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**CHEMISTRY**

**5070/22**

Paper 2 Theory

**October/November 2014**

**1 hour 30 minutes**

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

**READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST**

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

You may use an HB pencil for any diagrams or graphs.

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

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**Section A**

Answer **all** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in the Question Paper.

**Section B**

Answer any **three** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in the Question Paper.

Electronic calculators may be used.

You may lose marks if you do not show your working or if you do not use appropriate units.

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

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.

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(b) (i) Arsenic reacts with oxygen to form arsenic(III) oxide,  $\text{As}_2\text{O}_3$ .

Construct the equation for this reaction.

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(ii) Arsenic(III) oxide is slightly soluble in water. A weak acid, arsenous acid,  $\text{H}_3\text{AsO}_3$ , is formed.

Use kinetic particle theory to explain why a  $0.05 \text{ mol/dm}^3$  solution of arsenous acid reacts much more slowly with magnesium ribbon than a  $0.05 \text{ mol/dm}^3$  solution of hydrochloric acid.

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A2 The table shows some properties of the Group I metals.

metal	density in g/cm <sup>3</sup>	melting point /°C	boiling point /°C
lithium	0.53	181	1342
sodium	0.97	98	883
potassium	0.86	63	
rubidium	1.53	39	686
caesium	1.88	29	669

(a) (i) Describe the general trend in the density of the Group I metals.

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(ii) Predict the boiling point of potassium.

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(iii) What is the physical state of caesium at 35 °C? Explain your answer.

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(b) (i) Describe the trend in reactivity of the Group I metals with water.

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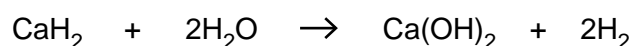
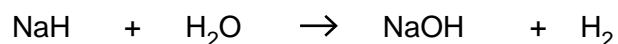
(ii) Construct the equation for the reaction of rubidium with water.

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(iii) The reaction of rubidium with water is exothermic.  
 What is meant by the term *exothermic*?

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(c) Sodium and calcium form ionic hydrides containing the hydride ion, H<sup>-</sup>.  
 Sodium and calcium hydrides react with water to form the hydroxide and hydrogen.



Deduce the general ionic equation for these reactions.

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(d) Sodium is a soft metal with little catalytic activity.  
Nickel is a hard metal which is often used as a catalyst.

(i) Describe two **other** differences in the physical properties of sodium and nickel.

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(ii) State one industrial use of nickel as a catalyst.

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(iii) Explain why an alloy of nickel and copper is less malleable than copper alone.

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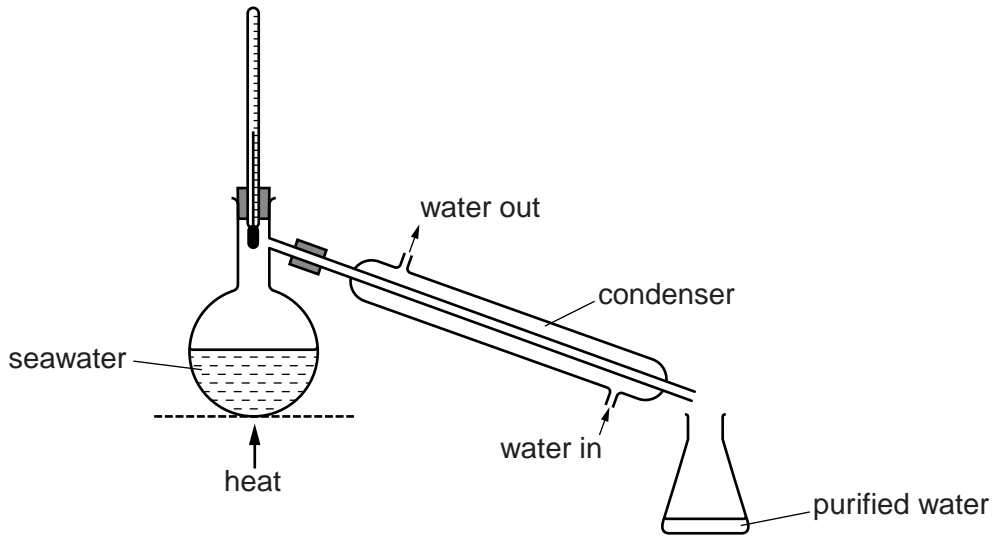
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**A3** Seawater contains a variety of dissolved salts.

