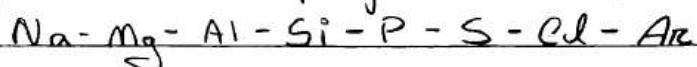


- Assumptions  
(need confirmation)
- Raj bhaiya imp notes
- Stuff I added  
(confirmed)

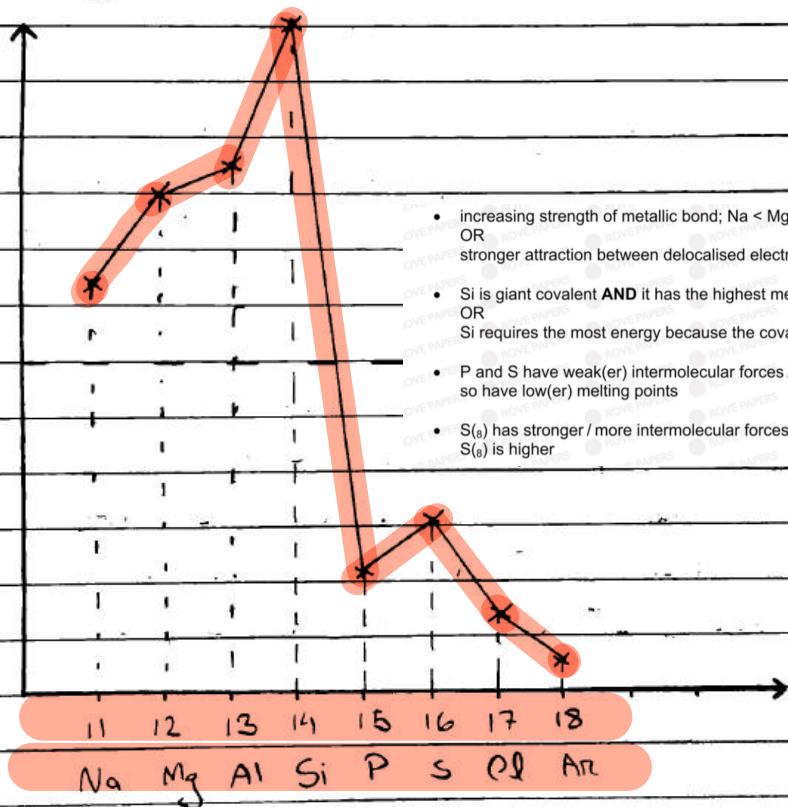
## Periodicity

# We will only work with period 3 (main) and 2:

↳ Trend in the m.p. of the Period 3 elements across the Period.



# Do not draw the dotted lines



- increasing strength of metallic bond;  $\text{Na} < \text{Mg} < \text{Al}$   
OR  
stronger attraction between delocalised electrons and (positive) ion so melting point of  $\text{Na} < \text{Mg} < \text{Al}$
- Si is giant covalent AND it has the highest melting point due to breaking / presence of strong (covalent) bonds OR  
Si requires the most energy because the covalent bonds in Si are stronger than metallic bonds (in Na / Mg / Al)
- P and S have weak(er) intermolecular forces / induced dipoles / van der Waals forces (than covalent / metallic bonds) so have low(er) melting points
- $\text{S}_{(s)}$  has stronger / more intermolecular forces / van der Waals forces / induced dipoles than  $\text{P}_{(s)}$  so melting point of  $\text{S}_{(s)}$  is higher

//and have a giant metallic lattice structure\*

Na, Mg and Al are metals with strong metallic bonds (in their giant metallic lattice structure) causing them to have higher melting point than P, S, Cl and Ar as they are non-metallic covalent molecules or atom. They have simple molecular structure with weak intermolecular forces.

Si has the highest m.p. as it has a giant covalent structure with many strong covalent bonds.

Na has  $1 e^-$  in its outer shell, thus it can only donate  $1 e^-$  in its metallic bonding whereas Mg can donate  $2 e^-$  in its metallic bond and Al can donate  $3 e^-$ . This causes the metallic bond in Al to be strongest due to very strong electrostatic forces of attraction between highly positively charged  $Al^{3+}$  ions and 3 large number of pair of delocalized  $e^-$ . compared to Na and Mg.

positive

#  $Al^{3+}$  has a very high charge density, thus it reabsorbs some of the difference in delocalised  $e^-$ . Hence the jump in m.p. between Mg and Al is very little compared to jump in m.p. between Na and Mg.

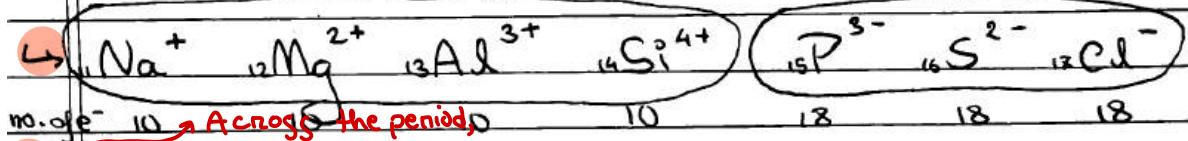
(P<sub>4</sub>) (Cl<sub>2</sub>)

From P to Cl they exist as simple covalent non-polar molecules. Their strength m.p. depends on the strength of TDDF. The  $S_8$  molecule has the highest no. of  $e^-$  causing it to have the strongest TDDF. Whereas Ar being monoatomic has the lowest no. of  $e^-$ , causing it to have the weakest T.D.D.F.

