

STE Pretest 3.1v2015

1. The force, F , between two objects with charge q_1 and q_2 , is given by:

$$F = \frac{k q_1 q_2}{r^2}, \text{ where } r = \text{distance between the two charges in}$$

meters

$$k = \text{Coulomb's constant} = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}^2.$$

Charges of $3 \times 10^{-8} \text{ C}$ and $5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ C}$ are 200 cm apart.

How much force repels these like-charges?

2. Two spheres are attracted to each other while separated by a distance of 0.020 m. If we want the force of attraction to increase by a factor of 5, what distance in metres should separate the spheres?

3. Draw a circuit in which two 10Ω resistors create an equivalent resistance of 5Ω .

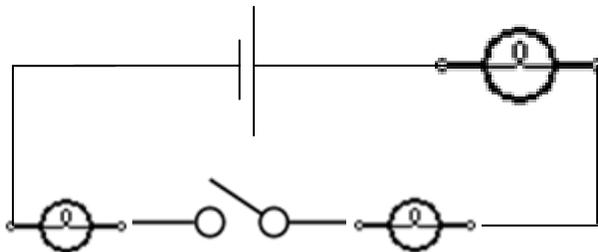
4. Draw three light bulbs in a series circuit. Show that if one bulb is off, the rest will not receive current.

Symbol for switch in off

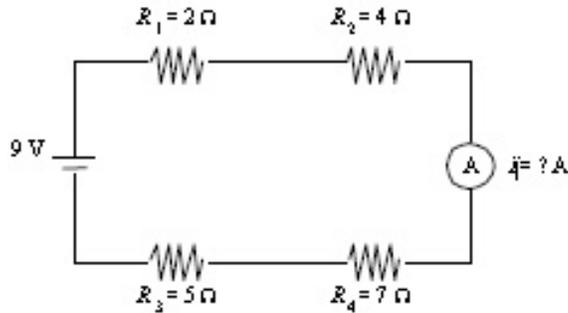


position :

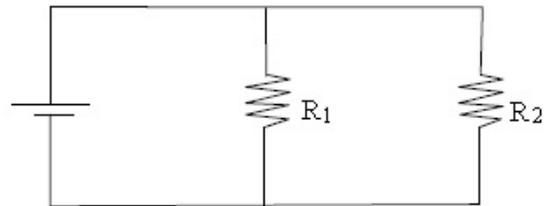
Symbol for light bulb:



5. The circuit in the diagram at the right consists of 4 resistors whose values are $2\ \Omega$, $4\ \Omega$, $5\ \Omega$ and $7\ \Omega$ respectively.
What is the reading of the ammeter if the cell's voltage is 9V ?



6. The following electric circuit consists of two resistors R_1 and R_2 and a power source. Using an ammeter, you measured the current intensity (I) through each resistor. Here are the results :

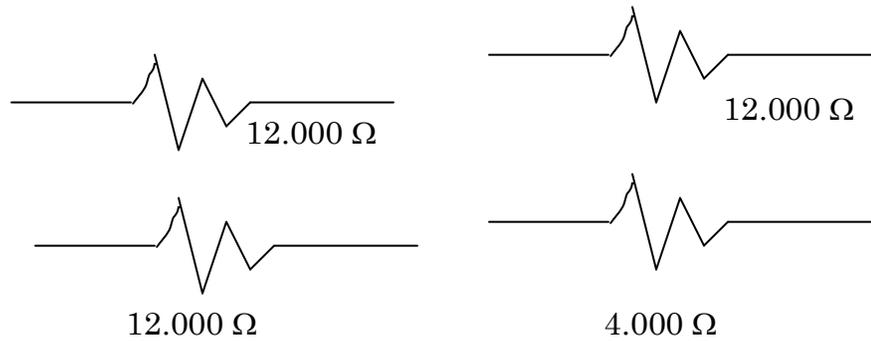


- a) Given this information, what is the current provided by the power source I_s ? (Find the total current)
- b) **Are the resistors identical?**
How do you know? Show all your work.

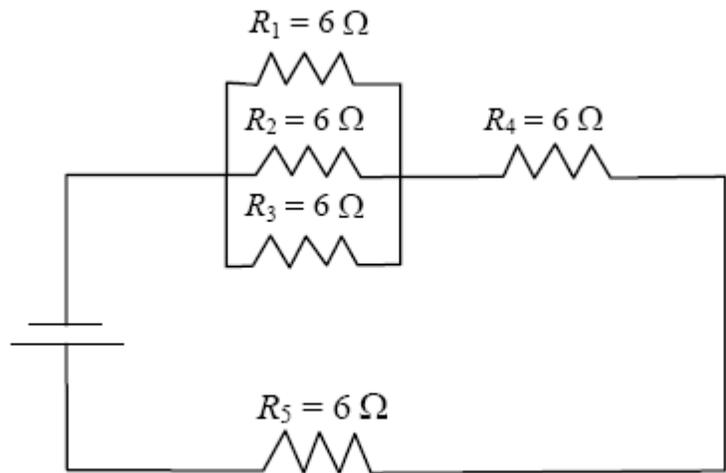
Resistor	Intensity (A)
R_1	0.75
R_2	0.75