- (a) The diagram shows a simple distillation apparatus that can be used to produce purified water from seawater.



Explain how distillation purifies seawater.

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- (b) Magnesium chloride,  $\text{MgCl}_2$ , is present in seawater at a concentration of  $1.26 \text{ g/dm}^3$ .

(i) Write the formulae for the ions present in magnesium chloride.

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(ii) Calculate the concentration of chloride ions, in  $\text{mol/dm}^3$ , arising from the magnesium chloride in seawater.

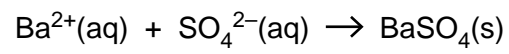
concentration = .....  $\text{mol/dm}^3$  [1]

(iii) Aqueous silver nitrate is added to a small sample of seawater. Describe what you would observe.

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- (c) The concentration of sulfate ions in seawater is  $1.24 \text{ g/dm}^3$ .  
Excess aqueous barium chloride is added to a  $50.0 \text{ cm}^3$  sample of seawater.

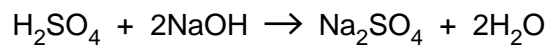
Calculate the mass of barium sulfate precipitated in this reaction.



mass = ..... g [3]

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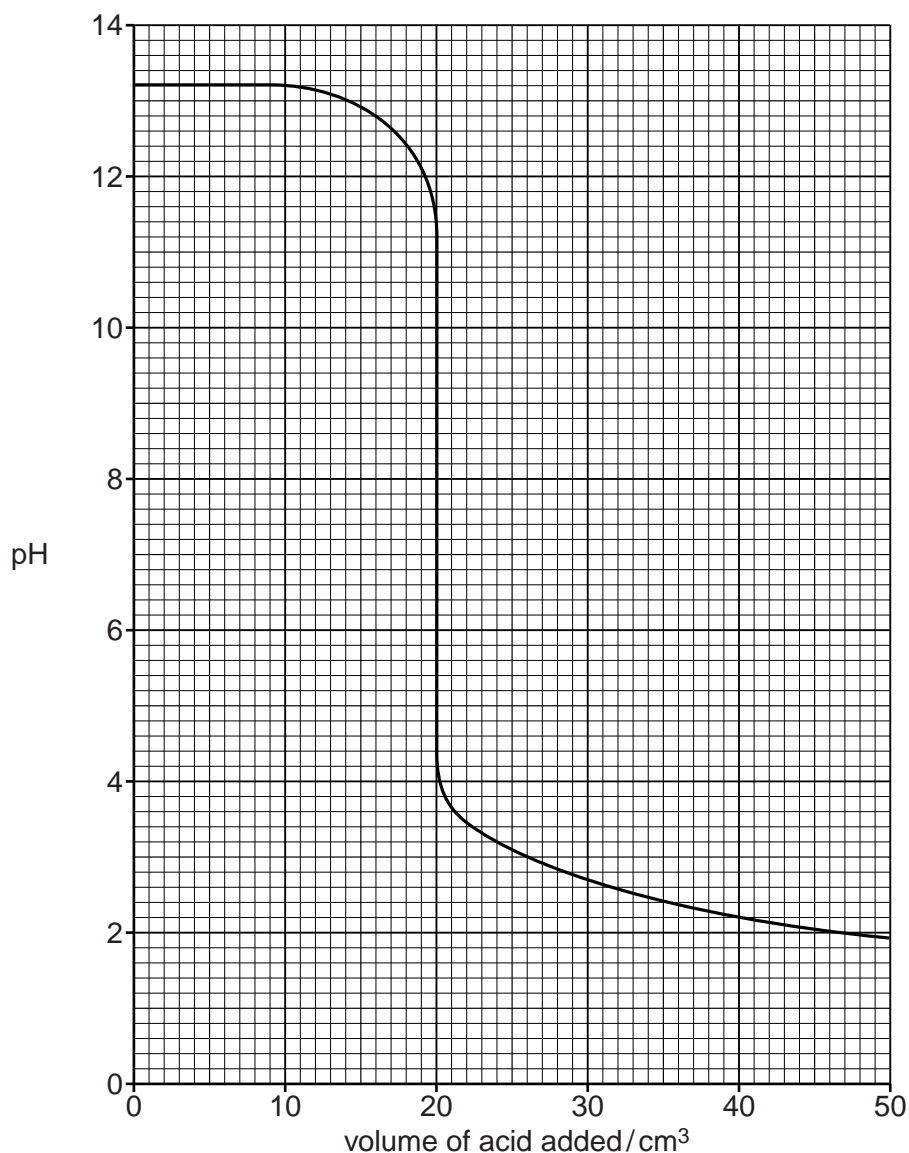
**A4** Sulfuric acid reacts with the alkali sodium hydroxide.



