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# Combined Science

## Paper 4: Chemistry 2

**Higher Tier**

Sample Assessment Material for first teaching September 2016

**Time: 1 hour 10 minutes**

Paper Reference

**1SC0/2CH**

**You must have:**

Calculator, ruler

Total Marks

### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- Calculators may be used.
- Any diagrams may NOT be accurately drawn, unless otherwise indicated.
- You must **show all your working out** with **your answer clearly identified** at the **end of your solution**.

### Information

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- In questions marked with an asterisk (\*), marks will be awarded for your ability to structure your answer logically showing how the points that you make are related or follow on from each other where appropriate.

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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**Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.**

**Some questions must be answered with a cross ☐.**  
**If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box ☒ and then**  
**mark your new answer with a cross ☐.**

**1** This question is about changes to the Earth's atmosphere.

(a) Which of the following is a correct statement about the relative amounts of carbon dioxide and oxygen in the Earth's early atmosphere?

(1)

- ☐ **A** large amount of carbon dioxide and large amount of oxygen
- ☐ **B** large amount of carbon dioxide and small amount of oxygen
- ☐ **C** small amount of carbon dioxide and large amount of oxygen
- ☐ **D** small amount of carbon dioxide and small amount of oxygen

(b) Several processes change the composition of the Earth's atmosphere.

Describe how the composition of the atmosphere is affected by burning fossil fuels.

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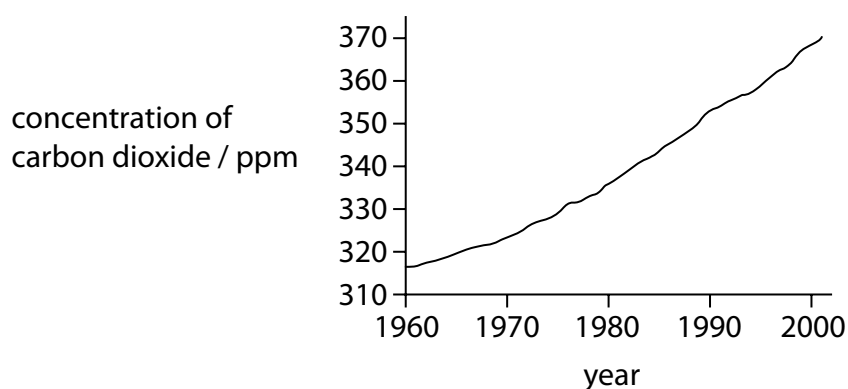
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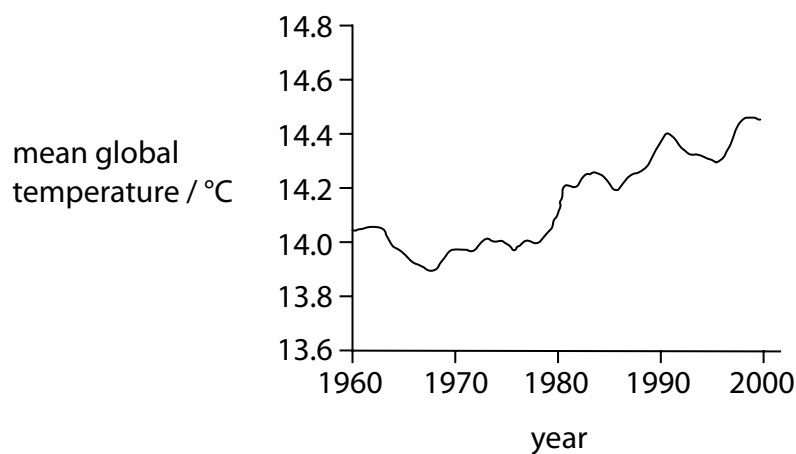
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- (c) The graphs in Figure 1 and Figure 2 show the concentration of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere and the mean global temperature, between 1960 and 2000.



**Figure 1**



**Figure 2**

Explain whether these graphs provide evidence that an increase in carbon dioxide is causing the Earth's temperature to rise.

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(d) Which of these pairs of gases are both greenhouse gases?

