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**WEDNESDAY, 12 JUNE 2019 – MORNING**

**CHEMISTRY – Unit 1:  
Chemical Substances, Reactions and  
Essential Resources**

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1 hour 45 minutes

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Question	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded
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**ADDITIONAL MATERIALS**

In addition to this examination paper you will need a calculator and a ruler.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Do not use gel pen or correction fluid.

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer **all** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. If you run out of space, use the additional page at the back of the booklet, taking care to number the question(s) correctly.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

Question **9** is a quality of extended response (QER) question where your writing skills will be assessed.

The Periodic Table is printed on the back cover of this paper and the formulae for some common ions on the inside of the back cover.



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Answer all questions.

1. (a) The following table shows some information about Group 1 elements.

Metal	Melting point (°C)	Boiling point (°C)	Density (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	Reaction with chlorine
lithium	180	1342	0.54	reacts slowly to make a white salt
sodium	97	883	0.97	burns vigorously with a yellow flame to make a white salt
potassium	63	759	0.88	reacts violently to make a white salt
rubidium	39	688	1.53	explosive reaction
caesium	28	671	1.93	explosive reaction

- (i) Describe the trend in density going down the group. [1]

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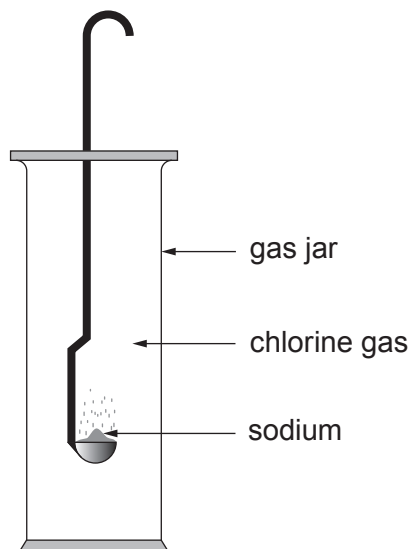
- (ii) Explain the difference in reactivity down the group in terms of electronic structure. [2]

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- (b) The apparatus below can be used to demonstrate the reaction between sodium and chlorine.



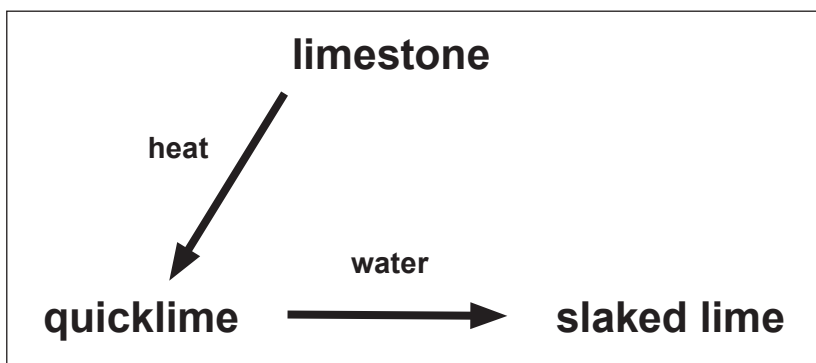
- (i) Apart from the use of safety goggles, state **one** safety precaution that needs to be followed when using **each** of these elements. [2]

Element	Safety precaution
sodium	.....
chlorine	.....

- (ii) Complete and balance the symbol equation for the reaction that takes place between sodium and chlorine. [2]



2. The following diagram shows how limestone,  $\text{CaCO}_3$ , can be converted into useful products.



(a) When a piece of limestone is heated strongly its mass decreases.

State the type of reaction taking place.

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(b) (i) Describe what is **seen** when limestone is heated and converted into quicklime. [1]

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(ii) Write a balanced symbol equation for the reaction taking place.

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(c) (i) Describe what is observed when quicklime is converted into slaked lime. [1]

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(ii) Write a balanced symbol equation for the reaction taking place.

