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CHEMISTRY

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Paper 3 (Extended)

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1 hour 15 minutes

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

You may use an HB pencil for any diagrams or graphs.

Do not use staples, paper clips, glue or correction fluid.

DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

Answer **all** questions.

Electronic calculators may be used.

A copy of the Periodic Table is printed on page 12.

You may lose marks if you do not show your working or if you do not use appropriate units.

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 a gas from the following list to answer the questions below. Each gas may be used once, more than once or not at all.

ammonia carbon dioxide carbon monoxide fluorine
hydrogen krypton nitrogen propene sulfur dioxide

- (a) It is a product of respiration. [1]
- (b) It polymerises to form a poly(alkene). [1]
- (c) It is a noble gas. [1]
- (d) It is the main component of air. [1]
- (e) It is a very reactive non-metal. [1]
- (f) It is used to kill micro-organisms in fruit juice. [1]
- (g) It burns to form water as the only product. [1]

[Total: 7]

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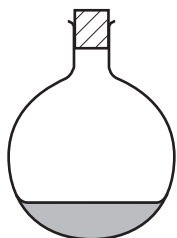
2 Explain each of the following in terms of the kinetic particle theory.

(a) The rate of most reactions increases at higher temperatures.

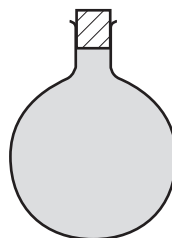
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..... [3]

(b) A liquid has a fixed volume but takes up the shape of the container. A gas takes up the shape of the container but it does not have a fixed volume.

liquid



gas



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..... [3]

[Total: 6]

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3 (a) Biological catalysts produced by microbes cause food to deteriorate and decay.

(i) What is the name of these biological catalysts?

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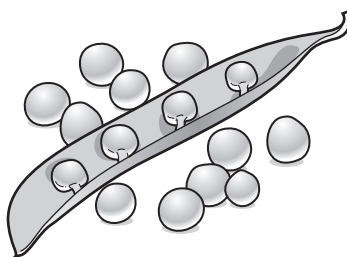
(ii) Freezing does not kill the microbes.

Suggest why freezing is still a very effective way of preserving food.

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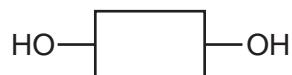
(b) Pea seeds grow in pods on pea plants.



Freshly picked pea seeds contain a sugar. The sugar can form a polymer.

Give the structural formula of the polymer and name the other product of this polymerisation reaction.

You may represent the sugar by the formula:



structural formula of the polymer

other product [3]

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(c) Describe how the pea plant makes a sugar such as glucose.

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..... [3]

[Total: 9]

4 Iron from a blast furnace contains about 5% of the impurities – carbon, silicon, phosphorus and sulfur. Most of this impure iron is used to make steels, such as mild steel, and a very small percentage is used to make pure iron.

(a) Calcium oxide and oxygen are used to remove the impurities from the iron produced in the blast furnace.

(i) State how these chemicals are manufactured.

calcium oxide

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oxygen

..... [3]

(ii) Describe how these two chemicals remove the four impurities. Include at least one equation in your answer.

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(b) (i) Describe the structure of a typical metal such as iron. You may include a diagram.

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[2]

(ii) Explain why pure iron is malleable.

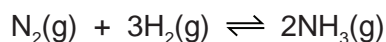
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(iii) Mild steel is an alloy of iron and carbon.
Suggest why mild steel is harder than pure iron.

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..... [2]

[Total: 14]

5 Ammonia is made by the Haber process.



The forward reaction is exothermic.

The conditions in the reaction chamber are:

- a pressure of 200 atmospheres,
- a catalyst of finely divided iron,
- a temperature of 400 to 450 °C.

(a) What are the **two** advantages of using a high pressure? Give a reason for both.

advantage 1

reason

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advantage 2

reason

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[4]

(b) A higher temperature would give a faster reaction rate.
Why is a higher temperature **not** used?

