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- 1. Work Energy and Power**
- 2. Acid and Bases**
- 3. Chemical Equilibrium**



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ACTIVITY 1

1.1 A ✓✓

1.2 B ✓✓

1.3 D ✓✓

1.4 C ✓✓

1.5 B ✓✓ [10]

ACTIVITY 2

2.1 Kinetic energy is the energy an object has as a result of the object's motion ✓✓ (2)

2.2 $E_K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$

$$E_K = \frac{1}{2}(60)(7,5)^2 \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$E_K = 1\,687,5\text{ J} \checkmark \quad (3)$$

2.3 At top: $E_p = mgh$

$$E_p = (60)(9,8)(2,8) \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$E_p = 1\,646,4\text{ J} \checkmark \quad (3)$$

2.4 $W_{nc} = \Delta E_K + \Delta E_p$

$$\text{Work done against friction} = (-1687,5) + (1646,4) \checkmark = -41,1\text{ J}$$

$$\therefore \text{Work done against friction} = 41,1\text{ J} \checkmark \quad (2)$$

2.5 $\sin 25 = \frac{28}{\Delta x} \checkmark$

$$\Delta x = 6,63\text{ m}$$

$$W_{\text{friction}} = F_f \Delta x \checkmark$$

$$41,1 = F_f(6,63) \checkmark$$

$$F_f = 6,20\text{ N} \checkmark \quad (4)$$

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ACTIVITY 3

3.1.1 Frictional force is the force that opposes the motion of an object ✓✓ (2)

3.1.2 $E_K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$

$$E_K = \frac{1}{2}(2)(1,5)^2 \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$E_K = 2,25 \text{ J} \quad \checkmark \quad (3)$$

$$3.1.3 \quad W = F\Delta x \cos \theta \checkmark$$

$$W = (26)(0,7) \cos 180^\circ \checkmark$$

$$W = 18,2 \text{ J} \quad \checkmark \quad (3)$$

3.1.4 The work done by a net force on an object is equal to the change in the kinetic energy of the object. $\checkmark \checkmark$ (2)

$$3.1.5 \quad W_{\text{net}} = \Delta E_K \checkmark \quad \text{OR} \quad F_{\text{net}} = ma \text{ for both equations}$$

$$-18,2 = 2,25 - \frac{1}{2}(2)(1,5)^2 \checkmark$$

$$-26 = 2a$$

$$v_i = 4,52 \text{ m.s}^{-1} \checkmark$$

$$a = -13 \text{ m.s}^{-1} \checkmark$$

$$v_f^2 = v_i^2 + 2a\Delta x$$

$$1,5^2 = v_i^2 + 2(-13)(0,7) \checkmark$$

$$v_i = 4,52 \text{ m.s}^{-1} \checkmark \quad (3)$$

3.2.1 In the absence of air resistance or any external forces, the mechanical energy of an object is constant. $\checkmark \checkmark$ (2)

$$3.2.2 \quad \text{crate: } \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mgh = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mgh \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(1,2)v^2 + 0 = 0 + (1,2)(9,8)(0,65) \quad \checkmark$$

$$v = 3,57 \text{ m.s}^{-1} \checkmark \quad (3)$$

3.2.3 The total (linear) momentum of an isolated system remains constant (is conserved). $\checkmark \checkmark$ (2)

$$3.2.4 \quad (P_{\text{total}})_{\text{before}} = (P_{\text{total}})_{\text{after}} \checkmark$$

$$0,4v_b + 0 = (0,4)(-0,36) + 1,2(3,57) \checkmark$$

$$v_b = 10,35 \text{ m.s}^{-1} \checkmark \quad (3)$$

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ACTIVITY 4

4.1 contact force – dependant on the path taken ✓✓ (2)

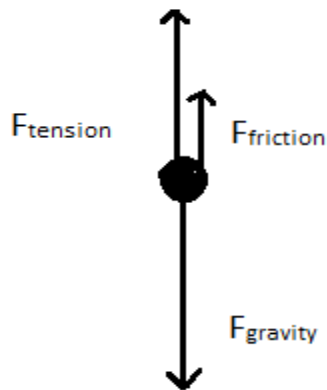
4.2 force of air friction ✓

Tension/ Force of rope ✓ (2)

4.3 weight/ gravitational force of earth on an object.

