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ECE 2300 – Exam #2
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until you are told to begin.

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 which is not given in a reasonable order will lose credit.
3. It is assumed that your work will begin on the same page as the problem statement. If you choose to begin your work on another page, you must indicate this on the page with the problem statement, with a clear indication of where the work can be found. If your work continues on to another page, indicate clearly where your work can be found. Failure to indicate this clearly will result in a loss of credit.
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 90 minutes to work on this exam.

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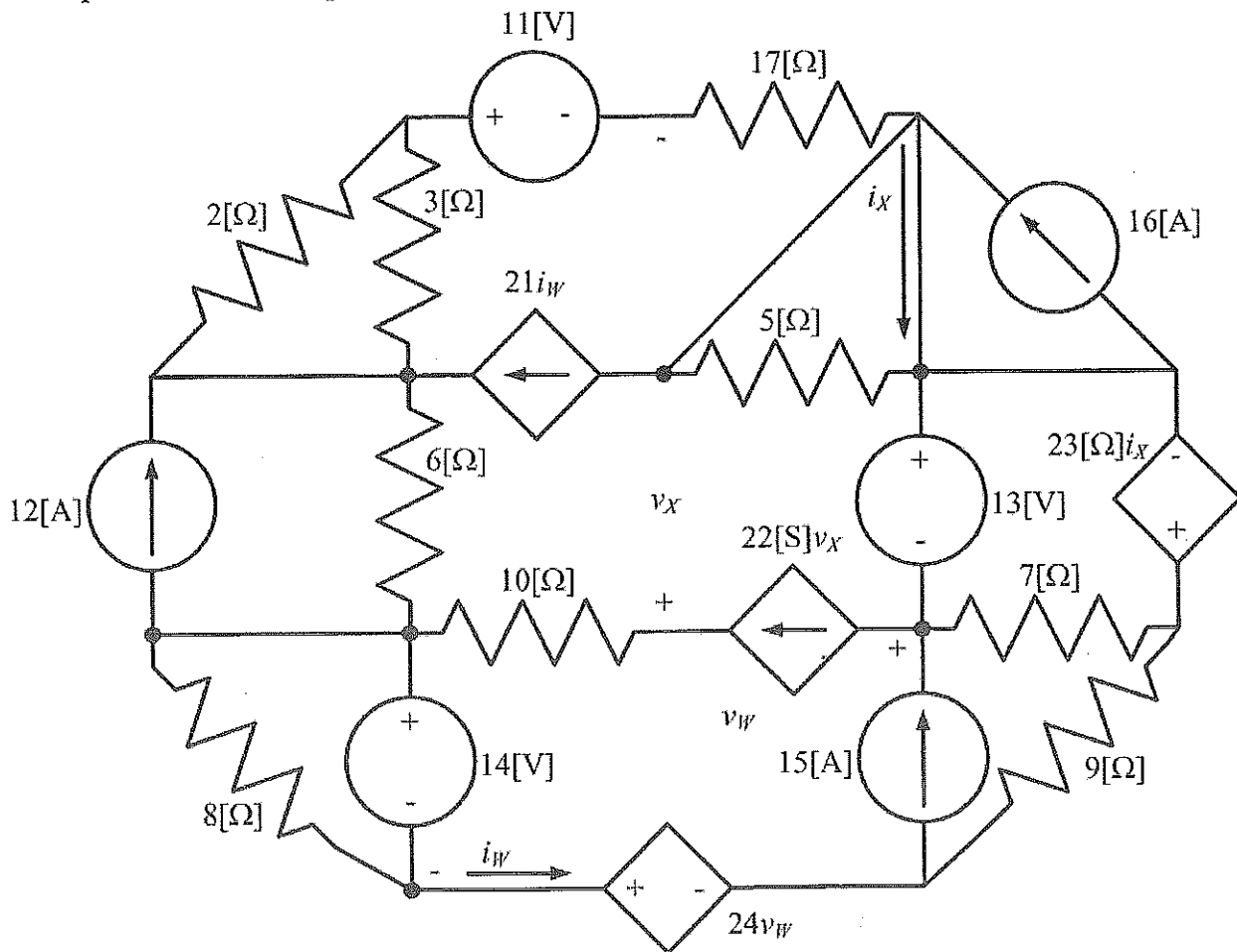
