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**Chemistry B**

**H433/01: Fundamentals of chemistry**

Advanced GCE

**Mark Scheme for November 2020**

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## Annotations

Annotation	Meaning
	Correct response
	Incorrect response
	Omission mark
	Benefit of doubt given
	Contradiction
	Rounding error
	Error in number of significant figures
	Error carried forward
	Level 1
	Level 2
	Level 3
	Benefit of doubt not given
	Noted but no credit given
	Ignore

Abbreviations, annotations and conventions used in the detailed Mark Scheme (to include abbreviations and subject-specific conventions).

<b>Annotation</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>DO NOT ALLOW</b>	Answers which are not worthy of credit
<b>IGNORE</b>	Statements which are irrelevant
<b>ALLOW</b>	Answers that can be accepted
( )	Words which are not essential to gain credit
—	Underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark
<b>ECF</b>	Error carried forward
<b>AW</b>	Alternative wording
<b>ORA</b>	Or reverse argument

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## Section A

Question	Key	Mark	AO element
1	C	1	1.1
2	B	1	1.1
3	B	1	1.1
4	A	1	1.2
5	D	1	1.2
6	C	1	1.2
7	C	1	1.1
8	C	1	2.1
9	C	1	1.2
10	D	1	1.1
11	D	1	2.1
12	B	1	2.5
13	B	1	2.7
14	B	1	2.7
15	A	1	1.2
16	C	1	2.8
17	C	1	2.6
18	A	1	1.2
19	C	1	1.2
20	C	1	2.2
21	B	1	2.8
22	A	1	1.1
23	D	1	1.2
24	C	1	1.2
25	D	1	2.5
26	B	1	2.3
27	A	1	2.8
28	C	1	1.2
29	B	1	1.1
30	D	1	1.2

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## Section B

Question		Answer	Mark	AO Element	Guidance
31	(a)	$C_{16}H_{34} + 24\frac{1}{2} O_2 \rightarrow 16CO_2 + 17H_2O$ ✓	1	2.5	<b>ALLOW</b> multiples. <b>IGNORE</b> state symbols
31	(b) (i)	Heterogeneous ✓ catalyst and reagents are in different states. ✓	2	1.1 x 2	Mark independently States, if given, must be correct, (g) and (S) for catalyst
31	(b) (ii)	Provides a route of lower $E_A$ ✓	1	1.1	Must mention activation, not just energy/enthalpy and alternate route.
31	(c) (i)	Colourless gas ✓ turns brown ✓	2	1.1 x 2	
31	(c) (ii)	$N_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2NO$ ✓	1	1.1	If state symbols are shown they must be correct (all (g))
31	(d) (i)	<b>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON THE ANSWER LINE</b> <b>If answer = 319 (K) award 3 marks</b>  $\Delta S_{sys} = \text{products} - \text{reactants}$ ✓  $= 213.6 + (2 \times 192.3) - 69.9 - 173.9$ $= (+) 354.4$ ✓  $\text{temp} = 113000/354.4$ $318.8 \text{ K}$ ✓	3	2.6 x 3	ALLOW 2 or more sf  <b>ALLOW</b> ecf on incorrect $\Delta S_{sys}$ Second mark subsumes first 354.4 gains 2 marks
31	(d) (ii)	$4NO + 4NH_3 + O_2 \rightarrow 4N_2 + 6H_2O$ OR $2NH_3 + NO + O_2 \rightarrow 1\frac{1}{2} N_2 + 3H_2O$ ✓	1	2.1	<b>ALLOW</b> halves/ multiples <b>IGNORE</b> state symbols

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31	(e)	<p>On short journeys the engine has not yet reached high temperature ✓</p> <p>(Equation 31.1 is) <u>endothermic</u> so (position of) eqm will be on the left ✓</p> <p>Less ammonia available to remove oxides of nitrogen ✓</p> <p>At lower temp the <u>rate</u> of formation of <u>ammonia</u> will be slower ✓</p>	4	3.1 2.5 3.1 2.5	ORA
31	(f)	<p><b>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON THE ANSWER LINE</b>  <b>If answer = 0.67 dm<sup>6</sup> mol<sup>-2</sup> award 4 marks</b></p> <p>Expression for K<sub>c</sub> ✓</p> <p>Eqm conc of hydrogen = 3 (mol dm<sup>-3</sup>) <b>AND</b>            Eqm conc of nitrogen = 2 (mol dm<sup>-3</sup>) ✓</p> <p>(K<sub>c</sub> = 6<sup>2</sup>/2 x 3<sup>3</sup>) = 0.67 ✓</p> <p>units dm<sup>6</sup> mol<sup>-2</sup> ✓</p>	4	2.6 x 4	<p><b>ALLOW</b> one or more sf.</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> ecf on incorrect [N<sub>2</sub>] and [H<sub>2</sub>]            MP1 expression, MP2 concs of both, MP3 evaluation, MP4 units            If an expression for K<sub>c</sub> contains only numbers, it must be clear which substance they relate to for MP1</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> units in either order</p>