Criteria	Mark
F_{tension} of cable on body	✓
F_{friction} of air on body	✓
F_{gravity} force of earth on body	✓

(3)



4.5 $W_{\text{net}} = \Delta E_k$ ✓

4.6 $W_{\text{net}} = \Delta E_k$

$$F_{\text{net}} \Delta x \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}mv_f^2 - \frac{1}{2}mv_i^2$$

$$F_{\text{net}}(10)\cos 180^\circ = \frac{1}{2}(2)(0^2) - \frac{1}{2}(2)(1.5^2) \quad \checkmark$$

$$F_{\text{net}}(-10) = -2,25\text{N}$$

$$F_{\text{net}} = ma \checkmark = +0,225$$

$$(2) a = 0,225$$

$$a \checkmark = 0,1125\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-2} \quad \checkmark$$

OR

$$W_{\text{net}} = \Delta E_k$$

$$f_{\text{net}} \Delta x \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} m v_f^2 - \frac{1}{2} m v_i^2$$

$$f_{\text{net}}(10) \cos 180^\circ \checkmark = \frac{1}{2} (2)(0^2) - \frac{1}{2} (2)(1.5)^2 \checkmark$$

$$f_{\text{net}}(-10) = -2.25$$

$$f_{\text{net}} = ma \checkmark = 0.225$$

$$(2)a = 0.225$$

$$\therefore a = 0.1125 \text{ m.s}^{-2} \checkmark \quad (4)$$

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ACTIVITY 5

5.1.1 OPTION 1

$$W = F \Delta x \cos \theta \checkmark$$

$$W_{\text{gravity}} = mg \Delta y \cos \theta$$

$$= \underline{(1\,100)(9.8)(60) \cos 180^\circ} \checkmark$$

$$= -646\,800 \text{ J } (6.47 \times 10^5 \text{ J}) \checkmark$$

OPTION 2

$$W = -\Delta E_p \checkmark$$

$$= -(1\,100)(9.8)(60 - 0) \checkmark$$

$$= -646\,800 \text{ J} \checkmark$$

-1 if either negative is omitted or $E_p = mgh$ is used instead of W (3)

$$5.1.2 \quad W_{\text{counterweight}} = mg \Delta y \cos \theta$$

$$= \underline{(870)(9.8)(60) \cos 0^\circ} \checkmark$$

$$= 511\,560 \text{ J } (5.11 \times 10^5 \text{ J}) \checkmark \quad (2)$$

5.2 OPTION 1

POSITIVE MARKING FROM QUESTIONS 5.2.1 AND

$$W_{\text{net}} = \Delta E_K$$

$$W_{\text{gravity}} + W_{\text{countweight}} + W_{\text{motor}} = 0$$

$$W_{\text{motor}} = -(W_{\text{gravity}} + W_{\text{countweight}})$$

$$W_{\text{nc}} = \Delta E_K + \Delta E_p$$

}

✓

1 mark for any one

NOTE: Substituting into any of the above equations will lead to:

$$-646800\checkmark + 511560\checkmark + W_{\text{motor}} = 0$$

$$\therefore W_{\text{motor}} = 135240 \text{ J}$$

$$P_{\text{ave motor}} = \frac{W}{\Delta t} \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{135240}{180} \checkmark$$

$$= 751,33 \text{ W} \checkmark \quad (5)$$

OPTION 2

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} F_{\text{net}} = 0 \checkmark 1 \text{ mark for any one} \\ F_{\text{gcage}} + F_{\text{gcount}} + F_{\text{motor}} = F_{\text{net}} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$-10780 + 8526\checkmark + F_{\text{motor}} = 0$$

$$F_{\text{motor}} = 2254 \text{ N}$$

$$P_{\text{ave}} = Fv_{\text{ave}} \checkmark$$

$$= 2254\checkmark \frac{5560}{180}$$

$$= 751,33 \text{ W} \checkmark \quad (5)$$

OPTION 3

$$P_{\text{ave}} = Fv_{\text{ave}} \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$= [1\ 100\ (9,8) - 870(9,8)] \checkmark \frac{60}{180} \checkmark$$

