## MARK SCHEME for the October/November 2008 question paper

## 0625 PHYSICS

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Paper 6 (Alternative to Practical), maximum raw mark 40

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1	(a) view perpendicular to (or straight in front of rule)/use of set square			[1]	
	(b) (i) corr e in	ect $e_1$ value 3.1 and correct $e_2$ value 2.4 cm		[1] [1]	
	(c) density 4 2/3 signi g/cm <sup>3</sup>	4.43 (ecf) ficant figures		[1] [1] [1]	
	(d) e <sub>2</sub> greate ρ greate	er r (or identical to <i>e</i> <sub>2</sub> answer) (ecf)		[1] [1] [Total: 8]	
2	correct symb	rrect symbols for ammeter and voltmeter ols for resistor t arrangement		[1] [1] [1]	
	Table: units	V, A (symbol/word)		[1]	
	OR No -	on 1 Yes – close enough (or words to that effect) - not close enough (or words to that effect) on 2 Yes – approximately half (or words to that effect)	)	[1] [1]	
		nce at connections			
	Internal	resistance of source/other sensible suggestion		[1]	
				[Total: 7]	
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3	Table $\theta$ in °C, V in $\theta$ correct V 0, 2	cm <sup>3</sup> 20, 40, 60, 80, 100		[1] [1]	
	axes suitable all plots corr	a labelled with symbol and unit e (e.g. not '3' scale) and plots occupy more than ½ g ect (better than ½ sq) thin best fit line	rid	[1] [1] [1] [1]	
	2. sensil	ble comment about heat loss to the surroundings, e.g ble comment about adding water in a regulated, tin /set time intervals/shorter intervals			
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4	(a) f = 14.9( correct u			[1] [1]
	(b) (i) x <sub>s</sub> =	5.0(cm) and $y_s = 5.2(cm)$		[1]
		or of ×6 31.2(cm) (ecf)		[1] [1]
	<b>(iii)</b> 15.2	9, 15.3, 15 (ecf)		[1]
	2 or	ect method 3 significant figures and correct unit age <i>f</i> 15.1 (correct answer only)		[1] [1] [1]
	(c) inverted	image		[1] [Total: 10]
5	(a) 0.7 N 6 cm <sup>3</sup> 1.4 s 4.0 N/cm	2		[1] [1] [1] [1]
		mum current/turn down power supply/increase resis ch off between readings/carry out without delay	stance	[1] [1]
	(ii) varia	able resistor/rheostat		[1]
				[Total: 7]