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CHEMISTRY

**Paper 1 Inorganic and Physical
Chemistry**

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MATERIALS

For this paper you must have:

- **the Periodic Table/Data Booklet, provided as an insert (enclosed)**
- **a ruler with millimetre measurements**
- **a scientific calculator, which you are expected to use where appropriate.**

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INSTRUCTIONS

- **Use black ink or black ball-point pen.**
- **Answer ALL questions.**
- **You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do NOT write on blank pages.**
- **If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).**
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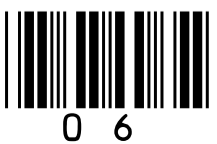
INFORMATION

- **The marks for questions are shown in brackets.**
- **The maximum mark for this paper is 105.**

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Answer ALL questions in the spaces provided.

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This question is about complexes of the transition metal chromium.

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State the meaning of the term transition metal complex. [1 mark]

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Cr(PF₃)₆ is a complex of chromium that contains molecules of PF₃

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The electron pair repulsion theory can be used to predict the shape of a PF₃ molecule.

On the opposite page, draw the shape of a PF₃ molecule.

Include any lone pairs of electrons that influence the shape.

Name the shape. [2 marks]



Shape

Name of shape _____

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Suggest why the oxidation state of chromium is zero in $\text{Cr}(\text{PF}_3)_6$ [1 mark]

The compound $[\text{Cr}(\text{NH}_3)_4\text{Cl}_2]\text{Cl}$ contains ammonia molecules.

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Deduce the oxidation state of chromium in $[\text{Cr}(\text{NH}_3)_4\text{Cl}_2]\text{Cl}$ [1 mark]



01.5

Name the type of bond between N and H in ammonia. [1 mark]

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The compound $[\text{Cr}(\text{NH}_3)_4\text{Cl}_2]\text{Cl}$ contains a complex ion that shows isomerism.

Draw the two isomers of the complex ion.

State the type of isomerism shown.

[3 marks]

Isomer 1

Isomer 2

Type of isomerism



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Complete the equation to show the formation of ONE complex that contains chromium in its +3 oxidation state.

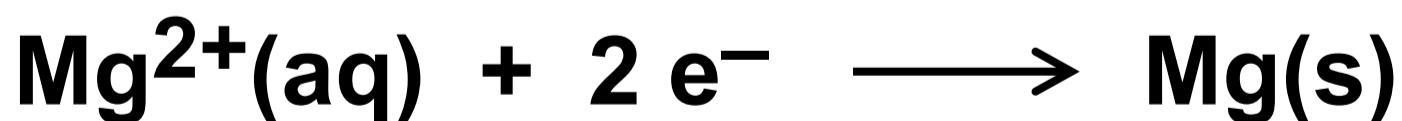
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FIGURE 1, on page 14, shows a cell used to measure the standard electrode potential for the half-cell

