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**CHEMISTRY**

**0971/42**

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 A list of oxides, **A** to **H**, is shown.

- A** calcium oxide
- B** aluminium oxide
- C** silicon(IV) oxide
- D** sulfur dioxide
- E** carbon dioxide
- F** iron(III) oxide
- G** silver oxide
- H** carbon monoxide

Answer the following questions about the oxides, **A** to **H**.  
Each letter may be used once, more than once or not at all.

State which of the oxides, **A** to **H**:

(a) is responsible for acid rain

..... [1]

(b) has a giant covalent structure

..... [1]

(c) is a reducing agent in the blast furnace

..... [1]

(d) is the main constituent of bauxite

..... [1]

(e) is the main impurity in iron ore

..... [1]

(f) can be reduced by heating with copper.

..... [1]

[Total: 6]

## 3

2 Fluorine, chlorine and bromine are in Group VII of the Periodic Table.

(a) State the name given to Group VII elements.

..... [1]

(b) Explain why Group VII elements have similar chemical properties.

..... [1]

(c) Complete Table 2.1 to show the colour and state at r.t.p. of some Group VII elements.

**Table 2.1**

element	colour	state at r.t.p.
fluorine	pale yellow	
chlorine		
bromine		liquid

[3]

(d) Bromine has two naturally occurring isotopes,  $^{79}\text{Br}$  and  $^{81}\text{Br}$ .

(i) State the term given to the numbers 79 and 81 in these isotopes of bromine.

..... [1]

(ii) Complete Table 2.2 to show the number of protons, neutrons and electrons in the atom and ion of bromine shown.

**Table 2.2**

	$^{79}\text{Br}$	$^{81}\text{Br}^-$
protons		
neutrons		
electrons		

[3]

- (iii) Table 2.3 shows the relative abundances of the two naturally occurring isotopes of bromine.

**Table 2.3**

isotope	$^{79}\text{Br}$	$^{81}\text{Br}$
relative abundance	55%	45%

Calculate the relative atomic mass of bromine to **one** decimal place.

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

- (e) Chlorine displaces bromine from aqueous potassium bromide but does **not** displace fluorine from aqueous sodium fluoride.

- (i) Write the symbol equation for the reaction between chlorine and aqueous potassium bromide.

..... [2]

- (ii) State why chlorine does **not** displace fluorine from aqueous sodium fluoride.

..... [1]

- (f) Aqueous silver nitrate is a colourless solution containing  $\text{Ag}^+(\text{aq})$  ions.

- (i) Describe what is seen when aqueous silver nitrate is added to aqueous sodium chloride.

..... [1]

- (ii) Write the ionic equation for the reaction between aqueous silver nitrate and aqueous sodium chloride.

Include state symbols.

..... [3]

[Total: 18]

3 Over 200 million tonnes of sulfuric acid are manufactured every year.

(a) State the name of the process used to manufacture sulfuric acid.

..... [1]

(b) Part of the manufacture of sulfuric acid involves converting sulfur dioxide to sulfur trioxide.

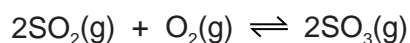
(i) Describe **two** methods by which sulfur dioxide is obtained.

1 .....

2 .....

[2]

The conversion of sulfur dioxide to sulfur trioxide is a reversible reaction which can reach equilibrium.



(ii) State **two** features of an equilibrium.

1 .....

2 .....

[2]

(iii) State the typical conditions and name the catalyst used in the conversion of sulfur dioxide to sulfur trioxide.

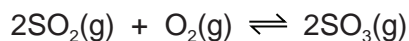
temperature ..... °C

pressure ..... kPa

catalyst .....

[3]

- (iv) Complete Table 3.1 to show the effect, if any, when the following changes are applied to the conversion of sulfur dioxide to sulfur trioxide.



The forward reaction is exothermic.

Only use the words **increases**, **decreases** or **no change**.

**Table 3.1**

change	effect on the rate of the forward reaction	effect on the concentration of $\text{SO}_3(\text{g})$ at equilibrium
temperature decreases	decreases	
pressure increases		
no catalyst	decreases	

[4]

- (v) Explain in terms of collision theory why reducing the temperature decreases the rate of the forward reaction.

