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**SCIENCE: DOUBLE AWARD (MODULAR)      346006**  
**CHEMISTRY (MODULAR)**  
**Earth Materials (Module 06)**

Tuesday 29 June 2004    Morning Session

**In addition to this paper you will require:**

- a black ball-point pen;
- an answer sheet.

You may use a calculator.

Time allowed: 30 minutes

**Instructions**

- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Check that your name, candidate number and centre number are printed on the separate answer sheet.
- Check that the separate answer sheet has the title “Earth Materials” printed on it.
- Attempt **one Tier only**, **either** the Foundation Tier **or** the Higher Tier.
- Make sure that you use the correct side of the separate answer sheet; the Foundation Tier is printed on one side and the Higher Tier on the other.
- Answer **all** the questions for the Tier you are attempting.
- Record your answers on the separate answer sheet only. Rough work may be done on the question paper.

**Instructions for recording answers**

- Use a **black ball-point pen**.

- For each answer **completely fill in the circle** as shown:
 

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- Do **not** extend beyond the circles.

- If you want to change your answer, **you must** cross out your original answer, as shown:
 

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**Information**

- The maximum mark for this paper is 36.

**Advice**

- Do **not** choose more responses than you are asked to. You will lose marks if you do.
- Make sure that you hand in both your answer sheet and this question paper at the end of the test.
- If you start to answer on the wrong side of the answer sheet by mistake, make sure that you cross out **completely** the work that is not to be marked.

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The Higher Tier starts on page 14 of this booklet.

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**FOUNDATION TIER**

**SECTION A**

Questions **ONE** to **FIVE**.

In these questions match the words in the list with the numbers.

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**QUESTION ONE**

This question is about chemical substances.

Match words from the list with the numbers **1–4** in the table.

**air**

**carbon**

**nitrogen**

**sulphur dioxide**

<b>Chemical substance</b>	<b>What we can say about the substance</b>
<b>1</b>	it is a compound
<b>2</b>	it is a gaseous element
<b>3</b>	it is a mixture
<b>4</b>	it is a solid element

**QUESTION TWO**

The diagram shows some of the layers in and around the Earth.

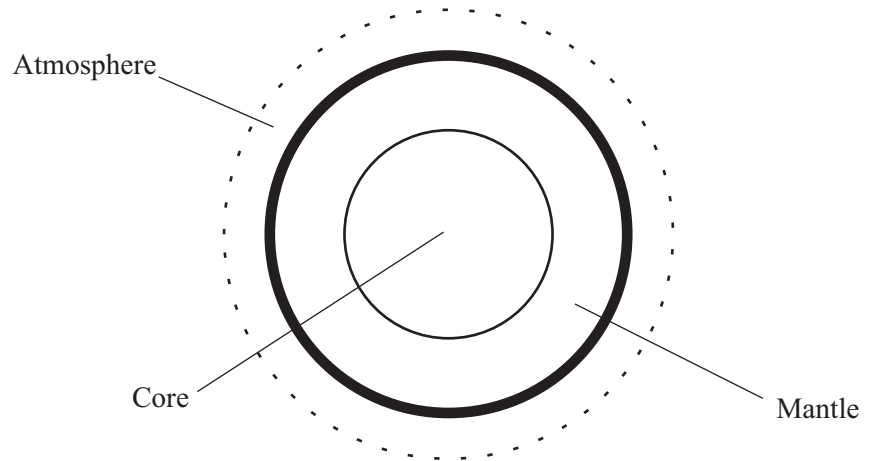
Match words from the list with the numbers 1–4 in the table.

**atmosphere**

**core**

**lithosphere**

**mantle**



Layer	What we can say about the layer
1	it has solid properties but can flow very slowly
2	it is cracked into a number of tectonic plates
3	it is made up mainly of iron and nickel
4	it is made up mainly of nitrogen and oxygen

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**QUESTION THREE**

This question is about common names for substances.

