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Chemistry A

Advanced GCE

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

Mark Scheme for January 2013

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Annotation	Meaning
	Benefit of doubt given
	Contradiction
	Incorrect response
	Error carried forward
	Ignore
	Not answered question
	Benefit of doubt not given
	Power of 10 error
	Omission mark
	Rounding error
	Error in number of significant figures
	Correct response

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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)**.

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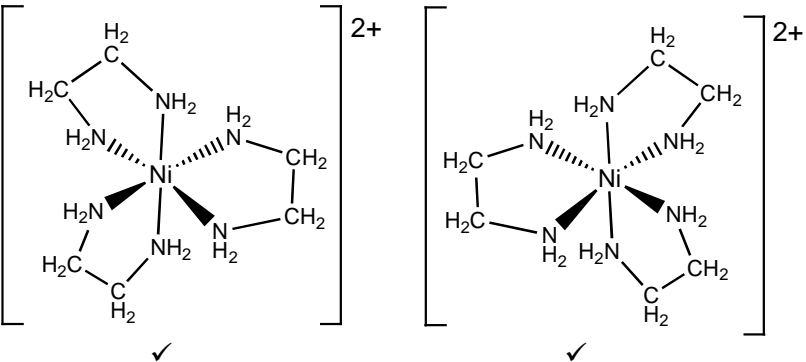
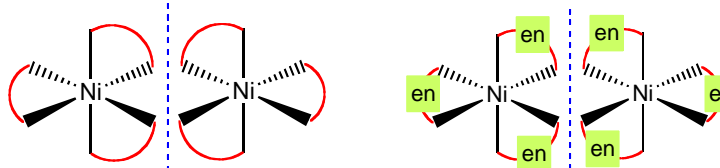
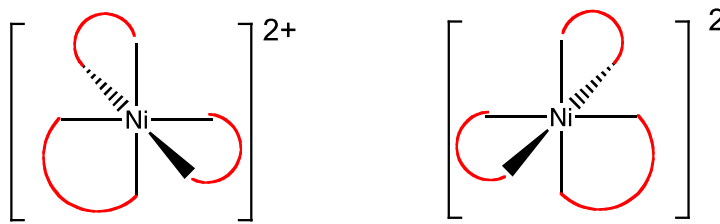
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					Throughout Q1 IGNORE variations in caps and small letters
1	(a)	(i)	Fe ✓	1	ALLOW name: iron DO NOT ALLOW ions, e.g. Fe ²⁺
1	(a)	(ii)	Ti ✓ Ni ✓	2	ALLOW names: titanium and nickel DO NOT ALLOW ions
1	(a)	(iii)	Co ✓	1	ALLOW name: cobalt ALLOW Co ²⁺
1	(a)	(iv)	Mn ✓	1	ALLOW name: manganese ALLOW Mn ₃ O ₄
1	(a)	(v)	Cr ✓	1	ALLOW name: chromium
1	(b)		deep-blue solution: [Cu(NH ₃) ₄ (H ₂ O) ₂] ²⁺ ✓ yellow solution: CuCl ₄ ²⁻ ✓ pale-blue precipitate: Cu(OH) ₂ ✓	3	DO NOT ALLOW [Cu(NH ₃) ₄] ²⁺ OR [Cu(NH ₃) ₆] ²⁺ [] 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⁻ ALLOW Cu(OH) ₂ (H ₂ O) ₄ OR [Cu(OH) ₂ (H ₂ O) ₄]
1	(c)	(i)	octahedral ✓	1	
1	(c)	(ii)	NiF ₆ ⁴⁻ OR [NiF ₆] ⁴⁻ ✓	1	4- charge required ALLOW [Ni(F) ₆] ⁴⁻ ; ALLOW NiF ₆ ⁻⁴ ALLOW round brackets DO NOT ALLOW Fl for F DO NOT ALLOW [Ni(F ⁻) ₆] ⁴⁻ OR [Ni ²⁺ (F ⁻) ₆] ⁴⁻

