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# Ohm's Law (Homework)

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QUESTION

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POINTS

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**Due Date**

Past Due

**SAT, FEB 22, 2020**  
**11:59 PM PST**

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1.

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Previous Answers

SERCP11 17.2.OP.001.



My Notes

Ask Your Teacher 

A copper wire carries a current of 87.4 mA.

(a) Find the number of electrons that flow past a given point in the wire in 10.6 minutes.

3.47e20  electrons

(b) In what direction do the electrons travel with respect to the current?

- ☐ same direction
- ☒ opposite direction
- ☐ The magnitude is zero.

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2.

2/2 points ✓

Previous Answers

SERCP11 17.2.P.002.

 My Notes

Ask Your Teacher ✓

A copper wire has a circular cross section with a radius of 1.76 mm.

**HINT**

- (a) If the wire carries a current of 3.18 A, find the drift speed (in m/s) of electrons in the wire. (Take the density of mobile charge carriers in copper to be  $n = 1.10 \times 10^{29}$  electrons/m<sup>3</sup>.)

✓ The drift speed of an electron in a wire is very small, typically about one-billionth of its random thermal speed. m/s

- (b) For the same wire size and current, find the drift speed (in m/s) of electrons if the wire is made of aluminum with  $n = 2.11 \times 10^{29}$  electrons/m<sup>3</sup>.

✓ m/s

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3.

4/4 points ✓

Previous Answers

SERCP11 18.3.OP.006.



My Notes

Ask Your Teacher ✓

- (a) Three  $7.30\ \Omega$  resistors are connected in *series* to a  $22.0\ \text{V}$  battery.

What is the equivalent resistance (in  $\Omega$ ) of the circuit?

✓  $\Omega$

What is the current (in A) in each resistor?

✓ A

- (b) Three other  $7.30\ \Omega$  resistors are all connected in *parallel* across a second  $22.0\ \text{V}$  battery.

What is the equivalent resistance (in  $\Omega$ ) of this circuit?

✓  $\Omega$

What is the current (in A) in each resistor in this circuit?

✓ A

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8/8 points ✓

Previous Answers

SERCP11 18.3.OP.010.

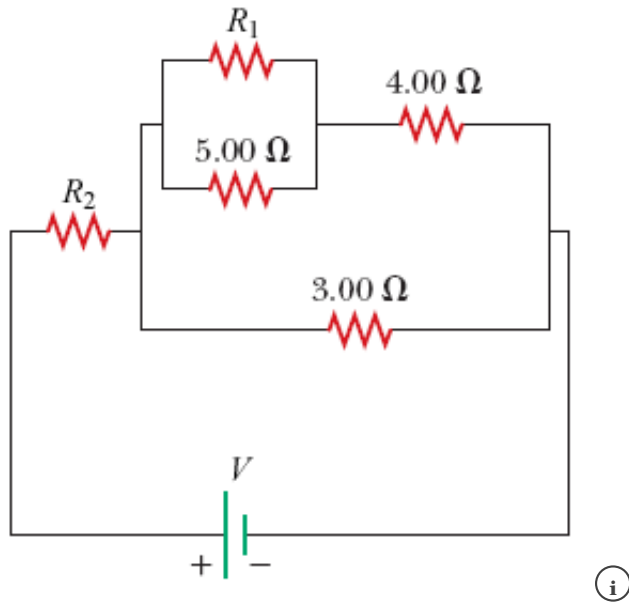


My Notes

Ask Your Teacher ✓

Use the exact values you enter to make later calculations.

The figure below shows a battery connected to a circuit. The potential difference across the battery and the resistance of each resistor is given in the figure. (Assume  $R_1 = 12.0\ \Omega$ ,  $R_2 = 1.20\ \Omega$ , and  $V = 6.00\ \text{V}$ .)



- (a) What is the equivalent resistance (in  $\Omega$ ) of  $R_1$  and the  $5.00\ \Omega$  resistor?

✓  $\Omega$

- (b) Using the result from part (a), what is the equivalent resistance (in  $\Omega$ ) of  $R_1$ , the  $5.00\ \Omega$  resistor, and the  $4.00\ \Omega$  resistor?

✓  $\Omega$

- (c) Using the result from part (b), what is the equivalent resistance (in  $\Omega$ ) of  $R_1$ , the  $5.00\ \Omega$  resistor, the  $4.00\ \Omega$  resistor, and the  $3.00\ \Omega$  resistor?

✓  $\Omega$

- (d) Using the result from part (c), what is the equivalent resistance (in  $\Omega$ ) of the entire circuit?

✓  $\Omega$

- (e) What is the current (in A) through the battery (equivalently, the conventional current that exits the positive terminal of the battery and enters the  $R_2$ )?

✓ A

- (f) What is the magnitude of the potential difference (in V) across  $R_2$ ?

✓ V

- (g) Using the result from part (f) and the battery's potential difference, what is the magnitude of the potential difference (in V) across the  $3.00\ \Omega$  resistor?

