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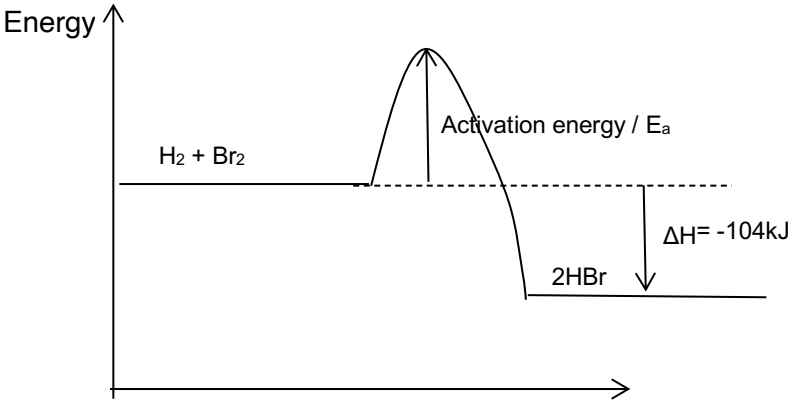
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(a)(ii)	To increase the percentage yield of ethanol OR To conserve resources and cut down the cost of starting reactants	1	
(a)(iii)	Oxygen will oxidise ethanol to ethanoic acid / Ethanol formed may undergoes combustion hence reducing the yield of ethanol.	1	
(b)(i)	200°C, 80 atm	1	
(b)(ii)	Optimum temperature is higher so that the reaction between steam and ethene is faster. Optimum pressure is lower because special equipment would be required to maintain the higher pressure which is not cost efficient.	1 1	
A3(a)	Graphite is made up of many layers of carbon atoms covalently bonded in a hexagonal lattice structure. The layers of carbon atoms are held loosely by weak intermolecular forces of attraction hence the layers can be easily separated using a sticky tape.	1 1	
(b)	Each carbon atom in graphene has one outer electron that is not used to form covalent bonds. These electrons can move freely and carry electric charges hence graphene has high electrical conductivity. Each carbon atom is covalently bonded to three other carbon atoms. A lot of energy is needed to break these strong covalent bonds hence graphene is strong.	1 1 1 1	
(c)	Graphene is transparent as it is made up of only a single layer of atoms which is very thin.	1	
A4(a)(i)	A strong acid completely ionized/ dissociates in aqueous solution/ when dissolved in water while a weak acid partially ionized/ dissociates in aqueous solution/ when dissolved in water.	1	
(a)(ii)	Tartaric acid is the weaker acid. Universal indicator turns orange in tartaric acid and red in sulfuric acid showing that tartaric acid has a higher pH/ pH of 4-6 while sulfuric acid has a lower pH/ pH of 1-3. Volume of gas collected 10s after reacting with Magnesium is lower with tartaric acid indicating that the speed of reaction is slower. Both tests show that the concentration of hydrogen ions is lower in tartaric acid as compared to sulfuric acid.	1 1 1	

(b)	no. of mol of NaOH produced = $\frac{22}{1000} \times 0.100 = 0.0022 \text{ mol}$ by mol ratio, $\text{H}_2\text{T} : \text{NaOH} = 1 : 2$ 0.011: 0.0022 Concentration of tartaric acid = $0.0011 / \frac{25}{1000}$ = 0.044 mol/ dm³	1 1 1									
A5(a)	A polymer is a macromolecule formed through the joining of many small molecules / monomers.	1									
(b)	H ■ O H - N - C - C - O - H H H H O H - N - C - C - O - H □ H ▨ O H - N - C - C - O - H H	1 1 1									
(c)	The component amino acids can be identified from its R _f value using chromatography with a suitable solvent and locating agent.	2									
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A6(a)(i)		2	
(a)(ii)	It is described as substitution reaction because the hydrogen atoms in methane is replaced by halogen atoms. It is photochemical because it requires ultraviolet light to initiate the reaction.	1 1	
(b)		1	
(c)	The $\text{OC}/$ particle produced in step 1 reacts with an oxygen atom in step 2 to produce another $\text{C}/$ atom. This $\text{C}/$ atom is then able to start step 1 again. This is a chain reaction.	1 1	
(d)	Ozone filters out excessive ultraviolet radiation that could lead to increased incidence of skin cancer.	1	
A7(a)	CO is poisonous/toxic as it combines with haemoglobin in red blood cells to form carboxyhaemoglobin which reduces the transport of oxygen to other parts of the body, leading to headaches / dizziness / breathing difficulties / suffocation / death. SO_2 irritates the eyes and lungs and cause breathing difficulties OR reacts with water to form acid rain which corrodes buildings/ harms aquatic life and plants. CO_2 is a greenhouse gas that absorbs radiation and leads to global warming.	2	
(b)	The oxidation state of Zn, O, C remains unchanged as +2, -2 and +4 respectively. Both oxidation and reduction has not occurred hence the reaction is not a redox reaction.	1 1	

(c)(i)	• The mixture is heated and vapourises. • Cadmium vapour with the lowest boiling point exits the condenser and distilled over first at 766°C. • After cadmium is collected, Zinc with the second lowest boiling distilled over at 907°C. • Lead and iron with much higher boiling point remains in the distillation flask/ distilled out last. OR • The mixture is heated and vapourises. • Vapours rise into the fractionating column and begins to cool and condense. • Fractions with a lower boiling points are collected at the top of the fractionating column and fractions with a higher boiling points are collected at the lower sections of the fractionating column. • Zinc is collected at the second lowest section.	4	
(c)(ii)	Zinc is more reactive than iron hence provides sacrificial protection by corroding in place of iron. OR Zinc is used in galvanization of iron where It acts as a protective barrier for iron against water and oxygen.	1 1 1 1	
B8(a)	The greater the number of bonds between two atoms, the smaller the bond length. The bond length decreases from 154pm to 120pm when the number of bonds increase from C-C to C≡C. As the bond energy decreases, the bond length increases. As bond energy decreases from 431kJ/mol to 299kJ/mol from H-Cl to H-I, bond length increases from 127pm to 161pm.	2	.
(b)	As the number of bonds between two atoms increases, the number of shared electrons increases and the forces of attraction between the shared electrons and nuclei of atoms increases. OR The larger the bond energy, the stronger the covalent bond is and the stronger the forces of attraction between the shared electrons and nuclei of atoms. Hence, the atoms are pulled closer together causing a shorter bond length.	1 1	

(c)(i)	$\Delta H = \text{Energy absorbed during bond breaking} - \text{Energy released during bond forming}$ $= (435 + 193) - 2 \times 366$ $= -104 \text{ kJ}$	1	
(c)(ii)		2	
(d)	Reaction of iodine with hydrogen is slower than the reaction of hydrogen with chlorine because chlorine is more reactive than iodine. Reaction of iodine with hydrogen is exothermic and the reaction of hydrogen with chlorine is endothermic because the energy absorbed for bond breaking is less than the energy released from bond forming when chlorine reacts with hydrogen/ the energy absorbed for bond breaking is more than the energy released from bond forming when iodine reacts with hydrogen. Reaction of iodine with hydrogen is reversible and the reaction of hydrogen with chlorine is not/ Reaction of iodine with hydrogen produced a halide which decomposes at high temperature while reaction of chlorine produced a halide that does not decompose at high temperature because hydrogen iodide is thermally less stable as compared to hydrogen chloride hence it breaks down easily to form hydrogen and iodine.	1 marking pt	
(e)	91 pm (accept 87 to 107pm)	1	
B9(a)	Any three: - In the 'plum pudding' model, there are no neutral charge particles/ neutrons but present idea of the atom has. - In 'plum pudding' model, electrons are spread out randomly in the sphere but electrons are arranged in electron shells in the present idea of the atom. - In 'plum pudding' model, there is no nucleus in the centre of the atom but present idea of the atom has. - In 'plum pudding' model, the positive charges /protons are not contained in the centre of the atom /in the nucleus but present idea of the atom is. (Accept any other plausible answers)	3	

