

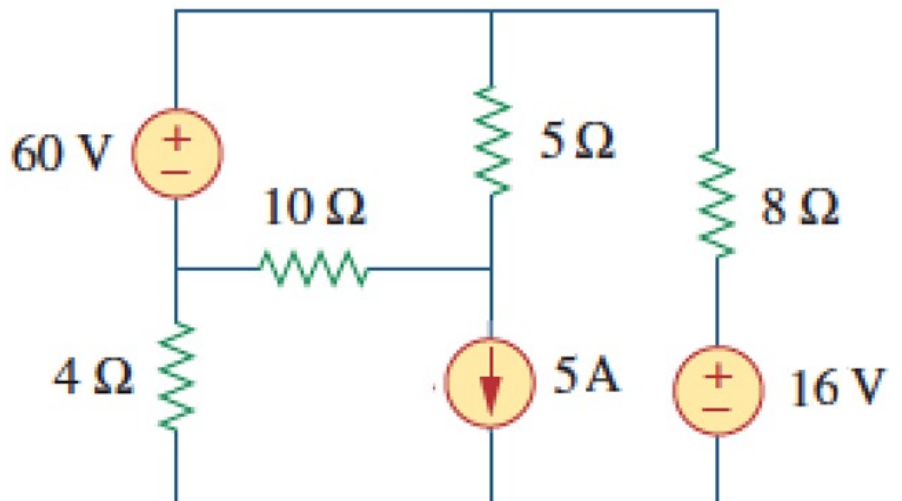
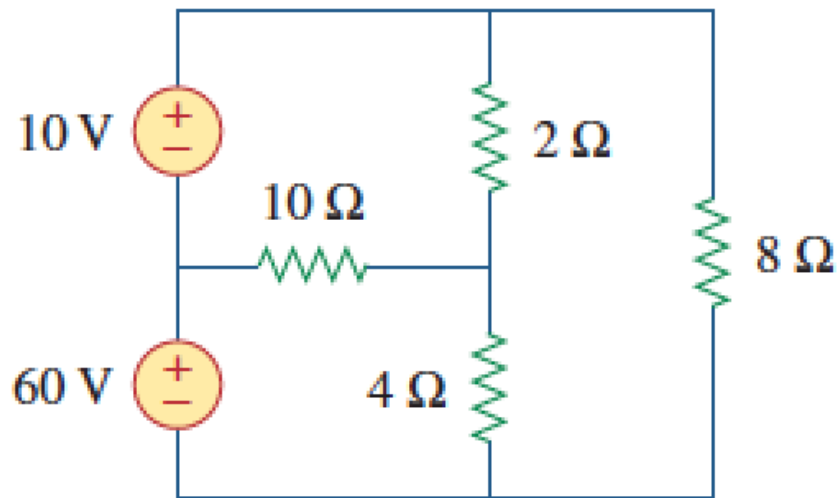
Lecture 12

