

UNIT 1: DC CIRCUITS

Lecture 3

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Kirchhoff's Law

- Ohm's law by itself **is not sufficient** to analyze circuits.
- However, when it is coupled with Kirchhoff's two laws, we have a sufficient, powerful set of tools for analyzing a large variety of electric circuits.
- These laws are:
 1. Kirchhoff's Voltage Law (KVL)
 2. Kirchhoff's Current Law (KCL)

Kirchhoff's Current Law (KCL)

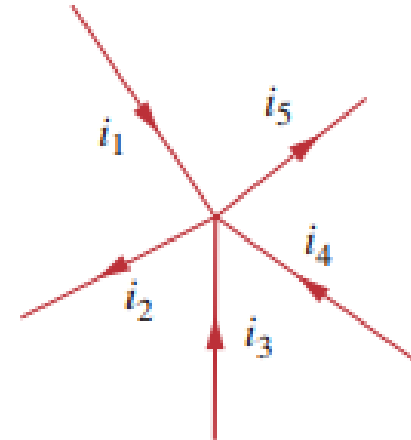
- It states that:

“the algebraic sum of currents entering a node is zero”.

OR

“ Sum of currents entering a node = Sum of currents leaving a node “

- Based on Law of Conservation of Charge.
- Mathematically, $\sum I = 0$



QUICK QUIZ (Poll 1)

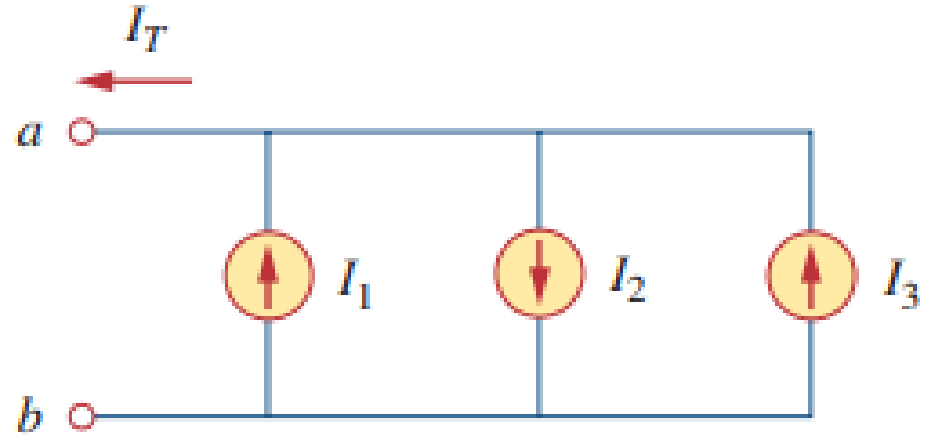
KCL equation for the given network is:

A. $I_1 + I_2 + I_3$

B. $I_1 + I_2 - I_3$

C. $I_1 - I_2 + I_3$

D. $-I_1 - I_2 + I_3$



Kirchhoff's Voltage Law (KVL)

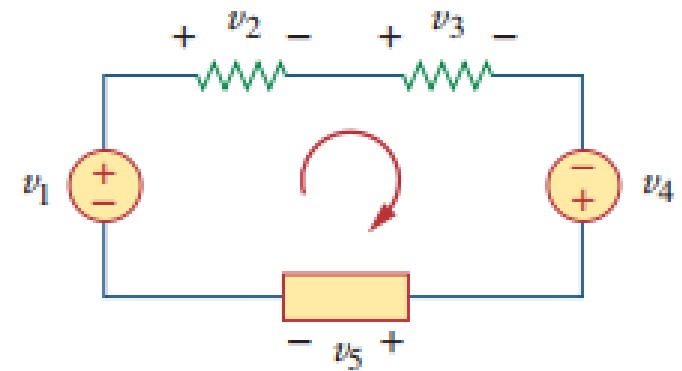
- It states that:

“algebraic sum of all voltages around a closed path (or loop) is zero.”

OR

“ Sum of voltage drops = Sum of voltage rises.”

- Based on Law of Conservation of Energy
- Mathematically, $\sum V = 0$



Applications of Kirchhoff's Laws

- They can be used to analyze **any electrical circuit**.
- Computation of current and voltage of **complex** circuits.

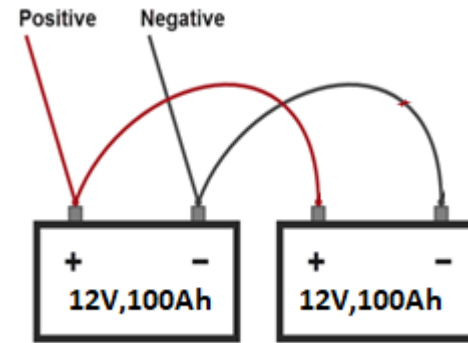
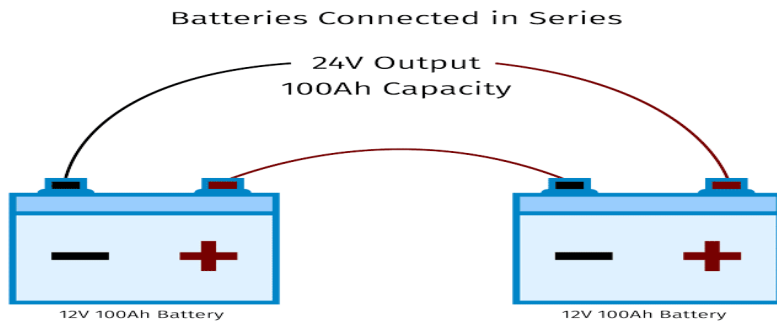
Limitations of Kirchhoff's Laws

