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ECE 2201 – Final Exam
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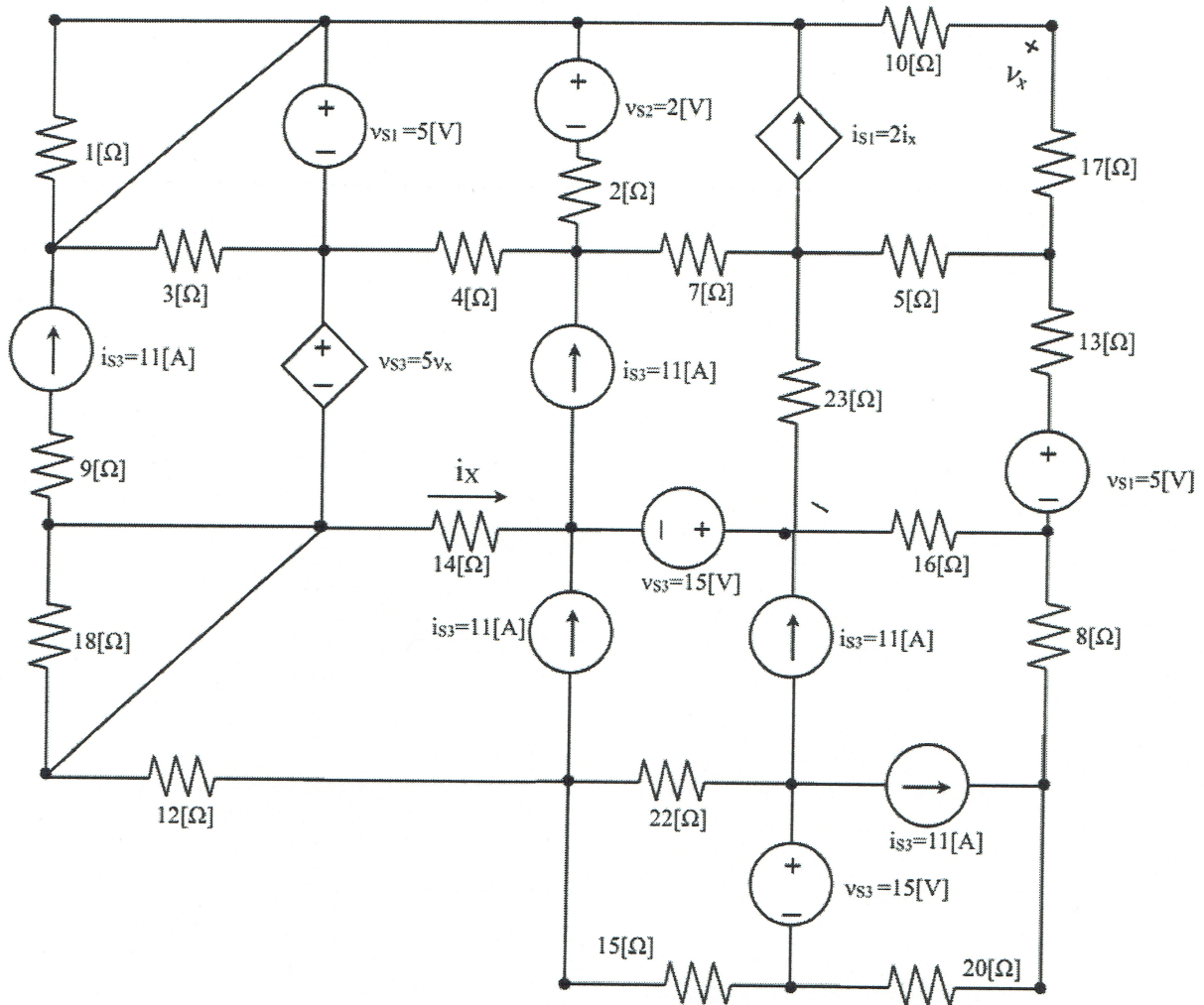
1. This exam is closed book, closed notes. You may use one 8.5" x 11" crib sheet, or its equivalent.
2. Show all work on these pages. Show all work necessary to complete the problem. A solution without the appropriate work shown will receive no credit. A solution that is not given in a reasonable order will lose credit. Clearly indicate your answer (for example by enclosing it in a box).
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4. Show all units in solutions, intermediate results, and figures. Units in the exam will be included between square brackets.
5. Do not use red ink. Do not use red pencil.
6. You will have 170 minutes to work on this exam.

