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2 hours 15 minutes

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

You may use an HB pencil for any diagrams, graphs or rough working.

Do not use staples, paper clips, glue or correction fluid.

DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

Answer **all** questions.

A copy of the Periodic Table is printed on page 20.

Electronic calculators may be used.

You may lose marks if you do not show your working or if you do not use appropriate units.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.



minerals

oxygen

light

1 Some words about seeds and germination are listed below.

cotyledon

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	pericarp	placenta	plumule	radicle				
		testa	water					
Use wor	Use words from the list to complete the following sentences.							
Each wo	ord may be used once,	more than once,	or not at all.					
Flowers	produce seeds. The e	embryo in the se	ed is surrounde	d by a protective coa	t called the			
When a	seed germinates it requ	uires a suitable te	emperature and	a supply of				
	and	l						
The see	d contains food stored	in the						
The you	ng shoot is called the				[5]			
-					[Total: 5]			
When a	mixture of aluminium a	nd copper(II) oxi	de is heated, a	reaction occurs.				
The equ	ation for the reaction is							
	2A <i>l</i> +	3CuO	→ Al ₂ O ₃ +	3Cu.				
[<i>A</i> _r : O, 1	6; A <i>l</i> , 27; Cu, 64]							
(a) (i)	Calculate the relative	molecular mass o	of aluminium oxi	ide.				
					[1]			
(ii)	108g of aluminium pro	oduces	g of aluminiu	um oxide and				
	g of copp	er.						
	2.7g of aluminium pro	duces	g of aluminiu	m oxide.	[3]			
(b) Sta	te one use of each of a	luminium and co	pper.					
aluı	minium							

copper

[2]

[Total: 6]

		3
3		a circuit containing a power source, fixed resistor and a variable resistor in parallel is n Fig. 3.1.
		Fig. 3.1
		mplete the circuit diagram in Fig. 3.1 to include an ammeter and a voltmeter so that the istance of the variable resistor can be calculated. [3]
	(b) The	e current in the fixed resistor is 1.6A and the current in the variable resistor is 0.25A.
	(i)	Determine the total current <i>I</i> supplied by the source.
		<i>I</i> = A [1]
	(ii)	The resistance of the fixed resistor is 10Ω .
		Calculate the potential difference of the source.
		State the unit.
		potential difference = unit
		[Total: 7]

		4	
4	Pho	otosynthesis occurs in leaves.	
	(a)	Complete the word equation for photosynthesis.	
		+ water+	[2]
	(b)	Fig. 4.1 shows a section through a leaf.	
		A	

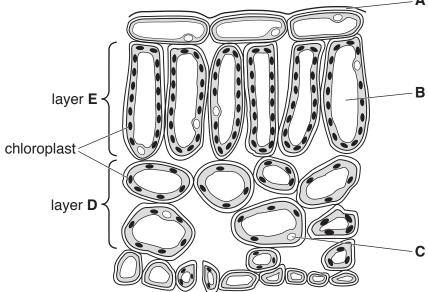


Fig. 4.1

(i)	Name the structures A , B and C .	
	A	
	В	
	C	[3]
(ii)	Chloroplasts contain chlorophyll.	
	Describe the function of chlorophyll.	
		.[1]
(iii)	Explain why each cell in layer E contains more chloroplasts than each cell in layer D .	
		.[2]

[Total: 8]

5

	e salt sodium chloride is prepared by titrating sodium hydroxide solution with te hydrochloric acid.							
(a)	Complete the sentences about the experiment.							
	Exactly 25.0 cm ³ of sodium hydroxide solution is added to a conical flask							
	using a							
	A few drops of Universal Indicator are added to the conical flask.							
	The dilute hydrochloric acid is added drop by drop to the conical flask							
	from a until the Universal Indicator changes							
	from red to							
(b)	State the type of chemical reaction that occurs between hydrochloric acid and sodium hydroxide solution.							
	[1]							
(c)	Hydrochloric acid contains hydrogen ions and chloride ions.							
	Sodium hydroxide contains sodium ions and hydroxide ions.							
	Construct the ionic equation, including state symbols, for the reaction between hydrochloric acid and sodium hydroxide solution.							
	[2]							
	[Total: 6]							

6 Steel crocodile clips are used to make connections in electrical circuits.

A ruler, marked with 1 mm divisions, is used to measure the length of a crocodile clip, as shown in Fig. 6.1.