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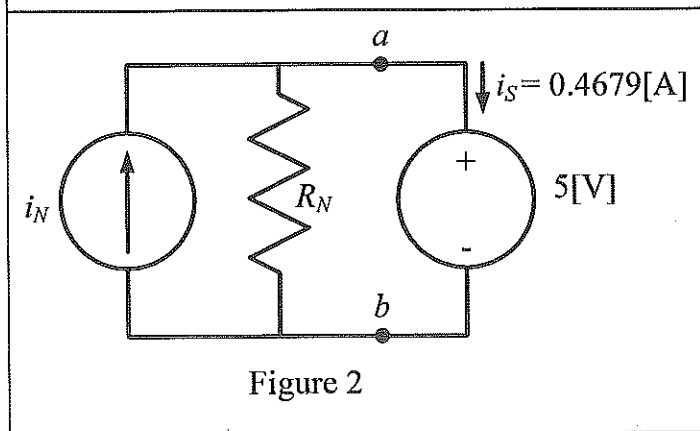
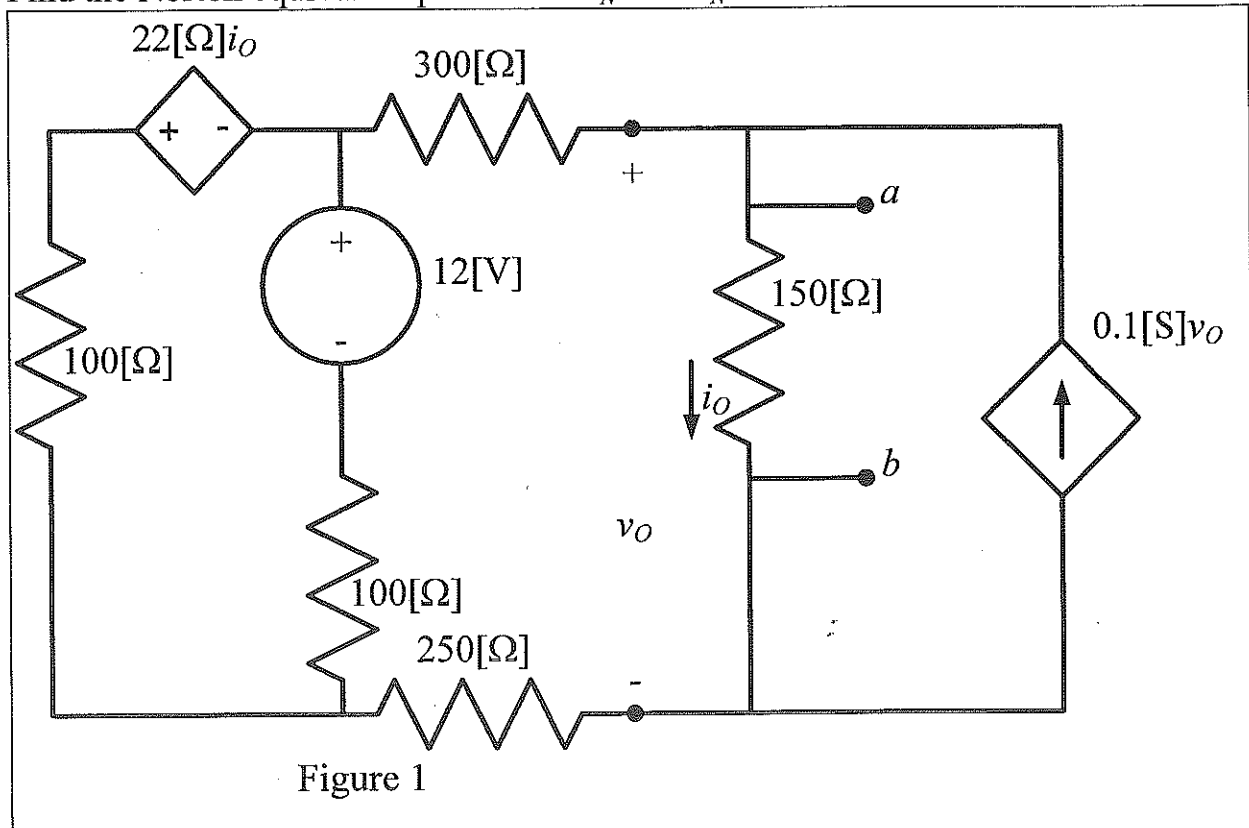
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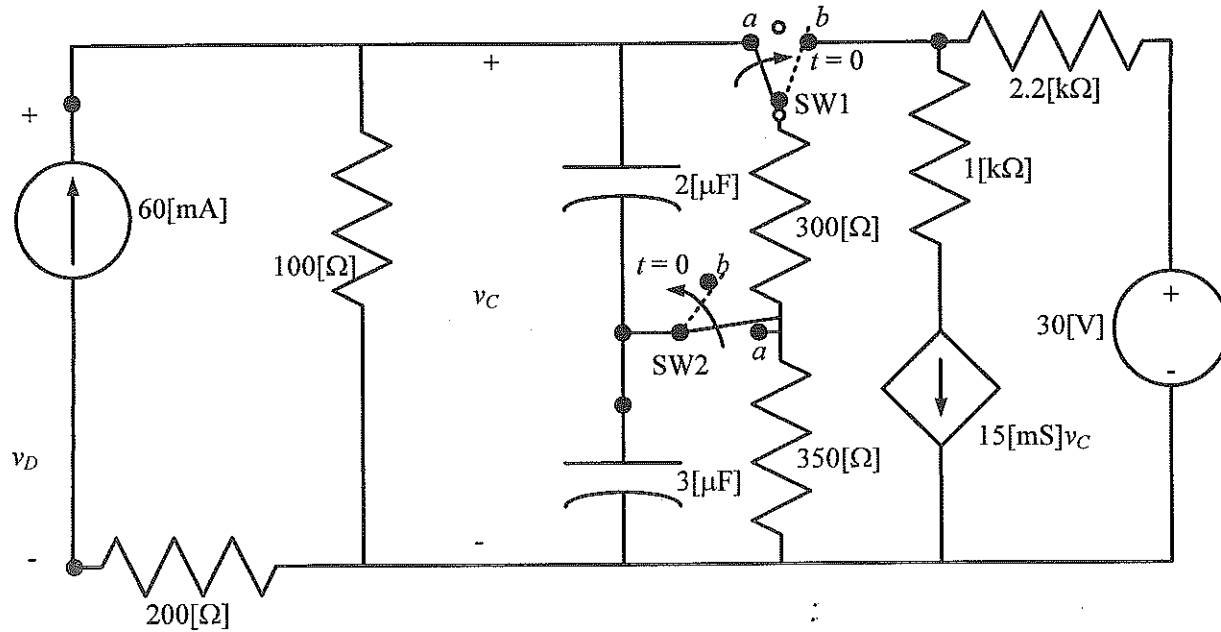
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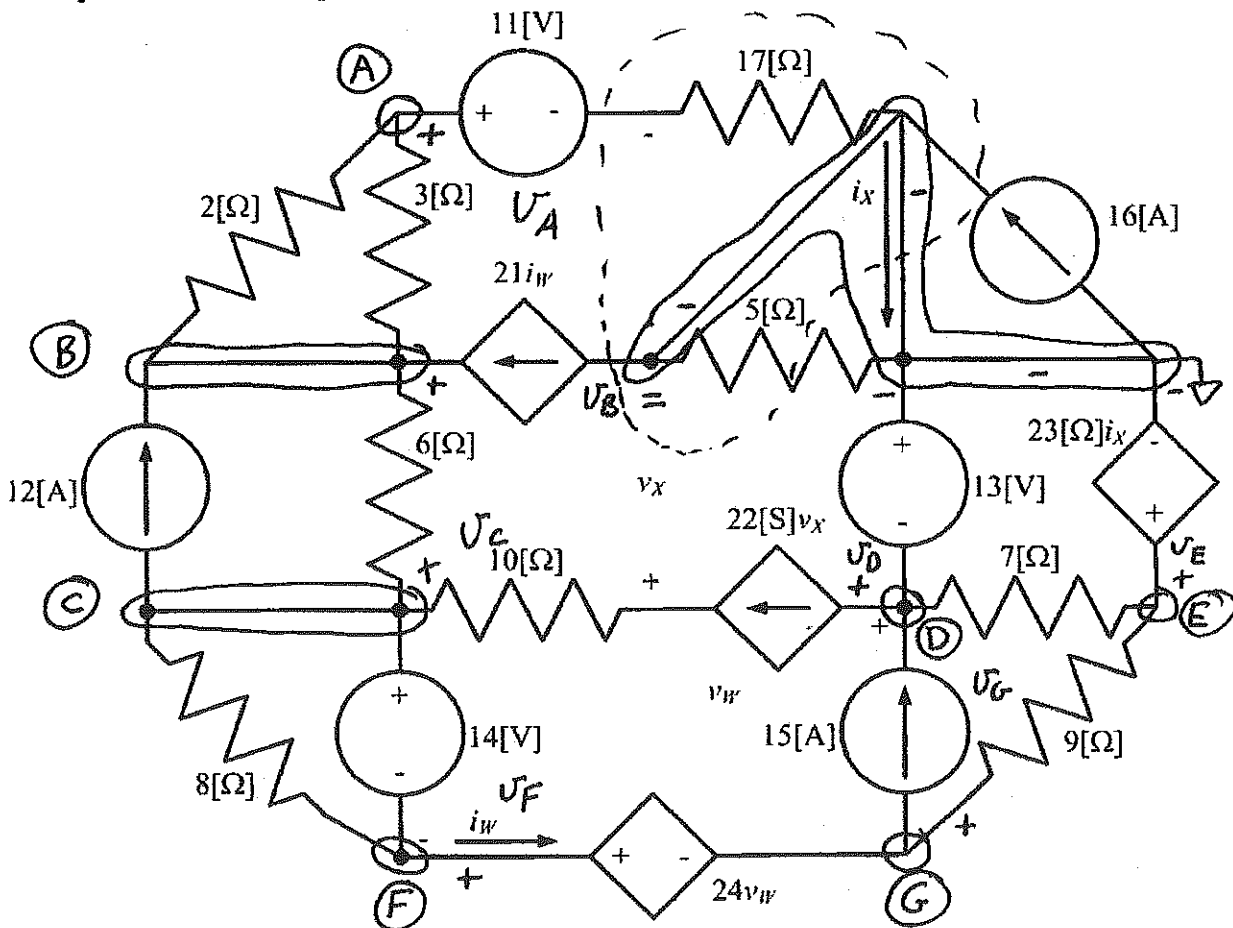
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We will write $7+4=11$ equations.

