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45 minutes

Additional Materials: Multiple Choice Answer Sheet

Soft clean eraser

Soft pencil (type B or HB is recommended)

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write in soft pencil.

Do not use staples, paper clips, glue or correction fluid.

Write your name, Centre number and candidate number on the Answer Sheet in the spaces provided unless this has been done for you.

DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

There are **forty** questions on this paper. Answer **all** questions. For each question there are four possible answers **A**, **B**, **C** and **D**.

Choose the **one** you consider correct and record your choice in **soft pencil** on the separate Answer Sheet.

Read the instructions on the Answer Sheet very carefully.

Each correct answer will score one mark. A mark will not be deducted for a wrong answer.

Any rough working should be done in this booklet.

A copy of the Periodic Table is printed on page 20.

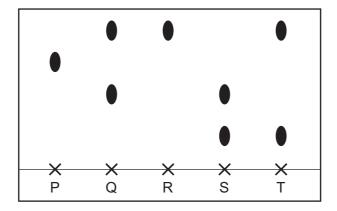
Electronic calculators may be used.



1 When smoke particles collide with molecules in the air, the smoke particles move randomly.

How is the movement of the smoke particles described?

- A Brownian motion
- **B** condensation
- **C** diffusion
- **D** evaporation
- 2 The diagram shows a chromatogram obtained using five felt-tip pens.



Which statement about the pens is **not** correct?

- **A** One of the dyes is found in three pens.
- **B** Pen R contains a mixture of dyes.
- C Three pens contain two dyes.
- **D** Two pens contain only one dye.
- 3 The table shows the number of protons, neutrons and electrons in some particles.

particle	protons	neutrons	electrons
W	11	12	11
X	12	12	10
Y	10	13	11
Z	11	13	11

Which particles are isotopes of the same element?

A W and X

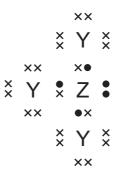
B W and Y

C W and Z

D Y and Z

4 Compound J contains the elements Y and Z.

The diagram shows the outer-shell electron arrangement of compound J.



Which type of compound is J?

- A alloy
- **B** covalent
- C ionic
- **D** macromolecule

5 Which statement describes the structure of diamond?

- A a covalent solid that has atoms arranged in a hexagonal pattern
- **B** a covalent solid that has atoms arranged in a tetrahedral pattern
- **C** an ionic solid that has atoms arranged in a hexagonal pattern
- **D** an ionic solid that has atoms arranged in a tetrahedral pattern

6 Hydrogen reacts with oxygen to form water. The word equation is shown.

What is the symbol equation for this reaction?

- **A** $H_2 + O \rightarrow H_2O$
- $\textbf{B} \quad H_2 \, + \, O_2 \, \rightarrow \, H_2O$
- $\textbf{C} \quad H_2 \, + \, O_2 \, \rightarrow \, H_2O_2$
- $\textbf{D} \quad 2H_2 \, + \, O_2 \, \rightarrow \, 2H_2O$

7 The formulae of three substances are shown.

- 1 NO₂
- 2 C₂H₅OH
- 3 C₃H₈

Which substances have a relative molecular mass of 46?

A 1, 2 and 3

B 1 and 2 only

C 1 only

D 2 only

8 Anhydrous copper(II) sulfate is placed in a test-tube.

When water is added to the test-tube, the temperature changes from 17 °C to 27 °C.

Which type of reaction takes place?

- **A** addition
- **B** endothermic
- C exothermic
- **D** oxidation

9 Which reaction is an oxidation?

$$A \quad 2SO_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2SO_3$$

B NaOH + HC
$$l \rightarrow$$
 NaC l + H₂O

$$\textbf{C} \quad \text{CaCO}_3 \, \rightarrow \, \text{CaO} \, + \, \text{CO}_2$$

D
$$NH_3 + HCl \rightarrow NH_4Cl$$

10 The chart shows the colour of Universal Indicator at different pH values.

colour	red		(oran	ge	(gree	n			olue		٧	iolet
рН	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14

A solution of lemon juice is only slightly acidic.

Which colour does Universal Indicator give with this solution?

