

AQA Qualifications



Paper 1 (7404/1): Inorganic and Physical Chemistry Mark scheme

7404 Specimen paper

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## Section A

Question	Marking guidance	Mark	AO	Comments
01.1	$1s^{2}2s^{2}2p^{6}3s^{2}3p^{6}4s^{2}$	1	AO1a	Allow correct numbers that are not superscripted
01.2	$Ca(s)+2H_2O(I) \longrightarrow Ca^{2+}(aq)+2OH^{-}(aq) + H_2(g)$	1	AO2d	State symbols essential
01.3	Oxidising agent	1	AO2c	
01.4	$Ca(g) \longrightarrow Ca^{+}(g) + e^{-}$	1	AO1a	State symbols essential Allow 'e' without the negative sign
01.5	Decrease	1	AO1a	If answer to 'trend' is not 'decrease', then chemical error $= 0/3$
	lons get bigger / more (energy) shells Weaker attraction of ion to lost electron	1 1	AO1a AO1a	Allow atoms instead of ions

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02.1	Abundance of third isotope = $100 - 91.0 - 1.8 = 7.2\%$	1	AO1b	
	$\frac{(32 \times 91) + (33 \times 1.8) + (y \times 7.2)}{100} = 32.16$	1	AO2f	
	7.2y = 32.16 × 100 – 32 × 91 – 33 × 1.8 = 244.6	1	AO2f	
	y = 244.6 / 7.2 = 33.97 y = 34	1	AO1b	Answer must be rounded to the nearest integer
02.2	A high voltage is applied to the sample (in polar solvent)	1	AO1b	
02.2	Molecules gain a proton / positive ion OR lose a proton	1	AO1b	
	OR			
	An electron gun is fired at the vaporised sample	1	AO1b	
	Molecules lose an electron	1	AO1b	
	OR			
	The sample is hit with a laser	1	AO1b	
	Molecules gain a proton or lose a proton	1	AO1b	

02.3	lons, not molecules, will interact with and be accelerated by an electric field	1	AO2e	
	Only ions will create a current when hitting the detector	1	AO2e	

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03.1	$C(s) + 2F_2(g) \longrightarrow CF_4(g)$	1	AO1a	State symbols essential
03.2	Around carbon there are 4 bonding pairs of electrons (and no lone pairs)	1	AO1a	
	Therefore, these repel equally and spread as far apart as possible	1	AO1a	
03.3	$\Delta H = \Sigma \Delta_{f} H$ products $-\Sigma \Delta_{f} H$ reactants or a correct cycle	1	AO1b	
	Hence = $(2 \times -680) + (6 \times -269) - (x) = -2889$	1	AO1b	
	$x = 2889 - 1360 - 1614 = -85 (kJ mol^{-1})$	1	AO1b	Score 1 mark only for +85 (kJ mol <sup><math>-1</math></sup> )
03.4	Bonds broken = $4(C-H) + 4(F-F) = 4 \times 412 + 4 \times F-F$			
	Bonds formed = $4(C-F) + 4(H-F) = 4 \times 484 + 4 \times 562$	1	AO3 1a	Both required
	$-1904 = [4 \times 412 + 4(F-F)] - [4 \times 484 + 4 \times 562]$			
	4(F–F) = –1904 – 4 × 412 + [4 × 484 + 4 × 562] = 632	1	AO3 1a	
	$F-F = 632 / 4 = 158 (kJ mol^{-1})$	1	AO3 1a	
	The student is correct because the F–F bond energy is much less than the C–H or other covalent bonds, therefore the F–F bond is weak / easily broken	1	AO3 1b	Relevant comment comparing to other bonds (Low activation energy needed to break the F–F bond)

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04.1	amount of $X = 0.50 - 0.20 = 0.30$ (mol)	1	AO2h	
	amount of Y = $0.50 - 2 \times 0.20 = 0.10$ (mol)	1	AO2h	
04.2	Axes labelled with values, units and scales that use over half of each axis	1	AO2h	All three of values, units and scales are required for the mark
	Curve starts at origin	1	AO2h	
	Then flattens at 30 seconds at 0.20 mol	1	AO2h	
04.3	Expression = $K_c = \underline{[Z]}$ [X][Y] <sup>2</sup>	1	AO1a	
	$[Y]^2 = \frac{[Z]}{[X] K_c}$	1	AO2b	
	$[Y] = (0.35 / 0.40 \times 2.9)^{0.5} = 0.5493 = 0.55 \text{ (mol dm}^{-3}\text{)}$	1	AO1b	Answer must be to 2 significant figures
04.4	Darkened / went more orange	1	AO2g	
	The equilibrium moved to the right	1	AO2g	
	To oppose the increased concentration of Y	1	AO2g	
04.5	The orange colour would fade	1	AO3 1a	

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05.1	$2NaBr + 2H_2SO_4 \longrightarrow Na_2SO_4 + Br_2 + SO_2 + 2H_2O$	1	AO1a	Allow ionic equation
				$2Br^{-} + 2H_2SO_4 \longrightarrow Br_2 + SO_4^{2-} + SO_2 + 2H_2O$
	Br <sup>-</sup> ions are bigger than Cl <sup>-</sup> ions	1	AO2c	
	Therefore $Br^{-}$ ions more easily oxidised / lose an electron more easily (than $Cl^{-}$ ions)	1	AO2c	

