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**GCE Advanced Level**

# MARK SCHEME for the October/November 2012 series

## 9701 CHEMISTRY

**9701/43** Paper 4 (A2 Structured Questions), maximum raw mark 100

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**1 (a)** $MgCl_2$: forms a (colourless) solution **or** dissolves. [1]

$AlCl_3$: produces a white ppt **or** steamy fumes [1]

$2AlCl_3$ (**or** $Al_2Cl_6$) + $3H_2O \longrightarrow Al_2O_3 + 6HCl$ [1]
(**or** $AlCl_3 + 3H_2O \longrightarrow Al(OH)_3 + 3HCl$)

**or** forms a (colourless) solution **or** dissolves [1]

$AlCl_3 + 6H_2O \longrightarrow [Al(H_2O)_5(OH)]^{2+} + H^+ + 3Cl^-$ [1]

$SiCl_4$: produces a white ppt **or** steamy fumes [1]

$SiCl_4 + 2H_2O \longrightarrow SiO_2 + 4HCl$ [1]
(or balanced equation giving $H_2SiO_3$ **or** $Si(OH)_4$)

**[Total: 5]**

**(b) (i)** $n(NaCl) = 1.10/58.5 = 1.88 \times 10^{-2}$ mol [1]
$n(KCl) = 0.90/74.6 = 1.21 \times 10^{-2}$ mol [1]

total $n(Cl^-) = 3.08$ or 3.09 or $3.1 \times 10^{-2}$ mol [2 or more sig. figs.] allow ecf

**(ii)** $Ag^+(aq) + Cl^-(aq) \longrightarrow AgCl(s)$ [1]

**(iii)** moles sampled for the titration = $3.09 \times 10^{-2} \times 10/1000 = 3.09 \times 10^{-4}$ mol ecf [1]

this equals $n(Ag^+)$, so vol of $AgNO_3 = 3.09 \times 10^{-4} \times 1000/0.02 =$ **15.5 cm$^3$** ecf [1]

**[Total: 5]**

**(c) (i)** bonds broken are C–H and I–I = 410 + 151 = 561 kJ mol$^{-1}$ (all bonds = 5731 kJ mol$^{-1}$)

bonds formed are C–I and H–I = 240 + 299 = 539 kJ mol$^{-1}$ (all bonds = 5709 kJ mol$^{-1}$)
$\Delta H$ = **+22** kJ mol$^{-1}$ [2]

**(ii)** **4** HI + **2** $HNO_3 \longrightarrow$ **2** $I_2 + N_2O_3 +$ **3** $H_2O$ (**or** double) [1]

N: (is reduced from) **5 to 3**
I: (is oxidised from) **–1 to 0** [1]

**[Total: 4]**

**[TOTAL: 14]**

**2 (a)** catalyst: any two from the following three bullets for [1] mark:

- speeds up/increases (NOT alters or changes) the rate of a reaction
- lowers energy barrier/$E_{act}$ **or** offers a lower energy pathway
- is not used up **or** remains unchanged **or** does not alter its mass/concentration **or** does not appear in stoichiometric equation **or** is regenerated [1]

homogeneous: (catalyst and reactants) in the same phase/state [1]

**[Total: 2]**

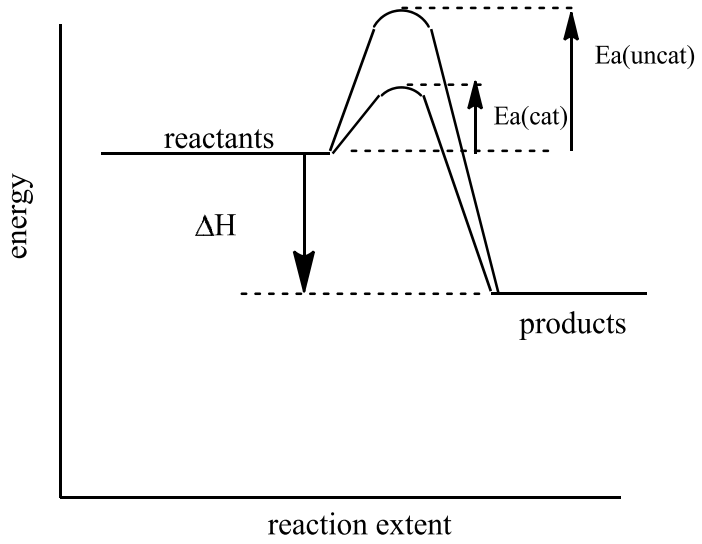
**(b) (i)** e.g. car exhausts/engines **or** aeroplanes **or** lightning **or** <u>burning</u> fuels **or** power stations [1]

