

HOMWORK #2 Solution Prob 3 (cont.)



Now that we have solved the circuit,
we can find i_0 from an i-sum eqn
for the node on the right.

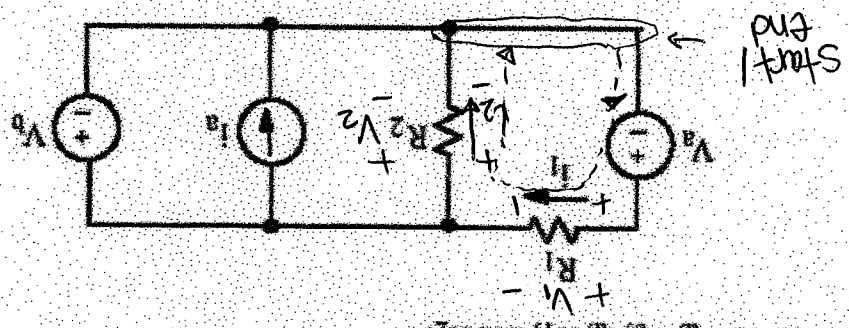
$$-i_2 - i_1 - i_a + i_0 = 0A$$

$$\text{or } i_0 = i_1 + i_2 + i_a$$

$$\text{or } i_0 = -\frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2} V_s + i_a$$

HW #2 Examples

3. Derive an expression for i_1 . The expression must not contain more than the circuit parameters V_a, V_b, i_a, R_1 , and R_2 .



Label all I's & V's.
 Shortcut: (Use Ohms Law immediately in V-loops)

(1) $V_a - i_1 R_1 - i_2 R_2 = 0$ (Ohms Law for V_1)
 (2) $V_a - i_1 R_1 - V_b = 0$ (Ohms Law for V_2)
 (3) $i_2 R_2 - V_b = 0 \rightarrow i_2 = \frac{V_b}{R_2}$

Can not do current summation because of V_b .

Solving (2) $\Rightarrow i_1 = \frac{V_a - V_b}{R_1}$

OR solving (1) with (3) plugged in
 $V_a - i_1 R_1 - \frac{V_b}{R_2} R_2 = 0$

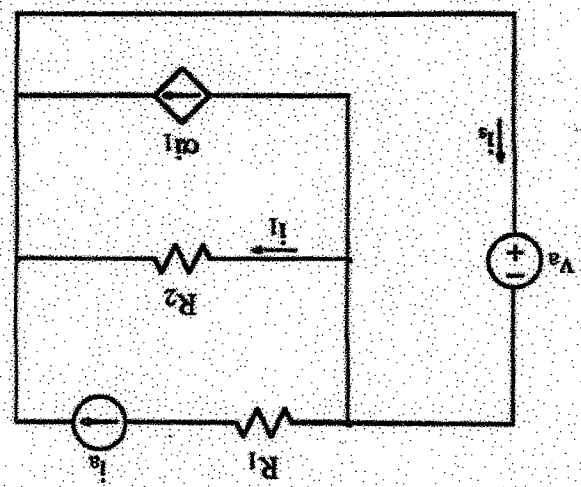
$i_1 = \frac{V_a - V_b}{R_1}$ (same)

EX:

HOMEWORK #2 Example #4

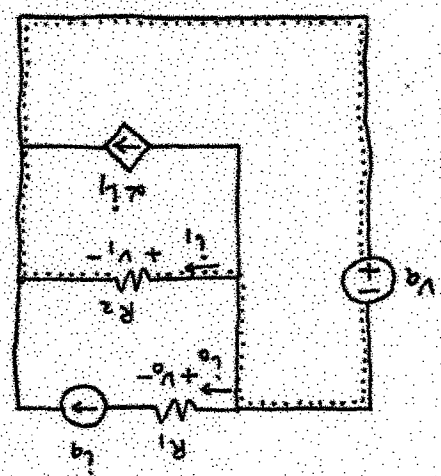


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- a) Derive an expression for i_s . The expression must not contain more than the circuit parameters α , i_s , V_a , R_1 , and R_2 . (Make sure to eliminate i_1 from the answer.)
- b) Make at least one consistency check (other than a units check) on your expression. Explain the consistency check clearly.

sol'n: a) Label R_1 's



Only v-loop without current source is thru V_a and R_2 , (dotted line).

