



# **Chemistry A**

Advanced GCE Unit **F325:** Equilibria, Energetics and Elements

# Mark Scheme for January 2013

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## Annotations available in scoris

Annotation	Meaning
100	Benefit of doubt given
Hen	Contradiction
×	Incorrect response
1242	Error carried forward
	Ignore
NAM)	Not answered question
2011	Benefit of doubt not given
1201	Power of 10 error
	Omission mark
	Rounding error
	Error in number of significant figures
<b>N</b>	Correct response

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

The following questions should be fully annotated to show where marks have been awarded in the body of the text: 2(a)(i), 2(b)(ii), 3(b)(ii), 4(a), 5(a), 6(e), 7(c)(i) and 8(c)(ii).

Q	luesti	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
					Throughout Q1 <b>IGNORE</b> variations in caps and small letters
1	(a)	(i)	Fe ✓	1	ALLOW name: iron DO NOT ALLOW ions, e.g. Fe <sup>2+</sup>
1	(a)	(ii)	Ti ✓ Ni ✓	2	ALLOW names: titanium and nickel DO NOT ALLOW ions
1	(a)	(iii)	Co ✓	1	ALLOW name: cobalt ALLOW Co <sup>2+</sup>
1	(a)	(iv)	Mn ✓	1	ALLOW name: manganese ALLOW Mn <sub>3</sub> O <sub>4</sub>
1	(a)	(v)	Cr ✓	1	ALLOW name: chromium
1	(b)		deep-blue solution: $[Cu(NH_3)_4(H_2O)_2]^{2+} \checkmark$	3	<b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> $[Cu(NH_3)_4]^{2+}$ <b>OR</b> $[Cu(NH_3)_6]^{2+}$
			yellow solution: $CuCl_4^{2-} \checkmark$		[] not required ALLOW round brackets around any atom e.g. ALLOW $[CuCl_4]^{2-}$ ; $Cu(Cl_4)^{2-}$ DO NOT ALLOW $[Cu(Cl^-)_4]^{2-}$ OR $[Cu^{2+}(Cl^-)_4]^{2-}$
			pale-blue precipitate: Cu(OH)₂ ✓		<b>ALLOW</b> Cu(OH) <sub>2</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>4</sub> <b>OR</b> [Cu(OH) <sub>2</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>4</sub> ]
1	(c)	(i)	octahedral ✓	1	
1	(C)	(ii)	NiF <sub>6</sub> <sup>4−</sup> <b>OR</b> [NiF <sub>6</sub> ] <sup>4−</sup> ✓	1	<b>4–</b> charge <b>required</b> <b>ALLOW</b> $[Ni(F)_6]^{4-}$ ; <b>ALLOW</b> $NiF_6^{-4}$ <b>ALLOW</b> round brackets <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> F/ for F <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> $[Ni(F^-)_6]^{4-}$ <b>OR</b> $[Ni^{2+}(F^-)_6]^{4-}$



C	luesti	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2	(a)	(i)	<ul> <li>M1 Shape On one graph (can be either), shape: slight rise/flat, then vertical, then slight rise/flat ✓</li> <li>M2 pH at start for acid Weak acid pH curve starts at higher pH and below pH 7 ✓</li> <li>M3 End point On both graphs, vertical section approximately 25 cm<sup>3</sup> alkali have been added ✓</li> <li>M4 pH when alkaline On both graphs, vertical section is still vertical through a ruler line aligned with the top of the pH axis label on left-hand axis ✓</li> </ul>	4	FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED Use ruler tool for 4th marking point, e.g. <sup>25.0 cm<sup>3</sup> of 0.100 moldm<sup>-3</sup> NaOH(aq) <sup>14</sup> <sup>14</sup> <sup>14</sup> <sup>153mm</sup> PH <sup>153mm</sup> PH <sup>1</sup></sup>
2	(a)	(ii)	pH range (of the indicator) matches vertical section/ <b>rapid</b> pH change <b>OR</b> end point/colour change matches vertical section/rapid pH change ✓	1	<ul> <li>ALLOW pH range (of the indicator) matches equivalence point</li> <li>ALLOW end point/colour change matches equivalence point</li> <li>IGNORE colour change matches end point</li> <li>Colour change is the same as end point</li> </ul>
2	(b)	(i)	(enthalpy change for) the formation of <b>1 mole H₂O</b> from reaction of an acid/H <sup>+</sup> with an alkali/base/OH <sup>-</sup> ✓	1	<ul> <li>ALLOW (enthalpy change for) the reaction of 1 mol H<sup>+</sup> with 1 mol of OH<sup>-</sup></li> <li>DO NOT ALLOW formation of 1 mol H<sub>2</sub>O from 1 mole of acid and/or 1 mole of alkali</li> <li>DO NOT ALLOW formation of 1 mol H<sub>2</sub>O from an acid and its <i>conjugate</i> base</li> </ul>

