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**TWENTY FIRST CENTURY SCIENCE
ADDITIONAL SCIENCE A**

**Unit 3: Modules B6 C6 P6
(Higher Tier)**

**FRIDAY 19 JUNE 2009: Morning
DURATION: 40 minutes**

SUITABLE FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED CANDIDATES

**Candidates answer on the question paper
A calculator may be used for this paper**

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None

OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED:

Pencil

Ruler (cm/mm)

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- **Write your name clearly in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the boxes on the first page.**
- **Use black ink. Pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.**
- **Read each question carefully and make sure that you know what you have to do before starting your answer.**
- **Answer ALL the questions.**
- **Write your answer to each question in the space provided, however additional paper may be used if necessary.**

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- **The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.**
- **The total number of marks for this paper is 42.**
- **A list of physics equations is printed on pages 4 and 5.**
- **The Periodic Table is printed on page 35.**

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TWENTY FIRST CENTURY SCIENCE EQUATIONS

USEFUL RELATIONSHIPS

EXPLAINING MOTION

$$\text{speed} = \frac{\text{distance travelled}}{\text{time taken}}$$

$$\text{momentum} = \text{mass} \times \text{velocity}$$

$$\text{change of momentum} = \text{resultant force} \times \text{time for which it acts}$$

$$\text{work done by a force} = \text{force} \times \text{distance moved by the force}$$

$$\text{change in energy} = \text{work done}$$

$$\text{change in GPE} = \text{weight} \times \text{vertical height difference}$$

$$\text{kinetic energy} = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{mass} \times [\text{velocity}]^2$$

ELECTRIC CIRCUITS

$$\text{resistance} = \frac{\text{voltage}}{\text{current}}$$

$$\frac{V_p}{V_s} = \frac{N_p}{N_s}$$

$$\text{energy transferred} = \text{power} \times \text{time}$$

$$\text{power} = \text{potential difference} \times \text{current}$$

$$\text{efficiency} = \frac{\text{energy usefully transferred}}{\text{total energy supplied}} \times 100\%$$

THE WAVE MODEL OF RADIATION

$$\text{wave speed} = \text{frequency} \times \text{wavelength}$$

Answer ALL the questions.

1 (a) Micky plays dominoes in a lesson about waves.

Each domino has a WORD at the top and a MEANING at the bottom.

Each word must be placed below its correct meaning, as shown below.

<u>A</u>	<u>LONGITUDINAL</u>	
	number of waves per second from the source	— meaning
<u>B</u>	<u>FREQUENCY</u>	— word
	distance from one crest to the next	

Here are the other three dominoes.

<u>C</u>	<u>AMPLITUDE</u>
how far a wave goes in a second	

<u>D</u>	<u>WAVELENGTH</u>
height of a crest	

<u>E</u>	<u>SPEED</u>
energy flow parallel to wave disturbance	

Write C, D or E in each blank domino on the page opposite, so that each word is below its correct meaning.

You may fill in the blank dominoes if it helps you work out the answers. [2]

(b) Which one of these actions could change the speed of a wave?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

change the intensity of the wave

change the amplitude of the wave

change the frequency of the wave source

change the medium that the wave passes through

[1]

(c) Alice talks to Micky about their work.

What do the sound waves transfer from Alice to Micky?

Put a **ring** around the correct answer.