**(a)** Write the ionic equation for this reaction.

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**(b)** The graph below shows how the pH changes when aqueous sulfuric acid is added slowly to 45.0 cm<sup>3</sup> of 0.150 mol/dm<sup>3</sup> sodium hydroxide until the acid is in excess.



**(i)** What volume of acid has been added when the pH is 7?

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- (ii) Use your answer to part (i) to calculate the concentration, in mol/dm<sup>3</sup>, of the sulfuric acid.

concentration = ..... mol/dm<sup>3</sup> [3]

- (c) The experiment was repeated using ethanoic acid of the same concentration as the sulfuric acid. The same volume and concentration of aqueous sodium hydroxide was used.

- (i) The volume of ethanoic acid required to neutralise the aqueous sodium hydroxide was twice as great compared with the volume of sulfuric acid.

Explain why.

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- (ii) Suggest the value of the pH after excess ethanoic acid has been added.  
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- (d) Sulfuric acid is one of the acids present in acid rain.

- (i) Suggest how sulfuric acid is formed in the atmosphere.  
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- (ii) State one effect of acid rain on human health.  
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A5 The table below shows the reactivity of five metals with either cold water or steam or with both.

metal	reactivity
barium	reacts rapidly with cold water
copper	no reaction with steam or cold water
magnesium	reacts very slowly with cold water but reacts with steam
sodium	reacts very rapidly with cold water
nickel	only reacts when powdered and heated strongly in steam

(a) Deduce the order of reactivity of these metals using the information in the table.

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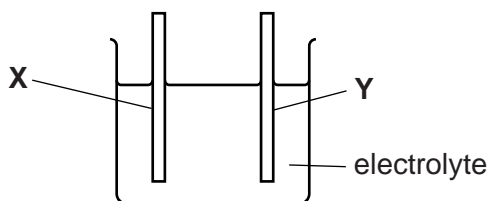
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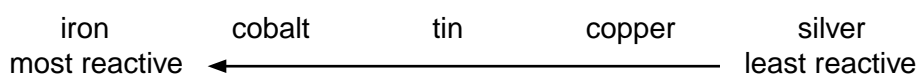
(b) A simple electrochemical cell contains two electrodes in an electrolyte.

(i) Complete the diagram below to show how you could measure the voltage between the two different metal electrodes X and Y.



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(ii) The order of reactivity of some metals is shown below.



Which combination of metals from this list would produce the highest voltage when used as electrodes in an electrochemical cell?

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- (c) Strips of zinc can be attached to the hull of a ship to stop the steel from rusting. Explain how these strips of zinc stop the steel from rusting.

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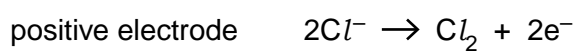
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(c) Draw a 'dot-and-cross' diagram for sodium chloride, showing all the electron shells.

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(d) The electrode reactions occurring when molten sodium chloride is electrolysed are shown below.



Refer to these equations to explain why this electrolysis involves both oxidation and reduction.

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(e) Chlorine reacts with excess ammonia,  $\text{NH}_3$ , to form hydrogen chloride and nitrogen. Construct an equation for this reaction.

