# Cambridge International AS \& A Level 

## CHEMISTRY

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Paper 1 Multiple Choice

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1 hour 15 minutes

You must answer on the multiple choice answer sheet.

You will need: Multiple choice answer sheet<br>Soft clean eraser<br>Soft pencil (type B or HB is recommended)

## INSTRUCTIONS

- There are forty 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 multiple choice answer sheet.
- Follow the instructions on the multiple choice answer sheet.
- Write in soft pencil.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number on the multiple choice answer sheet in the spaces provided unless this has been done for you.
- Do not use correction fluid.
- Do not write on any bar codes.
- You may use a calculator.


## INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 40 .
- Each correct answer will score one mark.
- Any rough working should be done on this question paper.
- The Periodic Table is printed in the question paper.
- Important values, constants and standards are printed in the question paper.

1 Equations involving four enthalpy changes are shown.

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\begin{array}{ll}
\mathrm{Na}(\mathrm{~g}) \rightarrow \mathrm{Na}^{+}(\mathrm{g})+\mathrm{e}^{-} & \Delta H=\mathrm{W} \\
\mathrm{Na}(\mathrm{~g}) \rightarrow \mathrm{Na}^{2+}(\mathrm{g})+2 \mathrm{e}^{-} & \Delta H=\mathrm{X} \\
\mathrm{Na}(\mathrm{~s}) \rightarrow \mathrm{Na}(\mathrm{~g}) & \Delta H=\mathrm{Y} \\
\mathrm{Na}(\mathrm{~s}) \rightarrow \mathrm{Na}^{2+}(\mathrm{g})+2 \mathrm{e}^{-} & \Delta H=\mathrm{Z}
\end{array}
$$

Which equation represents the second ionisation energy of sodium?
A X
B $\quad X+Y-W$
C $\mathrm{X}-\mathrm{W}$
D Z - W

2 This question refers to isolated gaseous atoms in the ground state.
In which atom are all electrons paired?
A Ba
B Br
C S
D Si

3 Which sample contains the most iodine?
A 1 g of $\mathrm{CaI}_{2}$
B 1 g of KI
C 1 g of NaI
D 1 g of $\mathrm{NH}_{4} \mathrm{I}$

4 When a small sample of hydrocarbon Q is completely combusted, it produces 3.52 g of carbon dioxide and 1.44 g of water.

What could be the structure of hydrocarbon Q ?
A
B


C

D


5 Ethane and ethene are both hydrocarbon molecules.
What is a feature of both molecules?
A a planar structure
B bond angles of $109^{\circ}$
C $\sigma$ covalent bonds
D $\pi$ covalent bonds

6 Elements J and L are both in Group 15.
$J$ and $L$ each form a gaseous covalent hydride in which their oxidation number is -3 .
In the liquefied forms of these hydrides, significant hydrogen bonding occurs only in the hydride of $L$.

Which row about J and L could be correct?

|  | identity <br> of J | identity <br> of L | outer shell electron <br> configuration |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | As | N | $\mathrm{p}^{5}$ |
| B | As | N | $\mathrm{s}^{2} \mathrm{p}^{3}$ |
| C | N | As | $\mathrm{p}^{5}$ |
| D | N | As | $\mathrm{s}^{2} \mathrm{p}^{3}$ |

7 Which gas will behave least like an ideal gas at $150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and 101 kPa ?
A ammonia
B fluorine
C krypton
D steam

8 When an evacuated glass bulb of volume $200 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ is filled with a gas at 300 K and 101 kPa , the mass of the bulb increases by 0.68 g . The gas obeys the ideal gas equation.

