## Homework Solutions 3

(2-28) Find the equivalent resistance Req in Figure P2-28
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$\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{EQ}}=24$

Start with the $20 \Omega$ resistor is in parallel with $30 \Omega$ resistor, now add the $28 \Omega$ resistor. That equivalent resistance calculation is in parallel with a $60 \Omega$ resistor.

## $\underline{R e q}=\mathbf{2 4 \Omega}$.

(2-34) A $5-\mathrm{mA}$ practical current source is parallel with a $2-\mathrm{k} \Omega$ resistor. The voltage across the resistor is observed to be 5 V . Find the source resistance of the practical current source.

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\text { 2-34 } & \mathrm{R}:=2000 \\
\mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{R}}:=5 \quad \mathrm{i}_{\mathrm{R}}:=\frac{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}}{\mathrm{R}} \\
\mathrm{i}_{\mathrm{R}}=2.5 \times 10^{-3} & \mathrm{i}_{\mathrm{S}}:=5.10^{-3} \\
\mathrm{i}_{\mathrm{Rs}}:=\mathrm{i}_{\mathrm{S}}-\mathrm{i}_{\mathrm{R}} & \mathrm{i}_{\mathrm{Rs}}=2.5 \times 10^{-3} \\
\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{S}}:=\frac{\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}}{i_{\mathrm{Rs}}} & \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{S}}=2 \times 10^{3}
\end{array}
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Simply consider a $2-\mathrm{k} \Omega$ resistor to be in parallel with a 5 mA current then, find the current through the resistor. Now to find the source resistance current subtract the current through the $2-\mathrm{k} \Omega$ resistor form the 5 mA current source. Since the voltage through the resistor is 2 V divide this with the sources resistance current to obtain the source resistance.
(2-44) Find Iy in figure P2-43
Start reducing the circuit by considering $20 \Omega$ resistor is in parallel with the $12 \Omega$ resistor.

In this problem the way to approach this problem is
After the $20 \Omega \| 12 \Omega$ reduction add the $5 \Omega$ to obtain the equivalent resistance (Req $=$ $5 \Omega+(20 \Omega \| 12 \Omega))$ To consider that the current is being divide into two ways with a equivalent resistance and $25 \Omega$ resistor. This allows the problem to become much easier. Then after finding the values work backwards in the circuit.
$20 \Omega|\mid 12 \Omega=(20 \times 12) /(20+12)=7.5 \Omega$

Then, Req $=7.5 \Omega+5 \Omega=12.5 \Omega$
Find current through the Req by current division $=[25 \Omega /(25 \Omega+12.5 \Omega)] \times 2 \mathrm{~A}$
If the current through Req is 1.333A, then consider the current through the Req which is divided between a $12 \Omega$ and $20 \Omega$ resistor.

Therefore using current division again,

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I y=[20 \Omega /(20 \Omega+12 \Omega)] \times(1.333 A)=\underline{0.8333 A}
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(2-52) Use the circuit reduction to find Is and Ix in the circuit shown in Figure P2-51


After considering the 3 resistors in parallel to be an equivalent resistance, find the voltage drops across the remaining resistor that are is series. After finding the voltage drop across the Req simply use Ohms law to find current $\underline{\mathbf{I x}=\mathbf{0 . 0 6 7}}$.
(2-54) Use the circuit reduction to find Vx and Ix in the circuit shown in Figure P2-45


First reduce circuit to find the voltage at the node after the $2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ resistor. First add together $8 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ and $4 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ resistors because they are in series which is $12 \mathrm{k} \Omega$. Now consider the $6 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ resistor to be in parallel with the $12 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ resistor:
$12 \mathrm{k} \Omega \| 6 \mathrm{k} \Omega=(6 \times 12) /(6+12)=4 \mathrm{k} \Omega$
Now using voltage division find voltage drop across the $4 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ resistor.

Therefore, $[4 \mathrm{k} \Omega /(4 \mathrm{k} \Omega+2 \mathrm{k} \Omega)] \times 12 \mathrm{~V}=8 \mathrm{~V}$
Now use voltage division again to find voltage across the $4 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ resistor,

Thus, $\mathrm{Vx}=[(4 \mathrm{k} \Omega /(4 \mathrm{k} \Omega+8 \mathrm{k} \Omega))] \times 8 \mathrm{~V}=\underline{\mathbf{2 . 6 6 7} \mathbf{V}}$
Hence, the voltage drop across the $2 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ resistor is 2.667 V

