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**CHEMISTRY**

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Paper 4 Theory (Extended)

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**1 hour 15 minutes**

You must answer on the question paper.

No additional materials are needed.

## INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **all** questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen. You may use an HB pencil for any diagrams or graphs.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
- Do **not** write on any bar codes.
- You may use a calculator.
- You should show all your working and use appropriate units.

## INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 80.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].
- The Periodic Table is printed in the question paper.

This document has **12** pages.



- 1 Some elements are shown in the order they appear in the reactivity series. The most reactive element is at the top.

sodium  
calcium  
magnesium  
aluminium  
zinc  
iron  
hydrogen  
copper

- (a) Answer the questions using the list of elements. Each element may be used once, more than once or not at all.

Identify:

- (i) a non-metal

..... [1]

- (ii) a metal which is stored under oil

..... [1]

- (iii) the main component of steel

..... [1]

- (iv) a metal with three electrons in the outer shell of its atoms

..... [1]

- (v) a metal found in brass

..... [1]

- (vi) a metal that forms chlorides of the type  $XCl_2$  and  $XCl_3$ .

..... [1]

- (b) Name the main ores of:

- (i) zinc ..... [1]

- (ii) aluminium. .... [1]

- (c) In an experiment, a sample of aluminium appeared less reactive than expected.

Explain why.

.....  
..... [1]

(d) Name **two** metals from the list which are extracted by reduction of their ores using carbon.

- 1 .....
- 2 ..... [2]

(e) When zinc granules are added to aqueous copper(II) sulfate, a reaction occurs. During the reaction, a red-pink solid is formed and the solution becomes colourless.

(i) Name the red-pink solid.

..... [1]

(ii) Name the colourless solution.

..... [1]

(iii) Explain, in terms of particles, why the rate of this reaction increases when the temperature is increased.

.....  
.....  
.....  
.....  
.....  
..... [3]

(iv) Suggest two **other** ways of increasing the rate of this reaction.

- 1 .....
- 2 ..... [2]

[Total: 18]

2 This question is about copper and its compounds.

(a) Copper has two different naturally occurring atoms,  $^{63}\text{Cu}$  and  $^{65}\text{Cu}$ .

(i) State the term used for atoms of the same element with different nucleon numbers.

..... [1]

(ii) The atomic number of copper is 29.

Complete the table to show the number of protons, neutrons and electrons in the particles of copper shown.

	$^{63}\text{Cu}$	$^{65}\text{Cu}^{2+}$
protons		
neutrons		
electrons		

[3]

(iii) Relative atomic mass is the average mass of naturally occurring atoms of an element.

The percentage of the naturally occurring atoms in a sample of copper is shown.

$^{63}\text{Cu}$	$^{65}\text{Cu}$
70%	30%

Deduce the relative atomic mass of copper in this sample.

Give your answer to **one** decimal place.

relative atomic mass = ..... [2]

**(b)** Anhydrous copper(II) sulfate is used to test for the presence of water. When this test is positive, hydrated copper(II) sulfate is formed.

**(i)** State the colour change seen during this test.

from ..... to ..... [2]

**(ii)** Complete the chemical equation to show the reaction that takes place.



**(iii)** State how hydrated copper(II) sulfate can be turned back into anhydrous copper(II) sulfate.

..... [1]

**(iv)** Describe a test for pure water.

.....  
 ..... [2]

**(c)** Aqueous copper(II) sulfate contains  $\text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq})$  ions.

**(i)** Describe what is seen when aqueous copper(II) sulfate is added to aqueous sodium hydroxide,  $\text{NaOH}(\text{aq})$ .

..... [1]

**(ii)** Write the ionic equation for the reaction between aqueous copper(II) sulfate and aqueous sodium hydroxide.

Include state symbols.

..... [3]

- (d) When solid copper(II) nitrate is heated copper(II) oxide, nitrogen dioxide and oxygen are formed.



Calculate the volume of nitrogen dioxide formed at room temperature and pressure when 4.7 g of  $\text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2$  is heated.

Use the following steps:

- calculate the mass of one mole of  $\text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2$

..... g

- calculate the number of moles of  $\text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2$  used

..... moles

- determine the number of moles of nitrogen dioxide formed

..... moles

- calculate the volume of nitrogen dioxide formed at room temperature and pressure.