- The limitation of Kirchhoff's both laws is that it works under the assumption that there is **no fluctuating magnetic field** in the closed loop and the current flows **only through conductors and wires**.
- Size of the circuit must be smaller than the wavelength associated with signal

$$\frac{\partial \phi_B}{\partial t} = 0 \quad \text{Outside elements}$$
$$\frac{\partial q}{\partial t} = 0 \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{Inside elements} \\ \swarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \searrow \\ \text{wires} \quad \text{resistors} \quad \text{sources} \end{array}$$

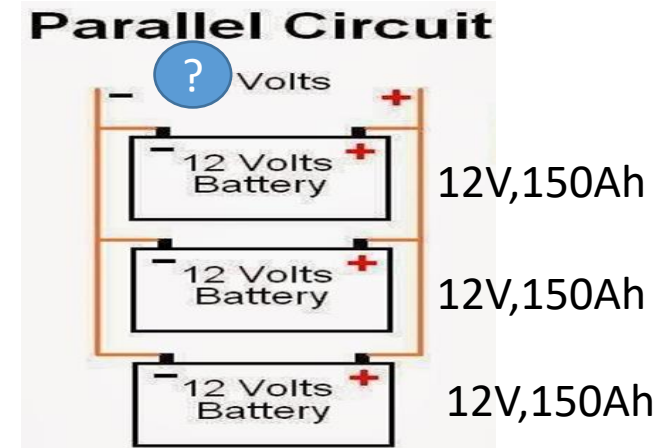
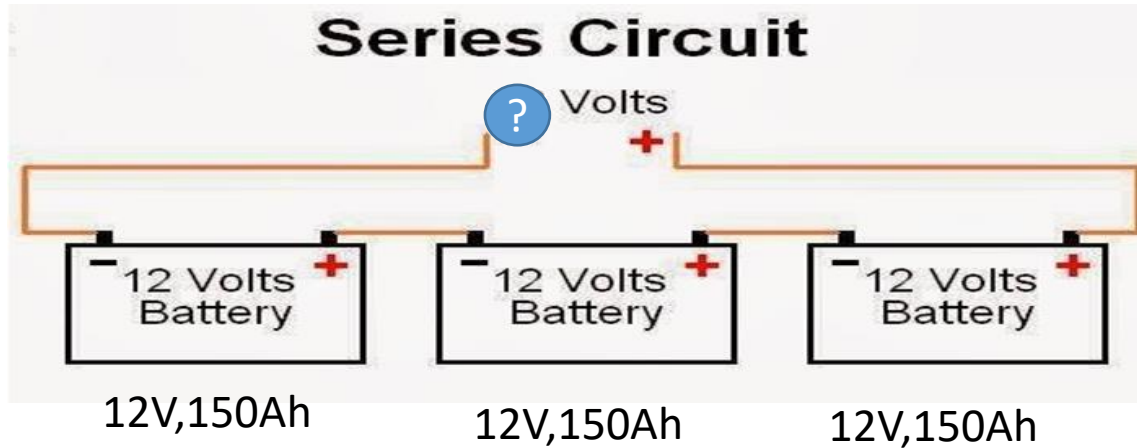
Battery Voltage in series and parallel

PARALLEL CONNECTION: Two or more elements are in parallel if they are connected to the same two nodes and consequently have the same voltage across them

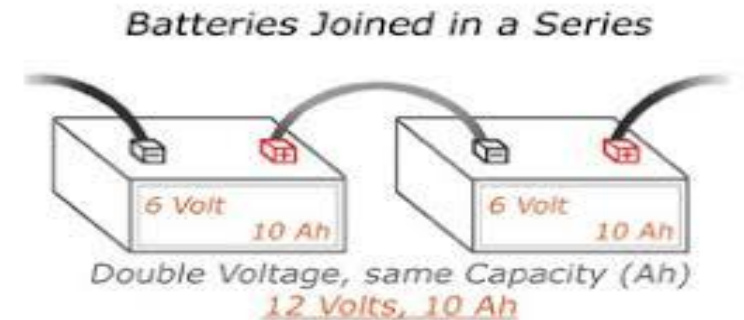


Quick Quiz (Poll2)

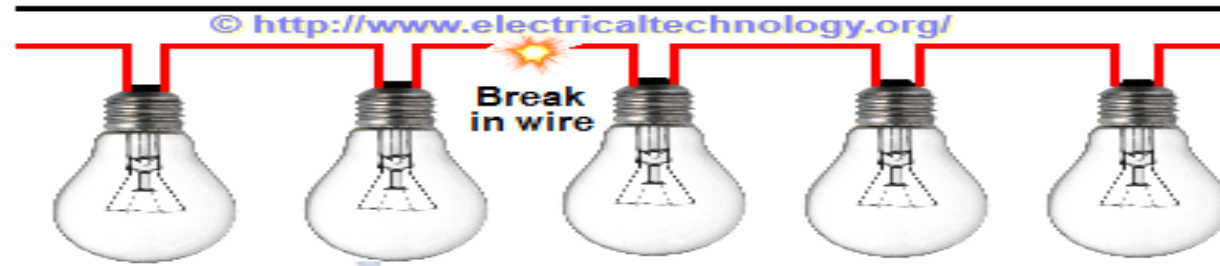
Find the energy of the 3 battery in series and parallel



- A) 4500kWh, 4500kWh
- B) 5400Wh, 5400Wh
- C) 5400kWh, 5400kWh
- D) None of the above

