

Laboratory Work Guide

FUNDAMENTAL OF PHYSICS



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EXPERIMENT 1
MEASSUREMENT AND UNCERTAINTY

A. Objectives:

1. Measure mass of object and its uncertainty.
2. Measure volume of object and its uncertainty
3. Determine density of mass and its uncertainty

B. Material/Apparatus

1. Cube of metal (object)
2. Measuring glass
3. Mass Balancing

C. Procedure

1. Measure mass of object using balancing. Repeat this activity until 5 times, then write the results in Table 1 below!

Table 1. Mass of Object

No	m (g)
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	

2. Measure the volume of object. Repeat this activity until 5 times, then write the results in Table 2!

Table 2. Mass of Object

No	V (cm ³)
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	

D. Data Analysis

1. Table 3. Data Analysis of Mass

No	m (g)	$ m - \bar{m} $ (g)
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
Σ		

The average mass:

$$\bar{m} = \frac{\sum m}{n} = \frac{\sum m}{5} = \dots\dots\dots$$

The uncertainty of mass:

$$\Delta m = \frac{\sum |m - \bar{m}|}{n} = \frac{\sum |m - \bar{m}|}{5} = \dots\dots\dots$$

Result of mass object: $m = (\bar{m} \pm \Delta m) = \dots\dots\dots$

2. Table 4. Data Analysis of Volume

No	V (cm ³)	$ V - \bar{V} $ (cm ³)
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
Σ		

The average volume:

$$\bar{V} = \frac{\sum V}{n} = \frac{\sum V}{5} = \dots\dots\dots$$

The uncertainty of mass:

$$\Delta V = \frac{\sum |V - \bar{V}|}{n} = \frac{\sum |V - \bar{V}|}{5} = \dots\dots\dots$$

Result of mass object: $V = (\bar{V} \pm \Delta V) = \dots\dots\dots$

3. Determine the density

$$\rho = (\rho \pm \Delta\rho) = \dots\dots\dots$$

EXPERIMENT 2. CALORIMETER

A. Goal

Determine the specific heat capacity of substance (Alluminium)

B. Equipment/Material

Calorimeter, thermometer, stirrer, bunsen burner, tripod, electronics balance, alluminium, water, chemical glass.

C. Principle

Specific heat of Alluminium (c) can be determined using Black's principle using equation:

$$c = \frac{(m_k c_k + m_w c_w)(T - T_i)}{m(T_a - T)} \quad (1)$$

Where: T: equilibrium temperatur

T_i : initial temperatur of calorimeter system (water and calorimeter)

T_a : initial temperatur of Alluminium

C. Procedur

4. Measure the mass of calorimeter and stirrer m_k
5. Measure the mass of Alluminium m
6. Poure water in calorimeter about 2/3 part of volume of the calorimeter
7. Measure the mass of calorimeter and water
8. Determine the mass of water m_w
9. Using chemical glass which is filled with water and alluminium, heat the chemical glass using bunsen burner until the water boiled.
10. Measure the temperature of Alluminium T_a
11. Measure the initial temperature of calorimeter system T_i
12. Put the alluminium in calorimeter
13. Stir the calorimeter system using stirrer until the equilibrium temperature occurred
14. Measure the equilibrium temperature T

D.Data of Experiment

No.	m_k (gram)	m (gram)	m_w (gram)	T_a (°C)	T_i (°C)	T(°C)

