

Higher Past Papers - Topics Linked to Questions

Topic	2015		2016		2017		2018		2018 Specimen	
	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2
Unit 1	Controlling the rate	19	2	4,8	1	18	2ai,ii,iv,2b	1,2,3		19,20,21
	Periodicity	1-5			2	3,13	1	4	1a,2a	2,3
	Structure and Bonding	20	1, 12c(i)	1,2,3	3a,c,4,5c	1,2,4,5	1c,5cii,6c,8	5	1b,2b,2ci 4c,9b	1,4,5,6, 9
	Oxidising and Reducing Agents		12a(ii)+(iii)	17,18,19		13	7b,9b	18,19	11	1aiii,2d,9b, 11
Unit 2	Chemistry of Cooking	6, 10	6a		7biv,7c, 12					6
	Oxidation of Food	11, 12, 14	11a, 13a	6,7,9,11,12	11b	7	3,6	6,7,8, 9,11	4,7c,9 12,	7,8,12,13, 5c,7a,8b,10aii
	Skincare		11d, 12c(ii)+(iii)		7	9	8		6b	
	Esters, Fats and Oils	8, 9, 13	11b+c		4,5	8,10,19	4,8,		3,4e,5,6a 7bii,9b	11,24
	Soaps, Detergents and Emulsions	7		10			8,9a		5	
	Proteins		6b+c	8	6		9c	10	6c	10,
	Fragrances		3a, 4d	5,		11	10c		7	3b,3d
Unit 3	Getting the most from reactants (T)		3b, 7a	13	1b,3b, 6eiii, 7c, 8bii, 10, 11biv	6,14	3, 5aii,7c, 9bii, 10b	12,13,14	2cii,3c,7bi, 9dii,10,11c,12bi	14,15,16
	Equilibria (N)	18	8b	15	8a	17,20	2aiii,	15,20		17,18
	Chemical Energy (P)	16, 17	7b+c	14,16	8c,9	12,18	2ai, 4biii,5b	1,16,17	2dii,8	22,23
	Chemical Analysis (P)		4a-c, 10b	20	6d, 11, 12		10a		2d,9di,10,11a	24,25
Researching Chemistry (T)		10a, 12a(i)		11	15	5a,7		10,11a		13
Open Ended Questions		5, 9		4,10		3,8		5,10		3d, 13
Problem Solving		4e, 8a, 12b, 13b		8bi, 9, 12	16	5ci,6b,7d,9d,10b		2d,3ciii,4e,6cii, 7b,8c,9a,d,10a		3ai,5bi,5cii,6bii, 6c,6d,7cii,8c

Topic		2019		2021		2022		2023	
		1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2
Unit 1	Controlling the rate	20,22,24	1,9ai		3	18	2biv	4, 5, 6	6ai, 6b
	Periodicity		2	2	1a	2	1a ii, 1b	8	1a, 1bi, 1bii
	Structure and Bonding	1,2,16	3,4di,6ai, 8a ii,12b	3, 5	1b iii, 1c, 2a, 4c iii, 7c, 8b i	1, 3	1ai, 1c, 3	1, 2, 9	2a, 2b iii, 7c i
	Oxidising and Reducing Agents	3,4	11,12d	4	4c ii, 6b ii	4, 5		14	1b iii, 6d
Unit 2	Chemistry of Cooking			14					
	Oxidation of Food	5,7,8,9, 11,12,25	4,6,7b	7, 8, 9, 10, 11	8ci, 9c ii, 11b i, 11b ii	10, 13, 15	4a, 5, 6b	10, 15, 20, 21, 22	3a ii, 3d, 5b i
	Skincare		7,11	15	4di, 4d iii		10b		
	Esters, Fats and Oils		4c,7	13	5c ii, 8a, 9b, 9d i, 10	7, 14	4a, 4b ii	3	3a i, 3a iii, 5b iiC
	Soaps, Detergents and Emulsions		12		7e	12	4c	18	3c, 7a i, 7a ii
	Proteins	6	8	12	6c, 9a ii	9	6a	11	3b i, 3b iii
	Fragrances	10	4d,11		8c ii, 9c i		8d		5b iiA, 5b iiB
Unit 3	Getting the most from reactants (T)	4,13,14, 15,17,18,19	1a,4a iii,5a iii, 6a iii,6b ii,8b, 10b,c,12d	19, 20, 21, 22	2b, 4c i, 4e iiA, 6b iv, 8b ii, 9d ii	6, 19	2a, 2b i, 7c, 8b, 8c, 9	23, 24	2b ii, 5a i, 6a ii, 6c iiB, 7a iii
	Equilibria (N)	23	9a,b,12c	25	4e i	20	7d, 8a	13	6c i, 6c iiA
	Chemical Energy (P)	21	5,9c	6, 16, 18	2c, 4a, 4d ii, 4e iiB, 5a, 5b i, 7b, 7d	21, 22	2b ii, 2b iii, 7a, 7b, 7e i	7, 12, 17	2b i, 7c ii
	Chemical Analysis (P)		4b ii,9b,10	1, 17, 23, 24		16, 17, 23, 24,25	2c, 11b, 11c, 11d		
Researching Chemistry (T)					4b, 5b ii, 5c i, 6b i, 6b iii, 9a iii, 11a			16, 19	3a iv, 4
Open Ended Questions			3,11		3, 10		3, 9		4, 8
Problem Solving		25	1d,6,8b,c		1b i, 1b ii, 6a, 7a, 8c iii, 9a i, 9d iii, 11b iii, 12	8, 11	4b i, 6c, 7e ii, 10a, 10c, 11a	25	3b ii, 5a iii, 6a iii, 7b