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1 (a)(i)	(vitamin C / ascorbic acid) oxidation / oxidized / oxidised ALLOW oxidisation	Redox / oxidation- reduction / reduction-oxidation	1

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1 (a)(ii)	(very) pale yellow / straw coloured (1) IGNORE 'just before the end-point' blue-black to colourless (both needed) (1)	Just 'yellow'	2
	Accept (dark) blue or black ALLOW pale yellow / straw coloured to colourless for 1/2		

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1 (a)(iii)	Moles $S_2O_3^{2^-} = 27.85 \times 10^{-3} \times 0.0631$ (1) $(= 1.757335 \times 10^{-3})$		5
	moles of I_2 remaining = Moles $S_2O_3^{2-} \div 2$ = 27.85 x 10 ⁻³ x 0.0631 \div 2 = 8.786675 x 10 ⁻⁴ = 8.79 x 10 ⁻⁴ (1)		
	Moles ascorbic acid = moles I_2 at start - moles I_2 remaining = $2.00 \times 10^{-3} - 8.786675 \times 10^{-4}$ = $1.1213325 \times 10^{-3} = 1.12 \times 10^{-3}$ (1)		
	M_r (ascorbic acid) = 176 Mass ascorbic acid in 250 cm ³ = 10 x M_r x moles ascorbic acid = 10 x 176 x 1.1213325 x 10^{-3} (1) (= 1.97355)		
	Percentage ascorbic acid in tablet 100 x mass ascorbic acid in 250 cm 3 ÷ 2 = 100 x 10 x 176 x 1.1213325 x 10 $^{-3}$ ÷ 2 = 98.67726 = 98.7% (1)	Answers greater than 100%	
	IGNORE SF except 1 SF Premature rounding gives 98.5% (5)		
	Correct answer with no working scores full marks		
	TE at each stage of the calculation.		

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1(a)(iv)	EITHER		1
	Using larger mass reduces the percentage	Just 'reduces the	
	error / uncertainty (in weighing)	percentage error'	
	OR		
	Using larger amount reduces the percentage	Titration value will	
	error / uncertainty in weighing	be larger (with four	
	OR	tablets) so reduces	
	Reverse discussion of two tablets	the percentage	
		error (in volume	
	ALLOW	measurement)	
	using four tablets gives a more	_	
	representative sample		

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1 (b) (i)	HO ** HO OH HO (2) Mark independently ALLOW any clear indication of chiral centres		2

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1 (b)(ii)	First mark Use of (plane-)polarized light (mentioned somewhere) ALLOW Use a polarimeter (1)		2
	Second mark Pure optical isomer / enantiomer) rotates the plane of (plane-) polarized light OR racemic mixture has no effect on the plane of (plane-) polarized light (1) IGNORE optically active / inactive ALLOW rotates plane-polarized light scores 2		

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1(b)(iii)	(Ester group / vitamin C / it) is hydrolysed ALLOW	C=0 is broken	1
	Vitamin C is oxidized Ester / vitamin C is broken down to form carboxylic acid and alcohol (groups)	Just 'oxidation'	
	IGNORE Just 'breaks down'		

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2(a)(i)	(Amount $CO_2 = 0.0584 \text{ dm}^3 \div 24 \text{ dm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$) = $0.0024333/2.4333 \times 10^{-3} \text{ (mol)}$ IGNORE sf except 1 No working needed Mark final answer	0.002/2 x 10 ⁻³ or any other value WRONG units with correct numerical answer scores (0)	1

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2(a)(ii)	First mark: amount CO ₂ = amount NaHCO ₃ OR use of candidate's answer to (a)(i) stated (or implied by final answer given) (1)		2
	Second mark: ∴ mass NaHCO ₃ = 0.0024333 (mol) x 84 (g mol ⁻¹) = 0.2044 (g) ALLOW 0.2 (g)		
	This mark is for evidence of multiplying their moles of NaHCO ₃ by 84 (1)		
	IGNORE sf including 1 sf Correct answer with no working scores (2) ALLOW consequentially from (i).		

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2(a)(iii)	<pre>% purity = (0.2044 g x 100) ÷ 0.227g = 90.04 % (1) = 90% (1) (2 sf only) ALLLOW consequentially from (i) and (ii) NOTE: The second mark to be awarded for 2sf answers less than a 100% (e.g. 10% scores (1). This is the percentage impurity) Correct answer with no working scores (2) Can score both marks via moles rather than masses</pre>	Answers not to 2 sf or answers incorrectly rounded up do not score 2 nd mark Answers > 100% score (0) overall	2

Question Number	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
2(b)(i)	0.4 / 58.4 x 100 = (±) 0.68493(%) IGNORE sf (including 1 sf so (±) 0.7 (%) is OK here)	(±) 1.37 (%) etc., as the uncertainty should NOT be doubled Answers incorrectly rounded (e.g. 0.684 / 0.67 / 0.68492)	1