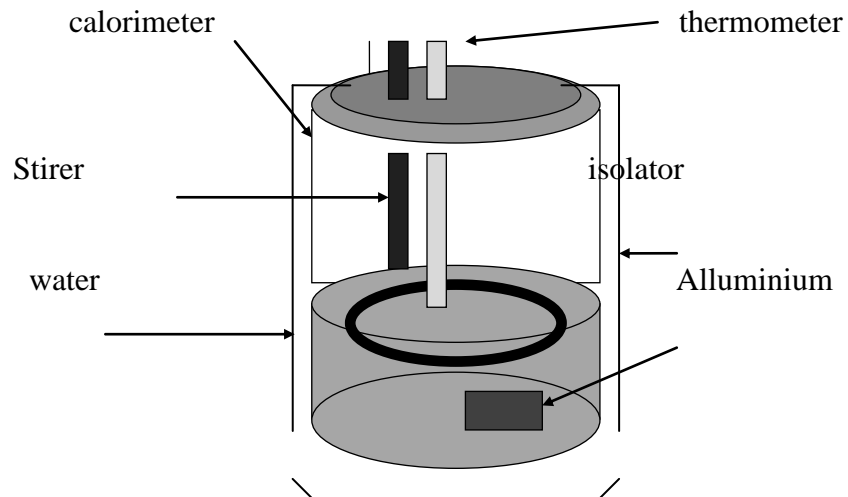


Figure1. Calorimeter

E. Data Analysis

1. Determine the specific heat of aluminium using equation (1)!

$$c = \frac{(m_k c_k + m_w c_w)(T - T_i)}{m(T_a - T)}$$

$c =$

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EXPERIMENT 3. SPEED OF SOUND IN AIR

A. Goal

Determine speed of sound in air based on resonance of sound in air column

B. Material and Apparatus

1. Audio Frequency Generator (AFG)
2. Amplifier
3. Glass tube equipped by scales
4. Speaker
5. Water

C. Principle

Relation between velocity of wave (v), frequency (f), and wave length (λ) can be written:

$$v = f\lambda \quad (1)$$

Relation between the length of air column and wave length of sound when resonance is occurred can be written:

$$L_n = (2n - 1)\frac{\lambda}{4} + k \quad (2)$$

Where :

λ = wave length of sound (meter)

L_n = length of air column at n resonance (meter)

$n = n = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots$

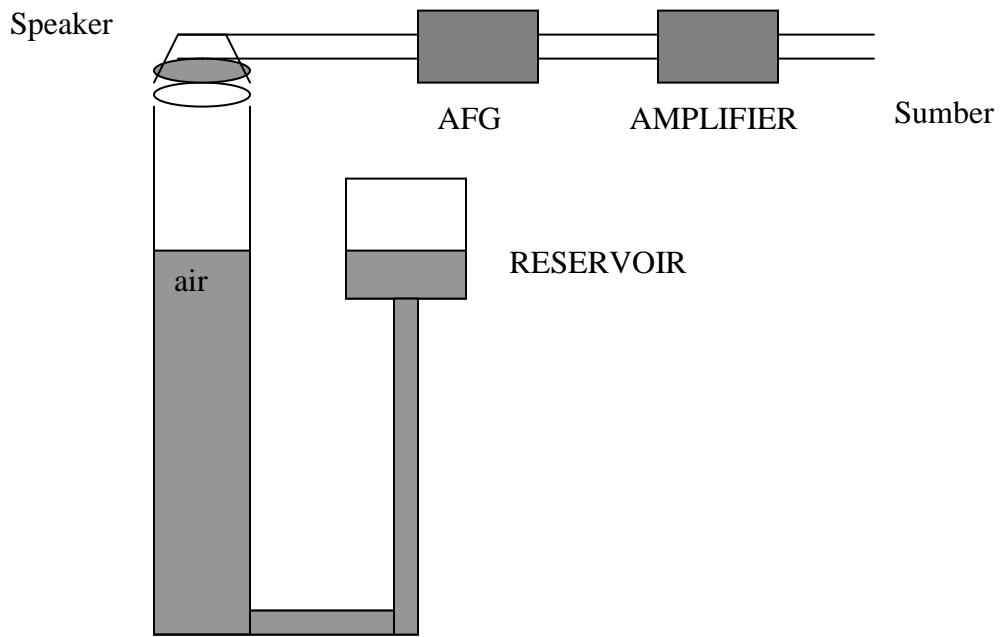
$k = 0.3 \times \text{diameter of tube}$

D. Procedure

1. Switch on the amplifier and AFG
2. Adjust the AFG in certain frequency, measure the frequency f
3. Move down ward the water level in tube until the first resonance is occurred, then measure the length of air column L_1
4. Move down ward the water level in tube until the second resonance is occurred, then measure the length of air column L_2

E. Data of Experiment

No	f (hertz)	n =1 L_1 (cm)	n =2 L_2 (cm)	n =3 L_3 (cm)
1				



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F. Data Analysis

Determine the speed of sound in air.

