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1 hour 15 minutes

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

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Write in dark blue or black pen.
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Answer **all** questions.
A copy of the Periodic Table is printed on page 16.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.
The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.

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1 Choose an element which fits each of the following descriptions.

(i) It is a yellow solid which burns to form an acidic oxide.

..... [1]

(ii) This element is a black solid which, when heated, forms a purple vapour.

..... [1]

(iii) Most of its soluble salts are blue.

..... [1]

(iv) It has a basic oxide of the type MO which is used to treat acidic soils.

..... [1]

(v) It is an unreactive gas used to fill balloons.

..... [1]

[Total: 5]

2 Ozone is a form of oxygen. Ozone is present in the upper atmosphere and it prevents dangerous solar radiation from reaching the Earth's surface. Some of the chemicals that diffuse into the upper atmosphere decompose ozone. Chemicals that have this effect are methane (CH_4), chloromethane (CH_3Cl) and an oxide of nitrogen (NO_2).

(i) Which of these three chemicals diffuses the most slowly? Give a reason for your choice.

.....

.....

..... [2]

(ii) Chloromethane is formed when seaweed decomposes. Name the compounds in the environment from which seaweed might have obtained the following elements:

carbon; .....

hydrogen; .....

chlorine. ..... [3]

(iii) How can chloromethane be made from methane?

reagent .....

condition ..... [2]

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(iv) The oxides of nitrogen are atmospheric pollutants. Describe how they are formed.

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..... [2]

(v) Complete the equation for the decomposition of ozone.

..... O_3 → .....

[2]

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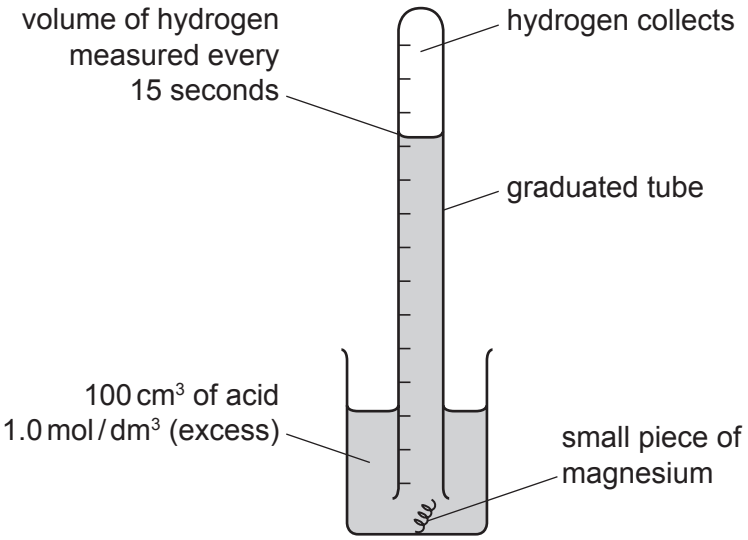
3 A diagram of the apparatus which could be used to investigate the rate of reaction between magnesium and an excess of an acid is drawn below.



(a) The magnesium kept rising to the surface. In one experiment, this was prevented by twisting the magnesium around a piece of copper. In a second experiment, the magnesium was held down by a plastic net fastened to the beaker.

(i) Suggest a reason why magnesium, which is denser than water, floated to the surface.

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..... [1]

(ii) Iron, zinc and copper have similar densities. Why was copper a better choice than iron or zinc to weigh down the magnesium?

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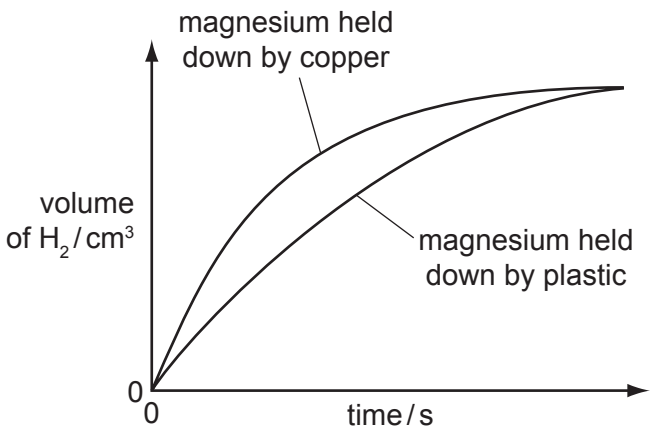
..... [1]

(b) The only difference in the two experiments was the method used to hold down the magnesium. The results are shown below.



