


## Mark scheme – Monitoring Chemical Reactions (H)

Question			Answer/Indicative content	Marks	Guidance
1			B ✓	1 (AO2.2)	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	
2			D ✓	1 (AO1.1)	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	
3			C ✓	1 (AO1.1)	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	
4			D ✓	1 (AO2.2)	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	
5			A ✓	1(AO 1.2)	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	
6			A ✓	1(AO 1.1)	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	
7	a		<p><b>Any one from:</b>            Use a single indicator / named single indicator eg methyl orange / phenolphthalein (instead of universal indicator) ✓            Idea that universal indicator does not give a sudden colour change / universal indicator gives a continuous colour change / ORA ✓</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p>Fill the burette exactly to the 0.00 cm<sup>3</sup> line ✓            Idea that this will give accurate volume of acid ✓</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p>Idea of adding acid to the alkali <u>slowly</u> or <u>dropwise</u> (near the end point) ✓            Idea that indicator should change colour on addition of one drop (of acid) ✓</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p>Idea of swirling the alkali while adding the acid ✓            To ensure mixing of acid and alkali / AW ✓</p>	2 (AO3.3b)	<p><b>Explanation must be linked to improvement</b>  <b>ALLOW</b> idea of using a pH probe or pH meter to give a more accurate indication of when neutralisation occurs</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> idea of missing the end point</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> two improvements, with no explanation, for 1 mark if no explanations given</p>

			<p><b>OR</b></p> <p>Use a white tile under the conical flask ✓ To see the colour change easily / clearly ✓</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p>Repeat the experiment <u>until concordant or consistent results are obtained</u> ✓ To obtain a more accurate titre / AW ✓</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p>Idea of doing a rough titration ✓ As this will give you an idea of the endpoint ✓</p>		
	b	i	<p><b>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b> <b>If answer = 23.65 (cm<sup>3</sup>) award 2 marks</b></p> <p>Use of volume of acid from titrations 2, 3 &amp; 4 / Use of 23.60, 23.70 &amp; 23.65 ✓</p> <p>Accurate volume of acid = 23.65 (cm<sup>3</sup>) ✓</p>	2 (AO2.2)	<p><b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> 23.7 (cm<sup>3</sup>)</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> 1 mark for average calculated using all results, ie 24.18 / 24.175 (cm<sup>3</sup>) but <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> 24.2 (cm<sup>3</sup>)</p>
		ii	<p><b>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b> <b>If answer = 0.106 (mol / dm<sup>3</sup>) award 4 marks</b></p> $\text{moles of alkali} = \frac{0.200 \times 25.0}{1000} / 0.200 \times 0.0250 /$ $\text{moles of acid} = \frac{0.005}{2} = 0.0025 / 2.5 \times 10^{-3} \checkmark$ $= \frac{0.0025}{0.02365} / \frac{0.0025 \times 1000}{23.65} /$ $\frac{2.5 \times 10^{-3}}{0.02365} / \frac{2.5 \times 10^{-3} \times 1000}{23.65} /$ <p>0.1057 (mol/dm<sup>3</sup>) ✓</p> <p>concentration = 0.106 (mol / dm<sup>3</sup>) (3 sig. figs) ✓</p>	4 (AO3 × 2.2) (AO1.2)	<p><b>ALLOW</b> ECF from moles of alkali</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> ECF from average titre in (i)</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> ECF from moles of acid i.e. conc = <math>\frac{\text{moles}}{0.02365}</math> or <math>\frac{\text{moles} \times 1000}{23.65}</math></p>
			<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	
8	a	i	<p><b>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b> <b>If answer = 0.00125 / 1.25 × 10<sup>-3</sup> award 2 marks</b></p> $\text{Moles} = \frac{\text{volume}}{24} / \frac{0.030}{24} / \frac{30}{24,000} \checkmark$ $= 0.00125 / 1.25 \times 10^{-3} \checkmark$	2 (AO2.2)	<b>ALLOW</b> 1 mark only for 30 ÷ 24 or 0.030 ÷ 24,000, correctly calculated

