



General Certificate of Education

Chemistry 6421

CHM5 Thermodynamics and Further Inorganic Chemistry

Mark Scheme

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CHM5**Section A****Question 1**

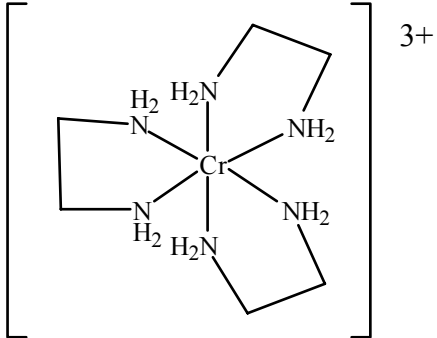
- (a) (i) $\text{Fe} + 2\text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{FeCl}_2 + \text{H}_2$ (allow ionic formulae) 1
or $\text{Fe} + 2\text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{H}_2$
- (ii) $\text{PV} = n\text{RT}$ $n = \text{PV}/\text{RT}$ (allow either formula but penalise contradiction) 1
 $n = \frac{110000 \times 102 \times 10^{-6}}{8.31 \times 298}$ 1
 $= 4.53 \times 10^{-3}$ (mol) (answer must have at least 3 sig. figs. Ignore units) 1
- (iii) Moles of iron = $4.5(3) \times 10^{-3}$ mol (allow conseq on (a)(ii)) 1
(or = $4.2(5) \times 10^{-3}$ if candidate uses given moles of hydrogen)
Mass of iron = $4.53 \times 10^{-3} \times 55.8 = 0.253$ g (mark is for method mass = moles $\times A_r$) 1
(Mass of iron can be 56)
- (iv) $0.253 \times 100/0.263 = 96.1$ % (mark is for answer to 2 sig. figs.) 1
(allow conseq on mass of iron. E.g. = 90% from $4.2(5) \times 10^{-3}$ moles of H_2 and Fe)
(Do not allow answers greater than or equal to 100%)
- (b) (i) $\text{Fe}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{3+} + \text{e}^-$ (ignore state symbols) 1
 $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-} + 14\text{H}^+ + 6\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Cr}^{3+} + 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$ 1
 $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-} + 14\text{H}^+ + 6\text{Fe}^{2+} \rightarrow 2\text{Cr}^{3+} + 7\text{H}_2\text{O} + 6\text{Fe}^{3+}$ 1
- (ii) Moles of dichromate = moles $\text{Fe}^{2+}/6$ (Allow conseq, mark is for method (a)(iii)/6) 1
 $= 4.53 \times 10^{-3}/6 = 7.55 \times 10^{-4}$
Volume of dichromate = moles/concentration (mark is for this method) 1
(= $(7.55 \times 10^{-4} \times 1000)/0.0200$)
 $V = 37.75$ (cm^3) (allow 37.7 to 37.8, allow no units but penalise wrong units) 1
(allow conseq on moles of dichromate)
(if value of 3.63×10^{-3} used answer is 30.2 to 30.3, otherwise ans = moles
 $\text{Fe}^{2+}/0.00012$)
(if mole ratio wrong and candidate does not divide by 6, max score is ONE for
volume method)
- (iii) (KMnO_4) will also oxidise (or react with) Cl^- (or chloride or HCl) 1

Total 14

Question 2

- (a) Particles are in maximum state of order 1
(or perfect order or completely ordered or perfect crystal or minimum disorder or no disorder)
(entropy is zero at 0 k by definition)
- (b) (Ice) melts 1
(or freezes or changes from solid to liquid or from liquid to solid)
- (c) Increase in disorder (1) 1
Bigger (at T_2) 1
Second mark only given if first mark has been awarded
- (d) (i) Moles of water = $1.53/18$ (= 0.085) 1
Heat change per mole = $3.49/0.085 = 41.1$ (kJ mol^{-1}) 1
(allow 41 to 41.1, two sig. figs.)
(penalise -41 (negative value), also penalise wrong units but allow kJ only)
- (ii) $\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$ 1
- (iii) $\Delta H = T\Delta S$ or $\Delta S = \Delta H/T$ 1
(penalise if contradiction)
 $\Delta S = 41.1/373 = 0.110$ $\text{kJ K}^{-1} (\text{mol}^{-1})$ (or 110 ($\text{J K}^{-1} (\text{mol}^{-1})$)) 1
(allow 2 sig. figs.)
(if use value given of 45, answer is 0.12 (or 120 to 121)
(if ΔH is negative in (d) (i), allow negative answer)
(if ΔH is negative in (d) (i), allow positive answer)
(if ΔH is positive in (d) (i), penalise negative answer)
- Correct units as above (mol^{-1} not essential) 1
- Total 10**

