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1 hour 15 minutes

Candidates answer on the question paper.
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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name, Centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer **all** questions.

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

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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 12.

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This question paper consists of 12 printed pages.

- 1 The table, Fig. 1.1, shows some of the properties of the elements in Group IV of the Periodic Table.

element	density in g/cm ³	melting point in °C	type of structure	type of oxide
carbon	2.25	3700	giant covalent	acidic
silicon	2.33	1683		acidic
germanium		1210	giant covalent	amphoteric
tin	7.31	505	metallic	
lead	11.35	601	metallic	amphoteric

Fig. 1.1

- (a) Complete the table by suggesting the density of germanium, the type of structure for silicon and the type of oxide formed by tin. [3]

- (b) Suggest why the melting points of the elements do not show a steady trend.

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 [2]

- (c) There is another form of carbon which has a density of 3.53 g/cm³. This different density is a result of the different structure of this form of carbon.

Explain the difference in densities in terms of the structures of the two forms of carbon.

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 [2]

2 (a) For a moving object what is the difference between its speed and its velocity?

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(b) A car initially moving with a speed of 20 m/s accelerates at a steady rate until it reaches a speed of 30 m/s. This takes a time of 5 s.

(i) Calculate the acceleration of the car.

Write down the equation that you use and show your working.

acceleration = [3]

(ii) The mass of the car is 600 kg. Calculate the driving force needed to accelerate the car.

Write down the equation that you use and show your working.

force = [3]

(c) The force provided by the engine is greater than the force calculated in (b). Explain why this is the case.

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3 Ethene, C_2H_4 , is described as an unsaturated hydrocarbon. Ethene does not occur naturally, but is formed by the catalytic cracking of saturated hydrocarbons.

(a) Write a balanced equation for the catalytic cracking of propane, C_3H_8 , to produce ethene and methane.

..... [2]

(b) Draw a dot-and-cross diagram to show the bonding in ethene. You need only show the outer shell electrons in each atom.

[2]

(c) (i) Explain why ethene can undergo an addition reaction with bromine but ethane cannot.

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(ii) Describe how you would use the reaction in **(c)(i)** to distinguish between ethene and ethane.

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4 (a) (i) Name the process by which light nuclei join with each other at a very high temperature to form heavier nuclei.

..... [1]

(ii) Name a place where such a reaction may occur.

..... [1]

(iii) A very high temperature is required to provide the nuclei with kinetic energy. Why is such a large amount of kinetic energy required to force the nuclei together?

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..... [2]

(b) In a nuclear reaction of this type the nuclei of two atoms of the isotope hydrogen-2, ${}^2_1\text{H}$, may combine to form a nucleus of a helium atom, ${}^4_2\text{He}$.

(i) Explain the meaning of the word *isotope*.

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..... [2]

(ii) Write down the number of protons and the number of neutrons in ${}^2_1\text{H}$.

number of protons

number of neutrons [2]

(iii) The total mass of the two hydrogen nuclei is 6.67×10^{-27} kg. The mass of the helium nucleus formed is 6.64×10^{-27} kg.

Calculate the amount of energy released in this reaction.

Write down the equation that you use and show your working.
(speed of light = $3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ms}^{-1}$)

energy released = J [4]

5 Copper and tin are both soft metals. Bronze is an alloy of copper with tin. Bronze is much harder, and more brittle than either copper or tin.

(a) Describe the bonding between the particles in a pure metal such as copper.

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..... [3]

(b) Explain how the structure of bronze causes it to be harder and more brittle than either copper or tin.

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..... [2]

(c) Electrical wires for domestic appliances such as kettles are made of copper. Suggest **two** reasons why copper is preferred to bronze for this use.

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..... [2]

- 6 The heating coil in an electric heater consists of a length of wire. It is designed to give out 3 kW of power while operating at a p.d. of 250 V.

- (a) Calculate the current passing through the heating coil under these conditions.

Write down the equation that you use and show your working.

current = [3]

- (b) Calculate the resistance of the heating coil.

Write down the equation that you use and show your working.

resistance = [3]

- (c) To change the resistance of the wire in the heating coil, either its length or its cross-sectional area could be changed. State how you would change these quantities to **increase** the resistance of the wire.

(i) change to length

(ii) change to cross-sectional area

[2]

- 7 (a) Aluminium is higher in the reactivity series than iron. However, iron structures need protection, such as galvanising, to prevent corrosion. Aluminium needs no such protection.

(i) State what is meant by *galvanising*.

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..... [1]

(ii) Explain how galvanising protects iron from corrosion.

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..... [2]

(iii) Explain why aluminium appears to resist corrosion.

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..... [2]

(b) Zinc oxide is insoluble in water, but most salts of zinc are soluble.

When zinc chloride crystals are heated gently, the water of crystallisation reacts with the chloride to form the oxide.

