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## CHEMISTRY

Paper 1 Multiple Choice

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Additional Materials: Multiple Choice Answer Sheet Data Booklet

## READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

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Write in soft pencil.

Do not use staples, paper clips, glue or correction fluid. Write your name, class and NRIC/FIN number on the Answer Sheet in the spaces provided.

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.

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

- 1 What volume of air is required for the complete combustion of 1.0 dm<sup>3</sup> of octane vapour,  $C_8H_{18}(g)$ , in a car engine? (Air contains 20% oxygen by volume.)
  - **A** 2.5 dm<sup>3</sup> **B** 12.5 dm<sup>3</sup> **C** 62.5 dm<sup>3</sup> **D** 125.0 dm<sup>3</sup>
- 2 The ionisation energies, in kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>, of three elements are given in the table.

	1st ionisation	2nd ionisation	3rd ionisation
	energy	energy	energy
Ne	2080	3950	6150
Na	494	4560	6940
Mg	736	1450	7740

Which statement(s) about these ionisation energies is/are correct?

- 1 Ne has the greatest 1st ionisation energy of the three elements because its electrons experience the most interelectronic repulsion.
- 2 Mg has the lowest 2nd ionisation energy of the three elements because the electron being removed experiences the greatest shielding effect.
- 3 There is a large increase from the 2nd to 3rd ionisation energy of Na because the electron is being removed from the next inner subshell.
- A 1 and 2 only B 2 only C 1 and 3 only D 3 only
- 3 Equimolar amounts of the liquids hexane, CH<sub>3</sub>(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>, and triethylamine, (CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>3</sub>N, are mixed together at 20 °C. The original intermolecular forces are disrupted and stronger intermolecular forces between CH<sub>3</sub>(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> and (CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>3</sub>N are formed simultaneously.

The boiling point of hexane is 69 °C. The boiling point of triethylamine is 90 °C.

Which row is correct?

	initial temperature of mixture	boiling point of mixture		
Α	above 20 °C below 69 °C			
В	below 20 °C	below 69 °C		
С	below 20 °C	above 90 °C		
D	above 20 °C	above 90 °C		

4 In the gaseous state, phosphorus(V) chloride exists as a molecule with the formula  $PCl_5$ . However, when it is a solid, it is ionic with the formula  $PCl_4^+PCl_6^-$ .

Which one of the following statements is correct?

- **A** The bond angle in  $PCl_4^+$  is smaller than that in  $PCl_6^-$ .
- **B** There is a dative covalent bond in  $PCl_6^-$ .
- **C** The P atom in  $PCl_4^+$  has an expanded octet.
- **D** There is a net dipole moment in  $PCl_5$ .
- 5 Which pairs of compounds contain a polar and a non-polar molecule?
  - 1 CO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O
  - 2 SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub>
  - 3  $CH_2Cl_2$ ,  $SiCl_4$
  - **A** 1, 2 and 3 **B** 1 and 3 only **C** 2 and 3 only **D** 1 only
- 6 A gaseous dimer, X<sub>2</sub>, dissociates into its gaseous monomer, X, at 400 K and 1 atm pressure. Dissociation is complete at 450 K.

$$\boldsymbol{X}_{2}(g) \rightarrow \ 2\boldsymbol{X}\left(g\right)$$

Which of the following graphs shows the variation of volume with temperature when one mole of  $X_2$  is heated from 350 K to 500 K at a constant pressure of 1 atm? Assume that the gases behave ideally. (R = 0.082 mol<sup>-1</sup> dm<sup>3</sup> atm K<sup>-1</sup>)



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7 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

At 400 K, the following species behave as ideal gases:  $H_2$ ,  $CH_4$ ,  $NO_2$ , Ar. 5.00 g of each of these gases is put separately into a gas syringe kept at 400 K. The volume of each gas is adjusted to be the same, and pressure is measured.

Which gas will have the lowest pressure?

- **A** H<sub>2</sub>
- B CH<sub>4</sub>
- C NO<sub>2</sub>
- D Ar
- 8 The graph below shows the variation in the melting point for 8 consecutive elements in the Periodic Table, all with atomic number  $\leq 20$ .



What can be deduced from the graph?

