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**CRESCENT GIRLS' SCHOOL
SECONDARY FOUR
PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION 2024**

CHEMISTRY

Paper 2

**6092/02
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1 hr 45 mins**

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

Write your name, register number and class in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

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

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

Section A (70 Marks)

Answer **all** questions

Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Section B (10 Marks)

Answer **one** question.

Write your answers in the spaces provided.

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

A copy of the Periodic Table is printed on page 23.

The use of an approved scientific calculator is expected, where appropriate.

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Section A		
Section B		
Deductions	Significant Figures	
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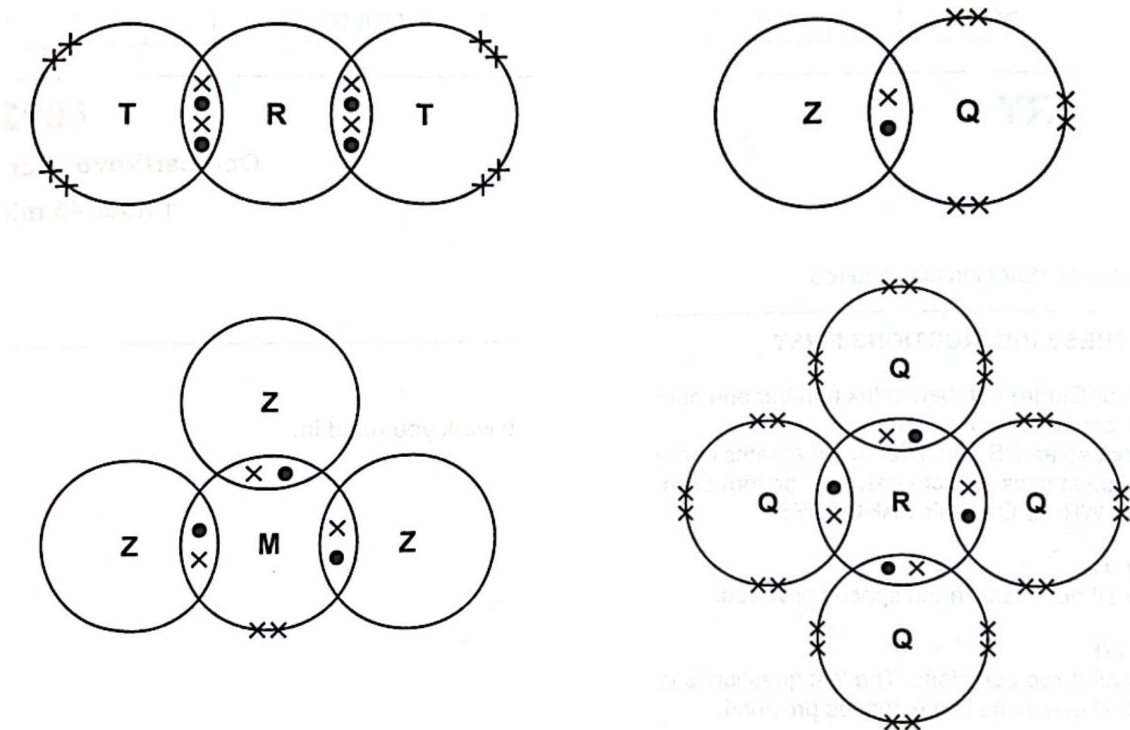
Section A

Answer **all** questions in this section in the spaces provided.

The total mark for this section is 70.

- A1** The figure below shows 'dot-and-cross' diagrams for molecules that contain elements from the first two periods of the Periodic Table. The elements are represented by the letters **M**, **Q**, **R**, **T** and **Z**.

Each diagram shows outer electrons only.



Use the letters **M**, **Q**, **R**, **T** and **Z** to answer the questions below.

- (a) Which element can form an ion with a charge of 1-? [1]

- (b) Which element can lose, gain and share electrons? [1]

- (c) Which element can form an acidic oxide? [1]

- (d) Which element forms a triple covalent bond? [1]

- (e) (i)** Potassium reacts with element **T** to form a compound. **[2]**

Draw a dot-and-cross diagram of the compound formed between potassium and element **T**. Show only the valence electrons.

