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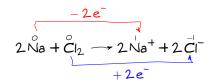


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Part I.

Preliminaries

1. Licence, Requirements and README

Permission is granted to copy, distribute and/or modify this software under the terms of the LATEX Project Public License (LPPL), version 1.3 or later (http://www.latex-project.org/lppl.txt). The software has the status "maintained."

CHEMMACROS loads the packages expl3 [L3Pa] and xparse [L3Pb]. Depending on your usage other packages will be loaded. They are mentioned when the corresponding module using the package is described.

2. Motivation and Background

This package grew from a small collection of personal helper macros back in 2010 into a rather big package supporting various different chemical typesetting tasks. I hope I have achieved the following points with this package:

- Intuitive usage as far as the syntax of the commands is concerned.
- A comprehensive set of macros! If there are any needs you might have with respect to typesetting of chemistry which is not supported by this package ¹ then let me know so CHEMMACROS can be extended.
- The commands shall not only make typesetting easier and faster but also the document source more readable with respect to semantics (\ortho-dichlorobenzene is easier to read and understand than \textit{0}-dichlorobenzene); the first variant in my opinion also is more in the spirit of LATFX 2_E.
- As much customizability as I could think of so every user can adapt the commands to his or her own wishes. Every now and then users have wishes which can't be solved with the available options. Almost always I'll add options then. If you find something please contact me, see section B starting on page 64.
- Default settings that are compliant with the recommendations of the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC).

Especially the last point in the past needed some pushing from users to get things right in many places. If you find anything not compliant with IUPAC recommendations please contact me, see section B starting on page 64. Don't forget to add references for the corresponding IUPAC recommendation.

3. The Structure of CHEMMACROS

3.1. General Structure

Introduced in version 5.0

Since version 5.0 the CHEMMACROS package has a strictly modular structure. On the one hand this eases maintenance but it will also allow for easy and quick extension in the future. In a way it is a logical consequence from CHEMMACROS' history: since version 2.0, *i. e.*, since the fall of 2011 CHEMMACROS already had modular options.

The different modules of **CHEMMACROS** are divided into two groups:

- 1. Internal modules which provide underlying functionality or basic functionality which is not of direct interest from a user perspective but might be if you plan to write a module yourself (see section A for details).
- 2. User modules which provide all the stuff for typesetting.

Both groups each are subdivided into two groups: preloaded modules and modules which have to be loaded by the programmer (internal modules) or by the document author (user modules). Those modules are described in parts II (preloaded modules) and III (additional modules) of this manual.

The above means that not all functionality is available per default. If you want to load *all* modules no matter what then you can say:

^{1.} Not including needs already solved by other packages such as chemnum or chemfig.

```
' \usechemmodule{all}
```

or

```
ı \chemsetup{modules=all}
```

which will load all modules which are part of CHEMMACROS (also see section 7.1 starting on page 31). Own modules (see section A starting on page 63) are *not* loaded through this, though, and still have to be loaded additionally.

In part II starting on page 8 the preloaded modules are described, first the user modules then the internal ones, in part III starting on page 31 the other available modules are described, again the user modules first. In each section the modules are described in an alphabetical order.

3.2. Using CHEMMACROS' Options

Prior to v5.0 CHEMMACROS had quite a number of package options. CHEMMACROS v5.0 or higher has none! All of CHEMMACROS' options are set using the command

```
\chemsetup[\langle module \rangle]{\langle option \ list \rangle} CHEMMACROS' setup command.
```

When an option is described then in the left margin the module the option belongs to is denoted. This looks something like this:

```
module \gg option = \{\langle value \rangle\}
```

(initially empty)

Description of option. The module is printed in the left margin. The default value to the right is the setting the option has when CHEMMACROS is loaded. This can be an explicit setting but the option can also be empty.

```
module » choice-option = list|of|choices
```

Default: list

Description of choice-option. A choice option can only be used with a predefined list of values. If one of the values is underlined it means that the option can be used without value in which case the underlined value is chosen. If no value is underlined then a value *has* to be given by the user.

```
module » boolean-option = true | false
```

Default: true

Description of boolean-option. A boolean option is a choice option with exactly the two values true and false. If the option is called without value then the underlined value is chosen (which is always true for a boolean option).

An option or list of options belonging to a module module can be set in two ways:

```
1 % first possibility:
2 \chemsetup[module]{
3   option1 = value ,
4   option2 = value
5 }
```

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```
6 % second possibility:
7 \chemsetup{
8   module/option1 = value ,
9   module/option2 = value
10 }
```

The second way allows to set options belonging to different modules with one call of \chemsetup.

3.3. Support Package CHEMFORMULA

CHEMFORMULA provides means of typesetting chemical formulas and reactions. You will see its macros \ch and \chcpd every now and then in this manual. When using CHEMMACROS you can consider the CHEMFORMULA package [Nie15a] to be loaded as CHEMMACROS makes use of it in various places. CHEMMACROS and CHEMFORMULA are tightly intertwined. Nevertheless you should be able to use the mhchem [Hen15] package with CHEMMACROS. Please see section 6.2.1 starting on page 27 for details and caveats. The recommendation is to use CHEMFORMULA.

A historical note: CHEMFORMULA started as a part of CHEMMACROS in January 2012. Since July 2013 it is a completely independent package – from CHEMFORMULA's point of view. It is maintained independently and has a manual of its own.

3.4. Upgrading from version < 5.0

People upgrading from versions < 5.0 will find that almost everything they know from earlier versions is the same in versions ≥ 5.0 . But there are important and *breaking* differences:

- CHEMMACROS has no package options any more, all options are set via \chemsetup, also see section 3.2 on the previous page.
- Not all of the features are available per default any more, for some the corresponding module has to be loaded explicitly, see section 4. If suddenly some commands or environments seem to be undefined this is the most likely reason.
- Some option modules have been renamed (*e. g.*, iupac is now nomenclature). If you experience strange errors when you upgrade your document this is the most likely source.
- The command family \NewChem..., \RenewChem... and \DeclareChem... has a new member \ProvideChem....
- In \iupac the macro \- no longer gives a dash with breaking point. Instead can be used directly.²
- The macro \ox has another default behaviour (pos = {super}) and the starred version has another effect (pos = {top}) than the same macro in earlier versions. Now the default behaviour follows IUPAC recommendations. A second change is that the atom is now treated as a CHEMFORMULA formula.
- The syntax of \NewChemReaction and friends is now different from what it used to be. If you have defined your own reaction environments you need to adapt!

^{2. \-} is provided up to and including v5.2 but is dropped in higher versions.

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- CHEMMACROS offers a macro \state which is similar to but different from the earlier macro \State. \State is deprecated. There are also differences in the syntax of \enthalpy vs. the earlier \Enthalpy, \entropy vs. \Entropy and \gibbs vs. \Gibbs. The uppercase versions are deprecated. The macro \NewChemState also has a different syntax now.
- At various places in the code improvements and fixes have been made, too many to list them here. You should keep an open eye and first of all read the manual closely.

3.5. Compatibility Mode

3.5.1. For Users

It is actually not true that **CHEMMACROS**' has no package options any more. It has one very important package option:

```
compatibility = \langle num \rangle | newest | latest
```

Default: 5.4

Let's you specify the version number of CHEMMACROS you want to use. Any version earlier than 5.0 will load v4.7. *i. e.*, the last version before CHEMMACROS got its modular structure.³ Not using the option will always load the newest version. Please note that you only can specify the *number* of the version. For a version "5.2c" you can only set compatibility mode "5.2" but not specify the subrelease.

Both values newest and latest will choose the latest version available.

In your document you can check for the compatibility mode. For the following functions it is important to understand the rules: *greater* means *newer*. The version number is *not* a usual decimal number! The syntax for $\langle num \rangle$ is $\langle major \rangle$. $\langle minor \rangle$. This means that a version 5.11 is *newer* than a version 5.7! In the same way *less* means *older*. As last example: 5.10 is *newer* (greater) than 5.1.

```
\Tilde{IfChemCompatibilityTF}(\langle comp \rangle) \{\langle num \rangle\} \{\langle true \rangle\} \{\langle false \rangle\}
```

Checks the value given through the option compatibility against $\langle num \rangle$ using $\langle comp \rangle$ and either leaves $\langle true \rangle$ or $\langle false \rangle$ in the input stream. $\langle comp \rangle$ can be one of $\langle , <=, =, >= \text{ or } \rangle$.

```
\If Chem Compatibility T{\langle comp \rangle} {\langle num \rangle} {\langle true \rangle}
```

Checks the value given through the option compatibility against $\langle num \rangle$ using $\langle comp \rangle$ and leaves $\langle true \rangle$ in the input stream if the check is logically true. $\langle comp \rangle$ can be one of <, <=, =, >= or >.

```
\IfChemCompatibilityF{\langle comp \rangle} {\langle num \rangle} {\langle false \rangle}
```

Checks the value given through the option compatibility against $\langle num \rangle$ using $\langle comp \rangle$ and leaves $\langle false \rangle$ in the input stream if the check is logically false. $\langle comp \rangle$ can be one of <, <=, =, >= or >.

A possible usage:

```
1 \IfChemCompatibilityT{>=}{5.0}{\usechemmodule{all}}
```

Loading CHEMMACROS with compatibility = {4.7} also allows to use the package options from that version:

^{3.} Mostly: the loaded v4.7 has got a few fixes

```
1 \usepackage[compatibility=4.7,language=german]{chemmacros}
```

```
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```

For future versions the aim is not to make such breaking changes again. While we never know what the future actually will bring CHEMMACROS now has the tools for tying code to a version number:

```
* \chemmacros_if_compatiblity:nn\overline{\mathit{TF}} {\langle comp\rangle} {\langle rum\rangle} {\langle true\rangle} {\langle false\rangle} expl3 version of \IfChemCompatibilityTF.
```

In modules one can try adding code for a certain version or range of versions:

Leaves $\langle code \rangle$ in the input stream if the compatibility version x given by compatibility matches $\langle num \rangle$ ($x = \langle num \rangle$).

Leaves $\langle code \rangle$ in the input stream if the compatibility version x given by compatibility matches $\langle num \rangle$ or newer. This means $\langle num \rangle$ is the *oldest* version allowed $(x \ge \langle num \rangle)$.

Leaves $\langle code \rangle$ in the input stream if the compatibility version x given by compatibility matches $\langle num \rangle$ or older. This means $\langle num \rangle$ is the *newest* version allowed ($x \leq \langle num \rangle$).

```
ChemCompatibilityBetween{\langle num1\rangle}{\langle num2\rangle} \langle code\rangle EndChemCompatibility
```

Leaves $\langle code \rangle$ in the input stream if the compatibility version x given by compatibility lies between $\langle num2 \rangle$ and $\langle num2 \rangle$ ($\langle num1 \rangle \leq x \leq \langle num2 \rangle$).

\EndChemCompatibility

This macro *must* end each of the \ChemCompatibility... macros.

You may refer to the current version of CHEMMACROS with the following tokenlists:

```
\c_chemmacros_date_tl
The current release date: "2016/02/10".
\c_chemmacros_version_major_number_tl
The current major version: "5".
\c_chemmacros_version_minor_number_tl
The current minor version: "4".
\c_chemmacros_version_number_tl
The current version number: "5.4".
\c_chemmacros_version_subrelease_tl
The current sub-release: "".
\c_chemmacros_version_tl
The current version: "5.4".
```

The package information: "comprehensive support for typesetting chemistry documents".

4. General Options

CHEMMACROS has some core options which don't belong to any of the modules described in parts II and III. Those options have no module denoted in the left margin next to their descriptions and are also set without specifying a module:

```
1 \chemsetup{
2   option1 = value ,
3   option2 = value
4 }
```

Two of those options are explained now:

```
modules = {\langle comma \ separated \ list \ of \ module \ names \rangle}  (initially empty)
```

With this option you can specify which modules you want to load. Alternatively you can use \usechemmodule{\(\comma \) separated list of module names\\\}.

```
greek = \{\langle mapping \rangle\}  (initially empty)
```

Explicitly specify which mapping should be used by the **CHEMGREEK** package [Nie15b]. For details about what this means please refer to section 6.4 starting on page 28.

Some internal modules may also define core options, *e. g.*, the lang module, see section 6.5 starting on page 29.

Part II.

The Preloaded Modules

5. User Modules

5.1. The acid-base Module

Easy representation of pH, pK_a ...

```
\pH
pH
\pOH
pOH
```

 K_a , depends on language settings, see section 6.5 starting on page 29. The translations can be adapted.

```
egin{array}{c} \mathsf{Kb} & & & & & \\ & K_{\mathrm{b}} & & & & & \\ & \mathsf{Kw} & & & & & \\ & & K_{\mathrm{w}} & & & & & \end{array}
```

\pKa: p K_a , \pKa[1]: p K_{a1} , depends on language settings, see section 6.5 starting on page 29.

