



COMPUTATIONAL THINKING

UNDERSTANDING CIRCUITS

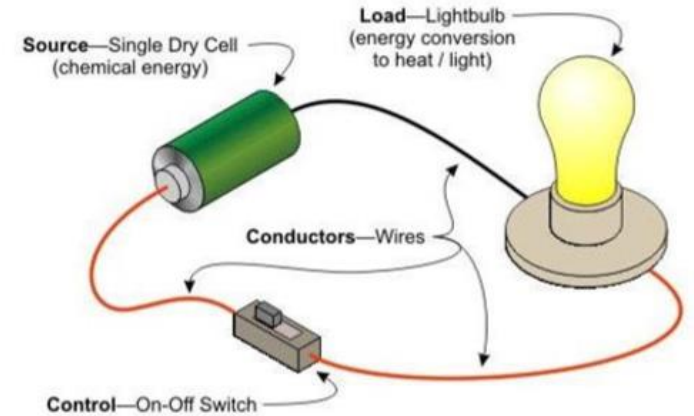
WHAT IS CIRCUIT ?



An electronic circuit is a complete course of conductors through which current can travel. Circuits provide a path for current to flow. To be a circuit, this path must start and end at the same point. In other words, a circuit must form a loop.

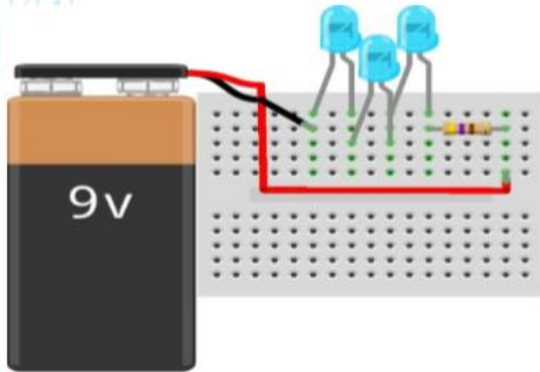


An electronic circuit and an electrical circuit has the same definition, but electronic circuits tend to be low voltage circuits



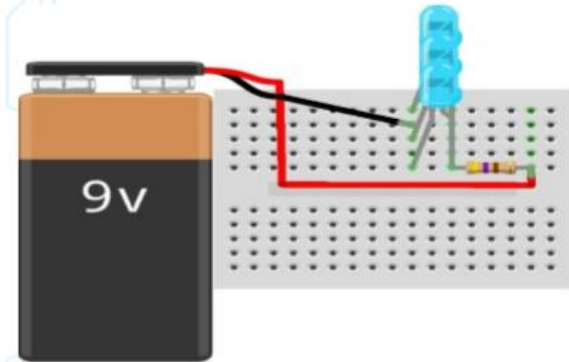
CONNECTION TYPES

Series



3 LEDs are connected in series along with a resistor with 9V power supply

Parallel



3 LEDs are connected in parallel along with a series resistor with 9V power supply



APPLICATION OF CIRCUITS



Electronics circuits are used to make modern electronic devices



Electronic technology help devices and machines to become mobile and compressed



Nowadays, all the electronics devices like laptops, tablet, smartphone are made up with semiconductor circuit

