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Question	Marking Guidance	Mark	Comments
1(a)	Enthalpy change for the formation of 1 mol of gaseous atoms	1	allow heat energy change for enthalpy change
	From the <u>element</u> (in its standard state)	1	ignore reference to conditions
	Enthalpy change to separate 1 mol of an ionic lattice/solid/compound	1	enthalpy change not required but penalise energy
	Into (its component) gaseous ions	1	mark all points independently
1(b)	$\Delta H_L = ^-\Delta H_f + \Delta H_a + I.E. + 1/2E(Cl-Cl) + EA$	1	Or correct Born-Haber cycle drawn out
	= +411 + 109 + 494 + 121 – 364	1	
	$= +771 \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1})$	1	-771 scores 2/3
			+892 scores 1/3
			-51 scores 1/3
			-892 scores zero
			+51 scores zero ignore units
1(c)(i)	lons are perfect spheres (or point charges)	1	mention of molecules/intermolecular forces/covalent
	Only electrostatic attraction/no covalent interaction	1	bonds CE = 0
			allow ionic bonding only
			If mention of atoms CE = 0 for M2
1(c)(ii)	Ionic	1	Allow no covalent character/bonding

1(c)(iii)	Ionic with additional covalent bonding	1	Or has covalent character/partially covalent
			Allow mention of polarisation of ions or description of polarisation

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2(a)	Because it is a gas compared with solid carbon	1	Mark independently
	Nitrogen is more disordered/random/chaotic/free to move	1	
2(b)	0 K / –273 C / absolute zero	1	
2(c)	$\Delta G = \Delta H - T \Delta S$	1	Allow $\Delta H = \Delta G - T \Delta S$
			$T\Delta S = \Delta H - \Delta G$
			$\Delta S = (\Delta H - \Delta G)/T$
			Ignore θ in ΔG^{θ}
2(d)	ΔG is less than or equal to zero ($\Delta G \leq 0$)	1	Allow ΔG is less than zero ($\Delta G < 0$)
			Allow ΔG is equal to zero ($\Delta G = 0$)
			Allow ΔG is negative
2(e)	When $\Delta G = 0$ $T = \Delta H / \Delta S$	1	
	$\Delta H = +90.4$	1	Allow $\Delta H = +90$
	$\Delta S = \sum S(products) - \sum S(reactants)$	1	
	$\Delta S = 211.1 - 205.3/2 - 192.2/2 = 12.35$	1	
	<i>T</i> = (90.4 x 1000)/12.35 = 7320 K /7319.8 <u>K</u>	1	Allow 7230 to 7350 K (Note 7.32 K scores 4 marks)
			Units of temperature essential to score the mark

2(g)	$\Delta H = 1.9 \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1})$ $\Delta S = 2.4 - 5.7 = -3.3 \text{ (J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1})$ ΔG is always positive	1 1 1	for M1 and M2 allow no units, penalise wrong units This mark can only be scored if ΔH is +ve and ΔS is –ve
2(f)	Activation energy is high	1	Allow chemical explanation of activation energy Allow needs route with lower activation energy Allow catalyst lowers activation energy

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3(a)	Na₂O ionic	1	mention of molecules/intermolecular forces/delocalised electrons, CE = 0
	Strong forces between ions/strong ionic bonding	1	Allow lots of energy to break bonds provided M1 scored
	SiO ₂ macromolecular	1	Allow giant molecular/giant covalent.
			If ions mentioned, CE = 0
	Strong covalent bonds (between atoms)	1	Allow lots of energy to break covalent bonds
			If breaking intermolecular forces are mentioned, CE = 0 for M4
3(b)	Higher	1	
	Li ⁺ (or Li ion) smaller than Na ⁺	1	Must imply Li ⁺ ion
			Allow Li⁺ has higher charge/size ratio not charge/mass
	Attracts O ²⁻ ion more strongly	1	Allow stronger ionic bonding
			Allow additional attraction due to polarisation in Li ₂ O
			M3 can only be scored if M2 gained
3(c)(i)	Molecular	1	Do not allow simple covalent BUT simple covalent
	Covalent bonds (between P and O)	1	molecule scores M1 and M2
			Ignore reference to van der Waals' or dipole-dipole

3(c)(ii)	Weak van der Waals' forces and/or dipole-dipole forces between molecules	1	Allow weak inter-molecular forces – can score "between" molecules in (c)(i) CE = 0 if ionic or macromolecular mentioned in (c)(i) Must state van der Waals' forces are weak <i>OR</i> low energy needed to break van der Waals' forces
3(d)	Allow –1 to +2	1	
	$P_4O_{10} + 6H_2O \rightarrow 12H^+ + 4PO_4^{3-} \text{ (or } 4H_3PO_4)$	1	Allow balanced equations to form HPO ₄ ²⁻ or H ₂ PO ₄ ⁻ ignore state symbols
	Allow 12 to 14	1	
	$Na_2O + H_2O \rightarrow 2Na^+ + 2OH^-$	1	Allow 2Na ⁺ + O ²⁻ on LHS, 2NaOH on RHS, ignore s.s.
			Mark independently
3(e)	$6Na_2O + P_4O_{10} \rightarrow 4Na_3PO_4$	1	
	Acid-base	1	Allow neutralisation, mark independently of M1
			Do not allow Acid + Base → Salt + Water

