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Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(a)(i)	(help) digestion / kill bacteria / break down food	Allow break up food	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(a)(ii)	A		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(a)(iii)	C		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(b)(i)	 An explanation linking two of the following (indigestion is caused by excess) acid (1) (indigestion tablets) remove / react with / break down / neutralise /increase the pH / change the pH to 7 / form a salt with the acid (1) 	Ignore dilute / dissolve Allow {magnesium carbonate / indigestion tablets} are bases (allow alkali)	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(b)(ii)	С		(1)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
1(c)	 An explanation linking two of the following points: calcium carbonate {reacts with / absorbs / neutralises / removes / eliminates } gas(1) waste gases /acidic gases / sulfur (di)oxide / nitrogen (di)oxide (1) 		
	 (these) gases / sulfur (di)oxide/ nitrogen (di)oxide do not escape (into the atmosphere) (1) so they do not cause acid rain (1) 	Allow there will be less acid in the atmosphere	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(a)	fractional distillation (2)	distillation / fractionation (1)	(2)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
2(b)	(oil well) C		
			(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(c)	fuel oil		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(d)	С		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(e)	 An explanation including the following: (compound of) carbon and hydrogen (1) only (1) 	Ignore reference to mixture	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(f)	 A description including the following (pass gas into) { limewater / calcium hydroxide solution} which turns {milky / cloudy / white precipitate} (2) 	Allow limewater / calcium hydroxide solution with incorrect or no observation (1) Ignore puts out a flame	(2)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
3 (a)	(contains carbon-carbon) double bond / multiple bond	Allow it is an alkene Allow it decolourises bromine Ignore spare bonds	(1)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
3(b)(i)	С		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(b)(ii)	В		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(c)	A description including three of the following:		
	 heat the (liquid) paraffin (1) 		
	 liquid paraffin vapourised (1) 	Allow liquid paraffin turns to a gas (but not if the gas is ethene)	
	 cracking (1) 		
	 heat / hot porous pot (1) 		
	 causes thermal decomposition / breaks down (1) 		
	 (causes)large molecules / chains (1) 		
	 (to produce) small molecules / chains(1) 		(3)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(d)	A description including two of the following pointsdouble bond (1)	Points may be shown on a diagram / equation. Ignore conditions.	
	 (double bond) breaks (1) ethene is a monomer (1) many ethene (molecules)(1) 	Allow opens up /becomes a {single bond / alkane}	
	 join / add / combine / react /bond (1) to form polymer / (during) polymerisation(1) 	Allow to form a long chain	(2)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
3 (e)	An explanation linking two of the following points:		
	 non-biodegradable(1) 		
	 (therefore) does not rot / does not break down / disintegrate(1) 		
	 lasts for a long time / stays there(1) 		
	 fills up landfill (sites)(1) 		
	 (causes) litter / looks unattractive (1) 		
	 causes pollution (1) 		
	 can be a danger to wildlife (1) 		
	 produces gases when burnt (1) 		
	• a gas mentioned as a result of burning linked to the environmental problem it causes eg carbon dioxide is a greenhouse gas, some gases		
	are toxic (1)		(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(a)(i)	nitrogen / N ₂	Reject nitrate / N	(1)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
4(a)(ii)	А		(1)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
4(b)(i)	С		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(b)(ii)	An explanation linking two of the following points:	Ignore 'breathes in or out'	
	 decrease the percentage of /removes / takes in carbon dioxide (1) 	Ignore decreases amount of oxygen	
	 increase the percentage of /produces / gives out oxygen (1) 	Ignore increases amount of carbon dioxide	
	 photosynthesis (1) 		(2)

