

EC100: Assignment 1

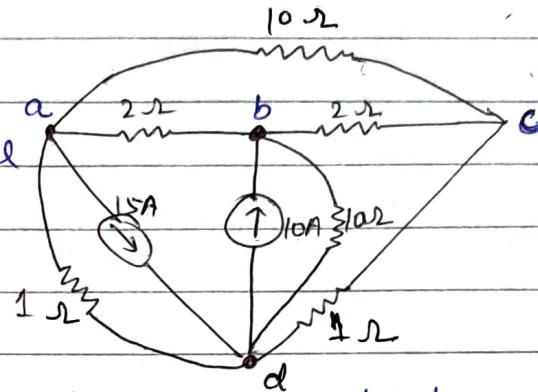
2 Questions Using Nodal Analysis

(1.1) Example 3.16 for the network shown in figure

- Write nodal voltage equations
- Find current and its direction in 10Ω resistor.

Assuming node d as reference node i.e. potential at node d = 0.

and assuming the potential at node A, node B and node C to be v_a , v_b and v_c respectively.



Since the algebraic sum of all the currents leaving a node is zero,

(i) KCL equation at node a

$$\frac{v_a - 0}{1} + 15 + \frac{v_a - v_b}{2} + \frac{v_a - v_c}{10} = 0$$

$$16v_a - 5v_b - v_c = -150 \quad \rightarrow (I)$$

KCL equation at node B,

$$\frac{v_b - v_a}{2} + \frac{v_b - v_c}{2} + \frac{v_b - 0}{10} + (-10) = 0$$

$$-5v_a + 11v_b - 5v_c = 100 \quad \rightarrow (II)$$

At node C,

$$\frac{V_c - V_a}{10} + \frac{V_c - V_b}{2} + \frac{V_c - 0}{1} = 0$$

$$-V_a - 5V_b + 16V_c = 0 \quad \text{--- (III)}$$

The equations are

$$16V_a - 5V_b - V_c = -150 \quad \text{--- (I)}$$

$$-5V_a + 11V_b - 5V_c = 100 \quad \text{--- (II)}$$

$$-V_a - 5V_b + 16V_c = 0 \quad \text{--- (III)}$$

Augmented matrix of given system is

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 16 & -5 & -1 & -150 \\ -5 & 11 & -5 & 100 \\ -1 & -5 & 16 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1/16$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -5/16 & -1/16 & -75/8 \\ -5 & 11 & -5 & 100 \\ -1 & -5 & 16 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 + 5R_1$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -5/16 & -1/16 & -75/8 \\ 0 & 15/16 & -85/16 & 425/8 \\ -1 & -5 & 16 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_1$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -5/16 & -1/16 & -75/8 \\ 0 & 15/16 & -85/16 & 425/8 \\ 0 & -85/16 & 255/16 & -75/8 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{151} R_2$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -5/16 & -1/16 & -75/8 \\ 0 & 1 & -85/151 & 850/151 \\ 0 & -85/16 & 255/16 & -75/8 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + \frac{85}{16} R_2$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -5/16 & -1/16 & -75/8 \\ 0 & 1 & -85/151 & 850/151 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1955}{151} & \frac{3100}{151} \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow \frac{151}{1955} R_3$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -5/16 & -1/16 & -75/8 \\ 0 & 1 & -85/151 & 850/151 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{620}{391} \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 + \frac{85}{151} R_3$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -5/16 & -1/16 & -75/8 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{150}{23} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{620}{391} \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + \frac{1}{16} R_3$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -5/16 & 0 & \frac{-29015}{3120} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{150}{23} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{620}{391} \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + \frac{5}{16} R_2$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & -2830 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 150/23 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 620/391 \end{array} \right]$$

This gives $V_a = \frac{-2830}{391}$, $V_b = \frac{150}{23}$ and

$$V_c = \frac{620}{391}$$

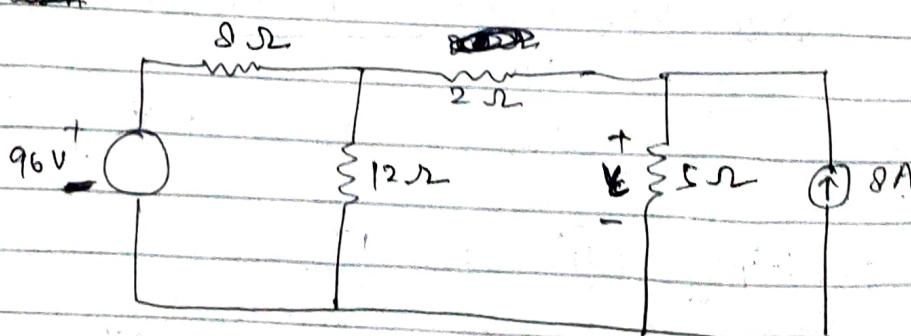
b) Current in $10\ \Omega$ resistor between node a and c is $\frac{V_a - V_c}{10}$ A from a to c.

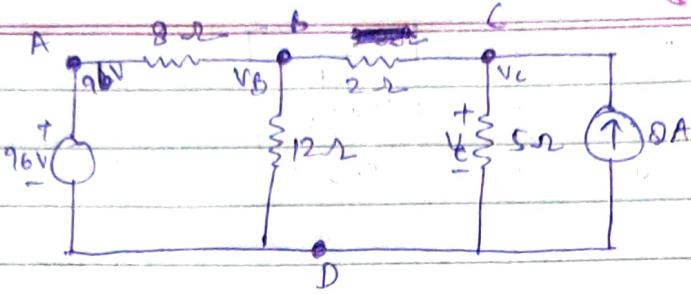
i.e. $\left(\frac{-2830}{391} - \frac{620}{391} \right)$ from a to c.

current in $10\ \Omega$ resistor (b/w node a and c) = $\frac{-3450}{391 \times 10}$
 $= \frac{-15}{17}$ A

Hence, current in $10\ \Omega$ resistor (b/w node a and node c) is $\frac{15}{17}$ A from node c to node a.

(1.1) Example 3.12 Determine the voltage V_c in the circuit.





Let us assume the node D as reference node. Since, potential at reference node is zero, potential at node A, $v_A = 96 \text{ V}$.

Let the voltage at node B and C be v_B and v_C .