- (ii)** State one physical property of the above compound and explain the reason for the physical property. **[2]**

[Total: 8 marks]

A2 The table below shows information about the preparation of pure samples of some solid salts. **[5]**

Complete the table by filling in the missing information. Include state symbols with the formulae.

formulae of salt	formulae of reagent 1	formulae of reagent 2	method of preparation
$\text{CaCO}_3 (\text{s})$			<hr/>
$\text{Ag}_2\text{SO}_4 (\text{s})$		$\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 (\text{aq})$	Adding excess solid to acid evaporation and crystallisation
$\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3 (\text{s})$	$\text{HNO}_3 (\text{aq})$		<hr/> evaporation and crystallisation

[Total: 5 marks]

A3 Nitrogen dioxide is an acidic oxide. It dissolves in water to form two acids, nitric acid and nitrous acid, HNO_2 in a single reaction.

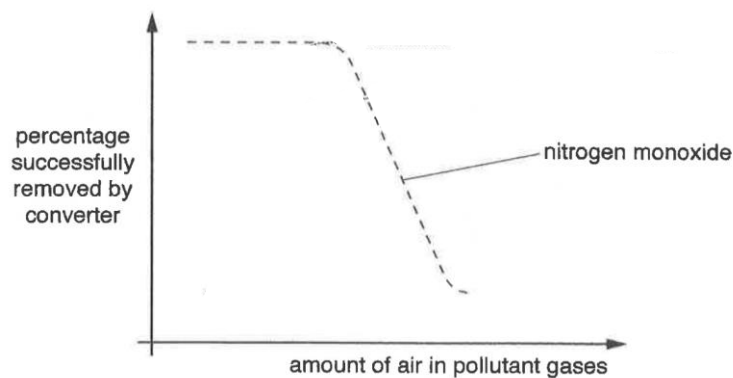
(a) (i) Write a balanced chemical equation for the above reaction. **[1]**

(ii) Disproportionation is a reaction when the same substance is oxidised and reduced in the same reaction. **[2]**
Explain why the reaction in **(a)(i)** is a disproportionation reaction.

(b) One of the main sources of nitrogen monoxide, NO is from the combustion engines of vehicles.

(i) State how nitrogen monoxide, NO is formed in combustion engines of vehicles. [2]

(ii) Hence, explain with the aid of a chemical equation how nitrogen monoxide is removed by catalytic converters fitted in cars. [2]



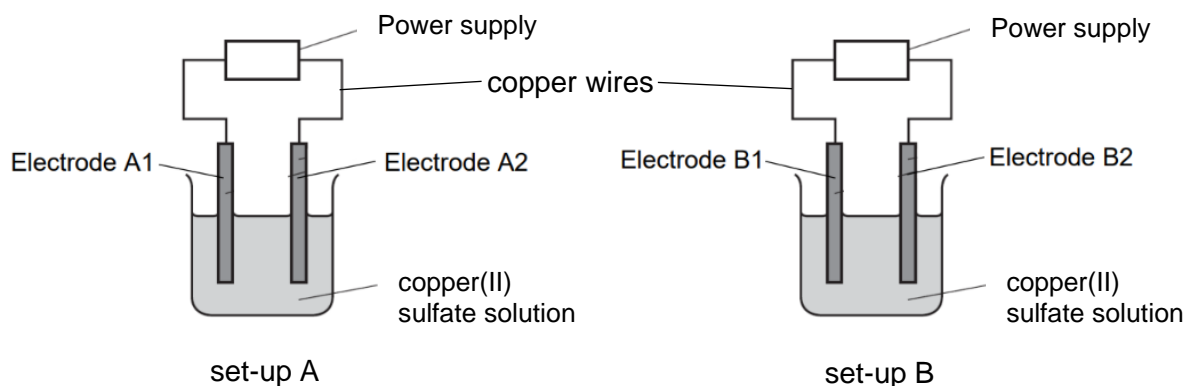
The amount of air in the pollutant gases that enter the catalytic converter affects the reactions in the converter.