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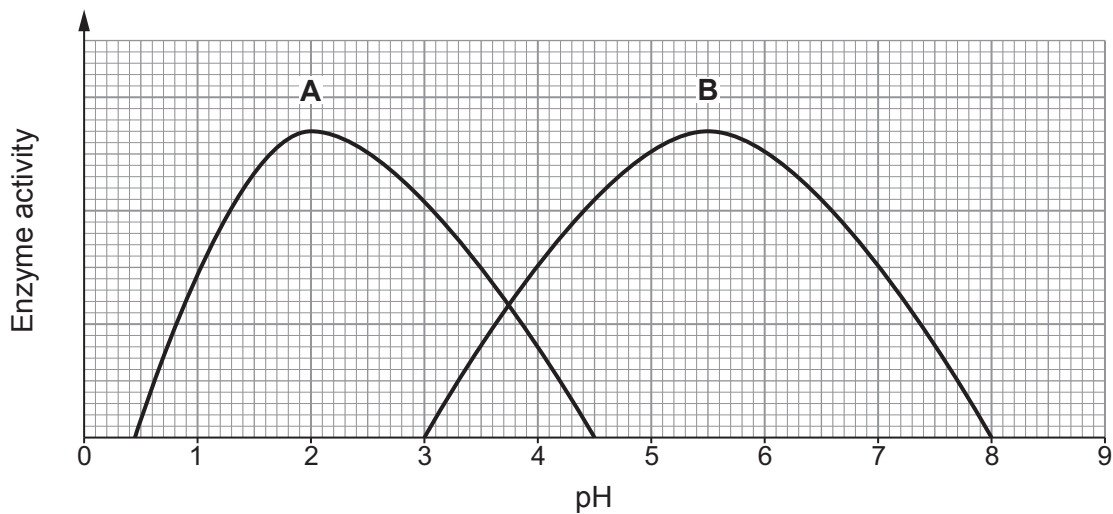
3. (a) Enzymes are biological catalysts. State what is meant by the term *catalyst*. [2]

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- (b) The following graphs show how the activity of two enzymes, **A** and **B**, varies with pH.



- (i) Use the graphs to compare the activities of the two enzymes. [2]

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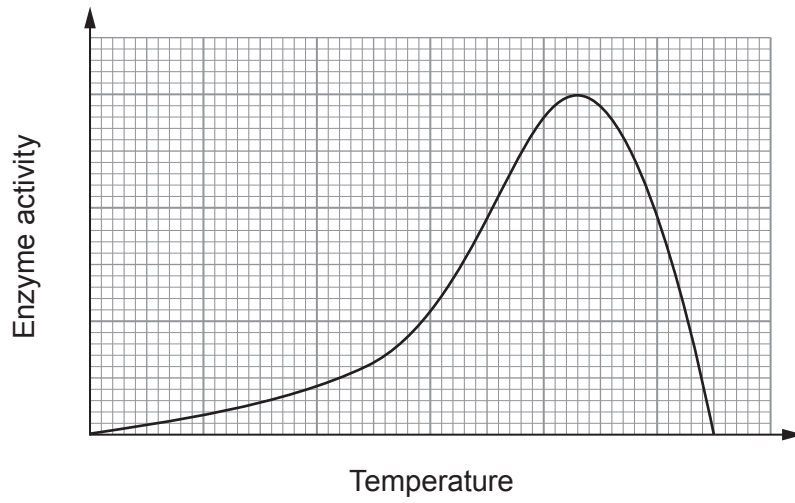
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- (ii) Enzyme **C** is found in saliva. It works between pH 5 and pH 9 but is best at a neutral pH. **Sketch on the grid above** how the activity varies with pH. [2]



(c) Temperature also affects enzyme activity as shown below.



Use the graph and your knowledge to describe how the activity of a typical enzyme changes as temperature increases. [3]

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4. Alfred Wegener proposed the theory of continental drift.

