

GCE

Chemistry A

H432/01: Periodic table, elements and physical chemistry

A Level

Mark Scheme for June 2022

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Mark schemes should be read in conjunction with the published question papers and the report on the examination.

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MARKING INSTRUCTIONS

PREPARATION FOR MARKING

RM ASSESSOR

- 1. Make sure that you have accessed and completed the relevant training packages for on-screen marking: *RM Assessor Online Training*; *OCR Essential Guide to Marking*.
- 2. Make sure that you have read and understood the mark scheme and the question paper for this unit.
- 3. Log-in to RM Assessor and mark the **required number** of practice responses ("scripts") and the **required number** of standardisation responses.

MARKING

- 1. Mark strictly to the mark scheme.
- 2. Marks awarded must relate directly to the marking criteria.
- 3. The schedule of dates is very important. It is essential that you meet the RM Assessor 50% and 100% (traditional 50% Batch 1 and 100% Batch 2) deadlines. If you experience problems, you must contact your Team Leader (Supervisor) without delay.
- 4. If you are in any doubt about applying the mark scheme, consult your Team Leader by telephone, email or via the RM Assessor messaging system.
- Work crossed out:

Crossed Out Responses

Where a candidate has crossed out a response and provided a clear alternative then the crossed out response is not marked. Where no alternative response has been provided, examiners may give candidates the benefit of the doubt and mark the crossed out response where legible.

Rubric Error Responses – Optional Questions

Where candidates have a choice of question across a whole paper or a whole section and have provided more answers than required, then all responses are marked and the highest mark allowable within the rubric is given. Enter a mark for each question answered into RM assessor, which will select the highest mark from those awarded. (The underlying assumption is that the candidate has penalised themselves by attempting more questions than necessary in the time allowed.)

Multiple Choice Question Responses

When a multiple choice question has only a single, correct response and a candidate provides two responses (even if one of these responses is correct), then no mark should be awarded (as it is not possible to determine which was the first response selected by the candidate). When a question requires candidates to select more than one option/multiple options, then local marking arrangements need to ensure consistency of approach.

Contradictory Responses

When a candidate provides contradictory responses, then no mark should be awarded, even if one of the answers is correct.

Short Answer Questions (requiring only a list by way of a response, usually worth only **one mark per response**)

Where candidates are required to provide a set number of short answer responses then only the set number of responses should be marked. The response space should be marked from left to right on each line and then line by line until the required number of responses have been considered. The remaining responses should not then be marked. Examiners will have to apply judgement as to whether a 'second response' on a line is a development of the 'first response', rather than a separate, discrete response. (The underlying assumption is that the candidate is attempting to hedge their bets and therefore getting undue benefit rather than engaging with the guestion and giving the most relevant/correct responses.)

Short Answer Questions (requiring a more developed response, worth **two or more marks**)

If the candidates are required to provide a description of, say, three items or factors and four items or factors are provided, then mark on a similar basis – that is downwards (as it is unlikely in this situation that a candidate will provide more than one response in each section of the response space.)

Longer Answer Questions (requiring a developed response)

Where candidates have provided two (or more) responses to a medium or high tariff question which only required a single (developed) response and not crossed out the first response, then only the first response should be marked. Examiners will need to apply professional judgement as to whether the second (or a subsequent) response is a 'new start' or simply a poorly expressed continuation of the first response.

- 6. Always check the pages (and additional objects if present) at the end of the response in case any answers have been continued there. If the candidate has continued an answer there then add a tick to confirm that the work has been seen.
- 7. Award No Response (NR) if:
 - there is nothing written in the answer space.

Award Zero '0' if:

anything is written in the answer space and is not worthy of credit (this includes text and symbols).

Team Leaders must confirm the correct use of the NR button with their markers before live marking commences and should check this when reviewing scripts.

- 8. The RM Assessor **comments box** is used by your Team Leader to explain the marking of the practice responses. Please refer to these comments when checking your practice responses. **Do not use the comments box for any other reason.**
 - If you have any questions or comments for your Team Leader, use the phone, the RM Assessor messaging system, or email.
- 9. Assistant Examiners will send a brief report on the performance of candidates to their Team Leader (Supervisor) via email by the end of the marking period. The report should contain notes on particular strengths displayed as well as common errors or weaknesses. Constructive criticism of the question paper/mark scheme is also appreciated.