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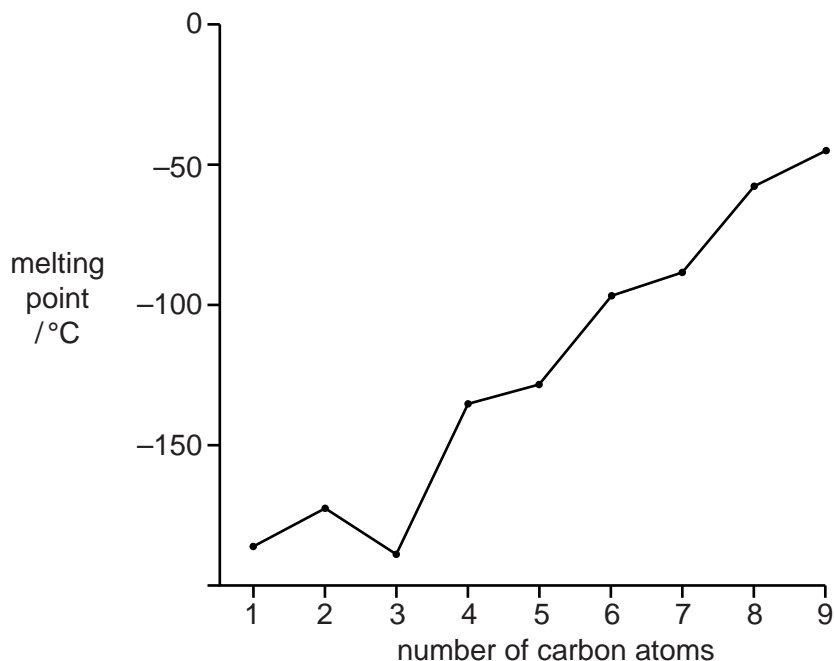
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**B7** The alkanes are a homologous series of hydrocarbons.

(a) Give the name of another homologous series of hydrocarbons.

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(b) The graph below shows how the melting points of the first nine alkanes vary with the number of carbon atoms.



Describe how the melting points of the alkanes with more than two carbon atoms vary as the number of carbon atoms increases.

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(c) Nonane is an alkane with nine carbon atoms.  
 Give the molecular formula for nonane.

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(d) One mole of undecane,  $C_{11}H_{24}$ , is cracked to form a mixture containing one mole of ethene, one mole of propene and one mole of another hydrocarbon.

(i) Construct the equation for this reaction.

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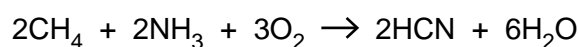
(ii) Explain why oil companies crack the longer chain hydrocarbons.

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(e) Hydrogen cyanide, HCN, is manufactured by reacting methane with ammonia and oxygen.



(i) Calculate the mass of hydrogen cyanide that can be formed from 500 g of methane if the percentage yield of hydrogen cyanide is 65%.

mass = .....g [2]

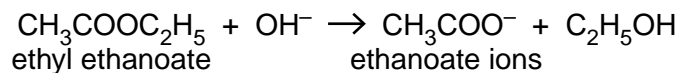
(ii) Hydrogen cyanide reacts with calcium hydroxide to form calcium cyanide and water. The formula of the cyanide ion is  $CN^-$ .

Construct the equation for this reaction.

