

- 4 A student applies a potential difference V of $(4.0 \pm 0.1)\text{V}$ across a resistor of resistance R of $(10.0 \pm 0.3)\Omega$ for a time t of $(50 \pm 1)\text{s}$.

The student calculates the energy E dissipated using the equation below.

$$E = \frac{V^2 t}{R} = \frac{4.0^2 \times 50}{10.0} = 80 \text{ J}$$

What is the absolute uncertainty in the calculated energy value?

- A** 1.5 J **B** 3 J **C** 6 J **D** 8 J