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Circuit Analysis

Cramer's rule

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 = y_1$$

$$a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{23}x_3 = y_2$$

$$a_{31}x_1 + a_{32}x_2 + a_{33}x_3 = y_3$$

- $\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix}$
- $AX = Y$

$$\bullet \quad \text{Det}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bullet \quad \text{Det}(A_1) = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ y_2 & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ y_3 & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bullet \quad \text{Det}(A_2) = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & y_1 & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & y_2 & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & y_3 & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bullet \quad \text{Det}(A_3) = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & y_1 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & y_2 \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & y_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bullet \quad x_1 = \frac{\text{Det}(A_1)}{\text{Det}(A)}$$

$$\bullet \quad x_2 = \frac{\text{Det}(A_2)}{\text{Det}(A)}$$

$$\bullet \quad x_3 = \frac{\text{Det}(A_3)}{\text{Det}(A)}$$

- $A \cdot X = Y$

Using Ohm's Law

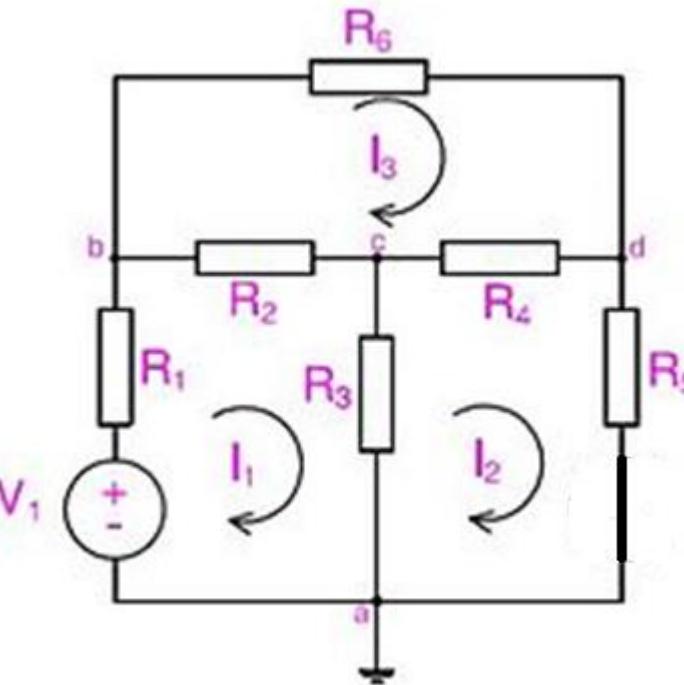
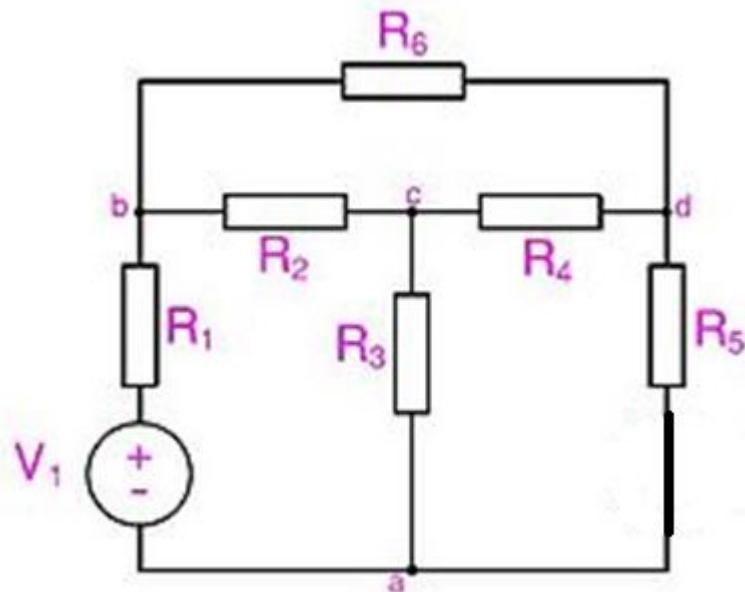
- $R \cdot I = V$ Mesh current analysis

- $I = V \left(\frac{1}{R} \right)$

- $I = V \cdot G$

- $G \cdot V = I$ Node voltage analysis

Mesh Analysis



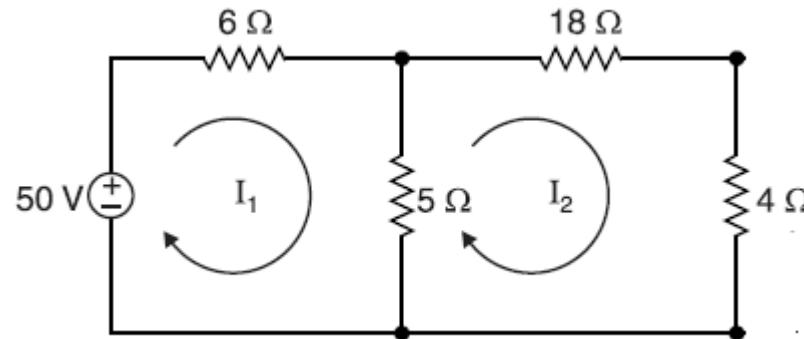
$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (R_1 + R_2 + R_3) & (-R_3) & (-R_2) \\ (-R_3) & (R_3 + R_4 + R_5) & (-R_4) \\ (-R_2) & (-R_4) & (R_2 + R_4 + R_6) \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I_1 \\ I_2 \\ I_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} V_1 \\ V_2 \\ V_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Mesh Analysis