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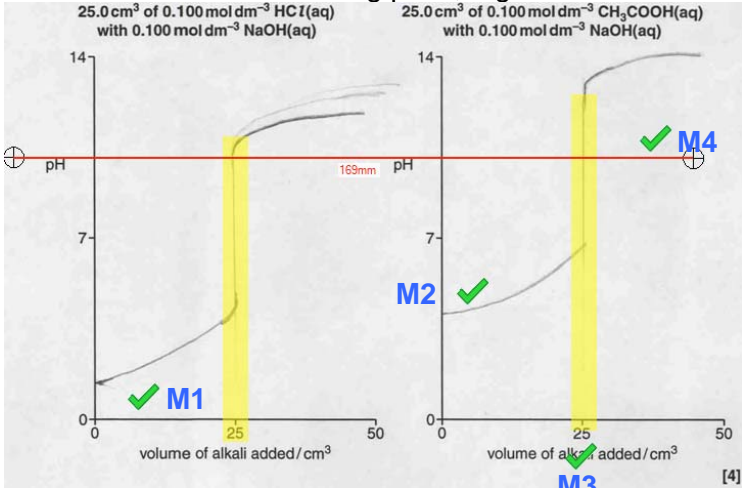
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1 (c) (iii)	 <p>one mark for each structure 2nd structure must be correct mirror image of 1st structure</p>	2	<p>1 mark for 3D diagram with ligands attached for ONE stereoisomer Must contain 2 out wedges, 2 in wedges or dotted lines and 2 lines in plane of paper</p> <p>IGNORE any charges shown</p> <p>ALLOW any attempt to show bidentate ligand. Bottom line shown in diagrams below. IGNORE connectivity: —H₂N OK</p>  <p>ALLOW</p>  <p>ALLOW 2 x en seen in each bridge</p>
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2	(a)	(i)	<p>M1 Shape On one graph (can be either), shape: slight rise/flat, then vertical, then slight rise/flat ✓</p> <p>M2 pH at start for acid Weak acid pH curve starts at higher pH and below pH 7 ✓</p> <p>M3 End point On both graphs, vertical section approximately 25 cm³ alkali have been added ✓</p> <p>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 ✓</p>	4	<p>FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED</p> <p>Use ruler tool for 4th marking point, e.g.</p>  <p>For M4, IGNORE final pH For M1 and M2, IGNORE small gap before curve starts</p> <p>Note: If pH curves wrong way round (i.e. adding acid to alkali), ONLY M3 (25 cm³) can be awarded</p>
2	(a)	(ii)	<p>pH range (of the indicator) matches vertical section/rapid pH change OR end point/colour change matches vertical section/rapid pH change ✓</p>	1	<p>ALLOW pH range (of the indicator) matches equivalence point ALLOW end point/colour change matches equivalence point IGNORE colour change matches end point <i>Colour change is the same as end point</i></p>
2	(b)	(i)	<p>(enthalpy change for) the formation of 1 mole H₂O from reaction of an acid/H⁺ with an alkali/base/OH⁻ ✓</p>	1	<p>ALLOW (enthalpy change for) the reaction of 1 mol H⁺ with 1 mol of OH⁻ DO NOT ALLOW formation of 1 mol H₂O from <i>1 mole</i> of acid and/or <i>1 mole</i> of alkali DO NOT ALLOW formation of 1 mol H₂O from an acid and its <i>conjugate</i> base</p>

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2	(b) (ii)	<p>FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE IF answer = -57.5 (kJ mol^{-1}) award 3 marks</p> <p>-----</p> <p>energy change = $70.0 \times 4.18 \times 16.5$ = 4827.9 (J) OR 4.8279 (kJ) ✓</p> <p>amount of H_2O formed = $2.4(0) \times \frac{35.0}{1000} = 0.084(0)$ mol ✓</p> <p>$\Delta H_{\text{neut}} = -\frac{4.8279}{0.084(0)} = -57.475$ OR -57.48 OR -57.5 (kJ mol^{-1}) ✓</p>	3	<p>FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED</p> <p>-----</p> <p>IF there is an alternative answer, check to see if there is any ECF credit possible using working below</p> <p>-----</p> <p>IGNORE any sign shown ALLOW 4830 AND 4828 (J)</p> <p>ALLOW amount of HCl OR amount of NaOH (same value)</p> <p>– sign required</p> <p>ALLOW ECF from $\frac{\text{calculated energy change}}{\text{calculated moles } \text{H}_2\text{O}}$</p> <p>ALLOW 3 significant figures up to calculator value correctly rounded</p> <p>Common errors Use of 289.5 K can give up to 2 marks by ECF: = $70.0 \times 4.18 \times 289.5 = 84.71$ x</p> <p>amount of H_2O formed = $2.4(0) \times \frac{35.0}{1000} = 0.084(0)$ mol ✓</p> <p>$\Delta H_{\text{neut}} = -\frac{84.71}{0.084(0)} = -1008$ OR -1010 (kJ mol^{-1}) ✓</p> <p>Use of 35 can give up to 2 marks by ECF: = $35.0 \times 4.18 \times 16.5 = 2413.95$ (J) x</p> <p>amount of H_2O formed = $2.4(0) \times \frac{35.0}{1000} = 0.084(0)$ mol ✓</p> <p>$\Delta H_{\text{neut}} = -\frac{2.41395}{0.084(0)} = -28.7375$ OR -28.7 (kJ mol^{-1}) ✓</p>

