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INSTRUCTIONS :

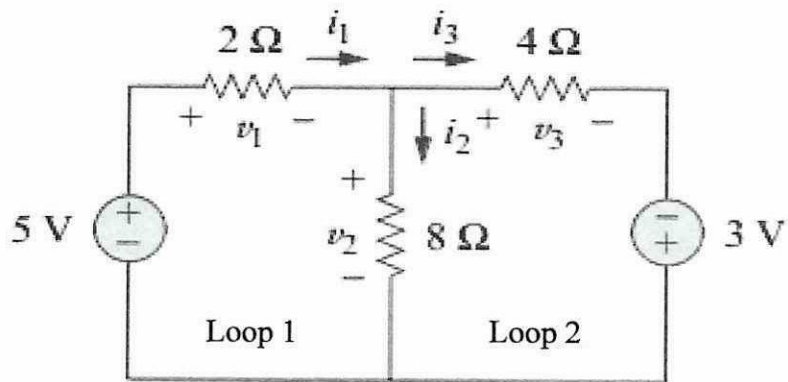
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Q1 (a) Refer to **Figure Q1.1**.



**Figure Q1.1**

- (i) Based on Kirchhoff's Voltage Law (KVL), derive the equations representing loops 1 and 2. (2 marks)
  - (ii) Based on Kirchhoff's Current Law (KCL), derive an equation related to the three branches of current,  $i_1$ ,  $i_2$ , and  $i_3$ . (1 mark)
  - (iii) Determine the value of current  $i_1$ ,  $i_2$ , and  $i_3$ . (10 marks)
- (b) Two series resistors of  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  are connected to two parallel resistors of  $R_3$  and  $R_4$ . This series-parallel combination is connected to a battery. Each resistor has a resistance of  $10\ \Omega$ . A current of  $2\ \text{A}$  flows through the resistor  $R_1$ . Based on this statement,
- (i) Draw the circuit diagram and label all the components clearly. (3 marks)
  - (ii) Determine the voltage supplied by the battery. (3 marks)
  - (iii) Calculate the power dissipated by a series resistor and parallel resistor. (4 marks)
  - (iv) Calculate the power supplied by the battery. (2 marks)

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Q2 (a) Refer to the circuit in Figure Q2.1.

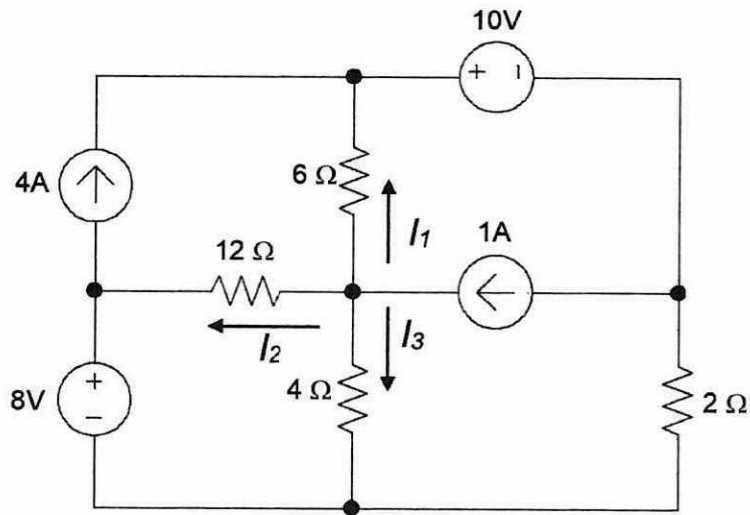


Figure Q2.1

- (i) Determine the value of current  $I_1$ ,  $I_2$  and  $I_3$ , using mesh analysis. (12 marks)
- (ii) Calculate the power absorbed by  $6\ \Omega$  and  $4\ \Omega$  resistors. (3 marks)

(b) Determine the voltage,  $V$  and current,  $i$  in Figure Q2.2 using nodal analysis. (10 marks)

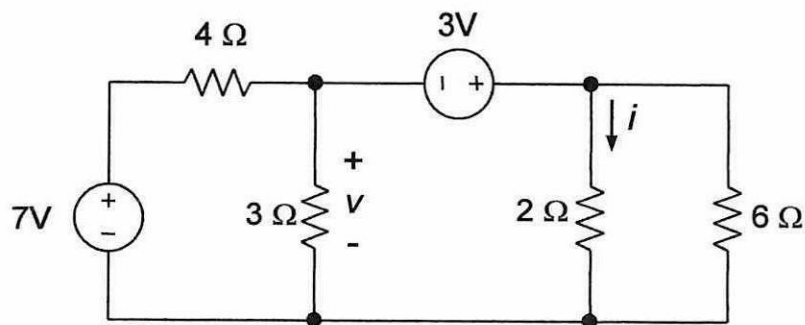


Figure Q2.2

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- Q3 (a) Given the circuit in **Figure Q3.1**, calculate the Norton current,  $I_N$ , and draw the Norton's equivalent circuit as viewed from terminal a-b.