- Find the mesh currents I_1 and I_2



- Loop ABDA

$$-50 + 6I_1 + 5(I_1 - I_2) = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$11I_1 - 5I_2 = 50 \quad (2)$$

$$I_1 = \frac{27}{5}I_2$$

Sub I_1 in (2)

- Loop BCDB

$$+18I_2 + 4I_2 + 5(I_2 - I_1) = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$I_2 = 0.92 \text{ A}$$

$$I_1 = 4.96 \text{ A}$$

$$+27I_2 - 5I_1 = 0 \quad (4)$$

Mesh Analysis

Using Cramer's rule

$$\begin{bmatrix} 11 & -5 \\ -5 & 27 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_1 \\ I_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 50 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & -5 \\ -5 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\text{Det}(A) = 272$$

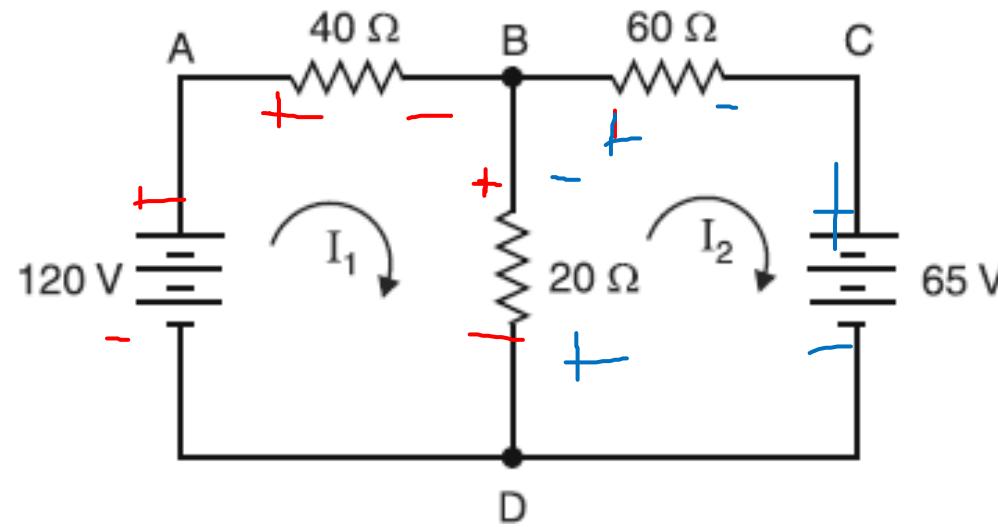
$$A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 50 & -5 \\ 0 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\text{Det}(A_1) = 135^{\circ}$$

$$A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 50 \\ -5 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\text{Det}(A_2) = 25^{\circ}$$

$$I_1 = \frac{\text{Det}(A_1)}{\text{Det}(A)} = \frac{135^{\circ}}{272} = 0.496 \text{ A}$$
$$I_2 = \frac{\text{Det}(A_2)}{\text{Det}(A)} = \frac{25^{\circ}}{272} = 0.092 \text{ A}$$

Mesh Analysis

- Find the Mesh currents I_1 and I_2



$$-120 + 40I_1 + 20(I_1 - I_2) = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$(4) \times 3$$

$$-60I_1 + 240I_2 = -195 \quad (5)$$

$$+60I_2 + 20(I_2 - I_1) + 65 = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$(3) + (5)$$

$$60I_1 - 20I_2 = 120 \quad (3)$$

$$I_2 = -0.34 \text{ A}$$

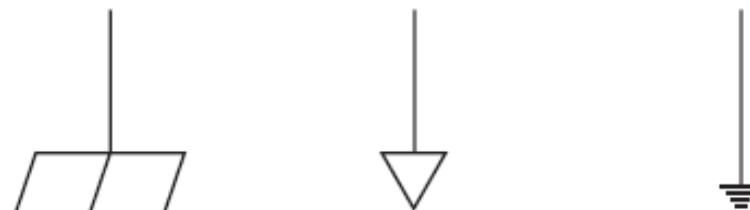
$$-20I_1 + 80I_2 = -65 \quad (4)$$

$$\text{Sub } I_2 \text{ in (3)} \quad I_1 = 1.87 \text{ A}$$

Ground

- The voltage at one point in a circuit is always measured relative to another point in the circuit.
- For example, if we say that voltage at a point in a circuit is + 10V, we mean that the point is 10V more positive than some reference point in the circuit.
- This reference point in a circuit is usually called the *ground point*.
- Thus ground is used as reference point (zero reference point) for specifying voltages.

