



## Mark schemes

- 1** (a) Whether there was a reaction or not 1
- (b) brown / orange / dark deposit on zinc  
or  
blue solution turns colourless / paler 1
- (c) 

<b>Variable</b>	<b>Measuring instrument</b>
Mass of metal powder	Balance
Volume of metal sulfate	Measuring cylinder
	Ruler
	Burette
	Thermometer
	Test tube

more than one line drawn from a variable negates the mark 2

(d) (Most reactive) **Magnesium**  
**Zinc**  
(Least reactive) **Copper**  
*must all be correct* 1

(e) would not be safe or  
too reactive  
*allow too dangerous* 1

(f) Gold 1

(g)  $2\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 + 3\text{C} \rightarrow 4\text{Fe} + 3\text{CO}_2$   
*allow multiples* 1

(h) carbon 1

(i) Loss of oxygen 1

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**2**(a) any **two** from:

- concentration / volume of dilute hydrochloric acid
- mass of metal powder
- surface area of metal powder
- stirring (of any) / rate of stirring

*allow reacted for the same length of time*

2

(b) 4.2 °C

*allow Magnesium Test 2*

1

and any **one** from:

- lower mass of magnesium added
- surface area of magnesium too low
- magnesium coated in magnesium oxide (so took a while to start reacting)
- not stirred
- not stirred as quickly as the other metals
- not reacted for as long a time as the other metals

*allow reason for break in circuit*

1

(c) 17.4(°C)

1

(d) bubbles of gas

1

more (bubbles) seen with calcium than other metals

*allow any correct comparison between two metals*

1

(e) any value between 7.9 °C and 12.3 °C

1

**[8]****3**(a) any **one** from:

- there was a flame
- energy was given out
- a new substance was formed
- the magnesium turned into a (white) powder

*answers must be from the figure*

1

(b) Magnesium oxide

1

(c) The reaction has a high activation energy

1

(d) 9

1

(e) They have a high surface area to volume ratio

1

(f) any **one** from:

- Better coverage
- More protection from the Sun's ultraviolet rays

1

(g) any **one** from:

- Potential cell damage to the body
- Harmful effects on the environment

1

(h) indication of  $\frac{1}{1.6} = 0.625$

**and**

use of indices  $10^{-9} - 10^{-6} = 10^3$

*Both steps must be seen to score first mark*

1

$0.625 \times 1000 = 625$  (times bigger)

1

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(a) (zinc has) lost electron(s)

*accept loss of electrons*

1

(b) copper is the least reactive

1

because it gave the most negative voltage when it was metal 2

**or**

it gave the biggest voltage with chromium

**or**

it gave the most positive voltage when it was metal 1

1

(c)  $-0.7$  V

1

The voltage with chromium and copper is 1.2

*accept use of other cell pairings such as tin with copper and tin with iron*

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The voltage with chromium and iron is 0.5 and copper is less reactive (than iron)

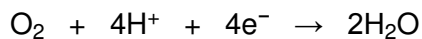
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(d) hydrogen + oxygen = water

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(e)  $\text{H}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{H}^+ + 2\text{e}^-$

1

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- (a) (i) calcium oxide  
*in either order*

1

carbon dioxide  
*accept correct formulae*

1

- (ii)  $\text{C(s)} + \text{CO}_2\text{(g)} \rightarrow 2\text{CO(g)}$   
*allow multiples*

1

- (iii) 210 (tonnes)  
*award 3 marks for the correct answer with or without working*  
*allow ecf for arithmetical errors*  
*if answer incorrect allow up to 2 marks for any of the steps below:*  
160 → 112  
300 → 112 / 160 × 300  
**or**  
moles  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 = 1.875 (\times 10^6)$  or 300 / 160  
moles of Fe = 3.75 ( $\times 10^6$ ) or 2 × moles  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$   
mass Fe = moles Fe × 56  
105 (tonnes) scores 2 (missing 1:2 ratio)  
420 (tonnes) scores 2 – taken  $M_r$  of iron as 112

3

- (b) (i) aluminium is more reactive than carbon **or** carbon is less reactive than aluminium  
*must have a comparison of reactivity of carbon and aluminium*  
*accept comparison of position in reactivity series.* 1
- (ii) (because) aluminium ions are positive  
*ignore aluminium is positive* 1
- and are attracted / move / go to the negative electrode / cathode 1
- where they gain electrons / are reduced /  $\text{Al}^{3+} + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Al}$   
*accept equation or statements involving the wrong number of electrons.* 1
- (iii) (because) the anodes **or** (positive) electrodes are made of carbon / graphite 1
- oxygen is produced (at anode) 1
- which reacts with the electrodes / anodes  
*do **not** accept any reference to the anodes reacting with oxygen from the air*  
*equation  $\text{C} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{CO}_2$  gains 1 mark (M3)* 1

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6 (a) gold 1

(b) atom (s) 1

(c) (i) protons  
*any order*  
*allow proton* 1

neutrons  
*allow neutron* 1

(ii) 3 / three 1

(d) (i) Al  
*ignore any numbers / charges* 1

- (ii) any **two** from:
- limited resource
  - expensive in terms of energy / mining
  - effects on the environment, such as, landfill, atmospheric pollution, quarrying
- allow uses a lot of energy to extract.*

2

- (e) resistant to corrosion

1

does not react (with water or food)

*allow **one** mark for low density with a suitable reason given*

1

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- (a) The ore is not pure or contains impurities or the ore does not contain 100% of the metal compound

*allow to concentrate the metal or metal compound*

1

rock / other compounds need to be removed / separated

1

- (b) (i) (cast iron is) brittle

*allow not strong*

*ignore weak*

1

- (ii) the oxygen reacts with carbon

*allow carbon burns in oxygen or is oxidised*

1

reducing the percentage of carbon in the mixture  
**or** producing carbon dioxide

1

- (c) (i) aluminium has a low density

1

- (ii) (because copper) is in the central / middle (block of the periodic table)

1

whereas aluminium is in Group 3 (of the periodic table)

1

- (iii) iron is more reactive (than copper)

*ignore cost*

1

so copper is displaced / reduced

1

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- (a) any **one** from:
- solution becomes colourless or colour fades
  - zinc becomes bronze / copper coloured  
*allow copper (forms) or a solid (forms)*
  - zinc gets smaller  
*allow zinc dissolves*
  - bubbles or fizzing.  
*ignore precipitate*

1

- (b) improvement:  
use a plastic / polystyrene cup or add a lid  
*accept use lagging / insulation*

1

reason - must be linked  
reduce / stop heat loss

**OR**

improvement:  
use a digital thermometer

*allow use a data logger*

reason - must be linked  
more accurate or easy to read or stores data

*allow more precise or more sensitive*

*ignore more reliable*

*ignore improvements to method, eg take more readings*

1



- (c) Marks awarded for this answer will be determined by the Quality of Written Communication (QWC) as well as the standard of the scientific response. Examiners should also refer to the information in the Marking Guidance and apply a 'best-fit' approach to the marking.

