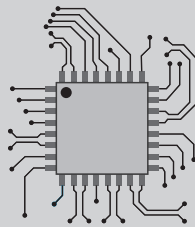


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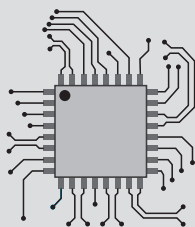
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# Network Theory

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# Network Theory

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Circuit analysis: Node and mesh analysis, superposition, Thevenin's theorem, Norton's theorem, reciprocity. Sinusoidal steady state analysis: phasors, complex power, maximum power transfer. Time and frequency domain analysis of linear circuits: RL, RC and RLC circuits, solution of network equations using Laplace transform. Linear 2-port network parameters, wye-delta transformation.

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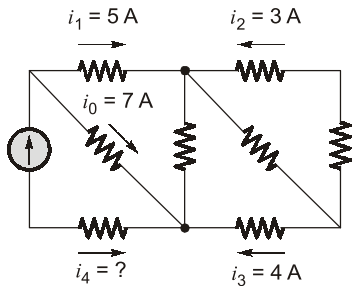
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# Basics of Network Analysis

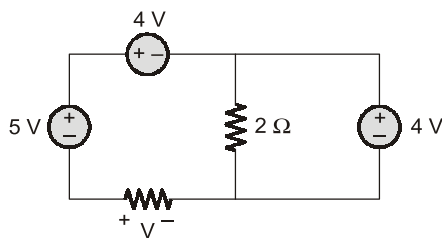
- 1.1** The current  $i_4$  in the circuit of figure is equal to



- (a) 12 A (b) -12 A  
(c) 4 A (d) None of these

[1997 : 1 M]

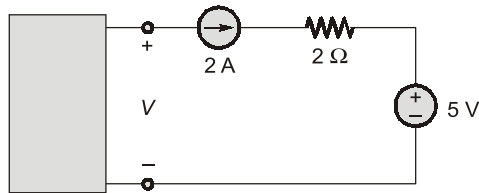
- 1.2** The voltage  $V$  in figure is equal to



- (a) 3 V (b) -3 V  
(c) 5 V (d) None of these

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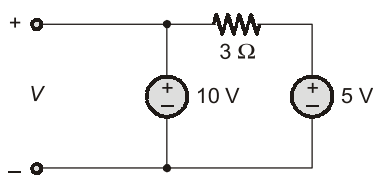
- 1.3** The voltage  $V$  in figure is always equal to



- (a) 9 V (b) 5 V  
(c) 1 V (d) None of these

[1997 : 1 M]

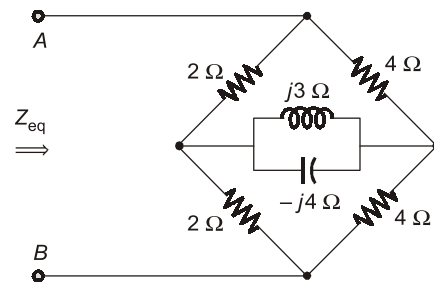
- 1.4** The voltage  $V$  in figure is



- (a) 10 V (b) 15 V  
(c) 5 V (d) None of these

[1997 : 1 M]

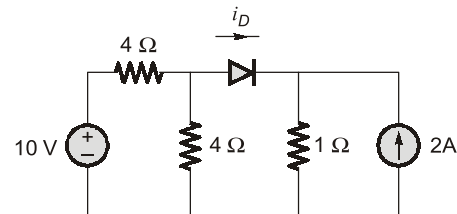
- 1.5** In the circuit of Fig. the equivalent impedance seen across terminals  $A, B$  is



- (a)  $(16/3) \Omega$  (b)  $(8/3) \Omega$   
(c)  $(8/3 + 12j) \Omega$  (d) None of the above

[1997 : 2 M]

- 1.6** In the circuit shown in the figure the current  $i_D$  through the ideal diode (zero cut in voltage and zero forward resistance) equals



- (a) 0 A (b) 4 A  
(c) 1 A (d) None of these

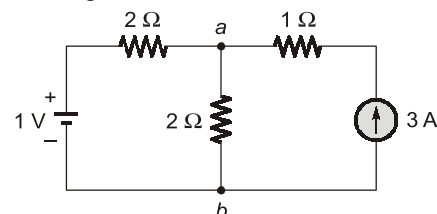
[1997 : 3 Marks]

- 1.7** The nodal method of circuit analysis is based on

- (a) KVL and Ohm's law  
(b) KCL and Ohm's law  
(c) KCL and KVL  
(d) KCL, KVL and Ohm's law

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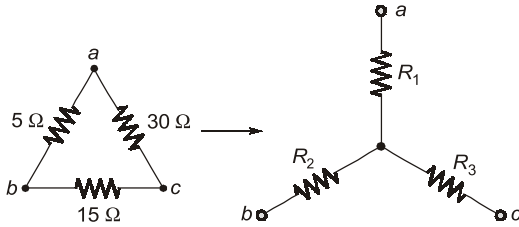
- 1.8** The voltage across the terminals  $a$  and  $b$  in Fig. is



- (a) 0.5 V (b) 3.0 V  
(c) 3.5 V (d) 4.0 V

[1998 : 1 M]

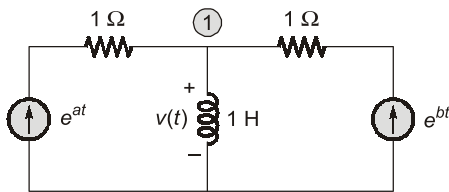
- 1.9** A Delta-connected network with its Wye-equivalent is shown in the figure. The resistances  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$  and  $R_3$  (in ohms) are respectively



- (a) 1.5, 3 and 9  
(b) 3, 9 and 1.5  
(c) 9, 3 and 1.5  
(d) 3, 1.5 and 9

[1999 : 2 M]

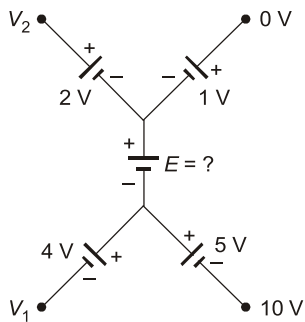
- 1.10** In the circuit of the figure, the voltage  $v(t)$  is



- (a)  $e^{at} - e^{bt}$   
(b)  $e^{at} + e^{bt}$   
(c)  $ae^{at} - be^{bt}$   
(d)  $ae^{at} + be^{bt}$

[2000 : 1 M]

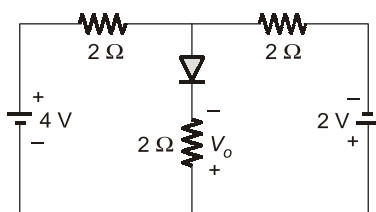
- 1.11** In the circuit of the figure, the value of the voltage source  $E$  is



- (a) -16 V  
(b) 4 V  
(c) -6 V  
(d) 16 V

[2000 : 1 M]

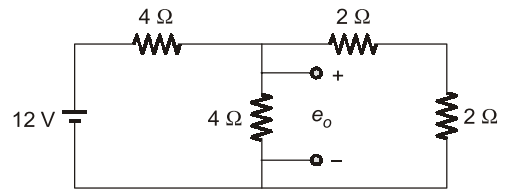
- 1.12** For the circuit in the figure, the voltage  $V_o$  is



- (a) 2 V  
(b) 1 V  
(c) -1 V  
(d) None of these

[2000 : 2 M]

- 1.13** The voltage  $e_o$  in the figure is



- (a) 2 V  
(b)  $\frac{4}{3}$  V  
(c) 4 V  
(d) 8 V

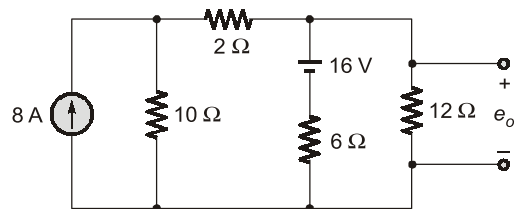
[2001 : 1 M]

- 1.14** If each branch of a Delta circuit has impedance  $\sqrt{3} Z$ , then each branch of the equivalent Wye circuit has impedance.

