

Circuit Analysis and Design

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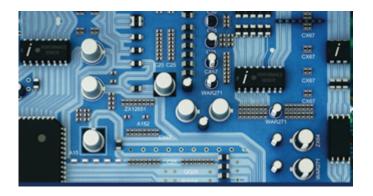
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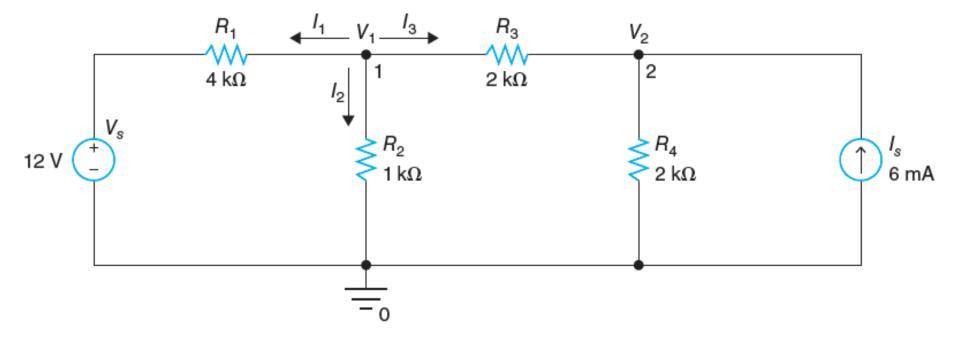


Introduction

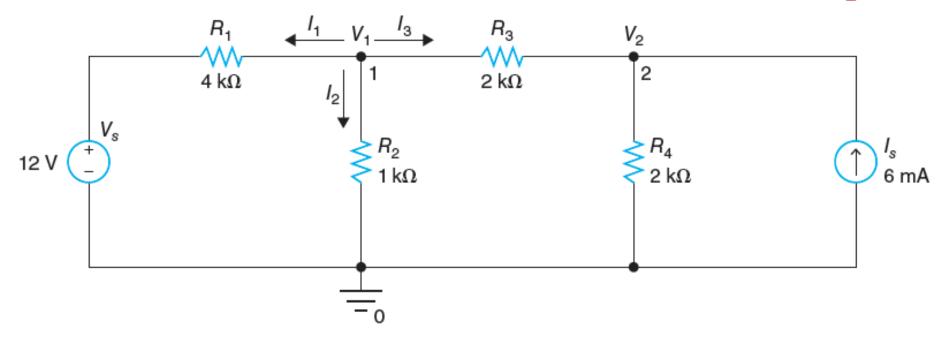
- In this chapter, systematic approaches to analyze electric circuits are presented. The approaches refer to nodal analysis and mesh analysis. These two analysis methods can be universally applied in solving circuit problems.
- Nodal analysis is a method of finding all unknown node voltages of a circuit. The method is based on Kirchhoff's current law (KCL).
- In a special case, if there is a voltage source connecting two nodes, we can form a supernode by first excluding the voltage source, and then write the sum of currents that are leaving its two node-voltage terminals.
- Mesh analysis is a method of finding all unknown mesh currents of a circuit, and is based on Kirchhoff's voltage law (KVL).
- If there is a current source between two meshes, we can form a supermesh consisting of two meshes.

Nodal Analysis

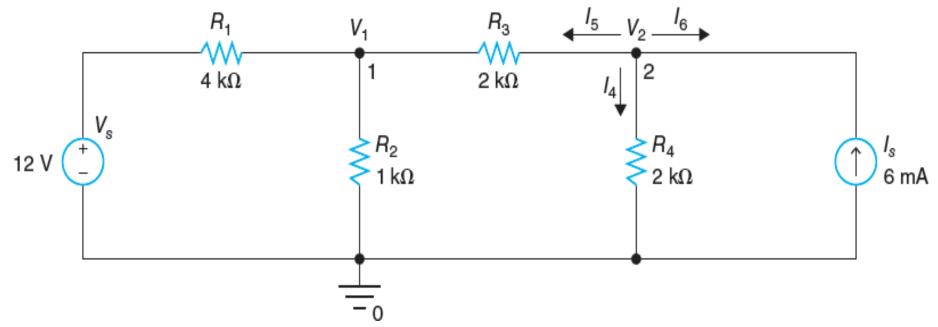
- Nodal analysis is a method of finding all the unknown node voltages of a circuit.
- The method is based on Kirchhoff's current law (KCL): The sum of the currents leaving a node is zero.
- Nodes can be labeled 1, 2, 3, . . . , or a, b, c, . . . (0 can be used for the reference node), and voltages on these nodes can be labeled V_1 , V_2 , V_3 , . . . , or V_a , V_b , V_c , . . .
- The node voltage of a reference node (0 V) and nodes with specified voltage sources to a reference node are known.
- For each node whose voltage is unknown, we can write a node-voltage equation by summing the currents leaving (entering, or some entering and the rest leaving) the node. This is tantamount to writing KCL at each node.
- The currents leaving the node through resistors can be found by applying Ohm's law.
- A solution to the node voltages is obtained by solving the set of node-voltage equations.
- Once all the node voltages are computed, the current in each branch can be found using Ohm's law.



