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Paper 1 Multiple Choice

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45 minutes

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.

You may use a calculator.

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



- 1 When there is no wind, the scent of flowers can be detected more easily on a warm evening than on a cold evening.

This is because the molecules of the scent1.....2..... than in colder conditions.

Which words correctly complete gaps 1 and 2?

	gap 1	gap 2
A	condense	nearer to the flowers
B	condense	further from the flowers
C	diffuse	nearer to the flowers
D	diffuse	further from the flowers

- 2 A student investigates if, at 30 °C, the concentration of acid affects how rapidly it reacts with a known mass of magnesium.

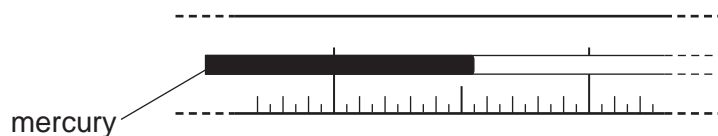
The student has a beaker, concentrated acid, water and the apparatus below.

- P a balance
- Q a clock
- R a measuring cylinder
- S a thermometer

Which of these pieces of apparatus does the student use?

- A** P, Q and R only
 - B** P, Q and S only
 - C** Q, R and S only
 - D** P, Q, R and S
- 3 The boiling point of liquid X is lower than that of water. To test a student, a teacher covers up the numbers on a thermometer. The student places the thermometer in boiling liquid X.

The diagram represents part of the stem of this thermometer.



What could the temperature on the thermometer be?

- A** 75.5 °C
- B** 84.5 °C
- C** 104.5 °C
- D** 105.5 °C

4 Which mixture can be separated by adding water, stirring and filtering?

- A barium chloride and sodium chloride
- B copper and magnesium
- C diamond and graphite
- D silver chloride and sodium nitrate

5 An atom has the symbol p_qX .

Which value determines the position of the element in the Periodic Table?

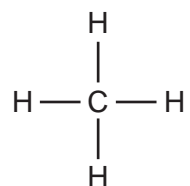
- A p
- B q
- C $p - q$
- D $p + q$

6 Element Y is in the second Period of the Periodic Table. An atom of element Z has six more protons than an atom of element Y.

Which statement **must** be correct?

- A Elements Y and Z are in the same Period.
- B Elements Y and Z have the same number of electrons in the first shell.
- C Element Z has six more electrons in its outer shell than element Y.
- D The nucleon number of element Z is six more than that of element Y.

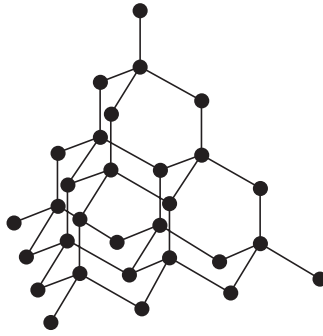
7 The diagram shows the structure of methane.



What is the total number of electrons used for bonding in this molecule?

- A 2
- B 4
- C 8
- D 10

8 The diagram shows the structure of a substance.

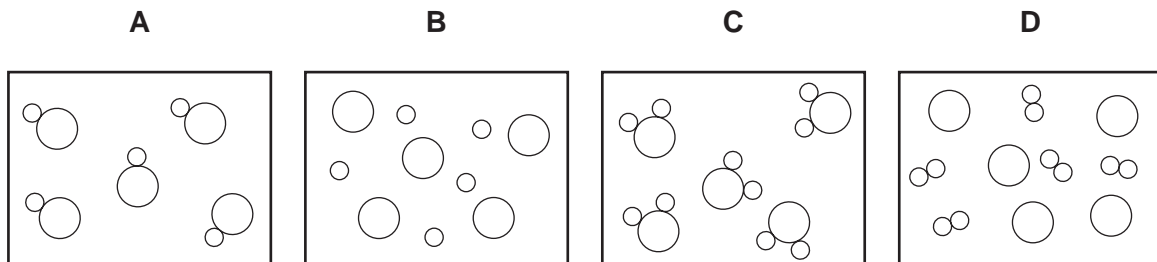


What is represented?