- A blue
- **B** orange
- C red
- **D** violet

11 The statements are about non-metals and their oxides.

Non-metals...X...electrons to form ions.

The oxides of non-metals are ...Y....

Which words complete the statements?

	Х	Y
Α	gain	acidic
В	gain	basic
С	lose	acidic
D	lose	basic

12 The results of tests on an aqueous solution, X, are shown.

reagent	result
aqueous sodium hydroxide	green precipitate insoluble in excess
aqueous silver nitrate acidified with dilute nitric acid	white precipitate

What is X?

A iron(II) chloride

B iron(II) sulfate

C iron(III) chloride

D iron(III) sulfate

13 Which statement about trends down groups in the Periodic Table is correct?

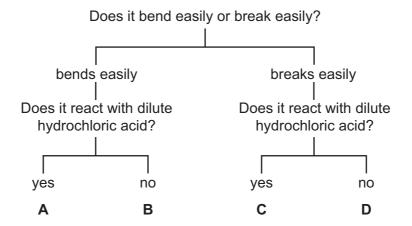
- **A** The Group I elements become less reactive with water.
- **B** The Group I elements show an increase in melting point.
- **C** The Group VII elements become darker in colour.
- **D** The Group VII elements show an increased ability to displace halide ions.

14 The noble gases make up a group in the Periodic Table.

Which statements describe the properties of noble gases?

- 1 They have full outer shells.
- 2 They are diatomic.
- 3 They are very unreactive.
- **A** 1, 2 and 3 **B** 1 and 2 only **C** 1 and 3 only **D** 2 and 3 only
- **15** The diagram shows the properties of four substances.

Which one is magnesium?



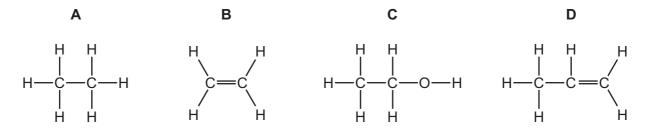
- **16** Which gas makes up approximately 78% of clean air?
 - **A** argon
 - B carbon dioxide
 - **C** oxygen
 - D nitrogen
- 17 Which statement about calcium oxide (lime) is correct?
 - **A** It is manufactured by the action of heat on hematite.
 - **B** It is manufactured by the action of heat on limestone.
 - **C** It is used to increase the acidity of soils.
 - **D** It is used to neutralise alkaline industrial waste.

18 Which row describes the correct use for a fraction obtained from petroleum by fractional distillation?

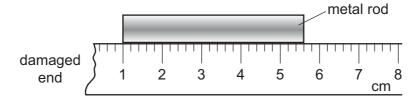
	fraction	use
Α	bitumen	making waxes and polishes
В	diesel	fuel for oil stoves
С	lubricating	making roads
D	paraffin	aircraft fuel

- 19 What is **not** a property of the members of a homologous series?
 - **A** They have similar chemical properties.
 - **B** They have successive members differing by CH₂.
 - **C** They have the same functional group.
 - **D** They have the same physical properties.

20 Which compound is the monomer used to make poly(ethene)?



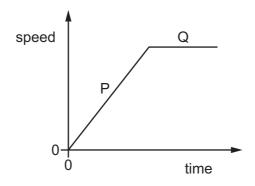
21 A girl uses a rule to measure the length of a metal rod. The end of the rule is damaged so she places one end of the rod at the 1 cm mark as shown.



How long is the metal rod?

- **A** 43 mm
- **B** 46 mm
- **C** 53 mm
- **D** 56 mm

22 The diagram shows the speed-time graph for a vehicle. Two sections are labelled P and Q.



Which row describes the motion of the vehicle?

	section P	section Q
Α	moving with changing speed	at rest
В	moving with changing speed	moving with constant speed
С	moving with constant speed	at rest
D	moving with constant speed	moving with constant speed

23 Which quantity has the same unit as force?

- **A** current
- **B** energy
- C speed
- **D** weight

24 The diagram shows a man in a small boat.



Why does the boat become less stable when the man stands up?

- **A** The centre of mass of the man and the boat is higher.
- **B** The centre of mass of the man and the boat is lower.
- **C** The total mass of the man and the boat is greater.
- **D** The total mass of the man and the boat is less.
- **25** A student lifts a box from the floor to a shelf. The size of the force used to lift the box affects the total amount of work done by the student.

