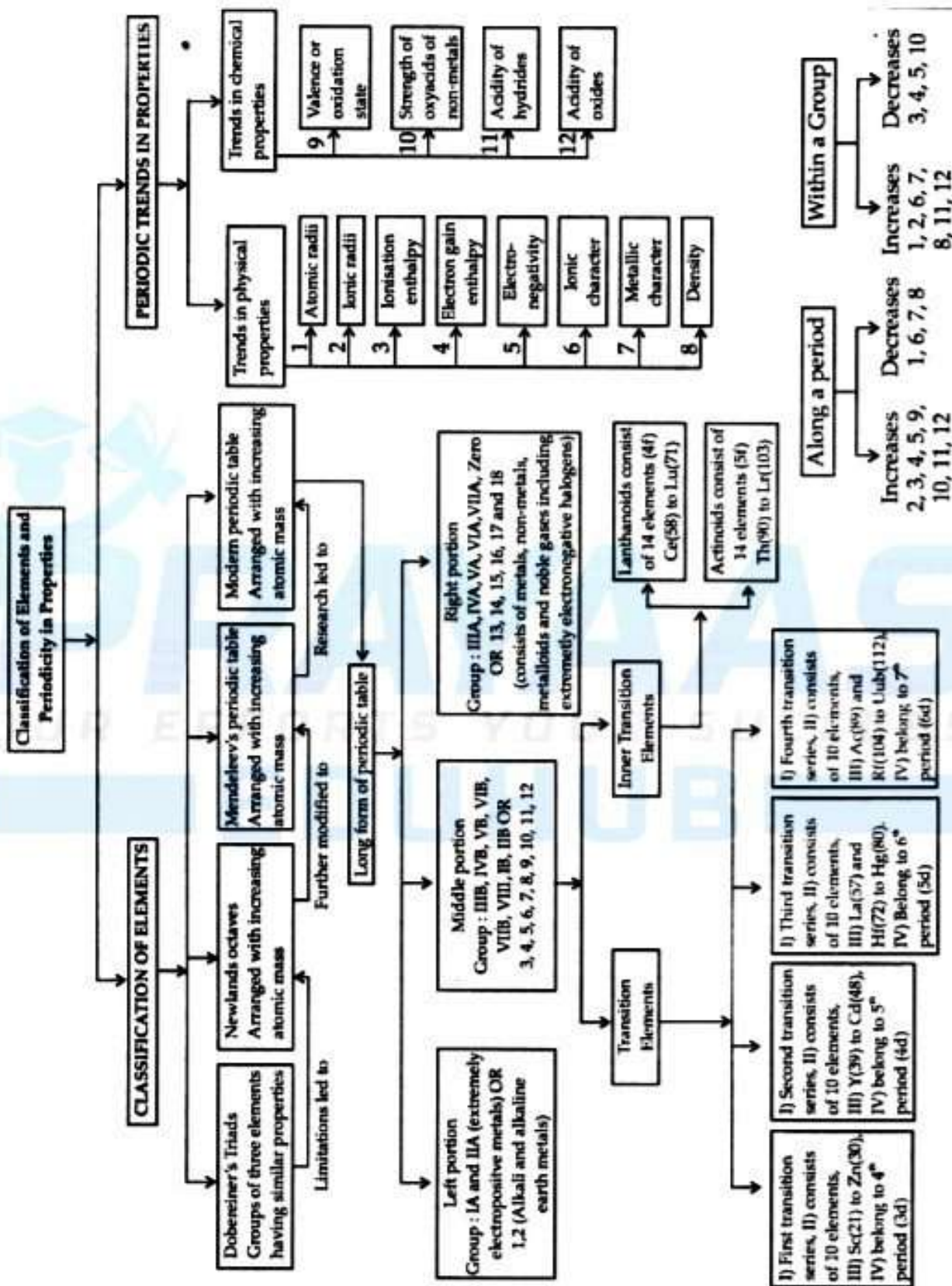




# p-Block Elements

## CONCEPT MAP FOR ELEMENTS



### p-block elements

• **Definition:**

The elements in which last electron goes to p-orbital of ultimate shell i.e. np orbitals are called p-block elements.

**Valence shell electronic configuration:**  $ns^2 np^1 - 6$ .

• **Position in P.T. :**

1. TWY are placed in groups 13 to 18 of periodic table and all periods.
2. They are placed at right hand side of periodic table.

### **GROUP 15 ELEMENTS**

• **Valence shell electronic configuration:**

$ns^2 np^3$ . They are called phicogens (offensive smell)

Sr.	Elements	N	P	As	Sb	Bi	Trend
1.	Name g Properties i	Nitrogen	Phosphorous	Arsenic	Antimony (Stibnite)	Bismuth	-
2.	Discovered by	D. Rutherford	Brand(1669) (1250)	A.Maanus (1604)	B.Valeitine (1953)	GGeoffre)	-
3.	State	Gas	Waxy solid	Solid	Solid	Solid	-
4.	Atomic number	7	15	33	51	83	Increases
5.	Atomic mass (g mol <sup>-1</sup> )	14.01	30.97	74.92	121.75	209.00	Increases
6.	Valence shell c.c.	$2s^2 2p^3$	$3s^2 3p^3$	$4s^2 4p^3$	$5s^2 5p^3$	$6s^2 6p^3$	-
7.	Abundance (ppm (in earth crust)	19	1120	1.8	0.2	0.008	Increases
8.	Atomicity	Diatomic	Tetraatomic atomic	Tetra atomic	Tetra atomic	Mono	-
9.	Covalent radius (pm)	70	110	120	140	150	Increases
10.	Ionic radius (pm)	717 (N <sup>3-</sup> )	212 (P <sup>3-</sup> )	222 (As <sup>3-</sup> )	76 (Sb <sup>3-</sup> )	108 (Bi <sup>3+</sup> )	
11.	Atomic volume						
12.	Density (g mol. <sup>-1</sup> )	0.879 at 63 K	1.823 (grey/ $\alpha$ form)	5.778	6.580	9.808	Increases
13.	Melting point (K)	63	317.1 (white P)	1087.5 (grey/ $\alpha$ form)	904	544	Increases
14.	Boiling point (K)	77.2	554 (white P)	883	1653	1813	Increases
15.	Ionization enthalpy (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> )	1402	1012	947	834	703	Decreases
16.	Electronegativity	3.00	2.10	2.20	1.82	1.67	Decreases
17.	Electron gain enthalpy (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> )						-
18.	Metallic nature	Non-metal	Non-metal	Metalloid	Metalloid	Metal	Increases



19.	Conductivity	Bad	Bad	Poor	Moderate	Good	Increases
20.	Allotropy	$\alpha$ (Cubic crystal) and $\beta$ (Hexagonal)	White, red, black ( $\alpha$ , (3) explosive)	yellow, grey, (metallic)	yellow, grey,	-	-
21.	Catenation	upto 3 atoms	several atoms two	one or two	one or	No	-
22.	Bond energy (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> )	N-N 163.8	P-P 201.6	As-As 147.4	Sb-Sb -	Bi-Bi -	-
23.	Common O.S. -3, -2, -1, 0, +1 +2, +3, +4, +5 Stability of +3 increases, but +5 decreases.	Covalency 4	+3, +4, +5, -3	+3, +5, -3	+3, +5, -3	+3, -3	-
24.	Conc. HNO <sub>3</sub>	-	H <sub>3</sub> PO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	H <sub>3</sub> AsO <sub>4</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	S <sub>4</sub> O <sub>10</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	Bi(NO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	Decreases
25.	Conc. H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	-	H <sub>3</sub> PO <sub>4</sub> + SO <sub>2</sub>	H <sub>3</sub> AsO <sub>4</sub> + SO <sub>2</sub>	Sb <sub>2</sub> (SO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> + SO <sub>2</sub>	Bi(SO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> + SO <sub>2</sub>	-
26.	NaOH		PH + NaH <sub>2</sub> PO <sub>2</sub>	Na <sub>3</sub> AsO <sub>3</sub> + H <sub>2</sub>	Na <sub>3</sub> SbO <sub>3</sub> + H <sub>2</sub>	-	
27.	Metals	Metal nitrides (Mg <sub>3</sub> N <sub>2</sub> )	Phosphides (Mg <sub>3</sub> P <sub>2</sub> )	Arsenides (Na <sub>3</sub> As <sub>2</sub> )	Antimonides (Zn <sub>3</sub> Sb <sub>2</sub> )	Bismuthide (Mg <sub>3</sub> Bi <sub>2</sub> )	-
28.	Hydrides	NH <sub>3</sub>	PH <sub>3</sub>	AsH <sub>3</sub>	SbH <sub>3</sub>	BiH <sub>3</sub>	-
(a).	E-H distance (pm)	101.7	141.9	151.9	170.7	-	Increases
(b).	H-E-H angle	107.8°	93.6°	91.8°	91.3°	-	Decreases
(c).	Colour	colourless		colourless	colourless	colourless	colourless -
(d).	Stability	most stable					Decreases
(e).	B.pt. (volatility)	B.Pt.					Decreases
(f).	Basic nature Decreases	Basic		Weak base	do not show	basic properties	
(g).	Poisonous nature	From NH <sub>3</sub> to BiH <sub>3</sub>					Decreases
(h).	Tendency to form H bonds	strong tendency	No	No	No	No	Decreases
(i).	Decomposition temperature	1573 K	673 K	553 K	423 K	unstable	Decreases
(j).	Thermal stability Decreases	NH <sub>3</sub> > PH <sub>3</sub> > AsH <sub>3</sub>	> SbH <sub>3</sub> > BiH <sub>3</sub>				
(k).	Dipole moment						Decreases
(l).	Reducing property	Weakest	mild	good	strong	strongest	Increases
(m).	Solubility in water	highly soluble	Solubility				Decreases
29.	Halides (a) EX <sub>3</sub> (b) EX <sub>5</sub>	NX <sub>3</sub> except -	I <sub>3</sub> PX <sub>3</sub> except PI <sub>3</sub>	PX <sub>3</sub> AsFs	AsX <sub>3</sub> SbFs is oct.	SbX <sub>3</sub> BiFs	BiX <sub>3</sub>
30.	Oxides (a) + 5 (b) + 4 (c) + 3	N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> NO <sub>2</sub> or N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	 P <sub>4</sub> O <sub>6</sub> P <sub>4</sub> O <sub>8</sub>	 P <sub>4</sub> O <sub>10</sub> As <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	 As <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> Sb <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	 Sb <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> Bi <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Bi <sub>2</sub> F <sub>5</sub> -

	(d) + 2	NO(neutral)	-	-	-	-	Decreases
	(e) + 1	N <sub>2</sub> O(neutral)	-	-	-	-	
	Acidic nature						
31.	Oxoacids (a) + 1	H <sub>2</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub>		H <sub>3</sub> PO <sub>2</sub>	-	They do not form stable oxoacids	
	(b) + 2	H <sub>4</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub>		H <sub>3</sub> PO <sub>3</sub>	-		
	(c) + 3	HNO <sub>2</sub>		H <sub>4</sub> P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub>	H <sub>3</sub> AsO <sub>3</sub>		
	(d) + 5	HNO <sub>3</sub>		H <sub>3</sub> PO <sub>4</sub> H <sub>4</sub> P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub>	H <sub>3</sub> AsO <sub>4</sub>		
	(e) + 7	HNO <sub>4</sub>		-			

- Anomalous behaviour of nitrogen: Nitrogen shows different properties than the other elements of same group because

- small size
- High ionisation energy
- High electronegativity
- absence of d orbitals.

