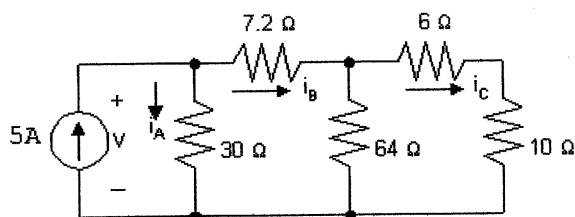


# Simple Resistive Circuits

## Assessment Problems

AP 3.1



Start from the right hand side of the circuit and make series and parallel combinations of the resistors until one equivalent resistor remains. Begin by combining the  $6\Omega$  resistor and the  $10\Omega$  resistor in series:

$$6\Omega + 10\Omega = 16\Omega$$

Now combine this  $16\Omega$  resistor in parallel with the  $64\Omega$  resistor:

$$16\Omega \parallel 64\Omega = \frac{(16)(64)}{16 + 64} = \frac{1024}{80} = 12.8\Omega$$

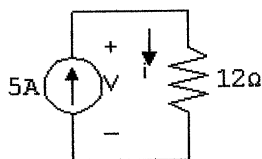
This equivalent  $12.8\Omega$  resistor is in series with the  $7.2\Omega$  resistor:

$$12.8\Omega + 7.2\Omega = 20\Omega$$

Finally, this equivalent  $20\Omega$  resistor is in parallel with the  $30\Omega$  resistor:

$$20\Omega \parallel 30\Omega = \frac{(20)(30)}{20 + 30} = \frac{600}{50} = 12\Omega$$

Thus, the simplified circuit is as shown:



- [a] With the simplified circuit we can use Ohm's law to find the voltage across both the current source and the  $12\ \Omega$  equivalent resistor:

$$v = (12\ \Omega)(5\ \text{A}) = 60\ \text{V}$$

- [b] Now that we know the value of the voltage drop across the current source, we can use the formula  $p = -vi$  to find the power associated with the source:

$$p = -(60\ \text{V})(5\ \text{A}) = -300\ \text{W}$$

Thus, the source delivers 300 W of power to the circuit.

- [c] We now can return to the original circuit, shown in the first figure. In this circuit,  $v = 60\ \text{V}$ , as calculated in part (a). This is also the voltage drop across the  $30\ \Omega$  resistor, so we can use Ohm's law to calculate the current through this resistor:

$$i_A = \frac{60\ \text{V}}{30\ \Omega} = 2\ \text{A}$$

Now write a KCL equation at the upper left node to find the current  $i_B$ :

$$-5\ \text{A} + i_A + i_B = 0 \quad \text{so} \quad i_B = 5\ \text{A} - i_A = 5\ \text{A} - 2\ \text{A} = 3\ \text{A}$$

Next, write a KVL equation around the outer loop of the circuit, using Ohm's law to express the voltage drop across the resistors in terms of the current through the resistors:

$$-v + 7.2i_B + 6i_C + 10i_C = 0$$

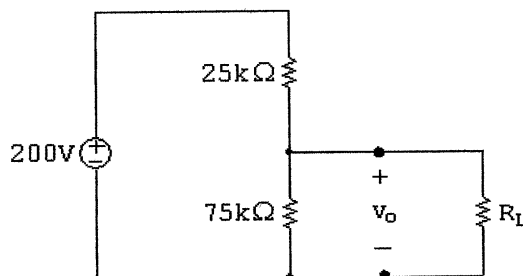
$$\text{So} \quad 16i_C = v - 7.2i_B = 60\ \text{V} - (7.2)(3) = 38.4\ \text{V}$$

$$\text{Thus} \quad i_C = \frac{38.4}{16} = 2.4\ \text{A}$$

Now that we have the current through the  $10\ \Omega$  resistor we can use the formula  $p = Ri^2$  to find the power:

$$p_{10\ \Omega} = (10)(2.4)^2 = 57.6\ \text{W}$$

## AP 3.2



- [a] We can use voltage division to calculate the voltage  $v_o$  across the  $75\text{ k}\Omega$  resistor:

$$v_o(\text{no load}) = \frac{75,000}{75,000 + 25,000}(200\text{ V}) = 150\text{ V}$$

- [b] When we have a load resistance of  $150\text{ k}\Omega$  then the voltage  $v_o$  is across the parallel combination of the  $75\text{ k}\Omega$  resistor and the  $150\text{ k}\Omega$  resistor. First, calculate the equivalent resistance of the parallel combination:

$$75\text{ k}\Omega \parallel 150\text{ k}\Omega = \frac{(75,000)(150,000)}{75,000 + 150,000} = 50,000\text{ }\Omega = 50\text{ k}\Omega$$

Now use voltage division to find  $v_o$  across this equivalent resistance:

$$v_o = \frac{50,000}{50,000 + 25,000}(200\text{ V}) = 133.3\text{ V}$$

- [c] If the load terminals are short-circuited, the  $75\text{ k}\Omega$  resistor is effectively removed from the circuit, leaving only the voltage source and the  $25\text{ k}\Omega$  resistor. We can calculate the current in the resistor using Ohm's law:

$$i = \frac{200\text{ V}}{25\text{ k}\Omega} = 8\text{ mA}$$

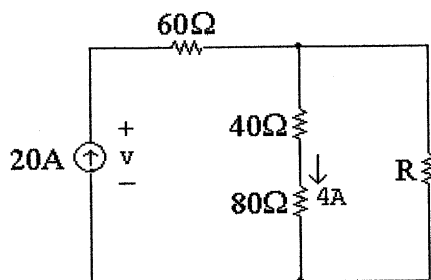
Now we can use the formula  $p = Ri^2$  to find the power dissipated in the  $25\text{ k}\Omega$  resistor:

$$p_{25k} = (25,000)(0.008)^2 = 1.6\text{ W}$$

- [d] The power dissipated in the  $75\text{ k}\Omega$  resistor will be maximum at no load since  $v_o$  is maximum. In part (a) we determined that the no-load voltage is  $150\text{ V}$ , so we can use the formula  $p = v^2/R$  to calculate the power:

$$p_{75k}(\text{max}) = \frac{(150)^2}{75,000} = 0.3\text{ W}$$

### AP 3.3



- [a] We will write a current division equation for the current through the  $80\Omega$  resistor and use this equation to solve for  $R$ :

$$i_{80\Omega} = \frac{R}{R + 40\Omega + 80\Omega}(20\text{ A}) = 4\text{ A} \quad \text{so} \quad 20R = 4(R + 120)$$

$$\text{Thus} \quad 16R = 480 \quad \text{and} \quad R = \frac{480}{16} = 30\text{ }\Omega$$

- [b] With  $R = 30\ \Omega$  we can calculate the current through  $R$  using current division, and then use this current to find the power dissipated by  $R$ , using the formula  $p = Ri^2$ :

$$i_R = \frac{40 + 80}{40 + 80 + 30}(20\ \text{A}) = 16\ \text{A} \quad \text{so} \quad p_R = (30)(16)^2 = 7680\ \text{W}$$

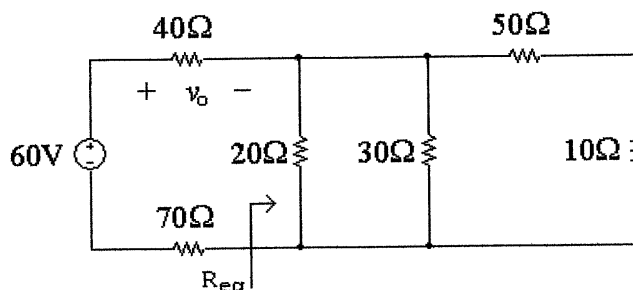
- [c] Write a KVL equation around the outer loop to solve for the voltage  $v$ , and then use the formula  $p = -vi$  to calculate the power delivered by the current source:

$$-v + (60\ \Omega)(20\ \text{A}) + (30\ \Omega)(16\ \text{A}) = 0 \quad \text{so} \quad v = 1200 + 480 = 1680\ \text{V}$$

$$\text{Thus, } p_{\text{source}} = -(1680\ \text{V})(20\ \text{A}) = -33,600\ \text{W}$$

Thus, the current source generates 33,600 W of power.

## AP 3.4



- [a] First we need to determine the equivalent resistance to the right of the  $40\ \Omega$  and  $70\ \Omega$  resistors:

$$R_{\text{eq}} = 20\ \Omega \parallel 30\ \Omega \parallel (50\ \Omega + 10\ \Omega) \quad \text{so} \quad \frac{1}{R_{\text{eq}}} = \frac{1}{20\ \Omega} + \frac{1}{30\ \Omega} + \frac{1}{60\ \Omega} = \frac{1}{10\ \Omega}$$

$$\text{Thus, } R_{\text{eq}} = 10\ \Omega$$

Now we can use voltage division to find the voltage  $v_o$ :

$$v_o = \frac{40}{40 + 10 + 70}(60\ \text{V}) = 20\ \text{V}$$

- [b] The current through the  $40\ \Omega$  resistor can be found using Ohm's law:

$$i_{40\Omega} = \frac{v_o}{40} = \frac{20\ \text{V}}{40\ \Omega} = 0.5\ \text{A}$$

This current flows from left to right through the  $40\ \Omega$  resistor. To use current division, we need to find the equivalent resistance of the two parallel branches containing the  $20\ \Omega$  resistor and the  $50\ \Omega$  and  $10\ \Omega$  resistors:

$$20\ \Omega \parallel (50\ \Omega + 10\ \Omega) = \frac{(20)(60)}{20 + 60} = 15\ \Omega$$

Now we use current division to find the current in the  $30\ \Omega$  branch:

$$i_{30\Omega} = \frac{15}{15 + 30}(0.5\ \text{A}) = 0.16667\ \text{A} = 166.67\ \text{mA}$$

- [c] We can find the power dissipated by the  $50\ \Omega$  resistor if we can find the current in this resistor. We can use current division to find this current from the current in the  $40\ \Omega$  resistor, but first we need to calculate the equivalent resistance of the  $20\ \Omega$  branch and the  $30\ \Omega$  branch:

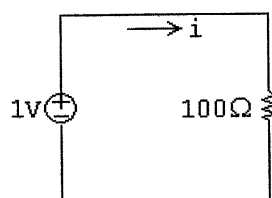
$$20\ \Omega \parallel 30\ \Omega = \frac{(20)(30)}{20 + 30} = 12\ \Omega$$

Current division gives:

$$i_{50\ \Omega} = \frac{12}{12 + 50 + 10}(0.5\ \text{A}) = 0.08333\ \text{A}$$

$$\text{Thus, } p_{50\ \Omega} = (50)(0.08333)^2 = 0.34722\ \text{W} = 347.22\ \text{mW}$$

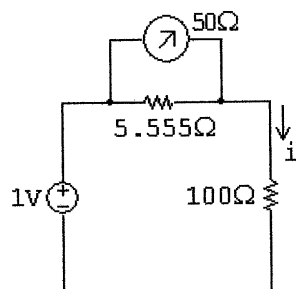
AP 3.5 [a]



We can find the current  $i$  using Ohm's law:

$$i = \frac{1\ \text{V}}{100\ \Omega} = 0.01\ \text{A} = 10\ \text{mA}$$

[b]

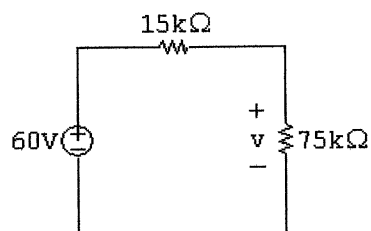


$$R_m = 50\ \Omega \parallel 5.555\ \Omega = 5\ \Omega$$

We can use the meter resistance to find the current using Ohm's law:

$$i_{\text{meas}} = \frac{1\ \text{V}}{100\ \Omega + 5\ \Omega} = 0.009524 = 9.524\ \text{mA}$$

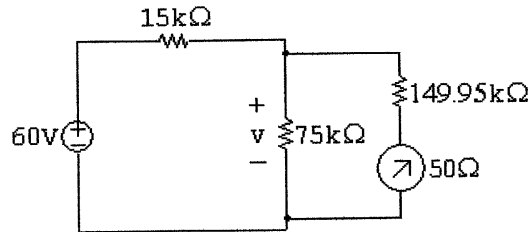
AP 3.6 [a]



Use voltage division to find the voltage  $v$ :

$$v = \frac{75,000}{75,000 + 15,000}(60 \text{ V}) = 50 \text{ V}$$

[b]



The meter resistance is a series combination of resistances:

$$R_m = 149,950 + 50 = 150,000 \Omega$$

We can use voltage division to find  $v$ , but first we must calculate the equivalent resistance of the parallel combination of the  $75 \text{ k}\Omega$  resistor and the voltmeter:

$$75,000 \Omega \parallel 150,000 \Omega = \frac{(75,000)(150,000)}{75,000 + 150,000} = 50 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$\text{Thus, } v_{\text{meas}} = \frac{50,000}{50,000 + 15,000}(60 \text{ V}) = 46.15 \text{ V}$$

AP 3.7 [a] Using the condition for a balanced bridge, the products of the opposite resistors must be equal. Therefore,

$$100R_x = (1000)(150) \quad \text{so} \quad R_x = \frac{(1000)(150)}{100} = 1500 \Omega = 1.5 \text{ k}\Omega$$

[b] When the bridge is balanced, there is no current flowing through the meter, so the meter acts like an open circuit. This places the following branches in parallel: The branch with the voltage source, the branch with the series combination  $R_1$  and  $R_3$  and the branch with the series combination of  $R_2$  and  $R_x$ . We can find the current in the latter two branches using Ohm's law:

$$i_{R_1, R_3} = \frac{5 \text{ V}}{100 \Omega + 150 \Omega} = 20 \text{ mA}; \quad i_{R_2, R_x} = \frac{5 \text{ V}}{1000 + 1500} = 2 \text{ mA}$$

We can calculate the power dissipated by each resistor using the formula  $p = Ri^2$ :

$$p_{100\Omega} = (100 \Omega)(0.02 \text{ A})^2 = 40 \text{ mW}$$

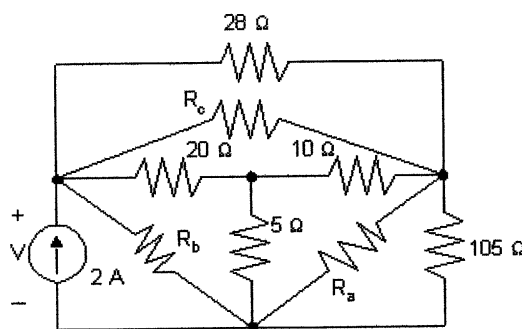
$$p_{150\Omega} = (150 \Omega)(0.02 \text{ A})^2 = 60 \text{ mW}$$

$$p_{1000\Omega} = (1000 \Omega)(0.002 \text{ A})^2 = 4 \text{ mW}$$

$$p_{1500\Omega} = (1500 \Omega)(0.002 \text{ A})^2 = 6 \text{ mW}$$

Since none of the power dissipation values exceeds 250 mW, the bridge can be left in the balanced state without exceeding the power-dissipating capacity of the resistors.

