

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
1(a)	An answer that combines the following points of understanding to provide a logical description: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (hydrogen produced as a gas so) there would be {effervescence/fizzing/bubbles} (1) • and (calcium hydroxide produced as a solid so) the water would go {cloudy/a white precipitate would form} (1) 	Allow: calcium moves (around) (1) calcium decreases in size/disappears/dissolves (1)	(2)

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1(b)	$\text{Mg} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{MgO} + \text{H}_2$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LHS (1) • RHS (1) 	(2)

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1(c)	An explanation that combines identification – application of knowledge (1 mark) and reasoning/justification – application of understanding (1 mark): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In calcium the outermost electron(s) {are further away from nucleus /experience(s) greater shielding} (from the nucleus) (as shown by the electronic configuration) (1) • Therefore less attraction between nucleus and electron(s)/ the electron(s) is/are easier to remove (1) 	Allow answers in terms of why reactivity of magnesium is less than that of calcium	(2)

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1(d)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • divides mass by relative atomic mass (1) • calculates simplest ratio (1) • expresses ratio correctly as empirical formula (1) 	<p>Example of calculation</p> <table style="border: none; margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>Ca</td> <td>:</td> <td>Br</td> </tr> <tr> <td>$\frac{0.2}{40}$</td> <td>:</td> <td>$\frac{0.8}{80}$</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0.005</td> <td>:</td> <td>0.01</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>:</td> <td>2</td> </tr> </table> <p>empirical formula CaBr_2</p> <p>Formula alone scores max 1</p>	Ca	:	Br	$\frac{0.2}{40}$:	$\frac{0.8}{80}$	0.005	:	0.01	1	:	2	(3)
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2(a)(i)	A, B and C	Mg Ca Au (any order) magnesium calcium gold (any order)	(1)

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2(a)(ii)	A and B	Mg Ca (any order) magnesium calcium (any order)	(1)

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2(b)	8 (protons)		(1)

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2(c)(i)	A : 10		(1)

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2(c)(ii)	(in 100 atoms) mass of mass number 20 atoms = 20 x 90 (1) mass of mass number 22 atoms = 22 x 10 (1) relative atomic mass = $\{(22 \times 10) + (20 \times 90)\} / 100$ (=20.2) (1) OR 20 contributes = 90/100 x20(1) 22 contributes = 10/100 x22(1) relative atomic mass 90/100 x 20 + 10/100 x 22 (= 20.2) (1)	20.2 = 3 marks 21.8 = 2 marks (only 1 error made)	(3)

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2(d)	An explanation linking any two of (the element is) group 0 / noble gas / unreactive / inert / does not react (1) { (has) 8 electrons / full } outer shell (1) prevents filament from reacting (1)	ignore 'not very reactive' does not {gain / lose / share} electrons	(2)

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3(a)	An explanation including the following points <ul style="list-style-type: none"> metal (1) because {on left of / below} the line dividing metals and non-metals/because boron only non-metal in group 3 (1) 	correct statement relating to neighbouring metallic elements surrounded by metals	(2)

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3(b)	2.8.3	283	(1)

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3(c)(i)	A five protons		(1)

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3(c)(ii)	An explanation including the following points <ul style="list-style-type: none"> atoms of same element / same {number of protons / atomic number} (1) different {numbers of neutrons / mass numbers} (1) 	ignore electrons	(2)

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3(c)(iii)	more atoms have mass 11 (than 10) / ORA	boron 11 isotope more abundant OWTE	(1)

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4 (a)		relative mass	relative charge	position in atom	ignore units reject relative mass of proton: +1/1+ for relative mass of electron: anything smaller than 1/1500/0.00067 (almost) 0/negligible/very small for relative charge on neutron: none/no charge/neutral for position of electron in an atom: in orbits / orbitals / energy levels / around the nucleus / outside the nucleus ignore rings ignore inner/outer	
	proton	1	(+1)	in nucleus		
	neutron	(1)	0	(in nucleus)		
	electron	1/1837	-1	in shells		
	all 6 correct (3) 4 or 5 correct (2) 2 or 3 correct (1)					

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4 (b)	D equal numbers of protons and electrons		(1)

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4 (c) (i)	Ca	Reject CA / ca /cA ignore calcium	(1)

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4 (c) (ii)	O	ignore any negative charge on the O ignore oxygen reject: oxide/O ₂	(1)

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4 (d) (i)	13	Allow correct working even if wrong answer	(1)

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4 (d) (ii)	D AIN		(1)

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5(a)(i)	C T		(1)

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5(a)(ii)	C Q and S		(1)

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5(b)(i)	number of protons (in nucleus of atom)	ignore number of electrons eg number of protons and electrons worth (1)	(1)

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5(b)(ii)	An explanation including <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (atoms of) both contain 5 /same number of protons/same atomic number (1) boron-10 atoms contain 5 neutrons but boron-11 atoms contain 6 neutrons / different numbers of neutrons/ different mass number (1) 	ignore electrons boron-11 atoms contain 1 more neutron / boron-10 atoms contain 1 less neutron	(2)

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5(c)(i)	An explanation including the following <ul style="list-style-type: none"> M1 {average/mean} mass (of atoms of an element) (1) M2 compared to {1/12 mass carbon-12 (atom)/ (mass of carbon-12 (atom) taken as 12} (1) 	For M1 reject weight reject if mass of molecule reject if mass of neutrons and protons any reference to carbon-12 scores mark	(2)

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5(c)(ii)	$[19.7 \times 10] (1) + [80.3 \times 11] (1)$ $/100 (1) (=10.8)$ $[0.197 \times 10] (1) + [0.803 \times 11] (1) =$ $[1.97 + 8.83] (1) (=10.8)$	If no working shown 10.8(03) worth 3 marks	(3)