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**International GCSE**

# Chemistry

**Unit: 4CH0**  
**Science (Double Award) 4SC0**  
**Paper: 1C**

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### 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.*
- Show all the steps in any calculations and state the units.

### Information

- The total mark for this paper is 120.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Write your answers neatly and in good English.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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THE PERIODIC TABLE

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Group

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Period

4	He Helium	2
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1	H Hydrogen	1
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7	Li Lithium	3	9	Be Beryllium	4	20	Ne Neon	10
23	Na Sodium	11	24	Mg Magnesium	12	39	K Potassium	19
39	K Potassium	19	40	Ca Calcium	20	51	V Vanadium	23
86	Rb Rubidium	37	88	Sr Strontium	38	91	Ti Titanium	22
133	Cs Caesium	55	137	Ba Barium	56	93	Nb Niobium	41
223	Fr Francium	87	226	Ra Radium	88	96	Cr Chromium	24
						99	Mn Manganese	25
						101	Fe Iron	26
						103	Co Cobalt	27
						106	Ni Nickel	28
						112	Zn Zinc	30
						115	In Indium	49
						119	Sn Tin	50
						122	Sb Antimony	51
						128	Te Tellurium	52
						127	I Iodine	53
						131	Xe Xenon	54
						137	Cs Caesium	55
						138	Ba Barium	56
						139	La Lanthanum	57
						140	Ce Cerium	58
						141	Pr Praseodymium	59
						142	Nd Neodymium	60
						143	Pm Promethium	61
						144	Sm Samarium	62
						145	Eu Europium	63
						146	Gd Gadolinium	64
						147	Tb Terbium	65
						148	Dy Dysprosium	66
						149	Ho Holmium	67
						150	Er Erbium	68
						151	Tm Thulium	69
						152	Yb Ytterbium	70
						153	Lu Lutetium	71
						154	Hf Hafnium	72
						155	Ta Tantalum	73
						156	W Tungsten	74
						157	Re Rhenium	75
						158	Os Osmium	76
						159	Ir Iridium	77
						160	Pt Platinum	78
						161	Au Gold	79
						162	Hg Mercury	80
						163	Tl Thallium	81
						164	Pb Lead	82
						165	Bi Bismuth	83
						166	Po Polonium	84
						167	At Astatine	85
						168	Rn Radon	86
						169	Ac Actinium	89

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Relative atomic mass
Symbol
Name
Atomic number



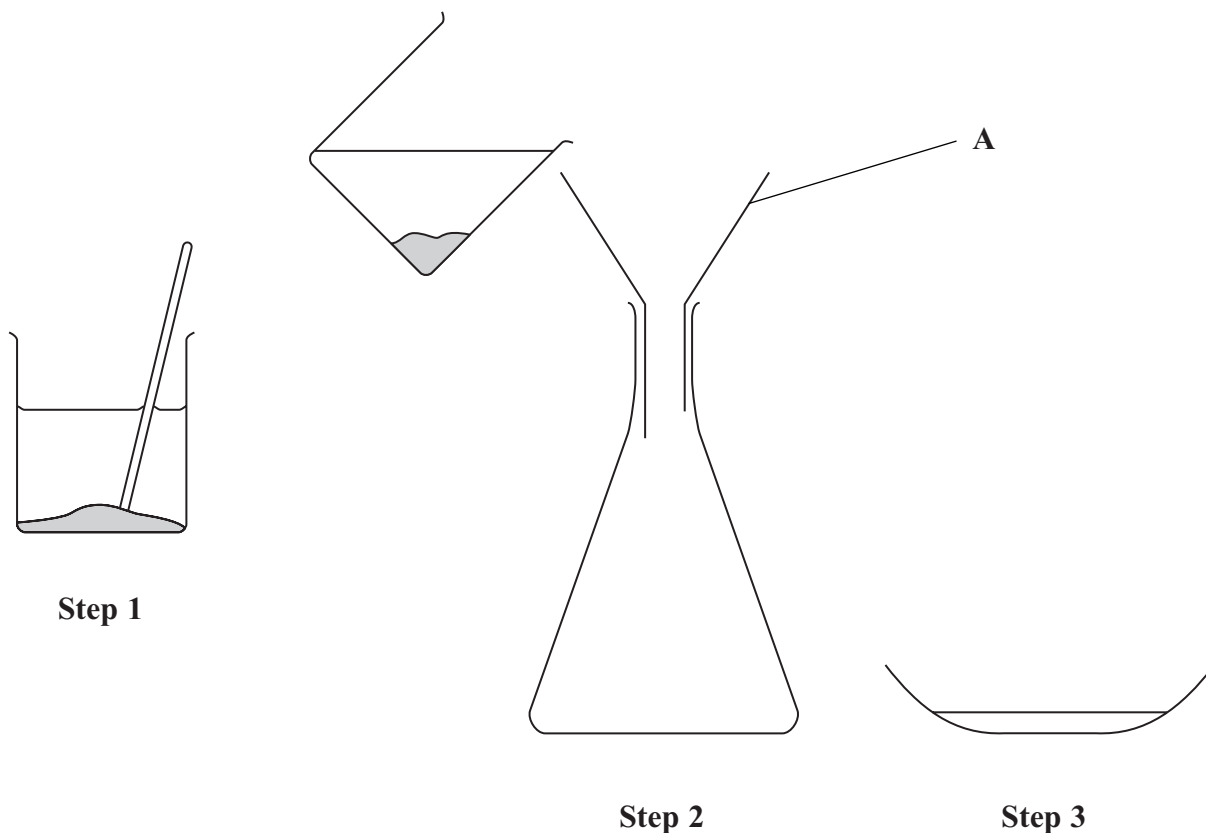
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Answer ALL questions.