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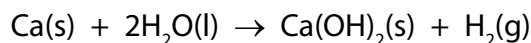
- ☐ **A** nitrogen and methane
- ☐ **B** nitrogen and oxygen
- ☐ **C** oxygen and water vapour
- ☐ **D** water vapour and methane

**(Total for Question 1 = 6 marks)**

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- 2 Magnesium and calcium are in group 2 of the periodic table.  
They are less reactive than the metals in group 1.

- (a) Calcium reacts with water to form calcium hydroxide,  $\text{Ca(OH)}_2$ , and hydrogen,  $\text{H}_2$ .



Describe what would be **seen** when a piece of calcium is dropped into a container of water.

(2)

- (b) Magnesium reacts very slowly with cold water but it reacts faster with steam,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , and forms magnesium oxide,  $\text{MgO}$ , and hydrogen.

Write the balanced equation for the reaction between magnesium and steam.

(2)

- (c) The electronic configurations of magnesium and calcium are

magnesium	2.8.2
calcium	2.8.8.2

When magnesium and calcium react with water they form positive ions.

Suggest an explanation, in terms of their electronic configurations, why calcium is more reactive than magnesium.

(2)

(d) A sample of calcium bromide contains 0.2 g calcium and 0.8 g bromine by mass.

Calculate the empirical formula of calcium bromide.

(relative atomic masses: Ca = 40, Br = 80)

(3)

empirical formula = .....

**(Total for Question 2 = 9 marks)**

### 3 Crude oil is a mixture of hydrocarbons.

It can be separated into fractions.

- (a) Which of these mixtures shows formulae of substances that could be in the gaseous fraction of crude oil?

(1)

- ☐ **A**  $C_2H_4$ ,  $C_3H_8$ ,  $C_4H_{10}O$
- ☐ **B**  $C_2H_4$ ,  $C_3H_7Br$ ,  $C_4H_{10}$
- ☐ **C**  $C_2H_6$ ,  $C_3H_8$ ,  $C_4H_{10}$
- ☐ **D**  $C_2H_6$ ,  $C_3H_7Br$ ,  $C_4H_{10}O$

- (b) Figure 3 shows the percentages of the fractions in crude oil from three different oil wells.

fraction	percentage of fraction in crude oil from		
	oil well A	oil well B	oil well C
gases	1	6	9
petrol	2	15	24
kerosene	6	14	20
diesel oil	7	10	16
fuel oil	26	28	30
bitumen	58	27	1

**Figure 3**

- (i) State which oil well contains the greatest combined total of diesel oil and fuel oil.

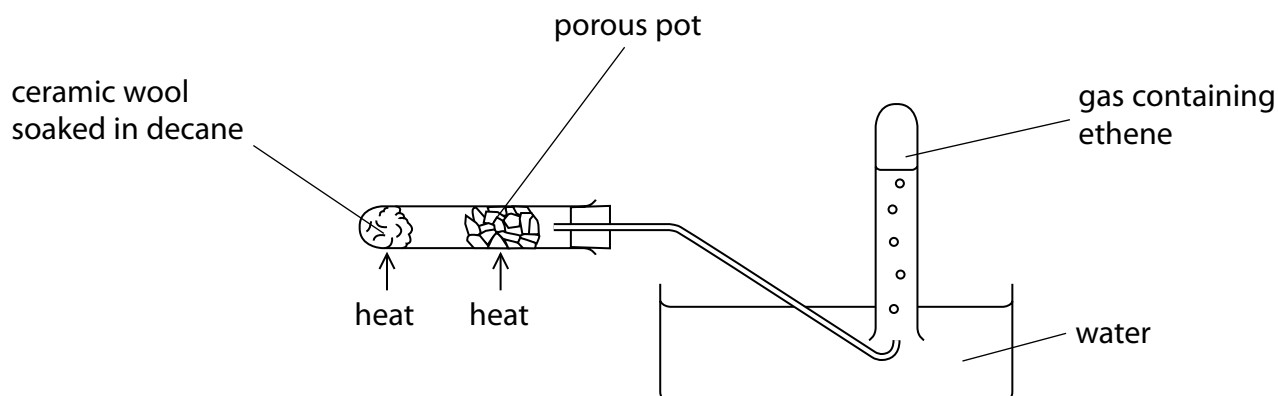
(1)

- (ii) State which oil well produces a crude oil containing the highest percentage of high boiling point fractions.

