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TWENTY FIRST CENTURY SCIENCE
CHEMISTRY A

Unit 2: Modules C4 C5 C6
 (Higher Tier)

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- Pencil
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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name clearly in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the boxes above.
- Use black ink. Pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Read each question carefully and make sure that you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided, however additional paper may be used if necessary.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **42**.
- This document consists of **20** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.
- The Periodic Table is printed on the back page.

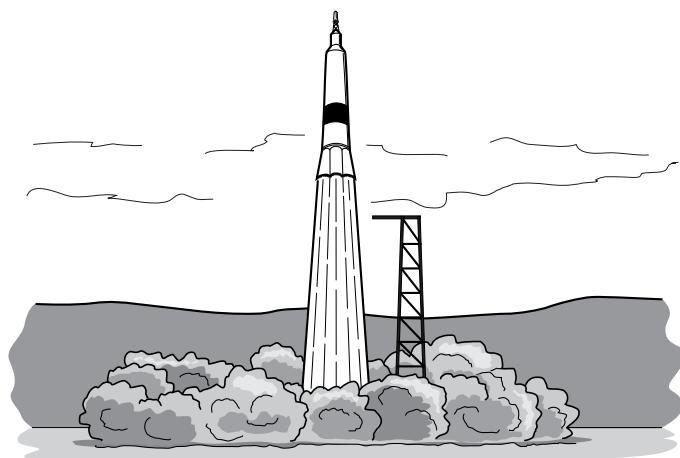
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Answer **all** the questions.

1 Lithium is an element in Group 1.

It can be added to rocket fuel to give an extra boost for take off.



(a) Lithium works well in rocket fuels because it is very reactive.

Which of the following statements about the reactivity of lithium are **true** and which are **false**?

Put ticks (✓) in the correct boxes.

	true	false
Lithium reacts with cold water.		
Lithium reacts with other group 1 elements to form compounds.		
Lithium tarnishes in moist air more quickly than potassium.		
Lithium chloride is very unstable.		

[2]

(b) When the fuel burns, the lithium also burns.

Complete the balanced symbol equation to show what happens when lithium burns.

balanced symbol equation + \rightarrow $2\text{Li}_2\text{O}$ [2]

[Total: 4]

2 Iodine solution can be used as a treatment for cuts.



(a) Solid iodine is used to make iodine solution.

Solid iodine is kept in sealed jars because it easily changes into iodine gas.

Iodine gas is very harmful to people.

(i) Draw straight lines to show the correct **colour** for solid iodine and for iodine gas.

dark grey

solid iodine

red-brown

orange

purple

iodine gas

yellow

green

[2]

(ii) Draw straight lines to show the correct **symbols** for solid iodine and for iodine gas.

solid iodine	I(g)
iodine gas	I(s)
iodine gas	I(aq)
iodine gas	I ₂ (l)
iodine gas	I ₂ (s)
iodine gas	I ₂ (g)

[2]

(b) Iodine is used on cuts because it stops the cuts from becoming infected.

Which two statements **when put together** explain why iodine stops infection?

Put ticks (✓) in the boxes next to the **two** correct answers.

Iodine is in group 7.

Iodine is a non-metal.

Iodine tablets purify water.

All group 7 elements kill bacteria.

All group 7 elements form negative ions.

[1]

[Total: 5]

3 Astronomers study the light from the outer layers of the Sun during an eclipse.

They use spectrometers to look at this light.

This is what they see.



(a) Why does the spectrum show a pattern of lines?

Put ticks (✓) in the boxes next to the **two** correct answers.

Light is lost due to the distance from the Sun.

The Sun emits light in a series of flashes.

Different elements in the Sun give out light of different colours.

Planets orbiting the Sun make shadows on its surface.

Elements in the Sun are very hot and so emit light.

