



Year 10 End-of-year (I)GCSE Examination  
Chemistry  
April 2021

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**Teacher:**.....

**Teaching Group:** .....

**Time allowed:** 1hr 30mins

**Total number of pages in the examination:** 25

**Instructions:** Answer ALL questions in the spaces provided.

**Additional Equipment:** Calculator

Total Marks available	/85	Teacher comment:
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Student reflection:

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# The Periodic Table of the Elements

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7 <b>Li</b> lithium 3	9 <b>Be</b> beryllium 4	11 <b>Na</b> sodium 11	12 <b>C</b> carbon 6	13 <b>Al</b> aluminium 13	14 <b>N</b> nitrogen 7	15 <b>P</b> phosphorus 15	16 <b>O</b> oxygen 8	17 <b>F</b> fluorine 9	18 <b>Ne</b> neon 10																																																						
19 <b>K</b> potassium 19	20 <b>Ca</b> calcium 20	23 <b>Sc</b> scandium 21	24 <b>Ti</b> titanium 22	25 <b>V</b> vanadium 23	26 <b>Cr</b> chromium 24	27 <b>Mn</b> manganese 25	28 <b>Fe</b> iron 26	29 <b>Co</b> cobalt 27	30 <b>Ni</b> nickel 28	31 <b>Cu</b> copper 29	32 <b>Zn</b> zinc 30	33 <b>Ga</b> gallium 31	34 <b>Ge</b> germanium 32	35 <b>As</b> arsenic 33	36 <b>Se</b> selenium 34	37 <b>Br</b> bromine 35	38 <b>Sr</b> strontium 38	39 <b>Y</b> yttrium 39	40 <b>Zr</b> zirconium 40	41 <b>Nb</b> niobium 41	42 <b>Mo</b> molybdenum 42	43 <b>Tc</b> technetium 43	44 <b>Ru</b> ruthenium 44	45 <b>Rh</b> rhodium 45	46 <b>Pd</b> palladium 46	47 <b>Ag</b> silver 47	48 <b>Cd</b> cadmium 48	49 <b>In</b> indium 49	50 <b>Sn</b> tin 50	51 <b>Sb</b> antimony 51	52 <b>Te</b> tellurium 52	53 <b>I</b> iodine 53	54 <b>Xe</b> xenon 54																														
55 <b>Rb</b> rubidium 37	56 <b>Ba</b> barium 56	57 <b>La*</b> lanthanum 57	58 <b>Ce</b> cerium 58	59 <b>Pr</b> praseodymium 59	60 <b>Nd</b> neodymium 60	61 <b>Pm</b> promethium 61	62 <b>Sm</b> samarium 62	63 <b>Eu</b> europium 63	64 <b>Gd</b> gadolinium 64	65 <b>Tb</b> terbium 65	66 <b>Dy</b> dysprosium 66	67 <b>Ho</b> holmium 67	68 <b>Er</b> erbium 68	69 <b>Tm</b> thulium 69	70 <b>Yb</b> ytterbium 70	71 <b>Lu</b> lutetium 71	72 <b>Hf</b> hafnium 72	73 <b>Ta</b> tantalum 73	74 <b>W</b> tungsten 74	75 <b>Re</b> rhenium 75	76 <b>Os</b> osmium 76	77 <b>Ir</b> iridium 77	78 <b>Pt</b> platinum 78	79 <b>Au</b> gold 79	80 <b>Hg</b> mercury 80	81 <b>Tl</b> thallium 81	82 <b>Pb</b> lead 82	83 <b>Bi</b> bismuth 83	84 <b>Po</b> polonium 84	85 <b>At</b> astatine 85	86 <b>Rn</b> radon 86	87 <b>Fr</b> francium 87	88 <b>Ra</b> radium 88	89 <b>Ac*</b> actinium 89	90 <b>Th</b> thorium 90	91 <b>Pa</b> protactinium 91	92 <b>U</b> uranium 92	93 <b>Np</b> neptunium 93	94 <b>Pu</b> plutonium 94	95 <b>Am</b> americium 95	96 <b>Cm</b> curium 96	97 <b>Bk</b> berkelium 97	98 <b>Cf</b> californium 98	99 <b>Es</b> einsteinium 99	100 <b>Fm</b> fermium 100	101 <b>Mendelevium</b> 101	102 <b>Nobelium</b> 102	103 <b>Lr</b> lawrencium 103	104 <b>Rf</b> rutherfordium 104	105 <b>Db</b> dubnium 105	106 <b>Sg</b> seaborgium 106	107 <b>Bh</b> bohrium 107	108 <b>Hs</b> hassium 108	109 <b>Mt</b> meitnerium 109	110 <b>Ds</b> darmstadtium 110	111 <b>Rg</b> roentgenium 111	112 <b>Cn</b> copernicium 112	113 <b>Nh</b> nihonium 113	114 <b>Fl</b> flerovium 114	115 <b>Mc</b> moscovium 115	116 <b>Lv</b> livermorium 116	117 <b>Ts</b> tennessine 117	118 <b>Og</b> oganesson 118
<p><b>Key</b></p> <p>relative atomic mass atomic symbol name atomic (proton) number</p>											<p>Elements with atomic numbers 112-116 have been reported but not fully authenticated</p>																																																				

