

Review Notes 6.1 – 6.2

Periodic Table of the Elements

1	IA	1	H	2	0	2	He																														
2	IIA	3	Li	4	Be	5	B	6	C	7	N	8	O	9	F	10	Ne																				
3		11	Na	12	Mg	13	Al	14	Si	15	P	16	S	17	Cl	18	Ar																				
4		19	K	20	Ca	21	Sc	22	Ti	23	V	24	Cr	25	Mn	26	Fe	27	Co	28	Ni	29	Cu	30	Zn	31	Ga	32	Ge	33	As	34	Se	35	Br	36	Kr
5		37	Rb	38	Sr	39	Y	40	Zr	41	Nb	42	Mo	43	Tc	44	Ru	45	Rh	46	Pd	47	Ag	48	Cd	49	In	50	Sn	51	Sb	52	Te	53	I	54	Xe
6		55	Cs	56	Ba	57	* La	72	Hf	73	Ta	74	W	75	Re	76	Os	77	Ir	78	Pt	79	Au	80	Hg	81	Tl	82	Pb	83	Bi	84	Po	85	At	86	Rn
7		87	Fr	88	Ra	89	+ Ac	104	Rf	105	Ha	106	106	107	107	108	108	109	109	110	110																

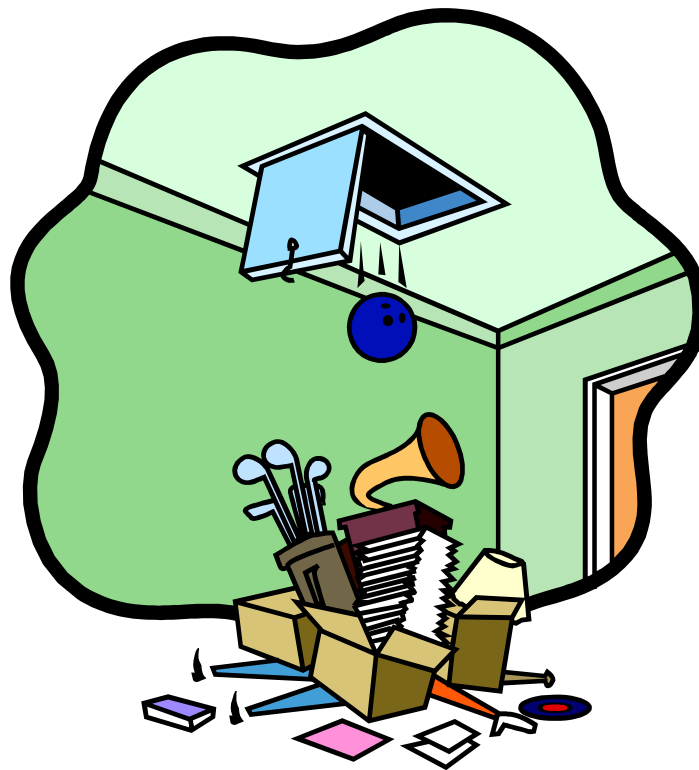
* Lanthanide Series

+ Actinide Series

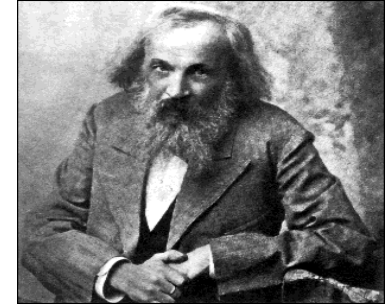
58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71
Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu
90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103
Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu	Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md	No	Lr

Pre-periodic table chemistry ...

- ...was a mess!!!
- No organization of elements.
- Imagine going to a grocery store with no organization!!
- Difficult to find information.
- Chemistry didn't make sense.



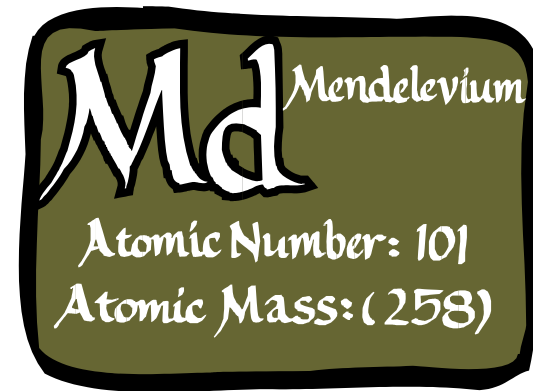
Dmitri Mendeleev: *Father of the Periodic Table*



In 1869 he published a table of the elements

HOW THIS WORKED...

- 70 known elements.
- Put elements in **rows** by increasing **atomic mass**.
- Put elements in **columns** by the way they **reacted**.



SOME PROBLEMS...

- He left **blank spaces** for undiscovered elements.
- Some elements didn't fit, he said their weight must be wrong.

He predicted the physical properties of three elements that were yet unknown.

The discovery of these elements between 1874 and 1885...

plus

the fact that his predictions for **Sc**, **Ga**, and **Ge** were close to the actual values...

his table was generally accepted.

Henry Moseley

*In 1913, using X-rays,
determined the actual nuclear charge
= *atomic number.**

*Rearranged the
elements in order of
increasing atomic number*



The Current Periodic Table

Elements are put in rows by increasing
ATOMIC NUMBER!!

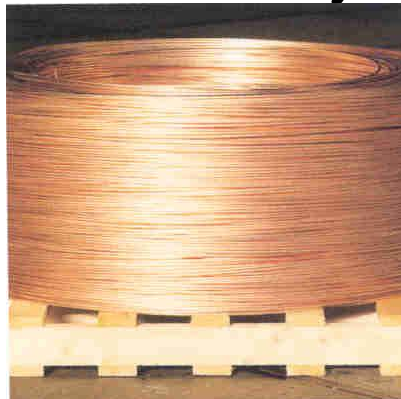
Elements in the same **group** have
similar chemical & physical properties!!

3 classes of elements

1. Metals: located to the left of the zig-zag line

Properties of Metals

- All Solids!!! Except one – which is it??
- shiny surface
- malleable (can be pounded it into a flat sheet)
- ductile (can be drawn it into a thin wire)
- good conductors (heat/electricity travels through it easily)



3 classes of elements




2. **Nonmetals**: located to the right of the zig-zag line.

Properties of Nonmetals

- dull surface
- brittle
- good insulators (*or poor conductors*)

sulfur

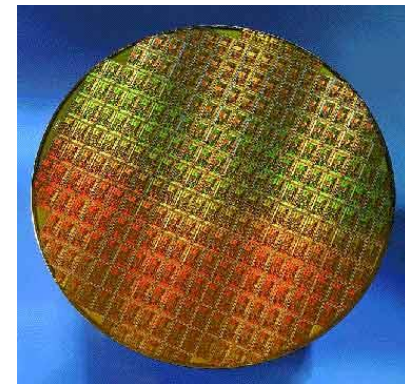


Nonmetals		<i>Group</i>			halogens	noble gases	
Select an element for more information		IA (1)	IVA (14)	VA (15)	VIA (16)	VIIA (17)	0
 Gas  Liquid  Solid	1	H					He
	2		C	N	O	F	Ne
	3			P	S	Cl	Ar
	4				Se	Br	Kr
	5					I	Xe
	6						Rn

3 classes of elements

3. Metalloids (8): along the zig-zag line.

- Divide metals and nonmetals.
- Similar properties to nonmetals.
- *EXCEPT* good electrical conductors.



Example: silicon
(Used in computer chips)

semiconductors

Metalloids

Select an element for more information



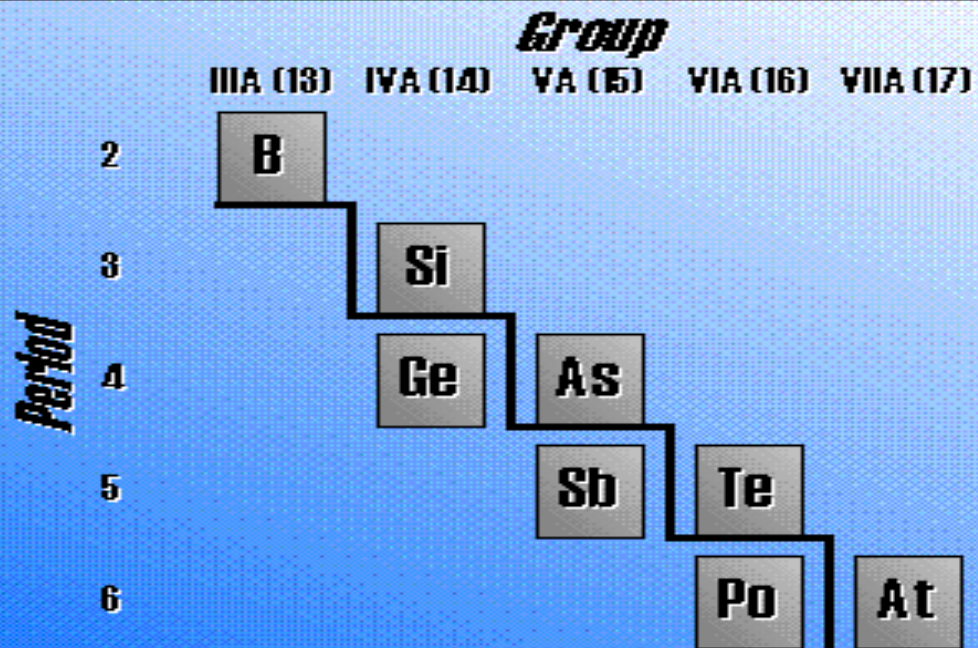
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Liquid



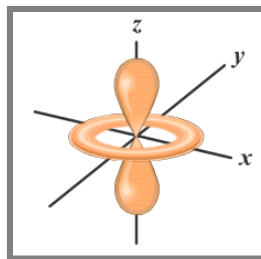
Solid



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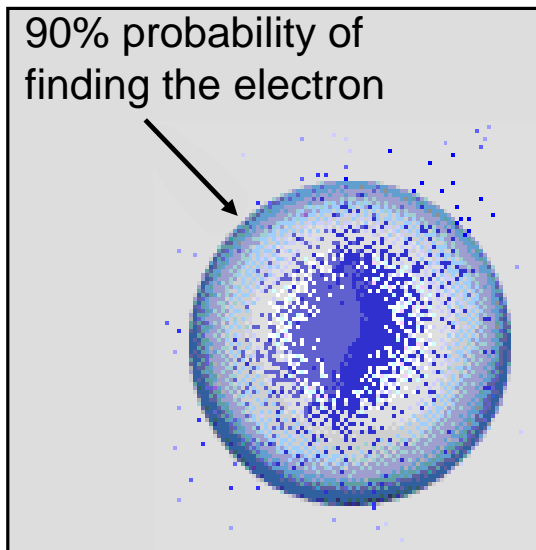
Electron Configuration & Orbitals

$1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^2 3d^{10} 4p^6 5s^2 4d^{10} 5p^6 6s^2 4f^{14} 5d^{10} 6p^6 \dots$

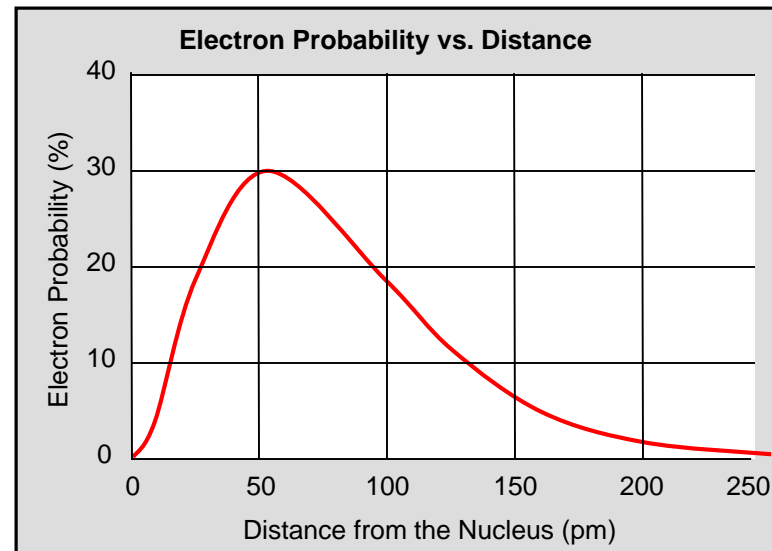


Quantum Mechanical Model of the Atom

- **Orbital** (“electron cloud”)
 - Region where there is 90% probability of finding an electron



