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Advanced GCE

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Annotation	Meaning
100	Benefit of doubt given
(do n	Contradiction
×	Incorrect response
ERH2	Error carried forward
T	Ignore
NAME	Not answered question
2.77	Benefit of doubt not given
10T	Power of 10 error
A	Omission mark
RE	Rounding error
87	Error in number of significant figures
✓	Correct response

Annotation	Meaning
DO NOT ALLOW	Answers which are not worthy of credit
IGNORE	Statements which are irrelevant
ALLOW	Answers that can be accepted
()	Words which are not essential to gain credit
_	Underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark
ECF	Error carried forward
AW	Alternative wording
ORA	Or reverse argument

Subject-specific Marking Instructions

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

C	uesti	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
					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: $[Cu(NH_3)_4(H_2O)_2]^{2+} \checkmark$	3	DO NOT ALLOW [Cu(NH ₃) ₄] ²⁺ OR [Cu(NH ₃) ₆] ²⁺
			yellow solution: CuCl₄²- ✓		[] not required ALLOW round brackets around any atom e.g. ALLOW [CuCl ₄] ²⁻ ; Cu(Cl ₄) ²⁻ DO NOT ALLOW [Cu(Cl ⁻) ₄] ²⁻ OR [Cu ²⁺ (Cl ⁻) ₄] ²⁻
			pale-blue precipitate: Cu(OH)₂ ✓		ALLOW $Cu(OH)_2(H_2O)_4$ OR $[Cu(OH)_2(H_2O)_4]$
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 F <i>l</i> for F DO NOT ALLOW [Ni(F ⁻) ₆] ^{4–} OR [Ni ²⁺ (F ⁻) ₆] ^{4–}

Question	Answer		Guidance
1 (c) (iii)	One mark for each structure 2nd structure must be correct mirror image of 1st structure	2	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 IGNORE any charges shown ALLOW any attempt to show bidentate ligand. Bottom line shown in diagrams below. IGNORE connectivity: —H ₂ N OK ALLOW ALLOW ALLOW 2+ ALLOW 2+ ALLOW ALLOW 2+ ALLOW ALLOW
	Total	13	

G	uesti	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2	(a)	(i)	M1 Shape On one graph (can be either), shape: slight rise/flat, then vertical, then slight rise/flat ✓ M2 pH at start for acid Weak acid pH curve starts at higher pH and below pH 7 ✓ M3 End point On both graphs, vertical section approximately 25 cm³ alkali have been added ✓ 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 ✓	4	Use ruler tool for 4th marking point, e.g. 25.0 cm³ of 0.100 moldm³ Hct(aq) with 0.100 moldm³ NaOH(aq) with 0.100 moldm³ NaOH(aq) PH Tor M4, IGNORE final pH For M1 and M2, IGNORE small gap before curve starts Note: If pH curves wrong way round (i.e. adding acid to alkali), ONLY M3 (25 cm³) can be awarded
2	(a)	(ii)	pH range (of the indicator) matches vertical section/ rapid pH change OR end point/colour change matches vertical section/rapid pH change ✓	1	ALLOW pH range (of the indicator) matches equivalence point ALLOW end point/colour change matches equivalence point IGNORE colour change matches end point Colour change is the same as end point
2	(b)	(i)	(enthalpy change for) the formation of 1 mole H₂O from reaction of an acid/H ⁺ with an alkali/base/OH ⁻ ✓	1	ALLOW (enthalpy change for) the reaction of 1 mol H ⁺ with 1 mol of OH [−] DO NOT ALLOW formation of 1 mol H ₂ O from 1 mole of acid and/or 1 mole of alkali DO NOT ALLOW formation of 1 mol H ₂ O from an acid and its <i>conjugate</i> base

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

C	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2	(b)	(iii)	Same energy is spread over larger volume ✓	2	ALLOW same energy heats greater volume /mass ALLOW the following alternatives for 'energy': Heat, q, mcΔT, enthalpy change, ΔH ALLOW use to '105 cm³/105 g' as evidence of 'greater volume/ mass' ALLOW use of same energy value as in 2(b)(ii) as evidence for 'same energy' May need to refer to previous part, 2(b)(ii) IGNORE more energy heats a greater volume
			Total	11	

