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# Combined Science

## Paper 3: Chemistry 1

**Higher Tier**

Thursday 17 May 2018 – Morning

**Time: 1 hour 10 minutes**

Paper Reference

**1SC0/1CH**

**You must have:**

Calculator, ruler

Total Marks

### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- Calculators may be used.
- Any diagrams may NOT be accurately drawn, unless otherwise indicated.
- You must **show all your working out** with **your answer clearly identified** at the **end of your solution**.

### Information

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- In questions marked with an asterisk (\*), marks will be awarded for your ability to structure your answer logically showing how the points that you make are related or follow on from each other where appropriate.
- A periodic table is printed on the back cover of this paper.

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Some questions must be answered with a cross in a box ☐.

If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box ☐ and then mark your new answer with a cross ☐.

- 1 (a) Salts of metals can be prepared by reacting the metal with an acid to produce the salt and hydrogen.

(i) Describe the test to show the gas is hydrogen.

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Squeaky pop test

Lit splint over test tube of suspected hydrogen and if squeaky pop then hydrogen present

(ii) Nickel is a metal.

Explain how the structure of a nickel atom, Ni, changes when it forms a nickel ion,  $\text{Ni}^{2+}$ .

(2)

It loses 2 electrons during oxidation

$\text{Ni} \Rightarrow \text{Ni} + 2\text{e}^-$

- (b) A nickel sulfate solution is made by dissolving 23.5 g of nickel sulfate to make  $250\text{ cm}^3$  of solution.

Calculate the concentration of the solution in  $\text{g dm}^{-3}$ .

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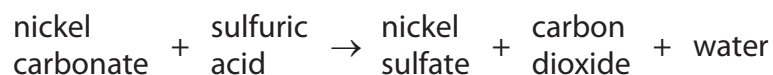
$23.5 / 250 = 0.094$

$0.094 * 1000 = 94\text{ g/dm}^3$

concentration = 94  $\text{g dm}^{-3}$



(c) Excess solid nickel carbonate is added to dilute sulfuric acid in a beaker.



Nickel sulfate is formed in solution.

Describe how a sample of pure, dry nickel sulfate crystals can be obtained from the mixture of nickel sulfate solution and excess solid nickel carbonate in the beaker.

(3)

Filter the solution through filter paper into a conical flask

Fill an evaporation basin with the filtrate

Leave to evaporate over a few days

Dab with a paper towel to ensure dry

(Total for Question 1 = 9 marks)



2 Most metals are extracted from ores found in the Earth's crust.

The method used to extract a metal from its ore is linked to the reactivity of the metal.

Part of the reactivity series is shown in Figure 1.

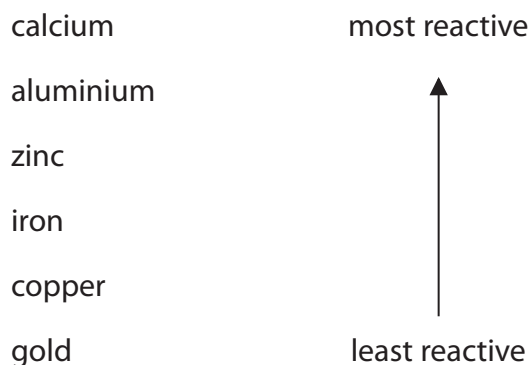
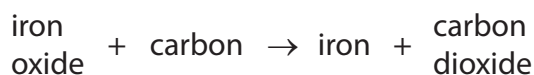


Figure 1

(a) Iron ore contains iron oxide.

Iron is extracted from iron oxide by heating the oxide with carbon.



(i) In this reaction

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- ☐ A carbon is reduced
- ☐ B iron oxide is neutralised
- ☒ C iron oxide is reduced
- ☐ D iron is oxidised

(ii) The formula of the iron oxide is  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$ .

Calculate the maximum mass of iron that can be obtained from 240 tonnes of iron oxide,  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$ .

