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LECTURE 2

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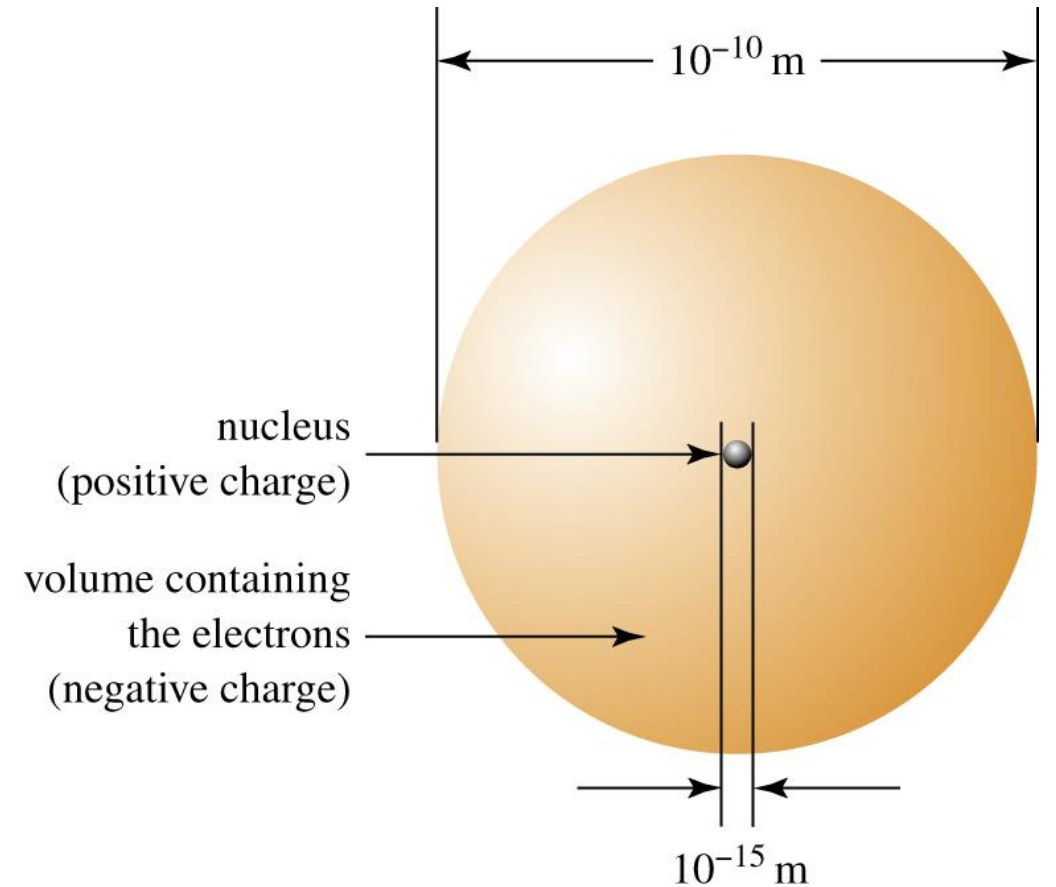
DIMENSIONS OF THE ATOM

The H atom's electron cloud is 10,000 times larger than its nucleus.

The nucleus of H is 1833 times heavier than its electron.

THEREFORE:

- The size of the atom's electron cloud defines the atom's size.
- The composition of the atom's nucleus defines the atom's weight.



Not to scale!

If it were the nucleus would be invisible!

ELEMENTS

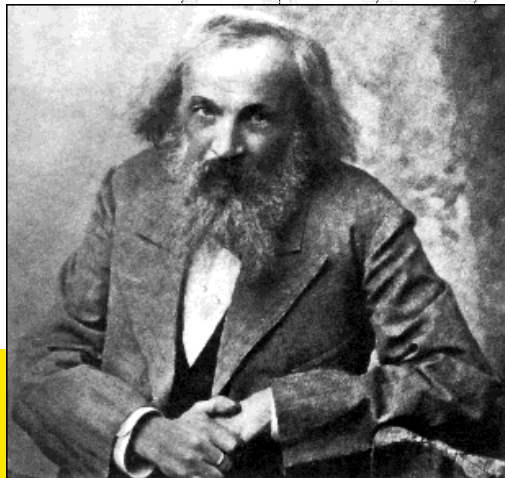
A **chemical element** is a substance consisting of one *type* of atom distinguished by its **atomic number: the number of protons in its nucleus.**

So, it is the **number of protons** in the nucleus that determine the element

- 1 proton => hydrogen
- 6 protons => carbon
- 79 protons => gold
- **Chemistry is just a counting exercise!**

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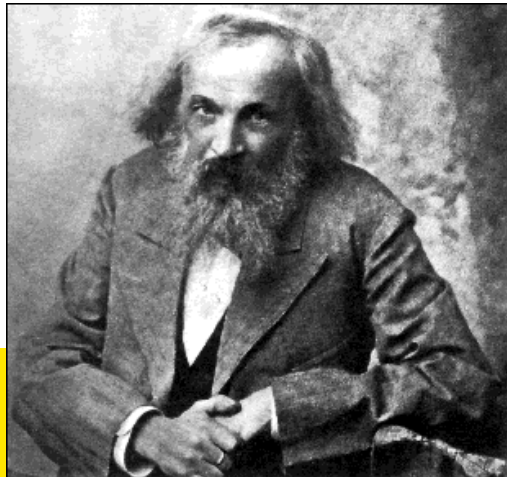


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Dimitri Mendeleev, 1834-1907

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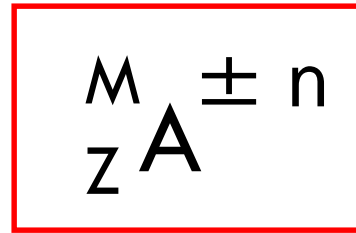


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NUCLEAR (ATOMIC) ARITHMETIC

Formalism:



A = symbol of element

M = mass number (protons plus neutrons)

Z = number of protons (atomic number)

Examples: ${}^1_6\text{C}$ 6 protons, 6 neutrons, 6 electrons

${}^{13}_6\text{C}^{2+}$ 6 protons, 7 neutrons, 4 electrons

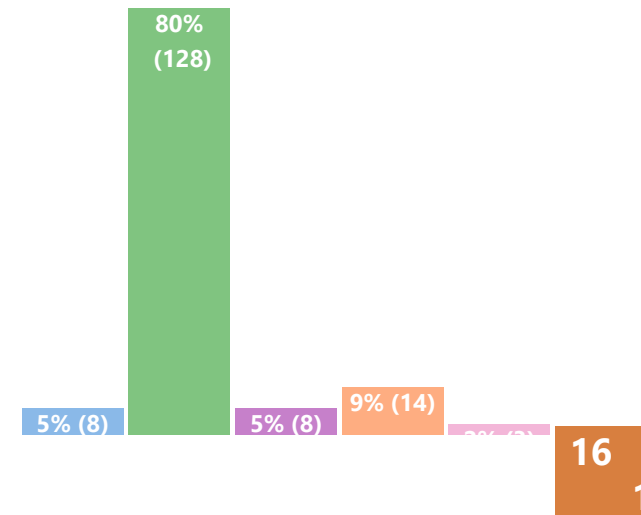
WHAT ARE ISOTOPES?