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

C	uesti	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	(a)	(ii)	For 1st two marking points (<i>Charge</i> and <i>Size</i>), IGNORE 'atomic' and 'atoms' and assume that Mg or Na refer to ions, e.g. ALLOW Mg has a smaller (atomic) radius	3	Note: Charge density can be used to credit the charge mark but not size mark
			Charge Magnesium ion/Mg ²⁺ has greater charge OR Mg ²⁺ has greater charge density ✓		ORA Sodium ion/Na ⁺ has smaller charge OR Na ⁺ has smaller charge density
			Size Magnesium ion OR Mg ²⁺ is smaller ✓		ORA: Sodium ion OR Na ⁺ is larger IGNORE smaller charge density ('charge mark above')
					IGNORE idea of close packing of ions
			Attraction Note: Correct particles required for this mark i.e. DO NOT ALLOW Mg; Mg atoms; Na; Na atoms Mg²+ has a stronger attraction/ force/ bonding to H₂O /O⁵- ✓		Note: Response must refer to attraction/bonding with H ₂ O or this must be implied from the whole response ALLOW Mg ²⁺ has a stronger ion–dipole attractions ORA: Na ⁺ has weaker attraction/bonding to H ₂ O
					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

C	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	(a)	(iii)	Mg ²⁺ (g) + 2OH ⁻ (g) Mg ²⁺ (aq) + 2OH ⁻ (g)	2	Correct species AND state symbols required for both marks Mark each marking point independently ALLOW response on lower line: Mg ²⁺ (g) + 2OH ⁻ (aq) (i.e. OH ⁻ hydrated before Mg ²⁺)
3	(a)	(iv)	FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE IF answer = -2694 (kJ mol ⁻¹) award 2 marks Lattice enthalpy (Mg(OH) ₂) = [-1926 + (2 x - 460)] - (-152) OR - 2846 + 152 ✓ = -2694 ✓ (kJ mol ⁻¹)	2	IF there is an alternative answer, check to see if there is any ECF credit possible using working below. See list below for marking of answers from common errors

C	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	(b)	(i)	 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	ALLOW hydrogen bonds DO NOT ALLOW breaking of ionic OR covalent bonds IGNORE a response comparing bonds made and bonds broken (boiling involves just breaking bonds) ALLOW liquids are more disordered than solids OR gases are more disordered than liquids ALLOW in a gas, molecules are much further apart (than in liquids and solids) IGNORE ΔS is much greater (in question)
3	(b)	(ii)	$\Delta S = \Sigma S(\text{products}) - \Sigma S(\text{reactants})$ = 70.0 - 48.0 OR 22(.0) OR 0.022 (kJ K ⁻¹ mol ⁻¹) \checkmark $T = \frac{6.01}{0.022} = 273 \text{ (K)}$ OR $\Delta G = 6.01 - 273 \times 0.022 \checkmark$ $\Delta G = 0 \text{ OR } 0 = \Delta H - T\Delta S \text{ stated anywhere } \checkmark$	3	FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED NO UNITS required ALLOW 273.18 (K) OR 273.2 (K) ASSUME units are K unless told otherwise ALLOW $\Delta G = 6.01 - 6.006 = +4 \times 10^{-3}$ ALLOW $4 \times 10^{-3} \sim 0$ ALLOW 4×10^{-3} is very close to zero
			Total	16	

C	Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4	(a)	Experimental: 2 marks vary [S ₂ O ₈ ²⁻] while keeping [I ⁻] constant ✓ vary [I ⁻] while keeping [S ₂ O ₈ ²⁻] constant ✓	4	FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED 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 ₂ O ₈ ²⁻] and then vary [I ⁻]
		Obtaining rate from time Rate ∞1/t OR rate = conc/time ✓ 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 ✓		ALLOW rate = 1/t OR amount/time ALLOW expressions communicating rate ∞1/t ALLOW rate = gradient/tangent of a concentration—time graph AND measured at t = 0 ALLOW 'conc and rate increase by same factor/amount' OR 'change in concentration is same as change in rate ALLOW 'when concentration doubles, time halves' IGNORE constant half-life from conc—time graph Half life is from continuous method, not in initial rates
	(b)	rate = $k[l^{-}][S_2O_8^{2-}]$ OR $k = \frac{rate}{[l^{+}][S_2O_8^{2-}]}$ OR $\frac{1.2 \times 10^{-3}}{(8.0 \times 10^{-2}) \times (4.0 \times 10^{-3})}$ \checkmark = 3.75 OR 3.8 \checkmark dm ³ mol ⁻¹ s ⁻¹ \checkmark	3	Correct numerical answer subsumes previous marking point ALLOW mol ⁻¹ dm ³ s ⁻¹ NO ECF from incorrect rate equation or <i>k</i> expression