(relative atomic masses: O = 16, Fe = 56)

(3)

$$2 \times 56 + 3 \times 16 = 160$$

$$240 / 160 = 1.5$$

$$1.5 \times 112 = 168$$

mass of iron = ..... tonnes



- (b) Aluminium cannot be extracted by heating its oxide with carbon.  
Aluminium has to be extracted from its oxide by electrolysis.

Explain why.

(2)

Aluminium is more reactive than carbon therefore cannot be reduced by carbon

- (c) Predict the method that will have to be used to extract calcium from its ore.

(1)

electrolysis

- (d) In recent years, researchers have been investigating alternative methods of extracting metals from soils.

Researchers have found that growing certain plants in appropriate areas can result in the phytoextraction of copper.

Describe how growing plants can result in the phytoextraction of copper.

(2)

(Total for Question 2 = 9 marks)



- 3 (a) Which of the following substances will be a solid at  $20^{\circ}\text{C}$  and will melt when placed in a beaker of hot water at  $80^{\circ}\text{C}$ ?

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|                                       | melting point in $^{\circ}\text{C}$ | boiling point in $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> A            | 122                                 | 249                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B            | -7                                  | 59                                  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C | 30                                  | 2403                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> D            | -32                                 | 27                                  |

- (b) A student set up the apparatus shown in Figure 2 to obtain pure water from sea water by distillation.

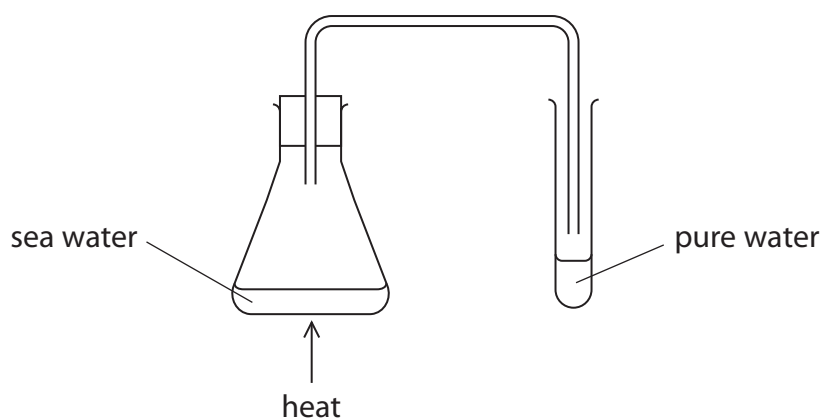


Figure 2

- (i) Explain how the water in sea water separates to produce the pure water in this apparatus.

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water evaporates to form steam which leaves the salt behind and then the steam condenses to form pure water

- (ii) Explain how the apparatus could be improved to increase the amount of pure water collected from the same volume of sea water.

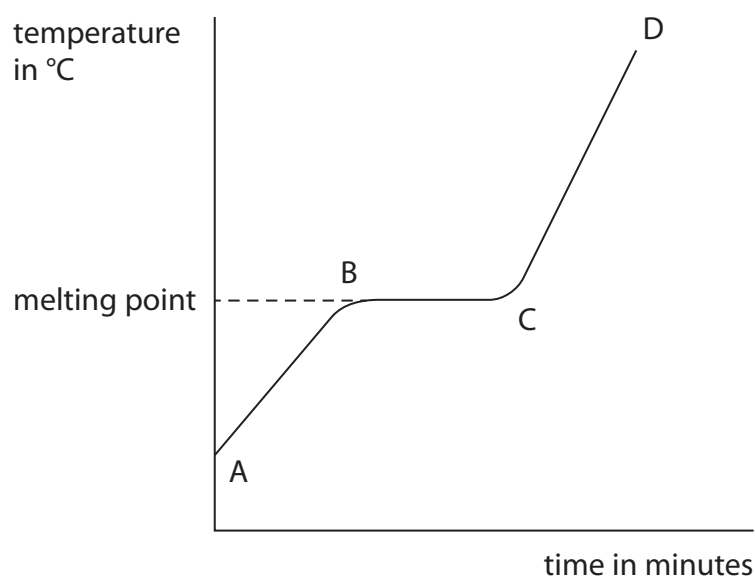
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To increase the amount of pure water collected, use a Liebig condenser to cool the steam more efficiently, ensuring more condensation.



