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# Chemical Changes part 5 AQA Triple Chemistry

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

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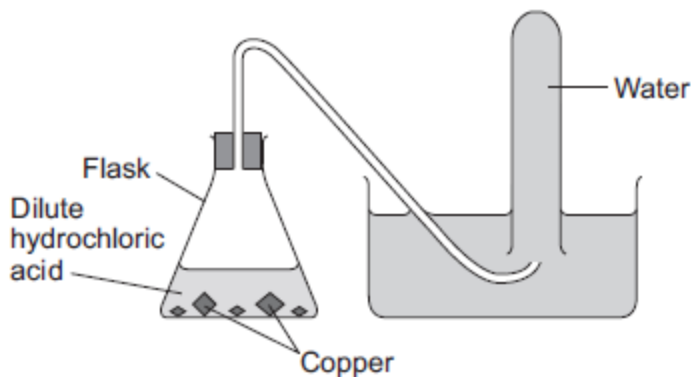
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1.

A student was trying to produce hydrogen gas.

Figure 1 shows the apparatus she used.

Figure 1



(a) No gas was produced.

The student's teacher said that this was because the substances in the flask did **not** react.

(i) Suggest why the substances in the flask did **not** react.

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(1)

(ii) Which two substances could the student have put in the flask to produce hydrogen safely?

Tick (✓) **one** box.

Gold and dilute hydrochloric acid

Potassium and dilute hydrochloric acid

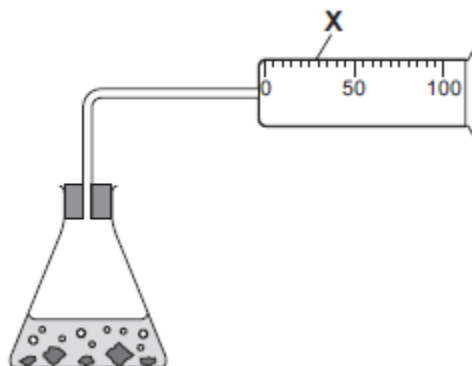
Zinc and dilute hydrochloric acid

(1)

- (b) Another student did produce hydrogen from two substances.

**Figure 2** shows the apparatus the student used to collect and measure the volume of the hydrogen gas.

**Figure 2**



Give the name of the apparatus labelled **X**.

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(1)

- (c) The student did the experiment four times. Her results are shown in the table below.

Experiment	Volume of hydrogen collected in one minute in cm <sup>3</sup>
1	49
2	50
3	35
4	48

- (i) One of the results is anomalous.

Which result is anomalous? Write your answer in the box.

Give a reason for your choice.

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(2)

(ii) Calculate the mean volume of hydrogen collected in one minute.

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Mean volume = \_\_\_\_\_ cm<sup>3</sup>

(2)

(iii) Give a reason why the experiment should be repeated several times.

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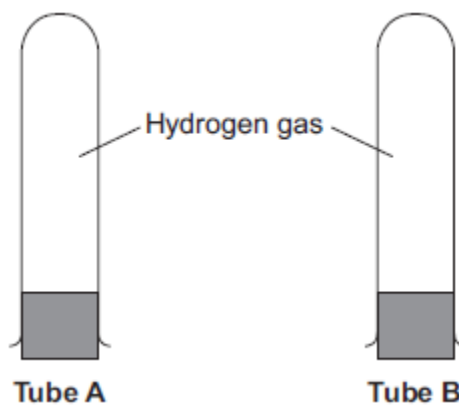
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(1)

(d) A teacher collected two tubes full of hydrogen gas, as shown in **Figure 3**.

**Figure 3**



She tested tube **A** with a lighted splint as soon as she took the bung out.

She tested tube **B** with a lighted splint a few seconds after taking the bung out.

(i) Suggest why tube **B** gave a much louder pop than tube **A**.

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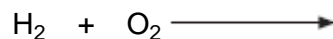
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(1)

- (ii) Complete and balance the chemical equation for the reaction that takes place when the hydrogen reacts in this test.



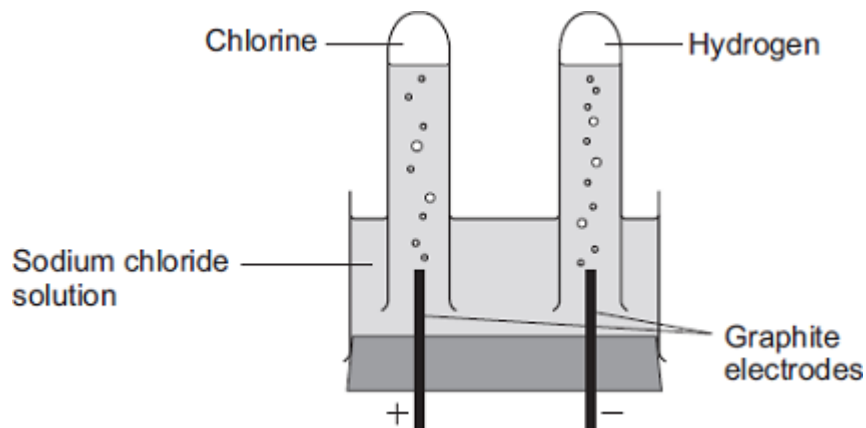
(2)

(Total 11 marks)

2.

