1   The diagram shows the setup for a chemical reaction which produces a gas.
The gas is then dried and collected.

What could the gas be?

A   carbon dioxide
B   hydrogen
C   oxygen
D   sulfur dioxide

2   The melting and boiling points of the gases in a sample of air are shown.
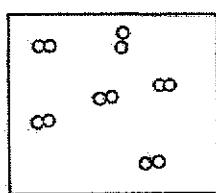
gas	melting point / °C	boiling point / °C
oxygen	-219	-183
argon	-189	-186
nitrogen	-210	-196

At which temperature will the sample of air contain oxygen as the only liquid?
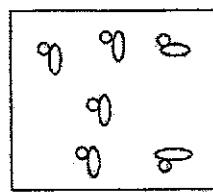
A   -174°C
B   -187°C
C   -215°C
D   -222°C

3   Which of the following pairs of substances can be separated by heating?

A   ammonium chloride and iodine
B   ammonium chloride and potassium iodide
C   copper (II) nitrate and potassium iodide
D   copper (II) nitrate and sodium chloride

4   The following diagrams can be used to illustrate the following.
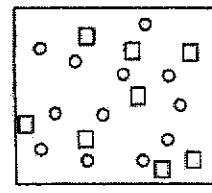
1   a mixture of elements and compounds
2   a mixture of elements
3   molecules of an element
4   molecules of a compound
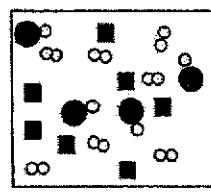
What is the correct order of the diagrams?

	1	2	3	4
A	Y	Z	X	W
B	Z	Y	X	W
C	Z	Y	W	X
D	Z	X	W	Y

5   A student wrote the following statements in her test script:

statement 1:   "Hydrogen chloride has a lower boiling point than calcium chloride as covalent bonds are weaker than electrostatic forces of attraction."

statement 2:   "In a gaseous sample of methane, the intermolecular forces of attraction between the CH_4 molecules are weak."

statement 3:   "In silicon dioxide, all valence electrons of silicon are used in the making of covalent bonds."

Which of the above statements are correct?

A   statement 1 and statement 2
B   statement 1 and statement 3
C   statement 2 and statement 3
D   statement 1, 2 and 3

6   The table shows the proton number and nucleon number of elements M and N.

element	proton number	nucleon number
M	13	27
N	8	16

When M and N react to form a compound, what will be the mass of one mole of the compound?

A   43
B   70
C   102
D   113

7   The relative masses and relative charges of particles V to Z are shown in Fig. 1 and Fig. 2 respectively.
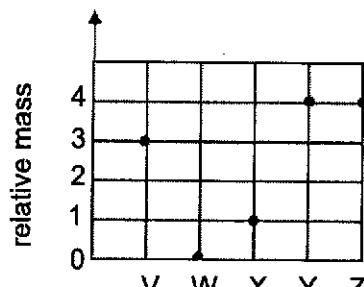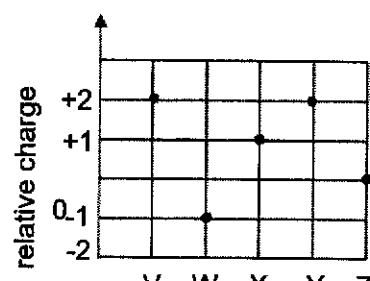

Fig. 1   Fig. 2

Which of the following statements are correct?

1   W represents an electron.
2   X represents a hydrogen ion.
3   Z represents the nucleus of a helium atom.
4   V and Y represent the nuclei of isotopes.

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

8   Which statement best explains why brass, made of copper and zinc, is suitable to make music instruments compared to pure copper?

A   The zinc atoms form strong metallic bonds with copper atoms in brass.
B   The zinc atoms have more valence electrons than copper atoms.
C   The zinc atoms prevent layers of copper atoms from sliding over each other.
D   The zinc atoms prevent the 'sea of electrons' from moving freely.

9   A 286 g sample of hydrated copper(II) sulfate contains 126 g of water of crystallisation.

What is the correct formula of this compound?

A $CuSO_4 \cdot 3H_2O$
B $CuSO_4 \cdot 5H_2O$
C $CuSO_4 \cdot 7H_2O$
D $CuSO_4 \cdot 9H_2O$

10 Aqueous sodium hydroxide reacts with a certain metal chloride, MCl_n solution according to the equation given.

$$MCl_n + nNaOH \rightarrow M(OH)_n + nNaCl$$
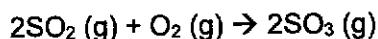
10.0 cm³ of 3.00 mol/dm³ NaOH solution were found to react with 10.0 cm³ of 1.50 mol/dm³ MCl_n solution.

What is the formula of the metal chloride?

A MCl
B MCl_2
C MCl_3
D MCl_4

11 Sulfur dioxide can react with oxygen to form sulfur trioxide as shown.

$$2SO_2 (g) + O_2 (g) \rightarrow 2SO_3 (g)$$

If 200 cm³ of sulfur dioxide is reacted with 200 cm³ of oxygen, what is the volume of gases remaining after the reaction?

A   100 cm³
B   200 cm³
C   300 cm³
D   400 cm³

12 An aqueous solution has a pH of 14.

What does this imply about the concentration of ions present in the solution?

	concentration of OH⁻ ions	concentration of H⁺ ions
A	high	low
B	high	none
C	low	high
D	low	none
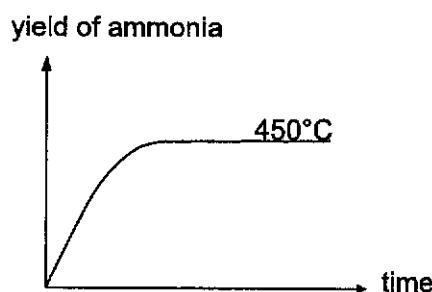
13   Which of the following equations suggests that the underlined oxide has amphoteric properties?

A $\underline{Ga_2O_3}$ + 2NaOH → 2NaGaO$_2$ + H$_2$O
B $\underline{Li_2O}$ + H$_2$O → 2LiOH
C $\underline{CuO}$ + 2HCl → CuCl_2 + H$_2$O
D $\underline{Cl_2O}$ + 2NaOH → 2NaClO + H$_2$O
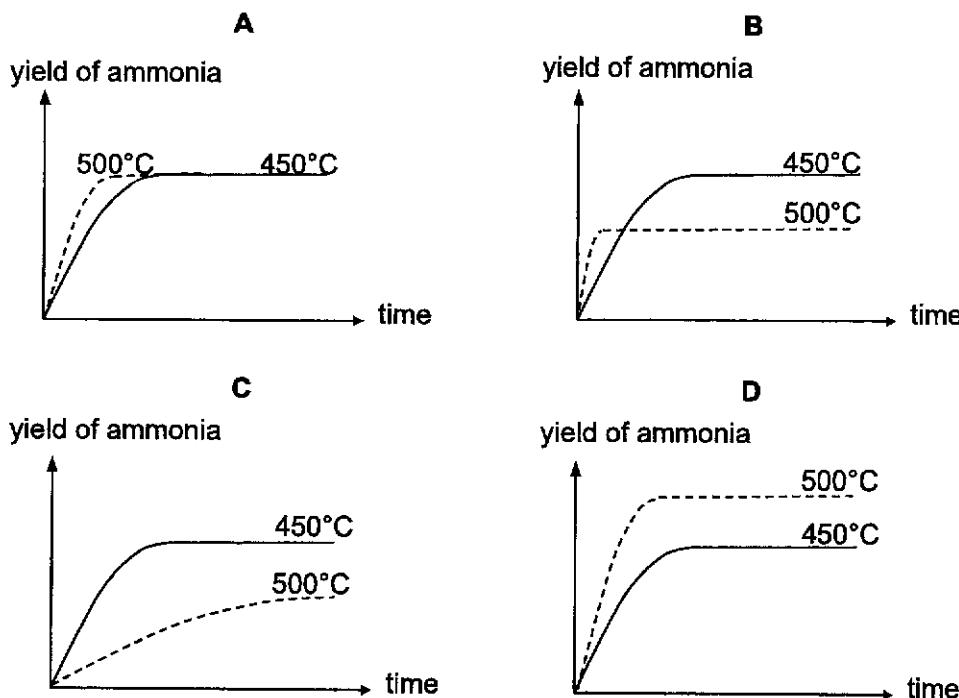
14   Which of the following salts can be prepared using the same method?

A   calcium sulfate, zinc chloride,
B   copper(II) sulfate, silver nitrate
C   potassium nitrate, magnesium nitrate
D   potassium iodide, silver iodide

15   The graph shows the optimal yield of ammonia at 450°C and 250 atm.

yield of ammonia

450°C

time

Which of the following graphs shows a correct comparison of the yield of ammonia produced at temperature of 500°C and 250 atm?