10. For answers marked by levels of response:

Read through the whole answer from start to finish, using the Level descriptors to help you decide whether it is a strong or weak answer. The indicative scientific content in the Guidance column indicates the expected parameters for candidates' answers, but be prepared to recognise and credit unexpected approaches where they show relevance. Using a 'best-fit' approach based on the skills and science content evidenced within the answer, first decide which set of level descriptors, Level 1, Level 2 or Level 3, best describes the overall quality of the answer.

Once the level is located, award the higher or lower mark:

The higher mark should be awarded where the level descriptor has been evidenced and all aspects of the communication statement (in italics) have been met.

The lower mark should be awarded where the level descriptor has been evidenced but aspects of the communication statement (in italics) are missing.

In summary:

The skills and science content determines the level.

The communication statement determines the mark within a level.

Level of response questions on this paper are 20(a) and Q22(c)

The only annotation on a level of response question should be the indication of the level.

A level annotation should be used where all marks for a level have been achieved. e.g. if a candidate has 6 marks, they would have this annotation on their script:

L3

If a candidate has achieved 5 marks then they have reached Level 3 but will not have met the communication statement. They should have the following annotations on their scripts:

L3 A

The same principle should be applied to Level 2 and Level 1.

No marks (0) should have a cross:



Place the annotations alongside the mark for the question.

On additional pages, annotate using SEEN

11. Annotations available in RM Assessor

Annotation	Meaning
✓	Correct response
×	Incorrect response
^	Omission mark
BOD	Benefit of doubt given
CON	Contradiction
RE	Rounding error
SF	Error in number of significant figures
ECF	Error carried forward
L1	Level 1
L2	Level 2
L3	Level 3
NBOD	Benefit of doubt not given
SEEN	Noted but no credit given
I	Ignore
BP	Blank page

12. Abbreviations, annotations and conventions used in the detailed Mark Scheme (to include abbreviations and subject-specific conventions).

Annotation	Meaning
DO NOT ALLOW	Answers which are not worthy of credit
IGNORE	Statements which are irrelevant
ALLOW	Answers that can be accepted
()	Words which are not essential to gain credit
_	Underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark
ECF	Error carried forward
AW	Alternative wording
ORA	Or reverse argument

13. Subject-specific Marking Instructions

INTRODUCTION

Your first task as an Examiner is to become thoroughly familiar with the material on which the examination depends. This material includes:

- the specification, especially the assessment objectives
- the question paper
- the mark scheme.

You should ensure that you have copies of these materials.

You should ensure also that you are familiar with the administrative procedures related to the marking process. These are set out in the OCR booklet **Instructions for Examiners**. If you are examining for the first time, please read carefully **Appendix 5 Introduction to Script Marking: Notes for New Examiners**.

Please ask for help or guidance whenever you need it. Your first point of contact is your Team Leader.

SECTION A

Question	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
1	D	1	2.7	
2	С	1	1.2	
3	В	1	2.2	
4	С	1	2.8	
5	В	1	2.2	
6	В	1	1.2	
7	Α	1	2.2	
8	Α	1	1.2	
9	Α	1	1.1	
10	A	1	2.1	
11	D	1	2.3	
12	С	1	1.2	
13	Award the mark regardless of response.	1	2.2	
14	Α	1	1.2	
15	В	1	1.2	
	Total	15		

