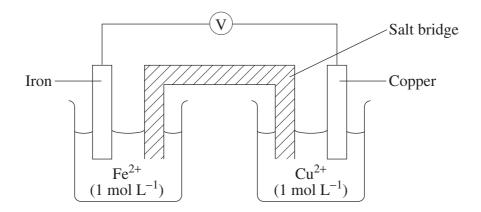
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Question 29 — Shipwrecks and Salvage (25 marks)

- (a) (i) Name the type of electrochemical cell that produces a spontaneous reaction.
 - (ii) Calculate the voltage required to operate the cell shown in the diagram as an electrolytic cell, showing relevant half-equations in your working.



- (b) Describe how the work of early scientists increased our understanding of electron transfer reactions.
- (c) (i) Name ONE method for removing salt from an artefact recovered from a wreck.
 - (ii) Explain, using an example, chemical procedures used to clean and preserve artefacts from wrecks.
- (d) During your practical work you performed a first-hand investigation to compare and describe the rate of corrosion of materials in different acidic and neutral solutions.
 - (i) Outline the procedure used.

(ii) It is hypothesised that acidic environments accelerate the corrosion of shipwrecks.

Explain how data obtained from the procedure in part (d) (i) does or does not support this hypothesis.

(e) Analyse the effect of ocean depth on corrosion of metallic objects. 6