**0 marks**

No relevant content

**Level 1 (1–2 marks)**

There is a statement about the results.

**Level 2 (3–4 marks)**

There are statements about the results. These statements may be linked or may include data.

**Level 3 (5–6 marks)**

There are statements about the results with at least one link and an attempt at an explanation.

Examples of chemistry points made in the response:

**Description:****Statements**

Concentration of copper sulfate increases

Temperature change increases

There is an anomalous result

The temperature change levels off

Reaction is exothermic

**Linked Statements**

Temperature change increases as concentration of copper sulfate increases

The temperature change increases, and then remains constant

After experiment 7 the temperature change remains constant

**Statements including data**

The trend changes at experiment 7

Experiment 3 is anomalous

**Attempted Explanation**

Temperature change increases because rate increases

Temperature change levels off because the reaction is complete

**Explanation**

As more copper sulfate reacts, more heat energy is given off

Once copper sulfate is in excess, no further heat energy produced

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- (a) (i) iron

*either order*

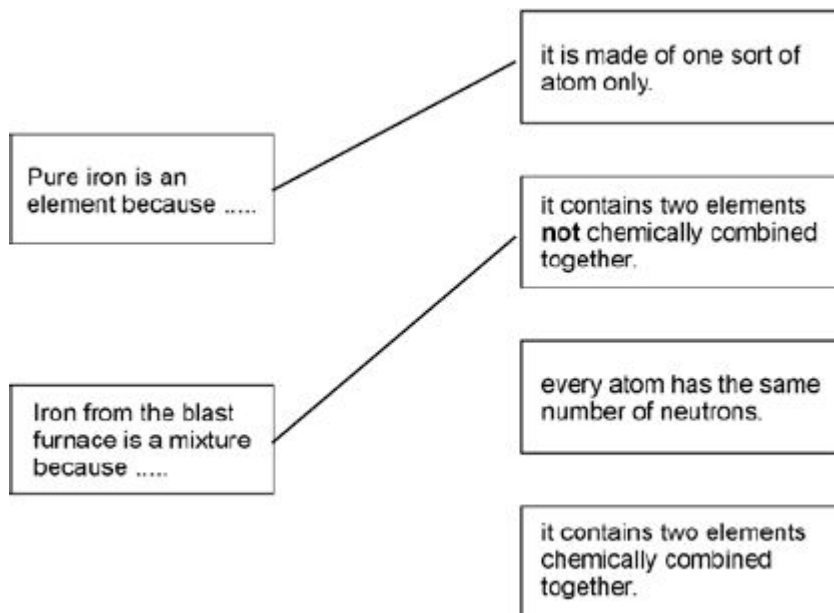
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carbon dioxide

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(b) (i) **Statement** **Explanation**



*each correct line gains 1 mark*  
*extra lines from statement negate the mark*

max. 2

(ii) the layers / rows are distorted / disrupted **or** it doesn't occur in layers **or** the atoms are different

1

so cannot **slide** over one another **or slide** less easily

1

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(a) any **three** from:

- concentration of (salt) solution
- volume of (salt) solution  
*ignore amount of solution*
- **initial** temperature (of the solution)  
*ignore room temperature*
- surface area / form of metal
- moles of metal  
*allow mass / amount*  
*ignore time*  
*ignore size of tube*

3

(b) 20

1

32

1

12

*allow ecf*

1

- (c) (i) four bars of correct height  
*tolerance is + / - half square*  
*3 correct for 1 mark*

2

bars labelled

1

- (ii) *one variable* is non-continuous / categoric  
*accept qualitative or discrete*  
*accept no values between the metals*

1

- (iii) magnesium

1

because biggest temperature change  
*accept gives out most energy*  
*ignore rate of reaction*  
*dependent on first mark*

1

- (iv) does not react / silver cannot displace copper

1

because silver not more reactive (than copper) **or** silver below copper in reactivity series

*do **not** accept silver is less reactive than copper sulfate*

1

- (v) replace the copper sulfate  
*could be implied*

1

with any compound of a named metal less reactive than copper

*allow students to score even if use an insoluble salt*

1

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- (a) pure copper is twice as good a conductor as 99% pure copper  
*accept reverse argument*  
*accept answers quoting 2 correct values from the graph scores 2*  
*qualitative answer (e.g. pure copper is a better conductor than impure copper) scores 1*  
**or**  
*answers quoting a conductivity value from the graph scores 1*

2

- (b) Marks awarded for this answer will be determined by the Quality of Communication (QC) as well as the standard of the scientific response.

**0 marks**

No relevant content

**Level 1 (1–2 marks)**

Simple list of a limited number of points given, with no linking between ideas

**Level 2 (3–4 marks)**

A broader set of points made. There will probably not be links between ideas

**Level 3 (5–6 marks)**

Answer includes linking between ideas, showing the consequence of either not recycling or the advantage of recycling. Answers such as less fossil fuel needed so less carbon dioxide produced **or** less carbon dioxide produced so less global warming

**examples of the points made in the response**

**resources**

**(recycling)** conserves supplies of ores  
copper available for longer

as (at present rate of use) copper ores will run out in about 35 years

**(recycling)** conserves supplies of fossil fuels **or** energy  
less fuel used at a lower cost

**land pollution**

mining scars landscape **or** produces noise pollution  
mining destroys wildlife habitats

**(recycling)** less need to mine ores / fossil fuels  
*so less habitat destroyed or less scarring of landscape*

**(recycling)** less need to use landfill for waste

**atmospheric pollution**

burning fossil fuels produces carbon dioxide / greenhouse gas  
which (may) cause global warming **or** climate change

extraction produces sulfur dioxide  
which causes acid rain  
which can kill trees / fish