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2	(b)	(iii)	<p>Same energy is spread over larger volume ✓</p> <p>-----</p> <p>11 °C ✓</p>	2	<p>ALLOW same energy heats greater volume /mass</p> <p>ALLOW the following alternatives for 'energy': Heat, q, $mc\Delta T$, enthalpy change, ΔH</p> <p>ALLOW use to '105 cm³/105 g' as evidence of 'greater volume/ mass'</p> <p>ALLOW use of same energy value as in 2(b)(ii) as evidence for 'same energy' <i>May need to refer to previous part, 2(b)(ii)</i></p> <p>IGNORE more energy heats a greater volume</p> <p>-----</p> <p>ASSUME units are °C unless told otherwise</p>
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3	(a)	(i)	<p>solution: (enthalpy change for) 1 mole of a compound/substance/solid/solute dissolving ✓</p> <p>-----</p> <p>hydration: (enthalpy change for) 1 mole of gaseous ions OR 1 mole of hydrated/aqueous ions ✓</p> <p>gaseous ions forming aqueous/hydrated ions ✓</p>	3	<p>IGNORE 'energy released' OR 'energy required' For dissolving, ALLOW forms aqueous/hydrated ions</p> <p>DO NOT ALLOW dissolving elements IGNORE ionic OR covalent</p> <p>DO NOT ALLOW response that implies formation of 1 mole of aqueous ions</p> <p>-----</p> <p>IGNORE 'energy released' OR 'energy required'</p> <p>For final mark IGNORE gaseous ions are hydrated IGNORE gaseous ions dissolve <i>Particles formed not stated</i></p>

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3	(a) (ii)	<p>For 1st two marking points (<i>Charge and Size</i>), IGNORE 'atomic' and 'atoms' and assume that Mg or Na refer to ions, e.g. ALLOW Mg has a smaller (atomic) radius</p> <p>-----</p> <p><i>Charge</i> Magnesium ion/Mg²⁺ has greater charge OR Mg²⁺ has greater charge density ✓</p> <p>-----</p> <p><i>Size</i> Magnesium ion OR Mg²⁺ is smaller ✓</p> <p>-----</p> <p><i>Attraction</i> Note: Correct particles required for this mark i.e. DO NOT ALLOW Mg; Mg atoms; Na; Na atoms</p> <p>Mg²⁺ has a stronger attraction/ force/ bonding to H₂O /O^{δ-} ✓</p>	3	<p>Note: Charge density can be used to credit the charge mark but not size mark</p> <p>-----</p> <p>ORA Sodium ion/Na⁺ has smaller charge OR Na⁺ has smaller charge density</p> <p>-----</p> <p>ORA: Sodium ion OR Na⁺ is larger IGNORE smaller charge density ('charge mark above')</p> <p>IGNORE idea of close packing of ions</p> <p>-----</p> <p>Note: Response must refer to attraction/bonding with H₂O or this must be implied from the whole response</p> <p>ALLOW Mg²⁺ has a stronger ion–dipole attractions</p> <p>ORA: Na⁺ has weaker attraction/bonding to H₂O</p> <p>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</p>