- AP 3.8 Convert the three Y-connected resistors,  $20\ \Omega$ ,  $10\ \Omega$ , and  $5\ \Omega$  to three  $\Delta$ -connected resistors  $R_a$ ,  $R_b$ , and  $R_c$ . To assist you the figure below has both the Y-connected resistors and the  $\Delta$ -connected resistors

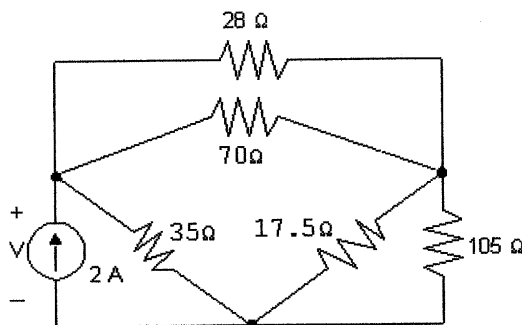


$$R_a = \frac{(5)(10) + (5)(20) + (10)(20)}{20} = 17.5\ \Omega$$

$$R_b = \frac{(5)(10) + (5)(20) + (10)(20)}{10} = 35\ \Omega$$

$$R_c = \frac{(5)(10) + (5)(20) + (10)(20)}{5} = 70\ \Omega$$

The circuit with these new  $\Delta$ -connected resistors is shown below:



From this circuit we see that the  $70\ \Omega$  resistor is parallel to the  $28\ \Omega$  resistor:

$$70\ \Omega \parallel 28\ \Omega = \frac{(70)(28)}{70 + 28} = 20\ \Omega$$

Also, the  $17.5\ \Omega$  resistor is parallel to the  $105\ \Omega$  resistor:

$$17.5\ \Omega \parallel 105\ \Omega = \frac{(17.5)(105)}{17.5 + 105} = 15\ \Omega$$

Once the parallel combinations are made, we can see that the equivalent  $20\ \Omega$  resistor is in series with the equivalent  $15\ \Omega$  resistor, giving an equivalent resistance of  $20\ \Omega + 15\ \Omega = 35\ \Omega$ . Finally, this equivalent  $35\ \Omega$  resistor is in parallel with the other  $35\ \Omega$  resistor:

$$35\ \Omega \parallel 35\ \Omega = \frac{(35)(35)}{35 + 35} = 17.5\ \Omega$$

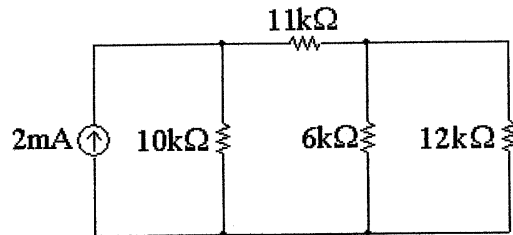
Thus, the resistance seen by the 2 A source is  $17.5\ \Omega$ , and the voltage can be calculated using Ohm's law:

$$v = (17.5\ \Omega)(2\ \text{A}) = 35\ \text{V}$$

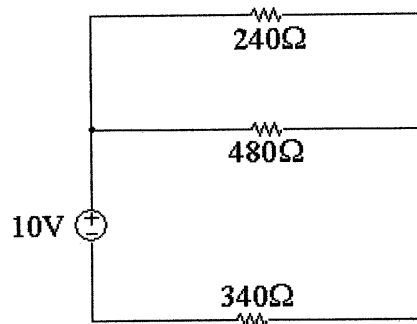


## Problems

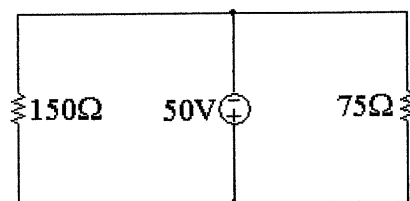
- P 3.1 [a] The  $3\text{ k}\Omega$  and  $8\text{ k}\Omega$  resistors are in series, as are the  $5\text{ k}\Omega$  and  $7\text{ k}\Omega$  resistors. The simplified circuit is shown below:



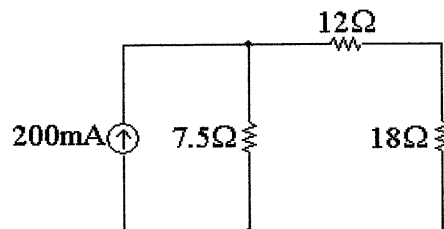
- [b] The  $180\Omega$  and  $300\Omega$  resistors are in series, as are the  $140\Omega$  and  $200\Omega$  resistors. The simplified circuit is shown below:



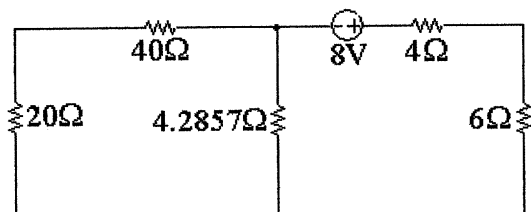
- [c] The  $40\Omega$ ,  $50\Omega$ , and  $60\Omega$  resistors are in series, as are the  $45\Omega$  and  $30\Omega$  resistors. The simplified circuit is shown below:



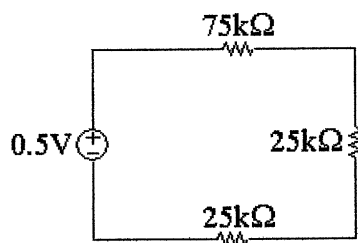
- P 3.2 [a] The  $12\Omega$  and  $20\Omega$  resistors are in parallel, as are the  $28\Omega$  and  $21\Omega$  resistors. The simplified circuit is shown below:



- [b] The  $30\ \Omega$  and  $5\ \Omega$  resistors are in parallel, as are the  $9\ \Omega$  and  $18\ \Omega$  resistors. The simplified circuit is shown below:



- [c] The  $100\ \text{k}\Omega$  and  $300\ \text{k}\Omega$  resistors are in parallel, as are the  $75\ \text{k}\Omega$ ,  $50\ \text{k}\Omega$ , and  $150\ \text{k}\Omega$  resistors. The simplified circuit is shown below:



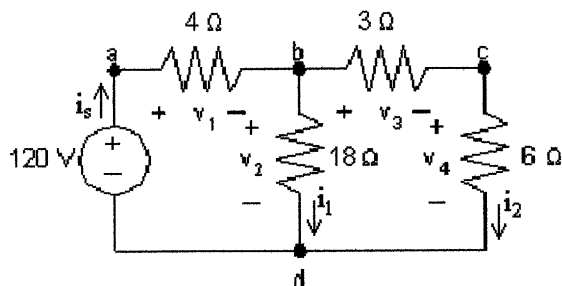
P 3.3 [a]  $p_{4\Omega} = i_s^2 4 = (12)^2 4 = 576\ \text{W}$        $p_{18\Omega} = (4)^2 18 = 288\ \text{W}$

$p_{3\Omega} = (8)^2 3 = 192\ \text{W}$        $p_{6\Omega} = (8)^2 6 = 384\ \text{W}$

[b]  $p_{120\text{V}}(\text{delivered}) = 120i_s = 120(12) = 1440\ \text{W}$

[c]  $p_{\text{diss}} = 576 + 288 + 192 + 384 = 1440\ \text{W}$

P 3.4 [a] From Ex. 3-1:  $i_1 = 4\ \text{A}$ ,  $i_2 = 8\ \text{A}$ ,  $i_s = 12\ \text{A}$   
 at node b:  $-12 + 4 + 8 = 0$ , at node d:  $12 - 4 - 8 = 0$



[b]  $v_1 = 4i_s = 48\ \text{V}$        $v_3 = 3i_2 = 24\ \text{V}$

$v_2 = 18i_1 = 72\ \text{V}$        $v_4 = 6i_2 = 48\ \text{V}$

loop abda:  $-120 + 48 + 72 = 0$ ,

loop bcd b:  $-72 + 24 + 48 = 0$ ,

loop abcda:  $-120 + 48 + 24 + 48 = 0$

- P 3.5 Always work from the side of the circuit furthest from the source. Remember that the current in all series-connected circuits is the same, and that the

voltage drop across all parallel-connected resistors is the same.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{[a]} \quad R_{\text{eq}} &= \{[(5 \text{ k} + 7 \text{ k}) \parallel 6 \text{ k}] + 3 \text{ k} + 8 \text{ k}\} \parallel 10 \text{ k} = [(12 \text{ k} \parallel 6 \text{ k}) + 11 \text{ k}] \parallel 10 \text{ k} \\ &= (4 \text{ k} + 11 \text{ k}) \parallel 10 \text{ k} = 15 \text{ k} \parallel 10 \text{ k} = 6 \text{ k}\Omega \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{[b]} \quad R_{\text{eq}} = [240 \parallel (180 + 300)] + 140 + 200 = (240 \parallel 480) + 340 = 160 + 340 = 500 \Omega$$

$$\text{[c]} \quad R_{\text{eq}} = (40 + 50 + 60) \parallel (30 + 45) = 150 \parallel 75 = 50 \Omega$$

P 3.6 Always work from the side of the circuit furthest from the source. Remember that the current in all series-connected circuits is the same, and that the voltage drop across all parallel-connected resistors is the same.

$$\text{[a]} \quad R_{\text{eq}} = 12 \parallel 20 \parallel [18 + (28 \parallel 21)] = 12 \parallel 20 \parallel (18 + 12) = 12 \parallel 20 \parallel 30 = 6 \Omega$$

$$\text{[b]} \quad R_{\text{eq}} = 4 + (9 \parallel 18) + [5 \parallel 30 \parallel (20 + 40)] = 4 + 6 + (5 \parallel 30 \parallel 60) = 4 + 6 + 4 = 14 \Omega$$

$$\text{[c]} \quad R_{\text{eq}} = (100 \text{ k} \parallel 300 \text{ k}) + (75 \text{ k} \parallel 50 \text{ k} \parallel 150 \text{ k}) + 25 \text{ k} = 75 \text{ k} + 25 \text{ k} + 25 \text{ k} = 125 \text{ k}\Omega$$

P 3.7 [a]  $12 \Omega \parallel 24 \Omega = 8 \Omega$  Therefore,  $R_{\text{ab}} = 8 + 2 + 6 = 16 \Omega$

$$\text{[b]} \quad \frac{1}{R_{\text{eq}}} = \frac{1}{24 \text{ k}\Omega} + \frac{1}{30 \text{ k}\Omega} + \frac{1}{20 \text{ k}\Omega} = \frac{15}{120 \text{ k}\Omega} = \frac{1}{8 \text{ k}\Omega}$$

$$R_{\text{eq}} = 8 \text{ k}\Omega; \quad R_{\text{eq}} + 7 = 15 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$\frac{1}{R_{\text{ab}}} = \frac{1}{15 \text{ k}\Omega} + \frac{1}{30 \text{ k}\Omega} + \frac{1}{15 \text{ k}\Omega} = \frac{5}{30 \text{ k}\Omega} = \frac{1}{6 \text{ k}\Omega}$$

$$R_{\text{ab}} = 6 \text{ k}\Omega$$

P 3.8 [a]  $60 \parallel 20 = 1200/80 = 15 \Omega$   $12 \parallel 24 = 288/36 = 8 \Omega$

$$15 + 8 + 7 = 30 \Omega \quad 30 \parallel 120 = 3600/150 = 24 \Omega$$

$$R_{\text{ab}} = 15 + 24 + 25 = 64 \Omega$$

$$\text{[b]} \quad 35 + 40 = 75 \Omega \quad 75 \parallel 50 = 3750/125 = 30 \Omega$$

$$30 + 20 = 50 \Omega \quad 50 \parallel 75 = 3750/125 = 30 \Omega$$

$$30 + 10 = 40 \Omega \quad 40 \parallel 60 + 9 \parallel 18 = 24 + 6 = 30 \Omega$$

$$30 \parallel 30 = 15 \Omega \quad R_{\text{ab}} = 10 + 15 + 5 = 30 \Omega$$

$$\text{[c]} \quad 50 + 30 = 80 \Omega \quad 80 \parallel 20 = 16 \Omega$$

$$16 + 14 = 30 \Omega \quad 30 + 24 = 54 \Omega$$

$$54 \parallel 27 = 18 \Omega \quad 18 + 12 = 30 \Omega$$

$$30 \parallel 30 = 15 \Omega \quad R_{\text{ab}} = 3 + 15 + 2 = 20 \Omega$$

P 3.9 [a] For circuit (a)

$$R_{ab} = 15 \parallel (18 + 48 \parallel 16) = 10 \Omega$$

For circuit (b)

$$5 \parallel 10 \parallel 15 \parallel 10 \parallel (12 + 18) = 2 \Omega$$

$$16 \parallel (14 + 2) = 8 \Omega$$

$$R_{ab} = 4 + 8 + 12 = 24 \Omega$$

For circuit (c)

$$144 \parallel (4 + 12) = 14.4 \Omega$$

$$14.4 + 5.6 = 20 \Omega$$

$$20 \parallel 12 = 7.5 \Omega$$

$$7.5 + 2.5 = 10 \Omega$$

$$10 \parallel 15 = 6 \Omega$$

$$14 + 6 + 10 = 30 \Omega$$

$$R_{ab} = 30 \parallel 60 = 20 \Omega$$

$$[b] P_a = \frac{20^2}{10} = 40 \text{ W}$$

$$P_b = \frac{144^2}{27} = 768 \text{ W}$$

$$P_c = 5^2(20) = 500 \text{ W}$$

P 3.10  $R_{eq} = 6 \parallel 30 \parallel 20 = 4 \Omega$ 

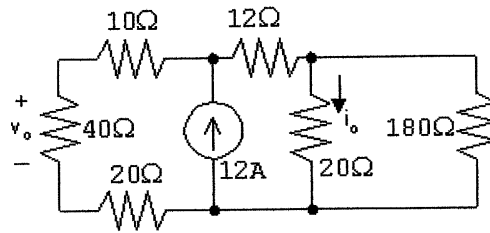
$$v_{30A} = v_{4\Omega} = (30 \text{ A})(4 \Omega) = 120 \text{ V}$$

