





| Type of bonding  | Occurs between...                                | Movement of electrons  | Bond   | Structure  | Example  | Properties  | Reason for property  |
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| <br>Ionic    | Metals and non-metals                            | Electrons transferred from outer shell of metal to outer shell of non-metal. Both metals ion and non-metal ion have a full outer shell | Strong electrostatic force between positive metal ion and negative non-metal ion   | Giant ionic lattice  | Sodium chloride  | Solid at room temperature   | They have high melting points  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Lithium bromide  | High melting and boiling points   | Ions are held together by strong electrostatic forces - a lot of energy is needed to overcome these forces   |
|  |  |  |  |  | Calcium oxide  | Do not conduct electricity when solid   | Ions (charged particles) cannot move   |
| <br>Covalent | Non-metals                                       | Atoms share pairs of electrons   | A shared pair (or multiple pairs) of electrons between atoms                       | Simple covalent molecules  | Chlorine Cl <sub>2</sub><br>Oxygen O <sub>2</sub><br>Water H <sub>2</sub> O<br>Methane CH <sub>4</sub><br>Ammonia NH <sub>3</sub><br>Hydrochloric acid HCl | Liquids or gases at room temperature  | Low melting and boiling points   |
|  |  |  |  |  | Low melting and boiling points   | Weak intermolecular forces between the molecules  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Do not conduct electricity   | No free/delocalised electrons nor are the molecules charged   |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Giant covalent lattice   | Solid at room temperature<br>High melting and boiling point   | All atoms are linked to others by strong covalent bonds  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Diamond   | Hard   |
|  |  |  |  | Giant covalent lattice   | Does not conduct electricity   | No free (no delocalised) electrons  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | High thermal conductivity  | There are strong covalent bonds between atoms. When one carbon atom vibrates it causes all four neighbouring atoms to vibrate |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Graphite   | Soft and slippery   | Each carbon atom is bonded with three carbon atoms resulting in a layered structure. There are weak intermolecular forces between the layers meaning they can easily slide over each other |
|  |  |  |  |  | Conducts electricity   | One electron from each carbon atom is delocalised   |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Silicon dioxide  | Hard  | Strong covalent bonds hold the oxygen and silicon atoms together   |
| Metallic   | Metals (elements)<br>Alloys (mixtures of metals) | Metals in outer shell are delocalised and so are free to move throughout the whole structure   | Electrostatic attraction between the delocalised electrons and positive metal ions | Regular arrangement (lattice) of positive ions held together by strong electrostatic | All metals<br>All alloys   | High melting and boiling points   | Strong metallic bonds between positive ionic lattice and delocalised electrons   |
|  |  |  |  |  | Good electrical  | Delocalised electrons are charge carriers   |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Good thermal conductors  | Delocalised electrons can transfer thermal energy   |  |

## 2. Graphene and Fullerenes

| Material   | Details  | Uses   |
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| Graphene   | Single layer of graphite.   | Electronics, composites                                  |
| Fullerenes | Molecules of carbon with hollow shapes, e.g. Buckminster fullerene, C <sub>60</sub> - spherical<br>e.g. Carbon nanotubes - cylindrical fullerenes with very high length to diameter ratios  | Carbon nanotubes: nanotechnology, electronics, materials |

## 3. Reactions of Metals

| React with | Word equation   | Example   |
|------------|---|---|
| Oxygen     | Metal + oxygen → metal oxide  | Magnesium + oxygen → magnesium oxide<br>$Mg(s) + O_2(g) \rightarrow MgO(s)$   |
| Water      | Metal + water → metal hydroxide + hydrogen  | Potassium + water → potassium hydroxide + hydrogen<br>$K(s) + H_2O(l) \rightarrow KOH(aq) + H_2(g)$                 |
| Acid       | Metal + acid → metal salt + hydrogen<br>NB: salt is an ionic compound (metal bonded to non-metal) | Magnesium + sulphuric acid → magnesium sulphate + hydrogen<br>$Mg(s) + H_2SO_4(aq) \rightarrow MgSO_4(aq) + H_2(g)$ |