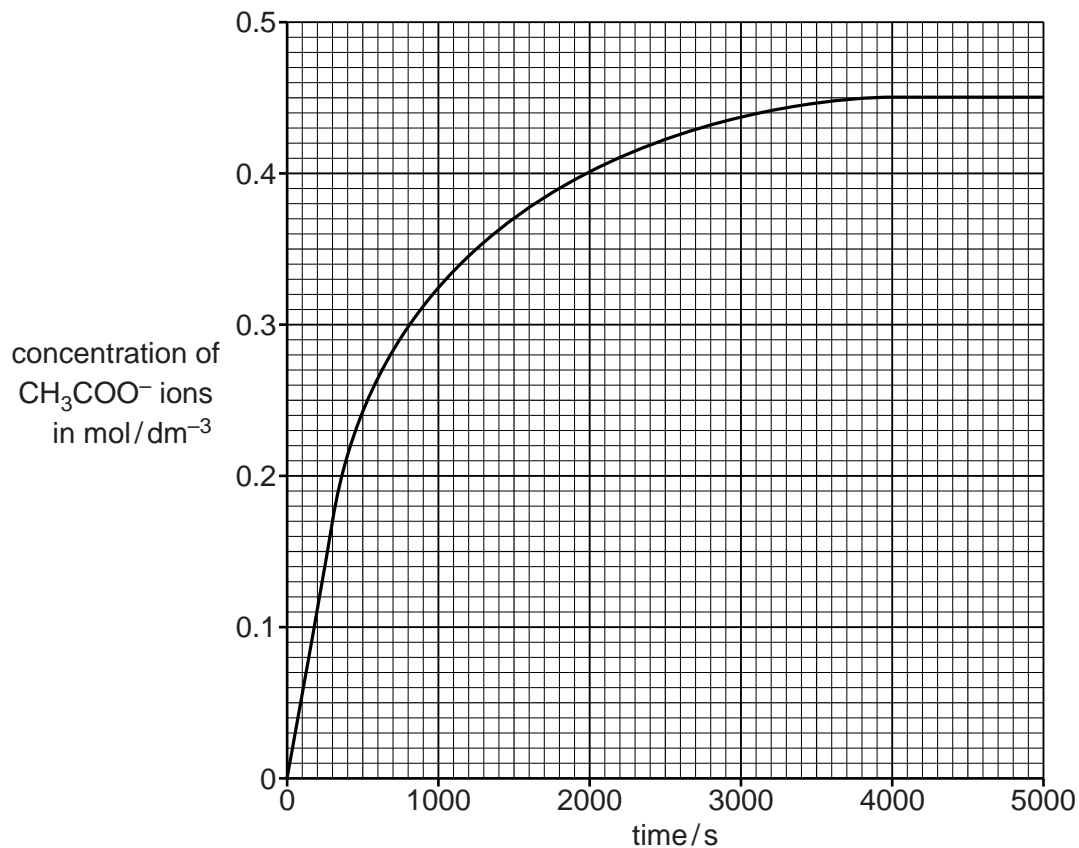
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**B8** The ester, ethyl ethanoate, reacts with hydroxide ions to form ethanoate ions and ethanol.



- (a) The graph shows how the concentration of ethanoate ions,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^-$ , changes as the reaction proceeds.



- (i) Use the information in the graph to deduce the mass of ethanoate ions in  $200\text{cm}^3$  of solution when the reaction is complete.

mass = .....g [2]



- (ii) Use the information in the graph to calculate the average rate of reaction, in mol/dm<sup>3</sup>/s, during the first 300 seconds.

average rate of reaction .....mol/dm<sup>3</sup>/s [1]

- (iii) Describe and explain, using the kinetic particle theory, the change in the rate of reaction with time.

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- (b) Aqueous sodium hydroxide reacts with aqueous iron(II) sulfate, FeSO<sub>4</sub>. Construct the ionic equation, with state symbols, for this reaction.

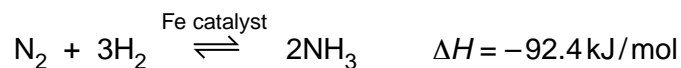
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- (c) Iron(II) sulfate can be prepared by reacting excess iron powder with sulfuric acid. Describe the essential practical details to prepare pure dry crystals of iron(II) sulfate.

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**B9** Ammonia is manufactured by the Haber process.



The table below shows how the percentage yield of ammonia at equilibrium varies with both temperature and pressure.

pressure / atmospheres	% yield at 200 °C	% yield at 300 °C	% yield at 400 °C	% yield at 500 °C
30	68	32	11	4
100	81	51	25	10
200	86	63	36	18
300	88	69	40	24

**(a)** Describe how, and explain why, the percentage yield of ammonia at equilibrium changes with temperature.

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**(b)** Describe how, and explain why, the percentage yield of ammonia at equilibrium changes with pressure.

