



Oxford Cambridge and RSA

...day June 20XX – Morning/Afternoon

AS Level Chemistry A

H032/02 Depth in chemistry

PRACTICE MARK SCHEME

Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes

MAXIMUM MARK 70

MARKING INSTRUCTIONS**PREPARATION FOR MARKING****SCORIS**

1. Make sure that you have accessed and completed the relevant training packages for on-screen marking: *scoris assessor Online Training*; *OCR Essential Guide to Marking*.
2. Make sure that you have read and understood the mark scheme and the question paper for this unit. These are posted on the RM Cambridge Assessment Support Portal <http://www.rm.com/support/ca>
3. Log-in to scoris and mark the **required number** of practice responses (“scripts”) and the **required number** of standardisation responses.

YOU MUST MARK 10 PRACTICE AND 10 STANDARDISATION RESPONSES BEFORE YOU CAN BE APPROVED TO MARK LIVE SCRIPTS.

MARKING

1. Mark strictly to the mark scheme.
2. Marks awarded must relate directly to the marking criteria.
3. The schedule of dates is very important. It is essential that you meet the scoris 50% and 100% (traditional 50% Batch 1 and 100% Batch 2) deadlines. If you experience problems, you must contact your Team Leader (Supervisor) without delay.
4. If you are in any doubt about applying the mark scheme, consult your Team Leader by telephone, email or via the scoris messaging system.

5. Work crossed out:
- where a candidate crosses out an answer and provides an alternative response, the crossed out response is not marked and gains no marks
 - if a candidate crosses out an answer to a whole question and makes no second attempt, and if the inclusion of the answer does not cause a rubric infringement, the assessor should attempt to mark the crossed out answer and award marks appropriately.
6. Always check the pages (and additional objects if present) at the end of the response in case any answers have been continued there. If the candidate has continued an answer there then add a tick to confirm that the work has been seen.
7. There is a NR (No Response) option. Award NR (No Response)
- if there is nothing written at all in the answer space
 - OR if there is a comment which does not in any way relate to the question (e.g. 'can't do', 'don't know')
 - OR if there is a mark (e.g. a dash, a question mark) which isn't an attempt at the question.
- Note: Award 0 marks – for an attempt that earns no credit (including copying out the question).
8. The scoris **comments box** is used by your Team Leader to explain the marking of the practice responses. Please refer to these comments when checking your practice responses. **Do not use the comments box for any other reason.**
- If you have any questions or comments for your Team Leader, use the phone, the scoris messaging system, or email.
9. Assistant Examiners will send a brief report on the performance of candidates to their Team Leader (Supervisor) via email by the end of the marking period. The report should contain notes on particular strengths displayed as well as common errors or weaknesses. Constructive criticism of the question paper/mark scheme is also appreciated.

10. For answers marked by levels of response:

Read through the whole answer from start to finish, concentrating on features that make it a stronger or weaker answer using the indicative scientific content as guidance. The indicative scientific content indicates the expected parameters for candidates' answers, but be prepared to recognise and credit unexpected approaches where they show relevance.

Using a 'best-fit' approach based on the science content of the answer, first decide which set of level descriptors, Level 1, Level 2 or Level 3, **best** describes the overall quality of the answer using the guidelines described in the level descriptors in the mark scheme.

Once the level is located, award the higher or lower mark.

The higher mark should be awarded where the level descriptor has been evidenced and all aspects of the communication statement (in *italics*) have been met.

The lower mark should be awarded where the level descriptor has been evidenced but aspects of the communication statement (in *italics*) are missing.

In summary:

- **The science content determines the level.**
- **The communication statement determines the mark within a level.**

Level of response questions on this paper are **6(a)** and **7**.