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HOMWORK #2 Solution Prob 4 (cont.)

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$$-V_g - V_1 = 0V$$

We look for nodes where we can write i-sum eq'n's. Here, however, we really only have two nodes, and they are connected by only v-src V_g .

Thus, we have no i-sum eq'n's.

We look for components in series carrying the same current.

$$i_0 = i_g$$

From Ohm's law:

$$V_0 = i_0 R_1 = i_g R_1$$

$$V_1 = i_1 R_2$$

Substituting for V_1 in our v-loop eq'n:

$$-V_g - i_1 R_2 = 0V$$

$$\text{or } i_1 = -\frac{V_g}{R_2}$$

It follows that $i_1 = -\frac{V_g}{R_2}$.

Now we write i-sum eq'n (for node consisting of wire on right side) to find i_g .

HOMWORK #2 Solution Prob 4 (cont.)



$$i_s - \alpha i_1 - i_1 - i_2 = 0$$

$$\text{or } i_s = \alpha i_1 + i_1 + i_2$$

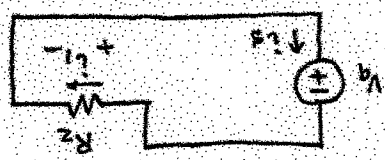
$$\text{or } i_s = (\alpha + 1) \left(-\frac{R_2}{V_a} \right) + i_2$$

$$\text{or } i_s = i_2 - (\alpha + 1) \frac{R_2}{V_a}$$

6) Many consistency checks are possible. The idea is to pick component values that make the circuit so simple that we can solve it by inspection.

One example is to eliminate current sources:

Let $i_a = 0A$ and $\alpha = 0$:



$$\text{We have } i_s = i_1 = -\frac{R_2}{V_a}$$

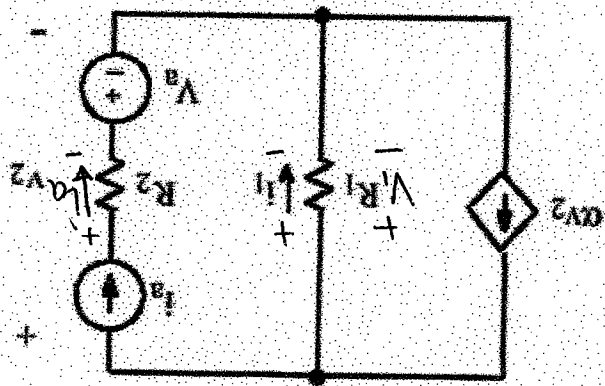
Now we verify that our eqn from (a) agrees:

$$i_s = 0 - (\alpha + 1) \frac{R_2}{V_a} = -\frac{R_2}{V_a}$$

Another example is to set $v_a = 0V$, $\alpha = 0$. Then $i_s = i_2$. Our eqn gives $i_s = i_2 - (\alpha + 1) \frac{R_2}{0} = i_2$

HW #2 Examples

4. Derive an expression for i_1 . The expression must not contain more than the circuit parameters α , V_a , i_a , R_1 , and R_2 .



Make at least one consistency check (other than a units check) on your expression for problem 4. Explain the consistency check clearly.

