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International General Certificate of Secondary Education

MARK SCHEME for the October/November 2013 series

0620 CHEMISTRY

0620/23

Paper 2 (Core Theory), maximum raw mark 80

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1 (a)	(i)	aluminium		[1]	
	(ii)	calcium and iron		[1]	
	(iii)	lithium		[1]	
	(iv)	silver		[1]	
	(v)	aluminium		[1]	
(b)	Any	2 of:		[2]	
	reacts with acids rusts/reacts with water and oxygen/reacts with water and air reacts with steam reacts with oxygen reacts with chlorine acts as a catalyst any other suitable e.g. reacts with nitrates of less reactive metal				
(c)		sium oxide added/lime added gen/air (blown into molten iron)		[1] [1]	
	-	,		[Total: 9]	
2 (a)	Any	five of:		[5]	
	nucleus in centre of atom protons and neutrons in nucleus/protons and neutrons in centre of atom electrons outside the nucleus/idea of electrons in shells outside the centre of atom 2 protons 2 electrons 2 neutrons (in commonest isotope) protons positively charged electrons negatively charged neutrons have no charge				
(b)	airs	hips/blimps/balloons/diving/lasers/any other suitable		[1]	
(c)	223 Xe	=131, O =16, F = 19 (for 1 mark)		[2]	
(d)	(i)	(room temperature): gas (-200°C): liquid		[1] [1]	
	(ii)	has two atoms IGNORE: F_2/Cl_2 (unqualified)/reference to same atom	s or different atom	[1]	
				[Total: 11]	

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3	(a)			ns in outer shell ns in middle two shells	[1] [1]
	(b)	calc	ium d	chloride	[1]
	(c)	(i)	27 cr	m^3	[1]
		(ii)		er initial gradient s up at same volume of gas	[1] [1]
		(iii)		perature: goes faster/increases rochloric acid: goes slower/decreases	[1] [1]
	(d)	(i)	decc	omposition	[1]
		(ii)		water OW : calcium hydroxide solution	[1]
				s milky/cloudy/white ppt mark dependent on first being correct	[1]
	(e)	(i)	calci wate	ium nitrate er	[1] [1]
		(ii)	hydr ALL	ralise acidic soils/neutralise acidic lakes/making mortar/makin roxide/making limewater/whitewash .OW: making cement/making lines on roads (or games eel making	[1]
		(iii)	exot	hermic	[1]
					[Total: 15]
4	(a)			burner/source of heat heating/heat	[1]
	(b)	X at	ʻspa	ce' at top of test tube	[1]
	(c)	spe	ed up	the reaction/increase rate of reaction/make reaction go faste	r [1]
	(d)	C ₄ H	l ₈ / 20	C_2H_4	[1]

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	(e)	(i)		olourises/goes colourless ORE: goes clear		[1]
		(ii)	В			[1]
		(iii)	4 th b	ox ticked (polymerisation)		[1]
	(f)	(i)	C ₇ H ₂	16		[1]
		(ii)	subs	stance containing carbon and hydrogen only		[1]
	(g)	wat	er	ioxide correct formulae		[1] [1]
						[Total: 11]
5	(a)	3 rd	and 5	th boxes ticked (sugar and water) (1 mark each)		[2]
	(b)			al) distillation :: fractionation		[1]
	(c)		l at rig L OW :			[1]
	(d)	octa	anol			[1]
	(e)			ene and steam from ethene and water		[1]
		AN higl	D any n tem	two of: perature/heat/stated temperature between 150 an phosphoric acid	d 1000°C	[2]
		higl	h pres	ssure/stated pressure between 50-100 atm llow sulfuric acid (1) dilute with water (1) heat (1)		
						[Total: 8]
6	(a)	(i)		rsible reaction/equilibrium reaction/reaction can go ORE: products go to reactants/it is a reverse reacti	_	[1]
		(ii)		water to white copper sulfate/add water to anhydro OW : add water to CuSO ₄	ous copper sulfate	[1]
			turns	s it blue		[1]

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	(iii)	melt it/turn it to liquid dissolve it in water/make a solution of it ALLOW : add water		[1] [1]
(b)	(i)	floats on top (of the mixture)/it is on top (of the mixtu	re)	[1]
	(ii)	S gains oxygen/it gains oxygen/S turns to SO ₂ ALLOW : it/sulfur increases in oxidation number ALLOW : it/sulfur loses electrons		[1]
	(iii)	cathode: C electrolyte: D		[1] [1]
				[Total: 9]
7 (a)	112	(°C)		[1]
	liqui	id		[1]
(b)	arra ALL not	ingement: go from regularly to irregularly arranged/langed/go from regular to random LOW: idea of becoming less packed/less arranged/nimplication of particles being apart from each other) TE: do not allow implication of particles being 'apart' in	ot so close together (but	[1]
	mot mov	ion: start moving/start sliding over each other/go/ement/go from just vibrating to moving (over each ot_OW: idea of greater movement	from no movement to	[1]
(c)	Any	three of:		[3]
	part part diffu mov rand part	stal) dissolves/idea of dissolving icles (in crystal) become separated/solvent mole icles/mixing of particles/spreading out of particles usion vement of particles (in solution) dom (movement of particles) icles collide LOW: particles move from concentrated to dilute solut	-	
				[Total: 7]

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3 ((a)	Any	/ 2 of:			[2			
		compound has constant composition but mixture has variable composition compound cannot be separated into different components (by physical means) but mixture can (be separated)/only the mixture can be separated ALLOW: elements are chemically combined in compound but not in mixture compound has properties different from elements it contains but mixture has the properties of the substances within it ALLOW: compounds have sharp melting point (or boiling point) and mixture does not energy change when compound formed but no (or very small) energy change when mixture formed							
((b)	Any two of:							
		filtration/salts move to the clay pot and insoluble particles (remain) in the bowl large particles (or insoluble particles) caught by leaves the salts dissolve in the water/the salts are soluble (dissolved) salts pass or through) the (holes in the) leaves/ IGNORE: salts pass through holes in the bowl							
	(c)	(i)	sodi	um carbonate		[1			
		(ii)		ride/C <i>l</i> ⁻ ORE : chlorine		[1			
		(iii)	K⁺ SO₄²	2-		[1 [1			
((d)	2 (1	laC <i>1</i>)			[1			
((e)			s/an electron :: negative charge		[1			

[Total: 10]