# Markscheme 

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## Chemistry

Higher level

## Paper 3

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## Subject Details: Chemistry HL Paper 3 Markscheme

## Mark Allocation

Candidates are required to answer ALL questions in Section A [15 marks] and all questions from ONE option in Section B [30 marks]. Maximum total $=$ [ 45 marks].

1. Each row in the "Question" column relates to the smallest subpart of the question.
2. The maximum mark for each question subpart is indicated in the "Total" column.
3. Each marking point in the "Answers" column is shown by means of a tick $(\checkmark)$ at the end of the marking point.
4. A question subpart may have more marking points than the total allows. This will be indicated by "max" written after the mark in the "Total" column. The related rubric, if necessary, will be outlined in the "Notes" column.
5. An alternative word is indicated in the "Answers" column by a slash (/). Either word can be accepted.
6. An alternative answer is indicated in the "Answers" column by "OR". Either answer can be accepted.
7. An alternative markscheme is indicated in the "Answers" column under heading ALTERNATIVE 1 etc. Either alternative can be accepted.
8. Words inside chevrons «» in the "Answers" column are not necessary to gain the mark.
9. Words that are underlined are essential for the mark.
10. The order of marking points does not have to be as in the "Answers" column, unless stated otherwise in the "Notes" column.
11. If the candidate's answer has the same "meaning" or can be clearly interpreted as being of equivalent significance, detail and validity as that in the "Answers" column then award the mark. Where this point is considered to be particularly relevant in a question it is emphasized by OWTTE (or words to that effect) in the "Notes" column.
12. Remember that many candidates are writing in a second language. Effective communication is more important than grammatical accuracy.
13. Occasionally, a part of a question may require an answer that is required for subsequent marking points. If an error is made in the first marking point then it should be penalized. However, if the incorrect answer is used correctly in subsequent marking points then follow through marks should be awarded. When marking, indicate this by adding ECF (error carried forward) on the script.
14. Do not penalize candidates for errors in units or significant figures, unless it is specifically referred to in the "Notes" column.
15. If a question specifically asks for the name of a substance, do not award a mark for a correct formula unless directed otherwise in the "Notes" column. Similarly, if the formula is specifically asked for, do not award a mark for a correct name unless directed otherwise in the "Notes" column.
16. If a question asks for an equation for a reaction, a balanced symbol equation is usually expected. Do not award a mark for a word equation or an unbalanced equation unless directed otherwise in the "Notes" column.
17. Ignore missing or incorrect state symbols in an equation unless directed otherwise in the "Notes" column.

Section A

| Question |  |  | Answers | Notes | Total |
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| 1. | a |  | Ozone: yes because it absorbs IR/is IR active $\checkmark$ Oxygen: no because it does not absorb IR/is IR inactive $\checkmark$ | Award [1 max] for stating "ozone/ $\mathrm{O}_{3}$ is a greenhouse gas but oxygen $/ \mathrm{O}_{2}$ is not". <br> Award [1 max] for stating "ozone $/ O_{3}$ absorbs IR/is IR active but oxygen $/ \mathrm{O}_{2}$ does not/is IR inactive". <br> Accept "oxygen $/ \mathrm{O}_{2}$ is not a greenhouse gas because it absorbs UV". | 2 |
| 1. | b | i | Any value or range within the range: 1300-1500 «km mol ${ }^{-1} » \downarrow$ | (It is in fact 1403 «kmmol ${ }^{-1}$ » using the same measurement technique as that used to get the data in the table). | 1 |


