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**CHEMISTRY**  
**Paper 1**  
**(Theory)**  
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**1 Hours 30 Minutes**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- *The Paper consists of 50 objectives type questions*
- *Write the correct alternative **A, B, C** or **C** in the box provided on the right hand side of each question*
- *Silent non programmable calculators may be used.*

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Question	Marks
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1. Which of the following substances will give an acidic solution when dissolved in water?  
 A.  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$ . C.  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}_2$ . ☐  
 B.  $\text{CO}_2$ . D.  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$ .
2. The gas formed when hypochlorous acid is exposed to sunlight is;  
 A. Chlorine. C. Hydrogen Chloride. ☐  
 B. Hydrogen. D. Oxygen.
3. Washing soda is;  
 A. Anhydrous sodium carbonate  
 B. Hydrated Sodium Carbonate ☐  
 C. Anhydrous calcium hydroxide.  
 D. Hydrated sodium chloride.
4. The atomic number of Calcium is 20. The electronic configuration of its ion  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  is;  
 A. 2:8. C. 2:8:8. ☐  
 B. 2:8:8:2. D. 2:8:2.
5. Magnesium ribbon reacts with hydrochloric acid according to the equation  

$$\text{Mg}(s) + 2\text{HCl}(aq) \rightarrow \text{MgCl}_2(aq) + \text{H}_2(g)$$
 The mass of magnesium ribbon required to liberate  $4.48\text{dm}^3$  of hydrogen at s.t.p is;  
 (1 mole of a gas occupies  $22.4\text{dm}^3$  at s.t.p,  $\text{Mg} = 24$ )  
 A.  $\left(\frac{4.48 \times 24}{22.4}\right)g$ . C.  $\left(\frac{24}{4.48 \times 22.4}\right)g$ . ☐  
 B.  $\left(\frac{4.48 \times 22.4}{24}\right)g$ . D.  $\left(\frac{22.4}{4.48 \times 24}\right)g$ .
6. Diamond is used in making jewellery because;  
 A. It is soft. ☐  
 B. It does not conduct electricity.  
 C. It is naturally hard.  
 D. of its sparkling appearance..
7. Which **one** of the following compounds is unsaturated?  
 A.  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_6$  C.  $\text{C}_4\text{H}_8$  ☐  
 B.  $\text{C}_3\text{H}_8$  D.  $\text{C}_4\text{H}_{10}$
8. Which one of the following is the major impurity in haematite during the extraction of iron?  
 A. Coke. C. Phosphorus. ☐  
 B. Sulphur dioxide. D. Silicon dioxide.

9. When dilute Nitric acid followed by Silver Nitrate solution were added to a certain solution, white precipitate was formed. The solution probably contained;

A. Sulphate ions  
B. Nitrate ions  
C. Sulphite ions  
D. Chloride ions

10. Which **one** of the following gases is not dried using Sulphuric acid?

A. Carbon dioxide.  
B. Oxygen.  
C. Hydrogen Chloride.  
D. Ammonia.

11. Which **one** of the following ions forms a deep blue solution with excess ammonia solution?

A.  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ .  
B.  $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ .  
C.  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ .  
D.  $\text{Cl}^-$ .

12. A gas which when bubbled through Sodium hydroxide for a long time produces a white precipitate is

A. Ammonia.  
B. Sulphur dioxide.  
C. Hydrogen Chloride.  
D. Carbon dioxide.

13. 12.5cm of hydrochloric acid required 25cm<sup>3</sup> of 0.1M sodium hydroxide solution. The morality of the hydrochloric acid is;

A.  $\frac{25 \times 0.1}{12.5}$   
B.  $\frac{12.5 \times 0.1}{25}$   
C.  $\frac{25}{12.5 \times 0.1}$   
D.  $\frac{25 \times 0.1}{1000}$

14. The atomic number of elements **W** and **Y** are **2:8:1** and **2:8:7** respectively. The type of bond formed between **W** and **Y** is;

A. Covalent.  
B. Electrovalent.  
C. Dative.  
D. Metallic.

15. Potassium Carbonate reacts with hydrochloric acid according to the following equation

$$\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3(\text{aq}) + 2\text{HCl}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow 2\text{KCl}(\text{aq}) + \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$$

The volume of 0.3 hydrochloric acid required to react completely with 25cm<sup>3</sup> of 0.2M potassium carbonate solution is;

A. 20cm<sup>2</sup>.  
B. 40cm<sup>2</sup>.  
C. 50cm<sup>2</sup>.  
D. 30cm<sup>2</sup>.

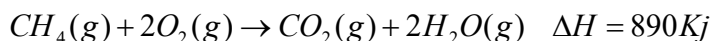
16. Which **one** of the following catalyst is used during the preparation of oxygen gas?

