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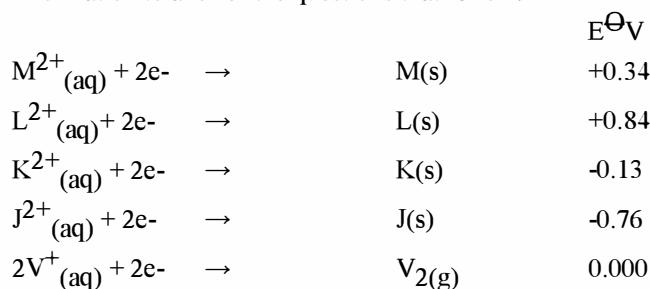
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CHEMISTRY**PAPER 2 (THEORY)****TIME: 2 HOURS**

1. Study the periodic table below and answer the questions that follow. The letters do not represent the actual symbols of the elements.

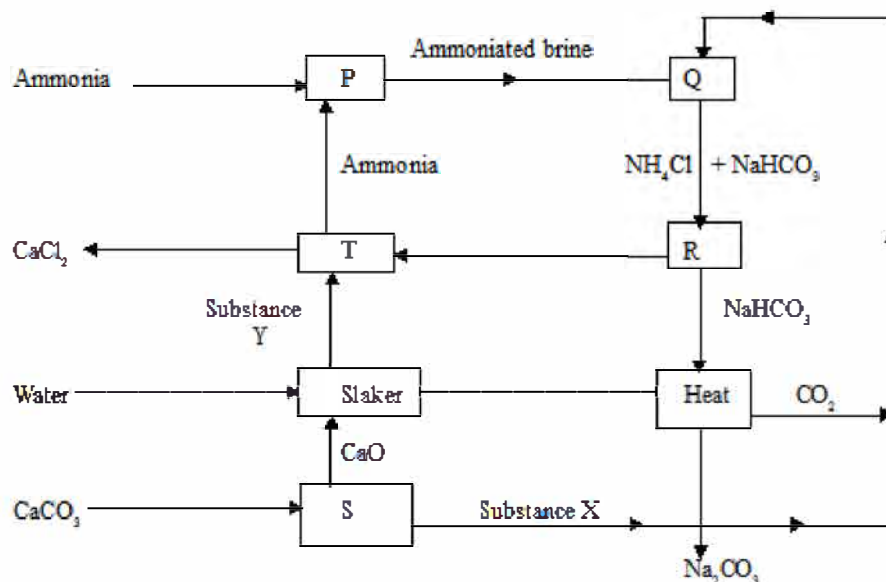
A							B	
C		Transition		D		X	E	F
G	H	Elements	I	J	K	L	M	N
●	P			●			R	S

- a) Name the chemical family to which the following elements belong
- C, G, O (½ mk)
 - B, F, N, S (½ mk)
- b) Classify elements H and M as either metals or non-metals.
- H - (½ mk)
- M - (½ mk)
- c) State one use of element.
- A (1mk)
- N - (1mk)
- d) Compare the atomic radius of G and H. (2mks)
- e) Ionic radius of R is larger than its atomic radius. Explain. (2mks)
- f) Write down the formula of the compound formed when element I reacts with element X. (1mk)
- g) Identify the strongest oxidising agent. Explain. (2mks)
- h) Write down the electron arrangement of:-
- Element P (½ mk)
 - Ion of E
- i) Identify an element with a charge of +2. (½ mk)
- j) Compare the first and second ionisation energies of element H. (2mks)
2. i) Define a binary electrolyte. (1mk)
- ii) The following are half-cell equations for some elements. The letters do not represent the actual symbols. Use the information to answer the questions that follow.

