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Higher 1

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Paper 1 Multiple Choice

Additional Materials: Multiple Choice Answer
Sheet

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READ THE INSTRUCTION FIRST

Write in soft pencil.

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

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

There are **thirty** 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.

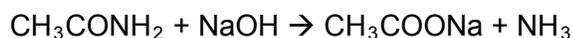
Each correct answer will score one mark. A mark will not be deducted for a wrong answer.

Any rough working should be done in this booklet.

This question paper consists of **11** printed pages (including this page).

4. The number of ions in 10 cm^3 of $0.200 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ aqueous calcium chloride is the same as
- A The number of atoms in 0.426 g of chlorine gas.
 - B The number of protons in 0.041 g of lithium metal.
 - C The number of neutrons in 0.0116 g of aluminium metal.
 - D The number of hydrogen atoms in 0.192 g of methane gas.

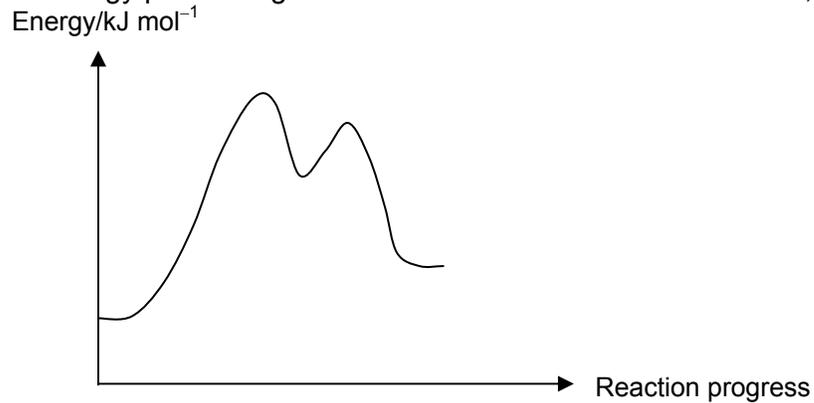
5. Ethanamide, CH_3CONH_2 was boiled with 100 cm^3 of 1.0 mol dm^{-3} aqueous NaOH and the NH_3 evolved was passed into 30.00 cm^3 of 1.0 mol dm^{-3} HCl. The excess acid required 18.25 cm^3 of 0.1 mol dm^{-3} aqueous NaOH solution for neutralization. Given that ethanamide reacts with NaOH in the following equation.



Calculate the mass of ethanamide used in the reaction.
(M_r of $\text{CH}_3\text{CONH}_2 = 59.0$)

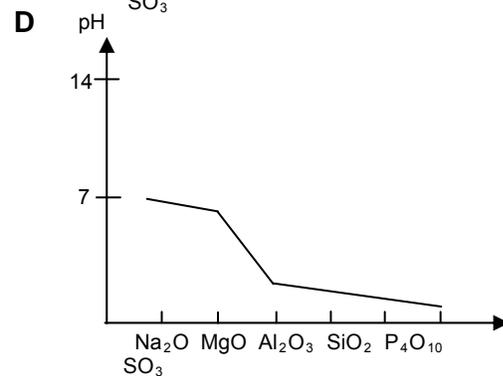
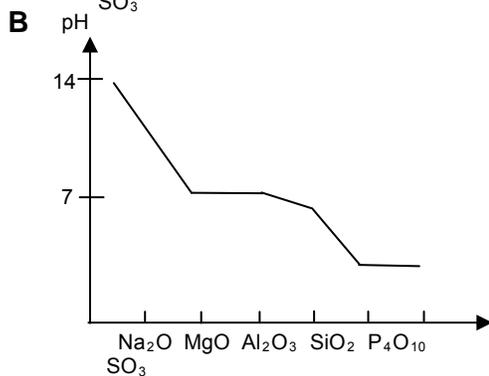
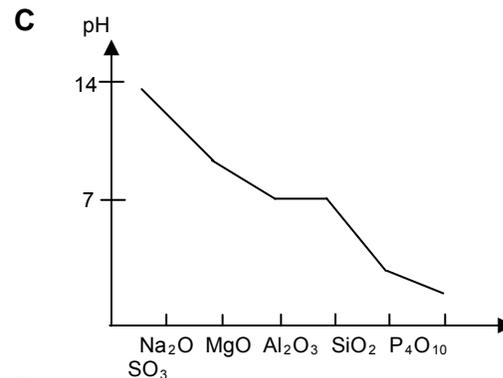
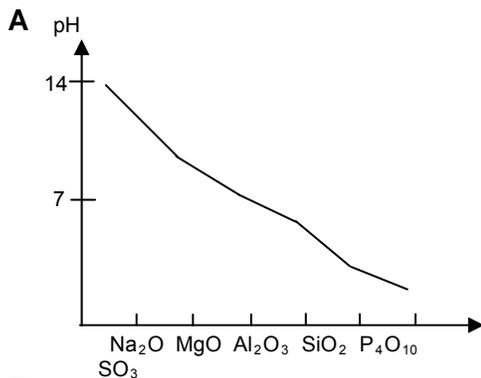
- A 1.66 g
 - B 3.05 g
 - C 4.13 g
 - D 5.90 g
6. Which of the following shows the correct order of the four elements in increasing ionisation energies?
- A Ga, K, Ca, Ar
 - B Ar, K, Ca, Ga
 - C K, Ga, Ca, Ar
 - D K, Ca, Ga, Ar
7. Which statement about the properties associated with ionic and covalent substances is correct?
- A Ionic bonds and covalent bonds cannot occur in the same compound.
 - B All covalent compounds are more volatile compared to ionic compounds.
 - C Some ionic and covalent compounds can be electrolytes when dissolved in water.
 - D A covalent compound can form intermolecular hydrogen bonds if it contains hydrogen and either oxygen, nitrogen or fluorine.