Isotopes of a given element always have a **different** number of _____?

Isotopes of a given element always have the **same** number of _____?

- ☐ A Protons and neutrons
- ☒ B Neutrons and protons
- ☐ C Protons and electrons
- ☐ D Electrons and protons
- ☐ E Don't know

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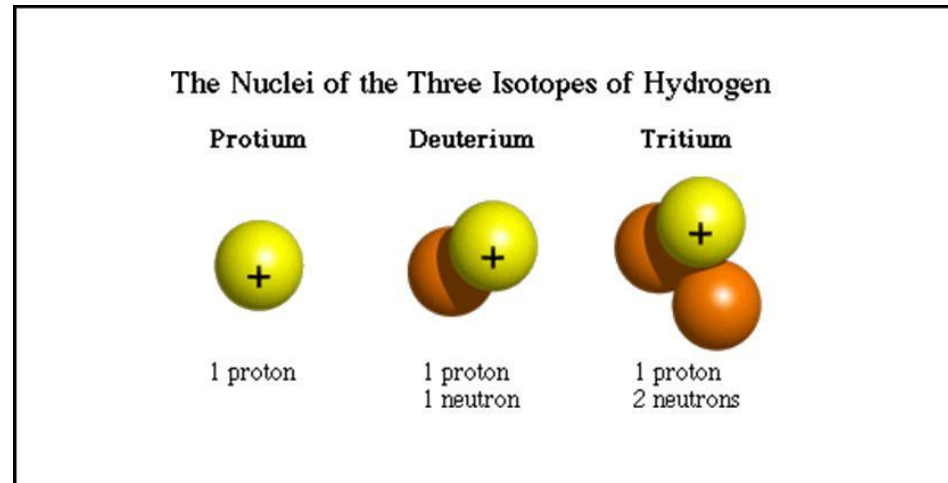
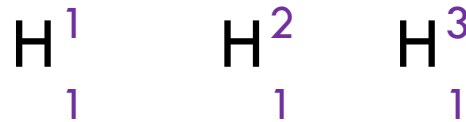
Not all atoms of an element are identical...

- ISOTOPES:**
- have same number of protons
 - different numbers of neutrons
 - different atomic mass numbers.

They have similar chemical properties but slightly different physical properties.

ISOTOPES OF THE HYDROGEN ATOM

e.g., The three common isotopes of hydrogen are written:



Alternative names for these isotopes are protium, deuterium and tritium (respectively).

(Don't have alternative names for other elements just name the isotope number, e.g. carbon-14)

RADIOCARBON DATING USING ISOTOPES

Determining the ages of old things

- Carbon-14 is a radioactive isotope of carbon found in all living things
- It decays at a steady rate, so we can determine the age of things that lived between 2000-50,000 years ago



Sample being removed from bone for carbon dating



“Only the back of the head, the bare shoulders and part of his back jutted out of the ice and melt water. The corpse lay with its chest against a flat rock and its face obscured. Beside the corpse the two hikers noticed several pieces of rolled-up birch bark. Before leaving the scene, they took a photograph of what they thought to be the unfortunate victim of a mountaineering accident a few years back.”

RADIOCARBON DATING ÖTZI THE ICEMAN

Undisputable proof of the authenticity and extraordinary age of the Iceman and his possessions was provided by C-14 analysis

Four different scientific institutions analyzed tissue samples from the corpse and the finds. The results were unequivocal: **the Iceman lived between 3350 and 3100 BC**



Reconstruction of Otzi's face!

ATOMS VS IONS

NEUTRAL ATOM: number of protons = number of electrons
(Individual atoms are electrically neutral)

ION: Charged particle (single atom or group of atoms)

- ANION: Negatively charged species, protons < electrons
- CATION: Positively charged species, protons > electrons

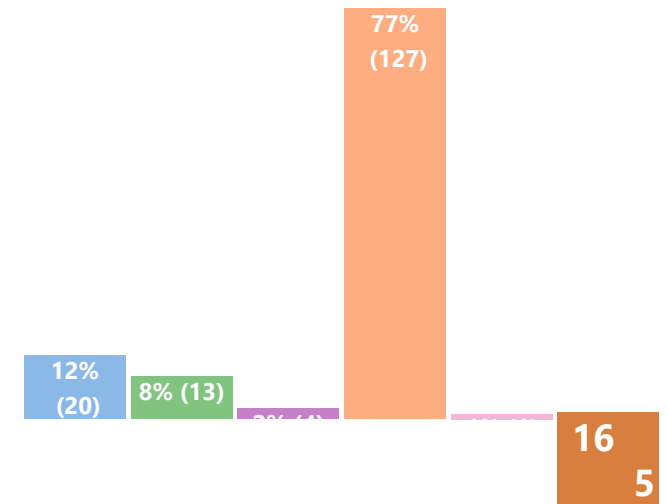
Fundamental Property of elements:

The number of protons in each atom of a specific element is constant

MASS NUMBER & ATOMIC NUMBER

An isotope contains 16 protons, 18 electrons and 16 neutrons. What is the identity of the isotope?

- ☐ A $^{34}\text{S}^{2-}$
- ☐ B $^{32}\text{Ar}^{2-}$
- ☐ C $^{34}\text{Ar}^{2-}$
- ☒ D $^{32}\text{S}^{2-}$
- ☐ E Don't know



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Atomic Mass:

To find mass of an atom? - Experimentally!

ATOMIC MASS: average mass in amu of the atoms of the naturally occurring mixture of isotopes.

ATOMIC MASS UNIT: $1/12$ th of the mass of a carbon-12 atom

Example: Calculate the (average) atomic mass of naturally occurring magnesium.

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Atomic Mass = 24.30505 amu

WORKED EXAMPLE

Copper occurs naturally as a mixture of two isotopes: ^{63}Cu (abundance 69.09%) and ^{65}Cu (30.91%). Their atomic masses are 62.930 amu and 64.928 amu, respectively. Calculate the average atomic mass of copper.

Lets consider you have 10000 atoms of natural copper (2 decimal places)

Of these, 6909 atoms will be ^{63}Cu , of weight = 6909×62.930 amu.

Similarly the weight of the ^{65}Cu atoms will be = 3091×64.928 amu.

Thus, the total weight of all 10000 atoms ...

= $[6909 \times 62.930 + 3091 \times 64.928]$ amu.

= 635480 amu.

Thus, the average atomic mass of one atom = $635480 / 10000$
= 63.55 amu.

