

**Chemistry**  
**Higher level**  
**Paper 1**

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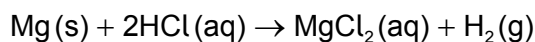
**Instructions to candidates**

- Do not open this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Answer all the questions.
- For each question, choose the answer you consider to be the best and indicate your choice on the answer sheet provided.
- The periodic table is provided for reference on page 2 of this examination paper.
- The maximum mark for this examination paper is **[40 marks]**.

The Periodic Table

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	1 <b>H</b> 1.01												5 <b>B</b> 10.81	6 <b>C</b> 12.01	7 <b>N</b> 14.01	8 <b>O</b> 16.00	9 <b>F</b> 19.00	2 <b>He</b> 4.00
2	3 <b>Li</b> 6.94	4 <b>Be</b> 9.01											13 <b>Al</b> 26.98	14 <b>Si</b> 28.09	15 <b>P</b> 30.97	16 <b>S</b> 32.07	17 <b>Cl</b> 35.45	10 <b>Ne</b> 20.18
3	11 <b>Na</b> 22.99	12 <b>Mg</b> 24.31											13 <b>Al</b> 26.98	14 <b>Si</b> 28.09	15 <b>P</b> 30.97	16 <b>S</b> 32.07	17 <b>Cl</b> 35.45	18 <b>Ar</b> 39.95
4	19 <b>K</b> 39.10	20 <b>Ca</b> 40.08	21 <b>Sc</b> 44.96	22 <b>Ti</b> 47.87	23 <b>V</b> 50.94	24 <b>Cr</b> 52.00	25 <b>Mn</b> 54.94	26 <b>Fe</b> 55.85	27 <b>Co</b> 58.93	28 <b>Ni</b> 58.69	29 <b>Cu</b> 63.55	30 <b>Zn</b> 65.38	31 <b>Ga</b> 69.72	32 <b>Ge</b> 72.63	33 <b>As</b> 74.92	34 <b>Se</b> 78.96	35 <b>Br</b> 79.90	36 <b>Kr</b> 83.90
5	37 <b>Rb</b> 85.47	38 <b>Sr</b> 87.62	39 <b>Y</b> 88.91	40 <b>Zr</b> 91.22	41 <b>Nb</b> 92.91	42 <b>Mo</b> 95.96	43 <b>Tc</b> (98)	44 <b>Ru</b> 101.07	45 <b>Rh</b> 102.91	46 <b>Pd</b> 106.42	47 <b>Ag</b> 107.87	48 <b>Cd</b> 112.41	49 <b>In</b> 114.82	50 <b>Sn</b> 118.71	51 <b>Sb</b> 121.76	52 <b>Te</b> 127.60	53 <b>I</b> 126.90	54 <b>Xe</b> 131.29
6	55 <b>Cs</b> 132.91	56 <b>Ba</b> 137.33	57 † <b>La</b> 138.91	72 <b>Hf</b> 178.49	73 <b>Ta</b> 180.95	74 <b>W</b> 183.84	75 <b>Re</b> 186.21	76 <b>Os</b> 190.23	77 <b>Ir</b> 192.22	78 <b>Pt</b> 195.08	79 <b>Au</b> 196.97	80 <b>Hg</b> 200.59	81 <b>Tl</b> 204.38	82 <b>Pb</b> 207.2	83 <b>Bi</b> 208.98	84 <b>Po</b> (209)	85 <b>At</b> (210)	86 <b>Rn</b> (222)
7	87 <b>Fr</b> (223)	88 <b>Ra</b> (226)	89 † <b>Ac</b> (227)	104 <b>Rf</b> (267)	105 <b>Db</b> (268)	106 <b>Sg</b> (269)	107 <b>Bh</b> (270)	108 <b>Hs</b> (269)	109 <b>Mt</b> (278)	110 <b>Ds</b> (281)	111 <b>Rg</b> (281)	112 <b>Cn</b> (285)	113 <b>Uut</b> (286)	114 <b>Uug</b> (289)	115 <b>Uup</b> (288)	116 <b>Uuh</b> (293)	117 <b>Uus</b> (294)	118 <b>Uuo</b> (294)
			†	58 <b>Ce</b> 140.12	59 <b>Pr</b> 140.91	60 <b>Nd</b> 144.24	61 <b>Pm</b> (145)	62 <b>Sm</b> 150.36	63 <b>Eu</b> 151.96	64 <b>Gd</b> 157.25	65 <b>Tb</b> 158.93	66 <b>Dy</b> 162.50	67 <b>Ho</b> 164.93	68 <b>Er</b> 167.26	69 <b>Tm</b> 168.93	70 <b>Yb</b> 173.05	71 <b>Lu</b> 174.97	
			‡	90 <b>Th</b> 232.04	91 <b>Pa</b> 231.04	92 <b>U</b> 238.03	93 <b>Np</b> (237)	94 <b>Pu</b> (244)	95 <b>Am</b> (243)	96 <b>Cm</b> (247)	97 <b>Bk</b> (247)	98 <b>Cf</b> (251)	99 <b>Es</b> (252)	100 <b>Fm</b> (257)	101 <b>Md</b> (258)	102 <b>No</b> (259)	103 <b>Lr</b> (262)	

