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1. Periodic table of the elements

2 He 4.0 helium	10 Ne 20.2 neon	18 Ar 39.9 argon	36 Kr 83.8 krypton	54 Xe 131.3 xenon	86 Rn (222) radon	118 Og (294) oganesson
	9 F 19.0 fluorine	LI CI 35.5 chlorine	35 Br 79.9 bromine	53 1 126.9 iodine	85 At (210) astatine	117 Ts (294) tennessine
	8 O 16.0 oxygen	16 S 32.1 sulfur	34 Se 79.0 selenium	52 Te 127.6 tellurium	84 Po (210) polonium	116 Lv (292) livermorium
	7 N 14.0 nitrogen	15 P 31.0 phosphorus	33 As 74.9 arsenic	51 Sb 121.8 antimony	83 Bi 209.0 bismuth	115 Mc (289) moscovium
	6 C 12.0 carbon	14 Si 28.1 silicon	32 Ge 72.6 germanium	50 Sn 118.7 tin	82 Pb 207.2 lead	114 F1 (289) flerovium
	5 B 10.8 boron	13 Al 27.0 aluminium	31 Ga 69.7 gallium	49 In 114.8 indium	81 T1 204.4 thallium	113 Nh (280) nihonium
·			30 Zn 65.4 zinc	48 Cd 112.4 cadmium	80 Hg 200.6 mercury	112 Cn (285) copernicium
	symbol of element name of element		29 Cu 63.5 copper	47 Ag 107.9 silver	79 Au 197.0 gold	111 Rg (272) roentgenium
	79 Au symb 197.0 gold name		28 Ni 58.7 nickel	46 Pd 106.4 palladium	78 Pt 195.1 platinum	Mt Ds Rg (268) (271) (272) metinerium darmstadtium roentgenium
			27 Co 58.9 cobalt	45 Rh 102.9 rhodium	77 Ir 192.2 iridium	Mt (268)
	atomic number relative atomic mass		26 Fe 55.8 iron	44 Ru 101.1 ruthenium	76 Os 190.2 osmium	
	rel		25 Mn 54.9 manganese	43 Tc (98)	75 Re 186.2 rhenium	107 Bh (264) bohrium
			24 Cr 52.0 chromium	42 Mo 96.0 molybdenum	74 W 183.8 tungsten	106 Sg (266) seaborgium
			23 V 50.9 vanadium	41 Nb 92.9 niobium	73 Ta 180.9 tantalum	105 Db (262) dubnium
			22 Ti 47.9 titanium	40 Zr 91.2 zirconium	72 Hf 178.5 hafnium	104 Rf (261) rutherfordium
			21 Sc 45.0 scandium	39 Y 88.9 yttrium	57–71 lanthanoids	89–103 actinoids
	4 Be 9.0 beryllium	12 Mg 24.3 magnesium	20 Ca 40.1 calcium	38 Sr 87.6 strontium	56 Ba 137.3 barium	88 Ra (226) radium
1 H 1.0 hydrogen	3 Li 6.9 lithium	11 Na 23.0 sodium	19 K 39.1 potassium	37 Rb 85.5 rubidium	55 Cs 132.9 caesium	87 Fr (223) francium

71	Lu	175.0	lutetium
70	ΧP	173.1	ytterbium
69	Tm	168.9	thulium
89	Er	167.3	erbium
29	Ho	164.9	holmium
99	Dy	162.5	dysprosium
9	$^{\mathrm{Tb}}$	158.9	terbium
2	Сd	157.3	gadolinium
63	Eu	152.0	europium
62	Sm	150.4	samarium
61	Pm	(145)	promethium
09	PN	144.2	neodymium
59	Pr	140.9	praseodymium
28	Ce	140.1	cerium
57	La	138.9	lanthanum

103	Lr	(262)	wrencium
102	No No	(259)	obelium lav
		(258)	mm_r
100	Fm	(257)	fermium 1
66	Es	(252)	einsteinium
86	Ç	(251)	californium
6	Bk	(247)	berkelium
96	Cm	(247)	curium
95	Am	(243)	americium
94	Pu	(244)	plutonium
93	dN	(237)	neptunium
92	n	238.0	uranium
91	Pa	231.0	protactinium
06	Th	232.0	thorium
68	Ac	(227)	ctinium

The value in brackets indicates the mass number of the longest-lived isotope.