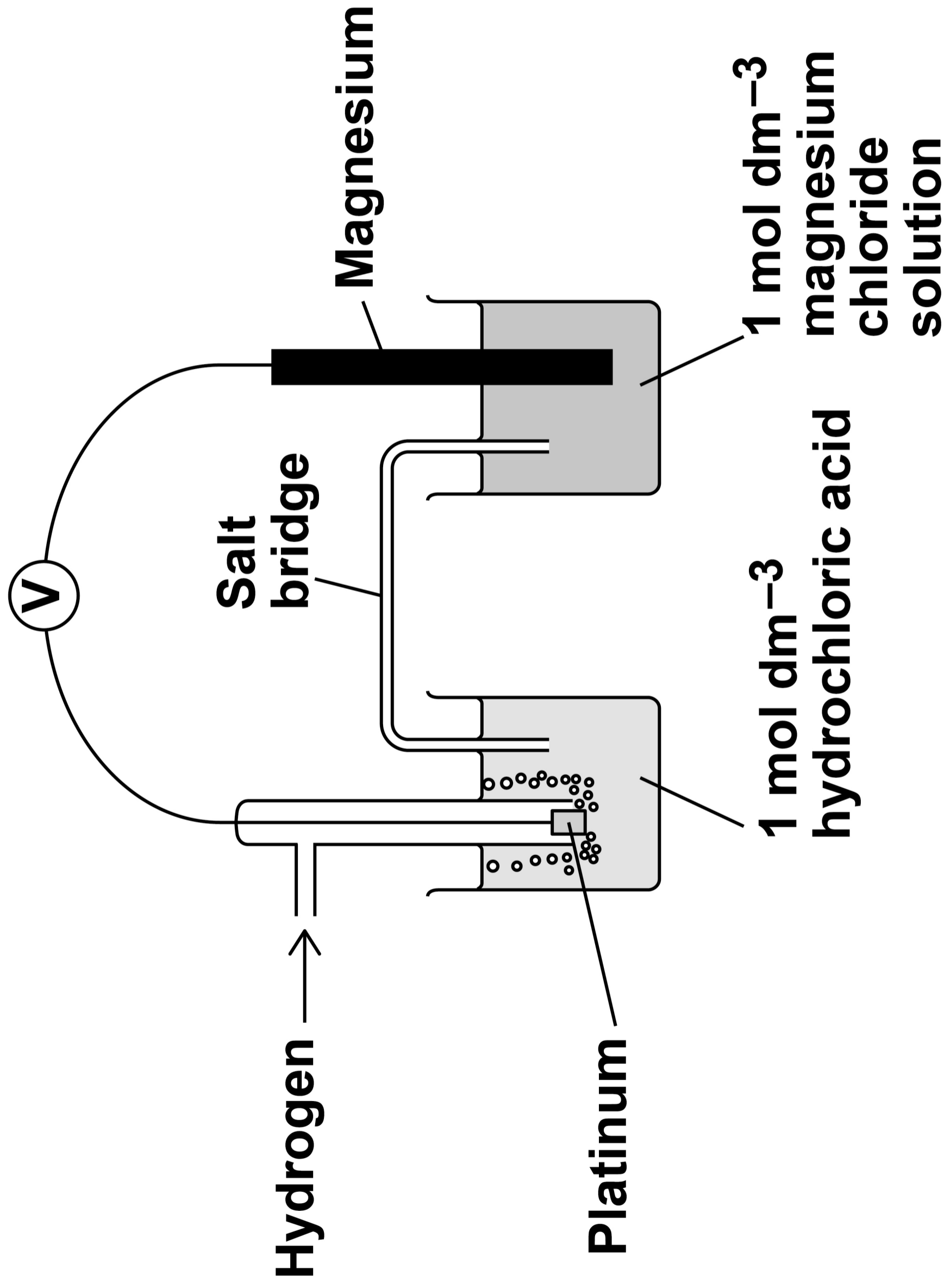


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FIGURE 1





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State the purpose of the salt bridge.

Identify an ionic compound that could be used in the salt bridge. [2 marks]

Purpose _____

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Identity _____

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State how, if at all, the EMF of this cell will change if the surface area of the platinum electrode is increased.

[1 mark]

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The standard electrode potential, E^\ominus for the half-cell is shown.





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Water is added to the beaker containing the magnesium chloride solution.

**What is the effect on the magnitude of the EMF of the cell?
[1 mark]**

Tick (✓) ONE box.

