

## Mark schemes

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- (a) (i) d (block) **OR** D (block)

*Ignore transition metals / series.*

*Do not allow any numbers in the answer.*

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- (ii) Contains positive (metal) ions or protons or nuclei and delocalised / mobile / free / sea of electrons

*Ignore atoms.*

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Strong attraction between them or strong metallic bonds

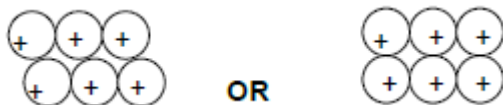
*Allow 'needs a lot of energy to break / overcome' instead of 'strong'.*

*If strong attraction between incorrect particles, then CE = 0 / 2.*

*If molecules / intermolecular forces / covalent bonding / ionic bonding mentioned then CE=0.*

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- (iii)



*M1 is for regular arrangement of atoms / ions (min 6 metal particles).*

*M2 for + sign in each metal atom / ion.*

*Allow 2+ sign.*

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- (iv) Layers / planes / sheets of atoms or ions can slide over one another

*QoL.*

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- (b) (i)  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 3d^8 (4s^0)$

*Only.*

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- (ii)  $\text{NiCl}_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O} + 6 \text{SOCl}_2 \longrightarrow \text{NiCl}_2 + 6 \text{SO}_2 + 12 \text{HCl}$

*Allow multiples.*

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$\text{NaOH} / \text{NH}_3 / \text{CaCO}_3 / \text{CaO}$

*Allow any name or formula of alkali or base.*

*Allow water.*

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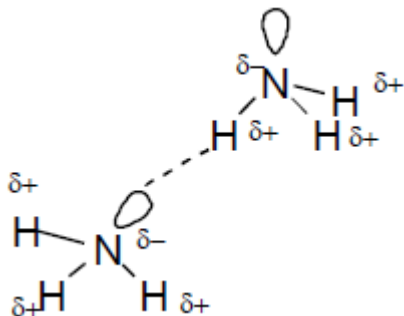
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- (a) (i) Hydrogen bonds / H bonds

*Not just hydrogen.*

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(ii)



M1 – lone pair on each N.

M2 – correct partial charges must be shown on the N and H of a bond in each molecule.

M3 – for the H bond from lone pair on N to the  $H\delta^+$  on the other  $NH_3$  molecule.

If not ammonia molecules, CE = 0 / 3.

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- (b) Lone pair / both electrons / 2 electrons / electron pair on  $N(H_3)$  is donated to  $B(Cl_3)$   
Allow both electrons in the bond come from  $N(H_3)$ .

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- (c) (i) The power of an atom or nucleus to withdraw or attract electrons or electron density or a pair of electrons (towards itself)

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in a covalent bond

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- (ii) LiF **OR**  $Li_2O$  **OR** LiH

Allow  $Li_2O_2$ , allow correct lithium carbide formula.

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- (iii)  $BH_3$  /  $H_3B$

Allow  $B_2H_6$  /  $H_6B_2$

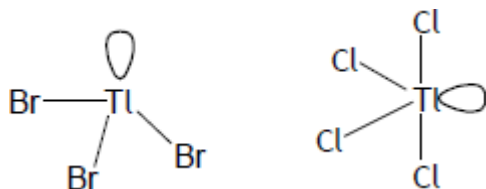
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(a)



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

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Pyramidal / trigonal pyramid

Allow tetrahedral.

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107°

*Allow 107 to 107.5°.*

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(b) M1 Ionic

*CE = 0 / 3 if not ionic.*

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M2 Oppositely charged ions /  $\text{TI}^+$  and  $\text{Br}^-$  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'.*

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(c)  $\text{TI} + \frac{1}{2}\text{Br}_2 \longrightarrow \text{TI}\text{Br}$

*Allow multiples.*

*Ignore state symbols even if incorrect.*

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(a) Giant covalent / giant molecular / macromolecular

*Not giant alone.*

*Not covalent alone.*

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(b) Shared pair of electrons / one electron from each C atom

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(c) No delocalised / free / mobile electrons

*Allow all (outer) electrons involved in (covalent) bonds.*

*Ignore ions.*

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(d) CH

*Allow HC*

*C and H must be capital letters.*

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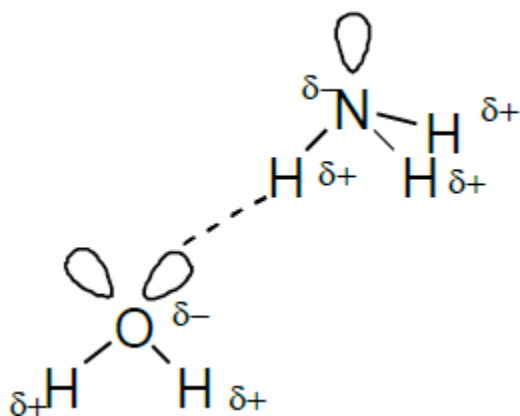
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(a) Hydrogen bonding / hydrogen bonds / H-bonding / H-Bonds

*Not just hydrogen.*

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(b)

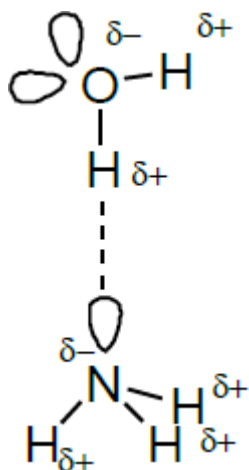


One mark for minimum of 4 correct partial charges shown on the N-H and O-H

One mark for the 3 lone pairs.

