

- 4 A circuit consists of three resistors R_1 , R_2 and R_3 , and two switches A and B, as shown in Fig. 4.1.

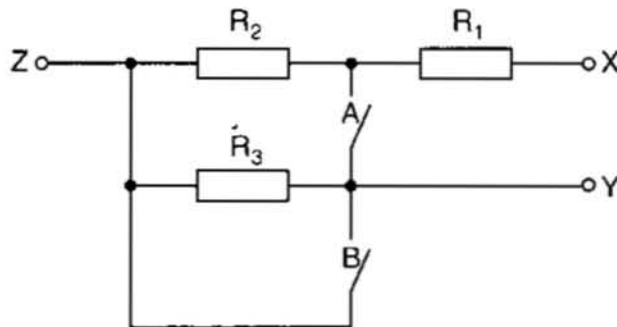


Fig. 4.1

The resistance between terminals X and Y is measured for different settings of the switches A and B. The results are shown in Fig. 4.2.

switch A	switch B	resistance between X and Y / Ω
open	open	12
open	closed	10
closed	open	6
closed	closed	6

Fig. 4.2

- (a) Determine the resistance of

(i) resistor R_1 ,

resistance = Ω [1]

(ii) resistor R_2 ,

resistance = Ω [1]

(iii) resistor R_3 .

resistance = Ω [1]

- (b) Switch A is now closed and switch B is open.

Calculate the resistance between terminals X and Z.

resistance = Ω [2]