F322 Chains, Energy and Resources

Question			Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
1	(a)		Fractional distillation ✓ Because fractions have different boiling points ✓	2	**DO NOT ALLOW** just 'distillation' For fractions, **ALLOW** components **OR** hydrocarbons **OR** compounds **ALLOW** condense at different temperatures **ALLOW** because van der Waals' forces differ between molecules **IGNORE** reference to melting points **IGNORE '**crude oil' **OR** 'mixture' has different boiling points' …… **but ALLOW** 'separates crude oil by boiling points
	(b)	(i)	Decane ✓	1	**DO NOT ALLOW** deceane
		(ii)	Skeletal formula of branched $C_{10}H_{22}$ ✓	1	Formula **must** be skeletal **AND** must not include any symbol, e.g. CH_3 Any possible skeletal formulae e.g.

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					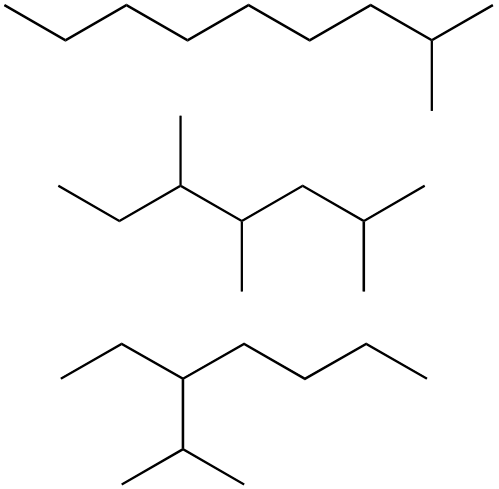
		(iii)	Decane has more surface contact **OR** branched chains have less surface contact ✓ Decane has more van der Waals' forces **OR** branched chains have fewer van der Waals' forces ✓	2	**Both answers need to be comparisons** Assume 'it' refers to decane **IGNORE** surface area **ALLOW** straight chains can get closer together **OR** branched chains cannot get as close to one another **IGNORE** branched chain are more compact **ALLOW** Decane has stronger van der Waals' forces **OR** branched chains have weaker van der Waals' forces More intermolecular forces is **not** sufficient
		(iv)	Branched chains have more efficient combustion **OR** decane has less efficient combustion ✓	1	**ALLOW** branched chains are easier to burn **OR** easier to combust **OR** burn better **OR** more efficient fuel **OR** less likely to produce pre-ignition or knocking **OR** increases octane rating **ALLOW** ORA for decane

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					Better fuel is **NOT** sufficient Burns more cleanly is **NOT** sufficient
	(c)	**(i)**	$C_{10}H_{22} + 15½O_2 \longrightarrow 10CO_2 + 11H_2O$ All **four** species correct ✓ balancing of four correct species ✓	**2**	**ALLOW** any correct multiple **IGNORE** state symbols
		(ii)	$N_2 + O_2 \longrightarrow 2NO$ ✓	**1**	**ALLOW** any correct multiple including fractions **IGNORE** state symbols The mark is for the equation **IGNORE** writing

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	(d)	(i)	Species with an unpaired electron ✓	1	**ALLOW** atom, molecule or particle with an unpaired electron **ALLOW** 'has an unpaired electron' **ALLOW** particle formed by homolytic fission **DO NOT ALLOW** particle with a single electron **OR** particle with a free electron
		(ii)	catalyst ✓	1	
		(iii)	$O + O_2 \longrightarrow O_3$ **OR** O reacts with O_2 to make ozone **OR** the reaction is reversible ✓ Rate of formation of ozone is the same as rate of decomposition ✓	2	**ALLOW** $O_2 + O \rightleftharpoons O_3$ **OR** $O_3 \rightleftharpoons O_2 + O$ ✓✓ **ALLOW** is in equilibrium **OR** $\rightleftharpoons$ in **correct** equation **OR** has steady state condition ✓ **IGNORE** other equations involving ozone
		(iv)	absorbs (harmful) UV ✓	1	**ALLOW** 'keeps out UV' **OR** 'filters UV' **ALLOW** increased UV could cause skin cancer **OR** increased UV could cause cataracts **OR** increased UV could cause mutation of crops ✓ **IGNORE** gamma
			Total	15	