**Oxidation:** the addition of oxygen to an element.  
**Reduction:** the removal of oxygen from a compound

## 4. Conservation of Mass and Balancing Equations

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| <p>Law of conservation of mass</p> <p>No atoms are lost or made during a chemical reaction. Mass of the products = mass of the reactants.</p> <p>If a gas is produced and escaped, it may seem like the mass has decreased.</p>  | <p>E.g. Hydrogen and chlorine react together to form hydrogen chloride. If 5g of hydrogen and 5g of chlorine react together, there will be 10g (5g+5g) of hydrogen chloride produced</p>                     |
| <p>Balancing equations</p> <p>In a symbol equation the numbers of atoms of each element on each side of the equation must be equal.</p> <p>Rules:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count number of atoms of each element on left and right hand side of equation</li> <li>If are NOT the same on each side, need to balance the equation</li> <li>Only add BIG numbers in FRONT of each compound/element, never small number afterwards</li> </ol> | <p>Example:</p> $H_2 + O_2 \rightarrow H_2O$<br>NOT balanced<br>$2H_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2H_2O$<br>IS balanced $Na + O_2 \rightarrow Na_2O$<br>NOT balanced<br>$4Na + 2O_2 \rightarrow 4Na_2O$<br>IS balanced |

## 5. Acids and Bases


| Statement   | More detail   |
|---|---|
| When a compound dissolves in water, it dissociates (splits up) into its individual ions   | When sodium chloride NaCl dissolves, it splits up in Na <sup>+</sup> and Cl <sup>-</sup>  |
| Hydroxide ions OH <sup>-</sup> make solutions alkaline  | Sodium hydroxide NaOH is alkaline because it contains hydroxide OH <sup>-</sup> ions  |
| Hydrogen ions H <sup>+</sup> make solutions acidic  | Hydrochloric acid HCl is acidic because it contains hydrogen ions H <sup>+</sup>  |
| pH scale tells us how acidic or alkaline something is   | The pH scales runs from 0-14. pH of 0 = the most acidic<br>pH of 7 = neutral (neither acidic nor alkaline)<br>pH 14 = the most alkaline.  |
| Measure the pH using:<br>1) An indicator changes colour depending on whether it is in an acidic or alkaline solution<br>2) A pH probe - a digital metre then display the pH on a screen | 1) Types of indicator<br>Universal indicator - continuous scales from red (most acidic) to green (neutral) to purple (more alkaline)<br>Phenolphthalein - colourless in acid, pink in alkali<br>Methyl orange - red in acid, orange in alkali |

## 6. Neutralisation

| Statement  | More detail  |
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| Acids are neutralised by:<br>1. alkalis (soluble metal hydroxides) and by bases (insoluble metal hydroxides) | 1. Acid + alkali/base → salt + water<br>e.g. Hydrochloric acid + metal hydroxide → metal chloride + water<br>2. Acid + metal carbonate → salt + water + carbon dioxide<br>e.g. hydrochloric acid + metal carbonate → metal chloride + water + carbon dioxide |
| The salt produced in the neutralisation reaction depends on:   | e.g. - hydrochloric acid produces chlorides<br>nitric acid produces nitrates, sulfuric acid produces sulfates  |
| - Type of acid<br>- Positive ion in the alkali, base or carbonate  |  |

NB: Bases and alkalis are both defined by their hydroxide ions. The difference is: alkalis are soluble while bases are insoluble

## 7. Reactivity Series

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| - Metals react to form positive ions  |  |
| - A metal is more reactive, the easier it can lose electrons  |   |
| - Reactivity series is the metals placed in order of their reactivity (NB: carbon and hydrogen are non-metals but often included in the series) |   |
| Potassium   |   |
| Sodium  |   |
| Calcium   |   |
| Magnesium   |   |
| Aluminium   |   |
| Carbon  |   |
| Zinc  |   |
| Iron  |   |
| Tin   |   |
| Lead  |   |
| Hydrogen  |   |
| Copper  |   |
| Silver  |   |
| Gold  |   |
| Platinum  |   |

