



Mark Scheme (Results)

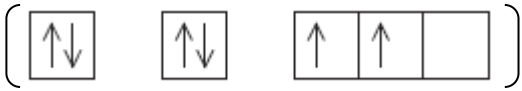
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Pearson Edexcel International
Advanced Subsidiary Level
In Chemistry (WCH11)
Paper 01 Structure, Bonding and Introduction
to Organic Chemistry

Section A (Multiple Choice)

Question number	Answer	Mark
1	<p>The only correct answer is B (8 neutrons and 10 electrons)</p> <p>A is incorrect because in a negative ion the number of electrons should be more than the number of protons</p> <p>C is incorrect because the numbers of neutrons and electrons are incorrect</p> <p>D is incorrect because oxygen has 8 neutrons and hydrogen has 0</p>	(1)

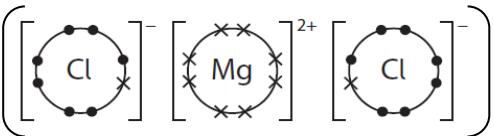
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2	<p>The only correct answer is B (28.2)</p> <p>A is incorrect because this is the mass number of the most abundant isotope</p> <p>C is incorrect because this is the average of the mass numbers without considering their abundances</p> <p>D is incorrect because the percentages have been mixed up</p>	(1)

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3	<div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p>The only correct answer is D</p> <p>A is incorrect because the 1s and 2s electrons should be paired</p> <p>B is incorrect because the 2s electrons should be paired</p> <p>C is incorrect because the 2p electrons should not be paired</p>	(1)

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4	<p>The only correct answer is D (3p subshell 6, third quantum shell 18)</p> <p><i>A is incorrect because 2 is the number of electrons in a 3p orbital and the 3d electrons have been omitted from the third quantum shell</i></p> <p><i>B is incorrect because 2 is the number of electrons in a 3p orbital</i></p> <p><i>C is incorrect because the 3d electrons have been omitted from the third quantum shell</i></p>	(1)

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5	<p>The only correct answer is B (Group 3)</p> <p><i>A is incorrect because the biggest jump is after the third ionisation energy not after the second</i></p> <p><i>C is incorrect because the biggest jump is not after the fourth ionisation energy</i></p> <p><i>D is incorrect because the biggest jump is not after the fifth ionisation energy</i></p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
6	<p>The only correct answer is D (1000)</p> <p><i>A is incorrect because this is less than the first ionisation energy of sodium and phosphorus has 4 more protons</i></p> <p><i>B is incorrect because this is less than the first ionisation energy of aluminium and phosphorus has 2 more protons</i></p> <p><i>C is incorrect because this is less than the first ionisation energy of silicon and phosphorus has 1 more proton</i></p>	(1)

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7	<p>  </p> <p>The only correct answer is D</p> <p><i>A is incorrect because magnesium chloride has ionic bonding</i></p> <p><i>B is incorrect because magnesium chloride has ionic bonding</i></p> <p><i>C is incorrect because the charges are incorrect</i></p>	(1)