A
yield of ammonia

500°C   450°C

time

B
yield of ammonia

450°C

500°C

time

C
yield of ammonia

450°C

500°C

time

D
yield of ammonia

500°C

450°C

time

16 Several tests are performed on an unlabelled bottle containing an aqueous sample.

Which of the following results is likely to correspond to iron(II) chloride?

	test 1: add dilute nitric acid, then aqueous silver nitrate	test 2: add dilute nitric acid, then aqueous barium nitrate	test 3: add aqueous sodium hydroxide dropwise, then add in excess
A	no visible reaction	white precipitate formed	green precipitate formed, does not dissolve in excess sodium hydroxide
B	no visible reaction	white precipitate formed	reddish-brown precipitate formed, does not dissolve in excess sodium hydroxide
C	white precipitate formed	no visible reaction	green precipitate formed, does not dissolve in excess sodium hydroxide
D	white precipitate formed	no visible reaction	reddish-brown precipitate formed, does not dissolve in excess sodium hydroxide

17 Disproportionation is a reaction in which the same element is both oxidised and reduced.

Which reaction is **not** an example of disproportionation?

A $Cl_2 + 2NaOH \rightarrow NaCl + NaOCl + H_2O$

B $2CuCl \rightarrow CuCl_2 + Cu$

C $2H_2O_2 \rightarrow 2H_2O + O_2$

D $2Pb(NO_3)_2 \rightarrow 2PbO + 4NO_2 + O_2$

18 In an electrolysis experiment, the same amount of charge deposited 19.2 g of copper and 9 g of scandium. The charge on the copper ion is +2.
[A_r: Sc, 45; Cu, 64]
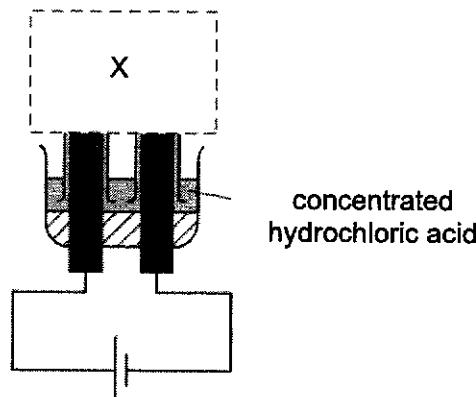
What was the charge on the scandium ion?

A +1

B +2

C +3

D +4
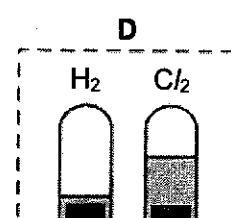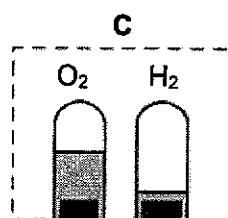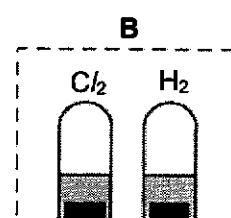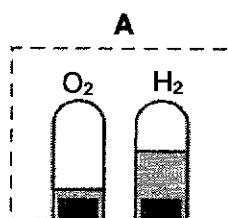
19 Which property is **not** typical of transition metals?

A   They exhibit variable oxidation states.
B   They form coloured compounds.
C   They have high melting points
D   They have low densities.

20 The electrolysis set-up shown is incomplete.

concentrated hydrochloric acid

What should be shown at X when the solution has been electrolysed for some time?
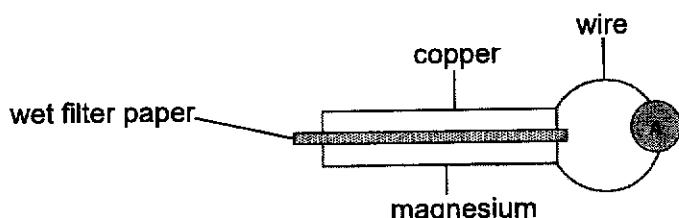
21 Lithium and rubidium are both in Group 1 of the Periodic Table.

Which statement is correct?
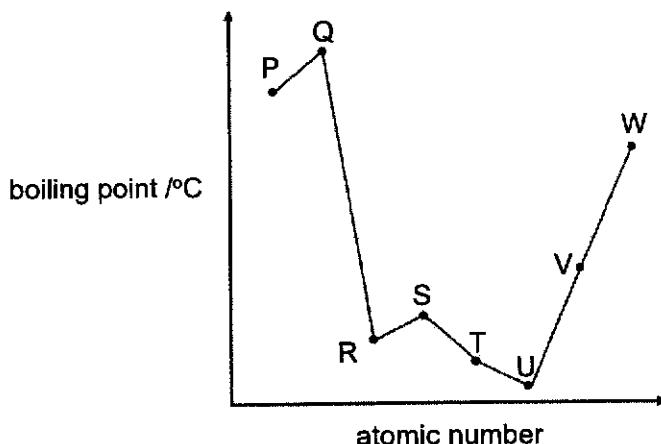
A   Lithium atoms and rubidium atoms have the same number of electrons in their outer shell.
B   Lithium atoms and rubidium ions have the same number of electrons in their outer shell.
C   Lithium atoms are larger than rubidium atoms.
D   Rubidium ions are larger than rubidium atoms.

22 In the following setup, magnesium and copper strips are pressed against a piece of wet filter paper soaked in dilute sulfuric acid and current can be detected by an ammeter.


Which of the following statement is correct?
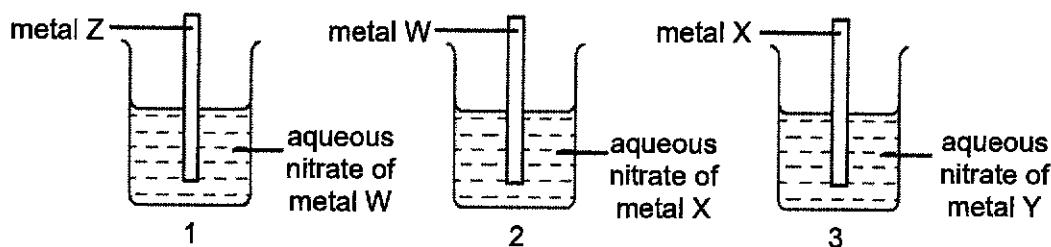
A   Copper strip decreases in size.
B   Electrons flow from copper to magnesium through the external wire.
C   Magnesium strip is coated with a pink substance.
D   Oxidation occurs on the magnesium strip.

23 The graph shows the variation in boiling points for eight consecutive elements in Periods 3 and 4 of the Periodic Table with atomic numbers less than or equal to 20.

What can be deduced from the above?

A   Element P is a Group 1 element.
B   Element S has a metallic lattice structure.
C   Element U exists as diatomic molecules.
D   Element V is a strong reducing agent.

24 Magnesium blocks are attached to iron pipes to prevent them from rusting.

Which statement best explains how magnesium stop the iron from rusting?

A   Magnesium forms a compound with iron.
B   Magnesium reacts in preference to iron.
C   Magnesium reacts to form a protective coating of magnesium oxide to the iron.
D   Magnesium stops oxygen in the water from getting to the iron.

25 Three different reactions were set up as shown.

In beaker 1 metal W is displaced from solution.

In beaker 2 metal X is displaced from solution.

In beaker 3 metal Y is displaced from solution.
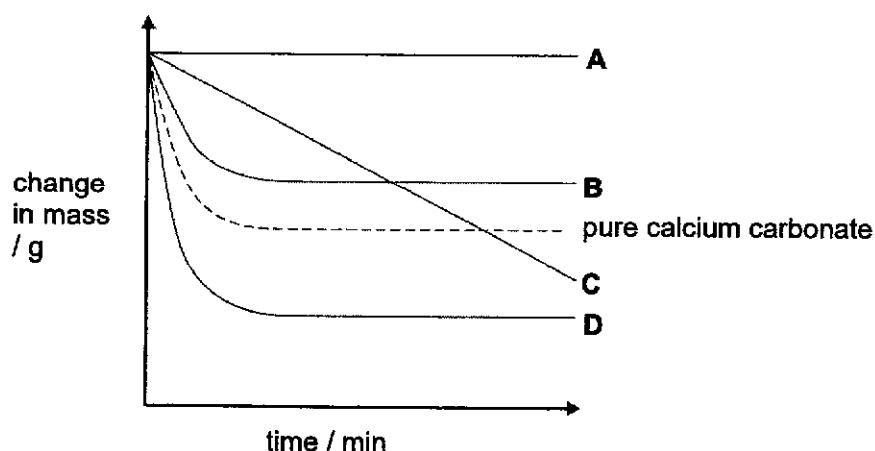
What is the order of reactivity of these four metals?

	most reactive			least reactive
A	W	X	Z	Y
B	X	Y	W	Z
C	Y	X	W	Z
D	Z	W	X	Y
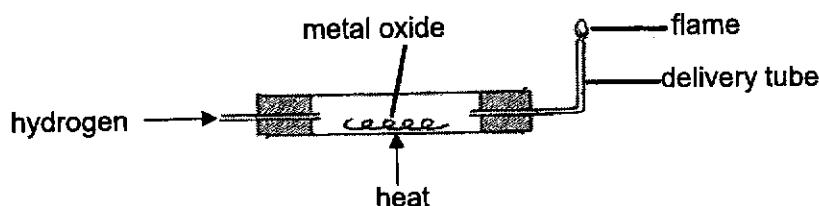
26 Limestone usually contains impurities.

The diagram shows the change in mass when pure calcium carbonate is heated.

Which graph, A, B, C or D, shows a sample of limestone, of the same mass, containing impurities that are thermally stable to decomposition?