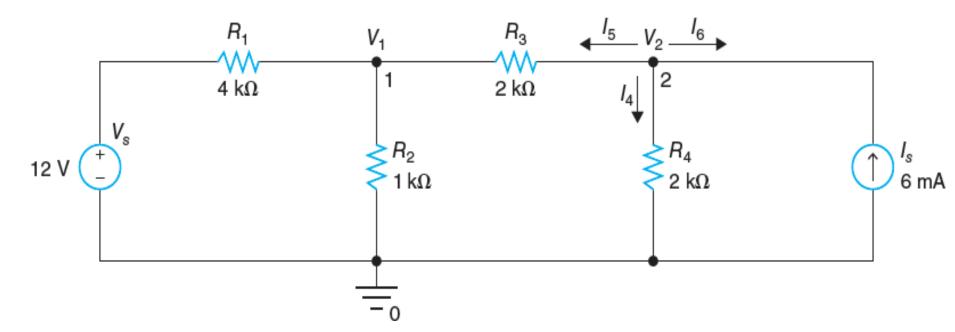
- In the circuit shown below, the voltage V₁ at node 1 and the voltage V₂ at node 2 are unknown.
- Three branches are connected to node 1. The currents leaving node 1 through these branches are labeled as I_1 , I_2 , and I_3 . According to KCL, the sum of currents leaving node 1 is zero, that is, $I_1 + I_2 + I_3 = 0$. We are trying to find node voltages. We have to represent these three currents as a function of unknown node voltages V_1 and V_2 .



- The voltage across R₁ from right to left is V₁ V_s. According to Ohm's law, the current I₁ is given by (V₁ V_s)/R₁. The voltage across R₂ from top to bottom is V₁ 0. According to Ohm's law, the current I₂ is given by (V₁ 0)/R₂. The voltage across R₃ from left to right is V₁ V₂. According to Ohm's law, the current I₃ is given by (V₁ V₂)/R₃.
- The equation $I_1 + I_2 + I_3 = 0$ can be written: $\frac{V_1 V_s}{R_1} + \frac{V_1}{R_2} + \frac{V_1 V_2}{R_3} = 0$ (1)



- Three branches are connected to node 2. The currents leaving node 2 through these branches are labeled as I₄, I₅, and I₆.
- According to KCL, the sum of currents leaving node 2 is zero, that is, $I_4 + I_5 + I_6 = 0$. We are trying to find node voltages. We have to represent these three currents as a function of unknown node voltages V_1 and V_2 .



- The voltage across R_4 from top to bottom is $V_2 0$. According to Ohm's law, the current I_4 is given by $(V_2 - 0)/R_4$. The voltage across R_3 from right to left is $V_2 - V_1$. According to Ohm's law, the current I_5 is given by $(V_2 - V_1)/R_3$. Notice that $I_5 = -I_3$. The magnitude of current I_6 is identical to I_s , but flows in the opposite direction. Thus, $I_6 = -I_s$.

The equation
$$I_4 + I_5 + I_6 = 0$$
 can be written as $\frac{V_2}{R_4} + \frac{V_2 - V_1}{R_3} - I_s = 0$ (2)

$$\frac{V_1 - V_s}{R_1} + \frac{V_1}{R_2} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{R_3} = 0 (1) \frac{V_2}{R_4} + \frac{V_2 - V_1}{R_3} - I_s = 0 (2)$$

• Substituting component values to Equations (1), we obtain

$$\frac{V_1 - 12}{4000} + \frac{V_1}{1000} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{2000} = 0 \tag{3}$$

Multiplying by 4000 in every term of Equation (3), we get

$$V_1 - 12 + 4V_1 + 2V_1 - 2V_2 = 0$$

which can be simplified to

$$7V_1 - 2V_2 = 12 \tag{4}$$

$$\frac{V_1 - V_s}{R_1} + \frac{V_1}{R_2} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{R_3} = 0 (1) \frac{V_2}{R_4} + \frac{V_2 - V_1}{R_3} - I_s = 0 (2)$$

Substituting component values to Equation (2), we obtain

$$\frac{V_2}{2000} + \frac{V_2 - V_1}{2000} - 0.006 = 0 \tag{5}$$

Multiplying by 2000 in every term of Equation (5), we get

$$V_2 + V_2 - V_1 - 12 = 0$$

which can be rewritten as

$$-V_1 + 2V_2 = 12 (6)$$

- Solving Equation (6) for V_1 , we obtain $V_1 = 2V_2 12$ (7)
- Substituting Equation (7) into Equation (4), we get $7(2V_2 12) 2V_2 = 12 \Rightarrow 12V_2 = 96$
- Thus, $V_2 = 8 \text{ V}$
- From Equation (7), we obtain $V_1 = 4 \text{ V}$