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2	(a)	(i)	$2H_2O_2 \longrightarrow 2H_2O + O_2$ ✓	1	**ALLOW** any correct multiple including fractions **IGNORE** state symbols
		(ii)	More crowded particles **OR** more particles per (unit) volume ✓ more collisions per second **OR** more frequent collisions ✓	2	**ALLOW** particles are closer together **DO NOT ALLOW** 'area' instead of 'volume' **IGNORE** 'more concentrated particles' **ALLOW** collisions more often **OR** increased rate of collision **OR** collisions are more likely **OR** there is a greater chance of collisions 'More collisions' is **not** sufficient
		(iii)	**Any two from the following:** Reaction takes alternative route ✓ Activation energy is lowered ✓ More molecules have energy above activation energy **OR** more molecules have enough energy to react ✓	2	 **ALLOW** catalyst changes reaction mechanism **ALLOW** an alternative approach using adsorption particles **adsorbed** onto surface ✓ so bonds weakened as a result of the adsorption ✓

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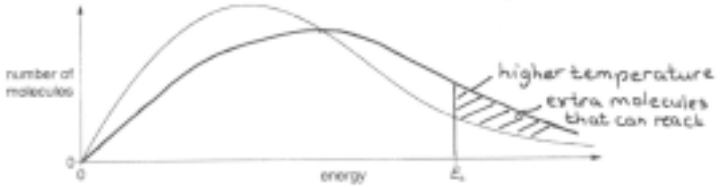
		(iv)	Correct curve for higher temperature ✓	3	maximum of curve to right **AND** lower than maximum of original curve **AND** above dotted line at higher energy as shown in diagram below **IGNORE** minor point of inflexion of curve
			Activation energy does not change **OR** clearly labelled on diagram, e.g. E_a **OR** E ✓		 Note that the diagram above would score all 3 marks
			More molecules have energy above activation energy **OR** more molecules have enough energy to react ✓		More successful collisions is **not** sufficient
	(b)	(i)	$\frac{34.0}{}$ × 100 **267.4** ✓ 12.7% ✓	2	First mark for 267.4 **OR** (34.0 + 233.4) **OR** (169.3 + 98.1) at **bottom** of fraction with or without × 100 **ALLOW** from 2 sig figs up to calculator value **ALLOW** full marks for 13 **OR** 12.7 **OR** 12.72 **OR** 12.715 up to calculator value with no working out 12.71 scores one mark only **NO ECF** for this part from incorrect numbers in first expression

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		(ii)	**Any three from the following**: Oxygen comes from air ✓ No poisonous materials formed **OR** no poisonous materials involved ✓ No waste products formed **OR** atom economy is 100% ✓ Anthraquinone is regenerated **OR** recycled **OR** used again **OR** Anthraquinone acts as a catalyst ✓	3	 **IGNORE** hydrogen comes from the air **IGNORE** harmful **ALLOW** higher atom economy
	(c)		Bond breaking absorbs energy **AND** bond making releases energy ✓ More energy released than absorbed ✓	2	**ALLOW** bond breaking is endothermic **AND** bond making is exothermic **ALLOW** exothermic change transfers more energy than endothermic change **OR** bond making transfers more energy than bond breaking **OR** '(the sum of the) bond enthalpies in the products is greater than the (sum of the) bond enthalpies in the reactants' **OR** '(the sum of the) bond enthalpies of the bonds made is greater than (the sum of) the bond enthalpies of the bonds broken' **IGNORE** reference to strong and weak bonds **IGNORE** enthalpy of products is less than enthalpy of reactants
			Total	**15**	

