

Topic	Subtopics	Marks allocated Paper 2 (HL)					Experimental probability for 2018 May % content	
		2016 Specimen	2016 May	2016 Nov	2017 May TZ 1	2017 May TZ 2		
Topic 1 Stoichiometric relationships	1.1 The nature of matter	2	2	3	3	1	2%	
	1.2 The mole	4	5	7	2	3	4%	
	1.3 Mass and volume	4	3	4	4	6	4%	
Topic 2 Atomic structure	2.1 The nuclear atom		1	1	1		1%	
	2.2 Electron configuration	2	2	3	3	2	3%	
Topic 3 Periodicity	12.1 Electrons in atoms HL	2	3		1		1%	
	3.1 Periodic table						0%	
	3.2 Periodic trends	1	2	2	1	5	2%	
Topic 4 Chemical bonding and structure	13.1 First-row d-block elements HL		2		1		1%	
	13.2 Coloured complexes HL	2	1	2	4	3	3%	
	4.1 Ionic bonding and structure			2	2		1%	
	4.2 Covalent bonding						0%	
Topic 4 Chemical bonding and structure	4.3 Covalent structures	3	3	1	3	8	4%	
	4.4 Intermolecular forces	4	1	2		3	2%	
	4.5 Metallic bonding				3		1%	
	14.1 Further aspects of covalent bonding and structure HL	11	4	4		2	4%	
	14.2 Hybridization HL		1	2			1%	
	Topic 5 Energetics and thermochemistry	5.1 Measuring energy changes				1	2	1%
Topic 5 Energetics and thermochemistry	5.2 Hess's law		1			2	1%	
	5.3 Bond enthalpies	5	3	5	5	2	4%	
	15.1 Energy cycles HL		4		2		1%	
Topic 5 Energetics and thermochemistry	15.2 Entropy and spontaneity HL	3	5	4	5	6	5%	
	Topic 6 Chemical kinetics	6.1 Collision theory and rates of reaction	2	7	4	5	4	5%
	6.1 Rate expression and reaction mechanism HL	2	4	7	4	3	4%	
Topic 6 Chemical kinetics	6.2 Activation energy HL	3				3	1%	
	Topic 7 Equilibrium	7.1 Equilibrium	3	1	3	2	2	2%
	17.1 The equilibrium law HL					1	0%	
Topic 8 Acids and bases	8.1 Theories of acids and bases		3			2	1%	
	8.2 Properties of acids and bases					2	0%	
	8.3 The pH scale			1			0%	

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	8.4 Strong and weak acids and bases			1			
	8.5 Acid deposition	3	3				
	18.1 Lewis acids and bases HL		2				
	18.2 Calculations involving acids and bases HL	7	4	3	4	4	
	18.3 pH curves HL			5			
Topic 9 Redox processes	9.1 Redox calculations	4	2	2	8	5	
	9.1 Titration calculations						
	9.1 The Winkler method						
	9.2 Voltaic cells						
	9.2 Electrolytic cells			5			
	19.1 Cell potentials HL		3	5		1	
	19.1 Gibbs HL				3	2	
	19.1 Products of electrolysis HL						
Topic 10 Organic chemistry	10.1 Fundamentals of organic chemistry	2	3	1	2	1	
	10.2 Functional group chemistry			4	6	6	
	20.1 Types of organic reactions HL	7	7	7	9	3	
	20.2 Synthetic routes HL						
	20.3 Stereoisomerism HL	5	3	2		3	
Topic 11 Measurement and data processing	11.1 Uncertainties and errors				1	2	
	11.2 Graphical techniques						
	11.3 Spectroscopy	4	4		1		
	21.1 Spectroscopy HL	2	2	2	5	6	
Nature of Science NOS		2	4	1	2		
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Highlighted sections add up to 76% Close to HL cutoff t



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to match syllabus numbers 16.1 etc.

to fit in curriculum

very mixed

questions starting with asking for formula! - go back and know naming/writing ionic and covalent compounds

one question asking about safety of the chemicals

this test STUNG - not knowing jnr science nomenclature

in 1.2

frustrated - had to refer to syllabus more than I thought I would

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discussion here

comparing all types of bonds for conductivity can't be put in one section

big sigma pi section TZ1 paper this year

ways to test previous concepts

stions asking for formula often involving redox half equation, shapes and bonding?

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bit stereoisomer section this year TZ1

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save time, go get your basics strong, naming, writing, stoichiometry

for most years