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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.

| Question number | Answer | | | Marks |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------|
| 1 | | | | 6 |
| | Information | Substance | | |
| | a good conductor of electricity | copper | | |
| | a noble gas | helium | | |
| | a mixture | air | | |
| | a liquid at room temperature | bromine | | |
| | used in fire extinguishers | carbon dioxide/helium/nitrogen | | |
| | used as a fuel | methane | | |

Total for Question 1 = 6

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|--|-------|
| 2 (a) | Any 3 from | | 3 |
| | M1 (moving) water particles/molecules bombard/collide with the sugar cube | | |
| | M2 sugar particles/molecules go into solution/dissolve | | |
| | M3 sugar particles/molecules spread out/diffuse/move randomly | ALLOW sugar particles move from area of high concentration to area of low concentration | |
| | M4 (until) sugar particles/molecules are distributed evenly in the water | Max 2 if no reference to sugar particles/ molecules | |
| (b) (i) | B distillation | | 1 |
| | A is incorrect as the diagram does not show the approximation C is incorrect as the diagram does not show the app D is incorrect as the diagram does not show the app | paratus used for filtration | |
| (ii) | P tripod | | 4 |
| | Q gauze | ACCEPT wire gauze | |
| | R condenser | ALLOW condensing tube | |
| | S conical flask | Do not allow just flask | |

| | Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|---|-----------------|---|--|-------|
| 3 | (a) | pencil/it won't dissolve (in water/solvent) | ACCEPT ink/pen would/might dissolve (in water/solvent) | 1 |
| | | | ALLOW pencil won't separate (in the water) | |
| | | | ALLOW ink would mix with the food colourings/water | |
| | | | ALLOW ink would smudge/run/separate (in the water)/interfere with the results | |
| | (b) (i) | D contains only one colouring | | 1 |
| | | A is incorrect as drink A contains three co B is incorrect as drink B contains two colo C is incorrect as drink C contains three co | urings | |
| | (ii) | M1 C | | 2 |
| | | M2 spot moved the furthest/greatest distance | ACCEPT has a spot nearest to water/solvent front ALLOW blob/dot/mark/point/colour/dye for spot M2 dep on M1 correct or missing | |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|--|---|-------|
| (iii) | M1 A and C | | 2 |
| | M2 have spot at same level/travelled same distance | ALLOW spots align/have same R _f values ALLOW blob/dot/mark/point/colour /dye for spot M2 dep on M1 | |

Total for Question 3 = 6

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|---|-------|
| 4 (a) | proton 1 +1 | | 3 |
| | neutron 1 0 | ALLOW zero / neutral / no charge / none | |
| | electron 1/1836 -1 | ALLOW 1/1800 to 1/2000 ALLOW 0.0005 to 0.00056 ALLOW negligible | |
| | All 6 correct 3 marks 4 or 5 correct 2 marks | REJECT 0 / almost 0 | |
| | 2 or 3 correct 1 mark | Columns reversed MAX 1 | |
| (b) (i) | Т | ALLOW Mg / magnesium | 1 |
| (ii) | Т | ALLOW Mg / magnesium | 1 |
| (iii) | Q | ALLOW O ²⁻ / oxide ion | 1 |
| (iv) | S | ALLOW F / fluorine | 1 |
| (c) | D the same number of protons | | 1 |
| | A is incorrect as isotopes do not have a diffe B is incorrect as isotopes do not have a diffe C is incorrect as isotopes do not have the sa | erent number of electrons | |

