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Abstract:-

This experiment aims at testing the relation along with calculating the similar resistance. This includes comparing two networks to find out the transformation and ensuring that a particular pair of nodes provide the same resistance in different networks. Taking a single configuration through noting the currents and voltage from a closed circuit. For a cleaner outlook, this process can also be used in circuit analysis.

Theory:-

- i) Series Circuit:- A circuit consists of any number of elements joined at terminal points, providing at least one closed path through which charge can flow.
Two elements are in series if,
 - a) They have only one terminal in common (i.e., one lead of one is connected to only one lead of the other).

b) The common point between the two elements is not connected to another current-carrying element.

The current is the same through series elements.

The total resistance of a series circuit is the sum of the resistance levels. In general, to find

the total resistance of (N) resistors in series, the

following equation is applied:-

$$R_T = R_1 + R_2 + R_3 + \dots + R_N \text{ (Ohms)} \quad I = \frac{E}{R_T} \text{ (Amperes)}$$

The voltage across each resistor (fig. 1) using Ohm's law, that is,

$$V_1 = IR_1, V_2 = IR_2, V_3 = IR_3, \dots, V_n = IR_n \text{ (Volts)}$$

Using KVL,

The voltage divider rule states that the voltage across a resistor in a series circuit is equal to the value of that resistor times the total

impressed (voltage) across the series elements -

divided by the total resistance of the series elements

The following VDR equation is applied:-

$$V_x = \frac{R_x E}{R_T} ; \text{ Similarly, } V_1 = \frac{R_1}{R_T} \times E, V_2 = \frac{R_2}{R_T} \times E$$

Where, V_x is the voltage across R_x , E is the -

impressed voltage across the series elements, and R_T -
is the total resistance of the series circuit.

ii) Parallel Circuit:- Two elements, branches, or networks

are in parallel if they have two points in -
common. In general, to find the total resistance of
'N' resistors in parallel, the following equation is -

applied:-

$$\frac{1}{R_T} = \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} + \frac{1}{R_3} + \dots + \frac{1}{R_N} \text{ (Ohms)}$$

The voltage across parallel elements is the same (Figure 2)

$$(V_1 = V_2 = E)$$

$$I_1 = \frac{E}{R_1}, I_2 = \frac{E}{R_2} \text{ (Amperes)}$$

Using KCL,

$$I_s = I_1 + I_2 \quad (\text{Ampères})$$

The current divider rule states that the current through any parallel branch is equal to the product of the total resistance of the parallel branches of the circuit by the input current divided by the resistance of the branch through which the current is to be determined. The following CDR equation is applied:-

$$I_x = \frac{R_T}{R_x} I; \text{ Similarly, } I_1 = \frac{R_T}{R_1} I, I_2 = \frac{R_T}{R_2} I$$

Where, the input current I equal $\frac{V}{R_T}$, R_T is the total resistance of the parallel branches. Substituting $V = I_x R_x$ into the above equation, I_x refers to

the current through a parallel branch of resistance R_x .

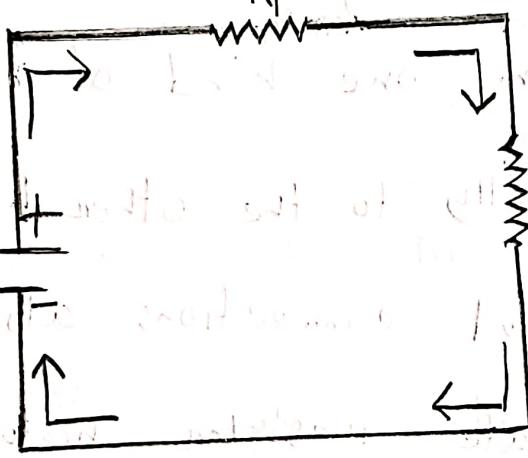


Figure 1 :- Series Circuit.

