

M1.(a) 13 (protons)

The answers must be in the correct order.

if no other marks awarded, award 1 mark if number of protons and electrons are equal

1

14 (neutrons)

1

13 (electrons)

1

(b) has three electrons in outer energy level / shell

allow electronic structure is 2.8.3

1

(c) **Level 3 (5–6 marks):**

A detailed and coherent comparison is given, which demonstrates a broad knowledge and understanding of the key scientific ideas. The response makes logical links between the points raised and uses sufficient examples to support these links.

Level 2 (3–4 marks):

A description is given which demonstrates a reasonable knowledge and understanding of the key scientific ideas. Comparisons are made but may not be fully articulated and / or precise.

Level 1 (1–2 marks):

Simple statements are made which demonstrate a basic knowledge of some of the relevant ideas. The response may fail to make comparisons between the points raised.

0 marks:

No relevant content.

Indicative content

Physical

Transition elements

- high melting points
- high densities
- strong
- hard

Group 1

- low melting points
- low densities
- soft

Chemical

Transition elements

- low reactivity / react slowly (with water or oxygen)
- used as catalysts
- ions with different charges
- coloured compounds

Group 1

- very reactive / react (quickly) with water / non-metals
- not used as catalysts
- white / colourless compounds
- only forms a +1 ion

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M2.(a) The forces between iodine molecules are stronger 1

(b) anything in range +30 to +120 1

(c) Brown 1

(d) $2 \text{I}^- + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{I}_2 + 2 \text{Cl}^-$ 1

(e) It contains ions which can move 1

(f) hydrogen iodine 1

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M3.(a) (i) protons

allow "protons or electrons", but do not allow "protons and electrons"

1

(ii) protons plus / and neutrons

1

(b) (because the relative electrical charges are) -1 for an electron and $+1$ for a proton
allow electrons are negative and protons are positive

1

and the number of electrons is equal to the number of protons

if no other mark awarded, allow 1 mark for the charges cancel out

1

(c) (the electronic structure of) fluorine is 2,7 and chlorine is 2,8,7
allow diagrams for the first marking point

1

(so fluorine and chlorine are in the same group) because they have the same number of or 7 electrons in their highest energy level or outer shell

if no other mark awarded, allow 1 mark for have the same / similar properties

1

(d) S

1

(e) (i) ions

1

(ii) molecules

1

[9]

M4.(a) (iron) is a metal

accept transition element

allow (iron) had different properties (to oxygen and sulfur)

ignore electrons

1

(b) so that elements with similar properties could be placed together

allow to make the pattern fit

ignore undiscovered elements

1

(c) atomic number(s)

allow proton number(s)

1

(d) all have one electron in the outer shell (highest energy level)

allow same number of electrons in the outer shell (highest energy level)

1

(so they) have similar properties

or

react in the same way

allow specific reactions e.g. with water

1

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M5.(a) increase

1

(b) (i) Na^+ and Br^-
both required

1

(ii) sodium chloride
allow NaCl
do not allow sodium chlorine

1

(iii) chlorine is more reactive than bromine
allow converse argument
allow symbols Cl, Cl₂, Br and Br₂
allow chlorine / it is more reactive
do not allow chloride or bromide

1

(iv) fluorine
allow F / F₂
do not allow fluoride.

1

[5]

M6.(a) Li and K

either order
*allow lithium **and** potassium*

1

(b) Fe

allow iron

1

(c) N and As

either order
*allow nitrogen **and** arsenic*

1

(d) Cu

allow copper

1

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M7.(a) similar properties

allow same properties

allow correct example of property

ignore answers in terms of atomic structure

1

(b) (i) in order of atomic / proton number

allow increasing number (of protons)

1

(ii) elements in same group have same number (of electrons) in outer shell **or**
highest energy level

allow number (of electrons) increases across a period

1

(c) any **two** from:

statements must be comparative

- stronger / harder

ignore higher densities

- less reactive

- higher melting points

ignore boiling point

2

(d) *reactivity increases down group*

allow converse throughout

*for next three marks, outer electron needs to be mentioned once
otherwise max = 2*

1

outer electron is further from nucleus

allow more energy levels / shells

allow larger atoms

1

less attraction between outer electron and nucleus

allow more shielding

1

therefore outer electron lost more easily

1

[9]

M8.(a) (i) hydrogen

accept H₂

allow H

1

(ii) hydroxide

accept OH⁻

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 / explodesignore
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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M9. (a) any **two** from:

- react with water **or** very reactive
- (react with water) releasing gas / hydrogen / fizzing
- (react with water) to form an alkaline / hydroxide solution
- form ions with a 1+ charge
allow lose one electron from the outer shell
ignore other references to electronic structure
ignore physical properties

2

(b) any **three** from:

- some boxes contain two elements
allow specific examples:
Co, Ni **or** Ce, La **or** Di, Mo **or** Ro, Ru **or** Ba, V **or** Pt, Ir
- groups / columns contain elements with different properties
allow groups / columns contain both metals and non-metals
ignore examples
- Newlands not a well-known / respected scientist
ignore references to sugar factory
- new idea (not readily accepted by other scientists)
allow musical scales thought to be silly by some scientists

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(c) one for improvement **and** one for explanation from:

- left gaps (for undiscovered elements) (1)
 - so that elements were in their correct group (1)
allow so the elements fitted the pattern of properties
- or**
- did not always follow order of relative atomic weights / masses (1)
ignore references to atomic number / electronic structure

- *so that elements were in their correct group (1)*
allow so the elements fitted the pattern of properties

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