ATOMS

ENERGY

RAYS

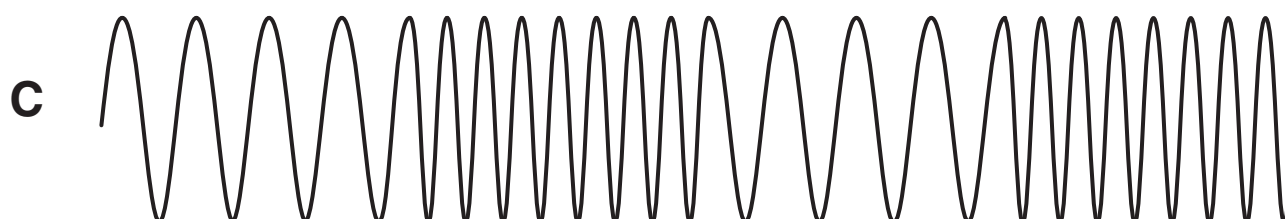
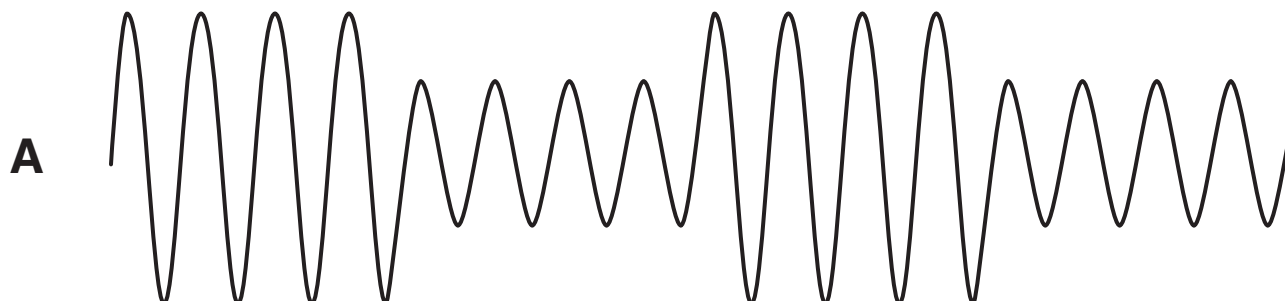
WAVELENGTHS

[1]

[Total: 4]

2 Jake is a security guard. He uses radio waves to communicate with his boss.

(a) Here are three wave patterns for the radio waves leaving Jake's radio.



Draw straight lines to match each WAVE PATTERN with its best DESCRIPTION.

WAVE
PATTERN

DESCRIPTION

A

amplitude modulation
by a digital signal

B

frequency modulation
by a digital signal

C

amplitude modulation
by an analogue signal

frequency modulation
by an analogue signal

[2]

(b) Jake's radio transmits his voice signal in a digital format.

The sentences explain how the voice signal is sent from Jake to his boss.

They are in the wrong order.

A The radio wave leaves the transmitter.

B The radio wave is absorbed by the receiver.

C The pattern of digital information is recovered.

D The information and noise signals are amplified.

E The voice signal is modulated onto the radio wave.

F The voice signal is recreated from the digital pattern.

G The intensity of the wave decreases and it picks up noise as it travels.

Fill in the boxes to show the correct order.

The first and last have been done for you.

E						F
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[2]

(c) What is the **ADVANTAGE** of sending Jake's voice signal in a digital format?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the **BEST** answer.

It is easier to switch a wave on and off than to alter its amplitude.

The information is sent as a pattern of two values called 1 and 0.

Digital circuits are much more complicated than analogue ones.

The digital pattern is recognisable even when noise has been added to the wave.

[1]

[Total: 5]

3 Ben hurts his foot playing football. The hospital takes an X-ray image of his foot to see if any bones are broken.

(a) Ben asks his friends why X-rays can be used to make an image of his bones.

ALAN
Bone transmits
more X-rays than
muscle.



BESS
Bone absorbs more
X-rays than muscle.



CARLO
Bone reflects
X-rays but muscle
transmits them.



DAVINA
X-rays are absorbed
by water in the
muscles.



Who has the correct idea?

answer _____ **[1]**

(b) Ben knows that exposure to X-rays can be dangerous.

This is because X-ray photons carry a lot of energy and can damage cells.

Why do X-ray photons carry a lot of energy?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct reason.

X-rays have a very high speed.

X-rays have a very big amplitude.

X-rays have a very high frequency.

X-rays have a very big wavelength.

[1]

(c) The hospital is concerned for Ben's safety.

The hospital measures the intensity of the X-rays before making an image of his bones.

Complete this equation for intensity. Choose words from this list.