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3	(a)	(iii)		2	<p>Correct species AND state symbols required for both marks</p> <p>Mark each marking point independently</p> <p>ALLOW response on lower line: $\text{Mg}^{2+}(\text{g}) + 2\text{OH}^{-}(\text{aq})$ (i.e. OH^{-} hydrated before Mg^{2+})</p>
3	(a)	(iv)	<p>FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE IF answer = $-2694 \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1}\text{)}$ award 2 marks</p> <hr/> <p>Lattice enthalpy ($\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2$) $= [-1926 + (2 \times -460)] - (-152)$ OR $-2846 + 152$ ✓ $= -2694$ ✓ (kJ mol^{-1})</p>	2	<p>IF there is an alternative answer, check to see if there is any ECF credit possible using working below.</p> <p>See list below for marking of answers from common errors</p> <hr/> <p>ALLOW for 1 mark: -2234: <i>use of OH^{-} rather than $2 \times \text{OH}^{-}$</i> $(+2694)$: <i>signs all reversed</i> -2998: <i>sign wrong for 152</i> $(+1158)$: <i>sign wrong for 1926</i> -854: <i>sign wrong for 2×460</i> $(+2998)$: <i>sign wrong for 2846</i></p> <p>IF ALL 3 relevant values from the information at the start of Q3 have NOT been used, award zero marks unless one number has a transcription error, where 1 mark can be awarded ECF</p>

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3	(b)	(i)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ΔH positive (Intermolecular) bonds/forces are being broken ✓ ΔS Increase in disorder/ randomness/ number of arrangements (of particles/molecules/energy) ✓ Comparison of ΔS (QWC) In a gas, molecules/particles are much more disordered/ random (than in liquids and solids) ✓ 	3	<p>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>)</p> <p>ALLOW liquids are more disordered than solids OR gases are more disordered than liquids</p> <p>ALLOW in a gas, molecules are much further apart (than in liquids and solids) IGNORE ΔS is much greater (<i>in question</i>)</p>
3	(b)	(ii)	$\Delta S = \Sigma S(\text{products}) - \Sigma S(\text{reactants})$ $= 70.0 - 48.0 \text{ OR } 22(.0) \text{ OR } 0.022 \text{ (kJ K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}) \checkmark$ $T = \frac{6.01}{0.022} = 273 \text{ (K)}$ <p>OR</p> $\Delta G = 6.01 - 273 \times 0.022 \checkmark$ $\Delta G = 0 \text{ OR } 0 = \Delta H - T\Delta S \text{ stated anywhere } \checkmark$	3	<p>FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED -----</p> <p>NO UNITS required</p> <p>ALLOW 273.18 (K) OR 273.2 (K) ASSUME units are K unless told otherwise</p> <p>ALLOW $\Delta G = 6.01 - 6.006 = +4 \times 10^{-3}$</p> <p>ALLOW $4 \times 10^{-3} \sim 0$ ALLOW 4×10^{-3} is very close to zero</p>
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4	(a)	<p>Experimental: 2 marks vary $[S_2O_8^{2-}]$ while keeping $[I^-]$ constant ✓ vary $[I^-]$ while keeping $[S_2O_8^{2-}]$ constant ✓</p> <p>Obtaining rate from time 1 mark Rate $\propto 1/t$ OR rate = conc/time ✓</p> <p>Rate–concentration relationship – QWC 1 mark rate–concentration graph gives straight line through origin/0,0 OR when concentration doubles, rate doubles OR rate is proportional to concentration ✓</p>	4	<p>FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED</p> <p>-----</p> <p>ALLOW for 1 mark: 'keep one concentration constant whilst varying the other' OR vary the concentration of each reactant in turn, e.g. vary $[S_2O_8^{2-}]$ and then vary $[I^-]$</p> <p>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 $t = 0$</p> <p>ALLOW 'conc and rate increase by same factor/amount' OR 'change in concentration is same as change in rate'</p> <p>ALLOW 'when concentration doubles, time halves'</p> <p>IGNORE constant half-life from conc–time graph <i>Half life is from continuous method, not in initial rates</i></p>
	(b)	<p>$rate = k[I^-][S_2O_8^{2-}]$ OR $k = \frac{rate}{[I^-][S_2O_8^{2-}]}$</p> <p>OR $\frac{1.2 \times 10^{-3}}{(8.0 \times 10^{-2}) \times (4.0 \times 10^{-3})}$ ✓</p> <p>= 3.75 OR 3.8 ✓ $dm^3 mol^{-1} s^{-1}$ ✓</p>	3	<p>Correct numerical answer subsumes previous marking point ALLOW $mol^{-1} dm^3 s^{-1}$ NO ECF from incorrect rate equation or k expression</p>

