

# **Chemistry A**

Advanced GCE

Unit **F325**: Equilibria, Energetics and Elements

## **Mark Scheme for June 2013**

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Annotation	Meaning
	Benefit of doubt given
	Contradiction
	Incorrect response
	Error carried forward
	Ignore
	Not answered question
	Benefit of doubt not given
	Power of 10 error
	Omission mark
	Rounding error
	Error in number of significant figures
	Correct response
	Noted but no credit given
	Repeat

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

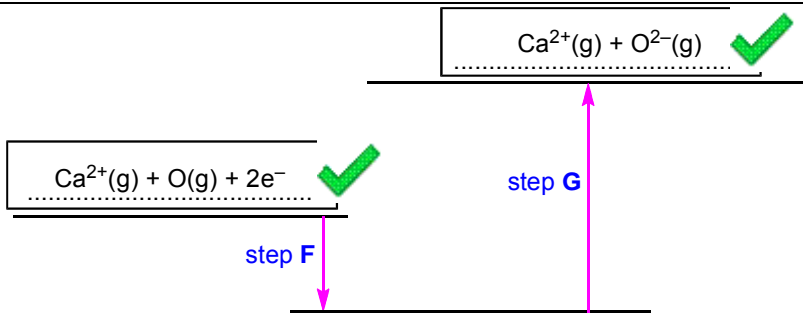
Annotation	Meaning
<b>DO NOT ALLOW</b>	Answers which are not worthy of credit
<b>IGNORE</b>	Statements which are irrelevant
<b>ALLOW</b>	Answers that can be accepted
( )	Words which are not essential to gain credit
—	Underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark
<b>ECF</b>	Error carried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

All questions should be annotated with ticks to show where marks have been awarded in the body of the text.

All questions where an ECF has been applied should also be annotated with the ECF annotation.

Use the omission mark where the answer is not sufficient to be awarded a mark.

The following questions should be annotated with full annotation (ie ticks, crosses etc) to show where marks have been awarded in the body of the text: **1(c), 3(a), 4(a), 4(d)(i), 4(d)(ii), 7(d), 8(c)**

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1 (a)	(The enthalpy change that accompanies) the formation of <b>one mole</b> of a(n ionic) compound ✓ from its <b>gaseous ions</b> (under standard conditions) ✓	2	<b>IGNORE</b> 'energy needed' <b>OR</b> 'energy required'  <b>ALLOW</b> as alternative for compound: lattice, crystal, substance, solid  <b>Note:</b> <b>1st mark</b> requires <b>1 mole</b> <b>2nd mark</b> requires <b>gaseous ions</b> <b>IF</b> candidate response has '1 mole of gaseous ions', award 2nd mark but <b>NOT</b> 1st mark
(b) (i)		2	Correct species <b>AND</b> state symbols required for both marks  $2e^-$ required for left-hand response <b>ALLOW</b> e for $e^-$  Mark each marking point independently
(ii)	(enthalpy change of) formation (of calcium oxide) ✓  (enthalpy change of) atomisation of oxygen ✓  Second electron affinity (of oxygen) ✓	3	calcium oxide <b>not</b> required for this mark <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> 'lattice formation' ( <i>confusion with LE</i> )  atomisation <b>AND</b> oxygen/ $O_2$ / $\frac{1}{2}O_2$ /O both required ( <i>atomisation of calcium is also in cycle</i> )  <b>IGNORE</b> oxygen or oxygen species, e.g. $O^-$ <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> calcium

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1	(b)	(iii)	<p><b>FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b>  <b>IF answer = <math>-3454 \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1}\text{)}</math> award 2 marks</b></p> <p>-----</p> <p><math>-635 = 178 + 249 + 590 + 1145 + (-141) + 798 + \Delta H_{\text{LE}}(\text{CaO})</math>  <b>OR</b>  <math>\Delta H_{\text{LE}}(\text{CaO}) = -635 - [178 + 249 + 590 + 1145 + (-141) + 798]</math>  <b>OR</b>  <math>-635 - 2819 \checkmark</math>    <math>= -3454 \checkmark \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1}\text{)}</math></p>	2	<p><b>IF</b> there is an alternative answer, check to see if there is any <b>ECF</b> credit possible using working below. <b>See list below for marking of answers from common errors</b></p> <p>-----</p> <p>1st mark for expression linking <math>\Delta H_{\text{LE}}(\text{CaO})</math> with <math>\Delta H</math> values  <b>ALLOW</b> LE for <math>\Delta H_{\text{LE}}</math></p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> for 1 mark:</p> <p><math>-3736</math>      use of <math>+141</math> instead of <math>-141</math>  <math>(+3454</math>      all signs reversed  <math>(+2184</math>      wrong sign before 2819  <math>-2184</math>      wrong sign for 635  <math>-1858</math>      wrong sign for <math>+798</math></p> <p>Any other number: <b>CHECK</b> for <b>ECF</b> from 1st marking point  Award 1 mark for <b>one</b> transcription error only and everything else correct: e.g. <math>+187</math> instead of <math>+178</math>  <b>IF</b> any value has been omitted, award zero</p>