27 The reaction of a metal oxide with hydrogen is shown.

Which of the following is correct?

	metal oxide	mass of metal oxide after heating
A	copper(II) oxide	increases
B	lead(II) oxide	decreases
C	magnesium oxide	increases
D	zinc oxide	decreases

28 Hydrogen and chlorine react together to form hydrogen chloride

$$H_2 (g) + Cl_2 (g) \rightarrow 2HCl (g) \quad \Delta H = -92 \text{ kJ/mol}$$
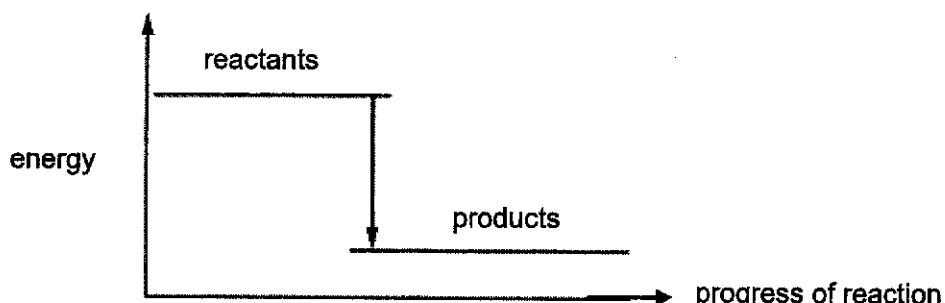
The average bond energies of two of the bonds involved are shown in the table.

bond	H–H	Cl–Cl
bond energy / kJ/mol	436	244

What is the bond energy of a H-Cl bond?

A   294 kJ/mol
B   386 kJ/mol
C   588 kJ/mol
D   772 kJ/mol

29 Which change will increase the speed of the reaction between 1 mol of two reacting gases?

A   a decrease in temperature
B   a decrease in the volume of the reaction flask
C   a decrease in surface area of the catalyst
D   an increase in the volume of the reaction flask
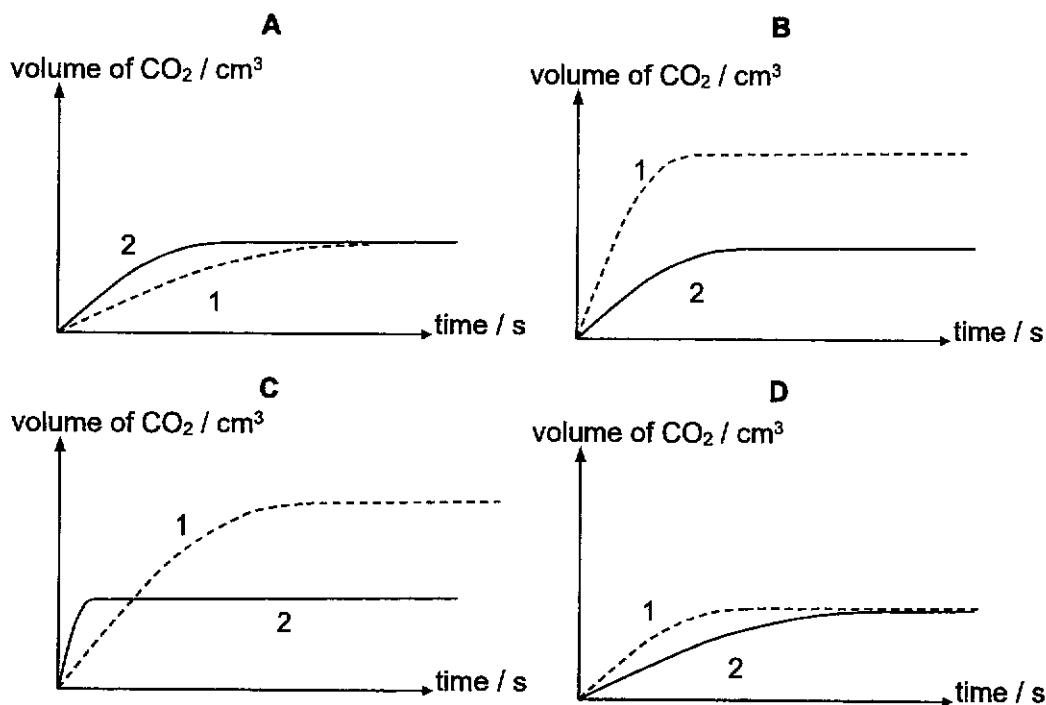
30 A diagram for the energy change during a chemical reaction is shown.
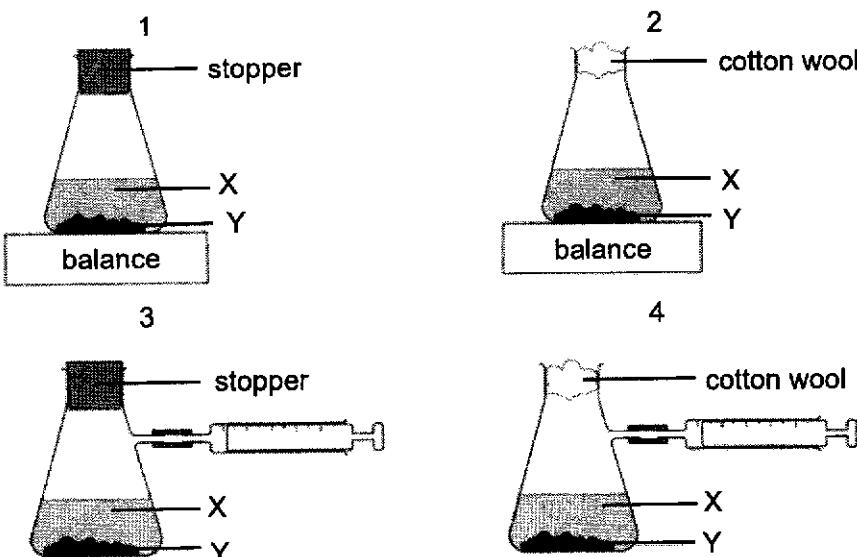
For which reaction(s) would this be an appropriate diagram?

$$1 \quad CH_4 + 2O_2 \rightarrow CO_2 + 2H_2O$$
$$2 \quad C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2 \rightarrow 6CO_2 + 6H_2O$$
$$3 \quad 2C + O_2 \rightarrow 2CO$$

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

31 In two separate experiments, the reaction of calcium carbonate with an excess of dilute hydrochloric acid was investigated. The calcium carbonate used in Experiment 1 was more finely divided than that used in Experiment 2.

Assuming all other conditions were identical in both experiments, which of the following graphs best illustrates the results?

32   Solution X reacts with solid Y to form a gas.

Which two diagrams show suitable methods for investigating the speed of reaction?

A   1 and 3
B   1 and 4
C   2 and 3
D   2 and 4

33   The table shows the boiling points of four fractions, P, Q, R and S, obtained when crude oil is distilled.
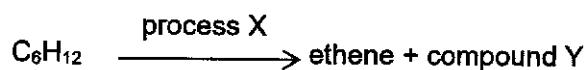
fraction	P	Q	R	S
boiling range / °C	35-75	80-145	150-250	greater than 250

How is fraction P different from S?

A   Fraction P is collected at the bottom while fraction S is collected at the top.
B   Fraction P is larger in molecular masses than fraction S.
C   Fraction P is more flammable than fraction S.
D   Fraction P is more viscous than fraction S.

34   What will propanol, C_3H_7OH, form on complete oxidation?

A CH_3CO_2H
B $C_2H_5CO_2H$
C $C_3H_7CO_2H$
D $C_4H_9CO_2H$
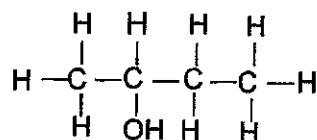
35 The compound, C_6H_{12} undergoes the following process.

$$C_6H_{12} \xrightarrow{\text{process X}} \text{ethene + compound Y}$$

Which row in the table correctly identifies process X and compound Y?

	process X	compound Y
A	cracking	butane
B	cracking	butene
C	distillation	butane
D	distillation	butene

36 How many isomers are there for butan-2-ol?
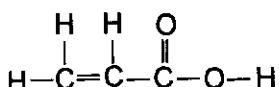
A 1
B 2
C 3
D 4

37 An ester with molecular formula $C_6H_{12}O_2$ undergoes hydrolysis to form an alcohol G and an acid H. Alcohol G can be oxidised to acid H by warming with acidified potassium manganate(VII).

Which of the following is the formula of the ester?
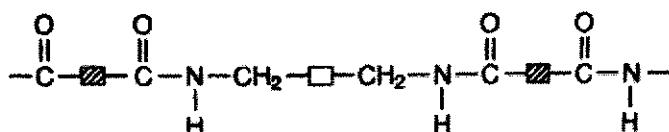
A $CH_3COOC_4H_9$
B $C_2H_5COOC_3H_7$
C $C_3H_7COOC_2H_5$
D $HCOOC_5H_{11}$

38 A compound has the following structure.

$$H-\overset{\overset{\displaystyle H}{|}}{C}=\overset{\overset{\displaystyle H}{|}}{C}-\overset{\overset{\displaystyle O}{\|}}{C}-O-H$$

Which reaction(s) will occur with this compound?