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

..... [3]

- (c) Sulfuric acid contains  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$  ions.

The oxidation number of O atoms in  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$  ions is  $-2$ .

Determine the oxidation number of S atoms in  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$  ions. Show your working.

oxidation number = ..... [2]

[Total: 17]



(f) Ethanoic acid,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ , is a weak acid.

(i) Complete the dot-and-cross diagram in Fig. 4.1 of a molecule of ethanoic acid.

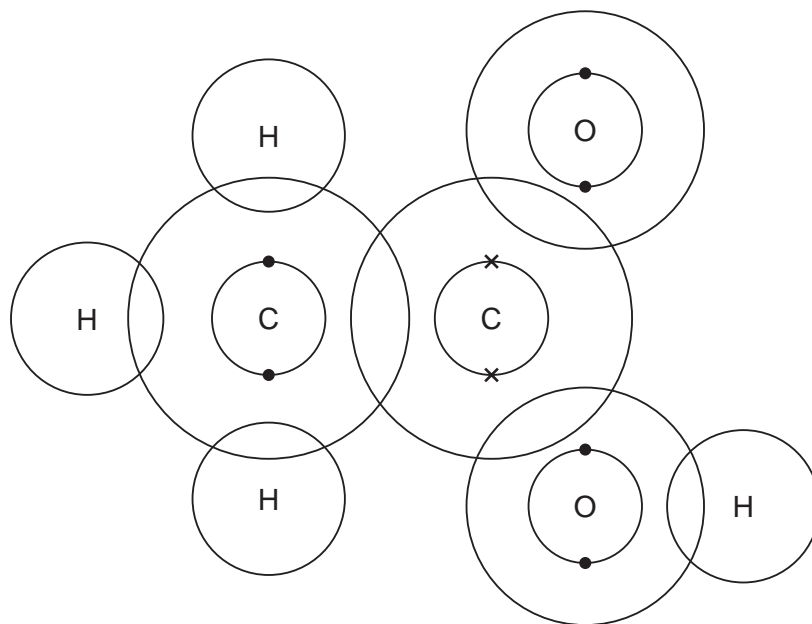


Fig. 4.1

[3]

(ii) Suggest the pH of dilute ethanoic acid.

..... [1]

(iii) Complete the symbol equation to show the dissociation of ethanoic acid.

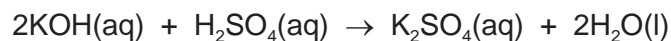
$\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  ..... [3]

(iv) Write the ionic equation for the reaction when an acid neutralises a soluble base.

..... [1]



- (g) In a titration, 25.0 cm<sup>3</sup> of 0.0800 mol/dm<sup>3</sup> aqueous potassium hydroxide, KOH(aq), is neutralised by 20.0 cm<sup>3</sup> of dilute sulfuric acid, H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>(aq).



Calculate the concentration of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, in g/dm<sup>3</sup> using the following steps.

- Calculate the number of moles of KOH used.

..... mol

- Determine the number of moles of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> which react with the KOH.

..... mol

- Calculate the concentration of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> in mol/dm<sup>3</sup>.

..... mol/dm<sup>3</sup>

- Calculate the concentration of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> in g/dm<sup>3</sup>.

..... g/dm<sup>3</sup>

[5]

[Total: 21]

5 Propane and propene both react with chlorine.

(a) When a molecule of propane,  $C_3H_8$ , reacts with chlorine in the presence of ultraviolet light, one atom of hydrogen is replaced by one atom of chlorine.

(i) State the term given to reactions in which one atom in an alkane is replaced by another atom.

..... [1]

(ii) State the purpose of ultraviolet light in this reaction.

..... [1]

(iii) State the term given to any reaction which requires ultraviolet light.

..... [1]

(iv) Write the symbol equation for the reaction between propane and chlorine.

..... [2]

(b) A molecule of propene,  $C_3H_6$ , is unsaturated and will react with chlorine at room temperature.

(i) State why propene is an unsaturated molecule.

..... [1]

(ii) Give the structural formula of the product of this reaction.

