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**[KIMIA BERSISTEM DAN KIMIA NUKLEUS]**

Duration : 3 hours

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Please ensure that this examination paper contains **EIGHT** printed pages before you begin the examination.

Answer **SEMUA** questions. You may answer **either** in Bahasa Malaysia or in English.

All answers must be written in the answer booklet provided.

Each questions is worth 20 marks and the marks for each sub question is given at the end of that question.

*Sila pastikan bahawa kertas peperiksaan ini mengandungi **LAPAN** muka surat yang bercetak sebelum anda memulakan peperiksaan ini.*

*Jawab **SEMUA** soalan. Anda dibenarkan menjawab soalan **sama ada** dalam Bahasa Malaysia atau Bahasa Inggeris.*

*Setiap jawapan mesti dijawab di dalam buku jawapan yang disediakan.*

*Setiap soalan bernilai 20 markah dan markah subsoalan diperlihatkan di penghujung subsoalan itu.*

1. (a) Use Slater's rules to estimate values of  $Z_{\text{eff}}$  for (i) a 4s electron and (ii) a 3d electron in a V atom.
- (b) Using your answer to question 1(a), explain why the valence configuration of the ground state of a  $V^+$  ion is likely to be  $3d^34s^1$  rather than  $3d^24s^2$ .
- (c) Confirm that the experimentally observed electronic configuration of K, is  $1s^22s^22p^63s^23p^64s^1$ , is energetically more stable than the configuration  $1s^22s^22p^63s^23p^63d^1$ .
- (d) The first four ionization energies of an atom X are 403, 2633, 3900 and 5080  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ . Suggest to what periodic group X belongs and give reasons for your choice.
- (a) *Gunakan peraturan Slater untuk menganggarkan nilai  $Z_{\text{eff}}$  bagi (i) elektron 4s (ii) elektron 3d dalam atom V.*
- (b) *Dengan menggunakan jawapan anda untuk soalan 1(a), jelaskan mengapa konfigurasi keadaan asas ion  $V^+$  lebih mungkin menjadi  $3d^34s^1$  daripada  $3d^24s^2$ .*
- (c) *Sahkan bahawa konfigurasi electron bagi K yang diperolehi dari eksperimen,  $1s^22s^22p^63s^23p^64s^1$ , adalah lebih stabil dari aspek tenaga daripada konfigurasi  $1s^22s^22p^63s^23p^63d^1$ .*
- (d) *Empat tenaga pengionan pertama atom X ialah 403, 2633, 3900 and 5080  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ . Cadangkan kumpulan berkala manakah atom X berada dan beri alasan kepada jawapan anda.*

(20 marks)

2. (a) Write equations for the following processes, noting appropriate conditions :
- (i) electrolysis of water
- (ii) electrolysis of molten LiH
- (iii)  $\text{CaH}_2$  reacting with water
- (iv) Mg treated with dilute nitric acid
- (v) combustion of  $\text{H}_2$
- (vi) reaction of  $\text{H}_2$  with CuO

*Tuliskan persamaan bagi proses-proses berikut dengan mengambil kira keadaan yang sesuai :*

- (i) elektrolisis air*
- (ii) elektrolisis LiH lebur*
- (iii) tindakbalas  $\text{CaH}_2$  dengan air*
- (iv) tindakbalas Mg dengan asid nitrik cair*
- (v) pembakaran  $\text{H}_2$*
- (vi) tindakbalas  $\text{H}_2$  dengan  $\text{CuO}$*

(12 marks)

- (b) A compound **C** was isolated from the reaction between a group 1 metal **M** and  $\text{O}_2$ . **C** reacts with water to give only  $\text{MOH}$ , while **M** reacts in a controlled manner with water giving  $\text{MOH}$  and another product **D**. Suggest identities for **M**, **C** and **D**. Write equations for the reactions described. Compare the reaction of **M** with  $\text{O}_2$ , with those of the other group I metals with  $\text{O}_2$ .

*Suatu sebatian C telah diasingkan dari tindakbalas di antara logam kumpulan I M dan  $\text{O}_2$ . C bertindakbalas dengan air untuk menghasilkan hanya MOH, manakala M bertindakbalas secara terkawal dengan air untuk menghasilkan MOH dan satu lagi hasil D. Cadangkan identiti M, C dan D. Tuliskan persamaan bagi tindakbalas tersebut. Bandingkan tindakbalas M dan  $\text{O}_2$  dengan tindakbalas M dengan logam kumpulan I yang lain.*

(8 marks)

3. (a) The major industrial use of carbon is as a reducing agent. Write equations for THREE (3) important uses of carbon as a reducing agent.