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8	<p>The only correct answer is C (ions and delocalised electrons)</p> <p><i>A is incorrect because this is ionic bonding</i></p> <p><i>B is incorrect because atoms do not attract delocalised electrons</i></p> <p><i>D is incorrect because this is covalent bonding</i></p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
9	<p>The only correct answer is C (more protons than N^{3-} but the same number of electrons as N^{3-})</p> <p><i>A is incorrect because Al^{3+} has more protons and the same number of electrons as N^{3-}</i></p> <p><i>B is incorrect because Al^{3+} has the same number of electrons as N^{3-}</i></p> <p><i>D is incorrect because Al^{3+} has more protons and the same number of electrons as N^{3-}</i></p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
10	<p>The only correct answer is B (Mg^{2+})</p> <p><i>A is incorrect because anions are polarised and do not cause polarisation</i></p> <p><i>C is incorrect because Na^+ has less polarising ability than Mg^{2+} as it has a larger radius and a lower charge</i></p> <p><i>D is incorrect because anions are polarised and do not cause polarisation</i></p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
11	<p>The only correct answer is C (ICl_4^-)</p> <p><i>A is incorrect because CCl_4 is tetrahedral</i></p> <p><i>B is incorrect because CH_4 is tetrahedral</i></p> <p><i>D is incorrect because NH_4^+ is tetrahedral</i></p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
12	<p>The only correct answer is D (general formula)</p> <p><i>A is incorrect because boiling temperature increases as the number of carbon atoms increases</i></p> <p><i>B is incorrect because density increases as the number of carbon atoms increases</i></p> <p><i>C is incorrect because the alkanes have different empirical formulae</i></p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
13	<p>The only correct answer is A (accepts a pair of electrons)</p> <p><i>B is incorrect because electrophiles never have a negative charge</i></p> <p><i>C is incorrect because not all electrophiles have a positive charge</i></p> <p><i>D is incorrect because nucleophiles donate a pair of electrons</i></p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
14	<p>The only correct answer is B (5)</p> <p><i>A is incorrect because there are 5 structural isomers – hexane, 2-methylpentane, 3-methylpentane, 2,2-dimethylbutane and 2,3-dimethylbutane</i></p> <p><i>C is incorrect because there are 5 structural isomers</i></p> <p><i>D is incorrect because there are 5 structural isomers</i></p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
15	<p>The only correct answer is A (E-2-chlorobut-2-ene)</p> <p><i>B is incorrect because the two highest priority groups are opposite to each other</i></p> <p><i>C is incorrect because chlorine is on the second carbon atom</i></p> <p><i>D is incorrect because chlorine is on the second carbon atom and the two highest priority groups are opposite to each other</i></p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
16	<p>The only correct answer is C (bonds broken σ and π, bonds made σ only)</p> <p>A is incorrect because a π bond also breaks in ethene and only σ bonds are made</p> <p>B is incorrect because a σ bond also breaks in hydrogen</p> <p>D is incorrect because only σ bonds are made</p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
17	<p>The only correct answer is A ($\text{Ca} + 2\text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow \text{Ca}(\text{NO}_3)_2 + \text{H}_2$)</p> <p>B is incorrect because the formulae of nitric acid and calcium nitrate are incorrect</p> <p>C is incorrect because the formula of nitric acid is incorrect</p> <p>D is incorrect because the formula of calcium nitrate is incorrect</p>	(1)

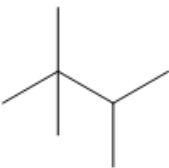
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18	<p>The only correct answer is B (0.424 g)</p> <p>A is incorrect because this is the answer using a molar mass of 83 g mol^{-1} from NaCO_3</p> <p>C is incorrect because this is the answer just using the volume and a concentration of 1 mol dm^{-3}</p> <p>D is incorrect because this is the answer just using the concentration and not the volume</p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
19	<p>The only correct answer is A (6.0×10^{-2} g)</p> <p><i>B is incorrect because 12×10^{-6} has been multiplied by 5 instead of 5000</i></p> <p><i>C is incorrect because 12×10^{-6} has been divided by 5 instead of multiplied by 5000</i></p> <p><i>D is incorrect because 12×10^{-6} has been divided by 5000 instead of multiplied</i></p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
20	<p>The only correct answer is A (0.36 dm^3)</p> <p><i>B is incorrect because the 2:1 mole ratio has not been used</i></p> <p><i>C is incorrect because the mole ratio has been used as 1:2 instead of 2:1</i></p> <p><i>D is incorrect because the mass has not been converted to moles</i></p>	(1)

