

MODULE :- 3

TEMPERATURE MEASUREMENT.

→ Electrical Method :-

Why we use electrical method : easy to track electrical signal.

Here temperature converted to electrical signal

We can process it in amplification, Modulation, Control

→ Materials whose resistance change with temp. is used in measurement

{ +ve temperature Co-eff : \uparrow Temp. \uparrow Resist.

{ -ve " " " : \downarrow Temp. \downarrow Resistance

→ Temp. effect induce a thermoelectric. emf on combination of some materials.

1) RESISTANCE THERMOMETER

- Resistance temperature detector (RTD)

* Here $\Delta T \rightarrow \Delta R$ occurs. Now relation of R & T

$$R = R_0 [1 + \alpha_1 T + \alpha_2 T^2 + \alpha_3 T^3 + \dots + \alpha_n T^n + \dots]$$

R_0 = Resistance when $T=0$

$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots$ are constants.

* We can approxim. above equation to $R = R_0 [1 + \alpha_1 T + \alpha_2 T^2]$

* For a narrow range of materials :

$$R = R_0 [1 + \alpha T] \quad \text{where } \alpha = \text{Resistive temp. coeff.}$$

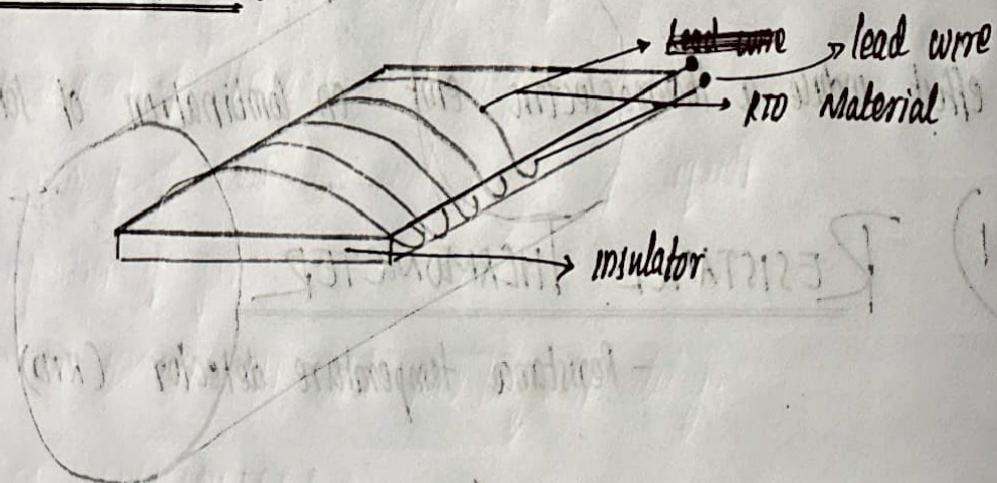
* Materials used as RTD can be platinum, silver

Change in temperature can be in the region -250°C to 1000°C .

* A good RTD Material Has following properties :

- If the material has suitable resistivity
- It should have high temp. Coeff. of resistivity and should be stable
- Corrosion resistance and chemically stable
- It should not undergo any phase changes during operating
- Material should be available in a pure and uniform form.

CONSTRUCTION OF RTD :-



→ Insulator can be mica, ceramic

- * It is used for fast response and high sensitivity application
- * It is interchangeable (same type of RTD)
- * It has rugged construction reliable for industrial application
- * Self heating nature may be there (error in temp. may occur due to the current passing)
- * Lead wire resistance may introduce error in measurement

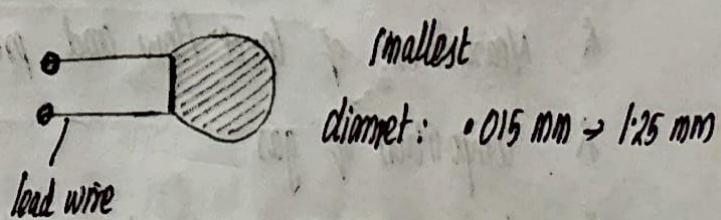
THERMISTERS :-

- * Thermal resistors \rightarrow +ve or -ve temp. coefficient
- * Most of semi conductors are in this thermistors (Combination of metal oxide).
- * Used for measuring sensitive temp and precision.

