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COMBINED SCIENCE

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Paper 1 Multiple Choice

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1 hour

Additional Materials: Multiple Choice Answer Sheet

Soft clean eraser

Soft pencil (type B or HB is recommended)

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write in soft pencil.

Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

Write your name, Centre number and candidate number on the Answer Sheet in the spaces provided unless this has been done for you.

There are **forty** questions on this paper. Answer **all** questions. For each question there are four possible answers **A**, **B**, **C** and **D**.

Choose the one you consider correct and record your choice in soft pencil on the separate Answer Sheet.

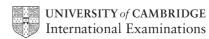
Read the instructions on the Answer Sheet very carefully.

Each correct answer will score one mark. A mark will not be deducted for a wrong answer.

Any rough working should be done in this booklet.

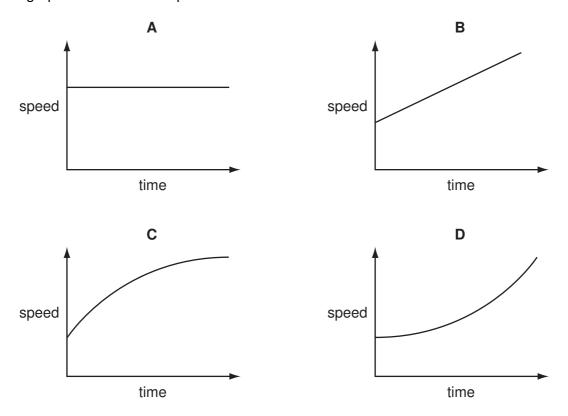
A copy of the Periodic Table is printed on page 16.

This document consists of **16** printed pages.



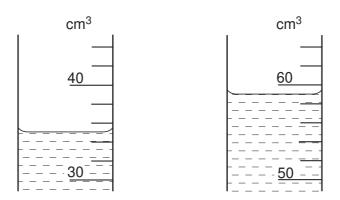
1 A constant force causes a car to accelerate.

Which graph shows how the speed of the car varies with time?



2 A quantity of water is poured into a measuring cylinder. A small piece of rock is then added carefully.

The two diagrams show the water levels and the measuring cylinder scales.

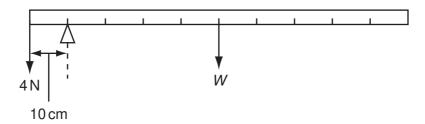


What are the correct values for the volumes of water and rock?

	volume of water/cm ³	volume of rock/cm ³
Α	32.5	22.0
В	32.5	54.5
С	35.0	24.0
D	35.0	59.0

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3 A uniform metre rule is balanced by a 4 N weight as shown in the diagram.



What is the weight *W* of the metre rule?

- **A** 1N
- **B** 4N
- **C** 16N
- **3** 40 N

4 Which property of a body **cannot** be changed if a force is applied to it?

- A its mass
- B its shape
- C its size
- **D** its velocity

5 What are the energy changes in hydroelectric power production?

- **A** kinetic → electrical → potential
- **B** kinetic \rightarrow potential \rightarrow electrical
- **C** potential \rightarrow electrical \rightarrow kinetic
- D potential → kinetic → electrical

6 The earliest Ford cars were always painted black. This was because black paint dried more quickly than lighter colours when the cars were left in the sun to dry.

Which property of black paint makes it dry more quickly?

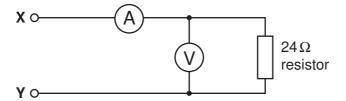
- A It is the best absorber of heat.
- **B** It is the best conductor of heat.
- **C** It is the best insulator of heat.
- **D** It is the best reflector of heat.

7 Water waves are produced in a ripple tank using a vibrator of frequency 3 Hz.

Which values of speed and wavelength could the waves have?

	speed/cm per s	wavelength/cm
Α	1	3
В	5	15
С	6	2
D	12	6

- 8 When a converging lens is used as a magnifying glass, what is the nature of the image?
 - A real and inverted
 - **B** real and upright
 - C virtual and inverted
 - **D** virtual and upright
- **9** The diagram shows an electric circuit.