Sr.NO.	Properties	Nitrogen	Other elements of 15 group
1.	State	Gas	Solids
2.	Atomicity	Diatomic (N <sub>2</sub> )	Tetraatomic (As <sub>4</sub> , Sb <sub>4</sub> , P <sub>4</sub> etc.)
3.	Oxidation state	From -3 to +5	Limited oxidation state
4.	Hydrogen bond formation	Strong tendency	Do not formed
5.	Multiple bond formation	pπ-pπ multiple bond	dIt-dIt multiple bond
6.	Co-ordination compound formation	Does not formed	Formed
7.	Hydrides	Stable and basic	Less stable and less basic
8.	Trihalides	Unstable except NF <sub>3</sub>	-
9.	Pentahalides	Does not formed	Formed

#### I. DINITROGEN:

**Discovered by :**

Daniel Rutherford

**Occurrence :**

In air, 78% by volume.

#### A. Preparation:

##### i. Laboratory method:

By action of ammonium chloride or NaNO<sub>2</sub>.

##### ii. Commercial method:

Fractional distillation of liquid air. Due low boiling point (77.2 K) liquid N<sub>2</sub> distills out first left behind liquid oxygen (b.pt.90 K)

##### iii. From different compounds:

Thermal decomposition of ammonium dichromate, sodium or barium azide, bleaching powder with NH<sub>3</sub>, liberates N<sub>2</sub>.

#### B. Properties:

##### i. State:

Colourless, odourless, tasteless, chemically inert, non-toxic in nature.

##### ii. Solubility in water:

Slightly soluble.

iii. **F.pt. and B.pt:**

Low freezing point (195.3 K) and low boiling point (239.6K)

iv. **Isotopes :**

$^{14}_7\text{N}$  and  $^{15}_7\text{N}$

II. **AMMONIA (NH<sub>3</sub>) :**

A. **Preparation:**

i. **Laboratory method:**

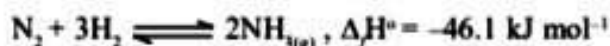
Heating a mixture of NH<sub>4</sub>Cl and Ca(OH)<sub>2</sub> and moist NH<sub>3</sub> gas is dried over quick lime (CaO).

ii. **Haber process: (Manufacturing process):**

**Process:**

Direct combination of N<sub>2</sub> and H<sub>2</sub> in 1:3 proportion.

Reaction:



**Experimental condition:**

At 200 atm pressure and at 700 K.

**Catalyst:**

Finely divided Fe(iron) with promoter molybdenum (Md).

B. **Properties:**

i. **State:**

Colourless gas with a pungent smell.

ii. **Fpt and B pt:**

Freezing point of NH<sub>3</sub> is 198.4 K and boiling point 293 K.

iii. **Solubility:**

Highly soluble in water due to the formation of hydrogen bonding.

C. **Reactions:**

i. **Action of air:**

Gives N<sub>2</sub> and H<sub>2</sub>O,

ii. **Action of air in presence of platinum:**

Liberates NO.

iii. **Action of halogens:**

With Cl<sub>2</sub> gives NCl<sub>3</sub> with Br<sub>2</sub> gives NH<sub>4</sub>Br and with I<sub>2</sub> gives NH<sub>4</sub>I.

iv. **Action of Na, K metals:**

Gives amides (NaNH<sub>2</sub>, KNH<sub>2</sub> etc.)

v. **Action of sodium hypochloride (NaOCl) :**

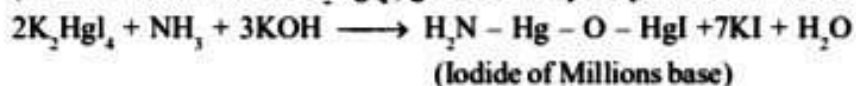
Gives hydrazine (NH<sub>2</sub>, NH<sub>2</sub>)

vi. **Formation of co-ordination compounds:**

[Cu(NH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>4</sub>]<sup>2+</sup>, [Ag(NH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>]Cl etc.

D. **Test of ammonium radical (NH<sub>4</sub>) :**

Ammonia or ammonium salt when treated with Nessler's reagent (an alkaline solution of K<sub>2</sub>HgI<sub>4</sub>) gives brown precipitate of Millions base.



It is used to detect presence of NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> radical.



**E. Structure of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ :**

Trigonal pyramidal with H-N-H bond angle is  $104.5^\circ$ .

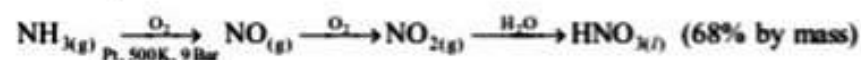
H-H-H bond length = 101.7 PM

**III. NITRIC ACID ( $\text{HNO}_3$ ) :****A. Preparation:****i. Laboratory method:**

By distillation of sodium nitrite with cone.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ .

**ii. Commercial method:**

Ostwald process:



Further on dehydration with cone.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ , it is concentrated upto 98% called aqua-fortis.

**B. Properties:****i. State:**

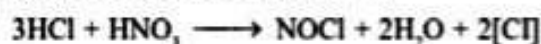
Colourless liquid.

**ii. FPt and BPt:**



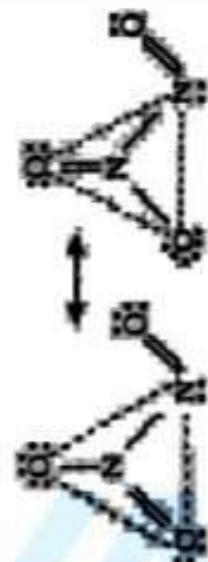

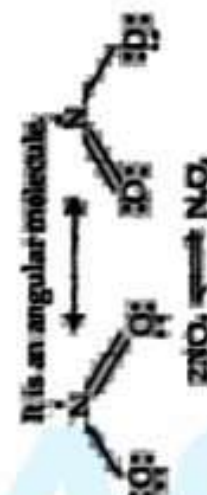

Freezing point of  $\text{HNO}_3$  is 231.4 K and boiling point 355.6 K.

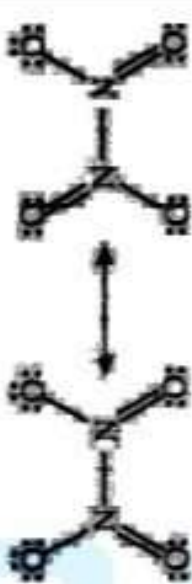
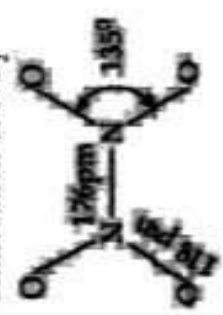
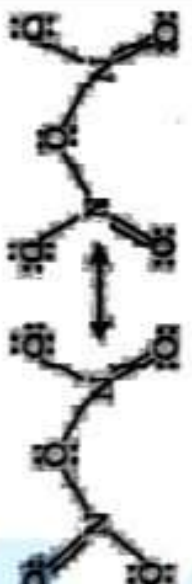

**iii. Density:**

LR grade nitric acid contains 6 % of  $\text{HNO}_3$ , by mass has a specific gravity 1.504 g/cm<sup>3</sup>.

**C. Reactions:****D. Action on Gold and Platinum:****E. Brown ring test:**

To detect presence of  $\text{NO}_3^-$  (nitrate ions). Brown ring is of  $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_5\text{NO}]^{2+}$  complex.

Name of oxide	Formula	O.S. Common method of preparation of N	Resonating Structures	Physical properties
Nitrous oxide or Dinitrogen oxide or Nitrogen (I) oxide (Laughing gas)	$N_2O$	+1 $NH_4NO_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} N_2O + H_2O$ $NH_4OH + HNO_3 \rightarrow N_2O + 3H_2O$	It has linear structure. 	Colourless gas, neutral, heavier than air, insoluble in water. It is diamagnetic. It is called laughing gas.
Nitric oxide or nitrogen monoxide Nitrogen (II) oxide	NO	+2 $2NaNO_3 + 2FeSO_4 + 3H_2SO_4 \rightarrow Fe_2(SO_4)_3 + 2NaHSO_4 + 2H_2O + 2NO$ $3Cu + 8 \text{ dil. } HNO_3 \rightarrow 3Cu(NO_3)_2 + 4H_2O + 2NO$	It has covalent as well as ionic structure. NO has one unpaired electron which may be on N or O 	Colourless gas, neutral, slightly heavier than air, partly soluble in water. It is paramagnetic. It dimerises in liquid and solid state.
Dinitrogen trioxide or Nitrogen (III) oxide or Nitrogen sesquioxide	$N_2O_3$	+3	It is a planar molecule with one planar N and one angular N-atom. (Planar N in $NO_2$ and angular N in NO) 	Blue coloured solid, acidic in nature. It is partly soluble in water but soluble in alkalis. 
Nitrogen dioxide or Nitrogen (IV) oxide	$NO_2$	+4 $2Pb(NO_3)_2 \xrightarrow{473K} 4NO_2 + PbO + O_2$ $Cu + 4HNO_3 \xrightarrow{\text{conc.}} Cu(NO_3)_2 + 2H_2O + 2NO_2$	It is an angular molecule. 	$NO_2$ is reddish brown gas, paramagnetic. $N_2O_4$ is colourless solid, diamagnetic. It acts as an oxidising agent. 

