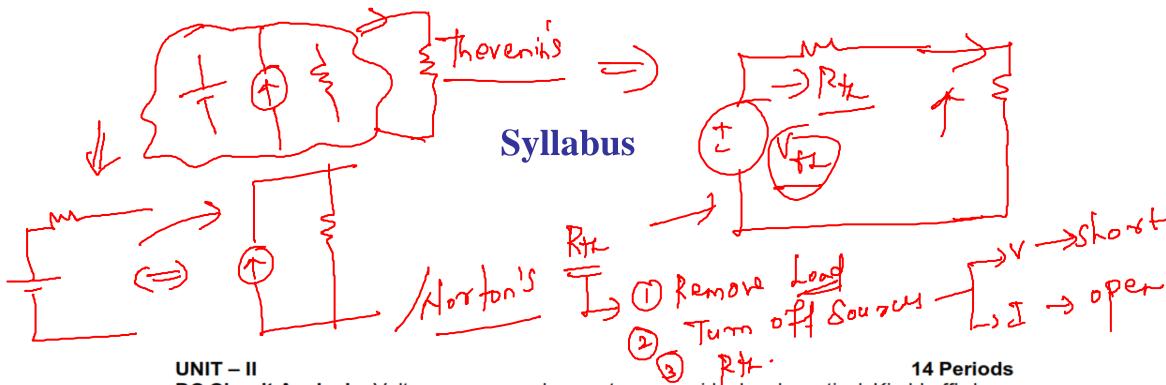
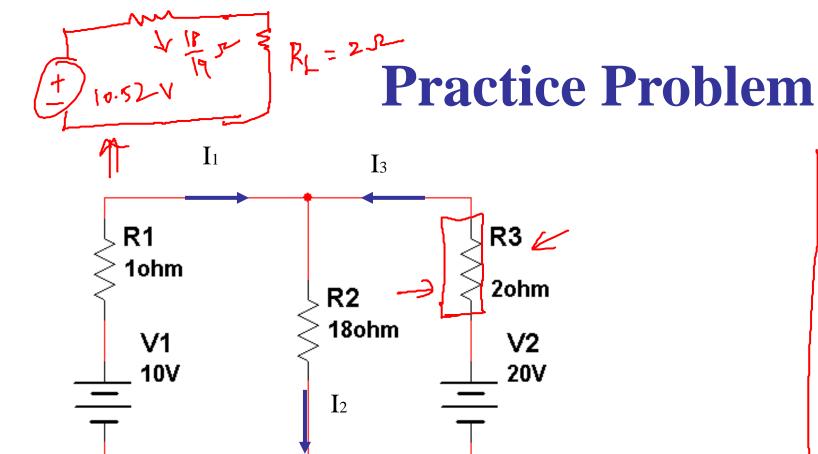
Unit - II

2.8 Norton's theorem and Maximum Power Transfer Theorem

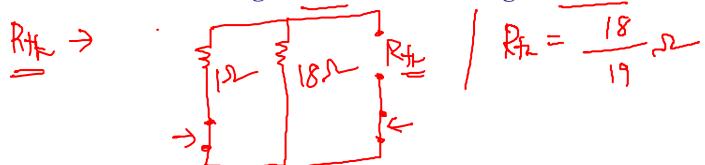


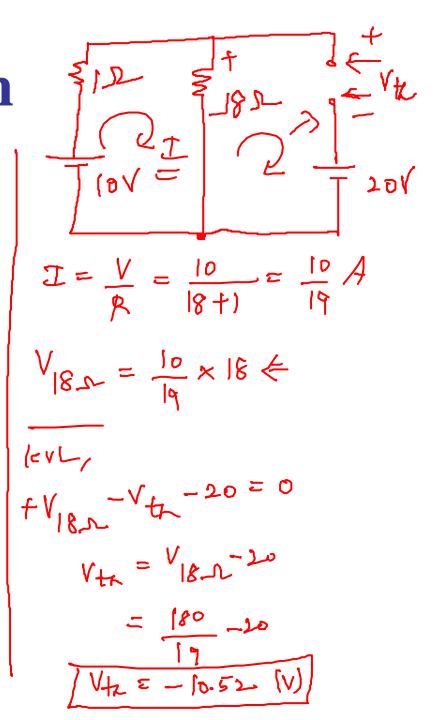
DC Circuit Analysis: Voltage source and current sources, ideal and practical, Kirchhoff's laws and applications to network solutions using mesh analysis, - Simplifications of networks using series- parallel, Star/Delta transformation, DC circuits-Current-voltage relations of electric network by mathematical equations to analyse the network (Superposition theorem, Thevenin's theorem, Maximum Power Transfer theorem), Transient analysis of R-L, R-C and R-L-C Circuits.

