

UGANDA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS BOARD

CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT OBSERVATION CHECKLIST

545 CHEMISTRY

Senior 4, Term 2

Centre/CA No:	Year:
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Learner's Name: Learner ID:

Instructions to the facilitator:

- 1. This observation checklist contains **one** competency, which **must** be assessed by the end of this term.
- 2. Please **tick** against the indicator(s) the learner has exhibited at every level assessed.
- 3. Record the **number of indicators observed** in the boxes provided at the end of each level for **Subject Competency (SC)** and **Generic Skill (GS)**.
- 4. Indicate **N/A** if the learner has not been assessed for a particular level(s).

Theme:	Thermochemistry	
Topic:	Energy changes during chemical reactions.	
Learning Outcome(s):	1. Recognise and appreciate the difference	
	between endothermic and exothermic reactions	
	and understand that substances store chemical	
	energy in their bonds.	
	2. Understand and appreciate the importance	
	of exothermic and endothermic reaction in our	
	everyday lives.	
	3. Recognise that the burning of fuels is an	
	exothermic process producing useful energy.	
	4. Understand the concept of heat of reaction	
	and interpret energy profiles of chemical	
	reactions.	
Subject Competency (SC):	Investigates chemical reactions.	
Generic Skill (GS):	Mathematical computation and ICT proficiency.	
Learning Domain:	Psychomotor.	

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Level 1: Imitation

Subject Competency (SC): Imitating the teacher/peer/laboratory technician/resource person/video clip, etc., investigating chemical reactions, the learner:

- □ Develops the aim of the experiment.
- $\hfill\square$ Develops a hypothesis for the problem to be investigated.
- $\hfill\square$ Identifies the independent variable.
- □ Identifies the dependent variable.
- □ Identifies equipment and materials required.
- □ Identifies the risks that may arise and ways to prevent
- $\hfill\square$ States how the identified risks will be mitigated.
- □ Writes the steps to be followed for carrying out the experiment.
- $\hfill\square$ Carries out the experiment following the laid down steps.
- $\hfill\square$ Records the data from the experiment.
- $\hfill\square$ Analyses the data recorded in the experiment.
- $\hfill\square$ Draws conclusions based on the analysis made on the experiment.
- □ Writes recommendations on the experiment, in determining heat of reaction in chemical reactions.

Generic Skill (GS): Imitating the teacher/peer/laboratory technician/resource person/video clip, etc., demonstrating mathematical computation and ICT proficiency while investigating chemical reactions, the learner:

- □ Uses numbers and measurements accurately.
- □ Interprets and interrogates mathematical data.
- □ Uses mathematics to justify and support decisions.
- □ Uses technology to create, manipulate, and process information.
- □ Uses technology to collaborate, communicate, and refine their work.

Level 1 Indicators	
SC	GS

Level 2: Manipulation

Subject Competency (SC): Following instructions from the teacher/peer/laboratory technician/resource person/video clip, etc., to investigate chemical reactions, the learner:

- \Box Develops the aim of the experiment.
- $\hfill\square$ Develops a hypothesis for the problem to be investigated.
- □ Identifies the independent variable.
- □ Identifies the dependent variable.
- □ Identifies equipment and materials required.

- $\hfill\square$ Identifies the risks that may arise and ways to prevent
- \Box States how the identified risks will be mitigated.
- $\hfill\square$ Writes the steps to be followed for carrying out the experiment.
- □ Carries out the experiment following the laid down steps.
- $\hfill\square$ Records the data from the experiment.
- □ Analyses the data recorded in the experiment.
- □ Draws conclusions based on the analysis made on the experiment.
- □ Writes recommendations on the experiment, in determining heat of reaction in chemical reactions.

Generic Skill (GS): Following instructions from the teacher/peer/laboratory technician/resource person/video clip, etc., to demonstrate mathematical computation and ICT proficiency while investigating chemical reactions, the learner:

- □ Uses numbers and measurements accurately.
- □ Interprets and interrogates mathematical data.
- $\hfill\square$ Uses mathematics to justify and support decisions.
- □ Uses technology to create, manipulate, and process information.
- □ Uses technology to collaborate, communicate, and refine their work.