$$\textcircled{A} \frac{V_A - 11[V]}{17[\Omega]} + \frac{V_A - V_B}{3[\Omega]} + \frac{V_A - V_B}{2[\Omega]} = 0$$

$$\textcircled{B} \frac{V_B - V_A}{2[\Omega]} + \frac{V_B - V_A}{3[\Omega]} + (-21i_w) + \frac{V_B - V_C}{6[\Omega]} - 12[A] = 0$$

$$\textcircled{C+F+G} 12[A] + \frac{V_C - V_B}{6[\Omega]} - 22[S]v_x + 15[V] + \frac{V_G - V_E}{9[\Omega]} = 0$$

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$$(C+F) \quad V_C - V_F = 14[V]$$

$$(F+G) \quad V_F - V_G = 24 V_W$$

$$(D) \quad V_D = -13[V]$$

$$(E) \quad V_E = 23[\Omega] i_x$$

$$(V_x) \quad -V_x + (22[S] V_x) 10[\Omega] + V_C - V_A + 11[V] = 0$$

$$(V_w) \quad V_w = V_D - V_F$$

$$(i_w) \quad -i_w + 15[A] + \frac{V_G - V_E}{9[\Omega]} = 0$$

$$(i_x) \quad i_x + \frac{0}{5[\Omega]} + 21 i_w + \frac{11[V] - V_A}{17[\Omega]} - 16[A] = 0$$

