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**Chemistry**  
**Advanced Subsidiary**  
**Unit 1: The Core Principles of Chemistry**

Thursday 14 January 2016 – Morning <b>Time: 1 hour 30 minutes</b>	Paper Reference <b>WCH01/01</b>
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### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided – *there may be more space than you need.*

### Information

- The total mark for this paper is 80.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets – *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- Questions labelled with an **asterisk** (\*) are ones where the quality of your written communication will be assessed – *you should take particular care with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression, on these questions.*
- A Periodic Table is printed on the back cover of this paper.

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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## SECTION A

Answer ALL the questions in this section. You should aim to spend no more than 20 minutes on this section. For each question, select one answer from A to D and put a cross in the box . If you change your mind, put a line through the box  and then mark your new answer with a cross .

- 1 Which row in the table shows the number of protons, neutrons and electrons in a fluoride ion, F<sup>-</sup>?

Use the Periodic Table as a source of data.

	Protons	Neutrons	Electrons
<input type="checkbox"/> A	8	9	9
<input type="checkbox"/> B	9	9	10
<input type="checkbox"/> C	9	10	9
<input type="checkbox"/> D	9	10	10

(Total for Question 1 = 1 mark)

- 2 A sample of oxygen contains the isotopes <sup>16</sup>O, <sup>17</sup>O, <sup>18</sup>O.

How many peaks would there be for the O<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> ions in the mass spectrum of this sample of oxygen?

- A 3  
 B 5  
 C 6  
 D 9

(Total for Question 2 = 1 mark)

- 3 2000 g of a solution contains 0.015 g of solute.

In the solution, the concentration of the solute in parts per million (ppm) is

- A 3.0  
 B 7.5  
 C 30  
 D 75

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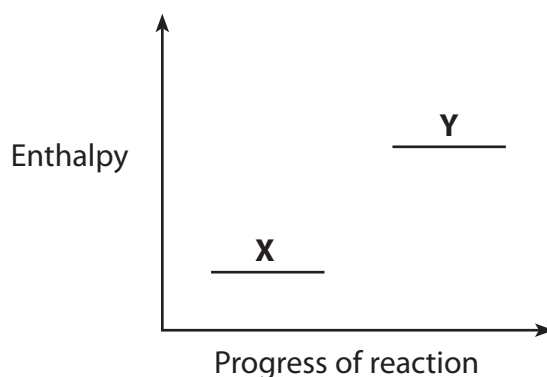


4 What is the concentration, in  $\text{mol dm}^{-3}$ , of a solution of 10.6 g of sodium carbonate,  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$ , in  $250 \text{ cm}^3$  of solution?

- A 0.40  
 B 0.25  
 C 0.10  
 D 0.025

(Total for Question 4 = 1 mark)

5 An enthalpy level diagram for a reaction is



Which row in the table shows the correct terms for X and Y and the enthalpy change for this reaction?

	X	Y	Enthalpy change
<input type="checkbox"/> A	products	reactants	endothermic
<input type="checkbox"/> B	products	reactants	exothermic
<input type="checkbox"/> C	reactants	products	endothermic
<input type="checkbox"/> D	reactants	products	exothermic

(Total for Question 5 = 1 mark)

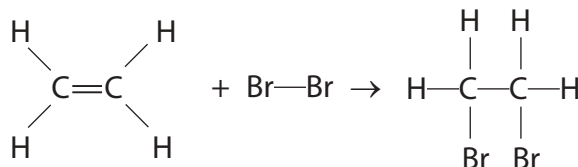
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6 The table shows the mean bond enthalpies for some covalent bonds.

Covalent bond	C—C	C=C	Br—Br	C—Br	C—H
Mean bond enthalpy / kJ mol <sup>-1</sup>	347	612	193	290	413

What is the approximate enthalpy change, in kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>, for the reaction shown?



- A -225
- B -122
- C +122
- D +225

(Total for Question 6 = 1 mark)

7 The first six ionization energies, in kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>, of an element are

1086, 2353, 4621, 6223, 37832, 47278

In which group of the Periodic Table is this element?

