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## Annotations

Annotation	Meaning
	correct response
	incorrect response
<b>BOD</b>	benefit of the doubt
<b>NBOD</b>	benefit of the doubt <b>not</b> given
<b>ECF</b>	error carried forward
	information omitted
<b>I</b>	ignore
<b>R</b>	reject
<b>CON</b>	contradiction

- / = alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point  
 (1) = separates marking points  
 allow = answers that can be accepted  
 not = answers which are not worthy of credit  
 reject = answers which are not worthy of credit  
 ignore = statements which are irrelevant  
 ( ) = words which are not essential to gain credit  
 — = underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark (although not correctly spelt unless otherwise stated)  
 ecf = error carried forward  
 AW = alternative wording  
 ora = or reverse argument

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1 a	A (1)	1	<b>allow</b> ethanoic acid
b	E (1)	1	<b>allow</b> ethene / C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub>
c	C and F (1)	1	<b>allow</b> butane <b>and</b> methylpropane
d	poly(tetrafluoroethene) (1)	1	<b>allow</b> name without brackets <b>allow</b> Teflon / ptfe
Total		4	

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2 a	do not contain carbon and hydrogen only / contain more elements than just hydrogen and carbon (1)	1	<b>allow</b> C and H for carbon and hydrogen (1)  <b>allow</b> it contains oxygen / has three elements / has the symbol O in the formula (1)  <b>not</b> contains an oxygen <b>molecule</b> (in the formula) <b>not</b> reference to a <b>mixture</b> <b>not</b> does not contain carbon and hydrogen <b>molecules</b> or <b>compounds</b> only <b>not</b> does not contain carbon and hydro only
b	C <sub>7</sub> H <sub>14</sub> O <sub>2</sub> (1)	1	<b>allow</b> any order of atoms  credit correct answer if written in box in table but answer line takes precedence
c	ethyl ethanoate (1)  <b>any two from:</b> dissolves the best in water (1)  has a low boiling point (so evaporates easily) (1)  is a liquid at room temperature (1)	3	incorrect ester = 0 mark for question  <b>allow</b> dissolves easily / (very) soluble in water  <b>ignore</b> reference to melting point
<b>Total</b>		<b>5</b>	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
<b>3</b> 	<p><b>Level 3</b>  <b>States the correct percentage of both of the gases AND</b>  <b>Describes the effect of two of these processes on the percentage of oxygen and carbon dioxide.</b>  Quality of communication does not impede communication of science at this level.  (5-6 marks)</p> <p><b>Level 2</b>  <b>States the correct percentage of both of the gases OR</b>  <b>Describes the effect of two of the processes on the percentage of oxygen and carbon dioxide OR</b>  <b>States the correct percentage of one of the gases And describes the effect of one of the processes on the percentage of oxygen and carbon dioxide.</b>  Quality of written communication partly impedes communication of the science at this level.  (3 – 4 marks)</p> <p><b>Level 1</b>  <b>States the correct percentage of one of the gases OR</b>  <b>Describes the effect of one of the processes on the percentage of oxygen and carbon dioxide.</b>  Quality of communication impedes communication of the science at this level.  (1 – 2 marks)</p> <p><b>Level 0</b>  Insufficient or irrelevant science. Answer not worthy of credit.  (0 marks)</p>	6	<p><b>This question is targeted at grades up to C</b></p> <p><b>Indicative scientific points may include:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Percentage of oxygen is any value between 20 and 22%</li> <li>Percentage of carbon dioxide is any value between 0.03 and 0.04%</li> <li>Respiration and combustion decrease percentage of oxygen and increase percentage of carbon dioxide</li> <li>Photosynthesis increases percentage of oxygen and decreases percentage of carbon dioxide</li> </ul> <p><b>Use the L1, L2, L3 annotations in Scoris, do not use ticks</b></p>
<b>Total</b>		<b>6</b>	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4 a	<b>any three from:</b>  amount of pollution / type of pollution (1)  cost (1)  availability (1)  toxicity / is it safe / is it harmful / is it dangerous (1)  ease of use (1)  storage (1)  flammability (1)  is it finite source / is it a fossil fuel (1)	3	<b>ignore</b> colour of flame  <b>allow</b> the gases produced (during combustion) eco-friendly is <b>not</b> sufficient
b	<b>any two from:</b>  lack of oxygen (1)  incomplete combustion (1)  forms soot / forms carbon (1)	2	<b>allow</b> ora if specified just 'amount of oxygen' is insufficient   <b>allow</b> flame not hot enough (1)  <b>allow</b> sodium (ions) injected into flame (1)
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	

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5 a	pie-chart (1)	1	<b>allow</b> any other way of indicating the correct answer such as a tick or a circle but answer line takes precedence
b	bar chart (1)	1	<b>allow</b> any other way of indicating the correct answer such as a tick or a circle but answer line takes precedence
c	C because it has most solvent (1)	1	answer must be <b>comparative</b>
d	thermochromic paint changes colour with temperature (1)  phosphorescent pigment glows in the dark (1)	2	<b>allow</b> thermochromic pigment changes colour when it gets hot or cold  <b>allow</b> references to heat instead of temperature  <b>allow</b> phosphorescent paint releases light in the dark  <b>not</b> phosphorescent pigment changes colour
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	



Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance								
6 a	<table><tr><td>Alloy</td><td>Metallic element</td></tr><tr><td>amalgam</td><td>(copper)</td></tr><tr><td>bronze</td><td>mercury</td></tr><tr><td>solder</td><td></td></tr></table>	Alloy	Metallic element	amalgam	(copper)	bronze	mercury	solder		2	<b>All four</b> correct (2)  <b>Two</b> or <b>three</b> correct (1)  <b>Ignore</b> any extra metals or alloys included in the table
	Alloy	Metallic element									
	amalgam	(copper)									
	bronze	mercury									
	solder										
b	(copper oxide has had) oxygen removed (1)	1	<b>allow</b> copper is made (1)  <b>allow</b> (copper ions have) gained electrons (1)  <b>allow</b> hydrogen gains oxygen (1)								
c	duralumin (no mark)  low density (1)  high strength / strong (1)	2	<b>allow</b> steel because it has the highest strength / steel because it is strong for <b>one mark</b>								
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>									

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7 a i	does not rust in boiled water / no rusting in tube <b>A</b> (1)  does not rust in dry air / no rusting in tube <b>D</b> (1)	2	<b>allow</b> tube with no air no rusting  <b>allow</b> tube with no water no rusting  <b>A</b> and <b>D</b> rust slower is <b>not</b> sufficient
ii	salt (water) (1)	1	<b>allow</b> sea water  <b>not</b> sodium
b	$4Al + 3O_2 \rightarrow 2Al_2O_3$  formulae (1)  balancing - conditional on correct formulae (1)	2	<b>allow</b> any correct multiple e.g. $2Al + \frac{3}{2}O_2 \rightarrow Al_2O_3$ <b>allow</b> = or $\Rightarrow$ for arrow <b>not</b> 'and' or & for +  <b>allow</b> one mark for correct balanced equation with minor errors of case, subscript and superscript e.g. $4AL + 3O^2 \rightarrow 2Al_2o_3$ (1)
<b>Total</b>		<b>5</b>	