The graph shows the percentage of nitrogen monoxide that the catalytic converter successfully **removed**.

(iii) Using the equation in (ii) and the graph above, explain why the percentage of nitrogen monoxide successfully removed by catalytic converter decreases as the amount of air increases. [2]

[Total: 9 marks]

- A4** A student electrolysed aqueous copper(II) sulfate using two sets-ups shown below. The electrodes used in each set-up are made of the same material. However, the electrodes used in set-ups A and B are made of different materials.



He recorded the following observations in the two set-ups.

set-up A	set-up B
mass of electrode A1 increased	mass of electrode B1 increased
mass of electrode A2 remained the same	mass of electrode B2 decreased
effervescence observed at electrode A2 blue copper(II) sulfate solution fades in colour.	no effervescence observed at B2. blue copper(II) sulfate solution remains unchanged.

- (a) Name the particles which transfer charges through the: [1]

(i) copper wires

(ii) copper(II) sulfate solution

- (b) State which electrode is the cathode in each set-up.

Set-up A: Set-up B: [1]

- (c) Explain, with an appropriate equation, the increase in mass at electrodes at A1 and B1. [2]

- (d) Write the half-equations of the reactions taking place at Electrode A2 and Electrode B2. [2]

Half-equation at A2: _____

Half-equation at B2: _____

- (e) Describe how the electrolyte of set-up A would change by the end of experiment in terms of its pH and explain why. [2]

- (f) Suggest the materials that are used to make the electrodes in: [1]

(i) Set-up A: _____

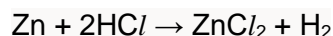
(ii) Set-up B: _____

[Total: 9 marks]

- A5 The table below shows four different experiments that were conducted with various concentrations and volumes of three different acids that reacted with excess zinc.

experiment	acid	concentration of acid in mol/dm ³	Volume of acid in cm ³
1	hydrochloric acid	0.10	100
2	hydrochloric acid	0.20	100
3	ethanoic acid	0.10	100
4	sulfuric acid	M	N

- (a) The chemical equation between zinc and hydrochloric acid is shown below.



- (i) Find the number of moles of hydrochloric acid that reacted in Experiment 1. [1]

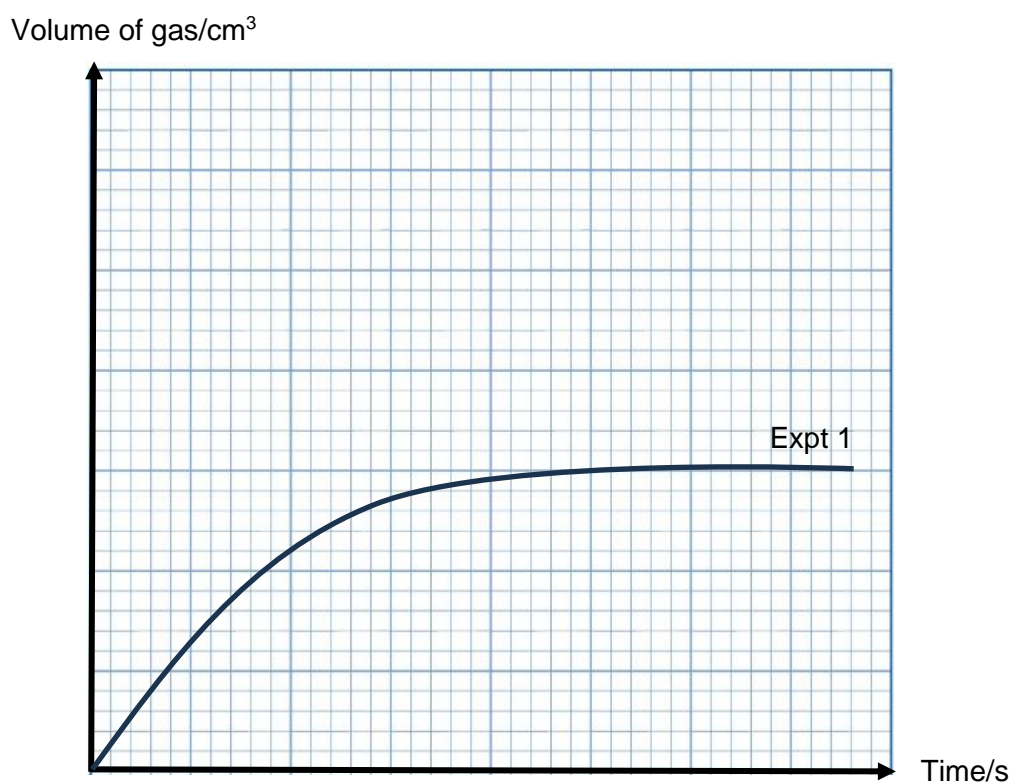
(ii) Hence, find the volume of gas that is evolved in Experiment 1.