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1	(c)		<p><b>For first 2 marks,</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>IGNORE</b> nuclear attraction <b>OR</b> proton attraction</li> <li>• Property <b>AND</b> effect required</li> <li>• <b>IGNORE</b> 'atomic' and 'atoms' and 'molecules' and assume that 'size' and 'charge' refers to ions</li> <li>• <b>IGNORE</b> LE increases <b>OR</b> LE decreases</li> <li>• <b>IGNORE</b> bond strength; strength of ionic bonds</li> </ul>		
			<p><i>First 2 marks</i>  Decrease in (ionic) size  <b>AND</b>  <b>more negative</b> LE <b>OR</b> more <b>exothermic</b> <b>OR</b> more attraction ✓</p> <p>Increase in (ionic) charge <b>OR</b> charge density  <b>AND</b>  <b>more negative</b> LE <b>OR</b> more <b>exothermic</b> <b>OR</b> more attraction ✓</p> <p>-----</p> <p><i>Link between LE and attraction</i>  Lattice enthalpy correctly linked to attraction between <b>IONS</b> at least once ✓  e.g. Greater attraction between <i>ions</i> gives <b>more negative</b> LE</p>	3	<p><b>ANNOTATE WITH TICKS AND CROSSES, etc</b></p> <p><b>ORA</b> throughout</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> pull for attraction  <b>IGNORE</b> just 'greater force' (<i>could be repulsion</i>)  <b>IGNORE</b> responses in terms of packing  <b>IGNORE</b> electron density  <b>IGNORE</b> lower/higher LE</p> <p>-----</p> <p><b>For 3rd marking point ONLY, IONS is essential;</b>  <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> attraction between atoms or molecules  <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> nuclear attraction</p>
			<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	

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2	(a)	(i)	Time for concentration (of reactant) to fall to half original value ✓	1	<b>ALLOW</b> time for concentration to fall by half <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> concentration of <b>product</b> to fall by half <b>ALLOW</b> mass <b>OR</b> amount as alternative to concentration  <b>ALLOW</b> time for reactant/substance/atoms to decrease by half
		(ii)	At least two half-lives correctly shown on graph <b>AND</b> half-life stated as approx. 54 s ✓  1st order has a constant half-life ✓	2	<b>ALLOW</b> half-life in range 50–56 s <b>ALLOW</b> half-life shown on graph <b>Care:</b> Initial concentration is ~5.8 and <b>NOT</b> 6.0  For constant half-life, <b>ALLOW</b> 'half lives are the same', 'two half-lives are 54 s', etc.  <b>ALLOW</b> 2 tangents drawn, one at half conc of first <b>AND</b> evidence that gradient ( $\equiv$ rate) halves
		(iii)	No change ✓	1	
	(b)	(i)	<i>Tangent</i> On graph, tangent drawn to curve at $t \sim 40$ s ✓  <i>Calculation of rate from the tangent drawn</i> e.g. rate = $\frac{5.2}{116} = 0.045$ <b>OR</b> $4.5 \times 10^{-2}$ ✓  <i>Units</i> $\text{mol dm}^{-3} \text{s}^{-1}$ ✓ <i>Independent mark</i>	3	Annotate tangent on graph  <b>Note:</b> This mark can only be awarded from a tangent <b>ALLOW ECF</b> for tangent drawn at different time from 40 s <b>ALLOW</b> $\pm 10\%$ of gradient of tangent drawn <b>ALLOW</b> 2 SF up to calculator value <b>ALLOW</b> trailing zeroes, e.g. 0.04 for 0.040  <b>IGNORE</b> '–' sign for rate  <b>Note:</b> <b>IF</b> candidate calculates rate via ln 2 method (shown in (ii), consult with TL)



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2	(b)	(ii)	$k = \frac{\text{answer to (b)(i)}}{3.45} \checkmark$  units: $\text{s}^{-1} \checkmark$ <i>Independent mark</i>	2	From 0.045, $k = \frac{0.045}{3.45} = 0.013$ <b>ALLOW</b> concentration range 3.4–3.5 <b>ALLOW</b> use of unrounded calculator answer from (b)(i) even if different from answer given on (b)(i) answer line <i>Many will keep this value in calculator for (b)(ii)</i>  <b>ALLOW</b> $k = \ln 2/t_{1/2} = 0.693/\text{half life from (a)(iii)}$ For 54 s, $k = 0.693/54 = 0.013$ <b>ALLOW</b> 2 SF up to calculator value
	(c)		water is in excess <b>OR</b> concentration of $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ is very large/does not change $\checkmark$	1	<b>IGNORE</b> water does not affect the rate
			<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	

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3 (a)	<p><b>FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b>  <b>IF answer = 16.8 with 'no units', award 5 marks</b></p> <hr/> <p>At equilibrium,  <math>n(\text{I}_2)</math> <b>OR</b> <math>[\text{I}_2(\text{g})]</math>  <math>= 4.00 \times 10^{-3} - 1.70 \times 10^{-3} = 2.30 \times 10^{-3} \text{ (mol / mol dm}^{-3}\text{)} \checkmark</math></p> <p><math>n(\text{HI})</math> <b>OR</b> <math>[\text{HI}(\text{g})]</math>  <math>= 2 \times 1.70 \times 10^{-3} = 3.40 \times 10^{-3} \text{ (mol / mol dm}^{-3}\text{)} \checkmark</math></p> <p><math>(K_c = ) \frac{(3.40 \times 10^{-3})^2}{3.00 \times 10^{-4} \times 2.30 \times 10^{-3}} \checkmark</math>      <b>IGNORE</b> <math>K_c = \frac{[\text{HI}]^2}{[\text{H}_2][\text{I}_2]}</math></p> <p><math>= 16.8</math> (<b>3 SF</b> required) <math>\checkmark</math></p> <p>no units <math>\checkmark</math></p>	5	<p><b>IF</b> there is an alternative answer, check to see if there is any <b>ECF</b> credit possible using working below</p> <hr/> <p><b>ANNOTATE WITH TICKS AND CROSSES, etc</b>  <b>ALLOW ECF</b> throughout</p> <p>For <b>all</b> parts, <b>ALLOW</b> numerical answers from 3 significant figures up to the calculator value  <b>ALLOW</b> omission of trailing zeroes, i.e. 3.40 as 3.4 but final numerical answer for <math>K_c</math> must be to 3 SF</p> <p><b>ALLOW ECF</b> using incorrect values for <math>[\text{I}_2]</math> <b>AND</b> <math>[\text{HI}]</math>  <b>BUT</b> <math>[\text{H}_2]</math> in <math>K_c</math> expression must be <math>3.00 \times 10^{-4}</math> (given in Q)</p> <p><b>ALLOW ECF</b> from incorrect <math>K_c</math> expression for calculation to 3 SF and units</p> <p><b>For 'no units' ALLOW 'none' (ORA) OR '—'</b>  <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> space to be left blank</p> <p><b>Common errors:</b>  Use of <math>1.70 \times 10^{-3}</math> for <math>n(\text{HI})</math> (no factor of x 2)  <math>K_c = 4.19</math> (3SF) and no units: 4 marks  Use of <math>K_c</math> expression used is upside down  <math>K_c = 0.0597</math> (3SF) and no units: 4 marks  No square for <math>[\text{HI}]^2</math>  <math>K_c = 4930</math> and <math>\text{dm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}</math>: 4 marks  <b>Note:</b> different ECF units</p>

