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Module 3: Practical Examination



Practical Booklet B (Theory)

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WEDNESDAY 29 MAY, AFTERNOON

TIME

1 hour 15 minutes.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.

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Answer **all three** questions.

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The total mark for this paper is 55.

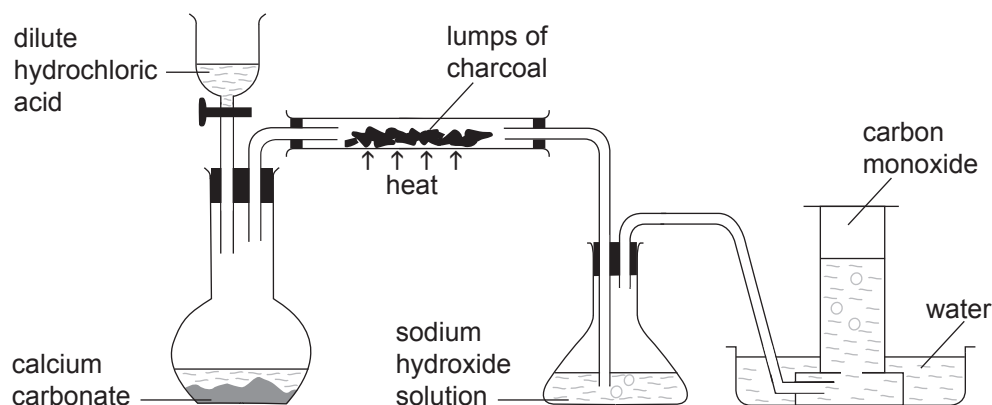
Figures in brackets printed down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

A Periodic Table of Elements (including some data) is provided.



- 1 Carbon monoxide is a toxic, colourless and odourless gas. Industrially, it is used to extract metals from their ores.

(a) In the laboratory, carbon monoxide can be made as shown in the apparatus below. Carbon dioxide is generated and passed over heated charcoal.



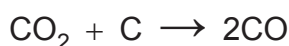
- (i) Describe what is observed on addition of dilute hydrochloric acid to calcium carbonate.

Effervescence (fizzing/bubbles of gas) and the calcium

carbonate dissolves.

[1]

- (ii) Explain, using oxidation numbers, why charcoal can be described as a reducing agent, in the equation below.



Oxidation number of C rises from 0 (charcoal) to +2 (CO).

C is oxidised, and a reducing agent is itself oxidised.

[2]

- (iii) Using both collision theory and the concept of activation energy, explain how heating the charcoal will increase the rate of reaction.

Heating gives the particles more energy, so more particles have

energy greater than or equal to the activation energy.

This leads to more frequent successful collisions per second.

[2]



- (iv) Suggest one reason why not all of the carbon dioxide reacts when passed over heated charcoal.

The carbon dioxide passes over the charcoal too quickly, so there is not enough contact time for complete reduction.

[1]

- (v) Unreacted carbon dioxide is removed by reacting it with aqueous sodium hydroxide, to form sodium carbonate and water. Write the equation for this reaction.



[1]

- (vi) Describe a test to identify the presence of carbonate ions in the aqueous solution.

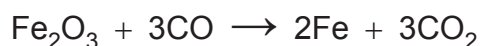
Add dilute hydrochloric acid to the solution.

Bubble the gas produced through limewater.

The limewater turns milky, showing carbonate ions are present.

[3]

- (b) Carbon monoxide is used to extract iron from iron(III) oxide.



100 kg of iron(III) oxide was heated with 56 kg of carbon monoxide. Calculate the maximum mass, in kilograms, of iron produced.

$$\text{moles Fe}_2\text{O}_3 = 100\,000 \div 160 = 625 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{moles CO} = 56\,000 \div 28 = 2000 \text{ mol (excess), so Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \text{ is limiting}$$

$$\text{moles Fe} = 2 \times 625 = 1250 \text{ mol}$$

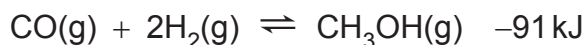
$$\text{mass Fe} = 1250 \times 56 = 70\,000 \text{ g} = 70 \text{ kg}$$

[3]

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- (c) Carbon monoxide can be used to synthesise methanol as shown in the equation below.



