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**SCIENCE (PHYSICS, CHEMISTRY)**

**5076/01**

Paper 1 Multiple Choice

8 May 2017

30 min

Candidates answer on the Multiple Choice Answer Sheet  
Additional Materials: Multiple Choice Answer Sheet

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Write your Name, Index Number and Class on the Answer Sheet in the spaces provided.

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There are **twenty** 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.**

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**Paper 1**

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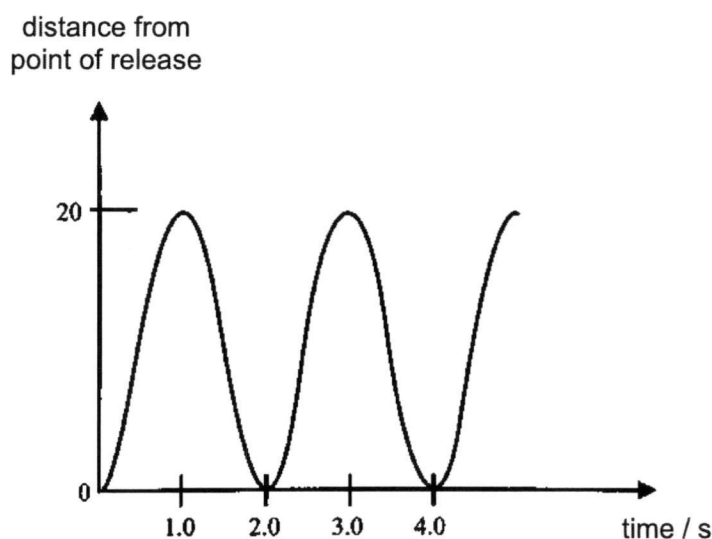
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- 1 The diameter of a steel ball is measured using a micrometer screw gauge. A student takes an initial zero reading and then a reading of the diameter. The two diagrams show the micrometer screw gauge readings.



What is the diameter of the steel ball?

- A 5.13 mm  
B 5.15 mm  
C 5.14 mm  
D 5.55 mm
- 2 The bob of a simple pendulum is pulled to one side and released. The motion during the swing is shown on the graph below.



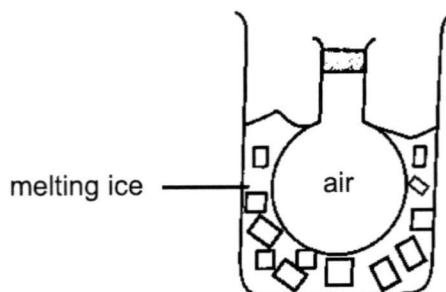
What is the period of the pendulum?

- A 1.0 s  
B 2.0 s  
C 3.0 s  
D 4.0 s
- 3 Which statement about a gravitational field is correct?
- A A gravitational field is a region in which an object experiences a force because of its mass.  
B A gravitational field is a region in which an object experiences a force because it is charged.  
C The gravitational field of the Earth acts outwards from its surface.  
D The strength of the Moon's gravitational field is less than the Earth's because it has no atmosphere.

- 4 A ball is brought from the Earth to the Moon.

Which of these statements about the ball's inertia is true?

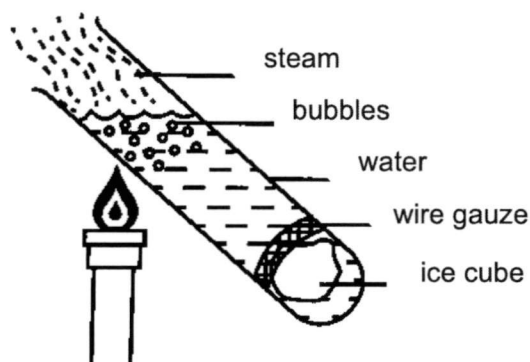
- A** The inertia will decrease because weight decreases.  
**B** The inertia will decrease because mass decreases.  
**C** The inertia will remain the same because weight remains constant.  
**D** The inertia will remain the same because mass remains constant.
- 5 A round-bottomed flask is filled with air and tightly capped at room temperature. The flask is then placed in melting ice as shown in the diagram below. The flask stays the same size.



Which of the following is true about the kinetic energy and average spacing between the air molecules in the flask?

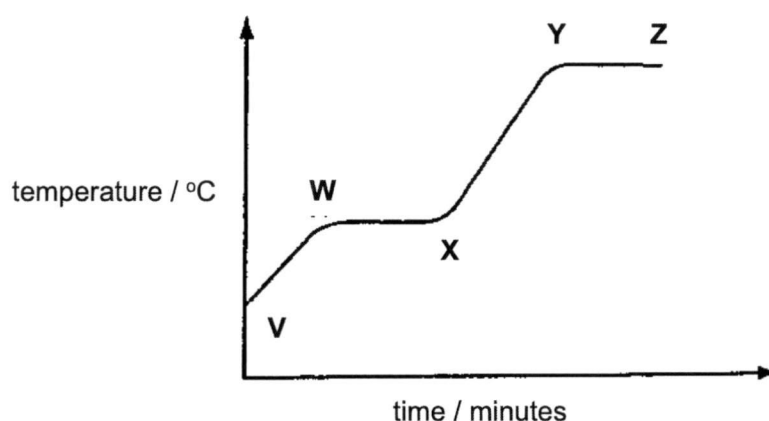
|          | kinetic energy   | average spacing between molecules |
|----------|------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>A</b> | decreases        | decreases                         |
| <b>B</b> | decreases        | remains constant                  |
| <b>C</b> | remains constant | decreases                         |
| <b>D</b> | remains constant | remains constant                  |

- 6 An experiment is carried out as shown in the diagram.



