

## ATOMS AND IONS (Nelson text, pg. 188-190)

### HOW DO ATOMS AND IONS DIFFER?

An atom is an electrically \_\_\_\_\_ particle with an equal number of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. An ion is an atom that has become \_\_\_\_\_ by gaining or losing \_\_\_\_\_. For example, sodium atoms lose \_\_\_\_\_ electron when they react with other atoms. Each resulting sodium ion contains 11 \_\_\_\_\_ charges (on \_\_\_\_\_) and only 10 \_\_\_\_\_ charges (on \_\_\_\_\_). Since it has one more positive charge than negative, the sodium ion has an \_\_\_\_\_ charge of \_\_\_\_\_. The chemical symbol for a sodium ion is \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_. The other \_\_\_\_\_ metals also form ions with a single \_\_\_\_\_ charge.

Fluorine is one of the most \_\_\_\_\_ elements. It tends to \_\_\_\_\_ an electron from another atom to form a stable ion called \_\_\_\_\_. Because it has one extra \_\_\_\_\_ charge, it has an ionic charge of \_\_\_\_\_. The chemical symbol is therefore \_\_\_\_\_. In fact, all of the \_\_\_\_\_ form ions with a single negative charge.

The noble gases are stable due their full outer \_\_\_\_\_. Sodium ions and fluoride ions are also \_\_\_\_\_. Why is this so? (keep reading below)

### SODIUM

In the process of forming a sodium \_\_\_\_\_, a sodium \_\_\_\_\_ must react with another atom and lose one \_\_\_\_\_. The most likely electron to be lost is the one farthest from the \_\_\_\_\_: the single electron in the \_\_\_\_\_ orbit. This farthest electron is least \_\_\_\_\_ held to the nucleus. As a result, the sodium ion has the same \_\_\_\_\_ electron arrangement as a \_\_\_\_\_ atom: an outer orbit filled with \_\_\_\_\_ electrons.

### FLUORINE

Flourine has one less electron than \_\_\_\_\_. Fluorine tends to react with other atoms to \_\_\_\_\_ one electron. This reaction gives it the same stable arrangement of \_\_\_\_\_ as neon. With this extra electron, the fluorine atom now has \_\_\_\_\_ electrons and only \_\_\_\_\_ protons. It therefore becomes a \_\_\_\_\_ ion with a single \_\_\_\_\_ ionic charge: \_\_\_\_\_.

### ALUMINUM

The Bohr-Rutherford diagram of aluminum shows that aluminum has \_\_\_\_\_ outer electrons. To have a stable outer orbit (like a \_\_\_\_\_ gas) aluminum could either gain \_\_\_\_\_ electrons or lose \_\_\_\_\_. Metals tend to \_\_\_\_\_ electrons, while non-metals tend to \_\_\_\_\_ them. The result is an aluminum ion with ionic charge +3: \_\_\_\_\_.

## SULFUR

Sulfur has \_\_\_\_ electrons in its \_\_\_\_\_ orbit. To achieve a stable electron arrangement, a sulfur atom reacts with other atoms and \_\_\_\_\_ two electrons. When it does, sulfur forms an ion with the chemical symbol \_\_\_\_\_. This is called a \_\_\_\_\_ ion.

## NAMING IONS

We can classify ions as \_\_\_\_\_ - those that have positive charges and \_\_\_\_\_ - those that have negative charges. The name of a positive ion is the same as the name of the \_\_\_\_\_. The name of a negative ion is determined by adding “\_\_\_\_\_” to the stem of the name.

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