- A diamond
- B ethane
- C graphite
- D poly(ethene)

9 In the diagrams, circles of different sizes represent atoms of different elements.

Which diagram can represent hydrogen chloride gas?



10 Boron, B, forms an oxide.

Which equation is correctly balanced?

- A $2\text{B} + 3\text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{B}_2\text{O}_3$
- B $2\text{B} + 3\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{B}_2\text{O}_3$
- C $4\text{B} + 2\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{B}_2\text{O}_3$
- D $4\text{B} + 3\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{B}_2\text{O}_3$

11 Students are asked to state

- the number of atoms in one molecule of ethanoic acid,
- the relative molecular mass, M_r , of this acid.

Which line is correct?

	number of atoms	M_r
A	8	32
B	8	60
C	9	26
D	9	46

12 A molten compound is electrolysed. Two atoms of X are deposited at the negative electrode at the same time as three atoms of Y are deposited at the positive electrode.

These results show that:

X is a ...1...;

Y is a ...2...;

the formula of the compound is ...3... .

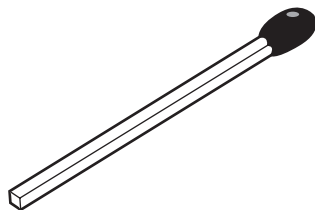
How are gaps 1, 2 and 3 correctly completed?

	1	2	3
A	metal	non-metal	X_3Y_2
B	metal	non-metal	X_2Y_3
C	non-metal	metal	X_3Y_2
D	non-metal	metal	X_2Y_3

13 In which electrolyses are chlorine, hydrogen and sodium hydroxide all produced?

	aqueous sodium chloride	molten sodium chloride
A	✓	✓
B	✓	x
C	x	✓
D	x	x

14 The diagram shows a match.



By striking the match, a chemical reaction takes place.

Which statements about the chemical reaction are correct?

	type of reaction	reason
A	endothermic	because energy is used to strike the match
B	endothermic	because energy is given out as the match burns
C	exothermic	because energy is used to strike the match
D	exothermic	because energy is given out as the match burns

15 Which process is **not** exothermic?

- A** burning a fossil fuel
- B** obtaining lime from limestone
- C** radioactive decay of ^{235}U
- D** reacting hydrogen with oxygen

16 Three reactions used in the manufacture of sulphuric acid are shown.

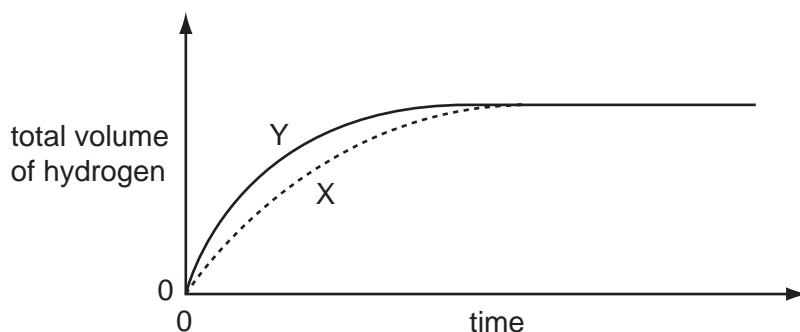
- 1 $\text{S} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{SO}_2$
- 2 $2\text{SO}_2 + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{SO}_3$
- 3 $\text{SO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$

Which of these reactions are redox reactions?

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

- 17 In an experiment using dilute acid and a metal, the speed at which hydrogen is released is measured (curve X on graph).

The experiment is repeated but with one of the conditions changed (curve Y on graph).



Which changes in condition could result in curve Y?

