

Mark Scheme

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General marking guidance

- All learners must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first learner in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Marking grids should be applied positively. Learners must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do, rather than be penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the marking grid, not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- All marks on the marking grid should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the marking grid are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks, if the learner's response is not rewardable according to the marking grid.
- Where judgement is required, a marking grid will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the marking grid to a learner's response, a senior examiner should be consulted.
- Crossed-out work should be marked, UNLESS the learner has replaced it with an alternative response.
- You will not see 'or words to that effect' (OWTTE). Alternative correct wording should be credited in every answer, unless the mark scheme has specified specific wording that must be present.
- Round brackets () indicate words that are not essential, e.g. '(hence) distance is increased'.
- Error carried forward (ECF), means that a wrong answer given in an earlier part of a question is used correctly in a later part of a question.
- / indicates that the responses are alternatives and either answer should receive full credit.
- Specific marking guidance for levels-based mark schemes*

Levels-based mark schemes (LBMS) have been designed to assess learners' work holistically. They consist of two parts: indicative content and levels-based descriptors. Indicative content reflects specific content-related points that a learner might make. Levels-based descriptors articulate the skills that a learner is likely to demonstrate, in relation to the assessment outcomes being targeted by the question. Different rows in the levels, represent the progression of these skills.

When using a levels-based mark scheme, the 'best fit' approach should be used.

- Examiners should first make a holistic judgement on which band most closely matches the learner's response, and place it within that band. Learners will be placed in the band that best describes their answer.
- The mark awarded within the band will be decided based on the quality of the answer, in response to the assessment focus/objective and will be modified according to how securely all bullet points are displayed at that band.
- Marks will be awarded towards the top or bottom of that band, depending on how they have evidenced each of the descriptor bullet points.

Section A: Organs and systems

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
1 (a)(i)	D trachea		1
1 (a)(ii)	bronchiole(s)	allow bronchiol/bronchiale/bronc hiule/bronchole/bronchiele reject	1
		bronchi/bronchio/bronchial /bronchus	
1 (b)(i)	relax/relaxes/relaxed	ignore collapse/expand	1
1 (b)(ii)	decrease(s)/reduce(s)/go(es) down		1
1 (b)(iii)	increase		1
1 (c)(i)	B day 6		1
1 (c)(ii)	450 - 150 (1) 300/150 x 100 (1) or (any number)/150 x 100	allow 150 – 450 200 alone gets full marks	2
		total	8

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
2 (a)	any two from:		2
	(amino acids enter the cell) through a {channel/carrier} (protein) (1)	Allow canal (protein) allow shape of {molecule/ substrate} specific to shape of channel. Ignore references to amino acid changing shape	
	by facilitated diffusion (1)		
	down a concentration gradient (1)		
	passive/no {ATP/energy} needed (1)		
2 (b)(i)	(phosphate heads) are {charged/polar/ionic/negative}(1)	Ignore 5ositive	2
	(so are) hydrophilic (1)	allow water- loving/attracted to water ignore don't mix with water	
2 (b)(ii)	(tails are) {non-polar/no charged/ non-ionic } (1)		2
	(so are) hydrophobic (1)	allow water- hating/doesn't like water/repels water	
		total	6

Question Number	Answer				Additional Guidance	Mark
3 (a)(i)	X = bicu atriovent	spid/mitral, cricular (1)	/AV/			2
	Y = aorti	c/semi lun	ar (1)		Allow semi luna and semi luner	
3 (a)(ii)	prevent	backflow (1	.)			3
	from ver into atriu	ntricle(s) to um (1)	atrium/ba	ack	ignore any reference to named valves allow atria	
	from aor ventricle (1)	ta/artery to (s)/back in	o to ventricl	e(s)	ignore whether left or right	
3 (b)	Phase	atria	ventricl	mar	Ignore pulmonary	2
- (-)	of		es	k		
	cardia c				All four correct is two	
	cycle				marks	
	ventri	relax/rel	Contrac	1	2-3 correct is one mark	
	systol	/relaxed	acts/co			
	e		ntracte d			
	cardia	relax/rel	relax/r	1		
	C	axes /relaxed	elaxes /relaxe			
	e	/Telaxeu	d			
3 (c)	MP1: 1 h between	eartbeat ir 0.9s and 1	any valu s (1)	e	allow any multiple	3
	MP2: 60	÷(MP1) (1)			ECF from MP1	
	MP3: any 67 bpm	y number b (1)	etween 60) and	a value between 60 - 67 alone gains all 3 marks	
3 (d)	(right ve thinner (ntricle) has wall)} (1)	s {less mu	scle/	allow ORA for each mark points	3
	(so prod it contra	uces) less p cts)/weake	oressure (r contract	when ion (1)	ignore references to volume	
	because	{delicate lu	ungs/shor	ter		
	distance, overcom	/less resista e/only has	ance to to go to lu	ungs}		
	(+)					
					total	13

