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Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
<b>1(a)</b>	oxygen	<b>Ignore</b> iron <b>Reject</b> oxide, O, O <sub>2</sub> or O <sub>3</sub>	<b>(1)</b>

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<b>1(b)(i)</b>	iron oxide + carbon (1) →  iron + carbon dioxide(1)	iron oxide + C (1) → iron + CO <sub>2</sub> (1)	<b>(2)</b>

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<b>1(b)(ii)</b>	<b>D</b> the iron oxide is reduced		<b>(1)</b>

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<b>1(c)</b>	An explanation linking the following points <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• magnesium (1)</li> <li>• it is more reactive (than iron) / it is {higher (than iron)/highest/first/top} in the reactivity series (1)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Allow</b> {highest / first / top /most reactive /higher than iron} (in the list) (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> it reacts faster with {air/water/oxygen/other substances} (than iron) (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> more things react with it (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> 2<sup>nd</sup> marking point if a more reactive metal is chosen that is not in the list (1)</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> it is high in the reactivity series</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> it is reactive</p> <p><b>Do not allow</b> 2<sup>nd</sup> marking point if chosen metal is less reactive than iron</p>	<b>(2)</b>

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<b>1 (d) (i)</b>	Any one from  { mixture of / contains / made from / formed from / addition of } <b>AND</b> { metals / metal and non-metal / metal and another element / metal and carbon / iron and another metal	<b>Reject</b> any mention of <b>compound</b> of metals etc <b>Ignore</b> metals etc combined/joined together <b>Ignore</b> combination of metals etc  <b>Allow</b> put one metal into another <b>Allow</b> metals melted together	<b>(1)</b>

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<b>1 (d) (ii)</b>	Any one from  iron/ it <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• rusts / corrodes</li> <li>• is soft / is not strong enough / is too flexible / is too weak</li> <li>• {bends/breaks/snaps} easily</li> <li>• reacts with {air / oxygen / water / food}</li> </ul>	<b>Ignore</b> additional correct answers <b>Do not award the mark</b> if additional <b>incorrect</b> answers  <b>Allow</b> iron would stain  <b>Allow</b> (stainless) steel {is <b>stronger</b> than iron / does not rust <b>as quickly</b> }  <b>Ignore</b> just 'stainless steel does not rust/corrode or react with {air/oxygen/water / food}'	<b>(1)</b>

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<b>2(a)</b>	<b>D</b> volcanoes erupting		<b>(1)</b>

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<b>2(b)</b>	<b>B</b> carbon dioxide		<b>(1)</b>

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<b>2(c)</b>	<p>An explanation linking <b>two</b> of the following points</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Earth cooled (1)</li> <li>• {water (vapour) / steam} condensed (1)</li> <li>• {seas / oceans / rivers / lakes} formed (1)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Allow</b> the Earth was warmer when the early atmosphere formed (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> water (vapour) / steam turned into rain (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> water vapour / steam turned into water (1)</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> photosynthesis uses water</p>	<b>(2)</b>

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<b>2(d)</b>	<p>An explanation linking <b>two</b> of the following points</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• amount of oxygen decreases / methane {uses / reacts with / combines with} oxygen (1)</li> <li>• amount of carbon dioxide increases / {produces /forms /makes/lets out/gives off /releases} carbon dioxide(1)</li> <li>• amount of water (vapour) increases / {produces /forms /makes/lets out/gives off /releases} water (vapour) (1)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Ignore</b> references to other gases</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> changes the amounts of gases</p>	<b>(2)</b>

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2(e)	<p>Any <b>two</b> from the following points</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• farming / animals release methane (1)</li> <li>• deforestation / cutting down trees (1)</li> <li>• burning anything that is not a fossil fuel eg wood / rubbish / waste / plastic (1)</li> <li>• living things {breathing / respiration / taking in oxygen and releasing carbon dioxide} (1)</li> <li>• plants {photosynthesising / taking in carbon dioxide and releasing oxygen} (1)</li> <li>• {plants / animals} {decaying / decomposing} (1)</li> <li>• rotting waste (in landfill) (1)</li> <li>• processing limestone (1)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Ignore</b> additional correct answers  <b>Penalise</b> additional <b>incorrect</b> answers</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> acid rain / cars / planes / pollution / global warming / factories / quarries / power plants</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> just 'human activities' unless specified</p> <p><b>Allow</b> volcanoes (erupting) (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> gases dissolving in oceans (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> iron seeding (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> people smoking / use of aerosol sprays (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> growing crops (1)</p>	<b>(2)</b>