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| 1. | b | ii | $\mathrm{CCl}_{4}$ is symmetrical/dipoles of $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{Cl}$ bonds cancel out OR <br> $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{F}$ bond more polar «than $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{Cl}$ bond» <br> «vector» sum of bond polarities in $\mathrm{CCl}_{3} \mathrm{~F}$ non-zero/greater OR dipoles of «three» $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{Cl}$ bonds do not cancel the dipole of the $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{F}$ bond $\checkmark$ | Accept suitable diagrams with dipoles represented as vectors illustrating M1 and/or M2. <br> Accept "fluorine/F more electronegative «than chlorine/Cl»" for M1. <br> Accept converse statements throughout. Accept "dipoles will not cancel out in $\mathrm{CCl}_{3}$ F" for M2. | 2 |
| 1. | b | iii | GWP increases as IR intensity increases $\checkmark$ | Accept "GWP proportional to IR intensity". Accept "there is a positive correlation/ relationship". <br> Accept converse statement. | 1 |
| 1. | b | iv | no relationship $\boldsymbol{A N D} \mathrm{CO}_{2}$ and $\mathrm{CCl}_{4} / \mathrm{CF}_{4}$ are non-polar/have zero dipole moment «but» have very different integrated IR intensities <br> OR <br> no relationship $\operatorname{AND} \mathrm{CCl}_{2} \mathrm{~F}_{2}$ and $\mathrm{CClF}_{3}$ have «almost» the same dipole moment but have very different integrated IR intensities OR <br> no relationship $A N D$ sometimes there is a positive relationship between the two «variables» and sometimes there is a negative/no relationship between them <br> OR <br> no relationship $A N D$ as F atoms are «gradually» added to $\mathrm{CCl}_{4}$, integrated IR intensity always increases while dipole moment increases and then decreases $\checkmark$ | Accept a plot or sketch with a comment that "changes along $x$-axis produce random changes along $y$-axis". <br> Accept "yes there is a relationship, as there is still a weak overall «statistical» positive correlation". <br> Accept "dipole" for "dipole moment". | 1 |


| Question |  | Answers | Notes | Total |  |
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| 1. | b | $\mathbf{v}$ | «data from table such as integrated IR and GWP indicate that they» <br> contribute significantly to global warming/enhanced greenhouse effect $\checkmark$ <br> cause ozone depletion <br> OR <br> chlorine/Cl released when exposed to ultra-violet/UV «radiation» $\checkmark$ | Do not just accept "contributes to global <br> warming" without an indication that the effect <br> is large. <br> Do not accept just "contributes significantly to <br> limate change". <br> Award [1 max] for "persistent in atmosphere". <br> Accept a consequence of global warming <br> for M2. | 2 |


| 2. | a | Key Procedural Steps: <br> use volumetric flask $\checkmark$ <br> mix the solution <br> fill up to line/mark/«bottom of» meniscus/1 $\mathrm{dm}^{3}$ «with deionized/distilled <br> water» $\checkmark$ <br> Key Technique Aspects: <br> use balance that reads to two decimal places/use analytical balance/use <br> balance of high precision $\checkmark$ <br> mix pellets in beaker with deionized/distilled water «and stir with glass rod <br> to dissolve» <br> use a funnel «and glass-rod» to avoid loss of solution $\checkmark$ <br> need to rinse «the beaker, funnel and glass rod» and transfer washings to <br> the «volumetric» flask $\checkmark$ | Two marks may be awarded from two <br> different categories or from within one <br> category. |
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| Safety Precautions: <br> NaOH corrosive/reacts with water exothermically $\checkmark$ <br> keep NaOH in dessicator $\checkmark$ <br> let the solution cool $\checkmark$ | Do not accept "use of a funnel to transfer the <br> solid". | 2 max |  |
| 2. | bblue to green/yellow $\checkmark$ | Do not accept "keep volumetric flask in cold <br> water/ice". |  |


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| 2. | b | ii | equivalence point has been exceeded <br> OR <br> greater volume of/too much acid has been added $\checkmark$ <br> «calculated» concentration increased $\checkmark$ | Accept "end-point" for "equivalence point". <br> 2. | c |

## Section B

## Option A - Materials



| Question |  | Answers | Notes | Total |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 3. | d | i | collisions between electrons AND positive ions/cations/metal atoms/metal <br> lattice $\checkmark$ | Accept "irregularities/non-uniformity in metal <br> lattice «caused by impurities» but do not <br> accept just "impurities present". Do not <br> accept "attractions" for "collisions". | 1 |