C	uesti	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2	tuesti (b)	ion (ii)	FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE IF answer = -57.5 (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> ) award 3 marks 	Marks 3	Guidance FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED IF there is an alternative answer, check to see if there is any ECF credit possible using working below IGNORE any sign shown ALLOW 4830 AND 4828 (J) ALLOW amount of HC/ OR amount of NaOH (same value) – sign required
			$\Delta H_{\text{neut}} = -\frac{4.8279}{0.084(0)} = -57.475 \text{ OR } -57.48 \text{ OR } -57.5 \text{ (kJ mol^{-1})} \checkmark$		ALLOW ECF from $\frac{\text{calculated energy change}}{\text{calculated moles H}_2\text{O}}$ ALLOW 3 significant figures up to calculator value correctly rounded Common errors Use of 289.5 K can give up to 2 marks by ECF: = 70.0 x 4.18 x 289.5 = 84.71 x amount of H <sub>2</sub> O formed = 2.4(0) × $\frac{35.0}{1000}$ = 0.084(0) mol $\checkmark$ $\Delta H_{\text{neut}} = -\frac{84.71}{0.084(0)}$ = -1008 OR -1010 (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> ) $\checkmark$ Use of 35 can give up to 2 marks by ECF: = 35.0 x 4.18 x 16.5 = 2413.95 (J) x amount of H <sub>2</sub> O formed = 2.4(0) × $\frac{35.0}{1000}$ = 0.084(0) mol $\checkmark$ $\Delta H_{\text{neut}} = -\frac{2.41395}{0.084(0)}$ = -28.7375 OR -28.7 (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> ) $\checkmark$

C	Question		Answer		Guidance	
2	-	on (iii)	Answer Same energy is spread over larger volume ✓	Marks 2	GuidanceALLOW same energy heats greater volume /massALLOW the following alternatives for 'energy': Heat, $q, mc\Delta T$ , enthalpy change, $\Delta H$ ALLOW use to '105 cm³/105 g' as evidence of 'greater volume/ mass'ALLOW use of same energy value as in 2(b)(ii) as evidence for 'same energy' May need to refer to previous part, 2(b)(ii)IGNORE more energy heats a greater volume	
			 11 °C ✓ Tot	al 11	ASSUME units are °C unless told otherwise	

C	Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	(a)	(i)	solution: (enthalpy change for) 1 mole of a compound/substance/solid/solute dissolving ✓	3	IGNORE 'energy released' OR 'energy required' For dissolving, ALLOW forms aqueous/hydrated ions DO NOT ALLOW dissolving elements IGNORE ionic OR covalent DO NOT ALLOW response that implies formation of 1 mole of aqueous ions
			<ul> <li>hydration: (enthalpy change for)</li> <li>1 mole of gaseous ions OR 1 mole of hydrated/aqueous ions ✓</li> <li>gaseous ions forming aqueous/hydrated ions ✓</li> </ul>		IGNORE 'energy released' OR 'energy required' For final mark IGNORE gaseous ions are hydrated IGNORE gaseous ions dissolve Particles formed not stated