(1)

(c) Fractions of crude oil contain alkanes.

A sample of decane,  $C_{10}H_{22}$ , was cracked using the apparatus in Figure 4.  
This produced a mixture of products, including ethene.



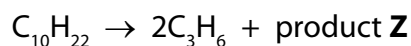
**Figure 4**

(i) Explain how ethene is produced using the apparatus in Figure 4.

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- (ii) One molecule of decane produced two molecules of propene,  $C_3H_6$ , and one molecule of product **Z**.



What is the formula of product **Z**?

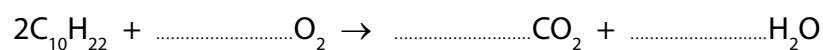
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- ☐ **A**  $C_4H_8$   
☐ **B**  $C_4H_{10}$   
☐ **C**  $C_7H_{14}$   
☐ **D**  $C_7H_{16}$

- (iii) When decane undergoes complete combustion, a mixture of carbon dioxide and water is formed.

Complete the balanced equation for this reaction.

(2)



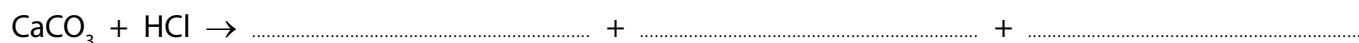
**(Total for Question 3 = 9 marks)**

- 4 A student investigated the rate of reaction between dilute hydrochloric acid and marble chips (calcium carbonate).

Calcium chloride, carbon dioxide and water are formed.

- (a) Complete and balance the equation for the reaction.

(2)



- (b) The student investigated the rate by using different sizes of marble chips. In their investigation, the same mass of marble chips was used in each experiment.

The volume of gas given off was measured.

The graph in Figure 5 shows the results.

