

1. In electric circuit, there are four basic *SI* units, m, kg, s, and A. Based on these basic units, some derived units are often used for physical quantities, such as W(watt), C(coulomb) and Ω (ohm) and V(volt) respectively for electric power, charge, resistance and voltage. Please write the *SI* units for the above derived units: W, C and Ω .

Solution:

$$W := \frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{s}^3}, C := \text{A} \cdot \text{s}, \Omega := \frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{s}^3 \cdot \text{A}^2}$$

2. (A) Determine the current at $t=0.1$ s, $i_1(0.1)$, through an element if the flowing charge is $q_1(t) = e^{-2t} \sin(4t) \mu\text{C}$.
- (B) Find the charge Q_2 flowing through a device from $t=0$ to $t=0.1$ s if the current is $i_2(t) = e^{-2t} \sin(4t) \text{mA}$. [Hint: $\int e^{-at} \sin(bt) dt = e^{-at} (\alpha \sin(bt) + \beta \cos(bt))$]

Solution:

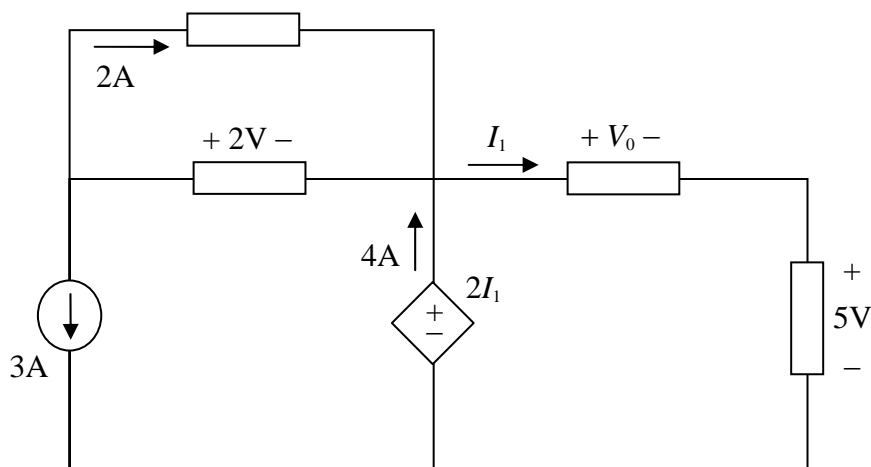
(A) The current is $i_1(t) = \frac{dq_1(t)}{dt} = -2e^{-2t} \sin(4t) + 4e^{-2t} \cos(4t)$, and thus

$$i_1(0.1) = -2e^{-0.2} \sin(0.4) + 4e^{-0.2} \cos(0.4) = 2.3787 \mu\text{A}$$

(B) The charge is $q_2(t) = \int e^{-2t} \sin(4t) dt = -0.1e^{-2t} \sin(4t) - 0.2e^{-2t} \cos(4t)$, and thus

$$Q_2 = \int_0^{0.1} e^{-2\tau} \sin(4\tau) d\tau = -0.1e^{-2t} \sin(4t) - 0.2e^{-2t} \cos(4t) \Big|_0^{0.1} = 0.0173 \text{mC}$$

3. Find V_0 and the power absorbed by the current-controlled voltage source.



Solution:

It is easy to find that $3 + I_1 = 4$, and thus $I_1 = 1$.

Besides, according to KVL, we obtain $V_0 + 5 = 2I_1 = 2$, and thus $V_0 = -3 \text{ V}$.

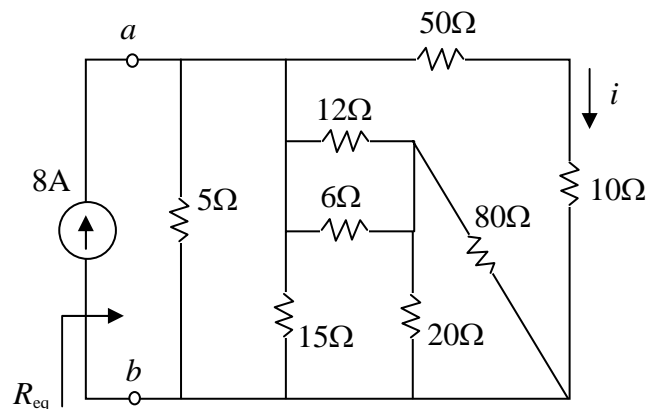
Based on passive sign convention, the power absorbed by the current-controlled voltage source is $(2I_1) \times (-4) = -8 \text{ W}$

4. A 100-W incandescent bulb operates 2 hours a day. What is the money to pay for its operation in 30 days if the electricity costs 2.5 dollars/kWh.

Solution:

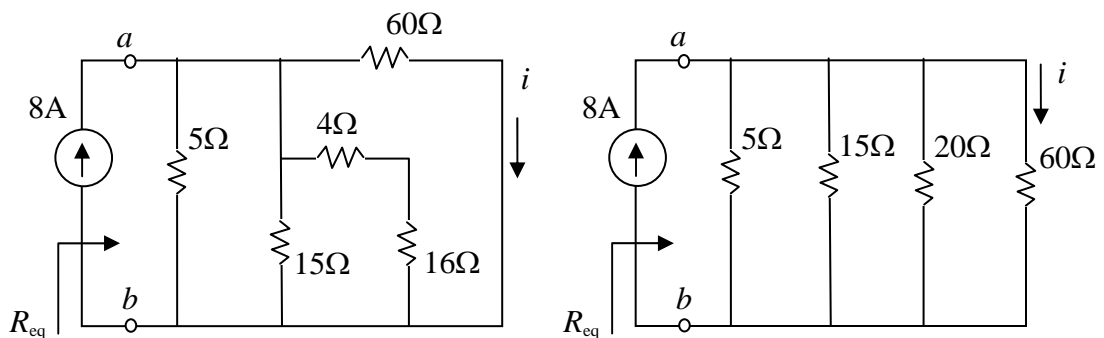
The total electric energy is $E = 100 \times 2 \times 30 = 6000 \text{ Wh} = 6 \text{ kWh}$, and thus the money to pay for its operation is $2.5 \times 6 = 15 \text{ dollars}$.