nitrogen reacts with oxygen **or** $N_2 + O_2$ [1]

**(ii)** $NO_2 + SO_2 \longrightarrow NO + SO_3$
$NO + ½\ O_2 \longrightarrow NO_2$
$SO_3 + H_2O \longrightarrow H_2SO_4$
$4NO_2 + 2H_2O + O_2 \rightarrow 4HNO_3$ **or** $3NO_2 + H_2O \rightarrow 2HNO_3 + NO$ (any 3 equations) 3 × [1]

**[Total: 5]**

**(c)**




$\Delta H$ shown as negative [1]
both $E_a$ labelled and correct – i.e. for the forward reaction [1]
$E_a$(cat) < $E_a$(uncat) [1]

**[Total: 3]**

**[TOTAL: 10]**

**3** **(a)** $(1s^2 2s^2 2p^6)3s^2 3p^6 3d^9$ [1]

**[Total: 1]**

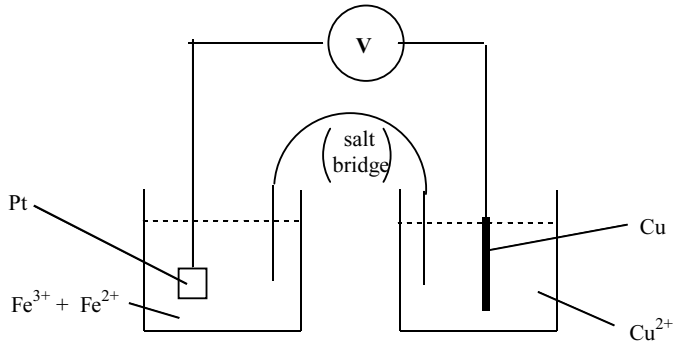
**(b)** **(i)** electron / orbitals near ligands are at a higher energy [1]
due to repulsion from ligand lone pairs [1]

**(ii)** when an electron moves to higher orbital / energy level **or** is promoted [1]
it absorbs a photon **or** light (mention of light being *emitted* negates this mark) [1]

**(iii)** (different ligands produce) different (sizes of) energy gap **or** $\Delta E$ [1]

**[Total: 5]**

**(c)**




solutions at 1 mol $dm^{-3}$ (1 M) and 298(K)/25°C [1]
salt bridge and voltmeter [1]
platinum/carbon/graphite electrode [1]
(this mark is negated by inclusion of $H_2$ around the electrode)
copper electrode [1]
$Fe^{3+}/Fe^{2+}$ mixture **and** $Cu^{2+}$ **or** $CuSO_4$ etc [1]

**[Total: 5]**

**(d)** *Parts* **(i)** – **(iii)** *have to correspond to each other.*

| | *either* | *or* |
|---|---|---|
| **(i)** | ligand exchange/substitution/displacement/replacement | precipitation/acid-base/deprotonation |
| **(ii)** | $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+} + 4NH_3 \rightarrow [Cu(H_2O)_2(NH_3)_4]^{2+} + 4H_2O$ *or* $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+} + 4NH_3 \rightarrow [Cu(NH_3)_4]^{2+} + 6H_2O$ *or* $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+} + nNH_3 \rightarrow [Cu(H_2O)_{6-n}(NH_3)_n]^{2+} + nH_2O$ | $Cu^{2+} + 2NH_3 + 2H_2O \rightarrow Cu(OH)_2 + 2NH_4^+$ *or* $Cu^{2+} + 2NH_4OH \rightarrow Cu(OH)_2 + 2NH_4^+$ *or* $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+} + 2NH_3 \rightarrow [Cu(H_2O)_4(OH)_2] + 2NH_4^+$ |
| **(iii)** | turns purple **or** deep/dark/royal blue | forms a pale blue ppt |

