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- 1 (a) they all have two energy levels; they have 2 (electron) shells, same no of (electron) shells [1]
- (b) (i) oxygen; [1]
- (ii) lithium, beryllium; [1]
- (c) magnesium (atoms) loses (two) outermost electrons; magnesium atoms loses valence electrons [1]
- Each fluoride (atom) gains an electron; each of the (2) atoms gains / attract 2 electrons oppositely enlarged ions [1]
- (d) a lot of energy (heat) needed; to break / overcome R: High Temperature [1]
- (strong) sigma covalent bonds (within the layers of graphene); [1]
- 2 (a) distance covered per unit time; / speed; rate of change of displacement; [1]
- in a specified direction; [1]
- (b) 4 – 6.4 sec; reject **CD** [1]
- (c) **OC**: steady contact uniform acceleration; / velocity increases uniformly [1]
- Air is larger than air resistance / resistance is negligible), only weight acts on the ball; OWTTE A : downward > upward [1]
- DE**: uniform speed velocity; / zero acceleration; terminal velocity; [1]
- Air resistance has increased to equal the weight/ no net force; / no resultant (no weight and air resistance balance). [1]
- (d) 50; (soi) [1]
- k.e. = $\frac{1}{2} m v^2$ or k.e = $\frac{1}{2} \times 0.1 \times 50^2$; [1]
- 125 J; [1]
- 3 (a) $207 + 2(14) + 6(16)$ or $207 + 28 + 96$; A : $A1 Pb + 2ArN + 6 x ArO$ [1]
- 331; [1]
- (b) (i) $1 \text{ mol} / \text{dm}^3 = \frac{n}{0.5 \text{ dm}^3}$; $1 \text{ dm}^3 : 1 \text{ mol}$
- A: $1 \times 500 \text{ cm}^3$ $0.5 \text{ dm}^3 : x$ [1]
- 0.5 mol ; $x = 0.5 \text{ mol}$ [1]
- (ii) $N = nL$ or $0.5 \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$; soi (ecf) [1]
- $= 3.01 \times 10^{23}$; A ratio [1]
- $1 \text{ mol} : 6.02 \times 10^{23}$
- $0.5 \text{ mol} : x$

- (c) 0.5 mol \times 461; ecf mole ratio : [1]
 230.5 g ; Pb (NO₃) : PbI₂
 [1]

OR

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 331 & : & 461 \\
 165.5 & : & x \\
 x = \frac{165.5 \times 461}{331}; & \frac{m}{461} = 0.5 & m \text{ PbI}_2 = 0.5 \times 461 \\
 & & = \underline{230.5g} \\
 x = 230.5g; & A : 231g &
 \end{array}$$

- 4 (a) (i) gases
 ↓
 liquid
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 solids; [1]

explanation: gases have weakest intermolecular forces;

liquids have stronger intermolecular forces than gases;

and solids have the strongest intermolecular forces; [2]

- (ii) cracking of glass (when hot water is poured onto it) / cracking of walls,
 Cracking of floors of buildings / bending of railway lines / bursting of water
 pipes; [1]
 accept other relevant responses; bending of bimetallic strip when breaking
 contact / separating contact

- (b) (i) bimetallic strip (expands and) bends downwards; bends away from contact [1]
 and circuit breaks; / opens gap in the circuit / cuts flow of current. [1]
 (ii) (thermo) emf / potential difference(across junctions); [1]
 (iii) size / amount / deflection / change in/ mercury length / volume potential
 difference; change in thermometric property [1]
 per unit change (rise / drop) in temperature; [1]

- 5 (a) silver chloride / silver bromide / silver iodide / silver fluoride; [1]
 (b) (i) changes grass to black / becomes darker; [1]

- (ii) reduction; [1]

- (c) A : Acts as a catalyst it speeds up the reaction; / activates the reaction / provides energy for the reaction to take place [1]
- (d) (overall) energy taken-in absorbed in bond breaking is more needed / required [1]
than energy released given out during bond formation;

