

# Balanced Equations + Associated Calcs

## Question Paper 13

Level	A Level
Subject	Chemistry
Exam Board	AQA
Module	3.1 Physical Chemistry
Topic	3.1.2 Atomic Substance
Sub-Topic	3.1.2.5 Balanced Equations + Associated Calcs
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**Time Allowed:** 60 minutes

**Score:** /60

**Percentage:** /100

**Grade Boundaries:**

A*	A	B	C	D	E	U
>85%	75%	70%	60%	55%	50%	<50%

**Q1.** Iron from the Blast Furnace contains carbon. In the steel-making process, oxygen is blown through molten impure iron. At stages during this process samples of iron are taken and analysed to determine the remaining carbon content. One method of analysis involves a redox titration.

At one stage a 1.27g sample of this impure iron was reacted with an excess of dilute sulphuric acid. All of the iron in the sample was converted into iron(II) sulfate, and hydrogen was evolved. The solution formed was made up to 250 cm<sup>3</sup>. A 25.0 cm<sup>3</sup> sample of this solution reacted completely with exactly 19.6 cm<sup>3</sup> of a 0.0220 mol dm<sup>-1</sup> solution of potassium manganate(VII).

(a) Write an equation for the reaction between iron and dilute sulphuric acid.

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(b) Write an equation for the reaction of iron(II) ions with manganate(VII) ions in acid solution.

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(c) Assuming that carbon is the only impurity, calculate the percentage by mass of carbon in the 1.27g sample.

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(d) How would you ensure the reliability of the result obtained in this experiment?

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(e) Suggest one way in which the reliability of this analysis could be improved.

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(Total 9 marks)

Q2. (a) Complete the following table.

	Relative mass	Relative charge
Neutron		
Electron		

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(b) An atom has twice as many protons as, and four more neutrons than, an atom of  ${}^9\text{Be}$ . Deduce the symbol, including the mass number, of this atom.

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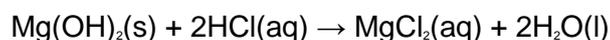
(c) Draw the shape of a molecule of  $\text{BeCl}_2$  and the shape of a molecule of  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$ . Show any lone pairs of electrons on the central atom. Name the shape of each molecule.



Name of shape ..... Name of shape .....

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(d) The equation for the reaction between magnesium hydroxide and hydrochloric acid is shown below.



Calculate the volume, in  $\text{cm}^3$ , of  $1.00 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  hydrochloric acid required to react completely with 1.00 g of magnesium hydroxide.

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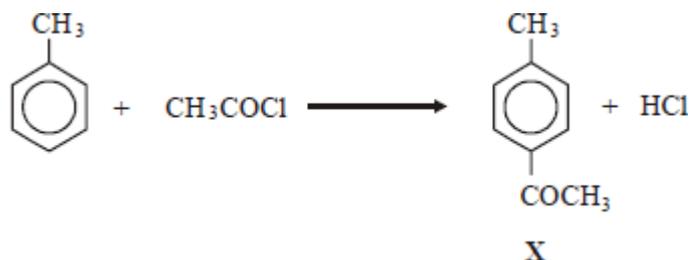
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**Q3.** Ethanoyl chloride reacts with methylbenzene forming compound **X** according to the equation below.

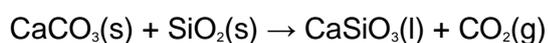


If the experimental yield is 40.0%, the mass in grams of **X** ( $M_r = 134.0$ ) formed from 18.4 g of methylbenzene ( $M_r = 92.0$ ) is

- A 26.8
- B 16.1
- C 10.7
- D 7.4

(Total 1 mark)

**Q4.** The removal of silicon dioxide with limestone in the Blast Furnace can be represented by the following equation.



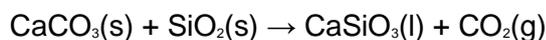
The volume of carbon dioxide, measured at 298 K and  $1.01 \times 10^5$  Pa, formed in this

reaction during the removal of 1.00 tonne (1000 kg) of silicon dioxide is

- A 24.5 dm<sup>3</sup>
- B 408 dm<sup>3</sup>
- C 24.5 m<sup>3</sup>
- D 408 m<sup>3</sup>

(Total 1 mark)

**Q5.** The removal of silicon dioxide with limestone in the Blast Furnace can be represented by the following equation.



The minimum mass of calcium carbonate needed to remove 1.00 tonne (1000 kg) of silicon dioxide is

- A 0.46 tonne
- B 0.60 tonne
- C 1.67 tonne
- D 2.18 tonne

(Total 1 mark)

**Q6.** A 0.263 g sample of impure iron, containing an unreactive impurity, was reacted with an excess of hydrochloric acid. All of the iron in the sample reacted, evolving hydrogen gas and forming a solution of iron(II) chloride. The volume of hydrogen evolved was 102 cm<sup>3</sup>, measured at 298 K and 110 kPa.

The percentage, by mass, of iron in the sample can be determined using either the volume of hydrogen produced or by titrating the solution of iron(II) chloride formed against a standard solution of potassium dichromate(VI).

(a) (i) Write an equation for the reaction between iron and hydrochloric acid.

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(ii) Calculate the number of moles of hydrogen produced in the reaction.

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- (iii) Use your answers to parts (a)(i) and (ii) to determine the number of moles of iron and the mass of iron in the original sample. (If you have been unable to complete part (a)(ii) you should assume the answer to be  $4.25 \times 10^{-3}$  mol. This is not the correct answer.)

Moles of iron .....

Mass of iron .....

- (iv) Calculate the percentage of iron in the original sample.

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- (b) (i) Write half-equations for the oxidation of  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  and for the reduction of  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$  in acidic solution, and use these to construct an overall equation for the reaction between these two ions.

Half-equation for the oxidation of  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$

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Half-equation for the reduction of  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$

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Overall equation

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- (ii) The number of moles of iron in the sample was determined in part (a)(iii). Use this answer to calculate the volume of a  $0.0200 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  solution of potassium dichromate(VI) which would react exactly with the solution of iron(II) chloride

formed in the reaction.

(If you have been unable to complete part (a)(iii) you should assume the answer to be  $3.63 \times 10^{-3}$  mol. This is not the correct answer.)

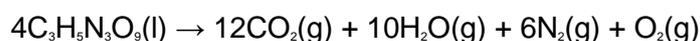
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- (iii) Explain why an incorrect value for the number of moles of iron(II) chloride formed would have been obtained if the original solution had been titrated with potassium manganate(VII).

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(Total 14 marks)

- Q7.** Nitroglycerine,  $C_3H_5N_3O_9$ , is an explosive which, on detonation, decomposes rapidly to form a large number of gaseous molecules. The equation for this decomposition is given below.



- (a) A sample of nitroglycerine was detonated and produced 0.350 g of oxygen gas.
- (i) State what is meant by the term *one mole* of molecules.

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- (ii) Calculate the number of moles of oxygen gas produced in this reaction, and hence deduce the total number of moles of gas formed.

Moles of oxygen gas .....

Total moles of gas .....

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- (iii) Calculate the number of moles, and the mass, of nitroglycerine detonated.

Moles of nitroglycerine .....

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Mass of nitroglycerine .....

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- (b) A second sample of nitroglycerine was placed in a strong sealed container and detonated. The volume of this container was  $1.00 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3$ . The resulting decomposition produced a total of 0.873 mol of gaseous products at a temperature of 1100 K.

State the ideal gas equation and use it to calculate the pressure in the container after detonation.

(The gas constant  $R = 8.31 \text{ J K}^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1}$ )

Ideal gas equation .....

Pressure .....

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(Total 11 marks)

**Q8.** The reaction of bromine with ethane is similar to that of chlorine with ethane. Three steps in the bromination of ethane are shown below.



(a) (i) Name this type of mechanism.

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(ii) Suggest an essential condition for this reaction.

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(iii) Steps 2 and 3 are of the same type. Name this type of step.

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(iv) In this mechanism, another type of step occurs in which free-radicals combine. Name this type of step. Write an equation to illustrate this step.

Type of step .....

Equation.....

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(b) Further substitution in the reaction of bromine with ethane produces a mixture of liquid organic compounds.

(i) Name a technique which could be used to separate the different compounds in this mixture.

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(ii) Write an equation for the reaction between bromine and ethane which produces hexabromoethane,  $\text{C}_2\text{Br}_6$ , by this substitution reaction.

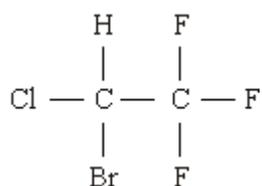
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- (c) The compound 1,2-dibromo-1,1,2,2-tetrafluoroethane is used in some fire extinguishers. Draw the structure of this compound.

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- (d) Halothane is used as an anaesthetic and has the following structure.



- (i) Give the systematic name of *halothane*.

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- (ii) Calculate the  $M_r$  of halothane.

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- (iii) Calculate the percentage by mass of fluorine in halothane.

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(Total 11 marks)