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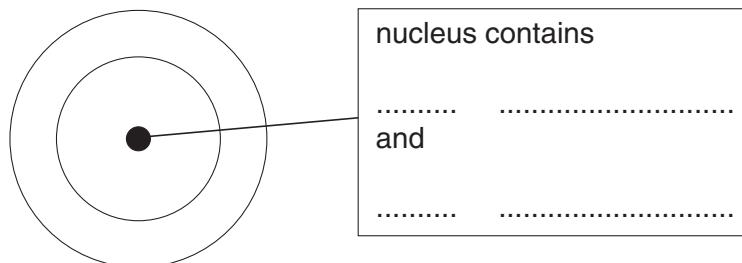
(b) Beryllium is one of the elements in the Sun.

This is how beryllium is shown in the Periodic Table.

9
Be
beryllium
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Complete the diagram to show the structure of a beryllium atom. You need to show

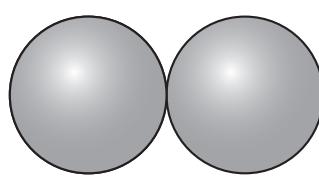
- the **numbers** and **names** of the particles in the nucleus.
- the **arrangement of electrons** in the electron shells (show each electron as x).



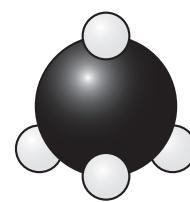
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4 These diagrams show the arrangement of atoms in oxygen and methane molecules.



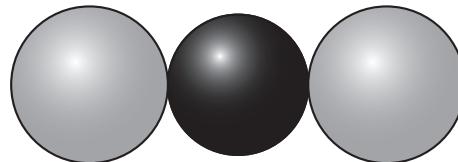
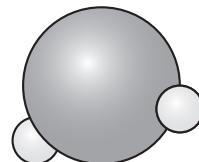
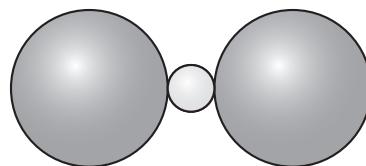
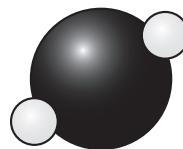
oxygen
 O_2



methane
 CH_4

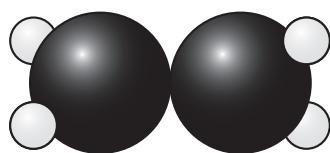
(a) Which of the diagrams below shows a molecule of water, H_2O ?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.



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(b) What is the formula for this molecule?



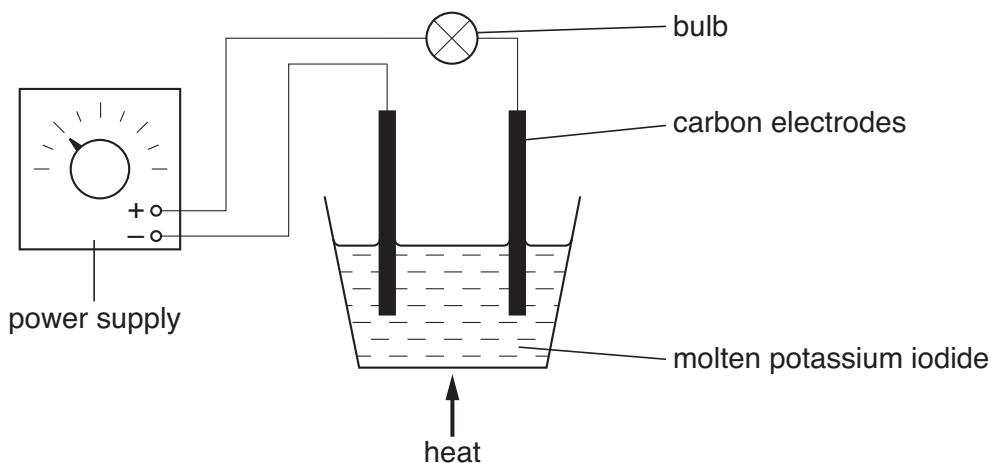
formula [2]

[Total: 3]

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5 Joe does an experiment. He passes electricity through molten potassium iodide.

The diagram shows how he sets up his experiment.



(a) Why does molten potassium iodide conduct electricity?

Put ticks (✓) in the boxes next to the **two** correct answers.

