Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(a)(i)	B lead chloride		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(a)(ii)	An explanation linking two of strong (electrostatic) forces of attraction	Any reference to molecules/molecular/intermolecul ar/covalent scores 0 marks strong (ionic) bonds	
	 between oppositely charged ions so requires lot of heat/energy to overcome forces/break bonds 	positive and negative ions reject charged atoms for this mark ignore hard to melt/high temperature needed	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(a)(iii)	A description including M1 add (dilute) nitric acid M2 add silver nitrate	Accept correct formulae If use any other acid can score M2 and M3	
	(solution)		
	M3 forms white ppt/solid	dependent on use of silver nitrate	
		Alternative method:	
		Electrolyse (1)	
		Chlorine formed (1)	
		Bleaches litmus/pH paper (1) Ignore smell	(3)

Questic	n	Indicative Content	Mark
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QWC	1(b)	A description including some of the following points ion formation magnesium atoms lose electrons	
		 each magnesium atom loses two electrons to acquire full outer shell magnesium (configuration) becomes 2.8 forms Mg²⁺ ion electrons transferred to oxygen atoms oxygen atoms gain electrons each oxygen atom gains two electrons oxygen (configuration) becomes 2.8 to acquire full outer shell forms O²⁻ ion 	
		structure	
		magnesium ions attract oxide ions	
		due to opposite charges	
		 ions pack close together 	
		ratio of ions 1: 1	
		ions arranged in lattice ions (ions) (otherstune)	
		giant (ionic) (structure)	(6)
		diagram can be credited for any points	(0)
Level	0	No rewardable content	*
1	1 - 2	a limited description e.g. magnesium atoms lose electrons	and
		oxygen atoms gain electrons e.g. magnesium oxide is a gia	
		structure	
		the answer communicates ideas using simple language and	uses
		limited scientific terminology	
2	3 - 4	 spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited ac a simple description e.g. magnesium atoms lose two electrons 	
_	3-4	form positive ions and oxygen atoms gain two electrons to negative ions	
		e.g. magnesium atoms lose electrons and oxygen atoms g.	ain
		electrons and magnesium oxide is a giant structure	
		the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of	
		and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriat	10.00
3	5 - 6	 spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with some acc a detailed description e.g. each magnesium atom transfers 	
3	3-6	 a detailed description e.g. each magnesium atom transfers electrons to an oxygen atom and the opposite charged ions 	
		(Mg^{2+}/O^{2-}) formed attract each other to form a giant (ionic	
		the answer communicates ideas clearly and coherently uses	The state of the s
		range of scientific terminology accurately	
	1	 spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with few errors 	c

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(a)(i)	4		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(a)(ii)	D they both have high melting points		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(a)(iii)	An explanation linking	Any mention of ions (0)	(2)
	layers can slide / move/slip (over each other) (1)	Ignore can be rubbed off	
	(because)weak forces between layers (of atoms) (1)	Accept weak bonds for weak forces Accept sheets for layers Ignore mention of {intermolecular /intramolecular} forces/bonds Ignore weak forces between molecules	

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(b)	Diagram showing H • x or H • X • X	Ignore inner electrons, even if incorrect Accept electrons on/in ring (if ring drawn) Accept all dots or all crosses Accept circles touching and electrons shown where they touch	(2)

Questio Numbe		Indicative Content	Mark
QWC	*2(c)	An explanation including some of the following points Sodium chloride contains {charged particles/ ions} contains Na ⁺ and Cl ⁻ (regular) giant structure/lattice (hence crystalline) strong (electrostatic) forces (of attraction) between {ions/particles}/ strong bonds between {ions/particles}/strong ionic bonds a lot of (heat) energy is needed to separate the {ions/particles}/ a lot of (heat) energy is needed to {overcome/ break } the {forces/ bonds/ lattice} (hence high melting point) {ions/ charged particles} free to move (so it conducts electricity) when molten/ dissolved in water	(6)
		 covalent bonds between (hydrogen and oxygen) atoms/ (pair of) electrons shared between atoms contains molecules H₂O simple molecular/ simple covalent weak intermolecular forces/ weak {forces/ bonds} between {molecules/ particles} not much energy needed to separate the {molecules/ particles}/ not much energy is needed to break the {forces/ bonds between particles} (hence liquid at room temperature) does not contain any charged particles/ ions/ {delocalised/ free} electrons (hence does not conduct electricity) 	

Level	0	No rewardable content
1	1 - 2	 a limited explanation of one or two points e.g. water contains molecules. the answer communicates ideas using simple language and uses limited scientific terminology. spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited accuracy.
2	3 - 4	 a simple explanation of at least three points from sodium chloride or water OR a combination of three or four points from sodium chloride and water e.g. sodium chloride contains ions and water contains H₂O molecules. the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of clarity and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriately. spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy.
3	5 - 6	 a detailed explanation of at least five points, including at least one point from sodium chloride and at least one point from water e.g. sodium chloride contains ions held together by strong forces and it has a high melting point as lot of energy is needed to separate the ions, water contains molecules and has a low melting point as there are weak forces between the molecules the answer communicates ideas clearly and coherently uses a range of scientific terminology accurately. spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with few errors.

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fractional distillation		(1)
		or main affine
Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
to make it liquid	liquefy/condense to remove water (vapour) to remove carbon dioxide	(1)
Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
D weak forces of attraction between the oxygen molecules		(1)
Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
 An description including shared (electrons) (1) pair(s) of electrons (between atoms) (1) 	Ignore reference to complete/full shells Ignore reference to between two metals Ignore reference to between metal and non-metal Ignore reference to between molecules Any reference to between ions scores 0	(2)
Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2.4		(1)
Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
 any shared pair of electrons between a carbon and oxygen atom in CO₂ molecule (1) rest of molecule correct (1) 	Must have O C O arrangement If any atom labelled must be correct Ignore inner electrons even if wrong electrons can be on/in ring or no	
	fractional distillation Answer to make it liquid Answer D weak forces of attraction between the oxygen molecules Answer An description including • shared (electrons) (1) • pair(s) of electrons (between atoms) (1) Answer 2.4 Answer diagram showing • any shared pair of electrons between a carbon and oxygen atom in CO ₂ molecule (1)	fractional distillation Answer Acceptable answers to make it liquid liquefy/condense to remove water (vapour) to remove carbon dioxide Answer Acceptable answers Acceptable answers Acceptable answers Acceptable answers Acceptable answers Acceptable answers Ignore reference to complete/full shells Ignore reference to between two metals Ignore reference to between metal and non-metal Ignore reference to between molecules Answer Acceptable answers Acceptable answers Acceptable answers If any atom labelled must be correct Ignore reference to between ions scores 0 Answer Acceptable answers Acceptable answers If any atom labelled must be correct Ignore reference to between ions scores 0