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GATEWAY SCIENCE
SCIENCE B**

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Unit 2 Modules B2 C2 P2 (Higher Tier)

Candidates answer on the Question Paper
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Other Materials Required:

- Pencil
- Ruler (cm/mm)

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Morning**

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name clearly in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the boxes above.
- Use black ink. Pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Read each question carefully and make sure that you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. Additional paper may be used if necessary but you must clearly show your Candidate Number, Centre Number and question number(s).

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- A list of physics equations is printed on page two.
- The Periodic Table is printed on the back page.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **60**.
- This document consists of **24** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

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EQUATIONS

$$\text{efficiency} = \frac{\text{useful energy output}}{\text{total energy input}}$$

$$\text{energy} = \text{mass} \times \text{specific heat capacity} \times \text{temperature change}$$

$$\text{energy} = \text{mass} \times \text{specific latent heat}$$

$$\text{fuel energy input} = \text{waste energy output} + \text{electrical energy output}$$

$$\text{power} = \text{voltage} \times \text{current}$$

$$\text{energy supplied} = \text{power} \times \text{time}$$

$$\text{energy (kilowatt hours)} = \text{power (kW)} \times \text{time (h)}$$

$$\text{wave speed} = \text{frequency} \times \text{wavelength}$$

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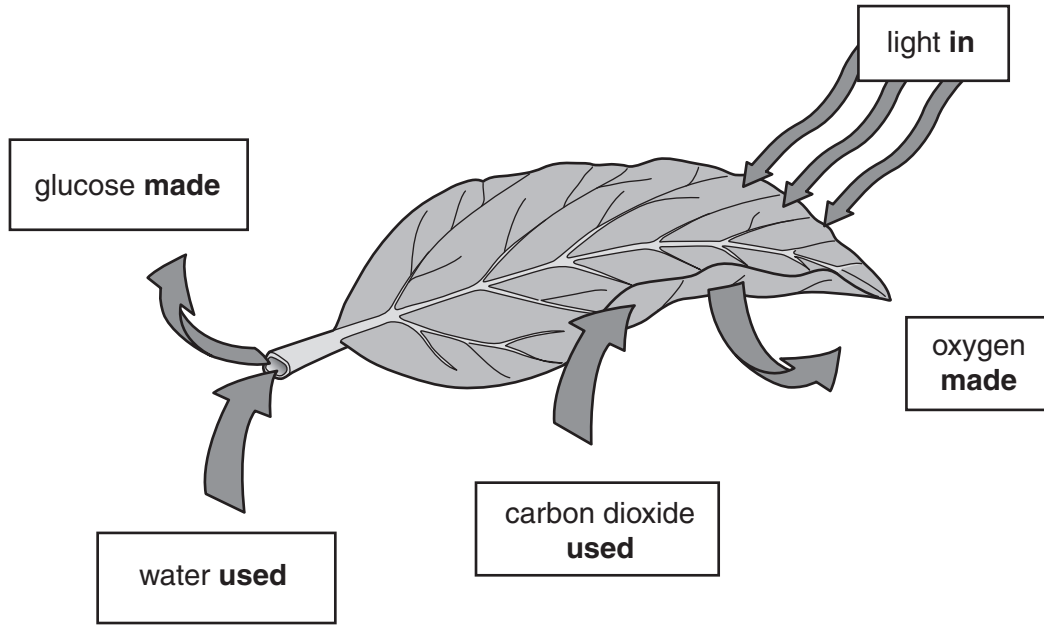
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Answer **all** the questions.

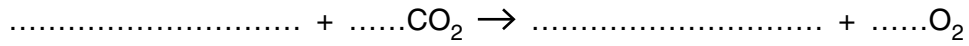
Section A – Module B2

1 Look at the diagram of a leaf.

It shows the substances involved in photosynthesis.



(a) Finish and balance the symbol equation for photosynthesis.



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(b) Plants will still exchange gases in the dark.