EMF increases

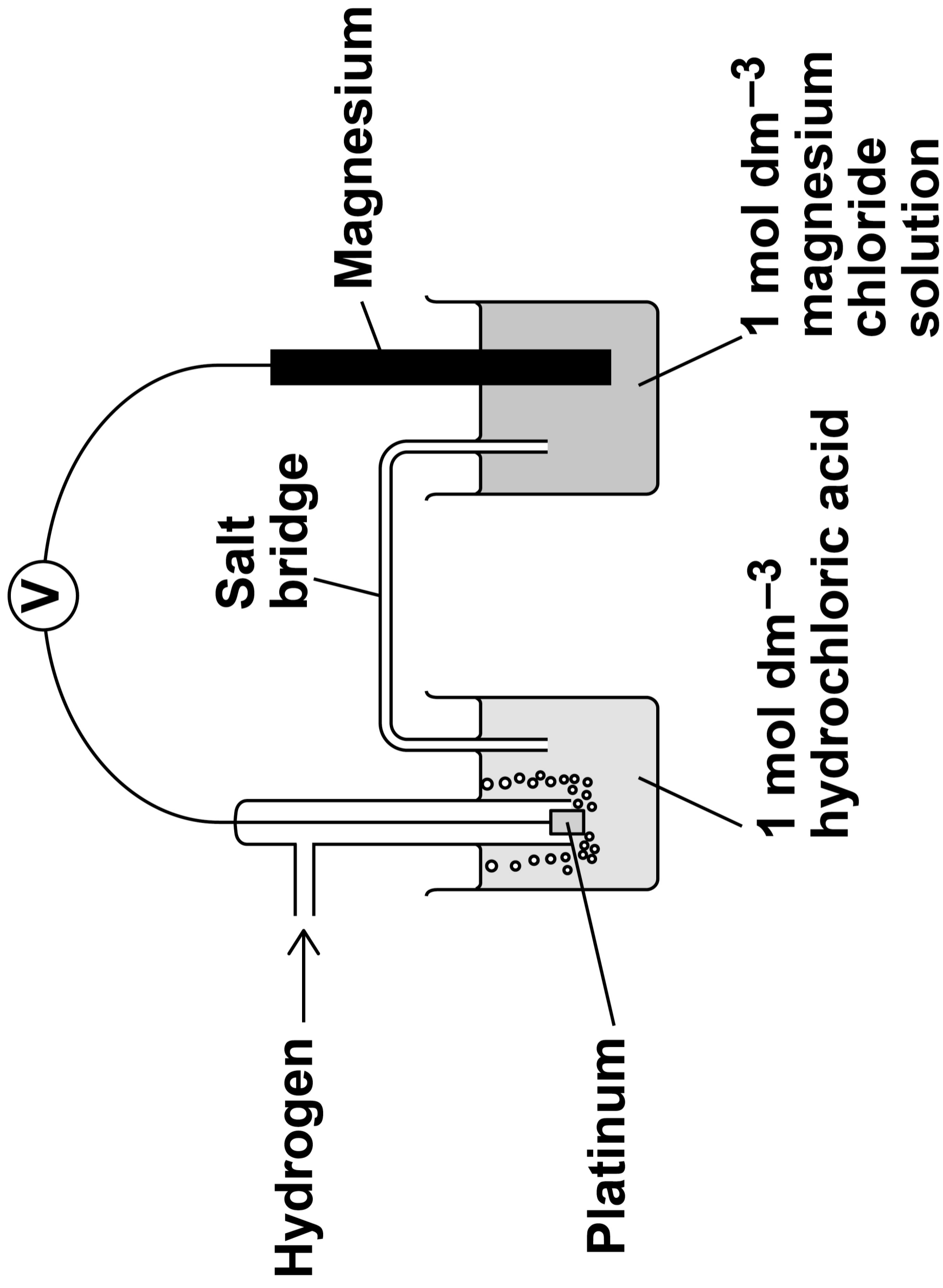
EMF stays the same

EMF decreases

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REPEAT OF FIGURE 1





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The voltmeter V shown in FIGURE 1 is replaced by a bulb.

Give an equation for the overall reaction that occurs when the cell is operating. [1 mark]

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This question is about Period 3 elements and their oxides.

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Give an equation for the reaction between phosphorus and an excess of oxygen. [1 mark]



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Give an equation for the reaction between sulfur dioxide and water. [1 mark]

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Give the displayed formula for the anion formed when sulfur trioxide reacts with water. [1 mark]

[Turn over]



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Give an equation for the reaction of magnesium with steam.

State one observation made. [2 marks]

Equation

Observation



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Give an equation to show how an excess of magnesium oxide reacts with phosphoric acid (H_3PO_4). [1 mark]

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Nitrogen dioxide decomposes at a high temperature.



$$\Delta H = +113 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$$

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A 0.317 mol sample of nitrogen dioxide is placed in a sealed flask and heated at a constant temperature until equilibrium is reached.

At equilibrium, the flask contains 0.120 mol of oxygen.

Calculate the mole fraction of each substance at equilibrium. [3 marks]



Mole fraction of NO₂ _____

Mole fraction of NO _____

Mole fraction of O₂ _____

[Turn over]



04.2

The total pressure in the flask in Question 04.1 is 120 kPa at equilibrium.

Calculate the partial pressure, in kPa, of NO_2

If you were unable to answer Question 04.1 you should assume that the mole fraction of NO_2 is 0.380. This is NOT the correct answer. [1 mark]

Partial pressure _____ kPa



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TABLE 1 shows the mole fractions of the three gases in a different equilibrium mixture.



$$\Delta H = +113 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$$

TABLE 1

GAS	MOLE FRACTION
NO₂	0.310
NO	0.460
O₂	0.230

For this equilibrium mixture,
 $K_p = 59.7 \text{ kPa}$



Give an expression for K_p for this reaction.

Use your expression and the data in TABLE 1 to calculate the total pressure, in kPa, in the flask. [3 marks]

K_p

Total pressure _____ kPa

[Turn over]



04.4

The equilibrium mixture in Question 04.3 is compressed into a smaller volume.

