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General advice to Assistant Examiners

- 1 Correct answers to calculations always gain full credit even if no working is shown. (The 'Show your working' is to help candidates, who may then gain partial credit even if their final answer is not correct.)
- 2 Some questions may have a 'Level of Response' mark scheme. Any details about these will be in the rationale.
- 3 If an answer has been crossed out and no alternative answer has been written then mark the answer crossed out.
- 4 Abbreviations, annotations and conventions used in the detailed Mark Scheme.

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/ = alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point
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(1) = separates marking points

not = answers which are not worthy of credit
reject = answers which are not worthy of credit

ignore = statements which are irrelevantallow = 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

B641/01 Unit 1: Modules C1, C2 and C3 Foundation Tier

Qu	esti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	а		chicken (1) potato (1)	2	
	b	i	boiling / poaching / scrambling / microwave / baking / steaming / grilling (1)	1	allow other ways of cooking ignore frying
		ii	any two from: any valid change in appearance eg goes (from transparent to) white (1) any valid change in state eg goes solid / goes hard (1) change in texture (1) flavour changes (1) taste changes (1)	2	full marks can be awarded for two correct points in answer number 1 or number 2 allow microbes killed (1) allow protein denatured / toxins denatured (1)
			Total	5	

2	а	(carboxylic) acid (1) → water / H ₂ O (1)	2	not mineral acids eg hydrochloric acid allow RCOOH / RCO₂H or specific formula
	b	testing / advantage any 2 from: to check it is safe to use / AW (1) check for side effects / (allergic) reaction (1) does not harm humans / AW (1) disadvantage any 1 from: animal suffering / animal rights (1) may not have same effect on humans / AW (1)	3	use ticks allow human life is more valuable than animals (1) allow animals will react similarly to humans / animals have the same systems as humans (1) ignore references to cost do not award second mark if disadvantage contradicts advantage eg advantage animals react similarly to humans, disadvantage animals react differently to humans scores (1) but advantage animals may react similarly to humans, disadvantage animals may react differently to humans scores (2)
		Total	5	

Qu	esti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	а	i	2 (1)	1	
		ii	11 (1)	1	
	b		oxygen / O ₂ (1)	1	ignore O
	С	i	soot / carbon (1)	1	allow C (1) not charcoal
		ii	it is poisonous / toxic / kills (humans) (1)	1	ignore harmful / dangerous / can't see it / can't smell it / damages lungs allow forms carboxyhaemoglobin / reduces ability of blood to carry oxygen / AW (1)
			Total	5	
				•	
4	а	i	C (1)	1	
		ii	packaging / protecting / insulation / food containers / AW (1)	1	not bags
	b		does not rot / does not decompose / does not breakdown (1)	1	ignore does not disintegrate / does not break up allow takes a long time to rot / takes a long time to decompose / takes a long time to break down (1)
	С		any two from: waste of land / landfill full / takes up (valuable) space, fills up landfill (quickly) (1) burning produces toxic gases / burning makes carbon dioxide / burning produces gases that increase global warming (1) difficult to sort / difficult to recycle (1) uses up (valuable) resources / waste of plastic (1) traps animals / wildlife (1)	2	ignore makes dangerous / harmful gases/ pollution ignore makes toxic gases / CO ₂ if not linked to burning allow harms
				-	not poisons

5

Total

Question		ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
5	а		dissolve (oil) (1)	1	allow dissolve (pigment) / to thin the paint / keep it a liquid /
					AW (1)
	b		thermochromic (1)	1	allow answer ticked or ringed
	С		phosphorescent (1)	1	allow answer ticked or ringed
			Total	3	

