



CHEMISTRY HIGHER LEVEL PAPER 1

Tuesday 11 November 2008 (afternoon)

1 hour

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not open this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Answer all the questions.
- For each question, choose the answer you consider to be the best and indicate your choice on the answer sheet provided.
- The periodic table is provided for reference on page 2 of this examination paper.

| 0 | 2 He 4.00 | 10 Ne 20.18 | 18 Ar 39.95 | 36 Kr 83.80 | 54 Xe 131.30 | 86 Rn (222) | |
|--------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| 7 | | 9 F 19.00 | 17 Cl 35.45 | 35 Br 79.90 | 53 I 126.90 | 85 At (210) | |
| 9 | | 8 O 16.00 | 16 S 32.06 | 34 Se 78.96 | 52 Te 127.60 | 84 Po (210) | |
| w | | 7 N 14.01 | 15 P 30.97 | 33 As 74.92 | 51 Sb 121.75 | 83 Bi 208.98 | |
| 4 | | 6 C 12.01 | 14 Si 28.09 | 32 Ge 72.59 | 50 Sn 118.69 | 82 Pb 207.19 | |
| m | | 5 B 10.81 | 13 Al 26.98 | 31 Ga 69.72 | 49 In 114.82 | 81 TI 204.37 | |
| | | | | 30 Zn 65.37 | 48 Cd 112.40 | 80 Hg 200.59 | |
| ole | | | | 29 Cu 63.55 | 47 Ag 107.87 | 79 Au 196.97 | |
| The Periodic Table | | | | 28 Ni 58.71 | 46 Pd 106.42 | 78 Pt 195.09 | |
| Perio | | | | 27 Co 58.93 | 45 Rh 102.91 | 77 Ir 192.22 | |
| The | | | | 26 Fe 55.85 | 44 Ru 101.07 | 76 Os 190.21 | |
| | | | | 25 Mn 54.94 | 43 Tc 98.91 | 75 Re 186.21 | |
| | Number | Element omic Mass | | 24 Cr 52.00 | 42 Mo 95.94 | 74 W 183.85 | |
| | Atomic Number | Element Atomic Mass | | 23 V 50.94 | 41 Nb 92.91 | 73 Ta 180.95 | |
| | | | | 22 Ti 47.90 | 40 Zr 91.22 | 72 Hf 178.49 | |
| | | | | 21 Sc 44.96 | 39 Y 88.91 | 57 † La 138.91 | 89 ‡ Ac (227) |
| 7 | | 4 Be 9.01 | 12 Mg 24.31 | 20 Ca 40.08 | 38 Sr 87.62 | 56 Ba 137.34 | 88 Ra (226) |
| - | 1 H 1.01 | 3 Li 6.94 | 11 Na 22.99 | 19 K 39.10 | 37 Rb 85.47 | 55 Cs 132.91 | 87 Fr (223) |

| 71 | 103 |
|---------------------------|------------------------|
| Lu | Lr |
| 174.97 | (260) |
| 70 | 102 |
| Yb | No |
| 173.04 | (259) |
| 69 | 101 |
| Tm | Md |
| 168.93 | (258) |
| 68 Er 167.26 | 100 Fm (257) |
| 67 | 99 |
| Ho | Es |
| 164.93 | (254) |
| 66 | 98 |
| Dy | Cf |
| 162.50 | (251) |
| 65 | 97 |
| Tb | Bk |
| 158.92 | (247) |
| 64 | 96 |
| Gd | Cm |
| 157.25 | (247) |
| 63 Eu 151.96 | 95 Am (243) |
| 62 | 94 |
| Sm | Pu |
| 150.35 | (242) |
| 61 | 93 |
| Pm | Np |
| 146.92 | (237) |
| 60 | 92 |
| Nd | U |
| 144.24 | 238.03 |
| 59 | 91 |
| Pr | Pa |
| 140.91 | 231.04 |
| 58 | 90 |
| Ce | Th |
| 140.12 | 232.04 |
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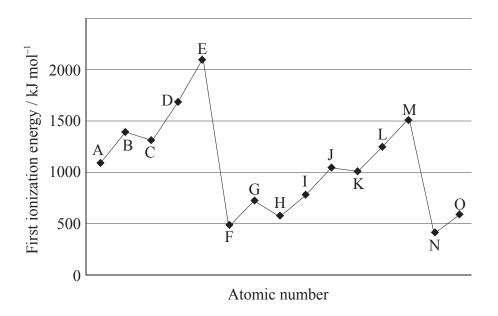
- 1. Analytical chemists can detect amounts of amino acids as small as 2.0×10^{-21} mol of molecules. How many molecules does this represent?
 - A. 2.0×10^{-21}
 - B. 1.2×10^3
 - C. 6.0×10^{23}
 - D. 3.0×10^{44}
- 2. What amount of solute ions, in moles, is present in 50 cm³ of 0.10 mol dm⁻³ sodium hydroxide solution?
 - A. 2.5×10^{-3}
 - B. 5.0×10^{-3}
 - C. 1.0×10^{-2}
 - D. 5.0×10^{-2}
- 3. A blast furnace contains $1600 \,\mathrm{kg}$ of iron(III) oxide ($M_{\rm r}$ =160) and $144 \,\mathrm{kg}$ of carbon ($A_{\rm r}$ =12). Assuming that they react according to the following equation:

$$Fe_2O_3(s) + 3C(s) \rightarrow 2Fe(s) + 3CO(g)$$

what is the limiting reagent and the maximum theoretical yield of iron?

| | Limiting reagent | Maximum theoretical yield of iron / kg |
|----|------------------|--|
| A. | iron(III) oxide | 560 |
| B. | iron(III) oxide | 1120 |
| C. | carbon | 224 |
| D. | carbon | 448 |

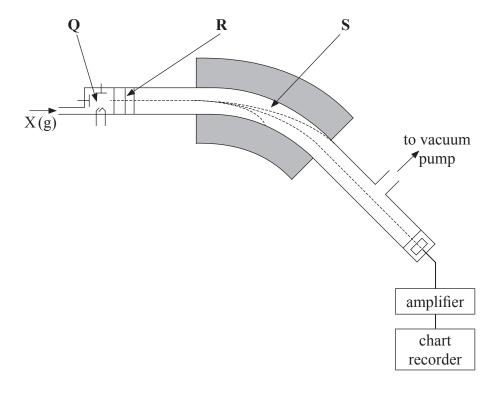
4. The first ionization energies of successive elements in the periodic table are shown below.



Which statements are correct?

- I. Elements E and M are in Group 0 of the periodic table.
- II. Atoms of elements G and O have the outer electron configuration ns².
- III. Atoms of elements B and J contain half-filled p orbitals.
- A. I and II only
- B. I and III only
- C. II and III only
- D. I, II and III

5. A representation of a mass spectrometer is shown below.

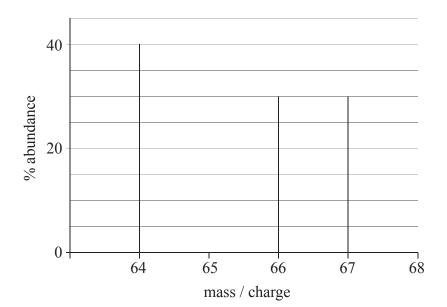


Which is the best description of the processes occurring at \mathbf{Q} , \mathbf{R} and \mathbf{S} when element X(g) is analyzed?

| | Q | R | S |
|----|--|--|--|
| A. | electric field applied | $X(g) + e^- \rightarrow X^+(g) + 2e^-$ | magnetic field applied |
| B. | magnetic field applied | electric field applied | $X(g) + e^- \rightarrow X^+(g) + 2e^-$ |
| C. | $X(g) + e^- \rightarrow X^+(g) + 2e^-$ | electric field applied | magnetic field applied |
| D. | $X(g) + e^- \rightarrow X^+(g) + 2e^-$ | magnetic field applied | electric field applied |

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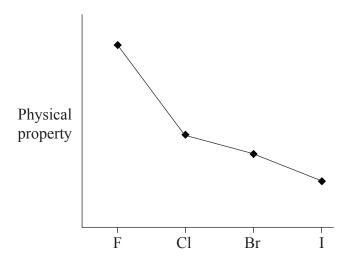
6. The mass spectrum of a sample of an element is shown below.



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- Which value is closest to the relative atomic mass of the element?
- A. 64.5
- B. 65.0
- C. 65.5
- D. 66.0
- 7. In what order are the elements listed in the periodic table?
 - A. In order of relative atomic mass
 - B. In order of reactivity
 - C. In order of nuclear charge
 - D. In order of electronegativity

8. The graph shows the trend in a physical property down group 7 in the periodic table.



What is the physical property?

