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Preliminary Examination

**CHEMISTRY**  
**Higher 1**

**8872/01**

Paper 1 Multiple Choice

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**50 minutes**

Additional Materials:      Multiple Choice Answer Sheet  
Data Booklet

**READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST**

Write in soft pencil.

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

Write your name, index number and tutorial class 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 document consists of **11** printed pages.



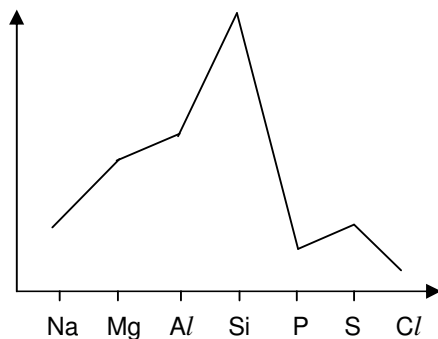
## Section A

For each question there are four possible answers, **A**, **B**, **C** and **D**. Choose the **one** you consider to be correct.

- 1 Which of the following contains  $1.60 \times 10^{22}$  of atoms?
- A** 7.98 g of ethane
- B** 1.86 g of chlorine free radicals ( $\bullet\text{Cl}$ )
- C**  $638 \text{ cm}^3$  of neon at 298 K and 1 atm
- D**  $5.95 \text{ dm}^3$  of hydrogen gas at 273 K and 1 atm
- 2 In an experiment,  $20 \text{ cm}^3$  of a gaseous hydrocarbon  $\text{C}_x\text{H}_y$ , was completely burnt in  $150 \text{ cm}^3$  of excess oxygen. The gaseous volume after the reaction was  $120 \text{ cm}^3$  and treatment with aqueous potassium hydroxide decreased the volume to  $80 \text{ cm}^3$ . All volumes were measured under room temperature and pressure. What is the molecular formula of the hydrocarbon?
- A**  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_4$  **C**  $\text{C}_4\text{H}_8$
- B**  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_6$  **D**  $\text{C}_4\text{H}_{10}$
- 3 Iron poisoning in children is usually caused by excessive intake of iron supplement pills. The amount of iron which will cause poisoning depends on the size of the child. It was found that as little as 590 mg of  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  can be fatal to a 12 kg child.
- How many 325 mg  $\text{FeSO}_4$  pills would it take to cause a fatal effect on a 12 kg child?
- A** 3 **C** 5
- B** 4 **D** 6
- 4 In which of the following compounds does vanadium have the lowest oxidation state?
- A**  $\text{VO}_3^-$  **C**  $\text{VO}_2^+$
- B**  $\text{VO}^{2+}$  **D**  $\text{V}_2\text{O}_5$

- |          | <i>Physical state at room temperature</i> | <i>Electrical conductivity of the molten compound</i> | <i>Melting point / °C</i>      |
|----------|---|---|--------------------------------|
| <b>A</b> | Liquid                                    | Does not conduct                                      | -114                           |
| <b>B</b> | Liquid                                    | Does not conduct                                      | Melts over a temperature range |
| <b>C</b> | Solid                                     | Does not conduct                                      | 110                            |
| <b>D</b> | Solid                                     | Does not conduct                                      | 1610                           |

- 10 The following graph shows how a property of the elements Na to Cl varies with proton number.



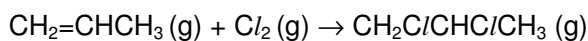
What is the property?

- A Electronegativity
  - B First ionisation energy
  - C Ionic radius
  - D Melting point
- 11 Which of the following reacts most vigorously with cold water?
- A Sodium
  - B Potassium
  - C Magnesium
  - D Calcium
- 12 The oxide and chloride of an element **L** are separately added to water. The two resulting solutions have the same effect on litmus paper.
- Which element could **L** be?
- A Sodium
  - B Magnesium
  - C Silicon
  - D Phosphorus
- 13 The lattice energies of magnesium fluoride and calcium chloride are  $-2955 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$  and  $-2255 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ , respectively. Which of the following values is likely to be the lattice energy of calcium fluoride?