(b)	As the current double from 2.0A to 4.0 A, the mass of copper formed also double from 0.12g to 0.24g.	1	
	As the time taken for electrolysis double from 180s to 360s, the mass of copper formed also double from 0.12g to 0.24g.	1	
	As more current passes through and more time allowed for electrolysis to occur, there are more electrons flowing through the circuit hence more copper (II) ions will gain electrons/ discharged / reduced.	1	
(c)	Mass of copper deposited at cathode = $1.44 - 1.20$ = 0.24g No. of mols of copper deposited = No. of mols of copper that was oxidized at anode Hence, mass of copper deposited at cathode = mass of copper oxidized at anode	1	
	Mass of anode after electrolysis = $1.45 - 0.24g$ = 1.21g	1	
(d)	At the anode: When carbon electrodes are used, there will be no decrease in mass in the anode as carbon is an inert electrode and does not participate in electrolysis.	1	
	When copper electrodes are used, copper anode decreased in mass due to copper being oxidized to form copper ions.	1	
	Electrolyte: When carbon electrode are used, blue aqueous copper(II) sulfate will turn colourless because copper ions are discharged at the cathode causing a decrease in concentration of copper ions.	1	
	When copper electrodes are used, blue aqueous copper(II) sulfate remains colourless. There is no change in concentration of copper ions because copper ions discharged/ reduced at the cathode is replenished by the oxidation of copper at the anode.	1	

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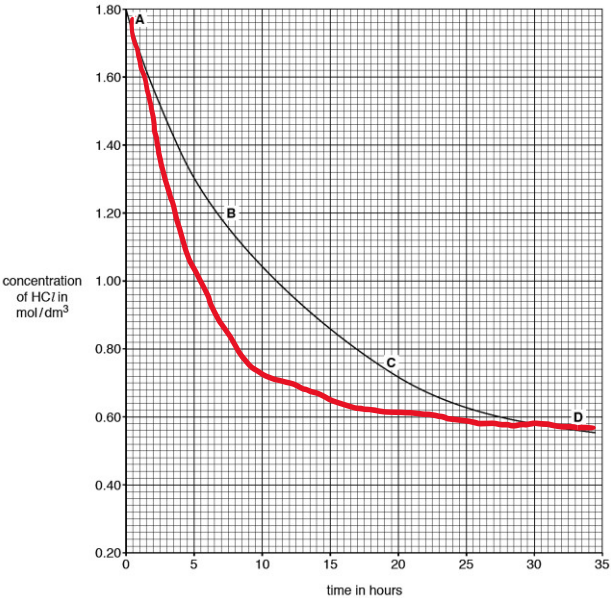
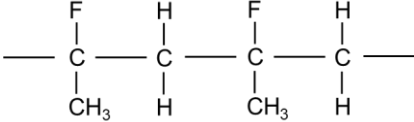
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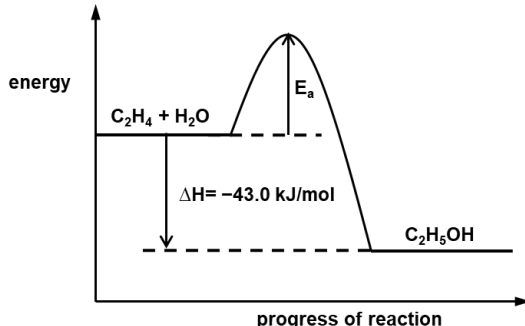
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A1		Total = 5
a	magnesium	1
b	ozone or dichloroethane	1
c	iodine	1
d	copper(II) sulfate and magnesium / potassium manganate(VII) and magnesium / magnesium and iodine	1
e	iodine, ozone, magnesium, diamond	1
A2		Total = 4
a	$2\text{Li} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{LiOH} + \text{H}_2$	1
b	moles of Li = $0.2 \div 7 = 0.028571$ [1] volume of H_2 = $0.028571 \div 2 \times 24$ = 0.343 dm^3 [1]	2
c	Description of observations: <u>No more effervescence</u> is observed and <u>no more solid darting</u> on the surface of water / all solid has completely reacted or <i>Clear description of the test for gas:</i> <i>Place a <u>lighted splint</u> at the mouth of test tube and if gas produced <u>do not extinguishes a lighted splint</u> with a 'pop' sound, reaction is completed / <u>connect a gas syringe</u> to the reaction test tube. Once the <u>volume of gas obtained remains unchanged</u>, reaction is completed.</i>	1

A3		Total = 14
a	Titration Method: 1. Pipette <u>10 / 20 / 25.0 cm³</u> of the sample of <u>acid</u> into a conical flask. 2. Add a few drops of methyl orange <u>indicator</u> and swirl the conical flask. 3. <u>Titrate</u> the acid in the conical flask with a <u>known concentration</u> of aqueous NaOH / KOH / Na₂CO₃ / alkali / soluble carbonate in the <u>burette</u> 4. Record <u>volume of alkali/carbonate</u> added once the <u>indicator changes colour</u> / turns from red to orange 5. Use the volume of alkali to find the <u>mole of hydrochloric acid used</u>, before <u>dividing it by the volume of acid</u> used for titration or Mass Loss Method: 1. Pipette <u>10 / 20 / 25.0 cm³</u> of the sample of <u>acid</u> into a conical flask. 2. Place the conical flask on <u>electronic balance</u>. 3. Use a <u>measuring cylinder</u> to add <u>excess methanol</u> into the conical flask. 4. Record the <u>initial mass of the mixture</u> and until a <u>constant mass</u> is obtained. 5. Calculate the number of moles of chloromethane by taking the mass lost of chloromethane divided by molar mass. Compare the mole ratio to find the <u>mole of hydrochloric acid used</u>, before <u>dividing it by the volume of acid</u> used. or Collection of Gas Method: 1. Pipette <u>10 / 20 / 25.0 cm³</u> of the sample of <u>acid</u> into a conical flask. 2. Use a <u>measuring cylinder</u> to add <u>excess methanol</u> of a known concentration into the conical flask. 3. Connect the setup to a <u>gas syringe</u>. 4. Measure and collect volume of chloromethane gas until <u>no more effervescence</u> is observed. 5. Calculate the mole of gas by dividing the volume (dm³) by 24. Compare the mole ratio to find the <u>mole of hydrochloric acid used</u>, before <u>dividing it by the volume of acid</u> used. 5 mk points – [3] 3-4 mk points – [2] 1-2 mk points – [1]	3
bi	<u>1.38 mol/dm³</u> [1].	1

bii	Methanol is the limiting reactant [1] As the reaction <u>reaches completion</u> / <u>gradient reaches zero</u>, there is <u>still concentration of acid left in</u> the reaction mixture [1] / concentration of acid left is not zero.	2
biii	Point A. Gradient of the graph is the <u>steepest / largest</u>	1
biv	Disagree with student. This is because the <u>rate is constantly changing</u> / <u>not constant</u> / <u>nonlinear</u> at each point / this formula <u>only finds the average rate at the 4 points</u> [1] Average rate of reaction should be (total loss / change in concentration ÷ total time) [1]	2

ci		1
cii	As the concentration of the acid increases, the number of reacting particles per unit volume of solution increases [1] As such, the particles collide more frequently and the frequency of effective collisions increases, increasing the rate of reaction [1]	2
ciii	Particles in the liquid state are <u>close together</u> in a disorderly manner. [1] There are <u>little or no spaces available to be compressed</u>, hence pressure does not affect the rate of reaction [1].	2
A4 Total = 8		
a	$\text{CH}_4(\text{g}) + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) + 4\text{H}_2(\text{g})$ [1] $\Delta H = +165 \text{ kJ/mol}$ [1]	2
b	In Step 1, <u>carbon monoxide gas is produced</u> [1]. Carbon monoxide <u>binds with haemoglobin</u> in the blood to form stable carboxyhaemoglobin that <u>prevents transport of oxygen to the rest of the body</u>, leading to death [1]. In Step 1, the <u>volume of hydrogen produced is lesser</u> than the volume of hydrogen produced in both steps [1]. In step 1, <u>one mole/volume of methane produces three moles/volumes of hydrogen</u>, whereas in both steps, <u>one mole/volume of methane produces four moles/volumes of hydrogen</u> [1] Using both Steps 1 and 2, the reaction enthalpy is <u>less endothermic / requires lower amount of heat energy</u> as compared to Step 1 alone [1]. This results in a <u>lower cost required as lesser amount of fuels need to be burnt</u> [1].	4
c	explanation: water is a <u>covalent molecule</u> and is a <u>poor conductor of electricity</u> [1] modification: add small volumes of <u>dilute acids / salt solutions / ionic compounds</u> to water [1]	2
A5 Total = 5		
a	molecule A: addition polymerisation [1] molecule B: condensation polymerisation [1]	2
b		1

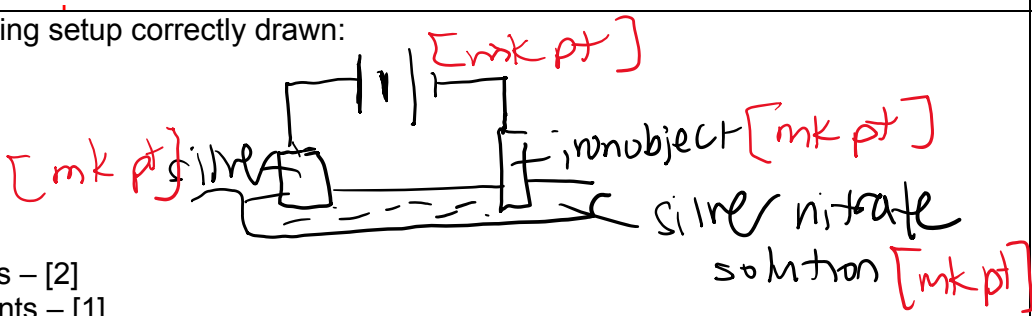
c	Polymers made from A have only <u>one type of linkage</u> [1] whereas polymers made from B have a <u>range of different linkages</u> like ester linkages and amide linkages [1] as B contains multiple functional groups, leading to a wider range of properties.	2
A6		Total = 14
a	source of glucose: <u>sugarcane</u> source of ethene: <u>(catalytic) cracking of hydrocarbons</u>	1
b	Fermentation is a <u>laborious process</u> as it requires <u>manpower</u> to start-stop to extract ethanol.	1
ci	As the <u>temperature increases</u> (from 250 °C to 350 °C), the <u>amount of ethanol formed decreases</u> (from 0.420 to 0.380).	1
cii	At <u>low temperatures</u> of 250 °C, the <u>rate of reaction</u> is <u>too slow</u> , while at higher <u>temperatures</u> of 350 °C, the <u>yield is lower</u> . Hence, optimum temperature of 300 °C is used.	1
ciii	<u>polyethene</u>	1
civ	moles of ethene = $40 \div 28 = 1.42857 \text{ mol}$ moles of ethanol = 1.42857×0.550 = 0.78571 = <u>0.786 mol</u> [1] % yield = $(0.78571 \div 1.42857) \times 100\%$ = <u>55.0%</u> [1]	2
d	Amount of energy absorbed for bond breaking = $1 \times 612 + 4 \times 412 + 2 \times 463$ = 3186 kJ [1] Amount of energy released for bond forming = $1 \times 348 + 5 \times 412 + 1 \times 358 + 1 \times 463$ = 3229 kJ [1] Enthalpy change = $+3186 - 3229 = -43.0 \text{ kJ/mol}$ [1] Peihao is correct that it is an exothermic reaction.	2
e	 Legend: E_a: activation energy ΔH: enthalpy change correct shape (exothermic) – [1] correct formulae for products – [1] labeling of enthalpy change and activation energy – [1]	3

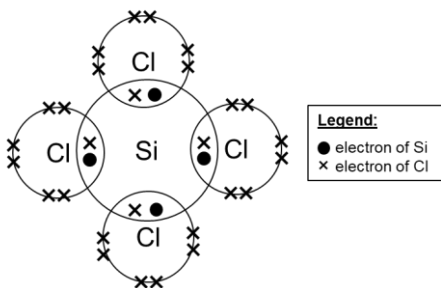
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B7		Total = 12
a	electronic configuration of Fe: [Ar]4s ² 3d ⁶ electronic configuration of Co: [Ar]4s ² 3d ⁷	2
bi	possible oxidation states of V: +1, +2, +3, +4, +5	1
bii	No. It is not possible for Mn to have an oxidation state of +8. Manganese has a maximum number of 7 electrons that can be lost from 3d and 4s orbitals.	1
ci	red	1
cii	green	1
ciii	When nickel reacts with chlorine, the d-orbitals are split into different energy levels [1], the electron in the lower energy d-orbitals absorb a wavelength (of about 395 nm) from the visible region of the electromagnetic spectrum, and the d electron to be excited (moved) to the higher energy level [1]. The remaining wavelength that are not absorbed will be emitted / complementary colour observed that is not absorbed [1] by nickel(II) chloride, which is the green colour observed.	3
d	Zinc has a fully filled d-orbital, hence excitation of electron cannot occur / absorption of wavelength is not within the visible light region of electromagnetic spectrum	1
ei	Vanadium(V) oxide is used / participated in the reaction in the first equation and is regenerated in the second equation.	1
eii	A catalyst provides an alternative reaction pathway with a lower activation energy for reacting particles.	1

B8		Total = 8
ai	Concentration of carbon dioxide increases steadily from 1965 to 2014.	1
aii	Due to large scale deforestation [1] which reduces the uptake of CO ₂ by plants for photosynthesis and the burning of fossil fuels [1] in the industry, the percentage of CO ₂ has been increasing rapidly.	2
aiii	Concentration of carbon dioxide decreases yearly during June / summer, but increases during December / winter [1]. This is because during summer, rate of photosynthesis in plant is greater than rate of respiration [1] due to longer durations of sunlight. However during winter, the rate of respiration is greater than rate of photosynthesis in plants as plants are hibernating [1].	3

bi	Carbon dioxide is a greenhouse gas, which traps heat, causing an increase in average surface temperature, leading to global warming.	1
bii	- polar ice caps will melt, causing sea level to rise and flood low-lying lands - reduced rain fall can cause a decrease in crops yield and consequently, shortage of food - more occurrences of unusual weather conditions such as warm spells, droughts, unexpected storms and hurricanes, and floods in some parts of the world - rise in ocean temperature results in lesser volume of carbon dioxide being able to dissolve in the sea water and this leads to an increase in the amount of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere, aggravating global warming - loss of habitats for wild life leading to their extinction	1

