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5070 CHEMISTRY

5070/02 Paper 2 (Theory), maximum raw mark 75

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Section A

A1(a)	(i)	A/sulphur dioxide	[1]
	(ii)	E/zinc oxide	[1]
	(iii)	C and E/sodium bromide and zinc oxide (<u>both required</u>)	[1]
	(iv)	C/sodium bromide	[1]
(b)		CH ₂ Br	[1]
(c)		by (incomplete) combustion of fossil fuels/hydrocarbons/carbon source ALLOW: from car exhausts/engines; gas fires/boilers NOT: from cars/vehicles (alone) NOT: combustion (alone)	[1]
			[Total 6]
A2(a)	(i)	the <u>more</u> reactive the metal the <u>higher</u> the (decomposition) temperature/the less readily the carbonate is decomposed (or reverse argument) NOTE: comparison essential NOT: the smaller the cation, the lower the decomposition temperature	[1]
	(ii)	MgCO ₃ → MgO + CO ₂ (ignore state symbols)	[1]
	(b)	(i) to produce <u>more</u> petrol/ <u>more</u> of the useful fractions/ <u>more</u> of the petrol fraction/to produce ethene/alkenes/fractions with higher demand ALLOW: produce <u>more</u> smaller molecules ALLOW: to produce plastics NOT: more profitable NOT: produces smaller molecules/break down petrol fractions.	[1]
	(ii)	<u>high</u> temperature; ALLOW: 350-550°C catalyst; ALLOW: aluminium oxide/alumina IGNORE: pressure	[2]
	(iii)	2C ₂ H ₄ /C ₄ H ₈ on right	[1]
			[Total 6]
A3(a)		225 seconds ALLOW: 220-230 (s)	[1]
(b)		90/24000 = 0.0038 moles/3.75x10 ⁻³ (moles)	[1]
(c)		gradient greater at start; ends up at the same volume (90cm ³) + flattens out NOT: line goes well above 90 cm ³ then drops down again	[2]
(d)		HCl particles/H ⁺ ions closer together when solution more concentrated OR more H ⁺ ions/HCl particles for given volume; NOT: more moles means more particles/more H ⁺ ions <u>more frequent</u> collisions (with calcium carbonate); NOT: more successful collisions NOT: more chance of collisions	[2]
			[Total 6]

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A4(a) light bulbs/fluorescent tubes/lasers/provides inert atmosphere/in arc welding/refining of titanium OR zirconium [1]
NOT: lights (alone)/bulbs (alone)

(b) complete/full outer electron shell [1]
ALLOW: atoms cannot gain/lose/share electrons (easily)
NOT: 8 electrons in outer shell unless specify He with 2
NOT: reference to stability

(c)

isotope	number of protons	number of electrons	number of neutrons
$^{36}_{18}\text{Ar}$	18	18	18
$^{40}_{18}\text{Ar}$	18	18	22

6 boxes correct = 2 marks; 5 boxes correct = 1 mark [2]

(d) elements in Periodic Table arranged in order of atomic number/ number of protons [1]
NOT: they have different amount of isotopes

(e) $\text{Xe} + 2\text{F}_2 \rightarrow \text{XeF}_4$ [1]

(f) lower than argon [1]
ALLOW: correct position drawn on diagram
NOT: below the bar
NOT: vertically down/facing downwards

[Total 7]

A5(a) (i) 20% [1]
ALLOW: 19-21%

(ii) add (aqueous) sodium hydroxide/(aqueous) ammonia; [2]
ALLOW: formulae
red-brown precipitate/red-brown solid
NOT: red ppt

(b) (i) solid particles sediment/fall to bottom [1]
ALLOW: filtration
ALLOW: sedimentation
NOT: centrifugation/distillation/decanting

(ii) $\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$ [1]

(c) (i) to remove tastes/odours [1]
ALLOW: absorbs colours

(ii) to kill bacteria/sterilise water/disinfect water [1]
ALLOW: to kill micro-organisms/kills germs
ALLOW: to get rid of bacteria etc

(d) (i) $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2 + 2\text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{CaCl}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$ [1]

(ii) $\text{OH}^- + \text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}$ [1]

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- A6(a)** correct structure showing 4 paired dots and crosses [1]
- (b) (i)** vibrating/not moving;
regular arrangement/lattice
ALLOW: closely packed [2]
- (ii)** Any two of:
pressure decreases (as ice melts)/
ALLOW: low pressure
temperature increases/
ALLOW: high temperature
the forces between the molecules are weak [2]
NOT: methane hydrate is unstable
- (iii)** methane causes global warming/melting of (polar) ice caps/melting of glaciers/desertification/rise in sea levels/extreme climate changes/change in animal habitats [1]
- (c)** (bacterial) decomposition of vegetable waste/paddy fields/marshes/cow flatulence/landfill sites etc [1]
ALLOW: bacterial decomposition
- (d)** fuel/making synthesis gas/manufacture of ethyne/making carbon black/making hydrogen cyanide/making methanol [1]
ALLOW: (for) heating/(for) cooking
NOT: as household gas/natural gas
NOT: from petroleum refining/fossil fuels
- (e)** reactants on left and products on right;
product level below reactant level and ΔH correctly labelled;
activation energy correctly labelled; [3]
- [Total 11]**

