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Paper 2 Multiple Choice (Extended)

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45 minutes

Additional Materials: Multiple Choice Answer Sheet

Soft clean eraser

Soft pencil (type B or HB is recommended)

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write in soft pencil.

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

Write your name, Centre number and candidate number on the Answer Sheet in the spaces provided unless this has been done for you.

DO **NOT** WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

There are **forty** questions on this paper. Answer **all** questions. For each question there are four possible answers **A**, **B**, **C** and **D**.

Choose the one you consider correct and record your choice in soft pencil on the separate Answer Sheet.

Read the instructions on the Answer Sheet very carefully.

Each correct answer will score one mark. A mark will not be deducted for a wrong answer.

Any rough working should be done in this booklet.

A copy of the Periodic Table is printed on page 16.

Electronic calculators may be used.

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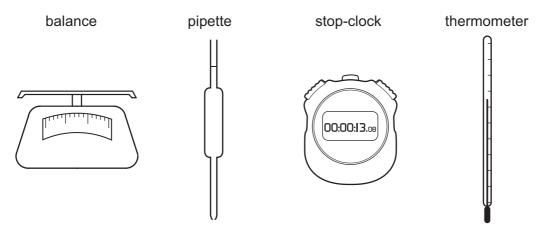
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1 Gases are separated from liquid air by fractional distillation. The boiling points of four gases are shown.

Which gas is both monatomic and a liquid at -200 °C?

	gas	boiling point/°C
Α	argon	-186
В	helium	-269
С	neon	-246
D	nitrogen	-196

2 The diagrams show four pieces of laboratory equipment.



Which equipment is essential to find out if dissolving a salt in water is an exothermic process?

	balance	pipette	stop-clock	thermometer
Α	X	X	X	✓
В	✓	X	x	✓
С	X	✓	x	✓
D	✓	X	✓	X

- **3** Which statement describes isotopes?
 - A Isotopes of the same element have different electron arrangements.
 - **B** Isotopes of the same element have different nuclear charges.
 - **C** Isotopes of the same element have nuclei with masses that are the same.
 - **D** Isotopes of the same element have the same number of protons.

4 X and Y are both atoms.

X and Y have the same chemical properties as each other.

Which row describes the atomic structures of X and Y?

	Х				Y	
	protons	neutrons	electrons	protons	neutrons	electrons
Α	6	6	6	6	6	7
В	6	6	6	6	8	6
С	6	6	6	16	16	16
D	7	6	7	6	6	7

5 W	hich covalent/	molecule co	ntains two a	atoms I	bonded t	together	by exac	ctly four	shared	electrons	?
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- $A N_2$
- **B** C₃H₈
- C CH₃OH
- D CH₃COOH

6 The formula of ammonia is NH₃.

Which statement about a molecule of ammonia is correct?

- **A** The bonding in a molecule of ammonia is ionic.
- **B** The nitrogen atom has a noble gas configuration, the hydrogen atoms do not.
- **C** The nitrogen atom shares all of its electrons with hydrogen atoms.
- **D** There are six shared electrons in a molecule of ammonia.

7 Which gas sample has the greatest mass?

- **A** 5.0 moles of Cl_2
- B 10.0 moles of O₂
- \mathbf{C} 15.0 moles of N_2
- D 20.0 moles of H₂
- 8 Which sample of magnesium chloride, $MgCl_2$, contains the same number of moles as 69.6 g of potassium sulfate, K_2SO_4 ?
 - **A** 19.0 g
- **B** 28.5 g
- **C** 38.0 g
- **D** 47.5 g
- 9 Iron(III) chromate is a yellow solid. It contains the ions Fe³⁺ and CrO₄²⁻.

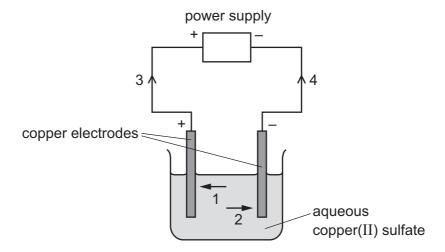
What is the formula of iron(III) chromate?

