

## UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE INTERNATIONAL EXAMINATIONS

International General Certificate of Secondary Education

### MARK SCHEME for the NOVEMBER 2004 question paper

#### 0654 CO-ORDINATED SCIENCES

0654/05

Paper 5 (Practical Test), maximum raw mark 45

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	maximum mark available	minimum mark required for grade:			
		AA	CC	EE	FF
Component 5	45	31	21	17	14

The threshold (minimum mark) for B is set halfway between those for Grades A and C.  
The threshold (minimum mark) for D is set halfway between those for Grades C and E.  
The threshold (minimum mark) for G is set as many marks below the F threshold as the E threshold is above it.

Grade A\* does not exist at the level of an individual component.

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- 1 (a) data entered correctly on table  
values increase then decrease  
number of bubbles/minute calculated correctly **[3]**
- (b) suitable scale chosen  
axes labelled correctly  
plotting correct  
smooth curve drawn **[4]**
- (c) increases initially due to increased collisions/kinetic theory explanation  
reaches optimum (highest rate of reaction)  
at temperature read from graph  
decreases due to denaturation of enzyme **[2 max]**
- (d) (i) repeat readings  
keep tube in water bath throughout experiment  
collect gas in measuring cylinder or syringe  
any other suitable improvement
- (ii) repeating readings allows an average to be calculated  
maintaining a constant temperature will prevent fluctuations  
measuring quantity of gas produced would give more accurate reading of gas volume **[2]**
- (e) do experiment with constant conditions or one specified  
increase surface area  
count the bubbles  
graph/compare results **[4]**

**Total 15**

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- 2 (a) value for  $f_1$  similar to supervisor  
values  $f_2$  and  $f_3$  recorded  
average correct [3]

(b)

between F and 2F	smaller	inverted
at 2F	same	inverted
beyond 2F	larger	inverted

[9]

- (c) both lines correctly drawn  
correct measurement for height of line  
accuracy [3]

- 3 Table  
four times recorded in seconds  
times increase  
one mark for each time if within 20% of SV [6]

Graph

- axes correctly labelled  
suitable scales  
plotting correct  
suitable curve [4]  
time taken correct from graph [1]  
(d) using graph to answer in terms of **rate** (not time) [1]  
(e) weighing magnesium  
collect and measure gas volume  
drawing is suitable [3]