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Generic Marking Principles

These general marking principles must be applied by all examiners when marking candidate answers. They should be applied alongside the specific content of the mark scheme or generic level descriptions for a question. Each question paper and mark scheme will also comply with these marking principles.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:

Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:

Marks awarded are always whole marks (not half marks, or other fractions).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:

Marks must be awarded **positively**:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme, referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- marks are not deducted for errors
- marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:

Rules must be applied consistently, e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

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GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 5:

Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:

Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

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Question	Answer	Marks		
1(a)	wear chemically resistant gloves.			
1(b)	 M1 Includes the following steps. Measure the mass of 1 (Weighing) boat + solid 2 (Weighing) boat + residue / residual solid (after transfer) M2 Table and units. Headings must be unambiguous, and correct units must be included for each heading. 			
	/ g			
	Mass of boat + solid (before transfer)			
	Mass of boat (after transfer)			
	(Mass of) solid (transferred)			
1(c)	M1 Correctly placed vertical condenser including jacket.	2		
	M2 (Cold) water in at bottom and water out at the top of the condenser.			
1(d)(i)	(alkaline aqueous) iodine is in excess.			
1(d)(ii)	to ensure the reaction is complete.			

Question	Answer	Marks
1(d)(iii)	to remove soluble substances (from the residue / solid C).	1
	Acceptable named soluble substances in order of diminishing likelihood to be mentioned (aqueous alkaline) iodine Sodium hydroxide Solution B Sodium hydrogencarbonate Sodium iodide C ₇ H ₅ O ₃ - Na ⁺ C ₂ H ₃ O ₂ - Na ⁺ Water washable impurities	
1(d)(iv)	The residue is less soluble in cold water.	1
1(e)(i)	amount of $(C_6H_2 _2O)_2 = 0.764/687.6 = 1.111 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$	1
1(e)(ii)	amount of $C_9H_8O_4 = 2 \times 1(e)(i)$ (=2.222 × 10 ⁻³) mass of aspirin = 2 × 1(e)(i) × 180 (= 0.400 g)	1
1(e)(iii)	percentage aspirin by mass = (1(e)(ii) / 0.409) × 100 (= 97.8%)	1
1(f)	amount / mass of solid C would be greater (than the true value)	1
	AND	
	calculated percentage by mass would be greater than (e)(iii)	

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2(a)	588 nm (589.7)	1
2(b)(i)	n $(C_{25}N_3H_{30}Cl(s)) = 2.5 \times 10^{-2} \times 0.5 \text{ dm}^3 = 1.25 \times 10^{-2}$	1
	mass of $C_{25}N_3H_{30}Cl(s) = 1.25 \times 10^{-2} \times 407.5 = 5.09 g$	

Question			Answer	Marks
2(b)(ii)	M1 add a (small) volu AND dissolve the C ₂₅ N ₃ H ₃	, ,	water (to the small beaker)	3
	M2 Transfer the solu	tion to a 500 cm³	volumetric flask with washings.	
	M3: make up to the (AND then mix the solution	•	(with <u>distilled</u> water.) flask)	
2(c)(i)	Volume of 2.5 × 10 ⁻⁴ moldm ⁻³ crystal violet (solution E) / cm ³	Volume of distilled water / cm ³		1
	0.00	20.00		
	4.00	16.00		
	8.00	12.00		
	12.00	8.00		
	16.00	4.00		
	20.00	0.00		
2(c)(ii)	absorbance (of aqueous C ₂₅ N ₃ H ₃₀ Cl)			1
2(d)(i)	M1 points plotted cor	rectly.		2
	M2 Straight line of b	est fit drawn.		

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Question	Answer	Marks
2(d)(ii)	M1 Most anomalous point circled. (Expected to be concentration 1.0×10^{-4} moldm ⁻³ (solution 3)	2
	M2 Volume of water added (to mixture) too large OR	
	Volume of crystal violet solution / solution E added (to mixture) too small.	
2(d)(iii)	(absorbance is) (directly) proportional (to concentration of crystal violet) (within experimental error).	1
2(d)(iv)	Repeat the procedure for the solution giving an anomalous result. (Solution 3)	1
2(e)(i)	Solutions being mixed (at t=0) so reading not possible.	1
2(e)(ii)	M1 (100, 0.360) and (315, 0.180)	2
	M2 half-life correctly calculated from points listed for M1 (x1–x2) when $y_2 = 2y_1$	
2(e)(iii)	first order	1
	AND	
	half-lives are constant (within experimental error)	