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EXPERIMENT - II

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CALIBRATION OF AMMETER USING POTENTIOMETER

AIM

To Calibrate the given ammeter by potentiometer. (i.e. To check the graduations of ammeter and to determine the corrections, if any).

APPARATUS REQUIRED:

Potentiometer, Rheostat, Batteries (2V and 6V) or accumulators, keys, Daniel Cell, high resistance, Sensitive table galvanometer, the given ammeter, a standard resistance (1 Ω) (or) a dial type resistance box (1-10 ohm), Connecting wires etc.

FORMULAE:

Calibrated current passing through standard resistance,

$$i' = (1.08 \times l) / (R \times l_0) \text{ (A)}$$

Where R = Standard Resistance ($R = 1 \Omega$)

l = Balancing length for different ammeter reading (cm)

l_0 = Balancing length corresponding to emf of Daniel Cell (cm).

OBSERVATIONS:

Balancing length $l_0 = 5.554 \text{ m}$.

(Length of the wire balancing the emf of the Daniel Cell)

CALCULATIONS:

$$i' = \frac{1.08}{l_0} \times l \quad ; \quad i' - i \quad ; \quad \frac{1.08}{5.554} = 0.1944$$

$$1. \quad i' = \frac{1.08}{5.554} \times 0.380 = 0.0738; \quad i' - i = 0.0738 - 0.1 = -0.0261$$

$$2. \quad i' = 0.1944 \times 0.960 = 0.1866; \quad i' - i = 0.1866 - 0.2 = -0.0133$$

$$3. \quad i' = 0.1944 \times 1.5 = 0.2916; \quad i' - i = 0.2916 - 0.3 = -0.0084$$

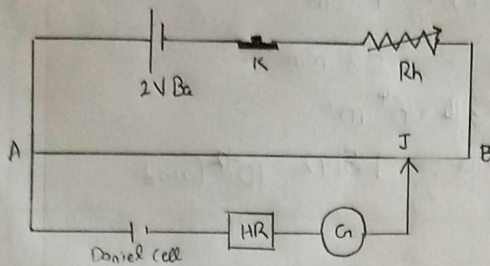
4. $i' = 0.1944 \times 2.040 = 0.3965$; $i' - i = 0.3965 - 0.4 = -0.0035$
 5. $i' = 0.1944 \times 2.5 = 0.486$; $i' - i = 0.4860 - 0.5 = -0.014$
 6. $i' = 0.1944 \times 3.04 = 0.5909$; $i' - i = 0.5909 - 0.6 = -0.0091$
 7. $i' = 0.1944 \times 3.53 = 0.6862$; $i' - i = 0.6862 - 0.7 = -0.0138$
 8. $i' = 0.1944 \times 4.13 = 0.8028$; $i' - i = 0.8028 - 0.8 = 0.0028$
 9. $i' = 0.1944 \times 4.63 = 0.9000$; $i' - i = 0.9000 - 0.9 = 0$
 10. $i' = 0.1944 \times 5.04 = 0.9797$; $i' - i = 0.9797 - 1.0 = -0.0203$

RESULT:

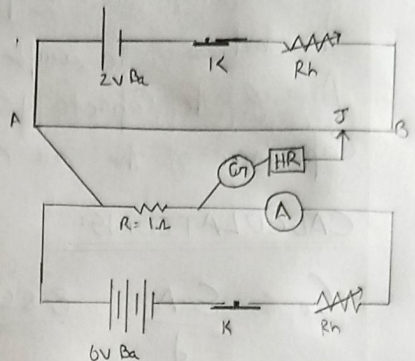
The given ammeter is calibrated and Calibration graph is drawn.

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Circuit Diagrams:



Standardization of Potentiometer



Calibration of Ammeter

Model Graphs

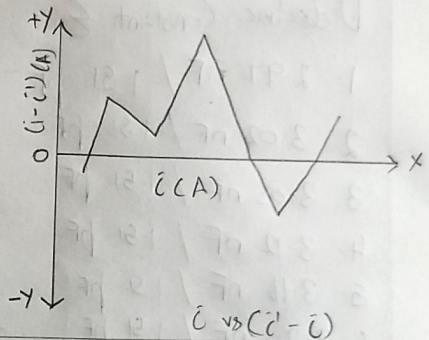
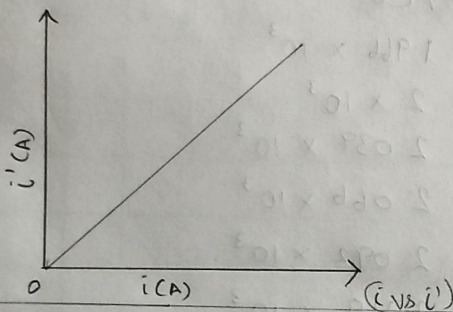