### Trend in atomic radius across the period

→ Across the period, atomic radius decreases. As across the period nuclear charge increases and shell no. remains constant. This causes effective nuclear attractive force acting on the e<sup>-</sup> to increase. Thus the atom shrink in size.

### Trend in ionic radius across the period



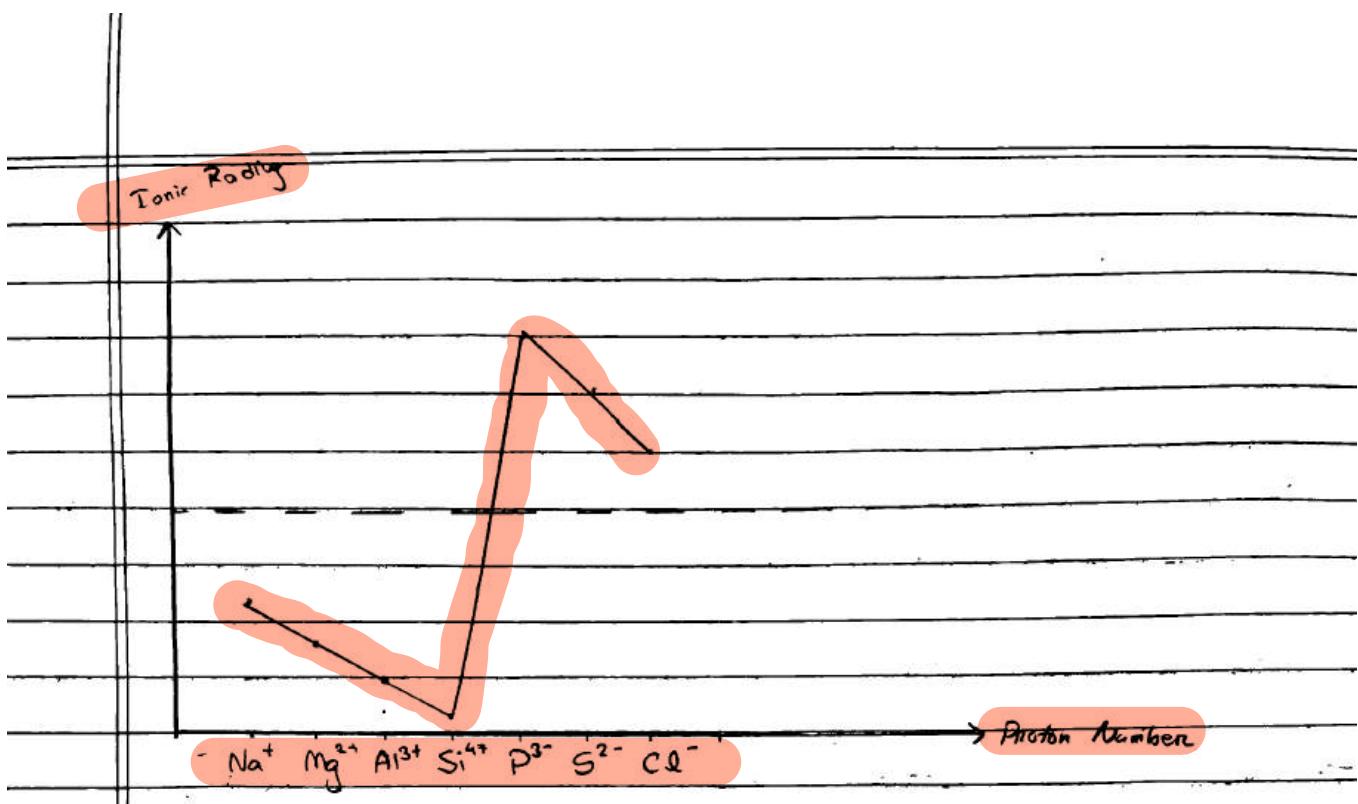
no. of e<sup>-</sup>: 10 → Across the period,

→ Compared to ~~any~~ any anion, the size of a cation is always smaller as anion always have one more electronic shell than the cation. When comparing ions of elements from the same Period



