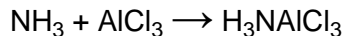


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Ammonia reacts with aluminium chloride as shown by the equation:



(a) Draw diagrams to illustrate the shapes of  $\text{NH}_3$  molecules and of  $\text{AlCl}_3$  molecules.

Include in your diagrams any lone pairs of electrons that influence the shape.

Indicate the values of the bond angles.

(3)

(b) Name the type of bond formed between N and Al in  $\text{H}_3\text{NAlCl}_3$  and explain how this bond is formed.

Type of bond .....

Explanation .....

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(c) Explain how the value of the Cl-Al-Cl bond angle in  $\text{AlCl}_3$  changes, if at all, on formation of the compound  $\text{H}_3\text{NAlCl}_3$

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(Total 7 marks)

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(a) Write an equation, including state symbols, for the reaction with enthalpy change equal to the standard enthalpy of formation for  $\text{CF}_4(\text{g})$ .

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(b) Explain why  $\text{CF}_4$  has a bond angle of  $109.5^\circ$ .

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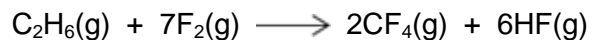
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(c) **Table 1** gives some values of standard enthalpies of formation ( $\Delta_f H^\ominus$ ).

**Table 1**

Substance	F <sub>2</sub> (g)	CF <sub>4</sub> (g)	HF(g)
$\Delta_f H^\ominus / \text{kJ mol}^{-1}$	0	-680	-269

The enthalpy change for the following reaction is  $-2889 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ .

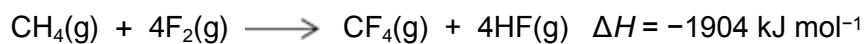


Use this value and the standard enthalpies of formation in **Table 1** to calculate the standard enthalpy of formation of C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub>(g).

Standard enthalpy of formation of C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub>(g) = ..... kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

**(3)**

(d) Methane reacts violently with fluorine according to the following equation.



Some mean bond enthalpies are given in **Table 2**.

**Table 2**

Bond	C-H	C-F	H-F
Mean bond enthalpy / $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$	412	484	562

A student suggested that one reason for the high reactivity of fluorine is a weak F-F bond.

Is the student correct? Justify your answer with a calculation using these data.

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(Total 10 marks)

3

Which of these species has a trigonal planar structure?

A  $\text{PH}_3$

B  $\text{BCl}_3$

C  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$

D  $\text{CH}_3^-$

(Total 1 mark)

4

(a) Explain how the electron pair repulsion theory can be used to deduce the shape of, and the bond angle in,  $\text{PF}_3$

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(b) State the full electron configuration of a cobalt(II) ion.

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(c) Suggest **one** reason why electron pair repulsion theory **cannot** be used to predict the shape of the  $[\text{CoCl}_4]^{2-}$  ion.

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(d) Predict the shape of, and the bond angle in, the complex rhodium ion  $[\text{RhCl}_4]^{2-}$ .

Shape .....

Bond angle .....

(2)

(Total 10 marks)

**5**

This question is about the elements in Period 3 of the Periodic Table.

- (a) State the element in Period 3 that has the highest melting point.  
Explain your answer.

Element .....

Explanation .....

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**(3)**

- (b) State the element in Period 3 that has the highest first ionisation energy.  
Explain your answer.

Element .....

Explanation .....

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- (c) Suggest the element in Period 3 that has the highest electronegativity value.

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- (d) Chlorine is a Period 3 element.  
Chlorine forms the molecules  $\text{ClF}_3$  and  $\text{CCl}_2$

- (i) Use your understanding of electron pair repulsion to draw the shape of  $\text{ClF}_3$  and the shape of  $\text{CCl}_2$   
Include any lone pairs of electrons that influence the shape.

Shape of  $\text{ClF}_3$

Shape of  $\text{CCl}_2$

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- (ii) Name the shape of  $\text{CCl}_2$

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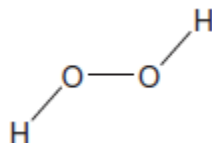
(iii) Write an equation to show the formation of one mole of  $\text{ClF}_3$  from its elements.

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(Total 11 marks)

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A hydrogen peroxide molecule can be represented by the structure shown.



(a) Suggest a value for the H-O-O bond angle.

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(b) Hydrogen peroxide dissolves in water.

(i) State the strongest type of interaction that occurs between molecules of hydrogen peroxide and water.

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(1)

(ii) Draw a diagram to show how one molecule of hydrogen peroxide interacts with one molecule of water.  
Include all lone pairs and partial charges in your diagram.

(3)

(c) Explain, in terms of electronegativity, why the boiling point of  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2$  is lower than  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$ .

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(Total 7 marks)

7

Thallium is in Group 3 of the Periodic Table.

Thallium reacts with halogens to form many compounds and ions.

(a) Draw the shape of the  $\text{TlBr}_3^{2-}$  ion and the shape of the  $\text{TlCl}_4^{3-}$  ion.  
Include any lone pairs of electrons that influence the shapes.

Name the shape made by the atoms in  $\text{TlBr}_3^{2-}$  and suggest a value for the bond angle.

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(4)

(b) Thallium(I) bromide (TlBr) is a crystalline solid with a melting point of  $480^\circ\text{C}$ .

Suggest the type of bonding present in thallium(I) bromide and state why the melting point is high.

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(c) Write an equation to show the formation of thallium(I) bromide from its elements.

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(Total 8 marks)

**8**

Aluminium and thallium are elements in Group 3 of the Periodic Table.  
Both elements form compounds and ions containing chlorine and bromine.

(a) Write an equation for the formation of aluminium chloride from its elements.

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(b) An aluminium chloride molecule reacts with a chloride ion to form the  $\text{AlCl}_4^-$  ion.

Name the type of bond formed in this reaction. Explain how this type of bond is formed in the  $\text{AlCl}_4^-$  ion.

Type of bond .....

Explanation .....

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(2)

(c) Aluminium chloride has a relative molecular mass of 267 in the gas phase.

Deduce the formula of the aluminium compound that has a relative molecular mass of 267

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(1)

(d) Deduce the name or formula of a compound that has the same number of atoms, the same number of electrons and the same shape as the  $\text{AlCl}_4^-$  ion.

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(1)

(e) Draw and name the shape of the  $\text{TlBr}_5^{2-}$  ion.

Shape of the  $\text{TlBr}_5^{2-}$  ion.

Name of shape .....

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(f) (i) Draw the shape of the  $\text{TlCl}_2^+$  ion.

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(ii) Explain why the  $\text{TlCl}_2^+$  ion has the shape that you have drawn in part (f)(i).

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(g) Which **one** of the first, second or third ionisations of thallium produces an ion with the electron configuration  $[\text{Xe}] 5d^{10}6s^1$ ?

Tick (✓) one box.

First

Second

Third

(1)  
(Total 10 marks)

**9**

Chlorine can form molecules and ions that contain only chlorine, or that contain chlorine combined with another element.

- (a) Use your understanding of the electron pair repulsion theory to draw the shape of the  $\text{AsCl}_3$  molecule and the shape of the  $\text{Cl}_3^+$  ion. Include any lone pairs of electrons that influence the shape.

Name the shape made by the atoms in the  $\text{AsCl}_3$  molecule and in the  $\text{Cl}_3^+$  ion.

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- (b) Explain why the  $\text{AsCl}_4^+$  ion has a bond angle of  $109.5^\circ$ .

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The following equation shows the reaction of a phosphine molecule (PH<sub>3</sub>) with an H<sup>+</sup> ion.



- (a) Draw the shape of the PH<sub>3</sub> molecule. Include any lone pairs of electrons that influence the shape.

(1)

- (b) State the type of bond that is formed between the PH<sub>3</sub> molecule and the H<sup>+</sup> ion. Explain how this bond is formed.

Name of bond .....

How bond is formed .....

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(2)

- (c) Predict the bond angle in the PH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> ion.

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- (d) Although phosphine molecules contain hydrogen atoms, there is no hydrogen bonding between phosphine molecules. Suggest an explanation for this.

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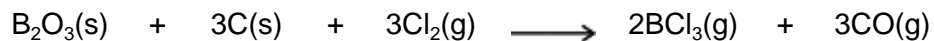
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(a) Boron trichloride ( $\text{BCl}_3$ ) can be prepared as shown by the following equation.



A sample of boron oxide ( $\text{B}_2\text{O}_3$ ) was reacted completely with carbon and chlorine.

The two gases produced occupied a total volume of  $5000 \text{ cm}^3$  at a pressure of  $100 \text{ kPa}$  and a temperature of  $298 \text{ K}$ .

Calculate the mass of boron oxide that reacted.

Give your answer to 3 significant figures.

(The gas constant  $R = 8.31 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ )

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(b) Boron trichloride can also be prepared from its elements.

Write an equation for this reaction.

Explain why boron trichloride has a trigonal planar shape with equal bond angles.

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**(3)**

(c) (i) Boron trichloride is easily hydrolysed to form two different acids as shown in the following equation.



Calculate the concentration, in mol dm<sup>-3</sup>, of hydrochloric acid produced when 43.2 g of boron trichloride are added to water to form 500 cm<sup>3</sup> of solution.