Symbols for ground

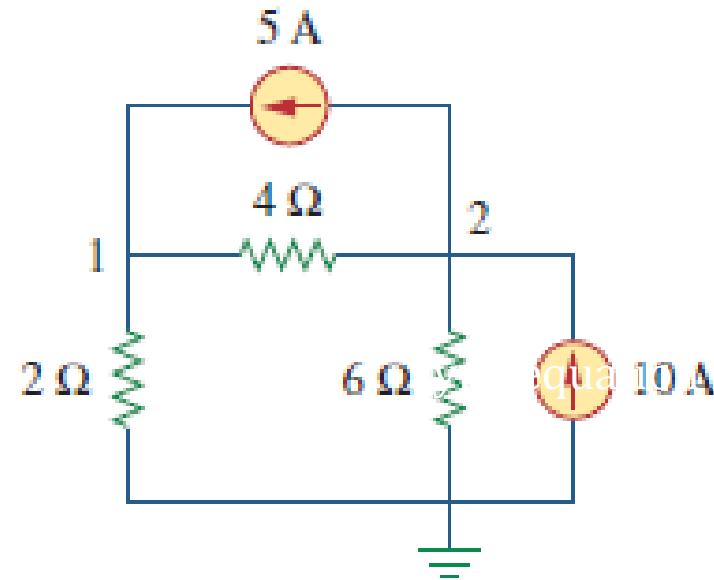


- Current always flows from higher potential to lower potential

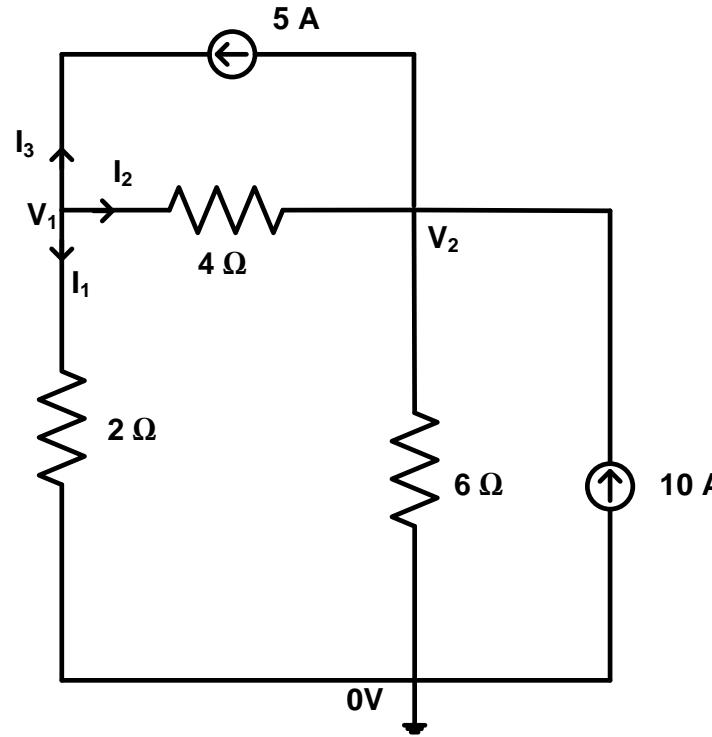
$$i = \frac{v_{\text{higher}} - v_{\text{lower}}}{R}$$

Nodal Analysis

- Find the node voltages at nodes 1 and 2



Nodal Analysis



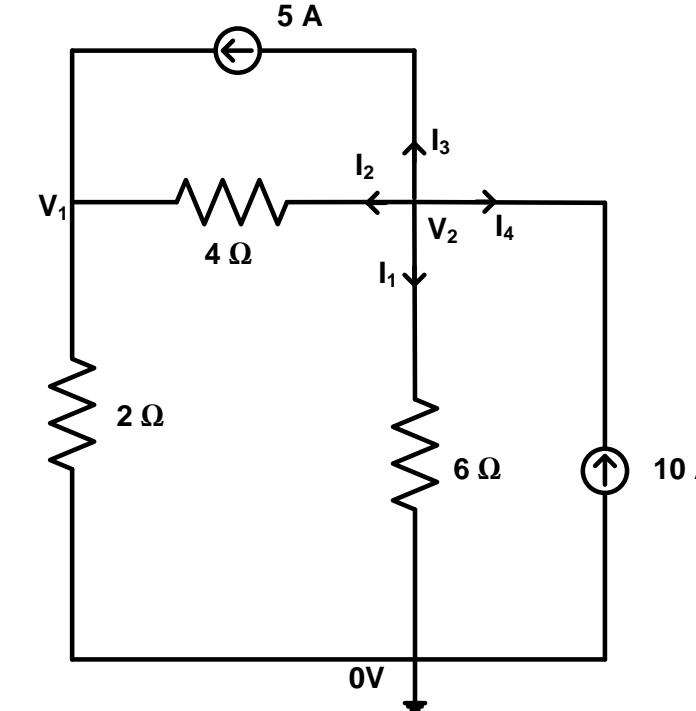
At node 1

$$\frac{V_1}{2} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{4} - 5 = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$3V_1 - V_2 = 20 \quad (2)$$

$$V_1 = 13.33 \text{ V}$$

$$V_2 = 20 \text{ V}$$



At node 2

$$\frac{V_2}{6} + \frac{V_2 - V_1}{4} + 5 - 10 = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$-3V_1 + 5V_2 = 60 \quad (4)$$

