

OZ Test bank

This PowerPoint contains all questions matched with their answers for the topic The Ozone Story – the code with the questions is for the old name for this unit, The Atmosphere.

These Q's are from the old SPEC – so some may not be fully relevant, but, most are.

The Answers are directly underneath the Q's.

Natural processes in the air can control the concentrations of some types of atmospheric pollutants. Although carbon monoxide emissions increased in the twentieth century, the percentage of carbon monoxide in the troposphere has remained almost constant.

The increased use of cars in the twentieth century is one reason for the increase in carbon monoxide emissions.

Explain the origin of these carbon monoxide emissions.

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AT10ii

AT10ii

Incomplete combustion ✓

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ALLOW not enough oxygen or air linked to the idea of combustion / uncomplete combustion

of hydrocarbons ✓

Second mark depends on the first.
ALLOW fossil fuel or named fossil fuel / carbon in the fuel / organic fuel
DO NOT ALLOW just 'fuel' or carbon as the fuel

AT10ii

Give two reasons why carbon monoxide is classed as a polluting gas.

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AT10ii

Toxic / poisonous / reduces the capacity of blood to carry oxygen around the body / AW ✓

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ALLOW respiratory problems, but not breathing problems.
IGNORE harmful / dangerous

AND

Any one from:

causes (photochemical) smog ✓

oxidised to CO₂ which is a greenhouse gas / reacts with O₂ to form CO₂ which is a greenhouse gas ✓

Answer must have the CO₂ AND the greenhouse gas for this alternative.
ALLOW global warming instead of greenhouse gas.

AT14

The reaction of carbon monoxide with hydroxyl radicals helps control atmospheric carbon monoxide concentrations. Hydroxyl radicals form by the breakdown of water molecules.

Name the type of bond breaking process that occurs to form hydroxyl radicals from water molecules.

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AT14

Homolytic (fission) / homolysis ✓

1

IGNORE 'photochemical dissociation'

ES26iii

The bond enthalpy for the O–H bond is $+464 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$. Calculate the energy, in Joules, needed to break a **single** O–H bond.

Avogadro constant, $N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

energy = J [2]

ES26iii

464 x 1000 ✓

Energy value/ 6.02×10^{23} AND a correct evaluation (= $7.71 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$) ✓

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One mark is for converting from kJ to J (ie: multiplying by 1000)

The other is for dividing their energy value by 6.02×10^{23} (the Avogadro constant)

ALLOW 2 or more sig. figs. but rounding must be correct.

In order to score the second mark, there must be a correct evaluation of their expression.

A completely correct answer on its own scores both marks.

AT22

Calculate the frequency of radiation that is needed to break a single O-H bond.

Give your answer to **three** significant figures.

Planck constant, $h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ JHz}^{-1}$

frequency = Hz [3]

AT22

Answer to (c)(ii)/ 6.63×10^{-34} ✓

= 1.16×10^{15} ✓

3 sig. fig. ✓

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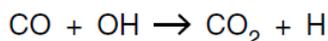
DO NOT ALLOW the second mark for evaluating any other expression (eg: answer to (c)(ii) $\times 6.63 \times 10^{-34}$)

ALLOW sig. fig. mark for any 3 sig. fig. answer that follows from any calculation (even if their evaluation of their calculation is incorrect).

A completely correct answer on its own scores all marks, including the sig. fig. mark.

AT15i

Equation 1.1 represents the reaction of hydroxyl radicals with carbon monoxide to produce carbon dioxide.



equation 1.1

Explain what is meant by the term *radical*.

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AT15i

(A particle) with one (or more) unpaired electron(s). ✓

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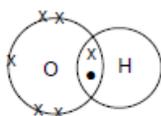
Answer must be in the context of an electron as part of some sort of particle.
IGNORE 'free' or 'lone' or single electron.

AT5i

Draw a 'dot-and-cross' diagram to show that OH is a radical.

[2]

AT5i



bond electrons ✓

rest of structure ✓

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Any symbols can be used to represent the electrons (including the same symbol for all electrons).

Candidate does not have to draw circles for electron shells.

Non-bonding electrons do not have to be shown in pairs.

It **MUST** be clear that a pair of electrons (with any symbols) is being shared between the H and the O for the first mark.

IGNORE any inner electron shells.

AT15ii

Classify the reaction represented by **equation 1.1** as initiation, propagation or termination. Explain your choice.

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AT15ii

propagation ✓
one radical is used and replaced by another / AW ✓

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ALLOW there is a radical on both sides of the equation.
Mark independently.

AT1

AT2

The reaction represented by **equation 1.1** produces carbon dioxide, which is a gas at room temperature. Silicon dioxide, another Group 4 oxide, is a solid at room temperature.

Explain this difference in terms of bonding and structure.

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..... [3]

AT1

AT2

SiO₂: giant covalent / network solid / lattice / whole structure held together by covalent bonds / diagram ✓

CO₂: simple molecular / molecules / O=C=O / AW ✓

comparison of forces: weak intermolecular bonds (or forces) in CO₂ / less energy needed to separate molecules / bonds in SiO₂ are stronger than CO₂ intermolecular bonds (or forces) ✓

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IGNORE 'intermolecular bonds' in SiO₂ / giant molecule / giant structure
Marks can be given for a labelled / annotated diagram

IGNORE 'covalent'.

Any type of intermolecular bonds can be named and can be abbreviated.
It must be clear that the intermolecular bonds in CO₂ are being discussed, not the covalent bonds.

AT11

Scientists monitor the composition of the Earth's atmosphere. They have found that the concentration of carbon dioxide in dry, unpolluted tropospheric air has increased from 300 ppm to around 380 ppm between 1900 and the present day.

Taking the present day value to be 380 ppm, calculate the **increase** in the percentage of carbon dioxide in the air between 1900 and the present day.

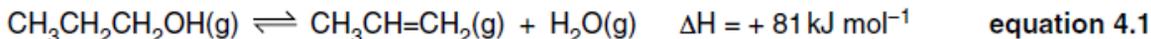
increase in carbon dioxide concentration = % [1]

AT11

$0.008 / 8 \times 10^{-5} \checkmark$ | 1 |

PR8

Equation 4.1 represents the reaction that occurs when propene forms from propan-1-ol.



Underline the term below that describes the type of reaction occurring in equation 4.1.

addition elimination hydrolysis substitution [1]

PR8

Elimination ✓

1 | ALLOW any indication of chosen answer (eg: circling).
DO NOT ALLOW the mark if more than one answer has been chosen.

PR11ii

Give the reagents and conditions required for the reaction represented by equation 4.1.

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PR11ii

reagent	conditions
sulfuric / phosphoric acid ✓	heat / reflux ✓ concentrated ✓
OR	
alumina / silica / pumice / porous pot ✓	heat ✓ with (propan-1-ol) vapour ✓

3 | ALLOW correct formula for reagent.
ALLOW temperatures over 100°C for the heat mark
Sulfuric acid AND alumina: CON reagent mark (but can still score condition marks).
Clear alternatives (ie: sulfuric acid OR alumina) scores the mark.
ALLOW c. for concentrated.
Aqueous / water CONs the concentrated mark.
The conditions marks may only be awarded if candidate has written an appropriate reagent, even if they have made a small mistake, eg: sulfuric without acid, or wrong formula (like A10)
(Concentrated) sulfuric acid with dichromate and heat scores zero.
IGNORE references to pressure conditions.

AT8

The reaction represented by equation 4.1 can reach a position of dynamic equilibrium. Explain what is meant by the term *dynamic equilibrium*.

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AT8

rate of forward reaction = rate of back reaction ✓

concentrations of reactants and products remain constant / closed system ✓

2 | IGNORE references to steady state.

AT9iii

Describe and explain the effect of the following changes on the equilibrium amount of propene produced in the reaction represented by **equation 4.1**.

Increasing the total pressure of the reaction system.

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AT9iii

amount of propene produced decreases ✓

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MUST mention equilibrium for the second mark.

(increased pressure) pushes (position of) equilibrium to the left/to the reactants / side with fewest molecules ✓

Mark independently.

AT9ii

Carrying out the reaction at a higher temperature.

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AT9ii

amount of propene produced increases ✓

2

MUST mention equilibrium for the second mark.

(increased temperature) pushes (position of) equilibrium in the endothermic direction / to the right / to the products ✓

Mark independently.

AT3ii

Describe and explain what happens to the **rate** of the reaction represented by **equation 4.1** if the pressure is increased.

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AT3ii

Any three from:

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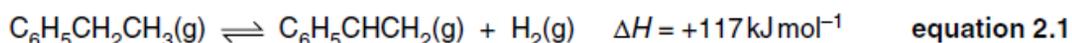
1. increased pressure increases number of particles per unit of volume ✓
2. more collisions occur ✓
3. (more collisions) per unit of time ✓
4. rate increases/gets faster ✓

ALLOW 'particles are closer together' for the first point
DO NOT ALLOW 'reactants are closer together'.