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(i) In which experiment did the magnesium react faster?

..... [1]

(ii) Suggest a reason why the experiment chosen in **(i)** had the faster rate.

..... [1]

(c) The experiment was repeated using 1.0 mol / dm^3 propanoic acid instead of 1.0 mol / dm^3 hydrochloric acid. Propanoic acid is a weak acid.

(i) How would the graph for propanoic acid **differ** from the graph for hydrochloric acid?

..... [1]

(ii) How would the graph for propanoic acid be the **same** as the graph for hydrochloric acid?

..... [1]

(d) Give **two** factors which would alter the rate of this reaction.
For each factor explain why it alters the rate.

factor .....

explanation .....

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factor .....

explanation .....

..... [4]

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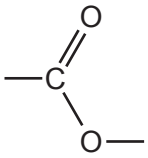
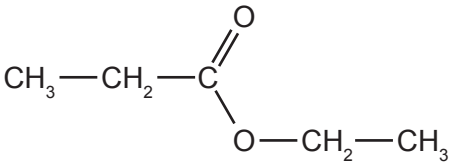
4 Hydrolysis is used in chemistry to break down complex molecules into simpler ones.

(a) Compounds containing the group  or —COO— are esters.

(i) Give the names and formulae of the two compounds formed when the ester ethyl propanoate is hydrolysed.



name ..... name .....

formula formula

[4]

(ii) Fats are naturally occurring esters. They can be hydrolysed by boiling with aqueous sodium hydroxide.

$$\begin{array}{l} C_{17}H_{35}COOCH_2 \\ | \\ C_{17}H_{35}COOCH \\ | \\ C_{17}H_{35}COOCH_2 \end{array} + 3NaOH \rightarrow 3C_{17}H_{35}COONa + \begin{array}{l} CH_2OH \\ | \\ CHOH \\ | \\ CH_2OH \end{array}$$

fat

What type of compound has the formula $C_{17}H_{35}COONa$ and what is its main use?

type of compound ..... [1]

use ..... [1]

(iii) Name a synthetic polyester.

..... [1]

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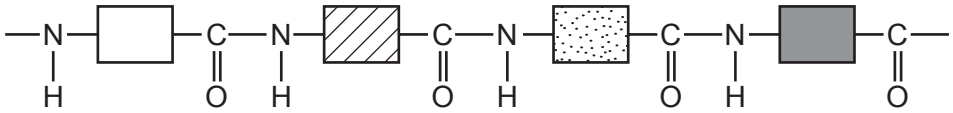
(b) The structure of a typical protein is drawn below.



(i) What is the name of the polymer linkage?

..... [1]

(ii) Draw the structural formula of a man-made polymer with the same linkage.

[3]

(iii) A protein can be hydrolysed to a mixture of amino acids which are colourless. Individual amino acids can be identified by chromatography. The R_f value of the amino acid glycine is 0.5. Describe how you could show that glycine was present on a chromatogram.

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..... [3]

[Total: 14]

5 Carbon and silicon are elements in Group IV. Both elements have macromolecular structures.

(a) Diamond and graphite are two forms of the element carbon.

(i) Explain why diamond is a very hard substance.

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..... [2]

(ii) Give **one** use of diamond.

..... [1]

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(iii) Explain why graphite is a soft material.

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..... [2]

(iv) Give **one** use of graphite.

