

# CH1102 Lab Report-1

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**Determination of density of a substance:  
Understanding of Precision and Error Analysis**

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	10-mL Graduated Volumetric Cylinder	10-mL Volumetric Pipette	50-mL Burette	50-mL Beaker
Mass of empty dry 50-mL Beaker( <i>g</i> )	33.80	33.69	33.69	33.63
Mass of 50-mL Beaker + Water ( <i>g</i> )	43.59, 43.6 , 43.58	43.56, 43.55, 43.57	43.81, 43.82, 43.83	41.53, 41.54, 41.52
Mass of water only( <i>g</i> )	9.79, 9.8, 9.78	9.87, 9.86, 9.88	10.12, 10.13, 10.14	7.85, 7.86, 7.89
Actual Volume of Water used ( <i>mL</i> )	10, 10, 10	10, 10, 10	10, 10, 10	10, 10, 10
Density of water( <i>g/mL</i> )	1	1	1	1
Temperature ( <i>°C</i> )	25	25	25	25

Table 1: Experimental Data Part A

No. of measurements	10-mL Graduated Volumetric Cylinder	10-mL Volumetric Pipette	50-mL Burette	50-mL Beaker
1	0.979	0.987	1.012	0.785
2	0.980	0.986	1.013	0.786
3	0.978	0.988	1.014	0.789
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Table 2: Density Values (in g/mL) in Part A

	Average	Error Percentage
Graduated Volumetric Cylinder	0.979	2.1
Volumetric Pipette	0.987	1.3
Burette	1.013	1.3
Beaker	0.786	21.3

Table 3: Data Analysis Part A

Unknown	Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 3
Mass of unknown( $g$ )	15.02	15.01	15.03
Volume of Water( $mL$ )	40	40	40
Volume of Water + Sample( $mL$ )	47	47.1	47
Volume of Sample( $mL$ )	7.0	7.1	7.0
Density of Sample( $g/mL$ )	2.146	2.114	2.147
Average Density of Sample( $g/mL$ )	2.146	2.114	2.147

Table 4: Density of unknown material

Sample Identity	Trial 1
Physical Appearance	Uneven Cylinder
Literature Value - Density of Material	2.7
Relative range	
Percentage Error	20.9 %

Table 5: Required for those objects whose densities are available in Literature