Combined Science Past Paper Practice

5.2 Structure, Bonding and the Properties of Matter



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Q1.

This question is about elements and compounds.

(a) The chart below shows the proportion of elements in the periodic table that are metals and non-metals.



Determine the percentage of the elements in the chart above that are metals.

	Percentage =	%	(2)
b)	Give two physical properties of metals.		
	1		
	2		
			(2)
c)	Sodium reacts with chlorine to produce sodium chloride.		
	Balance the equation for the reaction.		

 $___ Na + Cl_2 \rightarrow ___ NaCl$

The diagram below shows part of the structure of sodium chloride (NaCl).



Sodium chloride

(d) What holds the particles together in sodium chloride?

Use the diagram above.

Tick (\checkmark) one box.

Electrostatic attractions

Intermolecular forces

Metallic bonds

(e) Solid sodium chloride does not conduct electricity.

Give two ways in which sodium chloride can be made to conduct electricity.

- 1._____
- 2._____

(2) (Total 8 marks)

Q2.

This question is about elements in the periodic table.

(a) What property was used to arrange elements in early periodic tables?

Tick (\checkmark) one box.

Atomic number	
Atomic weight	
Mass number	

(b) In early periodic tables, iodine (I) was placed before tellurium (Te).

Mendeleev placed iodine after tellurium.

Figure 1 shows part of Mendeleev's periodic table.

Figure	1
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16	19
O	F
32	35.5
S	Cl
79	80
Se	Br
128	127
Te	I

Suggest one reason why Mendeleev placed iodine in the column shown in Figure 1.

The table below shows the melting points of three Group 1 metals.

Metal	Melting point in °C
Lithium	180
Sodium	98
Potassium	63

(1)

(c) What state is lithium at 100 °C?

Use table above.

Tick (**√**) **one** box.



(d) Complete the graph below.

Use the table above.

You should:

- complete the scale on the y-axis
- draw bars to show the melting points of sodium and potassium.



(3)

(e) Lithium reacts with chlorine to produce lithium chloride.

Figure 2 shows what happens to the electrons in the outer shells when a lithium atom reacts with a chlorine atom.

The dots (o) and crosses (x) represent electrons.



Describe what happens to a lithium atom and to a chlorine atom when they react.

Use Figure 2 to answer in terms of electrons.

(f) Lithium and potassium are in the same group of the periodic table.

Figure 3 represents the electronic structures of a lithium atom and of a potassium atom.

(3)



Figure 3

Give two reasons why potassium is more reactive than lithium.

1	
2	
	(2) (Total 11 marks)

Q3.

This question is about oxygen and compounds of oxygen.

- (a) What is the state symbol of oxygen at room temperature?
- (b) **Figure 1** shows the percentage by mass of the elements calcium, carbon and oxygen in calcium carbonate.



What is the percentage by mass of calcium in calcium carbonate?

Percentage = _____ %
(1)

(c) At high temperature, sodium nitrate decomposes into sodium nitrite and oxygen.

A student heats three samples of sodium nitrate.

The mass of each sample was 4.50 g

The mass of solid after heating was recorded.

Table 1 shows the mass of solid after heating in each experiment.

Table 1

Experiment	Mass of solid after heating in g
1	3.76
2	3.98
3	4.09

Calculate the mean mass of solid after heating.

Give your answer to 3 significant figures.

Mean mass of solid after heating =	g	
		(3)

(d) **Table 2** shows the electronic structure of hydrogen and oxygen.

Element	Electronic structure
Hydrogen	1
Oxygen	2,6

Figure 2 shows part of a dot and cross diagram of a molecule of water (H₂O).

Complete the dot and cross diagram.

You should show only the electrons in the outer energy levels.





(2)

Oxygen and sulfur are examples of simple molecules.

(e) Complete the sentence.

(f)

Choose the answer from the box.



(2) (Total 10 marks)

Q4.

This question is about the halogens.

(a) Which group in the periodic table is known as the halogens?

Tick **one** box.

Group 1	
Group 2	
Group 7	
Group 0	

(1)

(b) A fluorine atom has 7 electrons in the outer shell.

The diagram below shows part of a dot and cross diagram to represent a molecule of fluorine (F_2).

Complete the dot and cross diagram.

You should show only the electrons in the outer shells.



(c) Chlorine reacts with potassium bromide solution.

Complete the word equation.



(2)

(2)

	Tick one box.
	decomposition
	displacement
	neutralisation
	precipitation
(e)	Complete the sentence.
	Choose the answer from the box.
	an atom an electron a neutron a proton
	Chlorine is more reactive than bromine.
	This is because chlorine gains more easily.
(f)	How does the size of a chlorine atom compare with the size of a bromine atom?
	Complete the sentence.
	Choose the answer from the box.
	bigger than the same size as smaller than
	A chlorine atom is a bromine atom.
(g)	Give a reason for your answer to part (f)
(0)	Reason
(h)	Fluorine reacts with chlorine to produce CIF ₃
(יי <i>)</i>	Balance the chemical equation for the reaction.
	Cl_2 + $F_2 \rightarrow 2 \ ClF_3$

(1)

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(1)

(d) What type of reaction happens when chlorine reacts with potassium bromide solution?

(i) Explain why fluorine is a gas at room temperature.

Use the following words in your answer:

energy	forces	molecules	weak	

(3) (Total 13 marks)

Q5.

This question is about structure and bonding.

(a) **Figure 1** shows part of one layer of graphene.





Which element is graphene made from?

Tick one box.

Carbon	
Copper	
Hydrogen	
Sodium	

(b) Each atom in graphene has one delocalised electron.

Complete the sentence.

Choose the answer from the box.

act as a lubricant	be used as a fuel
conduct electricity	dissolve in water

Delocalised electrons allow graphene to _____

(1)

(c) Which structure is a fullerene?

Tick one box.



Figure 2 shows part of a large hydrocarbon molecule.