The electrolysis of sodium chloride solution is an industrial process.

The diagram shows the apparatus used in a school experiment.



- (a) One of the products of the electrolysis of sodium chloride solution is hydrogen.

- (i) Why do hydrogen ions move to the negative electrode?

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(1)

- (ii) How does a hydrogen ion change into a hydrogen atom?

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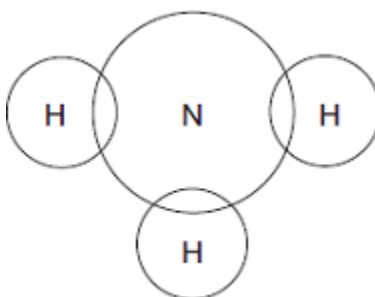
(1)

(b) Hydrogen is used to make ammonia (NH<sub>3</sub>).

Complete the diagram to show the bonding in ammonia.

Use dots (●) and crosses (x) to show electrons.

Show only outer shell electrons.



(2)

(c) The table shows the ions in sodium chloride solution.

Positive ions	Negative ions
hydrogen	chloride
sodium	hydroxide

In industry, some of the waste from the electrolysis of sodium chloride solution is alkaline and has to be neutralised.

(i) Which ion makes the waste alkaline?

\_\_\_\_\_

(1)

(ii) This waste must be neutralised.

Write the ionic equation for the neutralisation reaction.

\_\_\_\_\_

(1)

- (d) *In this question you will be assessed on using good English, organising information clearly and using specialist terms where appropriate.*

The electrolysis of sodium chloride solution also produces chlorine and sodium hydroxide.

In industry, the electrolysis of sodium chloride solution can be done in several types of electrolysis cell.

Some information about two different types of electrolysis cell is given below.

	<b>Mercury cell</b>	<b>Membrane cell</b>
<b>Cost of construction</b>	Expensive	Relatively cheap
<b>Additional substances used</b>	Mercury, which is recycled. Mercury is toxic so any traces of mercury must be removed from the waste	Membrane, which is made of a polymer. The membrane must be replaced every 3 years.
<b>Amount of electricity used for each tonne of chlorine produced in kWh</b>	3400	2950
<b>Quality of chlorine produced</b>	Pure	Needs to be liquefied and distilled to make it pure.
<b>Quality of sodium hydroxide solution produced</b>	50% concentration. Steam is used to concentrate the sodium hydroxide solution produced.	30% concentration. Steam is used to concentrate the sodium hydroxide solution produced.



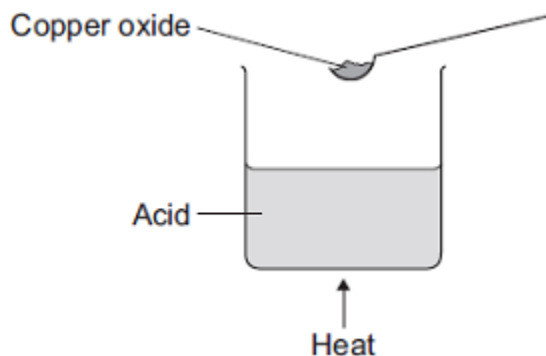
3.

A student added copper oxide to an acid to make copper sulfate.

The student heated the acid.

The student added copper oxide until no more reacted.

(a) The diagram shows the first stage in the experiment.



(i) Complete the word equation.

Copper oxide + \_\_\_\_\_ acid → copper sulfate + water

(1)

(ii) Which **one** of these values could be the pH of the acid?

Draw a ring around the correct answer.

1

7

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(1)

(iii) Why is the acid heated?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(1)

(b) After the reaction is complete, some solid copper oxide remains.  
Why?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(1)

(c) The student removed the solid copper oxide from the solution.

Suggest what the student should do to the solution to form copper sulfate crystals.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(1)

(d) The mass of copper sulfate crystals was less than the student expected.

Tick (✓) the **one** statement that explains why the mass of copper sulfate crystals was less than expected.

Statement	Tick (✓)
Some copper sulfate may have been lost during the experiment.	
The student added too much copper oxide.	
The copper sulfate crystals were wet when they were weighed.	

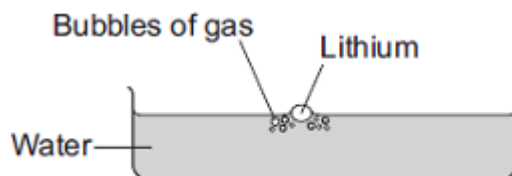
(1)

(Total 6 marks)

4.

Lithium is in Group 1 of the periodic table.

Lithium reacts with water to produce a gas and an alkaline solution.



