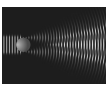
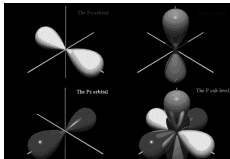
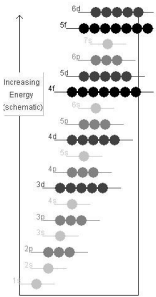



Atomic Theory

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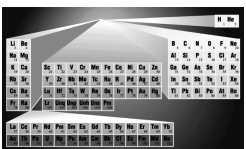
Atomic Theory

At the particulate (atomic) level:

Arrangement & energies of electrons define chemical properties
(Basis of the Periodic Table)

Electrons are responsible for observed chemical reactions
(Nucleus is NOT involved in ordinary chemical reactions)

Arrangement & energies of electrons predict chemical behavior



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Modern Atomic Theory

Based on Quantum (Discrete Energy) Mechanics

Particles behave as particle-waves (a duality)

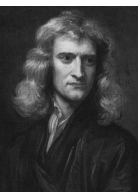
Particle-wave location only a probability function

Quantum Theory emerged after 300 year debate



Light
Wave or Particle?

LIGHT IS A
Wave



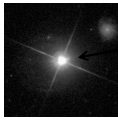
Christian Huygens

Isaac Newton

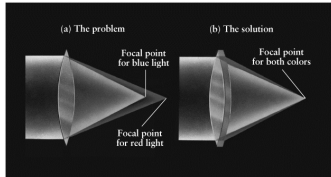
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Problem: Need Method to Remove Color Blurring



Should be single point



Need to understand light
To improve lens design

Particles vs waves:
Different math

Modern lenses have 5 or more optical elements

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Particles vs. Waves

Particles = like tiny BB's

Wave = repeating oscillation

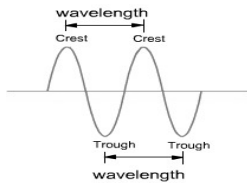
Wavelength (λ) = distance between adjacent identical points

Frequency (ν) = # of waves passing a fixed point in one second

Frequency & Wavelength are inversely related:

high frequency means short wavelength

low frequency means long wavelength



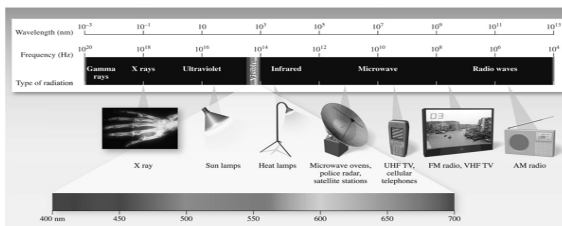
c = speed of light (in vacuum)
= 299,792,458 m/sec
(3×10^8 m/sec)
= 186,000 mi/sec

c from Latin *celeritus* "swiftness"

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Electromagnetic Spectrum



Wave energy & frequency are directly related.