- 6 (a) (i) Z, wavelength increased/larger; /
Z wave moves faster in deep water (than in shallow water); [1]
- (ii) stay the same;/ remains constant / does not change [1]
- (b) (i) circular waves after gap; [1]
wavelength after gap same as wavelength before gap; [1]
- (ii) $v = f\lambda$ or $5 = 2 \times \lambda$; [1]
 $\lambda = 2.5 \text{ cm}$; [1]
- (c) $n = \frac{\sin i}{\sin r}$ OR $\frac{\sin 42}{\sin 34}$; = n [1]
1.2; [1]
- 7 (a) A : chalco pyrites copper pyrites; [1]
- (b) (open cast) mining / (underground shaft & panning) mining; ALLUVIAL MINING [1]
- (c) (i) new substance is formed / gas evolved /colour change ; [1]
- (ii) basic oxide; / base [1]
- (d) use: electrical cables / electricity cables / electrical wiring / cooking utensils / manufacture of brass; water pipes / plating [1]
explanation: good conductor of electricity / good conductor of heat / (stronger and more) resistant to corrosion; [1]
- 8 (a) $5 \times 9 = 45 \text{ V}$; [1]
- (b) $W = mg$ or $w = 40 \times 10$; [1]
400 N; [1]
- (c) (i) $p.e = mgh$ or $p.e = 40 \times 10 \times 4$; [1]
1600 J; [1]
- (ii) $P = E/t$ or $P = 1600/5$; (ecf) [1]

320 W; / 320J / S

[1]

- 9 (a) (i) crude oil / petroleum / coal A : sulfur containing compounds
(fossil) fuels (such as coal) which contain sulfur undergo burning combustion;
smelting of sulphur ores / decomposition of sulfates [1]
- (ii) sulfur dioxide forms acid rain; / sulphurous acid / sulfuric acid [1]

sulfurous acid rain corrodes buildings; / A damage / destroy [1]

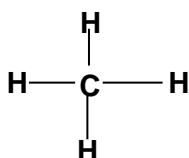
- (b) increased carbon dioxide concentration in the atmosphere; / more CO₂
Higher %, [1]
Holds / traps heat((IR) radiation) from the earth; [1]

- (c) glucose + oxygen \longrightarrow carbondiaoxide + water + energy;

$$C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2 \longrightarrow 6CO_2 + 6H_2O + (ENERGY)$$
 glucose reacts with oxygen
 oxidation of glucose; [1]

- 10 (a) coil cuts the magnetic field (produced by the poles of the magnet);/ moves across
 moles perpendicular [1]
 current voltage emf is induced (in the coil) (and current flows); [1]
- (b) less emf induced;/ current / voltage / P.D. [1]
- (c) sound to electrical; sound \longrightarrow (KINETIC) \longrightarrow ELECTRICAL;; [2]
- (d) generator; [1]

- 11 (a)



correct structure; [1]

- (b) they have the same functional group $\begin{array}{c} | \\ \text{---C---} \end{array}$, i.e., single bonds between carbon
 atom s/ saturated they are prepared by hydrogenation of alkenes
 they have similar methods of preparation/they have similar chemical they are
 generally unreactive

properties(substitution / combustion) / consecutive members differ by a CH₂
 they have same name coding – ane

(group) / all members conform to a general formula, (C_nH_{2n+2});
gradual change in physical properties (as n = carbon atoms change) [1]

(c) catalyst: aluminium oxide;/ ZEOLITE / Aluminium oxide + silicon dioxide SiO_2
 Al_2O_3 [1]

temperature; $400\text{ }^\circ\text{C} - 600\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; $400^\circ\text{C} - 500^\circ\text{C}$ / $400^\circ\text{C} - 550^\circ\text{C}$ [1]

(d) (i) High pressure 10 - 15 ATM
ethene; [1]

(ii) oxygen reacts with ethanol; bacteria in the air oxidises ethanol; atmosphere
bacteria oxidises ethanol.
ethanol is oxidised [1]

to ethanoic acid (which is sour);
acetic acid [1]