

Parallel - When the voltage across circuit elements must be the same due to conductors having the same electric potential.

$$\frac{1}{R_{total}} = \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} + \frac{1}{R_3} + \dots$$

$$= \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_2 + R_1}$$

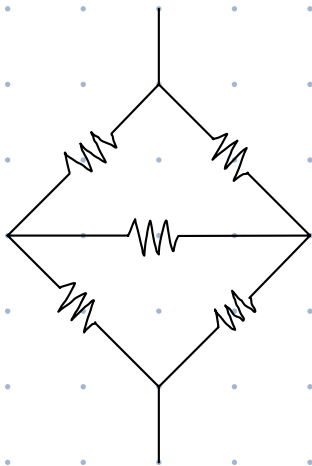
$$R_{total} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} + \frac{1}{R_3}} = \frac{1}{\frac{R_2 R_3 + R_1 R_3 + R_1 R_2}{R_1 R_2 R_3}} = \frac{R_1 R_2 R_3}{R_2 R_3 + R_1 R_3 + R_1 R_2}$$

$$= \frac{R_1 R_2 R_3 R_4}{R_2 R_3 R_4 + R_1 R_3 R_4 + R_1 R_2 R_4 + R_1 R_2 R_3}$$

Series - When the current through circuit elements must be the same due to charge being conserved.

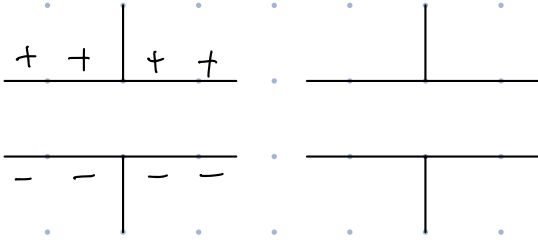
$$R_{total} = R_1 + R_2 + R_3 + \dots$$

Ex of something that is neither parallel nor series: Bridge circuit

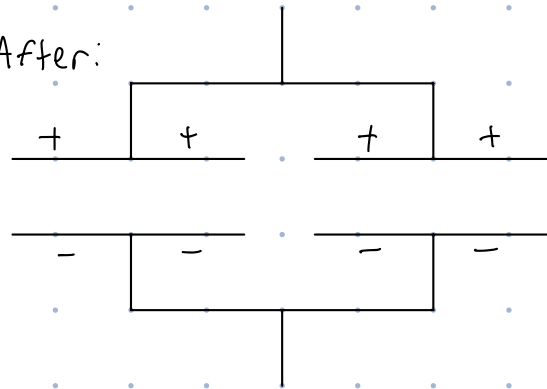


Capacitors in parallel

Before:



After:



$Q_i = Q_f$ (Charge is conserved)

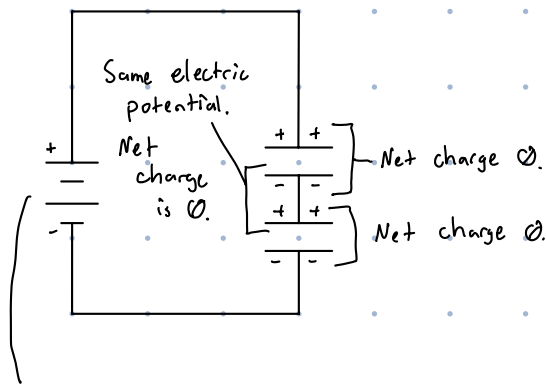
$$C_{||} = C_1 + C_2$$

$\uparrow \frac{A \epsilon_0}{D} = \uparrow C$
Area increases
so capacitance
increases.

$\uparrow C = \frac{Q}{\downarrow \Delta V}$
Capacitance increases
so voltage decreases.

When charge accelerates it emits light so $v_i > v_f$

Capacitors in series



An ideal battery maintains a voltage across its terminals no matter the current delivered.

- A fully charged capacitor has no current.

Ohm's law

Voltage causes current.

$$\boxed{V = IR} \quad \boxed{I = \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta t} = \frac{dq}{dt}} \quad 1 \text{ Amp} = \frac{1 \text{ Coulomb}}{1 \text{ sec}}$$

ΔV ↑

Current - How much charge passes a point per unit of time.

Use $C = \frac{Q}{\Delta V} \rightarrow \Delta V = \frac{Q}{C}$ for caps.