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
4 (a)	any three from: MP1: maintain homeostasis/description of/ reference to need of correct concentration of ions in blood(1)	allow ORA for each mark points	3
	MP2: no concentration gradient if normal sodium ion concentration/ concentration gradient if not normal sodium ion concentration(between dialysis fluid and blood) (1)	allow Na+	
	MP3: <u>diffusion</u> of sodium ions into / out of blood in correct context (1)	Ignore type of diffusion	
	MP4: only excess/above normal level {sodium ions/salt} in the blood removed (by dialysis) (1)		
	MP5: difference in water concentration/ high level of sodium ions in dialysis fluid would {lower Ψ of dialysis fluid/cause water to pass from blood to dialysis fluid} (1)		
	MP6: <u>by osmosis</u> (1)		
	MP7: reference to effect of {too many or too few ions/change amount of water/ Ψ } (in blood)		
	MP8: effect on red blood cells/body cells (1)		

	4 (b)	 any four from: MP1: ADH increases permeability/porosity of {distal tubule/collecting duct/nephron} to water (1) MP2: (more) aquaporins/water channels (1) MP3: more water reabsorbed back (into blood)/less urine produced/urine more concentrated/less water lost in urine (1) MP4: by osmosis/diffusion of water (from high to low Ψ) (1) MP5: negative feedback/homeostasis/ normal (blood) water potential restored 	ignore references to loop of Henle ADH increases number of water channels in walls of Distal Convoluted Tubule/collecting duct = 2 marks (MP1 and 2)	4
total 7		[(1)	total	7

Question Number	Indicative content	Mark
5	 cardiovascular disease (CVD) LDL/cholesterol can be deposited (as fatty plaques) {in wall of/under lining of} arteries and increase risk of {blood clots/thrombus} benefits of statins help lower LDL levels in blood reduce formation of fatty plaques/reduce risk of blood clots reduces risk of stroke/heart attack cheap easy to take/only taken once a day/convenient 	6
	 prevent artery disease getting worse risks of statins cannot cure CVD have to keep taking them side effects include: nosebleeds, sore throat muscle weakness/aches memory problems headaches/sickness/constipation/ diarrhoea inflammation of liver/pancreas increased risk of diabetes evidence that people who have taken them and then stop have increased risk of CVD doctors may prescribe them because they are cheap rather than educating people to change their lifestyle 	

Level	Mark	Descriptor
	0	No awardable content
Level 1	1-2	Demonstrates some isolated knowledge of scientific facts/concepts with generalised comments made Generic statements may be presented rather than linkages being made so that lines of reasoning are unsupported or partially supported The discussion shows limited structure and coherence Mainly pros or cons not both
Level 2	3-4	Demonstrates good knowledge and understanding by selecting and applying some relevant scientific knowledge facts/concepts to provide the discussion being presented. Some pros and cons The discussion shows a structure which is mostly clear, coherent and logical
Level 3	5-6	Demonstrates comprehensive knowledge and understanding by selecting and applying relevant knowledge of scientific facts/concepts to provide the discussion being presented. Pros and cons/balanced The discussion shows a well-developed structure which is clear, coherent and logical