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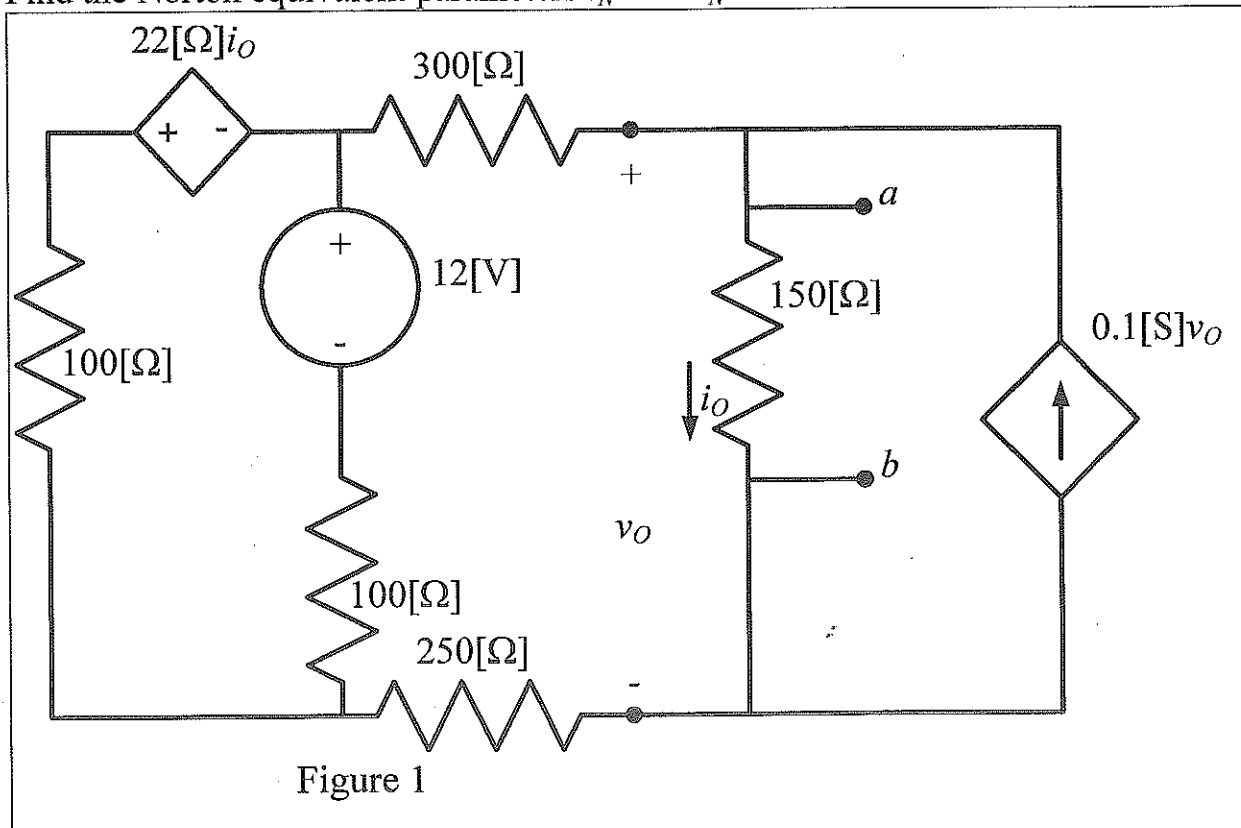


Figure 1

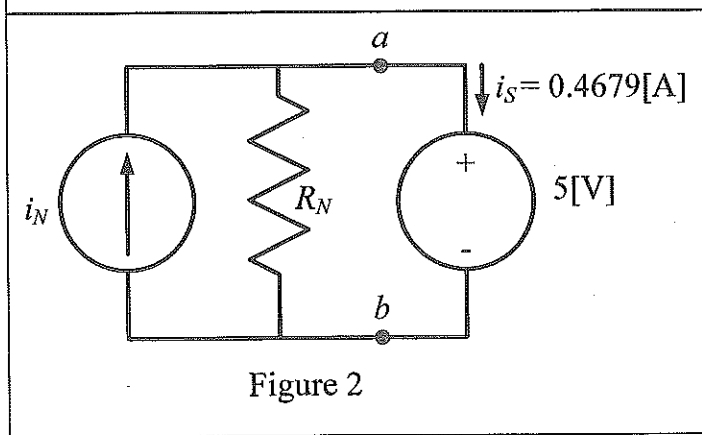


Figure 2

To find a Thevenin or Norton equivalent, we usually need to find two of i_{sc} , V_{oc} , $R_{Th} = R_N$ at terminals a, b . But because we are given information

in Fig. 2, we need only one of these things:

$$i_s = 0.4679 = i_N - \frac{5}{R_N}$$

So if we know i_N or R_N we are done!