- 1 Salt is soluble in water, but sand is insoluble in water. This difference allows a mixture of salt and sand to be separated using this apparatus.



- (a) Use words from the box to complete the sentences. Each word may be used once, more than once or not at all.

(6)

beaker	Bunsen burner	burette	conical flask
funnel	glass rod	thermometer	water

In **Step 1**, the mixture of salt and sand is placed in a .....  
containing ..... and stirred with a .....

In **Step 2**, the mixture from **Step 1** is poured through a .....  
into a .....

In **Step 3**, the liquid is transferred to a basin to allow the.....  
to be removed.



(b) (i) What should be placed in **A** before the mixture from **Step 1** is poured through it? (1)

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(ii) What is the solid removed in **Step 2**? (1)

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(c) Place crosses (☒) in **two** boxes to show the names of two processes used in this separation. (2)

- chromatography
- condensation
- distillation
- evaporation
- filtration
- sublimation

(Total for Question 1 = 10 marks)

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2 Iron is a useful metal. One problem with using iron is that it can rust.

(a) (i) Name the iron compound present in rust.

(1)

(ii) Name the **two** substances that iron reacts with when it rusts.

(2)

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(b) What type of reaction occurs in the rusting of iron?

Place a cross (☒) in **one** box.

(1)

- combustion
- decomposition
- displacement
- oxidation

(c) Galvanising can prevent iron from rusting. In this process, the iron is coated with another metal.

(i) Identify the other metal.

(1)

(ii) Identify one object suitable for galvanising.

Place a cross (☒) in **one** box.

(1)

- bicycle chain
- bucket
- car engine
- drink can



(d) State **two** other methods used to prevent iron from rusting.

(2)

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**(Total for Question 2 = 8 marks)**



3 Ammonium chloride contains oppositely charged ions.

(a) State the formula of each ion.

(2)

Positive ion .....

Negative ion .....

(b) (i) Describe a chemical test to show that a substance contains ammonium ions.

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(ii) Describe a chemical test to show that a substance contains chloride ions.

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(c) Ammonium chloride decomposes when heated:



What does the  $\rightleftharpoons$  symbol indicate about the reaction?

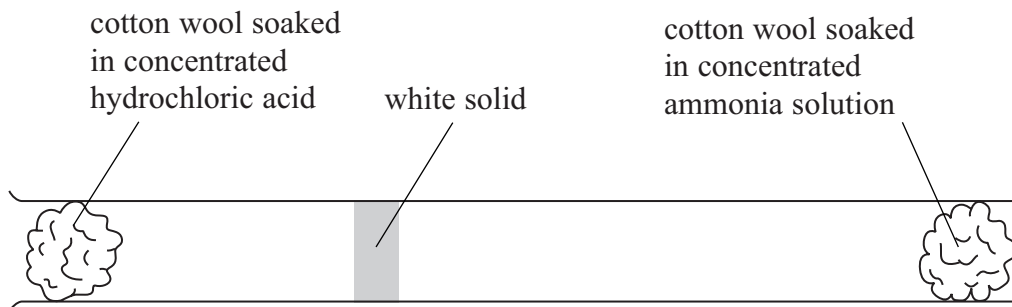
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(d) The reaction between ammonia and hydrogen chloride can be used to illustrate diffusion with the following apparatus.