1 It will react with aqueous bromine under room temperature.
2 It will react with an alcohol to form an ester.
3 It will react with sodium metal.

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

39 The diagram shows part of the molecule of polymer Q.

Which row correctly describes the monomer of Q and how the polymer is formed?

	functional groups present in the monomer	polymer formed by
A	alkene and amine	addition polymerisation
B	alkene and amine	condensation polymerisation
C	carboxylic acid and amine	addition polymerisation
D	carboxylic acid and amine	condensation polymerisation

40 Which row in the table shows the correct atmospheric pollutant and its possible effects?

	pollutant	effect
A	CFCs	layer forms photochemical smog
B	CO_2	is poisonous to humans
C	CO	cause depletion of the ozone
D	NO_2	forms acid rain

The Periodic Table of Elements

Group																	
1	2											13	14	15	16	17	18

Key

proton (atomic) number
atomic symbol
name
relative atomic mass

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

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

The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm³ at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).

The Avogadro constant, $L = 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ mol^{-1}

Section A (70 marks)
Answer all the questions.

1 **(a)** Some chemical equations, **A** to **F**, are shown.

A	Ba^{2+} (aq) + SO_4^{2-} (aq) → $BaSO_4$(s)
B	CO_3^{2-} (aq) + $2H^+$ (aq) → CO_2 (g) + H_2O (l)
C	Ag^+ (aq) + I^- (aq) → AgI (s)
D	H^+ (aq) + OH^- (aq) → H_2O (l)
E	$2I^-$ (aq) + Br_2 (aq) → I_2 (aq) + $2Br^-$ (aq)
F	NH_4^+ (aq) + OH^- (aq) → H_2O (l) + NH_3 (aq)

Answer the following questions using the equations.

Each equation may be used once, more than once or not at all.

Give the letter, **A** to **F**, for the equation which shows:

(i) the formation of a gas that turns moist red litmus paper blue

.... [1]

(ii) a reaction that forms a white precipitate

.... [1]

(iii) a displacement reaction

.... [1]

(b) Ammonium ion, NH_4^+, is a polyatomic ion. Ammonium ion is formed when ammonia reacts with hydrogen ion.

The nitrogen atom in ammonia contributes and donates a pair of valence electrons to one hydrogen ion to form a covalent bond.

Draw a 'dot and cross' diagram to show the covalent bonding in ammonium ion using the key provided.

Show outer electrons only.

Key:

x : electron of hydrogen

• : electron of nitrogen

[2]

[Total: 5]

2   Copper is a transition element. The flowchart in Fig. 2.1 shows how copper can be made from copper(II) carbonate, either in the industry, or on a small scale in the laboratory.

Copper(II) carbonate, $CuCO_3$

| Heat |

Copper(II) oxide, CuO

→ gas X

| Heat with carbon |

| Shake solids left behind with water |

Copper, water and impurities

| Solid copper sinks to the bottom. Pour off water and impurities to leave copper. Put wet copper in an oven to dry |

Copper, Cu

→ water and impurities
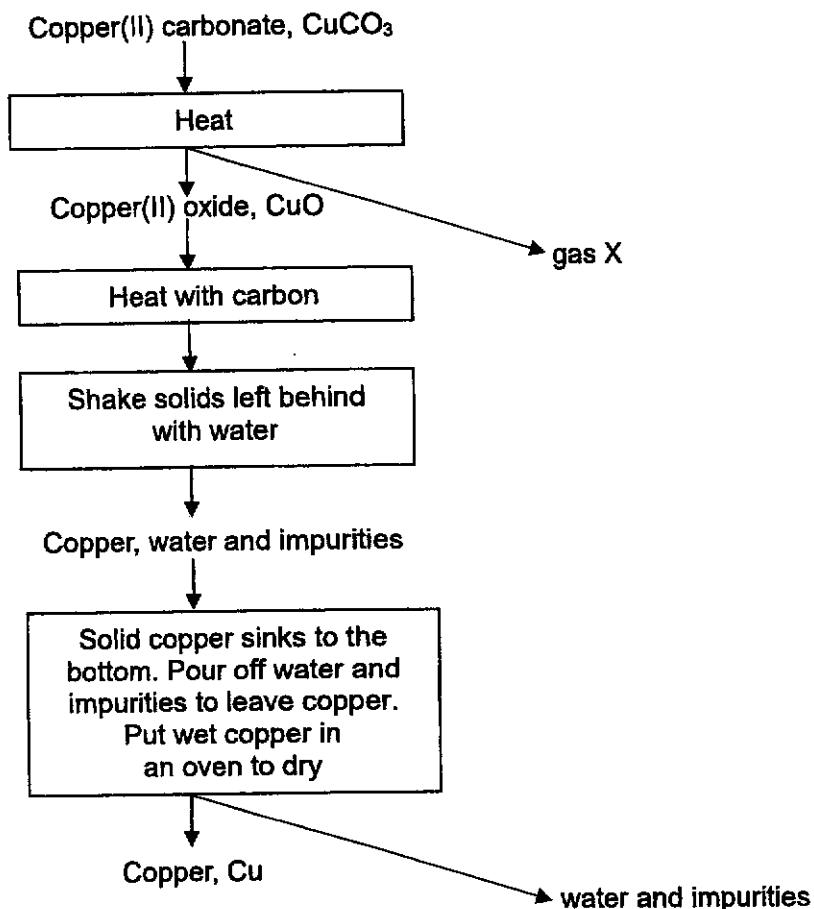
Fig. 2.1

(a)   **(i)**   Identify gas X.

.... [1]

(ii)   State the type of reaction that takes place when copper(II) oxide is heated with carbon.

.... [1]

(iii)   Write an equation for the reaction in (a)(ii).

.... [1]

(b) Jane uses the procedure in the flowchart to make copper in the laboratory. She uses the following graph shown in Fig. 2.2 to predict the theoretical yield of copper.

theoretical yield of copper /g

mass of copper(II) carbonate at the start /g
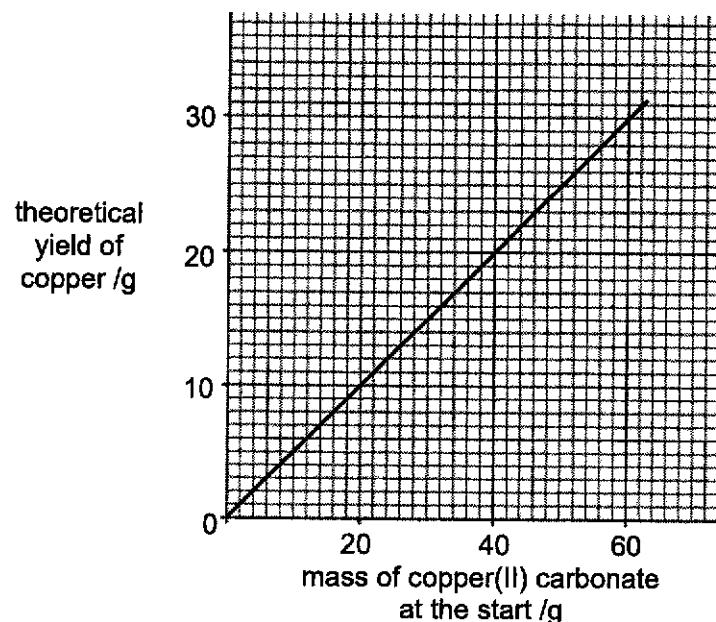
Fig. 2.2

(i) Explain why the line on the graph in Fig. 2.2 starts at 0 on both axes.

....
.... [1]

(ii) Jane wants to make a theoretical yield of 40.0 g of copper.

Using the graph in Fig. 2.2, predict the starting mass of copper(II) carbonate she should use. Explain your answer.

....

....

....
.... [2]

(iii) Jane conducts the experiment. The mass of copper that she obtained is higher than the maximum yield of 40.0 g.

Which two mistakes could lead to an incorrectly high yield?

Tick (✓) **two** boxes.

She did not use enough copper carbonate.
☐

She did not dry the copper at the end.
☐

She did not heat the copper oxide for long enough.
☐

She used copper that contains solid impurities.
☐

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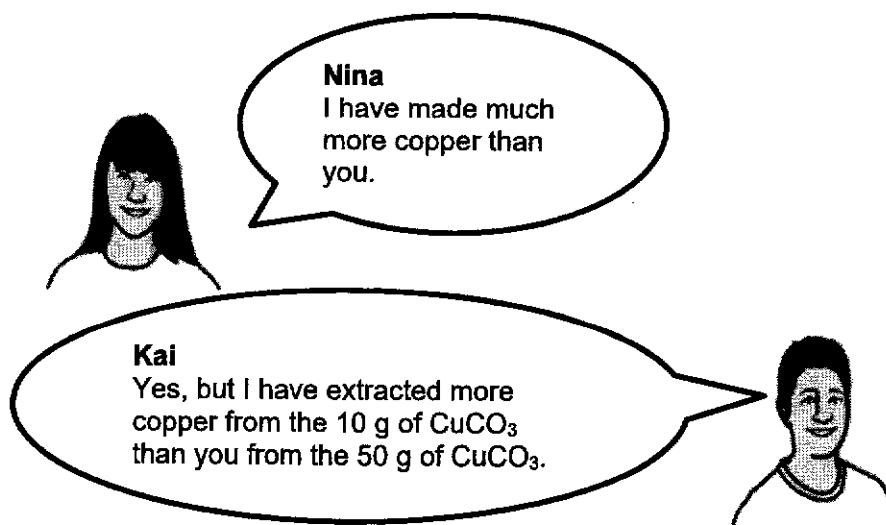
(c)   Nina and Kai also follow the flowchart to make some copper.