1. Which compound has the greatest percentage by mass of nitrogen atoms?
- A.  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_4$   
B.  $\text{NH}_3$   
C.  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$   
D.  $\text{NaNO}_3$
2. Which statements about mixtures are correct?
- I. The components may be elements or compounds.  
II. All components must be in the same phase.  
III. The components retain their individual properties.
- A. I and II only  
B. I and III only  
C. II and III only  
D. I, II and III
3. What is the expression for the volume of hydrogen gas, in  $\text{dm}^3$ , produced at STP when 0.30 g of magnesium reacts with excess hydrochloric acid solution?



Molar volume of an ideal gas at STP =  $22.7 \text{ dm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$

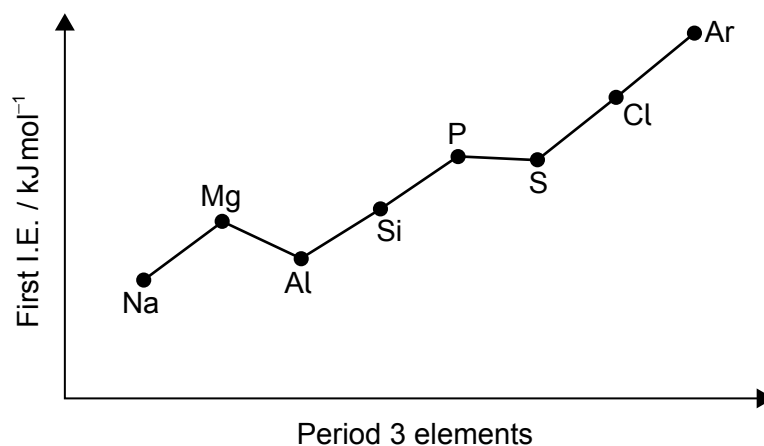
- A.  $\frac{0.30 \times 2 \times 22.7}{24.31}$   
B.  $\frac{0.30 \times 22.7}{24.31}$   
C.  $\frac{0.30 \times 24.31}{22.7}$   
D.  $\frac{0.30 \times 22.7}{24.31 \times 2}$

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4. Which electron transition in the hydrogen atom emission spectrum emits radiation with the longest wavelength?

- A.  $n = 2 \rightarrow n = 1$
- B.  $n = 1 \rightarrow n = 2$
- C.  $n = 4 \rightarrow n = 1$
- D.  $n = 3 \rightarrow n = 2$

5. Which statement explains one of the decreases in first ionization energy (I.E.) across period 3?



- A. The nuclear charge of element Al is greater than element Mg.
- B. The electron-electron repulsion is greater, for the electron with the opposite spin, in element S than in element P.
- C. A new sub-level is being filled at element S.
- D. The p orbital being filled in element Al is at a lower energy than the s orbital in element Mg.

6. What is the order of decreasing ionic radius?

- A.  $S^{2-} > Cl^{-} > Al^{3+} > Mg^{2+}$
- B.  $Cl^{-} > S^{2-} > Al^{3+} > Mg^{2+}$
- C.  $S^{2-} > Cl^{-} > Mg^{2+} > Al^{3+}$
- D.  $Mg^{2+} > Al^{3+} > Cl^{-} > S^{2-}$

7. Which oxide, when added to water, produces the solution with the highest pH?
- A.  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$
  - B.  $\text{SO}_3$
  - C.  $\text{MgO}$
  - D.  $\text{CO}_2$

8. What is the charge on the iron(III) complex ion in  $[\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_2(\text{H}_2\text{O})_4]\text{Br}$ ?
- A. 0
  - B. 1+
  - C. 2+
  - D. 3+

9. A substance has the following properties:

Melting point / °C	Electrical conductivity	
	Molten	Solid
1414	poor	poor

What is the most probable structure of this substance?