- A 2
- B 3
- C 4
- D 5

(Total for Question 7 = 1 mark)

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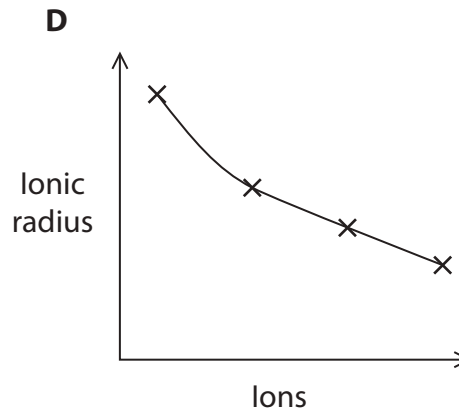
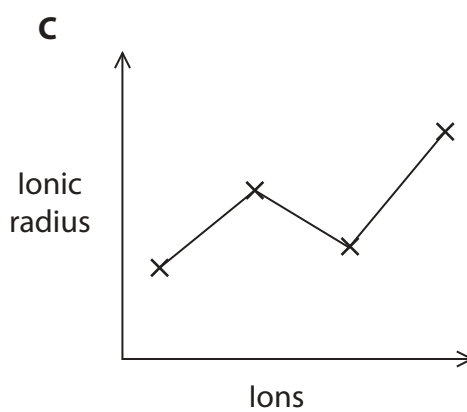
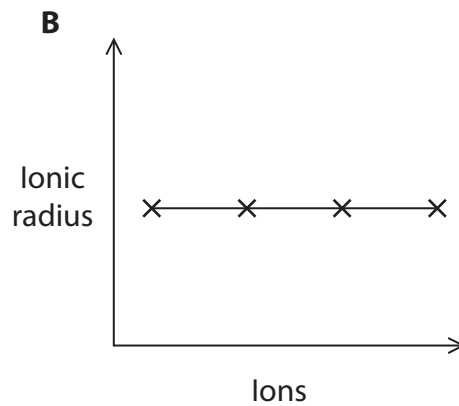
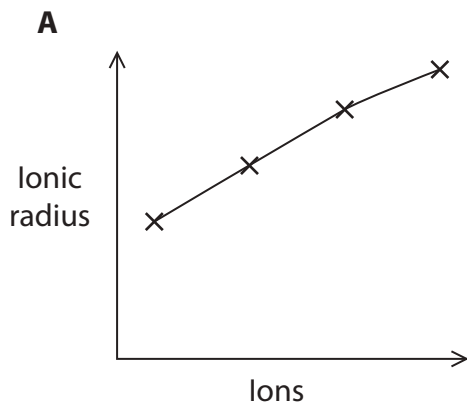
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- 8 Each diagram shows the trend in the ionic radius for four sequences of ions. The diagrams are not to scale.



- (a) Which diagram shows the trend in the ionic radius for the sequence  $\text{Li}^+$ ,  $\text{Na}^+$ ,  $\text{K}^+$ ,  $\text{Rb}^+$ ?

(1)

- A
- B
- C
- D

- (b) Which diagram shows the trend in the ionic radius for the sequence  $\text{Na}^+$ ,  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Al}^{3+}$ ,  $\text{Si}^{4+}$ ?

(1)

- A
- B
- C
- D

(Total for Question 8 = 2 marks)



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9 Some energy changes involved in a Born-Haber cycle are

- A electron affinity
- B lattice energy
- C standard enthalpy change of atomization
- D standard enthalpy change of formation

(a) Which enthalpy or energy change is represented by **p**?



- A
- B
- C
- D

(b) Which enthalpy or energy change is represented by **q**?



- A
- B
- C
- D

(c) Which enthalpy or energy change is represented by **r**?