- (a) State the **evidence** that Wegener used to support his theory and explain why other scientists refused to accept it. [3]

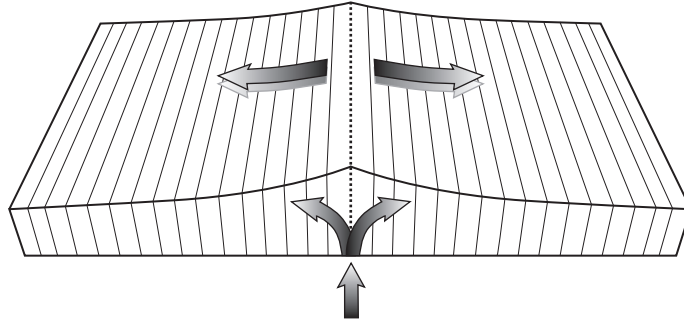
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- (b) In the 1960s scientists studied the ocean floor at a constructive plate boundary. Their observations are summarised in the following diagram.



- (i) Describe what is happening at this boundary. [2]

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- (ii) **Label the diagram** clearly to show the **oldest** rock. [1]



5. The following table shows the solubility of potassium permanganate in water at temperatures between 30 °C and 60 °C.

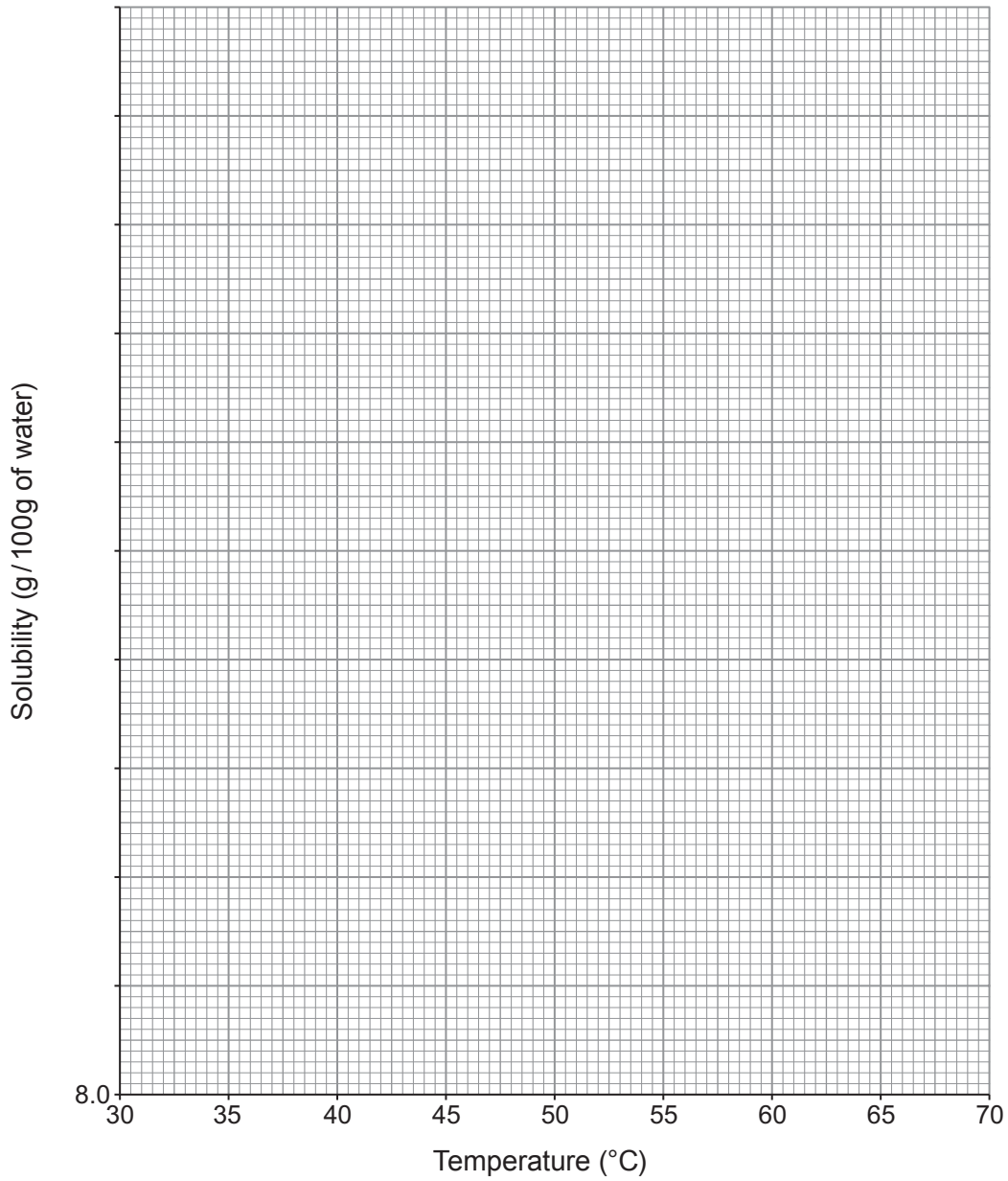
Temperature (°C)	Solubility (g/ 100g of water)
30	9.0
35	10.8
40	12.5
45	14.4
50	16.8
55	19.2
60	22.2