- (a)  $\frac{Z}{\sqrt{3}}$   
(b)  $3 Z$   
(c)  $3\sqrt{3} Z$   
(d)  $\frac{Z}{3}$

[2001 : 1 M]

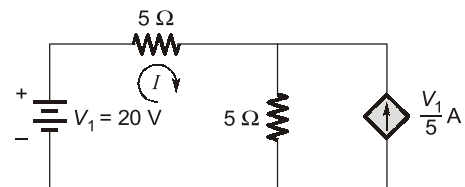
- 1.15** The voltage  $e_o$  in the figure is



- (a) 48 V  
(b) 24 V  
(c) 36 V  
(d) 28 V

[2001 : 2 M]

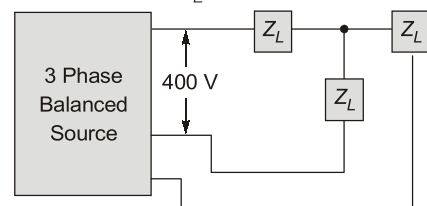
- 1.16** The dependent current source shown in the figure



- (a) delivers 80 W  
(b) absorbs 80 W  
(c) delivers 40 W  
(d) absorbs 40 W

[2002 : 1 M]

- 1.17** If the 3-phase balanced source in the figure delivers 1500 W at a leading power factor 0.844, then the value of  $Z_L$  (in ohm) is approximately



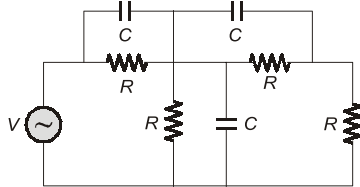
- (a)  $90\angle 32.44^\circ$   
(b)  $80\angle 32.44^\circ$   
(c)  $80\angle -32.44^\circ$   
(d)  $90\angle -32.44^\circ$

[2002 : 2 M]



**1.18** The minimum number of equations required to analyze the circuit shown in the figure is

- (a) 3  
(b) 4  
(c) 6  
(d) 7

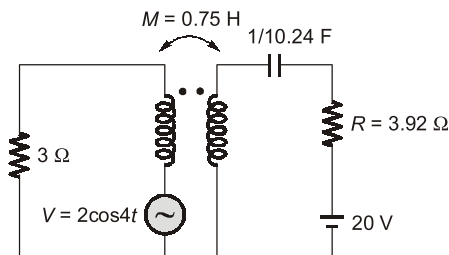


[2003 : 1 M]

**1.19** Twelve  $1\ \Omega$  resistances are used as edges to form a cube. The resistance between two diagonally opposite corners of the cube is

- (a)  $\frac{5}{6}\ \Omega$  (b)  $1\ \Omega$   
(c)  $\frac{6}{5}\ \Omega$  (d)  $\frac{3}{2}\ \Omega$  [2003 : 2 M]

**1.20** The current flowing through the resistance  $R$  in the circuit in the figure has the form  $P \cos 4t$ , where  $P$  is



- (a)  $(0.18 + j0.72)$  (b)  $(0.46 + j1.90)$   
(c)  $-(0.18 + j1.90)$  (d)  $-(0.192 + j0.144)$

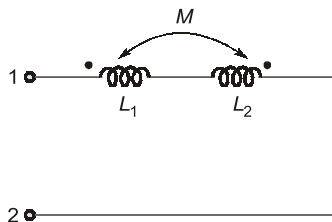
[2003 : 2 M]

**1.21** An ideal sawtooth voltage waveform of frequency 500 Hz and amplitude 3 V is generated by charging a capacitor of  $2\ \mu\text{F}$  in every cycle. The charging requires

- (a) constant voltage source of 3 V for 1 ms.  
(b) constant voltage source of 3 V for 2 ms.  
(c) constant current source of 3 mA for 1 ms.  
(d) constant current source of 3 mA for 2 ms.

[2003 : 2 M]

**1.22** The equivalent inductance measured between the terminals 1 and 2 for the circuit shown in the figure is



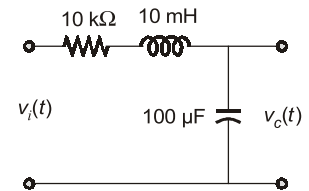
- (a)  $L_1 + L_2 + M$  (b)  $L_1 + L_2 - M$   
(c)  $L_1 + L_2 + 2M$  (d)  $L_1 + L_2 - 2M$

[2004 : 1 M]

**1.23** For the circuit shown in the figure, the initial conditions are zero. Its transfer function  $H(s) = \frac{V_o(s)}{V_i(s)}$  is

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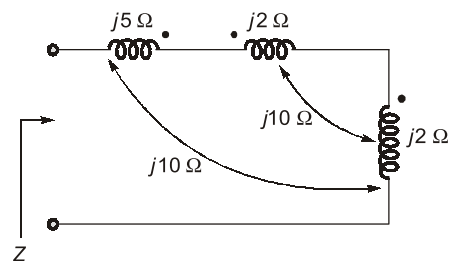
- (a)  $\frac{1}{s^2 + 10^6 s + 10^6}$   
(b)  $\frac{10^6}{s^2 + 10^3 s + 10^6}$   
(c)  $\frac{10^3}{s^2 + 10^3 s + 10^6}$



- (d)  $\frac{10^6}{s^2 + 10^6 s + 10^6}$

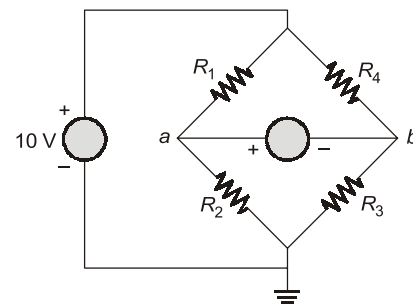
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**1.24** Impedance  $Z$  as shown in the given figure is



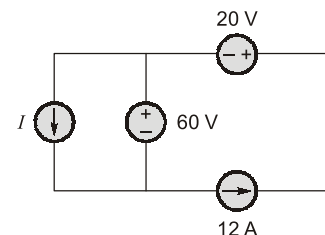
- (a)  $j29\ \Omega$  (b)  $j9\ \Omega$   
(c)  $j19\ \Omega$  (d)  $j39\ \Omega$  [2005 : 2 M]

**1.25** If  $R_1 = R_2 = R_4 = R$  and  $R_3 = 1.1 R$  in the bridge circuit shown in the figure, then the reading in the ideal voltmeter connected between  $a$  and  $b$  is



- (a) 0.238 V (b) 0.138 V  
(c) -0.238 V (d) 1 V [2005 : 2 M]

**1.26** In the interconnection of ideal sources shown in the figure, it is known that the 60 V source is absorbing power.

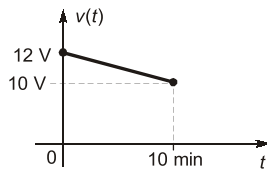


Which of the following can be the value of the current source  $I$ ?

- (a) 10 A (b) 13 A  
(c) 15 A (d) 18 A [2009 : 1 M]

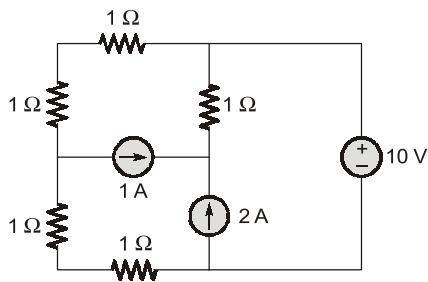
**1.27** A fully charged mobile phone with a 12 V battery is good for a 10 minute talk-time. Assume that, during the talk-time the battery delivers a constant current of 2 A and its voltage drops linearly from 12 V to 10 V as shown in the figure. How much energy does the battery deliver during this talk-time?