Label all I 's & V 's across R 's with polarity

V-loop (with Ohm's Law)

$$(1) +i_1 R_1 - V_2 = 0 \Rightarrow i_1 = \frac{V_2}{R_1}$$

Current summations:

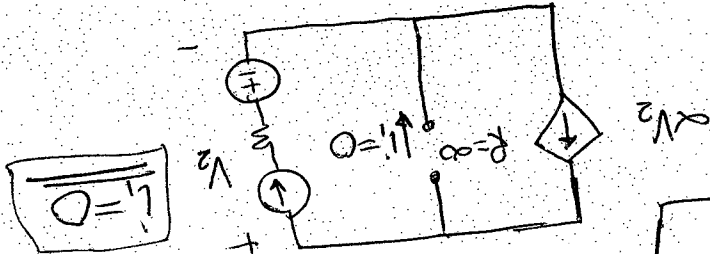
$$(2) +\alpha V_2 - i_1 - i_a = 0$$

plug (1) into (2) $\Rightarrow +\alpha V_2 - \frac{V_2}{R_1} - i_a = 0$ (1 unknown)

$$V_2 \left(\alpha - \frac{1}{R_1} \right) = i_a \Rightarrow V_2 = \frac{i_a}{\left(\alpha - \frac{1}{R_1} \right)}$$

$$i_1 = \frac{\frac{i_a}{\left(\alpha - \frac{1}{R_1} \right)}}{R_1} = \frac{i_a}{\left(\alpha R_1 - 1 \right)}$$

From eq: $i_1 = \frac{i_a}{\alpha R_1 - 1}$ (anything of $\infty = 0$)

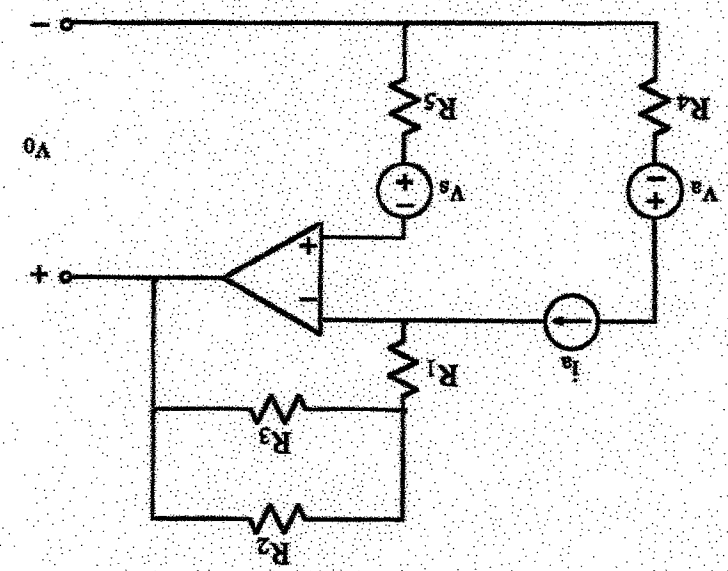


consistency check: set values read circuit + $R_1 = \infty$ (open)

HOMEWORK #2 Example #5

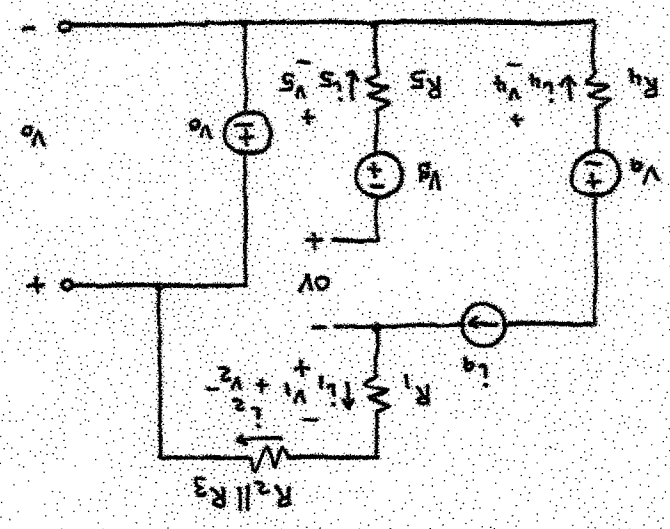


EX:



The op-amp operates in the linear mode. Using an appropriate model of the op-amp, derive an expression for V_0 in terms of not more than $v_a, v_b, i_a, R_1, R_2, R_3, R_4$ and R_5 .

soln: Replace op-amp with src called v_0 and assume v-drop across + and - terminals is 0V. We also combine R_2 and R_3 .