| Question |  | Answers | Notes | Total |
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| 4. | a | possible toxicity «of small airborne particles» <br> OR <br> unknown health effects <br> OR <br> small particle size «and large surface area» may increase reaction rate to dangerous levels <br> OR <br> immune system/allergy concerns <br> OR <br> uncertain impact on environment | Accept specific health effect (eg. may cause cancer/effect on respiratory system, etc). | 1 |
| 4. | b | pores/cavities/channels/holes/cage-like structures «in zeolites» have specific shape/size $\checkmark$ <br> only reactants «with appropriate size/geometry» fit inside/go through/are activated/can react |  | 2 |
| 4. | c | Catalyst: <br> iron/Fe <br> OR <br> iron«0» «penta» carbonyl/Fe (CO) ${ }_{5} \downarrow$ <br> Conditions: <br> high temperature/any value or range within the range $900-1600^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ <br> AND <br> high pressure/any value or range within the range 10-100 atm $\checkmark$ | Accept "cobalt-molybdenum/Co-Mo/CoMo". <br> Accept high pressures expressed in $\mathrm{kPa} / \mathrm{Pa}$. | 2 |


| Question |  | Answers | Notes | Total |
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| $\mathbf{5 .}$ |  | ceramics have «giant» ionic/covalent/ionic AND covalent structures $\checkmark$ <br> metals contain lattice of positive ions/cations in sea of delocalized <br> electrons $\checkmark$ | Accept [1 max] for "ionic/covalent/ionic and <br> covalent bonds in ceramics AND metallic <br> bonds in metals". <br> Accept suitable diagram for M2. | $\mathbf{2}$ |


| 6. | a |  | «CN group makes» molecule polar <br> alignment/orientation of molecules can be controlled by electric field OR <br> allows molecules to align in an electric field/when a voltage is applied $\checkmark$ | Accept "CN is polar". | 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6. | b | i |  | Continuation bonds are necessary for the mark but brackets and $n$ can be ignored. If more than one repeating unit is drawn, do not award the mark. | 1 |
| 6. | b | ii | H bonds «form between chains from NH of one chain to CO of the next» $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |


| Question |  |  | Answers | Notes | Total |
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| 7. | a | «plasticizer molecules» fit between chains <br> OR <br> «plasticizer molecules» prevent chains from forming crystalline regions <br> OR <br> «plasticizer molecules» keeps strands/chains/molecules separated <br> OR <br> «plasticizer molecules» increase space/volume between chains $\checkmark$ <br> weakens intermolecular/dipole-dipole/London/dispersion/instantaneous <br> induced dipole-induced dipole/van der Waals/vdW forces $\checkmark$ | Do not accept "«plasticizer molecules» lower <br> density". |  |  |
| 7. | b | does not degrade/biodegrade/break down «easily» $\checkmark$ <br> occupies more space in landfills $\checkmark$ <br> incineration produces dioxins/hydrochloric acid/HCl «which can <br> contribute to acid rain» $\downarrow$ | Accept "plasticizer added to PVC can be a health <br> hazard". <br> Accept "combustion" for "incineration". <br> Do not accept simply "toxic compounds"for M3. | 1 max |  |


| 8. | a | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Fe}^{3+}+\cdot \mathrm{O}_{2}^{-} \rightarrow \mathrm{Fe}^{2+}+\mathrm{O}_{2} \checkmark \\ & \mathrm{Fe}^{2+}+\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2} \rightarrow \mathrm{Fe}^{3+}+\cdot \mathrm{OH}+\mathrm{OH}^{-} \downarrow \end{aligned}$ | Award [1] for the net equation $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}+\cdot \mathrm{O}_{2}^{-} \rightarrow$ $\mathrm{HO} \cdot+\mathrm{OH}^{-}+\mathrm{O}_{2}$. <br> Accept the hydroxyl and superoxide radicals represented without the radical symbols as long as there is consistent use of the radical symbol. | 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8. | b | $K_{s p}=\left[\mathrm{Zn}^{2+}\right]\left[\mathrm{OH}^{2}\right]^{2}$ <br> OR $\begin{aligned} & {[\mathrm{OH}]=2\left[\mathrm{Zn}^{2+}\right] \checkmark} \\ & «\left[\mathrm{Zn}^{2+}\right]=\sqrt[3]{7.5 \times 10^{-18}}=» 2.0 \times 10^{-6} « \mathrm{moldm}^{-3} » \end{aligned}$ | Award [2] for correct final answer. <br> Award [1 max] for $5.5 \times 10^{-9}$ OR $6.0 \times 10^{-9}$ «moldm ${ }^{-3}$ 》. | 2 |