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- (c) grow plants

*accept plants absorb copper (through roots)*

1

then plants are burned

1

ash (from burning) contains copper compounds

1

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- (a) (i) economical

1

- (ii) phytomining 1
- (iii) carbon dioxide 1
- (b) (i) copper / Cu 1
- iron sulfate /  $\text{FeSO}_4$  1
- (ii) copper / ions have a positive charge  
*it = copper ions*  
*allow copper ions have a different charge*  
*accept copper / ions are free to move*  
*accept to gain electrons*  
*accept copper / ions are attracted to the negative electrode **or***  
*opposite charges attract* 1
- (c) any **two** from:  
*ignore not biodegradable or does not decay*
- copper ores are limited / running out  
*allow copper is running out*
  - copper can be recycled
  - copper can be reused
  - copper is expensive
  - landfill sites are filling up
  - copper compounds are toxic  
*allow copper is toxic*
- 2
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- (a) (i) Positive impact
- any **one** from:
- provides employment **or**
  - improves local economy
  - improved transport - new roads are built, new rail links
  - after use the quarry could provide recreation facilities

1

Negative impact

any **one** from:

- destruction of animal habitats
- fewer plants and trees to absorb carbon dioxide
- visual pollution **or** noise pollution **or** atmospheric / air pollution  
*allow dust pollution*
- more traffic
- uses non-renewable resources  
*allow pollutants from burning diesel*

1

(ii) economical

1

(b) carbon / coke burns (in oxygen / air)

*accept carbon / coke reacts with oxygen / air*

1

(c) (i) iron oxide (reactant)

*must be words*

1

carbon dioxide (product)

1

(ii) reduction

1

(d) (i) oxygen reacts with carbon

1

**or**

oxygen and carbon produce carbon dioxide / carbon monoxide

carbon dioxide / carbon monoxide is a gas

**or**

the carbon is removed as a gas

1

(ii) much harder

1

(e) Advantage:

less carbon dioxide is produced

1

Disadvantage:

there are different types of steel which must be sorted

1  
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(a) (i) copper / Cu

1

(ii) 50 (p)

1

(iii) 25

1

(iv) tin

1

(b) any **one** form:

- high cost of copper  
*allow metal is expensive*
- less copper available **or** (copper ores exhausted / **only** low-grade ores available)  
*allow copper is non-renewable*
- high demand for copper
- high percentage (%) of copper in the coin
- inflation (of cost)

1  
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(a) (i) aluminium oxide

*ignore (III) after aluminium*

1

(ii) (because it provides) heat / energy (to overcome activation energy)

1

(b) (i) contains only one sort of atom

1

(ii) the atoms (in cast iron) are different sizes

*any mention of molecules, maximum 1 mark*

*accept layers are distorted **or** structure is disrupted*

1

which prevents the layers / rows sliding

*accept an answer in terms of pure iron being softer than cast iron  
for both marks*

1

- (c) (i) because aluminium is more reactive than carbon  
*'it' = aluminium must be a comparison between the elements*

**or**

because aluminium is above carbon in the reactivity series  
*do **not** accept any comparison of the reactivity of aluminium and iron*

1

- (ii) reduces / lowers the temperature for the process **or** lowers the operating temperature **or** allows ions to move  
*ignore any temperature values*  
*allow reduces the (effective) melting point (of  $Al_2O_3$ )*

1

- (iii) 3  
*accept multiples*

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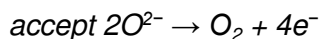
- (iv) electrons are gained (by  $Al^{3+}$ )  
*ignore any numbers*  
*ignore any reference to oxygen*

1

- (v) electrodes are made of carbon  
*allow graphite / coke*

1

oxygen is produced (at the positive electrode / anode)



1

so the electrodes react with the oxygen / are oxidised

1

producing carbon dioxide (gas)



1

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- (a) (i) any **two** from:
- bubbles / effervescence / fizzing  
*ignore hydrogen / gas produced*
  - lithium disappears / gets smaller  
*allow dissolves*  
*do **not** allow melts / burns*
  - lithium moves on the surface of the water  
*ignore floats*
  - (universal indicator) turns blue / purple

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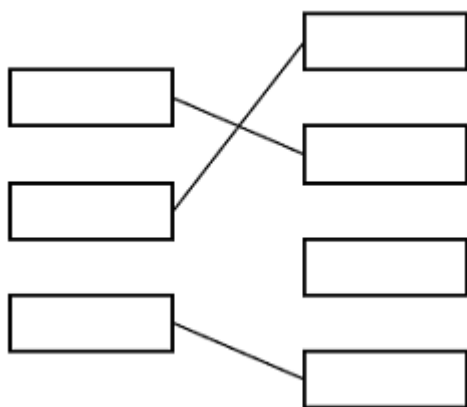


- (ii) 2  
*left-hand side correct* 1
- 2  
*right-hand side correct*  
*allow multiples for full credit* 1
- (iii) light / burn, which will give a (squeaky) pop / explosion 1
- (iv) all have 1 electron in their outer shell / energy level  
*allow have the same number of electrons in their outer shell / energy level* 1
- (b) They react with oxygen 1
- They have low melting points 1
- (c) (i) electronic structure [2,8,8] is drawn  
*incomplete inner shells scores a maximum of 1 mark* 1
- charge is +  
*allow [2,8,8]<sup>+</sup> for 1 mark* 1
- (ii) because (in potassium) the outer shell electron is further away from the nucleus **or** because potassium atoms are larger than sodium atoms  
*it should be clear that the candidate is referring to the outer shell electron: if this is not clear a maximum of 2 marks can be awarded* 1
- therefore the outer shell electron is less strongly attracted to the nucleus **or** is more shielded from the attraction of the nucleus and so the outer shell electron in potassium is more easily lost 1
- 3 marks can be scored for answering the question in terms of sodium** 1

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(a)



one mark for each substance linked correctly to its description  
do **not** accept more than one line from each substance

3

(b) 0 / zero / none / no charge

1

electron

1

(c) (i) nucleus

1

(ii) atomic number

1

(iii) mass number

1

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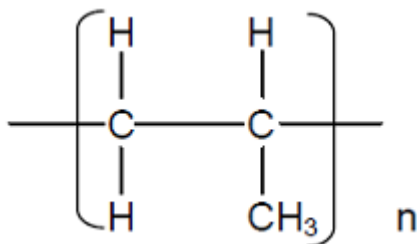
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(a) (i) ethene

*allow C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>*

1

(ii)



*accept line drawn from word 'Monomer' or from the monomer box  
to the correct 'Polymer'*

*allow the correct 'Polymer' indicated by a tick, circled etc.*

1

(b) (i) nickel

*accept Ni*

1

(ii) 75(%)