..... [1]

(c) Propene undergoes addition reactions with steam.  
There are two possible products, **A** and **B**.

Draw the displayed formula and name each product.

displayed formula of product **A**

name of product **A** .....

displayed formula of product **B**

name of product **B** ..... [4]

[Total: 11]

6 Carboxylic acids can be converted to esters.

(a) Name the ester formed when butanoic acid,  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{COOH}$ , reacts with ethanol,  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$ .

..... [1]

(b) Identify the other product formed in this reaction.

..... [1]

(c) Deduce the empirical formula of the ester formed.

..... [1]

(d) PET is a polyester. Part of the structure of PET is shown in Fig. 6.1.

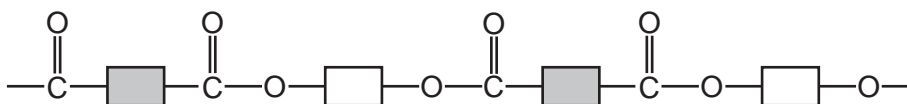


Fig. 6.1

(i) Circle **one** repeat unit of this polymer. [1]

(ii) Draw the structures of the monomers which make up PET. Draw the functional groups using displayed formulae.

[2]

(iii) State the type of polymerisation used in making PET.

..... [1]

[Total: 7]

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## The Periodic Table of Elements

		Group															
I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII										
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Li lithium 7	Be beryllium 9	B boron 11	C carbon 12	N nitrogen 14	O oxygen 16	F fluorine 19	Ne neon 20										
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18										
Na sodium 23	Mg magnesium 24	Al aluminium 27	Si silicon 28	P phosphorus 31	S sulfur 32	Cl chlorine 35.5	Ar argon 40										
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
K potassium 39	Ca calcium 40	Sc scandium 45	Ti titanium 48	V vanadium 51	Cr chromium 52	Mn manganese 55	Fe iron 56	Co cobalt 59	Ni nickel 59	Cu copper 64	Zn zinc 65	Ga gallium 70	Ge germanium 73	As arsenic 75	Se selenium 79	Br bromine 80	Kr krypton 84
37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54
Rb rubidium 85	Sr strontium 88	Y yttrium 89	Zr zirconium 91	Nb niobium 93	Mo molybdenum 96	Tc technetium —	Ru ruthenium 101	Rh rhodium 103	Pd palladium 106	Ag silver 108	Cd cadmium 112	In indium 115	Sn tin 119	Sb antimony 122	Te tellurium 128	I iodine 127	Xe xenon 131
55	56	57–71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86
Cs caesium 133	Ba barium 137	lanthanoids	Hf hafnium 178	Ta tantalum 181	W tungsten 184	Re rhenium 186	Os osmium 190	Ir iridium 192	Pt platinum 195	Au gold 197	Hg mercury 201	Tl thallium 204	Pb lead 207	Bi bismuth 209	Po polonium —	At astatine —	Rn radon —
87	88	89–103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118
Fr francium —	Ra radium —	actinoids	Rf rutherfordium —	Db dubnium —	Sg seaborgium —	Bh bohrium —	Hs hassium —	Mt meitnerium —	Ds darmstadtium —	Rg roentgenium —	Cn copernicium —	Nh nihonium —	Fl flerovium —	Mc moscovium —	Lv livermorium —	Ts tennessine —	Og oganeson —

## Key

atomic number  
atomic symbol  
name  
relative atomic mass

1  
H  
hydrogen  
1

lanthanoids

57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71
La lanthanum 139	Ce cerium 140	Pr praseodymium 141	Nd neodymium 144	Pm promethium —	Sm samarium 150	Eu europium 152	Gd gadolinium 157	Tb terbium 159	Dy dysprosium 163	Ho holmium 165	Er erbium 167	Tm thulium 169	Yb ytterbium 173	Lu lutetium 175
89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103
Ac actinium —	Th thorium 232	Pa protactinium 231	U uranium 238	Np neptunium —	Pu plutonium —	Am americium —	Cm curium —	Bk berkelium —	Cf californium —	Es einsteinium —	Fm fermium —	Md mendelevium —	No nobelium —	Lr lawrencium —

actinoids

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