



THE PERIODIC TABLE

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1	H Hydrogen	1
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7	Li Lithium	3	23	Na Sodium	11	39	K Potassium	19	85	Rb Rubidium	37	133	Cs Caesium	55	223	Fr Francium	87
9	Be Beryllium	4	24	Mg Magnesium	12	40	Ca Calcium	20	88	Sr Strontium	38	137	Ba Barium	56	226	Ra Radium	88
21	Sc Scandium	45	21	Y Yttrium	39	89	La Lanthanum	57	139	Ac Actinium	89	227					
22	Ti Titanium	48	22	Zr Zirconium	40	91	Hf Hafnium	72	178								
23	V Vanadium	51	23	Nb Niobium	41	93	Ta Tantalum	73	181								
24	Cr Chromium	52	24	Mo Molybdenum	42	96	W Tungsten	74	184								
25	Mn Manganese	55	25	Tc Technetium	43	99	Rh Rhodium	75	186								
26	Fe Iron	56	26	Ru Ruthenium	44	101	Os Osmium	76	190								
27	Co Cobalt	59	27	Rh Rhodium	45	103	Ir Iridium	77	192								
28	Ni Nickel	59	28	Pd Palladium	46	106	Pt Platinum	78	195								
29	Cu Copper	63.5	29	Ag Silver	47	108	Au Gold	79	197								
30	Zn Zinc	65	30	Cd Cadmium	48	112	Hg Mercury	80	201								
31	Ga Gallium	69	31	In Indium	49	115	Tl Thallium	81	204								
32	Ge Germanium	72	32	Sn Tin	50	119	Pb Lead	82	207								
33	As Arsenic	75	33	Sb Antimony	51	122	Bi Bismuth	83	209								
34	Se Selenium	79	34	Te Tellurium	52	128	Po Polonium	84	210								
35	Br Bromine	80	35	I Iodine	53	127	At Astatine	85	210								
36	Kr Krypton	84	36	Xe Xenon	54	131	Rn Radon	86	222								
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Relative atomic mass
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1. Sodium chloride is found in sea water and in rocks.

(a) Electrolysis of concentrated sodium chloride solution produces two gases and an alkaline solution.

(i) Name the green gas produced at the positively charged electrode.

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(ii) Name the colourless gas produced.

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(iii) Name the alkaline solution formed.

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(b) Bromine compounds are often found in sea water.

Bromine has two different atoms, **A** and **B**. The numbers of electrons, neutrons and protons in each of these atoms are shown in the table.

	electrons	neutrons	protons
A	35	44	35
B	35	46	35

(i) What evidence is there in the table that **A** and **B** are both atoms of bromine?

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(ii) What is the name given to different atoms of the same element?

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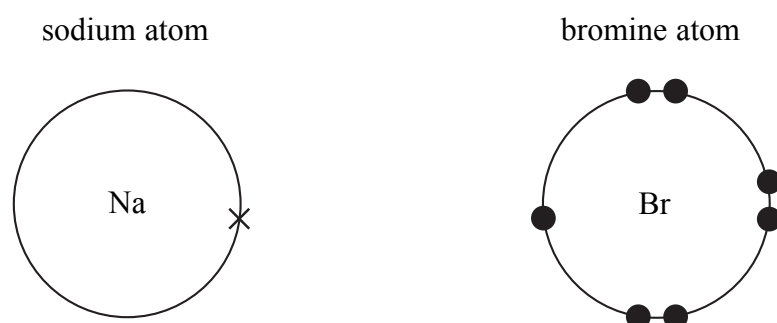
N 2 5 7 8 8 A 0 3 1 6

(c) Sodium reacts with bromine to form sodium bromide (NaBr).

(i) Write a balanced equation for this reaction, including state symbols.

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(ii) The diagram shows the electrons in the outer shells of a sodium atom and a bromine atom.



Draw an arrow to show the movement of an electron when a sodium atom reacts with a bromine atom.

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(iii) What name is given to atoms that have gained or lost electrons?

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(iv) What type of bond is formed between sodium and bromine in sodium bromide?

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(d) Describe how sedimentary rocks may be formed on the sea bed.



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TURN OVER FOR QUESTION 2

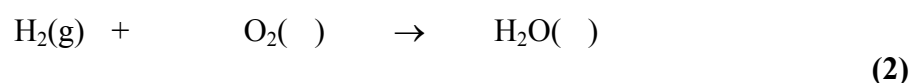


2. Read the following news item that appeared in June 2004.

Wales is likely to become the first country in the world to mass-produce a new fuel called hithane. Hithane is a mixture of hydrogen and methane. Burning hithane instead of petrol would produce a third less carbon dioxide. Under the Kyoto treaty on reducing greenhouse gases, European governments have agreed to reduce carbon dioxide emissions.

(a) When hydrogen burns, it reacts with oxygen in the air to produce water.

(i) Balance the equation and fill in the missing state symbols.



(ii) Give the name of the type of bonding between hydrogen and oxygen atoms in a water molecule.

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(iii) Draw a dot and cross diagram of a water molecule, showing only the outer electrons.

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(b) Methane, CH₄, is a hydrocarbon.

(i) What is meant by the term **hydrocarbon**?

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(ii) Name a natural source of methane.

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(c) Incomplete combustion of petrol or methane produces carbon monoxide.

Explain the dangers of carbon monoxide in enclosed spaces.



