
CHAPTER 2

VOLTAGE, CURRENT, AND RESISTANCE

BASIC PROBLEMS

SECTION 2-2 Electrical Charge

1. $Q = (\text{charge per electron})(\text{number of electrons}) = (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C/e})(50 \times 10^{31} \text{ e}) = \mathbf{80 \times 10^{12} \text{ C}}$
2. $(6.25 \times 10^{18} \text{ e/C})(80 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C}) = \mathbf{5 \times 10^{14} \text{ e}}$
3. The magnitude of the charge on a proton (p) is equal to the magnitude of the charge on the electron (e). Therefore, $(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C/p})(29 \text{ p}) = \mathbf{4.64 \times 10^{-18} \text{ C}}$
4. $(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C/p})(17 \text{ p}) = \mathbf{2.72 \times 10^{-18} \text{ C}}$

SECTION 2-3 Voltage

5. (a) $V = \frac{W}{Q} = \frac{10 \text{ J}}{1 \text{ C}} = \mathbf{10 \text{ V}}$ (b) $V = \frac{W}{Q} = \frac{5 \text{ J}}{2 \text{ C}} = \mathbf{2.5 \text{ V}}$ (c) $V = \frac{W}{Q} = \frac{100 \text{ J}}{25 \text{ C}} = \mathbf{4 \text{ V}}$
6. $V = \frac{W}{Q} = \frac{500 \text{ J}}{100 \text{ C}} = \mathbf{5 \text{ V}}$
7. $V = \frac{W}{Q} = \frac{800 \text{ J}}{40 \text{ C}} = \mathbf{20 \text{ V}}$
8. $W = VQ = (12 \text{ V})(2.5 \text{ C}) = \mathbf{30 \text{ J}}$
9. $V = \frac{W}{Q} = \frac{2.5 \text{ J}}{0.2 \text{ C}} = \mathbf{12.5 \text{ V}}$

SECTION 2-4 Current

10. $I = \frac{Q}{t} = \frac{0.2 \text{ C}}{10 \text{ s}} = \mathbf{20 \text{ mA}}$
11. (a) $I = \frac{Q}{t} = \frac{75 \text{ C}}{1 \text{ s}} = \mathbf{75 \text{ A}}$ (b) $I = \frac{Q}{t} = \frac{10 \text{ C}}{0.5 \text{ s}} = \mathbf{20 \text{ A}}$ (c) $I = \frac{Q}{t} = \frac{5 \text{ C}}{2 \text{ s}} = \mathbf{2.5 \text{ A}}$
12. $I = \frac{Q}{t} = \frac{0.6 \text{ C}}{3 \text{ s}} = \mathbf{0.2 \text{ A}}$

$$13. \quad I = \frac{Q}{t}; \quad t = \frac{Q}{I} = \frac{10\text{C}}{5\text{A}} = 2\text{s}$$

$$14. \quad Q = I \times t = (1.5 \text{ A})(0.1 \text{ s}) = \mathbf{0.15 \text{ C}}$$