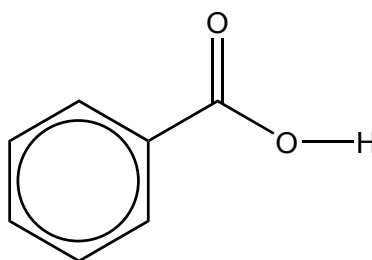
- A. Network covalent
  - B. Polar covalent molecule
  - C. Ionic lattice
  - D. Metallic lattice
10. Which two atoms form the most polar bond?
- A. C and F
  - B. C and Cl
  - C. Si and F
  - D. Si and Cl

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11. Which combination describes the  $\text{PH}_4^+$  ion?

	Molecular geometry	Central atom hybridization
A.	Tetrahedral	$\text{sp}^3$
B.	Square planar	$\text{sp}^3$
C.	Tetrahedral	$\text{sp}^2$
D.	Square planar	$\text{sp}^2$

12. Which combination describes the bonding and structure in benzoic acid,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{COOH}$ ?



	Number of electron domains per carbon atom	Number of $\pi$ -electrons	Number of $\sigma$ -bonds
A.	3	6	6
B.	3	8	15
C.	4	6	6
D.	4	8	10

13. Which species have resonance structures?

- I. Ozone,  $\text{O}_3$
- II. Carbon dioxide,  $\text{CO}_2$
- III. Benzene,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$

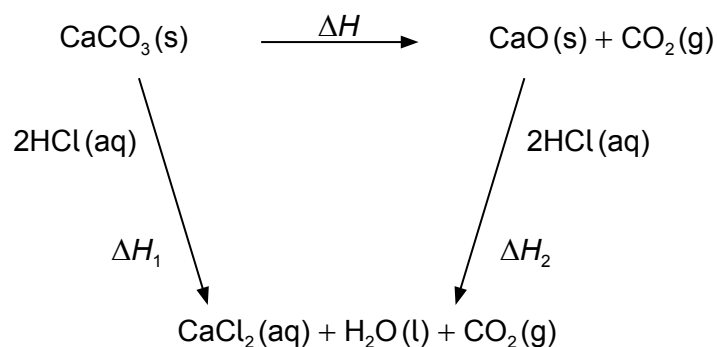
- A. I and II only
- B. I and III only
- C. II and III only
- D. I, II and III

14. Which expression gives the mass, in g, of ethanol required to produce 683.5 kJ of heat upon complete combustion?

( $M_r$  for ethanol = 46.0,  $\Delta H_c^\ominus = -1367 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ )

- A.  $\frac{683.5}{1367 \times 46.0}$
- B.  $\frac{1367}{683.5 \times 46.0}$
- C.  $\frac{683.5 \times 46.0}{1367}$
- D.  $\frac{1367 \times 46.0}{683.5}$

15. Which expression gives the enthalpy change,  $\Delta H$ , for the thermal decomposition of calcium carbonate?



- A.  $\Delta H = \Delta H_1 - \Delta H_2$
- B.  $\Delta H = 2\Delta H_1 - \Delta H_2$
- C.  $\Delta H = \Delta H_1 - 2\Delta H_2$
- D.  $\Delta H = \Delta H_1 + \Delta H_2$
16. Which equation represents enthalpy of hydration?

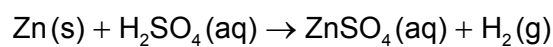
- A.  $\text{Na}(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{Na}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^-$
- B.  $\text{Na}^+(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{Na}^+(\text{aq})$
- C.  $\text{NaCl}(\text{s}) \rightarrow \text{Na}^+(\text{g}) + \text{Cl}^-(\text{g})$
- D.  $\text{NaCl}(\text{s}) \rightarrow \text{Na}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{Cl}^-(\text{aq})$

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17. Which combination of  $\Delta H^\ominus$  and  $\Delta S^\ominus$  will result in a non-spontaneous reaction at all temperatures?