 $\protect\operatorname{\mathsf{NPKa}}[\langle num \rangle]$

The translations can be adapted.

```
\protect\operatorname{\mathsf{pKb}}[\langle num \rangle]
                  \pKb: pK_b, \pKb[1]: pK_{b1}
               \p{\langle anything \rangle}
                  e. g. \p{\Kw} pK_{W}
                                                                         K_a K_b p K_a p K_{a1} p K_b p K_{b1}
                   1 \Ka\ \Kb\ \pKa\ \pKa[1] \pKb\ \pKb[1]
                         The operator p [...] shall be printed in Roman type.
                                                                           The IUPAC Green Book [Coh+o8, p. 103]
                     There is one option which changes the style the p is typeset, other options allow to change
                  the subscript of the constants:
acid-base » p-style = italics|slanted|upright
                                                                                                        Default: upright
                  Set the style of the p operator.
acid-base \gg K-acid = \{\langle text \rangle\}
                                                                                    Default: \ChemTranslate{K-acid}
                  The subscript to \Ka and \pKa.
acid-base \gg K-base = \{\langle text \rangle\}
                                                                                    Default: \ChemTranslate{K-base}
                  The subscript to \Kb and \pKb.
acid-base \gg K-water = \{\langle text \rangle\}
                                                                                   Default: \ChemTranslate{K-water}
                  The subscript to \Kw.
                                                                                                                Default: K
acid-base \gg eq-constant = \{\langle text \rangle\}
                  The symbol of the constants.
Introduced in
version 5.4
                     ı \pH, \pKa \par
                     2 \chemsetup[acid-base]{p-style=slanted} \pH, \pKa \par
                     3 \chemsetup[acid-base]{p-style=italics} \pH, \pKa
                       pH, pK_a
                       pH, pK_a
                       pH, pK_a
```

As you can see the default subscripts of \Kw, \Ka and \Kb are lowercase letters. The literature is inconclusive about if this is the right way or if uppercase letters should be preferred. In textbooks the uppercase variant usually seems to be used while journals seem to prefer the lowercase variant. CHEMMACROS' default follows the usage in *The IUPAC Green Book* [Coh+o8]. If you want to change this you have two possibilities:

```
% this works only in the preamble:  
% \DeclareTranslation{English}{K-acid}{\mathrm{A}}% use your language here  
% alternative:  
4 \chemsetup{acid-base/K-acid=\mathrm{A}}% overwrites language dependent settings  
$ \pKa  

pK_A
```

Introduced in version 5.4

The constants K_a , K_b , and K_w were defined using the following commands:

\NewChemEqConstant

 $\{\langle cs\rangle\}\{\langle name\rangle\}\{\langle subscript\rangle\}$ Define the constant $\langle cs\rangle$ with the name $\langle name\rangle$ and the subscript $\langle subscript\rangle$. This also defines the default translation with the key $\langle name\rangle$ using $\langle subscript\rangle$ as fallback translation (see section 6.5 starting on page 29 for details). It also defines the option $\langle name\rangle$ for setting the subscript.

\RenewChemEqConstant

 ${\langle cs \rangle} {\langle name \rangle} {\langle default\ appearance \rangle}$ The same as \NewChemEqConstant but renews an existing command.

\DeclareChemEqConstant

 $\{\langle cs \rangle\}\{\langle name \rangle\}\{\langle default\ appearance \rangle\}\$ The same as \NewChemEqConstant but overwrites existing commands.

\ProvideChemEqConstant

 ${\langle cs \rangle} {\langle name \rangle} {\langle default\ appearance \rangle}$ The same as \NewChemEqConstant but doesn't throw an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

This is how \Ka is defined:

```
. \NewChemEqConstant \Ka {K-acid} { \mathrm{a} }
```

5.2. The charges Module

The charges module loads the module chemformula.

5.2.1. Charge Symbols

\fplus

formal positive charge

\fminus

\scrp

+ scriptstyle positive charge (e.g., for usage in chemfig's [Tel15] formulas).

\scrm

- scriptstyle negative charge (e.g., for usage in chemfig's formulas).

\fscrp

⊕ scriptstyle formal positive charge (e.g., for usage in chemfig's formulas).

\fscrm

⊙ scriptstyle formal negative charge (e. g., for usage in chemfig's formulas).

\fsscrp

⊕ scriptscriptstyle formal positive charge (e.g., for usage in chemfig's formulas).

\fsscrm

⊙ scriptscriptstyle formal negative charge (e.g., for usage in chemfig's formulas).

5.2.2. Ion Charges

Simple displaying of (real) charges. It is worth noting that these commands really are relicts from a time when CHEMMACROS tried hard to be compliant with mhchem and CHEMFORMULA didn't exist, yet. They are still provided for backwards compatibility but my recommendation is to use \ch (see the documentation of the CHEMFORMULA package [Nie15a]) and forget about these commands:

```
\pch[\(\lamber\range\)] positive charge
```

 $\mbox{mch}[\langle number \rangle]$ negative charge

\fpch[\langle number \rangle] formal positive charge

 $\final fmch[\langle number \rangle]$ formal negative charge

1 A\pch\ B\mch[3] C\fpch[2] D\fmch

A+ B³⁻ C^{2⊕} D[⊙]

5.2.3. Partial Charges and Similar Stuff

The next ones probably are seldomly needed but nevertheless useful:

\delp

 δ + partial positive charge

\delm

 δ - partial negative charge

\fdelp

 $\delta \oplus$ partial formal positive charge

\fdelm

s⊙ partial formal negative charge

These macros for example can be used with the \ox command (see section 7.8 starting on page 43) or with the chemfig package:

5.2.4. Charge Options

charges » circled = formal|all|none

Default: formal

CHEMMACROS uses two different kinds of charges which indicate the usage of real (+/-) and formal (\oplus/\ominus) charges. The option formal distinguishes between them, option none displays them all without circle, option all circles all.

```
charges » circletype = chem|math
```

Default: chem

This option switches between two kinds of circled charge symbols: $\footnote{fplus} \oplus /\footnote{fminus} \oplus (chem)$ and $\ootnote{figure} \oplus /\footnote{fminus} \oplus (math)$.

```
charges \gg partial-format = {\langle LAT_{PX} code \rangle}
```

Default: \tiny

Code which formats the macros defined with \NewChemPartialCharge (see section 5.2.5).

```
5.2.5. Own Charge Macros
```

Just in case the existing macros don't fit you needs there are commands for defining new ones or modifying the existing ones. These commands define macros like those described in section 5.2.2 on the preceding page.

```
\NewChemCharge{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle charge\ symbol \rangle}
```

Defines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. Raises an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

```
\RenewChemCharge{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle charge\ symbol \rangle}
```

Redefines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. Raises an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ doesn't exist.

```
\DeclareChemCharge{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle charge\ symbol \rangle}
```

Defines a macro $\langle cs \rangle$. Silently overwrites $\langle cs \rangle$ if it exists.

```
\ProvideChemCharge{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle charge\ symbol \rangle}
```

Defines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. Does nothing if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

An example of usage is the definition of the existing ion charge macros:

```
1 \NewChemCharge\fpch{\fplus}
2 \NewChemCharge\fmch{\fminus}
```

These commands define macros like those described in section 5.2.3 starting on page 11.

```
\NewChemPartialCharge {\langle cs \rangle} {\langle charge symbol \rangle}
```

Defines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. Raises an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

```
\RenewChemPartialCharge\{\langle cs\rangle\}\{\langle charge\ symbol\rangle\}
```

Redefines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. Raises an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ doesn't exist.

```
\DeclareChemPartialCharge{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle charge\ symbol \rangle}
```

Defines a macro $\langle cs \rangle$. Silently overwrites $\langle cs \rangle$ if it exists.

```
\ProvideChemPartialCharge {\langle cs \rangle} {\langle charge symbol \rangle}
```

Defines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. Does nothing if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

An example of usage is the definition of the existing partial charge macros:

```
1 \NewChemPartialCharge\fdelp{\fplus}
2 \NewChemPartialCharge\fdelm{\fminus}
```

5.3. The nomenclature Module

The nomenclature module loads the tikz module. It also loads the package scrifile which is part of the KOMA-Script bundle [Koh15].

```
5.3.1. The \iupac Command
```

Similar to the bpchem package [Pedo4] **CHEMMACROS** provides a command for typesetting IUPAC names. Why is that useful? IUPAC names can get very long. So long indeed that they span over more than two lines, especially in two-column documents. This means they must be allowed to be broken more than one time. This is what the following command does.

```
\iupac{\langle IUPAC name\rangle}
```

Inside this command use | indicate a breaking point ^ as a shortcut for \textsuperscript. -, (and) allow words to be broken while still allow the rest of word to be hyphenated, likewise [and].

```
1 \begin{minipage}{.4\linewidth}
2 \iupac{%
3    Tetra|cyclo[2.2.2.1^{1,4}]-un|decane-2-dodecyl-%
4    5-(hepta|decyl|iso|dodecyl|thio|ester)%
5  }
6 \end{minipage}
```

^{4.} The idea and initial implementation is shamelessly borrowed from bpchem by Bjørn Pedersen.

Tetracyclo[2.2.2.1^{1,4}]-undecane-2-dodecyl-5-(heptadecylisododecyl-thioester)

The \iupac command is more of a semantic command. In many cases you can achieve (nearly) the same thing by using \- instead of \, and \textsuperscript instead of ^ without \iupac. There are some important differences, though:

- The character inserts a small space before the hyphen and removes a small space after it. Also usually words with hyphens are only allowed to break at the hyphen. Inside \iupac the hyphen will not prevent further hyphenation. The amount of inserted space can be customized.
- The character | not only prevents ligatures but also inserts a small space. The amount of inserted space can be customized.
- The characters (and) allow the word to be hyphenated and don't prevent further hyphenation, likewise [and].

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• The character ' is printed as \chemprime.

huge\iupac{2,4-Di|chlor|pentan} \par
2,4-Dichlorpentan

2,4-Dichlorpentan2,4-Dichlorpentan

\chemprime

Introduced in version 5.3

Prints a prime character in superscript position. It is defined as \ensuremath{{}^{\prime}}.

The spaces inserted by - and | can be customized.

nomenclature \gg hyphen-pre-space = $\{\langle dim \rangle\}$

Default: .01em

Set the space that is inserted before the hyphen set with -.

nomenclature » hyphen-post-space = $\{\langle dim \rangle\}$

Default: -.03em

Set the space that is inserted after the hyphen set with -.

nomenclature \gg break-space = $\{\langle dim \rangle\}$

Default: .01em

Set the space inserted by |.

The command \iupac serves another purpose, too, however. Regardless of the setting of the iupac option (see below) all the commands presented in this section are always defined inside \iupac. Quite a number of the naming commands have very general names: \meta, \D, \E, \L, \R, \S, \trans and so forth. This means they either are predefined already (\L \L) or are easily defined by another package or class (the cool package defines both \D and \E, for example). In order to give you control which commands are defined in which way, there is the option iupac:

^{5.} Please read section 5.3.2 on the following page before you consider using the one-letter commands

TABLE 1: Demonstration of iupac's modes.

	auto	restricted	strict
\L	Ł	Ł	L
\iupac{\L}	L	L	L
\D	D	_	D
\iupac{\D}	D	D	D

nomenclature » iupac = auto|restricted|strict

Take care of how IUPAC naming commands are defined.

It has three modes:

• iupac = {auto}: if the commands are *not* defined by any package or class you're using they are available generally, otherwise only *inside* \iupac.

Default: auto

- iupac = {restricted}: all naming commands are *only* defined inside \iupac. If the commands are defined by another package they of course have that meaning outside. They're not defined outside otherwise.
- iupac = {strict}: CHEMMACROS overwrites any other definition and makes the commands available throughout the document. Of course the commands can be redefined (but only in the document body). They will still be available inside \iupac then.

Table 1 demonstrates the different modes.

5.3.2. Macros Defined (Not Only) For Usage in \iupac

One-letter Macros For some of the macros explained in this section one-letter commands are defined – with a *caveat* in mind, though: they are not actively recommended. One-letter commands seldomly have meaningful names and often they've also been defined by other packages. This means they make collaboration more difficult than it needs to be and are a source for package conflicts. **CHEMMACROS** solves the latter problem by only providing them inside the argument of \iupac. The one exception CHEMMACROS makes is the command \p (for things like pH) which is and will remain an official command (see section 5.1 starting on page 8). For all other one-letter macros alternatives with more meaningful names exist.

Greek Letters Greek letters in compound names are typeset upright. Here are a few examples for the existing macros:

 $\c \alpha$

Upright lowercase alpha

 \c ohembeta β

Upright lowercase alpha

\chemgamma γ

Upright lowercase alpha

 $\verb|\chemdelta| \delta$

Upright lowercase alpha

TABLE 2: IUPAC shortcuts for Greek letters.

macro	\a	\b	\g	\d	\k	\m	\n	\w
letter	α	β	γ	δ	κ	μ	η	ω

There exist two commands for each of the twenty-four Greek letters: a lowercase and an uppercase version (\chemalpha and \chemAlpha). Those commands are actually provided by the CHEMGREEK package. For more details read section 6.4 starting on page 28 and also refer to CHEMGREEK's documentation.

There are a number of one-letter commands that some people may find convenient to use which use above mentioned commands to print Greek letters inside \iupac. They're listed in table 2.

Hetero Atoms and added Hydrogen Attachments to hetero atoms and added hydrogen atoms are indicated by italic letters [Coh+o8]. **CHEMMACROS** defines a few macros for the most common ones.

\hydrogen H

The italic H for hydrogen. An alias for this command is \H.

ω

The italic O for oxygen. An alias for this command is \0.

\n

The italic N for nitrogen. An alias for this command is \N.

\sulfur S

The italic S for sulfur. An alias for this command is \Sf.

$\phosphorus P$

The italic P for phosphorus. An alias for this command is \P.

```
| \iupac{\nitrogen-methyl|benz|amide}
| N-methylbenzamide
| 3H-pyrrole
| O-ethyl hexanethioate
| 1 \iupac{\nitrogen-methyl|benz|amide}
| N-methylbenzamide
| 3H-pyrrole
| O-ethyl hexanethioate
```

Cahn-Ingold-Prelog

```
\langle cip\{\langle conf\rangle\}
```

Typeset Cahn-Ingol-Prelog descriptors, e. g.: $\cip{R,S}$ (R,S). (conf) may be a csv list of entries.

\rectus (R)

The rectus descriptor. An alias for this command is \R.

$\sin (S)$

The sinister descriptor. An alias for this command is \S.

Both these commands and the entgegen/zusammen descriptors get a small additional amount of kerning after the closing parenthesis. This amount can be changed through the following option:

```
nomenclature » cip-kern = \{\langle dim \rangle\}
```

Default: .075em

Set the amount of kerning after the closing parenthesis.

Fischer

\dexter D

The dexter descriptor. An alias for this command is \D.

