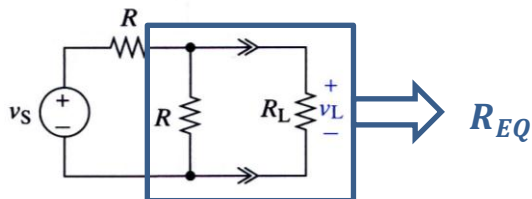


MAE140 Win12 HW2 Solutions

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2-41



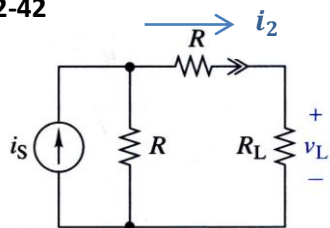
R and R_L are in parallel. Since voltages across parallel elements are equal, the unknown voltage v_L appears across both. We first define an equivalent resistance $R_{EQ} = R || R_L$ as

$$R_{EQ} = \frac{RR_L}{R + R_L}$$

We write the voltage division rule in terms of R_{EQ} as

$$v_L = \left(\frac{R_{EQ}}{R_{EQ} + R} \right) v_s = \left(\frac{R_L}{2R_L + R} \right) v_s$$

2-42



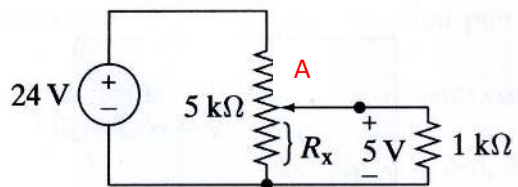
As shown in the figure, R is in series with R_L . The currents pass them are equal. We can use two path divider circuit rule.

$$i_2 = \left(\frac{R}{2R + R_L} \right) i_s$$

Then using Ohm's Law, we can get

$$v_L = i_2 R_L = \left(\frac{RR_L}{2R + R_L} \right) i_s = 12.5 \text{ mV}$$

2-44

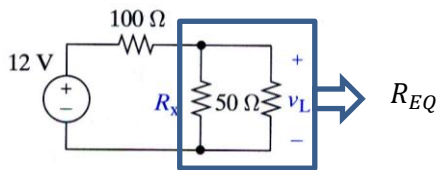


Use KCL at node A, we can obtain,

$$\frac{(24 - 5)V}{(5 - R_X)k\Omega} - \frac{5V}{R_X} - \frac{5V}{1k\Omega} = 0 \Rightarrow 5R_X^2 - R_X - 25 = 0$$

Choose the positive root of the equation, we can get $R_X \approx 2.34k\Omega$.

2-50



R_X is in parallel with 50Ω . We can write $R_{EQ} = \frac{50R_X}{50+R_X}$.

Then we can calculate

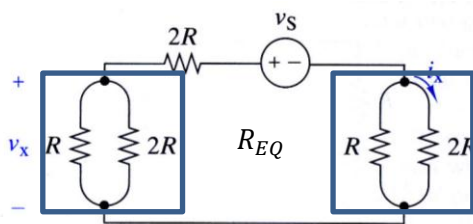
$$v_L = \frac{12}{100 + R_{EQ}} R_{EQ} = \frac{12R_X}{100 + 3R_X}$$

When $v_L = 2V$, we can get $R_X = 16.67\Omega$.

When $v_L = 4V$, we can find the equation $\frac{12R_X}{100+3R_X} = 4$, so $R_X = \infty$.

When $v_L = 6V$, it's impossible to find R_X , since resistance must be positive.

2-52



We can get $R_{EQ} = \frac{R \cdot 2R}{R+2R} = \frac{2}{3}R$.

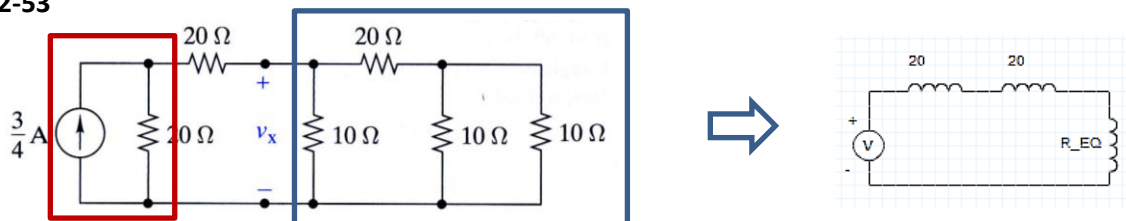
It's easy to see that

$$v_X = -\frac{R_{EQ}}{2R + 2R_{EQ}} v_s = -\frac{v_s}{5}$$

$$i_X = -\frac{v_X}{2R} = -\frac{v_s}{10R}$$

Please pay attention to the direction of the voltage and current. I got the wrong answer in the discussion session. Sorry for that.

