Question	Answer	Marks	AO Element	Notes	Guidance
1(a)	4.76 (dm ³)	1			
1(b)	moves equilibrium to right	1			
	increases yield (of sulfur trioxide) / uses up more sulfur dioxide	1			
1(c)(i)	moves equilibrium to left	1			
	(forward reaction) exothermic	1			
1(c)(ii)	decreases rate	1			
	molecules have less energy / move slower	1			
	fewer collisions (per second) / fewer particles have the activation energy / fewer collisions have the activation energy	1			
1(d)(i)	moves to right	1			
1(d)(ii)	high yield at 2 atm	1			
2	M1 dissolve / react sulfur trioxide in (concentrated) sulfuric acid	1			

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	add water to product of M1	1			
3	vanadium(V) oxide / vanadium pentoxide	1			
4	calcium carbonate	1			
	carbon dioxide	1			
5	food preservative / manufacture of wood pulp	1			
6	underground / named geographical source, e.g. Poland / Louisiana / Sicily	1			
7	sulfur dioxide	1			
8	SO ₂ / sulfur dioxide	1			
9	V ₂ O ₅ /vanadium(V) oxide	1			
10	sulfur/S	1			
11	sulfur dioxide	1			

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12	C - It reacts with ammonia to produce a fertiliser.	1			
13	source: underground / volcanoes / crude oil / petroleum (1) use: e.g. (making) sulfuric acid / making SO ₂ / dusting plants / vulcanising rubber (1)	2			
14	С	1			
15	A - A catalyst of iron is used.	1			
16(a)	sulfuric acid	1			
16(b)	(chemical) erosion (of buildings)/pitting (of buildings)/corrosion (of metalwork)/weathering	1			
16(c)	sulfur dioxide gains oxygen/it gains oxygen	1			
17	D	1			
18	D	1			
19	A - It is a dehydrating agent.	1			

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20	water absorbed	1			
21(a)	speeds up reaction	1			
21(b)	O ₂ (on left)	1			
	correct balance (2 on right)	1		note: second mark dependent on O ₂ or 2O on left	
21(c)	to prevent it turning into liquid / vapour	1		allow: so temperature is below melting point / so that it can form crystals	
22	(the reaction is) too violent/too exothermic or produces mist/fumes (of acid)	1			
23	Any two from: bleach/making wood pulp/making paper food/fruit juice/wine preservative fumigant/sterilising/insecticide	2			
24	heating/roasting/burning (zinc sulfides)	1			
	in air/oxygen	1		COND on M1	

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25	making fertilisers or pickling metals or making fibres or making phosphoric acid/phosphates making dyes or making paints/pigments/dyes or making paper or making plastics or making detergents or tanning leather or battery acid.	1			
26(a)	lgg.	1			
26(b)	vanadium(V) oxide or vanadium pentoxide (1) 450 (°C) (1)	2			
26(c)	$SO_3 + H_2SO_4 \rightarrow H_2S_2O_7$ (1) $H_2S_2O_7 + H_2O \rightarrow 2H_2SO_4$ (1)	2			
27(a)	proton acceptor	1			
27(b)	Contact (process)	1			
27(c)	$2NH_3 + H_2SO_4 \rightarrow (NH_4)_2SO_4$ $(NH_4)_2SO_4 (1)$ rest of the equation (1)	2			

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28(a)	water/H ₂ O	1			
28(b)	carbon/C	1			
29(a)	from petroleum or (crude) oil or fossil fuels	1			
29(b)	Contact (process)	1			
29(c)	vanadium pentoxide or vanadium(V) oxide or V ₂ O ₅ (catalyst); (1)	5			
	1–5 atmospheres; (units required) (1)				
	450°C; (units required) (1)				
	$2SO_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2SO_3$; (1)				
	equilibrium/reversible reaction in equation or text (1)				
30(a)	$2SO_2 + O_2 \rightleftharpoons 2SO_3$	2			
	M1 Balanced equation M2 reversible arrow				

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30(b)	450 °C (units required) (1)	3			A 723 K
	1–5 atmospheres (units required) (1)				A 100–500 kPa
	vanadium(V) oxide or vanadium pentoxide or V ₂ O ₅ (1)				
30(c)	SO ₃ added to (concentrated) H ₂ SO ₄ (1)	2			
	(oleum) diluted with/added to water (1)				
31(a)	V ₂ O ₅	1			
31(b)	position of equilibrium shifts right/yield increases	1			
	to save energy	1			
31(c)	faster reaction/rate	1			
	more collisions per second/higher collision frequency	1			
	fewer moles/molecules (of gas) on right	1			

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	(so) position of equilibrium shifts right/yield increases	1			
32(a)	2ZnS + 3O ₂ 2ZnO + 2SO ₂ species (1) balancing (1)	2			
32(b)	Manufacture of sulfuric acid or bleach or making wood pulp or making paper or food or fruit juice or wine preservative or fumigant or sterilising	1			
33(a)	add water (to yellow solid or to (anhydrous) iron(II) sulfate or to FeSO ₄ or to products	1			
	goes green	1			
33(b)	M1 Sulfur trioxide reacts with water to make sulfuric acid or equation	1			
	M2 sulfur dioxide reacts with oxygen to form sulfur trioxide or equation	1			

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33(c)	M1 = 2.07	1		Allow 2.1 or 2.06667	
	M2 = 62.8.g	1			
	M3 (= M2/152 =) 0.41(3)	1			
	M4 (= M1/M3) rounded to the nearest whole number × = 5	1			

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