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F331 Chemistry for Life

Qu	estio	n	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
1	(a)	(i)	skeletal ✓	1	ALLOW recognisable spellings
		(ii)	2,2,4-trimethylpentane </td <td>2</td> <td>IGNORE gaps, dashes, hyphens, commas</td>	2	IGNORE gaps, dashes, hyphens, commas
					pentane√ rest √
		(iii)	ring structure / arene / cyclic OR short(er) molecule ✓	1	ALLOW small
	(b)	(i)	burn measured mass / amount of fuel / octane ✓	5	ALLOW measure starting and finishing temperature / mass of octane / fuel DO NOT ALLOW just 'final' temp. recorded
			measure temp rise ✓		IGNORE reference to solution
			of a fixed volume / mass / amount of water ✓		
			use - energy transferred = mass of water x specific heat capacity (of water) x temp rise ✓		ALLOW q / energy = mcΔT or mcθ allow 'm' as mass of water unless conned eg ALLOW answer divided by moles burnt
			scale up to one mole of fuel / octane used / AW ✓		

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Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance	
(ii)	any two from 4:	2		
	heat loss to surroundings / air / effect of draughts; etc 🗸		DO NOT ALLOW 'not standard conditions' / reference to data book values / AW	
	heat losses to calorimeter / apparatus; ✓		DO NOT ALLOW 'enthalpy may escape'	
	incomplete combustion of fuel / lack of (enough) oxygen; ✓			
	evaporation of fuel (from wick); ✓		IGNORE evaporation of water / measurement error / human error	
(c) (i)	 ΔH₁ = enthalpy (change) of formation (of octane) √ ΔH₂ = enthalpy (change) of combustion of eight moles of carbon / (enthalpy (change) of formation of eight moles of carbon dioxide) √ ΔH₃ = enthalpy (change) of combustion of nine moles of hydrogen / (enthalpy (change) of formation of nine moles of water) √ ΔH₄ = enthalpy (change) of combustion of octane √ 	4	ALLOW omission of the words 'enthalpy change of' IGNORE references to oxygen ALLOW appropriate symbols eg ΔH_f ALLOW ΔH_2 and ΔH_3 in either order. Score one out of two if numbers of moles not mentioned ALLOW ΔH_2 / ΔH_3 in terms of enthalpy changed of formation of 8 moles CO_2 and 9 moles of H_2O . DO NOT ALLOW any rearrangement of ΔH_1 etc	
(ii)	answer = -248 √	1		
	Total	16		

Que	stior	1	Expected Answ	ers			Marks	Additional Guidance		
2	(a)	(i)	(i)	(i)					3	One mark for each column:
			property	type of emis						
				α	β	γ				
			relative	+2	-1	0		ALLOW none / dashes for 0's		
			charge	4	0.00055			ALLOW Horie / dashes for 0 s		
			relative mass	4	0.00055	0				
			noturo	helium	(nuclear)	very high				
			nature	nucleus	electron / correct	frequency electromagnetic				
				Tiucieus	symbol	radiation				
			rongo in oir	(fa) area /		-				
			range in air	(few) cms / mm	few metres	very long		ALLOW 'short' for 'few cms'		
			stopped by	tissue paper	metal foil	Lead /		DO NOT ALLOW 'Not very far' / AW (too vague)		
						aluminium /		DO NOT ALLOW NOT VERY IN TAVY (100 Vague)		
						thick metal				
						(sheet) /				
			defication by			concrete				
			deflection by an electric	low	High / big /	none				
			field	IOW	large	none		DO NOT ALLOW III (O L (I II)		
			l lioid		large			DO NOT ALLOW medium for β deflection DO NOT ALLOW neutral for γ deflection		
						,		DO NOT ALLOW Heatrain for y deflection		
				✓	✓	✓				
	(b)	(i)	$^{99}_{42}\mathrm{Mo}\rightarrow^{0}_{-1}\beta$ +	99 Tc ✓✓			2	top line ✓		
								bottom line ✓		
								bottom mie		
								ALLOW one mark for completely correct beta or Tc		
								if other is wrong		
		(ii)	same atomic nun	nber √			2	OR		
		(,					_			
			different mass nu	ımber √				atoms of the same element ✓		
								with different numbers / more / less of neutrons ✓		

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Questio	n	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
(c)	(i)	difficult to detect very small amounts of Ar-40 formed K-40 decayed / dating errors very large when so little decay has taken place / AW ✓	1	DO NOT ALLOW answers that talk only in terms of 'not even finished one half life'
	(ii)	Ar⁺ (allow Ar²⁺) ✓	1	ALLOW with correct mass / atomic numbers DO NOT ALLOW wrong symbol
	(iii)	peak / bar / line at (mass numbers) 36, 38 and 40 ✓ size / height of peak related to abundance ✓	2	mass numbers needed to score
	(iv)	(energy lost as) electrons go from higher to lower levels ✓ relationship of energy to frequency / wavelength ✓ gives a (specific) line(s) ✓ energy gaps / levels different for different elements ✓ QWC – wavelength / frequency / frequencies must be spelled correctly	4	eg E = hf or in words mention of lines scores a mark CON one mark if spelling incorrect
		Total	15	