\laevus L

The laevus descriptor. An alias for this command is \L.

cis/trans, zusammen/entgegen, syn/anti & tert

- \cis cis \trans trans
- \fac fac \mer mer
- \sin sin \ter ter
- \zusammen (Z) \entgegen (E)
- \syn syn \anti anti
- \tert tert

An alias for \entgegen is \E and an alias for \zusammen is \Z.

ortho/meta/para

```
\ortho o \meta m \para p
```

Although these commands are provided I like to cite *The IUPAC Blue Book* [PPRo4]:

The letters o, m, and p have been used in place of ortho, meta, and para, respectively, to designate the 1,2-, 1,3-, and 1,4- isomers of disubstituted benzene. This usage is strongly discouraged and is not used in preferred IUPAC names. [PPRo4, p. 90]

Absolute Configuration

Coordination Chemistry CHEMMACROS provides a few commands useful in coordination chemistry:

```
    \bridge{⟨num⟩} μ<sub>3</sub>-
        Denote bridging ligand connection.

    \hapto{⟨num⟩} η<sup>5</sup>-
        Denote hapticity.

    \dento{⟨num⟩} κ<sup>2</sup>-
        Denote denticity.
```

```
Ferrocene = \iupac{bis(\hapto{5}cyclo|penta|dienyl)iron} \par
\[ \iupac{tetra-\bridge{3}iodido-tetrakis[tri|methyl|platinum(IV)]} \]

Ferrocene = bis(η<sup>5</sup>-cyclopentadienyl)iron
\[ tetra-μ_3-iodido-tetrakis[trimethylplatinum(IV)] \]
```

Two options allow customization:

```
nomenclature » bridge-number = sub|super
```

Default: sub

Appends the number as a subscript or superscript, depending on the choice. The IUPAC recommendation is the subscript [Con+o5].

```
nomenclature » coord-use-hyphen = true|false
```

Default: true

Append a hyphen to \hapto, \dent and \bridge or don't.

Examples

```
1 \iupac{\dexter-Wein|s\"aure} =
2 \iupac{\cip{2S,3S}-Wein|s\"aure} \par
3 \iupac{\dexter-($-$)-Threose} =
4 \iupac{\cip{2S,3R}-($-$)-2,3,4-Tri|hydroxy|butanal} \par
5 \iupac{\cis-2-Butene} =
6 \iupac{\zusammen-2-Butene}, \par
7 \iupac{\cip{2E,4Z}-Hexa|diene} \par
8 \iupac{\meta-Xylol} =
9 \iupac{1,3-Di|methyl|benzene}
```

```
D-Weinsäure = (2S,3S)-Weinsäure

D-(-)-Threose = (2S,3R)-(-)-2,3,4-Trihydroxybutanal

cis-2-Butene = (Z)-2-Butene,

(2E,4Z)-Hexadiene

m-Xylol = 1,3-Dimethylbenzene
```

5.3.3. Own \iupac Macros And Shorthands

If you find any commands missing you can define them using

```
\NewChemIUPAC\{\langle cs \rangle\}\{\langle declaration \rangle\}
```

Define a new IUPAC command that is in any case defined inside of \iupac regardless if $\langle cs \rangle$ is defined elsewhere already.

```
\ProvideChemIUPAC\{\langle cs \rangle\}\{\langle declaration \rangle\}\
```

Define a new IUPAC command that is in any case defined inside of \iupac regardless if $\langle cs \rangle$ is defined elsewhere already only if the corresponding IUPAC macro is not defined, yet.

```
\RenewChemIUPAC\{\langle cs \rangle\}\{\langle declaration \rangle\}
```

Redefine an existing IUPAC command that is in any case defined inside of \iupac regardless if $\langle cs \rangle$ is defined elsewhere already.

```
\DeclareChemIUPAC\{\langle cs \rangle\}\{\langle declaration \rangle\}
```

Define a new IUPAC command that is in any case defined inside of \iupac regardless if $\langle cs \rangle$ is defined elsewhere already. This silently overwrites an existing IUPAC macro definition.

```
\LetChemIUPAC\{\langle cs1 \rangle\}\{\langle cs2 \rangle\}
Defines \langle cs1 \rangle to be an alias of \langle cs2 \rangle.
```

A command defined in this way will obey the setting of the option iupac. This means any existing command is only overwritten with iupac = {strict}. However, \NewChemIUPAC will not change the definition of an existing IUPAC naming command but issue an error if the IUPAC naming command already exists. \DeclareChemIUPAC will overwrite an existing IUPAC command.

```
1 \NewChemIUPAC\endo{\textsc{endo}}
2 \RenewChemIUPAC\anti{\textsc{anti}}
3 \iupac{(2-\endo,7-\anti)-2-bromo-7-fluoro|bicyclo[2.2.1]heptane}

(2-ENDO,7-ANTI)-2-bromo-7-fluorobicyclo[2.2.1]heptane
```

\RenewChemIUPAC allows you to redefine the existing IUPAC naming commands.

There's also a way for defining new IUPAC shorthands or changing the existing ones:

\NewChemIUPACShorthand\(\shorthand\) token\(\cappa\) control sequence\(\right)

Defines a new IUPAC shorthand. Inside \iupac it will be equal to using $\langle control \ sequence \rangle$. This throws an error if $\langle shorthand \ token \rangle$ is already defined.

\RenewChemIUPACShorthand(shorthand token)\(\rangle\)(control sequence)

Redefines an existing IUPAC shorthand. This throws an error if *(shorthand token)* is not defined, yet.

\DeclareChemIUPACShorthand \(shorthand \) token \(\) \(control \) sequence \(\)

Defines a new IUPAC shorthand or redefines an existing one.

 $\ProvideChemIUPACShorthand (shorthand token) (control sequence)$

Provides a new IUPAC shorthand. Does nothing if (shorthand token) is already defined.

\RemoveChemIUPACShorthand token\

Deletes an existing IUPAC shorthand.

5.3.4. Latin Phrases

The package chemstyle [Wri13] provides the command \latin to typeset common latin phrases in a consistent way. CHEMMACROS defines a similar \latin only if chemstyle has *not* been loaded and additionally provides these commands:

\insitu in situ \abinitio ab initio \invacuo in vacuo

If the package chemstyle has been loaded they are defined using chemstyle's \latin command. This means that then the appearance depends on chemstyle's option abbremph.

The commands are defined through

 $\NewChemLatin{\langle cs \rangle} {\langle phrase \rangle}$

Define a new latin phrase. Gives an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

 $\DeclareChemLatin\{\langle cs \rangle\}\{\langle phrase \rangle\}$

Define a new latin phrase. Silently redefined existing macros.

 $\RenewChemLatin{\langle cs \rangle} {\langle phrase \rangle}$

Redefine an existing latin phrase. Gives an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ doesn't exist.

 $\ProvideChemLatin{\langle cs \rangle} {\langle phrase \rangle}$

Define a new latin phrase only if $\langle cs \rangle$ doesn't exist.

\NewChemLatin\ltn{latin text}\ltn

latin text

Default: \itshape

If you have *not* loaded chemstyle you can change the appearance with this option:

nomenclature \Rightarrow format = { $\langle definition \rangle$ }

Set the format of the latin phrases.

5.4. The particles Module

The particles module loads the modules charges and chemformula.

5.4.1. Provided Particle Macros

The particles defines a number of macros which can be used for typesetting common particles in the running text. Most of them don't make much sense in chemformula [Nie15a]'s \ch, though, which doesn't mean that they can't be used there, of course:

```
\ensuremath{\text{lel }e^-\prt p^+\ntr n^0\ \dots OH^-\os H_3O^+\water H_2O\ \El E^+\Nuc\ Nu^-\ba ba^-\ \dots ba ba^-\ \dots All Barbara Barbara
```

All of these macros are defined using chemformula's \chcpd. The details are explained in section 5.4.2.

The macros \Nuc and \ba are special: they have an optional argument for the following options:

particles » elpair = dots|dash|false

Default: false

Determine how the electron pair of the nucleophiles is displayed. The electron pair is drawn using CHEMFORMULA'S \chlewis macro.

```
particles \gg space = \{\langle dim \rangle\}
```

Default: .1em

Introduced in version 5.3

Sets the space that is inserted between the electron pair and the negative charge sign.

Both options can of course also be set with \chemsetup.

5.4.2. Defining Own Particle Macros

There are two sets of macros, one for defining particles and one for defining nucleophiles.

```
\NewChemParticle{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle formula \rangle}
```

Defines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. $\langle formula \rangle$ is any valid **CHEMFORMULA** compound. Raises an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

```
\RenewChemParticle{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle formula \rangle}
```

Redefines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. $\langle formula \rangle$ is any valid **CHEMFORMULA** compound. Raises an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ doesn't exist.

```
\DeclareChemParticle{\langle cs \rangle} {\langle formula \rangle}
```

Defines a macro $\langle cs \rangle$. $\langle formula \rangle$ is any valid **CHEMFORMULA** compound. Silently overwrites $\langle cs \rangle$ if it exists.

```
\ProvideChemParticle{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle formula \rangle}
```

Defines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. $\langle formula \rangle$ is any valid **CHEMFORMULA** compound. Does nothing if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

An example of usage is the definition of the existing particle macros:

```
1 \NewChemParticle\el {e-}
```

```
NewChemParticle\prt{p+}
NewChemParticle\ntr{n^0}
```

The following set defines macros like \Nuc

```
\MewChemNucleophile{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle formula \rangle}
```

Defines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. $\langle formula \rangle$ is any valid **CHEMFORMULA** compound. Note that $\langle formula \rangle$ will get a trailing negative charge! Raises an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

```
\RenewChemNucleophile{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle formula \rangle}
```

Redefines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. $\langle formula \rangle$ is any valid CHEMFORMULA compound. Note that $\langle formula \rangle$ will get a trailing negative charge! Raises an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ doesn't exist.

```
\DeclareChemNucleophile{\langle cs \rangle} {\langle formula \rangle}
```

Defines a macro $\langle cs \rangle$. $\langle formula \rangle$ is any valid **CHEMFORMULA** compound. Note that $\langle formula \rangle$ will get a trailing negative charge! Silently overwrites $\langle cs \rangle$ if it exists.

```
\ProvideChemNucleophile{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle formula \rangle}
```

Defines a new macro $\langle cs \rangle$. $\langle formula \rangle$ is any valid CHEMFORMULA compound. Note that $\langle formula \rangle$ will get a trailing negative charge! Does nothing if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

An example of usage is the definition of the existing nucleophile macros:

```
1 \NewChemNucleophile\Nuc{Nu}
2 \NewChemNucleophile\ba {ba}
```

A macro defined this way will have an optional argument for the elpair option.

5.5. The phases Module

The phases module loads the chemformula modul.

5.5.1. Basics

These commands are intended to indicate the phase of a compound.

```
\ (s) \ (l) \ (gas (g) \ (aq)
```

The IUPAC recommendation to indicate the state of aggregation is to put it in parentheses after the compound [Coh+o8]. However, you might want to put it as a subscript which is also very common.

The [...] symbols are used to represent the states of aggregation of chemical species. The letters are appended to the formula in parentheses and should be printed in Roman (upright) type without a full stop (period).

The IUPAC Green Book [Coh+o8, p. 54]

There are two options to customize the output:

phases » pos = side|sub

Default: side

Switch the position of the phase indicator.

```
phases » space = \{\langle dim \rangle\}
```

Default: .1333em

Change the default spacing between compound a phase indicator if pos = {side}. A TeX dimension.

All those phase commands have an optional argument:

There is also a generic phase command:

```
\phase{\langle phase \rangle}
```

If you need a phase indicator just once or twice. You can use it to denote a phase for which there is no phase command, yet.

```
5.5.2. Define Own Phases
```

Depending on the subject of your document you might need to indicate other states of aggregation. You can easily define them.

```
\NewChemPhase{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle symbol \rangle}
```

Define a new phase command. See section 5.5.3 on the following page for a way to define language dependent settings. Gives an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

```
\DeclareChemPhase\{\langle cs \rangle\}\{\langle symbol \rangle\}
```

Define a new phase command. See section 5.5.3 on the next page for a way to define language dependent settings. Overwrites previous definitions of $\langle cs \rangle$.

$\RenewChemPhase{\langle cs \rangle} {\langle symbol \rangle}$

Redefine an existing phase command. See section 5.5.3 for a way to define language dependent settings. Gives an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ is not defined.

```
\ProvideChemPhase{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle symbol \rangle}
```

Define a new phase command. See section 5.5.3 for a way to define language dependent settings. Does nothing if $\langle cs \rangle$ is already defined.

```
% preamble:  
2 \NewChemPhase\aqi{aq,$\infty$} % aqueous solution at infinite dilution  
3 \NewChemPhase\cd {cd} % condensed phase  
4 \NewChemPhase\lc {lc} % liquid crystal  
5 \ch{NaOH\aqi} \ch{H2O\cd} \ch{U\phase{cr}} \ch{A\lc}\par  
6 \chemsetup[phases]{pos=sub}  
7 \ch{NaOH\aqi} \ch{H2O\cd} \ch{U\phase{cr}} \ch{A\lc} 

NaOH(aq,\infty) H_2O(cd) U(cr) A(lc)  
NaOH(aq,\infty) H_2O(cd) U(cr) A(lc)
```

5.5.3. Language Dependencies

For each phase command a translation into the custom language can be defined. If a phase is declared with <code>NewChemPhase</code> no translation exists and for every babel language the literal string is used that was provided as a definition. Let's say you define the phase

```
ı \NewChemPhase\liquid{l}
```

and want to add the German translation "fl". Then you could do

```
    \DeclareTranslation{German}{phase-liquid}{f\/l}
```

This way, when you use it in a German document using the appropriate babel option using **\liquid** would correctly translate. For this the package translations [Nie15e] is used. The ID always is phase-\(\cap csname \rangle \) where \(\cap csname \rangle \) is the name of the phase command you defined without leading backslash.

See section 6.5 starting on page 29 for predefined translations and general language options of CHEMMACROS.

5.6. The symbols Module

The symbols module defines a few symbols chemists need now and then. It loads the package amstext [MSoo].

\transitionstatesymbol

This is self-explaining: \pm

\standardstate

Again self-explaining: ↔

\changestate

The uppercase delta used in ΔH for example.

6. Internal Modules

6.1. The base Module

The base module is the core module of **CHEMMACROS**. It defines some tools which can (and should) be used in other modules. This means this section is only interesting for you if you plan to write a module yourself (see section A starting on page 63 for details).