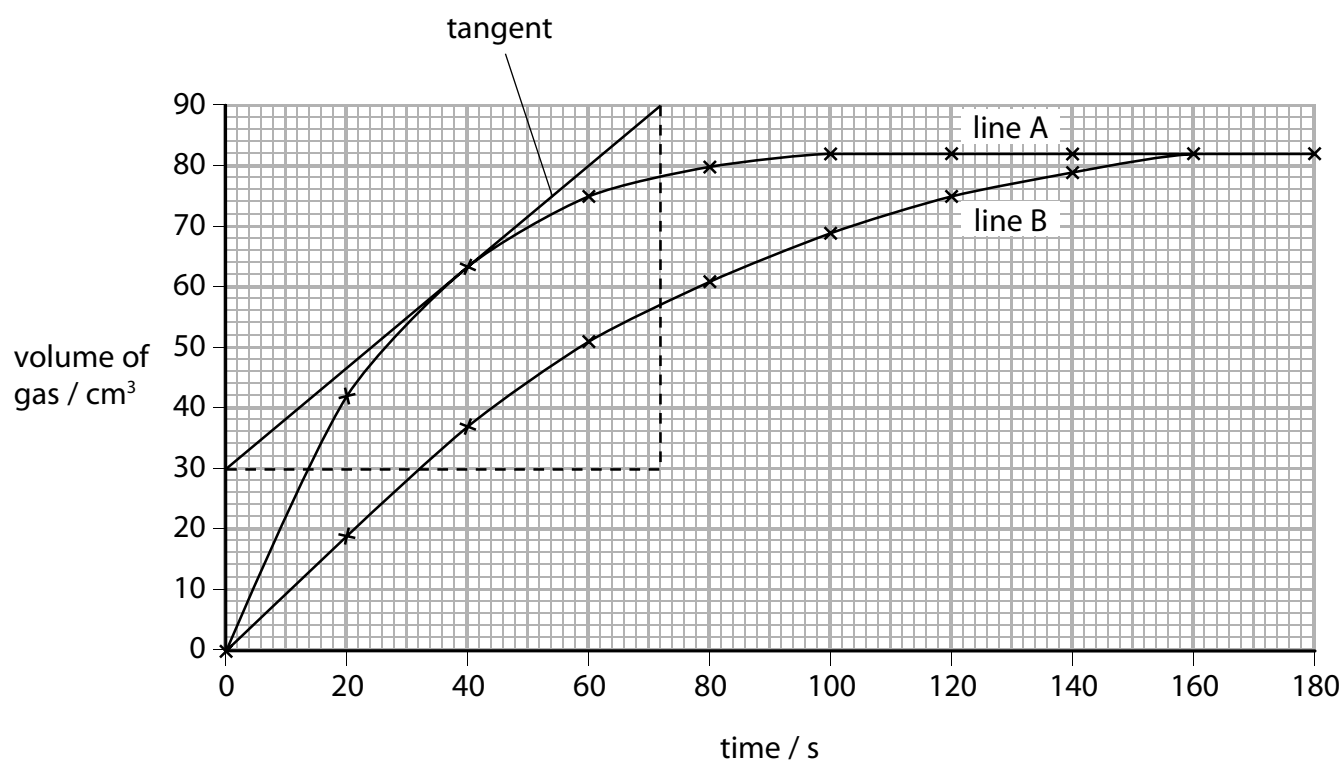


Figure 5

- (i) State how the graph shows that line B gives the results for the larger marble chips.

(1)

(ii) A tangent has been drawn on line A.

Calculate the rate of reaction at this point.

(2)

rate of reaction = .....  $\text{cm}^3\text{s}^{-1}$

(c) During any reaction, reactants are used up and the rate of reaction decreases.

Explain, in terms of particles, why the rate of reaction decreases.

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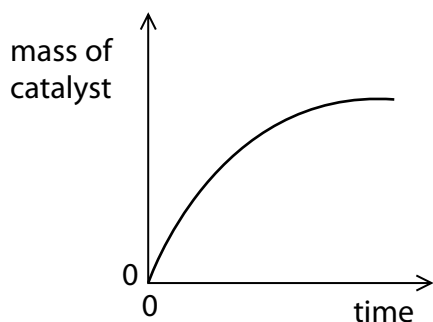
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- (d) The decomposition of hydrogen peroxide is catalysed by adding a small amount of manganese(IV) oxide.

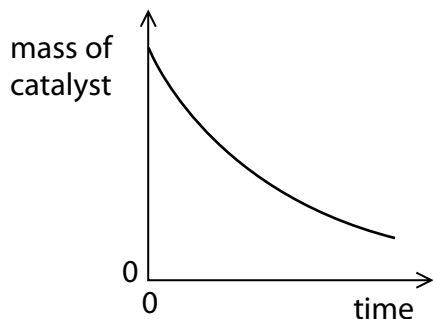
Which of these graphs shows the mass of the catalyst as the reaction takes place?

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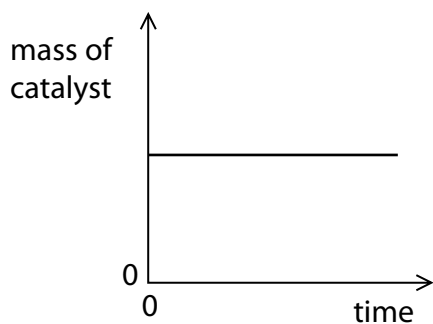
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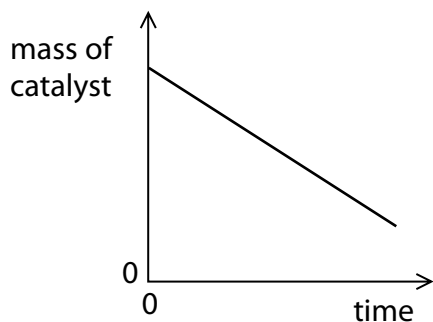
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☐ D



(e) Two gases, **X** and **Y**, react to give a gaseous product **Z**.

The reaction is carried out under two different sets of conditions in experiments 1 and 2 as shown in Figure 6.

condition	experiment 1	experiment 2
temperature / °C	30	20
pressure / atm	1	2

**Figure 6**

Explain why it is not possible to predict what the rate of Experiment 2 will be compared with Experiment 1.