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	(c) (i)	<p>Equation 1: $\text{S}_2\text{O}_8^{2-} + 2\text{Fe}^{2+} \longrightarrow 2\text{SO}_4^{2-} + 2\text{Fe}^{3+}$ ✓</p> <p>Equation 2: $2\text{I}^- + 2\text{Fe}^{3+} \longrightarrow \text{I}_2 + 2\text{Fe}^{2+}$ ✓</p>	2	<p>ALLOW correct multiples IGNORE state symbols</p> <p>ALLOW 1 mark for 2 correct equations in wrong order: i.e. $2\text{I}^- + 2\text{Fe}^{3+} \longrightarrow \text{I}_2 + 2\text{Fe}^{2+}$</p> <p style="text-align: center;">$\text{S}_2\text{O}_8^{2-} + 2\text{Fe}^{2+} \longrightarrow 2\text{SO}_4^{2-} + 2\text{Fe}^{3+}$</p> <p>ALLOW = sign shown instead of arrow as long as equation is shown the 'right way around'</p>
	(ii)	Fe^{3+} could react with I^- ions first ✓	1	<p>ALLOW equations in (i) could take place in the other order IGNORE responses that compare E values</p>
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5	(a)	<p>FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE IF answer = 14.6 dm⁶ mol⁻² award 6 marks (5 for 14.6 and 1 for units)</p> <p>-----</p> <p>equilibrium amount of CO = 0.114 – 0.052 = 0.062 (mol) ✓</p> <p>equilibrium amount of H₂ = 0.152 – 2 x 0.052 = 0.048 (mol) ✓</p> <p>[CO] = 5 x 0.062 = 0.31 (mol dm⁻³) AND [H₂] = 5 x 0.048 = 0.24 (mol dm⁻³) AND [CH₃OH] = 5 x 0.052 = 0.26 (mol dm⁻³) ✓</p> <p>$(K_c =) \frac{[\text{CH}_3\text{OH}]}{[\text{CO}][\text{H}_2]^2} \text{ OR } \frac{0.26}{0.31 \times 0.24^2} \checkmark$</p> <p>= 14.6 ✓ dm⁶ mol⁻² ✓</p>	6	<p>FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED</p> <p>-----</p> <p>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</p> <p>-----</p> <p>ALLOW ECF from equilibrium amounts Mark is for converting ALL 3 amounts into concentrations.</p> <p>For units, ALLOW mol⁻² dm⁶ ALLOW ECF from previous calculated values OR incorrect K_c expression BUT final answer MUST be to 3 SF (in question)</p> <p>Common errors for K_c</p> <p>364: missing x 5 to calculate concentrations 4 marks + units mark (i.e. just one mark dropped)</p> <p>3.35: H₂ = 0.100 by not using 2 H₂ 4 marks + units mark (i.e. just one mark dropped)</p> <p>0.790: Use of initial amounts of CO and H₂) (3 marks + units mark)</p> <p>0.79 Use of initial amounts of CO and H₂ AND answer not to 3 SF (2 marks + units mark)</p>