Give your answer to 3 significant figures.

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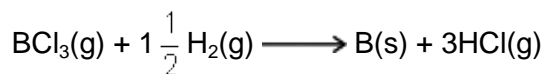
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- (ii) Boric acid ( $\text{H}_3\text{BO}_3$ ) can react with sodium hydroxide to form sodium borate and water. Write an equation for this reaction.

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(1)

- (d) Boron trichloride can be reduced by using hydrogen to form pure boron.



Calculate the percentage atom economy for the formation of boron in this reaction.

Apart from changing the reaction conditions, suggest **one** way a company producing pure boron could increase its profits from this reaction.

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- (e) A different compound of boron and chlorine has a relative molecular mass of 163.6 and contains 13.2% of boron by mass.

Calculate the molecular formula of this compound.

Show your working.

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(Total 20 marks)

12

Fluorine forms compounds with many other elements.

- (a) Fluorine reacts with bromine to form liquid bromine trifluoride ( $\text{BrF}_3$ ).  
State the type of bond between Br and F in  $\text{BrF}_3$  and state how this bond is formed.

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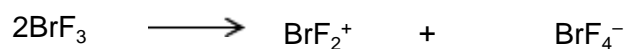
How bond is formed .....

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(b) Two molecules of  $\text{BrF}_3$  react to form ions as shown by the following equation.



- (i) Draw the shape of  $\text{BrF}_3$  and predict its bond angle.  
Include any lone pairs of electrons that influence the shape.

Shape of  $\text{BrF}_3$

Bond angle .....

**(2)**

- (ii) Draw the shape of  $\text{BrF}_4^-$  and predict its bond angle.  
Include any lone pairs of electrons that influence the shape.

Shape of  $\text{BrF}_4^-$

Bond angle .....

**(2)**

- (c)  $\text{BrF}_4^-$  ions are also formed when potassium fluoride dissolves in liquid  $\text{BrF}_3$  to form  $\text{KBrF}_4$ .  
Explain, in terms of bonding, why  $\text{KBrF}_4$  has a high melting point.

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(d) Fluorine reacts with hydrogen to form hydrogen fluoride (HF).

(i) State the strongest type of intermolecular force between hydrogen fluoride molecules.

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(ii) Draw a diagram to show how two molecules of hydrogen fluoride are attracted to each other by the type of intermolecular force that you stated in part (d)(i). Include all partial charges and all lone pairs of electrons in your diagram.

(3)

(e) The boiling points of fluorine and hydrogen fluoride are  $-188\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  and  $19.5\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  respectively. Explain, in terms of bonding, why the boiling point of fluorine is very low.

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(Total 15 marks)

13

Fluorine and iodine are elements in Group 7 of the Periodic Table.

(a) Explain why iodine has a higher melting point than fluorine.

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- (b) (i) Draw the shape of the  $\text{NHF}_2$  molecule and the shape of the  $\text{BF}_3$  molecule.

Include any lone pairs of electrons that influence the shape. In each case name the shape.

Shape of  $\text{NHF}_2$

Shape of  $\text{BF}_3$

Name of shape of  $\text{NHF}_2$  .....

Name of shape of  $\text{BF}_3$  .....

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- (ii) Suggest a value for the  $\text{F—N—F}$  bond angle in  $\text{NH}_2\text{I}$

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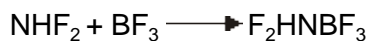
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- (c) State the strongest type of intermolecular force in a sample of  $\text{NHF}_2$

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- (d) A molecule of  $\text{NHF}_2$  reacts with a molecule of  $\text{BF}_3$  as shown in the following equation.



State the type of bond formed between the N atom and the B atom in  $\text{F}_2\text{HNBF}_3$ .

Explain how this bond is formed.

Name of type of bond .....

How bond is formed .....

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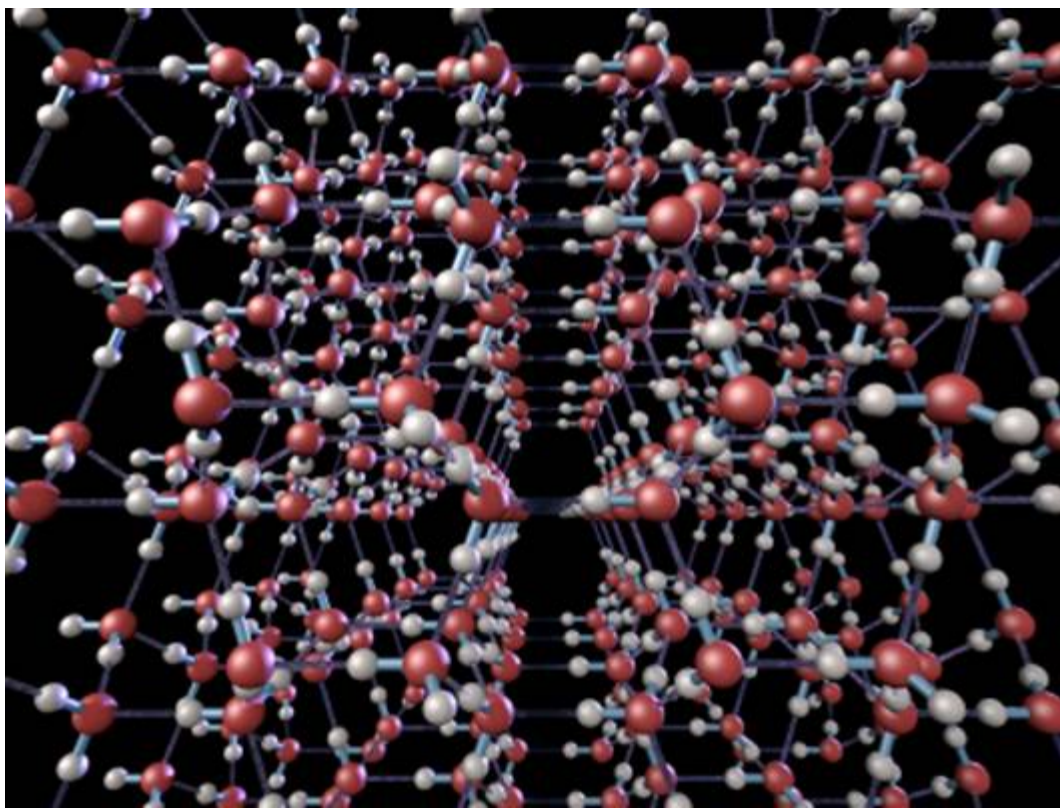
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14

Water can be found as ice, water and steam.

- (a) The following diagram shows the arrangement of some of the water molecules in a crystal of ice.



With reference to the structure shown above give **one** reason why ice is less dense than water.

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- (b) Water and methane have similar relative molecular masses and both contain the element hydrogen.

The table below gives some information about water and methane.

	H <sub>2</sub> O	CH <sub>4</sub>
<i>M<sub>r</sub></i>	18.0	16.0
Melting point / K	273	91

- (i) State the strongest type of intermolecular force holding the water molecules together in the ice crystal.

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(1)

(ii) State the strongest type of intermolecular force in methane.

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(1)

(iii) Give **one** reason why the melting point of ice is higher than the melting point of methane.

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(1)

(c) A molecule of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  can react with an  $\text{H}^+$  ion to form an  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$  ion.

(i) Draw and name the shape of the  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$  ion. Include any lone pairs of electrons.

Shape of the  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$  ion

Name of shape .....

(2)

(ii) Suggest a value for the bond angle in the  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$  ion.

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(1)

(iii) Identify **one** molecule with the same number of atoms, the same number of electrons and the same shape as the  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$  ion.

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(d) Water can also form the hydroxide ion.

State the number of lone pairs of electrons in the hydroxide ion.

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(1)

(Total 9 marks)

15

Fluorine forms many compounds that contain covalent bonds.

- (a) (i) State the meaning of the term *covalent bond*.

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- (ii) Write an equation to show the formation of one molecule of  $\text{ClF}_3$  from chlorine and fluorine molecules.

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(1)

- (b) Draw the shape of a dichlorodifluoromethane molecule ( $\text{CCl}_2\text{F}_2$ ) and the shape of a chlorine trifluoride molecule ( $\text{ClF}_3$ ). Include any lone pairs of electrons that influence the shape.

Shape of  $\text{CCl}_2\text{F}_2$

Shape of  $\text{ClF}_3$

(2)

- (c) Suggest the strongest type of intermolecular force between  $\text{CCl}_2\text{F}_2$  molecules.

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(1)

- (d)  $\text{BF}_3$  is a covalent molecule that reacts with an  $\text{F}^-$  ion to form a  $\text{BF}_4^-$  ion.

- (i) Name the type of bond formed when a molecule of  $\text{BF}_3$  reacts with an  $\text{F}^-$  ion. Explain how this bond is formed.

Type of bond .....

Explanation .....

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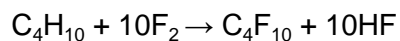
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- (ii) State the bond angle in the  $\text{BF}_4^-$  ion

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- (e) An ultrasound imaging agent has the formula  $C_4F_{10}$   
It can be made by the reaction of butane and fluorine as shown in the following equation.



