- Mark Scheme

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Question	Answer	Marks	AO Element	Notes	Guidance
1	substance that conducts electricity/(undergoes) electrolysis (1)	2			
	decomposed / chemically changed OR molten / liquid / solution / aqueous AND containing ions / ionic (1)				
2	$Cu^{2+}(aq) + 2e^{-} \rightarrow Cu(s)$	3			
	1 mark for any equation which has Cu as the product or Cu ²⁺ ions on left 1 mark for correct species 1 mark for correct state symbols				
3(a)	copper formed/copper deposited	1			
3(b)	oxygen	1			
3(c)	copper removed or copper lost or copper forms ions	1			
4(a)	M1 breakdown of an ionic compound when molten or in aqueous solution	2			
	M2 (by the passage of) electricity/electric current/electrical energy				

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4(b)	hydrogen	3			
	chlorine				
	sodium hydroxide				
4(c)	$2H^{+}(aq) + 2e^{-} \rightarrow H_{2}(g)$	2			
	M1 H ⁺ on left hand side with e ⁻ added				
	M2 fully correct equation				
5(a)	the breakdown (into elements) (1)	2			
	of an (ionic) compound by (the passage of) electricity (1)				
5(b)(i)	oxygen	1			
5(b)(ii)	glowing splint (1)	2			
	relights (1)				
5(b)(iii)	$2\text{H}^+ + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{H}_2$	1			
	M1 gain of electrons by H ⁺				
	M2 rest of equation				
5(c)	the wires: electrons (1)	2			
	the electrolyte: ions (1)				

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5(d)	any two from:	2			
	green gas at positive electrode				
	bulb is brighter				
	rate of bubbles increases				
6(a)	the wires: electrons (1)	2			
	the electrolyte: ions (1)				
6(b)	any 2 from:	2			
	increases conductivity				
	as a solvent				
	lowers the operating temperature				
6(c)	$Al^{3+} + 3e^{-} \rightarrow Al$	1			
6(d)	oxygen is made at the anode (1)	3			
	the anodes are made of carbon (1)				
	oxygen (made) reacts with carbon (1)				

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7(a)	anode made of: impure copper (1)	3			
	cathode made of: (pure) copper (1)				
	electrolyte of: (aqueous) copper sulfate (1)				
7(b)	silver (impurities) fall to the bottom of the cell (1)	3			
	zinc (impurities) (dissolve) into solution (as ions) (1)				
	because zinc is more reactive than copper AND silver is less reactive than copper (1)				
8	A - 1 and 2	1			
9	C - The reaction Zn \rightarrow Zn ²⁺ + 2e ⁻ occurs.	1			
10	$A - Cu^{2+} + 2e^{-} \rightarrow Cu$	1			
11	$Al^{3+} + 3e^{-} \rightarrow Al$ species (1) balancing (1)	2			

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12(a)	zinc more reactive (than iron/steel)	1			
	loses electrons	1			
	electrons move (from zinc) to iron	1			
	Zinc reacts (with air and water) or zinc corrodes or zinc is oxidised or zinc is anodic or zinc forms positive ions or zinc forms Zn ²⁺ or iron and steel don't react with air/water or iron and steel are not oxidised or iron and steel do not form ions or iron and steel do not lose electrons or iron and steel are cathodic	1			
12(b)	R to L in wire	1			
12(c)	$2H^+ + 2e^- \rightarrow H_2$ species (1) balancing (1)	2			
13(a)	bauxite	1			

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13(b)	M1 aluminium oxide / amphoteric oxide dissolves OR iron(III) oxide / basic oxide does not	2			
	M2 filter			COND on M1	
13(c)	Any two from: lowers (working) temperature or lowers mpt (of mixture) increases conductivity reduces cost OR energy need	2			
14(a)	sulfuric acid	1			
14(b)	$Zn^{2+} + 2e \rightarrow Zn$	1			
	oxygen or water	1		Allow: O ₂ and H ₂ O if no name seen	
	sulfuric acid	1		Allow: H ₂ SO ₄ if no name seen	
15(a)	from zinc to carbon (clockwise direction on or near the wire)	1			
15(b)	to allow ions to flow	1			

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15(c)	oxidation and loss of electron(s) or increase in oxidation number/state	1			
	reduction and decrease in oxidation number/state or gain of electron(s)	1			
16(a)	correct direction from zinc to lead	1			
16(b)	metals react by losing electrons	1			
	the more reactive metal / zinc will lose electrons more readily (making the electrode negatively charged)	1			
17(a)	manganese and zinc are more reactive than lead (and / or copper)	1			
	lead is more reactive than copper	1			

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17(b)	the polarity of a Mn / Zn (cell) or the voltages of Zn / Pb and Mn / Pb (cells)	1			

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