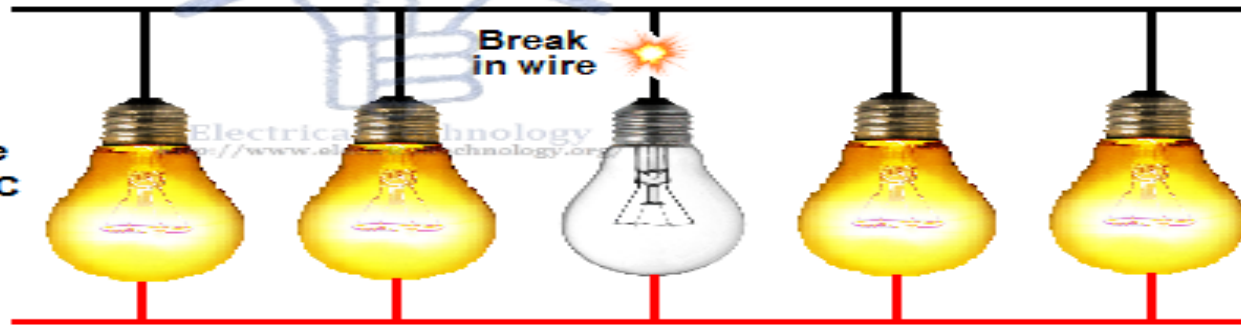


Supply Voltage
220V or 110V AC



Series Connection

Supply Voltage
220V or 110V AC



The rest of bulbs are ON

Parallel Connection

**Why Parallel Connection is
Preferred over Series Connection?**

QUICK QUIZ (Poll 3)

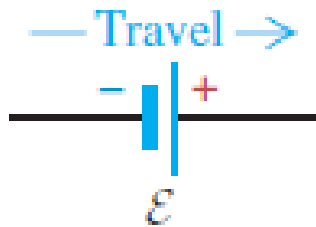
- In a car a 2 volt, 6 cells are connected in series ,then how much voltage is provided by battery to car. In other way if 2 Volt ,6 cells are connected in parallel then how much voltage is provided by battery to car.

A)2V ,2V B)3V,6V C)12V,2V D) 0V,12V

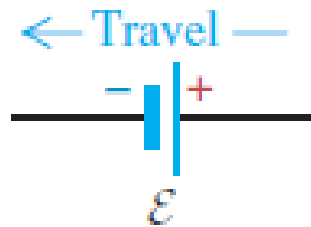
Sign Convention for KVL

(a) Sign conventions for emfs

$+\mathcal{E}$: Travel direction from $-$ to $+$:

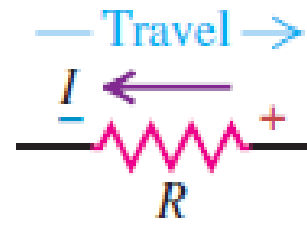


$-\mathcal{E}$: Travel direction from $+$ to $-$:

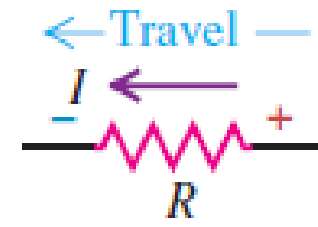


(b) Sign conventions for resistors

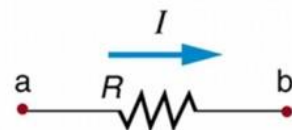
$+IR$: Travel *opposite* to current direction:



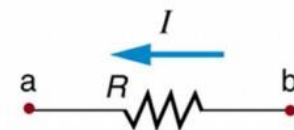
$-IR$: Travel *in* current direction:



Direction of traverse a \longrightarrow b Direction of traverse a \longrightarrow b

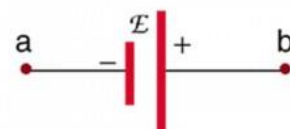


$$\Delta V = V_b - V_a = -IR$$

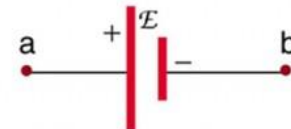


$$\Delta V = V_b - V_a = +IR$$

Direction of traverse a \longrightarrow b Direction of traverse a \longrightarrow b



$$\Delta V = V_b - V_a = +\mathcal{E}$$



$$\Delta V = V_b - V_a = -\mathcal{E}$$

Let us Recall!

- Taking Clockwise direction (Def. 1):