They compare the mass of copper they make at the end with each other as shown in Table 2.1.

Table 2.1

Student	Mass of copper(II) carbonate at the start / g	Theoretical yield of copper / g	Mass of copper made / g
Nina	50.0	26.0	18.0
Kai	10.0	5.0	4.8

They make statements about their results.

Nina
I have made much more copper than you.

Kai
Yes, but I have extracted more copper from the 10 g of $CuCO_3$ than you from the 50 g of $CuCO_3$.

Using the data in Table 2.1, explain why Kai is correct with the help of chemical calculations.

[2]

[Total: 10]

3   Magnesium is one of the most abundant elements on Earth. It is used extensively in the production of magnesium-aluminum alloys. It is produced by the electrolysis of molten magnesium chloride. A schematic diagram of the electrolytic cell is shown in Fig 3.1.
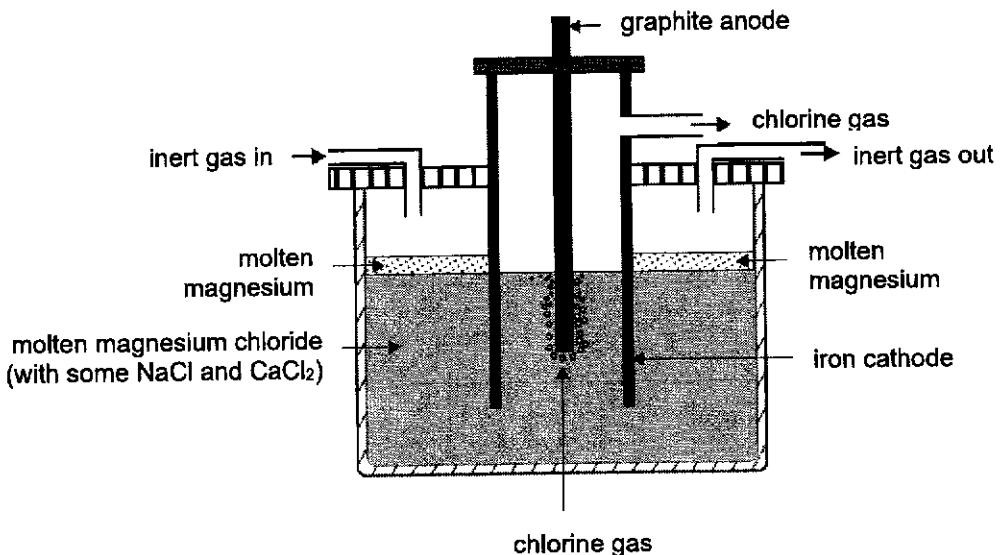
Fig. 3.1

(a)   Write a balanced half-equation for the reactions occurring at the

Cathode: .... [1]

Anode: .... [1]

(b)   Explain why an inert gas is constantly blown through the surface of the molten magnesium.

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(c)   Explain why it is necessary to lower the melting point of magnesium chloride by adding sodium chloride and calcium chloride.

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(d) The graphite anode is now replaced with an iron rod.

With the help of a half-equation, explain the difference in the observation at the anode.

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[Total: 6]

4   Propanone, CH_3COCH_3, reacts with iodine, I_2, to form colourless products.

The reaction is catalysed by hydrochloric acid.

Table 4.1 shows how the relative rate of this reaction changes when different concentrations of propanone, iodine and hydrochloric acid are used.

Table 4.1

experiment	concentration of CH_3COCH_3 in mol/dm³	concentration of I_2 in mol/dm³	concentration of HCl in mol/dm³	relative rate of reaction
1	0.025	0.024	0.12	5.1
2	0.050	0.024	0.12	10.2
3	0.050	0.024	0.06	5.1
4	0.050	0.012	0.06	5.1

(a)   Use the information in Table 4.1 to describe how increasing the concentration of each of these substances affects the relative rate of reaction.

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Iodine:
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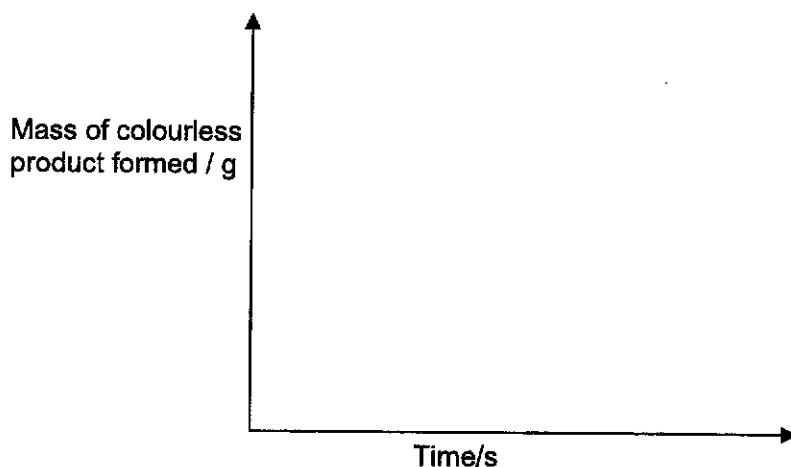
(b)   Increasing the temperature increases the rate of this reaction.

Use ideas about energy and collisions to explain the effect of temperature on the rate of reaction.

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(c)   Sketch two graphs in Fig. 4.1 to show the effect of concentration of hydrochloric acid on the rate of reaction between propanone and iodine. Label your graphs with the chosen experiments.

Mass of colourless product formed / g

Time/s

Fig. 4.1

[1]

(d)   Iodine has many isotopes. Iodine–127 and Iodine–130 are two common isotopes of iodine.

Complete Table 4.2 to show the number of particles in these two isotopes of iodine.

Table 4.2

isotope	number of electrons	number of neutrons
Iodine–127		
Iodine–130		

[2]
[Total: 7]

5 Methylamine, CH_3NH_2, is a weak base. Its properties are similar to those of ammonia.

(a) When methylamine is dissolved in water, the following equilibrium is set up.

$$CH_3NH_2 + H_2O \rightleftharpoons CH_3NH_3^+ + OH^-$$

(i) Suggest why the arrows are **not** the same length.

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(ii) Explain why methylamine behaves as a base in this reaction.

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(b) An aqueous solution of the strong base, sodium hydroxide, is pH 12.
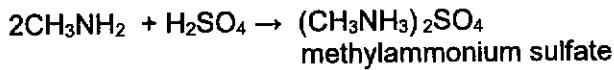
Predict the pH of an aqueous solution of methylamine which has the same concentration as aqueous sodium hydroxide. Explain your reasoning.

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(c) Methylamine is a weak base like ammonia.

(i) Methylamine can neutralize acids.

$$2CH_3NH_2 + H_2SO_4 \rightarrow (CH_3NH_3)_2SO_4$$
$$\text{methylammonium sulfate}$$

Write an equation, similar to the one above, for the reaction between methylamine and hydrochloric acid. Include the name of the salt formed.

[2]

(ii) When aqueous methylamine is added to aqueous iron(III) sulfate, a reddish brown precipitate is formed.

Write an ionic equation for the formation of the reddish brown precipitate.

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[Total: 7]

6 This question is about fuels and energy production.

(a) Table 6.1 gives the characteristics of 3 kinds of common fuels.

Table 6.1

Fuel	Content	Melting point / °C	Enthalpy change of combustion in kJ / g
Bio-ethanol	C_2H_5OH	-114	-30.5
Diesel	hydrocarbons	About -24	-44.8
Petrol	hydrocarbons	About -57	-47.3

(i) Explain why the melting point of bio-ethanol is exact but the melting point of diesel and petrol are approximate values.

.... [1]

(ii) Bio-ethanol is produced by fermentation of sugar cane.

State the conditions required for this reaction.

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.... [2]

(iii) One of the advantages of using bio-ethanol as a fuel is that it is considered carbon neutral.

State another advantage of using bio-ethanol as a fuel for cars instead of petrol.

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.... [1]

(iv) Calculate the enthalpy change of combustion when 1 mol of bio-ethanol burns.

Enthalpy change = ... [1]

(b)   The fractional distillation of petroleum produces fractions as shown in Fig. 6.1, such as liquified petroleum gas (LPG) and diesel, which are used as fuels.
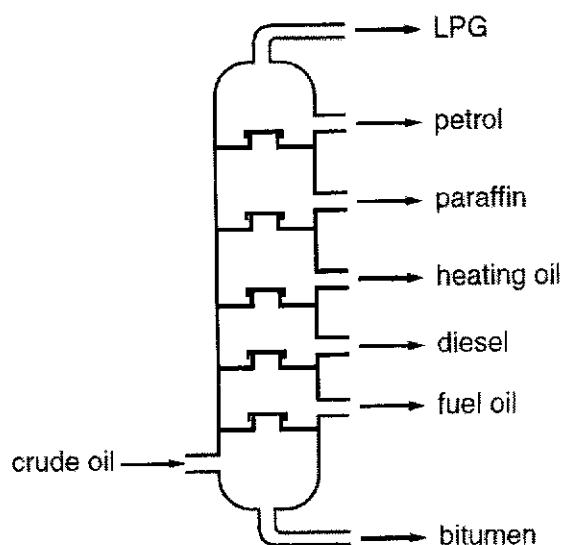
Fig. 6.1

Explain why LPG has a lower boiling point than diesel.