(d) Which two elements are in all hydrocarbons?



(1)

(2)

(e) Complete the sentence.

Choose the answer from the box.

an atom	a metal	a polymer	a salt
The large molecule	represented in Fig	gure 2 is	
Complete the sente	ence.		
Choose the answer	from the box.		
attract	bond	slide	vibrate
Metals can be strete	ched into wires		
because the layers	of atoms can		·

(Total 7 marks)

Q6.

This question is about compounds of fluorine.

(a) A fluorine atom has 7 electrons in the outer shell.

Figure 1 shows part of a dot and cross diagram of a molecule of hydrogen fluoride (HF).

Complete the dot and cross diagram in Figure 1.

You should show only the electrons in the outer shells.

Figure 1



(1)

Figure 2 shows the boiling point and melting point of oxygen difluoride (OF_2).



Figure 2

(b) What is the state of oxygen difluoride at –200 °C?

Tick **one** box.

Aqueous (aq)	
Gas (g)	
Liquid (I)	
Solid (s)	

(c) What change of state occurs when oxygen difluoride is cooled from -220 °C to -230 °C?
 Tick one box.



(1)

Potassium reacts with fluorine to produce the ionic compound potassium fluoride (KF).

Figure 3 shows the transfer of electrons during the reaction.



Figure 3

(d) Describe what happens when potassium reacts with fluorine to produce potassium fluoride.

Write about electron transfer in your answer.

(e) Potassium fluoride is an ionic compound.

Explain why ionic compounds have high melting points.

Use the following words in your answer:

- attraction
- energy
- ions.

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(4)

(Total 13 marks)

Q7.

John Newlands arranged the known elements into a table in order of atomic weight.

Figure 1

Figure 1 shows part of Newlands' table.

Group	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Н	Li	Be	В	С	Ν	0
	F	Na	Mg	AI	Si	Ρ	S
	CI	K	Ca				

(a) What are the names of the elements in Group 5 of Newlands' table?Tick **one** box.

Calcium and sulfur	
Carbon and silicon	
Chlorine and silver	
Chromium and tin	

(b) In what order is the modern periodic table arranged?

Tick one box.



(1)

(c) Give **two** differences between Group 1 of Newlands' table and Group 1 of the periodic table.

(d) In 1864, atoms were thought to be particles that could not be divided up into smaller particles.

By 1898, the electron had been discovered and the plum pudding model of an atom was proposed.

Figure 2 shows the plum pudding model of an atom of carbon and the nuclear model of an atom of carbon.



Figure 2

Compare the position of the subatomic particles in the plum pudding model with the nuclear model.

(2)

(4)

(e) Models are used to show the differences between elements, compounds and mixtures.Which circle shows a model of a mixture?

Tick one box.



(f) **Figure 3** shows a model of carbon dioxide.

Figure 3

$$0 = C = 0$$

What does each line between the atoms in Figure 3 represent?

Tick one box.

Covalent bond	
Intermolecular force	
Ionic bond	
Metallic bond	

(1) (Total 10 marks)

Q8.

The three states of matter are solid, liquid and gas.

(a) Lithium reacts with water to produce lithium hydroxide solution and hydrogen.

Use the correct state symbols from the box to complete the chemical equation.



(b) **Figure 1** shows the melting points and the boiling points of four substances, **A**, **B**, **C** and **D**.

(2)



Figure 1

Which substance is liquid over the greatest temperature range?

Tick **one** box.



Which two substances are gases at 50 °C? (C)

Tick one box.

A and B	
B and C	
C and D	
A and D	

- (d)
- A different substance, **E**, has: a melting point of −50 °C
 - a boiling point of +120 °C •

Plot these two values on Figure 1.

(1)

(1)

(2)

(e) **Figure 2** shows the apparatus a student used to determine the melting point and the boiling point of substance **B** in **Figure 1**.



Explain why the student could not use this apparatus to determine the boiling point of substance **B**.

(f) Suggest **one** reason why the student could not use this apparatus to determine the exact melting point of substance **B**.

(1) (Total 9 marks)



(2)

Q9.

The apparatus in the figure below is used to separate a mixture of liquids in a fuel.



(a) What is apparatus **W** on above the figure above?

Tick one box.

Beaker	
Boiling Tube	
Flask	
Jug	

(b) What is the name of this method of separation?

Tick one box.

Crystallisation	
Electrolysis	
Filtration	
Distillation	

(1)

(c) Name the changes of state taking place at **A** and **B** in the figure above.

Use words from the box.

boiling	condensing	freezing	melting	
Change of state at	A:			
Change of state at	B:			

(d) **Table 1** shows the boiling points of the hydrocarbons in the fuel.

Table 1

Hydrocarbon	Boiling point in °C
Pentane	36
Hexane	69
Heptane	98
Octane	125

Which hydrocarbon will be the last to collect in the beaker?

Tick one box.

Pentane	
Hexane	
Heptane	
Octane	

(1)

(2)

(e) The fuel is a mixture of liquids that has been designed as a useful product.

What name is given to this type of mixture?

Tick **one** box.

Catalyst	
Formulation	
Polymer	
Solvent	

(1)

(2)

(f) Describe how this fuel is different from crude oil.

(g) A student measured the melting point of a solid hydrocarbon four times.

The student's results are in **Table 2**.

	Та	ble	e 2
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	Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 3	Trial 4
Melting point in °C	35	48	37	37

Calculate the mean melting point of the hydrocarbon, leaving out any anomalous result.

Give your answer to two significant figures.

Mean melting point = _____ °C

(2)

(Total 10 marks)

Q10.

This question is about substances with covalent bonding.

(a) The diagram below shows a ball and stick model of a water molecule (H₂O).



(1)

(1)

(1)

Suggest **one** limitation of using a ball and stick model for a water molecule.

(b) Ice has a low melting point.

Water molecules in ice are held together by intermolecular forces.

Complete the sentence.

