

Guiding Question: What is the relationship between current, resistance, and voltage

Learning Goal: Collect data on circuits you create to find the relationship between current, resistance, and voltage.

Agenda

- 1) Daily Science Review
- 2) Word of the day
- 3) Finish Measuring Practice
- 4) Start Ohm's Law Lab-SUMMATIVE
- 5) Exit Ticket

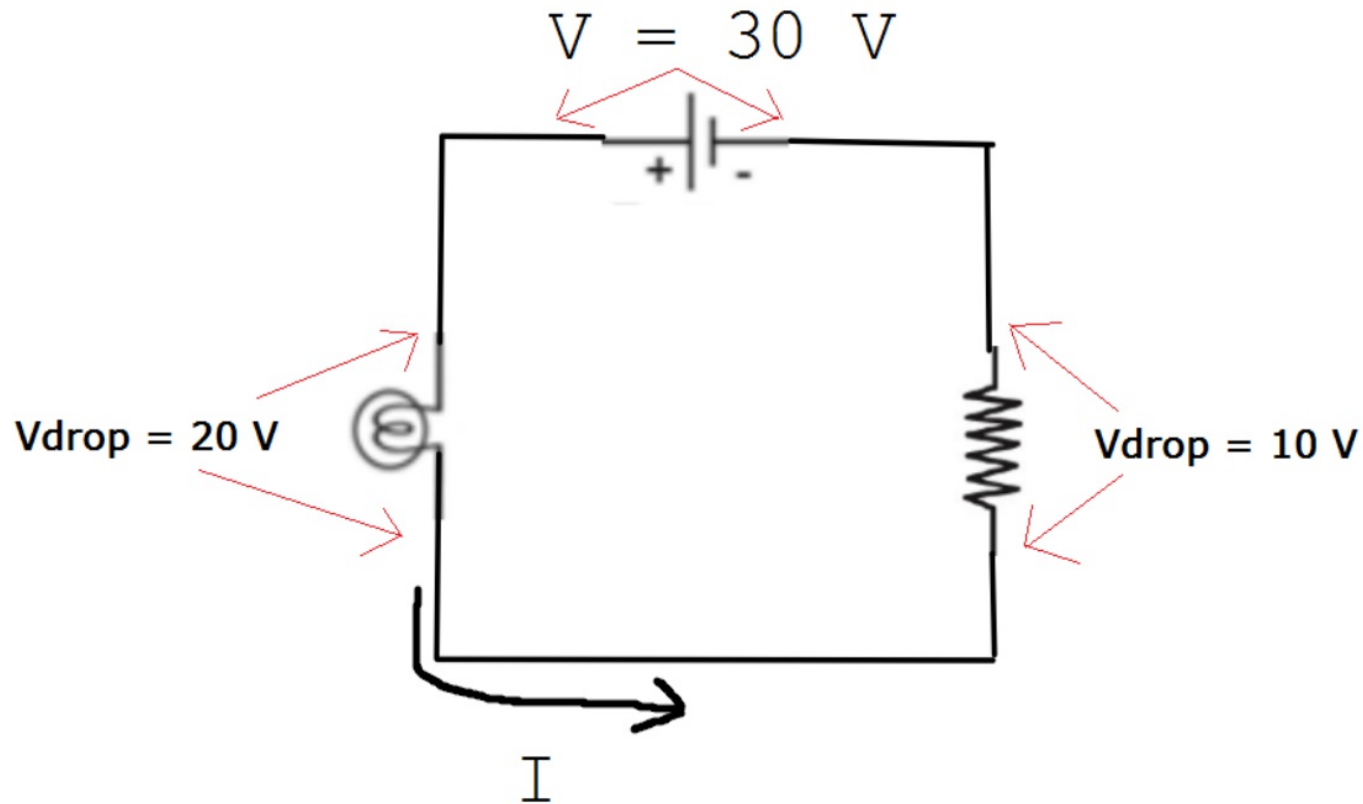
Word of the day

Voltage drop

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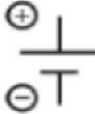

Voltage Drop

A decrease in voltage across a resistor





Ohm's Law Variables

Word	Variable	Circuit Diagram	Units	Unit Symbol
Current	I		Amps	A
Voltage	V	Battery 	Volts	V
Resistance	R		Ohms	Ω

Start Studying for the test NOW!

Make flash cards for the following Words of the day in Quizlet

-Everything in the table of Page 88

-Current

-Resistance

-Voltage

Homework Day 5: Measuring

-Open Circuit

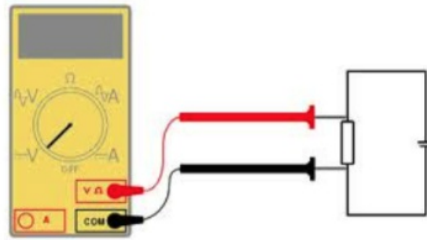
-Closed Circuit

-Parallel Circuit

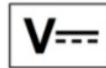
-Series Circuit

MEASURING VOLTAGE

VOLTAGE is a difference **between** 2 points in the circuit

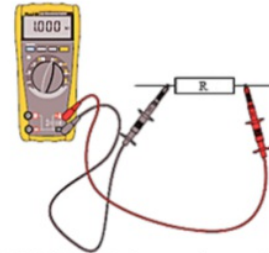


Your dial should be on a symbol that looks like this:



- The number should be 2 or 20 V
- The black probe is in the COM spot
- The red is in the V spot or VΩ spot

MASURING RESISTANCE



RESISTANCE is how much something slows the flow of electricity.