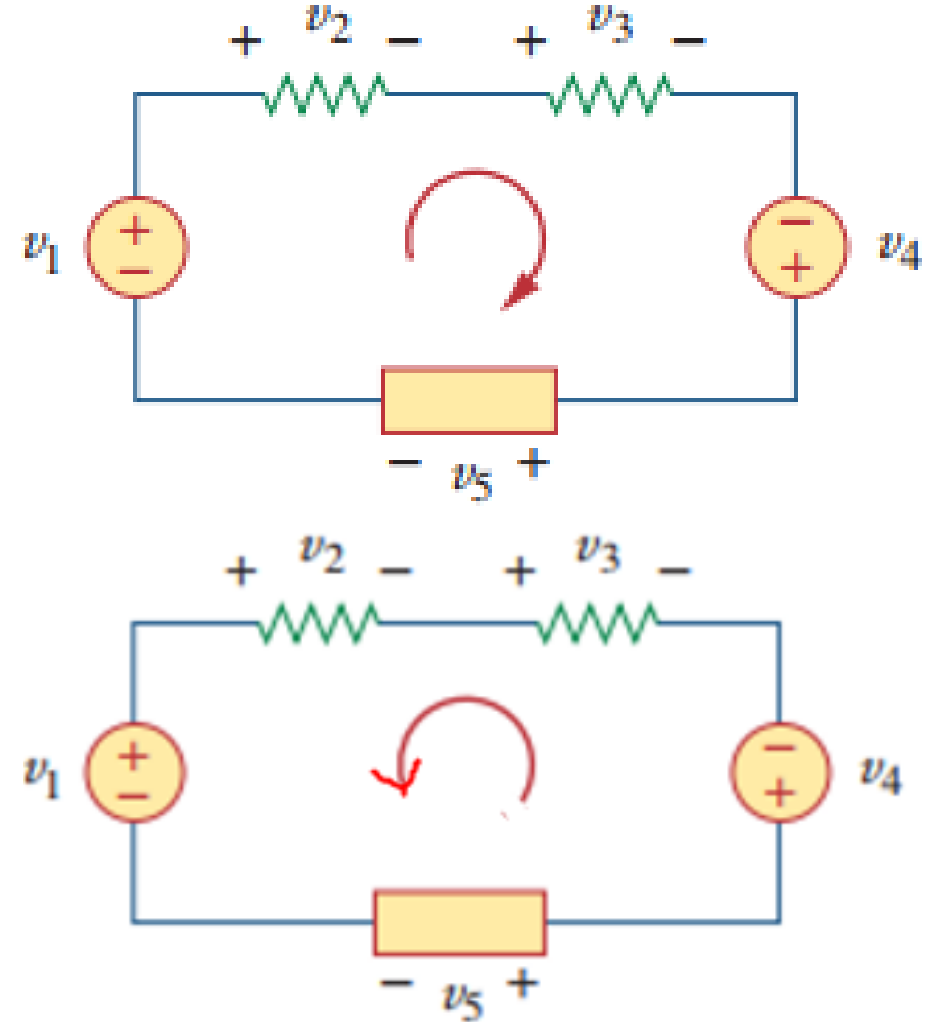
$$+V_1 - V_2 - V_3 + V_4 - V_5 = 0$$

- Taking Anti-clockwise direction(Def. 1):

$$-V_4 + V_3 + V_2 - V_1 + V_5 = 0$$

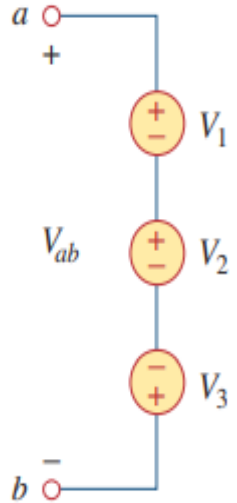
- Voltage rise = Voltage drop

$$+V_1 + V_4 = V_2 + V_3 + V_5$$



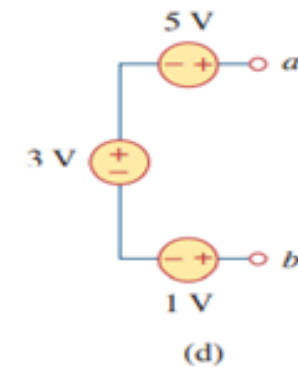
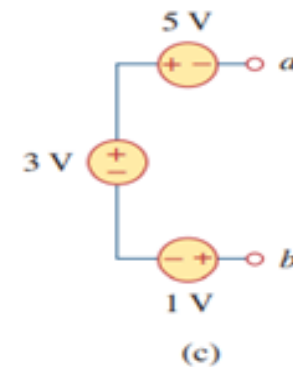
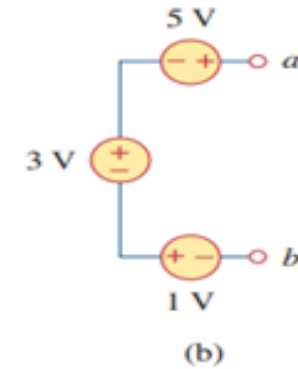
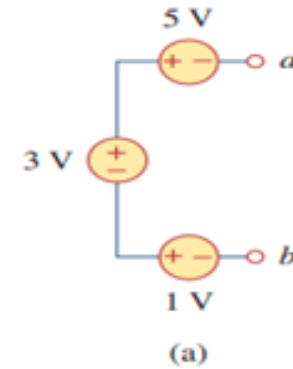
QUICK QUIZ (Poll 4)

Q . Write the equation



Q. Which of the following circuit will give $V_{ab} = 7V$

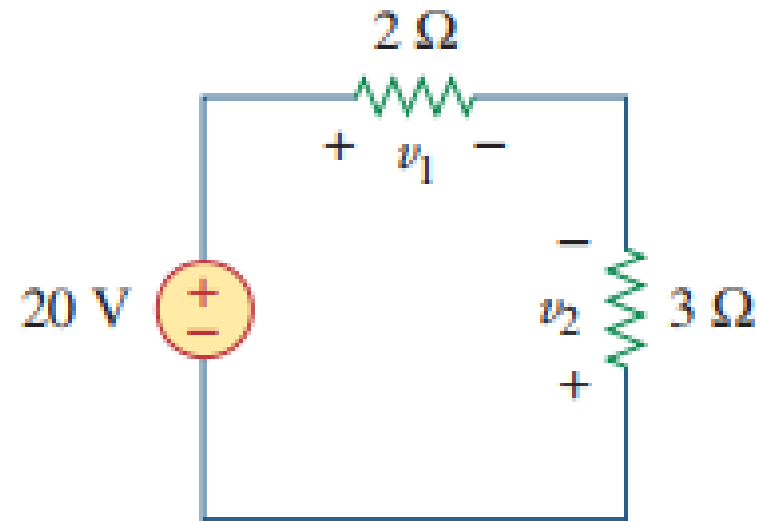
- A) A
- B) B
- C) C
- D) d



QUICK QUIZ (Poll 2)

