

# KEY

## PHYSICS 11

### CIRCUIT ELECTRICITY

1.

Consider the circuit element shown below.



The voltage across the resistor increases from  $V$  to  $2V$ . The resistance remains the same. By what factor has the current changed?

A.  $\frac{1}{4}$

$$R_1 = R_2$$

B.  $\frac{1}{2}$

$$V_2 = 2 \cdot V_1$$

C. 2

$$I_2 = ? \cdot I_1$$

D. 4

$$I = \frac{V}{R}$$

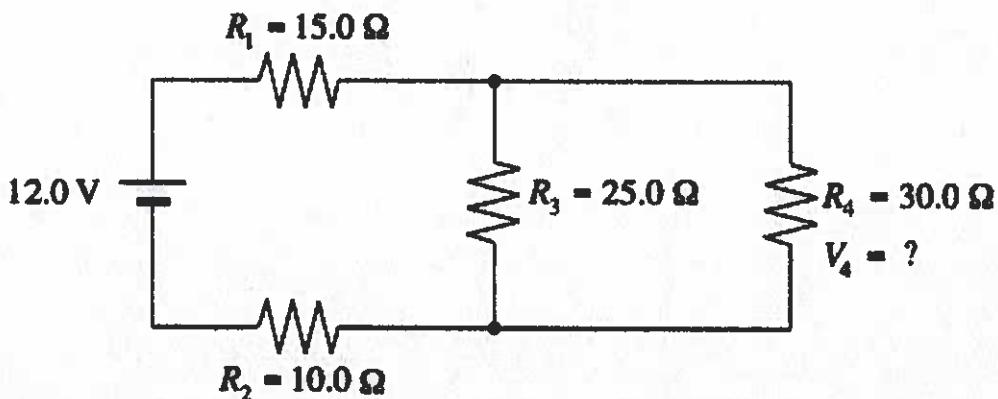
$$I_1 = \frac{V_1}{R_1}$$

$$I_2 = \frac{V_2}{R_2} = \frac{2V_1}{R_1} = 2 \cdot \frac{V_1}{R_1} = 2 \cdot I_1$$

$\therefore$  The current changed by a factor of 2

2.

A 12.0 V power supply is connected to 4 resistors as shown.



What is the potential difference,  $V_4$ , across the 30.0 Ω resistor?

- A. 2.12 V       $V_4 = V_3 = 12 - V_2 - V_1$
- B. 4.24 V
- C. 9.32 V
- D. 12.0 V

$$\bullet \quad R_{\text{eq}} = 15.0 + 10.0 + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{25} + \frac{1}{30}}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{38.64 \Omega}}$$

$$\bullet \quad I_{\text{TOT}} = \frac{V_B}{R_{\text{eq}}} = \frac{12.0}{38.64} = \underline{\underline{0.31 \text{ A}}} \quad I_{\text{TOT}} = I_1 = I_2$$

$$V_{\text{loop}} = V_5 = V_4$$

$$\bullet \quad I_{\text{TOT}} = I_4 + I_3$$

$$\bullet \quad V_1 = I_1 R_1 = (0.31)(15) = \underline{\underline{4.65 \text{ V}}} \quad \bullet \quad V_2 = I_2 R_2 = (0.31)(10) = \underline{\underline{3.1 \text{ V}}} \quad \bullet \quad V_4 = 12 - (4.65 + 3.1) = \underline{\underline{4.25 \text{ V}}}$$

↑ Some rounding error

3.

An electric motor is being supplied with 500 W of power at 120 V. The resistance of the motor is  $8.0 \Omega$ . What current is being supplied to the motor?

- A. 4.2 A
- B. 7.9 A
- C. 15 A
- D. 63 A

$$\begin{aligned}P &= IV \\I &= \frac{P}{V} \\&= \frac{500}{120}\end{aligned}$$

$$= 4.2 \text{ A}$$

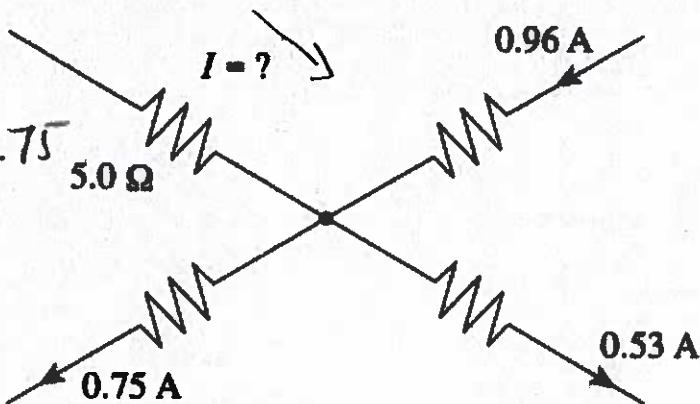
4.