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3	(b)	(i)	<table><tr><td></td><td>H<sub>2</sub>(g)</td><td>I<sub>2</sub>(g)</td><td>HI(g)</td></tr><tr><td>greater</td><td>✓</td><td></td><td>✓</td></tr><tr><td>smaller</td><td></td><td>✓</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>the same</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr></table> <p>Each column should have only <b>one</b> box ticked</p> <p>Correct ticks for H<sub>2</sub>(g) <b>AND</b> I<sub>2</sub>(g) <b>AND</b> HI(g)    <b>two</b> marks ✓✓ <i>i.e. all three columns correct</i></p> <p>Ticks for two of H<sub>2</sub>(g), I<sub>2</sub>(g) and HI(g) correct    <b>one</b> mark ✓ <i>i.e. two columns correct</i></p>		H <sub>2</sub> (g)	I <sub>2</sub> (g)	HI(g)	greater	✓		✓	smaller		✓		the same				2	<b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> more than one box ticked in a column (response is a <b>CON</b> )
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		(ii)	<p>K<sub>c</sub> is smaller <b>AND</b> (forward) reaction is <b>exothermic</b> OR Δ<i>H</i> is negative ✓</p>	1	<p>Link to Δ<i>H</i>/exothermic essential <b>ALLOW</b> reverse reaction is <b>endothermic</b> <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> equilibrium shifts to the right (<b>CON</b>)</p>																
		(iii)	<p>K<sub>c</sub> is the same <b>AND</b> K<sub>c</sub> is temperature dependent OR K<sub>c</sub> is not changed by pressure ✓</p>	1	<p><b>ALLOW</b> K<sub>c</sub> is <b>only</b> changed by temperature <b>IGNORE</b> same number of moles on both side</p>																
			<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>																	

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4 (a)	<p>HC<math>\text{I}</math> is a strong acid <b>AND</b> HC<math>\text{O}</math> is a weak acid ✓</p> <p><b>HC<math>\text{I}</math>:</b>  <math>\text{pH} = -\log 0.14 = 0.85</math> (<b>2 DP</b> required) ✓</p> <p><b>HC<math>\text{O}</math>:</b>  <b>CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b>  <b>IF</b> answer = 4.14, award all three calculation marks</p> <p>-----</p> <p><math>K_{\text{a}} = 10^{-7.43}</math> <b>OR</b> <math>3.7 \times 10^{-8}</math> (mol dm<math>^{-3}</math>) ✓</p> <p><math>[\text{H}^{+}] = \sqrt{K_{\text{a}} \times [\text{HCIO}]}</math> <b>OR</b> <math>\sqrt{K_{\text{a}} \times [\text{HA}]}</math>  <b>OR</b> <math>\sqrt{K_{\text{a}} \times 0.14}</math> <b>OR</b> <math>\sqrt{3.7 \times 10^{-8} \times 0.14}</math> ✓</p> <p><math>\text{pH} = 4.14</math> (<b>2 DP</b> required) ✓</p>	5	<p><b>ANNOTATE WITH TICKS AND CROSSES, etc</b></p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> HC<math>\text{I}</math> completely dissociates  <b>AND</b> HC<math>\text{O}</math> partially dissociates</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> <math>\text{HCI} \rightarrow \text{H}^{+} + \text{Cl}</math> <b>AND</b> <math>\text{HC/O} \rightleftharpoons \text{H}^{+} + \text{C/O}^{-}</math></p> <p><b>IGNORE</b> HC<math>\text{I}</math> is a stronger acid than HC<math>\text{O}</math>  <b>IGNORE</b> HC<math>\text{I}</math> produces more <math>\text{H}^{+}</math></p> <p><b>IF</b> there is an alternative answer, check to see if there is any <b>ECF</b> credit possible using working below</p> <p>-----</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> 2 SF to calculator value: <math>3.715352291 \times 10^{-8}</math>, correctly rounded</p> <p><b>IGNORE</b> 'HC<math>\text{I}</math>' if it is clear that it is a 'slip'</p> <p>Always <b>ALLOW</b> calculator value irrespective of working as number may have been kept in calculator.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> <math>\text{pH} = 4.14</math> is obtained from all three values above</p> <p>From no square root, <math>\text{pH} = 8.28</math>. Worth <math>K_{\text{a}}</math> mark only</p>