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(d) Suggest why the use of hithane instead of petrol would reduce carbon dioxide emissions.

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TURN OVER FOR QUESTION 3



3. When a piece of heated potassium is put into a gas jar of chlorine, potassium chloride is formed.

(a) Complete the table to show the relative mass, relative charge and position in an atom of an electron, a neutron and a proton.

particle	relative mass	relative charge	position in the atom
electron	negligible	-1	orbiting the nucleus
neutron	0	in the nucleus
proton	1

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(b) A potassium atom has an atomic number of 19 and a mass number of 39.

Write down the number of each type of particle in this atom of potassium.

number of electrons

number of neutrons

number of protons

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(c) Give the electronic structure for an atom of potassium.

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(d) Chlorine has seven electrons in its outer shell.

What information does this give about its position in the periodic table?

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(e) Describe what you would see when potassium chloride is added to water and stirred.

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(f) Bromine is below chlorine in the halogen group.

Describe how the electronic structures of chlorine and bromine atoms are similar.

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TURN OVER FOR QUESTION 4



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4. Sea water contains dissolved sodium bromide.

(a) Bromine is extracted by bubbling chlorine gas through sea water.

(i) Explain why chlorine is used.

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(ii) Write the balanced equation for the reaction between chlorine and sodium bromide solution.

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(b) Describe how bromine water is used to distinguish between saturated and unsaturated hydrocarbons.

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(c) Bromine can be converted into hydrogen bromide solution.

(i) Suggest a pH value for hydrogen bromide solution.

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(ii) Explain your answer.

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(Total 10 marks)

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5. Caesium is a soft, metallic element in group 1 of the periodic table. It ignites spontaneously in air and reacts explosively with cold water, setting fire to the liberated hydrogen. Caesium is even capable of reacting with ice at temperatures above $-116\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. The product formed is a strong alkali and can attack glass. The melting point of caesium is $29\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$.

(a) (i) Name the alkali formed when caesium reacts with water.

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(ii) Write the balanced equation for the reaction between caesium and water.

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(iii) Describe the differences and similarities between the reaction of caesium and the reactions of the other elements in group 1 with water.

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(b) The forces holding the atoms together in solid caesium are relatively weak.

Give **two** pieces of evidence from the introduction above to support this statement.

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(Total 8 marks) **Q5**

TURN OVER FOR QUESTION 6



6. Poly(ethene) is a polymer made from the monomer ethene, C_2H_4 .

(a) Draw the structural formula of a molecule of ethene, showing all covalent bonds.

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(b) This polymerisation can be carried out at a temperature of about $80\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$.

Explain, in terms of particles, why the reaction is faster at $80\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ than it is at room temperature.

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(c) What is the empirical formula of poly(ethene)?

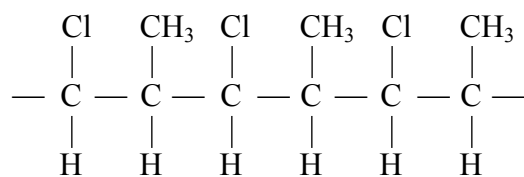
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(d) Part of the structure of a polymer is shown below.



In the box, draw the structure of the monomer molecule from which this polymer is made.

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(Total 8 marks)

TURN OVER FOR QUESTION 7



7. Oxygen was released into the early atmosphere when plants evolved. Some of this oxygen formed the gas ozone, O_3 . Ozone protects the Earth from ultraviolet radiation (which can cause fatal cancers in animals).

(a) When oxygen forms ozone, an equilibrium is established.

Write the balanced equation for this reaction.

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(b) Suggest reasons, using the information above, why the evolution of animals could not have happened until after plants evolved.

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(c) When magnesium reacts with oxygen, it forms magnesium oxide. This reaction involves both oxidation and reduction.

Explain this in terms of electrons.



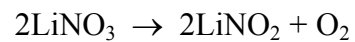
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(d) Oxygen is formed when lithium nitrate is heated.

Calculate the mass of oxygen that is formed by the complete decomposition of 10 g of lithium nitrate.



(Relative atomic masses: Li = 7.0; N = 14; O = 16)

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answer = g
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(Total 12 marks)

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TURN OVER FOR QUESTION 8



8. Iron is produced by reacting iron oxide with carbon monoxide in a blast furnace.

Aluminium is produced by the electrolysis of molten aluminium oxide.

(a) Iron could be produced by electrolysis.

Why is iron produced by reduction with carbon monoxide instead of by electrolysis?

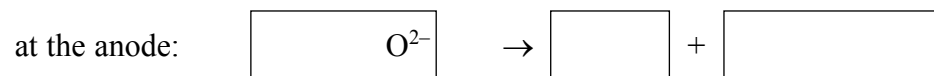
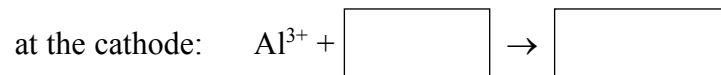
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(b) Suggest why aluminium cannot be produced by reacting aluminium oxide with carbon monoxide.

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(c) Complete the equations showing the reactions at the electrodes in aluminium extraction.



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(d) 100 g of an oxide of iron is found to contain 70 g iron.

Calculate the empirical formula of this oxide.

(Relative atomic masses: O = 16; Fe = 56)

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empirical formula (4)

(Total 11 marks)

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