(a) Plot these values on the grid below. Draw a suitable line.

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(b) Use the graph to calculate the mass of crystals formed when a saturated solution in 500 g of water is cooled from 65 °C to 30 °C. [3]

Mass of crystals = ..... g

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6. This question is about the uses of gases present in air.

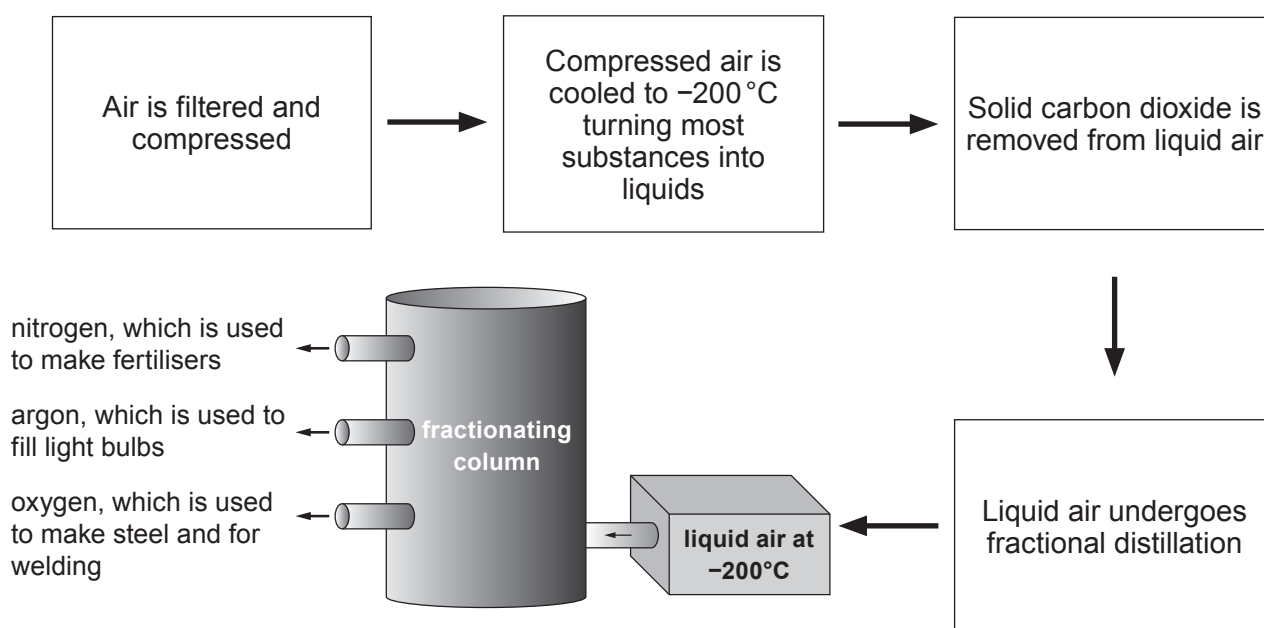
Air is a mixture of different gases. Each gas has different uses. The gases are present in different amounts as shown below.