On which other quantity does the work done depend?

- A the height of the shelf above the floor
- B the surface area of the box
- **C** the time taken to lift the box
- **D** the volume of the box
- **26** Which form of energy is stored in a stretched spring because it is stretched?
 - **A** chemical
 - **B** electrical
 - C light
 - D strain

27 A chemical process causes energy to be released.

Which type of power station makes use of this type of process?

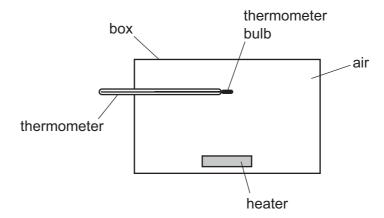
- A a gas-fired power station
- **B** a geothermal power station
- **C** a hydroelectric power station
- **D** a nuclear power station
- **28** A solid substance is at its melting point.

It is heated until it is completely melted.

As the substance melts, what is happening to its energy, and what is happening to its temperature?

	energy of the substance	temperature of the substance
Α	constant	constant
В	constant	decreasing
С	increasing	constant
D	increasing	decreasing

29 The diagram shows a heater in a box that contains air. A thermometer is fixed in the box. The thermometer bulb is in the position shown.

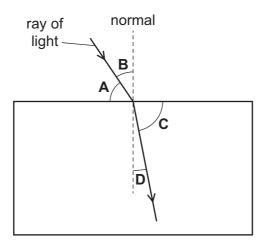


Which row shows how thermal energy from the heater reaches the thermometer bulb?

	conduction	convection	radiation
Α	✓	✓	X
В	✓	X	✓
С	x	✓	✓
D	X	X	✓

30 The diagram shows a ray of light passing into a glass block.

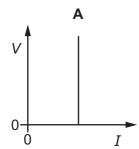
Which labelled angle is the angle of refraction?

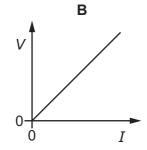


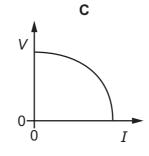
- **31** Which of these is part of the electromagnetic spectrum?
 - A alpha radiation from a radioactive source
 - B cathode rays in an oscilloscope
 - **C** infra-red radiation from a candle flame
 - **D** sound waves from a bell
- **32** A vibrating object produces waves of different frequencies in air.

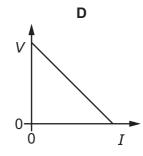
Which frequency is a sound wave that someone with normal hearing is able to hear?

- **A** 2.5 Hz
- **B** 1000 Hz
- **C** 25 000 Hz
- **D** 100 000 Hz
- 33 Why is iron a suitable material for the core of an electromagnet?
 - A It is a good conductor of electricity.
 - **B** It is a poor conductor of electricity.
 - **C** It loses its magnetism when the current is switched off.
 - **D** It stays magnetised when the current is switched off.
- **34** Which graph represents the V/I characteristic of a resistor with constant resistance?



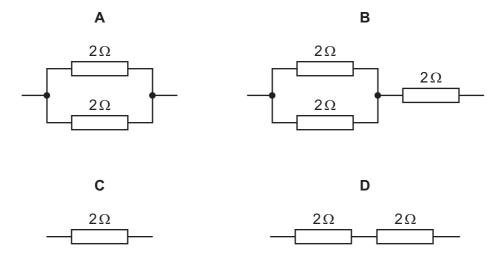




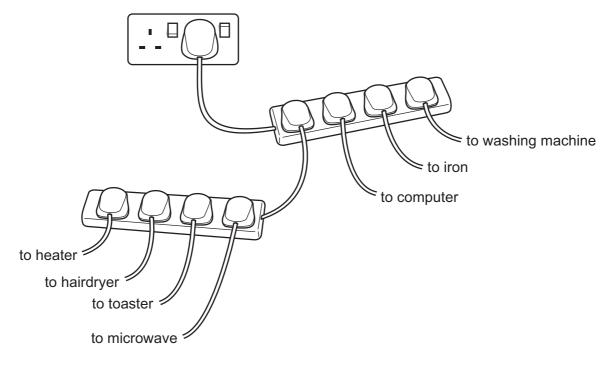


35 The diagrams show $2\,\Omega$ resistors in different arrangements.

Which arrangement has the smallest total resistance?



