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Chemistry B

Unit H433/03: Practical skills in chemistry

Advanced GCE

Mark Scheme for June 2018

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Annotations available in RM Assessor

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

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

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

Subject-specific Marking Instructions

INTRODUCTION

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

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

You should ensure that you have copies of these materials.

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

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

C	uesti	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance	
1	(a)		(conc) Hydrochloric acid / sulphuric and sodium nitrate(III)/nitrite ✓ Phenylamine / aminobenzene ✓ Below 5°C/ice cold (solution) ✓	3	ALLOW nitrous acid for first mark name or formula IGNORE nitric acid If acid named with oxidation state it must have correct oxidation state i.e. III ALLOW hydrochloric acid under 'Conditions' for first mark Alkaline conditions CON	
	(b)	(i)	N=N-	1	ALLOW	
		(ii)	alternating double and single bonds OR conjugated system OR delocalisation of electrons \checkmark split into different electronic energy levels OR electron(s) promoted OR excited from lower to higher level OR electron(s) excited to a higher energy level \checkmark can absorb visible/coloured light (causing electrons to be promoted to upper level) \checkmark reflected/transmitted light complimentary colour \checkmark	4	The idea of split (electronic) energy levels needed for this mark (energy gap on own not good enough) NOT energy states Emit colour/light is CON ALLOW opposite colour	

Questi	ion			Answer		Marks	Guidance
(c)	(i)	Colour				1	ALLOW the chromophore. IGNORE any reference to specific colour. For (c)(i) and (c)(ii) must talk about a dye property IGNORE references to bonding possibilities
(c)	(ii)	Solubility Of	R <u>more</u> soluble			1	LESS soluble is a CON
(d)		Type of fabric	Structure/features of fibre polymer molecule.	Structure/features of dye molecule	Strongest type of attachment	2	Number of ticks must match mark
		Wool	A protein chain with –NH ₃ ⁺ groups at the end of side chains when dyed in acid solution	NH ₂ SO ₃ -Na* NHCOCH ₃	ionic		given. 2 marks for all correct 1 mark for 2 or 3 out of four ALLOW id/id, pd/id or
		polyester	O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -	Few polar groups on dye molecule	Permanent dipole/Permanent dipole		pd/pd
		Cotton	HOHOHHOHHOHHOH	Several –NH₂ groups. Linear molecule	H (bonding)		
	Total				12		

C	Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
2	(a)	(i)	advantage: portable/no gas involved disadvantage: mercury toxic/poisonous	1	one mark for both correct Ignore references to cost Harmful too vague
	(a)	(ii)	+1 ✓	1	sign needed NOT 1+
	(b)		FIRST CHECK ANSWER ON THE ANSWER LINE If answer = 2.93 or 2.94 (dm³) award 3 marks Moles (n) assuming $Hg_2Cl_2 = 25.0/472.2 = 0.0529/0.053 \checkmark$ Volume = $\frac{nRT}{P}$ and substitution of correct values i.e. n (0.0529/0.053), R(8.314), T(673), p(101000), \checkmark	3	N.B. 0.0529 gives 2.93, 0.053 gives 2.94 ALLOW ecf's from marking points one and two (the latter likely to be wrong units) Any appearance, stated or not, of 25/472.2 OR 0.0529/0.053
	*(c)		evaluation including conversion to dm³ = 2.93/2.94 (dm³)√ Please refer to the marking instructions on page 5 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question. Level 3 (5 − 6 marks) Detailed instructions on how to set-up the apparatus including the conditions and some justification of the apparatus used. There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated. Level 2 (3 − 4 marks) Learners present a workable setup of the apparatus including the conditions but little or no justification of the apparatus used. The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence.	6	 Look for any ecf on marking points 1 and 2 Indicative scientific points may include: Set up make sure reading on voltmeter is positive electrode/half-cell connected to positive terminal of voltmeter is the positive electrode discussion of how E_{cell} can be used to find electrode potential of iron half cell Description of the apparatus used and why high resistance voltmeter so negligible current is taken (so concs of ions stay the same) salt bridge to keep the charge in each beaker constant. both the above correctly connected to both cells iron electrode and Fe²+(aq) solution in beaker so the reaction Fe(s)

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
	Level 1 (1 – 2 marks) Learners present a partial set-up OR a simple labelled diagram with some relevant labels. There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant. Level 0 (no marks) No response or no response worthy of credit		Conditions/concentrations 298K/25°C 1.00 mol dm ⁻³ Fe ²⁺ (aq) solution as E ⁰ is changed with higher temp and conc Note: some of the above points may be scored from a suitably labelled diagram, such as the one below
(d)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = $1.6 \times 10^{-18} \text{ mol}^3 \text{dm}^{-9}$ award 5 marks Molar mass of $\text{Hg}_2\text{Cl}_2 = 472.2 \checkmark$ Solubility Hg_2Cl_2 in $\text{moldm}^{-3} = 3.5 \times 10^{-4} \div 472.2 = 7.41 \times 10^{-7} \checkmark$ $K_{sp} = (7.41 \times 10^{-7}) \times (2 \times 7.41 \times 10^{-7})^2 \checkmark$ $= 1.6 \times 10^{-18} \checkmark$ Units = $\text{mol}^3 \text{dm}^{-9} \checkmark$ irrespective of answer BUT if MASS concentration is used in the calculation the ecf on the units must be in terms of grammes see Guidance	5	Figure of 7.41 x 10 ⁻⁷ is worth 2 marks alone The x2 is commonly missed giving an answer of 4.1 x 10 ⁻¹⁹ and with correct units this answer should be awarded 4 marks. Calculations must be carried out on number of moles and NOT mass, but can allow sig fig mark and units mark if units are g³ dm ⁻⁹ . Look for ecf on units off K _{sp} equation. Must be 2 sig figs to score this mark (ecf off last marking point e.g. from above)
	Total	16	