Why does the ice take a long time to melt?

- A Water is a poor conductor of heat.  
 B Convection cannot occur in water.  
 C The gauze prevents thermal energy from reaching the ice.  
 D Ice is a poor conductor of heat.
- 7 Some ice is placed in a beaker and heated. The graph shows the temperature of the beaker and its contents during the experiment.



Between which two points on the graph does the beaker contain a mixture of liquid and gas?

- A Y and Z  
 B W and X  
 C X and Y  
 D V and W



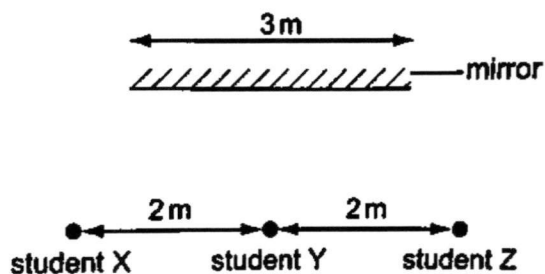
- 8 A woman stands in front of a plane mirror. She sees an image of herself in the mirror.

plane mirror



The woman moves 2.0 m further away from the mirror.  
What happens to the distance between the woman and her image?

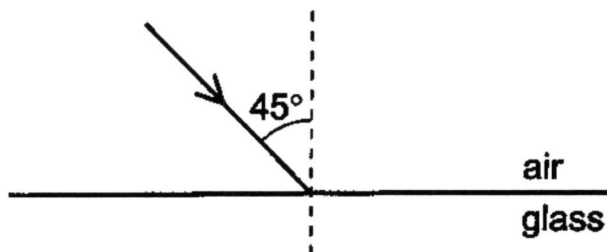
- A decreases by 2.0 m  
B decreases by 4.0 m  
C increases by 2.0 m  
D increases by 4.0 m
- 9 Three students stand 2 m apart in front of a plane mirror which is 3 m long. Student Y is standing opposite the mid-point of the mirror.



How many students can see the images of the other two?

- A 0  
B 1  
C 2  
D 3

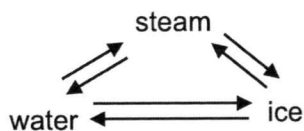
- 10 The diagram shows a ray of light entering a glass block of refractive index 1.67 at an angle of incidence of  $45^\circ$ .



By how many degrees does the light ray change direction when entering the glass?

- |                     |                     |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>A</b> $15^\circ$ | <b>B</b> $20^\circ$ |
| <b>C</b> $25^\circ$ | <b>D</b> $45^\circ$ |

- 11 In which conversion do water molecules gain speed?



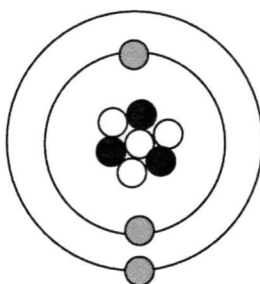
- A steam  $\rightarrow$  ice  
 B steam  $\rightarrow$  water  
 C water  $\rightarrow$  ice  
 D water  $\rightarrow$  steam
- 12 Ethanol boils at 78 °C and water boils at 100 °C. Ethanol and water are miscible with each other.

Which method is used to separate a mixture of these two liquids?

- A evaporation  
 B filtration  
 C fractional distillation  
 D simple distillation
- 13 Which of the following is **not** a molecule?

- A Ar  
 B Cl<sub>2</sub>  
 C HCl  
 D P<sub>4</sub>

- 14 The diagram below represents an atom of the element Z.

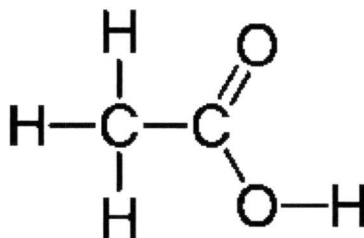


Which symbol represents this element?

- A  ${}^3_7\text{Z}$   
 B  ${}^7_3\text{Z}$   
 C  ${}^7_{10}\text{Z}$   
 D  ${}^{10}_7\text{Z}$

- 15 Sodium reacts with chlorine to form an ionic compound. Which of the following statements about the compound formed is false?
- A Chlorine gains an electron from sodium to form a negative ion.
  - B Sodium gains seven electrons to form a positive ion.
  - C The chemical formula of the compound is NaCl.
  - D The electrostatic forces of attraction between sodium ions and chloride ions are strong.

- 16 The diagram below shows a structural formula of a compound.



How many electrons are involved in bonding in a molecule of this compound?

- A 7
  - B 8
  - C 14
  - D 16
- 17 Which pair of elements form a compound by sharing electrons?
- A carbon and chlorine
  - B lithium and iodine
  - C neon and oxygen
  - D potassium and bromine
- 18 Substance **T** has the following properties.
1. white crystalline solid at room temperature
  2. melts at 65 °C
  3. does not conduct electricity in solid or molten state

Which of the following statements about substance **T** is correct?

