

WAKISSHA JOINT MOCK EXAMINATIONS
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CHEMISRTY 545/2

1. (a) (i) Components in steel are physically combined while those in Magnesium oxide are chemically combined. ✓
- Components in steel can be separated by physical means while elements in Magnesium oxide can be separated by chemical means. ✓ *components*
 - Properties of steel are average of those of its components while in Magnesium oxide its properties are different from its components.
 - No energy is released/absorbed in formation of steel while energy is absorbed in formation of Magnesium oxide.
 - Steel has variable composition while that of Magnesium oxide is not variable. (05)

Any 2 correct

(2marks)

- (ii) Using a magnet/Magnetic separation. ✓ *rej. magnetic method* (2marks)

(1/2mark)

- (b) (i) The indicator turns from orange to red/pink. ✓ *Accept solution.* (1/2mark)
- Ammonium chloride dissolves in water according to the equation.



The Hydrochloric acid formed is stronger than the ammonium hydroxide and therefore the resultant solution is acidic. ✓

(2marks)

05

2. (a) (i) $(31 - 15) = 16$ neutrons. ✓

(1mark)

- (ii) $2 : 8 : 8$ or $2, 8, 8$ or $2(8)8$ ✓

(1mark)

- (b) Group V or (V) ✓ *rej. 5* *five accept* (05)

(1/2mark)

- (c) Z_2O_3 , covalent bond ✓ *rej. O_3Z_2*

(1 1/2mark)

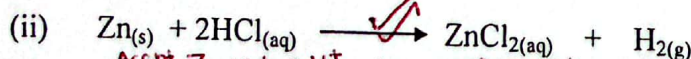
- (d) Isotopy ✓ *rej. Isotopes.*

(1mark)

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3. (a) (i) Hydrogen ✓ *accept formula H_2*

(1/2mark)



(1 1/2mark)

- (iii) To speed up the reaction rate ✓ *05*

(1/2mark)

Or Increase the rate of reaction

rej. Act as a catalyst / catalyses the reaction

- (b) Nitric acid is a strong oxidizing agent ✓

(1mark)

- (c) Using anhydrous Copper (II) sulphate. When the product is added to white anhydrous copper (II) sulphate it turns to blue. ✓

(1 1/2mark)

Accept when the product is added to a beaker / flask / tube containing white anhydrous copper(II) sulphate, it turns blue.

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Accept Blue anhydrous cobalt(II) chloride paper turns pink.

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4. (a) Amount of products formed per unit time OR Equivalent.
 (b) (a) - Presence of a catalyst *Amount of reactants used up per unit time.*
 - Concentration of reactants.
 - Temperature of reactants. *speed at which reactants are converted into products.*



(c) Sodium Peroxide *not potassium chlorate!*

5. (a) (i) % of oxygen = $100 - (43.40 + 11.32) = 45.28$

| | | | |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Elements | Na | C | O |
| Moles | $\frac{43.40}{23}$ | $\frac{11.32}{12}$ | $\frac{45.28}{16}$ |
| | 1.89 | 0.94 | 2.83 |
| Divide by smallest | $\frac{1.89}{0.94}$ | $\frac{0.94}{0.94}$ | $\frac{2.83}{0.94}$ |
| | 2 | 1 | 3 |

Ratio 2 : 1 : 3

Empirical formula is Na_2CO_3

$(\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3)_n = 106$

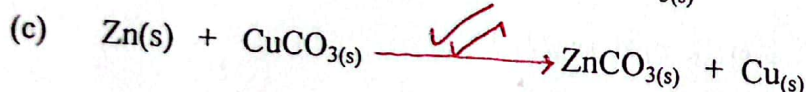
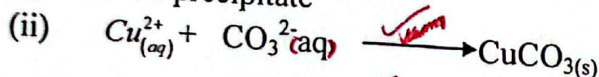
$46n + 12n + 48n = 106$

