



Past Papers

Int 1

Chemistry

2012

Marking Scheme

Grade Awarded	Mark Required		% candidates achieving grade
	(/60)	%	
A	42+	70%	23.7%
B	36+	60%	26.8%
C	30+	50%	26.1%
D	27+	45%	9.3%
No award	<27	<45%	14.1%

Section:	Multiple Choice	Extended Answer
Average Mark:	11.9	/20 23.7 /40

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Reasoning

MC Qu	Answer	% Pupils Correct	Reasoning				
1	D	76	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A A gas being produced is a sign of a chemical reaction has taken place <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B A precipitate being produced is a sign of a chemical reaction has taken place <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C A colour change taking place is a sign of a chemical reaction has taken place <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D In every chemical reaction a new substance is <u>always</u> formed				
2	A	60	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Catalysts speed up reactions and same mass of catalyst left at end of reaction <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Catalysts speed up chemical reactions but are not used up in a reaction <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Same mass of catalyst will be left at the end of the reaction. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Catalysts speed up chemical reactions but are not used up in a reaction				
3	B	54	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Atoms inside molecules are held together by strong bonds <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Atoms inside molecules are held together by strong bonds <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Ions have charged particles but substance shown has no charges on it <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Ions have charged particles but substance shown has no charges on it				
4	C	61	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Compound 2 cannot be ionic as it does not conduct when molten. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Compound 4 cannot be ionic as it does not conduct when molten. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Compounds 1 and 3 both conduct when molten ∴ they are ionic <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Compounds 2 and 4 cannot be ionic as they do not conduct when molten.				
5	D	43	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A N_2O_3 is the formula of dinitrogen trioxide <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B N_2O is the formula of dinitrogen oxide <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C NO_2 is the formula of nitrogen dioxide <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D N_2O_4 is the formula of dinitrogen tetroxide	mono- 1	di- 2	tri- 3	tetra- 4
6	B	81	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Benedict's solution is used to test for glucose <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Universal indicator is used to test the pH of acids and alkalis <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Iodine solution is used to test for starch <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Limewater is used to test for carbon dioxide				
7	C	51	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Soapless detergents do not form a scum with hard water <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Soapless detergents do not form a scum with hard water <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Soapless detergents form a lather with hard water without any scum formed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Soapless detergents do not form a scum with hard water				
8	D	67	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A cracking is a process where large hydrocarbons are cracked into smaller ones <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B cleaning chemicals are designed to work at lower temperatures than boiling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Oil and grease have no pH and cannot be neutralised <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Cleaning chemicals must break oil and grease into small droplets during cleaning				
9	A	79		Synthetic polyester nylon	Natural silk cotton		
10	B	62	Nightdresses must be flameproof so that they do not catch fire while they are being worn. Stainproofing, waterproofing and hardwearing are desirable properties but not essential like flameproofing.				
11	A	49	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Combustion (burning) uses up oxygen during the chemical reaction <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Neutralisation is the reaction of acids and alkalis and oxygen is not used up <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Photosynthesis produces oxygen and glucose from carbon dioxide and water <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Polymerisation is the joining up of monomers into a polymer (no oxygen required)				
12	D	62	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Hydrogen and oxygen would react to form harmless water as a product <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Hydrogen would react to form harmless water as a product (water is unchanged) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Nitrogen and water would react in a car engine <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Nitrogen and oxygen use the spark in engines to form harmful nitrogen dioxide				

