

Simple molecules

• something: $Fe(CN) \frac{\int \int_V \mu(u,v) du dv}{2}$

• Water: \ce{H2O}, H₂O

• Benzene: $\ce{C6H6}$, C_6H_6

• Hydrogen peroxide: $\ce{H202}$, H_2O_2

• Acetic acid: \ce{C2H4O2}, C₂H₄O₂

• Glucose: $\ce{C6H1206}$, $C_6H_{12}O_6$

Chemical equations

Two basic examples:

• \ce{2H2 + 02 -> 2H2O} typesets $2H_2 + O_2 \longrightarrow 2H_2O$

• \ce{CO2 + C \rightarrow 2 CO} typesets $CO_2 + C \longrightarrow 2CO$

A more complex example

Writing $\ce{Hg^2+ \rightarrow [I-] HgI2 \rightarrow [I-] [Hg^{II}_14]^2-}$ typesets this:

$$Hg^{2+} \stackrel{I^{-}}{\longrightarrow} HgI_{2} \stackrel{I^{-}}{\longrightarrow} [Hg^{II}I_{4}]^{2-}.$$

A math mode example

Chemical expressions can be typeset using math mode commands such as \frac.

Writing $\[K=\frac{[\ce{Hg^2+}][\ce{Hg}]}{[\ce{Hg}^2+}]}\]$ produces this:

$$K = \frac{[{\rm Hg}^{2+}][{\rm Hg}]}{[{\rm Hg_2}^{2+}]}$$