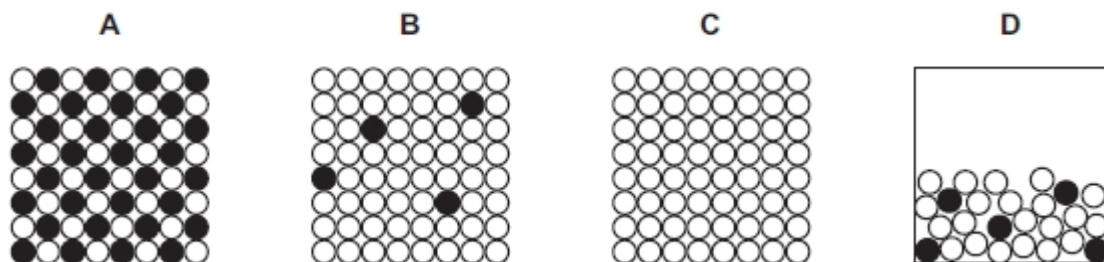


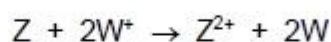
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24 Which diagram represents a solid alloy?



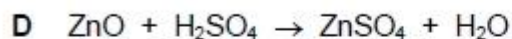
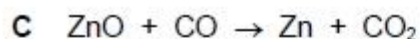
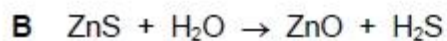
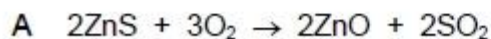
25 The ionic equations for four reactions are shown.



What is the order of reactivity of the four metals, W, X, Y and Z?

	most reactive	→	least reactive	
A	W	X	Z	Y
B	X	W	Y	Z
C	Y	Z	X	W
D	Z	W	X	Y

26 Which equation represents the first stage in the extraction of zinc from zinc blende?



27 Which statement explains why aluminium is used to manufacture aircraft?

A It has a low density.

B It is a good conductor of electricity.

C It is a good conductor of heat.

D It is ductile.



24 Stainless steel is an alloy of iron, carbon and other metals.

Which row is correct?

	stainless steel is harder than pure iron	stainless steel resists corrosion better than pure iron
A	✓	✓
B	✓	x
C	x	✓
D	x	x

25 Metal X is more reactive than metal Y. Metal Y is more reactive than metal Z.

Which statement is correct?

- A** When metal X is placed in a solution of Y sulfate, there is no reaction.
- B** When metal X is placed in a solution of Z sulfate, a reaction occurs.
- C** When metal Y is placed in a solution of Z sulfate, there is no reaction.
- D** When metal Z is placed in a solution of X sulfate, a reaction occurs.

26 Which statement about the industrial extraction of zinc is correct?

- A** Cryolite is added to lower the melting point.
- B** Molten zinc oxide is electrolysed.
- C** Zinc oxide is heated with coke.
- D** Zinc sulfide is heated with coke.

27 Which row describes the use of an alloy and the property upon which the use depends?

	alloy	use	property
A	mild steel	cutlery	resistant to corrosion
B	mild steel	machinery	strong
C	stainless steel	cutlery	low density
D	stainless steel	machinery	good conductor of electricity



24 The following statements are made about the metals copper, iron, magnesium and zinc.

- 1 Their oxides are acidic.
- 2 They all conduct electricity in the solid state.
- 3 They all have high melting points.
- 4 They all react with dilute acids to form hydrogen.

Which statements are correct?

- A 1 and 2 B 1 and 4 C 2 and 3 D 3 and 4

25 Silver is a less reactive metal than cadmium.

Cadmium is a less reactive metal than barium.

Which statement is correct?

- A Barium does not react when heated with silver oxide.
B Cadmium displaces barium from a solution of barium chloride.
C Cadmium displaces silver from a solution of silver nitrate.
D Cadmium reacts when heated with barium oxide.

26 Aluminium metal is extracted from aluminium oxide using electrolysis.

Which statement about the extraction process is **not** correct?

- A A large amount of electricity is required.
B Molten cryolite is used to dissolve the aluminium oxide.
C Oxygen gas is released which reacts to form carbon dioxide.
D The negative electrodes burn away and have to be replaced.

27 Which statement explains why aluminium is used in the manufacture of aircraft?

- A It conducts heat well.
B It has a low density.
C It is a good conductor of electricity.
D It is easy to recycle.

