

Problem 27.29

a.) 1.00 kW waffle iron across a 120 volt source—what's the current drawn?

$$\begin{aligned} P &= iV \\ \Rightarrow (10^3 \text{ W}) &= i(120 \text{ V}) \\ \Rightarrow i &= 8.33 \text{ A} \end{aligned}$$

b.) Using the power relationship and the solution to “Part a” to determine the resistance:

$$\begin{aligned} P &= i^2R \\ \Rightarrow (10^3 \text{ W}) &= (8.33 \text{ A})^2 R \\ \Rightarrow R &= 14.4 \Omega \end{aligned}$$