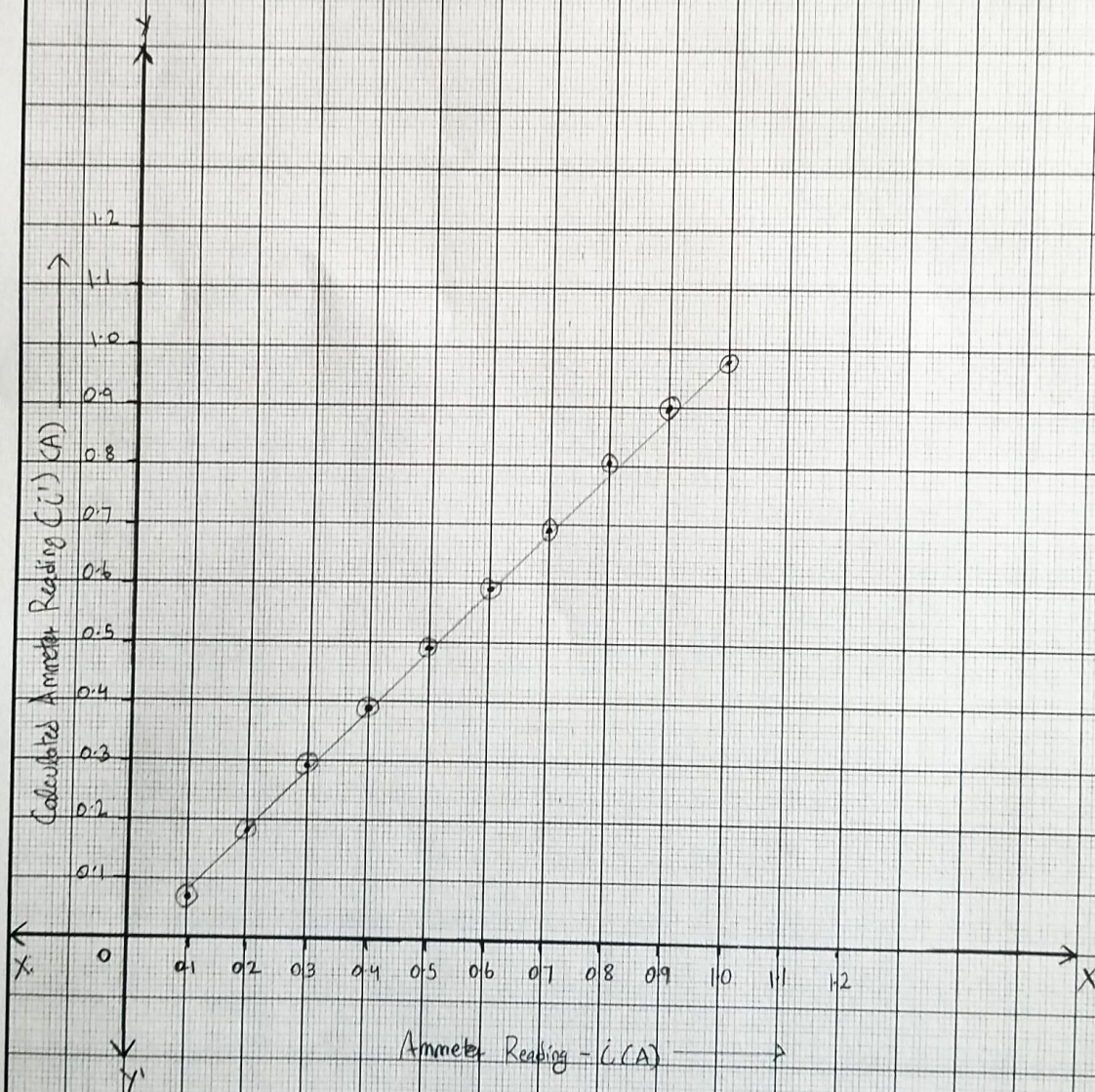
Table: To Calibrate the given Ammeter.

S.No	Ammeter Reading i (A)	Length Balancing the P.D across 1Ω coil l (cm)	Calculated Ammeter Reading $i' = \frac{1.98}{l_0} \times l$ (A)	Correction $(i' - i)$ (A)
1.	0.1	0.380	0.0738	-0.0261
2.	0.2	0.960	0.1866	-0.0133
3.	0.3	1.600	0.2916	-0.0084
4.	0.4	2.040	0.3965	-0.0033
5.	0.5	2.500	0.4860	-0.014
6.	0.6	3.040	0.5909	-0.0091
7.	0.7	3.530	0.6862	-0.0133
8.	0.8	4.130	0.8028	0.0028
9.	0.9	4.630	0.9000	0
10.	1.0	5.040	0.9797	-0.0203

SCALE:

X-axis = 1 unit = 0.1 A

Y-axis = 1 unit = 0.1 A



SCALE:

x-axis: 1 unit = 0.1 A

y-axis: 1 unit = 2.5×10^{-4} A (mA)