C	uesti	ion	Answer		Guidance
3	(a)	(ii)	For 1st two marking points ( <i>Charge</i> and <i>Size</i> ), IGNORE 'atomic' and 'atoms' and assume that Mg or Na refer to ions, e.g. <b>ALLOW</b> Mg has a smaller (atomic) radius	3	<b>Note:</b> Charge density can be used to credit the charge mark but <b>not</b> size mark
			<i>Charge</i> Magnesium ion/Mg <sup>2+</sup> has greater charge <b>OR</b> Mg <sup>2+</sup> has greater charge density ✓		ORA Sodium ion/Na <sup>+</sup> has smaller charge OR Na <sup>+</sup> has smaller charge density
			 Size Magnesium ion <b>OR</b> Mg <sup>2+</sup> is smaller ✓		ORA: Sodium ion OR Na⁺ is larger IGNORE smaller charge density ( <i>'charge mark above'</i> )
					IGNORE idea of close packing of ions
			Attraction Note: Correct particles required for this mark i.e. DO NOT ALLOW Mg; Mg atoms; Na; Na atoms Mg <sup>2+</sup> has a stronger attraction/ force/ bonding to H <sub>2</sub> O /O <sup>δ−</sup> ✓		<ul> <li>Note: Response must refer to attraction/bonding with H<sub>2</sub>O or this must be implied from the whole response</li> <li>ALLOW Mg<sup>2+</sup> has a stronger ion–dipole attractions</li> <li>ORA: Na<sup>+</sup> has weaker attraction/bonding to H<sub>2</sub>O</li> <li>DO NOT ALLOW a response implying that <i>ionic</i> bonds (between ions) OR <i>covalent</i> bonds OR <i>hydrogen</i> bonds are formed</li> </ul>

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	(a)	(iii)	$Mg^{2+}(g) + 2OH^{-}(g) \qquad \checkmark \qquad \\ Mg^{2+}(aq) + 2OH^{-}(g) \qquad \checkmark \qquad \\ \checkmark \qquad \qquad$	2	Correct species <b>AND</b> state symbols required for both marks <b>Mark each marking point independently</b> <b>ALLOW</b> response on lower line: Mg <sup>2+</sup> (g) + 2OH <sup>-</sup> (aq) (i.e. OH <sup>-</sup> hydrated before Mg <sup>2+</sup> )
3	(a)	(iv)	FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE IF answer = -2694 (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> ) award 2 marks 	2	IF there is an alternative answer, check to see if there is any ECF credit possible using working below. See list below for marking of answers from common errors 

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	(b)	(i)	<ul> <li>Δ<i>H</i> positive (Intermolecular) bonds/forces are being broken ✓</li> <li>Δ<i>S</i> Increase in disorder/ randomness/ number of arrangements (of particles/molecules/energy) ✓</li> </ul>	3	ALLOW hydrogen bonds DO NOT ALLOW breaking of ionic OR covalent bonds IGNORE a response comparing bonds made and bonds broken ( <i>boiling involves just breaking bonds</i> ) ALLOW liquids are more disordered than solids OR gases are more disordered than liquids
3	(b)	(ii)	• <b>Comparison of</b> $\Delta S$ (QWC) In a gas, molecules/particles are <b>much</b> more disordered/ random (than in liquids and solids) $\checkmark$ $\Delta S = \Sigma S$ (products) – $\Sigma S$ (reactants)	3	<b>ALLOW</b> in a gas, molecules are <b>much</b> further apart (than in liquids and solids) <b>IGNORE</b> $\Delta S$ is much greater ( <i>in question</i> ) <b>FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED</b>
			$T = \frac{6.01}{0.022} = 273 \text{ (K)}$		NO UNITS required ALLOW 273.18 (K) OR 273.2 (K) ASSUME units are K unless told otherwise
			$\Delta G = 6.01 - 273 \times 0.022 \checkmark$		<b>ALLOW</b> $\triangle G = 6.01 - 6.006 = +4 \times 10^{-3}$
			$\Delta G = 0 \mathbf{OR} \ 0 = \Delta H - T \Delta S$ stated anywhere $\checkmark$		ALLOW $4 \times 10^{-3} \sim 0$ ALLOW $4 \times 10^{-3}$ is very close to zero
			Total	16	

