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SECONDARY EDUCATION CERTIFICATE LEVEL

SEPTEMBER 2016 SESSION

SUBJECT: Chemistry

PAPER NUMBER: I

DATE: 29th August 2016 TIME: 9:00 a.m. to 11:05 a.m.

Useful data:

Relative atomic masses: O = 16; K = 39

Directions to Candidates

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- In calculations you are advised to show all the steps in your working, giving your answer at each stage.
- The use of electronic calculators is permitted.
- A **Periodic Table** is printed on the back of this booklet.

For examiners' use only:

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Section A: Answer ALL questions in this Section. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

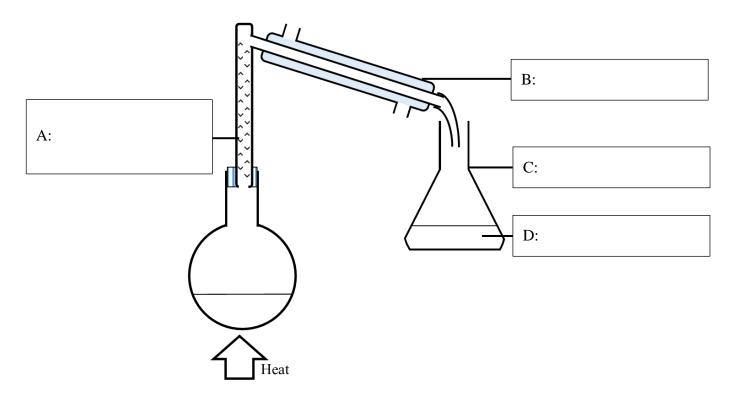
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3. Look at the following diagram for the apparatus used for fractional distillation and answer the questions that follow.



(a) Label parts **A**, **B**, **C** and **D**.

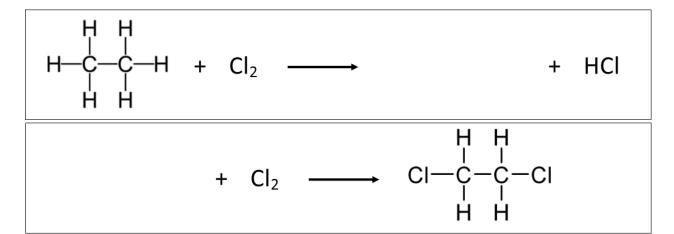
(4)

- (b) Mark clearly on the diagram:
 - (i) the direction of water flowing through apparatus \mathbf{B} ;
 - (ii) an appropriate position for a thermometer to be used.

Total: 6 marks

I. Th	is question is about Reaction A and Reaction B shown below:		
	Reaction A: Calcium carbonate + hydrochloric acid \rightarrow E + water + F		
	<u>Reaction B</u> : G + carbon dioxide \rightarrow calcium carbonate + H		
(a)	Complete the word equations by identifying the chemical names or formulae of substances:	the missing	ng
	Reaction A: E F	_	
	Reaction B: G H		
(b)	State one observation that can be made during each of the reactions A and B .	(4)	
	Observation in Reaction A:		
	Observation in Reaction B :	(2)	$\overline{}$
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	Total:	6 marks	
and	analysis of a sample of an oxide of potassium showed that it contained 70.91% of 29.09% of oxygen. Using the information given above, calculate the empirical formula of this oxide		_
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- 6. Chlorine can undergo chemical reactions with both ethane and ethene.
 - (a) Complete the diagram below to show the structures of the missing compounds.



(b) State the condition required for chlorine to react with ethane.

______(1)

- (c) Name the type of reaction taking place when chlorine reacts with:
 - (i) ethane;

(ii) ethene. ______ (2)

(d) Give **one** reason why the reaction of chlorine with ethane is different from the reaction of chlorine with ethene.

______(1)

Total: 6 marks

(2)