- Using Cramer's rule

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ 60 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_1 = \frac{\Delta_1}{\Delta}$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = 15 - 3 = 12$$

$$v_2 = \frac{\Delta_2}{\Delta}$$

$$\Delta_1 = \begin{vmatrix} 20 & -1 \\ 60 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

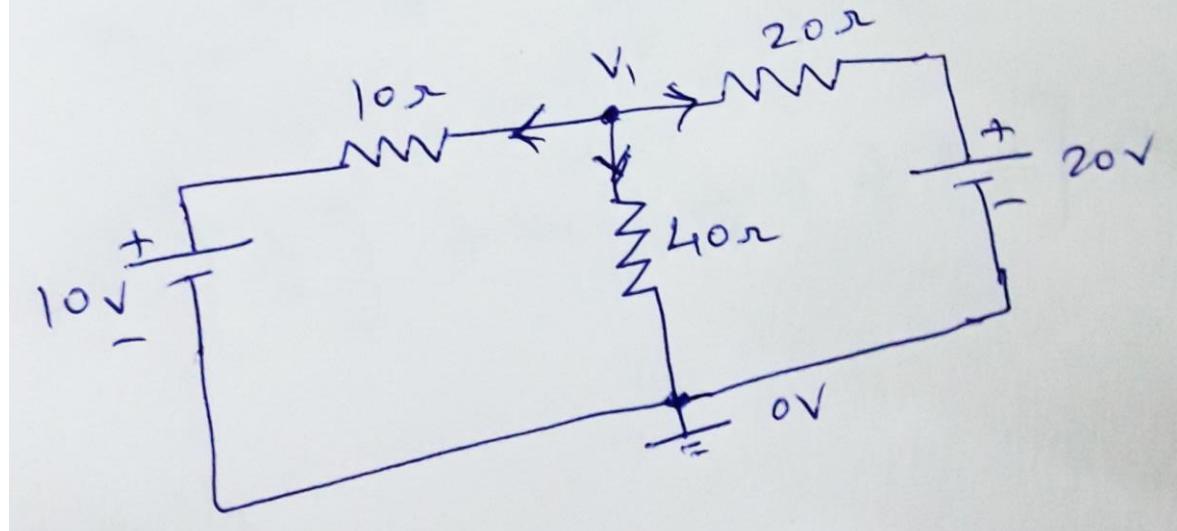
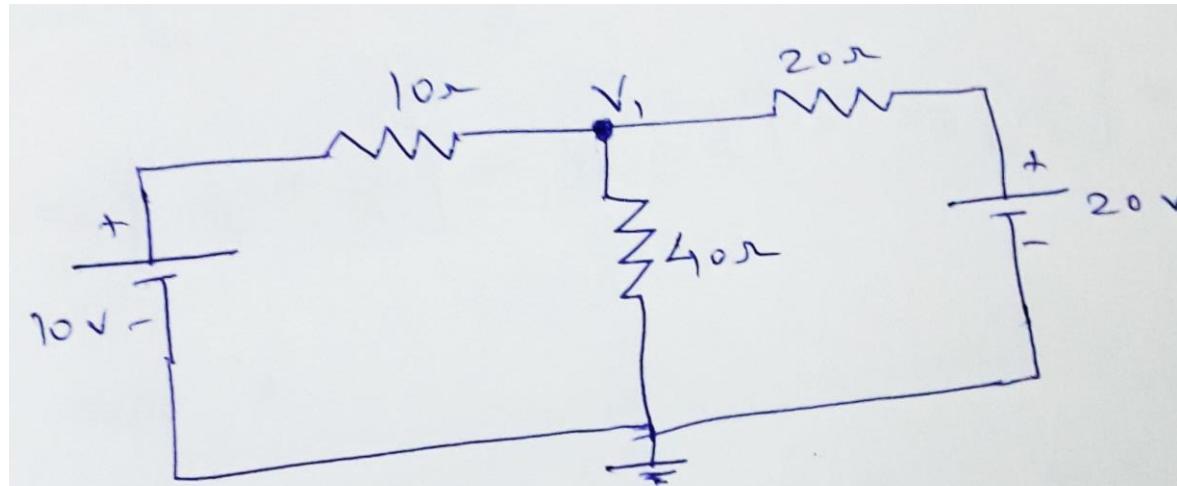
$$\Delta_2 = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 20 \\ -3 & 60 \end{vmatrix}$$

