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## Unit 1: Basic Chemistry for Biology

### Note Packet 1: Composition of Matter, Energy and Solutions

#### 1. Matter

##### a. Definition:

\_\_\_\_\_.

##### b. Everything in the universe is

\_\_\_\_\_.

##### c. Biologists study chemistry because all living things are made of the same kinds of matter.

##### d. Elements

##### i. Pure substances that

\_\_\_\_\_.

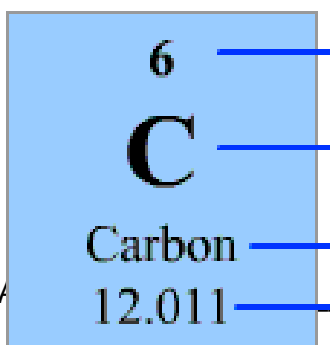
##### ii. Over \_\_\_\_\_ have been discovered.

##### iii. \_\_\_\_\_ of mass in all living things is made from \_\_\_\_\_ elements:

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

##### iv. Chemical symbols on the periodic table give you information about the element.

v. A



\_\_\_\_\_.  
1. All atoms of an element have

the \_\_\_\_\_ number of protons.

2. In an atom with no charge (\_\_\_\_\_) the number of protons equals \_\_\_\_\_.

##### vi. Atomic mass:

\_\_\_\_\_.

##### vii. Examples:

##### 1. Mg

a. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Atomic number: \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Number of protons: \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Number of electrons: \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Atomic mass: \_\_\_\_\_
- f. Number of neutrons: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Cl

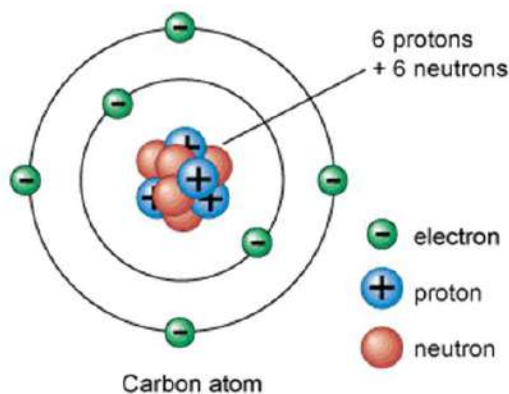
- a. Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Atomic number: \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Number of protons: \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Number of electrons: \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Atomic mass: \_\_\_\_\_
- f. Number of neutrons: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Cs

- a. Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Atomic number: \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Number of protons: \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Number of electrons: \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Atomic mass: \_\_\_\_\_
- f. Number of neutrons: \_\_\_\_\_

e. Atoms

- i. The simplest particle of an element that \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.



ii. The Nucleus

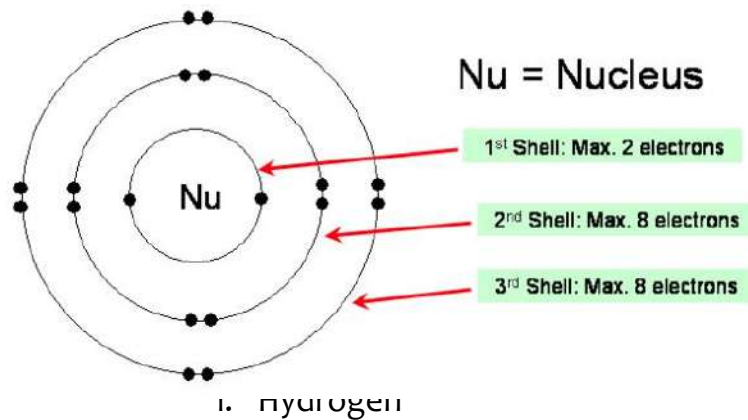
- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_ are found here
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Number of protons = \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_ are found here
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_

iii. Energy Levels

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ are found here
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. In a normal atom: number of protons = \_\_\_\_\_
    - i. \_\_\_\_\_ (they cancel each other out).
3. 1<sup>st</sup> Energy Level
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Holds up to \_\_\_\_\_ electrons
4. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, etc. Energy Levels
  - a. Can hold up to \_\_\_\_\_ electrons

iv.