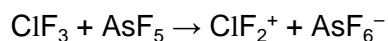
Calculate the percentage atom economy for the formation of  $C_4F_{10}$  in this reaction.  
Give your answer to three significant figures.

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(2)  
(Total 11 marks)

16

A molecule of  $ClF_3$  reacts with a molecule of  $AsF_5$  as shown in the following equation.



Use your understanding of electron pair repulsion to draw the shape of the  $AsF_5$  molecule and the shape of the  $ClF_2^+$  ion. Include any lone pairs of electrons.

Name the shape made by the atoms in the  $AsF_5$  molecule and in the  $ClF_2^+$  ion.

Predict the bond angle in the  $ClF_2^+$  ion.

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(Total 5 marks)

17

(a) Complete the electronic configuration for the sodium ion, Na<sup>+</sup>

1s<sup>2</sup> .....

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(b) (i) Write an equation, including state symbols, to represent the process for which the energy change is the second ionisation energy of sodium.

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(2)

(ii) Explain why the second ionisation energy of sodium is greater than the second ionisation energy of magnesium.

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(3)

(iii) An element X in Period 3 of the Periodic Table has the following successive ionisation energies.

	First	Second	Third	Fourth
Ionisation energies / kJ mol <sup>-1</sup>	577	1820	2740	11600

Deduce the identity of element X.

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(1)

(c) State and explain the trend in atomic radius of the Period 3 elements from sodium to chlorine.

Trend .....

Explanation .....

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(3)



(d) Explain why sodium has a lower melting point than magnesium.

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(3)

(e) Sodium reacts with ammonia to form the compound  $\text{NaNH}_2$  which contains the  $\text{NH}_2^-$  ion.  
Draw the shape of the  $\text{NH}_2^-$  ion, including any lone pairs of electrons.  
Name the shape made by the three atoms in the  $\text{NH}_2^-$  ion.

Shape of  $\text{NH}_2^-$

Name of shape .....

(2)

(f) In terms of its electronic configuration, give **one** reason why neon does not form compounds with sodium.

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(1)

(Total 16 marks)

18

The table below shows the electronegativity values of some elements.

	H	C	N	O
Electronegativity	2.1	2.5	3.0	3.5

(a) State the meaning of the term *electronegativity*.

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(b) State the strongest type of intermolecular force in the following compounds.

Methane (CH<sub>4</sub>) .....

Ammonia (NH<sub>3</sub>) .....

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(c) Use the values in the table to explain how the strongest type of intermolecular force arises between two molecules of ammonia.

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(d) Phosphorus is in the same group of the Periodic Table as nitrogen.

A molecule of PH<sub>3</sub> reacts with an H<sup>+</sup> ion to form a PH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> ion.

Name the type of bond formed when PH<sub>3</sub> reacts with H<sup>+</sup> and explain how this bond is formed.

Type of bond .....

Explanation .....

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- (e) Arsenic is in the same group as nitrogen. It forms the compound  $\text{AsH}_3$ . Draw the shape of an  $\text{AsH}_3$  molecule, including any lone pairs of electrons. Name the shape made by its atoms.

Shape

Name of shape .....

(2)

- (f) The boiling point of  $\text{AsH}_3$  is  $-62.5\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  and the boiling point of  $\text{NH}_3$  is  $-33.0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ . Suggest why the boiling point of  $\text{AsH}_3$  is lower than that of  $\text{NH}_3$ .

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- (g) Balance the following equation which shows how  $\text{AsH}_3$  can be made.



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(Total 14 marks)

19

- (a) Describe the bonding in, and the structure of, sodium chloride and ice. In each case draw a diagram showing how each structure can be represented. Explain, by reference to the types of bonding present, why the melting point of these two compounds is very different.

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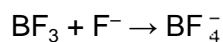
- (b) Explain how the concept of bonding and non-bonding electron pairs can be used to predict the shape of, and bond angles in, a molecule of sulfur tetrafluoride,  $\text{SF}_4$ . Illustrate your answer with a diagram of the structure.

(8)

(Total 20 marks)

**20**

The equation below shows the reaction between boron trifluoride and a fluoride ion.



- (i) Draw diagrams to show the shape of the  $\text{BF}_3$  molecule and the shape of the  $\text{BF}_4^-$  ion. In each case, name the shape. Account for the shape of the  $\text{BF}_4^-$  ion and state the bond angle present.
- (ii) In terms of the electrons involved, explain how the bond between the  $\text{BF}_3$  molecule and the  $\text{F}^-$  ion is formed. Name the type of bond formed in this reaction.

**(Total 9 marks)****21**

In which one of the following species is the shape influenced by the presence of one or more lone pairs of electrons?

- A  $\text{NH}_2^-$
- B  $\text{NH}_4^+$
- C  $[\text{CH}_3\text{NH}_3]^+$
- D  $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{2+}$

**(Total 1 mark)****22**

(a) Complete the following table.

	Relative mass	Relative charge
Neutron		
Electron		

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- (b) An atom has twice as many protons as, and four more neutrons than, an atom of  ${}^9\text{Be}$ . Deduce the symbol, including the mass number, of this atom.

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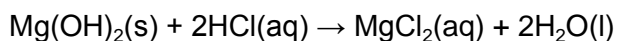
- (c) Draw the shape of a molecule of  $\text{BeCl}_2$  and the shape of a molecule of  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$ . Show any lone pairs of electrons on the central atom. Name the shape of each molecule.



Name of shape ..... Name of shape .....

(4)

- (d) The equation for the reaction between magnesium hydroxide and hydrochloric acid is shown below.



Calculate the volume, in  $\text{cm}^3$ , of  $1.00 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  hydrochloric acid required to react completely with 1.00 g of magnesium hydroxide.

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(4)

(Total 12 marks)

23

Phosphorus and nitrogen are in Group V of the Periodic Table and both elements form hydrides.

Phosphine,  $\text{PH}_3$ , reacts to form phosphonium ions,  $\text{PH}_4^+$ , in a similar way to that by which ammonia,  $\text{NH}_3$ , forms ammonium ions,  $\text{NH}_4^+$

- (a) Give the name of the type of bond formed when phosphine reacts with an  $\text{H}^+$  ion. Explain how this bond is formed.

Type of bond .....

Explanation .....

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(3)

- (b) Draw the shapes, including any lone pairs of electrons, of a phosphine molecule and of a phosphonium ion.  
Give the name of the shape of the phosphine molecule and state the bond angle found in the phosphonium ion.



Shape of  $\text{PH}_3$  .....

Bond angle in  $\text{PH}_4^+$  .....

(4)  
(Total 7 marks)

24

Which one of the following molecules is **not** planar?

- A  $\text{BF}_3$
- B  $\text{NCl}_3$
- C  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_4$
- D  $\text{HCHO}$

(Total 1 mark)

25

(a) Ammonia,  $\text{NH}_3$ , reacts with sodium to form sodium amide,  $\text{NaNH}_2$ , and hydrogen.

- (i) Write an equation for the reaction between ammonia and sodium.

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- (ii) Draw the shape of an ammonia molecule and that of an amide ion,  $\text{NH}_2^-$   
In each case show any lone pairs of electrons.



- (iii) State the bond angle found in an ammonia molecule.

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- (iv) Explain why the bond angle in an amide ion is smaller than that in an ammonia molecule.

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**(6)**

- (b) A salt, **X**, contains 16.2% by mass of magnesium, 18.9% by mass of nitrogen and 64.9% by mass of oxygen.

- (i) State what is meant by the term *empirical formula*.

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(ii) Determine the empirical formula of X.

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(3)  
(Total 9 marks)

26

Lithium hydride, LiH, is an ionic compound containing the hydride ion, H<sup>-</sup>  
The reaction between LiH and aluminium chloride, AlCl<sub>3</sub>, produces the ionic compound LiAlH<sub>4</sub>

(a) Balance the equation below which represents the reaction between LiH and AlCl<sub>3</sub>



(1)

(b) Give the electronic configuration of the hydride ion, H<sup>-</sup>

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(1)

(c) Predict the shape of the AlH<sub>4</sub><sup>-</sup> ion. Explain why it has this shape.

Shape .....

Explanation .....

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(3)



(d) A bond in  $\text{AlH}_4^-$  can be represented by  $\text{H} \rightarrow \text{Al}$

Name this type of bond and explain how it is formed.

Type of bond .....

Explanation .....

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(3)  
(Total 8 marks)

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(a) Both HF and HCl are molecules having a polar covalent bond. Their boiling points are 293 K and 188 K respectively.

(i) State which property of the atoms involved causes a bond to be polar.

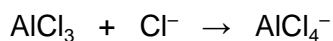
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(ii) Explain, in terms of the intermolecular forces present in each compound, why HF has a higher boiling point than HCl.

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(4)

(b) When aluminium chloride reacts with chloride ions, as shown by the equation below, a co-ordinate bond is formed.



Explain how this co-ordinate bond is formed.

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(2)

- (c) Draw the shape of the  $\text{PCl}_5$  molecule and of the  $\text{PCl}_4^+$  ion. State the value(s) of the bond angles.



Bond angle(s) ..... Bond angle(s) .....

