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Unit F332: Chemistry of Natural Resources

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Annotations used in the detailed Mark Scheme (to include abbreviations and subject-specific conventions).

Annotation	Meaning
/	alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point
\checkmark	separates marking points
not	answers which are not worthy of credit and which will CON a correct answer
ignore	statements which are irrelevant and will NOT 'CON' a correct answer
allow	answers that can be accepted
()	words which are not essential to gain credit
_	underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark
ecf	error carried forward
AW	alternative wording (replaces the old 'or words to that effect')
ora	or reverse argument

Annotations used in scoris:

Annotation	Meaning
✓	correct response
×	incorrect response
bod	benefit of the doubt
nbod	benefit of the doubt <u>not</u> given
ECF	error carried forward
۸	information omitted
I	Ignore
R	Reject

Subject-specific Marking Instructions that apply across the whole question paper to be included here.

Please use ticks on the following questions: 1e, 2e, 5e

Question		on	Answer	Mark	Guidance
1	(a)		(Cyclo)alkene ✓ Ketone ✓	2	ALLOW C=C OR 'carbon-carbon double bond' ALLOW carbonyl Maximum of 1 mark if there is one incorrect answer, no marks if there are 2 incorrect answers
1	(b)		$C_{15}H_{22}O$ 15 Cs \checkmark $H_{22}O \checkmark$	2	C, H and O can be in any order (e.g.: $C_{15}OH_{22}$), but the answer must be a molecular formula to score both marks (e.g.: $C_{15}H_{21}OH$ only scores 1 for 15 Cs).
1	(c)	(i)	From: red / brown ✓ To: colourless ✓	2	Any combination of these colours but no other colour should be mentioned DO NOT ALLOW 'clear' ALLOW decolourised
1	(c)	(ii)	Answer to (b) + 2Br ₂ \checkmark \rightarrow Answer to (b) with Br ₄ added \checkmark e.g. these score two: $C_{15}H_{22}O + 2Br_2 \rightarrow C_{15}H_{22}OBr_4 \checkmark \checkmark$ $C_{15}H_{22}O + 2Br_2 \rightarrow C_{15}Br_2H_{22}OBr_2 \checkmark \checkmark$	2	C, H, O and Br can be in any order in the product formula, which does not have to be molecular. DO NOT ALLOW products with brackets (e.g.: $C_{15}H_{22}O(Br_2)_2$) ALLOW 1 mark for correctly balanced equation with 1 mole OR 3 moles Br ₂ , provided there is only one product. If completely correct answer (e.g.: $C_{15}H_{22}O + 2Br_2 \rightarrow C_{15}H_{22}OBr_4$) is given here, award both marks, even if a different molecular formula is given in (b).
1	(c)	(iii)	Electrophilic ✓ Addition ✓	2	ALLOW answers indicated in other ways, such as circling. Each additional underline CON s a mark

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1	(d)	(i)	Phosphoric acid ✓ High temperature / pressure / 200°C or more / 50 atm or more ✓ OR	2	IGNORE concentration of phosphoric acid, water and inert catalyst supports such as silica. ALLOW phosphoric + sulfuric acid for first mark
			Sulfuric acid ✓ Concentrated ✓		IGNORE water and any reaction conditions. <u>For either answer:</u> Second mark is awarded only if first mark is scored. Do NOT award the first mark if any other additional reagent is given (but condition mark can still be scored)
1	(d)	(ii)	Hydrogen (bonds) ✓	1	Do NOT award the mark if additional imfs are given
1	(d)	(iii)	Tertiary ✓	1	DO NOT ALLOW other answers (e.g.: one tertiary, one secondary)
1	(d)	(iv)	C to which OH is bonded is itself bonded to 3 other C OR no H on C to which OH is bonded OR 3 alkyl groups on C to which OH is bonded ✓	1	Can refer to R groups ALLOW 'it' or 'they' or 'alcohol (group)' for 'OH' IGNORE 'in the middle of chain' no ecf from (iii)

