



WJEC Chemistry 1
Option – Foundation Tier
1.5 Mark Scheme

Question	Marking details	Marks available				
		AO1	AO2	AO3	Total	Maths Prac
9/2	62	1			1	1
(a)	all points plotted accurately (2) \pm 1 square ecf from (a) any 5 points plotted accurately (1) curve of best fit (1)		2			
(b)	curve to left of original (1) volume of carbon dioxide goes from 0 to 90 (1)			1	3	3
(c)	more particles (1) greater chance of collisions / greater frequency of collisions / more collisions per second (1) neutral answer: more collisions					
(d)	higher rate (of reaction) / faster reaction (1)	3			3	
(e)	downward curve from (0,179.80) (1) becomes horizontal at (40,179.63) (1)			2	2	2
	Question 9/2 total	4	2	5	11	7 8

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5	(a)		2		2	1	
		O ₂ on products side (1) 2 in box (1) balancing mark only awarded if O ₂ correct					
	(b)	(i)		1	1		1
		catalyst 1 is least effective because it has the lowest volume of gas collected after any given time / has the slowest reaction					
		(ii)				3	
		all points plotted correctly (2) 4/5 points plotted correctly (1) tolerance $\pm \frac{1}{2}$ square curve through points from origin (1) ecf possible if plotting errors			3		
		(iii)			2	1	2
		steeper curve (1) reaching final volume of 80 (1)					
		(iv)		2	2		2
		can replace bung / delivery tube before reaction starts (1) no loss of gas (1)					
		Question 5 total	0	7	10	5	5

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8	(a)		1		1		
	(i)	2NaCl					
	(ii)	an insoluble solid formed during a reaction	1		1		1
	(iii)	all points plotted correctly (2) any four or five points plotted correctly (1) tolerance $\pm\frac{1}{2}$ small square					
		appropriate smooth curve drawn through points (1)	3		3	3	3
	(iv)	as concentration increases, time decreases		1	1	1	
	(v)	as concentration increases, rate increases		1	1	1	
	(b)	as temperature increases, reaction rate increases (1) accept 'as temperature increases, reaction time decreases' curve is steeper at higher temperatures (1) accept 'curve becomes horizontal more quickly at higher temperatures'				1	
	(ii)	dirty tube / tube not washed out properly		1	1		1
		Question 8 total	0	5	10	6	7

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7							
(a)	award (2) for 6 correct points (tolerance $\pm 1/2$ square) award (1) for any 4 or 5 correct points award (1) for straight line through points does not need to be drawn to origin		2	1	3	3	
(b)	award (2) for high-level quantitative description <ul style="list-style-type: none"> as the concentration doubles, the volume of gas doubles concentration and volume of gas are directly proportional award (1) for lower-level description <ul style="list-style-type: none"> as the concentration increases, the volume of gas increases concentration and volume are proportional concentration and volume are directly correlated concentration and volume have a linear relationship 			2	2		2
(c)	more (1) collide (1) gas (1)	2			3		1
(d)	award (1) each for any two of following <ul style="list-style-type: none"> increase temperature / warm / heat / hotter increase surface area (of chalk) / smaller pieces / cut chalk up / powder chalk [do not accept smaller surface area] (add) catalyst (1) award (1) for 'change' surface area <u>and</u> temperature with no reference to 'increase' if no other mark awarded			2	2		2
	Question 7 total	2	3	5	10	3	5

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4	(a)	$\text{Mg} + \text{HCl} \longrightarrow \text{MgCl}_2 + \text{H}$ <input type="checkbox"/> $\text{Mg} + 2\text{HCl} \longrightarrow \text{MgCl}_2 + 2\text{H}$ <input type="checkbox"/> $\text{Mg} + 2\text{HCl} \longrightarrow \text{MgCl}_2 + \text{H}_2$ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		1		1		
	(b)	award (2) for all points plotted correctly – tolerance ± 1 square award (1) for any three points plotted correctly award (1) for (smooth) curve drawn through points judgement by eye ecf possible from incorrectly plotted points		3		3		3
	(ii)	decreases increases			2	2		
	(iii)	more (1) a greater (1)	2			2		

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(iv)	<p>Increasing the temperature of the acid <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Using a lump of magnesium <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Using a different apparatus <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Using magnesium powder <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Decreasing the temperature of the acid <input type="checkbox"/></p>			2	2		2
	Question 4 total	2	4	4	10	3	2