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MODULE I

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

You should have the following for this examination:

Answer booklet;

Non-programmable scientific calculator.

This paper consists of TWO sections; A and B.

Answer ALL questions in section A and any TWO questions from section B in the answer booklet provided.

Each question in section A carries 15 marks while each question in section B carries 20 marks.

Maximum marks for each part of a question are as shown.

Candidates should answer the questions in English.

This paper consists of 8 printed pages.

Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all the pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.

SECTION A (60 marks)

Answer ALL the questions in this section.

1. (a) Without using a calculator evaluate $\frac{2}{3}$ of $\left(3\frac{1}{4} - 1\frac{3}{4} \div \frac{7}{8}\right)$. (3 marks)
- (b) Solve the quadratic equation: $-4x - 5 = -x^2$. (3 marks)
- (c) If $x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $z = \begin{pmatrix} 3p & 5q \\ 4r & 3s \end{pmatrix}$ determine the value of p , q , r , and s , given $2x = z$ (4 marks)
- (d) A trader bought a photocopier for Ksh. 36,500. He later sold it for Ksh. 44,500. Determine his percentage profit. (3 marks)
- (e) Given the sequence 2, -6, 18, -54, determine the 8th term of the sequence. (2 marks)
2. (a) Convert the following to SI unit:
- (i) 0.6 g; (1 mark)
- (ii) 0.0001 km. (1 mark)
- (b) Define the term capacitance. (1 mark)
- (c) Explain how each of the following factors affect the capacitance of the capacitors.
- (i) area of the overlap; (1 mark)
- (ii) distance of separation. (1 mark)
- (d) Figure 1 shows the behaviour of light from a distance object.

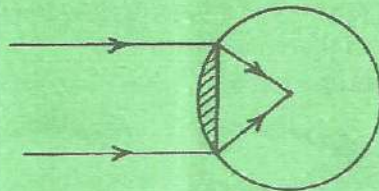


Fig. 1

- (i) Identify the defect. (1 mark)
- (ii) By using ray diagram, show how the defect can be corrected. (2 marks)
- (iii) The critical angle for diamond is 24.4° , calculate the refractive index of diamond. (3 marks)

- (e) (i) Define 'specific latent heat of fusion'. (1 mark)
- (ii) A 2 g solid requires 12.2 J of energy to change its state. Calculate the latent heat of fusion. (3 marks)

3. (a) (i) State the Le-Chatelier principle. (1 mark)
- (ii) State **two** factors which affect equilibrium constant. (2 marks)
- (b) Table I gives the atomic numbers of the elements **A, B, C, D, E, F** and **G**. Study it and answer the questions that follow. The letters do not represent the actual symbols of the elements.

Table I

Element	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Atomic Number	14	15	16	17	18	19	20

- (i) Using the s.p.d.f notation, write the electron configuration of element **A**. (1 mark)
- (ii) Write the formula of the compound formed when **D** reacts with **G**. (1 mark)
- (iii) State the type of bond present in the compound (ii) above. (1 mark)
- (c) Given that the oxidation number of oxygen (O) is -2 , calculate the oxidation number of chromium in $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$. (3 marks)
- (d) State **two** advantages and **one** disadvantage of detergents compared to soap. (3 marks)
- (e) Balance the chemical equation $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_{2(aq)} + \text{NH}_4\text{Cl} \rightarrow \text{CaCl}_{2(aq)} + \text{NH}_{3(g)} + \text{H}_2\text{O}_{(l)}$. (3 marks)
4. (a) Name the basic functional unit of kidney. (1 mark)
- (b) Define binomial nomenclature. (1 mark)
- (c) Explain the importance of each of the following in a living organism:
- (i) locomotion; (2 marks)
- (ii) respiration. (1 mark)

- (d) Name the cell organelles which are abundant in:
- (i) sperm cell; (1 mark)
(ii) pancreas. (1 mark)
- (e) Explain fish gills adaptation to gaseous exchange. (3 marks)
- (f) Explain the role of each of the following hormones:
- (i) prolactin; (1 mark)
(ii) testosterone; (1 mark)
(iii) progesterone. (1 mark)
- (g) State the function of exoskeleton in insects. (2 marks)

SECTION B (40 marks)

Answer any TWO questions from this section.