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3	(a)		Respiration ✓	1	**IGNORE** anaerobic
	(b)	(i)	100 × 4.18 × 17.3 ✓ 7.23 (kJ) ✓	2	**ALLOW** 7231 J ✓ **ALLOW** 7.23 with no working out **ALLOW** from 7.2 up to calculator value of 7.2314 **ALLOW** from 0.060 up to calculator value for 1 mark (i.e. ECF from use of m = 0.831 in first stage) **IGNORE** sign
		(ii)	M_r = 180 ✓ amount = 4.62 × 10^{-3} (mol) ✓	2	 **ALLOW** 4.6 × 10^{-3} **OR** 4.62 × 10^{-3} **OR** 4.617 × 10^{-3} up to calculator value **DO NOT ALLOW** 0.005 **ALLOW** ECF from wrong M_r
		(iii)	ΔH_c = 1560 (kJ) **OR** 1570 (kJ) but answer must be to 3 sig fig ✓ minus sign ✓	2	**ALLOW** ECF from 'answer to **(i)** ÷ answer to **(ii)**' but answer must be to 3 sig fig minus mark is an independent mark

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(c)	+1250 ✓ +(−394 × 6) + (−286 × 6) **OR** –4080 ✓ −2830 ✓	3	**ALLOW** full marks for −2830 with no working out ✓✓✓ **ALLOW for 2 marks:** +2830 cycle wrong way around **OR** 1400 **OR** 860 one value not × 6 **OR** –5330 **OR** +5330 wrong sign for 1250 or 4080 **OR** +570 ✓✓ correct cycle but not × 6 **ALLOW for 1 mark:** –1400 **OR** –860 cycle wrong way around and one value not × 6 **OR** –570 cycle wrong way around and not × 6 **OR** –1930 **OR** +1930 ✓ wrong sign and not × 6 **Note:** There may be other possibilities.
(d)	**Any two from the following:** Heat released to the surroundings ✓ Incomplete combustion **OR** incomplete reaction **OR** not everything burns ✓ Non-standard conditions ✓	2	 **ALLOW** heat loss **IGNORE** reference to evaporation
	Total	12	

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4	(a)	(i)	$CH_4 + Br_2 \longrightarrow CH_3Br + HBr$ ✓	1	**ALLOW** any correct multiple **IGNORE** state symbols
		(ii)	Dibromomethane **OR** tribromomethane **OR** tetrabromomethane ✓	1	**ALLOW** 1,1-dibromomethane **OR** 1,1,1-tribromomethane etc **ALLOW** 1-dibromomethane **DO NOT ALLOW** 2,2-dibromomethane etc **ALLOW** correct formulae e.g. CH_2Br_2
		(iii)	$Br_2 \longrightarrow 2Br$ **OR** homolytic fission of bromine ✓ $Br + CH_4 \longrightarrow HBr + CH_3$ ✓ $CH_3 + Br_2 \longrightarrow CH_3Br + Br$ ✓ $Br + CH_3 \longrightarrow CH_3Br$ **OR** $Br + Br \longrightarrow Br_2$ ✓ Ethane made when two methyl radicals react **OR** $CH_3 + CH_3 \longrightarrow C_2H_6$ ✓ **Quality of Written Communication** – Consists of initiation step linked to correct equation propagation step linked to one equation in which there is a radical on the left and a radical on the right termination step linked to correct equation: 2 names of steps linked to correct equations ✓ **BUT** 3 names of steps linked to correct equations ✓✓	7	**All equations can be described in words** Radicals do **NOT** need a single dot **IGNORE** any state symbols **ALLOW** any other suitable termination If no equations are given to link the names of the step then award one mark for mention of all three steps

