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Question	Expected Answer	Mark
1 (a) (i)	$2Mg(NO_3)_2 \rightarrow 2MgO + 4NO_2 + O_2$ allow correct multiples	[1]
(ii)	40.3 g MgO, 48.0 dm^3 NO_2, 12.0 dm^3 O_2 **Units must be given** allow ecf from equation in **(i)**	[1]
(b) (i)	Directly heated vessel labelled (magnesium) nitrate(V) with tube at exit Gas stream led into a liquid labelled alkali which will absorb the nitrogen(IV) oxide / NO_2 Collects a gas in a syringe or over a liquid, provided it is properly connected All parts of the apparatus are connected and air-tight **AND** nitrogen(IV) oxide absorption precedes oxygen collection.	[1] [1] [1] [1]
(ii)	States a collector volume with unit **AND** Correct calculation of mass of magnesium nitrate(V) to a volume that would fit the stated volume of collector. allow ecf on **(a)(i)** Units of volume and mass required.	[1]
(c)	Mass of magnesium nitrate(V) (at start) and mass of magnesium oxide (at end). **Or** Mass of heated tube and contents before and after heating and mass of empty tube Mass of container (+ alkali) at start and mass at end Volume of oxygen	[1] [1] [1]
(d) (i)	Heat to constant mass **OR** heat to constant volume	[1]
(ii)	Let the apparatus cool (to room temperature)	[1]
(e)	Use experimental results to produce moles of magnesium nitrate(V) **AND** moles of **one** of the three products. compare with molar ratio in **equation** as given in **(a)(i)**	[1] [1]
(f)	Make sure all apparatus is airtight / no leakage before heating allow other sensible suggestions regarding exposure to nitrogen(IV) oxide or use of apparatus	[1]

2 (a)

$[M^{n+}(aq)]$ / mol dm^{-3}	EMF / V	$\log[M^{n+}(aq)]$
5.00×10^{-1}	0.94	–0.30
1.00×10^{-1}	0.96	–1.00
4.00×10^{-2}	0.97	–1.40
1.00×10^{-2}	0.99	–2.00
5.00×10^{-3}	1.00	–2.30
2.00×10^{-3}	1.01	–2.70
8.00×10^{-4}	1.02	–3.10
2.00×10^{-4}	1.04	–3.70

Correctly calculated values **[1]**

All data to 2 decimal places **[1]**

(b)

All 8 points present and plotted correctly **[1]**

Best fit continuous straight line **[1]**

(c)

There are no anomalous points **[1]**

Variations in points due to rounding. **[1]**

OR

Variations arise from being to just 2dp.

(d) (i)

Appropriately drawn lines on graph **[1]**

Calculates correctly gradient of the graph **[1]**

Uses –0.06 / n = gradient to calculate n = 2
Correct working must be shown **[1]**

(ii)

Extrapolates graph to obtain intercept on *y*-axis **and** deduces $E^{\ominus}$ for the cell to a minimum of 2 dp
e.g. (+)0.93(V) **[1]**

OR

Calculates a value for $E^{\ominus}$ using the electrode potential expression and candidate's final value for n calculated in **(d)(i)** or candidate's gradient and a data point on the candidate's line.

(e)

$E^{\ominus}$ for M, (0.80 – 0.93) = – 0.13 **AND**
Metal is Pb (allow Sn on – 0.14)
allow ecf from **(d)(ii)** **[1]**

(f)	$2Ag^{+} + Pb \rightarrow 2Ag + Pb^{2+}$	**[1]**
(g) (i)	To allow movement of ions **OR** to maintain charge / ion balance	**[1]**
(ii)	If lead given in **(e)** then only potassium nitrate is suitable If potassium chloride given as unsuitable, then accept precipitations with silver **OR** lead (ions) If potassium sulfate given as unsuitable, then accept precipitations with lead (ions) **ONLY** If tin given in **(e)** potassium sulfate or potassium nitrate are suitable precipitation would occur just with potassium chloride with silver (ions) **ONLY**	**[1]** **[1]**