

# Chapter 4

## Introduction to Atoms

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## Chapter 4 –Introduction to Atoms Outline

### Section 1-Development of the Atomic Theory

#### I. The Beginning of the Atomic Theory

\*Notes: The word atom is from the Greek word atomos, meaning “not able to be divided”.

\_\_\_\_\_ said that all atoms are small, hard particles.

##### A. From Aristotle to Modern Science

\*Notes-An \_\_\_\_\_ is the smallest particle into which an element can be divided or cut.

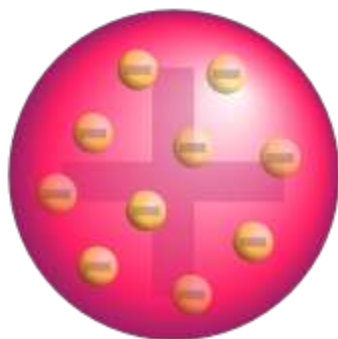
#### II. Dalton’s Atomic Theory Based on Experiments

##### A. Not Quite Correct

#### III. Thomson’s Discovery of Electrons

\*Notes-The negatively charged particles of atoms discovered by Thomson are called \_\_\_\_\_.

##### A. Like Plums in a Pudding



\* What is a plum pudding? Think of a chocolate chip cookie, with the plums = chocolate chips!

\* In Thomson’s “Plum Pudding” model of the atom, the Plums represent \_\_\_\_\_.

#### IV. Rutherford’s Atomic “Shooting Gallery”

##### A. Surprising Results

#### V. Where are the Electrons?

##### A. Far from the Nucleus

\*Notes-The central region of the atom is called the \_\_\_\_\_.

##### B. Bohr’s Electron Levels

##### C. The Modern Atomic Theory

\*Note- The region of the atom where the electrons are most likely to be found is the \_\_\_\_\_.

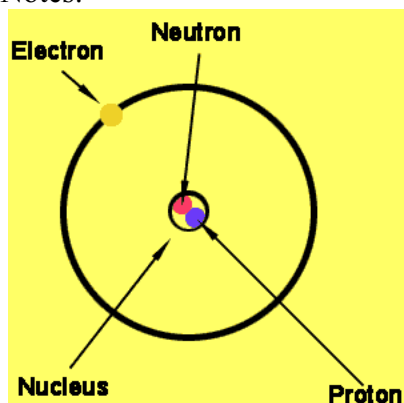
\*Note-Democritus, Dalton, Thomson, Rutherford, and Bohr **all** have contributed to the development of the \_\_\_\_\_.

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## Section 2-The Atom

- I. How Small is an Atom?
- II. What is an Atom Made of?

\*Notes:



- \*The \_\_\_\_\_ are negatively charged particles.
- \*The \_\_\_\_\_ are positively charged particles.
- \*The \_\_\_\_\_ are particles that have no charge.
- \*The \_\_\_\_\_ is the dense center of the atom.

### A. The Nucleus

- \*Notes-\_\_\_\_\_ are subatomic particles that have a positive charge.
- \*Notes-The unit of mass that describes the mass of an atom or molecules is called \_\_\_\_\_.
- \*Notes-The particles in the center of an atom that have no charge are called the \_\_\_\_\_.

### B. Outside the Nucleus

- \*Compared to the protons and the neutrons, the electrons have the \_\_\_\_\_ mass.

## II. How do Atoms of Different Elements Differ?

- A. Starting Simply
- B. Now for Some Neutrons
- C. Building Bigger Atoms
- D. Protons and Atomic Number

- \*Notes-The number of protons in the nucleus of an atom give the element its \_\_\_\_\_ . (also the number of electrons)

### III. Isotopes

\*Notes-Atoms that have the same number of protons but different numbers of neutrons are called \_\_\_\_\_.

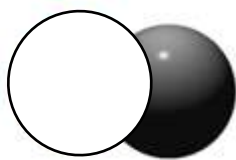
## Isotopes



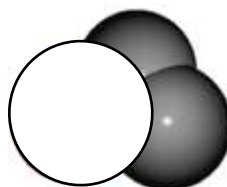
Atoms of the same element can have different numbers of neutrons; the different possible versions of each element are called **isotopes**. For example, the most common isotope of hydrogen has no neutrons at all; there's also a hydrogen isotope called **deuterium**, with one neutron, and another, **tritium**, with two neutrons.



No neutrons  
**Hydrogen**



One neutron  
**Deuterium**



Two neutrons  
**Tritium**

- A. Properties of Isotopes
- B. Telling Isotopes Apart

\*Notes- The \_\_\_\_\_ of an atom is the sum of the protons and the neutrons.

\*Notes-An atom of boron has 5 protons, 6 neutrons, and 5 electrons. Its mass number will be \_\_\_\_\_

- C. Naming Isotopes

\*Notes-The element copper has two isotopes, copper-63 and copper 65. Both isotopes have an **atomic number of 29** because there are **29 protons in the nucleus.**