A line **P** marks the position of one end of the crocodile clip against the scale.

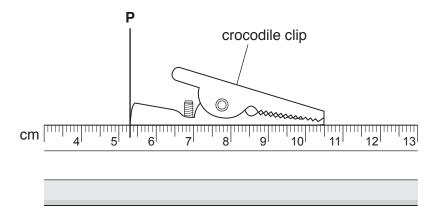


Fig. 6.1

- (a) (i) On Fig. 6.1, draw a second line **Q** to mark the position of the other end of the crocodile clip against the scale. [1]
 - (ii) Determine the length *l* of the crocodile clip.

$$l = \dots$$
 cm [1]

(iii) A small screw of length s is fixed to the crocodile clip, as shown in Fig. 6.2.

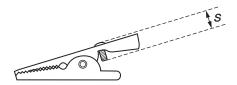


Fig. 6.2 (not to scale)

The ratio of the length s of the screw to the length l of the crocodile clip is 1.5 : 10.

Calculate the length *s* of the screw in mm.

s =mm [1]

(b)		volume of eight identical crocodile clips is determined by placing them in a measuring nder containing water.
	The	volume of eight crocodile clips is found to be 3.0 cm ³ .
	(i)	Calculate the volume V of one crocodile clip.
		$V = \dots cm^{3} [1]$
	(ii)	Suggest why eight crocodile clips are used instead of one.
		[1]
	(iii)	The mass of one crocodile clip is 2.7g.
		Use your answer to (i) to calculate the density D of the steel used to make the crocodile
		clip.
		$D = \dots g/\text{cm}^3 [2]$
		[Total: 7]

7	(a)	Nar	ne two substances that are produced in the liver.
		1	
		2	[2]
	(b)	Nar	ne two substances that are broken down in the liver.
		1	
		2	[2]
			[Total: 4]
8	(a)	Alka	anes are obtained from petroleum.
		Nar	ne the process used to manufacture alkenes from alkanes.
			[1]
	(b)	(i)	State the general formula of alkenes.
			[1]
		(ii)	State the difference in chemical structure between alkenes and alkanes.
			[1]
		(iii)	State the name of the reagent used to distinguish between alkenes and alkanes.
			[1]
	(c)	Eth	ene reacts with steam in the presence of a catalyst to produce ethanol.
		Sta	te the type of reaction that ethene undergoes.
			[1]
	(d)	Eth	anol is used as a fuel.
		Sta	te the names of the products when ethanol burns in excess oxygen.
			and [1]
			[Total: 6]

9 The inside of an electrical plug is shown in Fig. 9.1.

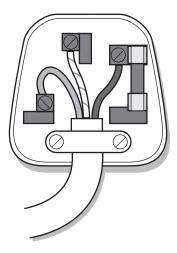


Fig. 9.1

(a)	On Fig. 9.1 draw a line to identify the neutral wire. Label the line N . [1]
(b)	Describe the functions of the live wire and of the neutral wire.
	live wire
	neutral wire
	[2]
(c)	When plugged into a socket, the plug supplies mains electricity at 230 V to an electric kettle.
	The power produced in the kettle is 3000 W.
	Calculate the current I in the fuse.
	<i>I</i> = A [2]
	[Total: 5]

10 Fig. 10.1 shows a section through the heart.

(a) Identify the structures labelled F, G and H.

H

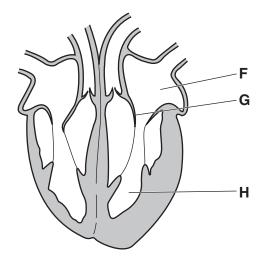


Fig. 10.1

F		
G		

(b) On Fig. 10.1, draw a labelled arrow to show the direction of blood flow along the aorta. [1] [Total: 4]

[3]

11 The atomic structure of an atom of element **X** is shown in Fig. 11.1. **X** is not the usual chemical symbol for the element.

