



RECOGNISING ACHIEVEMENT

HOW FAR, HOW FAST?

Mark Scheme 2813/01

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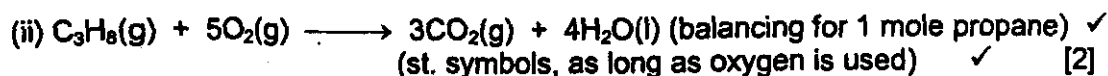
- 1(a) 400 - 550 °C or 670 – 825 K (assume Celsius if no units specified) ✓ [1]
- (b) (i) rate/reaction is (too) slow or "time consuming" (ignore ref. to "yield", but don't award mark if candidate states that "equilibrium yield is low") ✓ [1]
- (ii) equilibrium/reaction is pushed over to left hand side or yield is decreased or less ammonia is formed (NOT "is expensive") ✓ [1]
- (c) (i) *either* the rate or the (equilibrium) yield will increase (or more NH₃ formed) ✓ [1]
- (ii) costs will be high or safety will be compromised or is dangerous (NOT environmental problems) ✓ [1]
- (d) they are recycled/re-used/put back in/re-reacted ✓ [1]
- (e) *any 2 of:* as, or to make, fertilisers or refrigerants; to make nitric acid, polyamides, explosives, dyes ✓✓ [2]
(NOT "in agriculture", "as a feedstock", "in gunpowder". If "making" is not mentioned in the appropriate context, deduct [1] max)

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- 2(a) *any 2 of:*
- forward rate/reaction = reverse rate/reaction
(a statement that the concentration of reactants and products are equal negates)
 - can be approached from either direction or reversible reaction or (constant) change from reactants to products and vice versa
 - no change in overall macroscopic properties (or one specified property, e.g. colour/concentration) or appears to have stopped
 - takes place in a closed system ✓✓ [2]
- (b) bonds broken: 4 x (S-Cl) = 4 x 255 = 1020 ✓
(or 2 x (S-Cl) = 2 x 255 = 510)
- bonds formed: 2 x (S-Cl) + 1 x (S-S) + 1 x (Cl-Cl) = 2 x 255 + 266 + 242 = 1018 ✓
(or 1 x (S-S) + 1 x (Cl-Cl) = 266 + 242 = 508)
- $\Delta H = (+)2 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ ans.(i.e. broken – formed) ✓(e.c.f.) [3]
- (possible e.c.f values:: - 2 or +268 or ± 2038 or ± 1018 as a result of 510 + 518 [2])
(there may be others!) -268 [1]
- allow "working" marks for: sum of bonds on l.h.s. ✓
sum of bonds on r.h.s. ✓
- (c) because is positive or reaction is endothermic ✓(consistent with ans. in b)
equilibrium/reaction will move to right hand side ✓(consistent with ans. in b)
but not by very much because ΔH is so small ✓ [3]
alternative for last 2 marks: $\Delta H = 0$ [1], therefore only a slight effect on equilibrium [1]

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- 3(a) (i) the enthalpy change when 1 mole of compound/substance/element/molecule ✓
 is **completely** burned or burned in an excess of oxygen ✓
 at 1 atm + 298 K (or "a stated temperature" – in words)
 or under **standard conditions** (of T and P) ✓ [3]



- (b) (i) C(s) + H₂(g) do not easily combine (at 298K) or E_{act} is too high
 or if they did, different hydrocarbons (e.g. CH₄) would be produced as well ✓ [1]
 [do NOT allow "isomers are formed"]

$$(ii) \Delta H_f^\circ = 3 \times \Delta H_c(C) + 4 \times \Delta H_c(H_2) - \Delta H_c(C_3H_8)$$

$$= -1182 - 1144 + 2220$$

$$= -2326 + 2220 = -106 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1} \quad (\text{e.c.f. see below}) \quad \checkmark\checkmark\checkmark \quad [3]$$