Node Analysis – 5 of 7

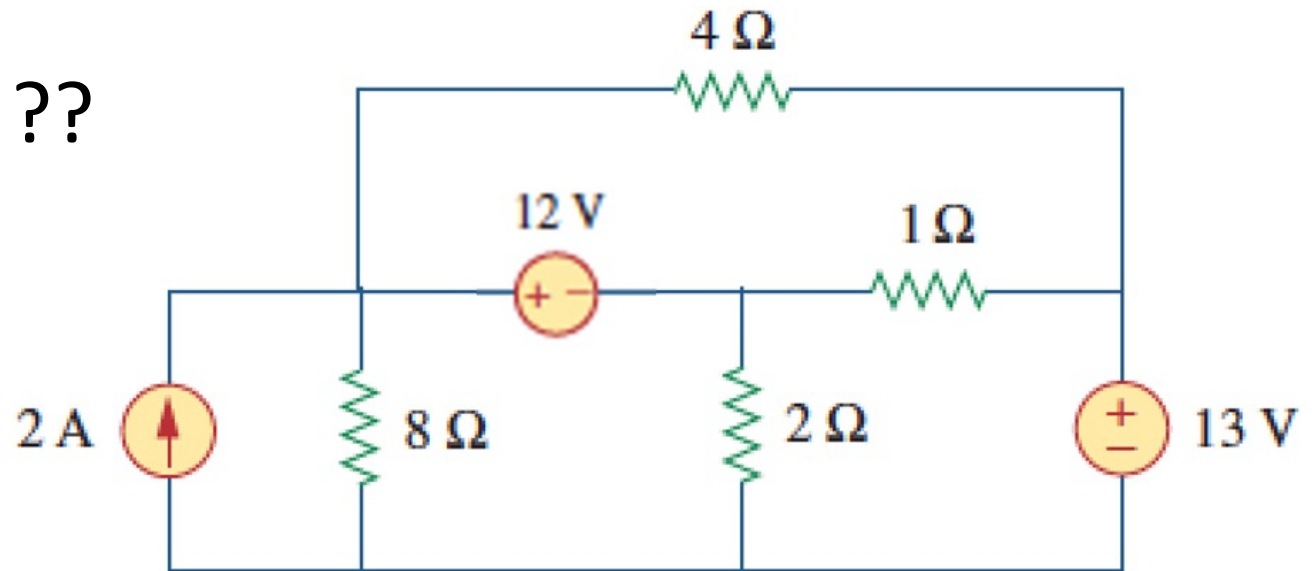
supernodes

Extension #4 – multiple V-only branches

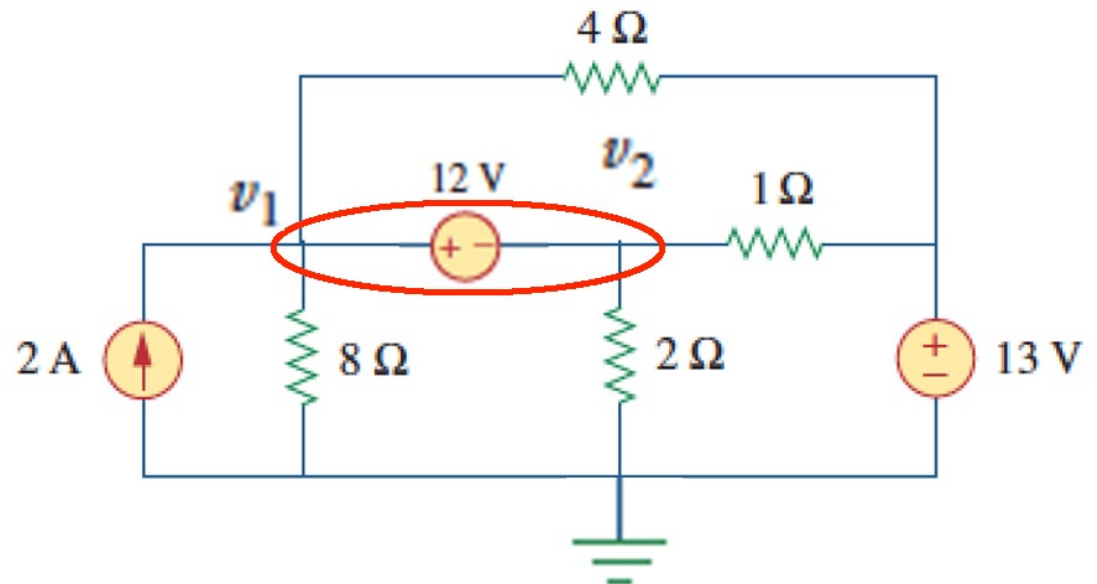
- There might be an obvious solution



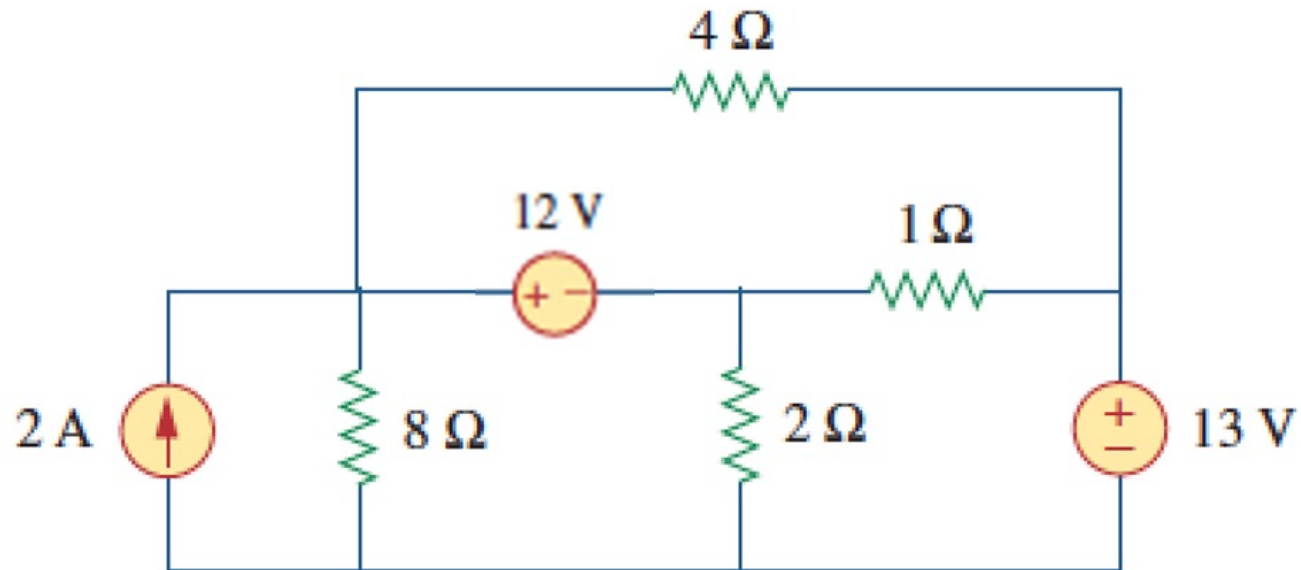
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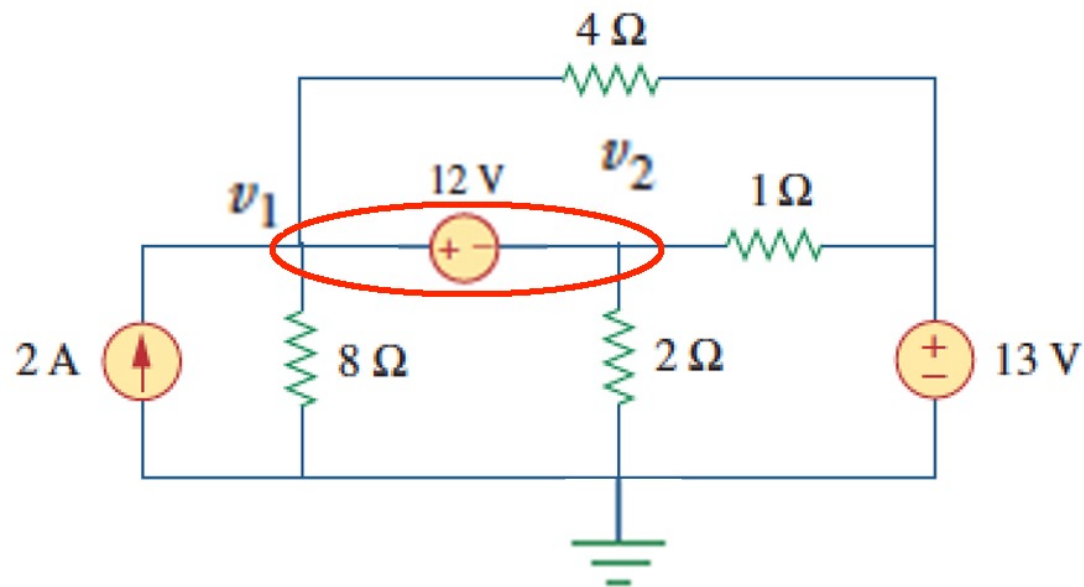


- Define a “supernode” (a cutset)
- Apply KCL on it
- Relate the voltages across it



Example (details on next slide)





Relate nodes:

$$v_2 = v_1 - 12$$

Node equation:

$$\frac{v_1}{8} - 2 + \frac{v_1 - 13}{4} + \frac{v_2 - 13}{1} + \frac{v_2}{2} = 0$$