Match words from the list with the numbers 1–4 in the table.

**limestone**

**quicklime**

**slaked lime**

**soda**

<b>Common name</b>	<b>Substance</b>
<b>1</b>	it is a rock formed mainly of calcium carbonate
<b>2</b>	it is the common name for calcium hydroxide
<b>3</b>	it is the common name for calcium oxide
<b>4</b>	it is the common name for sodium carbonate

**QUESTION FOUR**

This question is about processes that change things.

Match words from the list with the numbers 1–4 in the table.

**condensation**

**decomposition**

**evaporation**

**neutralisation**

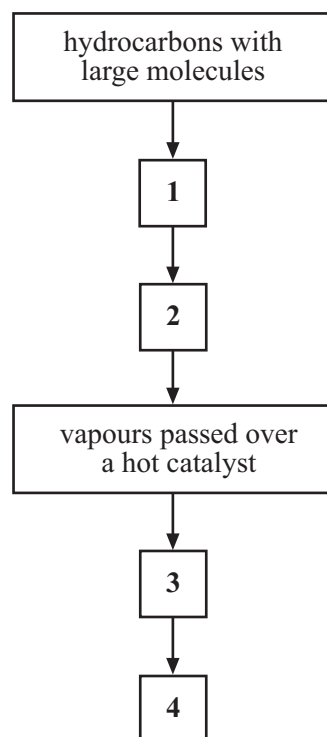
<b>Process</b>	<b>Example of the process</b>
<b>1</b>	addition of powdered limestone to reduce the acidity in lakes
<b>2</b>	breakdown of magnesium carbonate when it is heated
<b>3</b>	changing a gaseous hydrocarbon into liquid form
<b>4</b>	formation of water vapour from water

**QUESTION FIVE**

The flow chart shows the stages in the thermal decomposition of hydrocarbons with large molecules.

Match sentences **P**, **Q**, **R** or **S** from the list with the spaces **1–4** in the flow chart.

- P** hydrocarbons with large molecules are cracked
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**SECTION B**Questions **SIX** and **SEVEN**.In these questions choose the best **two** answers.Do **not** choose more than two.Mark your choices on the answer sheet.

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**QUESTION SIX**

This question is about tectonic plates.

Choose from the list the **two** statements that are correct.**convection currents in the Earth's interior are driven by heat from the Sun****South America and Africa have slowly moved apart****South America and Africa lie on the same tectonic plate****tectonic plates are moved by convection currents in the Earth's crust****tectonic plates move at relative speeds of a few centimetres a year****QUESTION SEVEN**

This question is about rocks and structures in the Earth's crust.

Choose from the list the **two** statements that are correct.**folded and faulted rocks are evidence that the Earth's crust is unstable****metamorphic rocks provide evidence that the Earth's crust is cooling****metamorphic rocks usually lie on top of sedimentary rocks****new mountain ranges are produced by weathering and erosion****ripple marks in sedimentary rocks were formed by waves or currents**

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**SECTION C****Questions EIGHT to TEN.**

Each of these questions has four parts.