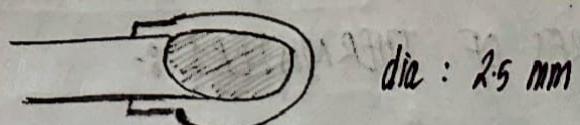
CONSTRUCTION :-

- * Manganese, iron, uranium

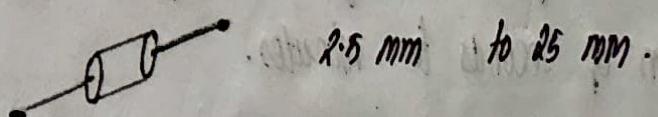
Type ① : Bead type thermistors :



Type ② : Probe type thermistors :



Type ③ : Disc type :

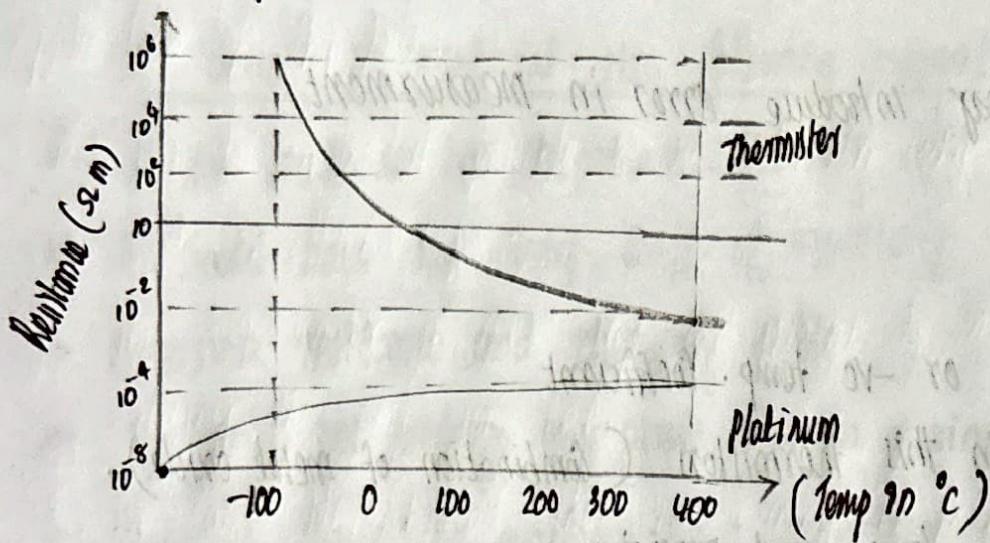


Compressing material to form disc type, thermistors.

→ Relation of R & T in thermistors:

$$R_T = R_{T_0} e^{[\beta(\frac{1}{T_0} - \frac{1}{T})]} \quad R_{T_0} = \text{resist. @ } T_0$$

Resistance temperature chart:-



OTHER APPLICATIONS OF RTD :-

- * Use to measure power @ high freq.
- * Measurement of thermal conductivity
- * Measurement of level flow and pressure of liquids
- * Composition of gas
- * Vacuum measurements and providing time delay.

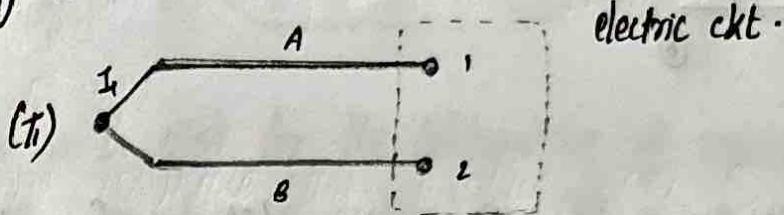
FEATURES OF THERMISTERS :-

- * They have good stability & response time of thermistor can vary from fraction of seconds to minutes.
- * Compact and inexpensive.
- * Upper operating temp. is dep. on physical change of temp.
- * Lower limit depends on measurement method.

* Measuring current may cause self heat.

THERMO COUPLE

→ Joining of 2 dissimilar materials;

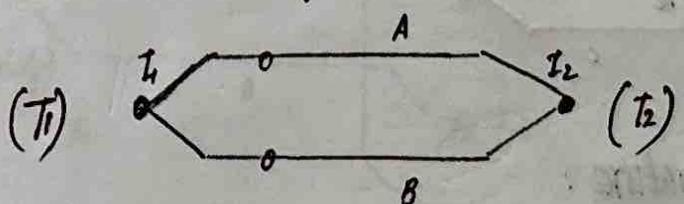


- Seebeck effect : $Pd \rightarrow$ Voltage : A fxⁿ of time
- Connecting to a electric ckt.
- Draw a Current \int Alteration in emf : Peltier effect.
- Either or both : temp. gradient - Alteration in emf \rightarrow Thompson effect.