Section B

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
21(a)(i)	<p>An answer that makes reference to the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heptane / petrol containing heptane: burns less efficiently / smoothly (than branched chains / cycloalkanes) <p>or</p> <p>does not combust efficiently</p> <p>or</p> <p>causes pre-ignition / knocking</p>	<p>Allow burns for combusts and vice versa</p> <p>Allow reverse argument e.g. petrol burns more efficiently with no / small amount of heptane</p> <p>Allow the octane number would be low / zero</p> <p>Ignore: It does not ignite / burn easily It is difficult / harder to combust Just 'less efficient' without reference to combustion Incomplete combustion Amount of CO₂ produced Causes auto-ignition References to toxicity and flammability</p>	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
21(a)(ii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">  	<p>Ignore bond lengths and bond angles</p> <p>Ignore structural or displayed formulae as working</p> <p>Ignore skeletal formula with any CH₃ groups specified</p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
21(a)(iii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> correct equation 	<p>Example of equation:</p> $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{16} \rightarrow \text{C}_7\text{H}_{14} + \text{H}_2$ <p>Allow multiples</p> <p>Ignore any other type of formulae</p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
21(a)(iv)	<p>An explanation that makes reference to the following points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (oxides of nitrogen / these compounds) dissolve in / react with / combine with / mix with water (to form nitric / nitrous) acid(s) / acidic solution / acid rain 	<p>Ignore any reference to oxides of sulfur / sulfur dioxide / sulfuric acid in answer</p> <p>Allow moisture / rain / clouds for water</p> <p>Ignore react with air / oxygen</p> <p>Allow decreases pH of solution / rain</p>	(2)

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
21(b)(i)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> initiation reaction) 	<p>(step /</p> <p>Allow initiating (step)</p> <p>Ignore free radical / homolytic / chain / initial (step)</p> <p>Do not award heterolytic</p>	(1)

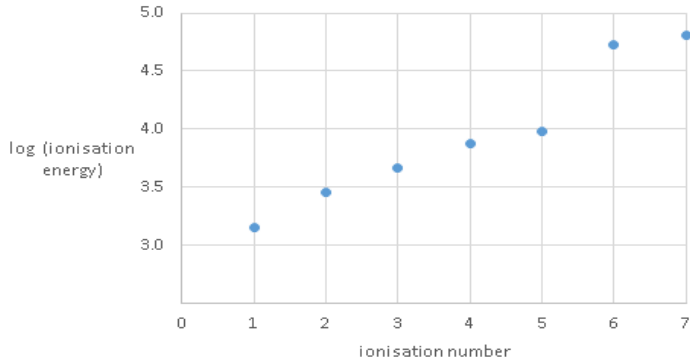
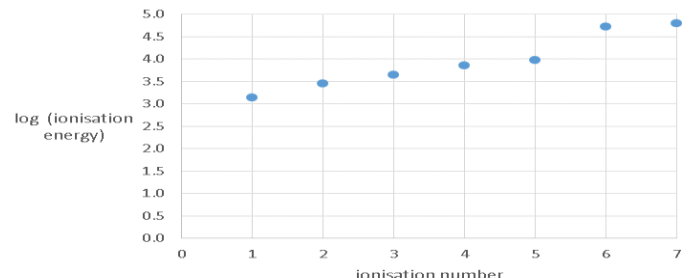
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21(b)(ii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{16} + \text{Cl}\cdot \rightarrow \text{C}_7\text{H}_{15}\cdot + \text{HCl}$ (1) $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{15}\cdot + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{C}_7\text{H}_{15}\text{Cl} + \text{Cl}\cdot$ (1) 	<p>Allow propagation steps in either order</p> <p>Allow \cdot anywhere on correct species</p> <p>Ignore curly arrows, even if incorrect</p> <p>Do not award \cdot on species that are not radicals</p> <p>Penalise omission of \cdot or incorrect number of hydrogens in heptane once only in b(ii), b(iii) and b(iv)</p>	(2)