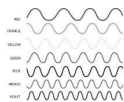
frequency increases, energy increases

energy decreases, frequency decreases

Wave energy & wavelength are inversely related

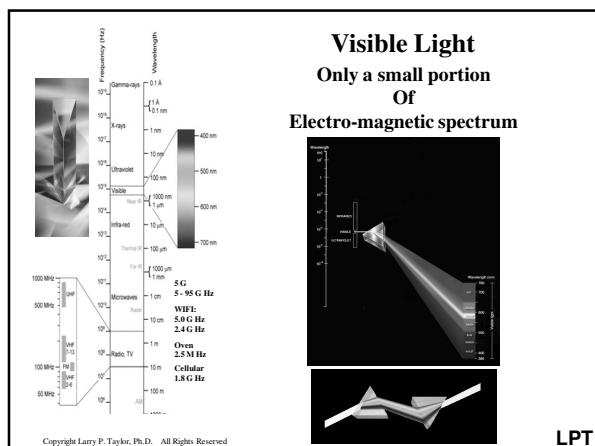
wavelength increases, energy decreases

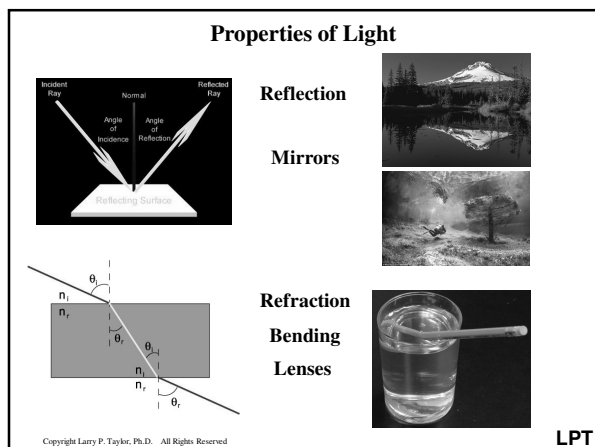
wavelength decreases, energy increases

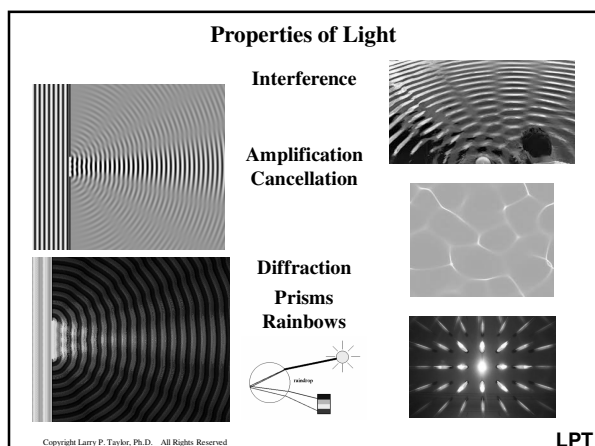


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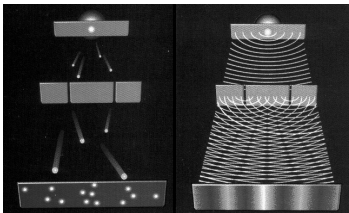
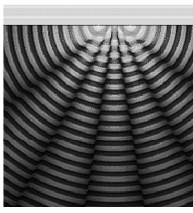




Properties of Light

Two-Slit Experiment

Attempt to Measure Alters Results

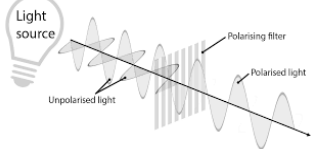

2 Slits Emphasize Interference (wave phenomena)
Try to measure at slits: get no interference, just particle pattern

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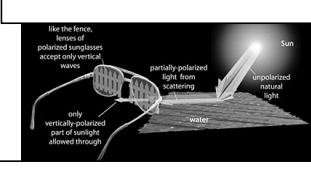

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Properties of Light

Polarization

Glare Filters
3-D Visualizations
Strain Visualizations

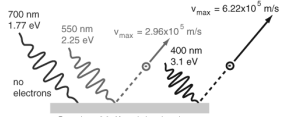
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Properties of Light

Photoelectric Effect – light creates current (electrons) flow

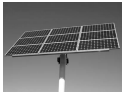
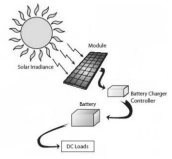
$E_{\text{photon}} = h\nu$



Not all colors (energies)
Create photoelectric effect

Only Possible by
Energy transfer of particles

Einstein – Nobel Prize
















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Properties of Light

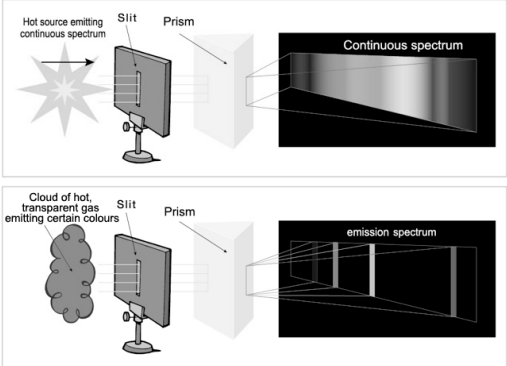
Summary

Phenomenon	Can be explained in terms of waves.	Can be explained in terms of particles.
Reflection	 ✓	 ✓
Refraction	 ✓	 ✓
Interference	 ✓	 ✗
Diffraction	 ✓	 ✗
Polarization	 ✓	 ✗
Photoelectric effect	 ✗	 ✓