Que	stion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
(0		Equation 1: $S_2O_8^{2^-} + 2Fe^{2^+} \longrightarrow 2SO_4^{2^-} + 2Fe^{3^+} \checkmark$ Equation 2: $2I^- + 2Fe^{3^+} \longrightarrow I_2 + 2Fe^{2^+} \checkmark$	2	ALLOW correct multiples IGNORE state symbols ALLOW 1 mark for 2 correct equations in wrong order: i.e. $2l^- + 2Fe^{3+} \longrightarrow l_2 + 2Fe^{2+}$ $S_2O_8^{2-} + 2Fe^{2+} \longrightarrow 2SO_4^{2-} + 2Fe^{3+}$
	(ii)	Fe³+ could react with I⁻ ions first ✓	1	ALLOW = sign shown instead of arrow as long as equation is shown the 'right way around' ALLOW equations in (i) could take place in the other order
		Total	10	IGNORE responses that compare E values

C	uestion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
5	(a)	FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE IF answer = 14.6 dm ⁶ mol ⁻² award 6 marks	6	FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED
		(5 for 14.6 and 1 for units)		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
		equilibrium amount of CO = 0.114 − 0.052 = 0.062 (mol) ✓		errors
		equilibrium amount of $H_2 = 0.152 - 2 \times 0.052 = 0.048 \text{ (mol)} \checkmark$		
		[CO] = $5 \times 0.062 = 0.31$ (mol dm ⁻³) AND [H ₂] = $5 \times 0.048 = 0.24$ (mol dm ⁻³)		
		AND [CH ₃ OH] = $5 \times 0.052 = 0.26 \text{ (mol dm}^{-3}\text{)} \checkmark$		ALLOW ECF from equilibrium amounts Mark is for converting ALL 3 amounts into concentrations.
		$(K_c =) \frac{[CH_3OH]}{[CO] [H_2]^2} OR \frac{0.26}{0.31 \times 0.24^2} \checkmark$		For units, ALLOW mol ⁻² dm ⁶ ALLOW ECF from previous calculated values
		= $14.6 \checkmark \text{dm}^6 \text{mol}^{-2} \checkmark$		OR incorrect K_c expression BUT final answer MUST be to 3 SF (in question)
				Common errors for K_c 364: missing x 5 to calculate concentrations 4 marks + units mark (i.e. just one mark dropped)
				3.35: H ₂ = 0.100 by not using 2 H ₂ 4 marks + units mark (i.e. just one mark dropped)
				0.79 0: Use of initial amounts of CO and H ₂) (3 marks + units mark)
				0.79 Use of initial amounts of CO and H ₂ AND answer not to 3 SF (2 marks + units mark)