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**H**  
hydrogen  
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helium  
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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.

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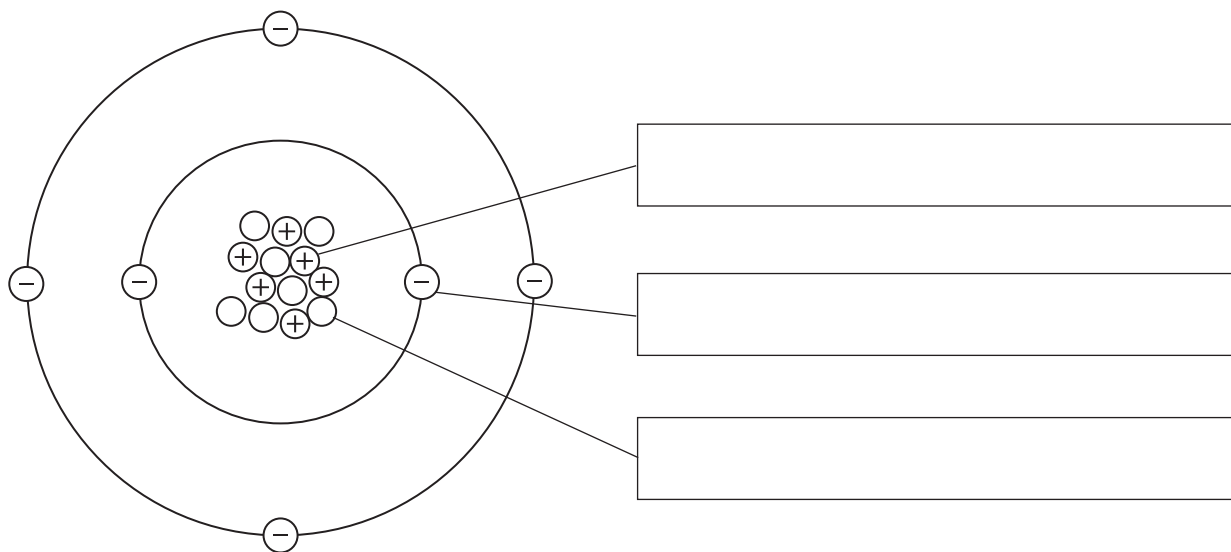
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Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

1 The diagram shows the particles in an atom of an element.



(a) The box gives the names of some particles.

electron    ion    molecule    neutron    proton

Use words from the box to label the diagram.

(3)

(b) Give the mass number of this atom.

(1)

(c) Complete the sentence about isotopes.

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Isotopes are atoms that have the same number of .....

but have a different number of .....

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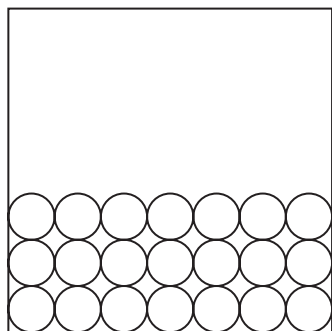
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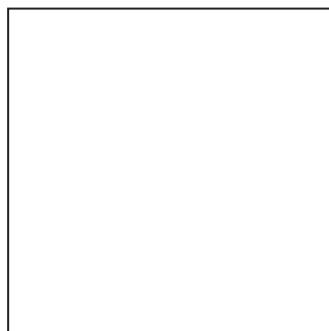
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2 This question is about states of matter.