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Spectrum Experiment

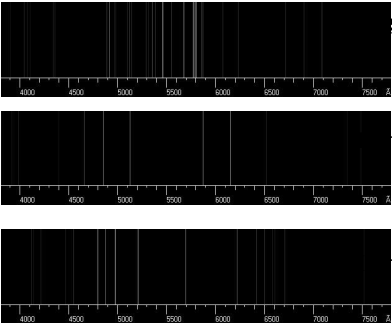


The diagram illustrates two types of spectra. The top part shows a 'Continuous spectrum' experiment where light from a 'Hot source emitting continuous spectrum' passes through a 'Slit' and a 'Prism' to produce a continuous spectrum. The bottom part shows an 'Emission spectrum' experiment where light from a 'Cloud of hot, transparent gas emitting certain colours' passes through a 'Slit' and a 'Prism' to produce an emission spectrum.

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Emission Spectra: Measure of electron energy



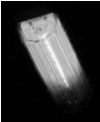
Three graphs showing emission spectra. Each graph has a wavelength scale from 4000 to 7500 Å. The spectra show discrete lines of varying intensity, representing the emission of light from different elements or conditions.

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Emission Spectra

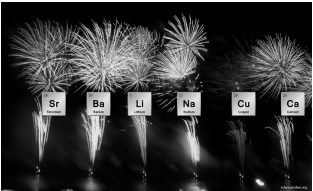
Determines Observed Colors
Of Lights & Flames




Na vapor



Hg Vapor



Pyrotechnics

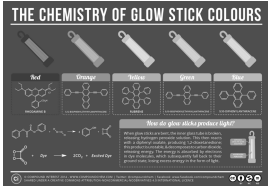


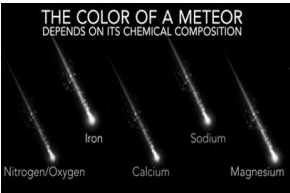
Aurora's
Red: Oxygen
Blue Green Purple: Nitrogen

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Emission Spectra

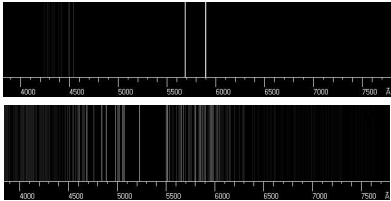
Determines Observed Colors Of lights & flames





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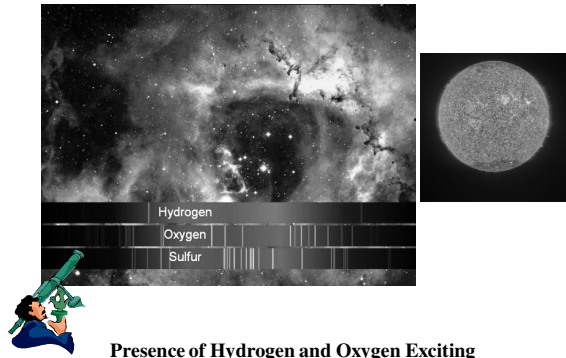
Emission Spectra: Indicators of Electron Energy



Emission spectra – Discrete energy lines
Define electron energies
Different electron energies
Define chemical properties
Define Periodic Table Arrangement

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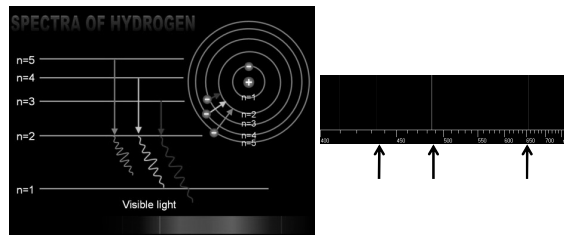
Emission Spectra: Astronomical Tool for Discovery