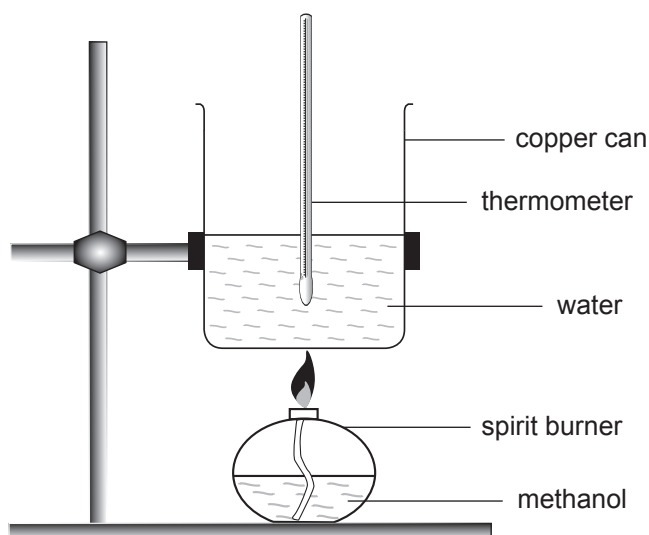
- (i) State the effect of increasing temperature on the yield of methanol.

Increasing temperature decreases the yield of methanol. [1]

- (ii) State the effect of increasing the pressure on the yield of methanol.

Increasing pressure increases the yield of methanol. [1]

- (d) The apparatus below can be used to determine the enthalpy of combustion of methanol. 100 g of water was placed in the copper can.



The following results were obtained.

mass of spirit burner and methanol before burning / g	20.33
mass of spirit burner and methanol after burning / g	18.92
initial temperature of water / °C	17.5
maximum temperature reached by water / °C	88.0



- (i) Why is the water stirred throughout this experiment?

To ensure an even distribution of heat throughout the water. [1]

- (ii) State **two** ways in which the apparatus could be improved to reduce heat loss.

Surround the apparatus with a draught screen.

Place a lid on the copper can. [2]

- (iii) Temperature is measured using a thermometer that has graduation marks at every 1 °C. The error for each temperature reading is ± 0.5 °C. Calculate the percentage error associated with the temperature change in the results obtained.

% error = $(2 \times 0.5) \div 70.5 \times 100 = 1.4\%$ [2]

- (iv) Using the results obtained, calculate the enthalpy of combustion of methanol.

mass methanol = $20.33 - 18.92 = 1.41$ g; moles = $1.41 \div 32 =$

0.0441 mol

$q = mc\Delta T = 100 \times 4.2 \times 70.5 = 29\,610$ J = 29.61 kJ

$\Delta H = -29.61 \div 0.0441 = -673$ kJ mol⁻¹ [3]

- (v) At the end of the experiment a black solid is seen coating the bottom of the copper can. Name this solid and explain how it is formed.

Carbon (soot).

Formed by incomplete combustion of methanol (limited oxygen). [2]

- (vi) Explain, in terms of bonds, why the standard enthalpy of combustion of ethanol is greater than that of methanol.

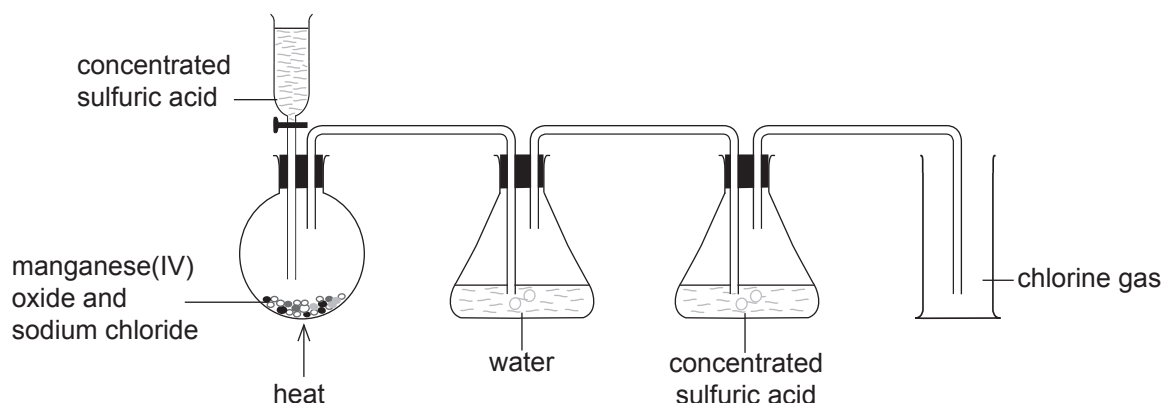
Ethanol has more bonds to break and more bonds are formed