[2]

(iii) The graph below shows the graph for Experiment 1.

[1]

Hence, sketch the graph for Experiment 2 and label it as **Expt 2**.



(b) (i) Write an equation to show the chemical reaction between ethanoic acid and zinc.

[1]

(ii) Hence, sketch the graph for Experiment 3 in the same axes in (a)(iii) and label it as **Expt 3**.

[2]

(iii) Explain the shape of your graph.

[3]

(c) Suggest values for M and N in the table above so that Experiment 4 can have the same graph as Experiment 2. [2]

M: _____ N: _____

[Total: 12 marks]

A6 Zinc is a transition metal found in Period 4 of the Periodic Table.
Some properties of zinc are shown in the table below.

	zinc
electronic configuration	2.8.18.2
melting point/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$	419
density/ g/dm^3	2.99
formula of metal oxide	ZnO
colour of metal chloride	white

It is noted that zinc only forms one oxide and one chloride.

(a) Using the information from the table, suggest two reasons why zinc is not considered a typical transition metal. [2]

(b) A student is given an unknown colourless solution T.

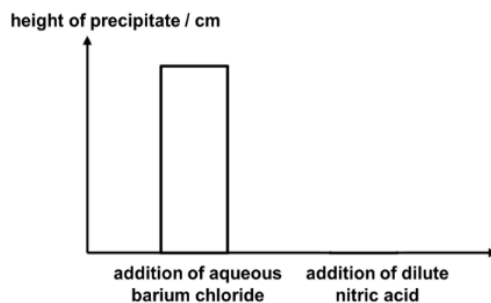
(i) Describe a chemical test that would confirm that solution T contains zinc ions. [2]

Include any observations that you might see.

(ii) To identify the anion present, the student carried out the following test:

step number	procedure
1	Add aqueous barium chloride to a test tube containing solution T.
2	Measure the height of precipitate formed after 5 minutes.
3	Add excess dilute nitric acid to the above mixture.
4	Measure the height of the precipitate formed after 5 minutes.

The results obtained are shown in a graph below.



Based on the graph above, the student concluded that the anion is sulfate ion, but not carbonate ion. [3]

Do you agree with the student?

Explain your answer with reference to the graph.

[Total: 7 marks]

A7 The structures of three organic compounds are given in the table below.

organic compound	structure of compound
W	$ \begin{array}{ccccccc} & \text{H} & & \text{H} & & \text{H} & & \text{H} \\ & & & & & & & \\ \text{H} & - \text{C} & - & \text{C} = & \text{C} & - & \text{C} & - \text{H} \\ & & & & & & \\ & \text{H} & & & & & \text{H} \end{array} $
X	$ \begin{array}{ccccccc} & & \text{O} & & \text{H} & & \text{H} & & \text{O} \\ & & & & & & & & \\ \text{H} & - \text{O} & - \text{C} & - & \text{C} & - & \text{C} & - & \text{C} & - \text{O} & - \text{H} \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & \text{H} & & \text{H} & & \end{array} $
Y	$ \begin{array}{ccccccc} & & \text{O} & & \text{H} & & \text{H} & & \text{H} \\ & & & & & & & & \\ \text{H} & - \text{O} & - \text{C} & - & \text{C} & - & \text{C} & - & \text{C} & - \text{O} & - \text{H} \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & \text{H} & & \text{H} & & \text{H} \end{array} $