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4(a)	Incomplete (or partially filled) d orbitals/sub-shells	1	Do not allow d shell
4(b)	Variable oxidation states	1	
4(c)(i)	$[H_3N-Ag-NH_3]^+$	1	Allow [Cl-Ag-Cl] or similar Cu(I) ion Allow compounds in (i), (ii) and (iii) (eg Cl-Be-Cl) Allow no charge shown, penalise wrong charge(s)
4(c)(ii)	Cis platin drawn out as square planar	1	Allow NiX ₄ ²⁻ etc
4(c)(iii)	[CuCl ₄] ²⁻ drawn out as tetrahedral ion	1	Or [CoCl ₄] ²⁻ drawn out
4(d)(i)	$SO_2 + 1/2O_2 \rightarrow SO_3$	1	Allow multiples Allow $SO_2 + 1/2O_2 + H_2O \rightarrow H_2SO_4$ ignore state symbols
4(d)(ii)	In a different phase/state (from the reactants)	1	
4(d)(iii)	$V_2O_5 + SO_2 \rightarrow V_2O_4 + SO_3$ $V_2O_4 + 1/2O_2 \rightarrow V_2O_5$	1 1	can be in either order allow multiples
4(d)(iv)	Surface area is increased By use of powder or granules or finely divided	1 1	Allow suspending/spreading out onto a mesh or support

4(e)(i)	Forms two or more co-ordinate bonds	1	Allow more than one co-ordinate bond or donates more than 1 electron pair. Do not allow "has more than one electron pair" Allow uses more than one atom to bond (to TM)
4(e)(ii)	Number of product particles > Number of reactant particles Disorder increases or entropy increases (or entropy change is positive)	1	Allow molecules/entities instead of particles Penalise incorrect numbers (should be $2\rightarrow 5$) Allow ΔG must be negative because $\Delta H=0$ and ΔS is +ve
4(e)(iii)	6 Cyanide strongly bound to Co (by co-ordinate/covalent bond)	1	

Question	Marking Guidance	Mark	Comments
5(a)(i)	Co/Cobalt	1	If Co or Cobalt not given CE = 0 ignore case in symbol for Co
	(+) 4	1	
	(+) 3	1	Allow 4 and 3 in either order
5(a)(ii)	Li → Li ⁺ + e ⁻	1	Ignore state symbols Allow e without -ve sign Do not allow equilibrium sign
5(a)(iii)	Platinum is a conductor (Platinum is) unreactive/inert	1 1	Ignore mention of surface area or catalyst Allow 2 marks if two properties given on one answer line Apply list principle to contradictions/wrong answers Do not allow platinum resists corrosion
5(a)(iv)	Li reacts with water/forms lithium hydroxide	1	Allow water breaks down (or is electrolysed) on re- charge

5(b)(i)	Pt SO ₃ ²⁻ (aq), SO ₄ ²⁻ (aq) ClO ₃ ⁻ (aq), Cl ⁻ (aq) Pt	2	State symbols and ',' not necessary Allow in place of ',' NOT ',' in place of Ignore H^+ and H_2O Deduct one mark for each mistake (e.g. Pt missed twice counts as two mistakes) Allow reverse order for whole cell $Pt \mid Cl^-$, $ClO_3^- \parallel SO_4^{2-}$, $SO_3^{2-} \mid Pt$
5(b)(ii)	$ClO_3^- + 3SO_3^{2-} \rightarrow Cl^- + 3SO_4^{2-}$ Oxidising agent ClO_3^- Reducing agent SO_3^{2-}	1 1 1	

