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## Section A

- A1(a)**
- (i) A/sulphur dioxide [1]
  - (ii) E/zinc oxide [1]
  - (iii) C and E/sodium bromide and zinc oxide (both required) [1]
  - (iv) C/sodium bromide [1]
- (b)** CH<sub>2</sub>Br [1]
- (c)** by (incomplete) combustion of fossil fuels/hydrocarbons/carbon source [1]  
ALLOW: from car exhausts/engines; gas fires/boilers  
NOT: from cars/vehicles (alone)  
NOT: combustion (alone)
- [Total 6]**
- A2(a)**
- (i) the more reactive the metal the higher the (decomposition) temperature/the less readily the carbonate is decomposed (or reverse argument) [1]  
NOTE: comparison essential  
NOT: the smaller the cation, the lower the decomposition temperature
  - (ii) MgCO<sub>3</sub> → MgO + CO<sub>2</sub> (ignore state symbols) [1]
- (b)**
- (i) to produce more petrol/more of the useful fractions/more of the petrol fraction/to produce ethene/alkenes/fractions with higher demand [1]  
ALLOW: produce more smaller molecules  
ALLOW: to produce plastics  
NOT: more profitable  
NOT: produces smaller molecules/break down petrol fractions.
  - (ii) high temperature;  
ALLOW: 350-550°C  
catalyst;  
ALLOW: aluminium oxide/alumina [2]  
IGNORE: pressure
  - (iii) 2C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>/C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>8</sub> on right [1]
- [Total 6]**
- A3(a)** 225 seconds ALLOW: 220-230 (s) [1]
- (b)** 90/24000 = 0.0038 moles/3.75x10<sup>-3</sup> (moles) [1]
- (c)** gradient greater at start;
- ends up at the same volume (90cm<sup>3</sup>) + flattens out [2]  
NOT: line goes well above 90 cm<sup>3</sup> then drops down again
- (d)** HCl particles/H<sup>+</sup> ions closer together when solution more concentrated  
**OR** more H<sup>+</sup> ions/HCl particles for given volume;  
NOT: more moles means more particles/more H<sup>+</sup> ions  
more frequent collisions (with calcium carbonate); [2]  
NOT: more successful collisions  
NOT: more chance of collisions
- [Total 6]**

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**A4(a)** light bulbs/fluorescent tubes/lasers/provides inert atmosphere/in arc welding/refining of titanium OR zirconium [1]  
NOT: lights (alone)/bulbs (alone)

**(b)** complete/full outer electron shell [1]  
ALLOW: atoms cannot gain/lose/share electrons (easily)  
NOT: 8 electrons in outer shell unless specify He with 2  
NOT: reference to stability

**(c)**

isotope	number of protons	number of electrons	number of neutrons
$^{36}_{18}\text{Ar}$	18	18	18
$^{40}_{18}\text{Ar}$	18	18	22

6 boxes correct = 2 marks; 5 boxes correct = 1 mark [2]

**(d)** elements in Periodic Table arranged in order of atomic number/ number of protons [1]  
NOT: they have different amount of isotopes

**(e)**  $\text{Xe} + 2\text{F}_2 \rightarrow \text{XeF}_4$  [1]

**(f)** lower than argon [1]  
ALLOW: correct position drawn on diagram  
NOT: below the bar  
NOT: vertically down/facing downwards

[Total 7]

**A5(a) (i)** 20% [1]  
ALLOW: 19-21%

**(ii)** add (aqueous) sodium hydroxide/(aqueous) ammonia; [2]  
ALLOW: formulae  
red-brown precipitate/red-brown solid  
NOT: red ppt

**(b) (i)** solid particles sediment/fall to bottom [1]  
ALLOW: filtration  
ALLOW: sedimentation  
NOT: centrifugation/distillation/decanting

**(ii)**  $\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$  [1]

**(c) (i)** to remove tastes/odours [1]  
ALLOW: absorbs colours

**(ii)** to kill bacteria/sterilise water/disinfect water [1]  
ALLOW: to kill micro-organisms/kills germs  
ALLOW: to get rid of bacteria etc

**(d) (i)**  $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2 + 2\text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{CaCl}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$  [1]

**(ii)**  $\text{OH}^- + \text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}$  [1]

[Total 9]

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- A6(a)** correct structure showing 4 paired dots and crosses [1]
- (b)**
- (i)** vibrating/not moving;  
regular arrangement/lattice  
ALLOW: closely packed [2]
- (ii)** Any two of:  
pressure decreases (as ice melts)/  
ALLOW: low pressure  
temperature increases/  
ALLOW: high temperature  
the forces between the molecules are weak [2]  
NOT: methane hydrate is unstable
- (iii)** methane causes global warming/melting of (polar) ice caps/melting of glaciers/desertification/rise in sea levels/extreme climate changes/change in animal habitats [1]
- (c)** (bacterial) decomposition of vegetable waste/paddy fields/marshes/cow flatulence/landfill sites etc [1]  
ALLOW: bacterial decomposition
- (d)** fuel/making synthesis gas/manufacture of ethyne/making carbon black/making hydrogen cyanide/making methanol [1]  
ALLOW: (for) heating/(for) cooking  
NOT: as household gas/natural gas  
NOT: from petroleum refining/fossil fuels
- (e)** reactants on left and products on right;  
product level below reactant level and  $\Delta H$  correctly labelled;  
activation energy correctly labelled; [3]
- [Total 11]**