Ice has a low melting point because the intermolecular forces are

(c) The image below shows the structure of a molecule.



What is the molecular formula of the molecule in the above image?

Diamond has a giant covalent structure.

(d) What is the number of bonds formed by each carbon atom in diamond?

Tick (\checkmark) one box. 2 3 8 4 (1) (e) Give two physical properties of diamond. 1._____ 2._____ (2) (f) Name two other substances with giant covalent structures. 1._____ 2._____ (2) (Total 8 marks)

Q11.

This question is about sodium and chlorine.

Figure 1 shows the positions of sodium and chlorine in the periodic table.



(2)

(4)

(c) The reaction between sodium and chlorine is an exothermic reaction.

Complete the reaction profile for the reaction between sodium and chlorine.





(2) (Total 8 marks)

Q12.

Three substances are all solid at room temperature.

The table describes tests and the result of each test on the three substances.

Substance	Effect of large force applied	Effect of heating gently at first, then strongly	Effect of passing electricity through solid	Effect of passing electricity through liquid
A	Breaks into many pieces	Easily melts and then boils	Does not conduct	Does not conduct
В	Breaks into many pieces	No change	Does not conduct	Conducts
с	Becomes thinner	No change	Conducts	Conducts

(a) The covalent bonds in the molecules are not overcome when substance A is heated.What forces are overcome when substance A melts?

(b) What could substance A be?

Tick **one** box.

Graphite	
Iron	
Sodium chloride	
Sulfur	

(c) Suggest why substance **B** conducts electricity as a liquid but does **not** conduct electricity as a solid.



(1)

(d) Suggest why substance **C** becomes thinner when a large force is applied.



(1) (Total 8 marks)

Q13.

This question is about calcium.

(a) What type of compound is calcium oxide?

Tick **one** box.

An acid	
A base	
A carbonate	
A salt	

(1)

(1)

(b) Ionic compounds, such as calcium oxide, have high melting points.

Complete the sentences. Use words from the box.

bonds	forces	ions	layers

Calcium oxide has a giant ionic lattice in which there are strong electrostatic

_____ of attraction in all directions.

(c) The figure below shows the electronic structure of an oxygen atom and a calcium atom.



Describe how the calcium atom and the oxygen atom forms calcium oxide.

You should give the charge on each ion formed.



(Total 6 marks)
Q14.

This question is about elements.

Caesium is in Group 1 of the periodic table.

(a) Explain what happens to caesium atoms and to oxygen atoms when caesium reacts with oxygen to produce caesium oxide.

You should answer in terms of electrons.

(b) Explain why caesium is more reactive than sodium.

You should answer in terms of electrons.

(4)

(4)

(c) The diagram below shows part of Mendeleev's periodic table.

16	19
O	F
32	35.5
S	Cl
79	80
Se	Br
128	127
Te	I

Explain why the early periodic tables placed iodine (I) before tellurium (Te), but then Mendeleev placed tellurium before iodine.

(3) (Total 11 marks)

Q15.

This question is about oxygen.

(a) Hydrogen reacts with oxygen.

$$2 \text{ H}_2(g) + \text{O}_2(g) \rightarrow 2 \text{ H}_2\text{O}(g)$$

Figure 1 shows the relative energies of the reactants and products at a certain temperature.



Label the activation energy on Figure 1.

(b) Determine the overall energy change for the reaction between hydrogen and oxygen shown in part (a).

(1)

(2)

(c) Oxygen is in Group 6 of the periodic table.

Figure 2 shows the outer energy levels in one molecule of oxygen (O₂).

Draw the electrons in the outer energy levels in Figure 2.



(d) The equation shows the decomposition of hydrogen peroxide.

 $2 \text{ H-O-O-H} \rightarrow 2 \text{ H-O-H} + \text{ O=O}$

The table shows the bond energies.

Bond	0–0	0=0	O–H
Bond dissociation energy in kJ per mole	138	496	463

Calculate the overall energy change for the reaction.

(Total 8 marks)

(2)

Q16.

This question is about elements in the periodic table.

(a) What order did scientists use to arrange elements in early periodic tables?

(1)

(b) In the early periodic tables some elements were placed in the wrong groups.

Mendeleev overcame this in his periodic table.

Give one way Mendeleev did this.

(1)

The table shows the boiling points of fluorine, chlorine and bromine.

Element	Boiling point in °C
Fluorine	-186
Chlorine	-34
Bromine	+59

(c) Explain why the boiling points in the table are low.

(2)

(d) Explain the trend in the boiling points in the table above.

(3)

(e) Explain why neon is unreactive.

Give the electronic structure of neon in your answer.

low many atoms are there in 1 g of a	argon?	
The Avogadro constant is 6.02×10^{23}	per mole.	
Relative atomic mass (A_r) : Ar = 40		
	Number of atoms in 1 g = _	

Q17.

(C)

This question is about sodium.

(a) Sodium reacts with chlorine.

What is the balanced equation for the reaction?

Tick (\checkmark) one box.

$Na + CI \to NaCI$	
$Na+Cl_2\toNaCl_2$	
2 Na + Cl₂ → 2 NaCl	
$2 \text{ Na} + \text{Cl} \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{Cl}$	

(b) Hot sodium is put in a gas jar of chlorine.

Describe the observations made before, during and after the reaction.

Before reaction	
During reaction	
After reaction	
Explain why sodium is less reactive than potassium.	

(1)

(3)

(d) Chlorine reacts with sodium and with hydrogen.

Compare the structure and bonding in sodium chloride and hydrogen chloride.

(6) (Total 14 marks)

Q18.

This question is about the halogens.

Write the state symbol for chlorine at room temperature. (a)

Cl₂ (____)

(b) The diagram below represents one molecule of fluorine.

Complete the dot and cross diagram on the diagram above.

You should show only the electrons in the outer shells.



(2)

(1)

¹⁹₉F A fluorine atom can be represented as (c)

What is the total number of electrons in a fluorine molecule (F2)?