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
21(b)(iii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{15}\cdot + \text{C}_7\text{H}_{15}\cdot \rightarrow \text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{30}$ 	<p>TE on alkyl radical in (b)(ii)</p> <p>Do not award product written as $2\text{C}_7\text{H}_{15}$ / $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{15}\text{C}_7\text{H}_{15}$</p>	(1)

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
21(b)(iv)	<p>An explanation that makes reference to the following points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> chlorine(free) radical / atom / $\text{Cl}\cdot$ removes another hydrogen (atom in the product / chloroheptane) (1) (this free) radical reacts with another chlorine molecule / Cl_2 (to form dichloroheptane) or (this free) radical reacts with a chlorine radical / atom / $\text{Cl}\cdot$ (to form dichloroheptane) (1) 	<p>TE on alkyl radical in (b)(ii)</p> <p>Allow $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{15}\text{Cl} + \text{Cl}\cdot \rightarrow \text{C}_7\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}\cdot + \text{HCl}$</p> <p>Ignore $\text{Cl}\cdot$ substitutes a H atom</p> <p>Allow $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}\cdot + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{C}_7\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}_2 + \text{Cl}\cdot$ or $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}\cdot + \text{Cl}\cdot \rightarrow \text{C}_7\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}_2$</p> <p>Ignore just 'further substitution'</p> <p>Ignore $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{16} + 2\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{C}_7\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{HCl}$ Any answer that shows 2Cl substituted in one step</p>	(2)

(Total for Question 21 = 11 marks)


Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark						
22(a)(i)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">two correct values	<table><tr><td>(6)</td><td>(53 268)</td><td>4.73</td></tr><tr><td>(7)</td><td>(64 362)</td><td>4.81</td></tr></table> <p>Both numbers correct and must be to 2 d.p.</p>	(6)	(53 268)	4.73	(7)	(64 362)	4.81	(1)
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22(a)(ii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> axes correct way round and linear scale points covering at least half the grid horizontally (1) both axes labelled (1) points plotted correctly (1) 	<p>Example of graph:</p>  <p>Allow</p>  <p>Labels: Allow $\log(\text{IE} / \text{kJ mol}^{-1})$ Do not award $\log(\text{IE}) / \text{kJ mol}^{-1}$</p> <p>Points: TE on values in table for 6th and 7th $\log(\text{IE})$ Allow ± 1 small square Allow points joined by lines / bar chart Ignore lines drawn from x axis to each point Do not award a best fit straight line Do not award lines joined to the origin</p>	(3)

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22(a)(iii)	<p>An answer that makes reference to the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the range of numbers / 1402 to 64362 is too large (to fit on a graph / axis) <p>or</p> <p>logarithms make it easier to plot the numbers</p>	<p>Allow:</p> <p>A (very) long y axis would be needed (Some of) the numbers are too large</p> <p>The difference between the ionisation energies is too large</p> <p>So the numbers will fit on the graph</p> <p>Allow logs give smaller (range of) numbers</p>	(1)

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22(a)(iv)	<p>An explanation that makes reference to the following points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the (large) jump (between ionisations 5 and 6) shows the start of a new (quantum) shell (1) there are two electrons that are harder to remove and they are closer to the nucleus (1) there are five electrons that are easier to remove and they are further from the nucleus (1) 	<p>Penalise use of orbitals instead of shells once only</p> <p>Allow any answer relating the jump / large increase to two (quantum) shells</p> <p>Allow jump linked to 1s and 2s sub-shells</p> <p>Do not award jump between incorrect numbers</p> <p>Allow there are two electrons in the inner (quantum) shell</p> <p>Allow there are five electrons in the outer (quantum) shell / five valence electrons</p>	(3)