B9E		Total = 10
ai	A simple electric cell converts <u>chemical energy to electrical energy</u> , making it a potable battery.	1
b	positive electrode: $\text{Ag}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ag}(\text{s})$ [1] negative electrode: $\text{Zn}(\text{s}) \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^-$ [1]	2
c	Both zinc and iron are <u>more reactive</u> than silver [1]. Hence, both metals <u>displace silver</u> from the <u>silver nitrate</u>, which <u>silver is the grey deposit</u> observed [1]. or Silver ions are lower in the reactivity series than hydrogen ions, hence <u>silver ions are preferentially/selectively discharged to form silver metal</u> on the iron electrode [1]. As more silver is deposited, some <u>silver metal sinks due to gravity</u> [1].	2
d	The statement is true. Magnesium is more reactive than zinc, hence magnesium <u>tends to lose electrons more readily / larger potential difference leading to faster current flow</u> [1], leading to a faster rate. The number of <u>moles of product formed is the same / each Mg and Zn atom loses 2 valence electrons to form M^{2+} ions</u>, hence the <u>yield will be the same</u> [1].	2
e	Waste of zinc metal just to coat silver onto iron / replacement of silver nitrate electrolyte / replacement of zinc metal	1
f	Electroplating setup correctly drawn:  4 mk points – [2] 2-3 mk points – [1]	2

B90		Total = 10
a	The type of anion affects the melting point. The melting point of the compounds increases from <u>chlorides to fluorides then to oxides in all metals</u> [1]. The <u>electrostatic forces of attraction are the strongest</u> between oxides and the metallic cations, followed by a <u>decreasing trend</u> between fluorides and the metallic cations, and between chlorides and the metallic cations [1] As such, the <u>amount of energy required to overcome</u> the strong electrostatic forces of attraction <u>decreases</u> from chlorides to fluorides then to oxides in all metals [1]	3
bi	A more reactive metal <u>tends to lose electrons more readily</u> to form positive ions, leading to stronger ionic bonds.	1
bii	The theory is <u>not applicable</u> . Reactivity decreases from sodium to magnesium to aluminium. However, there is <u>no fixed trend of melting points</u> based on the reactivity of the metals / compounds of magnesium and/or have a higher melting point than sodium.	1
ci	 correct number of bonding electrons – [1] correct number of valence electrons on rest of elements – [1]	2
cii	Silicon dioxide has a <u>macromolecular/giant molecular/giant covalent</u> structure but silicon tetrachloride has a <u>simple molecular/covalent</u> structure [1]. The atoms in substance silicon dioxide are held together by numerous <u>strong covalent bonds</u>. As such, a <u>large amount of energy</u> is required to <u>break</u> the strong covalent bonds [1]. On the other hand, a <u>small amount of energy</u> is required to <u>overcome</u> the <u>weak intermolecular forces of attraction</u> [1] between molecules in silicon tetrachloride. This results in substance Y having a <u>low melting point</u> whereas substance X has a <u>high melting point</u>.	3

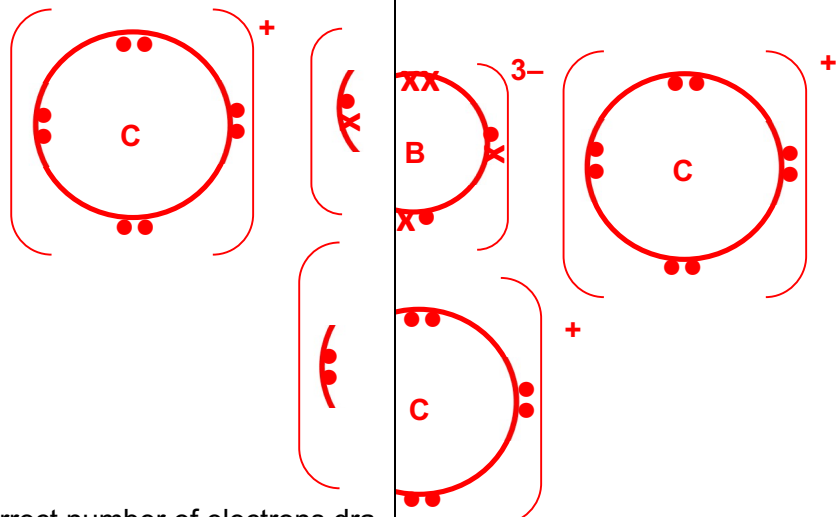
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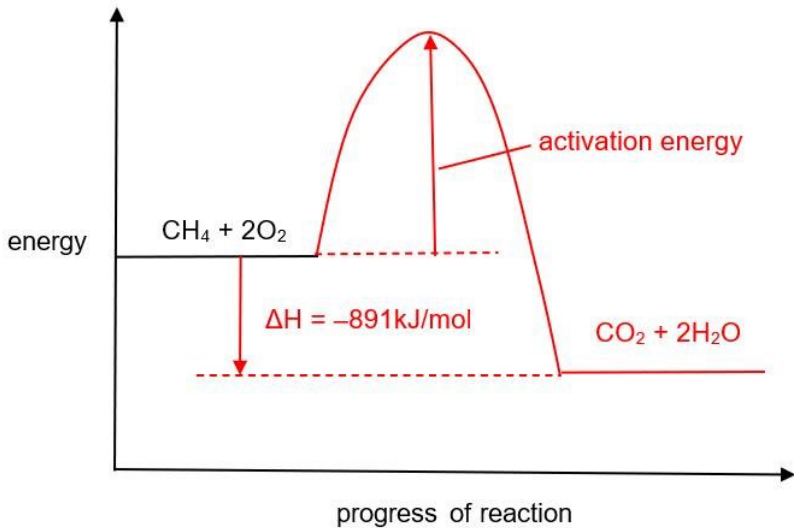
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6	B	16	B	26	C	36	A
7	C	17	A	27	A	37	A
8	C	18	C	28	B	38	C
9	A	19	C	29	A	39	B
10	B	20	C	30	C	40	C

Paper 2

Question	Mark Scheme	Mark
A1(a)	He, H ₂ , O ₂ , Cl ₂ (any two)	1
A1(b)	NH ₃ and Cl ₂	1
A1(c)	CO ₂ and O ₂	1
A1(d)	CH ₄	1
A1(e)	CO	1
A2(a)(i)	Number of neutrons = 48 Nucleon number = 56 [1] Both correct	1
A2a(ii)	2.8.8.1	1
A2(a)(iii)	E₂₋ Accept: O ²⁻ as the assessment objective is to see if student know that E can form an anion with -2 charge.	1
A2(a)(iv)	A and E. Both A and E are atoms that have the <u>same number of protons</u> but <u>different number of neutrons</u> . [1] for correct identification of isotopes and explanation. No need 'atoms' since the question context has already stated. Accept: same proton number, atomic number (since these are scientific terms) Reject: neutron number (no such scientific term), nucleon number (need to break down what this term means and go back to the definition)	1
A2(b)(i)	B: nitrogen D: potassium F: iron	1
A2(b)(ii)	Highest melting point iron (F) potassium (D) Lowest melting point nitrogen (B) CAO. No ecf b(i) .	1

A2(b)(iii)	B has <u>weak intermolecular forces of attraction</u> / <u>weak forces of attraction between the molecules</u> . Hence, <u>less energy</u> is absorbed to overcome the bonds.		1
	F has <u>strong electrostatic forces of attraction</u> / <u>metallic bonds</u> between the <u>cations</u> and 'sea' of <u>delocalised electrons</u> . Hence, <u>more energy</u> is required to overcome the bonds.		1
	[1] Correct types of bonds and particles [1] Energy comparison only awarded if bonds and particles are correct. No ecf (b)(ii).		
Question	Mark Scheme		Mark
A2(c)	 [1] Correct number of electrons drawn [1] Correct charges <u>and</u>	for cation C^+ and anion B^{3-} . ratio anion (3:1)	2
A3(a)	Manganese has <u>variable oxidation states</u> , <u>+2 in $Mn^{2+}/Mn(OH)_2$</u> and <u>+3 in $Mn(OH)_3$</u> . $MnSO_4$ acts as a catalyst as <u>$MnSO_4$ in step 1 is regenerated in step 3.</u>		1 1
A3(b)	$2Mn(OH)_3(s) + 2I^-(aq) + 6H^+(aq) \rightarrow 2Mn^{2+}(aq) + I_2(aq) + 6H_2O(l)$ correct balanced equation (ignore state symbols)		1
A3(c)(i)	+2		1
A3(c)(ii)	I_2 is reduced as the oxidation of iodine decreases from 0 in I_2 to -1 in NaI . $Na_2S_2O_3$ is oxidised as the oxidation of sulfur increases from +2 in $Na_2S_2O_3$ to +2.5 in $Na_2S_4O_6$. <i>Ecf for oxidation state of sulfur in $Na_2S_2O_3$ only if the oxidation state is increased.</i>		1 1
A3(d)	Colour changes from <u>bluish-black/blue-black to colourless</u> . <i>Reject: Blue or black only.</i>		1

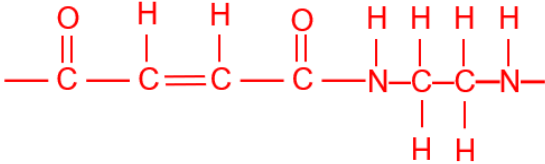
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A3(e)	Moles of $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$ used = $0.0100 \times (11.20/1000) = \underline{0.000112 \text{ mol}}$	1
	Moles of $\text{I}_2 = 0.000112 / 2 = 0.0000560 \text{ mol}$ [1] <i>for showing</i> Moles of $\text{Mn}(\text{OH})_3 = 2 \times 0.0000560 = 0.000112 \text{ mol}$	1
	Moles of O_2 present = $0.000112 / 4 = \underline{0.0000280 \text{ mol}}$ <i>moles of O_2</i>	1
	Concentration of $\text{O}_2 = 0.0000280 \div (100/1000)$ = $\underline{0.000280 \text{ mol/dm}^3}$ CAO	
A4(a)(i)	Density = $16 / 24 = 0.667 \text{ g/dm}^3$ Award for numerical answer only. Ignore units if missing.	1
A4(a)(ii)	Energy per gram = $762 / 32 = 22.7 \text{ kJ/g}$ Award for numerical answer only. Ignore units if missing.	1
A4(a)(iii)	Petrol is not a pure substance OR it consists of a mixture of hydrocarbons. Hence, there is no fixed enthalpy change of combustion.	1
A4(b)(i)	 Correct formulae of products. Ignore if equation is not balanced. [1] ΔH (with energy level) [1] activation energy [1]	1 1 1
Question	Mark Scheme	Mark

A4(b)(ii)	Methane has a <u>higher percentage of carbon</u> than methanol.	1
	For the same number of moles of fuel, methane requires more oxygen for <u>complete combustion</u> OR <u>more likely to undergo incomplete combustion</u> .	1
	Hence, methane is more likely to undergo incomplete combustion.	
A4(c)	Complete <u>combustion of hydrogen</u> produces only <u>water</u> which is a <u>non-pollutant</u> .	1
	However, <u>combustion of methane</u> produces <u>carbon dioxide</u> which is a <u>greenhouse gas that leads to global warming</u> .	1
A4(d)(i)	$\Delta H = 3(410) + 360 + 463 - 2(436) - 1077$	1
	$= 2053 - 1949$	
	$= +104 \text{ kJ/mol}$	1
	CAO, must include a positive sign, ignore missing units	
A4(d)(ii)	Step 1 is <u>endothermic</u> OR <u>Energy is absorbed</u> when methanol is <u>converted from a liquid to a gas</u> .	1
	<i>OWTTE to mention energy change due to the change in physical states</i>	
A4(d)(iii)	The carbon monoxide produced is toxic as it binds to haemoglobin / prevents the blood to transport oxygen and leads to breathlessness and eventually death.	1
	<i>OWTTE about the inability to transport oxygen</i>	
	OR The methanol used is toxic as it can lead to headache, dizziness or loss of consciousness.	
A5(a)(i)	C_5H_{10}	1
A5(a)(ii)	Condition: <u>uv light</u>	1
	$\text{C}_4\text{H}_8 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{C}_4\text{H}_7\text{Cl} + \text{HCl}$	1
	No need state symbols. Multiple chlorine-substituted product must come with corresponding HCl.	
A5(b)(i)	C_4H_8	1

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A5(d)	Let the mass of S be 100 g. <table><tr><td></td><td>C</td><td>H</td><td>O</td><td>Br</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Mass / g</td><td>100 – 68.7 = 31.3 g</td><td>5.9 g</td><td>10.5 g</td><td>52.3 g</td><td>includes assumption of mass above.</td></tr><tr><td>Mole /mol</td><td>31.3 / 12 = 2.61</td><td>5.9 / 1 = 5.9</td><td>10.5 / 16 = 0.656</td><td>52.3 / 80 = 0.654</td><td>2 to 3 sf</td></tr><tr><td>Simplest mole ratio</td><td>4</td><td>9</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>No mark To be awarded in EF</td></tr></table> Empirical formula = C₄H₉BrO		C	H	O	Br		Mass / g	100 – 68.7 = 31.3 g	5.9 g	10.5 g	52.3 g	includes assumption of mass above.	Mole /mol	31.3 / 12 = 2.61	5.9 / 1 = 5.9	10.5 / 16 = 0.656	52.3 / 80 = 0.654	2 to 3 sf	Simplest mole ratio	4	9	1	1	No mark To be awarded in EF	1 1 1
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B6(a)(i)	Electronegativity <u>decreases down Group II elements.</u> As the <u>atomic size increases</u>, the <u>attraction between the nucleus and valence electrons is weaker</u>, making the atom less likely to attract electrons.	1 1																								
B6(a)(ii)	Any value between 0.82 to 0.98 (actual 0.93)	1																								
B6(b)	Helium, neon and argon have <u>fully filled valence electron shells</u> and they are <u>unable to form bonds</u> with other elements.	1 1																								
B6(c)	Σ of Al₂O₃ = 3.44 – 1.61 = <u>1.83</u> and Σ of AlCl₃ = 3.16 – 1.61 = <u>1.55</u> CAO Σ value of Al₂O₃ does not support. Al₂O₃ is an <u>ionic compound but its Σ is less than 2.0.</u> Σ value of AlCl₃ supports the bonding in AlCl₃. [no mark]	1 1																								

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B7(c)(i)	$\text{Ag}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ag}(\text{s})$ Reject: If no or wrong state symbols are written.	1
B7(c)(ii)	The pH of the electrolyte decreases. <u>OH^- is preferentially discharged at graphite electrode 2 and resulting in a lower OH^- concentration or concentration of OH^- becomes lower than concentration of H^+.</u>	1 1
B7(d)	<u>Oxide ions are discharged to give oxygen gas at graphite electrode 2.</u> After a long period of time, the <u>oxygen gas produced reacts / oxidises graphite electrode 2</u> to become <u>carbon dioxide gas</u> . Accept: equations written for the reactions at the electrode At graphite electrode 2: $2\text{O}^{2-}(\text{l}) \rightarrow \text{O}_2(\text{g}) + 2\text{e}^-$ and $\text{C}(\text{s}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{CO}_2(\text{g})$	1 1
Either B8(a)(i)	There is a higher concentration of hydrogen ions, H^+ in nitric acid than phosphoric acid. The <u>frequency of effective collision</u> between the <u>hydrogen ions and metal</u> in the alloy will be <u>higher</u> in nitric acid than phosphoric acid. Hence, the speed of reaction will be higher for nitric acid than phosphoric acid. [no mark]	1 1
B8(a)(ii)	18 ± 1 hours ($\pm 5\%$) <i>Minus [1] for overall paper if no units.</i>	1
B8(b)(i)	$2\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} + \text{Mg} \rightarrow (\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_2\text{Mg} + \text{H}_2$	1
B8(b)(ii)	<u>Add ethanoic acid in excess</u> OR until <u>no more effervescence</u> is observed. <u>Filter the mixture to obtain copper as the residue. Wash the residue with water</u> to obtain pure copper.	1 1

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B8(c)(i)	Pass the gas through acidified KMnO_4 .	1
	Purple acidified KMnO_4 decolourises.	1
B8(c)(i)	 - Amide linkage clearly shown. - Correct number and type of atoms in polymer with the two ends of the polymer unbonded to any atoms. Bonding between atoms must be correct.	1 1
Or B8(a)(i)	$\text{CO}_2 + \text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2 \rightarrow \text{CaCO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$	1
B8(a)(ii)	Y, X, Z More reactive metal forms more thermally stable metal compounds. Since the rate of decomposition of ZCO_3 is the greatest followed by XCO_3 and YCO_3, Z is the least reactive metal followed by X and Y which is the most reactive metal. [no mark as this is awarded above] [1] Identify the correct relationship between metal reactivity and metal compound stability. [1] Use relationship above to link to data (i.e. rate of decomposition) given in the table.	1 1 1
B8(b)(i)	This is a reversible reaction. [no mark] When phosphorus reacts with bromine to form phosphorus tribromide, some phosphorus tribromide decomposes (breaks down, converted back) to give phosphorus and bromine. [1] awarded for the understanding of reactants converted to products and back with relevant context (i.e. identities of reactants of products stated).	1
B8(b)(ii)	Chlorine is <u>more reactive</u> than bromine. The <u>rate of reaction</u> of phosphorus with chlorine should be <u>higher</u> than that with bromine.	1 1

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B8(c)(i)	Note: No need to show displayed formula. All bonds must be correctly bonded e.g. C is bonded directly to C in $-\text{CH}_2\text{Br}$.	1
B8(c)(ii)	M_r of $\text{CH}_3\text{CHCHCH}_2\text{Br}$ monomer = $4(12) + 7 + 80 = 135$ No. of monomer present in polymer = $33750 \div 135 = 250$ CAO Since each monomer has 4 carbon atoms, no. of carbon atoms in polymer = $250 \times 4 = 1000$ CAO	1 1

Paper 1

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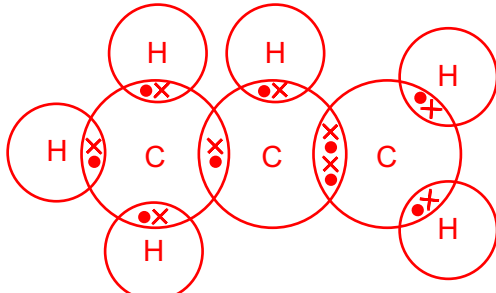
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Paper 2

A1			
(a)	(i) chlorine	[1]	
	(ii) aluminium	[1]	
	(iii) strontium	[1]	
	(iv) chlorine	[1]	
	(v) manganese OR tin	[1]	
(b)	sub-atomic particle	number of particles	[2] – 3 correct [1] – 2 correct [0] otherwise
	protons	37	
	neutrons	50	
	electrons	36	
A2			
(a)	Diffusion is the movement of particles from a region of <u>higher concentration</u> to a region of <u>lower concentration</u> .		[1]
(b)	Gas particles have a <u>higher kinetic energy</u> than particles in solids and liquids. Hence, gas particles move at <u>very high speeds</u> and diffuses more quickly.		[1] for comparison of kinetic energy [1] for stating speed.
(c)	Position <u>C</u> . PH ₃ diffuses at a <u>faster rate</u> than HI as PH ₃ has a lower relative molecular mass of 34, as compared to HI with a higher relative molecular mass of 128.		[1] for correct position. [1] for stating the relative rate or speed of diffusion. [1] for stating M_r – reject if M_r is wrong.
A3			
(a)	1. Atmosphere of Mars contains 95.3% carbon dioxide while atmosphere of Earth contains only 0.03% of carbon dioxide. 2. Atmosphere of Mars contains only 2.7% nitrogen while atmosphere of Earth contains 78% nitrogen. 3. Atmosphere of Mars contains only 0.13% of oxygen while atmosphere of Earth contains 21% oxygen.		[1] for each difference, citing correct percentage of corresponding gases on Earth.

		Any 2, max [2]
(b)	The presence of plant life <u>would increase the percentage of oxygen and decrease the percentage of carbon dioxide.</u> Plants undergo <u>photosynthesis</u> in the day by taking in carbon dioxide and releasing oxygen. $6\text{CO}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 + 6\text{O}_2 + \text{energy}$	[1] for effect on both gases. Reject if only effect on 1 gas is mentioned. [1] for mention of photosynthesis [1] for correct equation. Condone if 'energy' omitted.
A4		
(a)	A strong acid is a substance that <u>ionises completely in water</u> to form H^+ ions.	[1] for all phrases underlined
(b) (i)	$\text{SO}_3\text{NH}_3 + \text{NaOH} \rightarrow \text{NaSO}_3\text{NH}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$	[1]
(ii)	Sulfamic acid reacts with calcium carbonate to form calcium sulfamate, water and carbon dioxide gas. $2\text{SO}_3\text{NH}_3 + \text{CaCO}_3 \rightarrow \text{Ca}(\text{SO}_3\text{NH}_2)_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{CO}_2$	[1] for naming products formed [1] for correct and balanced equation.
(c)	Ammonia. Ammonia gas turns moist red litmus paper blue.	[1] for gas. [1] for test and observation. Allow ecf for 2nd [1] if test is correct for gas.
A5		
(a)	In zirconium, the <u>zirconium cations and sea of delocalised electrons</u> are held together by <u>strong metallic bond in a giant metallic lattice structure.</u> <u>Large amount of heat energy</u> is required to overcome the <u>strong metallic bonds</u> in zirconium.	[1] for describing structure and bonding. [1] for stating energy required.
(b) (i)	$\text{Zr (s)} + \text{H}_2\text{O (g)} \rightarrow \text{ZrO}_2 \text{ (s)} + \text{H}_2 \text{ (g)}$	[1] for correct reactant and products. [1] for balanced and correct state symbols.
(ii)	<u>Hydrogen gas</u> is formed. Hydrogen gas is <u>flammable</u> OR the <u>build-up of pressure</u> in the nuclear reactor may result in an explosion.	[1] identifying that source of danger is hydrogen gas. [1] for reason on why hydrogen is dangerous.
A6		
(a) (i)	Iron	[1] Reject chemical symbol.

(ii)	A catalyst speeds up a reaction by providing an <u>alternative reaction pathway</u> of <u>lower activation energy</u> . Number of particles colliding with <u>energy equal to or higher than the activation energy</u> increases. Frequency of effective collision increases.	[1] [1]																			
(b)	$\text{N}_2 + 3\text{H}_2 \rightleftharpoons 2\text{NH}_3$ The production of ammonia is a reversible process.	[1] equation (with reversible arrow) [1] Explanation																			
A7																					
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(b)	At anode: Universal indicator changes from green to red/orange At cathode: Universal indicator changes from green to blue/purple.	[1] each for correct colour change. Max [2]																			
A8																					
(a)	A: fractional distillation B: catalytic cracking C: addition polymerisation	[2] – 3 correct [1] – 2 correct [0] otherwise Reject all other answers																			
(b)	Petroleum gas. Fuel for cooking / fuel for heating.	[1] for identifying and stating one use.																			
(c) (i)	 <i>Alternating 'dot-and-cross' symbols to show sharing of electrons between adjacent atoms.</i>	[1] correct bonding and number of electrons [1] general order and arrangement of atoms.																			

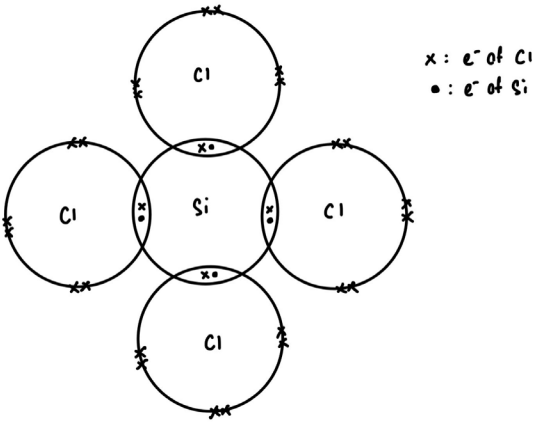
(ii)	$\begin{array}{ccccc} & \text{H}-\text{O} & & \text{H} & & \text{H} \\ & & & & & \\ \text{H}- & \text{C} & - & \text{C} & - & \text{C} & -\text{H} \\ & & & & & \\ & \text{H} & & \text{H} & & \text{H} \end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ccccc} & & & \text{H} & & \\ & & & & & \\ & \text{H} & & \text{O} & & \text{H} \\ & & & & & \\ \text{H}- & \text{C} & - & \text{C} & - & \text{C} & -\text{H} \\ & & & & & \\ & \text{H} & & \text{H} & & \text{H} \end{array}$	[1] each. If both structures are correct but not all bonds expanded, less [1].
(iii)	Fractional distillation. The two products in (b)(ii) are isomers of each other and have different physical properties / different boiling points.	[1] for identifying method. [1] for explaining the difference in boiling point due to isomerism.

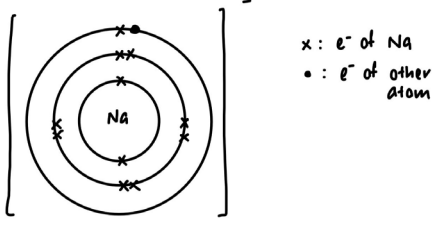
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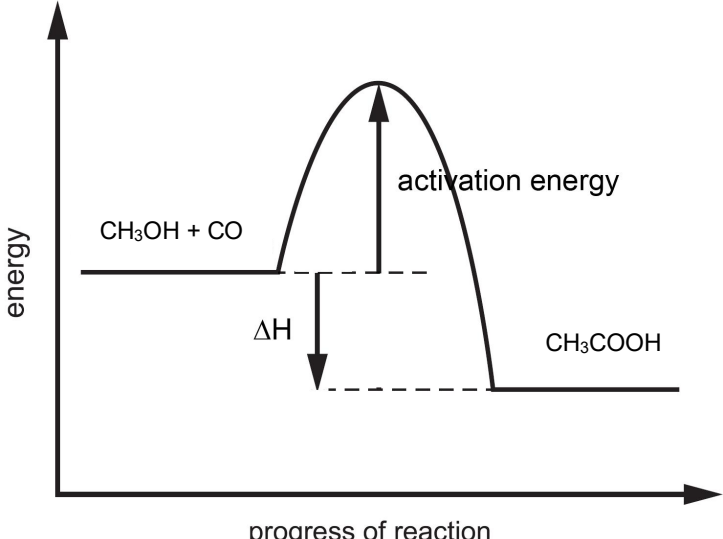
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Paper 2

Paper 2 (80 marks)					
Qn.		Answers	Marks		
A1	a)	A	1	5	
	b)	D	1		
	c)	B	1		
	d)	F	1		
	e)	I	1		
A2	a)	water and salts have different boiling points (1) water evaporates AND salts / residues / impurities / solids left in flask (1) water condenses / turns to liquid in the condenser (1)	3	10	
	b)	i) Mg^{2+} and Cl^- ii) $1.26/95 = 0.01325 \text{ mol}$ (1) $0.01325 \times 2 = 0.0265 \text{ mol/ dm}^3$ (1) iii) white ppt/ solid/ deposit	2		
	c)	i) $\text{Ba}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + \text{SO}_4^{2-}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{BaSO}_4(\text{s})$ (1) ii) conc of $\text{SO}_4^{2-} = 1.24/96 = 0.0129 \text{ mol/dm}^3$ (1) mol of $\text{SO}_4^{2-} = 0.129 \times 50/1000 = 6.46 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol}$ (1) mol of $\text{BaSO}_4 = 6.46 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol}$ mass of $\text{BaSO}_4 = 6.46 \times 10^{-4} \times 233 = 0.150$ (1) c) mass of SO_4^{2-} in 50 cm^3 seawater = $1.24 \times 50/1000 = 0.062 \text{ g}$ (1) mol of $\text{SO}_4^{2-} = 0.062/96 = 6.46 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol}$ (1) mol of $\text{BaSO}_4 = 6.46 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol}$ mass of $\text{BaSO}_4 = 6.46 \times 10^{-4} \times 233 = 0.150$ (1) - Many students failed to notice that the concentration is given in g/dm^3 so attempted to find moles of SO_4^{2-} by multiplying $1.24 \times 50/1000$.	3		