- A
- B
- C
- D

(Total for Question 9 = 3 marks)

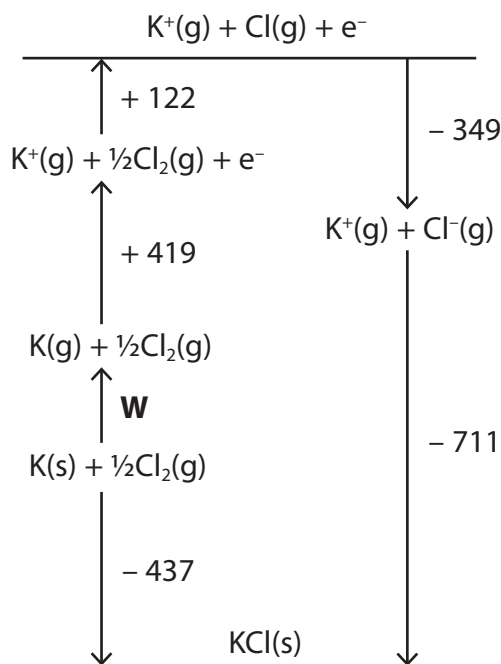
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- 10 The diagram, which is not drawn to scale, shows the Born-Haber cycle for potassium chloride. The energy changes given are in  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ .



What is the value for **W**, in  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ ?

- A -956
- B -82
- C +82
- D +956

(Total for Question 10 = 1 mark)

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- 11 Which row in the table shows the lattice energies, in  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ , of calcium fluoride, potassium fluoride and potassium iodide?

	Calcium fluoride	Potassium fluoride	Potassium iodide
<input type="checkbox"/> A	-2630	-817	-651
<input type="checkbox"/> B	-2630	-651	-817
<input type="checkbox"/> C	-651	-817	-2630
<input type="checkbox"/> D	-817	-2630	-651

(Total for Question 11 = 1 mark)

- 12 The experimental value for the lattice energy of beryllium iodide is  $-2800 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$  and the theoretical value is  $-2653 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ .

The best explanation for the difference is that the

- A beryllium ion is large and polarizes the iodide ion.
- B beryllium ion is small and polarizes the iodide ion.
- C iodide ion is large and polarizes the beryllium ion.
- D iodide ion is small and polarizes the beryllium ion.

(Total for Question 12 = 1 mark)

- 13 Carbon (diamond) and oxygen both form covalent bonds between their atoms in the element.

What is the **best** reason for the fact that diamond has a much higher melting temperature than oxygen?

- A Diamond is a solid but oxygen is a gas at room temperature.
- B Diamond has a giant atomic structure but oxygen has a simple molecular structure.
- C The covalent bonds between carbon atoms in diamond are stronger than those between oxygen atoms.
- D There is a single covalent bond between carbon atoms in diamond but a double covalent bond between oxygen atoms.

(Total for Question 13 = 1 mark)

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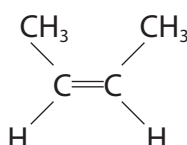


14 The bonding in solid ammonium chloride is

- A ionic only.
- B ionic and covalent only.
- C ionic and dative covalent only.
- D ionic, covalent and dative covalent only.

(Total for Question 14 = 1 mark)

15 One of the isomers with the formula  $C_4H_8$  is



Possible names for this isomer are

- A *cis*-but-2-ene and *E*-but-2-ene.
- B *cis*-but-2-ene and *Z*-but-2-ene.
- C *trans*-but-2-ene and *E*-but-2-ene.
- D *trans*-but-2-ene and *Z*-but-2-ene.

(Total for Question 15 = 1 mark)

16 An electrophile is a species that

- A can accept a pair of electrons to form a covalent bond.
- B can donate a pair of electrons to form a covalent bond.
- C always has a negative charge.
- D always has a positive charge.

(Total for Question 16 = 1 mark)

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17 Alkenes react with hydrogen gas in the presence of a nickel catalyst.

0.2 mol of an alkene reacted completely with 19.2 dm<sup>3</sup> of hydrogen gas at room temperature and pressure.

How many C=C bonds are there in a molecule of this alkene?

[The molar volume of a gas is 24.0 dm<sup>3</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup> at room temperature and pressure]

- A 4
- B 3
- C 2
- D 1

(Total for Question 17 = 1 mark)

TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 20 MARKS

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## SECTION B

Answer ALL the questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

18 (a) The relative atomic masses of elements can be determined using a mass spectrometer.

