

PHYS 223 University Physics III
Exam 3

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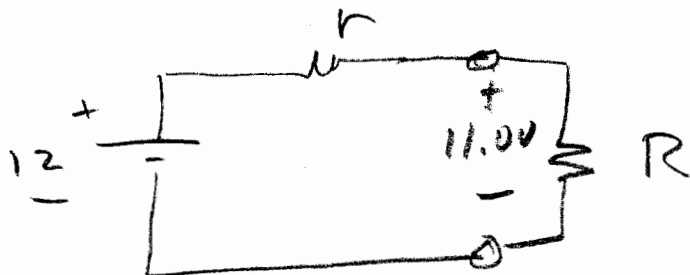
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1. A battery has an emf of 12.0 V. The terminal voltage of the battery is 11.0 V when it is delivering 10.0 W of power to an external load resistor R.

a. What is the value of R? 12.1 Ω

b. What is the internal resistance of the battery? 1.1 Ω



$$P = \frac{V^2}{R} \quad R = \frac{V^2}{P} = \frac{(11)^2}{10} = \frac{121}{10} = 12.1 \Omega$$

$$12 = (r + R)I$$

$$P = I^2 R \quad I = \sqrt{\frac{P}{R}} = \sqrt{\frac{10}{12.1}} = 0.909$$

$$r + R = \frac{12}{I}$$

$$r = \frac{12}{I} - R = \frac{12}{0.909} - 12.1$$

$$r = 1.1 \Omega$$

2. Determine the equivalent resistance between the points **A** and **B** for the group of resistors shown in Figure 2.

$R_{AB} = \underline{8 \Omega}$

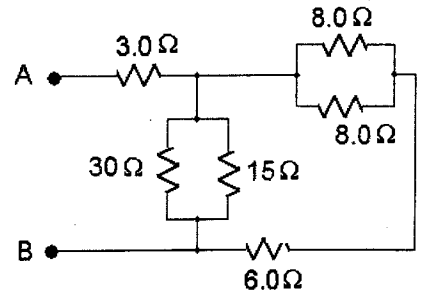
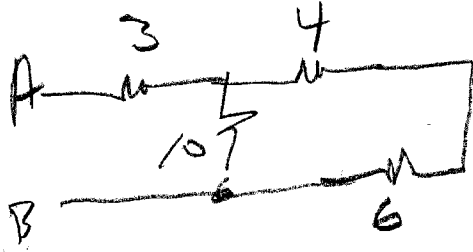
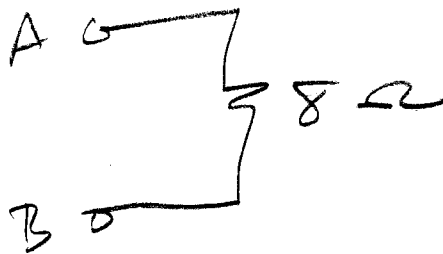
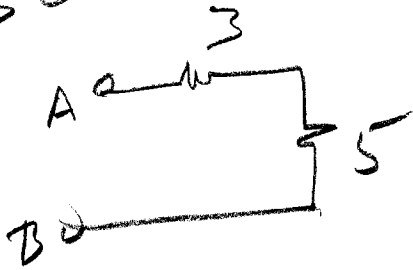
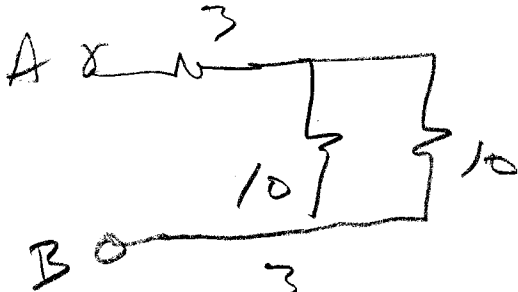


Figure 2



$$\frac{1}{30} + \frac{1}{15} = \frac{1}{10}$$



3. Using Kirchoff's rules, find the voltage across the resistors,

a. R_1 2.67V

b. R_2 1.33V

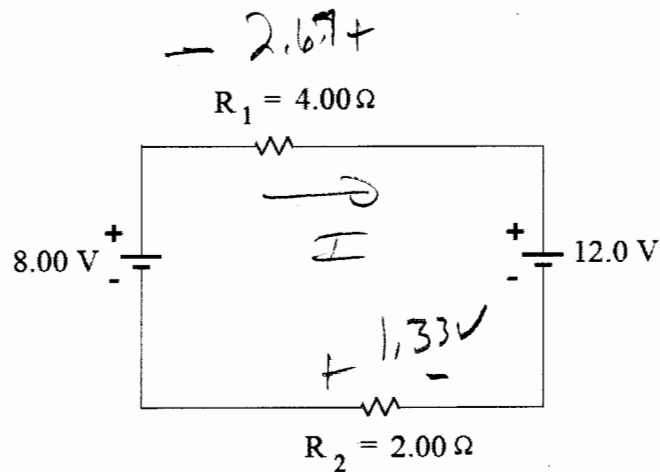


Figure 3

Loop Rule

$$8 - 4I - 12 - 2I = 0$$

$$-6I - 4 = 0$$

$$I = -\frac{4}{6} = -\frac{2}{3} \text{ A}$$

$$V_1 = R_1 I = -4 \times \frac{2}{3} = -\frac{8}{3} = -2.67 \text{ V}$$

$$V_2 = R_2 I = -2 \times \frac{2}{3} = -\frac{4}{3} = -1.33 \text{ V}$$

Current flow is counter clockwise

$$8 + 2.67 - 12 + 1.33 = 0 = 0$$