15. Given that the energy profile diagram for a chemical reaction is as follows,



Which of the following can be deduced from the energy profile diagram?

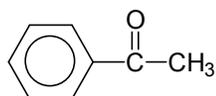
- A** The reaction involves the formation of two intermediates.
B The rate constant of the second step is larger than the first.
C When the reaction is carried out, temperature of the surroundings will increase.
D The difference between the values of the activation energies of the first and second step is the enthalpy of reaction.
16. Which of the following shows the correct graph for the pH value when the same amount of each oxide is added to 500 cm³ of water?



17. Which of the following is the number of structural isomers for a compound with molecular formula C_4H_9Cl , excluding cyclic structures?

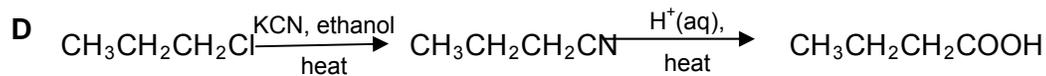
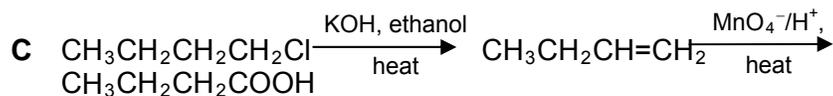
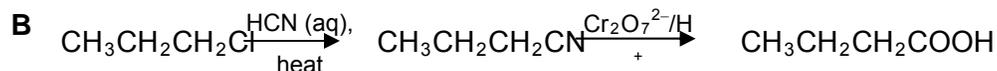
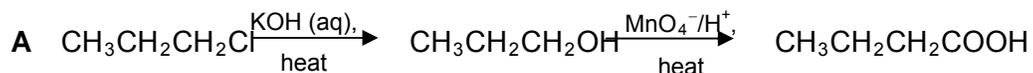
- A 3
 B 4
 C 5
 D 6

18. Which of the reactions does the following molecule **NOT** undergo?



- A Reduction
 B Condensation
 C Electrophilic addition
 D Electrophilic substitution

19. Which of the following shows a possible synthetic pathway for butanoic acid?



Section B

For each of the questions in this section, one or more of the three numbered statements 1 to 3 may be correct.

Decide whether each of these statements is or not correct (you may find it helpful to put a tick against the statements that you consider to be correct).

The responses A to D should be selected on the basis of

A	B	C	D
1,2 and 3 are correct	1 and 2 only are correct	2 and 3 only are correct	1 only is correct

No other combination of statements is used as a correct response.

26. Which of the following contain 3 unpaired electrons?

- 1 Cr^{2+}
- 2 Cr^{3+}
- 3 Co^{2+}

27. Which of the following enthalpy changes is endothermic?

- 1 $\frac{1}{2} \text{Br}_2 (\text{l}) \rightarrow \text{Br} (\text{g})$
- 2 $\text{O} (\text{g}) + \text{e} \rightarrow \text{O}^- (\text{g})$
- 3 $\text{Na}^+ (\text{g}) + \text{e} \rightarrow \text{Na} (\text{g})$

28. Which of the following statements are true about the Contact Process involving the oxidation of sulfur dioxide by oxygen?



- 1 When temperature increases, the activation energy is unchanged.
- 2 When temperature is increased, rate of production of SO_3 decreases.
- 3 In the presence of vanadium oxide catalyst, the amount of SO_3 formed increases.

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29. 0.1 mole of each of the following was added to 100 cm³ of water. Which of the following shows the pH values of the resulting solutions in increasing value?

- 1 SiCl₄, AlCl₃, MgCl₂
- 2 H₂SO₄, HCl, CH₃COOH
- 3 CH₃NH₂, NaOH, Ba(OH)₂

30. Which of the following would give effervescence when heated with acidified potassium manganate(VII)?