- (c) A substance is heated at a constant rate and its temperature is taken every minute. During the heating, the substance undergoes one change of state.

The results are shown on the graph in Figure 3.



**Figure 3**

Explain the shape of the graph in terms of the changes in the movement and arrangement of the particles as the substance is heated.

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A-B: Temp rises as particles gain kinetic energy and vibrate more

B-C: Temp stays constant because energy breaks intermolecular bonds, changing the movement from fixed free moving (solid → liquid), while particle movement increases

C-D: Temperature rises again as particles move faster in a less ordered arrangement

(Total for Question 3 = 9 marks)



4 (a) Molten zinc chloride is an electrolyte.

- (i) Which row shows the products formed at the anode and at the cathode when molten zinc chloride is electrolysed?

(1)

|                            | product at anode | product at cathode |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> A | oxygen           | zinc               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B | chlorine         | hydrogen           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> C | chlorine         | zinc               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> D | oxygen           | hydrogen           |

- (ii) Which of the following is the reason why molten zinc chloride is an electrolyte?

(1)

- ☐ A it contains molecules that can move
- ☐ B it has a giant structure
- ☐ C it contains delocalised electrons
- ☐ D it contains ions that can move

(b) Copper sulfate solution was electrolysed using copper electrodes.

- (i) Draw a labelled diagram to show the apparatus that is used to carry out this electrolysis in the laboratory.

(2)





- (ii) Before the electrolysis, the masses of the electrodes were determined. After the electrolysis, the electrodes were washed and dried and their masses re-determined.

Figure 4 shows these masses and the resulting changes in masses of the electrodes.

|         | mass of electrode<br>before electrolysis<br>in g | mass of electrode<br>after electrolysis<br>in g | change in mass<br>of electrode<br>in g |
|---------|--|---|--|
| anode   | 11.27  | 10.42   | −0.85                                  |
| cathode | 11.32  | 12.17   | +0.85                                  |

**Figure 4**

Explain these results.

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- (c) When sodium sulfate solution is electrolysed, using inert electrodes, hydrogen is formed at the cathode.

Write the half equation for the formation of hydrogen gas,  $H_2$ , from hydrogen ions,  $H^+$ .  
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5 Covalent substances can be simple molecular covalent or giant covalent.

(a) (i) Ammonia is a simple molecular, covalent substance.

Which is the most likely set of properties for ammonia?

(1)

|                            | melting point<br>in °C | boiling point<br>in °C | ability to conduct<br>electricity in liquid state |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> A | 1713                   | 2950                   | does not conduct                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B | −78                    | −33                    | does not conduct                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> C | −39                    | 357                    | conducts  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> D | 801                    | 1413                   | conducts  |

(ii) Ammonia,  $\text{NH}_3$ , is made by reacting nitrogen with hydrogen.

Write the balanced equation for this reaction.

