

# Electrical Power Engineering Fundamentals

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Module 2. Analysis of DC Circuits. Week 3

**Exercise 1.** In the following circuit:

- Find the current  $i$  and the voltage  $U_x$  using the mesh current method and/or the node-voltage method
- Calculate the power generated by sources and check the power balance.

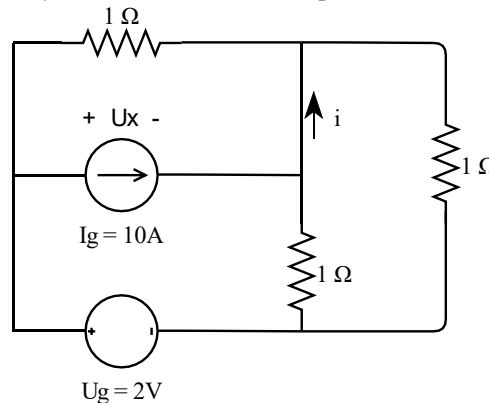


Figure 1 DC circuit 1

**Solution:** a)  $U_x = -2V$ ;  $i = 6A$       b)  $P_{UG} = 16W$ ;  $P_{IG} = 20W$ ;  $P_{Consumption\_by\_Resistors} = P_{Generated\_by\_sources} = 36W$

**Exercise 2.** In the following circuit:

- Find the current  $i$  and the voltage  $U_x$  using the mesh current method and/or the node-voltage method
- Calculate the power generated by sources and check the power balance.

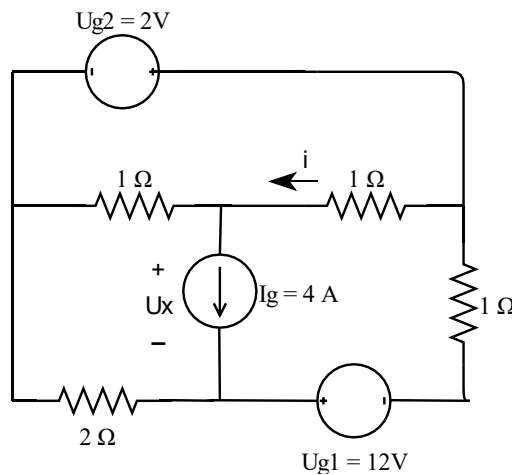


Figure 2 DC circuit 2

**Solution:** a)  $U_x = -13V$ ;  $i = 3A$       b)  $P_{UG1} = 24W$ ;  $P_{UG2} = 10W$ ;  $P_{IG} = 52W$ ;  $P_{Consumption\_by\_Resistors} = P_{Generated\_by\_sources} = 86W$

**Exercise 3.** In the following circuit:

- Find the currents  $i_1$  and  $i_2$  and the voltages  $U_{x1}$  and  $U_{x2}$  using the mesh current method and/or the node-voltage method.
- Calculate the power generated by sources and check the power balance.

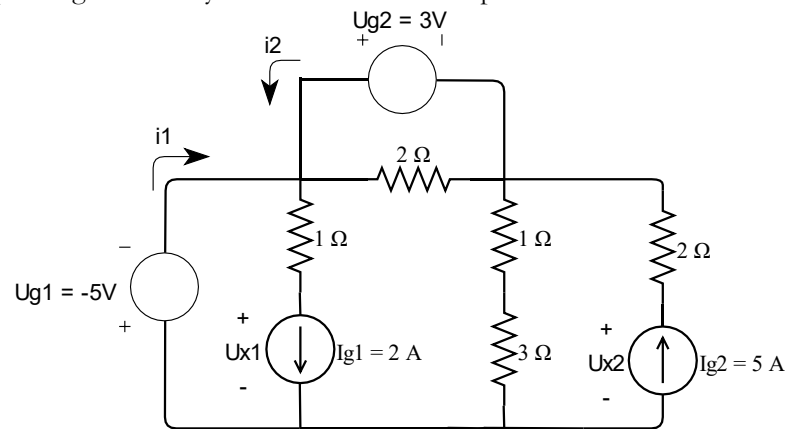


Figure 3. DC circuit 3

**Solution:** a)  $i_1 = -2.5\text{A}$ ;  $i_2 = 6\text{A}$ ;  $U_{x1} = 3\text{V}$ ;  $U_{x2} = 12\text{V}$  b)  $P_{UG1} = -12.5\text{W}$ ;  $P_{UG2} = 18\text{W}$ ;  $P_{IG1} = -6\text{W}$ ;  $P_{IG2} = 60\text{W}$ ;  $P_{\text{Consumption}_{resistors}} = P_{\text{Generated}_{by\_sources}} = 59.5\text{W}$

**Exercise 4.** In the circuit below:

- Find the currents  $i_1$  and  $i_2$  and the voltages  $U_{x1}$  and  $U_{x2}$  using the mesh current method and/or the node-voltage method.
- Calculate the power generated by sources and check the power balance.

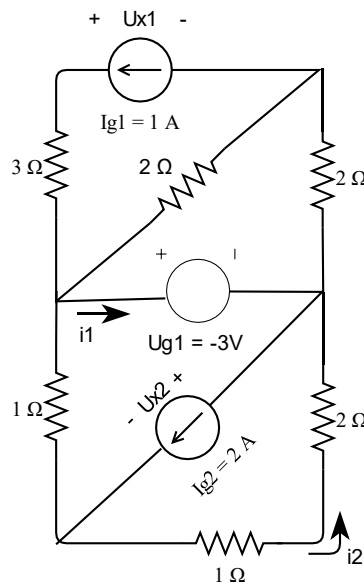


Figure 4. DC circuit 4

**Solution:** a)  $i_1 = 3.5\text{A}$ ;  $i_2 = -0.25\text{A}$ ;  $U_{x1} = 2.5\text{V}$ ;  $U_{x2} = 0.75\text{V}$  b)  $P_{UG1} = 10.5\text{W}$ ;  $P_{IG1} = 2.5\text{W}$ ;  $P_{IG2} = -1.5\text{W}$ ;  $P_{\text{Consumption}_{resistors}} = P_{\text{Generated}_{by\_sources}} = 11.5\text{W}$