7.	(a)	Effervescence due to a colourless gas I can be observed if some hydrogen peroxide placed in a test tube in the presence of a suitable catalyst. Give the name or formula of gas and state how the identity of the gas can be confirmed by a simple test.	
		Name or formula of I	
		Test for I	
	(b)	When sodium hydroxide solution is added dropwise to a solution of an unknown substant and the mixture is warmed gently, a pungent smelling gas J is given off. This gas give dense white fumes with hydrochloric acid. Give the name of the gas J and give another te to confirm the presence of J .	es
		Name of gas J	
		Test for \mathbf{J}	
	(c)	A drop of silver nitrate solution is added to some tap water. Immediately a whi precipitate, \mathbf{K} , forms. Precipitate \mathbf{K} darkens on exposure to sunlight. Give the symbol of the ion present in tap water which causes the formation of precipitate \mathbf{K} and the name formula of precipitate \mathbf{K} .	of
		Symbol of ion	
		Name or formula of K (2)	
		Total: 6 marks	
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. The	 e composition of air at sea level is as follows: 21% L 78% M 1% other gases, such as water vapour and N. 		
(a)	Identify gas:		
(2	i) L ;		
(i	i) M ;		
(ii	i) N	(3)	
(b)	Explain, in terms of chemical bonding, why gas \mathbf{M} is used as an inert atmosphe experiments.	re in som	e
		_ (1)	
(c)	Under what conditions of temperature can a sample of air be liquefied? (Actual not required)		e
		_ (1)	
(d)	The amount of water vapour present in the air varies depending on the a conditions. Briefly describe a simple test which may be used to prove the pwater vapour in a sample of air.		
		(2)	
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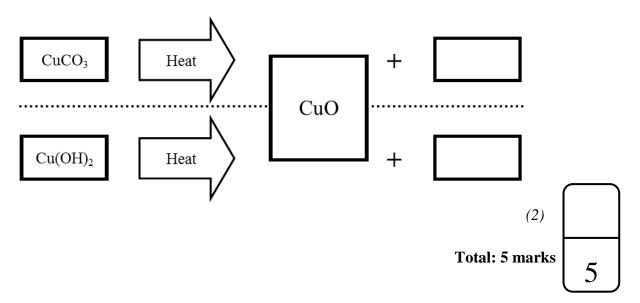
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- 10. Being a transition metal, copper has the following properties:
 - (i) Forms compounds with the same anion where copper has a different valency;
 - (ii) Forms coloured salts.
 - (a) Give examples of compounds to show that copper exhibits the properties listed above.

Property	Example of Compound	Valency
(i) Forms compounds with the same anion where		I
copper has a different valency.		II

	Property	Example of Compound	Colour
(ii)	Forms coloured salts		
	_		(3)

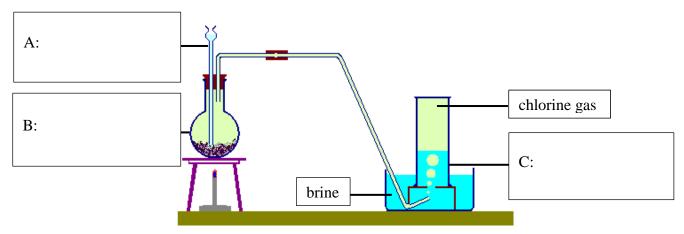
(b) Copper(II) oxide may be obtained in the laboratory by the action of heat on either copper(II) carbonate or copper(II) hydroxide. Complete the blanks in the figure below by giving the **formulae** of the other products formed during these **two** reactions.



Section B: Answer ALL questions in this Section. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

11.

(a) The following diagram shows the apparatus for a suitable method to produce chlorine gas in the laboratory.



(http://www.chem.canterbury.ac.nz/)

- (i) Name the pieces of apparatus labelled **A**, **B** and **C** in the diagram. (3)
- (ii) Name a better apparatus than **A** to be used in this experiment.

_______(1)

(iii) Name the **two** reagents used, the one placed in **A** and the one placed in **B**, to produce chlorine gas.

Reagent in A:

Reagent in B: ______ (2)

(iv) Write a balanced chemical equation for the reaction taking place between the reagents in (a)(iii).

______(2)

Question 11 continues on the next page

(b) Consider the reactions of chlorine, bromine and iodine with potassium chloride solution, potassium bromide solution and potassium iodide solution. Fill in the blanks in the table below by writing the products of the reaction or 'no reaction' as may be the case. Some answers have been given as examples. KCl solution **KBr** solution KI solution Chlorine + No reaction $Cl^- + Br_2$ Bromine + Iodine + No reaction *(6)* (c) There is no reaction between chlorine and potassium chloride solution, but chlorine water reacts with potassium bromide solution. Give the name of this type of reactions. (1)Write a balanced ionic equation, including state symbols, for the reaction between (ii) chlorine and potassium bromide. (iii) Explain briefly, by referring to your answer to (c)(ii), why this reaction takes place.