Since, the algebraic sum of all the currents leaving a node is zero,

KCL equation at node B is,

$$\frac{v_B - 96}{8} + \frac{v_B - v_C}{2} + \frac{v_B - 0}{12} = 0$$

$$\frac{3v_B - 288 + 12v_B - 12v_C + 2v_B}{24} = 0$$

$$17v_B - 12v_C = 288 \quad \textcircled{I}$$

KCL equation at node C is,

$$\frac{v_C - v_B}{2} + \frac{v_C - 0}{5} + (-2) = 0$$

$$\frac{5v_C - 5v_B + 2v_C + (-80)}{10} = 0$$

$$7v_C - 5v_B = 80 \quad \textcircled{II}$$

Multiply \textcircled{II} by $\frac{17}{5}$

$$\frac{119}{5}v_C - 17v_B = 272 \quad \textcircled{III}$$

Adding (I) and (III), we get

$$V_C \left(\frac{119}{5} - \frac{60}{5} \right) = 560$$

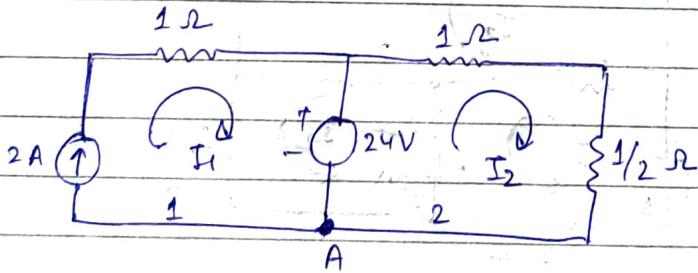
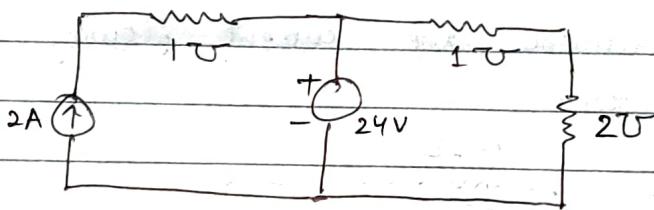
$$V_C = \frac{560 \times 5}{59}$$

$$V_C = 47.457$$

Hence, the required voltage is 47.457 Volts.

2 Questions Using Mesh Analysis

- (1.1) 11. Determine the mesh currents of the network by mesh analysis



Let us assume the currents in mesh 1 and mesh 2 be I_1 and I_2 clockwise.

Since, the current source is supplying current of 2 A in direction of I_1 .

$$\therefore I_1 = 2A$$

Writing

KVL states that the algebraic sum of all the voltages in closed loop is 0.

Applying KVL in mesh 2; starting from A:

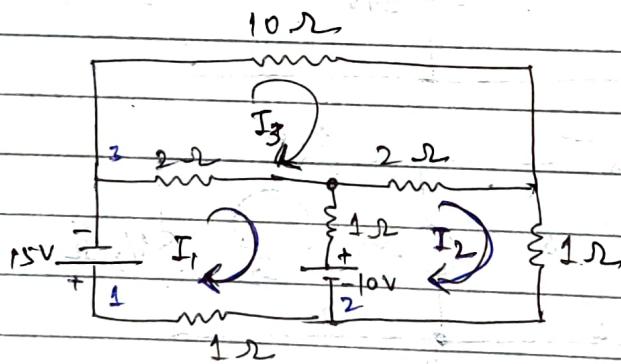
$$24 - 1(I_2) - \frac{1}{2}(I_2) = 0$$

$$\frac{3}{2} I_2 = 24$$

$$I_2 = 16 \text{ A}$$

Hence the currents in mesh 1 and mesh 2 are 2 A and 16 A.

(1.1) Example 3.15 Determine the current flowing through I_2 resistor.



Let the currents in mesh 1, 2 and 3 be I_1 , I_2 and I_3 in clockwise direction as shown in figure.

According to KVL, voltage drop in a loop is zero.

Applying KVL in mesh 1,

$$(-15) - 2(I_1 - I_3) - (I_1 - I_2) - 10 - 1(I_1) = 0$$

$$-4I_1 + I_2 + 2I_3 = 25 \quad \text{---(1)}$$

Applying KVL in mesh 2,

$$+10 - 1(I_2 - I_1) - 2(I_2 - I_3) - 1(I_2) = 0$$

$$I_1 - 4I_2 + 2I_3 = -10 \quad \text{---(II)}$$

Applying KVL in mesh 3,

$$-10(I_3) - 2(I_3 - I_2) - 2(I_3 - I_1) = 0$$

$$2I_1 + 2I_2 - 14I_3 = 0$$

$$I_1 + I_2 - 7I_3 = 0 \quad \text{---(III)}$$

$$I_1 + I_2 - 7I_3 = 0 \quad \text{---(III)}$$

$$I_1 - 4I_2 + 2I_3 = -10 \quad \text{---(II)}$$

$$-4I_1 + I_2 + 2I_3 = 25 \quad \text{---(III)}$$

Augmented matrix for the system of equation is

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -7 & 0 \\ 1 & -4 & 2 & -10 \\ -4 & 1 & 2 & 25 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + 4R_1$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -7 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 & 9 & -10 \\ 0 & 5 & -26 & 25 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_2$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -7 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 & 9 & -10 \\ 0 & 0 & -17 & 15 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow -1/5 R_2$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow -1/17 R_3$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -7 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -9/5 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -15/17 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 + \frac{9}{5} R_3$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -7 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 7/17 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -15/17 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + 7 R_3$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & -105/17 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 7/17 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -15/17 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - R_2$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & -112/17 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 7/17 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -15/17 \end{array} \right]$$

This gives,

$$I_1 = -112/17 \text{ A}$$

$$I_2 = \frac{7}{17} \text{ A}$$

$$\text{and, } I_3 = -\frac{15}{17} \text{ A.}$$

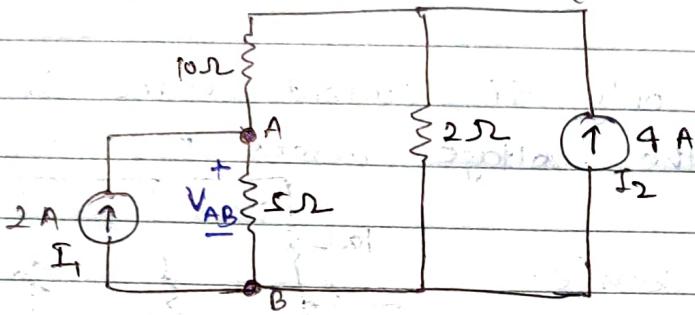
These are loop currents according to figure.