## 8. Displacement Reactions

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| A more reactive metal will displace (swap with) a less reactive metal in a compound.  |
| The more reactive metals wants to be in a compound!   |
| e.g. 1. Lithium is more reactive than aluminium so I will displace it:<br>Lithium + aluminium bromide → aluminium + lithium bromide |
| 2. Potassium is less reactive than lithium so it will not displace it.  |

## 9. Extraction Methods

Unreactive metals (e.g. gold) occur naturally in their pure form. Majority of metals occur naturally in a compound. Extraction methods are ways to "extract" (obtain) the metal from the compound. Metals that are LESS reactive than carbon are extracted from their oxides by reacting with carbon (see 7. Reactivity Series and 8. Displacement Reactions) E.g. copper is extracted from copper oxide by using carbon because copper is lower down in the reactivity series.

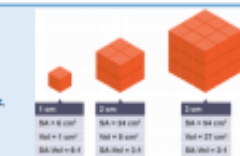
## 10. Making Soluble Salts

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| Soluble salts can be made by reacting:   |
| - Acid with  |
| - Solid insoluble substances (e.g. metals, metal oxides, hydroxides or carbonates) |
| Procedure:   |
| 1. Add solid to acid until no more of the solid reacts with the acid               |
| 2. Filter the excess solid (unreacted solid)                                       |
| 3. The filtrate is a solution of the soluble salt                                  |
| 4. The salt produced can be retrieved by crystallisation                           |

## 11. Nanoscience

### a. Size of particles and their properties

- Nanoscience studies three types of small particle: coarse, fine and nano
- Small particles have a **LARGE surface area to volume ratio** (i.e. their surface is very big compared to their volume)
- Changing the particle size dramatically effect this ratio
- E.g. If reduce length of side of cube by a factor of 10 then
  - Surface area decreases by  $10 \times 10 = 100$
  - Volume decreases by  $10 \times 10 \times 10 = 1000$
  - Surface area to volume ratio increases by 10



| Particle | Size of diameter   |
|----------|--|
| Coarse   | $1 \times 10^3 - 2.5 \times 10^4 \mu\text{m}$                      |
| Fine     | 100nm-2500nm<br>( $1 \times 10^{-7} - 1 \times 10^{-6} \text{m}$ ) |
| Nano     | 1nm-100nm<br>( $1 \times 10^{-9} - 1 \times 10^{-7} \text{m}$ )    |
| An atom  | 0.1 nm<br>$1 \times 10^{-10}$                                      |

### b. Nanoparticles

- A few hundred atoms in size
- Large surface area to volume ratio means that!
  - nanoparticles have different properties to same material in bulk
  - smaller quantities are needed than in bulk
- Applications of nanoparticles:
  - Sun cream
  - Cosmetics
  - Electronics
  - Medicine
  - As catalysts

## 12. Percentage Yield

No atoms are gained or lost in a chemical reaction (see 5. Conservation of Mass). Yet, cannot always obtain the amount of product calculated because:

- Reaction may be **reversible**
- Some product may be lost when separated from reaction mixture
- Reactant may react in a different way to expected reaction

**Yield:** the actual amount of product obtained

**Percentage yield:** amount of product obtained compared to maximum theoretical amount

Equation to know:  
**Percentage yield (%) =  $\frac{\text{mass of product actually made}}{\text{maximum theoretical amount of product}} \times 100$**

## 13. Atom Economy

| Atom Economy         | Size of diameter   |
|----------------------|--|
| Definition           | Measure of amount of starting material that end up as useful product. (Also called: atom utilisation)  |
| Why is it important? | For sustainable development and for economic reasons<br>Reason: more products made means less waste produced   |
| Equation             | <b>Atom economy = <math>\frac{\text{relative formula mass of desired product}}{\text{sum of relative formula mass of all reactants}} \times 100</math></b> |