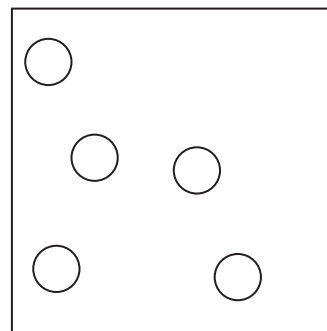
(a) The diagram shows how the particles of a substance are arranged in two different states.



solid



liquid



gas

(i) Complete the diagram to show how particles are arranged in the liquid state. (1)

(b) The state symbols (s), (l), (g) and (aq) are often used in chemistry.

The table shows some physical changes.

Complete the table by giving the state symbol before and after each change. (3)

Physical change	State symbol	
	before change	after change
water evaporates		
crystals of iodine sublime		
ice melts		



(c) Explain why hot water evaporates more quickly than cold water.

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3 The table gives some information about the halogens, chlorine, bromine and iodine.

Halogen	Physical state at room temperature	Colour
chlorine	gas	pale green
bromine		red-brown
iodine	solid	

(a) Complete the table. (2)

(b) Chlorine has two isotopes of mass numbers 35 and 37

The relative percentage of each isotope in a sample of chlorine is

chlorine-35 77.78%      chlorine-37 22.22%

Calculate the relative atomic mass of this sample of chlorine.

Give your answer to one decimal place. (3)

relative atomic mass = .....

(c) A student is given an aqueous solution of chlorine and an aqueous solution of potassium bromide.

Explain how he can use these two solutions to compare the reactivity of chlorine with the reactivity of bromine. (4)

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(Total for Question 3 = 9 marks)



- 4 A student uses paper chromatography to investigate the dyes in five different inks, V, W, X, Y and Z.

This is what she uses.

- a beaker
- a piece of chromatography paper with a pencil line drawn near the bottom of the paper
- a solvent
- inks V, W, X, Y and Z

- (a) Describe how the student should set up and carry out her experiment.

You may draw a diagram to help with your answer.

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(b) Explain why the line on the paper is drawn in pencil rather than in ink.

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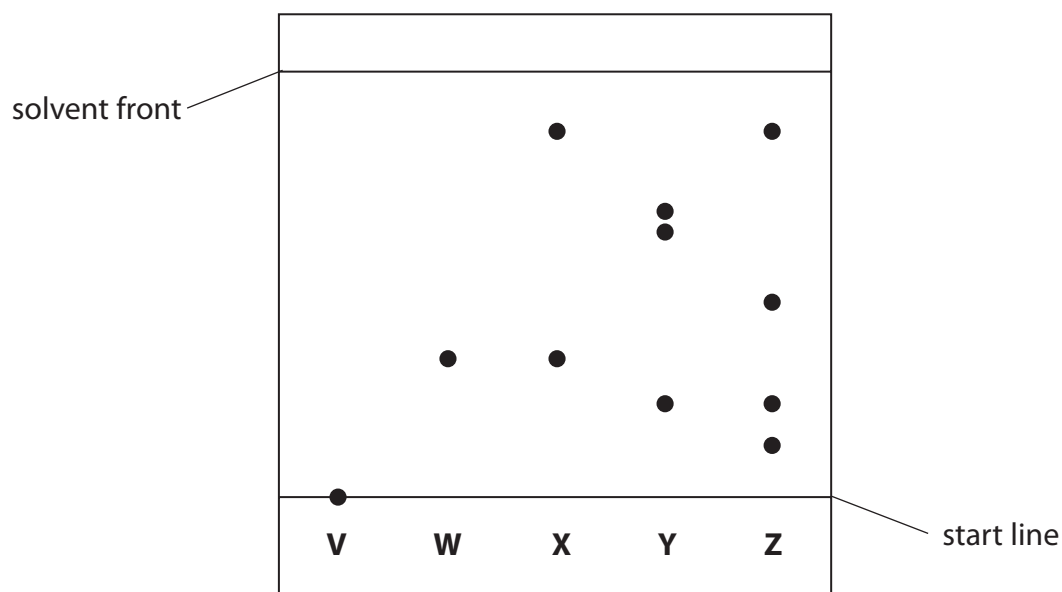
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(c) The chromatogram shows the results for inks V, W, X, Y and Z.