ENERGY PER PHOTON

ENERGY PER SECOND

FREQUENCY PER WAVELENGTH

PHOTONS PER METRE

PHOTONS PER SECOND

$$\boxed{\begin{array}{l} \text{intensity} \\ \text{of X-ray} \\ \text{beam} \end{array}} = \boxed{\phantom{\text{energy per photon}}} = \boxed{\phantom{\text{energy per second}}} \times \boxed{\phantom{\text{photons per metre}}}$$

[2]

(d) X-rays are part of the electromagnetic spectrum.

So are ultraviolet waves.

Draw straight lines to link the START of each sentence with its correct END.

START

END

X-rays and ultraviolet waves in empty space always have the same ...

... speed.

X-rays and ultraviolet waves always have different values for their ...

... amplitude.

... wavelength.

[1]

[Total: 5]

4 Sam is ironing and accidentally touches the hot plate of the iron.

He pulls his hand away very quickly.

(a) Which sentences describe his reaction?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to each of the correct phrases.

His response is ...

... learned.

... deliberate.

... involuntary.

... a simple reflex.

... a conditioned reflex.

[1]

(b) Which parts of the nervous system are involved in Sam's reaction?

Put a ring around EACH correct part.

BRAIN

CONSCIOUSNESS

INTELLIGENCE

MEMORY

MOTOR NEURON

SENSORY NEURON

SPINAL CORD

SYNAPSE

[2]

(c) Later, Sam prepares a meal. He picks up a hot dish but does NOT drop it.

Why is his response different?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the BEST answer.

The receptors in his hand have become less sensitive.

His brain has modified his reflex response.

The smell of the food is a secondary stimulus.

His brain does not have conscious control of his response.

[1]

[Total: 4]

5 Animals such as woodlice respond to changes in their environment.

This process follows a series of steps.

(a) Complete the sentences to explain these steps.

Choose words from the list.

AN ACTION

AN EFFECTOR

A HORMONE

A MOTOR NEURON

A RECEPTOR

A SENSORY NEURON

A STIMULUS

A SYNAPSE

The change in the environment is _____.

The change is detected by _____.

Information is carried to the central nervous system by _____.

Information is carried from the central nervous system by _____.

The response is carried out by _____.

[4]

(b) Receptors and effectors can be found in complex organs.

Draw lines to join each TYPE OF CELL to the ORGAN where it is found.

Draw lines to show whether each TYPE OF CELL is an EFFECTOR OR RECEPTOR.

<u>ORGAN</u>	<u>TYPE OF CELL</u>	<u>EFFECTOR OR RECEPTOR</u>
gland	light sensitive cell	receptor
muscle	hormone secreting cell	effector
eye	muscle cell	

[2]

[Total: 6]

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6 Scientists have studied the brain and its functions by a variety of methods.

(a) Which of these methods, A, B, C or D, requires physical contact with the brain?

A MRI scans of the brain

B X-ray photographs of the brain

C electrical stimulation of the brain

D interviews of patients with brain damage

method _____ [1]

(b) Four friends are revising for their exams.

They talk about the methods they use.



MARK

**I draw a plan so
I can see how the
ideas fit together.**



SARAH

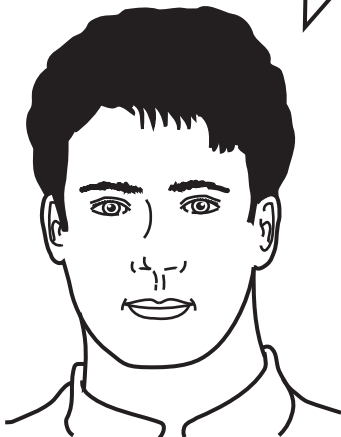
**I write out my notes
several times, then try to
write them without looking
at the information.**

PETER

**I listen to music while
I revise, then I think
about the music during
the exam.**

JANE

**I drink lots of water
as I discuss the ideas
with my friends.**



(i) Who is remembering by repetition?

answer _____ [1]

(ii) Who is using a stimulus to help them remember?

answer _____ [1]

(c) What is memory?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to each of the TWO phrases that BEST describe memory.

giving information

storing information

inputting information

retrieving information

processing information [1]

[Total: 4]