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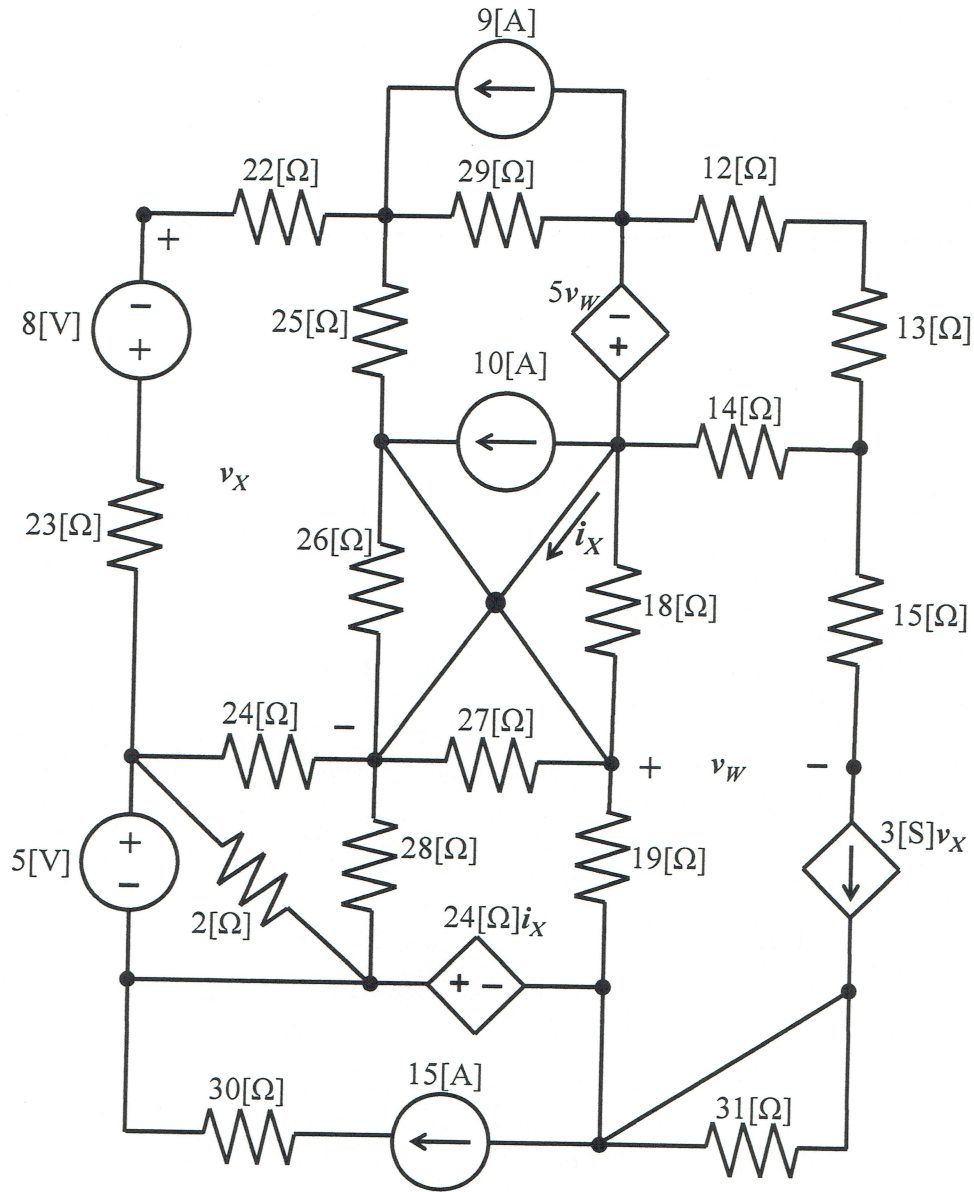
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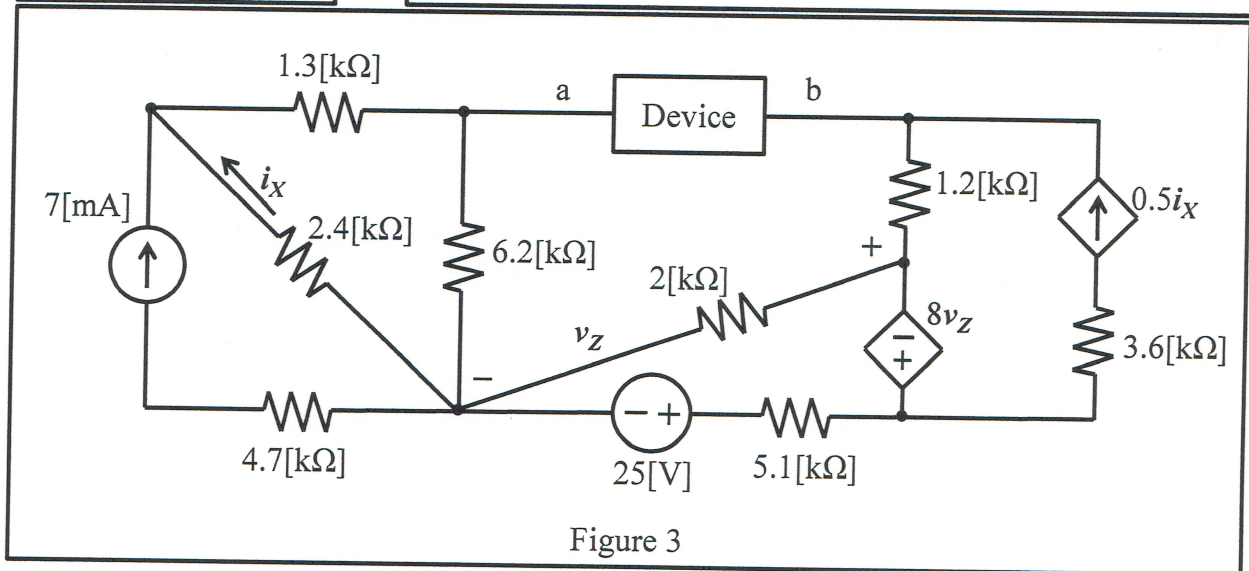
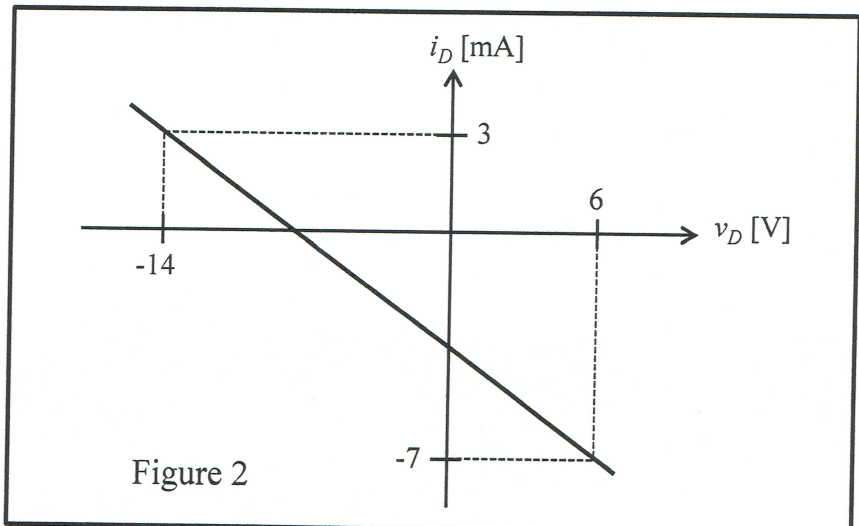
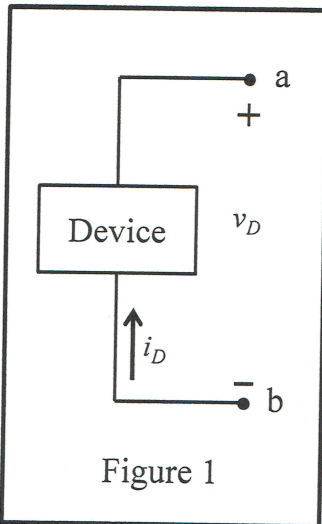
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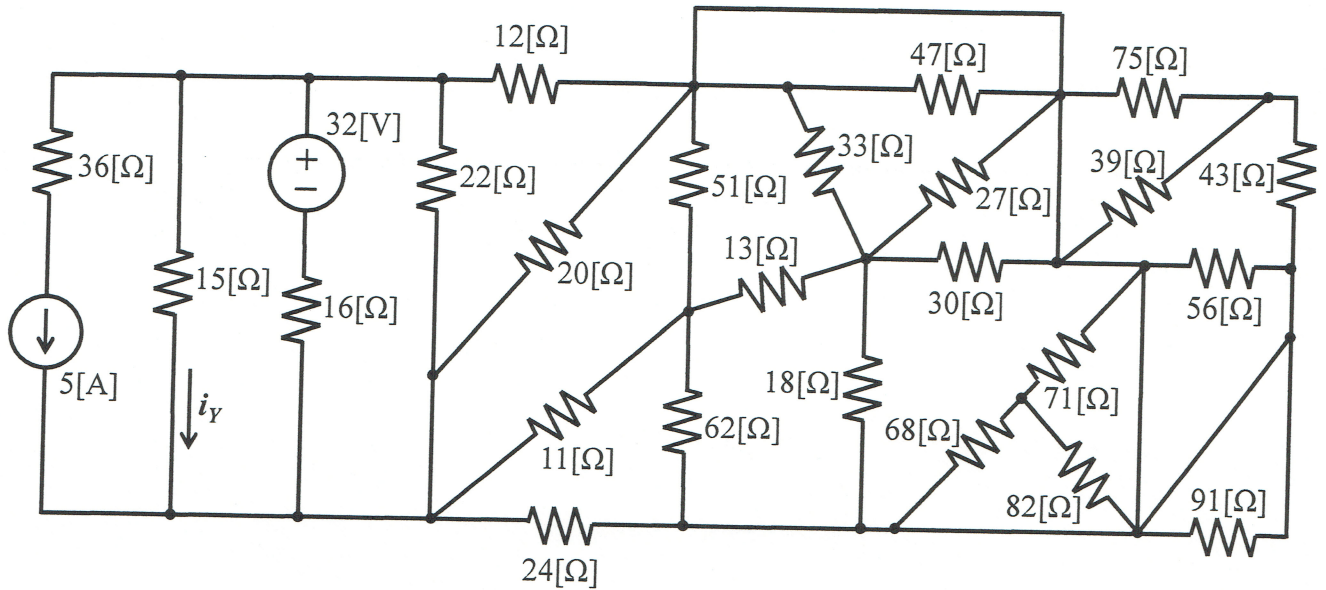
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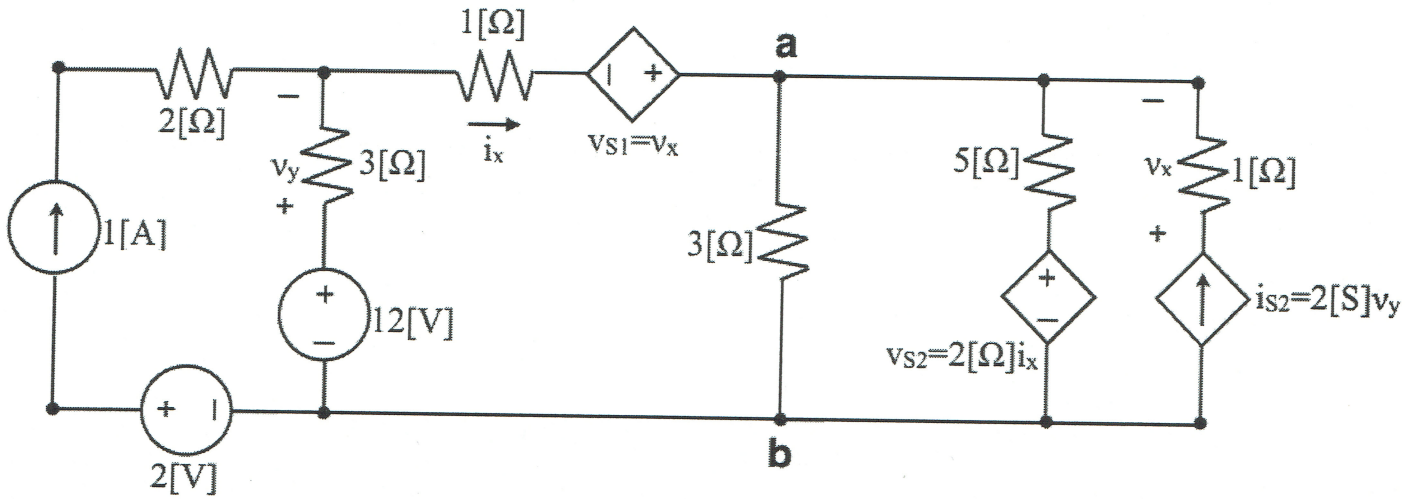
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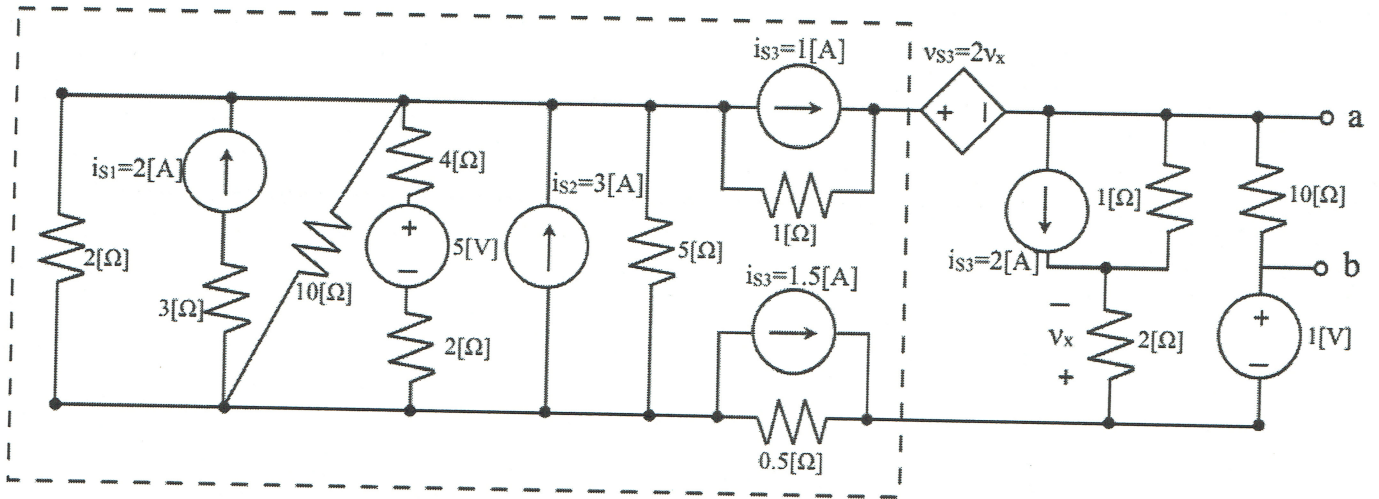
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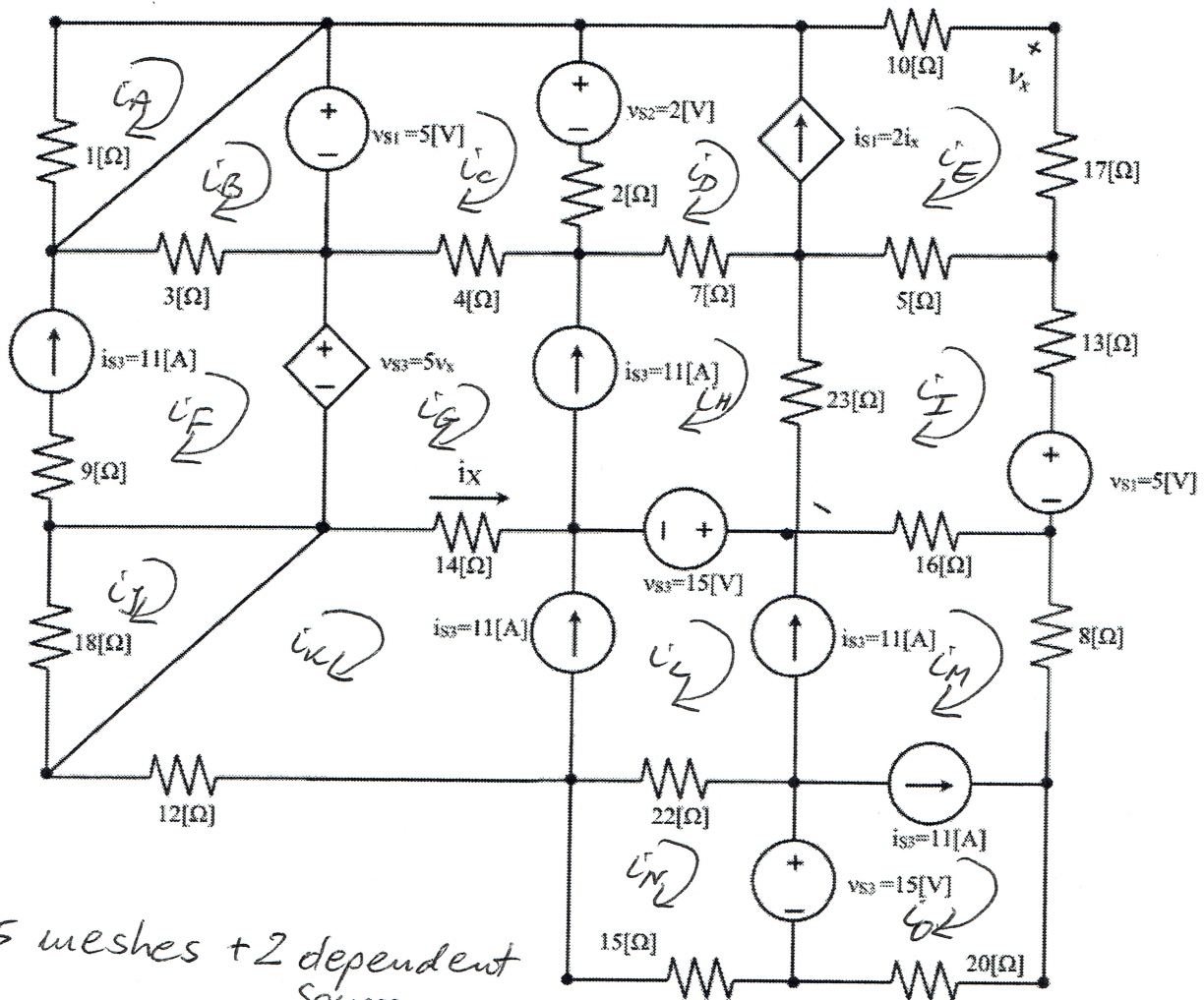
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15 meshes + 2 dependent sources