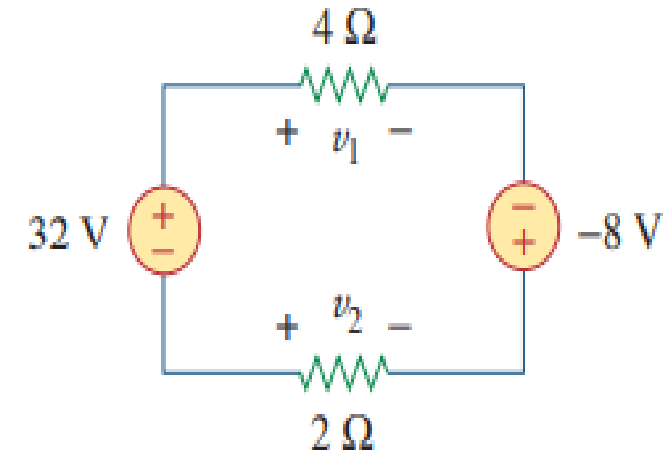
Find voltages V_1 and V_2 in the given circuit:

- A.* $V_1 = 16\text{ V}$ and $V_2 = 12\text{ V}$
- B.* $V_1 = 16\text{ V}$ and $V_2 = -8\text{ V}$
- C.* $V_1 = 8\text{ V}$ and $V_2 = -12\text{ V}$
- D.* $V_1 = -12\text{ V}$ and $V_2 = 8\text{ V}$

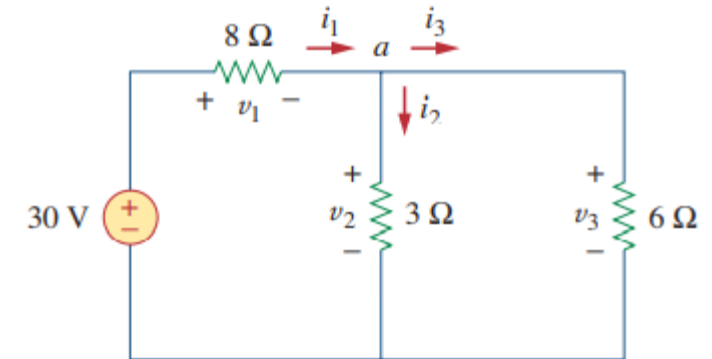


Practice !

Find the voltages V_1 and V_2

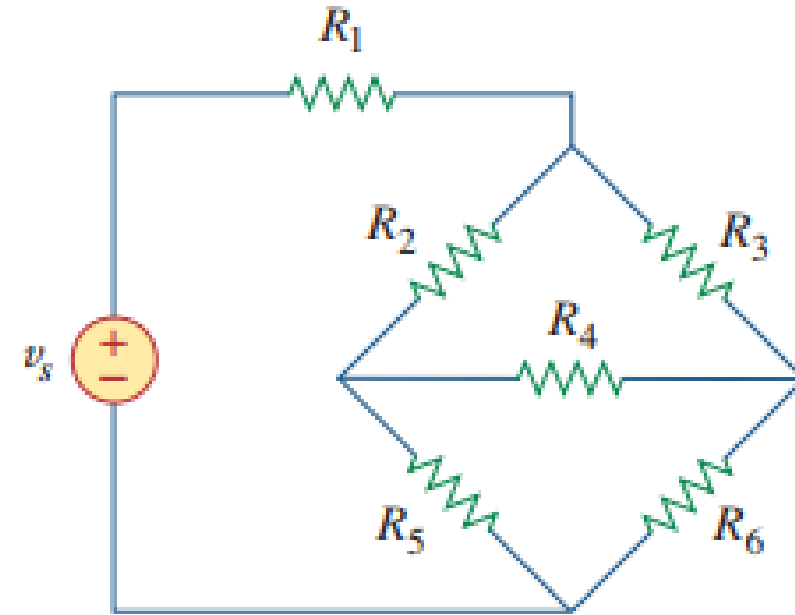
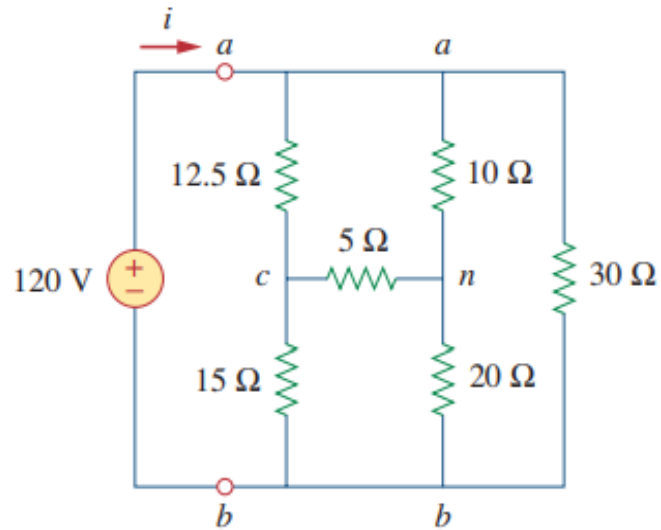


Find the voltages and current in given circuit



Star Delta Transformation

- Situations often arise in circuit analysis when the **resistors are neither in parallel nor in series**. For example, consider the bridge shown in the figure.