Orbital

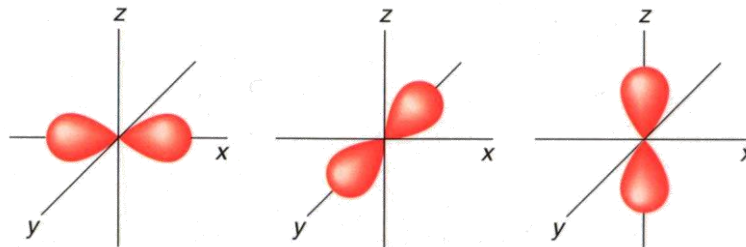


Shapes of s, p, and d-Orbitals

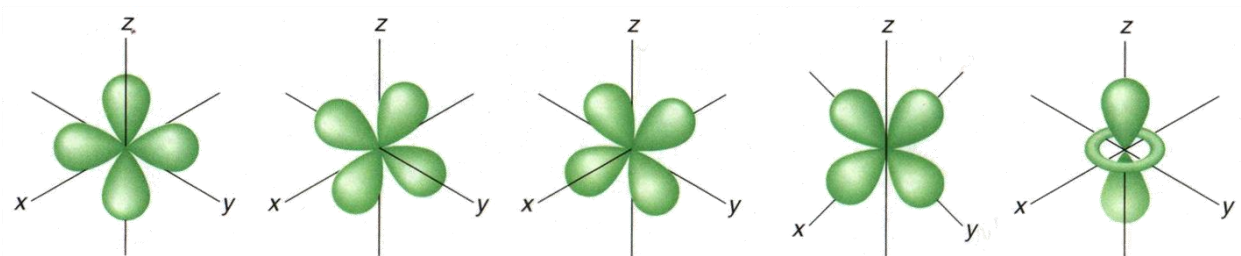
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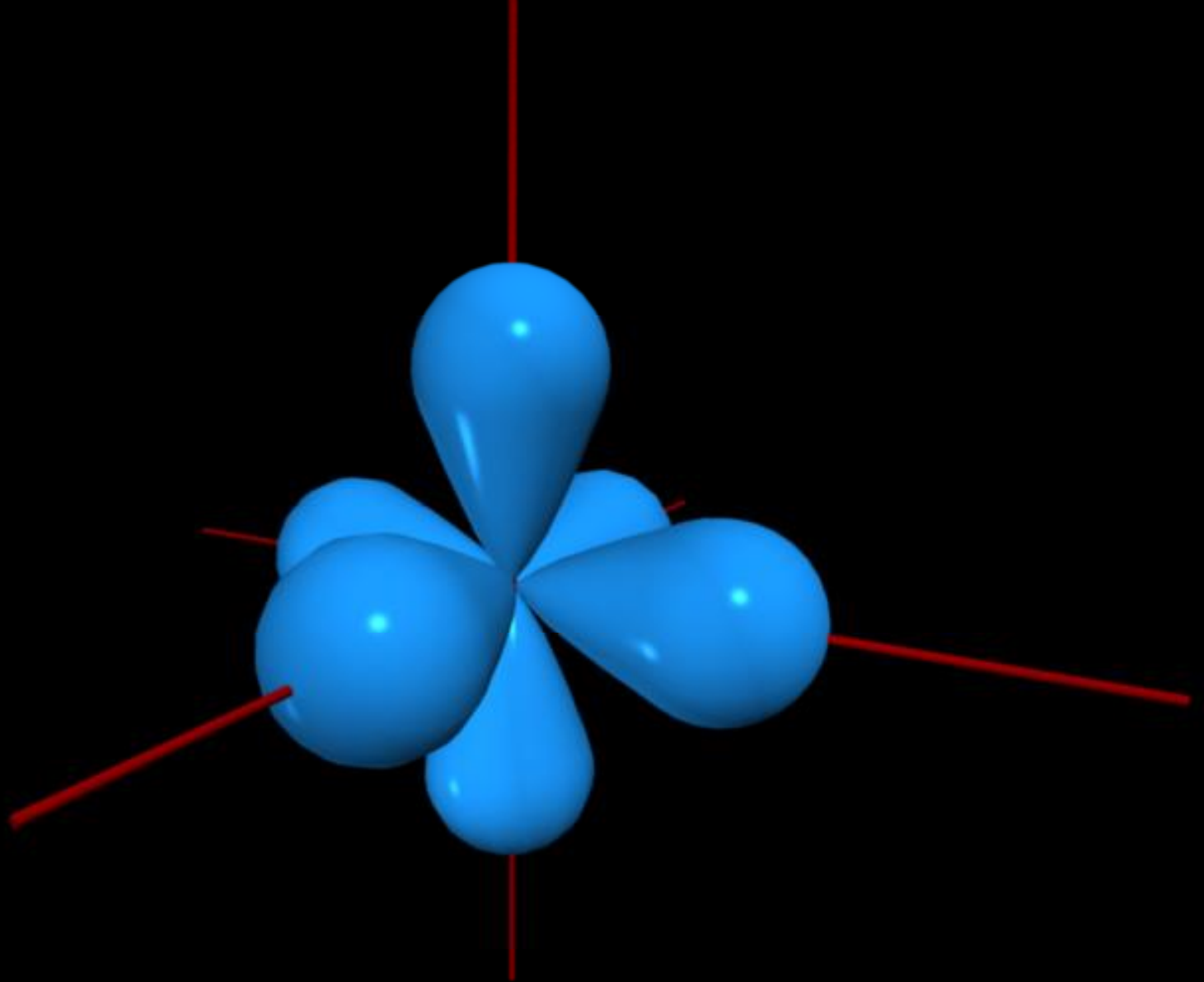


p orbitals

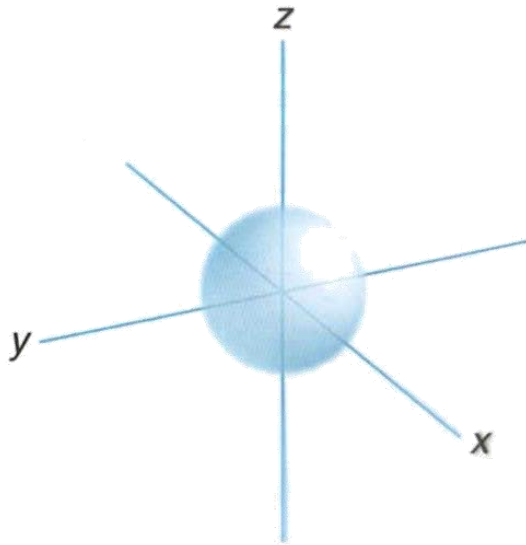


d orbitals

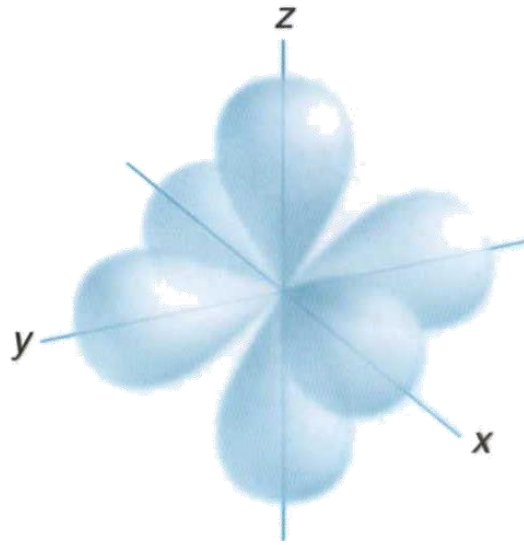




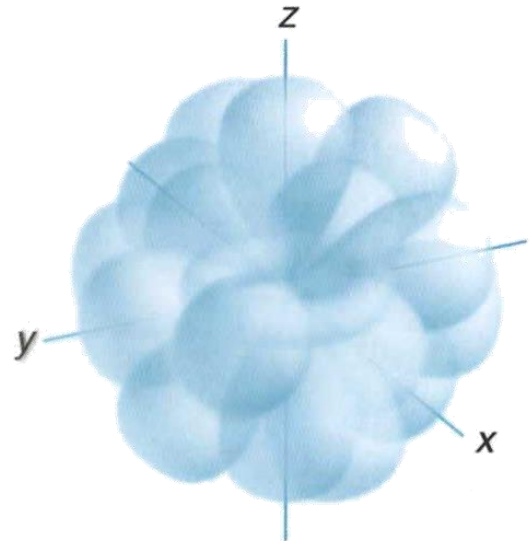
s, p, and d-orbitals



A
s orbitals:
Hold 2 electrons

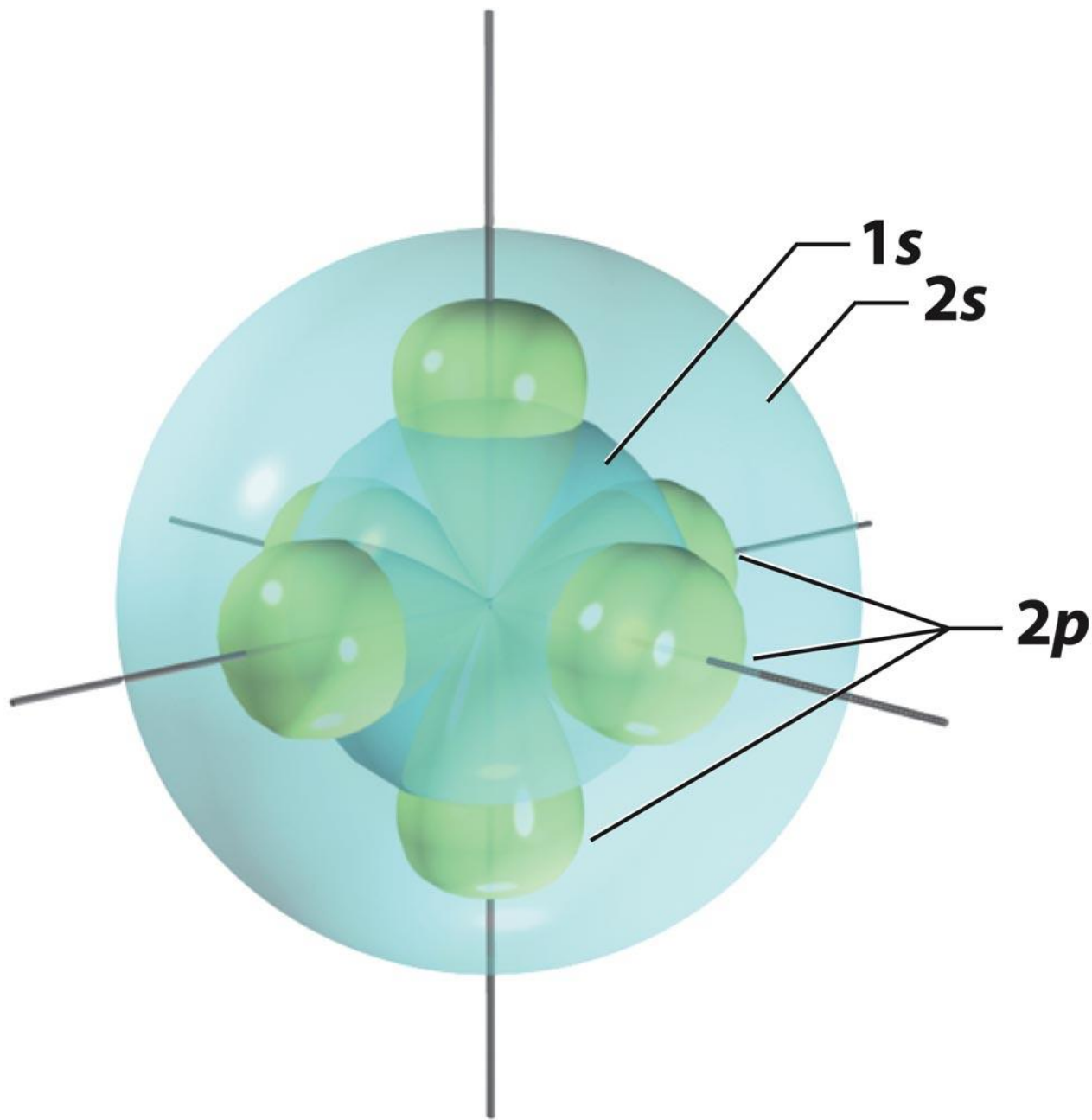


B
p orbitals:
Each of 3 pairs of
lobes holds 2 electrons
= 6 electrons



C
d orbitals:
Each of 5 sets of
lobes holds 2 electrons
= 10 electrons

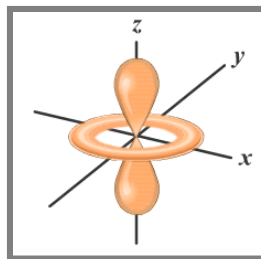




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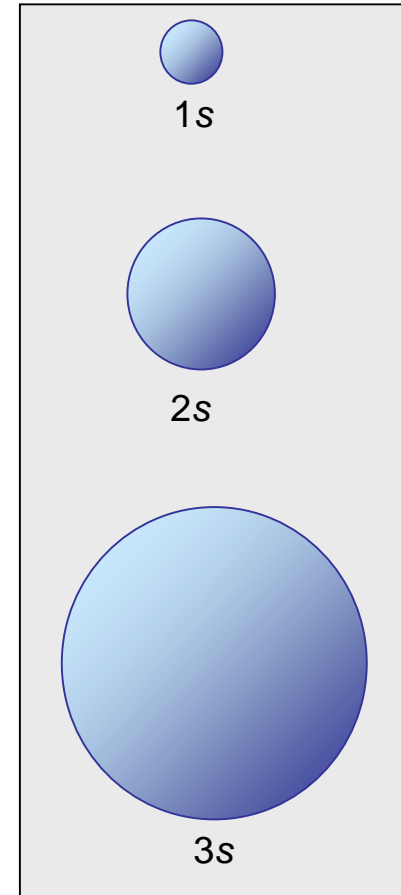
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Principal Quantum Number (n)

- Energy level (n)
 - Size of the orbital
- $n = \#$ of sub levels
- $n^2 = \#$ of orbitals



1	s												s					
	H												H	He				
	1												1	2				
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	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54
6	Cs	Ba	*	Hf	Ta	W	Re	Os	Ir	Pt	Au	Hg	Tl	Pb	Bi	Po	At	Rn
	55	56		72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86
7	Fr	Ra	Ω	Rf	Db	Sg	Bh	Hs	Mt									
	87	88		104	105	106	107	108	109									

	f														
*	La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu
	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71
Ω	Ac	Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu	Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md	No	Lr
	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103



