Practice Question Set For GCSE

Subject: Physics

Paper-1 Topic: Electricity (High Demand)



Name of the Student:			Time : 23 Minutes
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Q1.			
(a)	(i)	0.25 (A)	1
	(ii)	75	
		allow 1 mark for converting 5 minutes to 300 seconds or allow 1 mark for correct substitution	
		ie 0.25 × 300 allow 1 mark for an answer 1.25	
		allow 1 mark only for their (a)(i) \times 300 correctly calculated	2
		coulombs or C	
		do not accept c	1
(b)	any	two from:	
	•	fault not repaired accept if a fault was to occur	
	•	larger current will (still) flow	
	•	aluminium foil will not melt (if a fault) accept aluminium foil needs a higher current / charge to melt	
	•	wiring will overheat / (may) cause a fire accept idea of fire hazard	
		do not accept explode etc	2
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Q2.

(a) (i) ammeter and battery **in series** with the **gauge** symbols must be correct ignore a voltmeter drawn in series

accept or not or cells reversed to cancel out voltmeter in parallel with the gauge symbol must be correct accept a freestanding circuit diagram provided strain gauge is labelled or a resistor symbol used for the strain gauge 1 d.c. flows only in one direction a.c. changes direction is insufficient 75 this answer only allow 1 mark for correct substitution and transformation, ie resistance = $\overline{0.040}$ 2 increases 1 elastic / strain potential do not accept potential 1 [7] light dependent resistor / LDR accept ldr 1 25 (kilohms) accept 24 - 26 inclusive

(ii)

(i)

(ii)

(iii)

(i)

(ii)

accept 25 000 Ω

(b)

Q3.

(a)

1

	(iii)	5 (V) or their (a)(ii) correctly converted to ohms \times 0.0002 correctly calculated allow 1 mark for converting 25 $k\Omega$ / their (a)(ii) to ohms		
		or		
		allow 1 mark for correct substitution ie 0.0002 × 25(000)		
		or 0.0002 × their (a)(ii) allow an incorrect conversion from kilohms providing this is clearly shown		
			2	
(b)	(i)	linear scale		
		using all of the available axis		
		must cover the range 4 - 6 v		
		or their (a)(iii) - 6 v and lie within the range 0 - 15 inc.	1	
	(ii)	negative gradient line		
		do not allow lines with both positive and negative gradients	1	
		passing through 20 lux and their (a)(iii)		
		only scores if the first mark is awarded		
		only scores if line does not go above 6 volts	1	
(c)	(i)	37.5 (k Ω) or their (a)(ii) + 50 % (a)(ii) correctly calculated	1	
	(ii)	light intensity value would be unreliable / not accurate	1	
		due to variation in <u>resistance</u> value		
		accept because resistance varies by ± 50 %		
		accept tolerance of resistor is too great		
		do not accept results are not accurate		
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