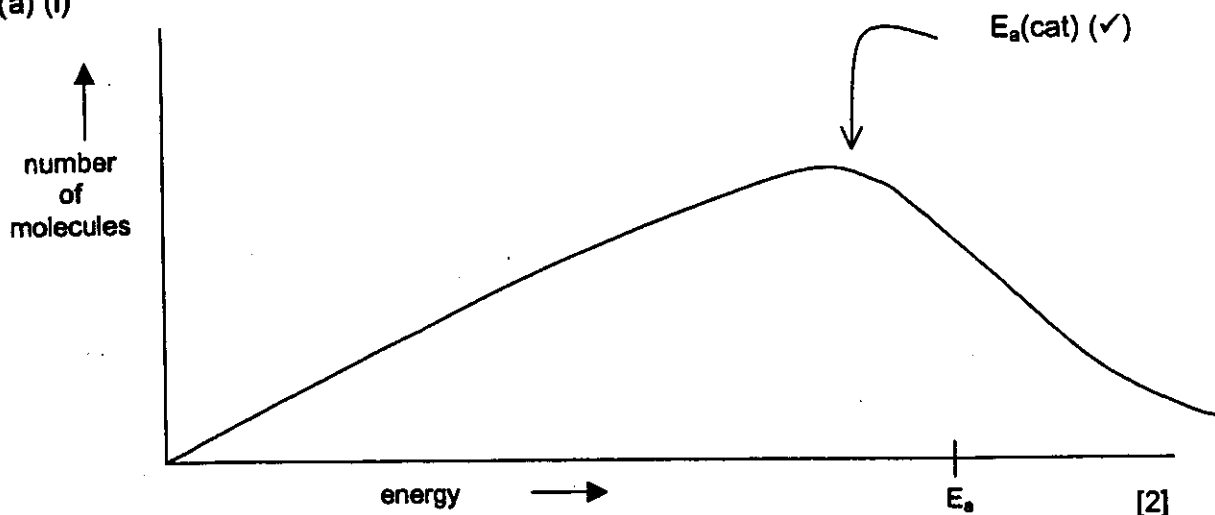
possible e.c.f values: +106 or -1250 or +1540 or ± 4546 [2]

+1250 or -1540 or ± 2112 or ± 2182 or ± 2258 [1]

for other answers see if you can award any of the following "working" marks

allow "working marks" for use of the correct multipliers (3,4,1) ✓
 use of the correct ΔH_c° values and the correct signs ✓
 last mark is for "left – right" correctly calculated ✓

4(a) (i)



curve starts at (0,0) and then peaks ✓ then falls off more gradually ✓
(it should NOT be symmetrical or meet the x-axis)

(ii) the (minimum) energy required by the reacting molecules in order for them to react ✓ [1]

or (minimum) energy for a reaction to take place ✓
or (minimum) energy to produce a reaction ✓
or energy barrier to a reaction [NOT just the energy needed to break bonds]

(iii) see $E_a(\text{cat})$ on graph above: $E_a(\text{cat})$ must be to the left of E_a ✓ [1]

(b) catalysts offer an alternative route [or binds substrate or adsorbs reactant] ✓
of lower activation energy ✓
so more molecules have $E > E_a$ or more molecules can react ✓
or more collisions are successful in bringing about a reaction ✓
homogeneous - same phase/state, heterogeneous - different phases/states ✓

examples: (in the examples accept unbalanced equations as long as the starting materials and products are (virtually) correct)

(homogeneous)	e.g. Cl^* in the stratosphere	✓
	catalysing $2\text{O}_3 \longrightarrow 3\text{O}_2$ (or two propagation equations)	✓
or	e.g. H^* during esterification	
	catalysing $\text{RCO}_2\text{H} + \text{ROH} \longrightarrow \text{RCO}_2\text{R} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$	
or	enzymes/zymase in fermentation	
	catalysing $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 \longrightarrow 2\text{C}_2\text{H}_6\text{O} + 2\text{CO}_2$	
(heterogeneous)	e.g. Pt in catalytic converters	✓
	catalysing $\text{NO} + \text{CO} \longrightarrow \frac{1}{2}\text{N}_2 + \text{CO}_2$	✓
or	e.g. Fe in Haber	
	catalysing $\text{N}_2 + 3\text{H}_2 \longrightarrow 2\text{NH}_3$	

(in general: identity of catalyst ✓ equation ✓)
(deduct [1] if the stated catalysts are not described in the right homo-heterogeneous context)
8 marking points max[7]

Q of w C: At least two clauses/sentences that express a logical sequence of ideas. ✓ [1]

- 5(a) $\text{H}^+/\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$ or "hydrogen" ✓ [1]
- (b) strong: completely ionised/dissociated ✓
 weak: incompletely/partially ionised/dissociated ✓ [2]

- (c) $2\text{H}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{Mg}(\text{s}) \longrightarrow \text{Mg}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2(\text{g})$ ✓ balancing
 ✓ state symbols [2]
 [N.B. *ionic* equation needed]

- (d) (i) methanoic acid only partially ionises or $\text{HCO}_2\text{H} \rightleftharpoons \text{HCO}_2^- + \text{H}^+$ (\rightleftharpoons needed) ✓
 or is a poor proton donor or ionises/dissociates less (than HCl)
 or is a weak acid or H^+ harder to lose

(equilibrium lies over to the l.h. side, so) only a small $[\text{H}^+(\text{aq})]$ or less H^+ ions
 or small concentration means slow rate of reaction

✓
 [2]

(ii) (As $\text{H}^+(\text{aq})$ is used up by reaction with $\text{CaCO}_3(\text{s})$)
 the equilibrium continually moves (to the r.h. side) ✓

So eventually all the HCO_2H reacts
 or same concentration/no of moles of reactant give the same amount of product

✓ [2]