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<b>3(a)</b>	<b>D</b> copper sulfate		<b>(1)</b>

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<b>3(b)</b>	(i) hydrochloric acid (1)  (ii) carbon dioxide (1)		<b>(2)</b>

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<b>3(c)</b>	<p>An explanation linking the following points</p> <p><b>First marking point</b> tablet chosen with any one correct qualitative statement</p> <p>tablet A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>because it neutralises more acid (than B) (1)</li> </ul> <p>OR</p> <p>tablet B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>because it is cheaper (than A) (1)</li> </ul> <p><b>Second marking point</b> any one correct quantitative statement</p> <p><b>eg.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>need {3/more than 2} tablets of B to neutralise the same amount of acid as A (1)</li> <li>tablet A neutralises {three/more than two} times as much acid as B (1)</li> <li>it costs 3.6 p of B to neutralise the same amount of acid as {1 tablet/2.5p} of A (1)</li> </ul> <p>Tablet A costs twice as much as tablet B but neutralises three times as much acid scores 2 marks</p>	<p><b>Allow</b> answers based on analysis of numbers, e.g. tablet A because 1p of tablet A neutralises 12.24 cm<sup>3</sup> of acid (1)</p> <p>1p of tablet B neutralises 8.5 cm<sup>3</sup> of acid (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> A neutralises more acid than B for the (same) amount of money (2)</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> just A is more effective</p> <p><b>Allow</b> it costs 0.08p to neutralise 1 cm<sup>3</sup> of acid with tablet A (1) it costs 0.12p to neutralise 1 cm<sup>3</sup> of acid with tablet B (1)</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> A neutralises acid <b>faster</b> than B</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> money units eg. pounds instead of pence</p> <p><b>Reject</b> A contains more acid than B</p>	<b>(2)</b>

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<b>3(d)(i)</b>	A description including the following points <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• (damp blue or red) litmus (1)</li> <li>• turns (red then) white / bleached (1)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Allow</b> use of any suitable indicator <b>(1)</b> with correct result (1) e.g. universal indicator is bleached (2) starch iodide paper turns blue/black (2)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> bleaches indicator (1)</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> indicator gets lighter</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> any incorrect middle colour mentioned</p> <p><b>Reject</b> goes clear</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> smells of swimming pools (1)</p>	<b>(2)</b>

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<b>3(d)(ii)</b>	hydrogen	<p><b>Allow</b> H<sub>2</sub></p> <p><b>Reject</b> H, 2H, H<sub>2</sub>, H<sup>2</sup></p>	<b>(1)</b>

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<b>3(e)</b>	A description including <b>two</b> of the following points <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• chlorine could leak out (1)</li> <li>• (it is) toxic / poisonous / irritant / corrosive (1)</li> <li>• an effect on <b>people</b> eg. death / injury / burn skin / damage lungs / bad for you if breathed in / make you ill / {irritates/damages} eyes (1)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Ignore</b> just 'chlorine is dangerous'</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> other effects eg. flammable / explosive</p> <p><b>Allow</b> {harms / harmful} to people</p>	<b>(2)</b>



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4(a)(i)	$  \begin{array}{ccccc}  & \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} & \\  &   &   &   & \\  \text{H} & -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{C} & -\text{H} \\  &   &   &   & \\  & \text{H} & \text{H} & \text{H} &   \end{array}  $	<p><b>Allow</b> h for H</p> <p><b>Reject</b> an extra bond (=) between any of the carbon atoms</p>	(1)

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4(a)(ii)	<p>A description including the following points</p> <p><b>First marking point</b> an active mixing of carbon dioxide with limewater eg.</p> <p>{bubble /pass gas through / put gas into /add gas to /mix gas with /shake gas with} limewater (1)</p> <p><b>Second marking point</b> how the limewater changes milky/cloudy/white (precipitate) (1)</p>	<p><b>Reject</b> blow through a straw</p> <p><b>Reject heat</b> the limewater</p> <p><b>Allow</b> pass gas etc through the water (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> '{the water/it} turns milky/cloudy/white (precipitate)' (1)</p> <p><b>Do not allow</b> changes colour</p> <p><b>Do not allow</b> this mark if an incorrect gas/reagent is used</p>	(2)