(a) (i) Name the gas produced.

\_\_\_\_\_

(1)

(ii) Which ion causes the solution to be alkaline?

\_\_\_\_\_

(1)

(b) Potassium is also in Group 1 of the periodic table.  
Potassium reacts with water in a similar way to lithium.

Write down **two** differences you would see between the reactions of potassium and lithium with water.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(2)

(Total 4 marks)

**5.** Cans for food and drinks are made from steel or aluminium.  
The main metal in steel is iron.

(a) Reacting iron oxide with carbon produces iron.

Draw a ring around the correct answer to complete the sentence.

The reaction to produce iron from iron oxide is

- decomposition.
- oxidation.
- reduction.

(1)

(b) Aluminium cannot be produced by reacting aluminium oxide with carbon.

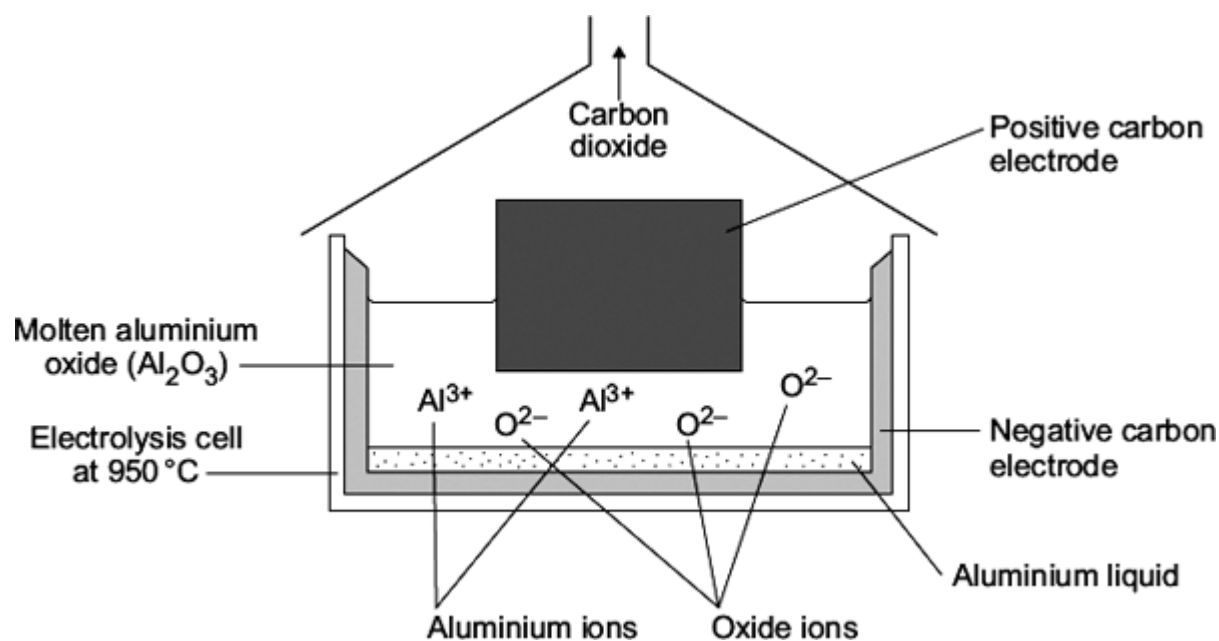
Why does aluminium oxide **not** react with carbon?

Tick ( ✓ ) the correct answer.

Answer	Tick ( ✓ )
aluminium is less reactive than carbon	
carbon is less reactive than aluminium	
oxygen is more reactive than carbon	

(1)

(c) Aluminium can be produced by electrolysis.



Why do the aluminium ions collect at the negative electrode?

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(2)

(d) Some statements about aluminium are given below.

Tick (✓) **two** statements that are correct reasons why aluminium is used to make cans.

Statement	Tick (✓)
aluminium conducts electricity	
aluminium is not a transition metal	
aluminium has a low density	
aluminium is resistant to corrosion	

(2)

(e) Recycling aluminium cans uses less fossil fuels than producing aluminium from its ore.

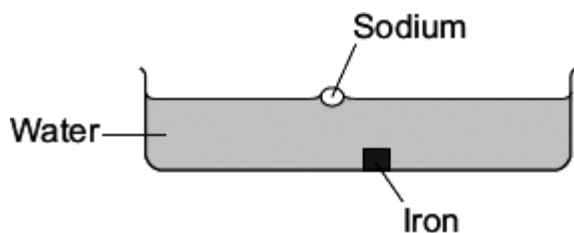
Tick (✓) **one** advantage and tick (✓) **one** disadvantage of recycling aluminium to make aluminium cans.