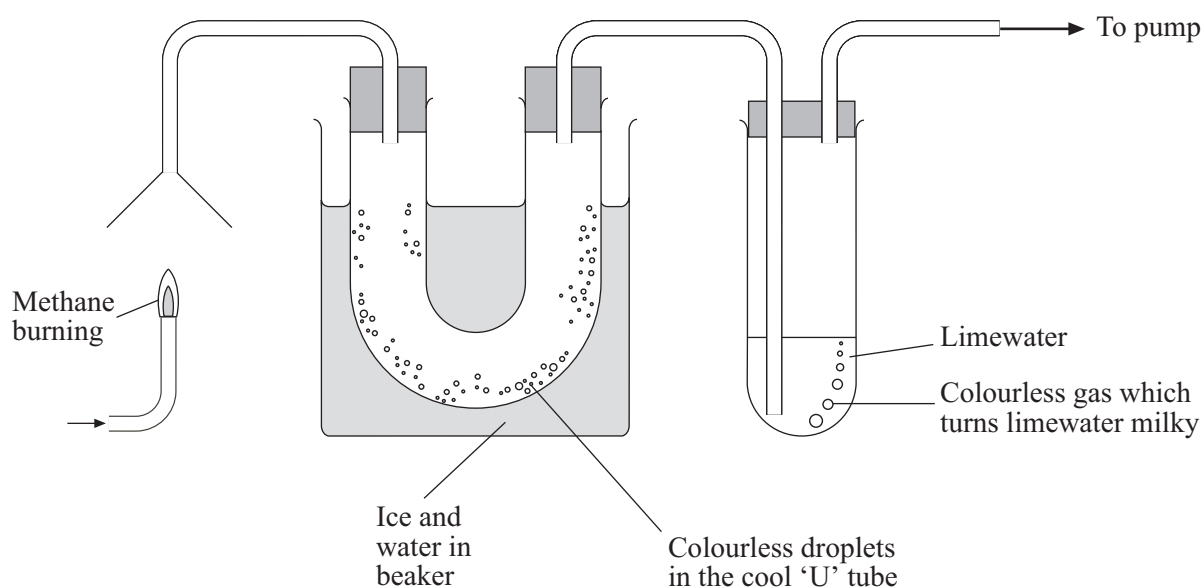
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**QUESTION EIGHT**

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**8.2** The compound that collects in the 'U' tube, as colourless droplets, is . . . . .

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This suggests that it is a hydrocarbon . . . . .

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**QUESTION NINE**

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- 9.1** How did scientists, who supported the idea that the Earth was cooling, explain the formation of mountains?
- A** Mountains rose up from the sea bed
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**QUESTION TEN**

Crude oil can be separated into fractions.

Each fraction contains several different hydrocarbons.

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**10.1** Crude oil can be separated into fractions by fractional distillation because . . . . .

- A the fractions flow at different rates.
- B the fractions have different boiling points.
- C the fractions have different colours.
- D the fractions have different densities.

**10.2** Hydrocarbons with the smallest molecules will be found in . . . . .

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### HIGHER TIER

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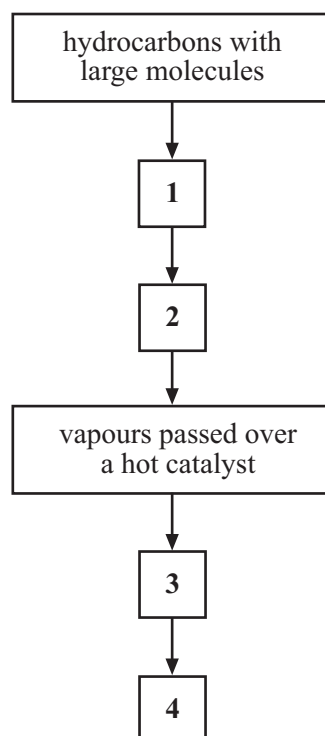
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**QUESTION TWO**

This question is about gases.

Match words from the list with the numbers 1–4 in the table.

**carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)**

**ethene (C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>)**

**methane (CH<sub>4</sub>)**

**ozone (O<sub>3</sub>)**

<b>Gas</b>	<b>What we can say about the gas</b>
<b>1</b>	a hydrocarbon present in small amounts in the Earth's early atmosphere
<b>2</b>	it absorbs some of the harmful ultraviolet radiation from the sun
<b>3</b>	it reacts with sea water to produce calcium hydrogencarbonate
<b>4</b>	it is the simplest alkene

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**SECTION B**Questions **THREE** and **FOUR**.In these questions choose the best **two** answers.Do **not** choose more than two.Mark your choices on the answer sheet.