27 In which reaction does Fe(s) form ions when the mixture is heated?

- A $\text{Fe(s)} + \text{CaO(s)}$
B $\text{Fe(s)} + \text{MgO(s)}$
C $\text{Fe(s)} + \text{ZnO(s)}$
D $\text{Fe(s)} + \text{CuO(s)}$



28 The list gives the order of some metals and hydrogen in the reactivity series.

Metal X is also included.

most reactive K
Mg
Zn
H
X
least reactive Cu

Which row correctly shows the properties of metal X?

	reacts with dilute acids	oxide reduced by carbon
A	no	no
B	no	yes
C	yes	no
D	yes	yes

29 Which metal carbonate does **not** produce carbon dioxide when it is heated?

- A copper(II) carbonate
- B iron(II) carbonate
- C potassium carbonate
- D zinc carbonate

30 Which statement about the extraction of metals is correct?

- A Aluminium is extracted by the electrolysis of hematite.
- B Cryolite acts as a reducing agent in the extraction of aluminium.
- C Zinc is extracted by the electrolysis of zinc blende.
- D Zinc is obtained by heating zinc oxide with coke.

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26 Aluminium is obtained by the electrolysis of a mixture of aluminium oxide and cryolite.

Why is cryolite used?

- A as a catalyst to speed up the process
- B as a coolant to prevent the process getting too hot
- C as a solvent for aluminium oxide
- D as the main source of aluminium ions



27 Metal M is mixed with copper to produce brass.

What is M?

- A chromium
- B nickel
- C vanadium
- D zinc

28 Some metal nitrates and carbonates decompose when heated strongly.

Metal Q has a nitrate that decomposes to give a salt and a colourless gas only.

The carbonate of metal Q does not decompose when heated with a Bunsen burner.

What is metal Q?

- A calcium
- B copper
- C sodium
- D zinc

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26 Aluminium is extracted from bauxite by electrolysis.

Which row shows the anode material and the anode reaction?

	anode material	anode reaction
A	carbon	$Al^{3+} + 3e^{-} \rightarrow Al$
B	carbon	$2O^{2-} \rightarrow O_2 + 4e^{-}$
C	steel	$Al^{3+} + 3e^{-} \rightarrow Al$
D	steel	$2O^{2-} \rightarrow O_2 + 4e^{-}$

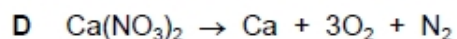
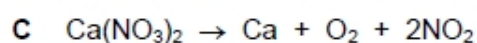
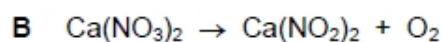
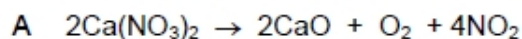
27 Which statement about the metal zinc is **not** correct?

- A It forms an oxide more readily than iron.
- B It is manufactured by the electrolysis of zinc blende.
- C It is used to make brass.
- D It is used to prevent iron from rusting.



28 Calcium nitrate decomposes when it is heated.

What is the equation for the thermal decomposition of calcium nitrate?



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25 What is a property of **all** metals?

A conduct electricity

B hard

C low melting points

D react with water

26 Aluminium is extracted by the electrolysis of aluminium oxide.

Which statement is **not** correct?

A Aluminium ions are oxidised at the cathode.

B Carbon dioxide is made at the anode.

C Cryolite is added to lower the melting point of the aluminium oxide.

D The electrodes are made from graphite.

27 Which row describes how the metals are used?

	mixed with zinc to form brass	used to galvanise iron
A	aluminium	tin
B	aluminium	zinc
C	copper	tin
D	copper	zinc



28 Information about the nitrates and carbonates of two metals, Q and R, is shown.

	appearance	solubility in water	effect of heat
nitrate of Q	white solid	soluble	colourless gas evolved which relights a glowing splint
carbonate of Q	white solid	soluble	no reaction
nitrate of R	white solid	soluble	brown gas evolved
carbonate of R	white solid	insoluble	colourless gas evolved which turns limewater milky

Which statement is correct?

- A Q is calcium and R is magnesium.
- B Q is magnesium and R is sodium.
- C Q is potassium and R is copper.
- D Q is sodium and R is calcium.

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25 Which equation from the zinc extraction process shows the metal being produced by reduction?

