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This question is about electrolysis.

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Some metals are extracted from molten compounds using electrolysis.

Why is electrolysis used to extract some metals?

[1 mark]

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Aluminium is produced by electrolysis of a molten mixture.

What **two** substances does the molten mixture contain?**[2 marks]**1

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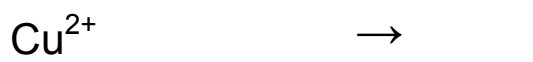
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Copper and chlorine are produced when molten copper chloride is electrolysed.

Complete the half equation for the reaction at each electrode.

[2 marks]

Half equation at negative electrode



Half equation at positive electrode

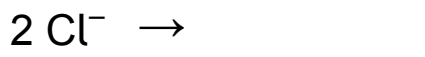
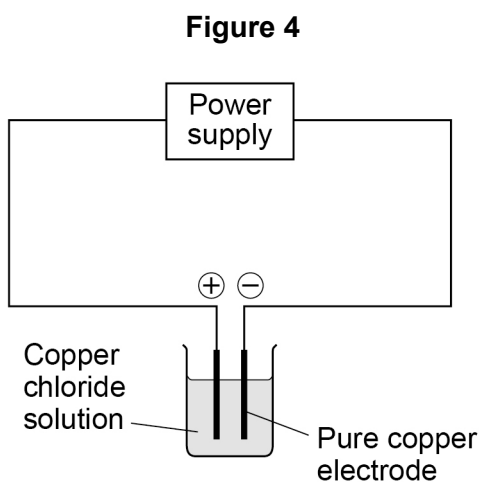


Figure 4 shows the apparatus a student used to electrolyse copper chloride solution.



The student:

- measured the mass of copper deposited on the negative electrode after 60 minutes
- compared the mass deposited with the expected value.

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Suggest **two** reasons why the mass deposited was different from the expected value.

[2 marks]

1 _____

2 _____

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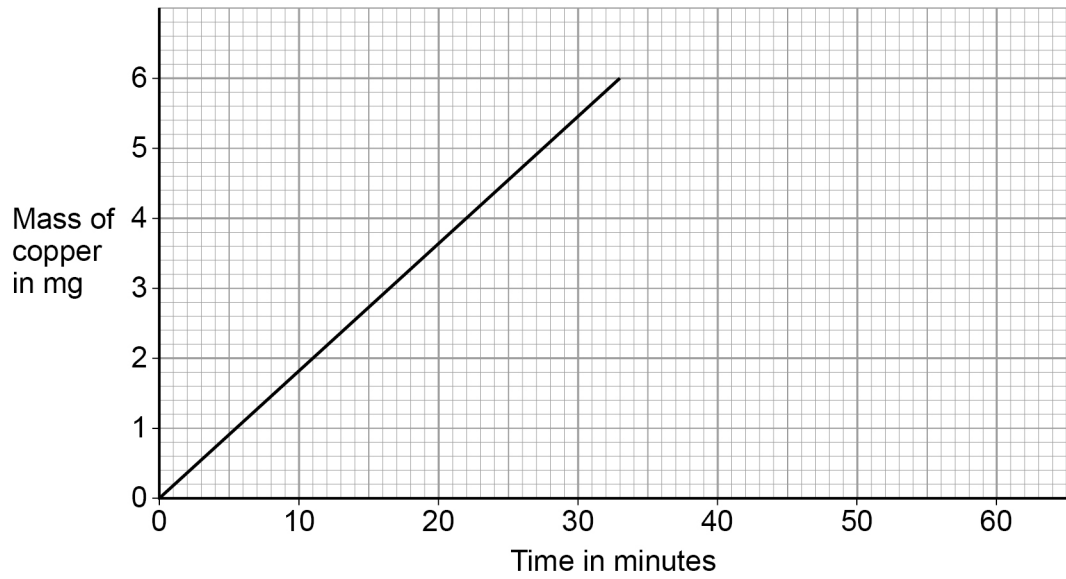
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Figure 5 shows the expected mass of copper produced each minute.

Figure 5



Determine the expected mass of copper after 24 hours.