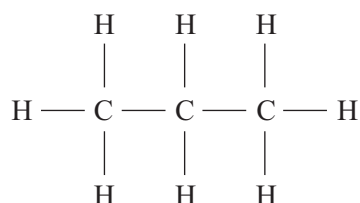
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The diagram shows a molecule of a compound that can be obtained from crude oil.

Which **two** statements about this compound are correct?**it is a polymer****it is a saturated compound****it is an alkene****it reacts with bromine water and turns it colourless****the carbon-carbon bonds are covalent bonds**



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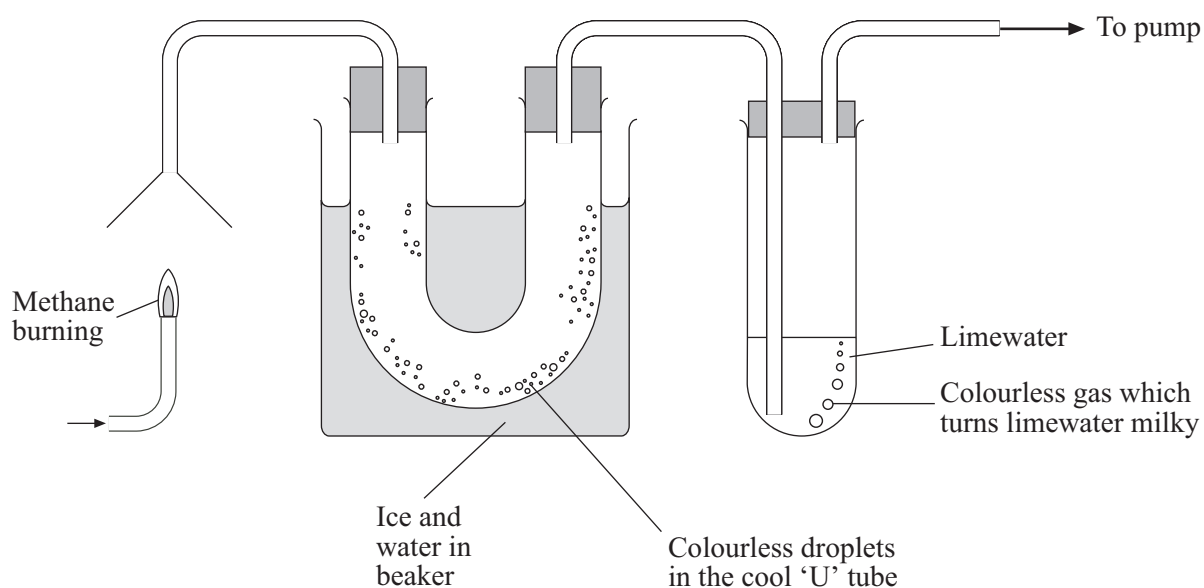
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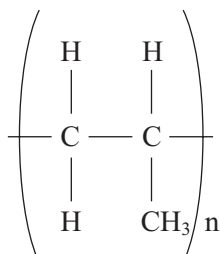
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**QUESTION EIGHT**

The diagram represents a long chain molecule of poly(propene).



**8.1** The general name given to long chain molecules such as this is . . . . .

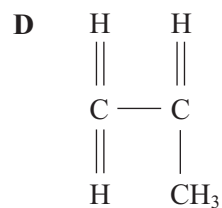
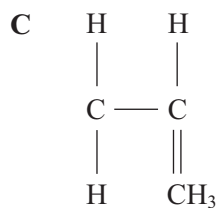
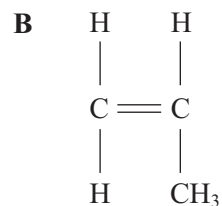
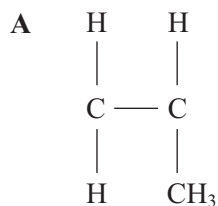
- A ethenes.
- B poly(ethenes).
- C polymers.
- D polythenes.

