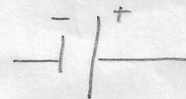


Resistor Networks

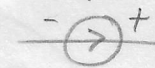
Power Sources:

Voltage Source

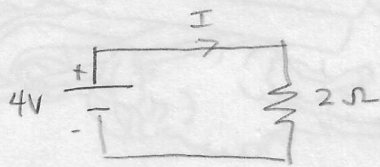


constant V across

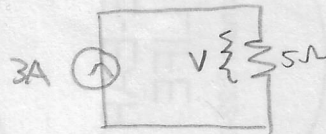
Current Source



constant I across



$$I = \frac{V}{R} = \frac{4}{2} = 2A$$



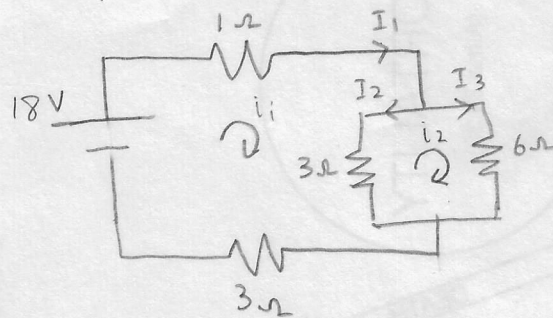
$$\text{Voltage drop across resistor} = (3)(5) = 15V$$

Kirchoff's Laws

Sum of voltage drops around a closed loop = 0

Sum of current entering a node = 0

Eg.



Find I_1, I_2, I_3 :

$$I_1 = I_2 + I_3$$

$$(1+3)I_1 + 3I_2 - 18 = 0$$

$$6I_3 - 3I_2 = 0$$

$$I_1 = 3A$$

$$I_2 = 2A$$

$$I_3 = 1A$$

$$(1+3)i_1 + 3(i_1 - i_2) - 18 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 7i_1 - 3i_2 = 18$$

$$(6)i_2 + (3)(i_2 - i_1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9i_2 = 3i_1$$

$$\Rightarrow 3i_2 = i_1$$

$$i_1 = 3A$$

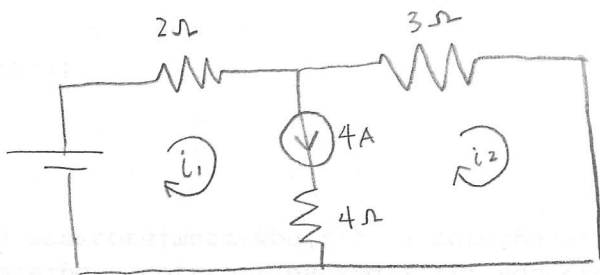
$$i_2 = 1A$$

$$I_1 = i_1$$

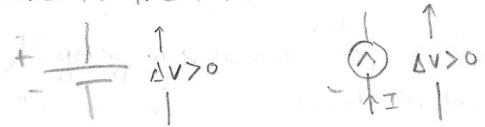
$$I_2 = i_1 - i_2$$

$$I_3 = i_2$$

loop current method



The current src \uparrow has an associated voltage increase in same direction of current. Treat like $\overline{+}$



variables: - "loop current" (i) for each elementary loop : i_1, i_2
 - voltage increase (v) for each current source : v

equations: - voltage drop around each elementary loop
 - match current source and loop current for each current source

loop 1: $(2\Omega)i_1 - v + (4\Omega)(i_1 - i_2) - 18 = 0$

loop 2: $(3\Omega)i_2 + (4\Omega)(i_2 - i_1) + v = 0$

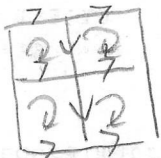
current src: $4 = i_1 - i_2$

$i_1 = 6, \quad i_2 = 2, \quad v = 10$

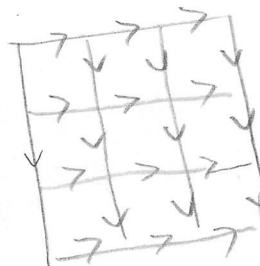
e.g. $V_{3\Omega} = (i_2)(3\Omega) = 6V$