What is the identity of the gas?
A argon
B krypton
C neon
D nitrogen

9 The standard enthalpy of formation of $\mathrm{NO}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})$ is $+33.2 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$.
The standard enthalpy of formation of $\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4}(\mathrm{~g})$ is $+9.2 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$.
What is the standard enthalpy change for the reaction $2 \mathrm{NO}_{2}(\mathrm{~g}) \rightarrow \mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4}(\mathrm{~g})$ ?
A $\quad-57.2 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$
B $-24.0 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$
C $\quad+42.4 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$
D $+75.6 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$

10 Separate samples of $25.0 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ of $0.1 \mathrm{~mol} \mathrm{dm}^{-3} \mathrm{NaOH}(\mathrm{aq})$ are added to each of three different acid solutions, as described. The temperature of each of the solutions was 298 K before mixing.

| sample | acid | type of acid | concentration <br> $/ \mathrm{mol} \mathrm{dm}^{-3}$ | volume <br> $/ \mathrm{cm}^{3}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$ | strong | 0.05 | 25.0 |
| 2 | HCl | strong | 0.05 | 25.0 |
| 3 | $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CO}_{2} \mathrm{H}$ | weak | 0.05 | 25.0 |

Which statement describes the temperature rises that occur on mixing each of these three acids separately with NaOH ?

A The temperature rise in all three mixtures is the same.
B The temperature rise using $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$ and HCl is the same.
C The temperature rise using $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CO}_{2} \mathrm{H}$ is greater than using HCl .
D The greatest temperature rise occurs using $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$.
$11 \mathrm{NCl}_{3}$ reacts with $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$.

$$
\mathrm{NCl}_{3}+3 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O} \rightarrow \mathrm{NH}_{3}+3 \mathrm{HClO}
$$

The oxidation state of nitrogen does not change in this reaction.
Which statement is correct?
A Chlorine is reduced.
B Chlorine is oxidised.
C Hydrogen is both oxidised and reduced.
D This is not a redox reaction.

12 In which row do the oxidation numbers of vanadium increase?

|  | smallest | largest |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | $\mathrm{VO}_{4}{ }^{3-}$ | $\mathrm{VO}_{3}{ }^{-}$ | $\mathrm{VO}_{2}{ }^{+}$ |
| B | $\mathrm{VO}^{2+}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3}$ | $\mathrm{VO}_{4}{ }^{3-}$ |
| C | $\mathrm{V}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3}$ | $\mathrm{VO}^{2+}$ | $\mathrm{VO}_{3}{ }^{+}$ |
| D | $\mathrm{VO}_{4}{ }^{3-}$ | $\mathrm{VO}_{2}{ }^{+}$ | $\mathrm{VO}^{2+}$ |

13 A synthesis for methanol is shown.

$$
\mathrm{CO}_{2}+3 \mathrm{H}_{2} \rightleftharpoons \mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{OH}+\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O} \quad \Delta H=-49 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}
$$

Which conditions would produce the greatest yield of methanol at equilibrium?

|  | pressure | temperature $/{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | high | 80 |
| B | high | 20 |
| C | low | 80 |
| D | low | 20 |

14 Hydrogen and iodine can react reversibly to produce hydrogen iodide. The equation is shown.

$$
\mathrm{H}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})+\mathrm{I}_{2}(\mathrm{~g}) \rightleftharpoons 2 \mathrm{HI}(\mathrm{~g})
$$

4.00 mol of hydrogen gas and X mol of iodine vapour are mixed in a sealed container of volume $1.00 \mathrm{dm}^{3}$ at a temperature of 460 K . The system is allowed to reach equilibrium.

The equilibrium mixture contains 2.00 mol of hydrogen iodide. The equilibrium constant, $K_{\mathrm{c}}$, for the reaction at 460 K is 4.0 .

What is the value of $X$ ?
A 0.50 mol
B $\quad 1.17 \mathrm{~mol}$
C $\quad 1.33 \mathrm{~mol}$
D $\quad 2.50 \mathrm{~mol}$

15 A large amount of $\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{g})$ decomposes into nitrogen gas and oxygen gas in the presence of a tiny amount of a gold foil catalyst.

The gold foil provides a solid surface on which the catalysed reaction takes place.
The graph shows the concentration of $\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{g})$ against time as it decomposes. The graph is a straight line.