**8.2** The monomer, propene, from which poly(propene) is made, is . . . . .

- A a saturated alkane.
- B a saturated alkene.
- C an unsaturated alkane.
- D an unsaturated alkene.



8.3 A molecule of propene can be represented by . . . . .



8.4 When molecules of propene react to produce poly(propene), the products of the reaction are . . . . .

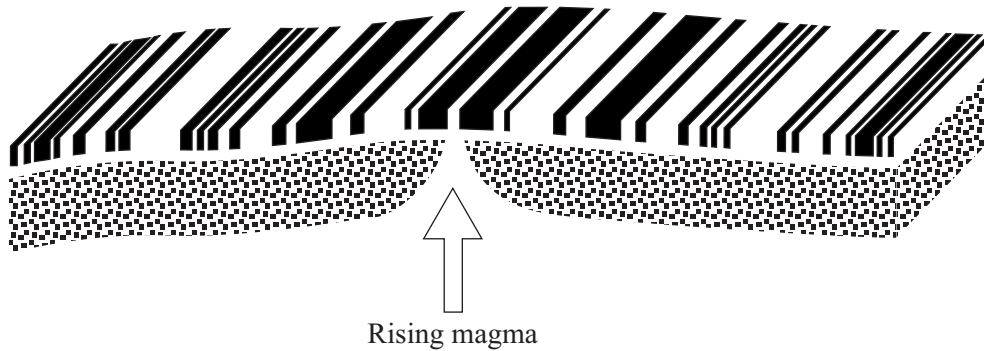
- A poly(propene) and carbon dioxide.
- B poly(propene) and oxygen.
- C poly(propene) and water.
- D poly(propene) only.

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**QUESTION NINE**

The drawing shows the magnetic reversal patterns located in some areas in the oceanic crust.



- 9.1** These magnetic reversal patterns are found . . . . .
- A around continents.
  - B parallel to faults in the Earth's crust.
  - C parallel to oceanic ridges.
  - D where a tectonic plate is subducted.
- 9.2** The magnetic reversal patterns are caused by . . . . .
- A changes in the density of the rising magma.
  - B changes in the direction of the Earth's magnetic field.
  - C changes in the direction of the Earth's rotation.
  - D changes in the types of rising magma.
- 9.3** The direction of the Earth's magnetic field is recorded by . . . . .
- A alternating bands of igneous and metamorphic rocks.
  - B fossils in the sedimentary rocks.
  - C iron-rich minerals in the solidified magma.
  - D ripple marks in the sedimentary rocks.

**9.4** The rising magma produces new . . . . .

- A** basaltic, continental crust.
- B** basaltic, oceanic crust.
- C** granitic, continental crust.
- D** granitic, oceanic crust.

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**QUESTION TEN**

There was little or no nitrogen in the Earth's atmosphere when it was first formed.

Gradually, the amount increased until it reached the present day level.

**10.1** One cause of the increase in the amount of nitrogen in the Earth's atmosphere was . . . . .

- A the activity of denitrifying bacteria.
- B the decomposition of carbonate rocks.
- C the development of the ozone layer.
- D volcanic activity.

**10.2** Which reaction in the atmosphere produced additional nitrogen?

- A ammonia + carbon dioxide
- B ammonia + oxygen
- C methane + carbon dioxide
- D methane + oxygen

**10.3** About how much nitrogen does 1000 cm<sup>3</sup> of the Earth's present day atmosphere contain?

- A 200 cm<sup>3</sup>
- B 400 cm<sup>3</sup>
- C 600 cm<sup>3</sup>
- D 800 cm<sup>3</sup>

**10.4** When the amount of nitrogen was increasing, the amount of carbon dioxide was decreasing.

One reason for this was . . . . .

- A some carbon dioxide was reacting with methane.
- B some carbon dioxide was reacting with sea water.
- C the burning of fossil fuels.
- D volcanic activity.

**END OF TEST**