

Mark Scheme (Results)

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Using the mark scheme

Examiners should look for qualities to reward rather than faults to penalise. This does NOT mean giving credit for incorrect or inadequate answers, but it does mean ALLOWing candidates to be rewarded for answers showing correct application of principles and knowledge. Examiners should therefore read carefully and consider every response: even if it is not what is expected it may be worthy of credit.

The mark scheme gives examiners:

- an idea of the types of response expected
- how individual marks are to be awarded
- the total mark for each question
- examples of responses that should NOT receive credit.

/ means that the responses are alternatives and either answer should receive full credit. () means that a phrase/word is not essential for the award of the mark, but helps the examiner to get the sense of the expected answer.

Phrases/words in **bold** indicate that the meaning of the phrase or the actual word is **essential** to the answer. ecf/TE/cq (error carried forward) means that a wrong answer given in an earlier part of a question is used correctly in answer to a later part of the same question.

Candidates must make their meaning clear to the examiner to gain the mark. Make sure that the answer makes sense. Do not give credit for correct words/phrases which are put together in a meaningless manner. Answers must be in the correct context.

Section A

Question	Answer	Mark	
Number			
1(a)	The only correct answer is C (XY ₂)	(1)	
	A is not correct because Group 2 elements combine with Group 7 elements in the ratio 1:2		
	B is not correct because Group 2 elements combine with Group 7 elements in the ratio 1:2		
	D is not correct because Group 2 elements combine with Group 7 elements in the ratio 1:2		

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1(b)	The only correct answer is D (in the liquid state and in aqueous solution only)	
	A is not correct because the ions do not move in the solid state	
	B is not correct because the ions do not move in the solid state	
	C is not correct because the ions do not move in the solid state	

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	The only correct answer is B (NaF)	(1)
2	The only correct answer is D (Ivar)	(1)
	A is not correct because the Cl^{-} ion is larger than F^{-} so ionic bonding is weaker in NaCl	
	C is not correct because the K^+ ion is larger than Na^+ and the Cl ⁻ ion is bigger than F-	
	D is not correct because the K^+ ion is larger than Na^+	

Question Number	Answer	Mark			
3	The only correct answer is C (a yellow colour has moved to the positive end and a blue colour to the negative end)	(1)			
	A is not correct because the green colour is formed from yellow and blue ions				
	B is not correct because the green colour is formed from yellow and blue ions				
	D is not correct because the blue Cu^{2+} ions will move to the negative end and the yellow CrO_4^{2-} ions will move to the positive end				

Question	Answer	Mark
Number 4	The only correct answer is D (Al ³⁺)	(1)
	A is not correct because the N^{3-} ion has fewer protons so is larger	
	B is not correct because the F^- ion has fewer protons so is larger	
	C is not correct because the Na ⁺ ion has fewer protons so is larger	

Question	Answer	Mark		
Number				
5	The only correct answer is D (small radius and large charge)			
	A is not correct because radius should be small			
	B is not correct because the radius should be small and the charge should be large			
	C is not correct because the charge should be large			

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9. [3/	6	The only correct answer is A (large radius and large charge)	(1)
		B is not correct because the charge should be large	
		C is not correct because the charge and radius should be large	
		D is not correct because radius should be large	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7	The only correct answer is D $(Ba^{2+}(aq) + SO_4^{2-}(aq) \rightarrow BaSO_4(s))$	(1)
	A is not correct because NaNO ₃ is soluble	
	B is not correct because the charge on the barium ion is incorrect	
	C is not correct because the charge on the sodium ion is incorrect	

Question	Answer	Mark			
Number					
8	The only correct answer is A (CO ₂)				
	B is not correct because HCl is a polar molecule				
	C is not correct because H_2O is a polar molecule				
	D is not correct because NH_3 is a polar molecule				

