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# Edexcel GCE

## Chemistry

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#### Unit Test 3B

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Materials required for examination

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Show all the steps in any calculations and state the units.

You may use a calculator.

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#### Advice to Candidates

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Answer ALL questions in the spaces provided.

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1. A series of tests was carried out on a white solid X.

In the tables below complete the inferences.

(a) A flame test was carried out on X.

Observation	Inference
The colour of the flame was green.	The metal ion is .....

(1)

(b) Dilute sulphuric acid was added to an aqueous solution of X.

Observation	Inference
White precipitate.	The precipitate is .....

(1)

(c) X was heated, very strongly.

Observation	Inference
A brown gas was evolved.	The gas is .....

(1)

(d) A sample of X was warmed with aqueous sodium hydroxide and aluminium powder.

Observation	Inferences
A gas was evolved which turned red litmus blue.	The gas is ..... The <b>anion</b> in X is .....

(2)

(e) The formula of X is .....

(1)

Q1

(Total 6 marks)

2. Two tests, carried out on an organic compound **Y**, gave the following observations.

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Test		Observation
1	A few drops of <b>Y</b> are added to bromine solution.	The yellow solution becomes colourless.
2	<b>Y</b> is heated with aqueous sodium hydroxide. Dilute nitric acid and aqueous silver nitrate are added to the solution.	Yellow precipitate.

(a) Identify the functional group shown by **test 1**.

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(b) Identify the yellow precipitate in **test 2**.

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(c) **Y** contains three carbon atoms. Draw the full structure of **Y**.

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(d) Give the structure of the **organic product** in **test 1**.

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**Q2**

(Total 4 marks)

3. A laboratory technician is given the task of making up 5 dm<sup>3</sup> of aqueous sodium hydroxide of concentration 0.100 mol dm<sup>-3</sup>. The technician finds the following data on sodium hydroxide.

- Formula NaOH
- Soluble in water
- Solid which absorbs moisture and acidic gases from the air
- Solid is corrosive
- Reacts with acids in aqueous solution  
e.g.  $2\text{NaOH}(\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4(\text{aq}) + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$

The technician prepares the solution and checks its concentration, following the procedure outlined below.

- I** The technician calculates the mass of sodium hydroxide needed to make 5 dm<sup>3</sup> of 0.100 mol dm<sup>-3</sup> solution.
  - II** The technician adds 5 dm<sup>3</sup> of water to a plastic bucket.
  - III** The technician weighs the calculated mass of sodium hydroxide, transfers it to the plastic bucket and stirs until the sodium hydroxide has dissolved.
  - IV** The technician titrates 25.0 cm<sup>3</sup> samples of the sodium hydroxide solution with 0.0500 mol dm<sup>-3</sup> sulphuric acid.
  - V** The mean titre is 23.50 cm<sup>3</sup> of 0.0500 mol dm<sup>-3</sup> sulphuric acid.
- (a) Calculate the mass of sodium hydroxide that the technician needs to take, to make 5 dm<sup>3</sup> of solution of concentration 0.100 mol dm<sup>-3</sup>.

(2)

- (b) Calculate the concentration, in mol dm<sup>-3</sup>, of the sodium hydroxide solution from the titration results in **IV** and **V**.

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(c) The actual concentration of the sodium hydroxide solution is not exactly  $0.100 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  as the technician intended.

(i) Suggest ONE reason for this, which is a consequence of the way in which the technician makes up the solution.

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(ii) Suggest ONE reason for this, which is a consequence of the chemical properties of the sodium hydroxide.

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(d) (i) Explain the meaning of the term **corrosive** as applied to solid sodium hydroxide.

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(ii) Suggest a safety precaution that the technician should take (apart from wearing a laboratory coat and eye protection) when weighing out the sodium hydroxide.

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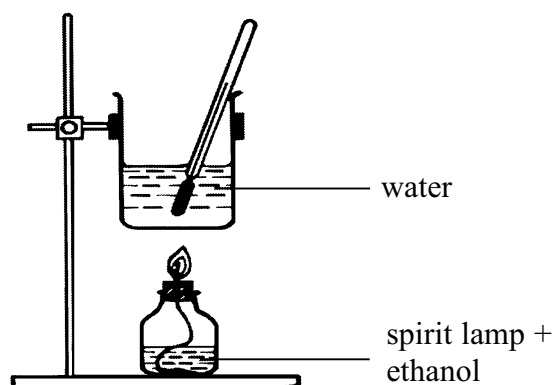
Q3

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4. The apparatus shown in the diagram below may be used to find the enthalpy of combustion of alcohols.

