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### **9701 CHEMISTRY**

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Paper 5 (Practical 2), maximum raw mark 30

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### MARK SCHEME

Skill	Total marks	Breakdown of marks		Question 1	Question 2
			Marks		
Planning	15 marks	Defining the <u>problem</u>	5	5	0
		<u>Methods</u>	10	10	0
Analysis, conclusions and evaluation	15 marks	Dealing with <u>data</u>	8	0	8
		<u>Evaluation</u>	4	1	3
		<u>Conclusion</u>	3	0	3

Question	Sections	Indicative material	Mark
1 (a)	PLAN Problem	Use of ion size and ionic charge <b>or</b> charge density to predict decreasing $\Delta H_{\text{soln}}$ for LiOH to CsOH <i>(Do <b>not</b> give this mark if reference is to size of atom rather than ion)</i>	1
		Correct sketch for <u>candidate predicted trend</u> . <i>Accept any appropriate downward or upward trend. Points alone are sufficient.</i> <i>If no trend is predicted in the first part of (a) the second mark can be given for a downward trend.</i>	1
1 (b)	PLAN Problem	<b>Independent variable</b> accept any of the following; 1. mass/weight/moles/amount of <b>MOH (not metal)</b> , 2. "which MOH used", 3. Group I hydroxide.	1
		<b>Dependent variable</b> accept any of the following; 1. temperature rise/change, 2. heat produced/energy change, 3. $\Delta H_{\text{soln}}$ .	1
		<b>Controlled variable</b> accept either of the following; 1. volume/weight of water, ( <b>not amount</b> ) 2. mass of hydroxide – <b>only allowed</b> if "which hydroxide" is given as the independent variable.	1

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1 (c)	PLAN Methods	Apparatus diagram showing (insulated) container and thermometer. <i>Non-insulated beaker is acceptable. (Do <b>not</b> give this mark if there is a Bunsen or a water bath)</i>	1
	ACE Evaluation	Give <b>one mark</b> for any <b>two</b> of the following; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. solid absorbing water vapour,</li> <li>2. heat loss from apparatus, <i>(accept open cup/calorimeter)</i> <i>(conduction, convection and radiation are treated as separate errors)</i></li> <li>3. loss of material – <i>solution overflows or spray,</i></li> <li>4. inaccurate temperature measurement,</li> <li>5. small temperature rise.</li> </ol> <i>Do <b>not</b> give this mark for reference to laboratory temperature or draughts in the laboratory.</i>	1
	PLAN Methods	Give <b>one mark</b> for any <b>two</b> of the following - <u>if linked to the source of error above</u> ; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. keep weighed solid in closed container <b>or</b> use as soon as weighed <i>(not kept under oil or in a vacuum)</i></li> <li>2. practical improvement to insulation,</li> <li>3. larger container or smaller quantities used, <i>(accept use of lid for minimising spray)</i></li> <li>4. more accurately <u>calibrated</u> thermometer,</li> <li>5. use larger mass of the hydroxide <b>or</b> smaller volume of water.</li> </ol> <i>(Give one of these two marks for one error and step to minimise the error)</i>	1
1 (d)	PLAN Methods	Identify the corrosive nature of the solid/aqueous hydroxides.	1
		If corrosive is identified as the hazard give <b>this mark</b> for using gloves <b>or</b>  If solution boils over or sprays out but is not described as corrosive give <b>this mark</b> for using two of gloves, lab coat, eye protection, (face) mask	1

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1 (e)	PLAN Methods	1. weighs a <u>stated mass</u> of <u>named hydroxide</u> . mass to be between 0.05 mol and 0.25 mol (See appendix) <b>and</b> candidate describes the weighing of the solid <i>(two possible methods)</i> (i) empty bottle/empty (plastic) cup; <b>and</b> bottle + solid/(plastic) cup + solid (ii) bottle + solid <b>and</b> bottle + residual solid	1
		2. measures between 50 cm <sup>3</sup> and 200 cm <sup>3</sup> of water <b>and</b> describes the measurement of the volume (measuring cylinder, burette, pipette) <i>(apparatus for measuring the water and the volume used may be shown in the diagram)</i> <i>(A larger or smaller volume of water can be accepted if it is related to a specified capacity container.</i> <i>e.g. 400 cm<sup>3</sup> water in 500 cm<sup>3</sup> beaker</i> <i>30 cm<sup>3</sup> water in 50 cm<sup>3</sup> beaker)</i>	1
		3. Initial and <u>highest</u> temperatures recorded	1
		4. Step by step procedure described <b>Minimum</b> steps required: Weigh solid, specified/measured volume of water and measured temperature rise	1
1 (f)	PLAN Methods	Table showing metal hydroxides <b>two</b> weighings - unless tare specified, initial and final temperatures. <b>Ignore units.</b> <i>Do not give this mark if candidate lists metals for the experiment rather than the metal hydroxides unless the column is headed "metal hydroxide" / "hydroxide"</i> <i>or</i> <i>metals have been penalised in (e).</i>  <i>If weighings are missing in (e) the mark can be given in (f) if the mass of metal hydroxide is tabulated.</i> <i>If temperature readings are missing in (e) the mark can be given in (f) if <math>\Delta T</math> is tabulated.</i>	1