2. Electrochemical series

Reaction	Standard electrode potential (E ⁰) in volts at 25 °C
$F_2(g) + 2e^- \implies 2F^-(aq)$	+2.87
$H_2O_2(aq) + 2H^+(aq) + 2e^- \implies 2H_2O(1)$	+1.77
$Au^{+}(aq) + e^{-} \implies Au(s)$	+1.68
$Cl_2(g) + 2e^- \implies 2Cl^-(aq)$	+1.36
$O_2(g) + 4H^+(aq) + 4e^- \implies 2H_2O(1)$	+1.23
$Br_2(1) + 2e^- \implies 2Br^-(aq)$	+1.09
$Ag^{+}(aq) + e^{-} \rightleftharpoons Ag(s)$	+0.80
$Fe^{3+}(aq) + e^- \implies Fe^{2+}(aq)$	+0.77
$O_2(g) + 2H^+(aq) + 2e^- \implies H_2O_2(aq)$	+0.68
$I_2(s) + 2e^- \rightleftharpoons 2I^-(aq)$	+0.54
$O_2(g) + 2H_2O(1) + 4e^- \implies 4OH^-(aq)$	+0.40
$Cu^{2+}(aq) + 2e^{-} \implies Cu(s)$	+0.34
$\operatorname{Sn}^{4+}(\operatorname{aq}) + 2\operatorname{e}^{-} \implies \operatorname{Sn}^{2+}(\operatorname{aq})$	+0.15
$S(s) + 2H^{+}(aq) + 2e^{-} \implies H_2S(g)$	+0.14
$2H^{+}(aq) + 2e^{-} \implies H_{2}(g)$	0.00
$Pb^{2+}(aq) + 2e^{-} \implies Pb(s)$	-0.13
$\operatorname{Sn^{2+}}(\operatorname{aq}) + 2\operatorname{e^-} \iff \operatorname{Sn}(\operatorname{s})$	-0.14
$Ni^{2+}(aq) + 2e^- \implies Ni(s)$	-0.25
$Co^{2+}(aq) + 2e^{-} \rightleftharpoons Co(s)$	-0.28
$Cd^{2+}(aq) + 2e^{-} \rightleftharpoons Cd(s)$	-0.40
$Fe^{2+}(aq) + 2e^- \implies Fe(s)$	-0.44
$Zn^{2+}(aq) + 2e^{-} \rightleftharpoons Zn(s)$	-0.76
$2H_2O(1) + 2e^- \implies H_2(g) + 2OH^-(aq)$	-0.83
$Mn^{2+}(aq) + 2e^- \implies Mn(s)$	-1.18
$Al^{3+}(aq) + 3e^{-} \implies Al(s)$	-1.66
$Mg^{2+}(aq) + 2e^- \implies Mg(s)$	-2.37
$Na^{+}(aq) + e^{-} \rightleftharpoons Na(s)$	-2.71
$Ca^{2+}(aq) + 2e^{-} \rightleftharpoons Ca(s)$	-2.87
$K^+(aq) + e^- \implies K(s)$	-2.93
$Li^+(aq) + e^- \implies Li(s)$	-3.04

3. Chemical relationships

Name	Formula
number of moles of a substance	$n = \frac{m}{M};$ $n = cV;$ $n = \frac{V}{V_m}$
universal gas equation	pV = nRT
calibration factor (CF) for bomb calorimetry	$CF = \frac{VIt}{\Delta T}$
heat energy released in the combustion of a fuel	$q = mc\Delta T$
enthalpy of combustion	$\Delta H = \frac{q}{n}$
electric charge	Q = It
number of moles of electrons	$n(e^{-}) = \frac{Q}{F}$
% atom economy	$\frac{\text{molar mass of desired product}}{\text{molar mass of all reactants}} \times \frac{100}{1}$
% yield	$\frac{\text{actual yield}}{\text{theoretical yield}} \times \frac{100}{1}$

4. Physical constants and standard values

Name	Symbol	Value
Avogadro constant	$N_{\rm A}$ or L	$6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$
charge on one electron (elementary charge)	е	$-1.60 \times 10^{-19} \mathrm{C}$
Faraday constant	F	96 500 C mol ⁻¹
molar gas constant	R	8.31 J mol ⁻¹ K ⁻¹
molar volume of an ideal gas at SLC (25 °C and 100 kPa)	V_{m}	24.8 L mol ⁻¹
specific heat capacity of water	С	4.18 kJ kg ⁻¹ K ⁻¹ or 4.18 J g ⁻¹ K ⁻¹
density of water at 25 °C	d	997 kg m ⁻³ or 0.997 g mL ⁻¹

5. Unit conversions

Measured value	Conversion	
0 °C	273 K	
100 kPa	750 mm Hg or 0.987 atm	
1 litre (L)	1 dm ³ or 1×10^{-3} m ³ or 1×10^{3} cm ³ or 1×10^{3} mL	