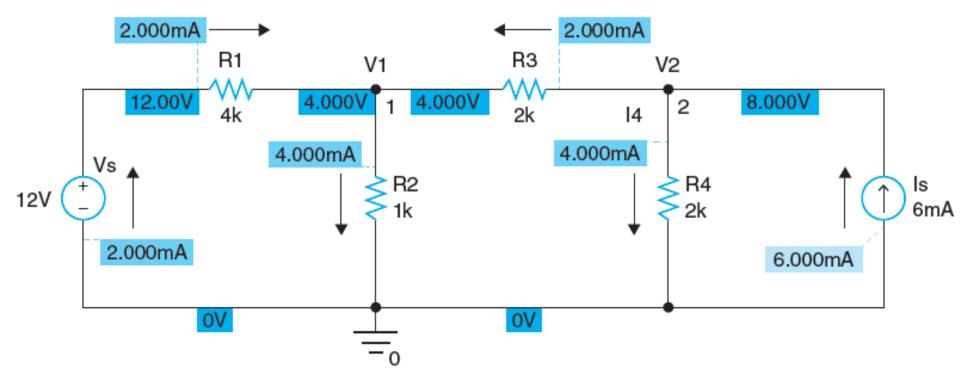
A Circuit with Two Unknown Node **Voltages (Continued)**

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$$7V_1 - 2V_2 = 12$$
 (4)

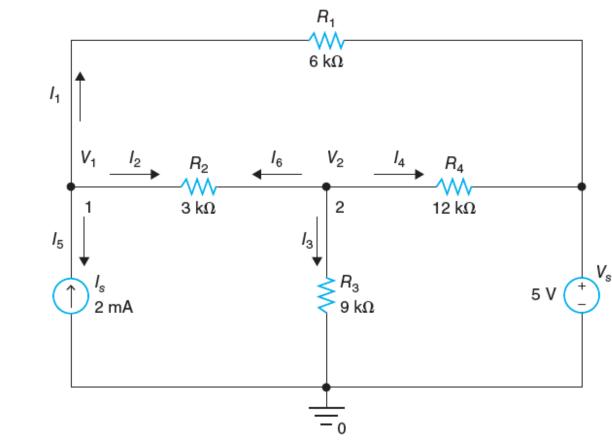
•
$$7V_1 - 2V_2 = 12$$
 (4)
• $-V_1 + 2V_2 = 12$ (6)

 Equations (4) and (6) can be put into matrix form as

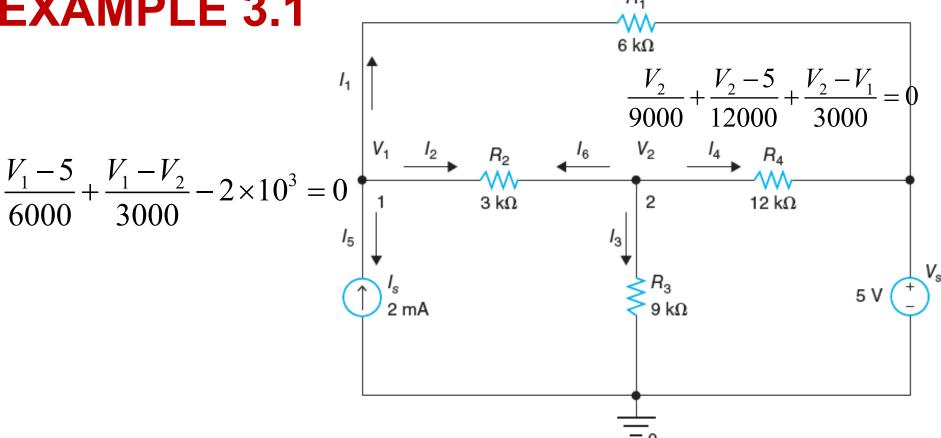
$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_1 \\ V_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix} \tag{8}$$



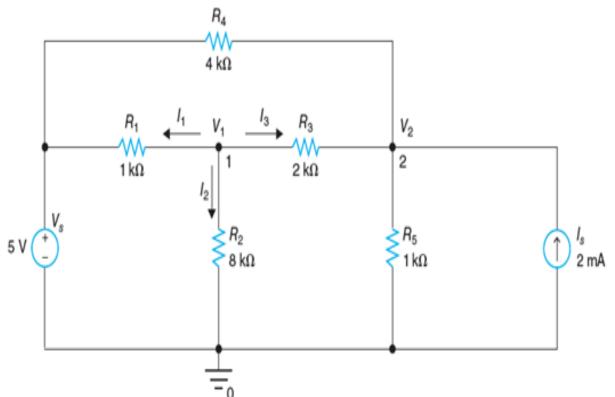
- The currents I_1 , I_2 , I_3 , I_4 , I_5 , and I_6 can be calculated from $V_1 = 4 \text{ V}$ and $V_2 = 8 \text{ V}$.
- $I_1 = (V_1 V_s)/R_1 = (4 12)/4000 A = -0.002 A = -2 mA$
- $I_2 = (V_1 0)/R_2 = (4 0)/1000 A = 0.004 A = 4 mA$
- $I_4 = (V_2 0)/R_4 = (8 0)/2000 A = 0.004 A = 4 mA$
- $I_5 = (V_2 V_1)/R_3 = (8 4)/2000 A = 0.002 A = 2 mA$
- $I_6 = -I_s = -0.006 A = -6 mA$
- The actual positive direction of current is shown in the PSpice simulation here:
- In PSpice, the label of current is connected to the terminal of the part where current enters the part.