Which pair of readings is obtained when a suitable power supply is connected to **X** and **Y**?

	voltmeter	ammeter
Α	2V	6A
В	2V	0.5 A
С	12 V	0.5 A
D	12 V	2A

10 A current of 6 A flows in the circuit shown. The current splits up when it enters parallel branches of resistors.



What is the reading on the ammeter?

- **A** 2A
- **B** 3A
- **C** 6A
- **D** 12A
- 11 Which properties make materials suitable for use as a core in an electromagnet?
 - A difficult to magnetise and easy to demagnetise
 - **B** difficult to magnetise and retains magnetic strength
 - **C** easy to magnetise and demagnetise
 - **D** easy to magnetise and retains magnetic strength
- 12 In the simple model of an atom, **X** orbits around **Y**.



What are **X** and **Y**?

	х	Y	
Α	electron	nucleus	
В	neutron electron		
С	nucleus	proton	
D	proton	neutron	

13 X, Y and Z are three types of radiation.

X is almost completely absorbed by 5 cm lead but not by 5 mm aluminium.

Y is almost completely absorbed by 5 mm aluminium but not by thin card.

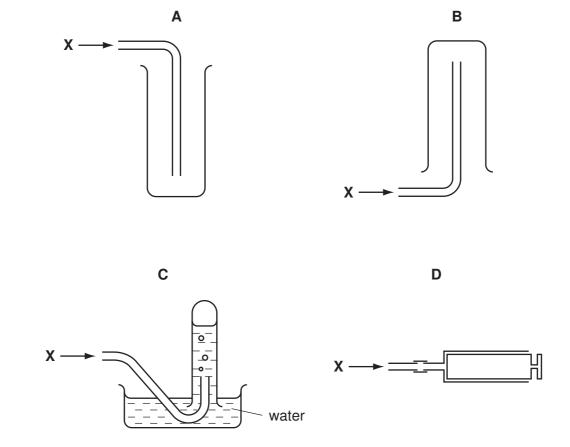
Z is absorbed by thin card.

What are X, Y and Z?

	Х	Y	Z
Α	alpha	beta	gamma
В	beta	alpha	gamma
С	gamma	alpha	beta
D	gamma	beta	alpha

14 A gas, **X**, is less dense than air and insoluble in water.

Which method cannot be used to collect the gas?



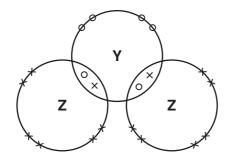
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- 15 Which particle contains 10 electrons and 12 neutrons?
 - **A** ¹⁹₉F
 - **B** $^{24}_{12}$ Mg
 - **C** 23 Na
 - **D** $^{21}_{10}$ Ne
- 16 Each atom of element Q contains 2 electrons in its outermost shell.

Each atom of element J contains 7 electrons in its outermost shell.

What is the formula of the compound formed when Q and J combine?

- **A** QJ
- \mathbf{B} QJ_2
- \mathbf{C} Q_2J
- \mathbf{D} Q_2J_7
- 17 The diagram shows the outer shell electrons in the compound YZ_2 .



key

- o electrons of Y atom
- × electrons of **Z** atom

Which pair of elements could be Y and Z?

	Y	Z
Α	calcium	fluorine
В	carbon	sulphur
С	oxygen	hydrogen
D	sulphur	chlorine

18 Copper(II) sulphate crystals lose water when heated.

	CuSO ₄ .5H ₂ O	\rightarrow	CuSO ₄	+	5H ₂ O
$M_{\rm r}$	250		160		

What is the mass of water lost on heating 5 g of CuSO₄.5H₂O?

- **A** 4.5 g
- **B** 1.8g
- **C** 0.9 g
- **D** 0.18g

19 Strontium hydroxide is an alkali.

Which statement about aqueous strontium hydroxide is correct?