Atoms can move freely between electrodes.

Potassium iodide is an ionic compound.

Ions in the liquid are free to move.

Ions in the liquid are randomly arranged.

Electrons can move freely through the liquid.

The positive electrode is attracted to the negative electrode.

[2]

(b) Molten lead bromide also conducts electricity.

What is the name of the element that forms at the **negative** electrode?

..... [1]

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(c) Joe finds out that atoms of sodium metal can be made from sodium chloride by electrolysing molten sodium chloride.

Complete the equation to show what happens when a sodium ion forms a sodium atom.



[1]

[Total: 4]

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6 The table shows information about some chemicals.

chemical	melting point in °C	boiling point in °C	does it conduct electricity when it is a solid?	does it conduct electricity when it is a liquid?
A	-95	69	no	no
B	1261	2239	no	yes
C	1240	2100	yes	yes
D	1650	2230	no	no
E	-138	0	no	no

(a) Which chemical is most likely to be a metal?

answer [1]

(b) Which chemical is a liquid at room temperature?

answer [1]

(c) Which chemical is most likely to be silicon dioxide?

answer [1]

(d) Chemical E is a **molecular** compound.

Which statements about the bonding in chemical E are correct?

Put ticks (✓) in the boxes next to the **two** correct answers.

Electrons are gained or lost to form a full outer shell.

Electrons are shared between atoms.

The nucleus of each bonded atom attracts electrons.

Charged ions are attracted together.

The nuclei of the atoms attract each other.

[2]

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(e) One of the chemicals is magnesium fluoride.

Magnesium fluoride contains magnesium ions (Mg^{2+}) and fluoride ions (F^-).

What is the formula for magnesium fluoride?

formula [1]

[Total: 6]

7 Ben makes some magnesium sulfate crystals for a school display.

(a) He makes magnesium sulfate by reacting a solid with an acid.

(i) Give the name of the acid Ben should use.

..... [1]

(ii) Two of the following compounds react with the acid to make magnesium sulfate.

Put a **ring** around the **two** correct compounds.

magnesium carbonate

magnesium chloride

magnesium bromide

magnesium oxide

magnesium nitrate

[2]

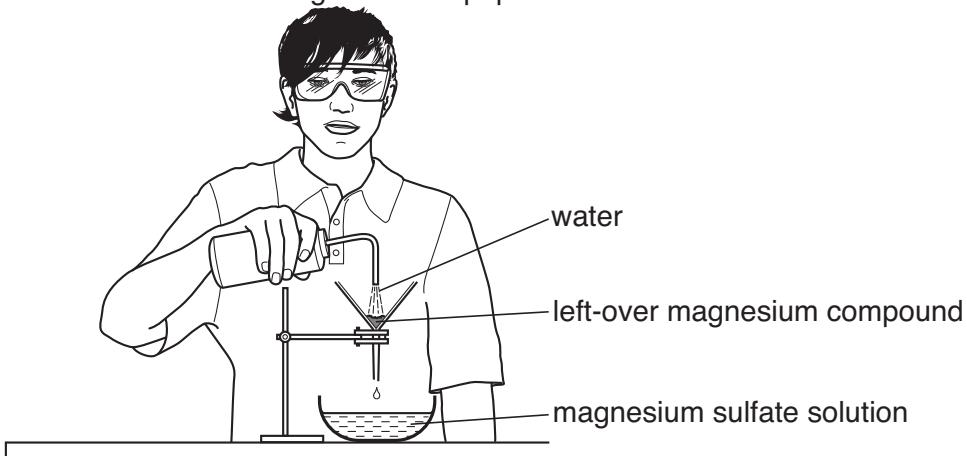
(b) The flow chart shows how Ben makes his crystals.

Step 1 Add the solid magnesium compound to the acid until no more reacts.