G	Question		Answer	Mark	Guidance
1	(e)		For compound A: Reaction mixture stays orange / no colour change ✓ (Tertiary) alcohol / OH groups are not oxidised by (dichromate (VI)) ions OR alcohol / OH groups don't react (with dichromate (VI)) ✓	5	Please use annotations on answer in appropriate place Mark independently for each compound <u>For A:</u> IGNORE an incorrect colour if 'no colour change' or 'stays (wrong colour)' is also given DO NOT ALLOW 2 nd mark if referring to secondary or primary alcohol
			 For compound B: Reaction mixture changes from orange ✓ to green ✓ alcohol group on right hand carbon is oxidised / reacts to form aldehyde or carboxylic acid OR has primary alcohol group, which is oxidised / reacts to form aldehyde or carboxylic acid ✓ 		<u>For B:</u> If answer states 'A stays orange, but B turns green' award both colour marks for B Do NOT award this mark if the answer states that the alcohol group is secondary
			Total	20	

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Mark	Guidance
2	(a)		 2,2-dichloro-1,1,1-trifluoroethane dichlorotrifluoroethane ✓ 2,2 and 1,1,1 ✓ 	2	IGNORE commas and dashes Allow minor spelling errors, such as 'flouro' The 1 st mark is for correct alphabetical order, the 2 nd for appropriate numbers ALLOW 1,1-dichloro-2,2,2-trifluoroethane for 2 marks ALLOW 2,2,2-trifluoro-1,1-dichloroethane OR 1,1,1- trifluoro-2,2-dichloroethane for 1 mark
2	(b)		 D is obtained from crude oil (but the others are manufactured) / less processing needed for D (ora) OR others contain halogens (D doesn't) (ora) ✓ 	1	
2	(c)		It is gas (at room temperature) ✓	1	ALLOW boils below room temperature ALLOW 'flammable'
2	(d)	(i)	$ \begin{array}{c} \delta_{-} \\ CI \\ \delta_{-} \\ F - C - CI \\ \delta_{-} \\ CI - \checkmark $	1	Must show all charges, not just δ - on one C <i>l</i> .
2	(d)	(ii)	Mention of <u>electronegativity / electronegativities</u> / electronegative ✓	2	Electronegativity / electronegativities / electronegative (must be one word, not hyphen, unless word split across lines) must be correctly spelled once in the answer for first mark
			Fluorine and chlorine more electronegative than carbon (ora) ✓		ALLOW 'C <i>l</i> and F have a greater pull on bonding electrons' for 1 mark Answer needs to be a comparison with carbon (e.g.: C <i>l</i> and F are highly electronegative' does not score the second mark)

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2	(d)	(iii)		1	 ALLOW other 3-D representations of the molecule ALLOW fluorine in any position Diagram needs to be as shown on the left OR one bond in the plane, with two going into the plane of the page and one coming out (or vice versa) If two bonds are shown in the same plane, they must be next to each other
2	(d)	(iv)	C-F bond and C-C <i>l</i> bond have different polarities \checkmark (Molecule is) polar because: the charges/dipoles do not balance OR cancel out OR centre of +ve and –ve charges don't coincide OR greater δ - on the F side of the molecule $AW \checkmark$	2	 ALLOW '(partial) charge on F different to that on C<i>l</i> OR 'F different electronegativity to C<i>l</i>' ALLOW 'polar because molecule is asymmetric' Mark independently ALLOW a maximum of 1 mark for 'molecule is non-polar' if also say 'because the charges/dipoles balance/cancel out OR centre of +ve and –ve charges coincide'

