AQA Physics P15 Electromagnetism **GCSE** Exam-style mark scheme

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Foundation

Question	Answers	Extra information	Marks	AO / Spec ref.
01.1	Е		1	AO1 P7.1.1
01.2	A, C		1	AO1 P7.1.1
01.3	B, D		1	AO1 P7.1.1
01.4	at least one line drawn above and below lines concentrated at poles arrows from N to S		1 1 1	AO1 P7.1.2
02	has its own magnetic field does not lose magnetism quickly made from steel	Penalise 1 mark for every extra box ticked, up to three boxes.	1 1 1	AO1 P7.1.1
03.1	Number of tacks		1	AO3 WS 2.2
03.2	The current		1	AO3 WS 2.2
03.3	Any one from: coil type of tacks soft iron core type of wire		1	AO3 WS 2.2
03.4	Appropriate scale on axis Correctly plotted Straight line of best fit. Anomalous results excluded. Line passing through origin.		1 1 1 1	AO2 MS 4a, 4c
03.5	As the current increases, the number of tacks increases. They are directly proportional.		1	AO2 WS 3.5
03.6	Incorrect current setting		1	AO3 WS 3.7
03.7	Repeat the results		1	AO3 WS 1.6

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03.8		Accept 16 tacks with no	1	AO2
	16 tacks	working shown for 2 marks.	1	MS 1d
03.9	2 + 3 + 6 + 8 + 10 = 29	Accept 21% with no working shown for 4 marks.	1	AO1×1
	6 ,100			AO2×3
	$\frac{6}{29} \times 100$		1	MS 1c,
	= 20.6897		1	2a
	= 21%		1	
04	An electromagnet will only pick up iron or steel cans.		1	AO1
				P7.2.1
	Aluminium cans are not magnetic.		1	
	When the current is switched off the electromagnet ceases to be magnetic.		1	