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2 (b)	ACE Evaluation  ACE Evaluation	Data at <b>either 5.0 or 7.5</b> minutes identified <i>(Ignore any other point)</i> <b>and</b> suggests one of the following 1. irregular movement of syringe (sticking), 2. H <sub>2</sub> gas lifts Mg out of the acid solution, 3. reading taken <u>before indicated time</u> .	1
2 (c)	ACE Data	Constructs initial “tangent”. Accept <b>either</b> of the following; 1. an attempted tangent to the curve at (t = 0), 2. a straight line drawn through the plotted points at 0.5, 1.0, 1.5 and 2.0 minutes.	1
		Reads coordinates <u>from any tangent</u> correct to ½ small square in either direction from the tangent and uses the coordinates in a correct <u>expression</u> for the gradient.	1
2 (d)	ACE Evaluation	Award the mark for <b>either</b> of the following; 1. stopwatch started after magnesium ribbon dropped into flask, (flask sealed and gas collected), 2. gas pushed into the syringe when inserting the bung.	
2 (e)	ACE Conclusions	Identifies as a further source of error <b>one</b> of the following – and gives an <u>appropriate</u> method of reducing the error; 1. gas collected before timing starts <b>or</b> gas pushed into syringe when bung inserted – <b>if not already given in (d)</b> , 2. use of 500 cm <sup>3</sup> measuring cylinder to measure 100 cm <sup>3</sup> of acid, 3. 0.01 g of magnesium weighed on a balance weighing to 2 decimal places. 4. loss of gas before the bung is inserted	1
2 (f)	ACE Data	Calculates relative concentration of acid in each mixture. (See appendix) (1 or 2 sig fig acceptable)  <i>(N.B. not all of the experiments have a total volume of 100 cm<sup>3</sup>)</i>	1

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Coordination

Question	Sections	Indicative material	Mark
2 (g)	ACE Data	Plots initial rate v relative concentration with appropriate labels, units and scales. Scales – points must be plotted over $\frac{1}{2}$ length of each available axis. Do <b>not</b> penalise “awkward” scales.	1
		Points <u>for students 3 4 and 8</u> correctly plotted and no others obviously wrong <i>Points plotted to <math>\frac{1}{2}</math> small square in either direction and within correct half square</i>	1
		Straight line drawn through points for students 2 – 8. <i>Does not have to pass through 0,0. The straight line should have points either side of the line.</i>	1
2 (h)	ACE Conclusions	Concludes that prediction is wrong for a straight line (or right for a curve) <b>and</b> refers to the shape of the graph.	1
		<b>Only give this mark if the candidate has drawn a straight line through the points in (g)</b>  Concludes <b>one</b> of the following: 1. the rate of reaction = $k[\text{HCl}]$ , 2. reaction is first order wrt $\text{HCl}$ , 3. reaction is directly proportional to $[\text{HCl}]$ <i>(even if straight line does not pass through 0,0),</i> 4. the graph/line for a 2 <sup>nd</sup> order reaction would be a curve/parabola.	1
2 (i)	ACE Evaluation	Award this mark for any answer that is acceptable for the points plotted, line drawn by the candidates. <i>If the data has been correctly processed there should be a good distribution of points for a best-fit straight line.</i> <b>Ignore student 1</b> – unless the candidate refers to this point.  <i>If the relative concentration has been calculated to only 1 significant figure there is lower confidence in the point plotted for Student 2.</i>	1
		<b>Question 2 Total</b>	<b>14</b>

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## Appendix

### Question 1 (e)

metal hydroxide	$M_r$	mass of metal hydroxide / g				
		0.05 mol	0.10 mol	0.15 mol	0.20 mol	0.25 mol
LiOH	23.9	1.195	2.39	3.585	4.78	5.975
NaOH	40.0	2.00	4.00	6.00	8.00	10.00
KOH	56.1	2.805	5.61	8.415	11.22	14.025
RbOH	102.5	5.125	10.25	15.375	20.50	25.625
CsOH	150.0	7.50	15.00	22.50	30.00	37.50

### Question 2 (f)

student	volume of acid used / cm <sup>3</sup>	volume of water used / cm <sup>3</sup>	mass of magnesium / g	initial rate / cm <sup>3</sup> min <sup>-1</sup>	relative concentration of acid	
1	100	0	0.01		1.0	1.0
2	45	55	0.01	8.0	<b>0.45</b>	<b>0.5</b>
3	90	10	0.01	16.4	<b>0.90</b>	<b>0.9</b>
4	60	40	0.01	11.5	<b>0.60</b>	<b>0.6</b>
5	100	100	0.01	9.3	<b>0.50</b>	<b>0.5</b>
6	35	75	0.01	6.8	<b>0.35</b>	<b>0.4</b>
7	80	20	0.01	15.2	<b>0.80</b>	<b>0.8</b>
8	60	240	0.01	3.3	<b>0.20</b>	<b>0.2</b>
					<b>2 sig fig</b>	<b>1 sig fig</b>