A circuit junction is shown below.

$$I_{in} = I_{out}$$

$$0.96 + x = 0.53 + 0.75$$

$$x = 0.92 \text{ A}$$



What is the current and its direction through the  $5.0 \Omega$  resistor?

	CURRENT	DIRECTION
A.	0.32 A ✓	away from junction
B.	0.32 A ✓	towards the junction ✓ *
C.	2.24 A	away from junction
D.	2.24 A	towards the junction

\* I must flow into the junction as  $0.75 + 0.53 = 1.28 \text{ A}$  flows out and only 0.96 A flows in

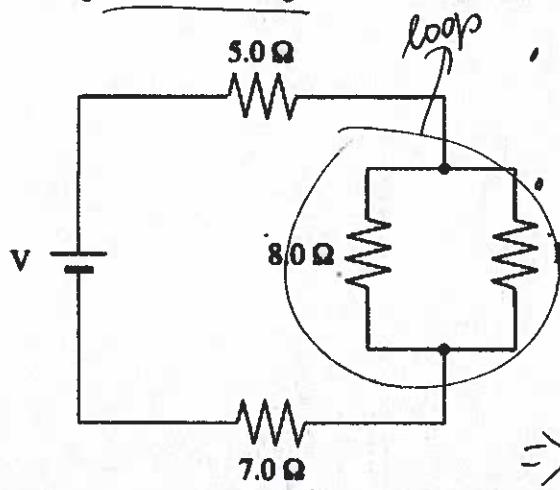
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A power source is providing a constant voltage,  $V$ , to the circuit shown below.

$$R_{eq} = 5 + 7 + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{10}}$$

$$= 16.4 \Omega$$

$R_{eq} \uparrow$



- $R = 8\Omega$  is in parallel with  $R = 10\Omega$
- Removing  $R = 8\Omega$  will increase the resistance in the loop.

$$\Rightarrow R_{eq} = 5 + 7 + 10 = 22 \Omega$$

If the  $8.0 \Omega$  resistor is removed from the circuit what happens to the equivalent resistance of the circuit and the current through the  $7.0 \Omega$  resistor?

	EQUIVALENT RESISTANCE OF THE CIRCUIT	CURRENT THROUGH $7.0 \Omega$ RESISTOR
A.	Increases ✓	Decreases ✓
B.	Decreases	Increases
C.	Increases ✓	Increases
D.	Decreases	Decreases

$$I_{TOT} = I_7$$

$$I = \frac{V_B}{R_{eq}}$$

As  $R_{eq} \uparrow I \downarrow$

Note:  $R$  and  $I$  are inversely proportional, while  $V$  and  $I$  and  $V$  and  $R$  are directly proportional.

6.

In an electric circuit,  $6.25 \times 10^{18}$  electrons flow past one point in 0.10 s. What is the current?

- A.  $1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ A}$
- B.  $1.0 \text{ A}$
- C.  $10 \text{ A}$
- D.  $6.25 \times 10^{19} \text{ A}$

$$I = \frac{q}{At}$$

$$I = \frac{1.0}{0.10}$$

$$I = \underline{\underline{10 \text{ A}}}$$

$$q = (6.25 \times 10^{18})(1.6 \times 10^{-19})$$

$$q = 1.00 \text{ C}$$

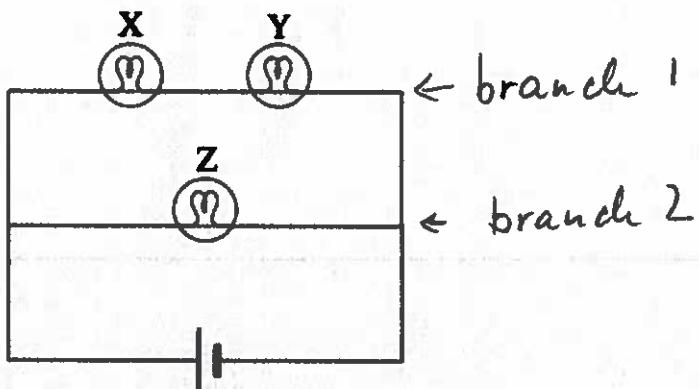
7.