Deduce the effect, if any, of this change on the equilibrium yield of oxygen and on the value of K_p [2 marks]

Effect on yield of oxygen _____

Effect on K_p _____



04.5

The equilibrium mixture in Question 04.3 is allowed to reach equilibrium at a lower temperature.

Explain why the equilibrium yield of oxygen decreases. [2 marks]

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This question is about metal chlorides.

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TABLE 2 shows some enthalpy change data.

TABLE 2

	Enthalpy change / kJ mol^{-1}
$\text{Ca}^{2+}(\text{g}) \longrightarrow \text{Ca}^{2+}(\text{aq})$	-1650
$\text{Cl}^{-}(\text{g}) \longrightarrow \text{Cl}^{-}(\text{aq})$	-364
$\text{Ca}^{2+}(\text{g}) + 2 \text{Cl}^{-}(\text{g}) \longrightarrow \text{CaCl}_2(\text{s})$	-2237



Use the data in TABLE 2 to calculate the molar enthalpy change when calcium chloride dissolves in water. [2 marks]

Molar enthalpy change

kJ mol⁻¹

[Turn over]



05.2

Use your answer to Question 05.1 to deduce how the temperature changes when calcium chloride dissolves in water. [1 mark]



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Explain why the enthalpy of hydration of fluoride ions is more negative than the enthalpy of hydration of chloride ions.

[2 marks]

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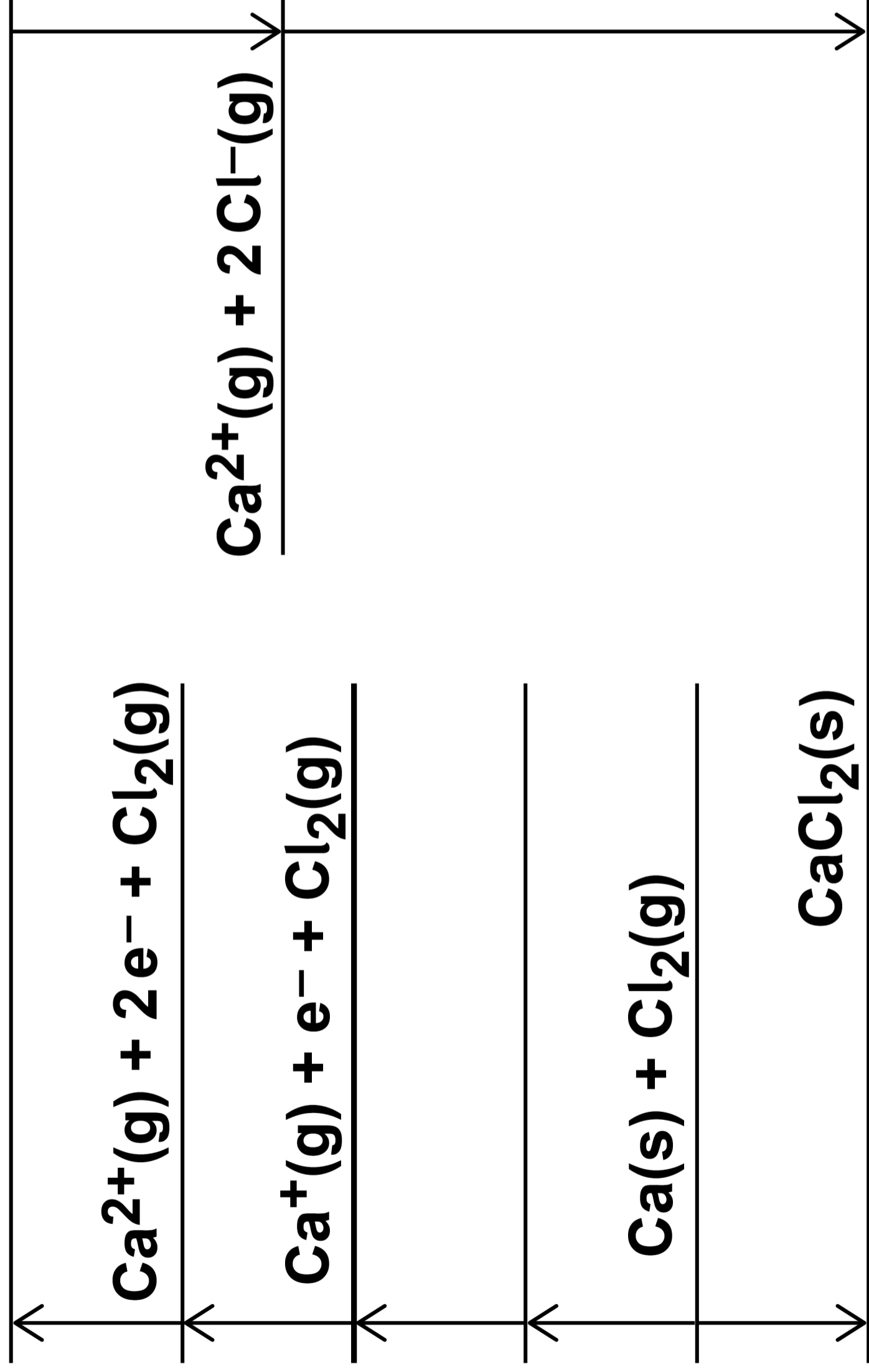
FIGURE 2, on the opposite page, shows an incomplete Born–Haber cycle for calcium chloride.

