

PERIODIC TABLE

Atomic Properties of the Elements

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FREQUENTLY USED FUNDAMENTAL PHYSICAL CONSTANTS[§]

1 second = 9 192 631 770 periods of radiation corresponding to the transition between the two hyperfine levels of the ground state of ¹³³Cs

speed of light in vacuum	<i>c</i>	299 792 458 m s ⁻¹	(exact)
Planck constant	<i>h</i>	6.626 070 15 × 10 ⁻³⁴ J Hz ⁻¹	(exact)
elementary charge	<i>e</i>	1.602 176 634 × 10 ⁻¹⁹ C	(exact)
Avogadro constant	<i>N_A</i>	6.022 140 76 × 10 ²³ mol ⁻¹	(exact)
Boltzmann constant	<i>k</i>	1.380 649 × 10 ⁻²³ J K ⁻¹	(exact)
electron volt	eV	1.602 176 634 × 10 ⁻¹⁹ J	(exact)
electron mass	<i>m_e</i>	9.109 383 70 × 10 ⁻³¹ kg	
energy equivalent	<i>m_ec²</i>	0.510 998 950 MeV	
proton mass	<i>m_p</i>	1.672 621 924 × 10 ⁻²⁷ kg	
energy equivalent	<i>m_pc²</i>	938.272 088 MeV	
fine-structure constant	<i>α</i>	1/137.035 999	
Rydberg energy	<i>R_∞hc</i>	13.605 693 1230 eV	
Newtonian constant of gravitation	<i>G</i>	6.674 × 10 ⁻¹¹ m ³ kg ⁻¹ s ⁻²	

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13 IIIA	14 IVA	15 VA	16 VIA	17 VIIA	18 VIIIA
5 ² P _{1/2} B Boron 10.81 1s ² 2s ² 2p 8.2980	6 ³ P ₀ C Carbon 12.011 1s ² 2s ² 2p ² 11.2603	7 ⁴ S _{3/2} N Nitrogen 14.007 1s ² 2s ² 2p ³ 14.5341	8 ³ P ₂ O Oxygen 15.999 1s ² 2s ² 2p ⁴ 13.6181	9 ² P _{3/2} F Fluorine 18.998 1s ² 2s ² 2p ⁵ 17.4228	10 ¹ S ₀ Ne Neon 20.180 1s ² 2s ² 2p ⁶ 21.5645
13 ² P _{1/2} Al Aluminum 26.982 [Ne]3s ² 3p 5.9858	14 ³ P ₀ Si Silicon 28.085 [Ne]3s ² 3p ² 8.1517	15 ⁴ S _{3/2} P Phosphorus 30.974 [Ne]3s ² 3p ³ 10.4867	16 ³ P ₂ S Sulfur 32.06 [Ne]3s ² 3p ⁴ 10.3600	17 ² P _{3/2} Cl Chlorine 35.45 [Ne]3s ² 3p ⁵ 12.9676	18 ¹ S ₀ Ar Argon 39.948 [Ne]3s ² 3p ⁶ 15.7596
31 ² P _{1/2} Ga Gallium 69.723 [Ar]3d ¹⁰ 4s ² 4p 5.9993	32 ³ P ₀ Ge Germanium 72.630 [Ar]3d ¹⁰ 4s ² 4p ² 7.8994	33 ⁴ S _{3/2} As Arsenic 74.922 [Ar]3d ¹⁰ 4s ² 4p ³ 9.7886	34 ³ P ₂ Se Selenium 78.971 [Ar]3d ¹⁰ 4s ² 4p ⁴ 9.7524	35 ² P _{3/2} Br Bromine 79.904 [Ar]3d ¹⁰ 4s ² 4p ⁵ 11.8138	36 ¹ S ₀ Kr Krypton 83.798 [Ar]3d ¹⁰ 4s ² 4p ⁶ 13.9996
47 ² S _{1/2} Ag Silver 107.87 107.87 [Kr]4d ¹⁰ 5s 7.5762	48 ¹ S ₀ Cd Cadmium 112.41 112.41 [Kr]4d ¹⁰ 5s ² 8.9938	49 ² P _{1/2} In Indium 114.82 114.82 [Kr]4d ¹⁰ 5s ² 5p 5.7864	50 ³ P ₀ Sn Tin 118.71 118.71 [Kr]4d ¹⁰ 5s ² 5p ² 7.3439	51 ⁴ S _{3/2} Sb Antimony 121.76 121.76 [Kr]4d ¹⁰ 5s ² 5p ³ 8.6084	52 ³ P ₂ Te Tellurium 127.60 127.60 [Kr]4d ¹⁰ 5s ² 5p ⁴ 9.0097
79 ² S _{1/2} Au Gold 196.97 196.97 [Xe]4f ¹⁴ 5d ¹⁰ 6s 9.2256	80 ¹ S ₀ Hg Mercury 200.59 200.59 [Xe]4f ¹⁴ 5d ¹⁰ 6s ² 10.4375	81 ² P _{1/2} Tl Thallium 204.38 204.38 [Hg]6p 6.1083	82 ³ P ₀ Pb Lead 207.2 207.2 [Hg]6p ² 7.4167	83 ⁴ S _{3/2} Bi Bismuth 208.98 208.98 [Hg]6p ³ 7.2855	84 ³ P ₂ Po Polonium (209) [Hg]6p ⁴ 8.414
111 ³ S _{1/2} Rg Roentgenium (282)	112 ³ S _{1/2} Cn Copernicium (285)	113 ³ S _{1/2} Nh Nihonium (286)	114 ³ P ₀ Fl Flerovium (289)	115 ⁴ S _{3/2} Mc Moscovium (289)	116 ³ P ₂ Lv Livermorium (293)
117 ³ S _{1/2} Ts Tennesse (294)	118 ³ S _{1/2} Og Oganesson (294)				

Atomic Number	Ground State
58	¹ G ₄
Symbol	Ce
Name	Cerium
Standard Atomic Weight ^(u)	140.12
Ground-state Configuration	[Xe]4f5d6s ²
Ionization Energy (eV)	5.5386

Lanthanides

Actinides

57 ² D _{3/2} La Lanthanum 138.91 [Xe]5d6s ² 5.5769	58 ¹ G ₄ Ce Cerium 140.12 [Xe]4f5d6s ² 5.5386	59 ¹ I _{9/2} Pr Praseodymium 140.91 [Xe]4f36s ² 5.4702	60 ¹ I ₄ Nd Neodymium 144.24 [Xe]4f46s ² 5.5250	61 ⁶ H _{5/2} Pm Promethium (145) [Xe]4f46s ² 5.577	62 ⁷ F ₀ Sm Samarium 150.36 [Xe]4f66s ² 5.6437	63 ⁸ S _{7/2} Eu Europium 151.96 [Xe]4f7s ² 5.6704	64 ⁹ D ₂ Gd Gadolinium 157.25 [Xe]4f75d6s ² 6.1498	65 ⁶ H _{15/2} Tb Terbium 158.93 [Xe]4f6s ² 5.8638	66 ⁵ I ₈ Dy Dysprosium 162.50 [Xe]4f106s ² 5.9391	67 ⁴ I _{15/2} Ho Holmium 167.26 [Xe]4f116s ² 6.0215	68 ³ H ₆ Er Erbium 167.26 [Xe]4f126s ² 6.1077	69 ² F _{7/2} Tm Thulium 168.93 [Xe]4f136s ² 6.1843	70 ¹ S ₀ Yb Ytterbium 173.05 [Xe]4f146s ² 6.2542	71 ² D _{3/2} Lu Lutetium 174.97 [Xe]4f145d6s ² 5.4259
89 ² D _{3/2} Ac Actinium (227) [Rn]6d7s ² 5.3802	90 ³ F ₂ Th Thorium 232.04 [Rn]6d7s ² 6.3067	91 ⁴ K _{11/2} Pa Protactinium 231.04 [Rn]5f7s ² 5.89	92 ⁵ L ₆ U Uranium 238.03 [Rn]5f7s ² 6.1941	93 ⁶ L _{11/2} Np Neptunium (237) [Rn]5f7s ² 6.2655	94 ⁷ F ₀ Pu Plutonium (244) [Rn]5f7s ² 6.0258	95 ⁸ S _{7/2} Am Americium (243) [Rn]5f7s ² 5.9738	96 ⁹ D ₂ Cm Curium (247) [Rn]5f7s ² 5.9914	97 ⁶ H _{15/2} Bk Berkelium (247) [Rn]5f7s ² 6.1978	98 ⁵ I ₈ Cf Californium (251) [Rn]5f7s ² 6.2817	99 ⁴ I _{15/2} Es Einsteinium (252) [Rn]5f7s ² 6.3676	100 ³ H ₆ Fm Fermium (257) [Rn]5f7s ² 6.50	101 ² F _{7/2} Md Mendelevium (258) [Rn]5f7s ² 6.58	102 ¹ S ₀ No Nobelium (259) [Rn]5f7s ² 6.66	103 ² P _{1/2} Lr Lawrencium (261) [Rn]5f7s ² 4.96

[†]Based upon ¹²C. () indicates the mass number of the longest-lived isotope.

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