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2	(e)		 <u>Bonds</u> too strong to be broken in the <u>troposphere</u> OR (there is) too little energy / frequency of radiation too low in the <u>troposphere</u> to: break <u>bonds</u> / cause 	4	Please use annotations on answer in appropriate place 1. DO NOT ALLOW just 'the molecule is not broken down' OR 'the molecule does not react'
			photodissociation / cause homolytic fission OR high energy / frequency radiation needed to break <u>bonds</u> not present in <u>troposphere</u> ✓		DO NOT ALLOW 'the right amount of energy is not present in the troposphere'
			 2. in the <u>stratosphere uv</u> breaks bonds OR in the <u>stratosphere uv</u> causes photodissociation / homolytic fission ✓ 		 DO NOT ALLOW 'high energy' for uv. ALLOW 'In the <u>stratosphere</u> <u>uv</u> breaks down the molecule'
			3. (to form) chlorine atoms / chlorine radicals / Cl \checkmark		3. DO NOT ALLOW mark if chlorine radicals and fluorine radicals are formed. Can be scored from equation: $CFCl_3 \rightarrow CF_3 + Cl$
			4. radicals catalyse the breakdown of ozone $AW \checkmark$		4. Answer MUST have the idea of recycling or regenerating the radical. Can be shown in equations. Award mark even if radicals other than C <i>l</i> given.
			QWC : for connection of ideas: Link made between breaking down of molecule and either production of Cl radicals or radicals catalysing ozone breakdown ✓	1	Please indicate qwc mark using red cross or green tick on to the right of the pencil icon on the answer screen. If mp2 and either 3 or 4 are gained, award QWC

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2	(f)		It filters / screens / absorbs / removes / prevents / shields / blocks / stops (<i>AW</i>) any type of <u>uv</u> ✓ (radiation) of high energy / high frequency / UVB / UVC / value in range 10 ¹⁴ - 10 ¹⁶ Hz / short wavelength / value in range 200 – 320 nm ✓ (which could otherwise cause) <u>skin</u> cancer / damage to DNA / damage to <u>skin</u> / damage to eyes / damage to immune system / cell mutation / affects crops ✓	3	IGNORE 'protects us from uv' IGNORE high intensity radiation ALLOW sunburn
2	(g)		xx x o ^x H xx ✓	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
2	(h)	(i)	(463/ 6.02 x 10^{23}) x 1000 and evaluate (= 7.691/ 7.69 / 7.7 x 10^{-19} J) $\checkmark \checkmark$ OR one mark for EITHER: 463 x 1000 (=463000) OR 463/ 6.02 x 10^{23} and evaluate (=7.691/ 7.69 / 7.7 x 10^{-22})	2	One mark is for converting 463 from kJ to J i.e.: multiply by 1000 Other mark is for dividing by 6.02x10 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

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2	(h)	(ii)	Answer to (h)(i) / 6.63 x 10 ⁻³⁴ ✓ = 1.16 x 10 ¹⁵ ✓	3	DO NOT ALLOW second mark for evaluating any other expression e.g.: Answer to (e) (i) x 6.63 x 10^{-34} unless: the sole error is a mis-copy of one of the number values (e.g.: answer to (h)(i) / 6.36 x 10^{-34} doesn't score 1^{st} mark, but gets 2^{nd})
			Units Hz OR s ⁻¹ ✓		ALLOW hz A completely correct answer on its own scores both marks
2	(h)	(iii)	Homolytic (fission) / homolysis ✓	1	Ignore 'photochemical dissociation'
2	(h)	(iv)	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) $AW \checkmark$	1	Ignore 'intensity' and 'light' ALLOW 'uv / high energy / high frequency radiation needed is not present (in troposphere)' OR has been absorbed (in stratosphere)
			Total	26	