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Using the apparatus, a student recorded the results included in the table below.

Alcohol = ethanol,  $C_2H_5OH$   
Molar mass ( $C_2H_5OH$ ) =  $46.0 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$   
Volume of water in beaker =  $200 \text{ cm}^3$   
 $\therefore$  mass of water in beaker =  $200 \text{ g}$

Weighings  
Spirit lamp + ethanol before combustion =  $198.76 \text{ g}$   
Spirit lamp + ethanol after combustion =  $197.68 \text{ g}$

Temperatures  
Water before heating =  $19.5 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$   
Water after heating =  $38.1 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

Specific heat capacity of water =  $4.18 \text{ J g}^{-1}\text{ }^\circ\text{C}^{-1}$

- (a) What assumption is the student making about water to be able to state that its mass is numerically equal to its volume?

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- (b) Calculate the heat gained by the water. Give your answer in kJ.

(2)

(c) Calculate the amount (number of moles) of ethanol used.

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(d) Using your values from (b) and (c), calculate the enthalpy of combustion of ethanol. Give your answer to a number of significant figures consistent with the readings in the table. Include a sign and units in your answer.

**(3)**

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(e) The student's evaluation of the experiment is given below.

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My calculated value of the enthalpy of combustion was numerically much less than the data book value. The reasons for my low value include:

- 1 heat losses to the surrounding air;
- 2 when I re-checked the mass of the spirit lamp and ethanol after combustion, I noticed that it had lost mass even when it was not being used;
- 3 a black solid which formed on the base of the beaker.

(i) Explain why the spirit lamp and ethanol **lost mass** even when not in use.

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(1)

(ii) Suggest the identity of the black solid. Explain why its formation will lead to a low value for the enthalpy of combustion.

Identity .....

Explanation .....

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Q4

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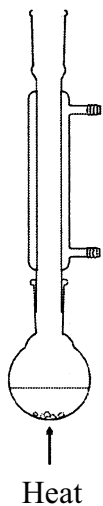
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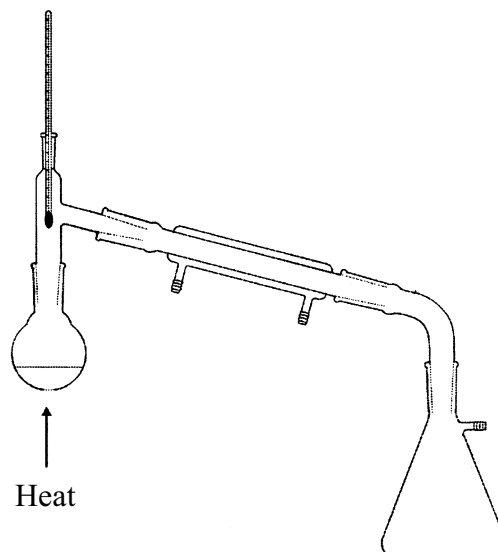
5. The alcohol 2-methylpropan-1-ol,  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$ , may be converted into a number of other organic compounds in reactions which are carried out using simple laboratory techniques. The apparatus shown below is used in two of these techniques.

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**Apparatus I**



**Apparatus II**



The table below summarises two conversions of 2-methylpropan-1-ol.

Organic product of conversion	Reagents	Apparatus used in conversion
1-bromo-2-methylpropane $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{Br}$	Sodium bromide + sulphuric acid	I and II
2-methylpropanal $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CHO}$	Sodium dichromate(VI) + sulphuric acid	II

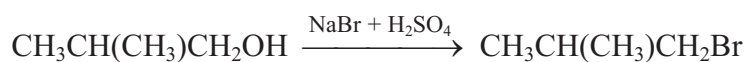
- (a) Give the name of the practical technique carried out in each apparatus shown above.

Apparatus I .....

Apparatus II .....

(2)

- (b) The conversion of 2-methylpropan-1-ol into 1-bromo-2-methylpropane is summarised below.



- (i) Calculate the maximum mass of 1-bromo-2-methylpropane that would be formed from 3.70 g of 2-methylpropan-1-ol.

[Molar mass of 1-bromo-2-methylpropane = 137 g mol<sup>-1</sup>; Molar mass of 2-methylpropan-1-ol = 74 g mol<sup>-1</sup>]

(2)

- (ii) In a conversion, the actual yield of 1-bromo-2-methylpropane is 4.60 g. Calculate the percentage yield in this conversion.