(i) Explain which ink contains a dye that is insoluble in the solvent.

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(ii) Explain which two inks contain the dye that is likely to be the most soluble in the solvent.

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(iii) Explain which two inks may contain only one dye.

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(d) One dye in ink Y moves 4.3 cm when the solvent front moves 6.5 cm.

Calculate the  $R_f$  value for this dye.

Give your answer to 2 significant figures.

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$R_f$  value = .....

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5 The order of reactivity of metals can be found using different methods.

(a) One method is to add the metals to cold water and to dilute hydrochloric acid.

The table shows the observations made when samples of four metals are added separately to cold water and to dilute hydrochloric acid.

Metal	Observation when added to cold water	Observation when added to dilute hydrochloric acid
magnesium	bubbles produced very slowly	bubbles produced very quickly
platinum		no change
sodium	bubbles produced very quickly	not done
zinc	no change	bubbles produced slowly

(i) State the observation that is made when platinum is added to cold water. (1)

(ii) Place the four metals in order of reactivity. (1)

most reactive .....

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least reactive .....

(iii) Describe a test to show that the bubbles contain hydrogen gas. (1)

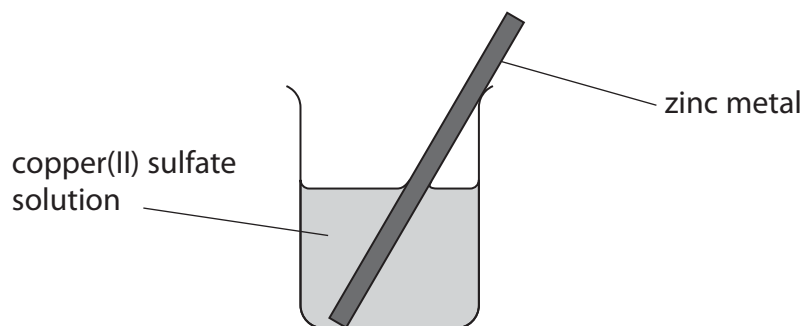
(iv) Write a word equation for the reaction between magnesium and dilute hydrochloric acid. (1)

(v) Suggest why the reaction between sodium and dilute hydrochloric acid is not done. (1)



(b) Displacement reactions are another method used to find the order of reactivity of metals.

In an experiment, a piece of zinc metal is placed in a beaker containing copper(II) sulfate solution.



(i) The reaction that occurs shows zinc is more reactive than copper.

State two observations that would be made as the reaction occurs.

(2)

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(ii) In a second experiment, a piece of copper metal is placed in a beaker containing nickel sulfate solution.

No reaction occurs.

Explain why it is not possible to determine the complete order of reactivity for copper, nickel and zinc from these two experiments.

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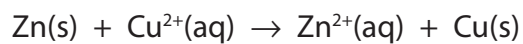
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(c) The ionic equation for the reaction between zinc and copper(II) sulfate is



Explain why this is described as a redox reaction.

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6 This question is about carbon and its compounds.

- (a) (i) Draw a dot-and-cross diagram to show the outer shell electrons in a molecule of carbon dioxide,  $\text{CO}_2$

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- (ii) The atoms in carbon dioxide are held together by covalent bonds.

Describe the forces of attraction in a covalent bond.

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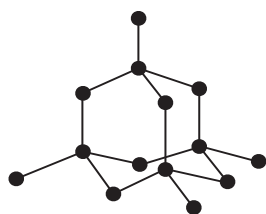
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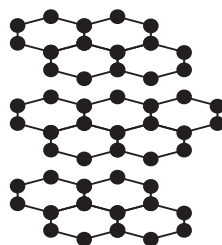
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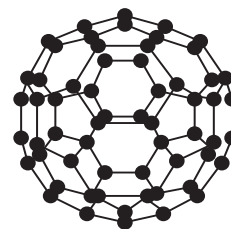
- (b) The diagram shows three different structures of carbon.



diamond



graphite



$\text{C}_{60}$  fullerene

- (i) Explain why graphite conducts electricity.