AC Steady-state Analysis: AC waveform definitions - Form factor - Peak factor - study of R-L - R-C -RLC series circuit - R-L-C parallel circuit - phasor representation in polar and rectangular form - concept of impedance - admittance - active - reactive - apparent and complex power - power factor, Resonance in R-L-C circuits - 3 phase balanced AC Circuits



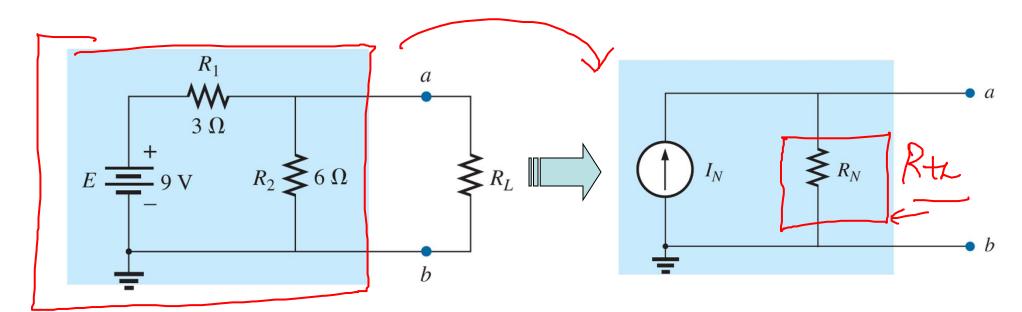
Find the current through 2 ohm resistor using Thevenin's theorem



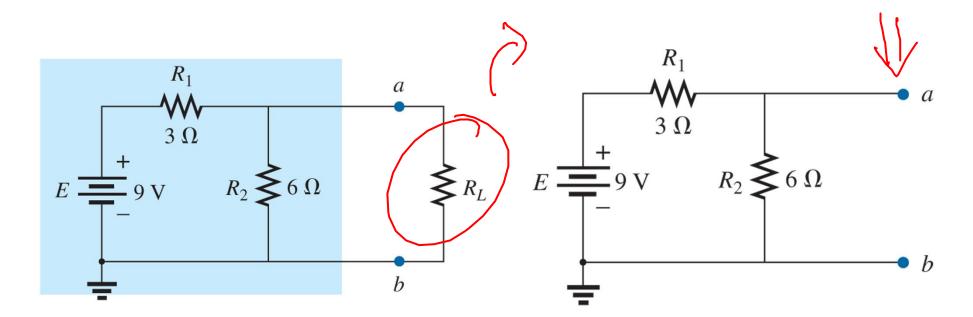


Norton's Theorem

- The theorem states that,
 - Any two-terminal linear bilateral dc network can be replaced by an equivalent circuit consisting of a current and a parallel resistor.



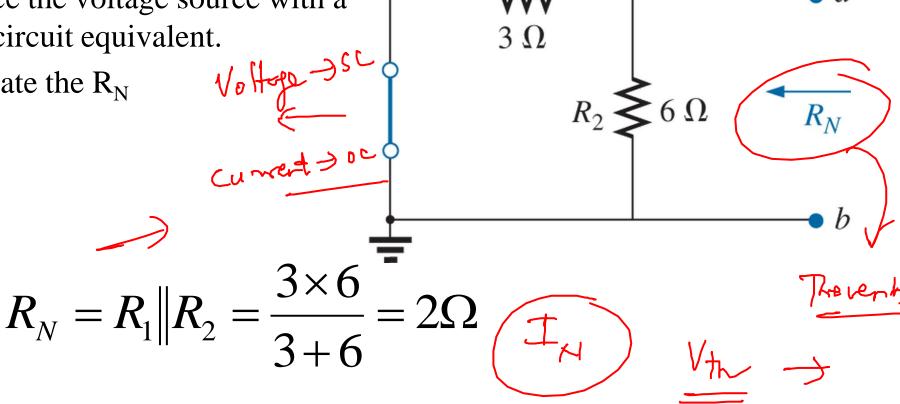
- Step 1: Remove the portion of the network across which the Norton equivalent circuit is found.
- Step 2: Mark the terminal as a and b. We have an open circuit across terminal a and b.