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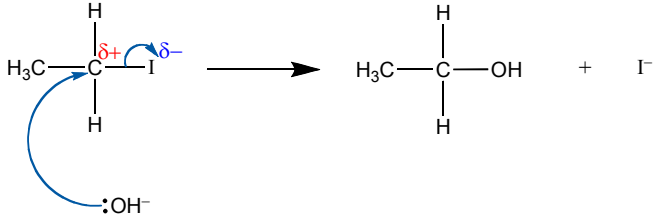
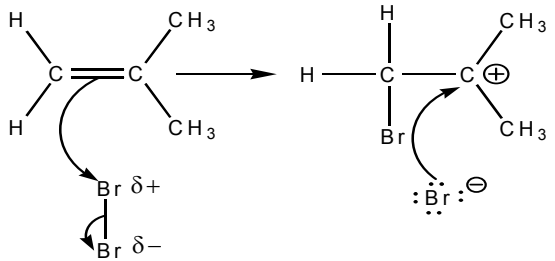
(b)	**EITHER** Nucleophilic substitution ✓ Example of nucleophilic substitution ✓ Heterolytic fission ✓ C–I curly arrow ✓ Correct dipole on C— I bond ✓ OH^- curly arrow from one lone pair on O of OH^- ion **OR** from minus sign on OH^- ion ✓ **OR** Electrophilic addition ✓ Example of electrophilic addition ✓ Heterolytic fission ✓ Curly arrow from C=C bond to Br—Br bond and Dipole and curly arrow associated with Br_2 ✓ Correct carbocation ion ✓ Curly arrow from one lone pair on Br^- ion **OR** from minus sign on Br^- ion ✓	6	The example mark can be awarded as an example of the name of the mechanism given or if the name is wrong can be given as an example of a reasonably correct drawn mechanism *If **curly half arrows** drawn do not give a mark the first time used and then apply ECF*  **ALLOW** mechanisms for other halogenoalkaes  **ALLOW** mechanisms for other halogens and hydrogen halides
	ALLOW Electrophilic substitution ✓ Example of electrophilic substitution ✓ Heterolytic fission ✓ Curly arrow from benzene ring to the electrophile (i.e. NO_2^+ OR Br^+) ✓ Correct intermediate ✓ Curly arrow to show loss of hydrogen ion ✓		**ALLOW** Nucleophilic addition ✓ Example of nucleophilic addition ✓ Heterolytic fission ✓ Correct dipole on carbonyl group ✓ Curly arrow from lone pair on H^- ion **OR** from minus sign on H^- to C=O carbon and breaking of C=O bond ✓ Curly arrow from carbonyl oxygen to either H^+ or H_2O ✓
	Total	**15**	

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5	(a)		Cracking ✓	1	**ALLOW** catalytic or thermal cracking ✓
	(b)	(i)	Acid ✓	1	**ALLOW** correct formula if no name given: e.g. H_3PO_4 **OR** H_2SO_4 **OR** H^+ ✓ **ALLOW** correct name of acid even if an incorrect formula is used **IGNORE** heterogeneous **OR** homogeneous
		(ii)	The position of equilibrium will shift so as to minimise the effect of any change in conditions ✓	1	**DO NOT ALLOW** 'reaction shifts' The idea of a shift in equilibrium is essential
		(iii)	Low temperature **AND** high pressure ✓ Low temperature because the (forward) reaction is exothermic ✓ High pressure because there are fewer moles (of gas) on the right hand side ✓	3	One mark for conditions. This mark is independent of the reasons for conditions One mark for reason for the chosen temperature One mark for reason for the chosen pressure **ALLOW** fewer moles of products
		(iv)	(60 atmosphere pressure is a) high pressure may be too expensive **OR** may cause safety problems ✓ (300 ºC is sufficiently high) to give a fast rate of reaction ✓ without shifting equilibrium to the left **OR** compromising equilibrium yield ✓	3	
	(c)		Propene ✓	1	**ALLOW** prop-1-ene ✓ **DO NOT ALLOW** prop-2-ene
	(d)	(i)	—CH_2CHCl— + $2\frac{1}{2}O_2 \longrightarrow 2CO_2 + H_2O + HCl$ ✓	1	
		(ii)	Alkali **OR** base **OR** carbonate ✓	1	**ALLOW** correct formula of or named carbonate **OR** alkali **OR** base Correct name and wrong formula does **not** score

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	(e)		**Any two marks from the following**: Develop photodegradable polymers ✓ Develop biodegradable polymers **OR** develop compostable polymers ✓ Develop techniques for cracking polymers **OR** develop use as a chemical feedstock ✓ Develop ways of making polymers from plant-based substances **OR** reduce the need to use finite raw materials such as crude oil ✓ Designing processes with high atom economy **OR** reduce waste products during manufacture ✓ Develop ways of sorting **AND** recycling polymers ✓	**2**	
			Total	**14**	

