

# Chemistry Paper 1 (Combined Foundation)

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# 1. Atoms, Elements, Compounds and Mixtures

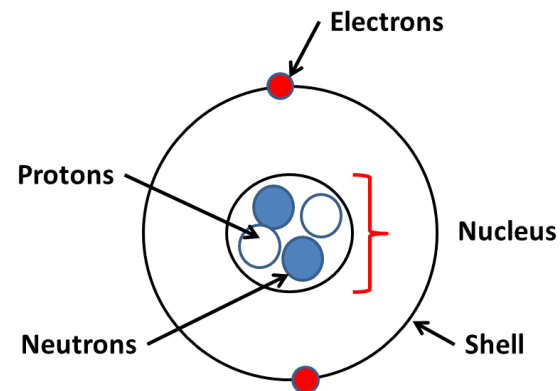
Keyword	Definition
Atom	smallest part of an element
Element	made up of only one type of atom
Compound	made from at least two elements, chemically combined
Mixture	made of two or more elements or compounds not chemically combined together

Radius of an atom = 0.1nm ( $1 \times 10^{-10}\text{m}$ ).

Radius of a nucleus is less than 1/10 000 of that of an atom.  
This is  $1 \times 10^{-14}\text{m}$ .

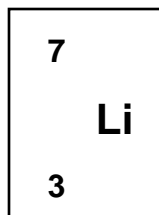
Atoms are <b>neutral</b> (no electrical charge) because: -The number of protons and electrons are the same. -The charges cancel out
Atomic number = Proton number
Mass number = Number of protons and neutrons
Number of electrons = Number of protons

Structure of the atom (Nuclear model)



Subatomic particle	Relative charge	Relative mass
Proton	+1	1
Neutron	0	1
Electron	-1	1/1840

## 2. Structure of the Atom



Top number

Bottom number

Proton = bottom number

Electron = bottom number

Neutron = top number – bottom number

### Electronic Configuration

Electrons are arranged in shells.

1<sup>st</sup> shell – maximum of 2 electrons

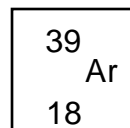
2<sup>nd</sup> shell – maximum of 8 electrons

3<sup>rd</sup> shell – maximum of 8 electrons

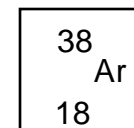
### Isotopes:

Atoms of the same element that have different numbers of neutrons but the same number of protons and electrons.

They have the same chemical properties but different physical properties.



18 protons  
18 electrons  
21 neutrons



18 protons  
18 electrons  
20 neutrons

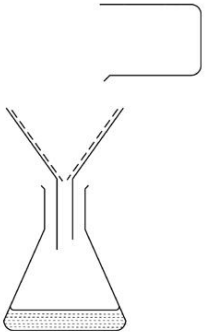
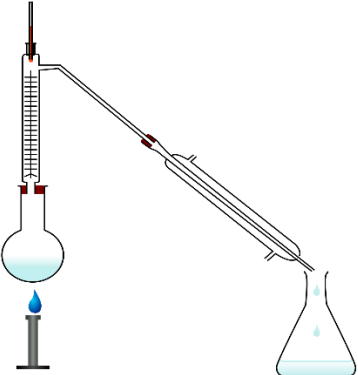
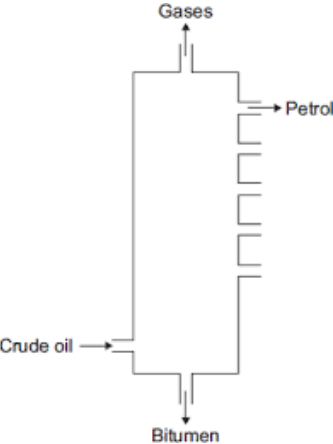
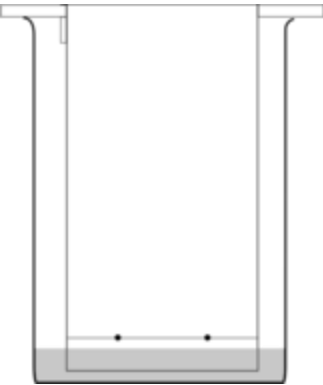
### Calculating Relative Isotopic Abundance

Mass number	Abundance (%)
39	93.1
41	6.9

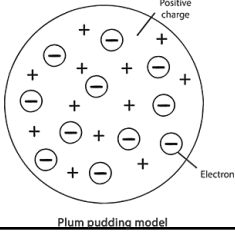
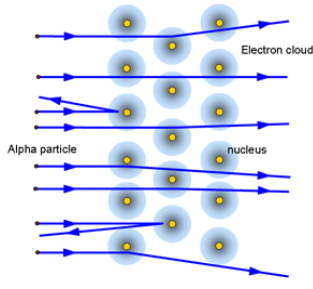
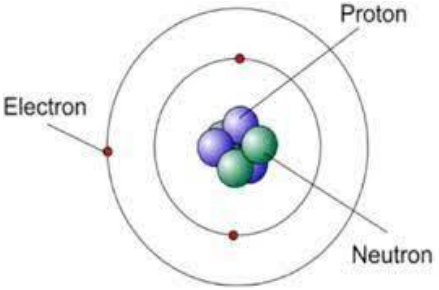
$$= \frac{(39 \times 93.1) + (41 \times 6.9)}{93.1 + 6.9}$$

$$= 39.1$$

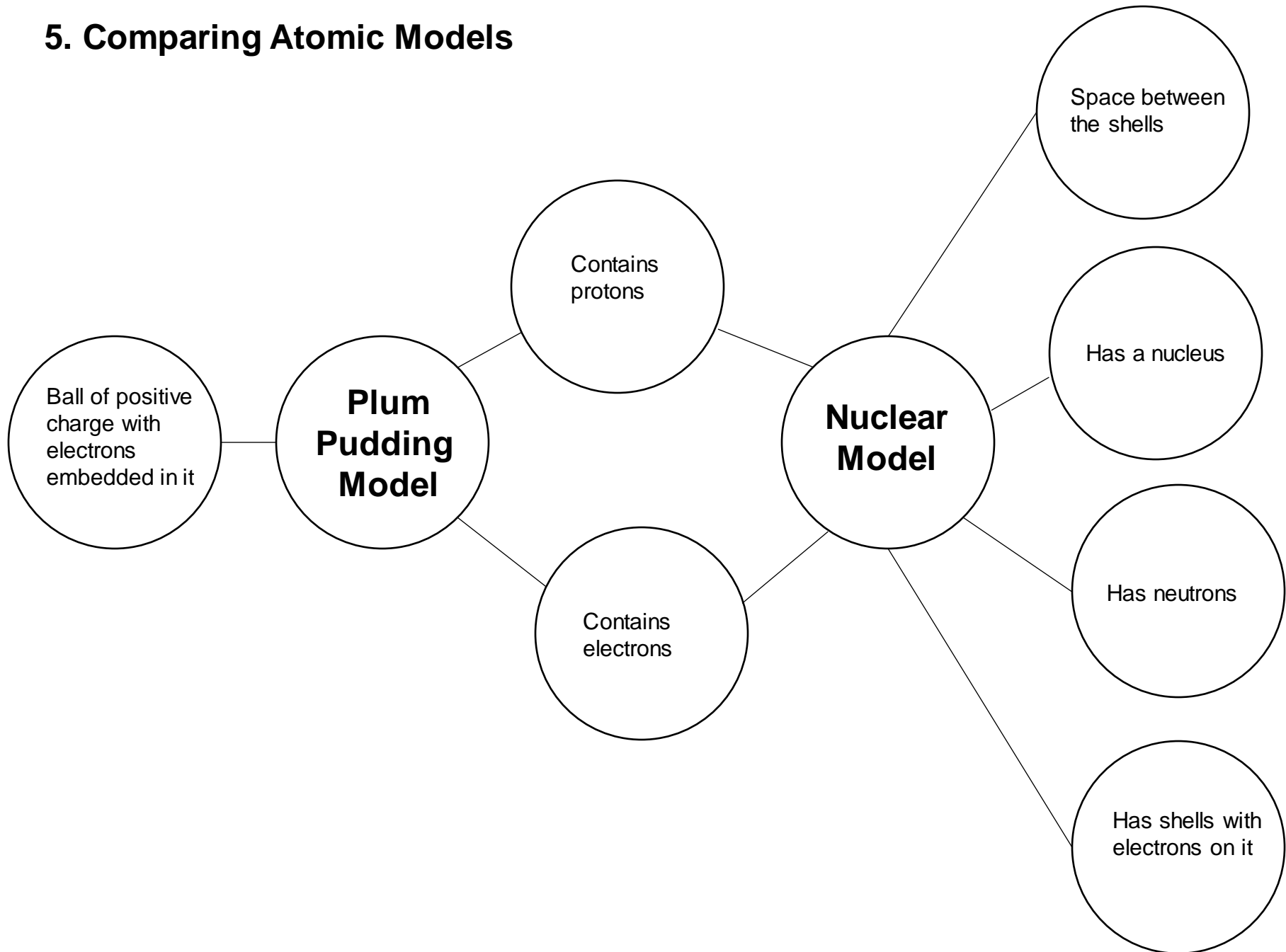
### 3. Separating Mixtures

Process	Filtration	Distillation	Fractional distillation	Chromatography
Diagram				
Physical property	Difference in solubility	Difference in boiling points	Difference in boiling points	Difference in solubility
Example	Sand and salt	Ink and water	Ink, water and oil	Different colours in dyes

# 4. History of the Atom

Atomic model	Plum pudding model	Nuclear model				
<p><b>Diagram</b></p>	 <p>Plum pudding model</p>					
<p><b>Discovery</b></p>	<p>Electron</p>	<p>Positive nucleus in the centre of the atom</p>	<p>Electrons occupy shells Electrons are at specific distances from the nucleus</p>	<p>Neutrons</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Atomic radius: <math>1 \times 10^{10}</math> m</li> <li>Radius of a nucleus is less than 1/10 000 of the radius of an atom.</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Description</b></p>	<p>The atom is a ball of positive charge with negative electrons embedded in it.</p>	<p>Positively charged alpha particles were fired at thin gold foil. Most alpha particles went straight through the foil. A few were scattered in different directions by the atoms in the foil. It showed that the mass of an atom was in the centre (the nucleus) and the nucleus was positively charged.</p>	<p>Proved the existence of isotopes</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Most of the mass of an atom is concentrated in the nucleus.</li> <li>The electrons are arranged at different distances from the nucleus.</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Discovered by</b></p>	<p>Thompson</p>	<p>Rutherford</p>	<p>Bohr</p>	<p>Chadwick</p>		

## 5. Comparing Atomic Models



## 6. Ionic and Covalent Bonding

### Ionic Bonding (metal & non-metal)

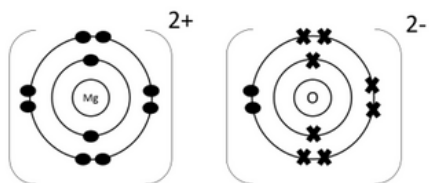
**Structure:** Giant ionic lattice

Electrons are lost or gained to achieve a full outer shell.