After a few minutes, a white solid appears inside the tube.

(i) Identify the white solid. (1)

(ii) What does the diagram show about the speed of the ammonia molecules compared to the speed of the hydrogen chloride molecules? (1)

(e) State the main hazard when using concentrated hydrochloric acid in the experiment in (d).  
Suggest **one** precaution you could use to minimise this hazard. (2)

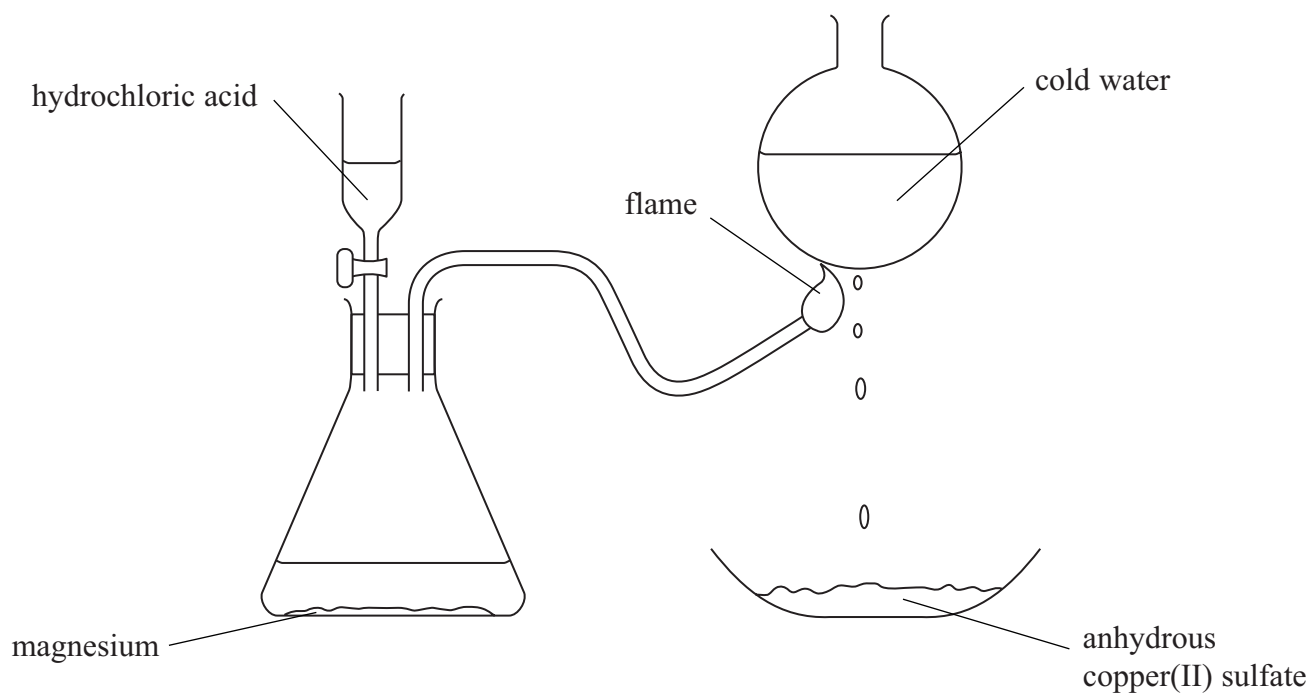
Hazard .....

Precaution .....

(Total for Question 3 = 13 marks)



4 A student set up the following apparatus.



(a) The reaction between magnesium and hydrochloric acid forms hydrogen gas.

(i) State **one** observation the student would make during this reaction.

(1)

(ii) Identify the other product formed during this reaction.

(1)

(b) The hydrogen gas burns in air to form steam. The steam changes to water on the surface of the round flask.

(i) Write a chemical equation for the burning of hydrogen in air.

(2)

(ii) What name is used for the process in which steam changes into water?