Qu	estio	n	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance	
3	(a)	(i)	(hydrocarbon) contains no <u>benzene</u> rings / not an arene ✓	1	DO NOT ALLOW contains no rings	
		(ii)	<u>fractional</u> distillation ✓	1		
		(iii)	$C_{25}H_{52} + 38O_2 \rightarrow 25CO_2 + 26H_2O \checkmark$	1		
	(b)	(i)	unburnt hydrocarbon / C₂₅H₅₂ ✓	1	ALLOW paraffin wax ALLOW CO ALLOW smaller hydrocarbon	
		(ii)	carbon monoxide ✓ carbon / soot ✓	2	ALLOW water IGNORE oxides of nitrogen	
	(c)	(i)	C ₃ H ₆ ✓	1	order of elements immaterial	
		(ii)	110-130° ✓	4		
			3 areas of electron density ✓		DO NOT ALLOW 3 'atoms' or 'electron pairs' ALLOW names or descriptions of electron groups eg double bond	
			around central C ✓		ALLOW clear diagram or description	
			areas of electron density / pairs repel as far apart as possible /		DO NOT ALLOW repel as much as possible	
			minimize energy ✓		TAKE CARE repel and 'as far apart' run together for only one mark	
					ALLOW bonds (but not atoms) repel	
		(iii)	catalysts and reactants in different (physical) states ✓	1		
		(iv)	contain hole(s) / channels / porous / gaps / rings ✓	2		
			can trap branched / let through straight isomers ✓			
			Total	14		

Qι	estic	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance	
4	(a)		mass number = 1 ✓ atomic number = 0 ✓	2		
	(b)	(i)	moles of Be = $1.75/9 (0.19) \checkmark$ moles of Cu = $98.25/63.5 (1.55) \checkmark$	2	all usual ecf's apply (allow working to more / less sig. figs.) Max 1 if unit other than moles put in	
		(ii)	11 scores all three ✓✓✓ total no. of moles = 1.74 ✓ %Be = 0.19/1.74 x 100 ✓ (=10.919) Sig. figs. separate mark based on a followable calculation ✓	3	ALLOW ecf's from (b)(i) ALLOW sig. figs. mark for a (wrong) calculation based on some given figures	
	(c)		Delocalised electrons ✓ Regular array of cations / positive ions / residues ✓ Labels but any used must be correct✓	3	First two points can be on diagram or labels minimum of five cations shown (can touch) ALLOW positive atoms DO NOT ALLOW positive nucleus or positive metal	
	(d)		xx X X Be XXX XX Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y	2	DO NOT ALLOW ionic structure	

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Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
(e)	melting point (is different) ✓	3	ALLOW ORA throughout
	(melting point) is high <u>er</u> in ionic compounds ✓		DO NOT ALLOW references to ionic solids / covalent gases liquids ALLOW boiling point Must be a comparison for 2 nd mark
	Any one of: ionic compounds conduct electricity when in solution / molten ✓ OR ionic compounds (generally) water soluble / ora / AW ✓		Incorrect chemical explanation CON 2 nd mark eg reference to bond strengths DO NOT ALLOW just 'conduct electricity'
	Total	15	

F332 Chemistry of Natural Resources

C	uesti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
1	(a)		Incomplete combustion ✓	2	ALLOW not enough oxygen or air linked to the idea of combustion / uncomplete combustion
			of hydrocarbons ✓		Second mark depends on the first. ALLOW fossil fuel or named fossil fuel / carbon in the fuel / organic fuel DO NOT ALLOW just 'fuel' or carbon as the fuel
	(b)		Toxic / poisonous / reduces the capacity of blood to carry oxygen around the body / AW ✓	2	ALLOW respiratory problems, but not breathing problems. IGNORE harmful / dangerous
			AND		
			Any one from:		
			causes (photochemical) smog ✓		
			oxidised to CO_2 which is a greenhouse gas / reacts with O_2 to form CO_2 which is a greenhouse gas \checkmark		Answer must have the CO ₂ AND the greenhouse gas for this alternative. ALLOW global warming instead of greenhouse gas.
	(c)	(i)	Homolytic (fission) / homolysis ✓	1	IGNORE 'photochemical dissociation'