- **A** The solution contains fewer hydrogen ions than hydroxide ions.
- **B** The solution has a pH less than 7.
- **C** The solution reacts with metal carbonates to form carbon dioxide.
- **D** The solution turns blue litmus red.
- **20** The names and electronic structures of the noble gases are shown.

helium 2

neon 2, 8

argon 2, 8, 8

krypton 2, 8, 18, 8

xenon 2, 8, 18, 18, 8

Why are the noble gases unreactive?

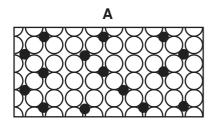
- A They all have an even number of electrons.
- **B** They all have a stable arrangement of electrons.
- **C** They all have eight electrons in the outer shell.
- **D** They all have two electrons in the first shell.
- 21 An excess of zinc powder is added to a solution containing a mixture of the ions Ca²⁺, Cu²⁺, Fe²⁺ and Mg²⁺.

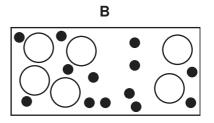
Which two metals are displaced from this solution?

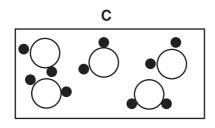
- A calcium and copper
- B calcium and magnesium
- C copper and iron
- **D** magnesium and iron

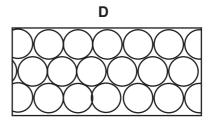
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22 Which drawing shows the arrangement of particles in a solid alloy?

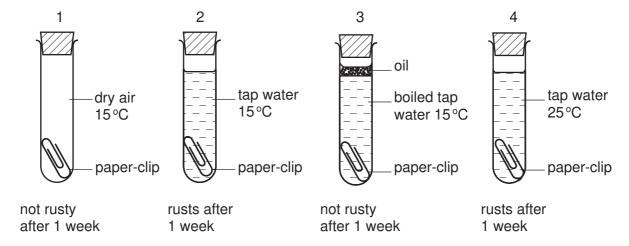








23 Four experiments on rusting are shown.



Which two experiments show that air is needed for iron to rust?

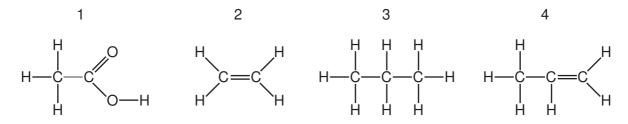
- A 1 and 3
- **B** 1 and 4
- C 2 and 3
- **D** 2 and 4

24 Which conditions are used for the manufacture of ammonia by the Haber process?

	catalyst used	pressure/atm	temperature/°C	
Α	iron 200		450	
В	iron	450	200	
С	nickel	200	450	
D	nickel	450	200	

- 25 Which compound is an alkene?
 - A CH₄
- \mathbf{B} C_2H_6
- \mathbf{C} C_3H_8
- \mathbf{D} $\mathbf{C}_4\mathbf{H}_8$

26 The structures of four organic compounds are shown.

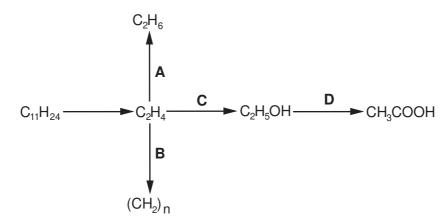


Which compounds decolourise aqueous bromine?

- A 1 and 2 only
- B 2 and 4 only
- C 3 only
- **D** 3 and 4 only
- 27 The hydrocarbon $C_{11}H_{24}$ is present in crude oil.

The diagram shows reactions by which various products can be obtained from $C_{11}H_{24}$.