Electron Filling in Periodic Table

	<i>s</i>												<i>s</i>								
1	H 1s ¹												H 1s ¹	He 1s ²							
2	Li 2s ¹	Be 2s ²											B 2p ¹	C 2p ²	N 2p ³	O 2p ⁴	F 2p ⁵	Ne 2p ⁶			
3	Na 3s ¹	Mg 3s ²	<i>d</i>										Al 3p ¹	Si 3p ²	P 3p ³	S 3p ⁴	Cl 3p ⁵	Ar 3p ⁶			
4	K 4s ¹	Ca 4s ²	Sc 3d ¹	Ti 3d ²	V 3d ³	Cr 3d ⁵	Mn 3d ⁵	Fe 3d ⁶	Co 3d ⁷	Ni 3d ⁸	Cu 3d ¹⁰	Zn 3d ¹⁰	Ga 4p ¹	Ge 4p ²	As 4p ³	Se 4p ⁴	Br 4p ⁵	Kr 4p ⁶			
5	Rb 5s ¹	Sr 5s ²	Y 4d ¹	Zr 4d ²	Nb 4d ⁴	Mo 4d ⁵	Tc 4d ⁶	Ru 4d ⁷	Rh 4d ⁸	Pd 4d ¹⁰	Ag 4d ¹⁰	Cd 4p ¹	In 5p ¹	Sn 5p ²	Sb 5p ³	Te 5p ⁴	I 5p ⁵	Xe 5p ⁶			
6	Cs 6s ¹	Ba 6s ²	*	Hf 5d ²	Ta 5d ³	W 5d ⁴	Re 5d ⁵	Os 5d ⁶	Ir 5d ⁷	Pt 5d ⁹	Au 5d ¹⁰	Hg 5d ¹⁰	Tl 6p ¹	Pb 6p ²	Bi 6p ³	Po 6p ⁴	At 6p ⁵	Rn 6p ⁶			
7	Fr 7s ¹	Ra 7s ²	Ω	Rf 6d ²	Db 6d ³	Sg 6d ⁴	Bh 6d ⁵	Hs 6d ⁶	Mt 6d ⁷	<i>f</i>											
			*	La 5d ¹	Ce 4f ¹	Pr 4f ²	Nd 4f ³	Pm 4f ⁴	Sm 4f ⁵	Eu 4f ⁶	Gd 4f ⁷	Tb 4f ⁸	Dy 4f ⁹	Ho 4f ¹⁰	Er 4f ¹¹	Tm 4f ¹²	Yb 4f ¹⁴	Lu 4f ¹⁴			
			Ω	Ac 6d ¹	Th 5f ¹	Pa 5f ²	U 5f ³	Np 5f ⁴	Pu 5f ⁵	Am 5f ⁶	Cm 5f ⁷	Bk 5f ⁸	Cf 5f ⁹	Es 5f ¹⁰	Fm 5f ¹¹	Md 5f ¹²	No 5f ¹³	Lr 5f ¹⁴			

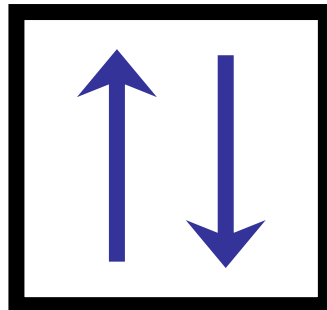


General Rules



Wolfgang Pauli

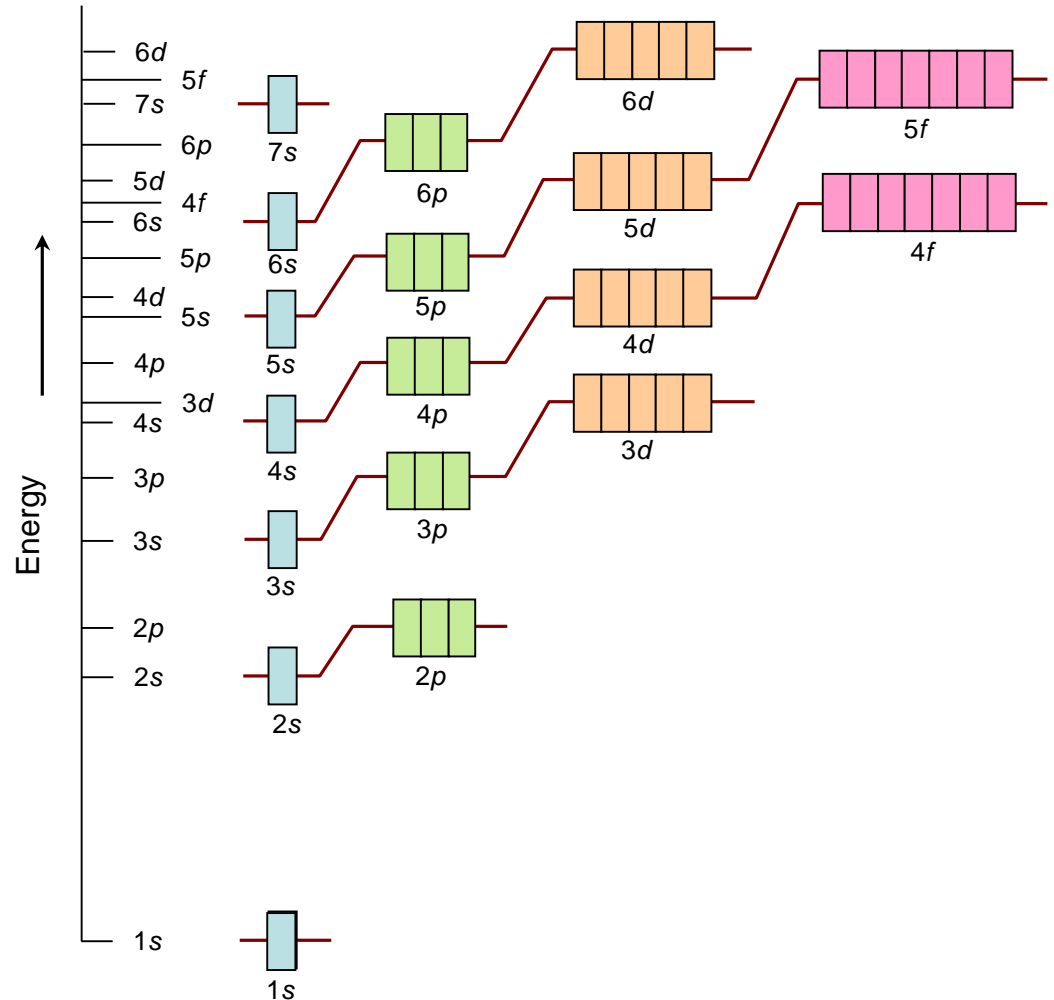
- **Pauli Exclusion Principle**
 - Each orbital can hold TWO electrons with opposite spins.



General Rules

Aufbau Principle

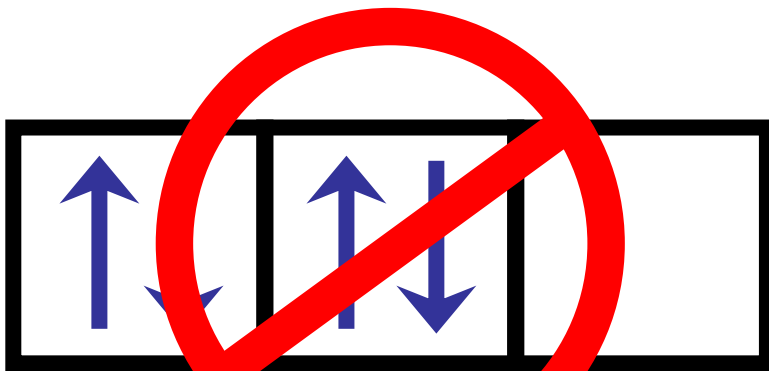
- Electrons fill the lowest energy orbitals first.
- “Lazy Tenant Rule”



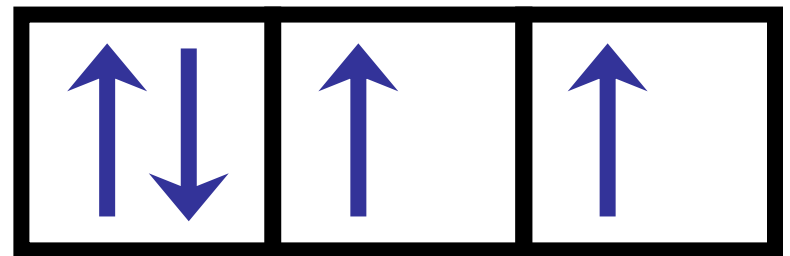
General Rules

- Hund's Rule

- In a sublevel: one electron per orbital before doubling up.
- “Empty Bus Seat Rule”



WRONG



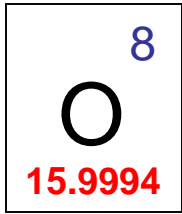
RIGHT

Electron Configurations

Element	Orbital Filling					Electron Configuration	
	1s	2s	2p _x	2p _y	2p _z		3s
H	↑						1s ¹
He	↑↓						1s ²
Li	↑↓	↑					1s ² 2s ¹
C	↑↓	↑↓	↑	↑			1s ² 2s ² 2p ²
N	↑↓	↑↓	↑	↑	↑		1s ² 2s ² 2p ³
O	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑	↑		1s ² 2s ² 2p ⁴
F	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑		1s ² 2s ² 2p ⁵
Ne	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓		1s ² 2s ² 2p ⁶
Na	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑	1s ² 2s ² 2p ⁶ 3s ¹

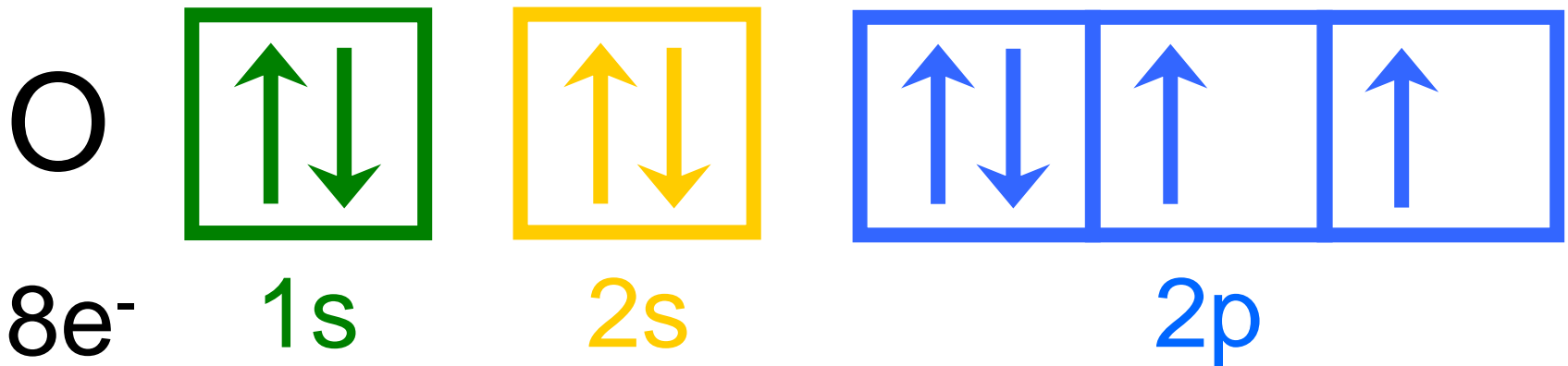
NOT CORRECT
 violate Hund's
 Rule



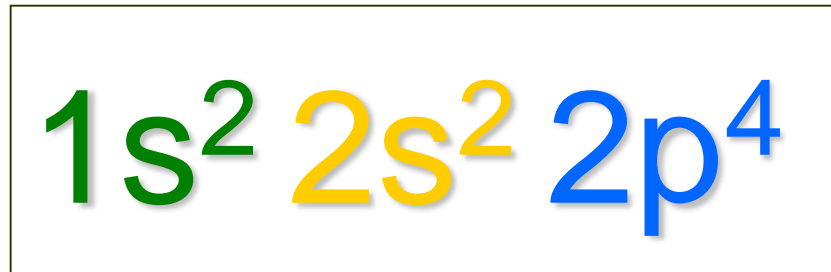


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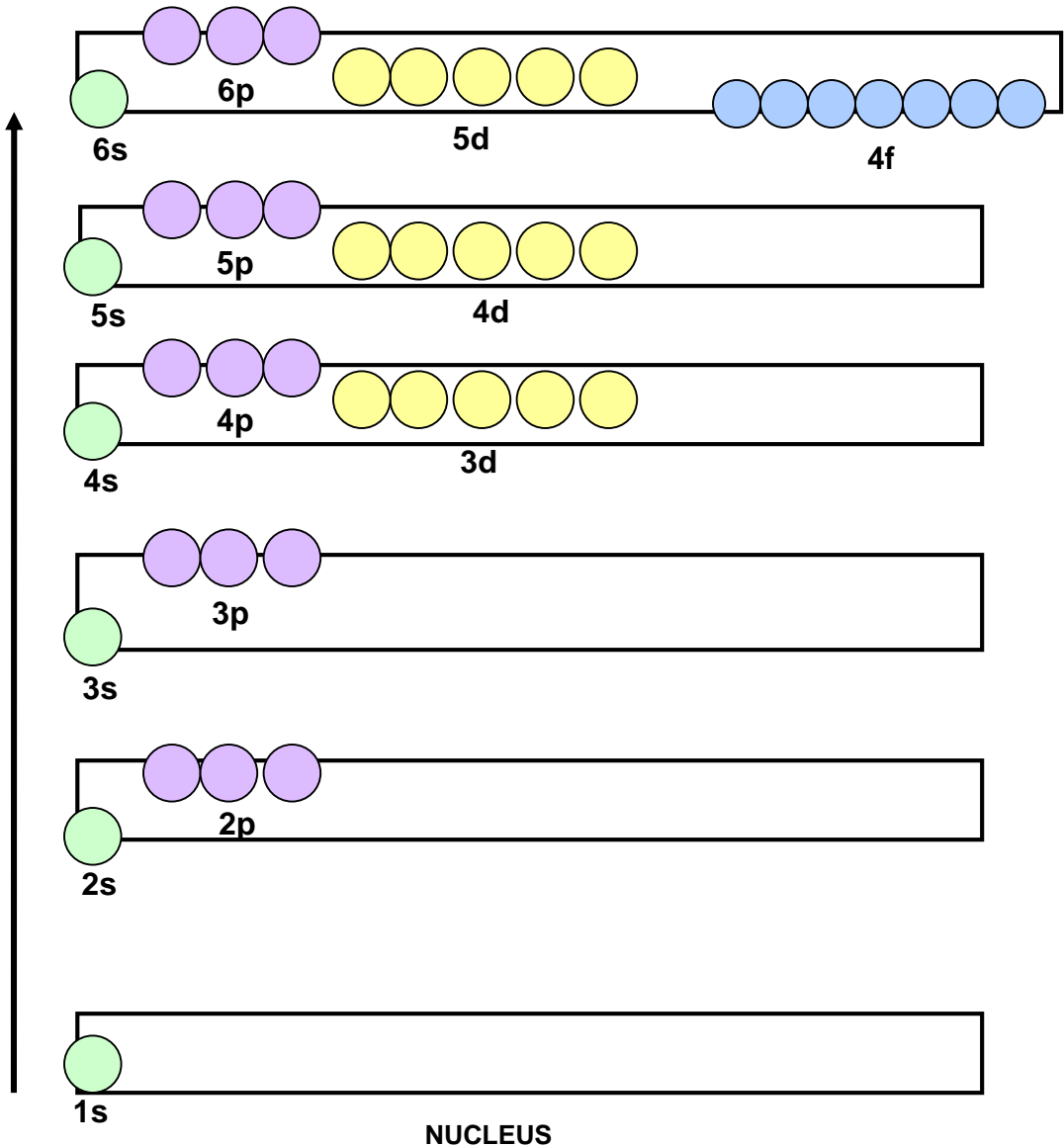
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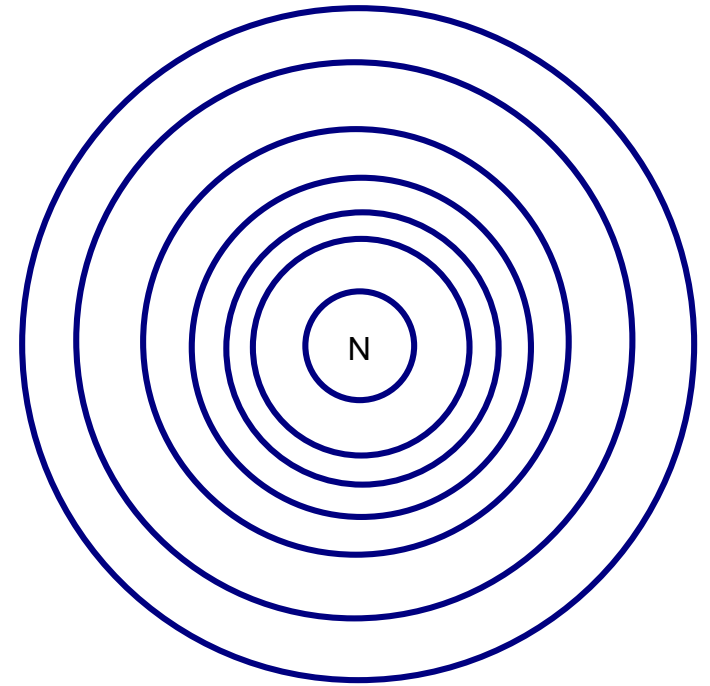
- Electron Configuration