- (a) 220 J  
(b) 12 kJ  
(c) 13.2 kJ  
(d) 14.4 J



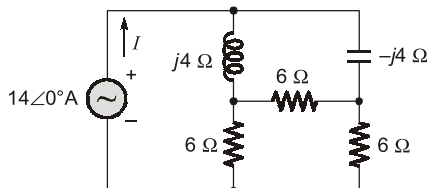
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**1.28** In the circuit shown, the power supplied by the voltage source is



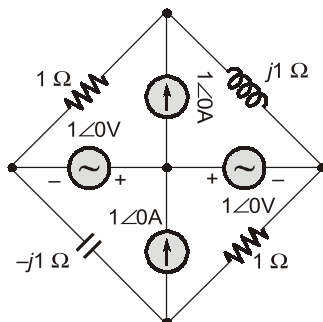
- (a) 0 W (b) 5 W  
(c) 10 W (d) 100 W [2010 : 2 M]

**1.29** In the circuit shown below, the current  $I$  is equal to



- (a)  $1.4\angle 0^\circ$  A (b)  $2.0\angle 0^\circ$  A  
(c)  $2.8\angle 0^\circ$  A (d)  $3.2\angle 0^\circ$  A [2011 : 2 M]

**1.30** In the circuit shown below, the current through the inductor is



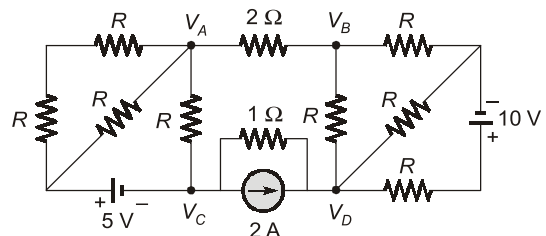
- (a)  $\frac{2}{1+j}$  A (b)  $\frac{-1}{1+j}$  A  
(c)  $\frac{1}{1+j}$  A (d) 0 A

[2012 : 1 M]

**1.31** The average power delivered to an impedance  $(4 - j3)\Omega$  by a current  $5 \cos(100\pi t + 100^\circ)$  A is  
(a) 44.2 W (b) 50 W  
(c) 62.5 W (d) 125 W

[2012 : 1 M]

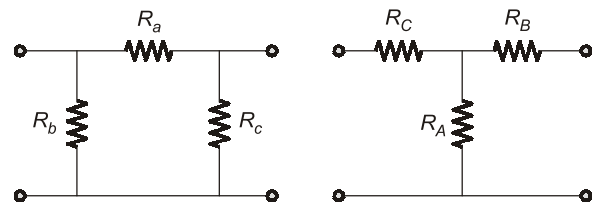
**1.32** If  $V_A - V_B = 6$  V, then  $V_C - V_D$  is



- (a) -5 V (b) 2 V  
(c) 3 V (d) 6 V

[2012 : 2 M]

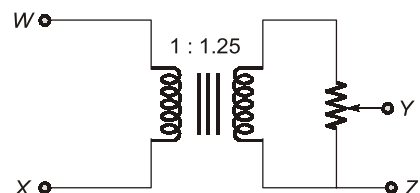
**1.33** Consider a delta connection of resistors and its equivalent star connection as shown below. If all elements of the delta connection are scaled by a factor  $k$ ,  $k > 0$ , the elements of the corresponding star equivalent will be scaled by a factor of



- (a)  $k^2$  (b)  $k$   
(c)  $1/k$  (d)  $\sqrt{k}$

[2013 : 1 M]

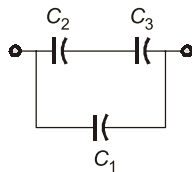
**1.34** The following arrangement consists of an ideal transformer and an attenuator which attenuates by a factor of 0.8. An ac voltage  $V_{WX1} = 100$  V is applied across WX to get an open circuit voltage  $V_{YZ1}$  across YZ. Next, an ac voltage  $V_{YZ2} = 100$  V is applied across YZ to get an open circuit voltage  $V_{WX2}$  across WX. Then,  $V_{YZ1}/V_{WX1}$ ,  $V_{WX2}/V_{YZ2}$  are respectively,



- (a) 125/100 and 80/100
- (b) 100/100 and 80/100
- (c) 100/100 and 100/100
- (d) 80/100 and 80/100

[2013 : 2 M]

- 1.35** Three capacitors  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$  and  $C_3$  whose values are  $10 \mu\text{F}$ ,  $5 \mu\text{F}$ , and  $2 \mu\text{F}$  respectively, have breakdown voltages of 10 V, 5 V and 2 V respectively. For the interconnection shown below, the maximum safe voltage in volts that can be applied across the combination, and the corresponding total charge in  $\mu\text{C}$  stored in the effective capacitance across the terminals are, respectively

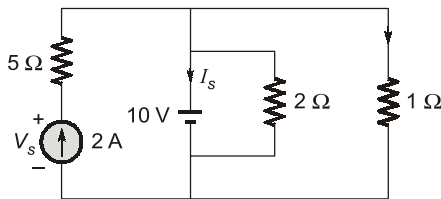


- (a) 2.8 and 36
- (b) 7 and 119
- (c) 2.8 and 32
- (d) 7 and 80

[2013 : 2 M]

**Common Data For Questions 1.36 and 1.37:**

Consider the following figure:



- 1.36** The current  $I_s$  in Amps in the voltage source, and voltage  $V_s$  in volts across the current source respectively, are

- (a) 13, -20
- (b) 8, -10
- (c) -8, 20
- (d) -13, 20

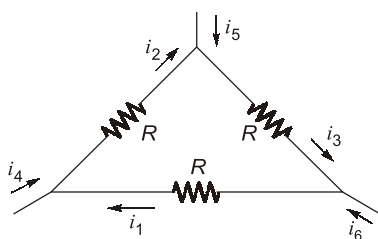
[2013 : 2 M]

- 1.37** The current in the  $1 \Omega$  resistor in Amps is

- (a) 2
- (b) 3.33
- (c) 10
- (d) 12

[2013 : 2 M]

- 1.38** Consider the configuration shown in the figure which is a portion of a larger electrical network



For  $R = 1 \Omega$  and currents  $i_1 = 2 \text{ A}$ ,  $i_4 = -1 \text{ A}$ ,  $i_5 = -4 \text{ A}$ , which one of the following is TRUE?

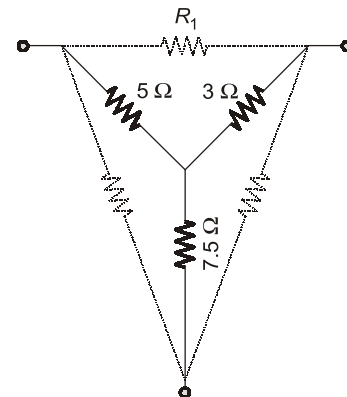
- (a)  $i_6 = 5 \text{ A}$
- (b)  $i_3 = -4 \text{ A}$
- (c) Data is sufficient to conclude that the supposed currents are impossible
- (d) Data is insufficient to identify the currents  $i_2$ ,  $i_3$  and  $i_6$

[2014 : 1 M, Set-1]

- 1.39** A Y-network has resistances of  $10 \Omega$  each in two of its arms, while the third arm has a resistance of  $11 \Omega$ . In the equivalent  $\Delta$ -network, the lowest value (in  $\Omega$ ) among the three resistances is \_\_\_\_.

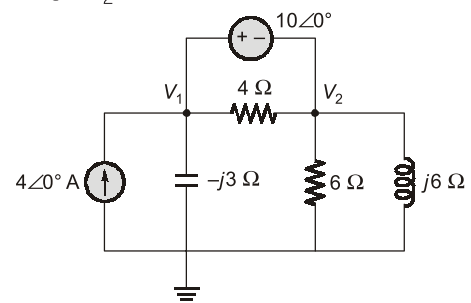
[2014 : 2 M, Set-1]

- 1.40** For the Y-network shown in the figure, the value of  $R_1$  (in  $\Omega$ ) in the equivalent D-network is \_\_\_\_.