11. Annotations

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

12. Subject-specific Marking Instructions

INTRODUCTION

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

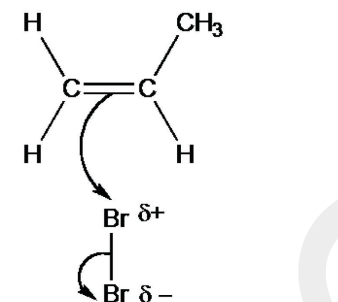
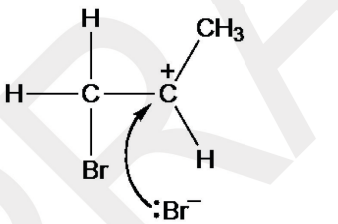
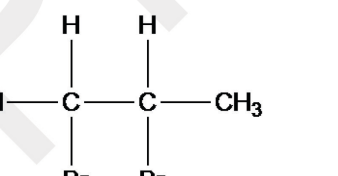
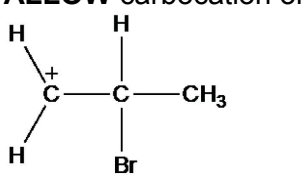
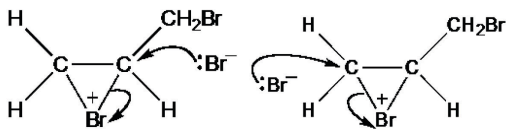
- the specification, especially the assessment objectives
- the question paper
- the mark scheme.

You should ensure that you have copies of these materials.

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

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

Question			Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	(a)		volumetric flask AND (graduated) pipette ✓	1	ALLOW graduated flask IGNORE burette
	(b)		FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON THE ANSWER LINE IF answer = 73.9 or 73.93 (g mol ⁻¹) award 3 marks for calculation $n(\text{NaOH}) = (25.25/1000) \times 0.120 = 3.03 \times 10^{-3} \text{ (mol) } \checkmark$ $n(\text{acid in } 250 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ flask}) = 3.03 \times 10^{-3} \times 10 = 3.03 \times 10^{-2} \text{ (mol) } \checkmark$ molar mass of unknown acid = $2.24/3.03 \times 10^{-2} = 73.9 \text{ (g mol}^{-1}\text{) } \checkmark$	3	If there is an alternative answer, check to see if there is any ECF credit possible using working below
	(c)		Repeat titration until (two) titrations are concordant / agree within 0.1 cm ³ ✓ Calculate mean titre from concordant titres ✓	2	IGNORE just 'repeat the titration (needs qualifying).
			Total	6	

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2 (a) (i)	Overlap of orbitals directly between the bonding atoms ✓	1	ALLOW a correct diagram
	(ii) 120° AND trigonal planar ✓	1	ALLOW planar triangle
(b) (i)	<p>Curly arrow from double bond to Br of Br–Br ✓</p> <p>Correct dipole shown on Br–Br AND curly arrow showing breaking of Br–Br bond ✓</p>  <p>Correct carbocation with + charge on C with 3 bonds AND curly arrow from Br[–] to C⁺ of carbocation ✓</p>  <p>Correct product: ✓</p> 	4	<p>Curly arrow must start from bond and go to correct atom</p> <p>DO NOT ALLOW partial charges on C=C bond</p> <p>ALLOW carbocation on terminal CH₂</p>  <p>DO NOT ALLOW δ+ on C of carbocation.</p> <p>Curly arrow must come from a lone pair on Br[–] OR from the negative sign of Br[–] ion (then lone pair on Br[–] ion does not need to be shown)</p> <p>ALLOW formation of bromonium intermediate and curly arrows, i.e:</p> 

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	(ii)	Movement of a pair of electrons ✓	1	ALLOW movement of a lone pair
(c)	(i)	One of the carbons of the C=C has two of the same groups attached/has two hydrogen atoms attached (so it can't show 2 different stereoisomers) ✓	1	ALLOW a stereoisomer must have 2 different groups attached to each carbon of the C=C double bond
	(ii)	1 mark each correct DIAGRAM ✓ <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> $\begin{array}{c} \text{H}_3\text{C} \quad \text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \text{C} = \text{C} \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \text{H} \quad \text{H} \end{array}$ <i>cis</i> ✓ </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> $\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \quad \text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \text{C} = \text{C} \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \text{H}_3\text{C} \quad \text{H} \end{array}$ <i>trans</i> ✓ </div> </div>	2	ALLOW correct skeletal OR displayed formula OR mixture BUT must clearly show arrangement around C=C
(d)		<i>E</i> isomer AND F takes priority over the carbon on the left hand side (as it has a higher atomic number) AND CH ₂ OH takes priority over the CH ₃ group on the right hand side ✓	1	<i>E</i> with no explanation is insufficient
Total			11	