Therefore, since the three original resistors are in parallel with the current source:

$$v_{30\Omega} = v_{30A} = 120 \text{ V}$$

$$\text{Thus, } p_{30\Omega} = \frac{v_{30\Omega}^2}{30} = \frac{120^2}{30} = 480 \text{ W}$$

P 3.11 [a]



$$R_{eq} = (10 + 40 + 20) \parallel [12 + (20 \parallel 180)] = 70 \parallel 30 = 21 \Omega$$

$$v_{12A} = 12(21) = 252 \text{ V}$$

$$v_o = v_{40\Omega} = \frac{40}{10 + 40 + 20}(252) = 144 \text{ V}$$

$$v_{20\Omega} = \frac{20 \parallel 180}{12 + (20 \parallel 180)}(252) = \frac{18}{30}(252) = 151.2 \text{ V}$$

$$i_o = \frac{151.2}{20} = 7.56 \text{ A}$$

$$[b] \quad p_{12\Omega} = (252/30)^2(12) = 846.72 \text{ W}$$

$$[c] \quad p_{12A} = -(252)(12) = -3024 \text{ W}$$

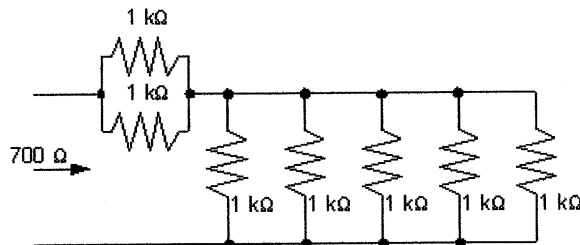
Thus the power developed by the current source is 3024 W.

$$P 3.12 \quad [a] \quad R_{eq} = R \parallel R = \frac{R^2}{2R} = \frac{R}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 [b] \quad R_{eq} &= R \parallel R \parallel R \parallel \cdots \parallel R \quad (n \text{ } R\text{'s}) \\
 &= R \parallel \frac{R}{n-1} \\
 &= \frac{R^2/(n-1)}{R + R/(n-1)} = \frac{R^2}{nR} = \frac{R}{n}
 \end{aligned}$$

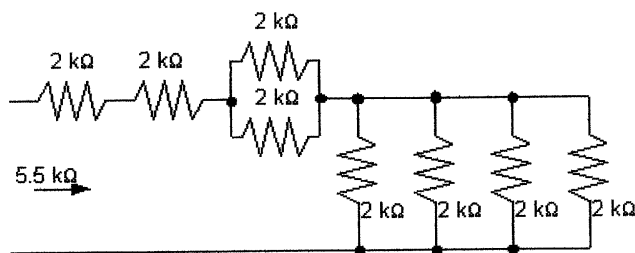
[c] One solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
 700 \Omega &= 200 \Omega + 500 \Omega \\
 &= 1000/5 + 1000/2 \\
 &= 1 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 1 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 1 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 1 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 1 \text{ k}\Omega + 1 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 1 \text{ k}\Omega
 \end{aligned}$$



[d] One solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
 5.5 \text{ k}\Omega &= 5 \text{ k}\Omega + 0.5 \text{ k}\Omega \\
 &= 2 \text{ k}\Omega + 2 \text{ k}\Omega + 1 \text{ k}\Omega + 0.5 \text{ k}\Omega \\
 &= 2 \text{ k}\Omega + 2 \text{ k}\Omega + \frac{2 \text{ k}\Omega}{2} + \frac{2 \text{ k}\Omega}{4} \\
 &= 2 \text{ k}\Omega + 2 \text{ k}\Omega + 2 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 2 \text{ k}\Omega + 2 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 2 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 2 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 2 \text{ k}\Omega
 \end{aligned}$$



P 3.13 [a]  $v_o = \frac{160(3300)}{(4700 + 3300)} = 66 \text{ V}$

[b]  $i = 160/8000 = 20 \text{ mA}$

$$P_{R_1} = (400 \times 10^{-6})(4.7 \times 10^3) = 1.88 \text{ W}$$

$$P_{R_2} = (400 \times 10^{-6})(3.3 \times 10^3) = 1.32 \text{ W}$$

[c] Since  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  carry the same current and  $R_1 > R_2$  to satisfy the voltage requirement, first pick  $R_1$  to meet the 0.5 W specification

$$i_{R_1} = \frac{160 - 66}{R_1}, \quad \text{Therefore, } \left(\frac{94}{R_1}\right)^2 R_1 \leq 0.5$$

$$\text{Thus, } R_1 \geq \frac{94^2}{0.5} \quad \text{or} \quad R_1 \geq 17,672 \Omega$$

Now use the voltage specification:

$$\frac{R_2}{R_2 + 17,672}(160) = 66$$

$$\text{Thus, } R_2 = 12,408 \Omega$$

P 3.14  $4 = \frac{20R_2}{R_2 + 40} \quad \text{so} \quad R_2 = 10 \Omega$

$$3 = \frac{20R_e}{40 + R_e} \quad \text{so} \quad R_e = \frac{120}{17} \Omega$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{120}{17} = \frac{10R_L}{10 + R_L} \quad \text{so} \quad R_L = 24 \Omega$$

P 3.15 [a]  $v_o = \frac{100R_2}{R_1 + R_2} = 20$  so  $R_1 = 4R_2$

$$\text{Let } R_e = R_2 \parallel R_L = \frac{R_2 R_L}{R_2 + R_L}$$

$$v_o = \frac{100R_e}{R_1 + R_e} = 16 \quad \text{so} \quad R_1 = 5.25R_e$$

$$\text{Then, } 4R_2 = 5.25R_e = \frac{5.25(48R_2)}{48 + R_2}$$

$$\text{Thus, } R_2 = 15 \text{ k}\Omega \quad \text{and} \quad R_1 = 4(15 \text{ k}) = 60 \text{ k}\Omega$$

- [b] The resistor that must dissipate the most power is  $R_1$ , as it has the largest resistance and carries the same current as the parallel combination of  $R_2$  and the load resistor. The power dissipated in  $R_1$  will be maximum when the voltage across  $R_1$  is maximum. This will occur when the voltage divider has a resistive load. Thus,

$$v_{R_1} = 100 - 16 = 84 \text{ V}$$

$$p_{R_1} = \frac{84^2}{60 \text{ k}} = 117.6 \text{ m W}$$

Thus the minimum power rating for all resistors should be 1/8 W.

- P 3.16 Refer to the solution to Problem 3.15. The voltage divider will reach the maximum power it can safely dissipate when the power dissipated in  $R_1$  equals 0.15 W. Thus,

$$\frac{v_{R_1}^2}{60 \text{ k}} = 0.15 \quad \text{so} \quad v_{R_1} = 94.87 \text{ V}$$

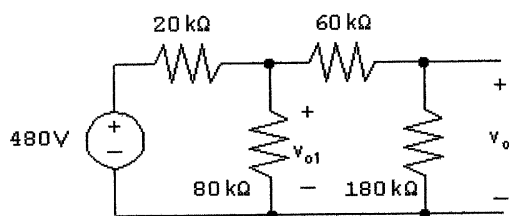
$$v_o = 100 - 94.87 = 5.13 \text{ V}$$

$$\text{So, } \frac{100R_e}{60 \text{ k} + R_e} = 5.13 \quad \text{and} \quad R_e = 3.25 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{(15 \text{ k})R_L}{15 \text{ k} + R_L} = 3250 \quad \text{and} \quad R_L = 4.14 \text{ k}\Omega$$

The minimum value for  $R_L$  is thus 4.14 k $\Omega$ .

P 3.17 [a]



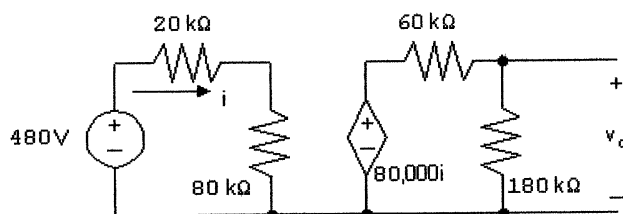
$$180 \text{ k}\Omega + 60 \text{ k}\Omega = 240 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$80 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 240 \text{ k}\Omega = 60 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$v_{o1} = \frac{60,000}{(20,000 + 60,000)}(480) = 360 \text{ V}$$

$$v_o = \frac{180,000}{(240,000)}(v_{o1}) = 270 \text{ V}$$

[b]



$$i = \frac{480}{100,000} = 4.8 \text{ mA}$$

$$80,000i = 384 \text{ V}$$

$$v_o = \frac{180,000}{240,000}(384) = 288 \text{ V}$$

[c] It removes loading effect of second voltage divider on the first voltage divider. Observe that the open circuit voltage of the first divider is

$$v'_{o1} = \frac{80,000}{(100,000)}(480) = 384 \text{ V}$$

Now note this is the input voltage to the second voltage divider when the current controlled voltage source is used.

P 3.18  $\frac{(24)^2}{R_1 + R_2 + R_3} = 80$ ,      Therefore,  $R_1 + R_2 + R_3 = 7.2 \Omega$

$$\frac{(R_1 + R_2)24}{(R_1 + R_2 + R_3)} = 12$$

$$\text{Therefore, } 2(R_1 + R_2) = R_1 + R_2 + R_3$$



$$\text{Thus, } R_1 + R_2 = R_3; \quad 2R_3 = 7.2; \quad R_3 = 3.6 \Omega$$

$$\frac{R_2(24)}{R_1 + R_2 + R_3} = 5$$

$$4.8R_2 = R_1 + R_2 + 3.6 = 7.2$$

$$\text{Thus, } R_2 = 1.5 \Omega; \quad R_1 = 7.2 - R_2 - R_3 = 2.1 \Omega$$

P 3.19 [a] At no load:  $v_o = kv_s = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2}v_s$ .

At full load:  $v_o = \alpha v_s = \frac{R_e}{R_1 + R_e}v_s$ , where  $R_e = \frac{R_o R_2}{R_o + R_2}$

$$\text{Therefore } k = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} \text{ and } R_1 = \frac{(1-k)}{k}R_2$$

$$\alpha = \frac{R_e}{R_1 + R_e} \text{ and } R_1 = \frac{(1-\alpha)}{\alpha}R_e$$

$$\text{Thus } \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\right) \left[\frac{R_2 R_o}{R_o + R_2}\right] = \frac{(1-k)}{k}R_2$$

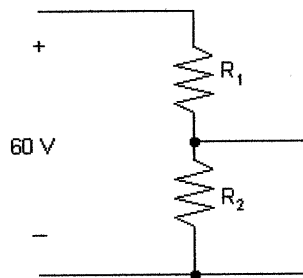
$$\text{Solving for } R_2 \text{ yields } R_2 = \frac{(k-\alpha)}{\alpha(1-k)}R_o$$

$$\text{Also, } R_1 = \frac{(1-k)}{k}R_2 \quad \therefore \quad R_1 = \frac{(k-\alpha)}{\alpha k}R_o$$

[b]  $R_1 = \left(\frac{0.05}{0.68}\right)R_o = 2.5 \text{ k}\Omega$

$$R_2 = \left(\frac{0.05}{0.12}\right)R_o = 14.167 \text{ k}\Omega$$

[c]

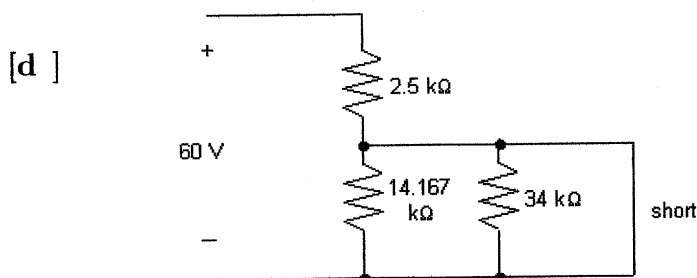


Maximum dissipation in  $R_2$  occurs at no load, therefore,

$$P_{R_2(\max)} = \frac{[(60)(0.85)]^2}{14,167} = 183.6 \text{ mW}$$

Maximum dissipation in  $R_1$  occurs at full load.

$$P_{R_1(\max)} = \frac{[60 - 0.80(60)]^2}{2500} = 57.60 \text{ mW}$$



$$P_{R_1} = \frac{(60)^2}{2500} = 1.44 \text{ W} = 1440 \text{ mW}$$

$$P_{R_2} = \frac{(0)^2}{14,167} = 0 \text{ W}$$

P 3.20 [a] Let  $v_o$  be the voltage across the parallel branches, positive at the upper terminal, then

$$i_g = v_o G_1 + v_o G_2 + \cdots + v_o G_N = v_o (G_1 + G_2 + \cdots + G_N)$$

It follows that 
$$v_o = \frac{i_g}{(G_1 + G_2 + \cdots + G_N)}$$

The current in the  $k^{\text{th}}$  branch is  $i_k = v_o G_k$ ; Thus,

$$i_k = \frac{i_g G_k}{[G_1 + G_2 + \cdots + G_N]}$$

[b] 
$$i_{6.25} = \frac{1142(0.16)}{[4 + 0.4 + 1 + 0.16 + 0.1 + 0.05]} = 32 \text{ mA}$$