Gas	Amount present in air	Boiling point (°C)
N <sub>2</sub>	78.04 %	-195.8
O <sub>2</sub>	20.95 %	-183.0
CO <sub>2</sub>	0.03 %	-78.5
Ar	0.93 %	-189.2
Ne	18 ppm	-246.0
He	5 ppm	-268.9
Kr	1 ppm	-152.3
Xe	0.08 ppm	-107.1
H <sub>2</sub>	0.5 ppm	-257.9
CH <sub>4</sub>	2 ppm	-164.0
N <sub>2</sub> O	0.5 ppm	-88.5

ppm = parts per million

Separating a complex mixture!

Air is firstly compressed and cooled which turns it into a liquid. Carbon dioxide freezes and is removed as solid dry ice. The rest of the mixture goes on to a fractionating column where it is slowly warmed allowing most of the substances to be separated.



- (a) Tick (✓) the **main** reason why hydrogen is not separated during the fractional distillation of liquid air. [1]

hydrogen is a highly reactive gas

only 0.5 ppm of hydrogen is present

hydrogen does not become liquid on cooling to  $-200^{\circ}\text{C}$

hydrogen has a higher boiling point than helium

- (b) Tick (✓) the reason why carbon dioxide becomes a solid during the first part of the process. [1]

carbon dioxide has a boiling point above  $-200^{\circ}\text{C}$

carbon dioxide has a melting point above  $-200^{\circ}\text{C}$

carbon dioxide has a melting point below  $-200^{\circ}\text{C}$

carbon dioxide has a boiling point below  $-200^{\circ}\text{C}$

- (c) Describe, in terms of boiling points, how nitrogen, argon and oxygen are separated during fractional distillation. [3]

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- (d) The noble gases are present in very small quantities in the air. The amount of each gas produced per year is shown in the table.

Noble gas	World production (tonnes per year)
helium	28 000
neon	1 000
argon	700 000
krypton	8
xenon	0.6

Use the data to calculate the number of tonnes of air needed to produce 700 000 tonnes of argon. Give your answer in **standard form**. [2]

Mass of air needed = ..... tonnes

  
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7. (a) Potassium has three stable isotopes –  $^{39}\text{K}$ ,  $^{40}\text{K}$  and  $^{41}\text{K}$ .

(i) Compare the nuclei of each of these isotopes. [1]

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(ii) Use the information to calculate the relative atomic mass,  $A_r$ , of potassium.

Record your answer to **three** significant figures. [3]

Isotope	Relative isotopic mass	% in sample
$^{39}\text{K}$	39	93.1
$^{40}\text{K}$	40	0.0122
$^{41}\text{K}$	41	6.88

$$A_r = \frac{(\text{mass} \times \% \text{ isotope 1}) + (\text{mass} \times \% \text{ isotope 2}) + (\text{mass} \times \% \text{ isotope 3})}{100}$$

$$A_r = \dots\dots\dots$$



(b) Lithium lies above potassium in the Periodic Table.

(i) Give **two** similarities and **two** differences between the reactions of potassium and lithium with water. [2]

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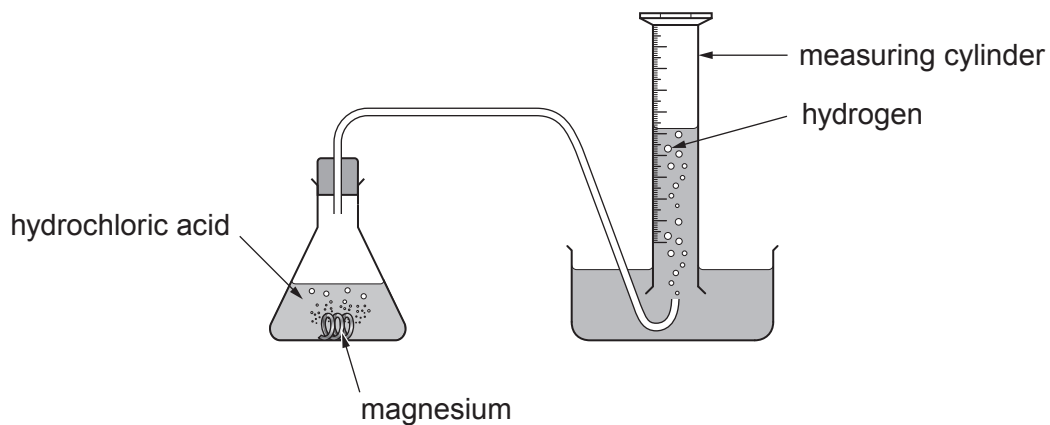
(ii) Write a balanced symbol equation for the reaction between potassium and water. [3]