- A Substance **T** has a giant ionic structure.
- B Substance **T** has a simple covalent structure.
- C Substance **T** is lithium chloride.
- D Substance **T** is silver.

- 19 When sodium metal reacts with oxygen gas, a compound is formed.

Which of the following shows the correct chemical formula and name of the compound?

|          | chemical formula  | chemical name |
|----------|-------------------|---------------|
| <b>A</b> | NaO               | sodium oxide  |
| <b>B</b> | Na <sub>2</sub> O | sodium oxide  |
| <b>C</b> | NaO               | sodium oxygen |
| <b>D</b> | Na <sub>2</sub> O | sodium oxygen |

- 20 An equation is shown.



Which numbers will correctly balance this equation?

|          | <b>x</b> | <b>y</b> |
|----------|----------|----------|
| <b>A</b> | 1        | 1        |
| <b>B</b> | 1        | 2        |
| <b>C</b> | 2        | 1        |
| <b>D</b> | 2        | 2        |

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# The Periodic Table of the Elements

| Group                      |                             |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                              |                             |                             |                             |                              |                           |  |  |
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| I                          | II                          | 1<br>H<br>hydrogen<br>1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | III                          | IV                          | V                           | VI                          | VII                          | 0                         |  |  |
| 7<br>Li<br>lithium<br>3    | 9<br>Be<br>beryllium<br>4   |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 11<br>B<br>boron<br>5        | 12<br>C<br>carbon<br>6      | 14<br>N<br>nitrogen<br>7    | 16<br>O<br>oxygen<br>8      | 19<br>F<br>fluorine<br>9     | 20<br>Ne<br>neon<br>10    |  |  |
| 23<br>Na<br>sodium<br>11   | 24<br>Mg<br>magnesium<br>12 |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 27<br>Al<br>aluminium<br>13  | 28<br>Si<br>silicon<br>14   | 31<br>P<br>phosphorus<br>15 | 32<br>S<br>sulfur<br>16     | 35.5<br>Cl<br>chlorine<br>17 | 40<br>Ar<br>argon<br>18   |  |  |
| 39<br>K<br>potassium<br>19 | 40<br>Ca<br>calcium<br>20   |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 70<br>Ga<br>gallium<br>31    | 73<br>Ge<br>germanium<br>32 | 75<br>As<br>arsenic<br>33   | 79<br>Se<br>selenium<br>34  | 80<br>Br<br>bromine<br>35    | 84<br>Kr<br>krypton<br>36 |  |  |
| 85<br>Rb<br>rubidium<br>37 | 88<br>Sr<br>strontium<br>38 |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 101<br>Ru<br>ruthenium<br>44 | 108<br>Ag<br>silver<br>47   | 119<br>Sn<br>tin<br>50      | 122<br>Sb<br>antimony<br>51 | 127<br>I<br>iodine<br>53     | 131<br>Xe<br>xenon<br>54  |  |  |
| 133<br>Cs<br>caesium<br>55 | 137<br>Ba<br>barium<br>56   |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 190<br>Os<br>osmium<br>76    | 197<br>Au<br>gold<br>79     | 207<br>Pb<br>lead<br>82     | 209<br>Bi<br>bismuth<br>83  | —<br>Po<br>polonium<br>84    | —<br>Rn<br>radon<br>86    |  |  |
| —<br>Fr<br>francium<br>87  | —<br>Ra<br>radium<br>88     |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | —<br>Ac<br>actinium<br>89    |                             |                             |                             |                              |                           |  |  |
| 58-71 Lanthanoid series    |                             |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                              |                             |                             |                             |                              |                           |  |  |
| 90-103 Actinoid series     |                             |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                              |                             |                             |                             |                              |                           |  |  |

a

X

b

a = relative atomic mass  
x = atomic symbol  
b = proton (atomic) number

\*58-71 Lanthanoid series

†90-103 Actinoid series

Key

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Paper 3

4 May 2017

1 hour

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

**Section A**

Answer **all** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided on the question paper.

**Section B**

Answer **all** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided on the question paper.

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 11.

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## Section A (30 marks)

Answer all questions.

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- 1 Fig. 1 shows the heating curve of substance B.

