

Mark Scheme (Results)

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Pearson Edexcel International Advanced Level In Chemistry (WCH16)

Paper 01: Practical Skills in Chemistry II

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
1(a)	• $[Cr(H_2O)_6]^{2+}$	Allow [CrCl(H ₂ O) ₅] ⁺ / [CrCl ₃ (H ₂ O) ₃] ⁻ / [CrCl ₄ (H ₂ O) ₂] ²⁻ /	1
		[CrCl5(H2O)]3- CrCl2(H2O)4	
		Allow [CrCl ₃] ⁻ / [CrCl ₄] ²⁻	
		Allow ligands in any order	
	Allow omission of square brackets		
		Ignore name, even if incorrect	
		Ignore Cr ²⁺ (aq)	
		Do not award incorrect charge	
		Do not award omission of charge	
		Do not award $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+}$ or any other metal ion	

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1(b)	• Cr(H ₂ O) ₃ (OH) ₃	Allow Cr(OH) ₃ Ignore square brackets Ignore name, even if incorrect Do not award any species containing NH ₃	1
		If no other mark is scored in Q1 any correct transition metal hydroxide formula scores (1)	

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1(c)	• hydrogen peroxide / H ₂ O ₂	Ignore alkali / sodium hydroxide / NaOH	1
		Do not award any other additional reagents	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
1(d)	barium chromate((VI)) / BaCrO ₄	If oxidation state is given it must be correct	1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
1(e)	• orange	Do not award any other answer	1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
1(f)	• green	Allow blue-green / blue	1
		Do not award violet	

(Total for Question 1 = 6 marks)

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
2(a)	• C ₆ H ₁₀ O ₂	Allow elements in any order	1
		Do not award any other answer	

Question Number	Answer		Additional guidance	Mark
2(b)	An explanation that makes reference to the following points:			3
	Test 1 shows that X is an aldehyde /RCHO or ketone / RCOR	(1)	Accept carbonyl Ignore C=O	
	Test 2 shows that X cannot be oxidised / is not an aldehyde	(1)	Accept it is a ketone Ignore 'not an alcohol'	
	• Test 3 shows that X contains a methyl ketone	(1)	Accept methyl carbonyl / CH ₃ CO / 2-one / CH ₃ COR Do not award aldehyde Do not award methyl alcohol group / 2-ol / CH ₃ CHOH	
			If the results are not clearly linked to the tests or in the order given max (2)	

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2(c)	 structure of hexane-2,5-dione identification of the two proton environments 	(1)	Examples of correct structure: A B B A CH ₃ COCH ₂ CH ₂ COCH ₃	2
	M2 may be awarded if an incorrect formula is given that has two CH ₃ CO groups and only two proton environments with both labelled e.g either (with proton environments labelled) scores M2		Allow A B CH ₃ COCH ₂ COCH ₂ CH ₃ (which has two singlets but also a triplet and a quartet) for M1 and M2 Accept any clear method of identifying the two proton environments Allow any type of structure or combination of structures Penalise omission of H atoms in displayed structures once only throughout Q2 Ignore name, even if incorrect	