SECTION B

SECTION B				
Answer		element	Guidance	
Number of molecules Axes labelled (number of) molecules AND (kinetic) energy AND correct drawing of a Boltzmann distribution i.e. curve must start within the first small square nearest to the origin AND must not touch the x-axis at high energy ✓ Drawing of correct Boltzmann distributions at two different temperatures with one termperature identified. ✓	3	AO1.1 ×3	ALLOW particles on the y-axis DO NOT ALLOW atoms on y-axis DO NOT ALLOW enthalpy on x-axis DO NOT ALLOW an increase of more than one small square at the high energy end of the curve i.e. allow a small inflection ALLOW T2 as 'higher termperature' Maximum of curve for higher temperature must be to the right AND lower than the maximum of the curve for lower temperature Lines can only cross once	
(At higher temperature) more molecules/particles have energy above activation energy ✓			ALLOW ORA if states the effect when the temperature is lower ALLOW has enough energy to react ALLOW E_a shown on graph AND greater area under the curve to the right of E_a DO NOT ALLOW lowers E_a DO NOT ALLOW atoms for molecules IGNORE (more) successful collisions	
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(a)	(ii)	Orders (Expt 1+2) When [NO] × 2, rate × 4 AND 2nd order with respect to NO ✓	5	AO3.1	ALLOW ORA throughout e.g. expt 2+1 [NO] halves, rate quarters etc. IGNORE [CO] constant
		(Expt 2+3) When [NO] × 2 AND [CO] × 4, rate × 16 AND 1st order with respect to CO ✓		AO3.2	ALLOW if working shown with the table. ALLOW if seen in 2 steps i.e. When [NO] × 2, rate x 4 AND [CO] × 4, intermediate rate × 4.
				AO2.6	
				AO1.2 ×2	ALLOW comparing Expt 1+3 When [NO] × 4 AND [CO] × 4, rate × 64 AND 1st order with respect to CO
		Rate Equation rate = $k \text{ [NO]}^2 \text{[CO]} \checkmark$ Value of k $(k = \frac{1.85 \times 10^{-4}}{(2.75 \times 10^{-4})^2 \times 7.25 \times 10^{-4}})$			ALLOW ECF from incorrect orders ALLOW rate = k [NO] ² [CO] ¹ ALLOW rate equation with correct numbers substituted
		= 3.37 × 10 ⁶ ✓			ALLOW 3.36 x 10 ⁶ from the use of Expt 3 IGNORE errors in working out – the mark is for the value ALLOW 3 SF upto the calculator value 3374180.678 OR 3.374180678 x10 ⁶ IGNORE rounding errors past 3SF
		Units of k dm ⁶ mol ⁻² s ⁻¹ \checkmark			ALLOW units in any order e.g. mol ⁻² dm ⁶ s ⁻¹ ALLOW ECF from incorrect rate equation.

Ques	tion	Answer		AO element	Guidance
					Common errors 4 marks (including units) 4.65 x 10 ⁹ mol ⁻³ dm ⁹ s ⁻¹ (use of 2 nd order with respect to CO) 2446 mol ⁻¹ dm ³ s ⁻¹ (use of zero order wrt CO)
(b)		2NO₂ only on LHS of step 1 ✓ Rest of mechanism ✓	2	AO3.1 ×2	M2 dependent on M1 Examples: Step 1: $2NO_2 \rightarrow NO + NO_3$ Step 2: $NO_3 + CO \rightarrow NO_2 + CO_2$ OR Step 1: $2NO_2 \rightarrow N_2O_4$ Step 2: $N_2O_4 + CO \rightarrow NO + NO_2 + CO_2$ OR Step 1: $2NO_2 \rightarrow N_2 + 2O_2$ Step 2: $N_2 + 2O_2 + CO \rightarrow NO + NO_2 + CO_2$ OR Step 1: $2NO_2 \rightarrow N_2 + 2O_2$ Step 2: $N_2 + 2O_2 + CO \rightarrow NO + NO_2 + CO_2$ OR Step 1: $2NO_2 \rightarrow 2NO + O_2$ Step 2: $NO_2 \rightarrow 2NO + O_2$ Step 2: $NO_2 \rightarrow 2NO + O_2$ Check with Team Leader for other equations where the 2 steps combine to form the overall equation.
		Total	10		

C	Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance	
17	(a)	(i)	FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE IF T = 52.4 °C OR 52.5 °C award 4 marks IF T = 32.4 (°C) award 3 marks	4		FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED	
			Correctly calculates $n(AgNO_3)$ = 0.400 × $\frac{100.0}{1000}$ OR 0.04(00) (mol) \checkmark		AO1.2		
			Energy released per mole of AgNO ₃ in J OR kJ $= \frac{678 \times 0.0400}{2} \text{ OR } 13.56 \text{ (kJ) OR } 13560 \text{ (J)} \checkmark$		AO2.4	ALLOW 13.6 kJ OR 13600 J (to 3SF) DO NOT ALLOW < 3 SF IGNORE any sign and units	
			Correctly calculates ΔT $\Delta T = \frac{13560}{100 \times 4.18} \text{ OR } 32.4 \text{ (°C)} \checkmark$		AO2.8	i.e. ALLOW correctly calculated value in J OR kJ	
			Maximum temperature reached = 32.4 + 20.0 = 52.4 °C ✓ 3 SF required		AO2.8	ALLOW ECF ONLY from calculated ΔT +20 °C	
						Common errors 3 marks 84.9 °C (not divided $\frac{\Delta H}{2}$)	