(4)  
(Total 10 marks)

28

- (a) Predict the shapes of the  $\text{SF}_6$  molecule and the  $\text{AlCl}_4^-$  ion. Draw diagrams of these species to show their three-dimensional shapes. Name the shapes and suggest values for the bond angles. Explain your reasoning.

(8)

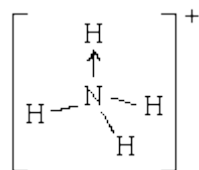
- (b) Perfume is a mixture of fragrant compounds dissolved in a volatile solvent.

When applied to the skin the solvent evaporates, causing the skin to cool for a short time. After a while, the fragrance may be detected some distance away. Explain these observations.

(4)  
(Total 12 marks)

29

- (a) An ammonium ion, made by the reaction between an ammonia molecule and a hydrogen ion, can be represented as shown in the diagram below.



- (i) Name the type of bond represented in the diagram by N—H

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(ii) Name the type of bond represented in the diagram by N→H

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(iii) In terms of electrons, explain why an arrow is used to represent this N→H bond.

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(iv) In terms of electron pairs, explain why the bond angles in the NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> ion are all 109° 28'

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**(7)**

(b) Define the term *electronegativity*.

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**(2)**

(c) A bond between nitrogen and hydrogen can be represented as  $\overset{\delta-}{\text{N}} - \overset{\delta+}{\text{H}}$

(i) In this representation, what is the meaning of the symbol  $\delta+$  ?

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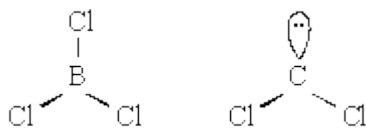
(ii) From this bond representation, what can be deduced about the electronegativity of hydrogen relative to that of nitrogen?

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**(2)**  
**(Total 11 marks)**

- (a) The shape of the molecule  $\text{BCl}_3$  and that of the unstable molecule  $\text{CCl}_2$  are shown below.



- (i) Why is each bond angle exactly  $120^\circ$  in  $\text{BCl}_3$ ?

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- (ii) Predict the bond angle in  $\text{CCl}_2$  and explain why this angle is different from that in  $\text{BCl}_3$

*Predicted bond angle* .....

*Explanation* .....

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(5)

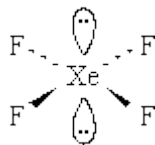
- (b) Give the name which describes the shape of molecules having bond angles of  $109^\circ 28'$ . Give an example of one such molecule.

*Name of shape* .....

*Example* .....

(2)

- (c) The shape of the  $\text{XeF}_4$  molecule is shown below.



- (i) State the bond angle in  $\text{XeF}_4$

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- (ii) Suggest why the lone pairs of electrons are opposite each other in this molecule.

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- (iii) Name the shape of this molecule, given that the shape describes the positions of the Xe and F atoms only.

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(4)

- (d) Draw a sketch of the  $\text{NF}_3$  molecule. Indicate in your sketch any lone pairs of electrons on nitrogen.

(2)  
(Total 13 marks)

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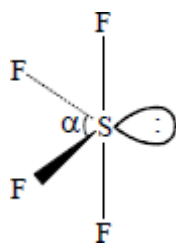
Which one of the following ions has three lone pairs of electrons around the central atom?

- A  $\text{BF}_2^-$
- B  $\text{NH}_2^-$
- C  $\text{ClF}_2^-$
- D  $\text{PF}_6^-$

(Total 1 mark)

32

Which one of the following is the most likely value for the bond angle  $\alpha$  shown in the diagram of  $\text{SF}_4$  below?

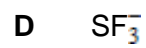
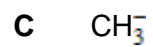
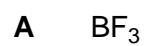


- A  $118^\circ$
- B  $101^\circ$
- C  $90^\circ$
- D  $88^\circ$

(Total 1 mark)

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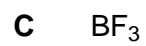
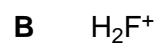
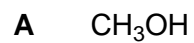
Which one of the following molecules or ions is pyramidal in shape?



(Total 1 mark)

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Which one of the following has a shape which is **not** influenced by a lone pair of electrons?



(Total 1 mark)

## Mark schemes

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- (a) Correct diagram of  $\text{NH}_3$  including LP on N

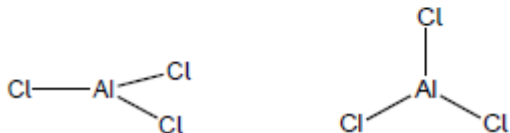
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Correct diagram of  $\text{AlCl}_3$

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Bond angles in range  $106-108^\circ$  and bond angle of  $120^\circ$

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*Ignore shape names*

- (b) Dative (covalent) /co-ordinate bond

*Wrong bond CE=0 but mark on if covalent quoted*

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Shared pair of / both electrons come from the  $\text{N}(\text{H}_3)$

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- (c) Aluminium is now surrounded by 4 electron pairs/bonds or is tetrahedral

*Independent*

1

Therefore Cl-Al-Cl bond angle decreases / changes  
(from  $120^\circ$  in  $\text{AlCl}_3$ ) to allow range  $107-111^\circ$  in  $\text{H}_3\text{NAlCl}_3$

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- (a)  $\text{C}(\text{s}) + 2\text{F}_2(\text{g}) \longrightarrow \text{CF}_4(\text{g})$

*State symbols essential*

1

- (b) Around carbon there are 4 bonding pairs of electrons (and no lone pairs)

1

Therefore, these repel equally and spread as far apart as possible

1

- (c)  $\Delta H = \sum \Delta_f H \text{ products} - \sum \Delta_f H \text{ reactants}$  or a correct cycle

1

Hence =  $(2 \times -680) + (6 \times -269) - (x) = -2889$

1

$$x = 2889 - 1360 - 1614 = -85 \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1}\text{)}$$

1

*Score 1 mark only for +85 (kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>)*

(d) Bonds broken =  $4(\text{C-H}) + 4(\text{F-F}) = 4 \times 412 + 4 \times \text{F-F}$

Bonds formed =  $4(\text{C-F}) + 4(\text{H-F}) = 4 \times 484 + 4 \times 562$

*Both required*

$$-1904 = [4 \times 412 + 4(\text{F-F})] - [4 \times 484 + 4 \times 562]$$

$$4(\text{F-F}) = -1904 - 4 \times 412 + [4 \times 484 + 4 \times 562] = 632$$

$$\text{F-F} = 632 / 4 = 158 \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1}\text{)}$$

The student is correct because the F-F bond energy is much less than the C-H or other covalent bonds, therefore the F-F bond is weak / easily broken

*Relevant comment comparing to other bonds*

*(Low activation energy needed to break the F-F bond)*

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(a) This question is marked using levels of response. Refer to the Mark Scheme Instructions for Examiners for guidance on how to mark this question.

All stages are covered and the explanation of each stage is generally correct and virtually complete.

Answer is communicated coherently and shows a logical progression from stage 1 to stage 2 then stage 3.

**Level 3**  
5 – 6 marks

All stages are covered but the explanation of each stage may be incomplete or may contain inaccuracies OR two stages are covered and the explanations are generally correct and virtually complete.

Answer is mainly coherent and shows progression from stage 1 to stage 3.

**Level 2**  
3 – 4 marks

Two stages are covered but the explanation of each stage may be incomplete or may contain inaccuracies, OR only one stage is covered but the explanation is generally correct and virtually complete

Answer includes isolated statements but these are not presented in a logical order or show confused reasoning.

**Level 1**  
1 – 2 marks

Insufficient correct chemistry to gain a mark.

**Level 0**  
0 marks



## Indicative chemistry content

### Stage 1: Electrons round P

- P has 5 electrons in the outside shell
- With 3 electrons from 3 fluorine, there are a total of 8 electrons in outside shell
- so 3 bond pairs, 1 non-bond pair

### Stage 2: Electron pair repulsion theory

- Electron pairs repel as far as possible
- Lone pair repels more than bonding pairs

### Stage 3: Conclusions

- Therefore, tetrahedral / trigonal pyramidal shape
- With angle of  $109.5^\circ$  decreased to  $107^\circ$

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(b)  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 3d^7$

*Allow correct numbers that are not superscripted*

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(c) Too many electrons in d sub-shell / orbitals

1

(d) Tetrahedral (shape)

1

$109.5^\circ$

*Allow  $109^\circ$*

1

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(a) Silicon / Si

*If not silicon then CE = 0 / 3*

1

covalent (bonds)

*M3 dependent on correct M2*

1

Strong or many of the (covalent) bonds need to be broken / needs a lot of energy to break the (covalent) bonds

*Ignore hard to break*

1

(b) Argon / Ar

*If not argon then CE = 0 / 3. But if Kr chosen, lose M1 and allow M2+M3*

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Large(st) number of protons / large(st) nuclear charge

*Ignore smallest atomic radius*

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Same amount of shielding / same number of shells / same number of energy levels

*Allow similar shielding*

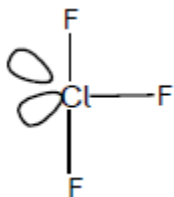
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(c) Chlorine / Cl

*Not Cl<sub>2</sub>, Not CL, Not Cl<sup>2</sup>*

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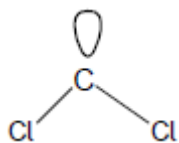
(d) (i)



