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PROGRAMME:	**Electrical Circuit**
SUBJECT:	**Electrical and Electronics**
COURSEWORK TITLE:	**Thevenin´s Theorem**

Issue Date:	Due Date:	Feedback Date:	Extension Date:

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA:

TARGETED LEARNING OUTCOMES

4. Solve problems involving basic analogue and digital electronic circuits using numerical skills appropriate to an engineer.

5. Identify and safely use standard laboratory equipment to extract data, then apply in the solution of an electronic or electrical engineering problem;

6. Adopt a logical approach to the solution of engineering problems.

Important Information – Please Read Before Completing Your Work

All students should submit their work by the date specified using the procedures specified in the Student Handbook. An assessment that has been handed in after this deadline will be marked initially as if it had been handed in on time, but the Board of Examiners will normally apply a lateness penalty.

Your attention is drawn to the Section on Academic Misconduct in the Stu*dent's* Handbook.

All work will be considered as individual unless collaboration is specifically requested, in which case this should be explicitly acknowledged by the student within their submitted material.

Any queries that you may have on the requirements of this assessment should be e-mailed to **ameer.alkhaykan@mustaqbal-college.edu.iq**
No queries will be answered after respective submission dates.
You must ensure you retain a copy of your completed work prior to submission.

MARKING CRITERIA

COURSEWORK WILL BE MARKED ACCORDING TO THE FOLLOWING UNIVERSITY CRITERIA.

90-100%: a range of marks consistent with a first where the work is exceptional in all areas;

80-89%: a range of marks consistent with a first where the work is exceptional in most areas.

70-79%: a range of marks consistent with a first. Work which shows excellent content, organisation and presentation, reasoning and originality; evidence of independent reading and thinking and a clear and authoritative grasp of theoretical positions; ability to sustain an argument, to think analytically and/or critically and to synthesise material effectively.

60-69%: a range of marks consistent with an upper second. Well-organised and lucid coverage of the main points in an answer; intelligent interpretation and confident use of evidence, examples and references; clear evidence of critical judgement in selecting, ordering and analysing content; demonstrates some ability to synthesise material and to construct responses, which reveal insight and may offer some originality.

50-59%: a range of marks consistent with lower second; shows a grasp of the main issues and uses relevant materials in a generally business-like approach, restricted evidence of additional reading; possible unevenness in structure of answers and failure to understand the more subtle points: some critical analysis and a modest degree of insight should be present.

40-49%: a range of marks which is consistent with third class; demonstrates limited understanding with no enrichment of the basic course material presented in classes; superficial lines of argument and muddled presentation; little or no attempt to relate issues to a broader framework; lower end of the range equates to a minimum falls short in one or more areas.
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35-39%: achieves many of the learning outcomes required for a mark of 40% but falls short in one or more areas.

30-34%: a fail; may achieve some learning outcomes but falls short in most areas; shows considerable lack of understanding of basic course material and little evidence of research.

0-29%: a fail; basic factual errors of considerable magnitude showing little understanding of basic course material; falls substantially short of the learning outcomes for compensation.

Note:

- While constructing circuits all connects should be made with the power supply in the off position.
- Check power and ground connections (and other connections) **before** switch on the power.
- Make sure that the power and the ground are properly connected to all IC's before switch on the power.
- **DO NOT** strip wire ends longer than 1/4" and jam long bare ends into the breadboard holes. This will cause shorts and ruin the board.
- **DO NOT** short (connect) the power supply outputs together, i.e., do not allow the exposed wires to touch each other. This will cause permanent damage to the power supply.
- **DO NOT** connect the power supply to the breadboard with reverse polarity. This will cause the permanent chip damage.

- **DO NOT** connect an output of any gate to the output of another gate, to a switch, to power (+5V), or to ground. These situations will cause excessive currents and result in the permanent damage to the chip or chips involved.

6.1-Object:

To acquire the knowledge of implementing Thevenin´s theorem as tools in performing network reduction and analysis verify it practically.

6.2 Apparatus:

- Resistance of different ratings.
- D.c power supplies.
- Measuring instruments (volts, amps, ohms).
- Connecting wires and board.

6.3- Theory;

5.3.1- Thevenin´s Theorem:

An extremely useful equivalent circuit theorem stated by Thevenin in 1887applies to circuits containing active as well as passive elements. The theorem states that:

"Any active network of circuits having two accessible terminals A and B can be replaced, so far as its external behavior is concerned, by a single e.m.f (E_{th}) acting in series with a single resistance between A and B (R_{th}). The value of the e.m.f is that which exists between A and B when the external circuits are disconnected. The value of the series resistance is that of the internal resistance between A and B when all active sources are replaced by their internal resistances".

6.4- Procedure:

Connect the circuit shown in Fig (6-2) and set V_1 to fixed values which you must keep constant through out the experiment.