P 3.21 Begin by using the relationships among the branch currents to express all branch currents in terms of  $i_4$ :

$$i_1 = 4i_2 = 4(8i_3) = 5(32i_4)$$

$$i_2 = 8i_3 = 5(8i_4)$$

$$i_3 = 5i_4$$

Now use KCL at the top node to relate the branch currents to the current supplied by the source.

$$i_1 + i_2 + i_3 + i_4 = 5 \text{ mA}$$

Express the branch currents in terms of  $i_4$  and solve for  $i_4$ :

$$5 \text{ mA} = 160i_4 + 40i_4 + 5i_4 + i_4 = 206i_4 \quad \text{so} \quad i_4 = \frac{0.005}{206} \text{ A}$$

Since the resistors are in parallel, the same voltage, 1 V appears across each of them. We know the current and the voltage for  $R_4$  so we can use Ohm's law to calculate  $R_4$ :

$$R_4 = \frac{v_g}{i_4} = \frac{1 \text{ V}}{(5/206) \text{ mA}} = 41.2 \text{ k}\Omega$$

Calculate  $i_3$  from  $i_4$  and use Ohm's law as above to find  $R_3$ :

$$i_3 = 5i_4 = \frac{25}{206} \text{ A} \quad \therefore R_3 = \frac{v_g}{i_3} = \frac{1 \text{ V}}{(25/206) \text{ mA}} = 8240 \Omega$$

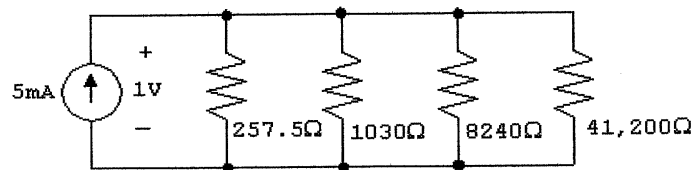
Calculate  $i_2$  from  $i_4$  and use Ohm's law as above to find  $R_2$ :

$$i_2 = 40i_4 = \frac{0.2}{206} \text{ A} \quad \therefore R_2 = \frac{v_g}{i_2} = \frac{1 \text{ V}}{(200/206) \text{ mA}} = 1030 \Omega$$

Calculate  $i_1$  from  $i_4$  and use Ohm's law as above to find  $R_1$ :

$$i_1 = 160i_4 = \frac{0.8}{206} \text{ A} \quad \therefore R_1 = \frac{v_g}{i_1} = \frac{1 \text{ V}}{(800/206) \text{ mA}} = 257.5 \Omega$$

The resulting circuit is shown below:



- P 3.22 [a] The equivalent resistance to the right of the 10 kΩ resistor is  $3 \text{ k} + 8 \text{ k} + [6 \text{ k} \parallel (5 \text{ k} + 7 \text{ k})] = 15 \text{ k}\Omega$ . Therefore,

$$i_{10\text{k}} = \frac{15 \text{ k} \parallel 10 \text{ k}}{10 \text{ k}} (0.002) = \frac{6 \text{ k}}{10 \text{ k}} (0.002) = 1.2 \text{ mA}$$

- [b] The voltage drop across the 10 kΩ resistor can be found using Ohm's law:

$$v_{10\text{k}} = (10,000)i_{10\text{k}} = (10,000)(0.0012) = 12 \text{ V}$$

- [c] The voltage  $v_{10\text{k}}$  drops across the 3 kΩ resistor, the 8 kΩ resistor and the equivalent resistance of the 6 kΩ and the parallel branch containing the 5 kΩ and 7 kΩ resistors. Thus, using voltage division,

$$v_{6\text{k}} = \frac{6 \text{ k} \parallel (5 \text{ k} + 7 \text{ k})}{3 \text{ k} + 8 \text{ k} + [6 \text{ k} \parallel (5 \text{ k} + 7 \text{ k})]} (12) = \frac{4}{15} (12) = 3.2 \text{ V}$$

- [d] The voltage  $v_{6\text{k}}$  drops across the branch containing the 5 kΩ and 7 kΩ resistors. Thus, using voltage division,

$$v_{5\text{k}} = \frac{5 \text{ k}}{5 \text{ k} + 7 \text{ k}} (3.2) = 1.33 \text{ V}$$

- P 3.23 [a] The voltage drop across the  $240\ \Omega$  resistor is the same as the voltage drop across the parallel combination of the branch containing the  $240\ \Omega$  resistor and the branch containing the  $180\ \Omega$  and  $300\ \Omega$  resistors. Thus by voltage division,

$$v_{240} = \frac{240 \parallel (180 + 300)}{[240 \parallel (180 + 300)] + 140 + 200} (10) = \frac{160}{500} (10) = 3.2\ \text{V}$$

- [b] The current in the  $240\ \Omega$  resistor can be found from its voltage using Ohm's law:

$$i_{240} = \frac{v_{240}}{240} = \frac{3.2}{240} = 13.33\ \text{mA}$$

- [c] The current in the  $140\ \Omega$  resistor divides between two branches – one containing the  $180\ \Omega$  and  $300\ \Omega$  resistors and the other containing the  $240\ \Omega$  resistor. Using current division,

$$i_{240} = \frac{240 \parallel (180 + 300)}{240} (i_{140}) = 0.01333 \quad \text{so} \quad i_{140} = \frac{240(0.01333)}{160} = 20\ \text{mA}$$

P 3.24 [a]  $v_{1k} = \frac{1}{1+5}(30) = 5\ \text{V}$

$$v_{15k} = \frac{15}{15+60}(30) = 6\ \text{V}$$

$$v_x = v_{15k} - v_{1k} = 6 - 5 = 1\ \text{V}$$

[b]  $v_{1k} = \frac{v_s}{6}(1) = v_s/6$

$$v_{15k} = \frac{v_s}{75}(15) = v_s/5$$

$$v_x = (v_s/5) - (v_s/6) = v_s/30$$

P 3.25  $60 \parallel 30 = 20\ \Omega$

$$i_{30\Omega} = \frac{(25)(75)}{125} = 15\ \text{A}$$

$$v_2 = (15)(20) = 300\ \text{V}$$

$$v_2 + 30i_{30} = 750\ \text{V}$$

$$v_1 - 12(25) = 750$$

$$v_1 = 1050\ \text{V}$$

$$\text{P 3.26} \quad i_{10\text{k}} = \frac{(18)(15\text{ k})}{40\text{ k}} = 6.75\text{ mA}$$

$$v_{15\text{k}} = -(6.75\text{ m})(15\text{ k}) = -101.25\text{ V}$$

$$i_{3\text{k}} = 18\text{ m} - 6.75\text{ m} = 11.25\text{ mA}$$

$$v_{12\text{k}} = -(12\text{ k})(11.25\text{ m}) = -135\text{ V}$$

$$v_o = -101.25 - (-135) = 33.75\text{ V}$$

$$\text{P 3.27} \quad 54\Omega \parallel 27\Omega = 18\Omega; \quad 18\Omega + 2\Omega = 20\Omega; \quad 20\parallel(10 + 15 + 35) = 15\Omega;$$

$$\text{Therefore, } i_g = \frac{675}{30 + 15} = 15\text{ A}$$

$$i_{2\Omega} = \frac{20\parallel 60}{20}(15) = 11.25\text{ A}; \quad i_o = \frac{27\parallel 54}{27}(11.25) = 7.5\text{ A}$$

$$\text{P 3.28} \quad [\text{a}] \quad 40\parallel 10 = 8\Omega \quad i_{120\text{V}} = \frac{120}{7.5} = 16\text{ A}$$

$$8 + 2 = 10\Omega \quad i_{4\Omega} = \frac{7.5}{4 + 6}(16) = 12\text{ A}$$

$$15\parallel 10 = 6\Omega \quad i_{2\Omega} = \frac{6}{2 + 8}(12) = 7.2\text{ A}$$

$$6 + 4 = 10\Omega \quad i_o = \frac{8}{40}(7.2) = 1.44\text{ A}$$

$$30\parallel 10 = 7.5\Omega$$

$$[\text{b}] \quad i_{15\Omega} = i_{4\Omega} - i_{2\Omega} = 12 - 7.2 = 4.8\text{ A}$$

$$P_{15\Omega} = (4.8)^2(15) = 345.6\text{ W}$$

$$\text{P 3.29} \quad [\text{a}] \quad \text{The voltage across the } 9\Omega \text{ resistor is } 1(12 + 6) = 18\text{ V.}$$

The current in the  $9\Omega$  resistor is  $18/9 = 2\text{ A}$ . The current in the  $2\Omega$  resistor is  $1 + 2 = 3\text{ A}$ . Therefore, the voltage across the  $24\Omega$  resistor is  $(2)(3) + 18 = 24\text{ V}$ .

The current in the  $24\Omega$  resistor is  $1\text{ A}$ . The current in the  $3\Omega$  resistor is  $1 + 2 + 1 = 4\text{ A}$ . Therefore, the voltage across the  $72\Omega$  resistor is  $24 + 3(4) = 36\text{ V}$ .

The current in the  $72\Omega$  resistor is  $36/72 = 0.5\text{ A}$ .

The  $20\Omega \parallel 5\Omega$  resistors are equivalent to a  $4\Omega$  resistor. The current in this equivalent resistor is  $0.5 + 1 + 3 = 4.5\text{ A}$ . Therefore the voltage across the  $108\Omega$  resistor is  $36 + 4.5(4) = 54\text{ V}$ .

The current in the  $108\Omega$  resistor is  $54/108 = 0.5\text{ A}$ . The current in the  $1.2\Omega$  resistor is  $4.5 + 0.5 = 5\text{ A}$ . Therefore,

$$v_g = (1.2)(5) + 54 = 60\text{ V}$$

[b] The current in the  $20\ \Omega$  resistor is

$$i_{20} = \frac{(4.5)(4)}{20} = \frac{18}{20} = 0.9\ \text{A}$$

Thus, the power dissipated by the  $20\ \Omega$  resistor is

$$p_{20} = (0.9)^2(20) = 16.2\ \text{W}$$

P 3.30 [a] The model of the ammeter is an ideal ammeter in parallel with a resistor whose resistance is given by

$$R_m = \frac{100\ \text{mV}}{2\ \text{mA}} = 50\ \Omega.$$

We can calculate the current through the real meter using current division:

$$i_m = \frac{(25/12)}{50 + (25/12)}(i_{\text{meas}}) = \frac{25}{625}(i_{\text{meas}}) = \frac{1}{25}i_{\text{meas}}$$

[b] At full scale,  $i_{\text{meas}} = 5\ \text{A}$  and  $i_m = 2\ \text{mA}$  so  $5 - 0.002 = 4998\ \text{mA}$  flows through the resistor  $R_A$ :

$$R_A = \frac{100\ \text{mV}}{4998\ \text{mA}} = \frac{100}{4998}\ \Omega$$

$$i_m = \frac{(100/4998)}{50 + (100/4998)}(i_{\text{meas}}) = \frac{1}{2500}(i_{\text{meas}})$$

[c] Yes

P 3.31 The measured value is  $60\parallel 30.5 = 20.22\ \Omega$ .

$$i_g = \frac{180}{(20.22 + 10)} = 5.96\ \text{A}; \quad i_{\text{meas}} = \frac{60}{90.5}(5.96) = 3.95\ \text{A}$$

The true value is  $60\parallel 30 = 20\ \Omega$ .

$$i_g = \frac{180}{(20 + 10)} = 6\ \text{A}; \quad i_{\text{true}} = \frac{60}{90}(6) = 4\ \text{A}$$

$$\% \text{error} = \left[ \frac{3.95}{4} - 1 \right] \times 100 = -1.28\%$$

P 3.32 Begin by using current division to find the actual value of the current  $i_o$ :

$$i_{\text{true}} = \frac{24}{24 + 5.5}(20\ \text{mA}) = 16.27\ \text{mA}$$

$$i_{\text{meas}} = \frac{24}{24 + 5.5 + 0.5}(20\ \text{mA}) = 16\ \text{mA}$$

$$\% \text{ error} = \left[ \frac{16}{16.27} - 1 \right] 100 = -1.66\%$$

P 3.33 For all full-scale readings the total resistance is

$$R_V + R_{\text{movement}} = \frac{\text{full-scale reading}}{10^{-3}}$$

$$\therefore R_V = 1000 (\text{full-scale reading}) - 50$$

$$[\text{a}] R_V = 1000(100) - 50 = 99,950 \Omega$$

$$[\text{b}] R_V = 1000(5) - 50 = 4950 \Omega$$

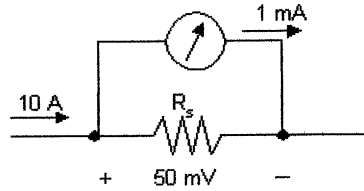
$$[\text{c}] R_V = 100 - 50 = 50 \Omega$$

$$\text{P 3.34 } [\text{a}] v_{\text{meas}} = (20 \times 10^{-3})(24 \parallel 5.5 \parallel 4950) = 0.089411 \text{ V}$$

$$[\text{b}] v_{\text{true}} = (20 \times 10^{-3})(24 \parallel 5.5) = 0.089492 \text{ V}$$

$$\% \text{ error} = \left( \frac{0.089411}{0.089492} - 1 \right) \times 100 = -0.08998\%$$

P 3.35



$$\text{Original meter: } R_e = \frac{50 \times 10^{-3}}{10} = 0.005 \Omega$$

$$\text{Modified meter: } R_e = \frac{(0.015)(0.005)}{0.02} = 0.00375 \Omega$$

$$\therefore (I_{\text{fs}})(0.00375) = 50 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\therefore I_{\text{fs}} = 13.33 \text{ A}$$