Total for Question 4 = 8

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|--|-------|
| 5 (a) (i) | A atomic number | | 1 |
| | B is incorrect as the elements in the Per increasing mass number | riodic Table are not arranged in order of | |
| | C is incorrect as the elements in the Periodic increasing neutron number | odic Table are not arranged in order of | |
| | D is incorrect as the elements in the Perincreasing relative atomic mass | iodic Table are not arranged in order of | |
| (ii) | Phosphorus/P | | 1 |
| (iii) | Any two from: | | 2 |
| | M1 carbon | ALLOWC/N/F | |
| | M2 nitrogen | ALLOW N ₂ /F ₂ | |
| | M3 fluorine | ALLOW boron/B | |
| | | ALLOW 1 mark for names/formulae of two correct acidic oxides | |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|--------|---|------------|
| _ | | Notes ACCEPT makes lakes acidic / lowers pH of lakes IGNORE pollution plants/trees/vegetation/crops/named example dies/stunted growth/harmed/damaged/poisoned IGNORE deforestation/ leaching minerals fish/aquatic animals/pond life/marine life/named example dies/stunted growth /harmed /damaged /poisoned IGNORE references to just animals limestone/marble reacts/corrodes/is eaten away NOT just buildings | Marks 2 |
| | | IGNORE rusts or physical process such as erosion / weathering/ wearing away / dissolving ACCEPT destroys for adverse effect in all of above IGNORE respiratory problems IGNORE harmful/dangerous | |
| | | 10110112 Harring dangerous | |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|--|--|-------|
| 5 (b) (i) | magnesium + sulfur → magnesium sulfide | ACCEPT sulphur ACCEPT magnesium sulphide | 1 |
| | | REJECT magnesium sulf ite / magnesium sulf ate | |
| (ii) | M1 (each) magnesium/Mg (atom) loses two electrons /Mg (electronic configuration) changes from 2.8.2 to 2.8 M2 (each) sulfur/S (atom) gains two electrons /S (electronic configuration) changes from 2.8.6 to 2.8.8 M3 Mg²⁺ and S²⁻ | Mg transfers two electrons to S scores M1 and M2 ALLOW 1 mark for Mg loses electron(s) and S gains electron(s) No M1 or M2 if mention of electron sharing or covalent bonding ALLOW Mg (ion) has a charge of 2+/+2 and S (ion) has a charge of 2-/-2 Two correct ionic half equations scores all 3 marks | 3 |
| | | Diagrams showing electron transfer and charges on the ions scores all 3 marks | |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|--|-------|
| 5 (b) (iii) | | Correct answer with no working or alternative correct working scores 3 marks | 3 |
| | M1 $n(Mg) = 0.30/24 = 0.0125$ | BUT if atomic numbers used in M1 and M2 only M3 can be scored (for | |
| | M2 $M_r (MgS) = 56$ | an answer of 0.7g) | |
| | M3 mass MgS = $0.0125 \times 56 = 0.7(0)g$ | | |
| | OR | ALLOW ECF if M1 and/or M2 incorrect | |
| | M1 Mr (MgS) = 56 | | |
| | M2 (so) 24 (g Mg) gives 56 (g MgS) | | |
| | M3 (so) 0.30 (g Mg) gives 56/24 x 0.3 = 0.7(0) g | ALLOW ECF for M2 and M3 if M1 incorrect | |
| | | | |