Quest	ion	Exped	ted Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
	(ii)	464 x 1000 ✓		2	One mark is for converting from kJ to J (ie: multiplying by 1000)
		Energy value/6.02 x 10 ²³ A l 7.71 x 10 ⁻¹⁹ J) √	ND a correct evaluation (=		The other is for dividing their energy value by 6.02 x 10 ²³ (the Avogadro constant)
					ALLOW 2 or more sig. figs. but rounding must be correct.
					In order to score the second mark, there must be a correct evaluation of their expression.
					A completely correct answer on its own scores both marks.
	(iii)	Answer to (c)(ii) /6.63 x 10 ⁻³	34 🗸	3	DO NOT ALLOW the second mark for evaluating any other expression (eg: answer to (c)(ii) x 6.63 x 10 ⁻³⁴)
		$= 1.16 \times 10^{15} \checkmark$			ALLOW sig. fig. mark for any 3 sig. fig. answer that follows from any calculation (even if their evaluation of their
		3 sig. fig. ✓			calculation is incorrect).
					A completely correct answer on its own scores all marks, including the sig. fig. mark.
(d)	(i)	(A particle) with one (or mo	re) unpaired electron(s). ✓	1	Answer must be in the context of an electron as part of some sort of particle.
	(ii)			2	IGNORE 'free' or 'lone' or single electron. Any symbols can be used to represent the electrons (including the same symbol for all electrons).
		XX	bond electrons √		Candidate does not have to draw circles for electron shells.
		OH	rest of structure √		Non-bonding electrons do not have to be shown in pairs.
		x			It MUST be clear that a pair of electrons (with any symbols) is being shared between the H and the O for the first mark.
					IGNORE any inner electron shells.

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(Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
		(iii)	propagation ✓	2	
			one radical is used and replaced by another / AW ✓		ALLOW there is a radical on both sides of the equation.
					Mark independently.
	(e)		SiO₂: giant covalent / network solid / lattice / whole structure held together by covalent bonds / diagram ✓	3	IGNORE 'intermolecular bonds' in SiO ₂ / giant molecule / giant structure Marks can be given for a labelled / annotated diagram
			CO₂: simple molecular / molecules / O=C=O / AW ✓		IGNORE 'covalent'.
			comparison of forces: weak intermolecular bonds (or forces) in CO₂ / less energy needed to separate molecules / bonds in SiO₂ are stronger than CO₂ intermolecular bonds (or forces) ✓		Any type of intermolecular bonds can be named and can be abbreviated. It must be clear that the intermolecular bonds in CO ₂ are being discussed, not the covalent bonds.
	(f)	(i)	0.008 / 8 x 10 ⁻³ ✓	1	

Q	uestic	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
		(ii)	Any four points from:	6	
			1 Sun emits UV ✓		IGNORE other types of radiation from the Sun.
			2 Earth absorbs some of the energy (from the Sun) / heats up \checkmark		
			3 Earth radiates emits / re-emits IR ✓		DO NOT ALLOW Earth reflects IR in point 3.
			4 (CO₂) absorbs IR radiation ✓		
			5 making <u>bonds</u> vibrate (more) ✓		Award marks for points 5 and 6 if the wrong frequency range of radiation is given as being absorbed in 4. (eg
			6 turned into kinetic energy that raises the temperature / transfers kinetic energy to thermal energy or heat or it warms the atmosphere or Earth. ✓		candidate states CO ₂ absorbs UV).
			7 some CO₂ molecules radiate IR (which warms Earth) ✓		
			AND		
			more CO_2 molecules means more radiation is absorbed / more CO_2 means greater temperature increase / enhancing the greenhouse effect / causing global warming / warming the atmosphere / Earth / planet more \checkmark		
			QWC - mark for connection of ideas: idea of linking IR absorbtion to vibrations of bonds / increase in temperature (marking point 4 linked to 5 or 6) ✓		
	(g)	(i)	aldehyde(s) √	1	ALLOW alkanal(s)
		(ii)	$CO + C_2H_4 + H_2 \rightarrow CH_3CH_2CHO \checkmark\checkmark$	2	ALLOW C ₃ H ₆ O or full structural formula for propanal.
					Completely correct scores both marks.
					Correct formula for ethane / correctly identifies H ₂ as the additional reagent scores one mark.

Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
(iii)	H—————————————————————————————————————	1	
	Total	29	

Qı	uesti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
2	(a)		Bromoalkane(s) / halogenoalkane(s) √	1	ALLOW halokane(s) / haloalkane(s) / halogenoalkane
	(b)	(i)	CH ₃ OH + HBr \rightarrow CH ₃ Br + H ₂ O \checkmark \checkmark Right hand side \checkmark	2	ALLOW CH ₄ O / BrH / BrCH ₃ IGNORE state symbols
		<i>(</i> ::\	Left hand side ✓		A constant in the constant of
		(ii)	Nucleophilic ✓	2	Any clear indication scores the mark eg: circled.
			Substitution ✓		If more than two choices indicated, each extra response CON s a correct answer.
	(c)	(i)	Amine(s) ✓	1	ALLOW small spelling error.
		(ii)	CH ₃ NH ₂ / CH ₅ N ✓	1	
	(d)		δ + on C and δ - on C/ \checkmark	1	IGNORE δ + on Hs. DO NOT ALLOW δ - on Hs
	(e)		H 	2	ALLOW other 3-D representations of the molecule.
			H C		ALLOW chlorine in any position.
			OR H		Diagram needs to be as shown on the left or one bond in the plane, with two going into the plane of the page and one coming out (or vice versa).
			H CI		DO NOT ALLOW two bonds in the same plane at 180°.
			bond angle 109° ✓		ACCEPT bond angle values in the range 100 – 112°

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Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
(f)	Any two from:	5	
	chloromethane is not broken down / unreactive in the troposphere / lower atmosphere ✓		
	 but is broken down / photodissociated (in the stratosphere) / AW by ✓ 		
	3. high energy UV / high frequency UV ✓		ALLOW 'radiation' for 'UV'
	 (breakdown of chloromethane) producing chlorine atoms / chlorine radicals ✓ 		Points 2 and 4 can be scored from a reaction equation.
	AND		
	(products of chloromethane) <u>catalyse</u> ozone breakdown / AW ✓		QWC : To gain this mark, candidate must use the word catalyst or a derivative of it, spelled correctly and used in a grammatically correct way (eg: do not award for 'it catalyse the breakdown of ozone').
	C–Br bond is weaker (than C–C <i>I</i>) ORA ✓		ALLOW 'catalyze'.
	so can be broken in the <u>troposphere</u> / molecule reacts in the <u>troposphere</u> / reacts before reaching the stratosphere ✓		
(g) (i)	(concentration) values were low ✓	1	Answers need to show that values were less and not just different from the expected ones.
	Total	15	

Q	uesti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
3	(a)	(i)	addition ✓	1	DO NOT ALLOW additional.
		(ii)	propene ✓ H H H L H C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C	2	ALLOW prop-1-ene DO NOT ALLOW prop-2-ene Mark independently. No ecf for the second mark.
	(b)	(i)	H ✓ bromine (water) ✓	1	ALLOW Br ₂
		(ii)	(from) brown / orange / yellow ✓	2	ALLOW any combination of these colours, but no others for the first mark (eg no mark for red / brown).
			(to) colourless ✓		DO NOT ALLOW clear for the second answer
	(c)		CH ₃ CH ₃ CH ₃ H C=C C H H H C (Z) CH ₃ H CH ₃ CH C	2	Name and structure required for the mark in each case Correct structures with names swapped round scores 1 mark. Diagrams do not have to show correct bond angles.
					A correct representation of but-2-ene scores 1.
	(d)		instantaneous (dipole) - induced dipole √	1	ALLOW temporary dipole–induced temporary dipole / van der Waals forces
	(e)	(i)	low flexibility / resistant to chemical attack / does not react with water / unreactive / not prone to stress fractures / high tensile strength / abrasion resistant / impermeable / insoluble / rigid	1	IGNORE strong, hard, durable, tough, malleable, dense, high melting point, can be moulded or remoulded. ALLOW waterproof or 'will not wear away'.
		(ii)	bags ✓	1	IGNORE food wrap / cling film / packaging.
			Total	11	

Q	uesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
4	(a)	(i)	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ H δ + hydrogen bond between correct atoms \checkmark lone pair on relevant O in line with H bond \checkmark partial charges shown, δ – on each O and δ + on each H \checkmark O–H–O straight \checkmark	4	Hydrogen bond can be shown in other forms, but not as a solid line. Second mark, but NOT third mark, can be scored if the hydrogen bond is between incorrect atoms.
		(ii)	Any three from:	4	
			 intermolecular bond in propene is instantaneous dipole-induced dipole √ 		ALLOW van der Waals'
			 hydrogen bonds / intermolecular bonds (in propan-1- ol) are stronger than those in propene (ORA) √ 		DO NOT ALLOW harder / easier
			 intermolecular bonds must be broken for the liquid to boil ✓ 		
			4. more <u>energy</u> is needed to break them (ORA) ✓		DO NOT ALLOW 'higher temperature' for 'more energy'.
			AND		
			QWC - mark for connection of ideas: idea of linking strength of intermolecular bonds to amount of energy needed to break them ✓		