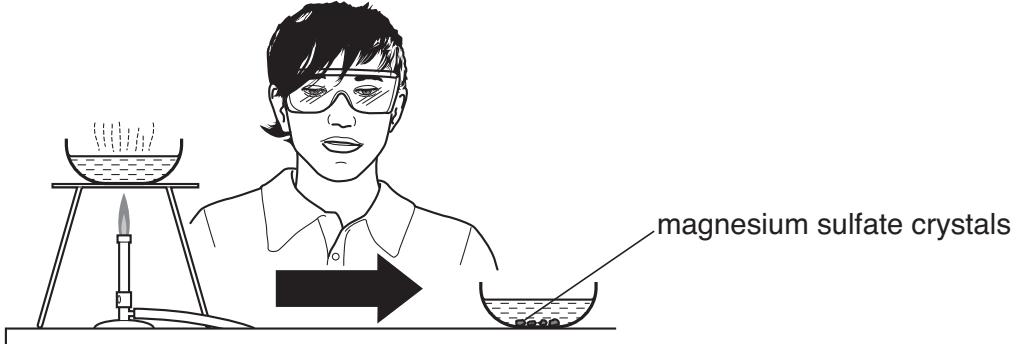


Step 2 Filter off the left-over magnesium compound.

Wash water through the filter paper.



Step 3 Heat the magnesium sulfate solution until about half has evaporated away.
Leave to cool and crystals form.



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(i) Why does the solid compound stop reacting?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

The pH of the acid falls.

All the gas is used up.

The magnesium compound becomes less reactive.

All the acid is used up.

[1]

(ii) Why does Ben wash water through the filter paper?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

to dilute the solution

to stop the reaction

to get more magnesium sulfate through the filter

to remove impurities

[1]

(iii) Ben evaporates the solution. He stops heating when about half the solution is left.

Read the following statements and decide whether they are **true** or **false**.

Put ticks (✓) in the correct boxes.

	true	false
Heating the solution to dryness gives the largest crystals.		
The solution becomes more concentrated as he heats it.		
The more water left after heating, the faster the crystals form.		
Heating the solution for too long makes the solid salt evaporate.		

[2]

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(c) Ben thinks the rate of reaction between the solid and the acid is too fast.

Which of the following changes will **slow down** the rate of reaction?

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

increase the temperature

use a catalyst

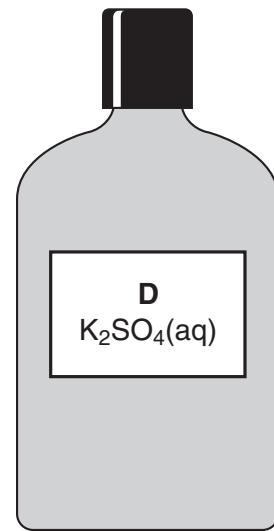
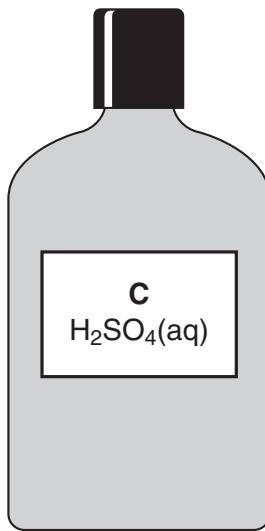
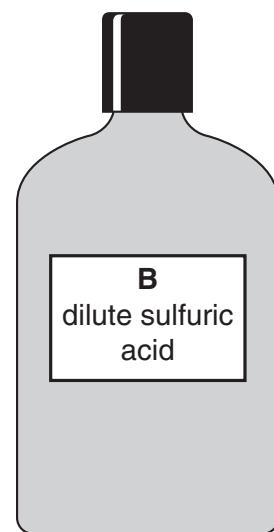
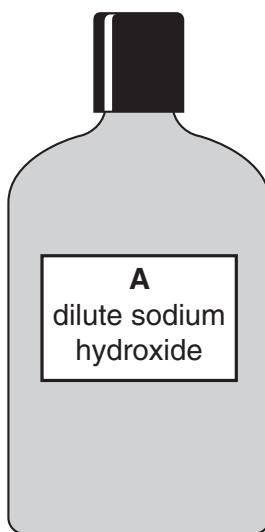
use acid that is more dilute

grind the solid into smaller pieces

[1]

[Total: 8]

8 Look at the labels on the following solutions of chemicals.



(a) (i) Which chemical has a high pH?

