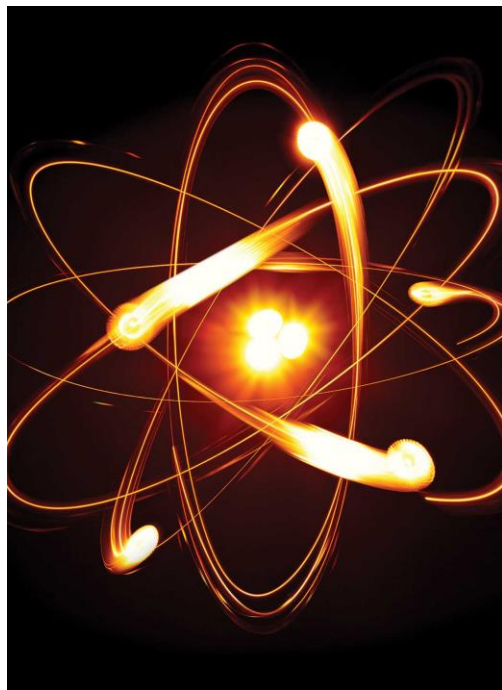


Chapter 2

Atoms, Molecules, and Ions

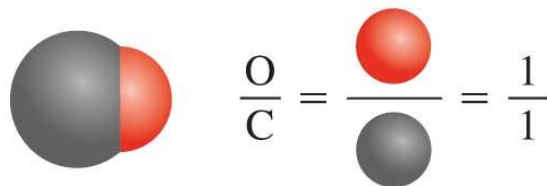


Dalton's Atomic Theory (1808)

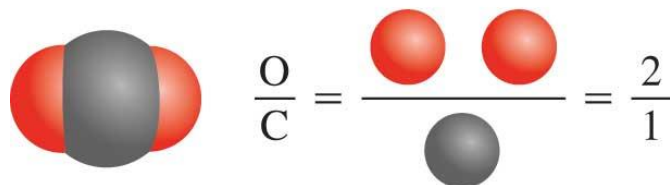
1. Elements are composed of extremely small particles called ***atoms***.
2. All ***atoms*** of a given element are identical, having the same size, mass and chemical properties. The atoms of one element are different from the atoms of all other elements.
3. ***Compounds*** are composed of atoms of more than one element. In any compound, the ratio of the numbers of atoms of any two of the elements present is either an integer or a simple fraction.
4. A ***chemical reaction*** involves only the separation, combination, or rearrangement of atoms; it does not result in their creation or destruction.

Dalton's Atomic Theory

Carbon monoxide

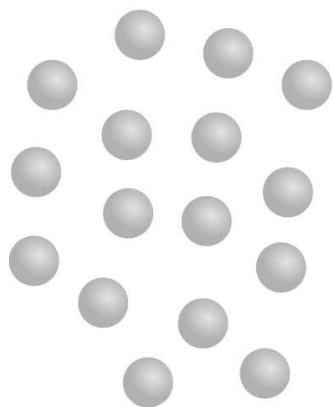


Carbon dioxide

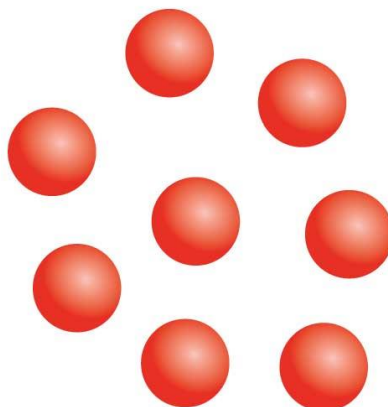


Law of Multiple Proportions

Law of Conservation of Mass

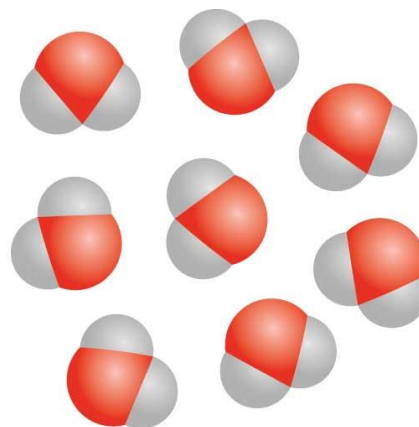


Atoms of element X



Atoms of element Y

(a)



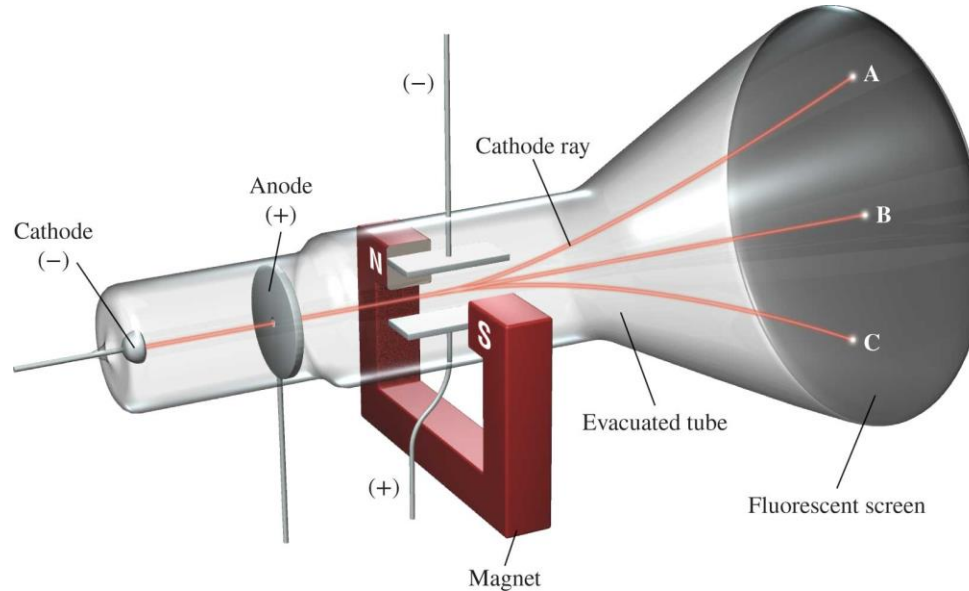
Compounds of elements X and Y

(b)



The law of conservation of mass must be conserved in a chemical reaction.

Cathode Ray Tube ¹

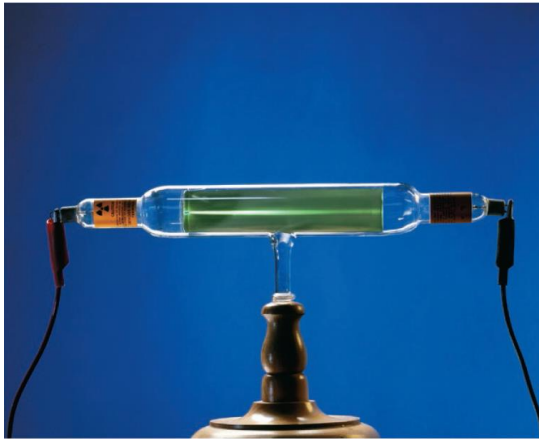


J.J. Thomson, **measured mass/charge of e^-** , conducted experiments with cathode rays, he found that the cathode rays had mass and also that they were negatively charged. Cathode rays were later classified as negatively charged particles known as electrons.