17 equations

- (A) $i_A \cdot 1\Omega = 0$
- (B) $5V + (i_B - i_F)3\Omega = 0$
- (C) $2V + (i_C - i_D)2\Omega + (i_C - i_G)4\Omega - 5V = 0$
- (D+E) $(i_D - i_H)7\Omega + (i_D - i_C)2\Omega - 2V + i_E \cdot 10\Omega + i_E \cdot 17\Omega + (i_E - i_I)5\Omega = 0$
- (D+E) $i_E - i_D = 2i_x$
- (F) $i_F = 11A$

Room for extra work

$$\text{S.M. } \textcircled{G+H} \quad (i_G - i_K)14\Omega - 5V_x + (i_G - i_C)4\Omega + (i_H - i_D)7\Omega + (i_H - i_I)23\Omega + 15V = 0$$

$$\textcircled{G+H} \quad i_H - i_G = 11A$$

$$\textcircled{I} \quad i_I \cdot 13\Omega + 5V + (i_I - i_M)16\Omega + (i_I - i_H)23\Omega + (i_H - i_E)5\Omega = 0$$

$$\textcircled{J} \quad i_J = 0$$

$$\text{S.M. } \textcircled{K+L+M+O} \quad i_K \cdot 12\Omega + (i_K - i_G)14\Omega - 15V + (i_M - i_I)16\Omega + i_M \cdot 8\Omega + i_O \cdot 20\Omega - 15V + (i_L - i_N)22\Omega = 0$$

$$\textcircled{K+L} \quad i_L - i_K = 11A$$

$$\textcircled{M+L} \quad i_M - i_L = 11A$$

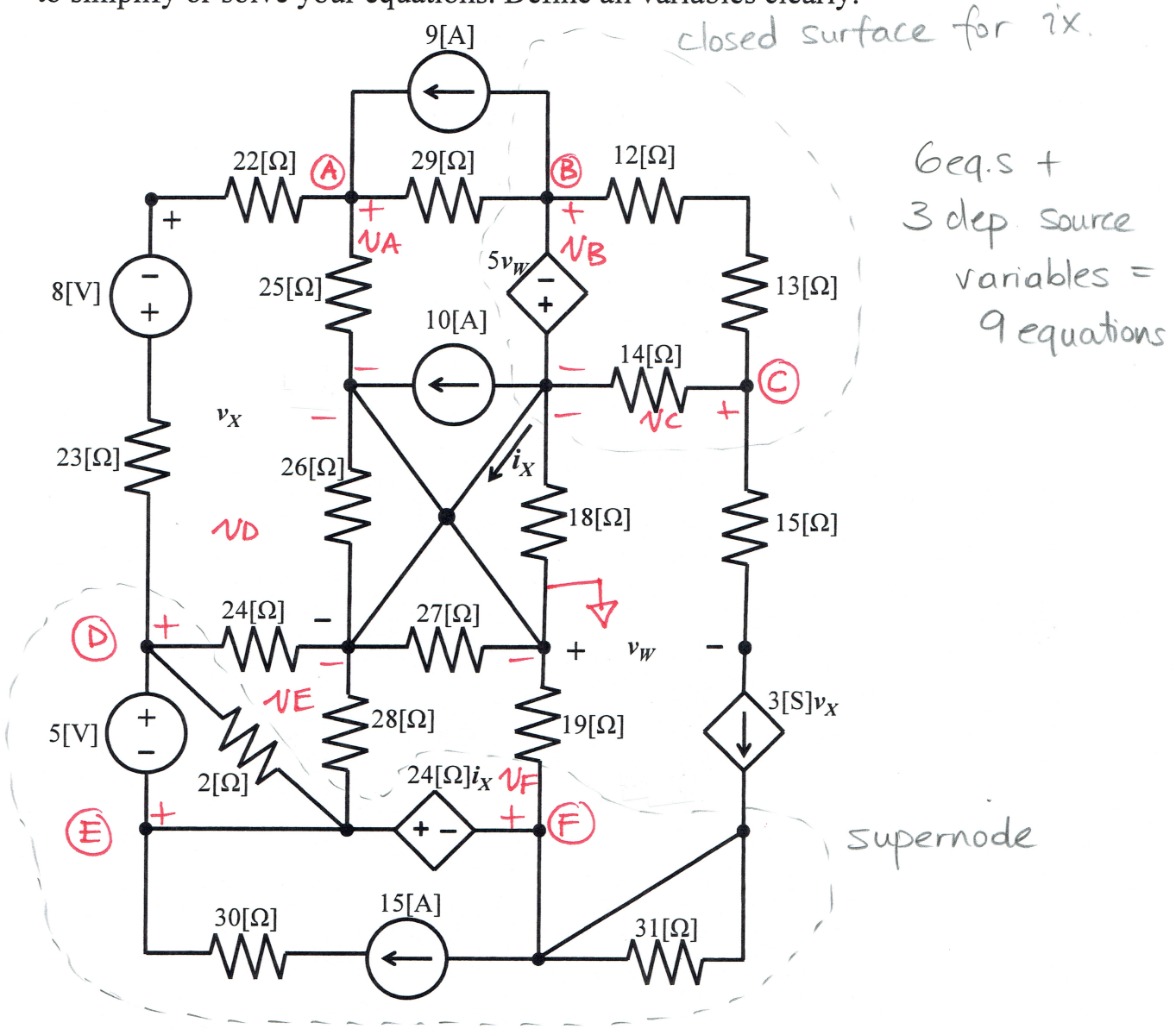
$$\textcircled{O+M} \quad i_O - i_M = 11A$$