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Electron States



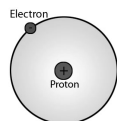
Ground State \rightarrow Absorbs energy \rightarrow Excited state
Excited State \rightarrow Releases Energy \rightarrow Ground State
Emission Spectra: Excited State \rightarrow Ground State
Absorption Spectra: Ground State \rightarrow Excited State

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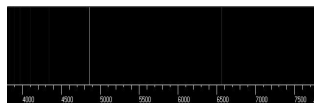
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Bohr Model of the Hydrogen Atom

Treated electron as a particle
Energies of electrons are quantized (discrete steps)
Electrons reside in specific orbits around the nucleus
Behavior explained by Coulomb's law of magnetic attraction
Only worked for hydrogen atom with one electron



A stepping stone
To quantum theory



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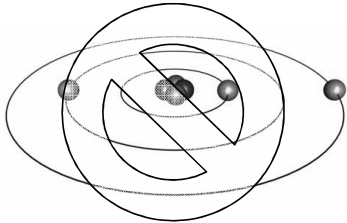


Heisenberg Uncertainty Principle

Based on a wave-particle duality

It is not possible to simultaneously know electron position & velocity
It is not possible to know the exact path of electron travel (orbits)

At the atomic level,



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Modern Atomic Theory (Quantum Mechanics)

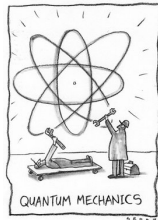
Wave-Particle Duality

Explaining light and sub-atomic particles requires duality

Quantum Mechanics

Discrete, non-continuous values of energy

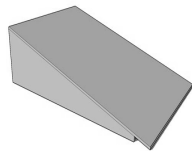
Energy “Leaps” from one level to another



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Quantum Means “In Discrete Steps”



Quantized Process

Continuous Process

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Quantum Mechanics

Schrödinger (1925) Wave Equation

$$H \Psi = E \Psi$$

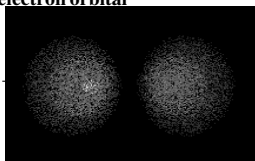
There exists a wave function, Ψ ,
that describes the energy, E , of an electron wave system Ψ

Ψ^2 gives probability of finding an electron in space
So, Ψ^2 plot defines an electron orbital

Selected Ψ function (p orbital)

$$\Psi_{3,1,-1} = \frac{2}{27\sqrt{\pi r_0^3}} \sin \theta \cdot r \cdot \left(1 - \frac{r}{6r_0}\right) \exp\left(-r/3r_0\right) \cdot e^{-i\phi}$$

Each electron: separate equation



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Quantum Mechanics

Schrödinger Wave Equation Solution
Defines all possible electron configurations in terms of
4 quantum numbers
(analogous to an indexing or addressing system)

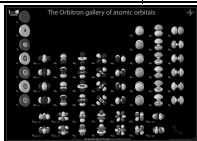
The Periodic Table can be explained using these numbers

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Quantum Numbers

Name	Symbol	Meaning
Principle	n	Shell
Azimuthal	l	Orbital Type
Magnetic	m _l	Orbital Orientation
Spin	m _s	Spin



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Value of $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots, \infty$

Represents average energy of electron orbital

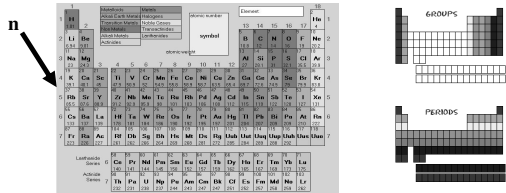
Increasing $n \rightarrow$ increasing energy

Increasing $n \rightarrow$ increasing distance from the nucleus

Corresponds to the n value (row) on the periodic table

Corresponds to number of sub-orbitals available

Maximum number of electrons per n = $2n^2$



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Value of $0 \leq \ell \leq n-1$