Energy Level Diagram



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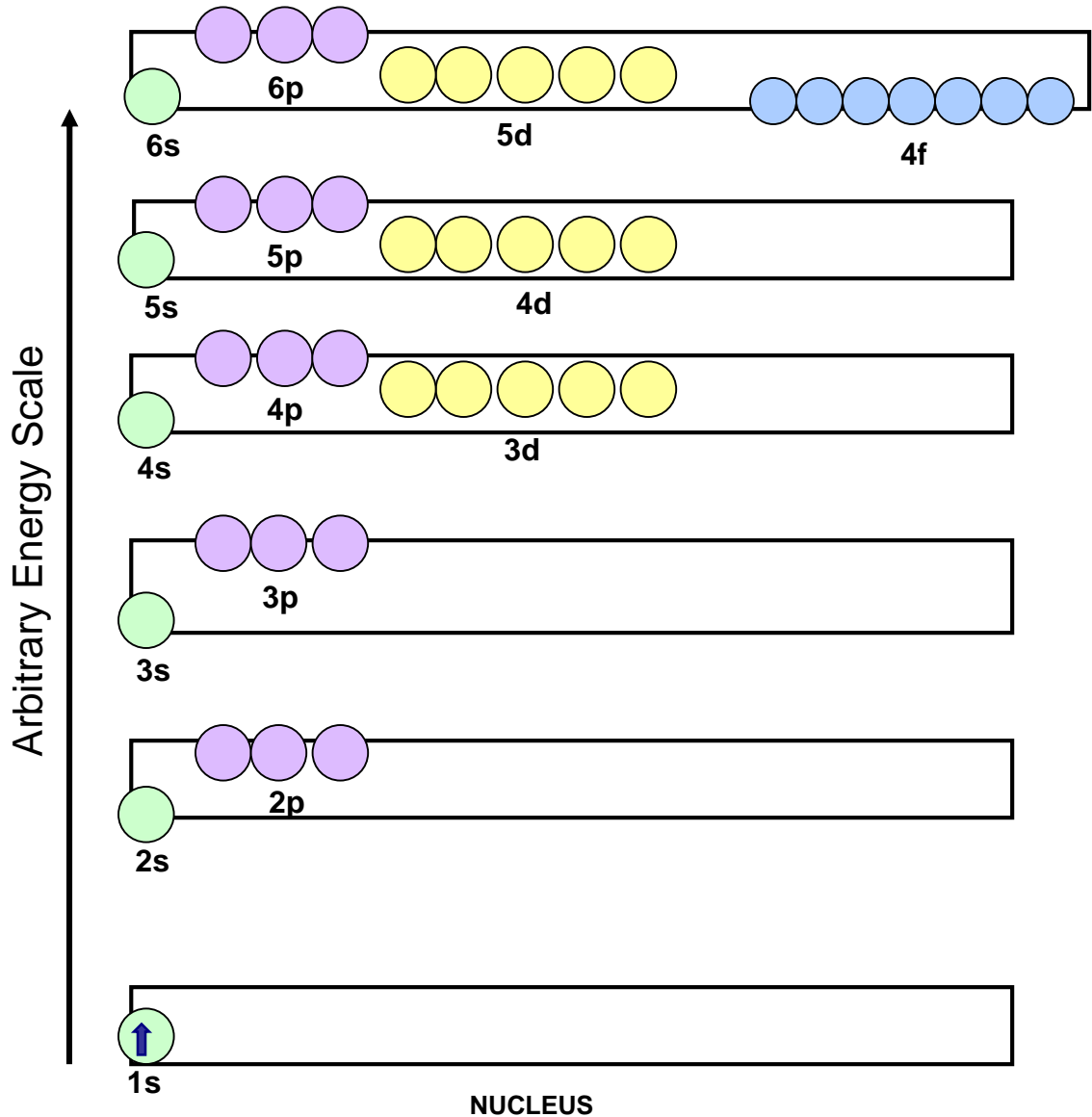
“ground state”

Electron Configuration

H He Li C N Al Ar F Fe La

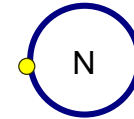
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Energy Level Diagram



Hydrogen

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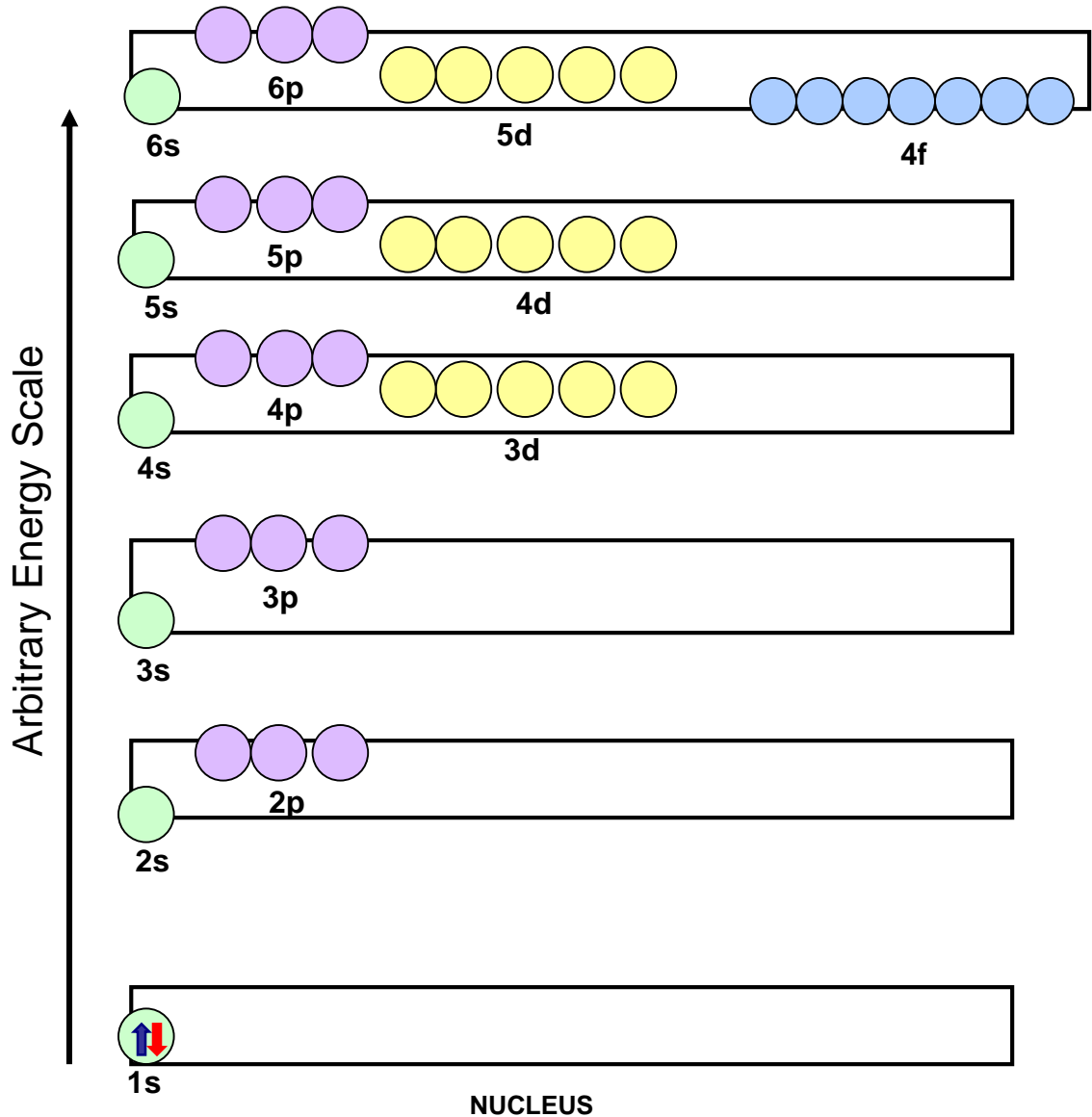
Electron Configuration

$1s^1$

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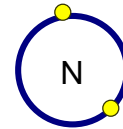
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Helium

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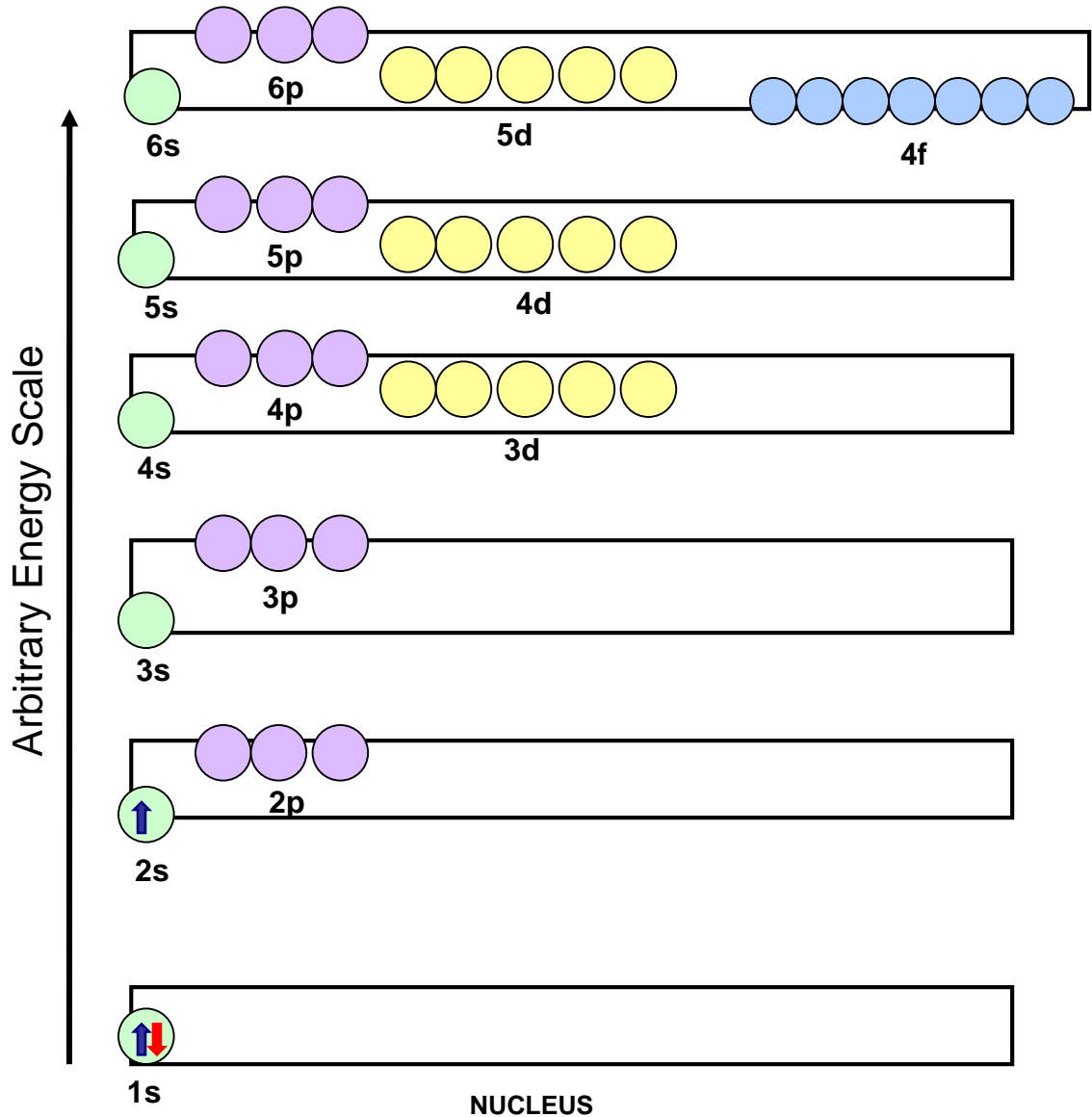
Electron Configuration