## Option B — Biochemistry

| Question |  | Answers | Notes |  |
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| 9. | a | $\mathbf{i}$ | alkenyl/ethanylylidene $\checkmark$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| 9. | $\mathbf{a}$ | ii | four-ring «steroidal» backbone <br> OR <br> fused ring structure <br> OR <br> three 6-membered rings AND a 5-membered ring $\checkmark$ | Award [1] for a sketch of the steroidal <br> backbone. |
| 9. | b | medical uses of steroids «under physician supervision» <br> OR <br> detection of banned substances can be improved $\checkmark$ | Accept any specific medical use. <br> Accept answers such as "their effects «either <br> positive or negative» are better understood". |  |




| 11. | a | $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{O}_{6}(\mathrm{aq})+6 \mathrm{O}_{2}(\mathrm{aq}) \rightarrow 6 \mathrm{CO}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})+6 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{l}) \checkmark$ | Accept equations for anaerobic respiration, such as $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{O}_{6}(\mathrm{aq}) \rightarrow 2 \mathrm{C}_{3} \mathrm{H}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{3}(\mathrm{aq})$. <br> Ignore ATP if added as a product. | 1 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 11. | b | $\begin{aligned} & n\left(\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{O}_{6}\right)\left\langle=\frac{15.0}{180.18}\right\rangle=0.0833 \text { «mol» } \\ & \text { «energy }=0.0833 \times 2803=» 233 \text { «kJ» } \downarrow \end{aligned}$ | Award [2] for correct final answer. Accept - 233 «kJ». | 2 |


| Question |  | Answers | Notes | Total |
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| 11. | c | Two advantages: <br> renewable resource $\checkmark$ <br> broken down/digested by bacteria or other organisms within a relatively short time/quickly $\checkmark$ <br> reduce «volume of» plastic waste/landfill $\downarrow$ <br> reduce use of petrochemicals <br> OR <br> reduce use of fossil fuels as hydrocarbon source $\checkmark$ <br> degrade into non-toxic products <br> Two disadvantages: <br> require use of land «for crop production» <br> increased use of fertilizers/pesticides «leading to pollution» <br> OR <br> eutrophication $\checkmark$ <br> might break down before end of use $\checkmark$ <br> release of methane/ $\mathrm{CH}_{4} /$ greenhouse gas «during degradation» $\checkmark$ | Any two advantages for [2 max]. <br> M2: reference must be made to time. Do not accept "biodegradable" (since stated in question). <br> Ignore any mention of cost. <br> Any two disadvantages for [2 max]. <br> Ignore any mention of cost. | 4 max |


| Question |  | Answers | Notes | Total |
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| 11. | d |  <br> typical curve as shown in example above $\checkmark$ | Accept any curve with a single maximum (not just bell-shaped). <br> Ignore features such as pH values on a pH scale or a pH value at maximum (if given). <br> Do not penalize if curve does not touch the $x$-axis. | 1 |


| Question |  | Answers | Notes | Total |
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| 12. | a |  | Curves must be labelled and should not cross given curve. <br> Penalize one mark if one or both sketched curve(s) cross the given curve. <br> Award [1 max] if curves are not labelled competitive or non-competitive OR are labelled the wrong way round. | 2 |
| 12. | b | $\begin{aligned} & \log \frac{\left(3.70 \times 10^{-3}\right)}{\left(2.60 \times 10^{-3}\right)}=0.153 \\ & « \mathrm{pH}=4.76+0.153=» 4.91 \end{aligned}$ | Award [2] for correct final answer. Accept other method of calculation. | 2 |


| 13. | a | A and $D$ have one/few polar/hydroxyl/OH groups «but $C$ has many of those» OR <br> $A$ and $D$ have hydrocarbon/six-membered «carbon» rings «but $C$ has heterocyclic/five-membered ring» <br> OR <br> A and $D$ have long hydrocarbon chains/consist of mainly non-polar components $\checkmark$ | Accept other valid similarities or differences. Accept "hydroxy/alcohol" but not "hydroxide" for "hydroxyl". | 1 |
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| 13. | b | 0.47 AND chlorophyll b $\checkmark$ | Accept any $R_{f}$ value in the range 0.44-0.50. | 1 |


