

Problems 25.32,56,62 (25.40) from MasteringPhysics (and text).

## 25.32

Consider the circuit shown in the figure. The terminal voltage of the 24.0 V battery is 21.2 V. The current in the circuit is 4.00 A.

### Part A

What is the internal resistance  $r$  of the battery?

### Part B

What is the resistance  $R$  of the circuit resistor?

## 25.56

A 2.0m length of wire is made by welding the end of a 120-cm-long silver wire to the end of an 80-cm-long copper wire. Each piece of wire is 0.60 mm in diameter. The wire is at room temperature. A potential difference of 5.0 V is maintained between the ends of the 2.0m composite wire.

### Part A

What is the current in the copper section?

### Part B

What is the current in the silver section?

### Part C

What is the magnitude of  $\vec{E}$  in the copper?

### Part D

What is the magnitude of  $\vec{E}$  in the silver?

### Part E

What is the potential difference between the ends of the silver section of wire?

## 25.62

A rectangular block of metal of resistivity  $\rho$  has dimensions  $d \times 2d \times 3d$ . A potential difference  $V$  is to be applied between two opposite faces of the block.

### Part A

To which two faces of the block should the potential difference be applied to give the maximum current density?

### Part B

What is this maximum current density?

### Part C

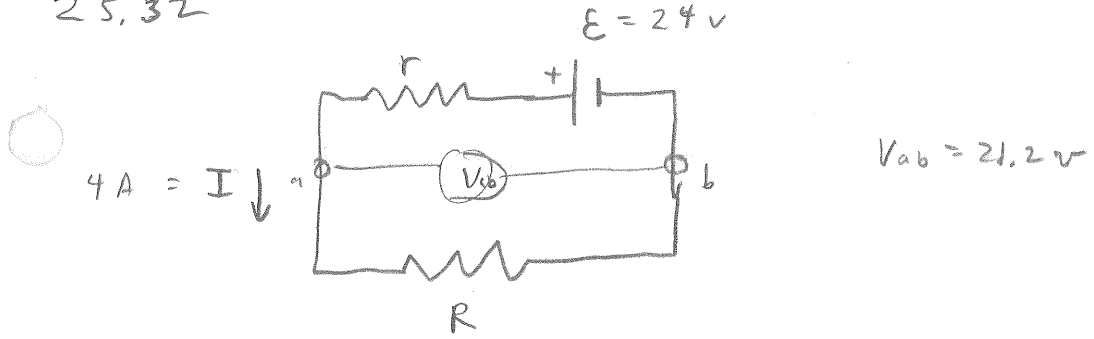
To which two faces of the block should the potential difference be applied to give the maximum current?

### Part D

What is this maximum current?

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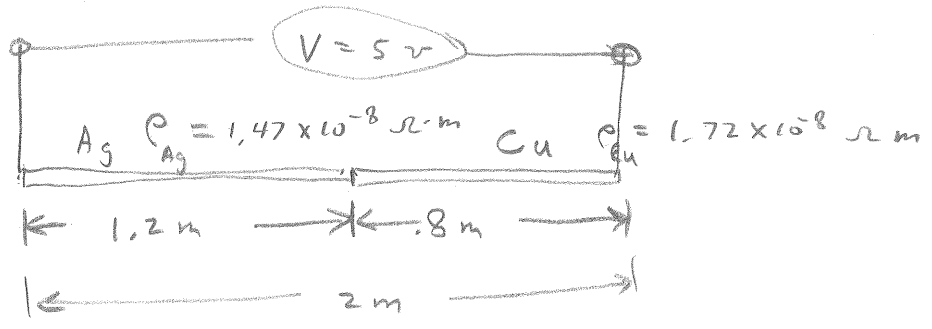
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a)  $V_{ab} = \epsilon - Ir \Rightarrow r = \frac{\epsilon - V_{ab}}{I} = \frac{(24 - 21.2)V}{4A} = \boxed{0.7 \Omega}$