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[Total: 8]

7 This question is on macromolecules.

(a) Nylon 66 is a high performing engineering plastic. It is a type of polyamide and is usually used in fibres for textiles, carpets, and moulded parts.
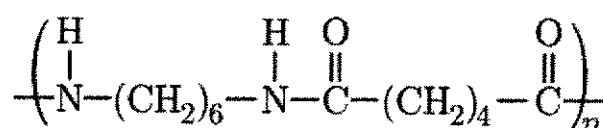
Nylon 66 undergoes depolymerisation through acid hydrolysis. This process helps in recycling nylon 66 by breaking them down into simpler molecules that can be used to make new products according to the word equation:

Nylon 66 + H_2O → hexamethylendiamine + adipic acid

(i) Define *depolymerisation*.

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(ii) The polymer of nylon 66 is shown.

$$\left(\begin{matrix} H \\ | \\ -N-(CH_2)_6- \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} H & O \\ | & \| \\ N-C-(CH_2)_4- \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} O \\ \| \\ C \end{matrix} \right)_n$$

Complete the table in Fig. 7.1 by drawing the structural formula of the simpler molecules formed when nylon 66 undergoes acid hydrolysis.

Simpler molecules formed	Structural Formula
Hexamethylendiamine	
Adipic acid	

Fig. 7.1

[2]

(b) **(i)** Polyacrylonitrile is a plastic used to make synthetic fibres. The structure of its monomer is $CH_2=CH-CN$.

Draw the structure of polyacrylonitrile, showing two repeat units.

[2]

(ii) Polyacrylonitrile and nylon 66 undergo addition and condensation polymerisation respectively.

Describe two differences between addition and condensation polymerisation reactions.

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[Total: 7]

8   The carbon cycle in Fig. 8.1 shows how carbon atoms enter and leave the atmosphere through various processes such as combustion, respiration, photosynthesis, and decomposition.
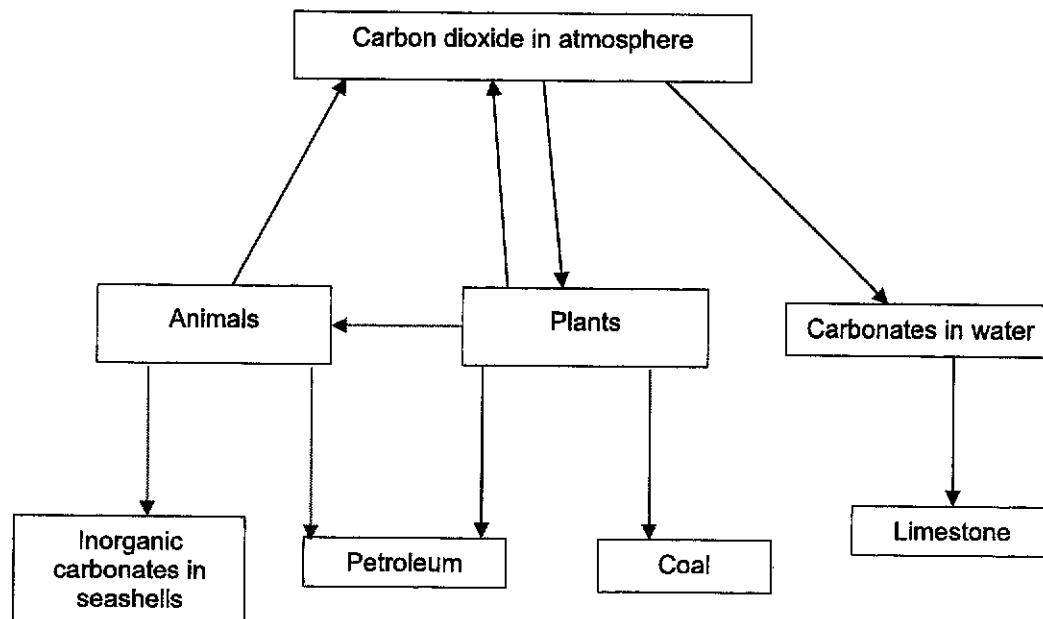
Fig. 8.1

(a)   Using the letters, W and X, for the following processes, indicate where they occur in adding or removing carbon atoms in the atmosphere.

W - respiration
X – photosynthesis

[2]

(b)   Complete the diagram in Fig. 8.1 by drawing arrow(s), labelled Z, to show the role of combustion of fuels in the carbon cycle.

[1]

(c)   (i)   Identify the source of petrol and kerosene in the carbon cycle.

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(ii)   Explain how this substance in c (i) is formed.

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(d) Explain how carbonates in water are formed.

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(e) Explain, with the help of an equation, whether the use of hydrogen as a fuel will affect the carbon cycle.

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[Total: 8]

9   Drying agents, also called desiccants, come in various forms, and have found widespread use in the foods, pharmaceuticals, packing, electronics, and manufacturing industries.

A desiccant is a hygroscopic or deliquescent substance that reduces moisture in the surrounding air. A comparison of hygroscopic and deliquescent substances is shown in Table 9.1.

Table 9.1

Hygroscopic Substances	Deliquescent Substances
They may be amorphous solids or liquids.	They are crystalline solids.
When exposed to the atmosphere at room temperature, they absorb moisture or adsorb moisture but do not dissolve in it.	When exposed to the atmosphere at room temperature, they absorb moisture and dissolve in it.
No change in physical state on exposure to air.	Change in physical state on exposure to air.

Silica Gel

Silica gel is an amorphous and porous form of silicon dioxide (silica), consisting of an irregular 3-dimensional network of alternating silicon and carbon atoms with nanometer-scale voids and pores. The voids and pores are empty spaces found in the structure. The void may contain water or some other liquids or may be filled by a gas or is a vacuum.

The high surface area to volume ratio in silica gel allows it to *adsorb* water readily, making it useful as a desiccant. The silica gel removes moisture by *adsorption* onto the surface of its numerous pores rather than by *absorption* into the bulk of the gel.

Silica gel can **adsorb** up to about 40% of its own mass in moisture in high-humidity environments. This moisture can be released upon heating at 120°C for extended periods of time. This makes it a reusable desiccant.

Calcium chloride

When anhydrous calcium chloride powder is used as a desiccant, it *absorbs* moisture from air, becomes clumpy and dissolves in it. This is especially when the air is high in humidity. Water molecules initially occupy spaces inside the structure of calcium chloride. Thus, anhydrous calcium chloride attracts water of hydration and becomes hydrated calcium chloride. When the amount of absorbed moisture increases, the calcium chloride dissolves in the water. The high solubility of calcium chloride is what makes it a deliquescent substance.

Calcium chloride can **absorb** up to 300% of its own mass in high humidity environment at room temperature. The anhydrous calcium chloride is regenerated when the hydrated crystals are heated to 250°C for about an hour.

Crystalline and Amorphous

An amorphous solid has a network of particles with less order in the arrangement compared to the solid with the crystalline form, as shown in Fig. 9.1.

Crystalline   Amorphous

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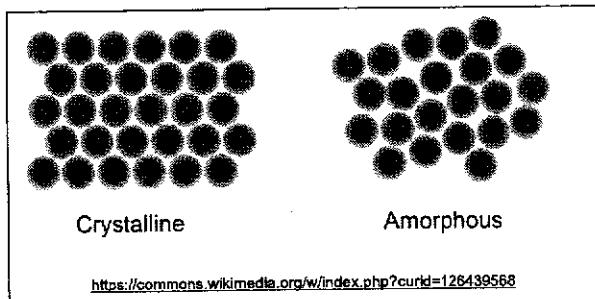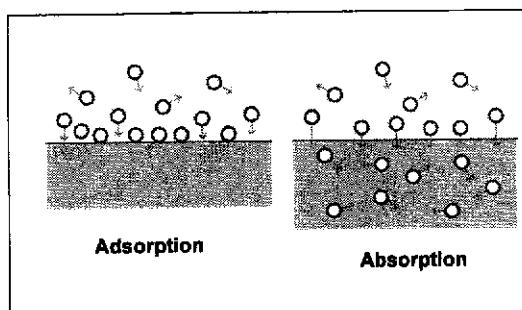
Fig. 9.1

Adsorption and Absorption

A comparison between the processes of adsorption and absorption is shown in Fig. 9.2.

Adsorption   Absorption

Adsorption	Absorption
The adhesion of atoms, ions or molecules from a gas, liquid or dissolved solid to a surface.	A process in which atoms, molecules or ions enter some bulk phase (liquid or solid material).
Examples are activated carbon filters, chromatography	Examples are paper towels absorbing water, CO_2 from air enters aqueous NaOH.