Which row describes:

- the change in rate of reaction as $\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{g})$ decomposes from 0 to 10 minutes
- the effect of adding more gold foil catalyst on the rate of decomposition of the same amount and concentration of $\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{g})$ ?

|  | change in <br> rate of reaction as <br> $\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{g})$ decomposes | effect of adding more <br> gold foil on the <br> rate of decomposition |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | none | increases |
| B | none | none |
| C | decreases | increases |
| D | decreases | none |

16 The Haber process for the manufacture of ammonia is represented by the equation shown.

$$
\mathrm{N}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})+3 \mathrm{H}_{2}(\mathrm{~g}) \rightleftharpoons 2 \mathrm{NH}_{3}(\mathrm{~g}) \quad \Delta H=-92 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}
$$

Which statement is correct about this reaction when the temperature is increased?
A Both forward and backward rates increase.
B The backward rate only increases.
C The forward rate only increases.
D There is no effect on the backward or forward rates.
$17 \mathrm{NH}_{3}(\mathrm{aq})$ is added to separate samples of $\mathrm{NaCl}(\mathrm{aq}), \mathrm{MgCl}_{2}(\mathrm{aq}), \mathrm{BaCl}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})$ and $\mathrm{SiCl}_{4}(\mathrm{I})$. Under the conditions of this experiment, only two samples will produce a white precipitate when $\mathrm{NH}_{3}(\mathrm{aq})$ is added.

What are these two samples?
A $\mathrm{MgCl}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})$ and $\mathrm{BaCl}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})$
B $\mathrm{MgCl}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})$ and $\mathrm{SiCl}_{4}(\mathrm{I})$
C $\mathrm{NaCl}(\mathrm{aq})$ and $\mathrm{BaCl}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})$
D $\mathrm{NaCl}(\mathrm{aq})$ and $\mathrm{SiCl}_{4}(\mathrm{I})$

18 Why is the ionic radius of a sulfide ion larger than the ionic radius of a potassium ion?
A Ionic radius always decreases with increasing atomic number.
B Positive ions always have smaller radii than negative ions.
C The potassium ion has more protons in its nucleus than the sulfide ion.
D The sulfide ion is doubly charged; the potassium ion is singly charged.

19 Which graph correctly shows relative electronegativity plotted against relative atomic radius for the elements $\mathrm{Na}, \mathrm{Mg}, \mathrm{Al}$ and Si ?
A

B
electronegativity

atomic radius


20 The table gives information about calcium carbonate and calcium hydroxide.
Which row is correct?

|  | calcium carbonate is <br> more soluble in water <br> than calcium hydroxide | calcium hydroxide <br> can be manufactured <br> using calcium carbonate <br> as a starting material |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | no | no |
| B | no | yes |
| C | yes | no |
| D | yes | yes |

$21 Q$ is a Group 2 metal.
An excess of $\mathrm{QCO}_{3}(\mathrm{~s})$ is added to $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}(\mathrm{aq})$ followed by filtration. A sample of $\mathrm{QSO}_{4}$ is then obtained by evaporation of the filtrate.

What could be the identity of Q ?
A barium, calcium or magnesium
B barium or calcium only
C calcium only
D calcium or magnesium only
$22 \mathrm{X}, \mathrm{Y}$ and Z are three elements in Group 17.
$X_{2}$ has weaker covalent bonds than $Y_{2}$.
$X_{2}$ has stronger instantaneous dipole-induced dipole forces between its molecules than $Z_{2}$.
$Y_{2}$ is a stronger oxidising agent than $Z_{2}$.
What could be $\mathrm{X}, \mathrm{Y}$ and Z ?

|  | X | Y | Z |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{A}$ | Br | Cl | I |
| $\mathbf{B}$ | Cl | Br | I |
| $\mathbf{C}$ | I | Br | Cl |
| $\mathbf{D}$ | I | Cl | Br |

23 Chlorine reacts with aqueous sodium hydroxide forming two chlorine-containing products.
Which row shows the oxidation states of chlorine in the products under the conditions stated?

