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### Q1.

A student investigates a potassium salt, X.

She finds that salt X:

- has a high melting point
- does not conduct electricity when it is solid
- dissolves in water and the solution does conduct electricity.
- (a) What is the type of bonding in salt **X**?

Tick one box.

Covalent	
Giant molecular	
Ionic	
Metallic	

- (b) What is the name given to solutions that conduct electricity?
- (c) Why does a solution of salt X in water conduct electricity?

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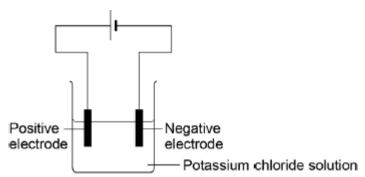
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(d) The student electrolyses a solution of potassium chloride.

Figure 1 shows the apparatus she uses.

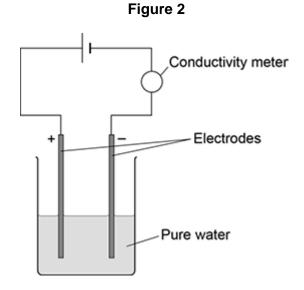




When the current is switched on, bubbles of hydrogen gas are given off at the negative electrode.
Explain why hydrogen is produced and <b>not</b> potassium.

(e) The student then compares the relative conductivity of different concentrations of potassium chloride.

Figure 2 shows the apparatus she uses.



This is the method used.

- 1. Add potassium chloride solution to the water one drop at a time.
- 2. Stir the mixture.
- 3. Record the reading on the conductivity meter.

The table below shows the student's results.

Number of drops of potassium chloride solution	Relative conductivity of solution
0	0
1	90
2	180

3	270
4	360
5	450
6	540

When there is no potassium chloride in the beaker no electrical charge flows.

Suggest why pure water does **not** conduct electricity.

(f) Describe the relationship shown in the table above.

(2) (Total 9 marks)

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### Q2.

A student investigated displacement reactions of metals.

The student added different metals to copper sulfate solution and measured the temperature change.

The more reactive the metal is compared with copper, the bigger the temperature change.

The apparatus the student used is shown in Figure 1.

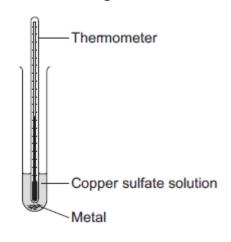
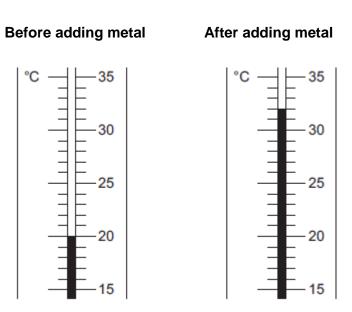


Figure 1

(a) State **three** variables that the student must control to make his investigation a fair test.

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(b) **Figure 2** shows the thermometer in one experiment before and after the student added a metal to the copper sulfate solution.



#### Figure 2

Use Figure 2 to complete Table 1.

Table	1
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Temperature before adding metal in °C	
Temperature after adding metal in °C	
Change in temperature in °C	

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(c) The student repeated the experiment three times with each metal.

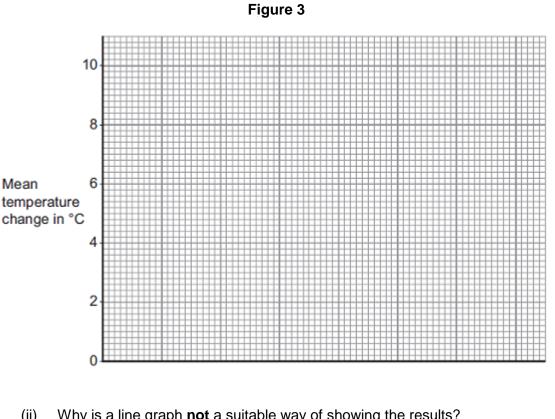
**Table 2** shows the mean temperature change for each metal.

Table 2

Metal	Mean temperature change in °C
Cobalt	4.5

Gold	0.0
Magnesium	10.0
Nickel	3.0
Silver	0.0
Tin	1.5

(i) On Figure 3, draw a bar chart to show the results.



(ii) Why is a line graph not a suitable way of showing the results?

(iii) Use the results to work out which metal is the most reactive.

Give a reason for your answer.

Most reactive metal \_\_\_\_\_

Reason \_\_\_\_\_

(iv) Explain why there was no temperature change when silver metal was added to the copper sulfate solution.