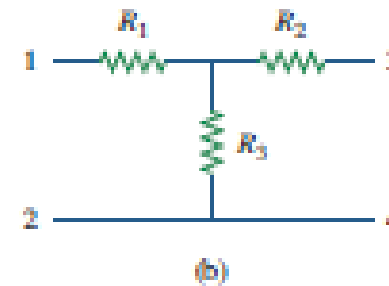
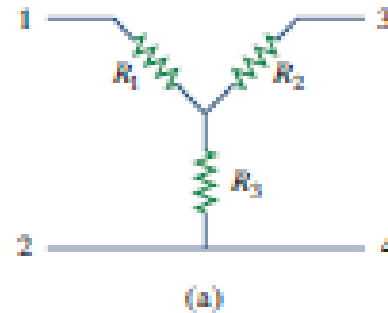


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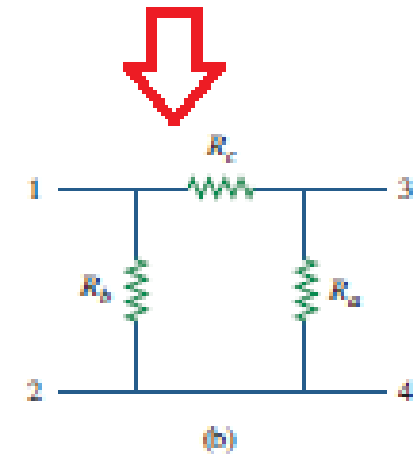
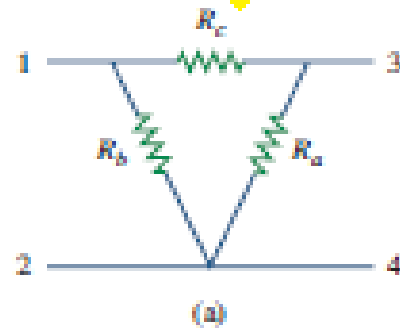
There are two types of such circuits

1. Star Connection
2. Delta Connection

STAR



DELTA

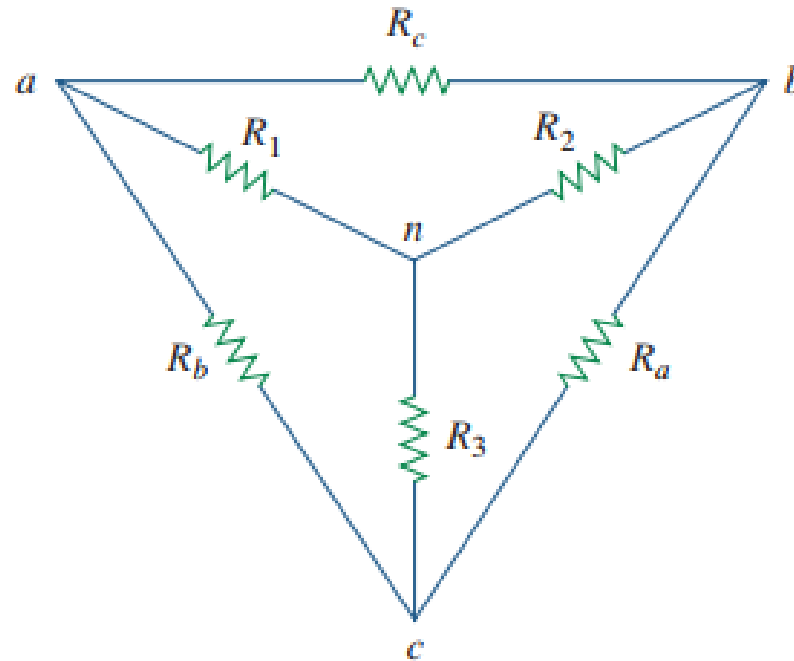


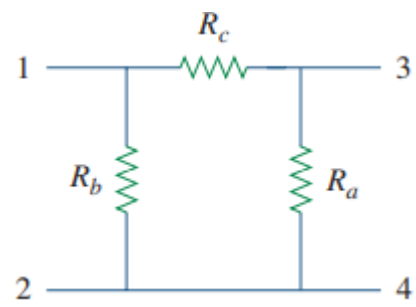
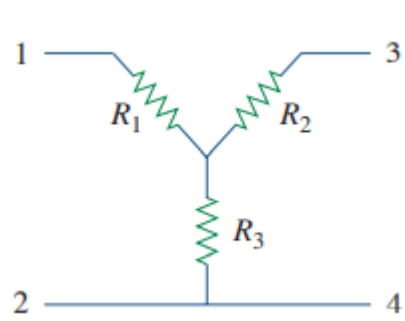
1.Delta to Star Conversion

$$R_1 = \frac{R_b R_c}{R_a + R_b + R_c}$$

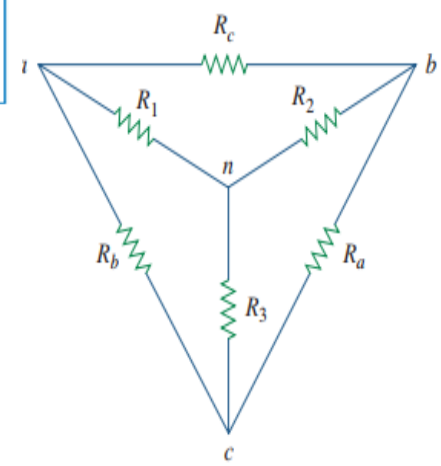
$$R_2 = \frac{R_c R_a}{R_a + R_b + R_c}$$

$$R_3 = \frac{R_a R_b}{R_a + R_b + R_c}$$





$$R_1 = \frac{R_b R_c}{R_a + R_b + R_c}$$

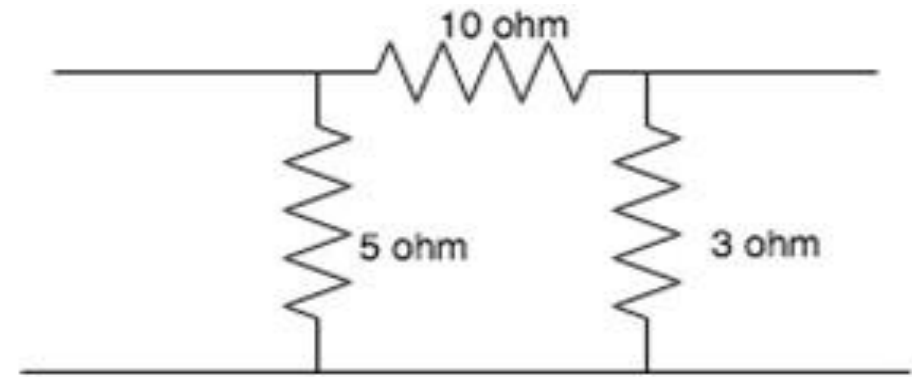


QUICK QUIZ (Poll 1)

Is this a Star Connection?

