

GCSE (9–1)

Chemistry B (Twenty First Century Science)

J258/01: Breadth in Chemistry (Foundation Tier)

General Certificate of Secondary Education

Mark Scheme for Autumn 2021

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All examiners are instructed that alternative correct answers and unexpected approaches in candidates' scripts must be given marks that fairly reflect the relevant knowledge and skills demonstrated.

Mark schemes should be read in conjunction with the published question papers and the report on the examination.

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1. Annotations available in RM Assessor

Annotation	Meaning
	Correct response
	Incorrect response
	Omission mark
	Benefit of doubt given
	Contradiction
	Rounding error
	Error in number of significant figures
	Error carried forward
	Level 1
	Level 2
	Level 3
	Benefit of doubt not given
	Noted but no credit given
	Ignore

2. Abbreviations, annotations and conventions used in the detailed Mark Scheme (to include abbreviations and subject-specific conventions).

Annotation	Meaning
/	alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point
✓	Separates marking points
DO NOT ALLOW	Answers which are not worthy of credit
IGNORE	Statements which are irrelevant
ALLOW	Answers that can be accepted
()	Words which are not essential to gain credit
—	Underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark
ECF	Error carried forward
AW	Alternative wording
ORA	Or reverse argument

3. Subject-specific Marking Instructions

INTRODUCTION

Your first task as an Examiner is to become thoroughly familiar with the material on which the examination depends. This material includes:

- the specification, especially the assessment objectives
- the question paper
- the mark scheme.

You should ensure that you have copies of these materials.

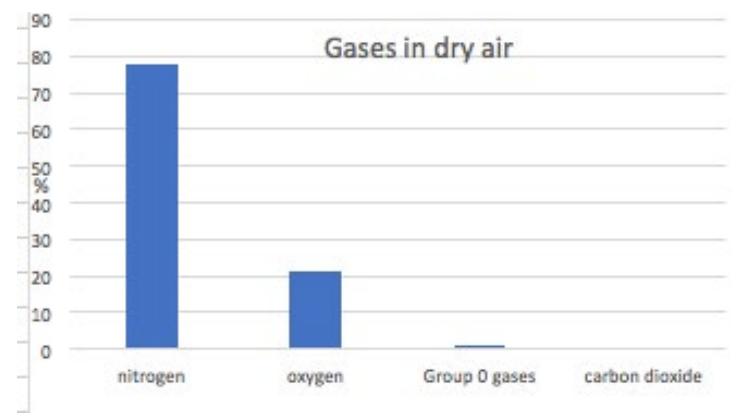
You should ensure also that you are familiar with the administrative procedures related to the marking process. These are set out in the OCR booklet **Instructions for Examiners**. If you are examining for the first time, please read carefully **Appendix 5 Introduction to Script Marking: Notes for New Examiners**.

Please ask for help or guidance whenever you need it. Your first point of contact is your Team Leader.

The breakdown of Assessment Objectives for GCSE (9-1) in Chemistry B:

	Assessment Objective
AO1	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of scientific ideas and scientific techniques and procedures.
AO1.1	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of scientific ideas.
AO1.2	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of scientific techniques and procedures.
AO2	Apply knowledge and understanding of scientific ideas and scientific enquiry, techniques and procedures.
AO2.1	Apply knowledge and understanding of scientific ideas.
AO2.2	Apply knowledge and understanding of scientific enquiry, techniques and procedures.
AO3	Analyse information and ideas to interpret and evaluate, make judgements and draw conclusions and develop and improve experimental procedures.
AO3.1	Analyse information and ideas to interpret and evaluate.
AO3.1a	Analyse information and ideas to interpret.
AO3.1b	Analyse information and ideas to evaluate.
AO3.2	Analyse information and ideas to make judgements and draw conclusions.
AO3.2a	Analyse information and ideas to make judgements.
AO3.2b	Analyse information and ideas to draw conclusions.
AO3.3	Analyse information and ideas to develop and improve experimental procedures.
AO3.3a	Analyse information and ideas to develop experimental procedures.
AO3.3b	Analyse information and ideas to improve experimental procedures.

Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
1	(a)	(Group) 1 ✓	1	1.1	
	(b)	They all react with water – TRUE Lithium is the most reactive – FALSE They all react with chlorine – TRUE They are all metals – TRUE ✓✓	2	1.1	All four correct = 2 marks Any two or three correct = 1 mark
	(c) (i)	N P As ✓	1	1.1	
	(ii)	(No), because mean of N and As is not 31 ✓ mean is $(74.9 + 14.0)/2 = 44.5$ ✓	2	3.2a 1.2	
	(d)	Other scientists ✓ AND any one from: checking data / checking results ✓ checking or repeating methods / experiments / tests ✓ evaluation of the work / judgment of the work / assessment of the work / checking claims made ✓ publication / post publication ✓	2	1.2	

Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
2	(a)	condensation ✓ physical change ✓	2	1.1	
	(b) (i)	solid, gas, liquid ✓	1	1.1	
	(ii)	H–O–H ✓	1	2.2	ALLOW any bond angle
	(c) (i)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = 1950 award 2 marks 78 ÷ 0.04 ✓ = 1950 (:1) ✓	2	2.2	
	(ii)	 <p>✓</p>	1	1.2	
	(iii)	Group 0 (inert gases) – unreactive ✓ Carbon dioxide – lime water ✓ Oxygen – rust ✓	3	1.1	

Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
3	(a)	$\left[\begin{array}{cc} \text{H} & \text{H} \\ & \\ -\text{C} & -\text{C}- \\ & \\ \text{H} & \text{H} \end{array} \right]_n \checkmark$ addition \checkmark	2	1.1	
	(b)	$\text{C}_8\text{H}_{18} \checkmark$	1	1.1	
	(c) (i)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = 510 (kJ) award 2 marks $279\,000 + 220\,000 + 11\,000 = 510\,000 \checkmark$ $510\,000 / 1000 = 510 \text{ (kJ)} \checkmark$	2	2.2	
	(ii)	FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = 55 (%) award 3 marks $= (279 \div 510) \times 100 \checkmark$ $= 54.7\dots(\%) \checkmark$ $= 55 (\%) (2\text{sf}) \checkmark$	3	2.2 x 2 1.2	
	(d)	broken down by bacteria / in the soil / AW \checkmark	1	1.1	

Question			Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
4	(a)	(i)	use a pencil ✓	1	3.3b	
		(ii)	ink will 'run' (AW) ✓	1	3.3b	
	(b)	(i)	six ✓	1	3.2b	
		(ii)	B/blue ✓	1	3.2b	
		(iii)	It rises least up the paper / AW ✓	1	2.2	
		(iv)	G/green ✓	1	2.2	
	(c)		dissolving ✓ heating ✓ crystallisation ✓	3	1.2	

Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
5	(a)	Thompson ✓	1	1.1	
	(b)	nucleus; protons; neutrons; electrons; ✓✓ protons and electrons ✓	3	1.1	For the first four responses All four correct = 2 marks Any two or three correct = 1 mark Either order
	(c)	(i)	1	1.1	
		(ii)	2	1.1	
	(d)	(i)	2	2.1	
		(ii)	1	2.1	
		(iii)	2	1.1	

Question			Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
6	(a)	(i)	point (50,40) ringed ✓	1	3.2b	
		(ii)	not heated for long enough / AW ✓	1	3.2a	ALLOW Plausible ECF if the wrong point is ringed
	(b)		FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = 1.28 (g) award 3 marks Mass of white = mass of blue ÷ 1.5625 ✓ Mass of white = 2 ÷ 1.5625 ✓ Mass of white = 1.28 (g) ✓	3	2.2	
	(c)		(Jane is correct) because water molecules are lost / AW ✓ (Kai is correct) because mass of 'blue copper sulfate' = mass of 'white copper sulfate' + mass of water ✓	2	2.1	
	(d)		100 – 64 = 36 (g) ✓	1	2.2	
	(e)	(i)	Yes AND the blue (solid) is formed again ✓	1	3.1b	
		(ii)	exothermic ✓	1	1.1	
		(iii)	(horizontal) line labelled 'blue copper sulfate' below the line drawn ✓	1	2.2	

Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
7	(a)	Mixture ✓	1	1.1	
	(b) (i)	methane, butane ✓	1	2.1	
	(ii)	they boil below room temp ✓	1	2.1	
	(c)	16 ✓	1	2.2	
	(d)	As RFM increases, boiling point increases / ORA ✓	1	3.1a	
	(e)	C ₆ H ₁₄ ✓	1	2.2	
	(f) (i)	Plotted at (16,287) ✓	1	1.2	
	(ii)	Straight line of best fit ✓	1	1.2	
	(iii)	215±10 ✓	1	2.2	
	(g)	Boiling point ✓	1	1.1	
	(h) (i)	full structural form C ₄ H ₁₀ ✓	1	1.2	
	(ii)	2:5 ✓	1	2.2	
	(iii)	C ₂ H ₅ ✓	1	2.2	

Question		Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
8	(a)	kills microorganisms / bacteria ✓	1	1.1	ALLOW pathogens/viruses/fungi IGNORE sterilise/disinfect/removes bacteria/kills germs
	(b)	red ✓ white ✓	2	1.2	ALLOW colourless
	(c) (i)	Brown/yellow colour ✓	1	1.2	DO NOT ALLOW red ALLOW orange
	(ii)	bromine (displaced) ✓	1	1.2	ALLOW Br ₂
	(d)	Slower AND sodium is less reactive than potassium / idea of more reactive down the group ✓	1	2.1	Need <u>explanation</u> , not only the tick
	(e)	CaCl ₂ ✓	1	1.2	
	(f)	Its atoms are larger than atoms of iodine ✓ It is a solid at room temperature ✓	2	3.2a	

Question			Answer	Marks	AO element	Guidance
9	(a)	(i)	Slope = 0 / zero ✓	1	2.2	
		(ii)	Reaction has finished / Rate is zero ✓	1	2.1	ALLOW idea of (all) zinc has been used up IGNORE zinc is <u>being</u> used up IGNORE acid used up
	(b)		14 cm ³ per min ✓	1	2.2	
	(c)		FIRST CHECK THE ANSWER ON ANSWER LINE If answer = 0.1 (g) award 2 marks quotes 40 (from the graph) ✓ calculated mass = 0.1 (g) ✓	2	2.2	
	(d)		Any two from: Surface area (of metal) ✓ Temperature ✓ Amount/mass of metal ✓	2	3.3a	ALLOW volume/amount of acid / concentration of acid
	(e)		A = magnesium B = zinc C = iron ✓✓	2	3.2b	All three correct = 2 marks One or two correct = 1 mark ALLOW symbols

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