• Step 3:

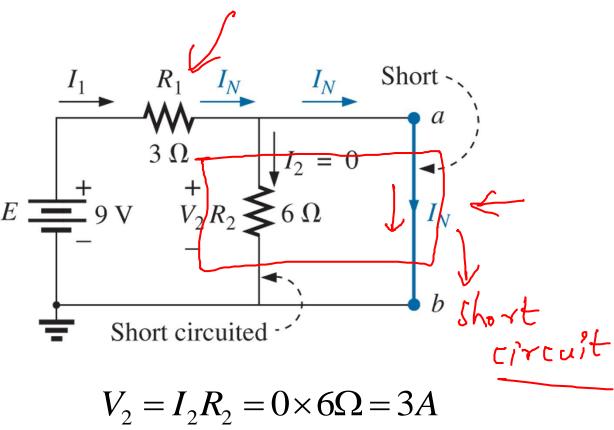
- Replace the voltage source with a short-circuit equivalent.

- Calculate the R_N

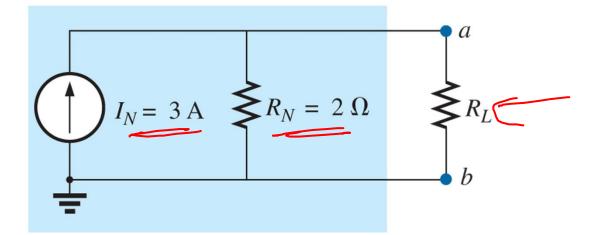


• Step 4: Indicate the short circuit connection between the terminal a and b.

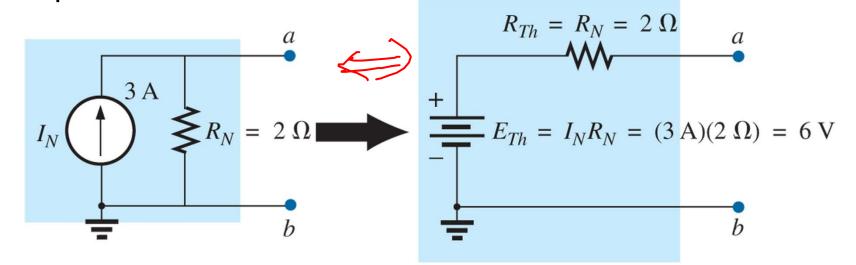
$$J_N = \frac{E}{R_1} = \frac{9V}{3\Omega} = 3A$$



Step 5: Draw the norton equivalent circuit.

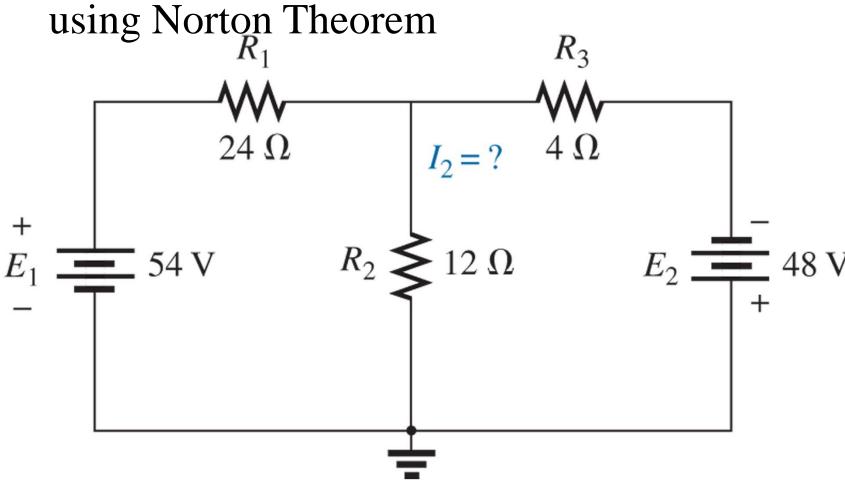


Converting the Norton equivalent circuit to a Thevenin equivalent circuit.