- A** -2030 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>
- B** -2640 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>
- C** -3160 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>
- D** -4080 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

**14** The use of the *Data Booklet* is relevant to this question.

Calculate the enthalpy change of reaction for



- A** -86 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>
- B** -176 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>
- C** +174 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>
- D** -316 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

**15** Radioactive decay of Particle **A** to Particle **B** follows first order kinetics. After 3 half-lives have elapsed, the mole ratio of Particle **A** : Particle **B** would be

- |                |                |
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| <b>A</b> 1 : 2 | <b>C</b> 1 : 7 |
| <b>B</b> 1 : 3 | <b>D</b> 1 : 8 |

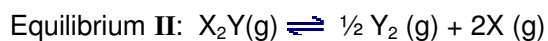
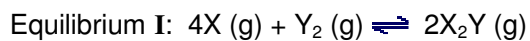
**16** When the following equilibrium is established.



Which of the following is the correct expression for equilibrium constant  $K_c$ ?

- A**  $\frac{[\text{Cu}^{2+}]}{[\text{Ag}^+]}$
- B**  $\frac{[\text{Cu}^{2+}]}{[\text{Ag}^+]^2}$
- C**  $\frac{[\text{Cu}^{2+}][\text{Ag}]}{[\text{Cu}][\text{Ag}^+]}$
- D**  $\frac{[\text{Cu}^{2+}][\text{Ag}]^2}{[\text{Cu}][\text{Ag}^+]^2}$

**17** Given that the  $K_c$  value for equilibrium **I** is 2.6, what is the  $K_c$  value for equilibrium **II** under the same condition?



**A**  $\frac{1}{1.3}$

**C**  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1.3}}$

**B**  $\frac{1}{2.6}$

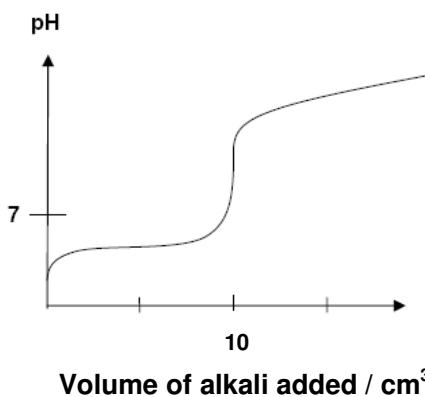
**D**  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2.6}}$

- 18 Consider the equilibrium,  $HSO_4^-(aq) + HPO_4^{2-}(aq) \rightleftharpoons SO_4^{2-}(aq) + H_2PO_4^-(aq)$ .  
Which of the following is a conjugate acid-base pair?

	Base	Conjugate acid
<b>A</b>	$HPO_4^{2-}$	$HSO_4^-$
<b>B</b>	$HPO_4^{2-}$	$H_2PO_4^-$
<b>C</b>	$HSO_4^-$	$SO_4^{2-}$
<b>D</b>	$HSO_4^-$	$HPO_4^{2-}$

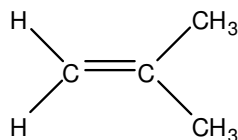
- 19 The following graph shows the changes in pH of  $20.0\text{ cm}^3$  of  $1.0\text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  acid solution when excess  $1.0\text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  alkali solution is added gradually.

Which one of the following pairs of solution with a suitable indicator could have resulted in the graph below?



	acid	alkali	indicator
<b>A</b>	$CH_3COOH$	$NaOH$	Methyl orange
<b>B</b>	$CH_3COOH$	$NaOH$	Phenolphthalein
<b>C</b>	$CH_3COOH$	$Ba(OH)_2$	Methyl orange
<b>D</b>	$CH_3COOH$	$Ba(OH)_2$	Phenolphthalein

- 20 What is the total number of sigma bonds in a molecule of 2-methylpropene as shown below?