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	(b)	<p>Pressure: higher pressure shifts (equilibrium position) to the right AND right-hand side has fewer (gaseous) moles ✓</p> <p>Temperature: higher temperature shifts (equilibrium position) to left AND (forward) reaction is exothermic / ΔH is -ve / gives out heat OR reverse reaction is endothermic / ΔH is +ve / takes in heat ✓</p> <p>K_c decreases AND (forward) reaction is exothermic ✓</p> <p>Comparison Relative effect of pressure and temperature is not known ✓</p>	4	<p>IGNORE responses in terms of rate</p> <p>Note: ALLOW suitable alternatives for 'to right' e.g. towards CH_3OH OR towards products OR in forward direction OR increases yield of CH_3OH/products</p> <p>ALLOW 'favours the right', as alternative for 'shifts equilibrium to right'</p> <p>-----</p> <p>ALLOW equilibrium shifts to the right AND a statement that the concentrations on the top of K_c expression increases less than the bottom</p> <p>ALLOW K_c decreases AND reverse reaction is endothermic Note: exothermic/endothermic part of AND statement may be anywhere within the response</p> <p>Pressure and temperature send the equilibrium in opposite directions is not sufficient</p> <p>IGNORE 'temperature and pressure cancel each other out'</p>
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6	(a)	<p>Circuit: complete circuit with voltmeter and salt bridge linking two half-cells ✓</p> <p>Half cells: Pt AND H⁺/HCl (solution) AND H₂ gas (introduced via enclosed container around Pt) ✓ Fe AND Fe²⁺ (solution) ✓</p> <p>Conditions: 1 mol dm⁻³ solutions AND 298 K / 25 °C AND 1 atm/100 kPa/101 kPa/1 bar pressure ✓</p>	4	<p>Voltmeter must be shown AND salt bridge must be labelled ALLOW any correct circuit for a cell</p> <p>ALL labels required In H₂ half cell, DO NOT ALLOW just 'acid'</p> <p>ALL conditions required ALLOW if 1 mol dm⁻³/1M mentioned for just one solution <i>Look also on diagram in addition to answer lines</i> DO NOT ALLOW 1 mol for concentration</p>
	(b) (i)	<p>oxygen electrode: O₂(g) + 2H₂O(l) + 4e⁻ → 4OH⁻(aq) ✓</p> <p>hydrogen electrode: H₂(g) + 2OH⁻(aq) → 2H₂O(l) + 2e⁻ ✓</p>	2	<p>ALLOW multiples for each equation State symbols NOT required – IGNORE even if wrong</p> <p>If oxygen and hydrogen equations are written on the wrong lines ALLOW 1 mark if both correct</p> <p>ALLOW = sign shown instead of arrow as long as equation is shown the 'right way around'</p> <p>ALLOW one mark if both acid equations are given <i>i.e.</i> oxygen electrode: O₂(g) + 4H⁺(aq) + 4e⁻ → 2H₂O(l) AND hydrogen electrode: H₂(g) → 2H⁺(aq) + 2e⁻</p>
	(ii)	2H ₂ (g) + O ₂ (g) → 2H ₂ O(l) ✓	1	<p>ALLOW multiples, e.g. H₂ + ½O₂ → H₂O IGNORE state symbols DO NOT ALLOW if H₂O OR OH⁻ OR e⁻ are shown on both sides</p>
	(iii)	1.23 (V) ✓	1	This is the ONLY correct answer

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	(c)	A fuel cell reacts a fuel/H ₂ with oxygen to produce a voltage/ electrical energy ✓	1	ALLOW a fuel cell requires constant supply of a fuel/H ₂ (and oxygen)/reactants OR operates continuously as long as a fuel/H ₂ (and oxygen) are added DO NOT ALLOW storage cells can be recharged (Not all storage cells can be recharged)
	(d)	Fossil fuels used to make hydrogen OR fossil fuels required to make fuel cell ✓	1	Response requires link between fossil fuels / carbon-containing compounds and manufacture of the fuels cell or H ₂ i.e. energy required to make H ₂ is not sufficient
	(e)	Correctly calculates amount of Cr = 1.456/52.0 = 0.028(0) ✓ ----- NOTE: The remaining marks are ONLY available if a 3:2 molar ratio has been used ----- 3 mol X reacts with 2 mol Cr ³⁺ OR 3 mol X → 2 mol Cr ✓ Correctly calculates amount of X = amount of Cr x 1.5 = 0.028(0) x 1.5 = 0.042(0) ✓ Correctly calculates Molar mass/A _r of X = 1.021/0.042(0) = 24.3 (g mol ⁻¹) AND X identified as Mg ✓	4	FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED ----- ALLOW equation: 2Cr ³⁺ + 3X → 3X ²⁺ + 2Cr Note: 3rd marking point subsumes the 2nd marking point ALLOW magnesium OR Mg ²⁺ 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) ÷ 1.5 = 0.0187 (mol) ✓ Molar mass of X = 54.7 (g mol ⁻¹) AND X = Mn ✓
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7	(a)	$\text{CaCO}_3 + 2\text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \longrightarrow \text{Ca}(\text{HSO}_3)_2 + \text{CO}_2 \checkmark$	1	ALLOW multiples
	(b) (i)	weak acid: partly dissociates \checkmark $\text{HSO}_3^- \rightleftharpoons \text{H}^+ + \text{SO}_3^{2-} \checkmark$	2	ALLOW ionisation for dissociation \rightleftharpoons sign is required ALLOW multiples; state symbols not required DO NOT ALLOW equation with Ca^{2+} added to each side
	(ii)	$\text{Mg} + \text{Ca}(\text{HSO}_3)_2 \longrightarrow \text{MgSO}_3 + \text{CaSO}_3 + \text{H}_2 \checkmark$ $\text{Mg} + 2\text{H}^+ \longrightarrow \text{Mg}^{2+} + \text{H}_2 \checkmark$	2	ALLOW multiples State symbols not required ALLOW as products: $\text{MgCa}(\text{SO}_3)_2 + \text{H}_2$ DO NOT ALLOW $\text{Mg} + \text{Ca}(\text{HSO}_3)_2 \longrightarrow \text{Mg}^{2+} + \text{Ca}^{2+} + 2\text{SO}_3^{2-} + \text{H}_2$ ALLOW $\text{Mg} + 2\text{HSO}_3^- \longrightarrow \text{Mg}^{2+} + 2\text{SO}_3^{2-} + \text{H}_2$
	(iii)	HSO_3^- can accept a proton/ H^+ and donate a proton/ H^+ OR Base accepts a proton/ H^+ AND Acid donates a proton/ H^+ \checkmark $\text{HSO}_3^- + \text{OH}^- \longrightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{SO}_3^{2-} \checkmark$ $\text{HSO}_3^- + \text{H}^+ \longrightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{SO}_2 \checkmark$ Two correct 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> $\text{HSO}_3^- + \text{OH}^- \longrightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{SO}_3^{2-}$ Acid $\text{HSO}_3^- + \text{H}^+ \longrightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{SO}_2$ Base	4	ASSUME 'It' applied to HSO_3^- ALLOW equations with \rightleftharpoons ALLOW $\text{HSO}_3^- + \text{H}^+ \longrightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$ Note: Final mark can only be awarded if both equations are correct