(1)



(c) The water drips onto anhydrous copper(II) sulfate and causes a reaction.  
The product of this reaction has the formula  $\text{CuSO}_4 \cdot 5\text{H}_2\text{O}$

(i) State the final colour of the copper(II) sulfate in this reaction.

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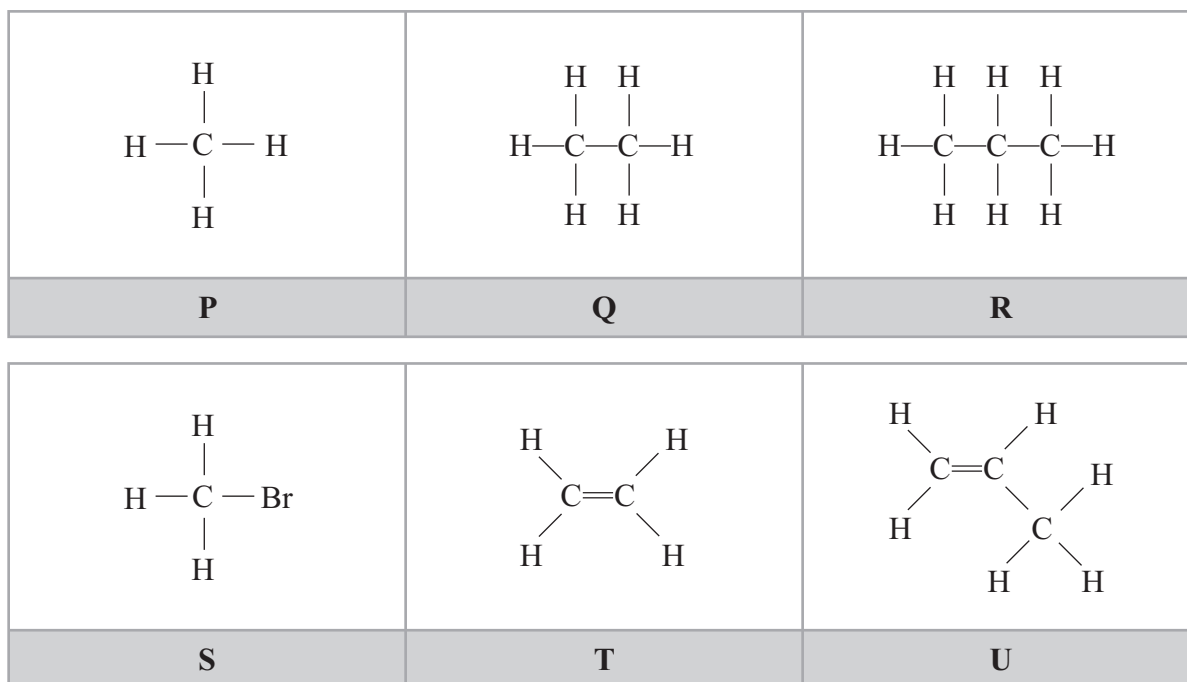
(ii) The colour change of the anhydrous copper(II) sulfate shows that the liquid contains water.

Describe a test to show that the water is pure.

(2)

(Total for Question 4 = 8 marks)

5 These are the displayed formulae of six organic compounds.



(a) Use the letters above to select

(i) the compound that is **not** a hydrocarbon. (1)

(ii) **one** compound with the empirical formula  $\text{CH}_2$  (1)

(iii) **one** compound that can form a polymer. (1)

(b) Describe a test that will distinguish between compounds **Q** and **T**, and state the observation made with compound **T**. (2)

Test .....

Observation with compound **T** .....



(c) Draw the displayed formula of an alkene containing four carbon atoms.

(1)

(d) Three of the compounds belong to the alkane homologous series.

All the alkanes in this homologous series have the same general formula.

(i) What is the general formula of the alkanes?

(1)

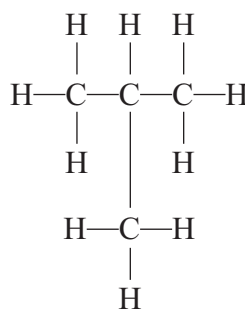
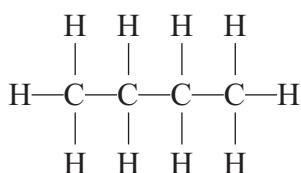
(ii) State **two** other features of a homologous series.

(2)

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(e) The displayed formulae below represent isomers.



Explain what isomers are.