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32	(a)		(Chlorine and bromine are) toxic ✓	1	1.1	Flammable is <b>CON</b> , <b>IGNORE</b> other correct statements e.g volatile
32	(b)		<b>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON THE ANSWER LINE</b> <b>If answer = <math>4 \times 10^{19}</math> award 3 marks</b>  Unit conversion $5/1000 = 5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ g/cm}^3$ <b>AND</b> Mole conversion $5 \times 10^{-3}/79.9 = 6.258 \times 10^{-5}$ moles ✓  Multiplication by $N_A$ ✓  $= 4 \times 10^{19}$ ✓	3	2.2 x 3	3.7625...to 2 or more sf scores 2 marks.  <b>ALLOW</b> evaluation of any expression to 1 sf for MP3
32	(c)	(i)	Orange/brown solution forms ✓	1	1.1	<b>IGNORE</b> starting colour if green/colourless/yellow <b>NOT</b> Red
32	(c)	(ii)	$\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{Br}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}^- + \text{Br}_2$ ✓	1	1.1	<b>IGNORE</b> state symbols
	(c)	(iii)	Chlorine better able to attract electrons than bromine/ Cl better oxidising agent so removes electrons from Br ✓	1	1.1	Must be comparative
32	(c)	(iv)	<b>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON THE ANSWER LINE</b> <b>If answer = <math>5.70 \times 10^4</math> (dm<sup>3</sup>) award 4 marks</b>  Volume of water electrolysed = $1000/1.24 = 806.45 \text{ dm}^3$ ✓  Moles of $\text{Cl}^-$ ions = $806.45 \times 208/35.5 = 4725.12$ ✓  Volume of chlorine = $4725.12 \times 24/2 = 56701 \text{ dm}^3$ ✓  $= 5.70 \times 10^4$ (dm <sup>3</sup> ) ✓	4	2.6 x 4	<b>ALLOW</b> 2 or more sf 57000, $1.13 \times 10^5$ , $8.72 \times 10^4$ score 3 marks.



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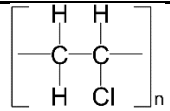
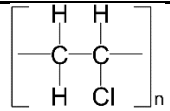
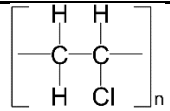
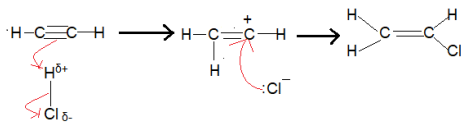
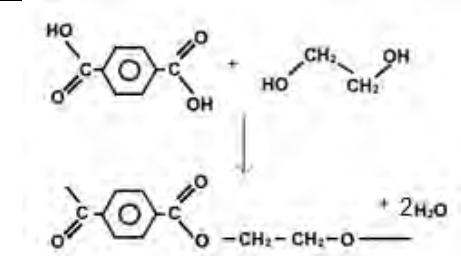
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32	(d)	(i)	Simple molecules with weak pd-pd forces/intermolecular bonds between ✓	1	2.5	If the type of imb is specified, it must be pd-pd. Must mention molecules or intermolecular
32	(d)	(ii)	$\text{HCl} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_3\text{O}^+ + \text{Cl}^-$ ✓	1	1.2	<b>ALLOW</b> $\text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{H}^+ + \text{Cl}^-$ <b>NOT</b> eqm sign
32	(e)	(i)	Oxidation states of bromine -1 <b>AND</b> 0 ✓  Oxidation states of S +6 <b>AND</b> +4 ✓	2	1.2 x 2	<b>IGNORE</b> numbers in other boxes consider as working. Ox states must have signs before the number.
32	(e)	(ii)	$2\text{HBr} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Br}_2 + \text{SO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ✓	1	1.2	<b>IGNORE</b> state symbols

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33	(a)	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Repeat unit</td> <td>Type of polymerisation</td> </tr> <tr> <td>  </td> <td>Addition</td> </tr> </table>	Repeat unit	Type of polymerisation		Addition	2	1.2	<b>IGNORE</b> brackets and 'n'.
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33	(b)	 <p>Dipole on HCl ✓ Curly arrows ✓ Intermediate and product ✓</p>	3	2.1 x 3	Curly arrows must start on bonds (or the lone pair or negative sign on chloride).				
33	(c)	(i) 1,2-dichloroethane ✓	1	1.1	<b>IGNORE</b> dashes, commas and a gap between 'dichloro' and 'ethane'				
33	(c)	(ii) Nucleophilic substitution ✓	1	2.1					
33	(c)	(iii)  <p>Product (1 repeat unit) ✓ Equation fully correct inc water ✓</p>	2	1.2 x 2	<b>ALLOW</b> monomers either ways round and single bonded oxygen on either end. <b>IGNORE</b> bracket around repeat unit.				