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(c)	(i)	<p>FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE IF $M_r = 122$ award first 5 marks 6th mark is for formula</p> <p>-----</p> $[H^+] = 10^{-pH} = 10^{-3.52} = 3.02 \times 10^{-4} \text{ (mol dm}^{-3}\text{)} \checkmark$ $K_a = \frac{[H^+][A^-]}{[HA]} \text{ OR } \frac{[H^+]^2}{[HA]} \text{ OR } \frac{(3.02 \times 10^{-4})^2}{[HA]} \checkmark$ $[HA] = \frac{(3.02 \times 10^{-4})^2}{1.51 \times 10^{-5}} \checkmark$ $[HA] = 6.04 \times 10^{-3} \text{ (mol dm}^{-3}\text{)} \checkmark$ $M = \frac{0.7369}{6.04 \times 10^{-3}} = 122(.0) \text{ (g mol}^{-1}\text{)} \checkmark$ <p>Carboxylic acid is C_6H_5COOH OR $C_7H_6O_2$ \checkmark</p>	6	<p>FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED</p> <p>-----</p> <p>Throughout calculation, ALLOW 3 significant figures up to calculator value correctly rounded</p> <p>ALLOW 3 SF to calculator value of $3.01995172 \times 10^{-4}$</p> <p>ALLOW any correct equation that shows the relationship between K_a, $[H^+]$, $[A^-]$, $[HA]$</p> <p>Correct $[HA]$ expression and calculation subsumes previous marks</p> <p>Using calculator $[H^+]$ value, $[HA] = 6.039806883 \times 10^{-3}$</p> <p>Using calculator $[HA]$ value, $M_r = 122.0072122$</p> <p>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/CO₂H</p> <p>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</p> <p>IF '$[HA]_{eqm} = [HA] - [H^+]$' has been used, $M_r = 116$ and formula is $C_5H_{11}COOH$ OR $C_6H_{12}O_2$ ALL marks are available for this answer Calculator unrounded $M_r = 116.1972565$</p>

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		(ii)	student is incorrect AND acid releases all H ⁺ ions OR more acid dissociates ✓	1	Statement AND reason required for the mark ALLOW incorrect AND equilibrium shifts to right Note: The key idea is that more H ⁺ ions are produced by more dissociation A comment that all the H ⁺ ions react is just repeating information in the question
			Total	16	