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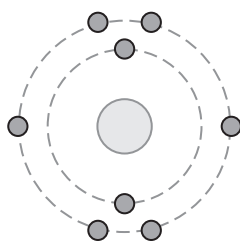
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(Total for Question 5 = 11 marks)



6 The diagram shows how the electrons are arranged in an atom of oxygen.



Oxygen atoms form both covalent and ionic bonds.

(a) Water is formed when two atoms of hydrogen combine with one atom of oxygen.

(i) Draw a dot and cross diagram of a molecule of water. You need only show the electrons in the outer shells.

(2)

(ii) Explain how the covalent bonds in the water molecule hold the hydrogen and oxygen atoms together.

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(b) The electronic configuration of a sodium atom is 2.8.1

Sodium oxide, Na<sub>2</sub>O, is an ionic compound formed when sodium reacts with oxygen.

(i) Describe, in terms of electrons, what happens when sodium oxide is formed in this reaction.

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(ii) The reaction of sodium to form sodium oxide can be described as oxidation because it involves the addition of oxygen.

State one other reason why this reaction can be described as oxidation.

(1)

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(c) Explain why water has a much lower melting point than sodium oxide.

(2)

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(d) A teacher added sodium oxide to water in a beaker.

The equation shows the reaction that occurred.



(i) Insert the appropriate state symbols in this equation.

(2)

(ii) Some universal indicator was then added to the beaker. A colour change occurred. State the final colour of the universal indicator and identify the ion responsible for the colour change.

(2)

Final colour .....

Ion responsible for colour change .....

(Total for Question 6 = 14 marks)



7 Bromine, chlorine and iodine are elements in Group 7 of the Periodic Table.

(a) (i) Identify which of these elements has (2)

the palest colour .....

the highest melting point .....

(ii) Give the name of another Group 7 element that is a solid at room temperature. (1)

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(b) When chlorine and hydrogen react together, hydrogen chloride gas forms.

Write a chemical equation for this reaction. (2)

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(c) Some hydrogen chloride gas is bubbled into separate samples of water and methylbenzene. A piece of blue litmus paper is dipped into each solution.

(i) State, with a reason, the final colour of the litmus paper in the solution in water. (2)

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(ii) State, with a reason, the final colour of the litmus paper in the solution in methylbenzene. (2)

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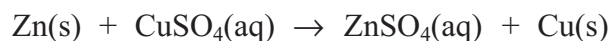
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(Total for Question 7 = 9 marks)





- 8 Some students investigated displacement reactions involving three different metals and solutions of their salts. This equation represents one of these reactions:



This reaction occurs because zinc is more reactive than copper.

When a displacement reaction occurs, there is a temperature rise. The bigger the difference in reactivity between the two metals, the bigger the temperature rise.

- (a) What word is used to describe reactions in which there is a temperature rise?

(1)

- (b) The students used this method.

- Pour some metal salt solution into a beaker, place a thermometer in the beaker and record the temperature
- Add some of the metal and stir the mixture
- Record the maximum temperature

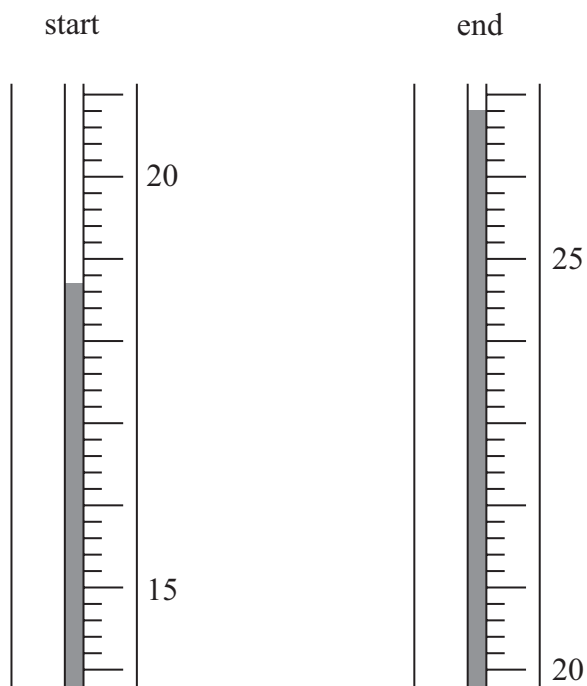
- (i) State **two** variables that the students should keep the same to ensure that the experiment was valid.