- Find V_1 and V_2 at node 1,
- $I_1 + I_2 + I_5 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{V_1 5}{6000} + \frac{V_1 V_2}{3000} 2 \times 10^3 = 0$
- Multiply by 6000: $V_1 5 + 2V_1 2V_2 12 = 0 \Rightarrow$
- $3V_1 2V_2 = 17$ At node 2, $I_3 + I_4 + I_6 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{V_2}{9000} + \frac{V_2 5}{12000} + \frac{V_2 V_1}{3000} = 0$



- Multiply by 36000: $4V_2 + 3V_2 15 + 12V_2 12V_1 = 0 \Rightarrow -12V_1 + 19V_2 = 15$ (2)
- Multiply Equation $3V_1 2V_2 = 17$ by 4: $12V_1 8V_2 = 68$
- Add Equations (2) and (3): $11V_2 = 83 \rightarrow V_2 = 83/11 = 7.5455 V$
- From Equation (1): $V_1 = (2V_2 + 17)/3 = 10.6970 \text{ V}$

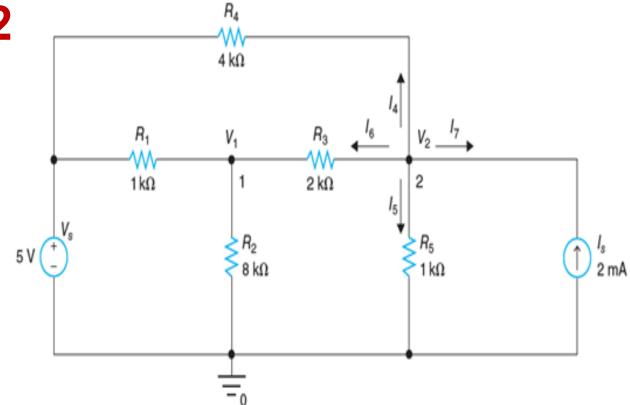


Find V₁ and V₂

• At node 1,
$$I_1 + I_2 + I_3 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{V_1 - 5}{1000} + \frac{V_1}{8000} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{2000} = 0$$

• Multiply by 8000: $8V_1 - 40 + V_1 + 4V_1 - 4V_2 = 0 \Rightarrow$

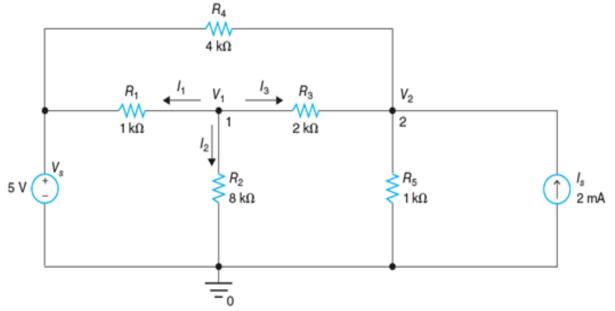
•
$$13V_1 - 4V_2 = 40$$
 (1)



• At node 2,
$$I_4 + I_5 + I_6 + I_7 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{V_2 - 5}{4000} + \frac{V_2}{1000} + \frac{V_2 - V_1}{2000} - 0.002 = 0$$

• Multiply by 4000:
$$V_2 - 5 + 4V_2 + 2V_2 - 2V_1 - 8 = 0 \Rightarrow$$

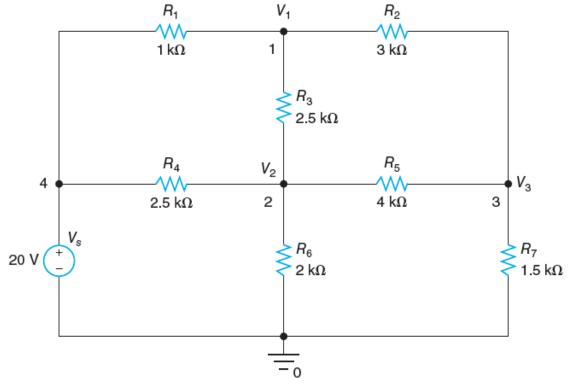
- $2V_1 + 7V_2 = 13$ (2)