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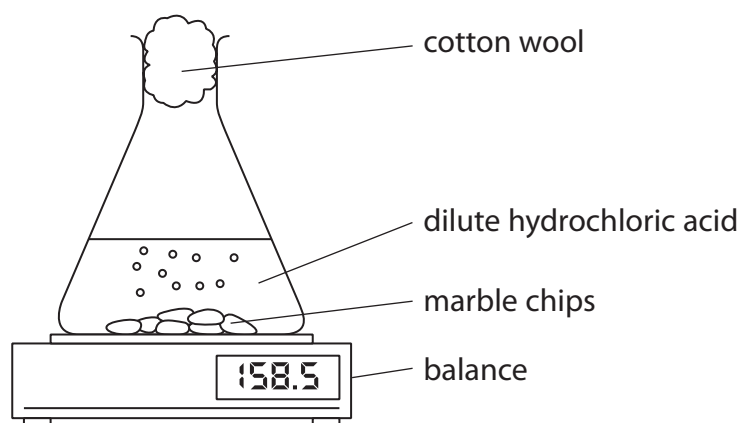
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- 7 A student uses this apparatus to investigate the rate of reaction between marble chips and dilute hydrochloric acid.



- (a) During the reaction, the reading on the balance decreases because mass is lost from the flask.
- (i) Explain how using the cotton wool increases the accuracy of this investigation. (2)

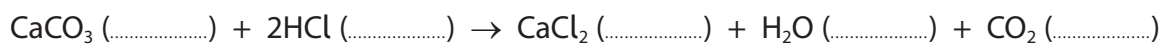
- (ii) Why is mass lost from the flask? (1)

- A acid particles are moving
- B gas is given off
- C heat energy is produced
- D marble chips are dissolving



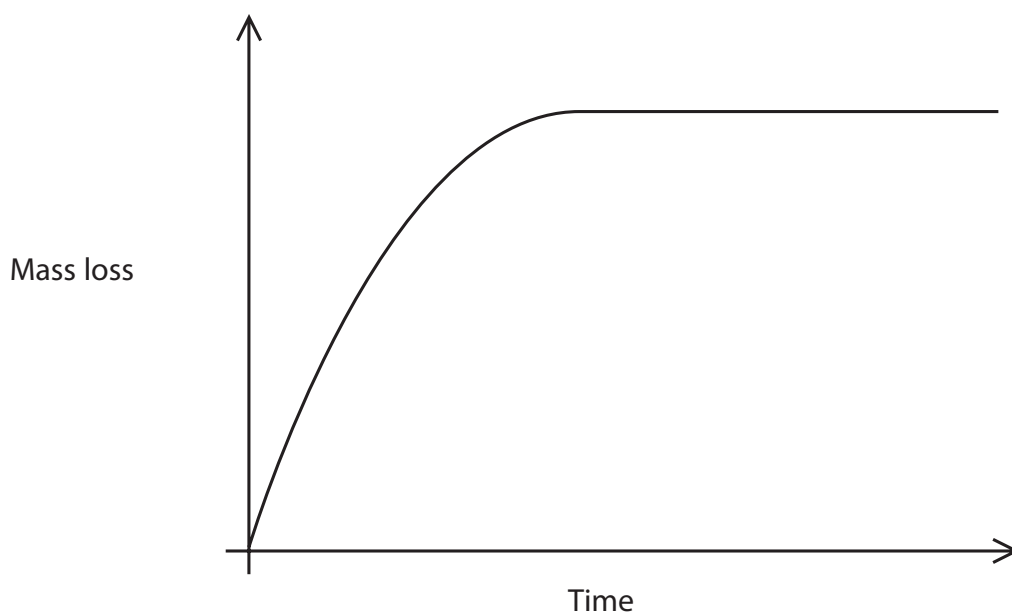
- (b) This is the equation for the reaction between marble chips and dilute hydrochloric acid.  
Complete the equation by adding the state symbols.

(2)



- (c) The student uses large marble chips in the investigation.

This is a graph of his results.



The student repeats the experiment using the same total mass of smaller marble chips.

On the graph, draw the curve that would be obtained.

[assume the marble chips are in excess]

(2)



(d) The rate of this reaction can be altered by increasing the temperature or by increasing the concentration of the hydrochloric acid.

(i) Explain, using the particle collision theory, how increasing the concentration of the hydrochloric acid would affect the rate of this reaction.

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(ii) Explain, using the particle collision theory, how increasing the temperature would affect the rate of this reaction.

