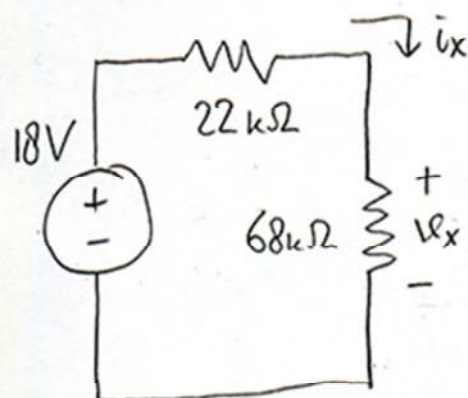


MAE 140 Fall 2015 — HW 2 Solution

2.26 Find v_x and i_x !



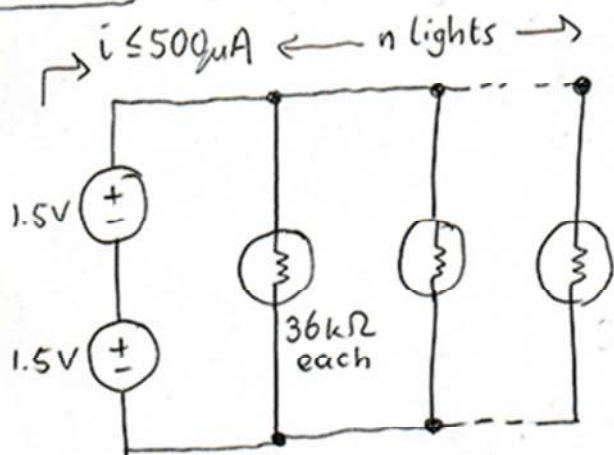
Use voltage divider to find v_x

$$\rightarrow v_x = \left(\frac{68k\Omega}{22k\Omega + 68k\Omega} \right) \cdot 18V = \underline{\underline{13.6V}}$$

Use Ohm's Law on $68k\Omega$ resistor to find i_x

$$i_x = \frac{v_x}{68k\Omega} = \frac{13.6V}{68k\Omega} = \underline{\underline{20mA}}$$

2.28 Find how many lights to keep $i \leq 500\mu A$.



We have 2 1.5V batteries in series

$$\rightarrow v_s = 1.5V + 1.5V = 3V$$

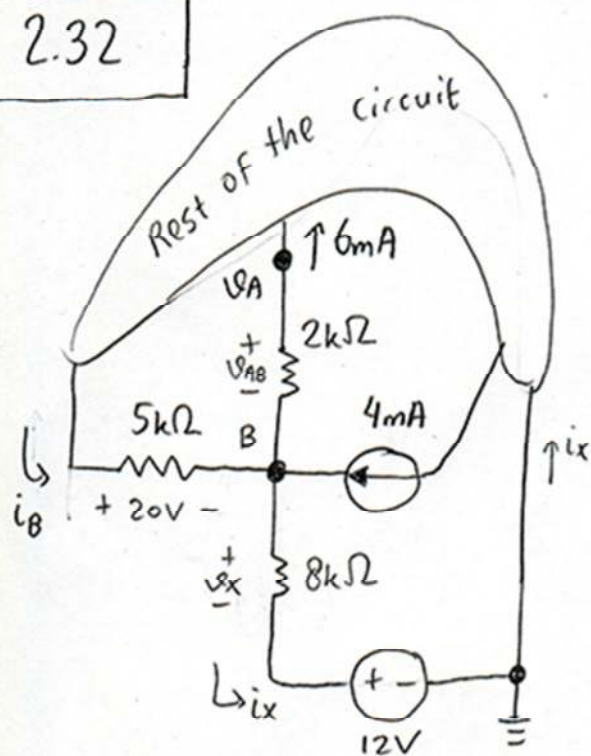
To get $i = 500\mu A$, we want a total resistance of

$$\rightarrow R_t = \frac{v_s}{i} = \frac{3V}{500\mu A} = \underline{\underline{6k\Omega}}$$

Parallel equivalent $\rightarrow R_t = \left(\underbrace{\frac{1}{36k\Omega} + \frac{1}{36k\Omega} + \dots + \frac{1}{36k\Omega}}_{\text{Summed } n \text{ times}} \right)^{-1}$

$$R_t = \left(\frac{n}{36k\Omega} \right)^{-1} = \frac{36k\Omega}{n} = 6k\Omega \quad \rightarrow \quad n = \frac{36k\Omega}{6k\Omega} = \underline{\underline{6}}$$