5. (a) Calculate the standard deviation of the following set of numbers 5, 6, 7, 8, 9. (5 marks)
- (b) Determine $\frac{dy}{dx}$ given that $y = \frac{x^2 + 4x + 4}{x + 2}$ (3 marks)
- (c) Figure 2 shows a triangle ABC with $a = 10$ cm; $b = 8$ cm and $\angle ABC = 50^\circ$. Calculate $\angle BAC$. (4 marks)

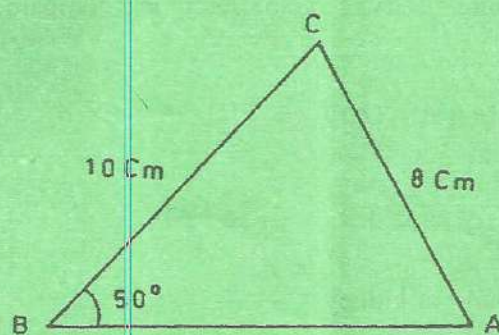


Fig. 2

(d) Given that vector $\underline{a} = 7\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$ and $\underline{b} = 2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$, determine:

(i) $\underline{a} + \underline{b}$; (2 marks)

(ii) $|\underline{a} + \underline{b}|$. (2 marks)

(e) Express b in terms of y in the expression:

$$6\log_a b - 2\log_a b = 2\log_a b + \log_a y \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

6. (a) Figure 3 shows the force between parallel conductors carrying current.

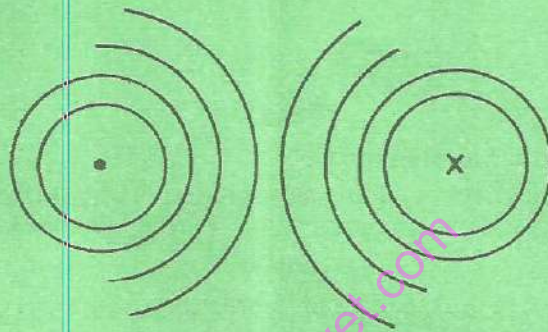


Fig.3

On the diagram indicate the:

- (i) directions of magnetic field lines. (1 mark)
(ii) direction of the force. (1 mark)

(b) State two properties of cathode rays. (2 marks)

- (c) (i) Define centripetal force. (1 mark)
(ii) A body of mass 2 kg was tied to a string and whirled in a horizontal circle of radius 0.8 m, with a speed of 4 ms^{-1} . Calculate the tension on the string. (3 marks)

- (d) Calculate the effective resistance in Figure 4. (3 marks)

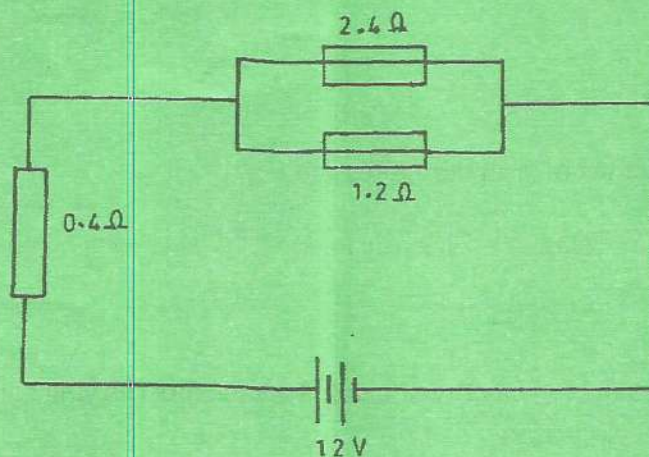


Fig 4

- (e) (i) Define surface tension force. (1 mark)
(ii) Explain the effect of adding salt solution on the surface tension of a liquid. (2 marks)
- (f) Differentiate between diffraction and interference of waves. (2 marks)
- (g) Distinguish between elastic and inelastic collision. (2 marks)
- (h) State two applications of Bernoulli's effect. (2 marks)
7. (a) 24.6 g of hydrated salt $\text{MSO}_4 \cdot x\text{H}_2\text{O}$ on heating produced 12.0 g of anhydrous MSO . Calculate the value of x . ($M = 24$, $S = 32$, $O = 17$). (5 marks)
- (b) When sodium hydroxide is reacted with dilute sulphuric (VI) acid, sodium chloride and water are the only products produced. Write a balanced chemical equation for the reaction. (3 marks)

(c) Study the flow chart shown in Figure 5 and answer the questions that follow.