More frequent collisions / collisions occur more often covers two points ✓✓
IGNORE more likely to collide / greater chance of collisions in point 2.

PR10ii
AT9ii

The phenylethene monomer is made by passing ethylbenzene vapour over a heated catalyst at a low pressure. **Equation 2.1** represents the reaction that occurs.



Describe and explain the effect of the following changes on the **yield** of phenylethene produced in the equilibrium represented by **equation 2.1**.

Carrying out the reaction at a higher temperature.



In your answer, you should use technical terms, spelled correctly.

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PR10ii
AT9ii

Amount of phenylethene / product increases OR higher yield ✓	2	Endothermic must be correctly spelled for the second mark to be awarded or 'exothermic' if reverse argument given ALLOW 'reaction moves in / favours the endothermic direction' / forward reaction is endothermic / shifts towards the endothermic reaction ALLOW endothermic for QWC if written on equation 2.1.
(increased temperature) moves (position of) equilibrium in the endothermic direction (ORA) ✓		Mark independently

PR10ii
AT9iii

Carrying out the reaction at a higher pressure.

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PR10ii
AT9iii

Amount of phenylethene / product decreases / lower yield ✓	2	NOT just 'equilibrium moves to the left'. NOT atoms.
(increased pressure) moves (position of) <u>equilibrium</u> to the side with fewer molecules / moles / particles ✓		Mark independently

The catalyst used in the manufacture of phenylethene is in the form of a finely divided powder.

AT3iii

Explain why the use of a finely divided powder increases the reaction rate.

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AT3iii

Larger / greater / more surface area of catalyst

OR

Higher surface area to volume ratio ✓

So more collisions per unit of time / more frequent collisions / collisions occur more often

OR

provides surface onto which reactants are adsorbed / can bond (AW) ✓

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NOT higher surface area

NOT just more collisions

Mark independently

AT6

Explain how the use of a catalyst increases the reaction rate.

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AT6

(Catalyst) provides an alternative reaction path / route ✓

that has a lower activation enthalpy ✓

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Answer must have the idea of a different path to gain the mark

Mark independently

When CCl_4 vapour gets into Earth's stratosphere, a $\text{C}-\text{Cl}$ bond can be broken by UV radiation from the Sun.

AT14

Name the **type** of bond breaking that would occur.

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AT14

Homolytic (fission) / homolysis ✓	1	IGNORE 'photodissociation' and 'photolysis'
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AT22

The minimum frequency of radiation needed to break one $\text{C}-\text{Cl}$ bond is 8.67×10^{14} Hz. Calculate the minimum energy, in J, required to break one $\text{C}-\text{Cl}$ bond.

Planck constant, $h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ JHz}^{-1}$

minimum energy = J [2]

AT22

$8.67 \times 10^{14} \times 6.63 \times 10^{-34}$ ✓ $= 5.75 \times 10^{-19} \text{ (J)}$ ✓	2	A completely correct answer on its own scores both marks. ALLOW ecf only if the sole error is a mis-copy of one of the number values. ALLOW 2sf or more but rounding must be correct
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ES26iii

Calculate the bond enthalpy of the $\text{C}-\text{Cl}$ bond, in kJ mol^{-1} .

Avogadro constant, $N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

bond enthalpy = + kJ mol^{-1} [2]

ES26iii

= answer to (d) (ii) $\times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ ✓ /1000 (= + 346 kJ mol^{-1}) ✓	2	One mark for multiplying answer to (d)(ii) by 6.02×10^{23} (Avogadro's constant) Other mark for converting the answer from J to KJ, i.e.: dividing by 1000 Can be scored in either order, but must be correctly evaluated to score both marks A completely correct answer on its own scores both marks (ALLOW 2 or more sf but rounding must be correct)
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AT23ii
AT23iii

Some halogenoalkanes also contribute to global warming.

Explain how an increase in the concentration of a greenhouse gas leads to an enhanced greenhouse effect.

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AT23ii
AT23iii

(Greenhouse gas) <u>absorbs IR from Earth</u> ✓	2	Mark separately
More greenhouse gas means more IR absorbed ✓		

AT24

Describe the evidence for the relationship between the increased concentration of greenhouse gases and global warming.

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AT24

There is a relationship/ correlation between models of gas and models of <u>temperature</u> OR models of gas and measured <u>temperatures</u> OR gas levels and measured <u>temperatures</u>	1	NOT 'global warming' for 'temperature'
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In 2010, an Icelandic volcano erupted producing ash clouds that stopped plane flights across much of Europe. The volcano also emitted a mixture of gases.

The ash produced by the volcano contained silicon dioxide, SiO₂, whilst the gas mixture contained carbon dioxide.

AT2

Silicon dioxide is a solid but carbon dioxide is a gas at room temperature.

Explain this difference in terms of the bonding and structure in both compounds.

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[3]

AT2

SiO₂: giant covalent / giant structure / network solid / giant lattice / whole structure held together by covalent bonds, e.g.: every silicon atom is bonded to 4 oxygen atoms OR diagram showing at least 2 Si with all surrounding Os ✓

CO₂: simple molecular / molecules / O=C=O AW ✓

One from:

- a) weak intermolecular bonds in CO₂
- b) little/less energy needed to separate molecules (of CO₂)
- c) bonds in SiO₂ are stronger than CO₂ intermolecular bonds ✓

3

NOT giant ionic structure
IGNORE giant molecule.
Reference to 'oxygen molecules' CONs this mark
Statements that SiO₂ has any type of intermolecular bond CONs mp1.

IGNORE 'covalent'.

IGNORE 'intermolecular bonds' in SiO₂ in mp3.

c) Needs to be a comparison.

AT10ii

Most scientists are concerned about the increasing amount of carbon dioxide in the Earth's atmosphere.

Give **two** different processes, other than volcanic activity, that are causing an increase in the amount of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere.

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[2]

AT10ii

2 from:

- Burning fossil fuels / named fossil fuel / hydrocarbons ✓
- Production of cement ✓
- Making iron/ making steel ✓
- Deforestation AW ✓
- Fermentation ✓
- Oil refining ✓

2

Must refer to the process for the mark (e.g.: not just 'fossil fuels')
NOT just burning fuels in vehicles

Most carbon dioxide from industrial processes is allowed to escape into the atmosphere.

Carrying out capture and storage of carbon dioxide is one way that a chemical manufacturing process could be changed to slow down the increase in carbon dioxide levels in the atmosphere.

AT25i

Suggest **TWO** other changes that a chemical company could make to its processes to achieve a reduction in the rate of increase of carbon dioxide levels.

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AT25i

<i>2 from:</i> Burn a fuel from a plant source OR an example, e.g.: wood, charcoal, (bio)ethanol, etc (which are carbon neutral) ✓ Use specified alternative energy source, choosing one from: solar energy / wind turbine / nuclear energy / hydroelectric / hydrothermal / wave / geothermal ✓ Improve the efficiency of the process OR use a catalyst (so that it needs less energy to run) ✓	2	NOT just 'alternative fuel that does not produce greenhouse gases' ALLOW 'burn fossil fuels more efficiently' IGNORE references to recycling / capturing CO ₂
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AT25iii

Suggest why capture and storage of carbon dioxide is expensive.

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AT25iii

(Capture and storage of the gas would need) lots of equipment / energy / compression OR costs would be incurred for: remediating environmental consequences / clearance of land / new or more infrastructure AW / specific equipment / larger workforce / space for storage AW ✓	1	IGNORE reference to CO ₂ being gas.
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The Earth absorbs visible radiation from the Sun and emits radiation from a different part of the electromagnetic spectrum. Carbon dioxide molecules absorb some of the emitted radiation.

AT23ii

(i) Name the type of electromagnetic radiation that is emitted from the Earth's surface.

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AT23ii

Infrared (radiation) ✓	1	ALLOW 'IR'
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AT21i

(ii) Explain what happens to carbon dioxide molecules when they absorb the radiation emitted from the Earth.

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 [1]

AT21i

Makes their <u>bonds</u> vibrate (more)	1
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OR

molecules gain or change in vibrational energy ✓

AT23iv
 AT23v

(iii) Explain how the changes that happen after the process in (ii) result in the warming of the atmosphere.

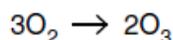
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 AT23v

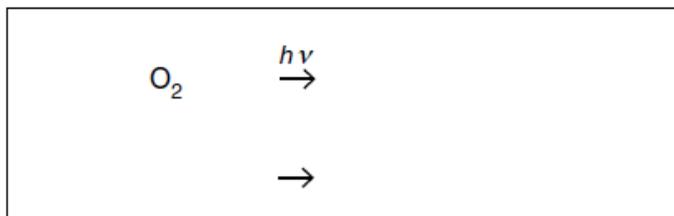
<p><i>Either:</i> (Vibrational energy) becomes kinetic energy ✓ KE results in increased temp ✓</p> <p>OR</p> <p>the molecules re-emit (some of the absorbed IR) ✓ in all directions ✓</p>	2	<p>Idea of transfer of energy is key here. Mark independently. ALLOW 'heat' or 'warmer' for increased temperature.</p> <p>NOT 'reflect' for re-emit. Second mark dependant on first in second set of marks</p>
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There has also been concern about the amount of ozone in the atmosphere. The overall equation for the formation of ozone in the Earth's atmosphere is shown below.



