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## IQ 0934 (Haemoglobin Study with Interpretation)

A 56-year-old Chinese man was followed up for a long history of anaemia. He did not require regular transfusion. His Hb was 7.3 g/dL, MCV 79 fL, MCH 24.7 pg, RBC 2.97 x10<sup>12</sup>/L and RDW 21.6 %. There was no iron deficiency. Peripheral blood film was shown in figure 1. **Please perform haemoglobin study on the haemolysate (concentration: 5.6g/dl) provided (IQ 0934)** and answer the following questions. <u>Please send in copies of chromatogram and electrophoretic results with this answer sheet.</u>

Figure 1. (The image can also be downloaded from the web <u>http://www.hkmta.org/qapedu.htm</u>)