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Mark	Guidance
3	(a)		$Cl_2(g) + 2Br^-(aq) \rightarrow 2Cl^-(aq) + Br_2(g)$	2	ALLOW multiples
			State symbols ✓		(e.g.: has Br instead of Br_2), as long as there are only 2 reactants and 2 products
3	(b)	(i)	element initial final marks oxidation oxidation state state	3	One mark for both Br oxidation states One mark for each correct oxidation state for S
			Br 0 -1 ✓		ALLOW 2 marks if <u>all</u> number values are correct, but sign is to the right of the number (ie: 0, 1-, 4+, 6+)
			S +4 +6		ALLOW 1 mark for S if answer gives 4 and 6, but no +
3	(b)	(ii)	SO₂ ✓	2	ALLOW sulphur dioxide
			The oxidation state of the S (in SO ₂) increases OR the SO ₂ reduces the oxidation state of the Br (in Br ₂) \checkmark		 ALLOW 'S / SO₂ is oxidised' OR 'SO₂ loses / donates electrons' IGNORE sulphur / S has lost electrons ALLOW 'Br₂ is reduced' OR 'bromine gains electrons' ALLOW 'number' for 'state' 2nd mark can be scored if S is incorrectly given as the reducing agent, otherwise 2nd mark depends on first
3	(c)		Cream / off-white ✓ precipitate / solid ✓	2	IGNORE initial colours and changes of colour on standing
3	(d)	(i)	$(32.6 \times 0.0200 / 1000 =) 6.52 \times 10^{-4} \checkmark$	1	Working not needed and does not score on its own
3	(d)	(ii)	Answer to (i) (6.52 x 10 ⁻⁴) ✓	1	

	Question		Answer	Mark	Guidance
3	(d)	(iii)	Answer to (ii) / 25.0 \checkmark x 1000 and correct evaluation (= 2.608 x 10 ⁻²) \checkmark OR Answer to (ii) x1000 \checkmark divide by 25 and evaluate \checkmark 0.0261 / 2.61 x 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
			Total	14	

Q	Question		Answer	Mark	Guidance
4	4 (a)		Rate of forward reaction = rate of back reaction OR reactants and products are formed at the same rate ✓ <u>Concentrations</u> of (reactants and products) remain constant / stay the same OR closed system ✓	2	DO NOT ALLOW 'concentrations of reactants and products <u>are</u> the same/equal'. If this has been stated, only 1 mark can be scored, even if the answer also states 'closed system'
4	(b)		 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
4	(c)		 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
4	(d)	(i)	Reaction rate increases ✓ Particles are closer together (<i>AW</i>) OR concentration increases / more particles per unit volume ✓ so collide more frequently / more collisions per unit time ✓	3	IGNORE references to equilibrium ALLOW 'more particles in the same area' 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

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4	(d)	(ii)	(equilibrium yield) decreases OR less products / CO / H ₂ OR yield of reactants increases OR more CH_4 / H ₂ O forms \checkmark <u>equilibrium</u> (position) moves: to oppose the change / to the left / in backwards direction / towards reactants \checkmark	3	IGNORE references to rate. ALLOW 'yield of reactants increases' / 'more reactants' / 'more CH ₄ OR H ₂ O' Mark independently
			because fewer moles/molecules/particles on left-hand-side/ reactants side (ora) ✓		DO NOT ALLOW atoms instead of 'molecules
4	(d)	(iii)	(Yield would) increase OR more products / CO / H ₂ OR yield of reactants decreases OR less CH ₄ / H ₂ O forms \checkmark <u>equilibrium</u> (position) moves: to oppose the change / to the right / in forwards direction / towards products \checkmark in the endothermic direction / forward reaction is endothermic \checkmark	3	IGNORE references to rate. ALLOW 'yield of reactants decreases' / 'less reactants' / 'less CH ₄ OR H ₂ O'
4	(e)	(i)	Growing rice / livestock farming / making silage $AW \checkmark$	1	Must be an agricultural activity (e.g.: cows belching does not score)
4	(e)	(ii)	 (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

C	Question		Answer	Mark	Guidance
4	(e)	(iii)	21% = 210000 ppm \checkmark 210000/1.8 = 1.2 x 10 ⁵ times more \checkmark OR 1.8ppm = 1.8 x 10 ⁻⁴ % \checkmark 21/1.8x10 ⁻⁴ = 1.2 x 10 ⁵ / 1.167 x 10 ⁵ / 116667 times more \checkmark	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
			Total	20	