Question 3

- (a) **A** $\text{Cr}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_3(\text{OH})_3$ (or $\text{Co}(\text{OH})_3$) 1
B CO_2 1
 $2[\text{Cr}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+} + 3\text{CO}_3^{2-} \rightarrow 2[\text{Cr}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_3(\text{OH})_3] + 3\text{CO}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$ 1
 (or gives $2\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3 + 3\text{CO}_2 + 9\text{H}_2\text{O}$)
- (b) (i) NaOH 1
 (or KOH)
 (ii) +6 1
 (or 6 or +VI or VI)
 (iii) H_2O_2 1
 (or Na_2O_2 or BaO_2)
 $[\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_6]^{3+} + 2\text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{CrO}_4^{2-} + 4\text{H}_2\text{O} + 3\text{e}^-$ 1
 (or $[\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_6]^{3+} \rightarrow \text{CrO}_4^{2-} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{H}^+ + 3\text{e}^-$)
- (c) (i)  3+
 At least one $\text{H}_2\text{NCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2$ with correct structure and bonding to Cr via N 1
 6 co-ordination with 3 en drawn correctly 1
 Correct 3+ charge 1
 (Mark independently but must not have 6 monodentate ligands)
 (ii) Same (or similar) type of bonds broken and made 1
Same number of bonds broken and made 1
 (or same co-ordination number)
 (iii) Entropy change (or ΔS) is positive 1
 (or increase in disorder)
 Because there are more product particles than reactant particles 1
- (d) $[\text{Cr}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+}$ 1
 Reducing agent 1
 (mark independently)
- (e) (i) Ethanal (or CH_3CHO) (not CH_3COH) 1
 (ii) Ethanoic acid (or correct formula) 1

Total 18

Question 4

- (a) (i) $(K_p) = (p_z)^2 / (p_x)(p_y)^3$ 1
(penalise use of square brackets, allow ())
- (ii) **X** $(22-6)/4 = 4$ (MPa) 1
(mark is for value 4 only, ignore units)
Y obtained by multiplying value for **X** by 3 (allow conseq on wrong value for **X**) 1
Y $4.0 \times 3 = 12$ (MPa) 1
(mark is for value 12 only)
- (iii) $K_p = 6.0^2 / 4.0 \times 12.0^3 = 5.21 \times 10^{-3}$ 1
(allow conseq on wrong values for **X** and **Y** e.g. $6^2 / 3 \times 9^3 = 0.165$)
(if K_p wrong in (a)(i) CE)
 MPa^{-2} 1
(allow any unit of P^{-2} provided ties to P used for K_p value)
- (b) high pressure expensive (due to energy or plant costs) 1
(Rate is) slow (at lower temperatures) 1
- Total 8**

Question 5

(a)	(i)	Fe^{2+}	1
	(ii)	F_2O	1
	(iii)	Fe^{2+}	1
		Cl^-	1
		Use list principle if more than two answers	
(b)	(i)	e.m.f. = $E(\text{rhs}) - E(\text{lhs})$	1
		= $1.52 - 0.77 = 0.75$	1
		(0.75 scores first mark also)	
	(ii)	$\text{Fe}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{3+} + \text{e}^-$	1
	(iii)	Decrease	1
		(Increase is CE, no further marks)	
		Equilibrium (or reaction) shifts to R (or L if refers to half equation in table)	1
		(or in favour of more Fe^{3+})	
		(or more Fe^{3+} formed)	
		(or more electrons formed)	
		Electrode potential (for $\text{Fe}^{3+}/\text{Fe}^{2+}$) less positive (or decreases)	1
		Total	10

