

RAM + RMM

Question Paper 2

Level	A Level
Subject	Chemistry
Exam Board	AQA
Module	3.1 Physical Chemistry
Topic	3.1.2 Amount of Substance
Sub-Topic	3.1.2.1 RAM + RMM
Booklet	Question Paper 2

Time Allowed: 52 minutes

Score: /50

Percentage: /100

Grade Boundaries:

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

Q1. Hydrogen peroxide is sold commercially as an aqueous solution containing approximately 60 g dm^{-3} of hydrogen peroxide.

- (a) Use data from the Periodic Table to calculate the M_r of hydrogen peroxide. Give your answer to the appropriate precision.

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- (b) Calculate the concentration, in mol dm^{-3} , of a solution containing 60.0 g dm^{-3} of hydrogen peroxide.

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- (c) The concentration of hydrogen peroxide in a hair bleach is $0.050 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$. Use your answer from (b) to calculate the dilution factor needed to make the commercial hydrogen peroxide solution suitable for use in this hair bleach. Show your working.

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(Total 4 marks)

Q2. A mass spectrometer can be used to investigate the isotopes in an element.

- (a) Define the term *relative atomic mass* of an element.

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- (b) Element **X** has a relative atomic mass of 47.9

Identify the block in the Periodic Table to which element **X** belongs and give the electron configuration of an atom of element **X**.

Calculate the number of neutrons in the isotope of **X** which has a mass number 49

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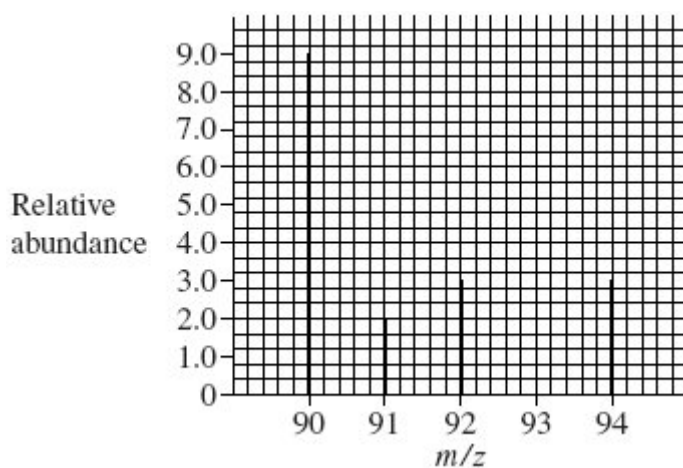
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- (c) The mass spectrum of element **Z** is shown below.

Use this spectrum to calculate the relative atomic mass of **Z**, giving your answer to one decimal place.

Identify element **Z**.



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- (d) State how vaporised atoms of **Z** are converted into **Z⁺** ions in a mass spectrometer.

State and explain which of the **Z⁺** ions formed from the isotopes of **Z** in part (c) will be deflected the most in a mass spectrometer.

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- (e) Explain briefly how the relative abundance of an ion is measured in a mass spectrometer.

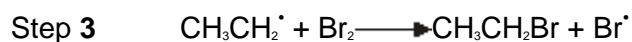
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Q3. The reaction of bromine with ethane is similar to that of chlorine with ethane. Three steps in the bromination of ethane are shown below.





- (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, C_2Br_6 , by this substitution reaction.

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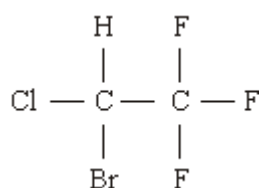
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- (c) The compound 1,2-dibromo-1,1,2,2-tetrafluoroethane is used in some fire

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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Q4. (a) (i) Define the term *relative atomic mass* (A_r) of an element.

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- (ii) A sample of the metal silver has the relative atomic mass of 107.9 and exists as two isotopes. In this sample, 54.0% of the silver atoms are one isotope with a relative mass of 107.1

Calculate the relative mass of the other silver isotope.

State why the isotopes of silver have identical chemical properties.

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- (b) The isotopes of silver, when vaporised, can be separated in a mass spectrometer.

Name the **three** processes that occur in a mass spectrometer before the vaporised isotopes can be detected.

State how each process is achieved.

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- (c) State the type of bonding involved in silver.

Draw a diagram to show how the particles are arranged in a silver lattice and show the charges on the particles.

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- (d) Silver reacts with fluorine to form silver fluoride (AgF).

Silver fluoride has a high melting point and has a structure similar to that of sodium chloride.

State the type of bonding involved in silver fluoride.

Draw a diagram to show how the particles are arranged in a silver fluoride lattice and show the charges on the particles.

Explain why the melting point of silver fluoride is high.

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