- A. Atomic radius
- B. Electronegativity
- C. Density
- D. Melting point
- **9.** Which species can act as ligands with transition metal ions?
 - I. NH₃
 - II. Cl
 - III. CH₄
 - A. I and II only
 - B. I and III only
 - C. II and III only
 - D. I, II and III

| 10. | Equal amounts of four substances are added to separate samples of 100 cm ³ of water. | Which solution |
|------------|---|----------------|
| | has the highest pH? | |

- A. NaCl
- B. AlCl₃
- C. PCl₃
- D. Cl₂
- 11. The table shows the boiling points of the hydrogen halides.

| Compound | Boiling point / °C |
|----------|--------------------|
| HF | 20 |
| HCl | -85 |
| HBr | -67 |
| HI | -35 |

Which statement explains the higher boiling point of hydrogen fluoride?

- A. The covalent bond in hydrogen fluoride is stronger than those in the other hydrogen halides.
- B. There is strong hydrogen bonding between the hydrogen fluoride molecules.
- C. Fluorine is the most reactive element in group 7.
- D. Fluorine has the highest first ionization energy in group 7.
- 12. Which substance has the lowest electrical conductivity?
 - A. Al(s)
 - B. $Al_2O_3(1)$
 - C. KCl(aq)
 - D. HCl(g)

- **13.** Which bond has the lowest polarity?
 - A. C-H in methane, CH₄
 - B. C=O in carbon dioxide, CO₂
 - C. C-C in ethane, C_2H_6
 - D. C-C in ethanol, C₂H₅OH
- 14. What is the correct description of hybridization present in buta-1,3-diene, H₂C=CH-CH=CH₂?
 - A. sp
 - B. sp^2
 - C. sp and sp^2
 - D. sp^3 , sp^2 and sp
- 15. Which molecules contain a bond angle of 90°?
 - I. PF₅
 - II. SiCl₄
 - III. SF_6
 - A. I and II only
 - B. I and III only
 - C. II and III only
 - D. I, II and III

16. 75 cm³ of an unknown gas has a mass of 0.18 g at a temperature of 25 °C and a pressure of 1 atm. Which is the correct expression for the molar mass, M, in g mol⁻¹ of the gas? (R = 8.3 J K⁻¹ mol⁻¹, 1 atm = 1.01×10⁵ Pa)

A.
$$M = \frac{0.18 \times 8.3 \times 25}{1 \times 75}$$

B.
$$M = \frac{75 \times 10^{-6} \times 8.3 \times 25}{1.01 \times 10^{5} \times 298}$$

C.
$$M = \frac{0.18 \times 8.3 \times 298}{1.01 \times 10^5 \times 75 \times 10^{-6}}$$

D.
$$M = \frac{1.01 \times 10^5 \times 75 \times 10^{-6}}{0.18 \times 8.3 \times 298}$$

17. The average bond enthalpy for the C–H bond is 412 kJ mol⁻¹. Which process has an enthalpy change closest to this value?

A.
$$CH_4(g) \rightarrow C(s) + 2H_2(g)$$

B.
$$CH_4(g) \rightarrow C(g) + 2H_2(g)$$

C.
$$CH_4(g) \rightarrow C(g) + 4H(g)$$

D.
$$CH_4(g) \rightarrow CH_3(g) + H(g)$$

- 18. A reaction has a positive ΔH^{\ominus} and a negative ΔS^{\ominus} value. Which statement about this reaction is correct?
 - A. It is not spontaneous at any temperature.
 - B. It is spontaneous at all temperatures.
 - C. It is spontaneous only at low temperatures.
 - D. It is spontaneous only at high temperatures.

| 19. | When 50 cm ³ of 1.0 mol dm ⁻³ nitric acid solution, HNO ₃ (aq), is added to 50 cm ³ of 1.0 mol dm ⁻³ |
|-----|---|
| | potassium hydroxide solution, KOH(aq), the temperature of the mixture increases by 6.4°C. |
| | What will be the temperature change when 25 cm ³ of each of these solutions are mixed together? |

- A. 1.6°C
- B. 3.2°C
- C. 6.4°C
- D. 12.8°C
- 20. Which features of a positive ion lead to a higher lattice enthalpy in its compounds?
 - I. A higher charge on the ion
 - II. A smaller ionic radius
 - III. A lower first ionization energy of the metal to form the ion
 - A. I and II only
 - B. I and III only
 - C. II and III only
 - D. I, II and III

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21. This reaction was used in flash photography:

$$3Mg(s) + KClO_3(s) \rightarrow 3MgO(s) + KCl(s)$$

Relevant enthalpy changes of formation values are shown below.