(a)	(ii)	Maximum temperature is the same AND Half the energy/ moles AND half the mass/volume	1	AO3.4	ALLOW response that links the same proportionality/ratio of volume/mass and energy/moles ALLOW if seen by a calculation
(b)	(i)	(Enthalpy change) when 1 mole of a compound is formed from its elements ✓	1	AO1.1 ×1	ALLOW energy required OR energy released ALLOW one mole of product/substance DO NOT ALLOW 1 mole of element DO NOT ALLOW is formed from its gaseous elements when 1 mole of a solid compound when 1 mole of a gaseous compound
	(ii)	FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = (+)90 award 2 marks	2	AO2.2	
		= -1172 + 1716 - 184 = (+)360 (kJ mol ⁻¹) ✓		×2	ALLOW ECF providing all values are used
		$\Delta_{\rm f} H^{\rm o}.{\rm NO}$ = $\frac{360}{4}$ = (+)90 (kJ mol ⁻¹) \checkmark			ALLOW one transcription error in the values used for M2 Common error 1 mark -90 (wrong sign)

(ii) FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = -2587 (kJ mol ⁻¹) award 3 marks ΔS° $\Delta S^{\circ} = 256 + 4(214) + 8(192) - 4(151) - 8(220)$ = $(+)284$ (J K ⁻¹ mol ⁻¹) \checkmark Use of T = 298 (K) AND $\Delta S = 0.284$ (kJ K ⁻¹ mol ⁻¹) \checkmark $\Delta H = (\Delta G + T\Delta S)$ = -2587 (kJ mol ⁻¹) \checkmark ALLOW ECF throughout M2 is for unit conversions seen anywhere. ALLOW 3SF up to the calculator value -2587.368 (kJ mol ⁻¹)	(c	(i)	a measure of the dispersal of energy (in a system) ✓	1	AO1.1	ALLOW a measure/degree of the disorder (of a system) ORA
ALLOW ECF from incorrect unit conversions or incorrect ΔS.		(ii)	If answer = -2587 (kJ mol ⁻¹) award 3 marks ΔS° $\Delta S^{\circ} = 256 + 4(214) + 8(192) - 4(151) - 8(220)$ = $(+)284$ (J K ⁻¹ mol ⁻¹) OR $(+)0.284$ (kJ K ⁻¹ mol ⁻¹) \checkmark Use of T = 298 (K) AND $\Delta S = 0.284$ (kJ K ⁻¹ mol ⁻¹) \checkmark	3		M2 is for unit conversions seen anywhere. ALLOW 3SF up to the calculator value -2587.368 (kJ mol ⁻¹) ALLOW ECF from incorrect unit conversions or

				Common errors 2 marks -2664.9 (kJ mol ⁻¹) (Use of 25°C) 81960 (kJ mol ⁻¹) (Use of ΔS 284) 4428 (kJ mol ⁻¹) (Use of 25°C and ΔS 284) -2756.632 (kJ mol ⁻¹) (Use of ΔS = -0.284)
(ii	ΔS is positive/ + AND ΔH is negative/ - \checkmark ΔG is negative (- at all temperatures) OR ΔG is (always) negative/ - \checkmark	2	AO3.1 AO3.2	ALLOW ΔH is exothermic ALLOW '-TΔS' is negative' ΔG comment is dependent on on the signs assigned to ΔS AND ΔH (either in answer or from 17 cii). ALLOW ECF from incorrect signs for ΔS and/or ΔH from c(ii) i.e. ΔS is positive/ + AND ΔH is positive/ + Reaction is feasible only at high temperatures ΔS is negative/ - AND ΔH is negative/ - Reaction is feasible only at low temperatures IGNORE ΔS is negative/ - AND ΔH is positive/ + (-ΔG given in 17 cii)
	Total	14		

Q	uestion	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
18	(a)	All points show a general increase from B (i.e ignore O) AND Ne lower than He ✓ O lower than N AND O is higher than C AND F higher than O✓	2	AO1.1 AO1.2	
	(b)	8.3×10^{-22} (kJ) \checkmark From $\frac{500}{6.02 \times 10^{23}}$ Answer MUST be to 2 SF AND in standard form.	1	AO2.2	ALLOW use of IEs close to 500 giving a range: 8.3 × 10 ⁻²² (from 500) to 9.1 × 10 ⁻²² (from 550)