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3	(a)	(i)	<p>Boiling point of H₂S lower than H₂O H₂O has hydrogen bonding ✓</p> <p>Hydrogen bonding is stronger OR more energy required to overcome hydrogen bonding ✓</p> <p>Boiling point of H₂S lower than H₂Se induced dipole–dipole interactions / London forces in H₂S are weaker ✓</p> <p>H₂S has fewer electrons OR less energy required to overcome induced dipole–dipole interactions ✓</p>	4	<p>ORA throughout</p> <p>DO NOT ALLOW covalent bonds break</p> <p>ALLOW instantaneous–induced dipole interactions ALLOW dispersion forces ALLOW van der Waals' / vdW IGNORE permanent dipole–dipole</p> <p>DO NOT ALLOW covalent bonds break</p>
		(ii)	Any value between 285 and 335 (K) ✓	1	Graph must show an extrapolation line
	(b)		<p>MgO: giant ionic ✓</p> <p>SO₂: simple molecular ✓</p> <p>ionic bonds (in MgO) are (much) stronger than intermolecular bonds (in SO₂) ✓</p> <p>ionic bonds (in MgO) need more energy to overcome/break (than intermolecular forces in SO₂) ✓</p>	4	<p>ORA throughout</p> <p>For intermolecular bonds ALLOW induced dipole–dipole interactions/London forces/permanent dipole–dipole interactions/van der Waals' forces DO NOT ALLOW hydrogen bonds</p> <p>IGNORE covalent bonds in SO₂ unless statement that they break: CON</p>
			Total	9	

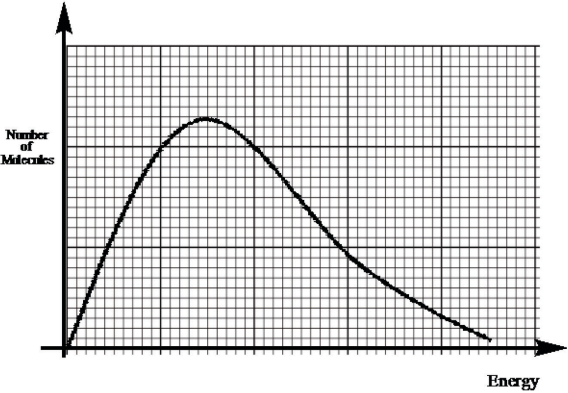
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4	(a)	(i)	$\text{Sr(s)} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O(l)} \rightarrow \text{Sr(OH)}_2\text{(aq)} + \text{H}_2\text{(g)}$ NOTE: ALL state symbols required	1	ALLOW multiples
		(ii)	$n(\text{Sr}) = n(\text{Sr}^{2+}) = 0.200 / 87.6 = 2.28 \times 10^{-3} \checkmark$ $[\text{Sr}^{2+}] = 2.28 \times 10^{-3} \times 1000/250 = 9.13 \times 10^{-3} \text{ (mol dm}^{-3}\text{)} \checkmark$	2	ALLOW ECF
		(iii)	Greater volume with Ca AND larger amount/more moles of Ca OR A_r Ca is smaller \checkmark $n(\text{Ca}) = 0.200/40.1 = 0.005(0) \text{ (mol)} \checkmark$ volume H_2 with Sr = 55 cm^3 AND volume with Ca = 120 cm^3 OR 65 cm^3 more H_2 with Ca \checkmark	3	ORA ALLOW values up to calculator values ALLOW volumes $\pm 1 \text{ cm}^3$
	(b)		$\text{Cl(g)} \rightarrow \text{Cl}^+(g) + e^-$ Correct species, balanced AND correct state symbols \checkmark	1	ALLOW $\text{Cl(g)} - e^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}^+(g)$ IGNORE state symbols after electron
	(c)		Group: 2 \checkmark Justification: Large increase between 2 nd and 3 rd ionisation energy values. \checkmark	2	ALLOW alkaline earth No ECF for justification (dependent on correct group)
Total				9	

