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**Chemistry**  
**Assessment Unit A2 3**  
*assessing*  
**Further Practical Chemistry**  
**Practical Booklet B (Theory)**  
**[ACH32]**

**FRIDAY 21 JUNE, MORNING**

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**MARK**  
**SCHEME**

- 1 (a) (i)** addition is exothermic [1]  
dissipate the heat [1] [2]
- (ii)** ethanoic acid would freeze/form a solid [1]
- (iii)** reflux [1]
- (iv)** anti-bumping granules [1]
- (v)** transfer to a separating funnel and allow to settle [1]  
open the tap/run off the lower layer [1]  
open the tap/run off the upper layer into a clean, dry beaker [1] [3]
- (b) (i)** no more bubbles/no more effervescence [1]
- (ii)** place in beaker or conical flask [1]  
add a spatula measure of a drying agent, e.g. anhydrous calcium chloride [1]  
shake/swirl [1]  
repeat until liquid changes to clear [1]  
filter/decant to remove drying agent [1] [5]
- (iii)** distillation [1]
- (iv)** boiling point not sharp/boiling point over a range/boiling point increases [1]
- (c) (i)**
- $$\text{H}_3\text{C}-\overset{\text{O}}{\parallel}{\text{C}}-\text{OH} + \text{HO}-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \rightleftharpoons \text{H}_3\text{C}-\overset{\text{O}}{\parallel}{\text{C}}-\text{O}-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$$
- [2]
- (ii)** mass of ethanoic acid =  $15 \times 1.05 = 15.75 \text{ g}$
- moles of ethanoic acid =  $\frac{15.75}{60} = 0.2625$  [2]
- (iii)** mass of butan-1-ol =  $30 \times 0.81 = 24.3 \text{ g}$
- moles of butan-1-ol =  $\frac{24.3}{74} = 0.3284$  [2]
- (iv)** react in a 1 : 1 ratio [1]
- moles of butan-1-ol > moles of ethanoic acid [1] [2]
- (v)** theoretical yield of product = 0.2625 moles
- theoretical yield of product =  $0.2625 \times 116 = 30.45 \text{ g}$
- percentage yield =  $\frac{12.2}{30.45} \times 100 = 40 \%$  [3]

AVAILABLE  
MARKS

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			AVAILABLE MARKS	
2	(a)	(i) $\text{Co}^{2+} + 2\text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{Co}(\text{OH})_2$	[1]	13
		(ii) $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{2+}$	[1]	
		(iii) changes to brown	[1]	
		(iv) cobalt(II) chloride	[1]	
	(b)	(i) it is reversible	[1]	
		(ii) $[\text{Co}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+} + 4\text{Cl}^- \rightleftharpoons [\text{CoCl}_4]^{2-} + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$	[2]	
		(iii) co-ordination number changes from 6 to 4 [1] shape changes from octahedral to tetrahedral [1]	[2]	
	(c)	(i) green to blue	[1]	
		(ii) $[\text{Ni}(\text{H}_2\text{NCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2)_3]^{2+}$	[1]	
		(iii) $[\text{Ni}(\text{H}_2\text{NCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2)_3]^{2+} + \text{edta}^{4-} \rightarrow [\text{Ni}(\text{edta})]^{2-} + 3\text{H}_2\text{NCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2$	[2]	
3	(a)	(i) (the solution is) neutral	[1]	8
		(ii) red litmus paper changes to blue and blue litmus would remain blue	[1]	
	(b)	nitrogen [1] ethanol [1]	[2]	
		(c) ammonia [1] sodium ethanoate [1]	[2]	
	(d)	ethanoic acid [1] ammonium chloride [1]	[2]	

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4	(a)	(i) both ions are negatively charged and will repel each other	[1]	12
		(ii) catalyst	[1]	
	(b)	(i) colourless to brown	[1]	
		(ii) sodium thiosulfate reacts with the iodine produced [1]		
		$2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3^{2-} + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow \text{S}_4\text{O}_6^{2-} + 2\text{I}^-$ [1]	[2]	
		(iii) colourless to blue-black	[1]	
	(c)	(i) moles = $5 \times 10^{-3}$ mass = $5 \times 10^{-3} \times 248 = 1.24 \text{ g}$	[2]	
		(ii) weigh 1.24 g of solid in a beaker [1] dissolve solid in a small volume of deionised water [1] transfer the solution to a 250 cm <sup>3</sup> volumetric flask with washings [1] make up to the mark with deionised water until the bottom of the meniscus is on the mark [1] stopper the flask and invert to mix [1]	max [4]	
		<b>Total</b>	<b>60</b>	