As the 1Ω resistor is not specified, only loop currents are found.

$$\text{Hence } I_1 = -\frac{112}{17} \text{ A}, I_2 = \frac{7}{17} \text{ A} \text{ and } I_3 = -\frac{15}{17} \text{ A}$$

Two Questions Using Superposition Theorem :-

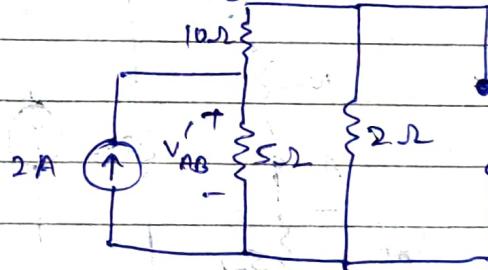
(1.2) Example 10.12 : Apply superposition theorem to network of figure 10.51 to find voltage across AB.



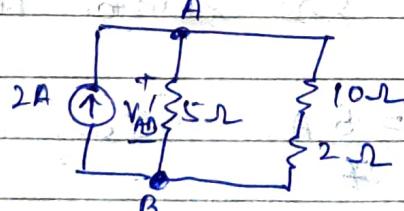
Solution :- The polarity of V_{AB} is shown in fig.

Case - 1 : When only 2A current source is active, let the voltage across AB be V'_{AB} .

Since, only 2A current source is active, 4A current source is open circuited.



The circuit is reduced to



the current through 5Ω resistor i.e. i'_{AB} is

$$i'_{AB} = \frac{2 \times 12}{17} \text{ A} \quad (\text{Using current division})$$

$$i'_{AB} = \frac{24}{17} \text{ A}$$

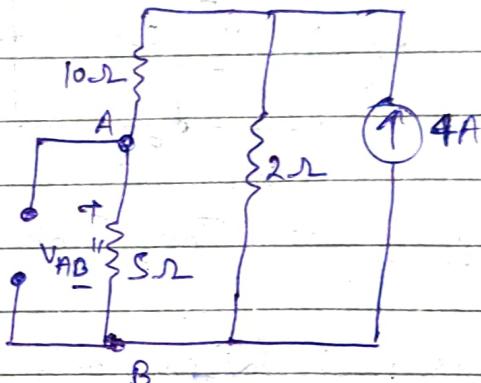
therefore, V_{AB}' i.e. voltage across 5Ω resistor is

$$V_{AB}' = i_{AB}' (5) = \frac{24 \times 5}{17} = \frac{120}{17} V$$

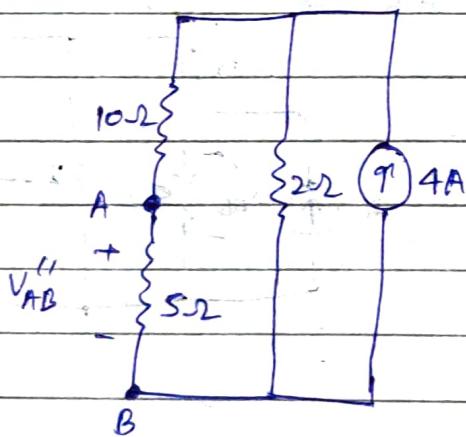
Case-II: When only 4A current source is active.

Let V_{AB}'' be the voltage across 5Ω resistor.

Since only 4A source is active, open circuit the 2A source.



The circuit is reduced to



the current through 5Ω resistor i.e. i_{AB}'' is

$$i_{AB}'' = \frac{4 \times 2}{17} = \frac{8}{17} A \quad (\text{Using current division})$$

therefore voltage V_{AB}'' across 5Ω resistor is

$$V_{AB}'' = i_{AB}'' (5) = \frac{8}{17} \times 5 = \frac{40}{17} V$$

Using superposition theorem, the net voltage across 5Ω resistor V_{AB} is

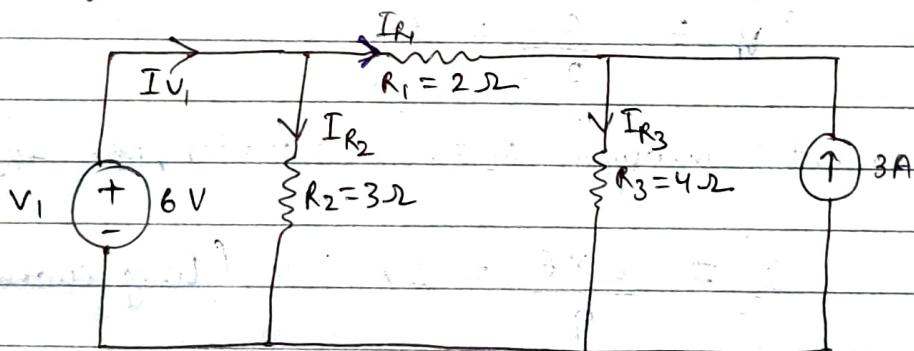
$$V_{AB} = V_{AB}' + V_{AB}''$$

$$V_{AB} = \frac{120}{17} + \frac{40}{17} = \frac{160}{17} \text{ V}$$

$$\therefore V_{AB} = 9.412 \text{ V}$$

Hence, the voltage across 5Ω resistor is 9.412 V .

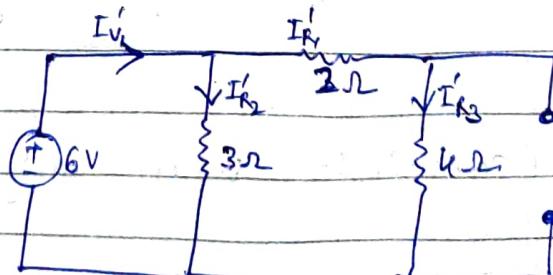
(1.2) Example 10.13 : Find the current flowing through every branch of network shown in Fig 10.52,



The current through every element is mentioned in figure.

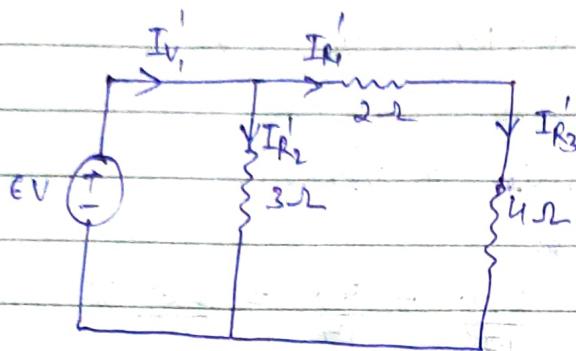
Case 1 : When only 6V source is active

As only 6V source is active, the 3A source is short-circuited.