1. The \_\_\_\_\_

model

- a. Shows all electrons and all energy levels
- b. Examples:

ii. Neon

iii. Potassium

2. The \_\_\_\_\_ Model
  - a. Shows only the valence electrons
    - i. \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b. Examples:
    - i. Hydrogen

ii. Neon

iii. Potassium

f. Compounds

i. A pure substance made of \_\_\_\_\_.

ii. Example:  $H_2O$

1. The ratio of hydrogen to oxygen is always \_\_\_\_\_.

2. \_\_\_\_\_ hydrogens for every \_\_\_\_\_ oxygen.

iii. Under natural conditions, most elements \_\_\_\_\_ exist  
\_\_\_\_\_.

iv. Elements want to be \_\_\_\_\_.

1. To be stable you must have a \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Because most elements do not naturally have a full outer energy level, they form \_\_\_\_\_ with other elements to get closer to filling the outer shell.

3. If an element already has a full outer shell it is \_\_\_\_\_ for it to bond with other elements.

g. Chemical Bonds

i. Two major types

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

ii. Covalent Bonds

1. These form when \_\_\_\_\_.

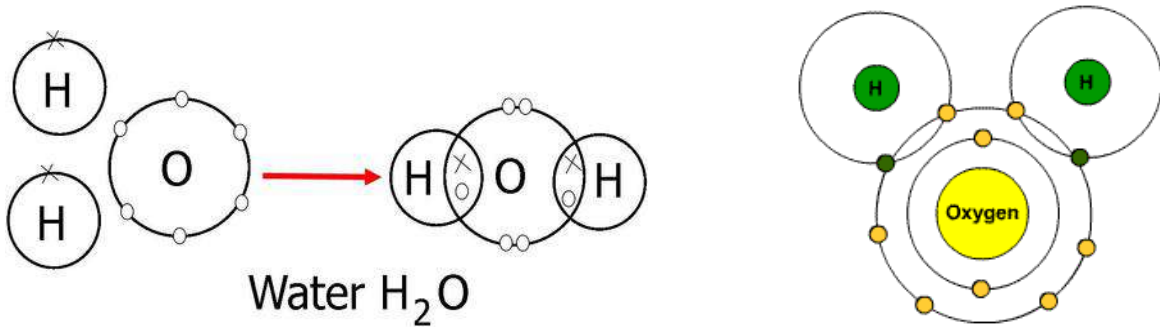
2. Example:

a. H (hydrogen) and O (oxygen)

b. H starts with \_\_\_\_\_ valence electron (in \_\_\_\_\_ energy level, so its goal is to get \_\_\_\_\_).

c. O starts with \_\_\_\_\_ valence electron (in \_\_\_\_\_ energy level, so its goal is to get \_\_\_\_\_).

