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PUBLISHED**Generic Marking Principles**

These general marking principles must be applied by all examiners when marking candidate answers. They should be applied alongside the specific content of the mark scheme or generic level descriptors for a question. Each question paper and mark scheme will also comply with these marking principles.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:

Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:

Marks awarded are always **whole marks** (not half marks, or other fractions).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:

Marks must be awarded **positively**:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme, referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- marks are not deducted for errors
- marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:

Rules must be applied consistently e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 5:

Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:

Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

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1(b)(iii)	ticks under columns 2 and 4 in results table 18.1 (cm ³)	1																									
1(b)(iv)	M1 use pipette (instead of measuring cylinder to measure solution into flask) (1) M2 less uncertainty / less apparatus error / less error in measurement (1)	2																									
1(c)(i)	0.00046 / 4.6 × 10 ⁻⁴ (mol)	1																									
1(c)(ii)	0.00046 / 4.6 × 10 ⁻⁴ (mol)	1																									

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Question	Answer	Marks
1(c)(iii)	$0.0046 / 4.6 \times 10^{-3}$ (mol)	1
1(c)(iv)	$0.92 / 9.2 \times 10^{-1}$ (mol / dm ³)	1

Question	Answer	Marks
2(a)	ANY TWO from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • effervescence / bubbles / bubbling / fizzing • carbon dioxide • gas/carbon dioxide turns limewater milky 	2
2(b)	L contains SO ₄ ²⁻ ions	1
2(c)(i),(ii)	M1 light-blue precipitate (forms) (1) M2 dissolves / soluble / solution (1) M3 leaving a dark blue solution (1)	3

Question	Answer	Marks
3(a)	ink would dissolve / ink will separate / spread	1
3(b)	line drawn above bottom of chromatogram and below bottom of spot	1
3(c)	locating agent	1
3(d)	breaks amide / peptide links / produces free amino acids	1
3(e)	only 3 (different) amino acids (in tetrapeptide) / 2 amino acids have same R_f	1
3(f)(i)	distance travelled by spot and distance travelled by solvent (1) distance travelled by spot divided by distance travelled by solvent (1)	2
3(f)(ii)	$3.4 / 5 = 0.68$ (1) phenylalanine present (1)	2

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4(a)	pink/brown solid (coating surface of zinc) (1) solution becoming paler blue/colourless/decolourised (1)	2
4(b)(i)	magnesium zinc tin copper	1
4(b)(ii)	3 ideas = 2 marks; 2 ideas = 1 mark; 1 idea = 0 marks magnesium displaces / reacts with all others / all entries are yes copper reacts with none / all entries are no zinc displaces tin	2
4(c)	M1 acid + metal in a container (1) M2 equal volume / concentration / amount of acid in each (1) M3 Measure T_1 (1) M4 Measure T_2 (1) M5 biggest change in temperature = highest reactivity / smallest change in temperature = lowest reactivity (1)	5

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5(a)(i)	insoluble in water / slightly soluble / low solubility	1
5(a)(ii)	(gas) syringe / burette	1
5(a)(iii)	M1 glowing splint (1) M2 relights (1)	2
5(b)(i)	7 or 8 points correctly plotted = 2 marks 5 or 6 points correctly plotted = 1 mark <5 points correctly plotted = 0 marks	2
5(b)(ii)	circle round point at 4,50	1
5(b)(iii)	smooth line through remaining points	1
5(b)(iv)	M1 starts at 0,0 and initially steeper (1) M2 levels off at same height (1) M3 rate greater at higher temperature (1) M4 (same total volume of gas produced as) same volume / amount of peroxide / reactants (1)	4

Question	Answer	Marks
6(a)	M1 add water (to mixture) to dissolve sodium chloride (1) M2 heat / stir (1) M3 filter (with funnel / filter paper to separate sand from solution) (1) M4 wash sand / residue (1) M5 evaporate solution / filtrate or crystallise solution / filtrate (1)	5
6(b)	M1 heat / boil mixture (1) M2 distil / (fractional) distillation / fractionation (1) M3 mention of indirect heating / water bath / heating mantle (1) M4 lower b.pt. alcohol / more volatile / ethanol boils off / higher b.pt. alcohol / butanol remains in flask (1) M5 condense (vapour) / (use of) a condenser (1)	5