Name of oxide	Formula	O.S. of N	Common method of preparation	Resonating Structures	Physical properties
Dinitrogen tetroxide or Nitrogen (IV) oxide	$N_2O_4$	+4	$2NO_2 \xrightleftharpoons[\text{heat}]{\text{cool}} N_2O_4$ <p><math>N_2O_4</math> is formed by dimerisation of <math>NO_2</math>.</p>	<p>It is planar molecule. Both N are <math>sp^2</math> hybridised.</p>  <p>The N-N bond is formed by two unpaired electrons in two <math>sp^2</math> hybridised orbitals of two N atoms.</p>	<p>Colourless solid/liquid.</p> <p>It is acidic in nature.</p> <p>It is formed by dimerisation of <math>NO_2</math>.</p> 
Dinitrogen pentoxide or Nitrogen (V) oxide	$N_2O_5$	+5	$4HNO_3 + P_2O_5 \rightarrow 4HPO_3 + 2N_2O_5$ <p>(<math>N_2O_5</math> is considered as anhydride of <math>HNO_3</math>)</p> <p>It is also formed by combustion of <math>NO_2</math> molecules.</p>	<p>It is symmetrical and linear molecule.</p> <p>Each N is <math>sp^3</math> hybridised.</p> 	<p>Colourless ionic solid.</p> <p>It is unstable acidic oxide.</p> <p>It is an excellent oxidizing agent.</p> 



## PHOSPHOROUS

### Allotropic forms:

Sr. No.	Properties	White or Yellow	Red P	Black P
1.	Colour	White or yellow	Reddish violet	Black
2.	Solubility in CS <sub>2</sub>	Soluble	Insoluble	Insoluble
3.	Action of air	Chemiluminescence	No chemiluminescence	-
4.	MP	317K	above 773 K	
5.	Action of hot NaOH	Forms phosphine	No phosphine formed	-
6.	Physiological effect	Poisonous	Non-poisonous	-
7.	Structure	4-P atoms are present at the corners of regular tetrahedron	Polymeric due to covalent linkage between adjacent P <sub>4</sub> molecules.	Puckered layers composed of pyramidal trigonal 3-coordinate P atoms.
8.	LP-P-P	60°	60°	99°
9.	Conductivity	Bad	Bad	Good
10.	Preparation	$P_4O_{10} + 10C \rightarrow P_4 + 10CO$	White P $\xrightarrow[CO_2]{540-570K}$ Red P	White P $\xrightarrow[4000-12000\text{ atm}]{470K}$ Black P

- Types of Black phosphorous:**

- α- black phosphorous:**




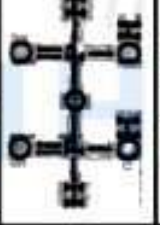
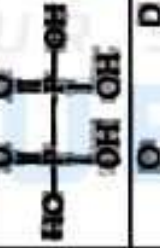


It is prepared by heating red P in sealed tube at 803 K.

- β- black phosphorous:**

It is prepared by heating white P at 453 K under high pressure.

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### III. OXYACIDS OF PHOSPHOROUS

Sr. No.	Oxyacid	Formula	Oxidation State	Structure	Types of bonds	Preparation	Properties
1.	Hypophosphorous acid (Phosphinic acid)	$H_3PO_2$	(+1)		One P - OH bond, Two P - H bonds One P = O bond	$3Ba(OH)_2 + 8P + 6H_2O \rightarrow 3Ba(H_2PO_2)_2 + 2PH_3$ (ppt. zmonebasic) $Ba(H_2PO_2)_2 + H_2SO_4 \rightarrow BaSO_4 \downarrow + 2H_3PO_2$	It is monobasic acid
2.	Orthophosphorous acid (Phosphoric acid)	$H_3PO_3$	(+3)		Two P - OH bond, One P - H bond One P = O bond	$P_2O_3 + 3H_2O \rightarrow 2H_3PO_3$	It is dibasic acid and act sreducing agents.
3.	Orthophosphoric acid	$H_3PO_4$	(+5)		Three P-OH bonds, One P = O bonds	$P_4O_{10} + 6H_2O \rightarrow 4H_3PO_4$	It is tribasic acid
4.	Pyrophosphorous acid	$H_4P_2O_5$	(+3)		Two P - OH bonds, Two P - H bonds Two P = O bond One P - O - P bond	$P_4O_6 + 4H_2O \rightarrow 2H_4P_2O_5$	It is dibasic acid
5.	Hypophosphoric acid	$H_4P_2O_6$	(+4)		Four P-OH bonds, Two P = O bonds One P-P bond	Red P + Alkali $\rightarrow H_4P_2O_6$	It is tetrabasic acid
6.	Pyrophosphoric acid	$H_4P_2O_7$	(+5)		Four P - OH bonds, Two P = O bonds One P - O - P bond	$2H_3PO_4 \xrightarrow{\Delta} H_4P_2O_7 + H_2O$	It is tetrabasic acid. On boiling with water it changes to ortho - phosphoric acid.
7.	Polymetaphosphoric acid OR glacial phosphoric acid	$(HPO_3)_n$	(+5)		Three P-OH bonds, Three P = O bonds Two P-O-P bonds	$H_3PO_3 \xrightarrow{Br_2, \text{ sealed tube}} (HPO_3)_n$	It acts as a strong reducing agent.

## ● COMPOUND OF PHOSPHOROUS:

### (I) PHOSPHINE ( $\text{PH}_3$ )

- A. Preparation :  $\text{P}_4 + 3\text{NaOH} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{PH}_3 + 3\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_2$  (Sodium hypophosphite)
- i. Laboratory method : 1.  $\text{Ca}_3\text{P}_2 + 6\text{HCl} \rightarrow 3\text{CaCl}_2 + 2\text{PH}_3$  h and
- ii. From metal phosphide : 2.  $2\text{AlP} + 3\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 + 2\text{PH}_3$  h
- iii. From phosphonium iodide :  $\text{PH}_4\text{I} + \text{KOH} \rightarrow \text{KI} + \text{PH}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$

### B. Properties:

#### i. Colour:

Colourless gas with the odour of rotten fish, highly poisonous, sparingly soluble in water.

- ii. Action on halogenes :  $\text{PH}_3 + 4\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{PCl}_5 + 3\text{HCl}$
- iii. Action on salt : 1.  $3\text{CuSO}_4 + 2\text{PH}_3 \rightarrow \text{Cu}_3\text{P}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and  
2.  $3\text{HgCl}_2 + 2\text{PH}_3 \rightarrow \text{Hg}_3\text{P}_2 + 6\text{HCl}$
- iv. Action of heat :  $4\text{PH}_3 \xrightarrow{600\text{K}} \text{P}_4 + 6\text{H}_2$
- v. Action in acid :  $\text{PH}_3 + \text{HBr} \rightarrow \text{PH}_4\text{Br}$

### D Uses:

- i. Phosphine in combination with acetylene is used in preparing Holme's signals for ships.
- ii. It is used as a powerful reducing agent.
- iii. It is used to prepared smoke screens.

## II. PHOSPHOROUS HALIDES:

Phosphorous forms two types of halides with general formula.

$\text{PX}_3$  ( $\text{X} = \text{F}, \text{Cl}, \text{Br}, \text{I}$ ) and  $\text{PX}_5$  ( $\text{X} = \text{F}, \text{Cl}, \text{Br}$ ).

### 1. Phosphorous trichloride ( $\text{PCl}_3$ ) :

#### A. Preparation :

- i. From chlorine :  $\text{P}_4 + 6\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 4\text{PCl}_3$
- ii. From  $\text{SOCl}_2$  :  $\text{P}_4 + 8\text{SOCl}_2 \rightarrow 4\text{PCl}_3 + 2\text{S}_2\text{Cl}_2 + 4\text{SO}_2$

#### B. Properties:

- i. Colour : It is a colourless oily liquid with specific gravity 1.6 g/cc.
- ii. Action of water :  $\text{PCl}_3 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_3\text{PO}_3 + 3\text{HCl}$
- iii. Action of chlorine :  $\text{PCl}_3 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{P}_2\text{Cl}_6$
- iv. Action on alcohol :  $3\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH} + \text{PCl}_3 \rightarrow 3\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Cl} + \text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$
- v. Action on carboxylic acid :  $3\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} + \text{PCl}_3 \rightarrow 3\text{CH}_3\text{COCl} + \text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$
- vi. Action on silver cyanide :  $3\text{AgCN} + \text{PCl}_3 \rightarrow \text{P}(\text{CN})_3 + 3\text{AgCl}$

#### C. Structure of $\text{PCl}_3$ :

In  $\text{PCl}_3$ , the P-atom undergoes  $\text{sp}^3$  hybridization and P carries lone pair of electrons

Thus it has pyramidal shape.

