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GROUP SEVEN					
Group seven are known as the .					
The ion of the group	The ion of the group seven elements are known as .				
The ion of the group	generally has the char	ge of	•		
In their natural state t	the elements of group s	seven are			•
Halogen		Halide			
Fluorine —		Fluoride-			
Chlorine –		Chloride-			
lodine -		lodide-			
Physical properties:					
The boiling point dow	n the group				
Q) Why?					
More	therefore			.	Requires
more	to overcome the	•			
Element Fluorine	State at room temp	Colour	Colour	of gas]
Chlorine					-
Bromine					1
lodine]
Reactivity: The reactivity of the halogens down the group.					
Q) Why?					
Increase in in	, theref this makes it he	fore an increase in arder to	an electron.	and an	increase

The halogens are all			
Oxidising agent definition:			
A species that	something else, it itself gets		•
The ability of the halogens	as an oxidising agent	down the gro	oup.
Q) Why?			
Increase in in	, therefore an increase in this makes it harder to	an electron.	and an increase
Redox reactions of the hal	ogens:		
A more ho	alogen will displace a less rea compound.	ctive	from its
As an ionic equation:			
All the halides in an aqueou	us solution form		•
The halogens dissolved in w between them.	rater form solutions; how	vever, it is diffi	cult to distinguish
Therefore, when these experiments are carried out we use an . This helps us to see the colour of the at the end of the experiment. Usually the organic solvent is .			

Halogen	Colour of the halogen in the organic solvent
Chlorine	
Bromine	
lodine	

Two layers are seen, an aqueous layer and an organic layer.

Q) Why do we form two layers?

The organic solvent is . When these tests are carried out the is dissolved in the . This is because are non-polar and tend to dissolve more readily into the .

Q) What is seen in the aqueous layer?

The is seen in the aqueous layer. The water is and therefore attracts the halide ions. Halide ions are more readily dissolved in

Example question:

A solution of potassium bromide is added to an organic solvent and shaken; aqueous chlorine is then added.

- a) What would you observe?
- b) Write a chemical equation to show what is happening.

c) Write an ionic equation for the reaction above

HINT: Remember to remove the spectator ions!

d) What is being oxidised and what is being reduced?			
e) What is the stronger oxidising agent? Explain in terms of atomic structure why the one you have chosen is the strongest oxidising agent.			
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Determining an unknown halide in a solution:					
	Test: Add	and			
The observations determine the identity of the halide ion.					
F	lalide	Test	Observation		
So, what is	happening?				
	on is forming an		. This is a		
. This is know	vn as a	reaction.			
Q) Write an	ionic equation f	or the above reaction			
Further test					
Add	to the pp	.			
	will dissolve in	to form a	colourless solution.		
	will dissolve in	to form a	colourless solution.		
	will not dissolve	e in or	•		

Disproportionation reactions of chlorine
Disproportionation reaction definition:
Reaction of chlorine and NaOH
The NaOH is
Use:
Q) Complete the ionic equation for the above reaction
Show that the above equation is a redox reaction
Reaction of chlorine and NaOH
The NaOH is
The purification of drinking water:
Reaction of chlorine with water:
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Use: Added to include that it can be carcinogenic .	to kill if too much chlorine is added an	. Disadvantages d it can produce
Q) Write the ionic equation for the re	eaction above:	
Commercial uses of the halogens or	halogen compounds:	
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