<b>Statement</b>	<b>Advantage Tick (✓)</b>	<b>Disadvantage Tick (✓)</b>
aluminium is the most common metal in the Earth's crust		
less carbon dioxide is produced		
more aluminium ore needs to be mined		
used aluminium cans have to be collected and transported		

**(2)**  
**(Total 8 marks)**

6. How a metal is used depends on its properties.

A teacher demonstrated some of the properties of sodium (an alkali metal) and iron (a transition element) by placing a small cube of each metal into water.



A student observed that:

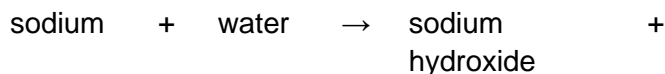
Sodium	Iron
floated on the surface of the water	sank to the bottom of the water
melted to form a molten ball of sodium	did not melt
reacted to produce a gas	did not react
no sodium was left after 5 minutes	the cube of iron remained after 5 minutes

(a) Tick (✓) **two** properties of sodium compared with iron that are shown by the student's observations.

Sodium compared with iron	Tick(✓)
sodium has a higher boiling point	
sodium has a lower density	
sodium is harder	
sodium is more reactive	
sodium is softer	

(2)

(b) Draw a ring around the correct answer to complete the word equation.



- carbon dioxide
- hydrogen
- oxygen

(1)

(c) Draw a ring around the correct answer to complete the sentence.

Sodium hydroxide is an alkali because it produces

$H^+(aq)$

$OH^-(aq)$

$Na^+(aq)$

ions

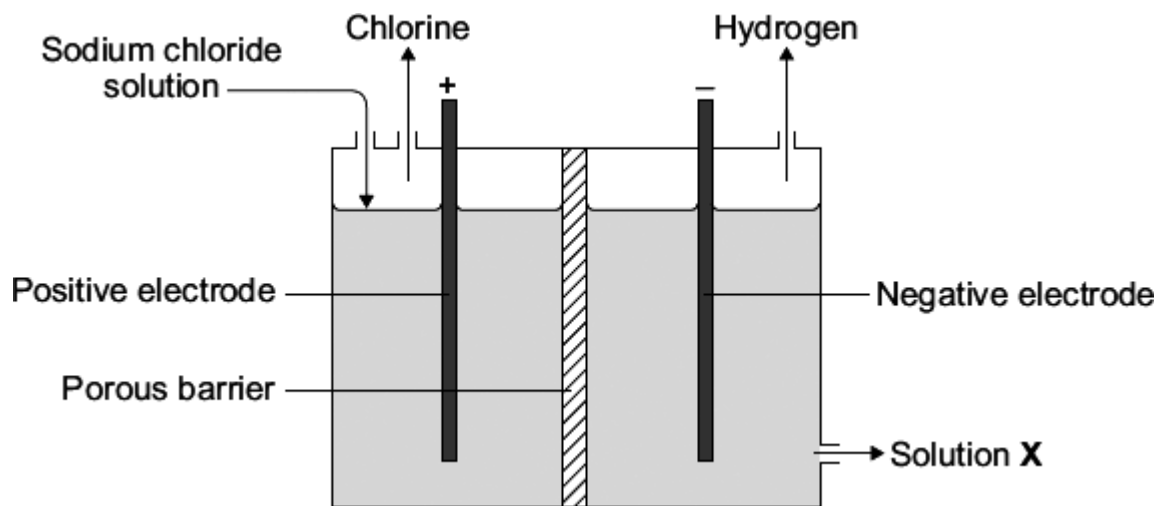
in aqueous solution.

(1)

(Total 4 marks)

7.

The electrolysis of sodium chloride solution is an industrial process.



(a) Why do chloride ions move to the positive electrode?

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(1)

- (b) Sodium chloride solution contains two types of positive ions, sodium ions ( $\text{Na}^+$ ) and hydrogen ions ( $\text{H}^+$ ).

Tick (✓) the reason why hydrogen is produced at the negative electrode and **not** sodium.

Reason	Tick (✓)
Hydrogen is a gas.	
Hydrogen is less reactive than sodium.	
Hydrogen is a non-metal.	
Hydrogen ions travel faster than sodium ions.	

(1)

- (c) Solution **X** is alkaline.

Which ion makes solution **X** alkaline?

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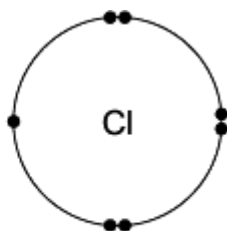
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- (d) Electrolysis of sodium chloride solution produces hydrogen and chlorine.  
The hydrogen and chlorine can be used to make hydrogen chloride.

- (i) The diagrams show how the outer electrons are arranged in atoms of hydrogen and chlorine.

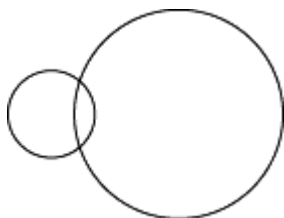


Hydrogen atom



Chlorine atom

Complete the diagram to show how the electrons are arranged in a molecule of hydrogen chloride ( $\text{HCl}$ ).