		ii	0.0025 / $2.5 \times 10^{-3}$ (g) ✓	1 (AO2.2)	<b>unit not needed</b> <b>ALLOW</b> ECF from (i) ie 2 x answer from (i)
	b		$\text{Moles of chromium} = \frac{10.40}{52.0} = 0.2 \checkmark$ $\text{Moles of nickel} = \frac{17.61}{58.7} = 0.3 \checkmark$ <p>Idea that ratio is 2:3 / ratio isn't 1:1 so <u>equation 2</u> ✓</p>	3 (AO2.2)	<b>ALLOW</b> other methods of calculation eg 10.40g of chromium forms $\frac{10.40 \times 58.7}{52.0}$ $= 11.74\text{g nickel}$ $\frac{11.74 \times 2}{3} = 17.61\text{g}$ of nickel So, equation 2 <b>ALLOW</b> answers that show equation 1 is not correct <b>Third marking point is dependent on correct mathematical reasoning</b>
			<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	
9		i	<b>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b> <b>If answer = 120 (tonnes) award 3 marks</b>  $M_r$ of $\text{NH}_3 = 17$ <b>AND</b> $M_r$ of $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3 = 80 \checkmark$  Mass of ammonium nitrate = $\frac{80}{17 \times 25.5 / 1.5} \times 80 \checkmark$  = 120 (tonnes) ✓	3 (AO2.1)	<b>ALLOW</b> ECF from incorrect RMMs
		ii	<b>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b> <b>If answer = 10(g) award 2 marks</b> Actual mass = $\frac{80 \times 12.5}{100} \checkmark$  = 10 (g) ✓	2  (AO1.2)  (AO2.2)	<b>ALLOW</b> % yield = $(\text{am} \div \text{pm}) \times 100$ <b>OR</b> $80 = (\text{am} \div 12.5) \times 100$ for 1 mark if no other mark awarded
			<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	
10	a		<b>FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b> <b>If answer = 2.24 / 2.243 / 2.2 (dm<sup>3</sup>) award 2 marks</b>  Moles of ammonium chloride = $5.00 \div 53.5$ or 0.0935 ✓  Volume of ammonia = moles $\times$ 24 = $0.0935 \times 24$ = 2.24 / 2.243 / 2.2 (dm <sup>3</sup> ) ✓	2(AO 2.2)	<b>ALLOW</b> 0.09 / 0.094  <b>ALLOW ECF</b> from moles of ammonium chloride <b>if first mark not awarded</b>

		<p><b>OR</b></p> <p><math>2 \times 53.5 = 107\text{g}</math> ammonium chloride produces <math>2 \times 24 = 48\text{ dm}^3</math> ammonia ✓</p> <p>So 5.00g of ammonium chloride produces <math>\frac{5 \times 2 \times 24}{2 \times 53.5}</math></p> <p><math>= 2.24 / 2.243 / 2.2\text{ (dm}^3\text{)}</math> ammonia ✓</p>		<p><b>ALLOW</b> 2.16 (ECF from 0.09)</p> <p><b>Examiner's Comments</b></p> <p>Higher ability candidates correctly calculated the volume of ammonia gas as <math>2.24\text{dm}^3</math>. Examiners gave error carried forward for correctly converting an incorrectly calculated number of moles to a volume.</p> <p>Common errors in this calculation included</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• using 107 (<math>2 \times 53.5</math>) as the formula mass before calculating the number of moles of <math>\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}</math> to give an answer of 1.12</li> <li>• just multiplying <math>5(\text{g}) \times 24</math></li> <li>• dividing the number of moles by 24</li> <li>• converting <math>24\text{dm}^3</math> to <math>\text{cm}^3</math> before multiplying by the number of moles</li> </ul>
b	i	<p>Moles of acid/HCl = <math>35.0 \div 1000 \times 0.075</math> <math>= 0.002625 / 0.0026 / 2.625 \times 10^{-3} / 2.6 \times 10^{-3}</math> ✓</p> <p>Moles of alkali / NaOH = <math>25.0 \div 1000 \times 0.100</math> <math>= 0.0025 / 2.5 \times 10^{-3}</math> ✓</p> <p>The acid is in excess ✓</p>	3(AO 2.2)	<p><b>ALLOW</b> 1 mark for moles of acid = 2.625 <b>and</b> moles of alkali = 2.5 (ie use of <math>\text{cm}^3</math> instead of <math>\text{dm}^3</math>)</p> <p><b>Third mark dependent on clear attempt at a calculation of moles of acid and alkali</b> <b>ALLOW ECF</b> from calculated moles of acid and alkali</p> <p><b>Examiner's Comments</b></p> <p>Many candidates correctly calculated the moles of HCl and NaOH and deduced that the HCl is in excess.</p> <p> <b>AfL</b></p>