Exercise

• Determine the current in the 12 Ω resistor using Norton Theorem



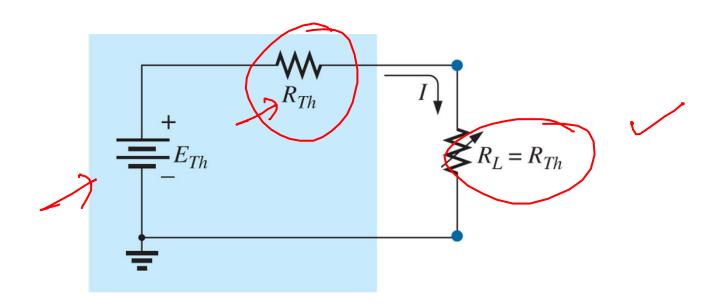
Maximum Power Transfer Theorem

The maximum power transfer theorem states the following:

A load will receive maximum power from a network when its total resistive value is exactly equal to the Thévenin resistance of the network applied to the load. That is,

$$\mathbf{R}_L = \mathbf{R}_{Th}$$

• For the Thevenin equivalent circuit like the figure below, when the load is equal to the Thevenin resistance, the load will receive maximum power from the network



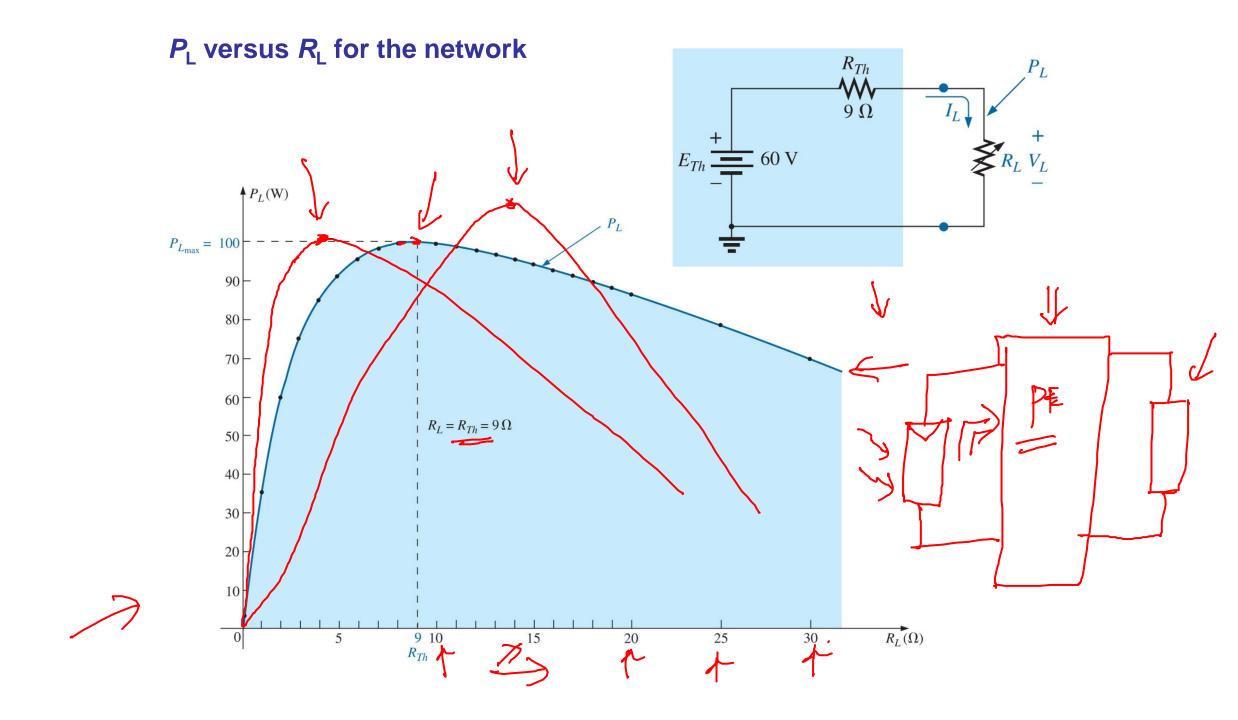
• With $R_L = R_{Th}$, the maximum power delivered to the load can be determined by first finding the current:

$$I_{L} = \frac{E_{Th}}{R_{Th} + R_{L}} = \frac{E_{Th}}{R_{Th} + R_{Th}} = \frac{E_{Th}}{2R_{Th}}$$

$$P_{L} = I^{2}_{L}R_{L} = \left(\frac{E_{Th}}{2R_{Th}}\right)^{2}R_{Th} = \frac{E^{2}_{Th}R_{Th}}{4R^{2}_{Th}}$$

