

M1. (a) $V = 0.10 \times 45$ 1

4.5 (V) 1

(b) $R = 12 / 0.10$ 1

total resistance = 120 (Ω) 1

$R = 120 - 105 = 15$ (Ω) 1

(c) (total) resistance decreases 1

(so) current increases 1

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- M2. (a) (i) also double
increases is insufficient 1
- (ii) variable resistor
accept rheostat / potentiometer 1
- (b) (i) the data / results / variables are continuous
accept data / results / variables are not categoric / discrete 1
- (ii) misreading the ammeter
do not accept misreading the meter / results
do not accept misreading the ammeter and / or voltmeter
reading / human error is insufficient 1
- (iii) straight line from the origin drawn passing close / through
points at 1 V, 5 V, 6 V and ignoring anomalous point
do not accept line drawn 'dot-to-dot' 1
- (iv) yes
mark is for the reason
supports prediction **or** (straight) line passes through the origin
accept a mathematical argument, eg when p.d. went from 2
to 4 the current went from 0.3 to 0.6
it's directly proportional is insufficient 1

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M3. (a) decreases 1

(b) a filament bulb 1
allow bulb

an LED 1

(c) Marks awarded for this answer will be determined by the Quality of Communication (QoC) as well as the standard of the scientific response.

0 marks

No relevant content.

Level 1 (1–2 marks)

There is a basic description of the method. This is incomplete and would not lead to any useful results.

Level 2 (3–4 marks)

There is a description of the method which is almost complete with a few minor omissions and would lead to some results.

Level 3 (5–6 marks)

There is a detailed description of the method which would lead to valid results. To gain full marks an answer including graph, or another appropriate representation of results, must be given.

examples of the physics points made in the response:

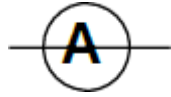
- read V and I
- read temperature
- apply heat
- *allow hot water to cool*
- read V and I at least one other temperature
- determine R from V / I
- range of temperatures above 50 °C

extra detail:

- use thermometer to read temperature at regular intervals of temperature
- remove source of heat and stir before taking readings
- details of attaining 0 °C or 100 °C
- last reading taken while boiling
- graph of R against T

	• at least 3 different temperatures	6
(d)	(i) Q	1
	(ii) (80, 3.18)	1
	(iii) any one from:	
	• measurement of V too small	
	• measurement of I too big	
	• incorrect calculation of R	
	• thermometer misread	
	<i>allow misread meter</i>	
	<i>ignore any references to an error that is systematic</i>	1
	(iv) any two from:	
	• not portable	
	<i>allow requires a lot of equipment allow takes time to set up</i>	
	• needs an electrical supply	
	• cannot be read directly	
	<i>accept it is more difficult to read compared to liquid-in-glass</i>	2
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M4. (a) (i) ammeter symbol correct and drawn in series



accept

do not accept lower case a

1

voltmeter symbol correct and drawn in parallel with the material



do not accept

1

(ii) adjust / use the variable resistor
accept change the resistance

or change the number of cells

accept battery for cell

accept change the pd / accept change the voltage

accept increase / decrease for change

1

(b) (i) 37.5 (Ω)
accept answer between 36 and 39 inclusive

1

(ii) 5.6(25) **or** their (b)(i) \times 0.15
*allow 1 mark for correct substitution ie 37.5 **or** their (b)(i) \times 0.15 provided no subsequent step shown*

2

(c) (i) the thicker the putty the lower the resistance
answer must be comparative accept the converse

1

(ii) any **one** from:

- measuring length incorrectly
accept may be different length

- measuring current incorrectly
*do **not** accept different currents*
- measuring voltage incorrectly
*do **not** accept different voltage*
- ammeter / voltmeter incorrectly calibrated
- thickness of putty not uniform
*do **not** accept pieces of putty not the same unless qualified*
- meter has a zero error
*do **not** accept systematic / random error*
accept any sensible source of error eg putty at different temperatures
*do **not** accept human error without an explanation*
*do **not** accept amount of putty not same*

1

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M5. (a) (i) to obtain a range of p.d. values
accept increase / decrease current / p.d. / voltage / resistance
accept to change / control the current / p.d. / voltage / resistance
to provide resistance is insufficient
a variable resistor is insufficient
*do **not** accept electricity for current*

1

(ii) temperature of the bulb increases
accept bulb gets hot(ter)
accept answers correctly
expressed in terms of collisions between (free) electrons and ions / atoms
bulb gets brighter is insufficient

1

(iii) 36
allow 1 mark for correct substitution, ie 12×3 provided no subsequent step shown

2

watt(s) / W
accept joules per second / J/s
*do **not** accept w*

1

(b) Marks awarded for this answer will be determined by the Quality of Written Communication (QWC) as well as the standard of the scientific response. Examiners should also refer to the information in the [Marking guidance](#), and apply a 'best-fit' approach to the marking.

0 marksNo relevant content.

Level 1 (1-2 marks)There is a basic comparison of either a cost aspect or an energy efficiency aspect.

Level 2 (3-4 marks)There is a clear comparison of either the cost aspect or

energy efficiency aspect **OR** a basic comparison of both cost and energy efficiency aspects.

Level 3 (5-6 marks) There is a detailed comparison of both the cost aspect and the energy efficiency aspect.

For full marks the comparisons made should support a conclusion as to which type of bulb is preferable.

Examples of the points made in the response:

cost

- halogen are cheaper to buy
simply giving cost figures is insufficient
- 6 halogen lamps cost the same as one LED
- LEDs last longer
- need to buy 18 / more halogen lamps to last the same time as one LED
- 18 halogens cost £35.10
- costs more to run a halogen than LED
- LED has lower maintenance cost (where many used, eg large departmental store lighting)

energy efficiency

- LED works using a smaller current
- LED wastes less energy
- LEDs are more efficient
- LED is 22% more energy efficient
- LED produces less heat
- LED requires smaller input (power) for same output (power)

M6. (a) (i) live 1

(ii) react faster 1

(iii) live and neutral 1

(b) (i) ammeter 1

to measure current
accept to measure amps 1

plus any **one** from:

- *variable resistor* (1)
to vary current (1)
accept variable power supply
accept change or control
- *switch* (1)
to stop apparatus getting hot / protect battery
or
to reset equipment (1)
- fuse (1)
to break circuit if current is too big (1)

2

(ii) any **two** from:

- use smaller mass(es)
- move mass closer to pivot
- reduce gap between coil and rocker
- more turns (on coil)*coil / loop*
- iron core in coil
accept use smaller weight(s)

2

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