$$\textcircled{N} \quad 15V + i_N \cdot 15\Omega + (i_N - i_L)22\Omega = 0$$

$$\textcircled{V_x} \quad V_x = i_K - i_G$$

$$\textcircled{V_x} \quad V_x = i_E \cdot 17\Omega + i_I \cdot 13\Omega + 5V + (i_I - i_M) \cdot 16\Omega$$

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$$\textcircled{A}: \frac{v_A - v_D + 8[V]}{(23 + 22)[\Omega]} - 9[A] + \frac{v_A - v_B}{29[\Omega]} + \frac{v_A}{25[\Omega]} = 0$$

$$\textcircled{B}: v_B = -5v_W$$

$$\textcircled{C}: \frac{v_C - v_B}{(12 + 13)[\Omega]} + \frac{v_C}{14[\Omega]} + 3[S]v_X = 0$$

Room for extra work

$$\textcircled{D+E+F} : \frac{v_D - v_A - 8[V]}{(23+22)[\Omega]} + \frac{v_D}{24[\Omega]} + \frac{v_E}{28[\Omega]} + \frac{v_F}{19[\Omega]} - \dots$$

$$\dots - 3[S] v_x = 0$$

$$\textcircled{D+E} \quad v_D - v_E = 5[V]$$

$$\textcircled{E+F} \quad v_E - v_F = 24[\Omega] i_x$$

$$\textcircled{i_x} \quad 9[A] + \frac{v_B - v_A}{29[\Omega]} + 10[A] + i_x + \frac{0}{18[\Omega]} + 3[S] v_x = 0$$

$$\textcircled{v_W} \quad -v_W - v_C + 15[\Omega] \cdot 3[S] v_x = 0$$

$$\textcircled{v_x} \quad -v_x + \left(\frac{v_D - v_A - 8[V]}{(23+22)[\Omega]} \right) \cdot 22[\Omega] + v_A = 0$$

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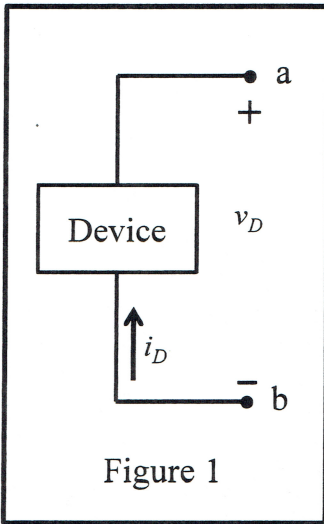


Figure 1

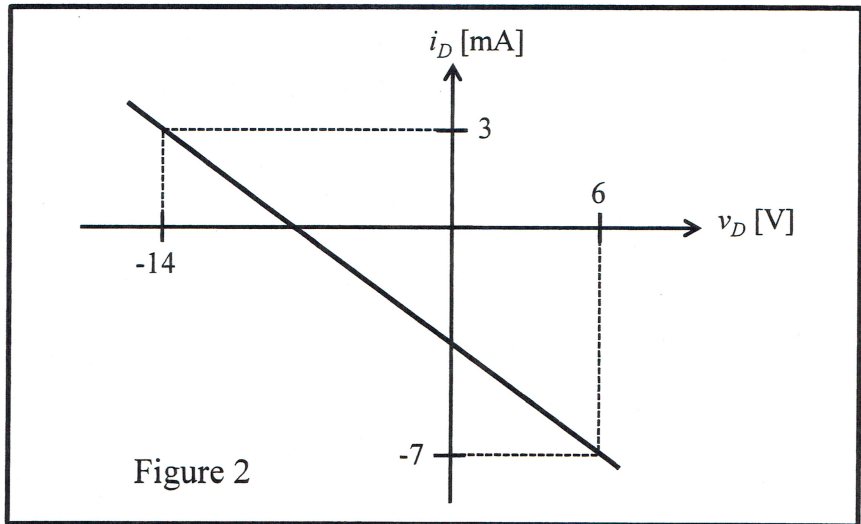


Figure 2

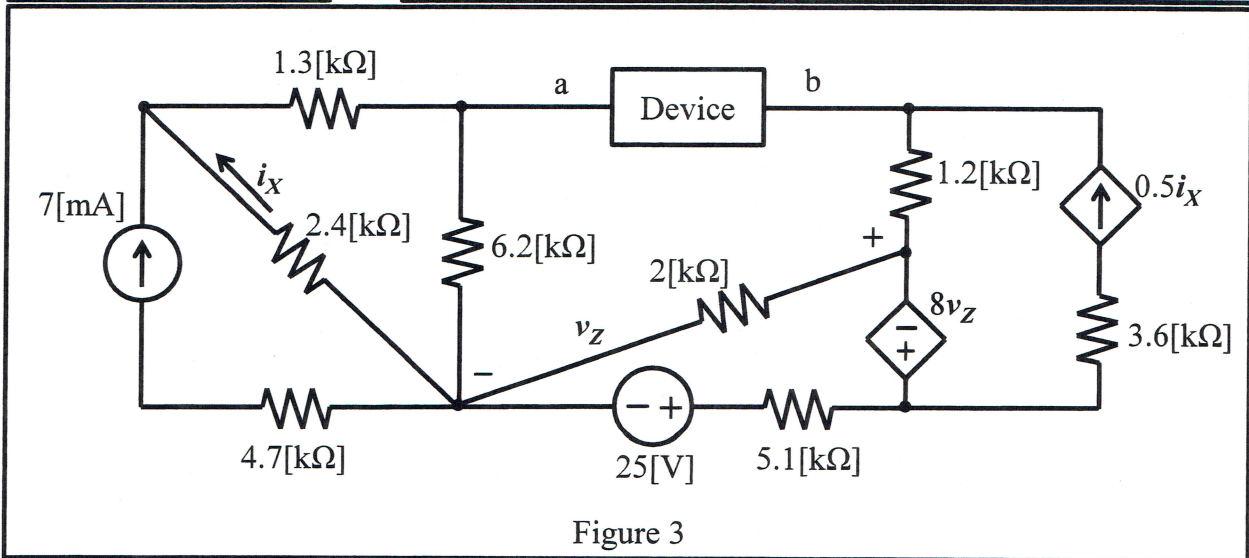
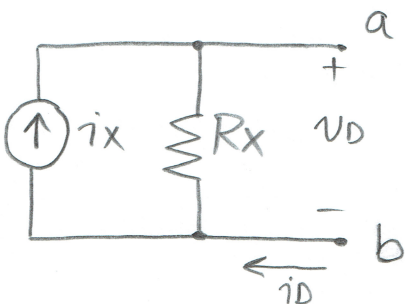


Figure 3

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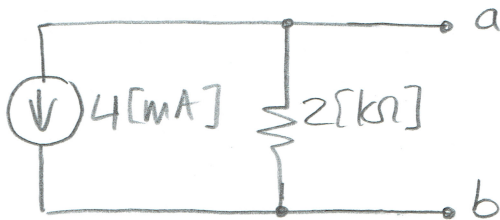
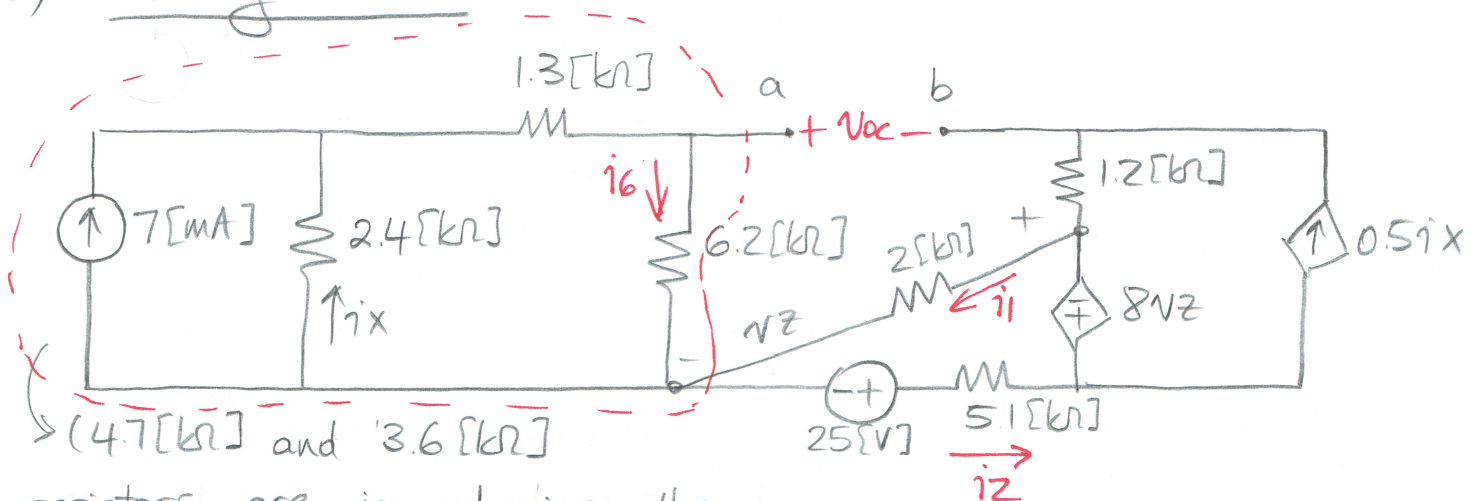


$$-i_X + \frac{v_D}{R_X} + i_D = 0$$

$$-i_X - \frac{14V}{R_X} + 3mA = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$-i_X + \frac{6V}{R_X} - 7mA = 0 \quad (2)$$

Room for extra work

Solving (1) and (2), we get $i_x = -4 \text{ [mA]}$, $R_x = 2 \text{ [k}\Omega\text{]}$ b) Finding V_{oc} :

→ $(4.7 \text{ [k}\Omega\text{]})$ and $3.6 \text{ [k}\Omega\text{]}$

resistors are ignored, since they are in series w/ a current source)

$$\text{KCL @ closed surface: } i_1 = i_2 \quad i_1 = v_Z / 2 \text{ [k}\Omega\text{]}$$

$$\text{KVL: } v_Z - 25 \text{ [V]} + 51 \text{ [k}\Omega\text{]} \cdot \frac{v_Z}{2 \text{ [k}\Omega\text{]}} + 8 v_Z = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v_Z = 2.164 \text{ [V]}$$

$$\text{CDR: } i_6 = \frac{2.4}{2.4 + 1.3 + 6.2} \cdot 7 \text{ [mA]} = 1.69 \text{ [mA]}$$

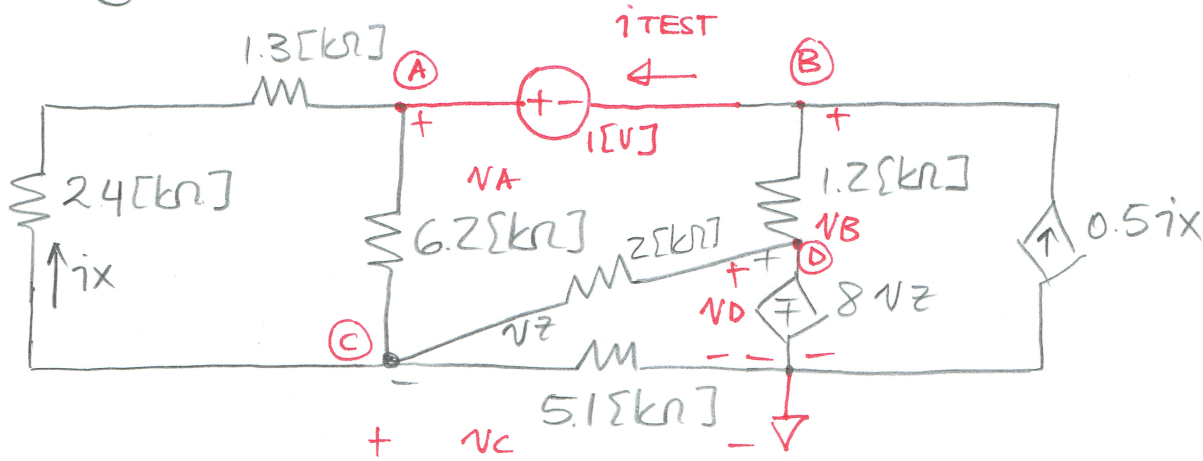
$$i_x = i_6 - 7 \text{ [mA]} = -5.31 \text{ [mA]}$$

$$\text{KVL: } V_{oc} + 0.5 i_x \cdot 1.2 \text{ [k}\Omega\text{]} + v_Z - i_6 \cdot 6.2 \text{ [k}\Omega\text{]} = 0$$

$$V_{oc} = 11.5 \text{ [V]}$$

Room for extra work

Finding R_{TH} : First we need to kill the independent sources.



(A+B)
$$\frac{v_A - v_C}{3.7 [k\Omega]} + \frac{v_A - v_C}{6.2 [k\Omega]} + \frac{v_B - v_D}{1.2 [k\Omega]} - 0.5 i_x = 0$$

(A+B)
$$v_A - v_B = 1 [V]$$

(C)
$$\frac{v_C - v_A}{3.7 [k\Omega]} + \frac{v_C - v_A}{6.2 [k\Omega]} + \frac{v_C - v_D}{2 [k\Omega]} + \frac{v_C}{5.1 [k\Omega]} = 0$$

(D)
$$v_D = -8 [V]$$

(ix)
$$\frac{v_C - v_A}{3.7 [k\Omega]} = i_x$$

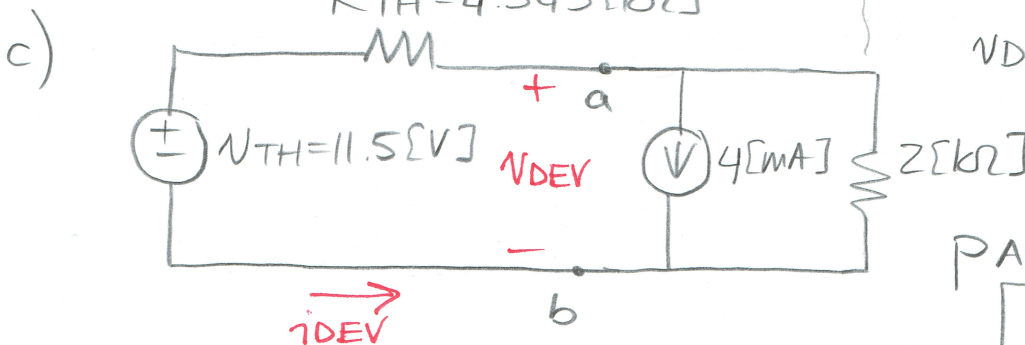
(vz)
$$v_D - v_C = v_z$$

KCL:
$$i_{TEST} - 0.5 i_x + \frac{v_B - v_D}{1.2 [k\Omega]} = 0$$

Solving, we get
$$i_{TEST} = 0.23 [mA] \quad R_{TH} = \frac{1 [V]}{0.23 [mA]}$$

$$R_{TH} = 4.345 [k\Omega]$$

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$$i_{DEV} + 4 [mA] + \frac{v_{DEV}}{2 [k\Omega]} = 0$$