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5	(a)		<u>One mole</u> of butane <u>completely</u> combusts in oxygen ✓	1	ALLOW <u>One mole</u> forms CO ₂ and H ₂ O <u>only</u>
	(b)	(i)	CO is toxic ✓	1	ALLOW responses linked to effect of CO in blood
		(ii)	<p><i>Calculation:</i> $n(\text{butane}) = 600/58.0 = 10.34 \text{ (mol)}$ AND $n(\text{O}_2) \text{ required} = 6.5 \times 10.34 = 67.2 \text{ (mol)} \checkmark$</p> <p>$n(\text{O}_2) \text{ consumed} = 1.50 \times 10^3 / 24.0 = 62.5 \text{ (mol)}$ OR volume O₂ required for complete combustion $= 67.2 \times 24.0/1000 = 1.61 \text{ m}^3 \checkmark$</p> <p><i>Conclusion:</i> incomplete combustion / stove not safe to use AND $62.5 < 67.2$ OR $1.61 > 1.50 \checkmark$</p>	3	<p>using 1 : 6.5 ratio ALLOW number rounding to 67</p>
	(c)		<p><i>Rearranging ideal gas equation to make n subject</i></p> <p>$n = pV / RT \checkmark$</p> <p><i>Substituting all values taking into account conversion of units</i></p> <p>$n = \frac{(101 \times 10^3) \times (2.00 \times 10^{-3})}{8.314 \times 297} \checkmark$</p> <p>$n = 0.0818 \dots \text{ (mol)} \checkmark$</p> <p>number of C atoms in alkane = $0.0818/0.0117 = 7$</p> <p>alkane = C₇H₁₆ ✓</p>	4	<p>ALLOW 3SF up to calculator value of 0.08180595142, correctly rounded</p> <p>ALLOW ECF from incorrect n</p>

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	(d)		FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON THE ANSWER LINE IF answer = +215 (kJ mol ⁻¹) award 2 marks IF answer = -215 (kJ mol ⁻¹) award 1 mark <hr/> RHS (-2877 + (2 × -2058) = (-)6993 (kJ mol ⁻¹) ✓ (Δ _r H =) -6778 + (+6993) = +215 (kJ mol ⁻¹) ✓	2	IGNORE incorrect sign at this stage Sign required for final answer
			Total	11	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
6 (a)*	<p><i>Please refer to the marking instructions on page 4 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question.</i></p> <p>Level 3 (5–6 marks) All/most points covered and clearly linked. Must have points taken across all of the headings in the indicative points for Level 3.</p> <p><i>The explanations show a well-developed line of reasoning linked to appropriate suggestions which is clear and logically structured. The compromises are relevant and well thought out and clearly linked to the explanations.</i></p> <p>Level 2 (3–4 marks) Suggests correct conditions with explanations OR comments on compromises with reference to yield AND rate effect.</p> <p><i>The explanations are linked to appropriate suggestions and show a line of reasoning with some structure. The compromises are relevant but may not be clearly linked to the explanation.</i></p> <p>Level 1 (1–2 marks) Comments on conditions with some explanation OR comments on compromise with reference to yield OR rate.</p> <p><i>The comments about yield/rate with explanation are basic and communicated in an unstructured way. The compromises may not be relevant with lack of reasoning.</i></p> <p>0 marks No response or no response worthy of credit.</p>	6	<p>Indicative scientific points may include</p> <p><u>Yield</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increasing pressure increases yield of SO₃ Decreasing temperature increases yield of SO₃ <p><u>Explanation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (pressure) more moles/molecules on the reactant side ORA (temp.) the forward reaction is exothermic ORA <p><u>Rate</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increasing pressure increases rate Increasing temperature increases rate <p><u>Compromise</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose a higher temperature which creates a reduced yield but in a shorter space of time <p>IGNORE reference to increase pressure leading to safety/cost issues</p>