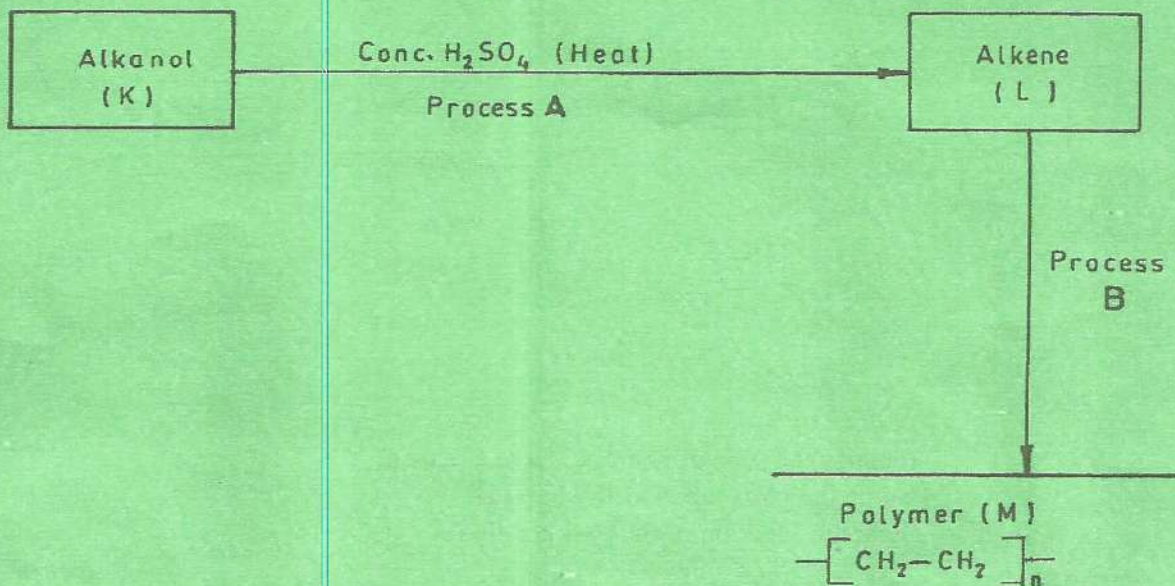


Fig.5

Write the structural formulae of:

- Alkanol (K); (1 mark)
- Alkene (L); (1 mark)
- State the IUPAC name of (L); (1 mark)
- Name the process labelled A and B; (2 marks)
- Write an equation for the formation of polymer M from alkene (L). (2 marks)

(d) Table II shows some properties of compound P, Q, R and S. Study it and answer the questions that follow.

Table II

Compound	Melting point (m.p)	Boiling point (B.P)	Electrical conductivity in water
P	-23	77	Does not conduct
Q	-19	74	Does not conduct
R	-85	-61	Does not conduct
S	407	724	Conduct

- Identify the ionic compound in table II. Explain. (2 marks)
 - State the compound that is gaseous at room temperature. (1 mark)
- (e) Name the sub-atomic particles found in an atom. (2 marks)

8. (a) Figure 6 shows a neurone.

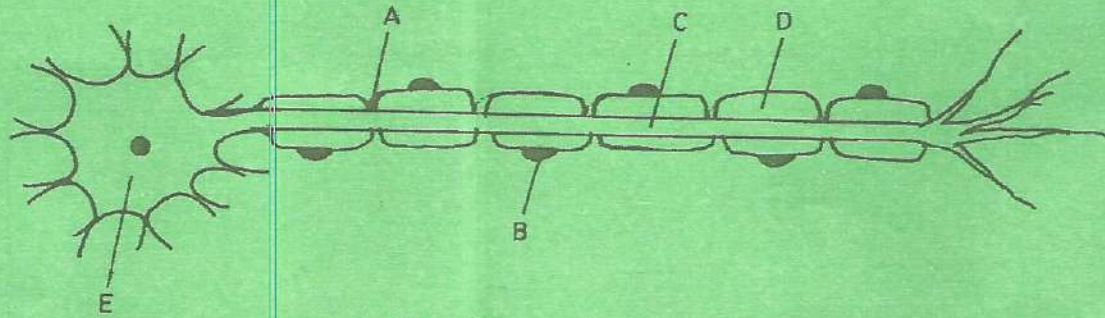


Fig. 6

- (i) Identify the type of neurone. Give a reason. (2 marks)
- (ii) Name the parts labelled B, C and D. (3 marks)
- (iii) State the function of the part labelled A. (1 mark)
- (b) Explain why plants lack complex excretory system. (3 marks)
- (c) (i) Distinguish between a hinge joint and a ball & socket joint. (2 marks)
- (ii) Name the cartilage found between the vertebrae of the vertebral column C. (1 mark)
- (iii) Explain the functions of the cartilage named in c (ii) above. (3 marks)
- (d) State **three** reasons for the loss of energy from one trophic level to the next in a food web. (3 marks)
- (e) Explain the roles of the Tricuspid valve in a mammalian heart. (2 marks)

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