

Mark Scheme (Results)

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General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded.
 Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the mark scheme to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

Answer	Mark
D propane	
The only correct answer is D	
A is not correct because butane contains four carbon atoms	
B is not correct because ethane contains two carbon atoms	
C is not correct because methane contains one carbon atoms	(1)
	D propane The only correct answer is D A is not correct because butane contains four carbon atoms B is not correct because ethane contains two carbon atoms

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1(b)	D C ₅ H ₁₂	
	The only correct answer is D	
	\boldsymbol{A} is not correct because the formula of a molecule of pentane is not C_5H_5	
	${f B}$ is not correct because the formula of a molecule of pentane is not C_5H_7	
	${f C}$ is not correct because the formula of a molecule of pentane is not C_5H_{10}	
		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(c)	the more carbon atoms (in a molecule) the higher the boiling point OWTTE	the fewer carbon atoms (in a molecule) the lower the boiling point	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(d)	• two carbon atoms joined by	Ignore bond angles	
	double bond (1)rest of molecule correct (1)	second mark dependent of first mark	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1(e)(i)	C yeast	
	The only correct answer is C	
	A is not correct because when added to glucose solution, hydrochloric acid would not form ethanol by fermentation	
	B is not correct because when added to glucose solution, sodium hydroxide would not form ethanol by fermentation	
	D is not correct because when added to glucose solution, vinegar would not form ethanol by fermentation	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(e)(ii)	Any two fromnamed medical issues		
	social problemsdriving and work-related issues	Ignore drunk unqualified	(2)
		Allow two from any category	

(Total for Question 1 = 8 marks)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2(a)	C oxidation	
	The only correct answer is C	
	A is not correct because when ethanol reacts to from ethanoic acid the type of reaction taking place is called oxidation not distillation	
	B is not correct because when ethanol reacts to from ethanoic acid the type of reaction taking place is called oxidation not neutralisation	
	D is not correct because when ethanol reacts to from ethanoic acid the type of reaction taking place is called oxidation not thermal decomposition	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(b)	ethanoic acid + magnesium → magnesium ethanoate + hydrogen	Correct chemical equation scores 2 marks $Mg + 2CH_3COOH \rightarrow (CH_3COO)_2Mg + H_2$	
	• LHS (1) • RHS (1)	Allow Mg(CH ₃ COO) ₂ Partially correct chemical equation scores 0	
		If both word and chemical equation given mark the word equation	(2)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
2(c)	carbon, hydrogen and oxygen	All 3 needed, in any order	(1)
		Ignore symbols	

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(d)	substances use		
	ester fertiliser vinegar		
	 ester linked to perfume (1) vinegar linked to preservative (1) 		
	Do not award the mark if there are two or more lines starting from one of the substances		(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(e)	reagent sodium hydroxide / potassium hydroxide (1)	Allow alkali Accept formulae If correct name given ignore any formula	
	condition boil / heat / high temperature / concentrated (alkali) (1)	Allow (very) hot Allow temperature range 70-100 °C Ignore warm Ignore references to (high) pressure /catalysts	(2)

(Total for Question 2 = 8 marks)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(a)(i)	A description including any two from		
	determine mass of an empty evaporating basin (1)	Allow weigh Allow any suitable container	
	 pour (25 cm³ of) water into the basin (1) 	Allow any form of heating or just allow water to evaporate	
	heat until all the water has evaporated (1)	Allow boil off/evaporate all the water	
	determine mass of the basin and solid (1)	Allow weigh	
	 subtract the mass of the empty basin from the mass of basin and solid (1) 	If container NOT used allow max 2 marks for • heat until all the water has evaporated / boil off/evaporate all the water (1) • determine mass of/weigh the solid (left afterwards) (1)	
			(3)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(a)(ii)	$\frac{0.6 \times 1000}{25}$ (= 24 g dm ⁻³)	Correct answer with no working (1)	
	OR	Correct working with {no/incorrect} answer (1)	
	$0.6 \ 0.025$ (= 24 g dm ⁻³)		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
3(a)(iii)	B magnesium, Mg ²⁺	
	The only correct answer is B	
	A is not correct because potassium ions do not cause hardness in water	
	C is not correct because sodium ions do not cause hardness in water	
	D is not correct because ammonium ions do not cause hardness in water	
	water	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(b)	An explanation linking(water sample) C (1)		
	because there was no lather produced / all soap has been used up (1)	Allow least lather/smallest height of lather Allow height of lather = 0 Ignore references to scum	
		Second mark dep on first mark	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(c)	scum / precipitate / cloudy (mixture)	Ignore reference to no bubbles/lather	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(d)	(calcium hydrogen carbonate (aq)) → calcium carbonate (s) + carbon dioxide (g) + water (l)	Allow upper case letters Do not allow solid / so(I) for s Do not allow gas for g Do not allow liquid for I	
	All 3 correct scores (2) 1 or 2 correct scores (1)		(2)

(Total for Question 3 = 10 marks)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(a)(i)	ions are in fixed positions/cannot move/not mobile		(1)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
4(a)(ii)	An explanation linking	accept reduction (1)	
	electron(s) (1)gain(ed) (1)	second mark dep on first mark if state incorrect number of electrons gained by each sodium ion allow 1 mark	
		$Na^+ + e^{(-)} \rightarrow Na \text{ scores 2 marks}$	(2)
		$Na^+ + 2e^{(-)} \rightarrow Na \text{ scores 1 mark}$	