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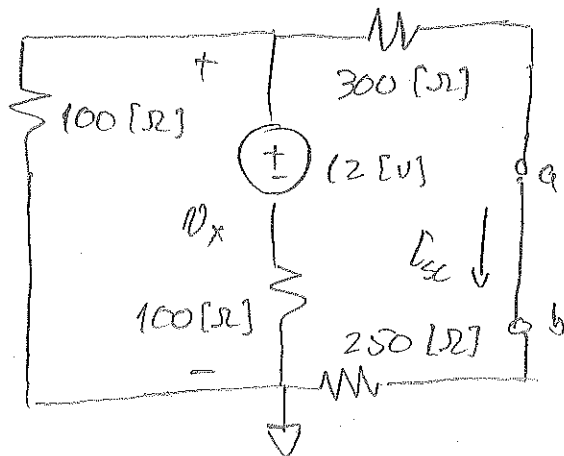
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Looking at the circuit, it should be clear that the simplest thing to find is i_{sc} since then $v_o = v_b = 0!$

Re-drawing with i_{sc} in place:

$$22[\Omega]i_b = 0$$

$$0.1[S]v_o = 0$$



$$\frac{v_x - 12}{100} + \frac{v_x}{100} + \frac{v_x}{550} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v_x = 5.5 [V]$$

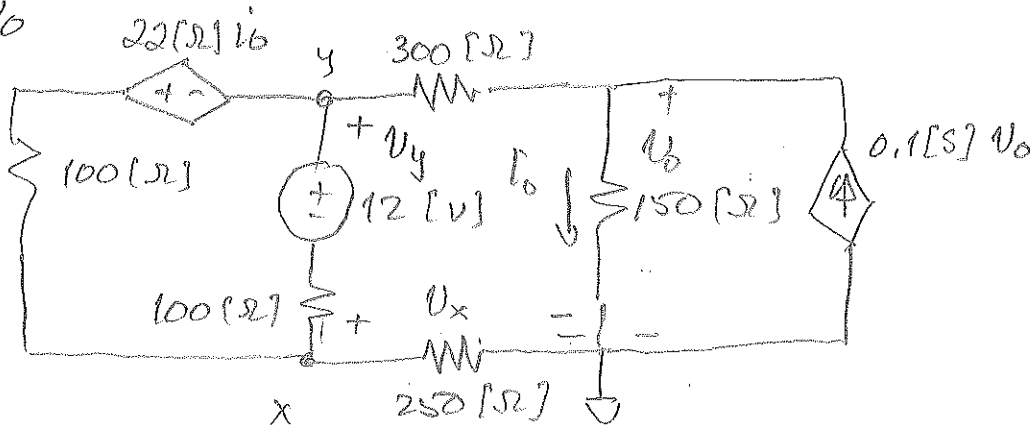
$$\Rightarrow i_{sc} = \frac{v_x}{550} = 0.01 [A]$$

Now: $i_s = i_D = 0.01 [A]$

$$0.4679 = 0.01 - \frac{5}{R_N} \Rightarrow R_N = -10.92 [\Omega]$$

We will find v_{oc} and R_N for fun!

$$v_{oc} = v_o$$



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$$\frac{V_0}{150} - 0.1V_0 + \frac{V_0 - V_y}{300} = 0$$

$$\frac{V_y - V_x - 12}{100} + \frac{V_y - V_x + 22i_0}{100} + \frac{V_y - V_0}{300} = 0$$

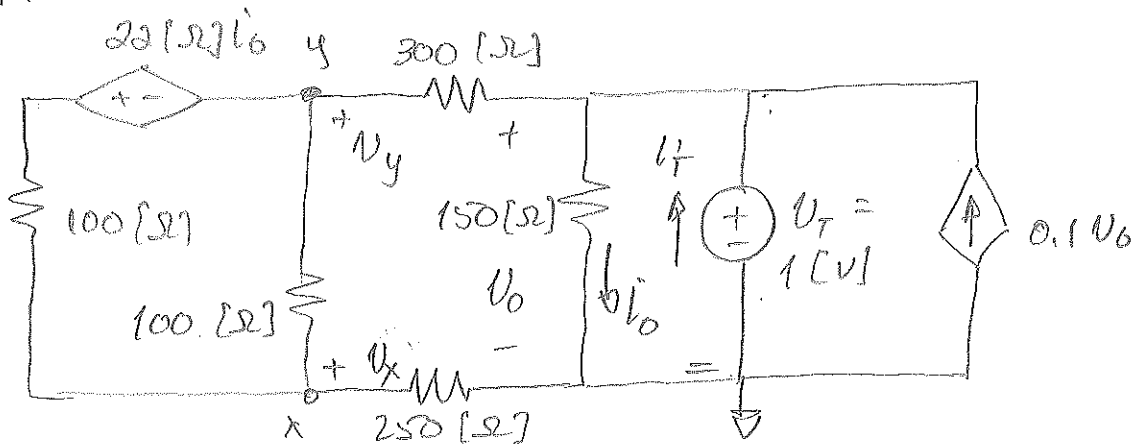
$$\frac{V_x}{250} + \frac{V_x - V_y - 22i_0}{100} + \frac{V_x - V_y + 12}{100} = 0$$