*Kegunaan utama karbon dalam industri ialah sebagai agen penurunan. Tuliskan persamaan untuk TIGA (3) kegunaan penting karbon sebagai agen penurunan.*

(6 marks)

- (b) Suggest why catenation is more common for C than for Si, Ge and Sn. Why is this relevant to the formation of families of saturated hydrocarbon molecules?

*Cadangkan kenapa pengkatenan lebih biasa bagi C berbanding Si, Ge dan Sn. Mengapakah hal ini relevan kepada pembentukan kumpulan molekul hidrokarbon tepu?*

(6 marks)

- (c) List FIVE (5) chemical properties of Li that makes it diagonally related to Mg rather than vertically related to the other alkali metals.

*Senaraikan LIMA (5) sifat kimia bagi Li yang membuatkan ia mempunyai hubungan pepenjuru dengan Mg, dan bukannya hubungan menegak dengan logam-logam alkali lain dalam kumpulan.*

(8 marks)

4. (a) Use the VSEPR (Valence Shell Electron Pair Repulsion) theory to predict the structures of

- (i)  $H_2Se$
- (ii)  $[H_3S]^+$
- (iii)  $SO_2$
- (iv)  $SF_4$
- (v)  $SF_6$

*Gunakan teori PPEPV (Penolakan Pasangan Elektron Petala Valens) untuk meramalkan struktur*

- (i)  $H_2Se$
- (ii)  $[H_3S]^+$
- (iii)  $SO_2$
- (iv)  $SF_4$
- (v)  $SF_6$

(8 marks)

(b) Explain the following observations :

- (i) Although the hydrogen bonding in HF is stronger than that in H<sub>2</sub>O, water has the higher boiling point.
- (ii) Silver chloride and silver iodide are soluble in saturated aqueous KI, but insoluble in saturated aqueous KCl.
- (iii) Al<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>6</sub> and I<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>6</sub> are not isostructural.

*Jelaskan pemerhatian berikut :*

- (i) *Walaupun pengikatan hidrogen dalam HF lebih kuat daripada pengikatan hidrogen dalam H<sub>2</sub>O, air mempunyai takat didih yang lebih tinggi.*
- (ii) *Argentum klorida dan argentum iodida melarut dalam KI akueus tepu tetapi tidak larut dalam KCl akueus tepu.*
- (iii) *Al<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>6</sub> dan I<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>6</sub> bukannya berisostuktur.*

(6 marks)

(c) Explain why, on going from monomeric BeCl<sub>2</sub> to dimeric (BeCl)<sub>2</sub> to polymeric (BeCl<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>, the environment of the Be atom changes from linear to trigonal planar to tetrahedral.

*Jelaskan mengapa, apabila bergerak dari BeCl<sub>2</sub> monomerik ke (BeCl)<sub>2</sub> dimerik, ke (BeCl<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub> polimerik, persekitaran atom Be berubah dari linear ke satah trigonal ke tetrahedral.*

(6 marks)

5. (a) Write balanced nuclear equations for the following process :

- (i) rubidium-90 undergoes beta decay
- (ii) selenium-72 undergoes electron capture
- (iii) krypton-76 undergoes positron emission
- (iv) radium-226 emits alpha radiation.

*Tuliskan persamaan berimbang untuk proses-proses berikut :*

- (i) *rubidium-90 mengalami pereputan beta*
- (ii) *selenium-72 mengalami penangkapan elektron*
- (iii) *krypton-76 mengalami proses pemancaran positron*
- (iv) *radium-226 memancar radiasi alfa*

- (b) How much energy must be supplied to break a single aluminium-27 nucleus into separated protons and neutrons if an aluminium-27 atom has a mass of 26.9815386 amu? How much energy is required for 100.0 grams of aluminium-27?

*Berapa banyak tenaga yang perlu dibekalkan untuk memisahkan satu nukleus aluminium-27 kepada proton dan neutron jika jisim satu atom aluminium-27 ialah 26.9815386 amu? Berapakah tenaga yang diperlukan untuk 100.0 gram aluminium-27?*

(12 marks)

