sodium hyd	n below illustrates the electrolysis chamber of the mercury process, used to produce roxide. name, the chemicals released at points (i) and (ii).	ice
	Spent brine Mercury in	
	(i)	
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Assess this	estatament. In alvida malayyant aquatiang in yayu magmanga	
	statement. Include relevant equations in your response.	
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General Instructions

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•	Outline TWO methods of collecting information regarding a	tmospheric concentrations of ozor	ne. 21
			••••
	Why is it important to use information from more than one s	ource when doing research?	21
			••••
	Relate the structure of microscopic membrane filters to their	function.	3N
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6. (a) Identify the catchment area studied.

1M

2M

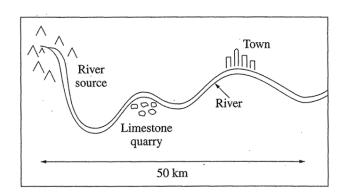
(b) Water from the catchment area is chemically treated before being delivered to consumers. Identify TWO chemicals that are added to the water and justify their use.

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7. Water quality analyses were performed on a number of samples of water collected at different locations along the river, shown on the map to the right.

Limestone is composed primarily of calcium carbonate

The table shows the results of the tests performed on the different samples of water.



	Results of tests performed		
Sample number	B.O.D.	Turbidity	Acidity
number	(ppm)	(NTU)	(pH)
1	12	730	7.6
2	145	350	5.8
3	0	1	6.5
4	1	2	7.1

Which sample has most likely been collected downstream of the above-ground limestone quarry? Justify your response.	3M
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Ο.	CFCs have been used by humans for many years as refrigerants, foaming agents, solvents and aerosol propellants. In recent years, it has been discovered that they cause damage to the ozone layer in the stratosphere.			
	(a)	Identify, by name, a CFC that could cause damage to the ozone layer.	1M	
	(c)	Outline how the CFC, identified in (a), damages the ozone layer, using appropriate chemical equations.	 3M	
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	(c)	Identify ONE specific chemical that has been used to replace CFCs by drawing its structural formula.	1M	

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Th	ere is another question overleaf.		
9.	"Society often drives developments in science that	results in new technologies."	
	Analyse this statement with reference to synthetic	letergents.	5M

Marking Guidelines Task 3 - 2011 Year 12 CHEMISTRY

1.

Marking criteria	Marks
Identifies in words	2
(i) chlorine gas	
(ii) sodium/mercury amalgam	
Identifies one of the above	1

2.

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Marking criteria	Marks
1 provides a reason why the purification of	5
brine is important (eg. purifying brine increases	
the yield of sodium hydroxide)	
2 Identifies 3 examples of impurities [2(a),2(b),	
2(c)] that need to be removed from brine	
(e.g. Ca ²⁺ , Mg ²⁺ , SO ₄ ²⁻)	
3 provides 3 correct equations [3(a), 3(b), 3(c)]	
showing how the impurities identified as 2(a),	
2(b), 2(c) can be removed from brine	
4 makes the judgement that the purification of	
brine is essential	
Provides points1, 2(a), 2(b), 2(c) and 3(a), 3(b),	4
3(c) as outlined above	
OR	
Provides points 2(a), 2(b), 2(c), 3(a), 3(b), 3(c)	
and (4) as outlined above	
Provides point 4 as outlined above AND	3
provides two correct equations showing how two	
different impurities can be removed from brine	
OR	
Provides a reason why the purification of brine is	
important AND identifies two impurities that can	
contaminate brine	
Covers 1 or 2 of the following 3 points:	1 - 2
 Provides a reason why the purification of brine 	
is important	
 Identifies an impurity that can contaminate 	
brine	
 Identifies another impurity that can 	
contaminate brine	
2	

3.

Marking criteria	Marks
Outlines TWO methods of collecting information	2
regarding atmospheric concentrations of ozone	
(e.g. UV spectrometer and TOMS)	
Outlines ONE method of collecting information	1

4.

Marking criteria	Marks
Outlines TWO reasons for why it is important to	2
use more than one source of information when	
doing research, such as	
- Reliability of information (ensuring it is	
valid/consistent/accurate)	
- Provides more evidence to support your	

research (able to draw relationships between data and phenomena) - Ensures information is up-to-date - Provides a full picture of the area (by getting different perspectives/avoids bias)	
Outlines ONE reason for why it is important to use more than one source of information when doing research	1

5.

Marking criteria	Marks
Relates the structure of microscopic membrane	3
filters to their function	
Outlines structure AND function (no link)	2
Outlines structure OR function	1

6a.

Marking criteria	Marks
Identifies Warragamba dam as the catchment	1
area – NB – the catchment is Hawkesbury Nepean!!!	

6b.

Marking criteria	Marks
Identifies TWO chemicals (eg. chlorine) and for	2
each chemical provides a reason for its addition	
to water	
Identifies ONE chemical added to water (eg.	1
alum) and provides a reason for its use	
OR	
Identifies TWO chemicals added to water	
N.B. Fluoride ions are added, not fluorine	

7.

Marking criteria	Marks
Identifies the sample collected at site 1 as most	3
likely to have been collected downstream	
AND provides TWO reasons to support this	
judgement	
→ The water is basic (pH= 7.6) which is	
consistent with limestone (CaCO ₃) being	
washed into the river	
→ The water has a high level of turbidity,	
consistent with mining activity that destroys	
soil structure, allowing loose soil to wash into	
the waterway	
Identifies the sample collected at site 1 as most	2
likely and provides ONE reason	
Identifies the sample collected at site 1 as most	1
likely	
OR	
Identifies the sample collected at site 4 as the	
most likely and provides a reason for this (the	
water is more basic than the water delivered	
from the river's source)	
N.B. Be careful when referring to an increase of pH as an	
increase in acidity	

8a.

Marking criteria	Marks
Names a CFC that is capable of destroying the	1
ozone layer – e.g. trifluoromethane	

8b.

Marking criteria	Marks
• Uses the CFC named in (a)	3
 Outlines the impact of the CFC on the ozone 	
layer by writing the THREE key equations that	
show the processes of (i) formation of a	
chlorine free-radical (ii) destruction of ozone	
(iii) regeneration of a chlorine free-radical	
 Identifies that UV radiation is required for the 	
destruction of the CFC	
 Uses the correct symbol to represent all of the 	
free-radicals that are involved	
Outlines the impact of the named CFC on the	2
ozone layer by writing TWO of the three key	
equations that show the processes involved	
Outlines the impact of the named CFC on the	1
ozone layer by writing ONE of the three key	
equations that show the processes involved	

8c.

Marking criteria	Marks
Draws the structural formula for a I	HFC that is 1
used to replace CFCs.	

9.

Marking criteria	Marks
Outlines THREE societal demands/needs	5
related to synthetic detergents and identifies, for	
each, the new synthetic detergent technology	
that results AND strongly draws out the	
relationship between these	
Outlines TWO societal demands/needs related	4
to synthetic detergents and identifies, for each,	
the new synthetic detergent technology that has	
resulted AND strongly draws out the	
relationship between these	
Outlines ONE societal demand/need related to	3
synthetic detergents and identifies, for each, the	
new synthetic detergent technology that has	
resulted AND strongly draws out the	
relationship between these	
OR	
Weakly draws out TWO different relationships	
between societal needs/demands and a	
synthetic detergent technology	
Weakly draws out ONE relationship between	2
societal needs/demands and a synthetic	
detergent technology	
Identifies a societal demand relating to	1
detergents OR identifies a new technology	
relating to detergents	