

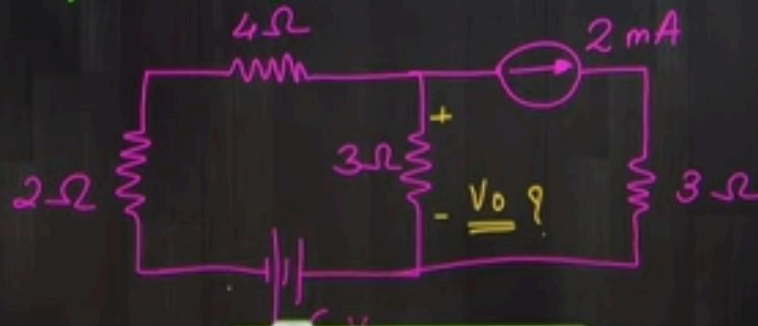
## Superposition Theorem

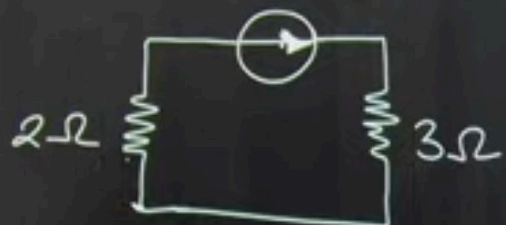
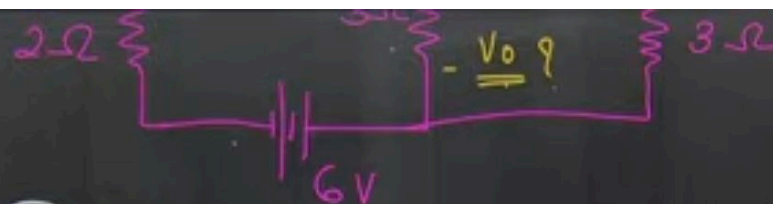
The principle of superposition helps to analyze a linear circuit with more than one current or voltage source by considering the effect of one source at a time by replacing the other source with their internal resistances.

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Any linear, bilateral two terminal network consisting of more than one sources, the total current or voltage in any part of a network is equal to the algebraic sum of currents or voltages in the required branch with each source acting individually and voltage being replaced by short circuit & current source by open circuit.





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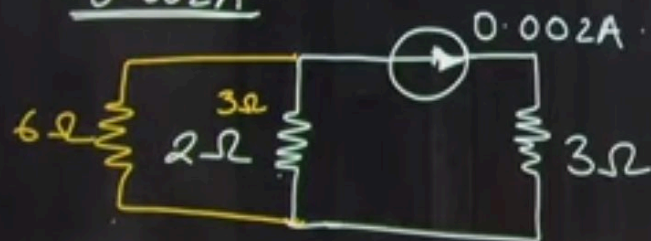
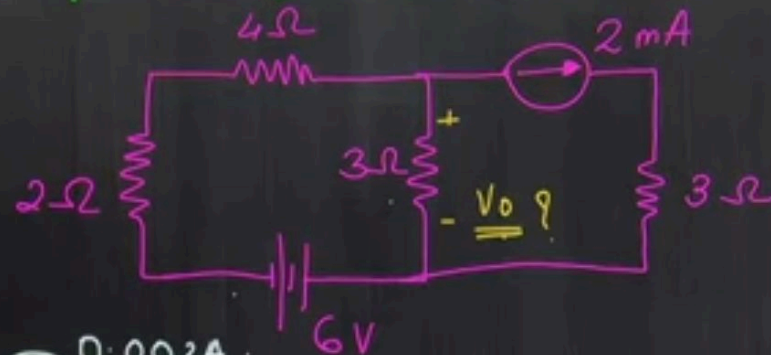
$$R_p = \frac{6}{3}$$

$$R_p = 2\Omega$$

voltage being replaced by short circuit & current source by open circuit 14:02

$$2\text{mA} \rightarrow 2 \times 10^{-3} \text{A}$$

$$= 0.002 \text{A}$$



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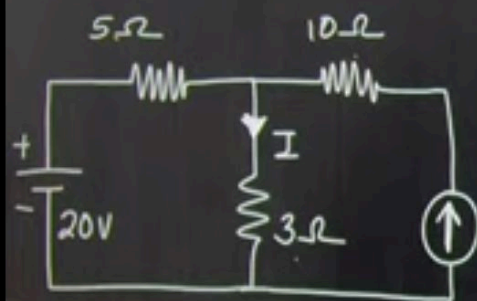
$$V = IR$$