1

(iii) (stainless steel) is hard /strong / durable

*it = stainless steel*

*accept (pure) iron is soft*

1

(stainless steel) resistant to corrosion **or** unreactive

*accept (pure) iron rusts / corrodes / reacts*

*do **not** allow corrosive*

1

(c) **Advantage** : Conserves resources of crude oil and ores

*do **not** allow more than one tick in the advantage column*

1

**Disadvantage** : High cost of separating materials

*do **not** allow more than one tick in the disadvantage column*

1

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(a) any **two** from:

- copper / ores are running out / harder to find
- there are no / very small amounts of high-grade copper ores left
- copper metal is in demand
- copper is expensive
- now economical to extract copper from low-grade ores  
*it = copper*  
*allow new methods of extraction e.g. bioleaching and phytomining*  
*allow high-grade ores are running out for 2 marks*

2

(b) (i) large amounts / 98% of rock to dispose of as waste

*accept contains toxic (metal) compounds / bioleacher*

**or**

waste rock takes up a lot of space

1

- (ii) (copper sulfide reacts with oxygen to) produce sulfur dioxide /  $\text{SO}_2$   
*allow (sulfur reacts with oxygen to) produce sulfur dioxide /  $\text{SO}_2$*

1

that causes acid rain

*allow description of effects of acid rain **or** sulfur dioxide  
 if no other mark awarded allow  $\text{CO}_2$  produced which causes global warming **or**  $\text{CO}_2$  produced by burning fuel or heating the furnace for  
 1 mark*

1

- (iii) any **one** from:

- large amounts of fuels / energy used (for the furnace and electrolysis)  
*allow large amounts of electricity needed  
 ignore high temperature / electrolysis unqualified*
- (the extraction has) many steps / stages / processes  
*allow (extraction) is a long process / takes a lot of time*
- large amounts of ore / material have to be mined  
*allow ores contain a low percentage of copper*

1

- (iv) (copper ions move towards) the negative electrode / *cathode*

1

because copper ions /  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  are positively charged **or** are oppositely charged **or** copper ions need to gain electrons

*allow because metal ions are positive **or** opposites attract*

1

- (v) (growing) plants

1

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- (a) (i) 2.8.3  
*any sensible symbol can be used to represent an electron*

1

- (ii) proton(s) **and** neutron(s)  
*both needed for the mark*

1

- (iii) number of protons is equal to number of electrons  
*allow positive and negative charges cancel out  
 allow same amount of protons and electrons*

1

- (b) (i)  $2 \text{Al} + \text{Fe}_2 \text{O}_3 \rightarrow 2 \text{Fe} + \text{Al}_2 \text{O}_3$   
*equation must be balanced*

1

- (ii) aluminium is more reactive (than iron)  
*it = aluminium*  
*accept converse*  
*accept aluminium displaces iron*  
*accept aluminium is higher in the reactivity series (than iron)*

1

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- (a) any **one** advantage from:

- conserves resources (of crude oil / metal ores)  
*ignore can be made into other items*  
*allow the materials (in the pen) are non-renewable*  
*allow less expensive than producing from the raw material*
- reduces use of landfill  
*ignore less waste*
- less use of fuels/energy
- less carbon dioxide produced  
*ignore global warming unqualified*

1

- any **one** disadvantage from:

- made of different polymers / alloys / materials
- difficulty / cost of separating the different materials  
*allow not all the materials can be recycled*

1

- (b) hard / strong / durable

1

- resistant to corrosion **or** unreactive

*allow do not rust*  
*do **not** allow corrosive*

1

- (c) (i) vapours (of decane)  
*ignore pressure / hot / heat*  
*allow high temperature ( $\geq 150$  °C)*

1

- passed over a catalyst **or** porous pot **or** aluminium oxide

*allow catalyst even if incorrectly named*

1

**or**  
 mixed with steam (1)  
 at a (very) high temperature (1)  
*if temperature quoted, must be  $\geq 500$  °C*

(ii) many monomers **or** many ethene molecules

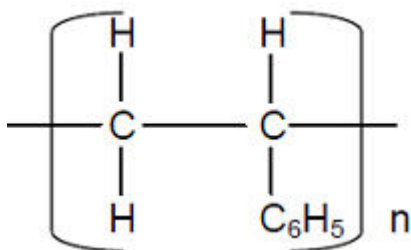
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join / bond  
*allow addition polymerisation for second mark*

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**OR**  
 monomers / ethene molecules (1)  
 form chains **or** very large molecules (1)  
*if no other mark awarded allow double bond breaks / opens up **or** double bond forms a single bond for 1 mark*

(d)



*allow bonds that do not extend through brackets*  
*7 single bonds are used and are in the correct places with no additional atoms (1)*  
*the brackets and the n are in the correct place (1)*

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(a) (i) current / charge couldn't flow  
*allow could not conduct (electricity)*

1

because the ions / particles couldn't move  
 do **not** accept electrons/ molecules / atoms

**or**

(salt) needs to be molten / (1) dissolved (to conduct electricity)

so that the ions / particles can move (1)  
 do **not** accept electrons / molecules / atoms

1

(ii) he had status  
*accept he had authority **or** experience*

**or**

he had evidence / proof  
*accept the experiment could be repeated*

1

(b) hydrogen / H<sub>2</sub>  
*do **not** allow hydrogen ions*

1

the ions are positive  
*accept because opposite (charges) attract*

1

potassium is more reactive (than hydrogen)  
*accept potassium ions are less easily discharged (than hydrogen)  
or potassium ions are less easily reduced (than hydrogen)*

1

(c) (i) gain electron(s)  
*accept fully balanced correct equation for **2** marks*

1

one electron  
*if no other marks awarded allow (potassium ions) reduced for  
**1** mark*

1

(ii)  $2 \text{Cl}^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{e}^-$   
*must be completely correct, including charge on electron  
accept correct multiples*

1

(iii) 2, 8, 8  
*accept any combination of dots, crosses, "e" or any other relevant  
symbol  
ignore any charges if given*

1

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(a) (i) hydrogen  
*accept H<sub>2</sub>  
allow H*

1

(ii) hydroxide

*accept OH<sup>-</sup>*

*allow OH*

*do **not** accept lithium hydroxide*

1

(b) any **two** from:

*'it' = potassium*

potassium:

*accept converse for lithium*

- reacts / dissolves faster

*allow reacts more vigorously / quickly / violently / explodes*

*ignore reacts more*

- bubbles / fizzes faster

*allow fizzes more*

*allow more gas*

- moves faster (on the surface)

