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# AS CHEMISTRY

## Paper 1 Inorganic and Physical Chemistry

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

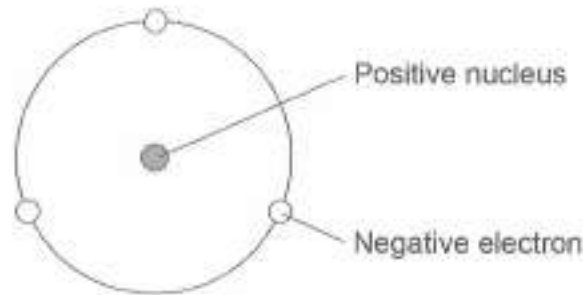
Answer **all** questions in this section.

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**0 1** This question is about atomic structure.

**0 1 . 1** **Figure 1** is a model proposed by Rutherford to show the structure of an atom.

**Figure 1**



State **two** features of the current model that are not shown in the Rutherford model.

**[2 marks]**

Feature 1 of the current model The current model includes  
a nucleus made up of protons and neutrons

Feature 2 of the current model The current model features  
electrons arranged into energy levels



- 0 1 2 A sample of tin is analysed in a time of flight mass spectrometer. The sample is ionised by electron impact to form  $1+$  ions.

Table 1 shows data about the four peaks in this spectrum.

Table 1

m/z	Percentage abundance
112	22.41
114	11.78
117	34.97
120	To be determined

Give the symbol, including mass number, of the ion that reaches the detector first.

Calculate the relative atomic mass of tin in this sample.  
Give your answer to 1 decimal place.

[4 marks]

Symbol of ion  $^{112}\text{Sn}^+$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{No abundance} &= 100 - (22.41 + 11.78 + 34.97) \\ &= 30.84\% \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A_r \text{Sn} &= \frac{(112 \times 22.41) + (114 \times 11.78) + (117 \times 34.97) + (120 \times 30.84)}{100} \\ &= 116.5 \end{aligned}$$

Relative atomic mass 116.5

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0 2 This question is about magnesium and its compounds.

0 2 . 1 State **one** observation when magnesium reacts with steam.

Give an equation, including state symbols, for this reaction.

[2 marks]

Observation Bright white light given off

Equation



0 2 . 2 Describe the bonding in magnesium.

[2 marks]

Magnesium is held together by the attraction between a metallic lattice of  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  ions and a surrounding sea of delocalised electrons. This form of bonding is metallic.

0 2 . 3 Explain, in terms of structure and bonding, why magnesium chloride has a high melting point.

[3 marks]

$\text{MgCl}_2$  is made up of a giant ionic lattice of  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Cl}^-$  ions. Between these ions there are strong electrostatic forces of attraction. These forces require a lot of energy to overcome, leading to a high melting point.

0 2 . 4 Give **one** medical use for magnesium hydroxide.

[1 mark]

Indigestion relief.



0 3 This question is about redox reactions.

0 3 . 1 State, in terms of electrons, the meaning of the term oxidising agent.

[1 mark]

An oxidising agent accepts electrons

0 3 . 2  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$  can oxidise  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$  in acidic conditions to form  $\text{Cr}^{3+}$  and  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ .

Deduce a half-equation for the oxidation of  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$  to  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ .

Deduce a half-equation for the reduction of  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$  to  $\text{Cr}^{3+}$ .

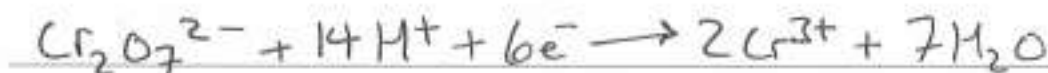
Deduce the overall equation for the oxidation of  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$  by  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$ .

