

CHE 111 - Homework - Ch 2b
Structure of the Atom II

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Name: _____

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- [12 pt] 1. From a chemists point of view, what are the essential differences between a proton, a neutron and an electron (charge, mass, location, and major use/effect).

Particle	Symbol	Charge	Relative Mass	Location	Importance
Proton					
Neutron					
Electron					

- [3 pt] 2. Differentiate between an atom, a cation and an anion.

- [3 pt] 3. Draw a chemical reaction (using pictures or symbols) showing the formation of a Ca^{+2} cation (Ca^{+2}) from a neutral calcium atom.

- [3 pt] 4. Draw a chemical reaction (using pictures or symbols) showing the formation of a Li^{+1} cation from a neutral lithium atom.

- [3 pt] 5. Draw a chemical reaction (using pictures or symbols) showing the formation of a Cl^{-1} anion from a neutral chlorine atom.

- [3 pt] 6. Draw a chemical reaction (using pictures or symbols) showing the formation of a O^{-2} anion from a neutral oxygen atom.

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[5 pt] 7. Answer the following questions about the following isotope: ${}_{34}^{72}\text{X}^{-2}$.

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| (a) How many protons are there? | 7(a) _____ |
| (b) How many electrons are there? | 7(b) _____ |
| (c) How many neutrons are there? | 7(c) _____ |
| (d) What element is this an isotope of? | 7(d) _____ |
| (e) Is this a cation or anion? | 7(e) _____ |

[4 pt] 8. Answer the following questions about the following isotope: ${}^{55}\text{Fe}^{+3}$.

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| (a) How many protons are there? | 8(a) _____ |
| (b) How many electrons are there? | 8(b) _____ |
| (c) How many neutrons are there? | 8(c) _____ |
| (d) Is this a cation or anion? | 8(d) _____ |

[5 pt] 9. Write the isotope notation for the following (For example: ${}_{11}^{23}\text{Na}^{+1}$):

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| (a) protons = 29, neutrons = 31 electrons = 29 | 9(a) _____ |
| (b) $Z = 12$, $A = 26$ $e^{-} = 11$ | 9(b) _____ |
| (c) 4 neutrons, 3 protons and 2 electrons | 9(c) _____ |
| (d) $A = 17$, 9 protons and 10 electrons | 9(d) _____ |
| (e) $Z = 1$, $A = 1$ and 0 electrons | 9(e) _____ |

[5 pt] 10. For each of the atoms or ions described in Question 9, indicate whether it is a (N)utral atom, (C)ation or (A)nion

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| (a) | 10(a) _____ |
| (b) | 10(b) _____ |
| (c) | 10(c) _____ |
| (d) | 10(d) _____ |
| (e) | 10(e) _____ |

[4 pt] 11. An element has two isotopes, one is 60.4% abundant with a mass of 68.9257 amu and the second is 39.6% abundant with an atomic mass of 70.9249 amu. Determine the average molecular mass of the element and determine the identity of the element.