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Que	stion		Expected Answer	Mark	Rationale/Additional Guidance
1	а	i	Nitrogen from air ✓ combine with oxygen OR reacts with oxygen OR nitrogen oxidised ✓ (Allow combusts / combustion OR burns with oxygen)	3	Mark separately. ALLOW 'nitrogen and oxygen from air' ACCEPT 'atmosphere' for air IGNORE refs. to incomplete combustion
			high temp (in engine) \checkmark		NOT exhaust/around the engine (CON)
		ii	(causes) acid rain ✓ kills / damages plants / aquatic life / buildings / acidifies lakes or rivers ✓ OR ozone formation ✓ damages / harmful to animals / plants / people or attacks organic matter / plastics / rubber / textiles / paints ✓ OR photochemical smog or photochemical fog ✓ breathing difficulties / eye or nose irritation / produces ozone with problems above ✓	2	 IGNORE greenhouse gas and references to ozone depletion 2nd mark depends on first scoring within each pair DO NOT ACCEPT NO is toxic / harmful for first marking point but could score second e.g. causes breathing difficulties
		iii	Nitrogen / N₂ ✓	1	Formula if used MUST be correct ALLOW dinitrogen IGNORE CO ₂

Questio	n	Expected Answer	Mark	Rationale/Additional Guidance
	iv	Reactants / Molecules are adsorbed / adsorption on (surface of) catalyst ✓ QWC – Adsorption/adsorb/adsorbed Bonds break within / in reactant / molecules OR intramolecular bonds break OR bonds break between atoms in reactants / molecules ✓ Bonds form in products or new bonds form ✓ Products / molecules leave surface AW ✓	4	 QWC – Adsorption / adsorb / adsorbed NOT adsorped / adsorbtion NB If QWC 'word' not there or spelt incorrectly the first mark is not scored NB It must be clear that it is the bonds within the molecules that are breaking 'Bonds form' on its own does not score this marking point. IGNORE references to 'between' reactants or molecules NOT 'are removed' from surface AW such as 'diffuse' 'desorb' 'released' If order wrong max 3 Labelled diagrams could score all marks
b		answer = - 164 minus ✓ 164 ✓	2	Any number with minus sign scores first marking point
		Total	12	

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Qu	Question		Expected Answers				Marks	Additional guidance
2	а	i	Isotope 207	Number of protons 82	Number of neutrons 125	Number of electrons 82	1	
	b	i	a stream of ele pulse √	ectrons (idea of	moving electro	ns) or laser	1	ALLOW bombarded / hit by other electrons NOT exposed to an electric charge
		ii	<u>negative</u> plate	s or electric fiel	d or electrostati	c attraction √	1	Attraction to a negative charge scores but not 'negative charge' on its own. Magnetic field is CON
		iii	(atomic / isoto	pic) Mass ✓			1	Molecular mass or molecules mass is CON ALLOW: weight; heavier slower or lighter faster different numbers of neutrons IGNORE density/size or 'relative' atomic or isotopic mass
	С	i	Height / intens at 208 (in spec bigger/larger/h	sity / abundance ctrum) nigher (in 1950)	e / peak / % √		1	Reverse argument: smaller in <u>1930</u> (spectrum)
		ii	pre- / auto-ign damages cylin power / engine	ition (of fuel) ✓ nder / pistons / v e performance /	alves / engine efficiency √	OR reduces	2	ALLOW implication that ignition/explosion occurs at wrong time in 'cycle' Mark separately IGNORE answers in terms same of octane no.
	d	i	Radioactive/ra	adioisotopes √			1	

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	ii	$^{235}_{92} U \rightarrow ^{4}_{2} \alpha + ^{231}_{90} Th$ $^{4}_{2} \alpha \checkmark$	3	
		Th or ecf from atomic number above \checkmark		
	iii	time taken for half / halving / 50%√	2	DO NOT ALLOW 'atom' or 'matter' ALLOW 'substance' (to decay by half etc)
		of (radioactive) isotope / atoms to decay OR of count rate OR of mass / amount AW ✓		
e	i	lone pairs ✓ bonding pairs ✓	2	BOTH same symbol for electrons IGNORE position of pairs MUST have at least two different symbols for electrons
	ii	4 pairs of electron / two bonding + two lone / non-bonding pairs \checkmark	4	ALLOW sets / groups / areas of electrons
		repel as far apart as possible / minimize electronic energy / minimise repulsion \checkmark		Repel must refer to electrons (not atoms / bonds) NOT repel as <u>much</u> as possible
		V-shaped / bent / boomerang or diagram√ 104 -110 ⁰ √		NB <u>not</u> requiring reference to central atom in this straightforward molecule
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3	а	i	$BaCO_{3}(s) + 2HCI(aq) \rightarrow BaCI_{2}(aq) + CO_{2}(g) + H_{2}O(I)$	3	Co ₂ BOD
			formulae ✓		
			balancing of correct formulae \checkmark		
			(s) + (aq) \rightarrow (aq) + (g) + (l); (brackets essential) \checkmark		Allow the state symbols for incorrect formulae of barium compounds only eg BaCl (aq)
		ii	Marks are in three sections:	5	Mark separately.
			First section for method as below (1 mark) Heating <u>carbonate</u> (even if only Ba carbonate) in a tube / flask and passing (AW) gas through limewater ✓		DO NOT ALLOW heating carbonate in with water for this marking point ALLOW 'passing into tube containing lime water' Some marks can come from labelled / annotated diagram NOT 'burn'
			Second section for ideas of fair testing (2 marks)		
			Any two from the three below:		
			Same amount / moles of <u>carbonate</u> \checkmark		
			Same volume / amount / quantity of lime water \checkmark		ALLOW 'constant' instead of 'same'
			Same heating conditions ✓		ALLOW same bunsen flame or tube same height above bunsen or heat to same temperature
					IGNORE time of heating

