

ENGR965 : HW #4

3- $V_{out} \approx \frac{\Delta R}{4R} V$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{R_x}{R+R_x} V - \frac{V}{2} \Rightarrow \left(\frac{R_x}{R+R_x} - \frac{1}{2} \right) V$$

$$* V_3 = \frac{R}{R+R_x} \cdot V = \frac{V}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{2R_x - (R+R_x)}{2(R+R_x)} \right) V \Rightarrow \left(\frac{2R_x - R - R_x}{2(R+R_x)} \right) V$$

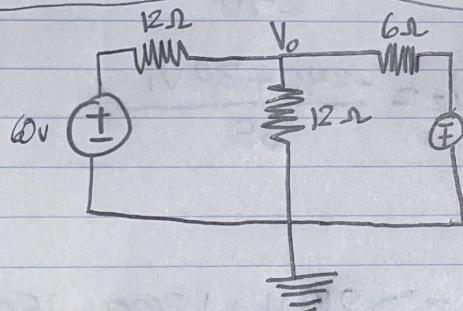
$$* V_x = \frac{R_x}{R+R_x} \cdot V$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{R_x - R}{2(R_x + R)} \right) V \Rightarrow \left(\frac{R + \Delta R - R}{2(R + \Delta R + R)} \right) V$$

$$* V_{out} = V_x - V_3$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\Delta R}{2(\Delta R + 2R)} \right) V \Rightarrow \frac{\Delta R}{2(2R)} V = \boxed{\frac{\Delta R}{4R} V}$$

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a) Use node-voltage method to compute V_o

$$\frac{V_o - 60}{12} + \frac{V_o}{12} + \frac{V_o + 24}{6} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow V_o - 60 + V_o + 2V_o + 48 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4V_o - 12 = 0 \Rightarrow 4V_o = 12 \Rightarrow V_o = \frac{12}{4} = 3$$

b) Compute power dissipated in all resistors.

$$I_1 = \frac{60 - V_o}{12} = \frac{60 - 3}{12} = \frac{57}{12}; P_1 = I_1^2 R = \left(\frac{57}{12} \right)^2 (12) = \frac{57 \cdot 57}{12}$$

$$P_1 = 270.75W$$

$$I_2 = \frac{V_o}{12} = \frac{3}{12} = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow P_2 = I_2^2 R = \left(\frac{1}{4} \right)^2 (12) = \frac{12}{16} = \frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow P_2 = 0.75W$$

$$I_3 = I_1 - I_2 = 4.75 - 0.25 = 4.5 \Rightarrow P_3 = I_3^2 R = (4.5)^2 (6) = \boxed{121.5W}$$