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GCSE Science Six-Mark Checklist

Check whether your answer matches the command word and covers all key steps.

Before writing

- [ ] Underline what the question is asking you to do.
- [ ] Identify the relevant science knowledge and key terms.
- [ ] For practical methods: include variables, method and controls.
- [ ] Plan the order of explanation; link each step logically.

After writing

- [ ] Have I answered the exact question?
- [ ] Did I explain why, rather than only describe?
- [ ] Are calculations, units and scientific keywords accurate?
- [ ] What did the matching mark scheme reward?

My next six-mark question

Topic to practise: _____

One improvement to make: _____