Hydrated zinc chloride crystals can be prepared from zinc oxide.

(i) Name the other reactant that is used.

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(ii) State how you would carry out the reaction to obtain a solution which contains only zinc chloride.

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(iii) State how you would obtain crystals of zinc chloride from the solution.

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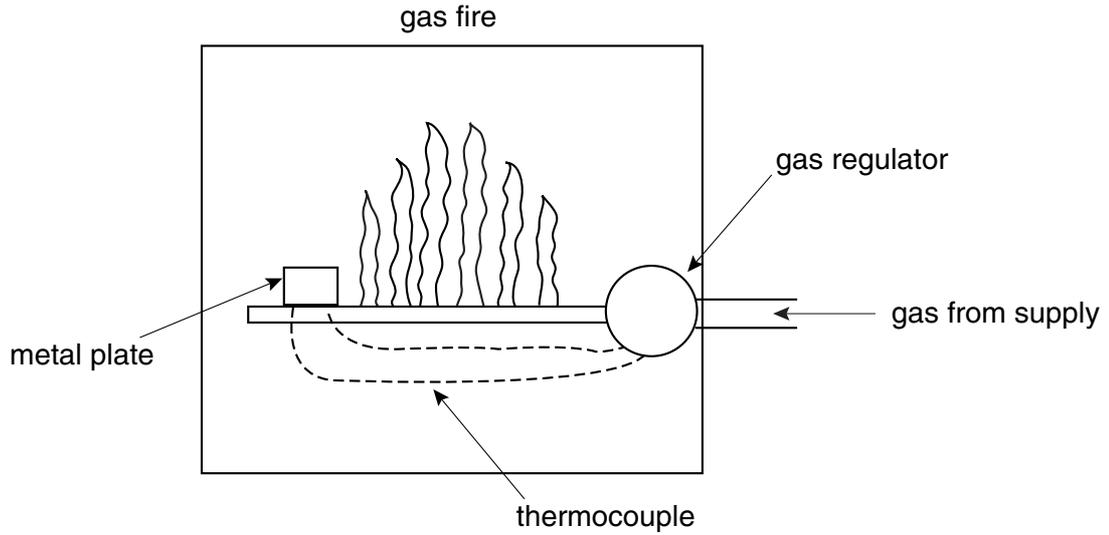


Fig. 8.1

(a) Fig. 8.1 shows a gas fire that has its temperature regulated using a thermocouple connected to a metal plate. When the temperature of the metal plate changes, the thermocouple controls the gas regulator to alter the rate of flow of gas.

(i) Describe the construction of a thermocouple.

..... [1]

(ii) Suggest why a thermocouple is suitable for this purpose.

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 [1]

(iii) Explain how the heat from the flames reaches the metal plate.

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 [2]

(b) The inside of the fire becomes sufficiently warm so that it emits some radiation.

(i) The back of the fire could be treated in order to reflect the radiation into the room. What would be the best type of surface coating in order to reflect the radiation?

..... [1]

(ii) Name the region of the electromagnetic spectrum that is associated with thermal radiation.

..... [1]

9 To try to reduce the pollution caused by car engines in densely populated areas the exhausts are often fitted with catalytic converters. These catalysts only function at very high temperatures.

(a) One reaction that is catalysed is the removal of nitrogen oxide and carbon monoxide from the exhaust. The equation for this reaction is:



(i) Find the relative molar mass, M_r , of nitrogen oxide, NO.

You should use the Periodic Table on page 12 of this question paper to help you answer this question.

M_r of nitrogen oxide = [2]

(ii) Calculate the volume of 150 g of nitrogen oxide at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.)

1 mole of any gas occupies 24 dm³ at r.t.p.

volume of nitrogen oxide = dm³ [2]

(iii) Hence calculate the volume of nitrogen produced when 150 g of nitrogen oxide reacts completely with carbon monoxide.

volume of nitrogen = dm³ [2]

(b) Explain how car engines produce carbon monoxide.

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 [2]

(c) State how carbon monoxide acts as a poison.

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 [1]

- 10 On the grid of Fig. 10.1 draw a ray diagram to show how a converging (convex) lens can be used as a magnifying glass. Mark in and label the lens, the object, the image and the focus of the lens.