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2(d)(i)	• (Y is) carboxylic acid / COOH / CO ₂ H	Do not award just 'acid' Accept RCOOH Allow carboxyl / carboxylic group if COOH	1
		shown in the structures in (d)(ii)	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
2(d)(ii)	An answer that makes reference to the following points:	Example of correct structures:	2
	• structure of 2-ethylbutanoic acid (1)	HO	
		(C ₂ H ₅) ₂ CHCOOH	
	• structure of 3,3-dimethylbutanoic acid (1)	но	
		(CH ₃) ₃ CCH ₂ COOH	
		Accept structures in either order Allow any type of structure	
		Ignore names, even if incorrect Ignore any reference to the number of carbon/proton environments, even if incorrect	
		If no other mark awarded, two carboxylic acid structures with molecular formula C ₆ H ₁₂ O ₂ scores (1)	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
2(d)(iii)	An explanation that makes reference to the following points:	Accept correct peak areas	2
	• (Structure 1) 2-ethylbutanoic acid has four peaks (1)	Allow structure 1 has peak area ratio 6:4:1:1 and structure 2 peak area ratio is 9:2:1(2) OR	
	• (Structure 2) 3,3-dimethylbutanoic acid has three peaks (1)	Allow structure 1 has only one singlet (plus other peaks) and structure 2 has three singlets (only) OR Allow structure 1 has highest peak showing 6 protons and structure 2 has highest peak showing 9 protons	
		Allow any unambiguous reference to Structure 1 and Structure 2 from (d)(ii)	
		Ignore just structures have different numbers of peaks Ignore any references to chemical shift and to splitting patterns	
		TE on (d)(ii) for any carboxylic acids with six carbon atoms	

Question Number	Answer		Additional guidance	Mark
2(e)(i)	An explanation that makes reference to the following points:			2
	• fruity smell indicates that Z is an ester	(1)	Allow RCOOR / RCO ₂ R / COO Do not award just CO ₂	
	• (IR spectrum shows peak at) 1750-1735 (cm ⁻¹) and (due to C=O) ester	(1)	Allow peak in the range 1750-1735 (cm ⁻¹) could be ester or aldehyde Ignore (C=O) peak around 1735 (cm ⁻¹) is too high to be a ketone or carboxylic acid	
			Ignore identification of C–H alkane peak Ignore references to the fingerprint region	
			Do not award identification of C–H alkene Do not award identification of C–H aldehyde Do not award identification of O–H	

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2(e)(ii)	An answer that makes reference to the following points:		Example of correct structure: peak K	3
			peak M peak J peak L H H H H H H H H H H H H H	
		Allow any type of formula Ignore name, even if incorrect		
	• correct indication of proton environments M and K	(1)	Allow any unambiguous identification of proton environments	
	• correct indication of proton environments J and L	(1)	TE on M2 and M3 for ethyl 2-methylpropanoate:	
	Allow skeletal formulae e.g.		peak M	
	K C		peak K	
	J		TE for the splitting pattern on incorrect structures with an ester group attached to an ethyl group (M2) or a methylethyl (isopropyl) group (M3)	

(Total for Question 2 = 16 marks)

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(a)	• (to ensure the) reactants are (well) mixed	Accept (to ensure a) uniform / homogeneous solution	1
		Ignore to make sure that no reactants remain in beaker Q	
		Do not award to make sure that all the reactants react	
		Do not award other explanations	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(b)(i)	An explanation that makes reference to the following points:	Ignore reference to white precipitate (of 2,4,6-tribromophenol) Ignore any reference to the concentration/amount of phenol	2
	• to react with bromine/Br ₂ (1)	Allow to remove the bromine/Br ₂ Do not award as a solvent Do not award to provide H ⁺	
	• to delay the colour change (1)	Allow to prevent an immediate colour change/bleaching of methyl orange Allow the methyl orange is bleached when all the phenol is used up	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(b)(ii)	• pink	Accept red	1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(b)(iii)	An answer that makes reference to the following point:		1
	• temperature also affects rate	Allow temperature also affects rate constant Allow temperature is a control variable Allow the temperature must be constant Ignore to ensure a fair test Ignore reference to thermicity of the reaction	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guid	dance						Mark
3(c)(i)	• table complete with both 1/t values to 2 SF	Example of completed table:						1	
		Volume of KBr / cm ³ 10.0 8.0 6.0 5.0 4.0		3.0					
		Time, t / s	23	24	32	39	48	64	
		(1/t) / s ⁻¹	0.043	0.042	0.031	0.026	0.021	0.016	
		Temperature / °C	18	22	22	22	22	22	

Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
 axes labelled correctly with units and suitable scale (1) all points plotted correctly (1) straight line of best fit passing through the origin and missing anomalous point at 10 cm³ KBr (1) 	Example of graph: 0.05 0.04 50 0.00 0.00 0.01 0.01 0.01 0.02 0.01 0.02 0.01 0.02 0.01 0.02 0.03 0.04 Volume of KBr / cm ³ Do not award M1 if variables plotted the wrong way round Points plotted must cover at least 50% of the graph in both directions Allow error margin of ± one small square TE on 1/t values from (c)(i) Allow BFL which would pass through the origin if extrapolated Do not award M3 if axes do not start at 0,0 TE on points plotted provided line goes through the	3
	 axes labelled correctly with units and suitable scale (1) all points plotted correctly (1) straight line of best fit passing through the origin and 	Example of graph: 0.05

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(c)(iii)	• (Because) the (total) volume (of liquid / solution in the reaction flask) remains the same (for each run)	Allow 40 cm ³ or 10 cm ³ for same Allow as volume of KBr is the only variable Ignore as moles is proportional to volume Do not award concentration is proportional to volume	1

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(c)(iv)	• first order	Allow 1 st /1 for first	1
		No TE on (c)(ii)	
		Ignore explanations	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
3(d)		Allow r for Rate	1
		Allow KBr for Br ⁻ and KBrO ₃ for BrO ₃ ⁻	
	• rate = $k[Br^{-}]^{(1)}[BrO_3^{-}]^{(1)}[H^{+}]^2$	TE on (c)(iv)	
		Ignore units given for k , even if incorrect	
		Ignore state symbols even if incorrect	
		Do not award () for []	
		Do not award omission of 'Rate ='	
		Do not award omission of <i>k</i>	

(Total for Question 3 = 12 marks)

Question Number	Answer		Additional guidance	Mark
4(a)	An answer which makes reference to the following points:			2
	concentrated hydrochloric acid is corrosive	(1)	Allow just acid is corrosive	
			Ignore hydrochloric acid is toxic / harmful	
			Ignore any reference to granulated tin and / or glass	
	• nitrobenzene is toxic (by skin absorption)	(1)	Do not award nitrobenzene is toxic by inhalation Do not award nitrobenzene is corrosive Do not award phenylamine is toxic	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(b)(i)	An answer which makes reference to the following points:		1
	• (tin is a) reducing agent / reductant	Do not award catalyst Do not award oxidising agent	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(b)(ii)	An answer which makes reference to the following point:		1
	• (initial precipitate is) tin(IV) hydroxide / Sn(OH) ₄	Allow just tin hydroxide Do not award SnOH	
	or	Do not award tin(III) hydroxide / Sn(OH) ₃	
	(initial precipitate is) tin(II) hydroxide / Sn(OH) ₂	If name and formula are given both must be correct	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(c)	An answer which makes reference to the following point:		1
	• the water contains phenylamine	Allow any indication that phenylamine and water are partially miscible	
		Allow the phenylamine contains water Allow distillate is an emulsion phenylamine is slightly soluble in water	
		Ignore water just is present Ignore just 'organic compound and water'	
		Do not award phenylamine is insoluble in water Do not award phenylamine is immiscible in water Do not award distillate is insoluble in aqueous layer Do not award phenylamine is soluble in water	
		Do not award any other substances Do not award phenylamine cannot H-bond with water	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(d)	An answer which makes reference to the following point:		1
	• to aid separation (of the layers)	Accept to decrease the solubility of phenylamine (in the aqueous layer) Allow to salt out the phenylamine Allow to increase the density of the aqueous layer Allow to increase polarity of solution	
		Do not award drying agent / remove water Do not award to neutralise acidity Do not award to make the liquid clear Do not award to remove impurities Do not award to make the solution saturated	