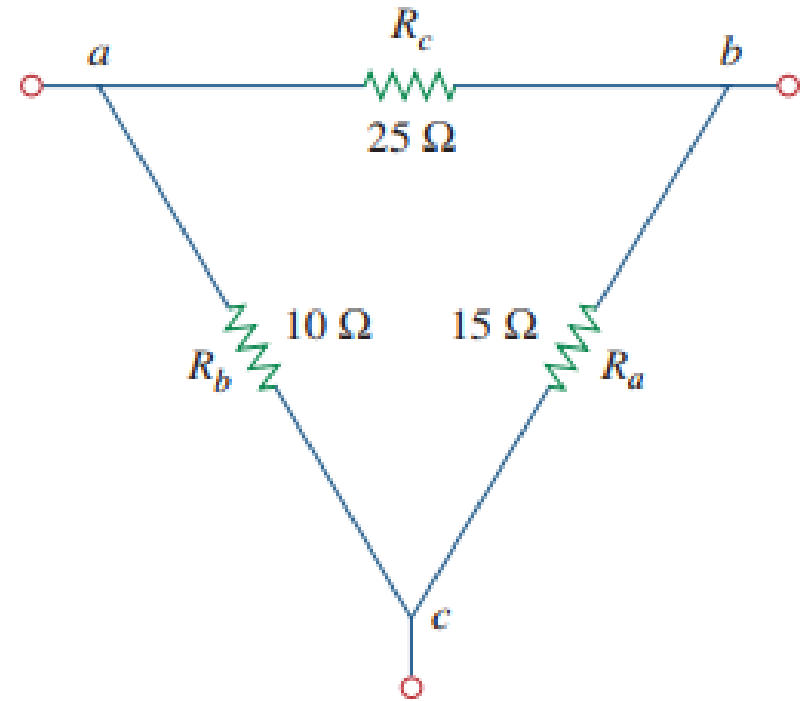
A) Yes

B) No



Practice Problem

Q: Convert Δ network into a Y network?



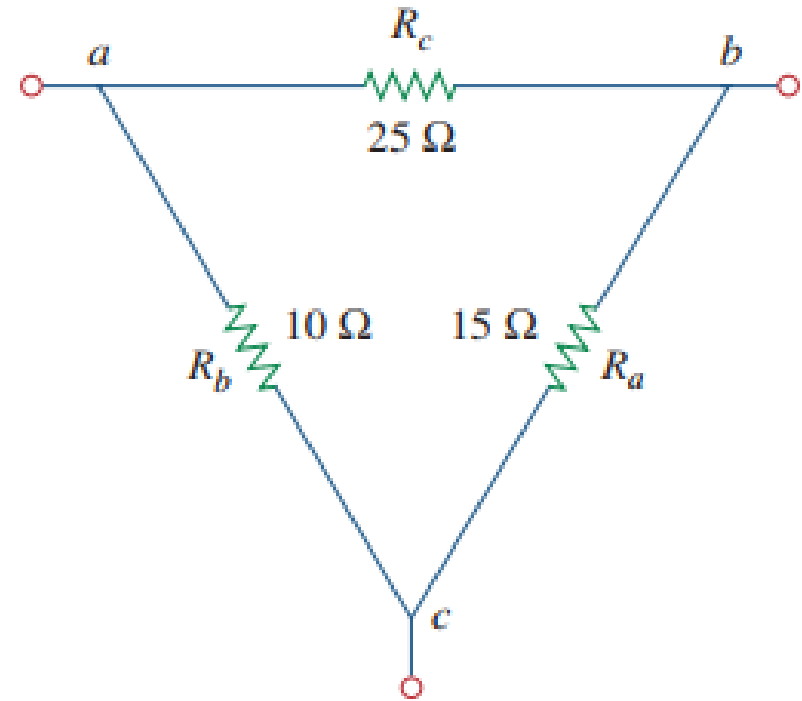
Practice Problem

Q: Convert Δ network into a Y network?

$$R_1 = \frac{R_b R_c}{R_a + R_b + R_c} = \frac{10 \times 25}{15 + 10 + 25} = \frac{250}{50} = 5 \Omega$$