2.32



- a) Find V_x, i_x !
- b) Show that the sum of current going into the circuit is zero!
- c) Find V_A with respect to the ground $\frac{1}{2}$!

a) Use KCL at node B.

$$\rightarrow -4\text{mA} + 6\text{mA} - i_B + i_x = 0$$

$$i_B = \frac{20\text{V}}{5\text{k}\Omega} = 4\text{mA}$$

$$\rightarrow i_x = 4\text{mA} + 4\text{mA} - 6\text{mA} = \underline{\underline{2\text{mA}}}$$

$$\rightarrow V_x = i_x \cdot 8\text{k}\Omega = 2\text{mA} \cdot 8\text{k}\Omega = \underline{\underline{16\text{V}}}$$

b) Current going into the circuit:

$$\rightarrow 6\text{mA} + i_x - i_B - 4\text{mA} = 6\text{mA} + 2\text{mA} - 4\text{mA} - 4\text{mA} = \underline{\underline{0}}$$

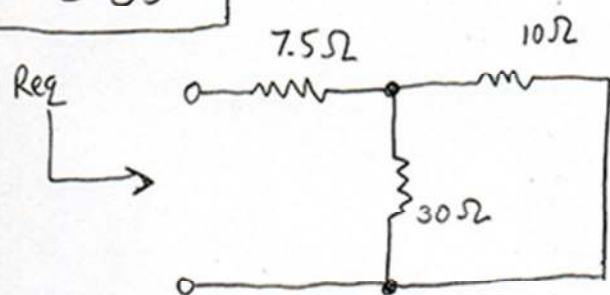
c) Find V_B then use it to find V_A .

$$\text{Voltage at B} \rightarrow V_B = 12\text{V} + V_x = 12\text{V} + 16\text{V} = \underline{\underline{28\text{V}}}$$

$$\text{Find } V_A \rightarrow V_A = V_B + V_{AB} = 28\text{V} + (-6\text{mA}) \cdot 2\text{k}\Omega$$

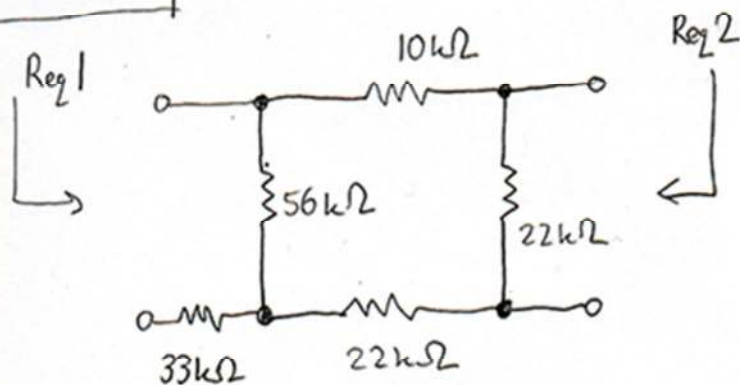
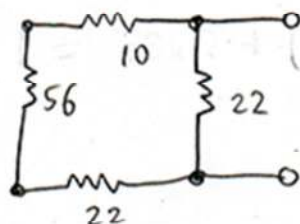
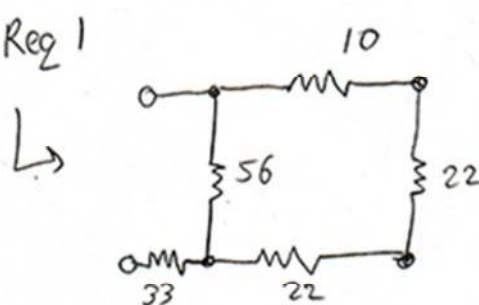
$$V_A = 28\text{V} - 12\text{V} = \underline{\underline{16\text{V}}}$$

2-35

Find R_{eq} !

