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COMMON TEST

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TIME : 2 Hours

This question paper consists of 11 pages and 2 data sheets.

INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

1. Write your NAME in the appropriate spaces on the ANSWER BOOK.
2. This question paper consists of SEVEN questions. Answer ALL the questions in the ANSWER BOOK.
3. Start EACH question on a NEW page in the ANSWER BOOK.
4. Number the answers correctly according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
5. Leave ONE line between two sub questions, for example between QUESTION 2.1 and QUESTION 2.2.
6. You may use a non-programmable calculator.
7. You may use appropriate mathematical instruments.
8. Show ALL formulae and substitutions in ALL calculations.
9. Round off your final numerical answers to a minimum of TWO decimal places.
10. Give brief motivations, discussions et cetera where required.
11. You are advised to use the attached DATA SHEETS.
12. Write neatly and legibly.

QUESTION 1: MULTIPLE-CHOICE QUESTIONS

Four options are provided as possible answers to the following questions. Each question has only ONE correct answer. Choose the answer and write only the letter (A–D) next to the question number (1.1–1.6) in the ANSWER BOOK, for example 1.11 E.

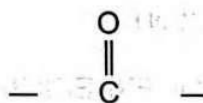
1.1 Which ONE of the following general formulae is a saturated hydrocarbon?



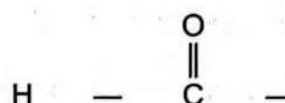
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1.2 Which ONE of the following is the structural formula of the functional group of the ALDEHYDES?

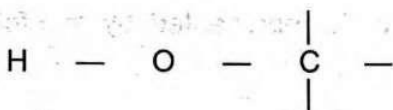
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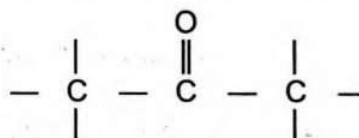
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D



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1.3 A haloalkane is strongly heated in the presence of a concentrated strong base. The organic product is an . . .

A Alkyne.

B Alkene.

C Alkane.

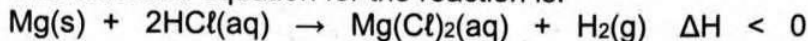
D Alcohol.

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- 1.4 Hydrogen gas is prepared in TWO experiments, EXPERIMENT 1 and EXPERIMENT 2 by adding hydrochloric acid to an excess of magnesium.

The balanced equation for the reaction is:



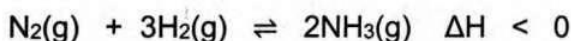
The same mass of magnesium and the same volume of hydrochloric acid is used in both experiments. The magnesium is completely covered by the hydrochloric acid in both experiments.

The table below shows the results obtained for the TWO experiments:

	Time in minutes	1	2	3	4
EXPERIMENT 1	Volume of hydrogen gas in cm ³	20	30	35	35
EXPERIMENT 2	Volume of hydrogen gas in cm ³	30	35	40	40

Which ONE of the following statements can be concluded from the results indicated in the table?

- A A higher concentration of HCl(aq) was used in EXPERIMENT 2.
 - B A higher concentration of HCl(aq) was used in EXPERIMENT 1.
 - C Powdered magnesium at a higher temperature was used in EXPERIMENT 2.
 - D Powdered magnesium at a higher temperature was used in EXPERIMENT 1. (2)
- 1.5 A reaction at equilibrium in a closed container is represented by the following equation:



Which ONE of the following changes will affect BOTH the value of K_c and the concentration of ammonia (NH_3) at equilibrium?

- A Adding a suitable catalyst.
 - B Reducing the temperature.
 - C Increasing the mass of nitrogen.
 - D Increasing the pressure at constant temperature. (2)
- 1.6 Which ONE of the following aqueous solutions will have the LOWEST hydrogen ion $[\text{H}^+]$ concentration?

- A 0,1 mol·dm⁻³ HCl
- B 0,1 mol·dm⁻³ HNO₃
- C 0,1 mol·dm⁻³ H₂SO₄
- D 0,1 mol·dm⁻³ CH₃COOH



QUESTION 2 (Start on a new page.)

The letters **A** to **E** in the table below represent four organic compounds.

A	2,3-dichloro-3-ethyl-4-methylheptane	B	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)\text{OHCH}_3$
C	hexanoic acid		
D			

2.1 Write down the IUPAC name of:

2.1.1 **B** (2)

2.1.2 **D** (2)

2.2 Classify compound **B** as a PRIMARY, SECONDARY or TERTIARY alcohol. Give a reason for the answer. (3)

2.3 Write down the:

2.3.1 Structural formula for compound **A**. (3)

2.3.2 EMPIRICAL FORMULA for compound **C**. (2)

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QUESTION 3 (Start on a new page.)

Learners use two compounds A and B, to investigate a factor which influences the boiling point of organic compounds. The results are recorded in the table below.

	Condensed structural formula	BOILING POINT (°C)
A	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₃ CHO	103
B	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₂ COOH	163

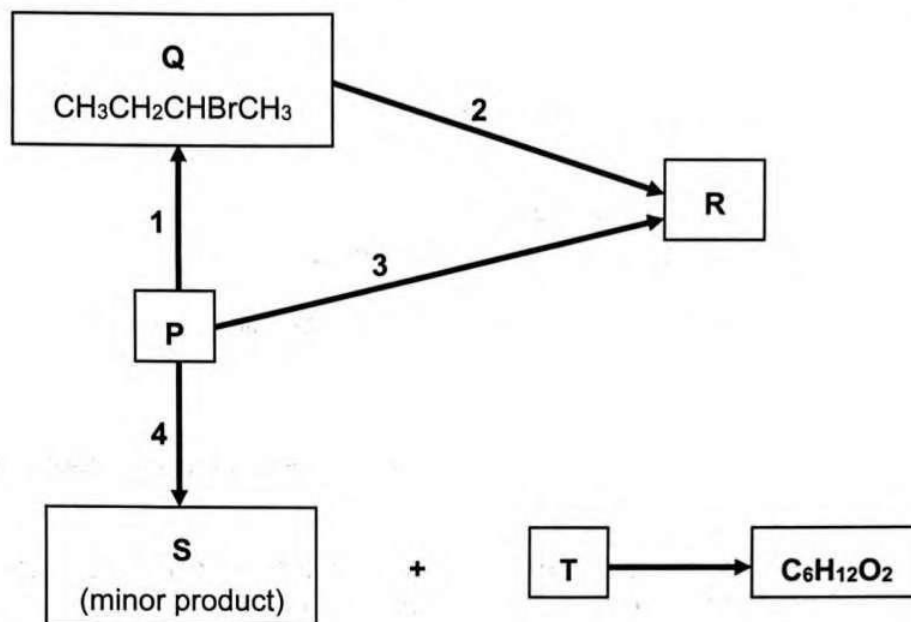
- 3.1 Define *boiling point*. (2)
- 3.2 Which compound A, or B has a higher vapour pressure? Use the information in the table to give a reason for the answer. (2)
- 3.3 For this investigation, write down the:
- 3.3.1 Dependent variable. (1)
- 3.3.2 Independent variable. (1)
- 3.4 Fully explain the difference in the boiling points shown in the table. (5)

The boiling point of a third compound C, with molecular formula C₅H₁₂O is determined under the same conditions and compared to the boiling points of compound A and B.

- 3.5 How will the boiling point of compound C compare to that of compound:
(Write down HIGHER THAN, EQUAL TO or LOWER THAN)
- 3.5.1 A? (1)
- 3.5.2 B? (1)
- [13]**

QUESTION 4 (Start on a new page.)

In the flow diagram below, **1**, **2**, **3**, and **4** represent organic reactions. **P**, **Q**, **R**, **S** and **T** represent organic compounds.



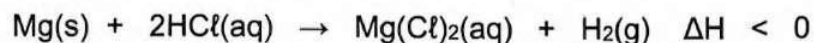
- 4.1 Reaction **2** is a HYDROLYSIS reaction.
- 4.1.1 Name the type of reaction that takes place. Choose from ADDITION, SUBSTITUTION or ELIMINATION. (1)
- 4.1.2 Using molecular formulae, write a balanced equation for reaction **2**. (3)
- 4.2 Reaction **4** occurs in the presence of steam and phosphoric acid to produce compound **S**.
Name the type of reaction that takes place. (1)
- 4.3 For compound **P** write down the:
- 4.3.1 Name of the homologous series to which it belongs. (1)
- 4.3.2 Structural formula for compound **P**. (2)
- 4.3.3 Structural formula for a chain isomer of compound **P**. Fully explain the answer. (5)

When Compound **S** and Compound **T** are heated together with some concentrated sulphuric acid, $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_2$, is produced.

- 4.4 Write down the IUPAC name of compound **T**. (1)
[14]

QUESTION 5 (Start on a new page.)

During an experiment, hydrogen gas is produced from reacting 600 cm³ of hydrochloric acid of unknown concentration with a piece of magnesium ribbon at a temperature of 50 °C. The balanced equation for the reaction is:



The hydrochloric acid is the limiting reagent, and the magnesium ribbon is completely covered by the acid solution.

The following observation is made after **12 minutes**:

The volume of hydrogen gas remains unchanged.

5.1 The average rate of the reaction given above is 15 cm³·min⁻¹.

5.1.1 Define *rate of the reaction*. (2)

5.1.2 Give a reason why increasing the length of the magnesium ribbon will not influence the results of above experiment. (1)

5.1.3 Calculate the concentration of the hydrochloric acid. Take the molar volume of the gas at 50 °C to be 26 490 cm³·mol⁻¹. (8)

5.2 The experiment, is NOW, repeated. However, the magnesium ribbon is replaced with an equal mass of powdered magnesium. How will this change affect the:

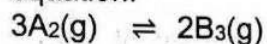
5.2.1 final volume of hydrogen gas produced? Choose from INCREASES, REMAINS THE SAME or DECREASES. (1)

5.2.2 Fully explain the answer to question 5.2.1 in terms of the collision theory. (4)

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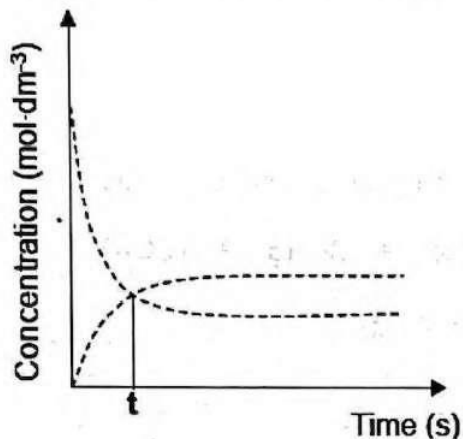
QUESTION 6 (Start on a new page.)

- 6.1 An unknown gas, A_2 , is sealed in a container and allowed to form B_3 gas at $500\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$. The reaction reaches equilibrium according to the following balanced equation:

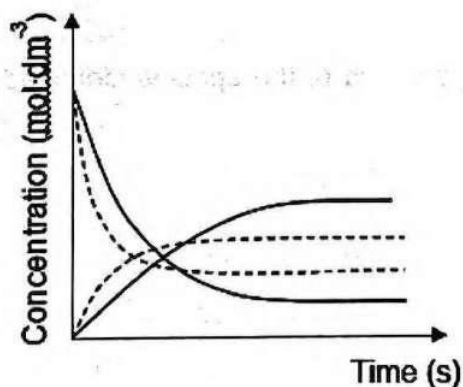


- 6.1.1 Explain what is meant by the underlined words. (2)

The reaction mixture is analysed at regular intervals. The results obtained was used to sketch (not to scale) the graph below of concentration versus time.



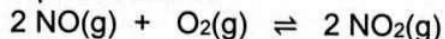
The reaction is NOW repeated at a NEW temperature. The curves indicated by the continuous dark lines were obtained at the NEW temperature.



- 6.1.2 State Le Chatelier's Principle. (2)
- 6.1.3 Is the forward reaction EXOTHERMIC or ENDOTHERMIC. Fully explain the answer. (3)



- 6.2 A mixture of 120 g of nitrogen oxide gas (NO), 80 g of oxygen gas (O₂) and an unknown number of moles of nitrogen dioxide gas (NO₂) are sealed in a 500 cm³ flask at 100 °C. The reaction reaches equilibrium according to the balanced equation below:



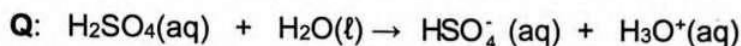
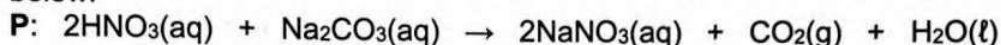
When equilibrium was established, it was found that the concentration of O₂(g) present in the container was 4,25 mol.dm⁻³. The equilibrium constant, K_c for this reaction at 100 °C is 0,25.

Calculate the unknown number of moles of NO₂(g) that was initially sealed in the container.

(8)
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QUESTION 7 (Start on a new page.)

- 7.1 Two separate reactions, **P** and **Q** are represented by the balanced equations below:



7.1.1 Write down the formula of the acid in reaction **Q**. (1)

7.1.2 Give a reason for the answer to question 7.1.1 by referring to the Lowry-Bronsted theory for acids and bases. (1)

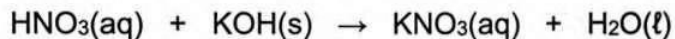
7.1.3 Write down the formula of the species from either reaction **P** or reaction **Q** other than H₂O which is an ampholyte. (1)

7.1.4 Write down the formula of the conjugate acid of the species identified in question 7.1.3 (1)

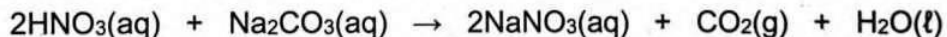
- 7.2 The table below shows some common indicators and the pH range in which the indicator will CHANGE COLOUR.

Indicator	pH range when a colour change takes place
Methyl orange	3,1 – 4,4
Bromothymol blue	6,0 – 7,6
Phenolphthalein	8,3 – 10

- 7.2.1 Define the term *endpoint*. (1)
- 7.2.2 Write down the name of the indicator that is suitable to identify the endpoint for reaction P. (1)
- 7.2.3 Explain the answer to question 7.2.2 (2)
- 7.3 An impure sample of potassium hydroxide pellets (KOH), of mass 8 g was dissolved in 175 cm³ of a 1,20 mol·dm⁻³ nitric acid (HNO₃) solution. The nitric acid solution is in excess.



25 cm³ of the resulting solution was then titrated using 12,94 cm³ of a standard 0,65 mol·dm⁻³ sodium carbonate (Na₂CO₃) solution.



Calculate the percentage purity of the potassium hydroxide sample. (10)
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TOTAL MARKS: [100]

**DATA FOR PHYSICAL SCIENCES GRADE 12
PAPER 2 (CHEMISTRY)**

**GEGEWENS VIR FISIESTE WETENSAPPE GRAAD 12
VRAESTEL 2 (CHEMIE)**

TABLE 1: PHYSICAL CONSTANTS/TABEL 1: FISIESTE KONSTANTES

NAME/NAAM	SYMBOL/SIMBOOL	VALUE/WAARDE
Standard pressure <i>Standaarddruk</i>	p°	$1,013 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa}$
Molar gas volume at STP <i>Molêre gasvolume by STD</i>	V_m	$22,4 \text{ dm}^3 \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$
Standard temperature <i>Standaardtemperatuur</i>	T°	273 K
Charge on electron <i>Lading op elektron</i>	e	$-1,6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$
Avogadro's constant <i>Avogadro-konstante</i>	N_A	$6,02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

TABLE 2: FORMULAE/TABEL 2: FORMULES

$n = \frac{m}{M}$	$n = \frac{N}{N_A}$
$c = \frac{n}{V}$ or/of $c = \frac{m}{MV}$	$n = \frac{V}{V_m}$
$\frac{c_a V_a}{c_b V_b} = \frac{n_a}{n_b}$	$\text{pH} = -\log[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]$
$K_w = [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+][\text{OH}^-] = 1 \times 10^{-14}$ at/by 298 K	

TABLE 3: THE PERIODIC TABLE OF ELEMENTS
TABEL 3: DIE PERIODIEKE TABEL VAN ELEM

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18					
(I)	(II)											(III)	(IV)	(V)	(VI)	(VII)	(VIII)					
1 2,1 H	4 9 Be	21 45 Sc	22 48 Ti	23 51 V	24 52 Cr	25 55 Mn	26 56 Fe	27 59 Co	28 59 Ni	29 63,5 Cu	30 65 Zn	31 70 Ga	32 73 Ge	33 75 As	34 79 Se	35 80 Br	36 84 Kr					
3 7 Li	12 24 Mg	39 89 Y	40 91 Zr	41 92 Nb	42 96 Mo	43 101 Tc	44 101 Ru	45 103 Rh	46 106 Pd	47 108 Ag	48 112 Cd	49 115 In	50 119 Sn	51 122 Sb	52 128 Te	53 127 I	54 131 Xe					
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19 39 K	38 88 Sr	55 133 Cs	56 137 Ba	71 162 Er	72 162 Tm	73 163 Dy	74 165 Ho	75 167 Er	76 169 Tm	77 173 Yb	78 175 Lu	79 183 Th	80 206 Pu	81 238 U	82 238 Np	83 238 Pu	84 238 Am	85 238 Am	86 238 Cm	87 238 Bk	88 226 Ra	89 226 Ac
9 17 F	16 32 S	15 31 P	14 28 Si	13 27 Al	12 24 Mg	11 23 Na	10 20 Ca	9 19 K	8 17 Ar	7 16 Cl	6 14 C	5 12 O	4 9 F	3 8 Ne	2 4 He							

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Approximate relative atomic mass
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