(12 marks)

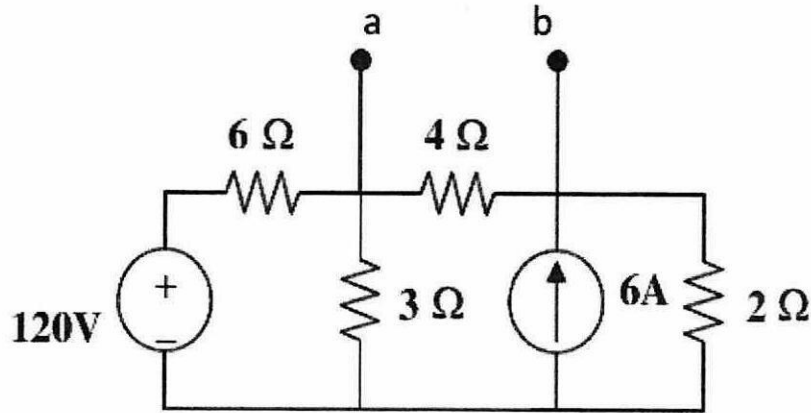


Figure Q3.1

- (b) The variable resistor,  $R$ , in **Figure Q3.2** is adjusted until it absorbs the maximum power from the circuit.

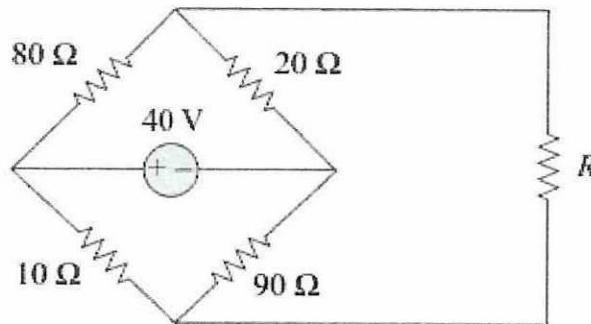


Figure Q3.2

- (i) Calculate the value of  $R$  for the maximum power transfer,  $P_{max}$  to occur.

(3 marks)

- (ii) Determine the maximum power,  $P_{max}$  absorbed by  $R$ .

(10 marks)

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Q4 (a) The voltage supplied,  $v_s$  to the circuit in **Figure Q4.1** is  $15 \sin(4t + \pi/8)$  V.

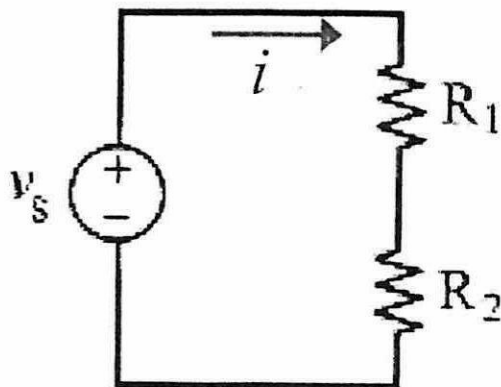


Figure Q4.1

- (i) Explain the instantaneous power and average power. (4 marks)
- (ii) Find the voltage across  $R_2$  if  $R_1$  is  $200 \Omega$  and  $R_2$  is  $400 \Omega$ . (2 marks)
- (iii) Obtain the instantaneous power absorbed by  $R_2$  at time,  $t = 0.2$  seconds. (3 marks)
- (iv) Determine the average power dissipated in  $R_2$ . (4 marks)

(b) A current flowing through a  $9 \Omega$  resistor has a periodic triangular waveform as shown in **Figure Q4.2**.

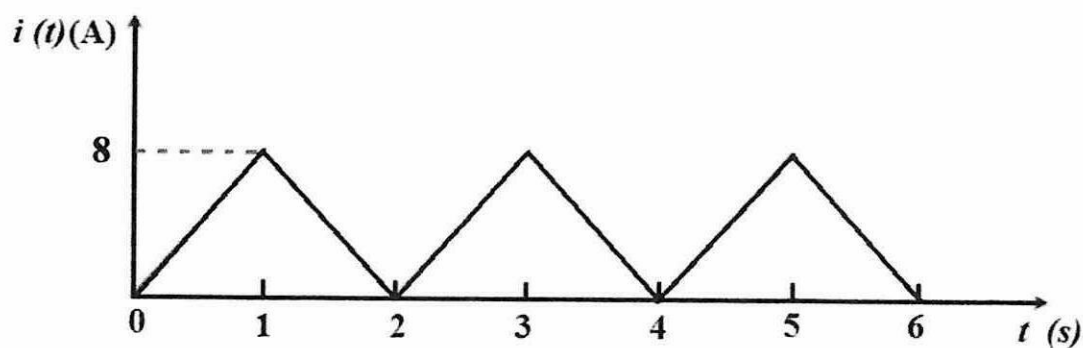


Figure Q4.2

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- (i) Find the root mean square (RMS) value of the current waveform.  
(6 marks)
- (ii) Find the average value of the current waveform.  
(4 marks)
- (iii) Calculate the power absorbed by the  $9\ \Omega$  resistor.  
(2 marks)

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