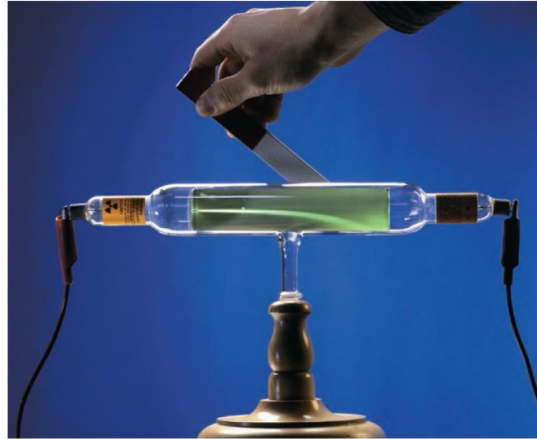
(1906 Nobel Prize in Physics)

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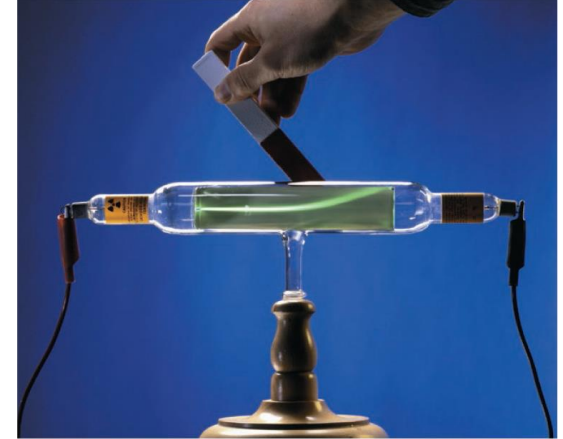
The negatively charge particles is e^-



(a)



(b)

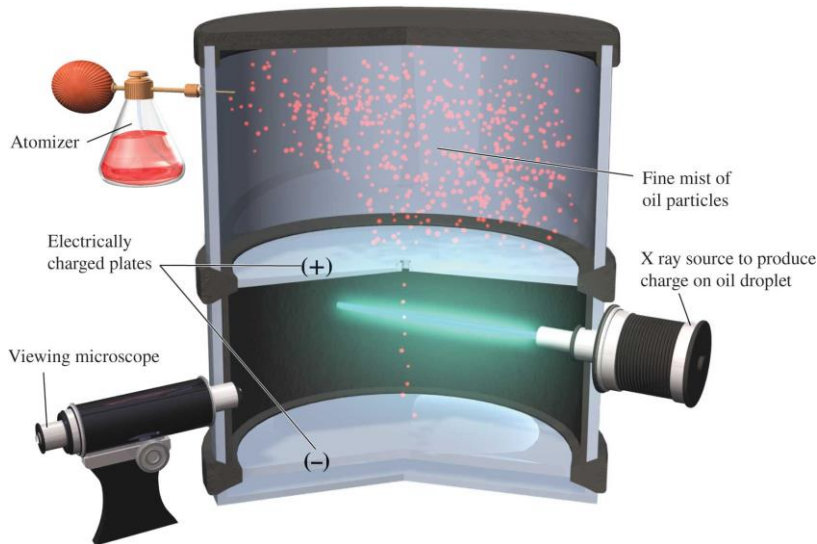


(c)

(b) When the negative end of a magnet is introduced to a stream of electrons, the electrons are repelled away from the magnet, because like charges repel.

(c) When the positive end of a magnet is introduced to a stream of electrons, the electrons are attracted toward the magnet, because opposite charges attract.

Millikan's Experiment



Millikan found that the negative charges on the particles were quantized, and he was the first to calculate the charge of a single electron.

Measured mass of e^-
(1923 Nobel Prize in Physics)

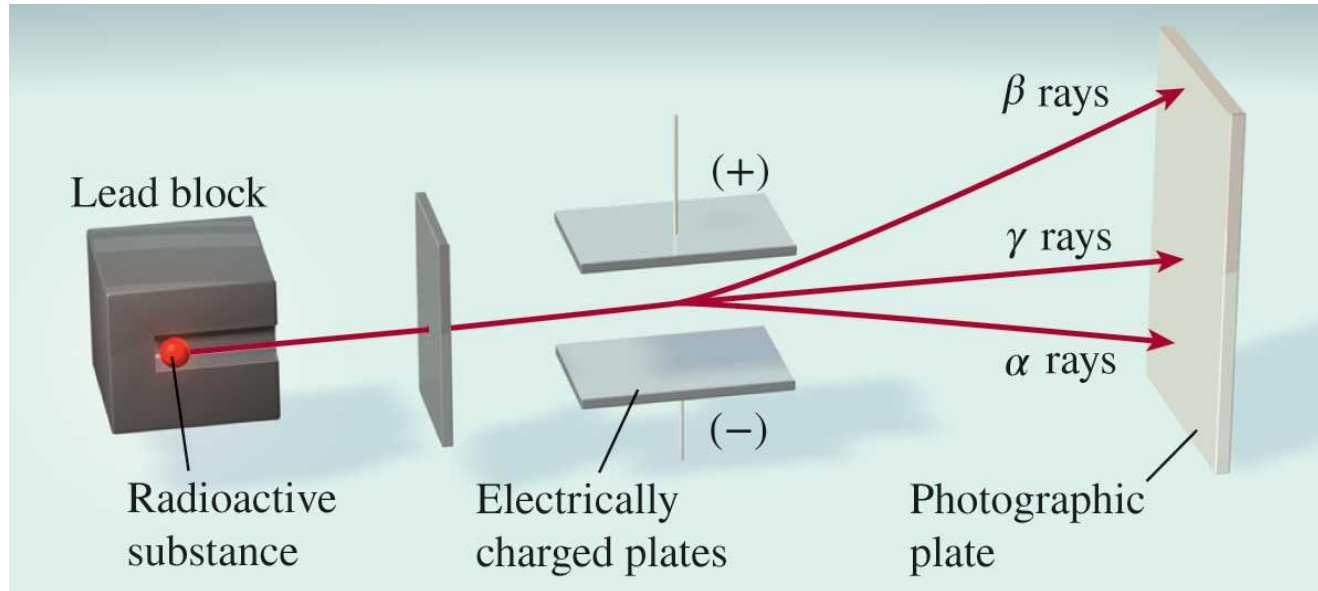
$$e^- \text{ charge} = -1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$$

$$\text{Thompson's charge/mass of } e^- = -1.76 \times 10^8 \text{ C/g}$$

$$e^- \text{ mass} = 9.10 \times 10^{-28} \text{ g}$$

Types of Radioactivity

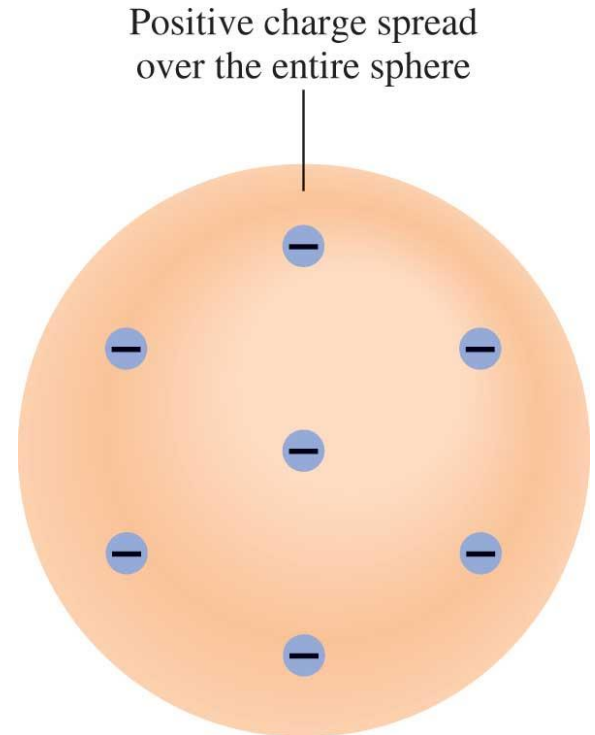
Radioactivity to describe this spontaneous emission of particles and/or radiation.