C	uestion	Answer	Marks	Guidance	
4	(a)	<b>Experimental:</b> 2 marks vary $[S_2O_8^{2^-}]$ while keeping $[I^-]$ constant $\checkmark$ vary $[I^-]$ while keeping $[S_2O_8^{2^-}]$ constant $\checkmark$	4	<b>FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED</b> <b>ALLOW</b> for 1 mark: 'keep one concentration constant whilst varying the other' <b>OR</b> vary the concentration of each reactant in turn, e.g. vary [S <sub>2</sub> O <sub>8</sub> <sup>2-</sup> ] and then vary [I <sup>-</sup> ]	
		Obtaining rate from time1 markRate $\propto 1/t$ OR rate = conc/time $\checkmark$ 1 markRate-concentration relationship - QWC1 markrate-concentration graph gives straight line through origin/0,0OR when concentration doubles, rate doublesOR rate is proportional to concentration $\checkmark$		ALLOW rate = $1/t$ OR amount/time ALLOW expressions communicating rate $\propto 1/t$ ALLOW rate = gradient/tangent of a concentration-time graph AND measured at $t = 0$ ALLOW 'conc and rate increase by same factor/amount' OR 'change in concentration is same as change in rate ALLOW 'when concentration doubles, time halves' IGNORE constant half-life from conc-time graph	
	(b)	rate = $k[I^{-}][S_2O_8^{2^-}]$ OR $k = \frac{rate}{[I^{+}][S_2O_8^{2^-}]}$ OR $\frac{1.2 \times 10^{-3}}{(8.0 \times 10^{-2}) \times (4.0 \times 10^{-3})} \checkmark$ = 3.75 OR 3.8 $\checkmark$ dm <sup>3</sup> mol <sup>-1</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> $\checkmark$	3	Half life is from continuous method, not in initial rates Correct numerical answer subsumes previous marking point ALLOW mol <sup>-1</sup> dm <sup>3</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> NO ECF from incorrect rate equation or <i>k</i> expression	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
(C) (i)	Equation 1: $S_2O_8^{2-} + 2Fe^{2+} \longrightarrow 2SO_4^{2-} + 2Fe^{3+} \checkmark$ Equation 2: $2I^- + 2Fe^{3+} \longrightarrow I_2 + 2Fe^{2+} \checkmark$	2	ALLOW correct multiples IGNORE state symbolsALLOW 1 mark for 2 correct equations in wrong order: i.e. $2I^- + 2Fe^{3+} \longrightarrow I_2 + 2Fe^{2+}$ $S_2O_8^{2-} + 2Fe^{2+} \longrightarrow 2SO_4^{2} + 2Fe^{3+}$ ALLOW = sign shown instead of arrow as long as 
(ii)	Fe <sup>3+</sup> could react with I <sup>−</sup> ions first ✓	1	ALLOW equations in (i) could take place in the other order IGNORE responses that compare <i>E</i> values
	Total	10	

C	uestion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
5	(a)	Answer         FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE         IF answer = 14.6 dm <sup>6</sup> mol <sup>-2</sup> award 6 marks         (5 for 14.6 and 1 for units )	Marks 6	Guidance         FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED         IF there is an alternative answer, check to see if there is any ECF credit possible using working below.         See list below for marking of answers from common errors         ALLOW ECF from equilibrium amounts         Mark is for converting ALL 3 amounts into concentrations.         For units, ALLOW mol <sup>-2</sup> dm <sup>6</sup> ALLOW ECF from previous calculated values         OR incorrect $K_c$ expression         BUT final answer MUST be to 3 SF (in question)         Common errors for $K_c$ 364:       missing x 5 to calculate concentrations         4 marks + units mark (i.e. just one mark dropped)         3.35: $H_2 = 0.100$ by not using 2 $H_2$ 4 marks + units mark (i.e. just one mark dropped)         0.790:       Use of initial amounts of CO and $H_2$ )         (3 marks + units mark)
				0.79 Use of initial amounts of CO and $H_2$ <b>AND</b> answer not to 3 SF (2 marks + units mark)