$$3v_1 + 12(v_1 - 12) = 146$$

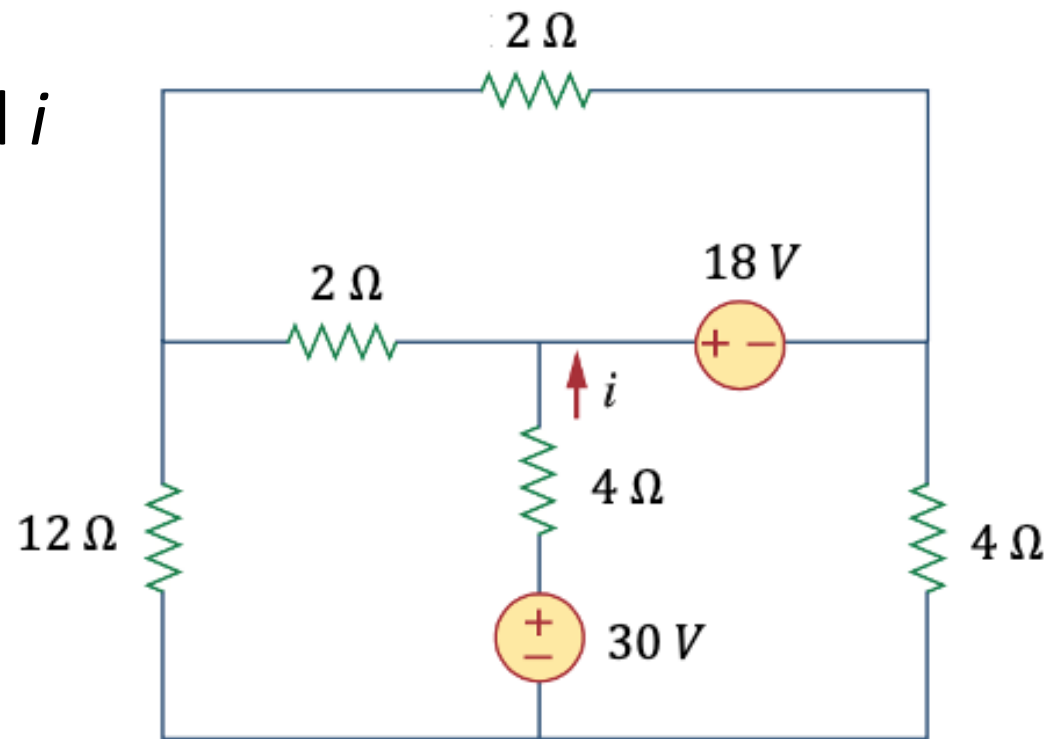
$$3v_1 + 12v_2 = 146$$

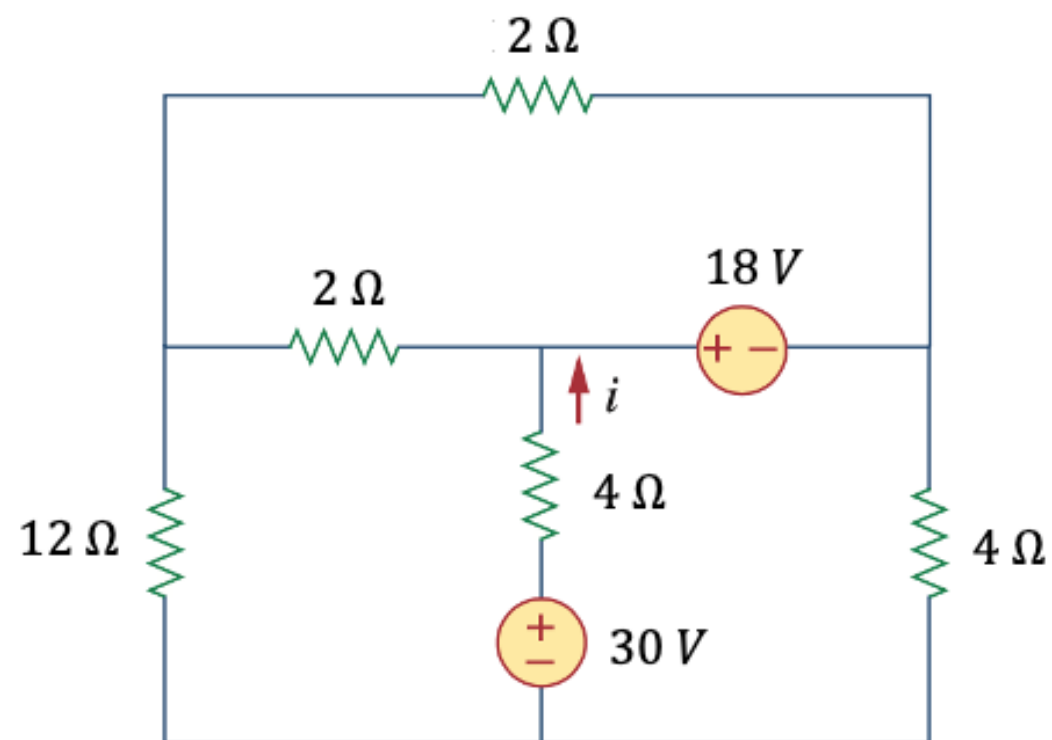
$$15v_1 = 290$$

$$v_1 = 19\frac{1}{3}$$

$$v_2 = 7\frac{1}{3}$$