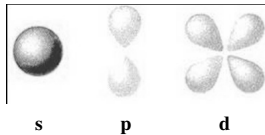
Represents Sub-Orbital Type

$l=0 \rightarrow$ s orbital (spherical) "sharp"

$l=1 \rightarrow$ p orbital (dumb-bell) “principal”

$\ell = 2 \rightarrow$ d orbital (varied shape) “diffuse”

$l=3 \rightarrow$ f orbital (varied shape) “fundamental”



Max # electrons per $\ell = 4\ell + 2$

Electron Shell (n)	Subshells Available	Orbitals Available (2ℓ + 1)
1	s	1
2	s p	1 3
3	s p d	1 3 5
4	s p d f	1 3 5 7

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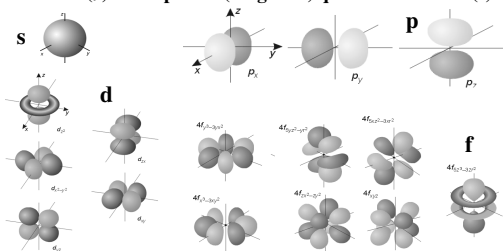
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Value of $-\ell \leq m_1 \leq \ell$

Represents spatial orientation (with respect to external field)

Corresponds to probability of finding electron

Each orbital (ℓ) has separate (magnetic) quantum number (s)



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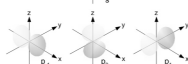
Planets Travel in Orbits Electrons Occupy Orbitals



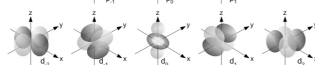
s



p



d



f



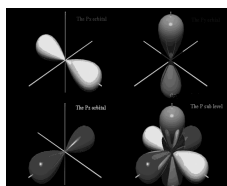
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Pauli Exclusion Principle



Based on observation of spectral lines (energy)
Maximum 2 electrons per orbital
No two electrons have same set of quantum numbers



Each p orbital can have max 2 electrons

Composite (each shell, n) has

3 orbitals x 2 electrons = 6 electrons
orbital

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Spin Quantum Number (m_s)

Value of either $+\frac{1}{2}$ or $-\frac{1}{2}$ (for maximum 2 electrons / orbital)
NOT spin around axis (electron a particle-wave, not particle)

Hund's Rule

Based on observations of spectral energy
Each orbital gets one electron before accepting a second
Orbitals will fill with maximum number of unpaired electrons

For P Orbitals



Never



Like people on a bus:
No one wants
to sit next to another

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Orbital Occupancy

Since each orbital can have 2 electrons, the maximum occupancy:

- s orbital one, spherical = 2
- p orbital three, dumb-bell = 6
- d orbital five, varied shape = 10
- f orbital seven, varied shape = 14

s

2 spaces

d

10 spaces

p

6 spaces

f

14 spaces

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Orbital Filling

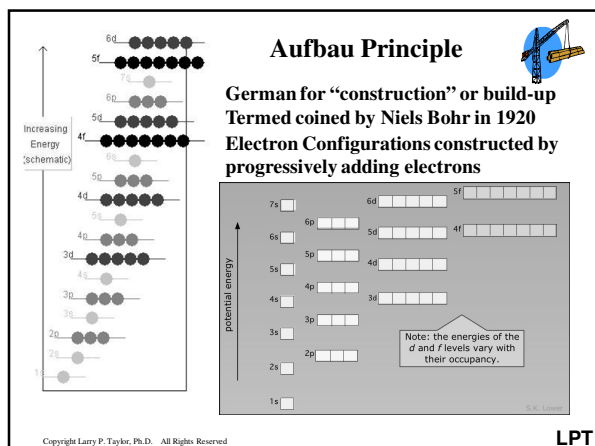
Period	Orbitals
1	s
2	s, p
3	s, p, d
4	s, p, d, f