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
Question (b)	Answer         Pressure:         higher pressure shifts (equilibrium position) to the right         AND         right-hand side has fewer (gaseous) moles $\checkmark$ Temperature:         higher temperature shifts (equilibrium position) to left         AND         (forward) reaction is exothermic / $\Delta H$ is -ve / gives out heat         OR reverse reaction is endothermic / $\Delta H$ is +ve / takes in heat $\checkmark$ $K_c$ decreases AND (forward) reaction is exothermic $\checkmark$ Comparison         Relative effect of pressure and temperature is not known $\checkmark$	4	Guidance         IGNORE responses in terms of rate         Note: ALLOW suitable alternatives for 'to right' e.g. towards CH <sub>3</sub> OH OR towards products OR in forward direction OR increases yield of CH <sub>3</sub> OH/products         ALLOW 'favours the right', as alternative for 'shifts equilibrium to right'
	Total	10	out'

Q	uesti	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
6	(a)		<ul> <li>Circuit: complete circuit with voltmeter and salt bridge linking two half-cells ✓</li> <li>Half cells: Pt AND H<sup>+</sup>/HCI (solution) AND H<sub>2</sub> gas (introduced via enclosed container around Pt) ✓</li> <li>Fe AND Fe<sup>2+</sup> (solution) ✓</li> <li>Conditions: 1 mol dm<sup>-3</sup> solutions AND 298 K / 25 °C AND 1 atm/100 kPa/101 kPa/1 bar pressure ✓</li> </ul>	4	Voltmeter must be shown <b>AND</b> salt bridge must be labelled <b>ALLOW</b> any correct circuit for a cell <b>ALL</b> labels required In H <sub>2</sub> half cell, <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> just 'acid' <b>ALL</b> conditions required <b>ALLOW</b> if 1 mol dm <sup>-3</sup> /1M mentioned for just one solution <i>Look also on diagram in addition to answer lines</i> <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> 1 mol for concentration
	(b)	(i)	oxygen electrode: $O_2(g) + 2H_2O(l) + 4e^- \rightarrow 4OH^-(aq) \checkmark$ hydrogen electrode: $H_2(g) + 2OH^-(aq) \rightarrow 2H_2O(l) + 2e^- \checkmark$	2	ALLOW multiples for each equation State symbols NOT required – IGNORE even if wrongIf oxygen and hydrogen equations are written on the wrong lines ALLOW 1 mark if both correctALLOW $\Rightarrow$ sign shown instead of arrow as long as equation is shown the 'right way around'ALLOW one mark if both acid equations are given <i>i.e.</i> oxygen electrode: $O_2(g) + 4H^*(aq) + 4e^- \rightarrow 2H_2O(l)$ AND hydrogen electrode: $H_2(g) \rightarrow 2H^*(aq) + 2e^-$
		(ii)	$2H_2(g) + O_2(g) \longrightarrow 2H_2O(I) \checkmark$	1	ALLOW multiples, e.g. $H_2 + \frac{1}{2}O_2 \rightarrow H_2O$ IGNORE state symbols DO NOT ALLOW if $H_2O$ OR $OH^-$ OR $e^-$ are shown on both sides
		(iii)	1.23 (V) ✓	1	This is the ONLY correct answer