	$\Delta H^\ominus$	$\Delta S^\ominus$
A.	positive	negative
B.	negative	positive
C.	positive	positive
D.	negative	negative

18. Copper catalyses the reaction between zinc and dilute sulfuric acid.

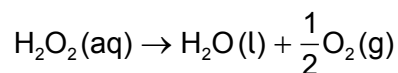


Why does copper affect the reaction?

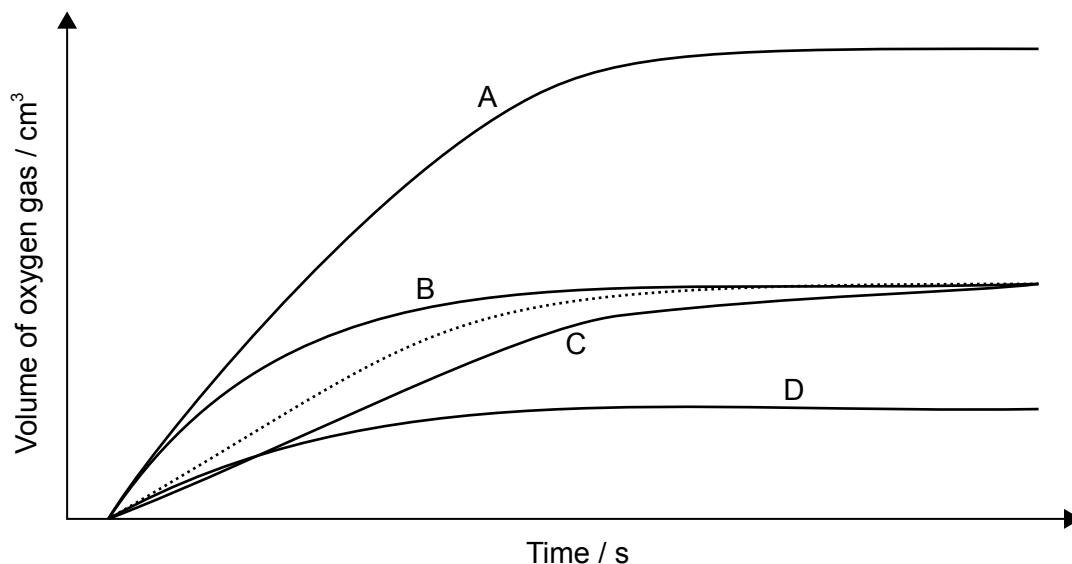
- A. Decreases the activation energy
- B. Increases the activation energy
- C. Increases the enthalpy change
- D. Decreases the enthalpy change



19. 100 cm<sup>3</sup> of 10% hydrogen peroxide solution decomposes at 298 K to form water and oxygen.

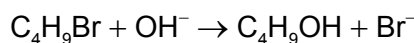


The dotted line graph represents the volume of oxygen produced.



Which graph represents the decomposition of an equal volume of a 20% solution under the same conditions?

20. The table gives rate data for the reaction in a suitable solvent.



Initial [C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>9</sub> Br] / mol dm <sup>-3</sup>	Initial [OH <sup>-</sup> ] / mol dm <sup>-3</sup>	Initial rate of reaction / mol dm <sup>-3</sup> s <sup>-1</sup>
0.02	0.02	2.0 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>
0.04	0.02	4.0 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>
0.02	0.04	2.0 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>
0.04	0.04	4.0 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>

Which statement is correct?

- A. The rate expression is rate =  $k [\text{C}_4\text{H}_9\text{Br}] [\text{OH}^-]$ .
- B. The rate increases by a factor of 4 when the [OH<sup>-</sup>] is doubled.
- C. C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>9</sub>Br is a primary halogenoalkane.
- D. The reaction occurs via S<sub>N</sub>1 mechanism.