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22(a)(v)	<p>An explanation that makes reference to the following points:</p> <p>Oxygen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> oxygen (atom) loses a paired electron (from a 2p orbital / 2p sub-shell) or oxygen electron is lost from a full (2p) orbital (1) <p>Nitrogen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> nitrogen (atom) loses an electron from a singly-occupied orbital or nitrogen loses an electron from a half-filled subshell (1) <p>Repulsion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> there is (more) repulsion between paired electrons (than between electrons in different orbitals so less energy is required to remove the electron in oxygen) (1) 	<p>Penalise mention of incorrect orbital e.g. 3p once only</p> <p>Ignore any reference to nuclear charge / numbers of protons / shielding / atomic radius</p> <p>Allow M1 and M2 from diagrams showing electrons in boxes</p> <p>Allow oxygen has a pair of electrons in a (2)p orbital or there is spin pairing in oxygen in a (2)p orbital</p> <p>Allow nitrogen has no paired electrons in the (2)p sub-shell / (2)p orbitals or nitrogen only has 1 electron in each (2)p orbital / has 3 unpaired (2)p electrons / has a half-filled (2)p sub-shell / has half-filled (2)p orbitals</p> <p>Do not award just 'nitrogen has a half-filled p orbital'</p>	(3)

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22(b)(i)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> dot-and-cross diagram 	<p>Example of dot-and-cross diagram:</p>  <p>Allow overlapping circles</p> <p>Allow all dots / all crosses</p> <p>Allow dots and crosses in any order in the triple bond</p> <p>Allow the dots and crosses side-by-side in the triple bond e.g.</p> <pre> x o x o x o </pre> <p>Allow the non-bonded electrons on each N shown separately</p> <p>Ignore inner shell electrons, even if incorrect</p> <p>Ignore lines as bonds e.g.</p> <pre> <u>x x x</u> o o o </pre>	(1)

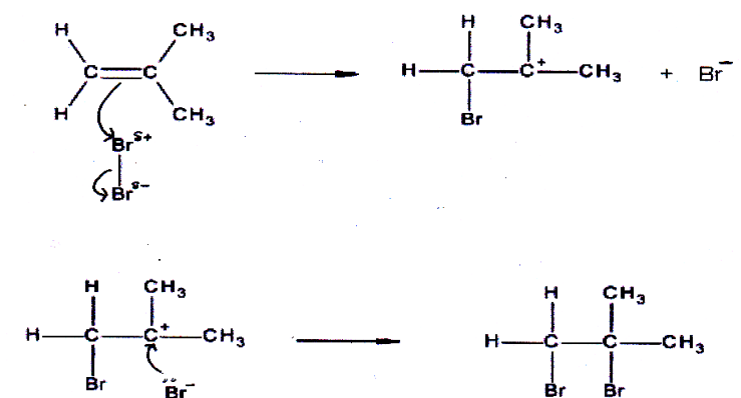
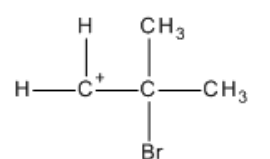
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22(b)(ii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> calculation of moles of nitrogen atoms (1) calculation of number of nitrogen atoms (1) 	<p>Example of calculation:</p> $\text{mol N}_2 = \frac{5.60}{28} = 0.20$ <p>and</p> $\text{mol N atoms} = 0.20 \times 2 = 0.40$ <p>or</p> $\frac{5.60}{14} = 0.40$ $\text{number of N atoms} = 0.40 \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ $= 2.408 \times 10^{23} / 2.41 \times 10^{23} / 2.4 \times 10^{23}$ <p>TE on moles of nitrogen</p> <p>Ignore SF except 1SF</p> <p>Correct answer with no working scores (2)</p>	(2)

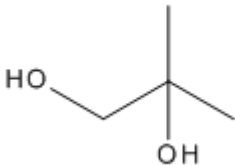
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22(b)(iii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> conversion of volume to m³ (1) conversion of temperature to K (1) rearrangement of ideal gas equation (1) evaluation to give n (1) 	<p>Example of calculation:</p> <p>volume of N₂ = $\frac{108}{1 \times 10^6} = 1.08 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^3$</p> <p>temperature = 25 + 273 = 298 K</p> <p>$n = \frac{pV}{RT}$</p> <p>or</p> <p>$n = \frac{1.36 \times 10^5 \times 1.08 \times 10^{-4}}{8.31 \times 298}$</p> <p>TE on volume and temperature</p> <p>$n = 5.9312 \times 10^{-3} / 0.0059312 \text{ (mol)}$</p> <p>Conditional on correctly rearranged equation in M3</p> <p>Ignore SF except 1SF</p> <p>Correct answer with no working scores full marks</p>	(4)