- A $\text{ZnO} + \text{C} \rightarrow \text{Zn} + \text{CO}$
- B $2\text{ZnS} + 3\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{ZnO} + 2\text{SO}_2$
- C $\text{Zn(g)} \rightarrow \text{Zn(l)}$
- D $\text{Zn(l)} \rightarrow \text{Zn(s)}$

27 The section of the reactivity series shown includes a newly discovered element, symbol X.

The only oxide of X has the formula XO.

Ca
Mg
Fe
X
H
Cu

Which equation shows a reaction which occurs?

- A $\text{Cu(s)} + \text{X}^{2+}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + \text{X(s)}$
- B $2\text{X(s)} + \text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow 2\text{X}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{Cu(s)}$
- C $\text{X(s)} + \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3(\text{s}) \rightarrow 2\text{Fe(s)} + 3\text{XO(s)}$
- D $\text{X(s)} + 2\text{HCl(aq)} \rightarrow \text{XCl}_2(\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2(\text{g})$



25 Which process is involved in the extraction of zinc from zinc blende?

- A Cryolite is added to lower the melting point of zinc blende.
- B Molten zinc blende is electrolysed.
- C Zinc blende is heated with carbon.
- D Zinc blende is roasted in air.

26 Element E:

- forms an alloy
- has a basic oxide
- is below hydrogen in the reactivity series.

What is E?

- A carbon
- B copper
- C sulfur
- D zinc

27 A list of metals is shown.

aluminium
copper
iron
magnesium
silver
zinc

Which metal will displace all of the other metals from aqueous solutions of their salts?

- A aluminium
- B iron
- C magnesium
- D zinc



25 Metal X is added to a colourless aqueous solution of the sulfate of metal Y.

A coloured solution is formed and metal Y is deposited at the bottom of the beaker.

Which row describes elements X and Y and their relative reactivity?

	type of element	relative reactivity
A	X is a transition element	X is more reactive than Y
B	X is a transition element	Y is more reactive than X
C	Y is a transition element	X is more reactive than Y
D	Y is a transition element	Y is more reactive than X

26 Element E:

- forms an alloy
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What is E?

- A carbon
- B copper
- C sulfur
- D zinc

27 Zinc metal is extracted from its ore zinc blende in a similar method to that used to extract iron from hematite.

In which way is zinc extraction different from iron extraction?

- A Carbon and carbon monoxide are the main reducing agents.
- B Hot air at the base of the furnace reacts with coke to keep the furnace hot.
- C The metal is removed as a vapour at the top of the furnace.
- D The metal oxide is added into the top of the furnace.

28 Stainless steel is an alloy of iron and other metals. It is strong and does not rust but it costs much more than normal steel.

What is **not** made from stainless steel?

- A cutlery
- B pipes in a chemical factory
- C railway lines
- D saucepans

26 Which statement about **all** metals is correct?

- A They are attracted to a magnet.
- B They are weak and brittle.
- C They may be used to form alloys.
- D They react with water.

27 Which substance produces sulfur dioxide when roasted in air?

- A bauxite
- B cryolite
- C hematite
- D zinc blende

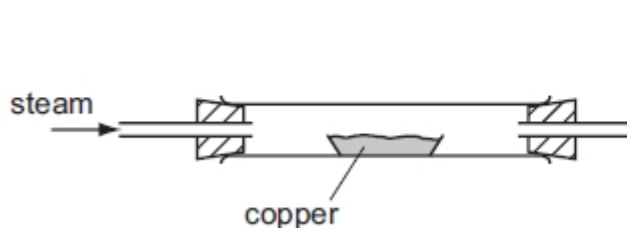
28 Which metal carbonate does **not** produce carbon dioxide when it is heated with a Bunsen burner?

- A copper(II) carbonate
- B magnesium carbonate
- C sodium carbonate
- D zinc carbonate

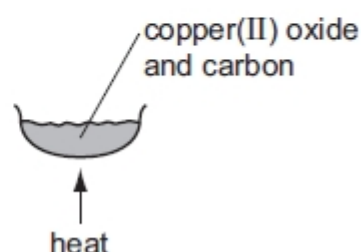
29 Two experiments are carried out.

In experiment 1, copper is heated with steam.

In experiment 2, copper(II) oxide is heated with carbon.



experiment 1



experiment 2

Which row describes what happens in experiments 1 and 2?

	experiment 1	experiment 2
A	no reaction	no reaction
B	no reaction	reaction
C	reaction	no reaction
D	reaction	reaction

25 Basic oxides and oxygen are used to convert iron into steel.

Which statement is **not** correct?

