

**232/3**  
**Physics**  
**PAPER 3**  
**MARKING SCHEMES**

1. c)  $K = 40.0 \pm 0.4\text{cm} \checkmark \frac{1}{2}$

$t = 30.2 \pm 0.4\text{cm} \checkmark \frac{1}{2}$

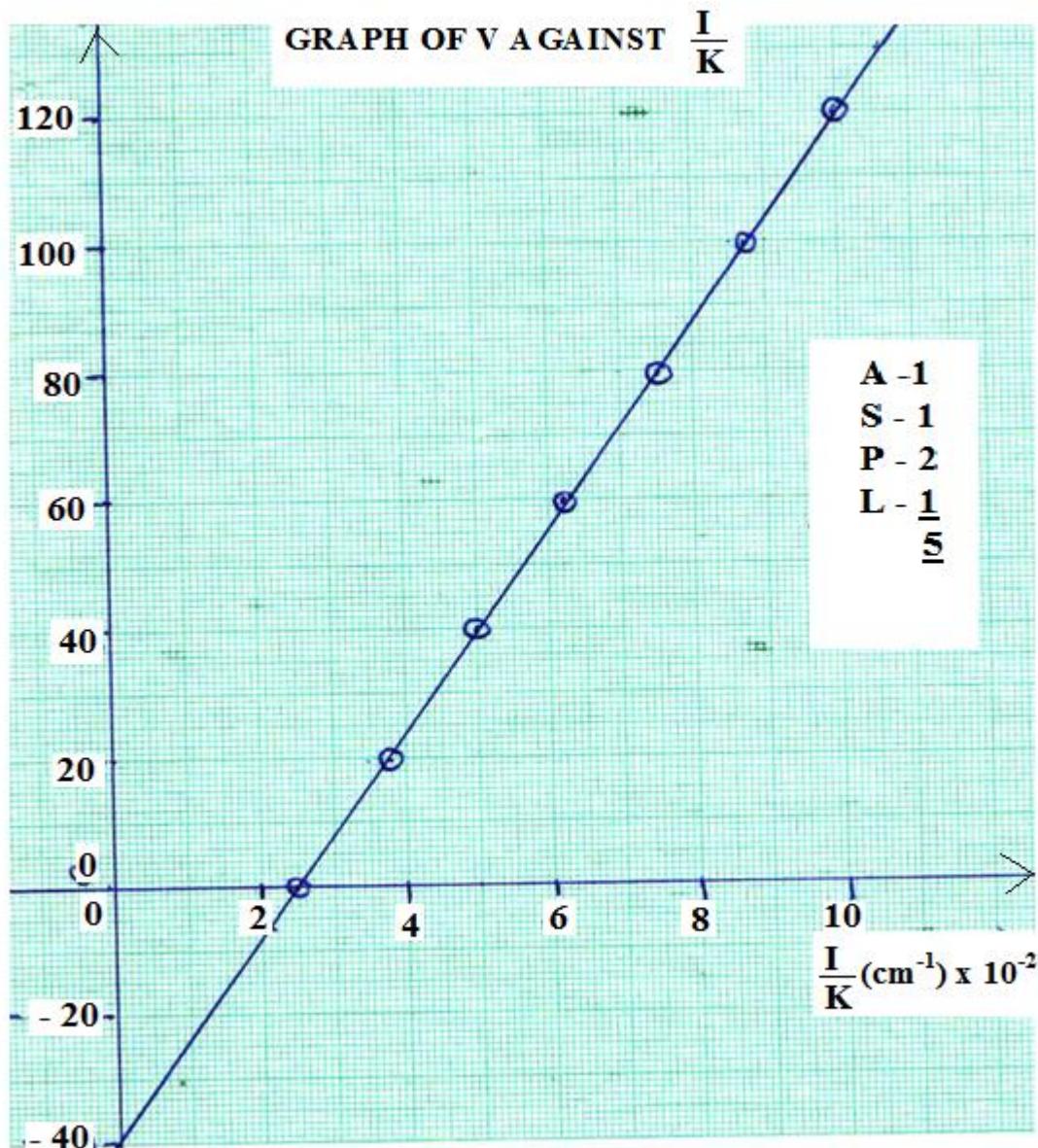
e)