Section B: Properties and uses of substances

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
6 (a)	D pH 10		1
6 (b)	can {react as/act as/be} a base or an acid (under acid or base conditions)	allow alkali instead of base	1
	can react with an acid or a base	ignore reference to aluminium oxide or other substances (eg metal, metal oxide)	
6 (c)	sodium hydroxide can dissolve in water/soluble (in water)	allow sodium hydroxide releases hydroxide ions when in water	1
	or		
	copper hydroxide cannot dissolve in water/insoluble (in water)	allow an alkali is a base that can dissolve in water	
6 (d)	An explanation that makes reference to any four of the following points:		4
	It has {incomplete / partially filled} {3d energy levels/d- subshell/d-orbital} (1)		
	It has variable oxidation states/it can accept or lose electrons (1)		
	(so) can be reduced and oxidised back again (to its original form) (1)		
	lowers activation energy (1) by providing alternative reaction pathway/route (1)	allow can form complex ions/(temporary/dative covalent) bonds with reacting molecules (1)	
		weakening the bonds in the reacting molecules (1)	

Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
7 (a)	2-methylpentane			1
7 (b)	Name of isomer	Displayed formula	max three marks if formula is incorrectly matched to the	4
	butane		name can be in either order	
	(2-) methylpropane	H H H H C C C H H H H H H H H H H	ignore 2 or any other number in front of methylpropane	
	1 mark for each corre	ct name	displayed formula must show all bonds	
	1 mark for each corrector formula	ct structural		
7 (c)	(hexane) has more ca chain/more electrons/ molecule/stronger Var Waals/intermolecular	rbons/longer bigger n der forces (1) ORA		1
7 (d)(i)	A C _n H _{2n}			1
7 (d)(ii)	$C_{10}H_{22} \rightarrow C_7H_{16} + C_3H_{16}$ or C_7H_{16} (1)	6 (2)	allow in either order	2
	$C_{3}H_{6}$ (1)			
7 (d)(iii)	The two chlorine atom same side or opposite <u>bond</u> / two different a carbon atom in the do	is can be on the sides of the <u>double</u> toms on each puble bond (1)	Max of 1 mark for drawings with no annotation/ explanation	2
	or H C C		Ignore incorrect naming of cis and trans isomers	
	trans and No free rotation aroun π bond prevents the c {rotating/twisting} ar	cis (1) ad the double bond/ arbon atoms from ound (1)	Ignore inaccurate use of "chloride", "molecule", "structural isomers"	

7(d)(iv)	an explanation that makes reference to any four of the following points:		4
	a π bond is weaker than a σ bond	ORA	
	overlap between atomic orbitals in π bond is only partial/ sideways		
	electrons in $\boldsymbol{\pi}$ bond further away from attraction of the nuclei		
	less energy needed to break the π bond / π bond breaks more easily		
	higher electron density in alkenes		
	attracts electrophiles/positively charged species (to react with)		

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
8 (a)(i)	$2C(s) + 3H_2(g) + \frac{1}{2} O_2(g) \rightarrow C_2H_5OH(I)$ element formulae correct (1)	equation must show elements as the reactants	3
	balancing of the elements correct (1) state symbols of the elements correct (1)	equation must show formation of 1 mole of C ₂ H ₅ OH	
		element formulae are incorrect but numbers of atoms same on both sides of equation	
8 (a)(ii)	 any one of the following: carbon would not react with oxygen and hydrogen under standard conditions several steps required not one reaction there are potentially other products/ alternative reaction activation energy is too high 	allow when carbon, oxygen and hydrogen react ethanol is not always produced/not the only product	1
8 (b)(i)	(303.5 - 293 =) 10.5 (1) substitution (1) heat energy = 250 x 4.18 x 10.5 evaluation (1) 10972.5 (J)	award 3 marks for correct answer with no working shown. accept 10973 or 10972 or 10970 (reject 10970 if no workings shown)	3

8 (b)(ii)	substitution(1)	ignore sign	3
	10970 0.016 evaluation (1) 685625 (J mol ⁻¹) conversion 685.625 (kJ mol ⁻¹)	award 3 marks for correct answer with no working shown. allow any answer which rounds to 686	
	or		
	substitution(1) <u>10972.5</u> 0.016	ignore significant figures	
	evaluation (1) 685781 (J mol ⁻¹)		
	conversion 685.781 (kJ mol ⁻¹)		

