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PHYSICS

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ANSWER BOOKLET

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Answer all questions.

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Section A

1 (a) determination of the average value for *T*

(b) determination of average values for l and w

(c) record of M

(d) calculation of density using density = $\frac{\text{mass}}{\text{volume}}$

(e) statement of the measurement that causes the greatest uncertainty in the density

reason for your choice

- 2 (b) (i) record of $h_{\rm O}$
 - (ii) record of $h_{\rm I}$
 - (iii) record of v

(c) (i) calculation of *m* using
$$m = \frac{h_{\rm I}}{h_{\rm O}}$$

(ii) calculation of f using
$$f = \frac{V}{m+1}$$

(d) description of the test used to see if the image is inverted

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3 (a) diagram of the circuit that has been set up by the Supervisor

(b) record of θ_1

(c) record of I and V

record of θ_2

(d) calculation of *c* using $c = \frac{IVt}{m(\theta_2 - \theta_1)}$, where m = 50 g

Section B

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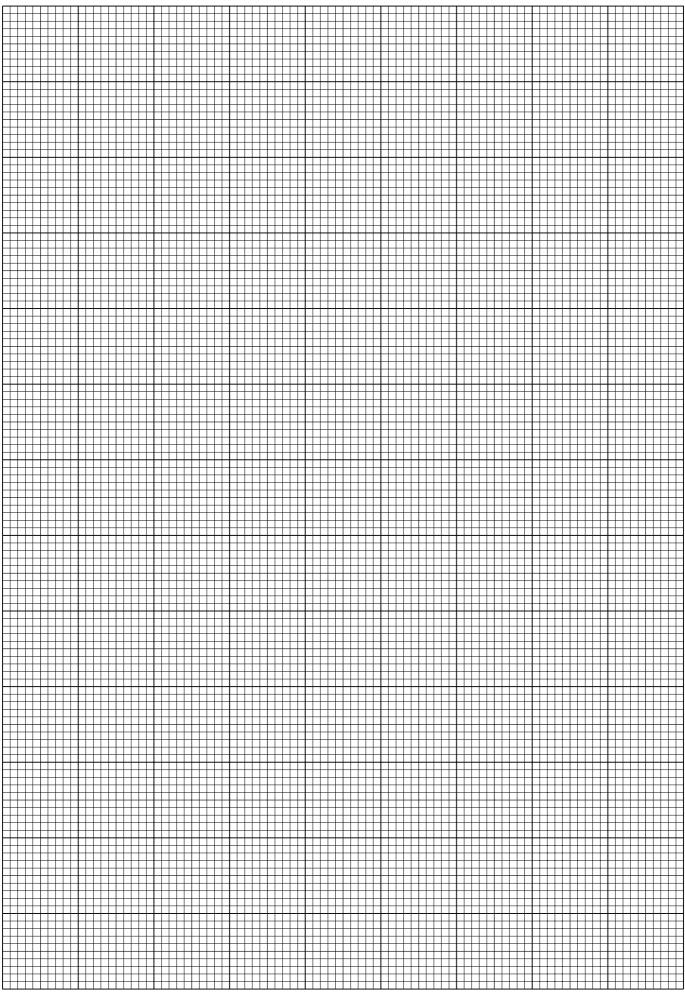
- **4** (a) record of *l*
 - (b) description of the method used to check that the metre rule is horizontal

(c) record of F and d

(d) table of values of d, F and 1/d

- (e) using the grid on page 7, plot a graph of *F*/N on the *y*-axis against (1/*d*)/(1/cm) on the *x*-axis
- (f) determination of G

(g) determination of W using W = G/l



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