$$= 757,33 \text{ W} \checkmark \quad (5)$$

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ACTIVITY 1

1.1 BvV

1.2 AvV

1.3 BvV

1.4 CvV

1.5 CvV

1.6 DvV

1.7 DvV

1.8 BvV

1.9 BvV

1.10 BvV

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ACTIVITY

2.1.1 A base that dissociates /ionizes slightly / partially/ incompletely when dissolved in water (solution).✓✓ (2)

2.1.2 It is a proton acceptor✓✓ (2)

2.1.3 NH_4^+ ✓ (1)

2.1.4 $\text{NH}_4^+ (\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2\text{O} (\ell) \rightleftharpoons \text{NH}_3 (\text{g}) + \text{H}_3\text{O}^+ (\text{aq})$ ✓R, ✓P and Balancing✓ (3)

2.2.1 H_3O^+ ✓ (1)

2.2.2 $\text{pH} = -\log[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]$ ✓
3, 5=- $\log[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]$
 $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 10^{-3,5}$ ✓
 $= 0,0003 \text{ mol.dm}^{-3}$ or $3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol.dm}^{-3}$ ✓ (3)

2.2.3 The reaction of an acid and a base to form salt and water✓✓ (2)

2.2.4 $n(\text{HCl}): \frac{1}{2} n(\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3)$ ✓
 $n(\text{HCl}) = cV = 0,0003 \text{ mol}$ ✓
 $n(\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3) = \frac{0,0003}{2} = 0,00015 \text{ mol}$ ✓
 $m(\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3) = nM$ ✓
 $= (0,00015)(106)$ ✓
 $= 0,0159 \text{ g}$ ✓

OR

Marking guideline

- Mole ratio
- $n(\text{HCl})$
- $n(\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3)$
- $m = nM$
- $M(\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3)$
- Answer with units

From the balanced equation

2 moles of HCl = 1 mole of Na_2CO_3 ✓

$n(\text{HCl}) = cV = 0,0003 \text{ mol}$ ✓

$n(\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3) = \frac{0,0003}{2} = 0,00015 \text{ mol}$ ✓

$m(\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3) = nM$ ✓

$= (0,00015)(106)$ ✓

$= 0,0159 \text{ g}$ ✓

(6)

2.2.5 The water tasted salty due to the formation of NaCl ✓✓

(2)

2.3.1 CO_3^{2-} ✓

(1)

2.3.2 BASIC✓

(1)

2.3.3 The carbonate ion (CO_3^{2-}) hydrolysis to produce hydroxyl ion (OH^-) in solution✓✓

(2)

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ACTIVITY 3

3.1 Hydrochloric Acid✓

(1)

3.2.1 Increases✓

(1)

3.2.2 Increases ✓

(1)

3.2.3 Decreases ✓

(1)

3.3 $K_w = [\text{H}^+][\text{OH}^-] = 1 \times 10^{-14}$ ✓

$= [\text{H}^+](10^{-6}) = 1 \times 10^{-14}$ ✓

$\therefore [\text{H}^+] = 10^{-8}$ ✓

$\text{pH} = -\log [\text{H}^+] = -\log (10^{-8})$ ✓

$\therefore \text{pH} = 8$ ✓

(5)

3.4

3.4.1 The point during a titration where an exact number of moles of acid will neutralize an exact number of moles of base.✓✓

(2)

3.4.2 For NaOH :

$$(c \times V)_{\text{dilute}} = (c \times V)_{\text{conc}} \quad C_{\text{dilute}} = \frac{c \times V_{\text{conc}}}{V_{\text{dilute}}} = 0,08 \text{ mol.dm}^3 \text{✓}$$

OR

Solution is diluted 20 times (i.e. 50 cm³ in 1 dm³)

∴ Concentration must decrease 20 times

$$\begin{aligned}n_{\text{NaOH}} &= cV \\&= 0,08 \times 0,04 \\&= 3,2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol} \checkmark \\2n_{\text{NaOH}} &= n_{\text{C}_2\text{H}_2\text{O}_4} \checkmark \\ \therefore n &= 1,6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol} \checkmark \\m_{\text{C}_2\text{H}_2\text{O}_4} &= n \times M \\&= 1,6 \times 10^{-3} \times 90 \\&= 0,144 \text{ g} \checkmark\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \% \text{ purity} = \frac{0,144}{0,25} \times 100 = 57,6\% \checkmark \quad (9)$$

