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Chemistry

Higher level

Paper 2

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Question		Answers	Notes	Total
1.	a	<p>21.4 °C ✓</p>	<p>Accept values in the range of 21.2 to 21.6 °C. Accept two different values for the two solutions from within range.</p>	1

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1.	b		<p><i>HCl</i>: 30.4 «°C» ✓</p> <p><i>CH₃COOH</i>: 29.0 «°C» ✓</p>	<p>Accept range 30.2 to 30.6 °C.</p> <p>Accept range 28.8 to 29.2 °C.</p>	2
1.	c		<p>ALTERNATIVE 1</p> <p>«volume CH₃COOH ⇒ 26.0 «cm³» ✓</p> <p>«[CH₃COOH] = 0.995 mol dm⁻³ × $\frac{50.0 \text{ cm}^3}{26.0 \text{ cm}^3}$ ⇒ 1.91 «mol dm⁻³» ✓</p> <p>ALTERNATIVE 2</p> <p>«n(NaOH) = 0.995 mol dm⁻³ × 0.0500 dm³ ⇒ 0.04975 «mol» ✓</p> <p>«[CH₃COOH] = $\frac{0.04975}{0.0260}$ dm³ ⇒ 1.91 «mol dm⁻³» ✓</p>	<p>Accept values of volume in range 25.5 to 26.5 cm³.</p> <p>Award [2] for correct final answer.</p>	2
1.	d	i	<p>«total volume = 50.0 + 26.0 ⇒ 76.0 cm³ AND «temperature change 29.0 – 21.4 ⇒ 7.6 «°C»» ✓</p> <p>«q = 0.0760 kg × 4.18 kJ kg⁻¹ K⁻¹ × 7.6 K ⇒ 2.4 «kJ» ✓</p>	<p>Award [2] for correct final answer.</p>	2

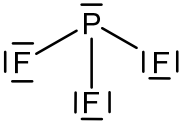
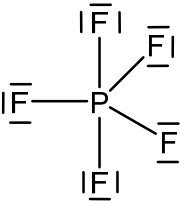
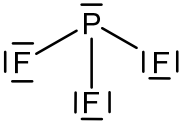
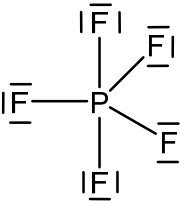
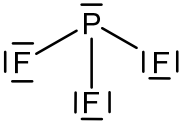
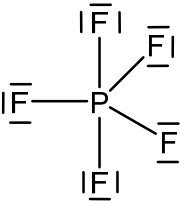
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1.	d	ii	<p>«$n(\text{NaOH}) = 0.995 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} \times 0.0500 \text{ dm}^3 \Rightarrow 0.04975 \text{ «mol»}$» OR «$n(\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}) = 1.91 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} \times 0.0260 \text{ dm}^3 \Rightarrow 0.04966 \text{ «mol»}$» ✓ «$\Delta H = - \frac{2.4 \text{ kJ}}{0.04975 \text{ mol}} \Rightarrow -48 / -49 \text{ «kJ mol}^{-1}\text{»}$» ✓</p>	<p><i>Award [2] for correct final answer. Negative sign is required for M2.</i></p>	2
1.	e		<p>CH_3COOH is weak acid/partially ionised ✓ energy used to ionize weak acid «before reaction with NaOH can occur» ✓</p>		2
1.	f	i	<p>«initially steep because» greatest concentration/number of particles at start OR «slope decreases because» concentration/number of particles decreases ✓ volume produced per unit time depends on frequency of collisions OR rate depends on frequency of collisions ✓</p>		2
1.	f	ii	<p>mass/amount/concentration of metal carbonate more in X OR concentration/amount of CH_3COOH more in X ✓</p>		1

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2.	a		«series of» lines OR only certain frequencies/wavelengths ✓ convergence at high«er» frequency/energy/short«er» wavelength ✓	<i>M1 and/or M2 may be shown on a diagram.</i>	2
2.	b		electron transfer/transition between high«er» energy level to low«er» energy level OR electron transitions into first energy level causes UV series OR transition into second energy level causes visible series OR transition into third energy level causes infrared series ✓	<i>Accept any of the points shown on a diagram.</i>	1
2.	c		$24 \times 0.786 + 25 \times 0.101 + 26 \times 0.113$ ✓ 24.33 ✓	<i>Award [2] for correct final answer.</i> <i>Award [0] for 24.31 with no working (data booklet value).</i>	2
2.	d	i	carbon: « $\frac{0.4490\text{g}}{44.01\text{g mol}^{-1}}$ » ⇒ 0.01020 «mol» / 0.1225 «g» OR hydrogen: « $\frac{0.1840\text{g} \times 2}{18.02\text{g mol}^{-1}}$ » ⇒ 0.02042 «mol» / 0.0206 «g» ✓ oxygen: « $0.1595 - (0.1225 + 0.0206)$ » ⇒ 0.0164 «g» / 0.001025 «mol» ✓ empirical formula: C ₁₀ H ₂₀ O ✓	<i>Award [3] for correct final answer.</i> <i>Do not award M3 for a hydrocarbon.</i>	3