Complete the Born–Haber cycle by writing the formulas of the missing species on each of the two blank lines. [2 marks]



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FIGURE 2



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TABLE 3 shows some enthalpy change data.

TABLE 3

	Enthalpy change / kJ mol⁻¹
Enthalpy of atomisation of calcium	+193
First ionisation energy of calcium	+590
Enthalpy of atomisation of chlorine	+121
Electron affinity of chlorine	-364
Enthalpy of formation of calcium chloride	-795
Enthalpy of lattice formation of calcium chloride	-2237



Use FIGURE 2, on page 37, and data from TABLE 3 to calculate the second ionisation energy of calcium.

[2 marks]

Second ionisation energy

_____ kJ mol⁻¹

[Turn over]



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Explain why the second ionisation energy of calcium is greater than the first ionisation energy of calcium. [1 mark]



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05.7

TABLE 4 shows lattice enthalpies based on a perfect ionic model and lattice enthalpies from Born–Haber cycles for three metal chlorides.

TABLE 4

	Lattice enthalpy of dissociation / kJ mol⁻¹	
	Perfect ionic model	Born–Haber cycle
Calcium chloride	2223	2237
Potassium chloride	690	701
Silver chloride	770	905



Discuss the values in TABLE 4.

In your answer you should

- compare the three values based on a perfect ionic model**
- compare the values based on a perfect ionic model to the values from a Born–Haber cycle for each compound.**

[6 marks]

[Turn over]





[Turn over]



[Turn over]

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The concentration of dilute hydrochloric acid can be found by titration using a standard solution of barium hydroxide.

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Calculate the mass, in g, of solid barium hydroxide ($M_r = 171.3$) needed to prepare 250 cm^3 of $0.100 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ barium hydroxide solution. [1 mark]

Mass _____ g

[Turn over]



06.2

The mass of barium hydroxide from Question 06.1 is dissolved in a beaker containing 150 cm^3 of distilled water.

Describe how this solution is used to make 250 cm^3 of the 0.100 mol dm^{-3} barium hydroxide solution. [3 marks]

[Turn over]



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Before the first titration, the 25 cm³ pipette is rinsed with a small volume of the 0.100 mol dm⁻³ barium hydroxide solution.

State why it is good practice to rinse the pipette in this way. [1 mark]



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Hydrochloric acid is added to the burette using a funnel.

State why it is good practice to remove the funnel from the burette before the titration. [1 mark]

[Turn over]



06.5

In a different experiment, 0.952 g of solid barium hydroxide is used to make 250 cm³ of standard barium hydroxide solution.

25.0 cm³ of this barium hydroxide solution reacts with exactly 24.50 cm³ of hydrochloric acid.

Calculate the concentration of the hydrochloric acid. [3 marks]

Concentration _____ mol dm⁻³



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The uncertainty in the 25.0 cm^3 of solution from the pipette is $\pm 0.05 \text{ cm}^3$

The total uncertainty in the 24.50 cm^3 of solution from the burette is $\pm 0.15 \text{ cm}^3$

Calculate the total percentage error in using the pipette and burette. [1 mark]

Percentage error _____

[Turn over]



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This question is about complexes containing the aluminium ion.