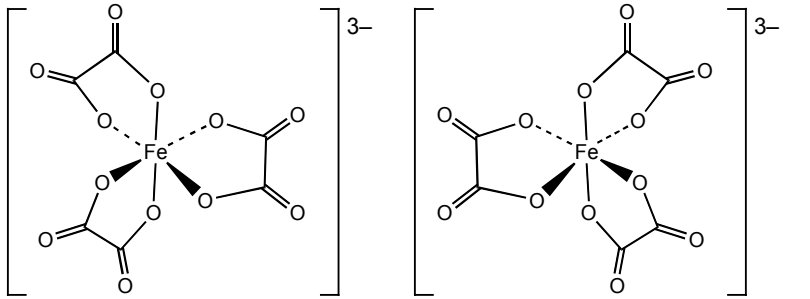
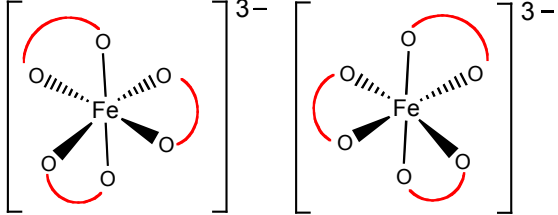
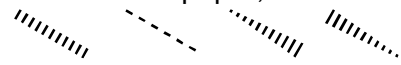
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4 (b)	$2\text{Al} + 6\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} \longrightarrow 2(\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_3\text{Al} + 3\text{H}_2 \checkmark$ $2\text{Al} + 6\text{H}^+ \longrightarrow 2\text{Al}^{3+} + 3\text{H}_2 \checkmark$	2	<p><b>IGNORE</b> state symbols  <b>ALLOW</b> correct multiples, e.g.:  <math>\text{Al} + 3\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} \longrightarrow (\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_3\text{Al} + 1.5\text{H}_2</math>  <b>ALLOW</b> any unambiguous formula for <math>(\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_3\text{Al}</math>,  <i>i.e.</i> <math>(\text{CH}_3\text{CO}_2)_3\text{Al}</math>, <math>\text{Al}(\text{CH}_3\text{CO}_2)_3</math>, <math>(\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^-)_3\text{Al}^{3+}</math>, etc.  <b>Note: IF</b> charges are shown, they <b>must</b> be correct with <b>both</b> – and 3+ shown</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> multiples, e.g.:  <math>\text{Al} + 3\text{H}^+ \longrightarrow \text{Al}^{3+} + 1.5\text{H}_2</math></p>
(c)	<p><b>FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b>  <b>IF</b> answer = 13.6(0), award <b>2 marks</b></p> <p>-----</p> $[\text{H}^+] = \frac{K_w}{[\text{OH}^-]} \text{ OR } \frac{1.0 \times 10^{-14}}{[\text{OH}^-]} \text{ OR } \frac{1.0 \times 10^{-14}}{0.4(0)}$ <p><b>OR</b> <math>2.5 \times 10^{-14} \text{ (mol dm}^{-3}\text{)} \checkmark</math></p> <p>Correctly calculates <math>\text{pH} = -\log 2.5 \times 10^{-14} = 13.6(0) \checkmark</math></p>	2	<p><b>ALLOW</b> alternative approach using pOH:  <math>\text{pOH} = 0.4(0) \checkmark</math></p> <p><math>\text{pH} = 14 - 0.40 = 13.6(0) \checkmark</math></p> <p><b>ALLOW ECF</b> from <math>[\text{H}^+]</math> derived using <math>K_w</math> and <math>[\text{OH}^-]</math>  <b>BUT DO NOT ALLOW</b> an acid pH.  <b>ALLOW</b> one or more decimal places</p>

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4	(d)	(i)	<p>A buffer solution minimises pH changes ✓</p> <p>on addition of <b>small</b> amounts of acid/H<sup>+</sup> or alkali/OH<sup>-</sup>/base ✓</p> <p>-----</p> <p>HCOOH <math>\rightleftharpoons</math> H<sup>+</sup> + HCOO<sup>-</sup> ✓  <i>Equilibrium sign essential</i></p>	7	<p><b>ANNOTATE WITH TICKS AND CROSSES, etc</b></p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> resists pH changes  <b>ALLOW</b> buffer solutions maintains a <b>nearly/virtually</b> constant pH  <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> a response that implies that the pH is actually constant, e.g. does not change pH; maintains pH</p> <p>-----</p> <p><b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> COOH<sup>-</sup> <b>OR</b> CHOOH <b>OR</b> COOH  <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> HA <math>\rightleftharpoons</math> H<sup>+</sup> + A<sup>-</sup></p>
			<p><b>For effect of acid and alkali,</b>  <b>ALLOW</b> wrong carboxylic acid (e.g. CH<sub>3</sub>COOH) <b>OR</b> HA;  <b>ALLOW</b> CHOOH for acid (effectively <b>ECF</b>)  <b>ALLOW</b> COOH<sup>-</sup> for base  <b>ALLOW</b> responses based on COOH <math>\rightleftharpoons</math> H<sup>+</sup> + COO<sup>-</sup>  <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> other incorrect formula, e.g. CH<sub>3</sub>OOH</p>		<p><b><u>Quality of written communication, QWC</u></b>  2 marks are for explaining how the equilibrium system allows the buffer solution to control the pH on addition of H<sup>+</sup> and OH<sup>-</sup></p>
			<p><b>Added alkali</b>  HCOOH reacts with added alkali/base/OH<sup>-</sup>  <b>OR</b> added alkali/OH<sup>-</sup> reacts with H<sup>+</sup> ✓</p> <p><b>QWC:</b> Equilibrium shifts forming HCOO<sup>-</sup> <b>OR</b> H<sup>+</sup>  <b>OR</b> (HCOOH) Equilibrium → right ✓</p> <p><b>Added acid</b>  HCOO<sup>-</sup> reacts with added acid/H<sup>+</sup> ✓</p> <p><b>QWC:</b> Equilibrium shifts forming HCOOH  <b>OR</b> (HCOOH) Equilibrium → left ✓</p>		<p><b>ALLOW</b> HA <b>OR</b> weak acid reacts with added alkali</p> <p><b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> this mark if there is no equilibrium system shown, e.g. HCOOH <math>\rightleftharpoons</math> H<sup>+</sup> + HCOO<sup>-</sup> is absent</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> A<sup>-</sup> <b>OR</b> conjugate base reacts with added acid  <b>IGNORE</b> salt reacts with added acid</p> <p><b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> this mark if there is no equilibrium system shown, e.g. HCOOH <math>\rightleftharpoons</math> H<sup>+</sup> + HCOO<sup>-</sup> is absent</p>