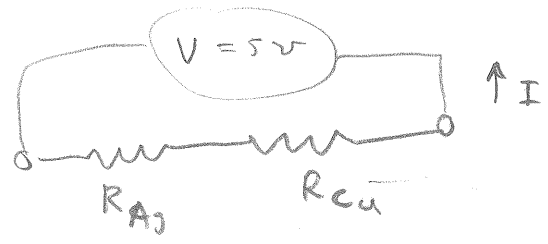
b)  $V_{ab} = RI \Rightarrow R = \frac{V_{ab}}{I} = \frac{21.2V}{4A} = \boxed{5.3 \Omega}$

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a)

dia = 0.6 mm



$$V = IR_{Ag} + IR_{Cu} \Rightarrow I = \frac{V}{R_{Ag} + R_{Cu}} = \frac{V}{\frac{\rho_{Ag} L_{Ag}}{\frac{\pi d^2}{4}} + \frac{\rho_{Cu} L_{Cu}}{\frac{\pi d^2}{4}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow I = \frac{\pi d^2}{4} \frac{V}{\rho_{Ag} L_{Ag} + \rho_{Cu} L_{Cu}}$$

$$= \frac{\pi (0.6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m})^2}{4} \frac{5 \text{ V}}{1.47 \times 10^{-8} \Omega \cdot \text{m} (1.2 \text{ m}) + 1.72 \times 10^{-8} \Omega \cdot \text{m} (.8 \text{ m})} \approx \boxed{45.0 \text{ A}}$$

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b)

$$I_{Ag} = I_{Cu} = I = \boxed{45.0 \text{ A}}$$

c)

$$E_{Cu} = \rho_{Cu} J = \rho_{Cu} \frac{I}{\left(\frac{\pi d^2}{4}\right)} = \frac{1.72 \times 10^{-8} \Omega \cdot \text{m} \cdot 45 \text{ A} \cdot (4)}{\pi (0.6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m})^2}$$

$$= \boxed{2.74 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}}}$$

d)

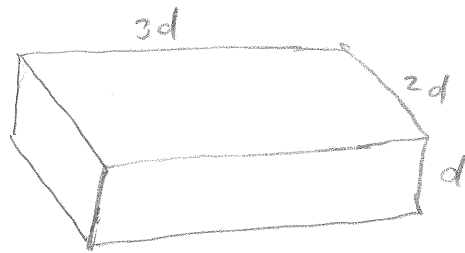
$$E_{Ag} = \rho_{Ag} J = \frac{\rho_{Ag}}{\rho_{Cu}} E_{Cu} = \left(\frac{1.47}{1.72}\right) 2.737465 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}}$$

$$\approx \boxed{2.34 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}}}$$

e)

$$V_{Ag} = E_{Ag} L_{Ag} = \left(2.34076 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{m}}\right) (1.2 \text{ m})$$

$$\approx \boxed{2.81 \text{ V}}$$



$$E = \rho J \Rightarrow \frac{V}{l} = \rho J \Rightarrow J = \frac{V}{l} \frac{1}{\rho}$$

$$\Rightarrow J_{\max} = \frac{V}{l_{\min}} \frac{1}{\rho} \Rightarrow \boxed{3d \times 2d \text{ face}} \quad d \text{ apart}$$

b)

$$J_{\max} = \boxed{\frac{V}{d} \frac{1}{\rho}}$$

c)

$$E = \rho I \Rightarrow \frac{V}{l} = \rho \frac{I}{A} \Rightarrow I = \frac{V}{l} \frac{A}{\rho}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{\max} = \frac{V A_{\max}}{l_{\min} \rho} \Rightarrow \boxed{3d \times 2d \text{ face}} \quad d \text{ apart}$$

d)

$$I_{\max} = \frac{V (3d)(2d)}{d \rho} = \boxed{\frac{6Vd}{\rho}}$$

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