1. **Alpha (α) rays** consist of positively charged(+) particles, called **α particles**, and therefore are deflected by the positively charged plate.
2. **Beta (β) rays**, negatively charged(-) particles called **β particles**, are electrons and are deflected by the negatively charged plate.
3. **gamma (γ) rays**, radioactive radiation consists of high-energy rays, have no charge and are not affected by an external field.

Thomson's Model

1. By the early 1900s, two features of atoms had become clear:
 - They contain electrons, and they are electrically neutral.
 - To maintain electric neutrality, an atom must contain an equal number of positive and negative charges.
2. Thomson proposed that an atom could be a positive sphere of matter in which electrons are embedded like raisins in a cake. This so-called **"plum-pudding"** model was the accepted theory for a number of years.

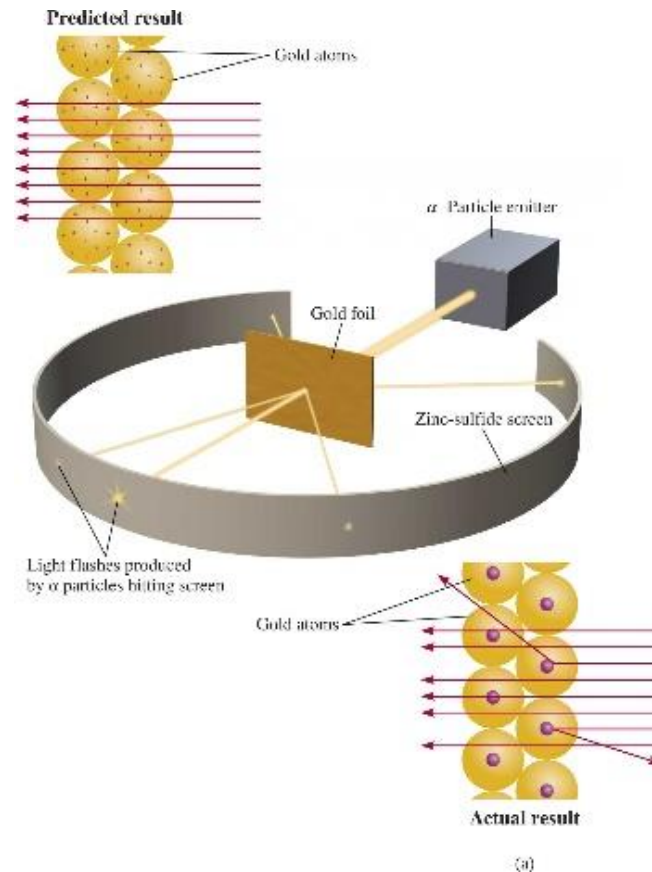


Rutherford's Experiment

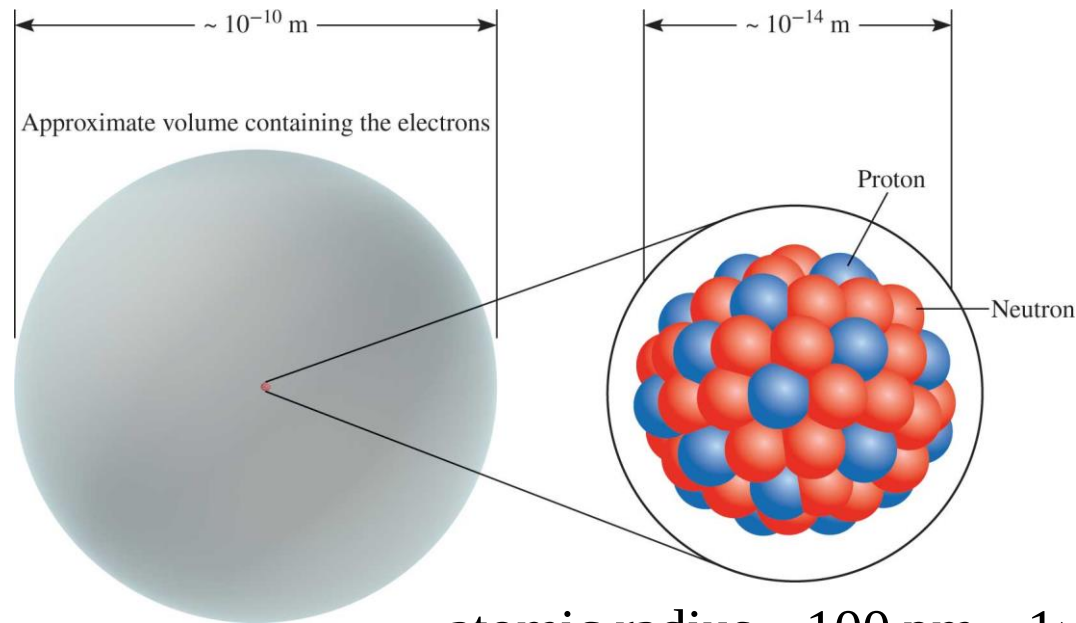
1. **atoms positive charge is concentrated in the nucleus**
2. proton (p) has opposite (+) charge of electron (-)
3. mass of p is $1840 \times$ mass of e^- (1.67×10^{-24} g)

α particle velocity $\sim 1.4 \times 10^7$ m/s
($\sim 5\%$ speed of light)

(1908 Nobel Prize in Chemistry)



Rutherford's Model of the Atom



atomic radius $\sim 100 \text{ pm} = 1 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}$

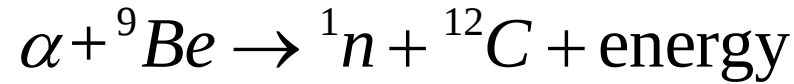
nuclear radius $\sim 5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ pm} = 5 \times 10^{-15} \text{ m}$



“If the size of an atom were expanded to that of this sports stadium, the size of the nucleus would be that of a marble.”

Chadwick's Experiment (1932)

(1935 Noble Prize in Physics)



Chadwick named these subatomic particles **neutrons**, because they proved to be electrically neutral particles with a mass slightly greater than that of protons.

H atoms: 1 p; He atoms: 2 p

mass He/mass H should = 2

measured mass He/mass H = 4

neutron (n) is neutral (charge = 0)

n mass $\square$ p mass = 1.67×10^{-24} g

Properties of Subatomic Particles

TABLE 2.1 Mass and Charge of Subatomic Particles

Particle	Mass (g)	Charge	
		Coulomb	Charge Unit
Electron*	9.10938×10^{-28}	-1.6022×10^{-19}	-1
Proton	1.67262×10^{-24}	$+1.6022 \times 10^{-19}$	+1
Neutron	1.67493×10^{-24}	0	0

*More refined measurements have given us a more accurate value of an electron's mass than Millikan's.

mass p $\approx$ mass n $\approx$ 1840 x mass e⁻

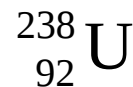
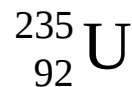
Atomic Number, Mass Number, and Isotopes

Atomic number (Z) = number of protons in nucleus

Mass number (A) = number of protons + number of neutrons
= atomic number (Z) + number of neutrons

Isotopes are atoms of the same element (X) with different numbers of neutrons in their nuclei

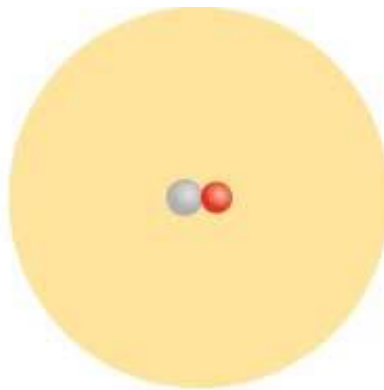
Mass Number $\rightarrow$ A
Atomic Number $\rightarrow$ Z $X \leftarrow$ Element Symbol



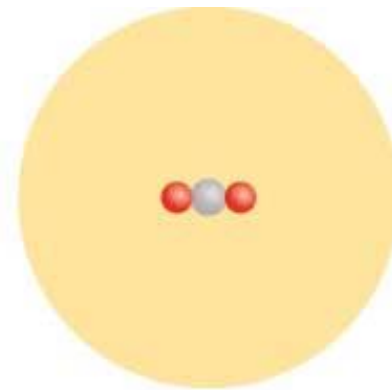
The Isotopes of Hydrogen



hydrogen



deuterium



tritium

Atomic number, Mass number and Isotopes

Atoms are electrically neutral; the number of electrons is equal to the number of protons.