|  | conditions | oxidation state <br> of $\mathrm{C} l$ in products |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | cold $\mathrm{NaOH}(\mathrm{aq})$ | -1 and +3 |
| B | cold $\mathrm{NaOH}(\mathrm{aq})$ | -1 and +5 |
| C | hot $\mathrm{NaOH}(\mathrm{aq})$ | -1 and +3 |
| D | hot $\mathrm{NaOH}(\mathrm{aq})$ | -1 and +5 |

24 A catalytic converter reduces the amount of pollutants in the fumes from a car exhaust.
Which row identifies a pollutant and shows how it is removed by the action of the catalyst?

|  | pollutant | chemical removal |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | carbon dioxide | reduced to carbon |
| B | carbon monoxide | oxidised to carbon dioxide |
| C | oxides of nitrogen | oxidised to nitric acid |
| D | unburnt hydrocarbons | oxidised to carbon dioxide and hydrogen |

25 Solid $R$ is added to a solution of ammonium nitrate and the mixture is heated. A gas is given off which turns red litmus to blue.

What could be R?
A aluminium chloride
B magnesium chloride
C sodium oxide
D phosphorus oxide

26 A skeletal formula is shown.


What is the total number of stereoisomers including the one shown?
A 4
B 6
C 8
D 16

27 The molecular formula $\mathrm{CH}_{3}$ can represent an anion, a cation or a free radical. Species with the molecular formula $\mathrm{CH}_{3}$ can act as an electrophile, a free radical or a nucleophile depending on the number of outer shell electrons on the central carbon atom.

How many outer shell electrons on the central carbon atom must be present for $\mathrm{CH}_{3}$ to act in these different ways?

|  | $\mathrm{CH}_{3}$ as an <br> electrophile | $\mathrm{CH}_{3}$ as a <br> free radical | $\mathrm{CH}_{3}$ as a <br> nucleophile |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| B | 6 | 8 | 7 |
| C | 7 | 6 | 8 |
| D | 8 | 7 | 6 |

28 Compound $Z, C_{7} H_{13} B r$, has two chiral centres. A sample of $Z$ contains all four possible optical isomers.

This sample of $Z$ reacts with hot ethanolic NaOH to produce a mixture of only three isomers. Two of these isomers are optical isomers of each other.

What could be the formula of $Z$ ?
A
B


C

D


29 The free-radical substitution reaction between methane and chlorine involves initiation, propagation and termination stages.

Which row is correct?

|  | involved in <br> initiation stage | radical produced in <br> a propagation stage |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | homolytic fission | $\mathrm{H} \cdot$ |
| B | homolytic fission | $\mathrm{CH}_{3^{\bullet}}$ |
| C | heterolytic fission | $\mathrm{H} \cdot$ |
| D | heterolytic fission | $\mathrm{CH}_{3}{ }^{\bullet}$ |

30 The alkene shown reacts with an excess of HBr via an electrophilic addition reaction.


What is the major product formed?
A 3,5-dibromo-2-methylhexane
B 2,5-dibromo-2-methylhexane
C 2,6-dibromo-2-methylhexane
D 3,6-dibromo-2-methylhexane

31 The diagram shows the structures of two halogenoalkanes, P and Q .



Both compounds can be hydrolysed.
Which row is correct?

|  | compound more <br> readily hydrolysed | reaction mechanism |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | P | $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}} 1$ |
| B | P | $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}} 2$ |
| C | Q | $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}} 1$ |
| D | Q | $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}} 2$ |

32 The structure of coniine is shown.


Coniine can be synthesised by reacting ammonia with a dibromo compound, X .

$$
\begin{gathered}
\mathrm{X} \\
\mathrm{NH}_{3}+\mathrm{C}_{8} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{Br}_{2} \rightarrow \text { coniine }+2 \mathrm{HBr}
\end{gathered}
$$

What is compound $X$ ?
A 1,1-dibromo-2-propylcyclopentane
B 1,2-dibromo-2-propylcyclopentane
C $\mathrm{Br}\left(\mathrm{CH}_{2}\right)_{3} \mathrm{CHBr}\left(\mathrm{CH}_{2}\right)_{3} \mathrm{CH}_{3}$
D $\operatorname{Br}\left(\mathrm{CH}_{2}\right)_{4} \mathrm{CHBr}\left(\mathrm{CH}_{2}\right)_{2} \mathrm{CH}_{3}$

33 Primary alcohols can be oxidised to aldehydes using either acidified potassium dichromate(VI) or acidified potassium manganate(VII). The reaction mixtures change colour as the oxidising agent is reduced.

