



# 2010 Electricity 11

- 1. Two light bulbs are in the circuit shown.
  - A. Are they in parallel or series?
  - What is the current flowing thru each bulb? Β.
  - C. Calculate the voltage used by each.
  - Which light bulb has the most current? D.
  - E. Calculate the power used by each.
  - F. Since brightness is about power, which bulb is brighter?
  - Two light bulbs are in the circuit shown. 2.
  - A. Are they in parallel or series?
  - Β. What is the voltage across each bulb?
  - C. Which light bulb has the most current?

300Ω 300Ω

300Ω

 $R_{total} =$ \_\_\_

- D. Calculate the power used by each.
- Since brightness is about power, which bulb is brighter? E.
- 3. A. Two light bulbs of different resistance are in series, which one is brighter? B. Why? (Talk about current and voltage.)
- A. Two light bulbs of different resistance are in parallel, which one is brighter? 4. B. Why?
- 5. For the two diagrams decide if the resistors are in parallel or in series and find their equivalent resistance (total resistance).
- Increases or decreases? 6. A. The total resistance if in series.
  - B. The total resistance if in parallel.
- 7. A water tank has two holes in it: one large; one small.
  - A. Which one has the greatest resistance?
  - B. Are they in parallel or in series?
  - C. Which one can release a gallon of water?
  - D. Which one has more current?
  - E. True or false: the one with more current can release more water.



450

45Ω•



- 8. (Using the same logic.)
  - A. What is the current in circuit A?
  - B. What is the current in circuit B?
  - C. Which one moves more current thru the resistor?
  - D. Which one moves more electrons (more charge)?



- Two charges are separated by 4mm.
  A. To make the force between them 4 times as strong, to which circle would you move the 5μC charge?
  - B. What is the force between them where they are right now?

C. How many electrons has the 5µC charge gained or lost?



- 10. Use the circuit at the left to answer the following:
  - A. Calculate the total current.
  - B. How much voltage does the  $200\Omega$  resistor use?
  - C. How much voltage does the  $400\Omega$  resistor use?
  - D. How do these voltages compare?
  - E. What much power does the circuit use?



- 11. Use the circuit at the left to answer the following:
  - A. Calculate the total current flowing thru the batteries.
  - B. Calculate the total resistance of the circuit.
  - C. V<sub>C to F</sub>=
  - D. V<sub>H to B</sub> =
  - E. Total power =

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#### Plants—

## Glucose

## sunlight (plant sugar)

Autotrophic—make their own food (glucose) thru photosynthesis:  $CO_2 + H_2O + energy \rightarrow C_6H_{12}O_6 + O_2$ Photosynthesis occurs in the plant cells in the chloroplast organelle.

## Plant structures—

- Leaves—absorb sunlight. Bigger leaves = more absorption. Have a waxy coating (cuticle) to reduce water loss. Leaves have stoma/ stomata on underside of leaves—opening that lets in  $CO_2$  and lets out  $O_2$ . Stomas open if there is enough water in the plant and close if there is not enough water, to protect against more water loss.
- Stems—support structure (cell wall) and for veins (circulation) for moving water and nutrients around.

Phloem (flow-em) - moves sugars down ("flows low" or "flows food").

Xylem—draws water up ("xy—high").

- Allow Transpiration—water is pulled up thru plant (called "capillary action" water sticking to itself,
- like a straw). This water "chaining" pulls water up from the roots, which pull in water by **osmosis**. **Roots**—draw up water and dissolved nutrients from the ground.

Fibrous root-spreads out like spider webs. Holds top soil.

Tap root—goes down deep (like a carrot), searching for water.

- Wilting—when plants don't have enough water. Water give turgor pressure (like a balloon). When plants don't have enough water they wilt, lose turgor pressure and become flaccid (limp).
- 12. All plants make their own food, so plants are called \_\_\_\_\_.
- 13. Where do plants get their energy?
- 14. What is glucose?
- 15. Where is glucose produced in a plant cell?
- 16. If plants make their own food (glucose), where do plants use glucose?
- 17. The process of water evaporating from leaves and pulling more water up thru the plant is called:
- 18. Leaves, Stems, or Roots?
  - A. \_\_\_\_\_ Absorbs water thru osmosis.
  - B. \_\_\_\_\_ Pulls water up to the leaves.
  - C. \_\_\_\_\_ Has stomas.
  - D. \_\_\_\_\_ Supports the plant, like a skeleton.
  - E. \_\_\_\_\_ Helps keep land from eroding.
  - F. \_\_\_\_\_ Have waxy coating (called the \_\_\_\_\_).
- 19. The \_\_\_\_\_\_ transports water up the plant, while the \_\_\_\_\_\_ transports glucose back down.



- 21. Cacti grow in harsh desert environments, where there is a lack of \_\_\_\_\_\_. This is why cacti grow slowly and must defend themselves from consumers. For this defense, the leaves of cacti have evolved into small, sharp n\_\_\_\_\_\_. These are not green, so they do not have c\_\_\_\_\_\_. To make food, p\_\_\_\_\_\_ occurs in a cacti's green stem. Also to retain moisture cacti stems have a very waxy, called the c\_\_\_\_\_\_. The stems also act like plant leaves by having the s\_\_\_\_\_.
- 22. Why do cacti only open their stomas at night?