### 2. Phosphorous pentachloride ( $\text{PCl}_5$ )

#### A. Preparation:

- i. From chlorine :  $\text{P}_4 + 10\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 4\text{PCl}_5$
- ii. From  $\text{SO}_2\text{Cl}_2$  :  $\text{P}_4 + 10\text{SO}_2\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 4\text{PCl}_5 + 10\text{SO}_2$
- iii. From  $\text{PCl}_3$  :  $\text{PCl}_3 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{PCl}_5$



**B Properties:**

- i. **Colour** :  $\text{PCl}_5$  is yellowish white powder having sharp odour and sub lines below 373 K.
- ii. **Action of water** :  $\text{PCl}_5 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{POCl}_3 + 2\text{HCl}$  and  $\text{POCl}_3 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_3\text{PO}_4 + 3\text{HCl}$
- iii. **Action of heat** :  $\text{PCl}_5 \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{PCl}_3 + \text{Cl}_2$
- iv. **Action on alcohol** :  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH} + \text{PCl}_5 \rightarrow \text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Cl} + \text{POCl}_3 + \text{HCl}$
- v. **Action on carboxylic acid** :  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} + \text{PCl}_5 \rightarrow \text{CH}_3\text{COCl} + \text{POCl}_3 + \text{HCl}$
- vi. **Action on silver and tin** :  $2\text{Ag} + \text{PCl}_5 \rightarrow 2\text{AgCl} + \text{PCl}_3$  and  $\text{Sn} + 2\text{PCl}_5 \rightarrow \text{SnCl}_4 + 2\text{PCl}_3$

**C. Uses:**

- i.  $\text{PCl}_5$  is used in the synthesis of some organic compounds i.e.  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Cl}$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COCl}$ .
- ii. It is also used as a chlorinating agent.

**D. Structure of  $\text{PCl}_5$ :**

- i. In  $\text{PCl}_5$ , the P-atom undergoes  $\text{sp}^3\text{d}$  hybridization. Thus  $\text{PCl}_5$  trigonal bipyramidal structure.
- ii. In this, there are total 5 bonds. The three equatorial P-Cl bonds are equivalent, while two axial bonds are longer than equatorial bonds. Because the axial bond pairs suffer more repulsion as compared to equatorial bond pairs.

**GROUP 16 ELEMENTS**

Group 16 consists of oxygen, sulphur, selenium, tellurium and polonium.

Valence Shell:  $\text{ns}^2\text{np}^4$  ( $n = 2$  to 7). They are called chalcogens (ore forming).

Sr. Element g	O	S	Se	Te	Po	Trend
1. Name g Properties 1	Oxygen	Sulphur	Selenium	Tellurium	Polonium	
2. Discovered by	Lavosier (1774) Salvert (sanskrit)	Lavosier (1777) Moon	Berzelius (1817) (1782) Tellus	Muller Von Reichensteins (1898)	Marie currie (Polond)	
3. State	Gas	Solid	Solid	Solid	Solid	-
4. Atomic number	8	16	34	51	83	Increases
5. Atomic mass ( $\text{g mol}^{-1}$ )	16	32.06	77.96	127.60	210	Increases
6. Valence shell e.c.	$[\text{He}]2s^2 2p^4$	$[\text{Ne}]3s^2 3p^4$	$[\text{Ar}]3d^{10} 4s^2 4p^4$	$[\text{Kr}] 4d^{10} 5s^2 5p^4$	$[\text{Xe}]5d^{10} 6s^2 6p^4$	-
7. Abundance (ppm) in earth crust	455000	340	0.05	0.001	-	-
8. Atomicity	Diatomic	Octaatomic	Octaatomic	Octaatomic	Monoatomic	-
9. Covalent radius (pm)	74	104	117	137	140	Increases
10. Ionic radius ( $\text{M}^{2-}$ ) pm	140	184	198	221	230 (app.)	Increases

11. Atomic volume(Cm <sup>3</sup> )	14.0	15.5	16.5	20.5	22.7	Increases
12. Density (gcm <sup>-3</sup> ) at 298 K	1.32	2.06	4.19	6.25	-	Increases
13. Melting point (K)	55	386	490	723	-27	Increases
14. Boiling point (K)	90	718	958	1263	1233	Increases
15. Ionisation enthalpy (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> )	1310	1000	941	870	812	Decreases
16. Electro-negativity	3.50	2.5	2.48	2.1	2.0	Decreases
17. Electron gain enthalpy (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> )	-141	-200	-195	-190	-183	Decreases
18. Metallic nature	Non-metal	Non-metal	metalloid	Metalloid	Metal	Increases
19. Conductivity	Bad	Bad	Poor	Moderate	Good	Increases
20. Allotropy	O <sub>2</sub> & O <sub>3</sub>	α, β, γ, plastic etc.	Red monoclinic Grey metallic Dark brown, Red amorphous	Metallic and Nonmetallic	α and β	-
21. Catenation	Little atoms	Several	Do not show	Do not show	Do not	how -
22. common oxidation state	-2 peroxide(-1) OF <sub>2</sub> (+2), O <sub>2</sub> F <sub>2</sub> (+1) stability of	-2,+2,+4,+6	-2,+2,+4,+6,	-1,+2,+4,+6	+2,+4	stability of + 4 oxidation state increases while + 6 decreases →
23. Hydrides	H <sub>2</sub> O	H <sub>2</sub> S	H <sub>2</sub> Se	H <sub>2</sub> Te	H <sub>2</sub> Po	-
a. E-H distance (pm)	96	132	147	173	-	Increases
b. H-E-H bond angle	104.5°	92.1°	91°	90°	-	Decreases
c. State	liquid	gas	gas	gas	→	Decreases
d. Stability	Most stable					Decreases
e. B.pt.(K) (volatile)	373	213	232	269	-	
f. Acidic nature	Amphoteric	Weakly acidic	Weakly acidic	Moderate	-	Increases

g. Poisonous Nature			from $H_2O$ to $H_2Te$			Increases
h. Tendency to form H-bonds	strong	weak tendency	No	No	-	Decreases
i. Bond dissociation energy ( $kJ\ mol^{-1}$ )	463	347	276	238	-	Decreases
j. Heat of formation ( $kJ\ mol^{-1}$ )	-246	-20	+81	+154	-	Increases
k. Dipole moment						Decreases
l. Reducing property		$H_2O < H_2S < H_2Se < H_2Te$				Decreases
<b>24. Halides</b>						
a) preparation						
i) With $F_2$	$OF_2$	$S_2F_2, SF_2, SF_4, SF_6$	$Se_2F_2, SF_4, SeF_6$	$TeF_4, TeF_6$		-
ii) With $Cl_2$	$Cl_2O, ClO, Cl_2O_7, SCl_4$	$S_2Cl_2, SCl_2, SeCl_4$	$Se_2Cl_2, SeCl_2$	$TeCl_2, TeCl_4$	$PoCl_2, PoCl_4$	-
iii) With $Br_2$	$Br_2O$	$S_2Br_2, 5Br_2$	$SeBr_2, 5SeBr_4$	$TeBr_2, TeBr_4$	$PoBr_2, PoBr_4$	-
iv) With $I_2$	$I_2O_5$	$S_2I_2$	-	$TeI_4$	$PoI_4$	-
b. Stability			$F > Cl > Br > I$			Decreases
c. Degree of hydrolysis	-	$5F_6 < SeF_6 < TeF_6$				Increases
<b>25. Oxides</b>						
a) O.S. +4	-	$SO_2$	$SeO_2$	$TeO_2$	$PoO_2$	-
+5	-	$SO_3$	$SeO_3$	$TeO_3$	-	-
b) Thermal Stability	-	$SO_3 < SeO_3 < TeO_3$				Increases
c) Nature	-	Acidic acidic	Weakly	Amphoteric	Basic	Basic nature Increases
d) Reducing property	-	Reducing property				Decreases
<b>26. Oxonacids</b>						
a) O.S. (+4)	-	$H_2SO_3$	$HeSeO_3$	$H_2TeO_3$	-	-
(+6)	-	$H_2SO_4$	$H_2SeO_4$	$H_2TeO_4$	-	-
b) Acidic strength	-	$H_2SO_4$	$H_2SeO_4$	$H_2TeO_4$		Decreases



● **Anomalous behaviour of oxygen:**

Anomalous nature of oxygen is due to its -

- small size
- high ionisation enthalpy
- high electronegativity and
- the absence of d-orbital

**The main points of difference between oxygen and other group 16 element :**

S.No.	Property	Oxygen	Other elements of 16 group
1.	State	Gas	solids
2.	Atomicity	Diatomic (O <sub>2</sub> )	Polyatomic (S <sub>8</sub> , Se <sub>8</sub> )
3.	Oxidation state	-2	-2, +2, +4, +6
4.	Hydrogen bond formation	Strong tendency	Do not formed
5.	Multiple bond formation	pπ-pπ multiple bond	Do not formed
6.	Magnetic behaviour	Paramagnetic	Diamagnetic
7.	Hydrides	Stable and liquid	Less stable and gases
8.	Nature of compounds	More ionic	Less ionic

**DIOXYGEN (O<sub>2</sub>)**

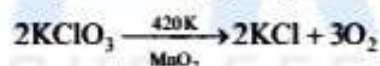
**Occurrence:**

In free state oxygen occurs to an extent of 23.2% by weight or 20% by volume - air.

**A. Preparation:**

**i. Laboratory method:**

Mixture of KClO<sub>3</sub> (4 parts) and MnO<sub>2</sub> (1 part) (acts as catalyst, when is heated in a hard glass tube to 420 K gives dioxygen gas. The gas may collected by the downward displacement of water.



**ii. Manufacture of O<sub>2</sub>:**

Commercial preparation of O<sub>2</sub> is done by two methods.

**a. From water:**

Electrolysis of acidified water gives H<sub>2</sub> at the cathode and O<sub>2</sub> at the anode.

**b. From air** On a large scale, dioxygen is generally prepared by the fractional distillation of liquid air. On distillation, liquid dinitrogen (lower B.P.) distils out leaving behind liquid dioxygen (higher B.P.)

**iii. General methods:**

- By the thermal decomposition of oxygen rich salts
- By the thermal decomposition of metallic oxides
- By the action of water or acidified potassium permanganate on sodium peroxide.

**B. Properties of dioxygen :**

**i. State :**

It is colourless, odourless and tasteless gas. It is heavier than air.

**ii. Solubility :**

Its solubility in water is to the extent of 30 m<sup>3</sup> L<sup>-1</sup> (3.0 cm<sup>3</sup> of water) at 293 K (S.T.P.)

**iii. M.pt and B.pt :**

It can be liquefied under pressure of a pale blue liquid (B.P. 90.2 K) and on cooling.

It can be solidified into a light blue solid (M.P. 54.4 K).