6. Metric (including SI) prefixes

Metric (including SI) prefixes	Scientific notation	Multiplying factor
giga (G)	109	1 000 000 000
mega (M)	10^{6}	1 000 000
kilo (k)	10^{3}	1000
deci (d)	10-1	0.1
centi (c)	10-2	0.01
milli (m)	10-3	0.001
micro (μ)	10 ⁻⁶	0.000001
nano (n)	10 ⁻⁹	0.000000001
pico (p)	10 ⁻¹²	0.000000000001

7. Acid-base indicators

Name	pH range	Colour change from lower pH to higher pH in range
thymol blue (1st change)	1.2–2.8	$red \rightarrow yellow$
methyl orange	3.1-4.4	$red \rightarrow yellow$
bromophenol blue	3.0-4.6	yellow → blue
methyl red	4.4–6.2	$red \rightarrow yellow$
bromothymol blue	6.0–7.6	yellow → blue
phenol red	6.8-8.4	$yellow \rightarrow red$
thymol blue (2nd change)	8.0–9.6	yellow → blue
phenolphthalein	8.3–10.0	colourless → pink

8. Representations of organic molecules

The following table shows different representations of organic molecules, using butanoic acid as an example.

Formula	Representation
molecular formula	$C_4H_8O_2$
structural formula	H H H O H-C-C-C-C O-H
semi-structural (condensed) formula	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ COOH or CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₂ COOH
skeletal structure	O H

9. Formulas of some fatty acids

Name	Formula	Semi-structural formula
lauric	C ₁₁ H ₂₃ COOH	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₁₀ COOH
myristic	C ₁₃ H ₂₇ COOH	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₁₂ COOH
palmitic	C ₁₅ H ₃₁ COOH	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₁₄ COOH
palmitoleic	C ₁₅ H ₂₉ COOH	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₄ CH ₂ CH=CHCH ₂ (CH ₂) ₅ CH ₂ COOH
stearic	C ₁₇ H ₃₅ COOH	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₁₆ COOH
oleic	C ₁₇ H ₃₃ COOH	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₇ CH=CH(CH ₂) ₇ COOH
linoleic	C ₁₇ H ₃₁ COOH	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₄ (CH=CHCH ₂) ₂ (CH ₂) ₆ COOH
linolenic	C ₁₇ H ₂₉ COOH	CH ₃ CH ₂ (CH=CHCH ₂) ₃ (CH ₂) ₆ COOH
arachidic	C ₁₉ H ₃₉ COOH	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₁₇ CH ₂ COOH
arachidonic	C ₁₉ H ₃₁ COOH	CH ₃ (CH ₂) ₄ (CH=CHCH ₂) ₃ CH=CH(CH ₂) ₃ COOH

10. Formulas of some biomolecules

α-glucose

sucrose

glycerol

 β -fructose

amylopectin (starch)

amylose (starch)

11. Heats of combustion of common fuels

The heats of combustion in the following table are calculated at SLC (25 °C and 100 kPa) with combustion products being CO_2 and H_2O . Heat of combustion may be defined as the heat energy released when a specified amount of a substance burns completely in oxygen and is, therefore, reported as a positive value, indicating a magnitude. Enthalpy of combustion, ΔH , for the substances in this table would be reported as negative values, indicating the exothermic nature of the combustion reaction.

Fuel	Formula	State	Heat of combustion (kJ g ⁻¹)	Molar heat of combustion (kJ mol ⁻¹)
hydrogen	H ₂	gas	141	282
methane	CH ₄	gas	55.6	890
ethane	C ₂ H ₆	gas	51.9	1560
propane	C ₃ H ₈	gas	50.5	2220
butane	C ₄ H ₁₀	gas	49.7	2880
octane	C ₈ H ₁₈	liquid	47.9	5460
ethyne (acetylene)	C ₂ H ₂	gas	49.9	1300
methanol	CH ₃ OH	liquid	22.7	726
ethanol	C ₂ H ₅ OH	liquid	29.6	1360

12. Heats of combustion of common blended fuels

Blended fuels are mixtures of compounds with different mixture ratios and, hence, determination of a generic molar enthalpy of combustion is not realistic. The values provided in the following table are typical values for heats of combustion at SLC (25 °C and 100 kPa) with combustion products being CO₂ and H₂O. Values for heats of combustion will vary depending on the source and composition of the fuel.

Fuel	State	Heat of combustion (kJ g ⁻¹)
kerosene	liquid	46.2
diesel	liquid	45.0
natural gas	gas	54.0

13. Energy content of food groups

Food	Heat of combustion (kJ g ⁻¹)
fats and oils	37
protein	17
carbohydrate	16

14. Characteristic ranges for infra-red absorption

Bond	Wave number (cm ⁻¹)	Bond	Wave number (cm ⁻¹)
C-Cl (chloroalkanes)	600–800	C=O (ketones)	1680–1850
C-O (alcohols, esters, ethers)	1050–1410	C=O (esters)	1720–1840
C=C (alkenes)	1620–1680	C–H (alkanes, alkenes, arenes)	2850–3090
C=O (amides)	1630–1680	O–H (acids)	2500–3500
C=O (aldehydes)	1660–1745	O–H (alcohols)	3200–3600
C=O (acids)	1680–1740	N–H (amines and amides)	3300–3500

15. ¹³C NMR data

Typical 13 C shift values relative to TMS = 0 These can differ slightly in different solvents.