**Ionic bond:** Electrostatic attraction between oppositely charged ions.

Ions held in a fixed lattice.

**Charge of ion:** +2 (loses 2 electrons) and -2 (gains 2 electrons)



### Describing the formation of an ionic compound

#### Example 1: NaF

Na atom loses 1 electron to form  $\text{Na}^{1+}$  ion.

F atom gains 1 electron to form  $\text{F}^{1-}$  ion

#### Example 2: $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$

Two Na atoms each lose 1 electron to form two  $\text{Na}^{1+}$  ions.

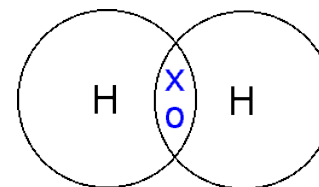
One O atom gains 2 electrons to form  $\text{O}^{2-}$  ion.

### Covalent Bonding (2 x non-metals)

**Covalent bond:** Pairs of electrons are shared between the atoms.

Sharing one pair of electrons = single bond

Sharing two pairs of electrons = double bond



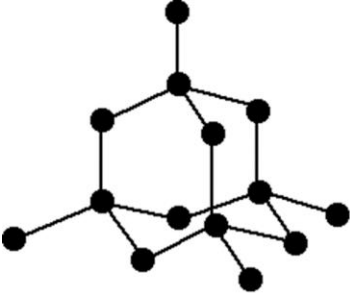
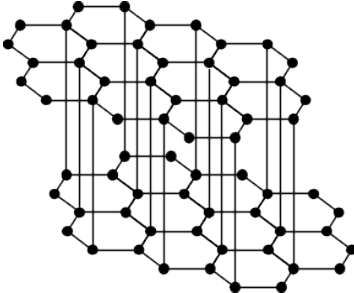
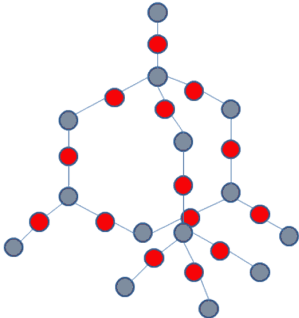
### Simple Molecules

(2 x non-metals, covalent bonding)

Simple molecules (small molecules)

e.g.  $\text{H}_2$ ,  $\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{O}_2$ ,  $\text{N}_2$ ,  $\text{HCl}$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$

## 7. Giant Covalent Bonding

	Diamond	Graphite	Silicon dioxide
<b>Bonding</b>	Giant covalent	Giant covalent	Giant covalent
<b>Made of</b>	Carbon	Carbon	Silicon and oxygen
<b>Structure</b>	Each carbon atom forms four C-C covalent bonds.	Each carbon atom forms three covalent bonds with three other carbon atoms, forming layers of hexagonal rings . The 4 <sup>th</sup> electron is delocalised	Each silicon atom forms four covalent bonds with oxygen atoms
<b>Diagram</b>			



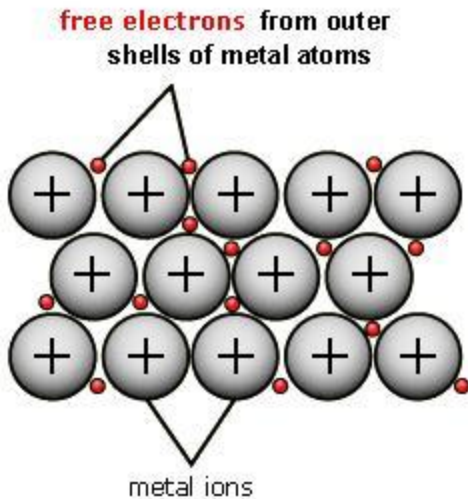
## 8. Metallic Bonding and Alloys

### Metallic Bonding

**Metallic bond:** Attraction

between the positive metal ion and delocalised electrons.

**Structure:** Layers of metal positive ions surrounded by delocalised electrons

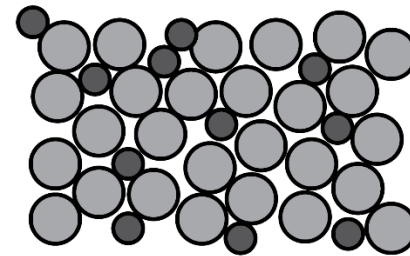


### Alloy

Mixtures of metals with metals or a non-metal

e.g. stainless steel is a mixture of iron and carbon

**Structure:** Irregular layers



## 9. Quantitative Chemistry

### Relative formula mass (RFM or $M_r$ )

This is the mass in grams of 1 mole of the substance.

To calculate  $M_r$  (top number) you need to add up the atomic mass (Ar) of all of the atoms in the molecule.

*Example 1.*  $NaCl = Na + Cl = 23 + 35.5 = 58.5$

*Example 2.*  $MgF_2 = Mg + (2 \times F) = 24 + (2 \times 19) = 62$

### % Mass of an Element in a compound

$$\% \text{ mass of an element} = \frac{\text{Atomic mass of element} \times \text{number of atoms}}{\text{Relative formula mass of compound}} \times 100$$

Remember:  $\frac{\text{part}}{\text{whole}} \times 100$

### Conservation of Mass

During a chemical reaction, no atoms are made, no atoms are destroyed.

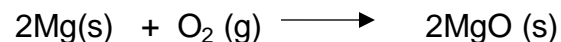
### Decrease in mass:



Carbon dioxide is a gas which is a product

Carbon dioxide escapes into the air.

### Increase in mass:



Mg reacts with oxygen in the air

Oxygen has added to the magnesium

### Concentration of a solution

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \xrightarrow{\times 1000} & \\ dm^3 & & cm^3 \\ & \xleftarrow{\div 1000} & \end{array}$$

$$\text{Concentration (g/dm}^3\text{)} = \text{mass (g)} \div \text{volume (dm}^3\text{)}$$

## 10. Acids and Alkalis

Acid	Chemical formula
Sulfuric acid	H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>
Nitric acid	HNO <sub>3</sub>
Hydrochloric acid	HCl

Alkali	Chemical formula
Sodium hydroxide	NaOH
Potassium hydroxide	KOH

Acid	Salt name ending
Hydrochloric	-chloride
Nitric acid	-nitrate
Sulfuric	-sulfate

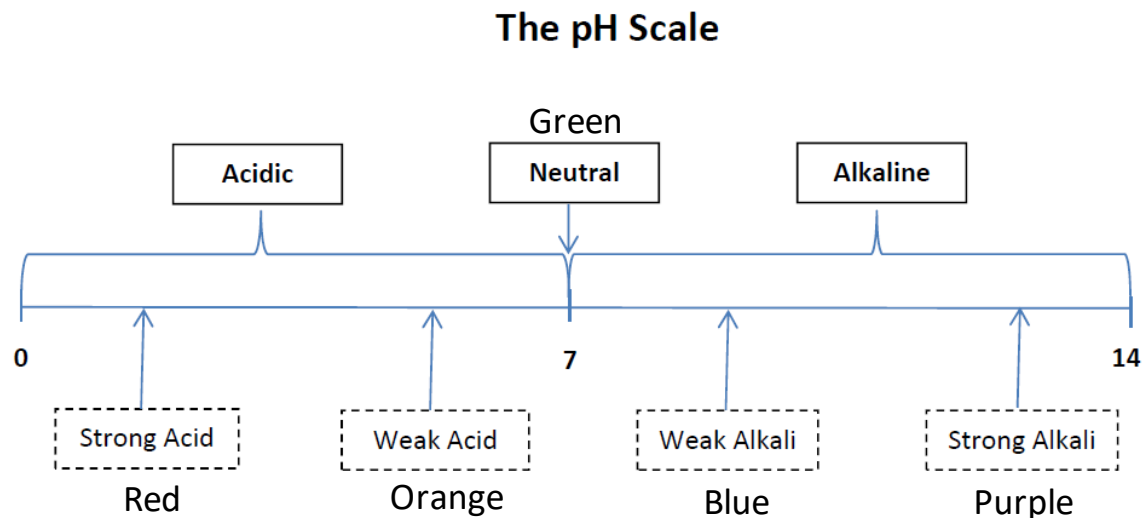
### The pH Scale

It can be measured with a pH probe, or universal indicator.