P 3.36 At full scale the voltage across the shunt resistor will be 50 mV; therefore the power dissipated will be

$$P_A = \frac{(50 \times 10^{-3})^2}{R_A}$$

$$\text{Therefore } R_A \geq \frac{(50 \times 10^{-3})^2}{0.5} = 5 \text{ m}\Omega$$

Otherwise the power dissipated in  $R_A$  will exceed its power rating of 0.5 W

When  $R_A = 5 \text{ m}\Omega$ , the shunt current will be

$$i_A = \frac{50 \times 10^{-3}}{5 \times 10^{-3}} = 10 \text{ A}$$

The measured current will be  $i_{\text{meas}} = 10 + 0.001 = 10.001 \text{ A}$

$\therefore$  Full-scale reading is for practical purposes is 10 A

P 3.37 The current in the shunt resistor at full-scale deflection is

$i_A = i_{\text{fullscale}} = 2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ A}$ . The voltage across  $R_A$  at full-scale deflection is always 100 mV; therefore,

$$R_A = \frac{100 \times 10^{-3}}{i_{\text{fullscale}} - 2 \times 10^{-3}} = \frac{100}{1000i_{\text{fullscale}} - 2}$$

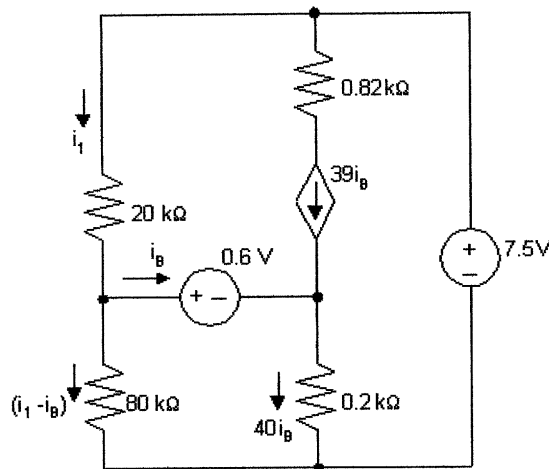
$$[\text{a}] \quad R_A = \frac{100}{5000 - 2} = 20,008 \text{ m}\Omega$$

$$[\text{b}] \quad R_A = \frac{100}{2000 - 2} = 50.05 \text{ m}\Omega$$

$$[\text{c}] \quad R_A = \frac{100}{1000 - 2} = 100.20 \text{ m}\Omega$$

$$[\text{d}] \quad R_A = \frac{100}{50 - 2} = 2.083 \Omega$$

P 3.38 [a]



$$20 \times 10^3 i_1 + 80 \times 10^3 (i_1 - i_B) = 7.5$$

$$80 \times 10^3 (i_1 - i_B) = 0.6 + 40i_B(0.2 \times 10^3)$$

$$\therefore 100i_1 - 80i_B = 7.5 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$80i_1 - 88i_B = 0.6 \times 10^{-3}$$

Calculator solution yields  $i_B = 225 \mu\text{A}$



[b] With the insertion of the ammeter the equations become

$$100i_1 - 80i_B = 7.5 \times 10^{-3} \quad (\text{no change})$$

$$80 \times 10^3(i_1 - i_B) = 10^3 i_B + 0.6 + 40i_B(200)$$

$$80i_1 - 89i_B = 0.6 \times 10^{-3}$$

Calculator solution yields  $i_B = 216 \mu\text{A}$

$$[\text{c}] \quad \% \text{ error} = \left( \frac{216}{225} - 1 \right) 100 = -4\%$$

P 3.39 [a]  $v_{\text{meter}} = 180 \text{ V}$

$$[\text{b}] \quad R_{\text{meter}} = (100)(200) = 20 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$20 \parallel 70 = 15.56 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$v_{\text{meter}} = \frac{180}{35.56} \times 15.56 = 78.76 \text{ V}$$

$$[\text{c}] \quad 20 \parallel 20 = 10 \text{ k}\Omega$$

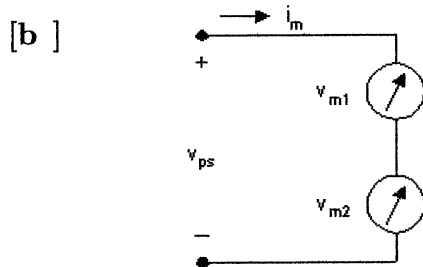
$$v_{\text{meter}} = \frac{180}{80}(10) = 22.5 \text{ V}$$

$$[\text{d}] \quad v_{\text{meter a}} = 180 \text{ V}$$

$$v_{\text{meter b}} + v_{\text{meter c}} = 101.26 \text{ V}$$

No, because of the loading effect.

P 3.40 [a] Since the unknown voltage is greater than either voltmeter's maximum reading, the only possible way to use the voltmeters would be to connect them in series.



$$R_{m1} = (400)(1000) = 400 \text{ k}\Omega = R_{m2}$$

$$\therefore R_{m1} + R_{m2} = 800 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$i_{1 \text{ max}} = \frac{400}{400} \times 10^{-3} = 1 \text{ mA} = i_{2 \text{ max}}$$

$$\therefore i_{\text{max}} = 1 \text{ mA} \text{ since meters are in series}$$

$$v_{\text{max}} = 10^{-3}(400 + 400)10^3 = 800 \text{ V}$$

Thus the meters can be used to measure the voltage

$$[\text{c}] \quad i_m = \frac{504}{800 \times 10^3} = 0.63 \text{ mA}$$

$$v_{m1} = (0.63)(400) = 252 \text{ V} = v_{m2}$$

P 3.41 The current in the series-connected voltmeters is

$$i_m = \frac{328}{400} = 0.82 \text{ mA}$$

$$v_{50 \text{ k}\Omega} = (0.82)(50) = 41 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{\text{power supply}} = 328 + 328 + 41 = 697 \text{ V}$$

$$\text{P 3.42} \quad R_{\text{meter}} = R_m + R_{\text{movement}} = \frac{800 \text{ V}}{1 \text{ mA}} = 800 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$v_{\text{meas}} = (300 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 600 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 800 \text{ k}\Omega)(3.5 \text{ mA}) = (160 \text{ k}\Omega)(3.5 \text{ mA}) = 560 \text{ V}$$

$$v_{\text{true}} = (300 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 600 \text{ k}\Omega)(3.5 \text{ mA}) = (200 \text{ k}\Omega)(3.5 \text{ mA}) = 700 \text{ V}$$

$$\% \text{ error} = \left( \frac{560}{700} - 1 \right) 100 = -20\%$$

$$\text{P 3.43} \quad [\text{a}] \quad R_{\text{meter}} = 300 \text{ k}\Omega + 600 \text{ k}\Omega \parallel 200 \text{ k}\Omega = 450 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$450 \parallel 360 = 200 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$V_{\text{meter}} = \frac{200}{240}(600) = 500 \text{ V}$$

[b] What is the percent error in the measured voltage?

$$\text{True value} = \frac{360}{400}(600) = 540 \text{ V}$$

$$\% \text{ error} = \left( \frac{500}{540} - 1 \right) 100 = -7.41\%$$

$$\text{P 3.44} \quad [\text{a}] \quad R_1 = (50)10^3 = 50 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_2 = (20)10^3 = 20 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_3 = (2)10^3 = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$$

- [b] Let  $i_a$  = actual current in the movement  
 $i_d$  = design current in the movement

$$\text{Then \% error} = \left( \frac{i_a}{i_d} - 1 \right) 100$$

For the 50 V scale:

$$i_a = \frac{50}{50,000 + 100} = \frac{50}{50,100}, \quad i_d = \frac{50}{50,000}$$

$$\frac{i_a}{i_d} = \frac{50,000}{50,100} = 0.9980 \quad \% \text{ error} = (0.9980 - 1)100 = -0.20\%$$

For the 20 V scale:

$$\frac{i_a}{i_d} = \frac{20,000}{20,100} = 0.995 \quad \% \text{ error} = (0.995 - 1.0)100 = -0.4975\%$$

For the 2 V scale:

$$\frac{i_a}{i_d} = \frac{2000}{2100} = 0.9524 \quad \% \text{ error} = (0.9524 - 1.0)100 = -4.76\%$$

P 3.45 [a]  $R_{\text{movement}} = 5 \Omega$

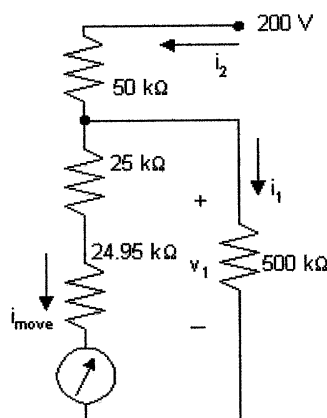
$$R_1 + R_{\text{movement}} = \frac{50}{2 \times 10^{-3}} = 25 \text{ k}\Omega \quad \therefore R_1 = 24,995 \Omega$$

$$R_2 + R_1 + R_{\text{movement}} = \frac{100}{2 \times 10^{-3}} = 50 \text{ k}\Omega \quad \therefore R_2 = 25 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_3 + R_2 + R_1 + R_{\text{movement}} = \frac{200}{2 \times 10^{-3}} = 100 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$\therefore R_3 = 50 \text{ k}\Omega$$

[b]



$$i_{\text{move}} = \frac{188}{200}(2) = 1.88 \text{ mA}$$

$$v_1 = (1.88)(50) = 94 \text{ V}$$

$$i_1 = \frac{94}{500} = 0.188 \text{ mA}$$

$$i_2 = i_{\text{move}} + i_1 = 1.88 + 0.188 = 2.068 \text{ mA}$$

$$v_{\text{meas}} = v_x = 94 + 50i_2 = 197.4 \text{ V}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{[c]} \quad v_1 &= 100 \text{ V} & i_2 &= 2 + 0.20 = 2.20 \text{ mA} \\ i_1 &= 100/500 = 0.20 \text{ mA} & v_{\text{meas}} = v_x &= 100 + 50(2.20) = 210 \text{ V} \end{aligned}$$

P 3.46 From the problem statement we have

$$80 = \frac{V_s(10)}{10 + R_s} \quad (1) \quad V_s \text{ in mV}; R_s \text{ in } \text{M}\Omega$$

$$72 = \frac{V_s(5)}{5 + R_s} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{[a]} \text{ From Eq (1) } 10 + R_s = 0.125V_s$$

$$\therefore R_s = 0.125V_s - 10$$

Substituting into Eq (2) yields

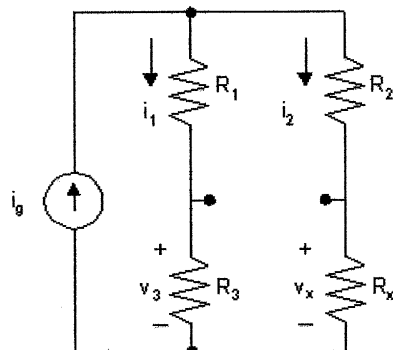
$$72 = \frac{5V_s}{0.125V_s - 5} \quad \text{or} \quad V_s = 90 \text{ mV}$$

$$\text{[b]} \text{ From Eq (1)}$$

$$80 = \frac{900}{10 + R_s} \quad \text{or} \quad 80R_s = 100$$

$$\text{So } R_s = 1250 \text{ k}\Omega$$

P 3.47 Since the bridge is balanced, we can remove the detector without disturbing the voltages and currents in the circuit.



It follows that

$$i_1 = \frac{i_g(R_2 + R_x)}{R_1 + R_2 + R_3 + R_x} = \frac{i_g(R_2 + R_x)}{\sum R}$$

$$i_2 = \frac{i_g(R_1 + R_3)}{R_1 + R_2 + R_3 + R_x} = \frac{i_g(R_1 + R_3)}{\sum R}$$

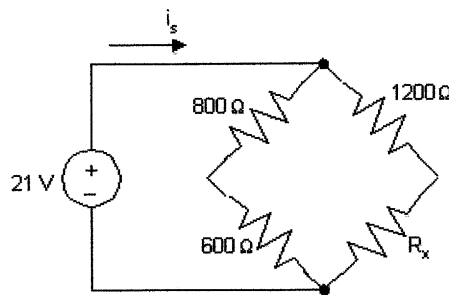
$$v_3 = R_3 i_1 = v_x = i_2 R_x$$

$$\therefore \frac{R_3 i_g(R_2 + R_x)}{\sum R} = \frac{R_x i_g(R_1 + R_3)}{\sum R}$$

$$\therefore R_3(R_2 + R_x) = R_x(R_1 + R_3)$$

$$\text{From which } R_x = \frac{R_2 R_3}{R_1}$$

P 3.48 [a]



The condition for a balanced bridge is that the product of the opposite resistors must be equal:

$$(800)(R_x) = (1200)(600) \quad \text{so} \quad R_x = \frac{(1200)(600)}{800} = 900 \, \Omega$$

- [b] The source current is the sum of the two branch currents. Each branch current can be determined using Ohm's law, since the resistors in each branch are in series and the voltage drop across each branch is 21 V:

$$i_s = \frac{21 \, \text{V}}{800 \, \Omega + 600 \, \Omega} + \frac{21 \, \text{V}}{1200 \, \Omega + 900 \, \Omega} = 25 \, \text{mA}$$

- [c] We can use current division to find the current in each branch:

$$i_{\text{left}} = \frac{1200 + 900}{1200 + 900 + 800 + 600} (25 \, \text{mA}) = 15 \, \text{mA}$$

$$i_{\text{right}} = 25 \, \text{mA} - 15 \, \text{mA} = 10 \, \text{mA}$$

Now we can use the formula  $p = Ri^2$  to find the power dissipated by each resistor:

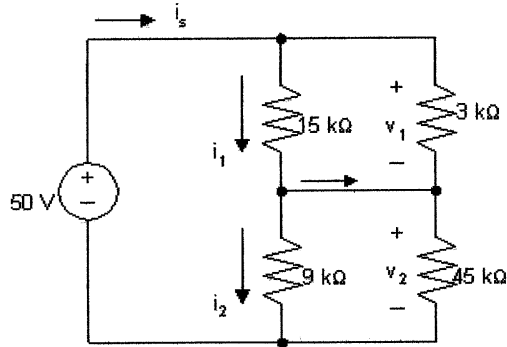
$$p_{800} = (800)(0.015)^2 = 180 \, \text{mW} \quad p_{600} = (600)(0.015)^2 = 135 \, \text{mW}$$

$$p_{1200} = (1200)(0.010)^2 = 120 \, \text{mW} \quad p_{900} = (900)(0.010)^2 = 90 \, \text{mW}$$

Thus, the  $800 \, \Omega$  resistor absorbs the most power; it absorbs 180 mW of power.