Total for Question 5 = 13

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|--|---|-------|
| 6 (a) | $CaCO_3 + 2HNO_3 \rightarrow Ca(NO_3)_2 + CO_2 + H_2O$ | ALLOW multiples | 2 |
| | M1 all correct formulae | IGNORE state symbols even if | |
| | M2 correct balancing | incorrect | |
| | M2 DEP on M1 | | |
| (b) (i) | M1 carbon dioxide/gas would escape through thistle funnel | ACCEPT end of thistle funnel should go into the acid ALLOW should be a tap on thistle funnel | 2 |
| | M2 should collect by downward delivery /gas jar wrong way up OWTTE | ACCEPT carbon dioxide/gas more dense than air so would not go into gas jar OWTTE IGNORE should collect gas over water / in a gas syringe | |
| (ii) | M1 calcium sulfate insoluble M2 (calcium sulfate) forms coating on marble chips (and stops acid reacting with marble chips) OWTTE | ALLOW calcium sulfate only slightly soluble / is a precipitate ALLOW solid calcium sulfate produced | 2 |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|------------------------|-------|
| (c) | C weakly acidic | | 1 |
| | A is incorrect because a solution with pH 6 | is not weakly alkaline | |
| | B is incorrect because a solution with pH 6 is not strongly alkaline | | |
| | C is incorrect because a solution with pH 6 | is not strongly acidic | |
| | | | |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|--|---|-------|
| 6 (d) (i) | M1 (electrostatic) attraction between bonding/shared pair(s) of electrons | ALLOW electrostatic forces for attraction | 2 |
| | M2 and nuclei (of both atoms) OR | Do not award M2 if reference to only one nucleus | |
| | M1 bonding/shared pair(s) of electrons | | |
| | M2 attracted to nuclei (of both atoms) | Do not award M2 if reference to only one nucleus | |
| | | If the implication is that the shared pair of electrons is between molecules or ions rather than atoms scores 0 out of 2 | |
| (ii) | M1 weak forces/attraction(s) between molecules / weak intermolecular forces M2 (so) little (thermal/heat) energy required to overcome the forces /attraction(s) (between molecules) /separate the molecules | ALLOW weak bonds between molecules / intermolecular bonds ALLOW little energy needed to break the bonds if it is clear that they are referring to intermolecular forces IGNORE less energy required Any reference to weak covalent bonds / weak bonds between atoms or breaking of covalent bonds /breaking of bonds between atoms scores 0 out of 2 | 2 |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|---|-------|
| 6 (d) (iii) | M1 two pairs electrons between carbon atom and both oxygen atoms | ALLOW any combination of dots and crosses | 2 |
| | M2 rest of molecule fully correct M2 DEP on M1 | ; Ö <u>;</u> Ö <u>;</u> Ö | |

Total for Question 6 = 13

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|--|--|-------|
| 7 (a) | haematite | | 1 |
| (b) | nitrogen | ACCEPT N₂ REJECT other gases | 1 |
| (c) | M1 carbon reacts with oxygen to form carbon dioxide | ACCEPT word or chemical equations for both marks ALLOW coke for carbon in M1 and M2 ALLOW carbon dioxide is formed by the decomposition of limestone/word or chemical equation to show this | 2 |
| | M2 carbon dioxide reacts with carbon to form carbon monoxide | ALLOW (carbon monoxide is formed by) incomplete combustion of carbon/coke or chemical equation to show this for 1 mark Carbon reacts with oxygen alone is insufficient | |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|--------------------------------|-------|
| 7 (d) | $Fe_2O_3 + 3CO \rightarrow 2Fe + 3CO_2$ | ACCEPT multiples and fractions | 2 |
| | M1 correct formulae | | |
| | M2 correct balancing | | |
| | M2 dependent on M1 | | |

Total for Question 7 = 13

| | stion mber | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|------|---------------|--|---|-------|
| 8 (a |) (i) | thermometer | ALLOW Bunsen (burner) | 1 |
| | (ii) | M1 to cool the vapour(s)/gas(es)M2 (and) to condense it/turn it to liquid | | 2 |
| (b |) (i) | (Fraction) A | ALLOW (boiling point) 30-60 | 1 |
| | (ii) | (Fraction) A | ALLOW (boiling point) 30-60 | 1 |
| (c) |) (i) | C ₁₀ H ₂₂ | Penalise incorrect use of case/superscripts etc | 1 |
| | (ii) | C_nH_{2n+2} | | 1 |

| | Questi numb | | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|---|----------------|------|--|---|-------|
| 8 | (d) | (i) | $C_{14}H_{30} \rightarrow C_8H_{18} + 2 C_3H_6$ | ALLOW $C_3H_6 + C_3H_6$ | |
| | | | M1 C ₃ H ₆ M2 fully correct equation | ALLOW 1 mark for $C_2H_4 + C_4H_8$ or | 2 |
| | | (ii) | M1 silica / alumina | C ₆ H ₁₂ in fully correct equation ACCEPT aluminium oxide/silicon | 2 |
| | | | M2 600-700 (°C) | dioxide /Al ₂ O ₃ /SiO ₂ / aluminosilicate(s)/zeolite(s) | |
| | | | | ACCEPT any temperature in the range 600 to 700 inclusive | |