6	а	oxygen / nitrogen / carbon dioxide / water (vapour) / neon / krypton / argon / xenon (1)	1	allow correct formulae
	b	any two from: kills plants / damages plants / harms plants / kills named parts of plants eg kills leaves (1) kills animals / kills fish / kills marine life (1) erodes brickwork / erodes buildings / erodes rock (1) makes lakes acidic (1)	2	allow kills wildlife (1) allow damages brickwork or buildings (1) allow higher level explanations eg leaching of heavy metal ions
	С	nitrogen monoxide + carbon monoxide → nitrogen + carbon dioxide (1)	1	allow correct formula instead of name ie NO + CO \rightarrow N ₂ + CO ₂ symbol equation does not need to balance not and / & allow =
	d	more collisions / greater collision frequency / collisions more often / more collisions per second / more successful collisions / more chance of a collision / AW (1)	1	allow more hits (1) allow lowers activation energy / AW (1) not particles move faster / particles have more energy not greater surface area as this is given in the question
		Total	5	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
7	а		brass (1) solder (1)	2	
	b	i	titanium / Ti (1)	1	
		ii	aluminium / Al (1)	1	
		iii	any two from: protective layer on surface (1) of (aluminium) oxide (1) which does not flake off (1)	2	use ticks allow permanent / impervious / insoluble for protective eg layer that prevents reaction with (moist) air scores (1) allow coating / barrier on surface for layer eg permanent coating scores (1)
		iv	advantage – (aluminium) is less dense / car body will be lighter / easier to shape / easier to bend / ora (1) disadvantage - aluminium is weaker than steel / aluminium is more expensive / not easily welded / ora (1)	2	allow density / flexibility / malleability (1) allow (aluminium) will give good fuel economy / (aluminium) makes the car more efficient to run (1) if reverse argument used then answer must be qualified eg it is more dense scores (0) but steel is more dense than aluminium scores (1) allow cost / weak ignore references to hardness
	С		saves natural resources / saves energy / reduces waste / reduces litter (1)	1	ignore saves money / less pollution
			Total	9	
8	а		(gas) syringe (1)	1	
	b	i	20 (1)	1	unit not needed

8	а		(gas) syringe (1)	1	
	b	i	20 (1)	1	unit not needed
		ii	increases / goes faster / speeds up (1)	1	allow ora if specifically stated not incorrect references to reaction time
			Total	3	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers		Rationale	
9	а	i	Na and K (1)	1	both required	
					allow sodium and potassium (1)	
		ii	K and Ni (1)	1	both required	
					allow potassium and nickel (1)	
		iii	Ni / Ag (1)	1	allow nickel / silver (1)	
	b	i	blue (1)	1		
		ii	orange (1)	1		
			Total	5		

10	а	any two from: sterilise water / water purification / kills bacteria (in water) / kills microbes (in water) / water treatment / AW (1) making plastics / making PVC (1) making pesticides (1)	2	ignore kills germs / cleans water ignore references to swimming pools unless qualified allow any other valid use of chlorine
	b	chlorine bromine iodine (1)	1	allow Cl, Br, I or Cl ₂ , Br ₂ , I ₂ (1)
	С	brown solution (1)	1	allow orange / yellow solution (1) not reaction
	d	grey / silver (1)	1	allow purple-grey / purple-silver (1) not purple / black
	е	all have 7 electrons in outer shell (1)	1	allow all need one electron (to obtain a stable outer octet) / have the same number of electrons in outer shell (1) not missing one electron
		Total	6	

11	а	i	nucleus (1)	1	
		ii	negative (1)	1	allow answer ticked or ringed
		iii	one / 1 (1)	1	allow alkali metals
		iv	(lithium) ion (1)	1	allow cation (1)
					not anion
	b		11 (1)	1	
			Total	5	

Qu	estion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
12	а	any two from: to stop reaction with oxygen (1) to stop reaction with water (1) they are very reactive (1)	2	allow to stop reaction with air (1) allow to stop reaction with moisture (1) allow because very reactive with water (2) allow because they don't react with oil (1) ignore so they can't react
	b	lithium - red sodium - orange potassium - lilac one or two correct (1) all correct (2)	2	
		Total	4	

	Overall Total	60	

B641/02 Unit 1: Modules C1, C2 and C3 Higher Tier

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	а		(carboxylic) acid (1) \rightarrow water / H ₂ O (1)	2	not mineral acids eg hydrochloric acid allow RCOOH / RCO₂H or specific formula
	b		testing / advantage any 2 from: to check it is safe to use / AW (1) check for side effects / (allergic) reaction (1) does not harm humans / AW (1) disadvantage any 1 from: animal suffering / animal rights (1) may not have same effect on humans / AW (1)	3	use ticks allow human life is more valuable than animals (1) allow animals will react similarly to humans / animals have the same systems as humans (1) ignore references to cost do not award second mark if disadvantage contradicts advantage eg advantage animals react similarly to humans, disadvantage animals react differently to humans scores (1) but advantage animals may react similarly to humans, disadvantage animals may react differently to humans scores (2)
			Total	5	