(2)

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2 .....

(ii) The diagrams show the thermometer readings at the start and at the end of one of the experiments.



Record the temperatures and calculate the temperature rise in this experiment.

(3)

Temperature at start ..... °C

Temperature at end ..... °C

Temperature rise ..... °C

- (iii) Each experiment was repeated twice. The table shows the average temperatures obtained.

Metal and metal salt used	Average temperature rise in °C
Zn + CuSO <sub>4</sub>	12.2
X + CuSO <sub>4</sub>	8.3
X + ZnSO <sub>4</sub>	0.0
Cu + ZnSO <sub>4</sub>	0.0
Zn + XSO <sub>4</sub>	2.7
Cu + XSO <sub>4</sub>	0.0

Use these results to identify the more reactive metal in each of the following pairs.

(2)

Zn and X .....

Cu and X .....

- (c) Write an equation for the reaction with a temperature rise of 2.7 °C.

(1)

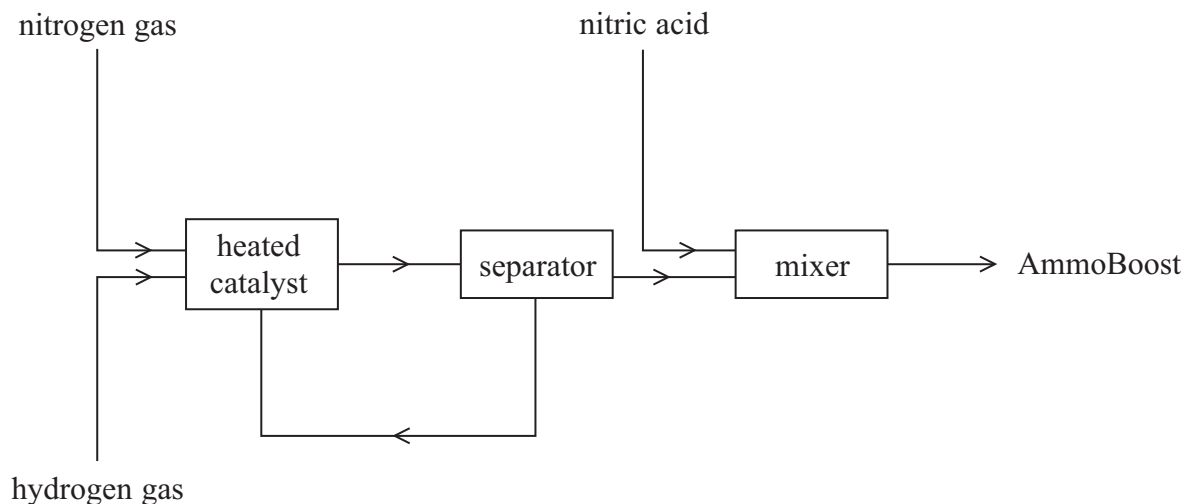
- (d) Suggest why the students did not use calcium metal in their experiments.

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(Total for Question 8 = 10 marks)

9 AmmoFert Chemicals is a company that manufactures fertilisers.

The flow chart shows how the company manufactures a fertiliser called AmmoBoost.



(a) The first step in the process is the conversion of nitrogen gas and hydrogen gas into ammonia.

(i) State a raw material used as the source of each gas. (2)

nitrogen .....

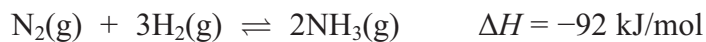
hydrogen .....

(ii) Identify the catalyst used in this conversion. (1)

(iii) State **one** other condition used in this conversion. (1)

(iv) Only a small percentage of the nitrogen gas and hydrogen gas is converted into ammonia.  
Explain how the unreacted gases are separated from the ammonia. (2)

(b) The equation for the production of ammonia is



Calculate the maximum mass of ammonia that can be obtained from 56 tonnes of nitrogen.  
(1 tonne = 1 000 000 grams)

(3)

(c) EnAitchThree is another company that manufactures ammonia using the same reaction as AmmoFert but using different conditions.  
EnAitchThree uses a higher temperature and a higher pressure than AmmoFert.

(i) Predict the effect on the rate of reaction and on the equilibrium position by changing to the temperature used by EnAitchThree.