✓ V

- (h) What is the current (in A) in the  $3.00\ \Omega$  resistor?

✓ A

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5.

2/2 points ✓

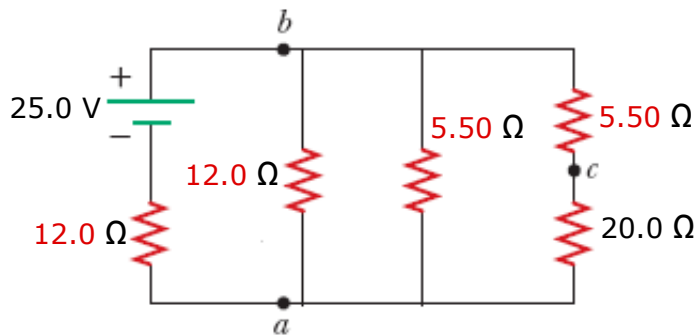
Previous Answers

SERCP11 18.3.OP.011.

My Notes

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The figure below shows a battery connected to a circuit. The potential difference across the battery and the resistance of each resistor is given in the figure.



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- (a) What is the magnitude of the potential difference (in V) between points  $a$  and  $b$  in the circuit?

✓ V

- (b) What is the current (in A) in the  $20.0\ \Omega$  resistor?

✓ A

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6.

2/2 points ✓

Previous Answers

SERCP11 18.3.P.005.

 My Notes

Ask Your Teacher ✓

Two resistors,  $R_1$  and  $R_2$ , are connected in series.

**HINT**

- (a) If  $R_1 = 3.22 \, \Omega$  and  $R_2 = 8.17 \, \Omega$ , calculate the single resistance equivalent (in  $\Omega$ ) to the series combination.

 ✓  $\Omega$ 

- (b) Repeat the calculation for a parallel combination of  $R_1$  and  $R_2$ . (Enter your answer in  $\Omega$ .)

 ✓ The most common mistake in calculating the equivalent resistance for resistors in parallel is to forget to invert the answer after summing the reciprocals. Don't forget to flip it!  $\Omega$ **Need Help?**

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7.

4/4 points 

Previous Answers

SERCP11 18.3.P.006.

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Three  $2.6\ \Omega$  resistors are connected in series with a  $15.0\ \text{V}$  battery. Find the following.

(a) the equivalent resistance of the circuit

  $\Omega$

(b) the current in each resistor

 A

(c) Repeat for the case in which all three resistors are connected in parallel across the battery.

equivalent resistance    $\Omega$

current in each resistor   A

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2/5 points ✓

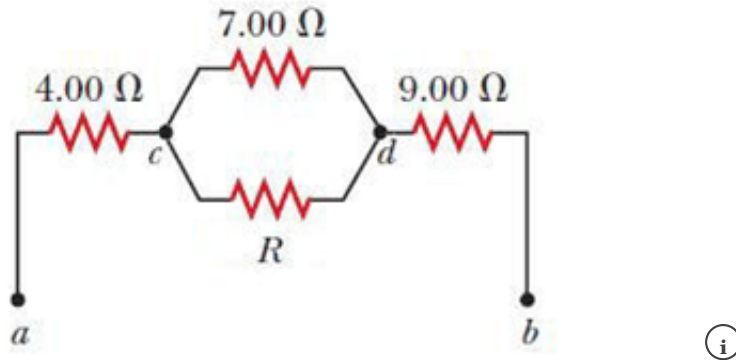
Previous Answers

SERCP11 18.3.P.007.MI.

My Notes

Ask Your Teacher ✓

Consider the following figure.

(a) Find the equivalent resistance between points  $a$  and  $b$  in the figure. ( $R = 16.0 \, \Omega$ ) ✓  $\Omega$ (b) Calculate the current in each resistor if a potential difference of  $10.0 \, \text{V}$  is applied between points  $a$  and  $b$ . $I$  $(4.00 \, \Omega = \text{.56} \, \text{A}$  $I$  $(7.00 \, \Omega = 2.57 \, \text{A}$  From the value of the current from  $a$  to  $b$  find the potential difference across the  $7.00\text{-}\Omega$  resistor and then find the current through the  $7.00\text{-}\Omega$  resistor.A $I$  $(16.0 \, \Omega = (\text{No Response}) \, \text{A}$  $I$  $(9.00 \, \Omega = (\text{No Response}) \, \text{A}$ 

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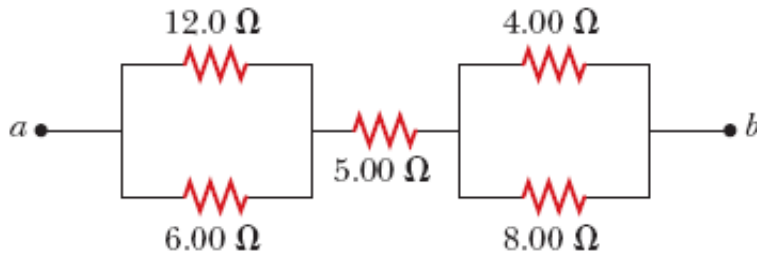
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My Notes

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Consider the combination of resistors shown in the figure below.



