

Daily Quiz

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1. What voltage is applied to a 5.0 Ω resistor if the current is 1.5 A? $/= \bot \times R$ $R = 5.0 \Omega$ /= 7 $\sqrt{-7}$

V = IR **Daily Quiz - Answers** V 2. A voltage of 80 V is applied across a 20 Ω resistor. What is the current through the resistor? $V = I \times K$ $I = \frac{V}{R} = \frac{S \circ V}{2 \circ \Omega} = 4 \dot{A}$

V = IR Daily Quiz - Answers

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motor?

 $2 - 740 \times R$



2.3 ANALYZING AND DRAWING ELECTRICAL CIRCUITS

Virtual Circuit Challenge!!



- Can you light a bulb?
- Can you increase or decrease the bulb's brightness?
- Can you make 2 bulbs in the same circuit have different brightness?
- Can you make a circuit where one bulb is switched off while another is on?
- Can you set your circuit on fire?

Why is the brightness different for each bulb?



Main Parts of a Circuit - Review



Figure 2.22 The four basic parts of an electrical circuit

Symbols for Circuit Diagrams

| Symbol | Represents | | Description |
|--------------|------------|------------|---|
| | conductor | \bigstar | conducts electricity through circuit |
| - | cell | \bigstar | stores electricity (large bar is positive) |
| -hh | battery | \bigstar | combination of cells |
| <u>@</u> | lamp | \bigstar | converts electricity to light |
| ~~~ | resistor | \bigstar | controls the amount of current in the circuit |
| ~ - | switch | \bigstar | opens and closes circuit-allows current to flow |
| (A)- | ammeter | \bigstar | measures amount of current in circuit |
| W - | voltmeter | \bigstar | measures voltage across a device in a circuit |
| | rheostat | | variable resistor |
| . | motor | | converts electricity to mechanical energy |
| ~~ | fuse | | melts if current in circuit is too high |

You should memorize the starred ones!

Rules for Drawing Circuit Diagrams

- use standard <u>symbols</u> (shown above) to show parts and connections
- electrons move from <u>negative</u> to <u>positive</u>
- All lines must be <u>straight</u>
- All corners must be <u>90°</u> angles

Example 1

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Draw a closed circuit diagram with one battery, one lamp, and one switch. Indicate the direction of electron flow.



Two Kinds of Circuits

1. Series Circuit



- only one <u>pathway</u> for the current
- all electrons travel through each component in the circuit
- adding loads <u>increases</u> resistance and <u>decreases</u> current.
- Current stops flowing if the circuit is <u>broken</u> at any point

Series Circuits



If one bulb burns out, the

other bulb will burn out



Adding bulbs will

decrease the <u>brightness</u>

of each bulb.

Two Kinds of Circuits

2. Parallel Circuit



- more than one <u>pathway</u> for the current
- a break in one pathway <u>does not</u> affect other pathways in the circuit
- total current is <u>split</u>, with some electrons travelling through each branch, or part of the circuit.
- Adding resistance in one pathway does not affect resistance in other pathways.
- Most electrical devices in a house are connected in parallel

2. Parallel Circuits





Adding bulbs will <u>not affect</u> the

brightness of each bulb.

- Draw •
- Indicate direction of electron flow •
- Label series or parallel •
- Explain what happens if one bulb is • removed

Series



If one bulb is removed, the other goes out as well



c.) Draw a complete circuit that includes 2 cells and 2 lamps. The lamps are connected in series. A switch controls the entire circuit. Indicate the direction of electron flow.



d.) Draw a complete circuit that includes 2 cells and 2 lamps. The lamps are connected in parallel. A switch controls the one of the lamps but does not affect the other. Indicate the direction of electron flow.



e.) A circuit was made with 3 cells, with a total voltage of 6.0 V. There were 2 lamps connected in parallel. An ammeter was connected right after the battery and read 5.8 A.

• Draw the circuit, indicate the direction of electron flow, and calculate the resistance of the circuit at the point of the ammeter.



each

f.) A circuit was made with 3 cells, with 2.0 V. There were 2 lamps and a motor connected in parallel. A resistor was connected right after the battery, and an ammeter was connected right after the resistor. The ammeter read 8.2 A.

• Draw the circuit, indicate the direction of electron flow, and calculate the resistance of the circuit at the point of the ammeter.



Brightness of Lamps



1. Each circuit shown above contains 3 lamps. In which circuit will the lamps be brighter? "A" because it is a parallel circuit, so the flow of electrons is split

Brightness of Lamps



2. Draw a resistor just before Bulb 1 on each circuit. How is the brightness of the bulbs affected in:

-circuit A? Bulb A is dummer than bulbs 2+3

-circuit B? All bulbs are dimmer than they were without the resistor

Some loads are connected in series and others in parallel
1
2
3



o If bulb 1 burns out: All burn out





If bulb 4 burns out: 1,2,3 Stay 1,1



If bulbs 3 & 4 burn out:
And 2 burn out also



How will the lamps be affected if switch 1 is open and Switch 2 is closed? No complete circuit, so no bulbs lit



How will the lamps be affected if switch 1 is closed and Switch 2 is open? 1,2,2,4 will be lit but lamp 3 will not

Check Your Understanding

Make sure you label your lamps

• Draw a circuit made with a 3-cell battery and 3 lamps. Lamp 1 is connected in parallel with lamp 3. Lamp 2 is connected in series with lamps 1 and 3. A switch controls the entire circuit.

 Draw a circuit that contains two motors and a lamp, connected in parallel. Include two switches: one to operate the lamp and one to control the whole circuit.

a.) Which switch(es) should be closed to light bulbs A and D only? _____





b.) Which switch(es) should be closed to light bulb A only? ____

c.) Which switch(es) should be closed to light bulbs B and C only?



d.) How would you organize the switches so that you could turn all the lights on and off with a single switch?



e.) Is it possible to operate bulbs B and C independently of each other? Explain



4. A circuit was made with 3 cells, each with a voltage of 2.0 V. There were 2 lamps connected in parallel. An ammeter was connected right after the battery and read 5.8 A. There was also a resistor connected in series with both lamps.

- Draw the circuit and indicate the direction of electron flow
- Calculate the resistance of the circuit at the point of the ammeter