(2)

Effect of higher temperature on rate of reaction

Effect of higher temperature on equilibrium position

(ii) Predict the effect on the equilibrium position by changing to the pressure used by EnAitchThree. Justify your prediction.

(2)

(d) The main compound in AmmoBoost contains 35% nitrogen and 5% hydrogen by mass.  
The remainder is oxygen.

(i) Calculate the percentage by mass of oxygen in the compound. (1)

(ii) Determine the empirical formula of the compound. (3)

(iii) What is the **name** of the main compound in AmmoBoost? (1)

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(Total for Question 9 = 18 marks)

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10 Like other metals, iron is malleable and is a good conductor of electricity.

(a) (i) Explain why iron is malleable.

(2)

(ii) Explain why iron is a good conductor of electricity.

(2)

(b) Iron forms two sulfates.

One has the formula  $\text{FeSO}_4$  and the other has the formula  $\text{Fe}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$

The addition of sodium hydroxide solution can be used to distinguish between solutions of these sulfates.

(i) State what would be observed in each case.

(2)

$\text{FeSO}_4$  .....

$\text{Fe}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$  .....

(ii) Write a chemical equation for the reaction of iron(II) sulfate ( $\text{FeSO}_4$ ) with sodium hydroxide solution.

(2)

(Total for Question 10 = 8 marks)

- 11 Some students investigated the rate of reaction between sodium thiosulfate solution and hydrochloric acid. The equation for the reaction is



The precipitate of sulfur makes the reaction mixture go cloudy.

The students used this method.

- Place a mixture of sodium thiosulfate solution and water in a conical flask
- Add some dilute hydrochloric acid, swirl the mixture and start a timer
- Place the flask over a black cross marked on a piece of paper
- Record the time taken for the cross to disappear when viewed from above

The students used 10 cm<sup>3</sup> of dilute hydrochloric acid in each experiment.

They carried out all the experiments at the same temperature.

They used different volumes of sodium thiosulfate solution and water in each experiment. They were told to keep the total volume of sodium thiosulfate solution and water constant.

The table shows their results.

Student	Volume of sodium thiosulfate solution in cm <sup>3</sup>	Volume of water in cm <sup>3</sup>	Time in s
1	50	0	26.6
2	40	10	55.9
3	35	15	76.4
4	30	20	105.6
5	25	25	149.0
6	20	30	223.5
7	15	40	321.4

- (a) Explain why the results of student 7 should not be used.

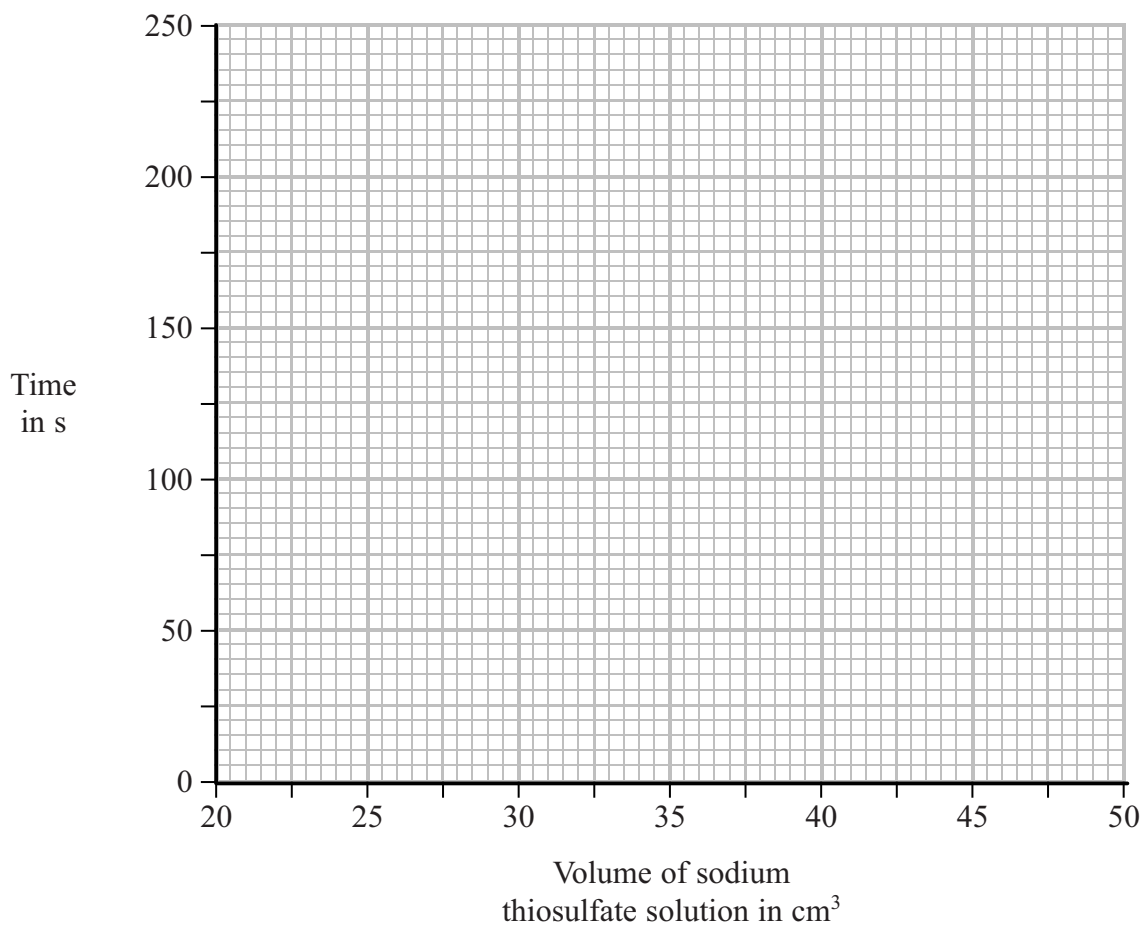
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(b) Plot the results of the six other students on the grid below. Draw a curve of best fit through the points.