	Questi	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	(a)	(i)	(pale) yellow precipitate ✓	1	
		(ii)	$Ag^+(aq) + I^-(aq) \rightarrow AgI(s) \checkmark$	1	All correct, allow IAg. Allow multiples.
	(b)	(i)	$2l^{-} \rightarrow l_{2} + 2e^{-} \qquad \checkmark$	1	one mark for both correct
	, ,	, ,	loss of electrons		ALLOW description of oxidation in terms of oxidation
					state of iodine increasing (from -1 to 0)
	(b)	(ii)	Sulfur ✓ +2, +2½ ✓	2	Sign needed
					NO ecf for iodine or oixygen
	(b)	(iii)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE	4	ALLOW calculation method (and appropriate progress
			If answer = 130 (μg) award 4 marks		marks) where moles of l_2 in a 120g sample are
			M. I. (III. 0.0050 0.010 5.00 10 ⁻⁶ 1 1 1 (III.		calculated first, then mass.
			Mole of thio = $0.0053 \times 0.010 = 5.30 \times 10^{-6}$ and moles of iodine = half above 2.65×10^{-6} \checkmark		Lock for any cofe
			= nair above 2.65 x 10 $^{\circ}$ Mass of iodine = above x 253.8 = 6.72 x 10 $^{-4}$ \checkmark		Look for any ecfs.
			Mass of iodine in 120g = above $\div 5 = 1.345 \times 10^{-4} \text{g}$		
			Wass of lodine iii 120g = above + 3 = 1.545 x 10 g v		This value has to be calculated from correct
			130(μg) (2 sig figs) ✓		conversion to microgrammes
	(b)	(iv)	% error = $0.1 \times 100 = 1.886/1.9(\%)$	1	1.89
	,	, ,	5.3		
		(v)	Dilute/lower concentration of thiosulphate solution OR increase	1	IGNORE answers which suggest more repeats
			mass of cod used OR increase volume of iodine solution		needed, / "bigger"/"larger" sample
	4.7		used√		
	*(c)		Please refer to the marking instructions on page 5 of this mark	6	indicative scientific points may include:
			scheme for guidance on how to mark this question.		Procedure
			Level 3 (5 – 6 marks)		make a range of iodine solutions of different concentrations in hexane
			Detailed practical procedure and explains clearly how to		minimum of 5 different concentrations
			process the results.		select filter showing maximum
			process the results.		absorbance/complimentary colour
			There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and		 zero colorimeter using pure solvent (hexane)
			logically structured. The information presented is relevant and		measure absorbance for each of known
			substantiated.		concentrations of iodine solution
					33.33

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
Question	Level 2 (3 – 4 marks) Learners present a workable practical procedure and some explanation of analysis but some detail lacking. There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence. Level 1 (1 – 2 marks) Learners present a partial practical procedure, with some relevant points. OR Learners present some detail on the analysis/processing of	Marks	 Processing of results Use of calibration graph plot a calibration curve of concentration against absorbance measure absorbance of unknown sample and use calibration curve to determine concentration of unknown solution Arriving at mass of iodine in sample convert mole concentration to mass (x253.8) ÷ 50 (or x 20/1000) and convert to μg (x10⁶)
	results. There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant. Level 0 (no marks) No response or no response worthy of credit Total	17	

(Quest	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4	(a)	(i)		1	ALLOW formulae of benzene rings using circle (and showing hydrogens) the key for the mark is the ester bonding correct. Benzene structure is needed NOT cycloalkane NOT C ₆ H ₅
	(a)	(ii)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = $39.65/40(\%)$ award 3 marks Reacting mass ratio = $94:198 \checkmark$ Theoretical mass of phenyl benzoate formed = 198×4.91 = $10.34 \checkmark$ % yield = $10.34 \times 100 = 39.65/40(\%) \checkmark$	3	ALLOW range of answers allowing for early rounding 39.65 – 41.41% ALLOW Moles phenol = 4.91/94 =0.05223 ✓ Moles phenyl benzoate = 4.1/198 =0.0207 ✓ % yield =0.0207/0.05223 x 100 =39.65 ✓ If candidate has simply used the two calculated masses and has 83.5% (84%) allow one mark ALLOW ecfs from marking points 1 and 2
	(b)	(i)	$C_6H_5COCI + H_2O \rightarrow C_6H_5COOH + HCI \checkmark$	1	ALLOW correct structural formulae or correct mixtures of formulae
	(b)	(ii)	Test used to see whether any (unreacted) phenol (left), (would go purple if some remained) ✓	1	Both ideas needed
	(b)	(iii)	Seal/melt end of melting point/capillary tube (in Bunsen) ✓ Tap/tip/pack a small amount of solid to bottom of tube ✓ Put tube in mp apparatus, allow temperature to rise slowly until solid melts OR record when it first starts to melt and when it finishes ✓	3	If unusual methods used please contact team leaders e.g. Siwoloboff's method, melting point bench
	(b)	(iv)	Indicates the presence of impurities / purity√	1	ALLOW simply- indicates purity of product
	(b)	(v)	Solute must have high solubility(in solvent) when hot, but low when cold/ AW ✓	1	DO NOT allow doesn't react with the product
	(c)		if more than one spot shows up on tlc ✓ phenyl benzoate impure ✓ ORA for mp 1 and 2 however cannot assess overall purity/cannot tell how pure or impure it is✓ not quantitative / is qualitative ✓	4	ALLOW 'quantity' or references to % by mass of product
			Total	15	

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