13	A	30	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Styrene is the monomer which polymerises to form the polymer poly(styrene) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Perspex is a polymer used as a replacement for glass <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Kevlar is a polymer used as bullet-proof vests <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Bakelite is a polymer used in plugs and sockets
14	C	55	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Water does not mix with the fuel and does not soak it up <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Water does not form a layer on top of the fuel and can't stop oxygen getting in <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Water absorbs the heat in a fire to lowers the temperature to put out the fire <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D water does not produce carbon dioxide when added to a fire
15	B	46	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Pesticides are designed to be toxic to pests like insects, etc <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Herbicides, not pesticides, are designed to kill weeds <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Pesticides can be used to control pests like insect numbers <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Pesticides will improve crop yield if pests like insects are reduced in numbers.
16	B	37	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A The bean family is leguminous and has root nodules to fix nitrogen from air <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Carrots lack the root nodules needed to fix nitrogen from air into nitrates <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Clover is leguminous and has root nodules to fix nitrogen from air <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D The pea family is leguminous and has root nodules to fix nitrogen from air
17	D	79	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A more vegetables are eaten in 2008 than in 1998 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B more vegetables are eaten in 2008 than in 1998 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C more fruit is eaten in 2008 than in 1998 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D more vegetables and more fruit are eaten in 2008 than in 1998
18	C	73	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Graph must have a peak at 37°C as enzymes work best at 37°C <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Graph must have a peak at 37°C as enzymes work best at 37°C <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Speed of reaction increases until 37°C and then the speed decreases above 37°C <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Graph must have a peak at 37°C as enzymes work best at 37°C
19	C	46	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Alcoholic drinks with concentration below 16% are made by fermentation alone <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B Alcoholic drinks with concentration below 16% are made by fermentation alone <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Alcoholic drinks with concentration above 16% are made by fermentation then distillation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Alcoholic drinks with concentration below 16% are made by fermentation alone
20	A	82	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A drugs alter the way that our body works <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B many drugs help us get well after illness <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Many drugs are medicines which are beneficial to the body when we are unwell <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D Many drugs are medicines which are legal

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1a	lithium, carbon and oxygen	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>-ide</td><td>Compound contains the two named elements</td><td rowspan="3" style="vertical-align: middle; text-align: center;">NB metal always comes first in name</td></tr> <tr> <td>-ate</td><td>Compound contains 3 elements (two named elements + oxygen)</td></tr> <tr> <td>-ite</td><td>Compound contains 3 elements (two named elements + oxygen)</td></tr> </table>	-ide	Compound contains the two named elements	NB metal always comes first in name	-ate	Compound contains 3 elements (two named elements + oxygen)	-ite	Compound contains 3 elements (two named elements + oxygen)					
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1b	magnesium + oxygen ↓ magnesium oxide	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;"> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center; gap: 20px;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p><u>magnesium</u> + <u>oxygen</u></p> <p><u>reactants</u> (present at start of reaction)</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p><u>magnesium oxide</u></p> <p><u>products</u> (formed during reaction)</p> </div> </div> </div>												
2a	Metal Liquid	Mercury is a metal on the left of the Periodic Table. Mercury is a liquid at room temperature												
2b	toxic/poisonous	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Hazard</th> <th>Harmful/Irritant</th> <th>Poisonous</th> <th>Corrosive</th> <th>Flammable</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Symbol</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Hazard	Harmful/Irritant	Poisonous	Corrosive	Flammable	Symbol						
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2c	0.1	$\text{Level} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{Volume}} = \frac{4\text{mg}}{40\text{m}^3} = 0.1 \text{ milligrams per m}^3$												
3a	<table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"> <tr> <td>Lemonade</td> <td>Baking Soda</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Vinegar</td> <td>Bleach</td> </tr> </table>	Lemonade	Baking Soda	Vinegar	Bleach	Acids have a pH less than 7 and include fizzy drinks and vinegar Alkalies have a pH greater than 7 and include baking soda and Bleach								
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3b(i)	Chloride	hydrochloric acid + calcium carbonate → calcium chloride + water + carbon dioxide												
3b(ii)	pH increases	pH of an acid is below 7 and when a metal carbonate is added, the acid is neutralised and pH increases until it reaches pH=7												
4a	reshapes/melts on heating	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>thermoplastic</td> <td>Plastic which reshapes on heating</td> </tr> <tr> <td>thermosetting</td> <td>Plastic which does not reshape on heating</td> </tr> </table>	thermoplastic	Plastic which reshapes on heating	thermosetting	Plastic which does not reshape on heating								
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4b	Si	Each element has its own Name, Symbol and atomic number.												
4c	Low density	Problem Solving: Selection of information from data booklet												
5a	Lime water	Lime water turns milky in the presence of carbon dioxide												
5b	Decrease in time taken	Factors which increase rate of a chemical reaction: <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Increase in temperature</td> <td>Increase in concentration</td> <td>Decrease in Particle Size</td> </tr> </table>	Increase in temperature	Increase in concentration	Decrease in Particle Size									
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6a	Weakens bridge or decreases strength	Rusting will weaken the strength of a bridge due to iron in the bridge being slowly rusted away and less and less iron will be available to hold the structure together.												
6b	One from:	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Painting</td> <td>Electroplating</td> <td>Galvanising/zinc coating</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Oiling</td> <td>Tin-plating</td> <td>Sacrificial protection</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Greasing</td> <td>Plastic-coating</td> <td>Attach to a more reactive metal</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Dip coating</td> <td>Attach magnesium</td> <td>Coat it with a substance that is waterproof</td> </tr> </table>	Painting	Electroplating	Galvanising/zinc coating	Oiling	Tin-plating	Sacrificial protection	Greasing	Plastic-coating	Attach to a more reactive metal	Dip coating	Attach magnesium	Coat it with a substance that is waterproof
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6c	Salt/ions present	The ions in a salt speed up corrosion as they help to complete circuit												
6d	Zinc, Aluminium or magnesium	Only a more reactive metal than iron will sacrificially protect iron. (Potassium, Sodium, Lithium and Calcium cannot be used as they would react with the water)												