5. (A) Find the equivalent resistance R_{eq} at terminals a - b .
 (B) Determine the current i in the circuit.



Solution:

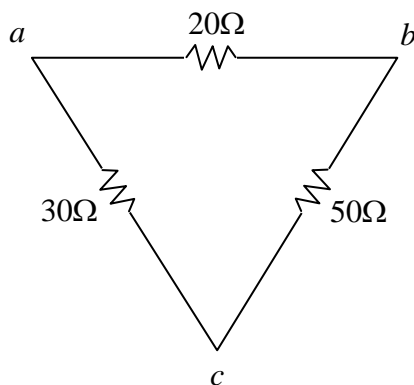
- (A) The circuit can be rearranged as below:



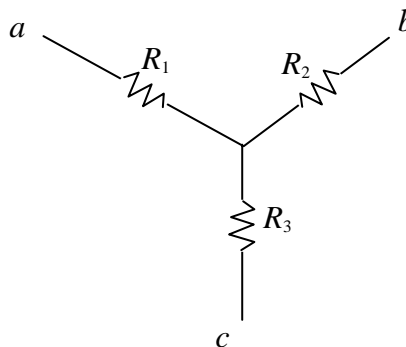
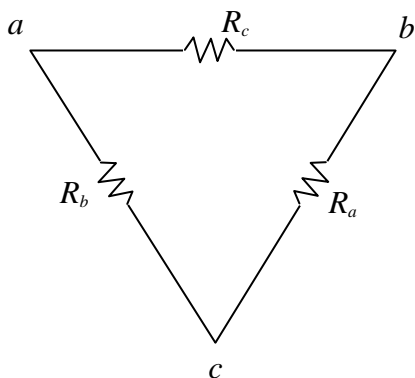
Hence, $R_{eq} = \left(\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{15} + \frac{1}{20} + \frac{1}{60} \right)^{-1} = 3 \ \Omega$.

(B) The current is $i = \frac{\frac{1}{60}}{\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{15} + \frac{1}{20} + \frac{1}{60}} \times 8 = \frac{1}{20} \times 8 = 0.4 \text{ A}$.

6. Transform the circuit from Δ to Y.



Solution:



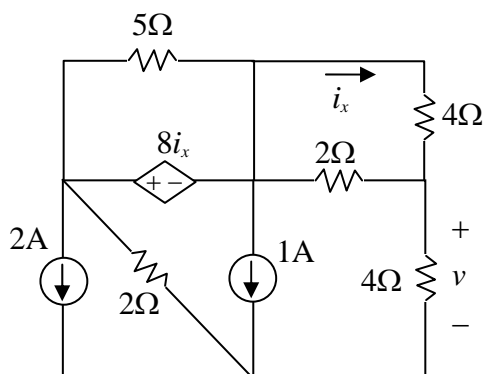
According to the transformation formula, we have

$$R_1 = \frac{R_b R_c}{R_a + R_b + R_c} = \frac{600}{50 + 30 + 20} = 6 \ \Omega$$

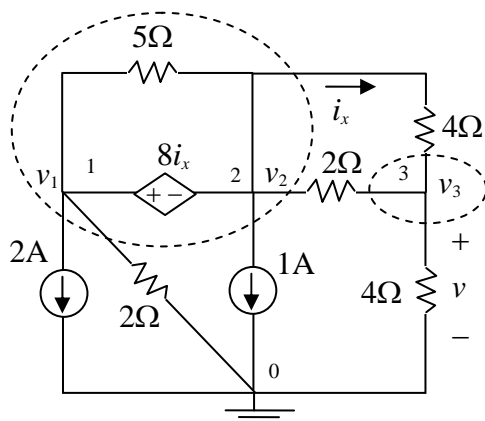
$$R_2 = \frac{R_c R_a}{R_a + R_b + R_c} = \frac{1000}{50 + 30 + 20} = 10 \ \Omega$$

$$R_3 = \frac{R_a R_b}{R_a + R_b + R_c} = \frac{1500}{50 + 30 + 20} = 15 \ \Omega$$

7. Based on the node-voltage method, write a set of node voltage equations and determine the voltage v in the circuit.



Solution:



First, choose the reference point and number the node voltages v_1 , v_2 and v_3 .

There is a supernode containing 1 and 2. The node voltage equations are

Supernode 1 2 :

$$\text{KVL: } v_1 - v_2 = 8i_x = 8\left(\frac{v_2 - v_3}{4}\right) = 2v_2 - 2v_3 \Rightarrow v_1 - 3v_2 + 2v_3 = 0$$

$$\text{KCL: } \frac{v_1}{2} + \frac{v_2 - v_3}{2} + \frac{v_2 - v_3}{4} = -2 - 1 \Rightarrow 2v_1 + 3v_2 - 3v_3 = -12$$

$$\text{KCL}_3 : \frac{v_3}{4} + \frac{v_3 - v_2}{2} + \frac{v_3 - v_2}{4} = 0 \Rightarrow 4v_3 - 3v_2 = 0$$

The node voltage equations can be solved as $v_1 = -4.8$ V, $v_2 = -3.2$ V and $v_3 = -2.4$ V. Hence, the voltage $v = v_3 = -2.4$ V.