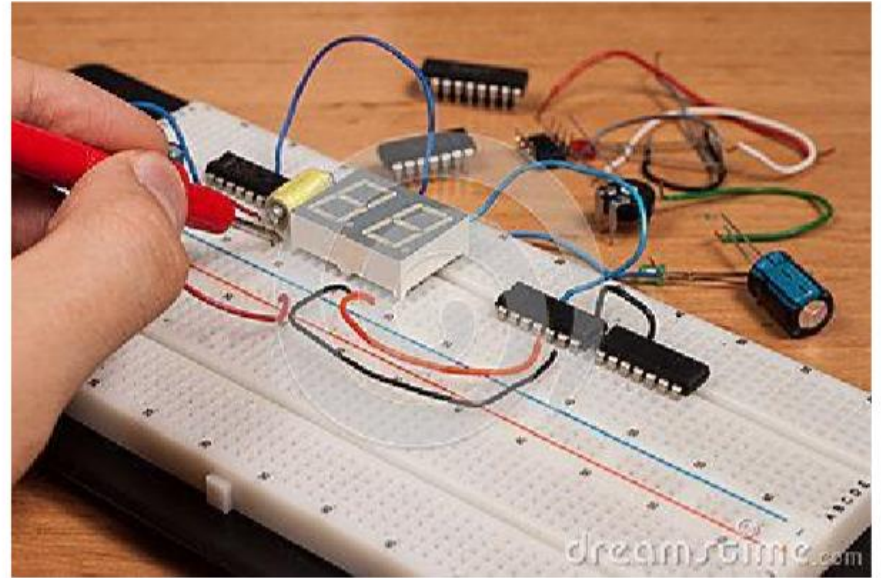
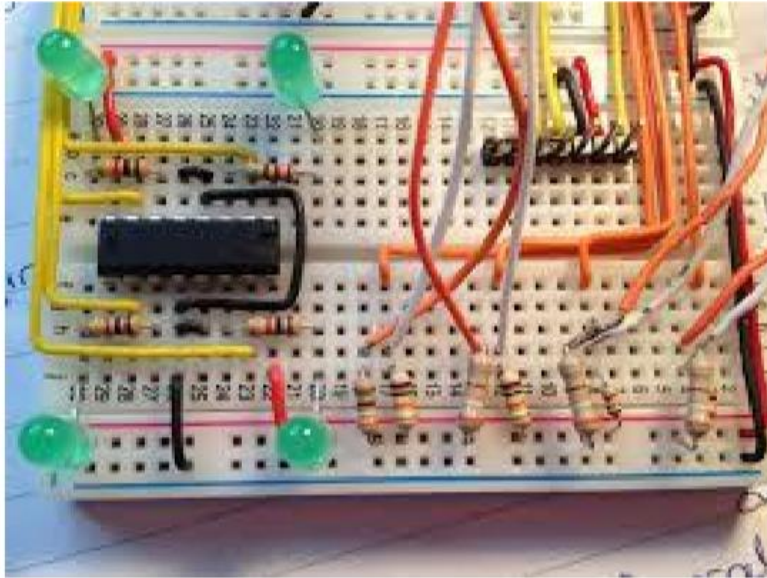