WHERE DO ELEMENTS COME FROM?

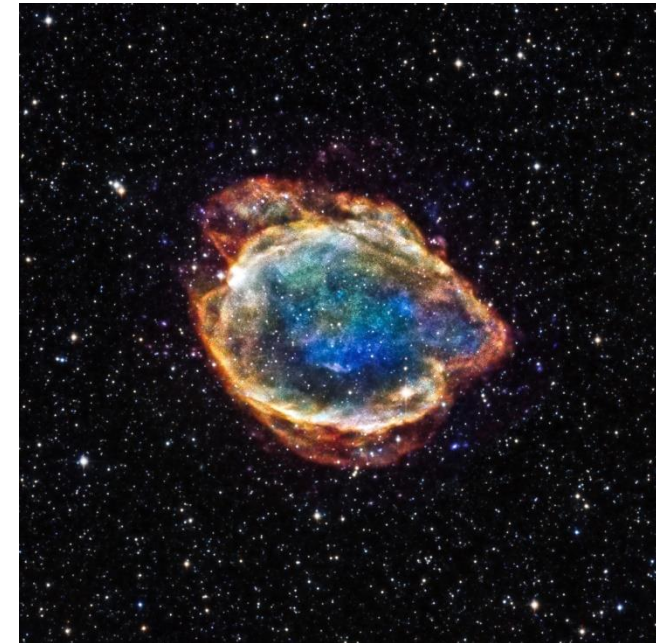
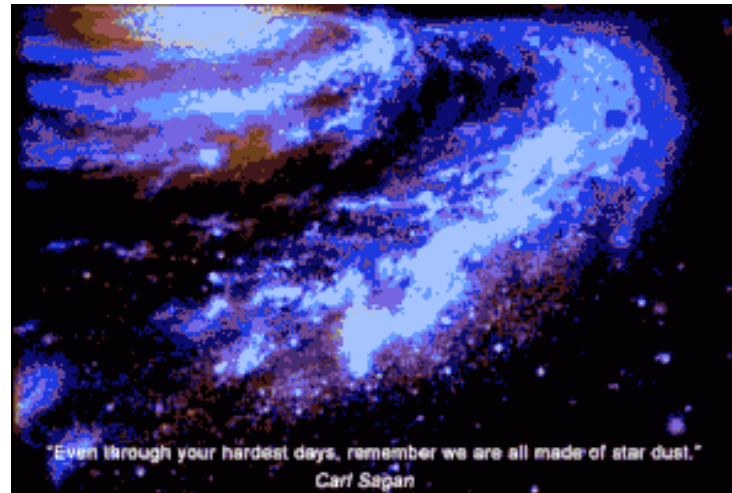
They come from stars (and the death of stars)

Hydrogen formation and some light elements - the big bang

Elements carbon to iron form inside stars

Many elements heavier than iron formed by exploding stars (supernovae)

Elements heavier than uranium are man made



Names of elements

Some from antiquity:

Carbon	Copper	Gold	Antimony
Iron	Lead	Silver	Mercury
Sulfur			

Some named from mythology:

Thorium	Promethium	Niobium	Tantalum
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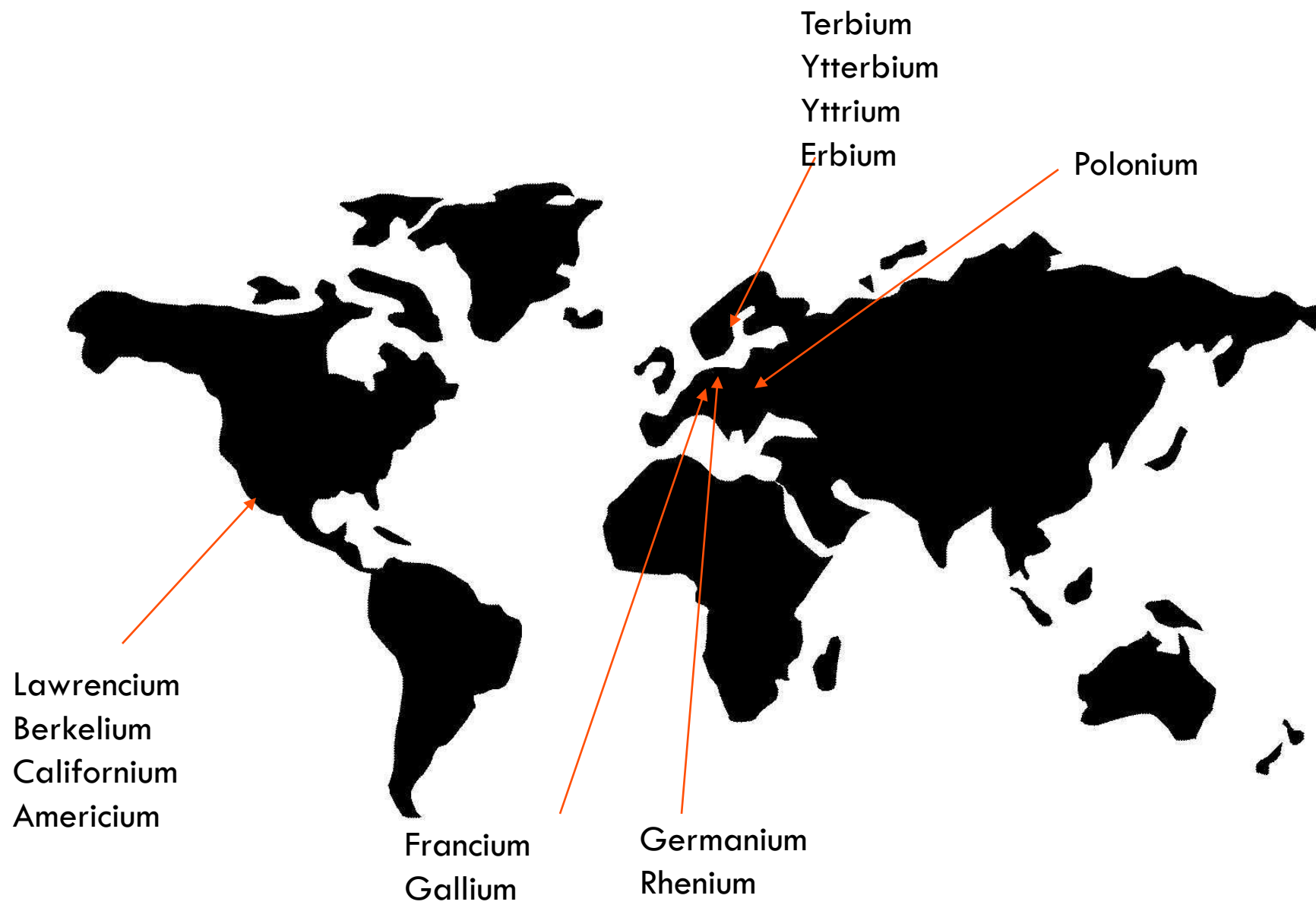
Some named after people:

Meitnerium	Curium	Fermium	Einsteinium
Nobelium	Gadolinium		

Greek:

Hydrogen - water former	Nitrogen - soda former
Oxygen - acid former	Chlorine - greenish yellow
Iodine - violet	Bromine - stench
Osmium – smell	

Some are named after places.....



Beyond Elements – some definitions

Compound: atoms of 2 or more elements combined chemically

Molecule: independent structural unit of 2 or more atoms combined chemically. Held together by **covalent bonds**
- may be of the same element

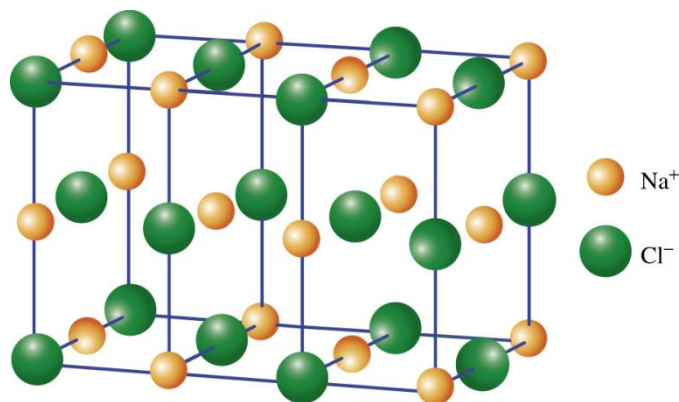
Binary Compound: contains 2 element types - A_xB_y .

Formula: Empirical - simplest whole number ratio in which elements combine.
 Molecular - number of atoms of each element type per molecule
 CH = empirical formula for C_2H_2 and C_6H_6

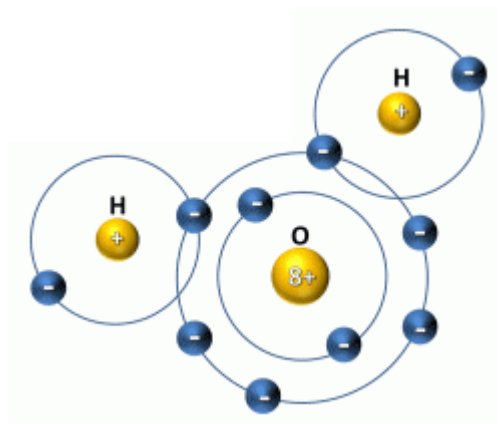
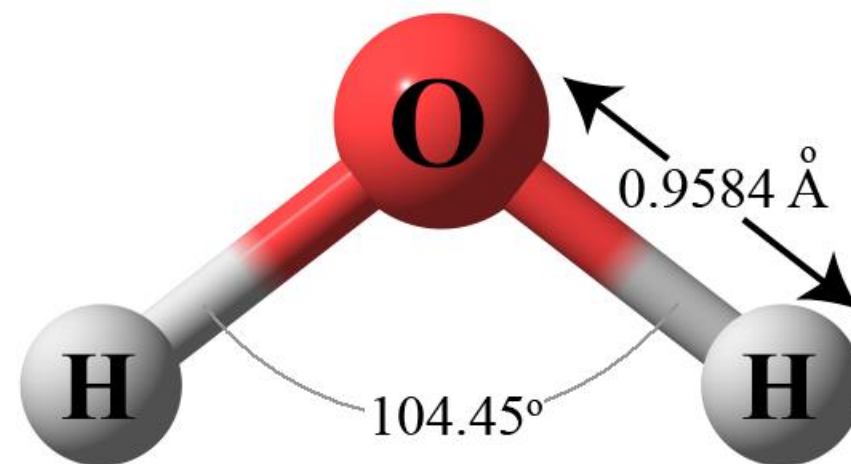
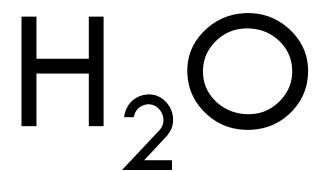
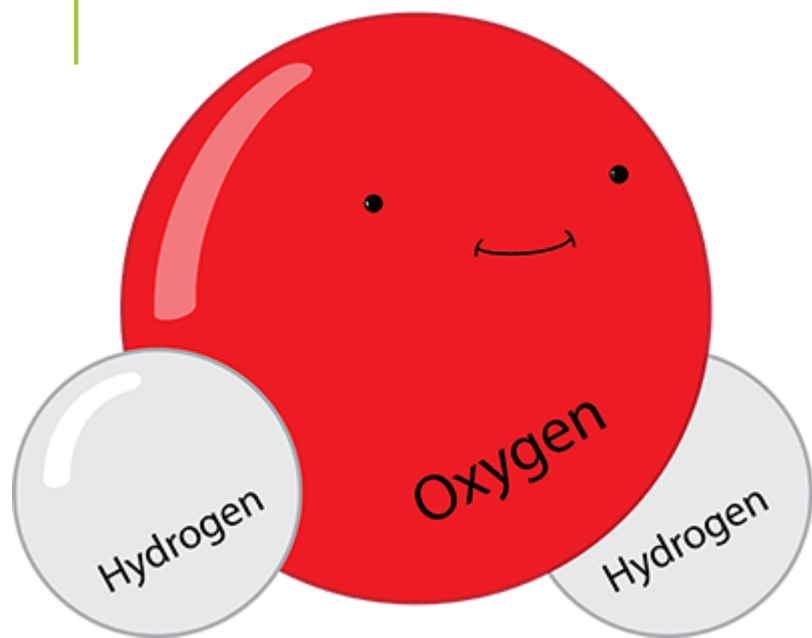
A LOOK AT SOME COMPOUNDS

Most materials are made of combinations of elements – we call these **compounds**

- Compounds may be composed of individual molecules, ionic lattice or a covalently bonded network of atoms
- Individual ‘molecules’ of an ionic compound don’t exist...**
 - Sodium chloride, NaCl, simply represents the smallest repeating unit in an enormous 3D array of Na^+ and Cl^- ions
 - Ionic compounds have a cation (+ve) and an anion (-ve). Overall charge for a solid is neutral – charges balance.



Chemists use various representations for the same compounds....