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
(c)	A fuel cell reacts a fuel/H₂ with oxygen to produce a voltage/ <b>electrical</b> energy ✓	1	<ul> <li>ALLOW a fuel cell requires constant supply of a fuel/H<sub>2</sub> (and oxygen)/reactants</li> <li>OR operates continuously as long as a fuel/H<sub>2</sub> (and oxygen) are added</li> <li>DO NOT ALLOW storage cells can be recharged (Not all storage cells can be recharged)</li> </ul>
(d)	Fossil fuels used to make hydrogen OR fossil fuels required to make fuel cell ✓	1	Response requires link between <b>fossil fuels / carbon-</b> <b>containing compounds</b> and manufacture of the fuels cell or $H_2$ i.e. energy required to make $H_2$ is <b>not</b> sufficient
(e)	Correctly calculates amount of Cr = 1.456/52.0 = 0.028(0) $\checkmark$ NOTE: The remaining marks are ONLY available if a 3:2 molar ratio has been used 3 mol X reacts with 2 mol Cr <sup>3+</sup> OR 3 mol X $\longrightarrow$ 2 mol Cr $\checkmark$ Correctly calculates amount of X = amount of Cr x 1.5 = 0.028(0) x 1.5 = 0.042(0) $\checkmark$ Correctly calculates Molar mass/A <sub>r</sub> of X = 1.021/0.042(0) = 24.3 (g mol <sup>-1</sup> ) AND X identified as Mg $\checkmark$	4	FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED         ALLOW equation: $2Cr^{3+} + 3X \longrightarrow 3X^{2+} + 2Cr$ Note: $3rd$ marking point subsumes the 2nd marking point         ALLOW magnesium OR Mg <sup>2+</sup> Mg with no evidence of how 24.3 had been calculated         does not score this mark         ALLOW ECF from incorrect amount of Cr for 2nd, 3rd         and 4th marks         Common error         3:2 ratio inverted between 2nd and 3rd marks: 3 marks:         3rd mark ECF: $0.028(0) \div 1.5 = 0.0187 \pmod{\sqrt{1001}} \checkmark$ Molar mass of X = 54.7 (g mol <sup>-1</sup> ) AND X = Mn ✓
	Total	14	

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
7	(a)		$CaCO_3 + 2SO_2 + H_2O \longrightarrow Ca(HSO_3)_2 + CO_2 \checkmark$	1	ALLOW multiples
	(b)	(i)	weak acid: partly dissociates $\checkmark$ HSO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> $\rightleftharpoons$ H <sup>+</sup> + SO <sub>3</sub> <sup>2-</sup> $\checkmark$	2	<ul> <li>ALLOW ionisation for dissociation</li> <li>⇒ sign is required</li> <li>ALLOW multiples; state symbols not required</li> <li>DO NOT ALLOW equation with Ca<sup>2+</sup> added to each side</li> </ul>
		(ii)	Mg + Ca(HSO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> $\longrightarrow$ MgSO <sub>3</sub> + CaSO <sub>3</sub> + H <sub>2</sub> $\checkmark$	2	ALLOW multiples State symbols not required ALLOW as products: MgCa(SO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> + H <sub>2</sub> DO NOT ALLOW Mg + Ca(HSO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> $\longrightarrow$ Mg <sup>2+</sup> + Ca <sup>2+</sup> + 2 SO <sub>3</sub> <sup>2-</sup> + H <sub>2</sub>
			$Mg + 2H^{+} \longrightarrow Mg^{2+} + H_{2} \checkmark$		<b>ALLOW</b> Mg + $2HSO_3^- \longrightarrow Mg^{2+} + 2SO_3^{2-} + H_2$
		(iii)	HSO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> can accept a proton/H <sup>+</sup> and donate a proton/H <sup>+</sup> <b>OR</b> Base accepts a proton/H <sup>+</sup> <b>AND</b> Acid donates a proton/H <sup>+</sup> ✓ HSO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> + OH <sup>-</sup> → H <sub>2</sub> O + SO <sub>3</sub> <sup>2-</sup> ✓ HSO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> + H <sup>+</sup> → H <sub>2</sub> O + SO <sub>2</sub> ✓	4	<b>ASSUME</b> 'It' applied to $HSO_3^-$ <b>ALLOW</b> equations with $\rightleftharpoons$ <b>ALLOW</b> $HSO_3^- + H^+ \longrightarrow H_2SO_3$
			<b>Two correct</b> equations linked to acid and base behaviour $\checkmark$ <i>This could simply be labels (Acid AND base) for each equation,</i> <i>i.e.</i> $HSO_3^- + OH^- \longrightarrow H_2O + SO_3^{2-}$ Acid $HSO_3^- + H^+ \longrightarrow H_2O + SO_2$ Base		<b>Note</b> : Final mark can only be awarded if <b>both</b> equations are correct

