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SPECIFICATION POINT 5.2.2.4

Properties of small molecules

Mark schemes and examiner comments

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Question groups	**1**
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02.1	any **one** from: • not to scale • not 3 dimensional / D • incorrect arrangement in space • electrons / shells not shown	allow size of atoms incorrect allow atoms are separated ignore properties of water	1	AO2 5.2.1.4
02.2	weak	allow weaker	1	AO1 5.2.2.4
02.3	CH_4O	allow CH_3OH	1	AO2 5.2.1.4
02.4	4		1	AO1 5.2.3.1
02.5	any **two** from: • (very) hard • (very) high melting point • does not conduct electricity	allow strong allow high thermal conductivity ignore shiny	2	AO1 5.2.3.1

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02.6	graphite silicon dioxide	allow graphene allow silica allow silicon allow polymer(s) **or** allow (named) polymer(s) allow fullerene **or** allow carbon nanotubes ignore buckminsterfullerene	1 1	AO1 5.2.2.6
Total			**8**	

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