Total: 20 marks

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f	"Yeast and certain bacteria perform ethanol fermentation The net chemical for the production of ethanol from glucose is: $C_6H_{12}O_6\ (glucose) \rightarrow 2\ C_2H_5OH\ (ethanol) + 2\ CO_2\ (carbon\ dioxide)$ Ethanol fermentation is used for the production of beer, wine and bread." (http://chemistry	-
(i)	Draw the structural formula of ethanol.	
		(1)
(ii)	There is functional group isomerism for the formula C_2H_6O ; one of the inethanol. Explain the term functional group isomerism and draw the structural functional group isomer with the formula C_2H_6O .	
	Functional group isomerism:	
	Structural formula:	
		(2)
(iii)	Ethanol can be oxidized by acidified potassium dichromate. Give the structural formula of the product.	name and
	Name:	
	Structural Formula:	
		(2)
(b) I (i)	Ethanol and the product in part (a)(iii) react together. Give the name of this type of reaction.	
		(1)
(ii)	Write a balanced chemical equation to represent this reaction.	
		(2)

	The rate of reaction:	(1)
	The equilibrium position:	
	Vinegar is an aqueous solution of a carboxylic acid. Its concentration can be conceans of a titration with sodium hydroxide using phenolphthalein indicator. Explain the role of phenolphthalein in this experiment.	alculated by
		(1)
ii)	Draw a simple diagram to indicate how the apparatus is set up for an acid-ba	se titration.
		(2)
		(3)
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169	Tm	69	258	Md	101
167	Er	89	257	Fm	100
165	Ho	29	252	Es	66
162	Dy	99	251	Ct	86
159	Tp	65	247	Bk	97
157	Gd	64	247	Cm	96
152	Eu	63	243	Am	95
150	Sm	62	244	Pu	94
147	Pm	19	237	Np	93
144	PN	09	238	n	92
141	Pr	59	231	Pa	91
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PAPER NUMBER: IIB

DATE: 29th August 2016 TIME: 4:00 p.m. to 6:05 p.m.

Useful data:

Relative atomic masses: H = 1; N = 14; O = 16; Na = 23; Mg = 24; S = 32; Al = 27; Pb = 207

Avogadro constant, L: 6 x 10²³

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1 Faraday = 96500 C

Standard temperature and pressure (STP): 0 °C and 1 atm

The molar volume for gases at STP: 22.4 dm³

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Section A: Answer ALL questions in this Section. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

1.	Materials car	be distinguished	as conductors and	non-conductors.

(a) Indicate whether each of the following substances is a conductor (by writing C) or non-conductor (by writing NC) in the table below.

Material	Conductor / Non-conductor
Graphite	
Sodium chloride crystals	
Potassium iodide solution	

	Potassium iodide solution	(3)	
(b)	Briefly explain the difference between conductors and non-conductors.	(3)	
		(1)	
(c)	An aqueous solution of copper(II) sulfate is an electrolyte while an aqueous sugar is not. Explain this difference.	solution of	
		(2)	
	Tota	al: 6 marks	
Con	sider the following redox reaction:	l	6
	$Mg(s) + Cl_2(g) \rightarrow MgCl_2(s)$		
(a)	Continue the following statements:		
	is reduced because it electronsection	rons.	
	is oxidized because it elec	trons. <i>(4)</i>	
(b)	Consider again the reaction in part (a). Explain what is reduced and what is terms of oxidation numbers.	oxidized in	

Total: 6 marks

A sample of hydrated magnesium sulfate crystals is placed in a crucible and weighed.
The crucible and contents are then placed over a Bunsen burner and heated for 5 minutes.
The crucible is removed and allowed to cool.
The crucible is returned to the Bunsen burner and heated for a further 5 minutes.
If the result of steps (iv) and (vii) are the same the experiment is stopped but if they differ steps (iii) and (iv) are repeated until two identical readings are obtained.
plain why step (viii) is required.
ven that the formula of hydrated magnesium sulfate is MgSO ₄ .7H ₂ O, calculate the centage composition by mass of water of crystallization in hydrated magnesium
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4. Sodium sulfate decahydrate is an efflorescent substance. Other substances can be hygroscopic or deliquescent. Complete the table below to identify the meaning of these terms and provide an example of each.

Term	Example	Definition
Efflorescent	Na ₂ SO ₄ .10H ₂ O	
		Absorbs water from the atmosphere to form a hydrated salt.
		Absorbs water from the atmosphere to form a solution.

Total: 5 marks

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5. The main fractions that are produced during the fractional distillation of crude oil are given in Column A. Column B gives the boiling point range of these fractions but they are **not** in the same order as the fractions in Column A. Write the corresponding boiling point range next to the fraction listed in Column A.