- A FeCrO₄
- **B** $Fe_3(CrO_4)_2$
- C Fe₂CrO₄
- **D** $Fe_2(CrO_4)_3$

10 Electrolysis of copper(II) sulfate can be done using either carbon electrodes or copper electrodes.

Which statement describes what happens at the positive electrode?

- **A** Copper is deposited if the electrode is made from carbon.
- **B** Copper is deposited if the electrode is made from copper.
- **C** Oxygen gas is produced if the electrode is made from carbon.
- **D** Oxygen gas is produced if the electrode is made from copper.
- 11 The diagram shows a circuit used to electrolyse aqueous copper(II) sulfate.



Which arrows indicate the movement of the copper ions in the electrolyte and of the electrons in the external circuit?

	copper ions	electrons
Α	1	3
В	1	4
С	2	3
D	2	4

12 Ethene burns in oxygen to form carbon dioxide and water vapour.

The bond energies are shown in the table.

bond	bond energy in kJ/mol
C=C	+610
C–H	+410
O=O	+497
C=O	+805
O–H	+460

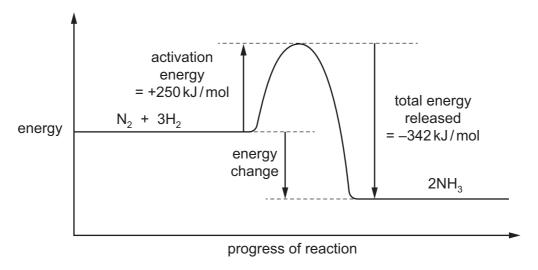
What is the energy change for the reaction?

- **A** –2959 kJ/mol
- **B** –2313 kJ/mol
- C -1319 kJ/mol
- **D** -399 kJ/mol

13 The equation for the formation of ammonia is shown.

$$N_2 + 3H_2 \rightarrow 2NH_3$$

The energy level diagram for the reaction is shown.



What is the energy change for the reaction?

A -592 kJ/mol

B -92 kJ/mol

C +92 kJ/mol

D +592 kJ/mol

14 Dilute hydrochloric acid reacts with 1 g of limestone.

Which conditions produce the fastest rate of reaction?

- A 2 mol/dm³ hydrochloric acid and a single lump of limestone
- **B** 4 mol/dm³ hydrochloric acid and a single lump of limestone
- **C** 4 mol / dm³ hydrochloric acid and small pieces of limestone
- **D** 4 mol/dm³ hydrochloric acid and powdered limestone

15 The reversible reaction between methane and steam is shown.

$$CH_4(g) + H_2O(g) \rightleftharpoons CO(g) + 3H_2(g)$$

The forward reaction is endothermic.

Which changes in pressure and temperature move the equilibrium to the right?

	pressure	temperature	
Α	decrease	decrease	
В	decrease	increase	
С	increase	decrease	
D	increase	increase	

16 The equation for the reaction between zinc and copper(II) oxide is shown.

$$Zn + CuO \rightarrow ZnO + Cu$$

Which row shows the oxidising agent and the reducing agent?

	oxidising agent	reducing agent
Α	CuO	Cu
В	CuO	Zn
С	Zn	CuO
D	Zn	ZnO

17 The results of some experiments with sulfur dioxide are shown.

experiment	description	result
1	mix with dilute hydrochloric acid	does not react
2	mix with concentrated sodium hydroxide	a salt forms
3	add Universal Indicator	Universal Indicator turns purple
4	add acidified aqueous potassium manganate(VII)	purple solution turns colourless

Which results are correct?

A 1, 2 and 4 **B** 2, 3 and 4 **C** 1 and 2 only **D** 3 and 4 only

18 A white precipitate is produced when small amounts of two colourless solutions are mixed together.

Which pairs of solutions produce a white precipitate?

- 1 sodium hydroxide and zinc nitrate
- 2 sodium hydroxide and aluminium chloride
- 3 barium chloride and sulfuric acid
- 4 acidified barium nitrate and potassium sulfate
- **A** 1, 2, 3 and 4
- **B** 1, 2 and 4 only
- C 1 and 2 only
- **D** 2 only
- 19 Solution Q is warmed with ammonium chloride.

In a separate experiment, solution Q is added to methyl orange.