ES1vi
AT18i

- (i) Complete and balance **two** equations to show how oxygen is converted into ozone in the stratosphere.



[2]

ES1vi
AT18i

$\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{O} \text{ OR } \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{O} + \text{O} \checkmark$ $\text{O} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{O}_3 \checkmark$	2	IGNORE dots ALLOW multiples
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AT18i

- (ii) Explain why the formation of ozone you have described in (i) takes place in the stratosphere but **not** usually in the troposphere.

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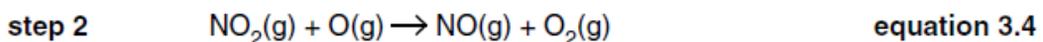
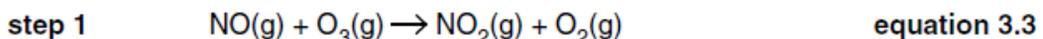
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AT18i

High frequency radiation OR high energy radiation OR uv only present in the stratosphere / not in troposphere AW ✓ (energy is needed for) bonds in O ₂ to be broken OR O radicals are formed OR (photo)dissociation / photolysis / breakdown of O ₂ OR homolytic fission / homolysis of O ₂ ✓	2	ALLOW a specific frequency is needed Mark separately
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Ozone can be broken down by nitrogen monoxide. The mechanism for this process is shown below.



Combine equations 3.3 and 3.4 to produce the overall equation for the reaction.

AT18i

[1]

AT18i

$\text{O}_3 + \text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{O}_2$ OR $\text{O}_3 + \text{O} \rightarrow \text{O}_2 + \text{O}_2$ ✓	1	IGNORE state symbols
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In the mechanism shown above for the breakdown of ozone, NO is acting as a homogeneous catalyst.

AT7i

Explain what is meant by the term *homogeneous* in the context of catalysis.

How can you tell from equation 3.3 and equation 3.4 that NO is a catalyst?

homogeneous:

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NO is a catalyst because:

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..... [2]

AT7i

(Catalyst) is in the <u>same phase/state(gases)</u> as the reactants ✓ NO is not used up in the reaction / NO is reformed / NO is regenerated / NO is recycled / NO is (chemically) unchanged ✓	2	ALLOW 'it' for NO. ALLOW 'does not appear in the overall equation' AW.
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Chlorofluorocarbons, CFCs, were originally regarded as very useful compounds. Their physical and chemical properties meant that they could be used for a wide range of applications, including as refrigerants and cleaning solvents.

Unfortunately, we now know that CFCs break down in the stratosphere, starting a sequence of reactions that lead to ozone depletion.



AT15ii

Underline the term from the list below that describes the type of process shown in equation 4.3.

initiation propagation termination [1]

AT15ii

Propagation ✓		1
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AT18ii

Explain why it is important that there is a certain minimum amount of ozone in the stratosphere.

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AT18ii

It filters / screens / absorbs / removes / prevents / shields / blocks (AW) <u>uv</u> ✓ (uv) of high energy OR high frequency / short wavelength ✓ which could otherwise cause <u>skin</u> cancer / damage to DNA / damage to eyes / damage to immune system / cell mutation / affects crops / premature ageing of the <u>skin</u> ✓	3	IGNORE protects us from uv IGNORE high intensity radiation ALLOW UVC/ UVB/ 10 ¹⁶ Hz/ 200–320nm IGNORE skin damage.
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Scientists have decided that hydrofluorocarbons, or HFCs, like F_3CCFH_2 , will make good long-term replacements for CFCs.

AT17ii

Explain, in terms of the reactivity of HFCs in the **stratosphere**, why scientists think HFCs are a good long-term solution as replacements for CFCs.

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 [2]

AT17ii

F radicals not formed (in stratosphere) OR <u>HFCs</u> not broken down (in stratosphere) ✓ because of the stronger C-F bond OR C-F needs more energy to break OR uv not high enough frequency to break C-F OR uv not high enough energy to break C-F ✓	2	ALLOW HFCs were already broken down in the troposphere. IGNORE references to being unreactive. IGNORE 'C-F bond is unreactive'.
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AT17ii

Give **one** advantage and **one** disadvantage, not linked to their ozone depleting potential, which scientists would take into account when considering the use of HFCs in place of CFCs.

Advantage:

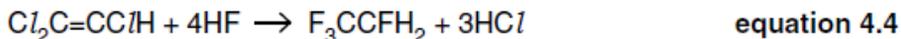
 Disadvantage:.....
 [2]

AT17ii

<i>Advantage:</i> Same essential properties to the CFC they are to replace OR they are broken down in the troposphere ✓ <i>Disadvantage – one of:</i> (they are also) greenhouse / global warming gases OR expensive (to make) OR form HF (as a breakdown product) ✓	2s	IGNORE less effective
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The hydrofluorocarbon, F_3CCFH_2 , can be prepared industrially by reacting hydrogen fluoride with $Cl_2C=CClH$.

ES24iii



In the reaction shown in **equation 4.4**, some of the hydrogen fluoride takes part in a nucleophilic substitution reaction with the $Cl_2C=CClH$.

Explain how HF can act as a *nucleophile* in this reaction.

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ES24iii

The F in the molecule has a <u>lone pair</u> of electrons ✓ that it can donate (to the $\delta+$ charged carbon atom) AND forms a (covalent) <u>bond</u> ✓	2	ALLOW 'HF' or 'it' for 'F in the molecule' Second mpt must be in the context of an electron pair donated. Mark independently
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AT6

The reaction shown in **equation 4.4** can be catalysed by chromium(III) fluoride.

Explain why the use of a catalyst speeds up the reaction rate.

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AT6

Catalyst provides an alternative pathway ✓ with a lower activation enthalpy ✓	2
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Many seashells contain calcium carbonate. The carbonate ions, CO_3^{2-} , come from atmospheric carbon dioxide that dissolves in the sea water.

AT10ii

Name **two** industrial processes that are major sources of atmospheric carbon dioxide.

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AT10ii

Two from:

Refining oil ✓
 Generating electricity ✓
 Processes in a petrochemical plant ✓
 Producing steel / iron ✓
 Heating limestone / making cement ✓
 Fermentation ✓

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ALLOW burning a fossil fuel provided it is the context of another industrial activity (e.g. in a factory)
IGNORE deforestation

AT25iii

Companies use various methods for the disposal of the carbon dioxide they produce to prevent its release straight into the atmosphere.

Suggest **two** methods that they could use for disposal of carbon dioxide.

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 [2]

AT25iii

Any two from:

React the CO_2 with lime / other suitable named solid ✓
 Disposal in an old mine / old oil or gas well / other suitable disposal site ✓
 Pump it / bury it under the ocean ✓

2

ALLOW removal of CO_2 via reactions at source. (e.g. 'react the CO_2 before it is released')
IGNORE 'Pump into rocks' and 'in a container'
DO NOT ALLOW 'pump it into the ocean' in place of under
DO NOT ALLOW just 'pump it underground'

(c) Carbon dioxide acts as a greenhouse gas because it can absorb infrared radiation.

AT23iv

(i) Describe what happens to carbon dioxide molecules when they absorb the infrared radiation.

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AT23iv

Makes their bonds vibrate
OR
Molecules change in vibrational energy ✓

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AT23iv
AT23v

(ii) The changes that happen after the process in (c)(i) result in the warming of the troposphere.

Describe these changes and explain how they warm the troposphere.

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AT23iv
AT23v

Either:

(vibrational energy) becomes kinetic energy ✓
KE results in increased temperature ✓
OR
the molecules re-emit (some of the absorbed IR), ✓
in all directions ✓

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Idea of transfer of energy is key here.
In the *Either option*, mark independently
ALLOW 'heat' or 'warmer' for increased temperature
NOT reflect for re-emit
In the *OR option* 2nd mark depends on 1st

AT11

In an air sample that was analysed, carbon dioxide was found to be present at a concentration by volume of 395 parts per million.

Calculate the percentage of carbon dioxide in the sample.

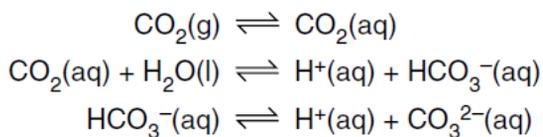
AT11

% carbon dioxide = [1]

$(395 / 1,000,000) \times 100 =$ $3.95 \times 10^{-2} / 0.0395 \checkmark$	1	ALLOW any number of sf.
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When carbon dioxide dissolves in water, the following reactions occur.

ES11iv



equation 1.1

equation 1.2

equation 1.3

Give the systematic name of the HCO_3^- ion.

..... [1]

ES11iv

Hydrogencarbonate ✓	1	ALLOW hydrogen carbonate IGNORE incorrect oxidation states
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AT8

The reaction in **equation 1.3** can reach a state of dynamic equilibrium.

