

# Experiment 3: Network Analysis

## The Superposition Principle and Kirchoff's law

- Electric Networks: circuits that include many elements such as: resistors / voltage sources / current sources that are connected together in a Complicated way

• To Analyse them you can use :-

### Kirchoff's law

### The superposition law

#### Loop Theorem :-

The algebraic sum of the voltage drops and  $\mathcal{E}$  in a closed circuit = 0

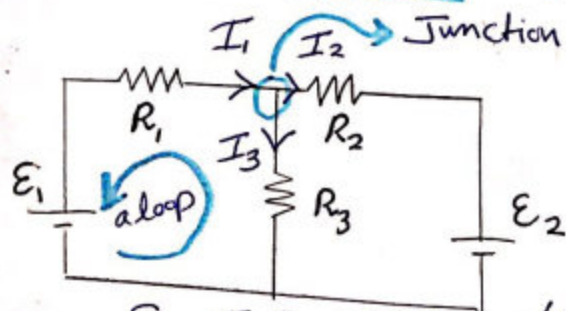
$$\sum V_i = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \sum_k \mathcal{E}_k = \sum_j I_j R_j$$

#### Junction Theorem

The algebraic sum of the currents passing through any circuit junction = 0

$$\sum I_j = 0$$



$$\mathcal{E}_1 = I_1 R_1 + I_3 R_3 \dots \text{(you find other equations to solve & find } I \text{)}$$

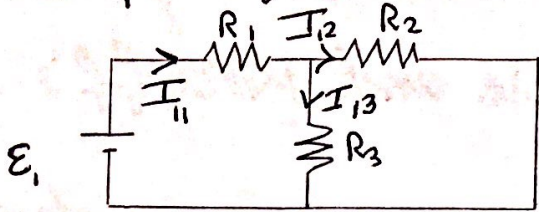
Note: If I found negative It's direction must be reversed

- Any current in a complicated circuit is caused by each source so if we found the current caused by  $\mathcal{E}_1$  (for example) and sum it with current caused by  $\mathcal{E}_2$  we get  $I_{total}$

- we do it in two steps



Step 1: find I from first  $\mathcal{E}$  :-



• Now it's not a complicated circuit we find  $R_{total}$

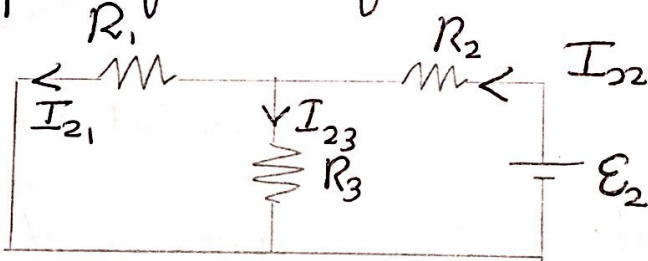
Then we find  $I_{11}, I_{12}, I_{13}$

$$R_{Total} = R_1 + \frac{(R_2 R_3)}{R_2 + R_3}$$

$$I_{11} = \frac{\mathcal{E}_1}{R_{Total}}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} I_{12} R_2 &= I_{11} R_1 \\ I_{13} R_3 &= I_{11} R_1 \end{aligned} \right\} \text{Since it's on parallel } V \text{ is equal for } I_{12} \text{ \& } I_{13}$$

Step 2: find I from second  $\mathcal{E}$  :-



• Same as step 1 find  $R_{tot}$  and

$I_{21}, I_{23}, I_{22}$

$$R_{tot} = R_2 + \frac{(R_1 R_3)}{R_1 + R_3}$$

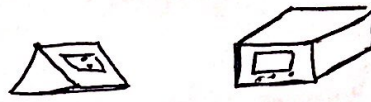
$$I_{22} = \frac{\mathcal{E}_2}{R_{tot}}$$

$$I_{21} R_1 = I_{22} (R_{tot})$$

$$I_{23} R_3 = I_{22} (R_{tot})$$



- what we use :-
  - 2 voltage sources
  - 3 carbon Resistances
  - Circuit board
  - digital Multimeter



• Procedure :-

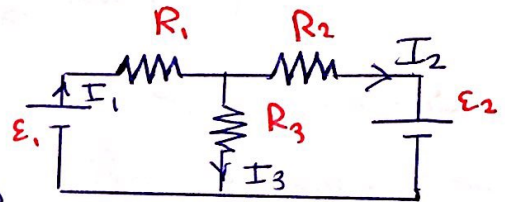
• Kirchoff :-

1- Connect the circuit  $\Rightarrow$

- Remember :-

$R_1, R_2$  &  $R_3$  are Carbon Resistances

$\mathcal{E}_1, \mathcal{E}_2$  are Voltage sources



2- you put the Ammeter as explained in figures (1-3) to measure  $I_1, I_2$  &  $I_3$