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| 14. | a |  | low $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$ level causes more oxygen to be bound to the heme high pH causes more oxygen to be bound to the heme low temperature causes more oxygen to be bound to the heme $\checkmark$ organic phosphates/2,3-BPG/DPG can decrease affinity for oxygen $\checkmark$ CO decreases saturation/binds to active site/acts as a competitive inhibitor $\checkmark$ | Accept reverse statements for mark. Award [2] if the effects of $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$ AND pH are discussed in combination. | 3 max |
| 14. | b |  | contains two gamma units «instead of the two beta units found in adults» OR differs in amino acid sequence «from the two beta units found in adults» less sensitive to inhibitors/2,3-BPG/DPG $\checkmark$ receives $\mathrm{O}_{2}$ from «partly deoxygenated» blood so can work at low $\mathrm{pO}_{2} \checkmark$ | Accept reverse statements for mark. | 2 max |

## Option C - Energy

| Question |  |  | Answers | Notes | Total |
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| 15. | a | i | 2,2-dimethylbutane OR <br> 2,3-dimethylbutane <br> OR <br> 3-methylpentane <br> OR <br> 2-methylpentane <br> OR <br> cyclohexane <br> OR <br> methylcyclopentane <br> OR <br> benzene $\checkmark$ | Accept name or structural formula. <br> Accept any mono or poly-substituted cycloalkane with a total of six carbon atoms. |  |
| 15. | a | ii | increased branching (for acyclic hydrocarbons)/aromatic/aromaticity (for benzene)/cyclic hydrocarbon <br> OR <br> tertiary radicals are more stable <br> OR <br> higher octane rating | Response in M1 must be consistent with molecule chosen in a (i). | 1 |
| 15. | b | i | « $\frac{5470}{114.26}=» 47.9$ «kJ g ${ }^{-1} » \checkmark$ |  | 1 |


| Question |  |  | Answers | Notes | Total |
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| 15. | b | ii | Advantage: <br> ethanol does not produce particulates/has less incomplete combustion/CO/HCs/VOCs/is less polluting <br> OR <br> ethanol has high octane rating <br> OR <br> ethanol is renewable <br> OR <br> less environmental risks associated with spills for ethanol <br> OR <br> less carbon dioxide $/ \mathrm{CO}_{2}$ produced if renewable energy source used <br> OR <br> economic advantages for countries that cannot produce crude oil $\checkmark$ <br> Disadvantage: <br> reduces efficiency/lowers specific energy/lowers energy <br> density <br> OR <br> ethanol is more volatile/evaporates easily «than octane or its isomers» <br> OR <br> land that could be used for food production used to produce crops for ethanol <br> OR <br> biodiversity can be affected/loss of habitats «due to energy crop plantations» <br> OR <br> phosphorus/nitrogen used in production has negative environmental effects <br> OR <br> modification of current engines «may be required» if ethanol used | Accept any valid advantage and disadvantage. <br> Ignore any mention of cost. <br> Ignore any mention of $\mathrm{NO}_{x}$. <br> Accept "if the fuel blend consists of nearly pure ethanol, engine is difficult to start in cold weather". <br> Accept for disadvantage any engine-related problem affected by ethanol use (eg. effect on fuel pumps, incorrect fuel quantity indicators, older cars may not be suitable for ethanol use, etc.). | 2 |


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| 15. | c | $2 \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{s})+2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{g}) \rightarrow \mathrm{CH}_{4}(\mathrm{~g})+\mathrm{CO}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})$ <br> OR <br> $3 \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{s})+2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{g}) \rightarrow \mathrm{CH}_{4}(\mathrm{~g})+2 \mathrm{CO}(\mathrm{g}) \checkmark$ | Accept a two-step process. | 1 |


| 16. | a |  | Reagent: methanol/ $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{OH}$ OR ethanol/ $/ \mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{OH} \checkmark$ <br> Catalyst: strong acid OR strong base $\checkmark$ | Do not accept just "alcohol". <br> Accept any strong acid such as sulfuric acid $/ \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$. <br> Accept any strong base such as sodium hydroxide/ NaOH . | 2 |
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| 16. | b |  | different solutions/statistical data can be compared/combined <br> OR <br> best ideas can be shared to arrive at global/local solutions <br> OR <br> acceleration of research <br> OR <br> discoveries become available to everyone <br> OR <br> improved confidence in validity of results «if multiple scientists/ research groups are involved» <br> OR <br> money/effort/time is not wasted duplicating work others have already done $\checkmark$ | Do not accept scientists simply working together to share ideas - look for a little more detail. <br> Accept other valid suggestions. | 1 |


