Chapter- 12 ELECTRICITY

WORKSHEET

- 1. Out of 60 W and 40 W lamps, which one has a higher electrical resistance when in use? (1 MARK)
- 2. What is the function of a galvanometer in a circuit? (1 MARK)
- 3. Why are the coils of electric toasters made of an alloy rather than a pure metal? (1 MARK)
- 4. A piece of wire of resistance 20 Ω is drawn out so that its length is increased to twice its original length. Calculate the resistance of the wire in the new situation. (1 MARK)
- 5. The values of current (I) flowing through a given resistor of resistance (R), for the corresponding values of potential difference (V) across the resistor are as given below : (3 MARKS)

Plot a graph between current (I) and potential difference (V) and determine the resistance (R) of the resistor.

V in volts	0.5	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0
I in amperes	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8

6. While studying the dependence of potential difference (V) across a resistor on the current (I) passing through it, in order to determine the resistance of the resistor, a student took 5 readings for different values of current and plotted a graph between V and I. (3 MARKS) He got a straight line graph passing through the origin. What does the straight line signify? Write the method of determining resistance of the resistor using this graph.