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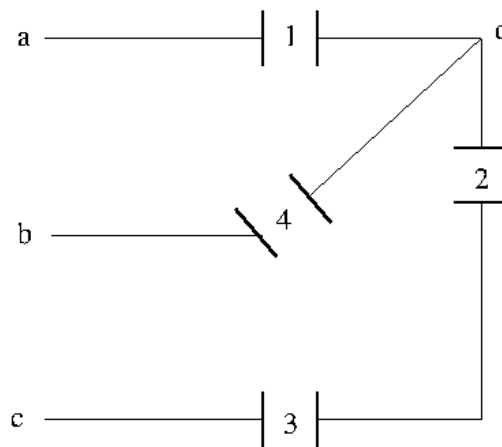
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ideal capacitors  $C_1, C_2, C_3, C_4$

Section 1 charge on the 1<sup>st</sup> capacitor in terms of given variables

$$V_{ab} = V_0$$

$$V_{bc} = V_1$$

$$V_{cd} = V_2$$

$$Q_1 = C_1 V_{1^{st} \text{ capacitor}} = C_1 V_{ad}$$

$$V_{ad} = V_{ab} - V_{db}$$

$$= V_{ab} + (V_{bc} - V_{dc})$$

$$= V_{ab} + V_{bc} + V_{cd}$$

$$= V_0 + V_1 + V_2$$

$$Q_1 = C (V_0 + V_1 + V_2)$$

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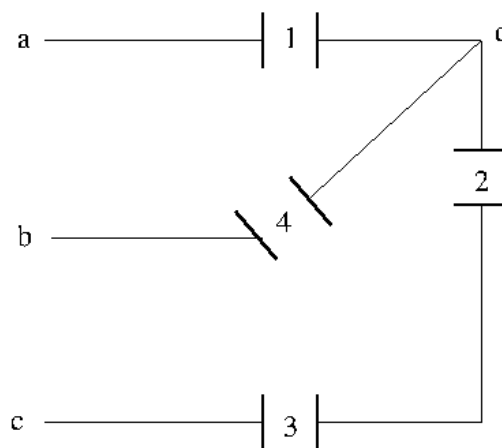
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Section 2 energy stored in the 4<sup>th</sup> capacitor in terms of given variables

$$V_{ab} = V_0$$

$$V_{bc} = V_1$$

$$V_{cd} = V_2$$

$$U = \frac{1}{2} CV^2 = \frac{1}{2} C_4 V_{bd}^2$$

$$U = \frac{1}{2} C (V_1 + V_2)^2$$

$$V_{bd} = V_{bc} - V_{dc}$$

$$= V_{bc} + V_{cd}$$

$$= V_1 + V_2$$

## Section 3

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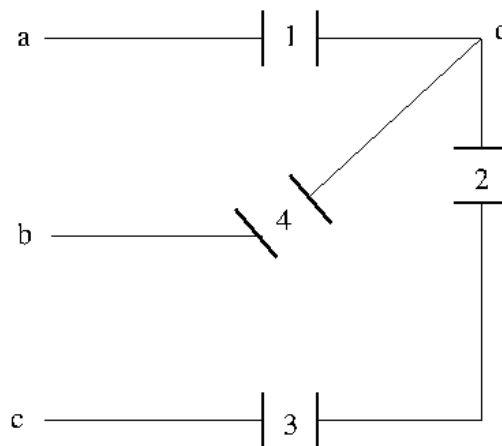
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Section 3 | charge on the first capacitor  
in terms of given variables

$$V_{ab} = V_0$$

$$V_{bc} = V_1$$

energy stored in 4<sup>th</sup> capacitor =  $U$

$$Q_1 = C_1 V_{ad}$$

$$V_{ad} = V_0 + V_{bd}$$

$$U = \frac{1}{2} C V_{bd}^2$$

$$V_{bd} = \sqrt{\frac{2U}{C}}$$

$$Q_1 = C \left( V_0 + \sqrt{\frac{2U}{C}} \right)$$

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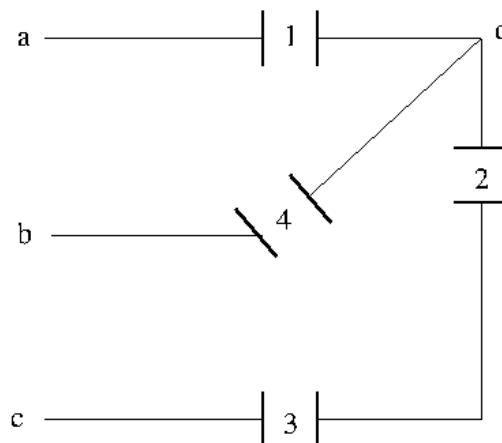
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Section 6 energy stored in 2<sup>nd</sup> capacitor

$V_{ab} = V_0$   
 $V_{bc} = V_1$   
 $V_{cd} = V_2$

$U_2 = \frac{1}{2} C V_{2^{nd} \text{ capacitor}}^2$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} C \left( \frac{V_2}{2} \right)^2$