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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.
- For questions worth more than one mark, the answer column shows how partial credit can be allocated. This has been done by the inclusion of part marks eg (1).
- 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.

Quality of Written Communication

Questions which involve the writing of continuous prose will expect candidates to:

- Write legibly, with accurate spelling, grammar and punctuation in order to make the meaning clear
- Select and use a form and style of writing appropriate to purpose and to complex subject matter
- Organise information clearly and coherently, using specialist vocabulary when appropriate.

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(a)	B elements		(1)
Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(b)	D alkali metals		(1)
Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(c)(i) 1	any value in range 1.45 to 2.99	any answer which, to 1 sf, is in the range	(1)
Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(c)(i) 2	Kr	Reject KR, kr	(1)
Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(c)(i) 3	no reaction	'nothing'	(1)
Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(c)(ii)	An explanation linking any two of: • argon is {inert / unreactive} (1) • argon does not react with {metal/filament}/{metal/filament} would react with air or oxygen / ORA (1) • atom has {eight electrons in outer shell / full (outer) shell} (1)	ignore noble gas doesn't react with anything argon does not corrode the metal ignore references to electrical conductivity	(2)

Question	Answer	Acceptable	Mark
Number 1(d)	a soft metal that reacts vigorously with water	if two answer lines from one	
	a grey solid that forms a purple vapour when heated potassium a yellow solid that does not conduct electricity	element, then ignore	
	copper a red-brown solid that reacts to form Blue compounds		
	all 3 correct – 2 marks any two correct – 1 mark one correct – 0 marks		(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(a)	A description to include two fromallow layers to {form /	ignore inverted oil/water layers	
	separate} / liquids to separate(1) operate tap / OWTTE(1) run out one layer / OWTTE(1) pour remaining upper layer from top / run out second	discard interface	
	layer(1)		(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(b)	A description to includegreen (1)(and) red (1)	{combination of / mixture of / two} colours (1) note: if all three colours mentioned (1)	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(c)	An explanation to include three from	ignore references to electrolytic processes	
	 {sodium chloride / ionic compound} – bulb lights / {sucrose / covalent compound} – bulb does not light up (1) 	circuit will work (in place of bulb lights) / ORA	
	sodium chloride (solution) {conducts / ions present} (1)		
	 sucrose (solution) {does not conduct / no ions present (1) 		(3)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
2(d)	2x1 + 16 (=18)		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(a)	C smaller than the mass of a proton		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(b)	 An description linking 8 protons (1) (and) {17-8/9} neutrons (1) 	ignore references to electrons in shells / charges on particles	
		if electrons in nucleus max 1 protons and neutrons with incorrect numbers (1)	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(c)	 (both have) same number (of electrons) in outer shell(1) 6 (electrons in outer shell) (consequent on first point) (1) 	correct electronic configurations or diagrams alone max 1 'they both have 6 in the outer	
	(consequent en met penn) (1)	shell' scores both marks allow 'both need 2 (more) (electrons) to fill outer shell' for both marks	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(d)	A description to include		
	 2.8 (in 1st and 2nd shell)(1) 5 (in outer shell)(1) 	suitable diagram in place of 2.8(1).5(1)	
		electrons in {shells / orbits / rings}(1)	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(e)(i)	 A description to include electron(s) shared (1) {pair(s) of / two} (electrons) (1) 	can be shown in a diagram of a covalent bond	
		any mention of ions scores zero	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(e)(ii)	P ₂ O ₅	Reject P2O5 / P ² O ⁵	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(a)	sodium carbonate + calcium nitrate → sodium nitrate + calcium carbonate (2) LHS (1) RHS (1)	ignore solution / state symbols ignore incorrect attempts at balanced equation ignore mixtures of words and formulae	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(b)(i)	C orange-red		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(b)(ii)	A description including two points from CLEAN	 moisten splint put splint into solid hold splint in (Bunsen) flame 	
		ignore: hold <u>over</u> flame use of tongs / spatula etc for equipment, max 1	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(c)(i)	40/44 (1) (= 0.909)	correct answer (2)	
	(any fraction) x 100 (1) (= 90.9 / 90.91 / 91(%))	Ignore 90(%)	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(c)(ii)	reaction is incomplete / not hot enough / not heated for long enough / use of impure calcium carbonate	ignore {gas escaping / not all collected / incorrect measurement}	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(d)	D have high melting points		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5(a)(i)	BaSO ₄	SO₄Ba ignore charges unless incorrect	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5(a)(ii)	charged particle	charged atom / {particle/atom(s)} that has gained or lost electrons ignore any stated charges	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5(b)	An explanation linking two of the following points:		
	barium sulfate does not dissolve (in water) (1)	ignore barium sulfate is insoluble in water {mix with / enter} blood	
	is not absorbed into blood / body (1)	allow 'barium sulfate does not dissolve into the bloodstream' for 2 marks	
	 passes through body (unchanged) (1) 		
		allow 'it is insoluble so it is non- toxic' for one mark	(2)