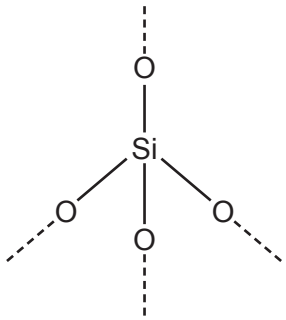
..... [1]

(b) Two of the oxides of these elements are carbon dioxide, CO_2, and silicon(IV) oxide, SiO_2.

(i) Draw a diagram showing the arrangement of the valency electrons in one molecule of the covalent compound carbon dioxide.
Use x to represent an electron from a carbon atom.
Use o to represent an electron from an oxygen atom.

[3]

(ii) A section of the macromolecular structure of silicon(IV) oxide is given below.



Use this diagram to explain why the formula is SiO_2 not SiO_4.

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..... [2]

(iii) Predict **two** differences in the physical properties of these two oxides.

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..... [2]

[Total: 13]

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6 Iodine reacts with chlorine to form dark brown iodine monochloride.

$$I_2 + Cl_2 \rightarrow 2ICl$$

This reacts with more chlorine to give yellow iodine trichloride.
There is an equilibrium between these iodine chlorides.

$$\underset{\text{dark brown}}{ICl(l)} + Cl_2(g) \rightleftharpoons \underset{\text{yellow}}{ICl_3(s)}$$

(a) Explain what is meant by *equilibrium*.

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..... [2]

(b) When the equilibrium mixture is heated it becomes a darker brown colour.
Is the reverse reaction endothermic or exothermic? Give a reason for your choice.

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..... [2]

(c) The pressure on the equilibrium mixture is decreased.

(i) How would this affect the position of equilibrium and why?

It would move to the ..... [1]

reason .....

..... [1]

(ii) Describe what you would observe.

.....

..... [1]

[Total: 7]

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7 Titanium is a transition element. It is isolated by the following reactions.

titanium ore → titanium(IV) oxide → titanium(IV) chloride → titanium

TiO_2 $TiCl_4$ Ti

(a) Why is it usually necessary to include a number in the name of the compounds of transition elements?

..... [1]

(b) Titanium(IV) chloride is made by heating the oxide with coke and chlorine.

$$TiO_2 + 2Cl_2 \rightleftharpoons TiCl_4 + O_2$$

$$2C + O_2 \rightleftharpoons 2CO$$

Explain why the presence of coke ensures the maximum yield of the metal chloride.

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..... [2]

(c) Explain why the change, titanium(IV) chloride to titanium, is reduction.

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..... [1]

(d) Complete the table which shows some of the properties of titanium and its uses.
The first line has been completed as an example.

property	related use
soluble in molten steel	making steel titanium alloys
.....	making aircraft and space vehicles
resistant to corrosion, especially in sea water	.....

[2]

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(e) The titanium ore contains 36.8% iron, 31.6% titanium and the remainder is oxygen.

(i) Determine the percentage of oxygen in this titanium compound.

percentage of oxygen = ... % [1]

(ii) Calculate the number of moles of atoms for each element.
The number of moles of Fe is shown as an example.
number of moles of Fe = 36.8 / 56 = 0.66

number of moles of Ti = ...

number of moles of O = ... [1]

(iii) What is the simplest ratio for the moles of atoms?

Fe	:	Ti	:	O
.....		.....		.....

[1]

(iv) What is the formula of this titanium compound?

..... [1]

[Total: 10]

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8 Methanoic acid is the first member of the homologous series of carboxylic acids.

(a) Give **two** general characteristics of a homologous series.

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..... [2]

(b) In some areas when water is boiled, the inside of kettles become coated with a layer of calcium carbonate. This can be removed by adding methanoic acid.

(i) Complete the equation.

..... HCOOH + $CaCO_3$ → $Ca(HCOO)_2$ + ... + ...

[2]

(ii) Methanoic acid reacts with most metals above hydrogen in the reactivity series. Complete the word equation.

zinc + methanoic acid → ..... + ...

[2]

(iii) Aluminium is also above hydrogen in the reactivity series.
Why does methanoic acid not react with an aluminium kettle?