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
2	а		correct structure for pvc (1) correct structure for tetrafluoroethene (1)	2	must show the free bonds at either end but the bracket and 'n' can be missing allow CF_2CF_2 / CF_2 == CF_2
	b		hydrocarbon (1)	1	
	С		bromine (water) (1) goes from orange / brown to colourless (1)	2	allow Br ₂ / bromine solution (1) not Br allow decolourises / turns colourless / orange colour disappears (1) not goes clear / orange to clear ignore colour change / discolours
	d		any two from: waste of land / landfill full / takes up (valuable) space / fills up landfill (quickly) (1) does not biodegrade / decompose / break down (1) burning produces toxic gases / burning makes carbon dioxide / burning produces gases that increase global warming (1) difficult to sort / difficult to recycle (1) uses up (valuable) resources / waste of plastic (1) traps animals / wildlife (1)	2	allow takes a long time to ignore makes dangerous gases / makes harmful gases / makes pollution ignore makes toxic gases / makes carbon dioxide if not linked to burning allow harms (1) not poisons
			Total	7	not polocilo

Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	а	i	force between molecules / attraction between molecules (1)	1	allow bond between molecules / van der Waals attraction (1) not forces between atoms / forces between electrons / forces between particles must be clear that forces are between molecules eg forces holding molecules together scores (0)
		ii	the larger the molecule the greater the strength of the force / ora (1)	1	answer must have a comparison allow more force
		iii	the larger the force the higher the boiling point / ora (1)	1	answer must have a comparison allow more force
	b		$C_3H_8 + 5O_2 \rightarrow 3CO_2 + 4H_2O$ correct reactants and products (1) balanced (1)	2	allow any correct multiple of this equation including fractions balancing mark is dependent on correct formulae not + heat allow =
			Total	5	

4	a	any two from: tough / hard-wearing / durable / strong (1) waterproof (1) flexible (1) does not react with water / does not rot (1) can be made into fibres / easy to cut into shape (1) can be coloured (1) not irritant / doesn't react with skin (1) windproof (1)	2	allow impermeable to water (1) ignore references to insulation / keeping warm ignore references to cost or availability
	b	breathable / allows water vapour out (1)	1	allow allows air in and out (1) ignore sweat not allows water out
		Total	3	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
5	а		oil is oxidised (by air) (1)	1	allow solvent evaporates / oil reacts with oxygen / (some) oil evaporates (1) ignore references to water
	b		cups / mugs / saucepan handles / temperature strips / bath ducks / kettles (1)	1	allow other suitable use if explained eg to show if a drink is too hot scores (1) but on oven door scores (0) to tell you when it's the right temperature scores (0)
	С		idea that it absorbs or stores energy and then releases it (later) (1)	1	allow light for energy (1)
			Total	3	

6	а		any two from: increase in carbon dioxide (1) decrease in oxygen (1) because less photosynthesis (1)	2	use ticks answers must refer to changes in composition of atmosphere eg less carbon dioxide taken in scores (0) eg less plants scores (0)
	b	i	nitrogen monoxide + carbon monoxide → nitrogen + carbon dioxide (1)	1	allow correct formula instead of name ie NO + CO \rightarrow N ₂ + CO ₂ symbol equation does not need to balance not and / & allow =
		ii	more collisions / greater collision frequency / collisions more often / more collisions per second / more successful collisions / more chance of a collision / AW (1)	1	allow more hits (1) allow lowers activation energy / AW (1) not particles move faster / particles have more energy ignore greater surface area as this is given in the question
			Total	4	