n	f (Hz)	$k=0.3d$ (cm)	L_n (cm)	$\lambda = \frac{4(L_n - k)}{2n - 1}$ (cm)	$v = f\lambda$ (cm/s)
1					
2					
3					

EXPERIMENT 4. THERMOCOUPLE

A. Goal

Determine the Seebeck constant (s) of thermocouple

B. Equipment and material

1. Thermocouple
2. Thermometer
3. Voltmeter
4. Ice
5. Water

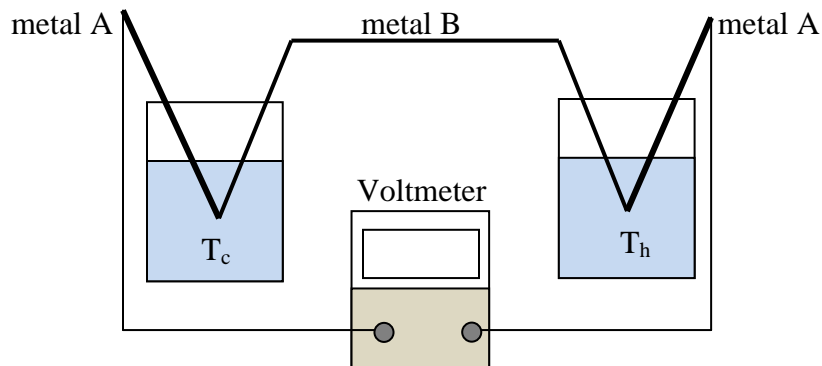
C. Principle

Relation between the hot junction temperature (T_h), cold junction temperature (T_c), and the Seebeck potential (V) can be written:

$$V = S(T_h - T_c) \quad (1)$$

Where S = Seebeck Constant

D. Procedure



1. Set the apparatus as shown in figure above.
2. Measure the temperature of cold junction T_c
3. Measure the temperature of hot junction T_h
4. Measure the Seebeck potential V using digital voltmeter
5. Increase temperature of hot junction using heater
6. Repeat step 2-5 until four times

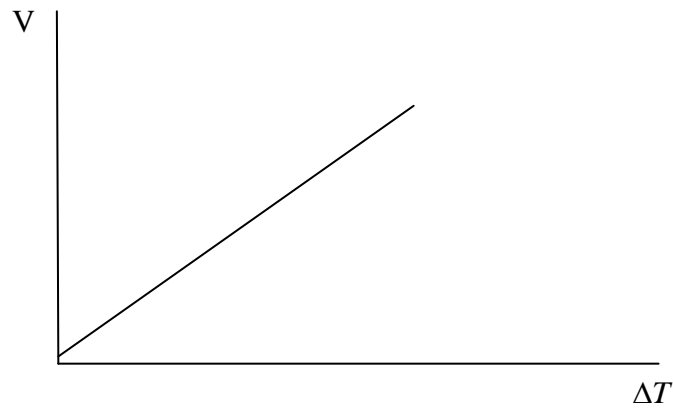
E. Data of Experiment

No	T_c ($^{\circ}\text{C}$)	T_h ($^{\circ}\text{C}$)	V (volt)
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			

F. Data Analysis

Make a graph the relation between Seebeck potential V and gradient of temperature

$$\Delta T = T_h - T_c$$



The Seebeck constant S can be determined by compute the gradient of graph above.

$$S = \frac{\Delta V}{\Delta(\Delta T)} = \dots\dots\dots = \dots\dots\dots$$

EXPERIMENT 5. PARARELY PLATE CAPACITOR

A. Goal

Determine the electric permittivity of dielectric material

B. Equipment and material

1. Pararely plate capacitor
2. Capacitymeter
3. Connected cable
4. PVC plate

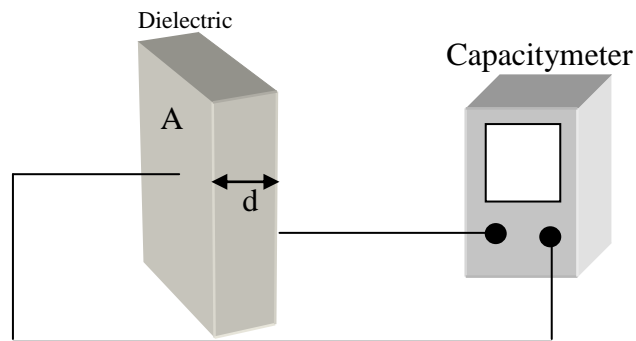
C. Principle

Relation between capacity of capacitor C and the distance of both plates in pararely plate capacitor d can be written:

$$C = \frac{\varepsilon A}{d} \quad (1)$$

Where ε = electric permittivity of material, A = area of plate

D. Procedure



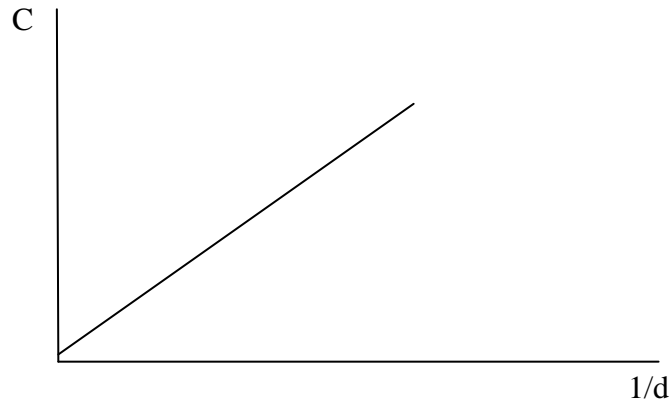
1. Set the apparatus as shown in figure above.
2. Measure the distance between both plates d
3. Measure the capacity of capacitor C
4. Repeat steps 2 until 3 four times in difference distance
5. Write data in table below

E. Data of Experiment

No	d (mm)	C ($^{\circ}C$)	C (μF)
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			

F. Data Analysis

Make a graph the relation between capacity of capacitor C and 1/d



The electric permittivity of the dielectric material can be determined by compute the gradient of graph above.

Gradient:

$$m = \frac{\Delta C}{\Delta(1/d)} = \dots\dots\dots = \dots\dots\dots$$

Electric permittivity:

$$m = \varepsilon A$$

$$\varepsilon = \frac{m}{A} = \dots\dots\dots$$

EXPERIMENT 6. RESISTOR

A. Goal

Determine and measure the resistivity of resistor

B. Equipment and material

1. Resistor
2. Ohmmeter
3. Connected cable

C. Principle

Resistivity of resistor can be determined by reading colour band as follows:

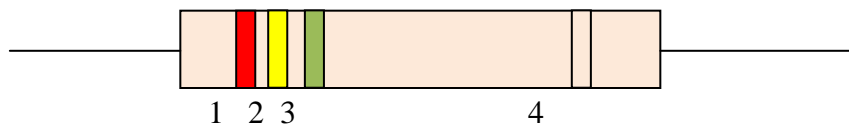


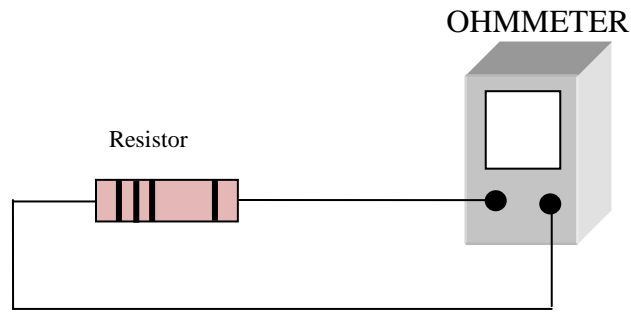
Figure 1. Resistor

Band 1 st	Band 2 nd	Band 3 rd	Band 4 th (Tolerance)		
			Gold	Silver	None
1 st Number	2 nd Number	Multiplier	5%	10%	20%