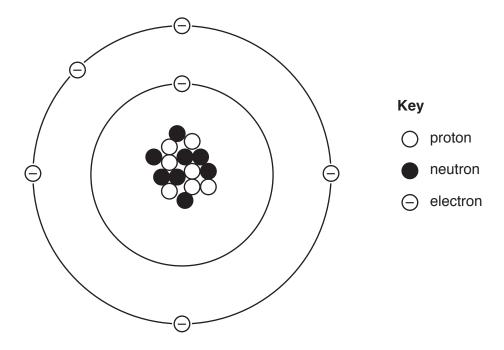


Fig. 11.1

(a)	The atom is represented using the nuclide notation $^{\mathbf{A}}_{\mathbf{Z}}\mathbf{X}.$
	Use Fig. 11.1 to deduce the values of A and of Z .

	A =	
	Z =	[2]
(b)	Explain why element X is placed in Group V of the Periodic Table.	

.....[2]

(c) State the type of oxide formed when element **X** reacts with oxygen.

12 Fig. 12.1 shows a lens A and plane mirror B.

A ray of light **R** is incident on lens **A**.

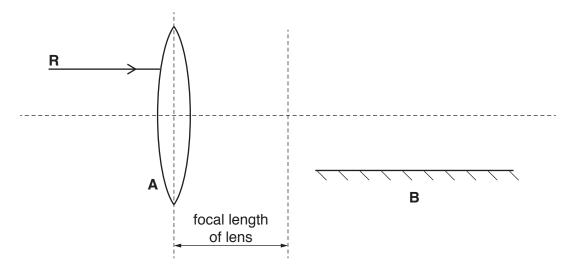


Fig. 12.1

(a) Ray R passes through the lens and is reflected from the mirror.

On Fig. 12.1, draw the path of ray R.

[3]

(b) Fig. 12.2 shows a range of wavelengths in one part of the electromagnetic spectrum.

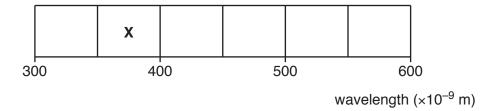


Fig. 12.2

(i) Estimate the range of wavelengths in the region marked X.
.....[1

(ii) State the speed of light in a vacuum.

.....[1]

(iii) Calculate the lowest **frequency** of the electromagnetic spectrum shown in Fig. 12.2.

frequency = Hz [3]

[Total: 8]

Question 13 begins on the next page.