Look at the statements about the gases exchanged by plants.

Put ticks (✓) in the boxes next to the correct statements about gas exchange **in the dark**.

- All the carbon dioxide released in photosynthesis is used in respiration.
- Carbon dioxide is taken in to ensure the plant has a constant supply of energy.
- More carbon dioxide is taken in than released.
- Oxygen taken in is essential to ensure the plant has a constant supply of energy.
- More oxygen is released than taken in.
- Some of the oxygen produced in respiration is used in photosynthesis.
- The oxygen taken in is used for respiration.

[2]

(c) The rate of photosynthesis can be increased by giving the plant more light.

Write down **one other** way the rate of photosynthesis can be increased.

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(d) Some of the glucose made by the plant can be used for energy.

The rest is changed into other substances for different uses.

Describe another use for glucose.

The substance it is changed into

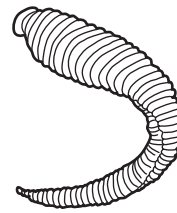
What the new substance is used for

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[Total: 7]

2 David and Linda investigate the animals in four different streams.

(a) Look at one of the animals they catch.



This animal is an invertebrate.

How are invertebrates different from vertebrates?

..... [1]

(b) David and Linda take one sample from each stream.

They record the number of animals in each sample.

The table shows their results.

animal	type of water they live in	number of animals in sample			
		stream A	stream B	stream C	stream D
caddis fly lava	clean	0	5	0	0
dragonfly nymph	clean	1	8	1	0
flatworm	some pollution	5	3	0	0
leech	some pollution	8	6	4	0
rat-tailed maggot	very polluted	1	3	1	4
bloodworm	very polluted	0	0	0	3

(i) Stream B has the highest biodiversity.

Explain using the data what is meant by the term **biodiversity**.

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 [1]

(ii) Suggest which stream has the highest levels of pollution.

Stream A, B, C or D

Write down **two** reasons for your answer.

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..... [2]

3 Look at the pictures of a kangaroo and a wedge-tailed eagle.



kangaroo



wedge-tailed eagle

(a) The wedge-tailed eagles hunt kangaroos for food.

The population of kangaroos in an area goes up and down.

Explain why the population of eagles will also go up and down.

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(b) Kangaroos and camels can both be found living in the same Australian habitat.

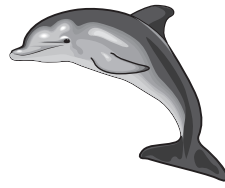
They both have very large feet.

Use your knowledge of adaptation to suggest **one** reason why kangaroos have large feet.

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[Total: 3]

4 Look at the picture of a dolphin.



(a) Dolphins are classified as mammals.

Explain why.

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..... [1]

(b) Most mammals live on land.

Dolphins are mammals that are adapted to live in water.

The ancestors of dolphins had back legs.

Over millions of years dolphins have evolved to have no back legs.

(i) Use Darwin's theory of natural selection to explain how this might have happened.

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..... [2]

(ii) Lamarck had different ideas about evolution.

He may have suggested that some dolphins had their legs removed in accidents.

Then all their offspring were born without legs.

Explain why modern scientists may **not** agree with this statement.

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..... [1]

(c) There are many separate species of dolphin.

Two of these are false killer whales and common bottlenose dolphins.

These two species can mate to produce offspring called wolphins.

Look at the picture of a wolphin.



(i) Finish the sentence to explain the term species.

Organisms of the same species are capable of breeding to produce

..... offspring.

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(ii) The false killer whale and the common bottlenose dolphin must be closely related if they can breed together.