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ACTIVITY 4

4.1 An acid is a substance that produces hydrogen ions (H⁺)
hydronium ions (H₃O⁺) when it dissolves in water. ✓ ✓ (2)

4.2 4.2.1 P ✓ (1)

4.2.2 (a) $\text{NH}_4^+ \checkmark + \text{H}_2\text{O} \checkmark \rightleftharpoons \text{NH}_3 + \text{H}_3\text{O}^+ \checkmark$ bal (3)

(b) Acidic ✓ Hydronium ions (H₃O⁺) are formed in the solution ✓ (2)

4.3 4.3.1 $c = \frac{m}{MV} \checkmark$

$$= \frac{4}{(40)(0,5)} \checkmark$$

$$= 0,2 \text{ mol.dm}^{-3} \checkmark$$

OR

$$n = \frac{m}{M}$$

$$= \frac{4}{40}$$

$$= 0,1 \text{ mol} \checkmark$$

$$c = \frac{n}{V}$$

$$= \frac{0,1}{0,5} \checkmark$$

$$= 0,2 \text{ mol.dm}^{-3} \checkmark \quad (3)$$

$$4.3.2 \quad \frac{c_a V_a}{c_b V_b} = \frac{n_a}{n_b} \checkmark$$

$$\checkmark \frac{c_a(25)}{(0,2)(12,5)} = \frac{1}{2} \checkmark$$

$$c_a = 0,05 \text{ mol.dm}^{-3}$$

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$$[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 2(0,05) \checkmark$$

$$\text{pH} = -\log[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] \checkmark$$

$$\text{pH} = -\log(0,1) \checkmark$$

$$\text{pH} = 1 \checkmark$$

$$\text{OR} \quad c_b V_b = n_b$$

$$(0,2)(12,5 \times 10^{-3}) \checkmark = n_b$$

$$n_b = 2,5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$$

$$n_a = \frac{1}{2}(2,5 \times 10^{-3})$$

$$c_a = \frac{n_a}{V_a}$$

$$= \frac{1,25 \times 10^{-3}}{25 \times 10^{-3}} \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$= 0,05 \text{ mol.dm}^{-3}$$

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ACTIVITY 5

5.1 **An acid** is a proton (H^+ ion) donor. $\checkmark \checkmark$

(2)

5.2 5.2.1 CO_3^{2-} \checkmark

(1)

5.2.2 HCO_3^- \checkmark

(1)

5.3 5.3.1 A strong acid is one that **ionises** (almost) completely (in an aqueous solution). $\checkmark \checkmark$

(2)

5.3.2 **HI** \checkmark

It has a higher K_a , which indicates that it ionises more than HF does \checkmark

OR

it indicates that it has a higher concentration of H_3O^+ ions. \checkmark

(2)

5.3.3 **HI** \checkmark since it would have a higher concentration of (free) ions (as it ionises more). \checkmark

(2)

5.3.4 (a) $K_w = [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+][\text{OH}^{-1}] = 1 \times 10^{-14} \checkmark$

$$[\text{OH}^{-}] \frac{1 \times 10^{-14}}{0,02} \checkmark$$

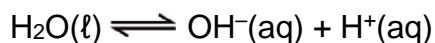
$$[\text{OH}^{-}] = 5 \times 10^{-13} \text{ mol.dm}^{-3} \checkmark$$

(3)

$$(b) K_a = \frac{[H_3O^+].[F^-]}{[HF]} \quad \checkmark\checkmark \text{Round brackets (-1)} \quad (2)$$

$$(c) 6,6 \times 10^{-4} = \frac{0,02 \times 0,02}{[HF]} \quad \checkmark\checkmark$$

$$[HF] = 0,61 \text{ mol.dm}^{-3} \quad \checkmark \quad (3)$$



Consider the pairs of ions formed:

- NH_4^+ and OH^- ions would form a **weak base (NH_4OH)** which is **not completely dissociated**. \checkmark
- H^+ and NO_3^- ions would form a **strong acid (HNO_3)** which remains **completely ionised**. \checkmark
- Thus, **OH^- ions are removed from solution**, upsetting the equilibrium of water (favouring the forward reaction) and leaving an **excess of H^+ (or H_3O^+) ions**, hence a weakly acidic solution. $\checkmark\checkmark$ (4)

5.5 5.5.1 $n = cV \quad \checkmark$
 $C = n/V$
 $= 0,8 \times 0,05 \quad \checkmark$
 $= 0,04 \text{ mol of HCl} \quad \checkmark \quad (3)$

5.5.2 $n = c.V$
 $= 0,5 \times 0,02 \quad \checkmark$
 $= 0,01 \text{ mol of NaOH} \quad \checkmark$

Therefore 0,01 mol of HCl neutralised (excess).

Mols of HCl that reacted with MgO = (0,04 – 0,01) (c.o.e from 8.5.1)

= 0,03 mol of HCl

Mol ratio: MgO : HCl

1 : 2

0,015 : 0,03 \checkmark

Mass of MgO: $m = n \times M$
 $= 0,015 \times 40,3 \quad \checkmark$
 $= 0,6045 \text{ g of MgO} \quad \checkmark$

% of MgO in tablet = $0,6045/0,96 \times 100 \quad \checkmark$
 $= \mathbf{62,97\%} \quad \checkmark$

OR

Assume 100% purity

$$\begin{aligned}n &= m/M \\&= 0,96/40,3 \\&= 0,02382134 \text{ mol of MgO}\end{aligned}$$

But only 0,015 mol of MgO in tablet

$$\begin{aligned}\% \text{ of MgO in tablet} &= 0,015/0,02382134 \times 100 \\&= \mathbf{62,97\%}\end{aligned}$$

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ACTIVITY 1

- 1.1 D✓✓ (2)
1.2 A✓✓ (2)
1.3 B✓✓ (2)
1.4 D ✓✓ (2)
1.5 C✓✓ (2)

ACTIVITY 2

2. 2.1 The reaction continues (forward and reverse) ✓✓ although the concentrations remain constant. (2)
2.2 Equilibrium has been established. ✓ (1)
2.3 The concentrations of H₂ and N₂ are the same at the beginning ✓✓ whereas the concentration of NH₃ at the beginning is zero. (2)
2.4
2.4.1 Increases✓
2.4.2 Decreases✓
2.4.3 Increases✓ (3)

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ACTIVITY 3

3.1

	AB ₃	AB ₂	B ₂	
Initial quantity (mol)	4	6	3✓	
Change (mol)	+4,4	-4,4	-2,2 ✓	ratio✓
Quantity at equilibrium (mol)	8,4	1,6	0,8 ✓	
Equilibrium concentration (mol.dm ⁻³)	4,2	0,8	0,4	Divide by 2✓

$$\begin{aligned}
 K_c &= \frac{[AB_2]^2 [B_2]}{[AB_3]^2} \checkmark \\
 &= \frac{(0,8^2)(0,4)}{4,2^2} \checkmark \\
 &= 0,015 \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

Marking guidelines

Reading of number of initial number of moles correctly from the graph✓
Using the correct ratio to calculate the change✓
Correct calculation of the change✓
Subtracting the change from the initial number of moles to get values at equilibrium✓
Dividing by 2 to get concentration at equilibrium✓
Correct Kc expression(formulae in square brackets)✓
Substitution of concentrations into Kc expression✓
Correct answer: 0,015✓

(8)

3.2 Temperature ✓✓ (2)

3.3 Increased ✓ (1)

3.4 According to Le Chatelier's Principle an increase in temperature favours the endothermic reaction.✓

In this case the reverse reaction✓
Number of mol of AB₃ increased. ✓ (3)