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(c) The students used this equation to calculate the rate of each reaction in their investigation.

$$\text{rate of reaction} = \frac{1000}{\text{time taken}}$$

Calculate the rate of reaction for student 1's experiment.

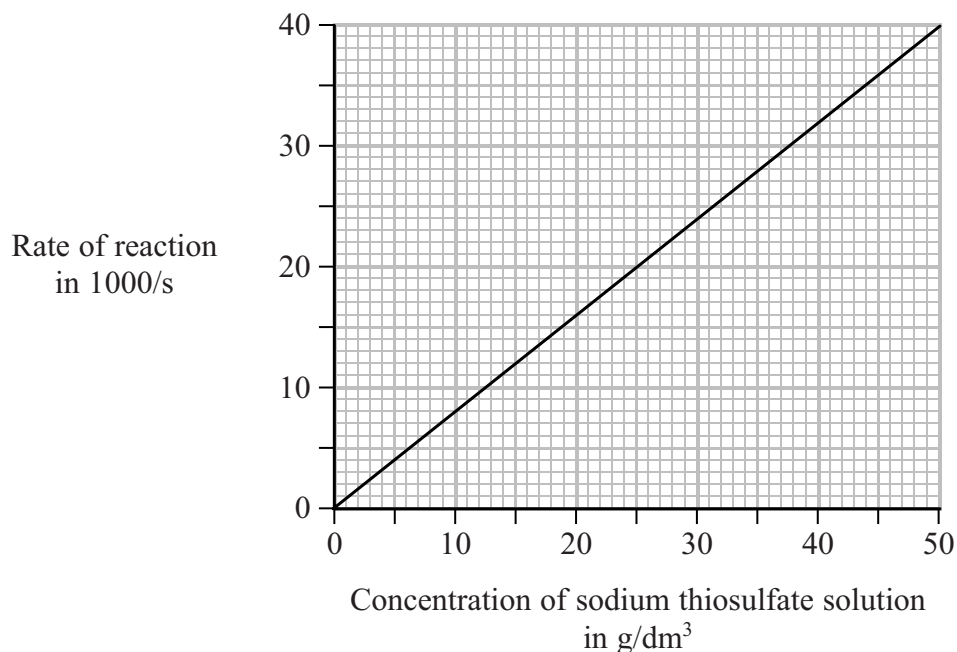
Give your answer to **one** decimal place.

(2)

Rate = .....



(d) Another group of students used the same method but with different solutions of sodium thiosulfate and hydrochloric acid. They calculated the rate of reaction for each experiment they did. Their results are shown on the following graph.



(i) Describe the relationship between rate and concentration as shown by the graph.

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(ii) Explain why increasing the concentration has this effect on the rate.

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