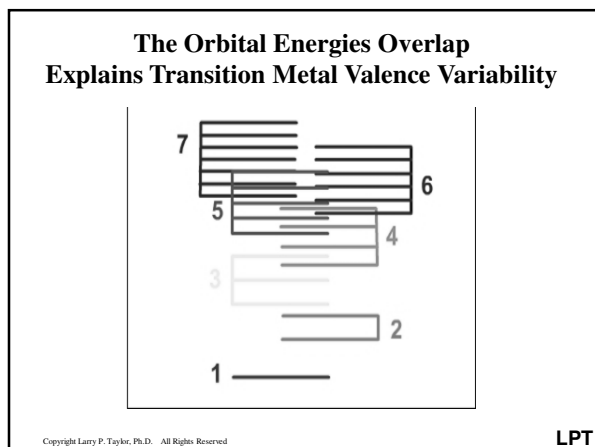
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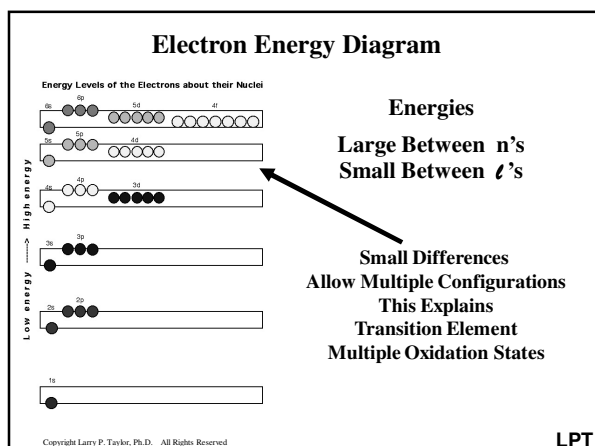
Available Orbitals

Period	Orbitals
1	s
2	s, p
3	s, p, d
4	s, p, d, f

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Energy Levels of the Electrons about their Nuclei

Worksheet

Start at lower level
Add electrons
Until correct # reached
2 electrons per orbital

This corresponds to
Periodic Table
Arrangement of Elements

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Worksheet - Examples

For Nitrogen (Z= 7)

$1s^2 2s^2 2p^3$

For Neon (Z= 10)

$1s^2 2s^2 2p^6$

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Electron Configuration Nomenclature

Shows sub-shell (orbital) distribution of electrons

Energy Level (n) → $3s^2$ ← # of electrons in orbital
Orbital type

Use Periodic Table to list electrons
List electron configuration in order of atomic number
Start with H (Z=1)
Continue adding electrons until desired element is reached

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Aufbau Principle - Examples

1 H	1s ¹	20 Ca	[Ar] 4s ²
2 He	1s ² = [He]	21 Sc	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ¹
3 Li	[He] 2s ¹	22 Ti	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ²
4 Be	[He] 2s ²	23 V	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ³
5 B	[He] 2s ² 2p ¹	24 Cr	[Ar] 4s ¹ 3d ⁵ *
6 C	[He] 2s ² 2p ²	25 Mn	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ⁵
7 N	[He] 2s ² 2p ³	26 Fe	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ⁶
8 O	[He] 2s ² 2p ⁴	27 Co	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ⁷
9 F	[He] 2s ² 2p ⁵	28 Ni	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ⁸
10 Ne	[He] 2s ² 2p ⁶ = [Ne]	29 Cu	[Ar] 4s ¹ 3d ¹⁰ *
11 Na	[Ne] 3s ¹	30 Zn	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ¹⁰
12 Mg	[Ne] 3s ²	31 Ga	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ¹⁰ 4p ¹
13 Al	[Ne] 3s ² 3p ¹	32 Ge	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ¹⁰ 4p ²
14 Si	[Ne] 3s ² 3p ²	33 As	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ¹⁰ 4p ³
15 P	[Ne] 3s ² 3p ³	34 Se	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ¹⁰ 4p ⁴
16 S	[Ne] 3s ² 3p ⁴	35 Br	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ¹⁰ 4p ⁵
17 Cl	[Ne] 3s ² 3p ⁵	36 Kr	[Ar] 4s ² 3d ¹⁰ 4p ⁶
18 Ar	[Ne] 3s ² 3p ⁶ = [Ar]		
19 K	[Ar] 4s ¹		