$106n = 106$

$n = 1$

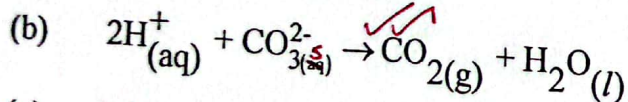
Molecular formula is Na_2CO_3

(b) (i) *green* precipitate



6. (a) (i) Sulphur dioxide

(ii) Carbon dioxide



(c) Rfm of CaCO_3

$40 + 12 + 16 \times 3$
 $= 100$

If 22.4dm^3 of CO_2 at Stp is evolved from 100g.

$\left(\frac{100}{22.4} \times 0.224 \right)$

$= 1\text{g of CaCO}_3$

(2marks)
 (1½mark)

(½mark)
05

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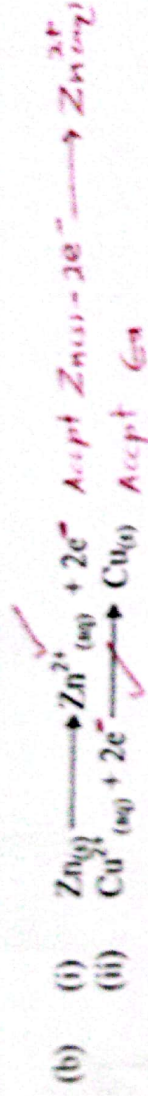
(½mark)

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7. (a) (i) Zinc ✓
(ii) Copper ✓

(½ mark)
(½ mark)

(0.5)



(1 mark)
(1 mark)

(c) Copper electrode. ✓

(2 mark)

Reason: It ^{reduces} goes reduction *takes place / copper is less reactive than zinc*

8. (a) This is the heat change when 1 mole of a substance is completely *req^d 1.* burnt in excess oxygen (under standard conditions.) *ignore.*

(1 mark)

- (b) (i) Rfm. of CH₄ is (12 + 4) = 16 ✓

(½ mark)

890 kJ are produced by 16 g of CH₄ ✓

(½ mark)

5050 kJ are produced by $\left(\frac{16}{890} \times 5050\right)$ ✓

(½ mark)

Mass of CH₄ = 5.674 moles ✓

= 90.7865 g *acpt alt*

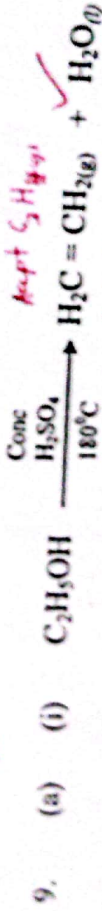
(1 mark)

Ethane ✓

Has more Carbon atoms ✓

(½ mark)

(1 mark)



(½ mark)

(1 mark)

Ethene ✓



(0.5)

(½ mark)



(1 mark)

Ethanol ✓

Req^d C₂H₅O (lack of functional group)

(½ mark)

Acpt Alkaline

Acidified potassium permanganate, *turns colourless* *solution / acidified potassium manganate(VII) (solution)*

(1 mark)



(1 mark)

(0.5)

10. (a) Neutralization ✓

(b) (i) White precipitate *insoluble* ✓

(1 mark)



(1 mark)



(1 mark)