					Many candidates still forget to convert cm <sup>3</sup> to dm <sup>3</sup> before calculating moles or concentrations – see also Question 22(c).
		ii	<p>Correct choice of concordant results – 36.3 and 36.2 ✓</p> <p>Mean = <math>(36.30 + 36.20) \div 2</math> = 36.25 (cm<sup>3</sup>) ✓</p>	2(AO 2.2)	<p><b>ALLOW</b> 1 mark for <b>ECF</b> from any incorrect choice of concordant values eg 35.875 / 35.88 / 35.9 (cm<sup>3</sup>) if all values are used</p> <p><b>Examiner's Comments</b></p> <p>Many candidates correctly selected the concordant results from titrations 1 &amp; 4 to calculate the mean volume as 36.25 cm<sup>3</sup>.</p> <p>Lower ability candidates tended to calculate the mean from all four titres; 1 mark was given.</p>
			<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	
11	a		<p>Mean titre = 17.1 (1)</p> <p>Because titration 1 is a rough estimate / titration 1 is an outlier / titrations 2 and 3 are identical (1)</p>	2	<b>IGNORE</b> anything in the titration table
	b		<p>Moles of acid = 0.00171 (1)</p> <p>Concentration of KOH = 0.0684 (1)</p>	2	<p><b>ALLOW ECF</b> from incorrect titre / <math>0.100 \times \text{titre} \times 10^{-3}</math></p> <p><b>ALLOW ECF</b> from incorrect moles providing answer is to 3 sig figs / moles ÷ volume</p>
	c		<p><math>M_r</math> of KOH = 56.1 (1)</p> <p>Concentration of KOH = 3.84 (1)</p>	2	<p><b>ALLOW</b> correct answer without working</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> 3.837</p> <p><b>ALLOW ECF</b> from incorrect <math>M_r</math> and / or incorrect concentration from (b) / <math>M_r \times \text{conc}</math></p>
			<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	
12			A	1	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	
13			D	1	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	
14			C	1	

			<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	
15			D	1	
			<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	
16		i	<p>Titrate ammonia against sulfuric acid to obtain volumes needed for complete neutralisation (1)</p> <p>Add these volumes without the use of indicator (1)</p> <p>Slow evaporation of reaction mixture / heat reaction mixture over a steam bath (1)</p> <p>Burette and other chemical apparatus not suitable for using large quantities / very difficult to use a steam bath in the large scale (1)</p>	4	<p><b>ALLOW</b> heat neutral mixture with carbon or charcoal and then filter off carbon</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> Slow evaporation of filtrate / heat filtrate over a steam bath if method involving carbon is used</p>
		ii	<p>34 (g or tonnes) of ammonia makes 132.1 (g or tonnes) of ammonium sulfate / 17 (g or tonnes) of ammonia makes 66 (g or tonnes) of ammonium sulfate (1)</p> <p>So 51 tonnes makes 198.1 tonnes of ammonium sulfate (1)</p>	2	<p><b>ALLOW</b> one mark for correct calculation of <math>M_r</math> for ammonia <b>AND</b> ammonium sulfate</p> <p><b>IGNORE</b> units for the first marking point</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> one mark for 2 moles of ammonia makes 1 mole of ammonium sulfate</p>
			<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	
17			<p>Percentage yield = (actual yield ÷ predicted yield) × 100 / (2.2 ÷ 4.0) × 100 (1)</p> <p>55 (1)</p>	2	<b>ALLOW</b> full marks for answer with no working out
			<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	