$$i_0' = \frac{V_0}{150}$$

$$V_x = -2.5488 \text{ [V]} \quad V_y = 2.9494 \text{ [V]}$$

$$i_0' = -0.7282 \text{ [mA]} \quad V_0 = V_{OC} = -0.1092 \text{ [V]}$$

$R_{TH} = R_N$:



$$\frac{V_y - V_x + 22i_0}{100} + \frac{V_y - V_x}{100} + \frac{V_y - 1}{300} = 0$$

$$\frac{V_x}{250} + \frac{V_x - V_y - 22i_0}{100} + \frac{V_x - V_y}{100} = 0$$

$$i_0' = \frac{1}{150}$$

$$V_x = 0.4472 \text{ [V]}$$

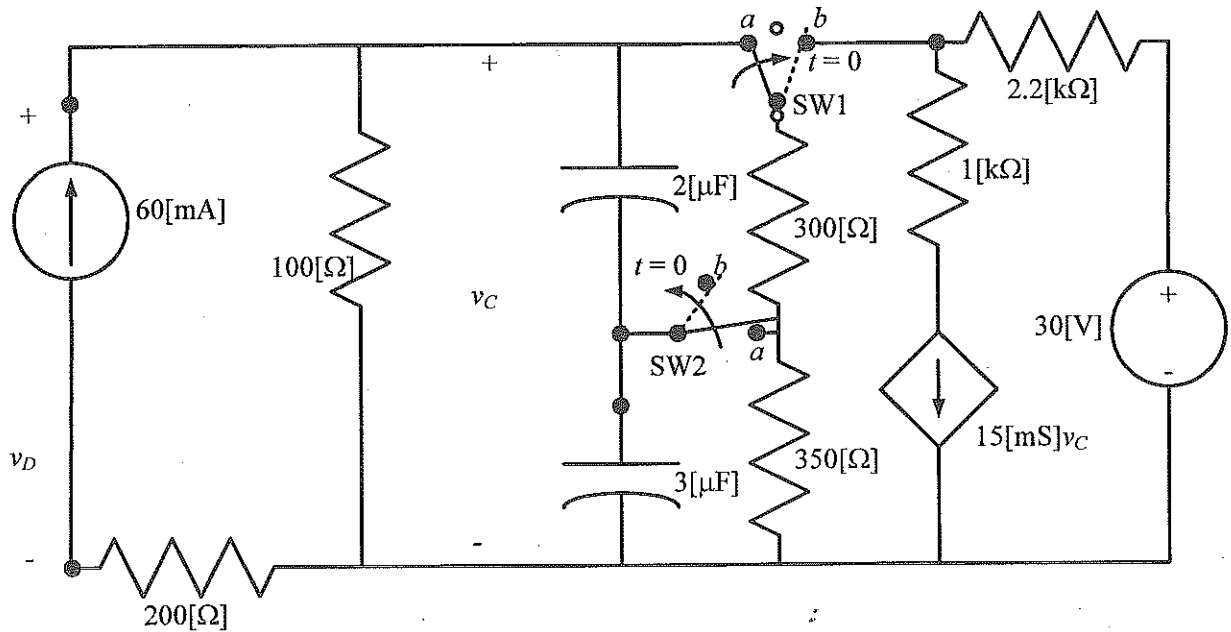
$$V_y = 0.4633 \text{ [V]} \quad i_0' = 6.6667 \text{ [mA]}$$

$$i_T' = i_0' - 0.1(1) + \frac{1 - V_y}{300} = -0.09154 \text{ [A]}$$

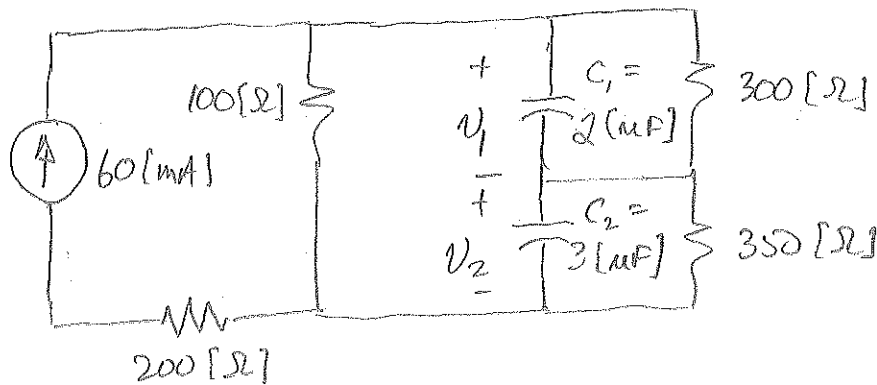
$$R_N = \frac{1}{i_T'} = -10.92 \text{ [}\Omega\text{]}$$