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
7	а		low density (1) strongest (1)	2	use ticks for standardisation scripts only allow less dense than iron (1) not just 'density' answer must imply density not weight eg the same aeroplane made from titanium will be lighter than if made from iron scores (1) allow stronger than aluminium / stronger than iron (1) ignore any references to hardness not strong unless qualified eg very strong scores (0) allow high melting point to withstand temperature of engine /
	b		any two from: protective layer on surface (1) of (aluminium) oxide (1) which does not flake off (1)	2	allow permanent / impervious / insoluble for protective eg layer that prevents reaction with (moist) air scores (1) allow coating / barrier on surface for layer eg permanent coating scores (1)
	С		advantage – (aluminium) is less dense / car body will be lighter / easier to shape / easier to bend / ora (1) disadvantage - aluminium is weaker than steel / aluminium is more expensive / not easily welded / ora (1)	2	allow density / flexibility / malleability (1) allow (aluminium) will give good fuel economy / (aluminium) makes the car more efficient to run (1) if reverse argument used then answer must be qualified eg it is more dense scores (0) but steel is more dense than aluminium scores (1) allow cost / weak ignore references to hardness
			Total	6	

Qı	uesti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
8	а		$Mg + H_2SO_4 \rightarrow MgSO_4 + H_2 (1)$	1	allow any correct multiple allow =, not 'and' in equation
	b	i	any two from: increases because particles move faster / particles have more energy (1) more collisions per second / collisions more often / greater collision frequency (1) more energetic collisions / more successful collisions (1)	2	not just 'increases' or 'goes faster' or 'speeds up' allow more collisions if no other mark has been awarded in this part question not faster collisions / colliding faster allow harder collisions (1)
		ii	more crowded particles / particles closer together / more particles per cm³ / ora (1) more collisions per second / collisions more often / greater collision frequency (1)	2	allow more collisions if no other mark has been awarded in this part question not faster collisions / colliding faster ignore more energetic collisions / more successful collisions
			Total	5	

9	convection current in magma / AW (1)	2	the convection current must in the magma or mantle and not in
	drags along the tectonic plate (1)		the plate or core allow correctly located convection current in words or diagram allow idea of plate moving in the same direction as the convection current in words or diagram allow both marks from a labelled diagram eg the diagram
			below scores (2) Plate
			Convection current
	Total	2	

Question		on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
10	а		brown solution (1)	1	allow orange / yellow solution (1) not reaction
	b		$Cl_2 + 2Nal \rightarrow 2NaCl + l_2$ correct reactants and products (1) balanced (1)	2	allow any correct multiple of this equation including any with fractions balancing mark is dependent on correct formulae allow =, not 'and' in equation
	С		all have 7 electrons in outer shell (1)	1	allow all need one electron (to obtain a stable outer octet) / have the same number of electrons in outer shell (1) not missing one electron
	d		grey / silver (1)	1	allow purple-grey / purple-silver (1) not purple / black
			Total	5	
11	а	i	blue (1)	1	more than one answer given scores (0)
		ii	orange (1)	1	more than one answer given scores (0)
	b		any two from: changes colour / green to black (1) decomposes / breaks down / breaks up (1) a gas / carbon dioxide is given off (1) turns to copper oxide (1) mass goes down / changes (1)	2	use ticks allow goes black (1) not blue to black ignore bubbles / fizzing correct word or symbol equation scores (2) ie copper carbonate → copper oxide + copper carbonate CuCO₃→ CuO + CO₂ allow mix of formulae and words if incorrect statement given then maximum mark is (1)
	С		Fe(OH) ₂ (1)	1	if two incorrect statements given then maximum mark is (0) allow FeO ₂ H ₂ or (OH) ₂ Fe (1)
	d		nickel (1)	1	allow Ni
			Total	6	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
12	а		one / 1 (1)	1	allow alkali metals
	b		neutrons = 12 (1) electrons = 11 (1)	2	
	С		isotopes (1)	1	
	d		2.8.5 (1)	1	answer on the line takes precedence
			Total	5	

13	а		correct electrons Na is 2.8 and Cl is 2.8.8 (1) correct charges Na ⁺ and Cl ⁻ (1)	2	allow one mark for Na ⁺ being 2.8 / Cl ⁻ being 2.8.8
	b	i	ions not mobile / ions cannot move / ions can only vibrate / ions are in a fixed position (1)	1	Ignore electrons
		ii	melt it / dissolve it (in water) (1)	1	allow heat it / make the ions move ./ make it a liquid / make it a solution (1)
			Total	4	