Acid: pH 0-6

Neutral: pH 7

Alkali: pH 8-14



### Neutralisation

Acids contain hydrogen ions (H<sup>+</sup>)

Alkalis contain hydroxide ions (OH<sup>-</sup>)

acid + alkali → water

**Ionic equation:** H<sup>+</sup> (aq) + OH<sup>-</sup> (aq) → H<sub>2</sub>O (l)

## 11. Reactions of Acids to Make a Salt (Neutralisation)

<b>Reaction 1</b>	<b>Reactions of Acids with Metals (Neutralisation)</b>
<b>Rule</b>	acid + metal → salt + hydrogen
<b>Example</b>	hydrochloric acid + magnesium → magnesium chloride + hydrogen
<b>Reaction 2</b>	<b>Reactions of Acids with Metal Oxide (Neutralisation)</b>
<b>Rule</b>	acid + metal oxide → salt + water
<b>Example</b>	sulfuric acid + magnesium oxide → magnesium sulfate + water
<b>Reaction 3</b>	<b>Reactions of Acids with Metal Hydroxide (Neutralisation)</b>
<b>Rule</b>	acid + metal hydroxide → salt + water
<b>Example</b>	nitric acid + magnesium hydroxide → magnesium nitrate + water
<b>Reaction 4</b>	<b>Reactions of Acids with Metal Carbonate (Neutralisation)</b>
<b>Rule</b>	acid + metal carbonate → salt + water + carbon dioxide
<b>Example</b>	nitric acid + magnesium carbonate → magnesium nitrate + water + carbon dioxide

## 12. Energy Changes

**Exothermic Reaction.** Energy is transferred from particles to the surroundings. Temperature increases.

**Examples:** Combustion, many oxidation reactions, neutralisation.

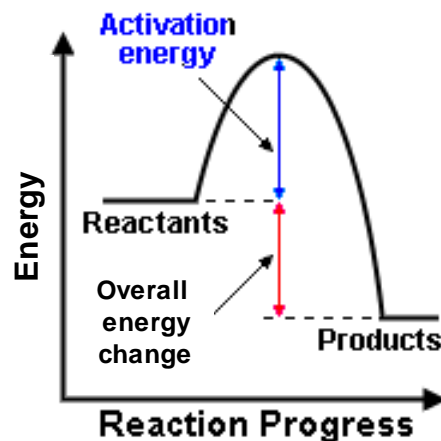
**Every day uses:** self-heating cans and hand warmers.

**Endothermic reaction.** Energy is transferred from the surroundings to the particles. Temperature decreases.

**Example:** Thermal decomposition and the reaction between citric acid and sodium hydrogencarbonate.

**Every day uses:** sports injury packs.

**Activation energy:** minimum amount of energy required for the reaction to start.

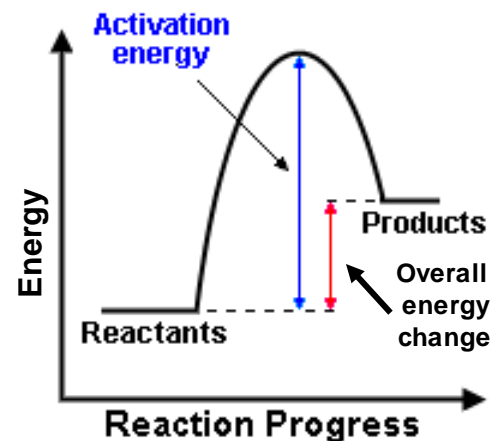


**Exothermic reaction**

**Exothermic energy profile:**

Reactants are **higher** in energy than the products.

Energy is released to the surroundings.



**Endothermic reaction**

**Endothermic energy profile:**

Reactants are **lower** in energy than the products.

Energy is absorbed by the surroundings.

## 13. The Development of the Periodic Table

Newland's Periodic Table	Similarities	Mendeleev's Periodic Table
Included only the elements known at the time	Ordered elements by atomic weight	Left gaps for elements he predicted would be discovered later
Maintained a strict order of atomic weights	Missing noble gases	Swapped the order of some elements if that fitted their properties better e.g. Te and I
Every eighth element had similar properties		Elements in groups had similar properties
Was criticised by other scientists for grouping some elements with others when they were obviously very different to each other		Was seen as a curiosity to begin with by other scientists, but then as a useful tool when the predicted elements were discovered later
Mendeleev's version was <b>accepted</b> because the newly discovered elements fitted in these gaps. The properties of the elements were predicted correctly.		

### Modern Periodic Table

It is called a **Periodic Table** because similar properties occur at regular intervals

Elements arranged in order of atomic number (proton number)

**Groups (columns):** Elements with similar chemical properties

Group number = number of outer shell electrons = similar chemical properties

**Period (row):** Elements have the same number of shells

## 14. Chemical Formulae

Group number	Charge of ion formed
1	+1
2	+2
3	+3
5	-3
6	-2
7	-1

Name of ion	Chemical formula of ion
Sulfate	SO <sub>4</sub> <sup>2-</sup>
Hydroxide	OH <sup>1-</sup>
Ammonium	NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>1+</sup>
Nitrate	NO <sub>3</sub> <sup>1-</sup>
Carbonate	CO <sub>3</sub> <sup>2-</sup>

### Chemical Formulae

NaCl – 1 x Na atom and 1 x Cl atom

H<sub>2</sub>O – 2 x H atoms and 1 x O atom

Mg(OH)<sub>2</sub> – 1 x Mg atom, 2 x O atoms and 2 x H atoms

CaCO<sub>3</sub> – 1 x Ca atom, 1 x C atom and 3 x O atoms

### How to deduce chemical formulae

	Mg <sup>2+</sup>	Br <sup>1-</sup>
Identify the number	2	1
Swap the numbers	1	2
Chemical formula	Mg Br <sub>2</sub>	

	NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>1+</sup>	SO <sub>4</sub> <sup>2-</sup>
Identify the number	1	2
Swap the numbers	2	1
Chemical formula	(NH <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	

## 15. Reactions of Group 1, Group 7 and Group 0

	Group 1	Group 7	Group 0
<b>Name</b>	Alkali Metals	Halogens (non-metal)	Noble gases
<b>Reactivity</b>	Increases down the group	Decreases down the group	Unreactive (inert). Does not form ions or molecules
<b>Reactivity explanation</b>	The outer electron is further from the nucleus. There is less attraction between the nucleus and the outer electron. The atom loses an electron more easily.	In fluorine, outer shell greater attraction between the nucleus and the outer shell, easier to gain an electron.	Already has a full outer shell of 8 electrons (except helium which has 2). No need to react.
<b>Trend in melting point</b>	Decreases	Increases	Increases
<b>Explanation for trend in melting point</b>		Mass increases. Stronger intermolecular forces. More energy is required to break these forces	Mass increases. More energy is required
<b>Reactions</b>	<b>Reaction with oxygen:</b> $4M + O_2 \rightarrow 2M_2O$ Forms the metal oxide ( $M_2O$ )	<b>Displacement:</b> A more reactive halogen can displace a less reactive halogen from its salt e.g.  $2KBr + Cl_2 \rightarrow 2KCl + Br_2$ Chlorine more reactive than bromine. Displacement occurs.  $2KBr + I_2 \rightarrow$ no reaction Iodine cannot displace bromine	
	<b>Reaction with chlorine:</b> $2M + Cl_2 \rightarrow 2MCl$ Forms the metal chloride ( $MCl$ ) Vigorous reaction Na = silver solid; $Cl_2$ = green gas Reaction = orange flame Product = white solid NaCl produced		
	<b>Reaction with water:</b> $2M + 2H_2O \rightarrow 2MOH + H_2$ Hydroxide ions ( $OH^-$ ) make solutions alkali. Metal floats and moves. Effervescence.		



# 16. Reactivity of Metals

## Oxidation and Reduction (adding and losing oxygen)

**Oxidation:** When the metal gains oxygen to become a metal oxide.

**Reduction:** When the metal oxide loses oxygen to become a metal.

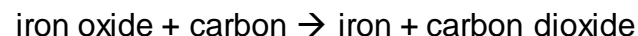
## The Reactivity Series

Potassium	} Extracted by electrolysis of a molten ionic compound
Sodium	
Calcium	
Magnesium	
Aluminium	
Carbon	} Extracted from its oxide by reduction using carbon
Zinc	
Iron	
Tin	
Lead	
Hydrogen	
Copper	
Silver	
Gold	
Platinum – least reactive	

## Extraction of metals

**Metals above carbon in the reactivity series:** Extracted by electrolysis

**Metals below carbon:** Extracted from their oxides by reduction with carbon.



The iron has been reduced – it has lost oxygen. The carbon has been oxidised.

**Silver, gold and platinum:** Found in the Earth as the metal itself because they are unreactive.

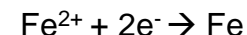
## Oxidation and Reduction (adding and losing electrons)

**Oxidation:** Loss of electrons.

**Reduction:** Gain of electrons.

Remember **OIL RIG**

For example:



The iron ion gains two electrons and becomes an iron atom.

The iron has been reduced – it has gained two electrons.

## 17. Properties of Ionic Compounds and Simple Molecules

Property of Ionic Compounds	Explanation
<b>High melting point</b>	Giant ionic structure. Lots of energy needed to break strong electrostatic attraction between ions.
<b>Conducts electricity in solution/molten</b>	Ions are mobile and carry charge.
<b>Does not conduct electricity as a solid</b>	Ions are in a fixed lattice. Ions are not mobile so cannot carry a charge

### Simple Molecules

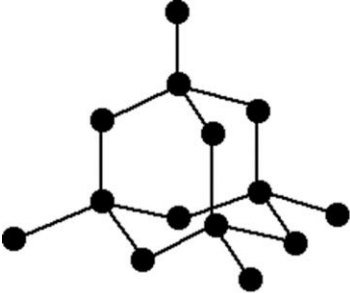
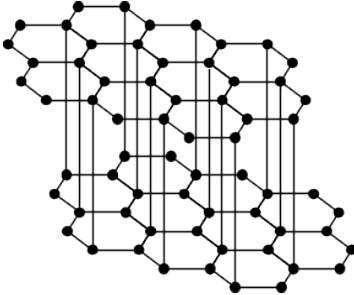
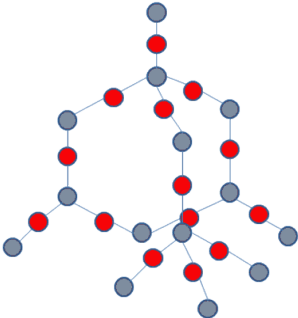
(2 x non-metals, covalent bonding)

Simple molecules (small molecules)