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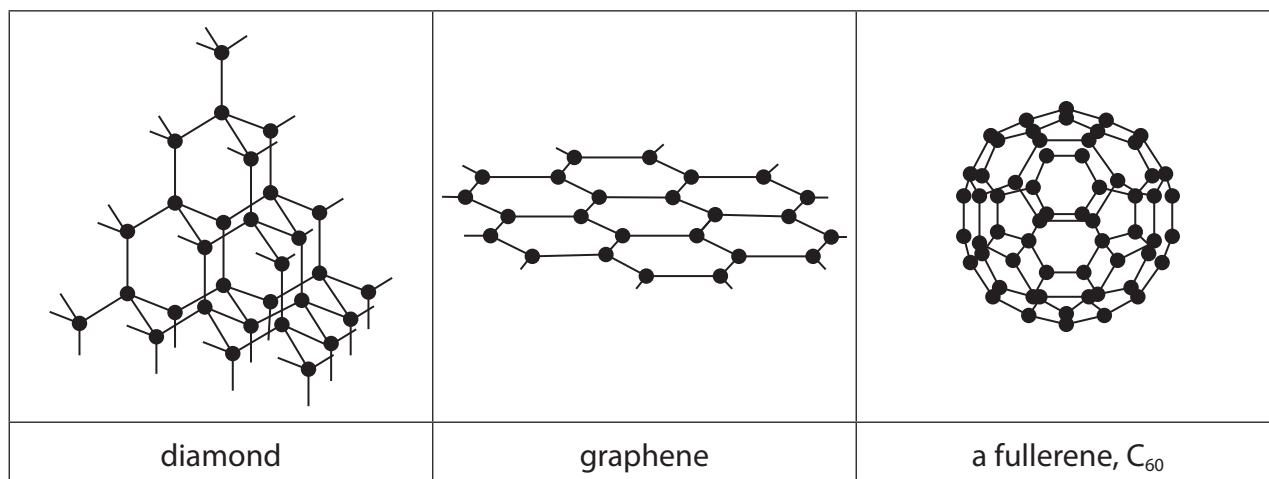
(b) Oxygen,  $\text{O}_2$ , is also a simple molecular, covalent substance.

Draw a dot and cross diagram for the molecule of oxygen.

(2)



\*(c) Figure 5 shows the arrangement of carbon atoms in diamond, graphene and a fullerene ( $C_{60}$ ).



**Figure 5**

Consider these three substances.

Explain, in terms of their structures and bonding, their relative melting points, strengths and abilities to conduct electricity.

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(Total for Question 5 = 11 marks)



- 6 (a) A student placed a piece of metal **P** in a test tube containing excess dilute sulfuric acid. The student repeated this with three other metals, **Q**, **R** and **S**. All the pieces of all four metals were the same size.
- (i) The student recorded the observations until each metal had reacted with the acid for two minutes. The observations are shown in Figure 6.

| metal    | observations  |
|----------|---|
| <b>P</b> | bubbles produced very slowly<br>some metal remained |
| <b>Q</b> | bubbles produced quickly<br>no metal remained       |
| <b>R</b> | bubbles produced slowly<br>no metal remained        |
| <b>S</b> | bubbles produced very quickly<br>no metal remained  |

**Figure 6**

Use this information to put the four metals in order of reactivity from the least reactive to the most reactive.

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least reactive

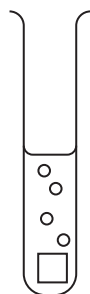
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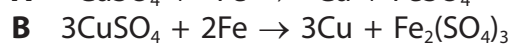
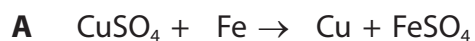
- (ii) Complete the diagram below to show how the student could add to the apparatus to measure the volume of gas produced in the two minutes.

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- (b) When iron reacts with copper sulfate solution, solid copper is formed.

Two possible equations for this reaction are



It was found that 10.00 g of iron powder reacted with excess copper sulfate solution to produce 11.34 g of copper.

Carry out a calculation to decide which equation, **A** or **B**, represents the reaction taking place.

(relative atomic masses: Fe = 56.0, Cu = 63.5)

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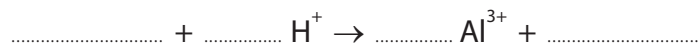


- (c) Acid solutions contain hydrogen ions.

Aluminium reacts with dilute hydrochloric acid to form a solution containing aluminium ions,  $\text{Al}^{3+}$ .

Complete the balanced ionic equation for this reaction.

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- (d) The hydrogen ion concentration in a solution is decreased by a factor of 10.

State how the pH of this solution changes.

(1)

- (e) Calculate the mass, in g, of a hydrogen atom, using the data below.

(relative atomic mass:  $\text{H} = 1.00$ ;

Avogadro constant =  $6.02 \times 10^{23}$ )

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mass of hydrogen atom = .....g

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**The relative atomic masses of copper and chlorine have not been rounded to the nearest whole number.**

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