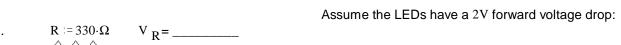
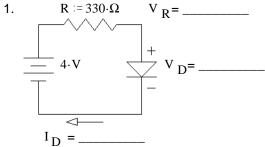
Fill in the blanks in the following circuits. For some of the simple calculations, you may simply write down the answer without showing work.

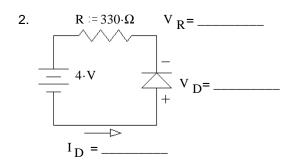
Assume the diodes are silicon with a 0.7V forward voltage drop:

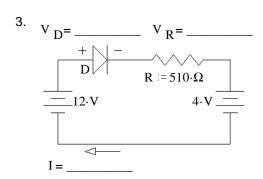
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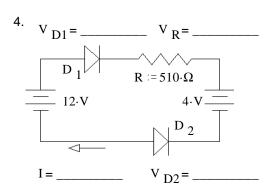




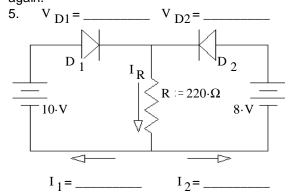








Note: In problems 5 and 6 you'll have to make some assumptions about which diode(s) is/are conducting. Work the problem with those assumptions and see if you arrive at impossible answers. If so, change your assumptions and try again.

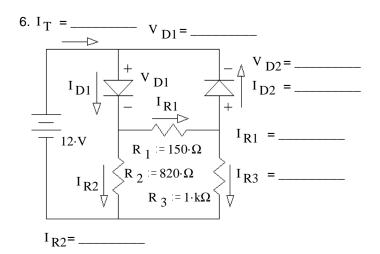


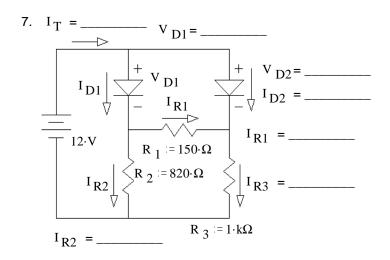
There are four possible assumptions.

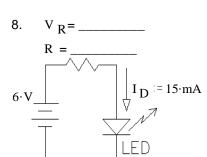
- 1. Neither diode conducts.
- 2. Only  $\mathrm{D}_1$  conducts.
- 4. Both diodes conduct.

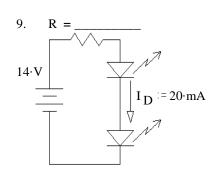
3. Only  $\mathrm{D}_2$  conducts.

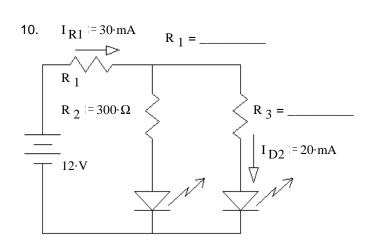
4. Both diodes conduct NOTE: You don't have to try all four possibilities. As soon as you find one that works, that's the answer. So make your best guess first.

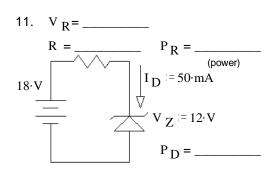


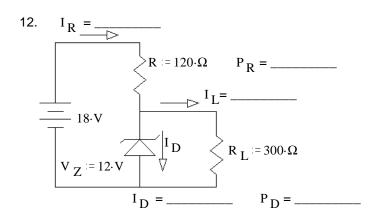


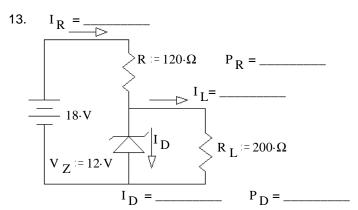












Warning: If  ${\rm I}_{\rm D}$  turns out negative, it is actually 0 and you must recalculate everything else.

## Answers

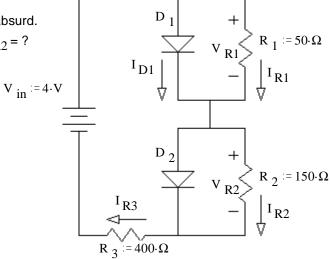
2. 
$$I_D := 0.7 \cdot V$$
  $V_R := 3.3 \cdot V$   $I_D := 10 \cdot mA$  2.  $I_D := 0 \cdot mA$   $V_D := -4 \cdot V$   $V_R := 0 \cdot V$  3.  $V_D := 0.7 \cdot V$   $V_R := 7.3 \cdot V$   $I := 14.3 \cdot mA$  4.  $I := 0 \cdot mA$   $V_{D2} := -8 \cdot V$   $V_{D1} := 0 \cdot V$   $V_R := 0 \cdot V$  5.  $V_{D1} := 0.7 \cdot V$   $V_{D2} := -1.3 \cdot V$   $I_1 := 42.3 \cdot mA$   $I_2 := 0 \cdot mA$  6.  $I_{D2} := 0 \cdot mA$   $V_{D1} := 0.7 \cdot V$   $I_{D1} := 0.7 \cdot V$ 

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d) no  $V_{D3} := 0.92 \cdot V > 0.7V$  e) ii) **ECE 2210** homework **DO1** p5

- 14. Assume that diode  $\mathbf{D}_1$  does conduct.  $\;$  Assume that diode  $\mathbf{D}_2$  does NOT conduct.
  - a) Find  $\boldsymbol{V}_{R1}, \boldsymbol{I}_{R1}, \boldsymbol{I}_{R3}, \boldsymbol{I}_{D1}, \boldsymbol{V}_{R2}$  based on these assumptions. Stick with these assumptions even if your answers come out absurd.

 $V_{R1}=?$   $I_{R1}=?$   $I_{R3}=?$   $I_{D1}=?$   $V_{R2}=?$ 



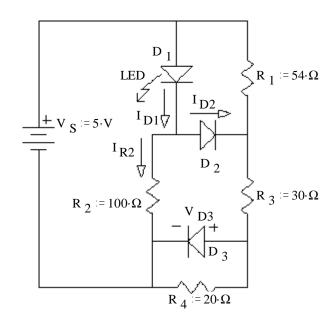
- b) Was the assumption about  $\mathbf{D}_1$  correct? yes or no How do you know? (Specifically show a value which is or is not within a correct range.)
- c) Was the assumption about  $\mathrm{D}_2$  correct? yes or no How do you know?

15. Assume that diodes  $\mathrm{D}_1$  and  $\mathrm{D}_2$  DO conduct.

Assume that diode D<sub>3</sub> does **NOT** conduct.

a) Find  $I_{R2}$ ,  $I_{D2}$ ,  $I_{D1}$ , &  $V_{D3}$  based on these assumptions. Stick with these assumptions even if your answers come out absurd.

$$I_{R2} = ? I_{D2} = ? I_{D1} = ? V_{D3} = ?$$



- b) Based on the numbers above, was the assumption about  ${\rm D_1}$  correct? yes no How do you know? (Show a value & range.)
- c) Was the assumption about  $D_2$  correct? yes no d) Was the assumption about  $D_3$  correct? yes no How do you know? (Show a value & range.) How do you know? (Show a value & range.)
- e) Based on your answers to parts b), c) & e):

You do not need to justify your answer.

- i) The  $\it real \ I_{R2} < I_{R2}$  calculated in part a.
- ii) The *real*  $I_{R2} = I_{R2}$  calculated in part a.
- iii) The  $\it real \ I_{R2} > I_{R2}$  calculated in part a.