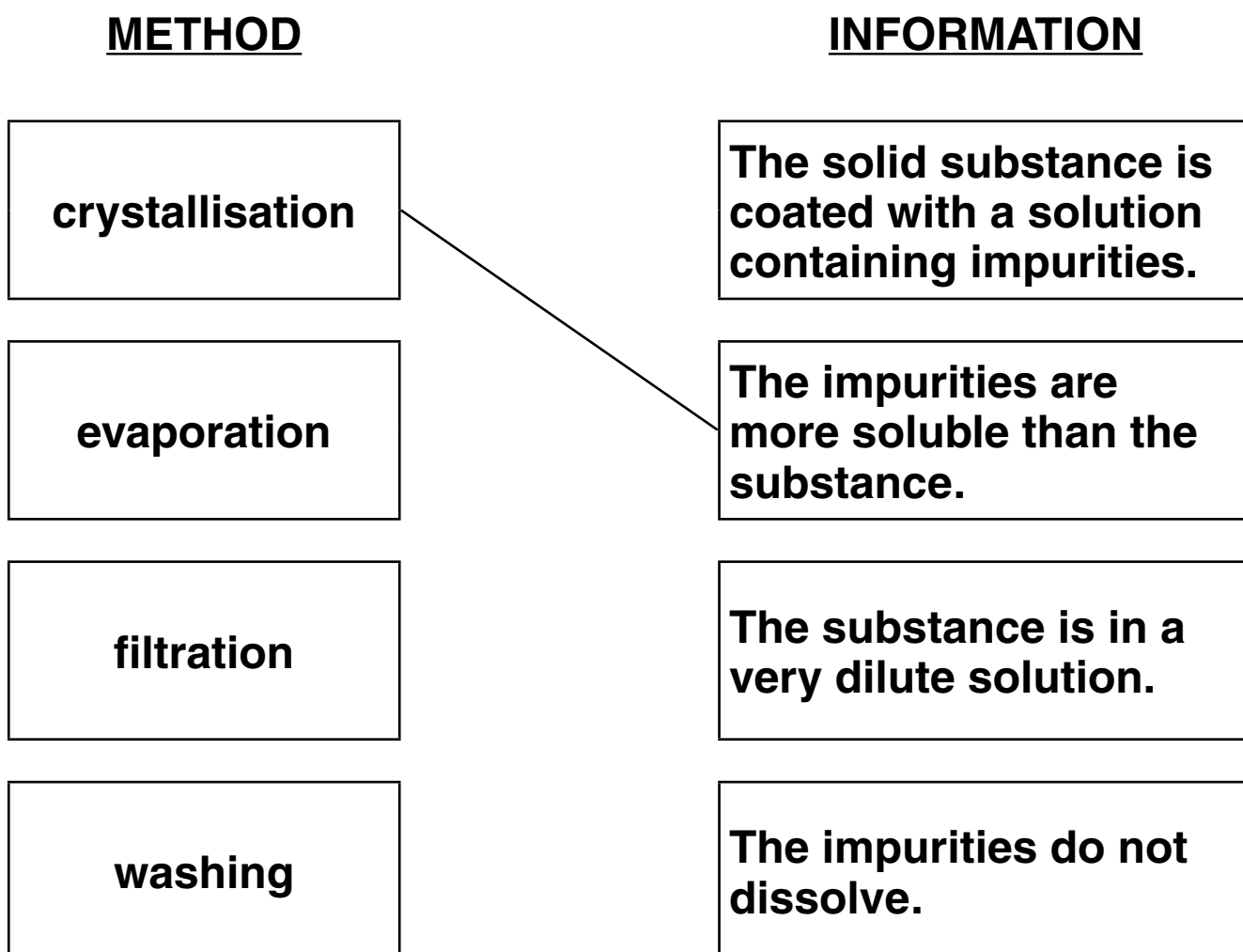
7 Benzoic acid is added to foods as a preservative.

Benzoic acid forms solid crystals which must be purified before the acid is used.

(a) The table shows different methods of purifying chemicals, and information about when you would use each method.