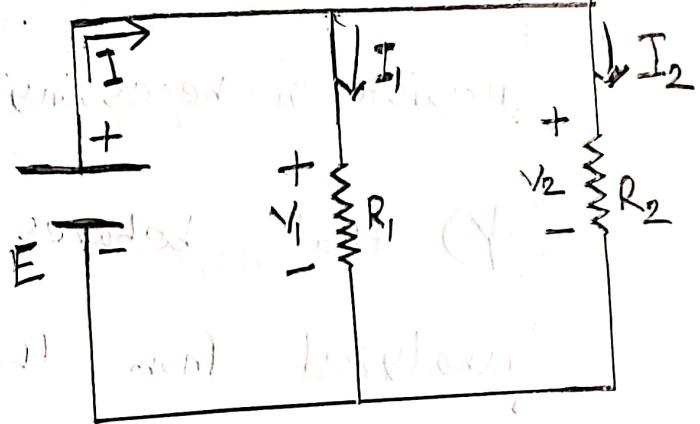
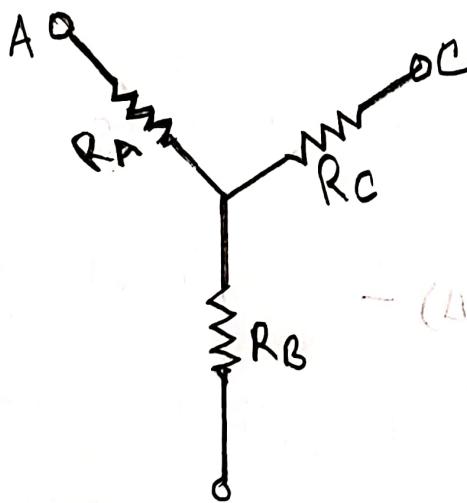


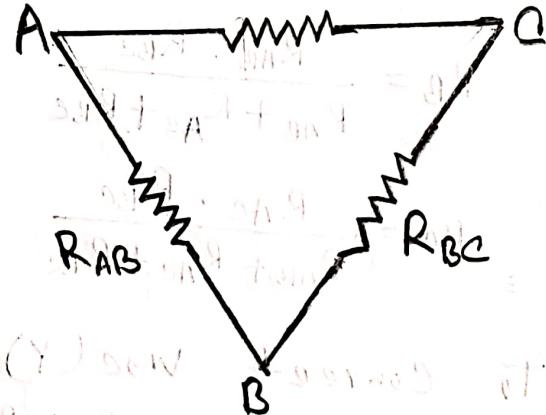
Figure 2 :- Parallel Circuit.

Delta (Δ) and Wye (Y) network :- In many circuit applications we encounter components connected together in one of

two ways to form a three-terminal network: the "Delta," or Δ (also known as "pi," or π) configuration, and the "Y" (also known as the " T ") configuration.



Wye (Y) Network.



Delta (Δ) Network.

It is possible to calculate the proper values of resistors necessary to form one kind of network (Δ or Γ) that behaves identically to the other hand, as analyzed from the terminal connections alone. That is, if we had two separate resistor networks one Δ and one Γ , each with its own Δ could be sized for the two networks so there would be no way to electrically determine one network apart from the other. In other words, equivalent Δ and Γ networks behave identically.

To convert Δ to Γ -

$$R_A = \frac{R_{AB} \cdot R_{AC}}{R_{AB} + R_{AC} + R_{BC}}$$

$$R_B = \frac{R_{AB} \cdot R_{BC}}{R_{AB} + R_{AC} + R_{BC}}$$

$$R_C = \frac{R_{AC} \cdot R_{BC}}{R_{AB} + R_{AC} + R_{BC}}$$

To convert Γ to Δ -

$$R_{AB} = \frac{R_A R_B + R_B R_C + R_C R_A}{R_C}$$

$$R_{BC} = \frac{R_A R_B + R_B R_C + R_C R_A}{R_A}$$

$$R_{AC} = \frac{R_A R_B + R_B R_C + R_C R_A}{R_B}$$

Apparatus:-

1. Trainer Board
2. AVO meter or Multimeter.
3. DC source.
4. Resistors.
5. Connecting wires.

Precaution:- we've checked all the apparatus were working

properly or not. we've implemented the circuit carefully where it's necessary. The voltmeter was connected - in the parallel through the resistor and the Ammeter was connected in the series through the resistor. We didn't switch on the DC source while implementing the circuit in the trainer board.

