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0620 CHEMISTRY

0620/22

Paper 2 (Core Theory), maximum raw mark 80

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- 1 (a) (i) D / chlorine / Cl_2 [1]
 E / carbon / graphite [1]
IGNORE: C
REJECT: diamond
- (ii) E / carbon / graphite [1]
IGNORE: C
REJECT: diamond
- (iii) C / ammonia / NH_3 [1]
- (iv) A / ethanol [1]
IGNORE: alcohol
- (v) E / graphite / carbon [1]
IGNORE: C
REJECT: diamond
- (b) atom; combined; molecules; ionic (1 mark each) [4]
- [Total: 10]**
- 2 (a) increases [1]
- (b) 5.2–6.6 (actual = 5.96) [1]
- (c) (substance which) speeds up chemical reaction / increases reaction rate / lowers activation energy [1]
- (d) Any three of: [3]
- high boiling point / high melting points
 - high density / they are very dense **IGNORE:** they are dense
 - form coloured compounds **REJECT:** they are coloured
 - have different oxidation states / form ions with different charges
 - form complex ions
 - **ALLOW:** they are hard(er)/ strong
- (e) 3 (Fe) [1]
 4 (H_2O) [1]

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(f) iron sulfate [1]
IGNORE: incorrect oxidation number of iron
IGNORE: formula

hydrogen [1]
IGNORE: formula

[Total: 10]

3 (a) A = (volumetric) pipette [1]
 B = burette [1]
 C = (conical) flask
ALLOW: Erlenmeyer (flask) [1]
 D = (filter) funnel [1]

(b) (i) 13.2 [1]

(ii) 10 (cm³) [1]

(iii) (pH) 7 [1]

(c) (i) 2nd and 3rd boxes ticked (calcium carbonate and calcium oxide) [2]
 (one mark each)
APPLY: listing

(ii) so that crops grow well / so crops grow better / allows maximum growth/ plants don't grow as well in too acidic conditions/plants killed/plants die [1]
IGNORE: plants can grow

[Total: 10]

4 (a) (i) correct structure of methane showing all atoms and bonds [1]

(ii) name of any alkane other than methane [1]
IGNORE: formulae

(iii) Any one of: [1]

(waste product from digestion in) cows / other suitable animals/
 marshes / paddy fields / bacterial decay / decomposition of vegetation
IGNORE: industrial sources / leaking from the Earth

(iv) CO₂ on right [1]

2 on left [1]
NOTE: second mark dependent on the first being correct

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(b) (i) (differences in) boiling point(s) [1]

(ii) 1 mark each [4]

diesel → fuel for cars / lorries
 fuel oil → fuel for ships
 kerosene → fuel for jet aircraft
 naphtha → making chemicals

[Total: 10]

5 (a) oxygen + 20/21 (%) [1]

nitrogen + 78/79 (%) [1]

sulfur dioxide + correct source e.g. burning fossil fuels or named fossil fuel [1]

carbon monoxide + correct source e.g. car exhausts / car engines / incomplete combustion (of fossil fuels) [1]

oxides of nitrogen + correct source e.g. car exhausts / car engines / lightning [1]

(b) (i) PbS [1]

(ii) oxygen removed (from lead oxide) / carbon takes away the oxygen [1]
IGNORE: reference to electrons

(c) (i) arrangement: irregular / (fairly) random / not ordered [1]

closeness: (very) close / touching / near [1]

(ii) C₂H₄Cl₂ (**ALLOW:** any order) [1]

(iii) 99 [2]
 (If 2 marks not scored **ALLOW** correct atomic masses seen C = 12, H = 1, Cl = 35.5 anywhere in the question for 1 mark)

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- 6 (a) zinc → magnesium → calcium → rubidium [2]
 1 mark for 1 pair reversed
ALLOW: all reversed for 1 mark
- (b) zinc/ iron [1]
REJECT: if K / Na / Al included = 0 marks
- (c) (i) 2 electrons in outer shell [1]
 8 electrons in middle shell [1]
ALLOW: 2,8,2 in numbers for 2 marks
- (ii) 14 [1]
- [Total: 6]**
- 7 (a) ions can move / ions are mobile [1]
IGNORE: it has an ionic structure
REJECT: if mention of atoms/ molecules
- (b) it is a molecular structure / it has no ions [1]
IGNORE: electrons can't move
- (c) add water and shake / stir / mix [1]
 filter [1]
- (d) (i) C [1]
 (ii) graphite [1]
 (iii) negative electrode: zinc / Zn [1]
 positive electrode: chlorine / Cl₂ [1]
IGNORE: Cl
REJECT: Chloride / Cl⁻
- (iv) acidify / add nitric acid [1]
REJECT: add sulfuric acid / add hydrochloric acid
 add (aqueous) silver nitrate [1]
white precipitate [1]
 3rd marking point dependent on correct reagent (silver nitrate)

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- 8 (a) Any four of: [4]
- sugar dissolves
 - sugar particles become separated or water molecules get in between sugar particles
 - diffusion
 - movement of particles (in solution)
 - random (movement)
 - (sugar) particles constantly collide with (water) molecules
 - particles (in solution) spread out / separate
 - **ALLOW:** particles move from concentrated to dilute (sugar) solution
- (b) (i) 3 [1]
- (ii) 12 [1]
- (iii) any OH group ringed / all OH groups ringed [1]
- (iv) carbon dioxide [1]
IGNORE: CO₂
- (v) yeast [1]
no air / oxygen present [1]
IGNORE: reference to temperatures between 5–45 °C
- (vi) solvent / fuel / making a named chemical e.g. making ethanoic acid and esters / antiseptic / medical wipes / cleaning fluid / vodka sauce / paints/ disinfectant / preservatives [1]
IGNORE: unqualified uses e.g. in cars / food / cooking

[Total: 11]