Tick one box.



(d) Aluminium reacts with bromine to produce aluminium bromide.

Complete the balanced chemical equation for this reaction.

Al + $Br_2 \rightarrow 2$

(e) When chlorine reacts with potassium bromide, chlorine displaces bromine.

 $CI_2 + 2 \text{ KBr} \rightarrow Br_2 + 2 \text{ KCl}$

Explain why chlorine is more reactive than bromine.

(2)



(Total 9 marks)

Q19.

This question is about structure and bonding.

(a) **Figure 1** shows part of the structure and bonding in diamond.



Explain why diamond has a high melting point.

(b) **Figure 2** shows part of the structure and bonding in sodium chloride (NaCl).

Figure 2



Explain the conditions needed for sodium chloride to conduct electricity.

(c) **Figure 3** shows the structure of sodium.

Figure 3



Describe how sodium conducts thermal energy.



(Total 9 marks)

Q20.

(b)

Fertilisers are formulations.

(a) What is a formulation?

R	elative formula mass (<i>M</i> _t): NH ₄ NO ₃ = 80
С	alculate the number of moles of ammonium nitrate in the bag of fertiliser.
G	ive your answer in standard form to 2 significant figures.

A bag of fertiliser contains 14.52 kg of ammonium nitrate (NH₄NO₃).

Moles of ammonium nitrate = _____ mol

(4)

(1)

(c) The fertiliser also contains potassium chloride.

Explain why potassium chloride has a high melting point.

Q21.

This question is about fluorine.

(a) Calcium reacts with fluorine to produce calcium fluoride (CaF₂).

Explain how oxidation and reduction have taken place in this reaction.

Write about electron transfer in your answer.

(b) Explain why calcium fluoride has a high melting point.

(4)

(4)

(c) Fluorine reacts with sulfur to produce sulfur hexafluoride (SF $_6$).

$$S + 3F_2 \rightarrow SF_6$$

Relative formula masses, M_r : $F_2 = 38$ $SF_6 = 146$

Calculate the mass of sulfur hexafluoride produced when 0.950 g of fluorine is reacted with an excess of sulfur.

Give your answer to 3 significant figures.		
	Mass =	
		9 (5)
		(Total 13 marks)

Q22.

This question is about oxygen.

(a) One oxygen atom shares one pair of electrons with each fluorine atom in oxygen difluoride (OF₂).

Complete the dot and cross diagram of oxygen difluoride below.

You should show only the electrons in the outer shells.



(b) Oxygen difluoride (OF₂) has a melting point of – 224 °C and a boiling point of –145 °C
 What is the state of oxygen difluoride at room temperature?
 Explain your answer in terms of structure and bonding.

(c) The equation shows the reaction of methane with oxygen.

$$H = 0 = 0 = 0 = 0 = 0 + 2H = 0 = H$$

The table shows the bond energies.

Bond	C–H	0=0	C=0	O–H
Bond energy in kJ per mole	412	496	803	463

(4)

Calculate the overall energy change for the combustion of one mole of methane).	
Energy change =	kJ mol ^{_1}	(
Energy change =	kJ mol ^{_1}	

(Total 9 marks)

Q23.

This question is about ammonia (NH₃).

(a) Complete the diagram to show the bonding electrons in ammonia.

Show the outer electrons only.



Ammonia is produced from nitrogen and hydrogen.

$$N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2NH_3(g)$$

The forward reaction is exothermic.

(b) A low pressure is used.

Explain the effect on the yield of ammonia.

(c) A high temperature is used.

Explain the effect on the yield of ammonia.

(2)

(2)

(d) Ammonia is removed from the reaction mixture.

Explain the effect on the position of equilibrium.

(2)

(2) (Total 8 marks)

Q24.

Hydrogen chloride (HCl) is a gas.

(a) Complete the diagram to show all of the arrangement of the outer shell electrons of the hydrogen and chlorine atoms in hydrogen chloride.



(b) Hydrochloric acid is a strong acid. Ethanoic acid is a weak acid.

Describe a reaction that could be used to show the difference between a weak acid and a strong acid.

You should explain why the weak acid and the strong acid give different results.

(6) (Total 7 marks)

Q25.

The picture shows a student filling in a multiple choice answer sheet using a pencil.



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The pencil contains graphite. Graphite rubs off the pencil onto the paper.

Diagrams 1 and 2 show how the atoms are arranged in graphite.



(a) Use the diagrams to help you explain why graphite can rub off the pencil onto the paper.

(2)

(b) Draw a ring around the type of bond which holds the atoms together in each layer.

covalent ionic metallic

Q26.

There are several different forms of carbon and many different carbon compounds.

(a) **Figure 1** shows a 3D model of a molecule of methane (CH₄).



Draw the 2D structure of a methane molecule.

(b) Different forms of carbon have different bonding and structure.

Draw **one** line from the form of carbon to the bonding and structure.

Form of carbon





Bonding and structure

Each carbon atom is bonded to three other carbon atoms in a single layer

Each carbon atom is bonded to four other carbon atoms

Layers of carbon atoms with no covalent bonds between the layers

Carbon ions held together by strong electrostatic forces

Pairs of carbon atoms with no covalent bonds between the molecules

(c) Crude oil is a mixture of many different carbon compounds.

Crude oil can be separated into useful fractions by fractional distillation.

Figure 2 shows a column used to separate crude oil.



(e) Which fraction is the most flammable?

Tick one box.

Diesel oil	
Kerosene	
Petrol	
Refinery gas	

(1)

(f) Why does kerosene separate out of the mixture before diesel oil?

(1) (Total 9 marks)

Q27.

This question is about graphene and graphite.

Graphene is a single layer of graphite.

Figure 1 represents part of the structure of graphene.



(a) Graphene is one atom thick. The diameter of the atom is 3.4×10^{-10} m

What is the thickness of a graphene layer in nanometres?

