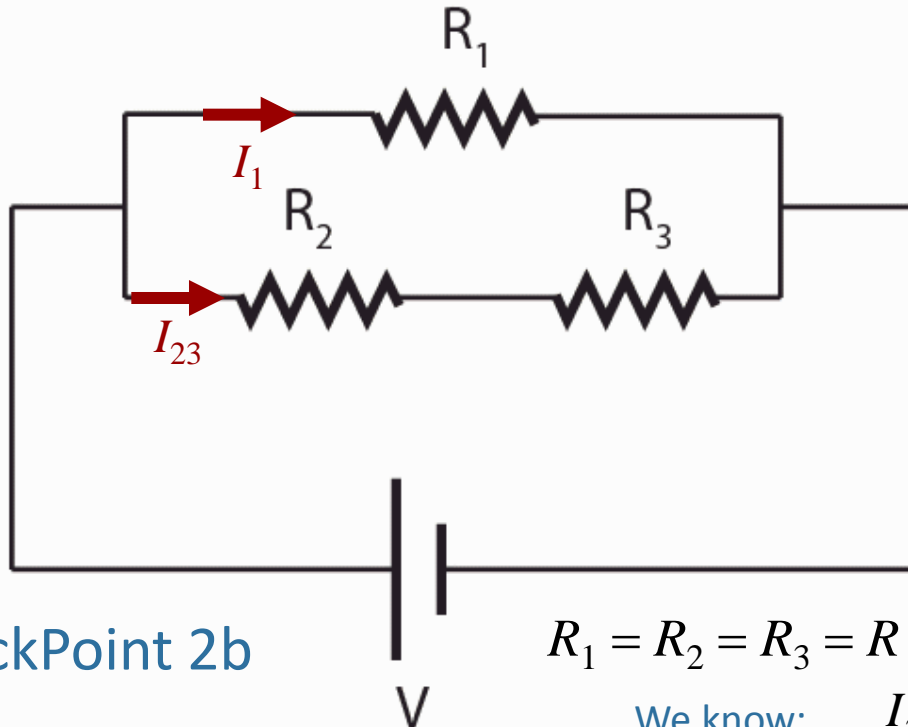


Checkpoint 2b



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Compare the current through R_1 with the current through R_2

- A $I_1/I_2 = 1/2$
- B $I_1/I_2 = 1/3$
- C $I_1/I_2 = 1$
- D $I_1/I_2 = 2$**
- E $I_1/I_2 = 3$

We know:

$$I_{23} = \frac{V}{R_2 + R_3}$$

Similarly:

$$I_1 = \frac{V}{R_1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \longrightarrow I_1 &= I_{23} \frac{R_2 + R_3}{R_1} \\ \downarrow \\ \frac{I_1}{I_{23}} &= \frac{R_2 + R_3}{R_1} = 2 \end{aligned}$$