The currents through every branch corresponding to figure in question are I'_V1 , I'_R1 , I'_R2 and I'_R3 .

The circuit is reduced to



the equivalent resistance for the circuit, R_{eq}

$$R_{eq} = 3 \parallel (2+4) = 2\Omega$$

therefore, the current supplied by 6V source (I_V')

$$I_V' = \frac{6V}{2\Omega} = 3A$$

the current through $R_2 = 3\Omega$ resistor, i.e. I_{R_2}'

$$I_{R_2}' = \frac{3 \times 6}{9} = 2A \quad (\text{Using current division})$$

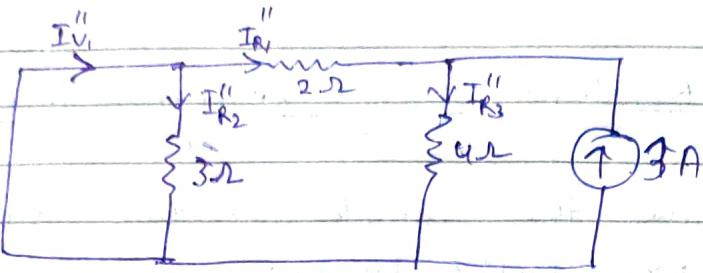
the current through R_1 (I_{R_1}') and R_3 (I_{R_3}') is equal
(as they are in series),

$$I_{R_1}' = I_{R_3}' = \frac{3 \times 3}{9} = 1A$$

Case II :- When only 3A source is active,

The currents in different branches corresponding to figure in question are I_V'' , I_{R_1}'' , I_{R_2}'' and I_{R_3}'' .

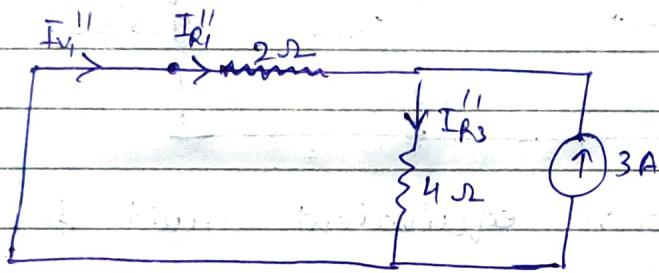
As only 3A source is active, the 6V source is short circuited



As the 3Ω resistance is short circuited

$$I_{R_2}'' = 0 \text{ A}$$

The circuit reduces to



the currents I_{V_i}'' and I_{R_1}'' are equal

$$I_{V_i}'' = I_{R_1}'' = -\frac{3 \times 4}{6} \quad (\text{Using current division}) \\ = -2 \text{ A}$$

the current through 4Ω resistor i.e. I_{R_3}''

$$I_{R_3}'' = \frac{3 \times 2}{6} = 1 \text{ A} \quad (\text{Using current division})$$

Now, using superposition theorem,

$$I_{V_i} = I_{V_i}' + I_{V_i}'' = 3 \text{ A} + (-2 \text{ A}) = 1 \text{ A}$$

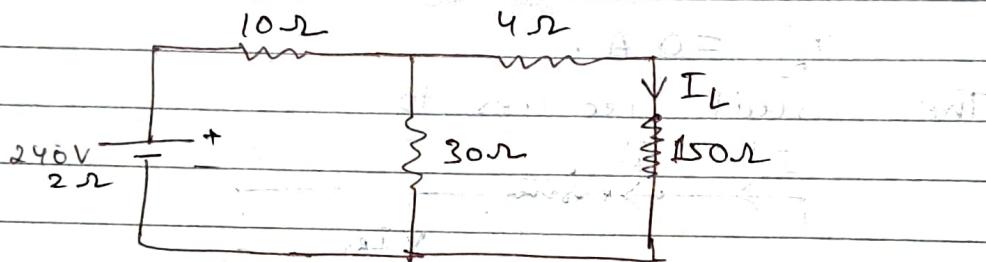
$$I_{R_1} = I_{R_1}' + I_{R_1}'' = 1 \text{ A} + (-2 \text{ A}) = -1 \text{ A}$$

$$I_{R_2} = I_{R_2}' + I_{R_2}'' = 2 \text{ A} + 0 \text{ A} = 2 \text{ A}$$

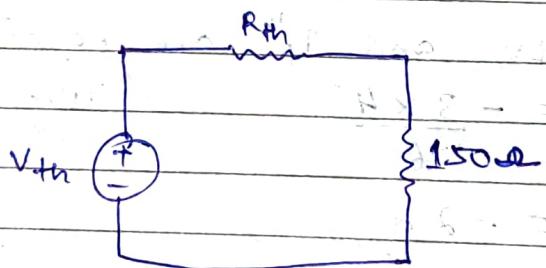
and $I_{R_3} = I'_{R_3} + I''_{R_3} = 1A + 1A = 2A$.

Two Questions Using Thevenin's Theorem

- (1.2) 21. Solve the simple electric circuit shown in Fig. 10.137 below for T_L using Thevenin's theorem.

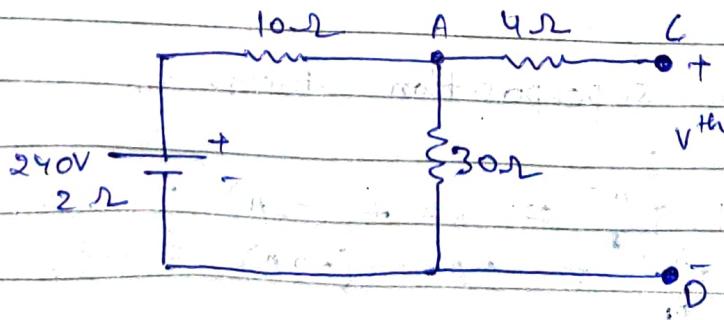


The Thevenin equivalent circuit for the given circuit is

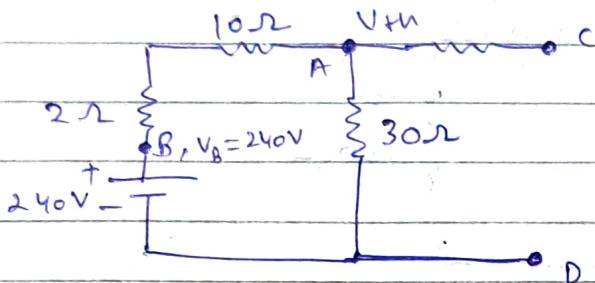


To find V_{th} , we have to open circuit the load first, the voltage across the load is

V_{th}



Since, the 4Ω resistor is open, 0 current will flow through it. Hence the voltage at A will be V_{th} only (considering D as reference node).