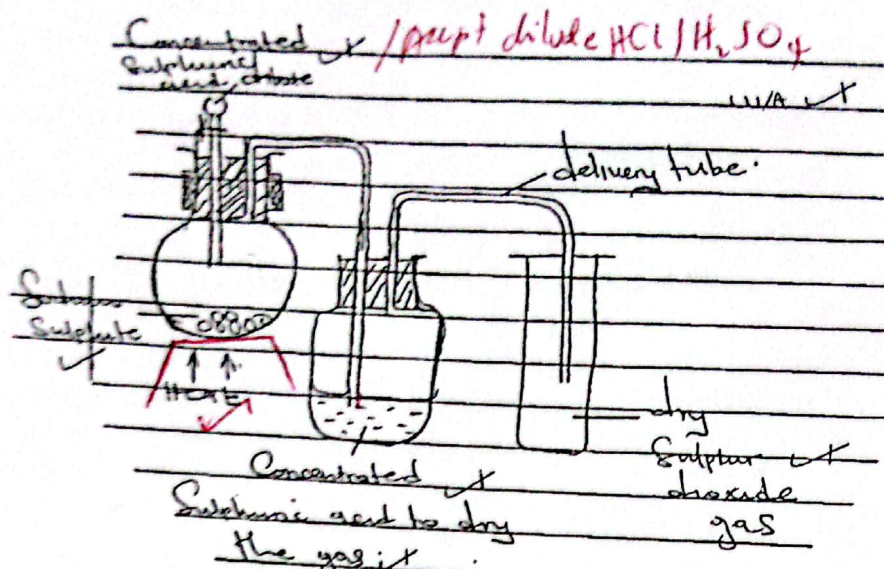
(c) Fractional crystallization ✓ *Req^d cry / addition.*

(½ mark)

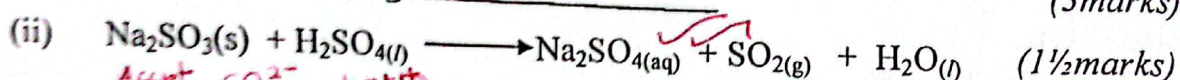
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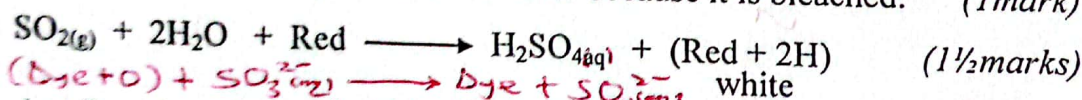
11. (a) (i)



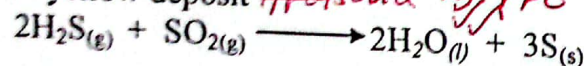
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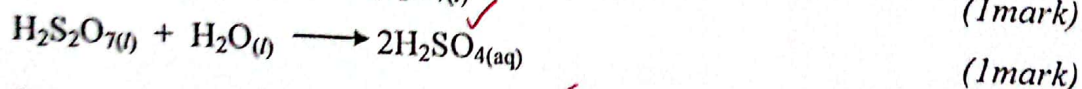
(b) (i) The red colour of the petal turns to white because it is bleached. (1½marks)



(ii) A yellow deposit (Dye + O) + SO₃²⁻ → Dye + SO₄²⁻ white (1½marks)



(c) (i) $2\text{SO}_2 + \text{O}_2 \rightleftharpoons 2\text{SO}_3(\text{g}) + \text{Heat}$ (1mark)



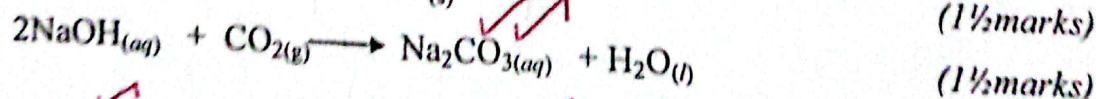
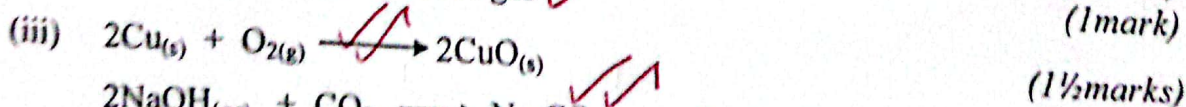
Sulphur dioxide gas is reacted with pure oxygen in the presence of Vanadium (V) oxide catalyst at a temperature of about 400 - 500°C, at high pressure to form sulphur trioxide.