7. Design a circuit so that its total resistance is exactly $8\ \Omega$. You are given the following resistors and

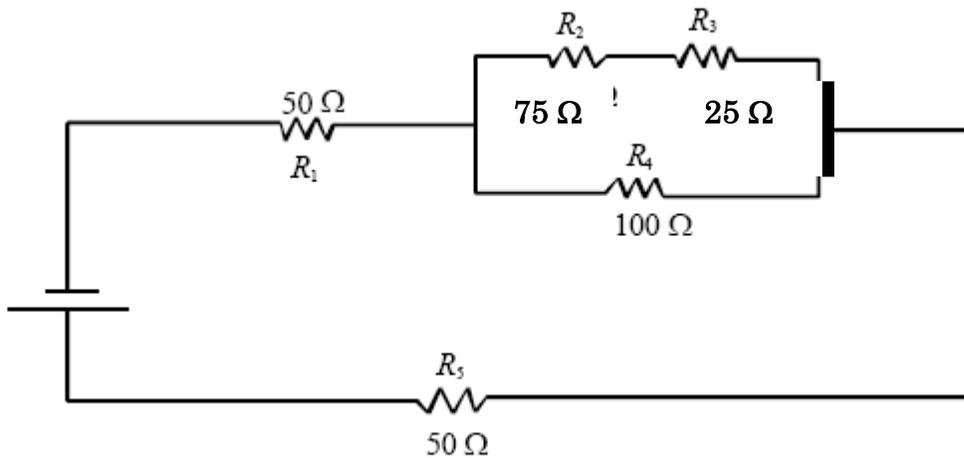
you have to use all four of them



8. Find the **total resistance** and then the **voltage of the power source** if 1A flows through each of the resistors in parallel. (3 marks)

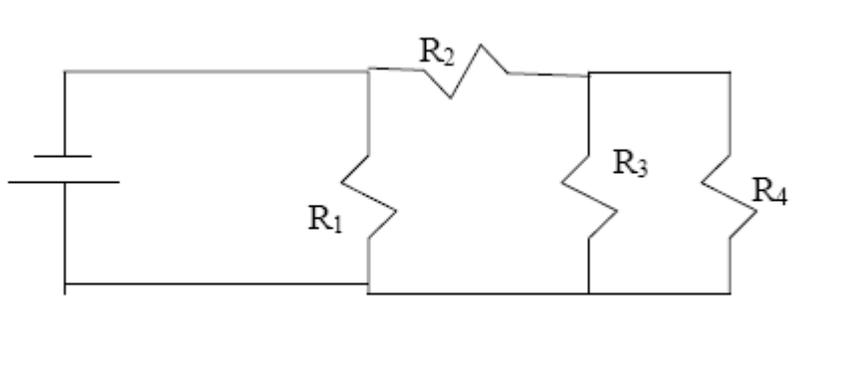


- 9.



If the voltage of the power source is 150 V, what is the potential difference across R_3 ?

10. If all four resistors are identical, what is the ammeter reading across R_3 ? Total current = 10.0 A



(3 marks)

FLASHBACK

11. a) Use a dot structure to show what happens when chlorine reacts with nitrogen. Give a formula for the resulting compound.

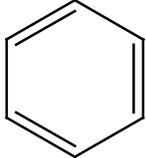
N makes 3 bonds (it has 5 valence electrons but its valence shell has room for 8)

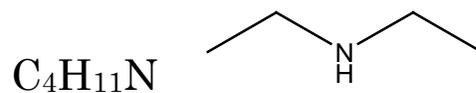
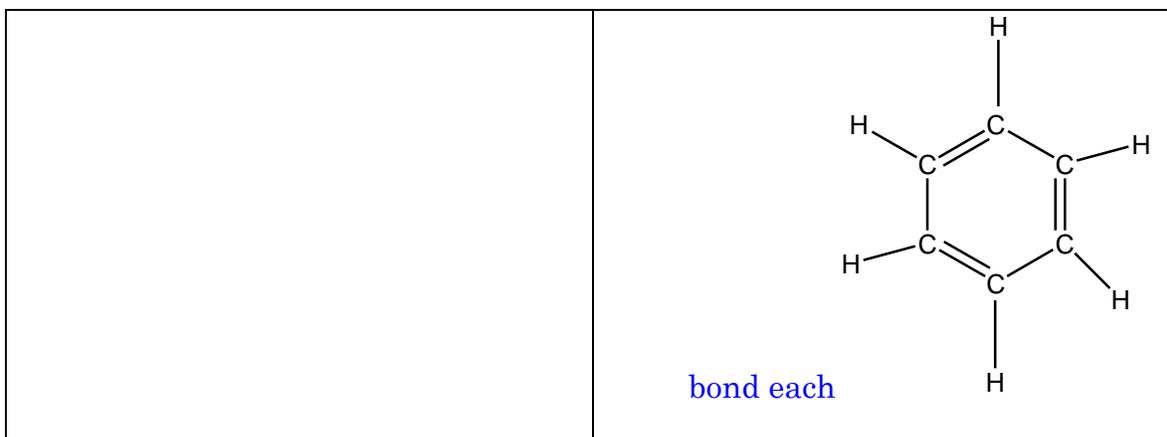
Cl makes 1 bond (it has 7 valence electrons but its valence shell has room for 8)

⋮

Extra

- b) Use the following molecular formulas and structures as a guideline to place the atoms in their proper spots in the structural formulas (A structural formula is like a Lewis dot structure, but only the bonds are shown).

EXAMPLE	ANSWER
C_6H_6 	<p>You know that each carbon makes 4 bonds and that there are six corners for six carbons. Hydrogens can only make 1</p>



12. Find the **number of moles** for each of these ions or molecules involved in the nitrogen cycle.

- a) 30 g of NO_3^-
- b) 6.02×10^{22} ions of NO_2^-
- c) The amount of N_2 that will completely react with 30 g of H_2 according to:



