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# AS CHEMISTRY

## Paper 1 Inorganic and Physical Chemistry

Monday 18 May 2020

Morning

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

### Materials

For this paper you must have:

- the Periodic Table/Data Sheet, provided as an insert (enclosed)
- a ruler with millimetre measurements
- a scientific calculator, which you are expected to use where appropriate.

### Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do **not** write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).
- All working must be shown.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.

### Advice

You are advised to spend about 65 minutes on **Section A** and 25 minutes on **Section B**.

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## Section A

Answer all questions in this section.

0 1

This question is about atomic structure.

0 1. 1

There is a general trend for an increase in ionisation energy across Period 3.  
Give **one** example of an element that deviates from this trend.

Explain why this deviation occurs.

[3 marks]

Element Aluminium

Explanation The outer 3p electron is at  
higher energy than the 3s  
subshell so requires less energy to  
remove

0 1. 2

Give an equation, including state symbols, to represent the process that occurs when  
the **third** ionisation energy of sodium is measured.

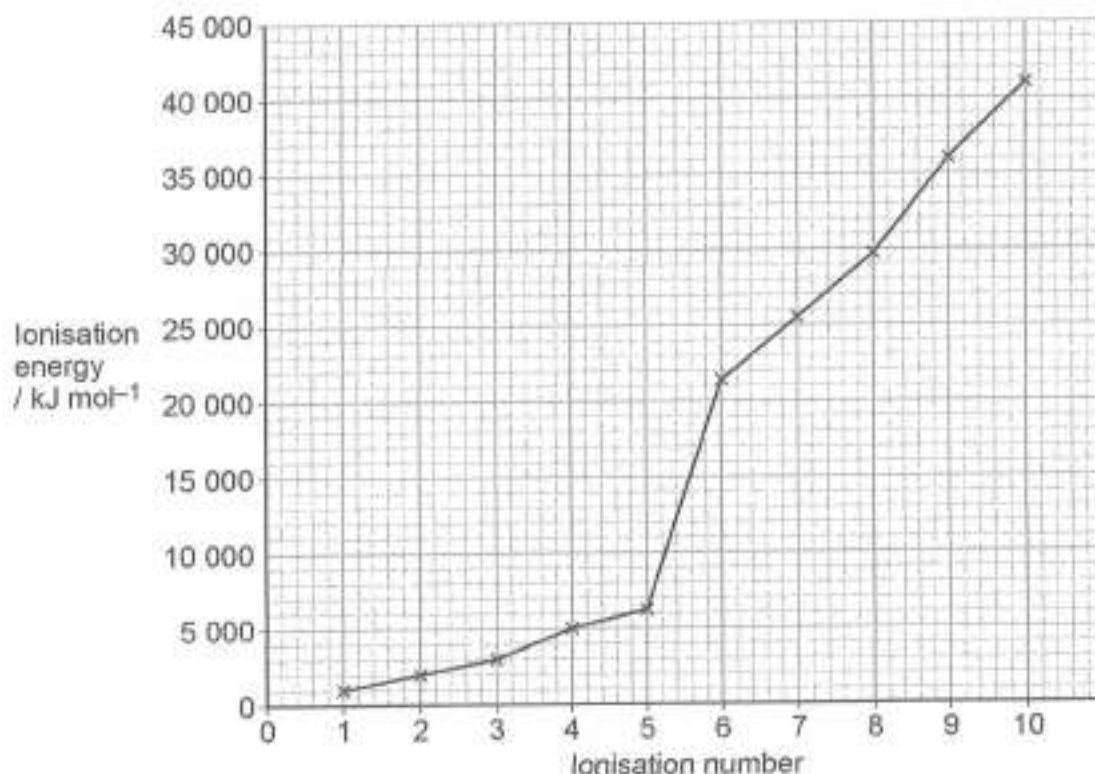
[1 mark]



0 1 . 3

Figure 1 shows the successive ionisation energies of a Period 3 element, X.

Figure 1



Identify element X.  
Explain your choice.

[3 marks]

Element Phosphorus

Explanation There is a large jump in the ionisation energy after the removal of the 5<sup>th</sup> electron. This shows the move to removing electrons from the next shell down.

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0 2

This question is about a titration.

A student dissolves an unknown mass of sodium hydroxide in water to make  $200 \text{ cm}^3$  of an aqueous solution.

A  $25.0 \text{ cm}^3$  sample of this sodium hydroxide solution is placed in a conical flask and is titrated with  $0.150 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  sulfuric acid.

The equation for this reaction is shown.

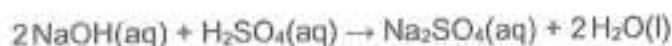


Table 1 shows the results of the titrations.

Table 1

Titration	Rough	1	2	3
Final reading / $\text{cm}^3$	20.75	40.35	21.05	40.60
Initial reading / $\text{cm}^3$	0.00	20.75	1.20	21.05
Titre / $\text{cm}^3$	20.75	19.60	19.85	19.55

0 2 . 1

Calculate the mass of sodium hydroxide used to make the original solution.

$n\text{NaOH} = 2n\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  [5 marks]

$$V_{\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4} = \frac{19.60 + 19.55}{2} = 19.575 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$n\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 = \text{Conc} \times \text{Volume} = 0.150 \times \frac{19.575}{1000} \\ = 2.936 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mole}$$

$$n\text{NaOH in } 25 = 2.936 \times 10^{-3} \times 2 = 5.87 \times 10^{-3} \text{ moles}$$

$$n\text{NaOH in } 200 = 5.87 \times 10^{-3} \times 8 = 0.04698 \text{ moles}$$

$$\text{mass} = 0.04698 \times 40 = 1.88 \text{ g}$$

Mass of sodium hydroxide 1.88 g



0 2 . 2

The student uses a funnel to fill the burette with sulfuric acid before starting the titration. After filling, the student forgets to remove the funnel from the top of the burette.

Suggest why this might affect the titre volume recorded.

[1 mark]

Additional drops of solution may have entered the burette from the funnel

0 2 . 3

State **one** advantage of using a conical flask rather than a beaker for the titration.

[1 mark]

Less chance of losing reaction mixture when stirring

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0 3

This question is about time of flight (TOF) mass spectrometry.

0 3 . 1

Define the term relative atomic mass.

[2 marks]

The average mass of an atom of an element relative to  $1/12^{\text{th}}$  the mass of Carbon-12

0 3 . 2

A sample of krypton is ionised using electron impact.

The mass spectrum of this sample of krypton has four peaks.

Table 2 shows data from this spectrum.

Table 2

$m/z$	82	83	84	86
Relative intensity	6	1	28	8

Calculate the relative atomic mass ( $A_r$ ) of this sample of krypton.

Give your answer to 1 decimal place.

[2 marks]

$$R.A.M = \frac{(82 \times 6) + (83 \times 1) + (84 \times 28) + (86 \times 8)}{43}$$

$$= \frac{3615}{43} = 84.1$$

$A_r$  84.1



0 3 . 3 In a TOF mass spectrometer, ions are accelerated to the same kinetic energy (KE).

The kinetic energy of an ion is given by the equation  $KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$

Where:

KE = kinetic energy / J

m = mass / kg

v = speed /  $\text{m s}^{-1}$

In a TOF mass spectrometer, each  $^{84}\text{Kr}^+$  ion is accelerated to a kinetic energy of  $4.83 \times 10^{-16}$  J and the time of flight is  $1.72 \times 10^{-6}$  s

Calculate the length, in metres, of the TOF flight tube.

The Avogadro constant,  $L = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

[4 marks]

$$\text{mass} = \frac{84 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}{6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}} = 1.3948 \times 10^{-22} \text{ g}$$

$$= 1.3948 \times 10^{-25} \text{ kg}$$

$$E_{\text{KE}} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$v = \frac{d}{t} \quad d = t \sqrt{\frac{2E_{\text{KE}}}{m}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{2E_{\text{KE}}}{m}} = v$$

$$d = \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 4.83 \times 10^{-16}}{1.3948 \times 10^{-25}}} \times 1.72 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$= 1.43 \text{ m}$$

Length of flight tube 1.43 m

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0 4

This question is about enthalpy changes.

0 4 . 1

State the meaning of the term enthalpy change as applied to a chemical reaction.

[1 mark]

Heat energy change at  
constant pressure

0 4 . 2

A student determines the enthalpy change for the reaction between calcium carbonate and hydrochloric acid.



The student follows this method:

- measure out 50 cm<sup>3</sup> of 1.00 mol dm<sup>-3</sup> aqueous hydrochloric acid using a measuring cylinder and pour the acid into a 100 cm<sup>3</sup> glass beaker
- weigh out 2.50 g of solid calcium carbonate on a watch glass and tip the solid into the acid
- stir the mixture with a thermometer
- record the maximum temperature reached.

The student uses the data to determine a value for the enthalpy change.

Explain how the experimental method and use of apparatus can be improved to provide more accurate data.

Describe how this data from the improved method can be used to determine an accurate value for the temperature change.

[6 marks]

Firstly, a burette should be used instead of a measuring cylinder to give a more accurate volume reading. A polystyrene cup should be used instead of a beaker to prevent heat loss. The watch glass should be reweighed after adding the solid to determine the mass lost to residue and fully powdered solid should be used.





The initial temperature of the solution should be recorded for a few minutes before the addition of the solid to get an accurate measure. The temperature should then be measured at regular intervals (30 or 60 s) for a further 10 minutes to properly show any trend. To determine the temperature change, plot the results on a graph against time. Extrapolate the two temperature data sets to the point of addition. Use the distance between the two lines at the point of addition to determine the value of  $\Delta T$ .

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04.3

In a different experiment  $50.0 \text{ cm}^3$  of  $0.500 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  aqueous hydrochloric acid are reacted with  $50.0 \text{ cm}^3$  of  $0.500 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  aqueous sodium hydroxide.



The initial temperature of each solution is  $18.5 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

Calculate the maximum final temperature of the reaction mixture.

Assume that the specific heat capacity of the reaction mixture,  $c = 4.18 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ g}^{-1}$

Assume that the density of the reaction mixture =  $1.00 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$

[5 marks]

$$n_{\text{HCl}} = n_{\text{NaOH}} = \frac{50 \times 0.500}{1000} = 0.025 \text{ moles}$$

$$q = -\Delta H n = -(57.1) \times 0.025 = 1.4275 \text{ kJ}$$

$$\Delta T = \frac{q}{mc} = \frac{1.4275 \times 10^3}{100 \times 4.18}$$

$$= 3.42 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$$

$$\text{Final Temp} = 18.5 + 3.42 = 21.9 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$$

Final temperature 21.9  $^\circ\text{C}$

04.4

Suggest how, without changing the apparatus, the experiment in Question 04.3 could be improved to reduce the percentage uncertainty in the temperature change.

[1 mark]

Increase the concentration of the solutions



0 5

This question is about Group 2 elements and their compounds.

0 5 . 1

Explain why the melting point of magnesium is higher than the melting point of sodium.

[2 marks]

Mg<sup>2+</sup> ions have a higher charge to mass ratio than Na<sup>+</sup> ions. Therefore they are attracted more strongly to the sea of delocalised electrons, requiring more energy to be separated.

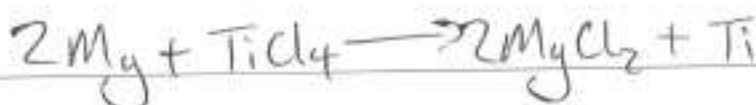
0 5 . 2

Give an equation to show how magnesium is used as the reducing agent in the extraction of titanium.

Explain, in terms of oxidation states, why magnesium is the reducing agent.

[2 marks]

Equation



Explanation

Mg changes oxidation state from 0 to 2+ so it is losing 2 electrons

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0 5 . 3

State what is observed when dilute aqueous sodium hydroxide is added to separate solutions of magnesium chloride and barium chloride.

[2 marks]

Observation with magnesium chloride

white precipitate

Observation with barium chloride

No visible change

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0 6

This question is about shapes of molecules and ions.

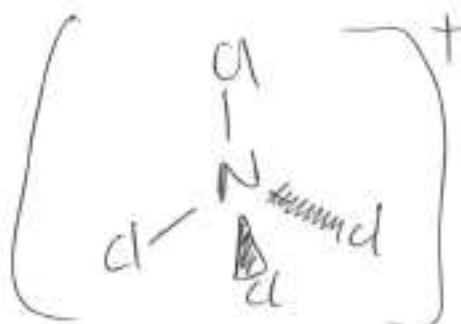
Draw the shape of  $\text{NCl}_3$  and of  $\text{NCl}_4^+$

Include any lone pairs of electrons that influence the shape.

Name the shape of  $\text{NCl}_3$

State and explain the bond angle in  $\text{NCl}_4^+$

[5 marks]

Shape of  $\text{NCl}_3$ Shape of  $\text{NCl}_4^+$ 

Name of shape of  $\text{NCl}_3$  Pyramidal

Bond angle in  $\text{NCl}_4^+$   $109.5^\circ$

Explanation of bond angle in  $\text{NCl}_4^+$  all electron pairs in  $\text{NCl}_4^+$  repel each other equally to be as far apart as possible

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0 7

This question is about Group 7 elements and their compounds.

0 7 . 1

Chlorine is used to treat water even though it is toxic to humans.

Give **one** reason why water is treated with chlorine.

Explain why chlorine is added to water even though it is toxic.

Give an equation for the reaction of chlorine with cold water.

**[3 marks]**

Reason to sterilise the water

Explanation It is only used in low concentration  
so the benefits of sterilisation outweigh  
the risk

Equation



0 7 . 2

Solid sodium iodide reacts with concentrated sulfuric acid to form iodine and sulfur in a redox reaction.

Give a half-equation to show the conversion of iodide ions to iodine.

Give a half-equation to show the conversion of sulfuric acid to sulfur.

Give an overall equation for this redox reaction.

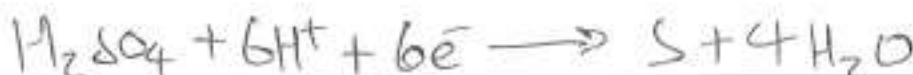
Identify one other sulfur-containing reduction product formed when solid sodium iodide reacts with concentrated sulfuric acid.

[4 marks]

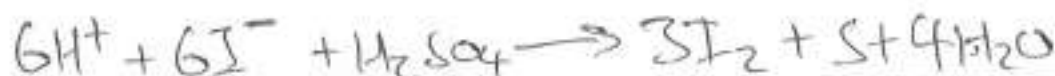
Half-equation for the conversion of iodide ions to iodine



Half-equation for the conversion of sulfuric acid to sulfur



Overall equation



Other sulfur-containing reduction product



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A student completes an experiment to determine the percentage by mass of sodium chloride in a mixture of sodium chloride and sodium iodide.

The student uses this method.

- 600 mg of the mixture are dissolved in water to form a solution.
- An excess of aqueous silver nitrate is added to the solution. This forms a precipitate containing silver chloride and silver iodide.
- Excess dilute ammonia solution is then added to the precipitate. The silver chloride dissolves.
- The silver iodide is filtered off from the solution, and is then washed and dried.

The mass of the silver iodide obtained is 315 mg

0 7 . 3 Silver nitrate is added to the solution.

Suggest why an excess is used.

[1 mark]

To ensure that all the halide ions  
have reacted

0 7 . 4 Calculate the amount, in moles, of silver iodide obtained.

$M_r(\text{AgI}) = 234.8$

[1 mark]

$$n_{\text{AgI}} = \frac{0.315}{234.8} = 1.34 \times 10^{-3} \text{ moles}$$

Amount of silver iodide  $1.34 \times 10^{-3}$  mol





- 07.5 Calculate, using your answer to Question 07.4, the mass, in grams, of sodium iodide in the mixture.

$$M_r(\text{NaI}) = 149.9$$

[1 mark]

$$n_{\text{NaI}} = 1.34 \times 10^{-3} \text{ moles}$$

$$\text{mass} = 1.34 \times 10^{-3} \times 149.9 = 0.201 \text{ g}$$

Mass of sodium iodide 0.201 g

- 07.6 Calculate, using your answer to Question 07.5, the percentage by mass of sodium chloride in the mixture.

[2 marks]

$$\text{mass NaCl} = 600 - 201 = 399 \text{ mg}$$

$$\% \text{ NaCl} = \frac{399}{600} \times 100 = 66.5\%$$

Percentage of sodium chloride 67%

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0 8

This question is about a volatile liquid, **A**.

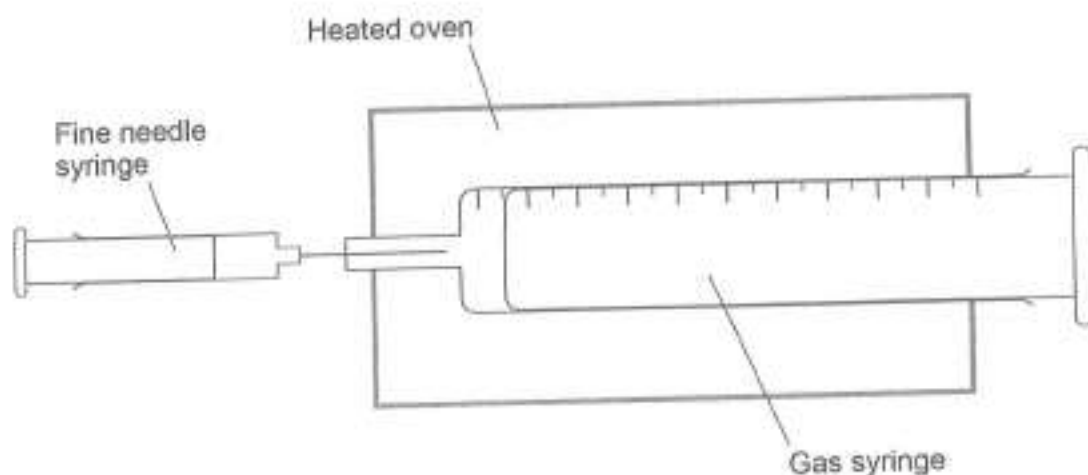
0 8 . 1

A student does an experiment to determine the relative molecular mass ( $M_r$ ) of liquid **A** using the apparatus shown in **Figure 2**.

The student injects a sample of **A** into a gas syringe in an oven.

At the temperature of the oven, liquid **A** vaporises.

**Figure 2**



**Table 3** shows the student's results.

**Table 3**

Mass of fine needle syringe and contents before injecting	11.295 g
Mass of fine needle syringe and contents after injecting	10.835 g
Volume reading on gas syringe before injecting	0.0 cm <sup>3</sup>
Volume reading on gas syringe after injecting	178.0 cm <sup>3</sup>
Pressure of gas in syringe	100 kPa
Temperature of oven	120 °C



Calculate the  $M_r$  of A.

Give your answer to 3 significant figures.

The gas constant,  $R = 8.31 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

$$pV = nRT$$

[4 marks]

$$n = \frac{pV}{RT} \quad n = \frac{100,000 \times 1.78 \times 10^{-8}}{8.31 \times (273 + 120)}$$

$$= 5.45 \times 10^{-3} \text{ moles}$$

$$M_r = \frac{m}{n} = \frac{0.460}{5.45 \times 10^{-3}}$$

$$= 84.4$$

$M_r$  84.4

0 8 . 2

The student noticed that some of the liquid injected into the gas syringe did **not** vaporise.

Explain the effect that this has on the  $M_r$  calculated by the student.

[2 marks]

The calculated  $M_r$  would be higher than the actual as a lower volume would have been recorded than should have been

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Table 3 is repeated here.

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Pressure of gas in syringe	100 kPa
Temperature of oven	120 °C

0 8 . 3

Each reading on the balance used to record the mass of the fine needle syringe and contents had an uncertainty of  $\pm 0.001$  g

Calculate the percentage uncertainty in the mass of liquid A injected in this experiment.

[1 mark]

$$\begin{aligned} \% \text{ uncertainty} &= \frac{2 \times 0.001}{0.460} \times 100 \\ &= \pm 0.435\% \end{aligned}$$

Percentage uncertainty 0.435%

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## Section B

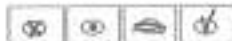


Answer **all** questions in this section.Only **one** answer per question is allowed.

For each answer completely fill in the circle alongside the appropriate answer.

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0 9

Which atom has the smallest number of neutrons?

[1 mark]

A  $^3\text{H}$ B  $^4\text{He}$ C  $^5\text{He}$ D  $^4\text{Li}$ 

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Which species contains bonds that have different polarities?

[1 mark]

A  $\text{NH}_4^+$ B  $\text{CCl}_4$ C  $\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$ D  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$ 

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1 1

Which compound has hydrogen bonding?

[1 mark]

A NaH

B NH<sub>3</sub>

C HI

D SiH<sub>4</sub>

1 2

Which reaction has an enthalpy change equal to the standard enthalpy of formation of lithium fluoride?

[1 mark]

A  $\text{Li(g)} + \frac{1}{2}\text{F}_2\text{(g)} \rightarrow \text{LiF(s)}$ B  $\text{Li}^+\text{(g)} + \text{F}^-\text{(g)} \rightarrow \text{LiF(s)}$ C  $\text{Li}^+\text{(aq)} + \text{F}^-\text{(aq)} \rightarrow \text{LiF(s)}$ D  $\text{Li(s)} + \frac{1}{2}\text{F}_2\text{(g)} \rightarrow \text{LiF(s)}$ 

1 3

 $\text{NO}_2^-$  ions can be reduced in acidic solution to NO  
How many electrons are gained when each  $\text{NO}_2^-$  ion is reduced?

[1 mark]

A 1

B 2

C 3

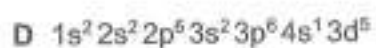
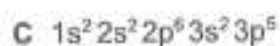
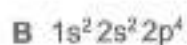
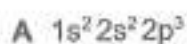
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Which is the electron configuration of an atom with **only two** unpaired electrons?

[1 mark]



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Which represents the correct order of increasing radius of the ions?

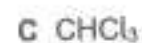
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Which compound contains a co-ordinate bond?

[1 mark]



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1 7

Which property increases down Group 7?

[1 mark]

- A ability to oxidise a given reducing agent
- B boiling point
- C electronegativity
- D first ionisation energy

1 8

Which of these elements has the highest melting point?

[1 mark]

- A Argon
- B Chlorine
- C Silicon
- D Sulfur

1 9

Which statement is **not** always correct for a reaction at equilibrium?

[1 mark]

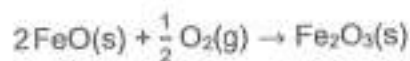
- A The concentrations of the reactants and products are equal.
- B The equilibrium can be achieved starting from the reactants.
- C The equilibrium can be achieved starting from the products.
- D The rate of the forward reaction is equal to the rate of the reverse reaction.





2 0

Two reactions of iron with oxygen are shown.

What is the enthalpy change, in  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ , for this reaction?

[1 mark]

A +550

B -278

C -1094

D -1372

2 1

Which compound contains chlorine in an oxidation state of +1?

[1 mark]

A  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$ B  $\text{KClO}_3$ C  $\text{ClF}_3$ D  $\text{CCl}_4$ 

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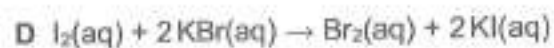
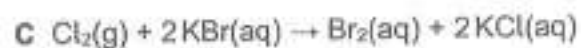
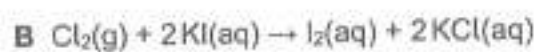
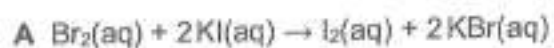
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2 2

Which equation shows a redox reaction that does **not** occur?

[1 mark]



2 3

Which molecule has a permanent dipole?

[1 mark]



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END OF QUESTIONS