**iv. Magnetic property :**

It is paramagnetic in nature.

**v. Isotopes :**

Oxygen atom has three stable isotopes  $^{16}\text{O}$ ,  $^{17}\text{O}$ ,  $^{18}\text{O}$ .

**C. Chemical properties:**

**1. Support of combustion :**

Dioxygen is not combustible but support combustion.

**2. Reaction with metals :**

Metals combine with dioxygen under different conditions to form their oxides.

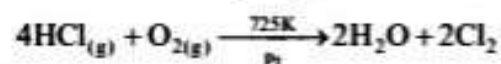
**3. Reaction with non-metals :**

Non metals burn brightly in dioxygen and form their respective oxides

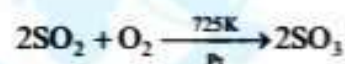
**4. Reaction with ammonia :**



**5. Reaction with hydrogen chloride :**



**6. Reaction with sulphur dioxide :**



**7. Reaction with carbon disulphide :**



**8. Reaction with metal sulphide :**



**9. Reaction with hydrocarbons :**

All saturated, unsaturated and aromatic hydrocarbons when burn in excess of dioxygen (or in air) to form carbon dioxide and water with liberation of heat.

**E. Classification of oxides:**

**1. Acidic oxides:**

The oxide which combines with water to give an acid is called as acidic oxide.

*Ex.*

$\text{CO}_2$ ,  $\text{B}_2\text{O}_3$  (boron trioxide),  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$  (Nitrogen pentoxide),  $\text{SO}_2$  (Sulphur dioxide),  $\text{SO}_3$  (Sulphur trioxide),  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7$  (Chlorine heptoxide).

**2. Basic oxides:**

The oxide which combines with water to form a base is termed oxide.

*Ex.*

$\text{CaO}$  (Calcium oxide),  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  (sodium oxide),  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$  (potassium oxide),  $\text{MgO}$  (magnesium oxide).

**3. Amphoteric oxides:**

The oxides which show both acidic and basic characteristics i.e. The oxides react with acids as well as bases to form salts are called amphoteric oxides.

*Ex.*

$\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ ,  $\text{SiO}_2$ ,  $\text{ZnO}$ ,  $\text{PbO}$ ,  $\text{SnO}$  etc.

**4. Neutral oxides:**

The oxides which are neither acidic nor basic are called neutral oxides.

*Ex.*

$\text{NO}$ ,  $\text{CO}$ ,  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$  etc.

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## OZONE (O<sub>3</sub>)

### History:

Ozone was first noticed by Van Marum (1785). Name ozone is derived from Greek word 'ozein' meaning to smell proposed by Schönbien Soret (1866).

### Ozone umbrella:

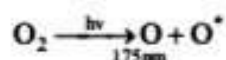
The stratospheric pool of ozone is commonly known as ozonosphere or the ozone umbrella, which filters out the Sun's harmful radiations like ultraviolet rays and helps to sustain life on earth.

### A. Preparation:

Ozone is produced by the action of ultraviolet radiation on dioxygen.

#### 1. Atmospheric method:

**Step I : Formation of excited oxygen atom (O\*) :**



**Step II : Formation of molecular oxygen (O<sub>2</sub>) :**



**Step III : Formation of excited ozone (O<sub>3</sub>\*) :**



**Step IV : Formation of ozone (O<sub>3</sub>)**



where M can be O<sub>2</sub> or N<sub>2</sub> or an other inert molecule.

#### 2. Laboratory preparation:

Ozone is produced by the action of silent electrical discharge on dioxygen.

The product is known as ozonised oxygen.

### B. Properties:

#### 1. State:

Gaseous ozone is blue, liquid ozone is blue black and solid ozone is violet black. It has pungent odour.

#### 2. Decomposition of ozone:

Decomposition of ozone into oxygen liberates heat (-ΔH) and increases entropy (+ΔS). Due to this it results into a large negative Gibbs's energy change (-ΔG) to convert ozone to oxygen.

#### 3. Oxidizing agent:

*Ex.*

- i.  $\text{PbS}_{(s)} + 4\text{O}_3(g) \longrightarrow \text{PbSO}_{4(s)} + 4\text{O}_2(g)$
- ii.  $2\text{KI}_{(aq)} + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{O}_3(g) \longrightarrow 2\text{KOH}_{(aq)} + \text{I}_{2(s)} + \text{O}_2(g)$
- iii.  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2 + \text{O}_3 \longrightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{O}_2$

#### 4. Reducing agent:

- i.  $\text{BaO}_2 + \text{O}_3 \longrightarrow \text{BaO} + 2\text{O}_2$
- ii.  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2 + \text{O}_3 \longrightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{O}_2$

#### 4. Structure of ozone:

Ozone molecule is angular with O-O-O bond angle as 117° and O-O bonds are identical having bond length 128 pm.



## SULPHUR

### A. Occurance :

Sulphur occurs in native state (free state) as well as in the combined state.

#### 1. Sulphide:

Sulphur is widely distributed as sulphides of metals.

**Ex:**

Copper pyrites ( $\text{Cu}_2\text{S}$ ), Iron pyrites ( $\text{FeS}_2$ ), zinc blende ( $\text{ZnS}$ )

#### 2. Sulphates :

A large quantity of sulphur is distributed as sulphate in nature.

**Ex.**

gypsum, ( $\text{CaSO}_4 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ), epsom ( $\text{MgSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ), barytes ( $\text{BaSO}_4$ ), Glauber's salt ( $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4 \cdot 10\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ) etc.

### B. Allotropic forms of Sulphur:

Preparation	1. Rhombic Sulphur	2. Monoclinic sulphur	3. Plastic sulphur
Other name	$\alpha$ -sulphur or octahedral sulphur	$\beta$ -sulphur or prismatic sulphur	$\gamma$ -sulphur
Colour	Pale yellow in colour.	Colourless.	Colourless.
Specific gravity	2.06 g/cc.	of 1.98 g/cc.	1.95 g/cc
M.Pt.	385.8 K	393 K	No sharp melting point.
Solubility	It is insoluble in water but soluble in carbon disulphide	It is insoluble in water but soluble in carbon disulphide	It is insoluble in water as well as in carbon disulphide
Crystal Structure	It is found to consist of $\text{S}_8$ units, which are formed a puckered ring in a crown shape.	It is found to consist of $\text{S}_8$ units, which are formed a puckered ring in a crown shape.	It has open chain structure, in which each sulphur atom is linked to other two sulphur atoms by covalent bonds.
Preparation	It is obtained by melting the sulphur and cooling till crust is formed. On removing this crust, transparent crystals of monoclinic sulphur are formed, which are needle shaped.	It is obtained by melting the sulphur and cooling till crust is formed. On removing this crust, transparent crystals of monoclinic sulphur are formed, which are needle shaped.	It is obtained by boiling the sulphur and cooling in cold water.

### KEEP IN MIND:

#### Transition temperature:

$\beta$  sulphur is stable above 369 K and gets converted into  $\alpha$ -sulphur below 369 K.

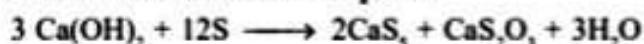
Whereas  $\alpha$ -form is stable below 369 K and gets converted into  $\beta$ -form above this temperature.

At 369 K both the forms,  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  sulphur are stable. This temperature is called transition temperature.

#### 4. Milk of sulphur:

##### Preparation:

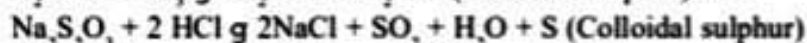
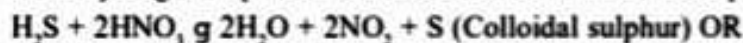
##### From milk of lime and sulphur:



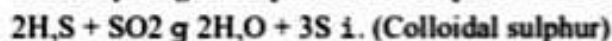
## 5. Colloidal sulphur:

### Preparation:

- a. From hydrogen sulphide and nitric acid OR Sodium thiosulphate and conc. HCl



- b. From hydrogen sulphide and sulphur dioxide

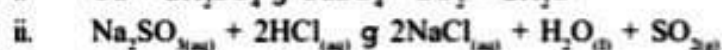
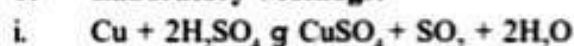


## • COMPOUNDS OF SULPHUR:

### 1. SULPHUR DIOXIDE:

#### A. Preparation:

##### 1. Laboratory Methods:



##### 2. Industrial method:

Pyrites and blendes on roasting gives  $\text{SO}_2$  gas. The gas is dried liquefied under pressure and stored in steel cylinders.  $4\text{FeS}_{2(s)} + 11\text{O}_{2(g)} \text{ g } 2\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_{3(s)} + 8\text{SO}_{2(g)}$

#### B. Properties:

##### 1. Nature:

It is colourless gas, with pungent smell, acidic in nature. It forms discrete molecules even in solid.

##### 2. Solubility:

It is soluble in water and it forms  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$ . Hence it is called anhydride of sulphurous acid.

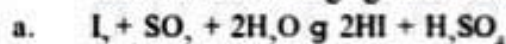
##### 3. M.pt. and B.pt. :

It liquefies at room temperature under a pressure of 2 atm. and boils at 263 K.

#### C. Reactions:

##### 1. Reducing agent:

It acts as a reducing agent it reduces-



##### 2. Oxidizing agent (Lewis base) :

It acts as an oxidizing agent. It oxidises :

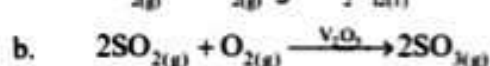
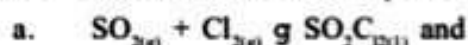


##### 3. Action on alkali:

It reacts with NaOH solution as :



##### 4. Action on non-metal (chlorine, oxygen) :



### Structure of $\text{SO}_2$ molecule:

1. Sulphur is  $\text{sp}^2$  hybridised and the lone pair of electrons of sulphur reduces the angle from  $120^\circ$  to  $119^\circ$  and bond length 143 pm.