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4	(d)	(ii)	<p><b>HCOOH</b> reacts with <b>NaOH</b> forming <b>HCOO<sup>-</sup>/HCOONa</b>  <b>OR</b>  <math>\text{HCOOH} + \text{NaOH} \rightarrow \text{HCOONa} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \checkmark</math>  <i>Equilibrium sign allowed</i></p> <p>(Some) <b>HCOOH</b>/(weak) acid remains  <b>OR</b> <b>HCOOH</b>/(weak) acid is in excess <math>\checkmark</math></p> <p><b>Calculation</b>  <b>CHECK THE ANSWER</b> IF answer = 3.99, award all <b>four</b> calculation marks</p>	6	<p><b>ANNOTATE WITH TICKS AND CROSSES, etc</b>  <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> just 'methanoate/HCOO<sup>-</sup> forms'  <i>formulae or names of reactants also required</i></p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> <math>\text{HCOOH} + \text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{HCOO}^- + \text{H}_2\text{O} \checkmark</math>  <b>IGNORE</b> conjugate base/salt forms</p> <p><b>IGNORE</b> <b>HCOOH</b> has been partially neutralised</p>
			<p><math>n(\text{HCOOH})</math> <b>OR</b> <math>[\text{HCOOH}]</math>  <math>= 0.24(0) \text{ (mol / mol dm}^{-3}\text{)} \checkmark</math></p> <p><math>n(\text{HCOO}^-)</math> <b>OR</b> <math>[\text{HCOO}^-]</math> <b>OR</b> <math>[\text{HCOONa}]</math>  <math>= 0.4(00) \text{ (mol / mol dm}^{-3}\text{)} \checkmark</math></p> <p><math>[\text{H}^+] = K_a \times \frac{[\text{HCOOH}]}{[\text{HCOO}^-]} \checkmark</math></p> <p><math>\text{pH} = -\log [\text{H}^+] = -\log(1.70 \times 10^{-4} \times \frac{0.24}{0.4}) = 3.99 \checkmark</math></p> <p>-----  <b>OR</b> use of Henderson–Hasselbalch equation:  <math>\text{pH} = \text{p}K_a + \log \frac{[\text{HCOO}^-]}{[\text{HCOOH}]}</math>  <b>OR</b> <math>\text{pH} = -\log K_a + \log \frac{[\text{HCOO}^-]}{[\text{HCOOH}]} \checkmark</math>  <math>= 3.77 + 0.22 = 3.99 \checkmark</math></p>		<p><b>Note:</b> There must be a clear statement that 0.24 and 0.4 apply to moles or concentrations of <b>HCOOH</b> and <b>HCOO<sup>-</sup></b>.  <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> these values if unlabelled</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> HA/acid and A<sup>-</sup>/salt for <b>HCOOH</b> and <b>HCOO<sup>-</sup></b></p> <p><b>DO NOT ALLOW ECF for this mark:</b>  <b>3.99 is the ONLY correct answer</b></p> <p>-----  <b>ALLOW</b> HA/acid and A<sup>-</sup>/salt for <b>HCOOH</b> and <b>HCOO<sup>-</sup></b>  <b>ALLOW</b> <math>\text{pH} = \text{p}K_a - \log \frac{[\text{HCOOH}]}{[\text{HCOO}^-]}</math>  <b>OR</b> <math>\text{pH} = -\log K_a - \log \frac{[\text{HCOOH}]}{[\text{HCOO}^-]}</math></p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> <math>= 3.77 - (-0.22) = 3.99</math>  <b>DO NOT ALLOW ECF for this mark:</b>  <b>3.99 is the ONLY correct answer</b></p>
			<b>Total</b>	<b>22</b>	

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5	(a)		$2\text{Fe} + 3\text{Cl}_2 \longrightarrow 2\text{FeCl}_3$ ✓	1	<b>ALLOW</b> $2\text{Fe} + 3\text{Cl}_2 \longrightarrow \text{Fe}_2\text{Cl}_6$  <b>ALLOW</b> multiples, e.g. $\text{Fe} + 1\frac{1}{2}\text{Cl}_2 \longrightarrow \text{FeCl}_3$ <b>IGNORE</b> state symbols <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> $2\text{Fe} + 3\text{Cl}_2 \longrightarrow 2\text{Fe}^{3+} + 6\text{Cl}^-$
	(b)		$\text{Fe}^{3+} + 3\text{OH}^- \longrightarrow \text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$ ✓	1	<b>IGNORE</b> state symbols <b>ALLOW</b> $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+} + 3\text{OH}^- \longrightarrow \text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_3(\text{OH})_3 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$ <b>ALLOW</b> $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+} + 3\text{OH}^- \longrightarrow \text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$
	(c)	(i)	$2[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+} + \text{Zn} \longrightarrow 2[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+} + \text{Zn}^{2+}$  All chemical species correct ( <b>IGNORE</b> $\text{e}^-$ for 1st mark) ✓ Balancing with '2' in front of <b>both</b> Fe complex ions ✓	2	<b>IGNORE</b> state symbols <b>For 1 mark,</b> <b>ALLOW</b> balancing if (aq) species have been used instead of complex ions: $2\text{Fe}^{3+} + \text{Zn} \longrightarrow 2\text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{Zn}^{2+}$
		(ii)	redox ✓	1	<b>ALLOW</b> reduction <b>AND</b> oxidation <b>CARE:</b> possible confusion with (d)(ii)
	(d)	(i)	Formula of <b>E</b> as $[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-}$ shown as product in equation ✓  Correct balanced equation: $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+} + 6\text{CN}^- \longrightarrow [\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-} + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ✓  Notice different charges on complex ions: LHS 3+, RHS 3–  state symbols <b>not</b> required	2	<b>ALLOW</b> equations with KCN, i.e.: $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+} + 6\text{KCN} \longrightarrow [\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-} + 6\text{K}^+ + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+} + 6\text{K}^+ + 6\text{CN}^- \longrightarrow [\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-} + 6\text{K}^+ + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  <b>ALLOW</b> ECF for an equation showing formation of $[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{4-}$ from $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+}$ : $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+} + 6\text{CN}^- \longrightarrow [\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{4-} + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  Notice different charges on complex ions: LHS 2+, RHS 4–
		(ii)	ligand substitution ✓	1	<b>ALLOW</b> ligand exchange <b>OR</b> ligand replacement <b>CARE:</b> possible confusion with (c)(ii)