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Give the electron configuration of the Al^{3+} ion. [1 mark]

07.2

When anhydrous aluminium sulfate, $\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$, is added to water a solution forms that contains the complex aluminium ion, $[\text{Al}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+}$

**Give the equation for the reaction.
[1 mark]**

[Turn over]



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Explain why the solution containing $[\text{Al}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+}$ is acidic. [2 marks]



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State why the concentration of aluminium sulfate solution can NOT be determined by colorimetry. [1 mark]

[Turn over]



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An excess of aqueous ammonia is added to a solution containing $[\text{Al}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+}$

Give an ionic equation for the reaction and state one observation. [2 marks]

Equation

Observation



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An excess of dilute sulfuric acid is added to the products of the reaction in Question 07.5

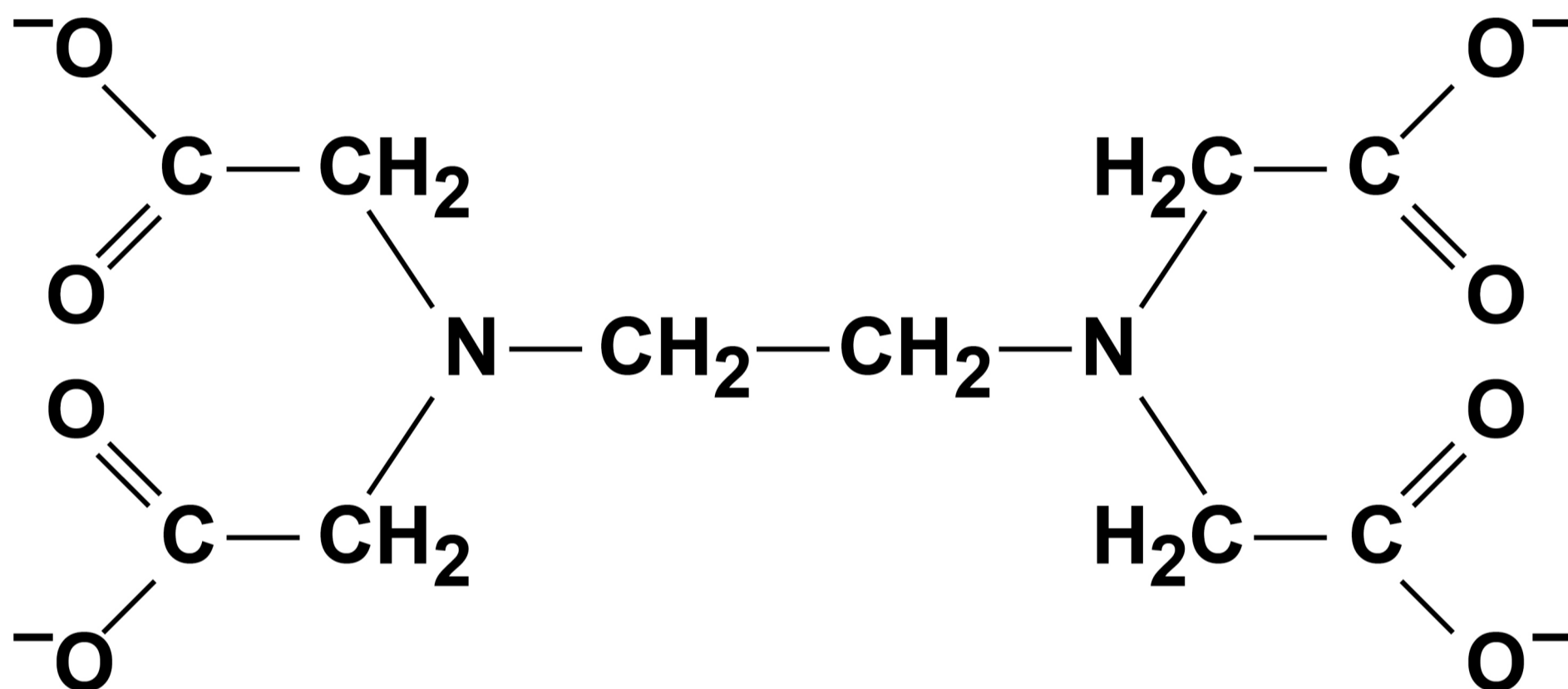
Identify the aluminium species produced.
[1 mark]

[Turn over]



07.7

FIGURE 3 shows the structure of the EDTA^{4-} ion.

FIGURE 3

Atoms of two different elements in EDTA^{4-} can form co-ordinate bonds with an aluminium ion.

On FIGURE 3, draw circles around the atoms of TWO different elements that would link to an aluminium ion by a co-ordinate bond. [2 marks]

[Turn over]



07.8

Hydrated aluminium sulfate, $\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 \cdot x\text{H}_2\text{O}$, is soluble in water.