A3	a)	2.8.4	1	8
	b)	$\text{Si} + 2\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{SiCl}_4$ - Many students attempted to give the state symbols but got it wrong (not penalised) - Do note that state symbols are not required unless stated in qns. Wrong state symbols may be penalised.	2	
	c)	does not conduct electricity (1) low melting point / low boiling point (1) - Low density is not accepted since density depends on the actual state of the substance i.e. solid, liquid or gas. e.g. iodine has SMS but density is not low.	2	
	d)	 minus one mark for any mistake: missing legend/ non-bonding electrons	2	
A4	a)	Dividing % by mass by atomic mass $\text{N} = 12.0/14$ $\text{H} = 3.4/1$ $\text{O} = 41.0/16$ $\text{V} = 43.6/51$ Dividing correctly by smallest to give correct ratio: $\text{N} = 0.857$ $\text{H} = 3.4$ $\text{O} = 2.56$ $\text{V} = 0.855$ Empirical formula: $\text{H}_4\text{NO}_3\text{V}$ (order of elements not considered in marking)	1 1 1	8
	b)	coloured Accept: can act as catalysts	1	
	c)	NH_4^+ (1) VO_3^- (1)	2	
	d)	(Y is an) oxidising agent (1) the oxidation number of iodine increases / iodide loses electrons / Y gains electrons (1) Reject: Y is an OA since it reacts with KI which is an RA (need to elaborate) Y is an OA since it oxidises KI to I_2 (how do you know?)	2	

	e)	i) Ammonia (1) ii) $2\text{NH}_4\text{VO}_3 \rightarrow \text{V}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{NH}_3$ (1)	2	
A5	a)	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_4\text{O}$ (1) Reject $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_6$	1	9
	b)		1	
	c)	$2\text{Na} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NaCl}$ - Many students attempted to give the state symbols but got it wrong (not penalised) - Do note that state symbols are not required unless stated in qns. Wrong state symbols may be penalised.		
	d)	sodium chloride has giant ionic lattice structure (1) a lot of energy required to overcome the strong electrostatic forces of attraction between oppositely charged ions. (1) chlorine has simple molecular structure (1) a small amount of energy is required to overcome the weak intermolecular forces of attraction between chlorine molecules. (1)	4	
	e)	At 600 °C it is solid so ions cannot move / at 600 °C ions are in fixed position in a solid (1) NOTE: reference needed to solid as well as lack of movement of ions At 1000 °C it is molten/ liquid so ions can move / at 1000 °C it is molten/ liquid so ions are mobile / At 1000 °C it is molten/ liquid because the ions are free (1) NOTE: reference needed to temperature, liquid/ solid as well as movement of ions	2	

A6	a)	 energy CH₃OH + CO activation energy ΔH CH₃COOH progress of reaction - reactants labelled on left and products labelled on the right AND <u>product level below reactant level</u> (1) - enthalpy change labelled and shown by <u>downward</u> arrow value (1) - <u>activation energy</u> shown as upward arrow from left hand energy level to energy 'hump' above the highest energy levels of both products and reactants (1)	3	9
	b)	(i) CO binds irreversibly to haemoglobin in blood; blocks oxygen uptake in blood. Reject: death, breathing difficulties - Many students missed out on the keyword: irreversibly. (ii) H₂O (iii) Pd oxidation states +2 to 0; (1) C oxidation states +2 to +4; (1) (iv) palladium has been reduced since OS decreased (1) C has been oxidized since OS increased. (1) e.c.f. from (iii)	6	
	c)	- Extraction of iron	2	
B7	a)	sodium > barium > magnesium > nickel > copper (Nickel spelt wrongly - zero marks)	1	10
	b)	- the more reactive the metal, the more negative is the reduction potential OR - the less reactive the metal, the more positive is the reduction potential	1	

	c i)	- +0.80 V (1) - silver is less reactive than copper; hence reduction potential will be more positive than copper (1)	2										
	c ii)	$\text{Ag}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightleftharpoons \text{Ag}(\text{s})$ (no state symbols - minus 1 mark)	2										
	d)	<table border="1"><thead><tr><th>metal</th><th>chromium</th><th>tin</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>aqueous solution of nickel(II) ions</td><td>✓</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>dilute nitric acid</td><td>✓</td><td>✓</td></tr></tbody></table> Each row - correct answer(s) - [1]	metal		chromium	tin	aqueous solution of nickel(II) ions	✓		dilute nitric acid	✓	✓	2
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e i)	The more positive/ less negative the electrode potential, the lower is the ion in the electrochemical series.	1											
ii)	positive: chlorine gas/ Cl_2 $2\text{Cl}^-(\text{l}) \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2(\text{g}) + 2\text{e}^-$ negative: iron/ Fe $\text{Fe}^{3+}(\text{l}) + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Fe}(\text{l})$ Each row - correct answer(s) - [1]	2											
B8	a i)	concentration of ethanoate = 0.45 mol / dm^3 (1) mass = $0.45 \times 59 \times 200/1000 = 5.31 \text{ g}$ (1)	2	10									
	a ii)	concentration of ethanoate ions at 300 s = 0.17 mol / dm^3 (1) [0.16 mol / dm^3 accepted] average rate = $0.17/300 = 5.67 \times 10^{-4} \text{ (mol/dm}^3/\text{s)}$ or $5.33 \times 10^{-4} \text{ (mol/dm}^3/\text{s)}$ [1]	1										
	a iii)	rate of reaction decreases with time / reaction slows down (1) gradient becomes less steep with time (1)	2										
	a iv)	concentration of reactants decreases (1) no. of particles per unit volume decreases (1) frequency of collision decreases + frequency of effective collision decreases (1)	3										
	b)	ethanol has a simple molecular structure (1) Only stating covalent bond not accepted. Need to mention simple covalent bond. no free mobile electrons (1)	2										
B9 EITHER R	a)	fractional distillation (1) cracking (1)	1	10									

	b)	Electrolysis of dilute aqueous sodium chloride solution will produce oxygen gas at the anode and not chlorine gas.	1	
	c)	$ \begin{array}{c} \text{Cl} \quad \text{Cl} \\ \quad \\ \text{H}-\text{C}-\text{C}-\text{H} \\ \quad \\ \text{H} \quad \text{H} \end{array} \quad (1) $	1	
	d)	hydrogen chloride [hydrochloric acid not accepted]	1	
	e)	$ \begin{array}{cccccc} \text{Cl} & \text{H} & \text{Cl} & \text{H} & \text{Cl} & \text{H} \\ & & & & & \\ -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C}- \\ & & & & & \\ \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} \end{array} $ Accept: chlorine atoms at bottom. correct repeating unit (1) 3 repeat units with continuation bonds at ends (1) No ending lines from the carbon atoms on both ends - minus [1]	2	
	d i)	max mass = 2250 tonnes	1	
	d ii)	% yield = $2175/2250 \times 100$ (1) = 96.7% (1)	2	
B9 OR	a)	alcohol and carboxylic acid [both need to be correct to get 1 mark]	1	10
	b)	$2\text{HOCH}_2\text{COOH} + \text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{HOCH}_2\text{COONa} + \text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ correct products (1) correct coefficients (1)	2	
	c)	- oxygen has been removed from oxalic acid - hydrogen has been added to oxalic acid ALLOW oxidation number of carbon decreases	1	
	d i)	- condensation polymer Any of the following: - because water has been removed - monomer does not have a carbon-carbon double bond - has ester linkage which is formed by condensation) [both need to be correct to get 1 mark]	1	
	d ii)	- Terylene	1	
	e i)	- Less landfill/ pollution - Fewer air pollution/ less poisonous fumes - Small mammals/ birds not trapped/ harmed	1	

	e ii)	- plastic bags - any other valid answers Plastics not accepted	1	
	e iii)	$ \begin{array}{ccccccc} \text{CH}_3 & \text{H} & \text{CH}_3 & \text{H} & \text{CH}_3 & \text{H} & \text{CH}_3 & \text{H} \\ & & & & & & & \\ -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C}- \\ & & & & & & & \\ \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} \end{array} $ correct repeating unit (1) 3 repeat units with continuation bonds at ends (1) No ending lines from the carbon atoms on both ends - minus [1]	2	