- A Carbon is converted into carbon dioxide.
- B Silicon is converted into silicon(IV) oxide.
- C The basic oxides react with acidic impurities to form slag.
- D The oxygen reacts with the iron to produce hematite.

26 The results of two experiments are given.

- 1 Cobalt displaces manganese from an aqueous solution of a manganese salt.
- 2 Manganese displaces silver from an aqueous solution of a silver salt.

Three more experiments are carried out.

- 3 Cobalt is added to an aqueous solution of a silver salt.
- 4 Manganese is added to an aqueous solution of a cobalt salt.
- 5 Silver is added to an aqueous solution of a cobalt salt.

In which experiments does a reaction take place?

- A 3 only B 3 and 4 C 4 and 5 D 5 only

27 Cryolite, Na_3AlF_6 , is added to aluminium oxide in the electrolytic extraction of aluminium.

What is the reason for this?

- A to decrease the melting point of the electrolyte
- B to protect the anodes
- C to produce more aluminium
- D to stop the aluminium reacting with air

28 Different forms of steel contain different proportions of carbon.

Steel P contains a high proportion of carbon.

Steel Q contains a low proportion of carbon.

Which statement is correct?

- A P is stronger and more brittle than Q.
- B P is stronger and less brittle than Q.
- C P is less strong and more brittle than Q.
- D P is less strong and less brittle than Q.

25 Impurities in iron obtained from the blast furnace include carbon, phosphorus and silicon.

Which impurities are removed from the molten iron as gases when it is made into steel?

- A carbon and phosphorus
- B carbon and silicon
- C carbon only
- D phosphorus and silicon

26 Y displaces X from its aqueous sulfate.

X does not displace W from its aqueous sulfate.

X displaces Z from its aqueous sulfate.

What is the order of reactivity of elements W, X, Y and Z?

	most reactive	—————→			least reactive
A	W	X	Y	Z	
B	W	Y	X	Z	
C	Z	X	Y	W	
D	Z	W	Y	X	

27 Which statement about the industrial extraction of aluminium from aluminium oxide is correct?

- A Aluminium is extracted by heating its oxide with carbon.
- B Aluminium is extracted using electrolysis and is collected at the anode.
- C Aluminium is extracted using platinum electrodes and direct current.
- D Molten cryolite is used as a solvent for aluminium oxide.

28 The alloy brass is a mixture of copper and another metal.

Brass is used to make the pins of electrical plugs.

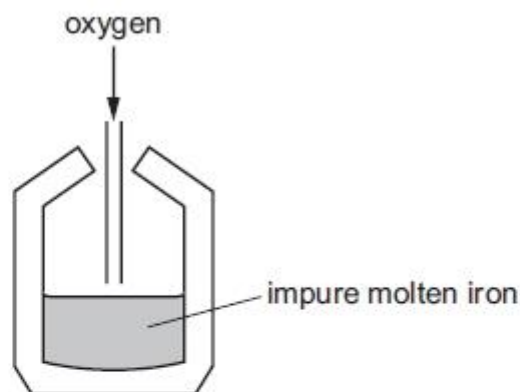
Copper is used to make electrical wiring.

Which row about brass is correct?

	hardness	electrical conductivity	other metal
A	harder than copper	better than copper	tin
B	harder than copper	worse than copper	zinc
C	softer than copper	better than copper	tin
D	softer than copper	worse than copper	zinc

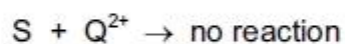
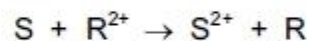
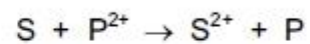
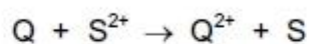
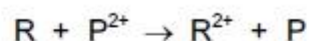
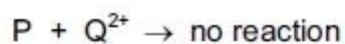


25 Impure iron from the blast furnace is converted to steel as shown.



Which statement about the process is correct?

- A Acidic oxides are added to remove alkaline impurities.
 - B Coke is added as a reducing agent.
 - C Oxygen is blown in to oxidise the impure iron.
 - D The steel produced contains less carbon than the impure iron.
- 26 The ionic equations represent the reactions between four metals, P, Q, R and S, and solutions of the salts of the same metals.