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| 17. | a |  | ${ }_{90}^{232} \mathrm{Th}+{ }_{6}^{12} \mathrm{C} \rightarrow{ }_{96}^{240} \mathrm{Cm}+4{ }_{0}^{1} \mathrm{n} \checkmark$ | Accept ${ }^{232} \mathrm{Th}+{ }^{12} \mathrm{C} \rightarrow{ }^{240} \mathrm{Cm}+4 \mathrm{n}$. Accept " $4 n$ " for " 4011 " in any equation. | 1 |
| 17. | b | i | $« \lambda=\frac{\ln 2}{7.038 \times 10^{8}}=» 9.849 \times 10^{-10} \text { «years }^{-1} » \checkmark$ |  | 1 |
| 17. | b | ii | «3 half-lives, so» $2.11 \times 10^{9}$ «years» $\downarrow$ | Accept any value within range 2.11-2.13 $\times 10^{9}$ «years». | 1 |
| 17. | b | iii | produces radicals <br> «initiates chain reactions that can» damage DNA/ionizes biologically important molecules <br> OR <br> «initiates chain reactions that can» damage cells <br> OR <br> «DNA damage causes» mutations/cancer/apoptosis/cell death/weakening of immune system $\checkmark$ | Do not accept just "have long half-lives so can harm living organisms". <br> Accept other negative biochemical and/or medical effects. | 2 |
| 17. | c | i | ```mass of helium-4 nucleus \(=4 \times 1.66 \times 10^{-27} / 6.64 \times 10^{-27}\) «kg» OR mass of nucleons \(=2 \times 1.672622 \times 10^{-27}+2 \times 1.674927 \times 10^{-27} / 6.695098 \times 10^{-27}\) «kg» «mass defect \(=6.695098 \times 10^{-27}-6.64 \times 10^{-27}=» 5.51 \times 10^{-29} / 0.06 \times 10^{-27} /\) \(6 \times 10^{-29}\) «kg» \(\downarrow\)``` | Award [2] for correct final answer. | 2 |
| 17. | c | ii | $\text { «binding energy }=\frac{\Delta m \times c^{2}}{\text { nucleons }}=\frac{6 \times 10^{-29} \times\left(3.00 \times 10^{8}\right)^{2}}{4 \times 1000} »=1 \times 10^{-15} \text { «kJ nucleon }{ }^{-1} » \checkmark$ | The use of $5.51 \times 10^{-29}$ and $5.00 \times 10^{-29}$ will respectively give $1.24 \times 10^{-15}$ and $1.13 \times$ $10^{-15} \mathrm{k} \mathrm{kJ} \mathrm{nucleon}^{-1} \mathrm{~m}$. | 1 |


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| 18. |  | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{CO}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})+\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{l}) \rightleftharpoons \mathrm{H}^{+}(\mathrm{aq})+\mathrm{HCO}_{3}^{-}(\mathrm{aq}) \\ & O R \\ & \mathrm{CO}_{2}(\mathrm{~g}) \rightleftharpoons \mathrm{CO}_{2}(\mathrm{aq}) \text { AND } \mathrm{CO}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})+\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{l}) \rightleftharpoons \mathrm{H}^{+}(\mathrm{aq})+\mathrm{HCO}_{3}^{-}(\mathrm{aq}) \end{aligned}$ <br> «increasing $\left[\mathrm{CO}_{2}\right]$ » shifts equilibrium/reaction to right $\checkmark$ <br> pH decreases $\checkmark$ | Accept " $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}(\mathrm{aq})$ " for " $\mathrm{CO}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})+\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(l)$ ". | 3 |

19. 

| bond length/C=O changes |
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| $O R$ |
| «asymmetric» stretching «of bonds» |
| $O R$ |
| bond angle/OCO changes/bends $\checkmark$ |
| polarity/dipole «moment» changes |
| $O R$ | Accept appropriate diagrams.