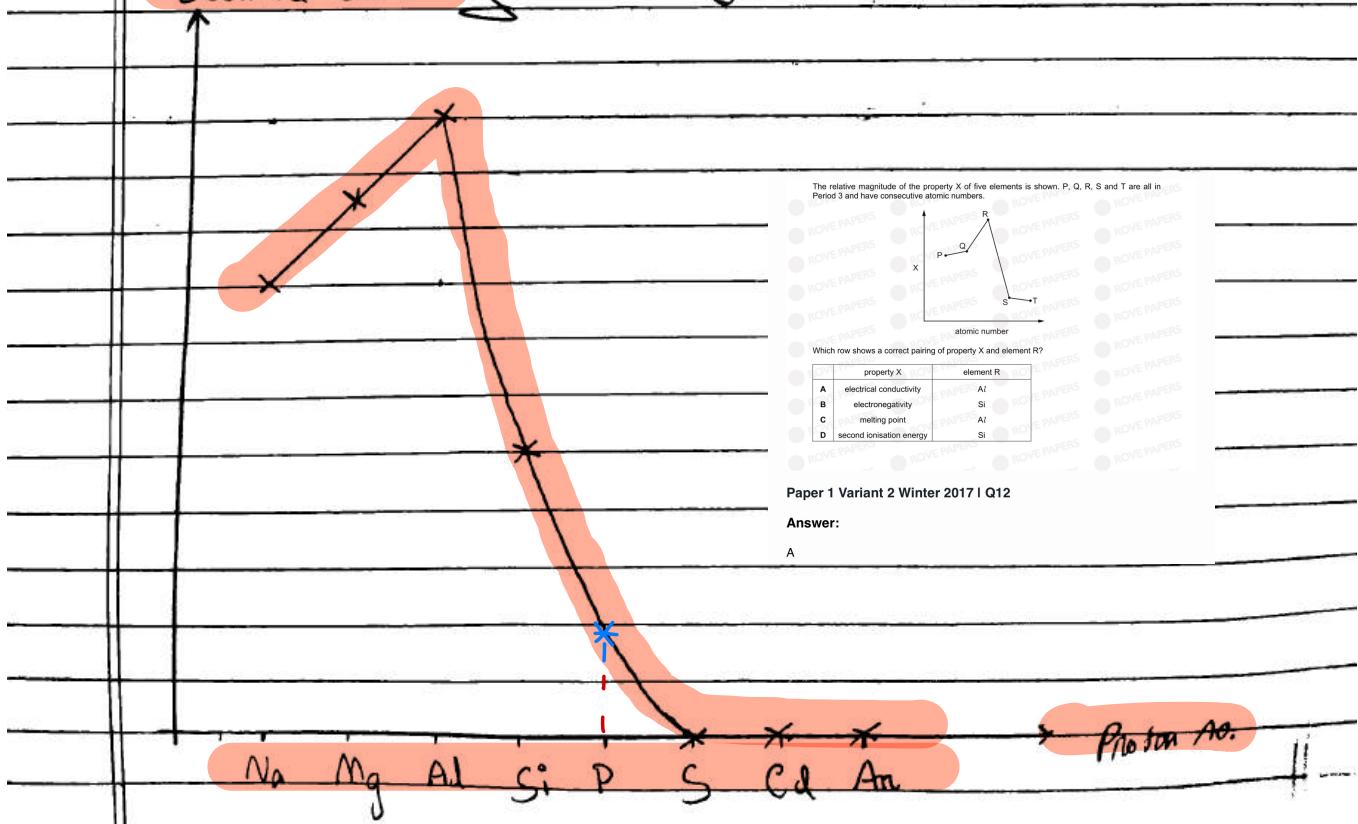
From  $\text{Na}^+$  ion to  $\text{Si}^{4+}$  ion, nuclear charge increases due to increase in the no. of protons however no. of e<sup>-</sup> remaining constant causing effective nuclear attractive force acting on the e<sup>-</sup> to increase. Thus the ionic radius decreases.

# Same as above for anions

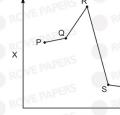


↳ Trend in Electrical Conductivity across the period

Electrical Conductivity



The relative magnitude of the property X of five elements is shown. P, Q, R, S and T are all in Period 3 and have consecutive atomic numbers.



Which row shows a correct pairing of property X and element R?

property X	element R
electrical conductivity	Al
electronegativity	Si
melting point	Al
second ionisation energy	Si

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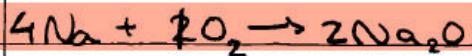
Answer:

A

$\cancel{x}$  REACTS with  $O_2$  NOT  $\cancel{x}$  BURNS in  $O_2$

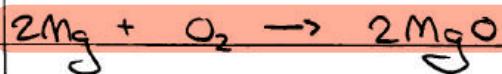
### Reaction of Period 3 element with $O_2$

↳ Na reacts vigorously with  $O_2$ . Observation: It catches fire and burns with a yellow flame.



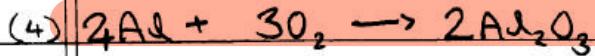
: A white solid is produced

↳ Mg also reacts vigorously with  $O_2$  when heated. Observation: It catches fire and burns with an intense/bright white flame.