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8 a i	air (1)	1	<b>allow</b> other ways of indicating answer e.g. tick or circle but the answer on the answer line takes precedence
ii	recycled (1)	1	<b>allow</b> sent round again / it is reacted together (again)
b	<p><b>[Level 3]</b>  <b>Extracts the correct conditions from the graph AND states at least two costs of making ammonia.</b>  Quality of written communication does not impede communication of the science at this level.  (5 – 6 marks)</p> <p><b>[Level 2]</b>  <b>Extracts one correct condition from the graph and states at one cost of making ammonia.</b>  OR  <b>Extracts the correct conditions from the graph OR States at least two costs of making ammonia.</b>    Quality of written communication partly impedes communication of the science at this level.  (3 – 4 marks)</p> <p><b>[Level 1]</b>  <b>Extracts one correct condition from the graph OR States one cost of making ammonia.</b>  Quality of written communication impedes communication of the science at this level.  (1 – 2 marks)</p> <p><b>[Level 0]</b>  Insufficient or irrelevant science. Answer not worthy of credit.  (0marks)</p>	6	<p><b>This question is targeted at grades up to C.</b></p> <p><b>Costs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• cost of starting materials</li> <li>• labour costs</li> <li>• cost of the plant / apparatus or equipment</li> <li>• cost of catalyst</li> <li>• rent or rates</li> <li>• health and safety</li> <li>• pollution control</li> </ul> <p><b>ignore</b> references to advertising / environment / transport / storage / packaging / energy / temperature and pressure</p> <p><b>Conditions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• any temperature from 350°C or below</li> <li>• any pressure from 400 atmospheres or above</li> </ul> <p><b>Use the L1, L2, L3 annotations in Scoris; do not use ticks.</b></p>
<b>Total</b>		<b>8</b>	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
9 a	idea of increased crop yield / faster growth (1)	1	<b>allow</b> to get bigger crops <b>ignore</b> vague answers e.g. to get better crops <b>ignore</b> reference to nutrients <b>ignore</b> speeds up crop yield
b	nitrogen (1) phosphorus (1)	2	<b>allow</b> N <b>allow</b> P <b>not</b> O / oxygen <b>not</b> H / hydrogen i.e. nitrogen, phosphorus and oxygen = 1 mark phosphorus, oxygen and hydrogen = 0 mark
c i	$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \text{potassium} & & \text{nitric} & & & & \\ \text{hydroxide} & + & \text{acid} & \rightarrow & \text{potassium} & + & \text{water} \\ & & & & \text{nitrate} & & \end{array}$ one correct product: potassium nitrate / water (1) remainder of word equation correct(1)	2	equation must be totally correct for 2 marks <b>allow</b> correct formulae or mix of names and formulae i.e. $\text{KOH} + \text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow \text{KNO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$  <b>allow</b> hydrogen oxide
ii	add a few drops of universal indicator to solution (1)  check against colour chart / idea that colour indicates pH (1)	2	<b>allow</b> use pH paper / pH indicator <b>not</b> litmus  <b>allow</b> specific reference to colour and pH e.g. green is pH 7 <b>allow</b> second marking point even if incorrect indicator is used
	<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
<b>10 a</b>	$(2 \times 23) + 12 + (3 \times 16)$ (1)	1	mark is for the working out and <b>not</b> for the final answer <b>allow</b> $23 + 23 + 12 + 16 + 16 + 16$ etc.
<b>b i</b>	gas produced / gas escapes / carbon dioxide made / steam made (1)	1	<b>not</b> name or formula of incorrect gas <b>ignore</b> references to evaporation unless linked with water
<b>ii</b>	5.3	1	unit <b>not</b> needed
<b>iii</b>	<b>any two from</b> reaction not complete / AW did not heat for long enough / temperature not high enough (1) some solid spits out of the test-tube (1)	2	<b>allow</b> not all the water escapes (1) <b>allow</b> a mistake in the mass reading (1)
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
11 a	<p><b>Level 3</b> Describes two stages of extracting drug from plant material <b>AND</b> Explains why the drug is impure using both melting point and chromatography data. Quality of communication does not impede communication of science at this level. (5-6 marks)</p> <p><b>Level 2</b> Answer describes one stage of extracting drug from plant material <b>AND</b> explains why the drug is impure using <u>either</u> melting point <u>or</u> chromatography data <b>OR</b> Answer describes two stages of extracting drug from plant material. <b>OR</b> Explains why the drug is impure using <u>both</u> melting point and chromatography data. Quality of written communication partly impedes communication of the science at this level. (3 – 4 marks)</p> <p><b>Level 1</b> Describes one stage of extracting drug from plant material <b>OR</b> Explains why the drug is impure using <u>either</u> melting point <u>or</u> chromatography data. Quality of communication impedes communication of the science at this level. (1 – 2 marks)</p> <p><b>Level 0</b> Insufficient or irrelevant science. Answer not worthy of credit. (0 marks)</p>	6	<p><b>This question is targeted at grades up to C</b></p> <p><b>Indicative scientific points for extraction may include:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Crushing (plant material)</li> <li>• Boiling (with a solvent)</li> <li>• Dissolving (with a solvent) / solvent extraction</li> <li>• Chromatography</li> <li>• Crystallisation</li> <li>• Evaporation</li> <li>• Filtration</li> </ul> <p><b>Indicative scientific points for analysis may include:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drug is impure</li> <li>• Chromatography shows that there are (at least) two substances (so not pure)</li> <li>• Melting point is below that of the pure sample so not pure</li> <li>• Melting point is a range so not pure</li> </ul> <p><b>Use the L1, L2, L3 annotations in Scoris, do not use ticks</b></p>

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<b>b</b>	<b>any two from</b>  idea that the drug must be as pure as possible (1)  idea that the drug must have no side effects / needs to be safe to use / not addictive (1)  idea that the drug must have been extensively trialled / idea that the drug does what it is supposed to do (1)	2	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	

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12 a	thermometer (1)	1	<b>allow</b> temperature probe										
b	fair test / easier to compare results (1)	1	<b>ignore</b> to make the results reliable										
c	<table><thead><tr><th>Fuel</th><th>Temperature change of water in °C</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>A</td><td>23</td></tr><tr><td>B</td><td>26</td></tr><tr><td>C</td><td>27</td></tr><tr><td>D</td><td>30</td></tr></tbody></table> <p>Correct temperature changes (1)</p> <p>Fuel <b>D</b> (1)</p>	Fuel	Temperature change of water in °C	A	23	B	26	C	27	D	30	2	<b>allow</b> ecf from incorrect temperature changes
Fuel	Temperature change of water in °C												
A	23												
B	26												
C	27												
D	30												
d	exothermic (1)	1											
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>											



Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
13 a	$\text{zinc} + \text{hydrochloric (acid)} \rightarrow \text{zinc chloride} + \text{hydrogen}$	1	any order for reactants any order for products <b>allow</b> unbalanced symbol equation e.g. $\text{Zn} + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{ZnCl}_2 + \text{H}_2$ <b>allow</b> mix of name and correct formula
b i	zinc has a greater gradient / iron has a smaller gradient (1)  less gas is made with zinc / more gas is made with iron (1)	2	<b>allow</b> reaction with zinc is faster / reaction with iron is slower / takes less time to react
ii	Powder has more surface area / more collisions (per second) / more exposed particles (1)	1	assume answers refer to powder unless lump is specified  <b>allow</b> or a lump has less surface area / less collisions (per second) / less exposed particles
iii	<b>any three from:</b>  higher temperature / heat (1) greater concentration (1) add a catalyst (1) use a finer powder (1) shake or stir (1)	3	<b>ignore</b> increase pressure
	<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	

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