What is the correct order of reactivity of the metals?

	most	—————→			least
A	P	R	S	Q	
B	Q	R	S	P	
C	Q	S	R	P	
D	S	Q	P	R	



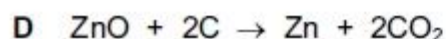
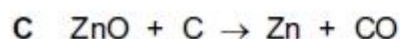
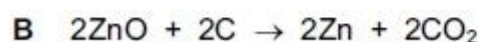
27 Aluminium is extracted by electrolysis.

From which ore is aluminium extracted and at which electrode is aluminium deposited during electrolysis?

	ore	electrode
A	bauxite	negative
B	bauxite	positive
C	cryolite	negative
D	cryolite	positive

28 Zinc oxide can be reacted with carbon to produce zinc metal.

Which equation for this reaction is correct?



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26 Four metals P, Q, R and S are added to separate aqueous solutions of their ions.

The results are shown.

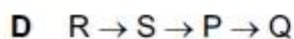
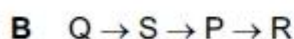
metal	P ²⁺	Q ²⁺	R ²⁺	S ²⁺
P	x	x	✓	✓
Q	✓	x	✓	✓
R	x	x	x	x
S	x	x	✓	x

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✓ = reaction occurs

x = reaction does not occur

What is the order of reactivity of the metals, most reactive first?



27 Copper is a transition element used to make saucepans.

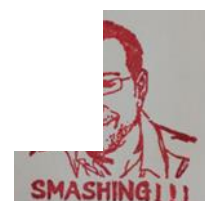
Which property is **not** correct for copper?

A good conductor of heat

B insoluble in water

C low melting point

D malleable (can be hammered into shape)



28 Aluminium is extracted by electrolysis of a mixture of aluminium oxide and cryolite.

Which statement is **not** correct?

- A The electrodes are made from graphite.
- B The formula for aluminium oxide is Al_2O_3 .
- C The purpose of the cryolite is to lower the melting point of the mixture.
- D The reaction taking place at the anode is $Al^{3+} + 3e^- \rightarrow Al$.

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25 Some magnesium compounds undergo thermal decomposition.

What are the products of thermal decomposition of magnesium nitrate, $Mg(NO_3)_2$, and magnesium hydroxide, $Mg(OH)_2$?

	$Mg(NO_3)_2$	$Mg(OH)_2$
A	MgO, NO_2 and O_2	MgO and H_2O
B	MgO, NO_2 and O_2	MgO and H_2
C	$Mg(NO_2)_2$ and O_2	MgO and H_2O
D	$Mg(NO_2)_2$ and O_2	MgO and H_2

26 Which property is **not** considered a typical metallic property?

- A good conductor of heat
- B low melting point
- C malleable (can be hammered into shape)
- D strong

27 Iron from a blast furnace is treated with oxygen and with calcium oxide to make steel.

Which substances in the iron are removed?

	oxygen removes	calcium oxide removes
A	carbon	acidic oxides
B	carbon	basic oxides
C	iron	acidic oxides
D	iron	basic oxides

28 Why is cryolite used during the extraction of aluminium by electrolysis?

- A It is a catalyst for the reaction.
- B It lowers the melting point of the electrolyte.
- C It protects the anodes.
- D It separates the aluminium from the electrolyte.



25 A student investigated the reactions of four metals, R, S, T and U, with solutions of their salts.

The results are given in the table.

metal	metal salt	result
R	S nitrate	reacts
R	T nitrate	reacts
S	U nitrate	no reaction
T	U nitrate	reacts
U	R nitrate	no reaction

What is the order of reactivity of the metals, most reactive first?

- A** $R \rightarrow S \rightarrow U \rightarrow T$
B $R \rightarrow T \rightarrow U \rightarrow S$
C $S \rightarrow U \rightarrow T \rightarrow R$
D $U \rightarrow R \rightarrow T \rightarrow S$

26 Three students, X, Y and Z, were told that solid P reacts with dilute acids and also conducts electricity.

The table shows the students' suggestions about the identity of P.

X	Y	Z
copper	iron	graphite

Which of the students are correct?