Circuit Diagram:-

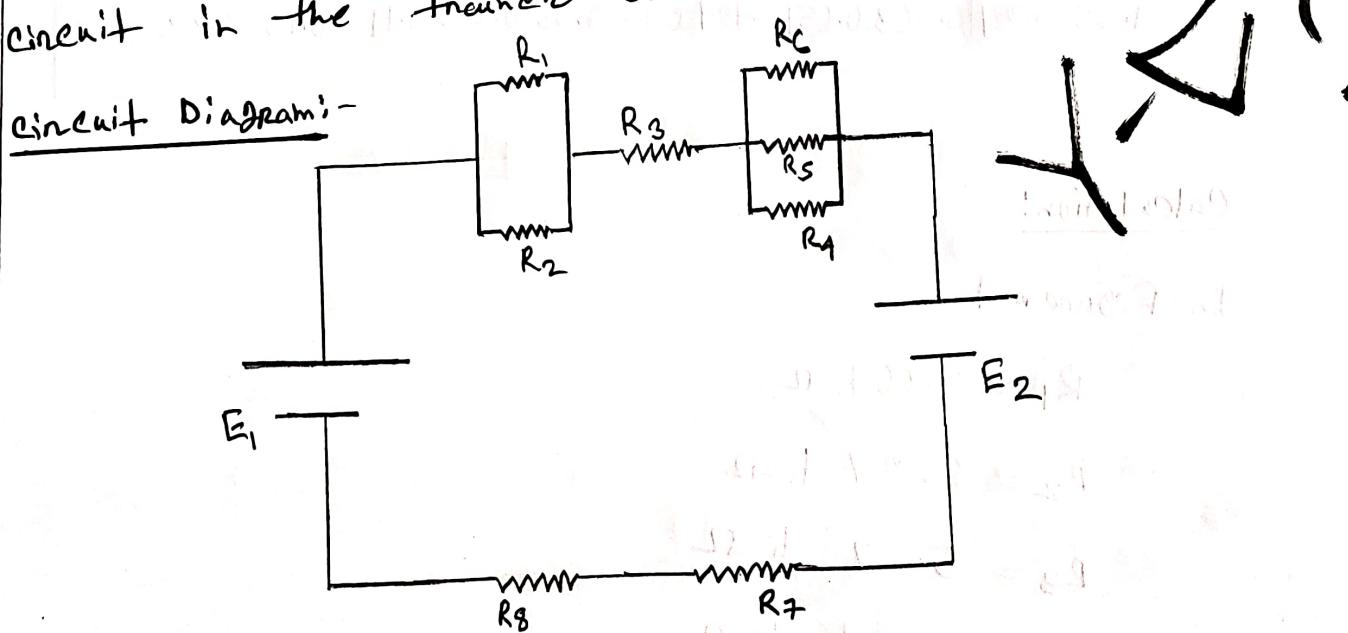


Figure : - 9

Data Table:-

Table:- 1: Data Table For Series-Parallel Connection.

Calculated Value						Measured Value					
I (mA)	VR ₁₂ (mV)	VR ₃ (V)	VR ₄₅₆ (V)	VR ₇ (V)	VR ₈ (mV)	I (mA)	VR ₁₂ (mV)	VR ₃ (V)	VR ₄₅₆ (V)	VR ₇ (V)	VR ₈ (mV)
4.07	1070	2.202	0.521	1.55	1570	9.70	1.08	2.293	0.519	1.531	1553

Table - 2: Data Table For delta Connection.

VR (V)	VR ₁ (V)	VR ₂ (V)	VR ₃ (V)	VR ₄ (V)	VR ₅ (V)	IR (mA)	IR ₁ (mA)	IR ₂ (mA)	IR ₃ (mA)	IR ₄ (mA)	IR ₅ (mA)
1.33	0.911	0.960	0.626	0.745	0.491	0.35	0.23	0.11	0.12	0.22	0.10

Table - 3: Data Table For Wye Connection.

VR (V)	VR ₁ (V)	VR ₂ (V)	VR ₆ (V)	VR ₇ (V)	VR ₈ (V)	IR (mA)	IR ₁ (mA)	IR ₂ (mA)	IR ₆ (mA)	IR ₇ (mA)	IR ₈ (mA)
1.35	0.981	0.963	0.651	0.424	0.195	0.35	0.25	0.11	0.15	0.22	0.10