Three identical light bulbs are placed in a circuit as shown.

$$R_X = R_Y = R_Z$$

$$R_{\text{branch } 1} = R_X + R_Y$$

$$R_{\text{branch } 2} = R_Z = \frac{1}{2} R_{\text{branch } 1}$$

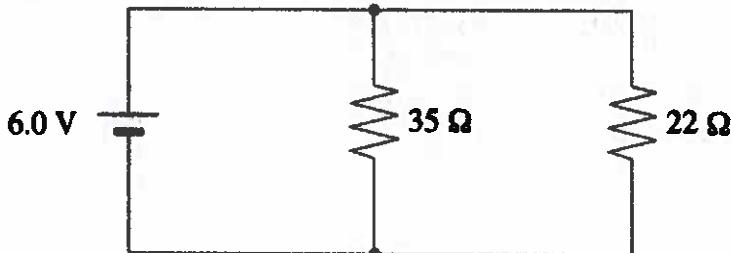


Which of the following is correct?  $\rightarrow$  less R more I in branch 2

- A. The voltage and current are the same for all three bulbs.
- B. The current in light bulb Z is less than the current in light bulb X.
- C. The current in light bulb Z is greater than the current in light bulb Y.
- D. The voltage across light bulb Z is less than the voltage across light bulb X.

8.

What current would be drawn from the power supply in the circuit shown below?



- A. 0.11 A
- B. 0.17 A
- C. 0.27 A
- D. 0.44 A

$$\bullet R_{\text{eq}} = ?$$

$$\frac{1}{R_{\text{eq}}} = \frac{1}{35} + \frac{1}{22}$$

$$R_{\text{eq}} = 13.5 \Omega$$

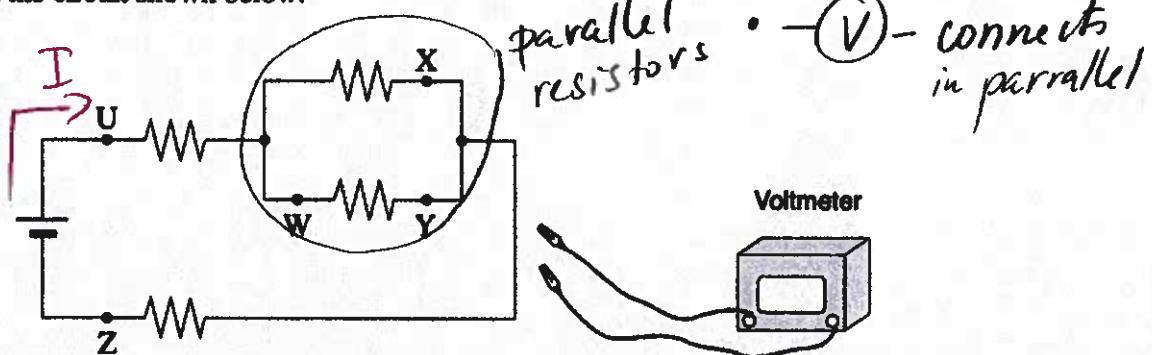
$$\bullet I = \frac{V_0}{R_{\text{eq}}}$$

$$= \frac{6.0}{13.5}$$

$$= 0.44 \text{ A}$$

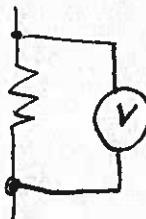
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A student needs to connect a voltmeter to measure the potential difference across the parallel resistors in the circuit shown below.



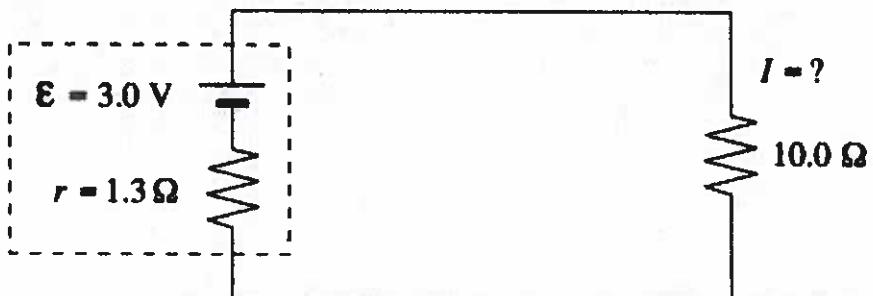
Across which two connection points should the student connect the voltmeter?