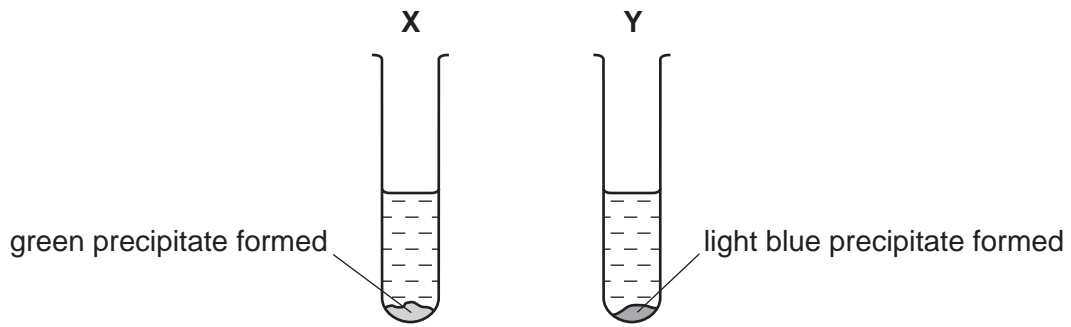
	increase in concentration of acid	increase in particle size of metal	increase in temperature
A	✓	✓	✓
B	✓	✓	✗
C	✓	✗	✓
D	✗	✓	✓

- 18 Aqueous sodium hydroxide and aqueous ammonia each give a white precipitate when added to aqueous zinc sulphate.

What happens when an excess of each of these reagents is added?

	excess NaOH(aq)	excess NH ₃ (aq)
A	precipitate dissolves	precipitate dissolves
B	precipitate dissolves	precipitate does not dissolve
C	precipitate does not dissolve	precipitate dissolves
D	precipitate does not dissolve	precipitate does not dissolve

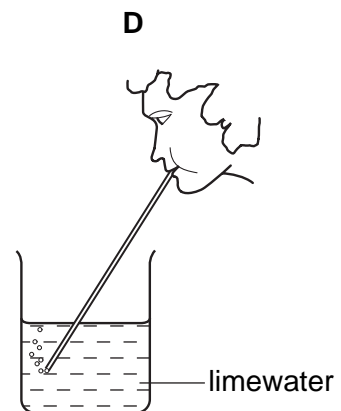
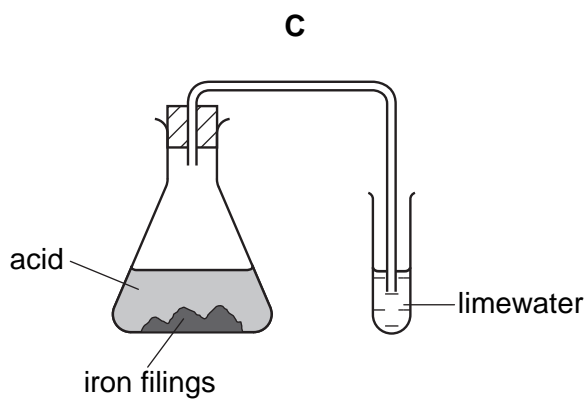
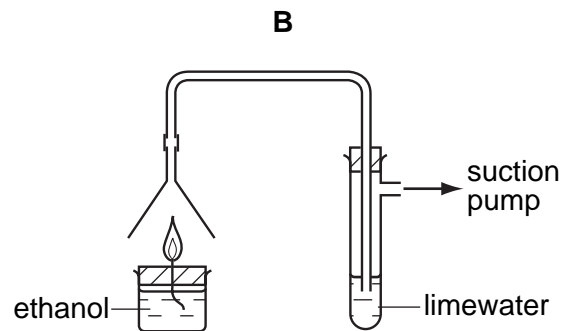
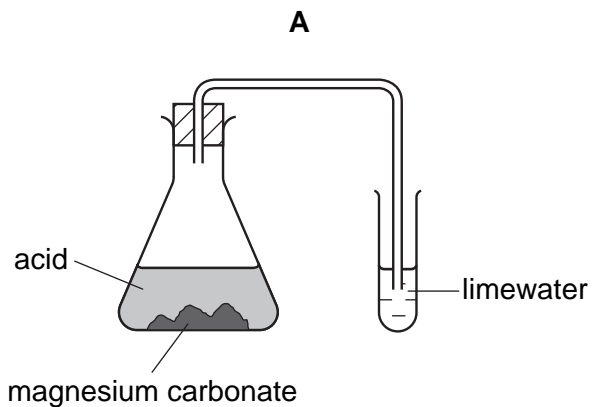
19 Aqueous sodium hydroxide is added to two different solutions with the results shown.



