THE SEQUENCE OF TESTS, AND WHERE POLARITY REALLY SITS

HOW MANY TIMES DO YOU PROVE POLARITY?

Open your book at **Guidance Note 3** · Figure 2.12 · p.57, the sequence of tests.

Polarity is proved at two points:

POLARITY TEST	WHEN	DEAD OR LIVE
Circuit polarity	As part of your **continuity** tests	Dead
Supply polarity	At the origin, once energised	Live

So you do polarity twice.
You prove polarity on dead circuits while you are doing continuity, and you prove supply polarity separately.

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