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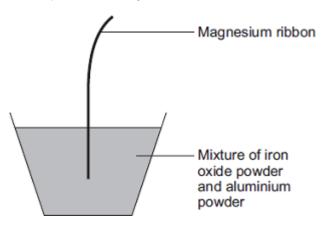
(v) It is **not** possible to put all six metals in order of reactivity using these results.

Suggest how you could change the experiment to be able to put all six metals into order of reactivity.



#### Q3.

The diagram shows one way of producing iron.



Iron oxide reacts with aluminium to produce iron.

The symbol equation for the reaction is:

 $Fe_2O_3 + 2 AI \longrightarrow 2 Fe + Al_2O_3$ 

(a) (i) Complete the word equation for this reaction.

iron oxide + aluminium -----> iron + \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) The magnesium ribbon is lit to start the reaction.

Why does the burning magnesium ribbon start the reaction?

(1)

(b) In industry, iron is produced in the blast furnace when iron oxide is heated with carbon.

The iron from the blast furnace is called cast iron.

Cast iron contains carbon.

The diagrams show the structure of pure iron and cast iron.



Pure iron

Cast iron

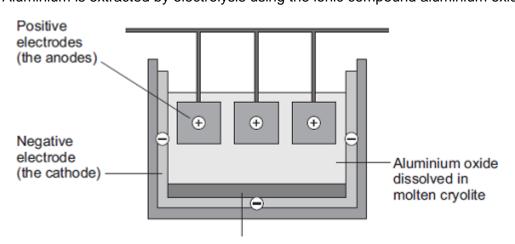
Use the diagrams to help you answer the questions.

(i) Draw a ring around the correct answer to complete the sentence.

	contains only one sort of atom.
Pure iron is an element because pure iron	is magnetic.
	is a metal.

(ii) Suggest why cast iron is harder than pure iron.

(c) Aluminium is extracted by electrolysis using the ionic compound aluminium oxide.



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#### Molten aluminium

(i)	Aluminium <b>cannot</b> be extracted by heating aluminium oxide with carbon. Suggest why.
(ii)	Why is aluminium oxide dissolved in molten cryolite?
(iii)	Aluminium metal is produced at the negative electrode (cathode).
	Complete the half equation for the process.
	$AI^{3+}$ + $e^- \longrightarrow AI$
(iv)	Use the half equation to state why Al <sup>3+</sup> ions are reduced.
(v)	Explain why the positive electrodes (anodes) burn away.
	Use your knowledge of the products of electrolysis to help you.

(Total 13 marks)

Limestone is used as a building material. Acid rain erodes limestone.

 Limestone contains calcium carbonate. The symbol equation for the reaction of calcium carbonate with hydrochloric acid is shown.

 $CaCO_3(s) + 2HCI(aq) \rightarrow CaCI_2(aq) + H_2O(I) + CO_2(g)$ 

Describe a test to show that carbon dioxide is produced in this reaction.

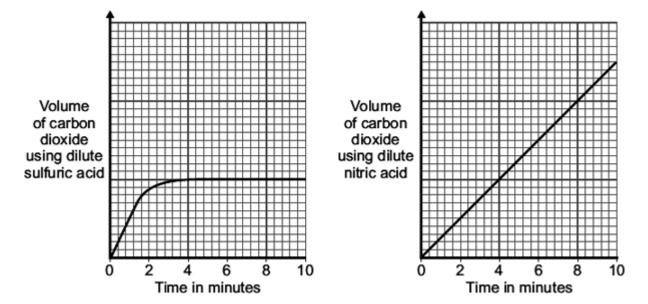
Give the result of the test.

(b) Gases from vehicle exhausts produce sulfuric acid and nitric acid.

A student investigated the reaction of these two acids with calcium carbonate (limestone).

The type of acid was changed but all other variables were kept the same. The student measured the volume of carbon dioxide produced each minute for a total of 10 minutes. He did this first for the reaction between dilute sulfuric acid and a cube of calcium carbonate (limestone).

The student repeated the experiment using dilute nitric acid in place of the dilute sulfuric acid.



The results are shown below.

(i) State **two** variables that must be kept the same for this investigation.

(2)

(i) Reacting calcium carbonate with sulfuric acid gave different results to nitric acid.

The symbol equations for the reaction of calcium carbonate with sulfuric acid and with nitric acid are shown below.

CaCO <sub>3</sub> (s)	+	$H_2SO_4(aq)$	$\rightarrow$	CaSO <sub>4</sub> (s)	+	H <sub>2</sub> O(I)	+	CO <sub>2</sub> (g)
CaCO <sub>3</sub> (s)	+	2HNO₃(aq)	$\rightarrow$	Ca(NO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> (aq)	+	H <sub>2</sub> O(I)	+	CO <sub>2</sub> (g)

Describe how the results for sulfuric acid are different **and** use the symbol equations to explain this difference.