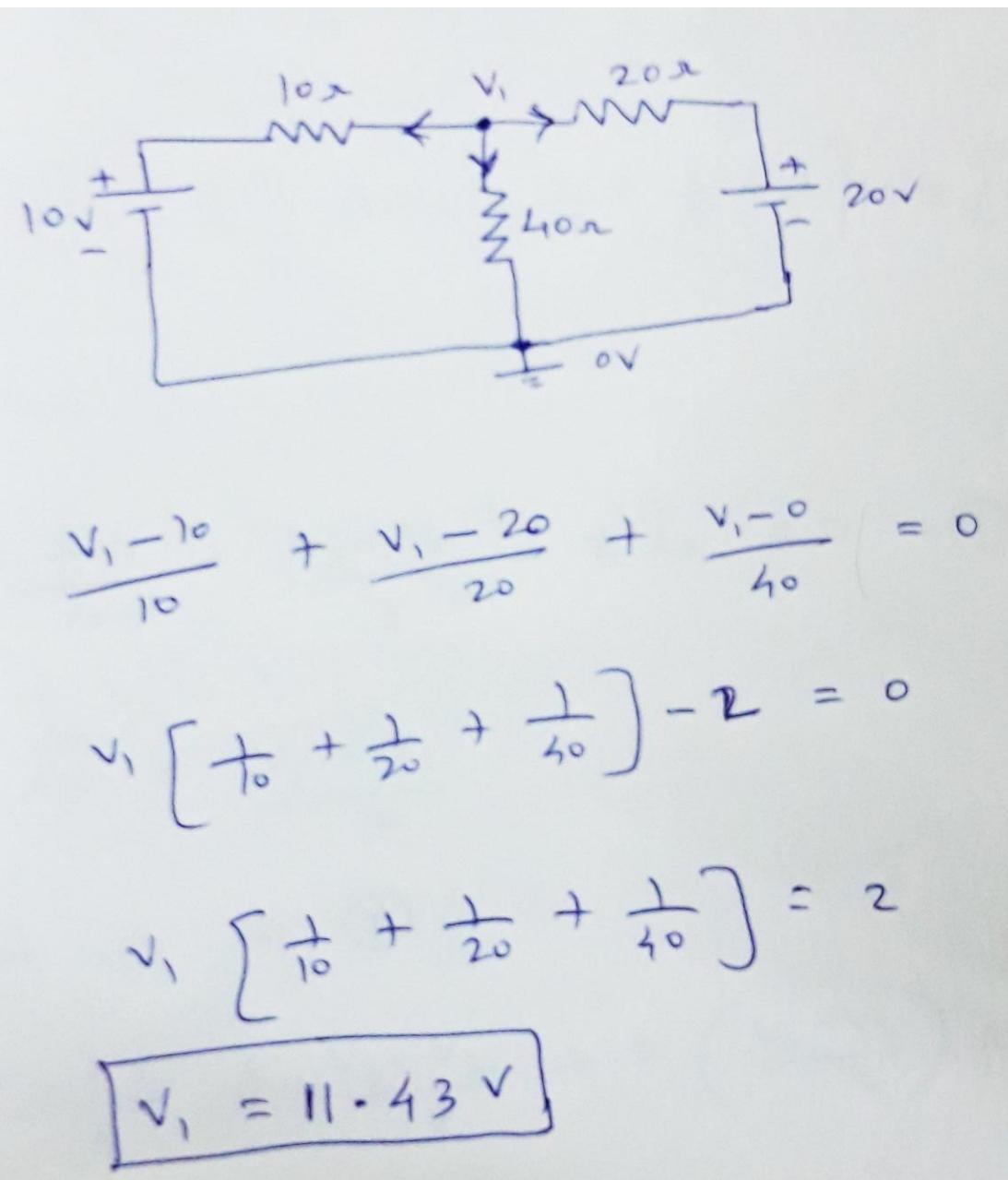
$$V_1 = 13.33 \text{ V}$$

$$V_2 = 20 \text{ V}$$

Nodal Analysis

Find the node voltage V_1

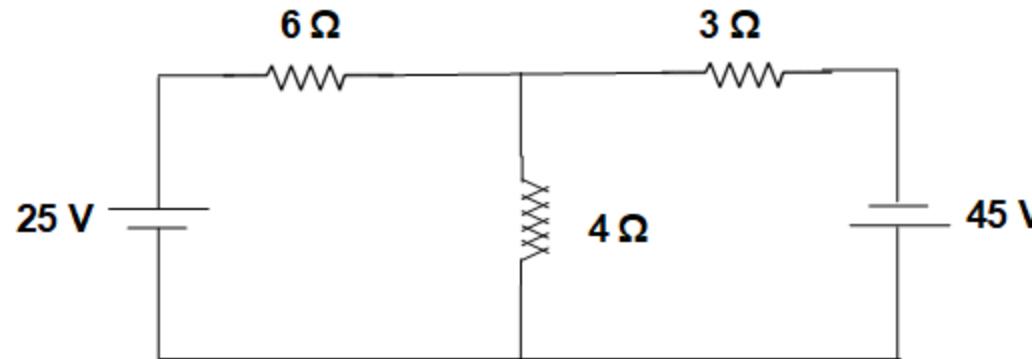




Problems

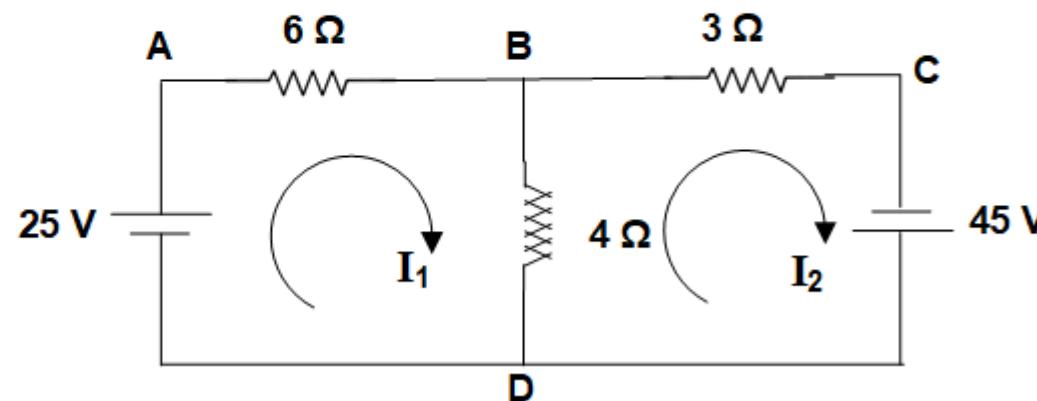
Example 11

Using Kirchhoff's laws, find the current in various resistors in the circuit shown.

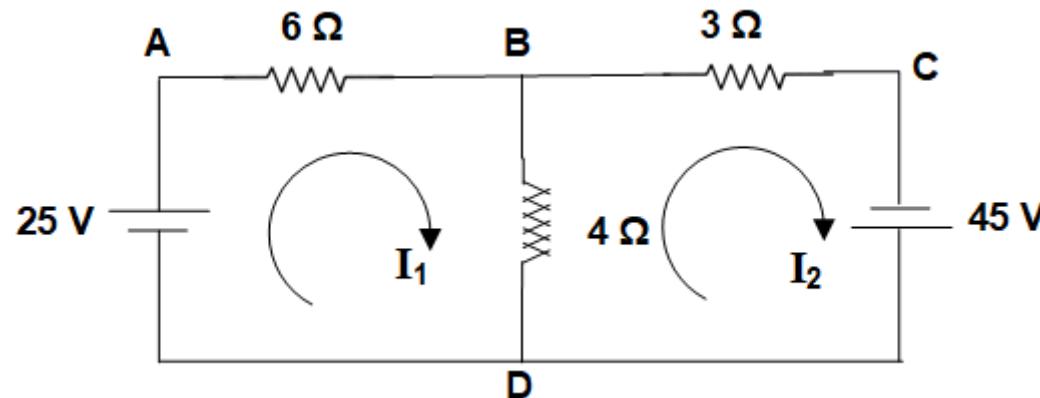


Solution

Let the loop current be I_1 and I_2



Problems