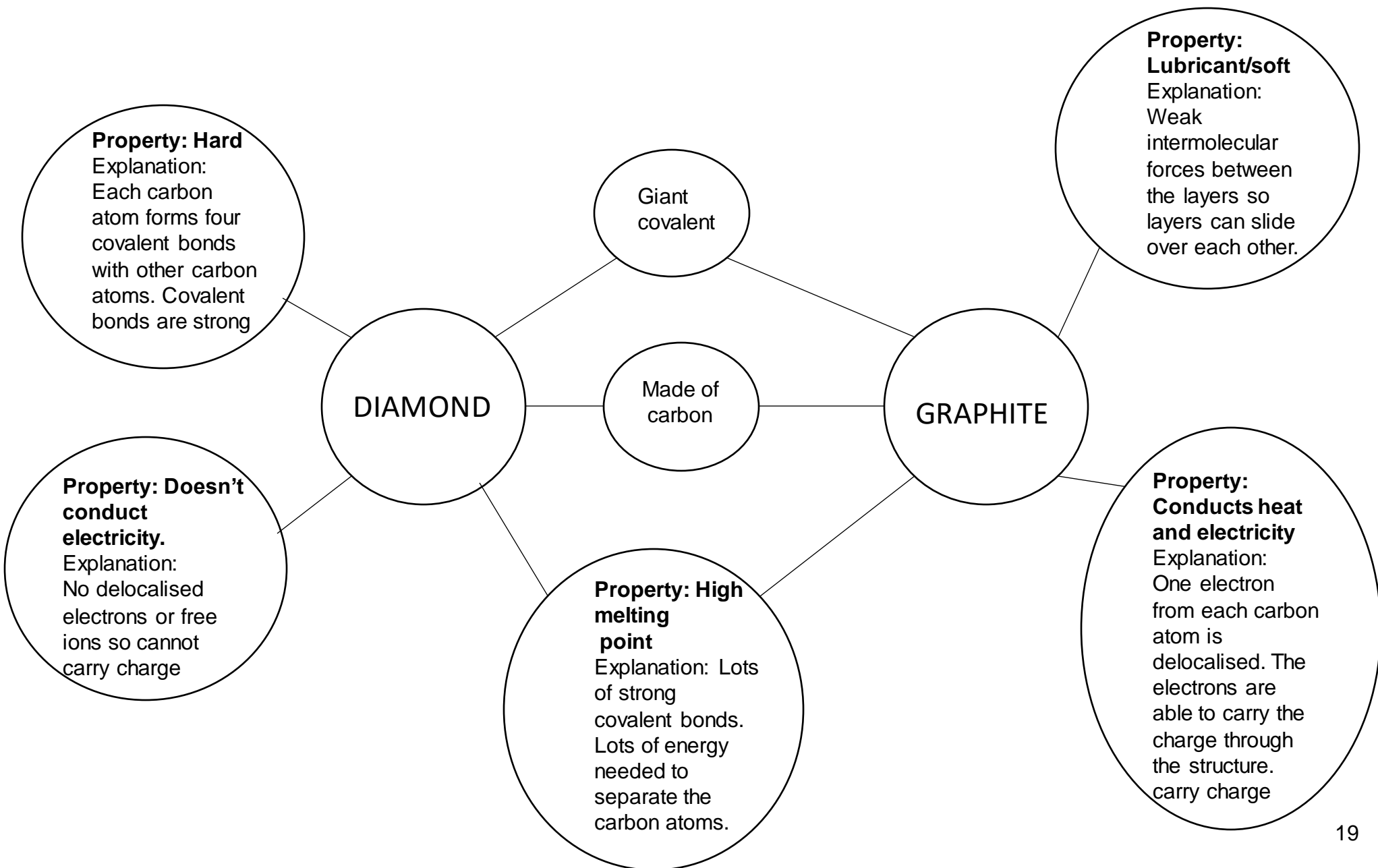
e.g.  $H_2$ ,  $F_2$ ,  $Cl_2$ ,  $O_2$ ,  $N_2$ ,  $HCl$ ,  $H_2O$ ,  $CO_2$

Property of Simple Molecules	Explanation
<b>Low melting points and boiling points. (Gas at room temperature)</b>	-Simple molecule -Weak intermolecular forces between the molecules. -Little energy needed to overcome these forces.
<b>Does not conduct electricity</b>	Molecules do not have any mobile ions or delocalised electrons

## 18. Structure of Giant Covalent Substances

	Diamond	Graphite	Silicon dioxide
<b>Bonding</b>	Giant covalent	Giant covalent	Giant covalent
<b>Made of</b>	Carbon	Carbon	Silicon and oxygen
<b>Structure</b>	Each carbon atom forms four C-C covalent bonds.	Each carbon atom forms three covalent bonds with three other carbon atoms, forming layers of hexagonal rings . The 4 <sup>th</sup> electron is delocalised	Each silicon atom forms four covalent bonds with oxygen atoms
<b>Diagram</b>			

## 19. Comparing Properties of Giant Covalent Substances: Diamond and Graphite



## 20. Graphene

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### Graphene

Single layer of graphite. Made of carbon atoms.

One atom thick

#### Structure

Each carbon atom forms three covalent bonds with three other carbon atoms, forming layers of hexagonal rings. The 4<sup>th</sup> electron is delocalised and carries the charge through the structure.

#### Property & Explanation

Conducts heat and electricity

**Explanation:** One electron from each carbon atom is delocalised. The electrons are able to carry the charge through the structure.

#### Property & Explanation

High melting point

**Explanation:** Lots of strong covalent bonds. Lots of energy needed to separate the carbon atoms.

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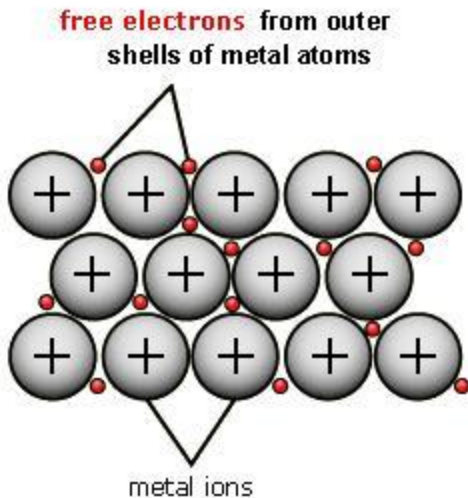
## 21. Structure of Metals and Alloys

### Metallic Bonding

**Metallic bond:** Attraction

between the positive metal ion and delocalised electrons.

**Structure:** Layers of metal positive ions surrounded by delocalised electrons

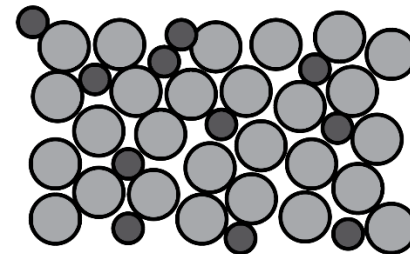


### Alloy

Mixtures of metals with metals or a non-metal

e.g. stainless steel is a mixture of iron and carbon

**Structure:** Irregular layers



## 22. Properties of Metallic Bonding and Alloys

Property of metals	Explanation
Conduct electricity	Delocalised electrons are free to move and carry the charge through the metal.
Conducts thermal energy	Delocalised electrons move Energy transferred
Strong High melting point	Strong attraction between the metal positive ion and the delocalised electrons, so lots of energy needed to overcome attraction
Bent and shaped (malleable)	Layers of atoms are able to slide over each other.

Property of alloys	Explanation
Harder than pure metals	The atoms are different sizes. Layers are distorted and cannot easily slide over each other.

## 23. Polymers

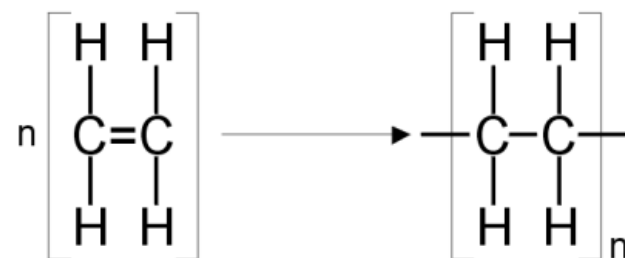
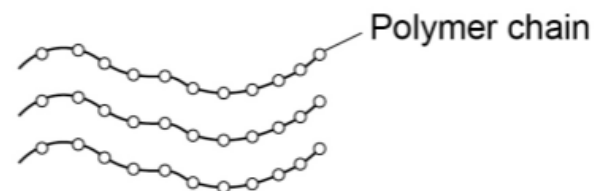
Keyword	Definition
<b>Monomer</b>	Made of a C=C bond. An alkene
<b>Polymers</b>	Large molecules linked to other atoms by strong covalent bonds.
<b>n</b>	Number of monomers/repeating units
<b>Polymerisation</b>	The C=C double bond in the monomer breaks open. Many monomers join together to form a long chain molecule (polymer).

Property of polymers	Explanation of property
Solid at room temperature/ Low melting point	The intermolecular forces between polymer molecules are relatively strong. Lots of energy needed to break bonds.

### Structure and bonding in a polymer chain

Strong covalent bonds between the atoms

Weak intermolecular forces between the chains



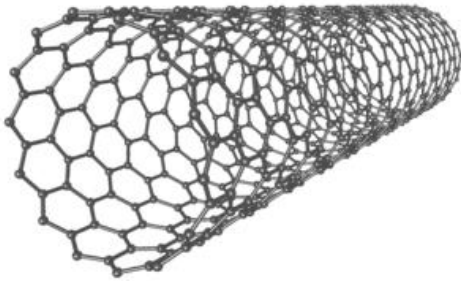
Name of monomer	Name of polymer
Vinyl chloride	Polyvinyl chloride
Styrene	Polystyrene
Ethene	Polyethene



## 24. Fullerenes

### Fullerenes

**Fullerenes** are molecules of carbon atoms with hollow shapes based on hexagonal rings of carbon atoms.



**Properties:** High tensile strength, electrical conductivity and conducts heat.

### Uses:

Drug delivery into the body as it has a hollow structure.

Lubricants

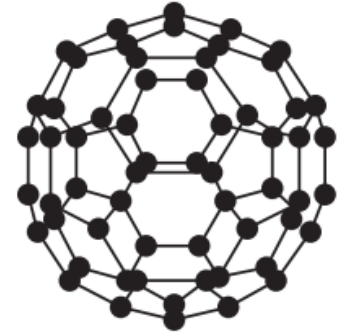
Catalysts.

### Buckminster fullerene:

Molecular formula:  $C_{60}$

Spherical shaped

**Uses:** Lubricant as they can roll over each other



## 25. Electrolysis

**Electrolysis:** The splitting of an ionic compound into its elements using electricity.

**Electrolyte:** A molten ionic compound or an ionic solution e.g. sodium chloride. They conduct electricity.

### Reaction condition for electrolysis to occur:

In a solid, ions are not free to move.