Advantages

- more systematic
- less variables in large network

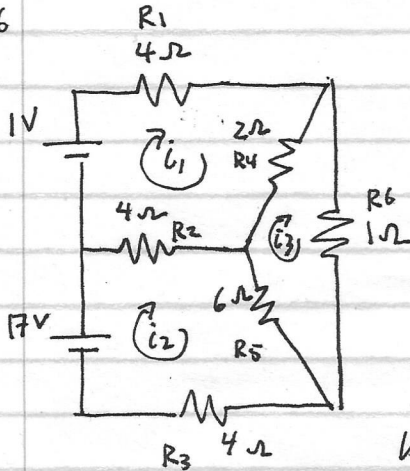


4 vars in loop current method
 8 vars in trad method



9 vars in loop method
 22 vars in trad method

WWS6



Use Kirchoff's voltage law to find an eqn for voltage drop round

loop 1: $1 = (4)i_1 + (2)(i_1 - i_3) + (4)(i_1 - i_2)$
 $1 = 10i_1 - 4i_2 - 2i_3$

loop 2: $17 = (4)(i_2 - i_1) + (6)(i_2 - i_3) + 4i_2$
 $17 = -4i_1 + 14i_2 - 6i_3$

loop 3: $0 = (2)(i_3 - i_1) + 1(i_3) + (6)(i_3 - i_2)$
 $0 = -2i_1 - 6i_2 + 9i_3$

Find i_1, i_2, i_3 (+ for cw direction)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 10 & -4 & -2 & | & 1 \\ -4 & 14 & -6 & | & 17 \\ -2 & -6 & 9 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 & -9 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 26 & -24 & | & 17 \\ 0 & -34 & 43 & | & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 & -9 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 26 & -24 & | & 17 \\ 0 & 0 & 43 - \frac{24 \cdot 34}{26} & | & 1 + \frac{17 \cdot 34}{26} \end{bmatrix}$$

Which direction does current flow across

R_1 (4Ω) $i_1 > 0$ L to R \rightarrow

R_2 (4Ω) $i_1 - i_2 = -1$ L to R \rightarrow

R_3 (4Ω) $i_2 > 0$ R to L \leftarrow

R_4 (2Ω) $i_3 - i_1 > 0$ down to up \uparrow

R_5 (6Ω) $i_2 - i_3 < 0$ up to down \downarrow

R_6 (1Ω) $i_3 > 0$ up to down \downarrow

$$\frac{302}{26} i_3 = \frac{604}{26}$$

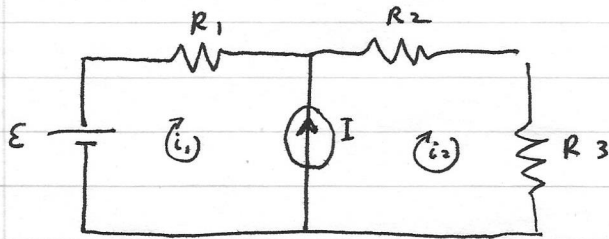
$$i_3 = 2 \text{ A}$$

$$26i_2 - 24(2) = 17$$

$$i_2 = \frac{5}{2} \text{ A}$$

$$2i_1 + 6\left(\frac{5}{2}\right) - 9(2) = 0$$

$$i_1 = \frac{3}{2} \text{ A}$$



$$R_1 = 2\Omega$$

$$E = 52\text{V}$$

$$R_2 = 5\Omega$$

$$I = 1\text{A}$$

$$R_3 = 2\Omega$$

outer loop: contains R_1, R_2, R_3, E

$$E = i_1 R_1 + i_2 (R_2 + R_3)$$

$$52 = 2i_1 + 7i_2$$

relationship b/w the current src and the loop currents.

$$I = i_2 - i_1$$

$$1 = i_2 - i_1$$

Find i_1, i_2 (true for CW direction)

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & 7 & 52 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 9 & 54 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} (6) - (i_1) = 1 \Rightarrow i_1 = 5\text{A} \\ 9i_2 = 54 \Rightarrow i_2 = 6\text{A} \end{array}$$

Use KVL to find voltage gain across the current src I .

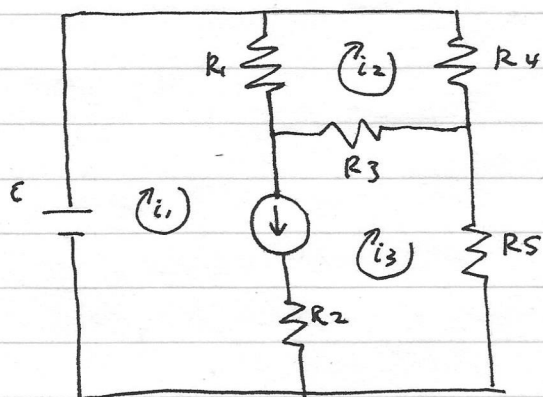
$$\text{loop 1: } E = (5)(2) + V, \quad V = 42\text{V}$$

Suppose I is adjustable so it's no longer 1A. What should I be changed to so there is no current through the cell E ?