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..... [3]

(c) (i) Why is the iron catalyst used as a fine powder?

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..... [1]

(ii) Give **two** reasons why a catalyst is used.

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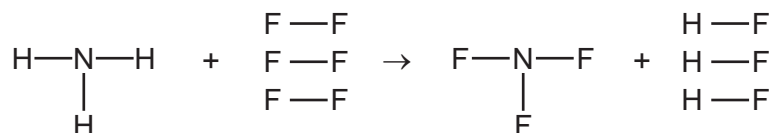
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- (d) The equilibrium mixture leaving the reaction chamber contains 15% ammonia. Suggest how the ammonia could be separated from the mixture.

	boiling point/°C
hydrogen	-253
nitrogen	-196
ammonia	-33

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 [2]

- (e) Ammonia is used to make nitrogen trifluoride, NF_3 .
 Nitrogen trifluoride is essential to the electronics industry. It is made by the following reaction.



Determine if the above reaction is exothermic or endothermic using the following bond energies and by completing the following table. The first line has been done as an example.
 Bond energy is the amount of energy, in kJ/mole, needed to break or make one mole of the bond.

bond	bond energy in kJ/mole
N-H	390
F-F	155
N-F	280
H-F	565

bond	energy change/kJ
N-H	$(3 \times 390) = 1170$
F-F	
N-F	
H-F	

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 [4]

[Total: 16]

6 The alkanes are a family of saturated hydrocarbons. Their reactions include combustion, cracking and substitution.

(a) (i) What is meant by the term *hydrocarbon*?

..... [1]

(ii) What is meant by the term *saturated*?

..... [1]

(b) (i) What is the general formula for the homologous series of alkanes?

..... [1]

(ii) Calculate the mass of one mole of an alkane with 14 carbon atoms.

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..... [2]

(c) The complete combustion of hydrocarbons produces carbon dioxide and water only.

(i) Write the equation for the complete combustion of nonane, C_9H_{20} .

..... [2]

(ii) 20 cm^3 of a gaseous hydrocarbon was mixed with an excess of oxygen, 200 cm^3 . The mixture was ignited. After cooling, 40 cm^3 of oxygen and 100 cm^3 of carbon dioxide remained. Deduce the formula of the hydrocarbon and the equation for its combustion. All volumes were measured at r.t.p..

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..... [3]

(d) Cracking is used to obtain short-chain alkanes, alkenes and hydrogen from long-chain alkanes.

(i) Give a use for each of the three products listed above.

short-chain alkanes

alkenes

hydrogen [3]

(ii) Write an equation for the cracking of decane, $C_{10}H_{22}$, which produces two different alkenes and hydrogen as the only products.

..... [1]

(e) Chlorine reacts with propane in a substitution reaction to form 1-chloropropane.



(i) What is the essential condition for the above reaction?

..... [1]

(ii) There is more than one possible substitution reaction between chlorine and propane. Suggest the structural formula of a different product.

..... [1]

[Total: 16]

7 Aluminium is obtained from purified alumina, Al_2O_3 , by electrolysis.

- (a) Alumina is obtained from the main ore of aluminium.
State the name of this ore.

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- (b) Describe the extraction of aluminium from alumina. Include the electrolyte, the electrodes and the reactions at the electrodes.

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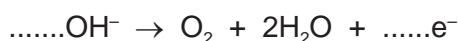
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- (c) Aluminium is resistant to corrosion. It is protected by an oxide layer on its surface.
The thickness of this oxide layer can be increased by anodising.

- (i) State a use of aluminium due to its resistance to corrosion.

..... [1]

- (ii) Anodising is an electrolytic process. Dilute sulfuric acid is electrolysed with an aluminium object as the anode. The thickness of the oxide layer is increased. Complete the equations for the reactions at the aluminium anode.