Applying Nodal analysis at node A,

$$\frac{V_{th} - 240}{12} + \frac{V_{th} - 0}{30} = 0$$

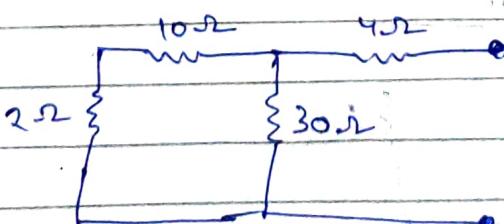
$$\frac{5V_{th} - 1200}{60} + \frac{2V_{th}}{60} = 0$$

$$7V_{th} = 1200$$

$$V_{th} = \frac{1200}{7} \text{ V}$$

$$V_{th} = 171.428 \text{ V}$$

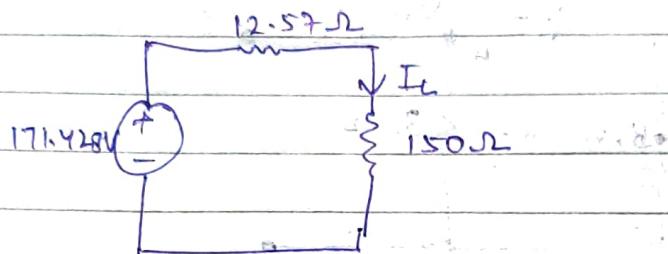
To find R_{th} , open circuit the load resistance and make all ~~sources~~ independent sources inactive. The equivalent resistance is R_{th} .



$$R_{th} = \{(2+10) \parallel 30\} + 4$$

$$R_{th} = \{8.57\} + 4 \\ = 12.57 \Omega$$

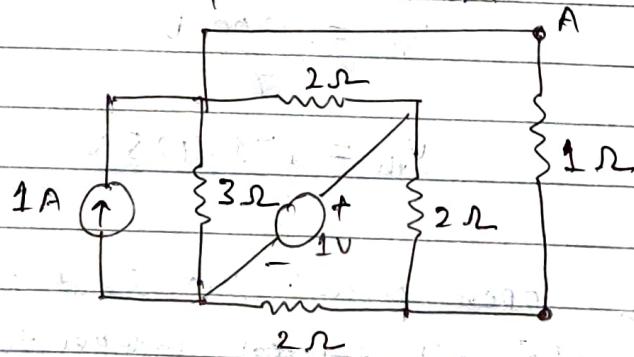
The Thevenin Equivalent Circuit is



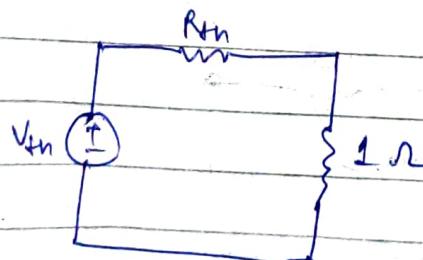
$$I_L = \frac{171.428}{150 + 12.57} \\ = 1.0545 A$$

Hence, the current I_L is 1.0545 A.

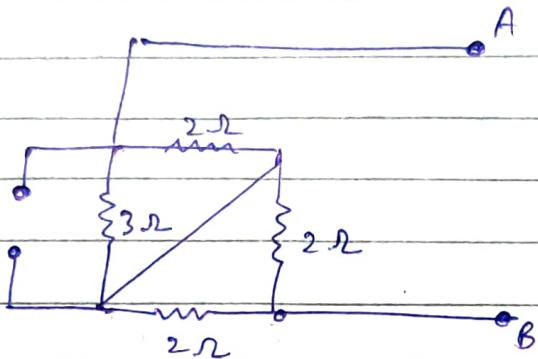
(1.2) Example 10.2 : Determine the current in 1 Ω resistor across AB of the network



The equivalent Thevenin circuit will be

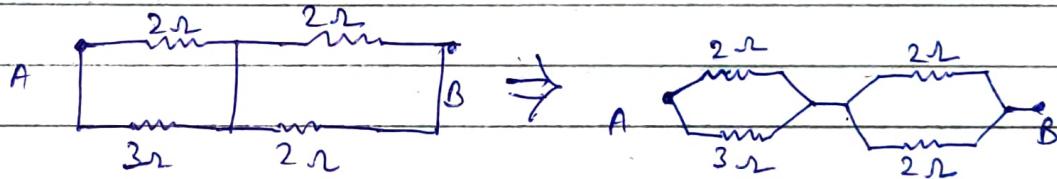


To find R_{th} , open circuit the load resistance and make all the independent sources inactive



R_{th} will be the equivalent resistance between AB.

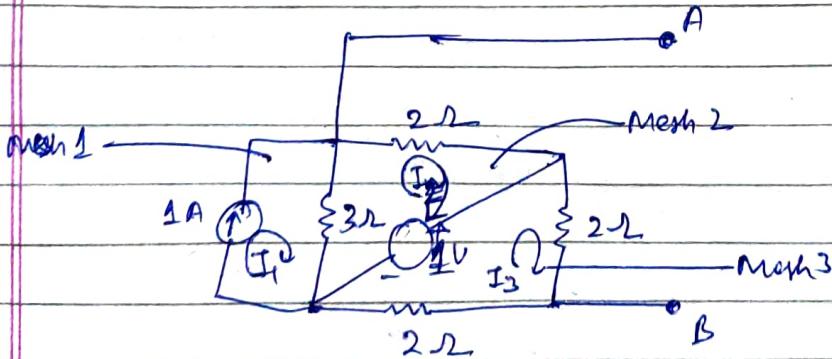
the above circuit can be re-drawn as,



$$R_{th} = \left(\frac{2}{1/3} \right) + \left(\frac{2}{1/2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{6}{5} + 1 = 2.2 \Omega$$

To find V_{th} , open source the load and the voltage across it will be V_{th} .