6.4.1- Thevenin´s Theorem:

1. Taking R1 as the load of the circuit of Fig (6-2) measure the current through it by connecting a suitable ammeter in series with resistance R_1. This is loading current I_L.
2. Remove R_1 (and the ammeter) and replace by a suitable voltmeter between A and B, take the voltmeter reading. This is V_{th}.
3. Replace power sources V_1 and V_2 by short circuiting wire.
4. Measure the resistance between A and B using a suitable ohmmeter. This is R_{th}.
5. Using Thevenin´s theorem and given value of R_1, R_2, R_3, R_4, R_5, V_1 and V_2, calculate V_{th}, R_{th} and I_L and compare with the measured values.
6. Draw Thevenin´s equivalent circuit.
7. Repeat steps 1-6 taking R_2, R_3, R_4, and R_5 as the load alternately.

6.5- Theoretical exercise:

For the network shown in Fig. (6-3), calculate the galvo-meter (G) current using (a) Thevenin´s theorem take the galvanometer resistance as 1.

6.6- Discussion:

1. Comment as your results. Thevenin's theorem explains.
2. What is the application of Thevenin's theorem?

5.7.Homework

For the circuit shown in Fig. (5-4) uses the Thevenin's and Norton's theorem to find the current flowing through the 6 Ω resistor.

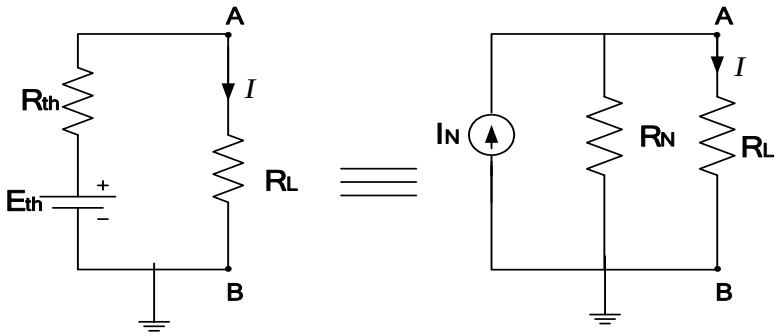

Fig (6-1)

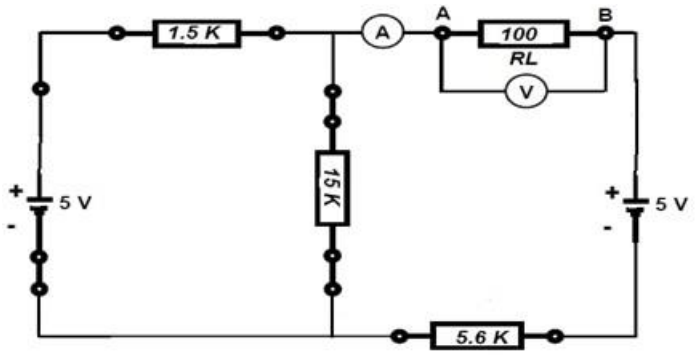

Fig (6-2)

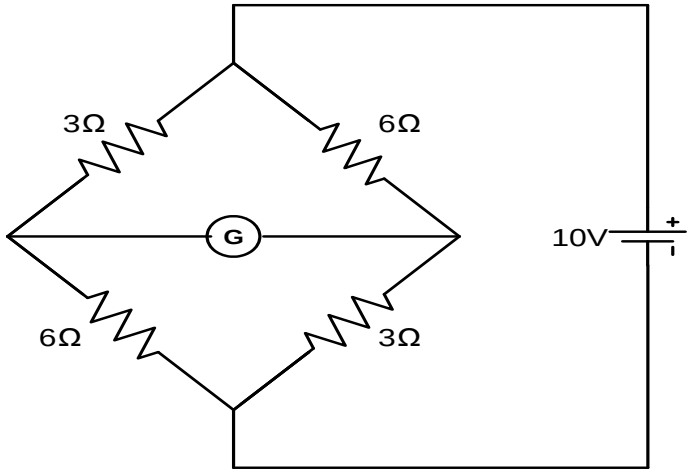

Fig (6-3)

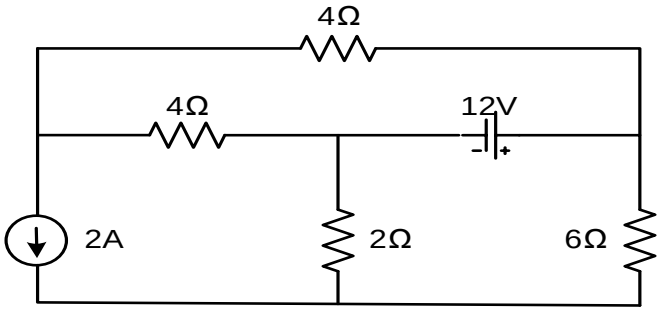

Fig (6-4)