$$I = i_2 - i_1 \quad \text{outer loop: } 52 = 0R_1 + (R_2 + R_3)i_2$$

$$52 = 7i_2 \quad \Rightarrow i_2 = 52/7$$

$$I = 52/7\text{A}$$



- $R_1 = 4\Omega$
- $R_2 = 6\Omega$
- $R_3 = 2\Omega$
- $R_4 = 2\Omega$
- $R_5 = 3\Omega$
- $\mathcal{E} = 16\text{ V}$
- $I = 7\text{ A}$

a. Find 3 independent linear equations that can be used to solve for the loop currents.

$$\mathcal{E} + V = (4\Omega)(i_1 - i_2) + (6\Omega)(i_1 - i_3) \quad \text{loop 1}$$

$$(4)(i_2 - i_1) + (2)i_2 + (2)(i_2 - i_3) = 0 \quad \text{loop 2}$$

$$-4i_1 + 8i_2 - 2i_3 = 0$$

$$-2i_1 + 4i_2 - i_3 = 0$$

contains V

loop 3

$$16 = (2)i_2 + (3)i_3$$

outer loop

$$7 = i_1 - i_3$$

current src

b. Find the loop currents i_1, i_2, i_3 (true for cw direction)

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} -2 & 4 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 & 16 \\ 7 & 0 & -1 & 7 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} -2 & 4 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 & 16 \\ 0 & 2 & -1.5 & 7 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} -2 & 4 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 & 16 \\ 0 & 0 & -4.5 & -9 \end{array} \right]$$

$$i_3 = 2$$

c. Use KVL to find the voltage gain across the src I . $2i_2 + 3(2) = 16$

$$16 - (4)(i_1 - i_2) + V - (6)(i_1 - i_3) = 0$$

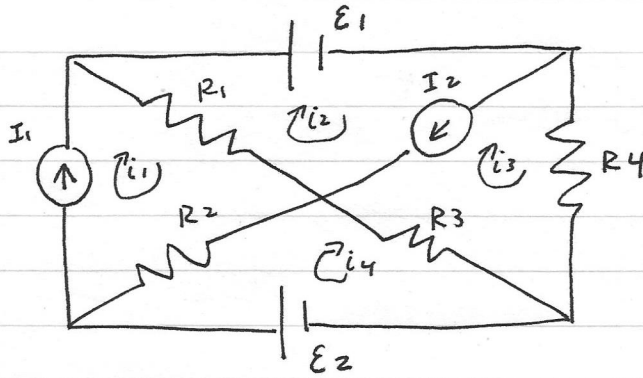
$$i_2 = 5$$

$$16 - (4)(4) + V - (6)(7) = 0$$

$$-2i_1 + 4(5) - (2) = 0$$

$$V = 42\text{ V}$$

$$i_1 = 9$$



- $R_1 = 6\Omega$ $\mathcal{E}_1 = 25V$
- $R_2 = 5\Omega$ $\mathcal{E}_2 = 10V$
- $R_3 = 2\Omega$ $I_1 = 2A$
- $R_4 = 3\Omega$ $I_2 = 4A$

Find i_1, i_2, i_3, i_4 .

current srcs : $4 = i_2 - i_3$ *

$i_1 = 2$

loop 4: $10 - (5)(i_4 - i_1) - (2)(i_4 - i_3) = 0$

$20 = 7i_4 - 2i_3$ *

loop 2: $25 - (6)(i_1 - i_2) - (2)(i_4 - i_3) + (3)i_3 = 0$

$13 + 6i_2 = 2i_4 + 5i_3 = 0$

$13 = -6i_2 - 5i_3 + 2i_4$ *

$$\begin{bmatrix} i_2 & i_3 & i_4 & | & \\ -6 & -5 & 2 & | & 13 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & | & 4 \\ 0 & -2 & 7 & | & 20 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & | & 4 \\ 0 & -11 & 2 & | & 37 \\ 0 & -2 & 7 & | & 20 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & | & 4 \\ 0 & 11 & -2 & | & -37 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 - \frac{4}{11} & | & 20 - \frac{76}{11} \end{bmatrix}$$

$\frac{73}{11} i_4 = \frac{146}{11}$

$i_4 = 2$

current flow through

R_1 $i_1 - i_2 > 0$ ↘

R_2 $i_4 - i_1 = 0$ no current

R_3 $i_4 - i_3 > 0$ ↘

R_4 $i_3 < 0$ ↑

$11i_3 - 2(2) = -37$

$i_3 = -3$

$i_2 - (-3) = 4$

$i_2 = 1$