(i) Define the term **relative atomic mass**.

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(ii) Describe fully how positive ions are formed from gaseous atoms in a mass spectrometer.

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(iii) The following data were obtained from the mass spectrum of a sample of strontium.

Mass / charge ratio	% abundance
84.0	0.56
86.0	9.86
87.0	7.02
88.0	82.56

Calculate the relative atomic mass of strontium in this sample.

Give your answer to **three** significant figures.

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(b) In which block of the Periodic Table is strontium found?

(1)



(c) Draw the dot and cross diagram for strontium chloride.

Show **outer** electrons only.

(2)

(d) A solution of strontium nitrate was prepared from strontium oxide and dilute nitric acid.

Write the equation for this reaction, including state symbols.

(2)

(e) A compound of strontium contains 49.9% strontium, 13.7% carbon and 36.4% oxygen, by mass.

Calculate the empirical formula for this compound.

[Use relative atomic masses: Sr = 87.6, C = 12.0, O = 16.0]

(3)

(Total for Question 18 = 15 marks)



19 The first ionization energies for the elements in Period 3 of the Periodic Table are

Element	Na	Mg	Al	Si	P	S	Cl	Ar
First ionization energy / $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$	496	738	578	789	1012	1000	1251	1521

- (a) (i) Complete the electronic configuration of phosphorus, using the electrons-in-boxes notation.

Write the symbols for the sub-shells on the dotted lines.

(2)



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- \*(ii) The first ionization energies generally increase from left to right across the period.

Explain why the first ionization energy of sulfur is **lower** than that of phosphorus.

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- (iii) Write an equation, with state symbols, to show the **third** ionization energy of phosphorus.

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- \* (b) (i) Explain why the first ionization energy of nitrogen is greater than the first ionization energy of phosphorus.

(3)

- (ii) Draw a dot and cross diagram to show the bonding in a molecule of nitrogen.  
Show **outer** electrons only.

(2)

- (c) Solid white phosphorus exists as  $P_4$  molecules.

Calculate the number of molecules in 24.8 g of white phosphorus.

[The Avogadro constant,  $L = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ ]

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20 Compound X has the molecular formula  $C_5H_{12}$ .

(a) Draw the **displayed** formulae of the **three** structural isomers of  $C_5H_{12}$ .

(2)

(b)  $C_5H_{12}$  reacts with chlorine to form a mixture of products.

(i) Classify the type and mechanism of this reaction.

(2)

(ii) Write the equations for the two propagation steps for this mechanism. Use the molecular formula,  $C_5H_{12}$ , in your first equation. Curly arrows are not required.

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(iii) Write the equation for **one** termination step for this mechanism. Curly arrows are not required.

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- (c) An experiment was carried out to determine the enthalpy change of combustion of compound **X**,  $C_5H_{12}$ .

100.0 g of water was heated by burning 0.144 g of compound **X**.

The temperature rise of the water was 14.5 °C.

- (i) Calculate the energy transferred, in **kJ**, in this experiment.

Use the equation

$$\text{heat energy produced (J)} = \text{mass of water} \times 4.18 \times \text{temperature change} \quad (1)$$

energy transferred = ..... kJ

- (ii) Calculate the number of moles of compound **X** used in this experiment. (1)

moles of **X** = .....

- (iii) Calculate the enthalpy change of combustion of compound **X**. Include a sign and units in your answer. (2)

enthalpy change of combustion = .....

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(iv) The Data Book values for the enthalpy changes of combustion of the three structural isomers with the formula  $C_5H_{12}$  are:

$-3509.1 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

$-3503.4 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

$-3492.5 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

The experimental value calculated in (c)(iii) is very different from these values. Give **two** reasons, other than heat loss, for this large difference.

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(v) Explain why it is **not** possible to deduce which of the isomers is compound **X** by comparing this experimental value and the Data Book values.