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5 (e)	<p><b>F and G:</b></p>  <p>1 mark for each isomer ✓✓  <b>Bonds must go to O ligand atoms on EACH structure</b>  <b>IGNORE</b> charges on <math>\text{Fe}^{3+}</math> and <math>\text{O}^-</math> at this stage</p> <p>3- charge outside brackets of <b>BOTH</b> isomers  <b>AND NO</b> charges shown on Fe or O within brackets  <b>Note:</b> This mark is only available from structures with three bidentate ligands bonded to Fe via two Os on each ligand ✓</p>	3	<p><b>ALLOW</b> any attempt to show bidentate ligand  Bottom line is the diagram below.</p>  <p><b>IGNORE</b> structure between two Os in ligand even if slightly different</p> <p>Must contain 2 out wedges, 2 in wedges and 2 lines in plane of paper.  For bond into paper, <b>ALLOW:</b></p> 
(f)	$\text{FeO}_4^{2-}$ ✓	1	<p>Formula <b>AND</b> charge needed</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> other 2- ions containing:  Fe <b>AND</b> O <b>AND</b> Fe has ox no of +6  i.e. <b>ALLOW</b> <math>\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}</math>, <math>\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_{10}^{2-}</math>, etc.</p>
	<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	

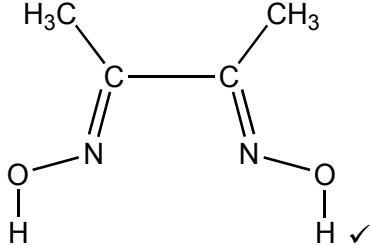
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6	(a)	(i)	<b>FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b> <b>IF answer = 218, award 2 marks</b> <hr/> $-256 = (6 \times 205) + S(\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6) - (6 \times 214 + 6 \times 70)$ <b>OR</b> $S(\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6) = -256 - (6 \times 205) + (6 \times 214 + 6 \times 70)$ <b>OR</b> $-256 + 474 \checkmark$ $= 218 \text{ (J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}) \checkmark$	2	<b>IF</b> there is an alternative answer, check to see if there is any <b>ECF</b> credit possible. Note that <b>ALL</b> 4 S values must be used for <b>ECF</b> <hr/> <b>ALLOW</b> 1 mark for $-218$ <b>ALLOW</b> 1 mark for $+730$ ( <i>products – reactants</i> ) <b>Note:</b> $-3190$ for simple addition of products + reactants scores zero marks
		(ii)	$\Delta G = +2879 - 298 \times -0.256 \checkmark$ $= (+)2955 \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1}) \checkmark$	2	<b>ALLOW</b> 3 SF: 2960 to calculator value of 2955.288  <b>Award 1 mark for the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><math>\Delta G = 2890</math> to calculator value of 2885.4 25 °C used rather than 298 K:</li> <li><math>\Delta G = 79200</math> to calculator value of 79167 <math>\Delta S</math> not converted from <math>\text{J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}</math> to <math>\text{kJ K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}</math></li> <li>expressions with <b>one</b> transcription error: e.g. <math>+2897</math> instead of <math>+2879</math>; <math>0.265</math> instead of <math>0.256</math></li> <li><math>\Delta G = 2814.036</math> use of <math>218</math> rather than <math>-256</math></li> <li>Use of 'answer to <b>(a)(i)</b>'/1000 (by <b>ECF</b>)</li> </ul>
		(iii)	$\Delta H$ is positive <b>OR</b> $\Delta H > 0$ <b>AND</b> $\Delta S$ is negative <b>OR</b> $T\Delta S$ is negative <b>OR</b> $\Delta S < 0$ <b>OR</b> $T\Delta S < 0$ <b>AND</b> $\Delta G$ will always be positive <b>OR</b> $\Delta G > 0 \checkmark$	1	<b>ALLOW</b> $\Delta H$ is endothermic for $\Delta H$ is +ve  <b>ALLOW</b> $\Delta G$ will never be less than 0  <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> S or H i.e. <b>change</b> in entropy, $\Delta S$ and change in enthalpy $\Delta H$ are essential