Questio	n	Expected	l Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
(b)		Elimination ✓		1	ALLOW any indication of chosen answer (eg: circling). DO NOT ALLOW the mark if more than one answer has been chosen.
(c)		reagent sulfuric / phosphoric acid ✓ OR alumina / silica / pumice / porous pot ✓	conditions heat / reflux ✓ concentrated ✓ heat ✓ with (propan-1-ol) vapour ✓	3	ALLOW correct formula for reagent. ALLOW temperatures over 100°C for the heat mark Sulfuric acid AND alumina: CON reagent mark (but can still score condition marks). Clear alternatives (ie: sulfuric acid OR alumina) scores the mark. ALLOW c. for concentrated. Aqueous / water CONs the concentrated mark. The conditions marks may only be awarded if candidate has written an appropriate reagent, even if they have made a small mistake, eg: sulfuric without acid, or wrong formula (like AlO) (Concentrated) sulfuric acid with dichromate and heat scores zero. IGNORE references to pressure conditions.
(d)		rate of forward reaction = rate <u>concentrations</u> of reactants ar / closed system ✓		2	IGNORE references to steady state.
(e)	(i)	amount of <u>propene</u> produced	(position of) equilibrium to the	2	MUST mention equilibrium for the second mark. Mark independently.
	(ii)	amount of <u>propene</u> produced (increased temperature) push the endothermic direction / to	increases √ es (position of) <u>equilibrium</u> in	2	MUST mention equilibrium for the second mark. Mark independently.

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(f)	Any three from:	3	
	increased pressure increases number of particles per unit of volume ✓		ALLOW 'particles are closer together' for the first point DO NOT ALLOW 'reactants are closer together'.
	2. more collisions occur ✓		More frequent collisions / collisions occur more often covers two points ✓✓ IGNORE more likely to collide / greater chance of collisions in point 2.
	3. (more collisions) per unit of time ✓		in point 2.
	4. rate increases/gets faster ✓		
(g) (i)	H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H	1	ALLOW any clear representations of a structural formula, eg: CH ₃ CHBrCH ₃
(ii)	H H H	1	ALLOW CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₃
(h)	platinum 🗸	1	ALLOW Pt.
	Total	10	

Qı	uestion	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
5	(a)	Chemical that: causes another chemical to be oxidised / is itself reduced / decreases in oxidation state / is an electron acceptor / removes electrons from another chemical ✓ O ₂ / (potassium) manganate(VII) ✓ AND either	4	ALLOW 'chemical that oxidises another chemical' / oxidising agent. IGNORE references to change in pH. ALLOW permanganate / MnO ₄ ⁻ / KMnO ₄
		(Oxidises) iron from oxidation state +2 / Fe(II) ✓ to +3 / Fe(III) ✓ OR (Manganese reduced) from Mn(VII) / +7 / manganate(VII) ✓ to Mn(IV) / +4 / manganese(IV) oxide ✓		Fe ²⁺ to Fe ³⁺ scores 1.
	(b)	Al $^{3+}$ (aq) + 3HCO $_3^-$ (aq) \rightarrow Al(OH) $_3$ (s) + 3CO $_2$ (g / aq) $\checkmark\checkmark\checkmark$ Correct species \checkmark Balanced \checkmark State symbols \checkmark	3	Second and third marks depend on the first. ALLOW Al ³⁺ (aq) + HCO ₃ ⁻ (aq) → Al(OH) ₃ (s) for one mark, if no other mark is scored (IGNORE any other chemicals)
	(c)	Calcium hydroxide / calcium oxide ✓ Sodium carbonate ✓ Hydrogencarbonate ✓	3	IGNORE a correct oxidation state for Ca and Na ALLOW 'hydrogen carbonate' but NOT 'bicarbonate'
	(d)	Calcium ions more highly charged or more positive (than sodium ions) / mention of Ca ²⁺ and Na ⁺ ✓ so are more strongly attracted to the negative charge on the resin / (R)COO ⁻ / anion groups ✓	2	IGNORE references to reactivity. DO NOT ALLOW just 'attracted to the resin'.

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(e)	moles $Ca^{2+} = (800/1000) \times 0.002 (=0.0016) \checkmark$ moles $Na^{+} = 2 \times moles Ca^{2+} (= 0.0032) \checkmark$	3	
	mass Na ⁺ = moles Na ⁺ x 23 = $(0.0032 \times 23 = 0.0736 / 0.074)$ (g) \checkmark		Mass Na ⁺ = 0.0368 / 0.037 scores 2.
(f)	Any five points from:	5	
	1. kills bacteria / kills pathogens / disinfectant ✓		
	2. cheap compared to other water treatment chemicals. ✓		DO NOT ALLOW just 'cheap'.
	3. Cl₂ or chlorine is a gas, making it difficult to contain / it spreads easily. ✓		Answer must have 'gas' and either 'difficult to contain' or 'spreads easily' to gain the mark. ALLOW Cl ₂ / chlorine is a gas so needs a strong container. IGNORE 'difficult to store / difficult to transport'
	4. toxic / poisonous ✓		DO NOT ALLOW harmful / irritant / dangerous instead of toxic.
	5. causes respiratory problems / breathing problems ✓		toxic.
	6. forms by-products / THMs that are suspected carcinogens ✓		Answer must have 'by-products / THMs' and 'suspected carcinogens' to gain the mark.
	7. dissolves in rivers / local water supplies ✓		
	8. forming bleach and acid ✓		
	9. (bleach and acid) kill life forms in the water ✓		
	Total	20	