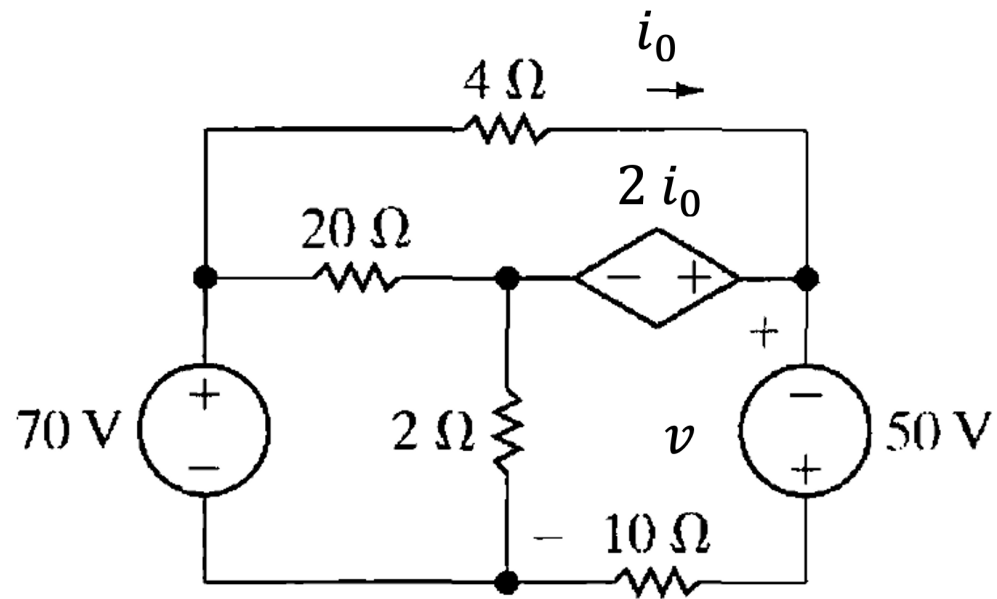
Example: find i

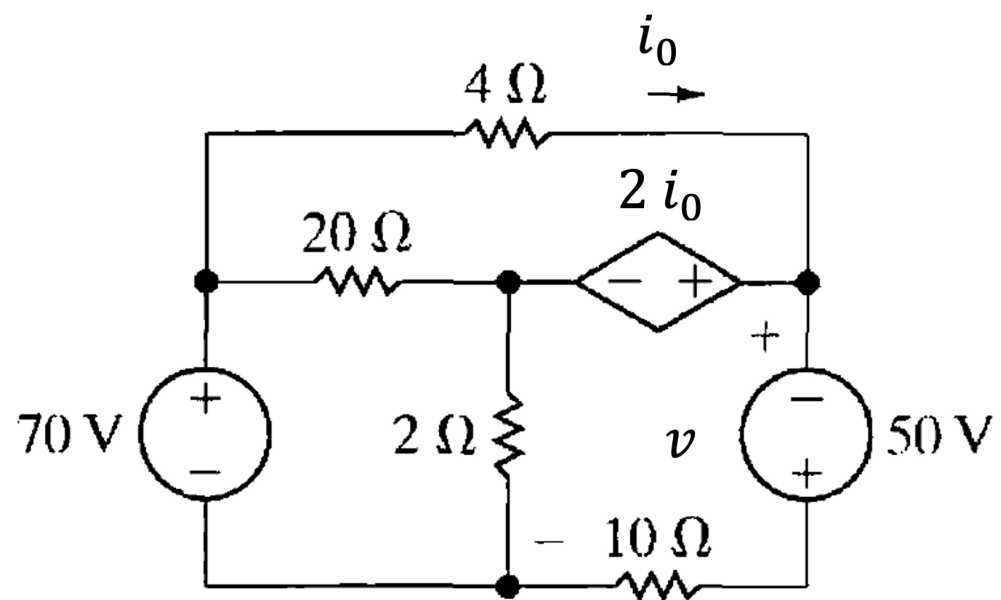




$$i = 2\text{ A}$$

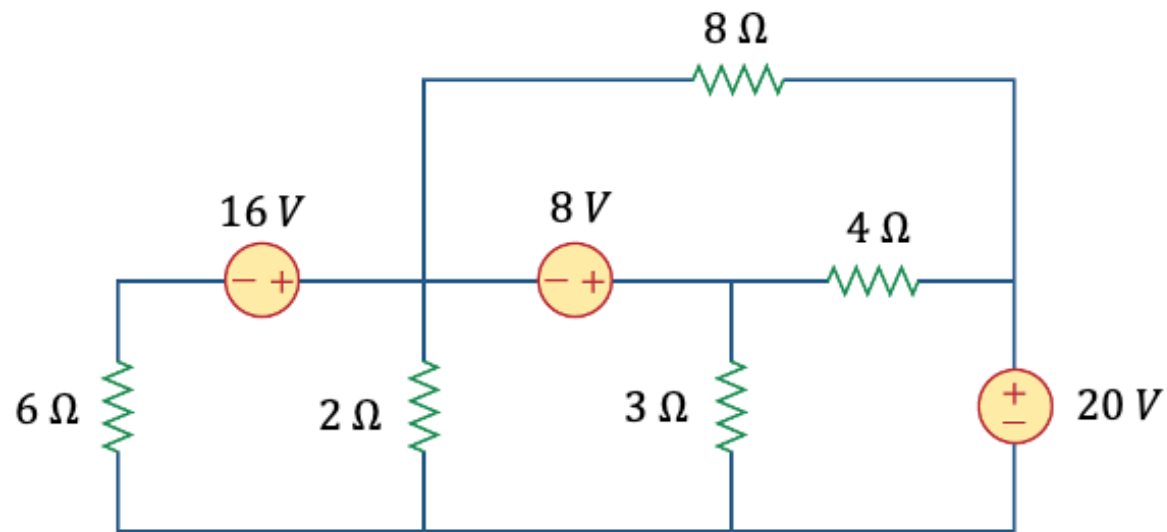
Example: find v