* Exceptions to Aufbau

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Aufbau Exceptions

Full or exactly half-filled sub-orbitals energetically favorable
Creates 3d-4s exceptions to Aufbau

Cr (Z=24) should have [Ar]4s²3d⁴

But, half-filled stability over-rides:
[Ar]4s¹3d⁵

Cu (Z = 29) also promotes a 4s electron to completely fill the 3d

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Electron Pairing Affects Magnetic Properties

Paramagnetic elements

Unpaired electrons attracted to magnetic fields

Diamagnetic elements

Paired electrons slightly repelled by magnetic fields

Ferromagnetic

Elements having very high magnetic properties

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ferromagnetic	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Antiferromagnetic
<input type="checkbox"/> Paramagnetic	<input type="checkbox"/> Diamagnetic

Magnitude affected by:
Magnetic field strength
Temperature

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Periodic Table – Summary of Families

Periodicity (Columns) a Function of Similar Outer Shell

Group 1A (1): alkali metals

Group 2A (2): alkaline earth metals

Group 7A (17): halogens

Group 8A (18): noble (inert) gases

Representative (1-2; 13-18): The A Groups (the Edges)

Transition Metals (3-12): The B Groups (the Center)

Metalloids: “Staircase” B, Si, Ge, As, Sb, Te, Po

Periodic Table of the Elements

The table shows the periodic table with elements color-coded by family: Group 1A (pink), Group 2A (light blue), Groups 3A-8A (green), Transition Metals (yellow), and Lanthanides/Actinides (grey). A staircase line separates metalloids from metals.

Lanthanides = upper, of lower rows
Actinides = lower, of lower row

Predicted Chemical Properties
Elements in the same column are similar
Elements in different columns are different

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Valence electrons

Highest energy level (Outer-most shell)

Representative elements involve s or p orbitals

Maximum number for s + p orbitals = eight (the “octet”)

Periodic Table columns (Families) = same # valence electrons

Valence electrons determine chemical properties

Periodic Table of the Elements showing valence electrons. The table is color-coded by family: Group 1A (pink), Group 2A (light blue), Groups 3A-8A (green), Transition Metals (yellow), and Lanthanides/Actinides (grey). A staircase line separates metalloids from metals.

Family	Outer Shell
Group 1A	ns ¹
Group 2A	ns ²
Group 3A	ns ² np ¹
Group 4A	ns ² np ²
Group 5A	ns ² np ³
Group 6A	ns ² np ⁴
Group 7A	ns ² np ⁵
Group 8A	ns ² np ⁶

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Isoelectronic Atoms

Monatomic Ions With Noble Gas Electron Configurations

Isoelectronic = identical electron configuration

Atoms form ions to obtain a noble gas electron configuration

Na 1s²2s²2p⁶3s¹
Na⁺ 1s²2s²2p⁶
Ne 1s²2s²2p⁶]

O 1s²2s²2p⁴ Isoelectronic
O²⁻ 1s²2s²2p⁶
Ne 1s²2s²2p⁶]

Atoms gain or lose electrons
To acquire a noble configuration

Periodic Table of the Elements showing isoelectronic atoms. The table is color-coded by family: Group 1A (pink), Group 2A (light blue), Groups 3A-8A (green), Transition Metals (yellow), and Lanthanides/Actinides (grey). A staircase line separates metalloids from metals.