Put a **ring** around the correct answer.

A B C D

[1]

(ii) Which **two** solutions contain the same compound?

Put a **ring** around each correct answer.

A B C D

[1]

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(b) What ions are present in K_2SO_4 ?

Put (rings) around the correct ions.

K^+ K_2^{2+} K^{2+} SO_4^{2-} S^{2-} O^{2-}

[2]

(c) Sodium hydroxide reacts with sulfuric acid to make a soluble salt.

Which of the following statements about the reaction are **true**, and which are **false**?

Put ticks (✓) in the correct boxes.

	true	false
The reaction produces a precipitate.		
The reaction is a neutralisation reaction.		
The acid produces OH^- ions.		
An equation for the reaction is $H^+ + OH^- \rightarrow H_2O$.		
Hydrogen gas is given off.		

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The Periodic Table of the Elements

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1	H	hydrogen	1
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Key			
relative atomic mass	atomic symbol	name	atomic (proton) number

7	Li	lithium	3
9	Be	beryllium	4

23	Na	sodium	11
24	Mg	magnesium	12

39	K	potassium	19
40	Ca	calcium	20

85	Rb	rubidium	37
88	Sr	strontium	38

133	Cs	caesium	55
137	Ba	barium	56

[223]	[226]	[227]	[227]
Rf	Ac*	Ac*	Ac*

1	Li	lithium	3	4	5	6	7	0
7	Be	beryllium	4	5	6	7	8	2
9	Na	sodium	5	6	7	8	9	11
11	Al	aluminium	6	7	8	9	10	19
13	Si	silicon	11	12	13	14	15	20
15	P	phosphorus	12	13	14	15	16	40
17	S	sulfur	13	14	15	16	17	41
19	Cl	chlorine	14	15	16	17	18	42
21	Sc	scandium	15	16	17	18	19	43
23	Ti	titanium	16	17	18	19	20	44
25	Cr	chromium	17	18	19	20	21	45
27	Mn	manganese	18	19	20	21	22	46
29	Fe	iron	19	20	21	22	23	47
31	Co	cobalt	20	21	22	23	24	48
33	Ni	nickel	21	22	23	24	25	49
35	Cu	copper	22	23	24	25	26	50
37	Zn	zinc	23	24	25	26	27	51
39	Ru	ruthenium	24	25	26	27	28	52
41	Tc	technetium	25	26	27	28	29	53
43	Mo	molybdenum	26	27	28	29	30	54
45	Rh	rhodium	27	28	29	30	31	55
47	Pd	palladium	28	29	30	31	32	56
49	Ag	silver	29	30	31	32	33	57
51	In	indium	30	31	32	33	34	58
53	Sn	tin	31	32	33	34	35	59
55	Ge	germanium	32	33	34	35	36	60
57	Ga	gallium	33	34	35	36	37	61
59	Ge	germanium	34	35	36	37	38	62
61	In	indium	35	36	37	38	39	63
63	Sn	tin	36	37	38	39	40	64
65	Zn	zinc	37	38	39	40	41	65
67	As	arsenic	38	39	40	41	42	66
69	Sb	antimony	39	40	41	42	43	67
71	Te	tellurium	40	41	42	43	44	68
73	Ge	germanium	41	42	43	44	45	69
75	As	arsenic	42	43	44	45	46	70
77	Bi	bismuth	43	44	45	46	47	71
79	Po	polonium	44	45	46	47	48	72
81	Tl	thallium	45	46	47	48	49	73
83	Bi	bismuth	46	47	48	49	50	74
85	At	astatine	47	48	49	50	51	75
87	Rn	radon	48	49	50	51	52	76

Elements with atomic numbers 112-116 have been reported but not fully authenticated

* The lanthanoids (atomic numbers 58-71) and the actinoids (atomic numbers 90-103) have been omitted.

The relative atomic masses of copper and chlorine have not been rounded to the nearest whole number.