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		Third section for expected observations (2 marks)		ALLOW white / chalky / milky / faint white precipitate
		lime water goes 'cloudy' / AW ✓ takes longer to go cloudy / gets less cloudy down group (ora) ✓		Needs a clear indication of trend down group linked to observations of lime water (e.g. Mg carbonate gets cloudier than Barium carbonate). Just stating trend on own does not score this mark.
	b	$M_{\rm r}$ of BaSO ₄ = 233.4 or 233 \checkmark	3	
		No. of moles = $\frac{2.20 \times 10^{-4}}{M_r}$ AND evaluation to any sf \checkmark A calculated or the correct answer to 3 sig figs \checkmark		Second marking point for working allow ecf Second mark lost if evaluation correct but wrongly transferred to answer line (can score sig figs however) Sig fig independent providing 'followable' working present Correct answer on its own scores all three (9.43 or 9.44 x 10 ⁻⁷) Correct answer to the wrong number of sig figs scores 2 ALLOW answer in non-standard form
	C	two outermost / valence / outer shell electrons therefore Gp 2 \checkmark sixth 'shell' / six shells therefore Period 6 \checkmark	2	NOT loses two electrons
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4	а		Alcohol(s) ✓	1	Hydroxyl is CON
	b		(2)-methylpropan-1-ol \checkmark OR \downarrow_{OH} \checkmark (2)-methylpropan-2-ol \checkmark	2	(1 + 1) i.e. mark separately but must be a consistent 'set' Must be skeletal IGNORE wrong dashes, commas IGNORE ambiguous attachments unless clearly through H atom e.g. –HO (is a CON) Initial numbers non-essential, but any other initial no. used CON's mark
	C	i	moles per kg = 1000/74 = 13.51 ✓ kJ per kg = 13.51 x 2676 = 36,153 or 36,162 ✓ ALLOW rounded values (13.5 or 14) giving 36,126 or 37,464 respectively	2	2 nd mark depends on first being correct <u>unless</u> 1 used instead of 1000 (gives 36 as answer) ALLOW 2 or more sig figs Any 'correct' answer scores two Ignore any sign
		ii	energy in / needed / endothermic to break bonds \checkmark energy released / given out / exothermic when bonds form \checkmark more energy given out than taken in \checkmark	3	refs to number of bonds broken or formed is a CON only on last marking point (i.e. max 2)

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		iii	greater (total) / increase in entropy when mixed \checkmark	2	ALLOW entropy change increases	
			more disorder / ways of <u>arranging</u> when mixed \checkmark		 NOT just 'ways' More ways of arranging atoms/elements is CON Watch out for the (wrong) statement 'more molecules when mixed' therefore CON's second mark 	
	d	i	C_2H_5OH + $3O_2$ → $2CO_2$ + $3H_2O$ formulae all correct \checkmark balancing of correct formulae \checkmark	2	ALLOW multiples Zero if 'spurious species' used to balance IGNORE ss	
		ii	greater volume of air / oxygen or greater number of oxygens needed per mole / molecule of biobutanol (ora) ✓	1	ALLOW greater chain length of biobutanol means more air/oxygen needed for complete combustion (ora)	
	e	i	Any <i>two</i> from: Less CO / unburnt HC / particulate / SO _x / carcinogens \checkmark (IGNORE NO _x) Sustainable replaceable / renewable \checkmark No net CO ₂ / carbon neutral \checkmark	2	Pollutants must be specified	
			Fossil fuels have other uses ✓ Biodegradable ✓		Ignore simply 'replacement for fossil fuels' (in stem) If more than two benefits given incorrect answers (e.g. ozone depletion) CON correct answers eg 1 correct 1 wrong scores 1; 1 correct 2 wrong scores 0 2 correct 1 wrong scores 1; 2 correct 2 wrong scores 0	

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		ion	n Expected Answers		Additional guidance
		ii	 Any one from: Uses up land which could be used for food / agriculture ✓ More energy to make than is released / fossil fuels used in production of biofuels ✓ CO₂ emissions in manufacture ✓ Reduces biodiversity AW ✓ Lower energy density ✓ 	1	IGNORE NO _x Land usage must be linked to food / agriculture DO NOT ALLOW references to energy per mole ALLOW engine has to be modified An incorrect answer CONs any correct answer
			Total	16	

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