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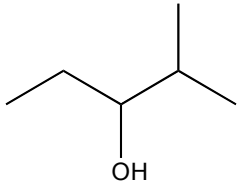
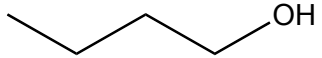
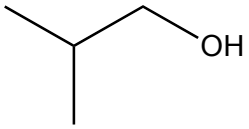
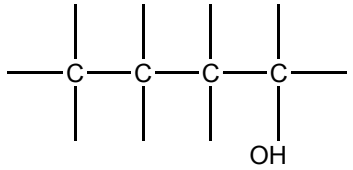
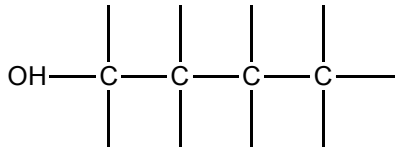
6	(a)	(i)	2-Methylpropan-2-ol ✓	1	**ALLOW** methylpropan-2-ol
	(b)		 ✓	1	Formula **must** be skeletal **AND** not include any symbol except for OH
	(c)	(i)	Same **molecular** formula but different structural formulae ✓	1	**ALLOW** Same molecular formula but different arrangement of atoms **OR** Same molecular formula but different structures **OR** Same molecular formula but different displayed formulae **DO NOT ALLOW** Same molecular formula but different spatial arrangement of atoms
		(ii)	$CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2OH$ **OR** $(CH_3)_2CHCH_2OH$ ✓ **ALLOW**  **OR** 	1	**ALLOW** displayed formula **ALLOW** sticks (i.e. no H shown bonded to C) **ALLOW**  *sticks OK and –OH is OK* **DO NOT ALLOW** OH shown as below  *sticks OK but OH– is not OK* **ALLOW** correct ethers

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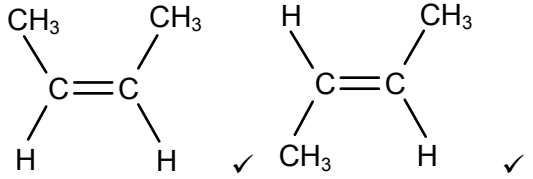
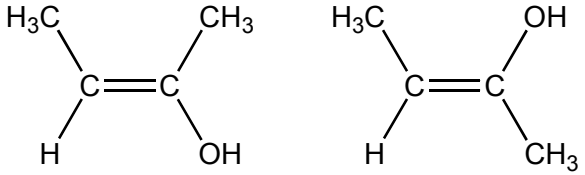
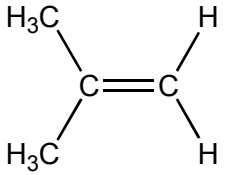
	(d)		Has O–H (bonds) **OR** has hydroxyl (groups) **OR** has hydroxy (groups) ✓ Forms hydrogen bonds with water (molecules) ✓	**2**	**ALLOW** marks from a diagram of hydrogen bonding **IGNORE** reference to alcohol functional group **DO NOT ALLOW** 'forms hydrogen bonds'
	(e)		$CH_3COOCH_2CH_2OOCCH_3$ 1 mark for each ester end of molecule ✓✓	**2**	**ALLOW** displayed formula **OR** skeletal formula **ALLOW** sticks $CH_3COOCH_2CH_2OH$ shows one of the two ester groups and scores one mark
	(f)	**(i)**	 ✓ ✓	**2**	**DO NOT ALLOW**  i.e. no ECF
		(ii)	*E/Z* ✓	**1**	**ALLOW** *cis-trans* **IGNORE** geometric
		(iii)	$CH_3CH_2CH{=}CH_2$ **OR** but-1-ene ✓	**1**	If but-1-ene given in part **(i)**, **ALLOW** but-2-ene **OR** $CH_3CH{=}CHCH_3$ i.e. ECF from **f(i)** **DO NOT ALLOW** methylpropene: 