What are the cations present in **X** and **Y**?

	X	Y
A	copper(II)	iron(II)
B	copper(II)	iron(III)
C	iron(II)	copper(II)
D	iron(III)	copper(II)

20 In which experiment does the limewater **not** turn milky?



24 Which substances react with aqueous potassium bromide to form bromine?

	chlorine	iodine
A	✓	✓
B	✓	x
C	x	✓
D	x	x

25 Why are some weather balloons filled with helium rather than hydrogen?

- A** Helium is found in air.
- B** Helium is less dense than hydrogen.
- C** Helium is more dense than hydrogen.
- D** Helium is unreactive.

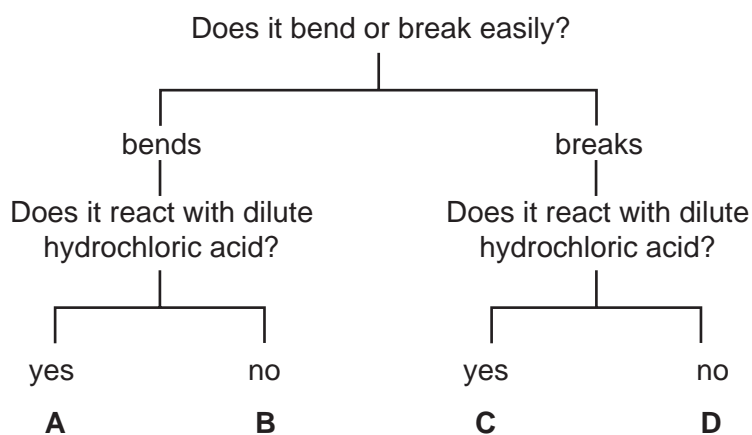
26 The table shows the densities of some Group I metals.

Which of these metals sinks in benzene (density = 0.88 g / cm^3) but floats in nitrobenzene (density = 1.2 g / cm^3)?

	metal	density, in g / cm^3
A	lithium	0.53
B	sodium	0.97
C	potassium	0.86
D	rubidium	1.53

27 The diagram shows the properties of four substances.

Which one could be magnesium?



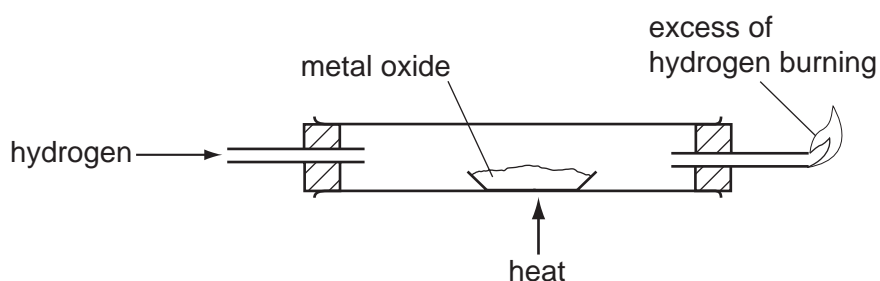
28 In 'native' copper, the element occurs as the metal, not as a compound.

Gold is below copper in the reactivity series.

Which can be deduced about the properties of gold?

	it occurs 'native'	it reacts with dilute sulphuric acid
A	✓	✓
B	✓	x
C	x	✓
D	x	x

29 The diagram shows a method for displacing a metal from its oxide.



Which metal can be displaced from its oxide by using this method?

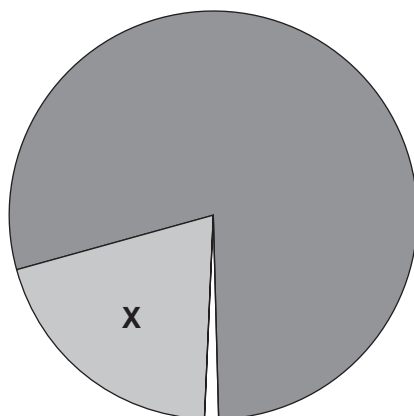
- A** calcium
- B** copper
- C** magnesium
- D** potassium

30 Stainless steel is used to make cutlery. Aluminium is used to make food containers.

Which property do **both** metals have that makes them suitable for these uses?