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9	The only correct answer is C (0.00005%)	(1)
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	A is not correct because the answer shows the percentage equal to ppm	
	B is not correct because the answer shows the ppm divided by 100	
		1
	D is not correct because the correct answer has been divided by 100	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
10(a)	The only correct answer is B ($C_2H_6 + Br_2 \rightarrow C_2H_5Br + HBr$)	(1)
10(0)		(1)
	A is not correct because hydrogen is not produced	
	C is not correct because CH ₃ Br is not a product	
	D is not correct because neither CH ₄ nor CH ₂ Br ₂ are products	

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
10(b)	The only correct answer is A (homolytic breaking of a Br—Br bond)	(1)
	B is not correct because the Br-Br bond does not break heterolytically	
	C is not correct because the C-H bond is not broken by UV light	
	D not correct because the C-H bond is not broken by UV light	

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5.0	11	The only correct answer is B (general formula)
~		${f A}$ is not correct because only the general formula is the same for all alkanes
		C is not correct because only the general formula is the same for all alkanes

D is not correct because only the general formula is the same for all alkand	es
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Question Number	Answer	Mark
12	The only correct answer is D (hexene and propane)	(1)
	A is not correct because these products are possible	
	B is not correct because these products are possible	
	C is not correct because these products are possible	

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Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
13	The only correct answer is C (4)	(1)
	A is not correct because there are 4 isomers	
	B is not correct because there are 4 isomers	
	D is not correct because there are 4 isomers	

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Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
14	The only correct answer is B (7.22×10^{21})	(1)
	A is not correct because a 1:1 ratio has been used instead of 1:6	
	C is not correct because a 1:7 ratio has been used instead of 1:6	
	D is not correct because this is the number of atomic mass units in the product	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
15	The only correct answer is A (hydrogen chloride)	(1)
	B is not correct because sulfur is an impurity in alkane fuels and so sulfur dioxide can be produced during their combustion	
	\mathbf{C} is not correct because carbon particulates can be produced during the combustion of alkane fuels	
	D is not correct because carbon monoxide can be produced during the combustion of alkane fuels	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
16	The only correct answer is C (27.90 tonnes)	(1)
	A is not correct because the wrong ratio (2:1) has been used instead of 1:2	
	B is not correct because the wrong ratio (1:1) has been used instead of 1:2	
	D is not correct because the wrong ratio (1:3) has been used instead of 1:2	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
17	The only correct answer is B (0.40 dm ³ of 0.03 mol dm ⁻³ KCl)	(1)
	A is not correct because it contains 0.02 mol of ions	
	C is not correct because it contains 0.018 mol of ions	
	D is not correct because it contains 0.018 mol of ions	

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
18	The only correct answer is C (39.2%)	(1)
	A is not correct because the O on the right-hand side has been multiplied by 2, not 6	
	B is not correct because the O on the right-hand side has been multiplied by 4, not 6	
	D is not correct because the mass of oxygen has been divided by the mass of KCl	

(Total for Section A = 20 marks)

Section B

Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
19(a)(i)				(1)
	Measurement	Mass / g	Both masses required	
	Mass of empty crucible	21.21		
	Mass of crucible and	26.71		
	magnesium sulfate before			
	heating			
	Mass of crucible and	24.12		
	magnesium sulfate after			
	heating for 2 mins			
	Mass of magnesium sulfate	2.91		
	Mass of water	2.59		

Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
19(a)(ii)			Example of calculation	(4)
	• $M1M_r$ of MgSO ₄	(1)	$(24.3 + 32.1 + (4 \times 16)) = 120.4$	
			Allow 120	
	• M2 moles of MgSO ₄	(1)	$(2.91 \div 120.4) = 0.024169 / 2.4169 \times 10^{-2} \text{ (mol)}$ Ignore SF except 1 TE from wrong mass in (a)(i)	
• M3 moles of H ₂ O		(1)	$(2.59 \div 18) = 0.14389 / 1.4389 \times 10^{-1} \text{ (mol)}$ Ignore SF except 1	
			TE from wrong mass in (a)(i)	
			No TE on wrong $M_{\rm r}$ of H ₂ O	
			Alternative method for M3 and M4	
			$M_{\rm r}$ of hydrate = 26.71-21.21/0.024169 = 227.56	
			mass of water = $227.56 - 120.4 = 107.16$ moles of water = $107.16/18 = 5.9533$ x = 6	
	• M4 ratio of moles of water to moles of magnesium sulfate: to the nearest whole number	(1)	$(0.1438889 \div 0.0241694) = 5.9533:1$	
	surface: to the nearest whole number	(1)	$(MgSO4.6H_2O) \ x = 6$	
			TE from M2 and M3	
			Correct answer with some relevant working scores (4) Ignore SF throughout	

Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
19(b)	An answer that makes reference to the following points:			(2)
	• heat to constant mass/ until mass does not change	(1)	Allow heat for longer Ignore any reference to repetition/ using a higher temperature/different flame/more magnesium sulfate/ any changes to the method Do not award heat under reflux for longer	
	• to ensure all the water is lost/ driven off	(1)	Allow more water is lost/given off Allow some water may have remained Allow all the water evaporated Ignore allow (reaction) to go to completion	

(Total for Question 19 = 7 marks)

Question Number		Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
20(a)	An answer that mal	kes reference to the following points			(2)
	• Cu	$([Ar]) 3d^{10} 4s^1$	(1)	ALLOW 4s ¹ 3d ¹⁰	
	• Cu ²⁺	([Ar]) 3d ⁹	(1)	ALLOW 4s ⁰ 3d ⁹	
				Ignore $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6$ in both cases	

Question Number	Answer			Additional Guidance	Mark		
20(b)(i)							(2)
	Isotope	Protons	Neutrons	Electrons		One mark for each correct row	
	⁶³ Cu	29	34	29	(1)		
	⁶⁵ Cu	29	36	29	(1)	Four or five correct scores one mark	
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						Ignore working	

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
20(b)(ii)	 An answer that makes reference to the following points: (atoms/elements that have) same number of protons/same proton number/ quoted same number of protons even if wrong (1) (but) different numbers of neutrons/neutron number (1) 	Ignore any reference to electrons but do not award if different to the number of protons Ignore if they state the wrong number of neutrons in the 2 isotopes. If they fail to mention numbers of protons and neutrons 'same atomic number but different mass number' scores (1) Do not award atomic mass for mass number Do not award molecules but penalise once only	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
20(b)(iii)	• (isotopes have) the same electronic configuration	Allow same electron arrangement/electron(ic) structure Allow the same number of electrons Ignore the same number of protons Ignore the same number of electrons in the outer shell/same number of valence electrons Ignore same period/same group Ignore any given electronic configurations/number of electrons even if wrong Ignore any reference to neutrons	(1)