HOMWORK #2 Solution Prob 5 (cont.)



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Write v-loops passing thru 0V across + and - terminals:

$$+v_4 + v_a + ?$$

Don't use left-side v-loop because of current src.

$$+v_5 - v_3 - 0V - v_1 - v_2 - v_0 = 0V$$

Write current sums at nodes.

The only true node is on the bottom.

$$-i_4 - i_5 - i_2 = 0A$$

Look for components in series carrying the same current:

$$i_4 = -i_a$$

$$i_1 = i_a$$

$$i_2 = i_1 = i_a$$

$$i_5 = 0A \text{ (since it is in series with an open circuit)}$$

We see that i_a flows all the way around the outer loop.

We need only substitute for v 's in v-loop using i_a and Ohm's law for each resistor:

$$v_1 = i_1 R_1 = i_a R_1$$

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$$v_2 = i_2 \cdot R_2 \parallel R_3 = i_4 \cdot R_2 \parallel R_3$$

$$v_5 = i_5 \cdot R_5 = 0 \cdot R_5 = 0V$$

Our v-loop becomes:

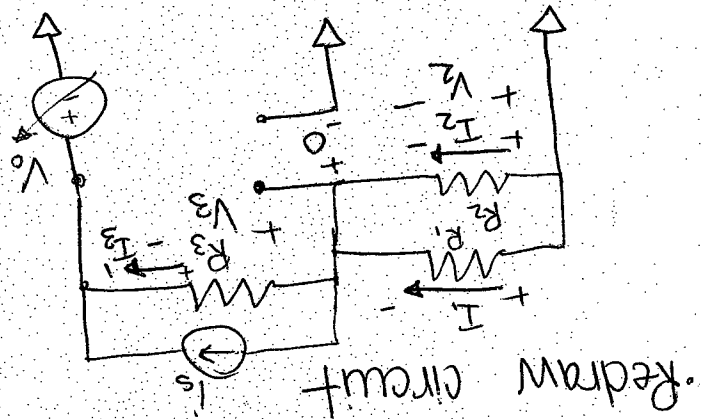
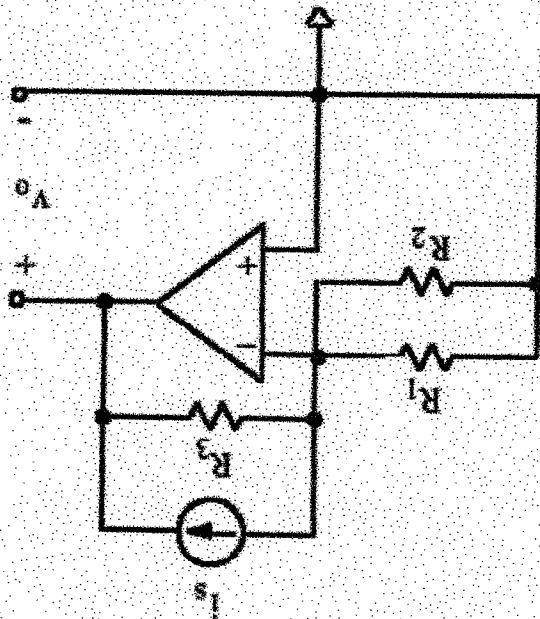
$$0V - v_5 - 0V - i_4 R_1 - i_4 R_2 \parallel R_3 - v_0 = 0V$$