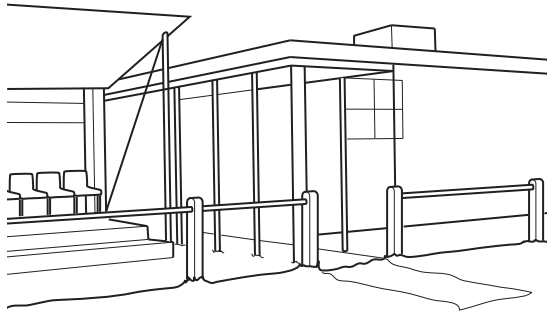
Explain what this means in terms of their ancestors.

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[Total: 6]

Section B – Module C2

5 Look at the picture of a football clubhouse and barriers.



(a) The barriers have been painted with emulsion paint.

Emulsion paint contains a solvent.

Write down the name of the solvent.

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(b) The clubhouse has been painted with oil-based paint.

Explain how oil-based paint dries.

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(c) The path outside the clubhouse is made of concrete.

The building is made out of reinforced concrete.

Reinforced concrete is a better construction material than non-reinforced concrete.

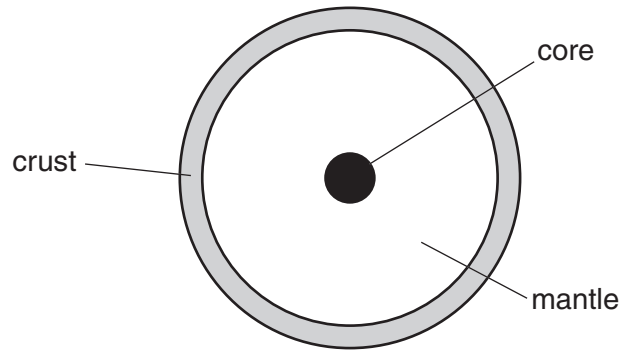
Explain why.

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[Total: 5]

6 This question is about the structure of the Earth.

Look at the diagram of the Earth.



(a) The outer layer of the Earth is made up of two types of tectonic plates.

One type of plate is oceanic.

Write down the name of the other **type** of plate.

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(b) The tectonic plates float **on top** of the mantle.

Explain why.

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..... [1]

[Total: 2]

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7 Clean air is a mixture of gases.

(a) Look at this list. It shows some of the gases found in clean air.

argon

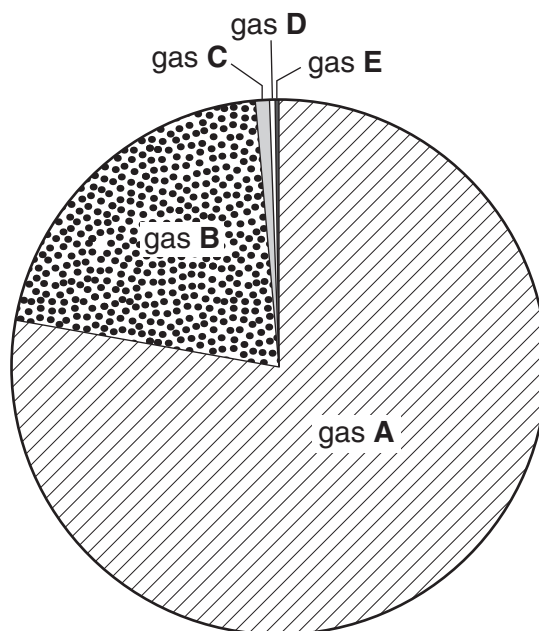
carbon dioxide

nitrogen

oxygen

water vapour

Look at this pie-chart. It gives information about the percentage of different gases in clean air.



What is the name of gas **A**?

Choose from the list.

answer [1]

(b) Carbon monoxide and oxides of nitrogen are made in a car engine.

Carbon monoxide, CO, and nitrogen monoxide, NO, react in a catalytic converter.

This reaction makes nitrogen, N₂, and carbon dioxide.

Write a **balanced symbol** equation for this reaction.