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From the evidence, candidates may have identified compound **F** as propanone, propanal or propanoic acid • The mark scheme for **F** = propanone and propanal is shown in the 'Expected Answers' column. • The mark scheme for **F** = propanoic acid is shown in the 'Additional Guidance' column. If **F** is propanone or propanoic acid, then maximum score = 7; **but** if **F** is propanal then maximum score = 6			
(g)	**Mark scheme for F = propanone and propanal**	**7**	**Mark scheme for F = propanoic acid**
	mass spec of E– Remember to check the spectrum **Quality of Written Communication –** mass spec gives M^+ or molecular ion of 60 **OR** mass spec gives parent ion of 60 **OR** highest *m*/*z* (**ALLOW** *m*/*e*) value is 60 ✓ *m*/*z* = 45 indicates loss of CH_3 **OR** *m*/*z* = 45 indicates presence of CH_3CHOH **OR** CH_2CH_2OH **OR** C_2H_5O ✓		**mass spec of E– Remember to check the spectrum** **QWC –** mass spec gives M^+ or molecular ion of 60 **OR** mass spec gives parent ion of 60 **OR** highest *m*/*z* (**OR** *m*/*e*) value is 60 ✓ *m*/*z* = 45 indicates loss of CH_3 **OR** *m*/*z* = 45 indicates presence of CH_3CHOH **OR** CH_2CH_2OH **OR** C_2H_5O ✓
	IR of F – Remember to check the spectrum IR shows no broad absorption between 2500 to 3300 cm^{-1} so no O—H bond **OR** no broad absorption between 2500 to 3300 cm^{-1} so not a carboxylic acid ✓ IR shows absorption at 1700 cm^{-1} due to a C=O bond **OR** absorption at 1700 cm^{-1} indicates a ketone **OR** aldehyde present ✓		**IR of F– Remember to check the spectrum** IR shows (broad) absorption somewhere between 3500 and 2500 cm^{-1} suggests carboxylic acid **OR** O–H bond ✓ IR shows absorption at 1700 cm^{-1} due to C=O **OR** absorption at 1700 cm^{-1} indicates a carboxylic acid ✓
	Identification and equation **F** is CH_3COCH_3 **OR** propanone ✓ **E** is $CH_3CHOHCH_3$ **OR** propan-2-ol ✓ $CH_3CHOHCH_3 + [O] \longrightarrow CH_3COCH_3 + H_2O$ ✓		**Identification and equation** **F** is CH_3CH_2COOH **OR** propanoic acid ✓ **E** is $CH_3CH_2CH_2OH$ **OR** propan-1-ol ✓ $CH_3CH_2CH_2OH + 2[O] \longrightarrow CH_3CH_2COOH + H_2O$ ✓
	If **F** has been incorrectly identified as propanal, mark identification and equation as ECF, so max = 2 **ALLOW E** is $CH_3CH_2CH_2OH$ ✓ **ALLOW**: $CH_3CH_2CH_2OH + [O] \rightarrow CH_3CH_2CHO + H_2O$ ✓		
	Total	**19**	

Extra guidance for marking of Q6(g)

If **E** has **not** been identified **OR** if **F** has been identified as a **ketone or aldehyde**,
use the **left-hand** mark scheme

If **F** has been identified as a **carboxylic acid**,
use the **right-hand** mark scheme

Mass spec

These two marking points stand as **independent** marks whichever compounds have been identified.

The positive sign for fragment ions is not required. **IGNORE** negative charge.
The mass spec may well be on the actual spectrum.

IR mark

These stand as **independent** marks whichever compounds have been identified.
The IR analysis may well be on the actual spectrum.