- A. U and Z
- B. X and Y
- C. X and W
- D. W and Z



10.

What is the current  $I$  through the  $10.0 \Omega$  resistor in the circuit shown below?



- A. 0.27 A
- B. 0.30 A
- C. 0.34 A
- D. 2.3 A

$$\begin{aligned}I_{10} &= I_{\text{tot}} = \frac{E}{R_{\text{tot}}} \\&= \frac{3.0}{1.3 + 10} \\&\approx 0.27 \text{ A}\end{aligned}$$

$$④ I_{15} = \frac{V_{15}}{R} = \frac{3.0}{15} = \underline{\underline{0.2A}}$$

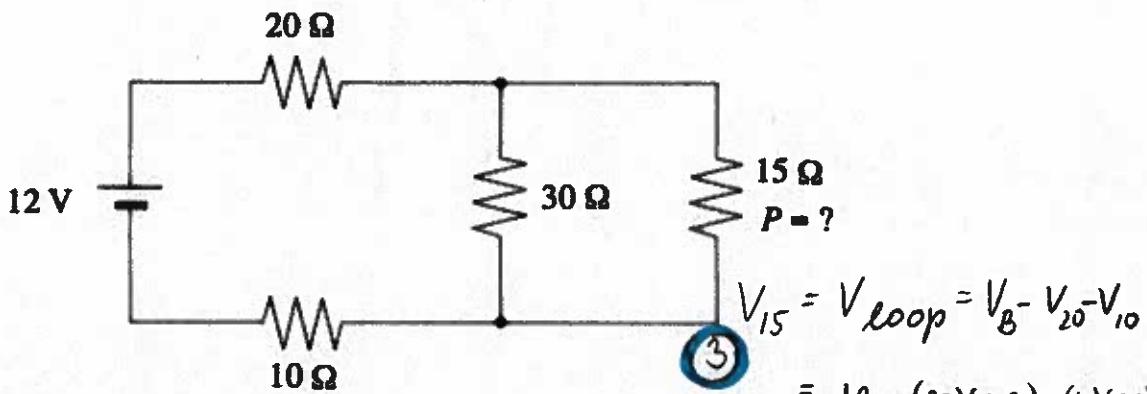
11.

What power is dissipated by the  $15\Omega$  resistor in the circuit shown?

$$\text{P} = VI$$

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$$P = (3.0)(0.2) \\ = \underline{\underline{0.6W}}$$



$$V_{15} = V_{\text{loop}} = V_B - V_{20} - V_{10} \\ = 12 - (20)(0.3) - (10)(0.3) \\ = \underline{\underline{3.0V}}$$

- A. 0.60 W
- B. 1.4 W
- C. 6.7 W
- D. 15 W

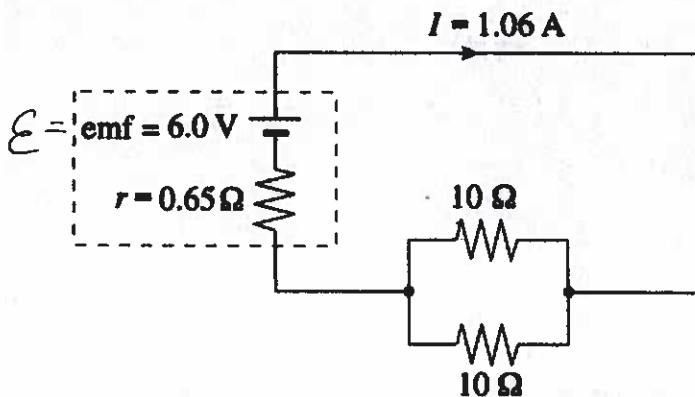
$$I_{15} = ?$$

$$② I_{\text{TOT}} = \frac{V_B}{R_{\text{eq}}} = \frac{12}{40} = \underline{\underline{0.30A}}$$

12.

$$① R_{\text{eq}} = 20 + 10 + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{30} + \frac{1}{15}} = 40\Omega$$

What is the terminal voltage of the battery in the circuit shown?



$$V_{\text{term}} = E - I_r$$

$$= 6.0 - (1.06)(0.65) \\ = \underline{\underline{5.31V}}$$

- A. 0.69 V
- B. 5.3 V
- C. 6.0 V
- D. 6.7 V