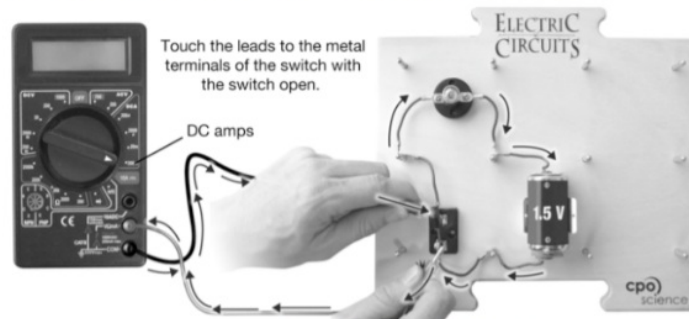
200Ω

The dial should look like:

- Dial is at 200 Ω or just Ω.
- The black probe is in the COM spot and the red is in the VΩ spot.
- Circuit should be open.

MEASURING CURRENT

CURRENT is the amount of electricity flowing **through** 1 point in the circuit.

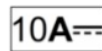


Touch the leads to the metal terminals of the switch with the switch open.

DC amps

The switch is open in this picture

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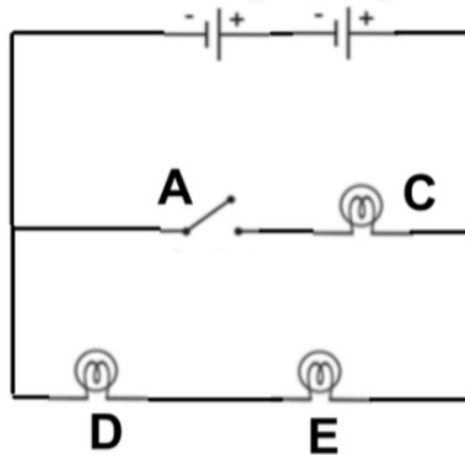
- The dial is at 10 Amps or 20 Amps
- The black probe is in the COM spot
- The red is in the A or 10A or 10A DC spot

Circuit 1: Build a circuit with a battery, a light bulb, and a switch.

Draw the Circuit diagram here, with an OPEN and CLOSED switch

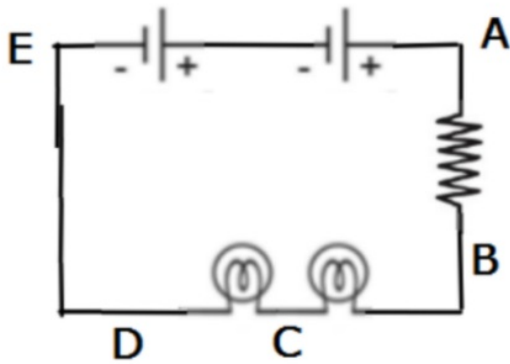
1. **Measure the Voltage of just the battery:** Put the red and black leads on each of the battery before putting it in your circuit _____
2. **PREDICT:** Before lighting the bulb, predict the battery's voltage while the bulb is on: _____
3. **Explain** why you made that prediction.
4. Put the battery in the circuit and turn on the light. Measure, what is the actual difference between voltage when the light is on/off?
5. Now **measure** the current with a switch OPEN. The current is _____
6. What is the current if you unscrew the light bulb? _____
7. Measure the resistance of the light bulb. _____

Circuit 2



7. **PREDICT:** Which bulb will have the greatest voltage (C, D, or E)?
8. Close switches A. **Measure** the voltage across light bulb C, write it on your circuit diagram.
9. **Measure** the voltage across bulb D, write it by the bulb in your diagram.
10. **Measure** the voltage across bulb E, write it by the bulb in your diagram.
11. **Measure** the Voltage across bulb C
12. Open Switch A Measure the Voltage for
Light bulb B:
Light bulb E

Circuit 3 Make this circuit below Measure the resistance for 3 different resistors. Make observations of the light bulb brightness. Change the resistance and measure the resistance for each of the 3 colors



Red =
Green =
Blue =

Ohm's Law Lab

What can we change in our circuits?

What numbers can we collect?

OHM'S LAW LAB

1. Variables:

Impendent Variable: Resistance, Voltage

Dependent variable: Current

2. Experiment Question: Write 2 experiment questions, 1 for each independent variable

3. Hypothesis:

If _____ then _____ because _____.

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Write 2 hypothesis, 1 for each independent variable

4. Materials

List all the materials you need (what's in your box?)

OHM'S LAW LAB


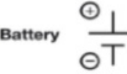

5. Procedure

1. Make a simple series circuit with 1 switch, 1 resistor, and 1 battery.
2. Draw your circuit diagram
2. Measure the voltage of the battery, the current of the OPEN switch, and the resistance of the resistor.
3. Make a change to the VOLTAGE, Draw the NEW diagram, measure the current, voltage, and resistance.
4. Repeat set 3 2 more times
5. Go back to step #1 circuit, make a change to the Resistor (or add a light bulb).
6. Draw the NEW circuit and measure the Current, Voltage, and Resistance
7. Make a change in the RESISTANCE, draw a new diagram, measure the current, voltage, and resistance.
8. Repeat step 7 2 or more times

OHM'S LAW LAB

6. Data

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	Circuit Diagram	What did you change?	Current 	Voltage Battery 	Resistance 
V o l t a g e					
R e s i s t a n c e					