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**0620 CHEMISTRY**

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Paper 3 (Extended Theory), maximum raw mark 80

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- 1 (a) (i) contains carbon and hydrogen [1]  
**cond:** only / just [1]
- (ii) (different) boiling points [1]  
**cond:** separate [1]
- (b) bitumen-making roads / roofs / water-proofing, etc. [1]
- lubricating fraction – waxes / vaseline / grease, etc. or machinery example, e.g. (oil a) bike / hinges / reducing friction [1]
- paraffin fraction – jet fuel / (home) heating or tractors or cooking or lighting [1]
- gasoline fraction – petrol or fuel for cars / vans / trucks [1]
- [Total: 8]**
- 2 (a) 3 or III [1]
- (b) good conductor and it is a metal/has delocalised (free) electrons [1]
- (c) N or P or As or Sb [1]  
**accept Bi**
- (d)  $M_2(SO_4)_3$  [1]  
**accept:**  $Ga_2(SO_4)_3$
- (e) it would react with/dissolves in a named strong acid [1]  
it would react with/dissolves in a named alkali [1]  
it shows both basic and acid properties =1 [1]  
it reacts with both acids and bases/alkalis =1 [1]  
[**max 2**]
- [Total: 6]**

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- 3 (a) (i) pieces have (same) surface area [1]  
 same amount / mass / quantity / volume / number of moles of carbonate [1]
- (ii) no more bubbles / carbon dioxide **or** piece disappears / dissolves [1]
- (b) experiment 1  $\text{Ca}^{2+} + \text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$  [1]
- (c) (i) more concentrated **or** higher concentration (of acid) (in experiment 1) [1]  
 accept: arguments based on collision theory
- (ii) ethanoic acid is a weak acid **or** hydrochloric acid is a strong acid [1]  
 accept: stronger or weaker
- ethanoic acid less ionised / dissociated / lower / smaller concentration of hydrogen ions [1]  
 accept: less hydrogen ions and vice versa argument but not dissociation of ions
- (iii) lower temperature (particles) have less energy [1]  
 moving more slowly [1]  
 fewer collisions / lower collision rate [1]  
**or**  
 lower temperature (particles) have less energy [1]  
 fewer particles collide [1]  
 with the necessary energy to react [1]  
 note: less energy fewer successful collisions gains all 3 marks
- [Total: 10]**
- 4 (a) it is an alkane **or** hydrocarbon [1]  
 it is saturated **or** only C—C single bonds [1]  
 accept: no double bonds
- (b) molecular formula  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}$  [1]  
 empirical formula  $\text{CH}_2$  [1]
- (c) correct structural formula of cyclobutane [1]

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- (d) (i)  $C_6H_{12}$  [1]  
**accept:** a correct structural formula
- (ii) same molecular formula **not:** chemical formula [1]  
different structural formulae / structures [1]
- (e) add bromine (water) or (l) [1]  
**cond:** (remains) brown **or** orange **or** red or yellow [1]  
**cond:** changes from brown, etc. to colourless or decolourises [1]  
**not:** clear
- OR**  
potassium manganate(VII) [1]  
**note:** oxidation state not essential but if given must be correct or [0]  
**accept:** potassium permanganate
- cond:** remains pink / purple [1]  
**cond:** changes from pink to colourless (**acidic**) [1]  
**not:** clear
- cond:** change from pink to green / brown (**alkaline**)

[Total: 11]

- 5 (a) (i) any metal above zinc [1]  
 $Mg \rightarrow Mg^{2+} + 2e^{-}$
- (ii)  $Zn + 2Ag^{+} \rightarrow Zn^{2+} + 2Ag$  [2]  
**Note:** not balanced only [1]
- (iii) because they can accept or gain electrons / change into atoms or can be reduced [1]
- (iv)  $Ag^{+}$  or silver [1]  
charge not essential but if given must be correct
- (v)  $Ag^{+}$  and  $Cu^{2+}$  **or** silver and copper [1]  
charge not essential but if given must be correct