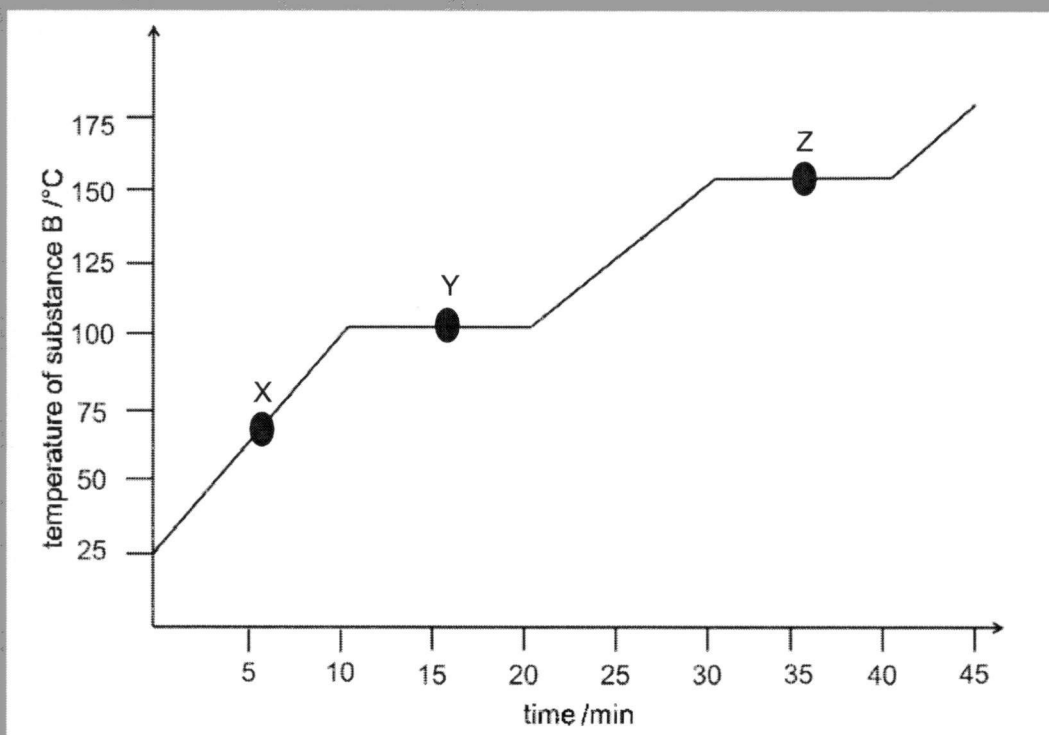


Fig. 1

- (a) What is/are the physical state(s) of B at

(i) point X?

..... [1]

(ii) point Y?

..... [1]

(iii) point Z?

..... [1]

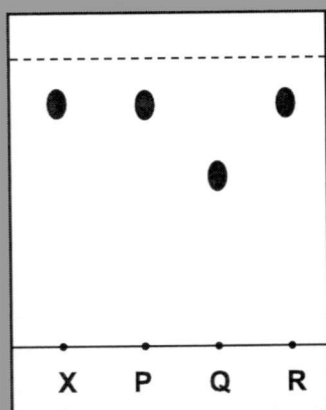
- (b) Determine if substance B is pure or impure. Explain your answer, citing evidence from the curve.

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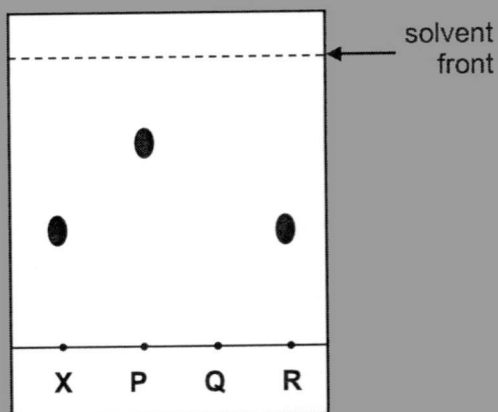
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- 2 The ink, **X**, from a forged letter was analysed with three other inks, **P**, **Q** and **R**, taken from the pens of three suspects. Two chromatograms are shown below were obtained using different solvents, water and ethanol.



water as solvent



ethanol as solvent

- (a) Explain, using the results from the chromatogram, why it was necessary to carry out the second chromatogram using a different solvent.

.....  
 ..... [2]

- (b) Which ink, **P**, **Q** or **R**, has been used to write the forged letter?

..... [1]

- (c) Explain why ink **Q** produces a spot in water but not in ethanol.

..... [1]

[Total: 4]

- 3 (a) Name the piece of apparatus most suitable to complete the following laboratory actions:

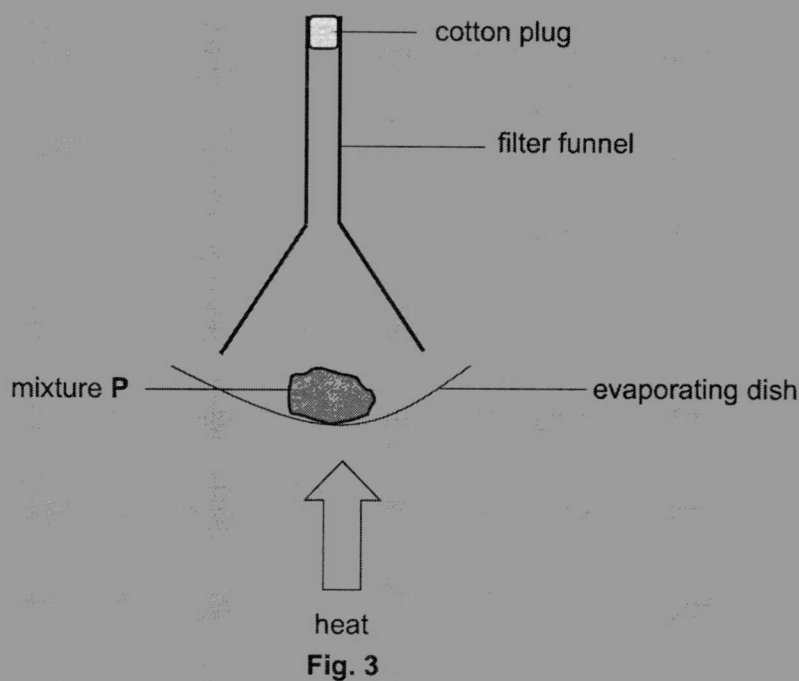
(i) measure  $22.5 \text{ cm}^3$  of solution into a beaker