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8	(a)		$(1s^2 2s^2 2p^6) 3s^2 3p^6 3d^2$ ✓	1	ALLOW $4s^0: (1s^2 2s^2 2p^6) 3s^2 3p^6 3d^2 4s^0$ 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	ALLOW 3d sub-shell is empty OR no d electrons left 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 IGNORE only 5 electrons in outer shell IGNORE full outer shell/noble gas electron configuration IGNORE no 3d sub-shell Note: Key comment about 3d sub-shell being empty OR non-removal/greater attraction of 3p electrons
8	(c)	(i)	KMnO_4 is purple/pink AND $\text{V}^{n+}/\text{V}^{2+}$ is violet ✓	1	ALLOW KMnO_4 AND $\text{V}^{n+}/\text{V}^{2+}$ have similar colours ALLOW KMnO_4 is purple and 'the solution' is violet <i>Assumption is that 'the solution' is $\text{V}^{2+}(\text{aq})$</i> ALLOW any reasonable description of purple/mauve/violet colours DO NOT ALLOW just ' KMnO_4 is purple/pink' IGNORE reference to Mn^{2+} being (pale) pink

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8	(c) (ii)	<p>Marks are for correctly calculated values. Working shows how values have been derived.</p> $n(\text{KMnO}_4) = \frac{2.25 \times 10^{-2} \times 13.2}{1000} = 2.97 \times 10^{-4} \text{ (mol) } \checkmark$ $n(\text{V}) = \frac{0.126}{50.9} = 2.48 \times 10^{-3} \text{ (mol) } \checkmark$ <p>Factor of 5: $\frac{2.48 \times 10^{-3}}{5} = 4.96 \times 10^{-4} \text{ (mol)}$ OR $5 \times 2.97 \times 10^{-4} = 1.485 \times 10^{-3} \text{ (mol) } \checkmark$</p> <p>ratio $\frac{n(\text{V}^{n+})}{n(\text{MnO}_4^-)} = \frac{4.96 \times 10^{-4}}{2.97 \times 10^{-4}} = \frac{1.67}{1}$ OR 1.67 OR $\frac{5}{3}$ OR 1 mol MnO_4^- reacts with 1.67 mol V^{n+} \checkmark</p> <p>5 : 3 ratio seen AND $n = 2$ \checkmark</p> <p>Correct equation with all species on both sides cancelled: $5\text{V}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 3\text{MnO}_4^-(\text{aq}) + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) \longrightarrow 5\text{VO}_3^-(\text{aq}) + 3\text{Mn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 6\text{H}^+(\text{aq})$</p> <p>$5\text{V}^{2+} + 3\text{MnO}_4^-$ on left AND $5\text{VO}_3^- + 3\text{Mn}^{2+}$ on right \checkmark Complete equation correct \checkmark</p>	7	<p>FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed blue;"/> <p>ALLOW 2.48×10^{-3} up to calculator value of $2.475442043 \times 10^{-3}$, correctly rounded</p> <p>ALLOW 4.95×10^{-4} (mol) from $2.475442043 \times 10^{-3}$</p> <p>ALLOW ratio $\frac{n(\text{V}^{n+})}{n(\text{MnO}_4^-)} = \frac{2.48 \times 10^{-3}}{1.485 \times 10^{-3}} = \frac{1.67}{1}$ OR 1.67 OR $\frac{5}{3}$</p> <p>ALLOW inverse ratio</p> <p>DO NOT ALLOW $n = 2$ without some justification e.g.: 3 mol MnO_4^- reacts with 5 mol V^{2+}; V changes oxidation number by 3 OR 3 electrons transferred to V</p> <p>IGNORE state symbols</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>ALLOW any attempted equation using $n = 2, 3$ OR 4. See correct eqn for $n=2$ and equations on next page</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/>

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8	(c)	(ii)	Cont.		<p>From V⁴⁺: $5V^{4+}(aq) + MnO_4^-(aq) + 11H_2O(l)$ $\rightarrow 5VO_3^-(aq) + Mn^{2+}(aq) + 22H^+(aq)$</p> <p>$5V^{4+} + MnO_4^-$ on left AND $5VO_3^- + Mn^{2+}$ on right ✓ Complete equation correct ✓</p> <p>-----</p> <p>From V³⁺: $5V^{3+}(aq) + 2MnO_4^-(aq) + 7H_2O(l)$ $\rightarrow 5VO_3^-(aq) + 2Mn^{2+}(aq) + 14H^+(aq)$ ✓✓</p> <p>$5V^{3+} + 2MnO_4^-$ on left AND $5VO_3^- + 2Mn^{2+}$ on right ✓ Complete equation correct ✓</p>
Total				10	

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