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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, ie 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.

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Paper: 1C Sample Assessment Mat Time: 2 hours	Paper Reference 4CH0/1C

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
 - there may be more space than you need.
- Show all the steps in any calculations and state the units.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is **120**.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
 - use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Write your answers neatly and in good English.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

Turn over ▶

PEARSON

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* The Lanthanides (atomic numbers 58-71) and the Actinides(atomic numbers 90-103) have been omitted.

Cu and Cl have not been rounded to the nearest whole number.

Answer ALL questions.

1 The table shows the properties of four substances.

Use the information in the table to answer the following questions.

Cubatanaa	Melting point	Boiling point	Conducts electricity when		
Substance	in °C	in °C	solid	liquid	
Α	1650	2230	no	no	
В	1538	2862	yes	yes	
С	-7	59	no	no	
D	801	1413	no	yes	

Place a cross (X) in the appropriate box to indicate your answer.

Choose from **A** to **D** a substance that could be:

(5)

- (a) a metal
 - $A \boxtimes$
- В
- CX
- D

- (b) a giant covalent structure
 - $A \boxtimes$
- В
- C
- D

- (c) an ionic compound
 - $A \boxtimes$
- B
- CX
- D

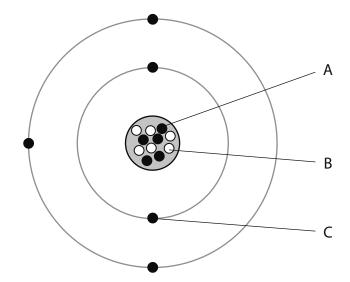
- (d) a liquid at 25 °C
 - $A \boxtimes$
- $B \boxtimes$
- CX
- $D \boxtimes$

- (e) a solid at 1600 °C
 - $A \boxtimes$
- B
- CX
- D

(Total for Question 1 = 5 marks)

2	A student investigated what happened when a sample of wax was heated using a Bunsen burner.	
	He set up the apparatus as shown in the diagram.	
	solid wax HEAT	
	The student heated the solid wax strongly with a Bunsen burner until it turned into a liquid.	
	(a) Give the name of the process that occurs when a solid turns into a liquid.	(1)
	(b) Explain one change needed to make the experiment safer.	(2)
	(c) Describe the changes in arrangement, movement and energy of the particles when the liquid wax cools to become a solid.	(3)
	(Total for Question 2 = 6 ma	rks)

3 The diagram represents an atom of an element.



- (a) The diagram shows that there are equal numbers of particles **A** and **C**.
 - (i) State the name of each of the particles **A** and **B**.

(2)

A

(ii) State the atomic number and mass number of this atom.

(2)

Atomic number

Mass number

(b) (i) State the **name** of this element.

(1)

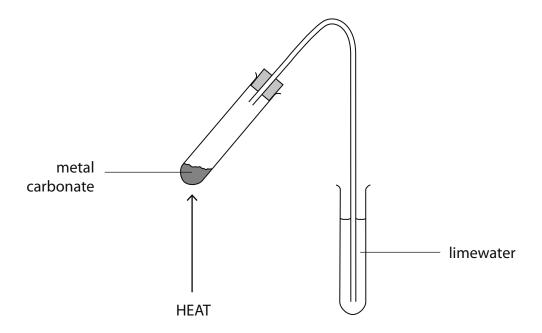
 $\label{eq:configuration} \mbox{(ii)} \quad \mbox{State the electronic configuration of this element.}$

(1)

(Total for Question 3 = 6 marks)

4 A student wanted to find out how easily different metal carbonates decomposed on heating.

She placed a sample of a metal carbonate into a test tube and heated it, passing the gas given off through limewater using the apparatus shown in the diagram.



She heated three other metal carbonates in turn and measured the time taken for the limewater to turn milky.

Her results are given in the table.

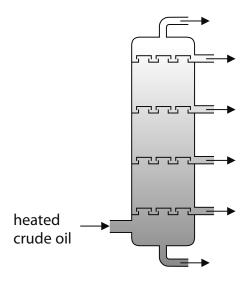
Metal carbonate	Time taken in seconds			
copper(II) carbonate	5			
magnesium carbonate	25			
lead(II) carbonate	15			
sodium carbonate	does not turn milky			

	(a) State the name of the gas that causes the limewater to turn milky.	(1)
	(b) Use the results to identify, with a reason, which metal carbonate decomposed most easily.	(2)
	(c) What do the results suggest about the effect of heat on sodium carbonate?	(1)
	(d) State two things that the student must do to make sure the experiment is valid (a fair test).	(2)
1 .		
2 .	(Total for Question 4 = 6 ma	rkc)
	(Total for Question 4 – 6 ma	irs)

5 Fractional distillation is an important process in the oil industry.

In this process, the crude oil is separated into a number of fractions. Each fraction is a mixture of hydrocarbons.

The diagram shows the column used for fractional distillation.



(a) What is meant by the term **hydrocarbon**?

(2)

- (b) Bitumen, diesel, gasoline and refinery gases are three of the fractions obtained from crude oil.
 - (i) Which one of these three fractions has the lowest boiling point?

(1)

(ii) Which one of these three fractions is the most viscous?

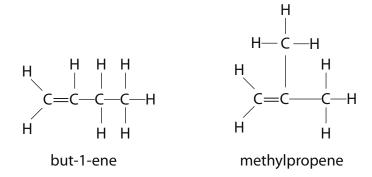
(1)

fractionating column.		(4)
	(Total for Qu	estion 5 = 8 marks)
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6 (a) Isomers are compounds that have the same molecular formula but different displayed formulae.

The molecular formula C_4H_8 represents several isomers.