(more CO₂ and H₂O), releasing more energy. [1]

[Turn over]



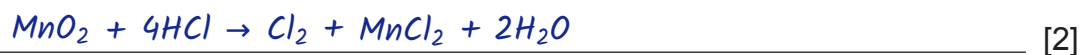
- 2 Dry chlorine gas can be prepared by reacting hot concentrated sulfuric acid with a mixture of sodium chloride and manganese(IV) oxide (MnO_2).



- (a) (i) In the first stage of the reaction the concentrated sulfuric acid reacts with sodium chloride to form hydrogen chloride gas. Write the equation for this reaction.



- (ii) In the second stage the hydrogen chloride gas is oxidised by manganese(IV) oxide to form chlorine gas. Manganese(II) chloride and water are also formed. Write the equation for this reaction.



- (iii) The chlorine gas produced in the round bottomed flask contains unreacted hydrogen chloride. How is this hydrogen chloride removed in the apparatus shown above?

It dissolves in the water (forming hydrochloric acid). [1]



- (iv) The chlorine gas is collected by downward delivery. Suggest why chlorine is collected in this way.

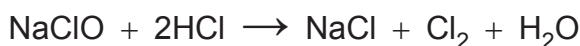
Chlorine is denser (heavier) than air. [1]

- (v) Describe the test that confirms the presence of chlorine gas.

Hold damp blue litmus paper in the gas.

It turns red and is then bleached white. [2]

- (b) Chlorine can also be prepared by the reaction of sodium chlorate(I) with hydrochloric acid.



- (i) 1 cm³ of dilute hydrochloric acid is added to concentrated sodium chlorate(I) solution in a test tube. Explain why the solution turns pale green.

Chlorine is formed, and a solution of chlorine water is pale green. [1]

- (ii) Outline a practical test that would confirm the presence of chloride ions in the reaction mixture.

Add (dilute nitric acid and) silver nitrate solution.

A white precipitate forms, showing chloride ions are present. [2]

[Turn over]



(c) 1 cm³ of hexane (density = 0.65 g cm⁻³) was added to 10 cm³ of a concentrated aqueous solution of chlorine in a test tube.

- (i) What will be observed in the test tube to show that hexane and the aqueous solution are immiscible?

Two separate layers are formed. [1]

- (ii) The test tube is then stoppered and shaken and the contents allowed to settle. Suggest what is observed.

The bottom (aqueous) layer turns colourless and the upper (hexane) layer turns pale green. [1]

- (iii) The test tube is then placed under an ultraviolet light and removed after a period of time. Suggest what would be observed in the test tube.

The pale green colour disappears (as the chlorine reacts with the hexane). [1]

- (iv) Name the piece of apparatus that could be used to separate the organic layer from the aqueous layer.

A separating funnel. [1]



- (d) On reaction of 9.75 g of hexane with an excess of chlorine, in the presence of ultraviolet light, a mixture of products was formed including a chlorinated hydrocarbon **X**; 32.2 % of the mass of **X** is carbon and 4.5 % is hydrogen.

- (i) Deduce the empirical formula of compound **X**.