$1s^2$

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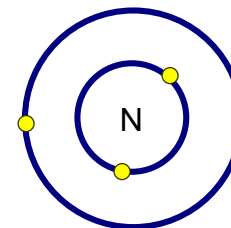
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Lithium

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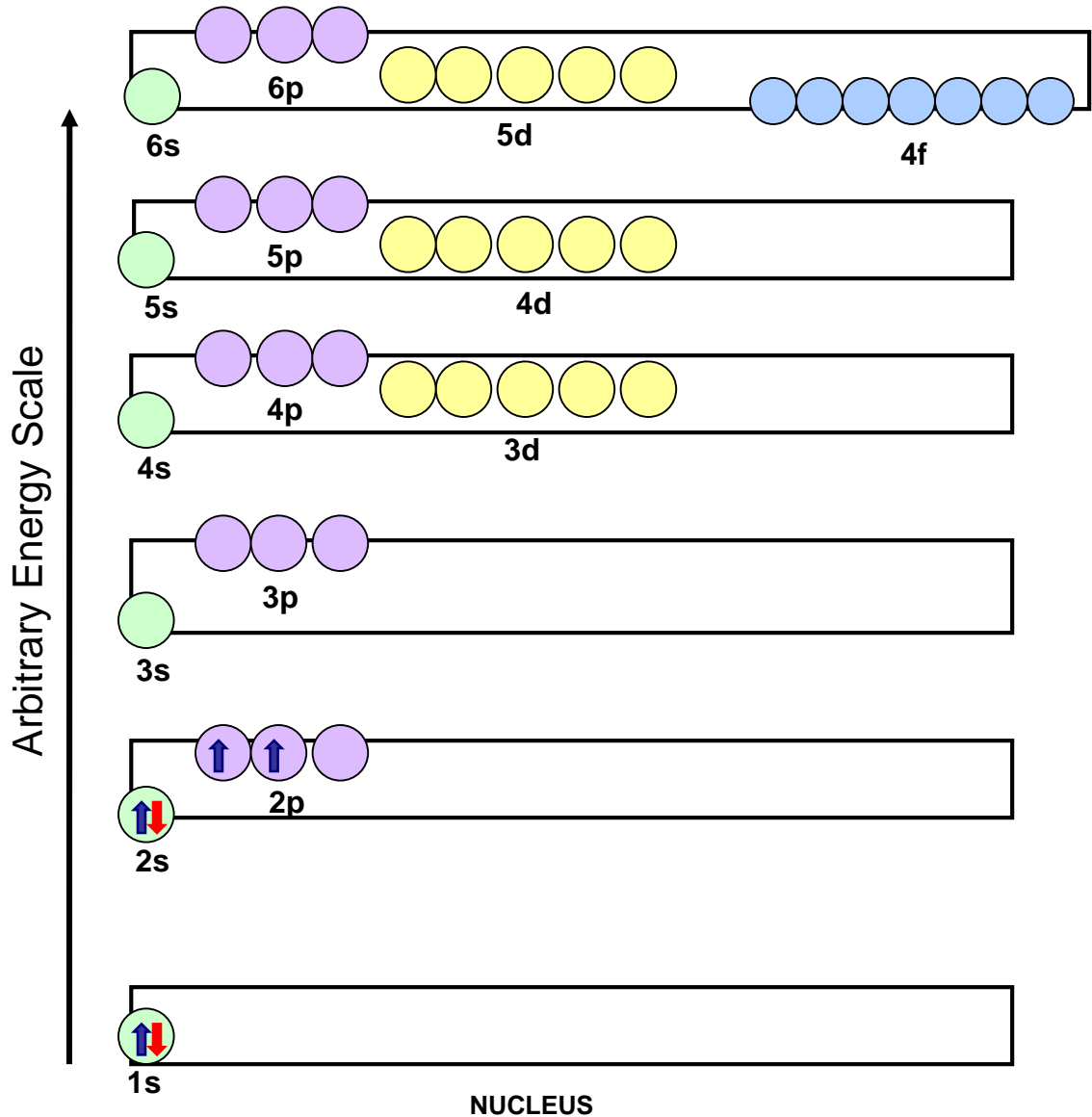
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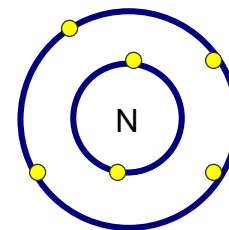
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Carbon

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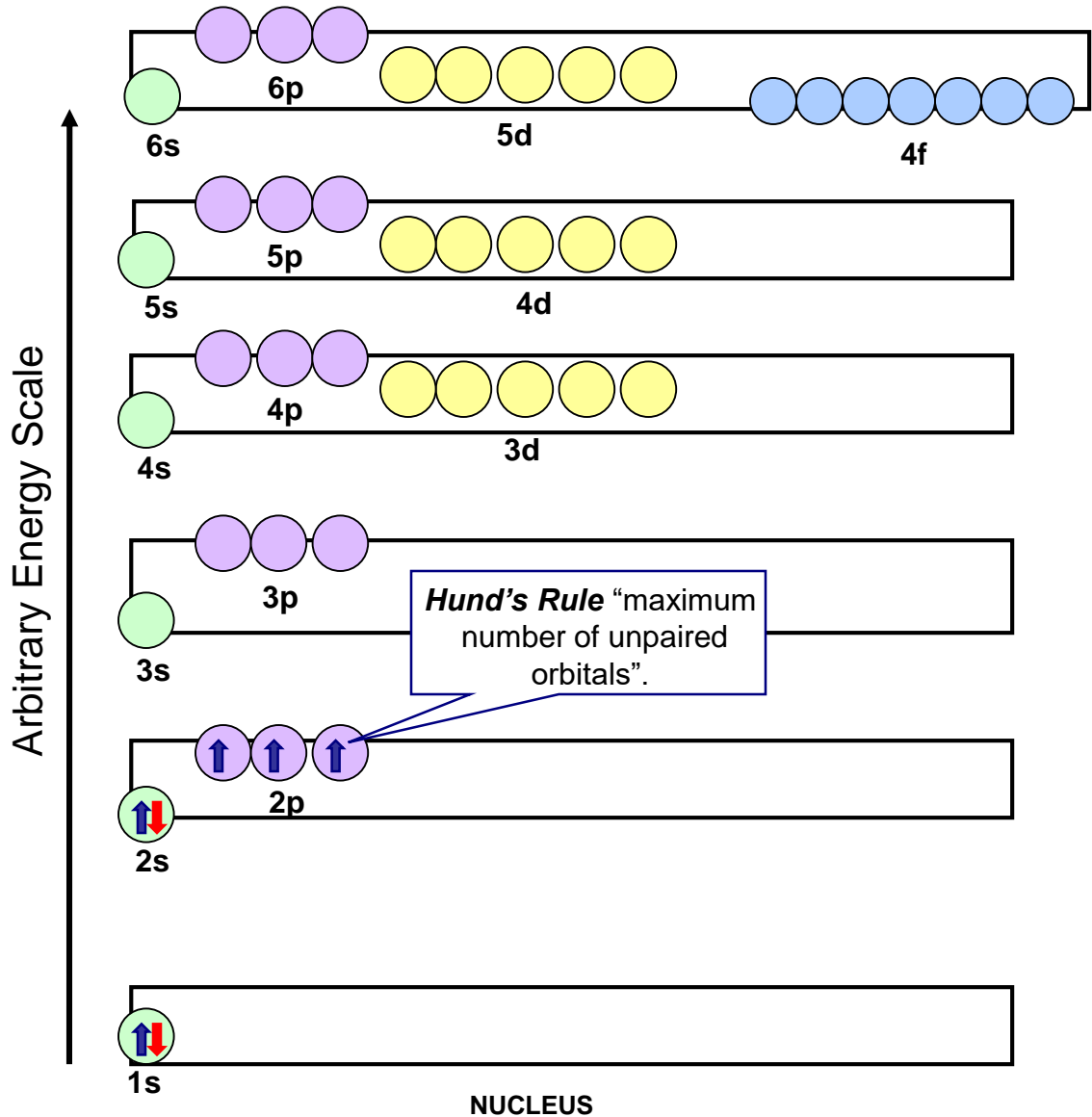
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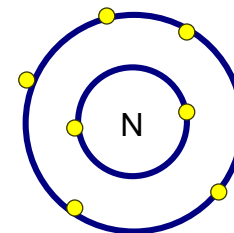
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Nitrogen
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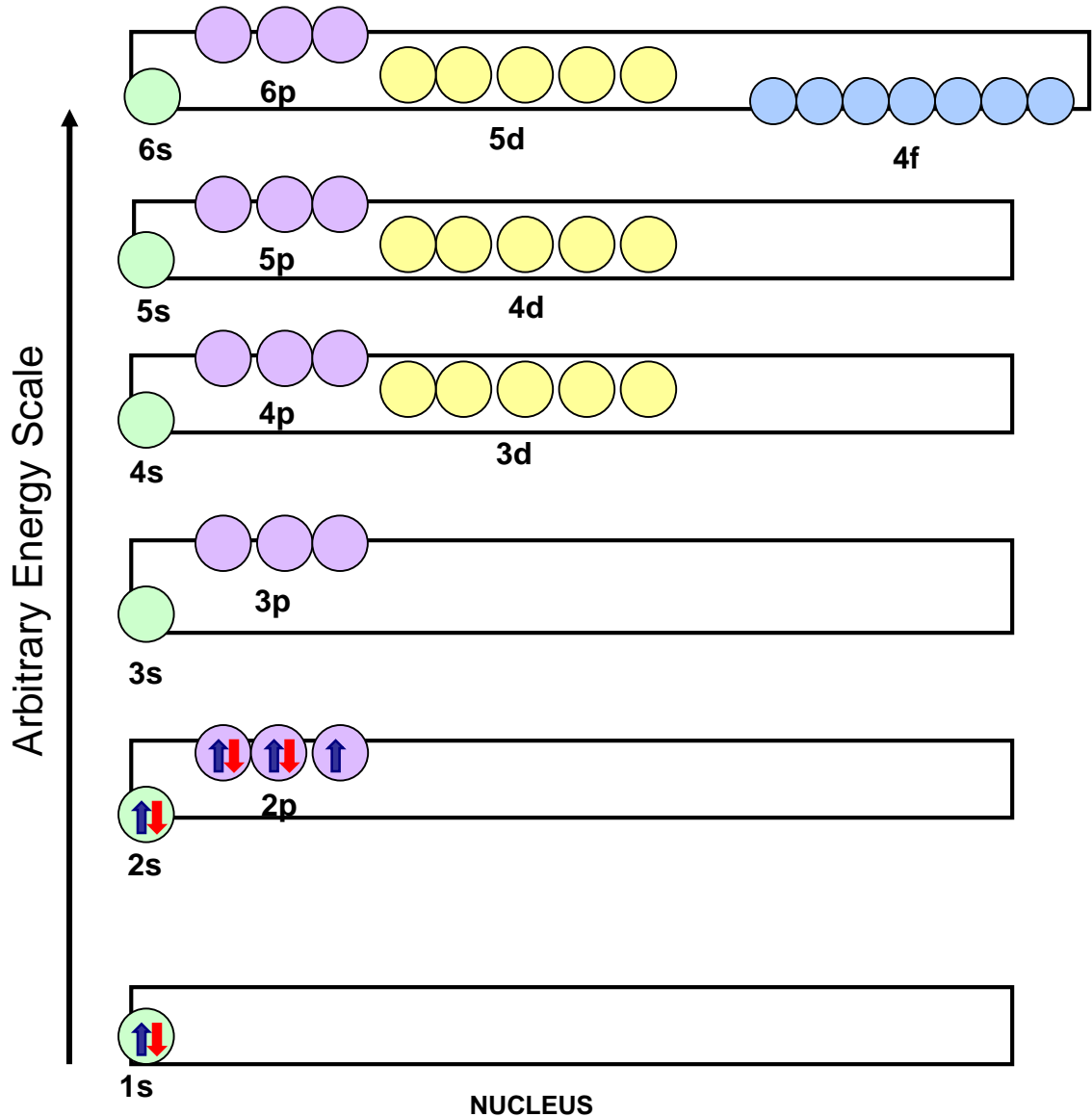
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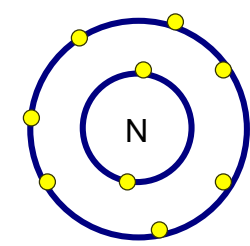
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Fluorine