The displayed formulae and names for two of these isomers are



(i) Draw the displayed formula and give the name for another alkene with the molecular formula C_4H_8

(2)

Name

(ii) The displayed formula of another isomer of C₄H₈ is

cyclobutane

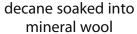
The general formula of cyclobutane is also $C_n H_{2n}$

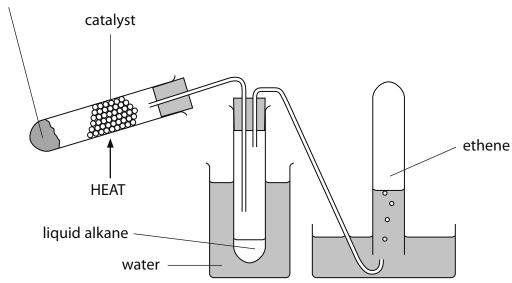
State why cyclobutane is not an alkene.

(1)

(iii) Cyclobutane can be distinguished from but-1-ene by adding bromine water and shaking. Bromine water is orange.	
State what you would see when bromine water is shaken separately with each compound.	
(2)	
Observation with cyclobutane	
Observation with but-1-ene	
(b) Cracking is used to break long alkane molecules into shorter alkanes and alkenes.	
Explain why this process is of such importance in the petrochemical industry. (2)	

(c) Cracking can be carried out in the laboratory by passing the vapour of an alkane over a heated catalyst using the apparatus shown.





When decane $(C_{10}H_{22})$ is cracked, a shorter chain alkane and ethene (C_2H_4) can be produced.

(i) Write a chemical equation for the cracking of decane.

(2)

(ii) The alkane produced can be used as a fuel for cars.

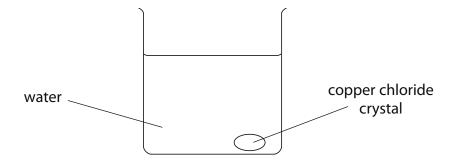
When this fuel is burned in a car engine, some incomplete combustion occurs. This produces carbon monoxide, which is dangerous to humans.

Explain why carbon monoxide is dangerous to humans.

(2)

(Total for Question 6 = 11 marks)

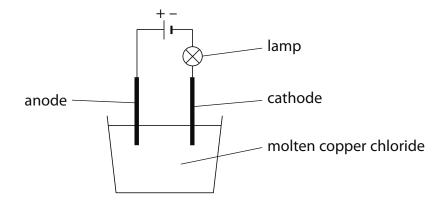
- **7** Copper chloride is a soluble ionic compound. Solid copper chloride is green.
 - (a) A crystal of copper chloride was placed in a beaker containing water. It was left for several days.



Explain how the appearance of the liquid in the beaker changes after several days.

(2)

(b) A chemist electrolyses a sample of molten copper chloride, CuCl₂.



Name the products formed at the electrodes.

(2)

Anode

Cathode

(c) Write an equation to show the formation of the product at the negative electrode.

(2)

(Total for Question 7 = 6 marks)

8 Equal masses of iron, magnesium and zinc were placed in separate beakers, each containing 50 cm³ of copper(II) sulfate solution.

The mass of copper displaced in each case was found and each experiment was performed three times. The results obtained are given in the table.

Metal	Mass of copper produced in grams					
Wietai	Experiment 1	Experiment 2	Experiment 3			
iron	1.1	1.3	1.2			
magnesium	2.3	3.2	2.2			
zinc	0.9	0.8	1.10			

	w can you tell that one of the results has been recorded to a greater precision n the others?	(1)
	te a chemical equation for the reaction taking place between magnesium and pper(II) sulfate.	(2)
(c) (i)	State, in terms of electrons, what happens when a copper ion becomes a copper atom.	(1)
 (ii)	What name is given to the type of change occurring in (c)(i)?	(1)
 (iii)	State two observations you would expect to make when magnesium is adde to copper(II) sulfate solution.	d (2)

(Total for Question 8 = 7 marks)

9 (a) An aqueous solution of hydrogen peroxide (H_2O_2) decomposes very slowly into water (H_2O) and oxygen (O_2) according to the following equation:

$$2H_2O_2(aq) \rightarrow 2H_2O(I) + O_2(g)$$

The reaction is faster when manganese(IV) oxide (MnO₂) is added. The manganese(IV) oxide remains chemically unchanged at the end of the reaction.

A student investigated the reaction in the presence of manganese(IV) oxide. He collected the oxygen gas produced and recorded its volume every five minutes. His results are shown in the table.

Time in minutes	0	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40
Volume in cm ³	0	20	32	42	50	55	58	60	60

(i) The volume of gas given off between 5 and 10 minutes is 12 cm³.

Calculate the volume of gas given off between 30 and 35 minutes.

(1)

Answer			

(ii) Explain, in terms of the changes in the rate of the reaction and collisions between particles, why your calculated volume is less than 12 cm³.

(3)

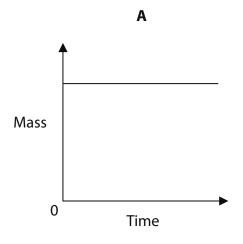
	(iii)	After	how	many	minutes	did	the	reaction	finish?
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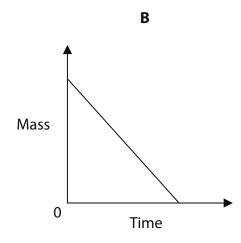
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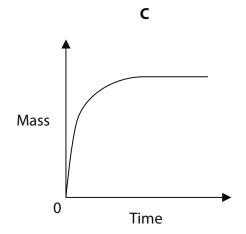
(b) What type of substance is manganese(IV) oxide in this experiment?

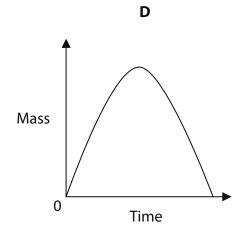
(1)

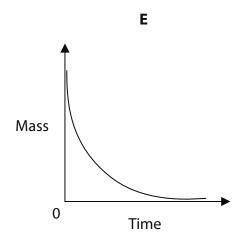
(c) Some of the graphs **A** to **F** below could represent changes occuring during the decomposition of hydrogen peroxide.