[2014 : 2 M, Set-3]

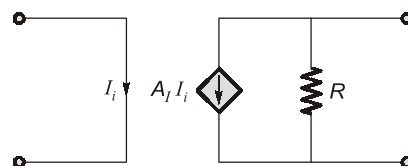
- 1.41** In the circuit shown in the figure, the value of node voltage  $V_2$  is



- (a)  $22 + j2 \text{ V}$
- (b)  $2 + j22 \text{ V}$
- (c)  $22 - j2 \text{ V}$
- (d)  $2 - j22 \text{ V}$

[2014 : 2 M, Set-3]

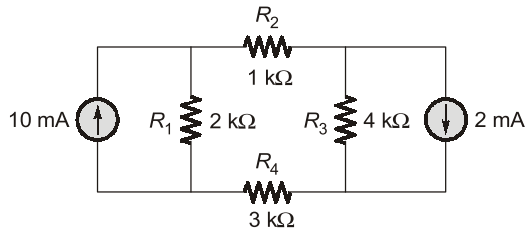
- 1.42** The circuit shown in the figure represents a



- (a) voltage controlled voltage source  
 (b) voltage controlled current source  
 (c) current controlled current source  
 (d) current controlled voltage source

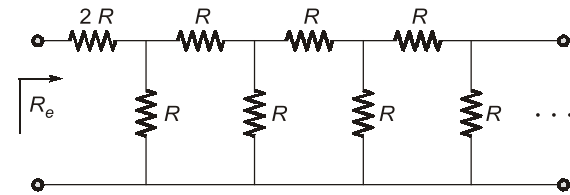
[2014 : 1 M, Set-4]

- 1.43** The magnitude of current (in mA) through the resistor  $R_2$  in the figure shown is \_\_\_\_\_.



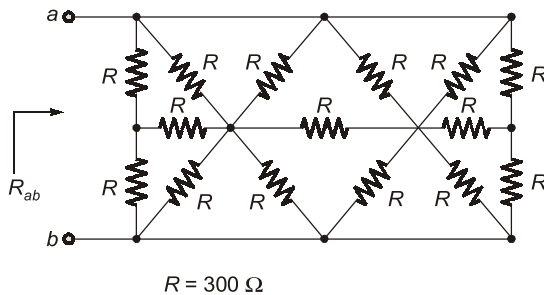
[2014 : 1 M, Set-4]

- 1.44** The equivalent resistance in the infinite ladder network shown in the figure, is  $R_e$ .

The value  $R_e/R$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

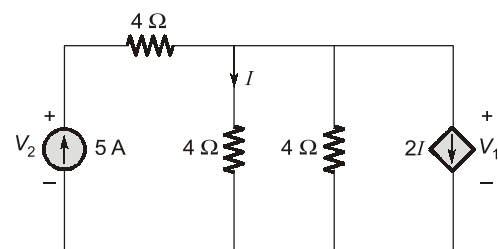
[2014 : 2 M, Set-4]

- 1.45** In the network shown in the figure, all resistors are identical with  $R = 300 \Omega$ . The resistance  $R_{ab}$  (in  $\Omega$ ) of the network is \_\_\_\_\_.



[2015 : 1 M, Set-1]

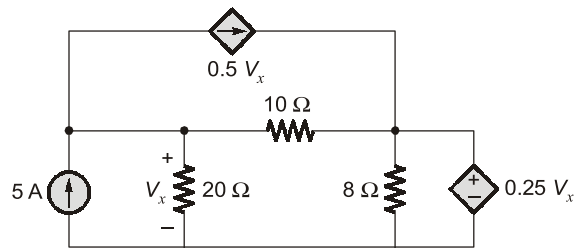
- 1.46** In the given circuit, the values of  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  respectively are



- (a) 5 V, 25 V      (b) 10 V, 30 V  
 (c) 15 V, 35 V      (d) 0 V, 20 V

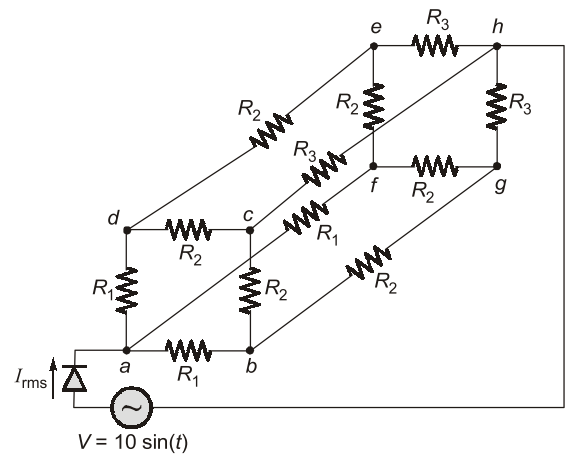
[2015 : 1 M, Set-1]

- 1.47** In the circuit shown, the voltage  $V_x$  (in Volts) is \_\_\_\_.



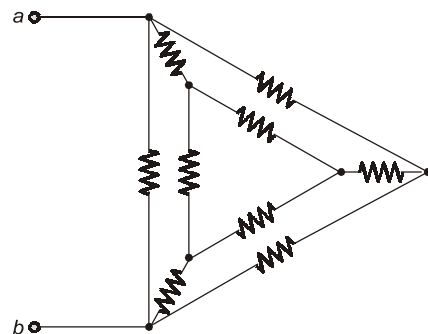
[2015 : 1 M, Set-3]

- 1.48** An AC voltage source  $V = 10 \sin(t)$  volts is applied to the following network. Assume that  $R_1 = 3 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $R_2 = 6 \text{ k}\Omega$  and  $R_3 = 9 \text{ k}\Omega$ , and that the diode is ideal.

RMS current  $I_{\text{rms}}$  (in mA) through the diode is \_\_\_\_.

[2016 : 2 M, Set-1]

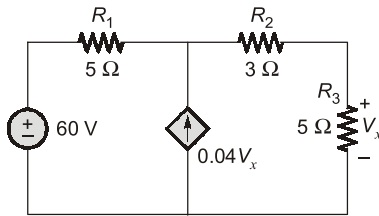
- 1.49** In the given circuit, each resistor has a value equal to  $1 \Omega$ .

What is the equivalent resistance across the terminals  $a$  and  $b$ ?

- (a)  $1/6 \Omega$       (b)  $1/3 \Omega$   
 (c)  $9/20 \Omega$       (d)  $8/15 \Omega$

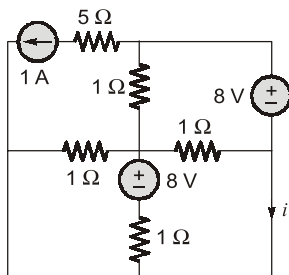
[2016 : 2 M, Set-2]

- 1.50** In the circuit shown in the figure, the magnitude of the current (in amperes) through  $R_2$  is \_\_\_\_



[2016 : 2 M, Set-2]

- 1.51** In the figure shown, the current  $i$  (in ampere) is \_\_\_\_.

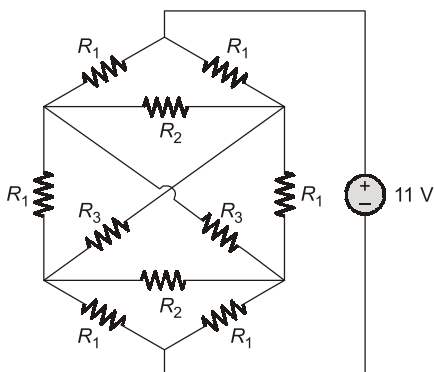


[2016 : 2 M, Set-3]

- 1.52** A connection is made consisting of resistance  $A$  in series with a parallel combination of resistances  $B$  and  $C$ . Three resistors of value  $10\ \Omega$ ,  $5\ \Omega$ ,  $2\ \Omega$  are provided. Consider all possible permutations of the given resistors into the positions  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and identify the configurations with maximum possible overall resistance, and also the ones with minimum possible overall resistance. The ratio of maximum to minimum values of the resistances (up to second decimal place) is \_\_\_\_.

[2017 : 1 M, Set-2]

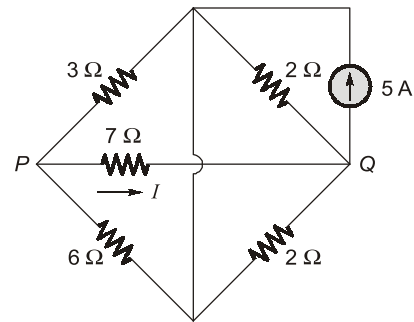
- 1.53** Consider the network shown below with  $R_1 = 1\ \Omega$ ,  $R_2 = 2\ \Omega$  and  $R_3 = 3\ \Omega$ . The network is connected to a constant voltage source of  $11\text{ V}$ .



