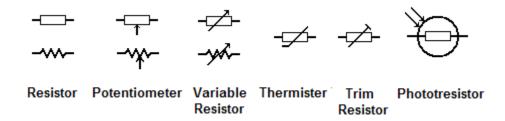
### Resistor

A **Resistor** is a passive component that resists current flow. The measurement of resistance is in Ohms. There are a variety of resistance components, fixed, variable, or dependent on electrical or mechanical influences.

### **Resistor Symbols**



#### **Ohms Law**

Ohms Law states that the voltage across the resistor is proportional to the current through the resistor

$$V_R = I_R \times R$$

When current is applied to a resistor, the resistor will dissipate the resistance energy in the form of heat.

$$P_R = V_R x I_R$$

$$P_R = R x I_R^2$$

$$P_R = \frac{V_R^2}{R}$$

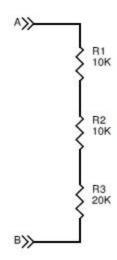
## **Resistor Circuits**

## **Resistors in series**

$$R_{Total} = R_1 + R_2 + \dots R_N$$

$$R_{Total} = 10K + 10K + 20K$$

$$R_{Total} = 40K$$



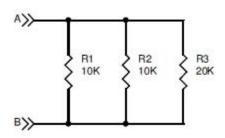
# **Resistors in Parallel**

$$\frac{1}{R_{Total}} = \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \dots \frac{1}{R_N}$$

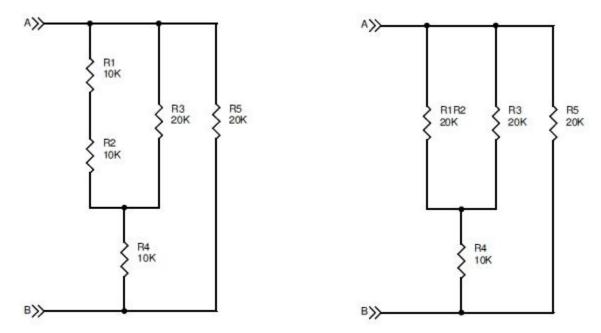
$$\frac{1}{R_{Total}} = \frac{1}{10K} + \frac{1}{10K} + \frac{1}{20K}$$

$$R_{Total} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{10K} + \frac{1}{10K} + \frac{1}{20K}}$$

$$R_{Total} = 4K$$



# **Mixed Series and Parallel Resistors**



First complete series resistors, then parallel. Here, R1 and R2 are added together, then with R3