(Total for Question 22 = 18 marks)

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
23(a)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CH₂ 	Allow H ₂ C Ignore C _n H _{2n} / C ₄ H ₈ Do not award C ₃ H ₆	(1)

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23(b)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> there are two hydrogens / both hydrogens on one of the carbons (in C=C) <p>or</p> <p>there are two / both methyl / CH₃ groups on one of the carbons (in C=C)</p>	Allow there are two identical (functional) groups / atoms on each carbon (in C=C) Allow there is not CH ₃ and H on each carbon (in C=C) Allow there are not 2 different (functional) groups / atoms on each carbon (in C=C) Do not award two identical groups on the top / bottom of the double bond Do not award molecule or radical for ((functional) groups / atoms	(1)

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
23(c)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> dipole on bromine molecule and final product (1) curly arrow from C=C to Br and curly arrow from Br-Br to, or just beyond, Br (1) intermediate (1) lone pair on Br⁻ and curly arrow from lone pair to positive charge (1) 	<p>Example of mechanism:</p>  <p>Allow intermediate with positive charge on other carbon atom</p>  <p>Allow full marks for using formula 2 / any combination of structural and displayed formula</p> <p>Penalise half arrow heads once only</p> <p>Do not award δ+ on intermediate in M3</p> <p>Do not award δ- on Br in M4</p>	(4)

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23(d)(i)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> skeletal formula 	<p>Example of skeletal formula:</p>  <p>Ignore bond lengths and bond angles</p> <p>Do not allow O-H-C horizontally</p>	(1)

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23(d)(ii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (From)purple (to) colourless 	<p>Both colours needed for the mark</p> <p>Allow pink or violet for purple</p> <p>Ignore clear</p>	(1)

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23(d)(iii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> hydrogen bromide / HBr 	<p>Ignore state symbols (g) / (l) / (aq) / (s)</p> <p>Do not award bromine</p>	(1)

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23(d)(iv)	<p>An explanation that makes reference to the following points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (2-bromo-2-methylpropane is formed from a) tertiary carbocation / tertiary intermediate (1) (tertiary carbocation / intermediate) is more stable than primary (carbocation) or a tertiary carbocation is the most stable (1) 	<p>Allow a description of a tertiary carbocation</p> <p>Do not award secondary carbocation for M1</p> <p>Allow primary carbocation is less stable than tertiary</p> <p>Allow secondary carbocation is more stable than primary, if secondary carbocation identified in M1</p> <p>Ignore just 'tertiary carbocation is more stable'</p> <p>Ignore any explanation of why one cation is more stable than another</p> <p>Ignore any reference to Markovnikov's rule</p> <p>Do not award tertiary product is more stable (than primary)</p>	(2)

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
23(e)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 carbon atoms linked by single bonds and both extension bonds rest of structure correct 	<p>Example of repeat units:</p> $ \begin{array}{cccc} \text{H} & \text{CH}_3 & \text{H} & \text{CH}_3 \\ & & & \\ -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C}- \\ & & & \\ \text{H} & \text{CH}_3 & \text{H} & \text{CH}_3 \end{array} $ <p>Allow any combination of structural and displayed formulae or skeletal formulae</p> <p>Do not award 1, or more than 2, repeat units / 2 separate repeat units in M1 Penalise one or both extension bonds missing in M1 only</p> <p>M2 is conditional on M1 or 1 or more than 2 repeat units / 2 separate repeat units</p> <p>Allow both methyl groups on carbons one and three or two and three or one and four</p> <p>Ignore any brackets and any 'n's or numbers</p> <p>Ignore bond lengths and bond angles</p> <p>Ignore connectivity of CH₃ groups</p>	(2)

