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Chemistry B (Salters)

Unit F331: Chemistry for Life

Advanced Subsidiary GCE

Mark Scheme for June 2014

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1. These are the annotations, (including abbreviations), including those used in scoris, which are used when marking

Annotation	Meaning
BP	Blank Page – this annotation must be used on all blank pages within an answer booklet (structured or unstructured) and on each page of an additional object where there is no candidate response.
BOD	Benefit of doubt
CON	Contradiction
×	Cross
ECF	Error carried forward
I	Ignore
NAQ	Not answered question
NBOD	Benefit of doubt not given
NGE	Not good enough
RE	Rounding error
REP	Repeat
SEEN	Noted but no credit given
SF	Error in no. of significant figures
•	Tick
^	Omission mark

2. Subject-specific Marking Instructions that apply across the whole question paper to be included here.

Please tick the place where a candidate scores a mark on **every** question.

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	(a)		Process: <u>fractional</u> distillation } Property: boiling point /condensation point } ✓	1	both required for 1 mark IGNORE references to length of hydrocarbon chain number of carbons/mass/volatility Watch for CONS eg 'boiling pt and melting pt'
	(b)	(i)	H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H	1	IGNORE bond angles and any other formulae NOT lower case 'h'
		(ii)	unsaturated ✓	1	ALLOW minor spelling errors
	(c)	(i)	$C_{10}H_{22} \rightarrow C_2H_4 + C_8H_{18} \checkmark$	1	
		(ii)	catalyst in different state/phase to reactants ✓ adsorption (on to surface) ✓	2	IGNORE "products" QWC: adsorption must be spelt correctly for second mark adsorbed etc to be allowed
		(iii)	tendency of fuel to autoignite/pre-ignite/knock/pink ✓ more efficient/stops possible damage ✓	2	IGNORE "engine autoignite" ALLOW 'better mileage'/better performance IGNORE 'less knocking' AW IGNORE incomplete combustion
		(iv)	wedge going in front (of plane of paper) and dotted line behind AW ✓	1	must have both ALLOW (atoms) coming out, going behind linked to wedges and dots
		(v)	hydrogen/H₂ ✓	1	DO NOT ALLOW 'H' alone

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
	(d)	(i)	different structural formulae for the same molecular formula ✓	1	ALLOW same molecular formula different arrangement/order of atoms/different structure (AW) ALLOW same number and type of atoms for molecular formula NOT 'same chemical/physical properties' IGNORE references to functional groups
		(ii)	OR OR OR three correct isomers score both marks ✓✓ two correct one mark ✓	2	Three correct full structural formulae scores max of 1 mark
1	(e)		2 marks if completely correct 1 mark for correct two double bonds	2	DO NOT ALLOW condensed formulae e.g. CH ₃ IGNORE bond angles ALLOW one mark for all correct skeletal structure
			Total	15	

Q	uestion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2	(a)	$2SO_2(g) + 2H_2O(g \text{ or } I) + O_2(g) \rightarrow 2H_2SO_4(aq)$ correct species and balance \checkmark states \checkmark	2	ALLOW 'half' or multiples DO NOT ALLOW (I) for sulfuric acid ALLOW 'state' mark if species correct but equation unbalanced
	(b)	CaO/it is basic ✓	1	ALLOW alkaline instead of basic And answers like "it is an acid/base reaction and the acidic sulfur dioxide is neutralised by the CaO"
	(c)		4	IGNORE references to bonding pairs
		carbon dioxide has two sets/groups of electrons/areas of electron density ✓		Watch for CON "three bonding groups in SO ₂ "
		sulfur dioxide has three sets etc.√		Watch out for CON – "repel as far apart as possible" for one species, but "don't repel" for the other
		electrons repel as far as possible/minimise repulsion ✓		IGNORE 'repel as <i>much</i> as possible' IGNORE 'push' NOT 'atoms repel' IGNORE 'bonds repel'
		(three groups gives) 120° (allow 115 -125°) ✓		ALLOW for 'electrons': 'these' (if 1 st mpt scored) or any of the terms allowed for the first mpt NO ecf (eg 4areas/109)
	(d)	100 ÷ 32.1 ✓ (3.112 or 3.125 if 32 used) answer to first marking point x 64.1 (64) and correctly evaluated (=199.7or 200.31) ✓	2	ALLOW working or answer for 1 st marking pt. 199.7/200 on answer line scores both marks
	(e)	advantage – no CO₂/CO/NOx/particulates✓	2	NOT 'less' CO ₂ /CO/NOx/particulates. IGNORE references to abundance/availability of either fuel/greenhouse gases
		disadvantage – (disposal of) radioactive waste ✓		must have idea waste is radioactive