- (a) (i) State the compound that can undergo addition polymerisation and condensation polymerisation on its own respectively. [2]

Addition polymerisation: _____

Condensation polymerisation: _____

- (ii) Draw two repeat units of the respective addition and condensation polymer. [2]

Addition Polymer:

Condensation Polymer:

(b) (i) Draw the structural formula of a simple molecule that can combine with X to undergo condensation polymerisation. [1]

(ii) Hence, draw the structure of the polymer formed. [1]

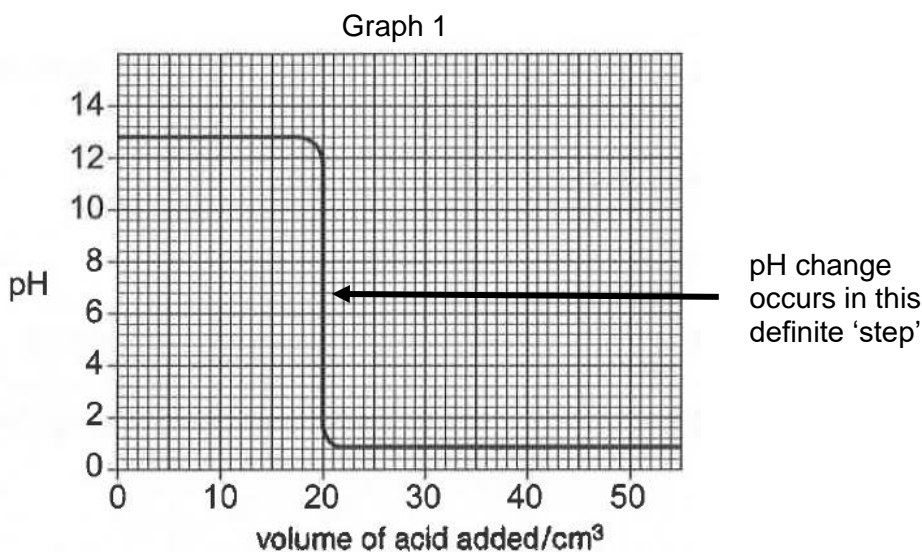
(iii) Name the small molecule that is formed as a by-product. [1]

- (c) (i) Describe a test that can be used to differentiate between organic compounds X and Y. [2]

- (ii) Name a reagent that can be used to differentiate organic compound W from compounds X and Y. [1]

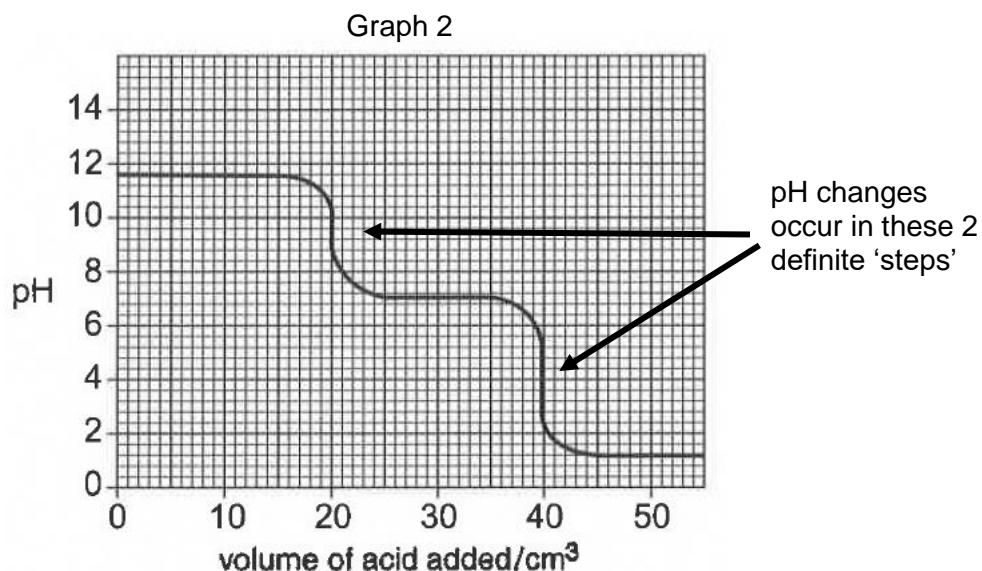
[Total: 10 marks]

