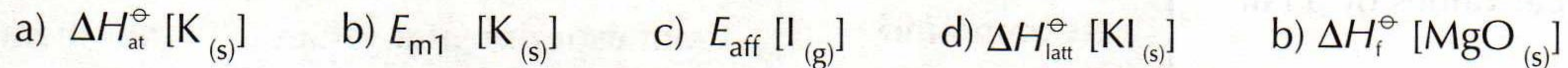


## Practice Questions

Q1 What enthalpy change is a Born-Haber cycle usually used to calculate? Give the definition of this enthalpy change.

Q2 Give chemical equations for the following, including the state symbols of all the species present:



## Exam Questions

Q1 The enthalpy changes involved in the formation of calcium oxide are shown below.

Enthalpy of atomisation of calcium = +177 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

First ionisation energy of calcium = +590 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

Second ionisation energy of calcium = +1100 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

Enthalpy of atomisation of oxygen = +249 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

Electron affinity of an oxygen atom = -141 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

Electron affinity of O<sup>-</sup> = +790 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

Lattice energy of calcium oxide = -3401 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

a) Calculate the enthalpy of formation for calcium oxide using the information given above. [3 marks]

b) The electron affinity of the O<sup>-</sup> ion is +790 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>. Explain why the electron affinity of O<sup>-</sup> is positive. [2 marks]

Q2 Use the data below to calculate the lattice energy of magnesium chloride, MgCl<sub>2</sub>.

Enthalpy of atomisation of magnesium = +148 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

First ionisation energy of magnesium = +738 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

Second ionisation energy of magnesium = +1451 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

Enthalpy of atomisation of chlorine = +122 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

Electron affinity of a chlorine atom = -349 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

Enthalpy of formation of MgCl<sub>2</sub>(s) = -641 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>

[4 marks]