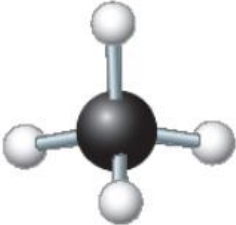
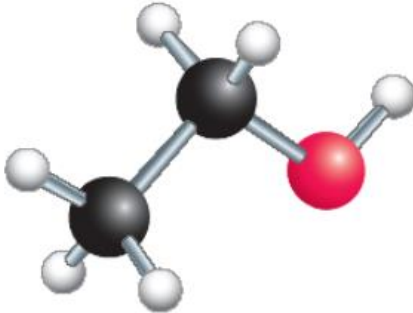






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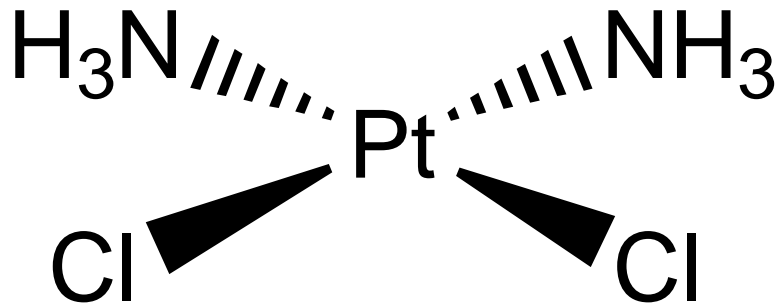
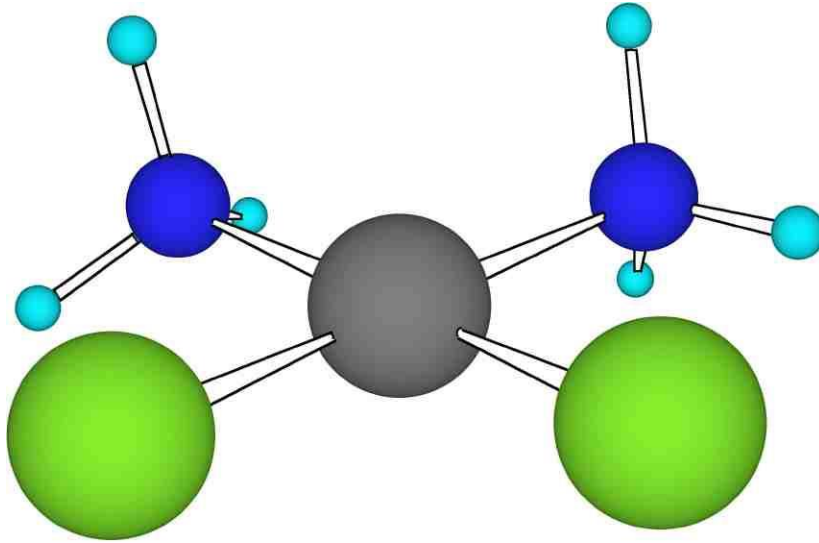
REPRESENTATIONS OF ATOMS AND MOLECULES

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Molecule	water	ammonia	methane	ethanol
Chemical formula	H_2O	NH_3	CH_4	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_6\text{O}$
Structural formula	$\text{H}-\text{O}-\text{H}$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ \\ \text{H}-\text{N}-\text{H} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ \\ \text{H}-\text{C}-\text{H} \\ \\ \text{H} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \quad \text{H} \\ \quad \\ \text{H}-\text{C}-\text{C}-\text{O}-\text{H} \\ \quad \\ \text{H} \quad \text{H} \end{array}$
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Space-filling model				

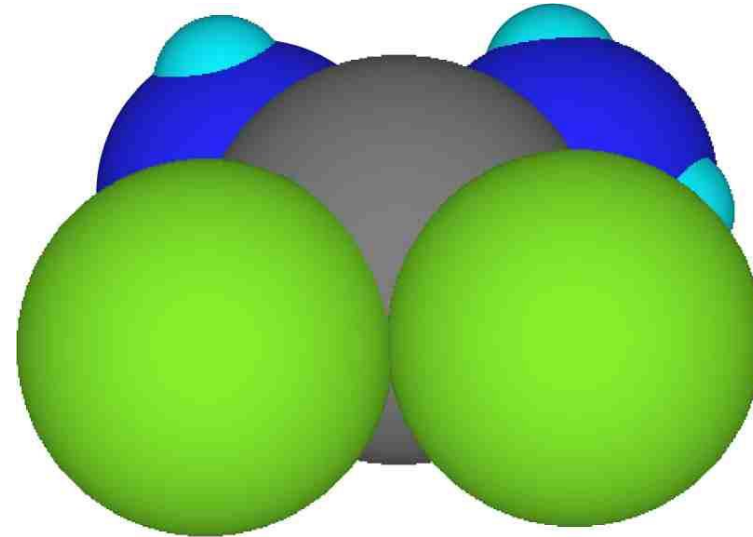
The language of Chemistry — six representations of Cisplatin

Ball and stick model



Structure drawing

Space filling model



Names:

Cisplatin - common name

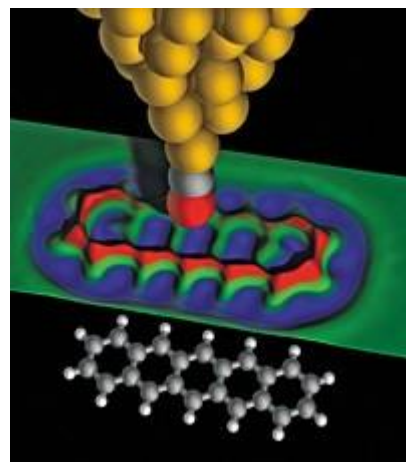
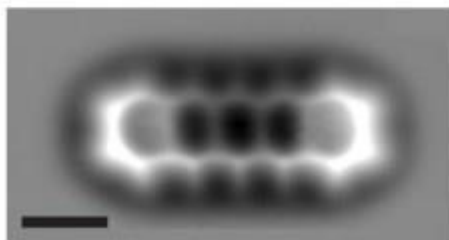
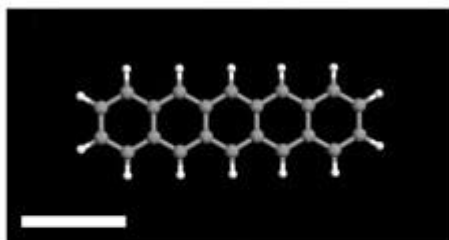
cis-diamminedichloroplatinum(II)
-formal name

Formula: $\text{Pt}(\text{NH}_3)_2\text{Cl}_2$

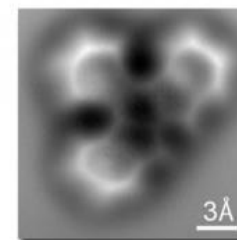
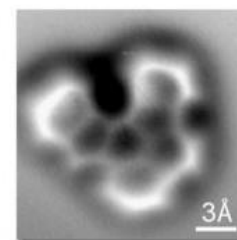
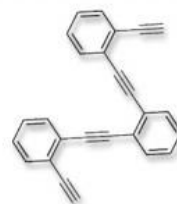
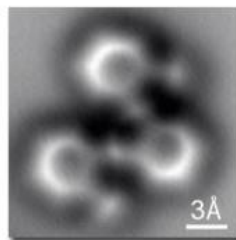
Cisplatin is a **molecular** compound

SO WHAT DO MOLECULES ACTUALLY LOOK LIKE?