[1] + [1] + [1]

**(iv)** $E^{\ominus}$ will decrease/ be less positive/more negative...
...because $[Cu^{2+}]$ decreases **or** $Cu^{2+} + 2e^- \rightleftharpoons Cu$ shifts to the LHS **or**
$E^{\ominus}[Cu(NH_3)_4]^{2+} = -0.05V$ **or** $[Cu(NH_3)_4]^{2+}$ is more stable. [1]

**[Total: 4]**

**(e) (i)** aldehyde [1]

**(ii)** red ppt./solid [1]

**(iii)** $2Cu^{2+} + CH_3CHO + 5OH^- \rightarrow Cu_2O + CH_3CO_2^- + 3H_2O$ [1]

**[Total: 3]**

**(f)** pH = $pK_a$ + log [salt]/[acid] = $-\log(9.3 \times 10^{-4})$ + log (0.8/0.5)
= 3.032 + 0.204 = **3.23/3.24** (3 or more sig. figs.) [2]

**[Total: 2]**

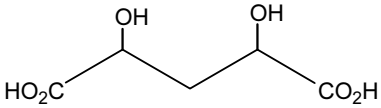
**[TOTAL: 20]**

**4 (a) (i)** ketone/carbonyl [NOT aldehyde] [1]

**(ii)** carboxylic acid (<u>name</u> of group needed. NOT 'carboxyl') [1]

**[Total: 2]**

**(b) (i)** *(allow structural, displayed or skeletal formulae in* **(b)**, **(c)** *and* **(e)***)*

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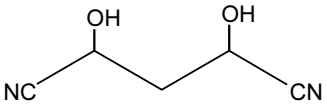


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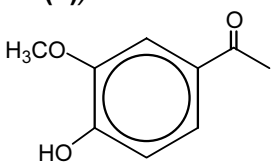



**D**

[1] + [1] + [1]

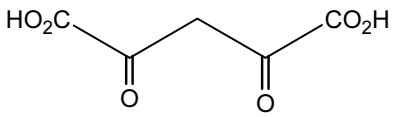
**(ii)** heat/reflux/boil/hot/T>60°C in $H_3O^+$ **or** aqueous/dilute $H^+/HCl/H_2SO_4$ (**NOT** $HNO_3$) [1]

**[Total: 4]**

**(c) (i)** reduction/redox (allow nucleophilic addition **or** hydrogenation, as appropriate from **(ii)**) [1]

**(ii)** $NaBH_4$ **or** $LiAlH_4$ **or** $H_2$ + Ni/Pt **or** Na + ethanol [1]

**(iii)**



**A**

[1]

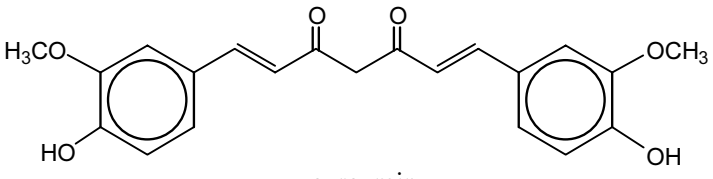
**[Total: 3]**

**(d) (i)** alkene/C=C/C-C double bond [1]

**(ii)** phenol **and** alkene/C=C/C-C double bond [1]

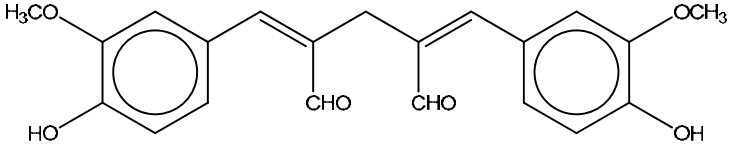
**[Total: 2]**

**(e)**



curcumin

allow



complete formula [2]

