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4 Chemical Foundations: Elements, Atoms, and Ions

An average atomic nucleus has a diameter of about _____ m.

28. Although the nucleus of an atom is very important, it is the _____ of the atom that determine its chemical properties.

4.7 Isotopes

QUESTIONS

- True or false? Atoms that have the same number of neutrons but different numbers of protons are called isotopes.
- True or false? The mass number of a nucleus represents the number of protons in the nucleus.
- For an atom, the number of protons and electrons is (different/the same).
- The ______ number represents the sum of the number of protons and neutrons in a nucleus.
- 33. How did Dalton's atomic theory have to be modified after the discovery that several isotopes of an element may exist?
- 34. Are all atoms of the same element identical? If not, how can they differ?
- 35. For each of the following elements, use the periodic table on the inside cover of this book to write the element's atomic number.
 - atomic number.
 a. chromium
 b. Al
 c. selenium
 d. Ar
 e. cesium
 g. iron
 h. Cl
- 36. For each of the following elements, use the periodic table on the inside cover of this book to write the element's atomic number.
 - a. Ge e. Sr b. zinc f. cobalt c. Cr g. Be d. tungsten h. lithium
- Write the atomic symbol (⁴₂X) for each of the isotopes described below.
 - a. Z = 8, number of neutrons = 9
 - b. the isotope of chlorine in which A = 37
 - c. Z = 27, A = 60
 - d. number of protons = 26, number of neutrons = 31
 - e. the isotope of I with a mass number of 131
 - Z = 3, number of neutrons = 4
- Write the atomic symbol (^A_ZX) for each of the atoms described below.
 - a. Z = 5, A = 12
 - b. the isotope with 7 protons and 8 neutrons in its nucleus
 - c. atomic number = 17, number of neutrons = 18
 - d. Z = 92, number of neutrons = 143

- e. number of protons = 6, mass number = 14
- f. the isotope of phosphorus with 16 neutrons in its nucleus
- 39. How many protons and neutrons are contained in the nucleus of each of the following atoms? Assuming each atom is uncharged, how many electrons are present?
 - a. ²⁴⁴₉₄Pu c. ²⁷⁷₈₉Ac e. ¹⁹³₇₇Ir b. ²⁶¹₉₄Am d. ¹³⁵₁₅Cs f. ⁵⁵⁹₂₅Mn
- 40. How many protons and neutrons are contained in the nucleus of each of the following atoms? Assuming each atom is uncharged, how many electrons are present?
 - a. ¹²C c. ³⁷CI e. ²³⁸U b. ⁶⁰Co d. ¹³²Cs f. ²⁶Fe
- 41. Complete the following table.

Name sodium	Symbol	Atomic Number	Mass Number 23	Neutrons
nitrogen	15N 136Ba			-
lithium boron		5	11	6

42. Complete the following table.

Name nitrogen	Neutrons 6	Atomic Number	Mass Number	Symbol
		7	. 14	25.577
lead		-	206	Trans.
_	31	26		35 7
	50000			84Kr

4.8 Introduction to the Periodic Table

OUESTIONS

- 43. What property of the elements is considered when arranging the elements in the periodic table? Has the periodic table always been arranged based on this property?
- 44. In which direction on the periodic table, horizontal or vertical, are elements with similar chemical properties aligned? What are families of elements with similar chemical properties called?
- List the characteristic physical properties that distinguish the metallic elements from the nonmetallic elements.
- 46. Where are the metallic elements found on the periodic table? Are there more metallic elements or nonmetallic elements?