

PREAP2008 Electricity 4

1. Voltage (V), Current (I), or Resistance (R)?

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| A) ___ Flowing electrons. | G) ___ Measured in V. | L) ___ 36 volts. |
| B) ___ Pushes electricity in circuits. | H) ___ Slows down current in a circuit. | M) ___ 5 amps. |
| C) ___ Like a water pump. | I) ___ Does work in an electric circuit. | N) ___ Adds voltage |
| D) ___ Measured in Ω . | J) ___ Gives electric energy. | O) ___ Subtracts voltage |
| E) ___ Measured in A. | K) ___ 12 ohms | P) ___ Can only change if there is a split or a join. |
| F) ___ A battery gives this. | | |

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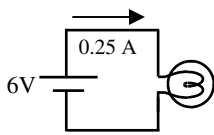
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| A ___ If you increase resistance what decreases? | E. ___ If current increased what decreased? |
| B. ___ If you increases voltage what increases? | F. ___ If resistance is decreased, what increases? |
| C. ___ If the current decreased what increased? | G. ___ More batteries will increase these two quantities. |
| D. ___ If current increased what increased? | H. ___ More light bulbs will increase this. |

3. Conductor or Insulator?

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| A Wood is a bad: _____ | C. Plastic is a good: _____ |
| B. Metals are usually a good: _____ | D. 20 Ω is a worse _____ than 100 Ω resistor. |

Show equations and work for all of the following.

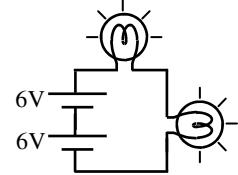
4. How much voltage is necessary to push 4 A thru 6 Ω ?



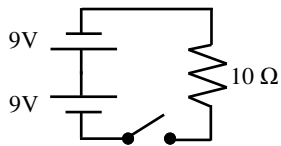
5. How big of a resistor is the light bulb in the circuit at the left?

6. Use the circuit at the right to answer the following.

- Batteries add or subtract voltage?
- Mark the positive and negative sides of the battery.
- What is the total voltage in the circuit? (*Label it Vt.*)
- If the total current in the circuit is 3 A, calculate the total resistance.



E. If the two light bulbs have the same resistance, what is the resistance of each light bulb?



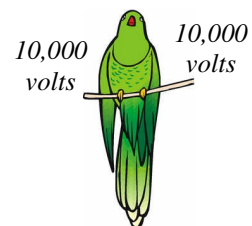
7. Use the circuit at the left to answer the following questions.

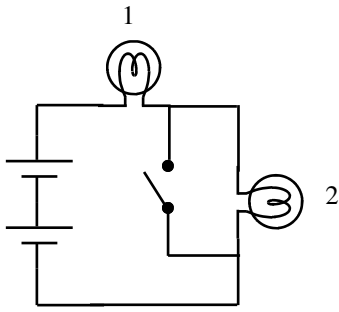
- As drawn right now, is it an open or closed circuit?
- With the switch is closed, what is the current in the circuit?

8. Both sides of a light bulb are connected to the positive side of a battery.

- Will the light bulb light?
- Why or why not?

9. A. Does the bird get shocked?
B. Why or why not?





10. Use the circuit at the left to answer the following.
- A. What happens when the switch is closed?
 - B. When the switch is closed, will bulb 1 get brighter or dimmer?
 - C. What happens if you put a wire across the terminals of a battery (between the positive and negative ends of a battery)?
 - D. How can this be dangerous?