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
23(f)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> calculation / working of mol of alcohol (1) calculation / working of mol of alkene if 58.2% (1) calculation / working of mass of alkene (1) answer given to 2 or 3 SF (1) <p>Alternative method for M2 and M3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> calculation / working of theoretical mass of alkene (1) calculation / working of actual mass of alkene (1) 	<p>Example of calculation: mol alcohol used = $\frac{6.85}{74} = 0.092568 / 9.2568 \times 10^{-2}$</p> <p>mol alkene if 58.2% = $0.092568 \times \frac{58.2}{100}$ = $0.053874 / 5.3874 \times 10^{-2}$</p> <p>TE on mol alcohol</p> <p>mass alkene = $0.053874 \times 56 = 3.017$ (g) TE on mol alkene</p> <p>answer to 2 or 3 SF = 3.0 / 3.02 (g) Conditional on working involving 74 and 56</p> <p>Correct answer to 2 or 3SF with or without working scores (4)</p> <p>Alternative method for M2 and M3 mass alkene if 100% = $0.092568 \times 56 = 5.1838$ (g) TE on mol alcohol</p> <p>mass alkene if 58.2% = $5.1838 \times \frac{58.2}{100} = 3.017$ (g) TE on theoretical mass</p>	(4)

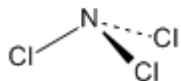
(Total for Question 23 = 17 marks)

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24(a)	<p>An explanation that makes reference to the following points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (l) is incorrect because the solutions are aqueous or ions are (in the) aqueous (state) the state symbols should be (aq) instead of (l) (1) silver ions should have one positive charge / Ag^+ or silver chloride is AgCl (1) 	<p>Allow silver nitrate and sodium chloride are aqueous</p> <p>Do not award if incorrect state symbol for one of the species in the equation e.g. Ag is (s) / AgCl is (aq)</p> <p>Ignore just the charge on the silver ion is incorrect / the formula of silver chloride is incorrect</p>	(2)

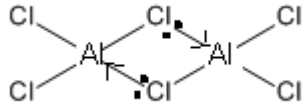
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24(b)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> calculation of mol of C, H and Cl (1) calculation of empirical formula (1) calculation of molecular formula (1) 	<p>Example of calculation:</p> $\begin{array}{rcccl} & \text{C} & : & \text{H} & : & \text{Cl} \\ \text{mol} & \underline{3.09} & : & \underline{0.26} & : & \underline{9.15} \\ & 12 & & 1 & & 35.5 \\ = & 0.2575 & : & 0.26 & : & 0.2577 \end{array}$ <p>(ratio 1 : 1 : 1) Empirical formula is CHCl</p> <p>molar mass CHCl = 12 + 1 + 35.5 = 48.5</p> <p>$\frac{\text{molar mass (CHCl)}_n}{\text{molar mass CHCl}} = \frac{97}{48.5} = 2$</p> <p>Molecular formula is C₂H₂Cl₂ Allow symbols in any order Do not award 2CHCl</p> <p>Ignore SF in mol and ratio</p> <p>Correct molecular formula with some working scores (3)</p> <p>Alternative method scores (3) no. C atoms = $\frac{3.09 \times 97}{12.5 \times 12} = 2 / 1.9982$</p> <p>no. H atoms = $\frac{0.26 \times 97}{12.5 \times 1} = 2(.0176)$</p> <p>no. Cl atoms = $\frac{9.15 \times 97}{35.5} = 2$</p>	(3)