Explain what is meant by the term *dynamic equilibrium*.

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 [2]

AT8

Rate of forward reaction = rate of back reaction OR reactants and products are formed at the same rate ✓ Concentrations of reactants and products remain constant OR closed system ✓	2	Mark independently DO NOT ALLOW concentrations of reactants and products are the same/equal
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AT8

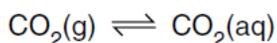
Suggest why the balance of $\text{CO}_2(\text{g})$ in the atmosphere and $\text{CO}_2(\text{aq})$ in the oceans cannot be regarded as a dynamic equilibrium.

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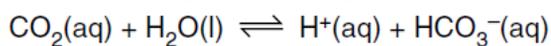
 [1]

AT8

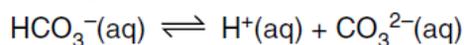
System is not closed OR CO_2 moves away from the surface OR specific example of input or output of CO_2 ✓	1	ALLOW 'not a sealed system'
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equation 1.1



equation 1.2



equation 1.3

AT9i

The concentration of hydrogen ions in a sample of sea water is increased.

Using **equation 1.3**, describe and explain what would happen, if anything, to the concentration of carbonate ions.

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..... [2]

AT9i

CO_3^{2-} (concentration) decreases ✓

2

Equilibrium (position) moves to left / towards reactants / towards hydrogencarbonate ✓

MUST mention equilibrium for the second mark
Mark independently

2

Leafcutter ants are responsible for producing some of the halogenoalkanes that are released into the Earth's atmosphere. The ants have been found to be responsible for producing large quantities of chloromethane and bromomethane.

AT12ii

Halogenoalkane	Estimated global emissions / tonnes per year	Atmospheric lifetime / years
Chloromethane, CH_3Cl	800	1.3
Bromomethane, CH_3Br	500	0.7

Why does chloromethane not photodissociate in the troposphere?

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 [1]

AT12ii

UV / radiation (in troposphere) does not have enough energy OR UV / radiation / energy (in troposphere) is not high enough frequency OR Bonds are too strong to be broken by the UV / radiation / energy ✓	1	ALLOW 'photon density in the troposphere is insufficient'
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If a bromomethane molecule reaches the stratosphere, UV radiation breaks the C–Br bond in the molecule, forming bromine atoms.

- (i) The C–Br bond has an enthalpy of $+290 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$.

Calculate the minimum energy (in Joules) needed to break a **single** C–Br bond.

Avogadro constant, $N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

ES26iii

minimum energy = J [2]

ES26iii

$(290 / 6.02 \times 10^{23}) \times 1000$ AND evaluate

2

= 4.817 / 4.82 / $4.8 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$ ✓✓

A completely correct answer on its own scores both marks

290 x 1000 ✓ OR $290 / 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ ✓

One mark is for converting 290 from kJ to J, i.e. multiply by 1000,
the other mark is for dividing by 6.02×10^{23} (the Avogadro constant) – in either order

AT22

- (ii) Calculate the frequency of radiation that is needed to break a **single** C–Br bond.

Planck constant, $h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J Hz}^{-1}$

frequency = Hz [2]

AT22

Answer to (b)(i) (rounded or not rounded) / 6.63×10^{-34} ✓

2

= 7.266 / 7.27 / 7.3×10^{14} ✓

DO NOT ALLOW second mark for evaluating any other expression
e.g. Answer to (b)(i) x 6.63×10^{-34}

A completely correct answer on its own scores both marks

The following table gives values for the boiling points of bromomethane, chloromethane and water:

	Boiling point/K
Bromomethane	277
Chloromethane	249
Water	373

PR2

Use ideas about intermolecular bonds to explain:

why chloromethane has a lower boiling point than water;

.....
 [1]

PR2

Intermolecular bonds in chloromethane are weaker OR OR Less energy needed to break intermolecular bonds in chloromethane OR ✓	1	Answer must be a comparison ALLOW 'it' for chloromethane' IGNORE less / fewer IMB IGNORE references to specific types of intermolecular bond
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ES23ii

why bromomethane has a higher boiling point than chloromethane.

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 [2]

ES23ii

IMB in bromomethane are stronger OR OR More energy needed to break intermolecular bonds in bromomethane ✓ because (bromomethane or Br) has more electrons / bromomethane molecules bigger / bromine atoms bigger / higher A_r for Br / higher M_r for CH_3Br ✓	2	ALLOW 'it' for bromomethane' DO NOT ALLOW if bond polarity is included in the reason (i.e. it must be id-id being described) IGNORE more IMB Mark independently
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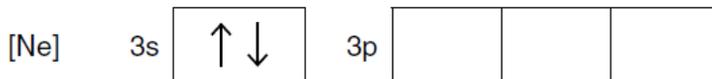
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Wine labels often show that the wine contains sulfites, because sulfur dioxide gas has been added as a preservative. Strict legal limits have been placed on the amount of SO₂ that can be added to wine, because above a certain value the sulfur dioxide affects the taste of the wine.

Sulfur dioxide can be made industrially by burning sulfur in air.

Complete this diagram to show the arrangement of electrons in a sulfur atom.

ES4



[1]

ES4

<p>[Ne] 3s <table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td style="text-align: center;">↑ ↓</td></tr></table> 3p <table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"><tr><td style="text-align: center;">↑ ↓</td><td style="text-align: center;">↑</td><td style="text-align: center;">↑</td></tr></table> ✓</p>	↑ ↓	↑ ↓	↑	↑	1	<p>ALLOW single arrows in any 3p atomic orbitals pointing up or down ALLOW use of other arrow symbols (such as 1, as long as – in each box that contains a pair– one points up and one down)</p>
↑ ↓						
↑ ↓	↑	↑				

AT10ii

Industries producing sulfur dioxide have to make sure they do **not** allow the sulfur dioxide to escape into the atmosphere.

Name a type of pollution caused by sulfur dioxide in the atmosphere.

..... [1]

AT10ii

<p>Acid rain ✓</p>		<p>ALLOW particulate formation ALLOW 'industrial smog' DO NOT ALLOW just 'smog'</p>
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In the 1980s, two incidents occurred in Africa as a result of rock slides that disturbed the water in the bottom of a lake. In both cases, large volumes of carbon dioxide gas, originally released by volcanic activity on the lake floor, erupted from the water and suffocated people.

Some gases, including carbon dioxide, enter the Earth's atmosphere as a result of human activities, such as the combustion of fuel in vehicle engines.

AT10ii

Give another industrial activity that acts as a source of atmospheric carbon dioxide.

..... [1]

AT10ii

refining oil / generating electricity / processes in a petrochemical plant / producing steel / heating limestone / fermentation (1) ;

1 allow burning a fossil fuel provided it is the context of another industrial activity eg in a factory
allow making cement
ignore deforestation

Name another gas, that is present in vehicle exhaust fumes, which is a pollutant.

AT10ii

Explain why it is considered to have a polluting effect.

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..... [2]

any one pair from:

NO/ NO₂ / NO_x / SO₂ / SO₃ / SO_x (1) ;
causes acid rain / causes breathing problems (1) ;

or

unburnt hydrocarbons / Carbon monoxide / NO_x (1) ;
causes smog (1) ;

or

CO₂ / NO_x / C_xH_y (1) ;
causes greenhouse effect / global warming (1) ;

or

NO_x / SO_x / CO / aromatics (1) ;
causes toxic effects on humans (1) ;

AT10ii

2 A correct pollutant gas scores the first mark. The second mark depends on the first.

do not allow harmful instead of toxic

One of the methods being considered for reducing the amount of atmospheric carbon dioxide is to capture it. Carbon dioxide can then be stored by pumping it, under pressure, onto the ocean floor.

AT25iii

Suggest why is it unlikely that carbon dioxide stored under the ocean would escape in the way that occurred in the African lakes.

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..... [1]

AT25iii

the ocean water is too deep to be disturbed by a rock-slide / pressure under the ocean keeps the CO₂ in place(1) ;

1 | allow rock slides (of this type) don't occur in the ocean.

AT25i
AT25ii

Name **two** ways of reducing the amount of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere, other than storing it under the ocean.

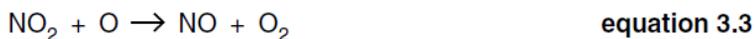
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..... [2]

AT25i
AT25ii

any two from:
burn less fossil fuel (1) ;
named alternative power source (1) ;
less deforestation / plant more trees (AW) / more photosynthesis (1) ;
reacting the CO₂ with lime/other suitable named solid (1) ;
disposing of it in an old mine / well / other suitable disposal site (1) ;

2 | do not allow just fewer cars

A lightning strike provides energy to start reactions between chemicals present in the atmosphere. One possible reaction sequence involving gaseous substances is shown below.



AT10ii

The reactions represented by **equations 3.1** and **3.2** involve the formation of oxides of nitrogen.

Give an example of a human activity that gives rise to oxides of nitrogen.