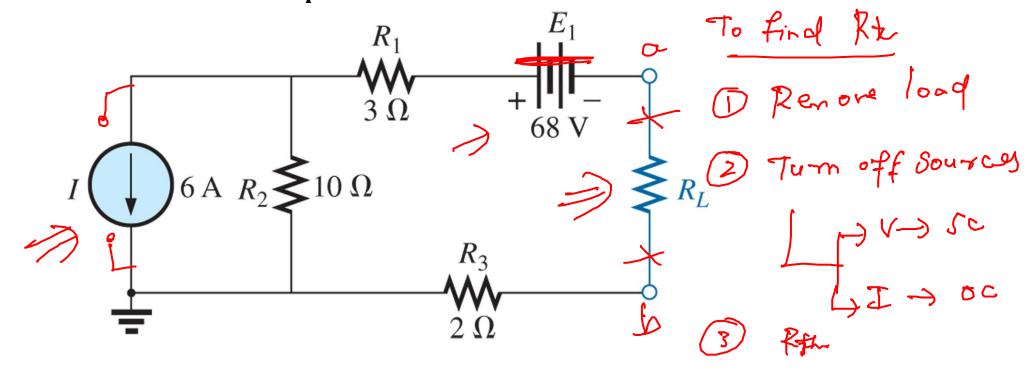
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Example

- For the circuit below, determine
- i. The value of the load resistor, R_L , which would give the maximum power transfer.
- ii. The maximum power transferred to the load



Example 9.4

• The Thevenin resistance is

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$$R_{Th} = R_1 + R_2 + R_3$$

= $3 + 10 + 2 = 15\Omega$

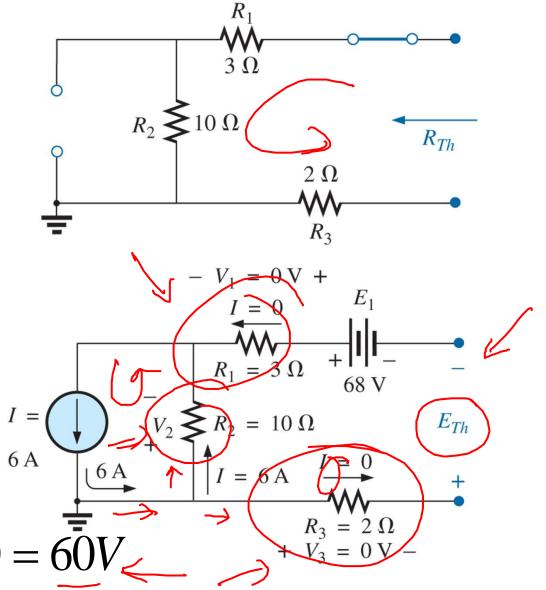
so that

$$R_L = R_{Th} = 15\Omega$$

• Determine the Thevenin voltage

$$V_1 = V_3 = 0$$

$$V_2 = I_2 R_2 = IR_2 = 6 \times 10 = 60 V_{<}$$

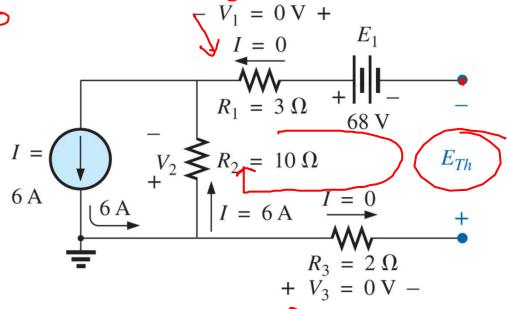


$$+ \mathcal{E}_{th} + \mathcal{V}_{th} - \mathcal{V}_{th} - \mathcal{E}_{th} = 0$$

$$V_{1} = 0$$

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Applying KVL



$$-V_2 - E_1 + E_{Th} = 0$$

$$E_{Th} = V_2 + E_1 = 60 + 68 = 128V$$

$$P_{L_{\text{max}}} = \frac{E^2_{Th}}{4R_{Th}} = \frac{128^2}{4(15 \text{ M}\Omega)} = 273.07W$$

Summary