- A8** A pH probe attached to a computer measures pH changes during some titration experiments. In experiment 1, 0.1 mol/dm^3 of hydrochloric acid was added from a burette to 25.0 cm^3 of dilute sodium hydroxide. The pH probe measured the pH during the experiment. Graph 1 shows the results.



In experiment 2, 0.1 mol/dm³ hydrochloric acid was added from a burette to 25.0 cm³ of dilute sodium carbonate.

Graph 2 shows the results.

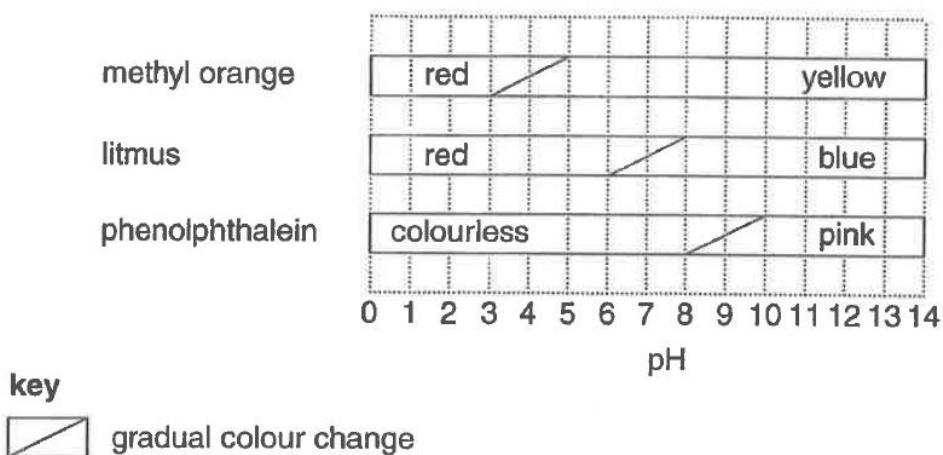


The reaction between sodium carbonate and hydrochloric acid happens in two stages.

Stage 1: Sodium carbonate reacts with dilute hydrochloric acid to form sodium hydrogencarbonate and a neutral salt.

Stage 2: Sodium hydrogencarbonate undergoes a further reaction with hydrochloric acid. An indicator can be used to see when a pH change happens in the definite 'step'.

The diagram shows the colours of some indicators at different pH values. In between the colours, most indicators change colour over a range of pH values.



The best indicator for a titration gives a distinct colour change when a 'definite step' occurs.

In Experiment 1, it is found that all three indicators are suitable to give an accurate titration volume.

- (a) Use the information to calculate the concentration of sodium hydroxide used in Experiment 1. [2]

- (b) A third experiment was carried out. A solution of the sodium hydroxide of the same concentration as that used in Experiment 1 was used. [1]

In this experiment, hydrochloric acid of a concentration of 0.20 mol/dm^3 was used.

Using the axes for Graph 1 above, sketch the graph you would expect from this experiment and label it **Experiment 3**.