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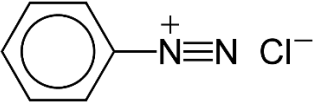
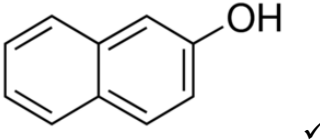
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33	(d)	<p><i>Please refer to the marking instructions on pages 4/5 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question.</i></p> <p><b>Level 3 (5–6 marks)</b> Identifies A as phenol and B as propanone using the evidence from some tests, the mass spectrum for product A and the composition of product B.</p> <p><i>There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated.</i></p> <p><b>Level 2 (3–4 marks)</b> Identifies A as a phenol and B as a ketone or C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>6</sub>O using the evidence from some tests <b>OR</b> the mass spectrum for product A <b>OR</b> the composition of product B.</p> <p><i>There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence.</i></p> <p><b>Level 1 (1–2 marks)</b> Identifies A as a phenol <b>OR</b> B as a ketone using the evidence from some tests <b>OR</b> the mass spectrum for product A <b>OR</b> the composition of product B.</p> <p><i>There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant.</i></p> <p><b>0 marks</b> No response or no response worthy of credit</p>	6	3.1 x 3 3.2 x 3	<p><b>Indicative scientific points may include:</b></p> <p><b>Product A:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is a phenol</li> <li>• It is weakly acidic, but not strong enough to react with sodium carbonate</li> <li>• Gives the purple colour with FeCl<sub>3</sub></li> <li>• Mass spectrum shows that the M<sub>r</sub> is 94</li> <li>• Consistent with phenol, C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>OH</li> </ul> <p><b>Product B:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Moles: C 5.175; H 10.3; O 1.735</li> <li>• Empirical formula is C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>6</sub>O</li> <li>• Not an acid</li> <li>• Can be reduced to an alcohol so is aldehyde or ketone.</li> <li>• Does not get oxidised by Tollen's reagent so is a ketone.</li> <li>• propanone/ CH<sub>3</sub>COCH<sub>3</sub>.</li> </ul>

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34	(a)		Below 5°C ✓  	1	1.2 x 3	Mention of alkaline conditions is <b>CON</b>  <b>ALLOW</b> without chloride ion  Bonding in naphthol must be as shown.
34	(b)	(i)	Concentrated sulfuric acid <b>and</b> reflux <b>OR</b> fuming sulfuric acid <b>and</b> 40°C ✓	1	1.2	<b>ALLOW</b> 'c'/conc' for concentrated and formula
34	(b)	(ii)	Dye <b>C</b> : Not very soluble as only the phenol group (and N atoms) can form H bonds <u>with water</u> . ✓  The rest of the molecule has weak id-id imbs . ✓  Dye <b>D</b> : More soluble because SO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> /O <sup>-</sup> can form ion dipole bonds <u>with water</u> . ✓  Forms more H bonds with water. ✓	4	2.7 x 4	Must mention groups that can H bond to score
34	(c)	(i)	Electrons in the extended delocalised system ✓ electrons move to higher energy levels ✓ $\Delta E = h\nu$ ✓	3	1.1 x 3	Splitting d-orbitals is <b>CON</b> for MP1, <b>IGNORE</b> chromophore alone
		(ii)	Complementary colour is seen/ frequencies not absorbed are seen (AW)	1	1.1	Light emitted is <b>CON</b>

