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for the guidance of teachers

0653 COMBINED SCIENCE

0653/52

Paper 5 (Practical), maximum raw mark 30

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- 1 (a) *table*
start and maximum temperature recorded (maximum higher than start and not greater than 100) ;
consistent recording of temperatures ;
mass of bread recorded to 0.1 g ; [3]
- (i) correct calculation of maximum – start ; [1]
- (ii) correct substitution ;
calculation of energy with correct rounding and maximum of 3 decimal places ; [2]
- (iii) (no)
loss to atmosphere ;
loss to boiling tube ;
incomplete combustion ;
water not evenly heated ;
draughts affecting flame ; [max 1]
- (iv) insulation ;
stirring ;
shield flame ;
distance between flame and tube minimised ; [max 1]
- (b) (i) *iodine*:– (from) orange / red / brown
(to) black / blue ; [1]
- (ii) *result*: positive / yes **and** *substance*: starch ; [1]
- [Total: 10]**

- 2 (a) and (b)
5 values of **d** and N ; [1]
rest of values of **d** spaced at 50mm ; [1]
suitable numbers for force increasing with increasing distance ; [1]
- (c) (i) *graph*
suitable scale ;
plotting correct for at least 4 points ;
suitable straight line ; [3]
- (ii) line extended to cut vertical axis ; [1]
- (d) (i) read correctly ; [1]
- (ii) converted correctly into a mass ; [1]
- (iii) mass of rule 2 **m** ; (within 10 % of Supervisor's Results) [1]
- [Total: 10]**

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- 3 (a) green ; (ignore reference to white) [1]
- (b) residue is white ; (ignore reference to green)
filtrate blue / blue-green ; [2]
- (c) (i) blue ppt. ; [1]
insoluble in excess ; [1]
- (ii) blue ppt. ;
dark blue solution ; [2]
- (iii) white ppt. ; [1]
- (iv) cation is copper / Cu^{2+} ; [1]
anion is sulfate / SO_4^{2-} ; [1]

[Total: 10]