- (c) Identify two differences between the pH graphs for Experiment 1 and 2. [2]

- (d) (i) Identify the neutral salt formed in Stage 1 of Experiment 2 [1]

- (ii) Based on Graph 2, suggest the pH of sodium hydrogencarbonate. [1]

- (iii) Using the information from Graph 2, state and explain the indicator that is suitable to find the titration volume for Stage 1 in Experiment 2. [2]

(iv) Write a chemical equation for the reaction in Stage 2 of Experiment 2.

[1]

[Total: 10 marks]

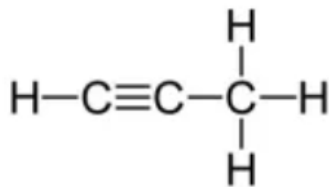
Section B (10 Marks)

Answer only ONE question in this section.

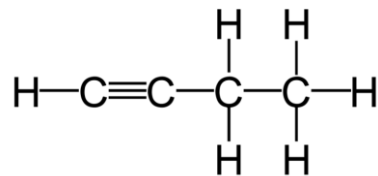
EITHER

B9 Alkynes are a homologous series of hydrocarbons.

The structural formulae of two members of this series are shown below.



propyne



butyne

(a) What is the functional group of this homologous series?

[1]

Deduce the molecular formula of the first member of this homologous series.

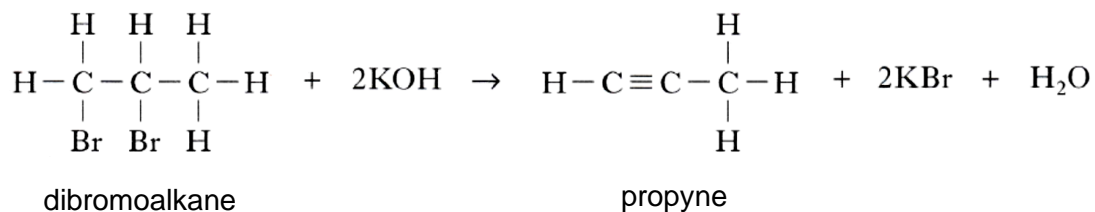
(b) The boiling points of four consecutive members of the alkyne series are shown in the table.

name of alkyne	boiling point/°C
propyne	-23.2
butyne	8.1
pentyne	
hexyne	71.2
heptyne	100

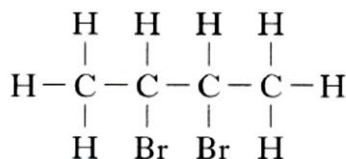
(i) Predict the boiling point of pentyne and suggest a method to separate a mixture of pentyne and hexyne. [2]

(ii) State and explain the trend of the boiling points down the table. [2]

- (c) Alkynes can be prepared by reacting a dibromoalkane with potassium hydroxide solution. An equation for the reaction is shown.

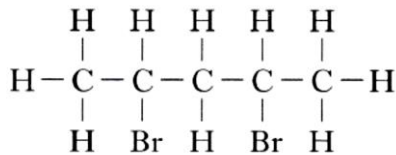


Another dibromoalkane shown below also reacts with potassium hydroxide solution.



- (i) Draw the full structural formula of the alkyne formed. [1]

- (ii) Predict whether the dibromoalkane shown below forms an alkyne when it is added to potassium hydroxide solution. Explain your answer. [2]



(d) Pentyne is also a member of the alkyne homologous series with 5 carbon atoms.

[2]

Draw the full structural formulae of two isomers of pentyne.

[Total: 10 marks]

OR

B9 Fluorine, chlorine, bromine and iodine are elements found in Group 17 of the Periodic Table. Some trends that can be observed as we go down Group 17 are atomic radius and ionic radius.

