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PHYSICS

PAPER 3

MARKING SCHEME

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MARKING SCHEME

1. a) $f = 15 \text{ cm} \pm 2$

b)

Object distance (u cm)	22	24	26	28	30	32	34
Image distance (vcm)	32.9	34.2	36.0	38.9	39.5	41.0	42.1
Magnification $\frac{v}{u}$							

- For $u \pm 0.2 \text{ cm}$ values award 4 marks for all values within range. See accuracy above otherwise award $\frac{1}{2}$ mark for each.

- For m award 2 marks for all values correct but 4- 5 values correct award 1 mark and less than 4 values correct award 0 marks.

c) Axes 1mk – both quantity and unit on V axis

Scale (1mk) simple and uniform

Plotting (2mks) atleast four correctly plotted points

Line (1mk) - line passing through atleast three correctly points.

d) Gradient/ slope = $\frac{1}{f}$

$$f = \frac{1}{\text{slope}}$$

$$= 15 \pm 0.2 \text{ cm}$$

PART B

ii) $E = 1.5 \pm 0.1$

iii) $V = 1.4 \pm 0.1$

iv) $I = 0.12 \pm 0.01 \text{ A}$

$$E - V = Ir$$

$$0.1 = 0.12 \times r$$

$$R = \frac{0.1}{0.12}$$

$$= 0.83 \Omega$$

Question 2

PART A

a) $R = 60^0 \pm 1^0$

On presence of plain paper showing how r is got

Angle of incidence (Deg)	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
Angle (degree)	14	22	34	39	43	48	51
$E = 90 - \theta$							

f) Axes 1mk – must be labeled

scale 1mk) – simple and uniform

plotting (1mk) – atleast four correctly plotted points curve (1mk)- passing through 3 points and smooth.

ii) $i^0 = 47^0$

PART B

a) $G = 50 \pm 0.5 \text{ cm}$

b) i) $P = 67.3 \pm 0.5 \text{ cm}$

ii) $Y = 67.3 - 50$
 $= 17.3 \text{ cm}$

- iii) Clockwise moments = Anti clockwise moments
 $(50x - 17.3) + u = (100x 10)$
 $U = 1000 - 865$
 $= 135 \text{ N}$

