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0620 CHEMISTRY

0620/31 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

(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]

(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 ≡ position of equilibrium to right

5 **(a)** **(i)** $2Li + 2HI \rightarrow 2LiI + H_2$ [1]

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

(iii) $MgO + 2HI \rightarrow MgI_2 + H_2O$ [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]

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]
CH_3-CH_2-CH_2-COOH [1]
hydrogen atoms omitted from ends of bonds, penalise once

(c) **(i)** ester [1]

(ii) $C_6H_{12}O_2$
ignore $CH_3COOC_4H_9$ [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 <u>volume</u> 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]

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accept balanced equations
accept ionic charges as alternative to valency

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) $-CH_2 - CCl_2-$
repeat unit correct [1]
COND continuation [1]

(c) $CH_2=CHOOCCH_3$ [1]

(d) $-OC(CH_2)_4CONH(CH_2)_6NH-$
COND amide correct linkage [1]
correct repeat units [1]
continuation [1]
not NH_2 **or** COOH endings

[Total: 80]