For the loop ABDA

$$6 I_1 + 4 (I_1 - I_2) - 25 = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad 10 I_1 - 4 I_2 = 25$$

For the loop BCDB

$$3 I_2 - 45 + 4 (I_2 - I_1) = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad -4 I_1 + 7 I_2 = 45$$

$$\text{Current in } 4\Omega \text{ resistor} = I_1 - I_2 = 6.574 - 10.1852 = -3.6112 \text{ A}$$

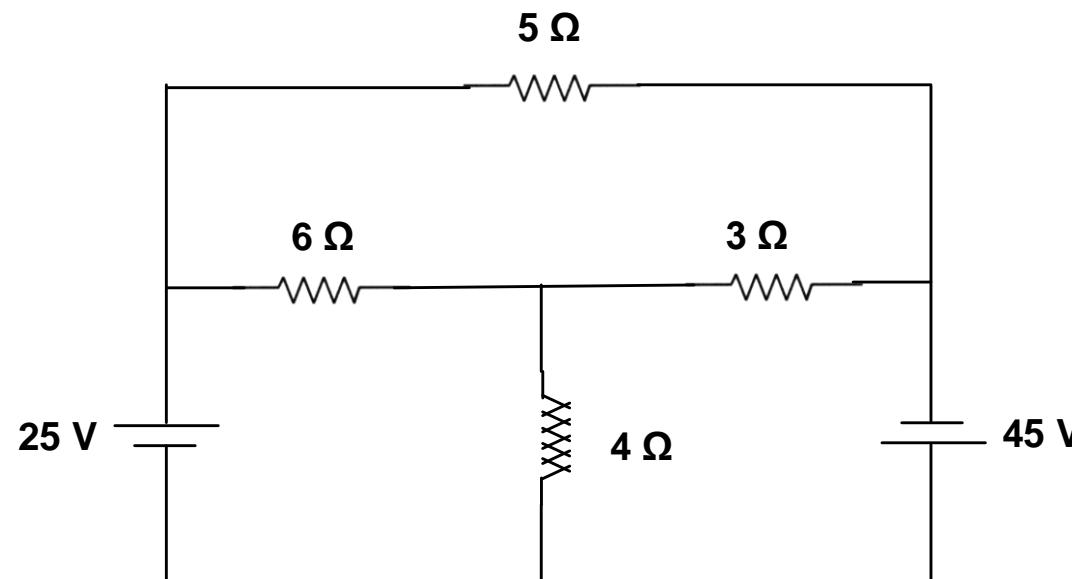
Thus the current in 4Ω resistor is from A to C