This module requires the packages bm [CMo4], amstext [MSoo], and etoolbox [Leh15].

This module also provides \chemsetup and the option modules.

It also provides a number of (expl₃) macros which may be used in other modules. In the macro descriptions below $\underline{\mathit{TF}}$ denotes that a T, an F and a TF variant exist. In case of an expandable conditional (*) also the predicate variant is available.

```
* \chemmacros_if_loaded:nn\overline{\mathit{TF}} {package|class} {\langle name \rangle} {\langle true \rangle} {\langle false \rangle}
```

Checks if package (or class) (name) has been loaded. Also works after begin document.

```
* \chemmacros_if_package_loaded:nTF \{\langle name \rangle\} \{\langle true \rangle\} \{\langle false \rangle\}
```

Checks if package (name) has been loaded. Also works after begin document.

```
* \chemmacros_if_class_loaded:nTF \{\langle name \rangle\} \{\langle true \rangle\} \{\langle false \rangle\}
```

Checks if class (name) has been loaded. Also works after begin document.

```
\chemmacros_leave_vmode:
```

Equivalent of \leavevmode.

\chemmacros_nobreak:

Inserts a penalty of 10 000.

\chemmacros_allow_break:

Inserts a penalty of 0.

```
\chemmacros_skip_nobreak:N \( skip/length variable \)
```

Insert a horizontal skip where a linebreak is disallowed.

* \chemmacros_if_is_int:nTF {\langle input \rangle} {\langle true \rangle} {\langle false \rangle}

Checks if $\langle input \rangle$ is an integer or something else.

```
\chemmacros_if\_bold:TF {\langle true \rangle} {\langle false \rangle}
```

Checks if the current font weight is one of b, bc, bm, bx, bux, eb, ebc, ebx, mb, sb, sbc, sbx, ub, ubc or ubx.

```
\chemmacros_bold:n \{\langle text \rangle\}
```

Checks if the current font weight is bold and if yes places $\langle text \rangle$ in \textbf if in text mode or in \bm if in math mode. If no $\langle text \rangle$ simply is placed in the input stream as is.

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```
\chemmacros_text:n \{\langle text \rangle\}
                               Ensures that \langle text \rangle is placed in text mode.
                          \chemmacros_math:n \{\langle text \rangle\}
                               Ensures that \langle text \rangle is placed in math mode.
                          \colonerge{charge} \colonerge{
                               A command to define a set of macros \ensuremath{\mathsf{NewChem}\langle name\rangle}, \ensuremath{\mathsf{NenewChem}\langle name\rangle}, \ensuremath{\mathsf{NerewChem}\langle name\rangle}
Changed in
version 5.3b
                               and \ProvideChem(name) where the first letter of (name) is converted to uppercase, other letters
                               are kept unchanged. (arg spec) is any valid argument specification for xparse's
                               \DeclareDocumentCommand [L3Pb]. \(\(\)internal command call\)\\ should be a macro which makes
                               definitions without error checks, i. e., define new macros or redefine existing ones like \def
                               does. This macro just should get the arguments passed on to. Have a look at the example below.
                          Like \chemmacros_new_macroset:nnn but for environments.
                          \NewChemMacroset*{\langle name \rangle} {\langle arg spec \rangle} {\langle internal command call \rangle}
                               A non-expl<sub>3</sub> version of \chemmacros_new_macroset: nnn for ATFX AF programmers. The starred
                               version calls \chemmacros_new_environment_macroset:nnn.
                               This is how the macros \NewChemParticle, \RenewChemParticle, \DeclareChemParticle and
                               \ProvideChemParticle were defined:
                                    1 \NewChemMacroset {Particle} {mm}
                                           { \chemmacros_define_particle:Nn #1 {#2} }
                                    The following macros strictly speaking are not provided by the base module but this place
                               fits best for their description.
                        * \chemmacros_if_module_exist:nTF {\langle module \rangle} {\langle true \rangle} {\langle false \rangle}
                               Checks if a file with the correct name for a module (module) can be found.
                        * \chemmacros_if_module_loaded:nTF \{\langle module \rangle\} \{\langle true \rangle\} \{\langle false \rangle\}
                               Checks if the module (module) has already been loaded or not.
                          \colone{local_module:n } {\colone{local_module:n } {\colone{local_module:n } }}
                               Loads module \langle module \rangle if it hasn't been loaded, yet.
                          \chemmacros_load_modules:n {\( \csv \) list of modules\\}
                               Loads every module in \langle csv | list | of modules \rangle if they haven't been loaded, yet. This is the code
                               level variant of \usechemmodule.
                          \code{lemmacros_before_module:nn } {\langle module \rangle} {\langle code \rangle}
                               Saves \langle code \rangle and inserts it right before \langle module \rangle is loaded. If \langle module \rangle is never loaded then
Introduced in
version 5.1
                               \langle code \rangle is never inserted. If \langle module \rangle already is loaded when the command is used then \langle code \rangle
                               also is never inserted.
                          \code{temmacros_after_module:nn } {\langle module \rangle} {\langle code \rangle}
Introduced in
                               Saves \langle code \rangle and inserts it right after \langle module \rangle is loaded. If \langle module \rangle is never loaded then \langle code \rangle
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                               is never inserted. If \langle module \rangle already is loaded when the command is used then \langle code \rangle is inserted
```

immediately.

6.2. The chemformula Module

The chemformula module loads the chemformula package [Nie15a] or the mhchem package [Hen15] and the amstext package [MSoo]. It also loads the charges module.

6.2.1. For Users

This module provides a general option:

formula = chemformula|mhchem

Default: chemformula

Introduced in version 5.1

This option let's you choose if chemical formula's are typeset using chemformula's \ch and \chcpd or mhchem's \ce. The corresponding package is loaded.

If you explicitly set this option the corresponding package is loaded immediately. Otherwise the option is set at the end of the preamble.

Introduced in version 5.2

If you load either mhchem or chemformula and haven't set formula CHEMMACROS will choose the corresponding package. If you have loaded both mhchem and chemformula CHEMMACROS will raise a warning and choose chemformula. All automatic choices only happen at the end of the preamble.

Using the chemformula Package If you set formula = {chemformula} the chemformula module makes it possible that you can set all CHEMFORMULA options via the \chemsetup command using the module chemformula, for example:

```
1 \chemsetup[chemformula]{format=\sffamily}
```

Everywhere where CHEMMACROS typesets chemical formulas CHEMFORMULA's macros \chcpd or \ch are used, for example in the reaction environments provided by the reactions module.

Using the mhchem Package If you set formula = {mhchem} the chemformula module makes it possible that you can set all of mhchem's options via the \chemsetup command using the module mhchem, for example:

```
1 \chemsetup[mhchem]{format=\sffamily}
```

Everywhere where CHEMMACROS typesets chemical formulas mhchem's macro \ce is used, for example in the reaction environments provided by the reactions module.

There are a few *caveats* if you use this method:

- This method has not been extensively tested, yet. There may be errors and wrong output at unexpected places.
- Using this method effectively disables the different values of the particles option elpair (see section 5.4).

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- The different kinds of formal charges provided by the charges module (see section 5.2.2) are disabled. Formal charges always use the math method now.
- There may also be other incompatibilities (*e. g.*, mhchem has it's own method of setting upright Greek letters so it may or may not disable **CHEMMACROS**' mechanism).

6.2.2. For Module Writers

There's are two macros for module writers:

```
\chemmacros_chemformula:n {\langle formula \rangle}
```

This is only a wrapper for **\chcpd** or **\ce**. It is recommended that module writers use this macro (or a variant thereof) inside of **CHEMMACROS**' macros whenever they want to display a chemical formula. Writers who prefer traditional \LaTeX programming over expl3 should use **\chemmacros@formula**.

```
\chemmacros_reaction:n {\langle reaction \rangle}
```

This is only a wrapper for \c or \c . It is recommended that module writers use this macro (or a variant thereof) inside of CHEMMACROS' macros whenever they want to display a chemical reaction. Writers who prefer traditional LaTeX 2 $_{\mathcal{E}}$ programming over expl3 should use \c hemmacros@reaction.

6.3. The errorcheck Module

Introduced in version 5.2

The errorcheck module provides some rudimentary support for giving users more meaningful messages when they use a command or environment provided by a module that they haven't loaded.

6.4. The greek Module

The greek module loads the chemgreek package [Nie15b].

This module provides one option:

```
greek = \{\langle mapping \rangle\}
```

A valid value is any valid CHEMGREEK (mapping). CHEMMACROS will warn you if no mapping has been chosen or if you are using the default or the var-default mapping because this means that no upright Greek letters are available.

If you load a CHEMGREEK support package which allows an unambiguous choice of a mapping CHEMGREEK will make this choice automatically. This means if you say

```
\usepackage{upgreek}
\usepackage{chemmacros}
```

then CHEMMACROS will use upgreek's upright Greek letters. If you have

```
1 \usepackage{upgreek}
2 \usepackage{chemmacros}
```

3 \usepackage{textgreek}

then no unambiguous choice is possible and you should choose a mapping yourself, for example:

```
1 \usepackage{upgreek}
2 \usepackage{chemmacros}
3 \usepackage{textgreek}
4 \chemsetup{greek=textgreek}
```

For further details on mappings please refer to CHEMGREEK's manual.

6.5. The lang Module

The lang module provides language support for CHEMMACROS. It loads the package translations [Nie15e].

6.5.1. Information For Users

This module defines the following option:

```
language = auto | \langle language \rangle
```

Default: auto

If set to auto CHEMMACROS will detect the language used by babel [Bra13] or polyglossia [Cha13] automatically, the fallback translation is English and will be used if no translation for the actual language is available. Any language known to the translations package is a valid value for (language).

The language chosen via language is used for translation of certain strings in different places all over CHEMMACROS. They are mentioned in the places when the corresponding function of CHEMMACROS is explained.

Translation is done with the help of the translations package, available translation keys are listed in section 6.5.2.

6.5.2. Available Translation Keys

Table 3 on the next page lists (almost) all keys which are predefined in CHEMMACROS. A translation key is a key which is understood by the translations package and its commands like \GetTranslation. For each key at least the English fallback translation is provided, for most also the German translation is provided. For a few keys also other translations are provided. If you find that a translation for your language is missing you can provide it in the preamble:

```
\label{lem:declareTranslation} $$ \DeclareTranslation{$\langle language \rangle$} {\langle key \rangle} {\langle translation \rangle}$
```

Defines a translation of key $\langle key \rangle$ for the language $\langle language \rangle$. No error will be raised if a translation of $\langle key \rangle$ already exists. This command can only be used in the preamble and is defined by the translations package.

If you send me an email (see section B starting on page 64) with the translations for your language I'll gladly add them to the next release of CHEMMACROS!

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TABLE 3: Translation keys predefined by CHEMMACROS.

key	fallback translation	German
scheme-name	Scheme	Schema
scheme-list	List of Schemes	Verzeichnis der Schemata
K-acid	\mathrm {a}	\mathrm {s}
K-base	\mathrm {b}	
K-water	\mathrm {w}	
phase-sld	S	f
phase-lqd	l	f\/l
phase-gas	g	g
phase-aq	aq	aq
list-of-reactions	List of Reactions	Reaktionsverzeichnis
reaction	Reaction	Reaktion

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* \chemmacros_translate:n {\langle translation key\}}

Translates the given key to the language which is detected automatically or given by the user. Should be used in CHEMMACROS' macros instead of translations' \GetTranslation.

\l_chemmacros_language_tl

A token list variable that holds the language which is used by \chemmacros_translate:n for translation, after begin document.

$\ChemTranslate{\langle translation \ key \rangle}$

A version of $\ensuremath{\verb|Chemmacros_translate:n|}$ for those who prefer traditional LATEX $2_{\mathcal{E}}$ programming over expl3.

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Additional Modules

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7.1. The all pseudo-module

The all module is a pseudo module: it doesn't define any functionality at all. It does however load all other modules. So you can say

```
1 \chemsetup{ modules = all }
```

to ensure that every module is available. This will not load personal modules!

7.2. The isotopes Module

The isotope module loads the elements package [Nie15d]. This module defines one user command:

```
\isotope*{\langle input\rangle}
```

(*input*) can either be the *symbol* of an element or the *name* of an element. Be aware that *the name is language dependent*, refer to the manual of the elements package for details. To be on the safe side use the element symbol.

 $\langle input \rangle$ can also be comma separated list: $\langle isotope \{\langle nuc \rangle, \langle symbol \rangle \}$. If you leave $\langle nuc \rangle$ out then $\langle isotope \rangle$ will display the most common isotope. Otherwise $\langle nuc \rangle$ will be used. If $\langle nuc \rangle$ is an isotope unknown to the elements package $\langle isotope \rangle$ will write a warning to the log file.

The starred variant omits the element number.