- At node 1, $13V_1 4V_2 = 40$ (1)
- At node 2, $-2V_1 + 7V_2 = 13$ (2)
- Solve (1) for $V_2 \rightarrow V_2 = 3.25V_1 10$ (3)
- Substitute (3) into (2): $-2V_1 + 7(3.25V_1 10) = 13$
- $20.75V_1 = 83$, $V_1 = 4 V$
- From Equation (3), $V_2 = 3 V$

- Find V₁, V₂, V₃
- Sum the currents at node 1:

$$\frac{V_1 - 20}{1000} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{2500} + \frac{V_1 - V_3}{3000} = 0$$



• Multiply by 15000:

$$15V_1 - 300 + 6V_1 - 6V_2 + 5V_1 - 5V_3 = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$26V_1 - 6V_2 - 5V_3 = 300 \tag{1}$$

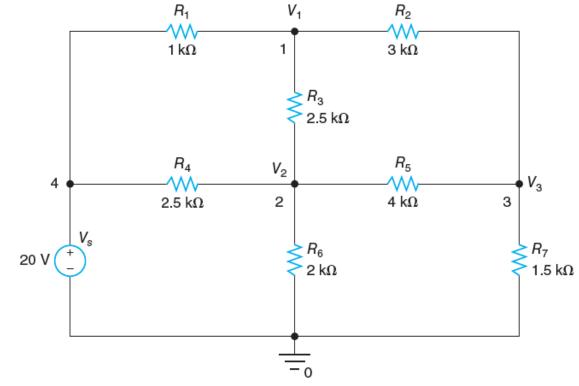
- Sum the currents leaving node 2 $\Rightarrow \frac{V_2 20}{2500} + \frac{V_2 V_1}{2500} + \frac{V_2 V_3}{4000} + \frac{V_2}{2000} = 0$
- Multiply by 20000: $8V_2 160 + 8V_2 8V_1 + 5V_2 5V_3 + 10V_2 = 0 \Rightarrow -8V_1 + 31V_2 5V_3 = 160$ (2)

Sum the currents leaving node 3:
$$\frac{V_3 - V_1}{3000} + \frac{V_3 - V_2}{4000} + \frac{V_3}{1500} = 0$$

Multiply by 12000:

$$4V_3 - 4V_1 + 3V_3 - 3V_2 + 8V_3 = 0 \Rightarrow -4V_1 - 3V_2 + 15V_3 = 0$$
 (3)

- Multiply (1) $(26V_1 6V_2 5V_3 = 300)$ by $3 \rightarrow 78V_1 18V_2 15V_3 = 900$ (4)
- Add (3) and (4) \rightarrow 74V₁ 21V₂ = 900 (5)
- Multiply (2) $(-8V_1 + 31V_2 5V_3 = 160)$ by $3: -24V_1 + 93V_2 15V_3 = 480$ (6)
- Add (3) and (6): $-28V_1 + 90V_2 = 480$ (7)



- Multiply (5) $(74V_1 21V_2 = 900)$ by $30 \rightarrow 2220V_1 630V_2 = 27000$ (8)
- Multiply (7) $(-28V_1 + 90V_2 = 480)$ by $7 \rightarrow -196V_1 + 630V_2 = 3360$ (9)
- Add (8) and (9) \rightarrow 2024V₁ = 30360 \rightarrow V₁ = 15 V (11)
- Substitute (11) in (8) \rightarrow $V_2 = (2220V_1 27000)/630 = 10 V (12)$
- Substitute (11) and (12) in (1) \rightarrow $V_3 = (26V_1 6V_2 300)/5 = 6 V$

- Find V₁ and V₂
- At node 1:

$$\frac{V_1 - 3}{500} + \frac{V_1 - V_2}{100} - 0.002V_1 + \frac{V_1}{1000} = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{-0}$$
Multiply by $1000 \implies 2V_1 - 6 + 10V_1 - 10V_2 - 2V_1 + V_1 = 0 = 0$

- Multiply by $1000 \Rightarrow 2V_1 6 + 10V_1 10V_2 2V_1 + V_1 = 0 \Rightarrow$ $11V_1 - 10V_2 = 6$ (1)
- Sum the currents leaving node 2: $\frac{V_2 V_1}{100} + 0.002V_1 + \frac{V_2}{1000} = 0$
- Multiply by $1000 \rightarrow 10V_2 10V_1 + 2V_1 + V_2 = 0 \Rightarrow$ $-8V_1 + 11V_2 = 0$ (2)

At node 1,
 11V₁ - 10V₂ = 6 (1
 At node 2,

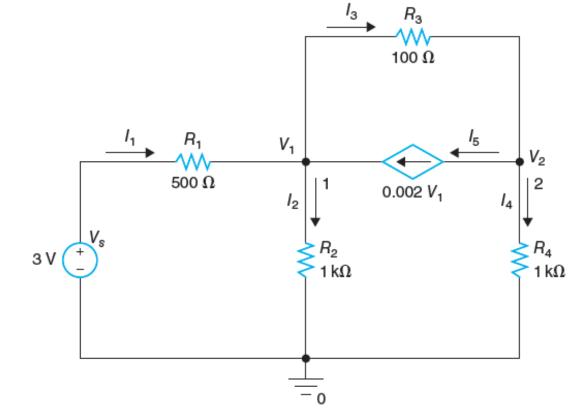
 $-8V_1 + 11V_2 = 0$

• Multiply (1) by 8 \rightarrow 88V₁ - 80V₂ = 48 (3)