- Current doesn't flow. Positive charge flows from high to low potential and that's current.
- \mathcal{E} mf - Electric motive force - Voltage generated by a source.

Power

$$P = \frac{\Delta QV}{\Delta t} = \frac{dQ}{dt} = \frac{dq}{dt} V = IV \quad \Delta Q = q \Delta V$$

$$dQ = dqV$$

$$= I^2 R$$

$$= \frac{V^2}{R}$$

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

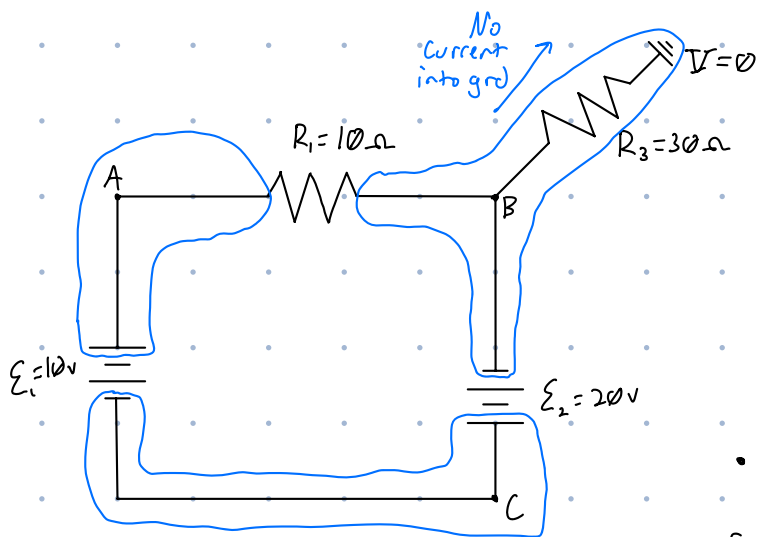
Units: $1 \frac{\text{Joule}}{\text{sec}} = 1 \text{ Watt} \approx 20 \text{ calories}$

Ways to solve circuits/Find all the currents.

- 1) Goofy method
- 2) Series and parallel ohm's law
- 3) Kirchhoff's laws

Goofy method

You can only use the goofy method if you're given the electric potential of a surface.



- Current doesn't flow into ground for DC-circuits. It just tells you the electric potential there is 0.

- There are 3 equipotential surfaces (A, B, & C).

- Make your way around the circuit starting with the electric potential surface given.

Ohm's laws for currents

$$V_C = V_B + E_2 = 20V$$

$$V_A = V_C + E_1 = 30V$$

$$V_{R1} = 30 = I_1 R_1$$

$$I_1 = \frac{30}{10} = 3A$$

Series and parallel ohm's law

1st do ohm's law local per elements.

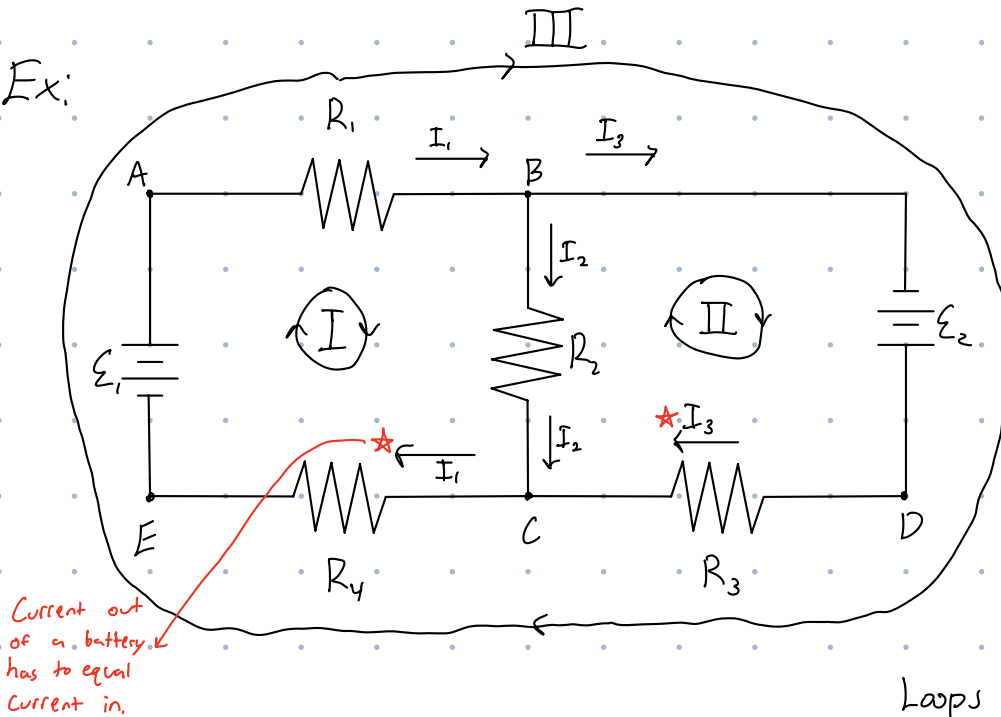
2nd do ohm's law global with total I and R.