One mark for H bond from the lone pair on O or N to the H<sup>δ+</sup>

OR



The N-H-O should be linear but can accept if the lone pair on O or N hydrogen bonded to the H

If wrong molecules or wrong formula, CE = 0/3

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(c) (Phosphine) does not form hydrogen bonds (with water)

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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.

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(b) Coordinate / dative (covalent)

If wrong CE=0/2 if covalent mark on.

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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.*

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(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

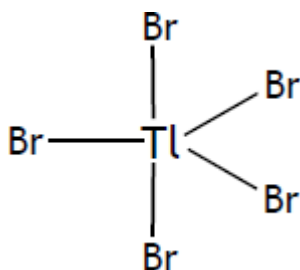
*Accept silicon(4) chloride or silicon(IV) chloride.*

*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.*

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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) 2-bromo-2,3-dimethylbutane  
*Ignore punctuation.*

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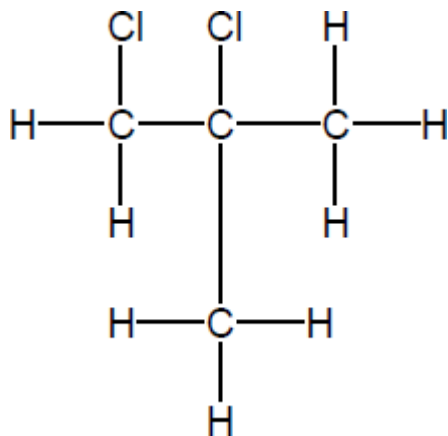
$C_nH_{2n+1}Br$  or  $C_nH_{2n+1}X$  or  $C_xH_{2x+1}Br$   
*Any order.*

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Stronger / more vdw (forces) between molecules (of 1-bromohexane)  
*QoL*  
*Allow converse arguments for Z*  
*Not just more IMF.*  
*Ignore size of molecule.*

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(b)



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$C_2H_4Cl$

*Any order*

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(a) **M1 (could be scored by a correct mathematical expression)**

*Correct answer to the calculation gains all of M1, M2 and M3*

$$\text{M1 } \Delta H = \Sigma \Delta H_f(\text{products}) - \Sigma \Delta H_f(\text{reactants})$$

*Credit 1 mark for - 101 (kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>)*

**OR** a correct cycle of balanced equations

$$\text{M2} \quad = - 1669 - 3(- 590)$$

$$= - 1669 + 1770$$

(This also scores M1)

$$\text{M3} \quad = + 101 \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1}\text{)}$$

**Award 1 mark ONLY for - 101**

*For other incorrect or incomplete answers, proceed as follows*

- *check for an arithmetic error (AE), which is either a transposition error or an incorrect multiplication; this would score 2 marks (M1 and M2)*
- *If no AE, check for a correct method; this requires either a correct cycle with 3Sr and 2Al OR a clear statement of M1 which could be in words and scores **only M1***

**M4 - Using powders**

Any **one** from

- To increase collision frequency / collisions in a given time / rate of collisions
- To increase the surface contact / contact between the solids / contact between (exposed) particles

*Ignore dividing final answer by 3*

*Penalise M4 for reference to molecules.*

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**M5 Major reason for expense of extraction**

Any **one** from

- Aluminium is extracted by electrolysis OR aluminium extraction uses (large amounts of) electricity
- Reaction / process / It / the mixture requires heat
- It is endothermic

- (b) Calcium has a higher melting point than strontium, because

*Ignore general Group 2 statements.*

**Correct reference to size of cations / proximity of electrons**

M1 (For Ca) delocalised electrons closer to cations / positive ions / atoms / nucleus

**OR** cations / positive ions / atoms are smaller

**OR** cation / positive ion / atom or it has fewer (electron) shells / levels

*Penalise M1 if either of Ca or Sr is said to have more or less delocalised electrons OR the same nuclear charge.*

*Ignore reference to shielding.*

**Relative strength of metallic bonding**

M2 (Ca) has stronger attraction between the cations / positive ions / atoms / nucleus and the delocalised electrons

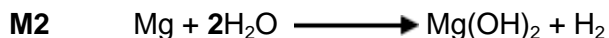
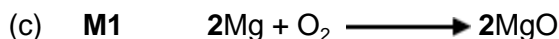
**OR**

stronger metallic bonding

(assume argument refers to Ca but credit converse argument for Sr)

*CE= 0 for reference to molecules or Van der Waals forces or intermolecular forces or covalent bonds.*

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*Credit multiples of the equations.*

