

Basic components and Electric Circuits (chapter 2)

Current: charges in motion denoted by I

And is determined by value and direction \rightarrow

Measured in Amper (A)

If there is no motion then there is no current $I=0$, Current needs a closed circuit
And transmission medium (wire)

Voltage : is a voltage difference between two points and is determined by value
and polarity (+,-)

Measured in Volt (v) , no need for a closed circuit (it needs only different energy
levels)

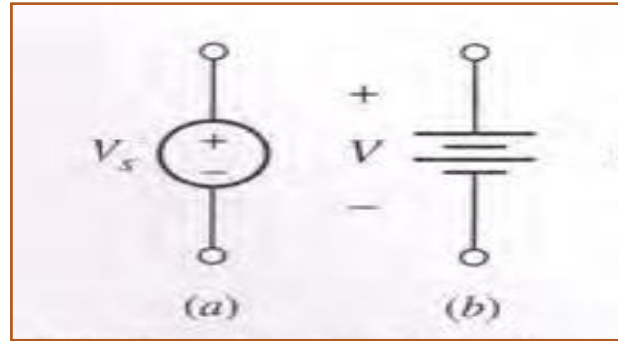
Electrical circuit consists of

1. Voltage and / or current sources
2. Wires
3. Resistors
4. Capacitors
5. Inductors

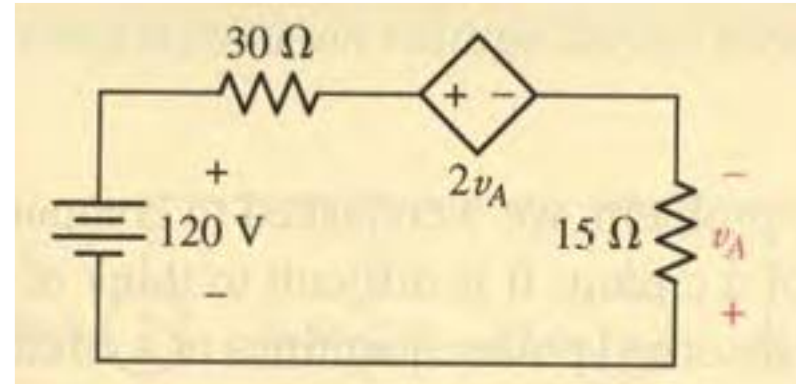
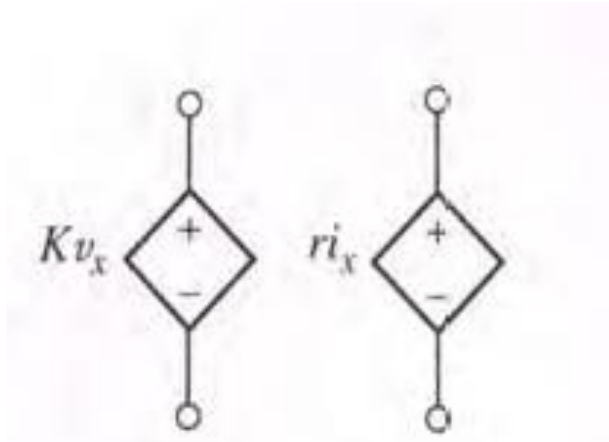
Voltage source : we have two types of voltage sources

1. Independent voltage source : it's value does not depend on any thing in the circuit
2. Dependent voltage source : it's value depends on voltage or current that exist in the circuit