3.5 Smaller than ✓ (1)

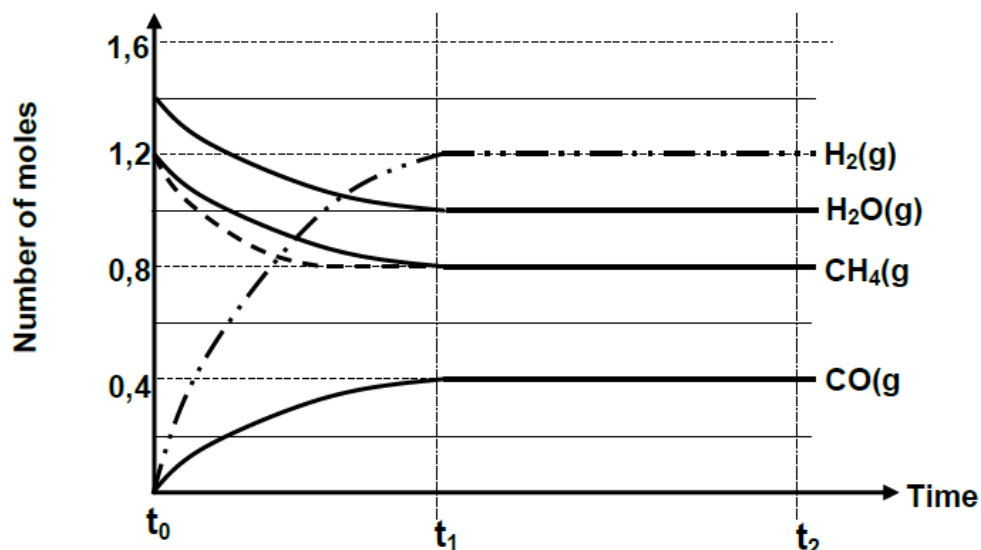
3.6 No change ✓ (1)

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ACTIVITY 4

4.1 The reaction is in (dynamic chemical) equilibrium or the **rates** of the forward and reverse reactions are equal or the **rate** of formation of products is equal to the **rate** of formation of reactants. (2)

4.2



4.2.1 Graph levels out at t_1 at 1,2 moles ✓
Between t_0 and t_1 line must be curved (decreasing gradient) as shown. ✓ (-1 if H_2 not started at zero) (2)

4.2.2 Graph levels out BEFORE t_1 at 0,8 moles
Between t_0 and t_1 line must be curved (decreasing gradient) as shown (-1) if not. (Allow c.o.e. from 5.2.1.) (-1 if not started at 1,2 mol) (2)

4.3

$$K_c = \frac{[CO] \times [H_2]^3}{[CH_4] \times [H_2O]}$$

(-1 for use of round brackets)

$$K_c = \frac{(0,4/2) \times (1,2/2)^3}{(0,8/2) \times (1/2)} = 0,22$$

- Correct moles for reactants ✓
- Correct moles for products (c.o.e. from 7.2.1 if incorrect number of moles used for H_2 ✓✓
- Divide by volume ✓

(6)

4.4 **Low yield of products** (c.o.e. from 7.3) (Answer MUST link to 7.3) ✓ (1)

4.5 When an external stress is applied to a system in **chemical equilibrium**, the equilibrium point will change in such a way as to **counteract the stress**(2)

4.6 Explanation using Le Chatelier's Principle

Decrease or low yield of hydrogen. ✓

High pressures **favours the reverse reaction** ✓ which produces **less moles of gas and relieves the stress of high pressure** or reduces the pressure). ✓

OR

Explanation using rates

Decrease or low yield of hydrogen. ✓

A high pressure increases the rates of both the forward and reverse reactions but the reverse rate increases more ✓ as it **involves more gas particles**, therefore **favours the reverse reaction**✓. (3)

4.7 No change ✓ (1)

4.8 **Faster reaction rate.** ✓ (Products produced faster.)

Higher yield of products. ✓ (2)

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ACTIVITY 5

5.1 5 minutes✓ (1)

5.2 $2\text{SO}_3 \checkmark \rightarrow 2\text{SO}_2 + \text{O}_2\checkmark$ (2)

5.3 When an external stress (change in pressure, temperature or concentration) is applied to a system in chemical equilibrium, ✓ the equilibrium point will change in such a way as to counteract the stress. ✓ (2)

5.4

- Stress: increase in concentration of O_2 ✓
- Le Châtelier's principle predicts the system will respond in order to decrease the concentration of O_2 ✓
- Therefore, the forward reaction is (initially) favoured as it consumes O_2
- Decreasing the amount of SO_2 ✓ (3)

5.5 7.5.1 Forward✓ (1)

7.5.2 Exothermic ✓ (2)

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