(3)

(Total for Question 4 = 11 marks)

- 5 The elements chlorine, bromine and iodine are part of group 7 in the periodic table.
- (a) The appearances of chlorine, bromine and iodine at room temperature are shown in Figure 7.

halogen	appearance
chlorine	green gas
bromine	red-brown liquid
iodine	grey solid

**Figure 7**

Astatine is the element below iodine in group 7.

Predict the appearance of astatine.

(1)

- \*(b) The order of reactivity of chlorine, bromine and iodine can be determined by carrying out displacement reactions.

Explain how displacement reactions can be used to show the reactivity of these three elements.

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(c) When iron wool is heated in bromine vapour, it reacts to form iron bromide.

(i) In an experiment, 5.60 g of iron reacted exactly with 24.0 g of bromine,  $\text{Br}_2$ .

[relative atomic masses: Fe = 56.0, Br = 80.0]

Determine, using this information, the balanced equation for the reaction between iron and bromine.

You must show your working.

(4)

(ii) When iron reacts with bromine, bromide ions are formed.

Explain the type of reaction bromine atoms undergo when they are converted to bromide ions.

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**(Total for Question 5 = 13 marks)**



- 6 (a) Each of these substances forms ions in solution.

One mole of the following substances is dissolved in 1 dm<sup>3</sup> of water.

Which solution contains the greatest number of ions?

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- ☐ A ammonium sulfate, (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>
- ☐ B iron(III) chloride, FeCl<sub>3</sub>
- ☐ C magnesium nitrate, Mg(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>
- ☐ D potassium bromide, KBr

- (b) When sodium hydroxide solution is neutralised with an acid there is a temperature change.

A student is given dilute hydrochloric acid and dilute ethanoic acid of the same concentration in mol dm<sup>-3</sup>.

Devise a plan to compare the temperature changes produced when sodium hydroxide solution is neutralised with each of these two acids.

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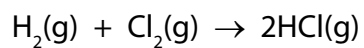
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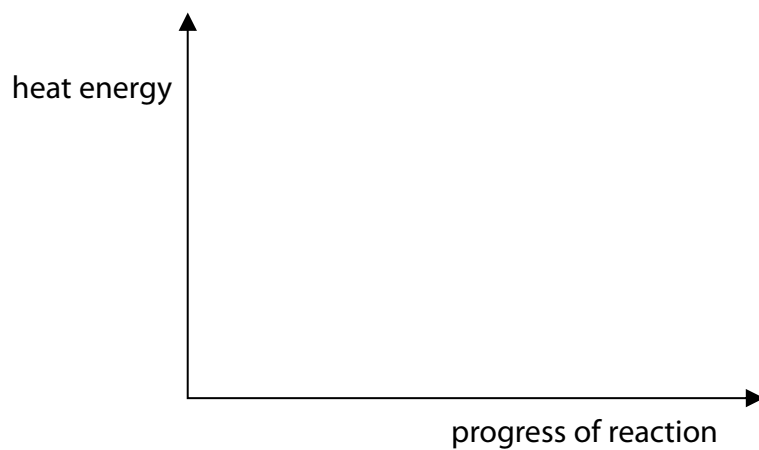
(c) Hydrogen reacts with chlorine to form hydrogen chloride.



The reaction is exothermic.

Draw and label the reaction profile diagram for this reaction, identifying the activation energy.

(3)

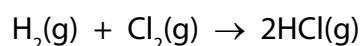


(d) The energies of some bonds are shown in Figure 8.

bond	energy of bond / $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$
H—H	436
Cl—Cl	243
H—Cl	432

**Figure 8**

Hydrogen reacts with chlorine to form hydrogen chloride.



Calculate the energy change, in  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ , for the reaction of 1 mol of hydrogen gas,  $\text{H}_2$ , with 1 mol of chlorine gas,  $\text{Cl}_2$ , to form 2 mol of hydrogen chloride gas,  $\text{HCl}$ .

(4)

energy change = .....  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$

**(Total for Question 6 = 12 marks)**

**TOTAL FOR PAPER = 60 MARKS**

# The Periodic Table of the Elements

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\* 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.**