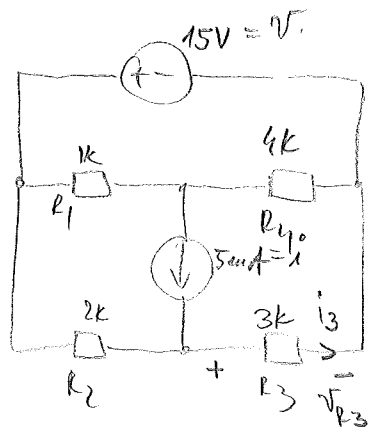


Solution: 2

- ▶ Super-position
- ▶ Thevenin's equivalent.
- ▶ Δ-Y conversion.

Super-position principle

(1) Use super-position to find the magnitude and polarity of the voltage across $R_3 = 3k\Omega$.

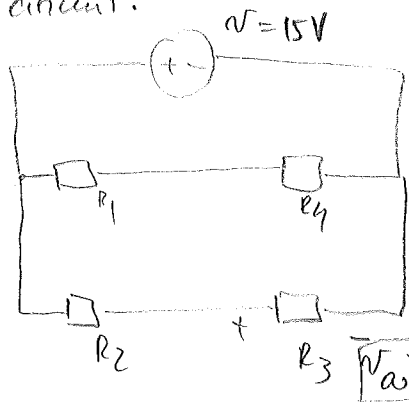


$V_{R3} = ?$
 $i_{R3} = ?$

$V_{R3} = V_a + V_b$
 due to source due to source.

$V_a = ?$

ef. circuit.



$V_a = \frac{R_3}{R_2 + R_3} \cdot V$

(1) + (2) =

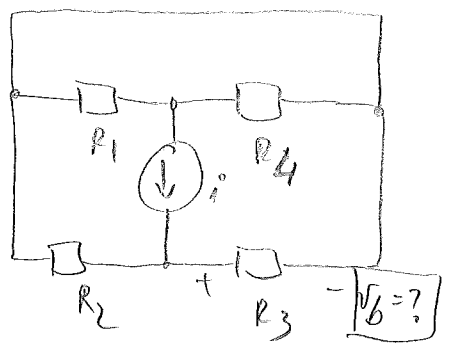
$V_{R3} = V_a + V_b = \frac{R_3}{R_2 + R_3} V + \frac{R_2 R_3}{R_2 + R_3} i$

$V_{R3} = \frac{3}{3+2} \cdot 15 + \frac{2 \cdot 3}{2+3} \cdot 5 = 9 + 6 = 15V$

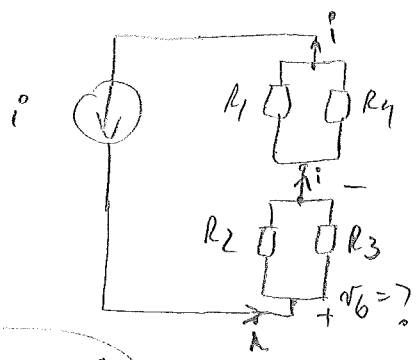
$V_{R3} = 15V$

$V_b = ?$

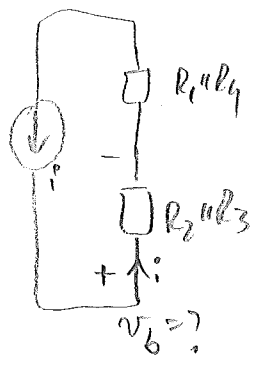
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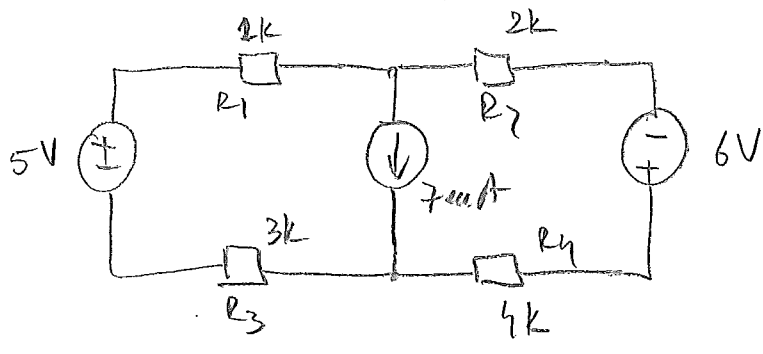
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$V_b = R_2 || R_3 \cdot i$

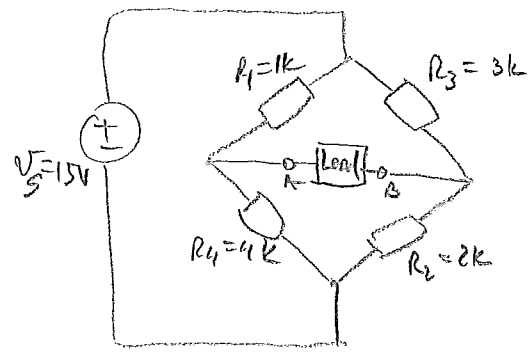
(2)

(2) Use super-position to find the power (absorbed/delivered) by the current source of 7mA.