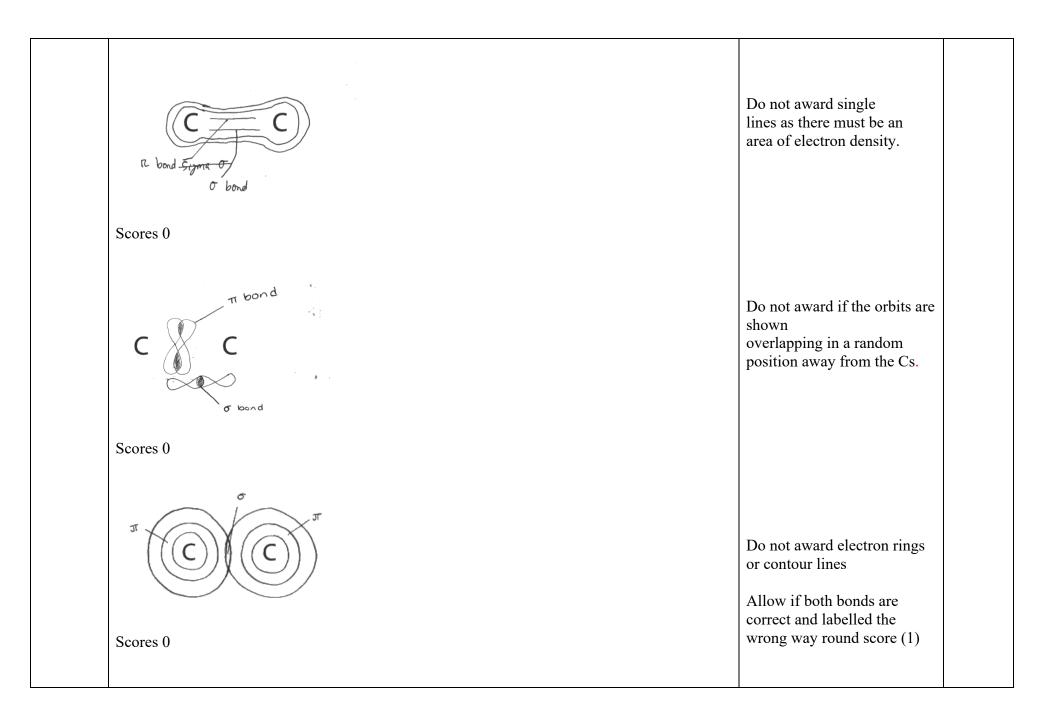
Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
20(b)(iv)	points:		Example of calculation	(2)
			$63.4 = \underbrace{(1-X) \times 65}_{1} + \underbrace{(X \times 63)}_{1}$	
		63.4 = 65 - 65X + 63X		
			63.4 = 65 - 2X	
		-1.6 = -2X		
	• abundance of (Cu) $63 = 0.8$ or 80%	(1)	X / 63 = 0.8	
	abundance of (Cu) $65 = 0.2$ or 20%	(1)	OR	
	Alternative method		$63.4 = (1-X) \times 63) + (X \times 65)$	
	65-63.4 = 1.6		63.4 = 63 - 63X + 65X	
	63.4-63 = 0.4	(1)	63.4 = 63 + 2X	
	$\begin{array}{rcl} 0.4/2.0 & \times & 100 = 20\% & 65 \\ 1.6/2.0 & \times & 100 = 80\% & 63 \end{array} \tag{6}$		0.4 = 2X	
			X / 65 = 0.2	

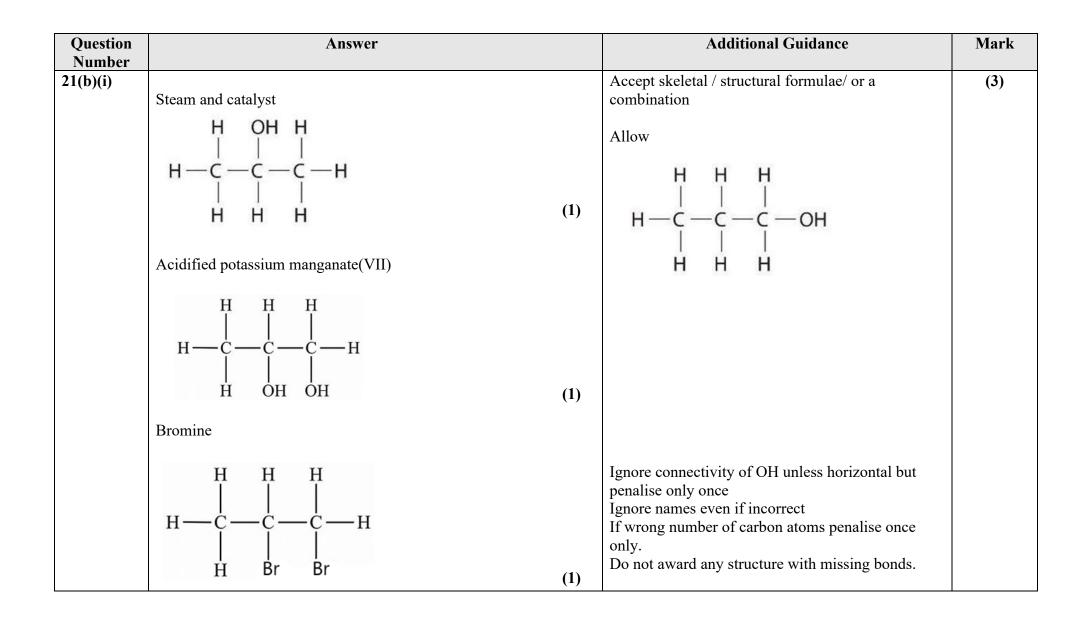
	OR
	$63.4 = \underbrace{(100-X) \times 65}_{100} + \underbrace{(X \times 63)}_{100}$
	6340 = 6500 - 65X + 63X
	6340 = 6500 - 2X
	-160 = -2X
	X / 63 = 80%
	OR
	$63.4 = \underline{(100 - X) \times 63) + (X \times 65)}{100}$
	6340 = 6300 - 63X + 65X
	6340 = 6300 + 2X
	40 = 2X
	X /65 = 20%
	Correct answer with or without working scores (2)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
20(c)(i)	• a correct balanced equation	$\begin{array}{rcl} CuCO_3 &+& H_2SO_4 &\rightarrow CuSO_4 &+& CO_2 &+& H_2O \\ \textbf{or} \\ CuCO_3 &+& 2H^+ &\rightarrow Cu^{2+} &+& CO_2 &+& H_2O \end{array}$	(1)
		Allow multiples Ignore state symbols even if incorrect Do not award H ₂ CO ₃ as a product	

Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
20(c)(ii)			Example of calculation	(4)
	• M1moles of sulfuric acid	(1)	$50 \times 1.00 \div 1000 = 0.05 \text{ (mol)} / 5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ (mol)}$	
	• M2 maximum mass of copper(II) sulfate	(1)	$0.05 \text{ (mol)} \times 249.6 = 12.48 \text{ (g)}$	
			Allow TE on M1	
	• M3 percentage yield calculation	(1)	$100 \times 10.87 \div 12.48 = 87.099$	
			Allow TE on M2 unless over 100%	
	• M4 answer to 2 or 3 SF	(1)	87(%) / 87.1(%)	
			Alternative method	
	• M1moles of sulfuric acid	(1)	$50 \times 1.00 \div 1000 = 0.05 \text{ (mol)} / 5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ (mol)}$	
	• M2 moles of copper sulfate	(1)	10.87 (g) / 249.6 (g) = 0.04355 (mol) /4.355 × 10^{-2} (mol)	
	• M3 percentage yield calculation	(1)	$100 \times 4.355 \times 10^{-2} / 5 \times 10^{-2} = 87.099$	
			Allow TE on M1 and M2 unless over 100%	
	• M4 answer to 2 or 3 SF	(1)	87(%) / 87.1(%)	
	Correct answer with some working scores (4)		M4 dependent on a sensible calculation that involves either a mass or moles that has been calculated.	
			Ignore incorrect rounding by truncating intermediate figures eg 0.435 (mol) (Total for Question 20 = 14 ma	

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
21(a)	An answer that makes reference to the following points: $\sigma \text{ bond}_{c} \xrightarrow{\sigma} \text{ the following points}$ σ (1) π (1)	One mark for each of the bonds labelled. The π bond must be above and below the carbons but only one of the lobes of the π bond needs to be labelled	(2)
	All three of the above score 2 marks	Ignore overlap of orbitals where the sigma bond extends beyond the carbon atoms Ignore extra labelled sigma bonds to hydrogen	





Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
21(b)(ii)	An explanation that makes reference to the following points: $\begin{array}{c} H \\ H $			(3)
	 dipole on HBr and two correct curly arrows correct intermediate 	(1) (1)	Arrows must start from the covalent bond. From the H—Br bond it must go to the Br or beyond. From the C=C bond is must go to the H or in the space.	
	 curly arrow from lone pair on Br⁻ to C⁺ or the space between the Br⁻ to C⁺ 	(1)	If Br ₂ is added M2 and M3 can be scored If 1-bromopropane is the product the intermediate mark cannot be scored so Max 2 Penalise half curly arrows once only If wrong alkene Allow M1 and M3 only. Ignore the product even if incorrect	

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
21(c)(i)	• C10H16	H ₁₆ C ₁₀	(1)
		Ignore working and any names	