Type of carbon	Chemical shift (ppm)
R-CH ₃	8–25
R-CH ₂ -R	20–45
R ₃ -CH	40–60
R ₄ –C	36–45
R-CH ₂ -X	15–80
R ₃ C–NH ₂ , R ₃ C–NR	35–70
R-CH ₂ -OH	50–90
RC≡CR	75–95
R ₂ C=CR ₂	110–150
RCOOH	160–185
R $C=0$	165–175
RO C O	
$R_{C=0}$	190–200
Н С — О	
$R_2C = O$	205–220

16. ¹H NMR data

Typical proton shift values relative to TMS = 0

These can differ slightly in different solvents. The shift refers to the proton environment that is indicated in bold letters in the formula.

Type of proton	Chemical shift (ppm)
R-CH ₃	0.9–1.0
R-CH ₂ -R	1.3–1.4
RCH=CH-CH ₃	1.6–1.9
R ₃ -CH	1.5
CH_3 — C O OR OR OR OR OR OR OR	2.0
$\begin{array}{c c} R & C\mathbf{H}_3 \\ \hline C \\ \\ O \end{array}$	2.1–2.7
$R-CH_2-X (X = F, Cl, Br or I)$	3.0–4.5
R-С H ₂ -ОH, R ₂ -С H -ОН	3.3–4.5
$R \longrightarrow C$ $NHCH_2R$	3.2
R—O—CH ₃ or R—O—CH ₂ R	3.3–3.7
O C-CH ₃	2.3
R — C OCH_2R	3.7–4.8
R-O- H	1–6 (varies considerably under different conditions)
R-NH ₂	1–5
RHC=CHR	4.5–7.0
ОН	4.0–12.0

Type of proton	Chemical shift (ppm)
Н	6.9–9.0
$R \longrightarrow C$ $NHCH_2R$	8.1
R—C H	9.4-10.0
R - C $O - H$	9.0–13.0

17. 2-amino acids (α-amino acids)

The table below provides simplified structures to enable the drawing of zwitterions, the identification of products of protein hydrolysis and the drawing of structures involving condensation polymerisation of amino acid monomers.

Name	Symbol	Structure
alanine	Ala	CH ₃
		H ₂ N—ĊH—COOH
arginine	Arg	NH
		$\begin{array}{c c} \operatorname{CH}_2 & \operatorname{CH}_2 & \operatorname{NH} & \begin{array}{c} \\ \end{array} & \operatorname{NH}_2 \end{array}$
		H ₂ N—ĊH—COOH
asparagine	Asn	$\begin{array}{c} O \\ \parallel \\ CH_2 \longrightarrow C \longrightarrow NH_2 \\ \parallel \\ \end{array}$
		H_2N —CH—COOH
	A	
aspartic acid	Asp	CH ₂ —COOH
		H ₂ N—ĊH—COOH
cysteine	Cys	CH ₂ —SH
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH
glutamic acid	Glu	СН ₂ —— СН ₂ —— СООН
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH
glutamine	Gln	O
		$\begin{array}{c} \operatorname{CH}_2 \longrightarrow \operatorname{CH}_2 \longrightarrow \operatorname{NH}_2 \end{array}$
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH
glycine	Gly	H ₂ N—CH ₂ —COOH
histidine	His	N
		CH ₂ N
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH
isoleucine	Ile	CH ₃ — CH— CH ₂ — CH ₃
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH

Name	Symbol	Structure
leucine	Leu	CH ₃ —— CH—— CH ₃
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH
lysine	Lys	$\begin{array}{c} \operatorname{CH}_2 \longrightarrow \operatorname{CH}_2 \longrightarrow \operatorname{CH}_2 \longrightarrow \operatorname{NH}_2 \end{array}$
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH
methionine	Met	CH ₂ —— CH ₂ —— S —— CH ₃
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH
phenylalanine	Phe	CH ₂ —
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH
proline	Pro	COOH HN—
serine	Ser	CH ₂ —OH
		H ₂ N—ĊH—COOH
threonine	Thr	CH ₃ —— CH—— OH
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH
tryptophan	Trp	HN
		CH ₂
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH
tyrosine	Tyr	СH ₂ ——ОН
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH
valine	Val	CH ₃ —— CH—— CH ₃
		H ₂ N—CH—COOH