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- (b) Cu Sn Cd Zn (*i.e. all 4 in correct order*) [1]  
relates order to voltage [1]

one relevant comment from: [1]

higher reactivity metals are the negative electrode / copper is least reactive because it is the positive electrode because copper would have the lowest voltage / copper cell  $V = 0$  / the bigger the difference in reactivity, the bigger the voltage / zinc has highest voltage because it is most reactive / more reactive metals have higher voltage

[Total: 9]

- 6 (a) (i) proton or  $H^+$  acceptor [1]
- (ii) (measure) pH or (use) UI indicator [1]  
**note:** can be implied need not be explicit  
sodium hydroxide has higher pH / ammonia(aq) has lower pH [1]  
(this sentence would score 2 marks)  
**or**  
appropriate colours with UI / appropriate numerical values [1]  
ammonia is closer to green, blue-green, turquoise or lighter blue  
sodium hydroxide is darker blue / purple / violet [1]  
**or**  
measure electrical conductivity [1]  
can be implied need not be explicit  
ammonia (aq) is the poorer conductor/ sodium hydroxide is the better conductor [1]

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(b) any five from:

- high pressure favours lower volume side / movement to right / ammonia side, **or** high pressure increases the yield
- high pressure increases rate
- low temperature favours exothermic reaction / increases yield / favours the forward reaction
- low temperature gives low rate or vice versa
- catalyst increases rate or lowers activation energy
- 450 °C low enough to give an economic yield but with catalyst gives a fast enough rate  
note need whole concept to get this compromise temperature point [5]

(c)  $2\text{NH}_3 + \text{NaClO} \rightarrow \text{N}_2\text{H}_4 + \text{NaCl} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$  [2]  
not balanced only 1

(d) 4 hydrogen atoms 1 bonding pair each [1]  
2 nitrogen atoms with 1 bonding pair between them [1]  
one non-bonding pair on each N (need not be seen as a pair) [1]

(e) (i) pH increases [1]

(ii) oxygen needed for rusting / removes oxygen / reacts with oxygen [1]

**[Total: 15]**

7 (a) (i) add carbon / animal charcoal [1]  
filter [1]

**OR**

repeat experiment without indicator [1]  
using same quantity / volume of acid [1]

(ii) add magnesium metal / carbonate / oxide / hydroxide [1]  
to (hot) (hydrochloric) acid [1]

**cond:** until in excess **or** no more dissolves **or** reacts [1]

**cond:** filter (to remove unreacted solid) [1]

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- (b) number of moles of HCl =  $0.020 \times 2.20 = 0.044$  [1]  
 number of moles of LiOH = 0.044  
 concentration of LiOH =  $0.044/0.025 = 1.769$  (mol/dm<sup>3</sup>) [1]  
**accept** 1.75 to 1.77 need 2 dp  
 correct answer scores = 2

- (c) (for LiCl·2H<sub>2</sub>O)  
 mass of one mole = 78.5 [1]  
 percentage water =  $36 / 78.5 \times 100$  [1]  
 45.9 so is LiCl·2H<sub>2</sub>O [1]  
 only award the marks if you can follow the reasoning and it gives 45.9% of water

**note:** if correct option given mark this and ignore the rest of the response

**allow:** max 2 for applying a correct method to another hydrate, [1] for the method and [1] for the correct value, working essential

[Total: 10]

- 8 (a) (i) regular arrangement / repeating pattern **NOT** structure [1]  
**cond:** ions [1]  
**not** molecules / atoms
- (ii) attraction between opposite charges / electrostatic attraction [1]
- (b) delocalised / mobile / free / sea of electrons [1]  
 positive ions / cations  
**not** atoms / protons / nuclei [1]  
 attraction between these electrons and ions [1]
- (c) **giant covalent**  
 no ions [1]  
 no delocalised / free / mobile / sea of electrons **or** all electrons [1]
- ionic**  
 in ionic solid ions cannot move [1]  
 liquid ionic compound ions can move [1]
- metallic**  
 (both solid and liquid) metals have delocalised (**or** alternative term) electrons [1]

[Total: 11]