C	Questi	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
	(c)	(i)	FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE IF $M_r$ = 122 award first 5 marks	6	FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED
			6th mark is for formula		Throughout calculation, <b>ALLOW</b> 3 significant figures up to calculator value correctly rounded
			$[H^+] = 10^{-pH} = 10^{-3.52} = 3.02 \text{ x } 10^{-4} \text{ (mol dm}^{-3}) \checkmark$		<b>ALLOW</b> 3 SF to calculator value of $3.01995172 \times 10^{-4}$
			$K_{a} = \frac{[H^{+}] [A^{-}]}{[HA]} OR \frac{[H^{+}]^{2}}{[HA]} OR \frac{(3.02 \times 10^{-4})^{2}}{[HA]} \checkmark$		<b>ALLOW</b> any correct equation that shows the relationship between $K_a$ , [H <sup>+</sup> ], [A <sup>-</sup> ], [HA]
			$[HA] = \frac{(3.02 \times 10^{-4})^2}{1.51 \times 10^{-5}} \checkmark$		Correct [HA] expression and calculation subsumes previous marks
			$[HA] = 6.04 \times 10^{-3} \pmod{\text{dm}^{-3}} \checkmark$		Using calculator $[H^+]$ value, $[HA] = 6.039806883 \times 10^{-3}$
			$M = \frac{0.7369}{6.04 \times 10^{-3}} = 122(.0) \text{ (g mol}^{-1}) \checkmark$		Using calculator [HA] value, <i>M</i> <sub>r</sub> = 122.0072122
			Carboxylic acid is C <sub>6</sub> H₅COOH <b>OR</b> C <sub>7</sub> H <sub>6</sub> O <sub>2</sub> ✓		ALLOW any feasible formula with a molar mass of 122 containing C, H AND at least two O atoms e.g. $C_6H_2O_3$ ; $C_3H_6O_5$ Note: a structural formula must contain COOH/CO <sub>2</sub> H
					ALLOW ECF for possible formula of HA from an incorrectly calculated molar mass of HA Note: the possible formula must be feasible and must contain C, H AND at least two O atoms
					<b>IF</b> '[HA] <sub>eqm</sub> = [HA] – [H <sup>+</sup> ]' has been used, $M_r$ = 116 and formula is C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>11</sub> COOH <b>OR</b> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>12</sub> O <sub>2</sub> <b>ALL</b> marks are available for this answer Calculator unrounded $M_r$ = 116.1972565

(	Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
		(ii)		1	Statement AND reason required for the mark
			student is incorrect		
			<b>AND</b> acid releases all $H^+$ ions <b>OR</b> more acid dissociates $\checkmark$		ALLOW incorrect AND equilibrium shifts to right
					<b>Note</b> : The key idea is that more H <sup>+</sup> ions are produced by more dissociation A comment that all the H <sup>+</sup> ions react is just repeating information in the question
			Total	16	

C	Questi	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
8	(a)		(1s <sup>2</sup> 2s <sup>2</sup> 2p <sup>6</sup> ) 3s <sup>2</sup> 3p <sup>6</sup> 3d <sup>2</sup> ✓	1	ALLOW 4s <sup>0</sup> : (1s <sup>2</sup> 2s <sup>2</sup> 2p <sup>6</sup> ) 3s <sup>2</sup> 3p <sup>6</sup> 3d <sup>2</sup> 4s <sup>0</sup> ALLOW subscripts for superscripts ALLOW S, P, D (i.e. upper case)
8	(b)		(Only) 5 electrons in 4s and 3d sub-shells/orbitals ✓	1	<ul> <li>ALLOW 3d sub-shell is empty OR no d electrons left</li> <li>ALLOW 6th electron in a 3p sub-shell/orbital ALLOW too much attraction on 3p electrons OR a lot of energy required to remove 3p electrons</li> <li>IGNORE only 5 electrons in outer shell IGNORE full outer shell/noble gas electron configuration IGNORE no 3d sub-shell</li> <li>Note: Key comment about 3d sub-shell being empty OR non-removal/greater attraction of 3p electrons</li> </ul>
8	(c)	(i)	KMnO₄ is purple/pink <b>AND</b> V <sup>n+</sup> /V <sup>2+</sup> is violet ✓	1	<ul> <li>ALLOW KMnO<sub>4</sub> AND V<sup>n+</sup>/V<sup>2+</sup> have similar colours</li> <li>ALLOW KMnO<sub>4</sub> is purple and 'the solution' is violet</li> <li>Assumption is that 'the solution' is V<sup>2+</sup>(aq)</li> <li>ALLOW any reasonable description of purple/mauve/violet colours</li> <li>DO NOT ALLOW just 'KMnO<sub>4</sub> is purple/pink'</li> <li>IGNORE reference to Mn<sup>2+</sup> being (pale) pink</li> </ul>