- **A** The ions of **A** and **E** are isoelectronic.
- **B** The chlorides become less acidic from **A** to **C**.
- **C** When the oxide of **C** is added to water, the resulting solution has a pH greater than 7.
- **D** The oxide of **A** reacts with excess aqueous sodium hydroxide to form a soluble complex.
- **9** Which of the following processes are endothermic?
  - $1 \qquad N_2(g) + O_2(g) \rightarrow 2NO(g)$
  - $2 \qquad O^{-}(g) + e^{-} \rightarrow O^{2-}(g)$
  - $3 \qquad C(s) + O_2(g) \rightarrow CO_2(g)$
  - A 1 only
  - **B** 1 and 2 only
  - C 2 and 3 only
  - **D** 1, 2 and 3

**10** The graphs below show how the percentage of reactant **X**(g) in an equilibrium varies with changes in temperature and pressure.



Which of the following conclusions about the above equilibrium can be drawn from this information?

- **A** The forward reaction is exothermic.
- **B** Addition of a catalyst will have a greater effect on the rate of reverse reaction than the rate of forward reaction.
- **C** The equation for the reaction could be in the form of  $W(g) + X(g) \rightleftharpoons 2Y(g) + Z(g)$ .
- **D** The value of  $K_c$  decreases as pressure increases.
- **11** The rate of removal of a new drug from the body is a first-order reaction. 75% of the initial drug present in a patient is removed over 5.4h.

How much time will it take to remove 90% of this drug from the body?

Α	6.75h	В	8.10h	С	8.97h	D	10.8h

**12** The chlorite-tetrathionate reaction, in which the chlorite ion is one of the reactants, has been studied. One of the products, H<sup>+</sup>(aq), catalyses the reaction.

 $2S_4O_6^{2-} + 7C_1O_2^{-} + 6H_2O \rightarrow 8SO_4^{2-} + 7C_1^{-} + 12H^+$ tetrathionate chlorite

Which graph best describes the above reaction?



**13** Metal sulfides are generally insoluble.  $K_{sp}$  values for copper sulfide and zinc sulfide at 298 K are listed in the table below.

metal sulfide	colour	K <sub>sp</sub> / mol²dm⁻ <sup>6</sup>	
CuS	black	6.3 × 10 <sup>−36</sup>	
ZnS white		1.6 × 10 <sup>-24</sup>	

When aqueous copper sulfate is added to white solid of ZnS, black precipitate of CuS is observed according to the following reaction.

 $ZnS(s) + Cu^{2+}(aq) \implies CuS(s) + Zn^{2+}(aq)$ 

What is the equilibrium constant,  $K_c$ , for the reaction above?

Α	$1.0  imes 10^{-59}$	В	$3.9\times10^{-12}$
С	$5.0 imes10^5$	D	$2.5 \times 10^{11}$

**14** The graphs below show the variation of two properties of some period 3 elements and/or their compounds.



Which of the following correctly describes properties 1 and 2?



**15** The structure of vitamin D2 is shown below.



vitamin D2

When it is completely reacted with hydrogen in the presence of a palladium catalyst at room temperature, how many chiral centres does the product molecule possess?

$\mathbf{A} \ \mathbf{i} \qquad \mathbf{B} \ \mathbf{b} \qquad \mathbf{C} \ \mathbf{g} \qquad \mathbf{D} \ \mathbf{i} 0$	Α	7	В	8	С	9	D	10
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16 Methylcyclohexane was reacted with limited chlorine in the presence of *uv* light.



Assuming that only mono-chlorination takes place, and the reaction occurs at the same rate at all carbon atoms, what is the ratio of the products obtained below?



17 Compound **S** upon reaction with hot acidified potassium manganate(VII) yields  $CH_3COCH_3$ ,  $CH_3COCH_2CH_2CO_2H$  and  $CH_3CH_2CO_2H$ .

Which compound could be  $\mathbf{S}$ ?

- A CH<sub>3</sub>CH=C(CH<sub>3</sub>)CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>C(CH<sub>3</sub>)=CHCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>
- $\mathbf{B} \qquad (CH_3)_2C=CHCH_2CH_2C(CH_3)=CHCH_2CH_3$
- $C \qquad (CH_3)_2C=CHCH_2CH_2C(CH_2OH)=CHCH_3$
- $\mathbf{D} \qquad (CH_3)_2C=C(CH_3)CH_2C(CH_3)=CHCH_2CH_3$

**18** Which synthetic route is most likely to lead to the most successful synthesis of the following product from benzene?



- A nitration, chlorination, alkylation, reduction
- B nitration, alkylation, reduction, chlorination
- **C** nitration, reduction, alkylation, chlorination
- D alkylation, nitration, chlorination, reduction
- **19** The following two reactions occur under identical conditions and proceed via the same mechanism. It was found that reaction 1 occurs faster than reaction 2.

reaction 1:  $CH_3CHBrCH_3 + NaCN \rightarrow CH_3CH(CN)CH_3 + NaBr$ reaction 2:  $CH_3CHBrCH_3 + NaI \rightarrow CH_3CHICH_3 + NaBr$ 

What could be the most likely explanation?