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DATA SHEET
The Periodic Table of the Elements

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1 H Hydrogen 1											2 He Helium 2																																																																																																																											
3 Li Lithium 3	4 Be Beryllium 4	5 B Boron 5	6 C Carbon 6	7 N Nitrogen 7	8 O Oxygen 8	9 F Fluorine 9	10 Ne Neon 10	11 Na Sodium 11	12 Mg Magnesium 12	13 Al Aluminium 13	14 Si Silicon 14	15 P Phosphorus 15	16 S Sulfur 16	17 Cl Chlorine 17	18 Ar Argon 18	19 K Potassium 19	20 Ca Calcium 20	21 Sc Scandium 21	22 Ti Titanium 22	23 V Vanadium 23	24 Cr Chromium 24	25 Mn Manganese 25	26 Fe Iron 26	27 Co Cobalt 27	28 Ni Nickel 28	29 Cu Copper 29	30 Zn Zinc 30	31 Ga Gallium 31	32 Ge Germanium 32	33 As Arsenic 33	34 Se Selenium 34	35 Br Bromine 35	36 Kr Krypton 36	37 Rb Rubidium 37	38 Sr Strontium 38	39 Y Yttrium 39	40 Zr Zirconium 40	41 Nb Niobium 41	42 Mo Molybdenum 42	43 Tc Technetium 43	44 Ru Ruthenium 44	45 Rh Rhodium 45	46 Pd Palladium 46	47 Ag Silver 47	48 Cd Cadmium 48	49 In Indium 49	50 Sn Tin 50	51 Sb Antimony 51	52 Te Tellurium 52	53 I Iodine 53	54 Xe Xenon 54	55 Cs Caesium 55	56 Ba Barium 56	57 La Lanthanum 57	72 Hf Hafnium 72	73 Ta Tantalum 73	74 W Tungsten 74	75 Re Rhenium 75	76 Os Osmium 76	77 Ir Iridium 77	78 Pt Platinum 78	79 Au Gold 79	80 Hg Mercury 80	81 Tl Thallium 81	82 Pb Lead 82	83 Bi Bismuth 83	84 Po Polonium 84	85 At Astatine 85	86 Rn Radon 86	87 Fr Francium 87	88 Ra Radium 88	89 Ac Actinium 89	†	90 Th Thorium 90	91 Pa Protactinium 91	92 U Uranium 92	93 Np Neptunium 93	94 Pu Plutonium 94	95 Am Americium 95	96 Cm Curium 96	97 Bk Berkelium 97	98 Cf Californium 98	99 Es Einsteinium 99	100 Fm Fermium 100	101 Md Mendelevium 101	102 No Nobelium 102	103 Lr Lawrencium 103	133 Cs Caesium 133	137 Ba Barium 137	139 La Lanthanum 139	178 Hf Hafnium 178	181 Ta Tantalum 181	184 W Tungsten 184	186 Re Rhenium 186	190 Os Osmium 190	192 Ir Iridium 192	195 Pt Platinum 195	197 Au Gold 197	201 Hg Mercury 201	204 Tl Thallium 204	207 Pb Lead 207	209 Bi Bismuth 209	210 Po Polonium 210	210 At Astatine 210	210 Rn Radon 210	226 Ra Radium 226	227 Ac Actinium 227	†	232 Th Thorium 232	238 U Uranium 238	238 Np Neptunium 238	238 Pu Plutonium 238	238 Am Americium 238	238 Cm Curium 238	238 Bk Berkelium 238	238 Cf Californium 238	238 Es Einsteinium 238	238 Fm Fermium 238	238 Md Mendelevium 238	238 No Nobelium 238	238 Lr Lawrencium 238	140 Ce Cerium 140	141 Pr Praseodymium 141	144 Nd Neodymium 144	150 Sm Samarium 150	152 Eu Europium 152	157 Gd Gadolinium 157	159 Tb Terbium 159	162 Dy Dysprosium 162	165 Ho Holmium 165	167 Er Erbium 167	169 Tm Thulium 169	173 Yb Ytterbium 173	175 Lu Lutetium 175

*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 dm³ at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).

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