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4(a)(iii)	<p><b>Both marks must come from the same pair only, not one from each pair</b></p> <p>An explanation linking <b>one</b> of the following pairs</p> <p><b>EITHER</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>carbon monoxide formed (1)</li> <li>toxic /poisonous /can {kill / harm/suffocate} people /is {fatal /lethal} /restricts the amount of oxygen carried by the blood (1)</li> </ul> <p><b>OR</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>smoke/soot formed (1)</li> <li>damages lungs /chokes people /makes things dirty (1)</li> </ul>	<p>Ignore additional answers</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> dangerous</p> <p><b>Allow</b> the second mark if an incorrect gas is stated eg methane (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> less energy released (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> blocks fuel jets (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> less energy released (1)</p>	(2)

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4(b)(i)	A ethanol		(1)

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4(b)(ii)	<p>An explanation linking <b>two</b> of the following points</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• biofuels are {renewable /will not run out} / fossil fuels are {non-renewable / will (eventually) run out} (1)</li> <li>• biofuels can be obtained from {plants / animals /animal droppings} (1)</li> <li>• biofuels are produced more quickly (than fossil fuels) / fossil fuels take longer to produce (than biofuels) (1)</li> <li>• fossil fuels are used faster than being formed / finite resource (1)</li> <li>• fossil fuels are extracted from crude oil (1)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Ignore</b> additional answers</p> <p><b>Allow</b> 'it' or 'they' for 'biofuels'</p> <p><b>Allow</b> biofuels have a lower carbon footprint / use carbon dioxide whilst growing / are carbon neutral (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> biofuels contain biological material/made from living things</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> biofuels can be reused</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> releases less carbon dioxide</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> biodegradable</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> coal is a fossil fuel</p>	(2)

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4(c)	<p><b>Both marks must come from the same pair only, not one from each pair</b></p> <p><b>If no comparison is made, maximum is 1 mark</b></p> <p>An explanation linking <b>a chosen fuel</b> to <b>two</b> of the following points</p> <p>fuel A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• higher energy (per kg of fuel) / B produces less energy (1)</li> <li>• but { higher cost /only costs 18 p more /limited availability /difficulty in storing gas} (1)</li> </ul> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p>fuel B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• is a liquid so easier to {handle/ store/transfer} (1)</li> <li>• cheaper (1)</li> <li>• greater availability (1)</li> </ul>	<p>If both fuels are discussed, select the fuel that gives the higher mark.</p> <p><b>Allow</b> more energy per £/cost (2)</p>	(2)

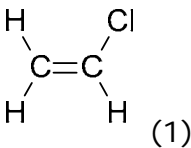
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<b>5(a)</b>	<b>D</b> sedimentary		<b>(1)</b>

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<b>5(b)</b>	<b>B</b> cement		<b>(1)</b>

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<b>5(c)(i)</b>	<p>An explanation including <b>two</b> of the following points</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• (calcium carbonate) decomposes / breaks down (1)</li> <li>• carbon dioxide / CO<sub>2</sub> (1)</li> <li>• {gas/carbon and two oxygen atoms} {escapes /is lost /given off /released / removed /produced/made} (1)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Ignore</b> burning</p> <p><b>Allow</b> O has less mass than CO<sub>3</sub> (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> oxygen gas escapes etc (1)</p>	<b>(2)</b>

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<b>5(c)(ii)</b>	<p>calcium oxide + water (1) → calcium hydroxide (1)</p> <p>the '+' and '→' must be present for 2 marks, but allow = for →</p> <p>LHS (1) RHS (1) Do not allow these marks if additional reactants and/or products are included</p>	<p><b>Allow</b> CaO + H<sub>2</sub>O (1) → Ca(OH)<sub>2</sub> (1)</p> <p><b>Allow</b> a mixture of words and correct formulae</p> <p>If words and formulae are given, ignore formulae</p> <p><b>Ignore</b> heat</p>	<b>(2)</b>

Question Number	Indicative Content	Mark
<b>QWC</b>	<p><b>*5 (d)</b> A discussion including some of the following points</p> <p><b>Advantages</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• quarrying creates new jobs</li> <li>• benefits the local economy/community</li> <li>• limestone is useful as a building material / neutralising acid soils / removing acid gases from power station chimneys /making iron etc</li> <li>• {calcium oxide / lime or calcium hydroxide / slaked lime} can be made from it and used to neutralise acid soils</li> <li>• limestone can be made into other useful substances eg cement / concrete / glass</li> <li>• educational visits</li> </ul> <p><b>Do not allow</b> just 'limestone is a raw material for the chemical industry' as this is in the question</p> <p><b>Disadvantages</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• quarrying scars the landscape/is an eyesore/ruins the view/is ugly</li> <li>• quarrying takes a lot of land</li> <li>• quarrying destroys the habitats of birds / animals</li> <li>• quarrying is noisy</li> <li>• quarrying creates dust</li> <li>• the dust can cause health problems (asthma/breathing difficulties)</li> <li>• there will be extra traffic / lorries on local roads</li> <li>• house prices will be reduced</li> <li>• less tourism</li> </ul>	<b>(6)</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>0</b>	No rewardable content
<b>1</b>	<b>1 - 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a limited description e.g. creates jobs</li> <li>• the answer communicates ideas using simple language and uses limited scientific terminology</li> <li>• spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited accuracy</li> </ul>
<b>2</b>	<b>3 - 4</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a simple description e.g. creates jobs but spoils the landscape / damages the landscape and creates dust</li> <li>• the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of clarity and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriately</li> <li>• spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy</li> </ul>
<b>3</b>	<b>5 - 6</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a detailed description e.g. creates jobs which benefits the local community but there will be extra traffic which is noisy</li> <li>• the answer communicates ideas clearly and coherently uses a range of scientific terminology accurately</li> <li>• spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with few errors</li> </ul>

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6(a)	ethene (1) poly(propene) (1)  (1)	<b>Allow</b> polypropene (1) <b>Reject</b> 'h' 'cl' 'CL' 'cL' <b>Reject</b> 5 bonds on either C <b>Ignore</b> bond angles	(3)

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6(b)	Any one from <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• does not contain hydrogen</li> <li>• only carbon and fluorine present</li> <li>• has fluorine instead of hydrogen</li> <li>• it does not contain carbon and hydrogen only</li> </ul>	<b>Ignore</b> molecules / particles <b>Allow</b> hydrocarbons contain carbon and hydrogen only	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
6(c)	A description including <b>two</b> of the following points <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• rigid (1)</li> <li>• tough / strong / does not break easily (1)</li> <li>• long-lasting / durable / hardwearing (1)</li> <li>• does not {rot / corrode} / non-biodegradable(1)</li> <li>• light(weight) / low density (1)</li> <li>• insoluble / waterproof / water resistant / does not react with {water/any substance} / is unreactive (1)</li> </ul>	<b>Ignore</b> additional answers <b>Ignore</b> cheap / malleable <b>Allow</b> is smooth so {water can run along easily / harder to block} (1) <b>Allow</b> does not rust (1)	(2)

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<b>QWC</b>	<p><b>*6 (d)</b> A discussion including some of the following points</p> <p><b>Landfill</b></p> <p>Advantages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• requires no processing / easy to do</li> <li>• (almost) all waste can be sent to landfill</li> </ul> <p>Disadvantages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• uses valuable land</li> <li>• loss of animal habitats</li> <li>• polymers do not rot</li> <li>• smell</li> <li>• attracts {vermin /gulls}</li> <li>• releases gases (as the waste rots)</li> </ul> <p><b>Burning</b></p> <p>Advantages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• produces useful energy</li> <li>• solves the problem of landfill</li> <li>• quicker than rotting in landfill</li> </ul> <p>Disadvantages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• produces harmful / toxic products / named gas eg. carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, hydrogen cyanide</li> </ul> <p><b>Recycling</b></p> <p>Advantages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• reuses the polymer /bottle</li> <li>• makes new articles e.g. insulation blocks</li> <li>• solves the problems of landfill and burning</li> <li>• conserves natural resources</li> </ul> <p>Disadvantages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• difficult to sort and clean</li> <li>• uses energy</li> <li>• coloured plastics have limited new uses</li> <li>• not all items can be recycled</li> <li>• requires public cooperation</li> </ul> <p>Disadvantage of any one of the methods</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• extra traffic / lorries / noise</li> </ul> <p><b>Explanation of disposal method</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• statement of chosen method of disposal</li> </ul>	<b>(6)</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>0</b>	No rewardable content
<b>1</b>	<b>1 - 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a limited discussion e.g. bottles do not rot / recycling is the best method for disposing of plastic bottles</li> <li>• the answer communicates ideas using simple language and uses limited scientific terminology</li> <li>• spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited accuracy</li> </ul>
<b>2</b>	<b>3 - 4</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a simple discussion e.g. bottles do not rot and produce toxic products when burnt, recycling is best</li> <li>• the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of clarity and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriately</li> <li>• spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy</li> </ul>
<b>3</b>	<b>5 - 6</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a detailed discussion e.g. landfill uses valuable land, burning produces useful energy, recycling reuses the material and is best method of disposing of bottles</li> <li>• the answer communicates ideas clearly and coherently uses a range of scientific terminology accurately</li> <li>• spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with few errors</li> </ul>

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