$$= (0.002)(5)$$

$$= 0.01 \text{V}$$

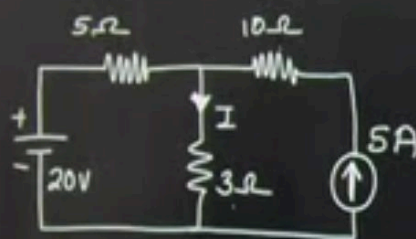
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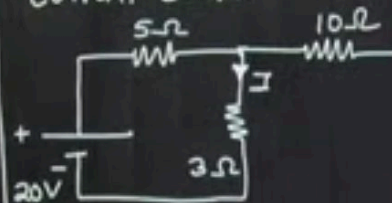


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Total current in  
 $3\Omega = 2.5A + 3.125A$   
 $= 5.625A //$

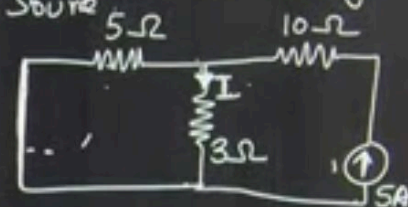
Open circuit the  
current source



$$I = \frac{V_T}{R_T} = \frac{20}{(5+3)}$$

$$= 2.5A (\downarrow)$$

Short circuit voltage  
source



$$R_T = 5\Omega // 3\Omega + 10\Omega$$

$$= \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{3}\right)}$$

$$R = 1.875\Omega \quad I_T = 5A$$

$$V_T = I_T \times R_T$$

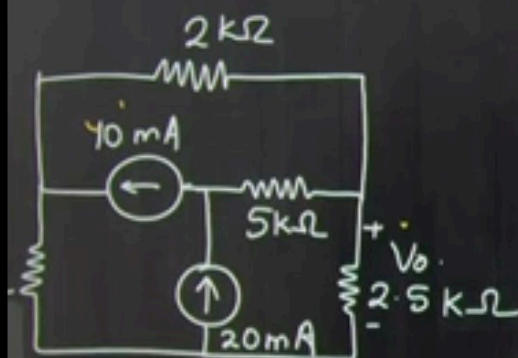
$$= 9.375V //$$

$$I_3 = \frac{V_T}{R} = 9.375$$

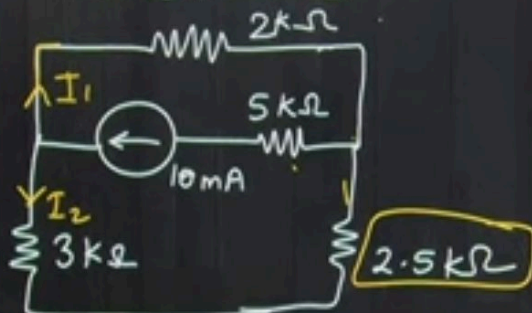
$$I = 3.125A (\downarrow)$$

Using superposition Theorem, find the voltage ( $V_o$ ).

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Open circuit  
current source



$$I_T = 10 \text{ mA}$$

$$R_{\text{current}} = 2.5 + 3 \text{ k}\Omega$$

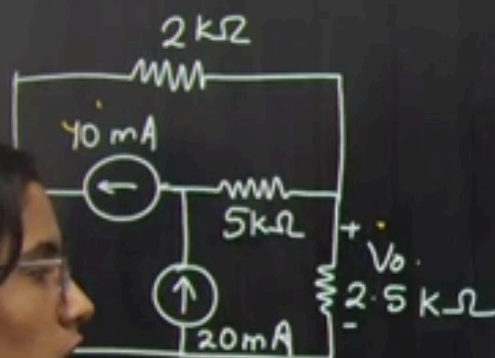
$$R_{\text{other}} = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$I_2 = I_T \times \left( \frac{R_{\text{other}}}{R_{\text{other}} + R_{\text{current}}} \right)$$