...not too far removed from how we represent them actually



Atomic force microscopy



Learn more
about this here!



CHEMICAL FORMULAE (BLACKMAN 2.2)

Chemical formulae

- Subscript shows the relative number of each type of atom present in a substance
 - H_2O
 - $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{34}\text{AuBClF}_3\text{N}_6\text{O}_2\text{P}_2\text{PtW}$
- A molecular formula is a chemical formula that refers to a discrete molecule
- There is a standardised way of writing chemical formulae

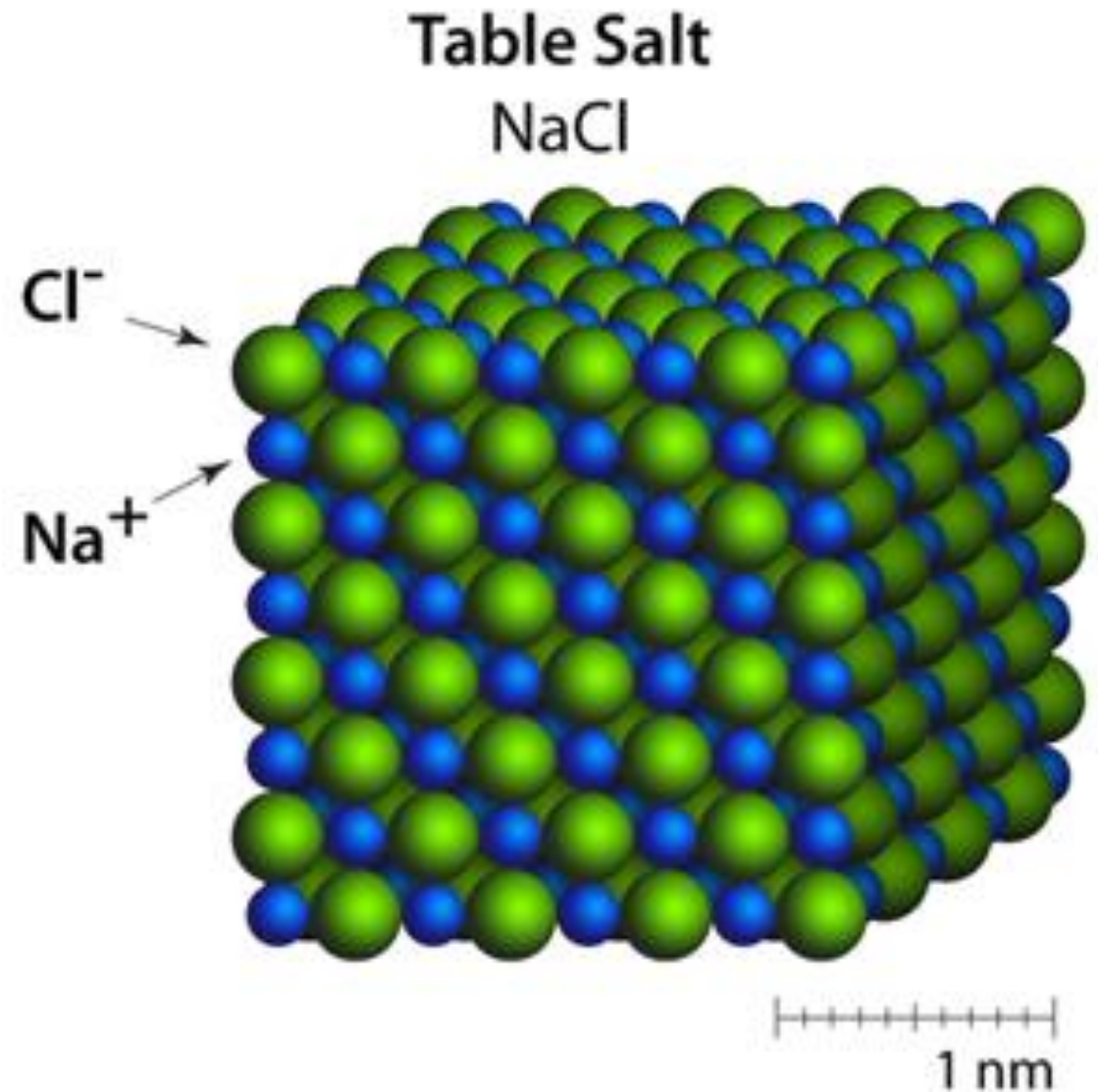
CHEMICAL FORMULAE - BINARY COMPOUNDS

- Element further to the left of the periodic table appears first
 - KCl, Al₂S₃
- Hydrogen is the exception to this rule
 - LiH, NH₃, H₂O₂, HCl
 - Hydrogen written last except when with group 16 or 17
- If both elements are from the same group the lowest element appears first
 - SiC, BrF₃

CHEMICAL FORMULAE — BINARY IONIC COMPOUNDS

- In ionic compounds are written as the simplest proportion of the two ions.
- The cation is written first followed by the anion
 - NaBr, MgCl₂

Remember: a subscripted number refers ONLY to the atom immediately preceding it UNLESS the number comes after a species enclosed in brackets



CHEMICAL FORMULAE — BEYOND BINARY COMPOUNDS

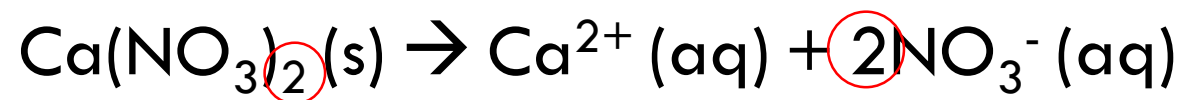
Writing chemical formulae for compounds containing more than two elements requires some knowledge of the bonding within the compound.

Categorise as:

- Ionic compounds
- Covalent compounds

CHEMICAL FORMULAE - IONIC COMPOUNDS

- **Write the cation followed by the anion**, e.g., $\text{Ca}(\text{NO}_3)_2$
- Note the positioning of the brackets around the NO_3^-
- Total charge zero, so two NO_3^- ions per Ca^{2+} in this case:
- Hydrate formation in the solid state is common among ionic compounds. The "water of crystallization" or other solvents that are present in the solid are written after the ionic formula separated by a full stop. e.g. $\text{Ca}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- Dissolving in water, ionic compounds dissociate:



- The superscripts indicate the charge of the species

CHEMICAL FORMULAE - COVALENT COMPOUNDS

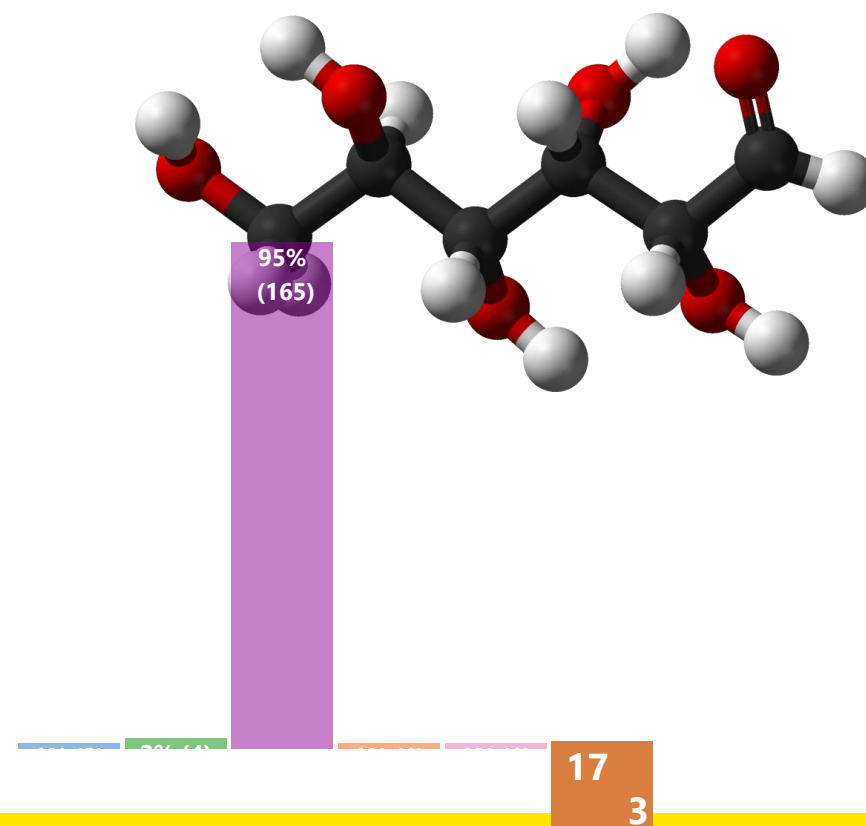
Covalent compounds

- Majority are carbon-based organic compounds
- Chemical formula often written carbon first, followed by hydrogen and then the remaining elements in alphabetical order, e.g. $\text{C}_2\text{H}_6\text{O}$, $\text{C}_4\text{H}_9\text{BrO}$
- Limited structural information in the chemical formula
- This will be looked at further in chemical bonding and Lewis structures.

MOLECULAR AND EMPIRICAL FORMULA

Molecules of glucose (blood sugar) contain 6 carbon atoms, 12 hydrogen atoms, and 6 oxygen atoms. What is the **molecular formula** of glucose?

- ☐ A $6C12H6O$
- ☐ B $C6H12O6$
- ☒ C $C_6H_{12}O_6$
- ☐ D $C_6 \cdot H_{12} \cdot O_6$
- ☐ E Don't know



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NOMENCLATURE (BLACKMAN 2.3)

- Nomenclature — the system for naming of compounds
- International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC)
- Some compounds are better known by their common unsystematic name rather than their systematic IUPAC name
 - The systematic name of water is oxidane...



➤ **Make sure you work through the DIY naming tutorial!**

NOMENCLATURE — NAMING INORGANIC COMPOUNDS

Nonmetallic binary compounds

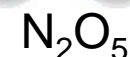
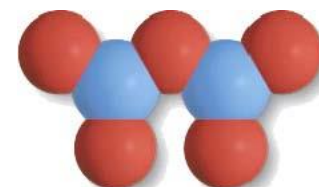
- Guidelines for naming:



Nitrogen monoxide



Nitrogen dioxide



Dinitrogen pentoxide

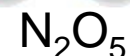
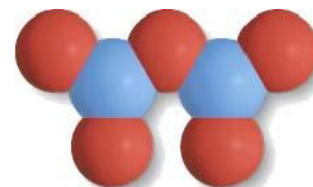
NONMETALLIC BINARY COMPOUNDS - NAMING GUIDELINES



Nitrogen monoxide



Nitrogen dioxide



Dinitrogen pentoxide

1. The element closer to the left of the periodic table appears first.
If both elements are from the same group of the periodic table, the lower one appears first.
2. The element that appears first retains its elemental name.
3. The second element begins with a root derived from its elemental name and ends with the suffix *-ide* in place of the usual ending.
4. When there is more than one atom of a given element in the formula, the name of the element usually contains a prefix that specifies the number of atoms present. prefixes - mono, di, tri, tetra, penta, hexa, *etc.*
5. Omit prefix if name is unambiguous without prefix *i.e.*, only one option for the ratio of those two elements

WHY YOU SHOULD



IUPAC

Pray tell...what are these 'common' chemical compounds?

Lampblack

Jeweller's rouge

Bitter salt

Ackey

Permanent White

Oil of vitriol

Chili saltpetre

Carbon

Iron oxide

Magnesium sulfate

Nitric acid

Barium sulfate

Sulfuric acid

Sodium nitrate

QUICK QUIZ

Name these compounds



Make sure you practice naming till you get it! - see the course pack

QUICK QUIZ

Name these compounds

PF_5 phosphorus pentafluoride

PBr_3 phosphorus tribromide

NOMENCLATURE — IONIC COMPOUNDS

Cation : (element closer to the left of the periodic table) written first

Anion : (element closer to the right of the periodic table) written second, **with last syllable changed to -IDE**

NaBr sodium bromide

K₂S potassium sulfide

MgO magnesium oxide

BaCl₂ barium chloride

Li₃N lithium nitride

- Ionic species are expressed as the simplest ratio of cation: anion
- Note the space in the name between cation and anion
- Note no numbers in name for simple compounds where there is no option for the ratio of ions/atoms involved

QUICK QUIZ

Name these compounds

KCl

CaO

MgI₂

CsF

Al₂O₃

QUICK QUIZ

Name these compounds

KCl potassium chloride

CaO calcium oxide

MgI₂ magnesium iodide

CsF cesium fluoride

Al₂O₃ aluminium oxide (common name alumina)

Make sure you practice naming 'till you don't have to even think about!
(just think how popular you will be at parties!)