*Or any structure with 3 bonds and 2 lone pairs*

*Ignore any angles shown*

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*Or a structure with 2 bonds and 1 lone pair*

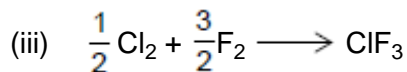
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(ii) Bent / v shape

*Ignore non-linear, angular and triangular*

*Apply list principle*

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*No multiples*

*Ignore state symbols*

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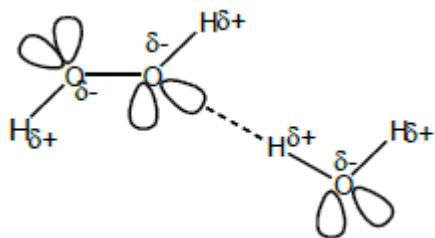
(a) 94–105.5°

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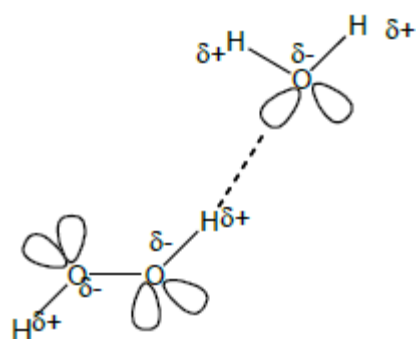
- (b) (i) Hydrogen bond(ing) / H bonding / H bonds  
*Not just hydrogen*

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(ii)



OR



*1 mark for all lone pairs*

*1 mark for partial charges on the O and the H that are involved in H bonding*

*1 mark for the H-bond, from  $H\delta^+$  on one molecule to lone pair on O of other molecule*

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- (c) Electronegativity of S lower than O or electronegativity difference between H and S is lower

*Mark independently*

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No hydrogen bonding between  $H_2S_2$  molecules

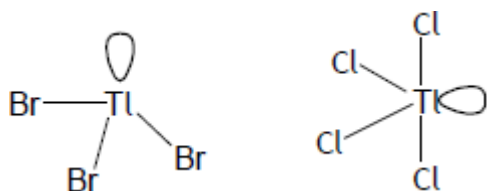
Or only van der Waals / only dipole-dipole forces between  $H_2S_2$  molecules

*If breaking covalent bonds  $CE = 0$*

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7 (a)



Mark is for correct number of bonds and lone pair in each case.  
Ignore charges if shown.

2

Pyramidal / trigonal pyramid  
Allow tetrahedral.

1

107°  
Allow 107 to 107.5°.

1

(b) M1 Ionic  
CE = 0 / 3 if not ionic.

1

M2 Oppositely charged ions / Tl<sup>+</sup> and Br<sup>-</sup> ions  
If molecules / intermolecular forces / metallic bonding, CE=0.

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M3 Strong attraction between ions  
M3 dependent on M2.  
Allow 'needs a lot of energy to break / overcome' instead of 'strong'.

1

(c)  $\text{Tl} + \frac{1}{2}\text{Br}_2 \longrightarrow \text{TlBr}$   
Allow multiples.  
Ignore state symbols even if incorrect.

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(a)  $\text{Al} + 1.5\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{AlCl}_3$   
Accept multiples.  
Also  $2\text{Al} + 3\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{Al}_2\text{Cl}_6$   
Ignore state symbols.

1

(b) Coordinate / dative (covalent)  
If wrong CE=0/2 if covalent mark on.

1

Electron pair on Cl<sup>-</sup> donated to Al(Cl<sub>3</sub>)

QoL

*Lone pair from Cl<sup>-</sup> not just Cl*

*Penalise wrong species.*

1

(c) Al<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>6</sub> or AlBr<sub>3</sub>

*Allow Br<sub>3</sub>Al or Cl<sub>6</sub>Al<sub>2</sub>*

*Upper and lower case letters must be as shown.*

*Not 2AlCl<sub>3</sub>*

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(d) SiCl<sub>4</sub> / silicon tetrachloride

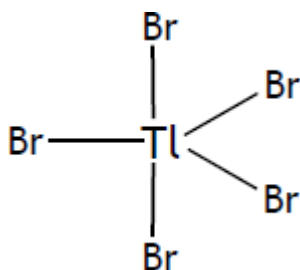
*Accept silicon(4) chloride or silicon(IV) chloride.*

*Upper and lower case letters must be as shown.*

*Not silicon chloride.*

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(e)



*Accept shape containing 5 bonds and no lone pairs from Tl to each of 5 Br atoms.*

*Ignore charge.*

1

Trigonal bipyramid(al)

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(f) (i) Cl — Tl — C

Accept this linear structure only with no lone pair on Tl

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(ii) (Two) bonds (pairs of electrons) repel equally / (electrons in) the bonds repel to be as far apart as possible

*Dependent on linear structure in (f)(i).*

*Do not allow electrons / electron pairs repel alone.*

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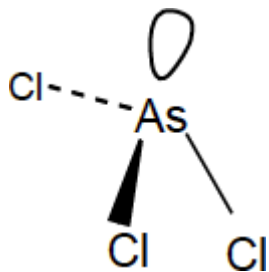
(g) Second

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(a)



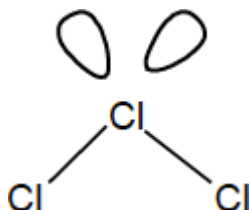
Mark is for 3 As-Cl bonds and 1 lone pair

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(Trigonal) pyramid(al) / tetrahedral

Allow triangular pyramid

1



Mark is for 2 Cl-Cl bonds and 2 lone pairs

Do not penalise if + not shown

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Bent / V-shaped / triangular

Not trigonal

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(b) There are 4 bonds or 4 pairs of electrons (around As)

Can show in a diagram. If lone pair included in shape, CE = 0 / 2

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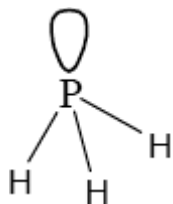
(Electron pairs / bonds) repel equally

QoL

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(a)



Need to see 3 P-H bonds and one lone pair (ignore shape).

1

(b) Coordinate / dative

If not coordinate / dative then chemical error CE=0 unless blank or covalent then M1 = 0 and mark on.

1

Pair of electrons on P(H<sub>3</sub>) donated (to H<sup>+</sup>)

*Do not allow a generic description of a coordinate bond.*

1

(c) 109.5° / 109½° / 109° 28'

*Allow answers in range between 109° to 109.5°*

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(d) Difference in electronegativity between P and H is too small

*Allow P not very electronegative / P not as electronegative as N, O and F / P not electronegative enough / P not one of the 3 most electronegative elements.*

*Do not allow phosphine is not very electronegative.*

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(a) P = 100 000 (Pa) and V = 5.00 × 10<sup>-3</sup> (m<sup>3</sup>)

*M1 is for correctly converting P and V in any expression or list Allow 100 (kPa) and 5 (dm<sup>3</sup>) for M1.*

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$$n = \frac{PV}{RT} = \frac{100\,000 \times 5.00 \times 10^{-3}}{8.31 \times 298}$$

*M2 is correct rearrangement of PV = nRT*

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= 0.202 moles (of gas produced)

*This would score M1 and M2.*

Therefore  $\frac{0.202}{5} = 0.0404$  moles B<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

*M3 is for their answer divided by 5*

1

Mass of B<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> = 0.0404 × 69.6

*M4 is for their answer to M3 × 69.6*

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= 2.81 (g)

*M5 is for their answer to 3 sig figures.*

*2.81 (g) gets 5 marks.*

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(b) B + 1.5 Cl<sub>2</sub> → BCl<sub>3</sub>

*Accept multiples.*

1

3 bonds

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Pairs repel equally/ by the same amount

*Do not allow any lone pairs if a diagram is shown.*

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(c) (i) 43.2/117.3 (= 0.368 moles BCl<sub>3</sub>)

1

0.368 x 3 (= 1.105 moles HCl)

*Allow their BCl<sub>3</sub> moles x 3*

1

$$\text{Conc HCl} = \frac{1.105 \times 1000}{500}$$

*Allow moles of HCl x 1000 / 500*

1

= 2.20 to 2.22 mol dm<sup>-3</sup>

*Allow 2.2*

*Allow 2 significant figures or more*

1

(ii) H<sub>3</sub>BO<sub>3</sub> + 3NaOH → Na<sub>3</sub>BO<sub>3</sub> + 3H<sub>2</sub>O

*Allow alternative balanced equations to form acid salts.*

*Allow H<sub>3</sub>BO<sub>3</sub> + NaOH → NaBO<sub>2</sub> + 2H<sub>2</sub>O*

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(d)  $\frac{10.8}{120.3} (\times 100)$

*Mark is for both M<sub>r</sub> values correctly as numerator and denominator.*

1

8.98(%)

*Allow 9(%)*

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Sell the HCl

1

(e) Alternative method

Cl = 86.8%

*Cl = 142 g*

1



$$\frac{13.2}{10.8} \quad \frac{86.8}{35.5}$$

$$B \quad Cl$$

$$\frac{21.6}{10.8} \quad \frac{142}{35.5}$$

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1.22      2.45 or ratio 1:2 or BCl<sub>2</sub>  
 2:4 ratio

1

BCl<sub>2</sub> has M<sub>r</sub> of 81.8 so

$$81.8 \times 2 = 163.6$$

Formula = B<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>4</sub>



Allow 4 marks for correct answer with working shown.