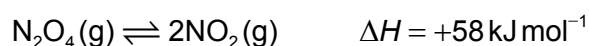
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21. What are the units for the rate constant,  $k$ , in the expression?

$$\text{Rate} = k [X]^2[Y]$$

- A.  $\text{mol}^2 \text{dm}^{-6} \text{s}^{-1}$
- B.  $\text{mol}^{-1} \text{dm}^3 \text{s}^{-1}$
- C.  $\text{mol dm}^{-3} \text{s}^{-1}$
- D.  $\text{mol}^{-2} \text{dm}^6 \text{s}^{-1}$

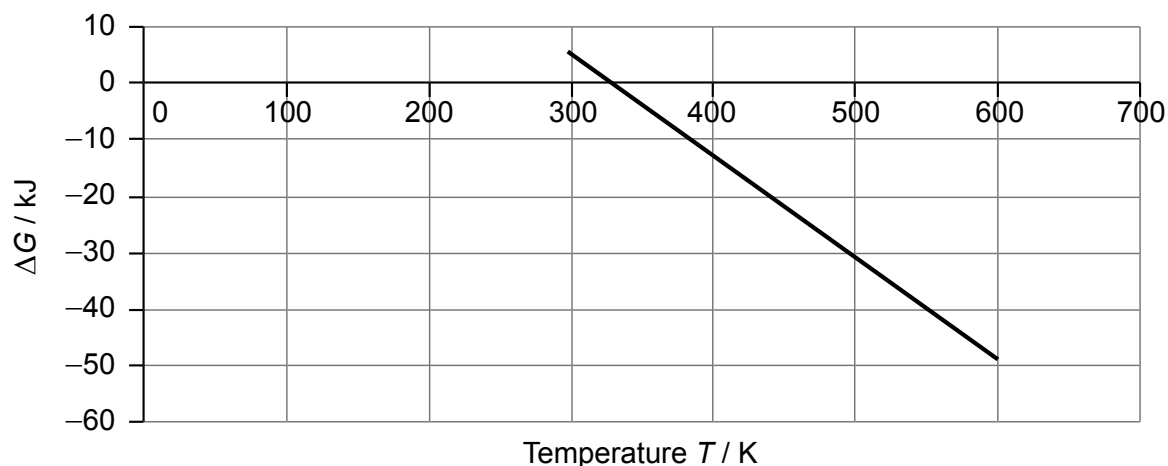
22. Consider the equilibrium between  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4(\text{g})$  and  $\text{NO}_2(\text{g})$ .



Which changes shift the position of equilibrium to the right?

- I. Increasing the temperature
  - II. Decreasing the pressure
  - III. Adding a catalyst
- A. I and II only
  - B. I and III only
  - C. II and III only
  - D. I, II and III

23. The graph shows values of  $\Delta G$  for a reaction at different temperatures.



Which statement is correct?

- A. The standard entropy change of the reaction is negative.
- B. The standard enthalpy change of the reaction is positive.
- C. At higher temperatures, the reaction becomes less spontaneous.
- D. The standard enthalpy change of the reaction is negative.
24. Which species produced by the successive dissociations of phosphoric acid,  $H_3PO_4$ , are amphiprotic?
- A.  $HPO_4^{2-}$  and  $PO_4^{3-}$
- B.  $H_2PO_4^-$  and  $HPO_4^{2-}$
- C.  $H_2PO_4^-$  and  $PO_4^{3-}$
- D.  $HPO_4^{2-}$  only
25. What is the pH of  $1.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  sodium hydroxide,  $NaOH(aq)$ ?

$$K_w = 1.0 \times 10^{-14}$$

- A. 3
- B. 4
- C. 10
- D. 11

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26. Which species acts as a Lewis and Brønsted–Lowry base?

- A.  $[\text{Al}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+}$
- B.  $\text{BF}_3$
- C.  $\text{NH}_4^+$
- D.  $\text{OH}^-$

27. A buffer is produced by mixing  $20.0 \text{ cm}^3$  of  $0.10 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  ethanoic acid,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}(\text{aq})$ , with  $0.10 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  sodium hydroxide,  $\text{NaOH}(\text{aq})$ .

What is the volume of  $\text{NaOH}$  required and the pH of the buffer?

	Volume of $\text{NaOH} / \text{cm}^3$	pH of buffer
A.	40.0	9.2
B.	40.0	4.8
C.	10.0	9.2
D.	10.0	4.8

28. Which change represents oxidation?

- A.  $\text{HClO}_4$  to  $\text{HClO}_3$
- B.  $\text{N}_2$  to  $\text{NH}_3$
- C.  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$  to  $\text{NO}$
- D.  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$  to  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$

29. A reaction takes place when a rechargeable battery is used:

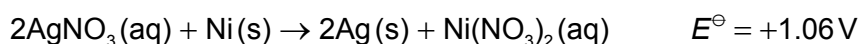


Which statements are correct?