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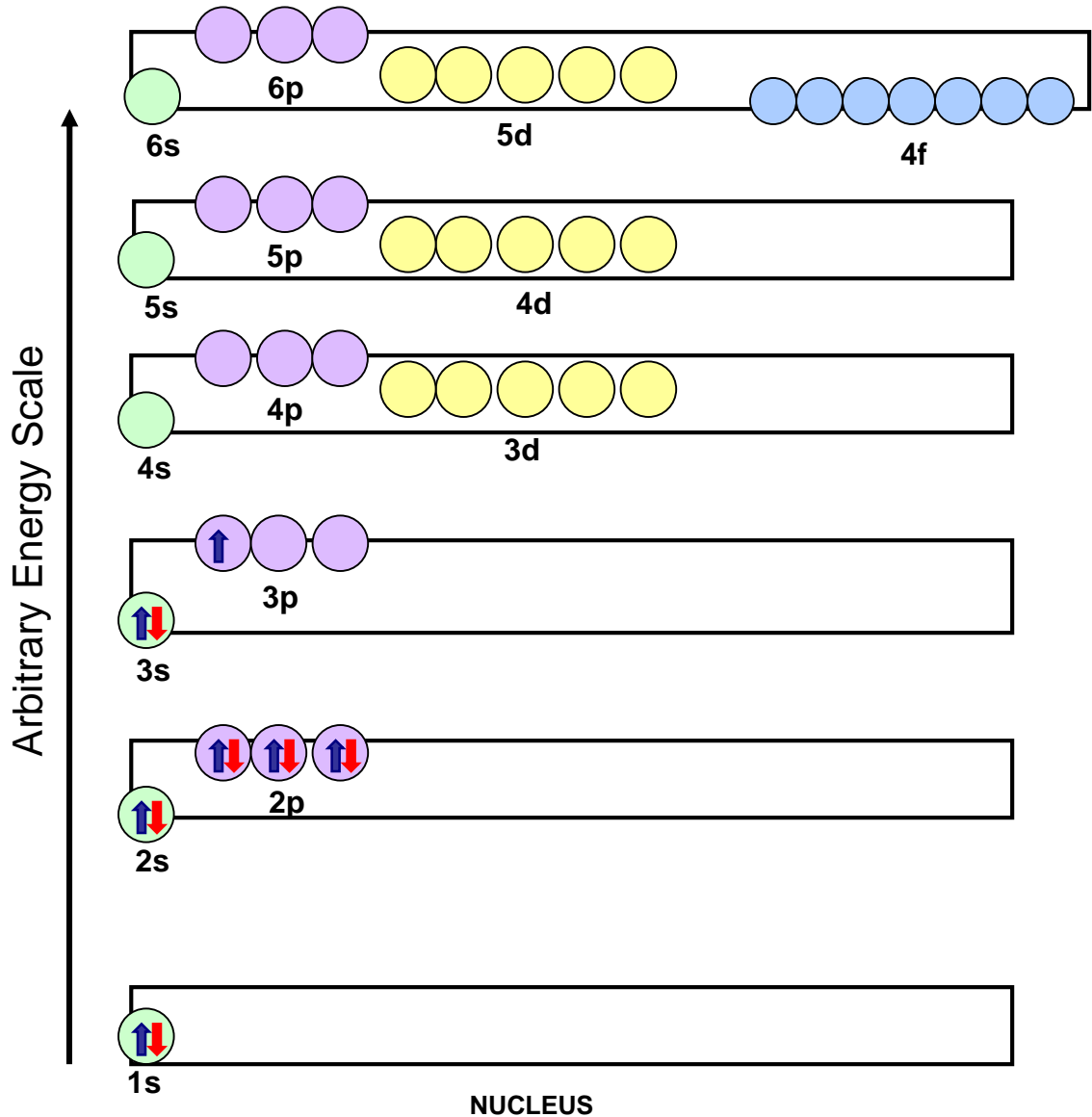
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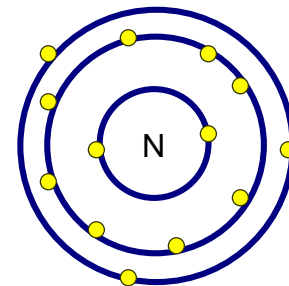
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Aluminum

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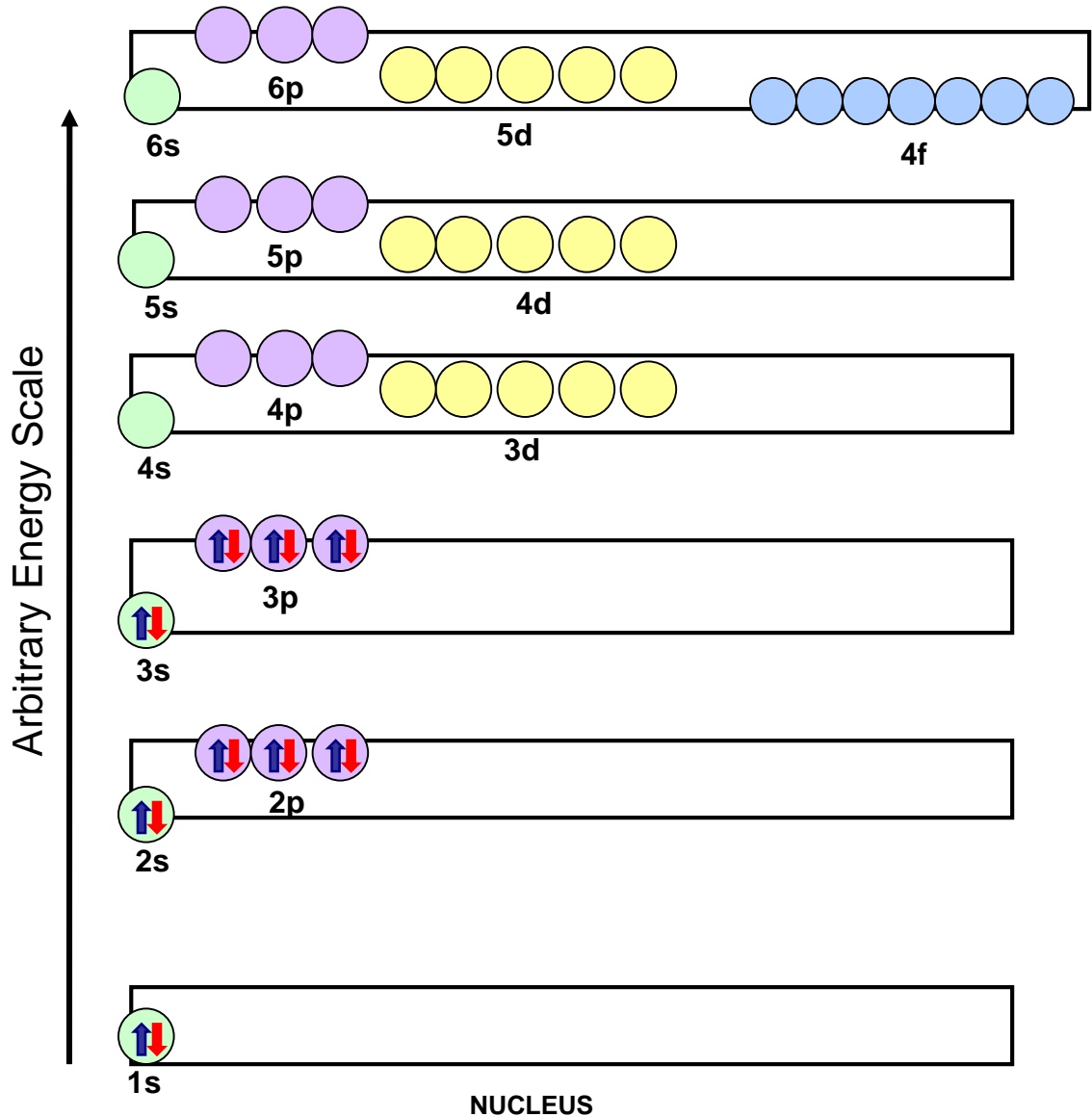
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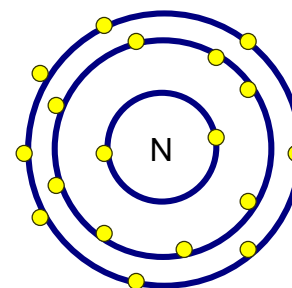
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Argon

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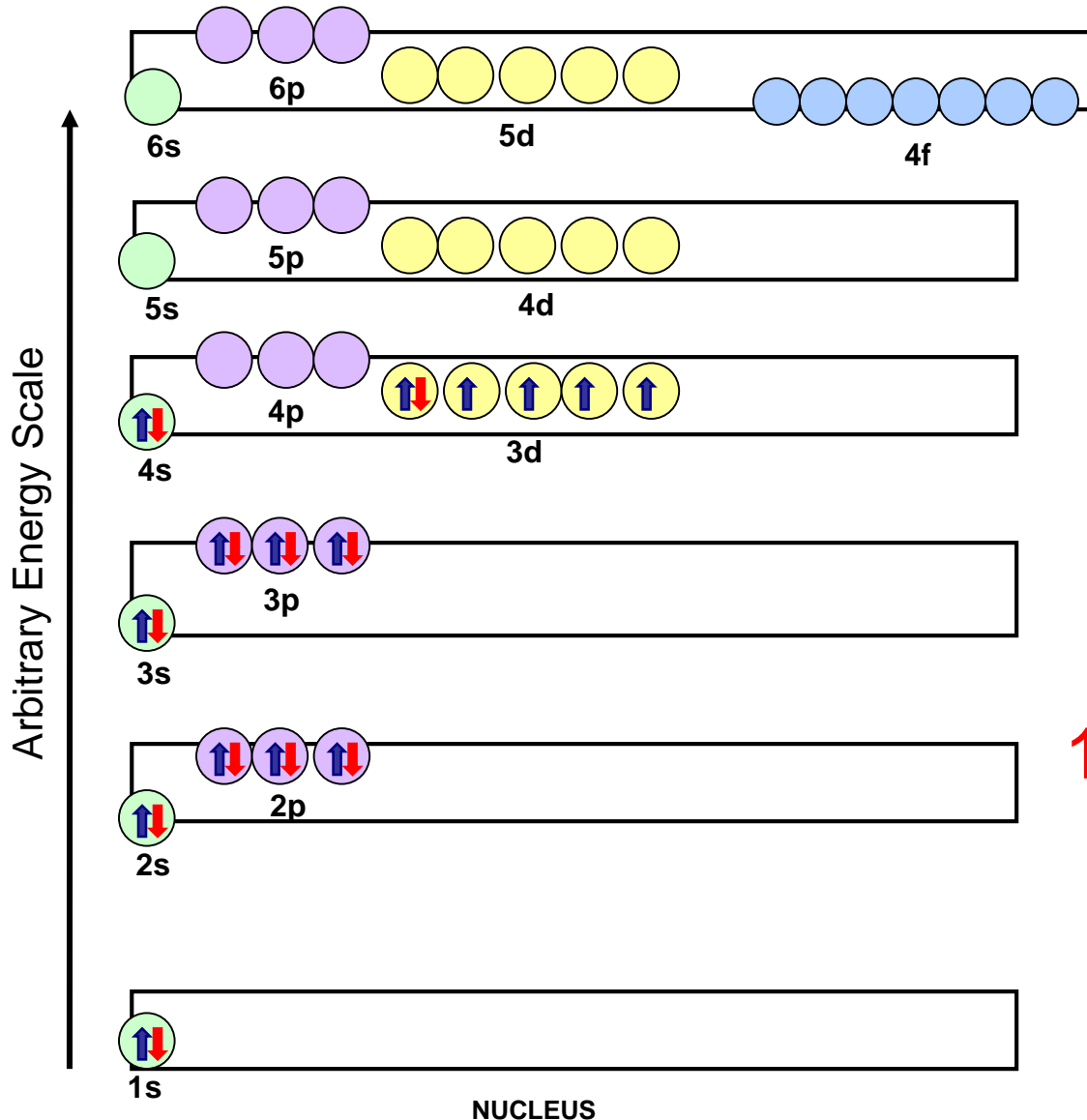
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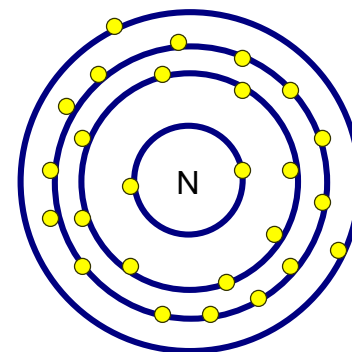
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Iron
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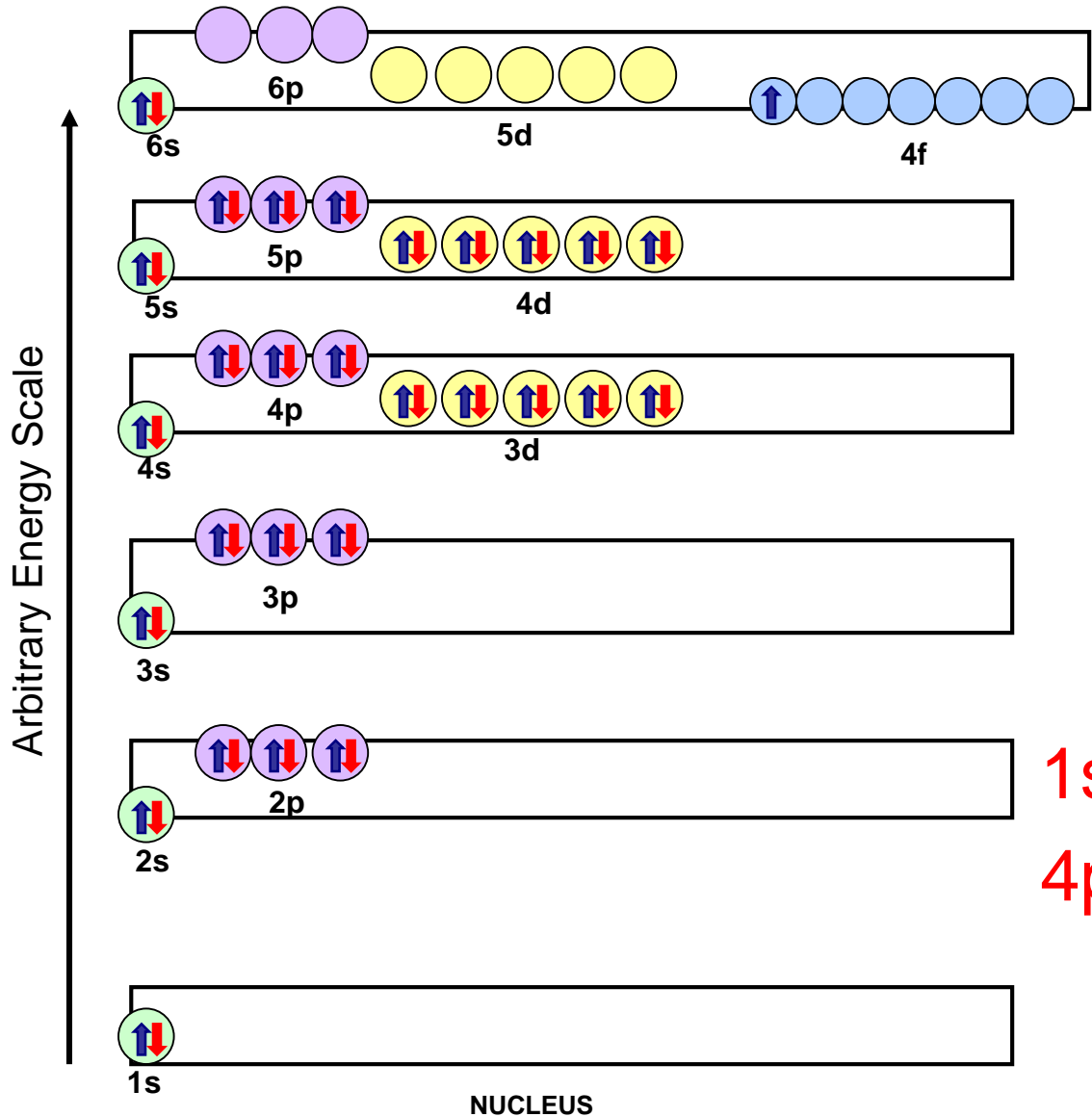
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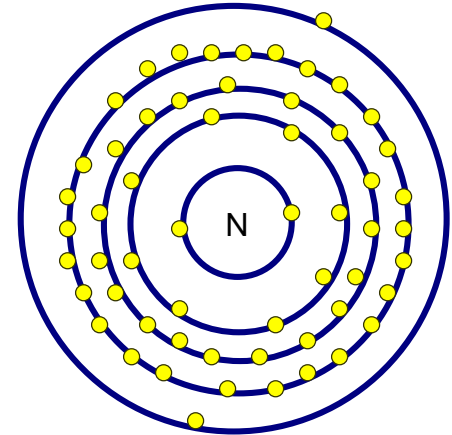
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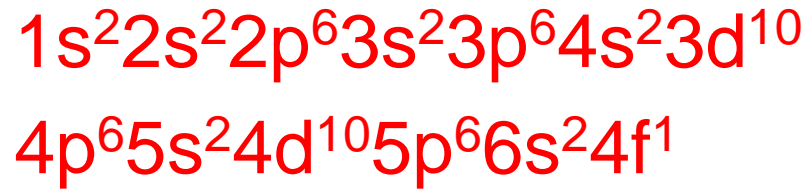