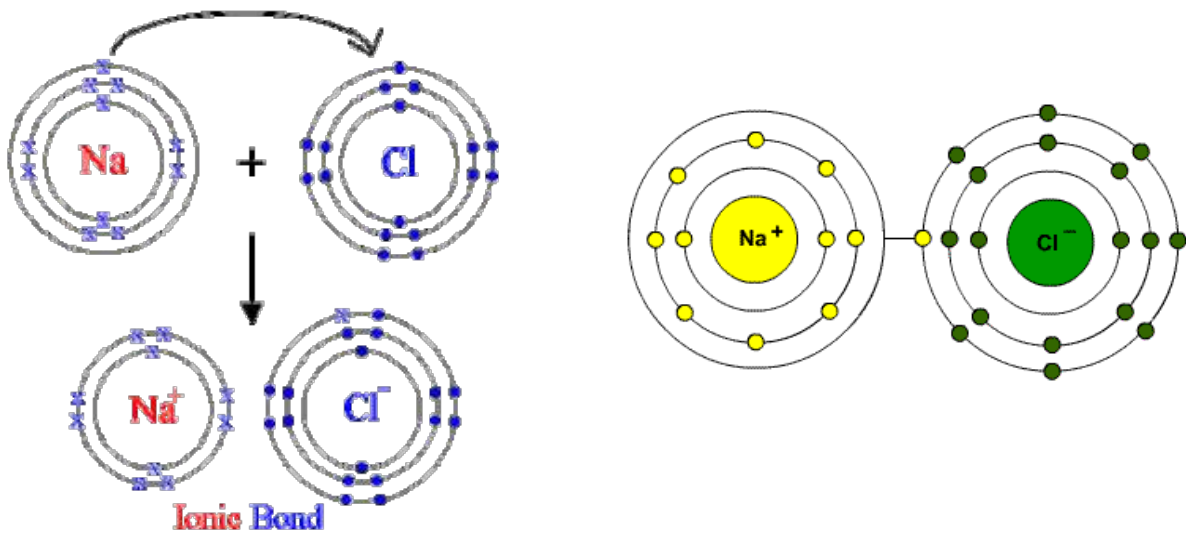
- d. 2 H \_\_\_\_\_ to give O \_\_\_\_\_  
valence electrons.
- e. O \_\_\_\_\_ to give H \_\_\_\_\_  
valence electrons.
- f. They are both now \_\_\_\_\_, and the bond forms  
because \_\_\_\_\_.



### iii. Ionic Bonds

1. These form when: \_\_\_\_\_.
2. When an electron is transferred, two things happen:
  - a. The element that \_\_\_\_\_ an electron now has \_\_\_\_\_.
  - i. More protons than electrons = \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. The element that \_\_\_\_\_ an electron now has \_\_\_\_\_.
  - i. More electrons than protons = \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. An atom with a charge (+ or -) is called an \_\_\_\_\_.
  - i. Negative and positive charges \_\_\_\_\_ each other.
  - ii. Ionic bonds are the result of the attraction between the negative ion and positive ion that form when \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Example:
  - a. Na (sodium) and Cl (chlorine)
  - b. Na \_\_\_\_\_ electron to Cl.
  - c. Na goes from have \_\_\_\_\_ valence electron to \_\_\_\_\_ valence electrons.

- d. Cl goes from having \_\_\_\_\_ valence electrons to \_\_\_\_ valence electrons.
- e. They both become \_\_\_\_\_.
- f. Na goes from having \_\_\_\_\_ protons and \_\_\_\_\_ electrons to having \_\_\_\_\_ protons and \_\_\_\_\_ electrons.
  - i. Becomes a \_\_\_\_\_ ion.
- g. Cl goes from having \_\_\_\_\_ protons and \_\_\_\_\_ electrons to having \_\_\_\_\_ protons and \_\_\_\_\_ electrons.
  - i. Becomes a \_\_\_\_\_ ion.



## 2. Energy

### a. Definition:

\_\_\_\_\_.

### b. Life processes involve chemical reactions which

\_\_\_\_\_.

### c. Chemical Reactions

- i. Shown by an equation
- ii. Ex:

#### iii. Reactants

1. On the \_\_\_\_\_ side of the equation
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_

#### iv. Products

1. On the \_\_\_\_\_ side of the equation
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_

v. Balancing Chemical Equations

1. The number of each kind of atom must be \_\_\_\_\_ on either side of the arrow.
2. Ex:

C:	C:
O:	O:
H:	H:

Balanced? YES or NO

3. Ex:

H:	H:
O:	O:

Balanced? YES or NO

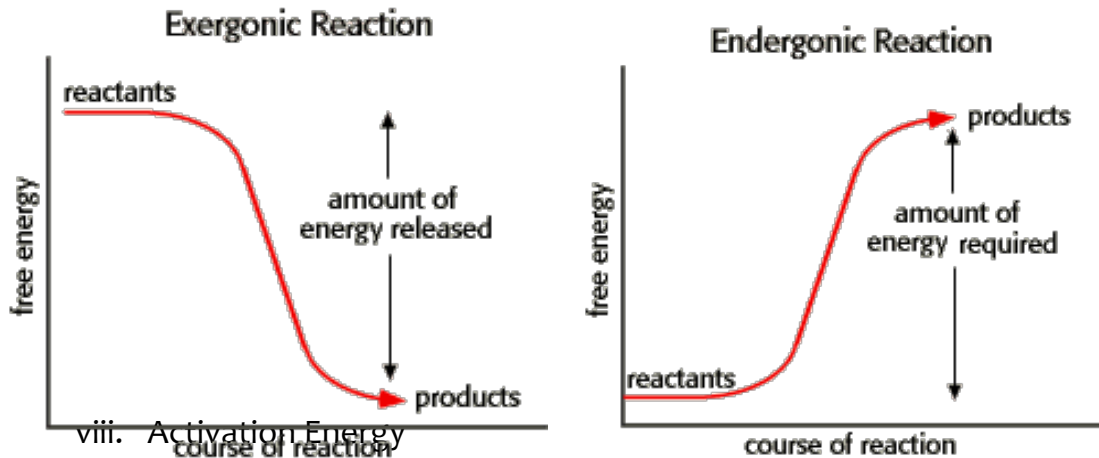
To balance: add coefficients to either side and re-tally numbers of atoms until they become balanced. Guess and check!

vi. Exergonic Reactions

1. Reactions that \_\_\_\_\_.

vii. Endergonic Reactions

1. Reactions that \_\_\_\_\_.



viii. Activation Energy

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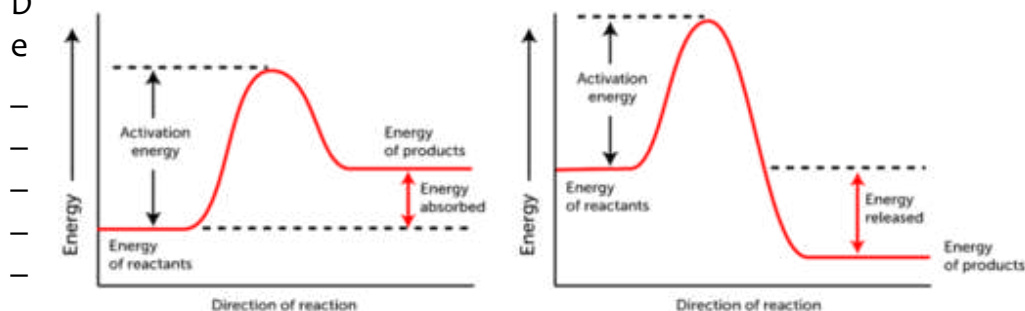
the amount of energy that is needed for

- \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. Reduce the amount of activation energy that is needed.
- \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. A type of catalyst that is found in \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. A single organism may have \_\_\_\_\_ of different enzymes each used for specific chemical reactions.

### 3. Solution

a. D



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inition:

b. Parts of a solution:

i.

1. The substance \_\_\_\_\_.

ii.

1. The substance \_\_\_\_\_.

iii. Example:

1. When sugar (\_\_\_\_\_) and water (\_\_\_\_\_) are mixed the \_\_\_\_\_ forming a sugar water \_\_\_\_\_.

c. Concentration of a solution

i. The measurement of the \_\_\_\_\_.

ii. Example:

1. 2 percent saltwater solution contains \_\_\_\_\_ grams of salt dissolved in \_\_\_\_\_ of water.
2. To increase the concentration of salt, keep the 100 ml of water the same, but \_\_\_\_\_.

d. pH of a solution

i. The pH measures \_\_\_\_\_ (hydroxide) ions compared to \_\_\_\_\_ (hydrogen) ions in a solution.

ii. More OH<sup>-</sup> = \_\_\_\_\_

iii. More H<sup>+</sup> = \_\_\_\_\_

iv. pH scale

1. \_\_\_\_\_ = acidic (more H<sup>+</sup> then OH<sup>-</sup>)
2. \_\_\_\_\_ = neutroal (H<sup>+</sup> = OH<sup>-</sup>)



3. \_\_\_\_\_ = basic (more OH<sup>-</sup> than H<sup>+</sup>)