$$R_2 = \frac{R_c R_a}{R_a + R_b + R_c} = \frac{25 \times 15}{50} = 7.5 \Omega$$

$$R_3 = \frac{R_a R_b}{R_a + R_b + R_c} = \frac{15 \times 10}{50} = 3 \Omega$$

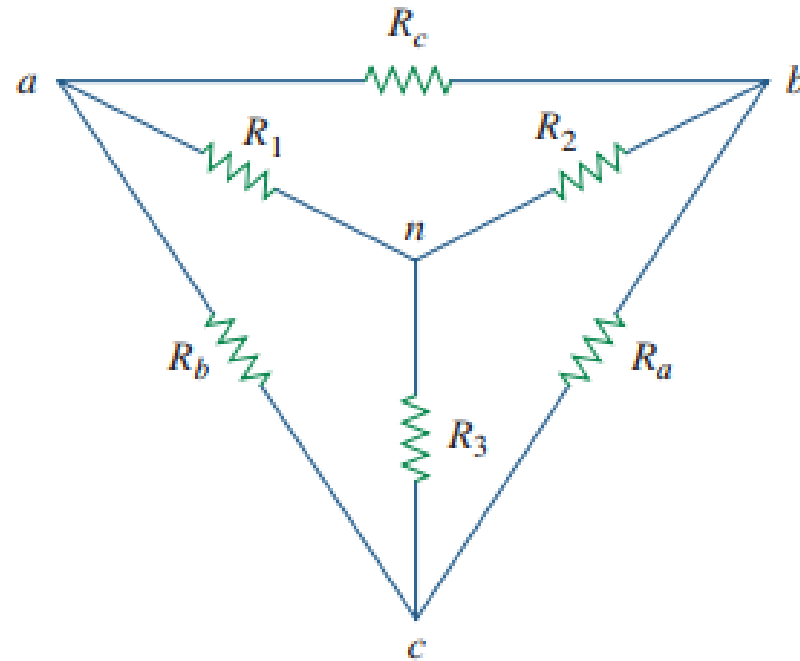


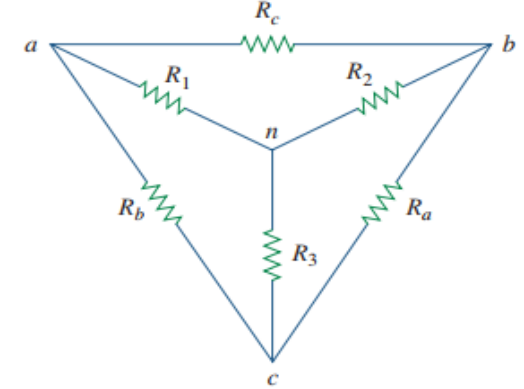
Star to Delta Conversion

$$R_a = \frac{R_1 R_2 + R_2 R_3 + R_3 R_1}{R_1}$$

$$R_b = \frac{R_1 R_2 + R_2 R_3 + R_3 R_1}{R_2}$$

$$R_c = \frac{R_1 R_2 + R_2 R_3 + R_3 R_1}{R_3}$$





$$R_1 = \frac{R_b R_c}{R_a + R_b + R_c}$$

$$R_2 = \frac{R_c R_a}{R_a + R_b + R_c}$$

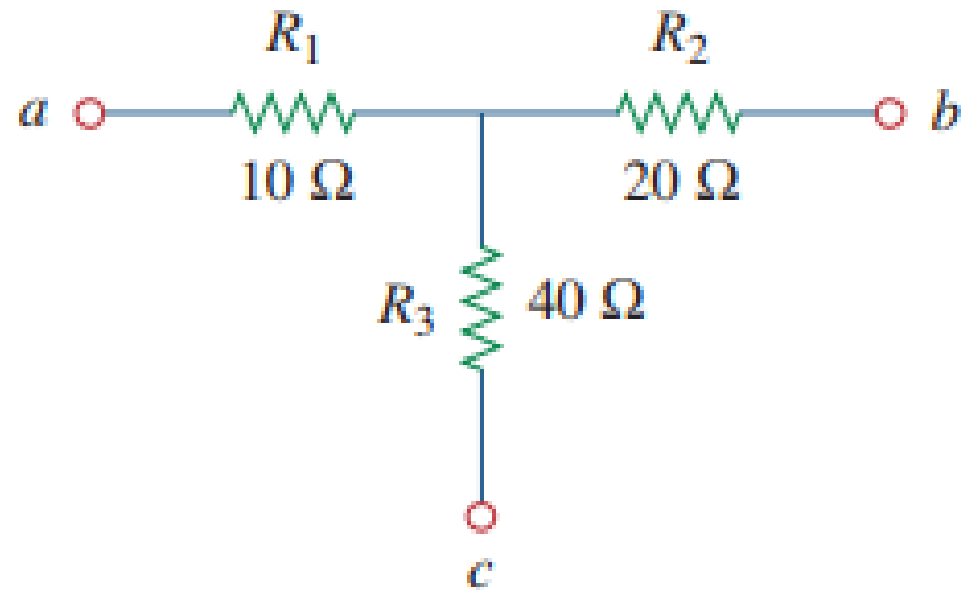
$$R_3 = \frac{R_a R_b}{R_a + R_b + R_c}$$

Delta to Y transformation

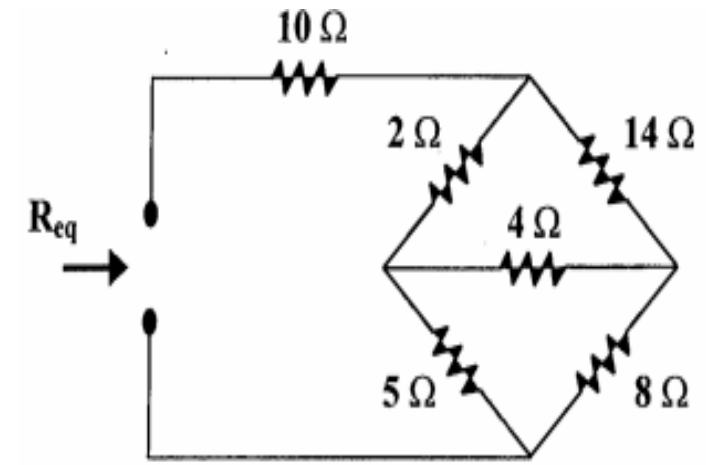
QUICK QUIZ (Poll 1)

Resistance R_{bc} for the Δ network of the corresponding Figure is:

- A. 140
- B. 70
- C. 35
- D. 100



Practice



QUICK QUIZ (Poll 2)

Q: If $R_a = R_b = R_c = R$ in a Δ network, then $R_1 = R_2 = R_3 = ?$

- A. $3R$
- B. $R/3$
- C. R
- D. $R/2$