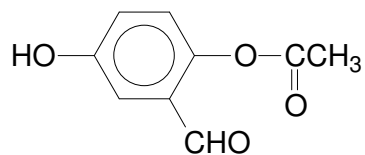


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| A 5 | C 11 |
| B 6 | D 12 |
- 21 Which of the following represents the molecular formula of a compound that can exhibit geometric isomerism?
- |                                    |                                     |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| A $\text{C}_2\text{H}_6\text{O}_2$ | C $\text{C}_2\text{H}_2\text{Cl}_2$ |
| B $\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Cl}$  | D $\text{C}_2\text{H}_2\text{O}_4$  |
- 22 Which of the following isomers of  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_{12}\text{O}$  gives, on complete dehydration, the greatest number of different alkenes?
- A  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$
- B  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_3$
- C  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$
- D  $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$
- 23 Which of the following compounds, when dissolved in water, will give a solution of the lowest pH? (Assuming the solutions have the same concentration.)
- A Chloroethanoic acid
- B Propan-1-ol
- C Ethanoic acid
- D 2-Chloropropan-1-ol

- 24 Ethene ( $M_r = 28.0$ ) reacts with a reagent **R** in the dark to form a compound **Q** ( $M_r = 187.8$ ).

Which of the following statements is **false** about the reaction?

- A The reaction mechanism is electrophilic addition.
  - B **Q** could be dibromoethane
  - C The reagent **R** is HBr
  - D The reaction can occur in the presence of light
- 25 Compound **S** is used in dusting powder to relieve the pain of open wounds.



Compound **S**

Which of the following reagents does **not** react with compound **S**?

- A Aqueous bromine
- B Fehling's solution
- C 2,4-dinitrophenylhydrazine
- D Hot, acidified potassium dichromate(VI) solution



### 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 the statements is or is not correct (you may find it useful 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

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>1, 2 and 3</b> are correct	<b>1 and 2</b> only are correct	<b>2 and 3</b> only are correct	<b>1</b> only is correct

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

**26** **E** and **F** are elements found in the same group.

Gaseous particle **E** has a proton (atomic) number  $n$ . Gaseous particle **F** has a proton (atomic) number  $(n+8)$ .

Which of the following statements correctly describe **E** and **F**?

- 1** **E** has a larger radius than **F**.
- 2** **E** has a larger first ionisation energy than **F**.
- 3** **E** releases more energy than **F** when an electron is added to each particle.

**27** Which of the following properties **decrease** when  $\text{NaCl}$  is compared to  $\text{PCl}_3$ ?

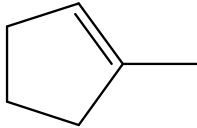
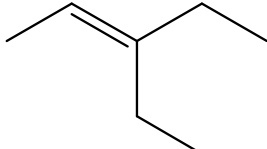
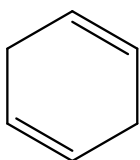
- 1** Electrical conductivity of the chloride in liquid state.
- 2** pH of the resultant solution when mixed with water.
- 3** Covalent character.

**28** Two colourless liquids were mixed together in a beaker and left to stand. The mixture separated into two distinct layers after standing for 30 minutes.

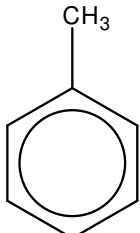
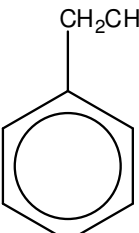
Assuming that the liquids did not undergo reaction with each other, which of the following pairs are immiscible liquids?

- 1 Cyclohexanol and water.
- 2 Ethanol and water.
- 3 Ethanal and water.

29 Which of the following compounds react with hot, acidified potassium manganate (VII) to form products that give a positive result for 2,4-dinitrophenylhydrazine test and tri-iodomethane test?

- 1 
- 2 
- 3 

30 Which of the following pairs of compounds produce the **same** organic product when added to a hot solution of acidified potassium manganate (VII)?

- 1  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$        $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CHO}$
- 2       
- 3 