$$i_N' = \frac{V_{OC}}{R_N} = 0.01 \text{ [A]} \quad \checkmark$$

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Re-draw for $t < 0$:



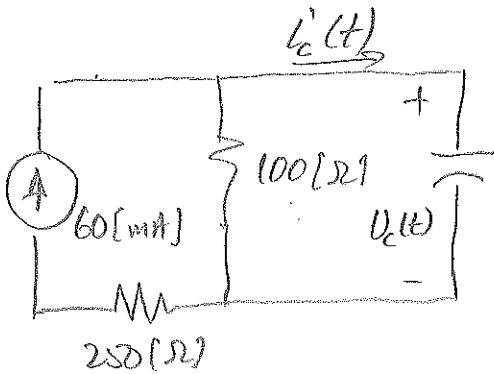
long time $\Rightarrow C_1, C_2 \Rightarrow$ open \Rightarrow

$$v_1(0^+) = 0.06 \cdot \frac{100}{100 + (300 + 350)} \cdot 300 = 2.4 \text{ [V]}$$

$$v_2(0^+) = 0.06 \cdot \frac{100}{100 + (300 + 350)} \cdot 350 = 2.8 \text{ [V]}$$

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Re-draw for $t > 0$:



$$C_{eq} = \left(\frac{1}{2 \times 10^{-6}} + \frac{1}{3 \times 10^{-6}} \right)^{-1} = 1.2 \text{ } [\mu\text{F}]$$

we have $V_c(t) = V_{c,f} + (V_c(0^+) - V_{c,f}) e^{-t/\tau_c}$

where $V_{c,f} = V_c(t \rightarrow \infty)$ $V_c(0^+) = V_1(0^+) + V_2(0^+) = 5.2 \text{ } [\text{V}]$

$$\tau_c = R_{TH} C_{eq}$$

Now $V_{c,f} = 0.06(100) = 6 \text{ } [\text{V}]$ $R_{TH} = 100 \text{ } [\Omega]$

$$\Rightarrow \tau_c = 100 \times 1.2 \times 10^{-6} = 0.12 \text{ } [\text{ms}]$$

$$\Rightarrow V_c(t) = 6 + (5.2 - 6) e^{-t/0.12 \times 10^{-3}} \text{ } [\text{V}] \quad t \geq 0 \text{ } [\text{s}]$$

Now for $V_2(t)$, we will need $i'_c(t)$:

$$i'_c(t) = C_{eq} \frac{dV_c}{dt} = 1.2 \times 10^{-6} \left(\frac{-0.8}{-0.12 \times 10^{-3}} \right) e^{-t/0.12 \times 10^{-3}} \text{ } [\text{A}]$$

$$= 8 \text{ } [\text{mA}] e^{-t/0.12 \times 10^{-3}} \text{ } [\text{A}] \quad t > 0 \text{ } [\text{s}]$$

$$\therefore V_2(t) = \frac{1}{3 \times 10^{-6}} \int_0^t (0.008) e^{-t/0.12 \times 10^{-3}} dt + 2.8$$

$$= \frac{0.008}{3 \times 10^{-6}} (-0.12 \times 10^{-3}) e^{-t/0.12 \times 10^{-3}} \text{ } [\text{V}] \Big|_0^t + 2.8$$

$$V_2(t) = -0.32 e^{-t/0.12 \times 10^{-3}} \text{ } [\text{V}] + 0.32 + 2.8 \text{ } [\text{V}]$$

$$V_2(t=0.3 \text{ } [\text{ms}]) = 3.094 \text{ } [\text{V}] \Rightarrow W_{3\mu\text{F}}(0.3 \text{ } [\text{ms}]) = \frac{1}{2} C_2 V_2^2$$

$$= 14.36 \text{ } [\mu\text{J}]$$