Do not allow (BCl<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>

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(a) Covalent

*If not covalent CE = 0/2*

*If dative covalent CE = 0/2*

*If blank mark on*

*Ignore polar*

*If number of pairs of electrons specified, must be 3*

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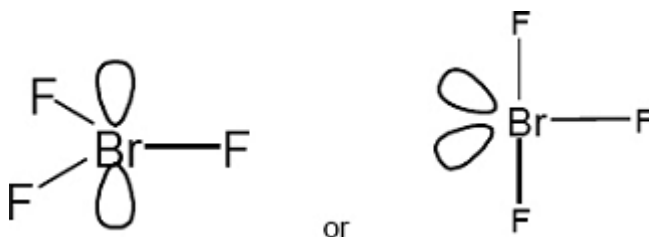
Shared pair(s) of electrons / one electron from Br and one electron from F

*Not 2 electrons from 1 atom*

*Not shared pair between ions/molecules*

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(b) (i)



*BrF<sub>3</sub> should have 3 bp and 2 lp and correct atoms for the mark*

*Penalise FI*

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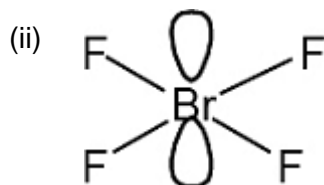
$\text{BrF}_3$  if trigonal planar shown =  $120^\circ$

*Allow 84 –  $90^\circ$  or  $120^\circ$  and ignore  $180^\circ$*

or if T shape shown  $84 – 90^\circ$

*Irrespective of shape drawn*

1



*$\text{BrF}_4^-$  should have 4 bp and 2 lp and all atoms for the mark  
(ignore sign)*

*Allow FI*

1

$\text{BrF}_4^-$   $90^\circ$

*Only*

*Ignore  $180^\circ$*

1

(c) Ionic or (forces of) attraction between ions / bonds between ions

*If molecules, IMF, metallic, CE = 0*

*If covalent bonds mentioned, 0/3, unless specified within the  $\text{BrF}_4^-$  ion and not broken*

*Ignore atoms*

1

Strong (electrostatic) attraction / strong bonds / lots of energy needed to break bonds

1

Between  $\text{K}^+$  and  $\text{BrF}_4^-$  ions/oppositely charged ions / + and – ions

*If ions mentioned they must be correct*

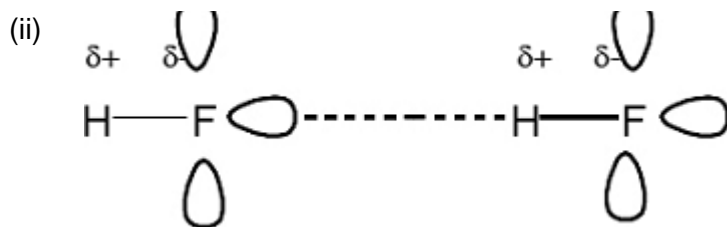
*Strong bonds between + and – ions = 3/3*

1

(d) (i) Hydrogen bonds/hydrogen bonding/H bonds/H bonding

*Not just hydrogen*

1



One mark for 4 partial charges

One mark for 6 lone pairs

One mark for H bond from the lone pair to the H $\delta^+$

Allow FI

If more than 2 molecules are shown they must all be correct.

Treat any errors as contradictions within each marking point.

CE = 0/3 if incorrect molecules shown.

3

- (e) vdw / van der Waals forces between molecules

QoL

Not vdw between HF molecules, CE = 0/2

vdw between atoms, CE = 0/2

If covalent, ionic, metallic, CE=0/2

1

IMF are weak / need little energy to break IMF / easy to overcome IMF

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- (a) Iodine has more electrons / iodine is bigger (atom or molecule) / iodine has bigger  $M_r$  / bigger surface area

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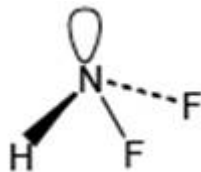
Stronger / more van der Waals forces / vdw / London / temporarily induced dipole / dispersion forces between molecules

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Stronger VdW intermolecular forces = M2

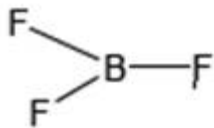
If stated VdW between atoms lose M2

- (b) (i)



Mark is for 3 bp and 1 lp attached to N (irrespective of shape)

1



*Mark is for 3 bp and 0 lp attached to B (irrespective of shape)*

1

NHF<sub>2</sub> shape - pyramidal / trigonal pyramid

*Accept tetrahedral / triangular pyramid*

1

BF<sub>3</sub> shape - trigonal planar

*Not triangular or triangular planar*

1

(ii) 107°

*Allow 106-108°*

1

(c) Hydrogen bonds

*Allow H-Bonds*

*Not just Hydrogen*

*Apply list principle eg Hydrogen bonding and dipole-dipole = 0*

1

(d) Coordinate / dative covalent / dative

*If covalent mark on*

*If ionic / metallic CE = 0*

1

Lone pair / both electrons/ 2 electrons on N(HF<sub>2</sub>) donated (to BF<sub>3</sub>)

*Direction of donation needed here*

1

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- (a) Water or H<sub>2</sub>O or molecules (in ice) are held further apart (than in liquid water)/(more) space/gaps/holes in structure/Water or H<sub>2</sub>O or molecules (in ice) are more spread out

*Allow water (liquid) is more compact/less space/gaps/holes*

*CE if holes filled with air, O<sub>2</sub> etc*

*CE if macromolecule*

*CE if atoms further apart (since ambiguous)*

*Ignore spaces filled with H<sub>2</sub>O*

*Ignore reference to H bonds*

*Allow better tessellation in liquid water*

1

- (b) (i) Hydrogen bonding

*Allow H bonds*

*Do not allow 'hydrogen' only but mark on*

1

- (ii) Van der Waals'/VdW

*Allow London forces, dispersion forces, temporary induced dipole forces*

1

- (iii) Hydrogen bonding is stronger (than van der Waals forces)/IMF in ice stronger (than IMF in methane)/H bonds take more energy to break

*Not H Bonds are strong (needs comparison)*

*If (b)(i) OR (ii) is incorrect, cannot award (b)(iii)*

*If (b)(i) and/or (ii) is blank, can score (b)(iii)*

1

- (c) (i) Structure showing 3 bonds to H and 1 lone pair

1

(trigonal) pyramid(al)/(distorted) tetrahedral

*do not insist on the + sign*

*Allow triangular pyramid*

*Not square pyramid*

*Ignore bond angles in structure*

*M2 independent of M1*

1

- (ii) 107°

*Allow range 106 – 108°*

*Ignore °(C)*

1

(iii)  $\text{NH}_3$ /ammonia

*Contradictions (eg  $\text{NH}_4$  ammonia) CE = 0*

1

(d) 3

*Allow three/III/3 lone pairs/3lp/3 lone pairs of electrons*

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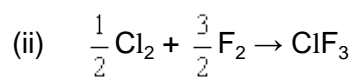
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(a) (i) shared pair of electrons

*Can have one electron from each atom contributes to the bond  
Not both electrons from one atom*

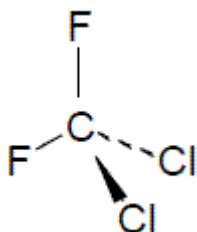
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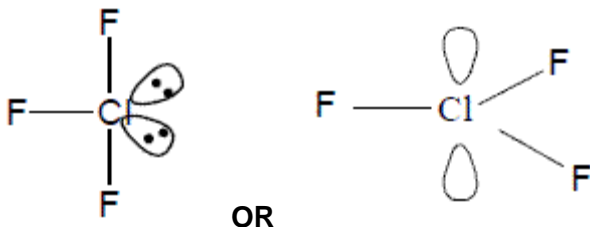
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*Only  
Ignore state symbols even if wrong*

(b)



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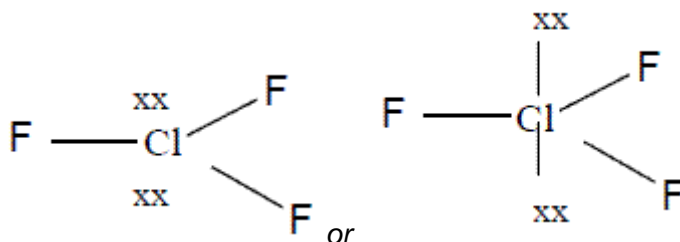
Allow any structure with 4 bp

In  $CClF_2$ , watch for Cl in centre- it must be C

Ignore wrong bond angles

Representations of lone pairs allowed are the two examples shown with or without the electrons in the lobe.

Also they can show the lone pair for either structure by two crosses/dots or a line with two crosses/dots on it e.g.



Or a structure with 3 bp and 2 lp

1

(c) Dipole – dipole

Allow van der Waals/vdw/London/dispersion/temporary dipole – induced dipole

Not dipole alone

1

(d) (i) Coordinate/dative (covalent)

If wrong CE = 0/3 but if 'covalent' or left top line blank, mark on.