Kirchhoff's laws

1) The current into a node equals the current out.
Conservation of charge.

2) The sum of all voltages in a loop is 0.

Ex:



Loops don't need batteries in them.

1) Guess the direction of the currents.

Node B: $I_{in} = I_{out}$

$$I_1 = I_2 + I_3$$

Node C: $I_{in} = I_{out}$

$$I_2 = I_1 + I_3$$

2) The direction of the loop doesn't matter.

Loop I:

$$\mathcal{E}_1 - V_{R1} - V_{R2} - V_{R4} = 0$$

$$\mathcal{E}_1 - I_1 R_1 - I_2 R_2 - I_1 R_4 = 0$$

Loop II:

$$\mathcal{E}_2 - V_{R3} + V_{R2} = 0$$

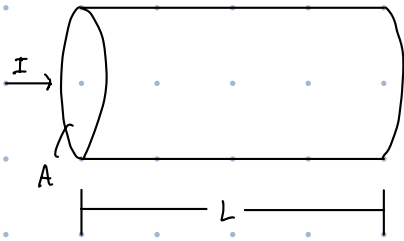
$$\mathcal{E}_2 - I_3 R_3 + I_2 R_2 = 0$$

Loop III:

$$\mathcal{E}_1 - V_{R1} + \mathcal{E}_2 - V_{R3} - V_{R4} = 0$$

$$\mathcal{E}_1 - I_1 R_1 + \mathcal{E}_2 - I_3 R_3 - I_1 R_4 = 0$$

Resistivity

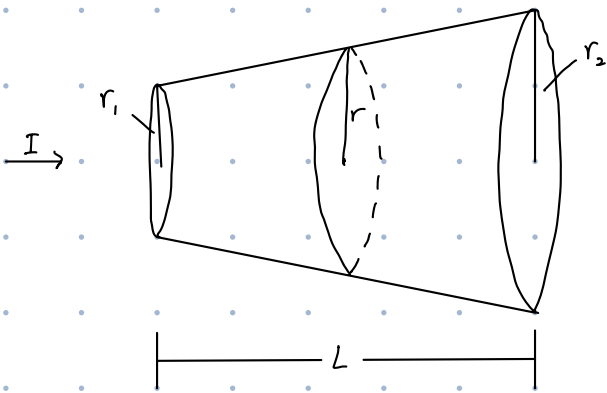


ρ - Resistivity of a substance.

$$R = \rho \frac{L}{A}$$

$\uparrow L \rightarrow \uparrow R$
 $\uparrow A \rightarrow \downarrow R$

Ex: Find the resistivity.



$$R_{\text{total}} = \int dR \quad (dR \text{ in series})$$

$$= \int \rho \frac{dx}{\pi r^2}$$

$$= \frac{\rho}{\pi} \int_0^L \frac{1}{\left(\frac{r_2 - r_1}{L}x + r_1\right)^2} dx$$

r in terms of x

$$r(0) = r_1$$

$$r(L) = r_2$$

Linear

$$m = \frac{r_2 - r_1}{L - 0}$$

$$r - r_1 = m(x - 0)$$

$$r = \frac{r_2 - r_1}{L}x + r_1$$

Ex 2:



Find resistance

r in terms of y

Equation of a circle with radius R

$$x^2 + y^2 = R^2$$

Input y. output: x which is also r

$$r = x = \sqrt{R^2 - y^2}$$

Don't need \pm because we just care about the top hemisphere

$$R = \int dR \quad (\text{DR in series})$$

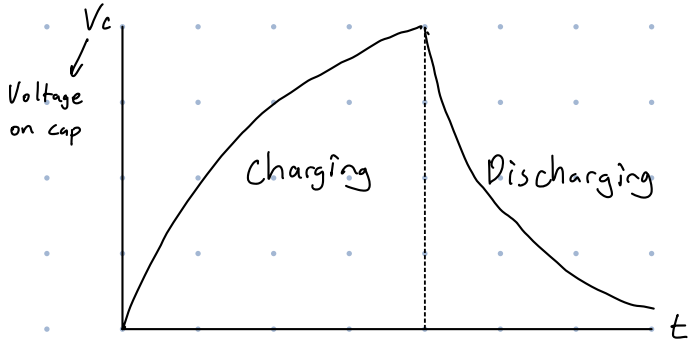
$$= \int_0^R \rho \frac{dy}{\pi r^2} + \int_R^{2R} \rho \frac{dy}{\pi r^2}$$

$$\int_0^R \rho \frac{dy}{\pi r^2} = \int_R^{2R} \rho \frac{dy}{\pi r^2}$$

Resistance from top hemisphere = resistance from bottom hemisphere because constant ρ

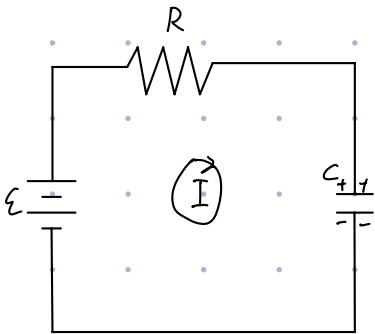
$$= 2 \frac{\rho}{\pi} \int_0^R \frac{1}{R^2 - y^2} dy$$

Equations for a capacitor



$$C = \frac{q_c}{V_c} \rightarrow V_c = \frac{q_c}{C}$$

Charging



loop I:

$$\varepsilon - V_R - V_C = 0$$

$$\varepsilon - \frac{dq}{dt} R - \frac{q}{C} = 0$$

$$\varepsilon - \frac{q}{C} = \frac{dq}{dt} R$$

$$-\varepsilon + \frac{q}{C} = -\frac{dq}{dt} R$$

$$\frac{q - C\varepsilon}{C} = -\frac{dq}{dt} R$$

Flip

$$\frac{C}{q - C\varepsilon} = -\frac{dt}{R dq}$$

$$\frac{dq}{q - C\varepsilon} = -\frac{dt}{RC}$$

$$\int_{Q_i}^{Q_f} \frac{1}{q - C\varepsilon} dq = -\frac{1}{RC} \int_0^t dt$$

$$\ln \left| \frac{q_f - C\varepsilon}{q_i - C\varepsilon} \right| = -\frac{t}{RC}$$

$$\ln \left| \frac{Q_f - C\varepsilon}{Q_i - C\varepsilon} \right| = -\frac{t}{RC}$$

$$\frac{Q_f - C\varepsilon}{Q_i - C\varepsilon} = e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}$$

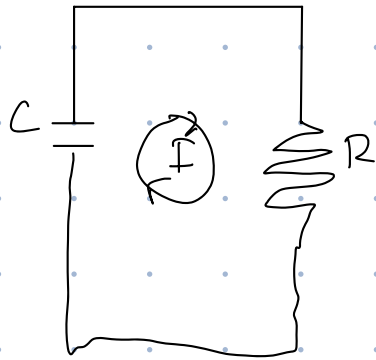
$$Q_f - C\varepsilon = e^{-\frac{t}{RC}} (Q_i - C\varepsilon)$$

$$Q_f = C\varepsilon + (Q_i - C\varepsilon) e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}$$