- A** They are good conductors of electricity.
- B** They are good conductors of heat.
- C** They are resistant to corrosion.
- D** They are very strong.

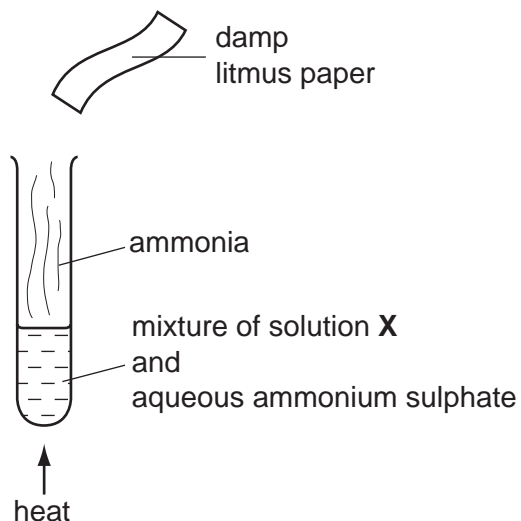
- 31 Which process takes place in the conversion of iron into steel?
- A Basic oxides are removed.
 - B Carbon is converted to carbon dioxide.
 - C Iron is oxidised.
 - D Iron oxide is reduced.
- 32 In which industrial process is the presence of water **not** essential?
- A the electrolytic purification of copper
 - B the production of ethanol from ethene
 - C the production of ethanol by fermentation
 - D the production of iron in the Blast Furnace
- 33 The pie chart represents the composition of air.



What is gas **X**?

- A carbon dioxide
- B hydrogen
- C nitrogen
- D oxygen

34 The diagram shows an experiment in which ammonia is released.



Which line in the table is correct?

	solution X	final colour of litmus paper
A	aqueous sodium hydroxide	blue
B	aqueous sodium hydroxide	red
C	dilute sulphuric acid	blue
D	dilute sulphuric acid	red

35 A bag of fertiliser 'Watch it grow' contains ammonium sulphate and potassium sulphate.

Which of the three elements N, P and K does 'Watch it grow' contain?

	N	P	K
A	✓	✓	x
B	✓	x	✓
C	x	x	✓
D	x	✓	x

36 When limestone is heated very strongly in air, lime is made.

What is the formula of limestone and of lime?

	limestone	lime
A	CaCO ₃	CaO
B	CaCO ₃	Ca(OH) ₂
C	CaO	CaCO ₃
D	Ca(OH) ₂	CaCO ₃

37 Bromine and steam each react with ethene.

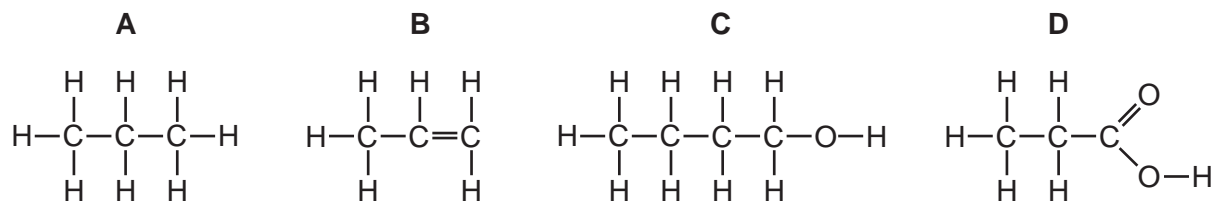
Which of these reactions need a catalyst?

	Br ₂ /ethene	steam/ethene
A	✓	✓
B	✓	x
C	x	✓
D	x	x

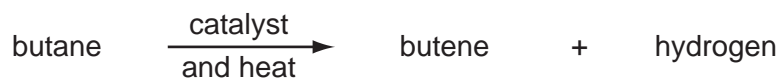
38 What are formed when glucose is fermented?