..... [1]

AT10ii

Burning fuel in vehicle engines / putting fertilisers onto soil ✓	1	Answer must be an <u>activity</u> (e.g. driving a vehicle) DO NOT ACCEPT 'burning a fuel' without a context ACCEPT nitrogen and oxygen reacting in a vehicle engine
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Some of the species involved in the reactions shown in the equations above are radicals.

AT15i

(i) Circle **one** substance in the list below that represents the formula of a radical.



[1]

AT15i

NO ✓	1	Any clear indication scores the marks (e.g. ringed) More than one indicated: the additional incorrect answer indicated CONs a correct answer
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AT15i

(ii) Explain your answer to (i).

..... [1]

AT15i

Unpaired electron ✓	1	IGNORE 'lone electron', 'free electron', 'spare electron' or 'single electron' and references to which atom has the unpaired electron ALLOW have odd number of electrons
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AT15ii

(iii) NO_2 and OH are also radicals. Give the name that is used to describe the type of radical reaction illustrated by **equation 3.4**.

AT15ii

Termination ✓	1
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AT4ii

The reaction represented by **equation 3.4** has a low activation enthalpy.

Suggest why this reaction has a low activation enthalpy.

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..... [1]

AT4ii

No bond breaking ✓	1	ALLOW 'only formation of bonds'
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AT3i
AT3ii

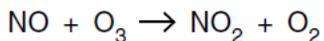
Suggest why, even though this reaction has a low activation enthalpy, it still occurs slowly in the atmosphere.

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..... [1]

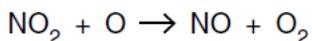
AT3i
AT3ii

The concentrations of the reacting particles are low / low abundance / few particles / few collisions / low pressure ✓	1	ALLOW temperature is low / very low / cold ALLOW high temperature needed for reaction to occur ALLOW the particles are far apart
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Equations 3.2 and **3.3** represent the process in which NO reacts with ozone in the stratosphere.



equation 3.2



equation 3.3

AT18i

Combine **equations 3.2** and **3.3** to produce the overall equation for the process.

[1]

AT18i

$\text{O}_3 + \text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{O}_2$ / $\text{O}_2 + \text{O}_2$ ✓	1	DO NOT ALLOW with extra chemicals not cancelled
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AT7i

Explain how **equations 3.2** and **3.3** show that NO could be a catalyst for the breakdown of ozone.

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 [1]

AT7i

NO is not used up in the reaction / NO is reformed / chemically unchanged AW ✓	1	
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AT7i

In this process NO is a homogeneous catalyst.

Explain what is meant by the term *homogeneous*.

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 [1]

AT7i

Catalyst is in the same (physical) state as the reactants ✓	1	ALLOW phase ALLOW NO or 'it' for catalyst
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AT7ii

Explain why a reaction is faster in the presence of a catalyst.

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..... [2]

AT7ii

(Catalysts) provide an alternative (AW): route / pathway / path / intermediate ✓ with lower <u>activation</u> energy / enthalpy ✓	2	Mark separately
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AT18ii

Ozone is present in both the stratosphere and the troposphere.

Explain how the presence of ozone in the **stratosphere** benefits us.

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..... [3]

AT18ii

(Ozone) stops <u>UV</u> ✓ (UV) of high energy / high frequency / short wavelength ✓ which could otherwise cause <u>skin</u> cancer / damage to DNA / damage to eyes / damage to immune system / cell mutation / affects crops ✓	3	DO NOT ALLOW 'protects us from UV' or 'reflects UV' DO NOT ALLOW high intensity radiation ALLOW UVC / UVB / 10^{16} Hz / 200–320 nm ✓
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AT18iii

Give **one** disadvantage of a build-up of **tropospheric** ozone.

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..... [1]

AT18iii

(Causes) <u>photochemical</u> smog / breathing problems / respiratory problems / lung damage / toxic ✓	1	ALLOW deterioration of rubber
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Chlorofluorocarbons, CFCs, have been used for a variety of applications, including as blowing agents for plastics. Since the discovery that CFCs cause environmental damage, alternative compounds have been used.

The table below gives data for some compounds that could be used in place of CFCs. ODP is the Ozone Depletion Potential.

compound	formula	boiling point /K	flammable	ODP	price
A	CFCl_3	297	no	1.0	medium
B	CF_2Cl_2	243	no	1.0	medium
C	$\text{CF}_3\text{CCl}_2\text{H}$	302	no	0.02	high
D	$\text{CF}_3\text{CH}_2\text{F}$	247	no	0.0	very high
E	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$	231	yes	0.0	low

ES20i

Give the systematic name of **compound D**.

..... [2]

ES20i

1,1,1,2-Tetrafluoroethane ✓✓

Tetrafluoroethane ✓

1,1,1,2 ✓

2

Mark independently

IGNORE commas and dashes
ALLOW minor spelling errors

ALLOW 1 mark for numbers if given in two parts: such as 1,1,1-trifluoro-2-fluoroethane
DO NOT ALLOW other numbers, such as 2,2,2,1 or the reverse

CFCs were used as blowing agents for plastics like expanded polystyrene. The CFC was incorporated into the plastic as it was being produced. The CFC vaporised during the polymerisation reaction, so it 'blew' tiny bubbles in the plastic.

AT17i

Use data from the table to suggest **one** advantage and **one** disadvantage of **compound C** as a replacement for **compound A** as a blowing agent.

advantage:

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disadvantage:

..... [2]

AT17i

Advantage: lower / low ODP (AW) ✓

2

In both parts, each additional answer CONs the mark

Disadvantage: (more) expensive ✓

AT17i

Chemicals used as refrigerants need to be volatile. **Compound B** has been used as a refrigerant because it has a suitable volatility.

Suggest from the list in the table, **one** substance of similar volatility to be a suitable replacement for **compound B** as a refrigerant.

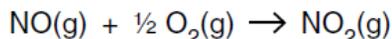
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AT17i

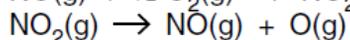
Compound D ✓	1
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Many gases can pollute our troposphere, including ozone and oxides of nitrogen.

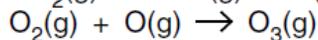
Oxides of nitrogen are involved in the production of ozone, as shown in the equations below.



equation 2.1



equation 2.2



equation 2.3

AT18i

Write the overall equation for the reaction sequence shown in **equations 2.1 to 2.3**.

→

[1]

AT18i

$\frac{1}{2} \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{O}_3$ ✓

1

IGNORE state symbols.
All other species must be absent from the equation for the mark to be given.
ALLOW $\text{O}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{O}_3$
ALLOW multiples.

AT12i

Identify the catalyst involved in this series of reactions. Explain your choice.

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..... [2]

AT12i

Catalyst is NO / nitrogen monoxide / nitrogen (II) oxide OR
NO₂ / nitrogen dioxide / nitrogen (IV) oxide OR O / oxygen
atom / oxygen radical ✓

2

ALLOW 'nitrogen oxide'.

It is regenerated / recycled / reformed ✓

ALLOW 'remains unchanged at the end', 'not used up'.
DO NOT ALLOW 'not involved in reaction'.

Second mark depends on first.

AT15i

The chemicals taking part in these reactions are radicals. Explain what is meant by the term *radical*.

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..... [1]

AT15i

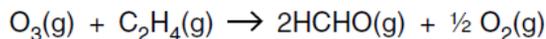
(A particle) with one (or more) unpaired electron(s) ✓

1

IGNORE 'free' or 'lone' or single electron.
ALLOW 'an electron not in a pair'.
DO NOT ALLOW 'is an unpaired electron' OR 'an
element or compound or substance with ...'.
IGNORE wrong method of formation e.g.: heterolytically.

Ozone reacts with hydrocarbons in the troposphere to form smog. One example is the reaction of ozone with ethene to form methanal, HCHO, which is found in smog.

PR5i
ES27i

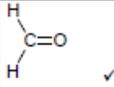


equation 2.4

Draw the full structural formula for a molecule of methanal.

[1]

PR5i
ES27i

	1	Must show all atoms and all bonds for the mark.
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Methanal can be made from methanol in a laboratory. Give the reagents and conditions required for this reaction.

PR11i

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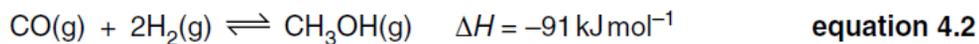
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..... [3]

PR11i

<p>(Potassium / sodium) dichromate / correct formula ✓</p> <p>Acidified / (sulfuric) acid / H₂SO₄ / H⁺ ✓</p> <p>Distil ✓</p>	3	<p>IGNORE dichromate oxidation state if dichromate written in words (ALLOW minor spelling error). IGNORE formula if correct name is given.</p> <p>ALLOW hydrochloric acid / HCl / nitric acid / HNO₃ for second mark. DO NOT ALLOW the solution acidified with organic acids IGNORE 'concentrated'.</p> <p>ALLOW concentrated sulphuric acid with water, but DO NOT give credit for conc. sulphuric acid as the <u>only</u> reagent.</p> <p>Only allow distil mark if dichromate given as reagent. Reflux CONS distil mark. IGNORE heat.</p> <p>Any additional reagent, other than water, negates the dichromate mark, but candidate can still score the acid mark.</p>
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Methanol can be made from the carbon monoxide and hydrogen.



