

PART F: PERIODIC TABLE TRENDS

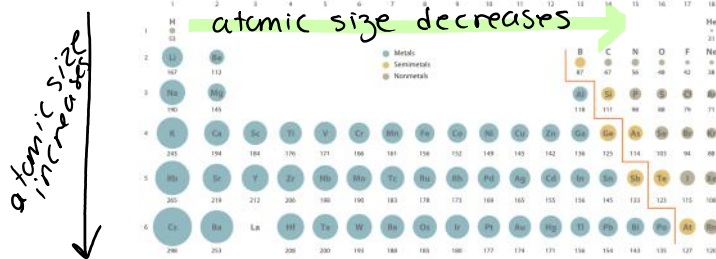
In chemistry the term periodic trend refers to a regular pattern in the properties of elements based on their atomic structure.

This is the pattern that Mendeleev predicted. When the pattern repeated, he began a new row (period)

The periodic table is a powerful tool for analyzing trends in groups and periods.

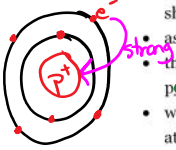
ATOMIC SIZE TRENDS:

Observe the sizes of the atoms in each group and period shown in the diagram below. Do you see a pattern?



- Atomic size INcreases moving DOWN a group/column.
 - as you move down a group, elements have atoms with more energy shells (p-shells)
 - the greater the number of electron shells, the further away from the nucleus the valence electrons are
 - if the electrons are farther away, the atom is Larger.

- Atomic size DEcreases moving LEFT to RIGHT across a period/row
 - elements have more numbers of electrons in their valence shells as you move LEFT to RIGHT. (adding e⁻ in the same shell)
 - as the number of electrons increases, so does the number of protons in the nucleus.
 - the attraction between the negative valence electrons and the positive nucleus is very strong.
 - with each electron added, the outer shell is pulled closer to the nucleus and the atomic size decrease
 - adding e⁻ in the same shell makes the attraction so strong, the atom "shrinks"



REACTIVITY TRENDS:

Compare what happens when **potassium (A)** and **sodium (B)** are added to water:

- fast
- BIG
- violent



- slow
- small
- "tame"

size inc.

H
Li
Na
K
Rb

Group 1

You can see that the reaction is MORE vigorous and violent in 'A'. water + potassium.

Why is this the case?

What is similar about potassium and sodium? group 1, alkali metals, 1 valence e⁻

What is different about potassium and sodium? potassium (K) is larger (1 more e⁻ shell)

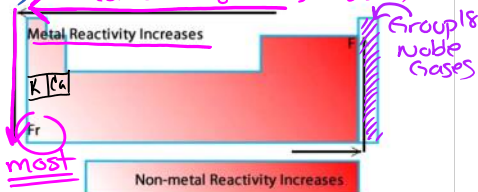
- Because potassium's valence electrons are farther away from the nucleus than the electrons in a sodium atom, the attraction to the nucleus is weaker (in "K")
- Electrons further from the nucleus require LESS energy (are easier) to remove.
- The adding and removing of electrons is what is involved in a chemical reaction.
- This is why we would say that K is more reactive than Na.

(e⁻ easier to remove)

(atoms getting bigger)

This pattern repeats throughout the periodic table with the exception of the noble gases.

- the noble gases have a FULL valence shell (8e⁻), they are stable and UNreactive (inert)



PRACTICE

1. Explain why atoms get larger down a group on the periodic table: there is a new e⁻ shell added with each new row (period), so the e⁻ are further away from the nucleus.
2. Explain why atoms get smaller from LEFT to RIGHT across a periodic table: e⁻ added in the same shell become more attracted to the p⁺ in the nucleus. The ⊕⊖ attraction pulls e⁻ closer = "shrink"
3. Why is an alkali metal MORE reactive than an alkaline-earth metal in the same period?

- alkali metals (group 1 = 1 valence e⁻) and alkaline-earth metals (group 2 = 2 valence e⁻)
- 1 valence e⁻ is easier to remove, so more likely to be involved in chemical reactions. (requires less energy)



ASSIGNMENT #6 : Bohr Model Review Worksheet pg 40
This assignment is to be completed below in the space provided.

Thursday Oct 17th Homework:

- Assignment #6 pg 40
- Review Assignment ("practice test")

Chemistry Unit Test TOMORROW (Friday Oct 18th)*

Bohr Model Review Worksheet

Use the description sheet and the periodic table to help you complete the following Bohr models.

1. How many electrons can each shell hold?

- a. 1st = 2
- b. 2nd = 8
- c. 3rd = 8

What to Hand In:

- Cover page
- PINK Booklet (+ all hw assignments done)
- GREEN Booklet (+ all hw assignments done)
- Quiz Corrections (separate page, explain WHY)
- Review Assignment/ "practice test" (yellow book)

Element	Atomic #	Atomic Mass	Protons	Neutrons	Electrons	Bohr Model
Carbon	6	12	6	6	6	
Hydrogen	1	1	1	0	1	
Lithium	3	7	3	4	3	
Magnesium	12	24	12	12	12	
Boron	5	11	5	6	5	