```
| \isotope{C}

| \isotope*{C}

| \isotope*{C}

| \isotope{14,C}

| \isotope*{14,C}
```

As input for the element symbol you can choose any of the elements known to the elements package.

There are options which allow you to determine how the isotope is printed:

```
isotopes » format = super|side Default: super

Either print the isotope number as superscript or to the right of the element symbol.
```

isotopes » side-connect = $\{\langle input \rangle\}$ Default: -

```
Determine what is printed between the element symbol and the isotope number if format = {side}.
```

```
1 \isotope{C}
2 \chemsetup[isotopes]{format=side}
3 \isotope{C}
4 \chemsetup[isotopes]{side-connect=}
5 \isotope{C}
12/6 C C-12 C12
```

7.3. The mechanisms Module

The module mechanisms loads the package amstext [MSoo]. It provides one macro:

$\mbox{mech}[\langle type \rangle]$

Allows to specify the most common reaction mechanisms.

 $\langle type \rangle$ can have one of the following values:

\mech

(empty, no opt. argument) nucleophilic substitution S_N

\mech[1]

unimolecular nucleophilic substitution S_{N1}

\mech[2]

bimolecular nucleophilic substitution $S_{\rm N2}$

\mech[se]

electrophilic substitution S_E

\mech[1e]

unimolecular electrophilic substitution S_{E1}

\mech[2e]

bimolecular electrophilic substitution S_{E2}

\mech[ar]

electrophilic aromatic substitution Ar-S_E

\mech[e]

elimination E

\mech[e1]

unimolecular elimination E1

\mech[e2]

bimolecular elimination E2

\mech[cb]

unimolecular elimination "conjugated base", i. e., via carbanion E1cb

7.4. The newman Module

The newman module provides a command for drawing Newman projections. It loads the tikz module.

 $\newman[\langle options \rangle] (\langle angle \rangle) \{\langle 1 \rangle, \langle 2 \rangle, \langle 3 \rangle, \langle 4 \rangle, \langle 5 \rangle, \langle 6 \rangle\}$

Create Newman projections. This command uses TikZ internally. $\langle angle \rangle$ rotates the back atoms counter clockwise with respect to the front atoms and is an optional argument. $\langle 1 \rangle$ to $\langle 6 \rangle$ are the positions, the first three are the front atoms, the last three the back atoms.

Several options allow customization:

$$newman * angle = \{\langle angle \rangle\}$$

Default: 0

Default angle.

$$newman \gg scale = \{\langle factor \rangle\}$$

Default: 1

Scale the whole projection by factor $\langle factor \rangle$.

$$newman \gg ring = \{\langle tikz \rangle\}$$

(initially empty)

Customize the ring with TikZ keys.

$$newman \gg atoms = \{\langle tikz \rangle\}$$

(initially empty)

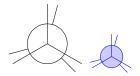
Customize the nodes within which the atoms are set with TikZ keys.

$$newman \gg back-atoms = \{\langle tikz \rangle\}$$

(initially empty)

Explicitly customize the nodes of the back atoms with TikZ keys.

- 1 \chemsetup[newman]{angle=45} \newman{}
- 2 \newman[scale=.75,ring={draw=blue,fill=blue!20}]{}



```
\chemsetup[newman]{atoms={draw=red,fill=red!20,inner sep=2pt,rounded corners}}
\[ \chemsetup[newman]{1,2,3,4,5,6} \]
```

```
1 \chemsetup[newman]{
2  atoms = {draw=red,fill=red!20,inner sep=2pt,rounded corners},
3  back-atoms = {draw=blue,fill=blue!20,inner sep=2pt,rounded corners}
4 }
5 \newman{1,2,3,4,5,6} \newman(170){1,2,3,4,5,6}
```

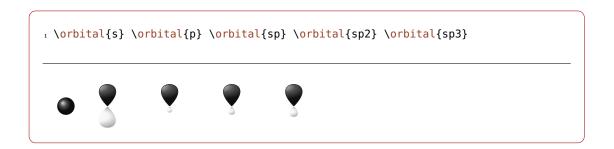
7.5. The orbital Module

The orbital module loads the tikz module. It provides the following command to create orbitals:

$\orbital[\langle options \rangle] \{\langle type \rangle\}$

Draw an orbital shape of type $\langle type \rangle$. This command uses TikZ internally.

There are the following types available for $\langle type \rangle$:



Depending on the type you have different options to modify the orbitals:

```
1 \orbital{s} \orbital[phase=-]{s}
2 \orbital{p} \orbital[phase=-]{p}
3 \orbital{sp3} \orbital[phase=-]{sp3}

4
5 \orbital[angle=0]{p} \orbital[color=red!50]{p}
6 \orbital[angle=135,scale=1.5]{p} \orbital[half]{p}
```

Additionally there are two options, with which the TikZ behaviour can be changed.

```
orbital » overlay = true|false
```

The orbital "doesn't need space"; it is displayed with the TikZ option overlay.

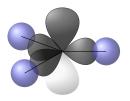
```
orbital \gg opacity = \{\langle num \rangle\}
```

The orbital becomes transparent; ⟨value⟩ can have values between 1 (fully opaque) to 0 (invisible).

```
1 \vspace{7mm}
2 \chemsetup[orbital]{
3    overlay,
4    p/color = black!70
5 }
```

```
6 \setbondoffset{0pt}
7 \chemfig{
8     ?\orbital{p}
9     -[,1.3]{\orbital[phase=-]{p}}
10     -[:30,1.1]\orbital{p}
11     -[:150,.9]{\orbital[phase=-]{p}}
12     -[4,1.3]\orbital{p}
13     -[:-150,1.1]{\orbital[phase=-]{p}}?
14 }
15 \vspace{7mm}
```

```
1 \vspace{7mm}
2 \setbondoffset{0pt}
3 \chemsetup[orbital]{
    overlay ,
    opacity = .75 ,
    p/scale = 1.6,
    s/color = blue!50 ,
    s/scale = 1.6
9 }
10 \chemfig{
   \orbital{s}
11
    -[:-20]{\orbital[scale=2]{p}}
           {\orbital[half,angle=0]{p}}
13
           {\orbital[angle=170,half]{p}}
14
           {\orbital[angle=-150,half]{p}}
15
    (-[:-150]\circ tal\{s\})-\circ tal\{s\}
16
17 }
18 \vspace{1cm}
```



7.6. The polymers Module

Introduced in version 5.5

The polymers module loads the nomenclature module.

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It defines a number of IUPAC macros for usage inside \iupac which are used in polymer chemistry. 7.6.1. Copolymers \copolymer co unspecified copolymer. An alias for this command is \co. \statistical stat statistical copolymer. An alias for this command is \stat. \random ran random copolymer. An alias for this command is \ran. \alternating alt alternating copolymer. An alias for this command is **\alt**. \periodic per periodic copolymer. An alias for this command is \per. \block block block copolymer. \graft graft graft copolymer. 7.6.2. Non-linear (Co)Polymers and Polymer Assemblies \blend blend The blend qualifier. \comb comb The comb qualifier. \complex compl The complex qualifier. An alias for this command is **\compl**. \cyclic cyclo The cyclic qualifier. An alias for this command is \cyclo. \branch branch The branch qualifier. \network net The network qualifier. An alias for this command is \net. \ipnetwork ipn The interpenetrating network qualifier. An alias for this command is \ipn. \sipnetwork sipn The semi-interpenetrating network qualifier. An alias for this command is \sipn.

\star star

The star qualifier.

7.7. The reactions Module

The reactions module loads the chemformula module and the mathtools package [MRW13].

7.7.1. Predefined Environments

You can use these environments for numbered...

\begin{reaction}

A single reaction where **CHEMFORMULA** code is placed directly in the environment body. A wrapper around the equation environment. The environment body is parsed with \ch or \ce depending on the value of the formula option, see section 6.2 starting on page 27.

\begin{reactions}

Several aligned reactions. A wrapper around amsmath's align environment. The environment body is parsed with \ch or \ce depending on the value of the formula option, see section 6.2 starting on page 27.

... and their starred versions for unnumbered reactions.

\begin{reaction*}

A wrapper around the equation* environment. The environment body is parsed with \ch or \ce depending on the value of the formula option, see section 6.2 starting on page 27.

\begin{reactions*}

A wrapper around amsmath's align* environment. The environment body is parsed with \ch or \ce depending on the value of the formula option, see section 6.2 starting on page 27.

With those environments you can create (un)numbered reaction equations similar to mathematical equations.

Theses environments use the equation/equation* environments or the align/align* environments, respectively, to display the reactions.

```
Reaction with counter:

begin{reaction}

A → B

Reaction with counter:

A → B

{1}
```

```
Reaction without counter:

begin{reaction*}

C -> D

end{reaction*}
```

Reaction without counter:

$$C \longrightarrow D$$

```
Several aligned reactions with counter:

begin{reactions}
A &-> B + C \\
D + E &-> F

end{reactions}
```

Several aligned reactions with counter:

$$A \longrightarrow B + C$$

$$D + E \longrightarrow F$$

$$\{2\}$$

```
1 Several aligned reactions without counter:
2 \begin{reactions*}
3   G   &-> H + I \\
4   J + K &-> L
5 \end{reactions*}
```

Several aligned reactions without counter:

$$G \longrightarrow H + I$$
$$J + K \longrightarrow L$$

If you want to change the layout of the counter tags, you can use

 $\ensuremath{\mbox{renewtagform}\{\langle tagname \rangle\}[\langle format \rangle]\{\langle right\ delimiter \rangle\}}\{\langle left\ delimiter \rangle\}$ Provided by the mathtools package.

The use of AMS math's **\intertext** is possible:

```
begin{reactions}
A + 2 B &-> 3 C + D "\label{rxn:test}"
intertext{Some text in between aligned reactions}
A E + F &<=> G + 1/2 H
wend{reactions}
See reaction~\ref{rxn:test}.
```

$$A + 2B \longrightarrow 3C + D$$
 {5}

Some text in between aligned reactions

$$3E + F \Longrightarrow G + \frac{1}{2}H \tag{6}$$

See reaction 5.

7.7.2. Own Reactions

You can create new types of reactions with the command:

```
\label{lem:newChemReaction} $$ \operatorname{NewChemReaction}_{\langle name \rangle} [\langle number\ of\ arguments \rangle] {\langle math\ name \rangle} $$
```

 $\langle name \rangle$ will be the name of the new chem environment. $\langle math \ name \rangle$ is the underlying math environment. Gives an error if $\langle name \rangle$ already exists.

```
\RenewChemReaction{\langle name \rangle} [\langle number \ of \ arguments \rangle] {\langle math \ name \rangle}
```

 $\langle name \rangle$ is the name of the renewed chem environment. $\langle math \ name \rangle$ is the underlying math environment. Gives an error if $\langle name \rangle$ does not exist.

```
\DeclareChemReaction{\langle name \rangle} [\langle number\ of\ arguments \rangle] {\langle math\ name \rangle}
```

(name) will be the name of the chem environment. (math name) is the underlying math environment.

```
\ProvideChemReaction{\langle name \rangle} [\langle number of arguments \rangle] {\langle math name \rangle}
```

 $\langle name \rangle$ will be the name of the new chem environment. $\langle math \ name \rangle$ is the underlying math environment. The new environment is only defined if it doesn't exist, yet.

```
1 \NewChemReaction{reaction} {equation}
2 \NewChemReaction{reaction*} {equation*}
3 \NewChemReaction{reactions} {align}
4 \NewChemReaction{reactions*}{align*}
```

Let's suppose, you'd like to have the alignment behaviour of the alignat environment for CHEMFORMULA reactions. You could do the following:

```
NewChemReaction{reactionsat}[1]{alignat}
```

With this the reactionsat environment is defined.

```
1 \NewChemReaction{reactionsat}[1]{alignat}
NewChemReaction{reactionsat*}[1]{alignat*}
3 \begin{reactionsat}{3}
         &-> B &&-> C
                              &&-> D \\
  aaaaa &-> bbbbb &&-> ccccc &&-> ddddd
6 \end{reactionsat}
7 \begin{reactionsat*}{2}
         &-> B
                 & C
                                 &-> D \\
   aaaaa &-> bbbbb &\quad{} ccccc &-> ddddd
10 \end{reactionsat*}
                         A \longrightarrow B \longrightarrow C \longrightarrow D
                                                                                {7}
                      aaaaa → bbbbb → ccccc → ddddd
                                                                                {8}
```

7.7.3. List of Reactions

The reactions module also provides a command to display a list of the reactions created with the reaction environment.

 $\begin{array}{cccc} A \longrightarrow B & C \longrightarrow D \\ aaaaa \longrightarrow bbbbb & ccccc \longrightarrow ddddd \end{array}$

\listofreactions

Print a list of reactions.

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Reaction {6}	40
Reaction {7}	41
Reaction {8}	41
Reaction {9}: Autoprotolyse	42
Reaction {10}: first step of chain	43
Reaction {11}: second step of chain	43
	Reaction {6}

The output of this list can be modified by two options:

```
reactions \gg list-name = {\langle name\ of\ the\ list \rangle}
```

Default: \ChemTranslate{list-of-reactions}

Let's you set the name of the list manually. The default name is language dependent, see section 6.5 starting on page 29.

```
reactions \gg list-entry = {\langle prefix to each entry \rangle}
```

Default: \ChemTranslate{reaction}

Let's you set a prefix to each list entry. The default name is language dependent, see section 6.5 starting on page 29.

```
reactions \gg list-heading-cmd = \{\langle code \rangle\}
```

Default: \section*{#1}

Introduced in version 5.2

The macro that is called at the beginning of the list. Inside of $\langle code \rangle$ #1 refers to the actual heading of the list. The default setting is not entirely true: if a macro \chapter is defined \chapter*{#1} is used.

Instead of using the option list-name you also could redefine \reactionlistname.

The list lists all reactions with a number and disregards reactions without number. All reaction environments without star have an optional argument which let's you add a description (or caption) for the entry in the list.

If you use the reactions environment this will not work, though. In this case you can use

```
\AddRxnDesc{\langle description \rangle}
```

Add a description to a reaction.

```
1 \begin{reactions}
2    "\chlewis{0.}{Cl}" + CH4 &
3     -> HCl + "\chlewis{180.}{C}" H3 \AddRxnDesc{first~step~of~chain} \\
4    "\chlewis{180.}{C}" H3 + Cl2 &
5     -> CH3Cl + "\chlewis{0.}{Cl}" \AddRxnDesc{second~step~of~chain}
6 \end{reactions}
```

$$Cl \cdot + CH_4 \longrightarrow HCl + \cdot CH_3$$
 {10}

$$\bullet CH_3 + Cl_2 \longrightarrow CH_3Cl + Cl \bullet$$
 {11}

7.8. The redox Module

The redox module loads the modules tikz and xfrac. It also loads the packages mathtools [MRW13] and relsize [Ars13].

7.8.1. Oxidation Numbers

Regarding the typesetting of oxidation numbers *The IUPAC Green Book* [Coh+o8] says the following:

Oxidation numbers are denoted by positive or negative Roman numerals or by zero $[\ldots]$

Examples Mn^{VII} , manganese (VII), O^{-II} , Ni^0 [Coh+o8, p. 50]

The following command is provided to set oxidation numbers:

 $\c \times [\langle options \rangle] \{\langle number \rangle, \langle atom \rangle\}$

Places (*number*) as right superscript to (*atom*); (*number*) has to be a (rational) number! (*atom*) is treated as a CHEMFORMULA formula, like it would be in \chcpd.

 $_{1} \setminus ox\{+1,Na\}, \setminus ox\{2,Ca\}, \setminus ox\{-2,S\}, \setminus ox\{-1,F\}$

 Na^{I} , Ca^{II} , S^{-II} , F^{-I}

There are a number of options that can be used to modify the typeset result:

redox » parse = true|false

Default: true

When false an arbitrary entry can be used for <number>.

redox » roman = true|false

Default: false

Switches from roman to arabic numbers.

redox » pos = top|super|side

Default: super

top places $\langle number \rangle$ above $\langle atom \rangle$, super to the upper right as superscript and side to the right and inside brackets. Both super and side follow IUPAC recommendation, top does not!

redox » explicit-sign = true|false

Default: false

Shows the \pm for positiv numbers and the \pm for 0.

redox » explizit-zero-sign = true|false

Default: true

Introduced in Only if both explicit-sign and explicit-zero-sign are set to true ±0 will be printed. version 5.4

redox » decimal-marker = comma|point

Default: point

Choice for the decimal marker for formal oxidation numbers like $X^{1.2}$.

redox » align = center|right Default: center

Center the oxidation number relative to the atom or right-align it.