[3 marks]

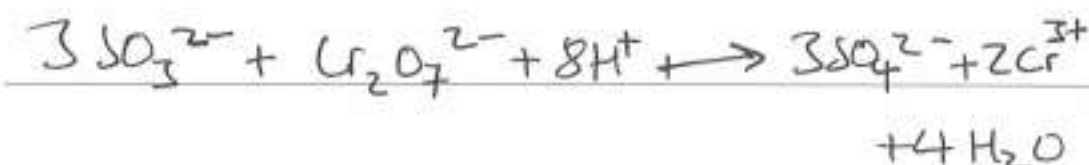
Half-equation for the oxidation of  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$  to  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$



Half-equation for the reduction of  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$  to  $\text{Cr}^{3+}$



Overall equation



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0 4

This question is about the identification of ions in unknown solutions.

A student completes a number of test-tube reactions on solutions **A**, **B** and **C**.

**Table 2** shows the student's observations.

**Table 2**

	Test 1	Test 2	Test 3
	Add H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> (aq)	Warm with NaOH(aq)	Add acidified AgNO <sub>3</sub> (aq)
<b>A</b>	white precipitate	no visible change	no visible change
<b>B</b>	effervescence	a gas is formed that turns damp red litmus blue	effervescence
<b>C</b>	no visible change	no visible change	off-white precipitate

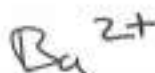
0 4 . 1

Suggest the identity of the positive ion in solution **A**.

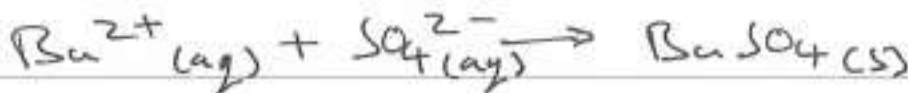
Give the simplest ionic equation for the formation of the white precipitate in **Test 1** for solution **A**.

[2 marks]

Identity of positive ion in **A** \_\_\_\_\_



Ionic equation \_\_\_\_\_



0 4 . 2

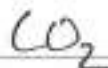
Different gases are formed when solution **B** reacts in **Test 1** and in **Test 2**.

Suggest the identity of each gas.

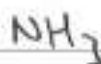
Give the simplest ionic equation for the formation of the gas in **Test 2**.

[2 marks]

Gas formed in **Test 1** \_\_\_\_\_



Gas formed in **Test 2** \_\_\_\_\_



Ionic equation for the formation of the gas in **Test 2** \_\_\_\_\_



0 4 . 3 The student thinks that solution C contains either chloride ions or bromide ions.

Describe a further test, or tests, to show whether solution C contains chloride or bromide ions.

[3 marks]

The student should add a dilute ammonia solution to a sample of solution C and acidified silver nitrate. If the ammonia causes the off-white precipitate present in the sample to dissolve then chloride ions are present. If there is no further change bromide ions are present.

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0 5

This question is about chlorine.

0 5 . 1

Chlorine has a low boiling point because the forces between the molecules are weak.

Explain how these forces arise between molecules of chlorine.

[3 marks]

Random movements of the electron cloud around the chlorine atom will create transient dipoles. These transient dipoles will cause surrounding electron clouds to distort, themselves forming dipoles that are aligned to the first. These induced dipoles form an attraction between their  $\delta^+$  or  $\delta^-$  ends and the oppositely charged ends of neighbouring dipoles.

0 5 . 2

Give an equation for the reaction of chlorine with water.

Give a reason why chlorine is added to drinking water.

[2 marks]

Equation



Reason kills micro-organisms in the water

0 5 . 3

Chlorine reacts with cold, aqueous sodium hydroxide in the manufacture of bleach.

Give an equation for this reaction.

[1 mark]





0 6

Calcium sulfide reacts with calcium sulfate as shown.



2.50 g of calcium sulfide are heated with 9.85 g of calcium sulfate until there is no further reaction.

Show that calcium sulfate is the limiting reagent in this reaction.