	C	H	Cl
mass / g	32.2	4.5	63.3
moles	$\div 12 = 2.68$	$\div 1 = 4.5$	$\div 35.5 = 1.78$
ratio	$1.5 \rightarrow 3$	$2.52 \rightarrow 5$	$1 \rightarrow 2$

[3]

Empirical formula = $C_3H_5Cl_2$

- (ii) The mass of compound **X** obtained was 2.54 g. Given that the percentage yield is 10 %, calculate the relative molecular mass of **X**.

$$\text{moles hexane} = 9.75 \div 86 = 0.1134 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{moles X (10\% yield, 1 : 1)} = 0.1134 \times 0.10 = 0.01134 \text{ mol}$$

$$M_r \text{ of X} = 2.54 \div 0.01134 = 224$$

[3]

- (iii) Deduce the molecular formula of compound **X**.



[1]

- (iv) Explain why the reaction of hexane with an excess of chlorine produces a mixture of chlorinated hydrocarbons.

Free radical substitution can replace any H atom, so multiple

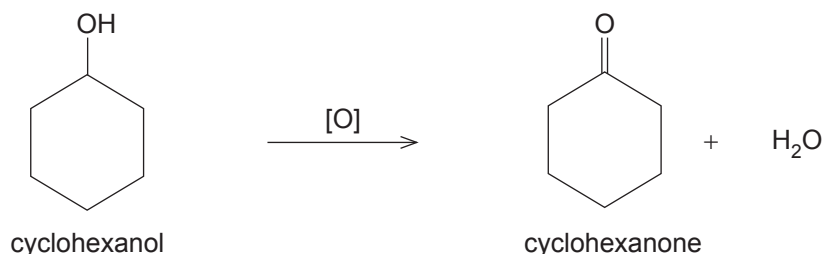
substitution occurs.

[1]

[Turn over]



- 3 Cyclohexanone is manufactured on a large scale for the production of nylon. In the laboratory it can be prepared by refluxing cyclohexanol with concentrated sulfuric acid and excess sodium dichromate(VI). The mixture is then fractionally distilled. The crude distillate is a mixture of cyclohexanone and water.



	boiling point / °C	density / g cm ⁻³	RMM
cyclohexanol	161	0.96	100
cyclohexanone	156	0.95	98

- (a) Define the term **reflux**.

Repeated boiling and condensing of a reaction mixture, so vapour returns to the flask.

[1]

- (b) Outline a procedure which could be carried out to obtain a dry sample of cyclohexanone from the crude distillate.

Add anhydrous magnesium sulfate to the distillate and swirl until the liquid is clear (no longer cloudy).

Filter off (or decant from) the drying agent.

[2]



- (c) The oxidation of 20 cm^3 of cyclohexanol yielded 15 cm^3 of cyclohexanone. Calculate the percentage yield of cyclohexanone.

$$\text{mass cyclohexanol} = 20 \times 0.96 = 19.2 \text{ g, moles} = 0.192$$

$$\text{expected mass cyclohexanone} = 0.192 \times 98 = 18.82 \text{ g}$$

$$\text{actual mass} = 15 \times 0.95 = 14.25 \text{ g}$$

$$\% \text{ yield} = 14.25 \div 18.82 \times 100 = 75.7\% = 76\% \quad [3]$$

- (d) State why the oxidation of cyclohexanol did not produce a carboxylic acid.

Cyclohexanol is a secondary alcohol, not a primary alcohol. [1]

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General Information

1 tonne = 10^6 g

1 metre = 10^9 nm

One mole of any gas at 293 K and a pressure of 1 atmosphere (10^5 Pa) occupies a volume of 24 dm^3

Avogadro Constant = $6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

Planck Constant = $6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$

Specific Heat Capacity of water = $4.2 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$

Speed of Light = $3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

Characteristic absorptions in IR spectroscopy

Wavenumber/ cm^{-1}	Bond	Compound
550–850	C–X (X = Cl, Br, I)	Haloalkanes
750–1100	C–C	Alkanes, alkyl groups
1000–1300	C–O	Alcohols, esters, carboxylic acids
1450–1650	C=C	Arenes
1600–1700	C=C	Alkenes
1650–1800	C=O	Carboxylic acids, esters, aldehydes, ketones, amides, acyl chlorides
2200–2300	C≡N	Nitriles
2500–3200	O–H	Carboxylic acids
2750–2850	C–H	Aldehydes
2850–3000	C–H	Alkanes, alkyl groups, alkenes, arenes
3200–3600	O–H	Alcohols
3300–3500	N–H	Amines, amides