```
redox » side-connect = \{\langle code \rangle\} Default: \,
```

Code that is inserted between atom and oxidation number if pos = {side} is used.

```
redox » text-frac = \{\langle cs \rangle\} Default: \chemfrac[text]{#1}{#2}
```

The fraction macro that is used for fractions if $pos = \{side\}$ is used. $\langle cs \rangle$ must be a macro that takes two mandatory arguments, the first for the numerator and the second for the denominator.

```
redox \gg super-frac = \{\langle cs \rangle\} Default: \chemfrac[superscript]{#1}{#2}
```

The fraction macro that is used for fractions if $pos = \{top\}$ or $pos = \{super\}$ is used. $\langle cs \rangle$ must be a macro that takes two mandatory arguments, the first for the numerator and the second for the denominator.

The $pos = \{top\}$ variant also can be set with the shortcut \oxspace *:

```
₁ \ox{3,Fe} \ox*{3,Fe} Fe<sup>Ⅲ</sup> Fe
```

Using the explicit-sign option will always show the sign of the oxidation number:

```
\label{eq:compare_compare} $$ \ \chemsetup[redox]{pos=top} $$ _2 \ \ch{-1,02^2-} \ to \ \ch{-1,03^*} \ \{}2^2-} $$ $$ $$ $$ $$ Compare \ O_2^{-1} \ to \ O_2^{-2} $$ $$ $$
```

Sometimes one might want to use formal oxidation numbers like 0.5 or 1/3:

The fraction is displayed with the help of the xfrac package [L₃Pb]. For more details on how **CHEMMACROS** uses it read section 8.2 starting on page 62.

7.8.2. Redox Reactions

CHEMMACROS provides two commands to visualize the transfer of electrons in redox reactions. Both commands are using TikZ.

```
\colon X\{\langle name \rangle, \langle atom \rangle\}\ Label \langle atom \rangle with the label \langle name \rangle.
```

```
\redox(\langle name1 \rangle, \langle name2 \rangle) [\langle tikz \rangle] [\langle num \rangle] {\langle text \rangle}
```

Connect two $\langle atom \rangle$ s previously labelled with $\backslash OX$. Only the first argument $(\langle name1 \rangle, \langle name2 \rangle)$ is required, the others are all optional.

\OX places \(\lambda tom\rangle\) into a node, which is named with \(\lambda name\rangle\). If you have set two \OX, they can be connected with a line using \(\text{redox}\). To do so the names of the two nodes that are to be connected are written in the round braces. Since \(\text{redox}\) draws a tikzpicture with options remember picture, overlay, the document needs to be compiled at least two times.

```
\label{eq:continuous_problem} $$ \vspace{7mm}$   $$ \ox{b,Na}\pch\redox(a,b){oxidation}$   $$ oxidation   $$ Na \to Na^+$
```

This line can be customized using TikZ keys in $[\langle tikz \rangle]$:

```
\label{eq:continuous_problem} $$ \operatorname{Vox}_{a,Na}  $\operatorname{vox}_{b,Na}\operatorname{vedox}(a,b)[->,red]_{ox} $$ \\ \hline \\ \underbrace{\operatorname{ox}_{Na \to Na^+}} $
```

With the argument $[\langle num \rangle]$ the length of the vertical parts of the line can be adjusted. The default length is .6em. This length is multiplied with $\langle num \rangle$. If you use a negative value the line is placed *below* the text.

The default length of the vertical lines can be customized with the option

```
redox » dist = \{\langle dim \rangle\}
```

Default: .6em

A TEX dimension.

```
\label{eq:chemsetop} $$ \ \chemsetup{redox/dist=lem} $$ \ \chemsetup{redox/dist=lem} $$ \ \chemsetup{sa, Na} $$ \ \chemsetup{redox/dist=lem} $$ \ \chemsetup{sa, Na} \ \chemset
```

```
redox \gg sep = \{\langle dim \rangle\}
```

Default: .2em

The option can be used to change the distance between the atom and the beginning of the line.

```
\label{eq:chemsetup} $$ \ \chemsetup{redox/sep=.5em} $$ \ \OX{a,Na} \ \rightarrow$ \OX{b,Na}\pch\redox(a,b)[->,red]{ox} $$ \ \OX$ $$ \AB \to Na^+ $$
```

Examples

```
1 \vspace{7mm}
2 \ch{
3     2 "\0X{o1,Na}" + "\0X{r1,Cl}" {}2
4     ->
```

```
5 2 "\0X\{02,Na\}" {}+ + 2 "\0X\{r2,Cl\}" {}-6 }
7 \redox(01,02){\small 0X: $- 2\el$}
8 \redox(r1,r2)[][-1]{\small RED: $+ 2\el$}
9 \vspace{7mm}

OX: -2e^-
2 Na + Cl_2 \longrightarrow 2 Na^+ + 2 Cl^-
RED: +2e^-
```

```
\text{vspace}{7mm} \\ \frac{1}{2} \ch{\text{ch}{\text{gontool}{\text{gontool}{\text{constant}{\text{gontool}{\text{constant}{\text{gontool}{\text{gontool}{\text{constant}{\text{gontool}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{gontool}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\text{constant}{\tex
```

7.9. The scheme Module

The scheme module loads the chemnum package [Nie15c] and defines a floating environment \begin{scheme}. That is, it *only* defines this float if no environment scheme exists at the end of the preamble. The module checks for different available float defining methods, in *this* order:

- If the current class is a KOMA-Script class \DeclareNewTOC will be used.
- If the current class is memoir, memoir's methods are used.
- If the package toobasic has been loaded \DeclareNewTOC will be used.
- If the package newfloat has been loaded \DeclareFloatingEnvironment will be used.
- If the package floatrow has been loaded its method will be used.
- If the package float has been loaded its method will be used.
- If neither of the above the "manual" method is used. This means the environment is defined the same way like figure is defined in the article class or the book class, depending if \chapter is defined or not.

The list name and the caption name both are translated to the language specified according to the lang option and the provided translations, see section 6.5 starting on page 29 for details. If you want to manually change them then redefine these macros after begin document:

\listschemename

The name of the list of schemes.

\schemename

The name used in captions.

The list of schemes is printed as expected with

\listofschemes

Introduced in version 5.1

7.10. The spectroscopy Module

The spectroscopy module loads the chemformula module and the siunitx package [Wri15].

7.10.1. The \NMR Command

When you're trying to find out if a compound is the one you think it is often NMR spectroscopy is used. The experimental data are typeset similar to this:

¹H-NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃):
$$\delta$$
 = 1.59

The spectroscopy module provides a command which simplifies the input.

```
\MR*{\langle num \rangle, \langle element \rangle} (\langle num \rangle, \langle unit \rangle) [\langle solvent \rangle]
```

Typeset nuclear magnetic resonance data. $\langle num \rangle$ is a valid siunitx number input, $\langle unit \rangle$ is a valid siunitx unit input. $\langle solvent \rangle$ is any valid CHEMFORMULA input as in \chcpd.

All Argument are optional! Without arguments we get:

```
\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \text{NMR } \text{par} & \text{ } \text{ } \text{1} \text{H-NMR: } \delta \\ 2 & \text{NMR*} & \text{ } \text{1} \text{H-NMR} \end{bmatrix}
```

The first argument specifies the kind of NMR:

```
_{1} \NMR{13,C} ^{13}C-NMR: \delta
```

The second argument sets the frequency (in MHz):

```
^{1} \NMR (400 MHz): \delta
```

You can choose another unit:

```
^{1} \NMR(4e8,\hertz) ^{1}H-NMR (4 × 10<sup>8</sup> Hz): \delta
```

Please note that the setup of siunitx also affects this command:

```
\label{eq:linear_sist} $$ \frac{1}{2 \cdot NMR(4e8, \cdot)} = \frac{1}{H-NMR(4 \cdot 10^8 \, Hz)} : \delta$
```

The third argument specifies the solvent:

1 \NMR[CDCl3]

 1 H-NMR (CDCl₃): δ

7.10.2. *Short Cuts*

It is possible to define short cut commands for specific nuclei.

```
\NewChemNMR{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle num \rangle, \langle atom \rangle}
```

Define a new shortcut macro for typesetting a certain type of magnetic resonence data. Gives an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ already exists.

```
\DeclareChemNMR\{\langle cs \rangle\}\{\langle num \rangle, \langle atom \rangle\}\
```

Define a new shortcut macro for typesetting a certain type of magnetic resonence data. Overwrites an existing macro.

```
\RenewChemNMR\{\langle cs \rangle\}\{\langle num \rangle, \langle atom \rangle\}\
```

Redefine an existing shortcut macro for typesetting a certain type of magnetic resonence data. Gives an error if $\langle cs \rangle$ doesn't exist.

```
\ProvideChemNMR\{\langle cs \rangle\}\{\langle num \rangle, \langle atom \rangle\}\
```

Define a new shortcut macro for typesetting a certain type of magnetic resonence data. $\langle cs \rangle$ is only defined if it doesn't exist, yet.

This defines a command with the same arguments as \NMR except for $\{\langle num \rangle, \langle atom \rangle\}$:

7.10.3. An Environment to Typeset Experimental Data

The spectroscopy module provides an environment to ease the input of experimental data.

\begin{experimental}

Environment for the output of experimental data. Inside the environment the following commands are defined.

```
\data{\langle type \rangle}[\langle specification \rangle]
```

Type of data, *e. g.* IR, MS... The optional argument takes further specifications which are output in parentheses.

```
\data*{\langle type \rangle} [\langle specification \rangle]
```

Like \data but changes the = into a :, given that use-equal = $\{true\}$ is used.

```
\MR{\langle num \rangle, \langle elem \rangle [\langle coupling\ core \rangle]} (\langle num \rangle, \langle unit \rangle) [\langle solvent \rangle]
```

This command gets an additional argument: $\MR{13,C[^1H]}$ $^{13}C{^1H}$ -NMR: δ

Coupling constant, values are input separated by ; (NMR). The arguments ($\langle bonds \rangle$; $\langle nuclei \rangle$) and [$\langle unit \rangle$] are optional and enable further specifications of the coupling.

```
\#{\(\num\)}
  Number of nuclei (NMR).

\pos{\(\lam\)}
  Position of nuclues (NMR).

\val{\(\lam\)}
  A number, an alias of siunitx' \num{\(\lam\)}.

\val{\(\lam\)-\(\lam\)}
  An alias of siunitx' \numrange{\(\lam\)}{\(\lam\)}.
```

```
1 \begin{experimental}
2 \data{type1} Data.
3 \data{type2}[specifications] More data.
4 \data*{type3} Even more data.
5 \end{experimental}
```

type1 Data. type2 (specifications) More data. type3 Even more data.

Customization The output of the environment and of the NMR commands can be customized be a number of options. For historical reasons they all belong to the module nmr.

```
spectroscopy \Rightarrow unit = {\langle unit \rangle}
                                                                                                        Default: \mega\hertz
                     The used default unit.
spectroscopy » nucleus = \{\langle num \rangle, \langle atom \rangle\}
                                                                                                                Default: {1,H}
                     The used default nucleus.
spectroscopy \gg connector = \{\langle code \rangle\}
                                                                                                                     Default: -
                     Places \langle code \rangle between the nucleus and the method.
spectroscopy \gg method = \{\langle code \rangle\}
                                                                                                                   Default: NMR
                     The measuring method.
spectroscopy \gg format = \{\langle commands \rangle\}
                                                                                                              (initially empty)
                     For example \bfseries.
spectroscopy » pos-number = side|sub|super
                                                                                                                 Default: side
                     Position of the number next to the atom.
spectroscopy * coupling-symbol = \{\langle code \rangle\}
                                                                                                                     Default: J
                     The symbol used for the coupling constant.
                                                                                                               Default: \hertz
spectroscopy \Rightarrow coupling-unit = \{\langle unit \rangle\}
                     A siunitx unit.
spectroscopy » coupling-pos = side|sub
                                                                                                                 Default: side
                     Placement of the coupling nuclei next to the symbol J (or rather the symbol specified with
```

option coupling-symbol).

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```
spectroscopy » coupling-nuclei-pre = \{\langle code \rangle\}
                                                                                                            Default: (
                    Code inserted before the coupling nuclei when coupling-pos = {side}.
spectroscopy \gg coupling-nuclei-post = \{\langle code \rangle\}
                                                                                                            Default: )
                    Code inserted after the coupling nuclei when coupling-pos = {side}.
spectroscopy \gg coupling-bonds-pre = \{\langle code \rangle\}
                                                                                                      (initially empty)
                    Code inserted before the coupling bonds.
spectroscopy \Rightarrow coupling-bonds-post = \{\langle code \rangle\}
                                                                                                           Default: \!
                    Code inserted after the coupling bonds.
                                                                                              Default: \@firstofone
spectroscopy » coupling-pos-cs = \{\langle cs \rangle\}
                    Set the macro that prints the number set with the \pos macro. This needs to be a command
                    with one mandatory argument.
                                                                                              Default: \@firstofone
spectroscopy \gg atom-number-cs = \{\langle cs \rangle\}
                    Set the macro that prints the number set with the \# macro. This needs to be a command with
                    one mandatory argument.
                                                                                                   Default: .16667em
spectroscopy » atom-number-space = \{\langle dim \rangle\}
                    Horizontal space inserted between number and atom (printed by \#).
   Introduced in
   version 5.3
                                                                                                        Default: true
spectroscopy » parse = true | false
                    Treat the solvent as CHEMFORMULA formula or not.
spectroscopy \gg delta = \{\langle tokens \rangle\}
                                                                                                      (initially empty)
                   The \langle tokens \rangle are added after \delta.
                                                                                                       Default: false
spectroscopy » list = true|false
                   The environment nmr is formatted as a list
spectroscopy \gg list-setup = \{\langle setup \rangle\}
                    Setup of the list. See below for the default settings.
                                                                                                       Default: false
spectroscopy » use-equal = true|false
                    Add egual sign after \NMR and \data.
                      The default setup of the list:
                      1 \topsep\z@skip \partopsep\z@skip
                      2 \itemsep\z@ \parsep\z@ \itemindent\z@
                      3 \leftmargin\z@
                      1 \begin{experimental}[format=\bfseries]
                        \data{type1} Data.
                          \data{type2}[specifications] More data.
                         \data*{type3} Even more data.
                      5 \end{experimental}
```

type1 Data. type2 (specifications) More data. type3 Even more data.