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Any pair of atoms with the same electronic configuration is isoelectronic

Ne, F⁻, O²⁻ are isoelectronic

Ar, Cl⁻, S²⁻ are isoelectronic

Mg²⁺, Na⁺, Ne are isoelectronic

Ca²⁺, K⁺, Ar are isoelectronic



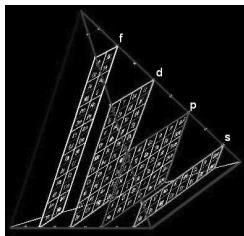
Periodic Table		Properties		Classification	
Group	Period	Symbol	Atomic Number	Block	Class
1	1	H	1	s	1
2	1	He	2	s	2
3	2	Li	3	s	3
4	2	Be	4	s	4
5	2	B	5	p	5
6	2	C	6	p	6
7	2	N	7	p	7
8	2	O	8	p	8
9	2	F	9	p	9
10	2	Ne	10	p	10
11	3	Na	11	s	11
12	3	Mg	12	s	12
13	3	Al	13	p	13
14	3	Si	14	p	14
15	3	P	15	p	15
16	3	S	16	p	16
17	3	Cl	17	p	17
18	3	Ar	18	p	18
19	4	K	19	s	19
20	4	Ca	20	s	20
21	4	Sc	21	d	21
22	4	Ti	22	d	22
23	4	V	23	d	23
24	4	Cr	24	d	24
25	4	Mn	25	d	25
26	4	Fe	26	d	26
27	4	Co	27	d	27
28	4	Ni	28	d	28
29	4	Cu	29	d	29
30	4	Zn	30	d	30
31	4	Ga	31	p	31
32	4	Ge	32	p	32
33	4	As	33	p	33
34	4	Se	34	p	34
35	4	Br	35	p	35
36	4	Kr	36	p	36
37	5	Rb	37	s	37
38	5	Sr	38	s	38
39	5	Y	39	d	39
40	5	Zr	40	d	40
41	5	Nb	41	d	41
42	5	Mo	42	d	42
43	5	Tc	43	d	43
44	5	Ru	44	d	44
45	5	Rh	45	d	45
46	5	Pd	46	d	46
47	5	Ag	47	d	47
48	5	Cd	48	d	48
49	5	In	49	p	49
50	5	Sn	50	p	50
51	5	Sb	51	p	51
52	5	Te	52	p	52
53	5	I	53	p	53
54	5	Xe	54	p	54
55	6	Ba	56	s	56
56	6	La	57	f	57
57	6	Ce	58	f	58
58	6	Pr	59	f	59
59	6	Nd	60	f	60
60	6	Pm	61	f	61
61	6	Sm	62	f	62
62	6	Eu	63	f	63
63	6	Gd	64	f	64
64	6	Tb	65	f	65
65	6	Dy	66	f	66
66	6	Ho	67	f	67
67	6	Er	68	f	68
68	6	Tm	69	f	69
69	6	Yb	70	f	70
70	6	Lu	71	f	71
71	7	Hf	72	d	72
72	7	Ta	73	d	73
73	7	W	74	d	74
74	7	Re	75	d	75
75	7	Os	76	d	76
76	7	Ir	77	d	77
77	7	Pt	78	d	78
78	7	Au	79	d	79
79	7	Hg	80	d	80
80	7	Tl	81	p	81
81	7	Pb	82	p	82
82	7	Bi	83	p	83
83	7	Po	84	p	84
84	7	At	85	p	85
85	7	Rn	86	p	86
86	7	Fr	87	s	87
87	7	Ra	88	s	88
88	7	Ac	89	f	89
89	7	Th	90	f	90
90	7	Pa	91	f	91
91	7	U	92	f	92
92	7	Np	93	f	93
93	7	Pu	94	f	94
94	7	Am	95	f	95
95	7	Cm	96	f	96
96	7	Bk	97	f	97
97	7	Cf	98	f	98
98	7	Es	99	f	99
99	7	Fm	100	f	100
100	7	Md	101	f	101
101	7	No	102	f	102
102	7	Lr	103	f	103

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H	1
He	2
Li Be	3
B C N	4
O F Ne Na	5
Mg Al Si P S	6
Cl Ar K Ca Sc Ti	7
V Cr Mn Fe Co Ni	8
Cu Zn Ga Ge As Se Br	9
Kr Rb Sr Y Zr Nb Mo	10
Tc Ru Rh Pd Ag Cd In Sn	11

Bottom Line:
Knowledge of the Periodic Table
Allows You To
See All Sorts of
Chemical Relationships



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