### FUNDAMENTAL CONSTANTS\*

Atomic mass unit	1 amu = $1.66053873 \times 10^{-24}$ g
	1 g = $6.02214199 \times 10^{23}$ amu
Avogadro's number	$N$ = $6.02214199 \times 10^{23}$ / mol
Boltzmann's constant	$k$ = $1.3806503 \times 10^{-23}$ J/K
Electron charge	$e$ = $1.602176462 \times 10^{-19}$ C
Faraday's constant	$F$ = $9.64853415 \times 10^4$ C/mol
Gas constant	$R$ = 0.082058205 L-atm/ mol-K
Mass of electron	$m_e$ = $5.485799 \times 10^{-4}$ amu
	= $9.10938188 \times 10^{-28}$ g
Mass of neutron	$m_n$ = 1.0086649 amu
	= $1.67492716 \times 10^{-24}$ g
Mass of proton	$m_p$ = 1.0072765 amu
	= $1.67262158 \times 10^{-24}$ g
Pi	$\pi$ = 3.1415927
Planck's constant	$h$ = $6.62606876 \times 10^{-34}$ J-s
Speed of light	$c$ = $2.99792458 \times 10^8$ m/s

**WebElements: the periodic table on the world-wide web**  
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
H 1 hydrogen	He 2 helium																
Li 3 lithium	Be 4 beryllium	B 5 boron	C 6 carbon	N 7 nitrogen	O 8 oxygen	F 9 fluorine	Ne 10 neon										
Na 11 sodium	Mg 12 magnesium	Al 13 aluminium	Si 14 silicon	P 15 phosphorus	S 16 sulphur	Cl 17 chlorine	Ar 18 argon										
K 19 potassium	Ca 20 calcium	Sc 21 scandium	Ti 22 titanium	V 23 vanadium	Cr 24 chromium	Mn 25 manganese	Fe 26 iron	Co 27 cobalt	Ni 28 nickel	Cu 29 copper	Zn 30 zinc	Ga 31 gallium	Ge 32 germanium	As 33 arsenic	Se 34 selenium	Br 35 bromine	Kr 36 krypton
Rb 37 rubidium	Sr 38 strontium	Y 39 yttrium	Zr 40 zirconium	Nb 41 niobium	Mo 42 molybdenum	Tc 43 technetium	Ru 44 ruthenium	Rh 45 rhodium	Pd 46 palladium	Ag 47 silver	Cd 48 cadmium	In 49 indium	Sn 50 tin	Sb 51 antimony	Te 52 tellurium	I 53 iodine	Xe 54 xenon
Cs 55 caesium	Ba 56 barium	Lu 71 lutetium	Hf 72 hafnium	Ta 73 tantalum	W 74 tungsten	Re 75 rhenium	Os 76 osmium	Ir 77 iridium	Pt 78 platinum	Au 79 gold	Hg 80 mercury	Tl 81 thallium	Pb 82 lead	Bi 83 bismuth	Po 84 polonium	At 85 astatine	Rn 86 radon
Fr 87 francium	Ra 88 radium	Lr 103 lawrencium	Rf 104 rutherfordium	Db 105 dubnium	Sg 106 seaborgium	Bh 107 bohrium	Hs 108 hassium	Mt 109 meitnerium	Ds 110 darmstadtium	Rg 111 roentgenium	Uub 112 unubium	Uut 113 ununium	Uuq 114 ununquadium	Uup 115 ununpentium	Uuh 116 ununhexium	Uus 117 ununseptium	Uuo 118 ununoctium

Key:  
 element name  
 atomic number  
 symbol  
 atomic weight (mean relative mass)

**\*lanthanoids**

lanthanum	cerium	praseodymium	neodymium	promethium	europium	gadolinium	terbium	dyprosium	holmium	erbium	thulium	ytterbium
La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb
138.91	140.12	140.91	144.24	[145]	151.96	157.25	158.93	162.50	164.93	167.26	168.93	173.05
actinium	thorium	protactinium	uranium	neptunium	plutonium	americium	curium	berkelium	californium	einsteinium	fermium	mendelevium
Ac	Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu	Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md
227	232.04	231.04	238.03	237	244	243	247	247	251	252	257	259

Symbols and names: the symbols and names of the elements and their spellings are those recommended by the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC - <http://www.iupac-oci.org/>). Names have yet to be proposed for the most recently discovered elements beyond 112 and so those are the IUPAC's temporary systematic names. In the USA and some other countries the spellings aluminium and cadmium are normal while in the UK and elsewhere the common spelling is sulphur. Group labels: the numeric system (1-18) used here is the current IUPAC convention. Atomic weights (mean relative masses): Apart from the elements in the actinoid series (see the IUPAC 2007 values and given to 5 significant figures). Elements for which the atomic weight is given within square brackets have no stable nuclides and are represented by the element's longest lived isotope reported at the time of writing. ©2007 Dr Mark J Winzer, WebElements Ltd and University of Sheffield. web@webelements.com or web@webelements.com