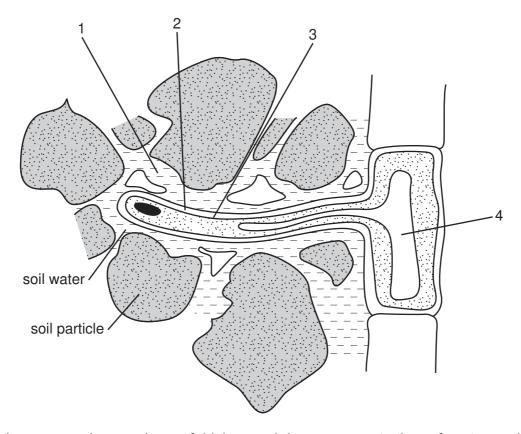
In which step does oxidation take place?



28 A cell is being examined.

Which feature would enable you to identify it as a plant cell or an animal cell?

- A The cell contains a single large sap vacuole space.
- **B** The cell contains glucose and amino acids.
- **C** The cell contains stored fat.
- **D** The cell surface membrane is partially permeable.
- **29** The diagram shows a root hair cell and surrounding soil particles.



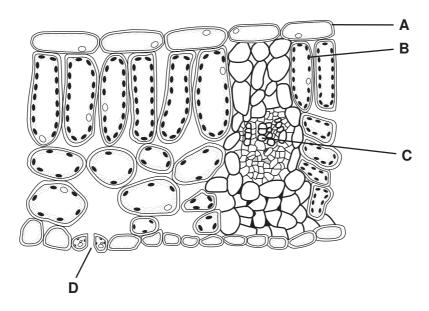
Osmosis occurs when regions of higher and lower concentration of water molecules are separated by a partially permeable membrane.

On the diagram, what are these regions?

	higher concentration of water molecules		
Α	1	2	4
В	1	3	4
С	4	2	1
D	4	3	1

- 30 What are enzymes?
 - A fats which are secreted by glands in the digestive system
 - **B** proteins which are unaffected by temperature
 - C fats which have a characteristic molecular shape
 - **D** proteins which act as biological catalysts
- **31** The diagram shows a cross section of a leaf under the microscope.

Where is light energy converted into chemical energy?



32 After eating, the pH in the mouth decreases.

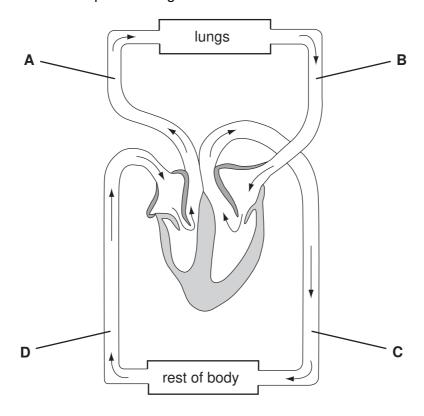
Which statement explains this decrease?

- A Bacteria release acids.
- **B** Enzymes in saliva release acids.
- C Salivary glands release acids.
- D Taste receptors release acids.
- **33** What causes wilting to occur in a plant?

	water loss	water uptake
Α	high	high
В	high low	
С	low	high
D	low	low

34 The diagram shows the circulatory system.

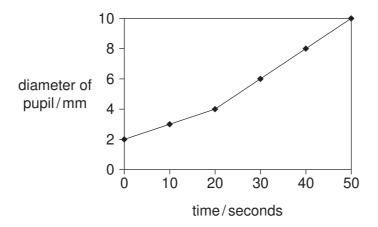
In which vessel is the blood pressure highest?



- 35 What are the products of anaerobic respiration in yeast?
 - A alcohol and carbon dioxide
 - B carbon dioxide and glucose
 - **C** glucose and oxygen
 - **D** oxygen and alcohol
- **36** Which **cannot** be an example of excretion?
 - A Carbon dioxide is breathed out from the lungs.
 - **B** Undigested food leaves the body through the anus.
 - **C** Urea leaves the body in urine.
 - **D** Water is removed through the kidneys.

37 A light of varying intensity was shone into a person's eye for 50 seconds.

The graph shows changes in pupil size as the light intensity was changed.