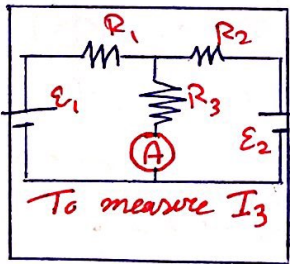
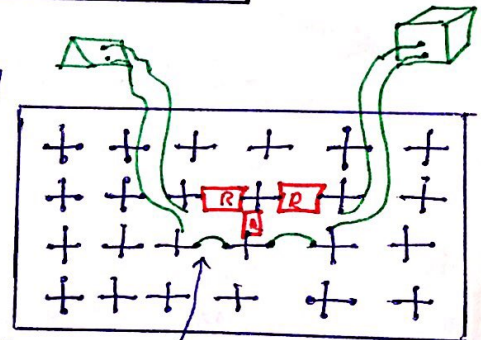


Fig 1

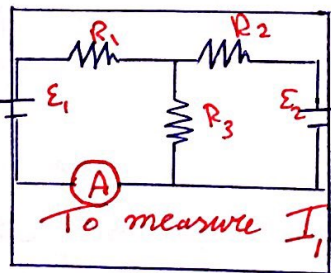


Fig 2

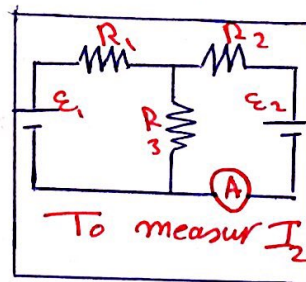


Fig 3

• you put the Digital Multimeter in each Branch to measure  $I$

• كيرشوف

- قم بوصل الدارة كما في الشكل الموضح
- ضع الأميتر كما هو موضح لقياس التيارات الثلاث
- تذكر أن  $R_1, R_2, R_3$  هم مقاومات كربونية
- $\mathcal{E}_1, \mathcal{E}_2$  هي مصادر جهد

# Superposition:-

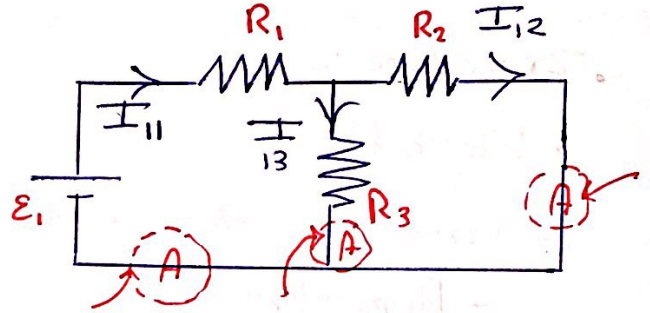
1- We have two Principle steps:-

→ First:-

Taking  $\epsilon_2$  off:-

• So that the New circuit is:-

• Put the Ammeter in each Branch  
As I explained previously



→ Second:-

Taking  $\epsilon_1$  off:-

• The New circuit is:-

• Put the Ammeter

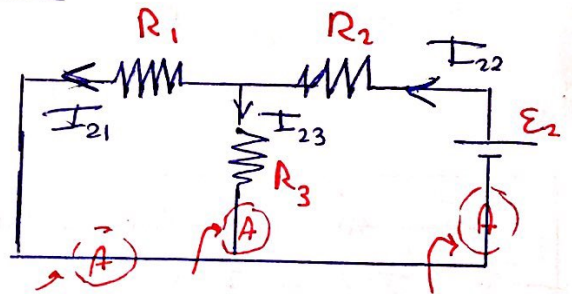
• Sum up measurement

From First & Second:-

$$I_1 = I_{11} + I_{21}$$

$$I_2 = I_{12} + I_{22}$$

$$I_3 = I_{13} + I_{23}$$



• هناك خطوات تستعمل في هذا الجزء من التجربة:-

الاولى:-

• قم بإزالة  $\epsilon_2$  ثم قس  $I_{11}$ ,  $I_{12}$ ,  $I_{13}$  بوضع الـ Ammeter في كل فرع

• قم بإزالة  $\epsilon_1$  ثم قس  $I_{21}$ ,  $I_{22}$ ,  $I_{23}$  بوضع الـ Ammeter في كل فرع

• قم بجمع النتائج من الخطوات الأولى ودلالة لـ  $I_1, I_2, I_3$