(2)

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- Multiply (2) by $11 \rightarrow -88V_1 + 121V_2 = 0$ (4)
- Add (3) and (4) \rightarrow 41 $V_2 = 48 \rightarrow V_2 = 1.1707 V$
- From (2), $V_1 = (11/8)V_2 = 1.6098 V$



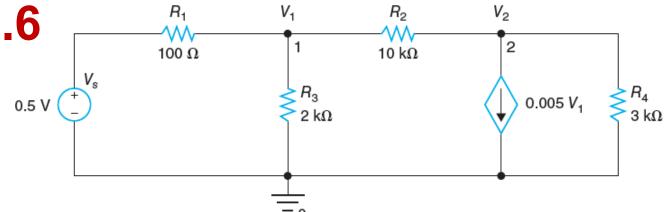
- Currents:
- $I_1 = (V_s V_1)/R_1 = 2.7805 \text{ mA}$
- $I_2 = V_1/R_2 = 1.6098 \text{ mA}$
- $I_3 = (V_1 V_2)/R_3 = 4.3902 \text{ mA}$
- $I_4 = V_2/R_4 = 1.1707 \text{ mA}$
- $I_5 = 0.002V_1 = 3.2195 \text{ mA}$

- Find V₁ and V₂
- Sum the currents leaving node 1:

$$\frac{V_1 - 1.5}{1000} + \frac{V_1}{10000} + \frac{V_1 - (-2000V_1)}{2100} = 0$$

- Multiply by 21000 \Rightarrow 21V₁ 31.5 + 2.1V₁ + 10V₁ + 20000V₁ = 0 \Rightarrow 20033.1V₁ = 31.5 \Rightarrow V₁ = 1.5724 mV
- $I_3 = [V_1 (-2000V_1)]/2100 = 1.4982mA$

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$$V_2 = V_1 - R_2 I_3 = -2.9949 V$$



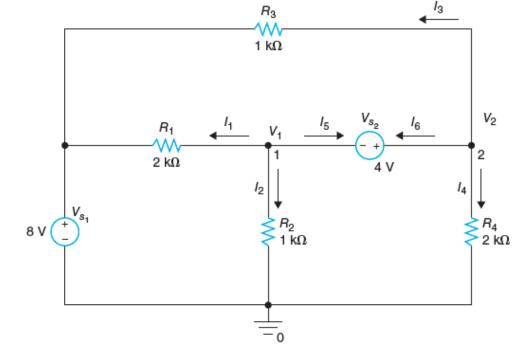
- Find V_1 and V_2 .
- Sum the currents leaving node 1: $\frac{V_1 0.5}{100} + \frac{V_1}{2000} + \frac{V_1 V_2}{10000} = 0$
- Multiply by $10000 \rightarrow 100V_1 50 + 5V_1 + V_1 V_2 = 0 \Rightarrow 106V_1 V_2 = 50 \Rightarrow$
- $V_2 = 106V_1 50$ (1)
- Sum the currents leaving node 2: $\frac{V_2 V_1}{10000} + 0.005V_1 + \frac{V_2}{3000} = 0$
- Multiply by $30000 \rightarrow 3V_2 3V_1 + 150V_1 + 10V_2 = 0 \rightarrow 147V_1 + 13V_2 = 0$ (2)
- Substitute (1) in (2) \rightarrow 147V₁ + 13(106V₁ 50) = 0 \rightarrow 1525V₁ = 650 \Rightarrow
- $V_1 = 0.42623 \text{ V}$
- $V_2 = 106V_1 50 = -4.8197 \text{ V}$

- If there is a voltage source in a circuit between two nodes whose voltages are unknown, we do not know the current through the voltage source, and it is not possible to write the node equations for the two nodes that include the voltage source. In this case, combine the two nodes to form a supernode.
- We can then write the node equation for this supernode.
- One additional equation, commonly referred to as a constraint equation relating the two node voltages, can be obtained by representing the voltage source as a potential drop or as a potential rise between the two nodes.

Unknown currents I₅, I₆ ⁸

 through V_{s2}.