Total for Question 8 = 11

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|--|-------|
| 9 (a) (i) | no change/no reaction OWTTE | | 1 |
| (ii) | most sodium magnesium zinc least platinum | ACCEPT correct symbols | 1 |
| (iii) | (when mixed with air) burns with pop | Must be reference to test and result ACCEPT lighted spill/splint and pop REJECT glowing spill/splint IGNORE squeaky pop test alone | 1 |
| (iv) | magnesium + hydrochloric acid → magnesium chloride + hydrogen | ACCEPT correct chemical equation | 1 |
| (v) | explodes/violent (reaction) | ALLOW dangerous/unsafe ALLOW sodium too reactive/very reactive/reaction too vigorous | 1 |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|--|--|-------|
| 9 (b) (i) | Any 2 from | | 2 |
| | M1 brown/pink/pink-brown solid formed | ACCEPT brown/pink/pink-brown coating on zinc | |
| | | ALLOW brown/pink/pink-brown precipitate | |
| | Ma (bloc) colubration become colored to decolorized to | ALLOW red-brown | |
| | M2 (blue) solution turns colourless/is decolourised / colour of solution fades/turns paler (blue) | REJECT incorrect initial colour of solution | |
| | M3 zinc metal gets smaller | ALLOW zinc dissolves/disappears | |
| | | IGNORE bubbles/effervescence | |
| (ii) | M1 don't know whether zinc or nickel is more reactive | | 2 |
| | M2 because no experiment was done between a zinc salt and nickel/ a nickel salt and zinc OWTTE | ALLOW no experiment was done to compare zinc and nickel/need to do experiment to compare zinc and nickel OWTTE | |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|---|-------|
| 9 (c) | M1 zinc/Zn loses electrons | ALLOW correct explanations in terms of oxidation number changes | 3 |
| | M2 copper ion/Cu²+ gains electronsM3 zinc/Zn is oxidised and copper/Cu (ion)/Cu²+ is reduced | ACCEPT correct half equations for M1 and M2 ALLOW both oxidation and reduction occur (at same time/in same reaction) IGNORE references to loss and gain of oxygen | |

Total for Question 9 = 12

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|--|-------|
| 10 (a) (i) | M1 in nitrogen/in an element all atoms contain the same number of protons/have the same atomic number | ALLOW nitrogen / an element contains only one type of atom | 2 |
| | | ALLOW nitrogen only contains nitrogen atoms | |
| | M2 ammonia contains two elements/two different types of atoms/N and H (chemically) bonded together/chemically combined | ACCEPT contains atoms with different numbers of protons/different atomic numbers | |
| (ii) | M1 (X) hydrogen | ALLOW H ₂ IGNORE H | 2 |
| | M2 (raw material) natural gas | ALLOW methane/hydrocarbons/water/steam | |
| (iii) | Iron/Fe | | 1 |
| (iv) | catalyst | ACCEPT references to speed up reaction IGNORE lowers activation energy | 1 |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|---|-------|
| 10 (b) (i) | neutralisation | ACCEPT acid-base IGNORE exothermic | 1 |
| (ii) | M1 ammonium sulfate M2 (NH ₄) ₂ SO ₄ | REJECT ammonium sulf ite /sulf ide | 2 |
| (iii) | M1 add (aqueous) sodium hydroxide/NaOH | If incorrect or no reagent 0 marks ALLOW other alkalis ACCEPT pH/UI paper | 3 |
| | M2 test gas/ammonia with (moist/damp) red litmusM3 (litmus) turns blue | ACCEPT indigo/violet/purple if pH paper used | |
| | | If implication that they are testing the solution with litmus no M2 or M3 | |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|--|---|-------|
| 10 (c) | M1 liquid occupies smaller volume OWTTE | ACCEPT particles in liquid closer together ORA | 2 |
| | M2 so can transport larger mass/amount (in same size container) | ACCEPT liquid more dense than gas | |
| | OR | | |
| | M1 gas transported under pressure | | |
| | M2 risk of explosion / leakage | | |
| (d) (i) | enthalpy change | ACCEPT heat (energy) change/thermal energy change | 1 |
| | | IGNORE energy change IGNORE enthalpy alone | |
| (ii) | (forward) reaction exothermic | ACCEPT backward reaction is endothermic | 1 |
| (iii) | more moles (of gas) on right hand side/product side ORA | ACCEPT 9 moles on LHS and 10 moles on RHS | 1 |
| | | ALLOW molecules/particles for moles | |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|--|---|-------|
| 10 (e) | M1 it is a fertiliser/ it contains nitrogen | ALLOW it provides nitrate ions | 2 |
| | M2 and therefore increases crop yield / provides essential nutrients for plant growth | ALLOW helps crops/plants grow faster/increases plant growth | |
| | | ALLOW for plants to make amino acids/proteins | |