Assuming currents I_1 , I_2 and I_3 in the meshes

in clockwise direction as shown in figure.

From figure, it is clear that $I_1 = 1A$.

Applying KVL in mesh 2;

$$-3(I_2 - I_1) - 2I_2 - 1 = 0$$

$$-5I_2 + 3I_1 = 1$$

$$3I_1 - 5I_2 = 1$$

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$$I_2 = \frac{2}{5} A \quad (\text{as } I_1 = 1A)$$

Applying KVL in mesh 3,

$$+1 - 2I_3 - 2I_3 = 0$$

$$I_3 = \frac{1}{4} A$$

$$\text{Now, } V_{th} = V_A - V_B$$

$$V_A - 2I_2 - 2I_3 = V_B$$

$$V_A - V_B = 2(I_2 + I_3)$$

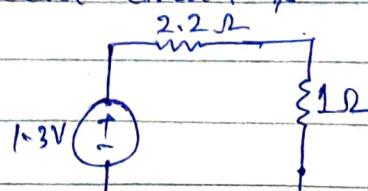
$$= 2 \left(\frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{4} \right) = 2 \times \frac{13}{20}$$

$$= 1.3V$$

$$\text{Hence } V_{th} = 1.3V$$

Hence, the thevenin equivalent circuit is

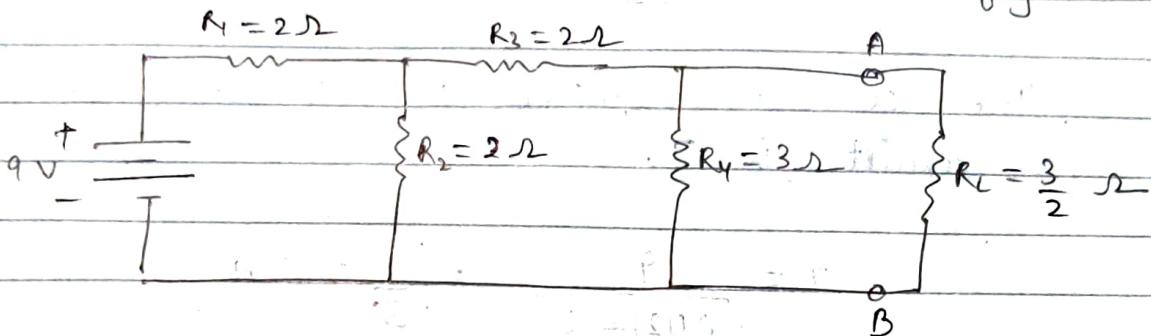
$$i = \frac{1.3}{2.2 + 1} = \frac{1.3}{3.2} = 0.406A$$



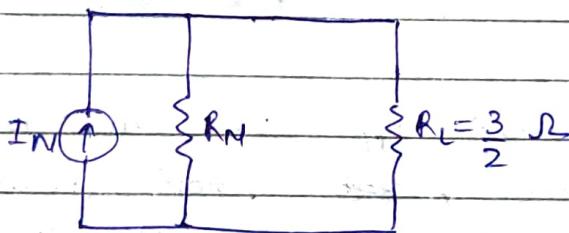
Hence, the current through 1Ω resistor is 0.406A.

Two Questions Using Norton's Theorem

(1.2) Example 10.8 :- Find the current flowing through resistor R_L in the network shown in fig.



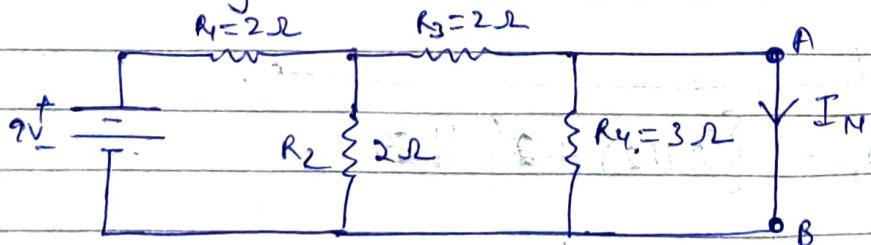
The Norton's Equivalent Circuit for the given network will be



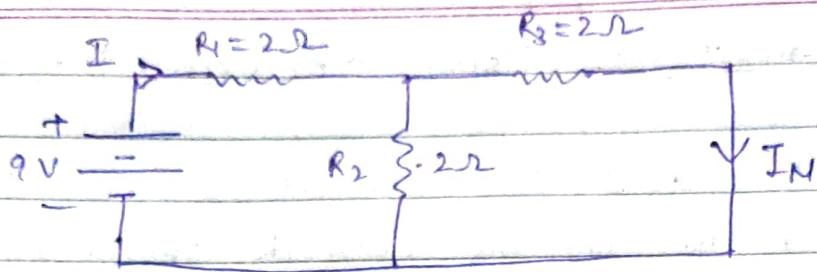
To find I_N , we have to short circuit the load resistance and find the current in that branch.

The current is I_N .

Short-circuiting the load resistance



The resistance R_4 is short-circuited and no-current will flow through it. So, we can remove R_4 .

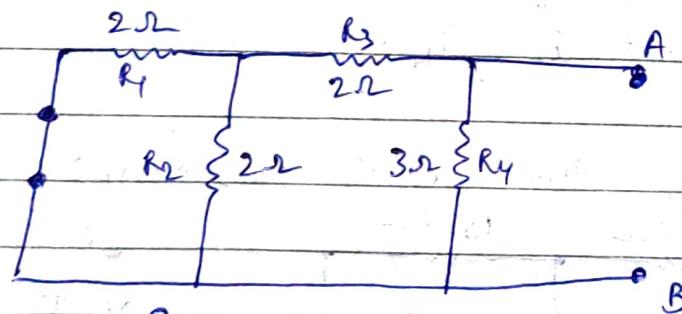


The current supplied by 9V source to the circuit is I .

$$I = \frac{9}{(2+2)+2} = \frac{9}{6} = 3 \text{ A}$$

∴ current $I_N = \frac{3 \times 2}{4} = \frac{3}{2} \text{ A}$ (using current division)