	4		FULL ANNOTATIONS WITH TICKS, CROSSES, CON, etc MUST BE USED
Explanation for He Distance/shielding (Outer) electrons are in a lower energy/closer shell/smaller atomic radius/fewer shells ✓		AO1.1	ORA throughout Comparison needed for each mark ALLOW change of shell (i.e 2s and 1s) IGNORE 'different sub-shell'
Explanation for Be Nuclear charge number of protons/proton number increases OR greater nuclear charge ✓		AO1.1	IGNORE atomic number increases IGNORE nucleus gets bigger IGNORE 'effective nuclear charge increases'
Distance/shielding (Outer) electrons are in the same shell OR sub-shell OR (Outer) electrons experience the same/similar shielding OR Atomic radius decreases ✓		AO1.2	ALLOW same orbital IGNORE 'there is shielding' ALLOW 'greater repulsion from inner shells'
For either Be or He Attraction Greater nuclear attraction (on outer electrons) OR (outer) electrons attracted more strongly to the nucleus ✓		AO1.2	IGNORE just 'greater attraction' OR greater force IGNORE 'pull' for 'attraction' IGNORE 'held' for attracted, e.g. IGNORE 'held more strongly
	Distance/shielding (Outer) electrons are in a lower energy/closer shell/smaller atomic radius/fewer shells ✓ Explanation for Be Nuclear charge number of protons/proton number increases OR greater nuclear charge ✓ Distance/shielding (Outer) electrons are in the same shell OR sub-shell OR (Outer) electrons experience the same/similar shielding OR Atomic radius decreases ✓ For either Be or He Attraction Greater nuclear attraction (on outer electrons) OR	Explanation for He Distance/shielding (Outer) electrons are in a lower energy/closer shell/smaller atomic radius/fewer shells ✓ Explanation for Be Nuclear charge number of protons/proton number increases OR greater nuclear charge ✓ Distance/shielding (Outer) electrons are in the same shell OR sub-shell OR (Outer) electrons experience the same/similar shielding OR Atomic radius decreases ✓ For either Be or He Attraction Greater nuclear attraction (on outer electrons) OR	Explanation for He Distance/shielding (Outer) electrons are in a lower energy/closer shell/smaller atomic radius/fewer shells ✓ Explanation for Be Nuclear charge number of protons/proton number increases OR greater nuclear charge ✓ Distance/shielding (Outer) electrons are in the same shell OR sub-shell OR (Outer) electrons experience the same/similar shielding OR Atomic radius decreases ✓ For either Be or He Attraction Greater nuclear attraction (on outer electrons) OR

(d)	Sub-shells Be electron is in (2)s AND B electron is in (2)p ✓	2	AO1.2 ×2	IGNORE number before s and p DO NOT ALLOW "shell" IGNORE block
	Energy levels B / (2)p is higher energy (level) OR Be / (2)s is lower energy (level) ✓			DO NOT ALLOW unpaired electron removed more easily (ORA) IGNORE 'less energy to remove' IGNORE comments about distance from nucleus IGNORE 2s shielding
	Total	9		

Ques	stion	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
19 (a)	(i)	Titres 22.75 22.45 22.70 22.55 Mean titre $\frac{22.45 + 22.55}{2} = 22.5(0) \text{ (cm}^3) \checkmark$	2	AO1.2 ×2	2 DP essential i.e. last 0 for 22.70 DO NOT ALLOW use of trial titre.
	(ii)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = 498 mg award 5 marks	5	AO2.8 ×3 AO3.1 AO3.2	ALLOW ECF throughout TAKE CARE: values shown may be truncated calculator values. Steps can be calculated in any order which will change the intermediate answers. Marks are for the processing of the data. ALLOW 3SF up to calculated value throughout BUT ignore trailing zeros on intermediate values IGNORE rounding errors past 3SF Common errors 5 marks 503 mg (use of 22.725 cm³) 4 marks 996mg (no divided by 2) 19.9mg (no volume conversion i.e. x 25)

Question	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
(b) (i)	(Glycolic) acid is in excess/partially neutralised AND glycolate/potassium glycolate (ions) are present/produced ✓	1	AO1.1	ALLOW some acid remains ALLOW conjugate base for glycolate ions/salt of weak acid ALLOW HOCH ₂ COO
(ii)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = 3.93 award 4 marks	4	AO1.2 ×1 AO2.8 ×3	ALLOW use of moles for concentration [H*] = \frac{1.479 \dots \text{10}^{-4} \times 0.0200}{0.0250} Common errors 3 marks pH = 3.57 not using n(HA) remaining 2 marks pH = 3.75 using HA and KOH concentrations within question

Questi	ion	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
	(iii)	NH₃ / OH⁻ reacts with H⁺ / HOCH₂COOH / (Glycolic) acid ✓ HOCH₂COOH ⇌ H⁺ + HOCH₂COO⁻ AND Equilibrium shifts to the right ✓	2	AO1.2 ×2	ALLOW NH₃ will act as a base (and form NH₄⁺) ALLOW NH₃ decreases [H⁺] ALLOW HA ⇌ H⁺ + A⁻ Equilibrium equation needs to be shown.
		Total	14		