The magnitude of the current (in amperes, accurate to two decimal places) through the source is \_\_\_\_.

[2018 : 2 M]

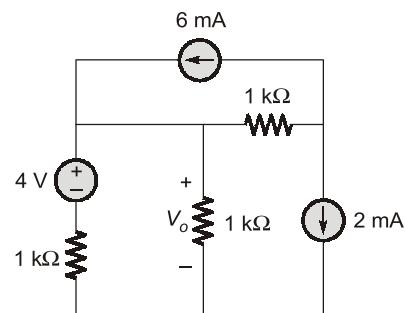
- 1.54** Consider the circuit shown in the figure.



The current  $I$  flowing through the  $7\ \Omega$  resistor between  $P$  and  $Q$  (rounded off to one decimal place) is \_\_\_\_ A.

[2021 : 1 M]

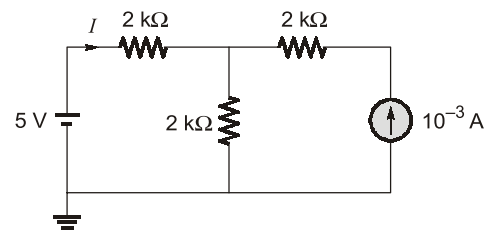
- 1.55** Consider the circuit shown in the figure.



The value of  $V_o$  (rounded off to one decimal place) is \_\_\_\_ V.

[2021 : 1 M]

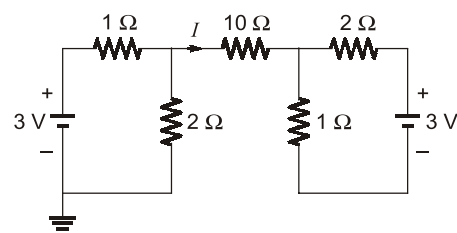
- 1.56** The current  $I$  in the circuit shown is \_\_\_\_.



- (a)  $1.25 \times 10^{-3}\text{ A}$  (b)  $0.75 \times 10^{-3}\text{ A}$   
(c)  $-0.5 \times 10^{-3}\text{ A}$  (d)  $1.16 \times 10^{-3}\text{ A}$

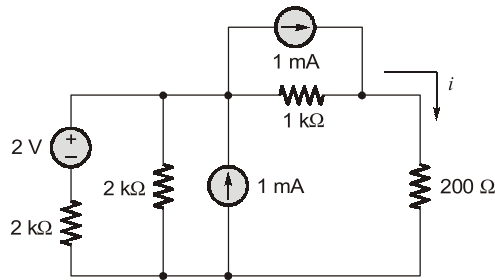
[2022 : 1 M]

- 1.57** Consider the circuit shown in the figure. The current  $I$  flowing through the  $10\ \Omega$  resistor is \_\_\_\_.



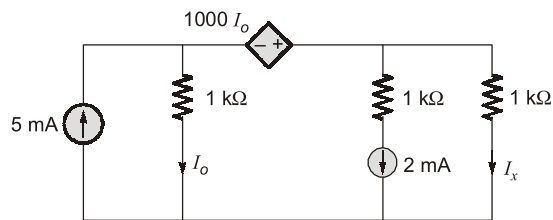
- (a) 1 A (b) 0 A  
(c) 0.1 A (d) -0.1 A [2022 : 1 M]

- 1.58** In the circuit shown below, the current  $i$  flowing through  $200\ \Omega$  resistor is \_\_\_\_ mA.  
(rounded off to two decimal places).



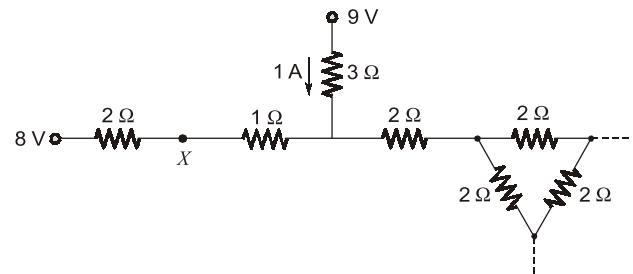
[2023 : 1 M]

- 1.59** In the given circuit, the current  $I_x$  (in mA) is \_\_\_\_.



[2024 : 1 Mark]

- 1.60** Consider a part of an electrical network as shown below. Some node voltages, and the current flowing through the  $3\ \Omega$  resistor are as indicated. The voltage (in Volts) at node  $X$  is \_\_\_\_.



(a)  $\frac{20}{3}$   
(c)  $\frac{22}{3}$

(b)  $\frac{32}{3}$   
(d)  $\frac{2}{3}$

[2025 : 1 M]



### Answers Basics of Network Analysis

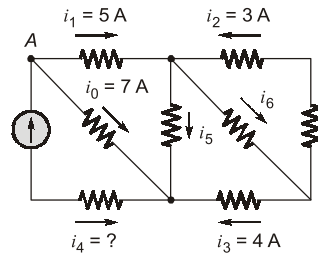
1.1 (b)	1.2 (a)	1.3 (d)	1.4 (a)	1.5 (b)	1.6 (c)	1.7 (b)
1.8 (c)	1.9 (d)	1.10 (d)	1.11 (a)	1.12 (d)	1.13 (c)	1.14 (a)
1.15 (d)	1.16 (a)	1.17 (d)	1.18 (a)	1.19 (a)	1.20 (*)	1.21 (d)
1.22 (d)	1.23 (d)	1.24 (b)	1.25 (c)	1.26 (a)	1.27 (c)	1.28 (a)
1.29 (b)	1.30 (c)	1.31 (b)	1.32 (a)	1.33 (b)	1.34 (b)	1.35 (c)
1.36 (d)	1.37 (c)	1.38 (a)	1.39 (29.09)	1.40 (10)	1.41 (d)	1.42 (c)
1.43 (2.8)	1.44 (2.62)	1.45 (100)	1.46 (a)	1.47 (8)	1.48 (1)	1.49 (d)
1.50 (5)	1.51 (-1)	1.52 (2.143)	1.53 (8)	1.54 (0.5)	1.55 (1)	1.56 (b)
1.57 (b)	1.58 (1.36)	1.59 (2)	1.60 (a)			

## Explanations Basics of Network Analysis

1.1 (b)

Apply KCL  
at node A

$$\begin{aligned} i_0 + i_1 + i_4 &= 0 \\ 7 + 5 + i_4 &= 0 \\ i_4 &= -12 \text{ A} \end{aligned}$$



1.2 (a)

Apply KVL,  $V + 5 - 4 - 4 = 0$   
 $V = 3 \text{ V}$

1.3 (d)

$$V = V_{2A} + 2 \times 2 + 5 = V_{2A} + 9$$

Since the voltage of 2 A current source is not known.  
So, it is not possible to find the value of voltage V.

1.4 (a)

Voltage in parallel is always equal.

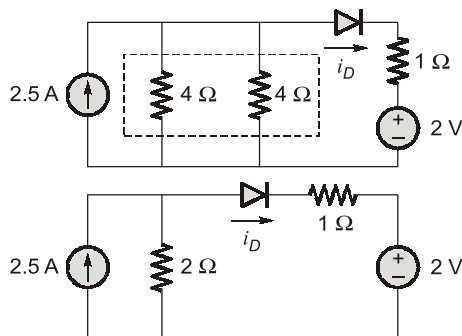
1.5 (b)

The bridge is balanced

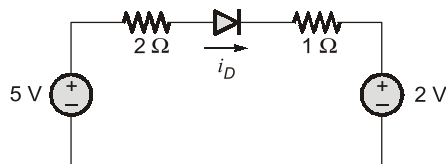
$$Z_{eq} = (2 \parallel 4) + (2 \parallel 4)$$

$$Z_{eq} = \frac{2 \times 4}{2 + 4} + \frac{2 \times 4}{2 + 4} = \frac{4}{3} + \frac{4}{3} = \frac{8}{3} \Omega$$

1.6 (c)



Using source transformation,



$$i_D = \frac{5 - 2}{2 + 1} = \frac{3}{3} = 1 \text{ Amp.}$$

1.7 (b)

The nodal or mesh method is based on KCL and Ohm's law.