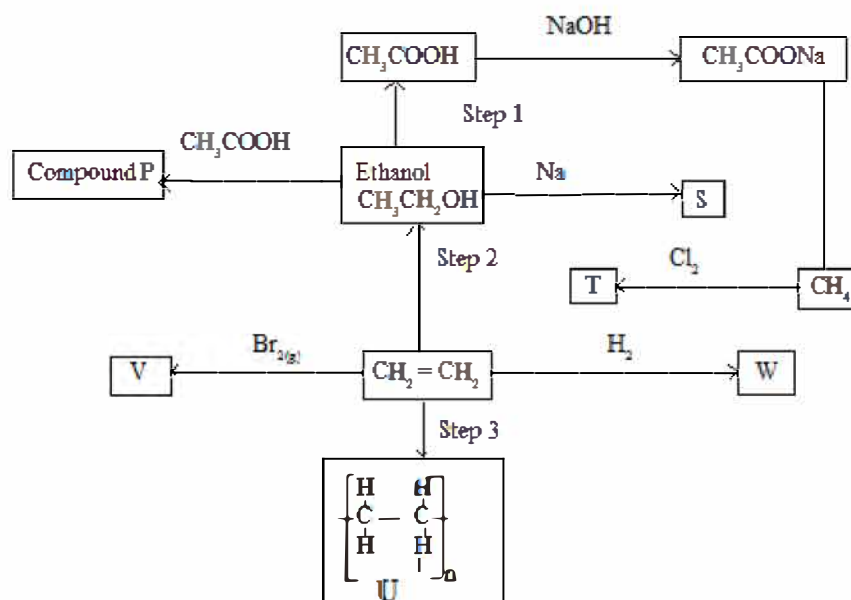


- Write down the E^{\ominus} value of the strongest reducing agent. (1mk)
- Select two half-cells that would produce the highest emf of a cell. (1mk)
- Calculate the emf of the cell in (b) above. (1mk)
- Give the cell diagram notation for the cell in (c) above. (1mk)
- What is element V? Explain. (2mks)
- State two functions of a salt bridge. (2mks)

3. Use the flow chart below to answer the questions that follow.

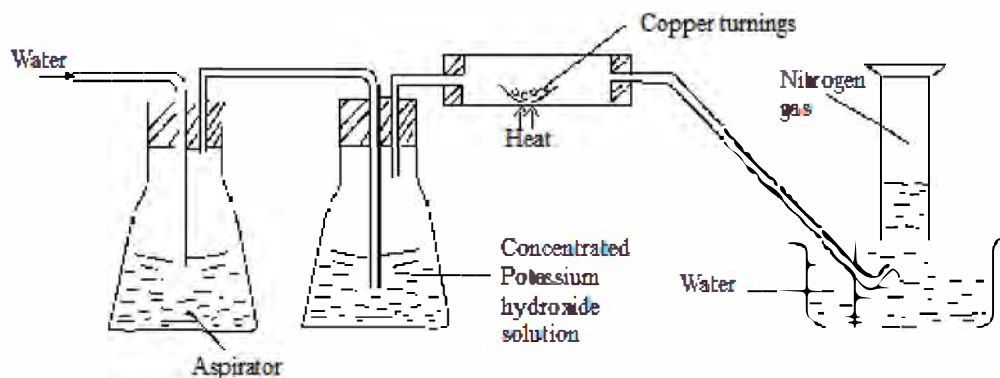


- Identify the substance labelled
 X - (1mk)
 Y - (1mk)
 - Name two substances being recycled in the process represented by the flow chart. (2mks)
 - Name the process that take place in
 S- (1mk)
 R - (1mk)
 - Give one uses of calcium chloride. (1mk)
 - Write down balanced chemical equations for the reactions that takes place in chambers
 Q - (1mk)
 T - (1mk)
 - Using ionic equations, explain how sodium carbonate can be used to soften hard water. (2mks)
 - Other than softening of hard water, give one other use of sodium carbonate. (1mk)
4. The flow chart below shows some chemical reactions.
- Use it to answer the questions that follow.

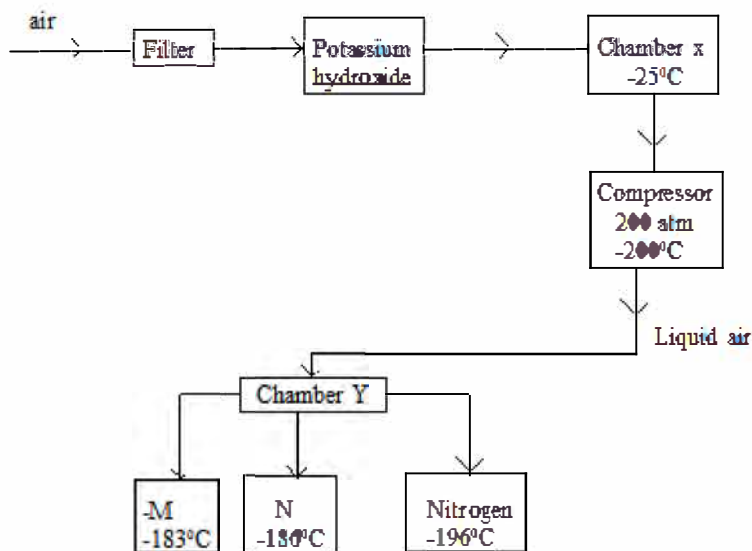


- Write the name and formula of the organic compounds P, V and W
 i) Name P (½ mk)
 Formula (½ mk)
 ii) Name V (½ mk)
 Formula (½ mk)
 iii) Name W (½ mk)
 Formula (½ mk)