The reaction represented by **equation 4.2** is an example of a dynamic equilibrium.

AT8

Explain what is meant by the term *dynamic equilibrium*.

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..... [2]

AT8

Rate of forward reaction = rate of back reaction ✓	2	ALLOW 'reactants and products produced at same rate' and 'products change to reactants and back again at same rate'.
Concentrations of reactants and products remain constant (AW) OR closed system ✓		DO NOT ALLOW concentrations of reactants and products <u>are</u> the same / equal.

AT9ii
AT9iii

Describe and explain the effect of the following changes on the **yield** of methanol produced in the reaction represented by **equation 4.2**.

Carrying out the reaction at a higher temperature:

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Increasing the total pressure of the reaction system:

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..... [4]

AT9ii
AT9iii

<p><i>Higher temperature:</i> Amount of methanol produced / yield decreases ✓</p> <p>(increased temperature) pushes (position of) <u>equilibrium</u> in the endothermic direction OR equilibrium moves to the left as this it is endothermic OR equilibrium moves towards the reactants as it is endothermic ✓</p> <p><i>Higher pressure:</i> Amount of methanol produced / yield increases ✓</p> <p>(increased pressure) pushes (position of) <u>equilibrium</u> to the side with fewer (gaseous) molecules / moles / particles ✓</p>	4	<p>IGNORE references to 'favour'.</p> <p>ALLOW reverse argument. Must mention endothermic (or exothermic, if reverse argument is used). Mark independently.</p> <p>ALLOW reverse argument. Mark independently.</p>
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Describe **and** explain the effect that the use of a catalyst would have on the rate at which methanol is produced.



In your answer, you should use appropriate technical terms, spelled correctly.

AT6

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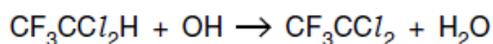
AT6

Methanol produced more quickly / rate of reaction increased ✓
Reaction proceeds by a route with lower activation enthalpy / energy ✓

2

MP 2 requires both 'route' and 'lower E_a ' for the mark.
QWC: Term 'activation enthalpy / energy' must be correctly spelled for the mark to be awarded.
IGNORE references to intermediates.

Compound E, $\text{CF}_3\text{CCl}_2\text{H}$, is broken down in the troposphere. The first step in the breakdown of compound E involves a reaction with OH radicals.



equation 2.1

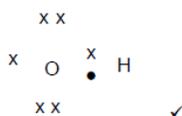
ES5i

Draw a 'dot-and-cross' diagram for an OH radical.

Show outer shell electrons only.

[1]

ES5i



1

Any two different symbols can be used to represent the electrons

Candidate can draw circles for electron shells

It **MUST** be clear that a pair of electrons is being shared between the H and the O

IGNORE inner shell electrons

DO NOT ALLOW diagram showing a charge

ES26iii

OH radicals are formed from water molecules in the stratosphere.

(i) The bond enthalpy of the O–H bond in water is $+463\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$.

Calculate the minimum energy, in J, required to break a single O–H bond.

Avogadro constant, $N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23}\text{ mol}^{-1}$

energy = J [2]

ES26iii

$(463 / 6.02 \times 10^{23}) \times 1000$ and evaluate
 (= $7.691 / 7.69 / 7.7 \times 10^{-19}\text{J}$) ✓✓

OR one mark for **EITHER**:

463×1000 (=463000)

OR $463 / 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ and evaluate (= $7.691 / 7.69 / 7.7 \times 10^{-22}$)

2

One mark is for converting 463 from kJ to J i.e.: multiply by 1000

Other mark is for dividing by 6.02×10^{23} (the Avogadro constant)

To get second mark, there must be a correct evaluation

IGNORE sig figs

A completely correct answer on its own scores both marks

Calculate the minimum frequency of radiation needed to break the O–H bond.

AT22

Give the appropriate units.

Planck constant, $h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ JHz}^{-1}$

frequency = units [3]

AT22

Answer to (h)(i) / 6.63×10^{-34} ✓
= 1.16×10^{15} ✓

Units Hz OR s^{-1} ✓

3

DO NOT ALLOW second mark for evaluating any other expression e.g.: Answer to (e) (i) $\times 6.63 \times 10^{-34}$ unless: the sole error is a mis-copy of one of the number values (e.g.: answer to (h)(i) / 6.36×10^{-34} doesn't score 1st mark, but gets 2nd)

ALLOW hz

A completely correct answer on its own scores both marks

AT14

What type of bond breaking occurs when OH radicals are produced from water molecules?

..... [1]

AT14

Homolytic (fission) / homolysis ✓

1

Ignore 'photochemical dissociation'

AT21ii

Suggest why OH radicals are not produced in the troposphere by the action of sunlight on water molecules.

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..... [1]

AT21ii

The frequency (of radiation / uv) is not high enough (to break the bond) AW
OR
The energy of (radiation / uv) is not enough (to break the bond) AW ✓

1

Ignore 'intensity' and 'light'

ALLOW 'uv / high energy / high frequency radiation needed is not present (in troposphere)' OR has been absorbed (in stratosphere)

The student titrates a 25.0cm^3 sample of the solution of bromide ions, Br^- , with 0.0200mol dm^{-3} silver nitrate solution, AgNO_3 . The reaction requires 32.60cm^3 of silver nitrate solution to reach the end-point.

ES1ix

(i) Calculate the number of moles of AgNO_3 the student uses in the titration.

answer = mol [1]

ES1iii

(ii) Use your answer to (i) and equation 3.2 to give the number of moles of Br^- ions that react.

answer = mol [1]

ES1v

iii) Calculate the concentration of Br^- ions in the sample.

Give your answer to **three significant figures**.

concentration = mol dm^{-3} [3]

ES1ix
ES1iii
ES1v

$(32.6 \times 0.0200 / 1000 =) 6.52 \times 10^{-4} \checkmark$	1	Working not needed and does not score on its own
Answer to (i) $(6.52 \times 10^{-4}) \checkmark$	1	
Answer to (ii) / 25.0 \checkmark $\times 1000$ and correct evaluation $(= 2.608 \times 10^{-2}) \checkmark$ OR Answer to (ii) $\times 1000 \checkmark$ divide by 25 and evaluate \checkmark $0.0261 / 2.61 \times 10^{-2}$ to 3s.f. \checkmark	3	The answer on the line must come from the answer to (ii). Hence $0.0261 / 2.61 \times 10^{-2}$ is not necessarily the correct response ALLOW sf mark for any 3 sig fig answer that follows from any correctly evaluated calculation

Carbon monoxide and hydrogen are produced industrially by reacting methane with steam in the presence of a powdered solid catalyst. Chemists are now investigating the use of *nanoparticles* of the catalyst coated onto an inert wire mesh. Nanoparticles are particles the size of a few thousand atoms.



AT8

The reaction shown in **equation 4.1** is in a state of dynamic equilibrium.

Explain what is meant by *dynamic equilibrium*.

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..... [2]

AT8

Rate of forward reaction = rate of back reaction
OR
 reactants and products are formed at the same rate ✓

Concentrations of (reactants and products) remain constant / stay the same

OR
 closed system ✓

2

DO NOT ALLOW 'concentrations of reactants and products **are** the same/equal'. If this has been stated, only 1 mark can be scored, even if the answer also states 'closed system'

AT3iii

Explain why the use of nanoparticles of catalyst, rather than the powdered solid, could further increase the rate of the reaction.

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..... [2]

AT3iii

Nanoparticles will provide a larger / greater / more / surface area of catalyst (in contact with the reactants) *AW* ✓

(Allowing) more collisions per unit time (*AW*) / more frequent collisions

OR
 more particles can bond to the surface per unit of time ✓

2

Must be comparative. Not just 'large'
ALLOW 'higher'

DO NOT ALLOW just 'more collisions' or 'more chance of collisions'

Mark independently

AT4ii

Using a catalyst has an effect on the activation enthalpy for the reaction.

Explain what is meant by the term *activation enthalpy*.

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..... [2]

AT4ii

Minimum energy *AW* ✓

(Energy) for colliding particles to react / for a collision to cause a reaction

OR
 (Energy) for a successful / effective collision *AW* ✓

2

DO NOT ALLOW references to reactants colliding

AT3ii

In addition to looking at different catalysts, chemists have also studied how changing pressure and temperature affect the rate and equilibrium yield of the reaction shown in equation 4.1.

Describe and explain the effect, if any, of an increase in **pressure** on the **rate** of reaction.