	Overall Total	60	

B642/01 Unit 2: Modules C4, C5 and C6 Foundation Tier

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	а		potassium (1)	1	allow K (1)
	b		7 (1)	1	
	С		174 (1)	1	
	d	i	7 (1)	1	
		ii	so it can be taken in by the roots / AW (1)	1	answer must include roots or osmosis
	е	i	nitric acid (1)	1	allow HNO ₃ (1)
		ii	burette	1	
		iii	% yield = (actual mass/predicted mass) x 100 (1) or (0.45/0.50) x 100 (1) = 90 (1)	2	90 on its own is worth 2 marks % sign not needed allow (am/pm) x 100 (1) note brackets in this question are mathematical and do not indicate that words inside are not needed for answer
			Total	9	

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
2	а		any two from: salary / wages / workers (1) energy costs / heat / electricity / pressure / power / equipment (1) maintenance (1) health and safety (1) pollution controls / AW (1) rent / rates (1)	2	use ticks allow cost of hydrogen / cost of catalyst (1) ignore transport / storage / packaging / research and development
	b	i	continuous is made all the time / batch involves making drug many different times / AW (1)	1	
		==	any two from: raw materials are expensive / raw materials are rare / raw materials difficult to extract / AW (1) needs specialised workers / AW (1) needs to be made very pure / AW (1) cannot be easily automated (1) possible government legislation (1) research and development / takes a long time to make (1)	2	use ticks in this question allow it needs to be tested / is it safe (1) allow transport costs from South America (1)
			Total	5	

Qu	esti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	а	i	Wales (1)	1	
		ii	Anglia (1)	1	
	b		lakes / aquifers / wells / springs / canals / streams (1)	1	not sea water / tap water
	С		use chlorine / chlorination (1)	1	allow use oxygen / use ultra-violet light (1)
			Total	4	
4	а		carbon / C (1)	1	allow C ₆₀ (1)
	b		strong (1)	1	
			Total	2	
				•	
5	а		anode is Z (1) cathode is X (1) test tube is V (1)	3	
	b		oxygen (1) hydrogen (1)	2	allow O ₂ (1) allow H ₂ (1)
			Total	5	

Qu	esti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
6	а		3 (1)	1	
	b		add universal indicator / add pH paper (1) check against colour chart (1)	2	use ticks in this question allow check against colour chart even if wrong indicator chosen allow put pH probe into acid (1) and measure with a pH meter (1)
	С		hydrogen (1)	1	allow H ₂ (1) not H
	d		carbon dioxide (1)	1	allow CO ₂ (1)
	е	i	hydrochloric acid because graph is steeper / reaction finishes in a shorter time / more gas is produced in first ten seconds etc. / AW (1)	1	no mark for hydrochloric acid without a correct reason not just more gas is produced
		ii	59 - 61 (seconds) (1) 55 (cm ³) (1)	2	
			Total	8	
	1			1	
7	а	İ	solid / ppt / precipitate (1)	1	
		ii	aqueous / solution (in water) (1)	1	
	b		iodide / I ⁻ (1)	1	
			Total	3	
8	а		they are the same (1)	1	
	b		do not change / remain constant (1)	1	allow nothing (1)
	С	i	decreases / gets lower (1)	1	allow ora if stated
		ii	increases / gets higher (1)	1	allow ora if stated
			Total	4	

Qu	Question 9 a i		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
9	а	i	B (1)	1	
		ii	C (1)	1	
	b	i	calcium sulfate (1)	1	
		ii	calcium hydrogencarbonate (1)	1	
		iii	ethanoic acid (1)	1	
			Total	5	

10	а	chlorine, fluorine, carbon all three (2) one or two elements (1)	2	allow any order of elements not symbols if one or two incorrect elements stated max 1 if three incorrect elements (0)
	b	refrigerant (1)	1	
	С	any two from: (increased) skin ageing (1) skin cancer (1) cataracts / damages the eye (1)	2	allow sunburn (1) allow skin damage (1)
		Total	5	