Questio	on	Indicative Content	Mark
Numbe	r		
QWC	*4(c)	 A description including some of the following points: push / pull syringes to move air volume of air in syringes decreases oxygen removed from air copper reacts / joins with oxygen copper oxide formed continue until no further change allow (apparatus) to cool final reading on gas syringe = 100 – 21 / 79 (80) cm³ because 21 (20) cm³ of oxygen has reacted 	
			(6)
Level	0	No rewardable content	
1	1 - 2	 a limited description e.g. push in syringe A to pass air over the copper / copper reacts with oxygen the answer communicates ideas using simple language and uses limited scientific terminology spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited accuracy 	
2	3 - 4	 a simple description e.g. (hot) copper reacts with oxygen to produce copper oxide / copper oxide is formed and the volume of air decreases the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of clarity and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriately spelling punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy 	
3	5 - 6	 a detailed description e.g. when the air is passed over the (hot) copper, oxygen reacts with copper so the volume of air decrease until there is no further change /by 21 cm³ the answer communicates ideas clearly and coherently uses a range of scientific terminology accurately spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with few errors 	

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
5(a)(i)	D		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5(a)(ii)	 An explanation linking three of the following points dead animals / plants (1) 	Ignore heat	
	 (dead animals / plants) become covered in sediment (1) 	Allow covered in sand / rock / limestone	
	 are {squashed / crushed / compacted / pressured} (as layers of sediment build up on top of one another) (1) 		
	 long time period (1) 		
	 fossils are caused by skeletons /bones / shells / remains (1) 		(3)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5(b)	An explanation linking the following points		
	(limestone is subject to)heat(1)	Ignore melting / magma / lava	
	• and pressure (1)	Ignore crushed	
	(from the surrounding earth)		(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5(c)(i)	D		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5(c)(ii)	calcium carbonate → calcium oxide + carbon dioxide	Ignore heat in equation or on arrow Allow correct formulae instead of words e.g. $CaCO_3 \rightarrow CaO + CO_2$	(1)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
5(d)	A description to include two of the following points bubbles / fizzes (1) 	Ignore any colour changes	
	• steam (1)	Allow smoke	
	• solid swells (1)		
	 (solid) crumbles / breaks up (1) 		
	 white powder (1) 		
	 (some) of the solid disappears (1) 	Allow dissolves	
	 water goes cloudy / milky (1) 		(2)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
6(a)	(electrical) wiring		
			(1)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
6(b)	ore(s)		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
6 (c)(i)	 An explanation linking two of the following points strength / strong (1) (to) withstand forces/hold up heavy cable (1) 	Reject reasons for copper or aluminium being the best metal to use MAXIMUM (1) if include poor resistance to corrosion and/or good conductor of electricity	
	 low cost / cheap(1) 		(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
6(c)(ii)	 An explanation linking two from the following points low density/light(1) (so) fewer pylons needed / easier to support (1) (therefore) low cost/ 	Ignore any additional properties mentioned in answer	
	cheap(T)		(2)

Questio	Stion Indicative Content Mar		Mark
	*6(d)	An explanation including some of the following points	
	U	 copper used for pipes / wiring / vehicles aluminium used for cans / wires / alloys steel used for bridges / making stainless steel cutlery etc recycled metals can be made into something useful saves (finite) resources / stops the metal (ore) running out less damage to environment by mining/quarrying less waste landfill sites will not fill up as quickly (some) metals do not corrode /break down (so)remain a long time in landfill so fewer landfills needed less damage to environment from waste copper waste toxic less expensive than electrolysis 	(6)
Level	0	No rewardable content	
1	1 - 2	 a limited explanation e.g. if we throw the metals away they will run out / if we recycle, the metal can be used for something else the answer communicates ideas using simple language and uses limited scientific terminology spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited accuracy 	
2	3 - 4	 a simple explanation e.g. throwing the metals away will fill up landfill recycling will save mining for new ore the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of clarity and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriately spelling punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy 	sites,
3	5 - 6	 a detailed explanation e.g. Recycled metals can be made into other u products. Metals in landfill sites do not corrode quickly. If new ore is a deposits will eventually run out. the answer communicates ideas clearly and coherently uses a range of scientific terminology accurately spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with few errors 	seful used of

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