Current in 6Ω resistor = 6.574 A; Current in 3Ω resistor = 10.1852 A

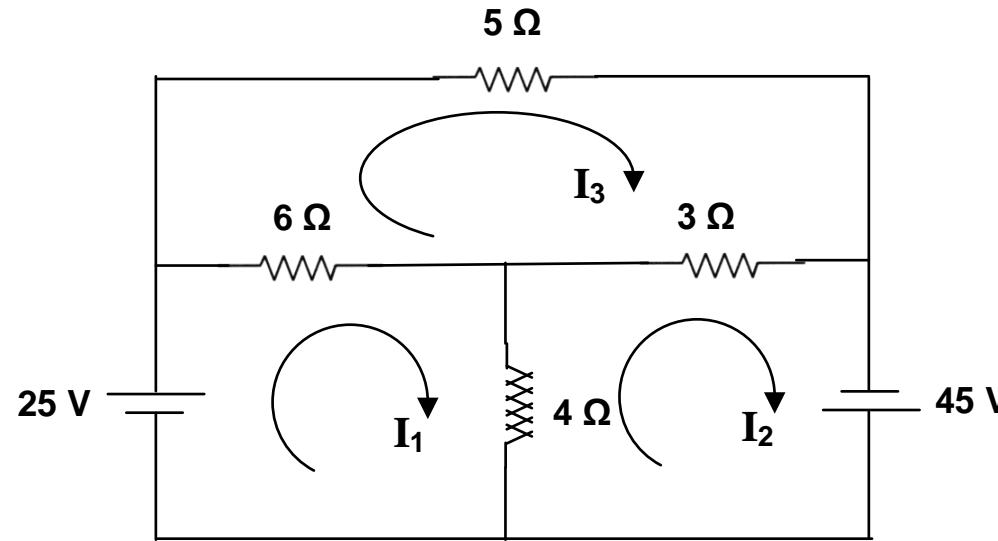
$$I_1 = 6.574 \text{ A}; \quad I_2 = 10.1852 \text{ A}$$

Example 12

Find the current in $5\ \Omega$ resistor in the circuit shown.



Let the loop current be I_1 , I_2 and I_3 .



Three loops equations are:

$$6(I_1 - I_3) + 4(I_1 - I_2) - 25 = 0$$

$$4(I_2 - I_1) + 3(I_2 - I_3) - 45 = 0$$

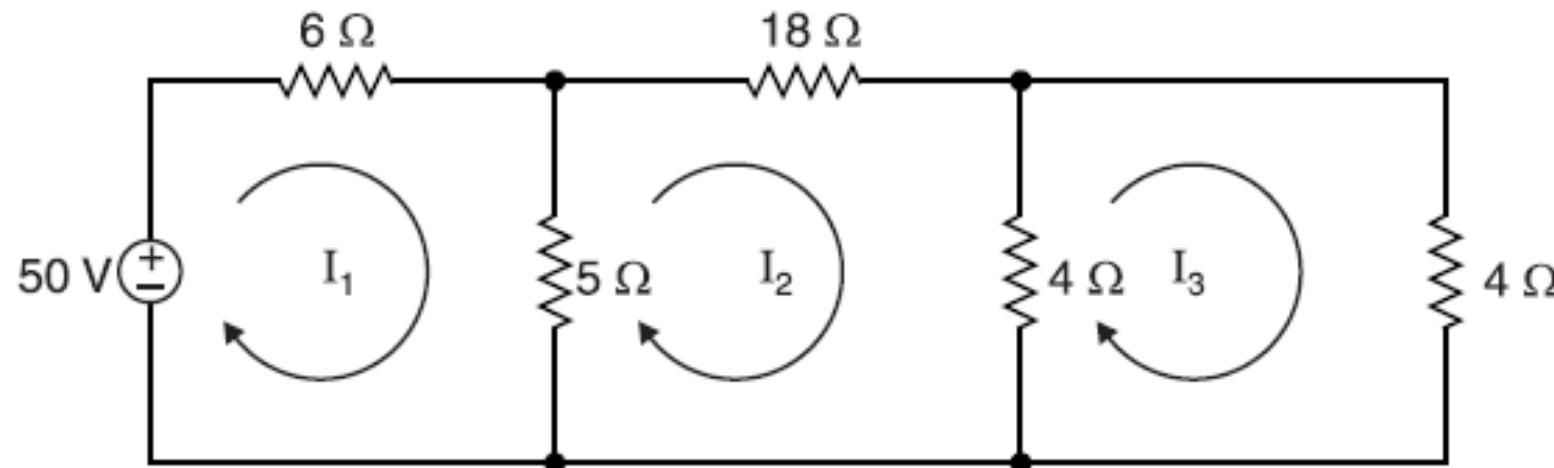
$$5I_3 + 3(I_3 - I_2) + 6(I_3 - I_1) = 0$$