: A white solid is produced

↳ Al does not react with  $O_2$  b/c due to its protective oxide coating. However a freshly prepared powdered sample of Al reacts readily with  $O_2$ . Observation: Burning with a white flame  
: White solid is produced



↳ Si reacts slowly with  $O_2$  (does not burn in  $O_2$ ) to produce  $SiO_2$  (silicon (IV) oxide). Observation: White Solid



↳

- red solid → vigorously → white powder
- ↳  $P_4$  reacts readily with  $O_2$  to form  $P_4O_{10}$  (Phosphorous (V) oxide)  
it catches fire. Observation: Burning with a white / yellow flame (preferred)
- $P_4 + 5O_2 \rightarrow P_4O_{10}$  : White powder
- ↳  $S_8$  also reacts readily with  $O_2$  to produce  $SO_2$  gas (colourless)  
Observation: It burns with a blue flame
- $S + O_2 \rightarrow SO_2$  (use  $S_8$  if question asks for it // mentioning it) (... S exists as  $S_8$ )
- ↳  $Cl_2$  and  $Al$  do not react with  $O_2$  ( $Cl_2$  does react with  $O_2$  but it is not included in our syllabus)
- ## # Reactions with $O_2$

Na - vigorously - yellow flame - white solid

Mg - vigorously when heated - Intense Bright white flame  
- White Solid

Al - no reaction

Freshly prepared powdered sample of Al - readily  
- rapidly - white flame  
- white solid

Si - slowly (no burning) - white solid

■  $P_4$  (red solid) - vigorously - white / yellow flame  
- white powder ( $P_4O_{10}$ )

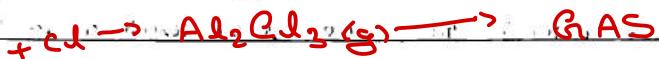
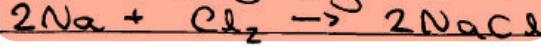
↳  $S_8$  (yellow solid) - readily - blue flame  
-  $SO_2$  (colourless gas)  
has to be ignited for the reaction to occur

# No flame in Reactions with  $\text{Cl}_2$  because burning means reacting with  $\text{O}_2$

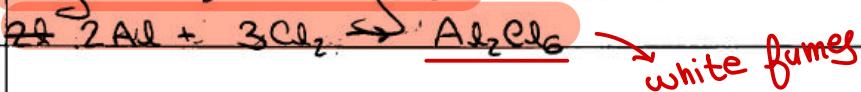
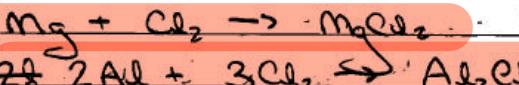
Reactions of Period 3 elements with  $\text{Cl}_2$

# Burning in  $\text{Cl}_2$  with a Yellow flame

↳ Na reacts vigorously with  $\text{Cl}_2$  to produce ~~black~~ white solid of  $\text{NaCl}$



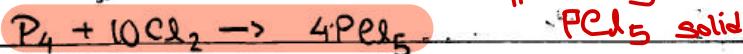
↳ Mg and Al both also react vigorously with  $\text{Cl}_2$  to produce  $\text{MgCl}_2$  (white solid) and  $\text{Al}_2\text{Cl}_6$  (colourless gas)



↳ Si reacts slowly with  $\text{Cl}_2$  to form  $\text{SiCl}_4$  (silicon tetrachloride) (LIQUID) \*



↳  $\text{P}_4$  reacts slowly with  $\text{Cl}_2$  to produce  $\text{PCl}_5$  (phosphorus pentachloride) (colourless LIQUID) \* #  $\text{PCl}_3$  liquid



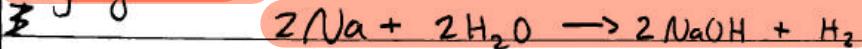
# Burns in  $\text{Cl}_2$  with coloured (probably blue) flame

↳  $\text{S}_8$  and  $\text{As}$  reacting with  $\text{Cl}_2$  not included in our syllabus.

\* When reacting with Steam [ $H_2O_{(g)}$ ] MO is produced  
NOT  $M(OH)$

### Reactions of Period 3 elements with $H_2O$ \*

↳ Na reacts violently with water to produce a strongly alkaline [pH 13-14] regular sol<sup>n</sup> of  $NaOH$  and  $H_2$  gas. Due to rapid production of  $H_2$  gas Na catches fire and burns with a yellow flame. Na fizzes around on the surface of the water. Na melts to form a fiery ball.



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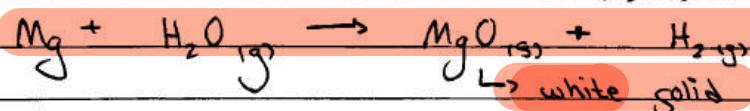
↳ pH (13 - 14) =

↳ Mg reacts very slowly with cold water but reacts vigorously with steam,



↳ weakly alkaline sol<sup>n</sup> (pH 10 - 11) *also white ppt. of Mg(OH)<sub>2</sub>*

↳ During reaction with steam, Mg catches fire and burns with an intense white flame



↳ white solid

↳ Al to Ar do not react with  $H_2O$  (except  $Cl_2$ )

↳ Rate not mentioned

↳ When  $Cl_2$  gas is bubbled through water, it reacts with water to form an acidic sol<sup>n</sup> weakly



↳ hypochlorous acid

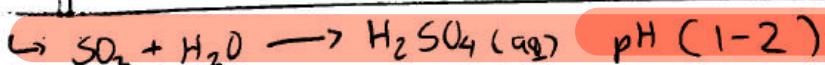
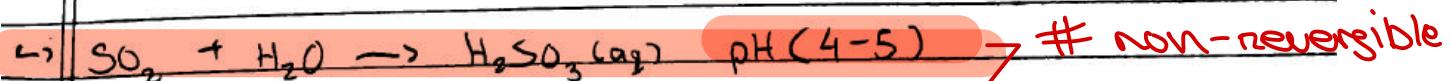
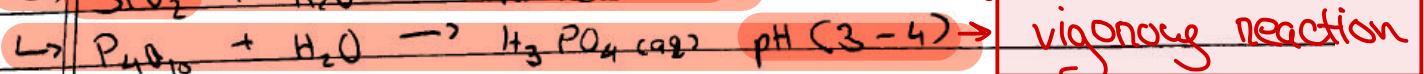
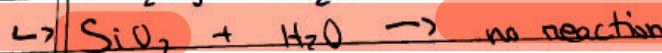
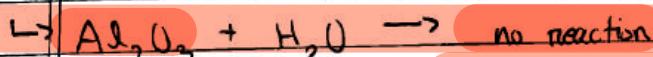
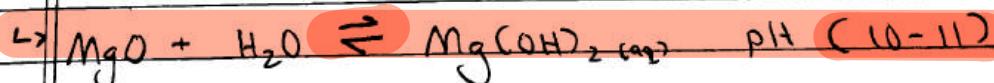
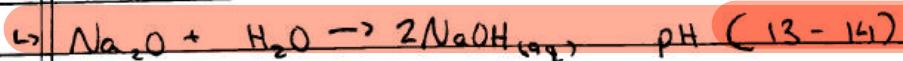
( $ClO^-$  strong oxidising agent)

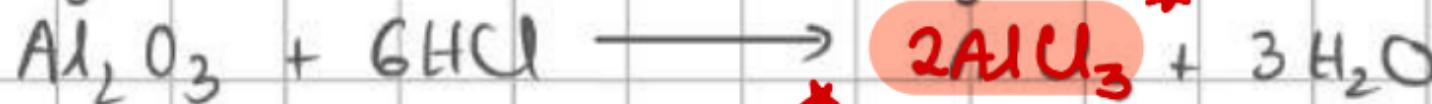
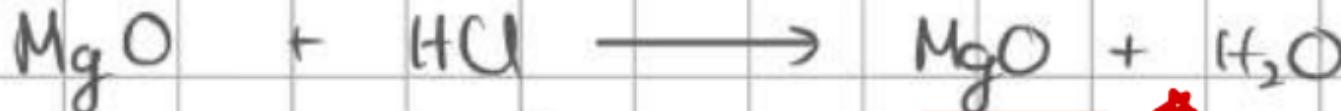
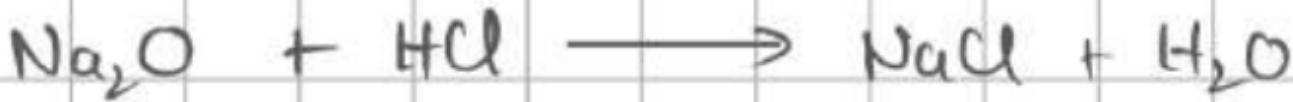
Observation: Greenish yellow gas disappears

## Reactions of Period 3 Oxides

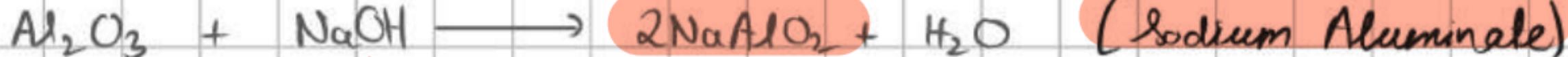
	$\text{Na}_2\text{O}$	$\text{MgO}$	$\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$	$\text{SiO}_2$	$\text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}$	$\text{SO}_2, \text{SO}_3$
Bonding and Structure	Ionic Giant ionic lattice structure	→ Same → Same → Same	→ Same → Same → Same	Covalent Giant Covalent	Covalent Simple molecular	→ same → same → same
Additivity or Basicity	Basic	Basic	Amphoteric	Acidic (insoluble)	Acidic	Acidic

