

# Electricity



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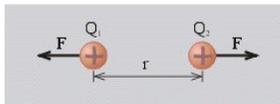


**Application of Electricity in Medical and Pharmaceutical Field**

## Electric charge

$q$  [C] Coulomb **Elementary charge:**  $e = 1,6 \cdot 10^{-19} \text{C}$

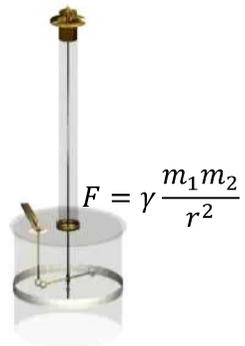
$\nearrow q_{p^+} = e$   
 $\searrow q_{e^-} = -e$



### Coulomb's Law:

$$F = k \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2}$$

$$(k = 9 \cdot 10^9 \frac{\text{Nm}^2}{\text{C}^2})$$



$$F = \gamma \frac{m_1 m_2}{r^2}$$

$$\left( \gamma = 6,67 \cdot 10^{-11} \frac{\text{Nm}^2}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{s}^2} \right)$$

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What is the ratio of the electric force to the gravitational force between a proton and an electron separated by  $5.3 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}$  (the radius of a hydrogen atom)? Mass of proton :  $1,67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$ ; mass of electron:  $9,1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$

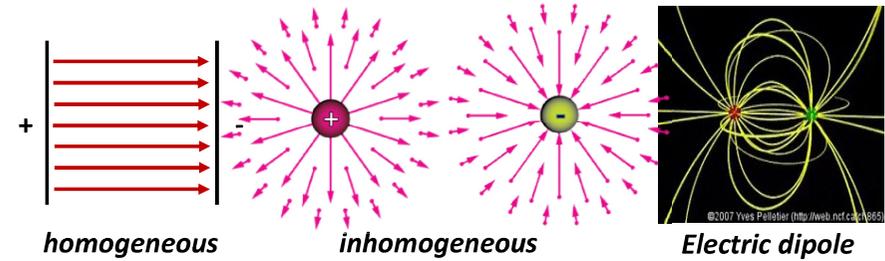
$\gamma = 6,67 \cdot 10^{-11} \frac{\text{Nm}^2}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{s}^2}$ ;  $k = 9 \cdot 10^9 \frac{\text{Nm}^2}{\text{C}^2}$

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A metallic sphere has a charge of +4.0 nC. A negatively charged rod has a charge of -6.0 nC. When the rod touches the sphere,  $8.2 \times 10^9$  electrons are transferred. What are the charges of the sphere and the rod now?

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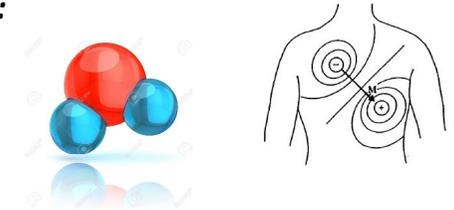
## Electric Field



### e. Electric Dipole Moment:

$$p = q \cdot d$$

Debye:  $1D = 3,34 \cdot 10^{-30} \text{ C}\cdot\text{m}$



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## Electric Field

### Electric field strength :

$$E = \frac{F}{q} \quad [\text{N/C}] \text{ vagy } [\text{V/m}]$$

$$E = k \frac{Q}{r^2}$$

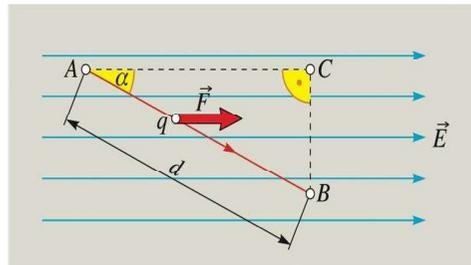
### Voltage :

$$U_{21} = U = \frac{W}{q} \quad [\text{V}] \text{ Volt}$$

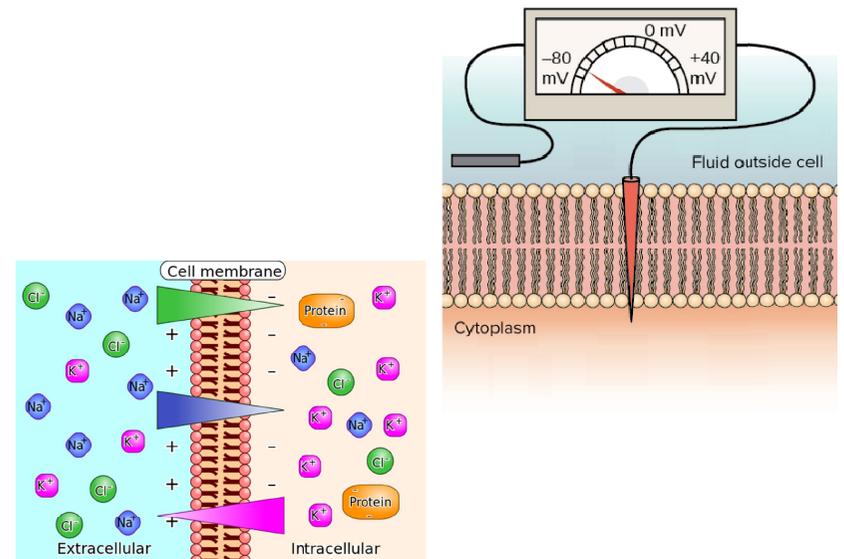
### Electric potential :