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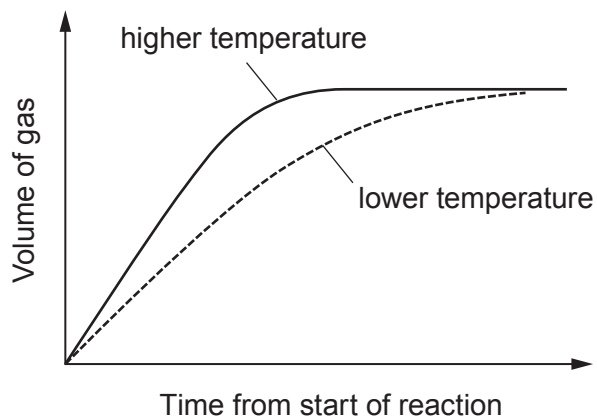
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8. The following apparatus can be used to investigate the rate of the reaction between magnesium and excess dilute hydrochloric acid.



The results obtained at two different temperatures are shown below.



- (a) Explain the results obtained at different temperatures in terms of particle theory. [3]

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(b) Explain the change in rate over time.

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(c) State **one** way of improving the validity of the results obtained. Explain your answer. [2]

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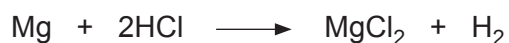
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(d) The equation for the reaction taking place is as follows.



(i) In the experiment, 0.445 g of magnesium was used.

Calculate the mass of hydrogen that will be produced during the reaction. [3]

$$A_r(\text{Mg}) = 24 \qquad A_r(\text{H}) = 1$$

Mass = ..... g

(ii) It is known that one mole of gas has a volume of 24 dm<sup>3</sup>.

Use the equation below to calculate the volume of hydrogen produced. [2]

$$\text{number of moles} = \frac{\text{volume of gas}}{24}$$

Volume = ..... dm<sup>3</sup>



9. A student is investigating the relative reactivities of the halogens using the elements and solutions of their halides. She adds each halogen to separate solutions of the other halides.

State and explain the observations made. How can the results be used to determine the relative reactivities of the halogens? Include equations in your answer. [6 QER]

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10. (a) Global warming is believed to be mainly the result of increasing levels of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere.

(i) State how the balance of carbon dioxide and oxygen is maintained in the atmosphere. Explain why levels of carbon dioxide are increasing and how this leads to global warming. [3]

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(ii) Carbon capture and storage (CCS) is one possible method of reducing global warming.

Describe briefly how CCS is carried out. [2]

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(b) Oxides of nitrogen are released in vehicle exhaust fumes. They can cause smog in busy city centres as well as acid rain.

(i) One oxide of nitrogen contains 30.4 g of nitrogen and 69.6 g of oxygen.

Find the simplest formula of this oxide. You **must** show your working. [3]

$$A_r(\text{N}) = 14$$

$$A_r(\text{O}) = 16$$

Simplest formula .....

(ii) The oxide with this simplest formula is found to have a relative molecular mass of 92. Find its molecular formula. [2]

Molecular formula .....

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## FORMULAE FOR SOME COMMON IONS

POSITIVE IONS		NEGATIVE IONS	
Name	Formula	Name	Formula
aluminium	$\text{Al}^{3+}$	bromide	$\text{Br}^-$
ammonium	$\text{NH}_4^+$	carbonate	$\text{CO}_3^{2-}$
barium	$\text{Ba}^{2+}$	chloride	$\text{Cl}^-$
calcium	$\text{Ca}^{2+}$	fluoride	$\text{F}^-$
copper(II)	$\text{Cu}^{2+}$	hydroxide	$\text{OH}^-$
hydrogen	$\text{H}^+$	iodide	$\text{I}^-$
iron(II)	$\text{Fe}^{2+}$	nitrate	$\text{NO}_3^-$
iron(III)	$\text{Fe}^{3+}$	oxide	$\text{O}^{2-}$
lithium	$\text{Li}^+$	sulfate	$\text{SO}_4^{2-}$
magnesium	$\text{Mg}^{2+}$		
nickel	$\text{Ni}^{2+}$		
potassium	$\text{K}^+$		
silver	$\text{Ag}^+$		
sodium	$\text{Na}^+$		
zinc	$\text{Zn}^{2+}$		