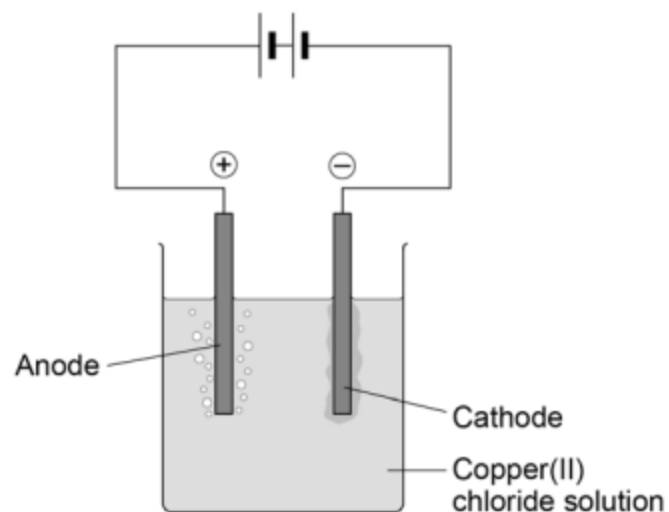
In solution or molten, the ions are free to move and carry the charge.

### Electrolysis Apparatus

Remember PANIC (Positive Anode Negative Is Cathode)

Positive ions move to the cathode (negative electrode)

Negative ions move to the anode (positive electrode)



## 26. Processes Occurring During Electrolysis

### Reaction at the Anode

Non-metal ions (anions) move to the anode. Non-metal molecules are produced.

### Half Equation:



Each chloride ions lose 1 electron to form a chlorine molecule. It has been oxidised.

Remember OIL RIG (Oxidation Is Loss Reduction Is Gain)

### Processes at the anode

If the anion is sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ ) or a nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^{1-}$ ) oxygen gas ( $\text{O}_2$ ) is produced

If the non-metal ion is a halide e.g.  $\text{Br}^-$ , the halogen molecule will be produced ( $\text{Br}_2$ )

### Reaction at the Cathode

Metal ions (cations) move to the cathode. Metal atoms are produced.



Lithium ion has gained 1 electron to form lithium atoms. It has been reduced.

Remember OIL RIG (Oxidation Is Loss Reduction Is Gain)

### Competition between two positive ions at the cathode

A positive metal ion e.g.  $\text{K}^+$ , and a positive hydrogen ion,  $\text{H}^+$  are both in solution.

At the cathode, hydrogen gas ( $\text{H}_2$ ) is produced if the metal is more reactive than hydrogen e.g.  $\text{K}^+$  and  $\text{H}^+$  ions are in solution.

Refer to reactivity series on page 18

## 27. Extraction of Aluminium Using Electrolysis

### Electrolysis to extract metals

Metals above carbon in the reactivity series – extracted from their ores using electrolysis.

Metals below carbon in the reactivity series – extracted from their ores using carbon. This is called reduction.

### Aluminium

Aluminium ore – Bauxite (aluminium oxide,  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ )

Uses of aluminium: make cars and plane and tin foil

### Reaction at the cathode



$\text{Al}^{3+}$  has gained 3 electrons to form Al atoms.

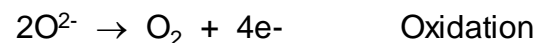
**Expensive** - Large amounts of energy are needed to melt the metal compound, and to produce electricity.

### Why a molten mixture of aluminium oxide is used:

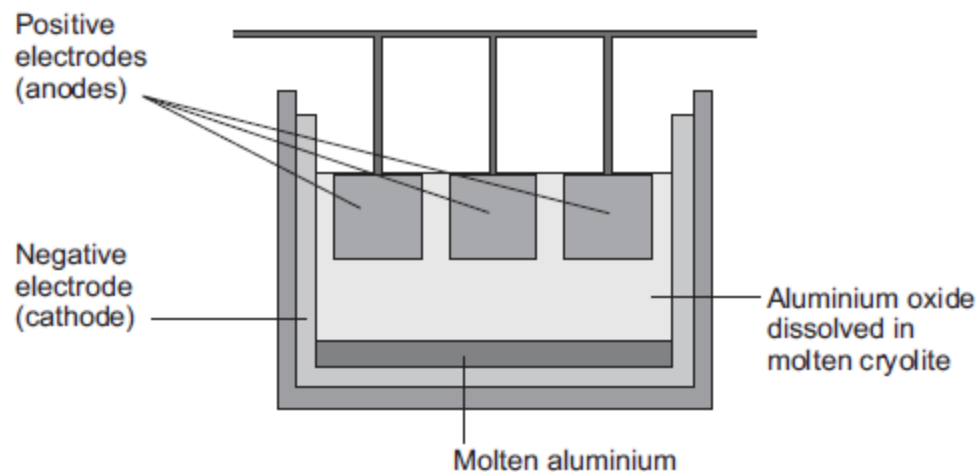
Mixed with cryolite. This lowers the melting point, so less energy is needed.

**Carbon anodes replaced** because the carbon anode reacts with oxygen produced at the anode. The anode fizzes away as  $\text{CO}_2$  is produced.

### Reaction at the anode



Two  $\text{O}^{2-}$  ions have lost 2 electrons each to form an  $\text{O}_2$



## 28. Required Practicals 1: Making a salt and Electrolysis

### Making a soluble salt

1. Add excess copper oxide to sulfuric acid in a beaker
2. Stir using a stirring rod
3. Filter using a funnel and filter paper into a conical flask.
4. Evaporate the water from the copper sulfate solution in an evaporating dish using gentle heat until half the volume is left.
5. Leave on windowsill to form crystals.
6. Pat dry crystals.

### Reasoning for the steps

Step 1: Excess metal oxide used so that all the acid reacts.

Step 2: Reaction stirred so all the chemicals react.

Step 3: Removal of excess copper oxide. Excess copper oxide used as it is easier to remove than excess acid

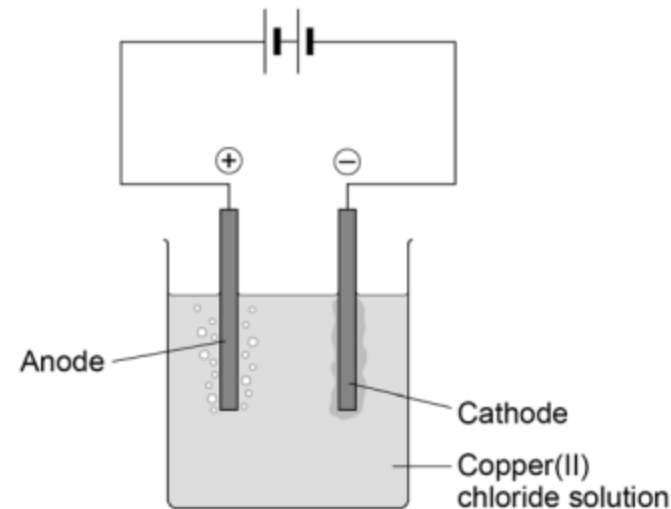
Step 4: Slow this step down by using a water bath

### Observations:

Black solid (copper oxide) is left in the filter paper

Colour change

### Electrolysis of aqueous solutions



**Cathode:** Metal attracted. Metal atoms are formed.

If the **metal is more reactive than hydrogen**, the metal ion will stay in solution and hydrogen ions will attract to the cathode, producing hydrogen gas

**Anode:** If the anion is sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ ) or a nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^{1-}$ ) oxygen gas ( $\text{O}_2$ ) is produced

## 29. Required Practicals 2 – Energy Changes

### Reacting two solutions, e.g. acid and alkali

1. Place the polystyrene cup inside the glass beaker
2. Using a measuring cylinder, measure 25 cm<sup>3</sup> of acid
3. Add to polystyrene cup.
4. Record the temperature of the acid using a thermometer.
5. Add 5cm<sup>3</sup> of alkali to the polystyrene cup and record the temperature obtained.
6. Repeat with 5cm<sup>3</sup> of alkali until 40 cm<sup>3</sup> of alkali has been added

**IV:** Volume of alkali

**DV:** Temperature of reaction mixture

**CV:** Type of acid and alkali, volume of acid

### To improve the accuracy

Use polystyrene cup

Add a lid

Repeat the experiment and calculate the mean ignoring anomalous results

**Valid results:** Repeat 3 times, identify the anomalous results, calculate the mean

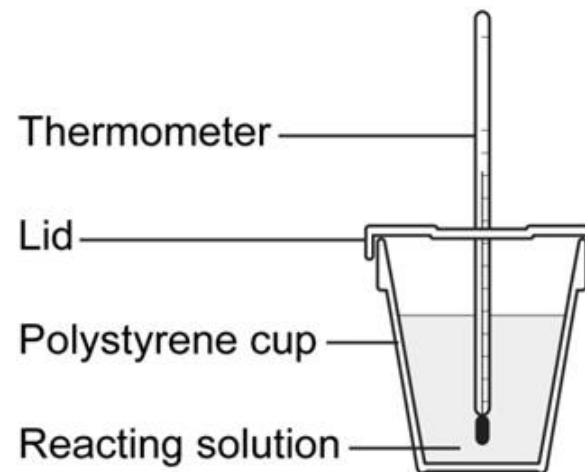
### Reacting a solid with a solution, e.g. metal and solution

1. Place the polystyrene cup inside the glass beaker to make it more stable.
2. Using a measuring cylinder, measure 25 cm<sup>3</sup> of copper sulfate solution
3. Place the solution in a polystyrene cup.
4. Record the temperature of the solution using a thermometer.
5. Using a balance, weigh out 1g zinc powder
6. Add the zinc powder and record the temperature.
7. Repeat steps 1-6 with different masses of zinc powder

**IV:** Mass of metal

**DV:** Temperature of reaction mixture

**CV:** Concentration and volume of copper sulfate solution



# Chemistry Paper 2 (Combined Foundation)

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## 30. Rates of Reaction

<b>Collision theory</b>	Chemical reactions can occur only when reacting particles collide with each other and with sufficient energy.
<b>Activation energy</b>	The minimum amount of energy that particles must have to react energy.
<b>Factors that affect the rate of a reaction</b>	Concentration; Temperature Pressure; Catalyst Surface area

### Explaining the rate of reaction in terms of particles

The higher the temperature, particles move faster,...