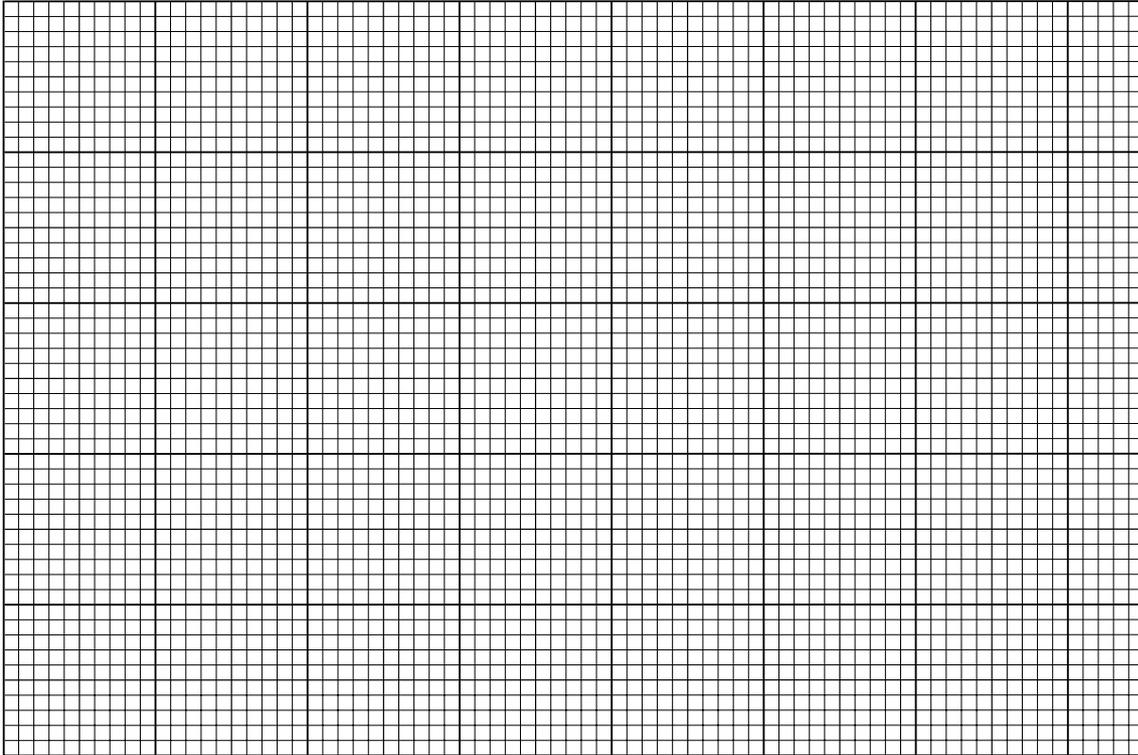


Fig. 10.1

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DATA SHEET
The Periodic Table of the Elements

Group																							
I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	O																
7 Li Lithium 3	9 Be Beryllium 4	11 B Boron 5	12 C Carbon 6	14 N Nitrogen 7	16 O Oxygen 8	19 F Fluorine 9	4 He Helium 2																
23 Na Sodium 11	24 Mg Magnesium 12	27 Al Aluminium 13	28 Si Silicon 14	31 P Phosphorus 15	32 S Sulphur 16	35.5 Cl Chlorine 17	20 Ne Neon 10																
39 K Potassium 19	40 Ca Calcium 20	45 Sc Scandium 21	48 Ti Titanium 22	59 Co Cobalt 27	56 Fe Iron 26	59 Ni Nickel 28	64 Cu Copper 29	65 Zn Zinc 30	70 Ga Gallium 31														
85 Rb Rubidium 37	88 Sr Strontium 38	89 Y Yttrium 39	91 Zr Zirconium 40	103 Rh Rhodium 45	101 Ru Ruthenium 44	106 Pd Palladium 46	108 Ag Silver 47	112 Cd Cadmium 48	115 In Indium 49														
133 Cs Caesium 55	137 Ba Barium 56	139 La Lanthanum 57	178 Hf Hafnium 72	184 W Tungsten 74	190 Os Osmium 76	195 Pt Platinum 78	197 Au Gold 79	201 Hg Mercury 80	204 Tl Thallium 81														
87 Fr Francium	88 Ra Radium	227 Ac Actinium								82 Pb Lead	83 Bi Bismuth	84 Po Polonium	85 At Astatine	86 Rn Radon									
										140 Ce Cerium 58	141 Pr Praseodymium 59	144 Nd Neodymium 60	150 Sm Samarium 62	152 Eu Europium 63	157 Gd Gadolinium 64	162 Dy Dysprosium 66	165 Ho Holmium 67	167 Er Erbium 68	169 Tm Thulium 69	173 Yb Ytterbium 70	175 Lu Lutetium 71		
										232 Th Thorium 90	238 Pa Protactinium 91	238 U Uranium 92	238 Np Neptunium 93	238 Pu Plutonium 94	238 Am Americium 95	238 Cm Curium 96	238 Bk Berkelium 97	238 Cf Californium 98	238 Es Einsteinium 99	238 Fm Fermium 100	238 Md Mendelevium 101	238 No Nobelium 102	238 Lr Lawrencium 103

*58-71 Lanthanoid series
†90-103 Actinoid series

Key

a	X
b	

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

The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm³ at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).