Question		Answer	Mark	AO Element	Guidance
34	(d)	The $\text{NH}_2$ groups on wool become <u>protonated</u> /turn to $\text{NH}_3^+$ in weak acid ✓ Ionic interactions between $\text{SO}_3^-/\text{O}^-$ groups and $\text{NH}_3^+$ ✓	2	2.7 x 2	
34	(e)	<p><i>Please refer to the marking instructions on pages 4/5 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question.</i></p> <p><b>Level 3 (5–6 marks)</b> Detailed description of calibration of the colorimeter. <b>AND</b> Detailed description of testing of fabric samples. <b>AND</b> Includes several controlled variables. <i>There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated.</i></p> <p><b>Level 2 (3–4 marks)</b> Detailed description of calibration of the colorimeter. <b>OR</b> Detailed description of testing of fabric samples. <b>AND</b> Includes several controlled variables.</p> <p><b>OR</b> Outline description of calibration of the colorimeter. <b>AND</b> Outline description of testing of fabric samples. <b>AND</b> Includes a few controlled variables.</p> <p><i>There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence.</i></p>	6	3.1 x 2 3.3 x 2 3.4 x 2	<p><b>Indicative scientific points may include:</b></p> <p><b>Calibration of the colorimeter:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Make up several solutions of dye of known concentration.</li> <li>• Select a colour filter complementary to the dye colour.</li> <li>• Zero colorimeter with a cuvette of water.</li> <li>• Measure the absorbance of the standard dye solutions.</li> <li>• Plot a calibration curve.</li> </ul> <p><b>Testing the fabric samples:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Immerse fabric in water at the desired temperature for a fixed time and stir.</li> <li>• Remove fabric and test remaining water to find absorbance.</li> <li>• Use calibration curve to find concentration of dye washed out of the fabric.</li> <li>• Repeat using water of different temperatures.</li> </ul> <p><b>Controlled variables.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Immerse the fabric in water for a fixed time.</li> <li>• Use the same volume of water each time.</li> <li>• Keep the stirring constant</li> <li>• Cut the fabric into equal sized pieces for testing.</li> <li>• Same type of fabric</li> </ul>

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			<p><b>Level 1 (1–2 marks)</b>            Outline description of calibration of the colorimeter.  <b>OR</b>            Outline description of testing of fabric samples.  <b>OR</b>            Identifies a few controlled variables.</p> <p><i>There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant.</i></p> <p><b>0 marks</b>            No response or no response worthy of credit</p>			

Question			Answer	Mark	AO Element	Guidance
35	(a)	(i)	White precipitate ✓	1	1.2	
		(ii)	$\text{Ag}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{Cl}^-(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{AgCl}(\text{s})$ ✓	1	1.2	
35	(b)		<p><b>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON THE ANSWER LINE</b>  <b>If answer = 0.53 award 3 marks</b></p> <p>Moles of <math>\text{Cl}^-</math> ions in 25 cm<sup>3</sup> of the diluted sea water = 0.1 x 0.0265 (=2.65 x 10<sup>-3</sup>) ✓</p> <p>Moles of chloride ions in 20 cm<sup>3</sup> original sea water = 0.1 x 0.0265 x 100/25 (=0.0106) ✓</p> <p>Concentration of <math>\text{Cl}^-</math> ions in original sea water = 0.1 x 0.0265 x 100/25 x 1000/20 = 0.53 (mol dm<sup>-3</sup>) ✓</p>	3	2.8 x 3	<p><b>ALLOW</b> 2 or more significant figures 0.106 scores 2</p> <p><b>OR</b>            conc <math>\text{Cl}^-</math> (in diluted) = 26.5 x 0.1/25 = 0.106 ✓✓            conc <math>\text{Cl}^-</math> (in undiluted) = 26.5 x 0.1/25 x 5 = 0.53 ✓</p>
35	(c)	(i)	<p>At end point <math>[\text{Ag}^+] = [\text{Cl}^-]</math>, stated or implied ✓</p> <p><math>[\text{Ag}^+] = \sqrt{K_{\text{sp}}}</math> ✓</p>	2	2.7 2.8	Second mark depends on first
35	(c)	(ii)	<p><math>[\text{CrO}_4^{2-}] = 2.5 \times 10^{-4} \times 1000/53.50</math>  <math>= 4.67 \times 10^{-3}</math> ✓</p> <p><math>[\text{Ag}^+]^2 [\text{CrO}_4^{2-}] = 2 \times 10^{-10} \times 4.67 \times 10^{-3}</math>  <math>= 9.35 \times 10^{-13}</math> ✓</p> <p>This is less than the solubility product of silver chromate so no precipitate (of silver chromate) forms (before all the <math>\text{Cl}^-</math> ions have reacted). ✓</p>	3	3.1 x 3	<p>Alternative method:  <math>[\text{CrO}_4^{2-}]</math> when ppt forms = <math>3 \times 10^{-12}/[\text{Ag}^+]^2</math>  <math>= 0.015</math> ✓</p> <p><math>[\text{CrO}_4^{2-}]</math> in the solution is <math>2.5 \times 10^{-4} \times 1000/53.50</math>  <math>= 4.67 \times 10^{-3}</math> ✓</p> <p>This less than the 0.015 needed for a precipitate so no ppt forms ✓</p> <p><b>ALLOW MP3</b> if a correct conclusion from incorrect calculated numbers</p>

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