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- (iii) When carrying out the conversion, the reagents are heated in Apparatus I for one hour. What does this suggest about the reaction?

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- (iv) After one hour, the contents of the flask in Apparatus I are allowed to cool, then transferred to Apparatus II and heated until the pure product collects. How could Apparatus II be used to check the purity of the product?

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(c) When 2-methylpropan-1-ol is heated with sodium dichromate(VI) and sulphuric acid in Apparatus II, it is converted to 2-methylpropanal.

(i) Describe the colour change observed in the reaction flask.

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(ii) Explain why a different organic product forms if 2-methylpropan-1-ol is heated with sodium dichromate(VI) and sulphuric acid in Apparatus I.

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(iii) Explain how the use of Apparatus II avoids the formation of this different product.

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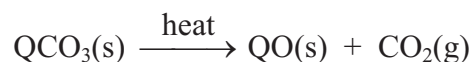
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6. Group 2 carbonates are white solids which are decomposed by heat. In the equation below **Q** represents the symbol of any Group 2 element from magnesium to strontium.

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You are required to plan an experiment, which makes use of this decomposition, to find the relative atomic mass of **Q** and hence identify the Group 2 element in the carbonate. The only apparatus and materials available are:

- a test tube and a test tube holder, Bunsen burner, matches and a ceramic mat;
- a specimen tube containing a suitable quantity of the Group 2 carbonate;
- a balance.

You must include in your plan

- the procedure and the measurements you would take;
- an explanation of how the results would be used to identify the Group 2 element, **Q**;
- a discussion of the possible errors and the significance of these in identifying **Q**.

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**Q6**

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**Group**

**Period**

Period	Key																																	
	Molar mass g mol <sup>-1</sup>		Symbol		Name		Atomic number																											
1	1	H Hydrogen 1																	4	He Helium 2														
2	7	Li Lithium 3	9	Be Beryllium 4																	19	F Fluorine 9	20	Ne Neon 10										
3	23	Na Sodium 11	24	Mg Magnesium 12																	31	P Phosphorus 15	32	S Sulphur 16	35.5	Cl Chlorine 17	40	Ar Argon 18						
4	39	K Potassium 19	40	Ca Calcium 20	45	Sc Scandium 21	48	Ti Titanium 22	51	V Vanadium 23	52	Cr Chromium 24	55	Mn Manganese 25	56	Fe Iron 26	59	Co Cobalt 27	59	Ni Nickel 28	63.5	Cu Copper 29	65.4	Zn Zinc 30	73	Ge Germanium 32	75	As Arsenic 33	79	Se Selenium 34	80	Br Bromine 35	84	Kr Krypton 36
5	85	Rb Rubidium 37	88	Sr Strontium 38	89	Y Yttrium 39	91	Zr Zirconium 40	93	Nb Niobium 41	96	Mo Molybdenum 42	99	Tc Technetium 43	101	Ru Ruthenium 44	103	Rh Rhodium 45	106	Pd Palladium 46	108	Ag Silver 47	112	Cd Cadmium 48	115	In Indium 49	119	Sn Tin 50	128	Te Tellurium 52	127	I Iodine 53	131	Xe Xenon 54
6	133	Cs Caesium 55	137	Ba Barium 56	178	Hf Hafnium 72	181	Ta Tantalum 73	186	Re Rhenium 75	190	Os Osmium 76	192	Ir Iridium 77	195	Pt Platinum 78	197	Au Gold 79	201	Hg Mercury 80	204	Pb Lead 82	207	Po Polonium 84	209	Bi Bismuth 83	210	Po Polonium 84	210	At Astatine 85	222	Rn Radon 86		
7	223	Fr Francium 87	226	Ra Radium 88	227	Ac Actinium 89																	167	Er Erbium 68	169	Tm Thulium 69	173	Yb Ytterbium 70	175	Lu Lutetium 71				
	232	Th Thorium 90	(231)	Pa Protactinium 91	(237)	Np Neptunium 93	238	U Uranium 92	(242)	Pu Plutonium 94	(243)	Am Americium 95	(244)	Pu Plutonium 94	(245)	Bk Berkelium 97	(247)	Cm Curium 96	(251)	Cf Californium 98	(254)	Es Einsteinium 99	(253)	Fm Fermium 100	(256)	Md Mendelevium 101	(254)	No Nobelium 102	(257)	Lr Lawrencium 103				