Calculate the mass, in g, of sulfur dioxide formed.

$$M_r(\text{CaS}) = 72.2$$

$$M_r(\text{CaSO}_4) = 136.2$$

[5 marks]

$$n(\text{CaS}) = \frac{2.50}{72.2} = 0.0346 \text{ moles}$$

$$n(\text{CaSO}_4) = \frac{9.85}{136.2} = 0.0723 \text{ moles}$$

$$n(\text{CaSO}_4) = n(\text{CaS}) \text{ in reaction } 0.0723 \neq 3 \times 0.0346$$

CaSO<sub>4</sub> is limiting reagent

$$n(\text{SO}_2) = \frac{4}{3} n(\text{CaSO}_4) = 0.0964 \text{ moles}$$

$$\text{mass} = 0.0964 \times 64.1 = 6.18 \text{ g}$$

Mass of sulfur dioxide 6.18 g

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0 7 This question is about combustion.

0 7 . 1 State the meaning of the term standard enthalpy of combustion.

[2 marks]

The energy change when one mole of substance burns completely in oxygen, with all reactants in their standard states, at standard temperature and pressure

0 7 . 2 A student does an experiment to determine the enthalpy of combustion of propan-1-ol ( $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$ ,  $M_r = 60.0$ ).  
Combustion of 0.497 g of propan-1-ol increases the temperature of 150 g of water from 21.2 °C to 35.1 °C

Calculate a value, in  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ , for the enthalpy of combustion of propan-1-ol in this experiment.

The specific heat capacity of water is  $4.18 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ g}^{-1}$

[3 marks]

$$q = mc\Delta T \quad q = 150 \times 4.18 \times (35.1 - 21.2)$$

$$= 8715.3 \text{ J}$$

$$n \text{ Propan-1-ol} = \frac{0.497}{60} = 0.00828 \text{ moles}$$

$$\Delta H = \frac{8715.3}{0.00828} = 105,257 \text{ J mol}^{-1}$$

$$= 1,052 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$$

Enthalpy of combustion 1,052  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$



07.3

The enthalpy of combustion determined experimentally is less exothermic than that calculated using enthalpies of formation.

Give **one** possible reason for this, other than heat loss.

[1 mark]

The combustion may not have  
been complete.

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0 8

A student is provided with a 5.60 g sample of ethanoic acid ( $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ ) contaminated with sodium ethanoate ( $\text{CH}_3\text{COONa}$ ).

The student dissolves the sample in deionised water and makes the volume up to 200 cm<sup>3</sup>

The student removes 25.0 cm<sup>3</sup> samples of the solution and titrates them with 0.350 mol dm<sup>-3</sup> sodium hydroxide solution.

Table 3 shows the results of these titrations.

Table 3

	Rough	1	2	3
Final volume / cm <sup>3</sup>	20.85	41.10	20.50	40.80
Initial volume / cm <sup>3</sup>	0.00	20.85	0.00	20.50
Titre / cm <sup>3</sup>	20.85	20.25	20.50	20.30

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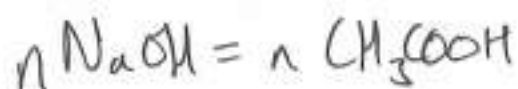
Use the results in Table 3 to calculate the mean titre value.

Use the mean titre to calculate the percentage by mass of sodium ethanoate in the original sample.

[6 marks]

$$\text{Mean} = \frac{20.25 + 20.30}{2} = 20.275 \text{ cm}^3$$

Mean titre value 20.275 cm<sup>3</sup>



$$n \text{ NaOH} = 0.35 \times \left( \frac{20.275}{1000} \right) = 0.00709625 \text{ moles}$$

$$n \text{ Ethanoic Acid} = 0.00709625 \text{ moles in } 25 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$= 0.05677 \text{ moles in } 200 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\text{Mass Ethanoic Acid in Sample} = 60 \times 0.05677 = 3.4062 \text{ g}$$

$$\text{Mass Sodium ethanoate} = 5.6 - 3.4062 \text{ g} = 2.1938 \text{ g}$$

$$\% = \frac{2.1938}{5.6} \times 100 = 39.1\%$$

Percentage by mass

39.1%

08.2

The student rinses the burette with deionised water before filling with sodium hydroxide solution.