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2.	d	ii	<p>«temperature \Rightarrow 423 K</p> <p>OR</p> $M = \frac{mRT}{pV} \checkmark$ $\llcorner M = \frac{0.150 \text{ g} \times 8.31 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1} \times 423 \text{ K}}{100.2 \text{ kPa} \times 0.0337 \text{ dm}^3} \Rightarrow 156 \llcorner \text{g mol}^{-1} \llcorner \checkmark$	<p>Award [1] for correct answer with no working shown.</p> <p>Accept "$pV = nRT$ AND $n = \frac{m}{M}$" for M1.</p>	2
2.	d	iii	$\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{20}\text{O} \checkmark$		1
2.	e	i	<p>Cl_2: first \checkmark</p> <p>NO: second \checkmark</p>		2
2.	e	ii	rate = $k [\text{NO}]^2 [\text{Cl}_2] \checkmark$		1
2.	e	iii	$180 / 1.80 \times 10^2 \llcorner \text{dm}^6 \text{ mol}^{-2} \text{ min}^{-1} \llcorner \checkmark$		1

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3.	a	<p>increasing number of protons OR increasing nuclear charge ✓</p> <p>«atomic» radius/size decreases OR same number of shells OR similar shielding «by inner electrons» ✓</p> <p>«greater energy needed to overcome increased attraction between nucleus and electrons»</p>		2
3.	b	<p><i>Any three of:</i></p> <p><i>Group 1:</i> atomic/ionic radius increases ✓ smaller charge density OR force of attraction between metal ions and delocalised electrons decreases ✓</p> <p><i>Group 17:</i> number of electrons/surface area/molar mass increase ✓ London/dispersion/van der Waals'/vdw forces increase ✓</p>	<p><i>Do not accept discussion of attraction between valence electrons and nucleus for M2.</i></p> <p><i>Accept “weaker metallic bonds” for M2.</i></p> <p><i>Accept “atomic mass” for “molar mass”.</i></p>	3 max

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3.	c		$P_4O_{10} (s) + 6H_2O (l) \rightarrow 4H_3PO_4 (aq) \checkmark$	Accept " $P_4O_{10} (s) + 2H_2O (l) \rightarrow 4HPO_3(aq)$ " (initial reaction).	1
3.	d	i	«distorted» octahedral \checkmark	Accept "square bipyramid".	1
3.	d	ii	Charge on complex ion: $1+/+ \checkmark$ Oxidation state of cobalt: $+2 \checkmark$		2
3.	e		Lewis «acid-base reaction» \checkmark H_2O : electron/ e^- pair donor OR Co^{2+} : electron/ e^- pair acceptor \checkmark		2

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4.	b	PF ₃ polar AND PF ₅ non-polar ✓	Apply ECF from part (a) molecular geometry.	1												
4.	c	sp ³ ✓		1												

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5.	a	$\Delta H^{\ominus} = [-165.2 + 2(-296.9) + 2(-92.3)] - [-454.7 + 2(-245.7)] \checkmark$ « $\Delta H^{\ominus} = +$ » 2.5 «kJ» \checkmark	Award [2] for correct final answer. Award [1] for -2.5 «kJ». Do not accept ECF for M2 if more than one error in M1.	2
5.	b	« $\Delta S^{\ominus} = [208.5 + 2(248.1) + 2(186.8)] - [166.9 + 2(278.6)]$ » « $\Delta S^{\ominus} = +$ » 354.2 «J K ⁻¹ mol ⁻¹ » \checkmark		1
5.	c	«3 moles of» liquid to «4 moles of» gas OR «large» positive ΔS OR «large» increase in entropy \checkmark $T\Delta S > \Delta H$ «at the reaction temperature» \checkmark		2