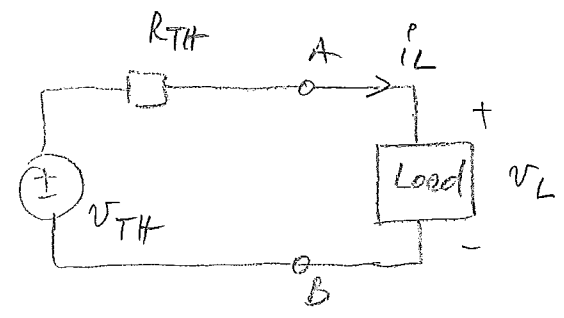


Thévenin's equivalent

(3) Use Thévenin's theorem to find the load voltage and current if the load is (a) a resistance $R_L = 1k\Omega$ (b) a 10V voltage source with the (+) at terminal A.



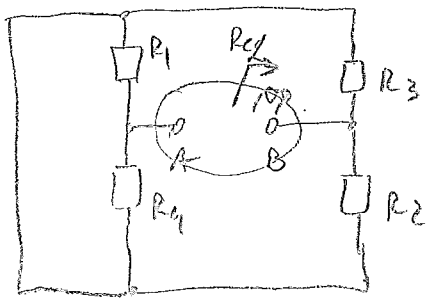
(\Rightarrow)



$R_{TH} = R_{eq} = ?$

$$R_{eq} = R_{TH} = R_1 \parallel R_4 + R_3 \parallel R_2$$

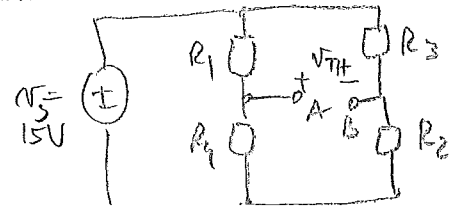
$$= 1k \parallel 4k + 3k \parallel 2k = \frac{1 \cdot 4}{5} + \frac{3 \cdot 2}{3+2} = \frac{4}{5} + \frac{6}{5} = \frac{10}{5} = 2k$$

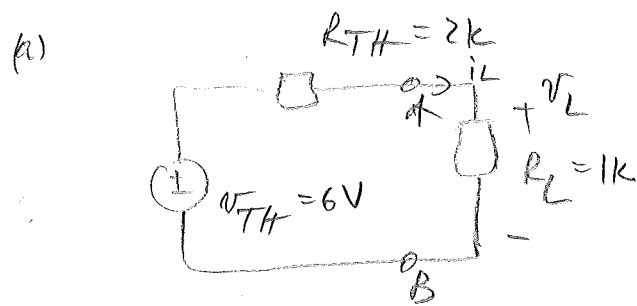


$V_{TH} = V_{oc} = ?$

$$V_{TH} = V_{oc} = V_A - V_B = \frac{R_4}{R_1 + R_4} V_S - \frac{R_2}{R_2 + R_3} V_S$$

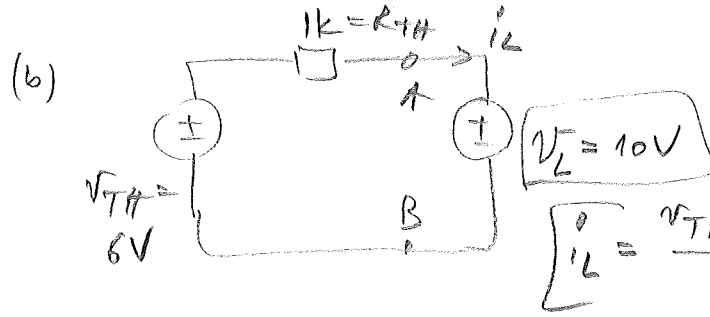
$$V_{TH} = \left(\frac{R_4}{R_1 + R_4} - \frac{R_2}{R_2 + R_3} \right) V_S = 6V$$





$$v_L = \frac{R_L}{R_L + R_{TH}} \cdot v_{TH} = \frac{1}{1+2} \cdot 6 = 3V$$

$$i_L = \frac{v_L}{R_L} = \frac{3V}{1k} = 3mA$$



$$i_L = \frac{v_{TH} - v_L}{R_{TH}} = -\frac{4V}{2k\Omega} = -2mA$$

(c) Find the voltage v :