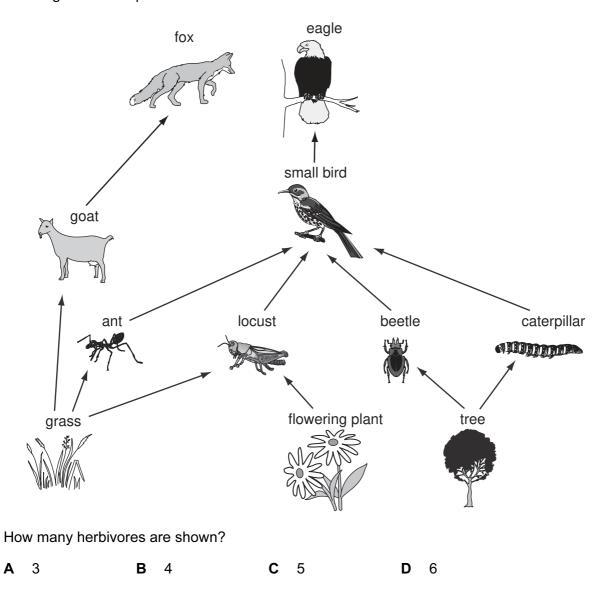
Which statement explains the change in pupil size?

- A The light slowly became brighter.
- **B** The light suddenly became brighter.
- **C** The light slowly became dimmer.
- **D** The light suddenly became dimmer.

38 What are the effects of the excessive consumption of alcohol?

	depressant	liver damage	quicker reaction time	
Α	✓	X	✓	key
В	✓	✓	x	✓ = effect occurs
С	X	x	✓	x = effect does not occur
D	x	✓	×	

39 The diagram shows part of a food web.



- **40** Which structures protect the flower when it is a bud?
 - A anthers
 - **B** carpels
 - C petals
 - **D** sepals

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DATA SHEET
The Periodic Table of the Elements

	0	4 He lium	20 Neon 10	40 Ar Argon	84 Kr Krypton 36	131 Xe Xenon 54	Radon 86		175 Lu Lutetium	Lr Lawrencium 103
	IIΛ		6	35.5 C 1 Chlorine	80 Br Bromine 35	127 I lodine 53	At Astatine 85		173 Yb Ytterbium 70	Nobelium
	IN		16 Oxygen 8	32 S Sulphur 16	Selenium	128 Te Tellurium	Po Polonium 84		169 Tm Thulium	Md Mendelevium 101
	^		E	31 P Phosphorus 15	75 AS Arsenic 33	122 Sb Antimony 51	209 Bi Bismuth 83		167 Er Erbium 68	Fm Fermium 100
	Ν		12 Carbon 6	28 Si Silicon	73 Ge Germanium 32	119 Tin 50	207 Pb Lead		165 Ho Holmium 67	Esteinium 99
			5 Boron ±	27 A1 Aluminium 13	70 Ga Gallium 31	115 In Indium 49	204 T 1 Thallium		162 Dy Dysprosium 66	Cf Californium 98
					65 Zn Zinc 30	112 Cd Cadmium 48	201 Hg Mercury 80		159 Tb Terbium 65	Bk Berkelium 97
					64 Cu Copper 29	108 Ag Silver 47	197 Au Gold 79		157 Gd Gadolinium 64	Cm Curium 96
Group					59 Nickel	106 Pd Palladium 46	195 Pt Platinum 78		152 EU Europium 63	Am Americium 95
Gre					59 Co Cobalt	103 Rh Rhodium 45	192 Ir Iridium 77		Sm Samarium 62	Pu Plutonium 94
		T Hydrogen			56 Fe Iron	Ruthenium	190 Os Osmium 76		Pm Promethium 61	Neptunium
					Mn Manganese 25	Tc Technetium 43	186 Re Rhenium 75		Neodymium 60	238 U Uranium
					52 Cr Chromium 24	96 Mo Molybdenum 42	184 W Tungsten 74		Pr Praseodymium 59	Pa Protactinium 91
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The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm 3 at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).

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