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	(b)	(i)	Time plotted along x-axis AND sensible scale that uses most of graph paper AND both axes labelled ✓ Points plotted accurately ✓ Correct curve of best fit ✓	3	
		(ii)	Evidence of tangent drawn correctly on the graph from the origin ✓ (0.023/25) = 9.2×10^{-4} (mol dm ⁻³ s ⁻¹) ✓	2	ALLOW answer between 8×10^{-4} and 1×10^{-3} ALLOW answer from line drawn through origin and data point at 50 s: $0.024/50 = 4.8 \times 10^{-4}$
		(iii)	(Differ) initial gradient steeper AND (Same) curve reaches same height ✓	1	Look on graph paper for this answer
	(c)	(i)	The catalyst/vanadium(V) oxide/V ₂ O ₅ is solid while the reactants are gases, so the catalyst is in a different state from the reactants. ✓	1	
		(ii)	catalysts lower the energy demand for a reaction OR less combustion of fossil fuels and therefore lower carbon dioxide emissions OR Allows different reactions to take place with greater atom economy/less waste OR Allows less toxic chemicals to be used ✓	1	

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	<p>(iii) <i>Boltzmann distribution (2 marks)</i></p>  <p>Correct drawing of a Boltzmann distribution i.e. curve must start within the first small square nearest to the origin AND must not touch the x-axis at high energy ✓</p> <p>axes labelled (number of) molecules and (kinetic) energy ✓</p> <p><i>Explanation (2 marks)</i></p> <p>Catalyst (provides an alternative route) AND with a lower activation energy ✓</p> <p>(With a catalyst) more molecules have energy above activation energy</p>	4	<p>Candidates do not need E_a on graph</p> <p>IGNORE a slight inflexion on the curve</p> <p>DO NOT ALLOW two curves</p> <p>ALLOW particles instead of molecules on y-axis DO NOT ALLOW enthalpy for x-axis label DO NOT ALLOW atoms instead of particles or molecules ALLOW ECF for the subsequent use of atoms (instead of molecules or particles)</p> <p>ALLOW annotations on Boltzmann distribution diagram</p> <p>IGNORE more molecules have enough energy to react (as not linked to E_a) ORA if states the effect with no catalyst</p> <p>IGNORE (more) successful collisions</p>

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			OR greater area under curve above the activation energy ✓		
			Total	18	
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7*			<p><i>Please refer to the marking instructions on page 4 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question.</i></p> <p>Level 3 (5–6 marks) Candidate provides a method for identifying the alcohols AND provides all supporting evidence from IR spectrum AND gives details of reagents and conditions and correct equations</p> <p><i>The explanation is detailed and well structured. The information is clearly supported by details of reactions and evidence of oxidation product.</i></p> <p>Level 2 (3–4 marks) Candidate provides a basic method AND provides some supporting evidence from IR spectrum AND gives details of reagents and conditions with some attempt at equations</p> <p><i>The explanation has some structure. The information is supported by some details of reactions and evidence from IR spectrum.</i></p> <p>Level 1 (1–2 marks) Candidate attempts to describe a basic method AND gives some supporting evidence from IR spectrum OR details of reagents and conditions with some attempt at equations</p> <p><i>The explanation is basic and lacks structure. The information is supported by limited evidence from the reactions and oxidation</i></p>	6	<p>Indicative scientific points may include</p> <p>Identification of alcohols Based on recognition of alcohols as primary, secondary and tertiary (stated or implied by method). Basic procedure involves reflux followed by use of IR to identify different oxidation products.</p> <p>Reactions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stated reagents ($\text{H}^+/\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$ and conditions (reflux) equations using [O] including structural formulae $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CHOHCH}_3 + [\text{O}] \rightarrow \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{COCH}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH} + 2[\text{O}] \rightarrow \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{COOH} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ <p>Identification of oxidation product</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> IR: carboxylic acid from broad OH absorption and C=O IR: carbonyl/ketone from C=O and no OH tertiary alcohol from lack of C=O and OH peak in IR <p>OR no colour change in reflux</p>

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			<p><i>products and would not lead to identification.</i></p> <p>0 marks No response or no response worthy of credit.</p>		
			Total	6	