POLYATOMIC IONS

Ionic compounds may contain polyatomic ions:

Ammonium	NH_4^+
Nitrate	NO_3^-
Acetate	CH_3COO^-
Oxalate	$\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$

Note: these won't exist on their own in the solid state – need an electrically neutral species, e.g.: Ammonium nitrate NH_4NO_3

Anions containing a central atom surrounded by oxygen atoms are known as **oxoanions**, e.g., CO_3^{2-} carbonate

NOMENCLATURE – OXOANIONS I

1. The name has a root taken from the name of the central atom

- Carbonate CO_3^{2-}
- Nitrite NO_2^-

2. When an element forms 2 different oxoanions, the one with fewer oxygen atoms ends in *–ite*, and the other ends in *–ate*

- Sulfite SO_3^{2-}
- Sulfate SO_4^{2-}

NOMENCLATURE — OXOANIONS II

3. Chlorine, bromine and iodine each form 4 different oxoanions that are distinguished by prefixes and suffixes

- Hypobromite BrO^-
- Bromite BrO_2^-
- Bromate BrO_3^-
- (Hy-)Perbromate BrO_4^-

4. A polyatomic anion with a charge more negative than 1- may add H^+ to give another anion. These anions are named from the parent anion by adding the word hydrogen

- (mono)Hydrogen carbonate HCO_3^-
- Dihydrogen phosphate H_2PO_4^-

NAMING INORGANIC COMPOUNDS

Protonation implies
adding H^+

Protonated polyatomic oxyanions = oxyacids

-ate ions = -ic acid

e.g. H_2SO_4 = sulfuric acid

-ite ions = -ous acid

e.g. H_2SO_3 = sulfurous acid

When needed, specify number of protons attached.

e.g. HPO_4^{2-} = monohydrogenphosphate ion

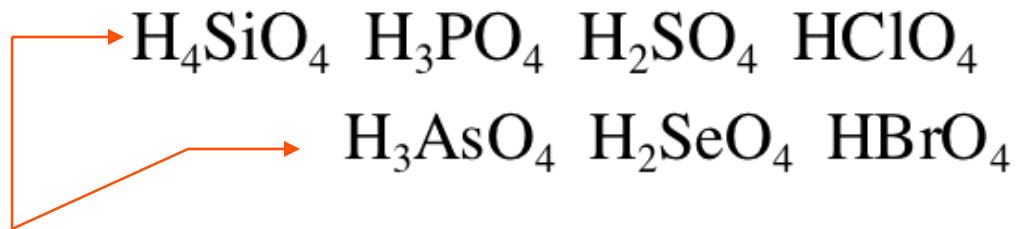
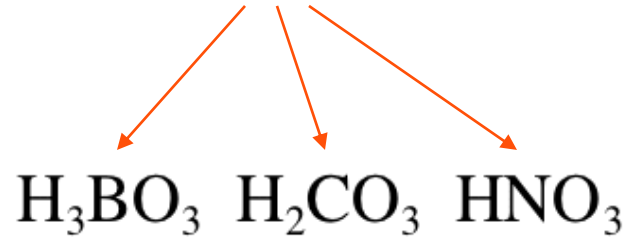
e.g. H_2PO_4^- = dihydrogenphosphate ion

e.g. H_3PO_4 = phosphoric acid

e.g. PO_4^{3-} = phosphate ion

PATTERNS IN FORMULAE OF OXYACIDS

- Smaller central atom can fit around it a max. of three O atoms.



- Bigger central atom can fit around it a maximum of four O atoms.

					He
B	C	N	O	F	Ne
Al	Si	P	S	Cl	Ar
Ga	Ge	As	Se	Br	Kr
In	Sn	Sb	Te	I	Xn
Tl	Pb	Bi	Po	At	Rn

OXIDATION NUMBER (STATE) (BLACKMAN 12.1)

Oxidation states are sometimes written as a Roman numeral, e.g.; Fe(II), Cr(VI)

Definition: The number of charges an atom *would* have in a molecule (or ion) if the shared electrons were transferred completely to the more electronegative atom (see Blackman 12.1)

Much more on what electronegativity means and how to calculate oxidation numbers in weeks 4 and 5

Rules:

- Elements in their uncombined state = 0
- In neutral molecules, sum of ONs = 0
- In an ion, sum of ONs = charge on ion

Usually:

- Hydrogen: ON = +1 when combined with non-metals and = -1 with metals
- Oxygen: ON = -2 (except peroxides ON = -1)
- Fluorine: ON = -1 (except in F₂)

Naming Inorganic Compounds

— The alternative “systematic” approach

There are two ways of naming metal containing compounds when there is more than one possibility for the oxidation number of the metal

systematic nomenclature is useful for naming metal compounds, – with metal oxidation number in Roman numerals.

- MnCl_2 manganese(II) chloride (manganous chloride)
- FeCl_2 iron(II) chloride (ferrous chloride) contains Fe^{2+}
- FeCl_3 iron(III) chloride (ferric chloride) contains Fe^{3+}
- Hg_2Cl_2 mercury(I) chloride (mercurous chloride)
- HgCl_2 mercury(II) chloride (mercuric chloride)
- –ic and –ous nomenclature still appears (more or less!)

Usually only one space in name: separating cation from anion.



Naming Inorganic Compounds -the alternative “systematic” approach

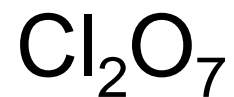
- Can use for non-metals too
- SYSTEMATIC naming needs no numerical prefixes.
- Other naming uses numerical prefixes for ambiguous species.
- leftmost element first for non metals
- lower element first in same column
- -ide ending

SYSTEMATIC

COMMON

NO	nitrogen(II) oxide	nitrogen monoxide
N ₂ O	nitrogen(I) oxide	dinitrogen oxide
N ₂ O ₅	nitrogen(V) oxide	dinitrogen pentoxide
NO ₂	nitrogen(IV) oxide	nitrogen dioxide
N ₂ O ₄	nitrogen(IV) oxide	dinitrogen tetroxide
IF ₅	iodine(V) fluoride	iodine pentafluoride

Quick Quiz - Naming Inorganic compounds



QUICK QUIZ - NAMING INORGANIC COMPOUNDS



iron(II) sulfate

ferrous sulfate



iron(III) perchlorate

ferric perchlorate



chromium(III) carbonate

chromic carbonate



bromine(V) fluoride

bromine pentafluoride



hypobromous acid



chlorine(VII) oxide

dichlorine heptaoxide



NOMENCLATURE – HYDROGEN COMPOUNDS

Binary compounds of hydrogen

- Hydrogen requires special consideration
- It may appear first or second in the chemical formula of a compound, therefore first or second in the name
- Usually appears second when combined with a metallic element
- Examples: H first: groups 16 and 17; H second: groups 1 and 2

▪ Lithium hydride	LiH
▪ Hydrogen fluoride	HF
▪ Hydrogen sulfide	H ₂ S
▪ Calcium hydride	CaH ₂

Groups 13, 14 and 15

- Unsystematic names e.g. B₂H₆ diborane

Oxygen forms two binary compounds with hydrogen. These have unsystematic names:

- water, H₂O (systematic name oxidane),
- hydrogen peroxide, H₂O₂ (systematic name dioxidane).

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Often systematic names are of little practical use....

For example what do you think is the 'common' name for....

(2*R*,3*R*,4*S*,5*S*,6*R*)-2-[(2*S*,3*S*,4*S*,5*R*)-3,4-dihydroxy-2,5-bis(hydroxymethyl)oxolan-2-yl]oxy-6-(hydroxymethyl)oxane-3,4,5-triol

A

Cocaine

B

Caffeine

C

Sucrose
(Sugar)



D

DNA

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MILLION \$\$ QUESTION

sulphur of sulfur?

Sulfur

Why?

Because IUPAC said so.