## Reacting with Water → All ADDITION Reactions

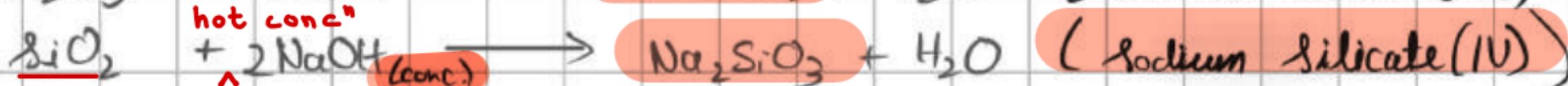




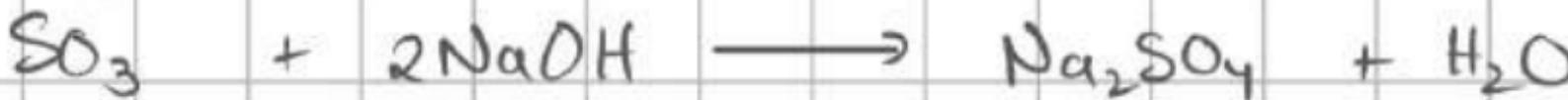
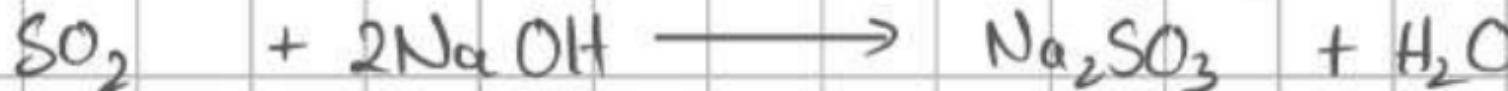
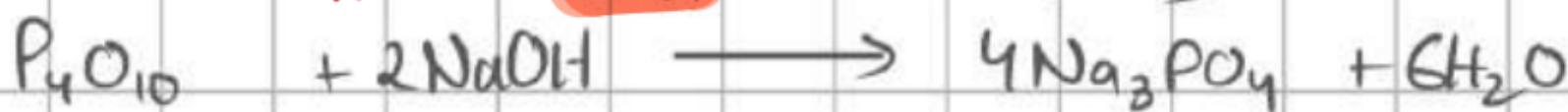
NOT  $\text{Al}_2\text{Cl}_6$  NOT GAS



(Sodium Aluminale)



(Sodium Silicate (IV))



(as they are)

- # Ionic compounds dissolve in water, whereas covalent (non-polar // non-hydrogen bonded) compounds react with water to mix with // dissolve in it.
- # When such covalent compounds react with water, the products of the reactions are acidic, lowering the pH of the water
- # Since dissolving Ionic compounds do not react with water, pH remains neutral (7)

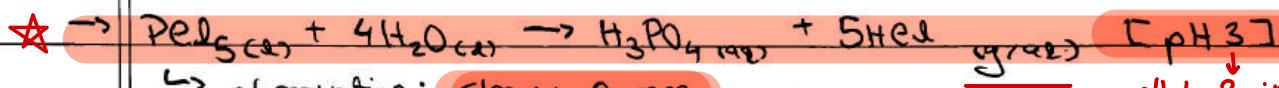
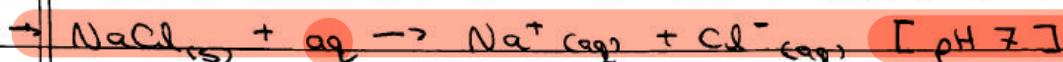
	$\text{NaCl}$	$\text{MgCl}_2$	$\text{AlCl}_3$	$\text{SiCl}_4$	$\text{PCl}_5$	$\text{AlCl}_3 //$
oxidation state	+1	+2	+3	+4	+5	
Structure	Giant ionic	Giant ionic	simple molecular	simple molecular	simple molecular	# However most ionic compounds are not purely ionic
			pH = 6.5	pH = 3		# When ionic compounds with covalent characteristics react with water, they form an acidic soln.

Reactions of Period-3 Chlorides with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$

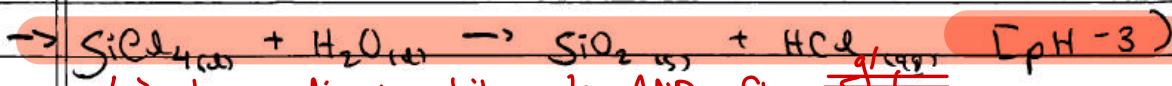


is Hydrolysis

# Degree of acidity depends on how covalent the compound is.

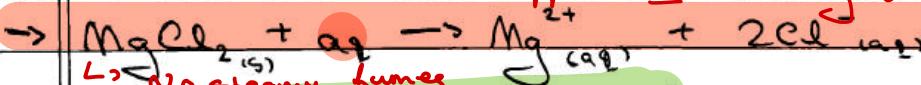


↳ observation: steamy fumes



↳ observation: white ppt. AND Steamy fumes

can be 2 in same qs



↳ No steamy fumes

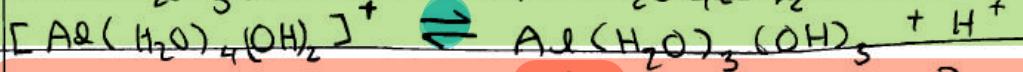
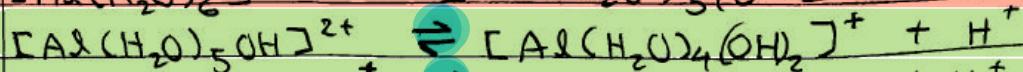
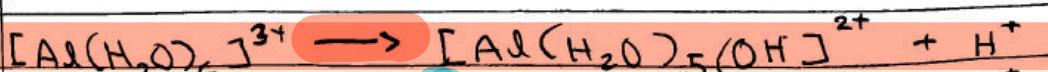
#  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  forms Dative covalent bond with Mg ion



