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MARK SCHEME

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Mark schemes will use these abbreviations:

; separates marking points

I alternatives

ORA or reverse argument

ALLOW for a non-ideal but allowable alternative valid point

NOT answer is not credited

<u>underline</u> actual word underlined must be used by candidate (grammatical variants excepted)

(xxx) wording in brackets is for the clarity of the mark scheme but is not required

max indicates the maximum number of marks that can be given

+ or **AND** statements on both sides of the + or **AND** are needed for that mark

ECF error carried forward

IGNORE for an answer that is not creditworthy but does not invalidate any additional creditworthy response

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1(a)	I All 6 masses recorded (1)	6
	II All 4 measured masses have appropriate headings and units: /g or (g) or g by each entry (1)	
	III All 4 measured masses to the same number of dp (at least 2 dp) (1)	
	IV Calculates correctly mass of FA 1 added and mass of CO ₂ evolved (1)	
	V and VI Compare corrected mass of FA 1/corrected mass of CO ₂ with supervisor value. Award V and VI if $\delta \leqslant 0.20$ (2) OR Award V 0.20 < $\delta \leqslant 0.40$ (1)	
1(b)(i)	Calculates correctly the moles of CO ₂ (min of 2 sf) (1)	4
1(b)(ii)	Calculates correctly ans (i) × 84.3 (1)	
1(b)(iii)	Shows use of ans (ii) / mass of FA 1 × 100 (1)	
1(b)(iv)	The other components do no liberate a gas on reaction with acid (1) Do not allow other components do not react with acid	
1(c)(i)	There was not enough acid to react with all the magnesium carbonate (1)	2
1(c)(ii)	No, as the mass of the acid is measured (1)	

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2(a)	I Tabulates initial burette readings, final burette readings and volume of FA 3 added (1)	6
	II Appropriate headings and units for titration results (1)	
	III All accurate burette readings and the volumes of FA 3 added are given to the nearest 0.05 cm ³ (1)	
	IV Two or more uncorrected accurate titres within 0.20 cm ³ (1)	
	V and VI Examiner calculates δ = [supervisor value – corrected mean titre]	
	Award V and VI if $\delta \leqslant 0.20$ (2) OR Award V only if $0.20 \leqslant \delta \leqslant 0.40$ (1)	
2(b)	Selects titres within 0.20 cm ³ , calculates the correct mean and gives answer to the same number of dp as the most precise burette reading (1)	1
2(c)(i),(ii),(iv)	2.5×10^{-3} given as the answer to both (i) and (ii) AND 0.500 given as answer to (iv) (1)	5
2(c)(iii)	Shows use of ans (ii)/value (b) × 1000 (1)	
2(c)(v),(vi)	Calculates correctly 1(b)(iii) /100 × 18 AND	
	Calculates correctly 2 × ans (v)/84.3 (1)	
2(c)(vii)	Calculates correctly ans (iv) – ans (iii) – ans (vi) (1)	
2(c)(viii)	Calculates correctly ans (vii)/2 × 58.3 / 18 × 100 (1)	

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	FA 5 is NaNO ₂ FA 6 is KI FA 7 is CuSO ₄	
3(a)(i)	Fizzing and brown gas (1)	4
3(a)(ii)	Decolourises (1)	
3(a)(iii)	Yellow/red/brown (solution) formed on adding drop of acid (1)	
3(a)(iii)	Turns blue-black on adding starch (1)	
3(a)(iv)	Uses NaOH/Al and warm (1)	2
	Gas evolved turns damp red litmus blue (1)	
3(a)(v)	Uses silver nitrate (1)	2
	Yellow ppt (1)	
3(a)(vi)	FA 5 is NO ₂ ⁻ (1)	2
	FA 6 is I ⁻ (1)	
3(b)(i)	Blue ppt (1)	4
3(b)(i)	Dissolves in excess to give a dark blue solution (1)	
3(b)(ii)	Green solution (1)	
3(b)(ii)	Turns to blue solution (1)	
3(b)(iii)	Cu ²⁺ (1)	1
3(b)(iv)	Nitrite acts as a ligand, adding acid destroys nitrite ion (1)	1