Question Number		Indicative Content	Mark
QWC	*5(c)	A description including some of the following points reactants dissolve reactants (in water) mix reactants / solutions use of appropriate apparatus stir separate product filter use of filter funnel and paper making pure dry salt solid on filter paper wash with water dry in oven / leave to dry / in a warm place	(6)
Level	0	No rewardable content	•
1	1 - 2	 a limited description e.g. mix the two reactants in a beaker OR wash solid and leave to dry. the answer communicates ideas using simple language and uses limited scientific terminology spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited accuracy 	
2	3 - 4	 a simple description e.g. mix solutions of the reactants in a beaker and then filter. the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of clarity and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriately spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy 	
3	5 - 6	 spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy a detailed description e.g. mix solutions of the reactants in a beaker then filter, wash solid and leave to dry. the answer communicates ideas clearly and coherently uses a range of scientific terminology accurately spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with few errors 	

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5(d)	Ba + Cl_2 (\rightarrow) (1) \rightarrow Ba Cl_2 (1) reactants = 1 product = 1	max 1 for any incorrectly balanced equation	(2)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
6(a)(i)	corrosive	damages skin / clothes causes burns	(1)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
6(a)(ii)	C neutralisation		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
6(b)	 An explanation to include (substance that) increases rate / speeds up reaction (1) without being {used up / changed} itself (1) 	ignore slows down a reaction lowers activation energy reject provides energy / heat (for 2 nd mark)	(2)

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Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
6(c)	 A description to include smaller pieces have larger surface area / ORA (1) 		
	 larger surface area, {higher / faster} rate (1) 	small <u>er</u> pieces give fast <u>er</u> rate (1) ORA	
	ORA	allow 'bigger surface area produces more carbon dioxide' (or similarly phrased) for one mark	(2)

Question		Indicative Content	Mark	
Number		maisative content	Wark	
QWC	*6(d)	A description / comparison/ explanation / etc including some of the following points method – what needs to be carried out dilute the acid (to make) different concentrations / stated concentration values add magnesium to acid in suitable container equal volumes of the acids equal lengths of magnesium observations – to make observe/ count bubbles highest concentration magnesium reacts, lowest concentration magnesium does not react observe/ time magnesium disappearing use of timer measure volume gas produced measure decrease in mass conclusion – evidence gathered or seen formed bubbles faster magnesium disappears faster gas produced faster		
		mass lost faster	(6)	
Level	0	No rewardable content		
1	1 - 2	 a limited description e.g. add magnesium to acid and time the reaction the answer communicates ideas using simple language and uses limited scientific terminology spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited accuracy 		
2	3 - 4	 a simple description e.g. dilute the acid, add magnesium to both acid solutions and more concentrated one bubbles faster or magnesium reacts quicker the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of clarity and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriately spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy 		
3	5 - 6	 a detailed description e.g. add magnesium to different concentrations of acids in beakers: lower concentration longer time therefore slower reaction the answer communicates ideas clearly and coherently uses a range of scientific terminology accurately spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with few errors 		

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