THERMOELECTRIC LAW:

1st : Application of heat to a single homogenous metal in itself not capable of producing an electric current or sustaining electric current.

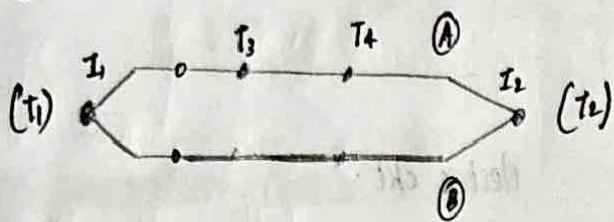
2nd : A thermoelectric emf which produce in jx's of 2 dissimilar homogeneous materials are kept on different temperatures. This emf is not affected by temp. gradient along Con'd's.



3rd : Law of intermediate metals:

In a ckt consisting of 2 dissimilar homogeneous metals, having jx's @ different temperatures, the emf developed will not be affected.

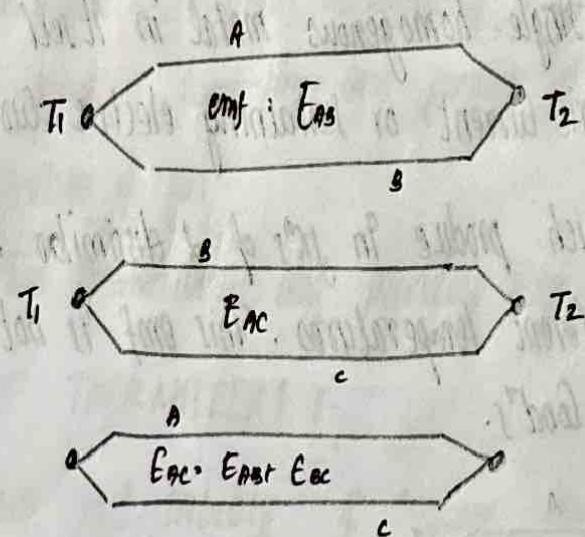
When a third homog. metal is made a part of ckt, provided the temp. of its 2 jx's are the same.



Application of this law:

- * This law make it possible to use extension wire different from the metal used for thermo couple.
- * This law enable a measuring instrument to introduce in a ckt, without affecting the emf generated.
- * We can solder / braze the wire forming the jx's.

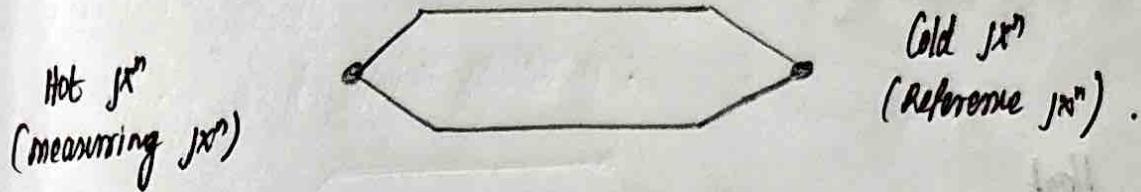
4th : The thermal emf of any 2 homogeneous metals w.r.t another is the algebraic sum of their individual emf's w.r.t a third homogeneous metal.



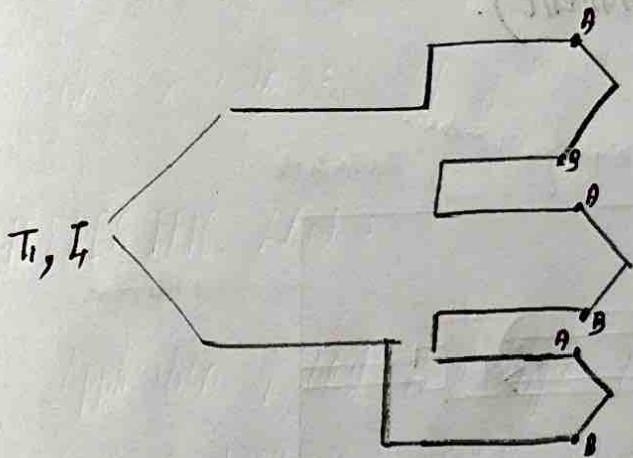
5th : law of intermediate temperature:

The thermal emf produced in the ckt of 2 homog. metals exist b/w first temperature and a second and thermal emf produced when the same ckt exist b/w the 2nd temp. & a third are algebraically

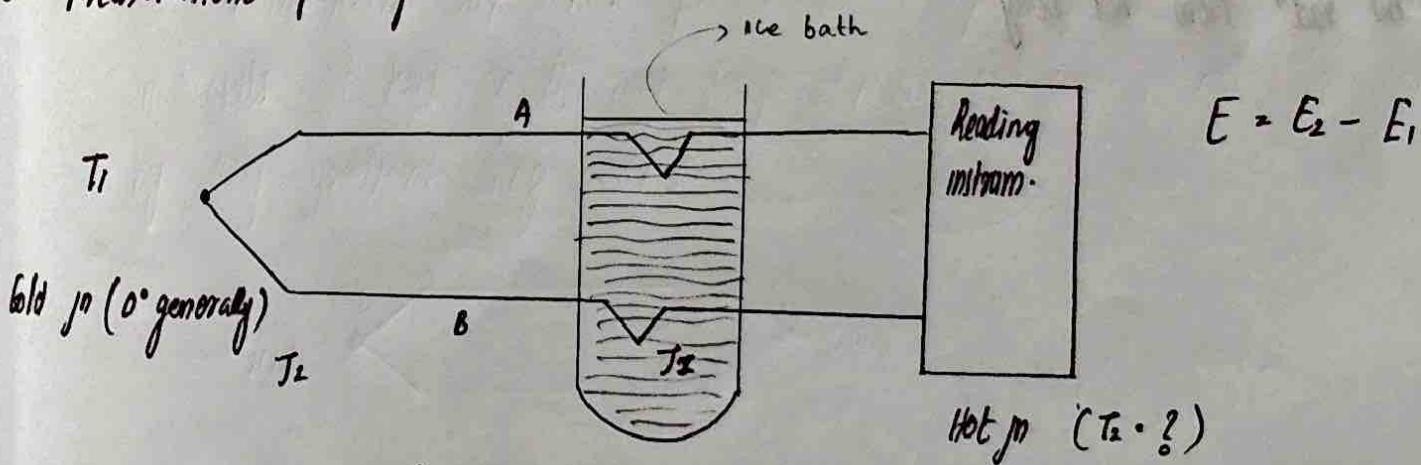
equal to the thermal emf produced when the ckt exist b/w first and third temperature.



- This law can be used for the calibration of reference temp.
- Algebraic sum of emf's produced in a ckt. containing 2 or more thermo couple all @ the same temp is zero.
- ^{at ent} Containing 2 thermocouple is unaffected by the addition of more thermocouple at the same temp.



Measurement of temp. T_2 :-



$$E = E_2 - E_1$$

$$E = E_1 - E_2 = (E_1 - E_a) - [E_2 - E_a]$$

Hot Jx ($T_2 \cdot ?$)

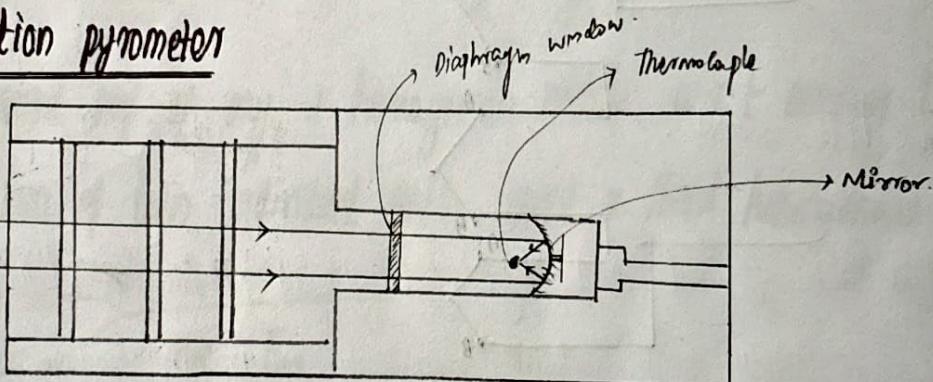
- Gold junction compensation
 - Ice bath
 - Bridge
 - Double oven
- To bring 0° @ cold pt.

Measurement of Heat

→ Radiation method - pyrometer.

- i) Total radiation pyrometer
- ii) IR radiation pyrometer [selective rad" pyrometer]
- iii) Optical pyrometer (disappearing filament).

i) Total radiation pyrometer



* All rad" from hot body