(1)

- (ii) Name the type of bond between the hydrogen and the chlorine atoms in a molecule of hydrogen chloride.

\_\_\_\_\_

(1)

- (iii) Some hydrogen chloride was bubbled into water. This made a solution with a pH of 1.

Which ion gave the solution a pH of 1?

\_\_\_\_\_

(1)

(Total 6 marks)

8.

Vinegar can be added to food. Vinegar is an aqueous solution of ethanoic acid.



Ethanoic acid is a *weak* acid.

- (a) Which ion is present in aqueous solutions of all acids?

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(1)

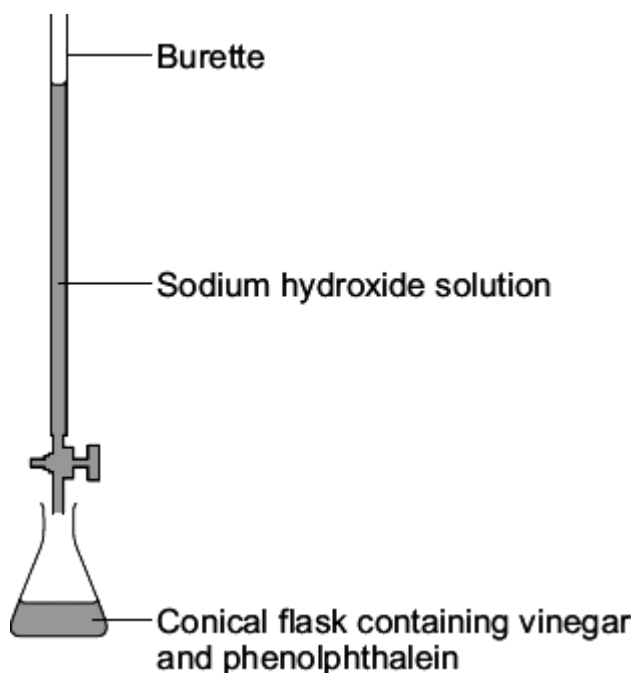
- (b) What is the difference between the pH of a *weak* acid compared to the pH of a strong acid of the same concentration?

Give a reason for your answer.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(2)

- (c) The diagram shows the apparatus used to find the concentration of ethanoic acid in vinegar.



- (i) Why should phenolphthalein indicator be used for this titration instead of methyl orange?

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(1)

- (ii) 25.00 cm<sup>3</sup> of vinegar was neutralised by 30.50 cm<sup>3</sup> of a solution of sodium hydroxide with a concentration of 0.50 moles per cubic decimetre.

The equation for this reaction is:



Calculate the concentration of ethanoic acid in this vinegar.

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Concentration of ethanoic acid in this vinegar = \_\_\_\_\_ moles per cubic decimetre

(2)

- (d) The concentration of ethanoic acid in a different bottle of vinegar was 0.80 moles per cubic decimetre.

Calculate the mass in grams of ethanoic acid ( $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ ) in  $250 \text{ cm}^3$  of this vinegar.  
The relative formula mass ( $M_r$ ) of ethanoic acid = 60.

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Mass of ethanoic acid = \_\_\_\_\_ g

(2)

(Total 8 marks)

9.

The table shows some information about acids and alkalis.

Name of acid or alkali	Type	Ions produced in solution		pH	Effect on Universal Indicator
Hydrochloric acid	Strong acid	$\text{H}^+$	$\text{Cl}^-$	1	Goes red
Sodium hydroxide	Strong alkali	$\text{Na}^+$	$\text{OH}^-$	13	Goes purple

Use the information in the table to help you answer parts (a) and (b).

- (a) Draw a ring around the correct answer to complete each sentence.

- (i) Hydrochloric acid is acidic.

This is because it contains

$\text{Cl}^-$
$\text{H}^+$
$\text{OH}^-$

ions

(1)

- (ii) Sodium hydroxide solution is alkaline.

This is because it contains

$\text{H}^+$
$\text{Na}^+$
$\text{OH}^-$

ions

(1)

(iii) The pH of acids is 

higher than
lower than
the same as

 the pH of alkalis.

(1)

(b) Ethanoic acid is a weak acid.

Universal Indicator can be used to show that hydrochloric acid is a stronger acid than ethanoic acid of the same concentration.

Explain how.

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(2)

(c) Draw a ring around the correct answer to complete this sentence.