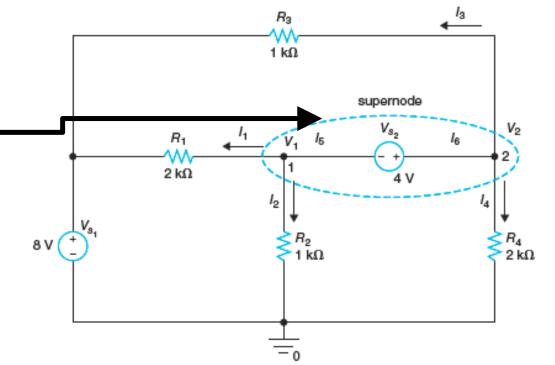
- The currents I_5 , I_6 flow in opposite direction. Thus, we have $I_6 = -I_5$.
- KCL at node 1 \rightarrow $I_1 + I_2 + I_5 = 0$ (1)
- KCL at node 2 \rightarrow $I_3 + I_4 + I_6 = I_3 + I_4 I_5 = 0$ (2)



- Adding (1) $(I_1 + I_2 + I_5 = 0)$ and $(I_3 + I_4 I_5 = 0)$ (2), • $I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 = 0$ (3)
- (3) is the sum of currents leaving nodes 1 and 2. Since I_5 + I_6 = 0, I_5 and I_6 are not included in the sum.
- Since V_2 is 4 V higher than V_1 , the constraint equation is given by $V_2 = V_1 + 4$ (4)

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- The supernode consisting of nodes 1 and 2
- $(I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 = 0)$ (3)
- $V_2 = V_1 + 4$ (4)



- When writing a node equation for a supernode, sum the currents leaving the supernode, ignoring currents inside the supernode.
- From (3), we have $\frac{V_1 8}{2000} + \frac{V_1}{1000} + \frac{V_2 8}{1000} + \frac{V_2}{2000} = 0$
- Multiply by 2000 \rightarrow $V_1 8 + 2V_1 + 2V_2 16 + V_2 = 0 <math>\Rightarrow$ $3V_1 + 3V_2 = 24$ (5)
- Substitute (4) in (5) \rightarrow 3V₁ + 3V₁ + 12 = 24 \Rightarrow 6V₁ = 12 \Rightarrow V₁ = 2 V (6)
- Substitute (6) in (4) → V₂ = 6 V

- Find V_1 , V_2 , and V_3 .
- Sum the currents leaving the supernode consisting of node 1 and node 2:

$$\frac{V_1 - 5}{1000} + \frac{V_1 - V_3}{5000} + \frac{V_2 - 5}{200} + \frac{V_2 - V_3}{2000} + \frac{V_2}{8000} = 0$$

• Multiply by 8000→

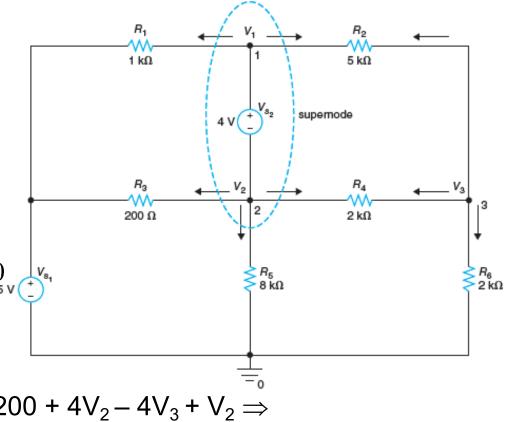
$$8V_1 - 40 + 1.6V_1 - 1.6V_3 + 40V_2 - 200 + 4V_2 - 4V_3 + V_2 \Rightarrow$$

$$9.6V_1 + 45V_2 - 5.6V_3 = 240 (1)$$

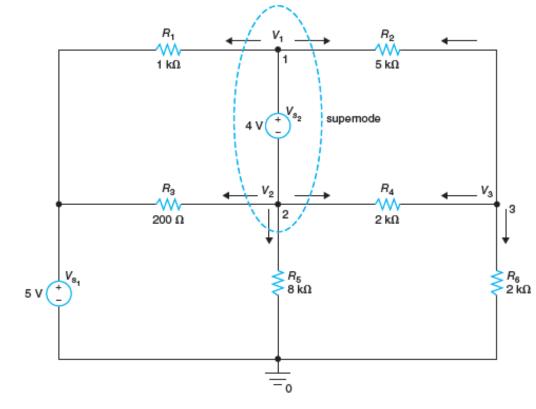
• Sum the currents leaving node 3: $\frac{V_3 - V_1}{5000} + \frac{V_3 - V_2}{2000} + \frac{V_3}{2000} = 0$

• Multiply by 10k
$$\Rightarrow$$
 2(V₃ - V₁)+5(V₃ - V₂)+5V₃=0 \Rightarrow - 2V₁ - 5V₂ + 12V₃ = 0 (2)

Constraint equation: $V_1 = V_2 + 4$ (3)



- $9.6V_1 + 45V_2 5.6V_3 = 240 (1)$
- $-2V_1 5V_2 + 12V_3 = 0$ (2)
- $V_1 = V_2 + 4$ (3)



• Substitute (3) in (1)
$$\rightarrow$$
 54.6V₂ – 5.6V₃ = 201.6 (4)