Which observations show that solution Q is basic?

	warmed with ammonium chloride	added to methyl orange
Α	gas is produced	turns red
В	gas is produced	turns yellow
С	no reaction	turns red
D	no reaction	turns yellow

- **20** Some general rules for the solubility of salts in water are listed.
 - Carbonates are insoluble (except ammonium carbonate, potassium carbonate and sodium carbonate).
 - Chlorides are soluble (except lead(II) chloride and silver chloride).
 - Nitrates are soluble.
 - Sulfates are soluble (except barium sulfate, calcium sulfate and lead(II) sulfate).

Which substances produce an insoluble salt when aqueous solutions of them are mixed?

- A barium chloride and magnesium nitrate
- **B** calcium chloride and ammonium nitrate
- C silver nitrate and zinc chloride
- **D** sodium carbonate and potassium sulfate

21 Elements in Group I of the Periodic Table react with water.

Which row describes the products made in the reaction and the trend in reactivity of the elements?

	products	trend in reactivity
Α	metal hydroxide and hydrogen	less reactive down the group
В	metal hydroxide and hydrogen	more reactive down the group
С	metal oxide and hydrogen	less reactive down the group
D	metal oxide and hydrogen	more reactive down the group

22 The equation shows the reaction between a halogen and aqueous bromide ions.

Which words complete gaps 1, 2 and 3?

	1	2	3
Α	chlorine	brown	colourless
В	chlorine	colourless	brown
С	iodine	brown	colourless
D	iodine	colourless	brown

23 An inert gas R is used to fill weather balloons.

Which descriptions of R are correct?

	number of outer shell electrons in atoms of R	structure of gas R
Α	2	diatomic molecules
В	2	single atoms
С	8	diatomic molecules
D	8	single atoms

24 Heating copper(II) carbonate produces copper(II) oxide and carbon dioxide.

Heating the copper(II) oxide formed with carbon produces copper.

Which colour changes are observed during these reactions?

- **A** green \rightarrow black \rightarrow brown
- **B** green \rightarrow white \rightarrow brown
- **C** blue \rightarrow black \rightarrow silver
- **D** blue \rightarrow white \rightarrow brown
- **25** Calcium reacts with cold water to produce hydrogen.

Lead reacts slowly when heated in air to form an oxide but has almost no reaction with steam.

Silver does not react with either air or water.

Zinc reacts when heated with steam to produce hydrogen.

What is the order of reactivity starting with the least reactive?

	least reactive — most reactive										
Α	calcium	lead	zinc	silver							
В	calcium	zinc	lead	silver							
С	silver	lead	zinc	calcium							
D	silver	zinc	lead	calcium							

26 Which row describes the use of a metal and the property upon which the use depends?

	metal	use	property
Α	aluminium	aircraft bodies	aluminium is a heat conductor
В	aluminium	cooking utensils	aluminium has a low density
С	copper	copper has a high density	
D	copper	electrical wiring	copper is a good conductor of electricity

- 27 Which statement about the manufacture of aluminium by electrolysis is correct?
 - **A** Aluminium ions are oxidised to aluminium by gaining electrons.
 - **B** Aluminium is extracted from its ore hematite.
 - **C** Molten cryolite is used to dissolve the aluminium oxide.
 - **D** Oxygen is formed at the negative electrode.

28 Ammonia is manufactured by the Haber process from nitrogen and hydrogen.

Which row gives the main sources of these two gases?

	hydrogen	nitrogen
Α	air	air
В	air	natural gas
С	natural gas	air
D	natural gas	natural gas

29 Which equation represents the incomplete combustion of propane, C₃H₈?

A
$$2C_3H_8 + 7O_2 \rightarrow 6CO + 8H_2O$$

$$\textbf{B} \quad C_3H_8 \ + \ 5O_2 \ \rightarrow \ 3CO_2 \ + \ 4H_2O$$

$$C$$
 2C₃H₈ + 11O₂ \rightarrow 6CO + 16H₂O

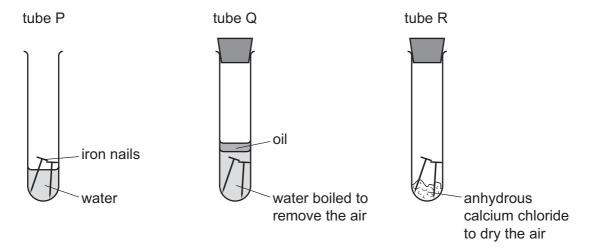
D
$$C_3H_8 + 7O_2 \rightarrow 3CO_2 + 8H_2O$$

30 Argon is a noble gas used to fill light bulbs.

What is the approximate percentage of argon in air?

