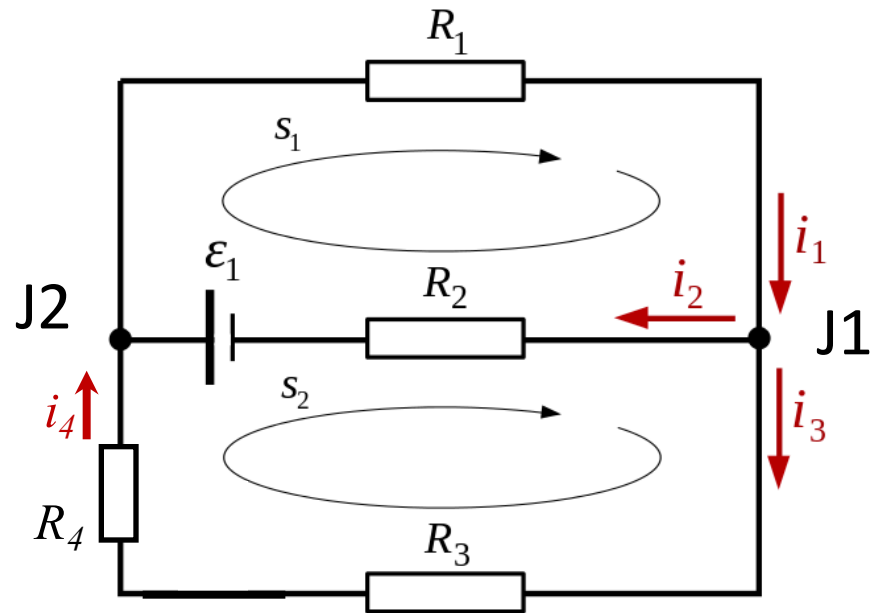


Let's look at an example



See: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kirchhoff%27s_circuit_laws

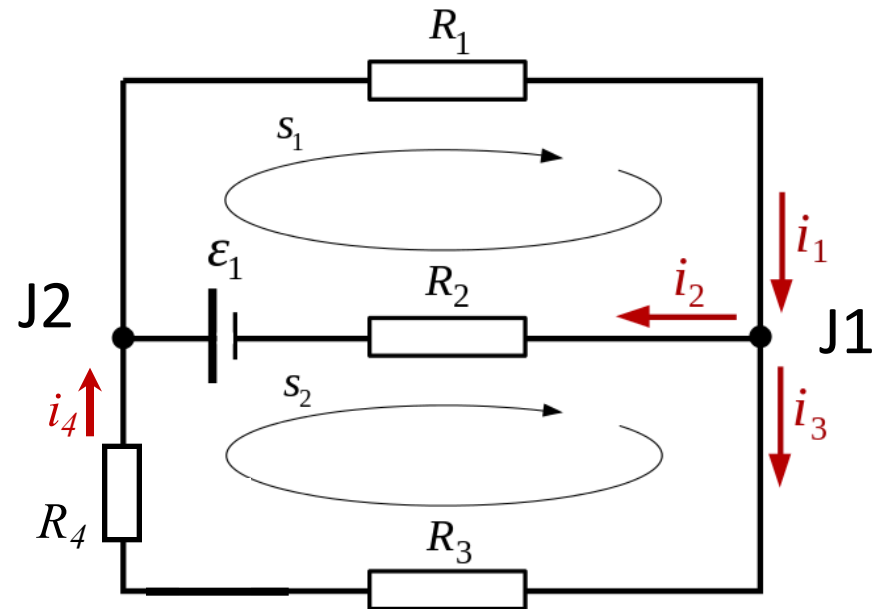
Write out Kirchhoff's
circuit laws for J1 & J2

$$i_1 - i_2 - i_3 = 0$$

$$-R_2 i_2 + E_1 - R_1 i_1 = 0$$

$$-R_3 i_3 - R_4 i_4 - E_1 + R_2 i_2 = 0$$

$$i_4 = i_3$$



Write out Kirchhoff's
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$$i_1 + (-i_2) + (-i_3) + 0i_4 = 0$$