If $Q_i = 0$

$$Q_f = C\varepsilon (1 - e^{-\frac{t}{RC}})$$

Discharging



Loop I:

$$V_C - V_R = 0$$

$$\frac{q_C}{C} = \frac{dq_R}{dt} R$$

$$\frac{q_C}{C} = \frac{d(Q - q_C)}{dt} R$$

$$\frac{q_C}{C} = \frac{dQ}{dt} - \frac{dq_C}{dt} R$$

$$Q_i = q_C + q_R$$

$$Q_i - q_C = q_R$$

$$\rightarrow -\frac{q_C}{RC} = \frac{dq_C}{dt}$$

$$\frac{C}{q_C} = -\frac{dt}{R dq_C}$$

$$\frac{1}{q_C} dq_C = -\frac{1}{CR} dt$$

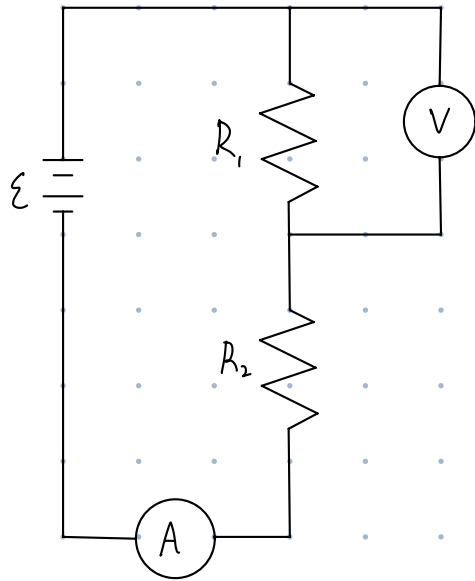
$$\int_{Q_i}^{Q_f} \frac{1}{q_C} dq_C = -\frac{1}{CR} \int_0^{t_f} dt$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{Q_f}{Q_i}\right) = -\frac{t_f}{CR}$$

$$\frac{Q_f}{Q_i} = e^{-\frac{t}{CR}}$$

$$Q_f = Q_i e^{-\frac{t}{CR}}$$

Meters



want R_A to be \emptyset .

want R_V to be ∞ .

$$\mathcal{E} = I(R_1 + R_2)$$

$$I_{\text{total before}} = \frac{\mathcal{E}}{(R_1 + R_2)}$$

$$V_{R_1 \text{ before}} = I_{\text{before}} R_1$$

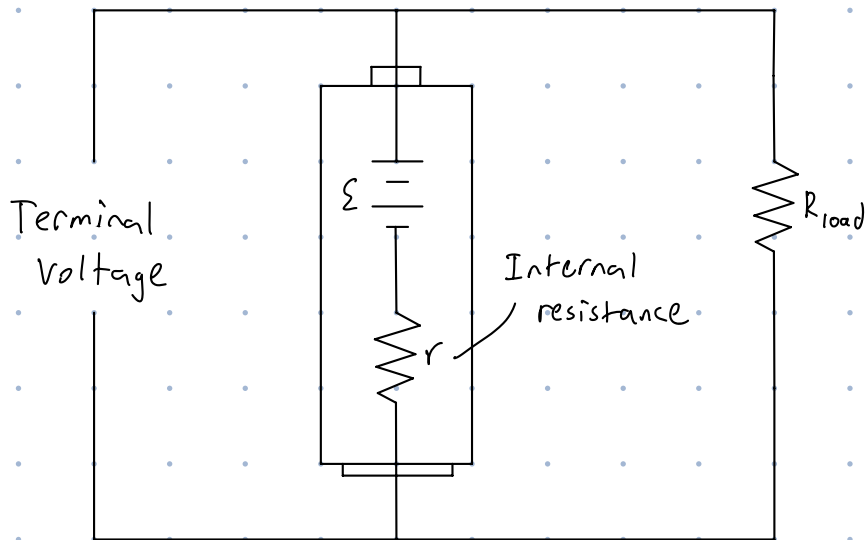
$$I_{\text{total after}} = \frac{\mathcal{E}}{\frac{R_1 r}{R_1 + r} + R_2}$$

$$V_{R_1 \text{ after}} = I_{\text{after}} \frac{R_1 r}{R_1 + r}$$

V_{R_1} before attaching voltmeter?

If you know the R of a meter can you calculate the voltage/current before the meter was in there.

Real batteries



- A dead battery has a high internal resistance (r).
- Terminal voltage drops the more current is delivered.

How to measure r ?

Loop I:

$$\mathcal{E} - V_R - V_r = 0$$

$$\mathcal{E} - IR - Ir = 0$$

$$\mathcal{E} = IR + Ir$$

$$\mathcal{E} = I(R + r)$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{E}}{I} = R + r$$

$$r = \frac{\mathcal{E}}{I} - R$$