The higher the concentration/pressure, more particles in a given volume,...

The higher the surface area, more area for the reactants to collide,...

...the faster the rate of reaction due to a higher frequency of successful collisions.

**Measure the rate of reaction by:**

**Equipment needed:**

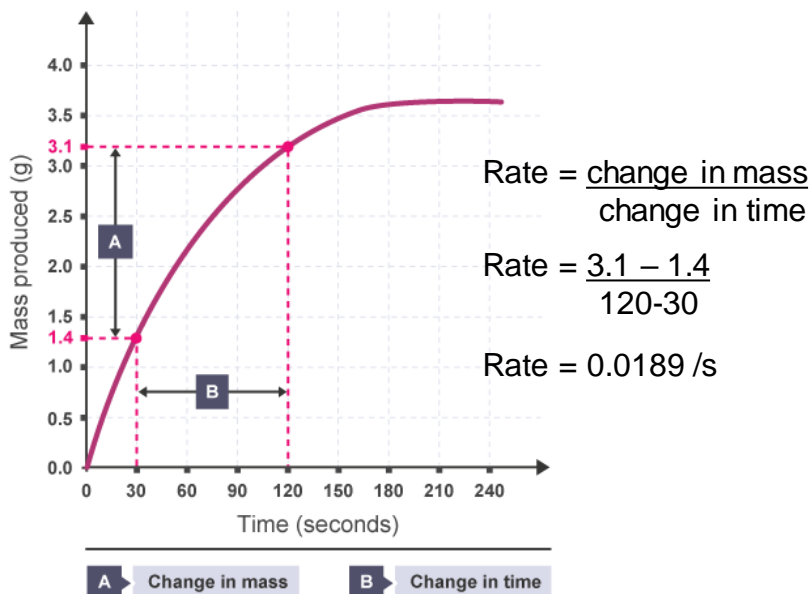
Stop clock  
Balance or measuring cylinder/gas syringe

- Loss of mass of the reactants (use a balance)
- Volume of gas produced (use a gas syringe or upturned measuring cylinder)
- Time taken for the solution to become cloudy (place conical flask on cross and watch it disappear)

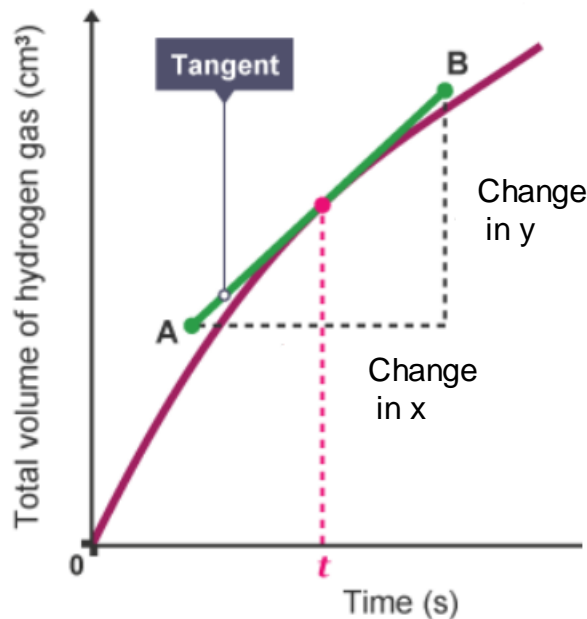


# 31. Rates of Reaction Graphs

## Calculating average rate

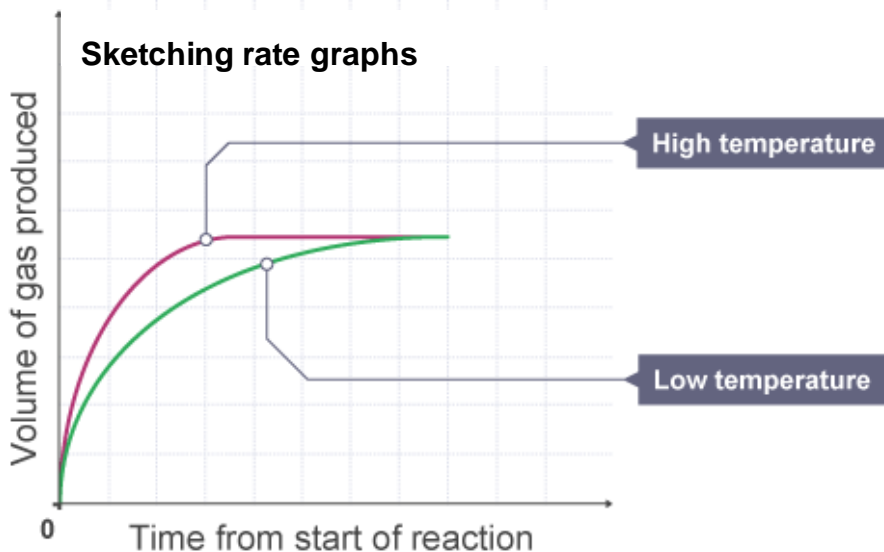


## Calculating the rate at a specific time



1. Draw a tangent at that point approximately 10 cm long.
2. Draw a triangle
3. Calculate change in y
4. Calculate change in x
5. Gradient =  $\frac{\text{change in y}}{\text{change in x}}$

## Sketching rate graphs



**Steeper the curve**

Faster the rate of reaction

**Horizontal line on graph**

Reaction is finished (reactants used up)

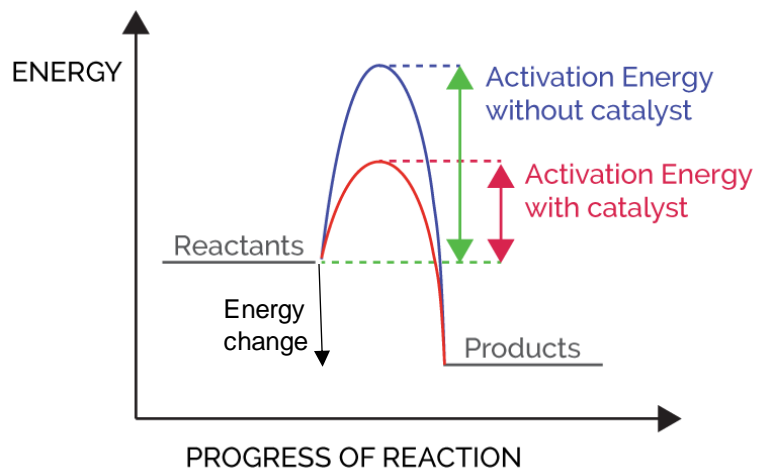
## 32. Rates of Reaction and Equilibrium

**Catalysts** increase the rate of reaction by providing a different pathway for the reaction that has a lower activation energy.

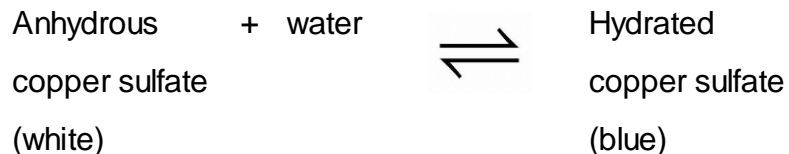
They reduce energy costs.

Catalysts are not included in the chemical equation for the reaction.

Biological catalyst: enzyme



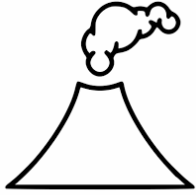
### Reversible reaction



<b>Closed system</b>	When reactants or products cannot enter or leave the system
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<b>What does it mean by equilibrium?</b>	The rate of the forward and reverse reaction is the same. The concentrations of reactants and products are constant. It is a closed system
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### 33. Evolution of the Atmosphere



Volcanoes released water vapour ( $H_2O$ ), carbon dioxide ( $CO_2$ ), methane ( $CH_4$ ), ammonia ( $NH_3$ ).

Volcanoes were a source of nitrogen.

Not certain of exact % of each gas as there was no evidence



Temperature cooled down. Water vapour condensed to form oceans



Algae and plants used up carbon dioxide by photosynthesis to produce oxygen.



Methane reacted with oxygen to form carbon dioxide and water.

Ammonia reacted with oxygen to form nitrogen and water.

Today's atmosphere:

- 78 % Nitrogen ( $N_2$ )
- 21 % oxygen ( $O_2$ )
- 1 % other gases

<b>Reasons why <math>O_2</math> levels increased</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Algae and plants began to photosynthesise, producing oxygen</li> <li>• Oxygen levels increased, allowing animals to evolve.</li> </ul>
<b>Reasons why <math>CO_2</math> levels decreased</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Absorbed by oceans.</li> <li>•Locked up as sedimentary rocks and fossil fuels.</li> <li>•Used in photosynthesis to produce oxygen</li> </ul>
<b>How coal was formed from carbon dioxide present in the early atmosphere:</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Carbon dioxide was used during photosynthesis by trees</li> <li>• Trees die and are compressed over millions of years</li> </ul>	

## 34. Greenhouse effect

### Greenhouse Gases

- Water vapour (H<sub>2</sub>O)
- Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)
- Methane (CH<sub>4</sub>)

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### Effects of Global Climate Change

Sea level rise, which may cause flooding and increased coastal erosion

More frequent and severe storms

Changes to the distribution of wildlife species

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### Human Activities Which Increase Greenhouse Gases