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6.	a	i	$K_c = \frac{[HI]^2}{[H_2][I_2]} \checkmark$		1												
6.	a	ii	45.6 \checkmark		1												
6.	a	iii	$\Delta G^\ominus = \llcorner - RT \ln K = - (0.00831 \text{ kJ K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1} \times 761 \text{ K} \times \ln 45.6) \Rightarrow - 24.2 \text{ «kJ} \gg \checkmark$		1												
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6.	b	i	HCO_3^- AND H_2O ✓		1
6.	b	ii	species that has one less proton/ H^+ ion «than its conjugate acid» OR species that forms its conjugate acid by accepting a proton OR species that is formed when an acid donates a proton ✓	<i>Do not accept “differs by one proton/H^+ from conjugate acid”.</i>	1
6.	b	iii	oxide ion/ O^{2-} ✓		1
6.	c	i	$[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 6.76 \times 10^{-5}$ «mol dm ⁻³ » ✓ $K_a = \frac{(6.76 \times 10^{-5})^2}{(0.010 - 6.76 \times 10^{-5})} / \frac{(6.76 \times 10^{-5})^2}{0.010}$ ✓ 4.6×10^{-7} ✓	Accept 4.57×10^{-7} . Award [3] for correct final answer.	3
6.	c	ii	« $\frac{1.00 \times 10^{-14}}{4.6 \times 10^{-7}} \Rightarrow 2.17 \times 10^{-8}$ OR « $\frac{1.00 \times 10^{-14}}{4.57 \times 10^{-7}} \Rightarrow 2.19 \times 10^{-8}$ ✓		1

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6.	d	<p>insufficient data to make generalization</p> <p>OR</p> <p>need to consider «much» larger number of acids</p> <p>OR</p> <p>hypothesis will continue to be tested with new acids to see if it can stand the test of time ✓</p> <p>«hypothesis is false as» other acids/HCl/HBr/HCN/transition metal ion/BF₃ do not contain oxygen</p> <p>OR</p> <p>other acids/HCl/HBr/HCN/transition metal ion/BF₃ falsify hypothesis ✓</p> <p>correct inductive reasoning «based on the limited sample» ✓</p> <p>«hypothesis not valid» as it contradicts current/accepted theories/Brønsted-Lowry/Lewis theory ✓</p>		2 max

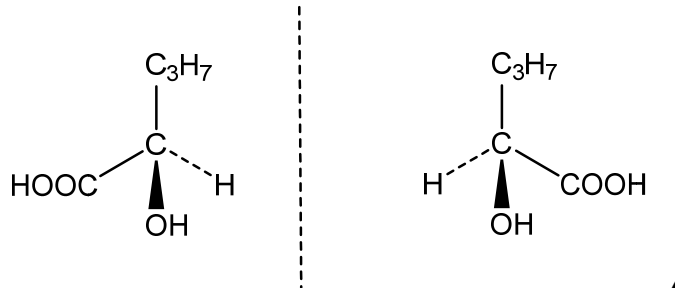
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7.	a	$\text{Ni(s)} + \text{I}_2(\text{aq}) \rightarrow 2\text{I}^-(\text{aq}) + \text{Ni}^{2+}(\text{aq}) \checkmark$		1
7.	b	electron movement «in the wire» from Mn(s) to Ni(s) \checkmark E^\ominus «for reduction» of Ni^{2+} is greater/less negative than E^\ominus «for reduction» of Mn^{2+} OR Ni^{2+} is stronger oxidizing agent than Mn^{2+} OR Mn is stronger reducing agent than Ni \checkmark		2
7.	c	« $0.54 \text{ V} - (-1.18 \text{ V}) = +$ » $1.72 \text{ «V»} \checkmark$	<i>Do not accept -1.72 V.</i>	1
7.	d	Mn «(s)» \checkmark		1

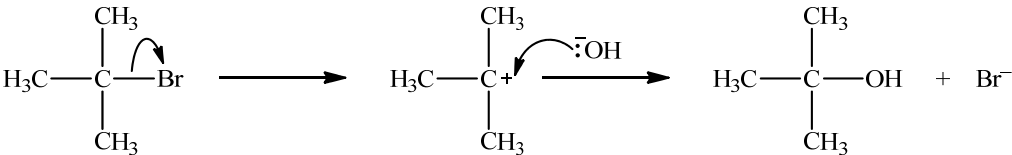
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7.	e	<p><i>Positive electrode (anode):</i> $2\text{Cl}^- (\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 (\text{g}) + 2\text{e}^- \checkmark$ Cl^- oxidized because higher concentration OR electrode potential/E depends on concentration OR electrode potential values «of H_2O and Cl^-» are close \checkmark</p> <p><i>Negative electrode (cathode):</i> $2\text{H}_2\text{O} (\text{l}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{H}_2 (\text{g}) + 2\text{OH}^- (\text{aq})$ OR $2\text{H}^+ (\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{H}_2 (\text{g}) \checkmark$ $\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{H}^+$ reduced because Na^+ is a weaker oxidizing agent OR Na^+ not reduced to Na in water OR H^+ easier to reduce than Na^+ OR H lower in activity series «than Na» \checkmark</p>	Accept \rightleftharpoons .	4