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..... [3]

AT3ii

Reaction rate increases ✓	3	IGNORE references to equilibrium
Particles are closer together (AW) OR concentration increases / more particles per unit volume ✓		ALLOW 'more particles in the same area'
so collide more frequently / more collisions per unit time ✓		DO NOT ALLOW particles are more compressed
		DO NOT ALLOW just 'more collisions' or 'more chance of collisions'
		IGNORE comments on particle speed and energy or yield

AT9iii

Describe and explain the effect, if any, of an increase in **pressure** on the **equilibrium yield** of the reaction.

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..... [3]

AT9iii

(equilibrium yield) decreases OR less products / CO / H ₂ OR yield of reactants increases OR more CH ₄ / H ₂ O forms ✓	3	IGNORE references to rate.
<u>equilibrium</u> (position) moves: to oppose the change / to the left / in backwards direction / towards reactants ✓		ALLOW 'yield of reactants increases' / 'more reactants' / 'more CH ₄ OR H ₂ O'
because fewer moles/molecules/particles on left-hand-side/ reactants side (ora) ✓		Mark independently
		DO NOT ALLOW atoms instead of 'molecules'

AT10ii

Methane contributes to the greenhouse effect. There is a low concentration of methane in our atmosphere.

Give an agricultural activity that acts as a source of methane.

..... [1]

AT10ii

Growing rice / livestock farming / making silage AW ✓	1	Must be an agricultural activity (e.g.: cows belching does not score)
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Methane acts as a greenhouse gas because it can absorb infrared radiation.

Explain how increased concentrations of methane in the troposphere could be linked to global warming.

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..... [2]

AT23iii
AT23iv
AT23v
AT23vi

AT23iii
AT23iv
AT23v
AT23vi

(More methane means) more radiation is absorbed OR (More methane means) more bonds vibrate ✓ This energy is transferred to KE and that increases atmospheric temperature / warms atmosphere OR molecules radiate/emit ir and that warms Earth/atmosphere ✓	2	DO NOT ALLOW mark if answer refers to absorbing radiation other than ir DO NOT ALLOW bonds vibrate more Both points needed for mark here Idea of transfer needed
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AT11

A sample of air is analysed and found to contain 1.8 ppm of methane and 21% oxygen by volume.

How much more abundant is oxygen than methane in this sample of air?

answer = times more abundant [2]

AT11

21% = 210000 ppm ✓
210000/1.8 = 1.2×10^5 times more ✓

OR

1.8ppm = 1.8×10^{-4} % ✓
 $21/1.8 \times 10^{-4} = 1.2 \times 10^5 / 1.167 \times 10^5 / 116667$ times more ✓

2

ALLOW 2 or more sf
ALLOW ecf from incorrect conversion of units for second mark
ALLOW 1 mark for 21/1.8 correctly evaluated

F332-Specimen

1

Chlorine, Cl_2 , can be used as a disinfectant for water. Chlorine is transported in pressurised containers.

ES23ii

Explain, in terms of intermolecular bonds, why chlorine is a gas at room temperature and pressure.

 *In your answer, you should use appropriate technical terms, spelled correctly.*

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..... [2]

ES23ii

Instantaneous dipole – induced dipole forces ( must be correctly spelled) between molecules (1);
these are weak, so need little energy to overcome them and produce chlorine gas (1)

[2]

ES17

In the event of an accident when chlorine is being transported, people living near the accident site are evacuated. Give **two** properties of chlorine that makes this necessary.

1.....

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2.....

..... [2]

ES17

Volatile/gas (1);
toxic to humans/causes respiratory diseases/choking gas (1)

[2]

ES12i

Sodium, like other elements in Group I, readily forms 1+ ions. Explain, in terms of ionisation enthalpies, why this is so and why sodium is unlikely to form compounds containing Na^{2+} ions.

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[2]

ES12i

1st IE is low (1), 2nd IE is very (AW) high (1).

[2]

ES9i

(i) Give the oxidation states of chlorine in Cl_2 and HClO .

Cl_2

HClO

[2]

ES9i

$\text{Cl}_2 = 0$ (1)
 $\text{HOCl} = +1$ (1)

[2]

ES9ii

(ii) Give the name of the process in which Cl_2 is changed into HClO .

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[1]

ES9ii

Oxidation/redox (1)

[1]

ES9ii

(iii) Explain your choice of answer in (ii).

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[1]

ES9ii

Oxidation state of Cl has increased/ Cl has lost electrons (1)

[1]

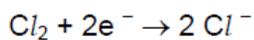
ES15iii

Write a **half-equation** that shows what happens to the chlorine molecules in **equation 1.1** that are converted into chloride ions.



[1]

ES15iii



[1]

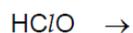
When a solution of chlorine in water behaves as a disinfectant, the active chemical is HClO .

The disinfecting power decreases when the solution is exposed to sunlight because HClO decomposes to form oxygen and a solution of hydrochloric acid.

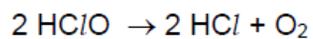
ES1vi

Complete the balanced chemical equation for this reaction below.

[2]



ES1vi



Correct formulae for products (1)

Balancing (1)

[2]

There is considerable concern over rising carbon dioxide levels that most scientists think are causing global warming. This concern has prompted the British Government to charge less in road fund tax for cars that produce less carbon dioxide.

AT25i

Cars are now more fuel efficient than they used to be and so they produce less carbon dioxide. Suggest **one** design feature that has made cars more fuel efficient.

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..... [1]

AT25i

Lean burn engines/ oxygen sensors/ reduced drag/ more complete combustion/ more oxygenates (1) [1]

AT23i
AT23ii
AT23iv

Greenhouse gases like carbon dioxide absorb infrared radiation in the troposphere. Explain the source of this infrared radiation and suggest what happens to a molecule of carbon dioxide when it absorbs this radiation.

In your answer you should make clear how your explanation links with the chemical theory.

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..... [5]

AT23i
AT23ii
AT23iv

Four from:
 UV/ visible (1);
 (warms) Earth (1);
 which radiates IR (1);
 makes bonds vibrate (1) more (1)

warm Earth must be related to IR and IR related to vibration (1) [5]

The Earth's oceans act in a way that regulates the increase in carbon dioxide levels in the troposphere. An equilibrium is set up between gaseous and aqueous carbon dioxide.

AT8

- (i) Suggest and explain why the balance between gaseous and aqueous carbon dioxide is not a true equilibrium.

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..... [1]

AT8

- System not closed/ as CO_2 (g) moves away from surface/ CO_2 is ionised (1)

[1]

AT25iii

- (ii) Suggest **two** possible methods that could be used for the capture and storage of carbon dioxide, to prevent its build-up in the atmosphere.

1.....
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2.....
..... [2]

AT25iii

1. Pump it under pressure onto the ocean floor (1);
2. Pump it underground into spent oil or gas wells (1)

[2]

AT25iii

- (iii) For **one** of your methods in (ii), suggest an environmental impact that could arise from its use.

..... [1]

AT25iii

- The CO_2 combines with any minerals in the surrounding rocks to convert them to carbonates/
pH of Oceans might be affected (1)

[1]

3

The polymer commonly known as PVC exists in two forms. Plasticised PVC is used where flexibility is required. Unplasticised PVC, uPVC, is rigid at room temperature and is used to make things such as guttering for houses.

PR14

Suggest **one** other use for uPVC in the construction of a house.

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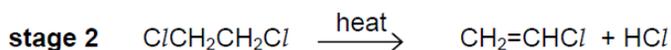
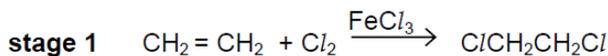
PR14

(drain)pipes/window frames/doors/roofing (1)

[1]

PR12ii
PR12i

PVC is manufactured by polymerising chloroethene. Chloroethene is produced in a two stage synthesis as outlined below.



Underline **two** of the following words to describe the reaction in **stage 1**.

addition electrophilic elimination nucleophilic radical substitution

PR12ii
PR12i

electrophilic (1)

addition (1)

[2]

[2]

PR8

Select **one** word from the list to describe the reaction in **stage 2**.

..... [1]

PR8

elimination (1)

[1]

PVC owes many of its properties to the intermolecular bonds between the polymer chains.

Name the strongest type of intermolecular bond that is present in PVC.

ES7ii

[1]

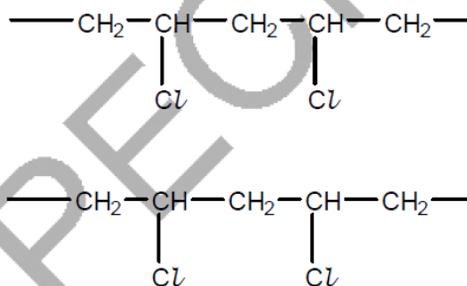
ES7ii

permanent dipole–permanent dipole (1)

[1]

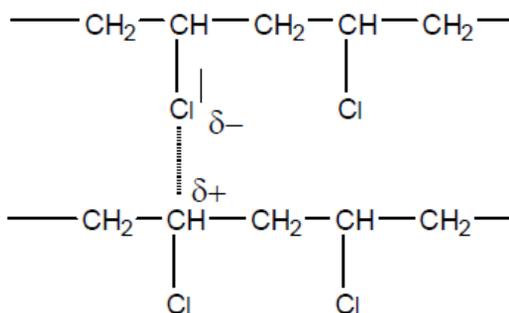
ES7ii

Use the diagram below to show how these intermolecular bonds hold the PVC chains together.