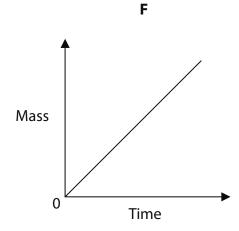












Answer the cindicate your	questions below answer.	v by placing a c	ross (⊠) in the	e appropriate l	oox to
Which graph	could represer	nt			
(i) the total	mass of oxyge	n given off as t	he experimen	t in (a) proceed	
⋈ A	⊠ B	⊠ C	⊠ D	⊠ E	(1) ⊠ F
(ii) the mass	s of hydrogen p	eroxide remair	ning as the exp	periment in (a)	proceeds?
⊠ A	⊠ B	⊠ C	⊠ D	⊠ E	⊠ F
(iii) the mass	s of the manga	nese(IV) oxide a	s the experim	nent in (a) proc	eeds?
⊠ A	⊠В	⊠ C	⊠ D	⊠ E	⊠ F
			(Tota	al for Questio	n 9 = 9 marks)

10 When potassium iodide solution is mixed with lead(II) nitrate solution, a reaction occurs to form the insoluble salt, lead(II) iodide.

The equation for this reaction is:

$$2KI(aq) + Pb(NO_3)_2(aq) \rightarrow PbI_2(s) + 2KNO_3(aq)$$

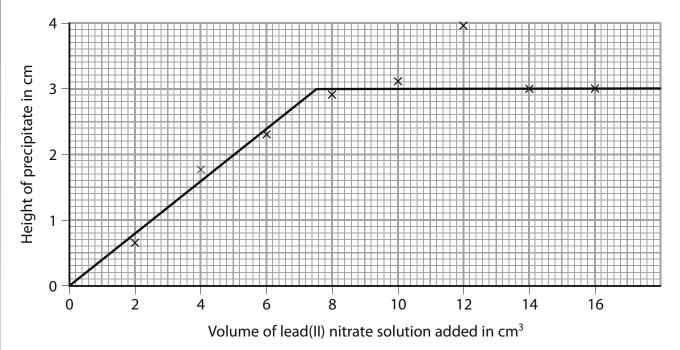
A student carried out an investigation to find how much precipitate was formed with different volumes of lead(II) nitrate solution.

- He used a measuring cylinder to transfer 15 cm³ of potassium iodide solution into a clean boiling tube.
- Using a different measuring cylinder, he measured out 2 cm³ of lead(II) nitrate solution and added this to the potassium iodide solution in the boiling tube.
- A yellow precipitate formed in the tube and was allowed to settle.
- The student then measured the height (in cm) of the precipitate using a ruler.

He repeated the experiment using different volumes of lead(II) nitrate solution.

In each experiment, the potassium iodide solution and lead(II) nitrate solution he used were of the same concentration.

The graph shows the results he obtained.



(a) Explain why the line on the graph rises to a maximum level, but then does not change.

(2)

(b) (i)	On the graph, circle the point which seems to be anomalous.

(1)

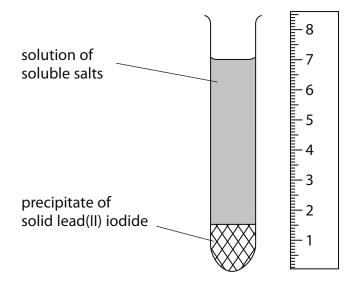
(ii) Explain **two** things that the student may have done in the experiment to give this anomalous result.

(4)

1

2 .

(c) The diagram shows a result of an identical experiment.



(i) How much precipitate has been made in the tube?

(1)

(ii) Use the graph to find the voume of lead(II) nitrate solution needed to make this amount of precipitate.

(1)

..... cm

(Total for Question 10 = 9 marks)

11 Fluorine and chlorine are two elements in Group 7 of the Periodic Table.

Fluorine reacts with most elements in the Periodic Table, but it does not react with neon.

Neon is in Group 0 of the Periodic Table.

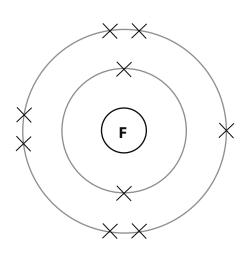
(a) Explain, in terms of the arrangement of electrons in its atoms, why neon is very unreactive.

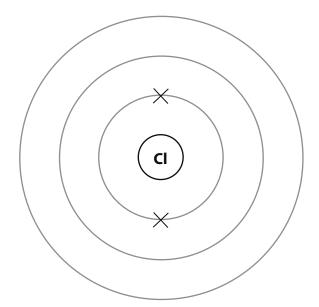
(2)

(b) The diagram on the left shows the arrangement of the electrons in a fluorine atom.

Use the Periodic Table to help you to complete the diagram on the right to show the arrangement of electrons in a chlorine atom.

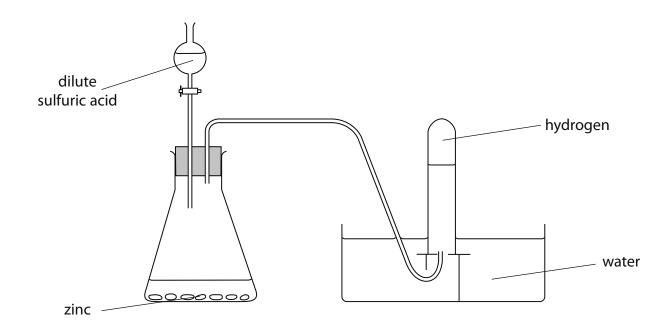
(2)





When chlorine gas is bubbled into an aqueous solution of potassium iodide, the colourless solution turns brown.	
(i) Complete the following ionic equation for the reaction that takes place.	(2)
$Cl_2(g) +$ $I^-(aq) \rightarrow$	
(ii) What is the name given to this type of reaction?	(1)
(iii) Why does the solution turn brown?	(1)
When chlorine reacts with concentrated sodium hydroxide solution, a compound is formed that contains 21.6% by mass of sodium and 33.3% by mass of chlorine. The rest is oxygen.	
Calculate the empirical formula of this compound.	(4)
 (Total for Question 11 = 12 ma	rks)

12 Hydrogen can be prepared in the laboratory by reacting zinc with dilute sulfuric acid using the apparatus shown.



The equation for the reaction is:

$$Zn(s) + H_2SO_4(aq) \rightarrow ZnSO_4(aq) + H_2(g)$$

The reaction is fairly slow but, when copper(II) sulfate solution is added, bubbles of hydrogen form much more quickly.