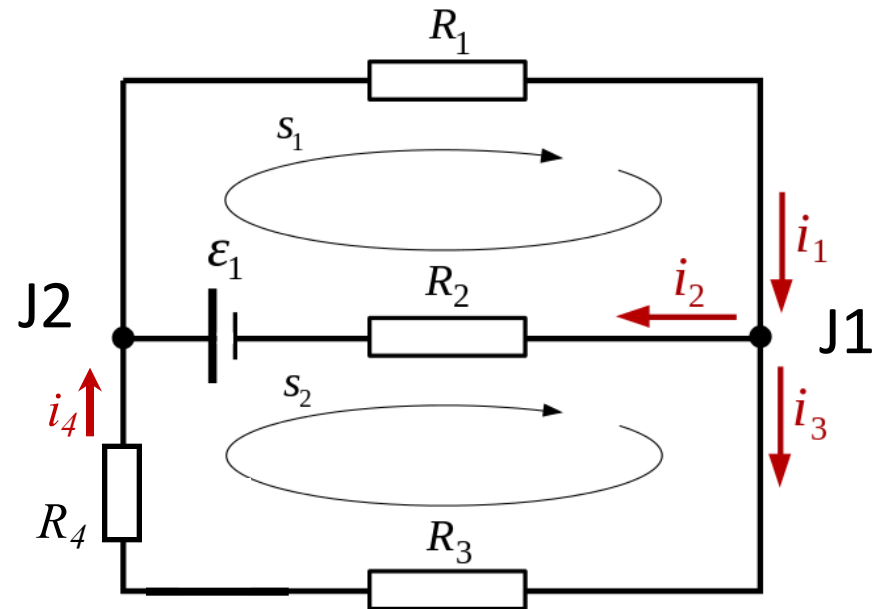
$$R_1 i_1 + R_2 i_2 + 0i_3 + 0i_4 = E_1$$

$$0i_1 + R_2 i_2 - R_3 i_3 - R_4 i_4 = E_1$$

$$0i_1 + 0i_2 + (-i_3) + i_4 = 0$$

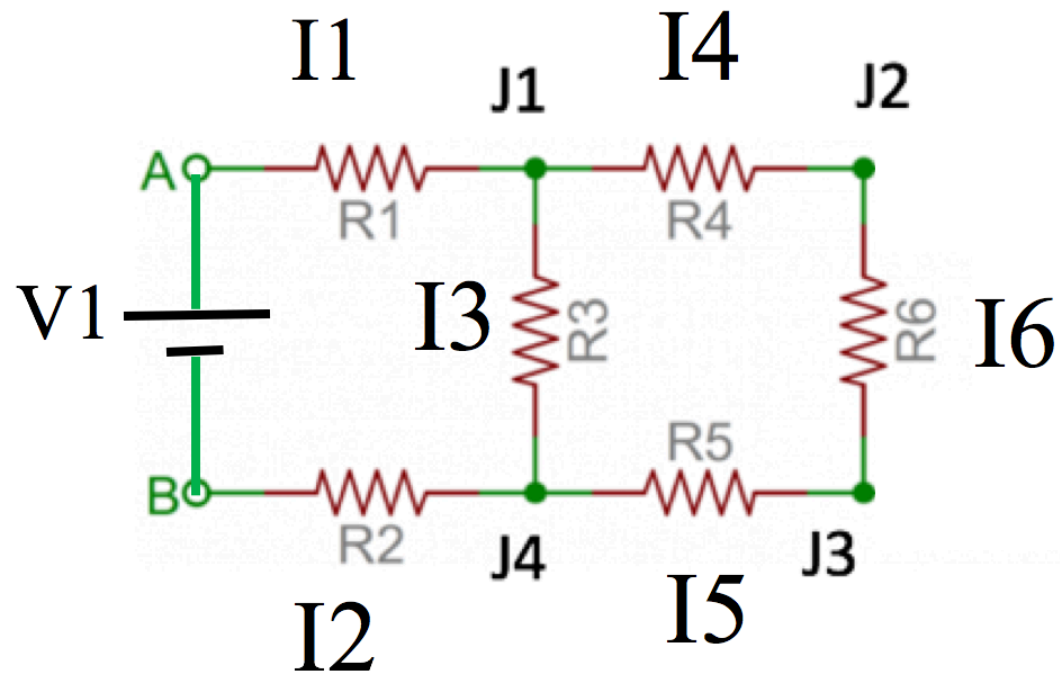
$$R_1=330, R_2=10620, R_3=1614, R_4=660 \text{ Ohms}$$