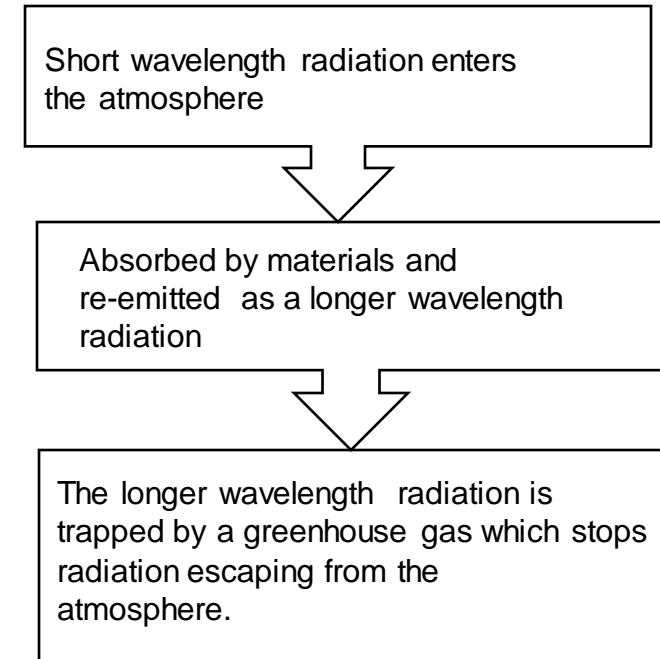
Combustion of fossil fuels releasing more carbon dioxide

Deforestation leading to less trees so less photosynthesis occurring

More animal farming (digestion, waste decomposition) so more methane released

Decomposition of rubbish in landfill sites so more methane released)

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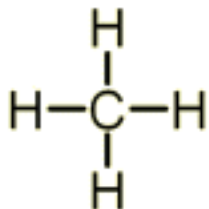
## 35. Polluting our Atmosphere

Pollutant	How it is made	Effect on health/environment
Sulfur dioxide (SO <sub>2</sub> )	Sulfur in fossil fuels reactions with oxygen to form sulphur dioxide.	Cause respiratory problems in humans and causes acid rain. Acid rain damages plants and buildings.
Carbon monoxide (CO)	Incomplete combustion of hydrocarbons.	A toxic gas which causes death.
Carbon particulates (unburned hydrocarbons)	Incomplete combustion of hydrocarbons.	Causes global dimming and damages lungs.
Oxides of nitrogen (NO <sub>x</sub> )	Made from nitrogen and oxygen in air reacting at a high temperature in a car engine.	Causes respiratory problems in humans and cause acid rain.

<b>Carbon Footprint</b>	The total amount of carbon dioxide and other greenhouse gases emitted over the full life cycle of a product, service or event.
<b>How to Reduce the Carbon Footprint</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Increased use of alternative energy supplies e.g. wind</li> <li>- Use energy efficient appliances</li> <li>- Carbon capture and storage (CCS)</li> </ul>
<b>Problems on Reducing the Carbon Footprint</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Lifestyle changes e.g. using public transport</li> <li>- Economic considerations e.g. can countries afford to build more wind turbines?</li> </ul>

## 36. Alkanes

<b>Hydrocarbon</b>	Made of <b>only</b> hydrogen and carbon
<b>Alkane</b>	A hydrocarbon made of C-C single bonds.
<b>Alkane General Formula</b>	$C_n H_{2n+2}$
<b>Functional group of an alkane</b>	C-C single bond Alkanes are saturated as all the C bonds are used up.
<b>Homologous series</b>	A family of hydrocarbons with similar chemical properties who share the same general formula



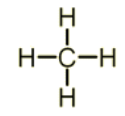
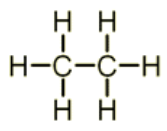
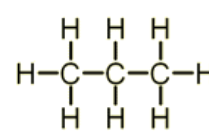
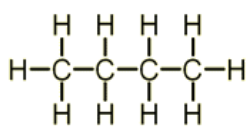
### Methane

A compound

A hydrocarbon

Covalent bonds between the C-H atoms

Homologous series: Alkanes

Alkane	Molecular Formula	Displayed formula
Methane	$CH_4$	
Ethane	$C_2H_6$	
Propane	$C_3H_8$	
Butane	$C_4H_{10}$	

## 37. Fractional Distillation of Crude Oil

Keyword	Definition
<b>Boiling point</b>	The temperature at which a liquid turns into a gas
<b>Combustion</b>	Burning in oxygen
<b>Flammability</b>	How easily a substance ignites (catches on fire)
<b>Fossil fuels</b>	(non-renewable/finite fuels) Coal, oil, natural gas
<b>Fraction</b>	Molecules with a similar number of carbon atoms
<b>Viscosity</b>	The runniness of a liquid Higher the viscosity of the liquid, the longer it will take for the liquid to flow
<b>Volatility</b>	How easily a liquid changes into a gas

### Physical property:

Fractional distillation relies on mixtures having different **boiling points** to enable the mixture to be separated

**How coal is made:** Trees die and are compressed over millions of years.

**How crude oil is made:** Made by the decomposition of plankton buried in mud over millions of years

Coal has more carbon than oil and natural gas

### Fractional distillation of crude oil

- Crude oil is heated and evaporated.
- Fractions in crude oil separate depending on their boiling point and size of fraction.
- At the top of the column, short fractions with low boiling point condense
- At the bottom of the column, long fractions with high boiling point condense

### Properties of fractions as you go down the column

**Boiling point** - increase with increasing molecular size

**Viscosity** - increase with increasing molecular size

**Flammability** - decreases with increasing molecular size

## 38. Combustion and Cracking

	<b>Complete combustion (FO COW)</b>	<b>Incomplete combustion</b>
<b>Reaction conditions</b>	Lots of oxygen	Little oxygen
<b>Reactants</b>	Fuel and oxygen	Fuel and oxygen
<b>Products</b>	Carbon dioxide and water	Carbon monoxide and water
	<b>Test for carbon dioxide:</b> Bubble through limewater <b>Result:</b> Turns cloudy	Carbon monoxide is toxic

### Cracking vs Distillation

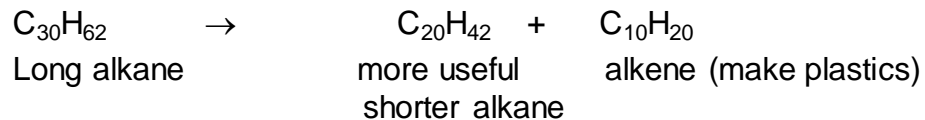
**Cracking** Requires a catalyst

**Distillation** Does not require a catalyst

**Cracking** - Hydrocarbons can be broken down (cracked) to produce smaller, more useful molecules. Also known as thermal decomposition.

**Thermal decomposition** – breaking down a compound using heat.

Example:



**Reason for cracking:** Turns long hydrocarbon chains into more useful shorter hydrocarbon chains.

Short alkanes are useful as they are flammable

Alkenes are used to make plastics via polymerisation (see page 24)

### Catalytic Cracking

**Reaction conditions:** High temperature and a catalyst

### Steam Cracking

**Reaction conditions:** High temperature



## 39. Alkenes

<b>Alkene</b>	A hydrocarbon made of C=C double bonds.
<b>Alkene General Formula</b>	$C_n H_{2n}$
<b>Functional group of an alkene</b>	C=C double bond Alkenes are unsaturated
<b>Chemical test for alkene</b>	Add bromine water Alkene = Orange to colourless Alkane = stays orange

<b>Alkene</b>	<b>Molecular Formula</b>	<b>Displayed formula</b>
Ethene	$C_2H_4$	$  \begin{array}{c}  H & H \\    &   \\  C & = & C \\    &   \\  H & H  \end{array}  $
Propene	$C_3H_6$	$  \begin{array}{c}  H & H & H \\    &   &   \\  H-C & -C & =C \\    & &   \\  H & & H  \end{array}  $

## 40. Mixtures, Test for Gases and Test for Water

Keyword	Definition
<b>Boiling point</b>	The temperature at which a liquid turns into a gas.  Water has a boiling point of 100 °C
<b>Formulation</b>	A mixture that has been designed as a useful product e.g. shampoo  Formulations include fuels, cleaning products, medicines, paints, alloys, fertilisers and foods.
<b>Melting point</b>	The temperature at which a solid turns into a liquid.  Ice has a melting point of 0 °C
<b>Pure substance</b>	A single element or compound

Gas	Chemical test	Result
Hydrogen (H <sub>2</sub> )	Lit splint	Pop sound
Oxygen (O <sub>2</sub> )	Glowing splint	Splint relights in oxygen
Carbon Dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> )	Bubble through limewater	Turns milky/cloudy
Chlorine (Cl <sub>2</sub> )	Damp litmus paper	Paper is bleached (white)

	Test	Result
Pure water	Boil it	Boils at exactly 100 °C
Water	Add anhydrous copper sulfate	Turns from white to blue

# 41. Chromatography

**Chromatography** can be used to separate mixtures and identify substances.

Relies on the difference in **solubility** (physical property) of the mixture

**Mobile phase** – the solvent e.g. water running up the chromatogram.

**Stationary phase** – the paper.

**Evidence that the dye is a mixture**

- More than 1 spot
- In a vertical column

Substances move between the phases. If a substance is more attracted to the mobile phase, it will move further up.

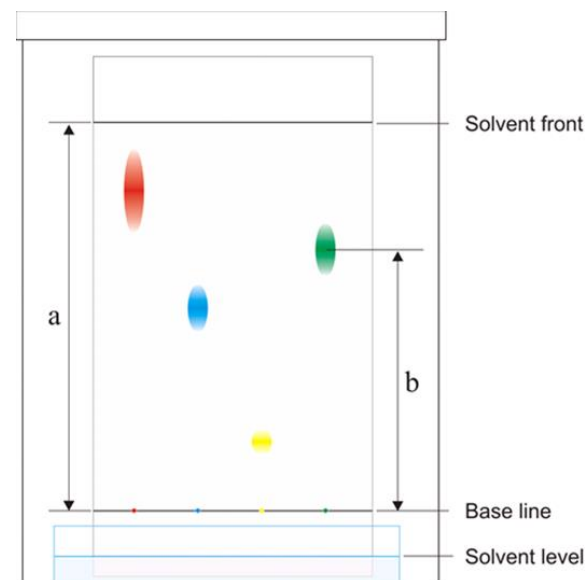
The  $R_f$  value tells you how far the substance has moved, relative to the solvent.

$$R_f = \frac{\text{distance moved by substance}}{\text{distance moved by solvent}}$$

The  $R_f$  value can be used to identify the substance.

The  $R_f$  values would be compared to the known substance.

