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Time: 20 minutes

Materials required for examination Multiple Choice Answer Sheet HB pencil, eraser and calculator

**Instructions to Candidates** 

Use an HB pencil. Do not open this booklet until you are told to do so. Mark your answers on the separate answer sheet.

**Foundation tier candidates:** answer questions 1 - 24. **Higher tier candidates:** answer questions 17 - 40. All candidates are to answer questions 17 - 24.

### **Before the test begins:**

Check that the answer sheet is for the correct test and that it contains your candidate details.

### How to answer the test:

For each question, choose the right answer, A, B, C or D and mark it in HB pencil on the answer sheet. For example, the answer C would be marked as shown.

Mark only **one** answer for each question. If you change your mind about an answer, rub out the first mark **thoroughly**, then mark your new answer.

Do any necessary calculations and rough work in this booklet. You may use a calculator if you wish.

You must not take this booklet or the answer sheet out of the examination room.



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# Questions 1 to 16 must be answered by Foundation tier candidates only. Higher tier candidates start at question 17.

# Gases

1. Helium and hydrogen are gases which are less dense than air. Helium is used to fill airships.



Helium is used instead of hydrogen because

- A helium is coloured but hydrogen is colourless
- **B** helium is unreactive but hydrogen burns in air
- C hydrogen is a good conductor of electricity
- **D** helium is a good conductor of heat
- 2. The correct symbol for an atom of hydrogen is
  - A Hy
  - B hy
  - С Н
  - **D** H<sub>2</sub>
- **3.** A test for hydrogen is that
  - A when mixed with air and lit, it burns with a squeaky pop
  - **B** it relights a glowing splint
  - **C** it turns limewater milky
  - **D** it turns red litmus solution blue
- 4. Helium and argon are in the same group in the periodic table. Helium and argon
  - A form similar compounds
  - **B** are both unreactive
  - C burn in air
  - **D** react together

5. Argon is a noble gas.

Which letter shows the position of argon in the periodic table?

| 1 | 2 |   |  |   |  |      |      | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 0 |
|---|---|---|--|---|--|------|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   |   |   |  | A |  |      |      |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|   |   |   |  |   |  |      |      |   |   |   |   | B |   |
|   |   |   |  |   |  | <br> | <br> |   |   |   |   |   | С |
|   |   | D |  |   |  |      |      |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|   |   |   |  |   |  |      |      |   |   |   |   |   |   |
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Which of these hazard symbols should be used to show that hydrogen is flammable? 6.



A

B

С

D

# **Potassium chloride**

- 7. Potassium chloride is a
  - A non-metallic element
  - B mixture
  - С salt
  - metallic element D
- Potassium chloride can be made by reacting potassium hydroxide solution with dilute 8. hydrochloric acid.

This reaction is an example of

- А neutralisation
- thermal decomposition B
- С hydration
- D oxidation

- **9.** Which of the following could be used to show that potassium chloride is a potassium compound?
  - A a flame test
  - **B** universal indicator paper
  - C hydrochloric acid
  - **D** sodium hydroxide solution
- 10. Potassium chloride is one of the salts present in sea water. Potassium chloride obtained from sea water
  - A is artificial
  - **B** is a pollutant
  - C is natural
  - **D** has a different composition from that made by a chemical reaction

### Metals and their compounds

**11.** The letters show the position of three metals and one non-metal in the periodic table. Which letter shows the position of the non-metal?

| 1 | 2 |  |  |   |  |  |   | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 0 |
|---|---|--|--|---|--|--|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   |   |  |  |   |  |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| A |   |  |  | 1 |  |  |   |   | B |   |   |   |   |
|   | С |  |  |   |  |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|   |   |  |  |   |  |  | D |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|   |   |  |  |   |  |  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
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- Iron is a metal.Iron is usually found in the Earth's crust as
  - A steel
  - **B** an alloy
  - C an ore
  - **D** the metal
- Gold is an unreactive metal.Gold is usually found in the Earth's crust as
  - A a salt
  - **B** an oxide
  - C a compound
  - **D** the metal

- 14. Silver is used to make jewellery because it
  - A is a non-metal
  - **B** is usually unreactive
  - **C** is in group 1 of the periodic table
  - **D** has a very low melting point
- **15.** John mixes sodium hydroxide solution with copper sulphate solution. What should he see?
  - A bubbles of gas
  - **B** a green solid
  - C a blue solid
  - **D** a colourless solution
- 16. Copper is used to make water pipes because it
  - A is brittle
  - **B** conducts electricity
  - **C** is malleable
  - **D** is shiny

# Higher tier candidates start at question 17 and answer questions 17 to 40. Questions 17 to 24 must be answered by all candidates: Foundation tier and Higher tier.

### Atoms

# Use the following information to answer questions 17 to 19.

This diagram shows the particles in an atom of beryllium.



Which row of the table correctly describes particles **R** and **S**? 17.

|   | particle R | particle S |
|---|------------|------------|
| Α | electron   | neutron    |
| B | proton     | electron   |
| С | neutron    | electron   |
| D | proton     | neutron    |

18. What is the atomic number of beryllium?

- 2 A 4 B 5 С 9
- D

19. Which row of the table shows the charge on a proton, a neutron and an electron?

|   | proton    | neutron   | electron |
|---|-----------|-----------|----------|
| Α | positive  | positive  | negative |
| В | no charge | positive  | negative |
| С | negative  | no charge | positive |
| D | positive  | no charge | negative |

- 20. Magnesium and beryllium have similar properties.For example, the formulae of their chlorides are MgCl<sub>2</sub> and BeCl<sub>2</sub>.In the periodic table, magnesium is most likely to be
  - A in the same group and period as beryllium
  - **B** in the same group but a different period from beryllium
  - C in a different group and the same period as beryllium
  - **D** in a different group and a different period from beryllium