On solving

Current in 5 Ω resistor, $I_3 = 14 \text{ A}$

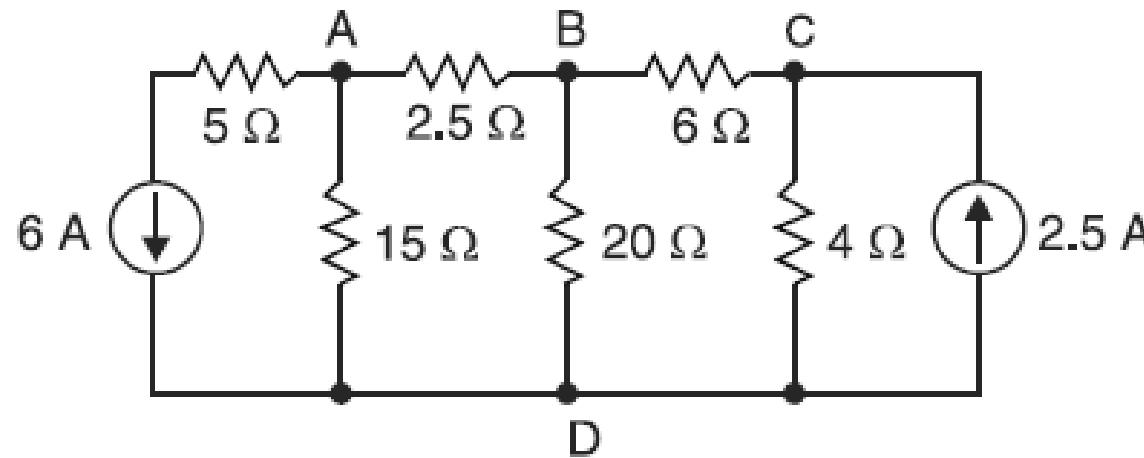
Practice Problems

- Find Mesh currents I_1, I_2, I_3



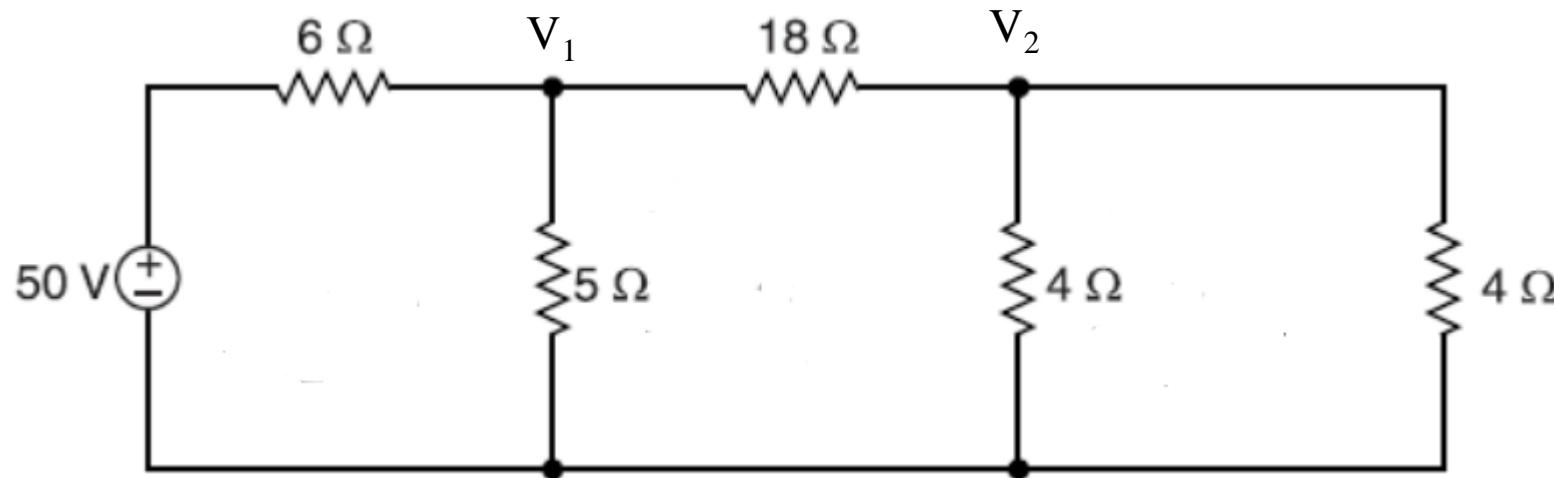
Practice Problems

- Find the node voltages at Nodes A, B, C



Practice Problems

- Find node voltages V_1, V_2



Practice Problems

- Find the node voltages V_1 and V_2