[d] From the analysis in part (c), the  $900\ \Omega$  resistor absorbs the least power; it absorbs 90 mW of power.

P 3.49 Redraw the circuit, replacing the detector branch with a short circuit.



$$15\ \text{k}\Omega \parallel 3\ \text{k}\Omega = 2.5\ \text{k}\Omega$$

$$9\ \text{k}\Omega \parallel 45\ \text{k}\Omega = 7.5\ \text{k}\Omega$$

$$i_g = \frac{50}{10} = 5\ \text{mA}$$

$$v_1 = 5(2.5) = 12.5\ \text{V}$$

$$v_2 = 5(7.5) = 37.5\ \text{V}$$

$$i_1 = \frac{12.5}{15} = 833.3\ \mu\text{A}$$

$$i_2 = \frac{37.5}{9} = 4166.7\ \mu\text{A}$$

$$i_d = i_1 - i_2 = -3333.4\ \mu\text{A}$$

P 3.50 Note the bridge structure is balanced, that is  $10 \times 18 = 30 \times 6$ , hence there is no current in the  $50\ \Omega$  resistor. It follows that the equivalent resistance of the circuit is

$$R_{\text{eq}} = 3 + (10 + 6) \parallel (30 + 18) = 3 + 12 = 15\ \Omega$$

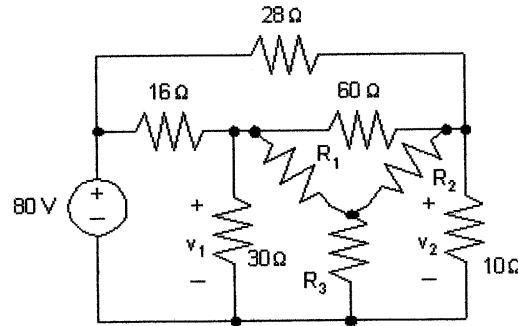
The source current is  $300/15 = 20\ \text{A}$ .

The current down through the branch containing the  $30\ \Omega$  and  $18\ \Omega$  resistors is

$$i_{18} = \frac{12}{30 + 18}(20) = 5\ \text{A}$$

$$\therefore p_{18} = 18(5)^2 = 450\ \text{W}$$

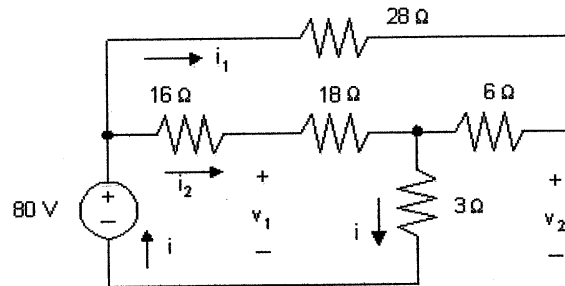
- P 3.51 In order that all four decades (1, 10, 100, 1000) that are used to set  $R_3$  contribute to the balance of the bridge, the ratio  $R_2/R_1$  should be set to 0.001.
- P 3.52 Begin by transforming the  $\Delta$ -connected resistors ( $10\ \Omega$ ,  $30\ \Omega$ ,  $60\ \Omega$ ) to Y-connected resistors. Both the Y-connected and  $\Delta$ -connected resistors are shown below to assist in using Eqs. 3.44 – 3.46:



Now use Eqs. 3.44 – 3.46 to calculate the values of the Y-connected resistors:

$$R_1 = \frac{(30)(60)}{10 + 30 + 60} = 18\ \Omega; \quad R_2 = \frac{(60)(10)}{10 + 30 + 60} = 6\ \Omega; \quad R_3 = \frac{(30)(10)}{10 + 30 + 60} = 3\ \Omega$$

The transformed circuit is shown below:



The equivalent resistance seen by the 80 V source can be calculated by making series and parallel combinations of the resistors to the right of the 24 V source:

$$R_{eq} = (28 + 6) \parallel (16 + 18) + 3 = 34 \parallel 34 + 3 = 17 + 3 = 20\ \Omega$$

Therefore, the current  $i$  in the 80 V source is given by

$$i = \frac{80\ \text{V}}{20\ \Omega} = 4\ \text{A}$$

Use current division to calculate the currents  $i_1$  and  $i_2$ . Note that the current  $i_1$  flows in the branch containing the  $28\ \Omega$  and  $6\ \Omega$  series connected resistors,

while the current  $i_2$  flows in the parallel branch that contains the series connection of the  $16\ \Omega$  and  $18\ \Omega$  resistors:

$$i_1 = \frac{16 + 18}{16 + 18 + 28 + 6}(i) = \frac{34}{68}(4\ \text{A}) = 2\ \text{A}, \quad \text{and} \quad i_2 = 4\ \text{A} - 2\ \text{A} = 2\ \text{A}$$

Now use KVL and Ohm's law to calculate  $v_1$ . Note that  $v_1$  is the sum of the voltage drop across the  $18\ \Omega$  resistor,  $18i_2$ , and the voltage drop across the  $3\ \Omega$  resistor,  $3i$ :

$$v_1 = 18i_2 + 3i = 18(2\ \text{A}) + 3(4\ \text{A}) = 36 + 12 = 48\ \text{V}$$

Finally, use KVL and Ohm's law to calculate  $v_2$ . Note that  $v_2$  is the sum of the voltage drop across the  $6\ \Omega$  resistor,  $6i_1$ , and the voltage drop across the  $3\ \Omega$  resistor,  $3i$ :

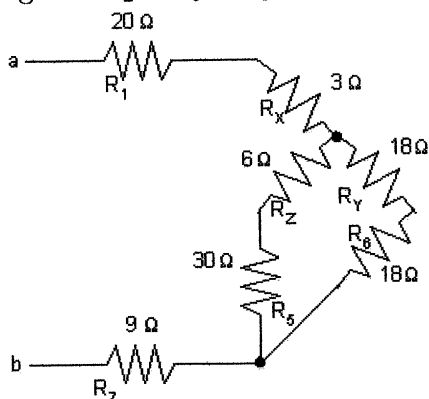
$$v_2 = 6i_1 + 3i = 6(2\ \text{A}) + 3(4\ \text{A}) = 12 + 12 = 24\ \text{V}$$

- P 3.53 [a] Calculate the values of the Y-connected resistors that are equivalent to the  $10\ \Omega$ ,  $30\ \Omega$ , and  $60\ \Omega$   $\Delta$ -connected resistors:

$$R_X = \frac{(10)(30)}{10 + 30 + 60} = 3\ \Omega; \quad R_Y = \frac{(30)(60)}{10 + 30 + 60} = 18\ \Omega;$$

$$R_Z = \frac{(10)(60)}{10 + 30 + 60} = 6\ \Omega$$

Replacing the  $R_2$ — $R_3$ — $R_4$  delta with its equivalent Y gives



Now calculate the equivalent resistance  $R_{ab}$  by making series and parallel combinations of the resistors:

$$R_{ab} = 20 + 3 + [(30 + 6) \parallel (18 + 18)] + 9 = 50\ \Omega$$



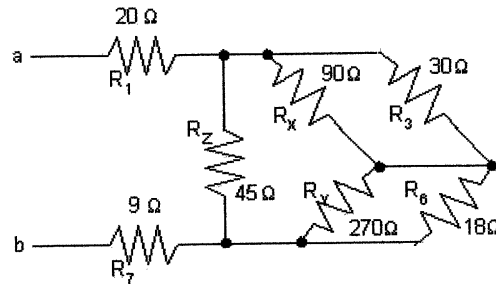
- [b] Calculate the values of the  $\Delta$ -connected resistors that are equivalent to the  $10\ \Omega$ ,  $30\ \Omega$ , and  $60\ \Omega$  Y-connected resistors:

$$R_X = \frac{(10)(30) + (30)(60) + (10)(60)}{30} = \frac{2700}{30} = 90\ \Omega$$

$$R_Y = \frac{(10)(30) + (30)(60) + (10)(60)}{10} = \frac{2700}{10} = 270\ \Omega$$

$$R_Z = \frac{(10)(30) + (30)(60) + (10)(60)}{60} = \frac{2700}{60} = 45\ \Omega$$

Replacing the  $R_2$ ,  $R_4$ ,  $R_5$  wye with its equivalent  $\Delta$  gives



Make series and parallel combinations of the resistors to find the equivalent resistance  $R_{ab}$ :

$$90\ \Omega \parallel 30\ \Omega = 22.5\ \Omega; \quad 270\ \Omega \parallel 18\ \Omega = 16.875\ \Omega$$

$$\therefore 45 \parallel (22.5 + 16.875) = 21\ \Omega$$

$$\therefore R_{ab} = 20 + 21 + 9 = 50\ \Omega$$

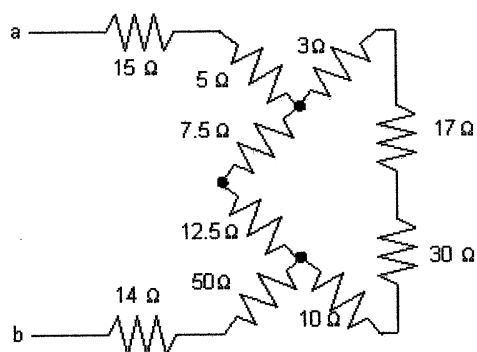
- [c] Convert the delta connection  $R_4$ — $R_5$ — $R_6$  to its equivalent wye.  
Convert the wye connection  $R_3$ — $R_4$ — $R_6$  to its equivalent delta.

P 3.54 Replace the upper and lower deltas with the equivalent wyes:

$$R_{1U} = \frac{(25)(10)}{50} = 5\ \Omega; \quad R_{2U} = \frac{(10)(15)}{50} = 3\ \Omega; \quad R_{3U} = \frac{(25)(15)}{50} = 7.5\ \Omega$$

$$R_{1L} = \frac{(125)(25)}{250} = 12.5\ \Omega; \quad R_{2L} = \frac{(25)(100)}{250} = 10\ \Omega; \quad R_{3L} = \frac{(125)(100)}{250} = 50\ \Omega$$

The resulting circuit is shown below:

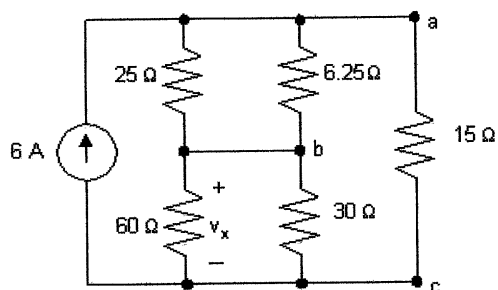


Now make series and parallel combinations of the resistors:

$$(7.5 + 12.5) \parallel (3 + 17 + 30 + 10) = 20 \parallel 60 = 15 \Omega$$

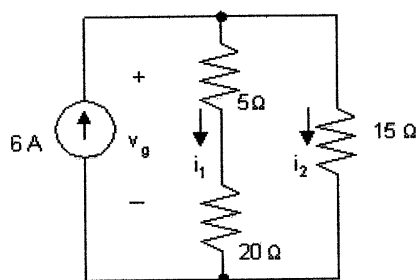
$$R_{ab} = 15 + 5 + 15 + 50 + 14 = 99 \Omega$$

P 3.55



$$25 \parallel 6.25 = 5 \Omega$$

$$60 \parallel 30 = 20 \Omega$$



$$i_1 = \frac{(6)(15)}{(40)} = 2.25 \text{ A}; \quad v_x = 20i_1 = 45 \text{ V}$$

$$v_g = 25i_1 = 56.25 \text{ V}$$

$$v_{6.25} = v_g - v_x = 11.25 \text{ V}$$

$$P_{\text{device}} = \frac{11.25^2}{6.25} + \frac{45^2}{30} + \frac{56.25^2}{15} = 298.6875 \text{ W}$$

P 3.56  $8 + 12 = 20 \Omega$

$$20 \parallel 60 = 15 \Omega$$

$$15 + 20 = 35 \Omega$$

$$35 \parallel 140 = 28 \Omega$$

$$28 + 22 = 50 \Omega$$

$$50 \parallel 75 = 30 \Omega$$

$$30 + 10 = 40 \Omega$$

$$i_g = 240/40 = 6 \text{ A}$$

$$i_o = (6)(50)/125 = 2.4 \text{ A}$$

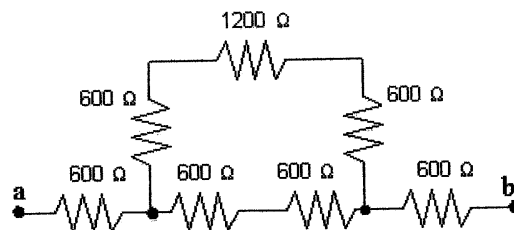
$$i_{140\Omega} = (6 - 2.4)(35)/175 = 0.72 \text{ A}$$

$$p_{140\Omega} = (0.72)^2(140) = 72.576 \text{ W}$$

P 3.57 The top of the pyramid can be replaced by a resistor equal to

$$R_1 = \frac{(3.6)(1.8)}{5.4} = 1.2 \text{ k}\Omega$$

The lower left and right deltas can be replaced by wyes. Each resistance in the wye equals  $600 \Omega$ . Thus our circuit can be reduced to



Now the  $2400 \Omega$  in parallel with  $1200 \Omega$  reduces to  $800 \Omega$ .