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
9(a)(i)	A addition		1
9 (a)(ii)	H H -C-C- H H	ignore brackets and n each carbon must have 4 single bonds	1

Question Number	Indicative content	Mark
9 (b)	 General it is a (free radical) substitution reaction it is a chain reaction Initiation first stage UV light or 300°C, provides energy for reaction homolytic bond fission single / unpaired electron on chlorine atoms / free radical formed 	6

	Propagation			
	7. next stage / continuation of the reaction			
	8. chlorine radical removes a hydrogen from methane			
	$\Box^{-} + \Box \Box^{-} = \Box \Box^{-} + \Box \Box^{-}$			
	molecule for	9. methyl radical removes a chlorine atom from chlorine		
	indicedie foi	$CH_3^{\bullet} + Cl_2 \rightarrow CH_3Cl + Cl^{\bullet}$		
	10. new chl	orine free radical removes a hydrogen from		
	another met	thane		
	Termination			
	11. end of t	he reaction / no more radicals formed /		
	radicals com	IDINE		
	chlorometha	ane		
		$CH_3^{\bullet} + CI^{\bullet} \rightarrow CH_3CI$		
	13. chlorine	e radicals react to form chlorine molecule		
		$Cl^{\bullet} + Cl^{\bullet} \rightarrow Cl_2$		
	14. methyl	radicals react to form ethane		
		$CH_3^{\bullet} + CH_3^{\bullet} \rightarrow CH_3CH_3$		
Level	Mark	Descriptor		
	0	No rewardable material		
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Level 1	1-2	Demonstrates adequate knowledge of scientific		
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Section C: Thermal physics, materials and fluids

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
10 (a)	C (energy lost by the elastic band)		1
10 (b)	the band has been deformed/damaged/shape changed	ignore, answers relating to elastic limit/limit of proportionality	1
10 (c)	An explanation that makes reference to the following points: it does not show that the force is proportional to the extension (1) as the graph is not a straight line (through the origin) / curves continually (1)	uses numbers from the graph to show this.	2
		total	4

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
11 (a)	(B) diameter of pipe		1
11 (b)	streamline flow before obstruction/parallel lines (1)	must have at least 2 lines to show the streamline flow arrows on the flow	2
		lines are not required	
	turbulent flow after the obstruction (1)	lines should cross or have individual curves	
	direction of oil flow	ignore any markings between the two vertical lines shown on the diagram	
11 (c)	An explanation that makes		3
	reference to the following points:		
	oil has lower viscosity/ viscosity decreases less viscous (1)	reject `viscosity rises with temperature	
		allow `thinner'	
	(Because)		
	Any one from:		
	particles have more energy (1)	accept molecules	
	less force between particles (1)	for particles	
	bonds broken (1)		
	lower density (1)		
	And		
	oil flows faster/ velocity increases (1)		
	1	total	6

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mar k
12 (a)	D		1
12 (b)(i)	substitution (1) 5.56 x 10^9 = mass x 2.26 x 10^6		3
	rearrangement (1)		
	2.26×10^{6}		
	evaluation (1)		
	2.5 x10 ³ (kg) or 2500 (kg)	2.5 or 2.46 x10 ³ (kg) alone gains 3 marks	
		POWER OF TEN error 2 marks max	
12 (b)(ii)	substitution (1)		3
	1 - <u>(298)</u> =0.56 T	298/0.56 (1)	
	rearrangement (1)		
	$T = (298) \\ 0.44$		
	evaluation (1)	no sig fig penalty,	
	677 (K)	allow 680	
		allow any value which rounds to 677	
		allow for one mark answer with no working for 533, 532 and 531	

12 (c)	An explanation that makes reference to the following points: <u>Heating water to boiling point</u> molecules stay within the liquid/forces between molecules/ inter molecular bonds/ molecules close together (1) when heated molecules gain kinetic energy/ collide more frequently/move faster/ vibrate more (1) <u>Vaporising water</u> molecules to escape from the liquid/break free from liquid (1) break (hydrogen) bonds between molecules/ molecules separate /free to move (1)		4
			Q
		total	υ