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(b)(i)	 An explanation linking chlorine (gas) (1) AND (is) toxic/poisonous (1) 	 Allow hydrogen (gas) (1) AND (is) flammable (1)	
		Second mark dep on first mark	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(b)(ii)	An explanation linkingelectron(s) (1)		
	• (have been) lost (1)	Second mark is dependent on first mark	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(c)(i)	copper sulfate (solution)	Allow sulphate Allow copper nitrate /copper chloride	
		Allow CuSO ₄ / Cu(NO ₃) ₂ / CuCl ₂	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(c)(ii)	A description including two from		
	• cathode becomes larger (1)	Allow copper coating (forms) on cathode Allow orange/brown solid coats cathode Ignore copper added to cathode Ignore cathode gains mass Ignore cathode gains copper Ignore copper moves/attracted to the cathode Ignore copper transferred to the cathode	
	• anode becomes smaller (1)	Ignore anode loses copper Ignore anode loses mass	
	• solid drops to bottom (1)	sludge formed Reject (impure) copper drops to bottom	
		Ignore references to bubbles/fizzing/gas produced	(2)

(Total for Question 4 = 10 marks)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5(a)(i)	An explanation linking		
	• filter (1)		
	to remove solid / zinc carbonate(1)	Allow to collect the {filtrate/zinc chloride solution} in a suitable container eg conical flask	
		Allow what is left is zinc chloride (solution)	
		Allow solid/zinc carbonate left on (filter) paper	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5(a)(ii)	$ZnCO_3 + 2HCI \rightarrow ZnCI_2 + H_2O + CO_2$ • CO_2 (1)	Allow multiples of complete equation eg $2ZnCO_3 + 4HCI \rightarrow 2ZnCI_2 + 2H_2O + 2CO_2$	
	• 2(HCI) (1)		(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5(b)	any acid-base indicator (1)	do not allow universal indicator / pH paper	
	 colour change for named 		
	indicator (1)	second mark dependent on first mark	
	Examples:		
	litmus – red to blue/ purple methyl orange – pink to orange / yellow		
	phenolphthalein – colourless to pink/ red		(2)

Question Number		Indicative Content	Mark
QWC	*5(c)	Advantages • promotes plant growth (allow faster growth) • provides nitrogen/nutrients • contains a high percentage of nitrogen • increases crop yields / more food for people • easy to spread on soil (as a solid) or easy to spray unto crops (as a solution) • easily absorbed by plants (as it is soluble) • known amount of fertiliser provided Disadvantages • (can wash out from fields and) go into lakes/ rivers • increases plant/algae growth in lakes/ rivers • (which) blocks sunlight • as plants {die/decay} oxygen is used up • reduces oxygen available for other organisms/wildlife may die • eutrophication • too much in water supply can damage health of babies • some people may not wish to buy/eat produce grown using artificial fertilisers /some may prefer produce grown without artificial fertilisers) • cost of artificial fertilisers used has to be added to selling price of crops	(6)
Level	0	No rewardable content	
1	1 - 2	 a limited description e.g. one advantage or one disadvantage the answer communicates ideas using simple language and uses limited scientific terminology spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited accuracy 	
2	3 - 4	 a simple description e.g. two advantages, two disadvantages or one advantage and one disadvantage the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of clarity and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriately spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy 	
3	5 - 6	 a detailed description e.g. at least four points including at least one advantage and at least one disadvantage the answer communicates ideas clearly and coherently uses a range of scientific terminology accurately spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with few errors 	

(Total for Question 5 = 12 marks)

Question Number	Answer	
6(a)	C iron(II), Fe ²⁺	
	The only correct answer is C	
	A is not correct because if a green precipitate is formed when sodium hydroxide is added to a solution it shows the solution contains iron(II) ions not sodium ions	
	B is not correct because because if a green precipitate is formed when sodium hydroxide is added to a solution it shows the solution contains iron(II) ions not potassium ions	
	D is not correct because because if a green precipitate is formed when sodium hydroxide is added to a solution it shows the solution contains iron(II) ions not iron(III) ions	
	Contains non(11) ions not non(111) ions	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
6(b)	aluminium (ions) could also give a white precipitate /excess (sodium hydroxide solution) has not been added	Allow both (aluminium and calcium ions) give a white precipitate Allow (white) precipitate may disappear in excess (sodium hydroxide) Allow only a few drops (of sodium hydroxide) have been added	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
6(c)	• copper (1)	Allow Cu	
	sulfate (1)	Allow sulphate Allow SO ₄	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
6(d)	NaOH + NH ₄ CI \rightarrow NaCI + NH ₃ + H ₂ O • correct formulae on LHS (1)	If all formulae correct but equation is incorrectly balanced award 1 mark	
	correct formulae on RHS(1)		(2)

Question Number		Indicative Content	
6 (e) QWC	*	Flame test	(6)

Level	0	No rewardable content				
1	1 -	 A limited description of one test e.g. carry out a flame test, 				
	2	potassium gives lilac colour				
		 the answer communicates ideas using simple language and uses limited scientific terminology 				
		 spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited accuracy 				
2	3 -	 A simple description of a test for the cations or the anions or a 				
	4	limited description of both e.g. add silver nitrate, nitric acid and				
		chloride gives white ppt				
		the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of clarity				
		and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriately				
		 spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy 				
3	5 -	A detailed description containing tests for both cations and anions				
	6	e.g. do flame test with solid on wire and put into flame and lilac				
		colour means potassium ion present, yellow means sodium and test				
		using silver nitrate solution to find the other ion including at least				
		two correct results				
		the answer communicates ideas clearly and coherently uses a range				
		of scientific terminology accurately				
		spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with few errors				

(Total for Question 6 = 12 marks)