

Name Answer Key

## Atomic Structure, Molecular and Ionic Compounds

### I. Mass Number and Atomic Number

mass number → 202  
atomic number → 80

Hg

Atomic number = number of protons  
(Atomic # identifies the element as much as the element symbol does.)

Mass number = number of protons + number of neutrons  
(Mass # can only be given for a *specific* isotope of an element.)

If the atom is neutral (charge = 0), # protons = # electrons.  
(proton = (+), electron = (-), neutron = no charge)

### II. Atomic Mass

- The average mass number of an element accounting for isotopic natural abundance percentages.
- Atomic mass is the number given in the periodic table.
- Atomic mass of an element = molar mass = g/mole for that element.

### III. Molecular and Ionic Compounds – Naming (IUPAC)

- The first step is to determine if the compound is molecular or ionic.
- For naming simple binary molecular compounds (two nonmetals)
  - a. Give the element with the lower group # first.
  - b. The name of the element of higher group # is changed to end in "ide".
  - c. Use numerical prefixes as necessary.
  - d. Do not use numerical prefixes for H + chalcogens/halogens.

examples:  $N_2O_5$  = dinitrogen pentoxide

$H_2S$  = hydrogen sulfide, not dihydrogen monosulfide

$H_2O$  = water or hydrogen oxide, not dihydrogen monoxide

- For naming ionic compounds (metal + nonmetal)
  - a. Give the element name of the cation (+) first.
  - b. Give the name of the anion (-) second, change to end in "ide".
  - c. If compound is composed of a polyatomic ion, use the name of the ion.  
(Table 2.3 in textbook)
  - d. For transition metal cations, specify ionic charge with roman numerals.
  - e. Numerical prefixes are not used for ionic compounds.

examples:  $Al_2O_3$  = aluminum oxide

$Mg_3(PO_4)_2$  = magnesium phosphate

$Cu_2SO_4$  = copper(I) sulfate (because  $Cu^{+1}$ )

$CuSO_4$  = copper(II) sulfate (because  $Cu^{+2}$ )

#### IV. Molecular and Ionic Compounds – Predicting Formulas

- To predict the formula for a compound (ionic or molecular)

- Determine the likely oxidation state (charge) for each elemental "ion" or for polyatomic ion.
- Determine the least common multiple needed to give an overall neutral charge for the compound.

example: beryllium + iodine  $\rightarrow$   $\text{BeI}_2$  = beryllium iodide  
( $\text{Be}^{2+}$ )      (I)

#### Exercises

1. Match the scientist with his famous experiment/apparatus, and the discovery they made with it. (One scientist does not have a "famous" experiment.)

<u>Scientist</u>	<u>Experiment/Apparatus</u>	<u>Discovery</u>
James Chadwick	Au foil	electron
Robert Millikan	cathode ray tube	charge of the electron
J.J. Thomson	oil drop experiment	structure of the nucleus
Ernest Rutherford		neutron

- a) Robert Millikan used the oil drop exp. to discover the charge of  $e^-$ .
- b) JJ Thomson used the cathode ray tube to discover the electron.
- c) Ernest Rutherford used the Au foil to discover the structure of the nucleus.
- d) James Chadwick discovered the neutron.

2. Give the atomic number, atomic mass and the number of protons, neutrons and electrons for each isotope.

a)  $^{235}\text{U}$       atomic number 92      mass number 235  
protons 92      neutrons 143      electrons 92  
( $235 - 92 = 143$ )

b)  $^{184}\text{W}$       atomic number 74      mass number 184  
protons 74      neutrons 110      electrons 74  
( $184 - 74 = 110$ )

3. What is the atomic mass (molar mass) of copper, if  $^{63}\text{Cu} = 69.17\%$  and  $^{65}\text{Cu} = 30.83\%$  natural abundance? (Assume  $^{63}\text{Cu} = 63.00 \text{ g/mol}$ ,  $^{65}\text{Cu} = 65.00 \text{ g/mol}$ )

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Atomic mass} &= (0.6917)(63.00 \text{ g/mol}) + (0.3083)(65.00 \text{ g/mol}) \\ &= 43.58 \text{ g/mol} + 20.04 \text{ g/mol} \\ &= \boxed{63.62 \text{ g/mol or amu}} \end{aligned}$$

4. Bromine has two stable isotopes ( $^{79}\text{Br}$  and  $^{81}\text{Br}$ ). If the atomic mass of Br is  $79.904 \text{ g/mol}$ , what is the percent abundance of  $^{79}\text{Br}$  and  $^{81}\text{Br}$ ? (Assume atomic mass of  $^{79}\text{Br} = 79.00 \text{ g/mol}$  and  $^{81}\text{Br} = 81.00 \text{ g/mol}$ .)

