# CAMBRIDGE INTERNATIONAL EXAMINATIONS <br> Joint Examination for the School Certificate and General Certificate of Education Ordinary Level 

PHYSICS
5054/3
PAPER 3 Practical Test
ANSWER BOOKLET
OCTOBER/NOVEMBER SESSION 2002
2 hours

TIME 2 hours

## INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name, Centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.
Answer all questions.
Write your answers in the spaces provided in this answer booklet.

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## Section A

1 (a) record of the position of the centre of mass of the metre rule
(b) record of the measurements used to determine $x$ and $y$
calculation of $x$ and $y$
(c) calculation of $M$ using $M=\frac{x}{y} \times 100$ grams
(d) (i) record of $l$
(ii) record of $w$
(iii) record of $t$
(e) (i) calculation of $V$ using $V=l w t$
(ii) calculation of $\rho$ using $\rho=M / V$

2 (a) record of $\theta_{1}$
record of $V_{1}$
(b) record of $\theta_{2}$
(c) record of $V_{2}$
(d) (i) record of $m_{W}$
(ii) record of $m_{1}$
(e) calculation of $L$ using $m_{1} L+m_{1} c \theta_{2}=m_{W} c\left(\theta_{1}-\theta_{2}\right)$ where $c=4.2 \mathrm{~J} /\left(\mathrm{g}^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$
(f) statement of precautions taken to ensure that your value of $L$ was as precise as possible

3 (a) diagram of the circuit that has been set up for you
(b) (i) record of $V_{\mathrm{AB}}$
(ii) record of $V_{\mathrm{BC}}$
(iii) record of $V_{\mathrm{AC}}$
(c) calculation of $I$ using $I=\frac{V_{\mathrm{AB}}}{R}$
where $R=1000 \Omega$
(d) record of $V_{\mathrm{AB}}$
record of $V_{\mathrm{BC}}$
record of $V_{\text {AC }}$
(e) explanation of how your observations indicate that the resistance of the LDR increases when covered

Section B

A
(b) (c) and (d) table of values of $i, r, \sin i$ and $\sin r$

| $i /{ }^{\circ}$ | $r /{ }^{\circ}$ | $\sin i$ | $\sin r$ |
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(e) using the grid on page 7, plot a graph of $\sin i$ against $\sin r$
(f) determination of $G$


