

5.2 TEST MS

1.	(a)	(i)	Equation	$\text{Na}_2\text{O} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{NaOH}$ (1)	
			pH	11–14 (1)	
		(ii)	Equation	$\text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$ (1)	
			pH	2–5 (1)	4
	(b)	Covalent oxides → acidic solutions (1)			
		ionic oxides → alkaline solutions (1)			2
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2.					
		(i)	Macromolecular/giant covalent/giant molecular		1
		(ii)	Silicon/Si		1
		(iii)	e.g. $\text{CaO} + \text{SiO}_2 \rightarrow \text{CaSiO}_3$	Base	1
				Balanced	1
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3.	(a)	(i)	SO_2		1
			+4		1
		(ii)	$4\text{P} + 5\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$		1
		or	$\text{P}_4 + 5\text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}$		
	(b)	(i)	B		1
			E		1
			They have low melting points		
			or there are weak van der Waals forces between molecules		1
		(ii)	Add water	or	heat in a flame
		Test pH		check flame colour	1
		13/14	yellow	1	
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4. (a) (i) *can form a solution with pH less than 3: P₄O₁₀ or SO₃ (1)*
(ii) *can form a solution with with a pH greater than 12: Na₂O (1)* 2
penalise any wrong answer to zero
- (b) (i) $\text{MgO} + 2\text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow \text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ or an ionic equation (1)
i.e. $\text{MgO} + 2\text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{Mg}^{2+} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
not $\text{O}^{2-} + 2\text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- (ii) $2\text{NaOH} + \text{SiO}_2 \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{SiO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ or ionic equation (1)
i.e. $\text{SiO}_2 + 2\text{OH}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Na}^+ + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- (iii) $3\text{Na}_2\text{O} + 2\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4 \rightarrow 2\text{Na}_3\text{PO}_4 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$ etc or ionic equation (1) 3
i.e. $\text{Na}_2\text{O} + 2\text{H}^+ \rightarrow 2\text{Na}^+ + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
5. (a) (i) NaOH may be shown as ions. Balanced using H₂ or ½ H₂
 $2\text{Na} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{NaOH} + \text{H}_2$ 1
- (ii) silicon forms a giant covalent / atomic lattice / has a
macromolecular structure / has diamond structure (1)
contains many covalent bonds / forms 4 bonds per
atom / lattice is strong / the bonding is strong / bonds are
strong / silicon is non-polar (1) 2
condone 'bond is strong'
- (b) (i) SiO₂ / P₂O₅ / P₄O₁₀ / P₂O₃ / P₄O₆ / SO₂ / SO₃ / Cl₂O / ClO₂ / Cl₂O₆
/ Cl₂O₇ 1
- (ii) Na₂O / Na₂O₂ / MgO 1
- (iii) Al₂O₃ must give formulae 1
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6. (a) (i) Deductions:
Ionic (1)
Ions not free to move in the solid state (1)
Ions free to move when molten or in aqueous solution (1)
Identity of **P**: Na₂O or sodium oxide (1)
N.B. If a formula given this must be correct
Equation: $\text{Na}_2\text{O} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2 \text{NaOH}$ (1) 5
- (ii) Deductions:
Covalent
Intermolecular forces are weak or van der Waals forces,
or dipole-dipole
**N.B. Any answer including a reference to hydrogen
bonding is incorrect**
Identity of **Q**: SO₂ or sulphur dioxide (1)
Equation: $\text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2 \text{SO}_3$ (1)
NB Allow max one for SO₃ 4

- (b) (i) Amphoteric (1)
- (ii) Equation with NaOH
 $\text{Al(OH)}_3 + \text{NaOH} \rightarrow \text{NaAl(OH)}_4$
OR $\text{Al(OH)}_3(\text{H}_2\text{O})_3 + \text{OH}^- \rightarrow [\text{Al(OH)}_4(\text{H}_2\text{O})_2]^- + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
OR $\text{Al(OH)}_3 + \text{OH}^- \rightarrow [\text{Al(OH)}_4]^-$
R identified as Al(OH)_3 or $\text{Al(OH)}_3(\text{H}_2\text{O})_3$ (1)
 A balanced equation (1)
N.B. Allow equation with six co-ordinate Aluminium and up to six OH^- ligands
N.B. Allow equation mark if M(OH)_3 given in a balanced equation
 Equation with H_2SO_4
 $2\text{Al(OH)}_3 + 3\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$
OR $\text{Al(OH)}_3(\text{H}_2\text{O})_3 + \text{H}^+ \rightarrow [\text{Al(OH)}_2(\text{H}_2\text{O})_4]^+ + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
NB Allow equations with six co-ordinate Aluminium and up to six H_2O ligands
NB Allow equation mark if H(OH)_3 given in a balanced equation
 Correct Al species as product (1)
 A balanced equation (1)
- (iii) Large lattice energy
 or strong covalent bonds
 or ΔH_{soln} is very positive
 or ΔG is very positive
 or sum of hydration energies less than covalent bond energies (1)
- (c) P_4O_{10} is a molecular (structure) or simple covalent (1)
 Weak intermolecular forces or van der Waals forces (between molecules) (1)
 SiO_2 is a macromolecule / giant covalent / giant molecule (1)
Not giant lattice
 (Strong) covalent bonds (between atoms) must be broken (1)

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