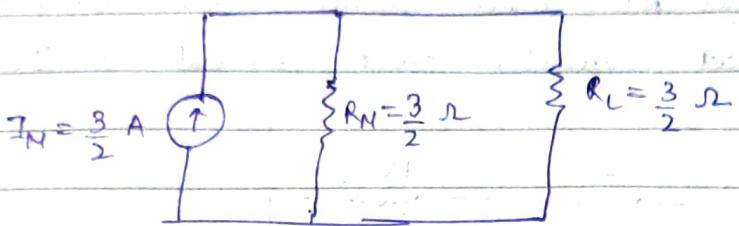
Now, to find R_N , we have to open circuit the load, ~~and~~ short circuit the voltage source and open circuit the current sources. The equivalent resistance between A and B afterwards is R_N .



$$R_N = \{(2+2)+2\} || 3$$

$$= \{1+2\} || 3 = \frac{3}{2} \Omega$$

So, the Norton's equivalent circuit is



the current (I_L) through R_L is given by

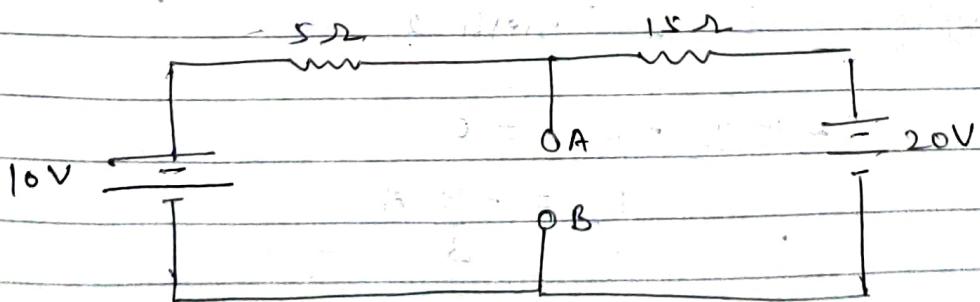
$$I_L = \frac{(I_N)(R_N)}{(R_N + R_L)} \quad (\text{Using current division})$$

$$I_L = \frac{\frac{3}{2} \times \frac{3}{2}}{\frac{3}{2} + \frac{3}{2}} = \frac{\frac{9}{4}}{3} = \frac{9}{12}$$

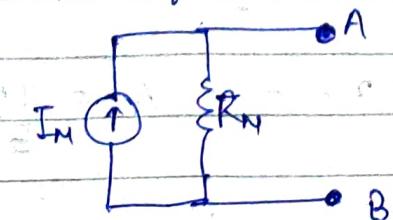
$$I_L = 0.75 \text{ A}$$

Hence, the current through R_L is 0.75 A.

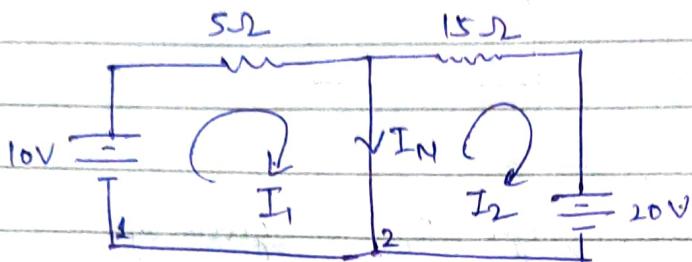
(1.2) Example 10.6:- Obtain the Norton's equivalent circuit w.r.t the terminals AB for the network shown in figure



The Norton's equivalent for given circuit is



To find I_N , we have to short circuit the load AB and find the current in that branch, that current is I_N only.



Let the current in mesh 1 and mesh 2 be I_1 and I_2 respectively & direction is clockwise.

KVL states that the algebraic sum of all the voltages in a mesh is zero.

Applying KVL in mesh 1,

$$+10 - 5I_1 = 0$$

$$I_1 = 2 \text{ A}$$

Applying KVL in mesh 2,

$$-15I_2 - 20 = 0$$

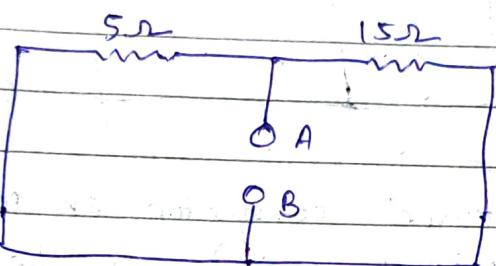
$$I_2 = -\frac{4}{3} \text{ A}$$

From the figure

$$I_N = I_1 - I_2$$

$$= 2 \text{ A} - \frac{4}{3} \text{ A} = \frac{10}{3} \text{ A}$$

To find R_N , we should open circuit the load and make all independent sources in active, and calculate net resistance of the circuit. The circuit then will be

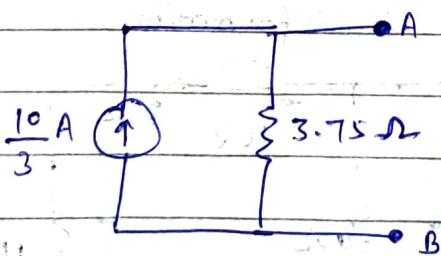


$$R_N = (5 \parallel 15)$$

$$= \frac{15 \times 5}{15 + 5} = \frac{15}{20} \Omega$$

$$\text{Hence } R_N = 3.75 \Omega$$

Hence, the Norton's equivalent circuit for the given circuit is

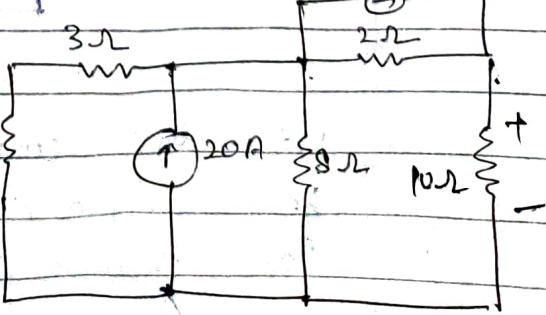


Two Questions Using Source Transformation

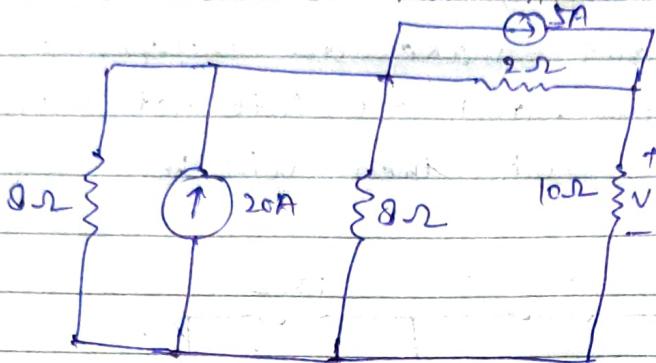
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Determine the voltage v in

the circuit, using source transformation technique.