SECTION 2-5 Resistance

SECTION 2-6 The Electric Circuit

25. There is current through **Lamp 2**.
 26. See Figure 2-1.

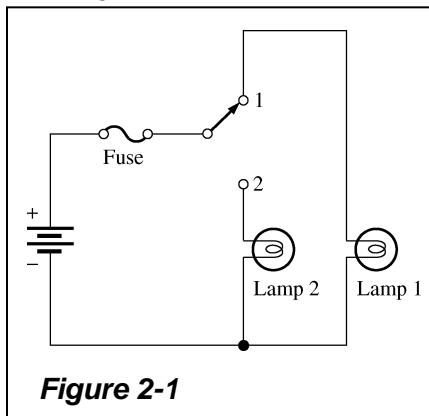


Figure 2-1

SECTION 2-7 Basic Circuit Measurements

27. See Figure 2-2(a).

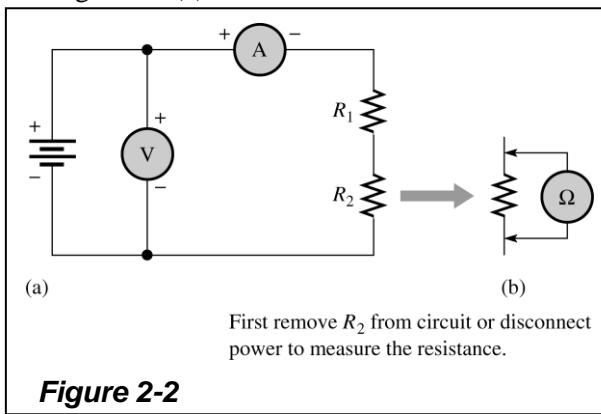


Figure 2-2

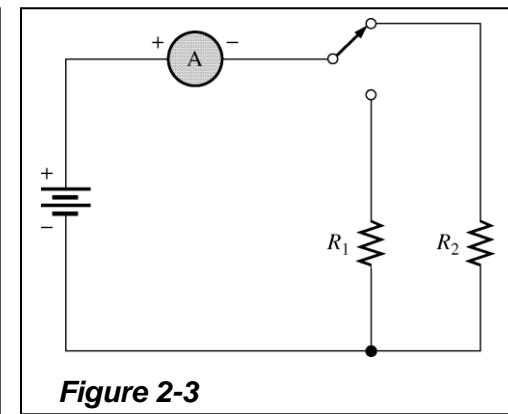


Figure 2-3

28. See Figure 2-2(b).

29. Position 1: $V1 = 0 \text{ V}$, $V2 = V_s$
 Position 2: $V1 = V_s$, $V2 = 0 \text{ V}$

30. See Figure 2-3.

31. On the 600 V DC scale: **250 V**

32. $R = (10)(10 \Omega) = \mathbf{100 \Omega}$

33. (a) $2(100 \Omega) = \mathbf{200 \Omega}$
 (b) $15(10 M\Omega) = \mathbf{150 M\Omega}$
 (c) $45(100 \Omega) = \mathbf{4500 \Omega}$

34. See Figure 2-4.

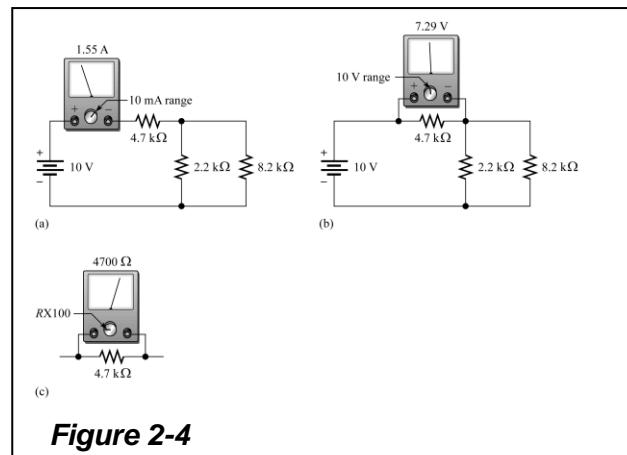


Figure 2-4

ADVANCED PROBLEMS

35. $I = \frac{Q}{t}$

$$Q = I \times t = (2 \text{ A})(15 \text{ s}) = 30 \text{ C}$$

$$V = \frac{W}{Q} = \frac{1000\text{J}}{30\text{C}} = 33.3 \text{ V}$$

36. $I = \frac{Q}{t}$

$Q = (\text{number of electrons}) / (\text{number of electrons/coulomb})$

$$Q = \frac{574 \times 10^{15} \text{ e}}{6.25 \times 10^8 \text{ e/C}} = 9.184 \times 10^{-2} \text{ C} \quad I = \frac{Q}{t} = \frac{9.184 \times 10^{-2} \text{ C}}{250 \times 10^{-3} \text{ s}} = 0.367 \text{ A}$$