1

(Lone) pair of electrons/both electrons (on  $F^-$ )

CE if lone pair is from B

1

Donated from  $F^-$ /fluoride or donated to the  $BF_3$

Must have the – sign on the F ie  $F^-$

Ignore  $F^+$

M3 dependent on M2

1

(ii)  $109^\circ$  to  $109.5^\circ$

1

(e)  $\frac{238 \times 100}{438}$

*For 1 mark allow 238 as numerator and 438 as denominator or correct strings*

1

= 54.3%

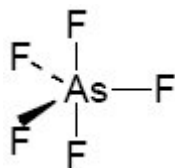
*2 marks if correct answer to 3 sig figs.  
54% or greater than 3 sig figs = 1 mark*

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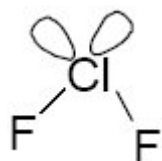
**Mark M1 – M5 independently**  
 M1 for 5 bond pairs around As  
 Do not penalise A for As or F for F

1

trigonal/triangular bipyramid(al)

Allow trigonal dipyramid

1



M3 for 2 bond pairs to F and 2 lone pairs  
 Lone pairs can be shown as lobes with or without electrons or as xx  
 or  
 $\frac{x}{x}$

1

Bent/V shape/non-linear/triangular/angular

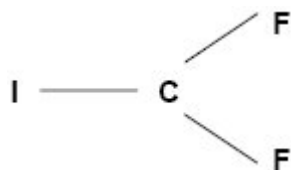
Bent-linear = contradiction  
 Do not allow trigonal

1

104° – 106°

1

(For candidates who thought this was  $\text{ClF}_2^+$  which contained iodine allow



Trigonal/triangular planar

Not just triangular

120°

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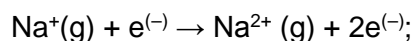
**17**(a)  $2s^2 2p^6$ ;

*If ignored the  $1s^2$  given and written  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6$  mark as correct*  
*Allow capitals and subscripts*

1

(b) (i)  $Na^+(g) \rightarrow Na^{2+}(g) + e^{-}$ ;

*One mark for equation and one mark for state symbols*



*M2 dependent on M1*

*Allow  $Na^+(g) - e^{-} \rightarrow Na(g)$*

*Allow  $X^+(g) \rightarrow X^{2+}(g) + e = 1$  mark*

2

(ii)  $Na^{(2+)}$  requires loss of  $e^{-}$  from a 2(p) orbital or 2<sup>nd</sup> energy level or 2<sup>nd</sup> shell and  $Mg^{(2+)}$  requires loss of  $e^{-}$  from a 3(s) orbital or 3<sup>rd</sup> energy level or 3<sup>rd</sup> shell /  $Na^{(2+)}$  loses e from a lower (energy) orbital/ or vice versa;

*Not from 3p*

1

Less shielding (in Na);

*Or vice versa for Mg*

1

$e^{-}$  closer to nucleus/ more attraction (of electron to nucleus) (in Na);

*M3 needs to be comparative*

1

(iii) Aluminium /Al;

1

(c) Decreases;

*If not decreases CE = 0*

*If blank, mark on*

1

Increasing nuclear charge/ increasing number of protons;

1

Electrons in same shell or level/ same shielding/ similar shielding;

1

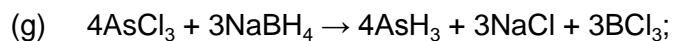
- (d) Answer refers to Na;  
*Allow converse answers relating to Mg.*
- Na fewer protons/smaller nuclear charge/ fewer delocalised electrons;  
*Allow Mg is 2+ and Na is +.*  
*If vdw CE = 0.* 1
- Na is a bigger ion/ atom; 1
- Smaller attraction between nucleus and delocalised electrons;  
*If mentioned that charge density of Mg<sup>2+</sup> is greater then allow first 2 marks.*  
*(ie charge / size / attraction).*  
*M3 allow weaker metallic bonding.* 1
- (e) (Bent) shape showing 2 lone pairs + 2N-H bond pairs;  
*Atoms must be labelled.*  
*Lone pairs can be with or without lobes.* 1
- Bent / v shape/ triangular;  
*Not tetrahedral.*  
*Allow non-linear.*  
*Bent-linear = contradiction.* 1
- (f) Ne has full sub-levels/ can't get any more electrons in the sub-levels/  
 Ne has full shells;  
*Not 2s<sup>2</sup> 2p<sup>6</sup> alone.*  
*Not stable electron configuration.* 1

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- (a) Ability/power of an atom/element/nucleus to withdraw electron density or electron cloud or a pair of electrons (towards itself);  
*Not withdraw an electron*  
*If ref to ionic, metallic, imf etc then CE = 0* 1
- From a covalent bond or from a shared pair of electrons;  
*Not distort*  
*Not remove electrons* 1

- (b) Van der Waals/ vdw/London/ temporary (induced) dipole/  
dispersion forces; 1
- Hydrogen bonds/H bonds;  
*Not just hydrogen* 1
- (c) (Large) electronegativity difference between N + H/ difference  
of 0.9/ N very electronegative;  
*Insufficient to say N= 3.1 and H = 2.1* 1
- Forms N  $\delta^-$  / H  $\delta^+$  or dipole explained in words;  
*Not N becomes (fully) negative or vice versa* 1
- Lone pair on N attracts/forms weak bonds with H ( $\delta^+$ );  
QWC  
*Can score M2 and 3 from a diagram* 1
- (d) Co-ordinate/dative;  
*If not correct then CE = 0. If covalent/blank mark on.* 1
- Both electrons/ lone pair (on P/PH<sub>3</sub>)  
*Not lone pair on hydrogen* 1
- Shares/donated from P(H<sub>3</sub>)/ to H( $\delta^+$ ); 1
- (e) 3 bonds and 1 lp attached to As;  
*Must label H and As atoms*  
*Accept distorted tetrahedral not bent tetrahedral* 1
- Pyramidal/tetrahedral/ trigonal pyramidal;  
*Not bipyramidal/triangular* 1
- (f) (Only) weak Van der Waals forces between molecules /AsH<sub>3</sub>  
has weaker IMF /ammonia has hydrogen bonding/ more  
energy needed to break IMF's in ammonia/ Van der Waals  
weaker than H bonds;  
*Accept has no H bonds.*  
*Ignore dp-dp in AsH<sub>3</sub> provided ammonia has stronger IMF.*  
*If between atoms mentioned CE=0*  
*Break bonds CE = 0* 1



*Accept multiples*

1

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(a) NaCl is ionic

1

cubic lattice

1

ions placed correctly

1

electrostatic attraction between ions

1

Covalent bonds between atoms in water

1

Hydrogen bonding between water molecules

1

Tetrahedral representation showing two covalent  
and two hydrogen bonds

1

2 hydrogen bonds per molecule

1

Attraction between ions in sodium chloride is very strong

1

Covalent bonds in ice are very strong

1

Hydrogen bonds between water molecules in ice are much weaker

1

Consequently, less energy is required to break the hydrogen  
bonds in ice to form separate water molecules than to  
break the ionic bonds in sodium chloride and make separate ions

1

(b)

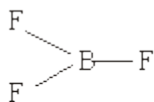
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4 bonding electron pairs	1
and one lone pair	1
repel as far apart as possible QWC	1
lone pair - bond pair repulsion > bp—bp QWC	1
pushes S-F bonds closer together	1
shape is trigonal bipyramidal with lone pair either axial or equatorial QWC	1
angles <90	1
and < 120	1

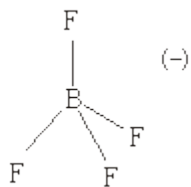
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(i)



(1)



(1)

*[Do not allow shapes which show a lone pair]*

2

BF<sub>3</sub> Trigonal planar/planar triangular  
*[Not plane triangle]*

1

BF<sub>4</sub><sup>-</sup> Tetrahedral  
*[Not distorted tetrahedral]*

1

Equal repulsion between (4) bonding pairs/bonds/bonding electrons

1

109(½)°

1

(ii) Lone pair donated / both electrons supplied by one atom

1

from F<sup>-</sup> (to B)

*[ignore missing charge or fluorine or 'atom']*

1

dative/dative covalent/coordinate bonding

1

**[9]****A**  
**21****[1]**

**22***(penalty for sig fig error = 1 mark per question)*

(a) neutron: relative mass = 1 relative charge = 0  
*(not 'neutral')*

1

electron: relative mass =  $1/1800 \rightarrow 0$ /negligible or

$5.56 \times 10^{-4} \rightarrow 0$  relative charge =  $-1$

1

(b)  $^{17}\text{O}/\text{O}^{17}$  mass number *(Do not accept 17.0)*

1

oxygen symbol 'O'

*(if 'oxygen' + — 'mass number = 17'(1))*

*(if 'oxygen'+ — 'mass number = 17'(0))*

*(if at  $N^0$  given but  $\neq 8$ , treat as 'con' for M2)*

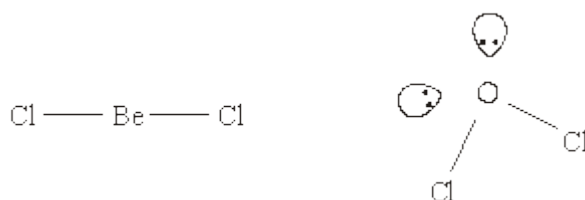
*(if lp on Be, diagram = 0)*

*(ignore bond angles)*

*(not dot and cross diagrams)*

1

(c)



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QoL Linear (1) bent / V-shaped / angular (1)

*(mark name and shape independently)*

*(accept (distorted) tetrahedral)*

*(if balls instead of symbols, lose M1 – can award M2)*

*(penalise missing 'Cl' once only)*

*(not 'non-linear')*

2



(d)  $M_r(\text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2) = 58(.3)$  (if At  $N^0$  used, lose M1 and M2)

1

moles  $\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2 = 0.0172$  (conseq on wrong M2) (answer to 3+ s.f.)