Use Figure 5.

[3 marks]

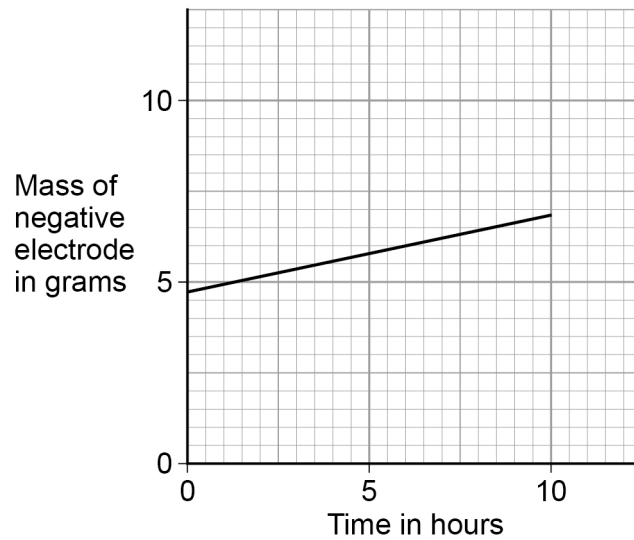
Mass = _____ mg



Silver nitrate solution is electrolysed.

Figure 6 shows the change in mass of the negative electrode over 10 hours.

Figure 6



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Determine the mass of the negative electrode at the start of the experiment.

Use **Figure 6**.

[1 mark]

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Calculate the gradient of the line in **Figure 6**.

Give the unit.

[3 marks]

Gradient _____

Unit _____



Question	Answers	Extra information	Mark	AO / Spec. Ref.
05.1	metal is too reactive to be extracted using carbon or metal reacts with carbon	allow metal is more reactive than carbon	1	AO1 5.4.3.3
05.2	aluminium oxide cryolite	either order ignore bauxite or aluminium ore	1 1	AO1 5.4.3.3
05.3	negative electrode: $\text{Cu}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^{-} \rightarrow \text{Cu}$ positive electrode: $2\text{Cl}^{-} \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{e}^{-}$	allow multiples allow $2\text{Cl}^{-} - 2\text{e}^{-} \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2$	1 1	AO2 5.4.3.2 5.4.3.5
05.4	any two from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> concentration / volume of solution was different impurities in solution error in timing copper falls off (electrode) copper removed when drying electrode electrode not dry (when weighed) voltage / current was different 	allow copper at bottom of beaker ignore power supply ignore recorded mass inaccurately	2	AO3 5.4.3.4

05.5		an incorrect answer for one step does not prevent allocation of marks for subsequent steps		AO2 5.4.3.4
	reading of mass at stated time	allow tolerance of $\pm \frac{1}{2}$ small square eg at 30 minutes value is 5.4 (mg)	1	
	factor from time to 24 hours	eg 5.4×48 ($= \frac{24 \text{ hours}}{30 \text{ minutes}}$) allow correct calculation using incorrectly read value for mass at time quoted	1	
	correct evaluation	eg = 259 (mg)	1	
	alternative approach: calculates the gradient (1) gradient \times time in minutes in 24 hours (1)	eg $(1.8 \div 10) = 0.18$ eg $0.18 \times 24 \times 60$ or eg 0.18×1440 allow correct use of incorrectly determined gradient		
	correct evaluation (1)	eg = 259 (mg)		

05.6	4.75 (g)	allow values in range 4.7–4.8 (g)	1	AO2 5.4.3.4
05.7	<p>(working) Y increase and X increase measured from graph</p> <p>and substitution into $\frac{\text{Y increase}}{\text{X increase}}$</p> <p>correct evaluation</p> <p>(units) g/hour</p>	<p>an answer in the range 0.18– 0.25 scores 2 marks (3 marks with correct unit)</p> <p>allow ecf from question 05.6</p> <p>eg = $\frac{2.0}{10}$</p> <p>eg = 0.2</p> <p>allow g/h or g/hr or g per hour</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>	<p>AO2 5.4.3.4</p>
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