..... [1]

(ii) add exactly  $25.0 \text{ cm}^3$  of solution to each of several beakers

..... [1]

- (b) Mixture **P** consists of sand, ammonium chloride and sodium chloride. The apparatus in Fig. 3 can be used to separate one of the substances that is found in mixture **P**.



- (i) After mixture **P** is heated, what substances will be left as residue?

..... [1]

- (ii) Describe the steps taken to obtain pure and dry samples of each component of the residue that is left in (b)(i).

.....  
 .....

..... [3]

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- 4 The boxes in Fig. 4 show the arrangement of atoms in four substances.

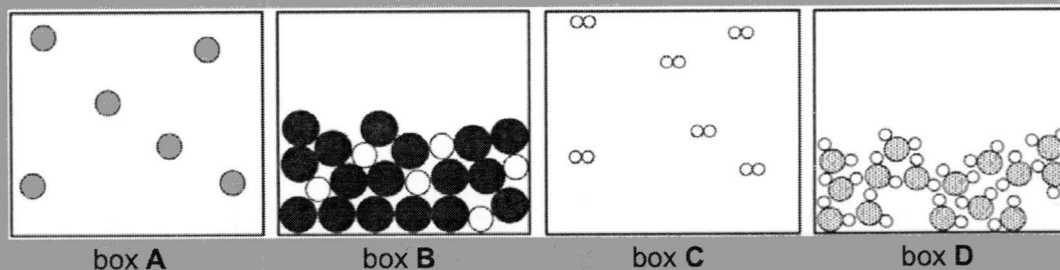


Fig. 4

- (a) Identify whether each substance contains an element, compound or mixture.

box A .....

box B .....

box C .....

box D .....

[2]

- (b) State two differences between compounds and mixtures.

difference 1: .....

.....

difference 2: .....

.....

[2]

[Total: 4]

- 5 Fig. 5 shows the proton number of four elements, **W**, **X**, **Y** and **Z**.

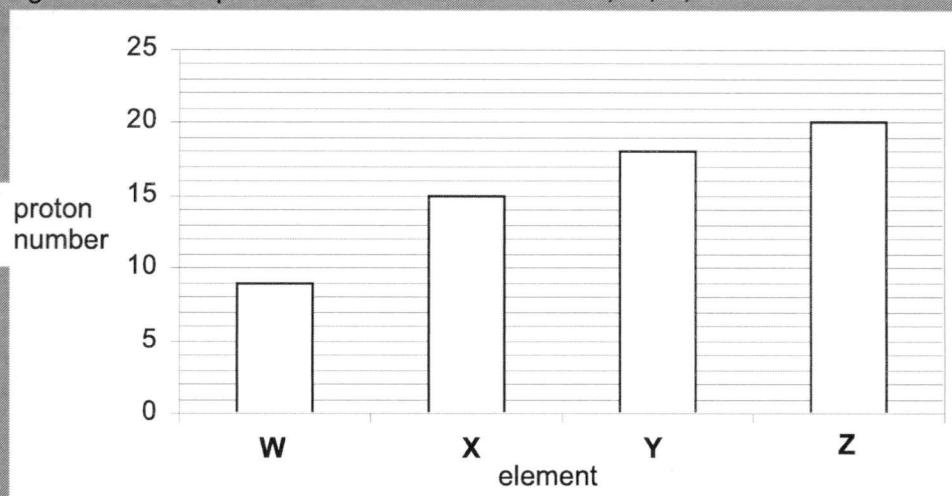


Fig. 5

- (a) Which element has atoms that could form ions with the biggest negative charge?

..... [1]

- (b) State the electronic configuration of the element which has the most number of valence electrons.

..... [1]

- (c) Element **Z** reacts with element **W** to form a white solid **Q**.

- (i) State the chemical formula of **Q**.

..... [1]

- (ii) Draw the 'dot-and-cross' diagram of **Q**.

[2]

- (iii) State a property that **Q** would have.

..... [1]

[Total: 6]

- 6 (a) Complete Table 6 by giving the appropriate name or chemical formula.

Table 6

| name              | chemical formula  |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| potassium nitrate |                   |
|                   | MgCO <sub>3</sub> |
| ammonia           |                   |

[3]

- (b) Solid lithium metal reacts explosively with water to produce hydrogen gas and a solution of lithium hydroxide.

Write a balanced chemical equation, including state symbols, for this reaction.

..... [2]

[Total: 5]

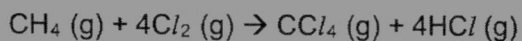
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## Section B (20 marks)

Answer **ALL** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided on the question paper.