## 14. Weak and Strong Acids

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| Strong acid              | Completely ionised (split up into ions) in aqueous solution (dissolved in water)   |
| Examples of strong acids | Hydrochloric acid, $\text{HCl}_{(aq)}$<br>Sulfuric acid, $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_{4(aq)}$<br>Nitric acid, $\text{HNO}_{3(aq)}$  |
| Example: HCl             | $\text{HCl}_{(aq)} + \text{aq} \rightarrow \text{H}^+_{(aq)} + \text{Cl}^-_{(aq)}$   |
| Weak acid                | Partially ionised in aqueous solution  |
| Examples of weak acids   | Ethanoic acid<br>Citric acid<br>Carbonic acid  |
| Example: Ethanoic acid   | $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}_{(aq)} + \text{aq} \rightleftharpoons \text{CH}_3\text{COO}^-_{(aq)} + \text{H}^+_{(aq)}$<br>The double arrow here shows that there is only <b>partial dissociation</b> - some of the molecules stay as $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ instead of its ionic form $\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^-$ . |

For a fixed concentration: the **stronger the acid, the lower the pH**.  
As the pH decreases by one unit, the hydrogen ion concentration of the solution increases by a factor of 10.

## 15. Tests for Ions

| Ion                           | Test   | Observation if ion present   |
|-------------------------------|--|--|
| Lithium, $\text{Li}^+$        | Flame test   | Crimson flame  |
| Sodium, $\text{Na}^+$         |  | Yellow flame   |
| Potassium, $\text{K}^+$       |  | Lilac flame  |
| Calcium, $\text{Ca}^{2+}$     |  | Orange-red flame   |
| Copper, $\text{Cu}^{2+}$      |  | Green flame  |
| Aluminium, $\text{Al}^{3+}$   | Sodium hydroxide solution added dropwise               | Form white precipitates<br>Precipitate dissolves in excess sodium hydroxide solution |
| Calcium, $\text{Ca}^{2+}$     |  | Forms white precipitate<br>Does not dissolve in excess sodium hydroxide solution     |
| Magnesium, $\text{Mg}^{2+}$   |  | Forms white precipitate<br>Does not dissolve in excess sodium hydroxide solution     |
| Copper (II), $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ |  | Forms blue precipitate   |
| Iron (III), $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  |  | Forms green precipitate  |
| Iron (III), $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  |  | Forms brown precipitate  |
| Carbonate, $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$ | Add dilute acid  | Carbon dioxide produced (carbon dioxide turns limewater cloudy)                      |
| Chloride, $\text{Cl}^-$       | Dilute nitric acid, add silver nitrate dropwise        | White precipitate (compound formed: silver chloride)                                 |
| Bromide, $\text{Br}^-$        |  | Cream precipitate (compound formed: silver bromide)                                  |
| Iodide, $\text{I}^-$          |  | Yellow precipitate (compound formed: silver iodide)                                  |
| Sulfate, $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$   | Dilute hydrochloric acid, add barium chloride dropwise | Forms white precipitate  |

## 16. Redox Reactions

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| Oxidation               | Loss of electrons   |
| Reduction               | Gain of electrons   |
| Redox reaction          | Chemical reaction where both reduction and oxidation occurs<br>Example:<br>$\text{Fe} + \text{Cu}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Cu} + \text{Fe}^{2+}$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fe has lost two electrons to form <math>\text{Fe}^{2+}</math> → Fe has been oxidised</li> <li><math>\text{Cu}^{2+}</math> has gained two electrons to form <math>\text{Cu}</math> → <math>\text{Cu}^{2+}</math> has been reduced</li> </ul> |
| Oxidation<br>Is<br>Loss | Reduction<br>Is<br>Gain   |