Table 1 below shows the atomic and ionic radii of halogens.

halogen	atomic radius/ nm	ionic (X ⁻) radius/ nm
F	0.071	0.133
Cl	0.099	0.181
Br	0.114	0.196
I	0.220	0.220

Table 1

Electron affinity, shown in Table 2 below, is a measure of the attraction between the incoming electron and the nucleus. The first electron affinity is the energy change when 1 mole of gaseous atoms gain an electron to form 1 mole of gaseous ions. The reaction can be shown in an equation below:



Table 2 shows the first electron affinities of Group 17 elements.

halogen	first electron affinity/ (kJ/mol)
F	-328
Cl	-349
Br	-324
I	-295

Table 2

- (a) (i) Use the information in Table 2 to sketch an energy profile diagram when a fluorine atom gains an electron to form a fluoride ion. [3]

Label E_a and ΔH in your energy profile diagram.



- (ii) From Table 2, state the general trend observed in the first electron affinities going down Group 17. [1]

- (b) (i) Using Table 1, suggest why the atomic size of the atoms increases down the group and hence use this knowledge to explain the pattern described in (a)(ii). [2]

- (ii) Suggest a value for the atomic radius for iodine, I. [1]

$r =$ _____

- (c) A sample of chlorine gas is bubbled into aqueous sodium iodide.

- (i) What will be observed in this reaction? [1]

(ii) Explain your observations.

[2]

Support your answer with a suitable ionic equation.

[Total: 10 marks]

Group																				
1	2	1										13	14	15	16	17	18			
		1 H hydrogen 1																2 He helium 4		
		Key																		
		proton (atomic) number atomic symbol name relative atomic mass																		
3	4											5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
Li lithium 7	Be beryllium 9											B boron 11	C carbon 12	N nitrogen 14	O oxygen 16	F fluorine 19	Ne neon 20			
11	12											13	14	15	16	17	18			
Na sodium 23	Mg magnesium 24											Al aluminium 27	Si silicon 28	P phosphorus 31	S sulfur 32	Cl chlorine 35.5	Ar argon 40			
19	20											31	32	33	34	35	36			
K potassium 39	Ca calcium 40											Ga gallium 70	Ge germanium 73	As arsenic 75	Se selenium 79	Br bromine 80	Kr krypton 84			
37	38											49	50	51	52	53	54			
Rb rubidium 85	Sr strontium 88											In indium 115	Sn tin 119	Sb antimony 122	Te tellurium 128	I iodine 127	Xe xenon 131			
55	56											81	82	83	84	85	86			
Cs caesium 133	Ba barium 137											Tl thallium 204	Pb lead 207	Bi bismuth 209	Po polonium —	At astatine —	Rn radon —			
87	88											113	114	115	116	117	118			
Fr francium —	Ra radium —											Nh nihonium —	Fl flerovium —	Mc moscovium —	Lv livermorium —	Ts tennessine —	Og oganesson —			

57	La	lanthanum	139
58	Ce	cerium	140
59	Pr	praseodymium	141
60	Nd	neodymium	144
61	Pm	promethium	—
62	Sm	samarium	150
63	Eu	europium	152
64	Gd	gadolinium	157
65	Tb	terbium	159
66	Dy	dysprosium	163
67	Ho	holmium	165
68	Er	erbium	167
69	Tm	thulium	169
70	Yb	ytterbium	173
71	Lu	lutetium	175
72	Hf	hafnium	178
73	Ta	tantalum	181
74	W	tungsten	184
75	Re	rhenium	186
76	Os	osmium	190
77	Ir	iridium	192
78	Pt	platinum	195
79	Au	gold	197
80	Hg	mercury	200
81	Tl	thallium	203
82	Pb	lead	207
83	Bi	bismuth	209
84	Po	polonium	209
85	At	astatine	210
86	Rn	radon	222
87	Fr	francium	223
88	Ra	radium	226
89	Ac	actinium	227
90	Th	thorium	232
91	Pa	protactinium	231
92	U	uranium	238
93	Np	neptunium	237
94	Pu	plutonium	244
95	Am	americium	243
96	Cm	curium	247
97	Bk	berkelium	247
98	Cf	californium	251
99	Es	einsteinium	252
100	Fm	fermium	257
101	Md	mendelevium	258
102	No	nobelium	259
103	Lr	lawrencium	262

The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm^3 at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).
The Avogadro constant, $L = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$.