Q	Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance	
8	(c)	(ii)	Marks are for correctly calculated values. Working shows how values have been derived. $n(KMnO_4) = \frac{2.25 \times 10^{-2} \times 13.2}{1000} = 2.97 \times 10^{-4} \text{ (mol) } \checkmark$	7	FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED	
			$n(V) = \frac{0.126}{50.9} = 2.48 \times 10^{-3} \text{ (mol)} \checkmark$		<b>ALLOW 2.48 x <math>10^{-3}</math></b> up to calculator value of 2.475442043 x $10^{-3}$ , correctly rounded	
			Factor of 5: $\frac{2.48 \times 10^{-3}}{5} = 4.96 \times 10^{-4} \text{ (mol)}$ OR 5 x 2.97 × 10 <sup>-4</sup> = 1.485 x 10 <sup>-3</sup> (mol) ✓		<b>ALLOW 4.95</b> × <b>10<sup>−4</sup></b> (mol) from 2.475442043 x 10 <sup>−3</sup>	
			ratio $\frac{n(V^{n^+})}{n(MnO_4^-)} = \frac{4.96 \times 10^{-4}}{2.97 \times 10^{-4}} = \frac{1.67}{1}$ OR 1.67 OR $\frac{5}{3}$ OR 1 mol MnO <sub>4</sub> reacts with 1.67 mol V <sup>n+</sup> $\checkmark$		ALLOW ratio $\frac{n(V^{n+})}{n(MnO_4^{-})} = \frac{2.48 \times 10^{-3}}{1.485 \times 10^{-3}} = \frac{1.67}{1}$ OR 1.67 OR $\frac{5}{3}$ ALLOW inverse ratio	
			5 : 3 ratio seen <b>AND</b> <i>n</i> = 2 ✓		<b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> $n = 2$ without some justification e.g.: 3 mol MnO <sub>4</sub> <sup>-</sup> reacts with 5 mol V <sup>2+</sup> ; V changes oxidation number by 3 <b>OR</b> 3 electrons transferred to V	
			Correct equation with all species on both sides cancelled: $5V^{2^{+}}(aq) + 3MnO_{4}^{-}(aq) + 3H_{2}O(I) \longrightarrow$ $5VO_{3}^{-}(aq) + 3Mn^{2^{+}}(aq) + 6H^{+}(aq)$		IGNORE state symbols	
			$5V^{2+} + 3MnO_4^-$ on left <b>AND</b> $5VO_3^- + 3Mn^{2+}$ on right $\checkmark$ Complete equation correct $\checkmark$		ALLOW any attempted equation using n = 2, 3 OR 4. See correct eqn for n=2 and equations on next page	

Q	)uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
8	(C)	(ii)	Cont.		From V <sup>4+</sup> : $5V^{4+}(aq) + MnO_4^{-}(aq) + 11H_2O(I)$ $\rightarrow 5VO_3^{-}(aq) + Mn^{2+}(aq) + 22H^{+}(aq)$ $5V^{4+} + MnO_4^{-}on left AND 5VO_3^{-} + Mn^{2+} on right \checkmarkComplete equation correct \checkmark$
					From $V^{3^+}$ : $5V^{3^+}(aq) + 2MnO_4^-(aq) + 7H_2O(I)$ $\rightarrow 5VO_3^-(aq) + 2Mn^{2^+}(aq) + 14H^+(aq) \checkmark \checkmark$ $5V^{3^+} + 2MnO_4^-$ on left <b>AND</b> $5VO_3^- + 2Mn^{2^+}$ on right $\checkmark$ Complete equation correct $\checkmark$
			Total	10	

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