

Thermocouple Circuit V01

The thermocouple here is Type-E, Chromel-Constantan.

Seebuck coefficient of Chromel is $21.7 \mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$

Seebuck coefficient of Constantan is $-35 \mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$

Minimum temperature of Type-E, Chromel-Constantan is $-200 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

Maximum temperature of Type-E, Chromel-Constantan is $+900 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

Let blue be Chromel

Let red be Constantan

$$V_a - V_{T1} = S_{RED}(25^\circ\text{C} - T_1), \quad V_b - V_{T1} = S_{BLUE}(25^\circ\text{C} - T_1)$$

$$V_b - V_{T1} - V_a + V_{T1} = -S_{RED}(25^\circ\text{C} - T_1) + S_{BLUE}(25^\circ\text{C} - T_1)$$

$$V_b - V_a = (S_{BLUE} - S_{RED})(25^\circ\text{C} - T_1)$$

$$V_b - V_a = (S_{RED} - S_{BLUE})(T_1 - 25^\circ\text{C})$$

$$V_b - V_a = (-35 - (21.7)) \frac{\mu\text{V}}{^\circ\text{C}} (T_1 - 25^\circ\text{C})$$

$$V_b - V_a = -56.7 \frac{\mu\text{V}}{^\circ\text{C}} (T_1 - 25^\circ\text{C})$$

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2nd Approach

Let

$$V_{ref} = 700mV$$
$$V_{ref} \frac{R_g}{R_1} = 700mV \frac{R_g}{R_1} = 1024mV$$

$$\frac{R_g}{R_1} = \frac{1024mV}{700mV} \cong \frac{500}{330}$$

$$V_{ref} \cong (12.757mV) \left(\frac{2R_b}{R_i} + 1 \right) \left(\frac{R_4}{R_3} \right)$$