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CHEMISTRY 0620/61

Paper 6 Alternative to Practical

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1 hour

You must answer on the question paper.

No additional materials are needed.

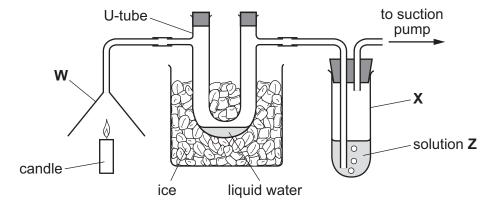
INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer all questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen. You may use an HB pencil for any diagrams or graphs.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
- Do not write on any bar codes.
- You may use a calculator.
- You should show all your working and use appropriate units.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 40.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].

1 The apparatus in the diagram was used to show that when a candle is burned both water and carbon dioxide are formed. The gases produced when the candle burns are passed through the apparatus using a suction pump.

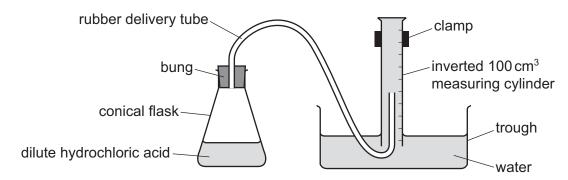


(a)	Name the items of apparatus labelled W and X .	
	w	
	x	
		[2]
(b)	Suggest why ice is placed around the U-tube.	
		[1]
(c)	Describe how to test the liquid collected in the U-tube to show it is water.	
		[1]
(d)	Solution Z is used to show that carbon dioxide is produced.	
	Identify solution Z .	
		[1]
(e)	Both water and carbon dioxide were made.	
	Identify one element that must be in the compound that makes up the candle.	
		[1]
(f)	Describe how the apparatus could be changed to see if sulfur dioxide is made. Give the observations if sulfur dioxide is made.	
	change	
	observation	[2
		LZ.

[Total: 8]

2 A student investigated the rate at which hydrogen gas is made when magnesium reacts with two different solutions of dilute hydrochloric acid, **C** and **D**, with different concentrations. The dilute hydrochloric acid was in excess in both experiments.

Two experiments were done using the apparatus shown.



Experiment 1

- A measuring cylinder was used to pour 50 cm³ of dilute hydrochloric acid **C** into a conical flask.
- The initial temperature of the dilute hydrochloric acid was measured using a thermometer.
- The apparatus was set up as shown in the diagram.
- The bung was removed from the conical flask and a coiled 5 cm length of magnesium ribbon was added to the flask. The bung was replaced immediately and a timer started.
- The volume of gas collected in the inverted measuring cylinder was recorded every 20 seconds for 160 seconds.
- The final temperature of the dilute hydrochloric acid in the flask was measured using a thermometer.

(a) Use the thermometer diagrams and the diagrams of inverted measuring cylinders to complete the tables.

ini	tial	fir	al
thermometer diagram	temperature/°C	thermometer diagram	temperature/°C
25 20		35 30	

time/s	20	40	60	80	100	120	140	160
diagrams of inverted measuring cylinder		07	09— 09— 02—	02—	001-	001	001 — 80	001
volume of gas collected / cm ³								

[2]

(b) Experiment 2

• Experiment 1 was repeated using 50 cm³ of dilute hydrochloric acid **D** instead of dilute hydrochloric acid **C**.

Use the thermometer diagrams and the diagrams of inverted measuring cylinders to complete the tables.

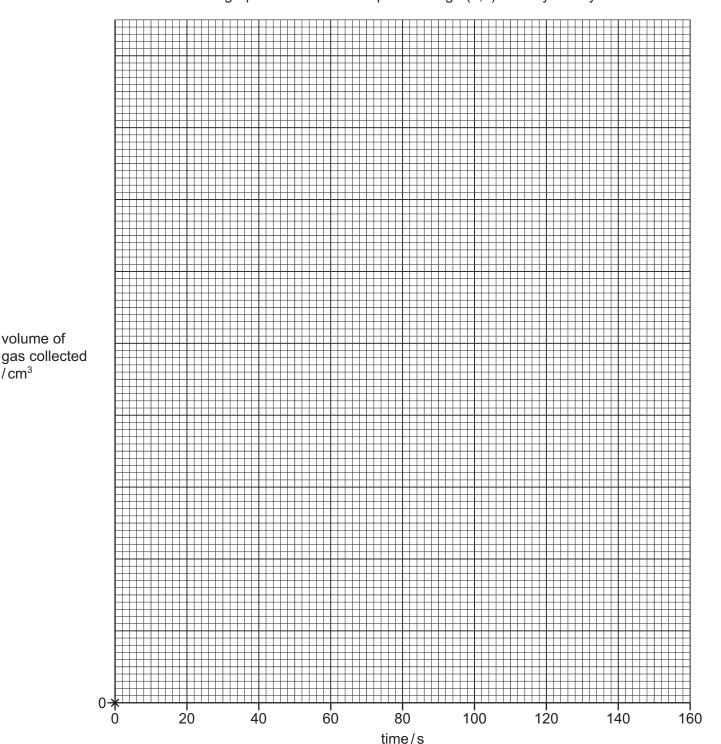
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volume of gas collected / cm ³								

[3]

(c) Complete a suitable scale on the y-axis and plot your results from Experiments 1 and 2 on the grid.

Draw **two** smooth line graphs. The lines must pass through (0,0). Clearly label your lines.



(d) From your graph, deduce the volume of gas that was collected after 50 seconds in Experiment 2.

Show clearly on the grid how you worked out your answer.

volume of

/cm³

volume of gas =[3]

[5]

(e)	hy	splain what can be deduced about the concentrations of dilute hydrochloric acid ${f C}$ and dilute drochloric acid ${f D}$.
		[2]
(f)	(i)	
	(ii)	State what effect this temperature change has on the total volume of gas made when the reaction has finished.
		[1]
	(iii)	Describe a change that can be made to the apparatus or reagents to reduce the temperature change of the acid in Experiment 1.
		[1]
(g)		uggest why it is important to replace the bung in the conical flask immediately after adding e magnesium ribbon.
		[1]
(h)		ate the advantage of measuring the volume of gas collected every 10 seconds rather than ery 20 seconds.
		[1]
		[Total: 20]

3 Solid **E** and solution **F** were analysed. Solid **E** was ammonium sulfate. Tests were done on each substance.

tests on solid E

Complete the expected observations.

Solid **E** was dissolved in water to form solution **E**. Solution **E** was divided into three approximately equal portions in one boiling tube and two test-tubes.

(a)	Aqueous sodium hydroxide was added to the first portion of solution E in a boiling tube. The mixture formed was warmed. Any gas produced was tested.
	observations
	identity of gas
	[2]
(b)	To the second portion of solution ${\bf E}$, about 1cm depth of dilute nitric acid followed by a few drops of aqueous silver nitrate were added.
	observations[1]
(c)	To the third portion of solution E , about 1 cm depth of dilute nitric acid followed by a few drops of aqueous barium nitrate were added.
	observations[1]

tests on solution F

tests	observations
Solution F was divided into two equal portions in two test-tubes.	
test 1	
A strip of universal indicator paper was placed in the first portion of solution F .	the universal indicator paper turned orange
test 2	
The second portion of solution F was added to solid sodium carbonate in a boiling tube.	effervescence and the solid disappeared
Any gas made was tested.	limewater turned milky

(d)	Deduce the pH of solution F .	
		[1]
(e)	Identify the positive ion in solution F .	
		[1]
	[Total	: 6]

A sample of muddy river water contains water, dissolved solids and insoluble solid mud.
Plan an investigation to find the concentration of dissolved solids, in g/dm³, in the river water.
In your answer state how you will work out the concentration of the dissolved solids in g/dm³.
You are provided with a small sample (less than 1dm^3) of muddy river water and common laborator apparatus. ($1\text{dm}^3 = 1000\text{cm}^3$)
TF.

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