## Mark schemes

# Q1.

(a)	Ionic	1
(b)	electrolyte	1
(c)	because the ions are free to flow	1
(d)	because potassium is higher in the reactivity series than hydrogen	1
	so it is less easily discharged than hydrogen	1
(e)	because water is covalent / molecular / contains molecules	1
	so there are no free electrons to move <b>or</b> does not have an overall electrical charg	e 1
(f)	conductivity of the solution increases with concentration	1
	in a linear relationship <b>or</b> directly proportional	1

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# Q2.

(a)	any <b>three</b> from:	
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	•	concentration of (salt) solution volume of (salt) solution	
	•	ignore amount of solution initial temperature (of the solution)	
	•	ignore room temperature surface area / form of metal moles of metal allow mass / amount ignore time	
		ignore size of tube	3
(b)	20		1
	32		1
	12	allow ecf	
			1
(c)	(i)	four bars of correct height	

		tolerance is + / - half square 3 correct for <b>1</b> mark		
		3 conection i mark	2	
		bars labelled	1	
	(ii)	one variable is non-continuous / categoric		
		accept qualitative or discrete accept no values between the metals	1	
	(iii)	magnesium	1	
		because biggest temperature change		
		accept gives out most energy ignore rate of reaction		
		dependent on first mark	1	
	(iv)	does not react / silver cannot displace copper	1	
		because silver not more reactive (than copper) <b>or</b> silver below copper in reactivity series		
		do <b>not</b> accept silver is less reactive than copper sulfate	1	
	(v)	replace the copper sulfate		
		could be implied	1	
		with any compound of a named metal less reactive than copper allow students to score even if use an insoluble salt		
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Q3.				
(a)	(i)	aluminium oxide		
		ignore (III) after aluminium	1	
	(ii)	(because it provides) heat / energy (to overcome activation energy)	1	
(b)	(i)	contains only one sort of atom	1	
	(ii)	the atoms (in cast iron) are different sizes		
		any mention of molecules, maximum <b>1</b> mark		
		accept layers are distorted <b>or</b> structure is disrupted	1	
		which prevents the layers / rows sliding		
		accept an answer in terms of pure iron being softer than cast iron for both marks		
			1	

(c)	(i)	because aluminium is <u>more reactive</u> than carbon <i>'it' = aluminium must be a comparison between the elements</i>		
		or		
		because aluminium is above carbon in the reactivity series do <b>not</b> accept any comparison of the reactivity of aluminium and iron	1	
	(ii)	reduces / lowers the temperature for the process <b>or</b> lowers the operating temperature <b>or</b> allows ions to move <i>ignore any temperature values allow reduces the (effective) melting point (of Al</i> <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> )	1	
	(iii)	3	-	
	(11)	accept multiples	1	
	(iv)	electrons are gained (by Al <sup>3+</sup> )		
		ignore any numbers		
		ignore any reference to oxygen	1	
	(v)	electrodes are made of carbon		
		allow graphite / coke	1	
		oxygen is produced (at the positive electrode / anode) accept $2O^{2^-} \rightarrow O_2 + 4e^-$	Ĩ	
			1	
		so the electrodes react with the oxygen / are oxidised	1	
		producing carbon dioxide (gas) accept $C + O_2 \rightarrow CO_2$ for marking points 3 and 4.		
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Q4.				
(a)	lim	ewater <b>or</b> calcium hydroxide solution		
	(reacts with carbon dioxide and) turns cloudy / milky linked to first point			
		if no other mark awarded 'puts out lighted splint' gains <b>1</b> mark 1		
(b)	(i)	any <b>two</b> from:		
(-)	.,	<ul> <li>same volume / amount of the acids</li> </ul>		
		concentration of the acids		
		temperature		

- same surface area / size / mass / amount of calcium carbonate
- same measuring equipment
- (ii) any **three** from:
  - (after about 4 minutes) the sulfuric acid stops reacting or nitric acid continues to react
     accept more CO<sub>2</sub> with nitric acid at any time after 4 minutes
  - (initially) the reaction with sulfuric acid is faster
  - (the reaction stops) because calcium sulfate is a solid allow sulfuric acid produces a solid
  - (the reaction continues) because calcium nitrate is soluble / in solution / aqueous
     allow nitric acid produces an (aqueous) solution
  - because the calcium sulfate prevents the sulfuric acid reacting with the calcium carbonate
  - (the rate is faster) because sulfuric acid contains two hydrogens

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