$$\therefore R_{ab} = 600 + 800 + 600 = 2000 = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$$

P 3.58 [a] Convert the upper delta to a wye.

$$R_1 = \frac{(80)(200)}{400} = 40 \, \Omega$$

$$R_2 = \frac{(80)(120)}{400} = 24 \, \Omega$$

$$R_3 = \frac{(120)(200)}{400} = 60 \, \Omega$$

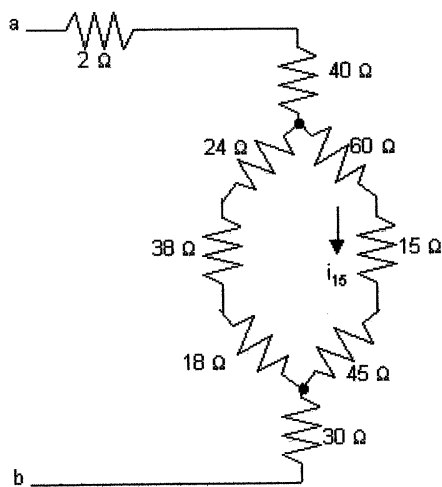
Convert the lower delta to a wye.

$$R_4 = \frac{(60)(90)}{300} = 18 \, \Omega$$

$$R_5 = \frac{(60)(150)}{300} = 30 \, \Omega$$

$$R_6 = \frac{(90)(150)}{300} = 45 \, \Omega$$

Now redraw the circuit using the wye equivalents.



$$R_{ab} = 2 + 40 + \frac{(80)(120)}{200} + 30 = 42 + 48 + 30 = 120 \, \Omega$$

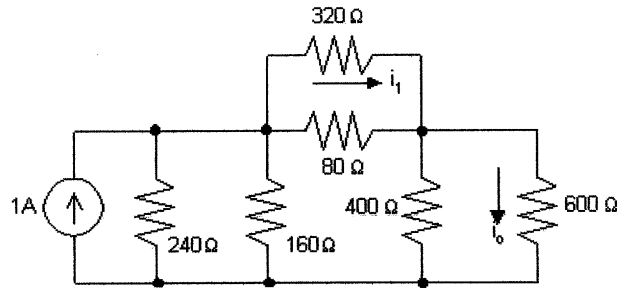
[b] When  $v_{ab} = 600 \, \text{V}$

$$i_g = \frac{600}{120} = 5 \, \text{A}$$

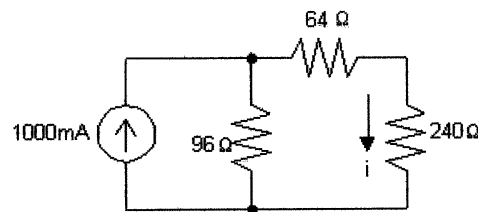
$$i_{15} = \frac{(5)(80)}{200} = 2 \, \text{A}$$

$$p_{15\Omega} = (4)(15) = 60 \, \text{W}$$

- P 3.59 [a] After the  $20\Omega$ — $100\Omega$ — $50\Omega$  wye is replaced by its equivalent delta, the circuit reduces to



Now the circuit can be reduced to

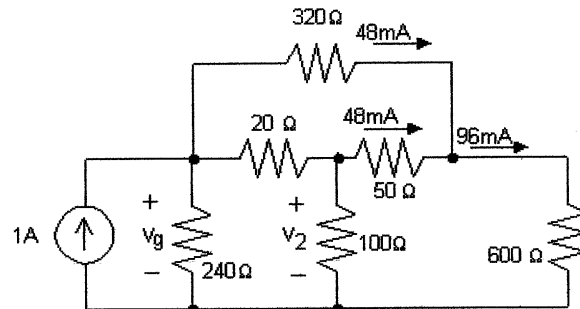


$$i = \frac{96}{400}(1000) = 240 \text{ mA}$$

$$i_o = \frac{400}{1000}(240) = 96 \text{ mA}$$

[b]  $i_1 = \frac{80}{400}(240) = 48 \text{ mA}$

- [c] Now that  $i_o$  and  $i_1$  are known return to the original circuit



$$v_2 = (50)(0.048) + (600)(0.096) = 60 \text{ V}$$

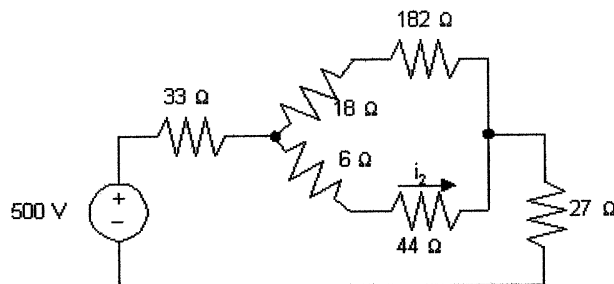
$$i_2 = \frac{v_2}{100} = \frac{60}{100} = 600 \text{ mA}$$

[d]  $v_g = v_2 + 20(0.6 + 0.048) = 60 + 12.96 = 72.96 \text{ V}$

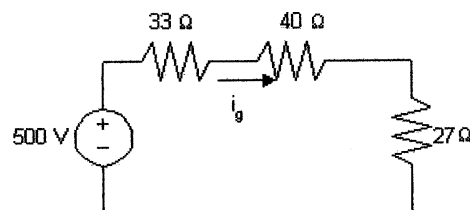
$$p_g = -(v_g)(1) = -72.96 \text{ W}$$

Thus the current source delivers 72.96 W.

P 3.60 [a] Replace the 30—60—10  $\Omega$  delta with a wye equivalent to get



Using series/parallel reductions the circuit reduces to

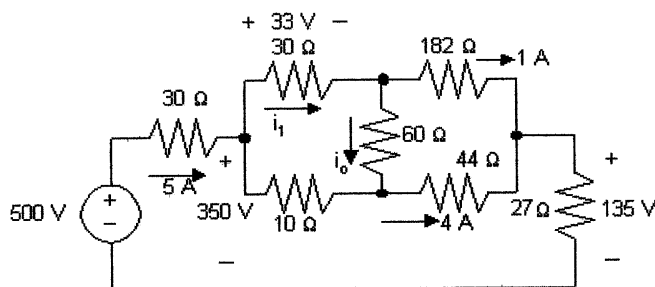


$$i_g = \frac{500}{100} = 5 \text{ A}$$

$$i_2 = \frac{200}{250}(5) = 4 \text{ A}$$

[b]  $i_1 = 33/30 = 1.1 \text{ A}$

Returning to the original circuit we have



$$i_o = 1.1 - 1.0 = 0.1 \text{ A}$$

[c]  $v = 60i_o = 6 \text{ V}$

[d]  $P_{\text{supplied}} = (500)(5.0) = 2500 \text{ W}$

P 3.61 Subtracting Eq. 3.42 from Eq. 3.43 gives

$$R_1 - R_2 = (R_c R_b - R_c R_a) / (R_a + R_b + R_c).$$

Adding this expression to Eq. 3.41 and solving for  $R_1$  gives

$$R_1 = R_c R_b / (R_a + R_b + R_c).$$

To find  $R_2$ , subtract Eq. 3.43 from Eq. 3.41 and add this result to Eq. 3.42.  
 To find  $R_3$ , subtract Eq. 3.41 from Eq. 3.42 and add this result to Eq. 3.43.  
 Using the hint, Eq. 3.43 becomes

$$R_1 + R_3 = \frac{R_b[(R_2/R_3)R_b + (R_2/R_1)R_b]}{(R_2/R_1)R_b + R_b + (R_2/R_3)R_b} = \frac{R_b(R_1 + R_3)R_2}{(R_1R_2 + R_2R_3 + R_3R_1)}$$

Solving for  $R_b$  gives  $R_b = (R_1R_2 + R_2R_3 + R_3R_1)/R_2$ . To find  $R_a$ : First use Eqs. 3.44–3.46 to obtain the ratios  $(R_1/R_3) = (R_c/R_a)$  or  $R_c = (R_1/R_3)R_a$  and  $(R_1/R_2) = (R_b/R_a)$  or  $R_b = (R_1/R_2)R_a$ . Now use these relationships to eliminate  $R_b$  and  $R_c$  from Eq. 3.42. To find  $R_c$ , use Eqs. 3.44–3.46 to obtain the ratios  $R_b = (R_3/R_2)R_c$  and  $R_a = (R_3/R_1)R_c$ . Now use the relationships to eliminate  $R_b$  and  $R_a$  from Eq. 3.41.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{P 3.62} \quad G_a &= \frac{1}{R_a} = \frac{R_1}{R_1R_2 + R_2R_3 + R_3R_1} \\ &= \frac{1/G_1}{(1/G_1)(1/G_2) + (1/G_2)(1/G_3) + (1/G_3)(1/G_1)} \\ &= \frac{(1/G_1)(G_1G_2G_3)}{G_1 + G_2 + G_3} = \frac{G_2G_3}{G_1 + G_2 + G_3} \end{aligned}$$

Similar manipulations generate the expressions for  $G_b$  and  $G_c$ .

$$\text{P 3.63} \quad [\text{a}] \quad R_{ab} = 2R_1 + \frac{R_2(2R_1 + R_L)}{2R_1 + R_2 + R_L} = R_L$$

$$\text{Therefore} \quad 2R_1 - R_L + \frac{R_2(2R_1 + R_L)}{2R_1 + R_2 + R_L} = 0$$

$$\text{Thus} \quad R_L^2 = 4R_1^2 + 4R_1R_2 = 4R_1(R_1 + R_2)$$

When  $R_{ab} = R_L$ , the current into terminal a of the attenuator will be  $v_i/R_L$

Using current division, the current in the  $R_L$  branch will be

$$\frac{v_i}{R_L} \cdot \frac{R_2}{2R_1 + R_2 + R_L}$$

$$\text{Therefore} \quad v_o = \frac{v_i}{R_L} \cdot \frac{R_2}{2R_1 + R_2 + R_L} R_L$$

$$\text{and} \quad \frac{v_o}{v_i} = \frac{R_2}{2R_1 + R_2 + R_L}$$

$$[\text{b}] \quad (600)^2 = 4(R_1 + R_2)R_1$$

$$9 \times 10^4 = R_1^2 + R_1R_2$$

$$\frac{v_o}{v_i} = 0.6 = \frac{R_2}{2R_1 + R_2 + 600}$$

$$\therefore 1.2R_1 + 0.6R_2 + 360 = R_2$$

$$0.4R_2 = 1.2R_1 + 360$$

$$R_2 = 3R_1 + 900$$

$$\therefore 9 \times 10^4 = R_1^2 + R_1(3R_1 + 900) = 4R_1^2 + 900R_1$$

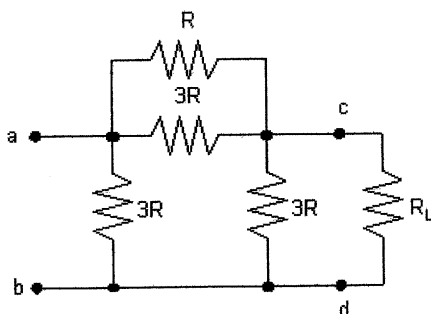
$$\therefore R_1^2 + 225R_1 - 22,500 = 0$$

$$R_1 = -112.5 \pm \sqrt{(112.5)^2 + 22,500} = -112.5 \pm 187.5$$

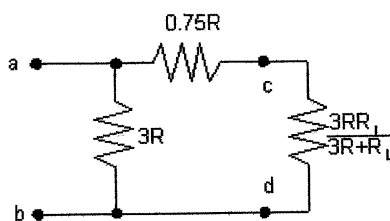
$$\therefore R_1 = 75 \Omega$$

$$\therefore R_2 = 3(75) + 900 = 1125 \Omega$$

P 3.64 [a] After making the Y-to- $\Delta$  transformation, the circuit reduces to



Combining the parallel resistors reduces the circuit to



$$\text{Now note: } 0.75R + \frac{3RR_L}{3R + R_L} = \frac{2.25R^2 + 3.75RR_L}{3R + R_L}$$

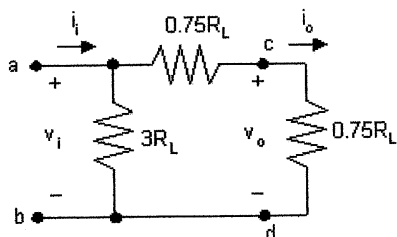
$$\text{Therefore } R_{ab} = \frac{3R \left( \frac{2.25R^2 + 3.75RR_L}{3R + R_L} \right)}{3R + \left( \frac{2.25R^2 + 3.75RR_L}{3R + R_L} \right)} = \frac{3R(3R + 5R_L)}{15R + 9R_L}$$

$$\text{When } R_{ab} = R_L, \text{ we have } 15RR_L + 9R_L^2 = 9R^2 + 15RR_L$$

$$\text{Therefore } R_L^2 = R^2 \quad \text{or} \quad R_L = R$$



[b] When  $R = R_L$ , the circuit reduces to



$$i_o = \frac{i_i(3R_L)}{4.5R_L} = \frac{1}{1.5}i_i = \frac{1}{1.5} \frac{v_i}{R_L}, \quad v_o = 0.75R_L i_o = \frac{1}{2}v_i,$$

$$\text{Therefore } \frac{v_o}{v_i} = 0.5$$

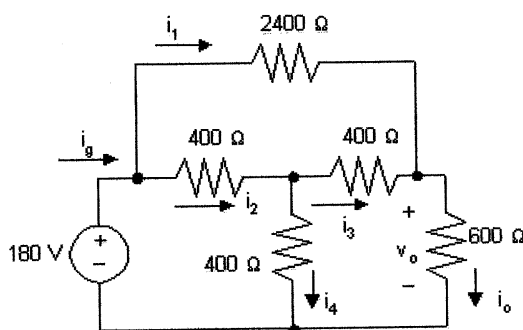
P 3.65 [a]  $3(3R - R_L) = 3R + R_L$

$$9R - 1800 = 3R + 600$$

$$6R = 2400, \quad R = 400 \Omega$$

$$R_2 = \frac{2(400)(600)^2}{3(400)^2 - (600)^2} = 2400 \Omega$$

[b]



$$v_o = \frac{v_i}{3} = \frac{180}{3} = 60 \text{ V}$$

$$i_o = \frac{60}{600} = 100 \text{ mA}$$

$$i_1 = \frac{180 - 60}{2400} = \frac{120}{2400} = 50 \text{ mA}$$

$$i_g = \frac{180}{600} = 300 \text{ mA}$$

$$i_2 = 300 - 50 = 250 \text{ mA}$$

$$i_3 = 100 - 50 = 50 \text{ mA}$$

$$i_4 = 250 - 50 = 200 \text{ mA}$$

$$p_{2400 \text{ top}} = (50 \times 10^{-3})^2(2400) = 6 \text{ W}$$

$$p_{400 \text{ left}} = (250 \times 10^{-3})^2(400) = 25 \text{ W}$$

$$p_{400 \text{ right}} = (50 \times 10^{-3})^2(400) = 1 \text{ W}$$

$$p_{400 \text{ vertical}} = (200 \times 10^{-3})^2(400) = 16 \text{ W}$$

$$p_{600 \text{ load}} = (100 \times 10^{-3})^2(600) = 6 \text{ W}$$

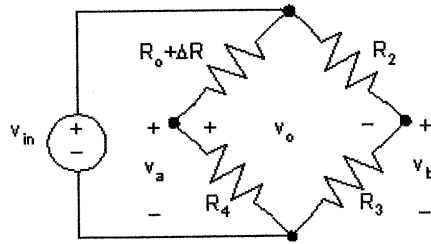
The  $400 \Omega$  resistor carrying  $i_2$