TOTAL PART A = 45

- B7(a)** nitrogen has gained electrons/oxidation number of nitrogen has decreased; [1]
ALLOW: reduction is addition of electrons
ALLOW: N changes from 0 to -3
NOT: removal of oxygen/addition of hydrogen
- (b)** $2\text{NO}_3^- + 12\text{H}^+ + 10\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{N}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ [1]
- (c) (i)** nitrogen from the air/atmosphere;
hydrogen from methane/natural gas/water/cracking hydrocarbons; [2]
IF: (nitrogen and hydrogen) from the air = 1
- (ii)** Any two of the following specified conditions:
range 380-450°C/
ALLOW: any specific temperature in range 350-480°C;
NOT: high temperature
pressure 200 atm/
ALLOW: any pressure in range between 180-220 atm;
NOT: high pressure
iron catalyst; [2]
NOT: catalyst/iron oxide catalyst

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- (d) correct molar masses i.e. 80 and 132;
ammonium nitrate: $(28/80) \times 100 = 35\%$;
ammonium hydrogen phosphate: $(28/132) \times 100 = 21.2\%/21\%$; [3]
- (e) eutrophication/increase in algal growth (on surface of water)/algal bloom/reduction of dissolved oxygen in water/water plants die [1]
- [Total 10]**
- B8(a)** $2\text{ZnS} + 3\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{ZnO} + 2\text{SO}_2$ [1]
- (b) (i) more moles/molecules of gas on left than on right [1]
ALLOW: 3 volumes (of gas) on left and 2 on right/more volumes of gas on left than right
- (ii) increase in pressure will not have much effect on reaction/not much difference in number of moles on each side of equation
OR
higher pressure means higher concentration of corrosive gases
ALLOW: sulphur dioxide/trioxide is very corrosive
OR
cheaper/more economic to carry out reaction at atmospheric pressure [1]
- (iii) reaction is exothermic/ ΔH is negative;
if heat given out equilibrium shifts to left/reaction shifts in favour of reactants/cooling favours the forward reaction [2]
- (c) filter solution (to remove excess iron);
concentrate solution by warming/letting solution evaporate/partially evaporate solution (then leave to crystallise) [2]
ALLOW: leave to crystallise
NOT: evaporate to dryness
- (d) moles NaOH = $0.15 \times 20/1000 = 3 \times 10^{-3}$ mol;
moles $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 = 3 \times 10^{-3} \times \frac{1}{2} = 1.5 \times 10^{-3}$ mol;
 $1.5 \times 10^{-3} \times 1000/12 = 0.125$ (mol/dm³) [3]
- [Total 10]**
- B9(a)** correct structure of butanoic acid (all atoms and bonds must be shown) [1]
ALLOW: OH in place of O – H
- (b) (i) not completely ionised in solution/has high proportion of unionised molecules in solution/has small proportion of H^+ ions in solution/
not fully dissociated [1]
- (ii) test with universal indicator/pH meter;
ALLOW: test with pH paper
NOT: test with indicator paper
has pH between greater than 3 and less than 7/stated pH in that range
OR solution of the acid turns universal indicator yellow/orange [2]
NOT: has high pH/pH above 3 (alone)
- (c) C = 0.18/12 H = 0.03/1 O = 0.08/16;
empirical formula = $\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{O}$; [2]
molecular formula = $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_2$ (1 mark) [1]

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- (d) (i) $C_6H_{12}O_6 \rightarrow 2C_2H_5OH + 2CO_2$ [1]
- (ii) potassium dichromate + (concentrated) sulphuric acid;
ALLOW: other reasonable oxidising agents
heat/reflux/warm [2]
ALLOW: bacteria;
room temperature/stated temperature not above 45°C or below 5°C
- [Total 10]**
- B10(a)** Any three of:
anode/impure copper electrode: decreases in thickness/solid (impurities) deposits below the anode/anode gets smaller/anode dissolves;
cathode: copper deposited/increases in thickness/gets larger;
ALLOW: goes pink
anode: $Cu \rightarrow Cu^{2+} + 2e^-$;
cathode: $Cu^{2+} + 2e^- \rightarrow Cu$ [3]
- (b) (i) (some of the) electrons in metals are delocalised/electrons are (free to) move/sea of electrons can move [1]
NOT: electrons are free
- (ii) solid copper sulphate has ions in fixed position/not free to move/
ions which don't move/held in the (crystal) lattice;
REJECT: do not have ions
in solution ions are free to move/ions move [2]
NOT: the ions are free
(reference to electrons = 0 for the second mark)
- (c) iron object/knife made the cathode/made the negative electrode;
anode is nickel + solution of nickel salt (both points needed); [2]
ALLOW: nickel nitrate/nickel sulphate/nickel chloride/other soluble nickel compound
NOT: nickel oxide/nickel hydroxide
- (d) in copper metal atoms/ions/particles arranged in layers which can slide/slip over each other; (both 'layers' and 'slide/slip' needed);
NOT: layers move
ACCEPT: diagrams if reasoning clear
in alloy different sized atoms/ions/particles stop layers from slipping/
2nd type of atom/ions/particles disrupts the regular structure of the metal [2]
ACCEPT: diagrams if reasoning clear
- [Total 10]**