$R_f$  value will always be **less than 1**



$$R_f = b \div a$$

## 42. Potable Water

### Finite resource (non-renewable):

A source from the Earth that is running out e.g. coal

### Renewable source:

A source that isn't running out e.g. wood

### Potable water.

Safe to drink. Contains **low** levels of dissolved salts and microbes. Not pure.

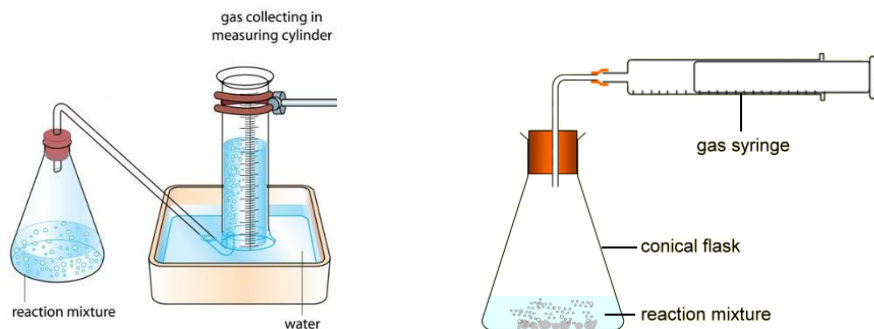
	Potable water from salty water using distillation	Potable water from rainwater/groundwater	Potable water from the sea (desalination)	Potable water from waste water (sewage)
<b>Method</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Heat salty water.</li> <li>2. Water evaporates.</li> <li>3. Cool the water vapour</li> <li>4. The vapour condenses to form potable water</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Rainwater collected in reservoirs.</li> <li>2. Passing the water through filter beds to remove any solids.</li> <li>3. Sterilise to kill microbes.</li> </ol> <p><b>Sterilising agents:</b> chlorine, ozone or ultra-violet light.</p>	Distillation or by processes that use membranes such as reverse osmosis.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Removal of organic matter and harmful chemicals</li> <li>2. Screening and grit removal</li> <li>3. Sedimentation to produce sewage sludge and effluent</li> <li>4. Anaerobic digestion of sewage sludge</li> <li>5. Aerobic biological treatment of effluent.</li> </ol>
<b>Issues</b>		Reliant on rainfall	These processes require large amounts of energy.	Expensive: Needs filtering and sterilising to remove harmful bacteria. Lots of steps

## 43. Saving Resources

<b>Reduces</b>	Limits the use of raw materials, energy consumption, waste and environmental impacts (quarrying and mining for raw materials).
<b>Reuse</b>	Use the item for another purpose e.g. a glass bottle is refilled.
<b>Recycle</b>	Turn the item into something else e.g. plastic bottles recycled to make fleeces, scrap steel is added to iron from a blast furnace. <b>Benefits:</b> conserves metal ores; uses less energy; reduces waste
<b>Sustainable development</b>	Development that meets the needs of current generations without compromising the resources for future generations.
<b>Life Cycle Assessments (LCAs)</b>	To assess the environmental impact (of the stages in the life of a product). <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Extracting the raw material</li><li>• Processing the raw material</li><li>• Manufacturing</li><li>• Disposal at the end of its useful life</li></ul>

## 44. Required practicals 4: Rates of Reaction

### Measuring the rate of reaction by collecting a gas



#### Method

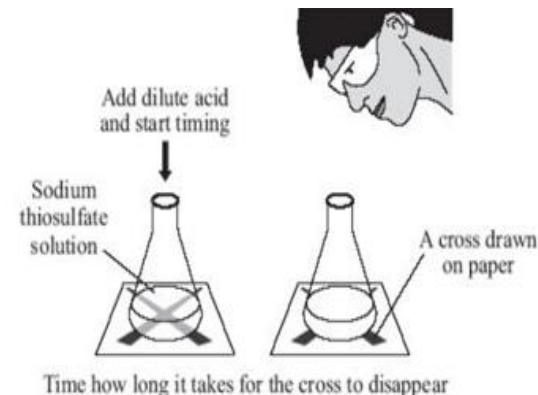
1. Set up equipment as shown in diagram.
2. Add 5 cm magnesium strip and 30 cm<sup>3</sup> of a highly concentrated acid.
3. Collect gas for 1 minute.
4. Repeat steps 1-3 with different concentrations of acid

**IV:** concentration of acid

**DV:** volume of gas collected in 1 minute

**CV:** volume and type of acid, length of magnesium strip, time period of gas collection.

### Measuring the rate of reaction by the formation of a precipitate



#### Method

1. Place conical flask on a black cross
2. Add sodium thiosulfate and hydrochloric acid to the flask.
3. Time how long it take for the cross to disappear.
4. Repeat steps 1-3 with different concentrations of sodium thiosulfate.

**IV:** concentration of acid

**DV:** time taken for cross to disappear

**CV:** volume and type of acid

#### Why there is mass loss:

- Sulfur dioxide gas is made
- Escapes into the air

#### Why the solution goes cloudy:

Solid sulfur is made

# 45. Required practicals 5: Chromatography and Potable Water

## Chromatography

### Method:

1. Draw pencil start line on chromatography paper and place spot of dye on start line.
2. Place solvent in beaker and place chromatography paper in beaker so the paper is in solvent but solvent is below start line.
3. Wait for solvent to travel up the paper and mark solvent front.
4. Dry the paper

### Measurements to take:

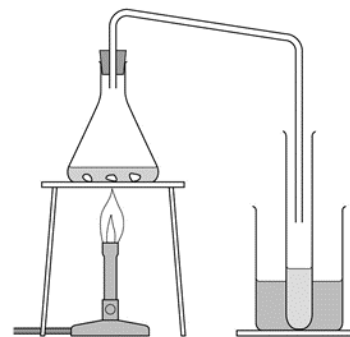
Measure distance between start line and centre of spot.

Measure distance between start line and solvent front.

Use of measurements to determine Rf value

Use of pencil – pencil is insoluble. Does not interfere with ink.

Line is above solvent level – so ink travels up the paper with the rising solvent



### Method:

1. Heat seawater in conical flask.
2. Water evaporates
3. Water vapour condenses in delivery tube
4. Condenses in test tube

Chemical test	Test for seawater in conical flask	Test for pure water in test tube
Flame test to test for Na <sup>+</sup> ions. Dip wooden splint in each type of water and heat in blue Bunsen flame	Orange flame.	No change in colour
Test for Cl <sup>-</sup> ions. Add silver nitrate	White precipitate	No change in colour

## 46. Maths in Science 1

<b>Anomalous result</b>	A number that does not fit the pattern
<b>Mean</b>	Adding up a list of numbers and dividing by how many numbers are in the list. Exclude the anomalous result.
<b>Median</b>	The middle value when a list of numbers is put in order from smallest to largest
<b>Mode</b>	The most common value in a list of numbers. If two values are tied then there are two modes. If more than two values are tied then there is no mode.
<b>Range</b>	The largest number take away the smallest value in a set of data or written as X-Y.
<b>Uncertainty</b>	range $\div$ 2
<b>Surface area of a cube</b>	(area of 1 side) x 6 sides
<b>Volume of a cube</b>	Width x height x depth
<b>Area of a circle</b>	$\pi$ x (radius) <sup>2</sup>

### Prefixes

$$1 \text{ kJ} = 1 \times 10^3 \text{ J} = 1000 \text{ J}$$

$$1 \text{ pm} = 1 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m}$$

$$1 \text{ mm} = 1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} = 0.001 \text{ m}$$

kilo	$10^3$
centi	$10^{-2}$
milli	$10^{-3}$
micro	$10^{-6}$
nano	$10^{-9}$
pico	$10^{-12}$

**5607.376**

**Standard form:**  $5.607 \times 10^3$

**2 decimal places:** 5607.38

**3 significant figures:** 5610

**0.03581**

**Standard form:**  $3.581 \times 10^{-2}$

**2 decimal places:** 0.04

**3 significant figures:** 0.0358



## 47. Maths in Science 2

**Calculating percentage:** (part ÷ whole) x 100

e.g. Out of 90 insects, 40 of them were ladybirds. What is the % of ladybirds?

$$(40 \div 90) \times 100 = 44 \%$$

**Calculating percentage change:**

(difference ÷ starting value) x 100

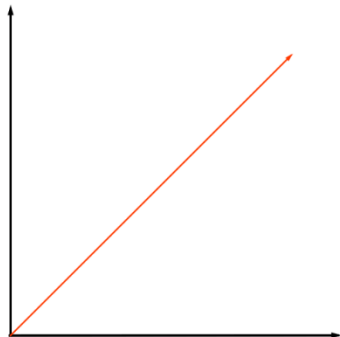
$$(0.59 \div 2.22) \times 100 = 26.6 \%$$

Conc of Sucrose (M)	Mass of potato at start (g)	Mass of potato at end (g)	Change in mass (g)
0	2.22	2.81	0.59

### Graphs

#### Proportional ( $\alpha$ )

When the line passes through the origin

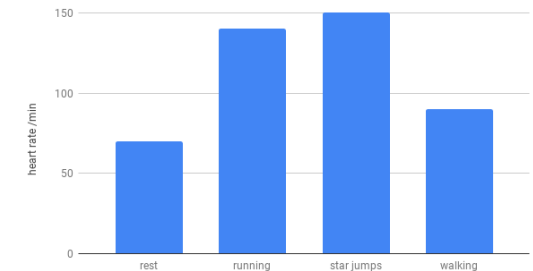


x axis = independent variable = left hand column of results table

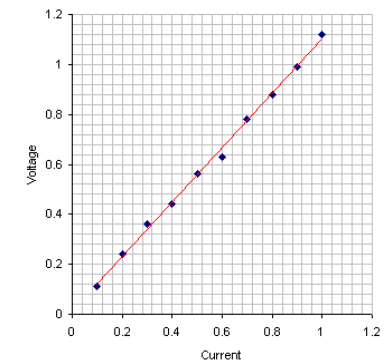
y axis = dependent variable = right hand column of results table

**Categoric data:** data put into groups e.g. colour of eyes  
Draw a bar chart

The effect of exercise on heart rate



**Continuous data:** data that can take any value e.g. current  
Draw a line graph



### Gradient and Graphs

$$\text{Gradient} = \frac{\text{Change in } y}{\text{Change in } x}$$