11	а		subsidence / AW (1)	1	allow cracks in buildings / destroys animal habitats (1) ignore land slides
	b	i	source of ignition / lighted splint / AW (1) squeaky pop (1)	2	allow burns (1) with a squeaky pop (1)
		ii	(moist) litmus paper / indicator paper (1) loses colour / bleaches / (goes red then) white (1)	2	allow starch iodine paper (1) goes blue (1)
			Total	5	

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
12	а		(glucose →) ethanol + carbon dioxide (1)	1	either order allow mix of names and formulae allow $C_2H_5OH + CO_2$
	b		40°C (1)	1	
	С		fractional distillation (1)	1	
	d		(alcoholic) drinks / solvent / fuel (1)	1	ignore alcohol
	е		correct diagram (1) H H H H C — C — O — H H H H	1	allow -OH instead of -O-H
			Total	5	

		Overall Total	60	

B642/02 Unit 2: Modules C4, C5 and C6 Higher Tier

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
1	а		15 (1)	1	
	b		132 (1)	1	
			21.2 (%) (1)	1	allow 21% (1) allow ecf from wrong M _r
	С		so it can be taken in by the roots / AW (1)	1	answer must include roots or osmosis
	d	i	nitric acid (1)	1	allow HNO ₃ (1)
		ii	pH decreases / gets lower / goes from a number above 7 towards 7 (1) acid neutralises the ammonia / less ammonia present since it has reacted with the acid / the acid has a pH less than 7 (1)	2	mark question as a whole ie a description can be credited within an explanation ignore pH goes to 7 / pH goes neutral / pH goes green
		iii	% yield = (actual mass/predicted mass) x 100 (1) or (0.45/0.50) x 100 (1) = 90 (1)	2	90 on its own scores two marks % sign not needed allow (am/pm) x 100 (1) note the brackets are mathematical and do not indicate words not needed in the answer
			Total	9	

Qu	esti	on	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
2	а		any three from: catalyst increase the rate of reaction / catalyst makes reaction faster (1) high pressure increases the percentage yield / high pressure moves position of equilibrium to the right (1) idea of a compromise temperature so that percentage yield not too low and rate is high enough (1)		allow catalyst lowers activation energy (1)
	b		any two from: raw materials are expensive / raw materials are rare (1) needs specialised workers / AW (1) needs to be made very pure / AW (1) cannot be easily automated (1) possible government legislation (1) research and development / takes a long time to make (1)	2	allow it needs to be tested / is it safe (1) allow transport costs from South America (1)
	С		demand for drug may vary / drug cannot be stored for long so must be made on demand / only relatively small amounts of drug are needed / need for sterile conditions / AW (1)	1	ignore cost unless qualified
			Total	6	

Qu	esti	ion	Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
3	а		head labelled as hydrophilic and tail as hydrophobic (1)	1	
	b		idea that tail of detergent surrounds fat (1) idea that water molecules surround the head (1)	2	allow marks from a labelled diagram allow ecf from wrongly labelled diagram in (a)
			Total	3	
4	а		C ₆₀ (1)	1	not C60 / C ⁶⁰
	b		catalyst can be attached to nanotube / large surface (area) available (1)	1	
			Total	2	
5	а		oxygen (1) hydrogen (1)	2	allow O_2 (1) allow H_2 (1)
	b		time / seconds / minutes / hours (1) current / amps (1)		allow concentration / charge (1) ignore how much electricity
			Total	4	

Qu	Question		Expected Answers	Marks	Rationale
6	а		Mg + 2CH ₃ COOH \rightarrow Mg(CH ₃ COO) ₂ + H ₂ correct formulae of reactants and products (1) balancing (1)		allow any correct multiple of this equation balancing mark dependent on correct formulae allow Mg + 2CH ₃ CO ₂ H → Mg(CH ₃ CO ₂) ₂ + H ₂
	b i		55 (cm ³) (1)		
		ii	ethanoic acid is a weak acid / hydrochloric acid is a strong acid / ethanoic acid is weaker than hydrochloric acid / ora (1) so fewer hydrogen ions with ethanoic acid / ora with hydrochloric acid (1) so less collisions per second with ethanoic acid / ora with hydrochloric acid (1)	3	assume answer refers to HCl(aq) if not stated allow greater concentration of hydrogen ions with hydrochloric acid / ora with ethanoic acid (2) for first two marking points
	Total		Total	6	

