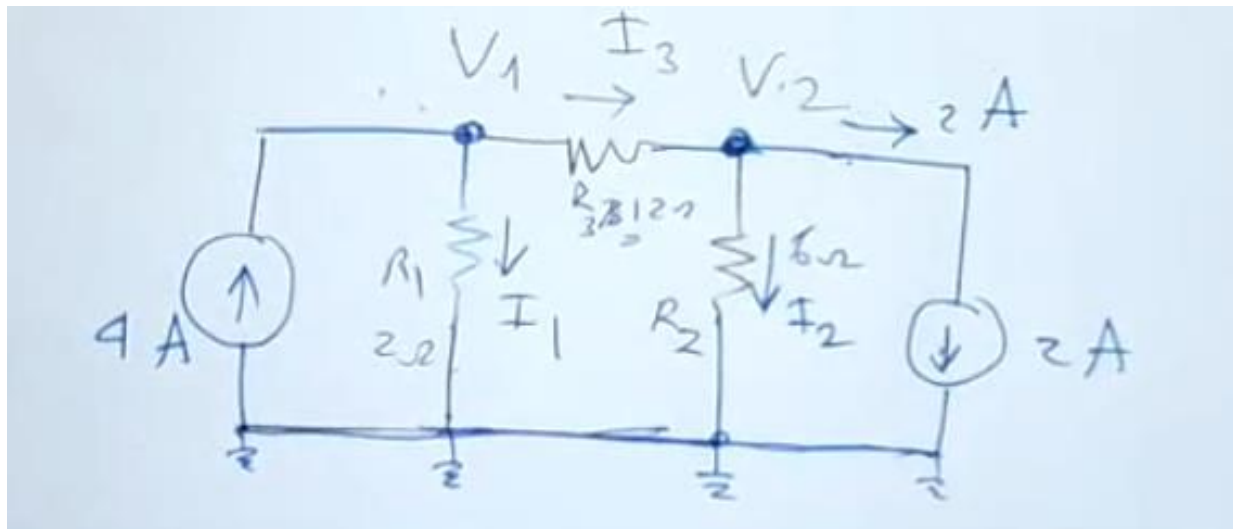
$$I_1 = \frac{E - V_1}{R_1}$$

$$I_2 = \frac{V_{R2}}{R_2} = \frac{V_{bc}}{R_2}$$

$$I_2 = \frac{V_1 - V_2}{R_2}$$

$$I_3 = \frac{V_{R3}}{R_3} = \frac{V_2}{R_3}$$

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KCL ①

$$4A = I_1 + I_3 \quad \text{--- ①}$$

KCL ②

$$I_3 = 2A + I_2 \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$$I_1 = \frac{V_{R_1}}{R_1} = \frac{V_1}{R_1}$$

$$I_2 = \frac{V_2}{R_2}$$

$$I_3 = \frac{V_1 - V_2}{R_3}$$

$$4 = \frac{V_1}{R_1} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{R_3} \quad \text{--- ①}$$

$$\frac{V_1 - V_2}{R_3} = 2 + \frac{V_2}{R_3} \quad \text{--- ②}$$