A. Manganese (IV) Oxide.  
B. Reduced iron.  
C. Platinised asbestos.  
D. Vanadium (V) Oxide.

17. Duralunin is an alloy that consist mainly of;

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23. Methane burns according to the following equation.



The volume of methane gas which when burnt will raise the temperature of 32.0g of (1 mole of a gas occupies 22.4dm<sup>3</sup> at s.t.p, Specific heat capacity of water is 4.2Jg<sup>-1</sup> °C<sup>-1</sup>)

A.  $\left( \frac{10.8 \times 22.4}{890} \right).$

C.  $\left( \frac{890}{22.4 \times 10.8} \right).$

B.  $\left( \frac{22.4 \times 890}{10.8} \right).$

D.  $(10.8 \times 22.4 \times 890).$

24. Which **one** of the following sets of substances is formed when Nitric acid is heated?

- A. Nitrogen, Oxygen and Water.  
B. Nitrogen monoxide, Oxygen and water.  
C. Nitrogen dioxide, Oxygen and water.  
D. Dinitrogen oxide, Oxygen and Water.

25. Zinc carbonate was strongly heated in a tube, the colour of the residue was...

- A. Yellow when hot, brown when cold.  
B. Brown when hot, yellow when cold.  
C. Yellow when hot, white when cold.  
D. Brown when hot, white when cold.

26. Which **one** of the following carbonates undergoes physical change when heated?

- A. Zinc Carbonate. C. Potassium Carbonate.  
B. Calcium Carbonate. D. Ammonium Carbonate.

27. Sulphuric acid is not suitable for the production of carbon dioxide when Calcium Carbonate is used because;

- A. it is dibasic.  
B. it is a strong Oxidizing agent.  
C. of unsteady production of the gas.  
D. it forms a coating that prevents further reaction.

28. Which **one** of the following is NOT a property of Graphite? It;

- A. is very hard.  
B. conducts electricity.  
C. is black.

- D. burns in air forming Carbon dioxide.
29. Cobalt Chloride paper is used to test for presence of water. When water is present, the paper changes from....
- A. pink to blue. C. yellow to orange.  
B. blue to pink. D. Orange to yellow.
30. Which **one** of the following processes will **not** produce Oxygen gas?
- A. Combustion of fuels. C. Electrolysis of water.  
B. Photosynthesis. D. Heating Sodium Nitrate
31. Which **one** of the following solutions contains the same number of moles of sodium ions as in 100cm<sup>3</sup> of 0.05M, Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> solution?
- A. 0.015M Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>. C. 0.03M NaNO<sub>3</sub>.  
B. 0.01M NaCl. D. 0.05M NaHCO<sub>3</sub>.
32. Which **one** of the following formulae represents an alkane?
- A. C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>6</sub> C. C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>10</sub>  
B. C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>4</sub> D. C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>8</sub>
33. All the following are **not** neutral oxides **except**?
- A. Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>. C. NO.  
B. Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>. D. N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>.
34. The element most likely to remove Oxygen from Zinc Oxide when a mixture of the Oxide and the element is heated is;
- A. lead. C. magnesium.  
B. copper. D. iron.
35. An element **Q** react rapidly with steam and slowly with cold water. **Q** is likely to be;
- A. Calcium. C. Sodium.  
B. Magnesium. D. Potassium.
36. The element that forms an oxide which react with sodium hydroxide solution is known as;
- A. Calcium. C. Aluminium.  
B. Sodium. D. Magnesium.
37. The air component that shows a reduction in the volume when air is passed over heated copper metal is;
- A. Oxygen. C. Nitrogen.  
B. Water Vapor. D. Carbon dioxide.

38. Which **one** of the following anions forms a white precipitate with barium nitrate soluble in Nitric acid?




39. Which **one** of the following hydroxides would undergo atmospheric oxidation in the presence of moisture?




40. The reaction between two substances is exothermic. Which **one** of the following is most likely to slow down the rate of reaction?

A. increasing the temperature of the surrounding.

B. placing the reagents in the ice bath.

C. having excess of one of the reactants.

D. removing the products as fast as they are formed.

**In each of the questions 41 to 45 consists of an assertion (Statement) on the left hand side and a reason on the right hand side.**

**Select as follows;**

- A. If both the assertion and the reason are true statements and the reason is a correct explanation of the assertion.
- B. If both the assertion and the reason are true statements but the reason is not a correct explanation of the assertion.
- C. If the assertion is true but the reason is not a correct statement
- D. If the assertion is not correct but the reason is a correct statement.

### **Instructions Summarized**

<b>Assertion</b>		<b>Reason</b>
A	True	True (Reason is a correct explanation)
B	True	True (Reason is not a correct explanation)
C	True	Incorrect
D	Incorrect	Correct