The command \NMR and all commands defined through \NewChemNMR can be used like \data for the NMR data.

```
begin{experimental}[format=\bfseries, use-equal]
data{type1} Data.
  \data{type2}[specifications] More data.
  \NMR Even more data.
  \end{experimental}

type1 = Data. type2 (specifications) = More data. 
1H-NMR: δ = Even more data.
```

An Example The code below is shown with different specifications for *(options)*. Of course options can also be chosen with *\chemsetup*.

```
\sisetup{separate-uncertainty,per-mode=symbol,detect-all,range-phrase=--}
2 \begin{experimental}[<optionen>]
    \data*{yield} \SI{17}{\milli\gram} yellow needles (\SI{0.04}{\milli\mole},
     SI{13}{\operatorname{percent}}.
   \displaystyle \frac{mp.} \SI{277}{celsius} \ (DSC).
   \MR(600)[CDCl3] \val{2.01} (s, \{24}, \pos{5}), \val{2.31} (s, \{12}, \{12}, \{13})
   pos{1}), val{6.72--6.74} (m, #{2}, pos{11}), val{6.82} (s, #{8},
   pos{3}, val{7.05--7.07} (m, val{7.39--7.41} (m, val{7.39--7.41} (m, val{4},
    pos{9}), val{7.48--7.49} (m, \#{4}, pos{8}).
12
   \MR{13,C}(150)[CDCl3] \val{21.2} ($+$, \4{4}, \pos{1}), \val{23.4} ($+$,
13
    \#{8}, \pos{5}), \val{126.0} ($+$, \#{4}, \pos{9}), \val{128.2} ($+$, \#{8},
    pos{3}, val{130.8} ($+$, #{2}, pos{12}), val{133.6} ($+$, #{2},
15
    pos{11}, val{137.0} ($+$, #{4}, pos{8}), val{138.6} (q, #{4},
16
    pos{2}, val{140.6} (q, #{2}, pos{10}), val{140.8} (q, #{8}, pos{4}),
17
   19
    \displaystyle data{MS}[DCP, EI, SI{60}{\left( electronvolt \right) } \ (2, ch{M+}), \ val{582}
20
    (1), \val{462} (1), \val{249} (13), \val{120} (41), \val{105} (100).
21
    \data{MS}[\ch{Me0H + H20 + KI}, ESI, \SI{10}{\clear{long}}] \val{720} (100, \clear{long})
23
    \ch{M+ + OH-}), \val{368} (\ch{M+ + 2 OH-}).
24
25
   \data{IR}[KBr] \val{3443} (w), \val{3061} (w), \val{2957} (m), \val{2918}
    (m), \val{2856} (w), \val{2729} (w), \val{1725} (w), \val{1606} (s),
27
   (m), \val{1357} (w), \val{1278} (w), \val{1238} (s), \val{1214} (s),
    (m), \val{874} (m), \val{846} (s), \val{818} (w), \val{798} (m), \val{744}
31
    (w), \val{724} (m), \val{663} (w), \val{586} (w), \val{562} (w), \val{515}
```

```
33 (w).
34 %
35 \data*{UV-Vis} \SI{386}{\nano\metre} ($\varepsilon = \val{65984}$),
36 \SI{406}{\nano\metre} ($\varepsilon = \val{65378}$).
37 %
38 \data*{quantum yield} $\Phi = \val{0.74+-0.1}$\,.
39 \end{experimental}
```

Nearly Standard Output with these options:

```
delta=(ppm),pos-number=sub,use-equal
```

yield: 17 mg yellow needles (0.04 mmol, 13 %). mp. = 277 °C (DSC). 1 H-NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃): δ (ppm) = 2.01 (s, 24 H, H₅), 2.31 (s, 12 H, H₁), 6.72–6.74 (m, 2 H, H₁₁), 6.82 (s, 8 H, H₃), 7.05–7.07 (m, 2 H, H₁₂), 7.39–7.41 (m, 4 H, H₉), 7.48–7.49 (m, 4 H, H₈). 13 C-NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃): δ (ppm) = 21.2 (+, 4 C, C₁), 23.4 (+, 8 C, C₅), 126.0 (+, 4 C, C₉), 128.2 (+, 8 C, C₃), 130.8 (+, 2 C, C₁₂), 133.6 (+, 2 C, C₁₁), 137.0 (+, 4 C, C₈), 138.6 (q, 4 C, C₂), 140.6 (q, 2 C, C₁₀), 140.8 (q, 8 C, C₄), 141.8 (q, 4 C, C₆), 145.6 (q, 2 C, C₇). MS (DCP, EI, 60 eV) = 703 (2, M⁺), 582 (1), 462 (1), 249 (13), 120 (41), 105 (100). MS (MeOH + H₂O + KI, ESI, 10 eV) = 720 (100, M⁺ + OH⁻), 368 (M⁺ + 2 OH⁻). IR (KBr) = 3443 (w), 3061 (w), 2957 (m), 2918 (m), 2856 (w), 2729 (w), 1725 (w), 1606 (s), 1592 (s), 1545 (w), 1446 (m), 1421 (m), 1402 (m), 1357 (w), 1278 (w), 1238 (s), 1214 (s), 1172 (s), 1154 (m), 1101 (w), 1030 (w), 979 (m), 874 (m), 846 (s), 818 (w), 798 (m), 744 (w), 724 (m), 663 (w), 586 (w), 562 (w), 515 (w). UV-Vis: 386 nm (ε = 65 984), 406 nm (ε = 65 378). quantum yield: Φ = 0.74 ± 0.10 .

Formatted List Output with these options:

quantum yield: $\Phi = 0.74 \pm 0.10$.

```
1 format=\bfseries,delta=(ppm),list=true,use-equal
```

```
yield: 17 mg yellow needles (0.04 mmol, 13 %). 
mp. = 277 °C (DSC). 
<sup>1</sup>H-NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): \delta (ppm) = 2.01 (s, 24 H, H<sub>5</sub>), 2.31 (s, 12 H, H<sub>1</sub>), 6.72–6.74 (m, 2 H, H<sub>11</sub>), 6.82 (s, 8 H, H<sub>3</sub>), 7.05–7.07 (m, 2 H, H<sub>12</sub>), 7.39–7.41 (m, 4 H, H<sub>9</sub>), 7.48–7.49 (m, 4 H, H<sub>8</sub>). 
<sup>13</sup>C-NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): \delta (ppm) = 21.2 (+, 4 C, C<sub>1</sub>), 23.4 (+, 8 C, C<sub>5</sub>), 126.0 (+, 4 C, C<sub>9</sub>), 128.2 (+, 8 C, C<sub>3</sub>), 130.8 (+, 2 C, C<sub>12</sub>), 133.6 (+, 2 C, C<sub>11</sub>), 137.0 (+, 4 C, C<sub>8</sub>), 138.6 (q, 4 C, C<sub>2</sub>), 140.6 (q, 2 C, C<sub>10</sub>), 140.8 (q, 8 C, C<sub>4</sub>), 141.8 (q, 4 C, C<sub>6</sub>), 145.6 (q, 2 C, C<sub>7</sub>). 
MS (DCP, EI, 60 eV) = 703 (2, M<sup>+</sup>), 582 (1), 462 (1), 249 (13), 120 (41), 105 (100). 
MS (MeOH + H<sub>2</sub>O + KI, ESI, 10 eV) = 720 (100, M<sup>+</sup> + OH<sup>-</sup>), 368 (M<sup>+</sup> + 2 OH<sup>-</sup>). 
IR (KBr) = 3443 (w), 3061 (w), 2957 (m), 2918 (m), 2856 (w), 2729 (w), 1725 (w), 1606 (s), 1592 (s), 1545 (w), 1446 (m), 1421 (m), 1402 (m), 1357 (w), 1278 (w), 1238 (s), 1214 (s), 1172 (s), 1154 (m), 1101 (w), 1030 (w), 979 (m), 874 (m), 846 (s), 818 (w), 798 (m), 744 (w), 724 (m), 663 (w), 586 (w), 562 (w), 515 (w). 
UV-Vis: 386 nm (ε = 65 984), 406 nm (ε = 65 378).
```

Crazy Output for these options:

format=\color{red}\itshape,

2 list=true,

```
3 delta=\textcolor{green}{\ch{M+ + H20}},
pos-number=side,
5 coupling-unit=\mega\gram\per\square\second,
6 list-setup=,
7 use-equal
    yield: 17 mg yellow needles (0.04 mmol, 13 %).
    mp. = 277 \,^{\circ}\text{C (DSC)}.
    <sup>1</sup>H-NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): \delta M<sup>+</sup> + H<sub>2</sub>O = 2.01 (s, 24 H, H-5), 2.31 (s, 12 H, H-1), 6.72–6.74
   (m, 2 H, H-11), 6.82 (s, 8 H, H-3), 7.05-7.07 (m, 2 H, H-12), 7.39-7.41 (m, 4 H, H-9), 7.48-7.49
   (m, 4 H, H-8).
    <sup>13</sup>C-NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): \delta M<sup>+</sup> + H<sub>2</sub>O = 21.2 (+, 4 C, C-1), 23.4 (+, 8 C, C-5), 126.0 (+,
   4 C, C-9), 128.2 (+, 8 C, C-3), 130.8 (+, 2 C, C-12), 133.6 (+, 2 C, C-11), 137.0 (+, 4 C, C-8),
    138.6 (q, 4 C, C-2), 140.6 (q, 2 C, C-10), 140.8 (q, 8 C, C-4), 141.8 (q, 4 C, C-6), 145.6 (q, 2 C,
    C-7).
   MS(DCP, EI, 60 \text{ eV}) = 703 (2, M^+), 582 (1), 462 (1), 249 (13), 120 (41), 105 (100).
   MS (MeOH + H_2O + KI, ESI, 10 eV) = 720 (100, M^+ + OH^-), 368 (M^+ + 2 OH^-).
    IR(KBr) = 3443 (w), 3061 (w), 2957 (m), 2918 (m), 2856 (w), 2729 (w), 1725 (w), 1606 (s),
    1592 (s), 1545 (w), 1446 (m), 1421 (m), 1402 (m), 1357 (w), 1278 (w), 1238 (s), 1214 (s), 1172
```

(s), 1154 (m), 1101 (w), 1030 (w), 979 (m), 874 (m), 846 (s), 818 (w), 798 (m), 744 (w), 724

UV-Vis: 386 nm (ε = 65 984), 406 nm (ε = 65 378).

quantum yield: $\Phi = 0.74 \pm 0.10$.

(m), 663 (w), 586 (w), 562 (w), 515 (w).

7.11. The thermodynamics Module

The thermodynamics module loads the siunitx package [Wri15].

```
7.11.1. The \state Macro
\state[\langle options \rangle] {\langle symbol \rangle}
Typeset a state variable.
```

This macro can be used to write the thermodynamic state variables.

```
1 \state{A}, \state[subscript-left=f]{G} ,
2 \state[subscript-right=\ch{Na}]{E},
3 \state[superscript-right=\SI{1000}{\celsius}]{H}
```

 ΔA° , $\Delta_{\mathrm{f}} G^{\circ}$, $\Delta E_{\mathrm{Na}}^{\circ}$, $\Delta H^{1000\,^{\circ}\mathrm{C}}$

These options are available:

thermodynamics \gg pre = $\{\langle text \rangle\}$

Default: \changestate

Code inserted before the variable. Inserted in text mode.

thermodynamics \gg post = $\{\langle text \rangle\}$

(initially empty)

Code inserted after the variable. Inserted in text mode.

thermodynamics \gg superscript-left = $\{\langle text \rangle\}$

(initially empty)

The left superscript. Inserted in text mode.

thermodynamics \gg superscript-right = { $\langle text \rangle$ }

Default: \standardstate

The right superscript. Inserted in text mode.

thermodynamics \Rightarrow superscript = $\{\langle text \rangle\}$

An alias of superscript-right.

thermodynamics \gg subscript-left = $\{\langle text \rangle\}$

(initially empty)

The left subscript. Inserted in text mode.

thermodynamics \gg subscript-right = $\{\langle text \rangle\}$

(initially empty)

The right subscript. Inserted in text mode.

thermodynamics \gg subscript = $\{\langle text \rangle\}$

An alias of subscript-left.

7.11.2. Thermodynamic Variables

The thermodynamics module provides a few commands for specific thermodynamic variables:

```
\end{alpy*} [\langle options \rangle] (\langle subscript \rangle) \{\langle value \rangle\}
```

Typeset the amount of enthalpy.