- 7 Methane ( $\text{CH}_4$ ) is a colourless gas which reacts with chlorine gas to form tetrachloromethane ( $\text{CCl}_4$ ) and hydrogen chloride ( $\text{HCl}$ ). The reaction requires UV light to activate the chlorine. The reaction is as shown below:



The solubility and density of the products of this reaction are given in Table 7.

Table 7

| name of gas        | solubility of gas in water | density of gas compared to air |
|--------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| tetrachloromethane | insoluble                  | higher                         |
| hydrogen chloride  | highly soluble             | higher                         |

- (a) Using the Kinetic Particle Theory, describe the movement and arrangement of the particles of methane at room temperature.

.....  
 ..... [2]

- (b) Explain why methane is a gas at room temperature.

.....  
 ..... [2]

- (c) Draw the 'dot-and-cross' diagram to show the bonds in methane. You only need to show outer shell electrons.

[2]



- (d) Assuming that methane has completely reacted with chlorine gas, describe, with a use of a diagram, the steps required to obtain a pure sample of tetrachloromethane from the products of the reaction.

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[2]

- (e) A student wanted to draw the structure of hydrogen chloride gas. The student's drawing is shown in Fig. 7.1.

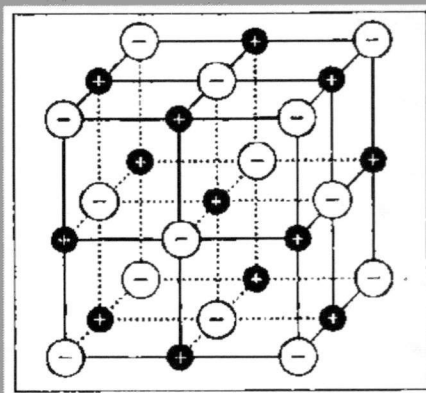


Fig. 7.1

Do you agree with the student's representation of the structure of hydrogen chloride gas? Explain your answer.

.....

.....

[2]

[Total: 10]

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- 8 Table 8 shows the information of five different particles.

Table 8

| particle | relative mass | relative charge |
|----------|---------------|-----------------|
| A        | 2             | +2              |
| B        | 0             | -1              |
| C        | 1             | +1              |
| D        | 4             | +2              |
| E        | 9             | 0               |

- (a) Which particle is an electron? Explain your answer.

..... [1]

- (b) State the identity of particle C.

..... [1]

- (c) Which particle could be made up of two protons but no neutrons in the nucleus? Explain your answer.

..... [2]

- (d) Which two particles could represent the nuclei of isotopes? Explain your answer.

..... [3]

- (e) E has a proton number of 4. E and lithium have very different chemical reactivities. Use their electronic structure to explain the difference.

..... [3]

[Total: 10]

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# The Periodic Table of Elements