1.8 (c)

Apply superposition theorem  
For 1 volt source

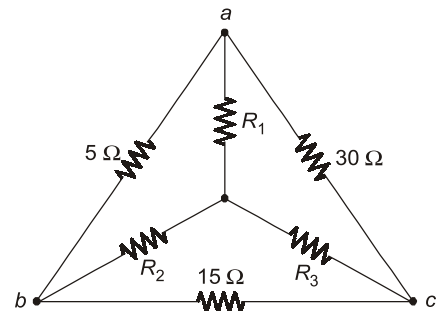
$$V_{ab1} = 1 \times \frac{2}{2 + 2} = 0.5 \text{ V}$$

For 3 A source,

$$V_{ab3} = 3 \times \left( \frac{2}{2 + 2} \right) \times 2 = 3 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{ab} = V_{ab1} + V_{ab3} = 0.5 + 3 = 3.5 \text{ V}$$

1.9 (d)



$$\begin{aligned} R_1 &= \frac{5 \times 30}{5 + 30 + 15} = 3 \quad ; \quad R_2 = \frac{15 \times 5}{50} = 1.5 \\ R_3 &= \frac{15 \times 30}{50} = 9 \end{aligned}$$

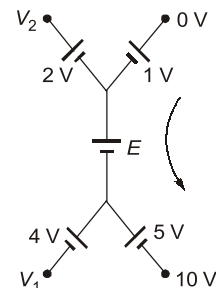
1.10 (d)

Applying KCL at the node (1),

$$e^{at} + e^{bt} = i_L(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow v(t) = L \frac{d}{dt} [e^{at} + e^{bt}] = ae^{at} + be^{bt}$$

1.11 (a)



$$0 - 1 - E - 5 - 10 = 0$$

$$E = -16 \text{ V}$$

1.12 (d)

Since diode is forward bias it is taken as short circuit.  
Applying KCL,

$$\frac{V-4}{2} + \frac{V}{2} + \frac{V+2}{2} = 0$$

$$3V = 2 \Rightarrow V = 2/3$$

$$\Rightarrow V_o = -V = -\frac{2}{3}$$

**1.13 (c)**

Applying KCL,  $\frac{e_o - 12}{4} + \frac{e_o}{4} + \frac{e_o}{4} = 0$

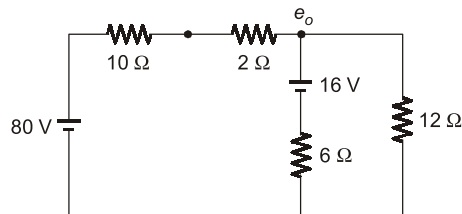
$$\Rightarrow 3e_o = 12 \quad \therefore e_o = 4 \text{ V}$$

**1.14 (a)**

$$Z_\Delta = 3Z_Y \Rightarrow \sqrt{3}Z_\Delta = 3Z_Y \quad ; \quad Z_Y = \frac{Z_\Delta}{\sqrt{3}}$$

**1.15 (d)**

Applying source conversion



$$\frac{e_o - 80}{12} + \frac{e_o}{12} + \frac{e_o - 16}{6} = 0$$

$$4e_o = 112$$

$$e_o = \frac{112}{4} = 28 \text{ V}$$

**1.16 (a)**

Applying KVL,  $20 - 5I - 5\left(I + \frac{V_1}{5}\right) = 0$

$$20 - 10I - 20 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow I = 0$$

$\therefore$  Only dependent source acts.

$$\frac{V_1}{5} = 4 \text{ A}$$

$$\text{Power delivered} = I^2 R = 16 \times 5 = 80 \text{ W}$$

**1.17 (d)**

$$3V_p I_p \cos \theta = 1500$$

$$3\left(\frac{V_L}{\sqrt{3}}\right)\left(\frac{V_L}{\sqrt{3}Z_L}\right) \cos \theta = 1500$$

$$Z_L = \frac{V_L^2 \cdot \cos \theta}{1500} = \frac{400^2 \times 0.844}{1500} = 90 \Omega$$

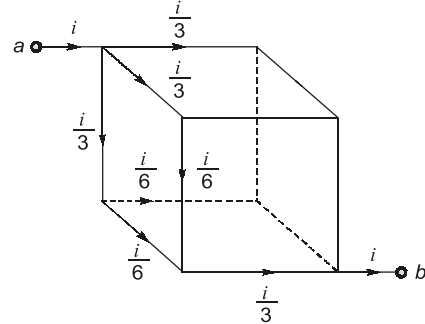
$$\theta = \cos^{-1}(0.844) = 32.44^\circ$$

As power factor is leading, load is capacitive so angle will be negative.

$$\theta = -32.44^\circ$$

**1.18 (a)**

As voltage at 1 node is known  
 $\therefore$  using nodal analysis only 3 equations required.

**1.19 (a)**

$$V_{ab} = \frac{i}{3} \times 1 + \frac{i}{6} \times 1 + \frac{i}{3} \times 1$$

$$\Rightarrow R_{eq} = \frac{V_{ab}}{i} = \frac{5}{6} \Omega$$

**1.20 (\*)**

Question is incomplete as  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are not given.

**1.21 (d)**

Graph of  $v_c(t)$  vs  $t$  shows a sawtooth wave with a peak value of 3V and a period  $T$ .

$$v_c(t) = \frac{1}{C} \int_0^T i \, dt$$

Here,  $T = \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{500}$

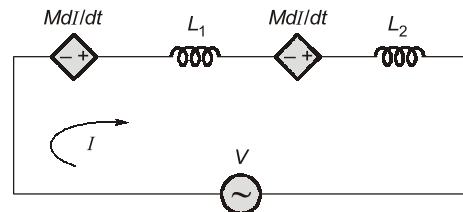
$$= 2 \text{ msec}$$

$$C = 2 \mu\text{F}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 = \frac{i}{2 \mu\text{F}} T$$

$$i = \frac{3 \times 2 \mu\text{F}}{T} = \frac{3 \times 2 \mu\text{F}}{2 \text{ msec}} = 3 \text{ mA}$$

Hence, the charging requires constant current source of 3 mA for 2 msec.

**1.22 (d)**

If current enters the dotted terminals of coil 1 then a voltage is developed across coil 2 whose higher potential is at dotted terminals.



$$V = \frac{-MdI}{dt} + \frac{L_1 dI}{dt} - \frac{MdI}{dt} + L_2 \frac{dI}{dt}$$

$$= (L_1 + L_2 - 2M) \frac{dI}{dt} \quad V = L_{eq} \frac{dI}{dt}$$

1.23 (d)

$$H(s) = \frac{\frac{1}{sC}}{R + sL + \frac{1}{sC}} = \frac{1}{s^2 LC + sCR + 1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s^2(10 \times 10^{-3} \times 100 \times 10^{-6}) + s(10 \times 10^{-3} \times 100 \times 10^{-6}) + 1}$$

$$H(s) = \frac{1}{10^{-6}s^2 + s + 1} = \frac{10^6}{s^2 + 10^6 s + 10^6}$$

1.24 (b)

$$X = X_1 + X_2 + X_3 + 2X_m - 2X_m$$

$$= (j5 + j2 + j2 + j20 - j20) \Omega$$

$$= j9 \Omega \text{ (one additive \& other subtractive)}$$

1.25 (c)

$$V_a = 5 \quad (R_1 = R_2)$$

$$V_b = \frac{R_3}{R_3 + R_4} \times 10 = \frac{1.1}{2.1} \times 10$$

$$V = V_a - V_b = -0.238 \text{ V}$$

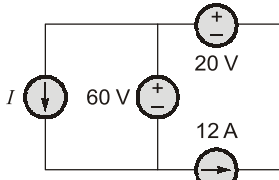
1.26 (a)