There is lots of demand and growth of electronic industry



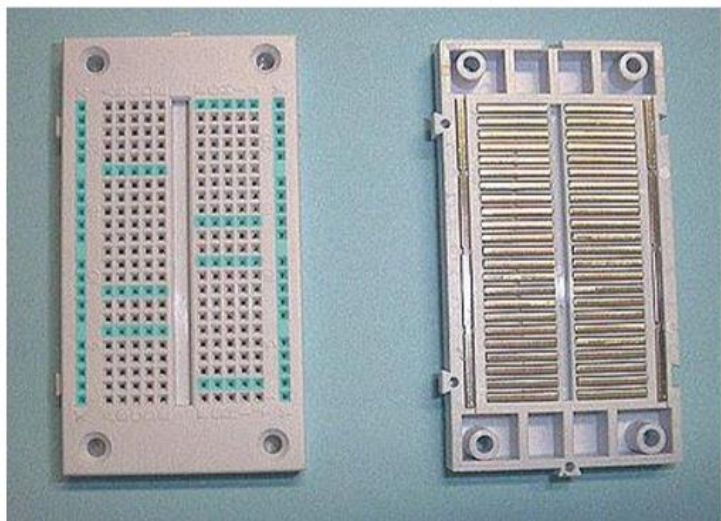


CIRCUIT ON BREADBOARD

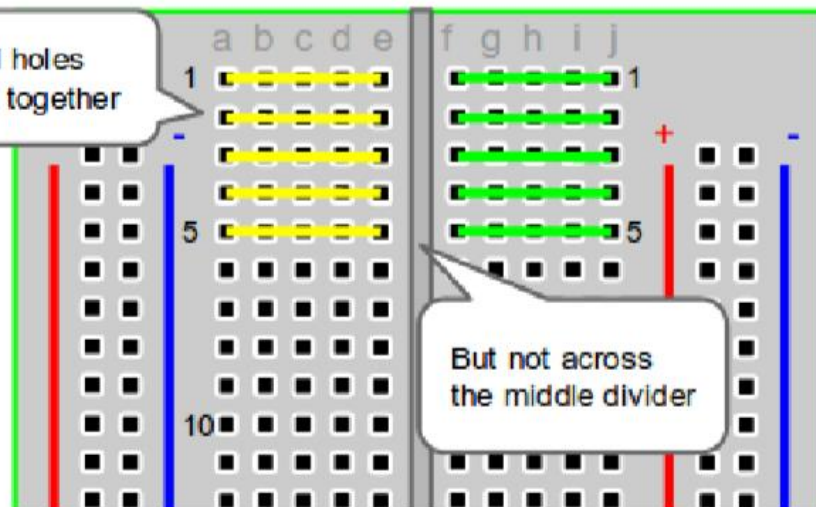




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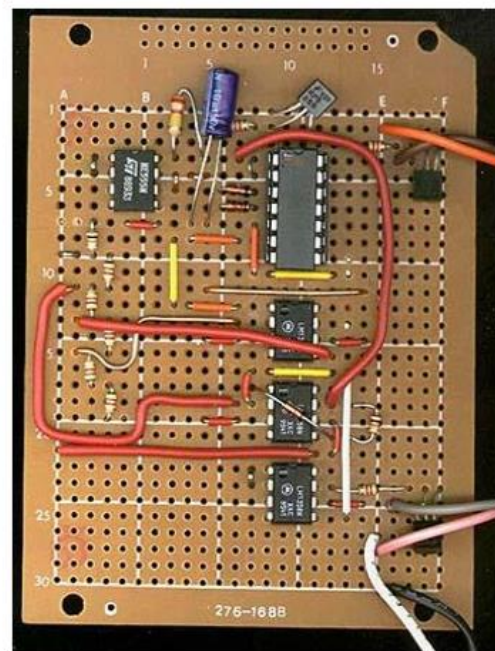
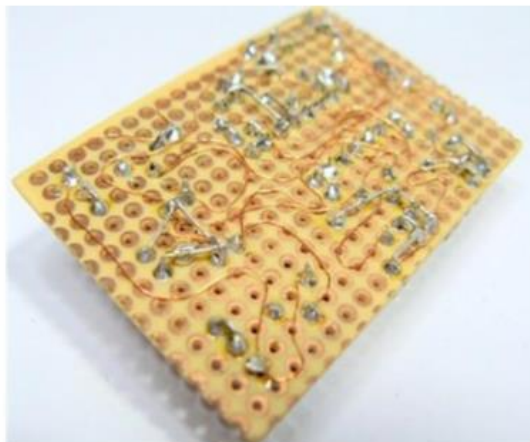
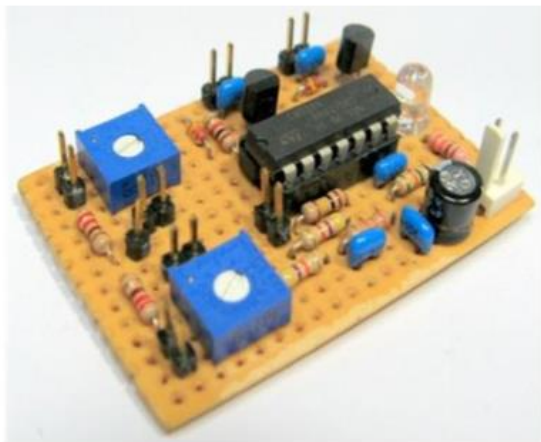


Horizontal holes
are linked together





CIRCUIT ON PROTOBOARD





ELEMENTS AND COMPONENTS OF CIRCUIT



Diode: A semiconductor device with two terminals, typically allowing the flow of current in one direction only



Capacitor: A device used to store an electric charge, consisting of one or more pairs of conductors separated by an insulator



Inductor: An inductor, also called a coil or reactor, is a passive two-terminal electrical component that stores electrical energy in a magnetic field when electric current is flowing through it




Resistor: A resistor is a passive two-terminal electrical component that implements electrical resistance as a circuit element



DC voltage source: A voltage source is a two terminal device which can maintain a fixed voltage. An ideal voltage source can maintain the fixed voltage independent of the load resistance or the output current

A few circuit element symbols:

 Diode

 Capacitor

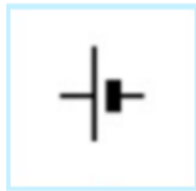
 Inductor

 Resistor

 DC voltage source



ELEMENTS AND COMPONENTS OF CIRCUIT



Cell



Battery



Switch



Lamp



Buzzer



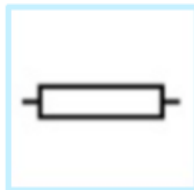
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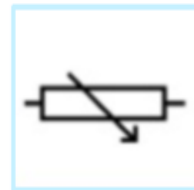
Voltmeter