## 17. Ionic and Half Equations

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|----------------|---|
| Ionic equation | Chemical equation showing only the ions that are involved in displacement reaction  |
| Half equation  | An ionic equation focusing on ONE species including the electrons that are transferred (An ionic equation can be split into two half equations → one for species that gain electrons and one for species that lose)   |
| Spectator ion  | Ions that do not change their electronic state (ionic charge) during the reaction. Spectator ions are NOT included in the ionic equation  |
| Example        | <b>Word equation:</b><br>Potassium + lithium chloride → potassium chloride + lithium<br>(spectator ion: $\text{Cl}^-$ , species involved in displacement: potassium and lithium)<br><b>Symbol equation:</b><br>$\text{K} + \text{LiCl} \rightarrow \text{KCl} + \text{Li}$<br><b>Ionic equation:</b><br>$\text{K} + \text{Li}^+ \rightarrow \text{K}^+ + \text{Li}$<br><b>Half equation for potassium - potassium loses one electron to form potassium ion:</b><br>$\text{K} - e^- \rightarrow \text{K}^+$ (OR $\text{K} \rightarrow \text{K}^+ + e^-$ )<br><b>Half equation for lithium - lithium ion gains one electron to form lithium:</b><br>$\text{Li}^+ + e^- \rightarrow \text{Li}$ |

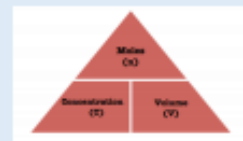
Metals can be extracted from molten compounds using electrolysis. This technique is used if the metal is too reactive to be extracted by reduction with carbon or if the metal reacts with carbon. This extraction technique is expensive because large amounts of energy are needed to melt the ionic compounds and to produce

## 18. Titration

Titration: Experimental technique to find out how much acid is required to neutralise an alkali.  
When neutralisation takes place, the hydrogen ions from the acid bond with the hydroxide ions from the alkali to produce water:  
 $\text{H}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{OH}^-(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$   
A suitable indicator is necessary → need one that is one colour in acids and another in alkalis (universal indicator is NOT a good choice because it is hard to determine the exact point at which the acid is neutralised).

Equation to know:  
**Concentration (mol/dm<sup>3</sup>) =  $\frac{\text{amount of substance (mol)}}{\text{volume (dm}^3\text{)}}$**

- Procedure:**
- Strong acid of known concentration is in burette
  - Alkali to be neutralised of known volume is in conical flask
  - Add indicator to conical flask
  - Note start point on burette
  - Add acid drop-wise to conical flask
  - As soon as indicator changes colour stop
  - Note end point on burette and calculate volume added
  - Carry out analysis using equation triangle
- NB procedure above can be used with an alkali of known concentration in burette and acid to be neutralised in conical flask.



## 19. Electrolysis

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| What is electrolysis?  | <b>Electrolysis</b> is the process by which ionic substances are decomposed (broken down) into simpler substances when an electric current is passed through them.   |
| What happens to the motion of ions when melted or in solution?                         | The ions are free to move  |
| What happens when electricity is passed through the solution or molten ionic compound? | Ions are charged therefore they: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cations (positive ions) move towards the <b>cathode</b> (negative electrode)</li> <li>Anions (negative ions) move towards the <b>anode</b> (positive electrode)</li> </ul> |
| What do you call the ions in solution that conduct electricity?                        | Electrolytes   |
| What happens once the ions get to the electrodes?                                      | Ions are <b>discharged</b> - forming elements  |
| What is produced at the anode?   | Non-metal is produced (Anions transfer electrons onto the anode)   |
| What is produced at the cathode?   | Metal is produced (Cations gain electrons from the cathode)  |

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|-------------|---|
| Electrolyte | Ions (molten or in solution) that are free to move and can therefore pass electricity through them            |
| Electrode   | The conductors through which electrical current is transferred to the ionic solution or molten ionic compound |
| Anode       | Positive electrode  |
| Cathode     | Negative electrode  |
| Anion       | Negatively charged particles  |
| Cation      | Positively charged particles  |
| Discharge   | Transfer of charge (electrons) at an electrode result in ion returning to elemental (neutral) form            |