Solving v_0 gives the expression we seek:

$$v_0 = -v_5 - i_4 (R_1 + R_2 \parallel R_3)$$

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Redrawn circuit

plug (2) into (1)

$$+I_s R_3 = V_o$$

• KVLs:

$$-V_2 - 0 = 0$$

$$V_2 = 0$$

Ohm's Law

$$V_2 = I_2(R_2) \Rightarrow I_2 = 0$$

$$V_2 = I_1(R_1) \Rightarrow I_1 = 0$$

$$(1) + 0 - I_3 R_3 - V_o = 0$$

Current summations:

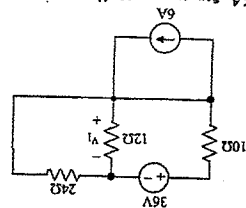
$$+I_1 + I_2 - I_3 - I_s = 0$$

(no summation on right of I_s because of V_o branch)

$$(2) - I_s = I_3$$

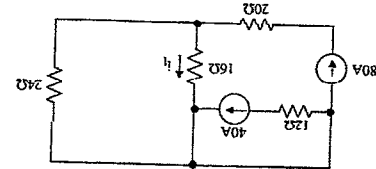
Review Solution

1. a. (5 points) Calculate v_1 .



Soln: The 6A source across the wire may be ignored. Its current flows through the wire but produces no V -drop. Without the 6A src we have a V -divider: $v_1 = 36V \cdot \frac{12\Omega}{12\Omega + 100\Omega} = 3.6V$. $i_1 = 3.6V / 12\Omega = 0.3A$

Calculate i_1 .

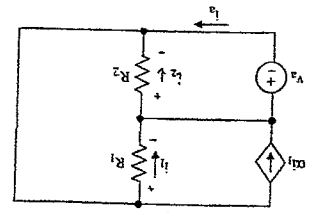


Soln: If we redraw the circuit, we see a current divider: $i_1 = 40A \cdot \frac{20\Omega}{20\Omega + 16\Omega} = 24A$

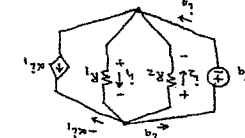
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b. Make at least one consistency check (other than a units check) on your expression. Explain the consistency check clearly.



Soln: a) Redraw circuit:



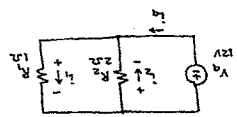
No current sums at nodes because of v_1 .
 V -loop on left: $v_1 - i_2 R_2 = 0V \Rightarrow i_2 = \frac{v_1}{R_2}$
 V -loop in middle: $i_2 R_2 + i_1 R_1 = 0V \Rightarrow i_1 = -\frac{v_1}{R_1}$
 V -loop on right: $i_1 R_1 + i_2 R_2 + v_1 = 0V$ or $i_1 R_1 + i_2 R_2 = -v_1$
 or $i_1 = -\frac{v_1}{R_1} \cdot \frac{R_2}{R_2}$ or $i_1 = -\frac{v_1}{R_1} \cdot \frac{R_2}{R_2}$

we could also just observe that v_1 is across R_1 and R_2 .
 Now that we have found i_1 and i_2 , we use a current at top node to find i_1 :
 $i_1 + i_2 - i_1 - i_2 = 0V$ or $i_1 + i_2 + i_2 + i_1 = 0V$
 $2i_1 + 2i_2 = 0V$ or $i_1 = -i_2$

soln: 3.b)

Many possible answers

Example: Suppose $v_1 = 0$. Choose other simple values:



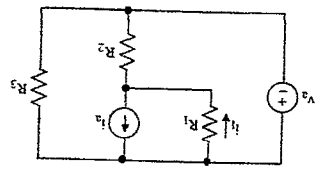
we see that i_1 is current thru $R_1 \parallel R_2$ with $R_1 \parallel R_2$ across v_1 .
 $\therefore i_1 = -v_1 / R_1 \parallel R_2 = -12V / \frac{3\Omega \cdot 1\Omega}{3\Omega + 1\Omega} = -18A$