Since, the power is absorbed by 60 V source

$$I' = 12 - I$$

$$\Rightarrow I' > 0$$

$$12 - I > 0$$

$$I < 12 \text{ A}$$


1.27 (c)

$$P = VI$$

$$\text{Energy} = P \cdot t = V \cdot It = (V \cdot t)I$$

$$I = 2 \text{ A (given)}$$

$$V \cdot t = \text{Area under } V-t \text{ curve}$$

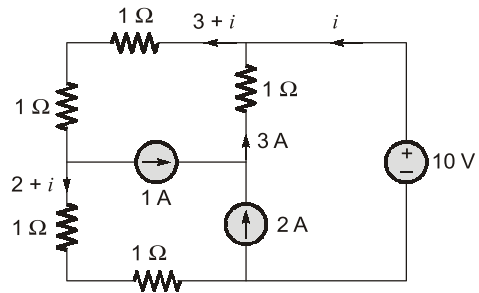
$$V \cdot t = \left( \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 600 \right) + (10 \times 600)$$

$$= 600 + 6000$$

$$V \cdot t = 6600$$

$$E = (6600) \times 2 = 13200 = 13.2 \text{ kJ}$$

1.28 (a)



Applying KVL in outer loop,

$$(3+i)2 + (2+i)2 = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 6 + 2i + 4 + 2i = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 4i = 0$$

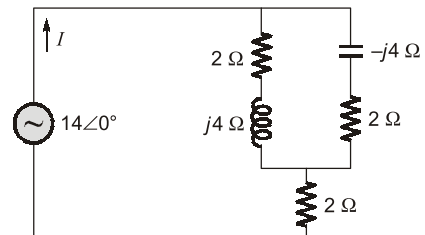
$$\Rightarrow i = 0$$

Power supplied by the voltage source,

$$P = Vi = 10 \times 0 = 0 \text{ W}$$

1.29 (b)

Converting delta into star, the circuit can be redrawn as below:



Equivalent impedance of the circuit,

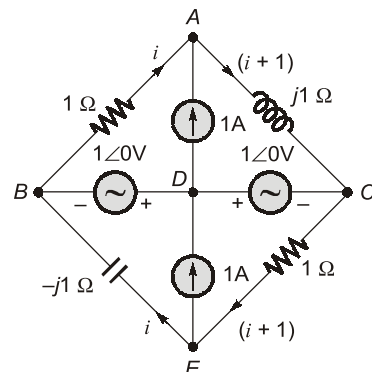
$$Z = (2 + j4) \parallel (2 - j4) + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow Z = \frac{(2 + j4)(2 - j4)}{2 + j4 + 2 - j4} + 2 = \frac{4 + 16}{4} + 2 = 7 \Omega$$

Therefore,

$$\text{Current, } I = \frac{14 \angle 0^\circ}{7} = 2 \angle 0^\circ \text{ A}$$

1.30 (c)



According to KCL at node D there will be no current in voltage sources.

According to KCL at node A current through inductor will be

$$i_1 = i + 1 \quad \dots(1)$$

Applying KVL in loop ACDBA we have

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \times i + (i+1)j + 1 \angle 0 - 1 \angle 0 &= 0 \\ i + (i+1)j &= 0 \\ (1+j)i &= -j \\ i &= \frac{-j}{1+j} \quad \dots(2) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore from (1) and (2) we have

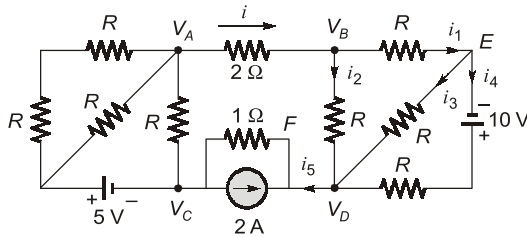
$$i_1 = i + 1 = \frac{-j}{j+1} + 1 = \frac{1}{1+j}$$

**1.31 (b)**

Average power is same as RMS power.

$$P = I_{\text{rms}}^2 R = \left( \frac{5}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 \times 4 = \frac{25}{2} \times 4 = 50 \text{ W}$$

**Note:** Power is consumed only by resistance i.e. by real part of impedance.

**1.32 (a)**

$$i = \frac{V_A - V_B}{2} = \frac{6}{2} = 3 \text{ A} \quad \dots(i)$$

KCL at node B, we have

$$\begin{aligned} i &= i_2 + i_1 \\ i_2 + i_1 &= 3 \text{ A} \quad \dots(ii) \end{aligned}$$

KCL at node E, we have

$$i_1 = i_3 + i_4 \quad \dots(iii)$$

KCL at node D we have

$$i_5 = i_2 + i_3 + i_4 = i_2 + i_1 = 3 \text{ A}$$

KCL at node F, we have

$$\begin{aligned} i_6 + 2 + i_5 &= 0 \\ i_6 &= -2 - i_5 = -5 \text{ A} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } V_C - V_D = 1 \times i_6 = -5 \text{ V}$$

**1.33 (b)**

$$R_A = \frac{R_b R_c}{R_a + R_b + R_c}$$

$$R'_a = kR_a; \quad R'_b = kR_b; \quad R'_c = kR_c$$

$$R'_A = \frac{kR_b \cdot kR_c}{kR_a + kR_b + kR_c} = \frac{k^2 R_b R_c}{k(R_a + R_b + R_c)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= k \times \frac{R_b R_c}{R_a + R_b + R_c} \\ R'_A &= kR_A \end{aligned}$$

**1.34 (b)**

$$V_{YZ1} = 100 \times 1.25 \times 0.8 = 100 \text{ V}$$

In second case, when 100 V is applied at YZ terminals, this whole 100 V will appear across the secondary winding.

$$\text{Hence, } V_{wx2} = \frac{100}{1.25} = 80 \text{ V}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Y_{YZ1}}{Y_{wx1}} = \frac{100}{100}, \quad \frac{V_{wx2}}{V_{YZ2}} = \frac{80}{100}$$

**1.35 (c)**

$$Q = CV$$

$$Q_1 = C_1 V_1 = 10 \times 10^{-6} \times 10 = 100 \mu\text{C}$$

$$Q_2 = C_2 V_2 = 5 \times 10^{-6} \times 5 = 25 \mu\text{C}$$

$$Q_3 = C_3 V_3 = 2 \times 10^{-6} \times 2 = 4 \mu\text{C}$$

Capacitors  $C_2$  and  $C_3$  are in series.

In series charge is same.

So, the maximum charge on  $C_2$  and  $C_3$  will be minimum of  $(Q_2, Q_3) = \min(25 \mu\text{C}, 4 \mu\text{C}) = 4 \mu\text{C} = Q_{23}$ .

In series the equivalent capacitance of  $C_2$  and  $C_3$  is

$$C_{23} = \frac{C_2 C_3}{C_2 + C_3} = \frac{5 \times 2}{5 + 2} = \frac{10}{7} \mu\text{F}$$

So, the equivalent voltage

$$V_{23} = \frac{Q_{23}}{C_{23}} = \frac{4 \times 10^{-6}}{\frac{10}{7} \times 10^{-6}} = \frac{28}{10} = 2.8 \text{ V}$$

In parallel, the voltage is same.

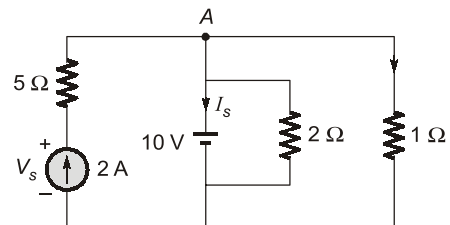
$$V_1 = V_{23} = 2.8 \text{ V}$$

Charge in capacitor  $C_1$ ,

$$Q_1 = C_1 V_1 = 10 \times 10^{-6} \times 2.8 = 28 \mu\text{C}$$

In parallel, the total charge

$$Q = Q_1 + Q_{23} = 4 + 28 = 32 \mu\text{C}$$

**1.36 (d)**

Voltage across 1 Ω resistance,

$$V_1 = 10 \text{ V}$$

Current through 1 Ω resistance,

$$I_1 = \frac{10}{1} = 10 \text{ Amp.}$$

Voltage across  $2\ \Omega$  resistance,

$$V_2 = 10\text{ V}$$

Current through  $2\ \Omega$  resistance,

$$I_2 = \frac{10}{2} = 5\text{ Amp.}$$

Apply KCL at node A,

$$-2 + I_s + I_2 + I_1 = 0$$

$$I_s = 2 - I_1 - I_2 = 2 - 10 - 5$$

$$I_s = -13\text{ Amp}$$

Voltage at node A,

$$V_A = 10\text{ V}$$

$$V_s - 10 = 10\text{ V}$$

$$V_s = 10 + 10 = 20\text{ V}$$

### 1.37 (c)

The current in the  $1\ \Omega$  resistor

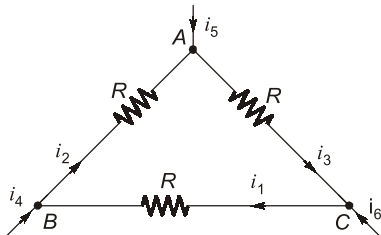
$$I_1 = \frac{10}{1} = 10\text{ Amp.}$$

### 1.38 (a)

Given data:  $i_1 = 2\text{ A}$ ,  $i_4 = -1\text{ A}$ ,  $i_5 = -4\text{ A}$   
 $R = 1\ \Omega$