# Metals

- 21. Lead is obtained from a substance called galena. Galena is converted into lead oxide. Lead is obtained from lead oxide by
  - A adding dilute hydrochloric acid
  - **B** heating with carbon
  - **C** heating with nitrogen
  - **D** heating in the absence of air
- **22.** Lead can also be obtained from lead oxide by passing hydrogen over the heated lead oxide. The reaction is

lead oxide + hydrogen  $\rightarrow$  lead + water

During this reaction the hydrogen is

- A hydrated
- **B** dehydrated
- C oxidised
- **D** reduced

- **23.** Aluminium is extracted from aluminium oxide by electrolysis. It is necessary to use electrolysis because
  - A aluminium is a reactive metal and its oxide is stable
  - **B** aluminium is an unreactive metal and its oxide is stable
  - **C** aluminium is a reactive metal and its oxide is unstable
  - **D** aluminium is an unreactive metal and its oxide is unstable
- 24. Corrosion is a problem when using some metals. One product of corrosion is rust. Which row of the table shows a metal that rusts and a substance used in rust removers?

|   | metal     | used in rust removers |
|---|-----------|-----------------------|
| Α | iron      | sodium chloride       |
| В | aluminium | sodium chloride       |
| С | iron      | phosphoric acid       |
| D | aluminium | phosphoric acid       |

# **TOTAL FOR FOUNDATION TIER PAPER: 24 MARKS**

Foundation tier candidates do not answer any more questions after question 24.

# Questions 25 to 40 must be answered by Higher tier candidates only. Foundation tier candidates do not answer questions 25 to 40.

# Carbon dioxide

- 25. The test to show that a gas is carbon dioxide is that the gas
  - **A** puts out a burning splint
  - **B** turns moist red litmus paper blue
  - **C** turns limewater milky
  - **D** dissolves in water to form an acidic solution
- **26.** Baking powder contains
  - A sodium hydrogencarbonate only
  - **B** sodium hydrogencarbonate and another substance
  - **C** sodium carbonate only
  - **D** sodium carbonate and another substance
- 27. If water is added to baking powder, carbon dioxide is produced. The reaction taking place is
  - A dehydration
  - **B** neutralisation of an acid
  - **C** thermal decomposition
  - **D** oxidation
- **28.** When copper carbonate is heated the reaction is

copper carbonate  $\rightarrow$  copper oxide + carbon dioxide

This reaction is an example of

- A oxidation
- **B** reduction
- **C** thermal decomposition
- **D** neutralisation

**29.** Carbon dioxide gas can be collected by the two methods shown.



Which row of the table describes method X and two properties of carbon dioxide?

|   | method X        | solubility in water | density compared to air |
|---|-----------------|---------------------|-------------------------|
| Α | upward delivery | slightly soluble    | less dense              |
| В | over water      | very soluble        | more dense              |
| С | upward delivery | very soluble        | more dense              |
| D | over water      | slightly soluble    | more dense              |

- **30.** Which of these is the balanced equation for the reaction that takes place when zinc carbonate is heated?

### Ammonia

- **31.** Which of these statements about ammonia are correct?
  - 1 It turns moist blue litmus paper red
  - 2 The formula of its molecule is NH<sub>4</sub>
  - A 1 only
  - **B** 2 only
  - C both 1 and 2
  - **D** neither 1 nor 2
- **32.** Which row of the table shows correct uses for ammonia?

|   | to make fertilisers | to make nitric acid |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|
| Α | yes                 | no                  |
| В | no                  | yes                 |
| С | yes                 | yes                 |
| D | no                  | no                  |

- **33.** Ammonium nitrate contains the elements
  - A ammonia, nitrogen and oxygen
  - **B** hydrogen, nitrogen and oxygen
  - C ammonium, nitrogen and oxygen
  - **D** hydrogen and nitrogen only

# Metals

### Use this periodic table to answer questions 34 to 36.



The letters shown are not the symbols of the atoms of the elements.

- **34.** Which letter shows a metal in period 3?
  - A L
  - **B** M
  - C N
  - **D** 0

35. Which letter shows an element that causes salts to produce a lilac flame in a flame test?

- A
   M

   B
   N
- **C** 0
- D P
- **36.** Which letter shows an element that has salts that, in solution, produce a pale blue precipitate with sodium hydroxide solution?
  - A
     K

     B
     M

     C
     O
  - D P

- **37.** Which of these statements about the alkali metals are correct?
  - 1 Their reactivity increases from lithium to caesium
  - 2 They all have an endothermic reaction with water
  - A 1 only
  - **B** 2 only
  - C both 1 and 2
  - **D** neither 1 nor 2
- **38.** Which row of the table shows the correct colours at room temperature and the boiling points of the halogens bromine and iodine?

|   | bror                          | nine                  | iodine                        |                       |  |  |
|---|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
|   | colour at room<br>temperature | boiling point<br>(°C) | colour at room<br>temperature | boiling point<br>(°C) |  |  |
| Α | yellow-green                  | -34                   | purple                        | 184                   |  |  |
| В | red-brown                     | -34                   | grey                          | 59                    |  |  |
| С | red-brown                     | 59                    | purple                        | 184                   |  |  |
| D | red-brown                     | 59                    | grey                          | 184                   |  |  |

# Use the following information to answer questions 39 and 40.

Chlorine reacts with sodium iodide solution.

- **39.** Which of these statements about the reaction are correct?
  - 1 After the reaction the solution is colourless
  - 2 The reaction takes place because iodine is more reactive than chlorine
  - A 1 only
  - **B** 2 only
  - C both 1 and 2
  - **D** neither 1 nor 2
- **40.** The equation for this reaction is

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