| Group                      |                             |  |                                 |                             |                              |                             |                              |                              |                                |                               |                               |                             |                             |                             |                               |                              |                            | III                       | IV                        | V | VI | VII | 0                      |
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| I                          | II                          |  |                                 |                             |                              |                             |                              |                              |                                |                               |                               |                             |                             |                             |                               |                              | 1<br>H<br>hydrogen<br>1    |                           |                           |   |    |     | 2<br>He<br>helium<br>4 |
|                            |                             | <div>Key</div> <div>proton (atomic) number<br/>atomic symbol<br/>name<br/>relative atomic mass</div> |                                 |                             |                              |                             |                              |                              |                                |                               |                               | 5<br>B<br>boron<br>11       | 6<br>C<br>carbon<br>12      | 7<br>N<br>nitrogen<br>14    | 8<br>O<br>oxygen<br>16        | 9<br>F<br>fluorine<br>19     | 10<br>Ne<br>neon<br>20     |                           |                           |   |    |     |                        |
| 3<br>Li<br>lithium<br>7    | 4<br>Be<br>beryllium<br>9   |  |                                 |                             |                              |                             |                              |                              |                                |                               |                               | 13<br>Al<br>aluminium<br>27 | 14<br>Si<br>silicon<br>28   | 15<br>P<br>phosphorus<br>31 | 16<br>S<br>sulfur<br>32       | 17<br>Cl<br>chlorine<br>35.5 | 18<br>Ar<br>argon<br>40    |                           |                           |   |    |     |                        |
| 11<br>Na<br>sodium<br>23   | 12<br>Mg<br>magnesium<br>24 | 19<br>K<br>potassium<br>39   | 20<br>Ca<br>calcium<br>40       | 21<br>Sc<br>scandium<br>45  | 22<br>Ti<br>titanium<br>48   | 23<br>V<br>vanadium<br>51   | 24<br>Cr<br>chromium<br>52   | 25<br>Mn<br>manganese<br>55  | 26<br>Fe<br>iron<br>56         | 27<br>Co<br>cobalt<br>59      | 28<br>Ni<br>nickel<br>59      | 29<br>Cu<br>copper<br>64    | 30<br>Zn<br>zinc<br>65      | 31<br>Ga<br>gallium<br>70   | 32<br>Ge<br>germanium<br>73   | 33<br>As<br>arsenic<br>75    | 34<br>Se<br>selenium<br>79 | 35<br>Br<br>bromine<br>80 | 36<br>Kr<br>krypton<br>84 |   |    |     |                        |
| 37<br>Rb<br>rubidium<br>85 | 38<br>Sr<br>strontium<br>88 | 39<br>Y<br>yttrium<br>89   | 40<br>Zr<br>zirconium<br>91     | 41<br>Nb<br>niobium<br>93   | 42<br>Mo<br>molybdenum<br>96 | 43<br>Tc<br>technetium<br>- | 44<br>Ru<br>ruthenium<br>101 | 45<br>Rh<br>rhodium<br>103   | 46<br>Pd<br>palladium<br>106   | 47<br>Ag<br>silver<br>108     | 48<br>Cd<br>cadmium<br>112    | 49<br>In<br>indium<br>115   | 50<br>Sn<br>tin<br>119      | 51<br>Sb<br>antimony<br>122 | 52<br>Te<br>tellurium<br>128  | 53<br>I<br>iodine<br>127     | 54<br>Xe<br>xenon<br>131   |                           |                           |   |    |     |                        |
| 55<br>Cs<br>caesium<br>133 | 56<br>Ba<br>barium<br>137   | 57 – 71  | 72<br>Hf<br>hafnium<br>178      | 73<br>Ta<br>tantalum<br>181 | 74<br>W<br>tungsten<br>184   | 75<br>Re<br>rhenium<br>186  | 76<br>Os<br>osmium<br>190    | 77<br>Ir<br>iridium<br>192   | 78<br>Pt<br>platinum<br>195    | 79<br>Au<br>gold<br>197       | 80<br>Hg<br>mercury<br>201    | 81<br>Tl<br>thallium<br>204 | 82<br>Pb<br>lead<br>207     | 83<br>Bi<br>bismuth<br>209  | 84<br>Po<br>polonium<br>-     | 85<br>At<br>astatine<br>-    | 86<br>Rn<br>radon<br>-     |                           |                           |   |    |     |                        |
| 87<br>Fr<br>francium<br>-  | 88<br>Ra<br>radium<br>-     | 89 – 103   | 104<br>Rf<br>Rutherfordium<br>- | 105<br>Db<br>dubnium<br>-   | 106<br>Sg<br>seaborgium<br>- | 107<br>Bh<br>bohrium<br>-   | 108<br>Hs<br>hassium<br>-    | 109<br>Mt<br>meitnerium<br>- | 110<br>Ds<br>darmstadtium<br>- | 111<br>Rg<br>roentgenium<br>- | 112<br>Cn<br>copernicium<br>- |                             | 114<br>Fl<br>flerovium<br>- |                             | 116<br>Lv<br>livermorium<br>- |                              |                            |                           |                           |   |    |     |                        |

lanthanoids

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| 57<br>La<br>lanthanum<br>139 | 58<br>Ce<br>cerium<br>140 | 59<br>Pr<br>praseodymium<br>141 | 60<br>Nd<br>neodymium<br>144 | 61<br>Pm<br>promethium<br>- | 62<br>Sm<br>samarium<br>150 | 63<br>Eu<br>europium<br>152 | 64<br>Gd<br>gadolinium<br>157 | 65<br>Tb<br>terbium<br>159 | 66<br>Dy<br>dysprosium<br>163 | 67<br>Ho<br>holmium<br>165 | 68<br>Er<br>erbium<br>167 | 69<br>Tm<br>thulium<br>169 | 70<br>Yb<br>ytterbium<br>173 | 71<br>Lu<br>lutetium<br>175 |
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actinoids

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| 89<br>Ac<br>actinium<br>- | 90<br>Th<br>thorium<br>232 | 91<br>Pa<br>protactinium<br>231 | 92<br>U<br>uranium<br>238 | 93<br>Np<br>neptunium<br>- | 94<br>Pu<br>plutonium<br>- | 95<br>Am<br>americium<br>- | 96<br>Cm<br>curium<br>- | 97<br>Bk<br>berkeium<br>- | 98<br>Cf<br>californium<br>- | 99<br>Es<br>einsteinium<br>- | 100<br>Fm<br>fermium<br>- | 101<br>Md<br>mendelevium<br>- | 102<br>No<br>nobelium<br>- | 103<br>Lr<br>lawrencium<br>- |
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The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm<sup>3</sup> at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).

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Marking Scheme

SCIENCE (CHEMISTRY)

Paper 1 [ 20 marks ]

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|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| D  | C  | A  | B  | B  | D  | A  | B  | C  | C  |