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_{eq} &= 7.5\Omega + (30\Omega \parallel 10\Omega) \\
 &= 7.5\Omega + \left(\frac{1}{30\Omega} + \frac{1}{10\Omega} \right)^{-1} \\
 &= 7.5\Omega + \frac{30\Omega}{4} = \underline{\underline{15\Omega}}
 \end{aligned}$$

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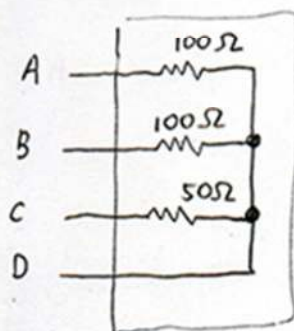
Find R_{eq1} and R_{eq2} ! R_{eq1}  R_{eq2}

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_{eq1} &= \left((10k\Omega + 22k\Omega + 22k\Omega) \parallel 56k\Omega \right) + 33k\Omega \\
 &= (54k\Omega \parallel 56k\Omega) + 33k\Omega = \left(\frac{1}{54k\Omega} + \frac{1}{56k\Omega} \right)^{-1} + 33k\Omega \\
 &= 27.49k\Omega + 33k\Omega = \underline{\underline{60.49k\Omega}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_{eq2} &= (22k\Omega \parallel (10k\Omega + 56k\Omega + 22k\Omega)) = (22k\Omega \parallel 88k\Omega) \\
 &= \left(\frac{1}{22k\Omega} + \frac{1}{88k\Omega} \right)^{-1} = \underline{\underline{17.6k\Omega}}
 \end{aligned}$$

2-41

Connect ABCD such that $R_{eq} = 100\Omega, 200\Omega, 150\Omega, 50\Omega, 25\Omega, 33.3\Omega, 133.3\Omega$



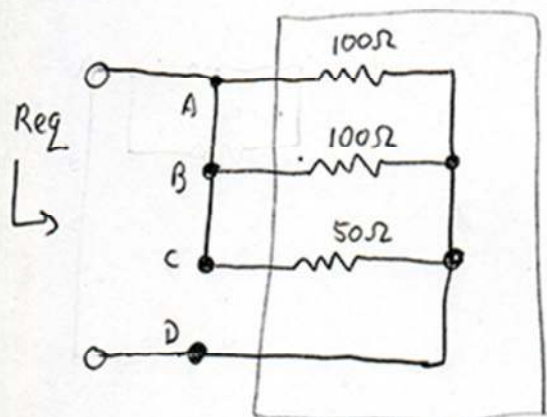
$100\Omega \rightarrow$ Connect AD

$200\Omega \rightarrow$ Connect AB

$150\Omega \rightarrow$ Connect AC

$50\Omega \rightarrow$ Connect CD

$25\Omega \rightarrow$ Connect AB, Connect BC, Connect DA

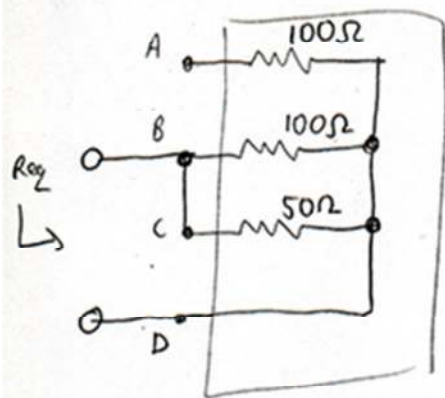


$$R_{eq} = \left(\frac{1}{100\Omega} + \frac{1}{100\Omega} + \frac{1}{50\Omega} \right)^{-1}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{25\Omega}}$$

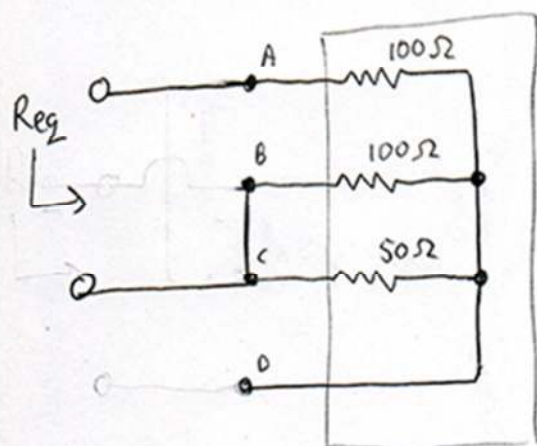
$33.3\Omega \rightarrow$ Connect BC, Connect BD

