Chap. 2 Fundamentals of Electric Circuits

Kirchhoff's laws Circuit Analysis: Basic Methods Dependent Sources

KCL (Kirchhoff's Current Law)

The sum of all branch currents flowing into a node is zero - charge conservation.



$$I_{ca} + I_{ba} + I_{da} = 0$$

Illustration of Kirchhoff's current law





Node:
$$i_1 - i_2 - i_3 = 0$$

G: $i_1 - i_2 - i_4 = 0$

Demonstration of KCL

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Is = 5A, I1 = 2A, I2 = -3A, I3 = 1.5 A

Find IO and I4

Example





KVL (Kirchhoff's Voltage Law)

The algebraic sum of the branch voltages around any closed path in a network must be zero



Node sequence B,A,D,B: $v_{BA} + v_{AD} + v_{DB} = 0$ Using node voltages: $v_{BA} = e_B - e_A$, $e_D = 0$ (reference node = D, reference voltage = 0)





Vs2 = 12 V, V1 = 6V, V3 = 1V

Find V2.

Some Useful Facts

The branch currents passing through series-connected elements must be the same.



The voltages across parallel-connected elements must be the same.



Independent Equations

How many independent KCL equations can be made?
How many independent KVL equations can be made?



Circuit Analysis: Basic Method

- Goal: find all V and I s for all elements
 - Write element's V-I relationships
 - Write KCL for all nodes
 - Write KVL for all loops

Example



- Element's equations
- KCL
- KVL

Voltage Divider and Series Resistors





(a) Voltage divider

(b) Equivalent resistance





The current *i* flows through each of the four series elements. Thus, by KVL,



N series resistors are equivalent to a single resistor equal to the sum of the individual resistances. R1 = 10 kOhm, R2 = 6 kOhm, R3 = 8 kOhm

Find V3.

Current Divider and Parallel Resistors



(a) Current divider

(b) Equivalent resistance

 $i_1 = \frac{G_1}{G_1 + G_2} i = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} i$

Parallel circuits



The voltage *v* appears across each parallel element; by KCL, $i_S = i_1 + i_2 + i_3$

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N resistors in parallel are equivalent to a single equivalent resistor with resistance equal to the inverse of the sum of the inverse resistances.

Example 1



Example 2



Find the voltage (v) between nodes A and B.



Wheatstone bridge circuits



R1 , R2, R3 are known

Find Rx by measuring Vab



(a)

Symbols for dependent sources



Figure 2.4

Source type	Relationship
Voltage controlled voltage source (VCVS)	$v_S = \mu v_x$
Current controlled voltage source (CCVS)	$v_S = ri_x$
Voltage controlled current source (VCCS)	$i_S = gv_x$
Current controlled current source (CCCS)	$i_S = \beta i_x$

Example 3



What is the current on 2 Ω resistor?

Example 4



Find v. How much power does 4 ohm resistor consume?







Now, the voltage source is changed from 10V to 5V. How much power dies 4 ohm resistor consume?

Conclusion

- Kirchhoff's current and voltage laws
- Basic Circuit Analysis Method
- Series-parallel circuits
- Dependent Sources

Chap. 3 Network Theorems

Node (voltage) analysis Mesh (current) analysis Superposition principle Thevenin/Norton equivalent circuits

Branch current in Node Analysis

In the node voltage method, we assign the node voltages v_a and v_b ; the branch current flowing from a to b is then expressed in terms of these node voltages.

vright © The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc. Permission required By KCL: $i_1 - i_2 - i_3 = 0$. In the node voltage method, we express KCL by $\frac{v_a - v_b}{R_1} - \frac{v_b - v_c}{R_2} - \frac{v_b - v_d}{R_3} = 0$ $+R_1 - v_b + R_3 - \dots + R_3 - \dots + R_1 - \dots + R_3 - \dots + R$

Illustration of Node Analysis



Example

I1=10mA, I2=50mA, R1 = 1k, R2 = 2k

R3 = 10k, R4 = 2k

Find all node voltages and branch currents



Matrix Formulation



Node Analysis with Voltage Source



$$\frac{e_B - e_A}{1} + \frac{e_B}{2} + \frac{e_C}{1} = 1 \implies \frac{e_B - 2}{1} + \frac{e_B}{2} + \frac{e_B + 1}{1} = 1$$
$$e_B = 0.8, \quad i = 0.4(mA)$$

Circuit for Example

I = 1A, V = 3V, R1 = 2, R2 = 2

R3 = 4, R4 = 3

Find i



Basic principle of Mesh(Loop) Analysis

The current i, defined as flowing from left to right, establishes the polarity of the voltage across R.



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A two-mesh circuit



Example

V1 = 10V, V2 = 9V, V3 = 1V,

R1 = 5k, R2 = 10k, R3 = 5k, R4 = 5k

Find i



Mesh Analysis with Current Sources



Matrix Formulation



$$R_{1}i_{1} + R_{2}(i_{1} - i_{2}) = v_{1}$$

$$R_{2}(i_{2} - i_{1}) + R_{3}i_{2} = -v_{2}$$

$$R_{1} + R_{2} - R_{2}$$

$$R_{1} + R_{2} - R_{2}$$

$$R_{2} + R_{3} = \begin{pmatrix} v_{1} \\ i_{2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v_{1} \\ -v_{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

Node Analysis with Controlled Sources



I = 0.5 mA, $V \times = 2 \times v3$

$$R1 = 5k, R2 = 2k, R3 = 4k$$

Find v

Exercise



Find *i* using the node analysis technique



Loop Analysis



{A, B, D, A} $i_1 + 2(i_1 - i_3) = 2$ {B, C, D, B} $(i_3 + i_2) + 2(i_3 - i_1) = 1, \quad i_2 = 1$

Exercise



Find v using the loop analysis technique.



Linearity

- Write node equations
- $e = f_1(R_1, R_2)V + f_2(R_1, R_2)I$
- Linear in V and I













Superposition Principle



The net current through *R* is the sum of the individual source currents: $i = i_{B1} + i_{B2}$.

Zeroing Voltage and Current Sources



Exercise



Superposition with Controlled Sources



$$v = v_{(b)} + v_{(c)}$$

(b):12 = 3i + 2i + i $\rightarrow i = 2, v = 6$
(c):i+3(i+6)+2i = 0 $\rightarrow i = -3, v = 9$

Deviation of the Thevenin's Network

Consider





Thevenin equivalent network

$$v = v_{TH} + R_{TH}i$$



Thevenin equivalent network



Illustration of Thévenin theorem



Open-circuit and Thévenin voltage



Computation of Thévenin resistance



Circuit with load removed for computation of R_T . The voltage source is replaced by a short circuit.







A circuit and its Thévenin equivalent



Norton equivalent circuit



Illustration of Norton theorem



Computation of Norton current







Exercise

Obtain Thevenin and Norton equivalent circuits



Source Transformation



Measurement of open-circuit voltage and short-circuit current

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An unknown network connected to a load



Network connected for measurement of short-circuit current



Network connected for measurement of open-circuit voltage

Conclusion

- Network analysis: node analysis and mesh analysis
- Superposition principle: linear circuit
- Thevenin and Norton equivalent circuits