### TOTAL PART A = 45

- B7(a)** nitrogen has gained electrons/oxidation number of nitrogen has decreased; [1]  
ALLOW: reduction is addition of electrons  
ALLOW: N changes from 0 to -3  
NOT: removal of oxygen/addition of hydrogen
- (b)**  $2\text{NO}_3^- + 12\text{H}^+ + 10\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{N}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  [1]
- (c)**
- (i)** nitrogen from the air/atmosphere;  
hydrogen from methane/natural gas/water/cracking hydrocarbons; [2]  
IF: (nitrogen and hydrogen) from the air = 1
- (ii)** Any two of the following specified conditions:  
range 380-450°C/  
ALLOW: any specific temperature in range 350-480°C;  
NOT: high temperature  
pressure 200 atm/  
ALLOW: any pressure in range between 180-220 atm;  
NOT: high pressure  
iron catalyst; [2]  
NOT: catalyst/iron oxide catalyst

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- (d) correct molar masses i.e. 80 and 132;  
ammonium nitrate:  $(28/80) \times 100 = 35\%$ ;  
ammonium hydrogen phosphate:  $(28/132) \times 100 = 21.2\%/21\%$ ; [3]
- (e) eutrophication/increase in algal growth (on surface of water)/algal bloom/reduction of dissolved oxygen in water/water plants die [1]
- [Total 10]
- B8(a)**  $2\text{ZnS} + 3\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{ZnO} + 2\text{SO}_2$  [1]
- (b) (i) more moles/molecules of gas on left than on right [1]  
ALLOW: 3 volumes (of gas) on left and 2 on right/more volumes of gas on left than right
- (ii) increase in pressure will not have much effect on reaction/not much difference in number of moles on each side of equation  
OR  
higher pressure means higher concentration of corrosive gases  
ALLOW: sulphur dioxide/trioxide is very corrosive  
OR  
cheaper/more economic to carry out reaction at atmospheric pressure [1]
- (iii) reaction is exothermic/ $\Delta H$  is negative;  
if heat given out equilibrium shifts to left/reaction shifts in favour of reactants/cooling favours the forward reaction [2]
- (c) filter solution (to remove excess iron);  
concentrate solution by warming/letting solution evaporate/partially evaporate solution (then leave to crystallise)  
ALLOW: leave to crystallise [2]  
NOT: evaporate to dryness
- (d) moles NaOH =  $0.15 \times 20/1000 = 3 \times 10^{-3}$  mol;  
moles  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 = 3 \times 10^{-3} \times \frac{1}{2} = 1.5 \times 10^{-3}$  mol;  
 $1.5 \times 10^{-3} \times 1000/12 = 0.125$  (mol/dm<sup>3</sup>) [3]
- [Total 10]
- B9(a)** correct structure of butanoic acid (all atoms and bonds must be shown)  
ALLOW: OH in place of O – H [1]
- (b) (i) not completely ionised in solution/has high proportion of unionised molecules in solution/has small proportion of  $\text{H}^+$  ions in solution/  
not fully dissociated [1]
- (ii) test with universal indicator/pH meter;  
ALLOW: test with pH paper  
NOT: test with indicator paper  
has pH between greater than 3 and less than 7/stated pH in that range  
OR solution of the acid turns universal indicator yellow/orange [2]  
NOT: has high pH/pH above 3 (alone)
- (c) C =  $0.18/12$  H =  $0.03/1$  O =  $0.08/16$ ;  
empirical formula =  $\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{O}$ ; [2]  
molecular formula =  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_2$  (1 mark) [1]

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- (d) (i)  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 \rightarrow 2\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH} + 2\text{CO}_2$  [1]  
(ii) potassium dichromate + (concentrated) sulphuric acid;  
ALLOW: other reasonable oxidising agents  
heat/reflux/warm [2]  
ALLOW: bacteria;  
room temperature/stated temperature not above 45°C or below 5°C

[Total 10]

- B10(a)** Any three of:  
anode/impure copper electrode: decreases in thickness/solid  
(impurities) deposits below the anode/anode gets smaller/anode  
dissolves;  
cathode: copper deposited/increases in thickness/gets larger;  
ALLOW: goes pink  
anode:  $\text{Cu} \rightarrow \text{Cu}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^-$ ;  
cathode:  $\text{Cu}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Cu}$  [3]
- (b) (i) (some of the) electrons in metals are delocalised/electrons are (free  
to) move/sea of electrons can move [1]  
NOT: electrons are free  
(ii) solid copper sulphate has ions in fixed position/not free to move/  
ions which don't move/held in the (crystal) lattice;  
REJECT: do not have ions  
in solution ions are free to move/ions move [2]  
NOT: the ions are free  
(reference to electrons = 0 for the second mark)
- (c) iron object/knife made the cathode/made the negative electrode;  
anode is nickel + solution of nickel salt (both points needed); [2]  
ALLOW: nickel nitrate/nickel sulphate/nickel chloride/other soluble  
nickel compound  
NOT: nickel oxide/nickel hydroxide
- (d) in copper metal atoms/ions/particles arranged in layers which can  
slide/slip over each other; (both 'layers' and 'slide/slip' needed);  
NOT: layers move  
ACCEPT: diagrams if reasoning clear  
in alloy different sized atoms/ions/particles stop layers from slipping/  
2<sup>nd</sup> type of atom/ions/particles disrupts the regular structure of the  
metal [2]  
ACCEPT: diagrams if reasoning clear

[Total 10]