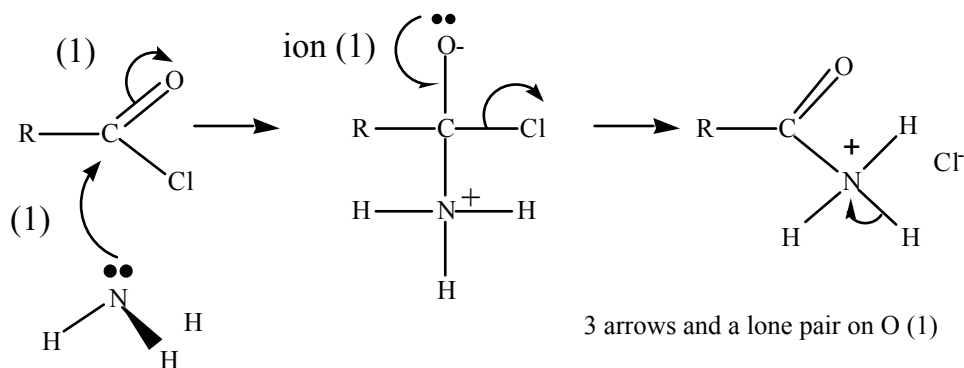
Section B

Question 6

- (a) (i) $\text{NH}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{NH}_4^+ + \text{OH}^-$ 1
 (allow NH_4OH as product)
 Ammonia is a proton (or H^+) acceptor 1
 Shape of the ammonium ion shown correctly as tetrahedral 1
 (allow no charge or wrong charge)
 (lose mark if wrong angle given)
 (allow 'sticks')

- (ii) $\text{NH}_3 + \text{BF}_3 \rightarrow \text{H}_3\text{NBF}_3$ 1
 (allow NH_3BF_3 or BF_3NH_3)
 (penalise Fl for F once only)
 Ammonia is a lone pair donor 1
 Shape of H_3NBF_3 shown as tetrahedral about N and B linked by N—B bond. 1

- (b) 4



Correct name for product (e.g. ethanamide) 1

- (c) Further substitution (or reaction) prevented (or 2° or 3° amine not formed) 1
 Because ammonia is more likely to react with the haloalkane (rather than the amine product) 1
 (or all the haloalkane is used up)
 (or less amine is available)

- (d) $2\text{NH}_3 + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{NH}_2^- + \text{H}_2$ 1
 $2\text{K} + 2\text{NH}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{K}^+ 2\text{NH}_2^- + \text{H}_2$ 1
 (or $\rightarrow 2\text{KNH}_2 + \text{H}_2$)

- (e) Van der Waals' (or VdW) forces between methane molecules 1
 (or VdW forces in methane)
 Hydrogen bonding in ammonia and water 1
 Hydrogen bonds are stronger than van der Waals' forces 1
 (or VdW forces are the weakest)
 Hydrogen bonds in water more extensive than ammonia because O has two lone pairs 1
 (N one)
 (or Water forms more H bonds per molecule (than ammonia))
 (or H bonds in water stronger because O more electronegative than N)
 (or H bonds in water stronger because O—H bond more polar than N—H)
 (Note that breaking covalent bond is CE but may not lose all 4 marks)

Total 19

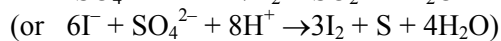
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(a)	MgCl ₂ is ionic	1
	SiCl ₄ is molecular	1
	(or simple covalent)	
	Van der Waals' (or VdW) forces <u>between molecules</u>	1
	(or <u>intermolecular</u> VdW forces)	
	(QoL mark for forces between molecules clearly indicated)	
	Ionic forces (or bonds) stronger than VdW	1
	(must be a comparison to score the mark)	
	Therefore more energy required (to separate the particles in MgCl ₂)	1
(b)	Charge on oxide <u>ion</u> bigger than on <u>chloride</u>	1
	(or oxide ion smaller than chloride)	
	(or charge density on oxide ion greater than chloride)	
	Therefore <u>electrostatic</u> attraction is stronger	1
	(QoL mark, can be given independent of first mark)	
(c)	MgO (is a white solid that) forms a suspension (or slightly soluble)	1
	MgO + H ₂ O → Mg(OH) ₂	1
	(or → Mg ²⁺ + 2OH ⁻)	
	pH is 8 to 10	1
	SO ₂ dissolves	1
	(or forms (colourless) solution)	
	SO ₂ + H ₂ O → H ₂ SO ₃	1
	(or → H ⁺ + HSO ₃ ⁻)	
	(or → 2H ⁺ + SO ₃ ²⁻)	
	pH is 1 to 4	1
	(mark both pH values independently of equations)	
(d)	Al(OH) ₃ + OH ⁻ → Al(OH) ₄ ⁻ species mark	1
	(or forms Al(OH) ₆ ³⁻ etc)	
	Balanced equation	1
	Al(OH) ₃ + 3H ⁺ + 3H ₂ O → Al(H ₂ O) ₆ ³⁺ species mark	1
	(or forms [Al(H ₂ O) ₅ (OH)] ²⁺ , Al ³⁺ , AlCl ₃ (salt + water etc)	
	(Note must start equations with Al(OH) ₃ or Al(OH) ₃ (H ₂ O) _n where n = 1 to 3)	
	Balanced equation	1
	Total	17

