



232/3 - PHYSICS PAPER 3 - MARKING SCHEME



(e)

u (cm)	20	25	30	35	40	45	
v (cm)	20	17	15	14	13	13	Ƴ3mks
u + v	40	42	45	49	53	58	✓1½ mks
uv (cm²)	400	425	450	490	520	585	✓1½ mks

Values of V within ± 4 cm of the given value – $\frac{1}{2}$ mk each.

Values of $u + v - Each \frac{1}{2}$ mk each to a max. of 3 values – use the candidate's value correctly added.

Values of $uv - \frac{1}{2}$ mk each to a max of 3 values – use the candidate's value correctly worked.

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 $= \frac{(560 - 470)\text{cm}^2}{(56 - 47)\text{cm}} = \frac{90}{9} = 10\text{cm}\frac{1}{2}$

Significance – Focal length of the lens. √1

2. (c)

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Length (xy) cm	80	70	60	50	40 🚺	eacher.	co.ke	Teache	r.co.ke
Voltmeter reading (V)	2.65	2.60	2.55	2.50	2.45	2.35	2.25	✓ 3½ mks	
Ammeter reading (A)	0.22	0.28	0.30	0.35	0.40	0.45	0.56	✓ 3½ mks	

- Award $\frac{1}{2}$ mk for each correct value of V and I.



Labelling – 1mk (Axes correctly labelled with correct units).

Scale – 1mk – Appropriate scale, simple, covering all values.

Plotting – 2mks – Each point correctly plotted to within one small square – $\frac{1}{2}$ mk each to a max of 4 points.

Line – 1mk – should pass through atleast 3 correctly plotted points.



(ii)	Slope	=	<u>∆v</u> √1 ∆I	(Evidence on the graph)

$$= \frac{(2.25 - 2.65)v}{(0.52 - 0.25)A \checkmark 1}$$

(e) (i) V =
$$K_1 I + K_2$$

 K_1 = Gradient
= $-1.481\Omega\sqrt{1}$

(ii)
$$K_2 = Y - intercept$$

= $3.0V \checkmark 1$

(f) K1 – Internal resistance. ✓1

K2 – E.M.F. of the cells. \checkmark 1

(g) To minimize errors due to heating \checkmark 1 effect of electric current.



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