- A** ethanol and carbon dioxide
- B** ethanol and oxygen
- C** ethene and carbon dioxide
- D** ethene and oxygen

39 Which formula represents a compound that dissolves in water to form an acidic solution?



40 Butane reacts as shown.



What is this type of reaction?

- A combustion
- B cracking
- C polymerisation
- D reduction

DATA SHEET
The Periodic Table of the Elements

		Group																																													
		I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	0																																			
		1 H Hydrogen 1										4 He Helium 2																																			
7 Li Lithium 3	9 Be Beryllium 4											19 F Fluorine 9																																			
23 Na Sodium 11	24 Mg Magnesium 12	11 B Boron 5	12 C Carbon 6	13 Al Aluminium 13	14 Si Silicon 14	15 P Phosphorus 15	16 S Sulphur 16	17 Cl Chlorine 17	18 Ar Argon 18	20 Ne Neon 10																																					
39 K Potassium 19	40 Ca Calcium 20	27 Ga Gallium 31	28 Ge Germanium 32	29 Co Cobalt 27	30 Zn Zinc 30	31 As Arsenic 33	32 Se Selenium 34	33 Br Bromine 35	34 Kr Krypton 36	35 Sb Antimony 51	36 Te Tellurium 52	37 I Iodine 53	38 Xe Xenon 54																																		
85 Rb Rubidium 37	88 Sr Strontium 38	45 Sc Scandium 21	46 Ti Titanium 22	47 V Vanadium 23	48 Cr Chromium 24	49 Mn Manganese 25	50 Fe Iron 26	51 Ni Nickel 28	52 Cu Copper 29	53 Zn Zinc 30	54 Ga Gallium 31	55 Ge Germanium 32	56 As Arsenic 33	57 Se Selenium 34	58 Br Bromine 35	59 Kr Krypton 36	60 Rb Rubidium 37	61 Sr Strontium 38	62 Y Yttrium 39	63 Zr Zirconium 40	64 Nb Niobium 41	65 Mo Molybdenum 42	66 Tc Technetium 43	67 Ru Ruthenium 44	68 Rh Rhodium 45	69 Pd Palladium 46	70 Ag Silver 47	71 Cd Cadmium 48	72 In Indium 49	73 Sn Tin 50	74 Sb Antimony 51	75 Te Tellurium 52	76 I Iodine 53	77 Xe Xenon 54													
133 Cs Caesium 55	137 Ba Barium 56	140 Ce Cerium 58	141 Pr Praseodymium 59	142 Nd Neodymium 60	143 Pm Promethium 61	144 Sm Samarium 62	145 Eu Europium 63	146 Gd Gadolinium 64	147 Tb Terbium 65	148 Dy Dysprosium 66	149 Ho Holmium 67	150 Er Erbium 68	151 Tm Thulium 69	152 Yb Ytterbium 70	153 Lu Lutetium 71	154 Hf Hafnium 72	155 Ta Tantalum 73	156 W Tungsten 74	157 Re Rhenium 75	158 Os Osmium 76	159 Ir Iridium 77	160 Pt Platinum 78	161 Au Gold 79	162 Hg Mercury 80	163 Tl Thallium 81	164 Pb Lead 82	165 Bi Bismuth 83	166 Po Polonium 84	167 At Astatine 85	168 Rn Radon 86	169 Fr Francium 87	170 Ra Radium 88	171 Ac Actinium 89	172 Th Thorium 90	173 Pa Protactinium 91	174 U Uranium 92	175 Np Neptunium 93	176 Pu Plutonium 94	177 Am Americium 95	178 Cm Curium 96	179 Bk Berkelium 97	180 Cf Californium 98	181 Es Einsteinium 99	182 Fm Fermium 100	183 Md Mendelevium 101	184 No Nobelium 102	185 Lr Lawrencium 103

*58-71 Lanthanoid series
†90-103 Actinoid series

a	X	†
Key	b	‡

a = relative atomic mass
X = atomic symbol
b = proton (atomic) number

The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm³ at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).