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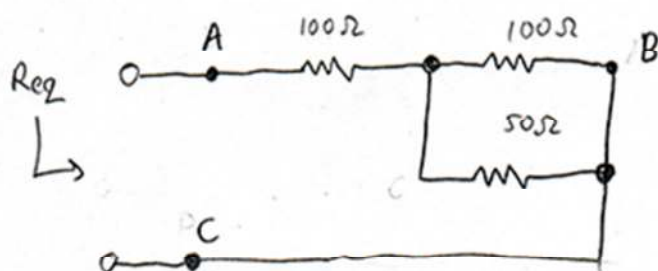


$$R_{eq} = \left(\frac{1}{100\Omega} + \frac{1}{50\Omega} \right)^{-1} = \underline{\underline{33.3\Omega}}$$

$133.3\Omega \rightarrow$ Connect BC, Connect AC or AB



This circuit becomes

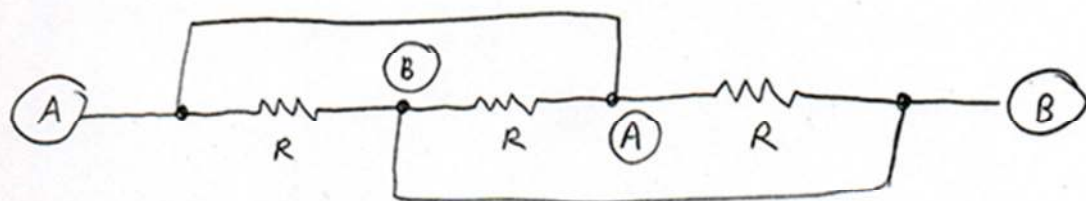


$$R_{eq} = 100\Omega + (100\Omega \parallel 50\Omega) = 100\Omega + \left(\frac{1}{100\Omega} + \frac{1}{50\Omega}\right)^{-1} = 100\Omega + 33.3\Omega$$

$$= \underline{\underline{133.3\Omega}}$$

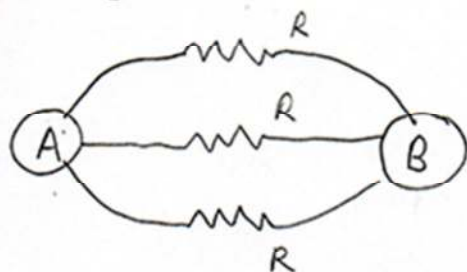
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Find Resistance between terminals A and B!



Label the Shorted nodes.

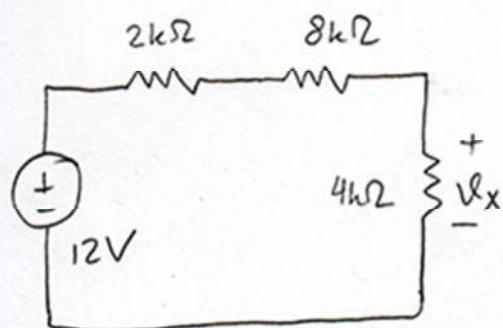
Redrawing this, we have



$$\rightarrow R_{eq} = R \parallel R \parallel R = \left(\frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{R}\right)^{-1}$$

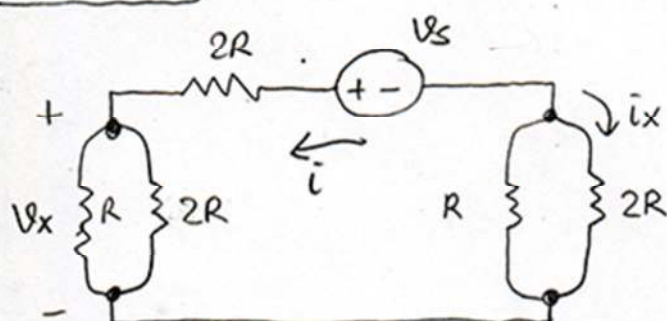
$$R_{eq} = \underline{\underline{\frac{R}{3}}}$$

2-54

Use voltage division to find V_x !