$$i_1 = 379/946830, i_2 = 217/473415, i_3 = i_4 = -11/189366 \text{ Amps}$$



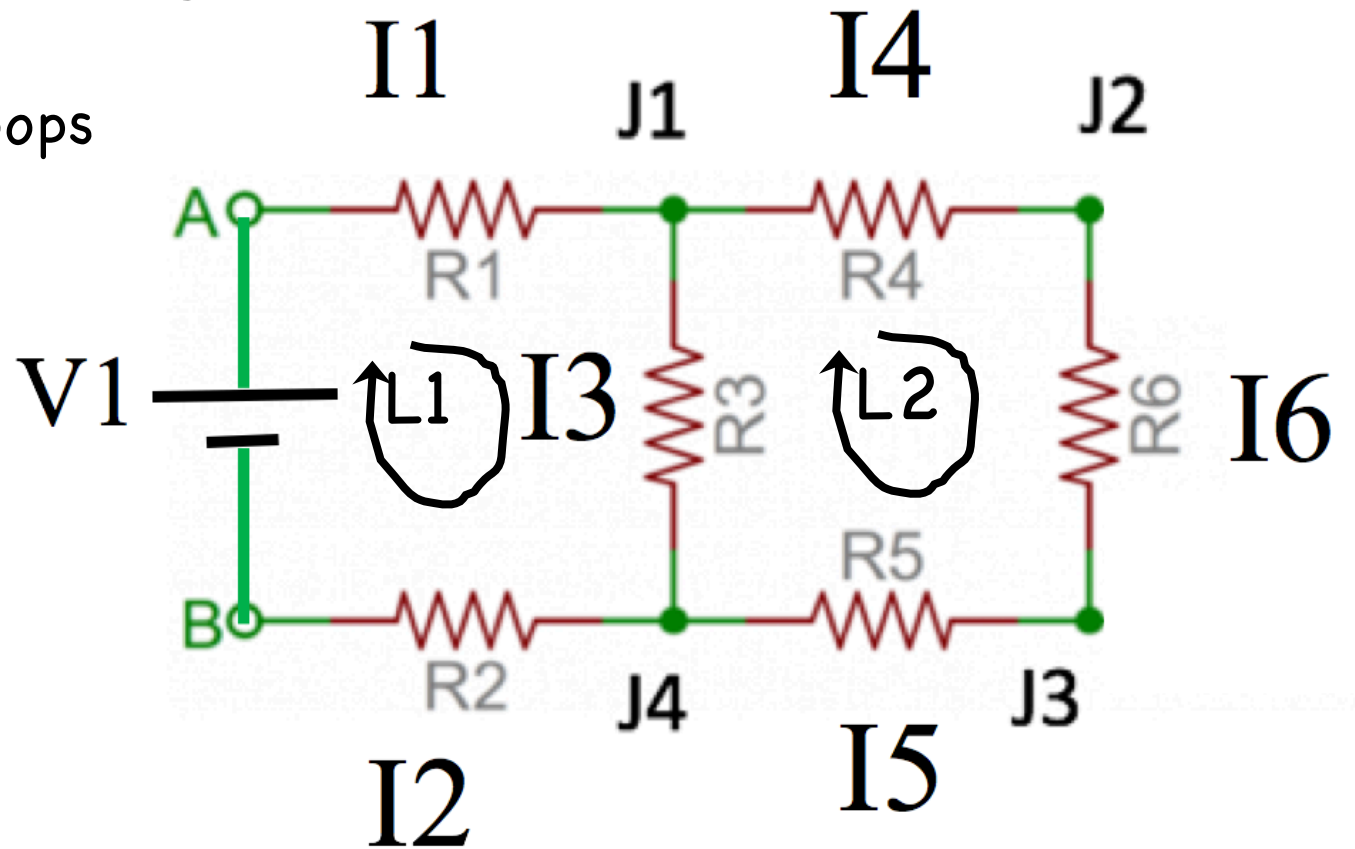
see: <http://onlinesechool.com/math/assistance/equation/matr/>

Another example



Label Everything

Include Current Loops



Write out Kirchhoff's circuit laws for J1

$$i_1 - i_3 - i_4 = 0$$

$$i_3 - i_2 + i_5 = 0$$

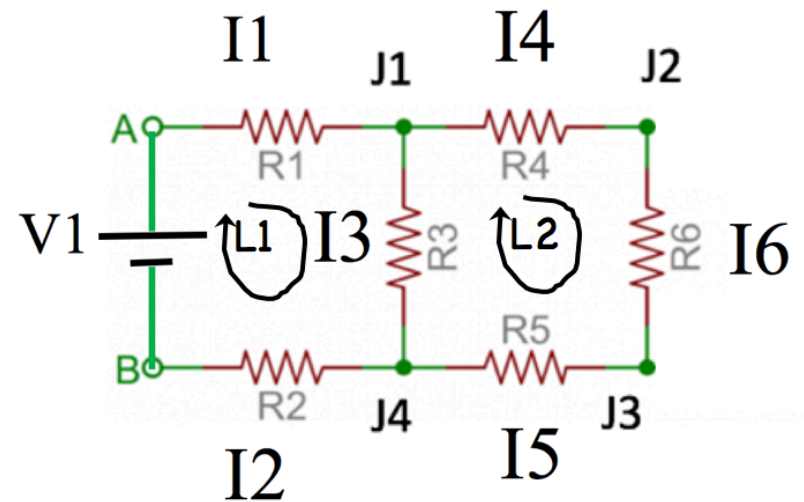
$$-R_1 i_1 - R_3 i_3 - R_2 i_2 + V_1 = 0$$

$$-R_1 i_4 - R_6 i_6 - R_5 i_5 + R_3 i_3 = 0$$

$$i_4 = i_5 = i_6$$

$$-i_4(R_4 + R_5 + R_6) + R_3 i_3 = 0$$

$$-3 R_4 i_4 + R_3 i_3 = 0$$



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