A student decided to investigate how copper(II) sulfate solution increased the rate of this reaction.

She set up the apparatus as shown, without copper(II) sulfate present, and counted the number of bubbles of hydrogen produced every 15 seconds.

She then repeated the experiment with copper(II) sulfate present.

(a)	Explain why her method of counting the number of bubbles of hydrogen might
	not give accurate results in her second experiment, with copper(II) sulfate present

(2)

precise results.	(2)
The student then decided that she wanted to sh	
hydrogen. She burned a sample in oxygen and formed on cooling. If the gas were hydrogen the	
pure water.	4
Describe a physical test that she could perform	to show that the colourless liquid
is pure water.	·
	(2)
The student's teacher said that even if the colou	less liquid were pure water then it
does not necessarily mean that the gas was hydronic	ogen.
d) Suggest the name of another gas that produces	water when it is burned in
oxygen.	(1)
	(-/
	(Total for Question 12 = 7 marks)

and hydrogen gas (H_2) in the presence of an iron catalyst.	
$N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2NH_3(g) \Delta H = -92 \text{ kJ/mol}$	
The nitrogen and hydrogen mixture is passed into a reaction chamber at a 200 atmospheres and a temperature of 450°C.	pressure of
The reaction is reversible and, if left for long enough, can reach a position of equilibrium.	of dynamic
(a) Why is a catalyst needed in this reaction?	(1)
(b) What is meant by the term dynamic equilibrium ?	(2)
 (c) A scientist working in the factory making ammonia suggested changing reaction conditions to a pressure of 1000 atmospheres and a temperatu 250°C. Use your knowledge of equilibrium reactions and reaction rates to explusher the scientist's suggestion was a good one. 	ure of
-	(4)
	(4)
	(4)

e mixture of gases leaving the reaction chamber contains unreacted nitrogen I hydrogen as well as ammonia.	
Explain how the ammonia can be separated from the unreacted nitrogen and hydrogen after the mixture has left the reaction chamber.	
	(2)
What happens to the unreacted nitrogen and hydrogen after it has been	
separated from the ammonia?	(1)
monia is used to make the fertiliser ammonium nitrate (NH_4NO_3) by reacting monia with nitric acid.	
te a chemical equation for the reaction between ammonia and nitric acid.	(1)
scribe a chemical test that you could perform to show that ammonium nitrate stains ammonium ions.	(2)
	(3)
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14 Zinc phosphide (Zn_3P_2) is found in some rat poisons. It is an ionic compound manufactured by heating zinc and phosphorus together.	
(a) (i) The formula of the zinc ion is Zn^{2+} .	
Deduce the formula of the phosphide ion.	(1)
(ii) Explain why zinc phosphide does not conduct electricity when solid, but does when molten.	(2)
(b) Calculate the relative formula mass (M_r) of zinc phosphide.	(2)
Relative formula mass =	

	ag containing 51.4 kg (51 400 g) of zinc phosphide stored in a factory ehouse was accidentally contaminated with water.	
Zin	phosphide reacts with water to form zinc hydroxide and phosphine gas, PH ₃ .	
The	equation for the reaction is:	
	$Zn_3P_2(s) + 6H_2O(I) \rightarrow 3Zn(OH)_2(s) + 2PH_3(g)$	
(i)	Calculate the minimum mass of water, in kg, needed to react with all of the zinc phosphide in the bag.	(3)
	Mass of water needed =	kg
(ii)	The factory was evacuated because phosphine can burst into flames immediately when it comes into contact with oxygen in the air.	
	What does this suggest about the activation energy for the reaction between phosphine and oxygen?	
	phosphine and oxygen.	(1)
(iii)	Is the reaction between phosphine and oxygen endothermic or exothermic? Use information from part (ii) to justify your answer	
(iii)	Is the reaction between phosphine and oxygen endothermic or exothermic? Use information from part (ii) to justify your answer.	(1)
(iii)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(1)
(iii)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(1)

(d) (i)	Phosphine is similar to ammonia (NH ₃) in the way its atoms are bonded.	
	Draw a dot and cross diagram to show the arrangement of electrons in a molecule of phosphine. You should show only the outer electrons of each atom.	
	atom.	(2)
(::)	Evaloia vyhyy ahoonkino koo o lovy boiling a oint	
(11)	Explain why phosphine has a low boiling point.	(2)
	(Total for Question 14 = 14 m	arks)
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Sample Mark Scheme

Paper 1C

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
1 (a)	В		_
(q)	٧		_
(c)	Q		_
(p)	2		1
(e)	А		1
			Total: 5

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
2 (a)	melting		_
(q)	An explanation linking the following: • heat with electric heater / in water bath / sand bath • because wax may catch fire / prevent liquid wax boiling over or spitting	ACCEPT use test tube holder / clamp to prevent being burned by hot test tube	2
(c)	 A description including the following: (becomes) regular arrangement / pattern (of particles) particles slow down / vibrate (in fixed positions) particles lose (kinetic) energy 	ACCEPT closer together ACCEPT stop moving around (freely)	3
			Total: 6

Marks	2		2	~	~	Total: 6
Notes	Award 1 mark for two correct particles in the wrong order	No mark for two numbers transposed	-		ACCEPT any other punctuation marks, such as '.' '/' '-' or no punctuation	
Answer	3 (a) (i) A = proton(s) B = neutron(s)	(ii) atomic number = 5	mass number = 11	boron	(ii) 2, 3	
Question number	3 (a) (i)	(ii)		(b) (i) boron	(ii)	