Identification marks

If both structure and name are given they must **both** be correct
but allow 'propanol' drawn with the correct structure because the position number of the –OH has been clearly identified

ALLOW ECF for identification of **F** e.g. if **E** is pentan-2-ol × then an answer of pentan-2-one for **F** will be given a mark ✓ as ECF

ALLOW identification marks for **E** and **F** from equation

Equation mark

ALLOW ECF for any correct equation showing the oxidation of **any** alcohol to the appropriate product.
ALLOW molecular formulae in equations,
i.e. $C_3H_7OH + [O] \rightarrow C_2H_5CHO + H_2O$ ✓ ; $C_3H_8O + [O] \rightarrow C_3H_6O + H_2O$ ✓ ; $C_3H_7OH + [O] \rightarrow C_2H_5COH + H_2O$ ✓

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7	(a)	(i)	Infrared (radiation absorbed) ✓ by (C–H) bond vibration ✓	2	**ALLOW** bond stretching **OR** bond bending **DO NOT ALLOW** molecules vibrating
		(ii)	Greater concentration of carbon dioxide **OR** more carbon dioxide is being made ✓	1	**ALLOW** carbon dioxide is the main contributor to global warming **DO NOT ALLOW** any response that states that CO_2 causes ozone depletion **ALLOW** C=O bonds absorb IR more readily than C–H bonds **ALLOW** carbon dioxide has a greater greenhouse effect

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7	(b)		**Any five from the following:** Developing carbon capture **AND** storage ✓ One example of CCS ✓ Second example of CCS ✓ Provide evidence to governments **OR** international conferences (e.g. Kyoto) **OR** reports to United Nations etc ✓ Educating society **OR** writing in journals **OR** producing documentaries **OR** writing books **OR** making posters ✓ Monitoring atmospheric changes ✓ Develop alternative energy sources ✓ One example of an alternative energy source e.g. develop fuel cells **OR** developing solar power **OR** fuels that do not produce CO_2 ✓ (Develop) more efficient engines for transport **OR** lean burn engines **OR** hybrid engines **OR** electric cars ✓ Find uses for carbon dioxide **OR** named use: e.g. dry cleaning **OR** making decaffeinated coffee **OR** blowing agent **OR** fizzy drinks, etc ✓	5	carbon, capture **AND** storage required **ALLOW** CCS **Examples of CCS** **deep** in the oceans **OR** on the **sea-bed** ✓ **DO NOT ALLOW** dissolve CO_2 in the sea **OR** stored in ocean storage in geological formations **OR** piped into disused or partially filled oil wells or porous rocks **OR** under the sea-bed ✓ by reaction with metal oxides **OR** reaction to form (solid) carbonates **OR** stored as a carbonate **OR** equation to show formation of metal carbonate ✓ **IGNORE** mineral storage **ALLOW** idea of biofuels only if linked to carbon-neutrality **IGNORE** reforestation **IGNORE** reference to CFCs **DO NOT ALLOW** use less carbon dioxide

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	(c)		**Any two from the following:** There are times when CO_2 has a **high** concentration and the temperature is also **high** **OR** There are times when CO_2 has a **low** concentration and the temperature is **low** ✓ It is impossible to measure with certainty the average temperature years ago ✓ There are other gases that may cause a greenhouse effect **OR** There are other factors that may cause a greenhouse effect ✓ There are very few anomalous results ✓	**2**	**ALLOW** a (positive) correlation between temperature and carbon dioxide concentration but **DO NOT ALLOW** just 'a correlation' **IGNORE** 'graphs are the same shape' **IGNORE** 'graphs are similar'
			Total	**10**	

Grade Thresholds

Advanced GCE Chemistry A (H034/H434)
January 2010 Examination Series

Unit Threshold Marks

Unit		Maximum Mark	a	b	c	d	e	u
F321	Raw	60	46	40	35	30	25	0
	UMS	90	72	63	54	45	36	0
F322	Raw	100	77	68	59	51	43	0
	UMS	150	120	105	90	75	60	0
F324	Raw	60	43	38	33	29	25	0
	UMS	90	72	63	54	45	36	0

Specification Aggregation Results

Overall threshold marks in UMS (i.e. after conversion of raw marks to uniform marks)

	Maximum Mark	A	B	C	D	E	U
H034	300	240	210	180	150	120	0

The cumulative percentage of candidates awarded each grade was as follows:

	A	B	C	D	E	U	Total Number of Candidates
H034	12.9	37.5	62.7	83.1	96.2	100	1415

1415 candidates aggregated this series.

For a description of how UMS marks are calculated see:
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