36 A student connects a number of electrical appliances to the same electric socket through two adaptors.

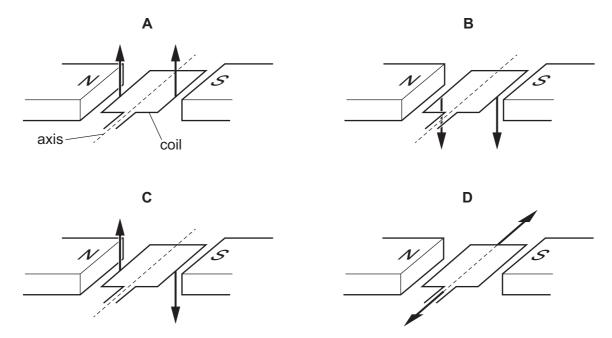


What is the main hazard produced by this arrangement?

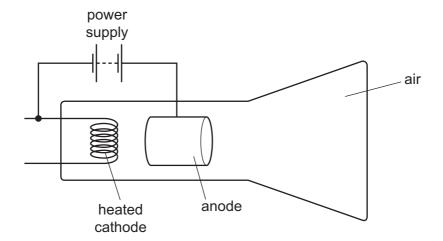
- A a fire caused by overheating wires
- **B** a person receiving an electric shock
- C an appliance overheating
- **D** the appliances sharing the voltage available

37 The diagrams show two forces acting on the coil of an electric motor.

In which diagram do the two forces cause the coil to rotate?



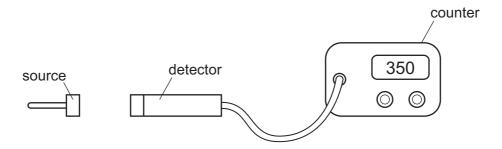
38 The diagram shows a cathode-ray tube. The tube is not working properly.



Which change should be made to make the tube work properly to produce cathode rays?

- A Heat the anode instead of the cathode.
- **B** Reverse the connections of the power supply.
- **C** Use an a.c. power supply instead of a d.c. power supply.
- **D** Use a vacuum in the tube instead of air.

39 A radioactive source is placed very close to a detector that is connected to a counter.



The reading on the counter shows how much radiation is reaching the detector.

The table shows the original reading and the readings when the radiation is travelling perpendicular to an electric field or a magnetic field.

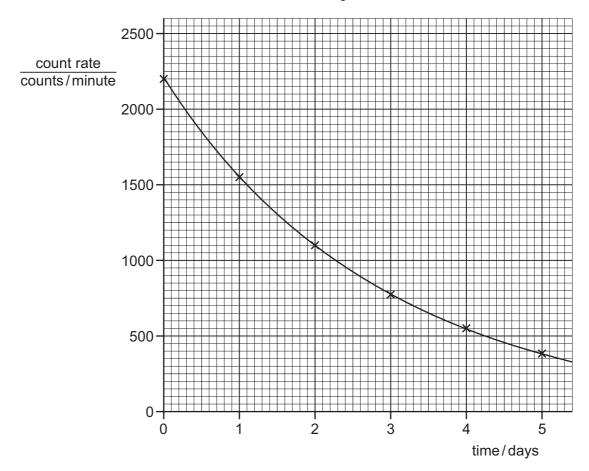
	original reading	reading with an electric field	reading with a magnetic field
detector reading / counts per minute	350	350	350

Which types of radiation are emitted by the source?

- A alpha-particles and beta-particles
- B alpha-particles only
- C beta-particles only
- **D** gamma-rays only

40 The graph shows the decay curve for one particular radioactive isotope.

The count rate is corrected to remove the effect of background radiation.



What is the half-life of this isotope?

- **A** 1.0 day
- **B** 1.5 days
- **C** 2.0 days
- **D** 2.5 days

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The Periodic Table of Elements

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The volume of one mole of any gas is $24\,dm^3$ at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).