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
4 (a)	carbon dioxide	ALLOW CO ₂	-
(q)	copper(II) / copper (carbonate)		
	(because) limewater turned milky in least time / most quickly		2
(c)	(sodium carbonate / it) does not decompose	ALLOW no carbon dioxide / gas given off	~
(p)	Any two from: • same volume / concentration of limewater • same flame e.g. "always roaring flame" • same amount of solid	ACCEPT:same amount of limewatersame temperature / Bunsensetting	
	 same form / state of division of solid e.g. "all powders" 		max 2
			Total: 6

Marks		2	-	1	max 4
Notes	DO NOT ACCEPT atoms/elements in place of compounds/substances				ALLOW vaporising point / condensing temperature
Answer	compounds / substances containing hydrogen and carbon	λluo	refinery gases	bitumen	 An explanation linking any four of the following: crude oil / vapour rises through the (fractionating) column idea of temperature gradient in column e.g. hotter at the bottom than the top different fractions have different boiling point condense when they get to part of the column that has lower temperature than their boiling point vapour passes through bubble caps / one-way valves OR idea that liquid fractions cannot trickle back down because of bubble caps
Question number	5 (a)		(b) (i)	(!!)	(5)

Marks		2	~	2	2	2	2	Total: 11
Notes	1 mark for formula 1 mark for name			IGNORE starting colour of bromine	ACCEPT • alkenes need in polymer industry • to make useful plastics	ALLOW equations which finish: \rightarrow C ₆ H ₁₄ + 2C ₂ H ₄ \rightarrow C ₄ H ₁₀ + 3C ₂ H ₄ \rightarrow C ₂ H ₆ + 4C ₂ H ₄	ACCEPT comments about binding to haemoglobin / forming carboxyhaemoglobin	
Answer		but-2-ene	no double bond / saturated	cyclobutane: no change / remains orange but-1-ene: (bromine) turns (from orange to) colourless / decolourised	An explanation linking the following points:crude oil contains too many long chain hydrocarbonswhich are economically less useful / need converting to more economically useful smaller hydrocarbons	$C_{10}H_{22} \rightarrow C_8H_{18} + C_2H_4$ 1 mark for correct formula for alkane 1 mark for balanced equation	An explanation linking the following points:toxic / poisonous(because) it restricts blood carrying oxygen	
Question number	(a) (i)		(ii)	(iii)	(a)	(c) (i)	(ii)	

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
7 (a)	An explanation linking the following points:green colour spreads throughout liquid(because of) diffusion	ACCEPT dark green at bottom and light green at top	2
(q)	Anode = copper Cathode = chlorine	Award 1 mark for both correct products, but at incorrect electrodes	2
(c)	$2Cl^- \rightarrow Cl_2 + 2e$ 1 mark for correct species 1 mark for balance	ALLOW $2Cl^- \cdot 2e \rightarrow Cl_2$	2
			Total: 6

Marks	-	2	-	-	max 2	Total: 7
Notes		1 mark for reactants 1 mark for products			NOT solution turns clear ALLOW precipitate ALLOW fizzing / bubbles	
Answer	extra decimal place / trailing zero / to 0.01 g	Mg + CuSO₄ → MgSO₄ + Cu	gains (two) electrons	reduction	 Any two from: (blue) colour of solution fades /solution turns colourless brown/pink/pink(y)-brown solid forms gets warm/hot 	
Question	8 (a)	(q)	(c) (i)	(ii)	(iii)	

Marks	-		м	and 1	_	-	-	1	Total: 9
Notes		ACCEPT hydrogen peroxide is less concentrated		ACCEPT any number between 30 and 35					
Answer	2 (cm³)	 An explanation linking the following points: reaction rate slows down (because there are) fewer hydrogen peroxide particles (therefore) less frequent collisions/fewer collisions per 	second	35 (minutes)	catalyst	J	Э.	А	
Question number	9 (a) (i) 2 (cm ³)	(ii)		(iii)	(q)	(c) (i)	(ii)	(iii)	

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
10 (a)	 An explanation linking the following points: more precipitate as more lead(II) nitrate present (to react with potassium iodide) but eventually all potassium iodide used up / lead(II) nitrate becomes in excess / the reaction finishes 		2
(b) (i)	correct point circled (at 12cm³ of lead(II) nitrate added)	ACCEPT any way in which this point is indicated	-
(II)	Any two of the following pairs of statements: • not left long enough • therefore precipitate / solid not fully settled OR • too much potassium iodide added • so more precipitate made OR • tube not vertical when precipitate was settling • so precipitate not level in the tube	ACCEPT reasonable alternatives, as long as they explain why the height is too high	max 4
(c) (j)	1.5 ± 0.1 (cm)	ACCEPT 0.8 cm (for candidates who use their own ruler)	-
(ii)	3.7 - 3.8 (cm³)	ALLOW consequential on answer to (c)(i)	-
			Total: 9

Marks	2	2	2	-	-		4	Total: 12
Notes	ACCEPT full outer(most) shell ACCEPT argument based on energy required	ACCEPT dots, circles, crosses or e to represent electrons	1 mark - correct formulae 1 mark - correct balancing	ACCEPT oxidation and reduction	12	If division by atomic number, neither 2 nd nor 3 rd mark can be scored -although 4 th mark can (probably NaClO ₃ or Na ₈ Cl ₈ O ₂₃)	Final answer consequential on slips in calculation above	
Answer	An explanation linking the following points: • 8 electrons in outer(most) shell • does not easily/readily gain or lose electrons	8 electrons in middle shell 7 electrons in outer shell	2(l') and 2 Cl ⁻ + l ₂	displacement / redox	iodine (formed, and it is brown in solution)	calculation of $\%$ O = 45.1 dividing by A_r values: Na 21.6/23 Cl = 33.3/35.5 O = 45.1/16 simplest whole number ratio = 1:1:3	translating this ratio to a formula = $NaClO_3$	
Question number	11 (a)	(p)	(c) (i)	(ii)	(iii)	(p)		