State and explain the effect, if any, that this rinsing will have on the value of the titre.

[2 marks]

The titre value would increase as the NaOH solution would be more dilute.

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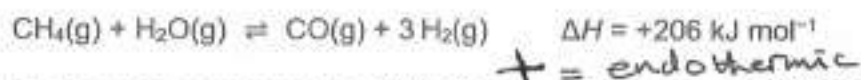
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0 9

Hydrogen can be prepared on an industrial scale using the reversible reaction between methane and steam.



The reaction is done at a temperature of 800 °C and a low pressure of 300 kPa in the presence of a nickel catalyst.

Explain, in terms of equilibrium yield and cost, why these conditions are used.

[6 marks]

A temperature of 800°C is used because the reaction is endothermic. As such the reaction will shift towards the products at higher temperatures to compensate for the increased energy. High temperatures are costly however so 800°C is chosen as a compromise between yield and cost. A low pressure of 300 kPa is used as this also pushes the equilibrium to products. This is because the product side of the equilibrium contains 4 moles of gas versus the reactants two. Low pressure is also less expensive to maintain but increases yield.

A catalyst is added to allow a lower temperature to be used, though does not affect the yield of the process. By allowing a lower temperature to be used, it reduces costs.





1 0

Sulfur dioxide reacts with oxygen to form sulfur trioxide.



1 0 . 1

Give an expression for the equilibrium constant ( $K_c$ ) for this reaction.

[1 mark]

$$K_c = \frac{[\text{SO}_3]^2}{[\text{SO}_2]^2 [\text{O}_2]}$$

1 0 . 2

A mixture of sulfur dioxide and oxygen is allowed to reach equilibrium in a container of volume  $1800 \text{ cm}^3$  at temperature  $T$ .At equilibrium, the mixture contains  $0.176 \text{ mol}$  of sulfur dioxide and  $0.461 \text{ mol}$  of sulfur trioxide.At temperature  $T$  the equilibrium constant,  $K_c = 15.0 \text{ mol}^{-1} \text{ dm}^3$ 

Calculate the amount, in moles, of oxygen at equilibrium.

[3 marks]

$$15 = \frac{\left(\frac{0.461}{1.8}\right)^2}{\left(\frac{0.176}{1.8}\right)^2 \times [\text{O}_2]} \quad [\text{O}_2] = \frac{\left(\frac{0.461}{1.8}\right)^2}{\left(\frac{0.176}{1.8}\right)^2 \times 15}$$

$$[\text{O}_2] = 0.457 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$$

$$n = 0.457 \times 1.80$$

$$= 0.823 \text{ moles}$$

Amount of oxygen 0.823 mol



- 10.3 At a different temperature, a mixture contains  
 0.025 mol of sulfur dioxide  
 0.049 mol of oxygen  
 0.034 mol of sulfur trioxide.

The total pressure of the mixture in a 3500 cm<sup>3</sup> reaction vessel is 255 kPa

Use the data to calculate the temperature, in °C, of the mixture.

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

[5 marks]

$$PV = nRT \quad T = \frac{PV}{nR}$$

$$n = 0.025 + 0.049 + 0.034 \\ = 0.108$$

$$V = 3500 \text{ cm}^3 = 0.0035 \text{ m}^3$$

$$P = 255 \text{ kPa} = 255,000 \text{ Pa}$$

$$T = \frac{255,000 \times 0.0035}{0.108 \times 8.31}$$

$$= 994 \text{ K}$$

$$= 721 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$$

Temperature 721 °C

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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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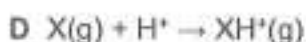
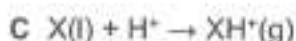
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1 1

In a time of flight mass spectrometer, molecule X is ionised using electrospray ionisation.