Level 2 Indicators		
SC	GS	

Level 3: Precision

Subject Competency (SC): Investigating chemical reactions independently but with minimal errors, the learner:

- $\hfill\square$ Develops the aim of the experiment.
- \Box Develops a hypothesis for the problem to be investigated.
- □ Identifies the independent variable.
- $\hfill\square$ Identifies the dependent variable.
- □ Identifies equipment and materials required.
- □ Identifies the risks that may arise and ways to prevent
- \Box States how the identified risks will be mitigated.
- □ Writes the steps to be followed for carrying out the experiment.
- $\hfill\square$ Carries out the experiment following the laid down steps.
- \Box Records the data from the experiment.
- □ Analyses the data recorded in the experiment.
- $\hfill\square$ Draws conclusions based on the analysis made on the experiment.
- □ Writes recommendations on the experiment, in determining heat of reaction in chemical reactions.

Generic Skill (GS): Demonstrating mathematical computation and ICT proficiency independently while investigating chemical reactions, the learner:

- □ Uses numbers and measurements accurately.
- □ Interprets and interrogates mathematical data.
- $\hfill\square$ Uses mathematics to justify and support decisions.
- □ Uses technology to create, manipulate, and process information.
- □ Uses technology to collaborate, communicate, and refine their work.

Level 3 Indicators	
SC	GS

Level 4: Articulation

Subject Competency (SC): Investigating chemical reactions correctly and innovatively while investigating chemical reactions, the learner:

- $\hfill\square$ Develops the aim of the experiment.
- \Box Develops a hypothesis for the problem to be investigated.
- □ Identifies the independent variable.
- $\hfill\square$ Identifies the dependent variable.
- □ Identifies equipment and materials required.
- $\hfill\square$ Identifies the risks that may arise and ways to prevent
- $\hfill\square$ States how the identified risks will be mitigated.
- $\hfill\square$ Writes the steps to be followed for carrying out the experiment.
- □ Carries out the experiment following the laid down steps.
- \Box Records the data from the experiment.
- $\hfill\square$ Analyses the data recorded in the experiment.
- $\hfill\square$ Draws conclusions based on the analysis made on the experiment.
- □ Writes recommendations on the experiment, in determining heat of reaction in chemical reactions.

Generic Skill (GS): Demonstrating mathematical computation and ICT proficiency innovatively and correctly while investigating chemical reactions, the learner:

- □ Uses numbers and measurements accurately.
- □ Interprets and interrogates mathematical data.
- $\hfill\square$ Uses mathematics to justify and support decisions.
- □ Uses technology to create, manipulate, and process information.
- □ Uses technology to collaborate, communicate, and refine their work.

SC	GS

Level 5: Naturalisation

Subject Competency (SC): Investigating chemical reactions with ease, the learner:

- \Box Develops the aim of the experiment.
- □ Develops a hypothesis for the problem to be investigated.
- $\hfill\square$ Identifies the independent variable.
- □ Identifies the dependent variable.
- □ Identifies equipment and materials required.
- □ Identifies the risks that may arise and ways to prevent
- $\hfill\square$ States how the identified risks will be mitigated.
- $\hfill\square$ Writes the steps to be followed for carrying out the experiment.
- $\hfill\square$ Carries out the experiment following the laid down steps.
- \Box Records the data from the experiment.
- □ Analyses the data recorded in the experiment.
- □ Draws conclusions based on the analysis made on the experiment.
- □ Writes recommendations on the experiment, in determining heat of reaction in chemical reactions.

Generic Skill (GS): Demonstrating mathematical computation and ICT proficiency innovatively with ease while investigating chemical reactions, the learner:

- □ Uses numbers and measurements accurately.
- □ Interprets and interrogates mathematical data.
- □ Uses mathematics to justify and support decisions.
- □ Uses technology to create, manipulate, and process information.
- □ Uses technology to collaborate, communicate, and refine their work.

Level 5 Indicators	
SC	GS