1 nm = 10⁻⁹ m

Tick (\checkmark) one box.



(b) Which is **one** use of graphene?Tick (✓) **one** box.



(1)

(c) Graphene and graphite are used in electronics.

Suggest **one** reason why graphene is a more suitable material for use in electronics than graphite.

(d) **Figure 2** represents part of the structure of graphite.

Figure 2



Graphite is used as a contact in electric motors because graphite:

- conducts electricity
- is slippery

Explain why graphite has these properties.

You should refer to the structure and bonding of graphite in your answer.

(6) (Total 9 marks)

Q28.

This question is about diamond and graphite.

Figure 1 shows part of the structure of diamond.





(a) Complete the sentence.

Choose the answer from the box.

calcium	carbon	chromium	cobalt

Diamond is a form of _____

(b) Which two statements about diamond are correct?

Tick two boxes.

Diamond has a giant structure.

Diamond has ionic bonds.

Diamond is made of layers.

Diamond has weak bonds.

Each atom is joined to four other atoms.



(2)

Figure 2 shows part of the structure of graphite.

xolain why graphit	e is soft and slippery.	~	
	our own knowledge.		
Graphite has covale	ent bonds between the a	itoms.	
ow many covalent	bonds does each atom	form?	
ick one box.			
1 2	3	4	
Explain why graphit	e can conduct electricity	Ι.	

(Total 9 marks)

Q1.

4 1.	8	
(a)	$\frac{10}{10} \times 100$ or 0.8×100	1
	= 80 (%) if no other mark awarded allow 1 mark for 20 (%)	1
(b)	any two from: • conducts electricity • conducts thermal energy <i>allow conducts heat</i> • ductile • high melting point <i>allow high boiling point</i> • malleable <i>allow can be bent / shaped</i> • shiny • strong <i>allow dense</i> <i>allow sonorous</i> <i>ignore chemical properties</i>	2
(c)	2 Na + Cl ₂ \rightarrow 2 NaCl allow multiples	1
(d)	electrostatic attractions	1
(e)	(heat sodium chloride until) molten / liquid	1
	dissolve in water allow form aqueous solution allow add water	1

[8]

Q2.

2. (a)	atomic weight			
(b)	(bacquea) proportios wora similar	1		
(b)	(because) properties were similar or			
	(because) iodine has similar / same properties as bromine / chlorine / fluorine allow symbols			
		1		
(c)	solid	1		
(d)	scale on the y-axis up to 180			
	ignore scale beyond 180	1		
	bar for sodium at 98 (°C)	-		
	allow a tolerance of \pm half a small square	1		
	har for not only (0)	1		
	bar for potassium at 63 (°C) allow a tolerance of ± half a small square			
	max 2 marks if reference to incorrect particle / bonding	1		
(e)	lithium (atom) loses one electron			
		1		
	chlorine (atom) gains one electron	1		
	any one from:			
	ions are formed <i>allow ionic bonding</i>			
	 lithium forms positive ion chlorine forms negative ion 			
	 form a full outer shell(s) / level(s) 			
	allow noble gas structure is formed	1		
	allow energy levels for shells allow converse for lithium			
(f)				
(f)	any two from:			
	reactivity of elements increases going down the group			
	potassium has more shells			
	potassium can lose an (outer) electron more easily			
	potassium has an outer shell / electron further away from the nucleus			
	 potassium has more shielding (of the outer shell / electron) 			
	• potassium has a weaker attraction between nucleus and outer shell / electron	2[11]		

Q3.

(a) (g)

(a)	(g)	allow g ignore formulae	1	
(b)	40 (%)		1	
(c)	3.76 + 3.98 3	$\frac{3+4.09}{3}$ or $\frac{11.83}{3}$ an answer of 3.94 (g) scores 3 marks		
	= 3.943(33	3333333333333333)	1	
	= 3.94 (g)	allow a correctly written answer to 3 significant figures from an incorrectly calculated mean	1	
(d)	one shared	d pair in each overlap allow combination of circles, dots, crosses or e ⁽⁻⁾ do not accept extra electron(s) on outer shell of hydrogen	1	
	4 non-bond	ding electrons in outer shell of oxygen ignore any inner shell electrons H H H H H H H H H H	1	
(e)	covalent		1	
(f)	high <u>er</u> (tha	n)	1	
	stron <u>ger</u> (than betw	een oxygen molecules)	1	[10]

(b)

(a) group 7

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one shared pair anywhere in overlap between two circles **or** on intersection 6 other electrons on each atom allow dots **or** crosses **or** mixture for all marks ignore any inner shell electrons 1

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		1
(c)	bromi <u>n</u> e	1
	potassium chlori <u>d</u> e	1
	either order allow correct chemical formulae	
(d)	displacement	1
(e)	(an) electron	1
(f)	smaller than	1
(g)	(chlorine has) fewer levels / shells (of electrons) allow converse for bromine allow (chlorine has) fewer electrons allow CI has 3 levels / shells <u>and</u> Br has 4 levels / shells ignore atomic number or mass number or number of protons	1
(h)	mark independent of answer to part (f)	
(11)	allow multiples	1
(i)	there are <u>weak forces</u> do not accept weak bonds	1

allow weak intermolecular forces for the first **2** marks

which require little <u>energy</u> to overcome / break allow does not need much <u>energy</u> to boil

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Q5.

- (a) carbon
- (b) conduct electricity 1



(d) carbon

hydrogen

either order

- (e) a polymer
- (f) slide

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Q6. (a)	H F J mark for one shared pair of electrons 1 mark for six unbonded electrons on F	2
(b)	liquid (I)	1
(c)	freezing	1
(d)	K loses	1
	one electron	1
	(to) form a positive ion	1
	F gains one electron	1
	(to) form a negative ion	1
(e)	lattice / giant structure allow many ions	1
	strong attraction	1
	between K^+ and F^- ions / oppositely charged ions	1
	(so) a lot of energy is needed to overcome / break allow strong bonds	1
		[13]
Q7.