Draw lines to link each METHOD to the correct piece of INFORMATION.

One has been done for you.



[2]

(b) Terry does a titration to check the purity of some benzoic acid.

He wants to use an indicator which changes colour when the solution becomes slightly alkaline.

	<u>INDICATOR</u>	<u>pH RANGE FOR COLOUR CHANGE</u>
<u>A</u>	gentian violet	0 to 2
<u>B</u>	methyl red	4 to 6
<u>C</u>	litmus	5 to 8
<u>D</u>	phenolphthalein	8 to 10
<u>E</u>	nitramine	11 to 13

(i) Which indicator, A, B, C, D, or E, should he use?

answer _____ [1]

(ii) Terry does the titration five times.

He writes down his titration results.

titration number	1	2	3	4	5
volume of alkali in cm³	25.9	25.1	25.0	25.0	25.0

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the result that he should use for his calculations.

25.0

25.1

25.2

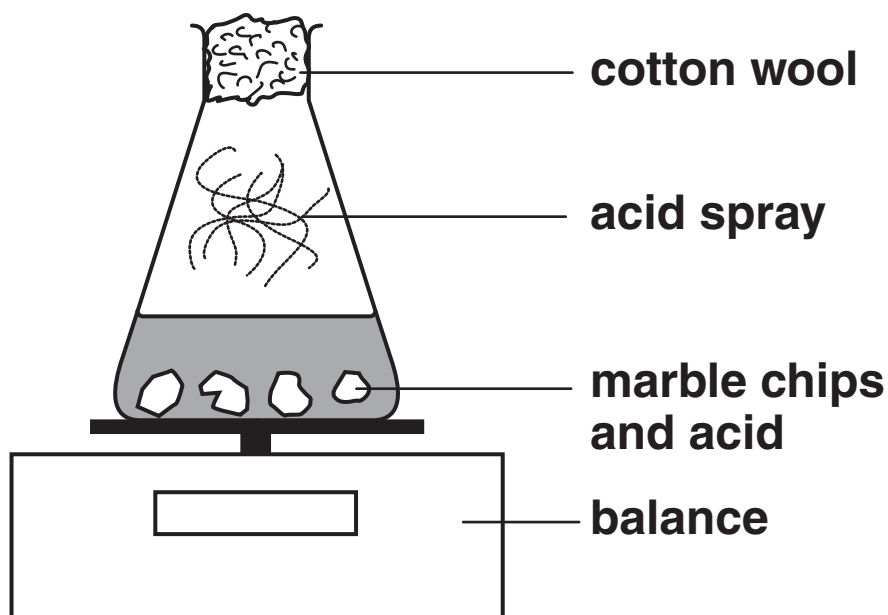
25.9

[1]

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8 Bobby reacts marble chips (calcium carbonate) with acid. He uses an excess of marble chips.

He measures the change in mass as the acid reacts.



(a) Bobby uses sulfuric acid, but he finds the reaction stops almost immediately.