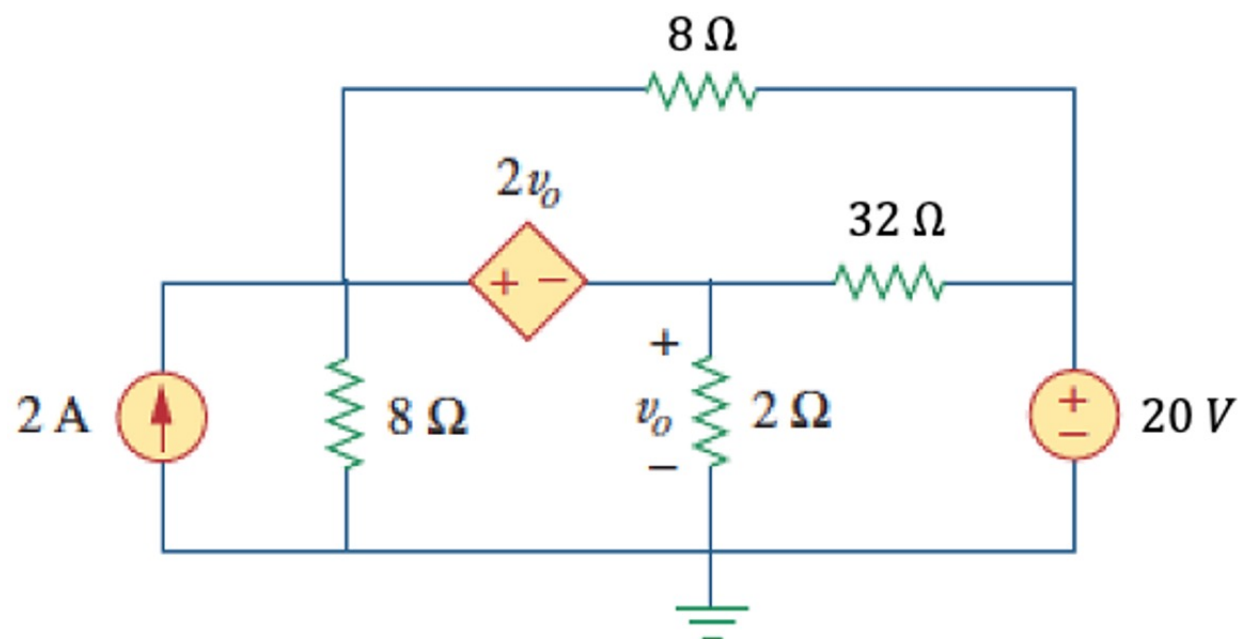
$$v = 30\text{ V}$$

Practice problem: find the power of the $3\ \Omega$ resistor



$$v_o =$$

Practice problem: find v_o



$$v_o =$$

Practice problem : find v_o