Question 8

- (a) Reducing power increases 1
 SO₂ 1
 S 1
 H₂S 1

(Apply list principle to answers that give more than 3 reduction products)



(Starting materials can be HI or NaI instead of I⁻ or H₂SO₄ instead of H⁺)

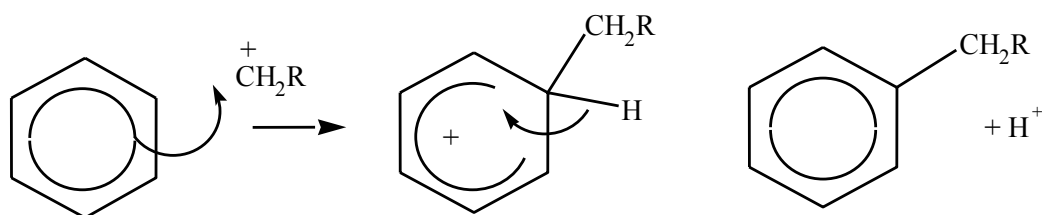
Balanced equation (one only of the above) 1

- (b) Cl₂ → 2Cl• 1
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(Ignore termination steps and any arrows)

- (c) Electrophilic substitution 1
 RCH₂Cl + AlCl₃ → RCH₂⁺ + AlCl₄⁻ 1
 (Ignore any arrows)



arrow (1)

intermediate (1) and arrow (1)

(In intermediate, broken delocalised ring must cover at least 3 carbons and not extend beyond a line between carbons 2 and 6 on the benzene ring)

Total 1
4

Question 9

- (a) (Initially slow) because reaction is between two negative ions 1
 (or between two negative reactants or two negative species)
 Which repel each other 1
 Then Mn^{2+} (or Mn^{3+}) (ions) are formed acting as an autocatalyst (QOL mark) 1
 (or answer such as Mn^{2+} ions formed in the reaction act as a catalyst)
 $2\text{MnO}_4^- + 16\text{H}^+ + 5\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-} \rightarrow 2\text{Mn}^{2+} + 8\text{H}_2\text{O} + 4\text{CO}_2$ 1
 $\text{MnO}_4^- + 4\text{Mn}^{2+} + 8\text{H}^+ \rightarrow 5\text{Mn}^{3+} + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$ 1
 $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-} + 2\text{Mn}^{3+} \rightarrow 2\text{Mn}^{2+} + 2\text{CO}_2$ 1
- (Note these equations may gain credit if they have spectator ions and/or be written as half equations)
- (b) Active sites are where reactants are adsorbed onto a catalyst surface 1
 (or bind or react on a catalyst surface)
 (do not allow absorbed)
 (Number of active sites increases if) surface area is increased 1
 (or catalyst spread thinly)
 (or on honeycomb)
 (or powdered)
 (or decreased particle size)
 Active sites blocked by another species (or poison) 1
 (or species adsorbed more strongly)
 (or species adsorbed irreversibly)
 (or species not desorbed)
- (Note, credit any answer that implies blocked but not just active site ‘poisoned’)
 Sulphur (compounds) in Haber process 1
 (or lead in a catalytic converter)
- (Note do not allow enzymes unless immobilised)

Total 10