$$\varphi_i = U_{i0} \quad [\text{V}] \text{ Volt}$$

$$U_{21} = U = \varphi_2 - \varphi_1$$



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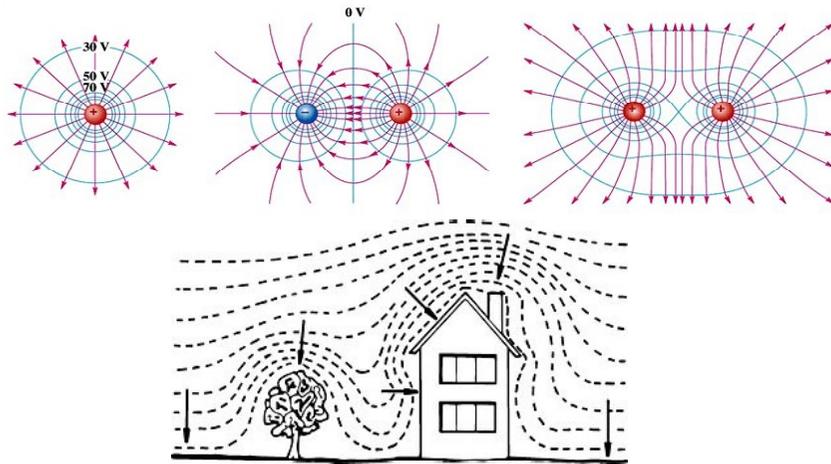


resting voltage  
resting potential difference

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## Electric Field

Equipotential surface:



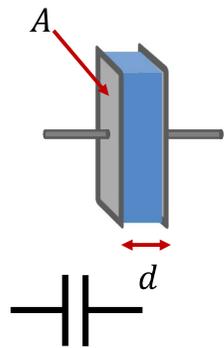
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## Faraday cage



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## Capacitor



**electric field strength:**  $E = \frac{U}{d}$  [V/m]

**capacitance:**  $C = \frac{q}{U}$  [F] Farad

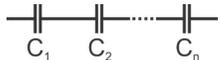
$$C = \epsilon_0 \epsilon_r \frac{A}{d}$$

**The electric energy stored in the capacitor:**  $W = \frac{1}{2} \frac{q^2}{C} = \frac{1}{2} C \cdot U^2$

**Connecting capacitors**

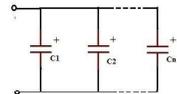
In series:

$$\frac{1}{C} = \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} + \dots$$



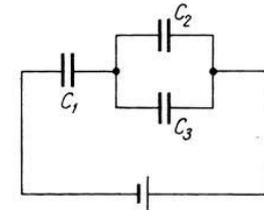
In parallel:

$$C = C_1 + C_2 + \dots$$



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Three capacitor are connected according to figure.  $C_1 = 1\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_2 = 2\mu\text{F}$ ,  $C_3 = 3\mu\text{F}$ . Voltage of the battery is 12 V. Calculate the charges of each capacitors!



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## Electric current



André-Marie Ampère  
1775-1836

**electric current:**

$$I = \frac{\Delta q}{\Delta t} \quad [\text{A}] \text{ Amper}$$

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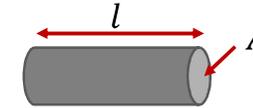


Georg Simon Ohm  
1789-1854



**Ohm's Law:**  $U = R \cdot I$

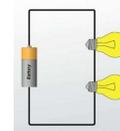
**Electric resistance:**  $R = \frac{U}{I} \quad [\Omega] \text{ Ohm}$



$$R = \rho \frac{l}{A}$$

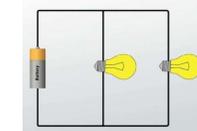
**Connecting resistors**

in series:



$$R = R_1 + R_2 + \dots$$

in parallel:



$$\frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} + \dots$$

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## Electric current



Ernst Werner von Siemens  
1816-1892

**Electric conductance:**

$$G = \frac{1}{R} \quad [\text{S}] \text{ Siemens}$$

$$G = \frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{\rho \frac{l}{A}} = \sigma \frac{A}{l}$$