1

moles  $\text{HCl} = 2 \times 0.0172 = 0.0344$  or  $0.0343$  (mol) (process mark)

1

$$\text{vol HCl} = \frac{0.0343 \times 1000}{1} = 34.3 - 34.5 \text{ (cm}^3\text{)} \text{ (unless wrong unit)}$$

(if candidate **used** 0.017 or 0.0171 lose M2)

(just answer with no working, if in range = (4).

if, say, 34 then =(2))

(if not 2:1 ratio, lose M3 and M4)

(if work on  $\text{HCl}$ , CE = 0/4)

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(a) dative / coordinate (covalent) bond;

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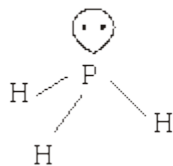
Lone/non-bonding pair / both electrons;

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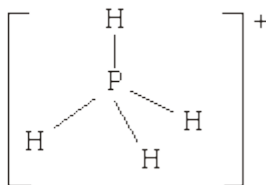
(donated) from P to  $\text{H}^+$ ;

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(b)



(1)



(1)

pyramidal OR trigonal pyramid 109(1/2)°;

(accept tetrahedral)

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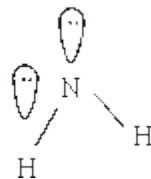
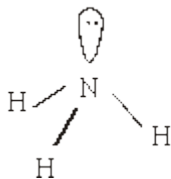
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(or multiples)

1

(ii) (Missing 'H' penalise once only) [NOT dot-and-cross diagrams]



1

[NOT 90° / 180° angles] (need 2 lp & 'bent' shape)

1

(iii) 107°

1

(iv) More lone pairs on  $\text{NH}_2^-$ , than on  $\text{NH}_3$

1

Lone pairs repel more than bonding pairs

*Must be comparison*

*(Mark separately)*

*[NOT repulsion between atoms or between bonds]*

1

(b) (i) Simplest ratio of atoms of each element in a compound / substance / species / entity / molecule

1

(ii)		Mg	N	O
	$\frac{16.2}{(24)}$	$\frac{16.2}{24.3}$	$\frac{18.9}{14}$	$\frac{64.9}{16}$

1

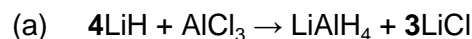
(0.675)      0.667      1.37      4.06

1      2      6       $\text{MgN}_2\text{O}_6$

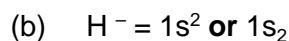
*(Mark M1 first. If any wrong  $A_r$  used = CE = 0)*

*(Accept  $\text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2$  for M3 if above working shown)*

1

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1

(c) Tetrahedral or diagram  
(Not distorted tetrahedral)

1

(Equal) repulsion

1

between four bonding pairs / bonds*(Not repulsion between H atoms loses M2 and M3)**(Not 'separate as far as possible')**('4' may be inferred from a correct diagram)*

1

(d) Dative (covalent) or coordinate

1

Lone pair or non-bonding pair of electron or both  $e^-$ 

1

**QoL** Donated from  $\text{H}^-$  to Al or shared between H and Al*(tied to M2)**(Not 'from H atom') (Not 'to Al ion') (Not 'e<sup>-</sup>s transferred')*

1

**[8]****27**(a) (i) Electronegativity (difference) or suitable description **(1)***Accept F and Cl are highly electronegative**Not both atoms are highly electronegative*(ii) HF = hydrogen bonding **(1)**HCl = (permanent) dipole-dipole bonding or even van de Waals' **(1)**Hydrogen bonding stronger / is the strongest IMF **(1)***Accept a statement that HF must have the stronger IMF, even if no IMFs identified**The explanation **must** be based on intermolecular forces/attractions**Note: if the explanation is clearly intramolecular = CE*

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- (b) Electron pair **or** lone pair donated (1)

*Do not accept 'donation of electrons'*

From chloride ion to Al **or** AlCl<sub>3</sub> (1)

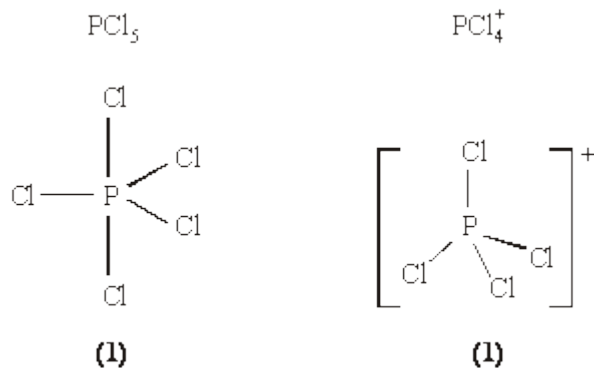
*M1 can be earned by a general explanation of coordinate bonding, even if the electron pair is said to come from Al. The second mark, M2, is for this specific bond*

*Ignore missing charge*

2

- (c)

4



PCl<sub>5</sub> shown as trigonal bipyramid  
[Look for: ONE solid linear Cl-P-Cl bond]

PCl<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> shown as tetrahedral  
NO solid linear Cl-P-Cl bonds]

Bond Angle(s) 90° and 120° (1)

Bond angle(s) 109 or 109.5° (1)

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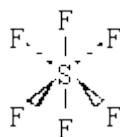
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- (a) SF<sub>6</sub> shown as octahedral / square based bipyramid (1)

Bond angle: 90° **or** 180° and 90° (1)

Shape = octahedral (1)

*If lone pair shown then C.E. = 0 / 4*



*Wrong symbols - no diagram mark*

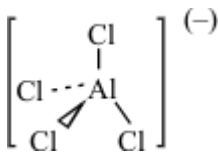
Equal repulsion between 6 bonding **or** shared electron pairs **QoL** (1)

$\text{AlCl}_4^-$  shape shown as tetrahedral (1)

Bond angle =  $109^\circ$  to  $109.5^\circ$  (1)

Shape = tetrahedral (1)

*If lone pair shown then C.E = 0/4*



(Equal repulsion between) 4 bonding pairs **or** shared electron pairs (1)

*QoL may be awarded here also*

*Mark all points independently*

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(b) Solvent has low bp or weak intermolecular forces **or** evaporates quickly (1)

(Solvent) needs energy to evaporate (**to overcome intermolecular forces**)  
**or** valid reference to latent heat of vaporisation (**or evaporation is endothermic**) (1)

*OR higher energy or faster molecules more likely to escape  
so mean energy (and hence temperature) falls*

Energy taken from the skin (and so it cools) (1)

Fragrance or perfume (molecules) slowly spreads (through the room) (1)

By random movement **or** diffusion (of the perfume / fragrance) (1)

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(a) (i) Covalent (1)

(ii) Co-ordinate (1) (or dative)

(iii) Both / two / pair electrons come from nitrogen (1)

(iv) 4 bonding / electron pairs (1)

repel equally (1)

*OR are identical*

as far apart as possible (1)

*OR to position of minimum repulsion*

tetrahedron (1)

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- (b) Power (or ability) of an element / atom to attract electron pair/electrons/  
an electron/electron density **(1)**

in a covalent bond **(1)**

*Allow attract from, withdraw in, do not allow remove  
from, withdraw from.*

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- (c) (i) Electron deficient **(1)**

*Or small, slight, partial positive charge*

- (ii)  $H < N$  **(1)**

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- (a) (i) 3 (bonding) pairs of electrons **(1)**

*allow 3 bonds*

repel equally **(1)** *(or as much as possible)*

*Or get as far apart as possible*

- (ii) Predicted bond angle:  $118^\circ$  *(allow 117 - 119)* **(1)**

*Explanation: lone pair (1)*

repels more than bonding pair **(1)**

*Allow EXP if  $\angle < 118^\circ$*

*but C.E. = 0 if  $\angle \geq 120^\circ$*

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- (b) Name of shape: Tetrahedral **(1)**

*Example: CH<sub>4</sub> etc (1)*

*Allow correct ion*

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- (c) (i)  $90^\circ$  **(1)**

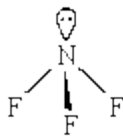
- (ii) lone pairs (or they) repel more than bonding pairs (or most) **(1)**  
(so are) as far apart as possible **(1)**

*Mark independently*

- (iii) square planar **(1)**

*allow square*

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3 bonds + 1 lone pair (1)

correct shape (1)

only give this mark if first mark also given

*Penalise sticks (i.e. N-) once but N must be shown*

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<sup>C</sup>  
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