Question	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
20 (a)	Please refer to the marking instructions on page 4 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question. Level 3 (5–6 marks) Uses correct method to calculate K_c AND explains why most operational condition is different with few omissions in the explanation. There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated. Level 2 (3–4 marks) Uses correct method to calculate K_c with few errors OR Derives a correct expression for K_c with an attempt at the K_c calculation AND explains why an operational condition is different with some omissions. There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence. Level 1 (1–2 marks) Derives a correct expression for K_c AND explains why one operational condition is different with some omissions. OR explains why most operational conditions are different There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant.	6	AO2.4 ×4 AO1.2 ×2	Indicative scientific points may include: IGNORE trailing zeroes Equilibrium amounts $n(N_2)$: 1.20 – 0.08 = 1.12, $n(H_2)$: 3.60 – 0.24 = 3.36 Equilibrium concentrations $[N_2] = \frac{1.12}{8.00} = 0.140 \text{ (mol dm}^{-3})$ $[H_2] = \frac{3.36}{8.00} = 0.420 \text{ (mol dm}^{-3})$ $[NH_3] = \frac{0.160}{8.00} = 0.0200 \text{ (mol dm}^{-3})$ Equilibrium expression and K_c value with units $K_c = \frac{[NH_3]^2}{[N_2] \times [H_2]^3}$ $K_c = \frac{0.0200^2}{0.140 \times 0.420^3} = 0.0386$ Calculator: 0.03856417851 Units: dm ⁶ mol ⁻² Explanation for operational differences. Temperature • Low temperature for maximum yield: (ΔH –ve \ exothermic) • High temperature to increase rate Pressure • High pressure for maximum yield (fewer (gaseous) moles/molecules of products) • High pressure expensive to generate OR high pressure is a safety hazard

Qı	Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
			0 marks No response or no response worthy of credit.			 Catalyst Allows a lower temperature to be used for maximum yield. Reducing fuel expense OR increasing rate
	(b)	(i)	Equilibrium (position) shifts to the left (as T is decreased) AND (forward) reaction is endothermic ✓	1	AO1.2	ALLOW 'favours backward reaction' Implies shift to left ALLOW 'shifts in exothermic direction' BUT only if (forward) reaction stated as endothermic
		(ii)	Student 2 is correct AND same number of gas particles/ gas(eous) molecules/moles of gas on each side (of equation) ✓	1	AO3.2	ALLOW AW that suggests student 2 is correct
			Total	8		

Q	uestio	n	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
21	(a)	(i)	Ca fizzes faster AND Ca dissolves/disappears more quickly ✓	1	AO2.3	CARE Both needed for 1 mark. ORA ALLOW AW IGNORE finishes first IGNORE more bubbles (need idea of rate) IGNORE exothermic
21		(ii)	Oxidation $Mg \rightarrow Mg^{2+} + 2e^{-} \checkmark$ Reduction $2H^{+} + 2e^{-} \rightarrow H_{2}$ OR $H^{+} + e^{-} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}H_{2} \checkmark$	2	AO2.6 ×2	In half equations, ALLOW the use of e for e⁻ ALLOW Mg - 2e⁻→ Mg²⁺ IGNORE state symbols even is wrong BUT half equations MUST only have species that change. For charges on half equations, ALLOW Mg²² for Mg²² OR H³¹ for H³ If BOTH half equations are correct but shown with oxidation and reduction the wrong way around, award 1 mark from the 2 marks for half equations

(b)	(i)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = 2.53(g) award 5 marks	5	AO2.4 ×5	ALLOW ECF and 3SF throughout. ALLOW calculation process in any order. IGNORE rounding errors past 3SF
		[H ⁺] = $10^{-13.12}$ OR 7.58×10^{-14} (mol dm ⁻³) \checkmark [OH ⁻] = $\frac{1 \times 10^{-14}}{7.58 \times 10^{-14}}$ OR 0.1318 (mol dm ⁻³) \checkmark			Calculator: 7.58577575 × 10 ⁻¹⁴
		7.30 ^ 10			Calculator: 0.1318256739
					ALLOW alternative approach using pOH for firs marks.
					p[OH ⁻] = 14 - 13.12 = 0.88 [OH ⁻] = 10 ^{-0.88} = 0.1318
		$n(OH^-)$ in 250 cm ³ = $\frac{0.1318}{4}$ OR 0.0329 (mol) \checkmark			Calculator: 0.03295641846 0.033(0) comes from [OH ⁻] = 0.132
		$n(Ba(OH)_2)$ or $n(BaO) = \frac{0.0329}{2}$ OR 0.0164 (mol) \checkmark			Calculator: 0.01647820923
		Mass of BaO = 0.0164 × 153.3 = 2.53 (g) 3SF ✓			Calculator: 2.526109475 Common errors 4 marks 5.05g Not dividing by 2 2.82g Use of M _r for Ba(OH) ₂ 5.06g rounds to 0.132 in M2 then not dividing by 2 3 marks 5.65g not dividing by 2 and using Mi Ba(OH) ₂