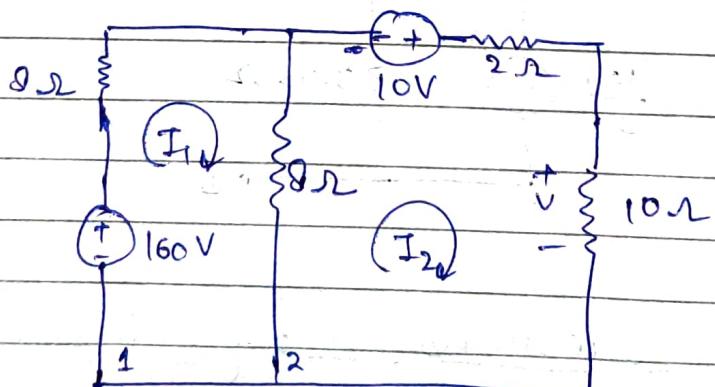
The circuit can be redrawn as



The 8Ω resistance connected in parallel with 20A source (to left of it) can be converted to a voltage source of voltage $20 \times 8 = 160\text{V}$ with 8Ω resistance in series with it.

Similarly, the 5A current source in parallel with 2Ω resistance can be transformed to a voltage source of $5 \times 2 = 10\text{V}$ in series with 2Ω resistance.

The circuit after transformation is shown below.



Let the current in mesh 1 and 2 be I_1 and I_2 in clockwise direction.
(as shown in fig.)

According to KVL, the ^{algebraic} sum of all the voltages in a loop is zero.

Applying KVL in mesh 1

$$-8I_1 - 8(I_1 - I_2) + 160 = 0$$

$$-16I_1 + 8I_2 = -160$$

$$2I_1 - I_2 = 20$$

—(I)

Applying KVL in mesh 2

$$10 - 2I_2 - 10I_2 - 8(I_2 - I_1) = 0$$

$$8I_1 - 20I_2 = -10$$

$$4I_1 - 10I_2 = -5$$

—(II)

Multiplying eq ⁿ (I) by 2

$$4I_1 - 2I_2 = 40$$

—(III)

Subtracting (II) from (III),

$$8I_2 = 45$$

$$I_2 = \frac{45}{8} A$$

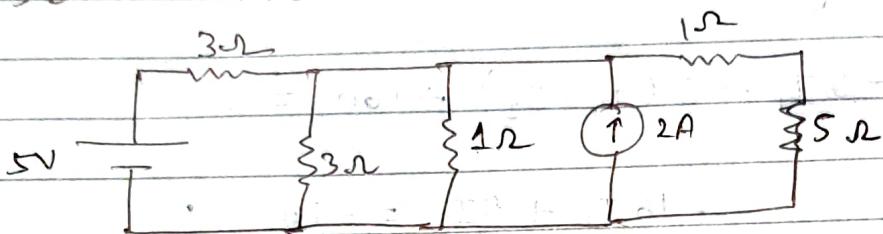
The voltage across 10Ω resistor (V) is

$$V = (10) I_2$$

$$V = \frac{10 \times 45}{8} = \frac{225}{4} = 56.25 V$$

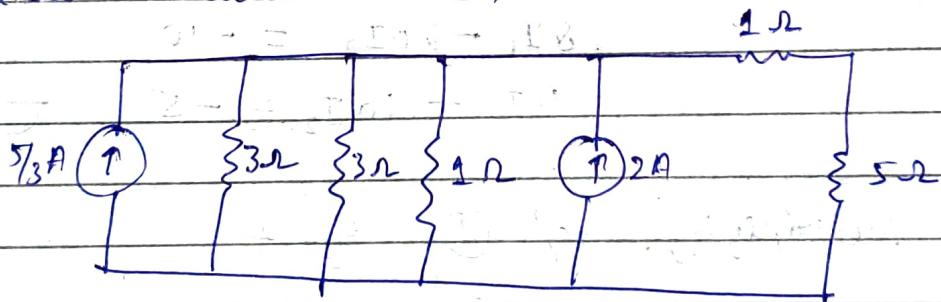
Hence, the required voltage is 56.25 V.

(1.1) Example 3.14 Find the current flowing through 5Ω resistor.



The 3Ω resistor and 5V source in series can be transformed into a current source of $5/3$ A with 3Ω resistor in parallel.

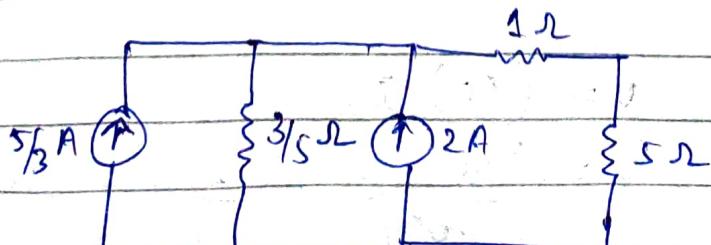
The circuit would then be,



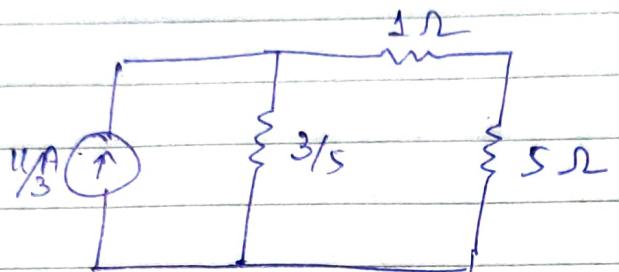
As the resistors 3Ω , 3Ω and 1Ω are in parallel, they can be replaced by req resistance.

$$req = \left(\frac{1}{3} \parallel \frac{1}{3} \parallel \frac{1}{1} \right) = \frac{3}{5} \Omega$$

the circuit now reduces to



The two current sources are supplying current in same direction, hence they can be added.



the current i through the 5Ω resistor is

$$i = \frac{\frac{11}{3} \times \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)}{\frac{3}{5} + (1+5)} \quad (\text{Using current division})$$

$$i = \frac{\frac{11}{3}}{\frac{33}{5}} = \frac{1}{3} \text{ A}$$

Hence, the current through 5Ω resistor is $\frac{1}{3} \text{ A}$.