F334 Chemistry of Materials

Questic	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
1 (a)		2-hydroxypropanoic acid ✓✓	2	mark independently 2-hydroxy ✓ DO NOT ALLOW hydroxyI propanoic acid ✓ ALLOW if propan- and -oic are separated.
(b)	(ii)	(enantiomers are) isomers whose structures are mirror images of one another ✓ and are non-superimposable ✓ OH	2	mark independently mirror images ✓ non-superimposable ✓ IGNORE references to 4 different groups around a C atom, optical isomerism, various chiral words & rotation of plane polarised light 3D structure correct for one isomer ✓ DO NOT ALLOW 90 or 180 degree angles between the two bonds in the plane of the paper
(c)	(i)	HOOC H_3 C H_3 C $COOH_{CH_3}$ $P = C$ $Q = A$ $R = B$	1	mirror-image correct (must have 4 bonds around the C)√ ALLOW ecf for non 3D structure with four different groups only IGNORE the way the groups are bonded to carbon eg -OH or –HO, same for COOH & CH ₃

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Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
(ii)	P = (C) does not fizz / does not react / with Na ₂ CO ₃ AND so no –COOH group present / AW ✓	3	if answers to (i) are incorrect/no response award 1 mark for correct answers for having both tests for phenol and carboxylic acid:
	Q = no phenol group (in $\bf A$), so FeCl ₃ remains yellow / AW \checkmark		ie: purple solution = phenol
	R = (B has) both phenol & carboxylic acid (COOH) (so will turn FeCl₃ purple and will fizz with Na₂CO₃) / AW ✓		AND acids fizz with carbonate ✓
	The words in brackets are only needed if tests not discussed for P & Q.		IGNORE P is C as it turns FeCl₃ purple
			IGNORE Q is A as it fizzes & is therefore a carboxylic acid
(d)	C✓	3	
	because: (broad) peak at around 3250 (cm ⁻¹) indicates <u>alcohol or phenol</u> / OH / hydroxyl group ✓		IGNORE any reference to carboxylic acid for the 3250 peak ALLOW a range around 3250
	no peak at 1700–1725 (cm ⁻¹) so no $\underline{C=O}$ (in –COOH) present \checkmark		Peaks may be identified on the diagram IGNORE all other peaks
(e) (i)	nucleophilic addition 🗸 🗸	2	nucleophilic 🗸
			addition ✓
			mark independently

Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
(ii)	$ \begin{array}{c} \delta \\ \delta + \\ CN \end{array} $ $ \begin{array}{c} C \end{array} $	4	'curly' arrow showing attack by CN at C=O carbon ✓ DO NOT ALLOW arrow starting from N of CN / single- headed arrows but give 1 mark if both are single headed but otherwise correct C=O bond polarised correctly ✓ curly arrow showing movement of double bond ✓ final structure correct ALLOW any correct structural formula not just skeletal ✓ O MUST be −ve
(iii)	the rate determining step (slow step) does not involve water \$\sqrt{\cong}\$ (since) water does not appear in the rate equation / water is zero order \$\sqrt{\cong}\$ Since water / H+ required to form product it must react in a subsequent (fast) step/there must be at least 2 steps in the reaction / AW \$\sqrt{\cong}\$ OR the rate determining step (slow step) only involves ethanal & cyanide \$\sqrt{\cong}\$ (because only) ethanal & cyanide appear in the rate equation \$\sqrt{\cong}\$ and so water must react in a subsequent step \$\sqrt{\cong}\$	3	IGNORE any further reaction showing O ⁻ gaining H ⁺

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(f) (i)	reaction 1.1 has a higher atom economy than reaction 1.2 ✓	2	ALLOW comparison of percentage atom economy eg reaction 1.1 has 100% economy, reaction 1.2 does not		
	because it is an addition reaction / only one product is formed whereas in reaction 1.2 hydrolysis / condensation occurs / atoms are wasted / lost / two 'products' are formed / co-products are also formed / AW ✓		IGNORE any reference to substitution / elimination for reaction 1.2 / by-product		
(ii)	reduce / cut down on / less / little waste (products) √	2			
	costs of are kept to a minimum / less energy used ✓		ALLOW cost effective		
	Total	26			