7	а	they are the same (1)	1	
	b	do not change / remain constant (1)	1	allow nothing (1)
	С	increases / gets higher (1)	1	allow ora if stated
	d	one mole of ethene makes one mole of ethanol (1) BUT 28 grams of ethene makes 46 grams of ethanol (2) BUT so 5.6 tonnes of ethene makes 9.2 tonnes of ethanol (3)	3	allow full marks for correct answer on answer line allow 9.2 (3) allow 9 200 000 grams (3) allow 9 200 000 (2) allow ecf from wrong M _r values allow M _r of ethene = 28 and of ethanol = 46 for one mark if no other marks scored
		Total	6	

Question Expected Answers Marks Rationale 8 a copper sulphate + barium chloride → barium sulphate + copper chloride (1) 1 ignore omission of oxidation states allow = allow mix of formulae and names allow CuSO₄ + BaCl₂ → BaSO₄ + CuCl₂ (1) allow Ba²+ + SO₄² → BaSO₄ symbol equations do not have to balance b Cu²*(aq) + 2OH (aq) → Cu(OH)₂(s) correct formulae of reactants and products (1) balancing (1) correct state symbols (1) 3 allow any correct multiple of this equation balancing mark dependent on correct formulae state symbols mark dependent on correct formulae state symbols mark dependent on correct formulae 9 a i calcium sulfate (1) 1 b CaCO₃ + CO₂ + H₂O → Ca(HCO₃)₂ (1) 1 c calcium ions removed (1) replaced with sodium ions (1) 2 c calcium ions removed (1) replaced with sodium ions (1) 2 b i 2H² + 2e² → H₂ (1) 1 iii 2H² + 2e² → H₂ (1) 1 iii 2Cr → Cl₂ + 2e² / 2Cr - 2e² → Cl₂ (1) 1 iii 2Cr → Cl₂ + 2e² / 2Cr - 2e² → Cl₂ (1) 1 iii 2Cr → Cl₂ + 2e² / 2Cr - 2e² → Cl₂ (1) 1 iiii remaining ions give sodium hydroxide / AW (1) <	_	Ouestion			T	T				
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11	а		glucose → ethanol + carbon dioxide (1)	1	either order allow CO ₂ + H ₂ O not balanced
	b		fractional distillation (1)	1	
	С		enzyme denatured / enzyme loses shape / yeast dies (1)	1	not enzyme dies / enzyme killed / yeast denatured
	d		Correct diagram H H H C C C H H H H H H H H	1	allow -OH instead of -O-H
	е	i	C ₃ H ₇ OH (1)	1	allow C ₃ H ₈ O (1) any order of symbols numbers must be subscript
		ii	$C_nH_{(2n+1)}OH / C_nH_{(2n+2)}O$ (1)	1	any order of symbols numbers must be subscript
			Total	6	_
12	а		contains a double bond (between carbon atoms) (1)		allow has a C==C bond present not it has a carbon-oxygen double bond
	b		test - bromine (water) (1)	2	allow iodine

12	а	contains a double bond (between carbon atoms) (1)		allow has a C==C bond present not it has a carbon-oxygen double bond				
	b	test - bromine (water) (1) result - decolourised / turns colourless / orange to colourless (1)		allow iodine not goes clear / discoloured not colourless must state goes colourless				
	С	saponification (1)	1					
	d	reacted with hydrogen / hydrogen added (to double bond) / hydrogenation / making it saturated / AW (1)	1					
		Total	5					

Overall Total	60	
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Unit		Maximum Mark	A *	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	U
B641/01	Raw	60	-	-	-	34	28	23	18	13	0
	UMS	69	-	-	-	60	50	40	30	20	0
B641/02	Raw	60	43	35	27	19	14	11	-	-	0
	UMS	100	90	80	70	60	50	40	-	-	0
B642/01	Raw	60	-	-	-	34	28	23	18	13	0
	UMS	69	-	-	-	60	50	40	30	20	0
B642/02	Raw	60	45	37	29	22	15	11	-	-	0
	UMS	100	90	80	70	60	50	40	-	-	0

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