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Paper 3 (Extended Theory), maximum raw mark 80

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- 1 (a) F or B diffusion / fractional distillation [1]
- (b) A simple distillation [1]
- (c) D chromatography [1]
- (d) E filtration [1]
- (e) C evaporation [1]
- (f) B fractional distillation [1]
- 2 (a) (i) photosynthesis or a photochemical reaction [1]
not an example, question requires a process
not devices which convert light into electricity
- (ii) cell [1]
accept battery
not generator
- (b) (i) correct formula [1]
cond following marks conditional on correct formula
 If covalent mark 1 only
 correct charges [1]
 6x and 2o around anion [1]
 do **NOT** penalise for incorrect coding
ignore electrons around potassium
- (ii) correct formula [1]
 If ionic mark 1 only
cond
 2 bp and 2 nbp around selenium [1]
 1 bp and 3 nbp around both chlorine atoms [1]
- (iii) the ionic compound
 higher melting point / boiling point / less volatile
 conducts when molten or aqueous, covalent compound does not
 is soluble in water, covalent is not / ionic insoluble in organic solvents, covalent soluble in organic solvents
 harder
 any **two** [2]
note there has to be comparison between the ionic compound and the covalent compound
not density

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- (c) base [1]
not alkali
accepts a proton [2]
accepts hydrogen ion / H^+ **only** [1]
proton and H^+ [2]
- 3 (a) any four max 4
carbon forms carbon dioxide / carbon monoxide [1]
this is a gas it escapes / blown out / diffuses [1]
silicon forms silicon(IV) oxide / silica [1]
/ silicon(IV) oxide present in impure iron
silicon(IV) oxide reacts with calcium oxide to form slag **or** calcium silicate [1]
slag removed from surface [1]
accept skimmed, syphoned, poured off
not tapped max [4]
accept correct formula or equations
not calcium oxide reacts with silicon
- (b) (i) any sensible suggestion – harder/stronger/can be tailored for a specific use/more resistant to corrosion [1]
not steel does not rust
- (ii) mild steel – cars or any vehicle/bicycles/white goods/screws or nails/roof/bridges/tools/buildings/ships/pipes/machinery etc. [1]

stainless steel – chemical plants/cooking utensils/jewellery/cutlery/surgical equipment/kitchen sinks/pipes/etc. [1]
- (c) (i) strong attractive forces / strong bonds / bonds hard to break / requires a lot of energy to break bonds [1]
not between ions, **not** between positive and negative ions,
not between electrons

between positive ions and (negative) electrons / opposite charges attract [1]
- (ii) because the layers, lattice or rows of ions/cations [1]
accept sheets of ions
not atoms / molecules / protons / nuclei

can move / slip / slide past each other [1]
- 4 (a) (i) $2ZnS + 3O_2 \rightarrow 2ZnO + 2SO_2$ [2]
not balanced only [1]
- (ii) **two** reagents from named metal(s) more reactive than zinc/carbon monoxide [2]
not hydrogen
- (iii) they have different boiling points [1]
cadmium will distil first then zinc leaving lead/lead distilled last [1]

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- (b) for a high yield need low temperature [1]
 then rate would be too slow or uneconomic [1]
 a discussion of optimum temperature could score mark 1 and 2

presence of catalyst would increase rate (at same temperature) [1]
 does not alter the yield (at that temperature) [1]
 / economic rate at lower temperature, therefore higher yield

higher pressure which would increase yield / rate [1]
 yield high enough / high pressure expensive [1]
max [4]

accept reverse arguments

note increase yield \equiv position of equilibrium to right

- 5 (a) (i) $2\text{Li} + 2\text{HI} \rightarrow 2\text{LiI} + \text{H}_2$ [1]

(ii) zinc carbonate + hydriodic acid \rightarrow zinc iodide + carbon dioxide + water [1]

(iii) $\text{MgO} + 2\text{HI} \rightarrow \text{MgI}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ [1]

- (b) reaction 1 is redox / Li/2HI reaction [1]
cond reason either oxidation number/state / electron transfer [1]

- (c) with hydriodic acid – iodine formed / goes dark brown / grey/black solid [1]

not purple vapour **not** purple/black solution

with hydrobromic acid – bromine formed / goes orange / yellow / brown / reddish brown / red / brown vapour [1]

note can accept brown for iodine provided bromine is different orange/brown etc.

- (d) (i) the reaction is exothermic / reaction produces heat/energy [1]
 all the sodium hydroxide used up/neutralised / reaction has stopped [1]

(ii) adding colder acid / no more heat produced [1]
 if not given in (d)(i) any comments such as “reaction has stopped” can gain mark

(iii) 1.33 / 1.3 / 1.3333 (mol/dm^3) scores both marks [2]
not 1.34
 for a correct method – $M_1 V_1$ / moles of NaOH = 0.02
 with an incorrect answer **only** [1]

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- 6 (a) (i) cracking / heat with catalyst [1]
to make butane [1]
butene reacts with steam/water / hydrated [1]
accept heat and catalyst for cracking but if specified: 450 to 800°C zeolites /
aluminosilicates / silica / aluminium oxide/alumina / china / broken pot / porcelain /
chromium oxide
- (ii) glucose / sugar changed to alcohol / ethanol [2]
accept an unbalanced equation
(catalysed by) enzymes / yeast [1]
- (b) butanoic acid [1]
 $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-COOH}$ [1]
hydrogen atoms omitted from ends of bonds, penalise once
- (c) (i) ester [1]
- (ii) $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_2$
ignore $\text{CH}_3\text{COOC}_4\text{H}_9$ [1]
- (iii) correct structural formula of butyl ethanoate showing all bonds [2]
- 7 (a) metal A is magnesium [1]
cond most reactive or fastest reaction [1]
- metal B is aluminium [1]
cond faster reaction after removal of oxide layer / it would give more hydrogen / aluminium
more reactive than zinc [1]
- metal C is zinc [1]
zinc least reactive [1]
NOTE MAX [5]
If you encounter different reasoning which is correct, please award the appropriate marks.
- (b) for magnesium and zinc same volume of hydrogen [1]
because both have valency of 2 / 1 mole of metal gives 1 mole of hydrogen / 1 mole of metal
reacts with 2 moles of acid [1]
bigger volume for aluminium because its valency is 3 / 1 mole of metal gives 1.5 moles of
hydrogen / 1 mole of metal reacts with 3 moles of acid [1]
If you encounter different reasoning which is correct, please award the appropriate marks.
accept balanced equations
accept ionic charges as alternative to valency

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- 8 (a) addition – polymer only product / only one product [1]
accept monomer has C=C
accept monomer and polymer have same empirical formula
accept no loss of material in polymerisation
not only one monomer
- condensation – polymer and water / small molecule formed [1]
- (b) $-\text{CH}_2 - \text{CCl}_2-$
repeat unit correct [1]
COND continuation [1]
- (c) $\text{CH}_2 = \text{CHOOCCCH}_3$ [1]
- (d) $-\text{OC}(\text{CH}_2)_4\text{CONH}(\text{CH}_2)_6\text{NH}-$
COND amide correct linkage [1]
correct repeat units [1]
continuation [1]
not NH_2 **or** COOH endings

[Total: 80]