Use formula from (a) with these component values:
 $i_1 = -\frac{12V}{\frac{3\Omega \cdot 1\Omega}{3\Omega + 1\Omega}} = -12V \cdot \frac{4}{4\Omega} = -12V \cdot \frac{1}{1\Omega} = -12A$
 $i_2 = -18V$ agrees with obvious soln for this simple case

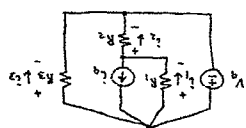
2. (30 points)

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Derive an expression for i_1 . The expression must not contain more than the circuit parameters v_1, i_1, R_1, R_2, R_3 and R_3 .



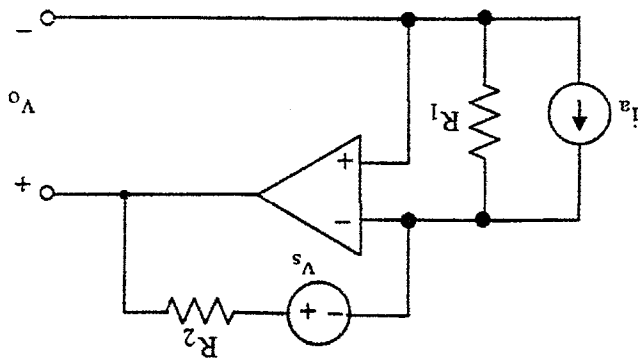
Soln: Redraw with top as one node:



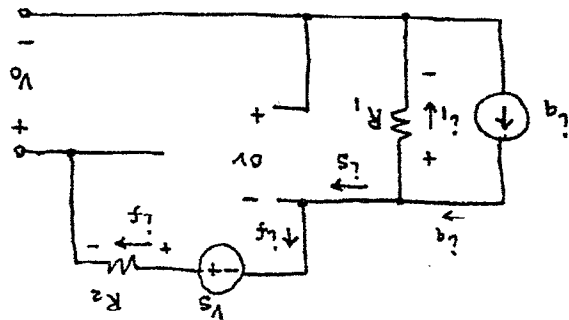
Current sum at top or bottom node? No, because we would have to define a current for source v_1 .
 Current at center node: $i_1 - i_2 = 0A$
 V -loop around left inner loop: $v_1 - i_1 R_1 - i_2 R_2 = 0V$
 No V -loop for other inner loops because we would have to define V -drop for v_1 .
 Next larger loop is R_1, R_2, R_3 : $i_2 R_2 + i_1 R_1 - i_2 R_3 = 0V$
 Now we have 3 eqns in 3 unknowns, and we want to find i_1 . We observe, however, that the first two eqns have only two unknowns. So we don't actually need the 3rd eqn. Use 1st eqn to find $i_2 = i_1 - i_1$.
 Substitute into 2nd eqn: $v_1 - i_1 R_1 - (i_1 - i_1) R_2 = 0V$
 or $i_1 (-R_1 - R_2) = -v_1 - i_1 R_2$ or $i_1 = \frac{v_1 + i_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2}$

4. (30 points)

The op-amp operates in the linear mode. Using an appropriate model of the op amp, derive an expression for v_o in terms of v_s , i_a , R_1 , and R_2 .



sol'n: Redraw without op-amp and v_o drop across + and - inputs:



V-loop on left thru R_1 and v_o drop:
 $i_1 R_1 + v_o = 0V$ or $i_1 = 0$

Current sum at node above R_1 :

$$-i_a + i_1 + i_s = 0A \text{ or } i_s = i_a$$

V-loop on right thru v_o drop, v_s , R_2 , and v_o :

$$-0V + v_s - i_f R_2 - v_o = 0V \text{ or } i_f = \frac{v_s - v_o}{R_2}$$

Now use $i_s = i_f$.

$$i_a = \frac{v_s - v_o}{R_2}$$

or

$$v_o = v_s - i_a R_2$$

Thus $v_s - v_o = i_a R_2$