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**CO-ORDINATED SCIENCES**

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Paper 2 (Core)

**May/June 2013**

**2 hours**

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

**READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST**

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

You may use a pencil for any diagrams or graphs.

Do not use staples, paper clips, glue or correction fluid.

**DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.**

Answer **all** questions.

Electronic calculators may be used.

You may lose marks if you do not show your working or if you do not use appropriate units.

A copy of the Periodic Table is printed on page 28.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.

This document consists of **27** printed pages and **1** blank page.



- 1 (a) Fig. 1.1 shows some of the elements in Group 1 of the Periodic Table.

Li
Na
K

Fig. 1.1

- (i) Name the alkali that is produced when potassium reacts with water.

..... [1]

- (ii) Describe how the rate of reaction between water and the metals in Fig. 1.1 changes as you go down the group.

.....  
 ..... [1]

- (b) Fig. 1.2 shows some of the elements in Group 7 of the Periodic Table.

Cl
Br
I

Fig. 1.2

- (i) Describe how the melting point of the elements in Fig. 1.2 changes as you go down the group.

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- (ii) A solution of potassium bromide is colourless and a solution of chlorine is almost colourless.

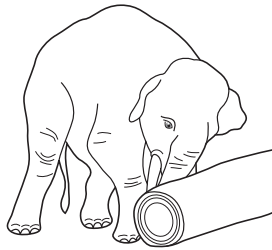
Describe and explain briefly what would be seen when these solutions are mixed.

what would be seen .....

explanation .....

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- 2 (a) An elephant of mass 5000 kg exerts a constant force to push a tree trunk along at a steady speed of 1.5 m/s.



State the **two** quantities that would need to be measured to calculate the work done by the elephant.

..... and ..... [2]

- (b) The volume of the elephant is 5 m<sup>3</sup>. Its mass is 5000 kg.

Calculate the density of the elephant.

State the formula that you use and show your working.

formula

working

..... kg/m<sup>3</sup> [2]

- (c) An elephant can communicate with other elephants using infrasound. This is a very low frequency vibration which it is usually impossible for a human to hear.

- (i) Suggest a possible frequency for this vibration and explain why you chose your answer.

frequency ..... Hz

explanation .....

..... [2]

- (ii) State the meaning of the term *frequency*.

..... [1]

- 3 Fig. 3.1 shows an animal cell, just before it divides.

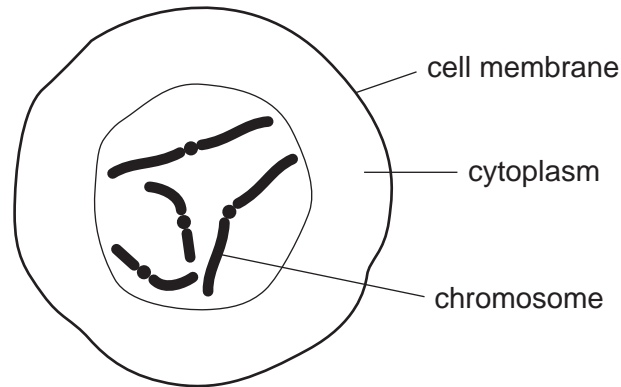


Fig. 3.1

- (a) Define the term *chromosome*.

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..... [2]

- (b) Some cattle have horns, but other cattle do not. This is determined by a gene. The allele of the gene that produces horns, **h**, is recessive.
- (i) Complete Table 3.1 to show the phenotypes of cattle with each of the possible genotypes for this gene.

Table 3.1

genotype	phenotype
<b>HH</b>	no horns
<b>Hh</b>	
<b>hh</b>	

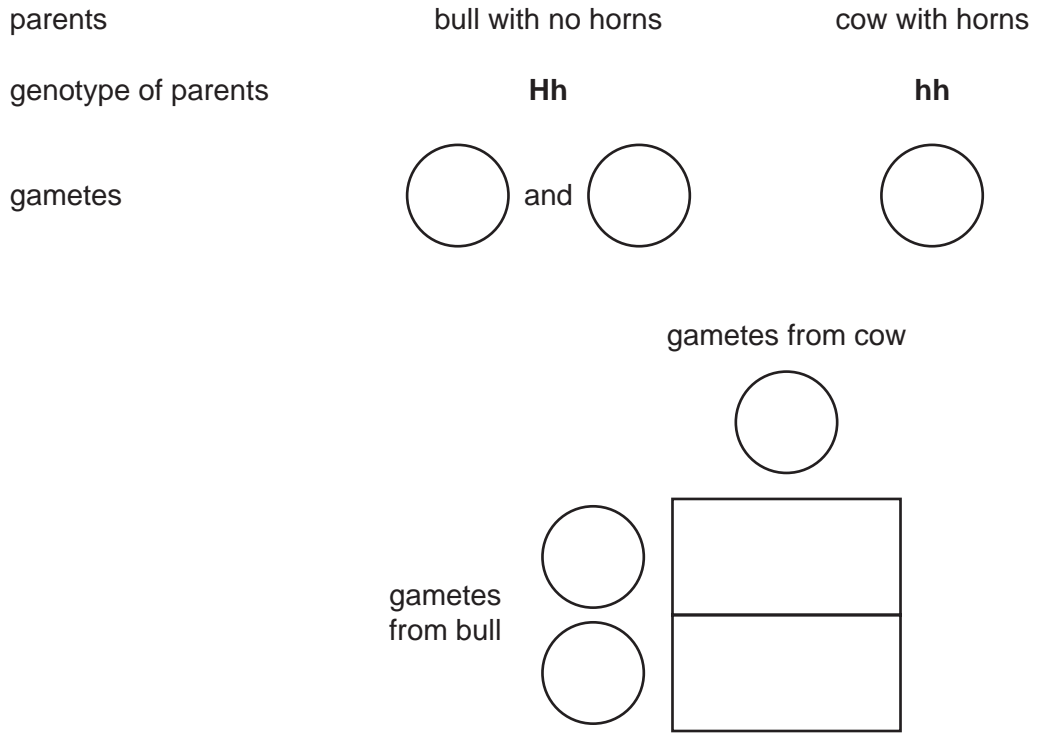
[1]

- (ii) A farmer has a bull with no horns. He wants to make sure that the bull does not have the recessive allele, **h**, for horns.

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He breeds the bull with a cow that has horns.

Complete the genetic diagram to show the possible offspring if the bull does have the allele for horns.



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- (iii) Explain how the results of the cross can help the farmer to decide whether the bull has the allele **h** or not.

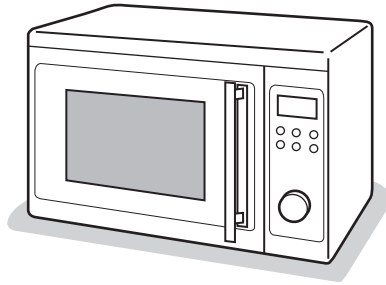
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- (iv) Cows usually give birth to one or two calves each time.

Explain why the farmer needs to cross the bull with the cow several times before he can be sure whether the bull has the allele **h** or not.

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 .....  
 ..... [2]

4 Fig. 4.1 shows a microwave oven.



**Fig. 4.1**

(a) Microwaves cook food by transferring energy to the food.

Choose words from the list to complete the sentences below. You may use each word once, more than once or not at all.

**chemical**

**conduction**

**convection**

**potential**

**radiation**

**thermal**

Microwaves are absorbed by the outer layers of food.

The microwave energy is transferred to water and fat molecules in these layers, increasing the ..... energy of these layers.

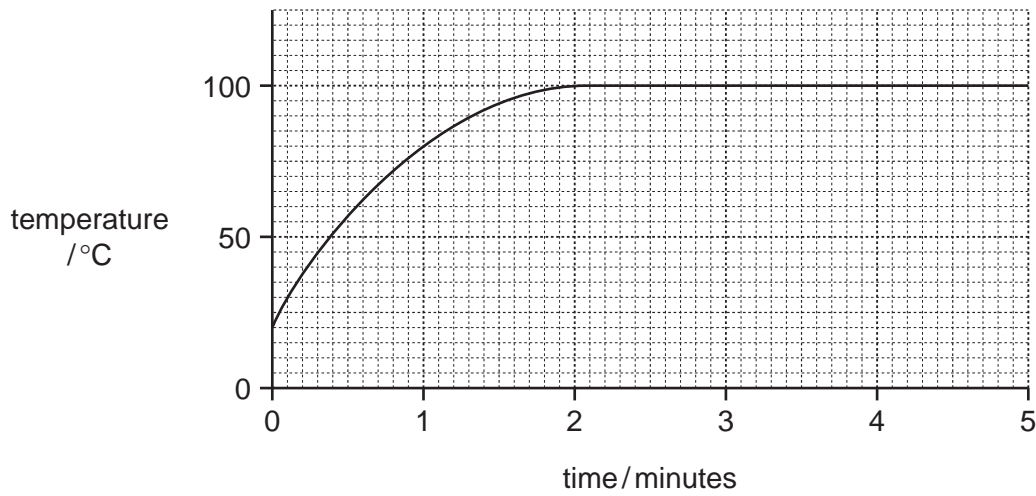
..... energy is mostly transferred to the centre of solid food by .....

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- (b) A student heated some water in a microwave oven for five minutes. Fig. 4.2 shows how the temperature of the water changed.

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**Fig. 4.2**

The temperature of the water stops increasing after two minutes.

Explain what happened to the water molecules during the five minutes.

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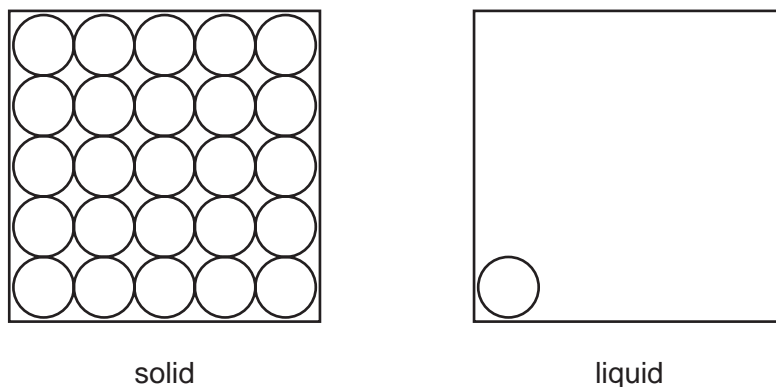
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- (c) The microwave oven is made of solids. The water is a liquid.

Complete Fig. 4.3 to show the arrangement of particles in a liquid. The diagram for a solid has been done for you.



**Fig. 4.3**

[2]

5 (a) Sodium is a reactive metal that forms compounds with non-metals.

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- (i) Name the compounds which are formed when sodium reacts with chlorine, .....
- oxygen. ....

[1]

- (ii) Fig. 5.1 shows diagrams of a sodium atom and a chlorine atom.

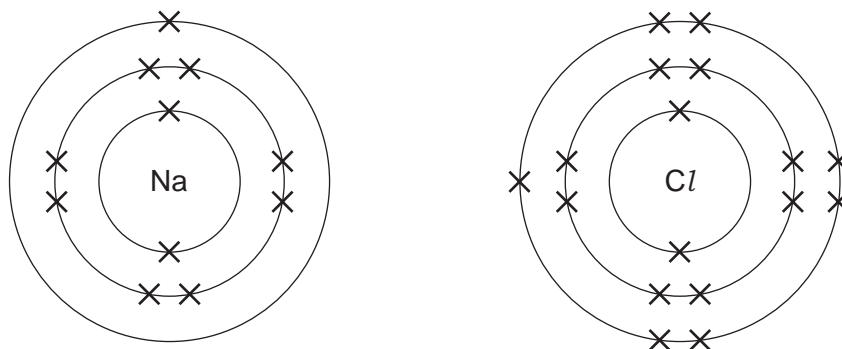


Fig. 5.1

When sodium reacts with chlorine, the atoms shown in Fig. 5.1 first change into electrically charged atoms known as ions.

Describe what happens when sodium and chlorine atoms change into ions.

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..... [2]

- (iii) State why the ions formed by sodium and chlorine attract each other.

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..... [1]

- (iv) Describe **two** differences between the properties of a typical ionic compound and a typical covalent compound.

1 .....

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2 .....

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[2]



- (b) Fig. 5.2 shows apparatus a student used to investigate the electrolysis of dilute sulfuric acid.

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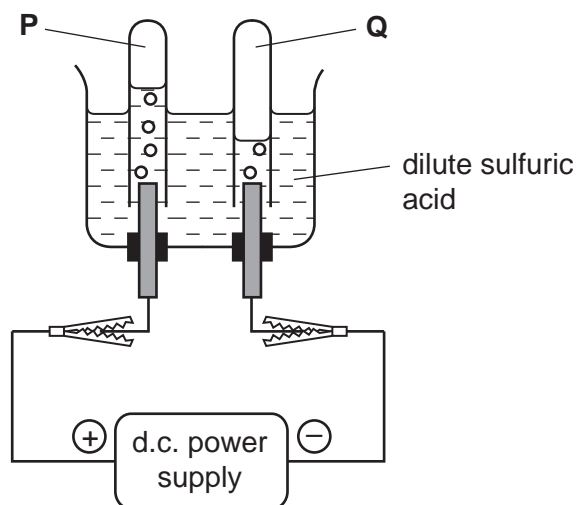


Fig. 5.2

- (i) On Fig. 5.2, label the anode. [1]
- (ii) Name the gases **P** and **Q**.

**P** .....

**Q** ..... [2]

- (iii) Choose **one** of the gases in (ii) and describe a test for this gas.

gas .....

description of test .....

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..... [2]

6 Fig. 6.1 shows a section through a blood capillary.

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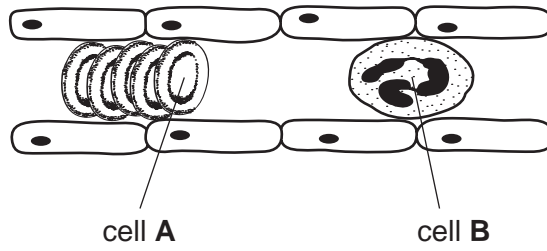


Fig. 6.1

(a) Describe how cell A transports oxygen.

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..... [2]

(b) Describe the function of cell B.

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..... [2]

(c) Outline the functions of a blood capillary.

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.....  
..... [2]

7 (a) A resistor of  $1200\ \Omega$  is connected in series with another resistor of  $2400\ \Omega$ .

Calculate the combined resistance of these two resistors.

State the formula that you use and show your working.

formula

working

.....  $\Omega$  [2]

(b) (i) The diagrams below show the circuit symbols for three components of an electric torch (flashlight).

On the line below each diagram state the name of the component.



..... [2]

(ii) Using only these symbols draw a circuit diagram for a torch.

[1]

(c) Complete the sentences to describe the energy transfers which take place when the torch (flashlight) is used.

Choose from the words below. You may use each word once, more than once or not at all.

- |                 |                   |                |                |
|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>chemical</b> | <b>electrical</b> | <b>kinetic</b> | <b>light</b>   |
| <b>nuclear</b>  | <b>potential</b>  | <b>sound</b>   | <b>thermal</b> |

..... energy is stored in the cells.

This is transferred into ..... energy which passes to the lamp.

The useful energy output from the lamp is ..... energy, but

much energy is wasted as ..... energy.

[2]

(d) A ray of light from the torch is reflected by a mirror. This is shown in Fig. 7.1.

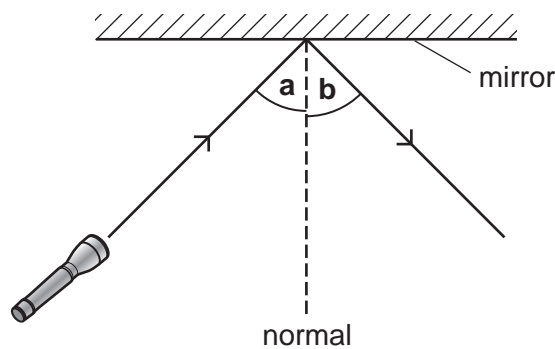


Fig. 7.1

Angle **a** has a value of  $45^\circ$ .

Name angle **b** and write down its value.

name .....

value .....<sup>o</sup>

[2]

- 8 (a) The ovary of a flower contains one or more ovules. The ovules contain female gametes. After fertilisation, an ovule becomes a seed containing an embryo plant.

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Fig. 8.1 shows a pea seed developing inside a pod.

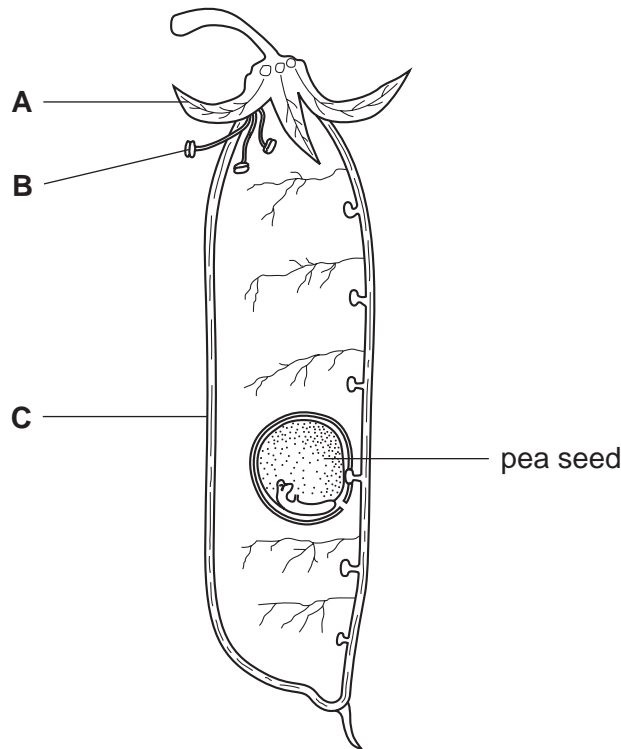


Fig.8.1

- (i) Explain the meaning of each of the following terms.

*gamete* .....

*fertilisation* .....

[2]

- (ii) Parts **A** and **B** in Fig. 8.1 remain from the flower.

State the name of part **A** and function of part **B** of these parts **in the flower**.

name of part **A** .....

function of part **B** .....

[2]

- (iii) Suggest the part of the flower from which structure **C** developed.

..... [1]

- (b) Four sets of pea seeds were placed in Petri dishes containing either damp soil or damp filter paper. They were left in different conditions, shown in Table 8.1.

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**Table 8.1**

set	conditions		
<b>A</b>	damp soil	cold	dark
<b>B</b>	damp filter paper	warm	light
<b>C</b>	damp filter paper	warm	dark
<b>D</b>	damp soil	cold	light

Predict which sets of seeds will germinate.

Explain your answer.

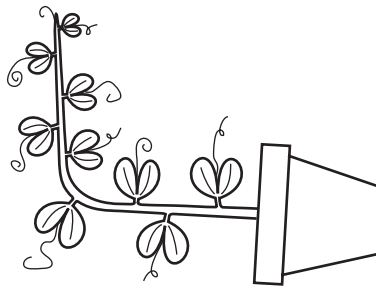
prediction .....

explanation .....

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..... [3]

- (c) A pea seed was planted in a pot. When the seed had grown into a young plant, the pot was placed on its side, in a room where light was coming from all sides.

Fig. 8.2 shows the young pea plant three days after the pot had been placed on its side.



**Fig. 8.2**

- (i) Name the response shown by the pea plant in Fig. 8.2.

..... [2]

(ii) Suggest how this response will help the plant to reproduce sexually.

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..... [3]

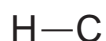
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- 9 (a) (i) Explain why hydrogen and carbon are described as elements, but hydrocarbons such as methane and ethane are described as compounds.

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 .....  
 .....  
 ..... [2]

- (ii) Complete the diagram below to show one molecule of methane.



[2]

- (iii) Name the material found in the Earth that is the main source of methane.

..... [1]

- (b) Ethene is a colourless gas made of hydrocarbon molecules.

Fig. 9.2 shows diagrams of four hydrocarbon molecules, **W**, **X**, **Y** and **Z**.

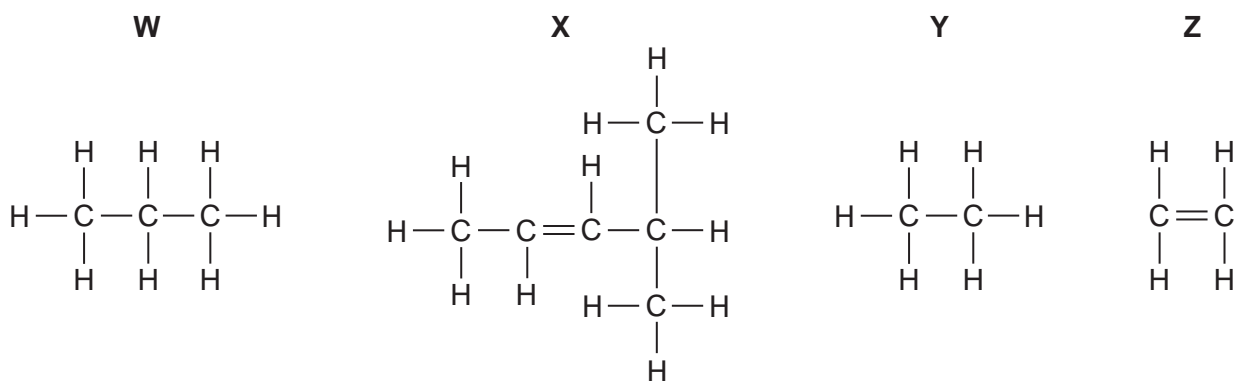


Fig. 9.2

- (i) State which diagram, **W**, **X**, **Y** or **Z**, represents one molecule of ethene.

..... [1]



- (ii) State and explain which of the diagrams, **W**, **X**, **Y** or **Z**, represent molecules that are **unsaturated**.

diagrams .....

explanation .....

..... [2]

- (c) When gaseous ethene is heated and pressurised, a white solid known as poly(ethene) is produced.

- (i) Describe briefly what occurs when ethene molecules react to form poly(ethene). You may wish to draw a simple diagram of a poly(ethene) molecule, using the symbol  $\text{E}$  to represent ethene.

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..... [2]

- (ii) State the full name of the type of chemical reaction that occurs to form poly(ethene).

..... [2]

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10 (a) Draw a straight line from each radiation to its correct use.

radiation	used for
$\gamma$ (gamma) rays	killing cancer cells
X-rays	night vision glasses
	photographing bones

[2]

(b) X-rays and  $\gamma$ -rays are both examples of ionising radiation.

Explain what is meant by the term *ionising radiation*.

.....  
..... [1]

(c) Some countries use nuclear fission in electricity power stations.

What is meant by the term *nuclear fission*?

.....  
..... [2]

- (d) The stages that take place in a nuclear power station generating electricity are shown in Table 10.1 below.

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Put the stages in the correct sequence by adding numbers 1, 3, 5 and 7 to the right hand column.

**Table 10.1**

stage	sequence
A chain reaction happens in the core.	
A generator is turned.	
A turbine turns.	<b>6</b>
Electrical energy is generated.	<b>8</b>
Steam is produced.	
Thermal energy is produced.	<b>2</b>
Thermal energy is removed from core.	
Water is heated.	<b>4</b>

[3]

- (e) Which of these statements about the generation of electricity from nuclear fuel are correct?

Tick (✓) the **two** correct statements.

no carbon dioxide is produced

no dangerous waste is produced

no fossil fuels are used

no problems with the radioactive waste

no thermal energy is wasted

[2]

- (f) A teacher demonstrated how the count rate detected by a Geiger-Müller tube depends on the distance between the front of the tube and a radioactive  $\alpha$  (alpha) source.

Fig. 10.1 shows how the equipment was set up.

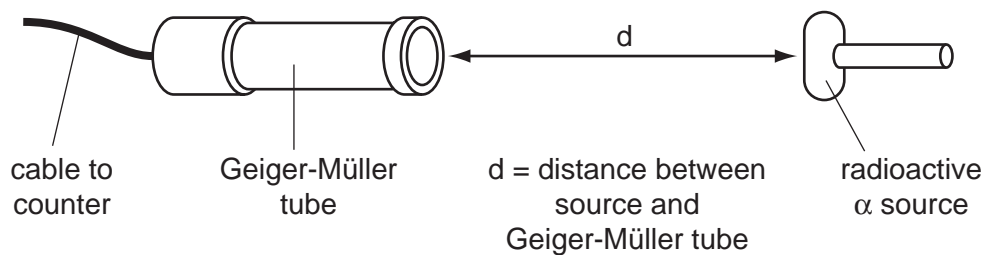


Fig. 10.1

Fig. 10.2 shows a graph of the results of the experiment.

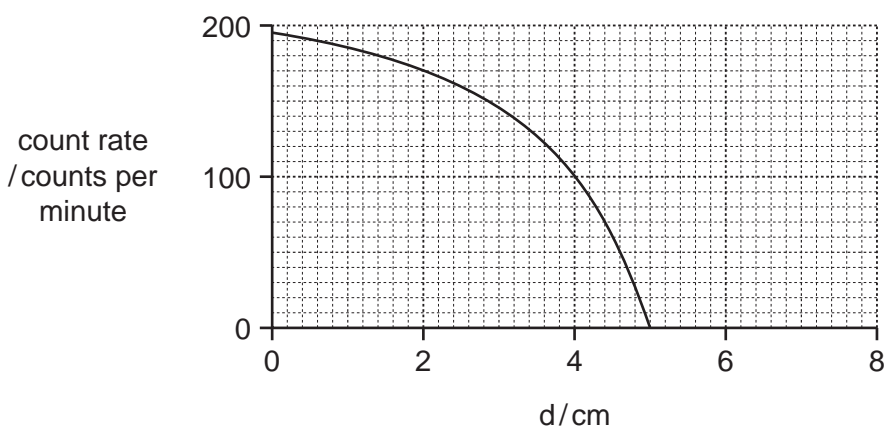


Fig. 10.2

- (i) State the range of the alpha particles. .... cm [1]
- (ii) Describe how you would use the apparatus to obtain these results.

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..... [3]

(iii) Before carrying out the experiment the teacher discussed how to reduce her exposure to radiation.

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Which idea below would **not** help reduce the radiation exposure of the teacher during the experiment? Explain your answer.

**idea 1** Hold the source with long tongs and wear gloves.

**idea 2** Place a lead shield between the source and the teacher.

**idea 3** Wear a photographic badge that detects radiation.

idea ..... because .....

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..... [2]

11 Fig. 11.1 shows a food chain. The arrows show how energy flows from one organism to another, along the chain.

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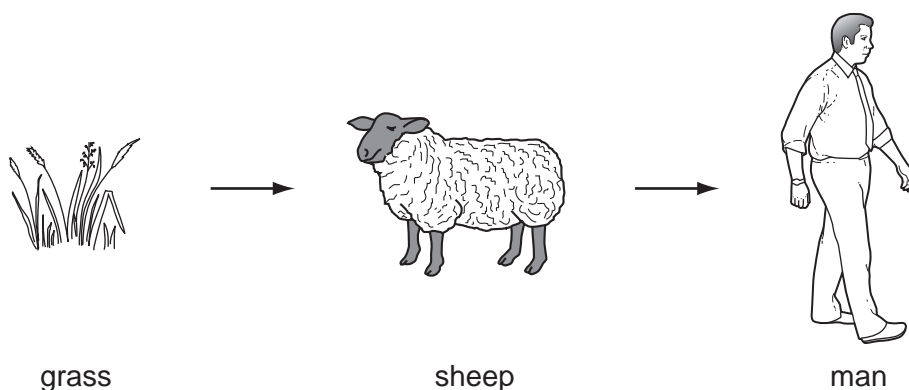


Fig. 11.1

(a) Energy enters the food chain as sunlight. Plant leaves use this energy to make food.

(i) Name the substance in the leaves of a plant that absorbs this energy.

..... [1]

(ii) Name the **two** raw materials that the plant uses to make food.

1 ..... 2 ..... [2]

(iii) Name the gas released from plant leaves during this process.

..... [1]

(b) A sheep is a herbivore.

Define the term *herbivore*.

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..... [2]

(c) Meat from the sheep contains protein.

Describe the importance of protein in the diet.

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..... [2]

(d) In the cells of the plant, sheep and man, useful energy is released from the food by respiration. Some of the energy is released as heat.

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Explain why the following changes occur when the man's body temperature rises too high.

The arterioles near the surface of his skin dilate.

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His sweat glands produce more sweat.

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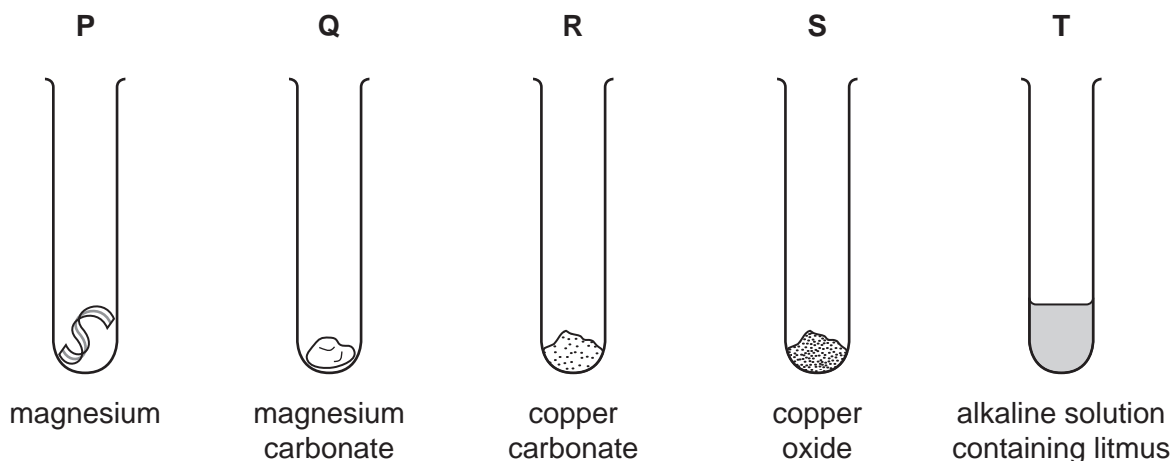
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- 12 (a) A student added a solution of the same dilute acid to each of the test-tubes **P** to **T** shown in Fig. 12.1.

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**Fig. 12.1**

Complete Table 12.1 by matching the test-tubes, **P**, **Q**, **R**, **S** and **T**, with the observations which are made when the dilute acid reacts with the contents.

Some of the observations could apply to more than one of the test-tubes. You may use each letter once, more than once or not at all.

**Table 12.1**

observations	test-tube(s)
The mixture turns red when excess acid has been added.	
A colourless gas is given off.	
A blue solution is formed.	
A colourless gas which pops when ignited is given off.	

[4]

- (b) The student used the apparatus shown in Fig. 12.2 to investigate neutralisation reactions involving three acids, **A**, **B** and **C**.

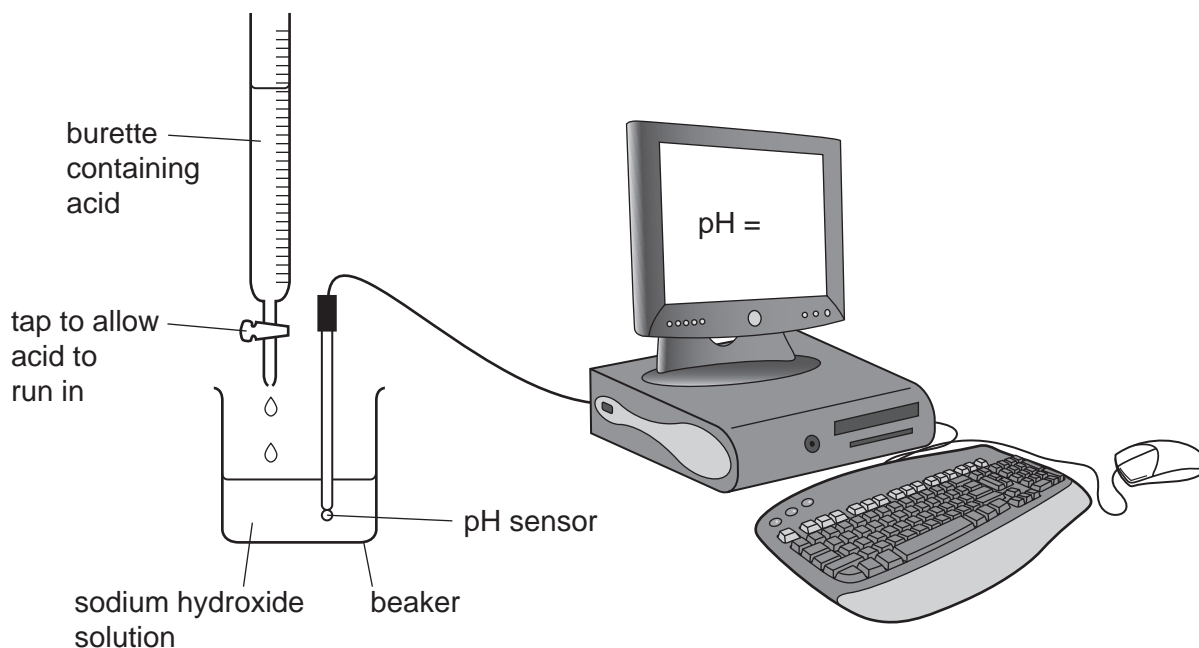


Fig. 12.2

In each experiment,  $25.0\text{ cm}^3$  of the same solution of sodium hydroxide were placed into a beaker. The tap on the burette was opened and acid was added slowly.

The measurements made by the pH sensor were displayed on the computer screen.

Some of the measurements from the three experiments are shown in Table 12.2.

Table 12.2

acid	source of acid	volume required to produce a neutral mixture / $\text{cm}^3$
<b>A</b>	sample taken from an acidic lake	42.0
<b>B</b>	sample taken from a car battery	15.0
<b>C</b>	acid from a chemical laboratory	60.0

- (i) Suggest a possible pH value of the alkali before any acid was added.

..... [1]

- (ii) State, with a reason, which acid **A**, **B** or **C**, had the highest concentration.

acid .....

reason .....

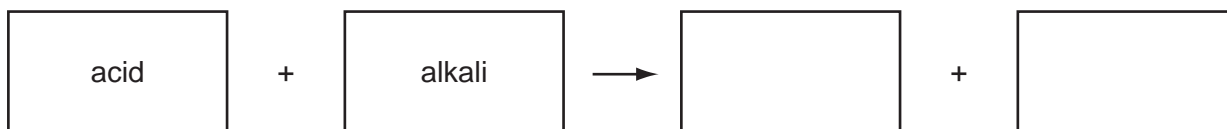
..... [1]

- (iii) The student noticed that in all three experiments, the temperature of the mixture increased as the acid was added.

Suggest why the temperature increased.

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 ..... [1]

- (iv) Complete the general word equation for the reaction which occurs between an acid and an alkali.



[2]

- (v) Sample **A** was taken from an acidic lake. Much of the acidity of the acidic lake is caused by sulfur dioxide gas dissolving and reacting with lake water.

State **two** possible sources of the sulfur dioxide, one natural and one the result of human activity.

natural .....

human activity .....

..... [2]

**DATA SHEET**  
**The Periodic Table of the Elements**

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		I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	0																										
7	<b>Li</b> Lithium 3	9	<b>Be</b> Beryllium 4	1	<b>H</b> Hydrogen 1	11	<b>B</b> Boron 5	12	<b>C</b> Carbon 6	14	<b>N</b> Nitrogen 7	16	<b>O</b> Oxygen 8	19	<b>F</b> Fluorine 9	20	<b>Ne</b> Neon 10																		
23	<b>Na</b> Sodium 11	24	<b>Mg</b> Magnesium 12	27	<b>Fe</b> Iron 26	27	<b>Co</b> Cobalt 27	28	<b>Ni</b> Nickel 28	29	<b>Cu</b> Copper 29	30	<b>Zn</b> Zinc 30	31	<b>Ga</b> Gallium 31	32	<b>Ge</b> Germanium 32	33	<b>As</b> Arsenic 33	34	<b>Se</b> Selenium 34	35	<b>Br</b> Bromine 35	36	<b>Kr</b> Krypton 36										
39	<b>K</b> Potassium 19	40	<b>Ca</b> Calcium 20	41	<b>Sc</b> Scandium 21	42	<b>Ti</b> Titanium 22	43	<b>V</b> Vanadium 23	44	<b>Cr</b> Chromium 24	45	<b>Mn</b> Manganese 25	46	<b>Fe</b> Iron 26	47	<b>Co</b> Cobalt 27	48	<b>Ni</b> Nickel 28	49	<b>Cu</b> Copper 29	50	<b>Zn</b> Zinc 30	51	<b>Ga</b> Gallium 31	52	<b>Ge</b> Germanium 32	53	<b>As</b> Arsenic 33	54	<b>Se</b> Selenium 34	55	<b>Br</b> Bromine 35	56	<b>Kr</b> Krypton 36
85	<b>Rb</b> Rubidium 37	86	<b>Sr</b> Strontium 38	87	<b>Y</b> Yttrium 39	88	<b>Zr</b> Zirconium 40	89	<b>Nb</b> Niobium 41	90	<b>Mo</b> Molybdenum 42	91	<b>Tc</b> Technetium 43	92	<b>Ru</b> Ruthenium 44	93	<b>Rh</b> Rhodium 45	94	<b>Pd</b> Palladium 46	95	<b>Ag</b> Silver 47	96	<b>Cd</b> Cadmium 48	97	<b>In</b> Indium 49	98	<b>Sn</b> Tin 50	99	<b>Sb</b> Antimony 51	100	<b>Te</b> Tellurium 52	101	<b>I</b> Iodine 53	102	<b>Xe</b> Xenon 54
133	<b>Cs</b> Caesium 55	137	<b>Ba</b> Barium 56	138	<b>La</b> Lanthanum 57	139	<b>Ce</b> Cerium 58	140	<b>Pr</b> Praseodymium 59	141	<b>Nd</b> Neodymium 60	142	<b>Pm</b> Promethium 61	143	<b>Sm</b> Samarium 62	144	<b>Eu</b> Europium 63	145	<b>Gd</b> Gadolinium 64	146	<b>Tb</b> Terbium 65	147	<b>Dy</b> Dysprosium 66	148	<b>Ho</b> Holmium 67	149	<b>Er</b> Erbium 68	150	<b>Tm</b> Thulium 69	151	<b>Yb</b> Ytterbium 70	152	<b>Lu</b> Lutetium 71		
87	<b>Fr</b> Francium	226	<b>Ra</b> Radium	227	<b>Ac</b> Actinium	228	<b>Th</b> Thorium	229	<b>Pa</b> Protactinium	230	<b>U</b> Uranium	231	<b>Np</b> Neptunium	232	<b>Pu</b> Plutonium	233	<b>Am</b> Americium	234	<b>Cm</b> Curium	235	<b>Bk</b> Berkelium	236	<b>Cf</b> Californium	237	<b>Es</b> Einsteinium	238	<b>Fm</b> Fermium	239	<b>Md</b> Mendelevium	240	<b>No</b> Nobelium	241	<b>Lr</b> Lawrencium		

\* 58-71 Lanthanoid series  
† 90-103 Actinoid series

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Key  
a = relative atomic mass  
X = atomic symbol  
b = proton (atomic) number

The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm<sup>3</sup> at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).

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