Que	estion	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance	
2	(a)	Fe ³⁺ will oxidise Cu / ORA OR Cu loses electrons to form Cu ²⁺ / ORA ✓	3	ALLOW Fe(III) and Cu(II)	
		because electrode potential of Fe³+ / (Fe²+) is more positive / ORA (involves the Copper half-cell) OR Uses E _{cell} calculation to show reaction is feasible√	DO NOT ALLOW electronegativity or higher / lower or larger / smaller		
		Cu + $2Fe^{3+} \rightarrow Cu^{2+} + 2Fe^{2+} \checkmark$		IGNORE state symbols	
	(b) (i)	Pt electrode for Fe ³⁺ / Fe ²⁺ half cell ✓	5		
		in Fe ³⁺ / Fe ²⁺ ✓			
		Cu electrode in Cu ²⁺ ✓		ALLOW CuSO ₄ etc. instead of Cu ²⁺	
		salt bridge labelled and in solutions ✓			
		conditions: 1 mol dm ⁻³ and 298K / 25°C ✓		ALLOW 1 molar / 1M	
	(ii)	0.43 V ✓	1	IGNORE any sign	
	(c) (i)	Copper(I) iodide ✓	1	DO NOT ALLOW copper iodide ALLOW Copper I iodide	

Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
(ii)	1. moles of thiosulfate = 0.200 x (20.5/1000) = 0.0041 ✓	6	75.0 with no / incomplete working scores 6 marks.
	2. (moles of iodine (I_2) = 0.5 x answer from 1 (0.0041) and moles of $Cu^{2+}(aq)$ in 25.0 cm ³ = 2 x 0.5 x answer from 1 (0.0041)) = 0.0041 \checkmark 3. moles of $Cu^{2+}(aq)$ in 250 cm ⁻³ = 10 x answer from 1 (0.0041) = 0.0410 \checkmark		The marks are awarded for the working out given in bold: If final answer is incorrect please annotate marks given with ticks AND crosses where errors have occurred eg missing out step 3. 1. moles of thiosulfate = 0.0041 moles
	4. mass of Cu in coin = answer from 3 (0.0410) x 63.5 = 2.6035 g ✓		2. correct moles of Cu ²⁺ (aq) in 25.0 cm ³ ecf from 1 ✓
	5. % of Cu in coin = (answer from 4 (2.6035)/3.47) x 100 = 75.0 ✓		3. moles of Cu ²⁺ (aq) in 250 cm ⁻³ = 10 x moles of thiosulfate ✓
	6. (3 sig. figs.) ✓		4. mass of Cu in coin = moles of Cu ²⁺ (aq) in 250 cm ⁻³ x 63.5 ✓
			5. % of Cu in coin = mass of Cu in coin x 100 ✓
			6. correct/incorrect answer MUST be given to 3 sig figs. ✓
			Steps 3 & 4 may be in a different order
(d) (i)	(transmits) Blue ✓	2	IGNORE pale, deep or light etc. referring to blue, reflects DO NOT ALLOW green
	Cu ²⁺ (aq) absorb red / orange light ✓		ALLOW complementary colour / specific frequencies / wavelengths of light are absorbed DO NOT ALLOW all other frequencies / colour / AW
	QWC – absorb(s) / absorbing / absorption / absorbance / absorbed One of these words has to be used to gain the second mark and spelling must be correct		Use of 'emit' is a CON for the 2 nd mark

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(ii)	Ligand substitution ✓	2	ALLOW ligand replacement / displacement / exchange or complex formation
	[CuCl ₄] ^{2−} ✓		The charge is required
			ALLOW $[Cu(H_2O)_2Cl_4]^{2-}$
(iii)	Any five from a-f: ✓✓✓✓	6	
	a. make up standard solutions / of known concentrations (of Cu ²⁺ (aq))		
	b. choose a suitable filter / set the colorimeter to a suitable wavelength		
	c. zero colorimeter with water / solvent / AW		
	d. measure absorbance / absorption of standard solutions / AW		IGNORE transmittance
	e. plot calibration curve		
	f. measure unknown		
	AND		
	g. QWC read off concentration from calibration curve / AW ✓		
	Total	26	

Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance		
3 (a) (i)	HO—P—O—	2	the link between phosphate group and any –OH group on the sugar ie P-O-CH ₂ -C (in ring next to –O-)		
	O- OH		or P-O-C (in ring) depending which -OH group is used ✓		
	OH ✓✓		correct linkage (P-O-CH₂-C) and rest of structure correct ✓		
(ii)	Water / H₂O and condensation (reaction) ✓	1			
(iii)		1	ALLOW if the N-H group is circled		
(iv)	lone pair (of electrons) on N / amine (group) ✓ accepts a proton / H ⁺ ✓	2			

Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
(b)		3	2 hydrogen bonds correct ✓ DO NOT ALLOW more than 2 bonds correct polarities (all 3) on one group of atoms ✓ lone pair on the N OR O ✓
(c)	two strands (not three) ✓	3	ALLOW double helix
	phosphate groups on the outside (not on the inside) ✓ bases face into the centre (not the outside) ✓		IGNORE phosphate backbone
(d)	for removal:	2	
	infringement of personal liberty / AW /		IGNORE hacking into database / leakage of data
	'fingerprint' not unique only probability /		(NOTE: probability may only be 1 in 20 for some population groups)
	techniques used not foolproof /		population groups)
	law / type of government might change changing accessibility / AW		
	against removal:		
	helps to solve many crimes, particularly 'cold' crimes /		
	'innocent until proved guilty' / AW ✓		
	future research into disease		
	Total	14	

Qu	estion		Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
4	(a)		ZIT - 20	2	1 mark for each structure correct DO NOT ALLOW missing H atoms if structural formulae are drawn
	(b)	(i)	there are (two) different groups on each carbon of a C=C in neoprene ✓ these groups can not rotate about the double bond ✓	2	May be shown in a diagram ALLOW restricted / limited rotation about the double bond
		(ii)	(less trans linkages) will make the <u>chains</u> less linear / less regular / less ordered / ORA ✓ so they can not line up / be arranged so regularly / closely <u>and</u> the crystallinity will be reduced ✓	2	ALLOW chains have a kink / are more randomly arranged Note: 1 st mark is for shape of chain, 2 nd mark is for relative arrangement of chains.
	(c)		— <u>CONH</u> group / <u>NH</u> group / <u>amide</u> group allows nylon to form hydrogen bonds with water molecules ✓ no hydrogen bonding in neoprene ✓ water molecules will force chains further apart / chains will not fit as closely together / AW ✓ chains less crystalline / weaker intermolecular forces so <i>T</i> _g will be lowered ✓	4	IGNORE chains sliding over each other

Question	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance
(d)		2	6 carbon atoms and –NH₂ group ✓
	O Na ⁺		-COO⁻ ✓
	H_2N		ALLOW skeletal or any equivalent / alternative structural formula
			DO NOT ALLOW structures with missing H atoms
	Total	12	

Questio	n	Expected Answers	Marks	Additional Guidance		
5 (a)	(i)	$3H_2S + 2MnO_4^- + 2H^+ \rightarrow 2MnO_2 + 3S + 4H_2O$	1	all 4 numbers MUST be correct		
	(ii)	oxidation state = +4 ✓	1	DO NOT ALLOW 4+ OR 4		
(b)	(i)	iron(III) hydroxide ✓	1 DO NOT ALLOW iron hydroxide / Fe(OH) ₃			
	(ii)	$Fe^{3+}(aq) + 3OH^{-}(aq) \rightarrow Fe(OH)_3(s)$	2	equation correct ✓ state symbols correct ✓ ALLOW ecf for iron(II) hydroxide in (i)		
(c)	(i)	(i) The large excess of ethanedioate and acid means that their concentrations were virtually constant during the reaction / concentrations hardly changed / concentrations were high so little effect on rate / AW ✓		'A large excess of ethanedioate and acid' by itself does not get the mark IGNORE 'excess ethanedioate and acid not limit the rate of reaction' / AW Look for concentration in answer		
	(ii)	One of the following: Method 1 half-lives determination of at least two half-lives, 13-15 s ✓ half-life constant ✓ first order ✓ OR Method 2 finding rate at different concentrations calculation of at least two rates ✓ rate is proportional to concentration ✓ first order ✓	3	Two values for half-life MUST be given Working must be shown as either a calculation or by lines on graph.		

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(iii)	3d 4s	1	
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(d)	One from the following:	2	The two parts are marked independently
	loss of $\rm CO_2$ / $\rm CO_2$ produced \checkmark by weighing / gas collection / measuring milkiness of lime-water \checkmark		ALLOW gas for CO ₂ and measuring volume for gas collection
	OR		
	titration of MnO₄ ⁻ ✓ with (standard) Fe ²⁺ (aq) ✓		
	OR		
	titration of $H^+(aq)$ decrease \checkmark with OH^- / $CO_3^{2-}(aq)$ \checkmark		
	OR		
	measure pH change \checkmark H $^{+}$ ions used in the reaction \checkmark		
	Total	12	

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	UMS	90	72	63	54	45	36	0
F332	Raw	100	74	67	60	54	48	0
	UMS	150	120	105	90	75	60	0
F334	Raw	90	65	58	51	44	37	0
	UMS	90	72	63	54	45	36	0

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