Answer		Notes	Marks
An explanation linking the followingreaction rate is faster(therefore) counting bubbles form continuous stream	g points: ss is more difficult / bubbles may	ACCEPT: • bubbles may be different size • so not valid / poor comparison with first experiment	2
 A description linking the following points: measure the volume of gas produced using a graduated test-tube / gas syrcylinder 	points: produced ' / gas syringe / inverted measuring	ACCEPT: answers which lead to decreased rate to allow bubble counting to work e.g. • reduced concentration of acid / larger pieces of zinc • to slow rate / make bubbles smaller	2
measure the boiling point / freezing 100°C / 0°C	g point	boils at 100°C OR freezes at 0°C are worth 2 marks	2
any named gas that burns in oxygen e.g. methane, ethane	to form water as a product	ACCEPT correct formula for gas	-
			Total: 7

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
13 (a)	to speed up the reaction OR to allow a lower temperature to be used but still have a reasonably / acceptably fast reaction	ACCEPT to lower the activation energy / achieve a better balance of yield and rate	-
(p)	forward and reverse reactions are occurring at same rate/speed	ACCEPT amounts of reactants / products / macroscopic properties remain constant	2
(c)	 An explanation linking four of the following points: increased pressure favours forward reaction / increases yield increased pressure also increases rate decreased temperature favours forward reaction / increases yield 	ACCEPT moves equilibrium to right ACCEPT moves equilibrium to right	
	 decreased temperature decreases rate concluding comment e.g. greater yield, but probably at reduced rate / increase in rate due to pressure cancels decrease in rate due to temperature change 	ACCEPT good idea but increased pressure increases cost	max 4
	Concluding comment must be present to score full 4 marks, but can be agreement or disagreement with scientist's idea.		
(i) (b)	An explanation linking the following points: • ammonia has low boiling point / liquefies • (therefore) mixture is cooled		2
(ii)	recirculated / recycled / re-used / returned to reaction chamber / used to make more ammonia		-
(e)	NH ₃ + HNO ₃ → NH ₄ NO ₃		-
(f)	 A description linking the following points: add aqueous sodium hydroxide (and warm) gas / ammonia (given off) turns (damp) red litmus blue 	ACCEPT forms white smoke with HCl	٣
			Total: 14

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
	p³-	ACCEPT P-3	1
1	An explanation linking the following points:	REJECT any mention of electron movement	2
	$(65 \times 3) + (31 \times 2)$ = 257	Award 1 mark for correct use of Mr of Zn and P	2
	 moles phosphine = 51400 / 257 moles water = moles phosphine × 6 mass water = moles water × 18 = 21600 g / 21.6 kg OR 6 × 18 = 108 257 / 108 = 51.4 / mass water mass water = 21.6 kg 	Mark consequentially on (b) ACCEPT answer in g or kg, as long as unit matches value	٣
	low / small		_
1	exothermic, because it burst into flames	NOT just 'exothermic'	~
i	H & P & H	1 mark for 3 bonding pairs 1 mark for non-bonding pair	2
	 An explanation linking any two of the following points: small molecules weak (attractive) forces between molecules (therefore) little energy required to overcome forces / separate molecules 	ACCEPT "weak bonds", but not "weak <u>covalent</u> bonds"	max 2
			Total: 14

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	Answer ALL questions.	
1	Lithium sulfate (Li_2SO_4) is used in some medicines. The presence of lithium sulfate in a medicine can be shown by two tests.	
	(a) A flame test can be used to show that the medicine contains lithium ions.	
	State the colour that lithium ions produce in a flame.	
		(1)
	(b) A sample of a medicine containing lithium sulfate is dissolved in water.	
	(i) Describe how you would test the solution for the presence of sulfate ions.	
		(3)
	(ii) Write a chemical equation for the reaction occurring in (b)(i).	
		(2)
	(Total for Question 1 = 6 ma	rks)
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2 Ethanol can be manufactured by two different methods. The table gives some information about these two methods.

	Raw material	Quality of ethanol produced		
Method A	crude oil	pure		
Method B	sugar cane	impure		

(a) In method A, ethanol is formed in the final ste	(a)	ln	method	A.	ethanol	is	formed	in	the	final	ste
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(i)	Identify	the two	comr	ounde	that	roact :	togothor	to form	othano	i
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(2)

(b) The equation for the reaction that occurs in method **B** is

$$C_6H_{12}O_6 \rightarrow 2C_2H_5OH + 2CO_2$$

(i) Name the compound with the formula $C_6H_{12}O_6$.

(1)

(ii) Identify the main impurity in the ethanol formed in this reaction.

(1)

(c) Some of the ethanol produced by method B is converted into ethene by heati with a catalyst.	ng it
(i) Name the catalyst used in this reaction.	(1)
(ii) Name the type of reaction.	(1)
(iii) Write the chemical equation for this reaction.	(1)
 (d) Some of the ethanol produced by method B is used as a fuel. Balance the chemical equation for the complete combustion of ethanol. C₂H₅OH +O₂ →CO₂ +H₂O 	(1)
$C_2 \cap_5 \cup \cap + \dots \cap \cup_2 \rightarrow \dots \cap \cup_2 \cap \cup_2 \cup \dots \cap \cup_2 \cup \dots \cup_2 \cup_2 \cup \dots \cup_2 \cup_2 \cup \dots \cup_2 \cup_2 \cup_2 \cup_2 \cup_2 \cup_2 \cup_2 \cup_2 \cup_2 \cup_2$	marks)

}	Margaret goes on holiday to the seaside.	
	She notices some iron railings on the beach that are often in contact with the seawater. They are very rusty.	
	The iron railings in front of her hotel, some distance from the sea, are much less rust	y.
	Margaret predicts that seawater makes iron rust faster than rain water.	
	(a) Describe an experiment that Margaret could carry out to test her prediction.	(5)
	(b) Why is rusting described as an oxidation reaction?	(1)
	(Total for Question 3 = 6 m	arks)

