

Electricity



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ANSWERS

1. The physical quantity coulomb/second is called electric current.

2. Conventional current in the direction of flow of positive charge.

3. (b) : As we know that, work done, $W = qV = 0.5 \times 20 = 10 \text{ J}$

4. (b) : Work done in moving an unit charge across two points in an electric circuit is a measure of potential difference.

5. S.I. unit of potential difference is volt.

6. (b) : If area of cross-section is halved, then, resistance becomes,

$$R' = \rho \frac{l}{A'} = \rho \frac{l}{A/2} = \frac{2\rho l}{A} = 2R$$

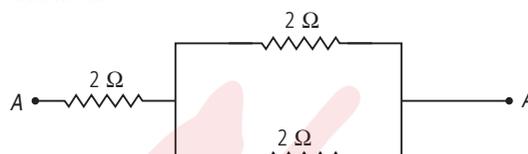
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So, the resistance increases two times of its original.

7. Resistance of a pure metal increases with rise in temperature.

8. S.I. unit of resistivity is ohm-meter ($\Omega\text{-m}$).

9. By combining two resistors each of 2Ω in parallel and then their equivalent with other 2Ω resistor we can obtain 3Ω resistance.



$$\frac{1}{R_1} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1 \Omega \text{ and } R_{\text{eq.}} = 2 + 1 = 3 \Omega$$

10. (b) : In homes electrical devices are connected in parallel.

11. (b) : If the potential difference across each resistor is same then the resistors are connected in parallel.

12. (b) : If a current of 3.5 A flows through a hair dryer, then for normal use of fuse with rating 5 A will be most suitable among given options.

13. Given, power of the lamp, $P = 25 \text{ W}$ and voltage, $V = 200 \text{ V}$.

$$\therefore \text{Power, } P = VI$$

$$\Rightarrow I = \frac{P}{V} = \frac{25 \text{ W}}{200 \text{ V}} = \frac{1}{8} \text{ A} = 0.125 \text{ A}$$