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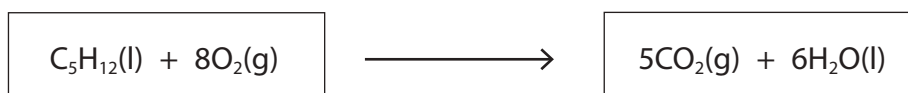


\*(d) Complete the Hess cycle and use it to calculate the enthalpy change of combustion of  $C_5H_{12}$  from the following data.

Show all of your working.

Standard enthalpy change of formation of $C_5H_{12}(l)$	$-173.2 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$
Standard enthalpy change of combustion of $H_2(g)$	$-285.8 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$
Standard enthalpy change of combustion of carbon(s, graphite)	$-393.5 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

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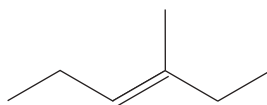
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21 This question is about alkenes.

(a) (i) Give the molecular formula of this alkene.

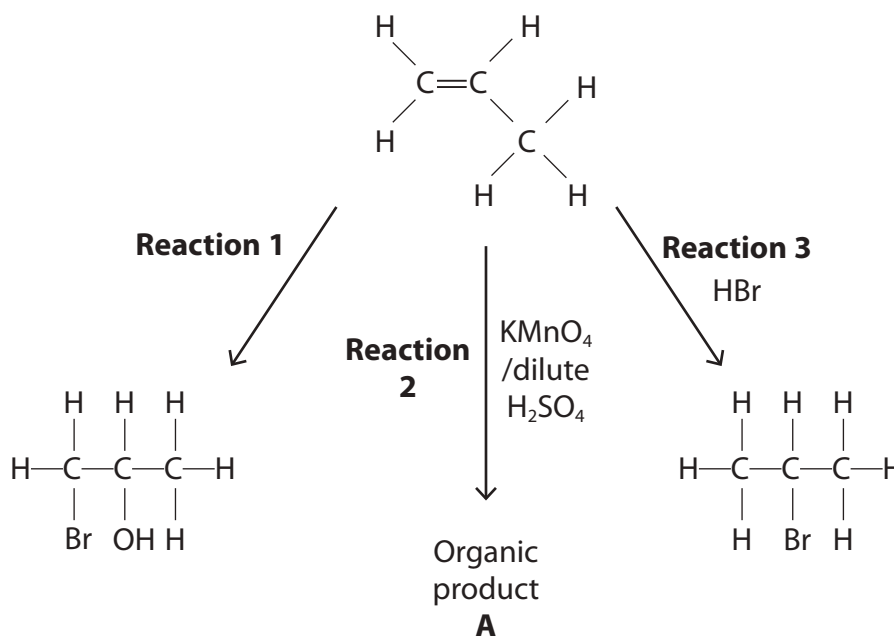
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(ii) Explain why the alkene in (a)(i) exhibits geometric isomerism.

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(b) Propene reacts with three different reagents.



(i) Give the reagent needed for **Reaction 1**.

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(ii) Identify, by name or formula, the organic product **A** formed in **Reaction 2**. (1)

(iii) State the colour change that you would see when **Reaction 2** is carried out. (1)

From ..... to .....

(iv) Give the mechanism for **Reaction 3**. Use curly arrows and show any relevant dipoles and lone pairs. (4)

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(c) But-2-ene polymerizes to form poly(but-2-ene).

Draw a section of this polymer, showing **two** repeat units.

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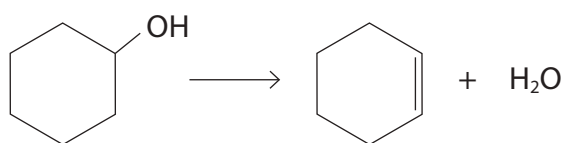
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(d) Cyclohexanol forms cyclohexene in the following reaction.



(i) Calculate the percentage atom economy by mass for the production of cyclohexene.

(1)

(ii) Calculate the percentage yield if 10.20 g of cyclohexanol produced 6.15 g of cyclohexene.

(2)

(Total for Question 21 = 14 marks)

**TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 60 MARKS**  
**TOTAL FOR PAPER = 80 MARKS**