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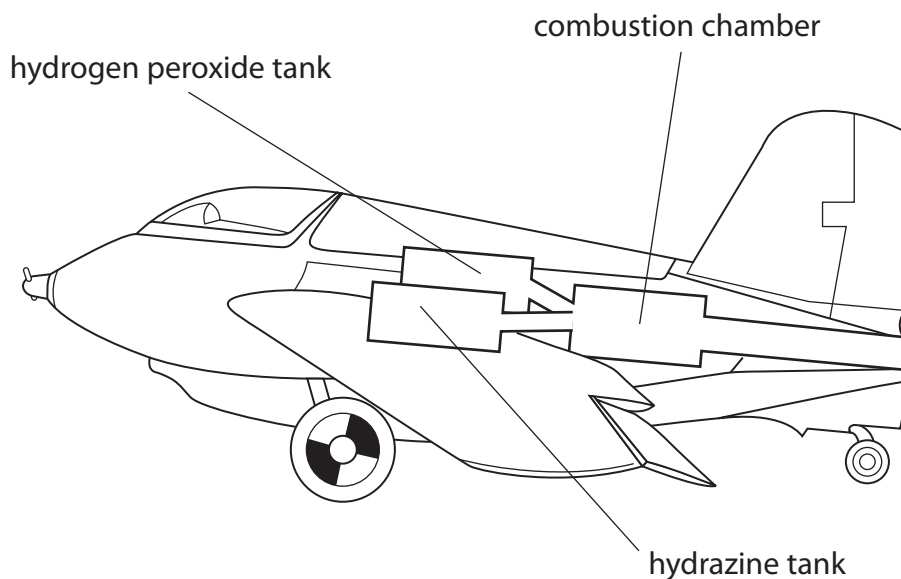
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8 During the Second World War, engineers developed a rocket-powered aircraft.



The aircraft carried these two liquids

- hydrazine,  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_4$
- hydrogen peroxide,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$

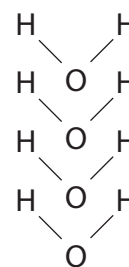
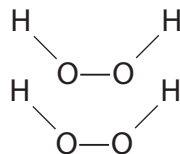
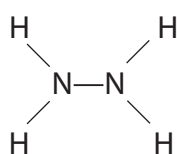
When these two liquids mix in the combustion chamber, they evaporate and then react rapidly to form nitrogen gas,  $\text{N}_2$ , and steam,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$

The reaction is exothermic.

The equation for the reaction is



The displayed formulae for the reactants and products are



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- (a) The tables give the bond energies for the bonds broken in the reactants and the bonds made in the products.

Bonds broken	
bond	bond energy in kJ/mol
N—N	159
N—H	391
O—O	143
O—H	463

Bonds made	
bond	bond energy in kJ/mol
N≡N	945
O—H	463

- (i) Use the data in the tables to calculate the total amount of energy required to break all of the bonds in the reactants.

(1)

energy required = ..... kJ

- (ii) Use the data in the tables to calculate the total amount of energy released when all of the bonds in the products are made.

(1)

energy released = ..... kJ

- (iii) Calculate the enthalpy change,  $\Delta H$ , in kJ/mol, for the reaction. Include a sign in your answer.

(3)

 $\Delta H = \dots\dots\dots$  kJ/mol

(b) Explain, in terms of bonds broken and bonds made, why this reaction is exothermic. (2)

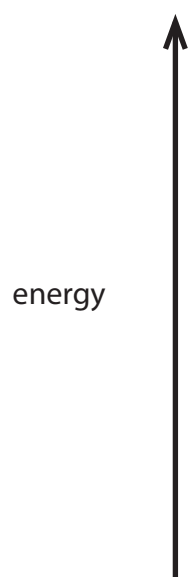
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(c) Draw an energy level diagram for the reaction between  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_4$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  (3)



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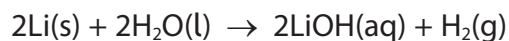
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(d) The equation for the reaction between lithium and water is



(i) A mass of 0.500 g of lithium reacts with an excess of water.

Calculate the volume, in  $\text{cm}^3$ , of hydrogen gas produced at rtp.

[molar volume of a gas at rtp =  $24\,000\text{ cm}^3$ ]

Give your answer to three significant figures.

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volume = .....  $\text{cm}^3$

(Total for Question 8 = 13 marks)

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