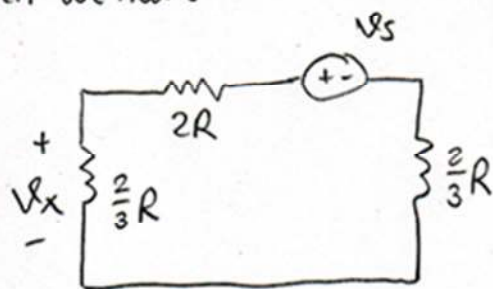
$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow V_x &= \left(\frac{4k\Omega}{2k\Omega + 8k\Omega + 4k\Omega} \right) \cdot 12V \\ &= \left(\frac{4}{14} \right) 12V = \underline{\underline{3.43V}} \end{aligned}$$

2-70

Use circuit reduction to find V_x , i_x !Find the R_{eq} for $(R \parallel 2R)$

$$\rightarrow R_{eq} = \left(\frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{2R} \right)^{-1} = \left(\frac{2}{3} R \right)$$

Then we have =

Use Voltage divider to find V_x

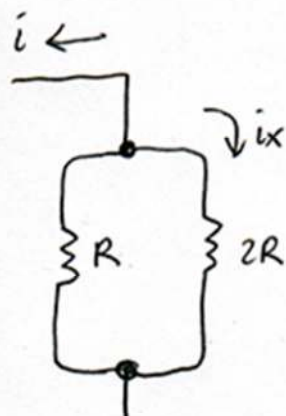
$$\rightarrow V_x = \left(\frac{\frac{2}{3}R}{2R + \frac{2}{3}R + \frac{2}{3}R} \right) V_s = \left(\frac{2}{10} \right) V_s$$

$$\underline{\underline{V_x = \frac{1}{5} V_s}}$$

Then solve for i

$$i = \frac{V_s}{2R + \frac{2}{3}R + \frac{2}{3}R} = \frac{3}{10} \frac{V_s}{R}$$

So, we have



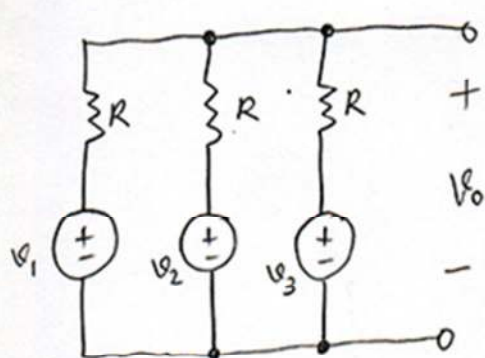
Use current divider to find i_x

$$i_x = \left(\frac{R}{R+2R} \right) (-i) = \frac{1}{3} \left(-\frac{3}{10} \frac{V_s}{R} \right)$$

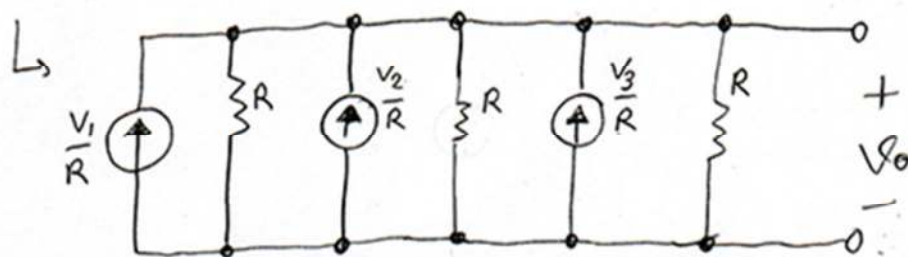
$$\underline{\underline{i_x = -\frac{1}{10} \frac{V_s}{R}}}$$

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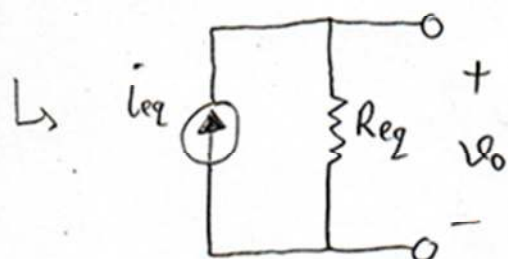
Use Source transformation to relate V_o with V_1, V_2, V_3 !



Transform the voltage sources into the current sources.



Then we have 3 parallel current sources and 3 parallel resistances.



$$i_{eq} = \frac{V_1}{R} + \frac{V_2}{R} + \frac{V_3}{R} = \frac{1}{R} (V_1 + V_2 + V_3)$$

$$R_{eq} = (R \parallel R \parallel R) = \frac{R}{3}$$

$$\underline{\underline{V_o = R_{eq} \cdot i_{eq} = \frac{1}{3} (V_1 + V_2 + V_3)}}$$