2-53



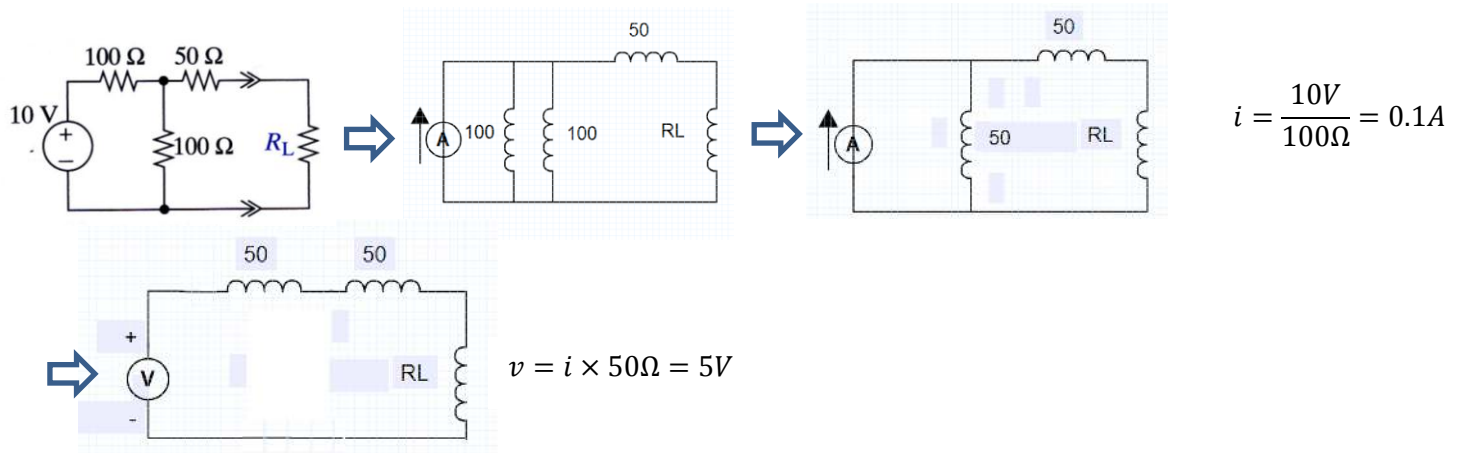
Recall the knowledge of equivalent circuits. We can get the figure RHS, where

$$v = \frac{3}{4} \times 20 = 15V, \quad R_{EQ} = \frac{50}{7}\Omega$$

So

$$v_X = \frac{v}{20 + 20 + R_{EQ}} R_{EQ} = 2.27V$$

2-58

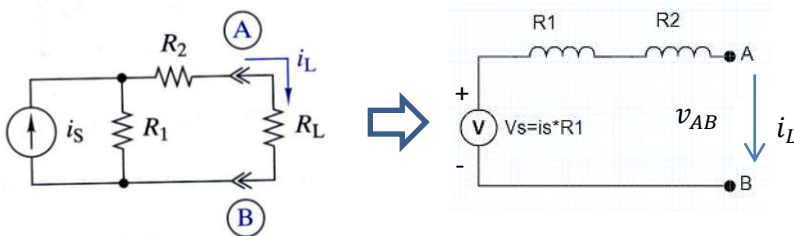


Then we can find the equation

$$\frac{5V}{50\Omega + 50\Omega + R_L} = 40 \text{ mA} \Rightarrow R_L = 25\Omega$$

3-36

(a)



(b)

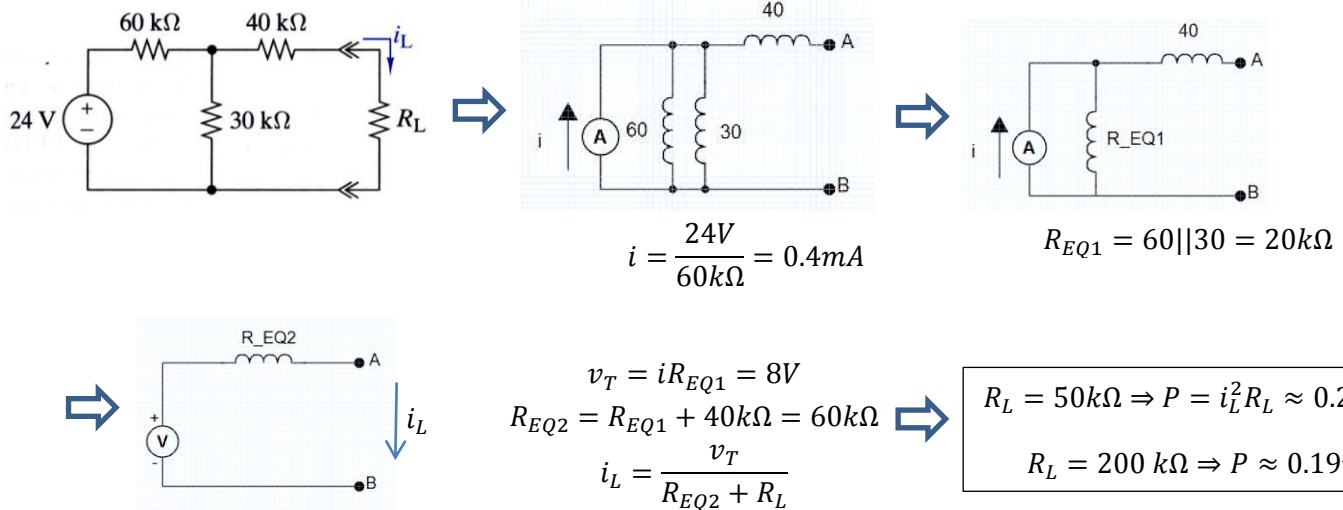
$$i_L = \frac{v_s}{R_1 + R_2 + R_{AB}} = \frac{i_s R_1}{R_1 + R_2 + R_{AB}}$$

(c)

Using current division, we can get

$$i_L = \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2 + R_{AB}} i_s$$

3-39



3-41

As we did in 3-39, we can get similar results.

$$i = \frac{15V}{3k\Omega} = 5mA, \quad R_{EQL} = 3k\Omega || 6k\Omega = 2k\Omega \Rightarrow v_T = iR_{EQL} = 10V$$

$$R_{EQR} = 1.2k\Omega + 1k\Omega || 4k\Omega = 2k\Omega \Rightarrow v_X = \frac{v_T}{R_{EQL} + R_{EQR}} R_{EQR} = 2.5V$$