Lanthanum

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Electron Configuration



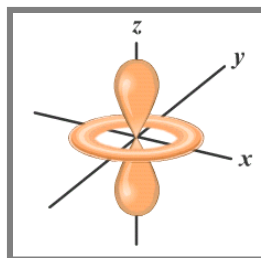
H He Li C N Al Ar F Fe **La**

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Review Notes 5.3 & 6.2 (pt.3)

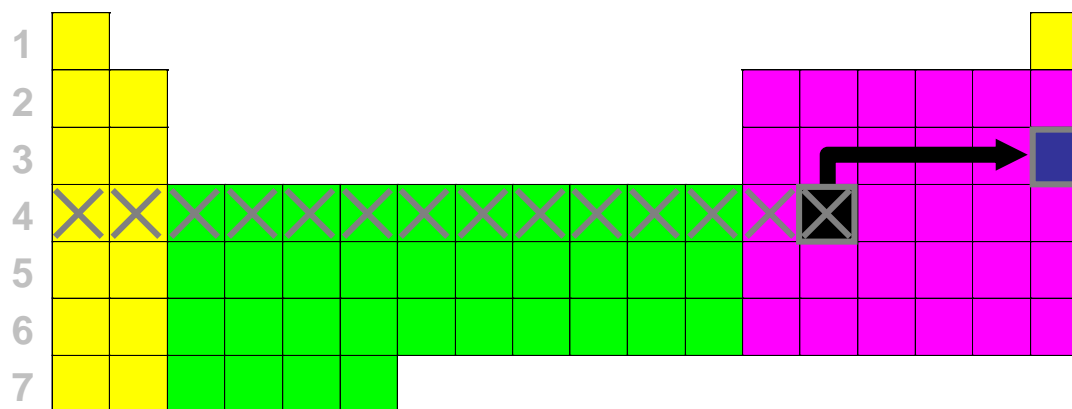
Electron Configuration & Orbitals

$1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^2 3d^{10} 4p^6 5s^2 4d^{10} 5p^6 6s^2 4f^{14} 5d^{10} 6p^6 \dots$



Shorthand Configuration

- Example - Germanium



Shorthand Configuration

Element symbol

Electron configuration

Ca

[Ar] 4s²

V

[Ar] 4s² 3d³

F

[He] 2s² 2p⁵

Ag

[Kr] 5s² 4d⁹

I

[Kr] 5s² 4d¹⁰ 5p⁵

Xe

[Kr] 5s² 4d¹⁰ 5p⁶

Fe

[He] 2s² 2p⁶ 3s² 3p⁶ 4s² 3d⁶

Sg

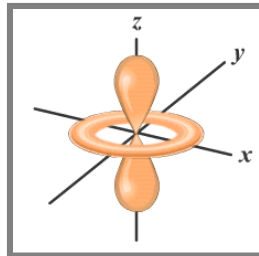
[Rn] 7s² 5f¹⁴ 6d⁴



Review Notes 5.3 & 6.2 (pt.4)

Electron Configuration & Orbitals

$1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^2 3d^{10} 4p^6 5s^2 4d^{10} 4p^6 5s^2 4d^{10} 5p^6 6s^2 4f^{14} 5d^{10} 6p^6 \dots$



Valence Electrons

What are “valence electrons”?

- Electrons in the outer - most energy level.
- “s” electrons and “p” electrons only.

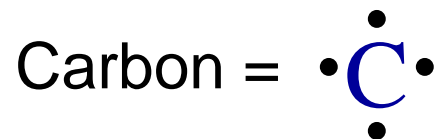
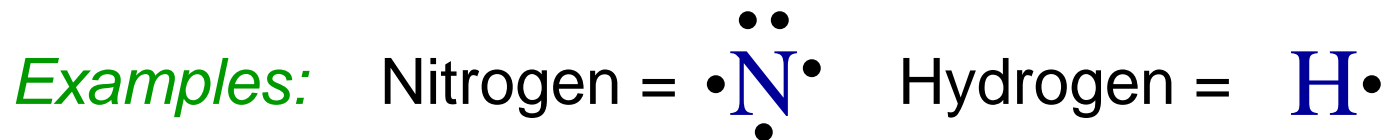
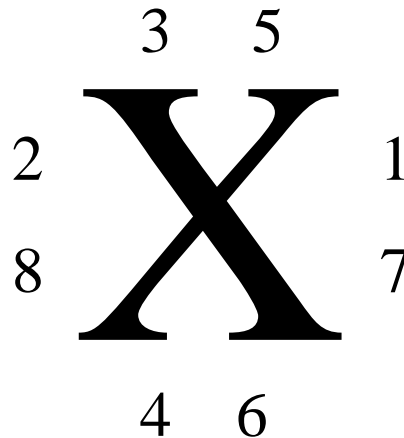
Counting Valence Electrons

- Group A # = number of valence electrons
(exception Helium = 2 e⁻s)

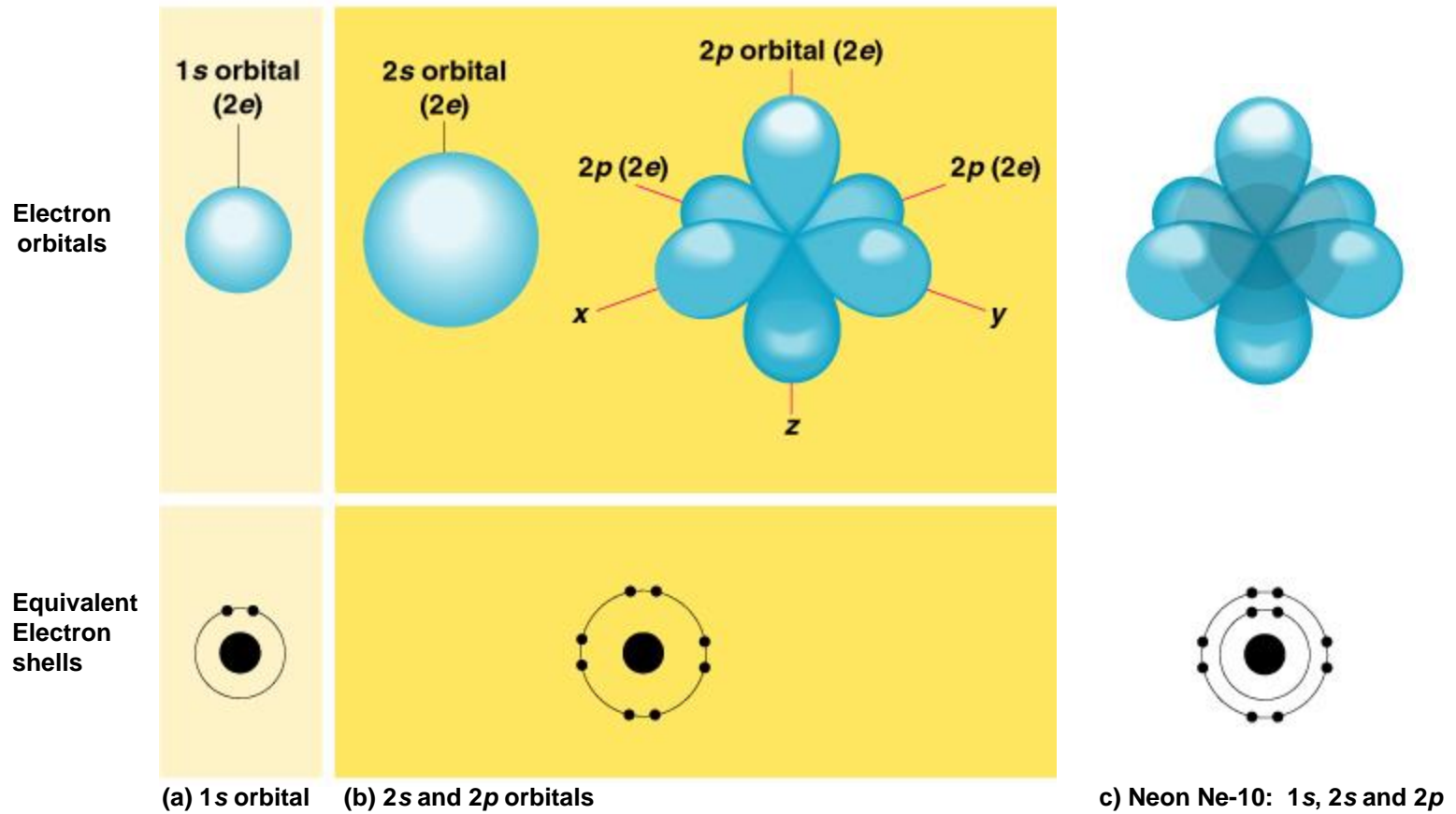
Examples: Ca = 2 e⁻s Nitrogen = 5 e⁻s Argon = 8 e⁻s

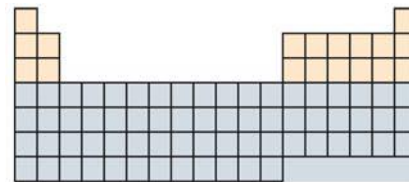
- ALL d-block and f-block = 2 valence e⁻s

Drawing Valence Electrons



Electron Orbitals:





Electron Configurations of First 18 Elements:

Hydrogen
 ${}_1\text{H}$



Helium
 ${}_2\text{He}$



Lithium
 ${}_3\text{Li}$



Beryllium
 ${}_4\text{Be}$



Boron
 ${}_5\text{B}$



Carbon
 ${}_6\text{C}$



Nitrogen
 ${}_7\text{N}$



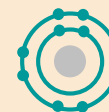
Oxygen
 ${}_8\text{O}$



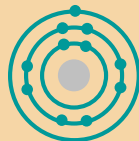
Fluorine
 ${}_9\text{F}$



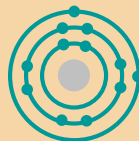
Neon
 ${}_{10}\text{Ne}$



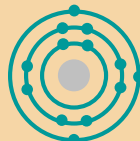
Sodium
 ${}_{11}\text{Na}$



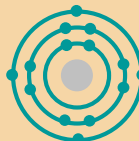
Magnesium
 ${}_{12}\text{Mg}$



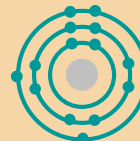
Aluminum
 ${}_{13}\text{Al}$



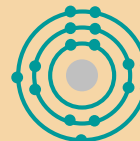
Silicon
 ${}_{14}\text{Si}$



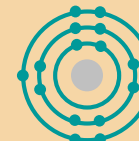
Phosphorous
 ${}_{15}\text{P}$



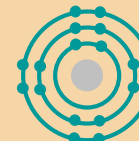
Sulfur
 ${}_{16}\text{S}$



Chlorine
 ${}_{17}\text{Cl}$



Argon
 ${}_{18}\text{Ar}$



Electron Dot Diagrams

Group							
1A	2A	3A	4A	5A	6A	7A	8A
H •							He ••
Li •	• Be •	• B •	• C •	• N •	• O •	• F •	• Ne •
Na •	• Mg •	• Al •	• Si •	• P •	• S •	• Cl •	• Ar •
K •	• Ca •	• Ga •	• Ge •	• As •	• Se •	• Br •	• Kr •
s^1	s^2	s^2p^1	s^2p^2	s^2p^3	s^2p^4	s^2p^5	s^2p^6

• = valence electron

Review Notes 6.3

Periodic Table of the Elements

	1A															0		
1	1 H															2 He		
		IIA										III A	IVA	VA	VI A	VII A		
2	3 Li	4 Be										5 B	6 C	7 N	8 O	9 F	10 Ne	
3	11 Na	12 Mg										13 Al	14 Si	15 P	16 S	17 Cl	18 Ar	
			IIIB	IVB	VB	VB	VIB	VII	VIII	IX	X							
4	19 K	20 Ca	21 Sc	22 Ti	23 V	24 Cr	25 Mn	26 Fe	27 Co	28 Ni	29 Cu	30 Zn	31 Ga	32 Ge	33 As	34 Se	35 Br	36 Kr
5	37 Rb	38 Sr	39 Y	40 Zr	41 Nb	42 Mo	43 Tc	44 Ru	45 Rh	46 Pd	47 Ag	48 Cd	49 In	50 Sn	51 Sb	52 Te	53 I	54 Xe
6	55 Cs	56 Ba	57 * La	72 Hf	73 Ta	74 W	75 Re	76 Os	77 Ir	78 Pt	79 Au	80 Hg	81 Tl	82 Pb	83 Bi	84 Po	85 At	86 Rn
7	87 Fr	88 Ra	89 + Ac	104 Rf	105 Ha	106 106	107 107	108 108	109 109	110 110								

* Lanthanide Series

+ Actinide Series

58 Ce	59 Pr	60 Nd	61 Pm	62 Sm	63 Eu	64 Gd	65 Tb	66 Dy	67 Ho	68 Er	69 Tm	70 Yb	71 Lu
90 Th	91 Pa	92 U	93 Np	94 Pu	95 Am	96 Cm	97 Bk	98 Cf	99 Es	100 Fm	101 Md	102 No	103 Lr

Trends in the Periodic Table

Atomic Size (Atomic Radius)

(See Fig. 14.10)

- **Moving Down a Group**= the size of the atoms increases
 - Why? You are adding more of electrons to higher and higher energy levels (farther and farther out.)
- **Moving Across a Period**= the size generally decreases
 - Why? You are adding more e^- and p^+ to the same energy level. This causes more attraction of opposite charges and it pulls the electron cloud inward.