- I.  $\text{H}^+$  is reduced
- II. The oxidation state of Pb metal changes from 0 to +2
- III.  $\text{PbO}_2$  is the oxidising agent

- A. I and II only
- B. I and III only
- C. II and III only
- D. I, II and III

30. Which statement is correct for the overall reaction in a voltaic cell?



- A. Electrons flow from Ag electrode to Ni electrode.
- B. Ni is oxidized to  $\text{Ni}^{2+}$  at the cathode (negative electrode).
- C.  $\text{Ag}^+$  is reduced to Ag at the anode (positive electrode).
- D. Ag has a more positive standard electrode potential value than Ni.

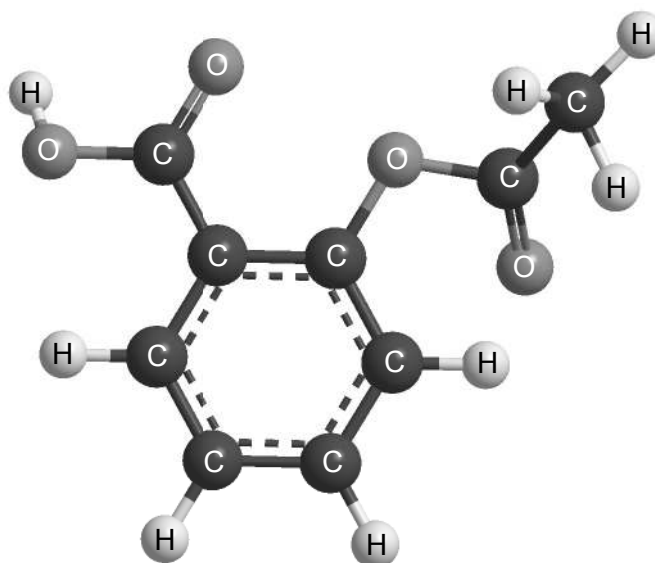
31. In the electrolysis of aqueous potassium nitrate,  $\text{KNO}_3\text{(aq)}$ , using inert electrodes, 0.1 mol of a gas was formed at the cathode (negative electrode).

Which is correct?

	Gaseous product at anode (positive electrode)	Amount of product at anode / mol
A.	hydrogen	0.05
B.	oxygen	0.05
C.	hydrogen	0.2
D.	oxygen	0.2

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32. What are the functional groups in the aspirin molecule?



- I. Ether
- II. Carboxyl
- III. Ester

- A. I and II only
  - B. I and III only
  - C. II and III only
  - D. I, II and III
33. Which molecule has a tertiary nitrogen?
- A.  $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{NH}$
  - B.  $(\text{C}_2\text{H}_5)_4\text{N}^+\text{I}^-$
  - C.  $\text{C}_3\text{H}_7\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_2$
  - D.  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{NH}_2$
34. What can be determined about a molecule from the number of signals in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum?
- A. Bonds present
  - B. Molecular formula
  - C. Molecular mass
  - D. Number of hydrogen environments

35. What is the major product of the reaction between 2-methylbut-2-ene and hydrogen bromide?
- A. 3-bromo-2-methylbutane
  - B. 3-bromo-3-methylbutane
  - C. 2-bromo-3-methylbutane
  - D. 2-bromo-2-methylbutane
36. What is the product of the reduction of 2-methylbutanal?
- A. 2-methylbutan-1-ol
  - B. 2-methylbutan-2-ol
  - C. 3-methylbutan-2-one
  - D. 2-methylbutanoic acid
37. Which molecule is chiral?
- A. 2-chlorobutane
  - B. 2,2-dichloropentane
  - C. Propan-2-amine
  - D. 4-hydroxybutanoic acid
38. The molar mass of a gas, determined experimentally, is  $32 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$ . Its literature molar mass is  $40 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$ .
- What is the percentage error?
- A. 80%
  - B. 25%
  - C. 20%
  - D. 8%

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39. What is the density, in  $\text{g cm}^{-3}$ , of a 34.79 g sample with a volume of  $12.5 \text{ cm}^3$ ?
- A. 0.359
  - B. 0.36
  - C. 2.783
  - D. 2.78
40. Which technique is used to determine the bond lengths and bond angles of a molecule?
- A. X-ray crystallography
  - B. Infrared (IR) spectroscopy
  - C. Mass spectroscopy
  - D.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectroscopy
-