Question Number	Answer Additional guidance		Mark
4(e)(i)	A diagram showing:	M1 and M2 are independent marks	2
	71 diagram showing.	Example of diagram: organic layer aqueous layer	
	 separating funnel (1) two layers with the lower layer labelled aqueous and the upper layer labelled organic (1) 	The funnel must be capable of being stoppered but the stopper does not need to be shown Do not award omission of tap Do not award filter funnel with or without tap / burette Allow aqueous layer labelled as water / sodium chloride solution Allow organic layer labelled as ether / phenylamine Ignore nitrobenzene Ignore volumes of each layer Do not award any other number of layers	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(e)(ii)	An answer which makes reference to the following point:		1
	 method for releasing pressure 	Invert (the funnel) and open the tap Allow remove the stopper	

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
4(f)	An answer which makes reference to the following point:		1
	drying agent	Allow absorbs water Ignore neutralisation reactions Do not award to react with ether / nitrobenzene Do not award dehydration	

Question Number	Answer		Additional guidance	Mark
4(g)	An answer which makes reference to the following points:			2
	suitable heating method	(1)	Accept hot water bath / electrical heater Do not award Bunsen burner	
	• ether is highly flammable	(1)	Allow ether will catch fire Allow 'it' is highly flammable Do not award reference to the flammability of any other compound	
			If neither mark is scored, heat to 30-50°C and because ether will evaporate (and phenylamine will remain) scores (1) Ignore 'distilled off' Do not award steam distil	

Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
A calculation including:	Example of calculation:	4
• mass of nitrobenzene (1)	mass = $1.20 \times 2.1 = 2.52$ (g)	
• moles of nitrobenzene (1)	moles = $2.52 \div 123.0 = 0.020488 / 2.0488 \times 10^{-2}$ (mols) TE on M1	
then:		
• moles of phenylamine for 43% yield (1)	moles = $0.020488 \times 0.43 = 0.0088098 / 8.8098 \times 10^{-3}$ (mols) TE on M2	
• experimental mass of phenylamine (1)	yield = 0.0088098 × 93.0 = 0.8193 / 0.819 / 0.82/ 0.8 (g) TE on M3	
or		
• mass of phenylamine for 100% yield (1)	mass = $0.020488 \times 93.0 = 1.9054$ (g) TE on M2	
• experimental mass of phenylamine (1)	yield = 1.9054 × 0.43 = 0.8193 / 0.819 / 0.82 / 0.8 (g) TE on M3	
Allow any valid calculation sequence	Ignore SF in the final answer	
	1.9054 (g) scores M1, M2 and M3 8.8098 × 10 ⁻³ (mol) scores M1, M2 and M3	
	A calculation including: mass of nitrobenzene (1) moles of nitrobenzene (1) then: moles of phenylamine for 43% yield (1) experimental mass of phenylamine (1) mass of phenylamine for 100% yield (1) experimental mass of phenylamine (1)	Example of calculation: • mass of nitrobenzene (1) • moles of nitrobenzene (1) • moles of nitrobenzene (1) • moles of phenylamine for 43% yield (1) • moles of phenylamine for 43% yield (1) • experimental mass of phenylamine (1) • mass of phenylamine for 100% yield (1) • mass of phenylamine (1) • mass of phenylamine (1) • mass of phenylamine for 100% yield (1) • mass of phenylamine (1) • mass of phenylamine (1) • pick of calculation: moles = 0.020488 × 0.43 = 0.020488 × 0.43 = 0.0088098 × 10 ⁻³ (mols) TE on M2 • yield = 0.0088098 × 93.0 = 0.8193 / 0.819 / 0.82 / 0.8 (g) TE on M2 • pick of calculation: mass = 0.020488 × 0.43 = 0.020488 × 0.43 = 0.8193 / 0.819 / 0.82 / 0.8 (g) TE on M3 Ignore SF in the final answer 1.9054 (g) scores M1, M2 and M3

(Total for Question 4 = 16 marks) TOTAL FOR PAPER = 50 MARKS