- Substitute (3) in (2) \rightarrow 7V₂ + 12V₃ = 8 (5)
- Solve (5) for $V_2 \rightarrow V_2 = (12/7)V_3 8/7$ (6)
- Substitute (6) in (4) \rightarrow 54.6[(12/7)V₃ 8/7] 5.6V₃ = 201.6 (7)
- Solve (7) for $V_3 \rightarrow V_3 = (201.6 + 54.6 \times 8/7)/(54.6 \times 12/7 5.6) = 3$ (8)
- Substitute (8) in (6) \rightarrow V₂ = 4 V (9)
- Substitute (9) in (3) \rightarrow V₁ = 8 V

- Find V₁, V₂, V₃.
- Constraint equation: $V_3 = V_2 + 7$ (1)
- Sum the currents leaving the supernode consisting of node 2 and node 3:

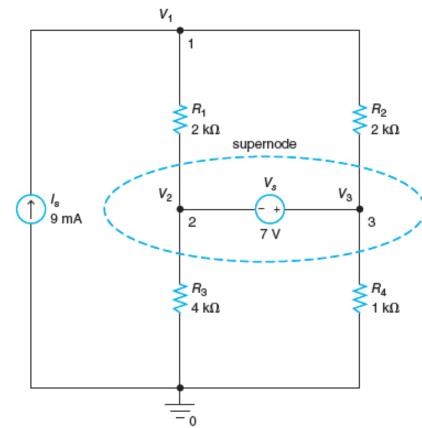
$$\frac{V_2 - V_1}{2000} + \frac{V_2}{4000} + \frac{V_3 - V_1}{2000} + \frac{V_3}{1000} = 0$$

Multiply by 4000 →

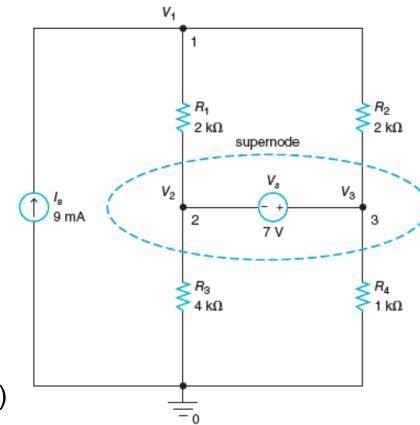
$$2V_2 - 2V_1 + V_2 + 2V_3 - 2V_1 + 4V_3 = 0 \Rightarrow$$

 $-4V_1 + 3V_2 + 6V_3 = 0 \Rightarrow -4V_1 + 3V_2 + 6(V_2 + 7) = 0$
 $-4V_1 + 9V_2 = -42$ (2)

- Sum the currents leaving node 1: $-0.009 + \frac{V_1 V_2}{2000} + \frac{V_1 V_3}{2000} = 0$
- Multiply by 2000 \rightarrow 2V₁ V₂ V₃ = 18 (3)



- $V_3 = V_2 + 7$ (1)
- $-4V_1 + 9V_2 = -42$ (2)
- $2V_1 V_2 V_3 = 18$ (3)
- Substitute (1) into (3) $2V_1 - V_2 - V_2 - 7 = 18$ $2V_1 - 2V_2 = 25$ (4)
- Multiply (4) by $2 \rightarrow 4V_1 4V_2 = 50$ (5)
- Add (2) and (5) \rightarrow 5V₂ = 8 \Rightarrow V₂ = 1.6 V,
- From (4) \rightarrow V₁ = V₂ + 12.5 = 14.1 V
- From (1) \rightarrow $V_3 = V_2 + 7 = 8.6 \text{ V}$



- Find V₁, V₂, V₃.
- Constraint $V_2 = V_3 + V_3/2 = 1.5V_3$ (1)
- Sum the currents leaving supernode:

$$\frac{V_2 - V_1}{1500} + \frac{V_2}{1000} + \frac{V_3 - V_1}{2000} + \frac{V_3}{2000} = 0$$

- Multiply by 6k → $4V_2 4V_1 + 6V_2 + 3V_3 3V_1 + 3V_3 = 0$ ⇒ $-7V_1 + 10V_2 + 6V_3 = 0$ ⇒ $-7V_1 + 10(1.5V_3) + 6V_3 = 0$ ⇒ $-7V_1 + 21V_3 = 0$ ⇒ $V_1 = 3V_3$ (2)
- Sum the currents leaving node 1: $-0.005 + \frac{V_1}{6000} + \frac{V_1 V_2}{1500} + \frac{V_1 V_3}{2000} = 0$
- Multiply by $6k \rightarrow V_1 + 4V_1 4V_2 + 3V_1 3V_3 = 30 \Rightarrow 8(3V_3) 4(1.5V_3) 3V_3 = 30$
- $V_3 = 30/15 = 2 V$
- $V_1 = 3V_3 = 6 \text{ V}, V_2 = 1.5V_3 = 3 \text{ V}$

supernode

Summary

- Node Analysis
- Supernode
- What will we study in next lecture.