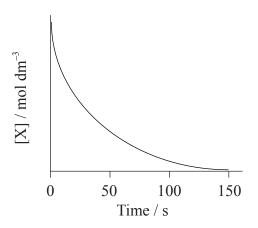
| Compound | $\Delta H_{\rm f}^{\ominus} / \text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ |
|-----------------------|---|
| KClO ₃ (s) | -391 |
| MgO(s) | -602 |
| KCl(s) | -437 |

What is the enthalpy change, in kJ, of this reaction?

- A. -1852
- B. -648
- C. +740
- D. +1760

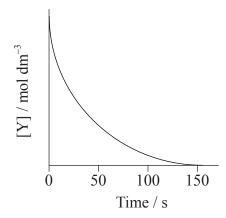
22. The graph below shows how the concentration of X changes with time during the following reaction:



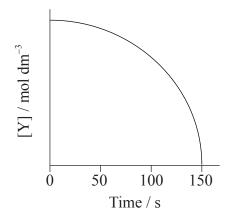


Which graph shows the change in concentration of Y during the same time period?

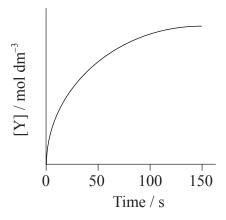
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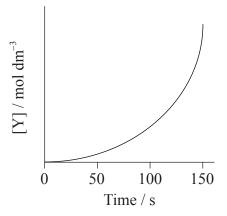
B.



C.



D.



$$k = Ae^{\frac{-E_a}{RT}}$$

Which plot gives a straight line graph?

| | Vertical axis | Horizontal axis |
|----|---------------|-------------------|
| A. | k | $\frac{1}{T}$ |
| B. | k | $\ln \frac{1}{T}$ |
| C. | ln k | $\ln \frac{1}{T}$ |
| D. | ln k | $\frac{1}{T}$ |

24. Nitrogen dioxide can react with carbon monoxide in the exhaust gases of car engines:

$$NO_2(g) + CO(g) \rightarrow NO(g) + CO_2(g)$$

The following mechanism has been proposed:

$$NO_2(g) + NO_2(g) \rightarrow N_2O_4(g)$$
 slow

$$\mathrm{N_2O_4(g)} + \mathrm{CO(g)} \rightarrow \mathrm{NO_2(g)} + \mathrm{CO_2(g)} + \mathrm{NO(g)} \qquad \qquad \textit{fast}$$

What is the rate equation for this mechanism?

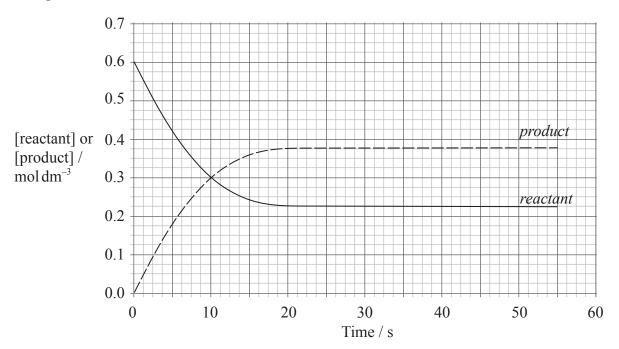
A. Rate =
$$k [NO_2(g)] [CO(g)]$$

B. Rate =
$$k [NO_2(g)]^2$$

C. Rate =
$$k [N_2O_4(g)] [CO(g)]$$

D. Rate =
$$k [NO_2(g)]^2 [CO(g)]$$

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- **25.** The graph below shows how the concentrations of the reactant and product in a reversible reaction change with time.



When is the reaction at equilibrium?

- I. Time = 10 s
- II. Time = 20 s
- III. Time = 55 s
- A. I and II only
- B. I and III only
- C. II and III only
- D. I, II and III

26. Liquid bromine and its vapour are at equilibrium inside a sealed container:

$$Br_2(l) \rightleftharpoons Br_2(g)$$

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Which change increases the equilibrium concentration of bromine vapour?