# THE PERIODIC TABLE

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7 <b>Li</b> Lithium 3	9 <b>Be</b> Beryllium 4	11 <b>Na</b> Sodium 11	12 <b>C</b> Carbon 6	13 <b>Al</b> Aluminium 13	14 <b>N</b> Nitrogen 7	15 <b>P</b> Phosphorus 15	16 <b>O</b> Oxygen 8	17 <b>F</b> Fluorine 9	18 <b>Ne</b> Neon 10
19 <b>K</b> Potassium 19	20 <b>Ca</b> Calcium 20	23 <b>Sc</b> Scandium 21	24 <b>Ti</b> Titanium 22	25 <b>V</b> Vanadium 23	26 <b>Cr</b> Chromium 24	27 <b>Mn</b> Manganese 25	28 <b>Fe</b> Iron 26	29 <b>Co</b> Cobalt 27	30 <b>Ni</b> Nickel 28
37 <b>Rb</b> Rubidium 37	38 <b>Sr</b> Strontium 38	39 <b>Y</b> Yttrium 39	40 <b>Zr</b> Zirconium 40	41 <b>Nb</b> Niobium 41	42 <b>Mo</b> Molybdenum 42	43 <b>Tc</b> Technetium 43	44 <b>Ru</b> Ruthenium 44	45 <b>Rh</b> Rhodium 45	46 <b>Pd</b> Palladium 46
55 <b>Cs</b> Caesium 55	56 <b>Ba</b> Barium 56	57 <b>La</b> Lanthanum 57	72 <b>Hf</b> Hafnium 72	73 <b>Ta</b> Tantalum 73	74 <b>W</b> Tungsten 74	75 <b>Re</b> Rhenium 75	76 <b>Os</b> Osmium 76	77 <b>Ir</b> Iridium 77	78 <b>Pt</b> Platinum 78
87 <b>Fr</b> Francium 87	88 <b>Ra</b> Radium 88	89 <b>Ac</b> Actinium 89	81 <b>Tl</b> Thallium 81	82 <b>Pb</b> Lead 82	83 <b>Bi</b> Bismuth 83	84 <b>Po</b> Polonium 84	85 <b>At</b> Astatine 85	86 <b>Rn</b> Radon 86	
101 <b>Ag</b> Silver 108	102 <b>Cd</b> Cadmium 112	103 <b>In</b> Indium 115	104 <b>Sn</b> Tin 119	105 <b>Sb</b> Antimony 122	106 <b>Te</b> Tellurium 128	107 <b>I</b> Iodine 127	108 <b>Xe</b> Xenon 131	109 <b>Ba</b> Barium 137	110 <b>Kr</b> Krypton 36
111 <b>Cu</b> Copper 63.5	112 <b>Zn</b> Zinc 65	113 <b>Ga</b> Gallium 31	114 <b>Ge</b> Germanium 32	115 <b>As</b> Arsenic 33	116 <b>Se</b> Selenium 34	117 <b>Br</b> Bromine 35	118 <b>Kr</b> Krypton 36	119 <b>Cs</b> Caesium 133	120 <b>Rn</b> Radon 222
121 <b>Hg</b> Mercury 80	122 <b>Tl</b> Thallium 81	123 <b>Pb</b> Lead 82	124 <b>Bi</b> Bismuth 83	125 <b>Po</b> Polonium 84	126 <b>At</b> Astatine 85	127 <b>Rn</b> Radon 86	128 <b>Fr</b> Francium 87	129 <b>Ra</b> Radium 88	130 <b>Ac</b> Actinium 89

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Key

Ar	relative atomic mass
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Z	atomic number