The relative formula mass and value of x can be found from a titration experiment.

Aqueous $[\text{Al}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+}$ ions react to form a stable complex when treated with an excess of EDTA^{4-} ions.

The excess of EDTA^{4-} ions is determined by titration with ZnSO_4 solution.



Method

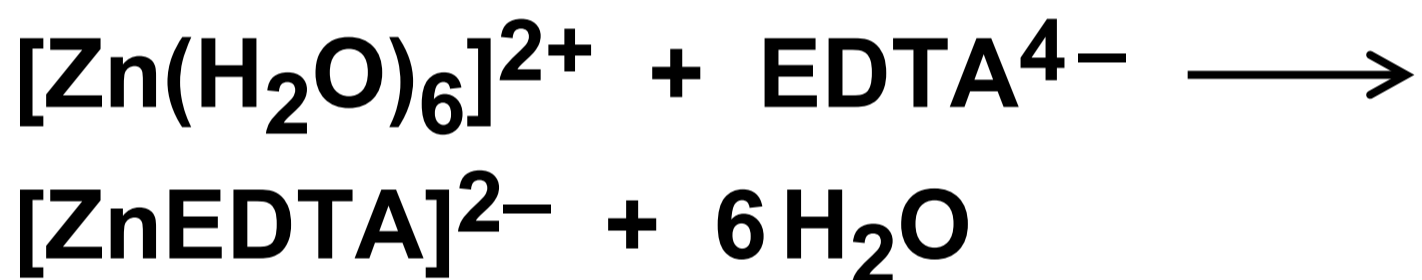
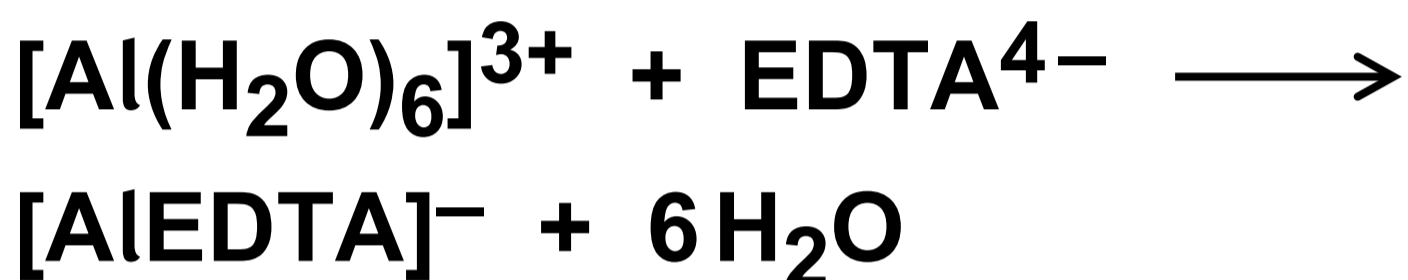
- Dissolve 1.036 g of $\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 \cdot x\text{H}_2\text{O}$ in distilled water and make up to 250 cm^3
- Add 25.0 cm^3 of this solution to 50.0 cm^3 of a solution containing EDTA^{4-} ions of concentration 0.0100 mol dm^{-3}
- Determine the excess of EDTA^{4-} ions by titrating with ZnSO_4 solution in the presence of an indicator.

[Turn over]



The excess of EDTA^{4-} ions requires 18.00 cm^3 of $0.0105 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ ZnSO_4 solution to react completely.

The equations for the reactions are



For $\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$ $M_r = 342.3$

Use the information given on pages 64–66 to calculate the M_r of $\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 \cdot x\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Calculate x

Give your answer as an integer.

[7 marks]