## Electric current



**Work of electric current (Joule heating):**

$$W = U \cdot I \cdot t \quad [\text{J}] \text{ Joule}$$

$$U = R \cdot I \quad \left. \vphantom{U = R \cdot I} \right\} W = R \cdot I^2 \cdot t = \frac{U^2}{R} t$$

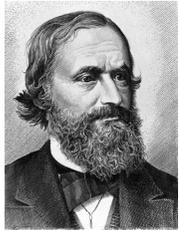
**Electric power:**

$$P = \frac{W}{t} = U \cdot I = R \cdot I^2 = \frac{U^2}{R} \quad [\text{W}] \text{ Watt}$$



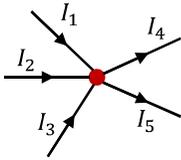
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## Electric current



Gustav Robert Kirchhoff  
1824-1887

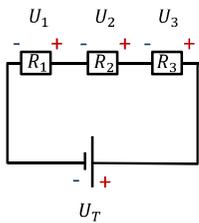
### Kirchhoff's I. Law (junction law):



as a result of conservation of electric charge, the currents flowing into a junction are equal to the currents flowing out of that junction. In other words, in a branched (parallelly connected) circuit current is partitioned between the branches.

$$I_1 + I_2 + I_3 = I_4 + I_5$$

### Kirchhoff's II. Law (Loop law):

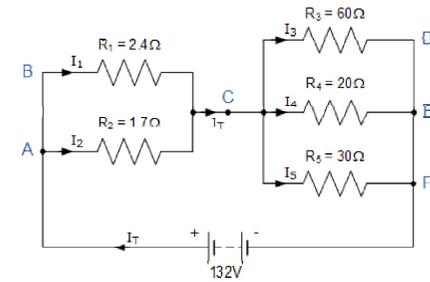


as a result of conservation of energy, the directed sum (i.e., considering the signs) of voltages of electrical components along a loop within an electrical circuit is zero. In other words, within a loop (e.g., serially-connected circuit) voltage is partitioned between the electric components (e.g., resistances, capacitors, etc.)

$$U_1 + U_2 + U_3 = U_T$$

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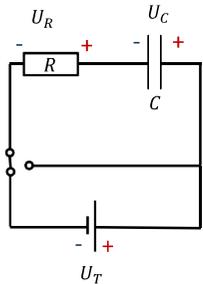
Calculate the individual currents flowing through each resistor branch!



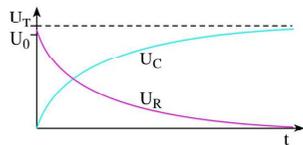
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## Electric current: RC circuit (in series)

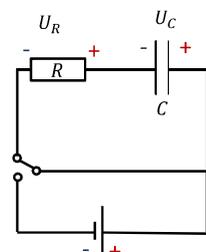
### Charging the RC circuit



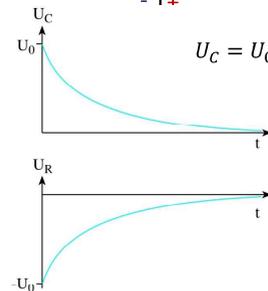
$$U_C = U_T \cdot (1 - e^{-\frac{t}{RC}})$$



### Discharging the RC circuit



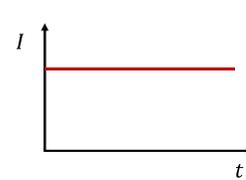
$$U_C = U_0 \cdot e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}$$



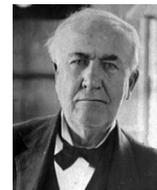
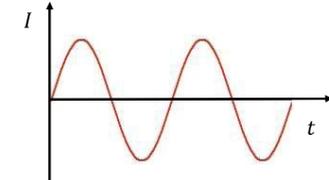
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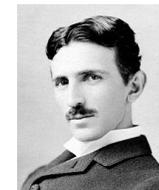
### Direct current, DC



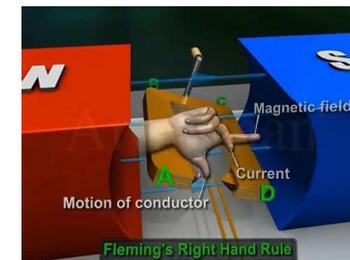
### Alternating current, AC



Thomas Alva Edison  
1847-1931



Nikola Tesla  
1856-1943



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## Electric current

### Capacitor in an AC circuit

Capacitive reactance:  $X_C = \frac{1}{\omega \cdot C} \quad [\Omega] \text{ Ohm}$

**Impedance:** If an AC circuit contains both resistors and capacitors, the total "resistance" of the whole circuit is called impedance.