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6	(b)		<p><b>FIRST, CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE</b>  <b>IF</b> answer = <math>3.12 \times 10^{17}</math> g, award <b>2 marks</b></p> <p>-----</p> <p>amount of CO<sub>2</sub> removed  <math>= 3.4 \times 10^{18} \times 6 / 2879</math> <b>OR</b> <math>7.09 \times 10^{15}</math> (mol) ✓</p> <p>mass of CO<sub>2</sub> = <math>44.0 \times 7.09 \times 10^{15} = 3.12 \times 10^{17}</math> g ✓</p>	2	<p><b>ALLOW</b> 2 SF (<math>7.1 \times 10^{15}</math> (mol)) up to calculator value of 7.085793678, correctly rounded</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> 2 SF (<math>3.1 \times 10^{17}</math> g) up to calculator value, correctly rounded  <b>Correct units required for 2nd mark</b>  e.g. <math>3.12 \times 10^{14}</math> kg; <math>3.12 \times 10^{11}</math> tonne</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> 1 mark for <math>3.1 \times 10^{17}</math> with no unit</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> ECF from incorrectly calculated amount of CO<sub>2</sub> provided that both <math>3.4 \times 10^{18}</math> <b>AND</b> 2879 have been used</p> <p>e.g. Omission of x 6 gives <math>1.181 \times 10^{15}</math> mol CO<sub>2</sub> and <math>5.196 \times 10^{16}</math> g CO<sub>2</sub></p>
			<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	

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7	(a)		<b>Definition</b> The e.m.f. (of a half-cell) compared with a (standard) hydrogen half-cell/(standard) hydrogen electrode ✓ <b>Standard conditions</b> Temperature of 298 K / 25°C <b>AND</b> (solution) concentrations of 1 mol dm <sup>-3</sup> / 1M <b>AND</b> pressure of 101 kPa <b>OR</b> 100 kPa ✓	2	<b>ALLOW</b> voltage <b>OR</b> potential difference <b>OR</b> p.d. <b>OR</b> electrode potential <b>OR</b> reduction potential <b>OR</b> redox potential as alternative for e.m.f. <b>IGNORE</b> S.H.E. (as abbreviation for standard hydrogen electrode)  <b>ALLOW</b> 1 atmosphere/1 atm <b>OR</b> 10 <sup>5</sup> Pa <b>OR</b> 1 bar
	(b)		2.71 V ✓	1	<b>IGNORE</b> any sign
	(c)	(i)	$\text{Al} + 3\text{Fe}^{3+} \longrightarrow \text{Al}^{3+} + 3\text{Fe}^{2+}$ ✓ $2\text{Al} + 3\text{I}_2 \longrightarrow 2\text{Al}^{3+} + 6\text{I}^-$ ✓ $2\text{I}^- + 2\text{Fe}^{3+} \longrightarrow \text{I}_2 + 2\text{Fe}^{2+}$ ✓	3	Correct species <b>AND</b> balancing needed for each mark <b>IGNORE</b> state symbols <b>ALLOW</b> equilibrium sign (i.e. assume reaction is to right) <b>ALLOW</b> correct multiples  <b>IF</b> there are <b>more than</b> three equations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>mark a maximum of three equations</li> <li>mark incorrect equations first</li> </ul>
		(ii)	High activation energy <b>OR</b> slow rate ✓  Conditions not standard <b>OR</b> concentrations not 1 mol dm <sup>-3</sup> ✓	2	<b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> 'standard conditions' are different

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7 (d)	<p><b>ANNOTATE WITH TICKS, CROSSES, etc</b></p> <p><b>General (2 marks – assumed to be acid)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(E of) <b>7</b> (<math>\text{ClO}^-/\text{Cl}_2</math>) is more positive/less negative (than <b>6</b>)  <b>OR</b> <math>E_{\text{cell}}</math> is (+)0.27 (V) <b>OR</b> <math>E_{\text{cell}}</math> is positive ✓</li> <li><b>6</b> (<math>\text{Cl}_2/\text{Cl}^-</math>) moves to left  <b>AND 7</b> (<math>\text{ClO}^-/\text{Cl}_2</math>) to right ✓</li> </ul> <hr/> <p><b>In alkali (3 marking points),</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><math>\text{H}^+</math> in <b>7</b> (<math>\text{ClO}^-/\text{Cl}_2</math>) is removed by/reacts with <math>\text{OH}^-</math>/alkali ✓</li> <li>(E of) <b>7</b> (<math>\text{ClO}^-/\text{Cl}_2</math>) less positive/more negative (than <b>6</b>) ✓</li> <li><b>6</b> (<math>\text{Cl}_2/\text{Cl}^-</math>) moves to right  <b>AND 7</b> (<math>\text{ClO}^-/\text{Cl}_2</math>) to left ✓</li> </ul>	4 max	<p><b>ORA</b> throughout  Minimum identification for system <b>6</b> is <math>\text{Cl}^-</math>  Minimum identification for system <b>7</b> is <math>\text{ClO}^-</math>  <b>Note:</b> <math>\text{Cl}_2</math> is unsuitable as an identifier as it features in both system <b>6</b> and system <b>7</b>  <b>IGNORE</b> reference to gaining and losing electrons; oxidation and reduction</p> <hr/> <p><b>Note:</b> identification of systems 6 and 7 could be from use of relevant half equations/overall equation  <b>ALLOW</b> 'greater' or 'higher' for 'more positive'</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> correct eqn: <math>\text{Cl}^- + \text{ClO}^- + 2\text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}</math>  <b>IGNORE</b> uncanceled electrons  <b>ALLOW</b> multiples, e.g. <math>2\text{Cl}^- + 2\text{ClO}^- + 4\text{H}^+ \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}</math></p> <p><b>Note: IF</b> equilibrium shifts are correct, <b>IGNORE</b> incorrectly balanced equation but <b>CON</b> an equation in wrong direction</p> <hr/> <p><b>ALLOW</b> correct eqn: <math>\text{Cl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{Cl}^- + \text{ClO}^- + 2\text{H}^+</math>  <b>IGNORE</b> uncanceled electrons  <b>ALLOW</b> multiples, e.g. <math>2\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}^- + 2\text{ClO}^- + 4\text{H}^+</math></p> <p><b>Note: IF</b> equilibrium shifts are correct, <b>IGNORE</b> incorrectly balanced equation but <b>CON</b> an equation in wrong direction</p>