- A The C–I bond is a stronger bond than the C–Br bond.
- **B** The C–N bond is a stronger bond than the C–I bond.
- **C** The  $CN^-$  ion is a stronger nucleophile than the  $I^-$  ion.
- **D** The Br<sup>-</sup> ion is a stronger nucleophile than the  $I^-$  ion.
- **20** Which of the following halogenoalkanes will undergo an S<sub>N</sub>1 reaction and produce a white precipitate when AgNO<sub>3</sub>(aq) is added to it?
  - A 1-chloroethane
  - **B** 1-bromoethane
  - **C** 2-chloro-2-methylpropane
  - D 2-iodo-2-methylpropane

21 Saligenin is a white solid with the following structure.



Separate samples of one mole of saligenin each are mixed with Br<sub>2</sub>(aq) and NaOH(aq) respectively. How many moles of Br<sub>2</sub>(aq) and NaOH(aq) will react?

	Br <sub>2</sub> (aq)	NaOH(aq)	
Α	0	1	
В	1	2	
С	2	2	
D	2	1	

**22** Pyruvic acid, C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>4</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, contains a carboxylic acid functional group and another functional group that forms an orange precipitate with 2,4-dinitrophenylhydrazine. Pyruvic acid undergoes reduction to form lactic acid. But during this reduction reaction, the acid functional group does not react. Which one of the following rows gives the correct details of this reaction?

	suggested structure of	reagents and	suggested structure of		
	pyruvic acid	conditions	lactic acid		
Α	O OH	LiA/H₄ in dry ether	ОН О		
В	ОН	NaBH₄ in methanol	HO OH		
с	ОН	LiA/H₄ in dry ether	ОН ОН		
D	ОН	NaBH₄ in methanol	ОН		

23 Which one of the following represents the organic product when an excess of hot aqueous sodium hydroxide is added to compound **R**?



D



С







24 The tripeptide **P** is made by reacting three different amino acids together.

When P is reacted with hot HCl(aq), what will be the most likely organic product(s) formed?





**25** Lysine is an amino acid with  $pK_a$  values 2.16, 9.06 and 10.54.



Which of the following show the correct predominant structure when lysine is in an aqueous solution at the respective pH?



Α	1 only	В	2 only	С	1 and 3 only	D	1.2 and 3
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26 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

The cell shown in the diagram is set up under standard conditions where X and Y are platinum electrodes.



Half-cell A

Half-cell B

Which of the following statements is correct?

- A Changing Y to Fe in half-cell A will not affect  $E^{\bullet}_{cell}$ .
- **B** The voltmeter will show a reading of about 2.13V.
- **C** The electrons will flow from **Y** to **X** through the voltmeter.
- **D X** will be the negative electrode.
- **27** An aqueous solution of copper(II) salt is electrolysed between copper electrodes, using a constant current. What affects the mass of copper deposited on the cathode?
  - 1 the time taken
  - 2 the concentration of solution
  - 3 the size of the electrodes
  - **A** 1, 2 and 3
  - B 1 and 2 only
  - C 2 and 3 only
  - **D** 1 only
- **28** Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

In the electrolysis of molten lead(II) bromide, 2.072 g of lead is liberated when 1940 coulombs of electricity is passed through molten lead(II) bromide. Which value of Avogadro's constant do **these figures** give?

**A**  $6.02 \times 10^{23}$  **B**  $6.06 \times 10^{23}$  **C**  $3.03 \times 10^{23}$  **D**  $1.21 \times 10^{24}$ 

**29** When a few drops of  $NH_3(aq)$  are added to  $Cu(NO_3)_2(aq)$ , a pale blue precipitate is formed. This precipitate dissolves when an excess of  $NH_3(aq)$  is added, forming a deep blue solution.

Which process does not occur in this sequence of reactions?

- A ligand exchange
- **B** acid-base reaction
- **C** precipitation
- **D** redox reaction
- **30** Which set of data correctly illustrates titanium as a typical transition metal element and calcium as an s-block element?

	property	titanium	calcium
1	melting point / °C	1668	842
2	density/ g cm <sup>-3</sup>	4.5	1.55

- A both 1 and 2
- **B** 1 only
- **C** 2 only
- **D** neither 1 nor 2