(a)	Carbon and silicon	1
(b)	Atomic number	1
(c)	Hydrogen / fluorine / chlorine are not in Group 1 of the periodic table or	
	Hydrogen and fluorine / chlorine are not in the same group of the periodic table	1
	Lithium / sodium / potassium are in Group 1 of the periodic table	
		1
(d)	plum pudding model has a single ball of positive charge and nuclear model has positive charges in the centre / nucleus	
	charges in the centre / hucieus	1
	plum pudding model has electrons in random positions and nuclear model has electrons in fixed positions	
		1
	plum pudding model has no nucleus and the nuclear model has a nucleus	1
	plum pudding model has no neutrons and the nuclear model has neutrons in the nucleus	5 1
(e)		
	Ar N ₂ O ₂ CO ₂	1
(f)	Covalent bond	
(.)		

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Q8.

(a)	LiOH (aq)	
	this order	1
	H ₂ (g)	1
(b)	C	1
(c)	A and D	1
(d)	point x at −10 °C	1
	point ● at +150 °C	1
(e)	substance B will not reach its boiling point of 190 °C	1
	because the boiling point of water is only 100 °C	1
(f)	there is too much substance B to melt instantly. allow answers based on thermal conductivity or temperature gradient from the wall of the test tube to the thermometer	1

Q9.

	allow (35 + 48 + 37 + 37 / 4 =) 39(.25) for 1 mark	[10]
	36	1
(g)	(35 + 37 + 37 / 3) = 36.33	1
	and crude oil could have many more	1
	allow crude oil contains a large number of compounds and the fuel contains four	
	or the fuel is made up of four hydrocarbons	
	and crude oil is a mixture	1
(f)	the fuel is a pure compound	
(e)	Formulation	1
(d)	Octane	1
	B – condensing	1
(c)	A – boiling in this order	1
(b)	Fractional distillation	1
(a)	Flask	1

Q10.

(a) any **one** from:

	 not to scale allow size of atoms incorrect not 3 dimensional / D incorrect arrangement in space
(b)	weak allow weaker
(c)	CH₄O allow CH₃OH
(d)	4
(e)	any two from:
	• (very) hard allow strong
	(very) high melting point
	does not conduct electricity <i>allow high thermal conductivity ignore shiny</i>
(f)	graphite allow graphene
	silicon dioxide allow silica allow silicon allow polymer(s) or allow (named) polymer(s) allow fullerene or allow carbon nanotubes ignore buckminsterfullerene

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Q11.		
(a)	(difference) sodium has one and chlorine has seven electrons in <u>outer</u> level / shell	
	or number of electrons	
	number of electrons must be correct if quoted	1
	(similarity)	
	both have three / same number of levels / shells	
	or have electrons in third level / shell or	
	both have incomplete (outer) levels / shells	
	allow both have 2 electrons in inner shell or	
	both have 8 electrons in second shell	
	or both are one electron away from full outer level / shell	1
(b)	sodium (atom) loses	
	allow moves / transfers for loses	
	do not accept sodium ion loses	1
	one (outer shell electron)	1
	chlori <u>n</u> e (atom) gains	
	do not accept chlori <u>d</u> e	1
	one (electron)	
		1
	transfer of 1 electron from chlorine to sodium max 2 marks	

reference to sharing or covalent bonding **max 3** marks allow marks from suitable diagram(s)

(c)



Progress of reaction

ignore labels any curve / line going up and then down products <u>line</u> below reactants

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Q12.

(a)	intermolecular	1	
(b)	sulfur	1	
(c)	ions	1	
	fixed in solid	1	
	mobile in liquid	1	
(d)	layers of atoms allow ions	1	
	slide over each other	1	
(e)	copper	1	[8]

Q13.

			[6]
	oxide has a 2 ⁻ charge	1	
	calcium has a 2 ⁺ charge	1	
	two electrons are transferred	1	
		1	
(0)	max 3 for incorrect reference to atom / ion or to oxygen / oxide		
(c)	calcium loses electrons and oxygen gains electrons		
(b)	forces	1	
(a)	A base	1	
(-)			

(a)	caesium atom loses one electron	1
	(and) oxygen atom gains two electrons	1
	(so) two caesium atoms react with one oxygen atom allow (to produce) Cs ₂ O max 3 marks if reference to incorrect particles / bonding / structure	1
	 any one from: (to form) Cs⁺ and O²⁻ (to form) caesium ion(s) and oxide ion(s) (to form) ions with full outer shells / levels 	1
(b)	(caesium has) more energy levels or (caesium has) more shells <i>allow converse for sodium</i>	1
	(so the) outer electron / shell is further from nucleus or outer electron / shell is more shielded	1
	(so) weaker attraction between nucleus and outer electron / shell	1
	(so) outer electron is more easily lost allow (so) less energy needed to remove outer electron	1
(c)	early periodic tables were arranged with elements in order of their atomic weights <i>ignore atomic mass</i>	1
	iodine has a lower atomic weight than tellurium allow converse for tellurium	1
	 (so) Mendeleev placed iodine with elements with same / similar properties <i>allow F / Cl / Br for elements</i> or (so) Mendeleev placed tellurium with elements with same / similar properties 	
	allow 0 / S / Se for elements	1 [11]



(a) line from reactants to top of curve (i.e. from 800 to 2160)





diagram scores 2 marks

(d) (bonds broken) ((4 × 463) + (2 × 138) =) **2128**

> (bonds made) ((4 × 463) + (496) =) **2348**

(energy change = bonds broken – bonds made) (2128 – 2348 =) (–) **220** (kJ) ignore energy change sign allow correct calculation using incorrect values from step 1 and/or step 2

alternative approach:

(bonds broken) (2 × (O–O) = (2 × 138) =) **276** (1)

(bonds made) (1 × (O=O) =) **496**(1)

(energy change =
bonds broken - bonds made)
(276 - 496 =) (-) 220 (kJ) (1)
an answer of (-) 220 (kJ) scores 3 marks
an incorrect answer for one step does not prevent allocation of
marks for subsequent steps

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Q16.