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	(e)	(i)	$\text{IO}_3^-$ has removed/gained electrons from $\text{Sn}^{2+}$ <b>OR</b> $\text{IO}_3^-$ has been reduced to $\text{I}_2$ / reduced to 0 <b>OR</b> $\text{IO}_3^-$ has oxidised $\text{Sn}^{2+}$ ✓	1	<b>ALLOW</b> $\text{IO}_3^-$ is the oxidising agent as I has been reduced <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> just $\text{IO}_3^-$ has been reduced <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> I is the oxidising agent
		(ii)	$5\text{Sn}^{2+} + 2\text{IO}_3^- + 12\text{H}^+ \longrightarrow \text{I}_2 + 5\text{Sn}^{4+} + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  All chemical species correct with <b>no extra</b> chemical species ✓ Correct balancing with no electrons shown ✓	2	<b>ALLOW</b> correct multiples eg $2\frac{1}{2} \text{Sn}^{2+} + \text{IO}_3^- + 6\text{H}^+ \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \text{I}_2 + 2\frac{1}{2} \text{Sn}^{4+} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$  <b>IGNORE</b> $\text{e}^-$ for 1st marking point
			<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	

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8	(a)		$(1s^2 2s^2 2p^6) 3s^2 3p^6 3d^8 4s^2$ ✓ $(1s^2 2s^2 2p^6) 3s^2 3p^6 3d^8$ ✓	2	<b>ALLOW</b> 4s before 3d, i.e. $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^2 3d^8$  <b>IF</b> candidate has used subscripts <b>OR</b> caps, <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> when first seen but credit subsequently, i.e. $1s_2 2s_2 2p_6 3s_2 3p_6 3d_8 4s_2$ $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^2 3d^8$  For $Ni^{2+}$ <b>ALLOW</b> $4s^0$ in electron configuration
	(b)	(i)	Acts as a base <b>OR</b> alkali <b>AND</b> removes/accepts a proton (from DMGH) ✓	1	
		(ii)	4 ✓	1	
		(iii)	(Each) DMG has 1– charge which <b>cancel</b> 2+ charge on $Ni^{2+}$ ✓	1	<b>ALLOW</b> $2 \times -1 + 2 = 0$ For $Ni^{2+}$ , <b>ALLOW</b> Ni has an oxidation number of (+)2 <b>ALLOW</b> $Ni^{2+}$ cancelled out by 2 $DMG^-$ <b>ALLOW</b> 'balanced' for cancelled
		(iv)		1	<b>ALLOW</b> OH for O—H <b>ALLOW</b> $CH_3-$ <b>DO NOT ALLOW</b> —H—O

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8 (c)	<p><b>Marks are for correctly calculated values</b></p> <p><i>amount of Ni</i> -----</p> <p>amount Ni(DMG)<sub>2</sub> <b>OR</b> amount hydrated salt <b>OR</b> amount Ni<sup>2+</sup></p> $= \frac{2.57}{288.7} = \mathbf{8.9(0) \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}} \checkmark$ <p><i>M values</i> -----</p> $M(\text{hydrated salt}) = \frac{2.50}{8.90 \times 10^{-3}} = \mathbf{280.9 \text{ (g mol}^{-1}\text{)}} \checkmark$ $M(\text{anhydrous salt}) = \frac{1.38}{8.90 \times 10^{-3}} = \mathbf{155.0 \text{ (g mol}^{-1}\text{)}} \checkmark$ <p><i>H<sub>2</sub>O</i> -----</p> <p>mass H<sub>2</sub>O = 2.50 – 1.38 = <b>1.12 g</b> <math>\checkmark</math></p> <p><i>n(H<sub>2</sub>O) from mass or M values</i></p> $= \frac{1.12}{18.0} = \mathbf{6.2(2) \times 10^{-2} \text{ OR } 280.9 - 155.0 \sim 125.9} \checkmark$ <p><i>waters of crystallisation</i></p> $= \frac{6.22 \times 10^{-2}}{8.90 \times 10^{-3}} = \mathbf{7 \text{ OR } \frac{125.9}{18.0} = 7} \checkmark$ <p><i>Anion</i> -----</p> <p>Molar mass of anion = 280.9 – (58.7 + 7 × 18) = <b>96.1</b> (g mol<sup>-1</sup>)</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p>Molar mass of anion = 155.0 – 58.7 = <b>96.3</b> (g mol<sup>-1</sup>) <math>\checkmark</math></p> <p><i>Formula</i> -----</p> <p>Formula of salt is <b>NiSO<sub>4</sub>•7H<sub>2</sub>O</b> <math>\checkmark</math></p>	7 max	<p><b>ANNOTATE WITH TICKS AND CROSSES, etc</b></p> <p><b>Note:</b> The answers incorporate three different approaches to solving this problem.</p> <p><b>IF candidate attempts calculation via another method, consult your TL</b></p> <p><b>ECF</b> answer above</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> numerical answers 280.8 – 280.9 (<b>ALLOW</b> 281)</p> <p><b>IGNORE</b> further figures</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> numerical answers 155.0 – 155.1 (<b>ALLOW</b> 155)</p> <p><b>IGNORE</b> further figures</p> <p><b>ASSUME</b> that ‘unlabelled 1.12 g’ applies to H<sub>2</sub>O unless contradicted</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> numerical answers 125.7 – 125.9 (<b>ALLOW</b> 126)</p> <p><b>ECF</b> answer above</p> <p><b>7</b> as whole number is required</p> <p><b>Note:</b> Mark for 7 can be credited within formula <b>BUT</b> there must be some relevant working to derive ~7, e.g. 6.99</p> <p><b>ALLOW</b> numerical answers 96.0 – 96.4 (<b>ALLOW</b> 96)</p>
	<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	



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