$$v_{DEV} = i_{DEV} R_{TH} + v_{TH}$$

$$i_{DEV} = -3.07 [mA]$$

$$v_{DEV} = -1.85 [V]$$

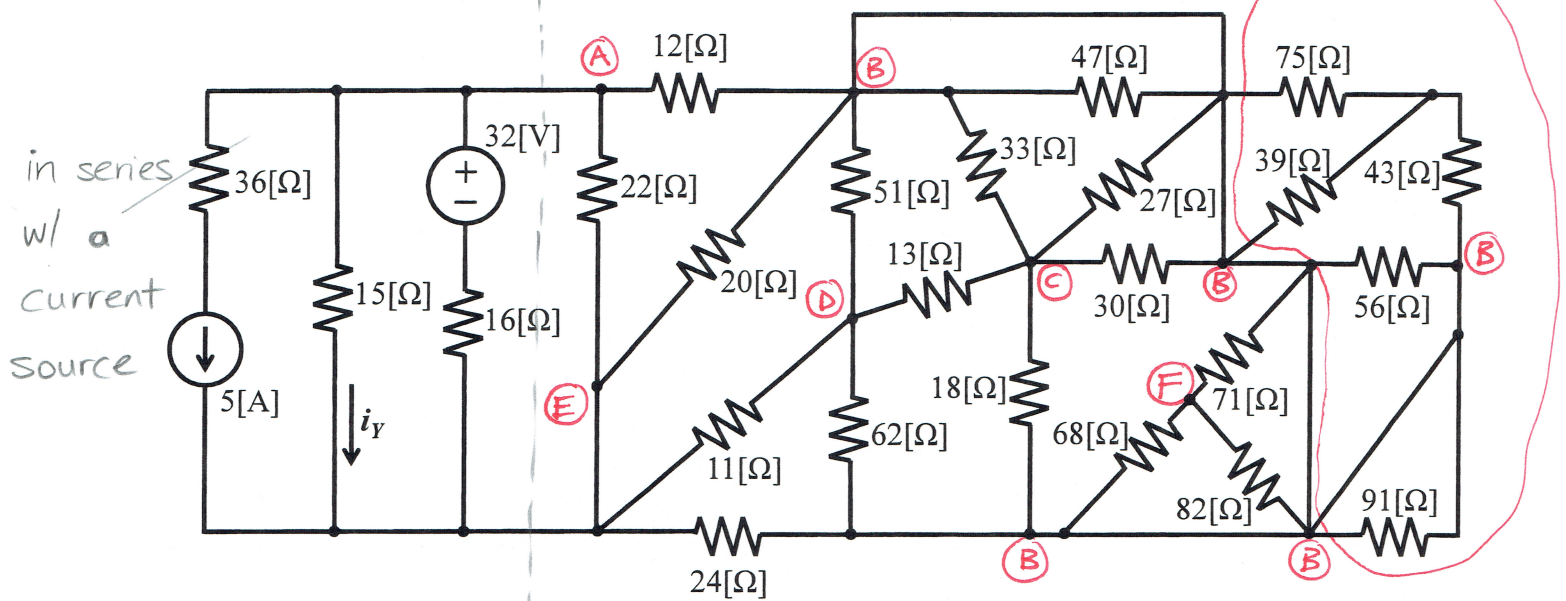
$$P_{ABS, DEV} = -v_{DEV} \cdot i_{DEV}$$

$$= -5.7 [mW]$$

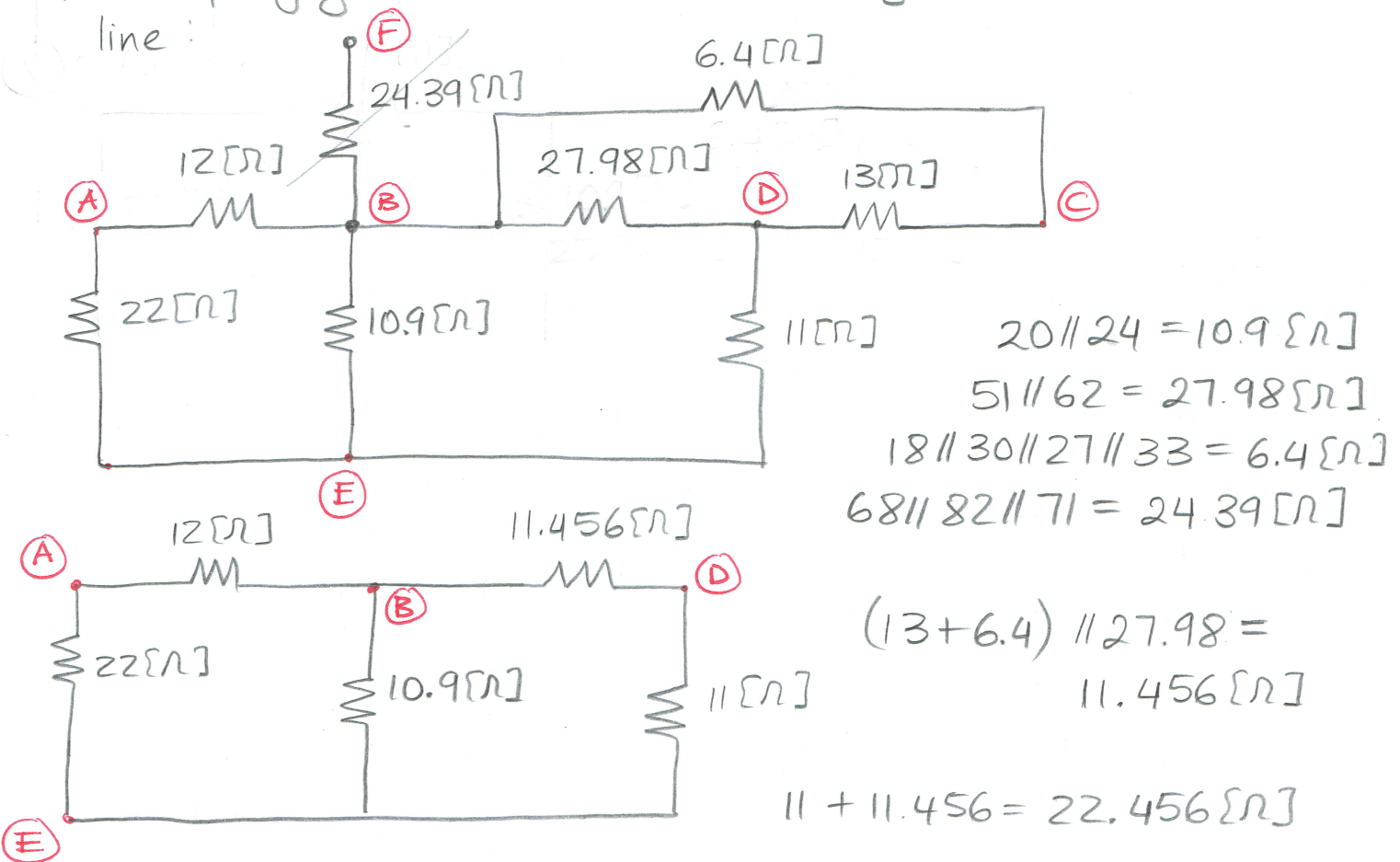
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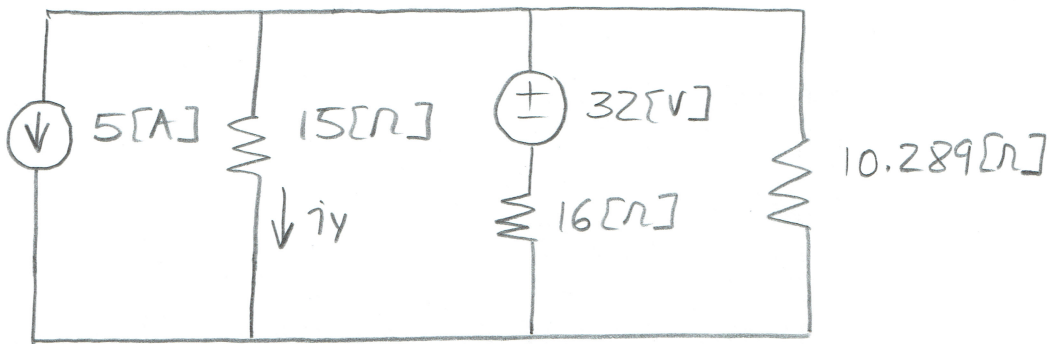
a) Simplifying the circuit to the right of the dashed line:



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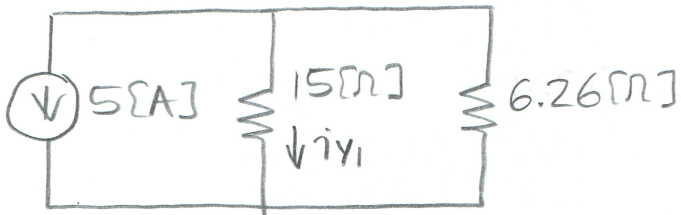
$$R_{AE} = 22 \parallel [12 + (10.9 \parallel 22.456)] = 10.289 [\Omega]$$

Simplified circuit:



b) Superposition: Take 1 independent source into account at a time.