(a)	atomic weight do not accept atomic mass or Ar	1
(b)	left gaps / spaces	
	or	
	changed the order based on atomic weights allow placed them in correct groups according to properties do not accept reference to atomic number	1
(c)	weak forces between the molecules	
	or weak intermolecular forces	
	allow weak intermolecular bonds	
	do not accept incorrect references to covalent bonds	1
	(so) little energy required to overcome / break the forces between molecules or	
	(so) little energy required to overcome / break the intermolecular forces	
	allow (so) little energy required to separate the molecules allow (so) little energy required to overcome / break the	
	intermolecular bonds	
	ignore less energy	1
(1)		1
(d)	allow converse explanation in terms of boiling point	
	(the) molecules get larger going down the group	1
	(so the) forces between the molecules increase	-
	or	
	(so the) intermolecular forces increase	1
	(so the) boiling points increase going down the group	
	or (so the) boiling points increase with increasing relative atomic mass	
	allow (so) more energy is needed to separate the molecules	1
(e)	2,8	
()	allow diagram or description	1
	(so) stable arrangement of electrons	1
	or	
	(so) full outer shell	1

 $\frac{1}{40} \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ or $0.025 \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$

1.51 × 10²²

allow 1.505 × 10²²

[11]

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Q17.

(a)	2 Na + Cl ₂ → 2 NaCl	1
(b)	(before) silver solid / liquid / metal <i>allow grey solid / metal</i> or green (gas) <i>allow yellow (gas)</i>	1
	(during) yellow flame <i>allow orange / white flame</i> or white smoke	
	or green colour fades / disappears <i>allow vigorous reaction</i>	1
	(after) white solid / powder	1
(c)	allow converse for potassium (sodium has) fewer energy levels / shells allow diagrams of electron structure	
	outer electron / shell is closer to nucleus or	1
	outer electron / shell is less shielded (so) greater attraction between nucleus and outer electron / shell	1
	(so) outer electron is less easily lost	1
	allow (so) loses an / one electron less easily allow (so) more energy needed to remove an / one electron	1
(d)	Level 2: Scientifically relevant features are identified; the way(s) in which they are similar/different is made clear and (where appropriate) the magnitude of the similarity/difference is noted.	4–6
	Level 1: Relevant features are identified and differences noted.	1-3
	No relevant content	0

Indicative content

	sodium chloride	hydrogen chloride
	ionic	covalent
	metal & non-metal	two non -metals
differences in bonding	transferring electrons	sharing electrons
	ions (Na⁺ and Cl⁻)	molecules
	charged particles	neutral or no overall charge
	giant structure or lattice	small / simple / discrete molecules
	electrostatic	intermolecular forces
differences in structure	(electrostatic forces) are strong	(intermolecular forces) are weak
	act in all directions	random or between the molecules
	regular	irregular / random
	full shells or stability	full shells or stability
similarities	(transferring) electrons	(sharing) electrons
in bonding	strong bonds	strong (covalent) bonds
	act in all directions	random or between the molecules
similarities in structure	(electrostatic) forces	(intermolecular) forces

ignore properties eg melting points, conduct electricity

to access level 2 there must be a comparison of the structure **and** bonding **and** magnitude of both sodium chloride **and** hydrogen chloride.

Q18.

(a)	g		
		do not accept upper case (G) do not accept gas	
			1
(b)	F	Image: Second system Image: Second system	1
		ignore any inner shell electrons	
(c)	18		
			1
(d)	AlBr₃		1
	2 Al + 3 B	$r_2 (\rightarrow 2 AIBr_2)$	1
		allow 1 mark for balancing their equation with an incorrect product	1
(e)	or has few	a smaller atom ver energy levels hell closer to nucleus	
		ignore chlorine has fewer electrons	1
	chlorine ha	as less shielding	
	has the gr electron	eater attraction between the nucleus and the outer shell or incoming	1
	therefore	chlorine can gain an electron (into the outer shell) more easily	1
		if no other marks awarded allow 1 mark for correct trend in reactivity in Group 7	-
		do not accept reference to incorrect particles e.g. chloride atom	
		<i>max 2</i> if outer shell / level not mentioned 'it' refers to chlorine	

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allow converse reasons for bromine being less reactive

Q1	9.
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(a)	covalent bonds	1
	giant structure / macromolecule	
	allow each C has 4 bonds allow giant covalent structure for 2 marks allow giant ionic / lattice structure for 1 mark ignore lattice	1
	lots of energy needed to break / overcome	
	allow disrupt structure	
	ignore heat and high temperature	
	if no other marks awarded allow 1 mark for strong / many bonds	
	many bonds	1
(b)	dissolved (in water) or aqueous	
	allow in solution	
		1
	molten / liquid	1
		-
	so ions are mobile or free moving	1
	max 2 for incorrect reference to particles or bonds	1
(c)	delocalised electrons (from outer shell)	1
		1
	(free to) move	1
		1
	energy transferred (through structure)	
	ignore conducts thermal energy	
	ignore electricity	
	if no other mark awarded allow 1 mark for ions / atoms vibrate	
		1

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Q20.