Proton Chemical Shifts in Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy (relative to TMS)

Chemical Shift	Structure	
0.5–2.0	–CH	Saturated alkanes
0.5–5.5	–OH	Alcohols
1.0–3.0	–NH	Amines
2.0–3.0	–CO–CH	Ketones
	–N–CH	Amines
	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{–CH}$	Arene (aliphatic on ring)
2.0–4.0	X–CH	X = Cl or Br (3.0–4.0) X = I (2.0–3.0)
4.5–6.0	–C=CH	Alkenes
5.5–8.5	RCONH	Amides
6.0–8.0	– C_6H_5	Arenes (on ring)
9.0–10.0	–CHO	Aldehydes
10.0–12.0	–COOH	Carboxylic acids

These chemical shifts are concentration and temperature dependent and may be outside the ranges indicated above.

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Group

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1 H Hydrogen 1																	4 He Helium 2
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	20 Ne Neon 10
23 Na Sodium 11	24 Mg Magnesium 12											27 Al Aluminium 13	28 Si Silicon 14	31 P Phosphorus 15	32 S Sulfur 16	35.5 Cl Chlorine 17	40 Ar Argon 18
39 K Potassium 19	40 Ca Calcium 20	45 Sc Scandium 21	48 Ti Titanium 22	51 V Vanadium 23	52 Cr Chromium 24	55 Mn Manganese 25	56 Fe Iron 26	59 Co Cobalt 27	59 Ni Nickel 28	64 Cu Copper 29	65 Zn Zinc 30	70 Ga Gallium 31	73 Ge Germanium 32	75 As Arsenic 33	79 Se Selenium 34	80 Br Bromine 35	84 Kr Krypton 36
85 Rb Rubidium 37	88 Sr Strontium 38	89 Y Yttrium 39	91 Zr Zirconium 40	93 Nb Niobium 41	96 Mo Molybdenum 42	98 Tc Technetium 43	101 Ru Ruthenium 44	103 Rh Rhodium 45	106 Pd Palladium 46	108 Ag Silver 47	112 Cd Cadmium 48	115 In Indium 49	119 Sn Tin 50	122 Sb Antimony 51	128 Te Tellurium 52	127 I Iodine 53	131 Xe Xenon 54
133 Cs Caesium 55	137 Ba Barium 56	139 La [*] Lanthanum 57	178 Hf Hafnium 72	181 Ta Tantalum 73	184 W Tungsten 74	186 Re Rhenium 75	190 Os Osmium 76	192 Ir Iridium 77	195 Pt Platinum 78	197 Au Gold 79	201 Hg Mercury 80	204 Tl Thallium 81	207 Pb Lead 82	209 Bi Bismuth 83	210 Po Polonium 84	210 At Astatine 85	222 Rn Radon 86
223 Fr Francium 87	226 Ra Radium 88	227 Ac [†] Actinium 89	261 Rf Rutherfordium 104	262 Db Dubnium 105	266 Sg Seaborgium 106	264 Bh Bohrium 107	277 Hs Hassium 108	268 Mt Meitnerium 109	271 Ds Darmstadtium 110	272 Rg Roentgenium 111	285 Cn Copernicium 112						

* 58 – 71 Lanthanum series
† 90 – 103 Actinium series

a

X

b

a = relative atomic mass (approx)

x = atomic symbol

b = atomic number

140 Ce Cerium 58	141 Pr Praseodymium 59	144 Nd Neodymium 60	145 Pm Promethium 61	150 Sm Samarium 62	152 Eu Europium 63	157 Gd Gadolinium 64	159 Tb Terbium 65	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	231 Pa Protactinium 91	238 U Uranium 92	237 Np Neptunium 93	242 Pu Plutonium 94	243 Am Americium 95	247 Cm Curium 96	245 Bk Berkelium 97	251 Cf Californium 98	254 Es Einsteinium 99	253 Fm Fermium 100	256 Md Mendelevium 101	254 No Nobelium 102	257 Lr Lawrencium 103