*allow moves more*

- melts

*allow forms a sphere*

- produces (lilac / purple) flame

*allow catches fire / ignites*

*do **not** accept other colours*

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(a) reduction

1

(b) carbon is less reactive than aluminium

1

(c) aluminium (ions) / they are positively charged

*they = aluminium ions*

*ignore particle names*

*accept aluminium (ions) / they are cations*

*allow aluminium (ions they have an opposite charge*

1



so they are attracted **or** they move towards the negative electrode

**OR**

aluminium (ions) / they need to gain electrons (1)

which come from the negative electrode (1)

*if no other marks awarded allow 'opposites attract' for 1 mark*

1

(d) aluminium has a low density

1

aluminium is resistant to corrosion

1

(e) **advantage** less carbon dioxide is produced

1

**disadvantage** used aluminium cans have to be collected and transported

1

**[8]**

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(a) (i) reduction

*accept redox / smelting*

1

(ii) 3 4 3

1

(b) (i) 55

*ignore other units*

(ii) Water

*accept sodium hydroxide*

*accept correct formulae  $H_2O$  or  $NaOH$*

1

(iii) any **one** from:

- save energy / fuel for transporting the ore

*accept less (cost of) transport allow transported quickly*

- (old) quarries nearby for waste/red mud

1

(c) **Environmental**any **one** from:

- less mining / quarrying (of bauxite)  
*allow loss of habitat / less qualified noise pollution*
- less landfill space needed / used  
*allow less red mud / waste*
- less use of fossil fuels / energy
- less carbon dioxide produced

1

**Ethical or social**any **one** from:

- saves resources  
*allow using resources more than once*
- creates (local) employment  
*if answers reversed and both correct award 1 mark*
- more people aware of the need for recycling  
*allow less qualified noise pollution if not given in environmental*

1

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(a) (iron (steel) is) strong

*allow abundant **or** easy to extract **or** cheap*  
*ignore other correct properties*

1

(b) less dense*allow low mass*

1

more abundant

*accept copper is 'running out'*  
*allow copper is more expensive*  
*ignore other correct statements*

1

(c) (i)  $C_2H_4$ 

1

(ii) double bond

1

(iii) poly(ethene)

1

**[6]****27**(a) any **one** from:

- no method / electrolysis / equipment / technology  
*allow 'didn't know how to' or 'no knowledge'*
- aluminium is a very reactive metal
- high melting point  
*allow 'couldn't heat it enough'*
- potassium had not been discovered

1

(b) because others / scientists / they could not repeat the experiment*ignore he could not repeat the experiment***or**others / they could not obtain the same results

1

(c) reaction is endothermic **or**  
reaction takes in heat / energy*accept activation energy**ignore rate / high temperature**ignore bonds broken*

1

(d) (aluminium chloride + potassium) → aluminium + potassium chloride

*in either order**accept correct formulae**ignore metal**ignore balancing*

1

(e) when tested it had the properties of a metal

*accept a test for a metal property eg conductivity / reaction with acid*

1

properties were different (from other known metals)

*accept properties compared with other metals*

1

**[6]**

- 28** (a) causes dust pollution 1  
 increases traffic 1
- (b) (i) it is soft  
*accept the layers of atoms can slide over each other*  
*ignore other properties* 1
- (ii) contains chromium / nickel  
*allow contains other metals* 1
- (c) (i) an element 1
- (ii) hard 1
- (iii) is resistant to corrosion 1
- 29** (a) (i) contains enough metal to make it economical to extract 1
- (ii) Fe (+) CO<sub>2</sub>  
*formula of both products must be correct* 1
- (Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>) (+) ....3....(CO)  
 →  
 .....2.....(Fe) (+) .....3...(CO<sub>2</sub>)  
*balancing correct*  
*allow correct balancing using Fe<sub>2</sub>* 1
- (iii) reduction  
*accept redox* 1
- (b) (i) oxygen reacts with the carbon to produce carbon dioxide  
*allow carbon monoxide for carbon dioxide* 1

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**OR**

carbon dioxide is produced (1)

which escapes as a gas (1)

1

(ii) to give steels with different / particular properties or for  
different / particular uses*ignore to make different alloys*

1

(c) copper is very expensive

*accept the metal (iron / steel) costs less than copper**ignore energy*

1

because copper ores are 'low grade' / running out

*allow copper is rare**ignore nickel*

1

**[9]****30**

(a) (i) conducts electricity

1

(ii) mixture (of metals)*(it = alloy)*

1

(b) any **two** from:*ignore pollution without qualification*

• noise

• dust

*allow dirt*

• traffic

• eyesore

2

**[4]**

31

- (a) (i) low percentage / very little of metal (in the ore)  
*accept only 0.5% metal in the ore or over 99% waste in the ore or nearly 100% waste in the ore*  
*ignore reference to percentage of metal in the Earth's crust or energy used or pollution*
- 1
- (ii) any **one** from  
*(it = iron)*
- iron uses less energy / fuel for extraction  
*ignore electrolysis / uses electricity / reactivity*
  - iron has more uses
  - more demand for iron  
*ignore high abundance in the Earth's crust / high percentage of metal in ore*
  - iron is stronger  
*ignore harder*
  - cheaper / costs less
  - easier to extract
- 1
- (b) (i) has melting point lower than 950°C  
*(it = aluminium)*  
*allow has a low melting point*  
*ignore boiling point*
- 1
- (ii) electrode(s) made of carbon
- 1
- oxygen reacts with electrode(s) / carbon  
*accept  $C + O_2 \rightarrow CO_2$*   
*NB oxygen reacts with the carbon electrode(s) = 2 marks*
- 1

(iii) any **two** from:

- saves resources / non-renewable  
*accept aluminium / ore will run out **or** conserves aluminium*
- landfill problem  
*accept aluminium does not corrode*
- saves energy / fuel / electricity  
*ignore global warming*
- less carbon dioxide / carbon emissions **or** reduces carbon footprint  
*ignore consequences of quarrying / mining*
- less quarrying / mining  
*ignore pollution / harms environment / costs / easy to recycle*

2

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(a) (i) removal of oxygen

*accept definition in terms of electrons **or** oxidation numbers  
ignore oxides*

1

(ii) 2 (Cl<sub>2</sub>)

*allow correct multiples*

1

(iii) no atoms are lost / made (during a chemical reaction)

**or**

the atoms are rearranged (during a chemical reaction)