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
13 (a)(i)	(the glass has the greatest strength) as it has the greatest gradient/ steepest line /greatest (ultimate tensile) stress on the graph (1)	ignore descriptions of structure	1
	OR		
	(glass has) a lower strain (than copper for a given stress) (1)	ORA	
	OR		
	(glass has) a higher stress (than copper for a given strain) (1)	ORA	
13 (a)(ii)	(Copper is more ductile) as it has the greater {strain /change in length} for lower stress/ does not break (close to the elastic limit)	allow stretches more without breaking	1
	OR		
	Needs less stress to produce a greater{strain /change in length}		
13 (b)	conversion of 0.5 mm ² to 5×10^{-7} m ² (1)		4
		conversion can take place at any sten	
	substitution (1)		
	$1 \times 10^9 = \frac{\text{weight}}{5 \times 10^{-7}}$		
	rearrangement (1)		
	$1 \times 10^9 \times 5 \times 10^{-7} = $ (weight)	allow 3 marks may	
	evaluation (1)	for the use of a wrongly converted	
	500 (N)	converted area	
	OR	10 ⁸ (N) as an	
	5 x 10 ² (N) (1)	is shown.	
		positive POWER OF TEN error 3 marks	

13 (c)	An explanation that makes reference to the following points:		4
	(creep is) deformation (1)	ignore damage	
	(due to) mechanical stress (1)	accept applied force or pressure	
	(caused by) continual heating and cooling /weather changes (1)		
	(produces) change {length/shape/strain over time} / {fracture/fatigue/break/weaken/brittle} (1)	accept crack	
		total	10

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
14 (a)	(a process taking place at) constant temperature /no change in temperature/fixed/same temperature	Ignore heat energy is constant or that the temperature can be controlled	1
14 (b)	Any two from the following: (thermal) {energy/heat} is lost (to the environment) (1) not all input energy is available to do work (1)		2
	work is done against other forces/friction (1)		
	energy converted to other named forms e.g. sound (1)		
	process in not reversible	allow irreversible	

Question	Indicative content	
14 (c)	General	
14 (C)	 a heat engine uses an energy input provided in the form of heat to do work and then exhausts the heat which cannot be used to do work/produce mechanical energy 	
	 a petrol engine/heat engine uses a temperature difference to convert heat energy into mechanical energy/useful work done 	
	<u>1 - Compression</u>	
	the fuel/air mixture is compressed	
	 when the air fuel mixture is compressed work is done on the mixture in an adiabatic compression by the piston. 	
	 the mixture reduces in volume and the pressure rises which makes the temperature rise as work is being done on the mixture. 	
	 this is shown on the graph, on the compression line, by the volume becoming smaller as the pressure rises. 	
	<u>2 - Ignition</u>	
	 the mixture ignites which produces a big rise in pressure at a fixed volume 	
	 this is shown on the graph, on the ignition line, by a rise in pressure for no change in volume. 	
	• the temperature increases greatly.	
	<u>3 - Expansion</u>	
	 the gas expands adiabatically so that the gas does work on the piston and pushes it down. 	
	 this is shown by the volume of the gas increasing and the pressure reducing 	
	• this reduces the temperature of the gas.	
	• the volume of the gas increases as its pressure falls	
	 this is shown on the graph by a rapid drop in pressure at a fixed volume. 	
	<u>4 - Exhaust</u>	
	 the gas leaves the cylinder at a lower temperature. 	

Mark scheme (award up to 6 marks) refer to the guidance on the cover of this document for how to apply levels-based mark schemes*.		
Level	Mark	Descriptor
	0	No rewardable material.
Level 1	1-2	 Adequate interpretation, analysis and/or evaluation of the scientific information with generalised comments being made
		Generic statements may be presented rather than linkages being made so that lines of reasoning are unsupported or partially supported
		The explanation shows some structure and coherence
Level 2	3-4	Good analysis, interpretation and/or evaluation of the scientific information
		Lines of argument mostly supported through the application of relevant evidence
		The explanation shows a structure which is mostly clear, coherent and logical
Level 3	5-6	Comprehensive analysis, interpretation and/or evaluation of all pieces of scientific information
		 Line(s) of argument consistently supported throughout by sustained application of relevant evidence
		The explanation shows a well-developed structure which is clear, coherent and logical





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