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C	Question		Answer		Guidance
	(f)			2	IGNORE 'covalent' in right-hand column
			carbon: covalent ; giant /network ✓		IGNORE 'lattice/molecular/molecules' in top right box
			sulfur: covalent; (simple) molecular/ small molecules√		ALLOW id-id for sulfur in bottom left box ALLOW 'simple molecule' in bottom right box
			Total	13	

Question		Answer						Guidance
(a)		Isot	Nu mb er of prot ons	Num ber of neutr ons	Num ber of electr ons		1	All correct for the mark
		Boro n-10	5	5	5			
		Boro n-11	5	6	5			
(b)	(i)	(percentag	e)abundanc	ce/amount/int	ensity (of the i	sotopes)√	1	ALLOW 'their %'s in a sample of boron' AW ALLOW answers which say there is more boron-11 ora ALLOW relative (isotopic) abundance IGNORE 'abundance of peaks' IGNORE references to masses
	(ii)				amount/intensi	ty/value ✓	2	ALLOW sum of isotopic mass x % abundance (scores both marks)
		(calculate)	average/m	ean √				ALLOW sum divided by total abundance for 2 nd mpt ALLOW ÷ 100 (y axis not labelled) 2 nd mark depends on first being scored
	(iii)	(accelerate	ed to) same	e KE √			3	IGNORE 'atoms' for 1 st mpt
		move OR reach any refere	slower detector la			ocity terms		DO NOT ALLOW reference to negative ions for 2 nd mark ALLOW 'Heavier ions are accelerated less' ORA for 3rd mp.
	(a)	(a) (i) (ii)	(ii) Mass of ea abundance (calculate) (iii) (accelerate move OR reach any refere	(a) Isot ope mb er of prot ons Boro n-10 5 Boro n-11 √ (b) (i) (percentage)abundance (ii) Mass of each isotope rabundance/peak heigh (calculate) average/m (iii) (accelerated to) same move slower OR reach detector la	(a) Isot ope Mu ber of neutr of prot ons Boro n-10 5 6 Boro n-11 ✓ (b) (i) (percentage)abundance/amount/int (iii) Mass of each isotope multiplied by abundance/peak height/frequency/a (calculate) average/mean ✓ (iii) (accelerated to) same KE ✓ heavy/heavier ions: move slower OR reach detector later/last ✓ A any reference to KE made up of results.	(a) Sot ope Mu ber of neutr of prot ons Some Solution So	(a) Isot ope Nu mb her of neutr ons	(a)

G	Question		Answer			Marks	Guidance
	(c)	(i)	Property Relative mass Relative charge Deflection by electrical field Stopped by a minimum of one for each column ✓✓	lonising r alpha (α) 4 +2 small paper	adiation beta (β) 0 -1 large Al foil	2	Large/small swapped scores 1 mark if all else correct
3	(c)	(ii)	$^{10}_{5}B + ^{1}_{0}n \rightarrow ^{4}_{2}He \checkmark$	-		2	ALLOW α symbol instead of He ALLOW ecf for 2 nd nucleon after wrong numbers on He MAX one mark if any number on right e.g Li ⁷ ₃ DO NOT ALLOW He on top of arrow DO NOT ALLOW charges on He/Li ALLOW ideas of stopped by container/Al foil/clothing etc
3	(d)		Iack of penetration AW ✓ **F** **B** *** **F** *** **F** shared electrons ✓ lone pairs ✓				For covalent structure IGNORE bond angles Only one electron symbol used maximum 1 A lone pair appearing on B CONs 2 nd mark ALLOW correct ionic dot-and-cross with 1 mark for correct B structure including charge and 1 for 3 correct fluorides including charges (see below)