To calculate:

$$i_6 = ?$$



Using KVL at all the three nodes we get,

At node A,

$$i_5 - i_3 + i_2 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

At node B,

$$i_4 + i_1 - i_2 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

At node C,

$$i_6 + i_3 - i_1 = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

By putting the value of  $i_3$  and  $i_2$  from equation (i) and (ii) in equation (iii) we get,

$$i_6 + (i_2 + i_5) - i_1 = 0$$

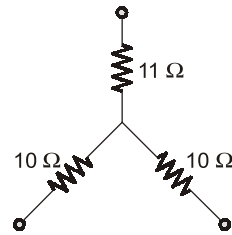
$$i_6 + (i_1 + i_4 + i_5) - i_1 = 0$$

$$\therefore i_6 + (2 - 1 - 4) - 2 = 0$$

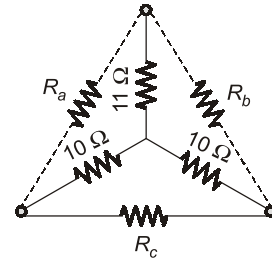
$$i_6 = 5\text{ A}$$

### 1.39 (29.09)

According to the question



The equivalent  $\Delta$ -network of the above Y-network is



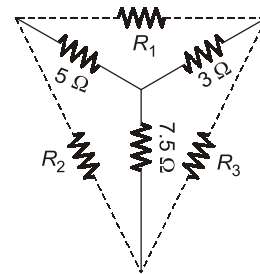
$$\text{Here, } R_a = 10 + 11 + \frac{10 \times 11}{10} = 32\ \Omega$$

$$R_b = 10 + 11 + \frac{10 \times 11}{10} = 32\ \Omega$$

$$R_c = 10 + 10 + \frac{10 \times 10}{11} = 29.09\ \Omega$$

Hence, the lowest value among the three resistances is  $29.09\ \Omega$ .

### 1.40 (10)



Using star-delta conversions,

The value of  $R_1$  is given by

$$= 5 + 3 + \frac{5 \times 3}{7.5} = 10$$

### 1.41 (d)

Using the concept of super node, we get

$$V_1 - V_2 = 10\angle 0^\circ \quad \dots(i)$$

$$= \frac{V_1}{-3j} + \frac{V_2}{6j} + \frac{V_2}{6} = 4\angle 0^\circ \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$= \frac{-2V_1 + V_2 + jV_2}{6j} = 4\angle 0^\circ \quad \dots(iii)$$

From equation (i) and (iii)

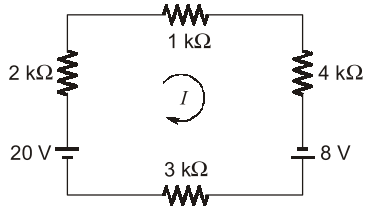
$$V_2 = \frac{20 + j24}{(-1 + j)} = \frac{31.241\angle 50.194}{\sqrt{2}\angle 135^\circ}$$

$$= 22.091 \angle -84.806$$

or  $V_2 = 2 - 22j$

**1.43 (2.8)**

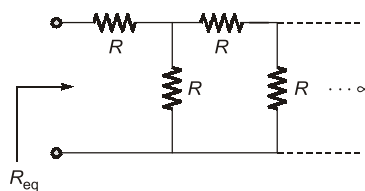
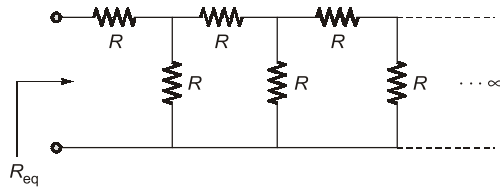
Using source transformation, we get,



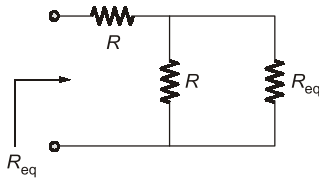
Applying KVL in above circuit, we get,  
 $20 - 2I - I - 4I + 8 - 3I = 0$   
 or  $28 = 10I$  or  $I = 2.8 \text{ mA}$

**1.44 (2.62)**

For an infinite ladder network, if all the resistance are comprises of same value  $R$ , then



Or,

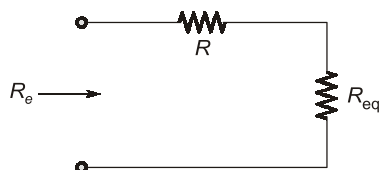


$$\therefore R_{eq} = R + \frac{R \cdot R_{eq}}{R + R_{eq}} \quad \dots(i)$$

After solving equation (i) we get,

$$R_{eq} = \left( \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2} \right) R \quad \dots(ii)$$

From the given question, the circuit can be redraw as



$$\therefore R_e = R + R_{eq} \quad \dots(iii)$$

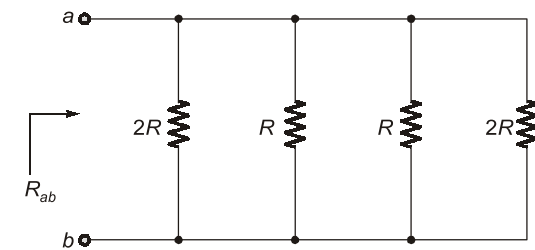
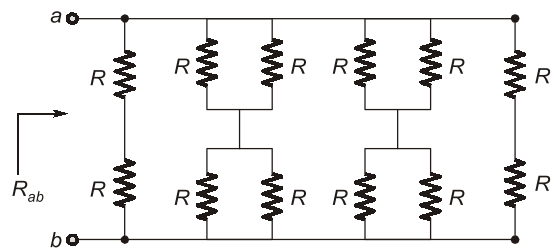
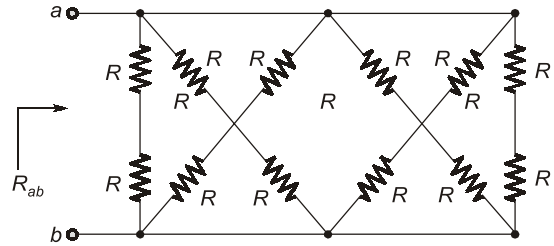
From equation (ii) and (iii) we get,

$$R_e = R + \left( \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2} \right) R = 2.618 R \quad \dots(iv)$$

$$\text{or } \frac{R_e}{R} = 2.618 = 2.62$$

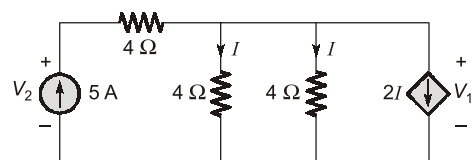
**1.45 (100)**

Modifying the given circuit



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

$$= \frac{R}{3} = \frac{300}{3} = 100 \Omega$$

**1.46 (a)**

Current flowing through both the parallel  $4 \Omega$  will be  $I$ .

$$\text{So, } V_2 = 4(I + I + 2I) + 4I \quad \text{by KVL}$$

$$I + I + 2I = 5 \quad \text{by KCL}$$

$$I = \frac{5}{4} \text{ A}$$

$$V_2 = 4 \times 5 + \frac{4 \times 5}{4} = 25 \text{ V}$$

$$V_1 = 4I = \frac{4 \times 5}{4} = 5 \text{ V}$$