2. In the structure, each oxygen atoms is joined to sulphur by a 'a' and a 'st' bond.

3. The 'a' bonds between S and O are formed by  $\text{sp}^2\text{-p}$  overlap while one of the 'n' bonds arises from  $\text{p}\pi\text{-p}\pi$  overlap and other from  $\text{p}\pi\text{-d}\pi$  overlap.



## II. SULPHURIC ACID (OIL OF VITRIOL)

It is called kind of Chemicals

### A. Manufacturing process / Preparation:

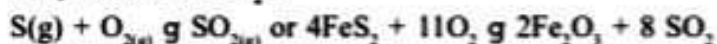
There are two manufacturing processes:

- contact process
- lead chamber process.

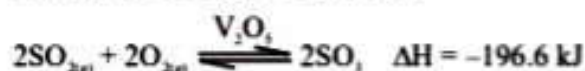
#### 1. Contact process:

This process involves of following important steps.

##### a. Preparation of $\text{SO}_2$ :



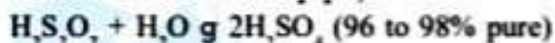
##### b. Oxidation of $\text{SO}_2$ to $\text{SO}_3$ (2:3) :



##### c. Dissolution of $\text{SO}_3$ in $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ :



##### d. Dillution of oleum, $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_7$ :



#### 2. Lead chamber process:

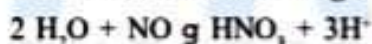
In this process a mixture of  $\text{SO}_2$ , O and air treated with steam to product  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ .

Nitric oxide (NO) acts as a catalyst:



Different steps are:

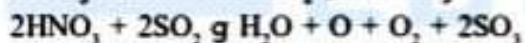
##### a. Water reacts with O to give $\text{HNO}_3$ :



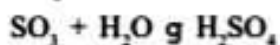
##### b. Sulphur oxidize to $\text{SO}_2$ in presence of oxygen :



##### c. $\text{HNO}_3$ reacts with $\text{SO}_2$ gives $\text{SO}_3$ ,



##### d. Sulphur trioxide reacts with water to from $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ :



### B) Properties:

#### 1. Nature:

It is a colourless, dense, oily liquid. It has specific gravity of 1.84 at 298 K.

#### 2. Freezing point and boiling point:

Freezing point is 283 K and the boiling point is 611 K.

#### 3. Basicity:

It is a dibasic acid. In aqueous solution sulphuric acid ionizes in two steps.

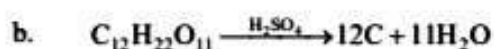
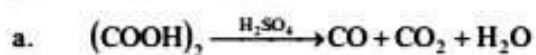


$\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is strong acid because it has high value of dissociation constant ( $K_a$ ) shows more dissociation into  $\text{H}^+$  and  $\text{HSO}_4^-$ .



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**4. Dehydrating agent :**



**5. Oxidizing agent:**

Cone.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  on heating gives oxygen. Thus hot cone,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  acts as oxidising agent.

**6. Sulphonating agent:**

Conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  acts a sulphonating agent i.e. addition  $-\text{SO}_3\text{H}$  group to the benzene.

**7. Action of  $\text{PCl}_5$ :**

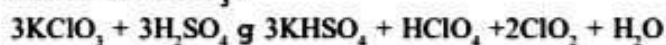


Chlorosulphuric acid



Sulphuryl chloride

**8. Action on  $\text{KClO}_3$  :**



**9. Action on salts :**



(Where  $\text{X} = \text{F}^-, \text{Cl}^-, \text{NO}_3^-$  and  $\text{M} = \text{Metal}$ )



## OXYACIDS OF SULPHUR

These are grouped into five series as -

Sr. Name	Formula	O.S.	Structure	Bonds
<b>A. Sulphoxylic acid group</b>				
1. Sulphoxylic acid	$H_2SO_2$	+2	$HO-S-OH$	-
<b>B. Sulphurous acid group</b>				
2. Sulphurous acid	$H_2SO_3$	+4	$\begin{array}{c} O \\    \\ HO-S-OH \end{array}$	One S = O
3. Thiosulphurous acid	$H_2S_2O_2$	+2, +4	$\begin{array}{c} S \\    \\ HO-S-OH \end{array}$	One S = S
4. Dithionus acid (Hydrosulphurous acid)	$H_2S_2O_4$	+3	$\begin{array}{c} O \quad O \\    \quad    \\ HO-S-S-OH \end{array}$	Two S = O
5. Pyrosulphurous acid or disulphorous acid	$H_2S_2O_5$	+4	$\begin{array}{c} O \quad O \\    \quad    \\ HO-S-O-S-OH \end{array}$	Two S = O and One S-O-S
<b>C. Sulphuric acid series</b>				
6. Sulphuric acid or oil of vitrol	$H_2SO_4$	+6	$\begin{array}{c} O \\    \\ HO-S-OH \\    \\ O \end{array}$	One O = S = O
7. Thiosulphuric acid	$H_2S_2O_3$	(-2, +6)	$\begin{array}{c} S \\    \\ HO-S-OH \\    \\ O \end{array}$	One S = S = O
8. Pyrosulphuric acid or oleum or disulphuric acid	$H_2S_2O_7$	+6	$\begin{array}{c} O \quad O \\    \quad    \\ HO-S-O-S-OH \\    \quad    \\ O \quad O \end{array}$	Two O = S = O One S-O-S
<b>D. Peroxy Sulphuric acid series</b>				
9. Peroxy monosulphuric acid or Caro's acid (monobasic)	$H_2SO_5$	+6	$\begin{array}{c} O \\    \\ HO-O-S-OH \\    \\ O \end{array}$	One O = S = O One peroxy group
10. Peroxy disulphuric acid or Marshall's acid or perdisulphuric acid	$H_2S_2O_8$	+6	$\begin{array}{c} O \quad O \\    \quad    \\ HO-S-O-O-S-OH \\    \quad    \\ O \quad O \end{array}$	Two O = S = O One peroxy group

E. Thionic acid series				
11. Dithionic acid	$\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_6$	+5	$  \begin{array}{c}  \text{O} \quad \text{O} \\  \parallel \quad \parallel \\  \text{HO}-\text{S}-\text{S}-\text{OH} \\  \parallel \quad \parallel \\  \text{O} \quad \text{O}  \end{array}  $	Two $\text{O}=\text{S}=\text{O}$ One $\text{S}-\text{O}$
12. Poly thionic acid	$\text{H}_2\text{S}_n\text{O}_6$ (n = 3 to 6)	(+5, 0)	$  \begin{array}{c}  \text{O} \quad \quad \text{O} \\  \parallel \quad \quad \parallel \\  \text{HO}-\text{S}-(\text{S})_n-\text{S}-\text{OH} \\  \parallel \quad \quad \parallel \\  \text{O} \quad \quad \text{O}  \end{array}  $	Two $\text{O}=\text{S}=\text{O}$





## GROUP 17 ELEMENTS (HALOGEN FAMILY)

### • General Introduction:

Group 17 of periodic table contains the elements fluorine (F) chlorine (Cl) iodine (I) and astatine (At).

These elements are collectively known as halogens, (halous meaning salts, gene meaning born) i.e. salt producers derived from Greek words.

Valence shell electronic configuration:  $(n-2 \text{ to } 7) ns^2 np^5$ .

### Occurrence:

1. Fluorine occurs to the extent of 0.07% of the earth's crust. The important minerals of fluorine are as follows:
  - i. fluor spar or fluorite,  $\text{CaF}_2$
  - ii. Cryolite  $\text{Na}_3\text{AlF}_6$
  - iii. Fluorapatite:  $3\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2 \cdot \text{CaF}_2$

Sr.	Element & Properties	F	Cl	Br	I	At	Trend
1.	Name	Fluorine	Chlorine	Bromine	Iodine	Astatine	-
2.	Discovered by	Davy (1813)	Scheele (1774)	Balard (1826)	Courtois (1811)		
3.	a) State	Gas	Gas	Liquid	Solid	Solid	-
	b) Colour	Pale yellow	Greenish yellow	Reddish	Blackish violet	-	-
	c) Greek name	Fluos	Chloros	Bromos	Ioeides	-	-
	d) English meaning	To flow	Greenish yellow	Stench (bad smell)	Violet	-	-
	e) Source	$\text{KHF}_2$	$\text{MnO}_2 + \text{HCl}$	Sea water	Sea weeds	-	-
4.	Atomic number	9	17	35	53	85	Increases
5.	Atomic mass (g/mol)	19	35.5	80	127	210	Increases
6.	Valence shell e.c.	$[\text{He}]2s^2 2p^5$	$[\text{Ne}]3s^2 3p^5$	$[\text{Ar}]3d^{10} 4s^2 4p^5$	$[\text{Kr}]4d^{10} 5s^2 5p^5$	$[\text{Xe}]5d^{10} 6s^2 6p^5$	-
7.	Abundance	0.07%	0.14%	-	-	-	-
8.	Atomicity	diatomic	diatomic	diatomic	diatomic	-	
9.	Covalent radius (pm)	64	99	114	133	-	Increases
10.	Ionic radius (pm)	119	167	182	206	-	Increases
11.	Atomic volume (pm)	72	99	114	133	-	-

