

M1.(a) (i) giant lattice

allow each carbon atom is joined to three others

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atoms in graphene are covalently bonded

max. 2 marks if any reference to wrong type of bonding

1

and covalent bonds are strong **or** need a lot of energy to be broken

allow difficult to break

1

(ii) because graphene has delocalised electrons

allow each carbon atom has one free electron

1

which can move throughout the structure

*do **not** accept just electrons can move.*

1

(b) because there are weak forces between molecules

allow no bonds between the layers

1

so layers / molecules can slip / slide.

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M2.(a) because atoms / ions / particles in alloy are different (sizes)

*do **not** allow reference to molecules*

ignore reference to compounds

1

so layers distorted

(and layers / atoms / ions / particles) don't slide **or** slide less easily

accept all marking points in a suitably labelled or annotated diagram

1

*if no other mark awarded accept an alloy is a mixture **or** contains different metals / elements for **1** mark*

1

(b) giant structure **or** lattice **or** macromolecule

*max **3** marks if incorrect bonding*

1

strong bonds (between carbon / atoms)

1

covalent (bonds)

1

each carbon / atom forms 4 bonds

accept tetrahedral

*if no other marks awarded, allow carbon (atoms) for **1** mark*

1

(c) *reference to incorrect bonding = max **3*** *reference to 'weak covalent bonds' = max **2*** *allow correctly drawn diagram for first two*

marking points eg. *(tangled) lines with no cross-links*

chains **or** large molecules
ignore layers

1

with intermolecular forces **or** forces between chains
allow bonds for forces accept no cross-links

1

that are weak
must relate to 2nd marking point

1

and are easily overcome/ broken (when heated)
accept molecules / chains can flow / move

1

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- M3.** (a) (i) *ionic / molecules / metallic / (inter)molecular = max 2*
- because graphene / it has a giant structure / lattice / macromolecular
accept all / every / each atom is bonded to 3 other atoms 1
- because graphene / it has covalent bonds / is covalent 1
- because in graphene / the bonds are strong **or**
 a lot of energy needed / hard to break the bonds 1
- (ii) there are delocalised / free electrons 1
- because one (delocalised / free) electron per atom linked to first marking point
accept because three electrons per atom used (in bonding)
accept because one electron per atom not used (in bonding) 1
- (b) opaque (owtte)
eg could not see through them
- or** layers slide
or layers not aligned
ignore thick 1

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M4. (a) Graphite:

because the layers (of carbon atoms) in graphite can move / slide

it = graphite

1

this is because there are only weak intermolecular forces **or** weak forces between layers

accept Van der Waals' forces allow no covalent bonds between layers

1

Diamond:

however, in diamond, each carbon atom is (strongly / covalently) bonded to 4 others

allow diamond has three dimensional / tetrahedral structure

1

so no carbon / atoms able to move / slide

*allow so no layers to slide **or** so diamond is rigid*

1

(b) because graphite has delocalised electrons / sea of electrons

allow free / mobile / roaming electrons

1

which can carry charge / current **or** move through the structure

1

however, diamond has no delocalised electrons

accept however, diamond has all (outer) electrons used in bonding

1

M5. any **three** from:

any reference to incorrect bonding = max 2

- giant structure / lattice / macromolecule
- covalent (bonds)
- bonds are (very) strong
allow bonds difficult to break
or takes a lot of energy to break bonds
- each atom / carbon joined to four others
accept each atom / carbon forms four bonds

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M6. (a) any **four** from:

max 3 marks if any reference made to covalent / ionic bonding / molecules or intermolecular forces or graphite / diamond or forces of attraction between electrons and then ignore throughout

- giant structure / lattice
ignore layers
- positive ions
- sea of electrons **or** delocalised / free electrons
ignore electrons can move
- awareness of outer shell / highest energy level electrons are involved
- (electrostatic) attractions / bonds between electrons and positive ions
- bonds / attractions (between atoms/ ions) are strong
allow hard to break for strong
ignore forces unqualified
- a lot of energy / heat is needed to break these bonds / attractions
ignore high temperature

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(b) (i) that they are very small

accept tiny / really small / a lot smaller / any indication of very small

eg microscopic, smaller than the eye can see

or

1–100 nanometres **or** a few (hundred) atoms

ignore incorrect numerical values if very small is given

1

(ii) any **2** from:

- one (non-bonded) electron from each atom
- delocalised / free electrons
allow sea of electrons
ignore electrons can move

- electron carry / form / pass current / charge
ignore carry electricity

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M7. **five** ideas from the following for one mark each

- each carbon / atom joined / bonded to three other carbon / atoms
or each carbon forms 3 bonds
- in layers
- only weak forces (of attraction) / bonds between layers
allow weak electrostatic / intermolecular forces /bonds between layers
- layers / atoms can slide over each other
- one electron on each carbon is not used for bonding
- electrons delocalised **or** electrons free
allow 'sea' of electrons
- electrons carry the charge / current
- giant structure / lattice
- covalent (bonds)
- strong bonds **or** a lot of energy needed to break bonds
*reference to ionic bonding = **max 4***
diagrams could be used:
 - *to show layered structure*
 - *to show that each carbon is bonded to three other carbon atoms*
 - *to show giant structure (at least 3 rings required)*

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