Motor



Resistor



Variable Resistor



CURRENT, VOLTAGE RESISTANCE



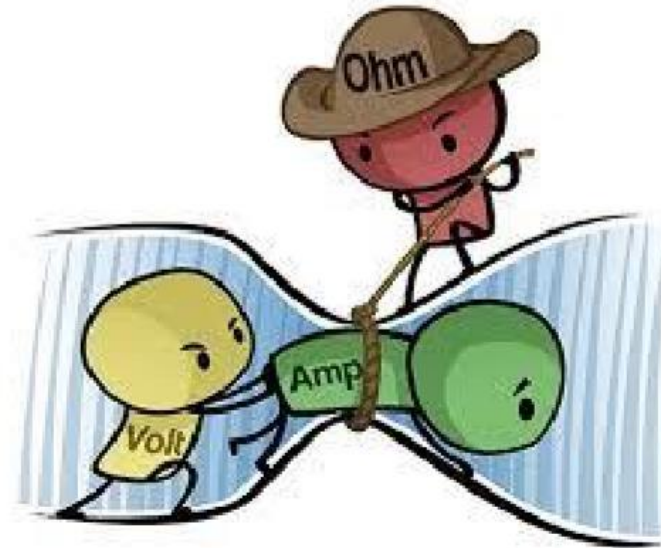
Current: Current is a flow of electrical charge carriers, usually electrons or electron-deficient atoms



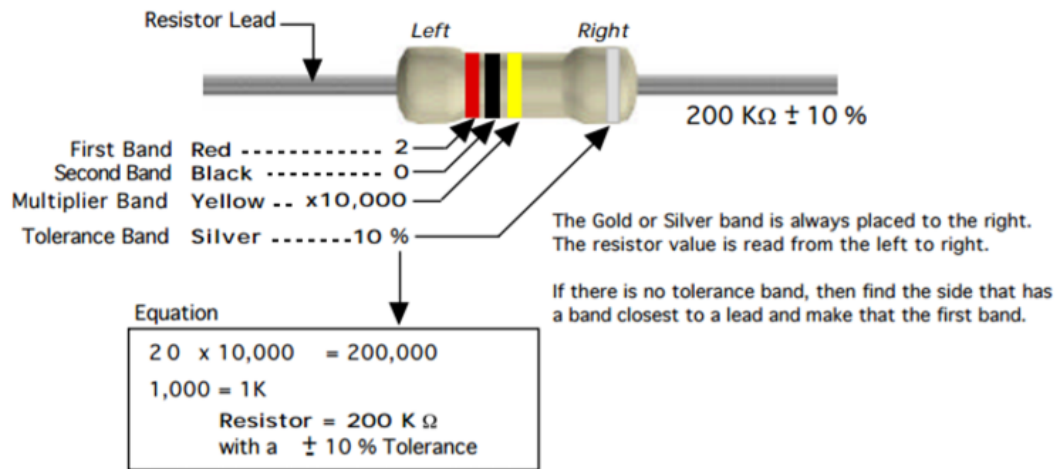
Voltage: The voltage / potential difference between two points is equal to the work done per unit of charge against a static electric field to move the charge between two point