- A** X, Y and Z **B** X only **C** Y only **D** Z only

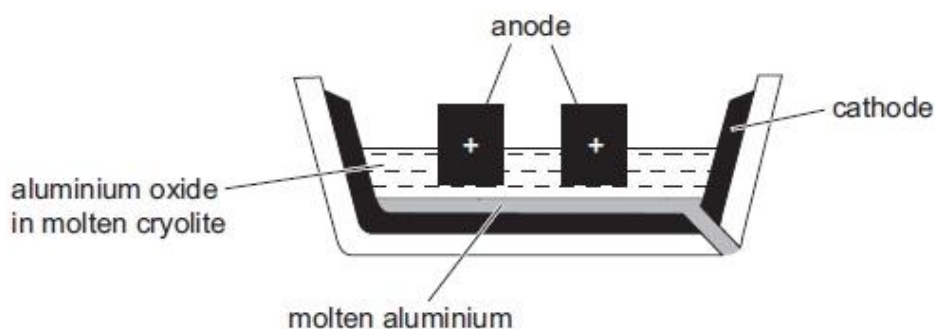
27 Which statement about the uses of metals is correct?

- A** Aluminium is used in the manufacture of aircraft because of its strength and high density.
B Copper is used in electrical wiring because of its strength and high density.
C Mild steel is used in the manufacture of car bodies because of its strength and resistance to corrosion.
D Stainless steel is used in the construction of chemical plant because of its strength and resistance to corrosion.



28 Aluminium is manufactured by electrolysis of aluminium oxide.

The diagram shows the electrolysis cell.



Which statement about the process is **not** correct?

- A Aluminium ions gain electrons during the electrolysis and are reduced.
- B Cryolite is added to reduce the melting point of the aluminium oxide.
- C The anode and cathode are made of graphite.
- D The cathode has to be replaced regularly because it is burnt away.

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11 Which reaction does **not** occur in the extraction of aluminium?

- A $Al^{3+} + 3e^{-} \rightarrow Al$
- B $2Al_2O_3 + 3C \rightarrow 4Al + 3CO_2$
- C $2O^{2-} \rightarrow O_2 + 4e^{-}$
- D $C + O_2 \rightarrow CO_2$

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25 Brass is an alloy of two metals.

Which row gives a correct use for the two metals from which brass is made?

	metal 1	metal 2
A	used for electrical wiring	used for galvanising steel
B	used for galvanising steel	used for making aircraft
C	used for making aircraft	used for making cutlery
D	used for making cooking pans	used for electrical wiring

26 Iron is extracted from hematite in the blast furnace.

The hematite contains silicon(IV) oxide (sand) as an impurity.

What reacts with this impurity to remove it?

- A calcium oxide
- B carbon
- C carbon dioxide
- D slag



27 The reaction below is called the 'thermite reaction'.



Which pair of substances reacts in a similar way?

- A Fe and MgO
- B Fe and ZnO
- C Mg and CuO
- D Zn and Al_2O_3

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24	C
25	C
26	D
27	B

Q# 4/ iGCSE Chemistry/2018/m/Paper 22/

27	D
28	B
29	C
30	D

Q# 5/ iGCSE Chemistry/2017/w/Paper 23/

25	A
26	C
27	D
28	C

Q# 6/ iGCSE Chemistry/2017/w/Paper 22/

25	A
26	B
27	B
28	A

Q# 7/ iGCSE Chemistry/2017/w/Paper 21/

25	A
26	A
27	D
28	D

Q# 8/ iGCSE Chemistry/2017/s/Paper 23/

25	A
27	D

Q# 9/ iGCSE Chemistry/2017/s/Paper 22/

25	D
26	B
27	C
28	C

Q# 10/ iGCSE Chemistry/2017/s/Paper 21/

25	A
26	B
27	C
28	C



Q# 11/ iGCSE Chemistry/2017/m/Paper 22/

26	C
27	D
28	C
29	B

Q# 12/ iGCSE Chemistry/2016/w/Paper 23/

25	D
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26	A
27	A
28	A

Q# 13/ iGCSE Chemistry/2016/w/Paper 22/

25	C
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26	B
27	D
28	B

Q# 14/ iGCSE Chemistry/2016/w/Paper 21/

25	D
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26	C
27	A
28	C

Q# 15/ iGCSE Chemistry/2016/s/Paper 23/

26	A
27	C
28	D

Q# 16/ iGCSE Chemistry/2016/s/Paper 22/

25	A
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26	B
27	A
28	B

Q# 17/ iGCSE Chemistry/2016/s/Paper 21/

25	B
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26	C
27	D
28	D

Q# 18/ iGCSE Chemistry/2016/m/Paper 22/

11	B
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Q# 19/ iGCSE Chemistry/2016/m/Paper 22/

25	A
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26	A
27	C