12.	Density (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	85	239	333	458	-	-
13.	M.Pt. (K)						Increases
14.	B.Pt.						Increases
15.	Ionisation enthalpy (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> )	1681	1255	1140	1008	-	-
16.	Electronegativity	4.00	3.0	2.8	2.5	2.2	Decreases
17.	Electron gain enthalpy (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> )	- 328	-349	- 325	- 296	-	Decreases
18.	Metallic Nature	[Non metal	on metal	Non metal	Non metal	Metal	Increases
19.	Conductivity	Bad	Bad	Bad	Bad	-	-
20.	X-X distance in X <sub>2</sub> (pm)	143 (F-F)	199 (Cl-Cl)	228 (Br-Br)	266 (I - I)	-	-
21.	a) Std.R.P(V)		2.87	1.40	1.05	0.62	- -
	b) Oxidising agent	Strongest	Stronger	Mild	Very poor	-	Decreases
	c) Reducing agent	-	Mild	Stronger	Strongest	-	Increases
22.	Common O.S.	-1	-1,+ 1,+3,+4 +5,+6,+7	-1,+1,+3,+4 +5,+6,	-1,+1,+3, +5,+7,	-	-
23.	Bond energy (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> )	F-F 158	Cl-Cl 243	Br-Br 193	I - I 151	-	-
24.	Displacement of other halogens	All	only Br <sub>2</sub> & I <sub>2</sub>	only I <sub>2</sub>	-	-	-
25.	Action of NaOH (cold dil.)	NaF+OF <sub>2</sub> +H <sub>2</sub> O	NaCl+ NaOCl+ H <sub>2</sub> O	NaBr+ NaOBr+ H <sub>2</sub> O	-	-	-
26.	NaOH (Hotconc.)	NaF + O <sub>2</sub> +H <sub>2</sub> O H <sub>2</sub> O	NaCl + NaOCl <sub>1</sub> + H <sub>2</sub> O	NaBr+ NaOBr <sub>3</sub> +	forms iodides and iodos acid	-	-
27.	Metals	Fluorides MF <sub>n</sub>	Chlorides MCl <sub>n</sub>	Bromides MBr <sub>n</sub>	Iodides MI <sub>n</sub>	-	Decreases M-metal n - valency of metal

28.	Strength M-Xbond						Decreases
29.	Halides	HF	HCl	HBr	HI	-	
a)	H-Xbond length(pm)	91.7	127.4	141.4	160.9	-	Increases
b)	State $\Delta_{\text{diss}} H$	Liquid	Gas	Gas	Gas	-	-
c)	(kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> )	574	431.6	362.5	294.6	-	Decreases
d)	Thermal Stability		H - F > H - Cl > H - Br > HI				Decreases
e)	Reducing character	INO	Mild	Strong	Strongest	-	Increases
f)	Solubility in water	Highly soluble	soluble	soluble	soluble	-	Decreases
g)	Tendency to form H bonds	stronger	-	-	-	-	Decreases
30.	Action on non metals and noble gases	combine N <sub>2</sub> , O <sub>2</sub> and	-	-	combines only halogens p, As, H <sub>2</sub>		
31.	Oxides O.S. -1 +1 +4 +5 +6 +7	OF <sub>2</sub> , O <sub>2</sub> F <sub>2</sub> - - - - -	- Cl <sub>2</sub> O ClO <sub>2</sub> - Cl <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub>	- Br <sub>2</sub> O BrO <sub>2</sub> - BrO <sub>3</sub> -	- - I <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> I <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> - I <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub>	- - - - - -	- - - - - -
32.	Oxoacids						
a)	O.S. -1 -3 -5 -7	HOBr - - -	HClO HClO <sub>2</sub> HClO <sub>3</sub> HClO <sub>4</sub>	HOBr - HBrO <sub>3</sub> HBrO <sub>4</sub>	HOI - HIO <sub>3</sub> HIO <sub>4</sub>	- - - -	- - - -
b)	Oxidising power						Increases
c)	Thermal stability						Increases



**Anomalous behaviour of fluorine:**

Fluorine exhibits anomalous behaviour, it is due to

- i. small size
- ii. high electronegativity
- iii. low F-F bond dissociation energy
- iv. non availability of d-orbitals

The main points of difference between fluorine and other elements of the group are as follow,

S.No.	Properties	Oxygen	Other elements of group 17
1.	Reactivity	More reactive	less reactive
2.	Oxidation state	-1	-1, +1, +3, +5 and +7
3.	Polyhalides ions	Do not form	Forms, such as $I_3^-$ , $Br_3^-$ , $Cl_3^-$ , etc.
4.	H bond formation	Strong tendency	Do not formed
5.	Behaviour of Hydrogen halide	a) H F is liquid b) H F is weak acid	a) HX are gases ( X = cl. Br, I ) b) HX are strong acid (X = Cl, Br, I )
6.	Electron gain enthalpy	Less than chlorine	Chlorine has more han fluorine
7.	Nature of compounds	Ionic nature. Ex : $AlF_3$ , $CsF$	Covalent nature. Ex.: $AlCl_3$

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**I. CHLORINE:**

**A. Occurrence :**

Chlorine occurs to an extent of 0.14% in the earth crust. Some minerals containing chlorine are as follows:

- i. Rock salt:  $\text{NaCl}$ ,
- ii. Carnalite:  $\text{KCl}, \text{MgCl}_2, 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- iii. Sylvine :  $\text{KCl}$ ,
- iv. Horn silver :  $\text{AgCl}$ .

**B. Preparation of chlorine:**

**1. Manufacture of chlorine:**

**i. Deacon process:**

Hydrogen chloride gas is oxidized by atmospheric oxygen in the presence of  $\text{CaCl}_2$  (catalyst) at 723 K liberates  $\text{Cl}_2$ .

$$4\text{HCl} + \text{O}_2 \xrightarrow{\text{CaCl}_2} 2\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$$

**ii. Electrolytic process:**

During electrolysis, aq. solution of brine ( $\text{NaCl}$ ),  $\text{H}_2$  gas liberates at cathode, whereas  $\text{Cl}_2$  gas liberates at anode.

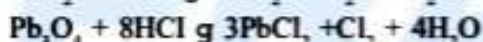
**General Methods:**

**2. by the oxidation of hydrochloric acid:**

**i. Manganese dioxide :**



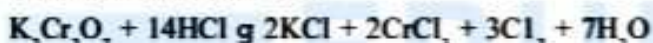
**ii. Lead dioxide or red lead :**



**iii. Potassium permanganate :**



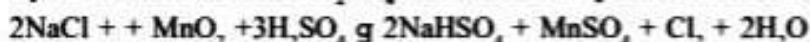
**iv. Potassium dichromate :**



**3. By the action of dilute  $\text{HCl}$  or dilute  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  on bleaching powder ( $\text{CaOCl}_2$ ) :**



**4. By the action of conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  on  $\text{NaCl}$  in the presence of  $\text{MnO}_2$  :**

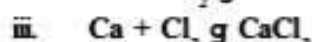
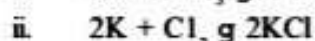
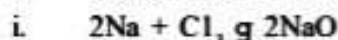


**C. Chemical properties:**

**5. Combustibility:**

Chlorine is neither combustible nor a supporter of combustion.

**6. Combination with metals:**

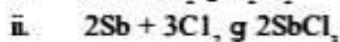
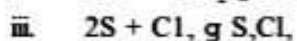
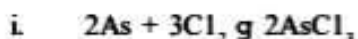
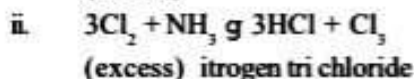
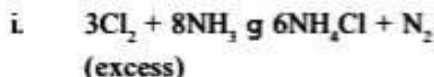
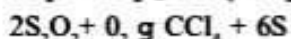
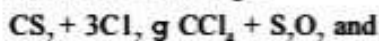
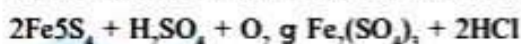
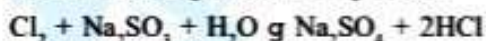
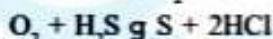
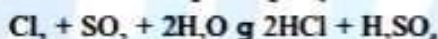
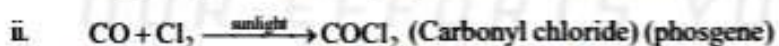


**3. Reaction with water: Bleaching action:**

It bleaches colouring matter. The bleaching action is due to the liberation of nascent oxygen in presence of moisture and form colourless matter.  $\text{O}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{HO} + [\text{O}]$

Vegetable colouring matter + (O)  $\rightarrow$  Colourless matter.

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**4. Reaction with non metals:****5. Reaction with ammonia:****6. Reaction with  $\text{CS}_2$  :****7. Oxidizing nature of chlorine:****i. It oxidizes ferrous salts to ferric salts :****ii. It oxidizes sulphites to sulphates :****iii. It oxidizes  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  to sulphur :****iv. It oxidizes  $\text{SO}_2$  to  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  :****8. Formation of addition products :****• Uses of chlorine:**

1. As a bleaching agent.

2. In the manufacture of bleaching powder or refrigerant such as Freon (i.e.  $\text{CCl}_2\text{F}_2$ ), plastics (PVC), insecticides (DDT, BHC).

3. In manufacture of poisonous gases like mustard gas ( $\text{ClC}_2\text{H}_4 - \text{S} - \text{C}_2\text{H}_4\text{Cl}$ ), phosgene ( $\text{COCl}_2$ ), tear gas ( $\text{CClNO}_2$ )

**II. HYDROGEN CHLORIDE (HYDROCHLORIC ACID)****History:**

Hydrochloric acid was first prepared by Glauber in 1648. Davy in 1810 showed that the acid is a compound of hydrogen and chlorine.

**A. Method of preparation:****1. Laboratory method:****a. Process :****b. Purification:**

HCl gas is dried by passing through conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and collected by upward displacement of air.

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**B. Properties:****1. Nature :**

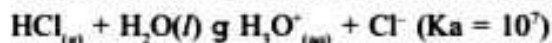
It is a colourless gas with pungent odour.

**2. F.pt. & B. pt. :**

On liquification HCl gas gives a colourless liquid (b.p. 189 K) which on freezing gives white crystalline solid (m.p. 159 K).

**3. Solubility :**

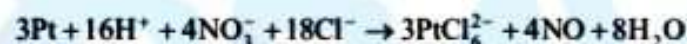
It is highly soluble in water and ionizes, giving a strongly acidic solution is called hydrochloric acid.



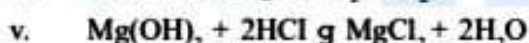
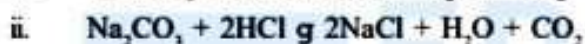
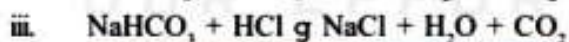
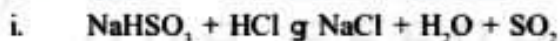
Ordinary concentrated hydrochloric acid contains about 37% (12 N) acid. This acid fumes in moist air called fuming hydrochloric acid.