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8.	a	i	oxidation/redox AND acidified «potassium» dichromate(VI) OR oxidation/redox AND «acidified potassium» manganate(VII) ✓	Accept “acidified «potassium» dichromate” OR “«acidified potassium» permanganate”. Accept name or formula of the reagent(s).	1									
8.	a	ii	ALTERNATIVE 1 using $K_2Cr_2O_7$: Compound A: orange to green AND secondary hydroxyl OR Compound A: orange to green AND hydroxyl oxidized «by chromium(VI) ions» ✓ Compound B: no change AND tertiary hydroxyl «not oxidized by chromium(VI) ions» ✓ ALTERNATIVE 2 using $KMnO_4$: Compound A: purple to colourless AND secondary hydroxyl OR Compound A: purple to colourless AND hydroxyl oxidized «by manganese(VII) ions» ✓ Compound B: no change AND tertiary hydroxyl «not oxidized by manganese(VII) ions» ✓	Award [1] for “A: orange to green AND B: no change”. Award [1] for “A: secondary hydroxyl AND B: tertiary hydroxyl”. Accept “alcohol” for “hydroxyl”. Award [1] for “A: purple to colourless AND B: no change” Award [1] for “A: secondary hydroxyl AND B: tertiary hydroxyl”. Accept “purple to brown” for A.	2									
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8.	a	iv	A AND it has a chiral centre/asymmetric carbon atom/carbon with 4 different substituents ✓		1
8.	a	v		Accept structures without tapered bonds.	1
8.	b		<p><i>Initiation:</i> $\text{Br}_2 \xrightarrow{\text{UV / hv / heat}} 2\text{Br}\cdot$ ✓</p> <p><i>Propagation:</i> $\text{Br}\cdot + \text{C}_2\text{H}_6 \rightarrow \text{C}_2\text{H}_5\cdot + \text{HBr}$ ✓ $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\cdot + \text{Br}_2 \rightarrow \text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Br} + \text{Br}\cdot$ ✓</p> <p><i>Termination:</i> $\text{Br}\cdot + \text{Br}\cdot \rightarrow \text{Br}_2$ OR $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\cdot + \text{Br}\cdot \rightarrow \text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Br}$ OR $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\cdot + \text{C}_2\text{H}_5\cdot \rightarrow \text{C}_4\text{H}_{10}$ ✓</p>	<p>Reference to UV/hv/heat not required.</p> <p>Accept representation of radical without • (eg, Br, C₂H₅) if consistent throughout mechanism.</p> <p>Accept further bromination.</p> <p>Award [3 max] if initiation, propagation and termination are not stated or are incorrectly labelled for equations.</p> <p>Award [3 max] if methane is used instead of ethane, and/or chlorine is used instead of bromine.</p>	4
8.	c		concentrated HNO ₃ AND concentrated H ₂ SO ₄ ✓	“concentrated” must occur at least once (with either acid).	1

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8.	d	$\text{HNO}_3 + 2\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightleftharpoons \text{H}_3\text{O}^+ + \text{NO}_2^+ + 2\text{HSO}_4^- \checkmark$	<p>Accept: $\text{HNO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightleftharpoons \text{NO}_2^+ + \text{HSO}_4^- + \text{H}_2\text{O}$</p> <p>Accept: $\text{HNO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightleftharpoons \text{H}_2\text{NO}_3^+ + \text{HSO}_4^-$.</p> <p>Accept single arrow instead of equilibrium sign.</p> <p>Accept equivalent two step reactions in which sulfuric acid first behaves as strong acid and protonates nitric acid, before behaving as dehydrating agent removing water from it.</p>	1
8.	e	 <p>curly arrow showing Br^- leaving \checkmark</p> <p>representation of tertiary carbocation \checkmark</p> <p>curly arrow going from lone pair/negative charge on O in $^- \text{OH}$ to C^+ \checkmark</p> <p>formation of $(\text{CH}_3)_3\text{COH}$ AND Br^- \checkmark</p>	<p>Do not accept curly arrow originating from C of C-Br bond.</p> <p>Do not accept arrow originating on H in $^- \text{OH}$.</p> <p>Accept Br^- anywhere on product side in the reaction scheme.</p> <p>Award [2 max] for an $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ type mechanism.</p>	4