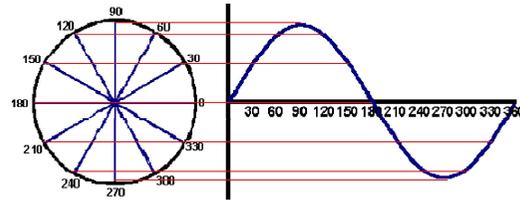
$$Z \quad [\Omega] \text{ Ohm}$$

In series RC circuit:

$$Z^2 = R^2 + X_C^2$$

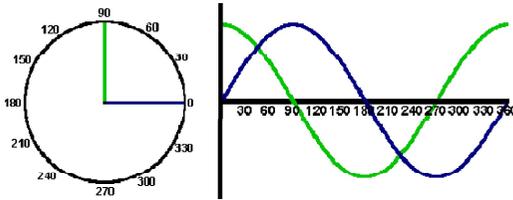
In parallel RC circuit:

$$\left(\frac{1}{Z}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{1}{R}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{X_C}\right)^2$$



$$I = I_{max} \cdot \sin \omega t$$

$$U = U_{max} \cdot \sin(\omega t + \varphi)$$



$$I_{eff} = \frac{I_{max}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$U_{eff} = \frac{U_{max}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

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A rheumatism patient receives iontophoretic therapy (administration of ionic pharmaceutical by means of direct current). The voltage is 40 V, the resistance of the treated body part is 12 500  $\Omega$ . a) What is the electric current flowing through the treated area? b) What amount of electric charge flows through the treated area in a 10-minute treatment? c) How many drug molecules enter the body during this period if they are in the form of monovalent ions? Give the amount of molecules in moles, too

The cross-section area of the copper wire of a 20-m-long extension lead is 1.5 mm<sup>2</sup>. The resistivity of copper is 1.78 · 10<sup>-8</sup>  $\Omega\text{m}$ . Find a) the resistance of the wire, b) the conductance of the wire, and c) the conductivity of copper.

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During one of the biophysics labs we fill a graduated cylinder (height: 6 cm, cross section area:  $2 \text{ cm}^2$ ) with a salt solution of  $12 \text{ mS/m}$  conductivity. Determine a) the conductance, b) the resistivity, and c) the resistance of the solution in the cylinder.

The domestic mains power in Europe oscillates according to the function:  $U = 325 \text{ V} \cdot \sin(314 \text{ s}^{-1} \cdot t)$ . Find: a) the peak value of the voltage, b) the effective (RMS) value of the voltage, c) the angular frequency of the AC, and d) its frequency.

An AC characterized by the  $U = 34 \text{ V} \cdot \sin(6283 \text{ s}^{-1} \cdot t)$  function is connected to a  $500 \text{ nF}$  capacitor. Find a) the peak voltage, b) the effective voltage, and c) the capacitive reactance of the capacitor

The capacitance of the capacitor in a defibrillator is  $50 \mu\text{F}$ . We charge it to a rather high voltage,  $5000 \text{ V}$  before intervention. a) What is the charge of the capacitor? b) What is the energy stored in the capacitor?

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The resistance of the tungsten filament in a traditional light bulb at the operating temperature is  $529 \Omega$ . We connect the bulb to the mains power which has an effective voltage of  $230 \text{ V}$ . a) What heat is produced in the light bulb during a day? b) What is the power of the bulb?

A simplified representation of a defibrillator would be an RC circuit. The capacitor used in the device ( $C = 20 \mu\text{F}$ ) was charged before treatment to a rather high voltage,  $5 \text{ kV}$ . Then it is attached to the chest using two so-called paddle electrodes. The capacitor discharges through the chest as a resistor ( $R = 1200 \Omega$ ). a) What is the energy stored in the charged capacitor? b) What is the electric current flowing through the body in the very beginning of discharging? c) What is the time constant of the RC circuit that is created during the intervention? d) What is the voltage of the capacitor  $0.1 \text{ s}$  after beginning the intervention? e) In what time does the voltage of the capacitor decrease to the thousandth, i.e. to  $5 \text{ V}$

A body with  $q = 0.1 \text{ C}$  charge is uniformly moved in a homogeneous electric field ( $E = 1200 \text{ N/C}$ ) parallel to the field lines from position #1 to position #2. a) What force acts on the body? b) What work is done during the movement? c) What is the voltage between the two positions?

In an X-ray tube  $80 \text{ kV}$  voltage is accelerating an electron from the cathode toward the anode of the tube. a) What is the accelerating work done by the field? b) This work will appear in the form of the kinetic energy of the electron. What is the speed of the electron if its mass is considered constant ( $m = 9.11 \cdot 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$ ), i.e., we neglect the relativistic mass increase?

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Woah!  
Is that what power  
feels like?

**Thank you!** |