13 Fig. 13.1 shows the reproductive organs of a woman.

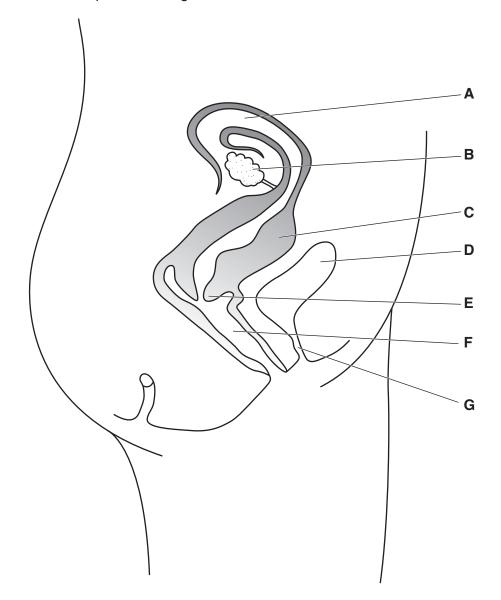


Fig. 13.1

(a) State the letter in Fig. 13.1 that identifies

tne cervix	
an ovary	
the vagina.	 [3

(b)	Describe the fur	nction of the oviduct and	d of the uterus.		
	the oviduct				
	the uterus				
(c)	Some babies ar or on formula m		ther babies are fed either o	on milk from anoth	[2] ner animal
	Describe two ac	dvantages of breast fee	eding a baby.		
	1				
	2				
					[2]
					[Total: 7]
A lis	st of gases is sho	wn.			
	argon	carbon dioxide	carbon monoxide	chlorine	
	helium	hydrogen	nitrogen dioxide	oxygen	
Use	the list to compl	ete the following senter	nces.		
Eac	h gas may be us	ed once, more than one	ce or not at all.		
(a)	The gas produc	ed during respiration is			[1]
(b)	The gas that tur	rns Universal Indicator r	red is		[1]
(c)	The gas that is	used to sterilize drinkin	g water is		[1]
(d)	The non-flamma	able gas used to fill ball	oons is		[1]
(e)	The gas that rel	ights a glowing splint is	3		[1]
					[Total: 5]

14

15 Oil is stored in a container. A tap at the bottom of the container is opened and oil flows into a measuring cylinder. A floating marker indicates the volume of oil in the measuring cylinder.

The volume of oil in the measuring cylinder is recorded at regular intervals of time.

The tap is closed when the volume of oil in the measuring cylinder is 100 cm³.

The experiment is shown in Fig. 15.1.

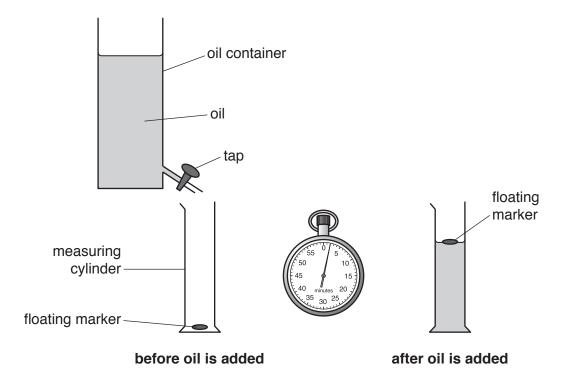


Fig. 15.1

(a) The volume of oil in the measuring cylinder is plotted against time taken to reach that volume as shown in Fig. 15.2.

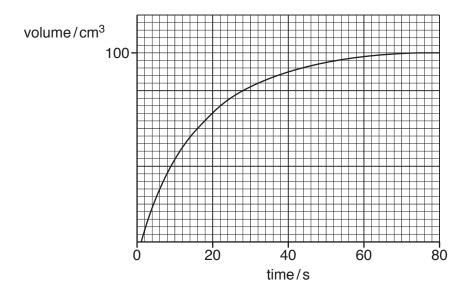


Fig. 15.2

Determine the time t at which the floating marker reaches $100 \, \text{cm}^3$ in the measuring cylinder.

<i>t</i> =	s [[1	1	•
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(b) The experiment is repeated using oil at a higher temperature.

On Fig. 15.2 sketch a second line to suggest how the volume–time graph changes. [2]

(c) In one experiment, the floating marker rises 0.15 m in a time of 45 s.

The weight of the floating marker is 0.1 N.

Calculate the work done *W* in lifting the floating marker.

State the unit.

[Total: 6]

16 Table 16.1 shows some information about the blood of four students.

Student ${\bf J}$ is healthy.

Students \mathbf{K} , \mathbf{L} and \mathbf{M} suffer from ill health.

Table 16.1

blood component	student								
numbers per mm ³	J (healthy)	K	L	М					
red blood cells / numbers per mm ³	8 million	5 million	8.1 million	8 million					
white blood cells / numbers per mm ³	8600	8700	5500	8600					
blood platelets / numbers per mm ³	250 000	245 000	246 000	150 000					

(a)	(i)	State the letter of the student who has blood which takes an unusually long time to clot.
		[1]
	(ii)	State the letter of the student who becomes exhausted very quickly when running a short distance.
		[1]
(b)	Sug	gest why student L suffers from frequent infections.
		[3]
		[Total: 5]

17 The names and properties of some substances are shown in Fig. 17.1.

On Fig. 17.1, draw one line from each substance to a property of the substance.

