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Lab report: **B8 specific charge e/m**

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1. Generating electron beam by thermal emission from cathode;
2. Focussing and acceleration of electrons by electric fields

energy conservation:

$$E_{\text{kin}} = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 = e U \quad m = 9,110 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg} \\ e = 1,602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C} \\ e/m = 1,759 \times 10^{11} \text{ C/kg}$$

U: overall potential

3. Circular movement of electrons by mag. field B (B ⊥ v) with radius r

Helmholtz-coils: (radius 20cm, each 154 windings); current through coils I:

$$\frac{e}{m} = 4,178 \times 10^{10} \frac{U/U_0}{(rI/r_0I_0)^2} \frac{\text{C}}{\text{kg}}, \quad U_0 = 1\text{V}, r_0 = 1\text{cm}, I_0 = 1\text{A}$$

Results:

measurement of I at four different U and r for four times:

U (V)	r (cm)	I ₁ (A)	I ₂ (A)	I ₃ (A)	I ₄ (A)	\bar{I} (A)	e/m (10^{11}C/kg)	(e/m) ² (10^{11}C/kg) ²
150	2							
	3							
	4							
	5							

U (V)	r (cm)	I ₁ (A)	I ₂ (A)	I ₃ (A)	I ₄ (A)	\bar{I} (A)	e/m (10 ¹¹ C/kg)	(e/m) ² (10 ¹¹ C/kg) ²
200	2							
	3							
	4							
	5							

U (V)	r (cm)	I ₁ (A)	I ₂ (A)	I ₃ (A)	I ₄ (A)	\bar{I} (A)	e/m (10 ¹¹ C/kg)	(e/m) ² (10 ¹¹ C/kg) ²
250	2							
	3							
	4							
	5							

U (V)	r (cm)	I ₁ (A)	I ₂ (A)	I ₃ (A)	I ₄ (A)	\bar{I} (A)	e/m (10 ¹¹ C/kg)	(e/m) ² (10 ¹¹ C/kg) ²
300	2							
	3							
	4							
	5							

sums:

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Error calculation and discussion:

Mean value: $\overline{e/m} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_i (e/m)_i$ n: amount of single values (e/m)_i

Standard deviation

$$s_{e/m} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (e/m_i)^2 - \frac{1}{n}(\sum e/m_i)^2}{n - 1}}$$

result:

$$(e/m = \bar{e}/\bar{m} \pm s_{e/m}):$$

$$e/m = (\quad \quad \quad \pm \quad \quad \quad) \times 10^{11} C/kg$$

comparison to literature:

$$\frac{\Delta e/m}{e/m} = \%$$

systematical problem of experiment: