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## Question 6 (4 marks)

a.  $4 \times P + 10 \times (-2) = 0 \therefore 4P = 20 \therefore P = +5$  (1 mark)

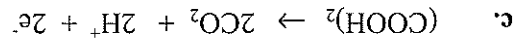
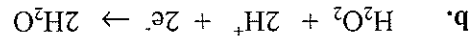
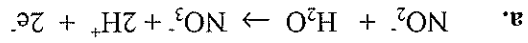
b.  $n(P) = m/M = 1.0 \div (4 \times 31) = 8.06 \times 10^{-3}$  (1 mark)

$n(\text{CO})/n(P) = 10/1$  (1 mark)  $n(\text{CO}) = 10 \times 8.06 \times 10^{-3} = 8.06 \times 10^{-2}$

$n = V/V_m \therefore V(\text{CO}) = n \times V_m = 8.06 \times 10^{-2} \times 24.5 = 1.97 \text{ L}$  (1 mark)

## Question 7 (6 marks)

In each case award 1 mark for generally correct equation and 1 mark for correct balance.



## Question 8 (8 marks)

a.  $n(\text{AgNO}_3) = c \times V = 0.070 \times 0.100 = 0.0070 \text{ mol}$  (1 mark)

$n(\text{Na}_2\text{S}) = 0.075 \times 0.080 = 0.0060 \text{ mol}$  (1 mark)

Required mole ratio is 2:1  $\therefore$  only 0.0035 mol of  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}$  is required.  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}$  is in excess by

0.0025 mol (1 mark)

$M(\text{Na}_2\text{S}) = 78.1 \text{ g mol}^{-1} \therefore m(\text{Na}_2\text{S}) = 0.010 \times 78.1 = 0.781 \text{ g}$  (1 mark)

b.  $n(\text{Ag}_2\text{S}) = n(\text{Na}_2\text{S})_{\text{used}} = 0.0035 \text{ mol}$  (1 mark)

$M(\text{Ag}_2\text{S}) = 247.9 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$  (1 mark)  $\therefore m(\text{Ag}_2\text{S}) = n \times M = 0.0035 \times 247.9 = 0.868 \text{ g}$  (1 mark)

## Question 9 (7 marks)

a. i. pipette (1 mark) ii. burette (1 mark)

b. A base is a proton acceptor. (1 mark)

c.  $n(\text{HCl}) = 0.100 \times 24.4 \times 10^{-3} = 2.44 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$  (1 mark)

$n(\text{NaX})_{\text{in } 20.00 \text{ mL}} = n(\text{HCl}) = 2.44 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$  (1 mark)

$n(\text{NaX})_{\text{in } 100 \text{ mL}} = 5 \times 2.44 \times 10^{-3} = 1.22 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol}$  (1 mark)

$n = m/M \therefore M(\text{NaX}) = m/n = 1.0 \div (1.22 \times 10^{-2}) = 82.0 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$  (1 mark)

END OF SUGGESTED SOLUTIONS

## SECTION B

## Question 1 (6 marks)

- a. For HCl, if pH = 1.0,  $[H^+] = 10^{-pH} = 10^{-1.0} = 0.10 \text{ M}$  (1 mark)  
For citric acid, if pH = 1.6,  $[H^+] = 10^{-1.6} = 0.025 \text{ M}$  (1 mark)
- b. HCl is a strong acid (1 mark) and is virtually completely ionised. (1 mark) Citric acid, although triprotic, is a weak acid (1 mark) and only a relatively small proportion of molecules are ionised at any point in time. (1 mark)

## Question 2 (6 marks)

- a.  $Ba(OH)_2(aq) + H_2SO_4(aq) \rightarrow BaSO_4(s) + 2H_2O(l)$  (2 marks – one for correct formulae and one for balance). Deduct one mark if states are not included.
- b. Precipitation (1 mark)
- c. i. Conductivity is caused by ions being able to move freely in solution. (1 mark)  
ii. In the first section, the conductivity drops as the precipitate forms and ions are removed from the solution. (1 mark) Eventually, all the barium ions have reacted and the further addition of sulfuric acid simply adds more ions to the solution. (1 mark)

## Question 3 (2 marks)

- a.  $H_2O(aq) + CH_3COO^-(aq) \rightleftharpoons OH^-(aq) + CH_3COOH(aq)$  (1 mark)
- b.  $H_2O(aq) + NH_4^+(aq) \rightleftharpoons H_3O^+(aq) + NH_3(aq)$  (1 mark)

## Question 4 (4 marks)

- a.  $2.0 \text{ g per } 250 \text{ mL} = 2.0 \times 10^3 \text{ mg per } 250 \text{ mL} = 8.0 \times 10^3 \text{ mg/L}$  (1 mark)
- b.  $\% (m/V) = \text{g per } 100 \text{ mL} \therefore 2.0 \text{ g per } 250 \text{ mL is } 0.8 \text{ g per } 100 \text{ mL} = 0.80 \% (m/V)$  (1 mark)
- c.  $n(\text{NaCl}) = m / M = 2.0 / 58.5 = 0.0342 \text{ mol}$  (1 mark)  
 $C = n / V = 0.0342 / 0.250 = 0.137 \text{ M or mol L}^{-1}$  (1 mark)

## Question 5 (7 marks)

- a.  $C(s) + O_2(g) \rightarrow CO_2(g)$  (1 mark)  
 $2C_8H_{18}(l) + 25O_2(g) \rightarrow 16CO_2(g) + 18H_2O(g)$  (1 mark)  
 $CO_2$  is being trapped by the Earth's atmosphere to create a greenhouse effect. (1 mark)
- b. i. The  $CO_2$  is bubbled into limewater. If the limewater solution turns milky (formation of a white precipitate), the gas is  $CO_2$ . (1 mark)  
ii.  $Ca(OH)_2(aq) + CO_2(g) \rightarrow CaCO_3(s) + H_2O(l)$  (1 mark) (Do not penalise states here.)
- c. Dry ice, some fire extinguishers, carbonated drinks etc. (1 mark for each; maximum of 2)

Use this page as an overlay for marking the multiple choice answer sheets. Simply photocopy the page onto an overhead projector sheet. The correct answers are open boxes below. Students should have shaded their answers. Therefore, any open box with shading inside it is correct and scores 1 mark.

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SECTION A (Total 20 marks)

1.	B	2.	A	3.	A	4.	D	5.	B
6.	B	7.	A	8.	C	9.	D	10.	D
11.	D	12.	B	13.	C	14.	C	15.	D
16.	D	17.	B	18.	B	19.	D	20.	A

Comments for Section A answers

**Question 1**  
 Flocculation enables small suspended particles to join together so that they can settle and be filtered out. Most of the particles consist of hydroxide precipitates such as  $Al(OH)_3$ . This requires that the particles must settle and be filtered out. **Correct answer: B**

**Question 2**  
 Carbon dioxide is much less acidic than nitrogen dioxide. The other two gases do not have acid/base properties. **Correct answer: A**

**Question 3**  
 Ammonia is the only base in the set – all the others are acidic. **Correct answer: A**

**Question 4**  
 $n(CO) / n(O_2) = 2$  therefore 3 mol of CO would require only 1.5 mol of  $O_2$  leaving 0.5 mol of  $O_2$  unreacted. **Correct answer: D**

**Question 5**  
 $n(S) = m / M = 8.00 / 32.1 = 0.249$  mol.  $n = V / V_m$ .  $V = n \times 24.5$  (at SLC) =  $0.249 \times 24.5$  L = 6.11 L. **Correct answer: B**

**Question 6**  
 Chlorine is widely used in keeping water free of micro-organisms. **Correct answer: B**

**Question 7**  
 The new  $[OH^-] = 0.200 \times 50 / 2000 = 0.0050$  M  
 $pOH = -\log_{10} [OH^-] = -\log_{10} 0.0050 = 2.3$   $\therefore pH = 14 - 2.3 = 11.7$  **Correct answer: A**

**Question 8**  
 $M(CuSO_4 \cdot 5H_2O) = 249.6$  g mol<sup>-1</sup>.  $n(CuSO_4 \cdot 5H_2O) = c \times V = 0.080 \times 1.50 = 0.12$  mol.  
 $m(CuSO_4 \cdot 5H_2O) = n \times M = 0.12 \times 249.6 = 30$  g **Correct answer: C**

**Question 9**  
 32 g of  $O_2$  is one mole of  $O_2$  molecules i.e.  $6.0 \times 10^{23}$  molecules. **Correct answer: D**

**Question 10**  
 Each cluster (formula unit) of  $FeCl_3$  has 4 ions. 2.0 mol has  $2.0 \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$  clusters. Therefore the number of ions is  $4 \times 2.0 \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ . **Correct answer: D**

**Question 11**  
 $HPO_4^{2-}$  ions accept  $H^+$  ions from water to form  $OH^-$  ions according to  
 $H_2O(aq) + H_2PO_4^-(aq) \rightleftharpoons OH^-(aq) + H_3PO_4(aq)$   
 causing the pH to be greater than 7. At 9.5 the solution is basic. **Correct answer: D**

**Question 12**  
 $PV = nRT$   $\therefore V = nRT/P$   
 On the top line, T changes by 673/473 i.e. approx 1.42  
 On the bottom line, P changes by 400/200 = 2  
 Overall the volume decreases. **Correct answer: B**  
 (Could also use  $P_1V_1/T_1 = P_2V_2/T_2$ )

**Question 13**  
 At high pressure and low temperature, gas particles are less likely to behave independently. **Correct answer: C**

**Question 14**  
 Zinc is a reductant (zinc atoms lose electrons) and the copper ions (oxidant) are reduced to copper on the surface of the zinc. **Correct answer: C**

**Question 15**  
 Refer to the electrochemical series (ES). A spontaneous reaction is predicted if the oxidant is higher in the ES than the reductant. The only combination where this is true is  $Sn^{2+}$  (oxidant) / Ni (reductant). **Correct answer: D**

**Question 16**  
 $Na_2Cr_2O_7$  consists of ions i.e.  $Na^+$  and  $Cr_2O_7^{2-}$   
 In  $Cr_2O_7^{2-}$ , if x = oxidation number of chromium,  $2x + 7(-2) = -2$  then  $2x - 14 = -2$  and  $x = +6$ . **Correct answer: D**

**Question 17**  
 $n(CaCO_3) = 10 / 100 = 0.10$  mol;  $n(HCl) = 2 \times n(CaCO_3) = 0.20$  mol  
 $C = n / V$   $\therefore V = n / C = 0.20 / 2.0 = 0.10$  L = 100 mL **Correct answer: B**

**Question 18**  
 The HCl virtually completely ionises in aqueous solution to produce ions.  
 $HCl(g) + H_2O(l) \rightarrow H_3O^+(aq) + Cl^-(aq)$ . Hence the acid is highly conducting. **Correct answer: B**

**Question 19**  
 Conversion of  $O_3(g)$  into  $O_2(g)$  does not involve a change in oxidation numbers. All the other reactions are redox reactions. **Correct answer: D**

**Question 20**  
 Reducing agents (reductants) are oxidised. Oxidation involves an increase in oxidation number. In answer A the oxidation number of C in CO is +2 but in  $CO_2$  the oxidation number of C is +4. **Correct answer: A**