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6(a)	Brown ppt/solid	1	
	Gas evolved/effervescence	1	Must be stated, Allow CO ₂ evolved. Do not allow CO ₂ alone
	$2[Fe(H2O)6]3+ + 3CO32- \rightarrow 2Fe(H2O)3(OH)3 + 3CO2 + 3H2O$	2	Correct iron product (1) allow Fe(OH) ₃ and in equation Balanced equation (1)
6(b)	White ppt/solid Colourless Solution $ [Al(H_2O)_6]^{3+} + 3OH^- \rightarrow Al(H_2O)_3(OH)_3 + 3H_2O $ $ Al(H_2O)_3(OH)_3 + 3OH^- \rightarrow [Al(OH)_6]^{3-} + 3H_2O $	1 1 1 1	Only award M2 if M1 given or initial ppt mentioned Allow $[Al(H_2O)_6]^{3+} + 3OH^- \rightarrow Al(OH)_3 + 6H_2O$ Allow formation of $[Al(H_2O)_{6-x}(OH)_x]^{(x-3)-}$ where x=4,5,6 Allow product without water ligands Allow formation of correct product from $[Al(H_2O)_6]^{3+}$
6(c)	Blue ppt/solid (Dissolves to give a) deep blue solution $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2^+} + 2NH_3 \rightarrow Cu(H_2O)_4(OH)_2 + 2NH_4^+$ $Cu(H_2O)_4(OH)_2 + 4NH_3 \rightarrow [Cu(H_2O)_2(NH_3)_4]^{2^+} + 2OH^- + 2H_2O$	1 1 1	Only award M2 if M1 given or initial ppt mentioned Allow $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+} + 2NH_3 \rightarrow Cu(OH)_2 + 2NH_4^+ + 4H_2O$ Allow two equations: $NH_3 + H_2O \rightarrow NH_4^+ + OH^-$ then $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+} + 2OH^- \rightarrow Cu(OH)_2 + 4H_2O$ etc Allow $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+} + 4NH_3 \rightarrow [Cu(H_2O)_2(NH_3)_4]^{2+} + 4H_2O$
6(d)	Green/yellow solution $[Cu(H2O)6]2+ + 4Cl- \rightarrow [CuCl4]2- + 6H2O$	1 1	

Question	Marking Guidance	Mark	Comments
7(a)(i)	Ammonia	1	If reagent is missing or incorrect cannot score M3
	Starts as a pink (solution)	1	
	Changes to a yellow/straw (solution)	1	Allow pale brown
			Do not allow reference to a precipitate
7(a)(ii)	(dark) brown	1	Do not allow pale/straw/yellow-brown (i.e. these and other shades except for dark brown)
7(b)(i)	Ruby / red-blue / purple / violet / green	1	Do not allow red or blue
			If ppt mentioned contradiction/CE =0
	Green	1	If ppt mentioned contradiction/CE =0
	$[Cr(H_2O)_6]^{3+} + 6OH^- \rightarrow [Cr(OH)_6]^{3-} + 6H_2O$	1	
	Formula of product	1	Can score this mark in (b) (ii)
7(b)(ii)	$H_2O_2 + 2e^- \rightarrow 2OH^-$	1	
	$2[Cr(OH)_6]^{3-} + 3H_2O_2 \rightarrow 2CrO_4^{2-} + 8H_2O + 2OH^-$	2	Allow 1 mark out of 2 for a balanced half-equation such as $Cr(III) \rightarrow Cr(VI) + 3e^{-}$
			or $Cr^{3+} + 4H_2O \rightarrow CrO_4^{2-} + 8H^+ + 3e^-$ etc
			also for $2Cr(III) + 3H_2O_2 \rightarrow 2CrO_4^{2-}$ (unbalanced)
	Yellow	1	Do not allow orange

7(c)	$2MnO_4^- + 6H^+ + 5H_2O_2 \rightarrow 2Mn^{2+} + 8H_2O + 5O_2$	1	if no equation and uses given ratio can score M2, M3, M4 & M5
	Moles $MnO_4^- = (24.35/1000) \times 0.0187 = 4.55 \times 10^{-4}$	1	Note value must be quoted to at least 3 sig. figs. M2 is for 4.55 x 10 ⁻⁴
	Moles $H_2O_2 = (4.55 \times 10^{-4}) \times \frac{5/2}{2} = 1.138 \times 10^{-3}$	1	M3 is for x 5/2 (or7/3)
			Mark consequential on molar ratio from candidate's equation
	Moles H_2O_2 in 5 cm ³ original = $(1.138 \times 10^{-3}) \times 10 = 0.01138$ Original $[H_2O_2] = 0.01138 \times (1000/5) = 2.28 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ (allow 2.25-2.30)	1	M4 is for x 10
		1	M5 is for consequentially correct answer from (answer to mark 4) x (1000/5)
			Note an answer of between 2.25 and 2.30 is worth 4 marks)
			If candidate uses given ratio 3/7 max 4 marks:
			M1 : Moles of MnO ₄ ⁻ = $\frac{4.55 \times 10^{-4}}{10^{-4}}$
			M2 : Moles $H_2O_2 = (4.55 \times 10^{-4}) \times \frac{7/3}{4} = 1.0617 \times 10^{-3}$
			M3: Moles H ₂ O ₂ in 5 cm ³ original
			$= (1.0617 \times 10^{-3}) \times 10 = 0.01062$
			M4 : Original $[H_2O_2] = 0.01062 \times (1000/5) = 2.12 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$
			(allow 2.10 to 2.15)