The sulphur-trioxide is reacted with concentrated Sulphuric acid to form Oleum. Oleum is then diluted with a correct amount of water to form ordinarily concentrated sulphuric acid.

12. (a)

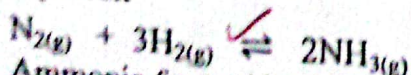
(i) To remove Oxygen gas (Accept Eliminate oxygen.) (1mark)

(ii) To remove Carbon dioxide gas (1mark)



(b) Nitrogen from air and hydrogen from natural gases are mixed in a ratio of 1 : 3 and then passed over finely divided Iron catalyst at 500°C and 200 atm.

Equation

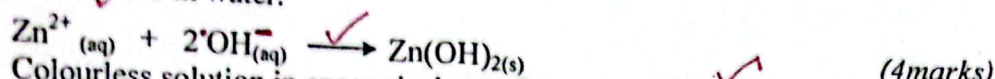


Ammonia formed is either dissolved in water or liquified.

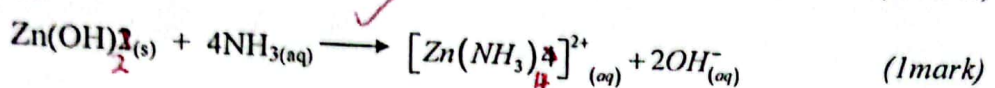
(Accept high pressure, high temp. Accept 450°C)

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- (c) (i) White precipitate soluble in excess to form a colourless solution (1½marks)
- (ii) White precipitate is due to formation of Zinc hydroxide which is insoluble in water.



Colourless solution in excess is due to formation of a complex of tetra ammine Zinc (II) ions which is soluble. (4marks)



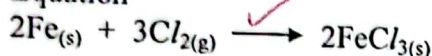
(1marks)

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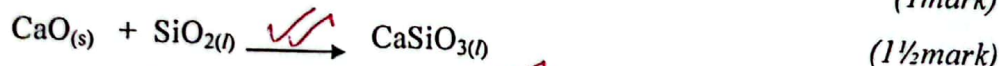
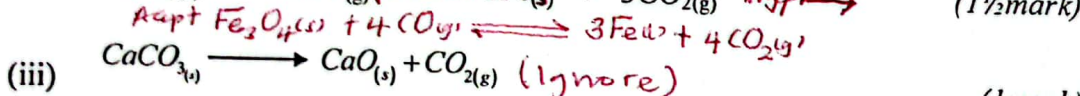
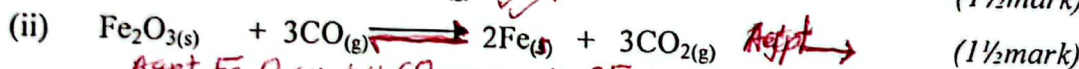
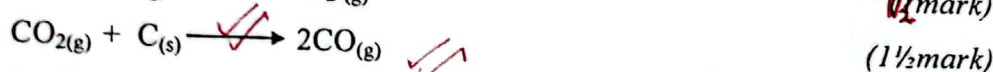
13. (a) Chlorine is produced by action of Potassium permanganate on concentrated hydrochloric acid. The gas is passed through Calcium Oxide to dry and its then passed over heated Iron filings in a combustion tube. The Iron filings glow red hot and black crystals of Iron (III) chloride will be deposited in the small bottle which acts as a condenser. (3marks)

Equation

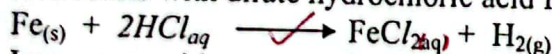


- (b) (i) A brown precipitate insoluble (1mark)
- (ii) A white precipitate dissolves on warming and precipitates/reforms on cooling.