Fig. 9.2

(a) Explain how the following processes occur in terms of forces of attraction or bonds,

(i) **adsorption** of moisture on silica gel
(ii) **absorption** of moisture in calcium chloride
(iii) **deliquescence** in calcium chloride

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(b) An experiment was conducted to find the formula of hydrated calcium chloride by heating a known mass of the solid. The results are shown in Table 9.2.

Table 9.2

Mass of empty crucible / g	20.00
Mass of crucible with hydrated calcium chloride / g	36.50
Mass of crucible with anhydrous calcium chloride after heating / g	32.50

Deduce the formula of the hydrated calcium chloride.
Show all relevant workings clearly.

formula of hydrated calcium chloride..............................[3]

(c) Calculate the mass of water removed from the air by 1 mole of silicon dioxide and 1 mole of calcium chloride.

mass of water removed by 1 mole of silicon dioxide ....

mass of water removed by 1 mole of calcium chloride .... [2]

(d) Draw the dot and cross diagram of calcium chloride, showing only the valence electrons.

[2]

(e) **(i)** State the separation method used to regenerate anhydrous calcium chloride.

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(ii) Explain why this is a suitable method to regenerate anhydrous calcium chloride from its hydrated form.

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.[Total: 12]

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Section B (10 marks)
Answer **one** question from this section.

10 Some physical properties of Group 2 metals and transition metals are given in Table 10.1.

Table 10.1

Metal	Density / g / cm³	Melting point / °C	Boiling point / °C	Colour of aqueous M^{2+} ions
Magnesium	1.74	650	1091	colourless
Calcium	1.55	842	1484	colourless
Barium	3.51	727	1870	
Manganese	7.26	1246	2061	pale pink
Iron	7.86	1535	2750	
Nickel	8.90	1455	2730	green
Copper	8.92	1083	2567	blue

(a) Complete the table on the colour of aqueous ions of barium and iron. [1]

(b) Explain why the densities of transition metals are higher than those of Group 2 metals.

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(c) Other than the physical properties in the table, state one other characteristic of transition metals.

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(d) Table 10.2 shows the standard electrode potentials of the Group 2 metals and transition metals.

Table 10.2

Electrode reaction	Standard electrode potential / V
$Mg^{2+} + 2e^- \rightleftharpoons Mg$	− 2.38
$Ca^{2+} + 2e^- \rightleftharpoons Ca$	− 2.87
$Ba^{2+} + 2e^- \rightleftharpoons Ba$	− 2.90
$Mn^{2+} + 2e^- \rightleftharpoons Mn$	− 1.18
$Fe^{2+} + 2e^- \rightleftharpoons Fe$	− 0.44
$Ni^{2+} + 2e^- \rightleftharpoons Ni$	− 0.25
$Cu^{2+} + 2e^- \rightleftharpoons Cu$	+ 0.34

(i) State the relationship between the reactivity of metals and the standard electrode potential.

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(ii) Hence, suggest what the standard electrode potential measures.

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.... [1]

(iii) Explain the positive standard electrode potential in copper.

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(e)   An experiment on displacement reactions was conducted to determine the reactivity of manganese, iron and copper.

- Describe the observations that identify the most reactive metals.
- Explain the reactions with the help of at least one appropriate ionic equation.
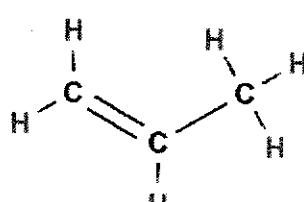
You may organize the observations in a table.

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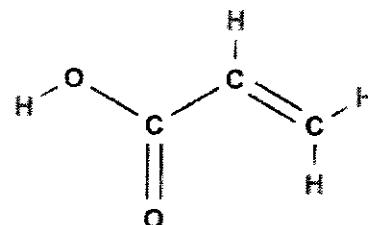
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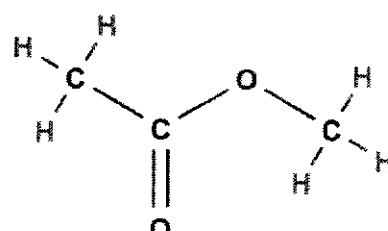
11 The structures of three compounds, A, B and C are shown in Fig 11.1.

Compound A   Compound B

Compound C

Fig. 11.1

(a) An experiment was conducted to find out whether any of the three compounds is saturated.

• Describe the observations that identify the unsaturated compound(s).
• Explain the reactions with the help of at least one chemical equation.

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(b) Compound C has an isomer.
Write the displayed formula of an isomer of compound C.

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(c) Determine the percentage composition of the elements in compound C.

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(d) Explain why the percentage composition of compound C and its isomer are the same.

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(e) Compound C can be produced in an experiment in the laboratory.

Name the carboxylic acid and alcohol used and the experimental condition required in the experiment.

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[Total: 10]

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The Periodic Table of Elements

Group

Key

proton (atomic) number
atomic symbol
name
relative atomic mass

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

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

The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm³ at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).

The Avogadro constant, $L = 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ mol⁻¹.

2024 S4 Chemistry Prelim Paper 1 Answers

1	B	6	C	11	C	16	C
2	C	7	C	12	A	17	D
3	B	8	C	13	A	18	C
4	C	9	C	14	B	19	D
5	C	10	B	15	B	20	B

21	A	26	B	31	D	36	C/D
22	D	27	A	32	C	37	B
23	D	28	B	33	C	38	D
24	B	29	B	34	B	39	D
25	D	30	D	35	B	40	D

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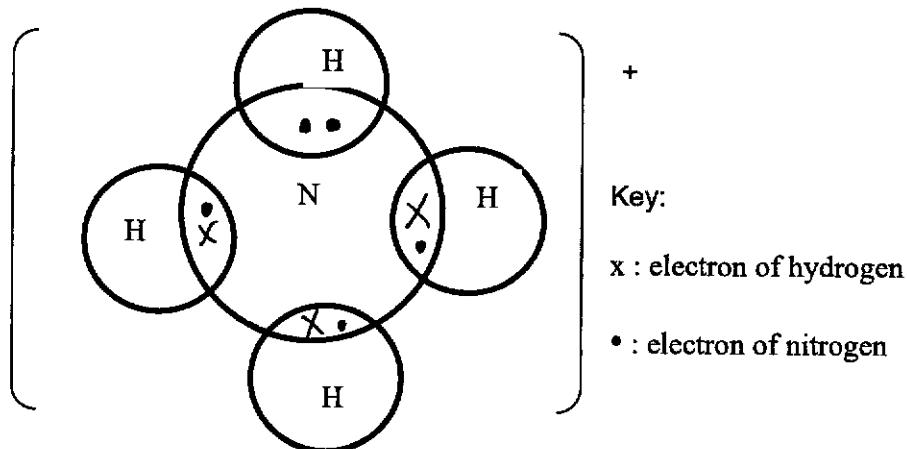
Answer Scheme
Section A

A1 **(a)(i)** F   1

(a)(ii) A   1

(a)(iii) E   1

(b)

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Key:

x : electron of hydrogen

• : electron of nitrogen

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A2 **(a)(i)** Carbon dioxide / CO_2 1

(a)(ii) Redox reaction or reduction   1

(a)(iii) $CuO + C \rightarrow Cu + CO_2$ 1

(b)(i) At mass 0g, there is no theoretical yield of copper   1
or
If no copper carbonate is used, no copper is made Or No reaction

(b)(ii) 80g   1

The theoretical yield is directly <u>proportional </u>to the mass of copper at
the start / the graph has a positive gradient or;   1
linearly related or;
as mass of copper(II) carbonate doubles, mass of copper doubles so at
40g, the starting mass of copper will be 80g. or;
when the yield is 20g, the mass of $CuCO_3$ is 40g. hence by proportion,
when the yield is 40g the mass of $CuCO_3$ is 80g.

(b)(iii) Tick (✓) **two** boxes.   2

She did not use enough copper carbonate.   ☐

She did not dry the copper at the end.   ✓

She did not heat the copper oxide for long enough.   ☐

Her copper contains solid impurities.   ✓
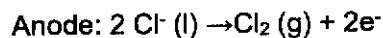
(c) Students need to calculate out the % yield of both Nina and Kai and make a comparison.

Kai's % yield is higher than that of Nina's, so he has extracted more copper than Nina.   1

% yield for Kai = 4.8/5 x 100% = 96%

% yield for Nina = 18 / 26 x 100% = 69.2%   1

A3 **(a)** Cathode: Mg^{2+} (l) + 2 e⁻ → Mg (l)   2

Anode: 2 Cl⁻ (l) → Cl_2 (g) + 2e⁻

State symbols not required

(b) To prevent molten magnesium from (coming into contact and hence) reacting with oxygen in the air   1

(c) Magnesium chloride has a very high melting point.

Lowering its melting point will reduce energy cost / less energy needed./ lower cost of electricity   1

(d) Fe (s) → Fe^{2+} (l) + 2 e⁻   1
or
Fe (s) → Fe^{3+} (l) + 3 e⁻

The iron will react with the chlorine evolved to form iron(II)/ iron(III) chloride   1
OR
The iron anode, being a <u>reactive anode</u>, will be oxidized and shrink in size / <u>become smaller / dissolve</u> into the molten electrolyte, and no bubbles
will be formed.