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
21(c)(ii)	or	Allow any circle that includes the correct double bond and does not extend beyond the OR answer.	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
21(c)(iii)	• correct skeletal formula	Example of formula:	(1)

Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
21(c)(iv)	An answer that makes reference to the following points:		Example of calculation	(3)
	• moles of hydrogen / H ₂	(1)	$3.6 \div 24 = 0.15 \pmod{15}$	
	• ratio of moles hydrogen / H ₂ to alpha-ocimene = number of C=C	(1)	$0.15 \div 0.05 = 3$	
	Correct structure		Allow TE incorrect moles of H ₂	
		(1)		
			Allow TE on incorrect ratio of 1 or 2.	
	If there is no calculation or calculation says H_2 is in excess M3 can be awarded.		Ignore length of bonds/bond angles	
			Allow structural or displayed formulae	

(Total for Question 21 = 14 marks)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
22(a)(i)	 (metallic bonding is) the attraction between positive ions/cations and delocalised electrons 	Can be shown as a labelled diagram including the word attraction . Allow electrostatic forces as an alternative to attraction Allow attraction between metal ions and delocalised electrons Allow attraction between (positive) nuclei and delocalised electrons Ignore just 'ions' Ignore free moving electrons/ sea of electrons	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
22(a)(ii)	An explanation that makes reference to three of the following points		(3)
	• M1 Mg has more delocalised electrons (1	Allow Mg loses two electrons and Na one to form delocalised electrons Ignore free moving electrons	
	• M2 Mg^{2+} is smaller (than Na ⁺) (1	Allow Mg ion is smaller (than Na ⁺) Allow Mg smaller ionic radius Do not award atomic radius	
	• M3 Mg ²⁺ has a higher charge (than Na ⁺) (1	Allow Mg ion has a higher charge (than Na ⁺) Ignore the number of protons	
		Just Mg^{2+} 'has a greater charge density' scores (1) for M2 & M3	
	• M4 Greater attraction between the delocalised (1 electrons and the Mg ²⁺ ions/ Mg ²⁺ nuclei	Allow greater attraction between the delocalised electrons and Mg Ignore attraction to the protons Ignore outer shell electrons	
		Allow reverse argument for all points	

Question	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
Number			
22(b)(i)			(1)
	• (the electrostatic attraction between) the shared (pair of) electrons and the (two) nuclei (of the bonded atoms)	Allow single nucleus	

Question	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
Number				
22(b)(ii)	An explanation that makes reference to the following points:			(3)
	 phosphorus (P) simple molecular silicon (Si) giant (covalent/molecular) structure when phosphorus melts weak London forces are broken and when silicon melts strong covalent bonds are broken 	 (1) (1) 	 Allow (small) molecules/ P₄/ just 'molecular'/simple covalent Allow lattice instead of giant Ignore macromolecular Do not award giant metallic/ionic Allow / dispersion /van der Waals forces/ instantaneous dipole-induced dipole/intermolecular forces Do not award if any mention of intermolecular forces for silicon. 	

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
22(c)(i)	 An explanation that makes reference to the following points: dot-and-cross diagram showing two shared pairs of (1) electrons between S and Cls rest of diagram correct (1) 	Example of dot-and-cross diagram Image: Classic Clascic Classic Classic Clascic Classic Classic Classic Classic Class	(2)

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22(c)(ii)	An answer that makes reference to the following points:			(3)
	• bond angle 104.5(°)	(1)	Allow 102-105 (actual answer 103°)	
	• four pairs of electrons/ 2 bonding pairs and 2 lone pairs occupy a position of minimum repulsion	(1)	Allow just electron pairs occupying a position of minimum repulsion and do not penalise for an incorrect number of electron pairs if quoted. Allow maximum separation	
	 (2)lone pairs repel more than bonding pairs (so the angle is reduced from 109.5 (°)) 	(1)	Ignore bonds/ areas of electron density/atoms	
			Ignore any reference to shapes e.g. angular, V-shaped	

(Total for Question 22 = 13 marks)