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..... [1]

(c) Give the name, molecular formula and empirical formula of the fourth acid in this series.

name ..... [1]

molecular formula ..... [1]

empirical formula ..... [1]

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DATA SHEET
The Periodic Table of the Elements

Group I	Group II											Group III	Group IV	Group V	Group VI	Group VII	Group 0
							1 **H** Hydrogen 1										4 **He** Helium 2
7 **Li** Lithium 3	9 **Be** Beryllium 4											11 **B** Boron 5	12 **C** Carbon 6	14 **N** Nitrogen 7	16 **O** Oxygen 8	19 **F** Fluorine 9	20 **Ne** Neon 10
23 **Na** Sodium 11	24 **Mg** Magnesium 12											27 **Al** Aluminium 13	28 **Si** Silicon 14	31 **P** Phosphorus 15	32 **S** Sulfur 16	35.5 **Cl** Chlorine 17	40 **Ar** Argon 18
39 **K** Potassium 19	40 **Ca** Calcium 20	45 **Sc** Scandium 21	48 **Ti** Titanium 22	51 **V** Vanadium 23	52 **Cr** Chromium 24	55 **Mn** Manganese 25	56 **Fe** Iron 26	59 **Co** Cobalt 27	59 **Ni** Nickel 28	64 **Cu** Copper 29	65 **Zn** Zinc 30	70 **Ga** Gallium 31	73 **Ge** Germanium 32	75 **As** Arsenic 33	79 **Se** Selenium 34	80 **Br** Bromine 35	84 **Kr** Krypton 36
85 **Rb** Rubidium 37	88 **Sr** Strontium 38	89 **Y** Yttrium 39	91 **Zr** Zirconium 40	93 **Nb** Niobium 41	96 **Mo** Molybdenum 42	**Tc** Technetium 43	101 **Ru** Ruthenium 44	103 **Rh** Rhodium 45	106 **Pd** Palladium 46	108 **Ag** Silver 47	112 **Cd** Cadmium 48	115 **In** Indium 49	119 **Sn** Tin 50	122 **Sb** Antimony 51	128 **Te** Tellurium 52	127 **I** Iodine 53	131 **Xe** Xenon 54
133 **Cs** Caesium 55	137 **Ba** Barium 56	139 **La** Lanthanum 57 *	178 **Hf** Hafnium 72	181 **Ta** Tantalum 73	184 **W** Tungsten 74	186 **Re** Rhenium 75	190 **Os** Osmium 76	192 **Ir** Iridium 77	195 **Pt** Platinum 78	197 **Au** Gold 79	201 **Hg** Mercury 80	204 **Tl** Thallium 81	207 **Pb** Lead 82	209 **Bi** Bismuth 83	**Po** Polonium 84	**At** Astatine 85	**Rn** Radon 86
Fr Francium 87	226 **Ra** Radium 88	227 **Ac** Actinium 89 †															

140 **Ce** Cerium 58	141 **Pr** Praseodymium 59	144 **Nd** Neodymium 60	**Pm** Promethium 61	150 **Sm** Samarium 62	152 **Eu** Europium 63	157 **Gd** Gadolinium 64	159 **Tb** Terbium 65	162 **Dy** Dysprosium 66	165 **Ho** Holmium 67	167 **Er** Erbium 68	169 **Tm** Thulium 69	173 **Yb** Ytterbium 70	175 **Lu** Lutetium 71
232 **Th** Thorium 90	**Pa** Protactinium 91	238 **U** Uranium 92	**Np** Neptunium 93	**Pu** Plutonium 94	**Am** Americium 95	**Cm** Curium 96	**Bk** Berkelium 97	**Cf** Californium 98	**Es** Einsteinium 99	**Fm** Fermium 100	**Md** Mendelevium 101	**No** Nobelium 102	**Lr** Lawrencium 103

*58-71 Lanthanoid series
†90-103 Actinoid series

Key

a
X
b

a = relative atomic mass
X = atomic symbol
b = proton (atomic) number

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

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