.....  $\text{dm}^3$   
[4]

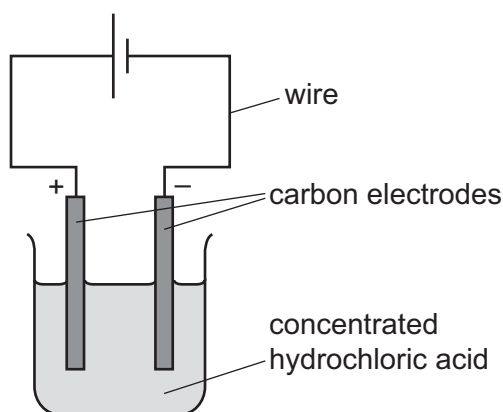
- (e) Write the chemical equation to show the action of heat on sodium nitrate,  $\text{NaNO}_3$ .

..... [2]

[Total: 22]

3 This question is about electrolysis.

Concentrated hydrochloric acid is electrolysed using the apparatus shown.



(a) Chloride ions are discharged at the anode.

(i) Complete the ionic half-equation for this reaction.



(ii) State whether oxidation or reduction takes place. Explain your answer.

.....  
 ..... [1]

(b) Describe what is seen at the cathode.

..... [1]

(c) Write the ionic half-equation for the reaction at the cathode.

..... [2]

(d) The pH of the electrolyte is measured throughout the experiment.

(i) Suggest the pH of the electrolyte at the beginning of the experiment.

..... [1]

(ii) State how the pH changes, if at all, during the experiment.

Explain your answer.

.....  
 ..... [2]

(e) The electrolysis is repeated using molten lead(II) bromide.

Describe what is seen at the:

- cathode .....
- anode. ....

[2]

(f) State **two** properties of graphite (carbon) which make it suitable for use as an electrode.

1 .....

2 .....

[2]

[Total: 13]



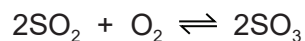
4 Chalcopyrite,  $\text{FeCuS}_2$ , is used in the manufacture of sulfuric acid in the Contact process.

- (a) In the first stage of the process, chalcopyrite reacts with oxygen in the air to produce sulfur dioxide,  $\text{SO}_2$ , iron(III) oxide and copper(II) oxide.

Complete the chemical equation for the reaction of  $\text{FeCuS}_2$  with oxygen.



- (b) Sulfur dioxide is then converted to sulfur trioxide.



The reaction is exothermic. It is also an equilibrium.

- (i) State **two** features of an equilibrium.

1 .....

2 .....

[2]

- (ii) State the temperature and pressure used in this reaction. Include units.

• temperature .....

• pressure .....

[2]

- (iii) Name the catalyst used.

..... [1]

- (iv) Explain why a catalyst is used.

..... [1]

- (v) Describe and explain, in terms of equilibrium, what happens when the temperature is increased.

.....

..... [2]

- (c) Concentrated sulfuric acid is a dehydrating agent.

When glucose is dehydrated, carbon and one other product are formed.

Complete the equation to show the dehydration of glucose,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$ .



[Total: 12]

- 5 Alkenes and carboxylic acids are both families of similar compounds with similar chemical properties. Alkenes and carboxylic acids have different reactions.

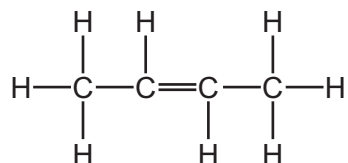
(a) State the term used for a 'family' of similar compounds.

..... [1]

(b) State the general formula of alkenes.

..... [1]

(c) The structure of but-2-ene is shown.



(i) But-2-ene reacts with aqueous bromine in an addition reaction.

Describe the colour change seen when but-2-ene is added to aqueous bromine.

from ..... to ..... [1]

(ii) State what is meant by the term *addition reaction*.

..... [1]

(iii) Write the chemical equation for the reaction between but-2-ene and bromine.

..... [2]

(iv) But-2-ene forms a polymer.

Suggest the name of the polymer formed from but-2-ene.

..... [1]

(v) Name and draw a structural isomer of but-2-ene.

Show all of the atoms and all of the bonds.

name .....

structure

[2]

(d) Butanoic acid,  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{COOH}$ , is a carboxylic acid.

(i) Deduce the empirical formula of butanoic acid.

..... [1]

(ii) Complete the chemical equation for the reaction of butanoic acid and sodium carbonate,  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$ .

$2\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{COOH} + \text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3 \rightarrow \dots + \dots + \dots$  [2]

(iii) Butanoic acid reacts with methanol to form an organic compound and water.

- Name the organic compound formed.

..... [1]

- Draw the structure of the organic compound formed.

Show all of the atoms and all of the bonds.

[2]

[Total: 15]

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## The Periodic Table of Elements

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## Key

atomic number  
atomic symbol  
name  
relative atomic mass

lanthanoids

actinoids

The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm<sup>3</sup> at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).