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

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Question Expected Answer		Mark	
		[4]	
1 (a) (i)	$2H^{+}(aq) + 2e^{-} \longrightarrow H_{2}(g) \checkmark$	[1]	
	$\begin{array}{l} 4OH^{-}(aq) \longrightarrow O_{2}(g) + 2H_{2}O(I) + 4e^{-} \ \textbf{OR} \\ 2H_{2}O(I) \longrightarrow O_{2}(g) + 4H^{+}(aq) + 4e^{-} \ \checkmark \end{array}$	[1]	
(ii)	Any straight line <b>from the origin</b> which has double the oxygen volume at a given time <pre></pre>	[1]	
(iii)	Any straight line <b>from the origin</b> which has 0.45/0.75 x oxygen volume at a given time.	[1]	
(b) (i)	Circuit has an ammeter in series and is complete ✓	[1]	
	Gases are released at the correct electrode ✓	[1]	
	Diagram shows collection of hydrogen using a means of measuring the volume of the gas $\checkmark$	[1]	
	Diagram shows carbon dioxide from the anode being absorbed into a named alkali $\checkmark$	[1]	
	Diagram then shows ethene being collected using a means of measuring the volume of the gas $\checkmark$	[1]	
(ii)	The current/ammeter reading The time taken The volume of hydrogen The volume of ethene Mass of alkali before Mass of alkali after	[1]	
	3 of the above ✓ 4 or more of the measurements made ✓	[1]	

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(iii)	(N =) 24000 x C/V ✓	[1]
(iv)	N/96500 ✓	[1]
(v)	Any correctly balanced equation for the reaction of carbon dioxide and an alkali </td <td>[1]</td>	[1]
(vi)	But-2-ene ✓	[1]
		[15]

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2 (a) (i)	$Na_2CO_3 + 2HX \longrightarrow 2NaX + CO_2 + H_2O \checkmark$	[1]
(ii)	1 mol of Na <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> reacts with 2 mol of HX $\checkmark$	[1]
(b) (i)	$K_a = [H^+]^2/[HX]$ $\checkmark$	[1]
(ii)	[H <sup>+</sup> ] = 0.00372 ✓	[1]
	$[H^+]^2/[HX] = 0.000138 \text{ OR} (answer above)^2/0.1 \checkmark$	
	OR	[1]
	$pK_a = 2pH + log[HX] \checkmark$	
	= 4.86 - 1 ✓	
(c) (i)	All points plotted correctly ✓	[1]
	Appropriate curve of best-fit is drawn ✓	[1]
(ii)	Circles the point at mass of NaX = 0.3g ✓	[1]
	If anomaly is below the line: NaX might not have fully dissolved/mixture not stirred/too little NaX added ✓	
	If anomaly is above the line; Too much NaX added	[1]
(d) (i)	At pH 3.86, [HX] = [NaX] <b>OR</b> [X <sup>−</sup> ] ✓	[1]
	Calculates $M_r$ of NaX = 112 or [X <sup>-</sup> ] =89 $\checkmark$	[1]
	Calculates $M_{\rm r}$ of HX as 90 $\checkmark$	[1]
(ii)	Structure given has both an –OH and a –COOH group and has rmm = ans(d)(i) ✓	1

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(e)		om: es/evaporates poses <b>OR</b> is thermally unstable ✓✓			[2]
					[15]