(a)	a mixture designed as a useful product	1
(b)	mass = 14 520 g	1
	(=) $\frac{14520}{80 \text{ (mol)}}$ allow correct substitution of incorrectly converted mass must use <i>M</i> _r given (80) to gain marks in steps 2 and 3	1
	(=) 181.5 (mol)	1
	 (=) 1.8 × 10² (mol) allow answer correctly given in standard form to correct sig figs from an incorrect calculation an answer of 1.8 × 10² (mol) gains 4 marks 	1
(c)	(giant) lattice allow giant structure	1
	ionic	1
	strong bonds or strong electrostatic forces do not accept strong intermolecular forces / bonds	1
	large amounts of energy needed to overcome ignore heat max 2 marks for incorrect reference to bonding or	1
	structure or particles	[9]

Level 2: Relevant points (reasons/causes) are identified, given in detail and logically linked to form a clear account.	3-4		
Level 1: Points are identified and stated simply, but their relevance is not clear and there is no attempt at logical linking.	1-2		
No relevant content	0		
Indicative content			
Ca / calcium (atom) loses two electrons / both outer electrons and is oxidised to Ca^{2+} ion			
F / fluorine (atom) gain one / an electron and is reduced to $F^{\text{-}}$ ion			
supporting points			
fluorine / F (atoms) gain electron(s)			
negative ion produced			
calcium (atoms) lose electron(s)			
positive ion produced			
reduction is gain of electrons			
oxidation is loss of electrons			
(because there are) strong electrostatic forces or ionic bonding between Ca ²⁺ and F ⁻ ions / oppositely charged (in a) giant structure / lattice		٦	
so a lot of energy is needed to overcome / brea	k this attra	ction	
amount of $F_2 = \frac{0.95}{38} = 0.025$ moles mark is for $\div 38$			
amount of SF ₆ = $\frac{1}{3} \times 0.25 = 0.008333$ moles mark is for ×1/3			
mass of SF ₆ = 0.008333 × 146 mark is for ×146			

	1
mass = 1.2166666	1
mass = 1.22 (g) 3 sig figs	1
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Q22.

(a)



two shared pair of electrons all outer shells complete

		1 1
(b)	gas	1
	small molecules	1
	(with) intermolecular forces	1
	(so require) little energy to overcome	1
(c)	calculates sum of all bonds broken:	
	4× (C–H) + 2× (O=O) = (4×412) + (2×496) = 2640	1
	calculates sum of all bonds made:	
	4× (O–H) + 2(C=O) = (4×463) + (2×803) = 3458	1
	overall energy change =	
	bonds broken – bonds made =	
	2640 – 3458 = (–) 818	1

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Q23.

(a) 3 × bonding pairs of electrons

$2 \times$ unbonded electrons on nitrogen



(b)	decreases yield	1	
	more moles on left hand side	1	
(c)	decreases yield	1	
	exothermic reaction	1	
(d)	moves to right hand side		
	or		
	more ammonia produced	1	
	to replace the ammonia	1	
		-	[8]

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Q24.

(a) bonded pair of electrons and

6 non-bonded electrons on chlorine

(b) Level 3 (5–6 marks):

A detailed and coherent explanation of comparative results of a reaction in terms of concentration and ionisation. The response makes logical links between the points raised and uses sufficient examples to support these links.

Level 2 (3–4 marks):

A description of a reaction with results is given but may miss some details. Links are made but may not be fully articulated and / or precise.

Level 1 (1–2 marks):

Simple statements are made. The response may fail to make logical links between the points raised.

0 marks:

No relevant content

Indicative content

Simple statements / descriptions of a reaction

- correct comparative pH, such as, 0–3 (strong) 4–6 (weak)
- named reaction, such as, with a reactive metal or a named carbonate
- comparative results or observations of the named reaction, such as, faster reaction (strong) or greater volume of gas produced in a given time (strong)

Explanations of different results

- weak acids are only partially ionised in aqueous solution
- strong acids are completely ionised in aqueous solution / greater concentration of H⁺ ions
- aqueous solutions of acids at the same concentration / same state of division of metal / powder, same temperature

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Q25.

(a) <u>layers</u>

which have weak forces / attractions / bonds between them second mark must be linked to layers	
or	
which can slide over each other or separate ignore references to rubbing	1
covalent	1 [3]
	or which can slide over each other or separate ignore references to rubbing

6. (a) H—С—Н | Н

Q26.

(b) Form of carbon Bonding and structure Each carbon atom is bonded to three other carbon atoms in a single layer Each carbon atom is bonded to four other carbon atoms to four other carbon atoms with no covalent bonds between the layers Carbon ions held together by strong electrostatic forces

extra lines from the left negate the mark

(c)	evaporate	1	
	condense	1	
(d)	Engine oil	1	
(e)	Refinery gas	1	
(f)	because its boiling point is lower	1	
			[9]

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Q27.

(a)	0.34 nm	1
(b)	in composites	1
(c)	must be comparative (graphene) allow converse for graphite any one from: • better conductor (of electricity) • allows greater miniaturisation of electronic circuits allow thinner • stronger • harder	-
	more flexible	1
(d)	 Level 3: Relevant points (reasons / causes) are identified, given in detail and logically linked to form a clear account. Level 2: Relevant points (reasons / causes) are identified, and there are attempts at 	5–6
	logical linking. The resulting account is not fully clear.	3–4
	Level 1: Points are identified and stated simply, but their relevance is not clear and there is no attempt at logical linking.	1–2
	No relevant content	0
	Indicative content	
	 Structure and bonding giant structure / lattice of carbon atoms 	

- in layers
- of hexagonal rings
- covalent (bonds)
- strong (covalent) bonds
- where each (carbon) atom bonded to three other (carbon) atoms
- one electron on each atom is delocalised
- delocalised / free electrons

Explanation for conductivity

- delocalised / free electrons
- (which) carry charge through the structure or
- (which) move through the structure

Explanation for graphite being slippery

- layers free to slide over each other
- (because) no covalent bonds between layers or

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Q28.

(a)	carbon	1
(b)	diamond has a giant structure	1
	each atom is joined to four other atoms	1
(c)	contains layers	1
	no covalent / strong bonds between layers	
	allow which have weak forces between them	1
	so (the layers) can slide over each other	1
(d)	3	1
(e)	has delocalised electrons	
	allow each (carbon) atom has one free electron	1
	which can move through the whole structure	
	or which carry the current	1