Resistance: The tendency for a material to oppose the flow of electrons

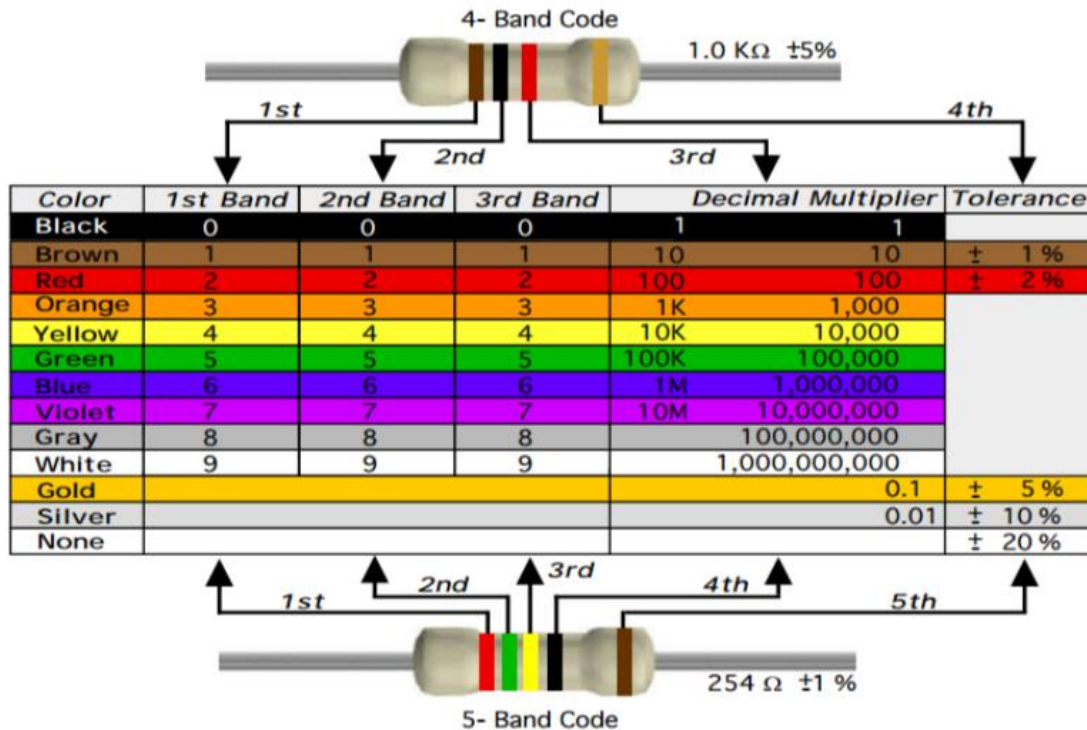


CALCULATING RESISTANCE VALUE



How to read the resistor code: First find the tolerance band, it will typically be gold (5%) and sometimes silver (10%). Starting from the other end, identify the first band - write down the number associated with that color; in this case Red is 2. Now 'read' the next color, here it is Black so write down a 0 next to the two. (you should have '20' so far.) Now read the third or 'multiplier' band and write down that number of 10000. In this example, the 'multiplier' band is Yellow so we get 200,000 Ω or 200K Ω

RESISTOR COLOR CODING





SIMPLE CIRCUIT

Components required

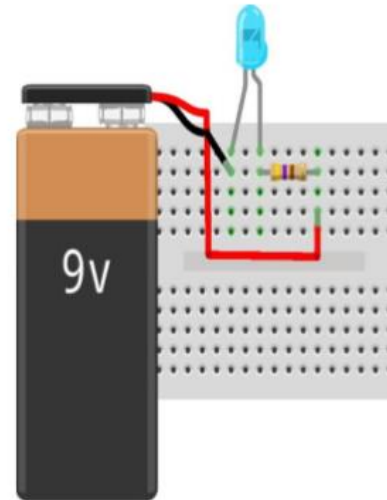
- LED
- 9V DC power supply
- 470 Ω resistor
- Connecting wires
- PCB (6 cm x 6 cm)



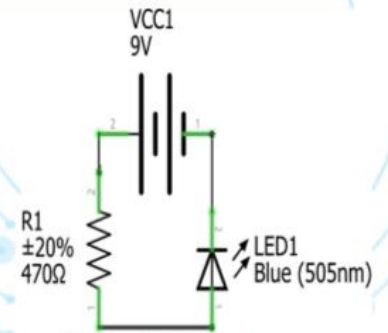


We start by connecting LED circuit in series with a resistor. You must make some calculations to figure out the resistor value, depending on voltage power supply, LED voltage drop and desired current

- Source Voltage = 9 volts
Voltage Drop = 3.1 volts typical for a blue or white LED
Desired Current = 13 milliamps
- So the resistor we need is:
 $(9 - 3.1) / (13 / 1000) = 452 \text{ ohms}$ so we will use a 470 Ω resistor



Check the circuit before connecting the power supply!!



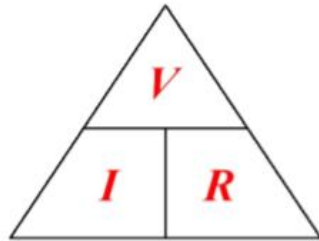


OHM'S LAW




Ohm's law states that the current through a conductor between two points is directly proportional to the potential difference across the two points:

$$V = I R$$



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

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




INTEGRATED CIRCUITS



Integrated circuits (ICs) are a keystone of modern electronics. They are the heart and brains of most circuits. They are the ubiquitous little black “chips” you find on just about every circuit board



An IC is a collection of electronic components – resistors, transistors, capacitors, etc. – all stuffed into a tiny chip, and connected together to achieve a common goal. They come in all sorts of flavors: single-circuit logic gates, op amps, motor controllers, microcontrollers, microprocessors, FPGAs





MICROCONTROLLER



A microcontroller is a self-contained system with peripherals, memory and a processor that can be used as an embedded system. Most programmable microcontrollers that are used today are embedded in other consumer products or machinery including phones, peripherals, automobiles and household appliances for computer systems



Another name for a microcontroller is embedded controller. Microcontrollers are used in automatically controlled devices including power tools, toys, implantable medical devices, office machines, engine control systems, appliances, remote controls and other types of embedded systems



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THANK YOU

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