[2]

ES7ii



δ^+ , δ^- correct (1);
indication of attraction (1)

[2]

Chloroethene will also undergo the following sequence of reactions.



chloroethene **chloroethane** **ethanol** **compound A**

Name the reagent and conditions needed to turn **chloroethene** into **chloroethane**.

PR10ii

..... [2]

PR10ii

Hydrogen (1);
Ni, hot or Pt (room temperature and pressure) (1)

[2]

PR6

Classify **ethanol** as primary, secondary or tertiary, giving a reason.

..... [2]

PR6

Primary (1);
as OH is attached to CH₂/ C with OH attached to one other C (1)

[2]

PR5i

Name the functional group in **compound A**.

..... [1]

PR5i

Aldehyde (1)

[1]

PR11i

Give the reagents and conditions for the conversion of **ethanol** to **compound A** in the laboratory.

..... [3]

PR11i

(potassium/sodium) dichromate/ correct formula (1);
(sulfuric) acid (1);
distil (1) *NOT heat*

[3]

ES1ii

In a laboratory experiment, 10 g of chloroethene, CH_2CHCl , produced 1.5 g of ethanol, $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$.

Work out the percentage yield of the conversion of chloroethene to ethanol.

Give your answer to **two** significant figures.

yield =% [5]

ES1ii

M_r chloroethene = 62.5 ethanol = 46 (1);

Moles chloroethene = $10/62.5$ (=0.16) moles ethanol = $1.5/46$
(=0.0326/0.033) (1);

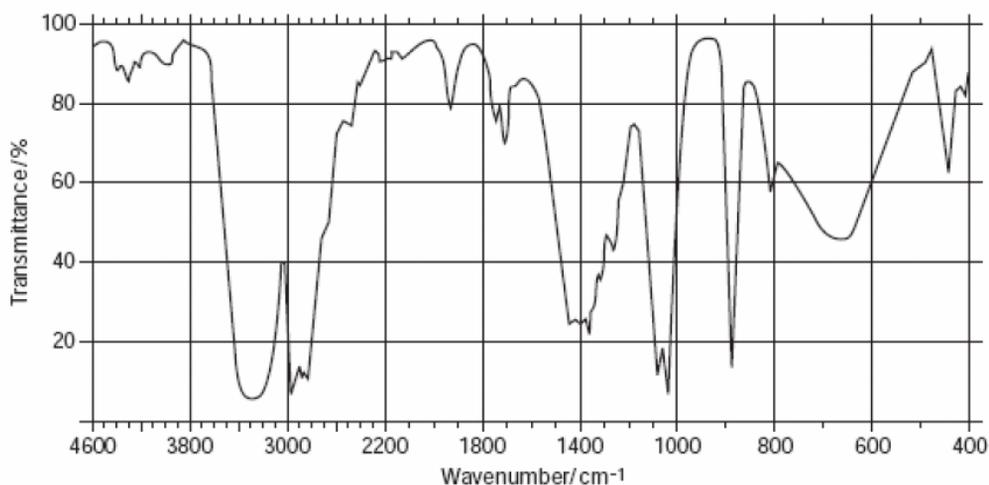
= moles ethanol (0.16) (1);

% = $0.0326 \times 100/0.16 = 20\%$ (1)

2 s.f. (1) Mark separately provided some working shown. ecf from figures above (allow 21% if 0.033 moles ethanol used)

[5]

Infrared spectroscopy was carried out on the product formed in the reaction of chloroethene to give ethanol. The spectrum that was produced is shown below.



PR16

Use information from this spectrum to explain how it confirms that an alcohol had been produced.

..... [1]

PR16

Peak at $\sim 3200\text{ cm}^{-1}$ (or indicated on spectrum) shows (alcoholic) OH bond (1)

[1]

PR17

Suggest how you would be able to confirm, using infrared spectroscopy, that the product was ethanol.

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..... [2]

PR17

Run IR spectrum for known sample of ethanol (1);
compare spectra – they have identical fingerprint/peak pattern (1)

[2]

Much of the ethanol is made industrially from ethene.

Give the reagents and conditions by which ethanol is made from ethene in industry.

PR10iii

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PR10iii

Water (1);
Catalyst with high temp & pressure/ catalyst of sulfuric or phosphoric acid
(second mark dependant on first)

[2]

PR12ii

The reaction in which ethanol is produced from ethene involves attack by an electrophile. Explain what is meant by the term *electrophile*.

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PR12ii

(Partially) positively charged/electron deficient reagent/attracted to areas of high electron density (1);
Bonds by accepting a pair of electrons (can be shown via mechanism) (1);

[2]

PR10iii

Suggest a reason, other than cost, why ethanol is **not** manufactured from chloroethene.

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PR10iii

Low yield (1)

[1]

4

Hydrofluorocarbons, HFCs, have replaced CFCs for many of their uses. They are broken down in the troposphere before they have time to reach the stratosphere.

AT17ii

Give the formula of a CFC.

..... [1]

AT17ii

Any carbon compound with chlorine and fluorine only (1)

[1]

AT17i

CFCs were used as the refrigerant in domestic fridges. The presence of CFCs makes disposing of old fridges difficult. Give **one** property of CFCs that made them suitable as refrigerants.

..... [1]
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AT17i

High heat of vaporisation/volatile/non-toxic/unreactive (1)

[1]

CFCs cause depletion of the ozone layer. Describe how they do this.

AT12i

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[4]

AT12i

In the stratosphere/ upper atmosphere (1);
they break down under the influence of high-energy/ high frequency
UV/radiation(1);
to form chlorine atoms/ *radicals/ Cl* (1);
that *catalyse* the breakdown of ozone (1)
QWC: *link between first and second marking points or first and third* [1]

[4]

AT19

Initially, studies of changes in the Earth's atmosphere did not reveal the problem of ozone depletion. Explain why the information about ozone depletion was overlooked.

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[2]

AT19

So much data was being collected that any outside expected ranges was discarded (1);
values for ozone concentration were significantly below expected values (1)

[2]

Other atmospheric pollutants can contribute to a build-up in tropospheric ozone. For example, hydrocarbons can interfere with the normal reactions for the formation and breakdown of ozone. The reaction for the breakdown of ozone involves naturally occurring NO₂ and NO.



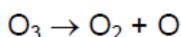
AT18i

Combine **two** of these equations to show how ozone is broken down.

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[1]

AT18i



[1]

AT12i

Hydrocarbons lead to reactions in which NO is converted into NO₂. Explain how this leads to a build-up of ozone.

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[2]

AT12i

Hydrocarbons provide an alternative to equation 4.2 (1); so less ozone is broken down/ more ozone is made because of increased O (1)

[2]

AT18iii

Suggest **one** disadvantage of a build-up of tropospheric ozone.

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[1]

AT18iii

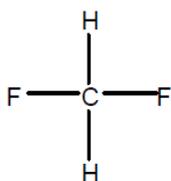
Photochemical smog/ an effect like breathing difficulties (1)

[1]

One example of an HFC is CH₂F₂. The C–F bond is polar.

Mark partial charges on the C and F atoms in the structure below.

ES7ii



[1]

ES7ii

δ+ on carbon, δ- on fluorines (1)

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ES6

Explain what determines where the partial charges are placed on this molecule.

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[2]

ES6

Mention of electronegativity (1);
Fluorine more electronegative than carbon (1)

[2]

ES7ii

Does the whole molecule have a dipole? Explain your answer.

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[2]

ES7ii

Yes, the charges do not balance (1);
Shape is tetrahedral (1)

[2]

AT12ii
AT21ii

If molecules of CH_2F_2 reach the stratosphere, they do not break down to produce F radicals.
Suggest why C–F bonds are not broken in the stratosphere.

..... [2]

AT12ii
AT21ii

UV/radiation (1);
 does not have enough energy/ does not have high enough frequency (1)
 REJECT for second mark answers that imply intensity of radiation
 "C–F is strong/ stronger than C–Cl" scores (1)

[3]

ES26iii

The bond enthalpy of the C–F bond is $+467 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$.
 Calculate the minimum energy (in joules) needed to break a single C–F bond.
 Avogadro constant, $N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

minimum energy = [2]

ES26iii

$$467/6.02 \times 10^{23} (1) \times 1000 = 7.75(7)/ 7.76 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J (1)}$$

[2]

AT22

Calculate the minimum frequency of radiation needed to break a C–F bond.
 Give the appropriate units for your answer.
 Planck constant, $h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J Hz}^{-1}$.

minimum frequency = [3]
 units.....

AT22

$$7.757 \times 10^{-19} \text{ ecf/ } 6.63 \times 10^{-34} (1) = 1.17 \times 10^{15} (1) \text{ Hz (1)}$$

[3]

