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Chemistry

Assessment Unit AS 1

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Basic Concepts in Physical
and Inorganic Chemistry

[AC112]

WEDNESDAY 15 JUNE, AFTERNOON

MARK SCHEME

Section A

- 1 B
2 B
3 C
4 B
5 C
6 B
7 D
8 C
9 A
10 B

[2] for each correct answer

[20]

20

Section A

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Section B

11 (a) diamond (b) hard [1] strong bonds [1] (c) no [1] electrons (in bonds) cannot move [1]	[1] [2] [2] 5
12 (a) (i) $\text{BaCl}_2 + 2\text{AgNO}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{AgCl} + \text{Ba}(\text{NO}_3)_2$ (ii) $\text{Ag}^+ + \text{Cl}^- \rightarrow \text{AgCl}$ (iii) White precipitate	[1] [1] [1]
(b) (i) $20 \times 10^{-3} \times 10^{-1} = 2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$ (ii) $2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$ (iii) $\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 10^{-3} \times \frac{250}{20} = 1.25 \times 10^{-2}$ (iv) $0.0125 \equiv 3.05 \text{ g}$ $1 \text{ mol} \equiv \frac{3.05}{0.0125} = 244$	[1] [1] [1] [1]
(v) $\text{BaCl}_2 = 137 + 71 = 208$ (vi) $244 - 208 = 36 \quad 36 = \text{H}_2\text{O}$ $\therefore x = 2$	[1] [1]
(c) $\text{BaCl}_2 \cdot x\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{BaCl}_2 + x\text{H}_2\text{O}$ or $\text{BaCl}_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{BaCl}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$	[1] 10

TABLE S		
13 (a) (i) same number of protons [1] different number of neutrons [1]	[2]	
(ii) 85 protons 85 electrons 125 neutrons [-1] for each wrong part	[3]	
(b) $30 \text{ g} = \frac{30}{210} = 0.1429 \text{ mol}$ $6.023 \times 10^{23} \times 0.1429 = 0.86 \times 10^{23} = 8.6 \times 10^{22}$	[2]	
(c) At ₂ solid grey-black/black purple/violet/dark violet no yes	[1] [1] [1] [1] [1] [1]	[6]
(d) I ₂ + 2NaAt → 2NaI + At ₂	[1]	
(e) new peak at 210 or round about	[1]	15
14 (a) NaCl + H ₂ SO ₄ → NaHSO ₄ + HCl use of Na ₂ SO ₄ = [1]	[2]	
(b) (i) O ₂ = 32 N ₂ = 28 HCl = 36.5 wrong value is [-1]	[2]	
(ii) HCl is heavier than N ₂ or O ₂ [1] hence HCl sinks [1]	[2]	
(c) (i) NaOH reacts with HCl/acid + base [1] (ii) conc H ₂ SO ₄ /anhydrous CuSO ₄ etc. [1]	[2]	
(d) no – HBr reacts with H ₂ SO ₄	[1]	
(e) hydrogen iodide	[1]	
(f) use AgNO ₃ (aq) or conc NH ₃ (aq) [1] white ppt/white smoke [1]	[2]	12

15 (a) outer electrons are s electrons

[1]

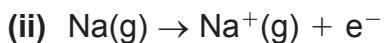
(b) increased number of shells

[1]

(c) (i) $E = hf = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \times 1.25 \times 10^{15}$
 $= 8.29 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$

For one mole $= 6.023 \times 10^{23} \times 8.29 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$
 $= 49.9 \times 10^4 \text{ J}$
 $= 499$

[3]



[2]

(iii) outer electrons further away from the nucleus [1]
shielded by increased shells of electrons [1]

[2]

(iv) removal of second electron is from a full shell

[1]

(d) (i) $\begin{array}{cccc} \text{e}^- & \text{e}^- & \text{e}^- & \text{e}^- \\ \oplus & \oplus & \oplus & \oplus \\ \text{e}^- & \text{e}^- & \text{e}^- & \text{e}^- \\ \oplus & \oplus & \oplus & \oplus \end{array}$ [2]

electrons are delocalised/can move/
(electrostatic) attraction between e^- and metal ion [1]

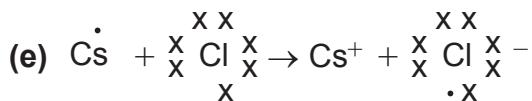
[3]

(ii) forces of attraction decreases
charge density decreases

[1]

(iii) Ca has two outer electrons

[1]



(f) (i) nichrome/platinum wire [1]
blue flame (of Bunsen) [1]
conc. hydrochloric acid [1]
place compound on wire/put in blue flame [1]

[4]

Quality of written communication

[2]

(ii) potassium \rightarrow lilac
or sodium \rightarrow yellow/orange

[1]

25

TABLE S	
16 (a) 8 electrons [1] in outer shell [1]	[2]
(b) attraction of electrons by an atom [1] in a covalent bond [1]	[2]
(c) (i) $\ddot{\text{O}}-\text{x} \text{C}=\ddot{\text{O}}$	[2]
(ii) $\text{O}=\text{C}=\text{O}$ or $\text{O}-\text{C}-\text{O}$ [1] linear/straight [1]	[2]
(iii) electrons in the bonds [1] repel as much as possible [1]	[2]
(d) the dipoles “cancel” out	[1]
(e) attraction between $\delta+$ on C and $\delta-$ on O in H_2O or $\delta-$ on O and $\delta+$ on H in H_2O	[2] 13
Section B	80
Total	100