Vol, V( $\text{cm}^3$ )	0	20	40	60	80	100	120
Distance; K (cm)	40.0	26.6	20.0	16.1	13.4	11.5	10.0
$\frac{1}{K} (\text{cm}^{-1}) \times 10^{-2}$	2.5	3.76	5.00	6.21	7.46	8.70	10.0

K – row, 4 mks, All values  $\pm 0.4\text{cm}$

$\frac{1}{K}$  – row, 2 mks, All values

f)



A – 1, well labelled with units

S- 1, Linear and appropriate

P – 2, All values

L – 1

g) Slope,  $S = \frac{\Delta V}{\Delta \frac{1}{k}} = \frac{120 - 40(cm^3)}{(10 - 5) \times 10^{-2}(cm^{-1})} \checkmark$   
 $= 1600 cm^4$  with units  $\checkmark$

h) (i)  $S = \frac{50000t}{d} \checkmark$  For realising  
 $\Rightarrow 1600 cm^4 = \frac{5000 \times 30.2 cm}{d} \checkmark$   
 $d = \frac{5000 \times 30.2 cm}{16002}$   
 $= 943.75 cm^{-3} \checkmark$

(ii)  $V - axis$  intercept  $= \frac{1000m}{d} \checkmark$  for reading

$$-40 = \frac{-1000m}{943.75 cm^{-3}} \checkmark$$

$$m = \frac{943.75 cm^{-3} \times 40}{1000}$$

$$= 37.75 \checkmark$$

**Question 2.**

L (cm)	L (m)	V	I (a)	$\frac{V}{I}$
100	1.00	1.45	0.04	
90	0.90	1.40	0.05	
70	0.70	1.35	0.08	
50	0.50	1.30	0.09	
40	0.40	1.25	0.12	
20	0.20	1.15	0.02	

Atleast 5 correct values of L (m) 1dp a must –

1mk

Decreasing value of v between (1.5 – 0.9) v 1 dp a must –  $\frac{1}{2}$  mk each max

(2½ mks)

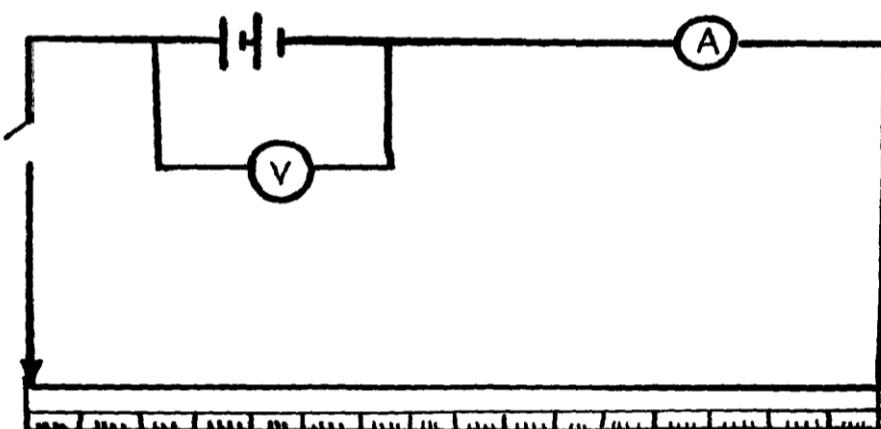
Increasing values of i between (0.02 – 0.4) a – 1 dp a must.  $\frac{1}{2}$  mk each

max 2½

Atleast 5 correct values of  $\frac{V}{I}$  2 dp a must – 1 mk

total 7mks

Iii) a)



arrangement of cells in series and voltage across with switch open.

1mk

B) e.m.f =  $(3.0 \pm 0.2)$  1 dp a must

1mk

Iv)

- Both axes correctly labelled 1mk
- Simple + uniform scale 1mk
- Plotting 4 points correctly -  $\frac{1}{2}$  mk each max 2mks
- A line with positive gradient passing through atleast 3 correctly plotted points. 1mk

v) NB No line slope

- correct intervals 1mk
- substitution 1mk
- evaluation (units a must) 2 dp – 1mk

vi)

- d .....mm 2dp a must  $\frac{1}{2}$  mk
- d..... 2dp in standard form  $\frac{1}{2}$  mk

vii)

- substitution of d and S – 1mk
- evaluation of h 3dp – 1mk