**[Total: 2]**

**[TOTAL: 13]**

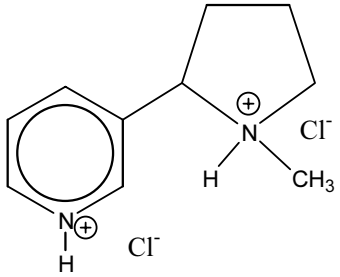
**5 (a) (i)** contains a lone pair on N (that can react with $H^+$) [1]

**(ii)** e.g. $C_2H_5NH_2 + H(Cl) \longrightarrow C_2H_5NH_3^+ (Cl^-)$ [1]
**or** $C_2H_5NH_2 + H_3O^+ \longrightarrow C_2H_5NH_3^+ + H_2O$
**or** $C_2H_5NH_2 + H_2O \longrightarrow C_2H_5NH_3^+ + OH^-$ etc

e.g. $C_2H_5NH_2 + CH_3Br \longrightarrow C_2H_5NHCH_3 + HBr$
**or** $C_2H_5NH_2 + CH_3COCl \longrightarrow CH_3CONHC_2H_5 + HCl$ [1]

**(iii)** the lone pair (on N) in phenylamine overlaps with ring **or** is delocalised [1]
electron density of N is reduced **or** N becomes more positive **or** lone pair is less available [1]

**(iv)**

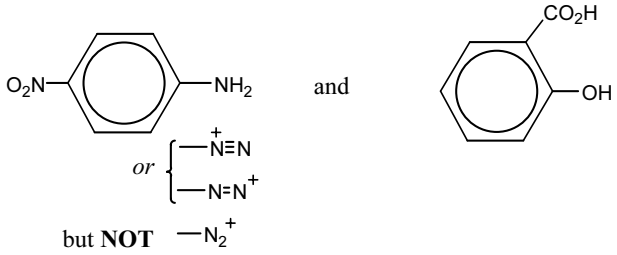



[1] + [1]

**[7 max 6]**

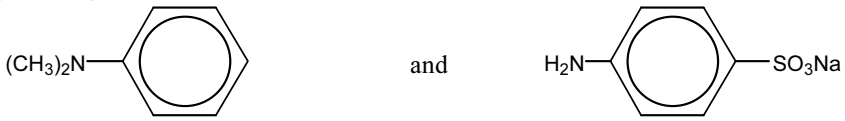
**(b) (i)** $NaNO_2$ + HC*l*/$H^+$ **or** $HNO_2$ ($HNO_3$ or $NO_3^-$ negates this mark) [1]
$-10\,^oC < T \leqslant 10\,^oC$ *or* 'less than 10 °C' [1]

**(ii)** alizarin yellow R:




[1] + [1]

methyl orange:




($NH_2$ alternatives as above)

[1] + [1]

**(iii)** makes the molecule (more) hydrophilic/soluble in water (due to H-bonding or ionic solvation)
**or** increases its melting point [1]

**[Total: 7]**

**[TOTAL: 13]**

**6** **(a)** It has no chiral centre/asymmetric carbon/optical isomers **or** is not optically active [1]

**[Total: 1]**

**(b)** **(i)** structure – α-helix *or* β-(pleated) sheet [1]

hydrogen (bonding) (for either) [1]

**(ii)** *any two pairs from the following:*

| ***bonding*** | ***possible amino acid*** |
|---|---|
| van der Waals' | ala, gly, leu, ile, val, pro, phe, try, met |
| ionic | asp, arg, glu, his, lys |
| disulfide bond | cysteine |
| hydrogen bond | asn, asp, arg, gln, glu, his, lys, ser, thr, try, tyr |

[1] + [1] [1 ] + [1]

(candidates can identify amino acids by name, three-letter abbreviation, formula of sidechain or formula of whole amino acid)