What is the equation for this ionisation?

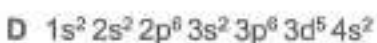
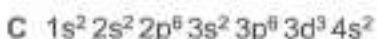
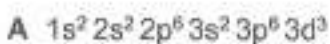
[1 mark]



1 2

What is the electron configuration of  $V^{2+}$  in the ground state?

[1 mark]



1 3

Which molecule is **not** able to form a co-ordinate bond with another species?

[1 mark]

A  $\text{BH}_3$ B  $\text{CH}_4$ C  $\text{NH}_3$ D  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ 

1 4

Which species has a square planar shape?

[1 mark]

A  $\text{NH}_4^+$ B  $\text{SF}_4$ C  $\text{XeF}_4$ D  $\text{PCl}_4^+$ 

1 5

Which bond has the most unsymmetrical electron distribution?

[1 mark]

A H-O

B H-S

C H-N

D H-P

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1 6

Which compound contains a chlorine atom with an oxidation state of +4?

[1 mark]

A  $\text{KClO}_4$ B  $\text{CCl}_4$ C  $\text{ClO}_2$ D  $\text{ClO}_2\text{F}$ 

1 7

Which element is classified as a d block element?

[1 mark]

A Antimony

B Molybdenum

C Strontium

D Uranium

1 8

Which element in Period 3 has the highest melting point?

[1 mark]

A Aluminium

B Silicon

C Sodium

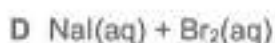
D Sulfur



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Which pair of solutions, when mixed, reacts to form a dark brown solution?

[1 mark]



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Some solid sodium halides are reacted with concentrated sulfuric acid.

Which solid sodium halide does **not** produce a sulfur-containing gas as one of the products?

[1 mark]



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2 1

Which atom has one more proton and two more neutrons than  ${}_{15}^{31}\text{P}$ ?

[1 mark]



2 2

What is a use for barium sulfate?

[1 mark]

A In agriculture to act as a fertiliser

B In agriculture to neutralise acidic soil

C In medicine to produce an X-ray image

D In medicine as an antacid to treat indigestion

2 3

Which ion has the largest radius?

[1 mark]



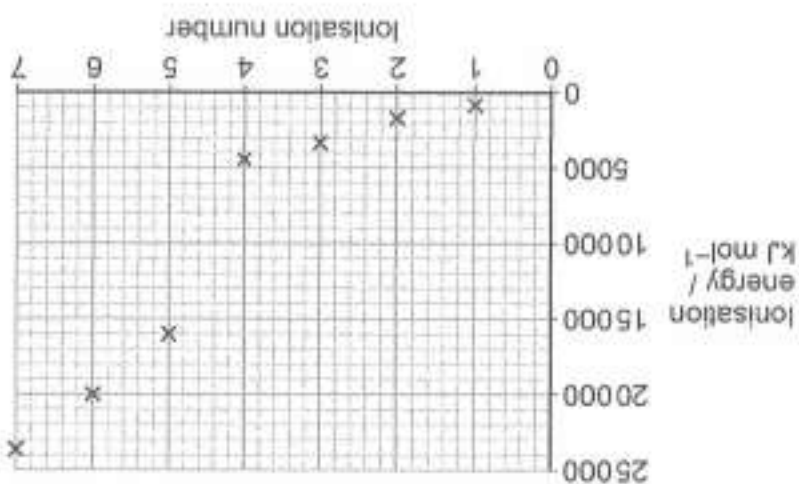
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- A Carbon
- B Nitrogen
- C Silicon
- D Phosphorus

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[1 mark]

What is element Z?



The first seven successive ionisation energies for element Z are shown.

- A Chlorine
- B Oxygen
- C Phosphorus
- D Selenium

[1 mark]

Which element has a first ionisation energy lower than that of sulfur?

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2 4



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