Careless Mistakes:

Which of the following metals is the most corrosion resistant?

[Silver] [Gold] [Titanium] [Aluminium]

= [Gold] | *Most corrosion resistant*

Which of the following is/are the ADVANTAGE(S) of anodizing aluminium

[It makes aluminium stronger]

[It enables dyeing on the metal surface.]

[It increases the percentage of oxygen in a piece of aluminium.]

= [It enables dyeing on the metal surface] | *C is incorrect, Although it is fact BUT NOT advantage*

Misconception:

Which situation would accelerate the rusting?

[Placed in a desert] [Completely wrapped with tin] [Painted] [None of above]

- = [None of above] |
- *Obviously, A&C are incorrect ans. B is also incorrect because of the completely wrapping. <u>Although tin is less reactive than iron, the completely wrapping can separate the contact between iron & oxygen & water *</u>
- Which of the following statement CANNOT explain the rapid rusting of iron car exhaust pipes?

[Exhaust gases contain water vapour.]

[Car exhaust pipes are under high temperature]

[Exhaust gases contain much oxygen.]

[Exhaust gases usually contain acidic compounds]

- = [Exhaust gases contain much oxygen.] |
- *Misconception: A is incorrect ans. Because the <u>water vapour can formed under the high temp. of the pipe</u> & that water vapour can react with iron pipe more easily.
- Tin can forms a protective oxide layer to keep water and oxygen away from iron
- Which of the following statements about electroplating is INCORRECT?

[The object to be electroplated makes the anode.]

[Electroplating can improve the object's appearance.]

[Metals low in the reactivity series are usually used as plating materials.]

[Chromium can be used to plate objects in electroplating]

= [The object to be electroplated makes the anode] |

*Misconception: anode is '陽極 | 正極',

material would loss electron to anode → the object connect to cathode '負極' the electroplating material metal cation transfer to object through salty solution.

Which of the following are the reasons for iron to use widely in construction & transportation?

[iron is the cheapest metal]

[iron is strong]

[there are methods of preventing or slowing down rusting]

[iron is the most ductile and malleable]

=1&2&3 | *Iron is not the most ductile & malleable*

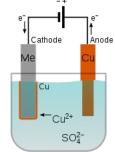
• Aluminium metal is protected by anodizing. This process adds

[alumminum] [zinc] [oxygen] [grease]

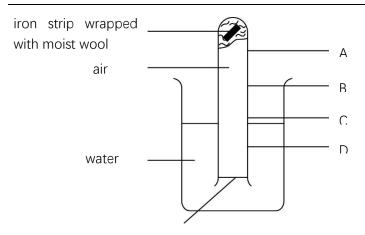
= [oxygen] |

*Misconception: Anodizing means the object connect to an anode + More Oxygen → Give electron

→ another reactive metal/aluminium → obj. form more oxide = LOSS <> ADD



Challenging Question:



water level at the beginning of the experiment

• A setup is shown below. A piece of iron strip wrapped by moist wool is place inside a test tube. The test tube is inverted in water, trapping air in the tube. What will be the water level after a few days?

[A] [B] [C] [D]

= D | The iron strip reacted with all the oxygen in the tube. As air contains about 20% of oxygen, the water level should rise up by 1/5 of the air column.