(a) Find the equivalent resistance between point  $a$  and  $b$ .

11.67 ✓ Ω

(b) If a voltage of 51.8 V is applied between points  $a$  and  $b$ , find the current in each resistor.

12 Ω 1.48 ✓ A

6 Ω 2.96 ✓ A

5 Ω 4.44 ✓ A

4 Ω 2.96 ✓ A

8 Ω 1.48 ✓ A

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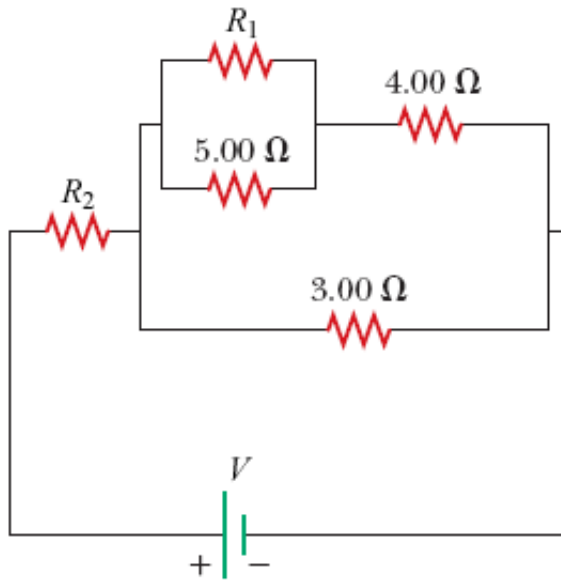
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Consider the circuit shown in the figure below. (Assume  $R_1 = 11.5 \Omega$ ,  $R_2 = 2.70 \Omega$ , and  $V = 7.60 \text{ V}$ .)



(i)

(a) Calculate the equivalent resistance of the  $R_1$  and  $5.00\text{-}\Omega$  resistors connected in parallel.

✓  $\Omega$

(b) Using the result of part (a), calculate the combined resistance of the  $R_1$ ,  $5.00\text{-}\Omega$  and  $4.00\text{-}\Omega$  resistors.

✓  $\Omega$

(c) Calculate the equivalent resistance of the combined resistance found in part (b) and the parallel  $3.00\text{-}\Omega$  resistor.

✓  $\Omega$

(d) Combine the equivalent resistance found in part (c) with the  $R_2$  resistor.

✓  $\Omega$

(e) Calculate the total current in the circuit.

✓ A

(f) What is the voltage drop across the  $R_2$  resistor?

✓ V

(g) Subtracting the result of part (f) from the battery voltage, find the voltage across the  $3.00\text{-}\Omega$  resistor.

✓ V

(h) Calculate the current in the  $3.00\text{-}\Omega$  resistor.

1.12 ✓ A

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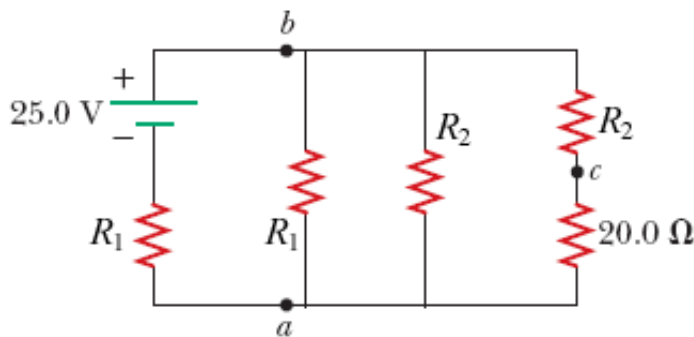
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My Notes

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Consider the circuit shown in the figure below. (Assume  $R_1 = 16.0 \, \Omega$  and  $R_2 = 4.00 \, \Omega$ .)



(a) Find the potential difference between points  $a$  and  $b$ .

2.82 ✗

Your response differs from the correct answer by more than 10%. Double check your calculations. V

(b) Find the current in the  $20.0\text{-}\Omega$  resistor.

(No Response) A

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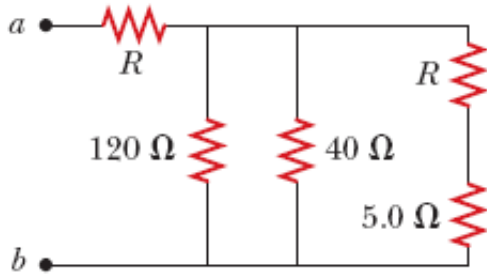
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 My Notes

Ask Your Teacher

The resistance between terminals  $a$  and  $b$  in the figure below is  $55\ \Omega$ . If the resistors labeled  $R$  have the same value, determine  $R$ .

 $R =$    $\Omega$ 

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