2 unknowns: %  $^{79}\text{Br} = x$ , %  $^{81}\text{Br} = y$

need 2 equations:  $79.904 \text{ g/mol} = x(79.00 \text{ g/mol}) + y(81.00 \text{ g/mol})$ ,  $x + y = 1$

$$79.904 \text{ g/mol} = x(79.00 \text{ g/mol}) + (1-x)(81.00 \text{ g/mol})$$

$$79.904 \text{ g/mol} = 79.00 \text{ g/mol}(x) + 81.00 \text{ g/mol} - 81.00 \text{ g/mol}(x)$$

$$2.00 \text{ g/mol}(x) = 1.096 \text{ g/mol}$$

$$x = \frac{1.096 \text{ g/mol}}{2.00 \text{ g/mol}} = 0.548, \therefore \boxed{\% ^{79}\text{Br} = 54.8\%}$$

$$\therefore y = 1 - x$$

$$y = 1 - x = 1 - 0.548$$

$$y = 0.452$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\% ^{81}\text{Br} = 45.2\%}$$

5. Give the IUPAC name of the following compounds.

a)  $\text{H}_2\text{Te}$  hydrogen telluride

b)  $\text{ZnCl}_2$  Zinc chloride

c)  $\text{Ba}(\text{NO}_3)_2$  barium nitrate

d)  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$  iron (III) oxide

e)  $\text{CO}$  Carbon monoxide

	$I^-$	$CN^-$	$PO_4^{3-}$	$HCO_3^-$	$OH^-$	$SO_4^{2-}$	$NO_3^-$
$Co^{3+}$	$CoI_3$ cobalt(III) iodide	$Co(CN)_3$ cobalt(III) cyanide	$CoPO_4$ cobalt(III) phosphate	$Co(HCO_3)_3$ cobalt(III) bicarbonate	$Co(OH)_3$ cobalt(III) hydroxide	$Co_2(SO_4)_3$ cobalt(III) sulfate	$Co(NO_3)_3$ cobalt(III) nitrate
$Co^{2+}$	$CoI_2$ cobalt(II) iodide	$Co(CN)_2$ cobalt(II) cyanide	$Co_3(PO_4)_2$ cobalt(II) phosphate	$Co(HCO_3)_2$ cobalt(II) bicarbonate	$Co(OH)_2$ cobalt(II) hydroxide	$CoSO_4$ cobalt(II) sulfate	$Co(NO_3)_2$ cobalt(II) nitrate
Na	$NaI$ sodium iodide	$NaCN$ sodium cyanide	$Na_3PO_4$ sodium phosphate	$NaHCO_3$ sodium bicarbonate	$NaOH$ sodium hydroxide	$Na_2SO_4$ sodium sulfate	$NaNO_3$ sodium nitrate
$Mn^{6+}$	$MnI_6$ manganese(VI) iodide	$Mn(CN)_6$ manganese(VI) cyanide	$Mn(PO_4)_2$ manganese(VI) phosphate	$Mn(HCO_3)_6$ manganese(VI) bicarbonate	$Mn(OH)_6$ manganese(VI) hydroxide	$Mn(SO_4)_3$ manganese(VI) sulfate	$Mn(NO_3)_6$ manganese(VI) nitrate
Al	$AlI_3$ aluminum iodide	$Al(CN)_3$ aluminum cyanide	$AlPO_4$ aluminum phosphate	$Al(HCO_3)_3$ aluminum bicarbonate	$Al(OH)_3$ aluminum hydroxide	$Al_2(SO_4)_3$ aluminum sulfate	$Al(NO_3)_3$ aluminum nitrate
$Sn^{4+}$	$SnI_4$ tin(IV) iodide	$Sn(CN)_4$ tin(IV) cyanide	$Sn_3(PO_4)_4$ tin(IV) phosphate	$Sn(HCO_3)_4$ tin(IV) bicarbonate	$Sn(OH)_4$ tin(IV) hydroxide	$Sn(SO_4)_2$ tin(IV) sulfate	$Sn(NO_3)_4$ tin(IV) nitrate
$NH_4^+$	$NH_4I$ ammonium iodide	$NH_4CN$ ammonium cyanide	$(NH_4)_3PO_4$ ammonium phosphate	$NH_4HCO_3$ ammonium bicarbonate	$NH_4OH$ ammonium hydroxide	$(NH_4)_2SO_4$ ammonium sulfate	$NH_4NO_3$ ammonium nitrate
$Fe^{3+}$	$FeI_3$ iron(III) iodide	$Fe(CN)_3$ iron(III) cyanide	$FePO_4$ iron(III) phosphate	$Fe(HCO_3)_3$ iron(III) bicarbonate	$Fe(OH)_3$ iron(III) hydroxide	$Fe_2(SO_4)_3$ iron(III) sulfate	$Fe(NO_3)_3$ iron(III) nitrate

6. Give the simplest formula and the IUPAC name of the compound resulting from each pair of elements/ions.