**4. Reaction with sodium :****5. Reaction with ammonia (NH<sub>3</sub>) :****6. Reaction with noble metals like gold, platinum:**

A mixture of three parts of cone. HCl and one part of concentrated HNO<sub>3</sub> is known as aquaregia. It is used for dissolving noble metals, like gold, platinum.

**7. Reaction with salts:**

Hydrochloric acid decomposes salts of weaker acids, e.g. sulphites, carbonates, hydrogen carbonates, etc. and dissolves basic oxides and neutralizes alkalies.

**III. INTERHALOGEN COMPOUNDS:****Definition:**

The compounds which are formed when two different halogens combine together called interhalogen compounds.

**A. Types of interhalogen compounds:**

Type	Example
XX'	ClF, BrF, BrCl, ICl
XX' <sub>3</sub>	ClF <sub>3</sub> , BrF <sub>3</sub> , IF <sub>3</sub> , ICl <sub>3</sub> (unstable)
XX' <sub>5</sub>	IF <sub>5</sub> , BrF <sub>5</sub> , ClF <sub>5</sub>
XX' <sub>7</sub>	IF <sub>7</sub>

Where X g halogen of large size

X' g halogen of small size

X is more electro positive than X'.

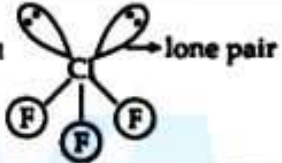
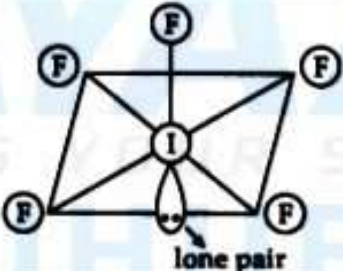
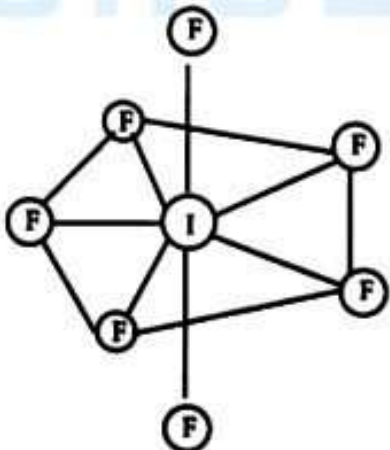
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**B. Preparation :**

The interhalogen compounds can be prepared by the direct combination or by the action of halogen on lower interhalogen compounds.

- Formation of  $\text{BrF}_3$  :** It is yellow green liquid.  $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{F}_2 \xrightarrow{437\text{K}} 2\text{ClF}$
- $\text{ICl}$  formation:** It is ruby red solid  $\alpha$  form and Brown red solid  $\beta$  form.  $\text{I}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 \longrightarrow 2\text{ICl}$
- Formation of  $\text{ClF}$  (Chlorine monofluoride) :** It is yellow powder.  $\text{Br}_2 + 3\text{F}_2 \longrightarrow 2\text{BrF}_3$
- Formation of  $\text{C/F}_3$  (Chlorine trifluoride) :** It is colourless gas.  $\text{Cl}_2 + 3\text{F}_2(\text{excess}) \xrightarrow{573\text{K}} \text{ICl}_3$
- Formation of  $\text{Icl}_3$  (Iodine tri chloride) :** It is colour less gas.  $\text{I}_2 + 3\text{Cl}_2(\text{excess}) \longrightarrow 2\text{ICl}_3$
- Formation of  $\text{BrF}_5$  :** It is colourless liquid  $\text{Br}_2 + 5\text{F}_2(\text{excess}) \longrightarrow 2\text{BrF}_5$

• **Structure of interhalogen compound:**

Type	Hybridisation of X (central atom)	Shape	Mole.	Structure	Excited state
$\text{XX}'$		Linear	$\text{Cl}_2$	$\text{Cl}-\text{Cl}$	
$\text{XX}'_3$	$\text{sp}^3\text{d}$	T-shaped OR trigonal bipyramidal	$\text{ClF}_3$	First 	X atom $\text{Cl}-\text{F} = 1.689 \text{ \AA}$
$\text{XX}'_5$	$\text{sp}^3\text{d}^2$	Square pyramidal	$\text{IF}_5$		Second excited state of X atom
$\text{XX}'_7$	$\text{sp}^3\text{d}^3$	Pentagonal pyramidal	$\text{IF}_7$		Third excited state of X atom

**Properties of oxyacids :**

- Oxidising power of these oxyacids decreases as oxidation number.  
 $\text{HClO} > \text{HClO}_2 > \text{HClO}_3 > \text{HClO}_4$
- Thermal stability increases with increase in the oxidation state of halogen.  
 $\text{HClO} < \text{HClO}_2 < \text{HClO}_3 < \text{HClO}_4$

## GROUP 18 ELEMENTS (NOBLE GASES)

### A. Introduction:

The group 18 consist of helium (He), neon (Ne), argon (Ar), krypton (Kr), xenon (Xe) and radon (Rn)

### B. Valence Shell electronic configuration:

The electronic configuration of He is  $1s^2$ , while all other noble gases have  $ns^2np^6$  ( $n = 2$  to  $7$ ).

Sr. No.	Element Property	He	Ne	Ar	Kr	Xe	Rn	Trend
1.	Name	Helium	Neon	Argon	Krypton	Xenon	Radon	-
2.	Discovered by	J.C.P. Janseen and N. Lockyer (1868)	W.Ramsay and M-Travers (1898)	W.Ramsay (1894)	W.Ramsay and M.Travers (1898)	W.Ramsay and M.Travers (1898)	E.Rutherford (1899)	-
3.	Atomic number	2	10	18	36	54	86	-
4.	Atomic mass ( $\text{g mol}^{-1}$ )	4.00	20	39.9	83.9	131.3	222	-
5.	Valence shell e.c.	$1s^2$	$2s^2 2p^6$	$[\text{Ne}]3s^2 3p^6$	$[\text{Ar}] 3d^{10} 4s^2 4p^6$	$[\text{Kr}] 4d^{10} 5s^2 5p^6$	$[\text{Xe}]4f^{14} 5d^{10} 6s^2 6p^6$	-
6.	Abundance in dry air by volume (ppm)	$5.24 \times 10^{-4}$	$18.2 \times 10^{-3}$	$93.40 \times 10^{-3}$	$1.14 \times 10^{-3}$	$8.7 \times 10^{-4}$	Traces	-
7.	Atomic radius (pm)	93	112	154	167	-	-	-
8.	Vander Waals radius (pm)	120	160	192	197	217	-	-
9.	Density ( $\text{g mol}^{-1}$ )	$1.8 \times 10^{-4}$	$9.0 \times 10^{-4}$	$1.8 \times 10^{-3}$	$3.7 \times 10^{-3}$	$5.9 \times 10^{-3}$	$9.7 \times 10^{-3}$	Increases
10.	Melting point (K)	3	24	84	116	161	202	Increases
11.	Boiling point (K)	4	27	87	121	165	211	Increases
12.	Ionisation enthalpy ( $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ )	2372	2080	1520	1350	1170	1037	Decreases
13.	Electron gain enthalpy ( $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ )	48	116	96	96	77	68	Decreases



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### Trends in physical properties:

#### 1. Liquefaction tendency :

Inert gaseous are not easily liquefied.

From He to Rn tendency of liquefaction increases.

Atoms of noble gas brought together by vander Waal's force of attraction Since the vander Waal's force present between noble gases are very weak, hence the noble gases have very little tendency to liquefied.

From He to Rn strength of vander Waal's forces increases with increasing atomic size.

Thus tendency to liquefaction of these gases increases from He to Rn.

#### 2. Heat of vaporization:

It is measure in forces of holding the atoms together.

From He to Rn heat of vaporization increases, hence tendency to liquefaction increases.

#### 3. Ability to diffuse :

All noble gases are able to diffuse through glass, rubber, plastic material and some metals. Hence, they are difficult to handle in the laboratory for low temperature research work.

Decreasing order diffuse ability is,  $\text{He} > \text{Ne} > \text{Ar} > \text{Kr} > \text{Xe} > \text{Rn}$

#### 4. Solubility in water :

Noble gases are slightly soluble in water.

Helium is least soluble. The solubility of noble gases increases from He to Rn.

$\text{He} < \text{Ne} < \text{Ar} < \text{Kr} < \text{Xe} < \text{Rn}$

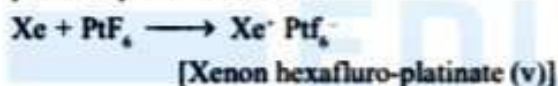
The solubility of these element in water is due to **dipole induce dipole interaction ( Interaction between polar and non-polar molecule).**

#### Chemistry of group 18 elements prior to 1962 :

Before 1962, it was believed that noble gases are inert and cannot take part in chemical combination.

#### Reactivity of element - Bartlett reaction:

Neil Bartlett demonstrated the first chemical reaction of noble gases in 1962. He conducted the reaction between Xe and  $\text{PtF}_6$  and separated the first compound of noble gases i.e.  $\text{Xe} + \text{PtF}_6^-$ . It is an orange yellow crystalline solid.



#### • Uses of noble gases:

##### 1. Helium:

- It is used for filling ballons and air ships as it is light and non combustible.
- It is used in producing inert atmosphere in metallurgical operations and welding of metals.
- It is also used in gas cooled nuclear reactors.

##### 2. Neon:

- Neon is largely used for production of neon lights.
- Neon is also used in television sets, spark plug, warming signals etc.

##### 3. Argon:

- Argon is used to filling discharge tubes and electric bulbs.
- It is used to provide inert atmosphere for welding and several metallurgical process.
- It is used in gas chromatography.

##### 4. Krypton:

- Krypton is used in filling discharge tubes and electric bulbs.
- It is also used in high efficiency miner's cap lamps.

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5. **Xenon:**
- a. A mixture of Xe and Kr is used in the flash bulbs used in the high speed photography.
  - b. Liquid xenon is used in research laboratories for the detection of measons and gamma photons.
6. **Radon:**
- a. It is used in the treatment of cancer by radiotherapy.
  - b. It is used for photographing the interior of opaque materials like steel castings.

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