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[Total: 3]

Turn over

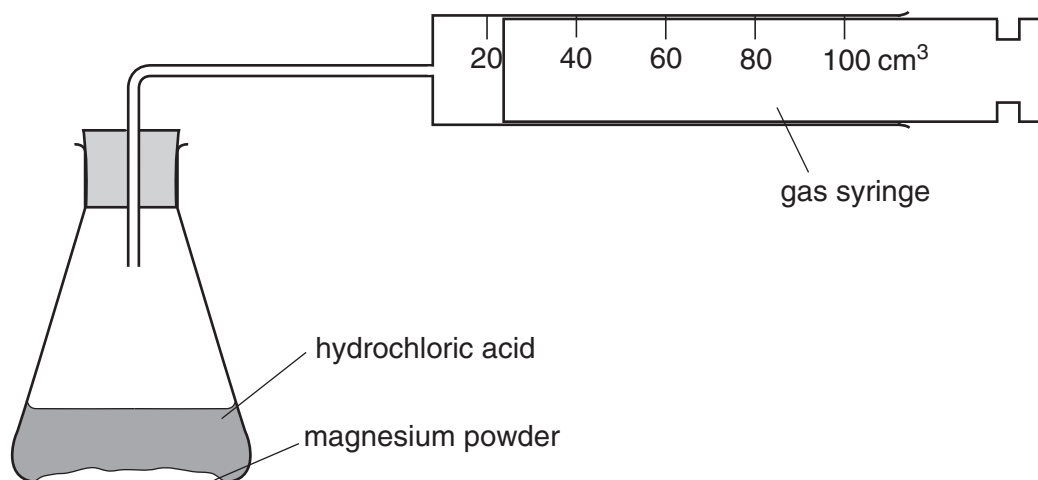
8 Ryan and Naomi investigate the reaction between magnesium and hydrochloric acid.

Magnesium chloride and hydrogen are made.

(a) Write the **word** equation for this reaction.

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(b) The diagram shows the apparatus they use.



Look at the table.

It shows their results when 0.1 g of magnesium reacts with hydrochloric acid.

time in seconds	total volume of gas in syringe in cm ³
0	0
20	50
40	80
60	90
80	100
100	100

(i) At what time does the reaction finish?

answer seconds [1]

(ii) Complete the sentence.

The reaction is fastest between seconds and seconds. [1]

(iii) Naomi calculates the rate of the reaction using this equation.

$$\text{average rate} = \frac{\text{change in volume}}{\text{change in time}}$$

Use this equation to calculate the average rate of this reaction between 0 and 40 seconds.

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answer cm³/s [1]

(c) Ryan and Naomi decide to repeat the experiment at a higher temperature.

They find that the rate of reaction increases.

This is their explanation.



The rate of reaction is faster at a higher temperature.

Explain why.

Use their ideas.

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[2]

[Total: 6]

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9 This question is about the properties of metals.

The table lists data for the properties of two metals, aluminium and steel.

Aluminium and steel are used to build car bodies.

metal	density in g/cm ³	relative strength	cost of one tonne of metal in £
aluminium	2.7	70	1453
steel	7.9	210	439

(a) Write down one **advantage** and one **disadvantage** of using aluminium to build a car body.

The data in the table may help.

advantage

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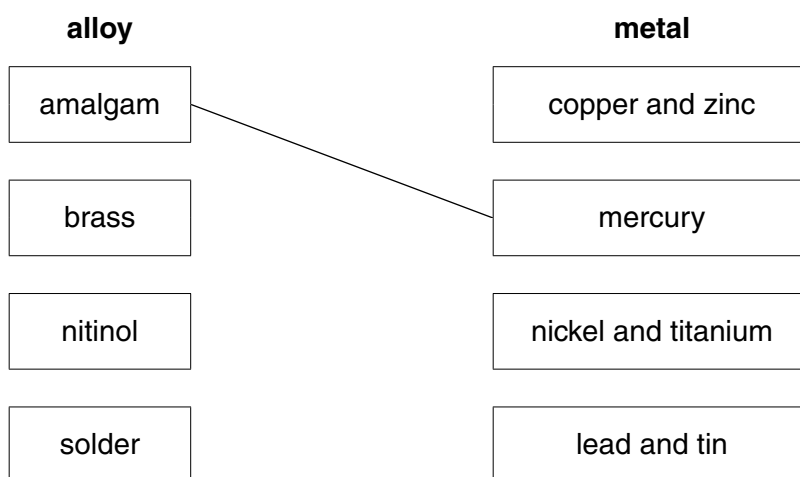
disadvantage

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(b) Alloys are mixtures of metals.