M_r _____

x _____

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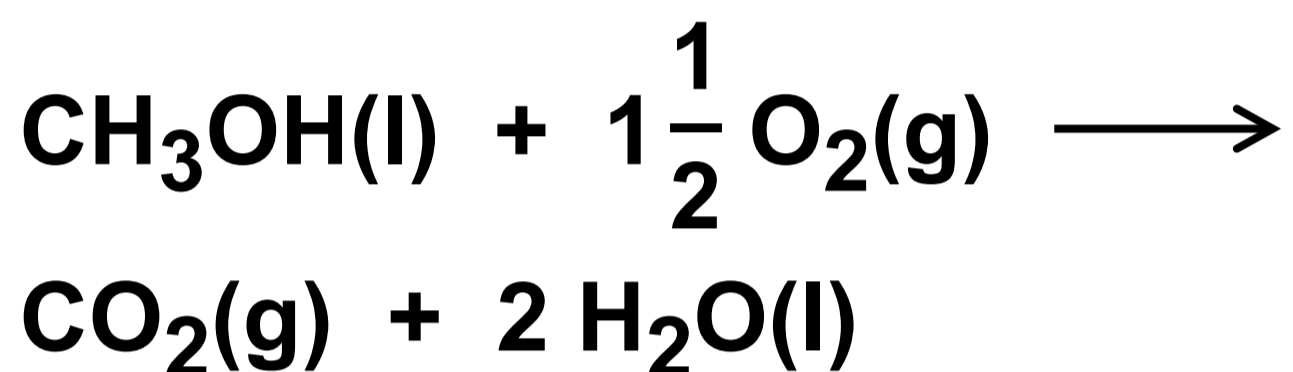
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This question is about fuel cells.

In a methanol–oxygen fuel cell, the overall reaction is



EMF = +1.20 V

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At the positive electrode, oxygen reacts with hydrogen ions to form water.

Give a half-equation for this reaction.
[1 mark]

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At the negative electrode, methanol reacts with water to produce carbon dioxide and hydrogen ions.

**Give a half-equation for this reaction.
[1 mark]**

[Turn over]



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The standard electrode potential for the $\text{CO}_2 / \text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ electrode is +0.03 V

Calculate the standard electrode potential for the $\text{O}_2 / \text{H}_2\text{O}$ electrode.

[1 mark]

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State why a fuel cell does NOT need to be electrically recharged. [1 mark]



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Suggest ONE advantage of using methanol, rather than hydrogen, in a fuel cell for use in cars. [1 mark]

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This is a question about time of flight (TOF) mass spectrometry.

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Give the equation, including state symbols, for the formation of Sr^+ ions from Sr atoms by electron impact.

[1 mark]

[Turn over]



09.2

A sample of strontium is analysed by TOF mass spectrometry.

The sample is ionised using electron impact.

The ions are accelerated to have a kinetic energy (KE) of 7.02×10^{-20} J

An ion takes 9.47×10^{-4} s to travel along a 95.0 cm flight tube.

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$$

**where m = mass (kg) and
 v = speed (m s^{-1})**

Use the information given to deduce the mass number of this ion.

The Avogadro constant,

$$L = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1} \quad \text{[5 marks]}$$



Mass number _____

[Turn over]



09.3

Explain how the ions are detected in the TOF mass spectrometer.

State how the relative abundance of the ions is determined. [2 marks]

How ions are detected _____

How relative abundance is determined

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A sample of strontium contains three isotopes, ^{86}Sr , ^{87}Sr and ^{88}Sr
82% of the sample is ^{88}Sr
The other isotopes are in a 1:2 ratio of $^{86}\text{Sr} : ^{87}\text{Sr}$

Calculate the percentage abundance of ^{87}Sr in this sample.

Use your answer to deduce the relative atomic mass (A_r) of the sample.

Give your answer to 1 decimal place.
[3 marks]

Abundance of ^{87}Sr _____ %



A_r _____

[Turn over]



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Electrospray ionisation is used instead of electron impact for the ionisation of a protein in a mass spectrometry experiment.

Suggest why. [1 mark]

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This question is about weak acids.

10.1

TABLE 5 shows the pH ranges of some indicators.

TABLE 5

INDICATOR	pH RANGE
Bromocresol green	3.8 – 5.4
Bromothymol blue	6.0 – 7.6
Thymol blue	8.0 – 9.6

Identify the indicator that is most suitable for use in a titration between propanoic acid and sodium hydroxide.
[1 mark]

[Turn over]



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Give the expression for the acid dissociation constant (K_a) for propanoic acid ($\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{COOH}$). [1 mark]

K_a



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**Calculate the pH of a $0.100 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ propanoic acid solution.
Give your answer to 2 decimal places.**

For propanoic acid, $pK_a = 4.87$

[4 marks]

pH _____

[Turn over]



10.4

For butanoic acid,

$$K_a = 1.51 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$$

20.0 cm³ of 0.100 mol dm⁻³ sodium hydroxide solution are added to 25.0 cm³ of 0.100 mol dm⁻³ butanoic acid solution.

**Calculate the pH of the solution formed.
[5 marks]**



pH _____

[Turn over]



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A student plans to titrate butanoic acid solution with a solution of ethylamine.

Explain why this titration could NOT be done using an indicator. [2 marks]

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