What are the colour changes seen?

|  | acidified potassium dichromate(VI) |  | acidified potassium manganate(VII) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | before | after | before | after |
| A | green | orange | purple | colourless |
| B | orange | green | colourless | purple |
| C | orange | green | purple | colourless |
| D | purple | colourless | orange | green |

34 Which reaction has a product that gives a yellow precipitate when treated with alkaline $\mathrm{I}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})$ ?
A 2-chloropropane is warmed with a dilute aqueous solution of sodium hydroxide.
B Ethanal is heated under reflux with acidified potassium dichromate(VI).
C Methyl ethanoate is heated under reflux with dilute sulfuric acid.
D Propanal is reacted with $\mathrm{NaBH}_{4}$, followed by dilute sulfuric acid.

35 The skeletal formula of $M$ is shown.

$M$ is reacted with an excess of $\mathrm{LiA}_{\mathrm{L}} / \mathrm{H}_{4}$. Dilute acid is then added.
What is the molecular formula of the final organic product?
A $\mathrm{C}_{5} \mathrm{H}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{5}$
B $\mathrm{C}_{5} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{O}_{4}$
C $\mathrm{C}_{5} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{O}_{3}$
D $\mathrm{C}_{5} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{O}_{3}$

36 Which compound forms a precipitate when mixed with 2,4-DNPH reagent and also forms a precipitate when mixed with Fehling's reagent?
A


B

C

D


37 Which reaction is a redox reaction?
A ethanenitrile heated under reflux with dilute hydrochloric acid
B ethanoic acid reacted with aqueous sodium hydroxide
C ethanoic acid reacted with sodium
D ethyl ethanoate heated under reflux with dilute hydrochloric acid

38 Ethyl butanoate is a flavouring, with a fruity flavour.
Which row is correct?

|  | alcohol and acid that react to form ethyl butanoate | the mass of water formed when 2.32 g of ester is formed |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A |  <br> and | 0.36 g |
| B |  <br> and | 0.40 g |
| C |  <br> and | 0.36 g |
| D |  <br> and | 0.40 g |

39 Cyclohexene, as shown in the diagram, can form an addition polymer.
cyclohexene


Which structure represents a section of the polymer?

A



C


B


D


40 Three organic compounds are listed.

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1 ethanal
2 propan-1-ol
3 propan-2-ol
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Which compounds will have a mass spectrum that contains a fragment peak at $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{e}=43$ ?
A 1 only
B 1 and 2 only
C 2 and 3 only
D 1, 2 and 3

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Important values, constants and standards

| molar gas constant | $R=8.31 \mathrm{JK}^{-1} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$ |
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| Faraday constant | $F=9.65 \times 10^{4} \mathrm{C} \mathrm{mol}^{-1}$ |
| Avogadro constant | $L=6.02 \times 10^{23} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$ |
| electronic charge | $e=-1.60 \times 10^{-19} \mathrm{C}$ |
| molar volume of gas | $V_{\mathrm{m}}=22.4 \mathrm{dm}^{3} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$ at s.t.p. $(101 \mathrm{kPa}$ and 273 K$)$ <br> $V_{\mathrm{m}}=24.0 \mathrm{dm}^{3} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$ at room conditions |
| ionic product of water | $K_{\mathrm{w}}=1.00 \times 10^{-14} \mathrm{~mol}^{2} \mathrm{dm}^{-6}\left(\right.$ at $\left.298 \mathrm{~K}\left(25{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)\right)$ |
| specific heat capacity of water | $c=4.18 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~kg}^{-1} \mathrm{~K}^{-1}\left(4.18 \mathrm{Jg}^{-1} \mathrm{~K}^{-1}\right)$ |

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The Periodic Table of Elements


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