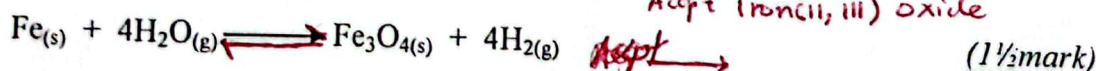
- (c) (i) $\text{C}_{(\text{s})} + \text{O}_{2(\text{g})} \rightarrow \text{CO}_{2(\text{g})}$ (1½mark)



- (d) Iron reacts with dilute hydrochloric acid forming Iron (II) Chloride. (1½mark)



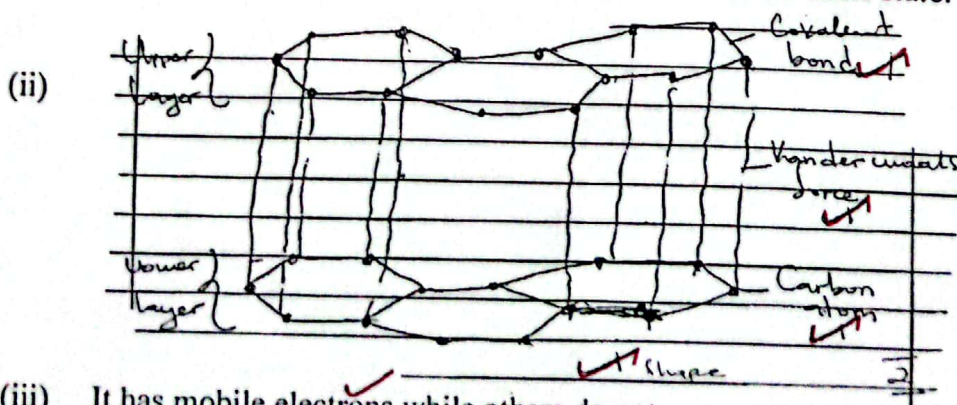
Iron reacts with steam to form mixed oxide of tri Iron tetra oxide



(1½mark)

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14. (a) (i) The different forms in which an element exists in the same state. (1mark)



- (iii) It has mobile electrons while others do not.

Accept delocalised electrons.

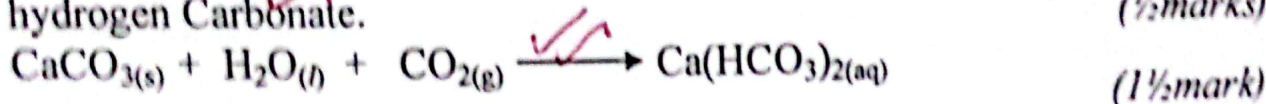
- i) White precipitate is due to formation of insoluble Calcium Carbonate.



(½marks)

and the colourless solution is due to the formation of soluble calcium hydrogen Carbonate.

(½marks)

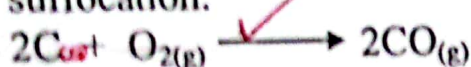


(1½mark)

Acc. combined equation But 1½ mks.

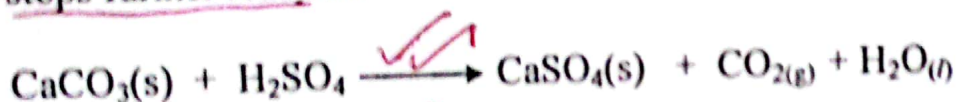
- (ii) Carbon under limited Oxygen supply undergoes incomplete combustion to form carbon monoxide which competes for the available oxygen and hence suffocation.

(2½ marks)



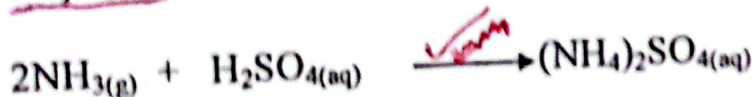
- (iii) Calcium Carbonate reacts with sulphuric acid to form an insoluble calcium sulphate that forms a protective coating around the Calcium carbonate and stops further reaction.

(3 marks)



- (iv) Ammonia gas being alkaline reacts with Sulphuric acid to form ammonium Sulphate.

(2 marks)



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