		12.5 x 35.5 molecular formula is C ₂ H ₂ Cl ₂	
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24(c)(i)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">all 4 ion formulae (1)all 4 (corresponding) m/z values (1)	<p>Example of answer:</p> <table><tr><td>ions</td><td>m/z</td></tr><tr><td>$\text{N}(^{35}\text{Cl})_3^+$</td><td>119</td></tr><tr><td>$\text{N}(^{35}\text{Cl})_2^{37}\text{Cl}^+$</td><td>121</td></tr><tr><td>$\text{N}^{35}\text{Cl}(^{37}\text{Cl})_2^+$</td><td>123</td></tr><tr><td>$\text{N}(^{37}\text{Cl})_3^+$</td><td>125</td></tr></table> <p>Allow any other unambiguous way of representing the formulae e.g. in words</p> <p>Allow (1) for any two m/z values with corresponding ion formulae</p> <p>Ignore missing / incorrect charge on ion</p> <p>Ignore mass number on N</p> <p>Ignore bonds or + between Cl atoms / order of atoms e.g. $\text{N}-^{35}\text{Cl}-^{35}\text{Cl}-^{35}\text{Cl}$</p>	ions	m/z	$\text{N}(^{35}\text{Cl})_3^+$	119	$\text{N}(^{35}\text{Cl})_2^{37}\text{Cl}^+$	121	$\text{N}^{35}\text{Cl}(^{37}\text{Cl})_2^+$	123	$\text{N}(^{37}\text{Cl})_3^+$	125	(2)
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24(c)(ii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">number of bonding pairs and number of lone pairsshapebond angle	<p>Example of table:</p> <table><tr><td>Number of bonding pairs of electrons on nitrogen</td><td>3</td></tr><tr><td>Number of lone pairs on electrons on nitrogen</td><td>1</td></tr><tr><td>Shape of molecule</td><td>trigonal pyramidal</td></tr><tr><td>Bond angle</td><td>107°</td></tr></table> <p>Shape: Allow 3-dimensional drawing e.g.</p>  <p>There must be at least 1 dotted/dashed line or wedge for 3-d Allow just 'pyramidal' Allow pyramid for pyramidal Do not award tetrahedral</p> <p>Bond angle: Allow any number in the range 106-108° Ignore missing °</p>	Number of bonding pairs of electrons on nitrogen	3	Number of lone pairs on electrons on nitrogen	1	Shape of molecule	trigonal pyramidal	Bond angle	107°	(3)
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24(d)(i)	<p>An explanation that makes reference to one of the following pairs of points:</p> <p>Polarisation route</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> an aluminium ion / cation is (very) small and highly charged or Al^{3+} has a small ionic radius / is small (1) so it polarises / distorts the chloride ion / Cl^- / anion (1) <p>Allow</p> <p>Electronegativity route</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> there is a (relatively) small difference in electronegativity between aluminium and chlorine (1) so the electrons are (partially) shared (1) 	<p>Marks must come from the same route – maximum 1 mark if one point from one route and one point from the other route</p> <p>Allow the aluminium ion has a high charge density</p> <p>Allow a description of polarisation</p> <p>Allow chlorine anion / ion</p> <p>Ignore the aluminium chloride is polarised</p> <p>Ignore size of chloride ion</p>	(2)

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24(d)(ii)	<p>A description including the following points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • diagram showing two AlCl_3 molecules joined through two chlorine atoms (1) • dative (covalent) bonds or coordinate bonds (1) 	<p>Example of diagram:</p>  <p>Allow dot-and-cross diagram</p> <p>Ignore missing arrow heads and lone pairs from diagram</p> <p>Do not award diagram with Al-Al / Cl-Cl bond(s)</p> <p>Allow dative covalent bonds labelled on diagram / shown as arrows from Cl to Al</p> <p>Allow description of dative bonds</p> <p>Allow M2 even if only 1 dative bond shown / mentioned</p> <p>Do not award M2 if dative bonds starting from aluminium</p> <p>Do not award M2 for any answer that mentions ions / ionic bonds</p>	(2)

(Total for Question 24 = 14 marks)