Question Number	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
23(a)(i)	• $\text{Li}(g) \rightarrow \text{Li}^+(g) + e^{(-)}$	Both species and states must be correct Allow $Li(g) - e^{(-)} \rightarrow Li^+(g)$ Ignore state symbol on e ⁻	(1)

Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
23(a)(ii)	An explanation that makes reference to the following points:			(2)
	• (on moving across the period) there is an increase in the number of protons/atomic number/nuclear charge	(1)	Allow effective nuclear charge Allow smaller atomic radius	
	• (The electrons are in the same shell so there is a) greater attraction between the nucleus and electron(s)	(1)	Allow same/similar shielding Allow attraction between protons and electrons	

Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
23(a)(iii)	An explanation that makes reference to the following points: Oxygen (even though it has one more proton)			(2)
	 M1 the electron is being removed from a (2)p orbital that is paired / full 	(1)	Allow the electron is being removed from the pair of electrons in the (2) p sub-shell Allow the p orbital contains two electrons Do not award p shell Do not award 3p	
	 M2 less energy is needed to remove a paired electron / there is repulsion between the paired electrons OR 	(1)	Allow there is spin-pair repulsion Allow easier to remove a paired electron Allow there is repulsion between the electrons if pairing or 2 electrons of full orbital is mentioned in M1	
	Nitrogen (even though it has one fewer proton)			
	 M1 the electron is being removed from a (2)p orbital that is unpaired 	(1)	Allow the electron is being removed from a half-filled (2) p sub-shell Allow the electron is being removed from a (2) p orbital that only contains one electron. Do not award p shell Do not award 3p	
	• M2 more energy is needed to remove an unpaired electron	(1)	Allow more energy is required to remove this electron if unpaired is mentioned in M1 Allow this arrangement is stable, so more energy is needed to remove the electron	
			M1 can be scored with a diagram Ignore reference to shielding/lone pairs	

Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
23(b)	An answer that makes reference to two of the following points:			(2)
	 M1 (General increase because there is the same positive charge) but fewer electrons/ less repulsion between elections/ electrons getting closer to the nucleus/ ion becoming increasingly more positive/increase in effective nuclear charge M2 there is a big jump between 5th-6th ionisation energies as the 6th electron is removed from a new shell/ quantum shell/ energy level (closer to the nucleus) 	(1) (1)	Allow there is a big jump between 5 th -6 th ionisation energies as nitrogen has 5 electrons in its outer shell Ignore it is in group 5 Allow there is a big jump between 5 th -6 th ionisation energies as the inner electrons have no shielding	
	 M3 there is a jump between 3rd - 4th ionisation energies as the 4th electron is removed from a new sub shell/2s (closer to the nucleus) 	(1)		

Question Number	Answer		Additional Guidance	Mark
24(a)			Example of calculation	(4)
	• M1conversion of volume to m ³	(1)	$72.5 \times 10^{-6} = 7.25 \times 10^{-5} / 0.0000725 \text{ (m}^3\text{)}$	
	• M2 rearrangement of Ideal Gas Equation	(1)	$n = \frac{pV}{RT}$	
	• M3 conversion of pressure and evaluation to give number of moles	(1)	$\frac{100000 \times 7.25 \times 10^{-5}}{8.31 \times 358} = 2.4370 \times 10^{-3} / 0.002437 \text{(mol)}$	
			Allow TE on volume from M1	
	• M4 calculation of molar mass	(1)	$\frac{0.210}{2.4370 \times 10^{-3}} = 86.172 = 86 \text{ (g mol}^{-1}\text{)}$	
			Allow TE on moles from M3	
			Ignore SF except 1SF Ignore units even if incorrect	
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Question	Answer	Additional Guidance	Mark
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24(b)			(1)
	• hexane or any alkane with the molecular formula of C_6H_{14}	Allow name or structural/displayed/skeletal	
		formula	
		Allow TE on sensible mass from (a)	
		If no mass allow hexane	
		If both name and formula/structure given they must	
		match	
		The name or formula must match the mass in (a)	

(Total for Question 24 = 5 marks) (Total for Section B = 60 marks) TOTAL FOR PAPER = 80 MARKS

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