

9701 CHEMISTRY MCQs

Moles & Stoichiometry

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AS: Moles and Stoichiometry (MCQs)

6 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

In some countries, anhydrous calcium chloride is used as a drying agent to reduce dampness in houses. The anhydrous salt absorbs enough water to form the dihydrate $\text{CaCl}_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$.

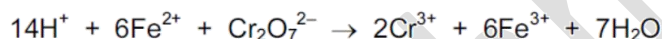
What is the percentage increase in mass?

- A 14% B 24% C 32% D 36%

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Ferrochrome is an alloy of iron and chromium. Ferrochrome can be dissolved in dilute sulfuric acid to produce a mixture of FeSO_4 and $\text{Cr}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$. The FeSO_4 reacts with $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ in acid solution according to the following equation.



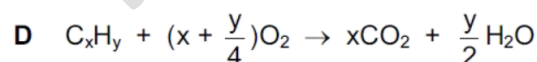
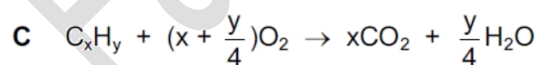
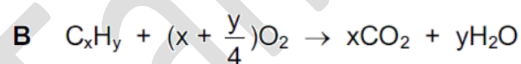
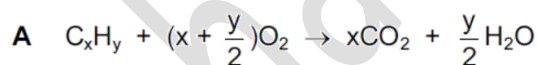
When 1.00 g of ferrochrome is dissolved in dilute sulfuric acid, and the resulting solution titrated, 13.1 cm^3 of $0.100 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ is required for complete reaction.

What is the percentage by mass of Fe in the sample of ferrochrome?

- A 1.22 B 4.39 C 12.2 D 43.9

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29 Which equation correctly represents the balanced equation for the complete combustion of a hydrocarbon with the formula C_xH_y ?



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- 6 Aluminium carbide, Al_4C_3 , reacts readily with aqueous sodium hydroxide. The two products of the reaction are $NaAlO_2$ and a hydrocarbon. Water molecules are also involved as reactants.

What is the formula of the hydrocarbon?

- A CH_4 B C_2H_6 C C_3H_8 D C_6H_{12}

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- 15 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

A sample of potassium oxide, K_2O , is dissolved in 250 cm^3 of distilled water. 25.0 cm^3 of this solution is titrated against sulfuric acid of concentration 2.00 mol dm^{-3} . 15.0 cm^3 of this sulfuric acid is needed for complete neutralisation.

Which mass of potassium oxide was originally dissolved in 250 cm^3 of distilled water?

- A 2.83g B 28.3g C 47.1g D 56.6g

w/14/qp11

- 3 A 10 cm^3 sample of $0.30\text{ mol dm}^{-3} Tl^+NO_3^-$ required 20 cm^3 of 0.10 mol dm^{-3} acidified NH_4VO_3 to oxidise it to Tl^{3+} in solution. Vanadium is the only element reduced in this reaction.

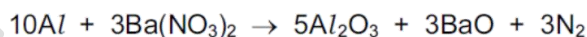
What is the oxidation number of the vanadium in the reduced form?

- A +1 B +2 C +3 D +4

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- 12 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

The reaction between aluminium powder and anhydrous barium nitrate is used as the propellant in some fireworks. The reaction produces the metal oxides and nitrogen.



Which mass of barium oxide is produced when 5.40g of aluminium powder reacts with an excess of anhydrous barium nitrate?

- A 1.62g B 3.06g C 9.18g D 10.2g

w/13/qp13

8 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

The approximate percentage composition of the atmosphere on four different planets is given in the table below.

The density of a gas may be defined as the mass of 1 dm^3 of the gas measured at s.t.p.

Which mixture of gases has the greatest density?

	planet	major gases / % by number of molecules
A	Jupiter	H_2 89.8, He 10.2
B	Neptune	H_2 80.0, He 19.0, CH_4 1.0
C	Saturn	H_2 96.3, He 3.25, CH_4 0.45
D	Uranus	H_2 82.5, He 15.2, CH_4 2.3

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10 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Which sodium compound contains 74.2% by mass of sodium?

- A** sodium carbonate
- B** sodium chloride
- C** sodium hydroxide

w/13/qp11

17 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

In an experiment, 0.6 mol of chlorine gas, Cl_2 , is reacted with an excess of hot aqueous sodium hydroxide. One of the products is a compound of sodium, oxygen and chlorine.

Which mass of this product is formed?

- A** 21.3g
- B** 44.7g
- C** 63.9g
- D** 128g

s/14/qp13

9 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

In an experiment, 12.0 dm^3 of oxygen, measured under room conditions, is used to burn completely 0.10 mol of propan-1-ol.

What is the final volume of gas, measured under room conditions?

- A 7.20 dm^3 B 8.40 dm^3 C 16.8 dm^3 D 18.00 dm^3

s/14/qp12

14 Ammonium sulfate in the soil is slowly oxidised by air, producing sulfuric acid, nitric acid and water as the only products.

How many moles of oxygen gas are needed for the complete oxidation of one mole of ammonium sulfate?

- A 1 B 2 C 3 D 4

s/14/qp12

19 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

In an experiment, 0.125 mol of chlorine gas, Cl_2 , is reacted with an excess of cold aqueous sodium hydroxide. One of the products is a compound of sodium, oxygen, and chlorine.

Which mass of this product is formed?

- A 9.31g B 13.3g C 18.6g D 26.6g

s/14/qp12

40 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

In an organic synthesis, a 62% yield of product is achieved.

Which conversions are consistent with this information?

- 1 74.00 g of butan-2-ol \rightarrow 44.64 g of butanone
- 2 74.00 g of butan-1-ol \rightarrow 54.56 g of butanoic acid
- 3 74.00 g of 2-methylpropan-1-ol \rightarrow 54.56 g of 2-methylpropanoic acid

s/14/qp11

18 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

A chemist took 2.00 dm^3 of nitrogen gas, measured under room conditions, and reacted it with a large volume of hydrogen gas, in order to produce ammonia. Only 15.0% of the nitrogen gas reacted to produce ammonia.

What mass of ammonia was formed?

- A 0.213g B 0.425g C 1.42g D 2.83g

s/14/qp11

10 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

A washing powder contains sodium hydrogencarbonate, NaHCO_3 , as one of the ingredients. In a titration, a solution containing 1.00g of washing powder requires 7.15 cm^3 of $0.100 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ sulfuric acid for complete reaction. The sodium hydrogencarbonate is the only ingredient that reacts with the acid.

What is the percentage by mass of sodium hydrogencarbonate in the washing powder?

- A 3.0 B 6.0 C 12.0 D 24.0

s/13/qp13

12 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Anhydrous magnesium nitrate, $\text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2$, will decompose when heated, giving a white solid and a mixture of two gases X and Y.

Y is oxygen.

What is the ratio $\frac{\text{mass of X released}}{\text{mass of Y released}}$?

- A $\frac{1}{0.174}$ B $\frac{1}{0.267}$ C $\frac{1}{0.348}$ D $\frac{1}{3.43}$

s/13/qp13

18 In a famous experiment, Wöhler heated 'inorganic' ammonium cyanate in the absence of air. The only product of the reaction was 'organic' urea, $\text{CO}(\text{NH}_2)_2$. No other products were formed in the reaction.

What is the formula of the cyanate ion present in ammonium cyanate?

- A CNO^- B CNO^{2-} C CO^- D NO^-

s/13/qp13

27 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Which volume of oxygen, at room temperature and pressure, is needed for complete combustion of 0.1 mol of ethanol?

- A 7.2 dm³ B 8.4 dm³ C 14.4 dm³ D 16.8 dm³

s/13/qp13

13 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Magnesium nitrate, Mg(NO₃)₂, will decompose when heated to give a white solid and a mixture of gases. One of the gases released is oxygen.

29.7 g of anhydrous magnesium nitrate is heated until no further reaction takes place.

What mass of oxygen is produced?

- A 3.2 g B 6.4 g C 12.8 g D 19.2 g

s/13/qp12

26 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Which volume of oxygen measured at room temperature and pressure is needed for complete combustion of 0.1 mol of propan-1-ol?

- A 10.8 dm³ B 12.0 dm³ C 21.6 dm³ D 24.0 dm³

s/13/qp12

2 A mixture of 10 cm³ of methane and 10 cm³ of ethane was sparked with an excess of oxygen. After cooling to room temperature, the residual gas was passed through aqueous potassium hydroxide.

All gas volumes were measured at the same temperature and pressure.

What volume of gas was absorbed by the alkali?

- A 15 cm³ B 20 cm³ C 30 cm³ D 40 cm³

s/13/qp11

- 11 A solution of Sn^{2+} ions will reduce an acidified solution of MnO_4^- ions to Mn^{2+} ions. The Sn^{2+} ions are oxidised to Sn^{4+} ions in this reaction.

How many moles of Mn^{2+} ions are formed when a solution containing 9.5 g of SnCl_2 (M_r : 190) is added to an excess of acidified KMnO_4 solution?

- A 0.010 B 0.020 C 0.050 D 0.125

s/13/qp11

- 16 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Magnesium nitrate, $\text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2$, will decompose when heated to give a white solid and a mixture of gases. One of the gases released is an oxide of nitrogen, X.

7.4 g of anhydrous magnesium nitrate is heated until no further reaction takes place.

What mass of X is produced?

- A 1.5g B 2.3g C 3.0g D 4.6g

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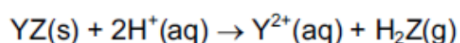
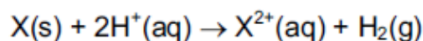
2.30 g of ethanol were mixed with an excess of aqueous acidified potassium dichromate(VI). The reaction mixture was then boiled under reflux for one hour. The desired organic product was then collected by distillation. The yield of product was 60.0%.

What mass of product was collected?

- A 1.32g B 1.38g C 1.80g D 3.20g

s/13/qp11

34 An element X and compound YZ react separately with acid as shown.



When 1.0 g of either X or YZ is reacted with an excess of acid, the total volume of gas formed is the same.

Which statements are correct?

- 1 $A_r(X) = M_r(YZ)$
- 2 X and Y are metals.
- 3 X and Y must both be in the same Group of the Periodic Table.

w/12/qp13

25 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

2.30 g of ethanol were mixed with aqueous acidified potassium dichromate(VI) and the desired organic product was collected by immediate distillation under gentle warming. The yield of product was 70.0%.

What mass of product was collected?

- A 1.54g B 1.61g C 2.10g D 2.20g

w/12/qp13

9 During steel-making the impurity P_4O_{10} is removed by reacting it with calcium oxide. The only product of this reaction is the salt calcium phosphate, $Ca_3(PO_4)_2$.

In this reaction, how many moles of calcium oxide react with one mole of P_4O_{10} ?

- A 1 B 1.5 C 3 D 6

w/12/qp13

17 *Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.*

1.15 g of a metallic element reacts with 300 cm³ of oxygen at 298 K and 1 atm pressure, to form an oxide which contains O²⁻ ions.

What could be the identity of the metal?

- A calcium
- B magnesium
- C potassium
- D sodium

w/12/qp11

15 *Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.*

The nitrates of beryllium, calcium, magnesium, and strontium all decompose in the same way when heated. When 2.00 g of one of these anhydrous nitrates is decomposed, 1.32 g of gas is produced.

What is the nitrate?

- A beryllium nitrate
- B calcium nitrate
- C magnesium nitrate
- D strontium nitrate

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w/11/qp12

4 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

560 kg of nitrogen and 120 kg of hydrogen are pressurised, heated and passed over an iron catalyst. When the mixture of gases reaches equilibrium, it contains 96 kg of hydrogen.

Which mass of ammonia does it contain?

- A 24 kg B 68 kg C 136 kg D 680 kg

w/11/qp12

2 The following equations the letters **W**, **X**, **Y** and **Z** all represent whole numbers.

When correctly balanced, which equation requires one of letters **W**, **X**, **Y** or **Z** to be 5?

- A $WC_3H_7COOH + XO_2 \rightarrow YCO_2 + ZH_2O$
B $WC_4H_8 + XO_2 \rightarrow YCO_2 + ZH_2O$
C $WH_3PO_4 + XNaOH \rightarrow YNa_2HPO_4 + ZH_2O$
D $WNH_3 + XO_2 \rightarrow YN_2 + ZH_2O$

w/11/qp12

25 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

2.76 g of ethanol were mixed with an excess of aqueous acidified potassium dichromate(VI). The reaction mixture was then boiled under reflux for one hour. The organic product was then collected by distillation.

The yield of product was 75.0%.

What mass of product was collected?

- A 1.98g B 2.07g C 2.70g D 4.80g

w/11/qp11

14 *Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.*

A significant contribution to atmospheric carbon dioxide levels comes from the thermal decomposition of limestone, in the manufacture of cement and of lime for agricultural purposes.

Cement works roast 1000 million tonnes of limestone per year and a further 200 million tonnes is roasted in kilns to make lime.

What is the total annual mass output of carbon dioxide (in million tonnes) from these two processes?

- A 440 B 527 C 660 D 880

w/11/qp11

15 *Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.*

A 5.00 g sample of an anhydrous Group II metal nitrate loses 3.29 g in mass when heated strongly.

Which metal is present?

- A magnesium
B calcium
C strontium
D barium

w/11/qp11

2 *Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.*

Lead(IV) chloride will oxidise bromide ions to bromine. The Pb^{4+} ions are reduced to Pb^{2+} ions in this reaction.

If 6.980 g of lead(IV) chloride is added to an excess of sodium bromide solution, what mass of bromine would be produced?

- A 0.799 g B 1.598 g C 3.196 g D 6.392 g

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w/10/qp12

14 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Which mass of solid residue can be obtained from the thermal decomposition of 4.10 g of anhydrous calcium nitrate?

- A 0.70g B 1.00g C 1.40g D 2.25g

w/10/qp12

15 Ammonium sulfate in nitrogenous fertilisers in the soil can be slowly oxidised by air producing sulfuric acid, nitric acid and water.

How many moles of oxygen gas are needed to oxidise completely one mole of ammonium sulfate?

- A 1 B 2 C 3 D 4

w/10/qp11

12 Camphor is a white solid which was used to make the early plastic celluloid. Camphor contains the same percentage by mass of hydrogen and oxygen.

What is the molecular formula of camphor?

- A $C_{10}H_6O_6$ B $C_{10}H_8O$ C $C_{10}H_{16}O$ D $C_{10}H_{10}O_2$

w/10/qp11

5 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Nickel makes up 20 % of the total mass of a coin. The coin has a mass of 10.0g.

How many nickel atoms are in the coin?

- A 2.05×10^{22} B 4.30×10^{22} C 1.03×10^{23} D 1.20×10^{24}

w/10/qp11

31 A monomer undergoes addition polymerisation. A 1 mol sample of the monomer is completely polymerised.

How many moles of polymer might, theoretically, be formed?

- 1 1
2 10^{-6}
3 $\frac{1}{6.02 \times 10^{23}}$

w/09/qp11

19 In an historically famous experiment Wöhler heated 'inorganic' ammonium cyanate in the absence of air. The only product of the reaction was 'organic' urea, $\text{CO}(\text{NH}_2)_2$. No other products were formed in the reaction.

What is the formula of the cyanate ion present in ammonium cyanate?

- A CNO^- B CNO^{2-} C CO^- D NO^-

w/09/qp11

2 0.200 mol of a hydrocarbon undergo complete combustion to give 35.2 g of carbon dioxide and 14.4 g of water as the only products.

What is the molecular formula of the hydrocarbon?

- A C_2H_4 B C_2H_6 C C_4H_4 D C_4H_8

w/09/qp11

30 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Ethyl ethanoate can be obtained from ethanoic acid and ethanol by the following reaction.



Ethanol (30 g) and ethanoic acid (30 g) are heated under reflux together, and 22 g of ethyl ethanoate are obtained.

What is the yield of the ester?

- A 25% B 38% C 50% D 77%

w/08/qp1

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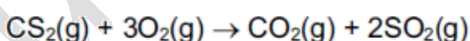
Titanium(IV) oxide, TiO_2 , is brilliantly white and much of the oxide produced is used in the manufacture of paint.

What is the maximum amount of TiO_2 obtainable from 19.0 tonnes of the ore ilmenite, FeTiO_3 ?

- A 10.0 tonnes B 12.7 tonnes C 14.0 tonnes D 17.7 tonnes

w/08/qp1

2 Carbon disulphide vapour burns in oxygen according to the following equation.



A sample of 10 cm^3 of carbon disulphide was burned in 50 cm^3 of oxygen. After measuring the volume of gas remaining, the product was treated with an excess of aqueous sodium hydroxide and the volume of gas measured again. All measurements were made at the same temperature and pressure, under such conditions that carbon disulphide was gaseous.

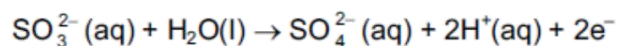
What were the measured volumes?

	volume of gas after burning / cm^3	volume of gas after adding $\text{NaOH}(\text{aq})$ / cm^3
A	30	0
B	30	20
C	50	20
D	50	40

w/08/qp1

- 9 In an experiment, 50.0 cm^3 of a 0.10 mol dm^{-3} solution of a metallic salt reacted exactly with 25.0 cm^3 of 0.10 mol dm^{-3} aqueous sodium sulphite.

The half-equation for oxidation of sulphite ion is shown below.



If the original oxidation number of the metal in the salt was +3, what would be the new oxidation number of the metal?

- A +1 B +2 C +4 D +5

w/07/qp1

- 1 *Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.*

When a sports medal with a total surface area of 150 cm^2 was evenly coated with silver, using electrolysis, its mass increased by 0.216 g .

How many atoms of silver were deposited per cm^2 on the surface of the medal?

- A 8.0×10^{18}
B 1.8×10^{19}
C 1.2×10^{21}
D 4.1×10^{22}

w/07/qp1

- 14 A 5.00 g sample of an anhydrous Group II metal nitrate loses 3.29 g in mass on strong heating.

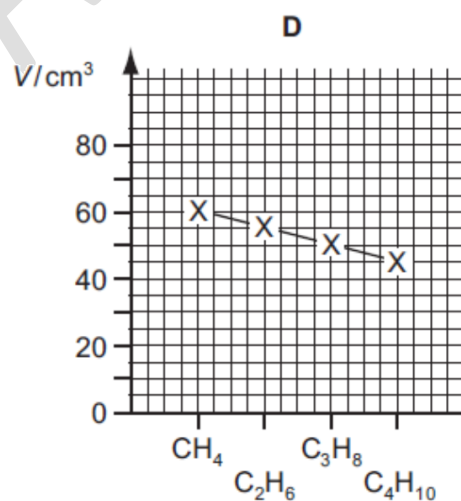
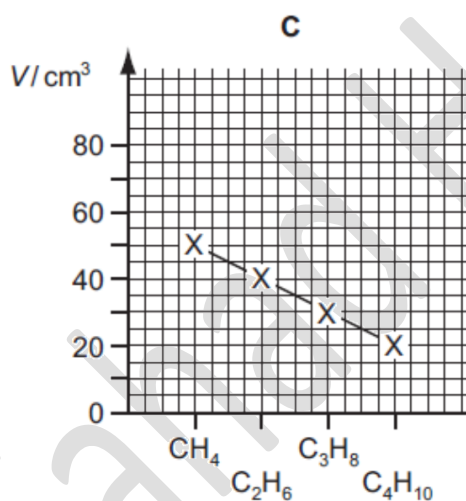
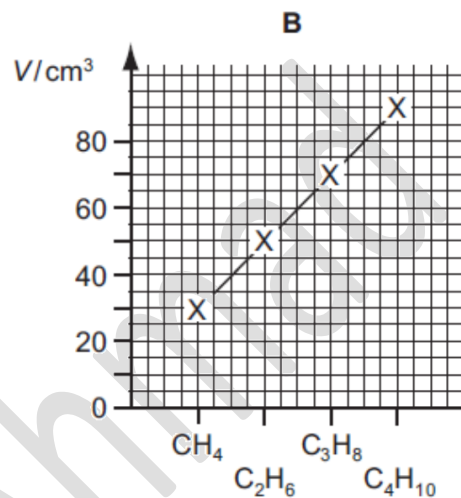
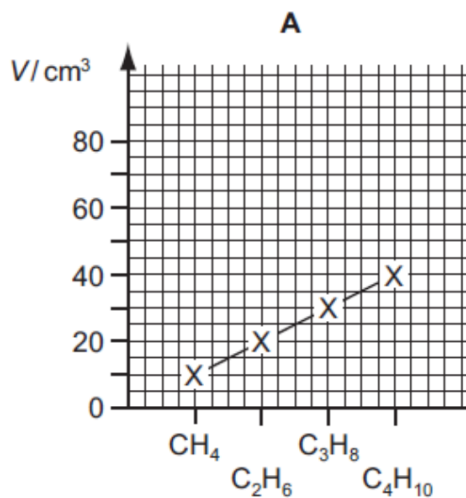
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B calcium
C strontium
D barium

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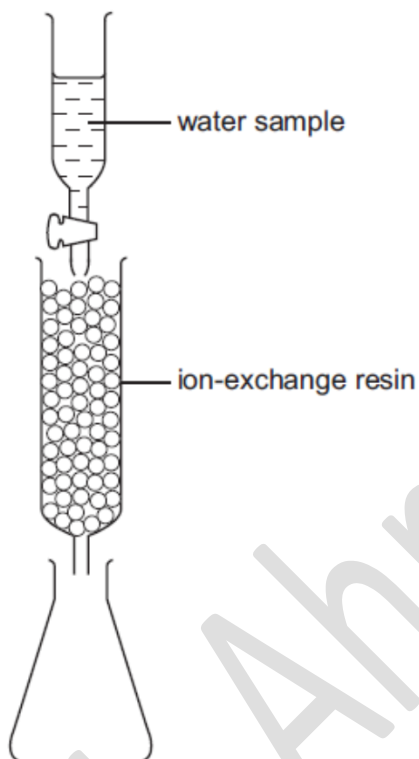
- 4 Samples of 10 cm^3 of each of the first four members of the alkane series are separately mixed with 70 cm^3 of oxygen. Each is then burned and the total volume, V , of residual gas measured again at room temperature and pressure.

Which graph represents the results that would be obtained?



w/06/qp1

- 1 The amount of calcium ions in a sample of natural water can be determined by using an ion-exchange column as shown in the diagram.



A 50 cm^3 sample of water containing dissolved calcium sulphate was passed through the ion-exchange resin. Each calcium ion in the sample was exchanged for two hydrogen ions. The resulting acidic solution collected in the flask required 25 cm^3 of $1.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ potassium hydroxide for complete neutralisation.

What was the concentration of the calcium sulphate in the original sample?

- A $2.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$
- B $1.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$
- C $2.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$
- D $4.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$

w/06/qp1

- 15 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

What volume of oxygen, measured under room conditions, can be obtained from the thermal decomposition of 8.2g of calcium nitrate ($M_r = 164$)?

- A 150 cm^3
- B 300 cm^3
- C 600 cm^3
- D 1200 cm^3

w/05/qp1

- 1 The petrol additive tetraethyl-lead(IV), $\text{Pb}(\text{C}_2\text{H}_5)_4$, is now banned in many countries. When it is completely burned in air, lead(II) oxide, CO_2 and H_2O are formed.

How many moles of oxygen are required to burn one mole of $\text{Pb}(\text{C}_2\text{H}_5)_4$?

- A 9.5 B 11 C 13.5 D 27

w/05/qp1

- 19 Ammonium sulphate in nitrogenous fertilisers in the soil can be slowly oxidised by air producing sulphuric acid, nitric acid and water.

How many moles of oxygen are needed to oxidise completely one mole of ammonium sulphate?

- A 1 B 2 C 3 D 4

w/04/qp1

- 3 The foul smell that skunks spray is due to a number of thiols, one of which is methanethiol, CH_3SH , which burns as follows.



A sample of 10 cm^3 of methanethiol was exploded with 60 cm^3 of oxygen.

What would be the final volume of the resultant mixture of gases when cooled to room temperature?

- A 20 cm^3 B 30 cm^3 C 50 cm^3 D 70 cm^3

w/04/qp1

- 22 On strong heating a hydrocarbon produces ethene, propane and but-1-ene in the mole ratio 5 : 1 : 1.

What is the molecular formula of the hydrocarbon?

- A $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{34}$ B $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{36}$ C $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{38}$ D $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{40}$

w/03/qp1

- 15 One mole of each of the following compounds is strongly heated and any gas produced is collected at room temperature and pressure.

From which compound is 24 dm³ of gas likely to be collected?

[One mole of any gas occupies 24 dm³ at room temperature and pressure.]

- A MgCl₂ B MgCO₃ C Mg(NO₃)₂ D Mg(OH)₂

w/03/qp1

- 1 *Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.*

Analytical chemists can detect very small amounts of amino acids, down to 3×10^{-21} mol. How many molecules of an amino acid ($M_r = 200$) would this be?

- A 9 B 200 C 1800 D 360 000

w/03/qp1

- 2 *Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.*

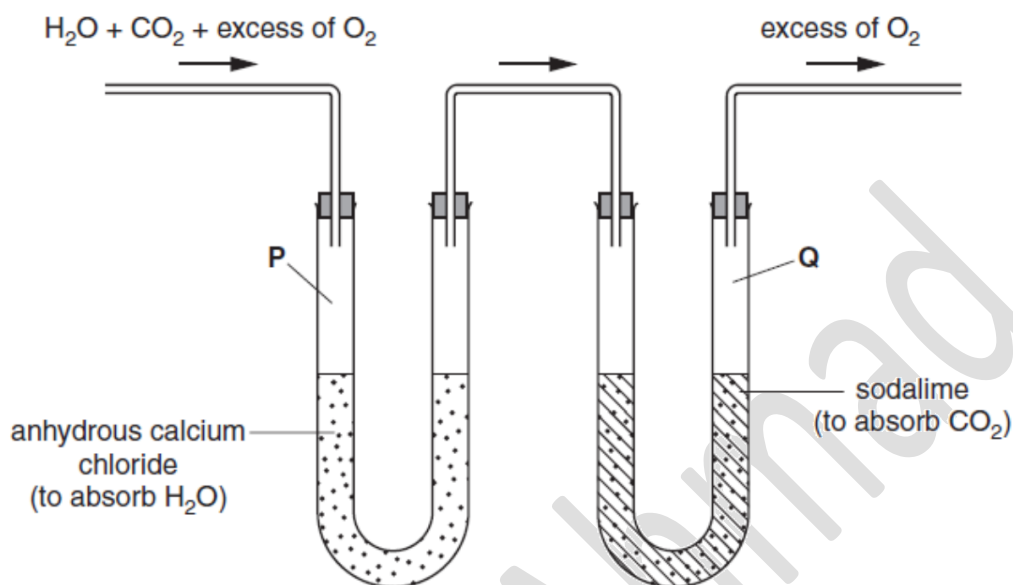
A garden fertiliser is said to have a phosphorus content of 30.0% 'P₂O₅ soluble in water'.

What is the percentage by mass of phosphorus in the fertiliser?

- A 6.55% B 13.1% C 26.2% D 30.0%

w/03/qp1

- 3 A sample of the hydrocarbon C_6H_{12} is completely burned in dry oxygen and the product gases are collected as shown.
 [A_r : H, 1 ; C, 12 ; O, 16.]



The increases in mass of the collecting vessels **P** and **Q** of the apparatus are M_P and M_Q , respectively.

What is the ratio M_P / M_Q ?

- A 0.41 B 0.82 C 1.2 D 2.4

w/03/qp1

- 38 A number of alcohols with the formula $C_4H_{10}O$ are separately oxidised. Using 70 g of the alcohols a 62% yield of organic product is achieved.

What mass of product could be obtained?

- 1 42.2 g of butanone
- 2 51.6 g of butanoic acid
- 3 51.6 g of 2-methyl propanoic acid

s/12/qp11

14 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

The reaction between aluminium powder and anhydrous barium nitrate is used as the propellant in some fireworks. The metal oxides and nitrogen are the only products.

Which volume of nitrogen, measured under room conditions, is produced when 0.783 g of anhydrous barium nitrate reacts with an excess of aluminium?

- A 46.8 cm³ B 72.0 cm³ C 93.6 cm³ D 144 cm³

s/12/qp11

23 The products obtained by cracking an alkane, X, are methane, ethene and propene.

The mole fraction of ethene in the products is 0.5.

What is the identity of X?

- A C₆H₁₄ B C₈H₁₈ C C₉H₂₀ D C₁₁H₂₄

s/11/qp12

11 0.144 g of an aluminium compound X react with an excess of water, to produce a gas. This gas burns completely in O₂ to form H₂O and 72 cm³ of CO₂ only. The volume of CO₂ was measured at room temperature and pressure.

What could be the formula of X?

[C = 12.0, Al = 27.0; 1 mole of any gas occupies 24 dm³ at room temperature and pressure]

- A Al₂C₃ B Al₃C₄ C Al₄C₃ D Al₅C₃

s/11/qp12

- 10 Tanzanite is used as a gemstone for jewellery. It is a hydrated calcium aluminium silicate mineral with a chemical formula $\text{Ca}_2\text{Al}_x\text{Si}_y\text{O}_{12}(\text{OH}) \cdot 6\frac{1}{2}\text{H}_2\text{O}$. Tanzanite has M_r of 571.5.

Its chemical composition is 14.04 % calcium, 14.17 % aluminium, 14.75 % silicon, 54.59 % oxygen and 2.45 % hydrogen.

(A_r values: H = 1.0, O = 16.0, Al = 27.0, Si = 28.1, Ca = 40.1)

What are the values of x and y?

	x	y
A	1	1
B	2	3
C	3	3
D	6	1

s/11/qp12

- 33 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Zinc reacts with hydrochloric acid according to the following equation.



Which statements are correct?

[All volumes are measured at room conditions.]

- 1 A 3.27 g sample of zinc reacts with an excess of hydrochloric acid to give 0.050 mol of zinc chloride.
- 2 A 6.54 g sample of zinc reacts completely with exactly 100 cm^3 of 1.00 mol dm^{-3} hydrochloric acid.
- 3 A 13.08 g sample of zinc reacts with an excess of hydrochloric acid to give 9.60 dm^3 of hydrogen.

s/11/qp11

- 13 0.02 mol of aluminium is burned in oxygen and the product is reacted with 2.00 mol dm^{-3} hydrochloric acid.

What minimum volume of acid will be required for complete reaction?

- A 15 cm^3 B 20 cm^3 C 30 cm^3 D 60 cm^3

s/11/qp11

35 In a car engine, non-metallic element X forms a pollutant oxide Y.

Further oxidation of Y to Z occurs in the atmosphere. In this further oxidation, 1 mol of Y reacts with $\frac{1}{2}$ mol of gaseous oxygen.

What can X be?

- 1** carbon
- 2** nitrogen
- 3** sulfur

s/10/qp11

9 Which mass of gas would occupy a volume of 3 dm^3 at 25°C and 1 atmosphere pressure? [1 mol of gas occupies 24 dm^3 at 25°C and 1 atmosphere pressure.]

- A** 3.2g O_2 gas
- B** 5.6g N_2 gas
- C** 8.0g SO_2 gas
- D** 11.0g CO_2 gas

s/10/qp11

8 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

2.920 g of a Group II metal, X, reacts with an excess of chlorine to form 5.287 g of a compound with formula XC_l_2 .

What is metal X?

- A** barium
- B** calcium
- C** magnesium
- D** strontium

s/10/qp11

1 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

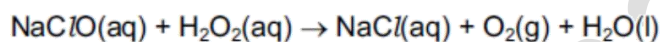
In leaded petrol there is an additive composed of lead, carbon and hydrogen only. This compound contains 29.7% carbon and 6.19% hydrogen by mass.

What is the value of x in the empirical formula PbC_8H_x ?

- A 5 B 6 C 16 D 20

s/09/qp1

2 A household bleach contains sodium chlorate(I), NaClO , as its active ingredient. The concentration of NaClO in the bleach can be determined by reacting a known amount with aqueous hydrogen peroxide, H_2O_2 .



When 25.0 cm^3 of bleach is treated with an excess of aqueous H_2O_2 , 0.0350 mol of oxygen gas is given off.

What is the concentration of NaClO in the bleach?

- A $8.75 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$
B $0.700 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$
C $0.875 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$
D 1.40 mol dm^{-3}

s/09/qp1

31 For complete combustion, 1 mol of an organic compound X was found to require 2.5 mol of molecular oxygen.

Which compounds could be X ?

- 1 $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$
2 C_2H_2
3 CH_3CHO

s/08/qp1

15 *Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.*

The combustion of fossil fuels is a major source of increasing atmospheric carbon dioxide, with a consequential rise in global warming. Another significant contribution to carbon dioxide levels comes from the thermal decomposition of limestone, in the manufacture of cement and of lime for agricultural purposes.

Cement works roast 1000 million tonnes of limestone per year and a further 200 million tonnes is roasted in kilns to make lime.

What is the total annual mass output of carbon dioxide (in million tonnes) from these two processes?

- A 440 B 527 C 660 D 880

s/08/qp1

1 In the Basic Oxygen steel-making process the P_4O_{10} impurity is removed by reacting it with calcium oxide. The only product of this reaction is the salt calcium phosphate, $Ca_3(PO_4)_2$.

In this reaction, how many moles of calcium oxide react with one mole of P_4O_{10} ?

- A 1 B 1.5 C 3 D 6

s/08/qp1

2 *Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.*

A typical solid fertiliser for use with household plants and shrubs contains the elements N, P, and K in the ratio of 15g : 30g : 15g per 100 g of fertiliser. The recommended usage of fertiliser is 14 g of fertiliser per 5 dm^3 of water.

What is the concentration of nitrogen atoms in this solution?

- A 0.03 mol dm^{-3}
B 0.05 mol dm^{-3}
C 0.42 mol dm^{-3}
D 0.75 mol dm^{-3}

s/08/qp1

2 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Oxides of nitrogen are pollutant gases which are emitted from car exhausts.

In urban traffic, when a car travels one kilometre, it releases 0.23 g of an oxide of nitrogen N_xO_y , which occupies 120 cm^3 .

What are the values of x and y ?
(Assume 1 mol of gas molecules occupies 24.0 dm^3 .)

- A $x = 1, y = 1$
- B $x = 1, y = 2$
- C $x = 2, y = 1$
- D $x = 2, y = 4$

s/07/qp1

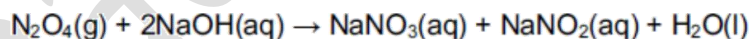
16 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

What mass of solid residue can be obtained from the thermal decomposition of 4.10 g of anhydrous calcium nitrate?

- A 0.70g
- B 1.00g
- C 1.40g
- D 2.25g

s/06/qp1

1 N_2O_4 is a poisonous gas. It can be disposed of safely by reaction with sodium hydroxide.



What is the minimum volume of 0.5 mol dm^{-3} $NaOH(aq)$ needed to dispose of 0.02 mol of N_2O_4 ?

- A 8 cm^3
- B 12.5 cm^3
- C 40 cm^3
- D 80 cm^3

s/06/qp1

- 36 The number of moles of chlorine that react with 1 mol of X is twice the number of moles of chlorine that react with 1 mol of Y.

Which of these pairs could be X and Y?

	X	Y
1	Mg(s)	Na(s)
2	H ₂	KBr(aq)
3	cold NaOH(aq)	hot NaOH(aq)

s/05/qp1

- 18 In an historically famous experiment Wöhler heated "inorganic" ammonium cyanate in the absence of air. The only product of the reaction was "organic" urea, CO(NH₂)₂. No other products were formed in the reaction.

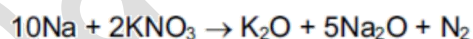
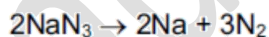
What is the formula of the cyanate ion present in ammonium cyanate?

- A CNO⁻ B CNO²⁻ C CO⁻ D NO⁻

s/05/qp1

- 2 On collision, airbags in cars inflate rapidly due to the production of nitrogen.

The nitrogen is formed according to the following equations.



How many moles of nitrogen gas are produced from 1 mol of sodium azide, NaN₃?

- A 1.5 B 1.6 C 3.2 D 4.0

s/05/qp1

- 1 A pure hydrocarbon is used in bottled gas for cooking and heating.

When 10 cm^3 of the hydrocarbon is burned in 70 cm^3 of oxygen (an excess), the final gaseous mixture contains 30 cm^3 of carbon dioxide and 20 cm^3 of unreacted oxygen. All gaseous volumes were measured under identical conditions.

What is the formula of the hydrocarbon?

- A C_2H_6 B C_3H_6 C C_3H_8 D C_4H_{10}

s/05/qp1

- 18 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

In the commercial electrolysis of brine, the products are chlorine, hydrogen and sodium hydroxide.

What is the maximum yield of each of these products when 58.5 kg of sodium chloride are electrolysed as brine?

	yield of chlorine / kg	yield of hydrogen / kg	yield of sodium hydroxide / kg
A	35.5	1	40
B	35.5	2	40
C	71	1	40
D	71	2	80

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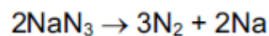
- 9 Which substance, in 1 mol dm^{-3} aqueous solution, would have the same hydrogen ion concentration as 1 mol dm^{-3} of hydrochloric acid?

- A ethanoic acid
B nitric acid
C sodium hydroxide
D sulphuric acid

s/04/qp1

- 3 Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Most modern cars are fitted with airbags. These work by decomposing sodium azide to liberate nitrogen gas, which inflates the bag.



A typical driver's airbag contains 50g of sodium azide.

Calculate the volume of nitrogen this will produce at room temperature.

- A 9.2 dm³ B 13.9 dm³ C 27.7 dm³ D 72.0 dm³

s/04/qp1

- 2 Self-igniting flares contain Mg₃P₂. With water this produces diphosphane, P₂H₄, which is spontaneously flammable in air.

Which equation that includes the formation of diphosphane is balanced?

- A $\text{Mg}_3\text{P}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 3\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2 + \text{P}_2\text{H}_4$
B $\text{Mg}_3\text{P}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 3\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2 + \text{P}_2\text{H}_4 + \text{H}_2$
C $2\text{Mg}_3\text{P}_2 + 12\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 6\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2 + \text{P}_2\text{H}_4 + 2\text{PH}_3$
D $2\text{Mg}_3\text{P}_2 + 12\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 6\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2 + 3\text{P}_2\text{H}_4$

s/04/qp1

- 1 Which of these samples of gas contains the same number of atoms as 1g of hydrogen (M_r : H₂, 2)?

- A 22g of carbon dioxide (M_r : CO₂, 44)
B 8g of methane (M_r : CH₄, 16)
C 20g of neon (M_r : Ne, 20)
D 8g of ozone (M_r : O₃, 48)

s/04/qp1

28 In its reaction with sodium, 1 mol of a compound X gives 1 mol of $H_2(g)$.

Which compound might X be?

- A $CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2OH$
- B $(CH_3)_3COH$
- C $CH_3CH_2CH_2CO_2H$
- D $CH_3CH(OH)CO_2H$

s/03/qp1

1 *The use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.*

What is the number of molecules in 500 cm^3 of oxygen under room conditions?

- A 1.25×10^{22}
- B 1.34×10^{22}
- C 3.0×10^{22}
- D 3.0×10^{26}

s/03/qp1

Marking Scheme

6-C	16-D	1-A	35-C
8-D	26-C	2-C	9-C
29-D	34-B	9-B	8-D
6-A	25-A	1-A	1-D
15-B	9-D	14-B	2-D
3-B	17-D	4-D	31-C
12-C	15-B	1-A	15-B
8-D	26-A	15-C	1-D
10-D	4-C	1-C	2-A
17-A	2-A	19-D	2-B
9-B	25-C	3-C	16-C
14-D	14-B	22-B	1-D
19-A	15-B	15-B	36-B
40-A	2-C	1-C	18-A
18-B	39-A	2-B	2-B
10-C	14-C	3-A	1-C
12-A	15-D	38-A	18-A
18-A	12-C	14-B	9-B
27-A	5-A	23-B	3-C
13-A	31-C	11-C	2-B
26-A	19-A	10-C	1-C
2-C	2-D	33-D	28-D
11-B	30-C	13-C	1-A