4	The gas hydrogen chloride, HCl, dissolves in water. The solution in water turns blue litmus paper red.							
	(a) (i)	This solution of hydrogen chloride in water contains two ions.						
		Give the formula of each ion.	(2)					
		and						
	(ii)	What is the name given to a solution of hydrogen chloride in water?	(1)					
	•	drogen chloride gas also dissolves in methylbenzene. This solution has no ect on blue litmus paper.						
	chl	tudent sets up two test tubes, one containing a solution of hydrogen oride in water and the other containing a solution of hydrogen chloride in thylbenzene.						
	He	adds a piece of magnesium ribbon to each test tube.						
	Со	mpare the results that he would observe in both test tubes.	(3)					
		(Total for Question 4 = 6 ma	rks)					

5	Polymers can be classified as addition polymers or condensation polymers	
3	Polymers can be classified as addition polymers or condensation polymers.	
	(a) An addition polymer can be formed from the monomer C_3H_6	
	(i) Name this monomer and the addition polymer it forms.	
		(1)
М	onomer	
Ро	lymer	
	(ii) Explain why there are problems with the disposal of addition polymers.	(2)

(b) Superglues are liquid adhesives that easily form addition polymers, giving a solid that sticks objects together firmly. The repeat unit of a superglue polymer is shown below.

Draw the structure of the monomer used to make this polymer.

(1)

Nylon is an example of a condensation por Describe one difference between a conde		
polymer.	(2)	
	(Total for Question 5 = 6 marks)	

- **6** Potassium chloride is a soluble salt. It can be prepared by reacting together solutions of potassium hydroxide and hydrochloric acid.
 - (a) A student did a titration to find the volume of hydrochloric acid needed to react with 25.0 cm³ of potassium hydroxide solution, KOH.

Exactly 25.0 cm³ of potassium hydroxide solution and a few drops of methyl orange indicator were added to a conical flask.

Hydrochloric acid was then added until a colour change was seen.

(i) State the type of reaction occurring between potassium hydroxide and hydrochloric acid.

(1)

(ii) Write a chemical equation for this reaction.

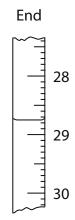
(1)

(iii) State the final colour of methyl orange in the titration.

(1)

(iv) The diagrams show the readings on the burette at the start and at the end of a titration.





Use these diagrams to complete the table, entering all values to the nearest 0.05 cm³.

(3)

Burette reading at end in cm ³	
Burette reading at start in cm ³	
Volume of acid added in cm ³	

(b) Another student did the titration and recorded these results.

Burette reading at end in cm ³	27.35	28.50	27.30	29.15
Burette reading at start in cm ³	0.20	1.80	1.20	2.65
Volume of acid added in cm ³	27.15	26.70	26.10	26.50
Titration results to be used (✓)				

- (i) Concordant results are those that differ from each other by 0.20 cm 3 or less. Identify the concordant results by placing ticks (\checkmark) in the table as shown. (1)
- (ii) Use your ticked results to calculate the average volume of acid added. (2)

Average volume = cm³

(c) A student was asked to suggest a method of obtaining pure, dry crystals of potassium chloride from the dilute solution of potassium chloride formed in the titration.

This is her suggested method.

- Pour the neutral potassium chloride solution from the conical flask into an evaporating basin.
- Heat the solution until it has been bubbling for a few minutes.
- Stop heating and leave it until crystals start to form.
- Pour the liquid away so the crystals are left behind.
- Scrape the crystals onto some blotting paper and to dry them.

Identify **two** problems with the student's method. For each problem, suggest an improvement to the method to overcome the problem.

You may assume that the student is working safely.

Problem 1	 	
Improvement		
Problem 2	 	
Improvement	 	

(4)

(d) In another titration, some potassium hydroxide solution was neutralised by sulfuric acid. The equation for the reaction is

$$2\mathsf{KOH} \,+\, \mathsf{H}_2\mathsf{SO}_4 \,\to\, \mathsf{K}_2\mathsf{SO}_4 \,+\, 2\mathsf{H}_2\mathsf{O}$$

A 25.0 cm³ sample of 0.200 mol/dm³ potassium hydroxide was neutralised by 28.40 cm³ of sulfuric acid.

(i) Calculate the amount, in moles, of potassium hydroxide used.

(2)

(ii) Calculate the amount, in moles, of sulfuric acid used.

(1)

(iii) Calculate the concentration, in mol/dm³, of the sulfuric acid.

(2)

(Total for Question 6 = 18 marks)

7 Lansfordite is the common name for a form of hydrated magnesium carbonate, $MgCO_3.xH_2O$.

This formula shows that lansfordite contains water of crystallisation. When a sample of lansfordite is heated gently, the water of crystallisation is given off and eventually anhydrous magnesium carbonate is left.

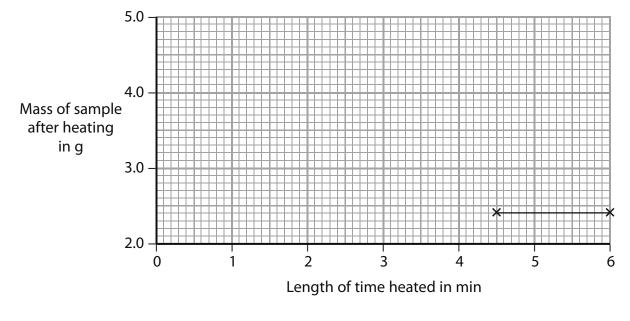
A teacher gave 5.0 g samples of powdered lansfordite to some students and told each student to heat the sample, then to let it cool and reweigh it.

The students heated the samples for different times. The teacher recorded their results in a table.

Length of time heated in min	0.0	1.0	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	6.0
Mass of sample after heating in g	5.0	4.4	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.4

(a) Plot a graph of these results on the grid. The last two results have been plotted for you.

Draw a straight line of best fit through the points you have plotted.