*accept because of (the law of) conservation of mass / matter*

1

(b) (i) sodium is more reactive (than titanium)

*accept sodium is very reactive **or** titanium is less reactive  
do **not** accept sodium is more reactive than argon*

1

(ii) any **one** from:

- sodium / titanium would react with oxygen / air  
*accept air / oxygen is reactive*
- sodium / titanium does not react with argon  
*accept argon is unreactive / inert / a noble gas / in group O*

1

- (c) (i) all atoms are the same / it only contains one type of atom  
*accept all ions are the same*  
*do **not** accept only got one atom*  
*do **not** accept all atoms are the same size*  
*ignore particles*

1

- (ii) two different / types atoms / elements / ions  
*accept more than one type of atom / ion / element*  
*do **not** accept different size*

1

bonded / joined together  
*accept definite proportions*  
*do **not** accept mixture*

1

**[8]****33**

- (a) (carbon =) 1

1

(oxygen =) 3

1

- (b) (i) heated

1

(ii) carbon dioxide

1

- (c) (i) combustion

1

(ii) carbon is more reactive than zinc

1

(iii) zinc boils (in the furnace / below 1300°C)  
*ignore melting point / changes of state*

1

lead does not boil / (only) melts in the furnace / boils above 1300°C  
*if no other mark awarded allow zinc has a lower boiling point **or***  
*lead has a higher boiling point*  
***or** they / zinc **and** lead have different boiling points for **1** mark*

1

**[8]**



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- (a) (i) copper / Cu 1
- (ii) 50(p) 1
- (iii) 25 1
- (iv) tin 1
- (b) (i) any **one** from:
- high cost of copper  
*allow metal is expensive*
  - less copper available **or** (copper ores exhausted / **only** low-grade ores available)  
*allow copper is non-renewable*
  - high demand for copper
  - high percentage (%) of copper in the coin
  - inflation (of cost)
- 1
- (ii) any **one** from:
- stronger / harder  
*ignore rust*
  - cost of copper **or** copper is more expensive to extract **or** steel is cheap  
*allow cheaper (to make)*
  - less copper available
- or**  
(copper ores exhausted / **only** low-grade ores available)
- high demand for copper
  - less copper is needed
- 1

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35

(a) (i) C

*must be correct symbol*  
*do **not** accept carbon*  
*any balancing must be correct*

1

(ii) Fe + CO<sub>2</sub>

*correct formulae*

1

2... + 3... .

*correct balancing*  
*allow Fe<sub>2</sub> + 3CO<sub>2</sub> for this mark*

1

(iii) layers / atoms in pure iron are able to slide over each other

*it = pure iron*  
*accept ions for atoms*  
*ignore molecules / particles*

**or**

layers / atoms in cast iron are unable to slide over each other (easily)

1

(b) any **three** from:

*mention of ozone = max 2*

- less iron ore used  
*accept the idea that ores would be conserved but not unspecified conservation*
- less other metals extracted / used to make different steels  
*accept the idea that ores would be conserved but not unspecified conservation*
- less fuel used  
*accept the idea that fuels would be conserved*  
*ignore reduces energy requirements*
- less specified pollution  
*accept global warming / greenhouse effect / CO<sub>2</sub> / CO / carbon emissions / acid rain / SO<sub>2</sub> / global dimming /*  
*do **not** accept ozone layer*
- less / no landfill space needed  
*ignore reduces waste*
- less / no mining needed **or** fewer specified effects of mining  
*accept effect such as eyesore / loss of habitat*  
*eg 'less mining iron ore' = 2 marks*

3

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(a) atoms

1

(b) mixture

1

metal

1

structure

1

smart

1

(c) (i) any **two** from:

- saves raw materials / iron ore
- saves energy / fuels  
*accept cheaper / saves money*
- make new / useful items
- make money / it is economic
- reduces pollution  
*allow less harmful for the environment*
- decreases cost of steel cans
- reduces carbon dioxide emissions
- decreases waste materials / use of landfill

2

(ii) any **one** from:

- provide information / education of the need to recycle
- legislate against / charge for waste
- reward / pay people to recycle  
*accept fine people for not recycling*
- put labels on the cans
- provide recycling bags / bins / areas

1

**[8]****37**

(a) conducts (electricity) **or**  
*accept flexible*

allows electrons / current to flow  
*ignore conducts heat*

1

(b) electron

1

(c) (i) lithium>copper>tungsten **or**

Li>Cu>W

*all correct*

*allow 1 mark for one metal in the correct position*

2

(ii) has high / highest melting point

*accept has high / highest boiling point*

**or**

can withstand the highest temperature

1

(d) unreactive

1

**[6]**

**38**

(a) (i) many ethene / molecules / monomers

*accept double bonds open / break*

1

join to form a long hydrocarbon / chain / large molecule

*accept addition polymerisation*

*ignore references to ethane*

*correct equation gains 2 marks*

1

(ii) (can be deformed but) return to their original shape (when heated or cooled)

*ignore 'it remembers its shape'*

1

(iii) cross links / extra bonds in PEX

*accept inter-molecular bonds*

*ignore inter-molecular forces*

1

molecules / chains in PEX are held in position

*accept rigid structure*

1

molecules / chains in PEX unable to slide past each other / move

*it = PEX throughout*

1

(b) any **four** from:

- less (hydrocarbon) fuels used  
*allow less energy*
- less / no electrical energy used  
*allow no electrolysis*
- reduce carbon / carbon dioxide emissions  
*allow less global warming*
- reduce / no pollution by sulfur dioxide / acid rain
- continuous process  
*allow less / no transportation*
- conserve copper which is running out or only low-grade ores available
- reduce the amount of solid waste rock that needs to be disposed  
*allow less waste*
- reduce the need to dig large holes (to extract copper ores)  
*allow less mining*  
*ignore costs / sustainability / non-renewable*

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(a) (an alloy) that can return to its original shape (after being deformed / bent / twisted)

*accept (on heating / cooling) it returns to its shape*

1

(b) any **two** from:

- brass / it is a mixture  
*accept brass / it is not pure*
- zinc changes structure / disrupts patterns or layers
- copper metal atoms / layers able to slide over each other  
*accept zinc prevents atoms / layers sliding over each other*

2

(c) (i) oxygen / O<sub>2</sub> / O

1

(ii) lead remains (in furnace) because of its high boiling point

1

zinc boils / evaporates (out of furnace) because of its low boiling point 1 if neither mark awarded then allow 1 mark for different boiling points

*ignore references to melting points*

1

**[6]****40**

(a) any **one** from:

- light(er) / less dense  
*ignore stronger*
- resistant to acids / alkalis / chemical  
*accept resistant to corrosion*

1

(b) any **two** from:

*it must be clear*  
*list principle applies*  
*allow reverse argument*  
*ignore reference to temperature*

- magnesium is more reactive than titanium  
*magnesium is above titanium in the reactivity series*
- titanium is more reactive than carbon
- magnesium is more reactive than carbon
- magnesium is most reactive
- carbon is least reactive

2

(c) any **three** from:

*it = titanium*

*ignore references to cost / easier / usefulness alone **or** references to incorrect processes*

- takes a long time to process
- low abundance (of ore)
- small amount produced
- batch process used **or** blast furnace is continuous
- more stages used to manufacture titanium  
*allow  $\geq 3$  / many / several*
- more energy used (per tonne of titanium)  
*allow high energy requirement*  
*ignore references to temperature*
- magnesium / chlorine is expensive
- labour intensive

3

**[6]****41**

(a) (i) contain enough metal to make it economical / worth while to extract

1

(ii) reduction

*accept displacement*

*accept redox*

1

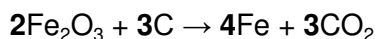
(iii)  $\text{Fe} + \text{CO}_2$

*do **not** accept  $\text{Fe}_2$  /  $\text{Fe}_4$*

1

correct balancing

*accept multiples and halves*



*allow  $\text{Fe}_2$  /  $\text{Fe}_4$  as ecf*

1



(b) **Pure Iron**

(in pure metal all the atoms are the same size and) able to slip / slide over each other – (property soft)

*OWTTE*

*ignore references to molecules / particles*

*if they say 'move' both times, allow **one** mark but 'crack' or 'split' is wrong..*

1

**Cast iron**

(in cast iron) different sized atoms / larger atoms **or** structure is distorted / disrupted

*OWTTE*

1

so it is difficult for layers of atoms to slip / slide over each other

*OWTTE*

1

(c) any **three** from:

- conserves / saves resources / metal ores
- saves energy resources (used for extraction / processing)  
*accept cheaper / saves money*
- decreases waste materials
- decreases a named pollution  
*do **not** accept acid rain*

3

**[10]****42**(a) (i) any **one** from:

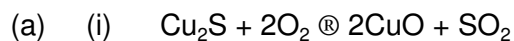
- iron ore is a limited resource / non-renewable
- iron is in high demand
- provide jobs
- economic advantage

1

- (ii) any **two** from:
- would damage (wildlife) habitats / countryside / greenfield sites
  - extra traffic
  - visual (pollution) / eyesore
  - noise (pollution) / sound (pollution)
  - dust (pollution)
  - river (pollution)
  - carbon dioxide (from traffic) / adds to greenhouse effect / global warming
  - damage roads / buildings by vibrations / shockwaves
- 2
- (b) (i) carbon monoxide / carbon  
*accept formulae CO / C*
- 1
- (ii) atoms  
*accept (particles) are all the same (size) / type for one mark*
- 1
- are all the same (size) / type
- 1
- (iii) any **two** from:
- impurities / carbon / different (sized) atoms **or** elements **or** metals
  - changes the structure / disrupts the pattern or layers
  - prevents layers sliding over each other
  - it is an alloy
- 2

**[8]**

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*accept fractions and multiple*

1

(ii) any **two** from:

- sulfur dioxide

*accept sulphur dioxide / sulphur oxide / SO<sub>2</sub>*

- causes acid rain

*ignore other comments eg global warming / ozone / global dimming / greenhouse effect*

- consequence of acid rain eg kills fish / plants

2

(b) any **two** from:

- heat (copper oxide with carbon)

- oxygen is removed by carbon

*accept copper (oxide) loses oxygen***or***carbon gains oxygen**accept carbon oxide***or**

carbon monoxide / carbon dioxide is produced

**or**

carbon displaces copper

*accept a correct word or balanced**symbol equation*

- because carbon is more reactive than copper

*allow a correct comparison of reactivity*

2

(c) (i) electrolysis

*accept electroplating*

1

(ii) (electrical) wiring / appliances / coins / pipes / cladding for buildings / jewellery / making alloys

1

**or**

named alloys

(d) any **three** explanations from:

for recycling

- less acid rain (pollution)
  - copper reserves last longer / conserved
- or**
- do not run out
- energy for extraction (saved)
- or**
- less energy required
- less mining / quarrying
  - less waste (copper) / electrical appliances dumped
- or**
- less landfill

against recycling

- collection problems
- transport problems
- difficult to separate copper from appliances
- energy used to melt the collected copper  
*ignore electrolysis / pollution*  
*ignore ideas about less machinery / plant*  
*ignore idea of cost*

3

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(a) (i) 5(%)

1

(ii) 0.35

$$\frac{5}{10} \times 7$$

*for 1 mark*

2

- (b) (i) reduction  
*accept (it's) reduced*  
*do **not** accept redox / deoxidation*  
 1
- (ii) heat with / reduce / react with **or** (chemical) reaction  
 1
- with a metal / element / substance higher in reactivity  
*ignore displace*  
*accept higher named elements **or** symbol*  
*accept carbon monoxide / coal / coke*  
*correct word equation for **2** marks*  
*correct formulas for **1** mark*  
*correct balanced symbol equation for **2** marks*  
 1
- or**
- electrolysis:  
 molten (1)  
 electrolysis (1)

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- (a) react with oxygen / oxidise / burn in oxygen / burning / combustion **or**  
 tungsten to tungsten oxide **or** makes an oxide  
*key idea is oxidation*  
*ignore breaking ignore fire / flames / exothermic*  
*ignore react with air*  
 1
- (b) it is (very) unreactive / not reactive / inert / does not react with tungsten  
**or** it is a noble gas **or** it is in group 0 or 8 or 18  
*do **not** accept unreactive / inert metal **or** argon is not very reactive*  
 1
- full outer shell (of electrons) / 8 electrons in outer shell  
 1
- does not need to gain / lose / swap / transfer / share electrons **or** does not need to  
 form bonds  
*does not bond ionically / covalently*  
 1

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- (a) (very) small percentage / amount (in the Earth's crust)

*any indication that there is a small amount, eg not much (left)*  
*accept rare (elements) / rarer*  
*accept not commonly found*  
*ignore cannot find easily*  
*ignore hard to extract*

1

- (b) (i) oxygen /  $O_2$  / O

*do **not** accept  $O^2$*

1

- (ii) any **one** from:

- potassium / K
- sodium / Na
- calcium / Ca
- magnesium / Mg

*symbols must be correct*  
*write name and incorrect symbol,*  
*ignore symbol*

1

- (c) (i) heating (with) **or** hot air blown into furnace

*accept high temperatures or (very) hot*

1

carbon / carbon monoxide / coke / coking coal

*do **not** accept coal / charcoal accept balanced equation only*

**or**

carbon reacts with  $O_2$  **or** carbon / coke burning (1)

*accept balanced equation only CO /  $CO_2$*

CO reacts with the ore (1)

*for naming the reducing agent*

1

- (ii) cost of melting ore / electricity  
 makes aluminium expensive (owtte)  
**or** (large amount of) electricity used  
**or** because you have to use electrolysis  
**or** aluminium is higher in the reactivity series  
**or** aluminium is harder to reduce  
**or** unable to reduce with carbon  
**or** the cost of purifying the bauxite  
*do **not** accept harder to extract / produce  
 more energy is **not** enough*

1

**[6]****47**

- (a) mixture

***not** compound*

1

of a metal with other element(s) / metals

***not** of elements****not** of a metal with other substances*

1

- (b) steel

*allow stainless steel*

1

- (c) stronger / increased strength / harder / less malleable / less brittle

***not** corrosion / rusting*

1

- (d) copper and zinc

1

**[5]****48**

- (a) gives out

heat

*each for 1 mark*

2

- (b) chromium and aluminium oxide

1

- (c) (i) chromium oxide 1
- (ii) oxygen removed/gains electrons 1
- [5]**

- 49** (a) lead oxide + carbon = lead + carbon dioxide  
(A symbol equation was accepted if correct) 1
- (b) oxygen removed (or addition of electrons) 1
- [2]**

- 50** (a) unreactive / near bottom of reactivity series 1
- (b) carbon more reactive / higher up reactivity series 1
- (c) very reactive / near top of reactivity series 1
- cannot use displacement methods / can only be extracted by electrolysis / had to wait discovery of electricity 1
- [4]**

- 51** (a)  $\text{Zn} + 2\text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{ZnCl}_2 + \text{H}_2$  1
- (b) (i) 12.5 1
- (ii) steeper curve same volume of gas evolved  
*do not credit two intersects of straight lines*  
*accept a sharp bend* 2



(iii) any **two** from:

stir it

*accept mix it better*

heat it

*accept warm it*

use a more finely divided catalyst

*accept use a better catalyst or more finely divided zinc*

*do not credit use acid of a higher*

2

(c) (i) any **one** from

zinc is more reactive than copper

*accept zinc is above copper in the reactivity series*

zinc displaces copper

*accept it is higher than copper in the reactivity series*

1

(ii) zinc + copper sulphate → copper + zinc sulphate

*ignore the presence of acid **or** water*

*accept a balanced equation*

1

**[8]**

**52**

(a) (i) rings of 2, 8 and 3 electrons

*credit 2, 8, 3 pay particular attention to the outer shell in diagrams*

1

(ii) rings of 2, 8 and 7 electrons

*credit 2, 8, 7 pay particular attention to the outer shell in diagrams*

1

(b) (i)

*labels not required on atoms  
charges need to be shown on ions  
reference to outer shell is required otherwise a maximum of two marks*

*structure of atoms/ions marks*

(ring of 2, 8, 1 for sodium) **or** the outer shell of sodium only contains 1 electron  
*credit 2, 8, 1 or an ion 2, 8 or two circles and 1 electron in outer shell*

1

(ring of 2, 6 for oxygen) **or** outer shell only contains 6 electrons  
*credit 2, 6 or an ion 2, 8 or two circles*

1

*transfer of electrons mark*

two sodiums needed to supply two outer electrons to oxygen to complete the (one oxygen's) outer shell

*award maximum of two marks if a covalent structure is given  
credit two rings of electrons for sodium showing outer electrons  
transferring to outer shell of one oxygen for three marks  
do not accept diagrams showing overlapping rings for third mark*

1

(ii) loses an electron

*credit atoms lose electrons or oxygen takes the electron ignore oil rig*

1

**[6]****53**

(a) This part was not marked

1

(b) electrolysis

1

because calcium is more reactive (than aluminium **or** carbon)

*accept it is more reactive  
or very reactive*

1

**OR**

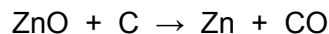
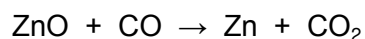
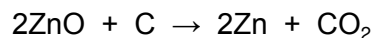
in a blast furnace

1

because calcium is less reactive (than carbon **or** lower)

1

- (c) any equation from  
*1 mark for correct formulae*  
*1 mark for balancing*



1

**[5]****54**

- (i) idea that:  
 carbon is above lead in the reactivity series } NOT  
*for 1 mark*

carbon is below aluminium in the reactivity series } OXIDE  
*for 1 mark*

carbon can remove oxygen from/reduce lead oxide  
 or cannot remove oxygen from aluminium oxide  
 not aluminium more reactive than lead  
*for 1 mark*

OR similar ideas in comparing bond strengths

3

- (ii) (carbon + lead oxide) → \*lead + \*carbon dioxide  
*each for 1 mark*

accept correct formulae  $\text{CO}_2$  and CO **NOT** carbon oxide

2

**[5]****55**

- (a) hydrogen  
*for 1 mark*

1

- (b) oxygen  
*for 1 mark*

1

**[2]**

**56**

correct use of 'react'/'reaction'/reactants/combine  
(not mixed/added/join)  
correct use of 'produce'/'products'/gives/forms/makes/creates  
reactants correctly identified

*each for 1 mark*

products correctly identified

(Reactants must be correctly identified for 'react'  
mark to be awarded. Similarly for products)

(magnesium reacts with zinc oxide to produce magnesium  
oxide and zinc or similar, will gain all 4 marks)

Oxidise or reduce given correctly can be credited both  
the marks for react and produce

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(a) *ideas that it is a*

- compound of metal/metal oxide/combined (NOT mixed) cpd/  
named cpd  $O^{2-}/S^{2-}/CO_3^{2-}$  etc
- found naturally/in rocks/in Earth's Crust

*for 1 mark each*

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(b) reduction (accept smelting/refining but not electrolysis)

*for 1 mark*

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(c) One example. Al or above in Reactivity Series  
ie Group I or II metals NOT Pb/Cu or compounds

*for 1 mark*

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