**[Total: 6]**

**(c)** (globular proteins/enzymes need) polar/H-bonding/ionic (side chains) so as to....
....enhance their solubility **or** as part of their active site **or** to help their catalytic activity [1]

**[Total: 1]**

**(d)** **(i)** A – T [1]
C – G [1]

**(ii)** (start **or** met) – **gly – ser – leu – ala – ser** – (stop)
If an amino acid is shown before gly, then it must be met.
correct sequence of the 5 **in bold** [2]

**(iii)** leu would be replaced by val [1]

**[Total: 5]**

**[TOTAL: 13]**

**7 (a) (i)** No. of carbon atoms present in **J** is $\frac{100 \times 1.3}{1.1 \times 23.5}$ = 5 carbons (must show working) [1]

(NMR spectrum shows) **10 H** (atoms present) (no reasoning need be shown) [1]

**(ii)** Oxygen **or** $O_2$ **or** O [1]

**(iii)** **J** is $(CH_3CH_2)_2C=O$ [1]

*any one from:*
quartet/4 peaks (at $\delta$ 2.5) shows an adjacent $CH_3$ **or** 3 adjacent H
triplet/3 peaks (at $\delta$ 1.1) shows an adjacent $CH_2$ **or** 2 adjacent H
two (chemical/hydrogen) environments
pair of peaks in ratio 6 :4 are (two) ethyl groups **or** the triplet + quartet shows an ethyl group
$\delta$ 2.5 implies there's a $CH_2$ next to C=O [1]

**[Total: 5]**

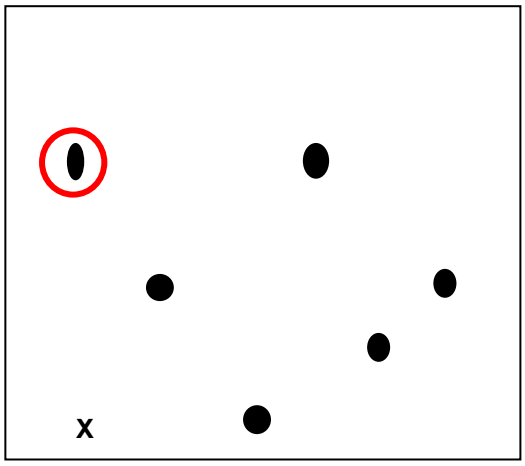
**(b) (i)**

| ***technique*** | ***physical method*** |
|---|---|
| paper chromatography | **partition** |
| thin-layer chromatography | **adsorption** |
| gas-liquid chromatography | **partition** |

[2]

**(ii)** 4 [1]

**(iii)**




correct spot circled [1]

**(iv)** 3 [1]

**[Total: 5]**

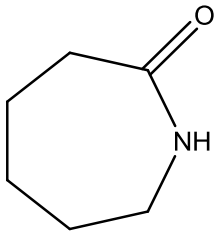
**[TOTAL: 10]**

**8 (a) A** monomers: $H_2N–(CH_2)_6–NH_2$ and $HO_2C–(CH_2)_4–CO_2H$ **or** $ClCO(CH_2)_4COCl$ [1]

Condensation **or** nucleophilic substitution **or** addition-elimination [1]

**B** monomer: $H_2C=CHCH_3$ [1]

Addition (NOT additional) [1]

**C** monomer: $H_2N–(CH_2)_5–CO_2H$ **or** $H_2N–(CH_2)_5–COCl$ **or** 

[1]

Condensation [1]

**[max 5]**

**(b) (i)** Need a statement from both columns for [1] mark.

| (a) | (b) |
|---|---|
| more compact packing in **A**<br>chains closer in **A**<br>chains further apart in **B** | stronger (inter-chain) forces in **A**<br>hydrogen bonding in **A**<br>weaker (inter-chain) **or** van der Waals' forces in **B**<br>**B** contains side-chain/branched chains |

[1]

**(ii)** Polymer **B** – van der Waals'/London (dispersion) forces/induced-instantaneous/induced dipoles
NOT just 'dipole' [1]

**[Total: 2]**

**[TOTAL: 7]**