C	uesti	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
6	(a)		Circuit: complete circuit with voltmeter and salt bridge linking two half-cells ✓ Half cells: Pt AND H ⁺ /HCl (solution) AND H ₂ gas (introduced via enclosed container around Pt) ✓ Fe AND Fe ²⁺ (solution) ✓ Conditions: 1 mol dm ⁻³ solutions AND 298 K / 25 °C AND 1 atm/100 kPa/101 kPa/1 bar pressure ✓	4	Voltmeter must be shown AND salt bridge must be labelled ALLOW any correct circuit for a cell ALL labels required In H ₂ half cell, DO NOT ALLOW just 'acid' ALL conditions required ALLOW if 1 mol dm ⁻³ /1M mentioned for just one solution Look also on diagram in addition to answer lines DO NOT ALLOW 1 mol for concentration
	(b)	(i)	oxygen electrode: $O_2(g) + 2H_2O(I) + 4e^- \rightarrow 4OH^-(aq) \checkmark$ hydrogen electrode: $H_2(g) + 2OH^-(aq) \rightarrow 2H_2O(I) + 2e^- \checkmark$	2	ALLOW multiples for each equation State symbols NOT required − IGNORE even if wrong If oxygen and hydrogen equations are written on the wrong lines ALLOW 1 mark if both correct ALLOW ⇒ sign shown instead of arrow as long as equation is shown the 'right way around' ALLOW one mark if both acid equations are given i.e. oxygen electrode: O₂(g) + 4H⁺(aq) + 4e⁻ → 2H₂O(I) AND hydrogen electrode: H₂(g) → 2H⁺(aq) + 2e⁻
		(ii)	$2H_2(g) + O_2(g) \longrightarrow 2H_2O(I) \checkmark$	1	ALLOW multiples, e.g. $H_2 + \frac{1}{2}O_2 \rightarrow H_2O$ IGNORE state symbols DO NOT ALLOW if H_2O OR OH^- OR e^- are shown on both sides
		(iii)	1.23 (V) ✓	1	This is the ONLY correct answer

(c) A fuel cell reacts a fuel/H₂ with oxygen to produce a voltage/electrical energy ✓ (d) Fossil fuels used to make hydrogen OR fossil fuels required to make fuel cell ✓ (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 ✓ Correctly calculates amount of X = amount of Cr x 1.5 = 0.028(0) x 1.5 = 0.028(0) x 1.5 = 0.028(0) x . Note: 3rd marking point subsumes the 2nd marking point AND X identified as Mg ✓ ALLOW ECF from incorrect amount of Cr for 2nd, 3rd and 4th marks: 3 md narks: 6 = 0.028(0) x 1.5 = 0.0187 (mbl) ✓ Common error 3:2 ratio inverted between 2nd and 3rd marks: 3 md narks: 3 md narks: 6 = 0.028(0) x 1.5 = 0.0187 (mbl) ✓ Note: Total 14	Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
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 Cr³ 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 ✓ 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 ✓	(c)		1	(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
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 ✓ ALLOW equation: 2Cr ³⁺ + 3X → 3X ²⁺ + 2Cr Note: 3rd marking point subsumes the 2nd marking point 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 ✓	(d)		1	containing compounds and manufacture of the fuels
Total 14	(e)	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 \longrightarrow 2 mol $Cr \checkmark$ Correctly calculates amount of X = amount of $Cr \times 1.5$ = 0.028(0) x 1.5 = 0.042(0) \checkmark Correctly calculates Molar mass/ A_r of X = 1.021/0.042(0) = 24.3 (g mol ⁻¹) AND	4	ALLOW equation: 2Cr³+ + 3X → 3X²+ + 2Cr Note: 3rd marking point subsumes the 2nd marking point ALLOW magnesium OR Mg²+ 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
		Tota	14	

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
7	(a)		$CaCO_3 + 2SO_2 + H_2O \longrightarrow Ca(HSO_3)_2 + CO_2 \checkmark$	1	ALLOW multiples
	(b)	(i)	weak acid: partly dissociates ✓	2	ALLOW ionisation for dissociation
			$HSO_3^- \rightleftharpoons H^+ + SO_3^{2-} \checkmark$		 ⇒ sign is required ALLOW multiples; state symbols not required DO NOT ALLOW equation with Ca²⁺ added to each side
		(ii)		2	ALLOW multiples State symbols not required
			$Mg + Ca(HSO_3)_2 \longrightarrow MgSO_3 + CaSO_3 + H_2 \checkmark$		ALLOW as products: $MgCa(SO_3)_2 + H_2$ DO NOT ALLOW $Mg + Ca(HSO_3)_2 \longrightarrow Mg^{2+} + Ca^{2+} + 2 SO_3^{2-} + H_2$
			$Mg + 2H^{+} \longrightarrow Mg^{2+} + H_{2} \checkmark$		ALLOW Mg + $2HSO_3^- \longrightarrow Mg^{2+} + 2SO_3^{2-} + H_2$
		(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 ⁺ ✓	4	ASSUME 'It' applied to HSO ₃ ⁻
			$HSO_3^- + OH^- \longrightarrow H_2O + SO_3^{2-} \checkmark$		ALLOW equations with ←
			$HSO_3^- + H^+ \longrightarrow H_2O + SO_2 \checkmark$		ALLOW $HSO_3^- + H^+ \longrightarrow H_2SO_3$
			Two correct equations linked to acid and base behaviour ✓ This could simply be labels (Acid AND base) for each equation, i.e. HSO ₃ ⁻ + OH ⁻ → H ₂ O + SO ₃ ²⁻ Acid HSO ₃ ⁻ + H ⁺ → H ₂ O + SO ₂ Base		Note : Final mark can only be awarded if both equations are correct