(b) Use your graph to predict the mass of a sample after heating for 2.0 minutes.

(3)

(c) Suggest why the masses of the samples after heating for 4.5 minutes and after heating for 6.0 minutes were the same.	(1)
(d) The teacher told one of the students that the amount of hydrated salt in a sampl of lansfordite was 0.030 mol, and that the amount of water lost on heating was 0.15 mol.	e
Calculate the value of x in the formula MgCO ₃ .xH ₂ O	(1)
(e) When anhydrous magnesium carbonate is heated strongly it decomposes. The equation for the reaction is:	
$MgCO_3(s) \rightarrow MgO(s) + CO_2(g)$	
Calculate the volume, in dm ³ , of carbon dioxide formed when 0.030 mol of anhydrous magnesium carbonate is completely decomposed.	
(You may assume that the molar volume of a gas is 24 dm ³)	(2)
(Total for Question 7 = 8 ma	arks)
TOTAL FOR PAPER = 60 MA	RKS

Sample Mark Scheme

Paper 2C

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
	red	IGNORE qualifiers such as pale / dark NOT 'brick red'	-
(b) (i)	barium chloride / barium nitrate (solution) (dilute) hydrochloric acid / nitric acid	ACCEPT correct formulae	
	white precipitate	ACCEPT solid / suspension / ppt(e)	m
(ii)	BaCl ₂ + Li ₂ SO ₄ → BaSO ₄ + 2LiCl	ACCEPT correct ionic equation	2
		1 mark for formula of BaSO ₄ 1 mark for rest of equation	
			Total: 6

Marks	2	max 2	-	-	~	-	-	-	Total: 10
Notes	ACCEPT in either order		NOT sugar		ACCEPT porous pot / conc. sulfuric acid / conc. phosphoric acid			ACCEPT multiples	
Answer	ethene / C_2H_4 water / steam / H_2O	Any two from: 300 °C (+/- 50 °C) 60 - 70 atm phosphoric acid (catalyst)	glucose	water / H ₂ O	aluminium oxide	dehydration	$C_2H_5OH \rightarrow C_2H_4 + H_2O$	3 O ₂ AND 2 CO ₂ AND 3H ₂ O	
Question number	2 (a) (i)	(ii)	(b) (i)	(ii)	(c) (i)	(ii)	(iii)	(p)	

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
3 (a)	 A description linking five of the following points: set up tubes containing iron (nail) in rainwater and iron (nail) in seawater control tube / tube with iron (nail) and no water same mass of iron (nail) / same volume of water leave tubes for same length of time / stated time interval method to measure rusting e.g. colour change / mass change repeat experiment / more than one set of tubes set up 		max 5
(p)	involves gain / addition of oxygen	ACCEPT involves loss of electrons / increase in oxidation number	1
			Total: 6

4 (a) (i) H ⁺ / H ₃ O ⁺ Cl ⁻
hydrochloric acid
hydrogen chloride in methylbenzene: no reaction / no bubbles / magnesium does nothing
hydrogen chloride in water: any two from: bubbles / fizzing / gas produced magnesium ribbon gets smaller / reacts away / disappears test tube becomes warm

Question	Answer	Notes	Marks
number			
5 (a) (i)	monomer = propene / propylene AND	Both must be correct for 1 mark	
	polymer = poly(propene) / polypropylene		-
(ii)	An explanation linking any two from: • not biodegradable • (because) they are inert • (because) they have strong C-C / C-H bonds		max 2
(q)	Н СN	IGNORE the geometry of the molecule	-
	C=C 		
(c)	Any valid comparison e.g. Addition: only one type of monomer reacts with itself Condensation: two different monomers	ACCEPT: differences in properties e.g. Addition: inert	
	Addition: only one product formed	Condensation: may be hydrolysed / broken down	c
	Condensation: rorms another product / water / nydrogen chioride	REJECT: comparison of uses	7
			Total: 6

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
6 (a) (i)	neutralisation	ACCEPT exothermic	_
(ii)	$KOH + HCl \rightarrow KCl + H_2O$		_
(iii)	orange	ACCEPT red	_
(iv)	28.75	NOT 2.2	
	26.55	3 rd mark consequential on other two	е
(b) (i)	ticks under 26.70 and 26.50		_
(ii)	<u>26.70 + 26.50</u> 2	consequential on ticked results	
	= 26.6(0)	2 nd mark consequential on 1 st	2

				max 4		2	-	2	Total: 18
In each case, 1 mark for identifying the problem; and 1 mark for a correct suggestion for that problem					2 nd mark consequential on 1 st IGNORE units		ACCEPT answer from (d)(i) ÷ 2	2 nd mark consequential on 1 st IGNORE units and sig figs ACCEPT correct answer from incorrect (d)(ii)	
Any two from the following: P: initial solution contaminated with indicator I: repeat titration / mix same volumes with no indicator / add charcoal and filter (to remove indicator)	P: solution heated for too little / too long a time I: evaporate until crystallisation point / check solution with glass rod	P: liquid poured off when crystals start to form I: leave to cool until crystallisation complete	P: crystals lost when solution poured off I: filter / centrifuge / decant carefully to obtain crystals	P: blotting paper may not dry crystals completely I: place crystals in (warm) oven to dry	<u>0.200 × 25.0</u> 1000	= 0.005(00)	0.0025	$\frac{0.0025 \times 1000}{28.4}$ = 0.088(0)	
(c)					(d) (i)		(ii)	(iii)	

Question number	Answer	Notes	Marks
7 (a)	all points plotted correctly to nearest gridline straight line through first 5 points	Deduct 1 mark for each error	1
(q)	Answer in range 3.8 - 3.9 (g)	Consequential on candidate's line	-
		Units not needed, but do not award mark if incorrect units given	
(c)	all water lost / same amount of water lost	ACCEPT reactions/decompositions complete	-
(p)	5		_
(e)	24 × 0.03(0)	Units not needed, but award max 1 if incorrect units	
	= 0.72 (dm³)		2
			Total: 8