pH: 6.5



either  
white, one of these reacting for  $\text{AlCl}_3$  reacting



HCl gas dissolves to make  $\text{HCl}_{(\text{aq})}$  acid

pH 3 (can also be 2 pH 1-2 in some qs)

**The Periodic Table of Elements**

1		2		Group												13		14		15		16		17		18				
				Key																										
3	Li	4	Be	beryllium lithium	9.0	11	Na	12	Mg	magnesium sodium	24.3 23.0	19	K	20	Ca	Sc	Ti	V	Cr	Mn	Fe	Co	Ni	Zn	Ga	Ge	B	C	He	helium 4.0
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## Misc. Notes

# Reaction of Mg with  $H_2O_{(l)}$  is not reversible

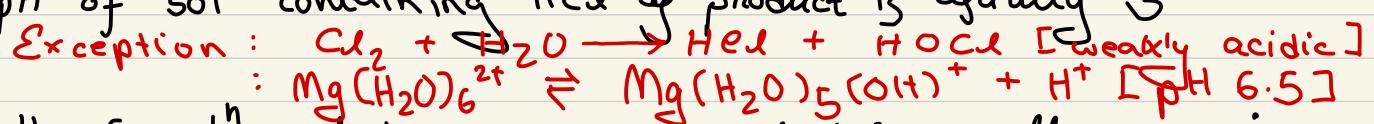


However, the reaction of  $MgO$  with  $H_2O$  is reversible

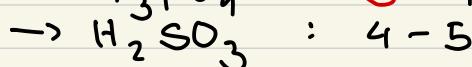


pH 10-11

# pH of sol<sup>n</sup> containing HCl as product is usually 3



pH of sol<sup>n</sup> containing — as product is usually — :



Due to  $\rightleftharpoons$  sign. Although,  $Al(H_2O)_6^{3+} + 3Cl^- \rightleftharpoons Al(H_2O)_3(OH) + 3HCl$   
 is reversible, the first step is not  $\rightleftharpoons$ ,  
 $Al(H_2O)_6^{3+} \rightarrow Al(H_2O)_5(OH)^{2+} + H^+$

# pH of  $NaOH_{(aq)}$  is 13-14

(d) The acid/base behaviour of the oxides in the third period varies across the period.

- (i) Describe this behaviour and explain it with reference to the structure and bonding of sodium oxide,  $Na_2O$ , aluminium oxide,  $Al_2O_3$ , and sulfur trioxide,  $SO_3$ .

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- (ii) Write equations for reactions of these three oxides with hydrochloric acid and/or sodium hydroxide as appropriate.

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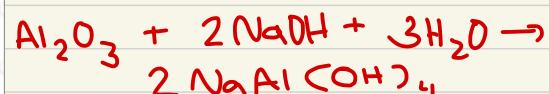
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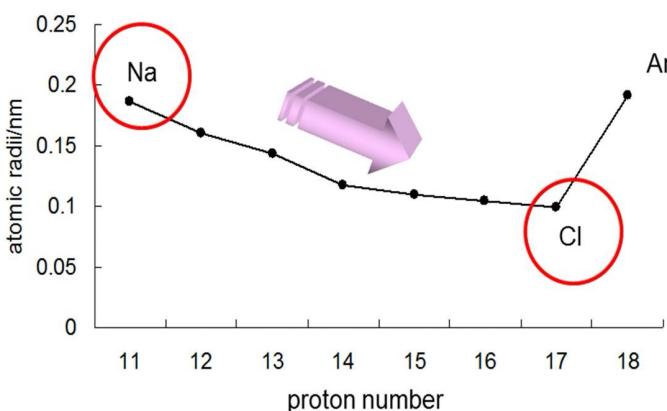
### Paper 2 Variant 2 Summer 2015 I Q1