	(ii)	Ba ²⁺ (aq) +2H ⁺ (aq) + SO ₄ ²⁻ (aq) +2OH ⁻ (aq) → BaSO ₄ (s) +2H ₂ O(I) \checkmark	1	AO3.2	ALLOW multiples ALLOW $H^+(aq) + OH^-(aq) \rightarrow H_2O(I)$ OR $Ba^{2+}(aq) + SO_4^{2-}(aq) \rightarrow BaSO_4(s)$
(c)) (i)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = 731(g) award 3 marks $n(Z)$ $n \text{ (Ca}_5\text{NH}_4\text{(NO}_3)_{11}\bullet10\text{H}_2\text{O}) = \frac{1500}{1080.5} \text{ OR } 1.388246$ Mass of limestone $n(\text{CaCO}_3) = 1.388246 \times 5 \text{ OR } 6.94123$ AND	3	AO2.6 ×3	ALLOW ECF throughout ALLOW calculation process in any order. IGNORE rounding errors past 3SF DO NOT ALLOW 100 for M _r of CaCO ₃
		mass CaCO ₃ = 6.94123 × 100.1 OR 694.8 g \checkmark mass limestone = $\frac{694.8 \times 100}{95.0}$ = 731 g (3SF) \checkmark			Common errors 2 marks 146g no x 5 for moles of CaCO ₃ 660g use of 95.0/100 29.3g divide by 5 rather than x5

(ii)	$\begin{array}{c} \text{Mg}_3\text{Ca}(\text{CO}_3)_4(\text{s}) \ + 8\text{HC}\textit{l}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \\ 3\text{MgC}\textit{l}_2(\text{aq}) + \text{CaC}\textit{l}_2(\text{aq}) + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{I}) + 4\text{CO}_2(\text{g}) \end{array}$	2	AO2.6 ×2	ALLOW multiples
	Correct formulae ✓			M2 dependent on M1
	Balanced AND state symbols ✓			IGNORE incorrect state symbol for Mg ₃ Ca(CO ₃) ₄
	TOTAL	13		

(Questi	on	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
22	(a)	(i)	(N) donates two electron pairs (to a metal ion/metal/Fe(³+)) AND forms two coordinate / dative (covalent) bonds✓	1	AO1.2	ALLOW lone pairs for electron pairs TWO is only needed once if bonds are plural e.g. donates 2 electron pairs to form coordinate bonds OR donates electron pairs to form 2 coordinate bonds.

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(ii)	Empirical formula FeC ₄ H ₁₆ N ₄ Cl ₂ (any order) AND charge = (1)+ ✓	4	AO1.2 ×1	DO NOT ALLOW Fe(NH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ NH ₂)Cl ₂ for empirical formula ALLOW any order
	Structures i.e. Optical isomers (cis)			TAKE CARE: structures may be in different orientations and in different order
	H_2N $OI_{M_{1},}$ II_2N II_2			IGNORE charges (anywhere)
	H_2N H_2N NH_2 NH_2 NH_2		AO3.1 ×3	IF connectivity between Fe AND N of NH₂ is incorrect then penalise first time ONLY
	i.e. trans isomer H ₂ CI H ₂ N////N Fe N H ₂ CI N H ₂ V			

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	For NH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ NH ₂ , ALLOW skeletal, structural, displayed formula AND C-C without Hs and NH ₂ NH ₂ IF NH ₂ shown with incorrect number of H, eg. N N, penalise first time ONLY IF ALL 3 isomers are 'correct', but 2 x Cl AND no Ns, e.g. AWARD 1 mark			Each structure to contain 2 'out wedges', 2 'in wedges' and 2 lines in plane of paper OR 4 lines, 1 'out wedge' and 1 'in wedge': Bond into paper can be shown as: """" ALLOW Fe Fe
(b) (i)	$Fe^{2+} + 2OH^- \rightarrow Fe(OH)_2 \checkmark$	1	AO2.6	IGNORE state symbols, even if wrong ALLOW $ [Fe(H_2O)_6]^{2+} + 2OH^- \rightarrow Fe(OH)_2(H_2O)_4 + 2H_2O$ OR $ [Fe(H_2O)_6]^{2+} + 2OH^- \rightarrow Fe(OH)_2 + 6H_2O$