Trends in the Periodic Table

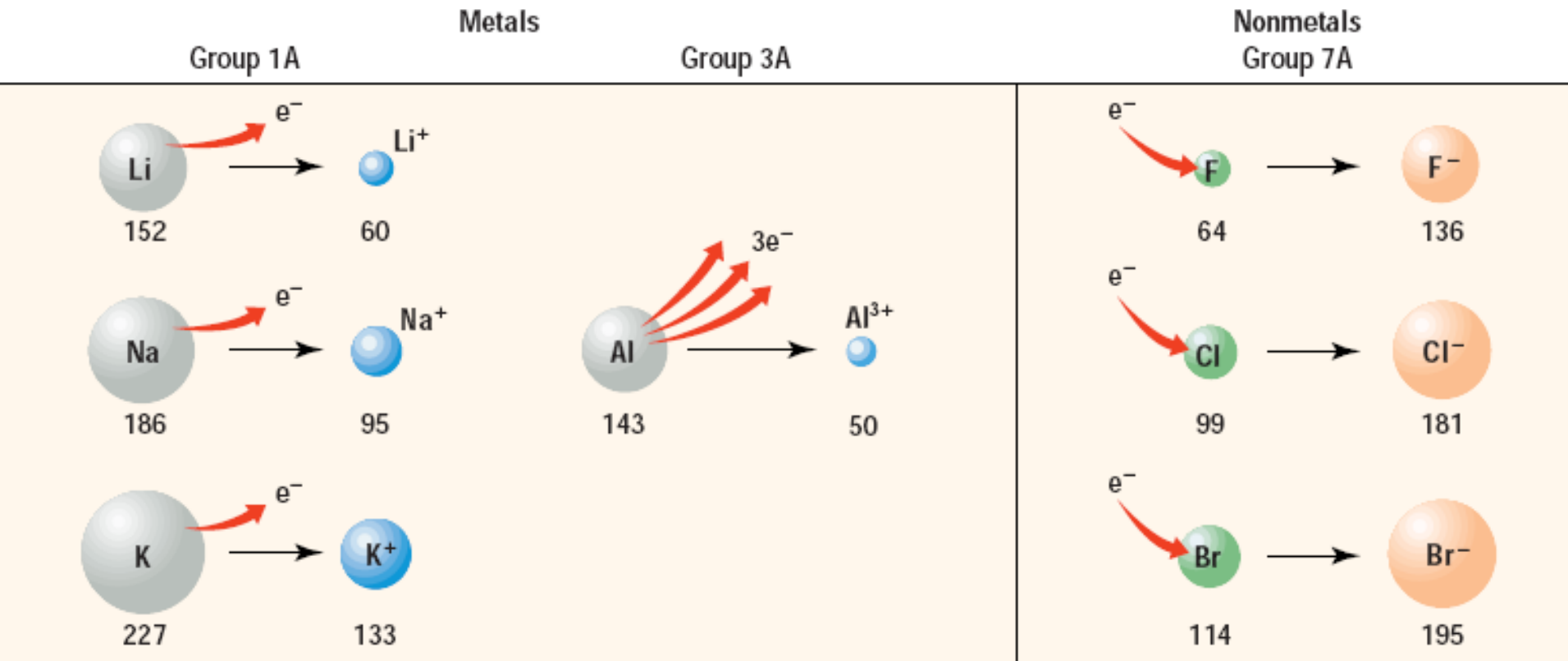
Atomic Size vs. Ion Size

(See Fig. 14.8)

- **Cation** = (+) charged atom created by removing e⁻'s.
 - Cations are smaller than the original atom.
 - Metals generally form cations.
- **Anion** = (-) charged atom created by adding e⁻'s.
 - Anions are larger than the original atom.
 - Nonmetals generally form anions.

Trends in the Periodic Table

Atomic Size vs. Ion Size



Determining the Ion Formed

- Atoms try to achieve a noble gas configuration when forming an ion. (This makes them more stable.)
 - Locate the nearest noble gas and count how many “places” it is away, but remember that you can skip over the d-block!!
 - This amount will be the same as the # of e⁻'s either gained or lost by the atom when forming an ion.

Practice Problem: How many electrons are gained or lost when forming an ion from the following elements?

- a) Magnesium: 2 (gained or lost) b) Iodine: 1 (gained or lost)
- c) Gallium: 3 (gained or lost) d) Boron: 3 (gained or lost)

Review Notes 6.3 pt.2

Periodic Table of the Elements

1	1A	1	H																							0	2	He	
2		3	Li	IIA	4	Be																							
3		11	Na		12	Mg																							
4		19	K		20	Ca	III B	IV B	V B	VI B	VII B	VIII					IX B	X B											
5		37	Rb		38	Sr																							
6		55	Cs		56	Ba																							
7		87	Fr		88	Ra																							

* Lanthanide Series

+ Actinide Series

58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71
Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu
90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103
Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu	Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md	No	Lr

Trends in the Periodic Table

Ionization Energy

(See Fig. 6.16 & 6.17)

- Ionization energy is the energy required to remove the outer most electron in an atom.
- Moving Down a Group= decreases (less energy is needed)
 - Why? You are trying to remove an electron that is farther and farther out (for larger and larger atoms). These e⁻'s are not as attracted to the nucleus.
 - In general, the larger the atom, the less attracted it is to its e⁻'s.

Trends in the Periodic Table

Ionization Energy

- **Moving Across a Period**= generally increases
 - Why? Moving across a period takes us from metals to nonmetals. More ionization energy is needed for nonmetals compared to metals.
 - Also, since metals generally form cations, it won't take as much energy to remove it's outer most electron.
 - Remember that as you move across the period, the atoms get smaller and therefore more attracted to the electrons.

Trends in the Periodic Table “Successive Ionization Energies”

(See Table 6.2)

- “Successive Ionization Energies” means the energy required to remove a 2nd or a 3rd electron from an atom.
 - Removing more and more e⁻'s requires more and more energy.
 - Why? The remaining e⁻'s are more tightly bound to the nucleus.

Trends in the Periodic Table

Electronegativity

(See Fig 6.18)

- Electronegativity is a relative value (from 0 – 4.0) which compares how much an atom is attracted to the e⁻'s in a chemical bond.
- **Moving Down a Group**= generally decreases (less attraction)
 - Why? The bonded electron is farther and farther out. These e⁻'s will not be as attracted to the larger and larger atoms.

Trends in the Periodic Table

Electronegativity

- Moving Across a Period= generally increases
 - Why? Again, the atoms are getting smaller so they are more attracted to the bonding electrons.
 - Also, moving across a period takes us from metals to nonmetals. Since nonmetals generally form anions, they tend to gain e⁻'s anyway, and this makes them highly attracted to e⁻'s when forming a chemical bond.
 - Noble gases are not listed in Fig 6-18 since they do not form compounds

*Periodic Table
Geography*

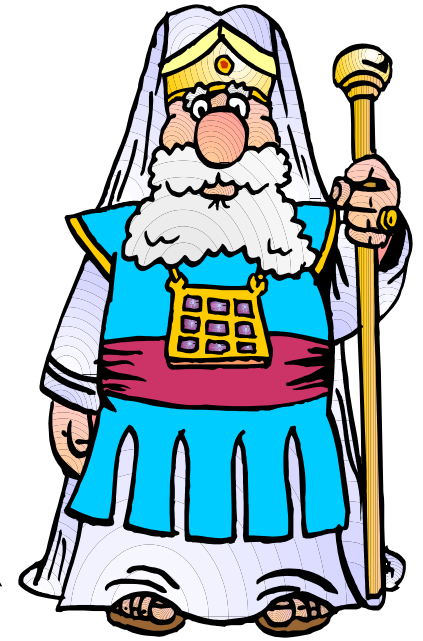
Halogens

- Very **reactive**, volatile, **diatomic**, nonmetals
- Always **found combined** with other element in nature .

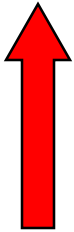


Noble Gases

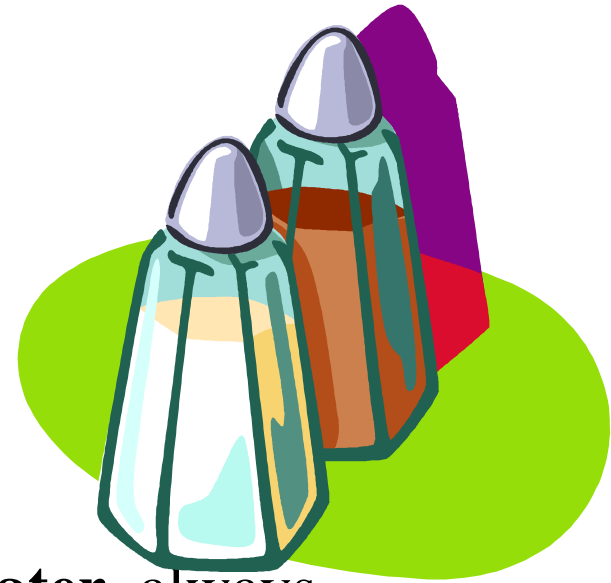
- **VERY unreactive**, monatomic gases
- Have a **full valence shell**.



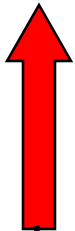
Alkali Metals



- Very reactive metals (solids) with air and water, always combined with something else in nature (like in salt).
- Soft enough to cut with a butter knife



Alkaline Earth Metals



- Reactive metals (solids) that are always combined with nonmetals in nature.
- Several of these elements are important mineral nutrients (such as Mg and Ca)
- Also, used used in batteries

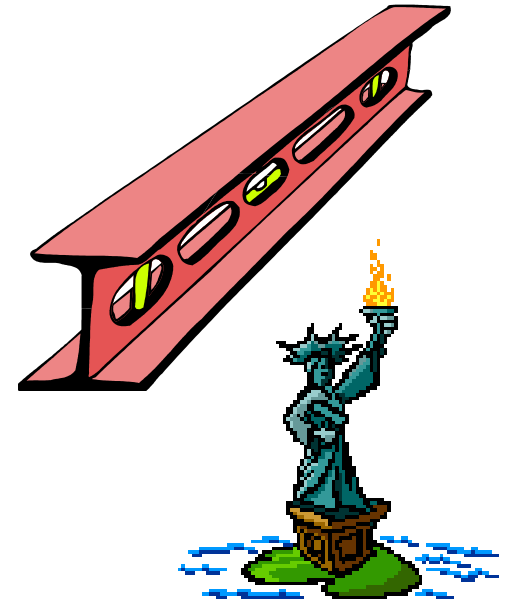
Transition Metals



Transition Metals

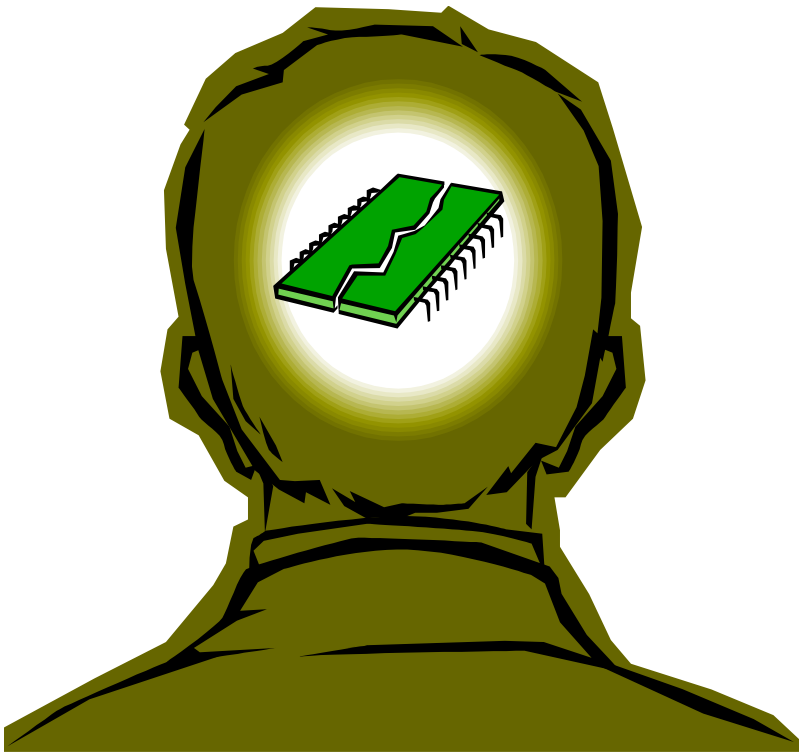


- Elements in groups 3-12
- All solids except Mercury
- Less reactive harder metals
- Includes metals used in jewelry and construction.
- Metals used “as metal.”



Carbon Family

- Elements in group 14
- Contains elements important to life and computers.
- Carbon is the basis for an **entire branch** of chemistry.
- Silicon and Germanium are important semiconductors.



Nitrogen Family



- Elements in group 15
- Nitrogen makes up over 80% of the atmosphere.
- Nitrogen and phosphorus are both important in living things.
- The red stuff on the tip of matches is phosphorus.

Oxygen Family or Chalcogens

- Elements in group 16
- Oxygen is necessary for respiration.
- Many things that stink, contain sulfur (rotten eggs, garlic, skunks, etc.)



QUESTIONS