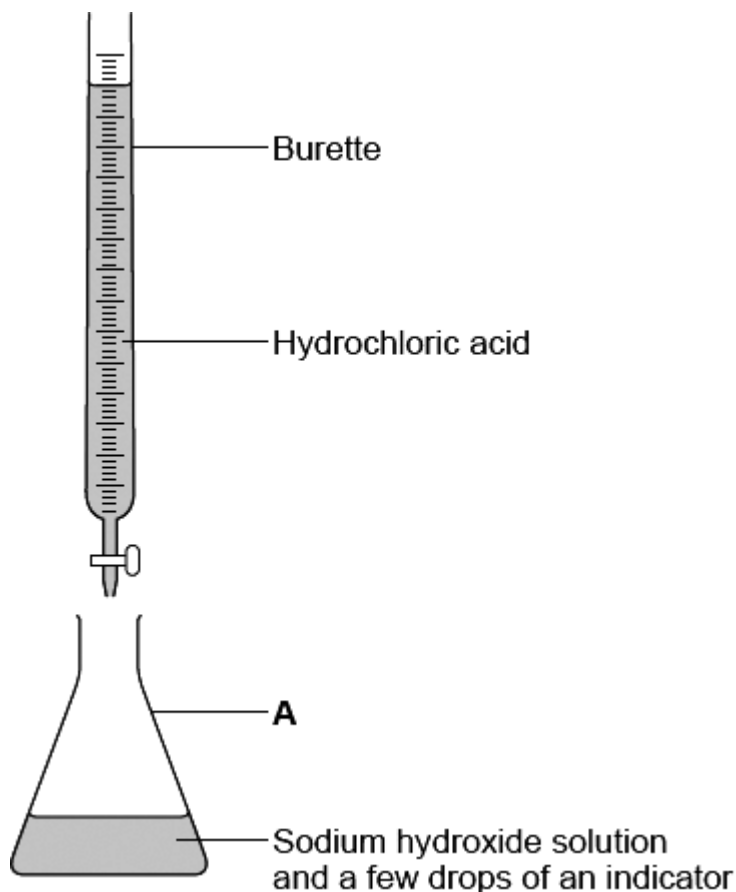
Strong acids and strong alkalis are 

completely
not
partially

 ionised in water.

(1)

- (d) The diagram shows the apparatus used to find the volume of hydrochloric acid that reacts with 25.0 cm<sup>3</sup> of sodium hydroxide solution.



- (i) Which **one** of the following is the correct name for **A**?

Draw a ring around your answer.

**beaker**

**conical flask**

**pipette**

(1)

- (ii) Use the correct word from the box to complete the sentence.

**distillation**

**filtration**

**titration**

The method used to find the volume of acid that reacts with a known volume of alkali is \_\_\_\_\_.

(1)

- (iii) Suggest **one** way to make the results more reliable.

\_\_\_\_\_

(1)

**(Total 9 marks)**

10.

The electrolysis of sodium chloride solution produces useful substances.

- (a) (i) Choose a word from the box to complete the sentence.

<b>covalent</b>	<b>ionic</b>	<b>non-metallic</b>
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Electrolysis takes place when electricity passes through \_\_\_\_\_  
compounds when they are molten or in solution.

(1)

- (ii) Choose a word from the box to complete the sentence.

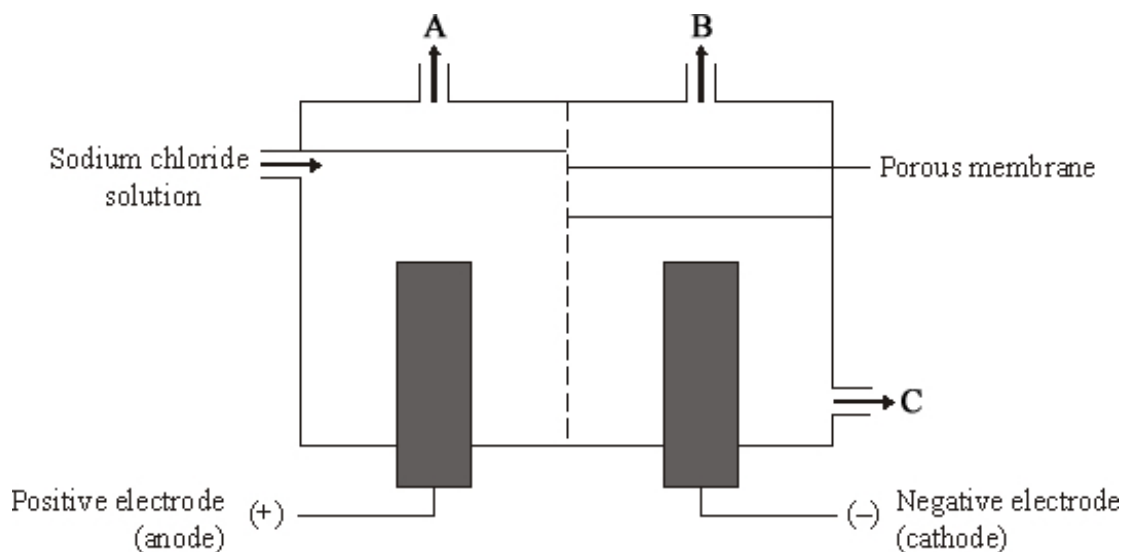
<b>alkenes</b>	<b>elements</b>	<b>salts</b>
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During electrolysis the compound is broken down to form \_\_\_\_\_

(1)

- (b) The table of ions on the Data Sheet may help you to answer this question.