Draw a straight line to match each **alloy** to the main **metal** or metals it contains.

One has been done for you.



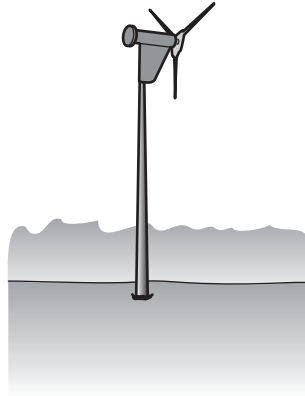
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Section C – Module P2

10 Look at the picture of a wind turbine.

It provides energy for a field studies centre on Exmoor.



(a) Finish these sentences by choosing the **best** words from this list.

chemical

electrical

kinetic

thermal

The wind has energy.

The wind turbine transfers this into energy. [2]

(b) Write down **one** advantage and **one** disadvantage of using wind turbines.

advantage

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disadvantage

..... [2]

(c) The wind turbine works for 10 hours every day.

The total energy produced each day is 60 kWh.

Calculate the power of the turbine.

The equations on page 2 may help you.

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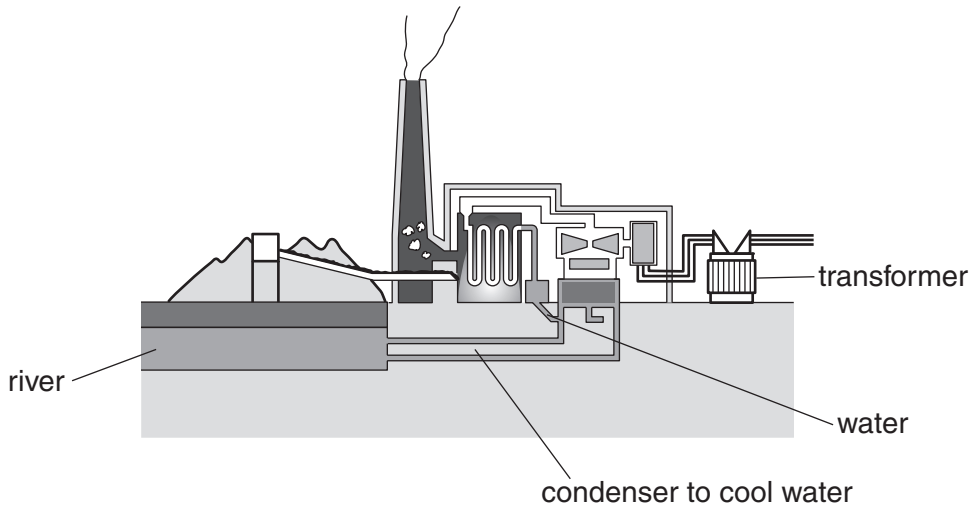
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answer kW [2]

[Total: 6]

11 Most of our electricity is generated in power stations.

Look at the diagram of a power station.



(a) Describe how electricity is **generated** at the power station.

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(b) The transformer increases the voltage of the electricity.

It is then transmitted around the country.

Why is electricity transmitted at high voltages?

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..... [1]

[Total: 4]

12 The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) in America is planning to send a **manned** spacecraft to Mars.

(a) Describe two **difficulties** in sending a manned spacecraft such long distances.

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..... [2]

(b) Previous missions to Mars have been **unmanned**.