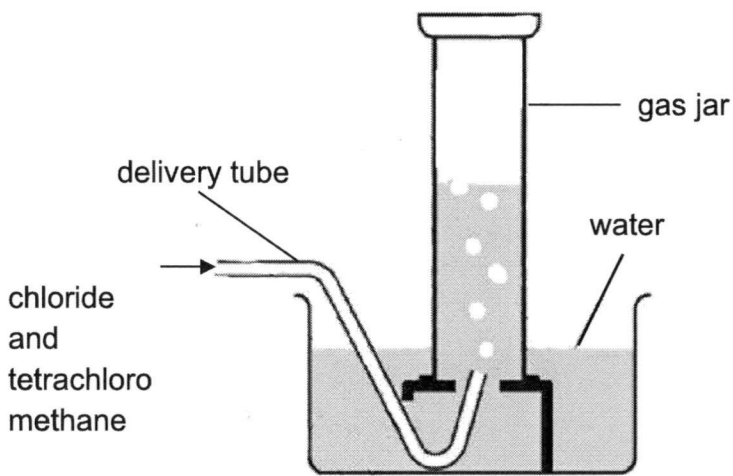
Paper 3

Section B

|      |   |             |
|------|---|-------------|
| 1ai  | Solid   | 1           |
| aII  | Solid + Liquid  | 1           |
| aIII | Liquid + Gas  | 1           |
| b    | Substance B is <b>pure</b> . ;<br>Substance B has a <b>fixed melting point of 100 °C / fixed boiling point of 160 °C</b> . (no marks if temperature is not given);  | 1<br>1      |
| 2a   | The results from the first chromatogram with water shows that <b>ink X can either be from ink P or R</b> .<br>Thus, the identification of the culprit cannot be determined.   | 1<br>1      |
| b    | Ink <b>R</b>  | 1           |
| c    | Ink Q is <b>soluble in water</b> but not in ethanol.  | 1           |
| 3ai  | Measuring cylinder or burette   | 1           |
| ii   | Pipette   | 1           |
| bi   | Sand and sodium chloride  | 1           |
| ii   | <b>Add water to the mixture</b> of sand and sodium chloride to dissolve the sodium chloride.<br>After <b>filtration</b> of the mixture, <b>sand</b> will be left as <b>residue</b> while <b>sodium chloride solution</b> will be obtained as <b>filtrate</b> .<br>To obtain dry sample of sodium chloride, <b>evaporate the solution to dryness</b> . | 1<br>1<br>1 |
| 4a   | Box A: element<br>Box B: mixture<br>Box C: element<br>Box D: compound<br>(any 2 correct = 1 mark)   | 2           |
| b    | Any two of the differences:   |             |

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|      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Components in mixtures can be separated by physical means but components in compounds can only be separated by chemical means. ;</li> <li>- Chemical properties of mixture is the same as those of its components but chemical properties of a compound are different from those of its constituent elements.</li> <li>- Little or no energy change is involved in making mixtures but energy change is involved in making compounds.</li> <li>- Components in mixtures are not mixed in a fixed ratio but constituent elements in a compound are combined in a fixed ratio</li> </ul> | 2                          |
| 5a   | X   | 1                          |
| b    | 2.8.8   | 1                          |
| ci   | <p>1m – correct bonding</p> <p>1m – correct number of electrons and charge on ions</p>  | 2                          |
| cii  | ZW <sub>2</sub>   | 1                          |
| ciii | <p>Any of the following properties:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- High melting and boiling point</li> <li>- Conducts electricity only in molten and aqueous state</li> <li>- Soluble in water but insoluble in organic solvents</li> </ul>   | 1                          |
| 6a   | <p>KNO<sub>3</sub></p> <p>Magnesium carbonate</p> <p>NH<sub>3</sub></p>   | <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> |
| b    | <p>Li (s) + H<sub>2</sub>O (l) → LiOH (aq) + H<sub>2</sub> (g)</p> <p>1m – correct chemical formula &amp; correctly balanced</p> <p>1m – correct state symbols</p>  | 2                          |

Section C [ 20 marks ]

|      |   |                              |
|------|---|------------------------------|
| 7(a) | methane particles are <b>moving randomly in all directions</b> ; particles are <b>arranged randomly</b> and are <b>far apart</b>  | 1<br>1                       |
| b    | methane is a <b>covalent substance</b> and has a <b>low boiling point</b> . <b>Little energy</b> is required to <b>overcome the weak intermolecular forces of attraction</b> between methane molecules.   | 1;<br>1;                     |
| c    |   | 2                            |
| d    | <p>To obtain tetrachloromethane, <b>displacement of water method</b> is used. Hydrogen chloride will dissolve in water while tetrachloromethane will be collected in the gas jar as it is insoluble in water.</p>  | 2m for diagram (with labels) |
| 7e   | <b>No</b> , the structure that the student drew was that of a <b>giant ionic structure</b> . However, hydrogen chloride has a <b>simple covalent structure</b> .  | 1<br>1                       |
| 8a   | B.<br>An electron has <b>negligible relative mass</b> and has a <b>charge of -1</b> .   | 1<br>1                       |
| b    | Hydrogen ion  | 1                            |
| c    | A, a proton has a <b>relative mass of 1</b> and carries a <b>positive charge of +1</b> .  | 1<br>1                       |
| d    | <p><b>A and D</b><br/>They contain the <b>same number of positive charges</b> thus indicating that they have the <b>same number of protons</b>.<br/>They have <b>different relative masses</b>, indicating that the <b>number of neutrons in the nucleus is different</b>.</p>                        | 1<br>1<br>1                  |

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| e | E has an electronic structure of <b>2.2</b> while lithium has an electronic structure of <b>2.1</b> . Elements belonging to <b>same group</b> have the <b>same chemical reactivities</b> due to the <b>same number of valence electrons</b> . Since E and lithium belong to different groups, they have different chemical reactivities. | 1<br>1<br>1 |
|---|--|-------------|