5[A]:

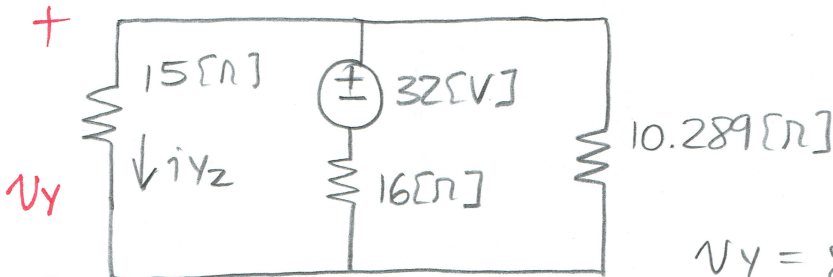


$$16 \parallel 10.289 = 6.26 [\Omega]$$

$$\text{CDR: } i_{y1} = \frac{-6.26}{15+6.26} \cdot 5 [\text{A}]$$

$$i_{y1} = -1.472 [\text{A}]$$

32[V]:



$$15 \parallel 10.289 = 6.1 [\Omega]$$

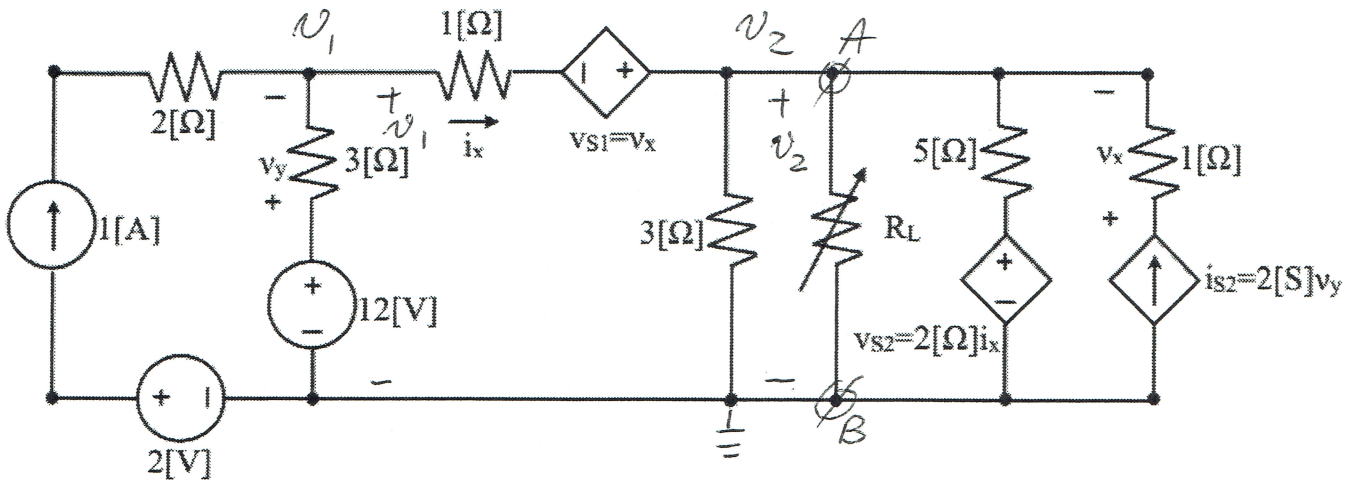
$$\text{VDR: } v_y = \frac{6.1}{6.1+16} \cdot 32 [\text{V}]$$

$$v_y = 8.83 [\text{V}] \quad i_{y2} = v_y / 15 [\Omega]$$

$$i_{y2} = 0.588 [\text{A}]$$

$$i_y = i_{y1} + i_{y2} = \boxed{-0.884 [\text{A}]}$$

5. {35 Points} Use the following circuit to solve this problem.
 a) Find the value of R_L that will maximize the power delivered to it.
 b) Calculate the maximum power delivered to R_L .



We start with removing R_L and we will obtain Thevenin equivalent seen from the terminals A & B.

$$v_2 = v_{oc}$$

① v_1

$$\frac{v_1 - 12V}{3\Omega} - 1A + \frac{v_1 - (v_2 - v_x)}{1\Omega} = 0$$

$$\downarrow 4v_1 - 3v_2 + 3v_x = 15$$

② v_2

$$\frac{v_2 - v_x - v_1}{1\Omega} + \frac{v_2}{3\Omega} + \frac{v_2 - 2v_x}{5\Omega} - 2v_y = 0$$

dependent Sources

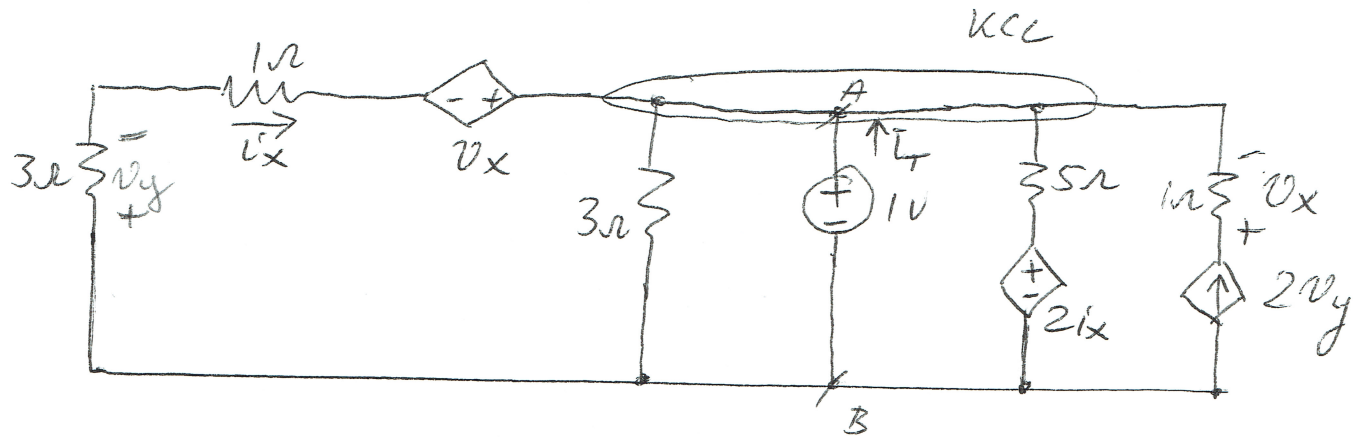
$$\begin{cases} v_y = 12V - v_1 \\ i_x = \frac{v_1 - v_2 + v_x}{1\Omega} \\ v_x = 2v_y \cdot 1\Omega \end{cases}$$

$$v_1 = 9.88V$$

$$v_2 = 12.4V \Rightarrow v_{TH} = 12.4V$$

Room for extra work

Deactivate independent sources & connect a test source 1V.



KCL @ A

$$-i_T + \frac{1-v_x}{3+1} + \frac{1V}{3\Omega} + \frac{1V-2i_x}{5\Omega} - 2v_y = 0$$

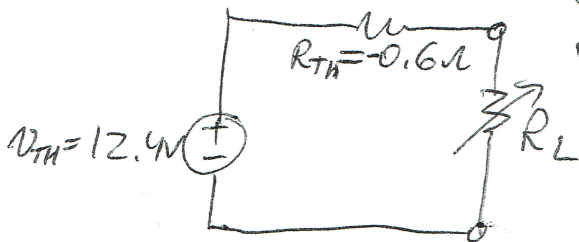
$$\left. \begin{aligned} v_x &= 2v_y \\ v_y &= 3i_x \\ i_x &= -\frac{1-v_x}{4} \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} i_x &= 0.5A \\ v_x &= 3V \\ v_y &= 1.5A \end{aligned}$$