Independent voltage source



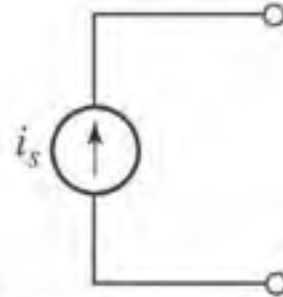
Dependent voltage source



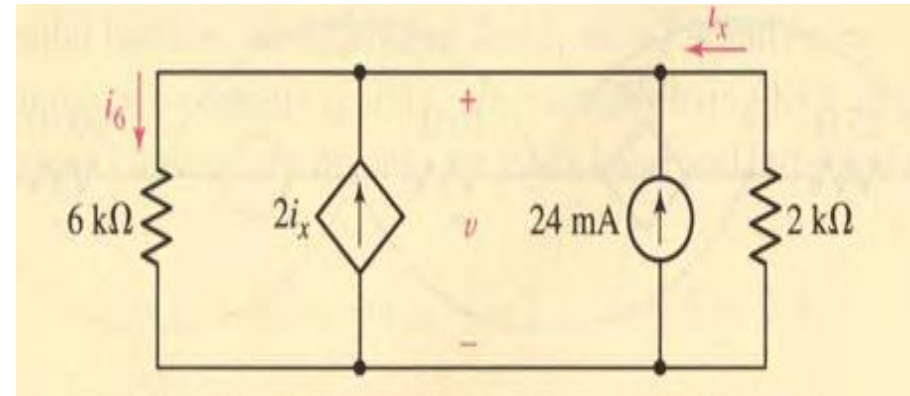
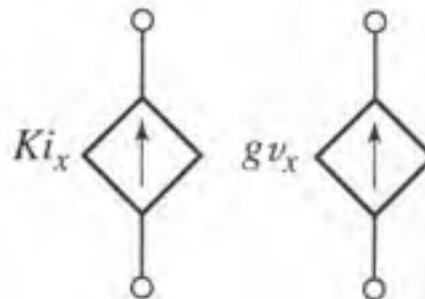
Current source : we have two types of Current sources

1. Independent current source : it's value does not depend on any thing in the circuit
2. Dependent Current source : it's value depends on voltage or current that exist in the circuit

Independent current source



dependent current source



Wires: are conductors

*conductors are those materials that permit a generous flow of electrons with very little external force (voltage) applied.
No voltage difference between any two points on the wire (conductor)*

Resistance

The flow of charge through any material encounters an opposing force similar in many respects to mechanical friction. This opposition, due to the collisions between electrons and between electrons and other atoms in the material, *which converts electrical energy into another form of energy such as heat*, is called the **resistance** of the material. The unit of measurement of resistance is the **ohm**, for which the symbol is Ω .



Ohm's Law, Power, and Energy

$$I = \frac{E}{R}$$

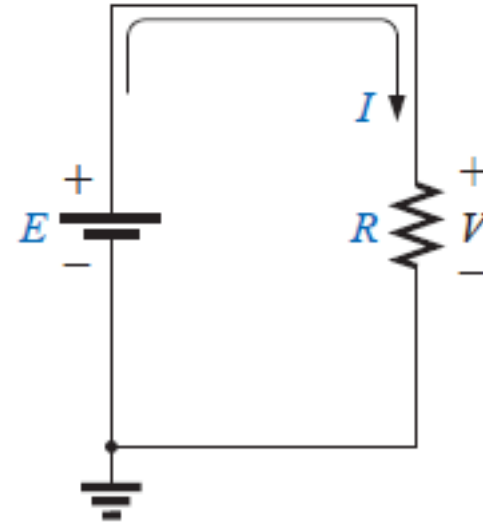
(amperes, A)

$$E = IR$$

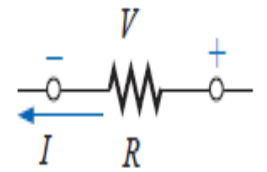
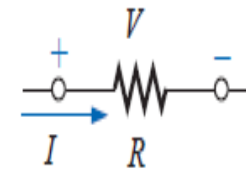
(volts, V)

$$R = \frac{E}{I}$$

(ohms, Ω)



Passive sign convention : Current flows from + signed voltage to – signed voltage



EXAMPLE

Determine the current resulting from the application of a 9-V battery across a network with a resistance of 2.2 Ω .

$$I = \frac{E}{R} = \frac{9 \text{ V}}{2.2 \Omega} = 4.09 \text{ A}$$

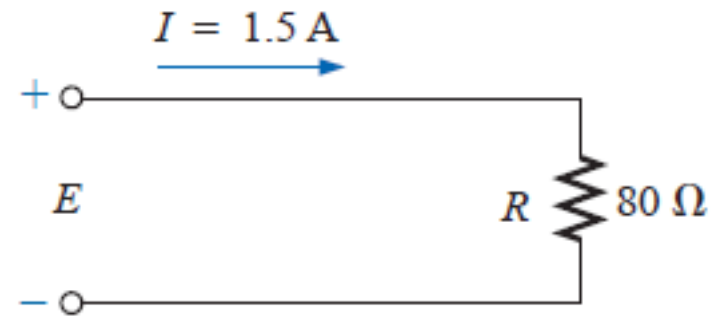
EXAMPLE

Calculate the resistance of a 60-W bulb if a current of 500 mA results from an applied voltage of 120 V.

$$R = \frac{E}{I} = \frac{120 \text{ V}}{500 \times 10^{-3} \text{ A}} = \mathbf{240 \Omega}$$

EXAMPLE

In the following circuit . Find value of E



$$E = IR = (1.5 \text{ A})(80 \Omega) = \mathbf{120 \text{ V}}$$