The diagram shows an apparatus used for the electrolysis of sodium chloride solution.



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Identify the products **A**, **B** and **C** on the diagram using substances from the box.

<b>chlorine gas</b>	<b>hydrogen gas</b>	<b>oxygen gas</b>
<b>sodium hydroxide solution</b>		<b>sodium metal</b>

(i) **A** is \_\_\_\_\_

(1)

(ii) **B** is \_\_\_\_\_

(1)

(iii) **C** is \_\_\_\_\_

(1)

(Total 5 marks)

## Mark schemes

1.

- (a) (i) copper is less reactive than hydrogen **or** copper is unreactive 1
- (ii) Zinc and dilute hydrochloric acid 1
- (b) (gas) syringe 1
- (c) (i) 35  
*allow 3* 1
- because not close to others  
*accept it is much lower than the others*  
*ignore references to trends or patterns*  
*dependent on the first mark* 1
- (ii)  $(49 + 50 + 48) / 3$   
 $= 49$   
*correct answer with or without working gains 2 marks* 1  
*allow ecf from anomaly identified in (i) for 2 marks:*
  - *Exp 1 anomalous gives 43.3*
  - *Exp. 2 anomalous gives 44*
  - *Exp. 4 anomalous gives 44.7**answer of 45.5 or 46 (anomaly not excluded) gains 1 mark*  
*correct working **excluding anomaly** but with wrong answer gains 1 mark* 1
- (iii) so that a mean can be calculated  
*accept improves accuracy of the mean **or** so anomalies can be identified / discarded **or** to reduce effect of random errors*  
*ignore makes it a fair test*  
*ignore reliability, validity, repeatability, reproducibility* 1
- (d) (i) idea of mixing with oxygen / air, letting air / oxygen in  
*accept converse* 1
- (ii) H<sub>2</sub>O  
*do not accept incorrect additional products* 1

balancing 2 ... (1) ... 2  
*allow fractions or multiples*  
*dependent on first mark*

1

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2.

- (a) (i) because they are positively charged  
*accept they are positive / H<sup>+</sup>*  
*accept oppositely charged **or** opposites attract*

ignore they are attracted

1

- (ii) gains one / an electron  
*accept H<sup>+</sup> + e<sup>-</sup> → H or multiples*  
*allow gains electrons*

1

- (b) 3 bonding pairs

1

1 lone pair

*accept 2 non-bonding electrons on outer shell of nitrogen*

1

- (c) (i) hydroxide / OH<sup>-</sup>  
*do **not** accept sodium hydroxide*

1

- (ii) H<sup>+</sup> + OH<sup>-</sup> → H<sub>2</sub>O  
*ignore state symbols*  
*ignore word equation*

1

- (d) Marks awarded for this answer will be determined by the Quality of Written Communication (QWC) as well as the standard of the scientific response. Examiners should also refer to the information in the Reference material.

**0 marks**

No relevant content.

**Level 1 (1-2 marks)**

There are basic descriptions of advantages or disadvantages of the electrolysis cells.

**Level 2 (3-4 marks)**

There are clear descriptions of environmental or economic advantages or disadvantages of the electrolysis cells. Comparisons may be implied.

**Level 3 (5-6 marks)**

There are detailed descriptions of environmental and economic advantages and disadvantages, comparing the electrolysis cells.

**Examples of chemistry points made in the response:**

Accept converse where appropriate.

- mercury cell is more expensive to construct
- mercury is recycled but membranes must be replaced
- mercury is toxic but membrane / polymer is not
- removing traces of mercury from waste is expensive
- mercury cell uses more electricity
- mercury cell produces chlorine that is purer
- mercury cell produces higher concentration / better quality of sodium hydroxide (solution)

6

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3.

(a) (i) sulfuric

1

(ii) 1

1

(iii) to speed up the reaction

1

(b) because copper oxide in excess

*allow copper oxide unreacted*

**or**

because acid all used up / neutralised

1

(c) evaporation

*allow heating*

*allow cooling*

*allow leave (to evaporate)*

*do **not** accept freezing*

**or**

crystallisation

1

(d) Some copper sulfate may have been lost during the experiment

1

[6]

<b>4.</b>	<p>(a) (i) hydrogen <i>accept H<sub>2</sub></i> <i>allow H</i></p>	1
	<p>(ii) hydroxide <i>accept OH<sup>-</sup></i> <i>allow OH</i> <i>do not accept lithium hydroxide</i></p>	1
	<p>(b) any <b>two</b> from: <i>'it' = potassium</i></p> <p>potassium: <i>accept converse for lithium</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• reacts / dissolves faster <i>allow reacts more vigorously / quickly / violently / explodes</i> <i>ignore reacts more</i></li> <li>• bubbles / fizzes faster <i>allow fizzes more</i> <i>allow more gas</i></li> <li>• moves faster (on the surface) <i>allow moves more</i></li> <li>• melts <i>allow forms a sphere</i></li> <li>• produces (lilac / purple) flame <i>allow catches fire / ignites</i> <i>do not accept other colours</i></li> </ul>	2
		<b>[4]</b>
<b>5.</b>	<p>(a) reduction</p>	1
	<p>(b) carbon is less reactive than aluminium</p>	1
	<p>(c) aluminium (ions) / they are positively charged <i>they = aluminium ions</i> <i>ignore particle names</i> <i>accept aluminium (ions) / they are cations</i> <i>allow aluminium (ions they have an opposite charge</i></p>	1

so they are attracted **or** they move towards the negative electrode

**OR**

aluminium (ions) / they need to gain electrons (1)

which come from the negative electrode (1)

