



Mark schemes

1.

(a) $C_{12}H_{26}$

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(b) alkane

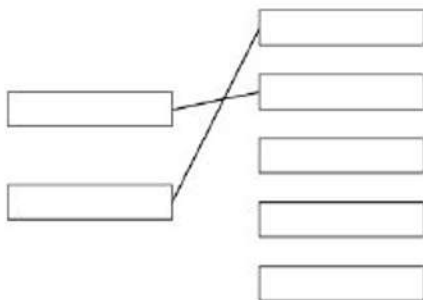
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(c) air

allow atmosphere

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(d)



particulates – global dimming

1

sulfur dioxide – acid rain

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(e) carbon dioxide

1

carbon monoxide

1

(f) develop fuel efficient engines

use electric cars

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2.

(a) C_5H_{12}

1

(b) 2:5

1

(c) **A**

1

(d) **A**

1

(e) carbon dioxide

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water

1

(f) propane

1

(g) $(8 \times 1) + (3 \times 12)$

$$= 44$$

an answer of 44 scores 2 marks

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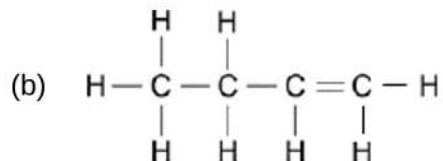
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3.

(a) C_5H_{10}

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(c) bar labelled petrol to 28.6 (%)

allow a tolerance of $\pm \frac{1}{2}$ a square

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(d) 100 tonnes

1

(e) $7.1 + 11.1 + 17.2 = 35.4$

1

$$\frac{2000 \times 35.4}{100}$$

allow ecf from step 1

1

$$= 708 \text{ (kg)}$$

an answer of 1276 (kg) gains 2 marks

1

(f) higher percentage (by mass) of heavier fractions
or
higher percentage of larger molecules

1





- (g) **Level 3 (5-6 marks):**
Relevant points (reasons/causes) are identified, given in detail and logically linked to form a clear account.

Level 2 (3-4 marks):
Relevant points (reasons/causes) are identified, and there are attempts at logical linking. The resulting account is not fully clear.

Level 1 (1-2 marks):
Points are identified and stated simply, but their relevance is not clear and there is no attempt at logical linking.

Level 0
No relevant content.

Indicative content

fractional distillation

- oil heated / boiled / vaporised
- fractionating column used
- fractions have different boiling ranges / temperatures
- column hotter at bottom

or

column cooler at top

- fractions condense at different levels
- heavy fractions collect at bottom

or

light fractions collect at top

cracking

- high temperature
- catalyst or steam
- large molecules split into small molecules
- mixture of alkanes and alkenes produced

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4.

(a) C_5H_{12}

1

(b) Alkanes

1

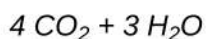
(c) (3) CO_2

1

(4) H_2O

1

allow for 1 mark



(d) contains hydrogen and carbon

1

(hydrogen and carbon) only

1



- (e) *(diesel)*
produces more oxides of nitrogen
allow converse answers in terms of petrol

1

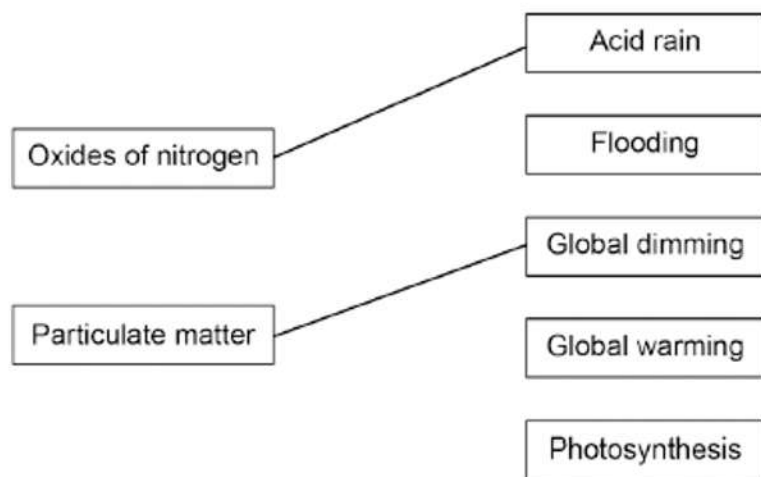
produces (more) particulate matter

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produces less carbon dioxide

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(f)



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5.

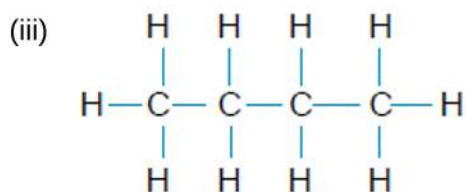
- (a) (i) high temperature
allow heating / hot / 250-900 °C
catalyst or steam
allow named catalyst eg zeolite, Al₂O₃, silica, ceramic
allow in the absence of air / oxygen
ignore any references to pressure

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- (ii) colourless
allow decolourised
ignore clear / discoloured

1



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(b) (i) 20.3(0) (kJ)
if answer incorrect allow 1 mark for 24.36/1.2

2

(ii) use a lid
allow insulate beaker or use draught shield

1

reduce energy / heat loss

ignore references to thermometer or repeats or distance of flame or loss of water vapour

allow stir (1) to distribute energy / heat (1)

allow use a metal can (1) as it's a better conductor (1)

1

(iii) carbon/soot
ignore tar, smoke

1

(produced by) incomplete combustion

allow from a limited supply of oxygen/air

1

(iv) hexane gives out the greatest energy (per 1.0 g)
ignore more energy

1

hexane produces the least smoke / carbon / soot

allow has the cleanest flame

ignore less smoke / carbon / soot

1



(c)

(QWC) as well as the standard of the scientific response. Examiners should also apply a 'best-fit' approach to the marking.

Level 3 (5 – 6 marks):

Descriptions of advantages **and** disadvantages that are linked to their own knowledge.

Level 2 (3 – 4 marks):

Descriptions of an advantage **and** a disadvantage with some use of their knowledge to add value.

Level 1 (1 – 2 marks):

Statements made from the information that indicate whether at least one statement is an advantage **or** a disadvantage
or a linked advantage or disadvantage

0 marks:

No relevant content

Examples of the added value statements and links made in the response could include:

Note that link words are in bold; links can be either way round.

Accept reverse arguments and ignore cost throughout.

Advantages of using hydrogen:

- Combustion only produces water **so** causes no pollution
- Combustion does not produce carbon dioxide **so** this does not contribute to global warming or climate change
- Combustion does not produce sulfur dioxide **so** this does not contribute to acid rain
- Incomplete combustion of petrol produces carbon monoxide **that is** toxic
- Incomplete combustion of petrol produces particulates **that** contribute to global dimming
- Petrol comes from a non-renewable resource **but** there are renewable/other methods of producing hydrogen
- Hydrogen releases more energy **so** less fuel needed or more efficient

Disadvantages of using hydrogen:

- Hydrogen is a gas **so** is difficult to store or transfer to vehicles
- Hydrogen gas is very flammable **so** leaks cause a greater risk of explosion
- Most hydrogen is produced from fossil fuels **which** are running out
- Cannot be used in existing car engines **so** modification / development or replacement is needed
- Lack of filling stations **so** difficult to refuel your vehicle

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