[c]  $p_{400 \text{ left}} = 25 \text{ W}$

[d] The  $400 \Omega$  resistor carrying  $i_3$

[e]  $p_{400 \text{ right}} = 1 \text{ W}$

P 3.66 [a]



$$v_a = \frac{v_{in} R_4}{R_o + R_4 + \Delta R}$$

$$v_b = \frac{R_3}{R_2 + R_3} v_{in}$$

$$v_o = v_a - v_b = \frac{R_4 v_{in}}{R_o + R_4 + \Delta R} - \frac{R_3}{R_2 + R_3} v_{in}$$

When the bridge is balanced,

$$\frac{R_4}{R_o + R_4} v_{in} = \frac{R_3}{R_2 + R_3} v_{in}$$

$$\therefore \frac{R_4}{R_o + R_4} = \frac{R_3}{R_2 + R_3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } v_o &= \frac{R_4 v_{in}}{R_o + R_4 + \Delta R} - \frac{R_4 v_{in}}{R_o + R_4} \\ &= R_4 v_{in} \left[ \frac{1}{R_o + R_4 + \Delta R} - \frac{1}{R_o + R_4} \right] \\ &= \frac{R_4 v_{in} (-\Delta R)}{(R_o + R_4 + \Delta R)(R_o + R_4)} \\ &\approx \frac{-(\Delta R) R_4 v_{in}}{(R_o + R_4)^2}, \quad \text{since } \Delta R \ll R_4 \end{aligned}$$

$$[b] \Delta R = 0.03R_o$$

$$R_o = \frac{R_2 R_4}{R_3} = \frac{(1000)(5000)}{500} = 10,000 \Omega$$

$$\Delta R = (0.03)(10^4) = 300 \Omega$$

$$\therefore v_o \approx \frac{-300(5000)(6)}{(15,000)^2} = -40 \text{ mV}$$

$$\begin{aligned} [c] \quad v_o &= \frac{-(\Delta R)R_4 v_{in}}{(R_o + R_4 + \Delta R)(R_o + R_4)} \\ &= \frac{-300(5000)(6)}{(15,300)(15,000)} \\ &= -39.2157 \text{ mV} \end{aligned}$$

$$P \ 3.67 \quad [a] \text{ approx value} = \frac{-(\Delta R)R_4 v_{in}}{(R_o + R_4)^2}$$

$$\text{true value} = \frac{-(\Delta R)R_4 v_{in}}{(R_o + R_4 + \Delta R)(R_o + R_4)}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\text{approx value}}{\text{true value}} = \frac{(R_o + R_4 + \Delta R)}{(R_o + R_4)}$$

$$\therefore \% \text{ error} = \left[ \frac{R_o + R_4 + \Delta R}{R_o + R_4} - 1 \right] \times 100 = \frac{\Delta R}{R_o + R_4} \times 100$$

$$\text{But } R_o = \frac{R_2 R_4}{R_3}$$

$$\therefore \% \text{ error} = \frac{R_3 \Delta R}{R_4(R_2 + R_3)}$$

$$[b] \% \text{ error} = \frac{(500)(300)}{(5000)(1500)} \times 100 = 2\%$$

$$P \ 3.68 \quad \frac{\Delta R(R_3)(100)}{(R_2 + R_3)R_4} = 0.5$$

$$\frac{\Delta R(500)(100)}{(1500)(5000)} = 0.5$$

$$\therefore \Delta R = 75 \Omega$$

$$\% \text{ change} = \frac{75}{10,000} \times 100 = 0.75\%$$

P 3.69 [a] From Eq 3.64 we have

$$\left(\frac{i_1}{i_2}\right)^2 = \frac{R_2^2}{R_1^2(1+2\sigma)^2}$$

Substituting into Eq 3.63 yields

$$R_2 = \frac{R_2^2}{R_1^2(1+2\sigma)^2} R_1$$

Solving for  $R_2$  yields

$$R_2 = (1+2\sigma)^2 R_1$$

[b] From Eq 3.67 we have

$$\frac{i_1}{i_b} = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2 + 2R_a}$$

But  $R_2 = (1+2\sigma)^2 R_1$  and  $R_a = \sigma R_1$  therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{i_1}{i_b} &= \frac{(1+2\sigma)^2 R_1}{R_1 + (1+2\sigma)^2 R_1 + 2\sigma R_1} = \frac{(1+2\sigma)^2}{(1+2\sigma) + (1+2\sigma)^2} \\ &= \frac{1+2\sigma}{2(1+\sigma)} \end{aligned}$$

It follows that

$$\left(\frac{i_1}{i_b}\right)^2 = \frac{(1+2\sigma)^2}{4(1+\sigma)^2}$$

Substituting into Eq 3.66 gives

$$R_b = \frac{(1+2\sigma)^2 R_a}{4(1+\sigma)^2} = \frac{(1+2\sigma)^2 \sigma R_1}{4(1+\sigma)^2}$$

P 3.70 From Eq 3.69

$$\frac{i_1}{i_3} = \frac{R_2 R_3}{D}$$

But  $D = (R_1 + 2R_a)(R_2 + 2R_b) + 2R_b R_2$

where  $R_a = \sigma R_1$ ;  $R_2 = (1+2\sigma)^2 R_1$  and  $R_b = \frac{(1+2\sigma)^2 \sigma R_1}{4(1+\sigma)^2}$

Therefore  $D$  can be written as

$$\begin{aligned}
D &= (R_1 + 2\sigma R_1) \left[ (1 + 2\sigma)^2 R_1 + \frac{2(1 + 2\sigma)^2 \sigma R_1}{4(1 + \sigma)^2} \right] + \\
&\quad 2(1 + 2\sigma)^2 R_1 \left[ \frac{(1 + 2\sigma)^2 \sigma R_1}{4(1 + \sigma)^2} \right] \\
&= (1 + 2\sigma)^3 R_1^2 \left[ 1 + \frac{\sigma}{2(1 + \sigma)^2} + \frac{(1 + 2\sigma)\sigma}{2(1 + \sigma)^2} \right] \\
&= \frac{(1 + 2\sigma)^3 R_1^2}{2(1 + \sigma)^2} \{2(1 + \sigma)^2 + \sigma + (1 + 2\sigma)\sigma\} \\
&= \frac{(1 + 2\sigma)^3 R_1^2}{(1 + \sigma)^2} \{1 + 3\sigma + 2\sigma^2\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$D = \frac{(1 + 2\sigma)^4 R_1^2}{(1 + \sigma)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\therefore \frac{i_1}{i_3} &= \frac{R_2 R_3 (1 + \sigma)}{(1 + 2\sigma)^4 R_1^2} \\
&= \frac{(1 + 2\sigma)^2 R_1 R_3 (1 + \sigma)}{(1 + 2\sigma)^4 R_1^2} \\
&= \frac{(1 + \sigma) R_3}{(1 + 2\sigma)^2 R_1}
\end{aligned}$$

When this result is substituted into Eq 3.69 we get

$$R_3 = \frac{(1 + \sigma)^2 R_3^2 R_1}{(1 + 2\sigma)^4 R_1^2}$$

Solving for  $R_3$  gives

$$R_3 = \frac{(1 + 2\sigma)^4 R_1}{(1 + \sigma)^2}$$

P 3.71 From the dimensional specifications, calculate  $\sigma$  and  $R_3$ :

$$\sigma = \frac{y}{x} = \frac{0.025}{1} = 0.025; \quad R_3 = \frac{V_{dc}^2}{p} = \frac{12^2}{120} = 1.2 \Omega$$

Calculate  $R_1$  from  $R_3$  and  $\sigma$ :

$$R_1 = \frac{(1 + \sigma)^2}{(1 + 2\sigma)^4} R_3 = 1.0372 \Omega$$

Calculate  $R_a$ ,  $R_b$ , and  $R_2$ :

$$R_a = \sigma R_1 = 0.0259 \Omega \quad R_b = \frac{(1 + 2\sigma)^2 \sigma R_1}{4(1 + \sigma)^2} = 0.0068 \Omega$$

$$R_2 = (1 + 2\sigma)^2 R_1 = 1.1435 \Omega$$

Using symmetry,

$$R_4 = R_2 = 1.1435 \Omega \quad R_5 = R_1 = 1.0372 \Omega$$

$$R_c = R_b = 0.0068 \Omega \quad R_d = R_a = 0.0259 \Omega$$

Test the calculations by checking the power dissipated, which should be 120 W/m. Calculate  $D$ , then use Eqs. (3.58)-(3.60) to calculate  $i_b$ ,  $i_1$ , and  $i_2$ :

$$D = (R_1 + 2R_a)(R_2 + 2R_b) + 2R_2R_b = 1.2758$$

$$i_b = \frac{V_{dc}(R_1 + R_2 + 2R_a)}{D} = 21 \text{ A}$$

$$i_1 = \frac{V_{dc}R_2}{D} = 10.7561 \text{ A} \quad i_2 = \frac{V_{dc}(R_1 + 2R_a)}{D} = 10.2439 \text{ A}$$

It follows that  $i_b^2 R_b = 3 \text{ W}$  and the power dissipation per meter is  $3/0.025 = 120 \text{ W/m}$ . The value of  $i_1^2 R_1 = 120 \text{ W/m}$ . The value of  $i_2^2 R_2 = 120 \text{ W/m}$ . Finally,  $i_1^2 R_a = 3 \text{ W/m}$ .

- P 3.72 From the solution to Problem 3.71 we have  $i_b = 21 \text{ A}$  and  $i_3 = 10 \text{ A}$ . By symmetry  $i_c = 21 \text{ A}$  thus the total current supplied by the 12 V source is  $21 + 21 + 10$  or 52 A. Therefore the total power delivered by the source is  $p_{12 \text{ V}}(\text{del}) = (12)(52) = 624 \text{ W}$ . We also have from the solution that  $p_a = p_b = p_c = p_d = 3 \text{ W}$ . Therefore the total power delivered to the vertical resistors is  $p_V = (8)(3) = 24 \text{ W}$ . The total power delivered to the five horizontal resistors is  $p_H = 5(120) = 600 \text{ W}$ .

$$\therefore \sum p_{\text{diss}} = p_H + p_V = 624 \text{ W} = \sum p_{\text{del}}$$

- P 3.73 [a]  $\sigma = 0.05/1.25 = 0.04$

Since the power dissipation is 150 W/m the power dissipated in  $R_3$  must be  $150(1.25)$  or 187.5 W. Therefore

$$R_3 = \frac{12^2}{187.5} = 0.768 \Omega$$

From Table 3.1 we have

$$R_1 = \frac{(1 + \sigma)^2 R_3}{(1 + 2\sigma)^4} = 0.6106 \Omega$$

$$R_a = \sigma R_1 = 0.0244 \Omega$$

$$R_2 = (1 + 2\sigma)^2 R_1 = 0.7122 \Omega$$

$$R_b = \frac{(1 + 2\sigma)^2 \sigma R_1}{4(1 + \sigma)^2} = 0.0066 \Omega$$

Therefore

$$R_4 = R_2 = 0.7122 \Omega \quad R_5 = R_1 = 0.6106 \Omega$$

$$R_c = R_b = 0.0066 \Omega \quad R_d = R_a = 0.0244 \Omega$$

[b]  $D = 0.4877$

$$i_1 = \frac{V_{dc} R_2}{D} = 17.52 \text{ A}$$

$$i_1^2 R_1 = 187.5 \text{ W or } 150 \text{ W/m}$$

$$i_2 = \frac{R_1 + 2R_a}{D} V_{dc} = 16.23 \text{ A}$$

$$i_2^2 R_2 = 187.5 \text{ W or } 150 \text{ W/m}$$

$$i_1^2 R_a = 7.5 \text{ W or } 150 \text{ W/m}$$

$$i_b = \frac{R_1 + R_2 + 2R_a}{D} V_{dc} = 33.75 \text{ A}$$

$$i_b^2 R_b = 7.5 \text{ W or } 150 \text{ W/m}$$

$$i_{\text{source}} = 33.75 + 33.75 + \frac{12}{0.768} = 83.125 \text{ A}$$

$$p_{\text{del}} = 12(83.125) = 997.50 \text{ W}$$

$$p_H = 5(187.5) = 937.5 \text{ W}$$

$$p_V = 8(7.5) = 60 \text{ W}$$

$$\sum p_{\text{del}} = \sum p_{\text{diss}} = 997.50 \text{ W}$$