Total for Question 10 = 19

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|---|-------|
| 11 (a) (i) | $Pb(NO_3)_2$ (aq) + K_2CrO_4 (aq) \rightarrow $PbCrO_4$ (s) + $2KNO_3$ (aq) | | 1 |
| (ii) | 2-/CrO ₄ ²⁻ | ACCEPT -2/CrO ₄ -2 | 1 |
| (b) (i) | Height of precipitate in cm 2 1 Volume of lead(II) nitrate solution in cm ³ | M1& M2 all eleven points plotted to nearest gridline Deduct 1 mark for each error | 2 |
| (ii) | anomalous point (at 2.1, 14) circled | | 1 |
| (iii) | M1 best fit straight line through first 6 points drawn with aid of a ruler M2 best fit straight line through last 5 points drawn with aid of a ruler | No penalty if lines do not cross or if the two straight lines are joined by a curve | 2 |
| | | Penalise lack of use of a ruler once only | |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|--|-------|
| 11 (b) (iv) | volume from candidate's graph to \pm 0.2 cm ³ | Do not award mark if lines do not cross. | 1 |
| (v) | Any 2 from | | 2 |
| | M1 started with less than 5cm³ potassium chromate | | |
| | M2 added too little lead(II) nitrate | | |
| | M3 precipitate not left for long enough to settle | If no other mark scored allow 1 mark for misread volume/misread height | |
| (c) (i) | M1 filter (off the precipitate) | ALLOW 'decant' | 3 |
| | M2 wash <u>precipitate/solid/lead(II) chromate</u> (with distilled/deionised/pure water) | REJECT refs to crystallisation for M2 and M3 | |
| | M3 dry in a (warm) oven / leave to dry / dry with filter paper | REJECT any direct method of heating with a flame, eg Bunsen burner | |
| (ii) | M1 flame test M2 lilac | ACCEPT description of flame test IGNORE burn ALLOW purple/pink | 2 |
| | | | |

| Question number | Answer | Notes | Marks |
|-----------------|---|--|-------|
| 11 (d) | M1 $n[KI] = 5.0 \times 0.90/1000 = 0.0045 \text{ (mol)}$ | Correct answer without working scores 3 marks | 3 |
| | M2 $n[(Pb(NO_3)_2] = \frac{1}{2} \times M1 = 0.00225 \text{ (mol)}$ | | |
| | M3 $conc^{n}[Pb(NO_{3})_{2}] = M2 \times 1000/8 = 0.28$ (mol/dm^{3}) | ACCEPT any number of sig figs, correctly rounded, except 1 Calculator value is 0.28125 | |
| | | 0.56(25) and 1.1(25) both score 2 marks | |

Total for Question 11 = 18