- **A** 1%
- **B** 20%
- **C** 79%
- **D** 99%

31 The diagrams show experiments involving the rusting of iron.



A student predicted the following results.

- 1 In tube P, the iron nails rust.
- 2 In tube Q, the iron nails do not rust.
- 3 In tube R, the iron nails do not rust.

Which predictions are correct?

- **A** 1, 2 and 3 **B** 1 and 2 only **C** 1 and 3 only **D** 2 and 3 only
- **32** Which statement about the carbon cycle is correct?
 - **A** Animals and plants need carbon dioxide for respiration.
 - **B** Combustion of plants and natural gas produces carbon dioxide.
 - C Plants produce glucose from carbon dioxide and oxygen.
 - **D** Oxygen is produced by both animals and plants.
- 33 Which statement about sulfur or one of its compounds is correct?
 - A Sulfur occurs naturally as the element sulfur.
 - **B** Sulfur dioxide is used to kill bacteria in drinking water.
 - C Sulfuric acid is a weak acid.
 - **D** Dilute sulfuric acid is a dehydrating agent.

34 Which equation represents the formation of lime?

A
$$CaCO_3 \rightarrow CaO + CO_2$$

B CaO +
$$H_2O \rightarrow Ca(OH)_2$$

C Ca +
$$2H_2O \rightarrow Ca(OH)_2 + H_2$$

D
$$Ca(OH)_2 + CO_2 \rightarrow CaCO_3 + H_2O$$

35 Which equation representing a reaction of methane is correct?

A
$$CH_4 + Cl_2 \rightarrow CH_3Cl + HCl$$

B
$$CH_4 + Cl_2 \rightarrow CH_4Cl_2$$

C
$$CH_4 + Cl_2 \rightarrow CH_2Cl_2 + H_2$$

D
$$2CH_4 + 2Cl_2 \rightarrow 2CH_3Cl + Cl_2 + H_2$$

36 Which two compounds are molecules which both contain a double bond?

- A ethane and ethanoic acid
- B ethane and ethanol
- C ethene and ethanoic acid
- **D** ethene and ethanol

37 Ethanol can be formed by:

- 1 fermentation
- 2 reaction between steam and ethene.

Which of these processes use a catalyst?

	1	2
Α	✓	✓
В	✓	X
С	X	✓
D	X	X

38 Sugar can be fermented to produce ethanol.

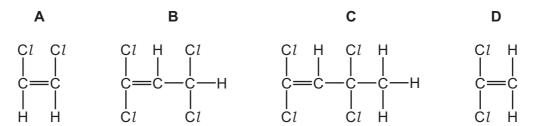
Some of the stages in the process to produce and purify ethanol are listed.

- 1 Leave in a warm place.
- 2 Add yeast.
- 3 Fractionally distil the solution.
- 4 Dissolve the sugar in water.
- 5 Filter to remove the yeast.
- 6 Crush some sugar cane.

What is the correct order of these stages?

- $\mathbf{A} \quad 4 \to 6 \to 2 \to 1 \to 5 \to 3$
- **B** $6 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow 3$
- $\textbf{C} \quad 6 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 5$
- **D** $6 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow 3$
- 39 Which statement about ethanoic acid is correct?
 - **A** It contains a $-C_2H_5$ group.
 - **B** It is a strong acid.
 - **C** It is formed by the reduction of ethanol.
 - **D** It reacts with alcohols to form esters.
- **40** The structure of a polymer is shown.

Which monomer is used to make this polymer?



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The Periodic Table of Elements

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lanthanoids

actinoids

The volume of one mole of any gas is $24\,\mathrm{dm}^3$ at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).