- A. Adding more liquid bromine
- B. Removing some liquid bromine
- C. Decreasing the volume of the container
- D. Increasing the temperature
- **27.** The equation for a reversible process can be represented in two ways:

$$H_2(g) + I_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2HI(g)$$

$$K_{\rm cl}$$

$$HI(g) \rightleftharpoons \frac{1}{2}H_2(g) + \frac{1}{2}I_2(g)$$

$$K_{c2}$$

What is the relationship between the equilibrium constants K_{c1} and K_{c2} ?

A.
$$K_{c1} = K_{c2}$$

B.
$$K_{c1} = \frac{1}{2K_{c2}}$$

C.
$$K_{c1} = \frac{1}{2K_{c2}^2}$$

D.
$$K_{c1} = \frac{1}{K_{c2}^2}$$

- **28.** Which combinations form buffer solutions?
 - I. $50 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ of } 0.1 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} \text{ CH}_3\text{COOH}(aq) + 25 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ of } 0.1 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} \text{ NaOH}(aq)$
 - II. $50 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ of } 0.1 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} \text{ CH}_3 \text{COOH} (\text{aq}) + 50 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ of } 0.1 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} \text{ NaOH} (\text{aq})$
 - III. $50 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ of } 0.1 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} \text{ CH}_3\text{COOH}(\text{aq}) + 50 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ of } 0.1 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} \text{ CH}_3\text{COONa}(\text{aq})$
 - A. I and II only
 - B. I and III only
 - C. II and III only
 - D. I, II and III

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C.

D.

 Mn_2O_3

MnSO₄

- **33.** Which statement about the electrolysis of molten sodium bromide is correct?
 - A. Bromide ions lose electrons at the negative electrode.
 - B. Bromide ions gain electrons at the positive electrode.
 - C. Bromide ions gain electrons at the negative electrode.
 - D. Bromide ions move even if there is no current.
- **34.** What is the coefficient for H⁺ in the following equation?

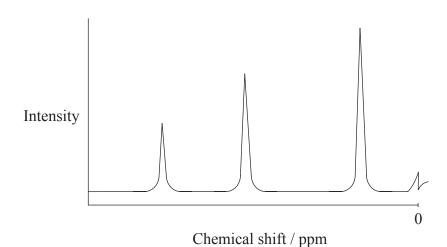
$$3Cu\left(s\right) + {_\,NO_{_{3}}^{_{}}}(aq) + {_\,H^{_{}^{+}}}(aq) \to {_\,Cu^{^{2+}}}(aq) + {_\,NO\left(g\right)} + {_\,H_{_{2}}}O\left(l\right)$$

- A. 4
- B. 8
- C. 12
- D. 16
- **35.** Which conditions apply to the standard hydrogen electrode?
 - I. Hydrogen at a pressure of 1.01×10^5 Pa (1 atm)
 - II. Hydrogen at a temperature of 298 K
 - III. $1.00 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} \text{ H}_2\text{SO}_4(\text{aq})$
 - A. I and II only
 - B. I and III only
 - C. II and III only
 - D. I, II and III

- **36.** Which of the following can form an addition polymer?
 - A. Alanine (2-aminopropanoic acid)
 - B. Butane
 - C. But-2-ene
 - D. 1,2-dichlorobutane
- 37. Which compound, when hydrogenated, gives a product with a chiral centre?
 - A. $CH_2 = CH_2$
 - B. $CH_3CBr = CH_2$
 - C. $CH_3CH_2CBr = CH_2$
 - D. $CH_3CH_2C(CH_3)=CH_2$
- **38.** Which statement about the reactions between halogenoalkanes and aqueous sodium hydroxide is correct?

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- A. The reactions involve the homolytic fission of the carbon-halogen bond.
- B. Chloroalkanes react faster than iodoalkanes.
- C. The reactions of primary halogenoalkanes generally involve a two-step mechanism.
- D. Tertiary halogenoalkanes generally react by a S_N1 mechanism.



Identify the organic compound.

- A. CH₃CH₂CH₃
- B. CH₂OHCH₂OH
- C. CH₃CH₂OH
- D. CH₃CH₂Cl
- **40.** Which products are formed by the dehydration of butan-2-ol?
 - I. butane
 - II. but-1-ene
 - III. but-2-ene
 - A. I and II only
 - B. I and III only
 - C. II and III only
 - D. I, II and III