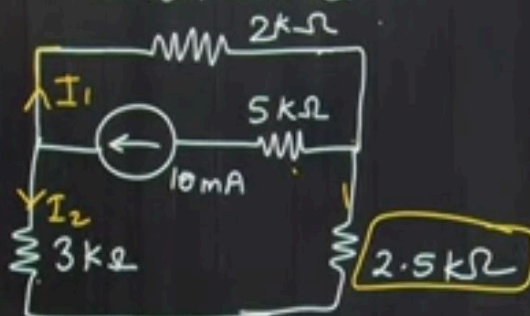
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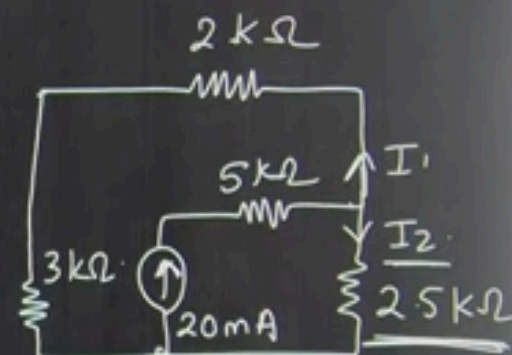
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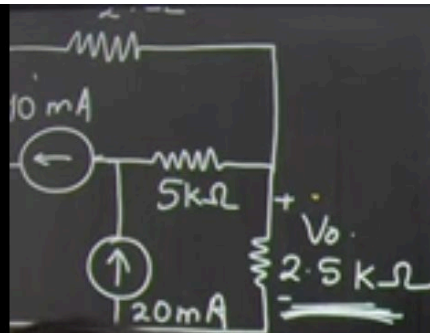


$$I_T = 20 \text{ mA}$$

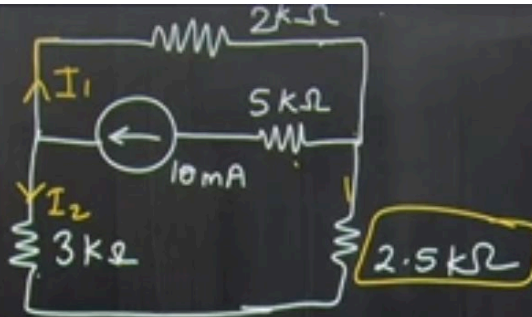
$$R_{\text{current}} = 2.5$$

$$R_{\text{other}} = 2 + 3$$





$-I_2'$



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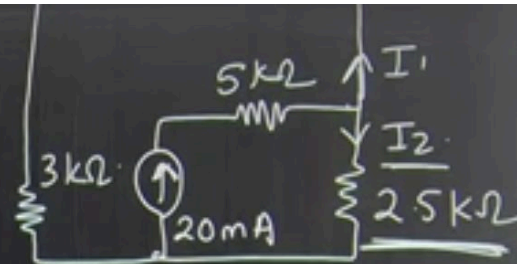
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$$= \underline{\underline{2.667 \text{ mA}(\uparrow)}}$$



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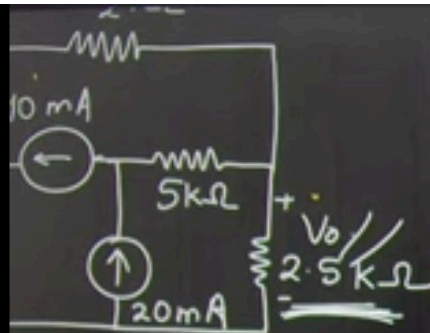
$$R_{\text{current}} = 2.5 \text{ k}\Omega$$

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$$I_2' = I_T \times \left( \frac{R_{\text{other}}}{R_{\text{other}} + R_{\text{current}}} \right)$$

$$= 20 \times \left( \frac{5}{5 + 2.5} \right)$$

$$= \underline{\underline{13.33 \text{ A}(\downarrow)}}$$



$$I_T = I_2 - I_2'$$

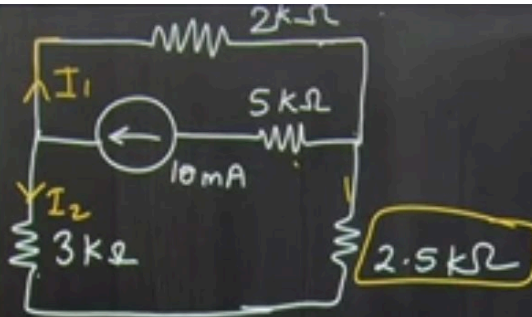
$$= 2.667 - 13.33$$

$$= -10.663 (\downarrow)$$

$$V_o = I \times R$$

$$= 10.663 \times 2.5$$

$$= 26.665 \text{ V}$$



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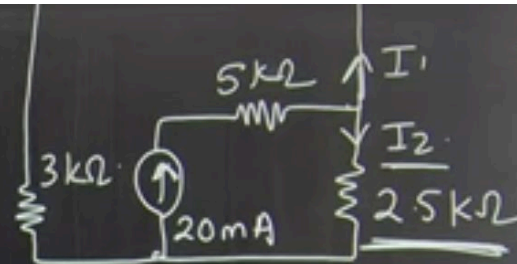
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