How many protons, neutrons, and electrons are in $^{14}_6\text{C}$?

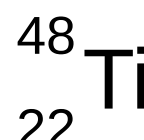
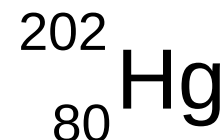
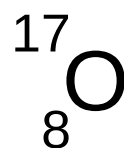
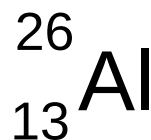
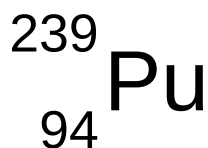
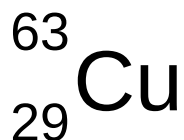
6 protons, 8 (14- 6) neutrons, 6 electrons

How many protons, neutrons, and electrons are in $^{11}_6\text{C}$?

6 protons, 5 (11 - 6) neutrons, 6 electrons

Atomic number, Mass number and Isotopes

Find number of electrons, protons, and neutrons?



e⁻	29	94	13	8	80	22
p⁺	29	94	13	8	80	22
n	34	145	13	9	122	26

EXAMPLE 2.1

Give the number of protons, neutrons, and electrons in each of the following species:

(a) $^{20}_{11}\text{Na}$, (b) $^{22}_{11}\text{Na}$, (c) ^{17}O , and (d) carbon-14.

Solution (a) The atomic number is 11, so there are 11 protons. The mass number is 20, so the number of neutrons is $20 - 11 = 9$. The number of electrons is the same as the number of protons; that is, 11.

(b) The atomic number is the same as that in (a), or 11. The mass number is 22, so the number of neutrons is $22 - 11 = 11$. The number of electrons is 11. Note that the species in (a) and (b) are chemically similar isotopes of sodium.

(c) The atomic number of O (oxygen) is 8, so there are 8 protons. The mass number is 17, so there are $17 - 8 = 9$ neutrons. There are 8 electrons.

(d) Carbon-14 can also be represented as ^{14}C . The atomic number of carbon is 6, so there are $14 - 6 = 8$ neutrons. The number of electrons is 6.

The Modern Periodic Table

The Modern Periodic Table																				
1 1A													13 3A	14 4A	15 5A	16 6A	17 7A	2 8A		
1 H													5 B	6 C	7 N	8 O	9 F	10 Ne		
3 Li													13 Al	14 Si	15 P	16 S	17 Cl	18 Ar		
Alkali Metal		Alkali Earth Metal		3 3B	4 4B	5 5B	6 6B	7 7B	8 8B		10 10B	11 1B	12 2B	Group		15 5A	16 6A	17 7A	Noble Gas	
				21 Sc	22 Ti	23 V	24 Cr	25 Mn	26 Fe	27 Co	28 Ni	29 Cu	30 Zn	31 Ga	32 Ge	33 As	34 Se	35 Br	36 Kr	
				39 Y	40 Zr	41 Nb	42 Mo	43 Tc	44 Ru	45 Rh	46 Pd	47 Ag	48 Cd	49 In	50 Sn	51 Sb	52 Te	53 I	54 Xe	
55 Cs	56 Ba	57 La	72 Hf	73 Ta	74 W	75 Re	76 Os	77 Ir	78 Pt	79 Au	80 Hg	81 Tl	82 Pb	83 Bi	84 Po	85 At	86 Rn			
87 Fr	88 Ra	89 Ac	104 Rf	105 Db	106 Sg	107 Bh	108 Hs	109 Mt	110 Ds	111 Rg	112	113	114	115	116	(117)	118			

Period

Group

Halogen

Noble Gas

Metals
Metalloids
Nonmetals

58 Ce	59 Pr	60 Nd	61 Pm	62 Sm	63 Eu	64 Gd	65 Tb	66 Dy	67 Ho	68 Er	69 Tm	70 Yb	71 Lu
90 Th	91 Pa	92 U	93 Np	94 Pu	95 Am	96 Cm	97 Bk	98 Cf	99 Es	100 Fm	101 Md	102 No	103 Lr

$\frac{1}{2}$ of elements discovered between (1800-1900)
Only noble gases exist as single atoms called **monoatomic**

Group : similar chemical properties

Period : increasing Z

Metals → Metalloids → Nonmetals

Metals

- good conductors of heat and electricity
- occupy most of the table

Nonmetals

- not good conductors of heat and electricity
- only 17 elements

Metalloids

- Intermediate between metals and nonmetals
- only 8 elements

Molecules

A **molecule** is an aggregate of two or more atoms in a definite arrangement held together by chemical forces.

A ***diatomic molecule*** contains only two atoms:

same elements: H_2 , N_2 , O_2 , Br_2

different elements: HCl, CO

diatomic elements

A **polyatomic molecule** contains more than two atoms:

$$\text{O}_3, \text{H}_2\text{O}, \text{NH}_3, \text{CH}_4$$

Ions

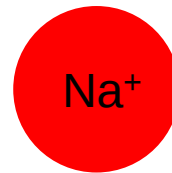
An **ion** is an atom, or group of atoms, that has a net positive or negative charge.

cation – ion with a positive charge

If a neutral atom **loses** one or more electrons it becomes a cation.



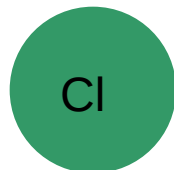
11 protons
11
electrons



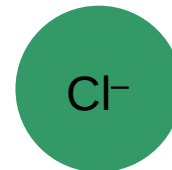
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10 electrons

anion – ion with a negative charge

If a neutral atom **gains** one or more electrons it becomes an anion.



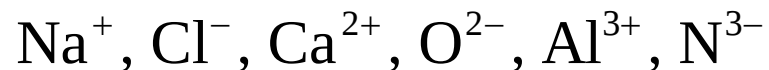
17 protons
17 electrons



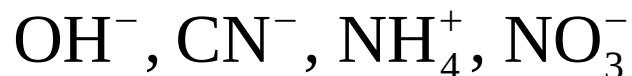
17 protons
18
electrons

Types of Ions

A ***monatomic ion*** contains only one atom:



A ***polyatomic ion*** contains more than one atom:



How many protons and electrons are in ${}_{13}^{27}\text{Al}^{3+}$?

13 protons, 10 (13 – 3) electrons

How many protons and electrons are in ${}_{34}^{78}\text{Se}^{2-}$?

34 protons, 36 (34 + 2) electrons

Common Ions Shown on the Periodic Table

1 1A	2 2A											13 3A	14 4A	15 5A	16 6A	17 7A	18 8A
Li ⁺													C ⁴⁻	N ³⁻	O ²⁻	F ⁻	
Na ⁺	Mg ²⁺	3 3B	4 4B	5 5B	6 6B	7 7B	8 8B	9 8B	10 8B	11 1B	12 2B	Al ³⁺		P ³⁻	S ²⁻	Cl ⁻	
K ⁺	Ca ²⁺				Cr ²⁺ Cr ³⁺	Mn ²⁺ Mn ³⁺	Fe ²⁺ Fe ³⁺	Co ²⁺ Co ³⁺	Ni ²⁺ Ni ³⁺	Cu ⁺ Cu ²⁺	Zn ²⁺				Se ²⁻	Br ⁻	
Rb ⁺	Sr ²⁺									Ag ⁺	Cd ²⁺		Sn ²⁺ Sn ⁴⁺		Te ²⁻	I ⁻	
Cs ⁺	Ba ²⁺									Au ⁺ Au ³⁺	Hg ₂ ²⁺ Hg ²⁺		Pb ²⁺ Pb ⁴⁺				

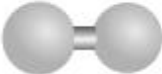
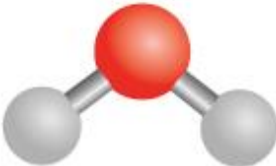
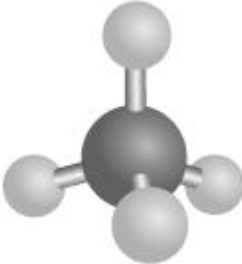
Types of Formulas

A ***molecular formula*** shows the exact number of atoms of each element in the smallest unit of a substance.

An ***empirical formula*** shows the simplest whole-number ratio of the atoms in a substance.

<u>molecular</u>	<u>empirical</u>
H_2O	H_2O
$\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$	CH_2O
O_3	O
N_2H_4	NH_2

Formulas and Models

	Hydrogen	Water	Ammonia	Methane
Molecular formula	H_2	H_2O	NH_3	CH_4
Structural formula	$\text{H}-\text{H}$	$\text{H}-\text{O}-\text{H}$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{H}-\text{N}-\text{H} \\ \\ \text{H} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ \\ \text{H}-\text{N}-\text{H} \\ \\ \text{H} \end{array}$
Ball-and-stick model				
Space-filling model				

EXAMPLE 2.3

Write the empirical formulas for the following molecules: (a) acetylene (C_2H_2), which is used in welding torches; (b) glucose ($\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$), a substance known as blood sugar; and (c) nitrous oxide (N_2O), a gas that is used as an anesthetic gas (“laughing gas”) and as an aerosol propellant for whipped creams.

Strategy Recall that to write the empirical formula, the subscripts in the molecular formula must be converted to the smallest possible whole numbers.

Solution

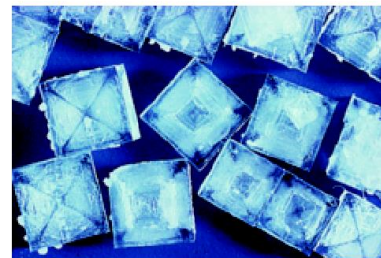
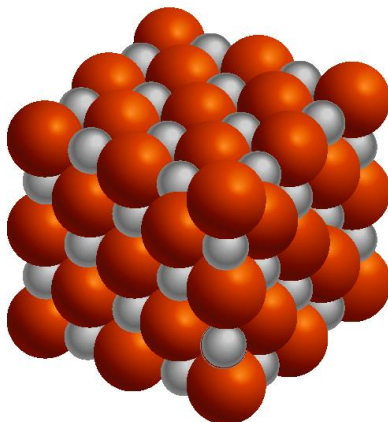
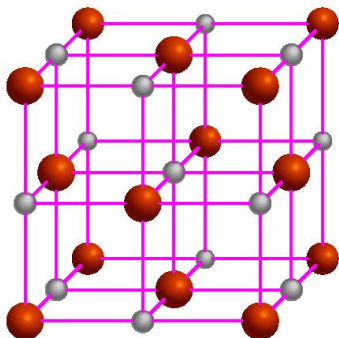
- (a) There are two carbon atoms and two hydrogen atoms in acetylene. Dividing the subscripts by 2, we obtain the empirical formula CH .
- (b) In glucose there are 6 carbon atoms, 12 hydrogen atoms, and 6 oxygen atoms. Dividing the subscripts by 6, we obtain the empirical formula CH_2O . Note that if we had divided the subscripts by 3, we would have obtained the formula $\text{C}_2\text{H}_4\text{O}_2$. Although the ratio of carbon to hydrogen to oxygen atoms in $\text{C}_2\text{H}_4\text{O}_2$ is the same as that in $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$ (1:2:1), $\text{C}_2\text{H}_4\text{O}_2$ is not the simplest formula because its subscripts are not in the smallest whole-number ratio.
- (c) Because the subscripts in N_2O are already the smallest possible whole numbers, the empirical formula for nitrous oxide is the same as its molecular formula.

Ionic Compounds

Ionic compounds consist of a combination of cations and anions.

- The formula is usually the same as the empirical formula.
- The sum of the charges on the cation(s) and anion(s) in each formula unit must equal zero.

The ionic compound NaCl



Reactive Elements

1A	2A											3A	4A	5A	6A	7A	8A
Li												Al			N	O	F
Na	Mg														S	Cl	
K	Ca															Br	
Rb	Sr															I	
Cs	Ba																

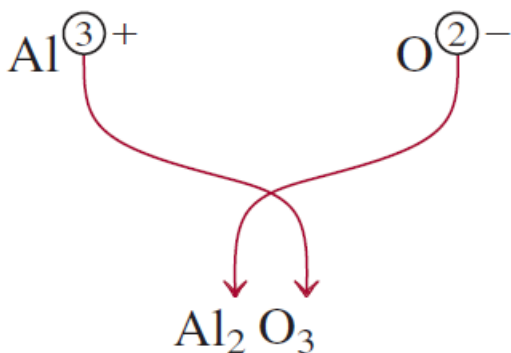
The most reactive **metals** (green)
and the most reactive **nonmetals** (blue)
combine to form **ionic compounds**.

Formula of Ionic Compounds

If the charges on the cation and anion are numerically different, we apply the following rule to make the formula electrically neutral.

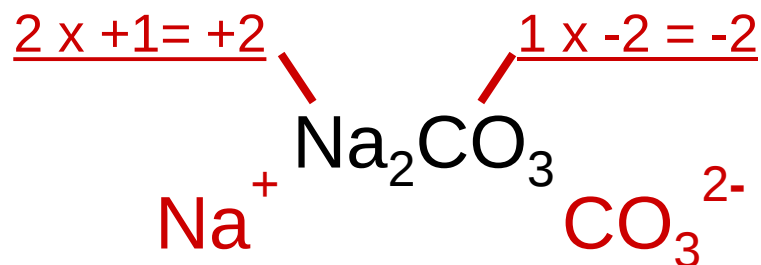
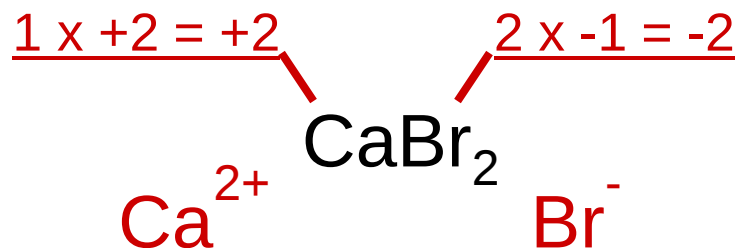
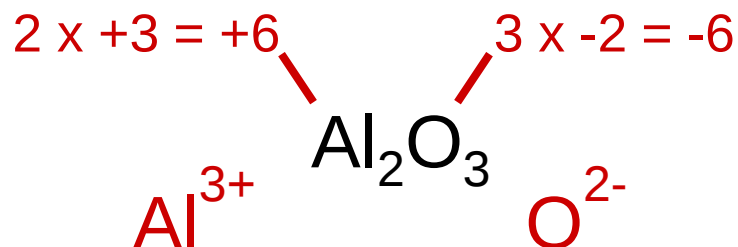
The subscript of the cation is numerically equal to the charge on the anion, and the subscript of the anion is numerically equal to the charge on the cation.

Aluminum Oxide. The cation is Al^{3+} and the oxygen anion is O^{2-}



The sum of the charges is $2(+3) + 3(-2) = 0$. Thus, the formula for aluminum oxide is **Al_2O_3** .

Formula of Ionic Compounds



Chemical Nomenclature

Ionic Compounds

- Often a metal + nonmetal
- Anion (nonmetal), add “-ide” to element name

BaCl_2 barium chloride

K_2O potassium oxide

$\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2$ magnesium hydroxide

KNO_3 potassium nitrate

Naming Monatomic Anions

TABLE 2.2

The “-ide” Nomenclature of Some Common Monatomic Anions According to Their Positions in the Periodic Table

Group 4A	Group 5A	Group 6A	Group 7A
C carbide (C^{4-})*	N nitride (N^{3-})	O oxide (O^{2-})	F fluoride (F^-)
Si silicide (Si^{4-})	P phosphide (P^{3-})	S sulfide (S^{2-})	Cl chloride (Cl^-)
		Se selenide (Se^{2-})	Br bromide (Br^-)
		Te telluride (Te^{2-})	I iodide (I^-)

*The word “carbide” is also used for the anion C_2^{2-} .

Transition metal ionic compounds

Indicate charge on metal with **Roman numerals (I, II, III, ..)**

3B 4B 5B 6B 7B 8B 1B 2B

FeCl_2 2 Cl^- -2, so Fe is +2 Iron (II) chloride

FeCl_3 3 Cl^- -3, so Fe is +3 Iron (III) chloride

Cr_2S_3 3 S^{2-} -6, so Cr is +3 (6/2) Chromium (III) sulfide

If transition metals can form more than one type of cations we use (-ic) for higher charge and (-ous) for lower charge .

FeCl_2 iron(II) chloride becomes **ferrous chloride**

FeCl_3 iron(III) chloride becomes **ferric chloride**

CuCl copper(I) chloride becomes **cuprous chloride**

CuCl_2 copper(II) chloride becomes **cupric chloride**

TABLE 2.3

Names and Formulas of Some Common Inorganic Cations and Anions

Cation	Anion
aluminum (Al^{3+})	bromide (Br^-)
ammonium (NH_4^+)	carbonate (CO_3^{2-})
barium (Ba^{2+})	chlorate (ClO_3^-)
cadmium (Cd^{2+})	chloride (Cl^-)
calcium (Ca^{2+})	chromate (CrO_4^{2-})
cesium (Cs^+)	cyanide (CN^-)
chromium(III) or chromic (Cr^{3+})	dichromate ($\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$)
cobalt(II) or cobaltous (Co^{2+})	dihydrogen phosphate (H_2PO_4^-)
copper(I) or cuprous (Cu^+)	fluoride (F^-)
copper(II) or cupric (Cu^{2+})	hydride (H^-)
hydrogen (H^+)	hydrogen carbonate or bicarbonate (HCO_3^-)
iron(II) or ferrous (Fe^{2+})	hydrogen phosphate (HPO_4^{2-})
iron(III) or ferric (Fe^{3+})	hydrogen sulfate or bisulfate (HSO_4^-)
lead(II) or plumbous (Pb^{2+})	hydroxide (OH^-)
lithium (Li^+)	iodide (I^-)
magnesium (Mg^{2+})	nitrate (NO_3^-)
manganese(II) or manganous (Mn^{2+})	nitride (N^{3-})
mercury(I) or mercurous (Hg_2^{2+})*	nitrite (NO_2^-)
mercury(II) or mercuric (Hg^{2+})	oxide (O^{2-})
potassium (K^+)	permanganate (MnO_4^-)
rubidium (Rb^+)	peroxide (O_2^{2-})
silver (Ag^+)	phosphate (PO_4^{3-})
sodium (Na^+)	sulfate (SO_4^{2-})
strontium (Sr^{2+})	sulfide (S^{2-})
tin(II) or stannous (Sn^{2+})	sulfite (SO_3^{2-})
zinc (Zn^{2+})	thiocyanate (SCN^-)

*Mercury(I) exists as a pair as shown.

EXAMPLE 2.5

Name the following compounds: (a) $\text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2$, (b) KH_2PO_4 , and (c) NH_4ClO_3 .

Solution

- (a) The nitrate ion (NO_3^-) bears one negative charge, so the copper ion must have two positive charges. Because copper forms both Cu^+ and Cu^{2+} ions, we need to use the Stock system and call the compound copper(II) nitrate.
- (b) The cation is K^+ and the anion is H_2PO_4^- (dihydrogen phosphate). Because potassium only forms one type of ion (K^+), there is no need to use potassium(I) in the name. The compound is potassium dihydrogen phosphate.
- (c) The cation is NH_4^+ (ammonium ion) and the anion is ClO_3^- . The compound is ammonium chlorate.

EXAMPLE 2.6

Write chemical formulas for the following compounds: (a) mercury(I) nitrite, (b) cesium sulfide, and (c) calcium phosphate.

Strategy We refer to Table 2.3 for the formulas of cations and anions. Recall that the Roman numerals in the Stock system provide useful information about the charges of the cation.

Solution

- (a) The Roman numeral shows that the mercury ion bears a +1 charge. According to Table 2.3, however, the mercury(I) ion is diatomic (that is, Hg_2^{2+}) and the nitrite ion is NO_2^- . Therefore, the formula is $\text{Hg}_2(\text{NO}_2)_2$.
- (b) Each sulfide ion bears two negative charges, and each cesium ion bears one positive charge (cesium is in Group 1A, as is sodium). Therefore, the formula is Cs_2S .
- (c) Each calcium ion (Ca^{2+}) bears two positive charges, and each phosphate ion (PO_4^{3-}) bears three negative charges. To make the sum of the charges equal zero, we must adjust the numbers of cations and anions:

$$3(+2) + 2(-3) = 0$$

Thus, the formula is $\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2$.

Molecular Compounds

- They are usually composed of nonmetallic elements.
- Many molecular compounds are binary compounds.
- Naming binary molecular compounds is similar to naming binary ionic compounds.
- We place the name of the first element in the formula first, and the second element is named by adding *-ide* to the root of the element name.

HCl hydrogen chlor*ide*

HBr hydrogen brom*ide*

SiC silicon carb*ide*

If a pair of elements form more than one compound, use prefixes to indicate number of each kind of atom

Notes in naming compounds with prefixes:

The prefix “mono-” may be omitted for the first element.

For example, PCl_3 is named phosphorus trichloride, not ~~monophosphorus trichloride~~.

For oxides, the ending “a” in the prefix is **sometimes** omitted.

For example, N_2O_4 may be called dinitrogen **tetr**oxide rather than dinitrogen ~~tetra~~oxide.

TABLE 2.4

Greek Prefixes Used in Naming Molecular Compounds

Prefix	Meaning
mono-	1
di-	2
tri-	3
tetra-	4
penta-	5
hexa-	6
hepta-	7
octa-	8
nona-	9
deca-	10

Name the following compounds:

HI hydrogen iodide

NF₃ nitrogen trifluoride

SO₂ sulfur dioxide

N₂Cl₄ dinitrogen tetrachloride

NO₂ nitrogen dioxide

N₂O dinitrogen monoxide

EXAMPLE 2.7

Name the following molecular compounds: (a) SiCl_4 and (b) P_4O_{10} .

Strategy We refer to Table 2.4 for prefixes. In (a) there is only one Si atom so we do not use the prefix “mono.”

Solution (a) Because there are four chlorine atoms present, the compound is silicon tetrachloride.

(b) There are four phosphorus atoms and ten oxygen atoms present, so the compound is tetraphosphorus decoxide. Note that the “a” is omitted in “deca.”

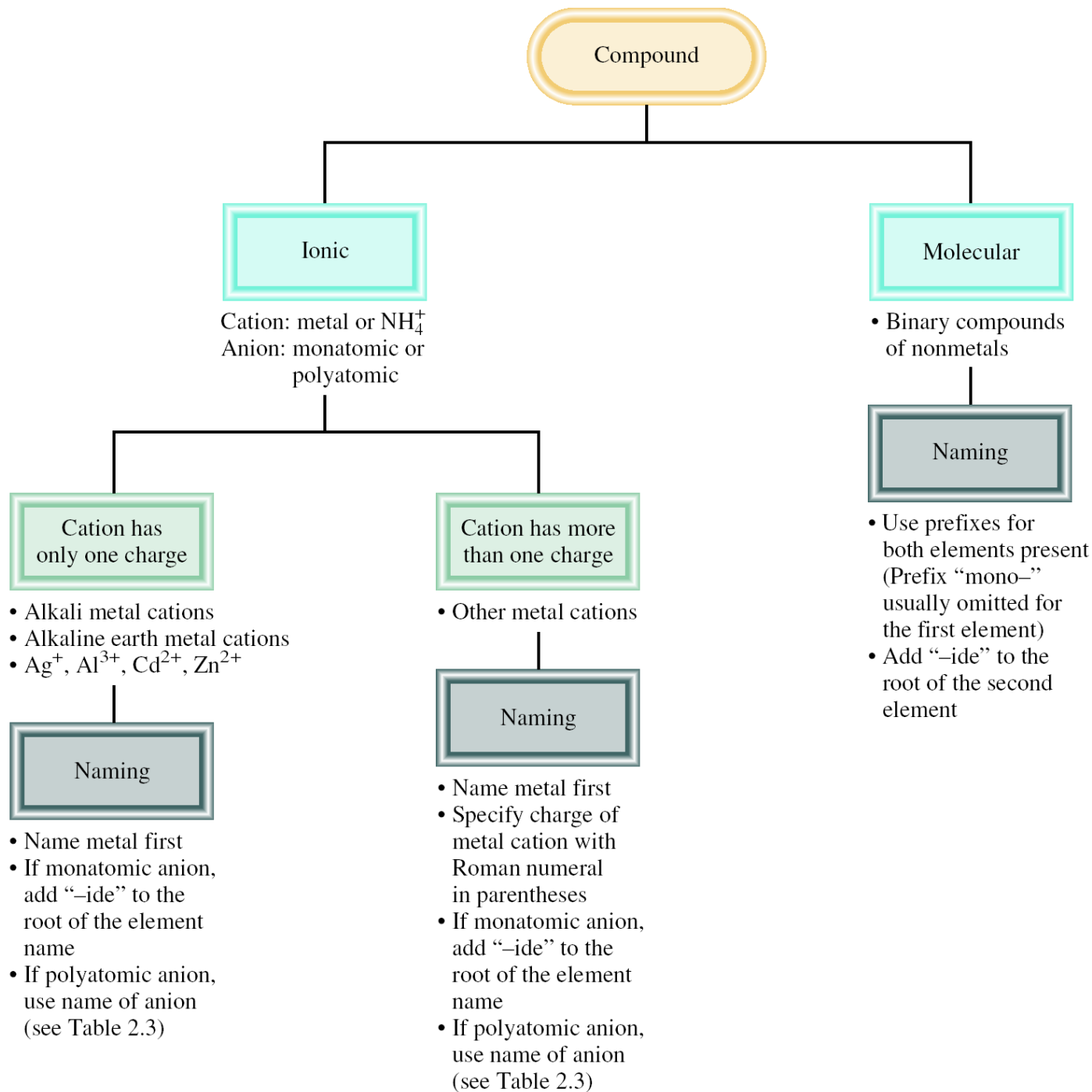
EXAMPLE 2.8

Write chemical formulas for the following molecular compounds: (a) carbon disulfide and (b) disilicon hexabromide.

Strategy Here we need to convert prefixes to numbers of atoms (see Table 2.4). Because there is no prefix for carbon in (a), it means that there is only one carbon atom present.

Solution (a) Because there are two sulfur atoms and one carbon atom present, the formula is CS_2 .

(b) There are two silicon atoms and six bromine atoms present, so the formula is Si_2Br_6 .



Acids

An **acid** can be defined as a substance that yields hydrogen ions (H^+) when dissolved in water.

For example: HCl gas and HCl in water

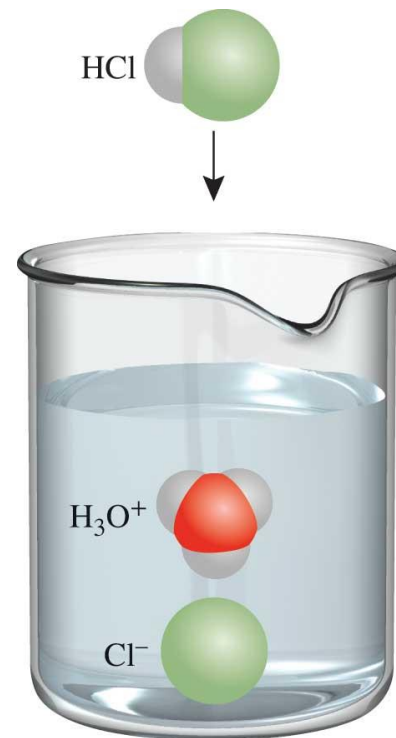
Pure substance: hydrogen chloride

Dissolved in water (H_3O^+ and Cl^-),
hydrochloric acid

Anions whose names end in “-ide” form acids with a “hydro-” prefix and an “-ic” ending.

HCl hydrogen chloride

HCl hydrochloric acid



Some Examples of Acids

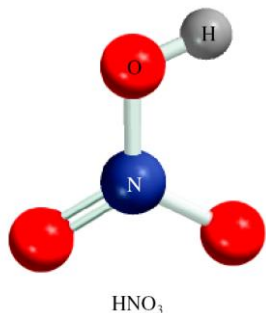
TABLE 2.5 **Some Simple Acids**

Anion	Corresponding Acid
F^- (fluoride)	HF (hydrofluoric acid)
Cl^- (chloride)	HCl (hydrochloric acid)
Br^- (bromide)	HBr (hydrobromic acid)
I^- (iodide)	HI (hydroiodic acid)
CN^- (cyanide)	HCN (hydrocyanic acid)
S^{2-} (sulfide)	H_2S (hydrosulfuric acid)

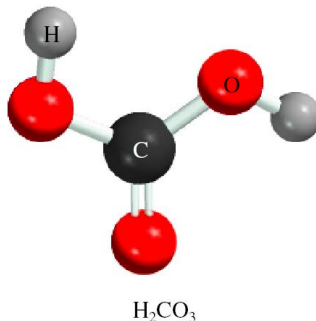
Naming Oxoacids and Oxoanions

An **oxoacid** is an acid that contains hydrogen, oxygen, and another element.

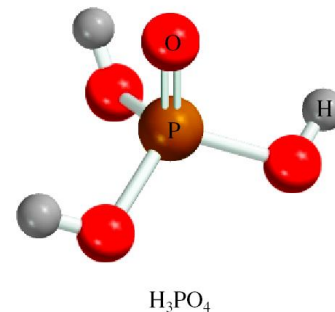
nitric acid



carbonic acid



phosphoric acid



The formulas of **oxoacids** are usually written with the H first, followed by the central element and then O.

H_2CO_3 (carbonic acid), HClO_3 (chloric acid),

HNO_3 (nitric acid), H_3PO_4 (phosphoric acid),

H_2SO_4 (sulfuric acid)

Two or more **oxoacids** have the same central atom but a different number of O atoms; the following rules to name these compounds.

1. **Addition of one O atom to the “-ic” acid:** The acid is called “per . . -ic” acid. (--ate)



chlor**ic** acid



perchlor**ic** acid

2. **Removal of one O atom from the “-ic” acid:** The acid is called “-ous” acid. (--ite)



nitr**ic** acid



nitr**ous** acid

3. **Removal of two O atoms from the “-ic” acid:** The acid is called “hypo . . . -ous” acid.



Brom**ic** acid



hypobrom**ous** acid.

The rules for naming *oxoanions, anions of oxoacids*, are as follows:

1. When all the **H ions are removed** from the “**-ic**” acid, the anion’s name ends with “**-ate.**”
2. When all the **H ions are removed** from the “**-ous**” acid, the anion’s name ends with “**-ite.**”
3. The names of anions in which one or more but not all the hydrogen ions have been removed must indicate the number of H ions present.

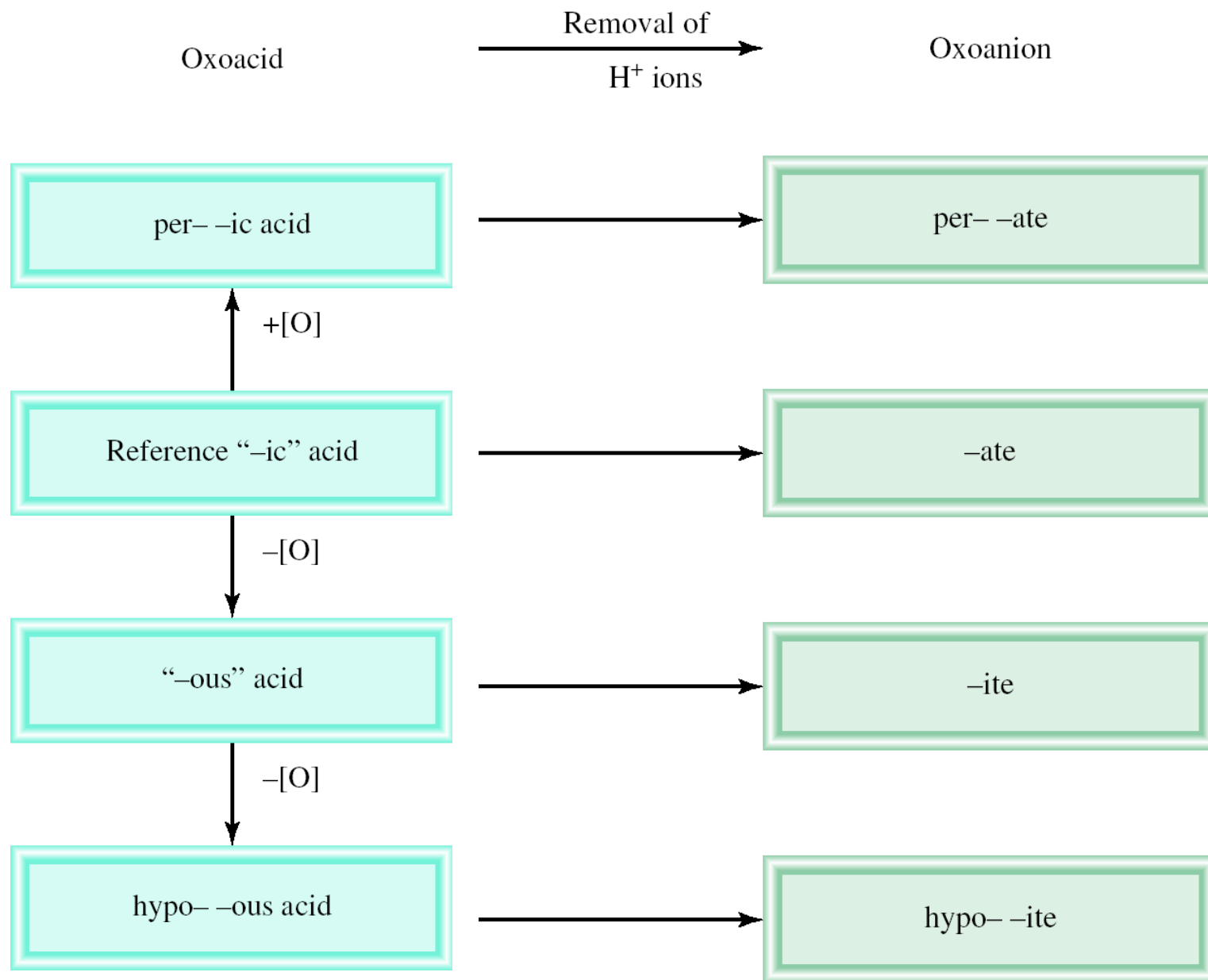
For example:

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|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| – H_3PO_4 | phosphoric acid |
| – H_2PO_4^- | dihydrogen phosphate |
| – HPO_4^{2-} | hydrogen phosphate |
| – PO_4^{3-} | phosphate |

TABLE 2.6 Names of Oxoacids and Oxoanions That Contain Chlorine

Acid	Anion
HClO_4 (perchloric acid)	ClO_4^- (perchlorate)
HClO_3 (chloric acid)	ClO_3^- (chlorate)
HClO_2 (chlorous acid)	ClO_2^- (chlorite)
HClO (hypochlorous acid)	ClO^- (hypochlorite)

parent acid for all halogenic acids is:
 HXO_3 Halogenic acid



EXAMPLE 2.9

Name the following oxoacid and oxoanion: (a) H_3PO_3 and (b) IO_4^- .

Solution (a) We start with our reference acid, phosphoric acid (H_3PO_4). Because H_3PO_3 has one fewer O atom, it is called phosphorous acid.

(b) The parent acid is HIO_4 . Because the acid has one more O atom than our reference iodic acid (HIO_3), it is called periodic acid. Therefore, the anion derived from HIO_4 is called periodate.

Bases

A **base** can be defined as a substance that yields hydroxide ions (OH^-) when dissolved in water.



sodium hydroxide



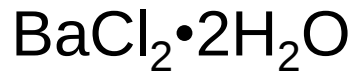
potassium hydroxide



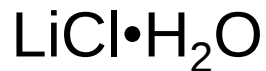
barium hydroxide

Hydrated Compounds

Hydrates are compounds that have a specific number of water molecules attached to them.



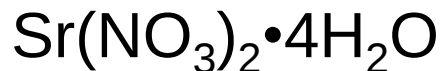
barium chloride dihydrate



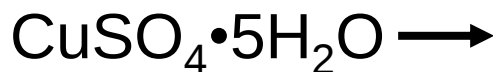
lithium chloride monohydrate



magnesium sulfate heptahydrate



strontium nitrate tetrahydrate



Common and Systematic Names of Compounds

Table 2.7 Common and Systematic Names of Some Compounds

Formula	Common Name	Systematic Name
H ₂ O	Water	Dihydrogen monoxide
NH ₃	Ammonia	Trihydrogen nitride
CO ₂	Dry ice	Solid carbon dioxide
NaCl	Table salt	Sodium chloride
N ₂ O	Laughing gas	Dinitrogen monoxide
CaCO ₃	Marble, chalk, limestone	Calcium carbonate
CaO	Quicklime	Calcium oxide
Ca(OH) ₂	Slaked lime	Calcium hydroxide
NaHCO ₃	Baking soda	Sodium hydrogen carbonate
Na ₂ CO ₃ ·10H ₂ O	Washing soda	Sodium carbonate decahydrate
MgSO ₄ ·7H ₂ O	Epsom salt	Magnesium sulfate heptahydrate
Mg(OH) ₂	Milk of magnesia	Magnesium hydroxide
CaSO ₄ ·2H ₂ O	Gypsum	Calcium sulfate dihydrate