(d) (i)	$Na_2O$ basic/alkaline; $Al_2O_3$ amphoteric/acidic and basic; $SO_3$ acidic $Na_2O$ (giant) ionic AND $SO_3$ (simple/molecular) covalent	[1]	[1]
(ii)	$Na_2O + 2HCl \rightarrow 2NaCl + H_2O$ $Al_2O_3 + 6HCl \rightarrow 2AlCl_3 + 3H_2O$ $Al_2O_3 + 2NaOH + 7H_2O \rightarrow 2NaAl(OH)_4(H_2O)_2$ OR $Al_2O_3 + 2NaOH + 3H_2O \rightarrow 2NaAl(OH)_4$ OR $Al_2O_3 + 2NaOH \rightarrow 2NaAlO_2 + H_2O$ OR $Al_2O_3 + 2OH^- + 7H_2O \rightarrow 2[Al(OH)_4(H_2O)]^-$ OR $Al_2O_3 + 2OH^- + 3H_2O \rightarrow 2[Al(OH)_4]^-$ OR $Al_2O_3 + 2OH^- \rightarrow 2AlO_2^- + H_2O$ $SO_3 + NaOH \rightarrow NaHSO_4$ OR $SO_3 + 2NaOH \rightarrow Na_2SO_4 + H_2O$	[1]	[2]

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Argon is an inert gas that has a complete valence shell. Since it has a maximum number of electrons in the valence shell thus, the electronic repulsion will be maximum. Therefore, argon will be bigger than the chlorine atom.



### The Periodic Table Chemical Periodicity

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Elements D and E are both in Period 3. Element D has the smallest atomic radius in Period 3. There are only two elements in Period 3 which have a lower melting point than element E. Elements D and E react together to form compound L.

Which compound could be L?

- A  $MgCl_2$     B  $MgS$     C  $Na_2S$     D  $PCl_3$

### Paper 1 Variant 2 Summer 2019 I Q14

Answer:

D

- # An Ar atom is larger than a Cl atom
- # Reaction between  $SiCl_4$  and  $H_2O$  is a hydrolysis reaction  
 $SiCl_4(l) + 2H_2O(l) \rightarrow SiO_2(s) + 4HCl(aq)$
- # Explain, in terms of electronegativity, why the bonding in  $NaCl$  is different from the bonding in  $SiCl_4$ 
  - ↳  $Cl$  is more electronegative than  $Na$
  - ↳  $NaCl$  transfer of  $e^-$
  - ↳  $SiCl_4$  shared (pair of)  $e^-$
- # Reaction of  $AlCl_3$  with  $H_2O$  is a hydrolysis reaction
- # P to Cl ion have a longer radius than P to Cl atom because:
  - ↳ (P to Cl atom) gains  $e^-$  to the same outer shell / p-subshell
  - ↳ increased repulsion between  $e^-$  in the same shell / p-subshell
- #  $Ga_2O_3 + 2NaOH + 3H_2O \rightarrow 2Na[Ga(OH)_4]$
- #  $SiCl_4$  and  $PCl_5$  react with  $H_2O$  to give BOTH  $HCl$  gas (Steamy fumes) AND  $HCl$  aqueous (pH: 3)

Environmental effects of SO<sub>2</sub> being released:

M1 acid rain [1]

M2 any of the following [1]

- lowers pH / increases acidity of rivers / lakes / oceans / water supplies / seas / soil / ground water
- kills / harms / damages fish / coral / aquatic life / plants / crops / trees or deforestation
- leaches (toxic) aluminium (ions / salts) from soil (into rivers/lakes)
- leaches away soil nutrients / soil unfit for agriculture
- damages / weathers / erodes / destroys buildings / statues
- causes breathing difficulties

- \* 13 Which gas is present in the exhaust fumes of a car engine in a much greater amount than any other gas?

- A carbon dioxide
- B carbon monoxide
- C nitrogen
- D water vapour

# ALWAYS use S in equations and NOT S<sub>8</sub> unless the question specifically asks you to use S<sub>8</sub>.

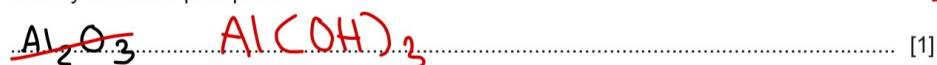
# When distinguishing between ionic and covalent compounds respective to their different interactions with water, we must say:

- (Partly) ionic compound dissolve in water without reacting with water
- (Partly) covalent compound are (almost always) hydrolysed by water (simply writing react with water will not award any marks)

# Lack of Reactivity of N<sub>2</sub> is because of: High E<sub>a</sub>  
: Strong triple bond  
: Non-polar molecule - no

(b) LiAlH<sub>4</sub> cannot be used in aqueous solution because it reacts with water to produce LiOH(aq), H<sub>2</sub>(g) and a white precipitate which is soluble in excess sodium hydroxide.

Identify the white precipitate.



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# Only Group 1 metals catch fire in water

# Na burning in Cl<sub>2</sub> with a yellow flame

# P<sub>4</sub> (heated sample) burning in O<sub>2</sub> with a white or yellow flame

# S burning in Cl<sub>2</sub> with coloured (probably blue) flame

# Observations: Al<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>6</sub> - white fumes  
AlCl<sub>3</sub> - white solid

# P<sub>4</sub>O<sub>10</sub> reacts VIGOROUSLY with H<sub>2</sub>O

# AlCl<sub>3</sub>, SiCl<sub>4</sub> and PCl<sub>5</sub> react vigorously with H<sub>2</sub>O (so)

# MgO, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and SiO<sub>2</sub> are Ceramic materials