37. Total wire length = 100 ft

Resistance per 1000 ft = (1000 ft)(6 Ω/100 ft) = 60 Ω

Smallest wire size is **AWG 27** which has 51.47 Ω/1000 ft

38. (a) **4R7J = 4.7 Ω ± 5%**

(b) **560KF = 560 kΩ ± 1%**

(c) **1M5G = 1.5 MΩ ± 2%**

39. The circuit in (b) can have both lamps on at the same time.

40. There is always current through R_5 .

41. See Figure 2-5.

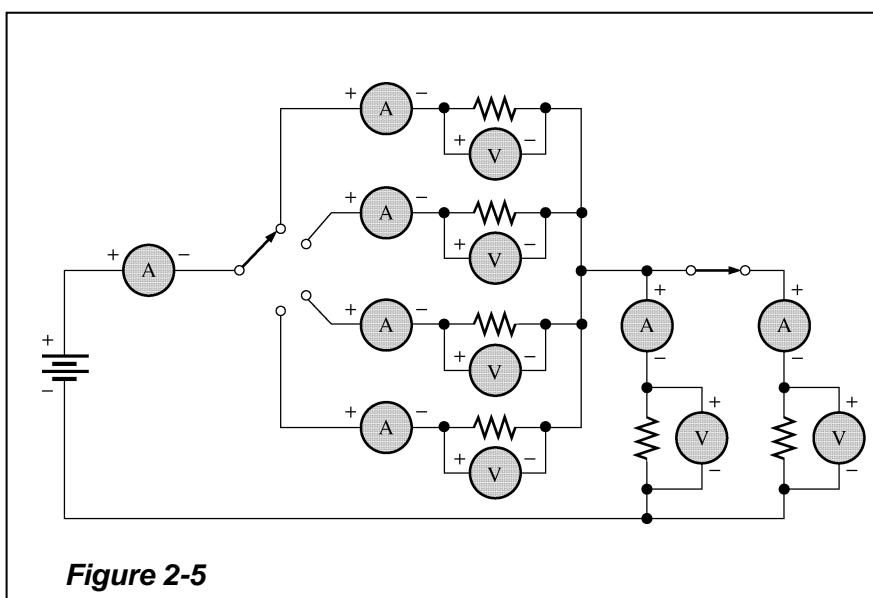


Figure 2-5

42. See Figure 2-5.

43. See Figure 2-6.

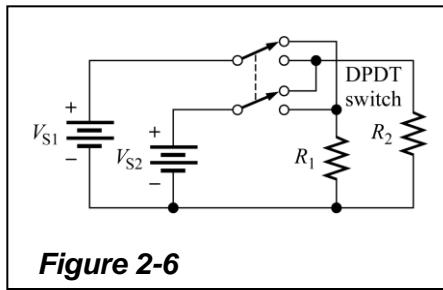


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44. See Figure 2-7.

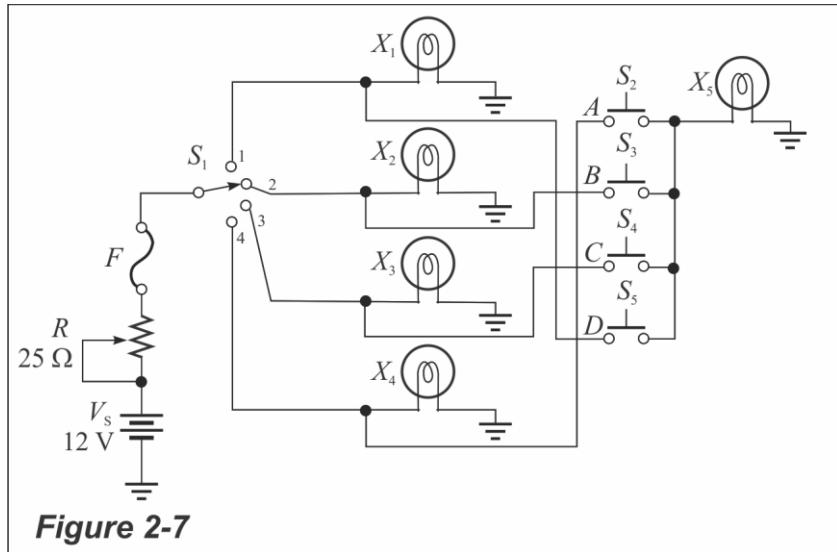


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