substance property

iodine conducts electricity when molten but not when solid

is a solid which melts at a low temperature

chlorine conducts electricity when solid

sodium chloride is a diatomic gas

Fig. 17.1

[Total: 4]

[4]

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The Periodic Table of Elements

	=	2 H	helium 4	10	Ne	neon 20	18	Ā	argon 40	36	궃	krypton 84	75	Xe	xenon 131	98	R	radon			
				6	ш	fluorine 19	17	Cl	chlorine 35.5	35	ğ	bromine 80	53	н	iodine 127	85	Αt	astatine _			
	5			8	0	oxygen 16	16	ഗ	sulfur 32	34	Se	selenium 79	52	<u>a</u>	tellurium 128	84	Ро	polonium –	116	_	livermorium -
	>			7	z	nitrogen 14	15	ட	phosphorus 31	33	As	arsenic 75	51	Sp	antimony 122	83	<u>B</u>	bismuth 209			
	≥			9	ပ	carbon 12	14	S	silicon 28	32	Ge	germanium 73	20	Sn	tin 119	82	Ъ	lead 207	114	lΉ	flerovium -
	=			5	В	boron 11	13	Αl	aluminium 27	31	Ga	gallium 70	49	In	indium 115	81	lΤ	thallium 204			
										30	Zu	zinc 65	48	පි	cadmium 112	80	БĤ	mercury 201	112	ပ်	copemicium —
										29	Cn	copper 64	47	Ag	silver 108	62	Au	gold 197	111	Rg	roentgenium -
Group										28	Ë	nickel 59	46	Pd	palladium 106	78	₹	platinum 195	110	Ds	darmstadtium -
Gro										27	ဝိ	cobalt 59	45	格	rhodium 103	77	Ľ	iridium 192	109	¥	meitnerium -
		- I	hydrogen 1							26	Fe	iron 56	44	R	ruthenium 101	92	SO	osmium 190	108	Hs	hassium
										25	Mn	manganese 55	43	ည	technetium -	75	Re	rhenium 186	107	Bh	bohrium –
					loc	ISS				24	ပ်	chromium 52	42	Mo	molybdenum 96	74	>	tungsten 184	106	Sg	seaborgium -
			Key	atomic number	atomic symbol	name relative atomic mass				23	>	vanadium 51	41	qN	niobium 93	73	<u>⊏</u>	tantalum 181	105	Op	dubnium –
					ato	rela				22	j	titanium 48	40	Zr	zirconium 91	72	Ξ	hafnium 178	104	꿒	rutherfordium -
							-			21	Sc	scandium 45	39	>	yttrium 89	57-71	lanthanoids		89-103	actinoids	
	=			4	Be	beryllium 9	12	Mg	magnesium 24	20	Ca	calcium 40	38	Š	strontium 88	99	Ba	barium 137	88	Ra	radium -
	_			8	:=	lithium 7	11	Na	sodium 23	19	¥	potassium 39	37	Вb	rubidium 85	55	S	caesium 133	87	Ŧ	francium -

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7.1	ר	lutetium 175	103	ئ	lawrencium	ı
		ytterbium 173			-	ı
69	Tm	thulium 169	101	Md	mendelevium	ı
89	Щ	erbium 167	100	Fm	ferminm	1
29	웃	holmium 165	66	Es	einsteinium	ı
99	ò	dysprosium 163	86	ర	californium	ı
65	입	terbium 159	97	Ř	berkelium	I
64	В	gadolinium 157	96	Cm	curium	ı
63	En	europium 152	92	Am	americium	ı
62	Sm	samarium 150	94	Pn	plutonium	ı
61	Pm	promethium -	93	ď	neptunium	ı
09	PΝ	neodymium 144	92	\supset	uranium	238
69	Ā	praseodymium 141	91	Ра	protactinium	231
58	Ce	cerium 140	06	모	thorium	232
57	Гa	lanthanum 139	88	Ac	actinium	ı

lanthanoids

actinoids

The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm³ at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).