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

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
(ii)	student is incorrect	1	Statement AND reason required for the mark
	AND acid releases all H ⁺ ions OR more acid dissociates ✓		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	

C	Questi	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
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 V ⁿ⁺ /V ²⁺ is violet ✓	1	ALLOW KMnO ₄ AND V ⁿ⁺ /V ²⁺ have similar colours ALLOW KMnO ₄ is purple and 'the solution' is violet Assumption is that 'the solution' is V ²⁺ (aq) 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

C	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
8	(c)	(ii)	Marks are for correctly calculated values. Working shows how values have been derived. $n(\text{KMnO}_4) = \frac{2.25 \times 10^{-2} \times 13.2}{1000} = 2.97 \times 10^{-4} \text{ (mol)} \checkmark$	7	FULL ANNOTATIONS MUST BE USED
			$n(V) = \frac{0.126}{50.9} = 2.48 \times 10^{-3} \text{ (mol) } \checkmark$		ALLOW 2.48 x 10⁻³ up to calculator value of 2.475442043 x 10 ⁻³ , correctly rounded
			Factor of 5: $\frac{2.48 \times 10^{-3}}{5} = 4.96 \times 10^{-4} \text{ (mol)}$ OR 5 x 2.97 × 10 ⁻⁴ = 1.485 x 10 ⁻³ (mol) \checkmark		ALLOW 4.95 × 10 ⁻⁴ (mol) from 2.475442043 x 10 ⁻³
			ratio $\frac{n(V^{n+})}{n(MnO_4^-)} = \frac{4.96 \times 10^{-4}}{2.97 \times 10^{-4}} = \frac{1.67}{1}$ OR 1.67 OR $\frac{5}{3}$ OR 1 mol MnO ₄ reacts with 1.67 mol V^{n+}		ALLOW ratio $\frac{n(V^{n+})}{n(MnO_4^-)} = \frac{2.48 \times 10^{-3}}{1.485 \times 10^{-3}} = \frac{1.67}{1}$ OR 1.67 OR $\frac{5}{3}$ ALLOW inverse ratio
			5 : 3 ratio seen AND <i>n</i> = 2 ✓		e.g.: 3 mol MnO ₄ ⁻ reacts with 5 mol V ²⁺ ; V changes oxidation number by 3 OR 3 electrons transferred to V
			Correct equation with all species on both sides cancelled: $5V^{2+}(aq) + 3MnO_4^-(aq) + 3H_2O(I) \longrightarrow 5VO_3^-(aq) + 3Mn^{2+}(aq) + 6H^+(aq)$		IGNORE state symbols
			5V ²⁺ + 3MnO ₄ [−] on left AND 5VO ₃ [−] + 3Mn ²⁺ on right ✓ Complete equation correct ✓		ALLOW any attempted equation using n = 2, 3 OR 4. See correct eqn for n=2 and equations on next page

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8	(c)	(ii)	Cont.		From V ⁴⁺ : $5V^{4+}(aq) + MnO_4^-(aq) + 11H_2O(I)$ $\rightarrow 5VO_3^-(aq) + Mn^{2+}(aq) + 22H^+(aq)$ $5V^{4+} + MnO_4^-on left AND 5VO_3^- + Mn^{2+} on right \checkmarkComplete equation correct \checkmark$
					From V ³⁺ : $5V^{3+}(aq) + 2MnO_4^-(aq) + 7H_2O(I)$ $\rightarrow 5VO_3^-(aq) + 2Mn^{2+}(aq) + 14H^+(aq) \checkmark \checkmark$ $5V^{3+} + 2MnO_4^-$ on left AND $5VO_3^- + 2Mn^{2+}$ on right \checkmark Complete equation correct \checkmark
			Total	10	

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