Q	Question		Answer	Mark	Guidance
5	(a)		One product / no molecule eliminated ✓ (forms) a long chain OR many molecules/monomers joined/bonded ✓ Poly(chloroethene) / PVC / poly(propene) ✓	3	
5	(b)		Addition ✓	1	IGNORE types of addition (e.g.: electrophilic) except for 'polymerisation', which does not score
5	(c)	(i)	Any three from: 1. Bonds absorb ir radiation \checkmark 2. (Absorbtion of ir) of a particular (range of) frequencies / wavelengths / wavenumbers $AW \checkmark$ 3. (causing) vibration / bending / stretching \checkmark 4. Spectrum shows peaks / troughs / regions / frequencies / wavenumbers where absorption has occurred $AW \checkmark$ and No peaks (AW) for bonds involving atoms other than C and H, (such as O-H or C=O) \checkmark	3	 2. DO NOT ALLOW 'particular amount of energy' 3. ALLOW increase in vibrational energy IGNORE references to C=C ALLOW absorptions corresponding to C-C / C-H bonds would be present in the spectrum ALLOW there are peaks corresponding to C-C / C-H bonds (Candidate could quote relevant wavenumber ranges: C-H 2850 – 2950 (cm⁻¹))
5	(c)	(ii)	Peak for a C=O bond ✓ At 1705-1725 (cm ⁻¹) ✓	2	ALLOW carbonyl / ketone peak ALLOW arene ✓ gives peaks in the region 1450 – 1650 (cm ⁻¹) / 3000 – 3100 (cm ⁻¹) ✓ ALLOW 1 mark if answer includes one correct bond and wavenumber range and one incorrect one (ignore C=C in arenes)
5	(d)	(i)	Radicals formed from non-radicals / molecules $AW \checkmark$	1	DO NOT ALLOW just 'reaction that forms a radical'

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5	(d)	(ii)	Movement of one/an/a single electron AW ✓	1	IGNORE 'lone' or 'unpaired' ALLOW 'transfer of one electron'
5	(d)	(iii)	$Ra(CH_2)_m \bullet + \bullet(CH_2)_n Ra \rightarrow Ra(CH_2)_m (CH_2)_n Ra$	1	Dots on radicals not essential

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5	(e)		Six from:	6	ALLOW answers referring to intermolecular forces rather than bonds
			1. Electron movements $AW \checkmark$		1. NOT electron density changes or electrons are orbiting/
			2. cause uneven distribution of charge $AW \checkmark$		2. Examples of alternative wording for mp 2 are: ' <u>partial</u> positive and/or negative charge' or ' δ + and/or δ -' or a diagram showing these (on a molecule or atom, not either end of a bond)
			3. A dipole is induced in a neighbouring molecule, leading to attraction \checkmark		3. needs both parts to score (i.e.: induces dipole in neighbour AND attracts it). DO NOT ALLOW just forming a bond as attraction
			4. LDPE has branches OR HDPE does not have branches / has straight chains ✓		
			5. LDPE chains cannot pack closely / have less surface contact (ora) ✓		5. DO NOT ALLOW just 'fit together easily / more easily'
			6. which leads to (intermolecular) bonds / attractive forces being weaker between LDPE chains (ora) ✓		6. ALLOW less/fewer intermolecular bonds / attractive forces can form between LDPE chains (ora)
			7. so less energy/force is needed to break (intermolecular) bonds in LDPE (ora) \checkmark		
			8. Chains of LDPE slide over each other more easily (ora) OR less force is needed to make LDPE chains slide over each other (ora) ✓		
			QWC for showing clearly that the process from mp3 follows from the process in mp2	1	Please use annotations on answer in appropriate place
			OR that the process from mp6 follows from the process in mp5 OR that the process from mp7 or mp8 follows from mp6 (Please indicate qwc mark using red cross or green tick on to the right of the pencil icon on the answer screen
			Total	20	

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