 $\ensuremath{\mbox{entropy}}*[\langle options \rangle](\langle subscript \rangle) \{\langle value \rangle\}$

Typeset the amount of entropy.

 $\gibbs*[\langle options \rangle](\langle subscript \rangle) \{\langle value \rangle\}$

Typeset the amount of Gibbs enthalpy.

Their usage is pretty much self-explaining:

```
 \Delta H^{\circ} = 123 \, \mathrm{kJ \, mol^{-1}}  
  ^{2} \left( 123 \right) \, \mathrm{par}   S^{\circ} = 123 \, \mathrm{J \, K^{-1} \, mol^{-1}}  
  ^{3} \left( 123 \right)   \Delta G^{\circ} = 123 \, \mathrm{kJ \, mol^{-1}}
```

The argument ((subscript)) adds a subscript for specification, * hides number and unit:

```
thermodynamics » pre = \{\langle text \rangle\} Default: \c before the variety of the product of the produ
```

Code inserted before the variable. Inserted in text mode.

thermodynamics
$$\Rightarrow$$
 post = $\{\langle text \rangle\}$ (initially empty)

Code inserted after the variable. Inserted in text mode.

thermodynamics
$$\Rightarrow$$
 superscript-left = { $\langle text \rangle$ } (initially empty)

The left superscript. Inserted in text mode.

thermodynamics
$$\Rightarrow$$
 superscript-right = { $\langle text \rangle$ } Default: \Rightarrow

The right superscript. Inserted in text mode.

```
thermodynamics \Rightarrow superscript = {\langle text \rangle}
```

An alias of superscript-right.

thermodynamics
$$\Rightarrow$$
 subscript-left = { $\langle text \rangle$ } (initially empty)

The left subscript. Inserted in text mode.

thermodynamics » subscript-right =
$$\{\langle text \rangle\}$$
 (initially empty)

The right subscript. Inserted in text mode.

```
thermodynamics \gg subscript = \{\langle text \rangle\}
```

An alias of subscript-left.

Default: left

Determines wether the subscript given in $(\langle subscript \rangle)$ is placed to the left or the right of the variable.

```
thermodynamics \Rightarrow symbol = {\langle symbol \rangle} (initially empty)
```

The symbol of the variable. Inserted in math mode.

thermodynamics
$$\Rightarrow$$
 unit = { $\langle unit \rangle$ } (initially empty)

A valid siunitx unit.

The default values depend on the command.

The unit is set corresponding to the rules of siunitx and depends on its settings:

```
1 \enthalpy{-1234.56e3} \par
                          2 \sisetup{
                             per-mode=symbol,
                                                                                    \Delta H^{\circ} = -1234.56 \times 10^3 \,\text{kJ mol}^{-1}
                              exponent-product=\cdot,
                                                                                    \Delta H^{\circ} = -1234,56 \cdot 10^3 \,\text{kJ/mol}
                              output-decimal-marker={,},
                              group-four-digits=true
                          <sub>7</sub> }
                          8 \enthalpy{-1234.56e3}
                          7.11.3. Create New Variables or Redefine Existing Ones
                       \NewChemState{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle options \rangle}
                          Define new state commands like \enthalpy. Gives an error is \langle cs \rangle already exists.
                       \RenewChemState{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle options \rangle}
                          Redefine existing state commands.
                       \DeclareChemState{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle options \rangle}
                          Like \NewChemState but gives now error if \langle cs \rangle already exists.
                       \ProvideChemState{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle options \rangle}
                         Define new state commands like \enthalpy. Defines \langle cs \rangle only if it is not defined, yet.
                         The argument (options) is a comma separated list of key/value options:
thermodynamics \Rightarrow pre = {\langle text \rangle}
                                                                                                              Default: \changestate
                         Code inserted before the variable. Inserted in text mode.
                                                                                                                      (initially empty)
thermodynamics \gg post = \{\langle text \rangle\}
                         Code inserted after the variable. Inserted in text mode.
thermodynamics \gg superscript-left = \{\langle text \rangle\}
                                                                                                                       (initially empty)
                         The left superscript. Inserted in text mode.
thermodynamics \Rightarrow superscript-right = {\langle text \rangle}
                                                                                                           Default: \standardstate
                         The right superscript.
thermodynamics \gg superscript = \{\langle text \rangle\}
                         An alias of superscript-right.
thermodynamics \gg subscript-left = \{\langle text \rangle\}
                                                                                                                      (initially empty)
                         The left subscript. Inserted in text mode.
thermodynamics \gg subscript-right = {\langle text \rangle}
                                                                                                                      (initially empty)
                         The right subscript. Inserted in text mode.
thermodynamics \gg subscript = \{\langle text \rangle\}
                         An alias of subscript-left.
thermodynamics » subscript-pos = left|right
                                                                                                                          Default: left
                         Determines wether the subscript given in (\langle subscript \rangle) is placed to the left or the right of the
```

variable.

```
thermodynamics » symbol = \{\langle symbol \rangle\} (initially empty)

The symbol of the variable.

thermodynamics » unit = \{\langle unit \rangle\} (initially empty)

A valid signify unit.
```

The existing commands have been defined like this:

```
1 \NewChemState \enthalpy{ symbol = H, unit = \kilo\joule\per\mole }
2 \NewChemState \entropy { symbol = S, unit = \joule\per\kelvin\per\mole, pre = }
3 \NewChemState \gibbs { symbol = G, unit = \kilo\joule\per\mole }
```

So – for following thermodynamic conventions – one could define a molar and an absolute variable:

```
\label{eq:linear_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_continuous_con
```

7.12. The units Module

The units module loads the siunity package [Wri15].

In chemistry some non-SI units are very common. siunitx provides the command

```
Define \( \csi \) to be a valid unit command inside siunitx' macros \( \SI \) and \( \si \) which represents
  \langle unit \rangle.
  to add arbitrary units. CHEMMACROS uses that command to provide some units. Like all siunitx
  units they're only valid inside SI\{\langle num\rangle\}\{\langle unit\rangle\}\ and Si\{\langle unit\rangle\}\.
\atmosphere
  atm
\atm
  atm
\calory
  cal
\cal
  cal
\cmc
  cm^3
  The units \cmc, \molar, and \Molar are defined by the package chemstyle as well. CHEM-
  MACROS only defines them, if chemstyle is not loaded.
\molar
  mol dm^{-3}
\moLar
  mol \, L^{-1}
\Molar
  M
\MolMass
  g \, mol^{-1}
\normal
```

By the way: \mmHg mmHg already is defined by siunitx.

8. Internal Modules

8.1. The tikz Module

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 $\DeclareSIUnit{\langle cs \rangle}{\langle unit \rangle}$

The tikz module loads the tikz package [Tan13] and the TikZ library calc.

8.1.1. For Users

The tikz module defines a few arrow tips:

```
el
    An arrow tip: \tikz\draw[-el](0,0)--(1,0); ______

left el
    An arrow tip: \tikz\draw[-left el](0,0)--(1,0); _____

right el
    An arrow tip: \tikz\draw[-right el](0,0)--(1,0); _____
```

Introduced in version 5.3

The tikz module also loads the libraries calc and decorations.pathmorphing. It uses those libraries for defining a new decoration wave.

```
begin{tikzpicture}
    \draw[decorate,decoration=wave]
    (0,0) -- (2,0);
    \end{tikzpicture}
```

8.1.2. For Module Writers

The tikz module provides some macros for common TikZ functions. This allows to use expl3's powerful function variants for expansion control.

\c_chemmacros_other_colon_tl

A constant tokenlist which contains a colon with category code 12 (other). This is useful since TikZ sometimes expects an other colon and in an expl3 programming environment : has category code 11 (letter).

```
\chemmacros_tikz_picture:nn {\(\lambda\) {\(\code\)}
    Defined as \tikzpicture[{\(\filta\)] \(\filta\) {\(\code\)}
    Defined as \tikz:nn {\(\lambda\) ptions\)} {\(\code\)}
    Defined as \tikz[{\(\filta\)] {\(\filta\)}.
\chemmacros_tikz_draw:n {\(\lambda\) ptions\)}
    Defined as \draw[{\(\filta\)].
\chemmacros_tikz_node:n {\(\lambda\) ptions\)}
    Defined as \node[{\(\filta\)].
\chemmacros_tikz_shade:n {\(\lambda\) ptions\)}
    Defined as \shadedraw:n {\(\lambda\) ptions\)}
    Defined as \shadedraw[{\(\filta\)].
\chemmacros_tikz_shadedraw:n {\(\lambda\) ptions\)}
    Defined as \shadedraw[{\(\filta\)].
\chemmacros_tikz_node_in_draw:n {\(\lambda\) ptions\)}
    Defined as node[{\(\filta\)].
\chemmacros_tikz_node_in_draw:n {\(\lambda\) ptions\)}
    Defined as node[{\(\filta\)].
\chemmacros_tikz_node_in_draw:n {\(\lambda\) ptions\}}
```

TABLE 4: Predefined xfrac text instances.

font family	text	superscript
cmr	2/3	2/3
lmr	2/3	2/3
LinuxLibertineT-TLF	2/3	2/3
LinuxLibertineT-T0sF	² / ₃	2/3

8.2. The xfrac Module

The xfrac module loads the package xfrac [L₃Pb]. For the following explanations it will be helpful if you know about said package and how it works first. This module is a support module that defines the macro

```
\chemfrac[\langle type \rangle] \{\langle numerator \rangle\} \{\langle denominator \rangle\}  \langle type \rangle can either be text or superscript.
```

This macro calls a certain instance of the xfrac text template, depending on the option $\langle type \rangle$ and the current font family. If used \chemfrac looks if an instance

```
chemmacros-frac-f@family-\langle type \rangle
```

exists. If yes this instance is used, if no the instance chemmacros-frac-default- $\langle type \rangle$ is used. The default instances are the same as the ones for cmr.

The xfrac module defines instances some font families, they are listed and demonstrated in table 4. The superscript type fractions *look* larger than the text types. The reason is that the superscript types are typically used with a smaller font size. Let's take a look at an example where both instances are used:

If you define instances for other families please feel free to submit them to me (see section A.2 starting on page 64) so they can be added to the xfrac module.

Part IV.

Appendix

A. Own Modules

A.1. How To

If you have additional functionality which you think might be useful as a CHEMMACROS module then you can easily write one yourself. The module must be a file in a path where TEX can find it following a certain naming scheme. The file for a module foo *must be named* chemmacros.module.foo.code.tex.

Register module (name). The optional argument (minimal compatibility version) ensures that this module is only loaded if the option compatibility has a high enough version number. If it is omitted the module can be loaded in each version 5.0 or higher.

The first line in the file then should look similar to this:

1 \ChemModule{foo}{2015/07/14 description of foo}

This registers module foo which means CHEMMACROS will accept this file as a valid module. Since CHEMMACROS is written using expl3 \ChemModule starts an expl3 programming environment. If you don't want that but rather want to write your module using traditional LateX $2_{\mathcal{E}}$ methods then use the starred variant:

1 \ChemModule*{foo}{2015/07/14 description of foo}

In both variants @ has category code 11 (letter).

Since new modules very likely might rely on code provided first in a certain version of **CHEMMACROS** you might want to make sure that your module only is loaded when the compatibility mode is high enough to provide the features you want:

1 \ChemModule{foo}{2015/10/14 description of foo}[5.2]

You should be aware that your module *will not be loaded* with \usechemmodule{all}! The pseudo-module all contains a manually maintained list of the modules that are loaded by it.

If you decide to write your module foo using expl3 and add options you want to be able to set using \chemsetup[foo]{\langle options\rangle} please make sure you define (and set) them with the following macros:

```
\chemmacros\_define\_keys:nn {\langle module \rangle} {\langle key definitions \rangle}
```

Define l3keys options for the module $\langle module \rangle$. This is a wrapper for $\langle module \rangle$ { $\langle key\ definitions \rangle$ }.

```
\color= \col
```

Sets l3keys options for the module $\langle module \rangle$. This is a wrapper for $\langle module \rangle$ { $\langle input \rangle$ }.

Also (*especially if you consider submitting the module*, *see section A.2*) please follow the expl3 naming conventions for variables and functions, *i. e.*, use chemmacros as expl3 module name:

```
1 \tl_new:N \l__chemmacros_my_internal_variable_tl
2 \tl_new:N \l_chemmacros_my_public_variable_tl
3 \cs_new:Npn \__chemmacros_my_internal_function:n #1 { ... }
4 \cs_new_protected:Npn \chemmacros_my_public_function:n #1 { ... }
5 \NewDocumentCommand \publicfunction {m}
6 { \chemmacros_my_public_function:n {#1} }
```

You will find more details on the naming conventions in interface3.pdf which most likely is available on your system:

```
~ $ texdoc interface3
```

If you haven't read section 6.1 starting on page 25 about the base module, yet, please have a look. There some macros for module writers are described. Also other modules define macros for module writers which may be useful.

A.2. Submitting a Module

If you have written a module and feel it might be useful for other users please feel free to contact me and submit the module. I will surely take at look at both functionality and code and if I feel that it adds value to CHEMMACROS I will add it to the package. Requirement for this is that the module is licensed with the LATEX Project Public License (v1.3 or later) and that I take over maintenance (according to the "maintainer" status of the LPPL).

Please do *not* submit your module via pull request but send me the files directly. In the best case you also have a short piece of documentation.

B. Suggestions, Bug Reports, Support

Support If you need support or help with anything regarding **CHEMMACROS** please use the usual support forums

```
• http://www.golatex.de/ or
```

• http://texwelt.de/wissen/ if you speak German,

- http://www.latex-community.org/forum/or
- http://tex.stackexchange.com/ if you speak English

or go the dedicated support forum

• http://www.mychemistry.eu/forums/forum/chemmacros/

where you can be sure that I will see the question.

Suggestions If you have any suggestions on how **CHEMMACROS** could be improved, adding missing features *etc.*, please feel free to contact me via contact@mychemistry.eu.

Bug reports If you find any bugs, *i. e.*, errors (something not working as described, conflicts with other packages, ...) then please go to https://github.com/cgnieder/chemmacros/issues/ and open a new issue describing the error including a minimal working example.

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