EXPERIMENT 2

Day & Date: METRE BRIDGE -1

AIM:-

To find the resistance of the given wire using meter bridge and hence determine the specific resistance of its material.

Theory:

In a balanced Wheatstone’s bridge, P/Q = R/S

Circuit diagram:

**Table for diameter of wire**

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| Sl No | PSR | HSR | Corrected  HSR | Total | Mean (d)  mm |
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OBSERVATIONS:

Table for unknown resistance X

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| Sl No. | Reading of resistance box (R)   | Balancing length (l)  cm | Unknown resistance  X =  |
| 01 |  |  |  |
| 02 |  |  |  |
| 03 |  |  |  |
| 04 |  |  |  |
| 05 |  |  |  |

Radius of the given wire (r) =

d/2= mm

= x 10 -3 m.

Length of the given wire (l)

= cm = x 10 -2 m.

Specific resistance of the material of given wire = X πr2/l

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=  - m

RESULT

(a) The resistance of the given wire = Ohm.

(b) The specific resistance of the given wire = Ohm-m