

WJEC GCSE Flashcards

Component 2: Specific Practical 6A Metal Reactivity

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More reactive metals will displace (push out) less reactive metals, forming two new compounds.

Relative reactivities are outlined in the metal reactivity series.











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By using a spotting tile, several small-scale reactions can be set up in the depressions of the tile.

This allows for simultaneous observation of all the reactions.









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Lead nitrate is highly toxic and harmful to the environment.

It should be handled with care, any spillages cleaned up immediately and disposed of responsibly.









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- Temperature change
- Colour change
- Effervescence
- Formation of a precipitate





