## **Unit 9: Inorganic chemistry**

### Subunit 9.1: Periodicity of physical properties of the elements in Period 3

#### Topical Question No: 1

12 Consecutive elements X, Y and Z are in Period 3 of the Periodic Table. Element Y has the highest first ionisation energy and the lowest melting point of these three elements.

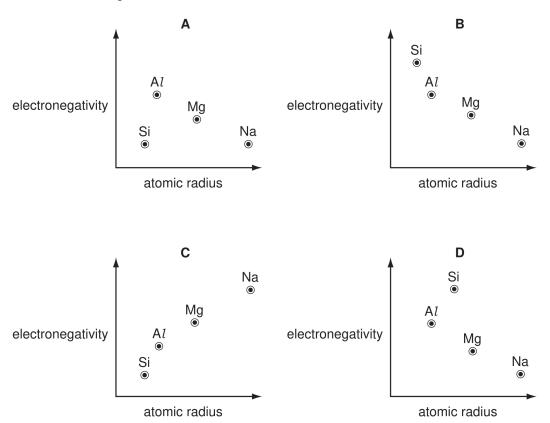
What are the identities of X, Y and Z?

- A sodium, magnesium, aluminium
- B magnesium, aluminium, silicon
- C aluminium, silicon, phosphorus
- D silicon, phosphorus, sulfur

#### Topical Question No: 2

**19** Use of the Data Booklet is relevant to this question.

Which graph correctly shows relative electronegativity plotted against relative atomic radius for the elements Na, Mg, A*l* and Si?



# **Answer Key**

- 1. Error
- 2. Error