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4E/5N Science Chemistry Mid-Year Exam 2018

Answer scheme

Paper 1

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
В	Α	D	С	D	D	С	D	С	В
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Α	D	С	Α	В	Α	С	Α	D	В

Paper 3

Section A

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Qn		Answers					
1		substance Irogen sulfide brass	(elemen or r cor	sification t, compound nixture) npound ixture	atoms found within t substance hydrogen, sul	fur c	
		limestone	<pre></pre>	npound	calcium, carb oxygen	on,	
2a	Fe(CO)5	\square	>//		U		
2b(i)	Iron(II) oxide conducts electricity only in molten form. OR Iron(II) oxide does not conducts electricity as a solid.						
2b(ii)			mber of rotons 26	number of neutrons 30	number of electrons 24		
			8	8	10		
2c(i)		sotopes are <u>atoms of the same element</u> with the <u>same number of protons</u> but different number of neutrons.					
2c(ii)	As the isotopes have <u>the same number of valence electrons</u> , they possess the same chemical properties.						
3a		e of copper in Cu e of copper in Cu		1 -2			
3b	CuC/ is oxidise in CuC/ ₂ .	ed to CuC <i>I</i> ₂ as th	ie oxidatio	n state of Cu inc	creases from +1	in CuC/ to +2	
	CuC/ is reduce Cu.	ed to Cu as the o	oxidation s	tate of Cu decro	eases from +1 i	n CuC <i>I</i> to 0 in	

3c	The colourless solution turns blue OR
	A pink/ brown/ reddish-brown solid is formed.
4a(i)	filter funnel
4a(ii)	burette
4a(iii)	electronic balance
4a(iv)	delivery tube/ teat pipette
4b	When the solvent particles become a vapour, they are moving at <u>high speeds</u> in <u>all directions</u> and spaced <u>far</u> apart.
5a	Concentration of HNO ₃ in mol/dm ³ = $0.15 \div \frac{100}{1000} = \frac{1.5 \text{ mol/dm}^3}{1000}$
	Concentration of HNO ₃ in g/dm ³ = 1.5 x 63 = 94.5 g/dm^3
5bi	Number of moles of HNO ₃ = $\frac{100}{1000}$ x 0.5 = 0.05 mol
5bii	Potassium carbonate / K ₂ CO ₃
5biii	$\frac{\text{Mole ratio}}{\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3:\text{KNO}_3 = 1:2}$ Number of moles of KNO ₃ = 0.02 x 2 = 0.04 mol
6a	P: copper(II) oxide / CuO Q: hydrochloric acid / HC/ R: copper(II) chloride / CuC/ ₂ S: copper(II) hydroxide / Cu(OH) ₂
6b	$Ag^+(aq) + Cr(aq) \rightarrow AgCr(s)$
7ai	The reactivity of Group I metals increases down the group.
	Down the group, there are <u>more filled electron shells</u> between the nucleus and the valence electron.
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	Hence, there is a <u>greater tendency to lose the valence electron</u> to attain the noble gas electronic configuration.
7aii	It reacts explosively.
7aiii	Hydrogen gas
7bi	 Noble gases are/ have colourless odourless gases at room temperature and pressure OR have low melting and boiling points insoluble in water poor conductors of electricity low densities
	(any one)

7bii	They have <u>fully-filled valence electron shells</u> and already achieved a stable noble gas electronic configuration.
8a	nitrogen/ N ₂
8b	Carbon dioxide is a greenhouse gas / causes climate change / causes global warming.
	This results in ice caps melting (or rise in sea levels) / increased flooding / desertification / increased death of corals.
8c	It is formed due to incomplete combustion.
8d	H H Kev : electron from O X : electron fro
8ei	A reaction/ a change in which heat is given out to the surroundings.
8eii	Rusting, respiration, neutralisation or any acceptable answer.
Section	E Cost

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Qn	Answers
9a	M: magnesium
	N: sulfuric acid
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9b	$Mg + H_2 SO_4 \rightarrow MgSO_4 + H_2$
9c	Steps for making crystals:
	1. Add <u>excess</u> magnesium metal to a test tube containing sulfuric acid and stir.
	2. <u>Filter</u> to obtain the filtrate, which is magnesum sulfate solution, and remove the excess magnesium metal residue.
	3. <u>Heat</u> the filtrate till it is <u>saturated</u> .
	4. Allow the saturated solution to <u>cool</u> so that the salt can crystallise.
	5. Filter to collect the crystals. Wash the crystals with a little cold distilled water to remove impurities and dry between sheets of filter paper.
9d	Magnesium oxide / magensium carbonate/ magnesium hydroxide
9ei	Add a few drops of universal indicator solution into each solution. OR
	Dip a piece of red and blue litmus paper into each solution.
9eii	The solution will turn from green to red. OR
	The red litmus paper will remain red and the blue litmus paper will turn red.
10a	Limestone is first decomposed by heat to produce carbon dioxide and calcium
	oxide.
	$CaCO_3 (s) \rightarrow CaO (s) + CO_2 (g)$
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	Coloium ovido regate with the impurities from iron, which is cond, to form molton
	Calcium oxide reacts with the impurities from iron, which is sand, to form <u>molten</u> <u>slag</u> .
	$\overline{\text{CaO}}$ (s) + SiO ₂ (s) \rightarrow CaSiO ₃ (<i>I</i>)
10bi	Paint serves as a protective layer that prevents iron from coming into contact with water and oxygen.
10bii	Zinc is more reactive than iron, hence zinc will react with water and oxygen first.
10biii	The ship will rust.
10biv	The presence of sodium chloride in seawater results in the increase of the speed of rusting.
10c	 ✓ Recycling helps to conserve finite/ non-renewable metal ores. ✓ Recycling helps to save energy, hence less fossil fuels are burnt for energy production. ✓ Recycling helps to save cost of extracting metals. ✓ Recycling reduces pollution as recycling metals creates less pollutants than extracting metals from its ores. ✓ Recycling reduces the need of landfills for metal extraction wastes (any two)
11a	The gas (carbon dioxide) is slightly soluble/ insoluble in water.
11b	a labelled gas syringe
	dilute hydrochloric acid egg shells
11c(i)	volume/ cm ³
5	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
11c(ii)	All the egg shell (calcium carbonate) had been used up.
11c(iii)	Based on students' graph,
	Acceptable range of 41 – 43 cm ³

