MARK SCHEME for the March 2016 series

9701 CHEMISTRY

9701/52   Paper 5 (Planning, Analysis and Evaluation),
maximum raw mark 30

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question	expected answer	mark
1 (a)	**M1** (apparatus mark) volumetric flask in range 25–250 cm^3; **M2** mol propanone = 1.00 × (flask volume / 1000); e.g. mol of propanone = 1.00 × 25 / 1000 = 0.025 mol **M3** **M2** × 58.0; e.g. 0.025 × 58.0 = 1.45 g	[3]
(b) (i)	**B** must be added before first or second reactant	[1]
(ii)	the reactants are **A** and **C** so one of these must be mixed last; **or** the reaction must not start before all three substances are present;	[1]
(c) (i)	(10 cm^3) pipette	[1]
(ii)	**M1** $NaHCO_3$ will effervesce so when effervescence finishes it shows that all H^+ ions have been removed; **M2** NaOH will react with I_2 / CH_3COCH_3 / reactants;	[2]
(d) (i)	**M1** mol I_2 = (10 / 100) × 0.200 × (50 / 1000) = 1.(00) × 10^{-3} mol; **M2** mol $S_2O_3^{2-}$ = 2 × 1.00 × 10^{-3} = 2.(00) × 10^{-3} mol; **M3** volume 0.100 mol dm^{-3} $S_2O_3^{2-}$ = (1000 × 2.00 × 10^{-3}) / 0.100 = 20(.0) cm^3;	[3]
(ii)	indicator = starch; colour change = blue-black to colourless;	[2]
(e)	time **and** units of s; volume of thiosulfate **and** units of cm^3;	[2]
(f)	temperature;	[1]
(g) (i)	**M1** (labels) x-axis = time y-axis = concentration of iodine **M2** curved line decreasing from left to right starting from x = 0	[2]

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(ii)	idea of constant half-life: determine at least two half-lives from the graph and ensure that they are the same; **or** half-lives determined from the graph should be constant; **or** determine the gradient (rate) at different points on the graph and plot rate v. concentration to determine if the plot is linear and goes through the origin;	[1]
(h)	(incorrect and) half-life will still be constant; **or** temperature has no effect upon order (of reaction);	[1]
2 (a)	**M1** column amount of ethanol burned correctly completed **M2** column energy transferred to the water correctly completed | experiment number	amount of ethanol burned / mol	energy transferred to the water / kJ | |---|---|---| | 1 | 0.00850 | 3.26 | | 2 | 0.0106 | 3.95 | | 3 | 0.0110 | 4.10 | | 4 | 0.0122 | 4.50 | | 5 | 0.0158 | 5.62 | | 6 | 0.0130 | 5.20 | | 7 | 0.00891 | 3.39 | | 8 | 0.0148 | 5.30 |	[2]
(b)	**M1** at least eight correctly plotted points; **M2** correct straight line;	[2]
(c)	experiment **6**;	[1]
(d)	**M1** co-ordinates, e.g. (0.0106, 3.95) and (0.0158, 5.62); **M2** gradient correctly calculated from points, e.g. 321 (kJ mol^{-1});	[2]
(e)	because the reaction is exothermic;	[1]
(f) (i)	$((2 \times 0.0005)/0.391) \times 100 = 0.256\%$ **and** $(0.05/40.0) \times 100 = 0.125\%$;	[1]

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(ii)	(total) errors in weighing do not account for the (large) error in enthalpy change determined; **or** heat loss (is more significant);	[1]