Q	uestic	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
					ALLOW 2 electrons on B for ionic structure
	(e)	(i)	Time taken for half the radioactive nuclei to decay OR mass to decrease by half OR radioactivity to reduce by a half OR time taken for count rate / amount to drop by half ✓	1	Must mention time/how long for something to reduce by half: nuclei, atoms, substance, isotope(s), radioactivity, mass NOT nucleus, "a nuclei", atom (ie in singular) DO NOT ALLOW 'decompose' for 'decay'
		(ii)	(mass)ratio of U-235 to lead/parent to daughter or vice-versa an indication of time/age being related to number of half-lives elapsed	2	First mark for idea that both lead and uranium need measuring Mark separately proportion/amount/ratio of lead to uranium gives indication of age of material/rock/mineral (ora) scores 2
		(iii)	Age of material small compared to half life (AW) OR answer that links unreliability/inaccuracy of measurement with so little decay (AW) ✓	1	IGNORE 'half-life too long' (in stem)
		(iv)	light nuclei/atoms (of elements) [must be plural] fuse/join to give heavier nucleus/nuclei/element(s)/atom(s) ✓	1	Either 'light' or 'heavy' must be mentioned but not necessarily both. E.g. "two light nuclei join to give a new nucleus" scores. IGNORE 'small nuclei' OR 'large nuclei' ie small light nuclei join to form large heavy(ier) nucleus scores But "two light nuclei fuse" alone does not score
			Total	19	

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4	(a)	(i)	1672J ✓	1	ALLOW 1670/1700 IGNORE sign
		(ii)	moles of sodium bicarbonate (= $12 / 84$) = 0.143 or $1/7 \checkmark$ enthalpy change per mole $1672 \div 0.143$ (or 1672×7) = 11700 or 11.7 (ignore units) \checkmark	3	ALLOW either working or evaluation for 1 st mark 2 nd mark is for evaluation ALLOW ecf from 4a(i) and from moles bicarbonate 11700 or 11.7 or ecf from 4a(i) gains first two marking pts 3 rd marking point is for sig fig, sign and expressing answer to 2 nd mp in kJ +12 on answer line scores all three marks 12 scores 2; -12 scores 2 (and max 1 for any other
		(iii)	energy/heat transfer between the surroundings and the solution ✓	1	negative number from ecf) +12000, 12000 or -12000 scores two NOT 'heat loss' ALLOW 'heat gain from surroundings' ALLOW 'calorimeter' for 'surroundings' ALLOW non-standard conditions AW ALLOW 'specific heat is only approximate' AW
		(iv)	moles of $CO_2 = 12/84$ OR 0.143 OR 1/7 OR answer to 1 st mp of 4a(ii) \checkmark	2	3.4(3 etc) scores both marks 72 scores 0 10.285/10.29/10.3 scores 1 overall
			vol = 3.4(3) OR 'answer to 1 st mp of 4a(ii) x 24' evaluated ✓		vol = answer to 1 st mp of 4a(ii) x 3 x 24 evaluated scores 1 mark overall 2 nd mark - ALLOW ecf only from incorrect Mr of NaHCO ₃

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(b)	bond breaking endothermic AND bond making exothermic ✓ more energy taken in to break bonds than released when bonds form OR value of endothermic processes larger (than the exothermic) ORA ✓	2	Both needed to score first mark 2 nd mark must describe an endothermic process NOT 'more bonds broken than made' NOT 'energy needed to make bonds' for 2 nd mark
(c)	a measure of the disorder/ways of arranging particles ✓	4	ALLOW references to chaos/randomness of system ALLOW 'atoms', 'molecules' for 'particles' IGNORE 'ways of arranging a particle/molecule/ atom' (singular) IGNORE 'ways of arranging atoms in a molecule'
	entropy of gases>liquids>solids ora ✓		ALLOW 'gases have highest entropy, solids have lowest'
	solid (and liquid) on LHS/reactants to gases (and liquids)on RHS/products ora ✓		ALLOW 'more gases are formed'
	More moles/molecules of product than reactant ✓		ALLOW 'more moles/molecules are formed OR greater amount of particles are formed' but IGNORE "more moles/molecules of gases are formed" for this mark.
	Total	13	

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