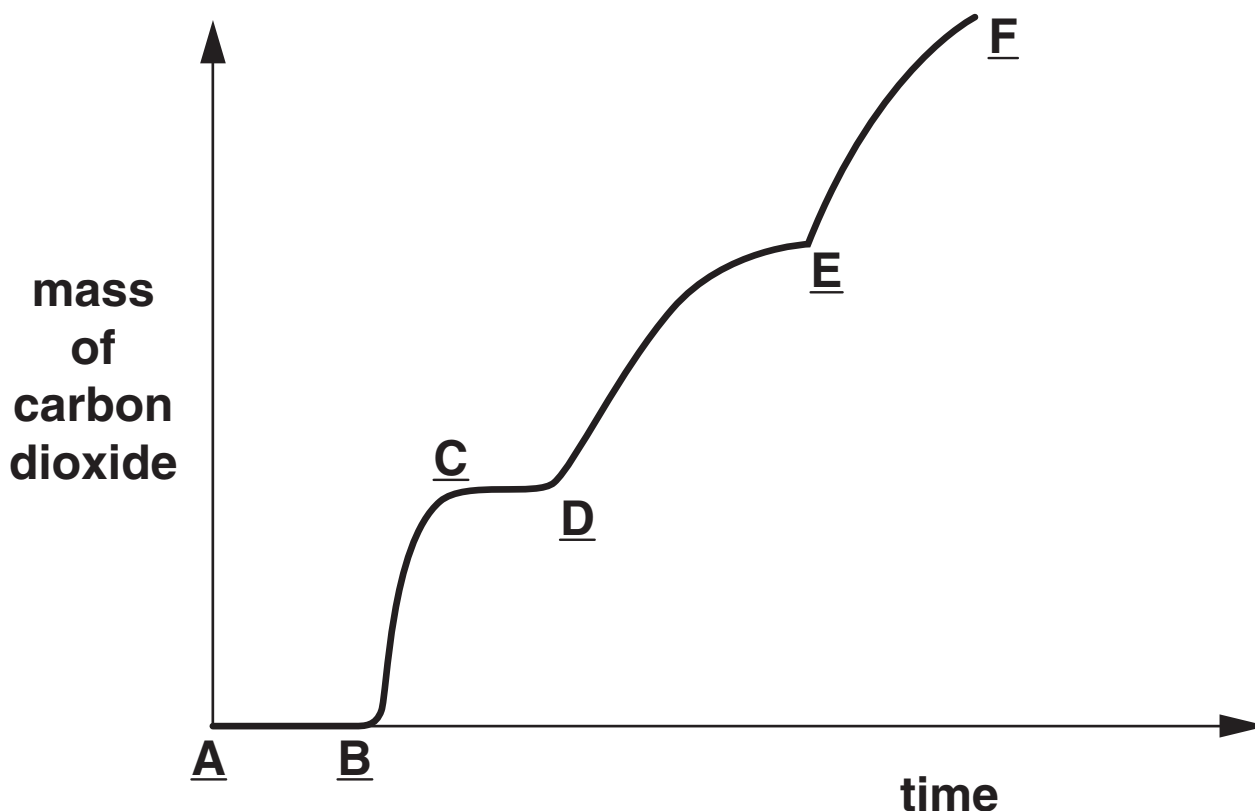
This is because the calcium carbonate becomes covered with a layer of an insoluble salt.

What is the name of the salt?

_____ [1]

(b) Bobby repeats the experiment using hydrochloric acid instead of sulfuric acid.

He starts the reaction by adding some acid. Bobby twice adds more acid part way through. One of these times he lets the reaction stop before he adds the extra acid.



(i) On the list below, put a ring around the letters which show places where acid was added.

One has been ringed for you.

A B C D E F [1]

(ii) Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the region of the graph where the reaction stops.

B to C

C to D

D to E

E to F

[1]

(c) Susan tells Bobby that he can calculate the mass of carbon dioxide produced using relative formula masses and the equation for the reaction.

Relative atomic masses

H=1, C=12, O=16, Cl=35.5, Ca=40

(i) Put a ring around the relative formula mass of CO_2 .

12 16 32 40 44 56 [1]

(ii) Calculate the relative formula mass of CaCO_3 .

answer _____ [1]

- (iii) Calcium carbonate reacts with hydrochloric acid to form calcium chloride, carbon dioxide and water.**

Complete and balance the equation for the reaction.



[2]

- (d) Bobby does two more experiments.**

First, he reacts marble chips with dilute hydrochloric acid. The reaction takes 15 minutes to complete.

Then he repeats this experiment exactly as before, but with concentrated hydrochloric acid. The reaction takes 10 minutes to complete.

Here are some statements about the reaction with concentrated hydrochloric acid.

A The acid particles move faster.

B Particles collide more frequently.

C More gas is produced at each collision.

D Particles collide with the same average energy.

E The calcium carbonate has more surface area.

F Acid particles are closer together in the solution.

G Particles are closer together in the acid and in the calcium carbonate.

(i) Put a tick (✓) in the box next to each correct statement. [2]

(ii) Which TWO statements make an explanation of why the reaction goes quicker?

statements _____ and _____ [1]

[Total: 10]

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