a dipole «moment» is created «when the molecule absorbs IR» $\checkmark$

| 20. | a | Negative electrode (anode): $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{OH}(\mathrm{aq})+\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{l}) \rightarrow \mathrm{CO}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})+6 \mathrm{H}^{+}(\mathrm{aq})+6 \mathrm{e}^{-} \downarrow$ <br> Positive electrode (cathode): $\mathrm{O}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})+4 \mathrm{H}^{+}(\mathrm{aq})+4 \mathrm{e}^{-} \rightarrow 2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{l}) \downarrow$ | Award [1 max] if correct half-equations are given but at the wrong electrodes. <br> Accept e for e-. <br> Accept any correct half-equation with fractional coefficients. | 2 |
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| 20. | $\mathbf{b}$ | Advantage: <br> produces continuous supply of electricity «on addition of more raw materials" <br> OR <br> does not need to be recharged <br> OR <br> less hazardous if broken/exposed to the environment <br> OR <br> weighs less for same energy output/has higher energy density/has higher <br> specific energy than lead-acid battery $\checkmark$ <br> Disadvantage: <br> emore» expensive <br> OR <br> needs constant supply of fuel <br> OR <br> methanol/ethanol fuel cells difficult to use in cold weather <br> OR <br> methanol/ethanol fuel cells produce carbon dioxide <br> OR <br> storage/transport of gases/hydrogen a problem in hydrogen fuel cell <br> OR <br> does not produce high current <br> OR <br> potentially explosive/hydrogen is flammable $\checkmark$Do not accept "weighs less" without <br> reference to energy output/power/capacity <br> etc. |  |  |


| 21. | a | $n-$ type: <br> «small amount of» As/Sb/P/group 15 element added AND «extra» electrons $\checkmark$ <br> p-type: <br> «small amount of» Ga/In/B/group 13 element added AND «extra electron» <br> holes $\checkmark$ | Award [1 max] if only doping elements <br> or only charge carriers are given. <br> Accept "group 5/group 5A/group V" for <br> "group 15". <br> Accept "group 3/group 3A/group III" for <br> "group 13". | $\mathbf{2}$ |
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| 21. | b | large surface area «increases chance photon will be absorbed» $\checkmark$ <br> «dye allows» absorption of a wide range of wavelengths <br> OR <br> dye converts most/all absorbed photons into electrons $\checkmark$ |  |  |

## Option D - Medicinal chemistry

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| 22. | a |  | ring is «sterically» strained <br> OR <br> angles of $90^{\circ}$ instead of $109.5 / 109 / 120^{\circ}$ angles <br> OR <br> angles smaller than 109.5/109/120 $/$ /tetrahedral/trigonal planar/triangular planar angle <br> ring breaks up/opens/reacts «easily» <br> OR <br> amide/amido group «in ring» is «highly» reactive <br> binds to/reacts with/interferes with/inactivates transpeptidase/enzyme responsible for bacterial cell wall formation/cross-linking $\checkmark$ | Do not accept "cell membrane" for "cell wall". <br> Accept "bonds to" for "binds to" in M3. | 3 |
| 22. | b |  | Any two for [1 max] from: <br> leads to «bacterial» resistance «of antiobiotics» <br> OR <br> makes antibiotics less effective <br> OR <br> increased side effects due to larger dosages $\checkmark$ <br> proportion of resistant bacteria increases <br> destroys useful/beneficial bacteria <br> OR <br> destroyed bacteria replaced by more harmful bacteria <br> resistant bacteria pass on their resistance/mutation to next generation $\checkmark$ damage to ecosystems $\checkmark$ | Accept "superbugs such as MRSA develop" but superbug must be identified. | 1 max |