*if no other marks awarded allow 'opposites attract' for 1 mark*

1

(d) aluminium has a low density

1

aluminium is resistant to corrosion

1

(e) **advantage** less carbon dioxide is produced

1

**disadvantage** used aluminium cans have to be collected and transported

1

**[8]**

**6.**

(a) sodium has a lower density

1

sodium is more reactive

1

(b) hydrogen

1

(c)  $\text{OH}^{\ominus}(\text{aq})$

1

**[4]**

**7.**

(a) any **one** from:

- they are negative / anions

*allow  $\text{Cl}^{\ominus}$*

*ignore atoms / chlorine*

*do **not** accept chloride ions are negative electrodes*

- they are attracted
- they are oppositely charged

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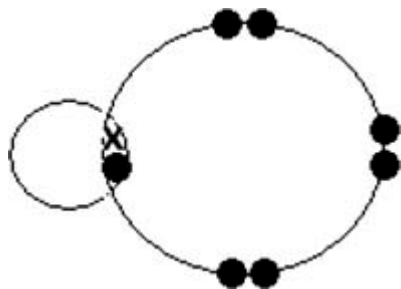
(b) hydrogen is less reactive than sodium

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- (c) hydroxide (ions) /  $\text{OH}^-$   
*ignore OH*  
*do **not** accept NaOH / sodium hydroxide*

1

- (d) (i)



*allow any combination of dots or crosses*  
*ignore chemical symbols*

1

- (ii) covalent  
*allow close spelling errors*  
*apply list principle*

1

- (iii) hydrogen (ion) /  $\text{H}^+$   
*ignore (aq) / H*  
*do not accept hydrochloric acid / HCl*  
*apply list principle*

1

[6]

8.

- (a) Hydrogen /  $\text{H}^+$   
*ignore state symbols*  
*ignore proton / H*

1

- (b) *it = weak acid*

pH of weak acid is higher than the pH of a strong acid  
*allow converse for strong acids*  
*allow correct numerical comparison*

1

any **one** from:

*allow converse for strong acids*

- only partially dissociated (to form ions)  
*allow ionises less*
- not as many hydrogen ions (in the solution)  
*allow fewer  $\text{H}^+$  released*

1

- (c) (i) (titration of) weak acid and strong base 1
- (ii) 0.61  
*correct answer with or without working gains 2 marks*  
*if the answer is incorrect:*  
*moles of sodium hydroxide =  $(30.5 \times 0.5)/1000 = 0.01525$  moles*  
**or**  
 *$(0.5 \times 30.5/25)$  gains 1 mark* 2
- (d) 12  
*correct answer with or without working gains 2 marks or even with incorrect working.*  
*if the answer is incorrect:*  
 $0.8 \times 60 = 48\text{g}$   
**or**  
*evidence of dividing 48g (or ecf) by 4*  
**or**  

$$\frac{0.8 \times 250}{1000} = \frac{0.8}{4} = 0.8 \times 0.25 = 0.2 \text{ mol}$$
  
**or**  
*evidence of multiplying 0.2mol (or ecf) by 60*  
*would gain 1 mark* 2

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- 9.** (a) (i)  $\text{H}^+$  1
- (ii)  $\text{OH}^-$  1
- (iii) lower than 1
- (b) with HCl:  
 UI goes red / pink  
*allow a comparison eg redder than ethanoic acid* 1

has a pH 0 ,1 ,2 or 3

*allow a comparison eg has pH less than ethanoic acid.*

*do **not** accept an incorrect pH.*

**or**

with ethanoic acid:

UI goes orange / yellow (1)

*allow a comparison with HCl*

has a pH 4 / or above (but less than 7) (1)

*allow a comparison with HCl*

1

(c) completely

1

(d) (i) conical flask

1

(ii) titration

1

(iii) repeat

*allow compare with another students results*

**or**

take average

1

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**10.**

(a) (i) ionic

1

(ii) elements

1

(b) (i) chlorine (gas)

*allow Cl<sub>2</sub> / Cl / Cl<sup>2</sup>*

*allow chloride*

1

(ii) hydrogen (gas)

*allow H / H<sub>2</sub> / H<sup>2</sup>*

1

(iii) sodium hydroxide (solution)

*allow NaOH*

*allow sodium solution*

1

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