Calculation:-

In Figure - 9,

$$R_1 = 3.86 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_2 = 8.27 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_3 = 5.57 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_4 = 3.34 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_S = 4.62 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_6 = 3.89 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_7 = 3.82 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_8 = 3.87 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$E_1 = 10 \text{ V}$$

$$E_2 = 3 \text{ V}$$

hence,

$$R_{12} = \left(\frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \right)^{-1}$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{3.86} + \frac{1}{8.27} \right)^{-1}$$

$$= \cancel{0.63}$$

$$= 2.63 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_{456} = \left(\frac{1}{R_4} + \frac{1}{R_5} + \frac{1}{R_6} \right)^{-1}$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{3.39} + \frac{1}{4.62} + \frac{1}{3.89} \right)^{-1}$$

$$= 1.28 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_T = R_{12} + R_3 + R_{456} + R_7 + R_8$$

$$= 2.63 + 5.57 + 1.28 + 3.82 + 3.87$$

$$= 17.17 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$I = \frac{E}{R_T}$$

$$= \frac{7}{17.17 \times 1000} = 407 \times 10^{-9} \text{ A} = 407 \text{ mA}$$

$$V_{R_{12}} = \frac{R_{12}}{R_T} \times E = \frac{2.63}{17.17} \times 7 = 1.07 \text{ V} = 107 \text{ mV}$$

$$V_{R3} = \frac{R_3}{R_T} E = \frac{5.57}{17.17} \times 7 = 2.202 V$$

$$V_{R4S6} = \frac{R_{4S6}}{R_T} \times E = \frac{1.28}{17.17} \times 7 = 0.521 V$$

$$V_{R7} = \frac{R_7}{R_T} \times E = \frac{3.82}{17.17} \times 7 = 1.55 V$$

$$V_{R8} = \frac{R_8}{R_T} \times E = \frac{3.87}{17.17} \times 7 = 1.57 V = 1570 mV$$

In figure 5,

$$R = R_f = 3.82 k\Omega$$

$$R_1 = 3.86 k\Omega$$

$$R_2 = 8.27 k\Omega$$

$$R_3 = 5.57 k\Omega$$

$$R_4 = 3.39 k\Omega$$

$$R_5 = 4.62 k\Omega$$

And,

$$VR = 1.33 V$$

$$VR_1 = 0.911 V$$

$$VR_2 = 0.960 V$$

$$VR_3 = 0.696 V$$

$$VR_4 = 0.745 V$$

$$VR_5 = 0.491 V$$

So,

$$IR = \frac{1.35}{3.82} = 0.35 \text{ mA}$$

$$IR_1 = \frac{0.911}{3.86} = 0.23 \text{ mA}$$

$$IR_2 = \frac{0.960}{8.27} = 0.11 \text{ mA}$$

$$IR_3 = \frac{0.696}{5.57} = 0.12 \text{ mA}$$

$$IR_4 = \frac{0.745}{3.39} = 0.22 \text{ mA}$$

$$IR_5 = \frac{0.491}{4.62} = 0.10 \text{ mA}$$

$\Delta - \gamma$ Conversion:-

$$R_6 = \frac{R_3 R_S}{R_3 + R_4 + R_S} = \frac{5.57 \times 4.62}{5.57 + 3.39 + 4.62} = 1.901 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_7 = \frac{R_4 R_S}{R_3 + R_4 + R_S} = \frac{3.39 \times 4.62}{5.57 + 3.39 + 4.62} = 1.14 \text{ k}\Omega$$

$$R_8 = \frac{R_3 R_4}{R_3 + R_4 + R_S} = \frac{5.57 \times 3.39}{5.57 + 3.39 + 4.62} = 1.37 \text{ k}\Omega$$

where,

$$V_R = 1.35 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{R_1} = 0.981 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{R_2} = 0.963 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{R_6} = 0.651 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{R_7} = 0.924 \text{ V}$$

$$V_{R_8} = 0.145 \text{ V}$$

$$IR = \frac{1.35}{3.82} = 0.35 \text{ mA}$$

$$IR_1 = \frac{0.981}{3.86} = 0.25 \text{ mA}$$

$$IR_2 = \frac{0.963}{8.27} = 0.11 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_{R6} = \frac{0.651}{1.90} = 0.35 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_{R7} = \frac{0.424}{1.14} = 0.37 \text{ mA}$$

$$I_{R8} = \frac{0.195}{1.37} = 0.14 \text{ mA}$$

Result:-

for Delta,

$$V_L = 1.33 \text{ V} \text{ and } I_R = 0.35 \text{ mA}$$

for Wye,

$$V_L = 1.35 \text{ V} \text{ and } I_R = 0.35 \text{ mA}$$

Conclusion:-

In this experiment, we've successfully learned, - how to measure values from a 'Series-Parallel' circuit and also get the knowledge that how to convert a Delta (Δ) to Wye (Γ) and Wye (Γ) to Delta (Δ) connection effectively.

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