$$i_T = -3.17A$$

$$R_{eq} = \frac{1V}{i_T} = -0.315\Omega \quad R_{eq} = R_{TH}$$

thevenin equivalent

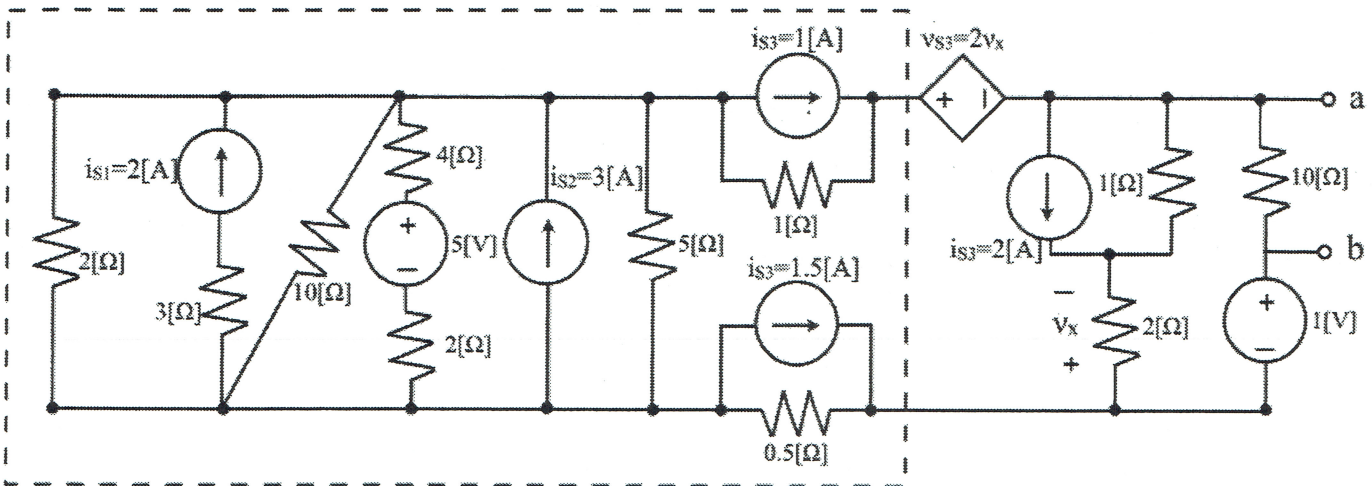
$$R_L = R_{TH} = -0.315\Omega$$



$$P_{abs, R_L} = \frac{V_{Th}^2}{4 R_{TH}} = -122 [W]$$

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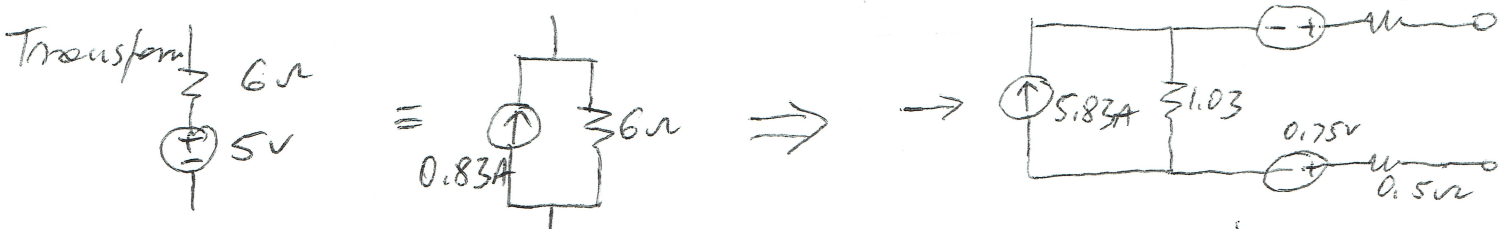
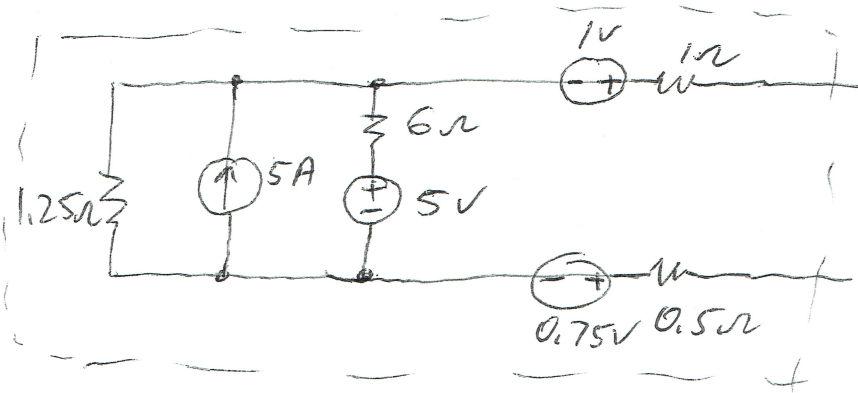
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We can simplify 2A branch by removing 3Ω resistor.

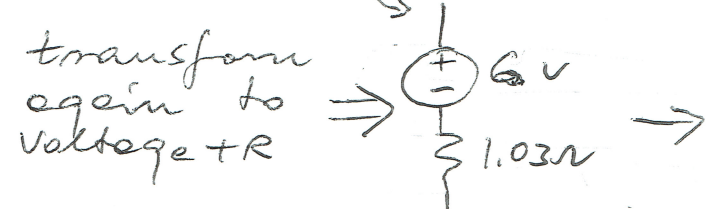
Resistors $2\Omega \parallel 10\Omega \parallel 5\Omega = 1.25\Omega$

Current sources 2A & 3A give 5A source

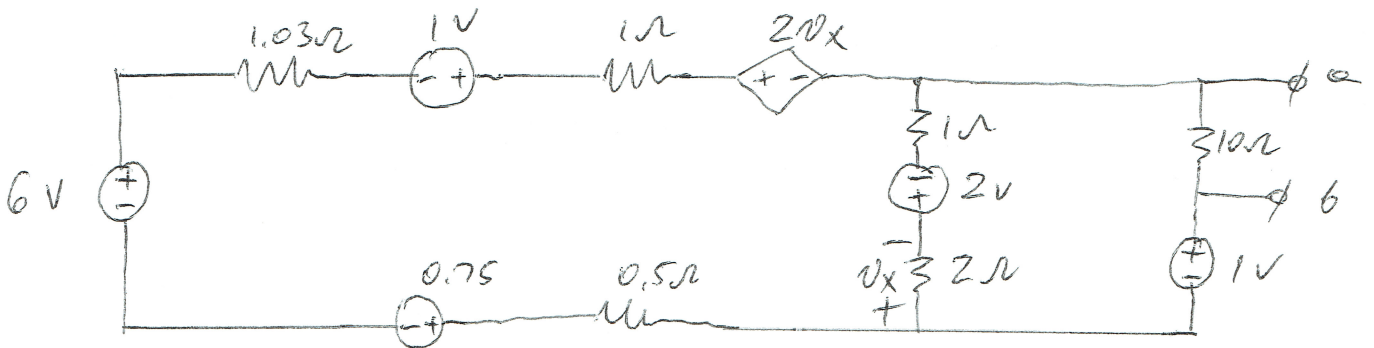


Add: $5A + 0.83A = 5.83A$

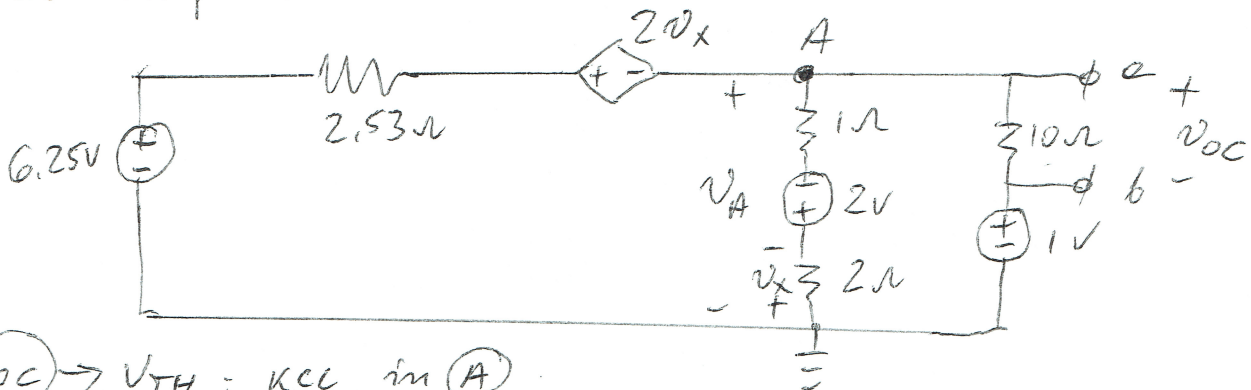
Req: $1.25\Omega \parallel 6\Omega = 1.03\Omega$



Room for extra work



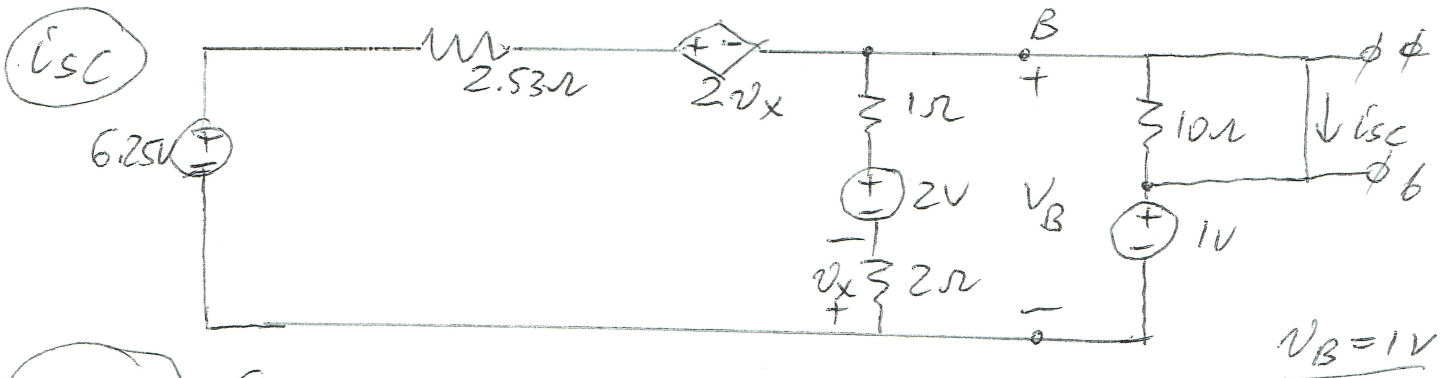
add voltmeters + resistors



$V_{oc} \rightarrow V_{TH}$; KCL in (A)

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} \frac{V_A + 2V_x - 6.25}{2.53\Omega} + \frac{V_A + 2V}{3\Omega} + \frac{V_A - 1V}{10\Omega} &= 0 \\ -V_x &= \frac{V_A + 2V}{3\Omega} \cdot 2\Omega \end{aligned} \right.$$

$$V_A = 9.8V \quad V_x = -7.88 \quad \boxed{V_{oc} = V_A - 1V = 8.8V}$$



KCL in B

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} \frac{V_B + 2V_x - 6.25V}{2.53\Omega} + \frac{V_B + 2V}{3} + I_{sc} &= 0 \\ -V_x &= \frac{V_B + 2V}{3\Omega} \cdot 2 = 2V \\ I_{sc} &= 2.66A \end{aligned} \right.$$

$$R_{TH} = \frac{V_{oc}}{I_{sc}} = \frac{8.8}{2.66} = 3.3$$