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2(b)(ii)	Any one of:- CO_2 dissolves /soluble (in water) CO_2 reacts (with water) / CO_2 forms carbonic acid / CO_2 + $H_2O \rightarrow H_2CO_3$	"CO ₂ not the only gas given off"	1
	ALLOW CO ₂ absorbed (by water)	CO ₂ diffuses/is lost/mixes with water	
	IGNORE suggestions to use a gas syringe	"Water is also a product of the experiment" "Suck-back"	

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3 (a)(i)	Throughout 20 (a): IGNORE sf except 1 sf (penalise once) correct answer with no working scores full marks mark consequentially IGNORE units unless incorrect		2
	$0.109 \times 27.35 \times 10^{-3}$ (1) = 2.98115×10^{-3} (mol) = $2.98 \times 10^{-3} / 0.00298$ (mol) (1) cq only on some concentration x some volume	0.003	

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3 (a)(ii)	Moles $I_2 = 0.5 \text{ x moles}$ thiosulfate = 0.5 x answer to (a)(i) = 1.490575 x $10^{-3} = 1.49 \text{ x}$ $10^{-3} / 0.00149 \text{(mol)}$		1

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3 (a)(iii)	Moles of Cl_2 = moles of I_2 = answer to (a)(ii) = 1.49 x 10^{-3} /0.00149(mol)		1

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3 (a)(iv)	Mark consequentially on answer in (a)(iii) Amount in volumetric flask = $25 \times 1.490575 \times 10^{-3} = 3.72644 \times 10^{-2}$) OR (25 x 1.49 x 10 ⁻³ = 3.725 x 10 ⁻²) (1)		2
	(= amount in 10 cm^3 of disinfectant) Concentration = 100 x previous value (= $1000 \text{ x} 3.73 \text{ x} 10^{-2}/10 = 3.73 \text{ (mol dm}^{-3}\text{))}$ (1) Concentration = 100 x answer to (a)(iii) scores		

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3(b)	(Atoms of) the same element (in the same species) are oxidized and reduced (1) ALLOW chlorine for 'element'	Molecule/substance/ reactant /species	3
	Chlorine ON 0 oxidized to (+)1 in ClO ⁻ (1)	Just CI oxidized & reduced	
	and reduced to -1 in Cl ⁻ (1) Only penalise once if oxidized and reduced omitted		
	Just 'Chlorine ON 0 oxidized to (+)1 and reduced to -1' or 'Chlorine oxidized to chlorate(I) and reduced to chloride'(1 mark only)		
	Only penalise once if oxidized and reduced reversed		

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3(c)	Colour just before adding the starch: (very) pale yellow/straw coloured (1)	Just 'yellow', brown, gold	2
	Colour after adding the starch: Blue-black (ALLOW black or (dark) blue)	purple	
	Colour at the end point: colourless (1)		
	Both colours required		
	IGNORE 'Clear'		

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4 (a) (i)	Pestle (and mortar) / mortar and pestle Allow any recognisable spelling eg pessl, morta	Anything else, including hammer, mallet, heavy metal object, spatula, glass rod, crusher, grinder	1
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4 (a) (ii)	Methyl /methly orange (1) Red to orange / peach (allow yellow) (1) Accept other acid-base indicators eg phenolphthalein (1) Accept recognisable spelling for all acid-base indicators Correct colour change, the correct way round, to	Litmus, Universal Indicator score 0/2	2
	end point or beyond (1)		
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4 (b) (i)	(11.20 and 11.40 give) 11.3(0) (cm ³)		1
Question Number	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
4 (b) (ii)	$\frac{11.3 \times 0.300}{1000}$ =3.39 x 10 ⁻³ / 0.00339 (mol) 1000 If mean titre value is 11.47 then 3.44 x 10 ⁻³	Ignore SF unless only one, in which case penalise this only once.	1
Question Number	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
4 (b) (iii)	3.39 x 10 ⁻³ (mol) Or answer to (ii)		1
Question Number	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
4 (b) (iv)	3.39 x 10 ⁻² (mol) answer (iii) x 10		1
Question Number	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
4 (b) (v)	0.05 - 0.0339 = 0.0161 (mol) Or 0.05 - (answer to (iv)) If mean titre value is 11.47 then 0.0156		1

Question	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
Number			
4 (b) (vi)	0.00805 (mol)		1
	Or answer to (v) divided by 2		
	If mean titre value is 11.47 then 0.0078		

Question	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
Number			
4 (b) (vii)	0.00805 x 100		1
	= 0.805 (g) / 805 mg		
	Or answer to (vi) x 100		
	If mean titre value is 11.47 then 0.780		

Question	Acceptable Answers	Reject	Mark
Number			
4 (b)	Reason - there must be some other ant acid	Experimental /	1
(viii)	present / substance/chemical which reacts with	calculation error	
	acid		