Color	1st	2nd	Multiplier	Tolerance
Black	0	0	1	
Brown	1	1	10	±1%
Red	2	2	100	±2%
Orange	3	3	1,000	
Yellow	4	4	10,000	
Green	5	5	100,000	±0.5%
Blue	6	6	1,000,000	±0.25%
Violet	7	7	10,000,000	±0.1%
Gray	8	8	100,000,000	±0.05%
White	9	9	1,000,000,000	
Gold			0.10	±5%
Silver			0.01	±10%
None				±20%

Figure 2

D. Procedure



1. Set the apparatus as shown in figure above.
2. Determine the resistivity of resistor based on colour bands.
3. Measure the the resistivity of resistor using Ohmmeter
4. Write data in table below

E. Data of Experiment

No	Resistor	R (ohm) Determined using colour band	R (ohm) Meassured by ohmmeter
1	Resistor 1		
2	Resistor 2		
3	Resistor 3		

F. Data Analysis

Compare the results of resistivity which determined by colour band and the resistivity which measured by Ohmmeter!

No	Measured by colour band			Measured by ohmmeter R (ohm)	Note
	R (ohm)	$\Delta R = \text{tolerance} \times$ R (ohm)	Result $R \pm \Delta R$ (ohm)		
1					
2					
3					

EXPERIMENT 7. CRO

A. Goal

1. Measure a peak to peak voltage V_{pp} .
2. Measure frequency of sinusoidal wave

B. Equipment and material

1. CRO
2. AFG
3. AC Power Source
4. Connected cable

C. Principle

V_{pp} can be determined by reading the number of div and volt/div in screen of CRO.

$$V_{pp} = \text{number of div} \times \text{volt/div}$$

Frequency can be determined by reading the number of div and time/div in one wave length

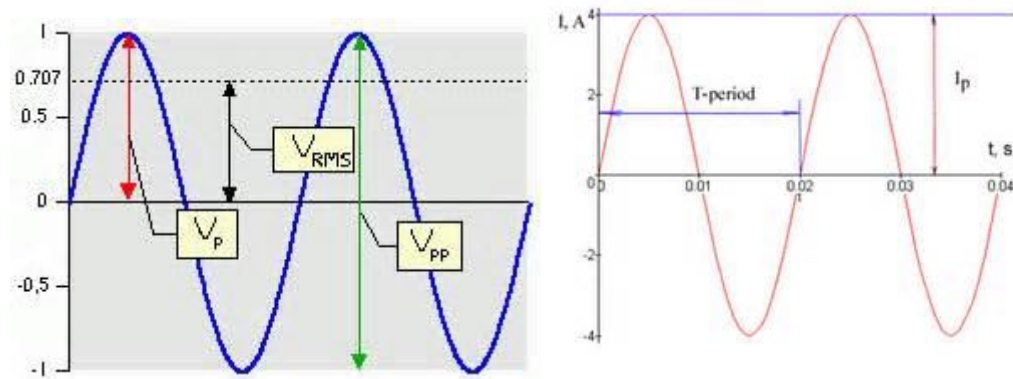


Figure 1. Sinusoidal Wave

D. Procedure

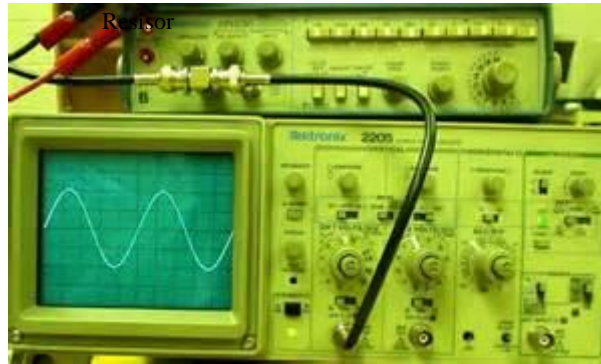


Figure 2. CRO

1. Set the apparatus as shown in figure above.
2. Determine the number of div from peak to peak.
3. Determine the channel volt/div.
4. Determine the number of div in one wave length.
5. Determine the channel of time/div
6. Write data in table below

7. Data of Experiment

Measurement V_{pp}

No	Number of div	Volt/div	V_{pp} (volt)
1			
2			
3			

Measurement frequency

No	Number of div	Time/div	f (Hz)
1			
2			
3			

8. Data Analysis

Determine the V_{pp} and frequency of AC power source.