| 24. | a | $\mathrm{Mg}(\mathrm{OH})_{2}(\mathrm{~s})+2 \mathrm{HCl}(\mathrm{aq}) \rightarrow 2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{l})+\mathrm{MgCl}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})$ <br> OR <br> $\mathrm{Mg}(\mathrm{OH})_{2}(\mathrm{~s})+2 \mathrm{H}^{+}(\mathrm{aq}) \rightarrow \mathrm{Mg}^{2+}(\mathrm{aq})+2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{l}) \checkmark$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |
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| 24. | b | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Award [1 max] for any similarity: } \\ \text { both compounds relieve symptoms of acid reflux/heartburn/indigestion } \\ \text { OR } \\ \text { both increase the stomach pH } \checkmark \\ \text { both cause diarrhoea } \checkmark \\ \text { Award [2 max] for any two differences: } \\ \text { omeprazole stops the production of acid/is a proton-pump inhibitor AND } \\ \text { magnesium hydroxide neutralizes the «excess» acid that is present } \checkmark \\ \text { omeprazole takes longer «than magnesium hydroxide» to provide relief } \checkmark \\ \text { omeprazole is used to treat ulcers while magnesium hydroxide is not } \checkmark \\ \text { omeprazole can prevent long term damage from overproduction of } \\ \text { acid } A N D \text { magnesium hydroxide does not } \\ \text { OR } \\ \text { omeprazole has a long term effect AND magnesium hydroxide } \\ \text { has a short-term effect «only» } \checkmark \\ \text { magnesium hydroxide affects ionic balance in the body AND omeprazole does } \\ \text { not } \checkmark\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Award [1 max] if two or three correct } \\ \text { points are given about one of the } \\ \text { compounds without addressing the } \\ \text { other compound. }\end{array}$ |  |$\}$



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| 25. | c | Advantage: <br> selectively kills cancer cells/targets cancer cells only <br> OR <br> does not damage healthy cells $\checkmark$ <br> Cancer treatment: <br> melanoma <br> OR <br> leukemia <br> OR <br> rectal <br> OR <br> breast <br> OR <br> ovarian <br> OR <br> prostate <br> OR <br> pancreatic <br> OR <br> cancers that spread around the body/produce metastasis/dispersed cancers $w$ | Do not accept 'targets cancer". <br> Reference must be made to "cells". |


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| 25. | d | ALTERNATIVE 1: $\lambda «=\frac{\ln 2}{6.01} » \approx 0.115 《 h^{-1} » \checkmark$ $\text { «remaining mass }=5.80 \times 10^{-9} \times e^{-0.115 \times 24.04}=» 3.63 \times 10^{-10} « g » \downarrow$ <br> ALTERNATIVE 2: $\begin{aligned} & \text { « } \frac{24.04}{6.01}=» 4 \text { «half-lives» } \checkmark \\ & \text { «5.80 } \times 10^{-9} \\ & 2^{4} \end{aligned} » 3.63 \times 10^{-10} \text { «g» }$ | Award [2] for correct final answer. | 2 |
| 25. | e | risk vs benefit «patient and environment» <br> OR <br> providing adequate information to patients about risks OR <br> security concerns if nuclear radioactive material ended up with terrorists OR <br> cultural resistance/superstition/lack of education <br> OR <br> «potential» exposure of health workers «to radioactivity» OR <br> proper training «in radioactive hazards» not always given to workers OR <br> proper disposal of radioactive materials $\checkmark$ | Accept other valid ethical implications (note that risk of cancer to the patient is not an ethical issue, while risk of cancer to the health worker is). <br> Do not accept "security concerns" alone - there must be some reference to an ethical implication. | 1 |


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| 26. | a |  | ether $\checkmark$ | Do not accept " $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{O}-\mathrm{C}$ ". | 1 |
| 26. | b |  | Number of signals: 3 «signals» $\checkmark$ <br> Relative integration: 6:4:1 $\checkmark$ | Accept any correct ratio order. | 2 |
| 26. | c | i | polarimeter $\checkmark$ | Accept other alternative techniques such as "GC/HLPC/chromatography using a chiral column". Do not accept just "polarizer". | 1 |
| 26. | c | ii | «plane-»polarized light passed through sample $\checkmark$ <br> analyzer/second polarizer determines the angle of rotation of the plane of polarized light <br> OR each enantiomer will rotate plane «of plane-»polarized light in opposite directions «by the same angle» $\checkmark$ | Accept explanation related to other alternative techniques such as GC/ HLPC/chromatography using a chiral column. <br> Award [2] for " $(+) / d$ rotates plane of polarization to the right AND (-)// rotates plane of polarization to the left". | 2 |