05.2		tion is marked using levels of response. Refer to the Mark nstructions for Examiners for guidance on how to mark ion. All stages are covered and the explanation of each stage is generally correct and virtually complete. Stages 1 and 2 are supported by correct equations. Answer communicates the whole process coherently and shows a logical progression from stage 1 to stage 2 and then stage 3. The steps in stage 3 are in a logical order.	6	6 2 AO1a 4 AO3 2b	<ul> <li>Indicative chemistry content</li> <li>Stage 1: formation of precipitates <ul> <li>Add silver nitrate</li> <li>to form precipitates of AgCl and AgBr</li> <li>AgNO<sub>3</sub> + NaCl → AgCl + NaNO<sub>3</sub></li> <li>AgNO<sub>3</sub> + NaBr → AgBr + NaNO<sub>3</sub></li> </ul> </li> <li>Stage 2: selective dissolving of AgCl <ul> <li>Add excess of dilute ammonia to the mixture of precipitates</li> <li>the silver chloride precipitate dissolves</li> <li>AgCl + 2NH<sub>3</sub> → Ag(NH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> + Cl<sup>-</sup></li> </ul> </li> <li>Stage 3: separation and purification of AgBr <ul> <li>Filter off the remaining silver bromide precipitate</li> <li>Wash to remove soluble compounds</li> <li>Dry to remove water</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
	Level 2 3–4 marks	All stages are covered but the explanation of each stage may be incomplete or may contain inaccuracies OR two stages are covered and the explanations are generally correct and virtually complete. Answer is mainly coherent and shows a progression through the stages. Some steps in each stage may be out of order and incomplete.						
	Level 1 1–2 marks	Two stages are covered but the explanation of each stage may be incomplete or may contain inaccuracies, OR only one stage is covered but the explanation is generally correct and virtually complete. Answer includes some isolated statements, but these are not presented in a logical order or show confused reasoning.						
	Level 0 0 marks	Insufficient correct chemistry to warrant a mark.						

05.3	$CI_2 + 2HO^- \longrightarrow OCI^- + CI^- + H_2O$	1	AO1a	
	OCI <sup>−</sup> is +1 CI <sup>−</sup> is –1	1	AO2b	Both required for the mark

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06.1				Extended response
	Stage 1: appreciation that the acid must be in excess and calculation of amount of solid that permits this.			Maximum of 7 marks for answers which do not show a sustained line of reasoning which is coherent, relevant, substantiated and logically structured.
	Statement that there must be an excess of acid	1	AO2d	
	Moles of acid = $50.0 \times 0.200/1000 = 1.00 \times 10^{-2}$ mol	1	AO3 2a	
	2 mol of acid react with 1 mol of calcium hydroxide therefore moles of solid weighed out must be less than half the moles of acid = 0.5 × $1.00 \times 10^{-2} = 5.00 \times 10^{-3}$ mol	1	AO3 2b	
	Mass of solid must be $< 5.00 \times 10^{-3} \times 74.1 = < 0.371$ g	1	AO3 2a	
	Stage 2: Experimental method.			
	Measure out 50 cm <sup>3</sup> of acid using a pipette and add the weighed amount of solid in a conical flask	1	AO3 2b	
	Titrate against 0.100 (or 0.200) mol dm <sup>-3</sup> NaOH added from a burette and record the volume (v) when an added indicator changes colour	1	AO3 2b	
	Stage 3: How to calculate $M_r$ from the experimental data.			
	Moles of calcium hydroxide = $5.00 \times 10^{-3} - (v/2 \times \text{conc NaOH})/1000 = z \text{ mol}$	1	AO3 2a	
	$M_{\rm r}$ = mass of solid / z	1	AO3 2a	

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	06.2	Moles of calcium chloride = $3.56 / 111.1 = 3.204 \times 10^{-2}$	1	AO2h	
		Moles of calcium sulfate = $3.204 \times 10^{-2} \times 83.4/100 = 2.672 \times 10^{-2}$	1	AO2h	
		Mass of calcium sulfate = $2.672 \times 10^{-2} \times 136.2 = 3.6398 = 3.64$ (g)	1	AO2h	Answer must be to 3 significant figures

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07.1				Extended response calculation
	Stage 1			
	$M_{\rm r}$ for Mg(NO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> = 148.3			
	Moles of Mg(NO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> = $\frac{3.74 \times 10^{-2}}{148.3}$ = 2.522 × 10 <sup>-4</sup> mol	1	AO2h	
	Stage 2			
	Total moles of gas produced = $5/2 \times \text{moles of } Mg(NO_3)_2$			
	$= 5/2 \times 2.522 \times 10^{-4} = 6.305 \times 10^{-4}$	1	AO2h	
	Stage 3			If ratio in stage 2 is incorrect, maximum marks for stage 3 is 2
	PV=nRT so volume of gas $V = nRT/P$	1	AO2h	
	$V = \frac{nRT}{P} = \frac{6.305 \times 10^{-4} \times 8.31 \times 333}{1.00 \times 10^{5}} = 1.745 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}^{3}$	1	AO2h	
	$V = 1.745 \times 10^{-5} \times 1 \times 10^{6} = 17.45 \text{ cm}^{3} = 17.5 \text{ (cm}^{3})$	1	AO1b	Answer must be to 3 significant figures (answer could be 17.4 cm <sup>3</sup> dependent on intermediate values)
07.2	Some of the solid is lost in weighing product / solid is blown away with the gas	1	AO3 1b	

## Section B

In this section, each correct answer is awarded 1 mark.

Question	Key	AO
8	D	AO1a
9	D	AO1b
10	А	AO3 1b
11	В	AO3 2a
12	В	AO2a
13	А	AO2a
14	С	AO1a
15	С	AO1a
16	D	AO2b
17	D	AO2a
18	В	AO1a
19	А	AO2a
20	С	AO2b
21	В	AO1b
22	В	AO2b