7a	one answer from:	To place the metals in order of reactivity/corrosion	To find out how reactive the metals are	
		To find out the reactivity of zinc, magnesium and copper	To see which metals corrode fastest	
		To see which metals react with acid and which don't	To see what/how metals react with acid	
7b	one factor from:	Concentration Temperature	Size/length of metal Mass/weight	Type of acid Amount of time (in acid)
7c	hydrogen	hydrochloric acid	zinc	zinc chloride + hydrogen
8a	one answer from:	They can be replaced/re-made/re-created/more can be made quickly/reproduced		
8b	carbon dioxide And water	Hydrocarbons are compounds containing the elements carbon and hydrogen only. Burning hydrocarbons in a plentiful supply of air will form carbon dioxide and water.		
8c	other gases nitrogen methane carbon dioxide	Problem Solving: Information transfer from table to pie chart		
9a	carbon dioxide and water	carbon dioxide + water \rightarrow glucose + oxygen		
9b(i)	increases & decreases or decreases & increases	The distance from the lamp is inversely proportional to the number of bubbles of oxygen in one minute.		
9b(ii)	0, 1, 2 or 3	As 4 bubbles are formed at 100cm, less than 4 bubbles must be formed at a greater distance		
9b(iii)	Measuring cylinder	Also accepted: Syringe, tube, beaker or burette		
9c	relights a glowing splint	Oxygen is the only gas which relights a glowing splint		
10a	D	Nitrates are absorbed into plants through the roots		
10b	Reduces nitrate levels in soil	The harvesting of crops prevents the return of nitrogen compounds to the soil as the dead material breaks down.		
10c	Calcium phosphate is insoluble	Only soluble compounds containing potassium, nitrogen and phosphorus can be used as fertilisers.		
10d	One answer from:	Leave water lifeless Contaminates wildlife	Reduces oxygen levels in water Kills/harms fish/animals	Algae bloom Poisons water/lakes
11a	growth and repair	Other acceptable answers: for growth tissue for repair/heal muscles repair damaged tissues/muscles mending tissues/heal wounds		
11b	contains more protein	Problem Solving: Selecting information from table and making conclusion.		
11c	2 5 1 2	$C_2H_5NO_2$ is the formula of glycine (1 gets dropped from formula)		

12a	Bar Graph Showing:	<p>$\frac{1}{2}$ mark: Ethanol content and (%) label $\frac{1}{2}$ mark: Scale on ethanol content axis $\frac{1}{2}$ mark: Bars labelled (x-axis label not required) $\frac{1}{2}$ mark: Correct height of bars</p> <p>Allow $\frac{1}{2}$ box tolerance in plotting Allow 1 plotting error Allow abbreviations for mouthwash names - $\frac{1}{2}$ mark for using less than $\frac{1}{2}$ graph paper Max of 1 mark if line graph plotted - ethanol content (%) label and bars labelled Allow different widths of bars</p>
12b	Toxic or poisonous	Methanol is a toxic alcohol which can cause blindness or death. It is added to methylated spirits to prevent drinking.
12c	Strengthens teeth	Fluoride in mouthwash or toothpaste can help prevent tooth decay by strengthening the tooth.