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**(c)** Explain why the conditions for the synthesis of ammonia in most chemical plants are between 350–450 °C and 200–300 atmospheres pressure.

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**(d)** Explain how using a catalyst in the Haber process has an economic advantage.

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- (e) Ammonia is used to make fertilisers such as ammonium phosphate,  $(\text{NH}_4)_3\text{PO}_4$ . Calculate the percentage by mass of nitrogen in ammonium phosphate.

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**DATA SHEET**  
**The Periodic Table of the Elements**

		Group																											
		I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	0																				
		1 <b>H</b> Hydrogen 1										2 <b>He</b> Helium 4																	
3 <b>Li</b> Lithium 7	4 <b>Be</b> Beryllium 9											5 <b>B</b> Boron 11	6 <b>C</b> Carbon 12	7 <b>N</b> Nitrogen 14	8 <b>O</b> Oxygen 16	9 <b>F</b> Fluorine 19	10 <b>Ne</b> Neon 20												
11 <b>Na</b> Sodium 23	12 <b>Mg</b> Magnesium 24											13 <b>Al</b> Aluminium 27	14 <b>Si</b> Silicon 28	15 <b>P</b> Phosphorus 31	16 <b>S</b> Sulfur 32	17 <b>Cl</b> Chlorine 35.5	18 <b>Ar</b> Argon 40												
19 <b>K</b> Potassium 39	20 <b>Ca</b> Calcium 40	21 <b>Sc</b> Scandium 45	22 <b>Ti</b> Titanium 48	23 <b>V</b> Vanadium 51	24 <b>Cr</b> Chromium 52	25 <b>Mn</b> Manganese 55	26 <b>Fe</b> Iron 56	27 <b>Co</b> Cobalt 59	28 <b>Ni</b> Nickel 59	29 <b>Cu</b> Copper 64	30 <b>Zn</b> Zinc 65	31 <b>Ga</b> Gallium 70	32 <b>Ge</b> Germanium 73	33 <b>As</b> Arsenic 75	34 <b>Se</b> Selenium 79	35 <b>Br</b> Bromine 80	36 <b>Kr</b> Krypton 84												
37 <b>Rb</b> Rubidium 85	38 <b>Sr</b> Strontium 88	39 <b>Y</b> Yttrium 89	40 <b>Zr</b> Zirconium 91	41 <b>Nb</b> Niobium 93	42 <b>Mo</b> Molybdenum 96	43 <b>Tc</b> Technetium 98	44 <b>Ru</b> Ruthenium 101	45 <b>Rh</b> Rhodium 103	46 <b>Pd</b> Palladium 106	47 <b>Ag</b> Silver 108	48 <b>Cd</b> Cadmium 112	49 <b>In</b> Indium 115	50 <b>Sn</b> Tin 119	51 <b>Sb</b> Antimony 122	52 <b>Te</b> Tellurium 128	53 <b>I</b> Iodine 127	54 <b>Xe</b> Xenon 131												
55 <b>Cs</b> Caesium 133	56 <b>Ba</b> Barium 137	57 <b>La</b> Lanthanum 139	72 <b>Hf</b> Hafnium 178	73 <b>Ta</b> Tantalum 181	74 <b>W</b> Tungsten 184	75 <b>Re</b> Rhenium 186	76 <b>Os</b> Osmium 190	77 <b>Ir</b> Iridium 192	78 <b>Pt</b> Platinum 195	79 <b>Au</b> Gold 197	80 <b>Hg</b> Mercury 201	81 <b>Tl</b> Thallium 204	82 <b>Pb</b> Lead 207	83 <b>Bi</b> Bismuth 209	84 <b>Po</b> Polonium 209	85 <b>At</b> Astatine 210	86 <b>Rn</b> Radon 222												
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\* 58–71 Lanthanoid series  
† 90–103 Actinoid series

**Key**

a	<b>X</b>	a = relative atomic mass
b	<b>X</b>	X = atomic symbol
b	<b>X</b>	b = atomic (proton) number

The volume of one mole of any gas is 24dm<sup>3</sup> at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).