A4 **(a)** Propanone: In experiment 1 and 2, increases (rate)/doubling concentration doubles rate 1
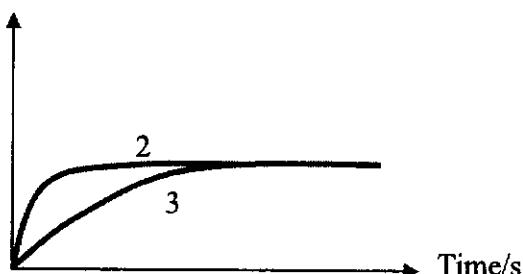
iodine: In experiment 2 and 3, no effect (on rate) 1

Must state the experiments

(b) particles move faster/particles have more energy / KE 1

more particles have (energy greater than) the activation energy/sufficient energy to overcome the energy barrier and leads to higher frequency of effective collisions 1

(c)   1

Mass of colourless product formed /g

isotope	number of electrons	number of neutrons
Iodine–127	53	74
Iodine–130	54	77

(d) 2

A5 **(a)(i)** The reverse reaction is favoured ; preferred , 1

backward and forward reaction is different.
many molecules formed and few ions or partially ionised

(a)(ii) It produces hydroxide ions in water 1

(b) less than 12 more than 7 1

smaller concentration of hydroxide ions or partially dissociated 1

(c)(i) $CH_3NH_2 + HCl \rightarrow CH_3NH_3Cl$ 1
        methylammonium chloride 1

(c)(ii) $Fe^{3+} + 3OH^- \rightarrow Fe(OH)_3$ 1

A6	(a)(i)	Diesel and petrol are mixtures of hydrocarbons / contains different hydrocarbons but bio-ethanol is made up of only one compound	1
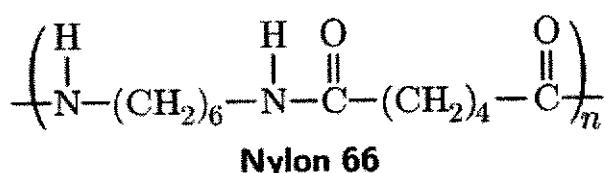
(a)(ii) Yeast, absence of oxygen and temperature of 35-40°C   2

3 conditions – 2m
2 conditions – 1m
1 condition – 0m

(a)(iii) Bioethanol comes from plants which is a sustainable /renewable resource / infinite resource while petrol comes from crude oil/ fossil fuels which is non-renewable resource / finite   1

(a)(iv) Molar mass of C_2H_5OH = 46g/mol

Enthalpy change of combustion in kJ/mol = -30.5 x 46 = 1403 kJ/mol   1

(b) LPG consists of smaller molecules than diesel with smaller surface area, allow smaller chains   1

LPG has weaker intermolecular forces of attraction than diesel   1

less energy is required to break/overcome the weak intermolecular forces of attraction between the molecules in LPG   1

assume answer refers to LPG if no reference **allow** LPG has smaller chains **ignore** all references to few carbon atoms in LPG / is a short chain hydrocarbon unless there is a direct comparison with petrol **allow** weaker forces.

A7 **(a)(i)** Depolymerisation is a process in which polymers are broken down into their monomers.   1

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(a)(ii)
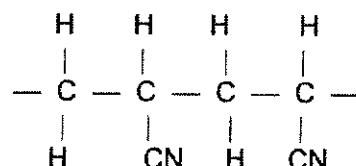
Simpler molecules formed	Structural Formula
Hexamethylendiamine	$H_2N-(CH_2)_6-N(H)(H)$
Adipic acid	$HO-\overset{O}{\overset{\|}{C}}-(CH_2)_4-\overset{O}{\overset{\|}{C}}-O-H$

(b)(i)

$$-\overset{\overset{\displaystyle H}{\|}}{\underset{\underset{\displaystyle H}{\|}}{C}}-\overset{\overset{\displaystyle H}{\|}}{\underset{\underset{\displaystyle CN}{\|}}{C}}-\overset{\overset{\displaystyle H}{\|}}{\underset{\underset{\displaystyle H}{\|}}{C}}-\overset{\overset{\displaystyle H}{\|}}{\underset{\underset{\displaystyle CN}{\|}}{C}}-$$

1 mark for 2 repeat units
1 mark for both the side bonds present

(b)(ii) Addition polymerisation results in a single product formed, the polymer, while condensation polymerisation results in the formation of a polymer and small molecules eg. water.

The monomers for addition polymerisation must be unsaturated alkenes with carbon to carbon double bonds while the monomers for condensation polymerisation can be saturated.

Condensation polymerisation forms 2 types of linkages. They are ester linkages from reactions between hydroxyl and carboxyl groups or amide linkages from amine and carboxyl groups. Addition polymerisation forms long carbon chains without ester or amide linkages.

In addition polymerisation, only one type of functional group, carbon to carbon double bonds, are required in the monomers. In condensation polymerisation, two types of functional groups, amine and carboxyl groups or hydroxyl and carboxyl groups, are required in the monomers.

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8(a)	W (respiration) – organic compounds in both plants and animals to CO_2 in the atmosphere	1
	X (photosynthesis) – CO_2 in atmosphere to organic compounds in plants only	1
8(b)	Z (combustion) – coal and petroleum to CO_2 in the atmosphere	1
8(c)(i)	Petroleum	1
8(c)(ii)	Decomposition of plants and animals that died and buried in the ground millions of years ago.	1
8(d)	Carbon dioxide is slightly soluble in water to form carbonic acid.	
	or CO_2 from atmosphere dissolves in water in the ocean/sea/river to form carbonate ions	1
8(e)	Burning of hydrogen produces only water, does not increase or decrease atmospheric cycle.	1
	$2H_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2H_2O$	1
	Total	8

9(a)	(i) Silica gel Adsorption – weak van der waals'/ intermolecular forces of attraction between surface atoms of silicon dioxide/ silica gel and water molecules	1
	(ii) Calcium chloride Absorption – weak forces of attraction between ions of calcium chloride and water molecules when it becomes hydrated crystals	1
	(iii) Ionic bonds in calcium chloride broken when it dissolves in the moisture	1
9(b)	Moles of $CaCl_2$ = (32.5 – 20) ÷ (40 + 71) = 0.11261	3
	Moles of water = (36.5 – 32.5) ÷ (2+16) = 0.22222	
	Mole ratio of $CaCl_2$ to H_2O = 0.11261 : 0.2222 = 1:2	
	Formula is $CaCl_2.2H_2O$	
	mole ratio calculation/ working 1m	
	Mole ratio 1m and Formula 1m	
9(c)	Mass of 1 mole of SiO_2 = 32 + 32 = 64g Mass of water removed by SiO_2 = 0.4 x 64 = 25.6 g	1
	Mass of 1 mole of $CaCl_2$ = 40 + 71 = 111 g	

	Mass of water removed by 1 mole CaCl$_2$ = 3 x 111 = 333 g	1
9(d)		2
9(e)(i)	Evaporation to dryness	1
9(e)(II)	Boiling point of water is 100 ^{0}C, lower than that of calcium chloride / calcium chloride is stable on heating. OR Hydrated calcium chloride <u>decomposes on heating</u> to form <u>anhydrous calcium chloride and water vapour</u>.	1
	Total	12

Section B

Either

10(a)	Colourless Pale green	1
10(b)	The relative atomic mass of transition metals are higher than those of metals in Group II.	1
10(c)	It has variable oxidation state/ Transition metals or their compounds can act as catalyst.	1
10(d)(i)	The more reactive the metal, the more negative the standard electrode potential.	1
10(d)(ii)	It measures the ease that metals lose valence electrons/ reducing power of metals.	1
10(d)(iii)	Copper loses valence electrons least easily hence it has positive standard electrode potential while the other metals have negative standard electrode potential.	1
10(d)(iv)	<table><tr><td></td><td>FeCl$_2$ (aq)</td><td>CuCl$_2$ (aq)</td></tr><tr><td>Mn</td><td>Green solution turned pink. A grey solid deposited [1]</td><td>Blue solution turned pink. A reddish brown solid formed. [1]</td></tr></table> Since manganese displaces iron(II) ions and copper(II) ions from their aqueous salt, manganese is more reactive than iron and copper. [1] $Mn + Fe^{2+} \rightarrow Mn^{2+} + Fe$ $Mn + Cu^{2+} \rightarrow Mn^{2+} + Cu$	4
	Total	10

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OR

10(a)	The reddish-brown aqueous bromine turns colourless in <u>compounds A and B only</u>.	1
	<u>Addition reaction</u> takes place / bromine atoms can be added onto the	1
	<u>carbon atoms</u> with the <u>double bonds.</u>	1
	$C_3H_6 + Br_2 \rightarrow C_3H_6Br_2$	
	$CH_2CHCOOH + Br_2 \rightarrow CH_2BrCHBrCOOH$	1
10(b)		1

10(c)	Percentage composition of C = (3×12)/(3×12+6+2×16) ×100%= 36/74 ×100%=48.65	
	Percentage composition of H = 6/(3×12+6+2×16) ×100%= 6/74 ×100%=8.108	1
	Percentage composition of O = 100 – 48.65 – 8.108 = 43.24	1
10(d)	They have the same molecular formula.	1
10(e)	Ethanoic acid and methanol. Warm with concentrated sulfuric acid as catalyst.	1 1
	Total	10

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