Question	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
(ii)	Explanation of the brown precipitate The brown ppt is Fe(OH) ₃ OR Fe(OH) ₂ loses electrons/ Fe(OH) ₂ oxidised ✓	4	AO3.1 ×4	ORA ALLOW Fe ²⁺ is oxidised to Fe ³⁺
	Comparison of <i>E</i> values (<i>E</i> of) Fe/Redox system 1 is more negative/less positive (than <i>E</i> of O₂/redox system 2) OR (<i>E</i> of) O₂/Redox system 2 is more positive/less negative (than <i>E</i> of Fe/redox system 1) ✓			ALLOW Fe ALLOW E _{cell} is (+) 0.96V IGNORE 'lower/higher'
	Equilibrium shift More negative/less positive OR Fe system OR Redox system 1 shifts left OR More Positive/less negative OR O₂ system OR Redox system 2 shifts right ✓			For equilibrium shift ALLOW E _{cell} is +ve therefore the reaction is feasible. OR Direction of half equation correctly written.
	Equation $ 4Fe(OH)_2(s) + O_2(g) + 2H_2O(I) \rightarrow 4Fe(OH)_3(s) \checkmark $			ALLOW multiples ALLOW equilibrium IGNORE state symbols, even if wrong DO NOT ALLOW uncancelled species

Qu	estion	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
	(c)	Please refer to the marking instructions on page 4 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question.	6	AO3.1 ×3	Indicative scientific points may include
					Formula
		Level 3 (5–6 marks)		AO3.2	B CuC4 ²⁻
		Reaches a comprehensive conclusion to determine the correct		×3	OR
		formulae of almost all of B, C, D, E, F and G.			[CuC <i>l</i> ₄] ²⁻
		AND			C $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+}$
		most correct equations and identifies some changes in oxidation number			OR
		AND			CuSO ₄
		Calculation of M _r of the gas			D SO ₂ E Cu(NO ₃) ₂
		Calculation of Mi of the gas			E Cu(NO ₃) ₂ OR
		There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and			[Cu(H ₂ O) ₆] ²⁺
		logically structured. The information presented is relevant and			F CuI
		substantiated.			G I ₂
		Level 2 (3–4 marks)			Experiment 1
		Reaches a conclusion to determine the correct formulae of at least			Equation
		half of B, C, D, E, F and G. AND EITHER			$[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+} + 4Ct \rightarrow [CuCt_4]^{2-} + 6H_2O$
		some correct equations			$[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+} + 4HCl \rightarrow [CuCl_4]^{2-} + 6H_2O +$
		OR			4H ⁺
		Any one correct equation and a relevant change in oxidation			
		number			Experiment 2
		OR			Evidence
		any one correct equation and a correct calculation of the M _r			$n(\mathbf{D}) = \frac{45}{24000} = 1.875 \times 10^{-3}$
					Molar mass (D) = $\frac{0.12}{1.875 \times 10^{-3}}$ = 64
		There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The			Equation
		information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence.			$Cu + 2H_2SO_4 \rightarrow CuSO_4 + SO_2 + 2H_2O$
		mismassi prosented to relevant and supported by some evidence.			
					Oxidation numbers
					Cu $0 \rightarrow$ Cu +2; S +6 \rightarrow S +4

Question	Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
	Level 1 (1–2 marks) Reaches a simple conclusion to determine the correct formulae of			Experiment 3 Equation
	some of B, C, D, E, F and G OR			$CuO + 2HNO_3 \rightarrow Cu(NO_3)_2 + H_2O$
	The correct formulae for 1 of B , C , D , E , F and G with correct equation or calculation.			$2Cu^{2+} + 4I^{-} \rightarrow 2CuI + I_{2}$ OR $2Cu(NO) \rightarrow 4I(I + 2CuI + I_{2} + 4I(NO))$
	There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning.			$2Cu(NO3)2 + 4KI \rightarrow 2CuI + I2 + 4KNO3$
	The information is in the most part relevant.			Oxidation numbers
	0 marks			Cu +2 \rightarrow Cu +1; I –1 to 0
	No response or no response worthy of credit.			

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