- b) Write the name of the process that leads to the formation of substance (s) V, T, P (½ mk)
- c) Give one necessary condition for the formation of compound P. (1mk)
- d) If the relative molecular mass of compound U is 84,000 units, determine the value of n.
C = 12 O = 1.0 (2mks)
- e) Write the equation for the reaction leading to the formation of substance S. (1mk)
- f) State and explain the observation made when substance W and C_2H_4 are burnt in excess air. (2mks)
- g) Explain why an organic compound with formula C_3H_6 burns with a more sooty flame than C_3H_8 . (2mks)
5. Nitrogen gas can be obtained from air as shown below.

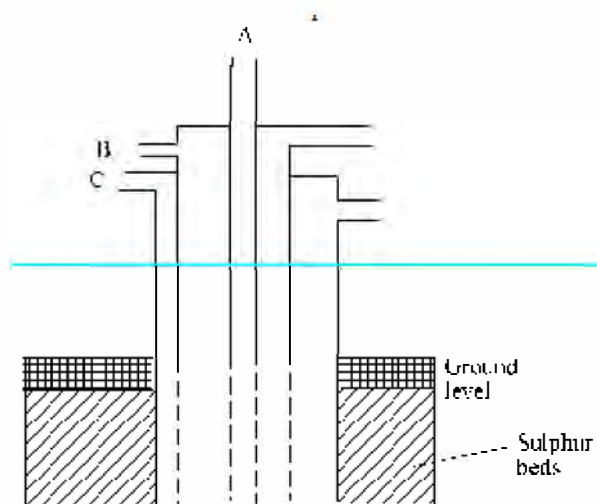


- a) What is the purpose of the following
- Potassium hydroxide solution? (1mk)
 - Copper turnings? (1mk)
- b) Why should water be pumped into the aspirator? (1mk)
- c) Name another substance that can be used in place of potassium hydroxide. (1mk)
- d) The nitrogen gas obtained above is not pure. Identify one gaseous impurity in the gas. (1mk)
- e) The flow chart below shows how pure nitrogen gas is obtained.



- What is the functions of the following chambers?
Filter (1mk)
Chamber X (1mk)
- Name the process that takes place in chamber Y. (1mk)
- Identify
M - (½ mk)
N - (½ mk)
- State two uses of nitrogen gas. (2mks)

6. The diagram below shows the extraction of sulphur.



- a) i) What name is given to the process above. (1mk)
 ii) State the uses of the pipes
 A (1mk)
 B (1mk)
 C (1mk)
- b) Give two crystalline allotropes of sulphur. (1mk)
- c) Write an equation for the combustion of sulphur. (1mk)
- d) Name the product formed when a mixture of sulphur and iron dust is heated. (1mk)
- e) Give two uses of sulphur. (2mks)
- f) 6.0dm^3 of sulphur (IV) oxide were oxidised by oxygen to sulphur (VI) oxide. (2mks)
 Write the equation for the reaction. (1mk)
7. 0.6g of Manganese (IV) oxide was placed in a flask and 25cm^3 of hydrogen peroxide added. The volume of oxygen gas produced was recorded after every 10 seconds. The results obtained were recorded in the table below.

Time (s)	0	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80
Volume (cm^3)	0	13.5	25	34.5	42.5	49	53	55	55

- a) Plot a graph of volume (cm^3) against time (sec). (3mks)
- b) From the graph, determine the volume of oxygen gas produced. (1mk)
- c) The experiment was repeated using more concentrated hydrogen peroxide.
 On the same axis; sketch the curve that was obtained. (2mks)
- d) Write an equation for catalytic decomposition of hydrogen peroxide. (1mk)
- e) Give the test for oxygen gas. (1 mk)
- f) State two uses of oxygen gas. (2 mk)