Describe one **advantage** of sending unmanned spacecraft into space.

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..... [1]

(c) Unmanned spacecraft can send information back to Earth.

What scientific information about Mars can be sent back to Earth?

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[Total: 4]

13 (a) The Big Bang explains how the Universe began.

Galaxies are still moving apart through space as a result of the Big Bang.

More distant galaxies are moving apart even more quickly.

What evidence is there for this movement of galaxies?

Use ideas about red shift in your answer.

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(b) Some stars become white dwarfs at the end of their lives.

Other stars become black holes.

(i) Why do some stars become black holes instead of white dwarfs?

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(ii) Light cannot escape from a black hole.

Explain why.

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..... [1]

[Total: 4]

14 This question is about nuclear radiation.

(a) Three types of **ionising radiation** can be identified by their penetrating power.

Julian tests the radiations, **X**, **Y** and **Z**, from different radioactive sources.

X penetrates paper and a thin aluminium sheet but is absorbed by a sheet of lead.

Y is absorbed by paper, a thin aluminium sheet and by a sheet of lead.

Z penetrates paper but is absorbed by a thin aluminium sheet and a sheet of lead.

Identify the three different radiations.

X is radiation.

Y is radiation.

Z is radiation.

[1]

(b) Uranium is an energy source used in nuclear power stations.

Plutonium is a waste product from nuclear power stations.

Plutonium can be processed to make more fuel for the power station.

What else can plutonium be used for?

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The Periodic Table of the Elements

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0										
7 Li lithium 3	9 Be beryllium 4	11 Na sodium 11	12 C carbon 6	13 Al aluminium 13	14 N nitrogen 7	15 P phosphorus 15	16 O oxygen 8	17 F fluorine 9	18 Ne neon 10								
19 K potassium 19	20 Ca calcium 20	21 Sc scandium 21	22 Ti titanium 22	23 V vanadium 23	24 Cr chromium 24	25 Mn manganese 25	26 Fe iron 26	27 Co cobalt 27	28 Ni nickel 28	29 Cu copper 29	30 Zn zinc 30	31 Ga gallium 31	32 Ge germanium 32	33 As arsenic 33	34 Se selenium 34	35 Br bromine 35	36 Kr krypton 36
37 Rb rubidium 37	38 Sr strontium 38	39 Y yttrium 39	40 Zr zirconium 40	41 Nb niobium 41	42 Mo molybdenum 42	43 Tc technetium 43	44 Ru ruthenium 44	45 Rh rhodium 45	46 Pd palladium 46	47 Ag silver 47	48 Cd cadmium 48	49 In indium 49	50 Sn tin 50	51 Sb antimony 51	52 Te tellurium 52	53 I iodine 53	54 Xe xenon 54
55 Cs caesium 55	56 Ba barium 56	57 La* lanthanum 57	72 Hf hafnium 72	73 Ta tantalum 73	74 W tungsten 74	75 Re rhenium 75	76 Os osmium 76	77 Ir iridium 77	78 Pt platinum 78	79 Au gold 79	80 Hg mercury 80	81 Tl thallium 81	82 Pb lead 82	83 Bi bismuth 83	84 Po polonium 84	85 At astatine 85	86 Rn radon 86
[223] Fr francium 87	[226] Ra radium 88	[227] Ac* actinium 89	[261] Rf rutherfordium 104	[262] Db dubnium 105	[266] Sg seaborgium 106	[264] Bh bohrium 107	[277] Hs hassium 108	[268] Mt meitnerium 109	[271] Ds darmstadtium 110	[272] Rg roentgenium 111	Elements with atomic numbers 112-116 have been reported but not fully authenticated						

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relative atomic mass
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atomic (proton) number

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* The lanthanoids (atomic numbers 58-71) and the actinoids (atomic numbers 90-103) have been omitted.

The relative atomic masses of copper and chlorine have not been rounded to the nearest whole number.