Column A	Answer
Fuel oil	
Kerosene	
LPG	
Bitumen	
Petrol	
Diesel	

Column B						
< 40 °C						
40 °C - 170 °C						
170 °C - 250 °C						
250 °C - 350 °C						
350 °C - 400 °C						
> 400 °C						

Total: 6 marks

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6. The Cassar family bought a new washing machine and wanted to check if the water in their area was hard or soft.

(a) Describe a simple **chemical** test that may be carried out at home by the Cassar family to determine this. Write the observation one would expect for hard and soft water.

Test	Observation						
Test	For hard water	For soft water					
	-						
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(b)	The experiment	that the Ca	assar fami	ly carried	out	indicated	that 1	the	water	in	their	town
	was very hard.											

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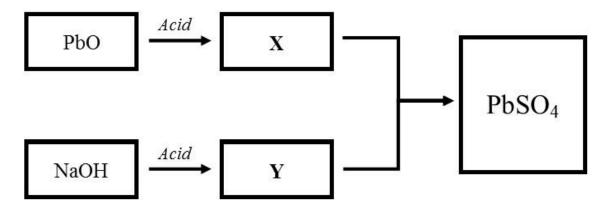
	(2)
– I1 (n both cases a gas is given off. Identify the gas for each reaction.
(i)	Gas given off from decomposition of calcium carbonate:
(ii)	Gas given off from decomposition of sodium nitrate:
	(2)
	Calcium oxide is the solid produced when calcium carbonate decomposes. Draw the onding present in calcium oxide, CaO. Show outer electrons only.
	(2)
	Witrogen dioxide can be prepared in the laboratory by the thermal decomposition of $\operatorname{ead}(II)$ nitrate.
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le	Vitrogen dioxide can be prepared in the laboratory by the thermal decomposition of ead(II) nitrate.
le	Write a balanced chemical equation for this reaction.
le (i)	Write a balanced chemical equation for this reaction. (2) State one observation that will be visible during this reaction.
le (i)	Write a balanced chemical equation for this reaction.

8.		en allowed to stand, nitrogen dioxide reaches dynamic equilibrium with dinitrogen oxide, according to the equation:	
		$2 \text{ NO}_2(g) \rightleftharpoons \text{N}_2\text{O}_4(g)$ $\Delta H = -57.20 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$	
	Wh	at is the effect on the equilibrium position when:	
	(a)	the pressure is increased?	
	(b)	the temperature is increased?	
	(c)	a catalyst is added? (3)	
		Total: 3 marks	3
9.	wor (a)	ample of lead(II) nitrate, Pb(NO ₃) ₂ , was found to weigh 3.31 g. Calculate, showing all king: the relative mass of lead(II) nitrate; the number of moles of lead(II) nitrate present in 3.31 g of lead nitrate; (2)	
	(c)	the number of nitrate ions in 3.31 g of lead(II) nitrate.	
		(3)	
		Total: 6 marks	6

(i)	Carbon dioxide:				
(ii)	Graphite:				
(iii)	Diamond:				
(iv)	_				
(11)	euroon monoxide.				(2)
				Sodium ionsChloride ions	
					(2)
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Section B: Answer TWO questions from this section. Write your answers in the lined pages provided. Clearly indicate the question numbers being answered.

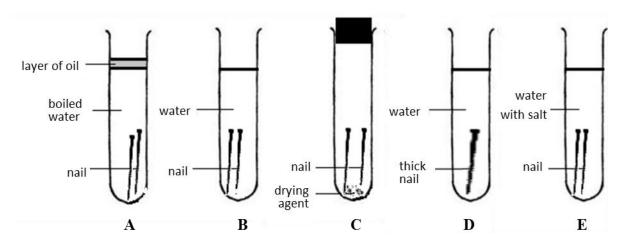
11. This question is about the preparation of lead(II) sulfate through a precipitation reaction between **X** and **Y**. **X** and **Y** are themselves prepared from lead(II) oxide and sodium hydroxide respectively. The procedure is illustrated in the diagram below:



- (a) Explain how compound **X** can be prepared starting from lead(II) oxide and any acid of your choice. Your answer should include:
 - (i) the identity of \mathbf{X} ; (1)
 - (ii) the identity of the acid used along with lead(II) oxide to produce X; (1)
 - (iii) a balanced chemical equation for the reaction taking place; (2)
 - (iv) the method to produce \mathbf{X} ; and (1)
 - (v) the separation technique/s and procedures required to collect a pure, dry sample of X.
- (b) Explain how compound **Y** can be prepared starting from sodium hydroxide. Your answer should include:
 - (i) the identity of \mathbf{Y} ; (1)
 - (ii) the identity of the acid used along with sodium hydroxide; (1)
- (iii) the method to produce \mathbf{Y} ; (4)
- (iv) a balanced chemical equation for the reaction taking place; and (2)
- (v) the separation technique/s and procedures required to collect a pure, dry sample of \mathbf{Y} .
- (c) Solutions of **X** and **Y** are then prepared and mixed together to produce lead(II) sulfate.
 - (i) State **one** observation that will be visible during this reaction. (1)
 - (ii) If 0.8 moles of **X** are reacted with 0.5 moles of **Y**, what quantity (in moles) of lead(II) sulfate will be produced? (1)

Total: 20 marks

12. The following laboratory setup was used by a student to investigate some of the causes of rusting and other factors that might affect its rate.



- (a) Test-tubes A and C did not show any signs of rusting.
 - (i) Why was the water in test-tube A boiled? (1)
- (ii) Why was a layer of oil used in test-tube A? (1)
- (iii) Why was a drying agent used in test-tube C? (1)
- (iv) What would the student performing the experiment conclude about the causes of rusting? (2)
- (v) What would be observed if the nail in test-tube B is wrapped in piece of magnesium ribbon? Give reasons for your answer. (3)
- (b) The nail in test-tube D had the **same mass** equivalent to two nails used in all the other test-tubes. On a daily basis, the student filters the contents of test-tubes B, D and E, allows them to dry, records their mass and returns them to their original test-tube conditions.
 - (i) Will the nails increase or decrease in mass? Explain your answer. (2)
 - (ii) Arrange test-tubes B, D and E in order of speed of rusting (slowest first) giving reasons for your answer. (4)
- (iii) Sketch a graph of **mass** (g) against **time** (days) to illustrate your answer to (b)(ii). Indicate on the graph the plots for test-tubes B, D and E. (2)
- (c) The corrosion of iron is a huge cause of concern for many people around the world. List four different ways which may be used to prevent this from happening. (4)

Total: 20 marks

- 13. Sulfur dioxide gas, SO₂, is an environmental pollutant but it has useful properties in a laboratory.
 - (a) Give balanced equations to show how sulfur dioxide can be produced by:
 - (i) the burning of sulfur in air or oxygen;
 - (ii) the reaction of copper and concentrated sulfuric acid. (4)
 - (b) Sulfur dioxide may be prepared in the laboratory by the reaction of hydrochloric acid and sodium sulfite according to the equation:

$$Na_2SO_3(s) + 2 HCl(aq) \rightarrow 2 NaCl(aq) + H_2O(l) + SO_2(g)$$

- (i) State **three** observations during this reaction. (3)
- (ii) Why is it better to collect the sulfur dioxide in a gas syringe rather than over water?
- (iii) Excess hydrochloric acid is added carefully to 3.15 g sodium sulfite. Calculate:
 - the number of moles of sodium sulfite; (2)
 - the number of moles of sulfur dioxide gas produced; (2)
 - the volume that the sulfur dioxide produced will occupy if measured at standard temperature and pressure. (2)
- (c) If the same mass of sulfur, 3.15 g, is available, calculate the number of moles of sulfur dioxide that would be produced using the reaction in (a)(i). (4)
- (d) Describe a chemical test that can be used to confirm that the gas collected is in fact sulfur dioxide. (2)

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14. This question is about the large scale preparations of aluminium and copper – two very useful metals. (a) Aluminium is extracted by an electrolytic process. Name the raw materials which are used. (2) (i) Why must the anode be replaced after a period of use? (ii) (2) Give a balanced half-equation to show the reaction occurring at the anode. (iii) (2) At the cathode the following reaction occurs: (iv) $Al^{3+} + 3e^{-} \rightarrow Al$ A current of 3 amperes is allowed to pass for 2 hours through the apparatus. Calculate: • the quantity of electricity, in faradays, used; (4) • the number of moles of aluminium which are produced; (2) the mass of aluminium produced. (1) (b) Copper is purified using an electrolytic process. Write a brief explanation explaining how this purification can be carried out. Your answer must include: the name of the electrolyte; (1) (i) the name/s of the materials of the electrodes; *(2)* (ii) the name of the electrode at which copper is collected; (iii) (1) a balanced half equation showing the production of copper metal; (iv) (1)

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