**M3** Magnesium hydroxide is used as an antacid / relieve indigestion (heartburn) / neutralise (stomach) acidity / laxative

*Not simply "milk of magnesia" in M3*

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- (a) (i) The power of an atom or nucleus to withdraw or attract electrons **OR** electron density **OR** a pair of electrons (towards itself)

*Ignore retain*

1

In a covalent bond

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- (ii) More protons / bigger nuclear charge

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Same or similar shielding / electrons in the same shell or principal energy level / atoms get smaller

*Not same sub-shell*

*Ignore more electrons*

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(b) Ionic

*If not ionic then CE = 0 / 3  
If blank lose M1 and mark on*

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Strong or many or lots of (electrostatic) attractions (between ions)

*If molecules / IMF / metallic / atoms lose M2 + M3, penalise  
incorrect ions by 1 mark*

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Between + and - ions / between  $\text{Li}^+$  and  $\text{F}^-$  ions / oppositely charged ions

*Allow strong (ionic) bonds for max 1 out of M2 and M3*

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(c) Small electronegativity difference / difference = 0.5

*Must be comparative*

*Allow 2 non-metals*

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(d) (i) (simple) molecular

*Ignore simple covalent*

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(ii)  $\text{OF}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \longrightarrow \text{O}_2 + 2\text{HF}$

*Ignore state symbols*

*Allow multiples*

*Allow  $\text{OF}_2$  written as  $\text{F}_2\text{O}$*

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(iii) 45.7% O

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( O    F )  
( 45.7 54.3 )  
( 16    19 )

*If students get M2 upside down lose M2 + M3*

*Check that students who get correct answer divide by 16 and  
19 (not 8 and 9). If dividing by 8 and 9 lose M2 and M3 but could  
allocate M4 ie max 2*

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(2.85    2.85)  
( 1      1 )

EF = OF or FO

*Calculation of OF by other correct method = 3 marks*

*Penalise FI by 1 mark*

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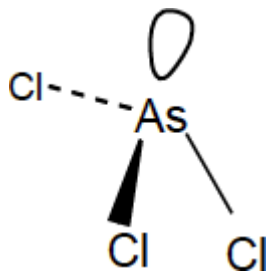
MF (= 70.0 / 35) =  $\text{O}_2\text{F}_2$  or  $\text{F}_2\text{O}_2$

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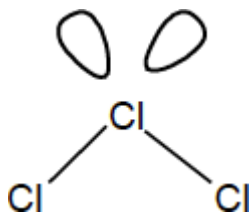
Mark is for 3 As-Cl bonds and 1 lone pair

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(Trigonal) pyramid(al) / tetrahedral

Allow triangular pyramid

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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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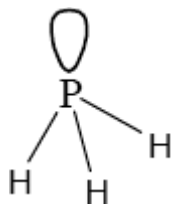
(Electron pairs / bonds) repel equally

QoL

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(a)



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

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(b) Coordinate / dative

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

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

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

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(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) (i) Macromolecular / giant covalent / giant molecular / giant atomic

*If covalent, molecular, giant, lattice, hexagonal or blank mark on.*

*If metallic, ionic or IMF chemical error CE = 0 for (a)(i), (a)(ii) and (a)(iii).*

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(ii) Delocalised electrons / free electrons

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Able to move / flow (through the crystal)

*Allow M2 for electrons can move / flow.*

*Ignore electrons can carry a current / charge.*

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(iii) Covalent bonds

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Many /strong / hard to break / need a lot of energy to break

*M2 dependent on M1.*

*Ignore van der Waals' forces.*

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(b) (i) (Giant) metallic / metal (lattice)

*If FCC or BCC or HCP or giant or lattice, mark on.*

*If incorrect (b)(i), chemical error CE for (b)(ii) and (c)(ii).*

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(ii) Nucleus / protons / positive ions and delocalised electrons (are attracted)

*QWC Must be delocalised electrons – not just electrons.*

*Chemical error = 0/2 for (b)(ii) if other types of bonding or IMF mentioned.*

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Strong attraction

*Allow strong metallic bonding for one mark if M1 and M2 are not awarded.*

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- (c) (i) Layers of atoms/ions slide (over one another)

*Do not allow just layers.*

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- (ii) (Strong) (metallic) bonding re-formed / same (metallic) bonding / retains same (crystal) structure / same bond strength / same attraction between protons and delocalised electrons as before being hammered or words to that effect

*If IMF, molecules, chemical error CE = 0/1 for (c)(ii).*

*If metallic not mentioned in (b)(i) or (b)(ii) it must be mentioned here in (c)(ii) to gain this mark.*

*Do not allow metallic bonds broken alone.*

*Ignore same shape or same strength.*

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- (d) (giant) Ionic

*If not ionic, chemical error CE = 0/3*

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Between + and – ions / oppositely charged ions or  $Mg^{2+}$  and  $O^{2-}$

*If molecules mentioned in explanation lose M2 and M3*

*Allow one mark for a strong attraction between incorrect charges on the ions.*

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Strong attraction

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